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# Annual Reports

*of the*

## Town Officers

*of*

# ALSTEAD

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

*for the year ending*

## JANUARY 31

# 1934

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ANNUAL REPORTS  
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**TOWN OFFICERS**

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Selectmen

WALDO D. STEVENS                      CHAUNCEY J. NEWELL  
ROBERT M. BRACKETT

### Treasurer

HARVEY T. MOORE

### Town Clerk

HENRY C. METCALF

### Supervisors

H. L. ESTABROOK                      H. W. GREEN  
ROY H. BUSS

### Moderator

GEORGE W. BUSS

### Ballot Clerks

LEON M. TROW                              IRA M. RUSSELL  
OLIVER A. COOK                      ELLIOT B. WATSON

### Road Agent

CARROLL E. HATCH

### Tax Collector

LEONARD F. BRAGG

### Auditors

LEON M. TROW                              ELLIOT B. WATSON

# TOWN WARRANT

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## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cheshire, ss.

To the inhabitants of Alstead qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said town on the 13th day of March, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles.

Art. 1. To choose a town clerk, town treasurer, selectmen, tax collector, overseer of poor, one or more road agents, auditors, constables, library trustees, trustees of trust funds, fence viewers, sextons, cemetery committee, measurers of wood and surveyors of lumber, and other town officers as the voters may direct.

Art. 2. To see what sum of money the town will raise for ordinary town charges and for the support of poor.

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

Art. 4. To see if the town will raise \$750 for state aid construction bond.

Art. 5. To see if the town will raise \$1,146 for state aid construction and apply for state aid.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will raise to oil the village streets.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will raise for street lights.

Art. 8. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to sell real estate acquired by tax sale.

Art. 9. To see whether beer or other lawful alcoholic beverages shall be manufactured or sold locally as permitted by Chapter 99 Section 22 of the laws of 1933.

Art. 10. To see if the town will take over the fire company and to see what sum of money shall be raised for that purpose.

Art. 11. To see if the town will accept Mr. Bennett's gift at the Alstead Center Cemetery and to decide as to the disposition of the funds received from sale of lots in Alstead Center Cemetery.

Art. 12. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to sell two shares of a water right to George W. Buss and also two shares of water right to Charles E. Kent.

Art. 13. To see what action will be taken to give employment to citizen property owners to be applied on their taxes.

Art. 14. To see if the town will accept a gift of \$100 from Mrs. Minnie Wallace the income of which is to be used to keep her lot in Alstead Cemetery in repair.

Art. 15. To hear reports and allow accounts.

Art. 16. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this 17th day of February 1934.

WALDO D. STEVENS,  
CHAUNCEY J. NEWELL,  
ROBERT M. BRACKETT,  
Selectmen of Alstead.

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD

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ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR  
THE ENSUING YEAR FEB. 1, 1934 TO JAN. 31, 1935  
COMPARED WITH  
ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PRE-  
VIOUS YEAR FEB. 1, 1933 TO JAN. 31, 1934

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### SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1933	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1934
From state:		
Railroad tax,	\$301 00	\$301 00
Savings Bank tax,	270 47	270 00
For fighting forest fires,	35 18	35 00
From local sources except taxes:		
Business licenses and permits,	155 14	155 00
Rent of town hall and other buildings,	73 88	75 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits,	143 80	145 00
Income of departments,	13,322 16	7,000 00
Income from municipally owned utilities:		
Motor vehicle permit fees,	\$378 90	
Motor vehicle permit fees,	374 62	753 52
		750 00
From local taxes other than property taxes:		
(a) Poll taxes,	544 00	550 00
(b) National Bank Stock taxes,	25 00	25 00

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1933	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1934
Amount raised by issue of bonds or notes:		
Temporary loans,	2,000 00	
Revenue applicable only to pay- ments on indebtedness:		
Amount taken from sinking funds to pay principal of debt,	750 00	750 00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes,	\$18,373 00	\$10,356 00
Amount to be raised by property taxes,	11,500 68	12,504 00
Total revenues,	\$29,873 68	\$22,860 00



**PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES**

Current maintenance expenses:	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1933	Estimated Expenditures Ensuuing Year 1934
General government:		
Town officers' salaries,	\$1,142 00	\$1,140 00
Town officers' expenses,	164 59	165 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	175 53	175 00
Protection of persons and property:		
Police department,	100 28	100 00
Fire department,	15 09	15 00
Health:		
Health department, including hospitals,	20 00	
Vital statistics,	12 25	15 00
Highways and bridges:		
Town maintenance,	4,196 79	3,500 00
Street lighting,	848 08	850 00
Public welfare:		
Town poor,	89 35	
Old age assistance,	583 00	800 00
Patriotic purposes:		
Memorial day and other celebrations,	72 50	
Recreation:		
Millot Green,	60 90	200 00
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts,	3,093 62	2,000 00
Public service enterprises:		
Cemeteries,	124 00	250 00

	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1933	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1934
Interest:		
On temporary loans,	76 63	75 00
On bonded debt,	562 50	450 00
On long term notes,	100 25	50 00
Indebtedness:		
Payment on principal of debt		
(a) Bonds,	1,500 00	
(b) Long term notes,	3,604 00	
Payments to other governmental divisions:		
State tax,	1,482 00	1,500 00
County taxes,	1,910 62	2,000 00
Payments to precincts,	549 01	550 00
Payments to school districts,	8,528 47	8,525 00
Total expenditures,	\$28,307 00	\$22,860 00

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
 OF THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H.  
 For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1934

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**CERTIFICATE**

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

Dated Jan. 31, 1934.

WALDO D. STEVENS,  
 CHAUNCEY J. NEWELL,  
 ROBERT M. BRACKETT,  
 Selectmen.

HARVEY T. MOORE,  
 Treasurer.

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DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Land and buildings,	\$708,755 00
Electric plants,	10,000 00
139 horses,	10,750 00
1 mule,	25 00
23 oxen,	1,300 00
302 cows,	13,355 00
62 other neat stock,	1,770 00
43 sheep,	195 00
1 hog,	15 00
274 fowls,	137 00
3 portable mills,	175 00
Wood and lumber,	1,020 00
7 gasoline tanks and pumps,	1,080 00
Stock in trade,	11,035 00

Mills and machinery,	15,750 00
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Total,	\$775,362 00
Soldiers' exemptions,	10,750 00
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Total on which tax is figured,	\$764,612 00
Taxes committed to collector,	\$15,410 00
Property taxes,	14,145 00
Poll taxes,	740 00
National Bank stock taxes,	25 00
Precinct taxes,	500 00
Town tax rate,	1 85
Average tax rate,	1 92

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND  
TAXES ASSESSED

Town officers' salaries,	\$1,000 00
Town maintenance,	3,300 00
Street lighting,	850 00
Town poor,	300 00
Memorial Day,	75 00
Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts,	50 00
Cemeteries,	150 00
Interest,	750 00
Payments on Principal of Debt,	2,500 00
State tax,	1,482 00
County tax,	1,925 00
School tax,	7,530 00
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Total town and school appropriations,	\$19,912 00
Less estimated revenue and credits:	
Interest and dividend tax,	\$275 00
Savings Bank tax,	200 00
Motor vehicle permit fees,	700 00

Vilas Est.,	4,500 00	
		<hr/> 5,675 00
		<hr/> \$14,237 00
Plus overlay,		673 00
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Net amount to be raised by taxation,		\$14,910 00
Less poll taxes,	\$740 00	
Nat'l bank stock tax,	25 00	
		<hr/> 765 00
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Amount to be raised by property taxes, on which town tax rate is figured,		\$14,145 00
Town tax rate, \$1.85		
Average tax rate, \$1.92		
Taxes to be committed to collector:		
Property taxes,		\$14,145 00
Poll taxes,		740 00
Nat'l bank stock taxes,		25 00
Precinct taxes,		500 00
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Total taxes to be committed to collector,		\$15,410 00

### **ASSETS**

Cash:	
In hands of treasurer,	\$6,524 72
Sinking funds:	
(Reserved for payment of debt as pro- vided by Sec. 2, Ch. 59, Public Laws),	6,153 27
Accounts due to the town:	
Due from state:	
Hedgehogs,	11 40

Taxes bought by town,	1,662 00
Uncollected taxes:	
(a) Levy of 1933,	3,328 31
(c) Levy of 1931,	1,307 10
(d) Previous years,	350 81
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Total assets,	\$19,337 61

### LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by town:	
Due to school districts:	
(a) Dog licenses,	\$151 14
(b) Balance of appropriation,	3,751 53
Outstanding temporary loans in anticipation of taxes:	1,000 00
Long term notes outstanding:	2,000 00
Bonds outstanding:	10,500 00
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Total liabilities,	\$17,402 67
Excess of assets over liabilities,	1,934 94
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Grand total,	19,337 61

### RECEIPTS

Current revenue:	
From local taxes:	
Property taxes committed to collector, 1933,	\$14,632 99
Less uncollected, 1933,	3,328 31
1. Property taxes current year, actually collected,	\$11,500 68

2.	Poll taxes, current year, actually collected,	544 00	
3.	Property and poll taxes, previous years actually collected,	3,621 90	
4.	National bank stock taxes,	25 00	
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	Total of above collections,		\$15,691 58
	From state :		
5.	For highways and bridges:		
	(a) Emergency Relief Unem- ployed—highway maintenance,	4,298 00	
8.	Railroad tax,	301 00	
9.	Savings bank tax,	270 47	
11.	Fighting forest fires,	35 19	
12.	Bounties,	101 40	
	From county :		
13.	For support of poor,	88 66	
	From local sources, except taxes :		
15.	Dog licenses,	155 14	
18.	Rent of town property,	73 88	
19.	Interest received on taxes,	143 80	
22.	Income from sinking funds,		
	Vilas Pool,	\$5,593 20	
	Vilas town fund,	7,728 96	
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			13,322 16
25.	Registration of motor vehicles, 1933 permits,	378 90	
	Registration of motor vehicles, 1934, permits,	374 62	
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			753 52

Receipts other than current revenue:	
27. Temporary loan in anticipation of taxes during year,	2,000 00
30. Amount taken from sinking funds to pay principal of debt,	750 00
Sale of cemetery lots,	90 00
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Total Receipts other than current revenue,	2,840 00
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Total receipts from all sources,	\$38,074 79
Cash on hand February 1, 1933,	3,275 44
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Grand total,	\$41,350 23

### PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:	
General government:	
1. Town officers' salaries,	\$1,142 00
2. Town officers' expenses,	164 59
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	175 53
Protection of persons and property:	
6. Police department,	100 28
7. Fire department, including forest fires,	15 09
9. Bounties,	90 00
Health:	
11. Health department, including hospitals,	20 00
12. Vital statistics,	12 25
Highways and bridges:	
14. Emergency relief unemployed— highway maintenance,	4,298 00
16. Town maintenance,	4,196 79



17. Street lighting and sprinkling,	848 08	
Charities:		
20. Old age assistance,	583 00	
21. Town poor,	89 35	
22. County poor,	249 75	
Patriotic purposes:		
	72 50	
Recreation:		
Vilas Pool,	3,093 63	
25. Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts,	60 90	
Public service enterprises:		
28. Cemeteries, including hearse hire,	129 00	
Unclassified:		
29. Damages and legal expenses,	21 00	
30. Taxes bought by town,	913 80	
Interest:		
32. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	76 63	
33. Paid on long term notes,	100 25	
34. Paid on bonded debt,	562 50	
Total interest payments,		\$739 38
Indebtedness:		
44. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,		
1933 loans,	2,000 00	
1932 loans,	1,000 00	
45. Payments on long term notes,	1,500 00	
Total indebtedness payments,		4,500 00

Payments to other governmental divisions:	
50. Taxes paid to state,	1,482 00
51. Taxes paid to county,	1,910 62
52. Payments to precincts,	549 01
53. Payments to school districts,	8,528 47
Total payments to other governmental divisions,	12,470 10
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Total payments for all purposes,	\$34,426 81
Cash on hand January 31, 1934,	
Town cash,	\$4,423 84
Vilas Pool	2,499 58
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	6,923 42
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Grand total,	\$41,350 23

### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
1. Town hall, land and buildings,	\$10,000 00
Furniture and equipment,	900 00
2. Libraries, lands and buildings,	125,000 00
Furniture and equipment,	5,000 00
3. Police department, lands and buildings,	150 00
4. Fire department, lands and buildings,	500 00
Equipment,	500 00
5. Highway department, lands and buildings,	100 00
Equipment,	3,000 00
6. Parks, commons and playgrounds,	10,000 00
9. Schools, lands and buildings,	15,000 00
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Total,	\$160,150 00

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT IN ACCOUNT WITH DOG  
LICENSES**

Number of dogs licensed,		79
Number of male dogs, 72 @ \$2.00,	\$144 00	
Number of female dogs, 4 @ \$5.00,	20 00	
Number for part year, 3,	4 94	
	\$168 94	
Less fees 20 cents each,	15 80	
	\$153 14	
Amount due town treasurer,	\$153 14	
Amount paid treasurer,	\$155 14	
To error paying license No. 59 twice,	2 00	
	\$153 14	

I hereby certify the above account is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY C. METCALF,  
Town Clerk.

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**

Year Ending Jan. 31, 1934

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Amount submitted to collector,	\$15,397 99
Added tax,	40 37
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	\$15,438 36
Amount collected and paid treasurer,	\$12,069 68
Balance,	3,378 68
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	\$15,438 36

Tax collector's accounts of 1929 and 1932 all settled.  
Accounts of 1930 and 1931 unchanged.

LEONARD F. BRAGG,  
Collector.

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

For Year Ending January 31, 1934

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### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand February 1, 1933,	\$3,275 44
Received from:	
H. C. Metcalf, 1933 auto taxes,	378 38
H. C. Metcalf, 1934 auto taxes,	375 14
H. C. Metcalf, dog licenses,	155 14
Selectmen, E. R. U.,	4,298 00
L. F. Bragg, 1932 taxes,	3,706 44
L. F. Bragg, 1933 taxes,	12,069 68
Selectmen, from Vilas Estate,	7,728 96
Selectmen, sale of cemetery lots,	90 00
Selectmen, hedgehog bounties,	101 40
Selectmen, Fund No. G,	10 34
W. E. Crabtree, pauper account,	88 66
Roy H. Buss, 1929 taxes,	16 57
Selectmen, forest fire bills,	6 44
Selectmen, loan, Connecticut River National Bank,	1,500 00
Selectmen, Fund No. G,	2 20
Selectmen, loan, Connecticut River National Bank,	500 00
Walpole Savings Bank, state aid road fund,	750 00
Selectmen, tax sales redeemed,	25 09
Selectmen, Fund No. G,	16 20
Selectmen, tax sales,	7 89
Selectmen, R. R. tax, insurance tax, etc.,	301 00
Selectmen, Fund No. G. M.,	270 47
Selectmen, rent Grange hall,	40 00
Selectmen, back tax,	9 71
Selectmen, rent town hall,	33 88

Selectmen, for Vilas Pool,	5,593 20
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Total receipts,	<u>\$41,350 23</u>
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## EXPENDITURES

Orders drawn for town expenses,	\$31,333 19
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Orders drawn for Vilas Pool,	<u>3,093 62</u>
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Total expenses,	<u>\$34,426 81</u>
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Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934,	\$6,923 42
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HARVEY T. MOORE,  
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Town Treasurer and find them correct with proper vouchers.

LEON M. TROW,  
ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
Auditors of Alstead, N. H.

## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

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### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

A. O. Yaegar,	\$200 00
W. D. Stevens,	200 00
C. J. Newell,	200 00
R. H. Buss, part salary,	50 00
R. M. Brackett, auditor and ballot clerk,	26 00
R. H. Buss, balance of salary for 1929 collector,	50 00
Harvey T. Moore, treasurer,	125 00
L. F. Bragg, salary as collector 1932,	150 00
I. M. Russell, ballot clerk,	2 00
H. C. Metcalf, town clerk,	75 00
O. A. Cook, ballot clerk,	2 00
E. B. Watson, ballot clerk,	2 00
L. M. Trow, ballot clerk and auditor,	14 00
George W. Buss, moderator,	16 00
Buy Buss supervisor,	10 00
H. L. Estabrook, supervisor,	10 00
H. W. Green, supervisor,	10 00
	\$1,142 00

### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

S. J. Moore, postage,	\$4 50
Moore Bros., rubber stamp,	1 80
Dog license tags,	3 19
Tax assessors meeting,	13 00
Printing,	2 80
Blank books,	11 75
Premium on bonds,	40 00
Expense of County Commissioners hearing,	25 00

Inventory books,	36 05
Town treasurer's expense,	13 50
Auto permits,	13 00

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\$164 59

#### VITAL STATISTICS

Vital statistics,	\$12 25
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#### BOARD OF HEALTH

Board of health,	\$20 00
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#### POOR ACCOUNT

##### Town Poor

Paid for transportation of Taggard to Westmoreland,	\$6 50
Paid freight on Red Cross flour,	9 26
Paid orders of Overseer of Poor,	73 59
Paid Old age benefit,	583 00

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\$672 85

#### COUNTY POOR

Paid,	\$449 75
Received,	88 66

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#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

##### Relief Administration

Statement January 31, 1934

#### REGULAR RELIEF

A. W. Hill,	\$63 95
Reginald Howard,	8 16

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Total, \$72 11

#### BOARD AND CARE OF ADULTS

Mrs. Eva M. Hall,	\$62 00
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Total, \$62 00



## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

## Cash

Mrs. Cora E. Fish,	\$80 00
Rozene M. King,	118 00
George A. Nichols,	80 00
Elathine Pratt,	60 00
Hammond F. Thorne,	49 00

Total,	\$387 00
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## SUMMARY SHEET

Regular relief, July 1, 1933 to November 15, 1933,	\$72 11
Board and care of adults, July 1, 1933 to November 30, 1933,	62 00
Old age assistance, July 1, 1933 to November 30, 1933,	387 00

Grand total,	\$521 11
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25 percent of the above amount due from the town of Alstead, \$130.28.

## TOWN HALL EXPENSE

L. M. Trow, insursane,	\$59 40
L. M. Trow, insurance,	26 40
Lights,	15 96
Wood,	17 00
Supplies,	5 02
Emerson, janitor and work,	51 75
	\$175 53

## AMOUNT DUE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Amount due Feb. 1, 1933,	\$4,750 00
Amount of appropriation,	7,530 00
	\$12,280 00
Paid,	8,528 47
Amount due,	\$3,751 53

## STREET LIGHTS

Paid for lights Alstead and East Alstead,	\$848 08
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## CEMETERIES

Paid A. E. Wilder, for work at East Alstead,	\$28 00
Paid C. E. Ellis, for work at Alstead and Center,	19 00
Paid L. M. Trow, for work at Alstead,	62 00
Paid R. Craig, for work on gateway at East Alstead,	20 00
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	\$129 00

## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Paid state tax,	\$1,482 00
Paid county tax,	1,910 62
Paid precinct appropriation,	500 00
Paid precinct fire bill,	49 01
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	\$3,941 63

## DAMAGE DONE BY DOGS

Paid Adam Gryseo,	\$4 00
Paid Hovey for damage to automobile,	12 00
Paid Pickard, legal advise,	5 00
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	\$21 00

## PAYMENTS FOR INTEREST

On temporary loans,	\$76 63
On long term notes,	100 25
On bonds,	562 50
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	\$739 38

## PAYMENTS ON INDEBTEDNESS

On temporary loan of 1932,	\$1,000 00
On temporary loan of 1933,	2,000 00
On bonds,	1,500 00
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	\$4,500 00

## UNCLASSIFIED

Printing town reports,	\$123 00
Cost of tax sale, R. H. Buss,	70 65
Cost of tax sale, B. H. Bragg,	40 60
Recording deeds and reporting transfers,	5 85
Paid secretary of state for copy of bill,	75
Paid dog constable,	7 50
Paid premium on bonds,	5 00
Paid for repairs on tractor,	48 90
Paid expense of county commissioners,	15 00
Paid A. O. Yaegar, expense of reappraisal,	12 00
Paid postage,	1 50
Paid for tax books,	3 85
Paid for care of town clock,	23 85
Paid Moore Brothers, printing,	16 75
Paid Metcalf, auto permits and supplies,	66 60
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	\$441 80

## BONDED STATE AID ROAD

Amount of bonds issued,	\$22,500 00
Amount paid,	12,000 00
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Amount unpaid,	\$10,500 00
Amount of sinking fund in Walpole Bank,	\$6,153 27

## VILAS POOL ACCOUNT

## RECEIPTS

Vilas Est.,	\$4,500 00
Vilas Est.,	1,073 20
Ice and grass,	20 00
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	\$5,593 20

## PAYMENTS

Expense of 1932,	\$1,050 59
Insurance and lights, 1932,	181 40

Expense of 1933,	1,861 63
Balance,	2,499 58
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	\$5,593 20

## ITEMS OF EXPENSE

Superintendent,	\$515 95
Other help,	428 63
Telephone and lights,	126 29
Chimes and music,	131 00
Insurance,	221 25
Police,	47 00
Other expense,	391 51
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	\$1,861 63

The town purchased the two parking places on the east side of the road and also the land on the south bound of the Pool. Mrs. Vilas gave and deeded to the town the land where the bell tower stands. The town's title to this land was questioned.

## THE GOLD HEAD CANE

In 1909 the Boston Post presented to the oldest male citizen of Alstead a gold headed cane. This cane was to be transmitted. The holders have been:

Azel R. Emerson,	who died Aug. 9, 1922, aged 99 yrs., 8 mo.
W. R. Colburn,	who died Sept. 1, 1924, aged 87 yrs., 9 mo.
Henry M. Holden,	who died Jan. 15, 1926, aged 85 yrs., 3 mo.
Alvah W. Smith,	who died June 7, 1929, aged 86 yrs., 8 mo.
Don H. Still,	who died Dec. 19, 1933, aged 85 yrs., 8 mo.

The cane has been presented to Mr. Charles L. Linsley with the wishes of the whole town that he may have the use of it many years.

WALDO D. STEVENS,  
CHAUNCEY J. NEWELL,  
ROBERT M. BRACKETT,  
Selectmen of Alstead.

We the auditors of the Town of Alstead have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them correct with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
LEON M. TROW,  
Auditors of Alstead.

## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

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### MARCH

W. R. Burrough, oil and gas,	\$48 98
Lyle E. Kemp, plowing roads,	7 80
Ora Crosby, labor,	5 50
John Krochunos, labor,	1 67
John Sonosky, labor,	1 67
J. M. Grout, plowing roads,	27 00
Mrs. H. A. Porter, plowing roads,	56 49
H. D. Clark, plowing roads,	3 50
Edwin Crosby, labor,	3 33
S. S. Craig, labor,	1 67
A. M. Hall, plowing roads,	33 66
Clifford Burrough, labor,	2 33
Albert Burrough, labor,	2 33
Geo. Hodskins, labor,	6 50
H. C. Metcalf, bolts for tractor,	50
Howard Hdw. Co., bolts for tractor,	1 07
A. L. Thayer, plowing roads,	6 00
A. L. Emerson, plowing walks,	5 00
Ray Fuller, labor,	5 00
Claire Fuller, labor,	5 00
Charles Craig, labor,	67
J. A. Landlands, labor,	2 50
R. S. Craig, labor,	2 50
A. L. Nichols, labor,	4 67
Eddie Howard, labor,	4 67
Chas. Chamberlin, repairs tractor,	1 00
Hobert Kent, labor,	1 83
B. W. Burrough, labor,	2 16
R. B. Hamblen, driving tractor,	120 45

John Cheplie, labor,	1 33
Frank Cheplie, labor,	1 33
Michael Cheplie, labor,	2 00
G. G. Benware, oil and gas,	91 82
Geo. Henry, labor,	67
Carroll Metcalf, labor,	2 00
Carl Pratt, labor,	4 17
C. E. Metcalf, labor with truck,	55 41
A. E. Wilder, labor,	7 33

## APRIL

Willie Wilson, labor,	3 88
W. F. Hammond, labor,	1 00
Leon Britton, labor,	2 25
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	23 00
Elmer Henry, labor,	1 00
Geo. Henry, labor,	1 50
Geo. Wilson, labor,	1 88
Lewis Russell, labor,	1 67
Frank Clark, labor,	2 65
R. B. Hamblen, driving tractor,	24 75
R. B. Hamblen, labor,	75
Chas. Wilson, labor,	2 75
B. W. Burrough, labor,	3 38
W. D. Stevens, labor with team,	5 00
Clifford Wheeler, plowing roads,	3 33
G. G. Benware, gas,	10 25
S. S. Pratt, plowing roads,	22 50
Albert Burrough, labor,	50
Clifford Burrough, labor,	50
Richard Bath, labor,	75
Ora Crosby, labor,	4 13

## MAY

Geo. Hodskins, labor,	13 25
Chas. Wilson, labor,	12 25
C. E. Hatch, labor with team,	11 00

Willie Wilson, labor,	12 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	32 00
Jack Zelaski, labor,	4 88
Peter Action, labor with horse,	3 36
Frank Lukercerviek, labor,	2 25
Eddie Howard, labor,	2 00
W. F. Hammond, labor,	3 00
Howard Hdw. Co., iron, bolts, etc.,	2 32
C. H. Simmons, labor with team,	21 50
C. H. Simmons, labor,	11 38
A. M. Hall, labor,	4 50
Z. E. Patch, labor with team,	4 50
Earl Rhoades, labor with team,	16 50
Earl Rhoades, gravel,	1 50
A. L. Emerson, plowing walks,	2 50
G. G. Benware, oil and gas,	4 38
C. E. Hatch, labor,	15 84
R. B. Hamblen, labor,	3 38
Elmer Henry, labor,	6 50
Geo. Hodskins, labor,	6 75
Richard Bath, labor,	6 75
Willie Wilson, labor,	6 75
Frank Clark labor,	9 25
S. S. Craig, labor,	6 75
Chas. Wilson, labor,	2 25
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	37 00
Geo. Henry, labor,	2 25
Ora Crosby, labor,	2 25
Edwin Crosby, labor,	3 00
B. W. Burrough, labor,	3 13
A. M. Hall, labor with team,	13 50
A. M. Hall, labor,	6 75
Edwin Crosby, labor,	2 25
Ora Crosby, labor,	2 25
Geo. Henry, labor,	2 25
Elmer Henry, labor,	2 25



Frank Clark, labor,	13 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	45 00
E. M. Pitcher, labor with truck,	4 00
R. S. Craig, labor with team,	9 00
Hammond Thorne, labor,	11 00
B. W. Burrough, labor,	11 00
Geo. Craig, labor,	8 75
Charlie Craig, labor,	1 50
Lee Mousley, labor,	9 00
Walter Savory, labor,	9 00
Willie Wilson, labor,	6 00
John Smith, labor with team,	10 00
Walter Simino, labor with team,	10 00
Clifford Burrough, labor,	2 25
C. E. Hatch, labor,	3 00
Wm. Ashbell, labor,	1 00
Wm. Ashbell, labor with horse,	95
Lyle Kemp, labor with team,	15 75
Geo. Comstock, labor,	2 25
John Smith, labor with team,	22 78
Walter Simino, labor with team,	22 78
Frank Clark, labor,	11 25
Hammond Thorne, labor,	7 75
B. W. Burrough, labor,	11 00
Willie Wilson, labor,	7 75
Lee Mousley, labor,	11 25
Walter Savory, labor,	11 25
C. E. Hatch, labor,	12 00
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	45 00
S. S. Craig, labor,	4 50
B. R. Taylor, labor,	4 50
Ray Fuller, labor,	2 25
Richard Bath, labor,	2 25
S. S. Pratt, labor with team,	9 00
H. D. Clark, labor with horse,	5 55
H. D. Clark, labor,	1 25

Mrs. H. O. Porter, labor with team,	13 00
Mrs. H. O. Porter, labor,	20 25
Edwin Crosby, labor,	75

## JUNE

John Smith, labor with team,	10 00
Walter Simino, labor with team,	10 00
B. R. Taylor, labor,	4 50
Lee Mousley, labor,	4 50
Lewis Russell, labor,	2 25
Forest Pratt, labor,	4 50
Henry Bosley, labor,	4 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	18 00
Richard Bath, labor,	1 38
Chas. Wilson, labor,	1 38
New England Explosive Corp.,	2 16
Henry Bosley, labor,	6 88
Forest Pratt, labor,	6 88
B. R. Taylor, labor,	4 63
Lewis Russell, labor,	4 63
Carroll Metcalf, labor,	4 63
Geo. Henry, labor,	4 63
Elmer Henry, labor,	4 63
Tony Nagine, labor,	4 63
Fred Ramsey, labor,	6 88
C. E. Hatch, labor,	3 00
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	9 50
W. F. Hammond, labor,	6 50
E. J. Stevens,	5 00
Elmer Henry, labor,	4 50
Geo. Henry, labor,	4 50
B. R. Taylor, labor,	2 25
Henry Bosley, labor,	4 50
Forest Pratt, labor,	4 50
Clarence Metcalf, labor,	4 50
Lewis Russell, labor,	4 50

Tony Nagine, labor,	4 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	18 00
C. J. Newell, 16.2 ft. plank,	3 24
New England Explosive Corp.,	2 16
Harold Lund, labor with team,	14 50
W. D. Stevens, labor with team,	30 00
Bert Dana, labor with team,	30 00
Geo. Comstock, labor,	13 50
Earl Comstock, labor,	6 00
Geo. Comstock, Jr., labor,	13 50
Wm. Comstock, labor,	13 50
Jesse Comstock, labor,	13 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	54 00
Clyde Stevens, labor,	10 25
C. E. Hatch, labor,	12 00
Lee Mousley, labor,	9 00
Morgan Whitten, labor,	2 25
Leon Whitten, labor,	2 25
Geo. Winham, labor,	6 75

## JULY

Geo. Winham, labor,	9 00
Lee Mousley, labor,	9 00
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	36 00
E. A. Tuttle, labor,	5 50
E. A. Tuttle, 935 ft. plank,	23 37
Earl Comstock labor,	6 75
C. E. Hatch, labor,	10 00
S. S. Pratt, labor with team,	13 50
New England Metal Culvert Co.,	51 31
B. G. Dana, labor with team,	2 00
Geo. Comstock, labor,	4 75
Herbert Lakin, labor with truck,	45 00
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	45 00
Geo. Winham, labor,	11 25
Lee Mousley, labor,	11 25

Earl Comstock, labor,	11 25
Clarence Metcalf, labor,	6 75
Wm. Hayes, labor,	11 25
Harmon, Whitten, labor,	5 63
John Mack, labor,	4 50
Bernard Henry, labor,	4 50
Lyle Kemp, labor,	1 56
C. J. Newell, lumber 160 ft.,	3 20
Earl Pitcher, labor with truck,	36 00
E. F. Reardon, use of tractor and road machine,	32 50
H. C. Metcalf, tools,	4 81
E. M. Pitcher, labor with truck,	36 50
Herbert Lakin, labor with truck,	36 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	45 50
John Mack, labor,	6 75
Wilford Mack, labor,	8 63
A. B. Lufkin, labor,	9 13
Arnold Keyes labor,	9 13
Ray Fuller, labor,	9 13
Lee Mousley, labor,	4 50
Carroll Metcalf, labor,	3 25
Geo. Winham, labor,	4 63
C. E. Hatch, labor,	6 16
Hermon Buss, labor,	2 25

## AUGUST

C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	34 75
C. E. Hatch, labor,	9 68
Lyle Kemp, labor with team,	6 00
Elmer Henry, labor,	2 25
Geo. Henry labor,	2 25
S. S. Pratt, labor with team,	9 00
S. S. Pratt, labor,	13 50
W. R. Burrough, gas,	4 38
A. M. Hall, labor with team,	5 50
New England Explosive Corp.,	1 90

Ervin Tuttle, 174 ft. lumber,	4 35
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	32 00
C. E. Hatch, labor,	4 00
Chas. Winham, labor,	7 00
Geo. Winham, labor,	7 00
Wm. Hayes, labor,	5 75
Wm. Comstock, labor,	1 75
Mrs. Geo. Taylor, cash paid for labor,	5 00
Hammond Const. Co., Inc., culvert,	22 93

## SEPTEMBER

H. J. Pratt, labor,	3 75
Bert Foster, labor,	2 25
Chas. Winham, labor,	4 25
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	43 00
Geo. Winham, labor,	3 25
Edwin Crosby, labor,	4 00
Roland Simmons, labor,	5 00
Earl Comstock, labor,	5 00
Earl Pitcher, labor with truck,	16 33
Herbert Lakin, labor with truck,	13 00
Albert Porter, labor,	1 25
Fred Porter, labor,	1 25
Jesse Grout, labor,	4 25
Elmer Henry, labor,	10 62
Harmon Whitten, labor,	3 00
Morgan Whitten, labor,	2 75
Wm. Hayes, labor,	2 25
A. B. Lufkin, labor,	2 50
Maurice Pitcher, labor,	2 00
Arnold Keyes, labor,	2 50
Kenneth Hatch, labor,	3 00
Ora Crosby, labor,	2 00
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	8 00
Carroll Metcalf, labor,	2 00
Bert Palmer, labor,	2 00

Wm. Hammond, labor,	50
Earl Hammond, labor,	25
Maurice Pitcher, labor,	1 25
Howard Hdw. Co., tile,	3 92
Jesse Grout, labor,	8 13
Clyde Stevens, labor,	2 25
John Grout, labor,	9 13
Zept Patch, labor with team,	2 25
C. E. Hatch, cash paid E. S. Sanford for team,	13 50
Ray Jeffs, labor with team,	11 50
Kopper Products Co., oil,	400 01
John Grout, labor with team,	6 50
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	18 00
H. J. Pratt, road drag,	5 00
H. J. Pratt, gravel,	1 40

## DECEMBER

Ora Crosby, labor,	1 00
Edwin Crosby, labor,	1 00
Elmer Henry, labor,	4 13
Kenneth Hatch, labor,	8 88
Carroll Metcalf, labor,	2 00
Lewis Russell, labor,	75
Walter Russell, labor,	75
Geo. Benware, grease and repair of tractor,	2 30
S. S. Pratt, labor with team,	13 50
Earl Rhoades, stringers for bridge,	3 86
Earl Rhoades, labor with horse,	1 25
C. E. Hatch, 3,236 ft. plank,	80 90
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	39 50
Morgan Whitten, labor,	2 00
Bert Dana, labor with team,	7 33
R. B. Hamblen, driving tractor,	35 75
Geo. Hodskins, labor,	88

## JANUARY 1934

C. E. Hatch, order of R. B. Hamblen,	40 15
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Elmer Rhoades, labor,	63
Howard Hdw. Co., bolts for tractor,	3 00
Mrs. H. O. Porter, labor,	1 00
Mrs. H. O. Porter, labor with team,	10 75
G. G. Benware, oil and gas,	32 75
Gilman Ellis, labor,	4 25
Henry Bosley, labor,	1 75
S. S. Craig, labor,	4 88
Albert Burrough, labor,	4 88
Chas. Simmons, labor,	75
Kenneth Hatch, labor,	1 50
Claire Fuller, labor,	1 25
Lee Mousley, labor,	1 75
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	41 00
C. E. Hatch, driving tractor,	8 80
C. E. Hatch, telephone,	40
C. E. Hatch, labor with team,	1 50
R. B. Hamblen, driving tractor,	19 25

## FEBRUARY

Claire Fuller, labor,	5 25
L. F. Bragg, cleaning culverts with fire hose,	1 50
Wm. Hayes, cleaning culverts with fire hose,	1 50
G. G. Benware, oil, gas and repairs,	65 71
A. L. Thayer, labor plowing roads, 1933,	2 00
A. L. Emerson, labor plowing walks,	6 00
Clifford Wheeler, labor plowing roads,	5 00
E. M. Pitcher, labor with truck,	9 31
Michael Cheplick, labor,	7 63
Kenneth Hatch, labor,	10 63
S. S. Craig, labor,	4 88
Chas. Simmons, labor,	4 75
C. E. Hatch, labor with truck,	61 00
Bert Brown, 247 yds. gravel,	24 70
Walter Simino, labor with truck,	13 00
Walter Simino, labor with team,	5 00

Walter Simino, labor,	3 25
W. D. Stevens, 25 yds gravel,	2 50
H. W. Jewett, blacksmithing,	4 77
A. M. Hall, labor with team,	9 00
A. M. Hall, labor,	1 00
B. W. Burrough, labor,	1 50
Kepper Products Co., patch,	21 75
Scraper blades,	8 11
Golding Keene Co., labor,	100 00
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	\$3,946 36
Balance from 1932,	\$124 11
Appropriated for 1933,	3,000 00
Appropriated for oil streets,	300 00
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	\$3,424 11
Orders drawn,	3,946 63
Overdraft,	522 25
CARROLL E. HATCH,	
Road Agent.	
Expended on Johnson road by order of county commissioners,	\$250 43



## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Feb. 1, 1934

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Name of Fund	Principal	Dividend	Paid out
Warren Monument Fund,	\$5,262.00	\$185.77	\$185.77
Shedd-Porter Library,	20,000.00	414.84	414.84
Kimball Library Fund,	2,465.19	87.02	87.02
Carpenter Library Fund,	500.00	17.64	17.64
C. F. Warren Library Fund,	5,650.00	240.12	240.12
Kingsbury School Fund,	606.00	18.56	18.56
Cemetery Trust Funds,	6,010.00	212.19	217.86

IRA M. RUSSELL,  
 C. J. NEWELL,  
 H. L. ESTABROOK,  
 Trustees.

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We the auditors of the Town of Alstead have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of Trust Funds and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers therefore.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
 LEON M. TROW,  
 Auditors of Alstead.

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Name of Fund	Principal	Balance	Dividend	Expended	Balance
Holbrook,	\$200.00	\$ .08	\$7.10	\$7.08	\$ .10
Well & Smith,	510.00		17.87	17.87	
Edith Kimball,	200.00	7.66	7.10	10.54	4.22
Gibson,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Browne,	500.00	42.22	17.65	22.00	37.87
Lovell,	200.00	.08	7.10	7.12	.06
Elwell,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Porter (Wentworth),	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Banks,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
J. C. Kimball,	500.00	35.90	17.65	24.00	29.55
Mary A. Dinnsmore,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Milliken,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Shepard,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Hatch (Graves),	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Emerson,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Breed (Green),	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Wood,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Smith,	200.00	2.36	7.10	9.00	.46
Glover,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Fay,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
W. W. Dinnsmore,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Blake,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Proctor (Meriam),	100.00	.54	3.54	2.00	2.08
Vine Porter,	200.00	.08	7.10	5.54	1.64
F. L. Prentiss,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Cook,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Patridge,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Rogers,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Colburn,	200.00	.08	7.10	7.08	.10
Lucy Porter,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Belt (French),	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Chandler,	100.00	.04	3.54	3.54	.04
Vilas,	1,000.00		35.00	27.75	7.25
	\$6,010.00	\$89.88	\$212.19	\$217.86	\$84.21
			89.88	84.21	
			\$302.07	\$302.07	
Balance cash on hand February 1, 1934,					\$84.21

IRA M. RUSSELL,  
C. J. NEWELL,  
H. L. ESTABROOK,  
Trustees.

**STATEMENT OF THE TREASURER OF THE  
SHEDD-PORTER LIBRARY  
For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1934**

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1933,	\$717 29
Received from Shedd-Porter fund,	414 84
Received from Warren fund,	240 12
Received from Kimball fund,	87 02
Received from Carpenter fund,	17 64
Received from water rents,	42 98
By sale of old heating plant,	50 00
Withdrawn from Walpole Savings account,	100 00
	\$1,669 89

PAYMENTS

Salaries,	\$740 00
Books and magazines,	87 89
Maintenance and repairs,	43 27
Fuel and light,	309 49
Incidentals (small supplies, check tax, postage, etc.),	28 94
	\$1,209 59
Total expense,	\$1,209 59
Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1934,	460 30
	\$1,669 89

In addition to the funds shown in the above balance sheet, the trustees have, since Feb. 1925, gradually accumulated an emergency fund which is on deposit at the Walpole Savings Bank and on July 1, 1933 amounted to \$753.44. One hundred dollars was withdrawn from this fund Sept. 23, 1933 and applied to the general funds of the Library.

We have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Shedd-Porter Library for the year ending Jan. 31, 1934, and find them correct with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
LEON M. TROW,  
Auditors of Alstead.

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**REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN OF THE  
SHEDD-PORTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY  
For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1934**

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Number of volumes at beginning of year,	4,010
Number of volumes added by purchase,	7
Number of volumes added by gift,	28
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	4,045
Number of volumes discarded,	25
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	4,020
Number of magazines currently received,	30
Pamphlets on file,	793
Number of volumes fiction lent,	6,400
Number of volumes non-fiction lent,	212
Number of magazines lent,	2,382
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Total circulation of year,	8,994
Number of new borrowers added,	33

Deposit station maintained in East Alstead.

LINA L. BATCHELDER,  
Librarian.

## PRECINCT TREASURER'S REPORT

From Jan. 31, 1933 to Feb. 1, 1934

### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1933,	\$94 35
Feb., Received Town Acworth fire, Dec. 25, 1933,	29 00
May 3, Received Town of Alstead taxes,	\$50 00
Oct. 21, Received Town of Alstead taxes,	100 00
Jan. 30, 1934, Received Town of Alstead taxes,	350 00
	\$500 00
Sept. 21, 1933, Received Town of Alstead, Molasky fire,	\$26 00
Received Town of Alstead, Miles fire,	14 51
Received Town of Alstead, Lund fire,	3 00
Received Town of Alstead, Footland fire,	5 50
	\$49 01
Nov. 20, Received Town of Walpole, Carl Main fire,	45 00
Nov. 20, Received Willard Kelley to correct of double pay at Main fire,	1 50
	\$718 86
Available cash on hand,	\$327 26
Frozen assets in Bellows Falls National Bank,	47 18
	\$374 44

### EXPENDITURES

Maintenance,	\$129 91
Expense of fires,	113 26

Fire Co. attending meetings,		13 50
Precinct officers:		
L. F. Bragg, warden, 1 yr.,	\$25 00	
Wm. Hayes, warden, 1 yr.,	25 00	
Ray Buss, warden, 1 yr.,	25 00	
M. A. Currier, treasurer 1 yr.,	10 00	
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Postage and stationery,		2 75
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Total balance,		\$374 44
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		\$718 86

We have examined the accounts of the Precinct Treasurer and find them correct with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
Town Auditor.

## SCHOOL WARRANT

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### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cheshire, ss.

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Alstead, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said district on the 13th day of March, 1934, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Art. 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

Art. 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Art. 8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

Art. 9. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Alstead this 5th day of February, 1934.

CARROLL E. HATCH,  
MAYBELLE H. STILL,  
Dr. P. B. STEVENS,

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—attest:

CARROLL E. HATCH,  
MAYBELLE H. STILL,  
Dr. P. B. STEVENS,

School Board.



## REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Alstead:

I herewith submit my first report as Superintendent of Schools.

In assuming the duties of superintendent in the Alstead district, I appreciate the efficient work which has been done by Mr. Thompson.

### ORGANIZATION AND ENROLLMENT

Two changes in the teaching positions have been made.

Mrs. Mildred Moulthrop succeeded Mr. Eldon Dustin as teacher in the upper grades of the Village school. Mrs. Moulthrop's reputation as a successful teacher in the Walpole schools is well known.

The cadet system of teaching at the Rhodes school was discontinued this year. The number of pupils enrolled this year justifies the services of a regular teacher. Miss Lulu Stylianos, who conducted the school well as a cadet, was elected to the position.

Standard tests are being given as a part of the program in supervision. The results of the tests will be tabulated for purposes of comparison. Remedial measures will be provided where deficiencies in fundamentals are apparent.

In the primary grades the importance of reading cannot be overestimated. In the new elementary program of studies developed by a committee of New Hampshire teachers and superintendents, it is recommended that formal reading should extend beyond Grade III. Training in silent reading as well as oral reading is emphasized. Through training in silent reading the pupils of the upper grades should be able to study

independently and assimilate text material prepared for pupils of their age and grade. Certain processes in arithmetic that seem very difficult for young children are mastered with comparative ease by pupils who are a little older and whose minds have developed to a point where they can understand such problems.

Milk is being supplied each day to twenty-five pupils in the Alstead schools.

Summary of Enrollment, January 15, 1934:

School	Teacher	Enrollment
Village Advanced	Mildred Moulthrop	26
Village Primary	Margaret Schnare	24
Alstead Center	Minnie Smith	10
East Alstead	Mildred Angier	22
Mica Mine	Lewis Snow	15
Rhodes	Lulu Stylianos	13
Total		110

### BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

The new window screens and screen doors at the Alstead Village and East Alstead schools were appreciated during the early weeks of the fall term.

A new flag staff and bracket were supplied at the Mica Mine school.

Application has been made to the Civil Works Administration for an appropriation to grade the school yard at East Alstead. This project is especially desirable since the level of the road has been raised.

Playground apparatus would be helpful in the organization of outside activity.

### FINANCES

The School Board's revised estimate of expenses for the present year is \$256.58 less than the amount actually spent in 1932-1933. The amount assessed for the support of elementary

schools for the school year 1933-1934 is the minimum that may be raised if the district is to qualify for State Aid.

#### ALSTEAD SCHOOL STATISTICAL REPORT FOR 1932-1933

Total Registration,	122
Average Membership,	115.13
Percentage of Attendance,	94.90
Cases of Tardiness,	281
Number of pupils not absent or tardy,	13

The number of cases of tardiness is excessive. It is a responsibility of the school to impress pupils with the importance of forming habits of promptness. I solicit the cooperation of parents in an attempt to improve the record for the present year.

#### HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS

The following Alstead pupils are attending high school:

Pupil	Grade	School attended		
		Bellows	Falls	High
Irene Croto	12	Bellows	Falls	High
Louise Pitcher	12	"	"	"
Marcia Tuttle	12	"	"	"
Bernard Henry	11	"	"	"
Harvey Pratt	12	"	"	"
Fred Carman	9	"	"	"
Gertrude Clark	10	"	"	"
Barbara Demerse	10	"	"	"
Joseph Cryszko	10	"	"	"
Richard Henry	10	"	"	"
Ian McLaren	9	"	"	"
Nancy Ober	9	"	"	"
Helen Bragg	9	"	"	"
Louise Chase	9	"	"	"
Ruth Hayes	9	"	"	"
Bertha Pratt	9	"	"	"
Charles Simmons	9	"	"	"
Roland Simmons	10	"	"	"

Frances Stevens	9	“	“	“
Harold Winham	9	“	“	“
Charles Luhsevisk	9	Keene		High
Edward Svosky	9	“		“
Frances Krochunas	11	“		“
Beatrice Svosky	11	“		“
Helen Svosky	11	“		“
Henry Svosky	12	“		“
Frederick Porter	9	Walpole		High
Marshall Dunn	12	“		“

I wish to express my appreciation of the cooperation received from members of the School Board, citizens, teachers, and pupils.

Respectfully submitted,  
 CHARLES D. DALZELL,  
 Superintendent of Schools.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1932 to June 30, 1933

### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, July 1, 1932,	\$1,307 37
State aid,	4,044 32
Town treasurer,	6,850 00
Dog licenses,	179 63
Elementary school tuition,	35 00
Warren, Wells and Kingsbury funds,	240 66
	\$12,656 88

### PAYMENTS

Salaries of district officers,	\$149 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	340 00
School census,	10 00
Expenses of administration,	60 11
Teachers' salaries,	5,225 00
Text books,	230 66
Scholars' supplies,	135 23
Flags and appurtenances,	5 50
Other expenses of instruction,	10 63
Janitor service,	304 30
Fuel,	307 50
Lights, and janitors' supplies,	87 20
Minor repairs and expenses,	247 08
Health supervision,	290 00
Transportation of pupils,	1,436 50
High school tuition,	2,559 55
Elementary school tuition,	302 00
Per capita tax,	268 00

Land and new buildings,	94 01
Total payments,	\$12,062 27
Balance on hand, June 30, 1933,	594 61
Grand total,	\$12,656 88

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the school board and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
Auditor.

**TEMPORARY FINANCIAL REPORT FROM JULY 1, 1933  
TO JAN. 31 1934**

RECEIPTS

Balance brought forward,	\$1,494 61
Received from elementary tuition,	99 00
Received from town treasurer,	3,600 00
Received from state aid,	3,796 30
Received from Warren Fund,	178 75
Received from Wells Fund,	7 87
Received from Kingsbury Fund,	18 54
Received from dog licenses,	178 47
	\$9,373 54

PAYMENTS

Superintendent's salary,	\$200 00
Census,	10 00
Expenses of administration,	19 64
Teachers' salaries,	2,745 00
Text books,	95 31
Scholars' supplies,	103 44
Flags and appurtenances,	9 07

Other expenses of instruction,	1 17
Janitor service,	144 50
Fuel,	139 50
Lights, and janitors' supplies,	85 07
Minor repairs and expenses,	152 97
Medical inspection, health supervision,	70 00
Transportation of pupils,	676 70
Insurance,	205 42
Per capita tax,	250 00
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	\$4,952 29
Balance in treasury,	4,421 25
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Grand total,	\$9,373 54

School Board of Alstead.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

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### ORDERS ISSUED BY SCHOOL BOARD IN ACCOUNT WITH H. L. ESTABROOK, TREASURER

July 1, 1932 to June 30, 1933

1932

July	22	44	John A. Smith, cleaning toilets 2 years,	\$4 00
July	22		Bellows Falls Trust Co., check tax,	24
Aug.	20	45	John A. Smith, cleaning Al. Center wood shed,	4 00
Aug.	20		Bellows Falls Trust Co., check tax,	22
Sept.	8	46	Bragg Lumber Co., 1 gal floor paint,	2 43
Sept.	8	47	John H. Allen, moderator for 2 years,	6 00
Sept.	8	48	C. E. Hatch, labor on flag pole and hawling sand,	12 91
Sept.	8	49	Geo. S. Burroughs, 3 cds. wood at Al. Center,	19 50
Sept.	8	50	L. O. Thompson, Union expenses,	3 70
Sept.	8	51	Bellows Falls Paper Co., 6 cs. towels,	23 70
Sept.	8	52	Tucker's, expenses of administration,	2 00
Sept.	8	53	Beckley-Cardy Co., text books,	13 71
Sept.	8	54	The Hohn C. Winston Co., books,	19 18
Sept.	8	55	American Book Co., books,	5 40
Sept.	8	56	Masury Young Co., janitor supplies,	7 16
Sept.	16	57	Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	185 77
Sept.	16	58	E. B. Watson, service as auditor,	4 00
Sept.	16	59	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks transportation,	16 00
Sept.	16	60	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Sept.	16	61	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Sept.	16	62	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Sept.	16	63	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64



Sept. 16	64	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Sept. 16	65	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24 00
Sept. 23	66	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
Sept. 28	67	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks transportation,	16 00
Sept. 29	68	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24 00
Sept. 30	69	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Sept. 30	70	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Sept. 30	71	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Sept. 30	72	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Sept. 30	73	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Sept. 30	74	Roy Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	36 10
Oct. 3	75	W. D. Stevens, 4 weeks transportation,	41 80
Oct. 3	76	Mrs. Etta Rhoades, cleaning school house,	3 50
Oct. 3	77	Edith Burroughs, cleaning school house,	10 00
Oct. 3	78	R. S. Burroughs, labor on well, \$14.50, Pump, \$5.00,	19 50
Oct. 3	79	G. S. Burroughs, 6 eds., wood, Mica sch.,	39 00
Oct. 3	80	Grafton County Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	2 25
Oct. 3	81	R. E. Hill, 250 census cards,	3 69
Oct. 3	82	D. H. Sprague, repairs,	119 44
Oct. 3	83	Herman Chase, repairs,	7 75
Oct. 3	84	Edward E. Babb & Co., books,	57 30
Oct. 3	85	World Book Co., books,	6 42
Oct. 3	86	The Arlo Publishing Co., books,	66
Oct. 3	87	Benj. H. Sanborn Publishing & Co., books,	14 86
Oct. 3	88	The Macmillian Co., books,	4 40
Oct. 3	89	Houghton Mifflin Co., books,	9 39
Oct. 12	90	Rm. Peterson & Co., books,	9 60
Oct. 12	91	American Book Co., books,	2 04
Oct. 12	92	Charles Scribner's Sons, books,	80

Oct.	12	93	Webster Publishing Co., books,	1 32
Oct.	12	94	Silver, Burdett & Co., books,	3 27
Oct.	12	95	J. B. Lippincott Co., books,	2 33
Oct.	12	96	D. C. Heath & Co., books,	18 17
Oct.	12	97	The Bobbs-Merrill Co., books,	1 73
Oct.	12	98	Floyd B. Rhoades, 2 cds wood,	14 00
Oct.	12.	99	Carrie L. Clark, 5 cds. wood,	30 00
Oct.	13	100	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks transportation,	16 00
Oct.	14	101	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Oct.	14	102	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Oct.	14	103	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Oct.	14	104	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching less \$20.00 sub.,	28 64
Oct.	14	105	Ola Hubbard, 1 weeks teaching,	20 00
Oct.	14	106	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Oct.	14	107	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks teaching,	12 50
Oct.	27	108	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks transportation,	16 00
Oct.	28	109	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Oct.	28	110	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Oct.	28	111	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Oct.	28	112	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Oct.	28	114	Roy Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	34 20
Oct.	28	115	Waldo Stevens, 4 weeks transportation,	39 60
Oct.	28	113	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Oct.	31	116	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 5 weeks transportation,	55 20
Nov.	4	117	Clifford Marvin, 2 weeks janitor,	12 50
Nov.	11	118	Floyd Rhoades, 8½ hrs. labor,	2 84
Nov.	18	119	Fred Griffith, 3 hrs. labor,	1 05
Nov.	11	120	E. A. Tuttle, 2 cds. wood,	13 00
Nov.	11	121	The John C. Winston Co., books,	9 05
Nov.	11	122	J. L. Hammett Co., Slate blackboard,	9 00
Nov.	11	123	Longman's Green & Co., books,	16 38
Nov.	11	124	Clarkes E. Merrill, books,	13 06

Nov. 11	125	Scott, Foresman & Co., books,	1 24
Nov. 11	126	L. O. Thompson, expenses of union,	3 98
Nov. 11	127	H. R. Tucker, stationery,	1 95
Nov. 11	128	Dowling School Supply, scholars supplies,	6 10
Nov. 11	129	Grafton Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	1 00
Nov. 11	130	Geo. B. Albee Co., supplies by H. Dennett,	14 35
Nov. 11	131	Heman Chase, labor at Rhoades sch. house,	5 06
Nov. 11	132	H. C. Metcalf, Cement, pipe, etc.,	3 70
Nov. 11	133	C. J. Newell, wood and boards,	10 70
Nov. 11	134	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Nov. 11	135	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Nov. 11	136	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Nov. 11	137	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Nov. 11	138	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Nov. 17	139	W. F. Hammond, 3 weeks transportation,	22 40
Nov. 18	140	Lulu Stylianos, janitor service,	11 00
Nov. 23	141	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Nov. 23	142	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Nov. 23	143	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Nov. 23	144	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Nov. 23	145	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching, \$51.34, 12 weeks janitor, \$12.00,	63 34
Nov. 23	146	Roy Buss, 4 weeks trans- portation, 3 days,	32 30
Nov. 23	147	Waldo Stevens, 4 weeks trans- portation, 3 days,	37 40
Nov. 23	148	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
Nov. 25	149	Roy H. Buss, drawing water to Als. Cen.,	10 50
Nov. 30	150	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 4 weeks trans- portation,	42 00
Dec. 12	151	Charles Luksevish, 13 weeks janitor,	13 30

Dec. 12	152	Elden H. Dutin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Dec. 12	153	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Dec. 12	154	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Dec. 12	155	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Dec. 12	156	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Dec. 12	157	Edward C. Green, supt. excess salary,	340 00
Dec. 12	158	State treasurer, per capita tax,	268 00
Dec. 12	159	Earl Rhoades, 52 hours labor,	20 80
Dec. 12	160	Elmer Rhoades, 52 hrs. labor,	20 80
Dec. 12	161	W. F. Hammond 2 weeks trans- portation,	16 00
Dec. 15	175	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks trans- portation,	24 00
Dec. 15	176	Willie LeFluer, 15 weeks janitor,	15 00
Dec. 16	162	Elden H. Dustin, 1 weeks teaching,	25 67
Dec. 16	163	Lewis A. Snow, 1 weeks teaching,	27 00
Dec. 16	164	Mildred I. Angier, 1 weeks teaching,	27 00
Dec. 16	165	Margaret Schnare, 1 weeks teaching,	24 32
Dec. 16	166	Minnie E. Smith, 1 weeks teaching	25 67
Dec. 16	167	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
Dec. 16	168	Roy Buss, 3 weeks transportation,	28 50
Dec. 16	169	W. D. Stevens, 3 weeks transportation,	33 00
Dec. 16	170	Grafton Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	2 20
Dec. 16	171	Spencer Hardware Co., 10 rods farm fence,	7 25
Dec. 16	172	O. H. Riley, material for Rhoades sch.,	18 89
Dec. 16	173	C. E. Hatch, wood and lumber,	27 72
Dec. 16	174	Margaret Dennett, small supplies,	4 50
Dec. 23	177	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks trans- portation,	16 00
Dec. 31	178	M. H. Still, cleaning at Village sch., \$5.00, 20 sacks for screening, \$.70,	5 70
1933			
Jan. 3	179	Keene Normal School, 15 weeks cadet teacher,	255 00

Jan.	3	180	Union School Dist., Keene, 5 H. S. tuitions,	179 00
Jan.	3	181	School Dept. Town of Rockingham, 21 H. S. tuitions,	714 00
Jan.	3	182	Walpole School Dist., 2 H. S. tuitions, 6 Elem.,	149 00
Jan.	3	183	Edward C. Green, Union treasurer's salary, School Nurse $\frac{1}{2}$ year,	145 00
Jan.	3	184	Grafton County Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	1 80
Jan.	3	185	Eva A. Speare, N. H. Fed. of Women's Clubs, 2 books,	2 05
Jan.	3	186	L. O. Thompson, Union expenses,	2 76
Jan.	3	187	A. O. Yeager, repairs at No. 5 school,	8 00
Jan.	3	188	Knowlton & Stone Co., nails for Rhoades school,	1 60
Jan.	11	189	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24 00
Jan.	14	190	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Jan.	14	191	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Jan.	14	192	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Jan.	14	193	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Jan.	14	194	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Jan.	21	195	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
Jan.	24	196	W. F. Hammond, 3 weeks transportation,	24 00
Jan.	26	201	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24 00
Jan.	27	197	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Jan.	27	198	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Jan.	27	199	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Jan.	27	200	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Jan.	27	202	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Jan.	27	203	Roy H. Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	38 00
Jan.	27	204	W. D. Stevens, 4 weeks transportation,	44 00
Feb.	2	205	Christine Batten, 9 weeks janitor,	9 00

Feb.	9	211	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24	00
Feb.	10	206	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51	34
Feb.	10	207	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54	00
Feb.	10	208	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54	00
Feb.	10	209	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48	64
Feb.	10	210	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51	34
Feb.	10	212	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks transportation,	16	00
Feb.	10	213	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12	50
Feb.	11	214	Charles Luksenish, 8 weeks janitor,	8	00
Feb.	22	215	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	21	60
Feb.	24	216	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51	34
Feb.	24	217	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54	00
Feb.	24	218	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54	00
Feb.	24	219	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48	64
Feb.	24	220	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51	34
Feb.	24	221	Roy Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	36	10
Feb.	24	222	W. D. Stevens, 2 weeks transportation,	41	80
Feb.	24	223	A. R. Davis, carbolic acid,	30	
Mar.	3	224	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12	50
Mar.	4	225	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks transportation,	16	00
Mar.	17	226	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51	34
Mar.	17	227	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54	00
Mar.	17	228	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54	00
Mar.	17	229	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48	64
Mar.	17	230	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51	34
Mar.	17	236	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24	00
Mar.	23	237	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks transportation,	24	00
Mar.	25	231	C. E. Hatch, salary,	35	00
Mar.	25	232	M. H. Still, salary,	50	00

Mar. 25	233	Margaret Dennett, salary,	35 00
Mar. 25	234	H. L. Estabrook, salary,	25 00
Mar. 25	235	Crafton County Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	3 00
Mar. 25	238	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Mar. 25	239	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Mar. 25	240	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Mar. 25	241	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Mar. 25	242	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching, 12 weeks janitor,	69 34
Mar. 25	243	W. D. Stevens, 4 weeks trans- portation,	44 00
Mar. 25	244	Roy Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	38 00
Mar. 25	245	Shattuck & Rice, 1 transfer file,	1 80
Mar. 25	246	Tuckers, expense of administration,	2 25
Mar. 25	247	W. F. Hammond, 3 weeks trans- portation,	24 00
Mar. 25	248	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
Apr. 6	249	Willie LeFluer, 12 weeks janitor,	12 00
Apr. 7	250	Lewis A. Snow, 1 weeks teaching,	27 00
Apr. 7	251	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks trans- portation,	16 00
Apr. 17	252	Bertha Mack, 8 weeks janitor,	8 00
Apr. 21	253	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Apr. 21	254	Lewis A. Snow, 1 weeks teaching,	27 00
Apr. 21	255	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
Apr. 21	256	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
Apr. 21	257	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
Apr. 24	258	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks trans- portation,	16 00
Apr. 27	259	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 3 weeks trans- portation,	36 00
Apr. 28	260	Lewis A. Snow, 1 weeks teaching,	27 00
Apr. 28	261	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
May 5	262	Keene Normal School, 10 weeks cadet teacher,	170 00

May	5	263	Bertha Mack, 1 weeks janitor,	1 00
May	5	264	Charles Luksenish, 10 weeks janitor,	10 00
May	5	265	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
May	5	266	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
May	5	267	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
May	5	268	Lewis A. Snow, 1 weeks teaching,	27 00
May	5	269	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
May	5	270	W. D. Stevens, 4 weeks transportation,	41 80
May	5	271	Roy Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	36 10
May	5	272	M. H. Still, taking census,	10 00
May	5	273	Tuckers, stationery,	1 80
May	5	274	Pecks Drug Store, 6 boxes straws,	2 40
May	5	275	L. O. Thompson, expense of adminis- tration,	1 69
May	5	276	Fenton & Hennessey, 25 sets of glides,	1 35
May	5	277	Grafton County Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	1 55
May	11	278	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks trans- portation,	16 00
May	11	279	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks trans- portation,	24 00
May	19	280	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
May	19	281	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
May	19	282	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
May	19	283	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
May	19	284	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
May	19	285	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
May	25	286	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 2 weeks trans- portation,	21 60
May	25	287	W. F. Hammond, 2 weeks trans- portation,	16 00
May	27	288	L. M. Trow, premium treasurer's bond,	15 00
June	2	289	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34
June	2	290	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
June	2	291	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	54 00
June	2	292	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching,	51 34



June 2	293	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 64
June 2	294	W. D. Stevens, 4 weeks transportation,	44 00
June 2	295	Union School Dist. of Keene, 5 H. S. tuitions,	179 40
June 2	296	Roy Buss, 4 weeks transportation,	38 00
June 7	314	Mrs. H. O. Porter, 3 weeks trans- portation,	33 60
June 15	308	Clifford Marvin, 3 weeks janitor,	12 50
June 15	315	Floyd Rhoades, 1 cd wood,	7 00
June 15	297	Edward C. Green, School nurse $\frac{1}{2}$ year,	145 00
June 15	298	W. R. Burroughs, 3 loads wood,	21 00
June 15	299	Union School Dist. Keene, 5 H. S. tuitions,	75 00
June 15	300	E. J. Plantier, lettering 16 diplomas,	5 60
June 15	301	Elden H. Dustin, 2 weeks teaching,	51 55
June 15	302	Lewis A. Snow, 2 weeks teaching,	55 00
June 15	303	Mildred I. Angier, 2 weeks teaching,	55 00
June 15	304	Minnie E. Smith, 2 weeks teaching, \$51.55, 7 weeks janitor, \$7.00,	58 55
June 15	305	Margaret Schnare, 2 weeks teaching,	48 80
June 15	306	W. D. Stevens, 2 weeks transportation,	22 00
June 15	307	Roy Buss, 2 weeks transportation,	19 00
June 15	309	Willie LeFluer, 10 weeks janitor,	10 00
June 15	310	Harriett Anderson, 8 weeks janitor,	8 00
June 15	311	Charles Lukenish, 6 weeks janitor,	6 00
June 15	312	Keene Normal School, 12 weeks teaching,	204 00
June 15	313	School Dept. Town of Rockingham, H. S. tuitions,	1,087 75
June 15	316	Field & Lawrence, 10 ton coal,	145 00
June 15	317	W. F. Hammond, 3 weeks trans- portation,	22 40
June 20	318	Moore Brothers, Graduation items,	6 68
June 20	319	H. L. Estabrook, stationery and supplies,	6 84
June 20	320	School Dist. of Walpole, Elem. tuition, \$163.00, H. S. tuition, \$70.00,	233 00

June 20	321	School Dist. of Gilsum, Elem. tuition,	40 00
June 20	322	Elden H. Dustin, 19 yds. ribbon for diplomas,	2 00
June 20	323	Grafton County Elec. Light & Power Co., lights,	1 50
June 22	324	Minnie E. Smith, balance janitor work 6 weeks,	6 00
June 22	325	Clifford Burroughs, splitting wood,	50
June 22	326	C. E. Hatch, 3 loads kindling, \$12.00, repairing seats, \$.75,	12 75
Total paid out,			<hr/> \$12,062 73

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RECEIPTS

1932

July 1	Cash on hand,	\$162 45
Sept. 1	Rebate from Bellows Falls Trust Co., check tax,	46
Sept. 15	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, balane due from last year,	1,144 82
Oct. 10	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	800 00
Nov. 11	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	900 00
Dec. 12	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	1,000 00
Dec. 16	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	300 00
Dec. 23	Eva R. Smith, treasurer, Langdon tuition,	15 00
Dec. 31	State of New Hampshire, equalization fund,	4,044 32

1933

Jan. 31	H. L. Estabrook, trustee treasurer, Wells fund,	10 60
Jan. 31	H. L. Estabrook, trustee treasurer, Warren fund,	200 56
Jan. 31	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, dog tax,	179 63

Jan. 31	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, Kingsbury fund,	29 50
Apr. 15	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	1,000 00
May 29	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	1,000 00
June 14	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	1,500 00
June 19	Emma J. Downing, treasurer, Gilsum tuition,	20 00
June 24	H. T. Moore, town treasurer, school appropriation,	350 00
Total receipts,		\$12,657 34
Total expenditures,		12,062 73
Balance,		\$594 61
Balance due schools from town appropriation,		900 00
		\$1,494 61
Impounded in Bellows Falls Trust Company,		457 78

I have examined the accounts of the School Treasurer of the town of Alstead and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,  
Auditor.

### SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1934-1935

#### DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

##### Support of schools

Teachers' salaries,	\$5,350 00
Text books,	150 00
Scholars' supplies,	150 00
Flags, etc.,	10 00
Other expenses of inst.,	35 00

Janitor service,	335 00	
Fuel,	300 00	
Water, light, etc.,	100 00	
Minor repairs, etc.,	200 00	
Health supervision,	140 00	
Transportation,	1,500 00	
Elementary tuitions,	400 00	
Other special activities,	10 00	
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		\$8,680 00
Other statutory requirements		
Salaries of district officers,	\$150 00	
Truant officer and census,	10 00	
Superintendent's salary,	200 00	
Per capita tax,	282 00	
Other obligations,	50 00	
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		692 00
Total amount required to meet S. B. budget,		<hr/>
		\$9,372 00

## ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State aid,	\$3,722 00	
Dog tax,	150 00	
Trust funds,	190 00	
Elementary school tuitions,	37 00	
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		\$4,099 00
Deduct total estimate income		
(not raised by Taxation),		\$4,099 00
Assessment required to balance S. B. budget,		\$5,273 00

CARROLL E. HATCH,  
MAYBELLE H. STILL,  
PARKER B. STEVENS M. D.,  
School Board.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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Mr. C. D. Dalzell,  
Supt. of Schools,  
Walpole, N. H.,

Dear Sir:—

I herewith submit my annual report as school nurse:

114 pupils were examined.

21 pupils were under weight.

60 pupils were in need of dental care.

6 pupils were unvaccinated—without proper excuse.

7 pupils showed defective vision uncorrected.

21 pupils had enlarged or diseased tonsils.

8 pupils had enlarged glands.

14 pupils have had dental care.

4 pupils have had special examination and defects corrected.

1 pupil has been vaccinated.

1 tonsil case was treated at a clinic at the Keene Community Hospital.

An under weight clinic was held at the Mica Mine School May 23rd, 1933. Twenty pupils, three pre-school children were examined by Dr. Robert Kerr of the New Hampshire Tuberculosis Association. With the consent of the parents, skin tests were given to all the children, the reactions were read at forty-eight and seventy-two hours after injection, by Mrs. Mildred Gage Aiken, County Tuberculosis Nurse, a report of the examination and tests were made by Mrs. Aiken and the School Nurse to the parents.

I wish to express my appreciation of the cooperation of the parents in the work accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES F. EDGETT, R. N.  
School Nurse.

# VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of legislature passed June session 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report," I hereby submit the following:

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1933.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any.)	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female.	Living or Stillborn.							
1933										
Feb. 9	Howard B. Braeg, Jr.	M	L	Howard B. Braeg	Fernestine Clark	Laborer	Alstead	Alstead		
Jan. 27	Carlene M. Pratt	F	L	Forrest H. Pratt	Ruth E. Clark	Laborer	Alstead	Alstead		
Apr. 29	Lewis O. Brooks	M	L	James J. Brooks, Jr.	Ethel M. Pratt	Laborer	Langdon	Alstead		
" 20	Joyce Ellis	F	L	Gilman Ellis	Grace Sadler	Laborer	Grafton, Vt.	Millerboro		
" 30	Marceline T. Croto	F	L	Napoleon Croto	Cora D. Croto	Farmer	Alstead	Marlboro		
June 3	Warren H. Campbell	M	L	Richard J. Campbell	Lottie Davis	Farmer	Rockingham, Vt.	Langdon		
May 17	Griffin L. Tuttle	M	L	Flint Tuttle	Ruth Kemp	Laborer	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Charlestown		
" 22	Margaret Benware	F	L	George G. Benware	Ruth Nims	Garage owner	Charlestown	Sullivan		
July 30	Reverly J. Griffin	F	L	Edward Griffin	Perl M. Dean	Farmer	Kent, Conn.	Newport, Vt.		
Sept. 10	Mary M. Brooks	F	L	James L. Brooks	Edith M. Pratt	Brick mason	Malone, N. Y.	Charlestown		
" 21	Kenneth C. Keyes	M	L	Arnold Keyes	Sarah Turner	Hotel prop.	Springfield, Vt.	Springfield, Mass.		

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1933.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
1933 Jan. 21	Alstead	Heman Chase Edith H. Newlin	Alstead Litchfield, Ct.	31 27	Surveyor Teacher	Brookline, Ms. Plainfield, Ind.	H. Lincoln Chase Eli J. Newlin	Newton H's, Ms. Plainfield, Ind.	1st 1st	H. Demmet, J P Alstead
Mar. 9	B. Falls, Vt.	Hugh Joseph Talbot Alma E. Hodgkins	B. Falls, Vt. Alstead	21	Cook	Bellows Fs., Vt. Alstead	Joseph S. Talbot Eugene Hodgkins	Canada Alstead	1st 1st	Rv C M Spidell B. Falls, Vt.
Apr. 6	B. Falls, Vt.	James Jos. Brooks, Jr. Ethel Melvina Pratt	Alstead	24 16	Laborer	Langdon Alstead	James Brooks Oscar Pratt	New York Alstead	1st 1st	Rv C M Spidell B. Falls, Vt.
Apr. 18	Alstead	Charles G. King Emma E. Currier	Colechester, Vt. Alstead	28 26	Minister At home	Okahumpka, Fla. Langdon	Geo. J. King Mars'l A. Currier	Okahumpka, Fla. Langdon	1st 1st	Rv T L Crosby Waterbury, Ct.
May 15	B. Falls, Vt.	Carl F. French Stella M. Porter	Keene Alstead	30	Teamster At home	Marlow Charlestown	Wallace French Henry O. Porter	Bridgewater, Vt. Warren, Vt.	2d 1st	Rv C M Spidell B. Falls, Vt.
June 25	Alstead	Roger E. White Hazel R. Simmons	Winchester Alstead	21 18	Farmer At home	Winchester Alstead	Fred E. White Chas. H. Simmons	Walpole P. E. Island	1st 1st	Rv. G. T. Carl Winchester
July 12	B. Falls, Vt.	James Brooks Edith Pratt	Alstead	55 20	Mason	New York Alstead	Leslie Brooks Oscar Pratt	Alstead	2d 1st	Rv. C M Spidell B. Falls, Vt.
Sept. 3	Alstead	Walter J. Emerson Iola M. Alexander	B. Falls, Vt. B. Falls, Vt.	24 19	Truck driver Housework	Brattleboro, Vt. Pittsford, Vt.	Wm. J. Emerson Cyrus J. Alexander	Canada Pittsford, Vt.	2d 1st	Rv E. H. Johnson Alstead

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.



MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1933.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Aug. 31	Alstead	Irving E. Reed Marjory V. Parry	Westm'ter, Vt. Westm'ter, Vt.	26 20	Farmer At home	Methuen, Mass. Minnesota	Henry C. Reed Howard Parry	England Ohio	1st 1st	Rv V C Town'd E. Falls, Vt.
Aug. 31	Charlestown	Willis H. Craig Edna M. Hodgkins	Alstead Surry	24 19	Farming Cook	Alstead Surry	Rollin S. Craig Leon A. Hodgkins	Andover, Vt. Surry	1st 1st	Rv. L. C. Reed Charlestown
Sept. 10	Keene	Albert H. Burroughs Maxine A. Lewis	Alstead Alstead	23 22	Carpenter At home	Alstead Bellows Fs., Vt.	Ernest Burroughs Edgar G. Lewis	Alstead Acworth	1st 1st	Rv W S Gooch Keene
Sept. 30	Alstead	Clifford A. Rideout Lill G. Ahlquist	Raynham, Ms. Attleboro, Ms.	28 19	Farm mgr. Secretary	Washburn, Me. Sweden	Dell R. Rideout Emil T. Ahlquist	Castle Hill, Me Sweden		Rv E H Johnson Alstead
Nov. 5	Alstead	Frank C. Dustin Doris M. Buswell	Acworth Alstead	26 21	Civil eng. Tel. opr.	Concord Alstead	Frank B. Dustin Elmer G. Buswell	Hebron Acworth	1st 1st	Rv. N. Davis Pelham

\*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1933.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age			Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male or Female.	S, M, W.*	Father.	Mother.		
1933											
Feb. 2	Elizabeth O. Rogers	89	3	28	Brattleboro, Vt.	F	W	Reading, Vt.	David Allen	Elvira Sawtell	
Mar. 18	Eli Leon Keyes	65	5	18	Reading, Vt.	M	M	Surry	Augustus Keyes	Etta Burnham	
Apr. 14	Emily M. Bragg	79	11	13	Reading, Vt.	F	S	Maine	Alba M. Bragg	Susan D. Allen	
—	Benj. Andralanjos	39	6	29	Maine	M	S		Jessie Hall		
July 8	Lewis F. Hall	72	5	8	Maine	M	M		Oliver Pratt	Elphire Person	
Aug. 8	Lucy Rose Patch	61	5	10	Townsend, Vt.	F	W	Connecticut	Nelson Wilson	Harriet Towne	
" 26	Lucius E. Wilson	73	5	10	Westminster, Vt.	M	W	Compton, Quebec	William Bowen	Lewvia Knot	
Sept. 12	Edna Lillian Smith	59	9	12	Compton, Quebec	F	W	Springfield, Ms.	William E. Bouticou	Carolyn Thayer	
Nov. 1	Fred T. Bouticou	73	8	0	Claremont	M	M		Benjamin W. Still	Celinda Pigley	
Dec. 19	Don H. Still	85	9	21	Claremont	M	M				
BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL											
1933											
Feb. 15	Vienna Clark	67			Gilsum	F	S	Gilsum	Solomon Mack	Adeline Knight	
" 23	Floris E. Royce	76				M		Marlow			
July 20	Dr. Edward C. Kirk	76									
—	Ella S. Whitney	77	7	1		F	W		John Pratt	Louvisa Covey	
Aug. 19	Sarah Moulthrop	82	2	23		F	W				

\*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY C. METCALF,  
Town Clerk.



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