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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### OFFICERS BIENNIALLY ELECTED

#### Representative to General Court

A. Ralph Estabrooks

#### Moderator

Frank H. Davis

#### Supervisors of Check List

Bernard Churchill

Raymond Estabrooks

Frank Jones

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### OFFICERS ANNUALLY ELECTED

#### Town Clerk

Irving M. Heath

#### Selectmen

William K. Davis

Term expires March 1928

Leon G. Ingalls

Term expires March 1929

Earle B. Nichols

Term expires March 1930

#### Treasurer

Charles A. Boswell

#### Tax Collector

Charles R. Stevens

#### Auditors

Hayden E. Cheney

Wilbur R. Sargent

#### Road Commissioner

T. Everett Currier

**Trustees of Gale Library**

Mary A. L. Hayford	Term expires	March 1928
Henry L. Burbeck	Term expires	March 1929
David F. Wilder	Term expires	March 1930

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

Hayden E. Cheney	Term expires	March 1928
Frank H. Davis	Term expires	March 1929
Irving M. Heath	Term expires	March 1930

**Constable**

Augustus E. Locke

**Board of Education**

Elvira R. Dart	Term expires	March 1928
Lottie M. Germundson	Term expires	March 1929
Grace Osborne	Term expires	March 1930

**Board of Health**

Henry L. Burbeck	William K. Davis
Earle B. Nichols	Leon G. Ingalls

**Cemetery Trustees**

David F. Wilder	Term expires	March 1928
John E. Hayford	Term expires	March 1929
William K. Davis	Term expires	March 1930

**TOWN WARRANT****THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newton, N. H.,  
qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

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

1. To bring in your votes for Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Auditor, Road Surveyor, Trustee of Trust Funds for three years, Constable, Cemetery Trustee for three years, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Measurers of Wood and Bark, and Surveyors of Lumber, Health Officers, Fence Viewers and all other necessary Town Officers and Agents for the ensuing year.

The following articles will be acted upon at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening of the same date:

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for paying the Town debts and defraying the interest thereon, for the support and maintenance of the Public Library, and for other necessary charges arising in said Town.

3. To hear the reports of Town Clerk, Town Treasurer and Board of Selectmen to the Town Auditors, the reports of the Auditors, Agents, Committees, or the officers heretofore chosen or appropriated and to pass any vote relating thereto.



4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$400.00 for the control of the White Pine Blister Rust. (The State will furnish \$100.00 for every \$400.00 raised.) In addition to this the State will also pay the cost of supervision of the Town work.

6. To see if the Town will take any action in regard to fixing salaries of Town Officers.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$354.50 (in addition to \$709.00 required by law), for State Aid Construction in order to secure State Aid of \$1,063.00.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$2,500.00 for Trunk Line Maintenance (the State will furnish a like sum).

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,200.00 for State Aid Maintenance (the State will furnihs a like sum).

10. Upon petition of 28 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to build or reconstruct in conjunction with the State Highway Department, the highway leading from Rowes' Corner to South Hampton line (near the Gould place), and from the South Hampton line (near Mountain House Hill so-called), to the Amesbury line and raise and make necessary appropriation for the same.

11. Upon petition of 29 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for repairing the road leading from Nichols Corner through Whittier Street and continuing to Country Pond bridge.

## 12. Upon petition of 12 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for repairing Merrimac Road so-called, extending from Sargent's Corner to the State line.

## 13. Upon petition of 15 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to install street lights on the road from Ingalls' Corner to the East Kingston line.

Lights to be located as follows:—

One light near top of Hobbs' Hill.

One light on north slope of Hobbs' Hill.

One light at Potties' Corner.

One light north, about as far as the shop on the W. L. Currier place. And appropriate money for the same.

## 14. Upon petition of 8 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to install such street lights as are needed on the road leading from Sargent's Corner to Fleming's Corner. And appropriate money for the same.

## 15. Upon petition of 21 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to install five street lights from Fleming's Corner to residence of Samuel Baker. Appropriate money for the same.

## 16. Upon petition of 19 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to install four street lights on Railroad Avenue to the residence of John Maroney, and raise and appropriate money for same.

17. To see if the Town will vote to buy 300 feet of Fire Hose and raise and appropriate money for same.

18. Upon petition of 12 voters:

To see if the Town will vote to exempt from taxes the hall owned by the Granite State Grange at Newton Junction on the grounds that this building is used for the benefit of the community without charge for church or school activities.

19. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 20th day of February, A. D., 1928.

LEON G. INGALLS,  
WILLIAM K. DAVIS,  
EARLE B. NICHOLS,  
Selectmen of Newton.

A true copy of Warrant. Attest:

LEON G. INGALLS,  
WILLIAM K. DAVIS,  
EARLE B. NICHOLS,  
Selectmen of Newton.

## BUDGET FOR YEAR, 1928

	1927 Reserve 1927 Receipts	Appropn. 1927	Actually Spent 1927	Estimate for 1928
Town Officers' Salaries		\$1,000.00	\$1,016.59	\$1,200.00
Town Officers' Expense		450.00	682.92	550.00
Election and Registration—				
Reserve	27.50	100.00	47.50	225.00
Town Hall Expenses:—Receipt	138.00	200.00	399.35	200.00
Police Department		75.00	77.05	100.00
Haverhill Firemen's Relief		100.00	100.00	100.00
Fire Department—Reserve	5.40	300.00	307.13	300.00
Fire Department Forest Fires:				
Reserve	40.64			
Receipt	152.28	25.00	164.55	00.00
Health Department:—Reserve	100.19	25.00	13.53	00.00
Vital Statistics:—Reserve	12.75	15.00	17.80	00.00
Street Lighting:—Reserve	204.48	2,200.00	2,083.22	2,000.00
Cemeteries:—Reserve	16.50	75.00	21.00	50.00
Interest		300.00	334.32	300.00
Snow Bills:				
Reserve	1,663.45			
Receipt	470.63	500.00	579.22	500.00
Town Hall Repairs:—Reserve	353.31	1,000.00	710.73	100.00
Public Library		200.00	200.00	200.00
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		\$6,565.00		\$5,825.00

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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

### SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

April 1, 1927

#### Resident

Land and buildings	\$460,065.00
Horses, 61	3,595.00
Cows, 109	5,710.00
Neat stock, 2	90.00
Fowls, 1195	1,195.00
Boats and launches, 14	300.00
Gas pumps, 7	3,500.00
Stock in trade	9,300.00
Mills and machinery	3,300.00
Wood and lumber	100.00
	—————\$487,155.00

#### Non-Resident

Land and buildings	\$169,350.00
Horses, 18	1,425.00
Hogs, 400	5,000.00
Stock in trade	22,475.00
Wood and lumber	2,590.00
Mills and machinery	13,000.00
Vehicles, 12	300.00
	—————\$214,140.00

#### Soldiers' Valuation Taxable

Land and buildings	\$6,880.00
Stock in trade	1,325.00
	—————\$8,205.00

#### Total Valuation

Resident	\$487,155.00
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Non-Resident	214,140.00	
Soldiers' Taxable	8,205.00	
		<u>\$709,500.00</u>
Soldiers' Valuation Exempt		\$14,575.00

#### Amount of Taxes and Rates

Taxes on property	\$22,708.80	
Taxes on 516 polls at \$2.00	1,032.00	
		<u>\$23,740.80</u>
Total committed to collector		\$23,740.80
Taxes added		12.00

Rate \$32.00 on \$1,000.00

#### LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS

Budget	\$6,565.00	
State Aid Construction	1,042.00	
Trunk Line Maintenance	2,500.00	
State Aid Maintenance	1,250.00	
Memorial Day	175.00	
Extra Lights	70.50	
State Tax	1,505.75	
County Tax	1,337.28	
Schools	6,034.84	
Notes	3,000.00	
Highway Department	1,773.75	
Overlay	127.88	
		<u>\$25,382.00</u>

#### ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$5,957.89
Due from State Forest Fire account	5.00
Harvey Marden, bal. 1923 tax, interest and costs	14.60
Fred Peaslee, 1924 tax, in- terest and costs	8.72
John E. Blinn, balance 1925 tax, interest and costs	5.67

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Joseph G. Blinn, 1925 tax, interest and costs	15.08
Charles E. Snow, 1925 tax, interest and costs	27.82
Marie Fernandez and Jo- sepha Maya, 1925 tax, interest and costs	315.92
John E. Blinn, 1926 tax, interest and costs	18.37
Joseph G. Blinn, 1926 tax, interest and costs	18.37
Clarence N. Durgin, 1926 tax, interest and costs	19.21
Mrs. Arthur Durgin Est., 1926 interest and costs	36.13
William Greaney, 1926 tax, interest and costs	6.37
Fred Peaslee, 1926 tax, in- terest and costs	7.26
James W. Bagley, 1927 tax, interest and costs	51.65
Jerome Boyd, 1927 tax, interest and costts	58.28
Edith J. Churchill, 1927 tax, interest and costs	120.38
William Crummett, 1927 tax, interest and costs	40.59
Alice R. Fowle, 1927 tax, interest and costs	22.70
Fred Filz, 1927 tax, interest and costs	11.32
Marie Fernandez and Jo- sepha Maya, 1927 tax and interest	229.18
Clarence B. and Ralph H. Green, 1927 tax and interest	57.49

Bernice Gervais Est., 1927 tax, interest and costs	32.08	
Herbert Hatfield, 1927 tax, interest and costs	54.84	
James A. Boisselle, 1927 tax, interest and costs	54.84	
John E. Blinn, 1927 tax, interest and costs	12.57	
Clarence N. Durgin, 1927 tax, interest and costs	13.07	
William Greaney, 1927 tax, interest and costs	3.80	
Frank L. Merrill, 1927 tax, interest and costs	4.12	
George Thomas Heirs, 1927 tax, interest and costs	4.93	
	<hr/>	\$7,205.49

## LIABILITIES

Due School District, Dog Li- censes, 1927 account	227.92	
Due Haverhill Trust Co., Notes on Tractor	2,000.00	
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## CERTIFICATE

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

LEON G. INGALLS,  
WILLIAM K. DAVIS,  
EARLE B. NICHOLS,  
Selectmen of Newton.

Date, January 31, 1928.



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## LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land, building, furniture and equipment	\$13,000.00
Gale Library, land, building, furniture and equipment	2,000.00
Three schoolhouses and land	12,000.00
Tomb and land	200.00
Hearse and house	100.00
Willow Grove Cemetery	500.00
Tractor and house	4,300.00
Fire Department, truck and equipment	4,000.00
Sargent's Garage, Newton Depot	300.00
Highway equipment	200.00
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	\$36,600.00

### REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

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Dog Licenses as follows:		
83 males at \$2.00	\$166.00	
17 females at \$5.00	85.00	
1 short rate	.34	
2 Kennel Licenses	24.00	
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	\$275.34	
Reserved for fees	24.00	
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	\$251.34	
Paid Treasurer		\$251.34
Received for permits for registration of Motor Vehicles, Jan. 1, 1927, to Dec. 3, 1927	\$1,034.31	
Paid Treasurer		\$1,034.31

I. M. HEATH,  
Town Clerk.

**AUTOMOBILE PERMITS, 1927**

No. of Permit	Name of Owner	Price of new permit	No. of old permit	Value of old permit	Amt. Recd.
88551	Wilbur R. Sargent	\$2.63			2.63
88552	Elmer E. George	4.95			4.95
88553	Geo. M. Robinson	3.86			3.86
88554	Geo. H. Wentworth	1.97			1.97
88555	Herbert Osborne	1.98			1.98
88556	Loran B. Merritt	1.52			1.52
88557	Earl F. Webster	9.90			9.90
88558	Herbert Webster	7.74			7.74
88559	Ida Bartlett	6.24			6.24
88560	Nathan Johnson	1.58			1.58
88561	Samuel Boyd	6.78			6.78
88562	Mary E. Brown	3.72			3.72
88563	Joseph Comeau	2.65			2.65
88564	Albert Comeau	4.50			4.50
88565	Everett E. Coombs	10.74			10.74
88566	Chas. A. Boswell	1.09			1.09
88567	Chas. A. Boswell	4.50			4.50
88568	J. B. Berridge	2.63			2.63
88569	H. Emery	2.63			2.63
88570	W. T. Thom	3.08			3.08
88571	Francis Gray	8.05			8.05
88572	Winfred Snow	14.17			14.17
88573	Chas. A. Kennison	6.30			6.30

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No. of Permit	Name of Owner	Price of new permit	No. of old permit	Value of old permit	Amt. Recd.
88574	William Mingo	1.35			1.35
88575	P. H. Brewer	5.94			5.94
88576	William K. Davis	2.95			2.95
88577	Earl E. Morse	2.32			2.32
88578	Perley H. Brewer	1.34			1.34
88579	Mrs. James H. Froughman	2.61			2.61
88580	Chas. J. Chrigstrom	1.90			1.90
88581	Lowell E. Wentworth	2.38			2.38
88582	J. Howard Baker	1.05			1.05
88583	M. J. Duggan	1.57			1.57
88584	John Babine	6.48			6.48
88585	Walter M. Welch	12.42			12.42
88586	Howard F. Quimby	8.05			8.05
88587	P. J. Hanley	1.58			1.58
88588	Lewis R. Clifford	1.90			1.90
88589	Newton Box Co.	1.75			1.75
88590	Harry Merrifield	1.78			1.78
88591	Wm. J. Moisan	1.17			1.17
88592	Beatrice Morse	2.63			2.63
88593	Fred S. Morse	1.26			1.26
88594	Ira M. Downing	6.15			6.15
88595	Stacy Rowe	6.24			6.24
88596	D. R. Huntington	6.88			6.88

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88597	Geo. L. Cheney .....	22.74
88598	Geo. L. Cheney .....	31.50
88599	Chas. D. Currier .....	7.65
88600	Thos. W. Locke .....	6.24
88601	Peter Walls .....	3.82
88602	John G. Rowe .....	1.53
88603	Earl B. Nichols .....	8.34
88604	Earl B. Nichols .....	2.61
88605	Glenroy Colby .....	1.80
88606	Glenroy Colby .....	2.61
88607	A. Ralph Estabrooks .....	1.09
88608	Elmer Brewer .....	1.14
88609	Joseph Wechezak .....	2.63
88610	Chas. H. Hoyt .....	9.72
88611	Hayden Cheney .....	14.34
88612	Hayden Cheney .....	2.15
88613	Hayden Cheney .....	7.38
88614	E. J. Follett .....	1.59
88615	Wm. Miller .....	1.53
88616	Earl C. Ingalls .....	1.90
88617	Joseph Guscora .....	6.24
88618	H. R. Westover .....	.75
88619	Geo. L. Cheney .....	1.05
88620	Leon G. Ingalls .....	3.07
88621	Merrill A. Germundson .....	1.57
88622	Lawrence Peters .....	1.14

No. of Permit	Name of Owner	Price of new permit	No. of old permit	Value of old permit	Amt. Recd.
88623	Reuben Severance .....	1.32			1.32
88624	Leon George .....	1.35			1.35
88625	G. A. Colby .....	13.28			13.28
88626	Antony Nichols .....	1.65			1.65
88627	Joseph Guscora .....	3.28			3.28
88628	Wm. MacDonald .....	7.28			7.28
88629	J. B. Osgood .....	1.98			1.98
88630	Void (not issued).				
88631	Laurence Bailey .....	2.65			2.65
88632	Frank R. Adjanson .....	6.76			6.76
88633	Rodney E. Varrell .....	2.63			2.63
88634	Frank Davis .....	1.89			1.89
88635	Ralph W. Marden .....	4.23			4.23
88636	Earl E. Morse .....	8.10			8.10
88637	Geo. H. Adams .....	1.14			1.14
88638	Frank Clifford .....	1.35			1.35
88639	Elmer Allen .....	1.20			1.20
88640	W. H. Adams .....	4.05			4.05
88641	Luther P. Leith .....	1.94			1.94
88642	Delmar W. Foss .....	3.08			3.08
88643	Robert A. Moore .....	1.18			1.18
88644	Leon L. George .....	1.90			.55
88645	Wm. J. York .....	1.18			1.18
			88624	1.35	

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88646	A. C. Cutter .....	2.55
88647	Elmer C. Towle .....	3.88
88648	A. Mabelle Warner .....	10.74
88649	Melville H. Rowell .....	5.23
88650	W. H. Pean .....	1.14
88651	James A. Marden .....	8.05
88652	Wm. Foley .....	23.70
88653	Newel C. Jenness .....	1.78
88654	Alice L. Locke .....	4.18
88655	Etta I. Glidden .....	7.74
88656	Jesse E. Marston .....	10.74
88657	Chester A. Stevens .....	8.82
88658	Frank J. Glycart .....	17.34
88659	Robert Prescott .....	4.75
88660	Chas. W. Hardy .....	1.65
88661	W. C. Tufts .....	6.89
88662	Roy T. Ingalls .....	1.98
88663	Edward G. Hatch .....	2.64
88664	Ada W. Fowler .....	2.65
88665	Fred Filz .....	2.38
88666	Fred D. Tobey .....	2.65
88667	Harold D. Austin .....	3.37
88668	Edmund Whittier .....	1.14
88669	Mark Duren .....	6.78
88670	Fred H. Dow .....	4.50
88671	Harold Whitney .....	1.75

No. of Permit	Name of Owner	Price of new permit	No. of old permit	Value of old permit	Amt. Recd.
88672	James G. Walls	2.63			2.63
88673	John H. Favor	18.78			18.78
88674	Chas. A. Fowler	14.32			14.32
88675	Elton G. George	2.92			2.92
88676	Christopher Fowler	1.59			1.59
88677	Edwin E. Smith	1.18			1.18
88678	Roy Fowler	1.57			1.57
88679	Chas. L. Gove	1.08			1.08
88680	Roswell W. Glover	1.58			1.58
88681	Fred W. Kimball	4.50			4.50
88682	Chas. E. Snow	4.48			4.48
88683	Chas. R. Stevens	2.94			2.94
88684	Fred Filz	1.27			1.27
88685	Stella F. Brewer	19.12			19.12
88686	Chas. L. Bly	2.65			2.65
88687	May S. Flanders	1.98			1.98
88688	I. M. Heath	15.54			15.54
88689	Edward P. Taylor	2.80			2.80
88690	Elmer P. Collins	3.86	88553	3.86	.00
88691	Void.				
88692	Otis R. Rowell	2.63			2.63
88693	Edward Wechezak	19.71			19.71
88694	Carrie Boswell	15.54			15.54



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88695	Lester Ramsdell .....	1.59		1.59
88696	May B. Mansfield .....	8.03		8.03
88697	Ross W. Lyon .....	2.39		2.39
88698	Jesse E. Marston .....	22.02		11.28
88699	George F. Wallace .....	2.09	10.74	2.09
88700	F. S. Morse .....	7.13		7.13
88701	Florence Kelly .....	1.79		1.79
88702	Vera Davis .....	4.79		4.79
88703	Ethel McCarty .....	2.60		2.60
88704	T. Robbillaue .....	2.64		2.64
88705	C. A. Woods .....	3.25		3.25
88706	Elmer Collins .....	14.19		14.19
88707	Lester Thornell .....	13.86		13.86
88708	Earl Webster .....	19.46	9.90	9.56
88709	Mary L. Hoyt .....	2.81		2.81
88710	Verta I. Rowell .....	5.04		5.04
88711	Allen Ingersol .....	4.70		4.70
88712	George S. Rowe .....	1.28		1.28
88713	Millie G. Rowe .....	1.90		1.90
88714	Laura Wallingford .....	1.58		1.58
88715	W. H. Adams .....	6.48	4.05	2.23
88716	Ralph Marden .....	1.64		1.64
88717	C. W. Garland .....	7.74		7.74
88718	B. Churchill .....	4.90		4.90
88719	Clarence M. Senter .....	1.04		1.04
88720	Albert Parks .....	9.52		9.52
		88656		
		88708		
		88640		

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No. of Permit	Name of Owner	Price of new permit	No. of old permit	Value of old permit	Amt. Recd.
88721	Arthur MacDonald	1.35			1.35
88722	Wm. T. Crummet	1.14			1.14
88723	Howard F. Quimby	17.68	88586	8.05	9.63
88724	Luther P. Leith	11.94	88641	1.94	10.00
88725	Anthony Nicholas	1.19	88626	1.65	0.00
88726	Arthur MacDonald	1.35	88726	1.35	0.00
88727	C. B. and F. E. Wentworth	1.49			1.49
88728	Chas. L. Gove	2.33			2.33
88729	Harlan Burpee	2.96			2.96
88730	Marjorie Tufts	1.18			1.18
88731	Claude Bowers	10.11			10.11
88732	Walter M. Welch	2.66			2.66
88733	Wm. J. Moisan	1.94	88591	1.17	.77
88734	Ernest Yates	2.95			2.95
88735	Philip Mingo	1.53			1.53
88736	Frank Jones	4.68			4.68
88737	D. R. Huntington	7.45	88596	6.88	.57
88738	Dorothy Richards	2.80			2.80
88739	Mary A. Murphy	1.98			1.98
88740	Chas. A. Kennison	12.24	88573	6.30	5.94
88741	Geo. M. Robinson	14.19	88706	14.19	0.00
88742	W. H. Page	1.79			1.79
88743	Myron H. Whitney	1.32			1.32

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88744	Everett E. Coombs .....	1.80			
88745	Earl E. Morse .....	4.68			
88746	Void.				
88747	George M. Robinson .....	3.86	3.86		
88748	Walter M. Welch .....	1.58	12.42		
88749	Charles E. Moore .....	1.58			
88750	F. Mansfield .....	1.59			
88751	C. Courser .....	1.58			
88752	Christopher Filz .....	3.25			
88753	Raymond Estabrook .....	19.47			
88754	Theodora Nyeburg .....	1.14			
88755	D. R. Huntington .....	3.53	7.45		
88756	Fred Tobey .....	6.24	2.65		
88757	J. S. Brown .....	9.86			
88758	A. E. Abbott .....	7.74			
88759	Elmer F. Allen .....	2.75			
88760	Russel Ingalls .....	1.95			
88761	Frank E. Austin .....	20.23			
88762	Herbert Webster .....	15.54			
88763	Walter M. Welch .....	4.25	12.42		
88764	Elton George .....	4.65	2.93		
88765	Lawrena Pelis .....	1.05			
88766	Laurence E. Bailey .....	10.49			
88767	Roswell Glover .....	7.74	2.65		
88768	J. M. Clark .....	1.18	1.58		
88769	John Maroney .....	.60			
					1-3 rate
					.60

No. of Permit	Name of Owner	Price of new permit	No. of old permit	Value of old permit	Amt. Recd.
88770	William Mingo	.90	"		.90
88771	J. E. Hayford, Jr.	.59	"		.59
88772	Frank A. Mitchell	1.19	"		1.19
88773	Mary E. Brown	1.17	"		1.17
88774	Earl E. Morse	1.65	"		1.65
88775	Clarence E. Warner	.66	"		.66
88776	T. Edmund Whittier	2.08	"		2.08
88777	William Moisan	.90	1-3 rate		.90
88778	Warren L. Rainard	.60	"		.60
88779	Charles D. Currier	.60	"		.60
88780	John H. Favor	6.49	"	88673	.00
88781	Charles L. Bly	1.42	"	88686	.00
88782	Charles W. Hardy	.53	"		.53
88783	George H. Richardson	1.90	"		1.90
88784	Ralph Stevens	.38	"		.38
88785	James A. Marden	4.99	"		4.99
88786	Rev. William J. Wilson	1.56	"		1.56
88787	John Babine	4.78	"	88584	.00
88788	Arthur MacDonald	1.89	"	88726	.59

**COPY OF THE RECORD OF THE TOWN  
MEETING MARCH 8, 1927**

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Newton, N. H., March 8, 1927

Pursuant to the within warrant, meeting called to order at 9.30, Frank H. Davis, Moderator, presiding. Warrant was read and ballot called for.

**For Town Clerk**

Whole number ballots cast	188
Necessary for choice	95
Earle B. Nichols had	1
Blanks had	11
Ralph W. Marden had	71
Irving M. Heath had	105 and Irving M. Heath
was declared elected. Qualified by the Moderator.	

**Selectmen for Three Years**

Whole number ballots cast	194
Necessary for choice	98
Frank H. Davis had	62
Earle B. Nichols had	132 and Earle B. Nichols
was declared elected. Qualified by I. M. Heath, Justice of the Peace.	

**Town Treasurer**

Whole number ballots cast	162
Necessary for choice	82
John E. Hayford had	32
Wilbur R. Sargent had	53
Mary L. Hoyt had	77 and there was no choice
Proceeded to a second ballot for—	

**Town Treasurer**

Whole number ballots cast	159
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Necessary for choice	80
Charles R. Stevens had	2
John E. Hayford had	10
Wilbur R. Sargent had	54
Mary L. Hoyt had	93

and Mary L. Hoyt was declared elected. Qualified by I. M. Heath, J. P.

#### **Tax Collector**

On motion of Earle B. Nichols, voted that the Clerk cast one ballot for Charles R. Stevens and he was declared elected Tax Collector.

#### **First Auditor**

On motion of Frank Jones the Clerk was instructed to cast one ballot for Wilbur R. Sargent for First Auditor and Wilbur R. Sargent was declared elected. Qualified by I. M. Heath, J. P.

#### **Second Auditor**

On motion of Sumner Hoyt it was voted that the Clerk cast one ballot for Hayden E. Cheney for Second Auditor and Hayden E. Cheney was declared elected Second Auditor. Qualified by I. M. Heath, J. P.

On motion of Tennis Bernard it was voted that one Road Commissioner serve for entire town; proceeded to ballot for the election of—

#### **Road Commissioner**

Whole number ballots cast	127
Necessary for choice	64
Thomas E. Currier had	4
Tennis Bernard had	30

Thomas Everett Currier had 93 and Thomas Everett Currier was declared elected Highway Commissioner for entire town. Qualified by I. M. Heath.

#### **Trustee of Trust Funds (Three Years)**

On motion of George S. Smith it was voted that

the Moderator cast one ballot for Irving M. Heath for Trustee and Irving M. Heath was declared elected. Qualified by the Moderator.

On motion of Sumner Hoyt voted that the Clerk cast one ballot for David F. Wilder as Trustee of the Gale Public Library for three years, and David F. Wilder was declared elected Trustee. Qualified by I. M. Heath, J. P.

#### For Constable

Whole number ballots cast	135
Necessary for choice	68
Charles R. Stevens had	1
Charles H. Hoyt	65
Augustus E. Locke had	69

and Augustus E. Locke was declared elected Constable. Qualified by I. M. Heath, J. P.

On motion of Earl B. Nichols a recess was voted for dinner at 12.30.

On returning from dinner, on motion of Frank Jones voted that the Selectmen appoint the remaining Town Officers except Cemetery Trustees.

#### Cemetery Trustee (Three Years)

On motion of I. M. Heath voted that Earle B. Nichols cast one ballot for Wm. K. Davis for Cemetery Trustee for three years, and he was declared elected.

Article 2. Motion of Sumner Hoyt that the Budget as printed in the report be accepted, which Budgets reads as follows:

Town Officers' salaries	\$1,000.00
Town Officers' expenses	450.00
Election and registration	100.00
Town Hall expenses	200.00
Police Department	75.00
Haverhill Firemen's Relief Ass'n	100.00

Fire Department	300.00
Fire Department, forest fire	25.00
Health Department	25.00
Vital Statistics	15.00
Street lighting	2,200.00
Cemeteries	75.00
Interest	300.00
Snow bills	500.00
Town Hall repairs	1,000.00
Public Library	200.00
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	\$6,565.00

Article 3. Mr. Nichols explained several errors and discrepancies in the Selectmen's Report, after which on motion of A. Ralph Estabrooks voted that the report be accepted.

Article 4. On motion of Wilbur R. Sargent voted that the Selectmen be authorized to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 5. On motion of Elmer H. Kelly voted to pass over.

Article 6. On motion of Wilbur R. Sargent voted to raise the amount asked for.

Article 7. On motion of Sumner Hoyt voted to raise \$2,500.00 for the purpose stated.

Article 8. On motion of Winfred Snow voted to raise \$1,250.00, as asked for.

Article 9. On motion of Clarence Green voted to raise \$175.00 for Memorial Day purposes.

Article 10. Wilbur R. Sargent asks that the article be amended by substituting the word "may" for "shall" in the eleventh line of proposed By-Law. There being no manifest objection it was substituted



as requested and on motion of I. M. Heath, who stated that the legislature now in session had a bill of similar purport introduced and the committee reported inexpedient to legislate, and it was voted to pass over.

Article 11. On motion of Frank Morse voted to adopt the Australian ballot.

Article 12. On motion of Elmer H. Kelley it was voted to repeal the By-Law of 1924 for Village Improvement to have use of Hall free and on motion of I. M. Heath the Selectmen were authorized to make prices on rent of Town Hall.

Article 13. On motion of I. M. Heath voted to instruct the Selectmen to install necessary lights on Whittier Street between Highland Street and Pond Road, and appropriate money sufficient for that purpose.

Article 14. On motion of Harold D. Austin voted that the Selectmen have full management of the tractor until such time as the town shall vote otherwise. Yes, 51; No, 27.

Recorded truly,

IRVING M. HEATH,  
Town Clerk.

A true copy of record.

### COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1926

Newton, N. H., Jan. 31, 1928.

Balance due uncollected		\$10.00
Cash paid Treasurer	\$8.00	
Abatements	2.00	
		<u>\$10.00</u>

CHARLES R. STEVENS,  
Collector, 1926.

### COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1927

Amount of taxes committed		\$23,740.80
Taxes added		12.00
		<u>\$23,752.80</u>
Abatements	\$ 99.20	
Uncollected	6.00	
Discounts	347.40	
Cash paid Treasurer	23,300.20	
		<u>\$23,752.80</u>
Interest paid Treasurer		\$27.30

#### Abatements

Leah A. Austin, State aided widow	\$2.00
Eugene Currier, paid in Atkinson, N. H.	2.00
Flora I. Currier, not 21 years old	2.00
Mary E. Callahan, World War nurse	2.00
John Currier, Jr., not 21 years old, April 1, 1927	2.00
Evelyn Evans, invalid	2.00
Mary T. George, invalid	2.00

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Emma J. Garland, over 70 years old	2.00	
Nettie Glover, deceased	2.00	
Frank Hastings, deceased	2.00	
Wallace Illsley, paid in Epping, N. H.	2.00	
Fred Jewett, over 70 years old	2.00	
Francis Mansfield, over 70 years old	2.00	
Frank Scott, paid in Wolfboro, N. H.	2.00	
Herbert Whittier, paid in Plaistow, N. H.	2.00	
Nellie Webster, not a resident	2.00	
William Badger, paid in Haverhill, Mass.	2.00	
Myra Fowler, over 70 years old	2.00	
Ida Howard, resident of Boston, Mass.	2.00	
Ingram B. Miller, over 70 years old	2.00	
Charlotte H. Miller, over 70 years old	2.00	
George Pollard, paid in Boston, Mass.	2.00	
Willis B. Turner, invalid	2.00	
Laura A. Wallingford, over 70 years old	2.00	
Mears Wood Heel Co., no taxable property	51.20	
		<hr/> \$99.20

**Uncollected**

Christopher C. Fowler	\$2.00	
Josephine Fowler	2.00	
Emma Hoyt	2.00	
		<hr/> \$6.00

CHARLES R. STEVENS,  
Collector.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

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Received of Treasurer of 1926	\$2,193.66
Received from Selectmen	21.00
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	\$2,214.66

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Paid orders drawn by Selectmen	617.14
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	\$1,597.52
Paid Mary L. Hoyt, Treasurer-elect	\$1,697.85
Due John E. Hayford, overpayment	\$100.33

JOHN E. HAYFORD,

Treasurer.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

To August 18, 1927

Dr.

To Received from John E. Hayford, Treasurer	\$ 1,597.52
To Received from John E. Hayford, overpayment	100.33
To Received from Selectmen	5,730.74
To Received from Collector 1927	8,062.58
To Received from Clerk, Automobile Taxes	897.70
To Received from Clerk, Dog Licenses	90.14
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	\$16,479.01

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Paid orders drawn by Selectmen	12,860.86
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Balance on hand	\$3,618.15

Respectfully submitted,

MARY L. HOYT,  
Treasurer.

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To Received from Mary L. Hoyt, Treasurer	\$3,618.15
To Received from Selectmen	6,254.33
To Received from Collector 1926 Taxes	8.00
To Received from Collector 1927 Taxes	15,280.42
To Received from Collector, interest	27.30
To Received from Clerk, Automobile Taxes	136.61
To Received from Clerk, Dog Licenses	161.00
Har. Trust Co., interest	17.04
New Hampshire Forestry Dept., 1926 account	.80
Int. and Div., State Treasurer	13.87
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	\$25,517.52
Paid order drawn by Selectmen	19,559.63
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Balance on hand	\$5,957.89

CHARLES A. BOSWELL,  
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Summary of Receipts

Received from 1926 Collector	\$ 8.00
Received from 1927 Collector	23,327.50

Received from 1927 Collector, over- payment	42.80
Received from Town Clerk	1,285.45
Received from Town Treasurer	31.71
Received from John E. Hayford, Treas- urer, overpayment	100.33
Received from Selectmen	12,006.07
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	\$36,801.86

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

**General Government**

Town Officers' salaries	\$1,016.59
Town Officers' expenses	682.92
Election and registration	47.50
Town Hall expenses	399.35
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	\$2,146.36

**Protection of Persons and Property**

Police Department	\$ 77.05
Fire Department	307.13
Forest Fires	164.55
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	\$548.73

**Health and Sanitation**

Health Department	\$13.53
Vital Statistics	17.80
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	\$31.33

**Highways and Bridges**

State Aid Maintenance	\$1,083.24
Trunk Line Maintenance	1,691.01
Town Maintenance	1,936.31
Street lighting	2,083.22
General expenses of High- way Dept.	39.20
Tractor account	522.74

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Snow bills	56.48	
Boston & Maine construction	3,741.32	
	<hr/>	\$11,153.52

**Patriotic Purposes**

Memorial Day	\$149.29	\$149.29
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**Public Service Enterprises**

Libraries	\$200.00	
Cemeteries	21.00	
	<hr/>	\$221.00

**Unclassified**

Abatements and refunds	\$143.13	
Taxes bought	749.08	
Town Hall repairs	710.73	
	<hr/>	\$1,602.94

**Interest**

Interest	\$334.32	\$334.32
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**Town and County Poor**

Town Poor	\$303.75	
County Poor	167.79	
	<hr/>	\$471.54

**Other Governmental Divisions**

Schools	\$6,535.57	
County tax	1,337.28	
State tax	1,505.75	
	<hr/>	\$9,378.60

**Indebtedness**

Paid Haverhill Trust Co.	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00
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Total payments		<hr/>
		\$33,037.63

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

**Received by Collector**

1926

Taxes		\$8.00
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1927

Taxes	\$23,300.20	
Interest	27.30	
Overpayment	42.80	
	<hr/>	\$23,370.30

**Received by Town Clerk**

Automobile taxes	\$1,034.31	
Dog licenses	251.14	
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**Received by Treasurer**

Interest	\$17.04	
New Hampshire Forestry Dept., 1926 account	.80	
Int. and Div. Tax, State Treasurer	13.87	
Received from John E. Hay- ford, overpayment	100.33	
	<hr/>	\$132.04

**Received by Selectmen**

Haverhill Trust Co.	\$4,000.00	
Rent of hall	138.00	
I. M. Heath, Div. on Insurance	2.00	
I. M. Heath, rebate on bond	13.28	
B. & M. construction	3,741.32	
Leon G. Ingalls, shingles	28.00	
State Highway Dept. con- struction	1,123.53	
State Highway Dept., over- payment 1926 construc- tion	15.00	
Panorea A. Xenakis, 1926 tax	52.79	
Morrill G. Bartlett, Heirs, 1926 tax	123.89	
A. W. Hoyt, shingleboards	1.28	
Insurance tax	12.27	



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Railroad tax	680.73	
Savings Bank tax	33.68	
State Forest Fires Dept.	7.28	
B. & M. forest fire	98.20	
G. A. Woodsum Sons, forest fires	40.00	
George S. Rowe, fire	1.80	
Harris Fund, Town poor	479.00	
Harris Fund, school work	50.00	
Town of East Kingston, tractor	40.00	
Town of Plaistow, tractor	178.13	
L. G. Dore, tractor	80.00	
State of N. H., snow account	172.50	
County of Rockingham, County poor	167.79	
Harry Bubier Est.	43.95	
Forest Fire prevention	5.00	
H. J. Saturley, overpayment	9.95	
A. R. Estabrooks, overpayment	1.00	
Guy W. Smith, overpayment	3.00	
Frank J. Glycart, 1926 tax	84.05	
Morrill G. Bartlett Heirs, 1925	80.00	
Maria Fernandez and Josepha Maya, 1925 tax	245.84	
James Homan, 1926 tax	14.81	
Everett M. Bartlett, funeral expense of William L. Bartlett	238.00	
	—————	\$12,006.07
Total receipts		36,801.86

### DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

#### Town Officers' Salaries

Wilbur R. Sargent, Auditor	\$15.00
Merrill A. Germundson, Auditor	15.00
Earle B. Nichols, Selectman and Overseer of Poor	112.50

William K. Davis, Selectman and Overseer of Poor	153.15	
Leon G. Ingalls, Selectman and Overseer of Poor	175.00	
Mary L. Hoyt, Treasurer	25.00	
Charles Boswell, Treasurer	75.00	
Irving M. Heath, Town Clerk	150.00	
Charles R. Stevens, Collector	295.94	
		\$1,016.59

#### Town Officers' Expenses

Earle B. Nichols, trips to Exeter and Amesbury	\$6.00
Earle B. Nichols, delivering town reports	8.00
Earle B. Nichols, registering letters	1.19
Earle B. Nichols, telephone	5.80
Earle B. Nichols, two trips to Exeter	6.00
William K. Davis, postage	.62
William K. Davis, trip to Exeter	5.00
William K. Davis, Treasurer's bond	30.00
Leon G. Ingalls, auto to Ports- mouth	10.00
Leon G. Ingalls, office supplies	1.64
Leon G. Ingalls, auto taking inventory	17.00
Leon G. Ingalls, auto to Haver- hill	1.50
Leon G. Ingalls, posting road signs	2.00
Leon G. Ingalls, trips to Exeter and Brentwood	8.00
Thomas E. Currier, trip to Durham	8.00

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John W. A. Green, discharging tax sales	1.70	
Stationery Shop, adding machine	100.00	
N. H. Assessors' Asso.	2.00	
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	26.17	
Record Publishing Co., tax bills	27.25	
I. M. Heath, town reports	235.85	
I. M. Heath, stamps	15.00	
I. M. Heath,, issuing automobile permits	62.40	
I. M. Heath, postage, two years	8.30	
I. M. Heath, expense on Trust Fund, two years	17.00	
I. M. Heath, cash paid Haverhill Nat. Bank, lock box, two years	10.00	
I. M. Heath, bonding town officers	66.50	
	\$682.92	

### Election and Registration

Frank Davis	\$10.00	
Bernard Churchill	12.50	
Frank Jones	12.50	
Raymond Estabrooks	12.50	
	\$47.50	

### Town Hall Expense

Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.	\$81.15	
I. M. Heath, insurance	115.00	
Earle B. Nichols, wood	20.00	
Charles R. Stevens, janitor and care of clock	112.85	
Joseph Hoyt, sawing wood	3.00	
Harlan Burpee	1.60	
Hayden E. Cheney, coal	64.00	
W. A. Snow, two keys and coal hod	1.75	
	\$399.35	

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**Police Department**

George L. Cheney, services, H. K. Webster case	\$2.50	
George L. Cheney, returning lost boy to Amesbury	2.00	
Augustus E. Locke, Harry Bubier case	7.55	
E. A. Landman, William Gur- deau case	3.00	
Augustus E. Locke, services as chief police	37.00	
Charles R. Stevens, police	5.00	
William K. Davis, police	10.00	
Henry L. Burbeck, police services	10.00	
		\$77.05

**Fire Department**

Warren T. Lewis, painting res- ervoir	\$1.00	
Henry K. Barnes, hose couplings	10.59	
William K. Davis, insurance	43.75	
A. Ralph Estabrooks, storage	60.00	
A. Ralph Estabrooks, supplies	66.80	
Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co., old bill	6.69	
Haverhill Fireman's Asso.	100.00	
T. E. Currier, work on Newton Junction reservoir	18.30	
		\$307.13

**Forest Fires**

George S. Rowe, forest fire warden	\$164.55
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**Health Department**

Dr. E. M. Gale, M. D.	\$3.00	
Henry L. Burbeck	10.53	
		\$13.53

**Vital Statistics**

Dr. E. A. Landman, M. D.	\$2.75	
Irving M. Heath, recording	15.05	
		\$17.80

**State Aid Maintenance Account, 1927, as per Statement From State**

Money Available	State	Town	Total
Balance 1926	\$ 348.30	\$ 545.65	\$ 893.95
Appropriation 1927	1,250.00	1,250.00	2,500.00
	\$1,598.30	\$1,795.65	\$3,393.95
Expenditures	885.87	1,083.22	1,969.09
	\$ 712.43	\$ 712.43	\$1,424.86

**Expenditures—Town**

Clarence B. Green, patrol	\$743.33
H. J. Saturley, patrol	240.72
Paid State by check	99.17
Overpaid Saturley	.02

Total spent by Town \$1,083.24

**Expenditures—State**

Barrett & Co.	\$838.15
Truck	106.50
Paint	16.39
Engineering	24.00

Amount paid by State \$985.04

**Trunk Line Maintenance Account, 1927, as per Statement from State**

Money Available	State	Town	Total
Balance 1926	\$1,063.02	\$1,063.01	\$2,126.03
Appropriation 1927	2,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00
	\$3,563.02	\$3,563.01	\$7,126.03
Total Expenditure	1,992.03	1,686.77	3,678.80
	\$1,570.99	\$1,876.24	\$3,447.23

**Expenditures—Town**

Clarence B. Green	\$482.13
H. J. Saturley	1,208.88

Amount spent by town		\$1,691.01
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Plus amount paid Green in 1926 to apply on 1927 account	55.00	
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\$1,746.01

Less check from State	\$13.52	
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Less receipt from Saturley	9.95	
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Less amount paid Green on 1928 account	35.77	
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59.24

Paid by Town as per State statement	\$1,686.77	
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**Expenditures—State**

Crushed stone	\$57.12
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Barrett & Co.	1,652.05
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Trucks	214.75
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Culvert	14.90
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Truck repairs	10.45
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Engineering	29.24
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Check to Town	13.52
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Amt. spent by state as per state- ment	\$1,992.03
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**Town Maintenance**

Paid Thomas E. Currier, Road Commissioner	
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\$1,936.31

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**Street Lighting**

Paid Exeter & Hampton Elec. Co. \$2,083.22

**General Expense Highway Department**

Northeastern Metal Culvert Co. \$39.20

**Tractor Account**

Earle B. Nichols, labor	\$10.00	
Mead Morrison Mfg. Co., parts	88.56	
William K. Davis, insurance	62.50	
Charles Clifford, payrolls	148.90	
A. Ralph Estabrooks, gas, oil, repairs	109.63	
Hayden E. Cheney, coal and gas	31.75	
Frank Bradley, janitor	30.00	
Harlan Burpee, labor	15.40	
Sydney Estabrook, labor	10.80	
Granville Ingalls, labor	7.20	
J. S. Brown, labor	5.00	
Leon G. Ingalls, labor	1.50	
Arthur E. Abbott, repairs	1.50	
		\$522.74

**Snow Bills**

Thomas E. Currier \$56.48

**Boston & Maine Construction**

Paid Earle B. Nichols, payrolls	\$3,710.82	
Richard Shute, advice	25.00	
E. R. J. Tollett, painting signs	5.50	
		\$3,741.32

**Memorial Day**

Paid Earle B. Nichols \$149.29

**Cemeteries**

Paid Luther Wilson, labor in  
Willow Grove Cemetery \$21.00

**Libraries**

Paid Mary A. S. Hayford \$200.00

## TOWN REPORT

**Abatements and Refunds**

Paid John E. Hayford, over- payment to Mary L. Hoyt, Treasurer	\$100.33	
Paid Charles R. Stevens, over- payment to C. A. Boswell, Treasurer	42.80	
	<hr/>	\$143.13

**Taxes Bought**

Paid Charles R. Stevens for 1927 Taxes:		
James W. Bagley	\$51.65	
Jerome Boyd	58.28	
Edith J. Churchill	120.38	
William Crummett	40.59	
Alice R. Towle	22.70	
Fred Filz	11.32	
Marie Fernandez and Jo- sepha Maya	229.18	
Clarence B. and Ralph H. Green	57.49	
Bernice Gervais Est.	32.08	
Herbert E. Hatfield	54.84	
James A. Boiselle	32.08	
John E. Blinn	12.57	
Clarence N. Durgin	13.07	
William Greaney	3.80	
Frank L. Merrill	4.12	
George Thomas Heirs	4.93	
	<hr/>	\$749.08

**Town Hall Repairs**

A. E. Abbott, labor	\$22.03
Hayden E. Cheney, shingles and nails	398.75
Guy W. Smith, labor and supplies	235.78
Clarence E. Kelly, drawing sash	30.00



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F. B. Keene, paint and putty	14.17	
Leon G. Ingalls, labor	5.00	
Granville Ingalls, labor	5.00	
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		\$710.73

**Interest**

Paid Haverhill Trust Co.		\$334.32
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**Town Poor**

New Hampshire Orphans Home	\$45.00	
Leon G. Ingalls, car to Exeter and Brentwood	7.50	
Leon G. Ingalls, car to Concord	15.00	
William K. Davis, trip to Ex- eter and Brentwood	5.00	
William K. Davis, trip to Concord	5.00	
William K. Davis, trip to Franklin	5.00	
Earle B. Nichols, car to Franklin	25.00	
Paid A. A. Reynolds, under- takers:		
Harry Bubier case	70.00	
Eugene Bartlett case	70.00	
Paid John Hunt, digging grave, Eugene Bartlett case	9.00	
Paid James Gray, board and care, Frank Hastings	25.00	
Paid E. M. Gale, M. D., medi- cal services, Frank Hastings	17.25	
Paid Leon G. Ingalls, car to Exeter, Bromley case	5.00	
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		\$303.75

**County Poor**

Paid James Gray, groceries, Dow case	\$155.79
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## TOWN REPORT

Roy A. Colby, moving		
Dow family	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$167.79

**Indebtedness**

Paid Haverhill Trust Co.:		
Road note due Aug. 1, 1928	\$2,000.00	
Tractor note due Aug. 15,		
1927	1,000.00	
Notes in Anticipation of Taxes:		
Due Aug. 28, 1927	2,000.00	
Due Aug. 14, 1927	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,000.00

**Other Governmental Divisions**

Paid State Treasurer, State		
tax	\$1,505.75	
County Treasurer, County		
tax	1,337.28	
School Treasurer, school		
money	6,312.35	
Harris Trust Fund, dental		
work	50.00	
Raymond Estabrooks,		
Dog Constable	15.00	
Edson C. Eastman, dog tags	8.22	
School Treasurer, Harris		
Trust Fund, dental		
work, 1926 account	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$9,378.60

## HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER

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### Report of Thomas E. Currier for Year Ending Feb. 1, 1928

Paid Thomas E. Currier	\$351.24
Herbert W. Rawson, for horses	522.02
Albert Parks	122.90
Harold Warren	99.00
Harvey Marden	189.00
Lawrence Bailey	126.40
Arthur Estabrooks	98.20
A. W. Hoyt	88.00
Tennis Bernard and team	88.00
George Avery	42.00
Brono Wechezak	39.60
Granville Ingalls	39.60
Roy T. Ingalls	36.00
James Courser and horse	29.14
Robert Moore	14.40
Clifford Bean	8.00
Arthur E. Abbott	2.20
Will McDonald	3.60
E. R. J. Follett	1.20
Charles Stevens	.40
	\$1,900.90
Including Fire Dept. check of \$18.30.	

### Gravel, 1927

Paid Sumner Hoyt	\$6.30
Marion P. Crocker	4.20
Charles E. Thornell	3.70
Wilbur Merrill	1.20

George Gould	1.20
E. Collins	1.20
John Sleeper	.90
H. W. Rawson	.60
Sidney F. Kimball	.70
Mr. McKenney	.40
Clarence Huntress	.70

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 \$21.10

### Repairs and Supplies

	Owen Kelly, hook	\$ .25
	1 rake	1.15
	Bolts	.35
	4 shovels, H. E. Cheney	5.30
May 11	1 rake	1.25
13	1 pick, Herman E. Davies	2.25
25	Pole for road machine, E. Becker	2.80
June 15	12 posts, John Favor	2.40
15	Bolts, road machine	.20
July 2	4 shovels	6.00
20	Spikes	.80
20	Repairs, O. D. Kelly	1.40
27	G. W. Sargents Sons, plank	3.54
Aug. 15	G. W. Sargents Sons	2.72
17	John Favor, posts	.40
Sept. 28	Hammer handle	.60
Nov. 9	O. D. Kelly, repairs	.75
16	Bolts, road machine	.50

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 \$32.61

### Labor

Men and teams	\$1,900.90
Repairs and supplies	32.61
Gravel	21.10

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 \$1,954.61

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**Snow Account—T. E. Currier**

Brought over	\$1.88	
Feb. 14 '27	14.50	
22	8.20	
24	19.90	
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Jan. 14 and 20, 1928	12.00	
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		\$56.48

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1928

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

HAYDEN E. CHENEY,  
FRANK H. DAVIS,  
IRVING M. HEATH,

Trustees of the Trust Funds, Newton, N. H.

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Balance of Income on hand beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance at end of Year
June 10, '10	For the care of the Fogg lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Rachael Fogg, widow of Orrin Fogg.	Exeter Sav. Bank	\$100.00	\$32.10	\$7.69	\$2.00	\$37.79
Aug. 23, '13	For the care of the Albert Lewis lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Lewis.	Ames. Sav. Bank and U. S. Lib. loan bond	100.00	36.60	4.25	2.00	40.65
Feb. 16, '15	For the care of the Richard Hamor lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Annie Dalton.	Hav. Sav. Bank	100.00	18.05	6.93	3.00	21.98
July 17, '16	For the care of the Geo. F. Battles lot, Highland Cemetery, fund created by widow of said Battles.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	17.15	6.72	6.00	17.87
Dec. 12, '16	For the care of the Biore lot, the Town Cemetery, fund created by will of Fanny Biore.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	18.83	6.85	2.00	23.68

July 3, '19	For the care of the James C. Bartlett lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mrs. Lizzie Moers.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	14.18	6.96	2.00	19.14
Oct. 10, '19	For the care of the Wilson lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Levi Wilson.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	28.29	5.92	4.00	30.21
Aug. 4, '20	For the care of the Hannah C. Moulton lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by 1st Christian Church, Newton, N. H.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	26.82	7.32	2.00	32.14
Feb. 25, '21	For the care of the E. B. Hoyt lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by the will of Mrs. E. B. Hoyt.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	28.29	5.92	2.00	32.21
Mar. 22, '21	For the purchase of books for the Gale Library of Newton, "Income only to be used," created by will of Mrs. Z. E. Axtell, to be known as the "Axtell fund."	Exeter Sav. Bank	500.00	40.50	31.21	21.28	
Sept. 15, '21	For the care of the Geo. W. Marston lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston	U. S. Lib. bond	100.00	17.61	5.26	2.00	20.87
Sept. 15, '21	For the care of the Nathan Gould lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Sav. Bank U. S. Lib. loan bond	100.00	26.06	5.78		31.84
Sept. 15, '21	For the care of the Samuel Gould lot in "Town Cemetery," fund created by will of Mrs. Mary A. Marston.	Exeter Sav. Bank U. S. Lib. loan bond	100.00	26.06	5.78	2.00	29.84

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Principal of Amount of	Balance of Income on hand beginning of Year	Expended During Year	Income During Year	Balance at end of Year
Jan. 31, '22	For the care of the John R. Harvey lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of said Harvey.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	7.18	6.54	2.00	11.72
Oct. 24, '22	For the care of the Bates-Peck lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of Etta Peck-Bates.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	5.48	6.42		11.90
Aug. 28, '23	For the care of the T. W. Bagley lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by daughter of T. W. Bagley.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	5.42	6.42	2.00	9.84
May 13, '24	For the care of the Shaw lot in Highland Cemetery, Newton, fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	2.41	6.24	2.00	6.65
May 13, '24	For the care of the Shaw lot in Willow Grove Cemetery, Newton (Junction), fund created by will of Chas. H. Shaw.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	2.45	6.24		8.69
May 13, '24	For the care of the Julia Cilley lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mrs. Josie Leavitt, daughter of Mrs. Cilley.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00	2.41	2.41	2.00	6.65
Nov. 24, '24	For the care of the Haynes lot in Highland Cemetery, fund by J. E. Haynes.	Haverhill Trust Co.	1000.00	5.69	2.36	2.00	6.05



Dec. 24, '24	For the worthy poor of Newton Junction, N. H., by terms of will of Annie Dalton. Known as the Jobanna Dalton fund.	Haverhill Sav. Bank	100.00	537.06	82.18	619.24
June 3, '26	For the care of the Story lot, fund created by will of his son, Henry H. Story.	Portsmouth Saving Bank	100.00	2.29	4.14	6.43
Feb. 1, '27	For care of the A. P. Brewer lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by Mrs. A. P. Brewer.	Exeter Sav. Bank	100.00		3.35	3.35
	For care of the B. F. Wakefield lot in Highland Cemetery, fund created by will of B. F. Wakefield.	Rec. from Exec. to deposit	100.00			

Newton, N. H., February 9, 1928.

We hereby certify that we have examined this day the accounts of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of said town, that said Trustees have exhibited to us all the securities held by them, as above stated, together with a detailed statement thereof, and the particular trust to which they belong, with a statement of the receipts and expenditures with proper vouchers as required by Section 3, Chapter 162, of the Laws of 1915, and the amendments thereof.

HAYDEN E. CHENEY,  
WILBUR R. SARGENT,  
Auditors of Newton, N. H.

**AUDITOR'S REPORT**

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Newton, N. H., February 10, 1928.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Town Clerks and Trustees of the Public Library and find them correctly cast and proper vouchers for all disbursements.

We find the Town Officers properly bonded.

HAYDEN E. CHENEY,  
WILBUR R. SARGENT,  
Auditors.

### REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Dr.	
Balance on hand, Jan. 31, 1927	\$1,379.22
Received for books	4.25
Coupons from Liberty Bond	42.50
Received from Mary L. Hoyt, Treasurer	100.00
Received from Chas. A. Bos- well, Treasurer	100.00
Received from fine money	12.14
Received from W. A. Gil- more, oil, etc.	1.57
Received for express on pack- age sent	.57
Received for interest, Pen- tucket Bank	15.13
Received for interest, Haver- hill Savings Bank	3.51
Received income from Axtell Trust Fund	71.71
	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$1,730.60
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Paid Bernice Clifford, Librarian	\$100.00
Exeter and Hampton Electric Co.	9.60
Mitchell & Co., books	99.98
Standard catalogue	1.00
John H. Favor, wood	10.00
Walter Welch, sawing wood	1.50
Mrs. Newcomb, cleaning Library	4.00

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F. B. Keene, oil, etc.	2.21	
A. E. Abbott, repairing step	.75	
For splitting and getting in wood	2.00	
Cataloging books	4.30	
Charles Stevens, caring for lawn	6.00	
W. A. Gilmore, labor	2.00	
Supplies	2.73	
	\$246.07	
Bal. on hand, Jan. 31, 1928		\$1,484.53

### REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Number of books loaned	3646
Number of books on shelves	3493
Number of books added by purchase	84
Number of borrowers	402
Number of books given by State	6
Number of books given Library	10

## REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

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### For Year Ending December 31, 1927

There have been reported during the year the following cases of communicable diseases:

Scarlet Fever	5
Measles	2
Typhoid Fever	1
Tuberculosis	2
Pneumonia	2
Whooping Cough	26
German Measles	1

There were undoubtedly several more cases of whooping cough and measles, where no physician was in attendance, that were not reported. I did not cause rigid enforcement of the compulsory vaccination law at the beginning of the Fall Term of school as at that time Poliomyalitis or Infatnile Paralysis was raging in near vicinity and considered vaccination inadvisable then, although many parents caused their children to be treated with vaccine before attending school. However, at the opening of the Spring Term all not excused by certificate of physician as unfit subject will be required under the State Law, to be vaccinated before being allowed to attend schools in this town.

HENRY L. BURBECK,  
Health Officer for Newton,  
N. H. State Board of Health.

**Newton Junction, Child Health Conference, State  
Board of Health**

A Child Health Conference was held in Newton Junction, Aug. 2, 1927. There were 20 children weighed, measured and given a complete physical examination. The following defects were found:

Slightly enlarged tonsils	3
Teeth defective	4
Umbilical hernia	1

The following corrections have been made since 1926:

Teeth filled	1
Umbilical hernia	1
Bow legs	1
Genitalia	2
Ear	1
Tonsils enlarged	1





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Annual Report  
of the  
School Board  
of the  
Town of Newton

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## SCHOOL WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the Town of Newton, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the twentieth day of March, 1928, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

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9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate money for chemical toilets at Village school at a cost of \$400.00.

10. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate money to shingle both sides of Junction school, estimated cost \$225.00.

11. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate \$180.00 for music teacher.

12. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate \$77.50 for insurance.

13. On petition of 15 voters:

To see if the District will vote to install electric lights in the three schools of Newton, N. H., the Parent Teacher Association agreeing to contribute the sum of \$75.00 towards the cost of same, and to see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate money for the same.

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

Given under our hands at said Newton this seventeenth day of February, 1928.

ELVIRA R. DART,  
LOTTIE M. GERMUNDSON,  
GRACE B. OSBORNE,  
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ELVIRA R. DART,  
LOTTIE M. GERMUNDSON,  
GRACE B. OSBORNE,  
School Board.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

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To the Citizens of Newton, N. H.:

The school Board submits its report for 1926-1927:

We are pleased that we can say again this year that our schools have still maintained the standard required by State laws.

Our superintendent, W. J. Nelson, is carrying on the work in a very efficient manner, ever striving to improve our schools.

With Superintendent Nelson we have devoted time and thought in preparing the budget for expenditures for the year 1928-1929. Conditions have arisen that make it necessary to increase some items in the budget.

Much time has been spent in devising ways and means to relieve the crowded condition in the Village Primary school. Feb. 15th a member of the State Board of Education visited Newton the second time and thoroughly studied the situation. He met with us and advised action the State would approve. It is hoped the change will prove satisfactory to all.

The Junction school building is in great need of shingling on both sides.

It was with regret we accepted Mrs. Edna E. Carlton's resignation as teacher at the Junction at the close of the February vacation. Miss Lowe was secured as substitute for remainder of year.

We wish to thank our Superintendent, Teachers and School Nurse for their painstaking, faithful work, also Parents and Citizens who have co-oper-

ated with us for the success of our schools. We realize that it is in our schools the foundation for future usefulness is being laid, and that the boys and girls of today will be the men and women of tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

ELVIRA R. DART,  
LOTTIE M. GERMUNDSON,  
GRACE B. OSBORNE.  
School Board, Newton, N. H.

### SCHOOL BOARD'S BUDGET FOR 1928-29

School District of Newton.

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1928.

#### Detailed Statement of Expenditures

##### \*Support of Schools:

Teachers' salaries	\$4,725.00	
Text books	200.00	
Scholars' supplies	20.000	
Flags and appurtenances	10.00	
Other expenses of instruction	25.00	
Janitor service	361.00	
Fuel	450.00	
Water, light, janitor's supplies	25.00	
Minor repairs and expenses	150.00	
Health supervision (medical inspection)	177.00	
Transportation of pupils	1,500.00	
		\$7,823.00

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## Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of District Officers (fixed by District)	\$159.00	
Truant Officer and school census (fixed by District)	35.00	
Payment of tuitions in High Schools and Academies (estimated by Board)	2,900.00	
Superintendent's excess sal- ary (fixed by Supervisory Union)	160.00	
Per Capita Tax (reported by State Treasurer)	282.00	
Other Obligations— Administration	50.00	
		\$3,586.00
Total amount required to meet School Board's budget		\$11,409.00

**Estimated Income**

Balance June 30, 1928— (estimate)	None	
State Aid (December 1928 allotment)	\$3,014.16	
Dog Tax (estimate)	125.00	
		\$3,139.16
Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation)		\$3,139.16
Assessment required to bal- ance School Board's budget		\$8,269.84
Special Appropriations Proposed: (Articles in Warrant)		
Chemical toilets	\$400.00	

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Shingling Junction school	225.00
Music teacher	180.00
Insurance	77.50
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ELVIRA R. DART,  
LOTTIE M. GERMUNDSON,  
GRACE B. OSBORNE,

School Board.

Newton, N. H., Feb. 15, 1928.

\*\$3.50 per \$1,000 on taxable inventory is minimum  
required by law.

**ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER**  
**Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1927**

School District of Newton.

SUMMARY

Cash on hand June 30, 1926 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$426.75
Received from Selectmen, ap- propriations for current year	\$5,849.68
Received from State Treasurer (State or Federal Aid)	2,260.22
Money borrowed	*242.75
Received from all other sources	29.32
	<hr/> \$8,381.97
 Total amount available for fiscal year (balance and receipts)	 \$8,808.72
Less School Board orders paid	8,808.72
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1927 (Treasurer's bank balance)	None

JOHN E. HAYFORD,  
District Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all  
State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the  
books, vouchers, bank statements and other finan-



cial records of the treasurer of the school district of Newton, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and find them correct in all respects.

WILBUR R. SARGENT,  
HAYDEN E. CHENEY,  
Auditors.

Sept. 26, 1927.

\* \$150.00 of this amount was the Harris Fund for dental clinic due district.

## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Newton:

It gives me pleasure to submit my first annual report of the Schools of Newton.

The school year begins July 1 and ends June 30. The year with which this report deals ended in June 1927, and as I took up the work in March my report will be limited in some respects. I have found the schools in good condition and have tried to continue the work so well begun by your former Superintendent.

There were 138 different pupils enrolled in the schools last year. This is a gain of 5 over the preceding year. The attendance averaged 93.9 per cent of the membership. The average for the state for this period was 94.57; 13 pupils completed the work of the 8th grade.

No one realizes better than I that a Superintendent's first year in a district should be a time of getting acquainted, rather than a period of radical changes. With this in mind, I have tried to become familiar with matters pertaining to schools and to follow as closely as possible the plans already worked out.

Various standardized tests have been used to check school progress. These tests show that our schools as a whole are up to the standard attainment of schools in similar communities over the country. The fundamental process,—reading, arithmetic, spelling and writing, have been thoroughly taught and results checked by means of tests.

The general aim of education is to train all

children in those qualities of life and character which will make them good and efficient citizens in the community, state and nation. The objectives of education in a democracy have been summarized by a committee of American teachers under seven headings:

1. Command of Fundamental Process.
2. Health.
3. Worthy Home Membership.
4. Training for Vocation.
5. Training for Citizenship.
6. Worthy Use of Leisure.
7. Ethical Character.

The teachers have co-operated with the Superintendent in an attempt in unifying the work of the schools in accomplishing these objectives. It is our purpose to make our educational activities a means of achieving these purposes. For each individual pupil the work of education may be considered as directed toward developing purpose and personality for the good of the pupil and the society in which he lives. Thus we may hope that our school work will result in happy serviceable lives.

The supervisory activities have been expended in class-room visits, follow-up interviews, personal conferences and frequent school inspections. The two most important steps in improving schools are to improve the teaching and increase the actual attendance.

A statement by our School Nurse is printed with this report. Parents should take notice of reports sent home informing them of physical defects, and have these defects corrected. No pupil can do the mental work of the school properly, if physically handicapped.

The village primary room is over crowded, and we hope to relieve this condition at an early date.

I believe Newton should equip its schools with Chemical toilets. The sanitary conditions at the village school are the worst, so I feel this school should be taken first. South Hampton installed such toilets last summer and they are very satisfactory. The cost would not be great each year.

For the teachers, the School Board and myself, we express the common desire that a large number of parents and friends visit the school. If parents will come to see their children at work, what they are doing, what they are given to do with and how their work is directed, it will give them first hand information concerning our schools.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation of the courtesy and co-operation of the School Board, the teachers and the community.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. NELSON,  
Superintendent.

**Enrollment 1926-1927**

Grade 1—Boys, 12; Girls, 16.	Total, 28
Grade 2—Boys, 11; Girls, 12.	Total, 23
Grade 3—Boys, 7; Girls, 7.	Total, 14
Grade 4—Boys, 6; Girls, 7.	Total, 13
Grade 5—Boys, 7; Girls, 7.	Total, 14
Grade 6—Boys, 8; Girls, 7.	Total, 15
Grade 7—Boys, 10; Girls, 7.	Total, 17

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 Total 138

Supervisory visits	84
School Board	12
Parents and others	183
Percent of attendance	95.4
Number of tardiness	201

Teachers: Junior School, Miss Myrtle R. Bean; Center Primary, Miss Angelis E. Kelley; Rowes Corner, Miss Flora Blair; Junction, Miss Margaret Matorian; Music, Mrs. Leslie N. Page. School Nurse, Miss Helen Thomas, R. N.

### REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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I herewith submit my annual report, for the school year, 1926-1927.

Number of pupils examined, 125.

Number of pupils absent, 3.

Underweight, 29; 9 treated since last examination.

Defective vision, 10; 8 treated since last examination.

Defective hearing, none; 1 treated since last examination.

Nervous disease, 1.

Skin, 1.

Pediculosis, 2.

Defective teeth, 39; 65 treated since last examination.

Hypertrophied tonsils, 25; 6 treated since last examination.

Adenoids, 25; 6 treated since last examination.

Defects of breathing, 3; 1 treated since last examination.

Enlarged glands, 7; 4 treated since last examination.

Unvaccinated, 7.

Unvaccinated without excuse, 3.

Other diseases or defects:

Inflamed eyelids, 1.

Cleft palate, 1.

Notices of above defects sent to parents.

#### Other Work Accomplished

Number visits to schools	24
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Number visits to homes	12
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Reweighed	120
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Weight charts placed in each school room.

Health talks and stories given in each room.

One child taken to Dr. Benson's Hospital in Haverhill, for fractured arm. Money furnished by Charity Fund.

One child taken to Balch Hospital, at Manchester, for removal of tonsils and adenoids.

HELEN W. THOMAS, R. N.,  
School Nurse.

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE NEWTON SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1926, and ending June**  
**30, 1927**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

W. J. NELSON,  
 Superintendent.

July 25, 1927.

ELVIRA R. DART,  
 LOTTIE M. GERMUNDSON,  
 GRACE B. OSBORNE,  
 School Board.

RECEIPTS

State and Federal Aid:		
Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state)	\$2,260.22	
Total		\$2,260.22
Income From Local Taxation: (raised by Selectmen)		
For the support of elementary schools	\$3,314.78	
For the payment of high school and academy tuition	1,600.00	
For the salaries of district officers	180.00	
For the payment of per capita tax	284.00	
Repairs	100.00	
Superintendent's salary	154.70	
Insurance	20.00	
Total		\$5,653.48
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Dog licenses (from Selectmen)	\$196.20	
Elementary school tuitions	26.60	
Income from local trust funds	150.00	



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Other receipts:—Refund	2.47	
Sale of books	.25	
Total	_____	\$375.52
Total receipts from all sources		\$8,289.22
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1926		426.75
Grand total		\$8,715.97

## PAYMENTS

### Distribution of Expenditures

	Total Amount	General Expenses	Support of High School	Support of Elem. Schools
<b>Administration:</b>				
Salaries of district officers	\$154.00	\$154.00		
Superintendent's excess salary	141.75	141.75		
Truant officers and school census	25.00	25.00		
Expenses of administration	47.32	47.32		
<b>Instruction:</b>				
Principal's and teachers' salaries	3,880.00			3,880.00
Text books	262.24			262.24
Scholars' supplies	128.35			128.35
Flags and appurtenances	9.64			9.64
Other expenses of instruction	19.07			19.07
<b>Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:</b>				
Janitor service	324.00			324.00
Fuel	411.25			411.25
Water, light, janitor's supplies	22.92			22.92
Minor repairs and expenses	261.59			261.59
<b>Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:</b>				
Medical inspection—Health supervision	143.54			143.54
Transportation of pupils High school and academy tuition	1,468.50			1,468.50
Other special activities	5.07		1,167.33	

Outlay for Construction and  
Equipment:

Alterations of old buildings 91.15 91.15

Debt, Interest and Other Charges:

Tax for state wide supervision  
(\$2 per capita) 246.00 246.00

Total Payments for All Purposes \$8,808.72 \$705.22 \$1,167.33 \$6,936.17

Total cash on hand at end  
of year (June 30, 1927) 00.00

Grand Total \$8,808.72

BALANCE SHEET

Assets June 30, 1927:

Cash on hand \$00.00

Excess of liabilities over assets \$92.75

Liabilities June 30, 1927:

Loan fund cash \$92.75

Total Liabilities

\$92.75

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Newton, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1927, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WILLIAM R. SARGENT,  
HAYDEN E. CHENEY,

July, 26, 1927.

Auditors.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN NEWTON, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1927

1927 Date	Name of Child	Male or female	No. of child	Living or Stillborn	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 10	Laura Malvina	F	5	L	Clarence Warner	Mabelle Hudson	Newton, N. H.	Haverhill, Mass.
Feb. 15	Vernon Irving S.	M	4	L	Milton M. Marden	Phoebe H. True	Newton, N. H.	Seabrook, N. H.
Apr. 15	Ruth Gloria	F	9	L	Ray Fowle	Alice Mansur	Newburyport, Mass.	Newburyport, Mass.
June 8	Elmer Louis	M	5	L	Charles E. Bowley	Eurania L. Locke	Lynn, Mass.	Haverhill, Mass.
June 13	Frances Lillian	F	3	L	Fred Filz	Elizabeth Meehan	Augsbury, Germany	Dundee, Scotland
June 30	Mary Lou	F	3	L	Harold D. Austin	Leah Pugh	Newton, N. H.	Castle Morton, Eng.
July 13	Edward Philip	M	3	L	Frank Vantour	Maud Groves	Schediac, N. B.	Newburyport, Mass.
Aug. 10	Richard Wilfred	M	3	L	Leslie D. Carter	Margaret Campbell	Chelmsford, N. Y.	Yonkers, N. Y.
Sept. 6	Robert Charles	M	3	L	William Page	Rosanna Sorel	Newton, N. H.	Fall River, Mass.
Oct. 16	Robert Charles	M	3	L	Walter M. Morse	Rachel Willis	Exeter, N. H.	Haverhill, Mass.
Nov. 8		F		L	Charles E. Snow	Ruth E. Yearigle	Eastport, Me.	Salem, Mass.

A true copy. Attest: ALICE E. WILDER, Deputy Town Clerk.

## MARRIAGES RECORDED IN NEWTON, N. H. FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1927

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age in Years	Place of Birth	Each Names of Parents	Cond.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
Feb. 9	Newton, N. H.	Roland Grandmaison	21	Nashua, N. H.	Fred Grandmaison Agnes Deshuenes	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
Feb. 25	Newton, N. H.	Catherine Barron	22	Haverhill, Mass.	John Barron Margaret Farrell	1st	Wm. K. Daivs, Justice of the Peace, Newton, N. H.
May 15	Newton, N. H.	Roy Clifford Moore	16	Ashland, Mass.	Carl G. Moore Georgie MacDonald	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
June 19	Newton, N. H.	Martha R. Ashton	18	Kingston, N. H.	Edward Ashton Josephine Senter	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 1	Newton, N. H.	Edward J. Monroe	35	North Conway, N. H.	George Monroe Susan Eaton	2d	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Edith P. Miner	40	Haverhill, Mass.	Byron Ramsey Annie Ordway	2d	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Alex Beattie	22	Barre, Vermont	David Beattie June Anderson	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Helen Mitchell	21	Haverhill, Mass.	Benj. Mitchell Wilfred Lewis	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Frank Casazza	22	Haverhill, Mass.	Edward J. Casazza Rose Persico	1st	Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Edrian Shugrue	18	Methuen, Mass.	James Shugrue Minnie Spurr	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Harold E. Harrington	26	Roxbury, Mass.	Richard Harrington Sarah Eldridge	2d	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	M. Lena Damien	18	Old Town, Mass.	Eugene Damien Emaline Duplises	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Calvin K. Cole	40	Baltimore, Md.	Charles E. Cole Lottie M. Shieves	1st	Harold M. Smith, Justice of the Peace, Portsmouth, N. H.
July 17	Newton, N. H.	Nellie M. Lynch	44	Worcester, Mass.	John H. Lamb Lucy B. Gravell	2d	Harold M. Smith, Justice of the Peace, Portsmouth, N. H.

Aug. 11	Franklin, N. H.	Henry S. Hersey	26	Bangor, Me.	Thomas H. Hersey	1st	Wilton E. Cross, Clergyman, Franklin, N. H.
		Madeline E. Morton	28	Bangor, Me.	Lena M. Dyer	1st	
July 2	Salem, N. H.	George S. Chase	21	Brentwood, N. H.	Asa Morton	1st	Charles S. Maurier, Clergy- man, Salem, N. H.
		Helen E. Ramsdell	21	Brentwood, N. H.	Helen M. Castor	1st	
Sept. 1	Plaistow, N. H.	Roswell H. Glover	37	Nottingham, N. H.	Edward Chase	2d	G. Lee Fish, Clergyman, Plais- tow, N. H.
		Ruth Willis	28	Haverhill, Mass.	Elsie Rowell	1st	
Sept. 3	Newton, N. H.	John Wm. MacDonald	22	Salem, N. H.	Robert Ramsdell	1st	James G. Beveridge, Clergy- man, Newton, N. H.
		Merle Ruth Goodwin	19	Saco, Me.	Martha O'Brien	1st	
Sept. 30	Newton, N. H.	Leonard Y. Stanley	38	Clinton, Me.	Butler Grover	2d	Henry L. Burbeck, Justice of the Peace, Newton, N. H.
		Esther LeBlanc	38	Haverhill, Mass.	Alice Perley	2d	
Oct. 8	Newton, N. H.	Benjamin H. Houston	36	Compton, R. I.	Charles Willis	2d	Rev. C. Julian Tutthill, Clergy- man, Atkinson, N. H.
		Florence H. Adams	35	Boston, Mass.	Mary Smith	1st	
Dec. 24	Newton, N. H.	Dennis Boudreau	35	East Kingston, N. H.	Wm. MacDonald	2d	Elmer F. Allen, Clergyman, Newton, N. H.
		E. Francis Huntress	22	Newton, N. H.	Annie Judson	1st	
					Leroy F. Goodwin	1st	
					Gertrude Perry	2d	
					Samuel F. Stanley	2d	
					Alice Oaks	2d	
					Jacques Pignett	2d	
					Mary Moran	2d	
					Gilbert Houston	2d	
					John Adams	1st	
					Mary Eccles	2d	
					Peter Boudreau	2d	
					Esther Granger	1st	
					Clarence Huntress	1st	
					Eddie E. Tucker	1st	

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DEATHS RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF NEWTON, N. H. FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1927.

1927	Name and Sur-name of Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Male or Female	Single, Married, Widowed	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Y	M					
Jan. 12	Arthur E. Brown	15	9	Worcester, Mass.	M	S	James A. Brown	Mary Laflame
Jan. 18	*Melinda Whittier	91	11		F	W		
Mar. 1	Grace A. Wentworth	5	6	Newton, N. H.	F	M	Lowell E. Wentworth	Natalie M. Hayes
Mar. 19	Benj. F. Austin	85	9	Salem	M	W		
Mar. 31	Ella M. Gould	68	8	Newton, N. H.	F	M	Daniel C. Goodwin	Morella Prescott
Mar. 20	*Elizabeth R. Hall	66	6		F	W		
Apr. 15	Frederick M. Austin	63	3	Kensington, N. H.	M	S	James S. Austin	Louisa P. Brown
Apr. 18	Leonard W. Bradley	82	8	Plaistow, N. H.	M	M	Asa Bradley	Eleanor Heath
Apr. 22	Harold D. Austin	34	23	Newton, N. H.	M	M	Benj. F. Austin	Emma Folett
May 14	Clara P. Chase	58	11		F			
May 15	Parker Spinney Wilder	23	11	Newton, N. H.	M	S	David F. Wilder	Alice E. Spinney
June 2	Edith L. Turner	2	12	Haverhill, Mass.	F	S	William B. Turner	Louise Landers
June 5	*Elvira G. Addison	82	4		F	W		
June 16	*Walker H. Gould	69	27	Newton, N. H.	M	M	Hervey N. Gould	Augusta A. Carleton
June 19	Frank Voutour	55	4	Chediac, N. B.	M	M	Philip Voutour	Valentine Arsenault
July 6	Frank P. Hastings	67	10	Croyden, N. H.	M	M	Amos Hastings	Mary Sawyer
July 19	Ella R. Thoms	63	11	Mt. Vernon, N. H.	F	M	Charles Reed	Sophia Dustin
July 19	*Eugene Bartlett	77			M	W	John C. Bartlett	
Aug. 31	*Susan Halleck	87		(Said to be Newton)	F	W		
Sept. 30	William Miller	29	8	Edinburgh, Scotland	M	M	James Miller	Johann Fischer
Oct. 12	Edwin S. Swett	84	6	East Kingston, N. H.	M	M	Moses Swett	Hannah Siloway
Oct. 1	Delmar Foss	71	8	Mechanic Falls, Me.	M	M	William H. Foss	Belinda B. Campbell

\* Body from here from out of town. Attest: ALICE E. WILDER, Deputy Town Clerk.

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