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The State of New Hampshire

Annual Report
of the
Town Officers



of the town of

Lancaster

For Year Ending January 31
1931

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE TOWN OF
LANCASTER
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1931

TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

Eri C. Oakes

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER

R. J. Brown

SELECTMEN

L. E. Moses O. E. Wentworth D. J. Truland

TAX COLLECTOR

W. E. Bullard

OVERSEER OF POOR

F. R. Lyon

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

O'Neil Twitchell Chas. Kimball Blake Schurman

HEALTH OFFICER

W. M. Bronson

ROAD COMMISSIONERS

H. W. Hillier C. J. Griffin F. H. Morse

AUDITORS

F. R. Langworthy R. W. Rhodes

CEMETERY COMMITTEE

Merrill Shurtleff Fred C. Congdon

Jennie Twitchell

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Emilie P. Shurtleff Annie P. Hastings

James L. Dow Eri C. Oakes

Merrill Shurtleff

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

W. H. McCarten C. L. Hurley J. L. Dow

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Lancaster qualified to vote in the Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.
2. To choose one Selectman for three years, a Treasurer, a Prosecuting Agent, one Trustee of trust funds for three years, three members of the Col. Town Spending Committee for three years, two members of the Col. Town Control and Investment Committee and other necessary officers for the ensuing year.
3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the following purposes:
 - First:* To meet current expenses of the Town and apply on the principal and interest of the town debt.
 - Second:* For Highways and Bridges, Town Maintenance, State Aid Maintenance and Permanent Roads.
 - Third:* For building and repairing Sidewalks and Sewers.
4. To direct how money raised for any of the above purposes be expended.

5. To see what action the town will take in regard to an act for State Aid and for the expenditure of other public moneys in the permanent improvements of main highways throughout the State, passed Feb. 5, 1925, and amendments thereto, and raise money for the same.

6. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the purpose of issuing and distributing circulars and other written or printed matter calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town, and direct how the same should be expended.

7. To see what action the town will take in regard to building a cement sidewalk on Stevens Terrace from Bunker Hill Street to High Street.

8. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 for White Pine Blister Rust Control, to be spent in cooperation with the State Forestry Department.

9. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising money for the maintenance of the Town Building.

10. To see if the town of Lancaster voters wish to instruct the Selectmen to take steps to improve our Main Street lights and discard the obsolete arc-lights and to see if the town will vote a certain sum or sums to be used for the above mentioned improvement or improvements and if so how much.

11. To see if the voters of Lancaster wish to instruct the Selectmen to install stop signs at the intersections of streets running into or across Main and Summer Streets and to appropriate money for the same and if so how much.

12. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on temporary notes in anticipation of taxes.

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

Given under our hand and seal at Lancaster, this 23rd day of February, 1931.

L. E. MOSES,
O. E. WENTWORTH,
D. J. TRULAND,
Selectmen of Lancaster.

A true copy, attest:

O. E. Wentworth,
Selectman of Lancaster.

BUDGET FOR 1931

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the ensuing year, Feb. 1, 1931 to Feb. 1, 1932, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the previous year, Feb. 1, 1930 to Feb. 1, 1931.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

| | Actual 1930 | Est. 1931 |
|---|-------------|------------|
| From State: | | |
| Insurance Tax | \$ 44.68 | \$ 40.00 |
| Railroad Tax | 2035.39 | 2000.00 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 8639.84 | 8639.84 |
| For Highways: | | |
| (a) For State Aid Maint. | 2634.45 | 5000.00 |
| (b) For Trunk Line Maint. | 5053.07 | 4550.00 |
| Interest and Dividend Tax | 3520.26 | 3500.00 |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes: | | |
| All Licenses and Permits except | | |
| Dog Licenses | 65.00 | 150.00 |
| Fines and Forfeits | 88.04 | 50.00 |
| Int. received on Taxes and Dep. | 123.53 | 100.00 |
| From Poll Taxes | 3106.00 | 3000.00 |
| From other taxes except property taxes: | | |
| (a) National Bank Stock | 1051.00 | 1051.00 |
| (b) Auto Permits | 5647.40 | 5000.00 |
| From State: | | |
| (a) For State Aid High. Const. | 1754.14 | 1796.50 |
| <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: 0;"/> | | |
| Total Revenues from all Sources | | |
| except property taxes | | \$34877.34 |
| Amount Raised by Property Taxes | | \$39637.63 |
| Plus State, County & School Tax | | |

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

Actual 1930 Est. 1931

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$2335.00 | \$2300.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 962.40 | 962.40 |
| Elec. and Regis. Expenses | 428.30 | 100.00 |
| Municipal Court Expenses | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| Care and Supplies for T. Hall | | 1000.00 |

Protection of Persons and Property:

| | | |
|--------------------|---------|---------|
| Police Department | 1965.96 | 1965.96 |
| Fire Department | 1005.00 | 1000.00 |
| Moth Extermination | 198.58 | 200.00 |

Health:

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|---------|
| Health Department | 2104.90 | 2104.90 |
| Vital Statistics | 27.00 | 27.00 |

Highways and Bridges:

State Aid Maintenance

| | | |
|----------------------|---------|---------|
| State's Contribution | 2634.45 | 5000.00 |
| Town's Contribution | 2634.46 | 5000.00 |

Trunk Line Maintenance

| | | |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|
| State's Contribution | 5053.07 | 45550.00 |
| Town's Contribution | 5053.07 | 4550.00 |
| Town Maintenance | 26398.75 | 20000.00 |
| Street Lighting | 3699.06 | 3699.06 |
| Gen'l Expense of High. Dept. | 24.00 | 30.00 |

Education:

| | | |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| Libraries | 2500.00 | 2250.00 |
|-----------|---------|---------|

Charities:

| | | |
|-----------|---------|--------|
| Town Poor | 1369.50 | 600.00 |
|-----------|---------|--------|

Patriotic Purposes:

| | | |
|--------------|--------|--------|
| Memorial Day | 100.00 | 100.00 |
|--------------|--------|--------|

Recreation:

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| Parks and Playgrounds | 244.36 | 250.00 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|

Public Service Enterprises:

| | | |
|------------|--------|--------|
| Cemeteries | 160.00 | 160.00 |
|------------|--------|--------|

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------------|
| 1667 Polls | |
| Real Estate | \$2,776,980.00 |
| 2 Mules | 250.00 |
| 380 Horses | 32,910.00 |
| 7 Hogs | 90.00 |
| 1530 Cows | 121,140.00 |
| 228 Neat Stock | 14,815.00 |
| 170 Sheep | 2,063.00 |
| Fowls | 140.00 |
| Wood | 2,660.00 |
| Stock-in-trade | 379,092.00 |
| Pumps | 5,150.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | 246,600.00 |
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| | \$3,581,890.00 |
| Exemptions | 31,000.00 |
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| Total taxable property | \$3,550.890.00 |
| Town School District Valuation | \$1,069,642.00 |
| Union School District Valuation | 2,481,248.00 |
| Rate Town District | \$3.02 |
| Rate Union District | 3.08 |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

To the Selectmen of the Town of Lancaster:

Gentlemen:—I submit the following report of the dogs licensed for the year 1930, and the receipts for the same:

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| 6 male dogs 1929 | \$ 12.00 | |
| 209 male dogs 1930 | 418.00 | |
| 6 male dogs 1930 6 mos. | 6.00 | |
| 16 female dogs | 80.00 | |
| 1 female dog 8 mos. | 3.34 | |
| Town Clerk's fees | | \$ 47.60 |
| Paid Town Treasurer | | 471.74 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$519.34 | \$519.34 |

R. J. BROWN, Town Clerk.

| TOWN OF LANCASTER | BALANCE |
|---|-------------|
| ASSETS | |
| <i>Cash:</i> | |
| In hands of treasurer | \$1862.36 |
| In hands of Officials: | |
| Overseer of Poor | 43.81 |
| <i>Accounts Due to Town—</i> | |
| Due from State: | |
| 1-2 plowing Trunk Line | 217.60 |
| Due from County: | |
| Other bills due town | 70.19 |
| N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., rep. | |
| to road | 173.49 |
| Town of Dalton, plowing to date | 65.00 |
| Town of Maidstone, plow'g to date | 84.00 |
| Other Bills due Town: | |
| Material sold | 15.80 |
| Sidewalk accounts | 29.34 |
| Taxes bought by Town | 3793.22 |
| Use of machinery | 59.50 |
| Sewer connections | 65.00 |
| <i>Taxes not collected:</i> | |
| Levy of 1926 | 69.70 |
| Levy of 1927 | 86.00 |
| Levy of 1928 | 240.10 |
| Levy of 1929 | 6.00 |
| Levy of 1930 | 255.48 |
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| Total Assets | \$ 7136.59 |
| Excess of liabilities over assets | |
| (net debt) | 105634.66 |
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| Grand Total | \$112771.25 |
| Net Debt—Jan. 31, 1930 | \$ 95353.53 |
| Net Debt—Jan. 31, 1931 | 105,634.66 |
| Increase of debt | 10281.13 |
| Purpose for which debt was created—Cement road extension. | |

SHEET

FEBRUARY 1, 1931

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Bills outstanding | \$ 124.21 |
| Due to School Dist., dog licenses | 305.41 |
| Balance of Appropriation | 18580.94 |
| Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes | 4000.00 |
| Long Term Notes Outstanding | 55427.96 |
| Bonds Outstanding | 18000.00 |
| Trust Funds, amt. of prin. used by town | 16332.73 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Liabilities | \$112771.25 |
| Grand Total | \$112771.25 |

| TOWN OF LANCASTER | RECEIPTS AND |
|---|--------------|
| <i>Current Revenue:</i> | |
| From Local Taxes: | |
| Prop. taxes com. to col., 1930 | \$108794.06 |
| Less dis. and abatement, '30 | 123.21 |
| Less uncollected, 1930 | 85.48 |
| Prop. taxes current year, actually collected | 108585.37 |
| Poll taxes, current year, act. col., 1553 at \$2.00 | 3106.00 |
| Prop. and poll taxes, prev. years actually col. | 135.51 |
| National Bank Stock taxes | 1051.00 |
| Total of above collections | \$112877.88 |
| Tax sales redeemed | 2410.66 |
| From State for Highways: | |
| (a) For State Aid maintenance | 499.27 |
| (b) For State Aid construction | 1086.75 |
| (c) For Trunk Line maintenance | 1017.00 |
| Interest and dividend tax | 3520.26 |
| Insurance tax | 44.68 |
| Railroad tax | 2035.39 |
| Savings bank tax | 8639.84 |
| Dog licenses | 471.74 |
| Business licenses and permits | 65.00 |
| Fines and forfeits, municipal court | 88.04 |
| Rent of town property | 375.62 |
| Interest received on taxes | 227.47 |
| Regis. of motor vehicles, 1930 permits (Total for year, \$5647.40) | 3629.62 |
| Regis. of motor vehicles, 1931 permits | 2109.89 |
| National forest reserve | 25.39 |
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| Total Current Revenue Receipts (carried forward) | \$139124.70 |

 PAYMENTS YEAR ENDING JAN. 31, 1931
Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Town officers' salaries | \$ 2335.00 |
| Town officers' expenses | 962.40 |
| Election and registration expenses | 428.30 |
| Municipal court expenses | 200.00 |

Protection of Persons and Property:

| | |
|--|---------|
| Police dept., including care of tramps | 1965.96 |
| Fire dept., including forest fires | 1005.00 |
| Moth extermination—Blister Rust | 198.58 |
| Bounties | 6.00 |
| Damage by dogs | 166.33 |

Health:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Health dept., including hospitals | 2104.90 |
| Vital statistics | 27.00 |
| Sewer maintenance | 426.79 |

Highways and Bridges:

| | |
|--|----------|
| State Aid maintenance | 2510.50 |
| Trunk Line maintenance | 5372.72 |
| Town maintenance | 26398.75 |
| Street lighting and sprinkling | 3699.06 |
| General expenses of highway dept., including watering troughs | 24.00 |

Unclassified:

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Libraries | 2500.00 |
| Town poor | 1369.50 |
| Memorial Day exercises | 100.00 |
| Parks and playgrounds | 244.36 |
| Cemeteries | 160.00 |
| Damages and legal expenses | 82.32 |
| Taxes bought by town | 2719.88 |
| Special Appro.—Advertising | 250.00 |
| Auto permits | 271.00 |

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| Total Current Maintenance Exp. (carried forward) | \$55528.35 |
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| | | RECEIPTS AND |
|--|------------|--------------|
| Total receipts brought forward | | \$139124.70 |
| Receipts other than Current Revenues: | | |
| Temporary loans in anticipation | | |
| of taxes during year | \$48000.00 | |
| Long term notes during year | 17857.30 | |
| Refunds | 80.00 | |
| 3 Check lists | 3.00 | |
| 1 Town History | 1.50 | |
| Calcium Chloride sold | 43.50 | |
| High. dept., snow removal and detour | 541.64 | |
| Candidate Fees | 10.00 | |
| Material sold | 13.40 | |
| Private plowing | 4.00 | |
| Town of Lunenburg, 1/2 snow- ing and repairing bridge | 30.07 | |
| Damage to Dump cart | 9.25 | |
| Town of Stratford, dragging | 87.59 | |
| Town of Northumberland, dragging | 196.51 | |
| Town of Jefferson, dragging | 477.08 | |
| Sidewalk, private work | 38.25 | |
| 3 sewer connections | 45.00 | |
| Curbstone | 78.00 | |
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| Total Receipts | | \$206640.79 |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1930 | | 4269.72 |
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| Grand Total | | \$210910.51 |

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

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|--------------------------------|--|------------|
| Total payments brought forward | | \$55528.35 |
|--------------------------------|--|------------|

Interest:

| | | |
|--|-----------|--|
| Paid on temp. loans in anticipation of taxes | \$1242.49 | |
| Paid on long term notes | 2672.01 | |
| Paid on bonded debt | 900.00 | |
| Paid on principal of trust funds used by towns | 571.65 | |

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| Total Interest Payments | | \$5386.15 |
|-------------------------|--|-----------|

Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

| | | |
|---|-----------|--|
| Highways and Bridges—State Aid construction | \$4094.99 | |
| Highways and Bridges—Town construction | 14991.57 | |
| Sidewalk construction | 594.18 | |
| Sewer construction | 857.07 | |

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| Total Outlay Payments | | \$20537.81 |
|-----------------------|--|------------|

Indebtedness:

| | | |
|--|----------|--|
| Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | 44000.00 | |
| Payments on long term notes | 7950.00 | |
| Payments on bonded debt | 2000.00 | |

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| Total Indebtedness Payments | | \$53950.00 |
|-----------------------------|--|------------|

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

| | | |
|------------------------------|----------|--|
| Taxes paid to State | 10732.80 | |
| Taxes paid to County | 11169.08 | |
| Payments to School Districts | 51743.96 | |

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|-----------------------------------|--|------------|
| Total Payments to other Gov. Div. | | \$73645.84 |
|-----------------------------------|--|------------|

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|---------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Total Payments for all Purposes | | \$209048.15 |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------|

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|-----------------------------|--|---------|
| Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1931 | | 1862.36 |
|-----------------------------|--|---------|

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|-------------|--|-------------|
| Grand Total | | \$210910.51 |
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Town Halls, Lands and Buildings | \$21150.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 250.00 |
| Libraries, Lands and Buildings | 28000.00 |
| Highway Dept., Lands and Buildings | 9470.00 |
| Equipment | 12500.00 |
| Parks, Commons, and Playgrounds | 1860.00 |
| Town Histories | 375.00 |
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| Total | \$73605.00 |

AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT

February 21, 1931. Audited and found correct with proper vouchers.

F. R. LANGWORTHY,

ROGER W. RHODES,

Auditors.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Roger Rhodes, auditor | \$ 10.00 |
| F. R. Langworthy, auditor | 10.00 |
| O. E. Wentworth, salary | 690.00 |
| D. J. Truland, salary | 300.00 |
| L. E. Moses, salary | 450.00 |
| R. J. Brown, Town Clerk | 200.00 |
| R. J. Brown, Treasurer | 150.00 |
| W. E. Bullard, Tax Collector | 525.00 |

\$2335.00

Town Officers' Expenses

| | |
|---|----------|
| Coos Cty. Democrat, printing | \$283.45 |
| Repairs to table | .54 |
| Telephone | 25.02 |
| E. C. Eastman Co., supplies | 17.43 |
| Edna B. Haley, clerical work | 256.00 |
| Lena K. Smith, P.M., postage | 58.72 |
| Geo. N. Kent & Son, bond | 25.00 |
| Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., bonds | 72.00 |
| E. H. Mason, painting offices | 43.20 |
| Frank Smith Co., paint and oils | 38.37 |
| Arthur Stickney, repairs | 8.43 |
| A. W. Rowell, dues to Assessors' meeting | 2.00 |
| L. C. Smith, typewriter repairs | 17.75 |
| H. A. Moore | 14.15 |
| Linscott & Smith, supplies | 15.55 |

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|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Repairs to Adding Machine | 10.50 | |
| O. E. Wentworth, expenses | 54.77 | |
| E. F. Woodward, 1/2 office lights | 7.50 | |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 12.02 | |
| | | \$962.40 |

Election and Registration Expenses

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| E. F. Woodward | \$ 15.00 | |
| Lena K. Smith, PM., postage | 6.65 | |
| O. E. Wentworth | 5.00 | |
| John C. Temple, tally sheets | 10.60 | |
| Frank Carbee | 5.00 | |
| Enos Fay, Ballot Clerk | 10.00 | |
| Irving Hinkley, Ballot Clerk | 10.00 | |
| Bernard Jacobs, Ballot Clerk | 10.00 | |
| Fred Cleaveland, Ballot Clerk | 5.00 | |
| Byron Phillips | 5.00 | |
| Blake Schurman, supervisor | 110.00 | |
| Chas. Kimball, supervisor | 110.00 | |
| O'Neil Twitchell, supervisor | 70.00 | |
| H. D. Hicks, meals | 42.00 | |
| Edna B. Haley | 13.00 | |
| O. E. Wentworth, exp. on Ballots | 1.05 | |
| | | \$428.30 |

Municipal Court Expenses

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Fred C. Cleaveland, salary as Judge | \$200.00 |
|-------------------------------------|----------|

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department, including Care of Tramps

| | | |
|--|---------|-----------|
| J. E. Burek, dials for clock | \$ 2.26 | |
| Edna B. Haley, care of clock | 50.00 | |
| F. J. Williams, police | 953.35 | |
| B. K. Phillips, police | 754.35 | |
| H. A. Moore | .50 | |
| Frank Carbee, police | 3.50 | |
| Robt. Mansfield, police | 2.00 | |
| E. F. Woodward, Mgr., rent of lock-up | 200.00 | |
| | | \$1965.96 |

Fire Department, including Forest Fires

| | | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Lancaster Fire Precinct | \$1000.00 | |
| Forest fire | 5.00 | |
| | | \$1005.00 |

Moth Extermination—Blister Rust

| | | |
|---------------------------|--|----------|
| State Forestry Department | | \$198.58 |
|---------------------------|--|----------|

Bounties

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|
| Howard Caron, 16 hedgehogs | \$3.20 | |
| Harold Knights, 3 hedgehogs | .60 | |
| Gordon Hunt, 2 hedgehogs | .40 | |
| Henry Webster, 6 hedgehogs | 1.20 | |
| George Moore, 3 hedgehogs | .60 | |
| | | \$6.00 |

Damage by Dogs

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------|----------|
| Geo. Mayers Co., tags | \$ 9.33 | |
| Ellery Hall, sheep killed | 85.00 | |
| Rollo Savage | 12.00 | |
| L. A. Newman, Constable | 60.00 | |
| | | \$166.33 |

HEALTH

Health Department

| | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| District Nurse | \$1800.00 | |
| P. J. Noyes Co. | 69.35 | |
| L. E. Moses, cost of trans. | 55.80 | |
| Fred Wesson, Holbrook, Scarlet Fever | 21.75 | |
| W. L. Chesley, Gould, Scarlet Fever | 1.00 | |
| Dr. Bronson, Health Officer | 157.00 | |
| | | \$2104.90 |

Vital Statistics

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| Dr. J. A. Ferguson | \$13.00 |
| Dr. R. E. Webb | 4.25 |
| Dr. W. M. Bronson | 4.50 |
| Dr. L. C. Aldrich | .50 |
| Dr. M. J. Robbins | .75 |
| Dr. E. F. Brown | 1.75 |

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|-------------------|------|---------|
| Rv. R A. Dunlap | .75 | |
| Rev. Jos. Simpson | 1.50 | |
| | | \$27.00 |

Sewer Maintenance

| | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| H. W. Hillier, Agt. | \$ 54.92 | |
| Lancaster Precinct | 371.87 | |
| | | \$426.79 |

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

State Aid Maintenance

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Expenditures approved by State Eng. | \$2510.50 |
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Trunk Line Maintenance

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Expenditures approved by State Eng. | \$5372.72 |
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Town Maintenance

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| Expend. by H. W. Hillier, Agt. | \$6240.34 | |
| Expend. by Wm. Savage, Agt. | 35.62 | |
| Expend. by Fred Morse, Agt. | 3520.87 | |
| Expend. by J. C. Martin, Agt. | 60.37 | |
| Expend. by C. J. Griffin, Agt. | 5566.91 | |
| | | \$15424.11 |

Expended by Selectmen, Village District

| | |
|---|----------|
| F. R Langworthy, insurance | \$ 70.67 |
| Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., ins. | 242.47 |
| Express and freight | 140.54 |
| Fred Gallant, care of dump and street | 897.33 |
| R. P. Monahan, sand for dump | 27.07 |
| Lancaster Gar. & Auto Co., repairs and snow-removal | 583.49 |
| Garage lights | 2.20 |
| Repairs and parts | 524.41 |
| H. W. Hillier, boiler and fittings | 56.41 |
| Elmer Flynn, labor | 21.00 |
| Frank Griffin, labor | 9.00 |
| J. E. Washburn, labor | 7.70 |
| Jos. Wilder, labor | 56.39 |
| Fred Paul, labor | 30.00 |

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| Richard Young, labor | 4.00 |
| E. R. Green, snowing So. Lanc. Bridge | 14.50 |
| Lyon Motor Car Co. | 37.60 |
| Concord Foundry and Mach. Co., grates | 42.00 |
| Standard Oil Co., gas and oil | 180.38 |
| Harley Leshua, labor | 9.00 |
| W. L. McCarten, posts | 30.00 |
| J. C. Martin, removing loam | 180.25 |
| American Tar Co., cold patch and tar | 2520.42 |
| C. G. Hutchinson, pruning tree | 1.00 |
| W. J. McCloskey, torches | 9.50 |
| American Gas & Acc. Co., signs | 42.00 |
| T. J. Vashaw, labor at four- tain and boiler | 10.80 |
| B. & M. R. R. signs | 10.00 |
| Town of Lunenburg, rep. bridge \$1342.33; \$176 due for plowing | 1166.33 |
| Jennie Olmstead, curb stone | 35.25 |
| L. E. Moses, plowing | 19.20 |
| H. A. Moore, supplies | 179.63 |
| Neal Beattie, surveying Burnside St. | 10.00 |
| Harlie Howe, labor | 33.25 |
| Donahue & Holden | 458.95 |
| Frank Smith Corp. | 68.09 |
| C. E. Buzzell, culverts | 45.00 |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 214.89 |
| J. A. Monahan, coal | 97.76 |
| Lancaster Water Co., rent and team work | 346.65 |
| Lancaster P. & H. Co. | 24.71 |

| | | |
|------------------------------|---------|------------|
| O. E. Wentworth, snow rem. | 10.00 | |
| Transferred from Truck acct. | 2504.80 | |
| | | \$10974.64 |

(Of this amount \$2781.47 is the approximate expense from Feb. 1, 1930 to Feb. 1, 1931 of snow removal, plus the use of machinery.)

Street Lighting

| | | |
|-------------------------------|--|-----------|
| Twin State Gas & Electric Co. | | \$3699.06 |
|-------------------------------|--|-----------|

*General Expenses of Highway Department,
including watering troughs*

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Leon Norris, 1928, 29, 30 trough | \$ 9.00 | |
| Russell Algier, 1930 trough | 3.00 | |
| C. H. Wentworth, trough | 3.00 | |
| W. H. Reed, trough | 3.00 | |
| W. A. Bishop, trough | 3.00 | |
| W. A. Martin, trough | 3.00 | |
| | | \$24.00 |

LIBRARY

Library

| | | |
|----------------------|--|-----------|
| James L. Dow, Treas. | | \$2500.00 |
|----------------------|--|-----------|

CHARITIES

Town Poor

| | | |
|--|--|-----------|
| F. R. Lyon, Overseer, including salary | | \$1369.50 |
|--|--|-----------|

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Aid to G. A. R. Memorial Day Exercises

| | | |
|----------|--|----------|
| W. R. C. | | \$100.00 |
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RECREATION

Parks and Playgrounds

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----------|----------|
| H. W. Hillier, Agt. | \$103.06 | |
| Floyd Chick, painting flag pole | 15.00 | |
| F. B. Spaulding Co., grass seed | .80 | |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 34.50 | |
| Lancaster Water Co. | 91.00 | |
| | | \$244.36 |

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries

| | | |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Fred Congdon, Treas. | \$100.00 | |
| Wallace Martin, So. District | 10.00 | |
| All Saints Church | 50.00 | |
| | | \$160.00 |

UNCLASSIFIED

| | | |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Damages and legal expenses | \$ 82.32 | |
| Taxes bought by town | 2719.88 | |
| Special Appro.—Advertising | 250.00 | |
| Auto permits | 271.00 | |
| | | \$3323.20 |

Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$55528.35

INTEREST

Paid on Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

| | | |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Lancaster Savings Bank | \$1128.99 | |
| Siwooganock Sav. Bank | 113.50 | |
| | | \$1242.49 |

Paid on Long Term Notes

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Siwooganock Savings Bank | \$1383.07 | |
| Lancaster Savings Bank | 1079.73 | |
| Adria L. Humphrey | 59.21 | |
| Mary M. Fernald | 150.00 | |
| | | \$2672.01 |

Paid on Bonded Debt

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Lancaster National Bank | \$900.00 |
|-------------------------|----------|

Paid on Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Chas. L. Hurley, Treas. | \$571.65 |
|-------------------------|----------|

Total Interest Payments \$5386.15

OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS

Highways and Bridges—State Aid Construction

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Highway expenditures approved by State Engineer | \$4094.99 |
|--|-----------|

Highways and Bridges—Town Construction

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| Cement extension—State Treasurer | \$14991.57 |
|----------------------------------|------------|

Sidewalk Construction

| | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| O. E. Wentworth | \$ 62.00 | |
| Mathew Bartlett | 14.00 | |
| Fred Gonyer | 35.00 | |
| H. J. Guernsey | 36.75 | |
| Will Ross | 31.50 | |
| Will Matson | 31.50 | |
| Homer Canfield | 18.28 | |
| Jerry Martin | 86.05 | |
| H. A. Moore | 236.03 | |
| R. P. Monahan, sand | 3.60 | |
| Stone Motor Car Co. | 1.16 | |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 38.31 | |
| | | \$594.18 |

Sewer Construction

| | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| H. A. Moore | \$384.93 | |
| H. W. Hillier, Agt. | 310.84 | |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 161.30 | |
| | | \$857.07 |

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|-----------------------|------------|
| Total Outlay Payments | \$20537.81 |
|-----------------------|------------|

Indebtedness

| | | |
|--|------------|------------|
| Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes | \$44000.00 | |
| Payments on long term notes | 7950.00 | |
| Payments on bonded debt | 2000.00 | |
| | | \$53950.00 |

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|--|
| Taxes paid to State | \$10732.80 | |
| Taxes paid to County | 11169.08 | |
| Payments to School District | 51743.96 | |

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|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Total Payments to other Gov. Div. | \$73645.84 |
|-----------------------------------|------------|

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|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Payments for all Purposes | \$209048.15 |
|---------------------------------|-------------|

ROAD AGENTS' REPORT

H. W. HILLIER, AGENT, VILLAGE DISTRICT

DEBITS

To Town Orders \$17,685.32

CREDITS

| | |
|--|-----------|
| H. W. Hillier, labor, men, teams, trucks | \$4171.02 |
| Jos. Wilder | 750.01 |
| Arthur Gallant | 213.39 |
| Frank Griffin | 181.13 |
| Elbridge Smith | 4.28 |
| Howard Ball | 19.84 |
| Sam Amadon | 33.83 |
| Joe Aubin | 27.62 |
| Will Gainor | 75.44 |
| Fred Cross | 73.50 |
| Geo. Boucher | 49.39 |
| F. H. Morse | 52.00 |
| A. P. Collins | 14.00 |
| Frank Hanks | 6.00 |
| Stanley Doolan | 5.00 |
| Frank Amadon | 100.14 |
| William Galbraith | 84.00 |
| Elmer Flynn | 614.24 |
| Dan Flynn | 100.13 |
| Edgar Stewart | 119.00 |
| Ray Howe | 406.98 |
| Patrick Fraher | 486.69 |
| Harlie Howe | 1.75 |

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|--------------------|--------|
| Frank Stickney | 8.75 |
| John Murphy | 12.25 |
| Jos. Vashaw | 29.94 |
| William McMann | 18.67 |
| Jesse Lang | 119.97 |
| Harold Ball | 112.00 |
| Hamilton Wright | 454.22 |
| Arno Bishop | 218.66 |
| Isreal Smith | 151.37 |
| John Keenan | 49.97 |
| A. F. Stickney | 828.65 |
| William Matson | 386.93 |
| Frank Forbes | 55.99 |
| Willie Knights | 15.56 |
| Frank Monahan | 63.58 |
| Patrick Guyette | 20.61 |
| Tim Brown | 3.50 |
| Conrad Hillier | 4.67 |
| Delphius Pelotte | 7.87 |
| Fred Drew | 391.90 |
| Burt Palmer | 278.41 |
| Lancaster Precinct | 121.53 |
| Randall McDonald | 469.87 |
| Burt Barrett | 10.50 |
| Will Ross | 544.24 |
| M. Carty | 126.00 |
| M. Brown | 973.58 |
| Doolan Bros. | 320.00 |
| Seth Forbes | 273.61 |
| C. J. Griffin | 619.39 |
| H. J. Guernsey | 348.44 |
| Kenneth Ball | 49.20 |
| Harold Knights | 48.81 |
| J. C. Martin | 511.48 |
| William Munn | 174.22 |

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Donahue & Holden | 3.00 |
| Earl Hall | 42.00 |
| H. W. Hartford | 325.49 |
| Arthur Norris | 112.38 |
| Earl Webster | 17.50 |
| Damon Cole | 10.50 |
| Jas. Rainville | 61.44 |
| Raymond Hilliard | 239.56 |
| Thos. Chappel | 60.00 |
| Alfred Gonyer | 189.79 |
| Frank Smith Corp. | 175.65 |
| Patrick Monahan | 148.94 |
| Ercell Manseau | 3.50 |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 7.25 |
| H. A. Moore | 36.11 |
| Stanley Cross | 3.50 |
| Nat Amadon | 3.50 |
| Irving Monahan | 73.50 |
| Fred Jordan | 30.00 |
| Edward Monahan | 150.11 |
| Geo. Belanger | 189.39 |
| Phil Monahan | 2.50 |
| Perley Ball | 70.30 |
| Edgar Libby | 3.50 |
| Herbert Libby | 3.50 |
| Owen Libby | 3.50 |
| Arthur Vashaw | 5.44 |
| Lawrence Whitney | 3.89 |
| W. L. Chesley | 3.60 |
| A. D. White | 9.00 |
| Henry Hebert | 15.94 |
| Otis Barrows | 2.00 |
| Morin Bros. | 265.32 |

\$17,685.32

The above was expended for:

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| Sewer Maintenance | \$ 54.92 | |
| Sewer Construction | 310.84 | |
| Parks & Playgrounds | 103.06 | |
| State Aid Maintenance | 2298.52 | |
| Trunk Line Maintenance | 4590.75 | |
| State Aid Construction | 4086.89 | |
| Town Maintenance | 5947.21 | |
| No. Road Detour paid by State | 293.13 | |
| | | \$17,685.32 |

Examined and found correct:

L. E. MOSES,
O. E. WENTWORTH,
D. J. TRULAND,
Selectmen.

WILLIAM SAVAGE, AGENT, RIVER DISTRICT

DEBITS

To Town Order \$35.62

CREDITS

William Savage, snow removal from
Feb. 17 to Mar. 2, 1930 \$35.62

FRED H. MORSE, AGENT, SOUTH DISTRICT

DEBITS

To Town Orders \$3485.06

CREDITS

Fred H. Morse, labor, men and teams \$2587.68
John Cross, labor 19.10
Frank Cross 8.50
H. Ball 8.50
Ray Howe 6.30

| | |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Warren Thayer | 123.50 |
| H. W. Hartford, truck | 3.50 |
| Geo. Thayer | 28.00 |
| Doolan Bros., gravel | 47.55 |
| Geo. Hodgdon | 3.50 |
| H. A. Moore, supplies | 88.38 |
| Fred Collins | 14.00 |
| Donahue & Holden | 25.00 |
| Theodore Hutchinson | 49.90 |
| A. P. Collins | 140.00 |
| M. Brown | 4.00 |
| Gilbert Savage | 78.45 |
| Stanley Doolan | 3.00 |
| Roswell Savage | 3.00 |
| Walter Reed | 25.30 |
| Perley Ball | 7.00 |
| Dewey Powers | 4.38 |
| Leonard Ball | 21.00 |
| Raymond Ball | 7.50 |
| James Miller | 9.05 |
| D. Sweet | 1.75 |
| Robt. Addley | 11.25 |
| Irving Hodgdon | 2.00 |
| Shirley Hanks | 2.50 |
| Edward Clement | 17.50 |
| William Matthew | 60.85 |
| Dan Reed | 10.50 |
| Thompson Mfg. Co. | 15.27 |
| Penn. Metal Co., culvert | 16.10 |
| C. E. Buzzell, culvert | 24.00 |
| Albert Cross | 4.25 |
| F. B. Spaulding Co. | 3.00 |

\$3485.06

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|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Expended by Selectmen, South District | 124.81 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3609.87 |

The above was expended for:

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|-----------------------|----------|-----------|
| State Aid Maintenance | \$ 89.00 | |
| Town Maintenance | 3520.87 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3609.87 |

Examined and found correct:

L. E. MOSES,
O. E. WENTWORTH,
D. J. TRULAND,
Selectmen.

JERRY C. MARTIN, AGENT, EAST DISTRICT

DEBITS

| | |
|----------------|---------|
| To Town Orders | \$60.37 |
|----------------|---------|

CREDITS

| | |
|--|---------|
| J. C. Martin, snow removal from Feb. 17 to Mar. 2, 1930 | \$60.37 |
|--|---------|

C. J. GRIFFIN, AGENT, EAST DISTRICT

DEBITS

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| To Town Orders | \$5347.88 |
|----------------|-----------|

CREDITS

| | |
|--|-----------|
| C. J. Griffin, labor, men, teams, trucks | \$1659.11 |
| F. H. Forbes | 105.49 |
| Frank Amadon | 119.00 |
| Will Gainor | 171.50 |
| Seth Forbes | 339.00 |
| Patrick Guyette | 47.25 |
| W. H. Knight | 234.50 |
| Geo. Boucher | 36.75 |
| Chas. Sedgell | 3.00 |
| Arthur White | 94.90 |
| Harold Knight | 80.50 |

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Earl Webster | 73.50 |
| Frank Griffin | 127.75 |
| William Galbraith | 194.25 |
| Earl Hall | 148.75 |
| Frank Monahan | 90.12 |
| Kenneth Ball | 60.37 |
| M. Brown | 80.00 |
| L. A. Whitney | 304.51 |
| Arthur Savage | 7.00 |
| Rollo Savage | 73.00 |
| Sidney Savage | 49.00 |
| Damon Cole | 108.50 |
| Jerry Martin | 15.85 |
| Ernest Savage | 42.00 |
| C. B. Sheridan | 31.50 |
| Elbridge Smith | 70.00 |
| Glen Smith | 3.50 |
| Edward Merrow | 28.00 |
| Richard Ingalls | 24.11 |
| William Munn | 14.00 |
| Sam Amadon | 10.50 |
| John Smith | 28.40 |
| Fred Cross | 14.00 |
| Fred Libby | 5.25 |
| F. A. Libby | 7.00 |
| N. J. Cotton | 1.75 |
| Norman Neilson | 35.00 |
| Norman Savage | 42.00 |
| Millard Martin | 42.00 |
| John Bruce | 21.00 |
| John Martin | 10.50 |
| Willie Knights | 61.25 |
| Alden Brown | 17.50 |
| Frank Way | 94.80 |
| Jos. Farnham | 42.00 |
| M. A. Monahan | 45.50 |

| | |
|---------------------|-------|
| Frank Rowell | 47.25 |
| Geo. White | 5.50 |
| Ercell Manseau | 60.00 |
| Helen Moulton, team | 81.70 |
| William McMann | 21.00 |
| Robt. Truesdale | 56.00 |
| M. Brainard | 52.50 |
| C. H. Wentworth | 24.40 |
| Donahue & Holden | 51.25 |
| H. A. Moore | 15.50 |
| Frank Smith Corp. | 9.60 |
| Gray Bros. | 5.52 |
| Henry Smith | 2.50 |

\$5347.88

Expended by Selectmen, East District 219.03

\$5566.91

The above was expended for:

Town Maintenance \$5566.91

Examined and found correct:

L. E. MOSES,

O. E. WENTWORTH,

D. J. TRULAND,

Selectmen.

TOWN TRUCK REPORT

EXPENSES

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Value of truck | \$1800.00 |
| Lawrence McKaig, driver and labor | 914.43 |
| Parts, service, gas and oil | 872.15 |
| Insurance | 72.25 |
| Credit favor of truck | 1659.61 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5318.44 |

CREDITS

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Truck less depreciation | \$ 900.00 |
| Work for State | 2061.32 |
| Town work, 56 days at \$25.00 per day | 1300.00 |
| Dragging for other towns | 973.57 |
| Gas and oil to mixer and loader | 83.55 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5318.44 |

The above report does not include any expense for snow removal.

OVERSEER OF POOR

DEBIT

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1930 | \$ 64.22 |
| Due from Coos County, Feb. 1, 1930 | 67.19 |
| Received of County, support of poor | 706.44 |
| Received of Town | 1269.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2107.35 |

CREDITS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Paid for support County Poor | \$ 706.44 |
| Paid for support O. C. Stevens | 20.00 |
| Paid for support Elsie Gonyer | 55.00 |
| Paid for support Mrs. Newman | 5.00 |
| Paid for support Dave Powell | 43.38 |
| Paid for support Wright Niles | 44.69 |
| Paid for support Hogan family | 62.47 |
| Paid for support Mrs. Patrick Small | 334.50 |
| Paid for support Mrs. Henry Young | 391.90 |
| Paid for support Tramps | 56.33 |
| Paid for support Wm. Valley Est. | 243.64 |
| Paid Dr. J. A. Ferguson | 30.00 |
| Due from County Feb. 1, 1931 | 70.19 |
| Cash on hand Feb 1, 1931 | 43.81 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2107.35 |

Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

L. E. MOSES,
O. E. WENTWORTH,
D. J. TRULAND,
Selectmen.

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

For Year Ending February 1, 1931

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Water collection and express | \$ 9.00 |
| Milk collection and express | 13.00 |
| Consultations | 6.00 |
| Fumigations | 60.00 |
| Inspections | 19.00 |
| Investigations | 16.00 |
| Cardings | 12.00 |
| Cash paid out | 7.00 |
| Routine reports | 15.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$157.00 |

W. M. BRONSON, M. D.
Health Officer.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene in the Town of Lancaster during the year, 1930:

| | |
|-------------------------|----|
| Home visits | 44 |
| Pre-natal visits | 2 |
| Post-natal visits | 5 |
| Child Health Conference | 1 |
| Attendance | 22 |
| Defects found | 10 |
| Defects corrected | 7 |

GLADYS BLUSLAND, R. N.
Field Nurse.

MUNICIPAL COURT

To the Selectmen of Lancaster:

Herewith appended is an itemized statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Municipal Court for the year ending February 2, 1931.

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|---------|
| Fine and costs—State vs. Hanks (omitted by error from settlement) | \$ 5.50 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. William Thorn | 8.90 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. James Mansfield | 16.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Clyde L. Moody | 57.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Raymond A. Savage | 31.20 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. E. J. Gould | 16.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Richard Leroux | 17.90 |
| Copies—State vs. Remick | 4.00 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Fred C. Emerson | 54.70 |
| Fines and costs—State vs. Carl Barnes | 16.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Scott Brown | 9.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Arthur J. Keefe | 58.50 |
| Costs—State vs. Leon Bartlett | 15.20 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Richard S. Plunkett | 62.50 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. William McAnliffe | 9.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Fred Summers | 9.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Francis Boucher | 9.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. John McMann | 9.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Earl Simonds | 9.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Turcotte | 39.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Ed Monahan | 36.50 |

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|--|-------|
| Fine and costs—State vs. Patrick Belmore | 11.70 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. Leo Smith | 11.70 |
| Fees in State vs. Girard and Rivard | 10.00 |
| Fine and costs—State vs. D. E. Rowell | 16.70 |

\$550.70

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|--|----------|
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fees, State vs. Mansfield | \$ 13.70 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fees, State vs. Moody | 53.70 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fees, State vs. R. A. Savage | 28.70 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fees, State vs. E. J. Gould | 13.70 |
| William Lehnert—fees as special justice, State vs. Skelly | 11.86 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fees, State vs. Leroux | 13.90 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fine—State vs. Emerson | 50.00 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fine and costs— State vs. Keefe | 55.50 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fine and costs— State vs. Plunkett | 55.50 |
| Ralph E. Calkins—Witness fee, State vs. Plunkett | 3.20 |
| Winthrop Parker, Comm'r, fine and costs— State vs. Turcotte | 36.70 |
| W. N. Heald, Complaint and warrant— State vs. Monahan | 1.50 |
| Winthrop Parker, Comm'r, fine—State vs. Monahan | 35.00 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fine—State vs. D. E. Rowell | 13.70 |
| Byron K. Phillips—Officer's fees | 16.30 |

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|--|-------|
| F. J. Williams—Officer's fees | 10.00 |
| F. W. Baker—fees as per bill | 25.50 |
| L. E. Moses—fees on mittimus vs. Leon Bartlett | 10.50 |
| John F. Griffin, Comm'r, fees, State vs. Barnes | 13.70 |

\$462.66

Balance due Town of Lancaster \$88.04

Check to Town of Lancaster 88.04

Respectfully submitted,

FRED C. CLEAVELAND,

Justice of the Municipal Court.

TRUST FUNDS

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|--|----------|------------|
| Securities and cash on hand at close of last report | | \$53695.02 |
| <i>For Care of Cemetery Lots</i> | | |
| Estate of Sally B. Ray | \$200.00 | |
| Estate of Natt Cummings | 100.00 | |
| John Craigie | 100.00 | |
| John H. Smith | 150.00 | |
| Mrs. Margaret Faulkner | 75.00 | |
| George N. Spaulding | 100.00 | |
| Henry Hurlbutt | 100.00 | |
| John R. Littlefield | 100.00 | |
| Lizzie Bailey Kenney | 150.00 | |
| Mrs. Addie Morrill | 100.00 | |
| Estate of Augustus Simoneau | 100.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1275.00 |
| Interest on Trust Funds from town | | 571.65 |
| Interest on Trust Funds from Sav. Bank | | 1401.81 |
| Interest on Liberty Bonds | | 119.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$57062.48 |

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|--|----------|
| Marcel Vachon, care lots in Catholic Cemetery | \$ 28.10 |
| F. C. Congdon, Treas. Cemetery Committee | 638.70 |
| James L. Dow, Treas. Library Committee | 346.04 |

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------|------------|
| E. G. Fay, Treas. Union Dist. | 52.49 | |
| Geo. N. Gray, Treas. Town Dist. | 22.49 | |
| W. H. Sargent, Treas. Emmons | | |
| S. Smith Fund | 606.00 | |
| Lillian Rosebrook, keeping His- | | |
| torical Records | 35.00 | |
| | | \$1728.82 |
| Cash and Securities on hand | | \$55333.66 |

Divided as follows:

| | | |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Town note | \$16332.73 | |
| Siwooganock Guaranty Savings | | |
| Bank | 36024.21 | |
| Liberty Bonds | 2800.00 | |
| Lancaster National Bank | 176.72 | |
| | | \$55333.66 |

TRUST FUND RECORDS

Cemetery Trust

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Amount shown by last report | \$23673.61 | |
| Received for care of lots, 1930 | 1275.00 | |
| | | \$24948.61 |
| Unexpended bal. as shown | \$2686.08 | |
| Earnings, 1930 | \$1025.08 | |
| Care of Lots, 1930 | 666.80 | |
| | | 358.28 |
| Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1931 | | \$3044.36 |

Historical Trust

| | | |
|-------------------------|---------|-----------|
| K. B. Fletcher Fund | | \$1000.00 |
| Unexpended Feb. 1, 1930 | \$77.60 | |
| Earnings, 1930 | \$40.36 | |

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|---------------------------------|-------|---------|
| Expenditures | 35.00 | |
| | | 5.36 |
| Balance unexpended Feb. 1, 1931 | | \$82.96 |

Lancaster Public Library

| | | |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Luella Joslyn Fund | \$1000.00 | |
| Laura Johnson Fund | 2864.73 | |
| Jacob Benton Fund | 250.62 | |
| Geo. M. Stevens Fund | 5000.00 | |
| | | \$9115.35 |
| Earnings, 1930 | \$346.04 | |
| Expenditures | 346.04 | |

School Fund

| | |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Chapin Brooks Fund | |
| Earnings, 1930 | \$74.98 |
| To Union School Dist. | \$52.49 |
| To Town School Dist. | 22.49 |

Emmons S. Smith Trust

| | | |
|----------------|----------|------------|
| Ancunt of Fund | | \$15000.00 |
| Earnings, 1930 | \$606.00 | |
| Expenditures | 606.00 | |

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. L. HURLEY,
W. H. McCARTEN,
JAMES L. DOW,

Trustees of Trust Funds.

Feb. 25, 1931. Examined and found correct
with proper vouchers.

F. R. LANGWORTHY,
ROGER W. RHODES,
Auditors.

CEMETERY REPORT

Year Ending January 31, 1931

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Cash on hand, May 1, 1930 | \$ 10.47 | |
| Committee Trust Funds | 638.70 | |
| Sale of Lots | 392.00 | |
| Town of Lancaster | 100.00 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$1141.17 |

PAYMENTS

| | | |
|------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Account Perpetual Care | \$638.70 | |
| Water Rent | 20.01 | |
| Haying | 93.00 | |
| Labor | 112.25 | |
| Miscellaneous | 6.91 | |
| Cash on Hand | 270.30 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$1141.17 |

Respectfully submitted,
FRED C. CONGDON, Treas.

Feb. 25, 1931. Examined and found correct
with proper vouchers.

F. R. LANGWORTHY,
ROGER W. RHODES,
Auditors.

TOWN AND MASONIC BUILDING

RECEIPTS

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1930 | \$ 959.81 |
| H. A. Graves | 2027.00 |
| Town of Lancaster, rent | 200.00 |
| Lancaster Precinct, rent | 400.00 |
| No. Star Corp. | 152.00 |
| Lights | 15.00 |
| Property damage | 10.00 |
| Rent of Hall and Dining Room | 257.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4020.81 |

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Manager, service | 1387.00 |
| Help | 16.25 |
| Repairs and maintenance | 219.21 |
| Lights | 267.55 |
| Fuel | 901.18 |
| Insurance | 666.77 |
| Legal services | 55.27 |
| Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1931 | 507.58 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4020.81 |

Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

JAMES L. DOW for No. Star Corp.

O. E. WENTWORTH for Town of Lancaster.

LIBRARY REPORT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Cash on Hand | \$ 89.55 |
| Received, Town of Lancaster | 2500.00 |
| Income Trust Funds | 346.04 |
| Income Cards and Fines | 129.25 |
| Sale Mdse. and Books | 9.52 |
| Col. Town Spending Committee Appropriation, 1929 | 1000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4074.36 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Librarian and Assistant | \$999.96 |
| Janitor and Supplies | 448.93 |
| Heat and Light | 668.38 |
| Telephone and Express | 49.80 |
| Books | 306.42 |
| Periodicals | 89.70 |
| Insurance and Water Rent | 114.00 |
| Printing | 12.25 |
| Repairs | 29.02 |
| Rebinding | 57.32 |
| Petty Cash, Librarian | 100.00 |
| <i>Junior Dept., Col. Town Committee:</i> | |
| Equipment | \$491.71 |
| Jr. Librarian and Books | 457.44 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 949.15 |
| Cash on Hand | 249.43 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4074.36 |

LIBRARIAN'S PETTY CASH ACCOUNT

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Received from Treasurer | \$100.00 |
| Paid services Assistant | \$61.85 |

| | | |
|------------------------|-------|----------|
| Miscellaneous Supplies | 27.52 | |
| Cash on Hand | 10.63 | |
| | | \$100.00 |

Feb. 24, 1931. Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

F. R. LANGWORTHY,
ROGER W. RHODES,
Auditors.

Lancaster Public Library

The Library year beginning February 1, 1930, and closing January 31, 1931, was one of progress, inasmuch as the new department, the Juvenile Library, which was fairly installed April 1, 1930, has become a beneficial factor. After the resignation of Miss Ellen Davis in August, her place was filled by the appointment of Miss Elaine Fuller, who has carried on the work with great efficiency. Another benefit was the appointment of Mrs. Theodore R. Lund as Assistant Librarian. Mrs. Lund has had experience in library work in Boston.

In October, two of the Library Trustees, Mrs. Annie Hastings and Mrs. Emilie Shurtleff, together with Miss Brackett, the Librarian, attended the Neighborhood Meeting of nearby towns held in Lisbon, where a discussion of books, ways and means, was led by Miss Dorothy Annable of the Library Commission of Concord.

During the year, the Adult Department has loaned 16,277 books, which only includes two months of Juvenile books issued before the latter department was completed. Money turned over to the Treasurer for cards and fines amounted to \$100. As usual, the Library is open for the public from 1.30 to 4.30 p. m. and from 7 to 9 in the evening.

MARTHA W. BRACKETT,
Librarian.

NURSING ASSOCIATION

February 1, 1930 to February 1, 1931

| | |
|-----------------------|------|
| Nursing care visits | 1380 |
| Well baby visits | 40 |
| Obstetrical visits | 21 |
| Operations | 16 |
| Night calls | 20 |
| Pre-natal visits | 18 |
| Miscellaneous visits | 20 |
| Visits to schools | 180 |
| Social Service Visits | 48 |

Total visits 1743

Fees collected \$166.25

Fees collected from Metropolitan L. I. Co. 154.50

\$320.75

Expenses \$40.59

ALICE C. MONAHAN.

COL. F. L. TOWN FUND

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Investments from last report | \$358261.25 |
| Uninvested funds from last report | 3217.99 |
| Premium on American Public Utilities stock paid | 900.00 |
| Income from investments | 24287.60 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$386666.84 |
| Paid F. L. Town Spending Committee | \$ 24210.86 |
| Paid Geo. N. Kent & Son, bond | 46.67 |
| Paid Administration expenses | 30.07 |
| Investments last report | \$358261.25 |
| Prov. of Saskatchewan bonds, due 1959, bought March 7, 1930 | 2992.50 |
| Missouri Pac. R. R. bonds, due 1981, bought Jan. 28, 1931 | 9475.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$370,728.75 |
| American Public Utilities stock paid | 5700.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$365028.75 |
| Paid on principal of Spending Committee loan | 3000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Investments Jan. 31, 1931 | \$362028.75 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Uninvested funds Jan. 31, 1931 | 350.49 |
|--------------------------------|--------|

\$386666.84

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. McCARTEN,

Treasurer.

Feb. 26, 1931. Audited and found correct with proper vouchers.

F. R. LANGWORTHY,

ROGER W. RHODES,

Auditors.

COL. TOWN SPENDING COMMITTEE

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

With the reports of the Secretary of the Committee, who aims to explain more or less the motive back of each appropriation, and the report of the Treasurer who gives in detail the amount which the Committee deemed wisd to appropriate, it seems to the Chairman that there is very little of interest which could be added in behalf of the Spending Committee. Inasmuch, however, as the various members of the Committee do not have an opportunity to explain their action as a committee, possibly a word from the Chairman in behalf of the whole committee might be worthwhile.

Your present Committee has aimed to guide their actions on two fundamental policies: (1) They have attempted to carry out the spirit of the Will which Col. Town made, a copy of which was provided for each member. Deliberations on various appropriations very decidedly shows that the members have studied the Will thoroughly and were try to carry out its recommendations. (2) All appropriations have been made on the basis of using the money which the Colonel made available to the town where the greatest good would result to the greatest number of people.

The Committee senses keenly the fact that Col. Town left his estate to the town of Lancaster; that the money is the property of the town of Lancaster

and not the individual property of the Committee; and further appreciates that the people of the Town of Lancaster should have their wishes gratified with this money insofar as the wishes are along the general line of the spirit of the Will. In making the appropriations during the past year these policies have been followed. The Committee senses their duty as agents of the Town of Lancaster in the administration of this money, and appropriations have been made on application of citizens backed by the positive evidence that a large group was to be benefited from this appropriation. In some instances this fact was presented in the form of petitions and in other instances by large delegations coming before the Committee. All appropriations that have merit and conform to the general policies of the Will have been granted, either in part or in whole.

Without doubt your Committee has made some appropriations which some citizens may feel have been unwise. They have used their best judgment as your agents to act as Col. Town would have acted had he been alive and approached on the matter. They are a group of human beings, possessed with the normal amount of human frailties and if they have erred in judgment we trust you will understand they have tried to do their best and will therefore be charitable with them.

Respectfully submitted,

DAN A. O'BRIEN,

Chairman

SECRETARY'S REPORT

At Town Meeting in March 1930, the three members of the Col. Town Spending Committee.

whose terms expired, were re-elected. Hence the personnel of the committee remains identical with that of a year ago.

Harold Alden, Carroll Stoughton, Mrs. Katherine Lane—3 years.

D. A. O'Brien, Enos Fay, Mrs. Ethel D. Magoon—2 years.

Fred Congdon, Dr. William Bronson, Mrs. Fannie Moses—1 year.

OFFICERS

D. A. O'Brien, Chairman

Ethel D. Magoon, Secretary

Enos Fay, Treasurer

The special committees follow: Managing Board—Dr. W. M. Bronson, Fred Congdon, Mrs. Fannie Moses; Playground Committee—D. A. O'Brien, Carroll Stoughton, Mrs. Katherine Lane; Scholarship Loan Committee—D. M. White, E. C. Fuller, Mrs. Ethel D. Magoon; Community Camp Committee—Harold Alden.

Many of our appropriations have become almost an annual affair, such as prizes offered to Academy students for excellence in scholarship and public speaking, assistance given to the Hospital Auxiliary, Town Band and School Orchestra.

The amount of money available for scholarship loans has been doubled. The numerous requests for the use of this money have proved its worth.

Two small deficits were covered by the committee, first, for the Lancaster Academy Athletic Association; second, for the Board of Trade, in the maintenance of the Information Booth.

Under the leadership of Mr. Carl W. Miller, assisted by Miss Ruth McKinnon, another playground was maintained from June 30 to August 23. The attendance was between 80 and 100 during the best part of the day. Special events were arranged

twice a week, such as Doll Shows, Pet Shows, Treasure Hunts, Swimming and Hiking Outings. Various games for children were also featured, as well as handicraft work, sewing and fancy work.

Permanent improvements were made at Camp Daniel Webster. A fence was built across the back of the property, the swimming hole enlarged, the car repaired, also some of the cots. A basketball court was built and signs posted along the route to the camp. The boys were in camp for two weeks under the leadership of Rev. Roger A. Dunlap and Rev. Richard McClintock. Camp Councillors were Edwin Fuller and Lawrence Willson. The attendance was eight. Mrs. Olive Stanard and Mrs. Hazel Eastwood supervised the twenty-seven girls during the first two weeks in August. Five of these girls were non-residents. The councillors were Helen Donnelly, Dorothea Smith, Beatrice Fuller, Ruth Fitch and Helen Smith. Elizabeth Carpenter was cook. Regular camp routine was followed, varied by Handicraft, Hiking and other innovations.

Arrangements were made whereby those Academy students living beyond the two mile radius might have suitable transportation. This venture has proved eminently satisfactory.

Work was continued on Ray Field up to the point where it was deemed unwise to spend more money at the time. Half of the field has been seeded and plans are under way for a baseball diamond there in the spring.

A sum of money was voted for the proper care of the skating rink during the rest of the season. A request from the Golf Club for aid in reducing their debt was also granted.

During the past year it has been necessary to paint the Col. Town House. It is almost needless to say that it requires a large sum of money for the upkeep of this piece of property. The debt is being systematically reduced each year. Your committee has endeavored to meet all requests with an open mind and with the utmost justice. We trust that our work will be regarded in the same light.

Respectfully submitted,

ETHEL D. MAGOON,

Secretary.

SUPERINDENT'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Cash on hand | | \$ 52.12 |
| Bowling and Pool: | | |
| February, 1930 (15 to 28 inc.) | \$29.50 | |
| March, 1930 | 68.75 | |
| April, 1930 | 70.30 | |
| May, 1930 | 39.30 | |
| June, 1930 | 19.45 | |
| July, 1930 | 41.15 | |
| August, 1930 | 28.25 | |
| September, 1930 | 44.20 | |
| October, 1930 | 60.30 | |
| November, 1930 | 45.00 | |
| December, 1930 | 32.85 | |
| January, 1931 | 26.45 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$505.50 |
| Telephone | | .98 |
| House and Hall: | | |
| February, 1930 (15 to 28 inc.) | \$30.00 | |
| March, 1930 | 67.00 | |
| April, 1930 | 69.00 | |

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|--|-----------|-----------|
| May, 1930 | 28.50 | |
| July, 1930 | 8.00 | |
| August, 1930 | 39.50 | |
| October, 1930 | 86.00 | |
| November, 1930 | 61.50 | |
| December, 1930 | 70.00 | |
| January, 1931 | 80.00 | |
| | | \$ 539.50 |
| Total Receipts | | \$1098.10 |
| EXPENDITURES | | |
| Pin Boys | \$ 134.62 | |
| Sundries | 5.63 | |
| Col. Town Spending Com. (Enos G. Fay, Treas.) | 900.00 | |
| Total Expenditures | \$1040.25 | |
| Balance in hands of Supt. | 57.85 | |
| | | \$1098.10 |

A fairly accurate survey of the use made of the building discloses:

(a) Patrons paid for and rolled 3365 strings on the alleys. (This does not include the vast number of strings rolled by school pupils for which no charge is made.)

(b) The Hall has been used for basketball activities a total of 700 hours.

(c) Private parties 24, Public parties 13, Dances 13, Basketball games 30, Committee meetings 50, Plays 4.

The Boy Scouts meet each week except during the summer months.

Unity Club twice a month with the exception of June, July, August and September.

4-H Club, twice a month.

W. C. T. U. meeting once a month.

Prize Speaking contest, Graduation exercises and Reception, New Hampshire State Exhibit, Flower Show and Odd Fellows annual meeting were held in the Auditorium.

Five hundred visitors have been shown through the building the past year.

The completion of another year of service as Matron and Superintendent more forcefully convinces us that our effectiveness in these positions is directly influenced by the citizens of the town. Each year shows a marked improvement in the willingness of the people to comply with the rules as laid down by the House Committee.

The younger generation who use the building so much in school activities and at dances have shown a conspicuous tendency to respect the property. These two factors, combined with the gentlemanly conduct of our young men, have made our duties a pleasure rather than a job.

We wish at this time to extend to the citizens of Lancaster our appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

M. J. DALEY, Supt.

MRS. M. J. DALEY, Matron.

TREASURER OF THE COL. TOWN
SPENDING COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|------------|
| Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1930 | \$ 1914.21 |
| Trustees of Trust Funds | 24210.86 |
| From M. J. Daley, Supt. | 900.00 |
| Unexpended appropriation from Ray Field | 196.39 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$27221.46 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|--|------------|
| On principal of loan from Trust Funds | \$ 3000.00 |
| Interest on loan from Trust Funds | 2520.00 |
| <i>Appropriations by Committee</i> | |
| Playground | \$ 600.00 |
| Camp Daniel Webster | 250.00 |
| Rural Schools | 228.50 |
| Lancaster Civic & Trade Asso. | 100.00 |
| Lancaster Acad. Athletic Asso. | 150.00 |
| F. L. Town school prizes | 150.00 |
| Lancaster Golf Club | 2000.00 |
| W. R. Galbraith, Ch. High School Transportation | 1000.00 |
| Lancaster Public Library 1929 appropriation | 1000.00 |
| Lancaster Hospital Association | 600.00 |
| Lancaster Band | 800.00 |
| Arborio Road Const. Co. | 2244.00 |
| Lancaster Academy, for musi- cal instruments | 150.00 |
| Lester E. Moses, Trustee lot bought of Harry Merrow | 500.00 |
| Lancaster Acad. Debating Club | 50.00 |
| Fence at Camp Daniel Webster | 69.26 |
| Scholarships and loan | 1200.00 |
| Ray Field | 1351.18 |
| Flowers, May 30th, F. L. Town lot | 15.00 |
| Loan to Camp Daniel Webster | 50.00 |
| Lancaster Skating Rink | 250.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$12757.94 |
| Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Daley, salary | 3200.00 |
| Standard Oil Co., fuel oil | 925.66 |
| Lights and water | 491.12 |
| Rugs for parlor at Community House | 215.50 |

| | |
|--|------------|
| Paint and labor for painting Community House | 277.80 |
| House supplies and incidental expenses | 413.71 |
| M. J. Daley, Supt. supplies | 50.85 |
| Geo. M. Stevens & Son Co., insurance | 400.00 |
| Geo. N. Kent & Son, insurance | 137.25 |
| Refunds from rent of hall given to charity | 64.00 |
| Extra labor | 300.00 |
| Telephone | 49.89 |
| Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1931 | 2417.74 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$27221.46 |

Respectfully submitted,

ENOS G. FAY,

Treasurer.

Feb. 20, 1931. Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

F. R. LANGWORTHY,

ROGER W. RHODES,

Auditors.

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

July 1, 1929 to June 30, 1930

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Equalization fund for elementary schools from state | \$ 4025.64 |
| For the support of elementary schools | 12084.70 |
| For the High School tuition | 2318.00 |
| For the salaries of district officers | 192.00 |
| For the payment of per capita tax | 416.00 |
| Dog licenses (from selectmen) | 71.53 |
| Elementary school tuition | 70.00 |
| Income from local trust funds | 22.49 |
| Balance on hand, July 1, 1929 | 33.28 |
| Total Receipts | \$19,233.64 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries of district officers | \$ 192.00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary | 405.41 |
| Truant officer and school census | 15.00 |
| Expenses of administration | 68.51 |
| Teachers' Salaries | 8550.60 |
| Text books | 422.97 |
| Scholars' supplies | 263.19 |
| Other expenses of instruction | 4.56 |
| Janitor service | 303.70 |
| Fuel | 793.80 |
| Water, light, janitor supplies | 97.76 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 780.77 |
| Medical inspection | 50.00 |

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|---------------------------------|------------|
| Transportation of pupils | 2230.75 |
| High school tuition | 2318.00 |
| Elementary school tuition | 1062.00 |
| Other special activities | 17.29 |
| Tax for state wide supervision | 416.00 |
| Insurance | 3.50 |
| Lands and new buildings | 514.44 |
| New Equipment | 648.14 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total payments for all purposes | \$19158.39 |
| Cash on hand, July 1, 1930 | 75.25 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total | \$19233.64 |

Signed by GEO. N. GRAY, Dist. Treasurer.

Audited and found correct, July 14, 1930.

FRANK B. MARSHALL, Auditor.

SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

Estimate Lancaster Town 1931-1932

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| Teachers' Salaries | \$ 8750.00 |
| Text Books | 200.00 |
| Scholars' Supplies | 250.00 |
| Flags and Appurtenances | 15.00 |
| Insurance | 303.76 |
| Other Expenses of Instruction | 200.00 |
| Janitor Service | 350.00 |
| Fuel | 600.00 |
| Water, light, Janitors' Supplies | 100.00 |
| Minor Repairs | 200.00 |
| Health Supervision | 60.00 |
| Transportation of Pupils | 2500.00 |
| Other Special Activities | 125.00 |
| Payment of Elementary Tuition | 1700.00 |
| Salaries of District Officers | 190.00 |

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Truant Officer and School Census | 15.00 |
| High School Tuition | 2500.00 |
| Superintendent's Excess Salary | 450.00 |
| Per Capita Tax | 464.00 |
| Other Obligations | 1000.00 |

| | |
|--------------|------------|
| Total Amount | \$19972.76 |
|--------------|------------|

Estimated Income of District

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| State Aid (December 1931 Allotment) | \$4106.13 |
| Dog Tax | 25.00 |
| Income from Trust Funds | 22.50 |
| Elem. School Tuition Receipts | 35.00 |

\$4188.63

| | |
|--|------------|
| Cash deposited in bank from last year's budget | \$ 700.00 |
| Assessment required | \$15784.13 |

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mr. Chester Marshall was re-elected as a member of the school board at the last meeting of the school district. All of the major repairs have been made in our schools, and only a few minor repairs now need attention. The present year has been one of consistent progress with a few interruptions to the school routine.

With the improved roads of the present day, and the plowing of these roads in the winter, the time may come when the erection of a consolidated school will be advisable.

WM. GALBRAITH,
CHESTER MARSHALL,
RALPH D. SHUTE,

School Board,
Town District of Lancaster.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable School Board and Citizens of Lancaster:

This is the twelfth school report since 1919, the year that state-wide supervision went into effect.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The present year has been marked by a high average of school attendance due largely to the mild weather in the early part of the season. Excellent progress has been made in all of the schools.

TEACHERS

Two changes in the teaching staff took place this year. At Elm Ridge, Miss Helen Shattuck resigned to accept a position in Arlington, Mass. and Miss Grace E. McKee was appointed in her place. Miss McKee is a graduate of the University of Vermont Training School, and has had two years of teaching experience in southern Vermont. At the Grange school, Miss Shirley Chamberlin was elected in place of Miss Dorothy Hillier. Miss Chamberlin is a graduate of Plymouth Normal and had taught at Jefferson Meadows for two years.

REPAIRS

The buildings at South Lancaster and Elm Ridge were shingled, and the Mt. Cabot and Stebbins Hill schools were repaired. Other minor repairs were made, and all of our school buildings are now in an excellent state of repair.

NEW EQUIPMENT

Adjustable desks were placed in Schools No. 6 and 11, thus providing all of our schools with this valuable feature. Atlantic circulators, a type of heating plant that has proved to be most satisfactory, were installed in schools No. 10, 11 and 15. At Stebbins Hill, new slate blackboards were introduced and the building was also equipped with electric lights.

SCHOOL PROGRESS

The policy of providing the district schools with up-to-date text books has been continued. Standardized tests have been given in all the schools, and the general average has been above that of the schools throughout the country.

HEALTH

All of the children were given a thorough physical examination early in the year, by the school physician. Regular inspection for physical defects has been taken care of by the nurse. In most of the schools, hot lunches have been served throughout the winter season. Outdoor sports have been encouraged by the purchase of basketballs and other apparatus.

FINANCES

The Lancaster Town schools are conducted under many financial handicaps. Our school district is the outer shell surrounding the village district, and distances that the children must be carried are excessive, since six transportation routes must be maintained. Our district schools average less than sixteen pupils in their enrollment, whereas in a graded system as many as thirty-five pupils can be taught successfully by one teacher. In spite of these handicaps, the cost of our schools is but slightly above the state average.

IN CONCLUSION

The Superintendent wishes to express his appreciation of the fine spirit of cooperation that all have shown this year, and to thank the teachers for their splendid efforts in the cause of education.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. FULLER.

TABLE I

School Year 1929-1930

Schools arranged according to excellence of attendance, as follows:

| School | Per Cent Attend. | Boys | Girls | Tardy | Supt. Visits |
|---------------|---------------------|------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| Elm Ridge | 98.00 | 12 | 8 | 16 | 44 |
| Stebbins Hill | 97.11 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 38 |
| Mt. Cabot | 97.00 | 10 | 7 | 0 | 23 |
| Grange | 96.28 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 46 |
| Martin Meadow | 96.00 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 14 |
| So. Lancaster | 95.75 | 8 | 6 | 11 | 27 |
| Great Rock | 95.03 | 11 | 5 | 41 | 36 |
| Riverton Rd. | 94.00 | 7 | 9 | 23 | 44 |
| Gore | 93.00 | 7 | 11 | 2 | 24 |
| | — | — | — | — | — |
| | 95.80 | 78 | 69 | 100 | 296 |

Total enrollment in District Schools—147

Enrolled in Lancaster Village Grades—43

Enrolled in Lancaster Academy—46

Tuition pupils, other towns—8

Grand Total of Lancaster Town Pupils—244

TABLE II

Distribution of Pupils by Schools and Grades,
January, 1931:

| School | Grades | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Totals |
|-----------------|--------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|--------|
| Gore | | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | | 4 | | 22 |
| Stebbins Hill | | 3 | 2 | | | 1 | 5 | 2 | 2 | | 15 |
| South Lancaster | | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | 13 |
| Riverton Road | | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | | | 13 |
| Martin Meadow | | | 1 | | 3 | | 5 | 1 | | | 10 |
| Great Rock | | 2 | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 5 | | | | 13 |
| Mt. Cabot | | 1 | | | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | | 12 |
| Grange | | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | | | | | 23 |
| Elm Ridge | | 2 | 3 | | 2 | | | 5 | 8 | | 20 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total by Grades | | 18 | 19 | 11 | 21 | 18 | 24 | 15 | 15 | | 141 |

Perfect Attendance

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Lillian Marshall | John Smith |
| George Smith | Paul Smith |
| Richard White | Esther Brown |
| Joseph Clement | Leon Hutchinson |
| Barbara Morse | Warren Hutchinson |
| Gleigh Savage | Virginia Cantin |
| Arthur Norris | Robert Egan |
| Muriel Shute | Katherine Savage |
| Doris Webster | Earline Webster |
| Elizabeth Brisson | Donald Griffin |
| Aileen MacLean | George Griffin |
| Pearl MacMahon | William Griffin |

TABLE III

Giving Teacher, School and Training, respectively:

Irene Dunham, No. 2, South Lancaster, Univ. of Vermont, S. S.

M. Jennie O'Connell, No. 4, Mt. Cabot, Keene, S. S.

Annie McGinley, No. 5, Riverton Road, Plymouth Normal.

Grace McKee, No. 6, Elm Ridge, U. of Vermont Teachers' Training.

Shirley Chamberlin, No. 7, Grange, Plymouth Normal.

Helen McGary, No. 9, Gore, Keene, S. S.

Mrs. Laura S. Kimball, No. 10, Martin Meadow, Plymouth Normal.

Doris Fitch, No. 11, Stebbins Hill, Plymouth Normal.

Alice E. Fellows, No. 15, Great Rock, Plymouth Normal.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE'S REPORT

To the School Board of Lancaster Town District :

The following report is respectfully submitted by me, as Public Health Nurse of Lancaster, having the Town Schools under my supervision :

The physical examination of all pupils was completed by Dr. William Bronson, with my assistance, during September and October. These examinations consist of weighing and measuring the children, teeth and tonsils inspected, heart examined, observed whether or not any skin condition exists, checked up on goitre and whether or not the child has been vaccinated.

After completing the physical examinations, the defect cards are made out, signed by the school physician, and mailed to the parent so they may be informed of any defect which may exist

The vision and hearing test is given the pupils and cards are mailed to the parents of any child showing defective vision and hearing.

Health talks are given in the schools as often as time permits. Some of the subjects covered are : Fresh air both day and night, correct posture, proper amount of rest and sleep, food values emphasizing the effects of tea and coffee and the importance of milk, fruit, and vegetables, care of the body with special stress on the care of the nails, hands, hair, teeth and skin.

Also to further interest the children in the care of health, Health Plays have been instituted which bring out more forcibly the principles which I have been endeavoring to impress upon them through these talks.

On my visits to the schools, any child presenting symptoms of the following contagious diseases such as measles, mumps, diphtheria, scarlet fever,

chicken pox, and whooping cough, are excluded from school. Any child presenting symptoms of scabies, ringworm, impetigo or acute eye infections is referred to his family physician for treatment.

At the close of this report will be found a table showing the kinds and number of defects and the physical standing of each school.

It is very pleasing to report that the number of defects has been greatly reduced, showing a great improvement in all the schools.

The teachers in these schools are much interested in this part of their curriculum and have been of much assistance in instilling in the children the importance of health and with their co-operation, together with the parents, we will strive for even better results and it would seem not impossible to achieve them.

Summary of Health Examination

Number of children examined 126; absent 8; excused 0.

| | No. of Cases | Notice | Treated |
|-------------------|--------------|--------|---------|
| Malnutrition | 10 | 10 | 3 |
| Defective vision | 9 | 9 | 2 |
| Skin disease | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Othopedic | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Defective tonsils | 44 | 44 | 3 |
| Defective teeth | 36 | 36 | 9 |
| Cervical glands | 4 | 4 | 1 |
| Thyroid glands | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Unvaccinated | 4 | 4 | 4 |

Schools arranged in order of excellence based on the average number of physical defects per child: No. 4, 11, 7, 6, 5, 15, 2, 10, 9.

ALICE C. MONAHAN,
Public Health Nurse.

List of Books added to the
William D. Weeks
Memorial Library

FICTION

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| P94a | Angel Pavement | by John Huntley Priestly |
| W673a | Angel That Troubled the Waters | Thornton Wilder |
| D357a | Altar of Honor | Ethel M. Dell |
| R643 | Arundel | Kenneth Roberts |
| R52a | Australian Felix | Henry H. Richardson |
| E24 | Big Barn | Walter Edwards |
| B592b | Black Camel | Earl Derr Biggers |
| Y312 | Blood Royal | Dorenford Yates |
| A86 | Blow Whistles Blow! | Sarah Atherton |
| L731bc | Blowing Clear | Joseph C. Lincoln |
| G766 | Bronze Bull | Charles Grapewin |
| B121w | Candle in the Wilderness | Irving Bachellor |
| B787 | Children of the Border | Ella S. Bowles |
| B592c | Chinese Parrot | Earl Derr Biggers |
| F346c | Cimmarron | Edna Ferber |
| M955c | Corson of the J. C. | Clarence E. Mulford |
| R262 | Country Auction | Marion N. Rawson |
| P254d | David's Star of Bethlehem | Christine W. Parmenter |
| J82 | Devil and the Deep Sea | Elizabeth Jordan |
| C22ds | Deepening Stream | Dorothy Canfield |
| Y311 | Dim Star | Hannah Yates |
| R57d | (The) Door | Mary Roberts Rinehart |
| F84d | Down in the Valley | Harold Webber Freeman |
| R923 | East Wind, West Wind | Pearl S. Buck |
| P346e | Easy Street | Elizabeth Stancey Payne |
| C679e | Epic Peters, Pullman Porter | O. Ray Cohen |
| D311e | Exile | Warwick Deeping |
| B618 | Eyes in the Dark | Zenobia Bird |
| W83f | Fish Preferred | P. G. Wodenhouse |
| B475 | (The) Go-between | Therese Benson |
| L973g | Gold Shoe | Grace L. H. Lutz |
| K99g | Golden Dawn | Peter B. Kyne |
| R64 | Great Meadow | Elizabeth M. Roberts |
| P346he | Hedges | Elizabeth Stancey Payne |
| W553b | Hudson River Bracketted | Edith Wharton |
| W189i | India Rubber Man | Edgar Wallace |
| M161 | Joe Pete | Florence E. McClinchey |
| S551 | Journey's End | R. C. Sherriff & Vernon Butler |
| S95k | Kramer Girls | Ruth Suckow |
| T58l | Lacquer Lady | Jesse F. Tennyson |
| L973l | Lady Bird | Grace L. H. Lutz |

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| D754m | Land of Mist | Conan Doyle |
| W741l | Last Full Measure | H. W. Morrow |
| L159 | Laughing Boy | Oliver LaFarge |
| L873l | Lighted Windows | Emilie Loring |
| B962 | Little Caesar | W. R. Bennett |
| B791l | Long Hunt | James Boyd |
| D732 | Magnificent Obsession | Lloyd C. Douglas |
| B94 | Maggie of Suicide Fleet | Prosper Bruanellii |
| B612a | Man at Willow Ranch | Harold Bindloss |
| B35m | Mating Call | Rex Beach |
| M955m | Me an' Shorty | Clarence Mulford |
| P14m | Midshipman Wickham | Ralph D. Paine |
| O62d | Million Pound Deposit | E. P. Oppenheim |
| C152 | Miss Minerva and William Green Hill | Francis Boyd Calhoun |
| Y68 | Miss Mole | E. H. Young |
| M531 | Moby Dick; or The White Whale | Herman Melville |
| H927m | Mountain Vertices | Zephine Humphrey |
| J42n | Night Club Mystery | Elizabeth Jordan |
| B84d | Old Dark House | John Priestly |
| N85p | Passion Flower | Kathleen Norris |
| S448p | Phillipa | Anne Douglas Sedgwick |
| R75g | Pure Gold | O. E. Rolvaag |
| K44q | Queen Anne's Lace | Francis Parkinson Keyes |
| O126 | Rainbow Round My Shoulder | Howard W. Odum |
| M659e | Rice | Louise Jordan Miln |
| R59s | Road to Wildcat | Eleanor dela Vergne Risley |
| W219r | Rogue Herries | Hugh Walpole |
| V24s | Scarab Murder Case | S. S. Van Dine |
| G814 | (The) Selby's | Ann Green |
| G842g | Shepherd of Guadaloupe | Zane Grey |
| W22 | Small Dark Man | Maurice Walsh |
| P251s | So Wise We Grow | Christine Parmentier |
| W721t | Touchstone | Ben Ames Williams |
| O481 | Victim and Victor | John R. Oliver |
| F59 | Visa to France | Berry Fleming |
| R788 | Visitorst to Hugo | Alice G. Rosman |
| R23w | When the Devil Was Sick | E. J. Rath |
| W817w | When West is West | Owen Wister |
| E15 | While the Patient Slept | Mignon Eberhart |
| W563w | White Satin Dress | Mary R. S. Andrews |
| B155ww | Wild Wind | Temple Bailey |
| R788w | (The) Window | Alice Grant Roseman |

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| W79 | Witness Tree | Harold Channing Wire |
| W673w | Woman of Andros | Thornton Wilder |
| R788s | Young and Secret | Alice Grant Rosman |
| H811 | (A) Youth Goes Forth | Parker Hood |

NON-FICTION

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| 150-096 | About Ourselves (Psychology for normal people) | H. A. Overstreet |
| 811-B32 | America the Dream | Katherine Lee Bates |
| 792-D11 | Book of Dramatic Costume | Edith DeBusy and C. M. Wise |
| 917.4-A54 | Book of the White Mountains | John Anderson and Stearns Morse |
| 954-J79B | Christ of Every Road | E. Stanley Jones |
| 920-K59 | Girls Who Made Good | W. & F. Kirkland |
| 811-C75 | Green Pastures | Marc Conelly |
| 914.7-H66 | Humanity Uprooted | Maurice Hindus |
| 549.9-D32 | Seven Iron Men | Paul DeKruif |
| 914.2-M89 | In Search of England | H. V. Morton |
| 974.2-E92 | Jefferson, N. H., a history | George C. Evans |
| 910-747 | Lands and People, 7 vol. | Holland Thompson |
| 914.4-G81 | Light hearted Journey | Anne Bosworth Green |
| 919.9-B99 | Little America | Richard E. Byrd |
| 069-C68 | Manual for Small Museums | Lawrence V. Coleman |
| 239.9-B78 | Master Mind of Jesus Christ | Walter R. Bowie |
| 150-S126 | Mind at Mischief | William S. Sadler |
| 920-S95B | Our Times, 3rd book | Mark Sullivan |
| 920-G233 | Roadside Meetings | Hamlin Garland |
| 812-D78 | Robert Burns | John Drinkwater |
| 970-B368 | Rise of American Civilization | Charles and Mary Beard |
| 926-432 | Hunger Fighters | Paul DeKruif |
| 150-S438 | Unmasking Our Minds | David Seabury |
| 814-S42 | Wild Honey | Samuel Scoville, Jr. |

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| B-L73c | Abraham Lincoln | Lord Charnwood |
| B-A266 | Aggrey of Africa | Edwin W. Smith |
| B-C744 | Autobiography of Calvin Coolidge | |
| B-S932 | Duel of Queens | E. Barrington |
| B-D55 | Emily Dickinson, friend and neighbor | |
| B-O481 | Foursquare; a story of a fourfold life | J. R. Oliver |
| B-G59 | Goethals, genius of the Panama Canal | James Bishop |
| B-A661 | Joan of Arc, a translation | Joseph Deltiel |

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| B-J281 | Lone Cowboy, my life story | Will James |
| B-G19a | Mahatma Gandhi | C. F. Andrews |
| B-H84j | Sam Houston | Marquis James |
| B-M97 | Story of San Michele | Axel Munthel |
| B-R781 | White House Gang | Earl Looker |

JUVENILE LIBRARY

—The Juvenile Department of the Public Library, sponsored by the Library Trustees, and financed by the Col. Town Fund, was opened on April 10, 1930, with Miss Ellen Davis as Librarian. Under her capable leadership, the room ran at full speed until early in September, when she resigned to be married, leaving her mother, Mrs. Nettie Davis, in charge.

The children from the ages of 6 to 12, enjoy their room, surrounded by their own books. They never had opportunities for browsing, as their elders have had for years. The increase in the circulation of books, alone, shows the popularity of this separate room. The total circulation for the ten months that the Juvenile room has been in existence, is 4,414.

During the summer months, book clubs, story hours, and plays were held, with a large attendance. The room was kept bright with flowers, thoughtfully donated by various townspeople.

The Pilgrim village, made by the Junior High School pupils, and the ship model, add to the attractiveness of the place, and are never ending centers of interest to the patrons.

Miss Elaine Fuller was appointed in Miss Davis' place and took charge in the middle of November.

FICTION

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| JG795 | A Apple Pie | Kate Greenaway |
| JH93 | About Harriet | ClaraWhitehall Hunt |
| JC625b | Adventures of Huckleberry Finn | Samuel L. Clemens |
| JC625a | Adventures of Tom Sawyer | Samuel L. Clemens |
| JC319 | Alice's Adventures in Wonderland | Lewis Carroll |
| JL77a | Alice and Billy | Albert C. Lisson |
| JO42 | Anton and Trini | Virginia Olcott |
| JW72 | Baby Bear | Hamilton Williamson |
| JD18 | Bare Hands | Hawthorne Daniel |
| JP97 | Belgian Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JL77 | Betty and Jack | Albert C. Lisson |

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| JL74 | Bobby and the Big Road | Maud Lindsey |
| JF818 | Book of Cheerful Cats | J. G. Francis |
| JR63 | Boy of the Old French West | Orison Robbins |
| JE14c | Boy Scouts at Crater Lake | W. P. Eaton |
| JE14g | Boys Souts on the Green Mt. Trail | W. P. Eaton |
| JE14w | Boys Scouts in the White Mountains | W. P. Eaton |
| JB187 | Carmelia Commands | Walter S. Ball |
| JS64 | Chicken World | E. Boyd Smith |
| JM95c | Chief of the Herd | DhanGopal Mukerji |
| JM65c | Christopher Robin Story Book | Alan A. Miln |
| JC653 | Clematis | Bertha & Ernest Cobb |
| JC41 | Don Quixote of the Mancha | M. de Cervantes Saave dra |
| JP97d | Dutch Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JP97e | Eskimo Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JB636 | Even Sara | Gladys Blake |
| JM312 | From Boston to Boston | Annie Russell Marble |
| JB872g | Golden Goose and Three Bears | L. Leslie Brooke |
| JS977 | Gulliver's Travels | Jonathan Swift |
| JS654 | Hans and Hilda in Holland | Laura R. Smith |
| JL77h | Helen and Bob | Albert C. Lissou |
| JF456 | Hitty | Rachel Field |
| JN54 | Hole Book | Peter Newell |
| JP97in | Indian Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JP97i | Irish Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JF22 | Italian Peepshow | Eleanor Farjeon |
| JE95 | Jan of the Windmill | J. H. Ewing |
| JP97j | Japanese Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JM39a | Jim Davis | John Masefield |
| JB18 | John Bunjan's Dream Story | James Baldwin |
| JW65 | Karoo, the Kangaroo | Kurt Wiese |
| JH349 | Katrinka | H. E. Haskell |
| JF99 | Katy Kruse Dolly Book | Rose Fyleman |
| JL49 | Little Grey Goose | Felicite LeFevre |
| JL33 | Little Indians | Mabel Guinnip La Rue |
| JM961 | Little Lame Prince | Dinah Maria Mulock |
| JB9641 | Little Lord Fauntleroy | Frances H. Burnett |
| JC97h | Little Maid of N. Hampshire | Alice Turner Curtis |
| JA3551 | Little Women | Louisa May Allcott |
| JB578 | Little Wooden Doll | Margery W. Bianco |
| JR495 | Lost Monkey | Lucia Webster Rice |
| JF17 | Memoirs of a London Doll | Mrs. Fairstar |
| JP97m | Mexican Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |

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| JB95o | Mrs. Peter Rabbit | Thornton Burgess |
| JB816 | Nanette of the Wooden Shoes | Esther Brown |
| JB872 | Bk. I & II Nursery Rhyme Picture Book | L. Leslie Brooke |
| JS377 | Olaf, Lofoten Fisherman | C. W. Schram |
| JB554 | Olle's Ski Trip | Elsa Beskow |
| JW45h | Patty at Home | Carolyn Wells |
| JW45c | Patty in the City | Carolyn Wells |
| JW45f | Patty's Friends | Carolyn Wells |
| JW455 | Peppi, the Duck | Rhea Wells |
| JC316 | PictureFolk-Tales | Vallery Carrick |
| JC316r | Picture Tales from the Russian | Vallery Carrick |
| JD314 | Robinson Crusoe | Daniel Defoe |
| JB86 | Runaway Sardine | Emma L. Brock |
| JP97t | Scotch Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JA567 | Seven Little Sisters | Jane Andrews |
| JM88 | Siamese Cat | Elizabeth Morse |
| JB87s | Silver Bear | Edna A. Brown |
| JO82 | Six Nursery Classics | Michael V. O'Shea |
| JH699 | Slovenly Peter | Dr. Henry Hoffman |
| JP97s | Spartan Twins | Lucy Fitch Perkins |
| JW955 | Swiss Family Robinson | David Wyss |
| JB872t | Tailor and the Crow | L. Leslie Brooke |
| JL84 | Taktuk, An Artic Boy | Helen Lomen |
| JK28 | Trumpter of Krakow | Eric C. Kelley |
| JK55 | Water Babies | Charles Kingsley |
| JP55 | Wee Ann | Ethel Calvert Phillips |
| JH4w | Wonder Book | Nathaniel Hawthorne |

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| JBC32 | Boy's Life of Kit Carson | F. W. Seymour |
| J920-F22 | Mighty Men from Beowulf to William the Conqueror | Eleanor Farjeon |

NON-FICTION

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| J910-C23 | Around the World With the Children | F. G. Carpenter |
| J398-L26b | Blue Fairy Book | Andrew Lang |
| J398-H724 | Book of Nature Myths | Florence Holbrook |
| J917.4-W31 | Bradford on Mt. Washington | Bradford Washburn |
| J811-S848 | Child's Garden of Verses | Robert L. Stevenson |
| J919-S51 | Children of the Cold | Frederick Schwatka |
| J791.8-N89 | Circus Menagerie | E. P. Norwood |
| J812-B182 | Five Plays and Five Pantomimes | Sidney Baldwin |
| J910-U65 | Friends in Strange Garments | Anna Milo Upjohn |

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| J372.2-B915 | How to Tell Stories to Children | Sarah Cone Bryant |
| J591.5-B361 | Jimmie | Ernest Harold Baynes |
| J808.1-T89 | Literature for Reading and Memorization (Six Books) | Louise E. Tucker |
| J811-M64 | Little Otis | Mrs. C. B. Millay |
| J811-T94 | Magpie Lane | Nancy Byrd Turner |
| J398-G79 | Marigold Garden | Kate Greenaway |
| J691.18-A52 | Model Airplanes | E. L. Allen |
| J398-F692 | Myths and Legends of Greece and Rome | W. B. Forbush |
| J398-L26r | Red Fairy Book | Andrew Lang |
| J973-C675 | Story of America—Age of Discovery | Ramon Coffman |
| J973-C675n | Story of America—New World Settlement | Ramon Coffman |
| J821-D22 | Story of the Canterbury Pilgrims | F. J. H. Darton |
| J811-O43 | Story-telling Poems | F. J. Olcott |
| J917-A42 | United States | Nellie B. Allen |
| J973.2-B15 | Untold History Stories | Carolyn S. Bailey |

VITAL STATISTICS
Town of Lancaster

VITAL STATISTICS--1930

In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June, 1877, requiring "Clerks of Towns and Cities to furnish a transcript of the marriages, births and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report" I hereby submit the following:

R. J. BROWN, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Lancaster for the Year Ending December 31, 1930

| Date and Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence at time of Marriage | Age and Color and Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of each | Name of Father | Birthplace of Father | No. of Marriage and name, residence and official station of person by whom married |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|------------------------|------------------|----------------------|--|
| Mar 30 Dalton | Valdo Reynolds Myrtle Leighton | Dalton | 21 W Ferryman | LynnMass | Frank n Reynolds | LynnMass | 1 Rev H M Frye |
| June 3 Lancaster | Harold E Tripp Zella M V Ashaw | Lancaster | 18 W Store Mgr | Lancaster | MA Leighton | Dummer | 1 Dalton |
| June 3 Lancaster | John A Ballo H C Elaine Le Paige | Lancaster | 33 W Tel Operator | ECharleston | Fred H Tripp | ECharleston | 2 Rev R A Dunlap |
| June 25 Lancaster | James N Kimball Laura O Smith | Lancaster | 25 W Teamster | Austria | Michael Ranko | Lancaster | 1 Rev J A Casey |
| July 3 Whitefield | R C Arm n A madon Nina L Pond | Lancaster | 33 W Painter | Lunenburg Vt | Jos Le Paige | Austria | 1 Lancaster |
| July 15 Lancaster | Olin K Nelson Abbie G Skidmore | Lunenburg Vt | 24 W Painter | Lancaster | David Kimball | Lunenburg Vt | 1 Rev Jos Simpson |
| July 21 Lebanon | Fred W Peaslee A Gertrude Farr | MedfordMass | 23 W Lawyer | Lunenburg Vt | Burt Smith | Canada | 1 Lancaster |
| July 23 Lancaster | Lawrence L Hall Leola M Smith | ArlingtonMass | 31 W Farmer | CambridgeMass | Samuel Amadon | Canada | 3 Rev C H Williams |
| July 30 Lancaster | Walter Smith Beulah Stiles | Durham | 27 W Farmer | Bedford | Olin A Nelson | Lunenburg Vt | 1 Whitefield |
| Aug 6 Lancaster | David P Foster Jennete Poudreau | Northumberland | 24 W Steam Fitter | NoWVt | Bert L Peaslee | Bedford | 1 Rev Jos Simpson |
| | | Whitefield | 22 W Laborer | Northumberland | Carroll W Farr | Ware | 1 Lancaster |
| | | SalemMass | 25 W Laborer | Island Pond Vt | Leslie L Hall | Mailstone Vt | 1 Rev M C Clint k |
| | | LynnMass | 44 W Forem n School Institution | Jefferson | Walton Smith | Northumberland | 1 Lancaster |
| | | | | NewaScotia | Israel Smith | Canada | 1 Rev Jos Simpson |
| | | | | Newfoundland | Edgar Stiles | Plymouth | 1 Lancaster |
| | | | | | Lee Foster | Nova Scotia | 1 Rev Jos Simpson |
| | | | | | John Lowe | Newfoundland | 2 Lancaster |

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| Aug 26 | BradleyThomas | Lancaster | 27 W | Lineman | Lancaster | JohnHRines | Lancaster | 1 RevJosSimpson |
| Lancaster | VernaNewman | Lancaster | 17 W | | ConcordVt | LewisNewman | Stewartstown | 1 Lancaster |
| Oct 18 | AlbertAndrews | Lancaster | 28 W | GarMechanic | SydneyNS | JohnAndrews | NovaScotia | 1 RevWLDee |
| Lancaster | LeoAmBresette | Lancaster | 26 W | | Colebrook | AlbertEBresette | StAlbansVt | 1 Lancaster |
| Nov 1 | LloydNBrann | Northumberland | 23 W | Foreman | WatervilleMe | SherburnBrann | MadisonMe | 1 RevRADunlap |
| Lancaster | OliveGSnow | Lancaster | 27 W | | Lancaster | WCSnow | Lancaster | 1 Lancaster |
| Nov 15 | LesterEGray | Lancaster | 31 W | Merchant | Lancaster | GeorgeGray | Lancaster | 2 RevJosSimpson |
| Lancaster | DorothyHartford | Lancaster | 19 W | | Lancaster | CarlHartford | Lancaster | 1 Lancaster |

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Births Registered in the Town of Lancaster for the Year Ending December 31 1930

| Date of Birth and Name of Child if any | Male or Female Living or Stillborn Number of Child | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Occupation of Father | Birthplace of Father | Birthplace of Mother |
|--|--|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Jan 3 | F L 4 | Maurice A Evans | Mona Hadley | Grocer | Lancaster | Lancaster |
| Jan 5 | F F 1 | Edgar J Stewart | Ruby E Pierce | Carpenter | Groveton | Lunenburg Vt |
| Jan 15 | M L 1 | Ralph Brinard | Lucy Belknap | Druggist | Stewartstown | Carverdash Vt |
| Jan 28 | M L 1 | Arthur Corrigan | Delia Brooks | Farmer | Lancaster | Northumberland |
| Feb 1 | F L 1 | Warren Sears | Madelyn Ward | Salesman | Portland Me | Lancaster |
| Mar 1 | F L 1 | Frank Brisson | Albertina Dorr | Car Inspector | Whitefield | Jefferson |
| Mar 5 | F L 1 | Kenneth Cameron | Laura Audit | Laborer | Jefferson | St Adolph Pq |
| Mar 8 | F L 1 | Ormand L Hartford | Hazel Howland | Car Inspector | Lancaster | Bethlehem |
| Mar 11 | F L 4 | Philiat Fontaine | Ophelia Turgeon | Foreman Tel Co | Lancaster | Quebec |
| Mar 28 | M L 2 | Maurice MacLeod | Ethel FGaulin | Salesman | Barry Que | Barry Que |
| Mar 30 | M L 1 | Milton W Kiser | Edna Whitney | Farmer | Riverton | Lancaster |
| Apr 5 | M L 1 | Albert Cleon Jr | Beatrice Styles | Mill Employee | No Troy Vt | Lancaster |
| Apr 17 | M L 6 | Deola O Berry | Helen Heath | Trainman | Machias Me | Manchester |
| May 2 | M L 1 | Frank W Kay | Myra Austin | Farmer | Lancaster | Manchester |
| May 8 | M L 3 | Sidney Leighton | Mabel Holloway | Lumberman | Stark | Granny Vt |
| May 14 | M L 2 | Joseph Egouler | Ellen HDaley | Contractor | Island Pond Vt | Greensboro Vt |
| May 17 | M L 3 | Peter Morin | Olivine Moresette | Farmer | Guildhall Vt | North Stratford |
| May 23 | F L 1 | William Moore | Helen M Grapes | Painter | W Stewartstown | Island Pond Vt |
| June 9 | F L 1 | Theodore Styles | Hazel Paige | Paper Maker | Guildhall Vt | Percy |
| June 18 | F L 2 | Stewart Milbury | Eva DKelly | Laborer | Woodstock NB | Guildhall Vt |
| June 20 | F L 2 | Kenneth Hodgdon | Isabel Boucher | Milk Man | Whitefield | Warren |
| June 21 | F L 1 | George M Murphy | Thelma R Dikey | Paper Maker | Gorham | Groveton |
| June 23 | M L 2 | Grant Chook | Mildred J Jeffers | Farmer | Colebrook | Lancaster |
| June 23 | M L 4 | Vaughn Chase | Alice Hayes | Mechanic | Colebrook | Colebrook |
| June 29 | F L 6 | Felix L Dreat | Florence Ferris | Farmer | Canaan Vt | Groveton |
| July 1 | F L 1 | Reginald Stone | Marion Murtaugh | Plumber | St Malo Pq | Hereford Pq |
| July 6 | F L 2 | OB Hackett | Ada Knights | Railroad Man | Stratford | Lunenburg Vt |
| July 1 | F L 2 | Harry Magoon | Viola J Lund | Dairyman | Sambornton | Mechanic Falls Me |
| July 13 | F L 2 | Richard SHannux | Carolyn E Towle | Laborer | Washington Vt | Groton Vt |
| July 15 | M L 14 | Bert McLain | Connie Burt | Farmer | Lancaster | Lisbon |
| | | | | | Byunswick Vt | Victory Vt |

Deaths Registered in the Town of Lancaster for the Year Ending December 31, 1930

| Date and Place of Death | Name and Surname of Deceased | Age in years, months and Days and Place of Birth | Male or Female Condition and Occupation | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Disease or Cause of Death |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|--|---|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Jan 1 Lancaster | Edward Greenleaf | 68 1 24 | M W Laborer | Gardner Greenleaf | Eliza Lee | Cerebral Hemmor |
| Jan 2 Lancaster | Ellah Hartford | 75 7 20 | F W Lancaster | Chas Parker | Josephine Warner | Cholecystitis |
| Jan 5 Lancaster | Infant Brainard | 54 9 18 | M M Farmer | Ralph Brainard | Lacy Belknap | Stillborn |
| Jan 5 Lancaster | Frank Moulton | 84 3 1 | M W Laborer | J Nelson Moulton | Noval Woodward | Ac Rheum Fever |
| Jan 12 Lancaster | Patrick Murphy | 90 9 22 | M W Farmer | Edward Murphy | Anastatia Welch | Chronic Nephritis |
| Jan 16 Lancaster | Henry Webb | 78 6 19 | M M | Edward H Webb | Abbie Howe | General Septicmia |
| Jan 18 Lancaster | Allen Chase | 49 7 5 | M W Electrician | Geo Chase | Olive Hawkins | Bron Pneumonia |
| Mar 5 Lancaster | Brayton H Amadon | 64 10 15 | M M Lumberman | Henry Amadon | Lecia Analey | Bron Pneumonia |
| Mar 19 Lancaster | Noah Estes | 54 9 19 | M S Letter Carrier | Thos Estes | Robinson | Cerebral Hemmor |
| Apr 17 Lancaster | Natt R Cummings | 60 6 3 | F M | H J Cummings | Julia Ingerson | Suicide |
| Apr 17 Lancaster | Lettie Magoon | 50 approx | F M | Chas Jones | Albertina Reed | Carcinomia |
| May 3 Lancaster | James MacLeod | 35 2 10 | M S Caretaker | Daniel Spaulding | Jane Whippy | Suicide |
| May 3 Lancaster | Fred Spaulding | 59 | F M | J Fred Henry | | Carbuncles |
| May 6 Lancaster | Alice Eastman | 87 2 12 | F W | Samuel Smith | | Mocartitis Endoc's |
| May 25 Lancaster | Mary Waldron | 42 5 9 | M M Millworker | Augustus Johnson | | Acute Indigestion |
| June 13 Lancaster | George H Johnson | 56 5 2 | M M RR Man | Wm Hanson | Helen Eastman | Acute Dialation |
| June 15 Lancaster | Sarah A Newton | 75 5 2 | F D | Thomas Spooner | Ann Applebee | Uræmia |
| June 24 Lancaster | Frank Spooner | 75 5 2 | M M Physician | OB Hackett | Ada Knight | Stillborn |
| July 1 Lancaster | Infant Hackett | 56 3 7 | F | Cornelius Smith | Doane | Peritonitis |
| July 1 Lancaster | Stephen C Smith | 63 1 1 | M M Farmer | Mose St Cyr | Sophia Morrill | Carcinomia |
| July 8 Lancaster | Pierre St Cyr | 63 1 1 | M M Mill employee | Chas Magoon | Olivia Parlin | Suicide |
| July 11 Lancaster | Edward Magoon | 72 10 2 | M W Foreman | Burt McLain | Connie Burt | Premature Birth |
| July 15 Lancaster | Infant McLain | 77 6 2 | F | Burt McLain | Connie Burt | Premature Birth |
| July 15 Lancaster | Infant McLain | 65 3 20 | F | Jos Seally | | Cerebral Embolus |
| July 15 Lancaster | Elizabeth Gonyer | 51 10 18 | S | Harold Whittum | Viola McKay | Injury to mother |
| Aug 12 Lancaster | Infant Whittum | 77 6 2 | S | Fred Gonyer | Lydia Forman | Acute Dialation |
| Aug 17 Lancaster | Fred Gonyer | 65 3 20 | M M | Malcolm Gessner | | Myocarditis |
| Aug 23 Lancaster | James Gessner | 51 10 18 | M M Carpenter | Angren George | Celia Carleton | Toxaemia |
| Sept 1 Lancaster | Walter A George | | Harness mkr | | | |

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