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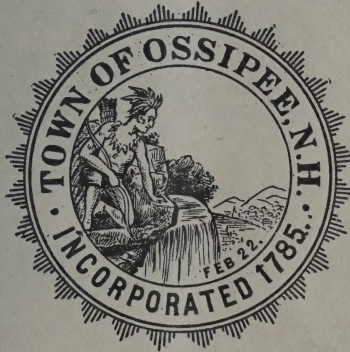
ANNUAL REPORTS

—OF THE—

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Town of Ossipee



—FOR THE YEAR ENDING—

February 15, 1917.

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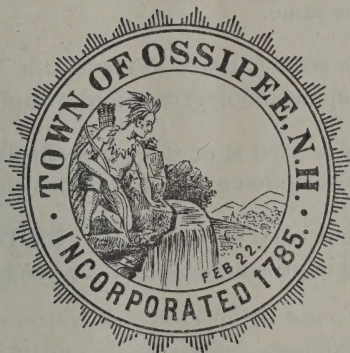
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FEBRUARY 15, 1917

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1916

HERBERT W. HOBBS PRINTER,
MOUNTAINVIEW, N. H.

TOWN WARRANT

First. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for decorating the graves of soldiers.

Second. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the repair of highways in summer and make appropriation for the same.

Third. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the repair of highways in winter and make appropriation for the same.

Fourth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the repair and construction of bridges.

Fifth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the destruction of gypsy and brown tail moths.

Sixth. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for defraying the expenses of the town.

Seventh. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of nine hundred dollars, for trunk line maintenance, in order to receive three thousand six hundred dollars from the state.

Eighth. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of six hundred and fifty dollars for state aid maintenance, in order to receive seven hundred dollars from the state.

Ninth. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of four hundred and ninety six dollars for state aid, in order to receive five hundred and ninety five dollars, and twenty cents from the state.

Tenth. To see what action the Town will take in regard to choosing Highway Agents, in accordance to Chap. 171 Laws of 1915.

Eleventh. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes, or to allow them to make a discount for early payment of taxes.

Twelfth. To see what action the Town will take in regard to a vote taken at the 1916 Town Meeting, closing the road leading from Harpers Ferry, so called, to the state road near North Wakefield.

Thirteenth. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of one thousand dollars to repair the road leading from Ossipee to Granite

Fourteenth. To choose Town Clerk, Treasurer, Selectmen Auditors and all other Town Officers and Agents for the year ensuing.

SCHOOL WARRANT

First. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

Second. To choose a clerk and treasurer for the ensuing year.

Third. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

Fourth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the repair of school houses.

Fifth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the support of schools, in addition to the amount required by law.

Sixth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the salaries of the school board and other district officers.

Seventh. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for the purchase of school books and supplies.

Eighth. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for high school tuitions.

Ninth. To see if the district will vote to unite with one or more towns to form a Supervisory District and employ a Superintendent of Schools.

Tenth. To see what action the district will take concerning the repair or sale of the following school houses: The Fogg's Ridge school house and the Water Village school house.

Eleventh. To choose all necessary officers and agents and and transact any other business coming before said meeting.

TREASURERS' REPORTS.

RECEIPTS

From former Treasurer, \$ 342 72

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Selectmen's orders, 45 00
Paid J. W. Chamberlin, Treasurer, 297 72

\$ 342 72

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER P. COBB, *Treasurer.*

By IDA M. COBB, *Executrix.*

J. W. CHAMBERLIN, TREASURER,

RECEIPTS

Feb. 26. 1916 cash in treasury, \$ 554 50
Received of Town Clerk, dog license fees, 6 20

560 70

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Selectmen's orders, 217 98
Paid Walter P. Cobb, Treasurer, 342 72

\$ 560 70

RECEIPTS

Walter P. Cobb Estate, Ex Treasurer, \$ 296 72
State of N. H., Trunk line maintenance, 2 815 97
State of N. H., State Aid maintenance, 544 71
State of N. H., State Appropriation, 769 31
State of N. H., Excise Commission, 23 68
State of N. H., Forest Fires, 30 60

State of N. H., Insurance Tax,	\$	75
State of N. H., R. R. Tax,		576 28
State of N. H., Savings Bank Tax,		2178 88
State of N. H., Literary Fund,		157 32
State of N. H., School Fund,		403 23
Charles S. Miles, Justice fines,		69 00
J. W. Chamberlin Loan,		2,000 00
S. F. Berry Loan,		1,000 00
First National Bank,		3,000 00
L. M. Morrison, pedlar's license,		8 00
H. A. Wallace Loan,		500 00
E. D. Merrow, fees for nomination,		6 00
E. W. Hodsdon,		294 55
E. D. Merrow, dog license fees,		213 00
C. A. Wiggin, to pay S. O. Huckins bill,		96 25
Mark H. Winkley, taxes of 1916,		18,897 32
		<u>\$33,882 57</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Selectmens orders,		33,245 50
Cash in Treasury,		637 07
		<u>\$33,882 57</u>

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. CHAMBERLIN, *Treasurer.*

APPROPRIATIONS.

Bridges,	\$	2,000 00
State Tax,		2,025 00
County Tax,		1,687 50
Summer Highways,		3,000 00
Winter Highways,		1,000 00
Maintenance of Trunk Line,		800 00
Maintenance of State Aid Roads,		350 00
State Aid Roads,		496 00
Town Expenses,		1,000 00

Moths,	300 00
Public Library,	69 90
Decorating Soldiers' Graves,	25 90
Moving Vault,	300 00
School Money by Law,	2,025 00
School Money In Addition,	1,500 00
School House Repairs,	400 00
Books and Supplies,	400 00
High School Tuition,	300 00
Overlay,	869 40
Committed to Collector,	<u>\$18,654 68</u>

Rate, \$18 00 on a thousand.

VALUATION.

Improved and Unimproved Land and Buildings,	\$791,491
355 Horses,	45,026
30 Oxen,	3,061
321 Cows,	14,315
68 Neat Stock,	3,261
16 Hogs,	340
Fowl,	300
66 Vehicles and Automobiles,	19,550
10 Portable Mills,	6,175
5 Boats and Launches,	1,050
Wood and Lumber,	5,025
Stock In Public Funds,	4,020
Stock In Banks,	1,325
Money on Hand,	17,275
Stock In Trade,	70,174
Aqueducts, Factories and Machinery,	9,650
	<u>\$992,038</u>

399 Polls assessed, \$798 00

Town of Ossipee, N. H.

BALANCE

ASSETS.

Cash:

In hands of Treasurer, \$ 637 07

Accounts due Town:

Taxes not collected: (a) Levy of 1914, 18 06
 (b) Levy of 1915, 118 47
 (c) Levy of 1916, 144 82

Due from the State:

(a) For Bounties, 172 00

Due from the County:

(a) Watching at Small ruins, 83 00

Other Assets:

(a) Taxes of 1916 bid off by Town, 151 14
 (b) " " 1915 " " " " 106 25
 (c) " " 1914 " " " " 66 11
 (d) " " 1912 " " " " 17 00

Total Assets,	1,513 92
Excess of liabilities over assets,	4,032 38
Total,	\$5,546 30

 LIABILITIES.

Bills owed by Town:

Unpaid Orders:

No. 202 of 1915, Somersworth National Bank,	\$1,000 00
No. 8, J. W. Chamberlin,	1,000 00
No. 50, Somersworth National Bank,	2,000 00
No. 102, " " " "	1,000 00
No. 206, North East Metal Culvert Co.,	99 20
No. 196, Arthur Emerson,	6 00

Unpaid balances set aside for special purposes:

Money due to schools: (a) Dog licenses,	100 99
(b) School money,	340 20

Total liabilities,	\$5,546 30
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Town of Ossipee, N. H.

RECEIPTS

RECEIPTS.

From local taxes:

1. Property tax	} less abatements,	\$18,723 09
2. Poll tax		
3. Special assessment		

From State:

4. Insurance tax	75
5. Railroad tax	576 28
6. Savings Bank tax	2,178 88
7. Literary fund	157 32
8. For education	403 23
9. For fighting forest fires	30 60
10. For highways	4,129 99

From local sources except taxes:

11. Dog licenses	219 20
12. All other licenses and permits	8 00
13. Fines and forfeits	69 00
14. Temporary loans during the year	6,500 00
15. Overpaid on highway	294 55
16. Nomination fees	6 00
17. C. A. Wiggin, to pay S. O. Huckins bill	96 25

All other receipts:

18. Excise Commission	23 68
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Total receipts from all sources \$33,416 82

Cash on hand at beginning of year 554 50

Grand total \$33,971 32

AND PAYMENTS For year ending February 15, 1917.

PAYMENTS.

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Salaries and expenses of principal town officers, \$931 07
2. Election and registration expenses, 127 92
3. Repair and supplies for town hall, 413 48

Protection of Persons and Property:

4. Police department, salary of police justice, 100 00
5. Fire department, 64 20
6. Moth extermination, 307 25
7. Bounties, 31 60
8. Damage by dogs, 25 00

Health and Sanitation:

9. Vital statistics, 21 45

Highways and Bridges:

10. Highways, maintenance - Town account, 6,511 39
11. Highways, maintenance - State & town joint account, 885 98
12. Trunk line maintenance, 3,502 46
13. Sidewalks, 144 00

Education:

14. Schools, 5,460 55
15. Libraries, 69 90

Charities:

16. Town Poor, 339 55

Patriotic Purposes:

17. Memorial Day, 25 00

Public Service Enterprises:

18. Cemeteries, 2 50

Total Current Expenses, \$18,963 30

Interest:

19. Paid on indebtedness, 187 50

PAYMENTS

For year Ending February 15, 1917.

Total interest payments,		187 50
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
20. Highway & Bridge Construction, Town account,	3,045 26	
21. Highway & Bridge Construction, State & Town joint account,	3,783 28	
Total Outlay Payments:		6,828 54
Indebtedness:		
22. Payments on principal of debt,	2,500 00	
Total Indebtedness Payments, Payments to Other		2,500 00
Govermental Divisions:		
23. Taxes paid to State,	2,025 00	
24. Taxes paid to County,	1,687 50	
Total,		3,712 50
All Other Payments:		
25. Huckins v. Ossipee,	350 17	
26. Damages from closing road,	100 00	
27. Damage to crops,	5 00	
28. Running Town line,	317 87	
29. Watching at Small ruins,	83 00	
30. Taxes bid off by Town,	151 14	
31. Orders of 1915,	135 23	
Total,		1,142 41
Total Payments for all purposos,		33,334 25
Cash on hand at end of year,		637 07
Grand Total,		\$33,971 32

Detail Statement of Payments.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

Detail 1. Salaries and expenses of principal Town officers

SALARIES:

Selectmen, E. W. Hodsdon,	\$ 125 00
C. E. Smart,	125 00
H. E. Young,	125 00
Clerk, E. D. Merrow,	40 00
Treasurer, J. W. Chamberlin,	40 00
Auditors, E. D. Merrow,	6 00
C. A. Wiggin,	6 00
Dog Constable, J. E. Beacham, 2 yrs.,	90 00
Collector, M. H. Winkley,	225 00
	\$ 782 00

EXPENSES.

Printing town reports, H. W. Hobbs,	58 75
Stamped envelopes, E. W. Hodsdon,	10 62
Clerical work, C. E. Smart,	12 00
Envelopes for Collector, Cochecho Printing Co.,	2 50
Legal Counsel, A. E. Kennison,	3 00
Books and blanks, E. C. Eastman Co.,	37 35
Tax bills, H. H. Sanborn,	2 25
Posting notices etc. E. D. Merrow,	11 14
Supplies and incidentals, H. E. Young,	11 46
	149 07
	\$ 931 07

Detail 2. Election and Registration Expenses.

Supervisor, J. W. Chamberlin,	30 00
M. H. Winkley,	30 00
H. P. Harding,	12 50
Ballot Inspector, H. P. Smart,	7 50
N. M. Remick,	7 50

Detail Statement of Payments.

E. M. Winkley,	7 50
C. A. Meloon,	2 50
Ford Smith,	2 50
Constable at Elections, F. E. Palmer,	5 00
F. J. Eldridge,	4 50
Printing ballots, H. W. Hobbs,	5 00
Check lists, Cocheco Printing Co.,	13 42

\$ 127 92

Detail 3. Repairs and Supplies for

Town Hall:

Moving shed at Town house,	
James Popham,	\$12 00
C. M. Eldridge,	10 00
Moxing vault, M. H. Winkley,	300 00
Door for vault, York Safe & Lock Co.,	75 00
Cement for vault, S. O. Huckins,	8 25
Supplies for Town Hall, L. O. Moulton,	8 23

413 48

Detail 4. Town Poor:

Supplies and medical attendance	
for Lydia Welch,	8 90
Medical attendance for Cook boy,	13 50
Wood for Laura Davis, Lewis Hanson,	16 87
Shingles and nails for Laura Davis,	3 40
Wood and lumber for Laura Davis,	
S. J. Thompson & Son,	10 26
Labor on house of Laura Davis,	
J. W. Hanson,	2 00
L. M. Hanson,	4 50
S. S. Dore,	6 00
Milk for Lydia Welch,	4 38
Tramp bill, F. O. Ferren,	23 50
Committing D. H. Helme	

Detail Statement of Paymentf.

	to State Hospital,	41 08
Board of Doris Wiggin at County Farm,		2 15
Supplies for Laura Davis,		
	J. W. Chamberlin,	34 08
	A. W. Palmer,	74 92
Supplies for Lydia Welch,		
	A. W. Palmer,	53 45
Supplies for Martha Jackson,		
	A. W. Palmer,	1 06
Rubbers and leggins,		
	delivered to School Board,	2 50
Medical Services to Warren Sargent,		
	Huggins Hospital,	37 00

339 55

Detail 5. Town Maintenance:

WINTER HIGHWAYS:

S. L. Bennett,	\$ 30 28
Alfred Eldridge,	2 90
Clifton Eldridge,	2 90
Allie Welch,	2 90
Ezra Eldridge,	2 90
Ray Skillins,	2 05
W. C. Ricker,	38 15
F. O. Ferren,	40 50
S. S. Goldsmith,	23 95
John Templeton,	90
Fred W. Eldridge,	12 90
C. E. Eastman,	11 00
John Philbrick,	80
J. H. Hamm,	9 50
J. M. Hamm,	19 00
Wallace Ainsworth,	15 30
W. E. Goldsmith,	9 32
C. W. Eastman,	6 80

Detail Statement of Payments.

L. E. Moulton,	66 25
A. D. Andrews,	8 10
John M. Harmon,	23 90
L. M. Emery,	8 40
S. O. Huckins,	20 25
Howard Merrow,	13 90
A. A. Bertwell,	18 99
Oren Welch,	4 62
Alston Welch,	21 00
H. W. Nichols,	3 60
Frank A. Fernald,	8 89
Alfred Eldridge,	40
Fred Eldridge,	5 50
W. E. Goldsmith,	1 76
Thayer Trott,	1 95
J. R. B. Cook,	4 75
A. J. Melanson,	21 86
L. M. Hanson,	4 90
Eben Whitman,	2 20
J. W. Hanson,	1 44
F. O. Stillings,	10 10
L. E. Moulton,	93 50
F. O. Ferren,	30 50
Chas. H. Bickford,	9 30
John Hanson,	9 00
E. M. Winkley,	4 04
Ered B. Brown,	11 26
S. J. Thompson & Son,	13 33
W. B. Hamm,	6 40
F. Terry,	7 13
H. P. Harding,	6 00
J. E. Pierce,	17 55
E. E. Haskell,	14 27
Levi W. Brown Est.,	5 76
Ira G. Bean,	52
Darius Beacham,	70

Detail Statement of Payments.

Fred E. Bean,	8 89
F. Terry,	5 67
Mrs. L. W. Brown,	23 48
L. E. Moulton,	22 95
I. G. Bean,	2 40
A. E. Beacham,	28 61
N. M. Remick,	1 00
F. P. Remick,	4 00
M. H. Winkley,	10 73
F. O. Ferren,	13 50
Wallace Ainsworth,	36 00
Norman Monroe,	80
Charles H. Bradley,	3 50
Samuel Niblett,	1 80
John M. Harmon,	14 00
John H. Harmon,	7 50
Shirl E. Buswell,	2 40
Mark H. Merrow,	15 00
F. W. Hurn,	19 75
E. L. Wilkins,	14 74
John H. Pratt,	7 11
A. B. Simmons,	7 04
Moses Barron,	4 50
E. M. Winkley,	3 33
A. D. Andrews,	14 25
Wallace Ainsworth,	27 00
A. J. Hamm,	14 20
John H. Harmon,	10 00
John M. Harmon,	19 00
W. P. Dore,	9 00
Ezra Eldridge,	4 00
Alfred Eldridge,	2 00
Allie Welch,	4 00
John Welch,	1 00
Wille Welch,	2 00
L. M. Emery,	13 65

Detail Statement of Payments.

Alfred Eldridge,	6 00
Fred Eldridge,	18 00
Clifton Eldridge,	2 00
Ray Skillins,	10 45
Ezra Eldridge,	3 00
Willie Welch,	2 00
F. J. Eldridge,	63 90
J. E. Beacham,	2 10
	\$1,200 32

Detail 5. Town Maintenance:

SUMMER HIGHWAYS.

Geo. Fiscus,	1 40
Chas. Price,	9 00
Plummer Welch,	9 00
Mell Smith, team,	18 00
F. O. Ferren, team,	22 50
Geo. Kimball,	1 80
Raymond Connor,	8 10
W. C. Rieker, team,	25 00
W. Watson,	8 00
I. Philbrick,	8 00
G. Tappan,	6 00
S. Buswell,	7 20
E. Banfil,	3 00
C. Cook,	3 00
Arthur Davis,	10 50
A. E. Davis,	10 50
L. G. Merrow, team,	23 05
Clinton Fall,	2 70
Carroll County Farm,	10 00
L. H. Dore,	3 00
Orren Eldridge,	26 00
Allie Welch,	3 60
Clifford Eldridge,	3 60

Detail Statement of Payments.

Chas. Price,	18 60
John Philbrick,	2 40
Chas. Knox,	7 20
Raymond Conner,	1 80
Perley Wasson,	3 60
Plummer Welch,	1 20
Fred Hodge,	32 70
Allie Welch,	9 00
Ezra Eldridge,	3 60
Will Welch,	5 40
Alfred Eldridge,	7 20
Fred Eldridge,	4 50
Chas. Price,	9 00
Orren Eldridge,	10 00
Ellsworth Philbrick,	1 75
Alfred Philbrick,	5 40
Perley Philbrick,	1 50
M. O. White,	11 20
Perley Wasson,	2 70
Carroll County Farm,	80 12
L. H. Dore,	5 75
Moses Welch,	4 60
James Libby,	2 80
Chas. Bean,	3 60
Harry Abbott, team,	11 50
Harry Hill, team,	11 50
Frank Ferren, team,	18 00
Chas. Williams,	80
Alfred Eldridge,	1 80
Clifford Eldridge,	1 00
Peter Lampron,	2 40
Orren Eldridge,	10 00
Chas. Price,	9 00
Plummer Welch,	7 20
Robert Ross,	5 40

Detail Statement of Payments.

Edwin Stillings,	9 80
S. L. Bennett,	31 45
Arthur Eldridge,	4 50
Chas. Price,	11 70
Orren Eldridge,	13 00
Eliot Hutchinson,	1 60
Chas. Williams,	3 20
Moses Welch,	1 00
Harry Hill,	8 00
Harry Abbott,	8 00
Chas. Knox,	4 85
Orren Eldridge,	12 00
Chris Hobbs, team,	27 00
Bert Lovejoy,	13 50
Sam Williams	12 60
Lewis Williams,	11 80
Edward Eldridge,	10 40
Joseph Hobbs,	1 40
Samuel Williams,	8 20
Benj. Nason,	8 20
James Nute,	8 20
Chas. Price,	10 80
Ray Abbott,	3 60
C. M. Eldridge,	2 50
John H. Pratt,	7 11
E. L. Wilkins,	14 74
Orren Eldridge,	12 00
Chris Hobbs, team,	18 00
Bert Lovejoy, team	4 50
Sam Williams,	10 80
Lewis Williams,	10 80
Edw. Eldridge,	9 00
Elmer Eldridge,	7 20
Chas. Price,	9 00
A. B. Simmonds,	7 04
Edwin Stillings,	13 13

Detail Statement of Payments.

John Dowell,	1 88
Fred Goslin,	13 00
Moses Barron,	13 00
L. W. Leavitt,	7 75
Homer Hurd, scraper,	6 75
A D Andrews,	20 25
Fred Hodge,	36 60
H. B. Moody,	4 75
H. M. Warren,	1 80
G. C. Wiggin,	1 25
E. O. Ljungstrand,	18 20
F. W. Hurn,	17 40
A. J. Hamm,	12 25
H. E. Nutter,	39 45
William Banfill,	45 00
H. E. Nutter,	62 35
Fred Hodge,	26 25
L. G. Merrow, team,	52 75
S. S. Dore,	25 20
Mark H. Merrow,	65 00
L. G. Merrow,	27 00
Sam Williams,	14 40
Elmer Eldridge,	17 00
Belmont White,	12 80
Orin Eldridge,	17 10
G. W. Bent, team,	38 50
Harrison Eldridge,	10 80
Will Evans,	1 80
Mark H. Merrow,	49 10
L. G. Merrow,	22 50
Sam Williams,	10 80
Elmer Eldridge,	11 80
Orin Eldridge,	15 10
Belmont White,	1 50
G. W. Bent, team,	34 00
Harrison Eldridge,	10 00

Detail Statement of Payments.

Robert Welch,	1 12
Moses Eldridge,	1 12
Orren Eldridge,	20 00
Chas. Price,	19 00
Robert Ross,	18 00
Chas. Knox,	8 00
J. H. Libbey,	6 80
Forest Canney,	5 40
Ellsworth Philbrick,	10 50
Maurice Welch,	2 50
Alfred Philbrick,	7 20
Maurice Avery,	63 00
Chas. Price,	2 00
S. O. Huckins,	105 07
W. E. Goldsmith,	6 25
J. W. Thompson,	154 85
Road Machine,	151 10
Sign Boards,	10 50
Cement,	20 50
Tools,	38 00
Howard Merrow,	17 75
Fred B. Brown,	3 90
Geo. B. Tibbets,	3 60
B. H. Moody, work on tools,	6 15
J. R. B. Cook,	20 66
Dana Whitehouse,	2 99
B. E. Bickford,	49 91
J. P. Goldsmith,	47 30
G. N. Abbott,	3 70
W. M. Glidden,	2 00
G. W. Tappan,	2 00
Lewis M. Hanson,	7 95
James W. Hanson,	5 40
F. O. Stillings,	50 32
John M. Currier,	3 60
Chas. H. Bickford,	21 04

Detail Statement of Payments.

Geo. H. McIntyre,	18 90
Jos. L. Langley,	5 40
Chester A. Bisbee,	26 20
John Hanson	8 00
Edwin L. Stillings,	19 80
E. M. Winkley,	88
C. M. Ambrose, grade,	13 00
A. J. Melanson,	28 86
James E. Canney,	52 00
S. J. Thompson & Son,	52 67
Orren Welch,	43 53
Alston B. Welch,	13 60
James Popham,	6 00
H. W. Nichols,	13 05
Julia Loring, sand,	6 70
Newell Hilton,	5 80
Frank A. Fernald,	8 06
Willie Eldridge.	2 13
D. C. Heath,	17 43
Everett Eldridge,	9 90
L. R. Nutter,	26 30
John B. Varick Co., hardware,	67 19
Mrs. Levi Brown,	35 10
M. O. Pitman,	5 00
E. E. Haskell,	156 30
E. Wilkins,	2 63
Ira G. Bean,	45 90
Geo O. Bean,	76 50
A. E. Beacham,	11 10
W. B. Hamm,	19 50
L. W. Hamm,	3 40
Walter S. Welch,	9 60
Darius Beacham,	44 26
Chas. Sceggel,	10 07
A. A. Bertwell,	12 12
F. P. Remick,	5 60

Detail Statement of Payments.

J. H. Pratt,	13 50
J. E. Hodsdon,	11 20
Simon Blake, grade,	20 00
M. H. Winkley,	42 44
Wallace & Rogers,	29 50
William Banfill,	2 00
Irving Abbott,	8 40
Fred E. Bean,	9 50
C. A. Wiggin,	138 95
J. H. Seavey, hardware,	76 48
F. O. Ferren,	128 80
F. S. Lord, grade,	43 13
Carroll County Farm,	19 25
A. E. Beacham,	24 35
M. H. Winkley,	38 02
Ralph Haney,	5 40
Chas. H. Bradley,	3 50
H. E. Young,	22 00
W. T. Hitchcock,	6 25
Norman Monroe,	2 80
Samuel Niblett,	4 00
Wallace Ainsworth,	23 85
Edw. Ljungstrand,	2 80
A. P. Young,	1 80
Amos Eldridge,	2 40
F. W. Hurn,	5 50
A. W. Palmer,	1 59
Roy E. Loring, grade 1916,	15 00
Roy E. Loring, 1915,	7 00
A. A. Lovejoy, team,	9 50
F. O. Stillings,	7 20
E. M. Winkley,	20 25
Perley Philbrick,	2 50
L. O. Moulton,	22 48
Ernest Eldridge,	18 90
A. J. Hamm,	2 50

Detail Statement of Payments.

F. O. Ferren,	25 00
G. W. Bent,	217 12
O. P. Hobbs, grade 1914, old bill,	25 00
O. P. Hobbs, grade 1513, old bill,	40 00
O. P. Hobbs, grade 1916,	17 00
Chas. Price,	8 00
Orren Eldridge,	8 89
Ellsworth Philbrick,	3 60
Alfred Philbrick,	4 40
Clement Holbrook,	3 60
C. M. Eldridge,	25 00
Frank Eldridge,	6 25
H. H. Hurd,	11 07
J. E. Beacham,	8 00
	\$4,917 25

BRIDGES:

C. E. & H. P. Smart, lumber,	\$274.12
S. J. Thompson & Son, lumber,	45 36
Oren E. Welch,	5 89
Frank Fernald,	24 00
L. R. Nutter,	6 30
Fred E. Bean,	4 20
Wallace Ainsworth,	1 00
L. W. Leavitt,	4 25
North East Metal Culvert Co.,	99 20
Wade Abbott,	1 80
Everett Eldridge,	1 80
Chas. Price,	1 80
Alfred Eldridge,	1 80
C. M. Eldridge,	2 50
H. L. Hill, team,	4 50
D. C. Heath,	2 00
C. M. Eldridge,	12 50
	493 02

Material for culverts from

Detail Statement of Payments.

construction account,	110 89
	603 91

Detail 6. New Construction and Improvements:

TOWN CONSTRUCTION.

West Ossipee Road,	2,071 30
Water Village Bridge,	700 00
Backroad Bridge, Water Village,	66 82
Spent for Construction,	2,838 12
Paid for cement reckoned in the \$700. refunded to Treasurer,	96 25
Material transferred to Maintenance account,	110 89

Total footing of this account,	\$3,045 26
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Detail 7. State Aid Construction:

Spent for road,	3,488 73
Amount overpaid, returned to Treasurer,	294 55

Total footing of this account,	3,783 28
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ABATEMENS OF TAXES OF 1916.

Ella Dore, over taxed,	\$ 9 00
Lewis Miliken Est., over taxed,	4 50
Elmer Johnson, over seventy,	2 00
John Hanson, over seventy,	2 00
J. W. Thompson. horse died,	1 00
Melvin Smith, horse taxed twice,	90
Ai Webster, over taxed on auto.,	90
A. H. Cox, over taxed on auto.,	1 83
Harry Hill, horse died,	3 60
J. J. Eames, over taxed,	5 40
Porter Brown Est.,	3 60
Anna Dow,	3 60

List of Abatements.

Chas P. Wallace,	27
F. F. Bradley,	1 35
A. J. Hamm, cow died,	40
Walter Cook,	2 00
M. J. Maupas, taxed to M. H. Winkley,	1 80
Anna Close Copp, taxed to Huckins,	2 70
George Abbott,	3 60
John Elliott,	2 00
Haliday Helme,	2 00
Alonzo Hammond,	2 00
L. A. Jones,	2 00
Alonzo Piper, paid in Milton,	2 00
Grover Loud,	2 00
John Sias,	2 00
Town of Ossipee,	1 80
Ed Wiggin, paid in Freedom,	2 00
Bert Welch, paid in Effingham,	2 00
Lester Young, paid in Rochester,	2 00
Arthur Fall,	2 00
Bert Perkins,	90
Joseph P. Hobbs,	2 00
John Elliott,	54
Arthur Janus, not to be found,	2 90
Nelson Hawkins, " "	2 00
Fred Peano, " "	2 00
Paul Millifont, " "	2 00
Felix Cliven, " "	2 00
Joseph Fidett, " "	2 00
B. Horfusdus, " "	2 00
Malcomn Pilker, " "	2 00
Varnum Mathews, " "	2 00
Warren White, " "	2 00
Geo. Fiscus,	2 00
Geo. Kimball,	2 00
Joseph Labontes,	2 00
John Drum,	2 00

List of Abatements.

M. A. Bosworth,	2 00	
Scott Smart, out of town,	2 00	
Leon Arsenault, paid in Effingham,	2 00	
Homer Wilkins,	7 20	
		\$119 79

ABATEMENTS FOR WATERING TUBS.

John Brown,	\$ 3 00	
H. R. Dore,	3 00	
S. S. Dore,	3 00	
G. W. Bent Co.,	3 00	
L. A. Jones,	3 00	
G. L. Whiting,	1 50	
J. W. Thompson,	3 00	
Wentworth Canney, two,	6 00	
J. E. Hodsdon,	1 50	
J. L. Young,	3 00	
Willie Eldridge,	3 00	
Roy Loring,	3 00	
G. W. Fogg,	3 00	
Alice A. Leighton,	3 00	
Renfina B. White,	3 00	
I. E. Trott,	3 00	
E. F. Hilton,	3 00	
		\$ 51 00

ERVIN W. HODSDON, {
 CHARLES E. SMART, {
 HOWARD P. YOUNG, {

Selectmen
 of
 Ossipee.

Trustees of Public Library.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb 15, 1916,	\$ 71 46
Received annual appropriation,	69 90
Received from fines,	4 90
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	\$146 26

DISBURSED.

Florence Thacklebery, librarian,	19 50
“ “ “	6 50
Rex Bagley, putting in wood,	25
Haskell Armstrong Co., books	7 13
G. W. Bent Co., kindlins,	1 50
Denholm & McKay, books,	12 16
Charles A. White, rent to Jan 1, 1917,	25 00
Balance on hand Feb.1, 1917,	74 22
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	\$146 26

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE.

OSSIPEE, N. H., Feb. 26, 1917.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Ossipee for the year ending Feb. 15, 1917, certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer and Library Trustees, and find them correctly cast and a voucher for each item.

HARRY A. WALLACE, }
CHARLES A. WIGGIN, } Auditors.

VITAL STATISTICS.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF OSSISPEE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1916.

Date, 1916	Name (if any)	Sex and Condition		No. of Child	Color	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Parents' Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of	
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn								Father	Mother
Jan 25		Male	Living	3		Perley Eldridge	Maggie Templeton		Ossipee N H	Laborer	Ossipee	Ossipee
Feb 3		"	"	6		Amos N. Emerson	Nettie M. Clough		"	Teamster	Effingham N H	Effingham N H
" 29 15		Female	Stillborn	1		Joseph Wasson	Josie Colby		"	Millman	New Brunswick	Ossipee
Mar 30		Male	Living	2		Albert O. Huckins	Katherine McNally		"	Lumber Dealer	Freedom N H	Providence R I
" 13		Female	"	2		Herman Woodman	Susie V. Wigginn		"	Teamster	Wakefield N H	Ossipee
Apr 19		"	"	4		Ervin M. Winkley	Bessie M. Abbott		"	Mason	Dover N H	"
Jun 10	Richard G.	Male	"	1		Arthur L. Copp	Reva Bean		"	Teamster	Bangor Me	Woodstock N B
Jul 29	Perley J.	"	"	3		Clinton H. Fall	Mildred Price		"	Painter	Ossipee	Dover N H
Aug 4		"	"	3		Perley N. Williams	Marjorie Cosgrove		"	Mill man	Tuffonboro N H	Milton Mass
" 6		"	"	3	White	Jerry Wigginn	Laura Snow		"	Laborer	"	Ossipee
" 8		Female	"	2		Fred Eldridge	Dora Sargent		"	Farmer	"	"
" 21	Harold M.	Male	"	2		Sidney Perkins	Blanche Thompson		Wolfeboro	"	Wolfeboro N H	Wakefield N H
" 21		Female	"	4	White	Martin B. Adjutant	Ethel I. Davis		Ossipee	Laborer	Ossipee	Ossipee
" 4	Chester A.	Male	"	4		Lafe Eldridge	Myrtle Eldridge		Ossipee N H	Chauffeur	Clifton Me	Dorchester Mass
Sept 10		Female	"	1	All	Henry Darling	Flora Templeton		"	Laborer	Marblehead Mass	Ossipee
" 4		Female	"	10	All	Earl T. Merrow	Carrie E. Bailey		"	"	"	Peabody Mass
Oct 4		Male	"	8		Edgar E. Savory	Arthena Eldridge		"	"	"	Ossipee
Oct 12		Female	"	1		Abial Templeton	Lizzie Davis		"	"	"	Ossipee
Nov 19		Male	"	4		George Welch	Grace Staples		"	"	"	Parsonsfield Me
" 8	Newell	Male	"	4		Wilbur H. Hurd	Addie B. Templeton		"	Blacksmith	"	Ossipee
Oct 16	Martha F.	Female	"	4		Arthur P. Meison	Mary L. Chadbournne		Effingham	Farmer	Effingham N H	Chelsea Mass
Dec 22		Male	"	4		Charles M. Eldridge	Nettie L. Nichols		Ossipee	"	Ossipee	Ossipee

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF OSS�PEE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1916.

Date, 1916.	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride and Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each	Color of each	Occupation	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
Jan 30	Ossipee	Scout O Eldridge Abbie J Davis	21 19		Laborer Domestic	Ossipee	1 Oren Eldridge 1 Alvah Davis	Ossipee	Liamie H Ames Clergyman Ossipee
Feb 28	"	Frank Ciccolo Ethel Pray	23 22		Barber Teacher	Allston Mass Ossipee	1 John Ciccolo 1 John E Pray	Italy Ossipee	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
Apr 6	"	David Crooks Annie E Brown	32 32		Clerk Housekeeper	Scotland Louisale R I	1 John Crooks 2 James Ellis	Scotland Nova Scotia	Charles P Cleaves Clergyman Ossipee
Mar 25	Somersworth	Joseph I Lamontagne Georgiana Bergeron	46 43		Barber Housework	Canada	3 Fred Lamontagne 2 Andrew Nadeau	Nova Scotia Orono Me	Sidney E Stevens J P Somersworth
Jun 13	Ossipee	Leroy H Dore Emma Hutchinson	43 27		Carpenter Housework	Ossipee Malden Mass	2 Sylvester S Dore 1 Walter Hutchinson	Ossipee	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
14	"	John M Parsons Celia A Melton	64 63		Mechanic Housekeeper	Freedom Madison	2 John Parsons 2 Stephen Flanders	Henniker Madison	Lemuel A Jones Clergyman Ossipee
Jul 9	"	Scott L White Rheufina B Colby	49 45		Farmer Housework	Ossipee	2 Allen A White 2 William H Welch	Ossipee	Barnet H Ames Clergyman Ossipee
Nov 25	"	Chester M Loring Esther E Pheo	22 21	White	Chauffeur Clerk	"	1 Elmer E Loring 1 Inglis L Pheo	"	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
Jul 22	"	Leon C Jones Gertrude Ricker	24 23	White	Painter Housekeeper	Effingham Ossipee	1 Albion D Jones 1 William Ricker	Nova Scotia Newfield Me	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
Jul 23	"	Alial Templeton Arthema T Eldridge	19 16		Jeunster Housework	Ossipee	1 Alial Templeton 1 George H Eldridge	Ossipee	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
Aug 13	"	George H Carter Henrietta Parker	38 34		Collector Housewife	" Somerville Mass	1 Silas D Carter 2 George Bradley	" Nova Scotia	Barnet H Ames Clergyman Ossipee
Aug 31	"	Lafayette M Merrow Blanche Macdonald	31 30		Clerk Pianist	E Boston Mass Ossipee	1 Elmer E Merrow 1 Joseph C Macdonald	At Sea New Brunswick	Daniel Melnyre Clergyman Ossipee
Sept 10	Laconia	Perley J Wasson Maude J Varney	20 25		Laborer Housework	Newton Mass Ossipee	1 Joseph S Wasson 1 George O Varney	New Brunswick Ossipee	William Thompson Clergyman Laconia
25	Ossipee	Ralph E Bagley Audrey G Merrow	22 24		Painter Clerk	Tamworth Nashua	1 Elno Bagley 1 Elmer E Merrow	Ossipee	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
Nov 24	"	Charles C Dorr Charlie R Milliken	55 40		Agent Housework	Salem Mass Quebec	3 Frank P Dorr 3 Alpheus Eldridge	Ossipee	Andrew J Small Clergyman Ossipee
Dec 5	"	Willie R Eldridge Cora B Williams	46 16		Farmer Housework	Ossipee	2 Alpheus Eldridge 1 Frank Williams	Canada Ossipee	Barnet H Ames Clergyman Ossipee

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF OSSISPEE, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1916.

Date—1916.	Name of Deceased	Place of Birth			Sex and Condition		Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Name of Mother
		Ages, Years	Months	Days	Male or Female	Single Married or Widowed		Father	Mother		
Mar 16	Cary Wilkins	71	217	Norfolk V ^a	Male	Married	Farmer	Hampton	Jacob Wilkins	Vena Woodman	
24	John C Ferren	79	9	Freedom N H	"	"	"	"	James Ferren Lock	Sallie Woodman Sarah	
25	Charles Lock	69	9	Canterbury N H	"	Widowed	Carpenter	Hampton Me	John M Hamlin	Jane M Foster	
29	Jennie H Small	42	1	Hampton Me	Female	Married	Preacher	Limerick Me	Joseph G Cobb	Anne L Chellis	
31	Walter P Cobb	40	125	Conway N H	Male	"	Farmer	Ossipee	Stephen Eldridge	Hannah Welch	
Apr 19	Erwin H Eldridge	68	3	Ossipee N H	"	Single	None	"	Lewis W Nichols	Hattie Haddock	
27	Ervin W Nichols	3	8	"	"	Widowed	Farmer	"	"	"	
Jun 6	Byron Copp	76	3	Wolfeboro N H	Female	"	"	"	"	"	
24	Abbie F Graves	68	3	Tuftonboro N H	"	"	Housewife	Sandwich	Albert Atwood	Caroline Wingate	
24	Bertha Carter	41	1	Sandwich N H	"	"	Farmer	Wakefield	James Merrow	Melissa Moody	
26	Dana J Merrow	53	8	Ossipee N H	Male	Married	Farmer	Freedom	B F Eldridge	"	
28	Linnie Moody	26	1014	Freedom N H	Female	"	Housewife	"	"	"	
28	Charles W Goodrich	53	86	Berwick Me	Male	"	Engineer	Salem	William Cook	Eliza Courtney	
Jul 12	Henry Cook	86	823	Salem Mass	"	Widowed	None	"	"	"	
24	Michael Moran	45	2	"	"	"	Laborer	"	"	"	
29	Eunice A White	71	10	Ossipee N H	Female	Married	None	Ossipee	Moses C Nutter	Loisa Chick	
30	Annie M Monroe	37	422	Nova Scotia	"	"	Housekeeper	Nova Scotia	Henry Hilphard	Catherine Hilphard	
Aug 16	Russell Sprague	1	18	Effingham N H	Male	Single	None	Effingham	Ernest Sprague	Allace Hoyt	
Sep 23	Addie Gardner	36	11	Somersworth N H	Female	"	Camp Keeper	Canada	Frank Tonic	"	
30	Marie E Larson	49	115	Sweden	"	Single	Housekeeper	Sweden	Lars P Larson	Christine Peterson	
Oct 8	James Eldridge	83	4	Ossipee N H	Male	Widowed	Farmer	Ossipee	Jacob Eldridge	Mary Welch	
14	John Quill	40	4	"	"	Single	Laborer	"	"	"	
17	Lydia A Koss	82	9	Freedom N H	Female	Widowed	Housewife	Maine	Amasa Moody	Mary A Cooley	
29	Gardner Brooks	85	1013	Ossipee	Male	"	None	"	John Brooks	Hannah Gilman	
30	George P Wiggin	80	6	"	"	"	Farmer	Ossipee	Frederick Wiggin	Esther Welch	
Nov 4	Martha Jackson	53	7	Brownfield Me	Female	"	Housewife	Alfred Me	Samuel Williams	Eliza Wentworth	
5	Olive J Snow	66	9	Ossipee	"	"	"	"	Alvah Day	Eliza B Calman	
19	John C Sias	66	5	Tuftonboro	Male	"	Housekeeper	Tuftonboro	Jonathan Sias	Elizabeth Jackson	
30	Eliza Banfill	71	721	Ossipee	Female	Married	"	"	William N Roberts	Mary A Veazy	
9	Jennie M Buswell	65	517	"	"	"	Housekeeper	Ossipee	George F Gilman	Lucinda Hobbs	
10	William N Connor	51	6	"	Male	"	"	"	Jeremiah Connor	"	
12	Levi B Weeks	66	1010	"	"	Single	Hotel Prop	Wakefield	Levi Weeks	Hephz'h Goodwin	
20	John W Fernald	73	816	"	"	Widowed	Farmer	"	John V Fernald	"	

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. ERNESJT D. MERROW, TOWN CLERK.

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