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of the

TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN

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For the Year Ending January 31

1922

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Highway Agents
School Board, Town Clerk
Library Trustees

OF THE

TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1922

CONCORD, N. H.
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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the Town of Allenstown in the County of Merrimack in said state, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Opera House in said town, on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

- ARTICLE 1. To elect three selectmen, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year, and to choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
- ARTICLE 2. To bring in your ballots upon each of the questions submitted by the Convention to Revise the Constitution relative to the amendments proposed by said Convention at a session held on January 28, 1921.
- ARTICLE 3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same. Voted to raise \$4,500.00.
- ARTICLE 4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate three hundred dollars to be paid the District Nurse Association for the support of a nurse in town. The money to be used at the discretion of the Association under the advice of the physicians.
(Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of seventy-five dollars for the purpose of securing the services of the Suncook Cornet Band for a series of free concerts. (Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars for the observance of Memorial Day.

- ARTICLE 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary amount of money to secure state aid for the permanent improvement of its main highways. (Dismissed.)
- ARTICLE 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars for the maintenance of state highway within the town. (Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars for the maintenance of state highways, to be applied to trunk line maintenance. (Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 10. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars to purchase an adding machine for the use of its selectmen and other officials. (Dismissed.)
- ARTICLE 11. To see if the town will install one light on Granite Street in the vicinity of the residence of John Martel. (Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate fifteen hundred dollars to pay for street lighting. (Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 13. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of seven hundred dollars to reconstruct the highway on the John Batchelder, and Sam McConnell hills. (Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 14. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of fifty dollars for the Town library in addition to the amount required by law. (Adopted.)

- ARTICLE 15. To see if the town will vote to build a garage for the Fire Truck, and raise and appropriate money therefore. Voted to raise \$2,500.00.
- ARTICLE 16. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers, heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- ARTICLE 17. To see if the town will raise and appropriate five hundred dollars for the purchase of fire hose for the Fire Department.
(Adopted.)
- ARTICLE 18. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

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

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY,
ALFRED DUPONT,
AMEDEE BEAUCHENE,
Selectmen of Allentown.

We hereby certify that we gave notice to the inhabitants within named to meet at the time and place for the purpose within mentioned, by posting an attached copy of the within warrant, at the place of meeting within named, and a like attested copy at Slater & Smith, being a public place in said town, on the twenty-third day of February, 1921.

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY,
ALFRED DUPONT,
AMEDEE BEAUCHENE,
Selectmen of Allentown.

OFFICERS ELECTED MARCH 8, 1921.

SELECTMEN.

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY, 1 year.
 ALFRED DUPONT, 2 years.
 AMEDEE BEAUCHENE, 3 years.

TOWN CLERK.

EDWARD J. DANEAULT.

TREASURER.

FRED S. EASTMAN.

MODERATOR.

VICTOR LEBLANC. (Resigned.)
 ALBERT J. AMES. (Appointed.)

TAX COLLECTOR.

ALFRED J. COURTEMANCHE.

HIGHWAY AGENTS.

CHARLES MENARD. District No. 1.
 HENRY COLBY. District No. 2.
 ERNEST DOWET. District No. 3.

FIRE WARDEN.

ALFRED J. COURTEMANCHE.

AUDITORS.

JOHN MARSTON. ALFRED W. GILBERT.

SUPERVISORS.

JOHN J. CONNORS. JAMES B. MARDEN.
 ALFRED J. COURTEMANCHE.

SCHOOL BOARD.

GRACE E. MARSTON. BURT L. MILLEN.
 BENJAMIN FREEMAN.

HEALTH OFFICER.

WILLIE DANEAULT.

NIGHT OFFICER.

SAMUEL WEBSTER.

SPECIAL POLICE.

WILLIAM BURKE. JAMES WELCH.
 J. B. CONNOR. CYRILLE STOKES.
 EDWARD J. DANEAULT. ALFRED GIRARD.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

WESTLEY TYRRELL. GRACE MARSTON.
 EDITH WATTLES.

INVENTORY.

Land and buildings,	\$519,650.00
61 horses,	7,150.00
2 mules,	100.00
5 oxen,	300.00
83 cows,	5,125.00
25 neat stock,	885.00
4 hogs,	50.00
1040 fowls,	1,580.00
1 portable mill,	1,200.00
Wood, lumber, etc. (Laws 1911, Ch. 83),	12,775.00
Money on hand,	1,065.00
Stock in trade,	291,702.00
Mills and machinery,	478,100.00
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Total,	\$1,319,682.00
Soldiers exemptions,	3,000.00
Other exemptions from taxation,	280,000.00

APPROPRIATIONS.

Schools, as requested,	\$4,286.77
Schools, as voted,	470.00
Schools, per capita tax,	172.00
State tax,	4,522.00
State tax, soldiers' bonuses,	1,197.00
County tax,	2,312.64
Pólice officer,	1,095.00
Town charges,	4,500.00
Highways, by law,	3,289.00
Trunk line maintenance,	100.00
State aid, maintenance,	130.00
Account of sewers,	500.00
Interest on notes,	500.00
Memorial Day observance,	25.00
District nurse association,	300.00
Suncook Cornet band,	75.00
Library money,	150.00
Municipal court,	100.00
Street lighting,	1,500.00
Reconstruction, Sam McConnell & John Batch- elder Hills,	700.00
Garage fire truck,	2,500.00
State \$2.00 for 286 polls of \$5.00, 1920,	572.00
Fire hose,	500.00
	\$29,496.41

32 polls at \$3.00,	\$96.00	
593 polls at \$5.00,	2,965.00	
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	\$3,061.00	
\$2.00 from each \$5.00 poll to be returned to State,	1,186.00	
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	\$1,875.00	\$1,875.00
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To be raised from property,	\$27,621.41	
Total poll taxes to collect,	3,061.00	
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	\$30,682.41	
Committed to collector, including poll taxes,	30,682.57	

TREASURER'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1922.

Cash on hand January 31, 1921,	\$1,163.18
From Suncook Bank, temporary loan,	4,000.00
Highway department,	847.13
Insurance tax,	3.00
Railroad tax,	356.99
Savings bank tax,	927.60
Merrimack county, for support of poor,	833.77
Merrimack county, support of poor 1920,	307.73
Joseph Sansterre, show license,	50.00
Slater & Smith, pool license,	60.00
Levesque & Biscornet, pool license,	35.00
Albert J. Raymond, on account,	50.00
G. F. Soule, refund,	1.50
A. J. Ames, refund,	4.00
Auto permits, H. P. Stokes,	105.63
Auto permits, E. J. Daneault,	1,067.16
Alfred J. Courtemanche, tax 1919,	156.31
Alfred J. Courtemanche, tax 1920,	874.43
Alfred J. Courtemanche, tax 1921,	27,524.55
E. J. Daneault, dog license, 1921,	65.00
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Total receipts,	\$38,431.98
Total expenditures per order of selectmen,	35,190.39
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Cash on hand January 31, 1922,	\$3,241.59

FRED S. EASTMAN,
Treasurer Town of Allenstown.

ALLENSTOWN, N. H., February 11, 1922.

We have carefully examined the above reports of the treasurer of Allenstown and find the same to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN C. MARSTON,
ALFRED W. GILBERT,
Auditors.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

NOTE.—Any townsman desiring to see the itemized bills of the town, or, any other items in this report may do so by calling on the regular meeting days of the Board of Selectmen on the first Saturday of each month, between 2.30 and 5.00 p. m., when all bills will be at the disposal of all interested parties for inspection at all times.

FUND INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWN.

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1922.

Note to Mary A. Bartlett,	\$500.00
Nina Fife Colby,	500.00
Fred W. Morse,	2,000.00
Ernest Fontaine,	2,000.00
Magloire Lesperance,	2,000.00
Suncook Bank,	5,500.00
	\$12,500.00

RECEIPTS.

From Local Taxes:

1. Property and poll tax, current		
year actually collected,	\$27,524.55	
2. Property and polls 1920,	874.43	
3. Property and polls 1919,	156.31	

From State:

4. Highways state aid,		472.13
5. Highway maintenance,		375.00
6. Insurance tax,		3.00
7. Railroad tax,		356.99
8. Saving bank tax,		927.60

From County:

9. Support of poor, due from 1920,		307.73
10. Support of poor,		833.77

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

11. Auto permits,	\$1,172.79
12. (a) Joseph Santerre, show license,	50.00
13. (b) Slater & Smith, pool license,	60.00
14. (c) Lesvesque & Biscornet, pool license,	35.00
15. Albert J. Raymond on account,	50.00
16. E. J. Daneault, dog license,	65.00
17. G. F. Soule, refund,	1.50
18. A. J. Ames, refund,	4.00
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Total receipts current revenue,	\$33,268.80

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

12. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$4,000.00
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Total receipts other than current revenue,	4,000.00
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Total receipts from all sources,	\$37,268.80
Cash on hand February 1, 1921,	1,163.18
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Grand total receipts,	\$38,431.98
Total expenditures,	35,190.39
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Cash on hand February 1, 1922,	\$3,241.59
Taxes not collected, levy, 1919,	101.40
Taxes not collected, levy, 1920,	808.24
Taxes not collected, levy, 1921,	2,535.96
Due from auto permits, 1920,	236.03
Due from auto permits, 1921,	147.66
Due from dog license, 1920,	48.00
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Assets,	\$7,117.88

Liabilities:

Appropriation fire true	\$2,500.00
Due State for 473 polls \$2.00 actually collected, 1921,	946.00
Due school 1921 money,	1,928.77
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	\$5,374.77
Assets,	7,117.88
Liabilities,	5,374.77
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Surplus,	\$1,743.11

CLASSIFICATION.

PAYMENTS.

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries,	\$810.00
2. Town officers' expenses,	833.21
3. Election and registration expenses,	107.00
4. Municipal court expenses,	80.22
5. Rent of police and fire station,	49.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department,	1,519.79
7. Fire department,	782.22
8. New fire hose,	510.00

Health Department:

9. Health officers, W. Daneault, A. M. Lavalley,	33.00
10. Vital statistics,	19.60

Highways and Bridges:

11. State aid maintenance,	590.06
12. Trunk line maintenance,	189.10
13. Town maintenance, District No. 1,	1,243.73
14. Town maintenance, District No. 2,	648.12
15. Town maintenance, District No. 3,	626.79
16. Street lighting,	1,456.88

<i>Education:</i>	
17. Libraries,	\$280.00
<i>Charities:</i>	
18. Town poor,	925.02
19. County poor,	833.77
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>	
20. Aid to Memorial Day exercises,	25.00
<i>Recreation:</i>	
21. Suncook Cornet Band,	75.00
<i>Public Services Enterprises:</i>	
22. Pembroke water works,	625.00
23. District nurse association,	300.00
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Total current maintenance ex- penses,	\$13,184.51
<i>Interest:</i>	
24. Paid on temporary loans,	\$42.50
25. Paid on long notes,	625.00
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Total interest payments,	667.50
<i>Outlay for New Construction:</i>	
26. Reconstruction of John Batch- elder and Sam McConnell Hills,	\$799.14
27. Turnpike road construction,	333.65
28. Cemetery road construction,	474.66
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	1,607.45
<i>Outlay for State Aid Construction:</i>	
29. Deerfield road,	2,182.52
<i>Indebtedness:</i>	
30. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	4,000.00

Payments to Other Government Divisions:

31. State tax,	\$5,719.00
32. County tax,	2,312.64
33. Payments to school district,	5,516.77
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Total payment to other govern- ment divisions,	\$13,548.41
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Total payments for all purposes,	\$35,190.39
Cash on hand January 31, 1922,	3,241.59
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Total receipts,	\$38,431.98

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY,
 ALFRED DUPONT,
 AMEDEE BEAUCHENE,
Selectmen of Allentown.

ALLENSTOWN, N. H., February 11, 1922.

We have carefully examined the above accounts of the selectmen of Allentown, and find the same to be correctly cast and properly vouched, and the notes due from the town amount to twelve thousand five hundred dollars. The amount due from former town clerk Albert J. Raymond is four hundred twenty-one and 69/100 dollars.

JOHN G. MARSTON,
 ALFRED W. GILBERT,
Auditors.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

REPORT FOR 1919.

Balance to collect,	\$241.65
Interest,	16.06
	\$257.71
 Paid Fred S. Eastman,	 \$156.31
Balance to collect,	101.40
	\$257.71

REPORT FOR 1920.

Balance to collect,	\$1,639.05
Interest,	43.62
	\$1,682.67
 Paid Fred S. Eastman,	 \$874.43
Balance to collect,	808.24
	\$1,682.67

REPORT FOR 1921.

Amount to collect,	\$30,682.57
Added after assessment,	138.77
Interest,	3.63
	\$30,824.96
 Paid Fred S. Eastman, treasurer,	 \$27,524.55
Discount 3 per cent,	675.35
Taxed by error,	2.09
Abated poll,	87.00
Balance to collect,	2,535.97
	\$30,824.96

POLLS ABATED, 1921.

Justina Masse, taxed twice,	\$5.00
Eugene Lefevre, taxed twice,	5.00
Niye Montminee, taxed twice,	5.00
Maria Martel,	5.00
Joseph Lefevre, ex-soldier,	2.00
Wilbrud Arcaud, paid in Hooksett,	5.00
Charles McDonald, paid in Pembroke,	5.00
Lula McDonald, paid in Pembroke,	5.00
Napoleon Couturier, gone,	5.00
Angelina Couturier, gone,	5.00
Joseph Franceour, ex-soldier,	2.00
Florence Harris, gone,	5.00
Octave Leduc, gone,	5.00
Lea Leduc, gone,	5.00
Jeremiah Leduc, ex-soldier,	3.00
Marie Letendre, gone,	5.00
Samuel Snyder, gone,	5.00
Zoe Peltier, too poor,	5.00
Adelaid Varbonceour, gone,	5.00
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	\$87.00

ALFRED J. COURTEMANCHE,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONER OF CHARITIES.

COUNTY POOR.

AID FURNISHED FROM FEBRUARY 1, 1921, TO FEBRUARY
1, 1922.

A. Duclou,	\$9.25
Mrs. W. Reneaud,	200.00
Mrs. L. Coll,	101.00
A. Cyr,	81.66
H. Neveux,	19.25
Favreau child,	162.27
Mrs. J. Malo,	24.51
A. Daneault,	7.93
O. Leduc,	21.00
E. Laforte,	11.90
Mrs. A. Baillargeon,	49.00
Almond Peltier,	90.00
L. Perreault,	56.00
	\$833.77

TOWN POOR.

Mrs. L. Garaut,	\$169.54
Mrs. A. Raymond,	27.29
George Towne,	243.41
Frank I. Smith,	129.28
John Morin,	126.00
J. Chaput,	66.00
Helen Wood,	163.50
	\$925.02

ALFRED DUPONT,
Commissioner of Charities.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF FIRE
DEPARTMENT.

Cash on hand January 31, 1921,	\$440.30
Withdrawn for supplies,	21.36
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	\$418.94
Cash on hand January 31, 1922,	418.94

WM. A. DROUGHT,
Treasurer, Fire Department.

TOWN CLERK REPORT.

MONEY RECEIVED FOR AUTO PERMITS AND DOG LICENSES, 1921.

January 29, 1921, to March 8, 1921,	\$105.63
March, 1921,	51.35
April, May, and June,	337.22
July, August,	102.74
June,	41.50
October,	11.31
December,	414.49
January, 1922,	108.55
	\$1,172.79
Dog license, 1921,	65.00
	\$1,247.79

EDWARD J. DANEALD, *Town Clerk.*

HECTOR P. STOKES, *Deputy Town Clerk.*

REPORT OF NIGHT OFFICER.

Total arrests,	21
Brought before court,	17
Drunks,	9
Operating auto without lights and refusing to stop at signal,	1
Violating auto traffic law,	1
Operating auto under influence of liquor,	1
Peddling without license,	1
Violation child labor law,	2
Assault,	1
Larceny,	1
Lodgers,	38
Lights out reported,	42
Doors found open,	7

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL WEBSTER,
Night Officer.

DETAIL STATEMENTS OF PAYMENTS.

DETAIL No. 1. TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES.

Fred S. Eastman, treasurer,	\$50.00	
A. J. Morency, selectman,	200.00	
Amedee Beauchene, selectman,	100.00	
Alfred Dupont, selectman,	100.00	
Edward J. Daneault, town clerk,	35.00	
Alfred Dupont, commissioner of charities,	25.00	
A. J. Courtemanche, Jr., fire warden,	50.00	
A. J. Courtemanche, tax collector,	250.00	
	\$810.00	

DETAIL No. 2. TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES.

A. J. Morency, tax meeting,	\$5.60	
Alfred Dupont, blanks,	2.00	
Amedee Beauchene, blanks,	2.00	
A. J. Morency, express,	1.82	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.;	1.40	
A. J. Morency, envelopes,	2.50	
Edward J. Daneault, auto fees,	5.43	
G. F. Georgi, lunch,	8.05	
Rumford Press, reports,	185.25	
Edson Eastman Co., supplies,	44.45	
Henry W. Billings, lunch,	2.00	
New Eng. Machine Co.,	10.00	
Jos. Santerre, rent,	60.00	
Alfred Dupont, tax meeting,	6.60	
Amedee Beauchene, tax meeting,	5.60	
Edson Eastman, invoice books,	53.75	
Hector P. Stokes, deputy town clerk,	14.68	
A. J. Morency, expenses,	3.09	
Courtemanche Bros., printing,	34.00	
City of Nashua,	100.00	

J. A. Rainville,	\$9.00
Edson Eastman, tax books,	8.36
G. Fowler, bond,	5.00
Suncook Press,	4.75
A. W. Gilbert, posting fire notices, 1920-1921,	14.00
Edson Eastman Co., supplies,	7.59
A. L. Perreault, auto hire,	12.00
Amedee Beauchene, expenses,	2.00
A. J. Morency, expenses,	10.41
Edson Eastman, supplies,	7.29
Alfred Dupont, Nat'l Tax Confer- ence,	7.00
A. J. Morency, Nat'l Tax Conference,	7.00
Amedee Beauchene, Nat'l Tax Con- ference,	7.05
Alfred J. Courtemanche, Nat'l Tax Conference,	7.05
Fred S. Eastman, Nat'l Tax Conference,	7.00
Fred S. Eastman, auto hire,	30.00
William Farmer, assessors association,	2.00
Walter Cass, tools and supplies,	23.31
A. J. Morency, tax meeting and expenses,	9.13
E. J. Daneault, auto fees,	16.40
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	1.25
Alfred Dupont, tax meeting and expenses,	17.40
A. J. Courtemanche, tax meeting, 2 days,	13.50
Amedee Beauchene, tax meeting, 2 days,	13.50
A. F. Burbank,	25.00
Jos. Sansterre, rent,	60.00
E. Fontaine, auditor, 2 years,	6.00
A. J. Morency, blanks,	2.00

 \$883.21

DETAIL No. 3. ELECTION AND REGISTRATION.

Walter Kenison, ballot inspector,	\$5.00	
Edson Eastman Co., check list,	45.00	
James B. Marden, supervisor,	10.00	
John J. Connor, supervisor,	10.00	
Alfred J. Courtemanche, supervisor,	10.00	
Alfred J. Courtemanche, ballot clerk,	5.00	
Charles Stokes, ballot clerk,	5.00	
James Welch, setting up booths,	2.00	
Hector Stokes, deputy town clerk,	5.00	
E. Fontaine, ballot inspector,	5.00	
Samuel Webster,	5.00	
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DETAIL No. 4. MUNICIPAL COURT.

B. L. Millen, justice,	\$57.70	
B. L. Millen, justice,	22.52	
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DETAIL No. 5. RENT OF POLICE AND FIRE STATION.

Suncook Mills Co.,	49.00
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DETAIL No. 6. POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Louis Guilbeau, duty, 1918,	\$69.90
Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co.,	29.40
Samuel Webster, salary and ex- penses,	219.13
James Welch,	5.00
Joseph Richard, wood,	14.00
Samuel Webster, salary and expenses,	113.74
Samuel Webster, salary and ex- penses,	114.21
Samuel Webster, salary and ex- penses,	114.11
Samuel Webster, salary and ex- penses,	114.28

James Welch, police duty, July 4th,	\$4.00
Alfred Girard, police duty, July 4th,	3.00
Samuel Webster, police duty,	114.18
Samuel Webster,	111.18
F. W. Morse Co., repair stove,	12.50
Samuel Webster,	116.56
F. S. Saltmarsh, coal,	16.50
Samuel Webster,	111.94
Samuel Webster,	114.63
Samuel Webster,	114.53
J. Richard,	7.00
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	\$1,519.79

DETAIL NO. 7. FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edward J. Daneault, rent,	\$9.00
Alfred J. Courtemanche, fire warden,	118.00
Geo. F. Georgi, oil,	1.42
G. F. Soule, alcohol,	1.50
E. J. Daneault, rent,	3.00
Alfred J. Courtemanche, fire warden,	27.00
H. P. Stoken, insurance,	18.00
A. J. Courtemanche, fire warden,	67.00
A. W. Gilbert, gas, oil,	4.55
E. J. Daneault, rent,	6.00
A. J. Courtemanche,	27.00
G. F. Soule,	1.50
Hillman Garage, recharging batteries,	1.75
A. J. Courtemanche,	27.00
Drake Garage,	34.50
A. J. Courtemanche,	32.00
Dill Motor Co., repairs,	5.00
Farrell Bros., supplies,	29.21
A. J. Courtemanche,	49.00
N. E. Guaranty Co., lanterns,	30.00
Bailey Lumber Co.,	12.00
A. J. Courtemanche,	47.00
Hillman Garage,	1.75
E. J. Daneault, rent,	3.00

E. J. Daneault, supplies and labor,	\$4.61	
A. J. Courtemanche,	38.90	
John B. Varick,	18.79	
E. J. Daneault,	3.00	
A. J. Courtemanche,	74.00	
John B. Varick,	9.60	
Hillman Garage,	4.15	
Geo. F. Georgi,	4.99	
A. J. Courtemanche,	49.00	
E. J. Daneault,	9.00	
A. W. Gilbert, tank, oil,	7.00	
E. J. Daneault, rent,	3.00	
		\$782.22
DETAIL NO. 8. FIRE HOSE FIRE DEPARTMENT.		
Gutta Percha Co.,		510.00
DETAIL NO. 9. HEALTH DEPARTMENT.		
William Daneault, officer,	\$18.00	
Dr. A. M. Lavallee, services,	15.00	
		33.00
DETAIL NO. 10. VITAL STATISTICS.		
E. J. Daneault,		19.60
DETAIL NO. 10. TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE.		
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	\$16.50	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	27.50	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	36.50	
W. N. Prescott, dis. supt.,	15.10	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	11.00	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	16.50	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	22.00	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	22.00	
Joseph Brasley, patrolman,	22.00	
		189.10

DETAIL No. 11. STATE AID MAINTENANCE.

A. J. Ames, patrolman,	\$96.55	
A. J. Ames, patrolman,	198.21	
A. J. Ames, patrolman,	15.70	
North East Metal Co.,	46.60	
A. J. Ames, patrolman,	75.48	
A. J. Ames, patrolman,	115.16	
A. J. Ames, patrolman,	42.36	
	<hr/>	\$590.06

DETAIL No. 12. TOWN MAINTENANCE, DISTRICT No. 1.

Charles Menard, agent,	\$137.07	
Mederic Perreault, rent tool room,	18.00	
Charles Menard, agent,	401.84	
Charles Menard, agent,	131.36	
Bailey Lumber Co.,	7.55	
Charles Menard, agent,	4.67	
Charles Menard, agent,	148.28	
Charles Menard, agent,	117.89	
M. Perreault, rent tool room,	18.00	
Charles Menard, agent,	92.83	
Charles Menard, agent,	40.76	
Charles Menard, agent,	20.79	
Charles Menard, agent,	101.99	
Miller Cofran, water pails,	1.50	
E. J. Daneault, labor,	1.20	
	<hr/>	1,243.73

DETAIL No. 13. TOWN MAINTENANCE, DISTRICT No. 2.

Henry Colby, agent,	\$65.50
Henry Colby, agent,	198.00
Henry Colby, agent,	21.00
Henry Colby, agent,	102.00
Henry Colby, agent,	39.00
Henry Colby, agent,	61.59
Bailey Lumber Co., plank,	67.50
Henry Colby, agent,	22.12

Walter Kenison, care of water trough	\$8.00	
Henry Colby, agent,	22.75	
Henry Colby, agent,	40.66	
	<hr/>	\$648.12

DETAIL No. 14. TOWN MAINTENANCE, DISTRICT No. 3.

Henry W. Billings,	\$14.05	
Ernest Dowst, agent,	189.79	
Ernest Dowst, agent,	189.75	
Ernest Dowst, agent,	90.25	
Ernest Dowst, agent,	44.50	
Ernest Dowst, agent,	40.19	
Bailey Lumber Co.,	18.21	
Ernest Dowst, agent,	40.05	
	<hr/>	626.79

DETAIL No. 15. STREET LIGHTING.

Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co.,	\$360.00	
Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co.,	364.33	
Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co.,	366.55	
Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co.,	366.00	
	<hr/>	1,456.88

DETAIL No. 16. LIBRARIES.

Westley Tyrrell, trustee,	\$150.00	
Walter Kenison, librarian,	5.00	
Grace Marston, librarian,	125.00	
	<hr/>	280.00

DETAIL No. 17. TOWN POOR.

Alfred W. Gilbert, groceries,	\$105.29
Pennall Bros., groceries,	157.21
A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	88.54
A. H. Martel, rent,	12.00
A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	45.00

A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	\$87.00	
Merrimaack County Farm Board of Helen Woods,	109.20	
Merrimaack County Farm Board of Helen Woods,	54.30	
A. H. Martel, rent,	12.00	
Pennell Bros., groceries,	168.98	
Dr. A. M. Lavallee,	22.50	
A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	63.00	
		\$925.02

DETAIL No. 18. COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. A. J. Morency, board of Favreau child,	\$39.00
A. J. Morency, shoes,	23.08
Geo. F. Georgi, groceries,	45.50
St. Peters Orphanage, board of Coll child,	36.00
E. Fontaine & Co., groceries,	109.00
Lemaire & Rainville, groceries,	49.00
Alfred W. Gilbert, groceries,	53.51
Alfred Desmarais, wood,	10.50
A. Chapdelaine, milk,	11.57
Mrs. A. J. Morency, board of Favreau child,	26.14
Family Shoe Store, shoes,	15.75
E. Fontaine & Co., groceries,	50.50
Geo. F. Georgi, groceries,	10.50
A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	18.00
St. Peter Orphanage, board of Coll child,	26.00
A. Chapdelaine, milk,	5.59
E. Fontaine & Co., groceries,	26.00
A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	10.00
Mrs. A. J. Morency, board of Coll child,	12.86
M. A. J. Morency, board of Favreau child,	39.00

E. Fontaine & Co., groceries,	\$54.50	
A. W. Gilbert, groceries,	26.00	
Family Shoe Store,	9.50	
Alfred Desmarais, wood,	7.50	
A. W. Gilbert,	28.00	
E. Fontaine,	45.50	
Mrs. A. J. Morency, board of Favreau child,	39.00	
Family Shoe Store, shoes, Favreau child,	6.27	
	<hr/>	\$833.77
DETAIL No. 19.		
Memorial Day observance,		25.00
DETAIL No. 20.		
Suncook Band,		75.00
DETAIL No. 21.		
Pembroke Water Works,	\$625.00	
District Nurse Association,	125.00	
District Nurse Association,	175.00	
	<hr/>	925.00
DETAIL No. 22. INTEREST.		
Temporary Loan, Suncook Bank,		42.50
DETAIL No. 23. INTEREST ON NOTES.		
Suncook Bank,	\$137.50	
Fred W. Morse,	100.00	
Magloire Lesparance,	100.00	
E. Fontaine,	100.00	
Nina F. Colby,	25.00	
Mary Bartlett,	25.00	
Suncook Bank,	137.50	
	<hr/>	625.00

DETAIL No. 24. OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION ON S.
McCONNALL & BATCHELDER HILLS.

Henry Colby, foreman,	\$373.50	
Henry Colby, foreman,	348.14	
Henry Colby, foreman,	77.50	
	<hr/>	\$799.14

DETAIL No. 25. TURNPIKE ROAD CONSTRUCTION.

Charles Menard, foreman,	\$296.49	
Charles Menard, foreman,	11.32	
Charles Menard, foreman,	25.84	
	<hr/>	333.65

DETAIL No. 25. CEMETERY ROAD CONSTRUCTION.

Charles Menard,	\$194.21	
Charles Menard,	255.61	
Charles Menard,	16.84	
Charles Menard,	8.00	
	<hr/>	474.66

DETAIL No. 26. STATE AID CONSTRUCTION.

Henry Colby, foreman,	\$260.05	
Henry Colby, foreman,	149.70	
Henry Colby, foreman,	287.80	
Henry Colby, foreman,	299.55	
Henry Colby, foreman,	318.93	
Henry Colby, foreman,	282.16	
Henry Colby, foreman,	243.10	
Henry Colby, foreman,	292.57	
Henry Colby, foreman,	48.66	
	<hr/>	2,182.52

DETAIL No. 28. INDEBTEDNESS.

Suncook Bank, temporary loan,	4,000.00
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DETAIL No. 29. STATE TAX.

J. W. Plummer, treasurer,	5,719.00
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DETAIL No. 30. COUNTY TAX.

Warren Abbot, treasurer,	\$2,312.64
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DETAIL No. 30.

State proportion of poll tax, 1920, J. W. Plummer,	572.00
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DETAIL No. 31. PAYMENTS SCHOOL BOARD.

Fred S. Eastman, treasurer,	\$1,000.00	
Fred S. Eastman, treasurer,	1,451.77	
Fred S. Eastman, treasurer,	2,000.00	
Fred S. Eastman, treasurer dog li- cense, 1921,	65.00	
Fred S. Eastman, treasurer,	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	5,516.77
Total detail payments,		<hr/> \$35,190.39

ALLENSTOWN LIBRARY REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

From Town,	\$150.00	
Fines and rentals,	17.93	
		\$167.93

EXPENDITURES.

Paid by Magazines,	\$20.40	
W. P. Goodman, Books,	147.53	
		\$167.93

W. E. TYRRELL, *Treasurer.*
 EDITH WATTLES,
 GRACE S. MARSTON,
Library Trustees.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

Number of volumes in Library,	2,622
Number of books issued during the year ended January 31, 1922,	3,476
Number issued from Branch Library at Dr. W. W. Kenison's,	212
Number of books loaned to Branch Library at Mr. George Dowst's,	60
Total circulation,	3,748
Fines and rentals,	\$17.93

GRACE S. MARSTON,
Librarian.

ALLENSTOWN, N. H., January 31, 1922.

REPORT OF RURAL BRANCH PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Number of volumes in Library,	62
Number of volumes loaned,	212
Fines collected,	0

WALTER W. KENISON,
Librarian, Rural Branch.

ALLENSTOWN, January 30, 1922.

BOOKS PURCHASED FOR THE LIBRARY DURING
YEAR 1921.

Abbott, Jane,	Aprilly
Alcott, Louisa M.,	Little Women
Atherton, Gertrude,	The Sisters-in-Law
Bassett, Sara W.,	The Harbor Road
Bassett, Sara W.,	Flood Tide
Bindloss, Harold,	Lister's Great Adventure
Bindloss, Harold,	Kit Musgrave's Luck
Bower, B. M.,	Casey Ryan
Brown, Edna,	Four Gordons
Brown, Edna,	When Max Came
Brown, Edna,	Archer and the Prophet
Brown, Edna,	Paul and the Printing Press
Burnham, Clara L.,	The Key Note
Burt, Katherine,	Hidden Creek
Burt, Katherine,	Snow Blind
Butler, Ellis Parker,	In Pawn
Canfield, Dorothy,	The Brimming Cup
Chambers, Robert,	The Little Red Foot
Comstock, Harriet T.,	The Shield of Silence
Connor, Ralph,	To Him that Hath
Curwood, James Oliver,	The Valley of Silent Men
Curwood, James Oliver,	The River's End
Curwood, James Oliver,	The Flaming Forest
Day, Holman,	King Spruce
Day, Holman,	All-Wool Morrison
Dawson, Coningsby,	The Kingdom Round the Corner
Dell, Ethel M.,	The Obstacle Race
Diver, Maud,	Far to Seek
Durkin, Douglas,	The Heart of Cherry McBain
Farnol, Jeffery,	Martin Conisby's Vengeance
Fitzgerald, F. Scott,	This Side of Paradise
Fox, John, Jr.,	Erskine Dale, Pioneer
Gibbs, George,	The Vagrant Duke
Goodwin, John,	Without Mercy
Gould, N.,	Fast as the Wind

Grey, Zane,	The Mysterious Rider
Grey, Zane,	To the Last Man
Hall, A. Neely,	Carpentry and Mechanics for Boys
Hendryx, James,	Prairie Flowers
Hutchison, A. S. M.,	If Winter Comes
Johnson, Owen,	The Wasted Generation
Johnston, Harry,	The Man Who Did the Right Thing
Keyes, Frances P.,	The Career of David Noble
Kerr, Sophie,	The See-Saw
Knibbs, Henry H.,	Partners of Chance
Kyne, Peter B.,	The Pride of Palomar
Lewis, Sinclair,	Main Street
Lincoln, Joseph,	Galusha the Magnificent
Lutz, Grace L. H.,	The Tryst
MacGrath, Harold,	The Pagan Madonna
Marshall, Edison,	The Snow-shoe Trail
Merrick, Leonard,	Conrad in Quest of his Youth
Milne, Louise J.,	The Feast of Lanterns
Miller, Alice Duer,	Manslaughter
McCutcheon, George B.,	Quill's Window
Montgomery, L. M.,	Rilla of Ingleside
Norris, Kathleen,	The Beloved Woman
Oemler, Marie C.,	Slippy McGee
Oemler, Marie C.,	Where the Young Child Was
Oppenheim, E. Phillips,	The Profiteers
Oppenheim, E. Phillips,	Nobody's Man
Philips, Ethel C.,	Wee Ann
Porter, Eleanor,	Sister Sue
Porter, Gene Stratton,	Her Father's Daughter
Rice, Alice Hegan,	Quinn
Rhodes, Eugene M.,	Stepsons of Light
Sawyer, Ruth,	Leerie
Seton, Ernest T.,	Wild Animals at Home
Seton, Ernest T.,	Wild Animal Ways
Snaith, J. C.,	The Adventurous Lady
Sterrett, Frances R.,	Rebecca's Promise
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter in the Far West
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter in the South Seas

Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter in the Gold Fields
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter Under Fire
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter and his Rivals
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter at Bear Camp
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter and his Double
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter at Star Ranch
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter and his Classmates
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter at Oak Hall
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter and the Runaways
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter on Cane Island
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter's Return to School
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter's Great Search
Stratemeyer, Edward,	Dave Porter's War Honors
Tarkington, Booth,	Alice Adams
Walpole, Hugh,	The Thirteen Travelers
Wharton, Edith,	The Age of Innocence
Wheeler, Francis R.,	The Book of Cow Boys
White, William P.,	The Heart of the Range
Willsie, Honoré,	The Enchanted Canyon
Wright, Harold,	Helen of the Old House

MAGAZINES.

American	National Geographic
Everybody's	Scribner's
Good Housekeeping	Woman's Home Companion
Harper's	World's Work
House Beautiful	

SCHOOL REPORT.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30th, 1921.

To the School Board and Citizens:—

I herewith submit my ninth annual report of the schools of Allenstown.

There were maintained during the year two schools for a school year of 36 weeks.

Owing to a scarcity of teachers for the Domestic and Manual Art departments these subjects were dropped from the program of study until the supply of these teachers becomes normal. These important branches will then be taught again. The need of this action was regretted by the school board, superintendent and parents.

It is the intent of the school law, and we believe the desire of all intelligent citizens, that every school in New Hampshire shall be a good school and that opportunities for a good education shall be granted equally to each pupil as far as conditions will permit.

That pupils in rural communities may have advantages approximating those given to city children, the following conditions should be met and requirements filled:

1. A sanitary schoolhouse and buildings with pleasant and healthful surroundings.

2. A pupil enrollment of 15. In case of great difficulties and cost of transportation, a school of 12 pupils may be more economically maintained.

3. An approved, efficient teacher, well paid and happy in her work, working under the direction of an approved and industrious superintendent, with an approved program of study and a daily time-table intelligently arranged and wisely carried into effect.

4. A pleasant home for the teacher where she may enjoy suitable comforts and have conveniences for doing her school

work. This means at least a pleasant, well heated, ventilated and lighted room.

5. Parents and citizens interested in good schools and their improvement and willing to co-operate in making good schools. One great duty every parent owes to the school and to his children for their future welfare and happiness, is to see that the children are punctual at school and that their attendance is regular.

6. The transportation of pupils in safe and comfortable vehicles, with a thoroughly competent driver. The law for 1921 for the transportation of pupils is as follows,—

“The district shall furnish transportation to all pupils below the ninth grade who live more than two miles from the school to which they are assigned, but when it shall appear that children live in homes so remote from schools or regular transportation routes that the cost of transportation would constitute an unreasonable expense the school board may, at the expense of the district, board the child near a public school, provided, however, that the parent or guardian may appeal to the commissioner with proposals for transportation by himself or by another, or with other solutions, and the order of the commissioner shall be final.

“Pupils who are to be transported may be required to walk any reasonable part, not exceeding one mile, of the distance from their homes to the school. The school board may furnish transportation to pupils in grades above the eighth or to any pupils residing less than two miles from the school to which they are assigned when it finds that this is desirable, and shall furnish it when directed by the commissioner of education.”

No state aided district receives any state money for transportation of pupils living less than two miles from the school, unless such transportation is directed by the Commissioner of Education.

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL WELFARE.

A thorough examination of the pupils was made during the fall term by health inspector Dr. B. L. Freeman.

That the work of the medical inspector may be fully effective, there should be the follow-up service conducted by a school nurse. Her frequent room-to-room and house-to-house visitation gives her opportunities for observing the hygienic and sanitary conditions as to ventilation, temperature, cleanliness, clothing and diet. Her service is of special value to the tuberculous, crippled and anaemic children. Her hospital and professional training makes her advice valuable to parents, teachers and doctors. Her duties are similar to those of a hospital nurse,—to make records of body temperature, etc., to supervise the diet and health habits, and advise continually with parents.

The school nurse is a true social worker. Her kind ministrations and educative influence in the home are her most valuable services.

The pioneer nurse must be trained to understand every class and condition of people, must be patient, sympathetic and tactful. She must be confident of her knowledge, forceful, and convincing in her directions to bring about better health conditions.

Innovations in school work are usually met with opposition, especially by those who have not carefully considered their merits. Thus far in the United States, school nurses have not been generally employed in rural communities. This is not to be attributed to a lack of need, but to obstacles incident to a scattered population. As our rural districts receive better educational advantages through well trained teachers and larger schools, the nurse will be more generally considered a necessary factor in the school equipment.

From statistics we learn that about one hundred and fifty thousand of the inhabitants of the United States die each year of tuberculosis. It is estimated that this disease alone costs our nation one billion dollars a year, an annual sum that, if properly expended, would free the land from the disease.

“It is within the power of man to cause all parasitic diseases to disappear from the world.”

PASTEUR.

WORK DONE IN SCHOOL.

The State Program of Study for Rural Schools was well taught and the teachers worked from a well-planned timetable.

The teachers have been earnest in their effort to teach thrift, by seeing that supplies were economically used and books properly cared for.

Special emphasis should be placed by all upon the need of sanitary buildings, good school equipment, the proper care of public property, and the knowledge of the laws of health and the practice of good health habits.

ATTENDANCE.

The attendance of pupils was good. Most of the absences occurred from sickness or other good reasons.

I again call the attention of the parents to the importance of the punctual and regular attendance of their children at school. It is a duty they owe to the child, the school, the state, and the tax-paying community.

EVENING SCHOOL FOR AMERICANIZATION.

An evening school for the pupils of Allenstown and Pembroke was taught in the Suncook school for a term of sixty sessions. A large number of pupils were enrolled and were taught by four teachers, George W. Fowler Principal, Alice Maguire, Grace E. Lancey and Marion K. Seavey Assistants. Excellent results were obtained. The sympathy in and enthusiasm for the work, and the broad general knowledge of the needs of the pupils, made this teaching faculty an ideal one.

At the close of the term a reception was given to the pupils. The refreshments were furnished by George E. Prest, Agent of the Suncook Mills and the members of the Allenstown and Pembroke School Boards.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

I recommend that the needful repairs be made upon the heating system and plumbing, and that the interior of the building be painted.

In conclusion, I express my appreciation for your hearty co-operation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,
HENRY S. ROBERTS.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE SCHOOL FOR AMERICANIZATION.

The interest manifested in the Evening-School work was a surprising revelation to those who had no previous opportunity to observe it. The announcement of it here was broad in its scope, including the statement that there would be a class in business Arithmetic and English, if there were a sufficient number of applicants. Such numbers applied that the three classifications of those who could neither speak nor write English, those who could speak or read English a little, and those qualified for more advanced work, were well filled; for the class first mentioned it was necessary to open two rooms. In the advanced class, one division completely reviewed an advanced business arithmetic, another division mastered the fundamental processes, and all were given drills in spelling and civics; the second named class made marked progress by drill in conversation, reading, spelling and civics, while the remaining class developed conversation and civics, with a little of reading and spelling.

The attendance was practically all voluntary, proving a strong desire for mental improvement and equipment for active and intelligent citizenship. The dread of possible ridicule from the fact that adults should be in school where hitherto none but mere children had attended, was easily overcome.

To all who persevered, the Winter's work gave most gratifying results and the opportunity therefor was sincerely appreciated.

GEORGE W. FOWLER.

MUSIC.

CONCORD, N. H., February 15, 1922.

Mr. Henry S. Roberts, Superintendent of Schools:

In reviewing the work of another year and upon contrasting it with that done in years past, I feel we have made great strides in the direction of better tone production in all grades.

The progress in sight reading is good, but with so many grades in one room there is not time enough to give to the work of each grade. So many pupils coming to us in the upper grades from schools where reading music is not taught, handicap us. Our individual tests, given every other week, are our only means of ascertaining where each pupil stands.

We need new phonograph records, as we are using those we own more and more for music appreciation. We hope before the close of the school year to have a Music Memory Contest in grades 5 to 8. The students are now making the acquaintance of the compositions, the composers and the artists by frequent repetition of the records. I wish some one would offer a small prize to the winner. I regret so much that our pupils are not more interested in orchestral instruments to the extent that they will learn to play. The boys particularly need this way of expressing themselves musically when they come to the years of adolescence and cannot control their voices as they formerly could. The schools of the future will give every child an opportunity to learn one or more instruments, as is being done in many cities of our land at present.

All special occasions and all of the principal holidays have been celebrated in song. In our lowest grades, our patriotic fervor would be increased I am sure by the sight of a beautiful flag to salute and to sing about.

Thanking you for your interest and co-operation, I am,

Sincerely yours,

MARTHA F. GALE.

MEDICAL INSPECTION.

SUNCOOK, N. H., February 1, 1922.

Mr. Henry S. Roberts, Suncook, N. H.

DEAR SIR:—

Below is submitted the report of medical inspection of the pupils attending school in the town of Allenstown, for the school year 1920–1921:—

Number of pupils examined,	40
Number defects found,	58
Umbilical hernia,	1
Difficulty of speech (tongue-tie),	1
Defective vision,	2
Cardiac disease,	1
Pulmonary disease,	3
Orthopedic defects,	2
Defective teeth,	15
Hypertrophied tonsils,	19
Adenoids,	11
Enlarged glands,	1
Unvaccinated,	2

The above report is in some respects gratifying, but the still large number of tonsil and adenoid disease is still discouraging. However, we hope next year with the help of the school-nurse to show very few such cases. This end will be accomplished by the visit of the nurse to every home where defects are found, and discussing the matter with the parents, at the same time advising as to general health.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJ. L. FREEMAN.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1922–1923.

Fall term begins	September 11, 1922
Fall term closes	December 22, 1922
Thanksgiving recess	November 19–25, 1922
Winter term begins	January 2, 1923
Winter term closes	March 9, 1923
Spring term begins	March 26, 1923
Spring term closes	June 15, 1923

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

Including the names of all pupils who have been present every half-day without being tardy.

DOROTHY FAVEAU
LUDGER STOKES

GRACE DODGE
GERMAINE STOKES

ATTENDANCE TABLE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR
ENDING AUGUST 31, 1921.

	School		
	Primary	Grammar	Total
Number of half days school was in session.....	344	344	688
Number of half days lost.....	16	16	32
Number of half days attendance.....	6,724	8,470	15,194
Number of half days absence.....	444	532	976
Instances of tardiness.....	92	23	115
Numbered registered			
{ girls.....	9	20	29
{ boys.....	12	11	23
{ total.....	21	31	52
Pupils marked "B".....	0	2	2
Non-resident.....	0	0	0
Average daily attendance.....	20	25	44
Average daily absence.....	1	2	3
Average membership.....	21	27	47
Per cent of attendance.....	94	93	93
Number of visits by superintendent.....	24	34	58
Visits by school board.....	3	7	10
Visits by parents and citizens.....	61	109	170
Not absent or tardy.....	0	4	4
Number of pupils registered			
{ 5-8.....	13	0	13
{ 8-14.....	6	21	27
{ 14-16.....	2	10	12
{ over 16.....	0	0	0
{ Total.....	21	31	52

GRADUATION EXERCISES
OF THE
CLASS OF 1921.
ALLENSTOWN GRAMMAR SCHOOL,
Thursday, June 16, 2 o'clock.

PROGRAM.

Chorus—"God's Country,"	Sheridan
Prayer,	Rev. Geo. W. Farmer
Hymn—"Father Whate'er of Earthly Bliss"	Mason
Chorus—"He Shall Feed His Flock," from "The Messiah"	Handel
"The Evening Bells,"	Abt
"Marching Song"	Folk Song
Recitation—"Gradatim" (Step by Step)	
	Flora Violet Stokes
Song—"All Pull Together," "Eton Boating Song,"	
	Boys of Grades IV, V, VI
Essay—"Your Flag and My Flag," Class Honor,	
	Rose Aime Lamontagne
Song—"The Japanese Fan," with fan drill,	
	Girls of Grades IV, V, VI, VIII
Class Prophecy	Gracie Anna Dodge
Piano Solo—"Il Trovatore," Verdi	Flora Violet Stokes
Recitation—"A Valedictory,"	Germaine Alice Stokes
Music—"Graduates' Farewell,"	Class
Presentation of Diplomas	

GRADUATES—CLASS OF 1921.

Gracie Anna Dodge.	Rose Aime Lamontagne.
Flora Violet Stokes.	Germaine Alice Stokes.

Class Motto, "Step By Step."
Class Colors, Pink and White.
Class Flower, The Carnation.

Class President, Germaine A. Stokes.
Vice-President, Gracie A. Dodge.
Secretary and Treasurer, Rose Aime Lamontagne.

SCHOOL BOARD.

Benj. L. Freeman, M.D., Bert L. Millen, Grace S. Marston.
Henry S. Roberts, A. M., Superintendent.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF ALLENSTOWN SCHOOL
DISTRICT.

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JULY 1, 1921.

EXPENDITURES.

Administration:

Salaries of district officers,	\$70.00
Superintendent's excess salary,	75.00
Truant officer's and school census,	123.00
Expense of administration,	43.02

Instruction:

Teachers' salaries—day schools:

Edith S. Wattles,	\$1,000.00
Louise M. Merrow,	800.00
Martha F. Gale (music),	148.00

1,948.00

Evening schools,	175.00
Textbooks,	111.39
Scholars' supplies,	93.01
Graduation expenses,	20.37

Operation and maintenance of school plant:

Janitor service,	292.00
Fuel,	466.00
Water, lights, janitor's supplies,	39.24
Minor repairs and expenses,	40.88

Auxiliary agencies and special activities:

Medical inspection,	30.00
Transportation of pupils,	180.00

High School tuitions:

Pembroke Academy,	\$165.00
Concord High,	110.00

275.00

Elementary school tuition:

Buck St.,	287.00
Insurance,	25.00

New equipment:	
Maps, clocks, cabinet-base,	\$36.04
Tax for state-wide supervision (\$2 per capita),	176.00
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Total payments for all purposes,	\$4,605.95
Total cash on hand June 30, 1921,	1,996.45
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Grand total,	\$6,602.40

RECEIPTS.

Amount required by law,	\$4,286.77
For textbooks,	200.00
Flags,	5.00
High School and Academy tuition,	600.00
Salaries of district officers,	170.00
Per capita tax,	142.00
Sale of property,	100.00
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Total receipts,	\$5,503.77
Total cash on hand Sept. 1, 1920,	1,098.63
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Grand total,	\$6,602.40

BURT L. MILLEN,
 BENJAMIN L. FREEMAN,
 GRACE S. MARSTON,

Members of School Board.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Total payments as per orders of school board,	\$4,605.95
Cash on hand June 30, 1921,	1,996.45
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Grand total,	\$6,602.40
Cash on hand September 1, 1921,	1,996.45

FRED S. EASTMAN,
Treasurer.

I have carefully examined the above accounts of school treasurer and find the same to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALEXANDER J. MORENCY,
Auditor.

DATA FOR SCHOOL CENSUS.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALLENSTOWN.

1. Whole number of children enumerated 5 years of age or older and under 16, inclusive:

Boys, 129; Girls, 134; Total, 263.

2. (a) Whole number of children registered as members of local public schools on September 30, 1919, 50.

(b) Number of children registered in parochial or other private schools and institutions on September 30, 1919, 176.

(c) Number of children enumerated who are attending high school or academy outside the district, 7.

(d) Number of children enumerated who are attending elementary schools outside the district, 8.

Total number of children reported in schools, 226.

3. Number of children enumerated who are not registered in any school in the district or elsewhere, between 5-8, 26; 8-14, 3; 14-16, 8; Total, 37.

4. Total number of children accounted for, in school and out of school, 263.

5. Number of children reported in 2, (a) or (b), who live in other towns, 3.

6. Whole number of *Resident* children accounted for, 260.

7. Number between the ages of 10 and 16 not able to read and write in the English language, 2.

8. How many of *these illiterate children* were born in New Hampshire? 2. Elsewhere in the United States? 0. In foreign countries?

9. Number 10 years of age or over who, on September 30, were in Grade I 3. In Grade II 7.

10. Of the children (8-14) reported in 3 as not registered in any school, how many are excused by the school board on account of physical or mental disability? 0.

11. Of the children (14-16) reported in 3 as not registered in any school.

(a) How many have completed the course of study for elementary schools? 6.

(b) How many have been excused by the school board because of physical or mental condition?

(c) How many have been excused from attendance by the Commissioner of Education? 0.

12. Number of defective children between 5 and 16. Blind 0, Deaf and Dumb 1, Feeble-minded 0, Total 1,

VITAL STATISTICS

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TO THE SELECTMEN OF ALLENSTOWN: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed at the June Session, 1877, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual reports," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921.

Date of birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex.	Sex and condition.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
			Living or stillborn.	No. of child.						
Jan. 11	Yvette R.	F.	L.	2	Walter Bergevin	Rose Alma Dupont	Allenstown	Mill operative	Sumcock	Sumcock
Jan. 20	J. Victor H.	M.	L.	9	Francois Gagnon	Marie Besse	"	Merchant	Canada	Canada
Jan. 25	Mary Rita	F.	L.	3	Alfred Boulet	Laura Russell	"	Labor	"	Sumcock
Feb. 1	Arthur Gerard	M.	L.	8	Arthur Cyr	Mary Chaput	"	Mill operative	Biddeford, Me.	New York
Feb. 9	Albert	M.	L.	12	Hubert Neveux	Rose Anna Gagnon	"	Weaver	Somersworth, N. H.	Canada
Feb. 14	Eugene V.	F.	L.	7	Narcisse Guilbeault	Amanda Courcheve	"	Pipe fitter	B. & M. Canada	Hooksett
Mar. 17	R. Estelle Marie	F.	L.	1	Alphege Neveux	Mary A. Auger	"	Shoe maker	"	Concord
Mar. 24	Patricia T.	F.	L.	3	Fred Girard	Albina Besse	"	Box maker	Pembroke	Hooksett
Mar. 22	Mary Lillian	F.	L.	4	Ovide Montigny	Anne Grandmont	"	Trackman	B. & M. Epsom	Canada
Mar. 23	Sylvio M.	M.	L.	3	Ernest Lefortie	Mary Francoeur	"	Doffer	Gonic	Canada
Mar. 25	Lester L.	M.	L.	3	Emilien Mertei	Rosa Caron	"	Weaver	Canada	Pembroke
Apr. 20	Leona Stella	F.	L.	1	Arthur St. John	Albina Demers	"	Engineer	Pembroke	Salmon Falls
Apr. 20	Joseph G. O.	M.	L.	1	Antonio Bergevin	Alice Rivard	"	Car repairer	B. & M.	Allenstown
May 3	Marie Helen	F.	L.	6	Leo A. Gilbert	Alice Deneault	"	Sexton	"	"
May 10	Sevange R.	F.	L.	2	Arthur Martel	Marie Gortepy	"	Labor	Hooksett	Canada
May 13	Robina A.	F.	L.	4	Hilaira Drolet	Aldis Spocier	"	B. & M. car shop	New Bedford, Mass.	Pembroke
May 20	Antoinette A.	F.	L.	1	Louis Ballegeon	Marie Lamontagne	"	Labor	Mass.	Canada
May 30	Chester	M.	L.	8	Robert Gallan	Elizabeth Robichaud	"	Painter	Canada	"
June 1	Catherine	F.	L.	6	Leon Noel	William Arbour	"	Weaver	"	"
July 4	Glady's May	F.	L.	4	John Romanoff	Ellen Arbour	"	Farmer	Poland	Poland
July 6	Marie Jeanne	F.	L.	5	Fresman J. Hervey	Edna M. Smith	"	Carpenter	Nova Scotia	Nashua, N. H.
July 14	Hervey D.	F.	L.	12	Emile Mondoux	Georgiana Bosse	"	Loam fixer	Canada	Allenstown
July 30	M. Angella Doris	F.	L.	5	William Malo	Leda Lamontagne	"	Loam room	Allenstown	Canada
July 30		F.	L.	1	Patrick Baron	Eva Dessautier	"	Mill operative	Canada	Canada

Aug. 20	Doris Reese	F.	L.	7	Joseph Derocier	Jessamine Bosse	Allensstown	Weaver	Canada
23	James Frank	M.	L.	1	Frank Anderson	Ella M. Horn	"	Fireman	Suncook
Sept. 2	George	M.	L.	9	Joseph Gagnon	Alta Chiesvord	"	Mill operative	Canada
27	J. Alpha L.	M.	L.	2	William Rondeau	Courana Lefevre	"	Labor	Canada
Oct. 1	Norman A.	M.	L.	10	Henri Auger	Annie Mayes	"	B. & M. employes	N. H.
13	Therese	F.	L.	2	Alfred Auger	Leona Verville	"	B. & M. employes	Bow, N. H.
23	J. Leonel	M.	L.	9	Wilfrid Duquay	Leda Demers	"	Labor	Canada
Nov. 11	M. Dora J.	F.	L.	3	Arthur Connor	Angelina Morin	"	Mill operative	Suncook
17	J. Reaul R.	M.	L.	1	Amade Beauchene	Amanda Brasley	"	"	Allenstown
17	Dorothy S.	F.	L.	6	Cecile Coll	Alba Letendre	"	Overseer	Canada
19	Marie Yvonne	F.	L.	1	Henri Hamel	Ida Auger	"	Mill operative	Suncook
19	Fierence P.	F.	L.	1	Dora Martel	Esther Girard	"	Teamster	Pembroke
25	Omer A. L.	F.	L.	1	Samuel Gauthier	Emma Pitri	"	Boiler maker	P. E. Island
Dec. 12	Gloria W.	F.	L.	2	Joseph Dion	Yvonne Drolet	"	Box maker	Pittsfield
25	J. Wilfrid N.	M.	L.	5	Edward Neveux	Marie Jeanne Daneault	"	Loom fixer	New Bedford, Mass.

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

EDWARD J. DANEAULT,
Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Mar- and official station of persons by whom married.	Name, residence, and official station of persons by whom married.
Jan. 21	Allenstown	Samuel Gauthier	Allenstown	27	B. M. helper	Hooksett	Anselm Gauthier Amanda Castonguay	Canada	Retired Housewife Farmer	1	Rev. David J. Caron-Nashua. Regular Clergyman.
Jan. 26	Pembroke	Emma Pitri	Pembroke	21	Mill operative	F. P. E. Ireland	Marie Poirier David Randall	" "	Farmer	1	Rev. Alfred T. Hillman. Pembroke. Clergyman.
Feb. 21	Manchester	Balfour L. Randall	Allenstown	51	Sawyer	Kemptville, N. S.	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	Canada	Housewife	1	Rev. L. T. Laliberte, Manchester. Regular Clergyman.
May 2	Pittsfield	Flora B. Gaucher	"	40	Housekeeper	Amnapolis, N. S.	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. L. T. Laliberte, Manchester. Regular Clergyman.
2	Allenstown	Willie Gauthier	"	23	Mill operative	Allenstown	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. L. T. Laliberte, Manchester. Regular Clergyman.
2	Allenstown	Joseph Jeremie Leduc	Manchester	20	"	Canada	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	Manchester	Housewife	1	Rev. L. J. W. Robichaud, Hooksett. Regular Clergyman.
2	Allenstown	Yvonne E. Gibeault	Allenstown	20	Weaver	Allenstown	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	Canada	Housewife	1	Rev. L. J. W. Robichaud, Hooksett. Regular Clergyman.
2	Allenstown	Amede Beauchene	Pittsfield	19	At home	Pittsfield	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. L. J. W. Robichaud, Hooksett. Regular Clergyman.
9	Allenstown	Willie Baron	Allenstown	25	Mill operative	Canada	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	Manchester	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Anna Coulombe	Pembroke	25	"	"	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Louisa Montigny	Allenstown	26	"	Canada	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Jessie M. Russell	Allenstown	23	Painter	"	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Kezia S. Webster	Allenstown	25	Housemaid	"	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Horridas Drolet	Allenstown	29	Laborer	Canada	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Louisa Montigny	"	29	Housemaid	Short Falls	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	"	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Jessie M. Russell	Hartland, Me.	27	Machinist	Hartland, Me.	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	Hartland, Me.	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.
June 27	"	Kezia S. Webster	Allenstown	18	School teacher	Allenstown	Ernest Emond Ernest Vanasse	Watersville, Me. Leicestershire, Eng. Charlestown, E. I.	Housewife	1	Rev. Doria P. Desruisseaux, Allenstown. Regular Clergyman.

June 28	Manchester	Joseph Gauthier	Allenstown	59	Mason	Canada	Joseph Gauthier Louise Breen	Canada	2	Rev. C. E. Burke, Manchester. Regular Clergyman.
Aug. 25	Manchester	Marie Louise Lemay	Manchester	56	P. & V. teacher	"	Charles A. Bertelle Marie Louise Mathieu	"	1	M. R. Fochaz, Manchester. Clergyman.
Oct. 19	Allenstown	Benjamin L. Freeman	"	28	Physician	Amesbury, Mass.	Laurence A. Freeman	France	2	Alfred T. Willman, Pembroke. Clergyman.
Nov. 16	Concord	Dorothy Mellen	"	23	At home	Winchendon, "	Nelly A. Kerwyn Burt L. Mellen Emily Sheleton	Newburyport, Mass. Grosvontsdale, C. Washington, N. H.	1	W. L. Nuttall, Concord. Clergyman.
		Frank P. Meuse	Middletown M.	31	Station agent	Salem, Mass.	Paul F. Meuse Katherine Matthews	Ireland Nova Scotia	1	
		Lucy H. Burnham	Allenstown	30	At home	New Bedford	Henry Burnham	Essex, Mass. Pittsfield, Mass.	1	
		George E. McNeal	"	25	Clerk	Deerfield, N. H.	Sarah V. Boss Elizabeth Bartlett	Loudon, N. H. Epsom, N. H.	1	
		Bertha E. Danforth	Concord	21	Copy holder	Concord, N. H.	Harry A. Danforth Edith Partridge	Concord "	1	

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

EDWARD J. DANEALD,
Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921.

Date of death.	Name and surname of deceased.	Yrs. Mos.	Age.	Sex.	Place of birth.	Condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.			Maiden name of mother.
						Sing. or widow.	Father.		Mother.	Name of father.		
Jan. 2	Sylvia Fanny	35		F.	Suncook		Housewife		Canada		Joseph Fanny	Louise Guimond
12	Adolphus Girard	87		M.	Canada		Retired		"		Hyacinthe Girard	Lydia Gagnon
27	Joseph Paul Vallee	2	3	M.	Allenstown		Retired		Allenstown		Hyppolite Vallee	Hermeline Gagnon
Feb. 16	Anna Francoeur	17		F.	Canada		Mill operative		Canada		Joseph Francoeur	Méline Desmarais
19	Marcel Smith	25		F.	Yanaska, P. Q.				Canada		Narcisse Smith	
20	Charles Rioux	72		F.	Canada		Housewife		"		Thibegault	
27	Yvonne Baillargeon	3	29	F.	Allenstown		Housewife		Allenstown		Wm. Baillargeon	Eva Lamontagne
Mar. 26	Yvette Rose Bergevin	2	15	F.	Allenstown				Pembroke		Walter-Bergevin	Rose Alma Dupont
26	George F. Hall	3	5	M.	Malden, Mass.		Retired		Hallowell, Me.		James Hall	Mary Wyman
Apr. 19	Joseph J. Leduc	67		M.	Pembroke				Clasgow, Ire.		Joseph J. Leduc	Yvonne E. Grbeault
26	Adeline F. Townes	87	4	F.	Hooksett				Canada		Larkin	Leda Demers
May 16	Adrien Duquay	2	11	F.	Allenstown				Canada		Wilfred Duquay	Angelle Senelle
July 18	Forrest Dubé	60		M.	Canada				"		Louis Dubé	Julietta S. Colby
Aug. 17	Frank W. Brown	55	5	M.	Auburn		Retired		Concord		G. Newell Brown	Hattie Blaisdell
Sept. 17	Henry W. Billings	33	6	M.	Great Falls		Farmer		Auburn		George C. Billings	
Oct. 12	Mary Lamontagne	86		F.	Canada				Canada		Emile Moudoux	Georgiana Besse
Oct. 13	Nelly Rosebush	51		F.	Allenstown		Mill operative		Allenstown		Henri Hamel	Ida Auger
Nov. 12	Marie Jeanne Moudoux	3	27	F.	"				Suncook			
Nov. 19	Marie Hamel	1		F.	"							

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EDWARD J. DANEVAULT,
Town Clerk.

