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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

PALMER C. REED

Selectmen

FRANCIS E. ATWOOD JOHN F. McNAMARA
HERMAN D. ROGERS

Town Clerk

NELLIE ZEA

Treasurer

SUSIE JORDAN

Collector of Taxes

VERNON A. HOOD

Supervisors of Check List

PALMER C. READ, JR. OTIS W. JORDAN
EDWIN M. PORTER

Road Agent

MAURICE D. KING

Trustees of Trust Funds

PALMER C. READ HOWARD ZEA
JOHN W. WHITNEY

Auditors

HOWARD W. CHELLIS JOHN W. WHITNEY

Constable

JOHN F. McNAMARA EVERETT LaBARRON

Dog Constable

EDWARD M. PIERCE

Library Trustees

SARA C. WHITAKER HENRIETTA DAVIS
LENA A. READ ETHEL P. DUNCKLEE
SYLVIA GRAY RUTH L. ROGERS

NOTICE

Selectmen will meet at Town Hall
Second Saturday of each month

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| March | Meriden |
| April | Plainfield |
| May | Meriden |
| June | Plainfield |
| July | Meriden |
| August | Plainfield |
| September | Meriden |
| October | Plainfield |
| November | Meriden |
| December | Plainfield |
| January | Meriden |
| February | Plainfield |

TOWN WARRANT

March 1947

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Plainfield in the County of Sullivan in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Plainfield on Tuesday, the 11th day of March, next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

Article 1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, Treasurer, Tax Collector, one or more Highway agents, one Trustee of Trust Funds, for three years, two Library Trustees for three years, and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and to be paid on or before one year, pursuant to the Laws of 1917.

Art. 3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to pay outstanding notes and interest.

Art. 4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for support of Town poor.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3000.00 to purchase a tractor shovel.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise the amount of money required by law to secure State Aid on Class 5 highways, plus any additional amounts necessary.

Art. 7 To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for construction on the Class 2 road known as the Plainfield-Meriden Stage road and raise for said pur-

pose the sum of \$1,266.00 and the State will contribute \$3,798.00

Art. 8. To see what sum of money if any, the Town will vote to raise to assist the citizens of Plainfield to Hospital expenses, also to appoint a committee or make resolutions regarding the same.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$150.00 for the use of the Health department.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of publicising and promoting the natural advantages of the Town, together with other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee region.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to assist in the control of White Pine Blister Rust.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to secure the assistance of the State Tax Commission in reappraising the taxable property in the Town in order to secure a greater equality as between tax payers, and to insure the assessment of all property in the Town on the same standard of value, and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 15. To see what action, if any, the Town will take to provide for a memorial for the Service men and women in the Town of Plainfield.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a safe for the use of the Tax Collector, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to pay all necessary Town expenses for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the division of Municipal Accounting and make an appropriation to cover the expenses of such an audit.

Art. 19. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to deed to the present occupants of Leased Land, whose rent is paid in full or will pay when permission is granted by the Superior Court for the disposal of such property. The balance of such property disposed of according to the vote of the Town, March 12th, 1946.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Dog Constable to collect as his fee the sum of \$1.00 for each delinquent dog license issued after June 1st of each year.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to close the road known as the Cram Hill Road, subject to gates and bars, from the Cuddy Place to the intersection of Main road from Daniels to Woodward Place.

Art. 22. To see what action if any, the Town wishes to take in regard to the old Meriden Village school house.

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount of 2% on all 1947 property taxes paid on or before July 10th.

Art. 24. To see what action the Town will take in regards to the reports of the Town Officers.

Art. 25. To transact any other business that may legally and properly come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 24th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty seven.

FRANCIS E. ATWOOD,
JOHN F. McNAMARA,
HERMAN D. ROGERS,
Selectmen of Plainfield

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANCIS E. ATWOOD,
JOHN F. McNAMARA,
HERMAN D. ROGERS,
Selectmen of Plainfield

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

Sources of Revenue

From State:

Interest and Dividends

| | Actual | Estimate | Increase | Decrease |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|----------|----------|
| Tax | \$3,823.99 | \$3,823.99 | \$ | \$ |
| Railroad Tax | 24.44 | 24.44 | | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 154.95 | 154.95 | | |
| Class V Highways | 1,486.70 | 1,486.70 | | |
| Old Age Assistance | 10.48 | 10.48 | | |
| For Fighting Forest Fires | 75.48 | 25.00 | | 50.48 |
| Bounties | 61.50 | 73.50 | 12.00 | |
| State Aid Construction | 4,884.79 | | | 4,884.79 |

**From Local Sources Ex-
cept Taxes:**

| | | | | |
|--|----------|----------|-------|--------|
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 26.88 | 26.88 | | |
| Income from Trust Funds | 82.04 | 82.04 | | |
| Income of Departments: | | | | |
| (a) Highway, including rental of equipment | 1,045.75 | 300.00 | | 745.75 |
| (b) Filing Fees | 20.00 | 10.00 | | 10.00 |
| Interest on Cuddy Note | 22.38 | 22.38 | | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 968.36 | 1,000.00 | 31.64 | |

PLAINFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

**January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947 Compared with Actual
Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946**

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

| | Actual | Estimated | Increase | Decrease |
|--|-------------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$ 1,367.25 | \$ 1,200.00 | \$ | \$ 167.25 |
| Town Officers Expenses | 343.83 | 350.00 | 6.17 | |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 452.13 | 200.00 | | 252.13 |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs. | 286.04 | 500.00 | 213.96 | |

Protection of Persons and Property:

| | | | | |
|-------------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| Damage by Dogs | 41.62 | 50.00 | 8.38 | |
| Police Department | | 50.00 | 50.00 | |
| Fire Department | 523.59 | 350.00 | | 173.59 |
| Blister Rust | 400.00 | 400.00 | | |
| Bounties | 73.50 | 73.50 | | |

Health:

| | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--|
| Health Department, including hospitals | 144.50 | 350.00 | 205.50 | |
| Vital Statistics | 25.00 | 25.00 | | |

Highways and Bridges:

| | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| Tractor and Plow | 1,073.57 | 1,200.00 | 126.43 | |
| Town Maintenance: | | | | |
| Summer | 6,216.67 | 4,500.00 | | 1,716.67 |
| Winter | 2,363.17 | 3,000.00 | 636.83 | |
| Street Lighting | 96.44 | 100.00 | 3.56 | |
| General Expense of Highway Department | 1,655.32 | 1,700.00 | 44.68 | |
| Truck Expense | 2,712.69 | 2,000.00 | | 712.69 |
| Withholding Tax | 680.50 | 680.50 | | |

Libraries

| | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|-------|--|
| | 168.60 | 200.00 | 31.40 | |
|--|--------|--------|-------|--|

Public Welfare:

| | | | | |
|--------------------|----------|----------|-------|-------|
| Burnap Fund | 26.00 | 26.00 | | |
| Town Poor | 1,084.30 | 1,000.00 | | 84.30 |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,063.15 | 1,100.00 | 36.85 | |

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

| | | | | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Dog Licenses | 414.00 | 350.00 | | 64.00 |
| Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds | 406.06 | | | 406.06 |
| Lease Land Rent | 66.96 | 75.00 | 8.04 | |
| Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds | 2,512.50 | 8,884.79 | 6,372.29 | |
| Refund on Old Age Assistance | 70.12 | | | 70.12 |
| Refund Town Poor | 21.41 | | | 21.41 |
| Refund St. Peter's Fire | 29.79 | 25.00 | | 4.79 |
| Refund, K.U.A., fire tools | 49.50 | | | 49.50 |
| Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes: | | | | |
| Temporary Loan | 12,000.00 | 12,000.00 | | |
| Redeemed Taxes | 729.52 | 300.00 | | 429.52 |
| Cash Surplus* | 2,483.47 | 2,523.30 | 39.83 | |
| From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes: | | | | |
| Int. on Poll Tax | .19 | | | .19 |
| (a) Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2 | 736.00 | 800.00 | 64.00 | |
| (b) National Bk. Stock Taxes | 61.86 | 63.00 | 1.14 | |
| Special Poll Tax | 171.00 | | | 171.00 |
| Special Poll Tax Interest | 3.62 | | | 3.62 |
| Total Revenues from all Sources except Property Taxes | \$32,443.74 | \$32,061.45 | \$6,528.94 | \$6,911.23 |
| Property Taxes | 35,531.69 | | | |
| †Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes | | 33,958.57 | | |
| Total Revenues | \$67,975.43 | \$66,020.02 | | |

†Total estimated "Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

*Cash Surplus equals Excess of actual Cash on Hand at close of fiscal year over Current Liabilities, i.e., Balance of Appropriation due School District, Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes, and Accounts Payable.

PLAINFIELD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947 Compared with Actual
Year January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946

Current Maintenance Expenses:

Patriotic Purposes:

| | | | |
|---|-------|-------|------|
| Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations | 23.10 | 25.00 | 1.90 |
|---|-------|-------|------|

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Taxes Bought by Town | 736.92 | 1,295.82 | 558.90 |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|------|-------|------|
| Interest on Taxes bought by Town | 9.75 | 17.56 | 7.81 |
|----------------------------------|------|-------|------|

Public Service Enterprises:

| | | | |
|------------|-------|-------|--|
| Cemeteries | 12.00 | 12.00 | |
|------------|-------|-------|--|

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|-------|--|
| Motor Fees to Clerk | 95.25 | 95.25 | |
|---------------------|-------|-------|--|

Unclassified:

| | | | |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|-------|
| Damages and Legal Expenses | 138.29 | 150.00 | 11.71 |
|----------------------------|--------|--------|-------|

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|--|
| Advertising and Regional Associations | 40.00 | 40.00 | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|--|

Interest:

| | | | |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--|
| On Temporary Loans | 190.34 | 190.34 | |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--|

| | | | |
|--|-------|-------|--|
| On Principal of Tr. Funds Used by Town | 36.00 | 36.00 | |
|--|-------|-------|--|

Highways and Bridges:

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| State Aid Construction—Town's Share | 4,884.79 | 6,150.79 | 1,266.00 |
| Special Poll Tax | 447.71 | | 447.71 |

| | | | |
|---------------|--|----------|----------|
| New Equipment | | 3,000.00 | 3,000.00 |
|---------------|--|----------|----------|

Paym't on Principal of Debt:

| | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|--|
| (a) Anticipation Note | 12,000.00 | 12,000.00 | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|--|

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----------|--|----------|
| (b) To Restore Tr. Funds | 4,884.79 | | 4,884.79 |
|--------------------------|----------|--|----------|

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|--|----------|
| (c) Payment to Capital Reserve Funds | 4,000.00 | | 4,000.00 |
|--------------------------------------|----------|--|----------|

Payments to Other Govern-

mental Divisions:

| | | | |
|--------------|----------|----------|--|
| County Taxes | 4,032.26 | 4,032.26 | |
|--------------|----------|----------|--|

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| Payments to School Districts | 13,123.06 | 19,920.00 | 6,796.94 |
|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Total Expenditures | \$65,452.13 | \$66,020.02 | \$13,007.02 | \$12,439.13 |
|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|

AMOUNT OF TAXES ASSESSED FOR ALL PURPOSES

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| General Government | \$ 3,000.00 |
| Blister Rust | 400.00 |
| Health Department | 150.00 |
| State Aid Construction | 1,297.50 |
| Town Maintenance | 7,600.00 |
| Snow Removal | 3,000.00 |
| Hospital | 200.00 |
| Town Shed | 4,000.00 |
| Street Lighting (East Plainfield) | 75.00 |
| Town Poor and Old Age Assistance | 1,500.00 |
| Memorial Day | 30.00 |
| Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee | 40.00 |
| Interest | 200.00 |
| County Tax | 4,032.26 |
| School Tax | 14,571.12 |

| | |
|--------------|-------------|
| Total | \$40,095.88 |
| Plus Overlay | 1,570.76 |

| | |
|-------|-------------|
| Total | \$41,666.64 |
|-------|-------------|

Credits:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Interest and Dividend Tax | \$ 4,459.30 |
| Railroad Tax | 23.21 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 200.00 |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 600.00 |
| Poll Tax | 872.00 |
| National Bank Stock Tax | 53.00 |

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total | \$ 6,207.51 |
| Amount to be raised by Property Taxes | \$35,459.13 |
| Tax Rate \$4.20 | |

Assets:

| | |
|--|------------|
| Cash in hands of Treasurer | \$2,523.30 |
| Capital Reserve Funds: | |
| State Aid Road Construction | 4,884.79 |
| Town Shed Construction | 4,000.00 |
| Accounts Due to the Town— | |
| Joint Highway Construction Accounts, Unexpended balance in State Treas. | 12,140.89 |
| Bounties | 73.50 |

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Other bills due Town: | |
| Lease Land | 334.70 |
| Mortgage on Cuddy Property | 447.50 |
| Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on acct. of) | |
| Levy of 1945 | 249.11 |
| Levy of 1944 | 74.35 |
| Uncollected Taxes: | |
| Levy of 1946 | 1,954.14 |
| Levy of 1945 | 16.57 |
| Levy of 1944 | 11.63 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Assets | \$26,710.48 |
| Excess of liabilities over assets: | |
| Net Debt | 3,541.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand Total | \$30,251.48 |

Liabilities:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Due to State—Special \$3 Poll Taxes: | |
| Not remitted to State Treas. 1945 | \$ 75.26 |
| Burnap Fund | 205.38 |
| Due to School Districts: | |
| Dog licenses | 372.38 |
| Balance of Appropriation | 7,571.12 |
| Lease Land Rent | 66.96 |
| Lease Land Rents uncollected | 334.70 |
| State and Town Joint Highway Construction | |
| Accounts: | |
| Unexpended balance in State Treas. | 12,140.89 |
| Capital Reserve Funds: (Offsets similar asset | |
| account) | |
| State Aid Fund | 4,884.79 |
| Town Shed Fund | 4,000.00 |
| Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by | |
| Town: | |
| Lucy Chamberlain Note | 600.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Liabilities | \$30,251.48 |
| | <hr/> |
| Net debt on Dec. 31, 1945 | \$3,384.28 |
| Net debt on Dec. 31, 1946 | 3,541.00 |
| Increase of debt | 156.72 |

INVENTORY OF TOWN ON APRIL 1, 1946

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Land and Buildings | \$677,535.00 |
| Growing Wood and Timber | 37,635.00 |
| Electric Lines | 24,235.00 |
| Horses, 147 | 14,145.00 |
| Oxen, 4 | 425.00 |
| Cows, 582 | 48,575.00 |
| Neat Stock, 84 | 5,285.00 |
| Sheep and Goats, 225 | 3,950.00 |
| Hogs, 48 | 1,190.00 |
| Fowls, 3295 | 4,105.00 |
| Portable Mills, 3 | 1,000.00 |
| Wood and Lumber | 16,460.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks | 1,125.00 |
| Stock in Trade | 6,900.00 |
| Aqueducts and Mills | 2,600.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Valuation | \$845,165.00 |
| Amount exempt to Soldiers and Soldiers | |
| Widows | 7,550.00 |
| National Bank Stock Tax | 53.00 |
| Poll Tax | 872.00 |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For Year Ending December 31, 1946

Motor Vehicle Permits

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Cash received for Permits, 1945 | \$ 8.74 |
| Cash received for Permits, 1946 | 959.62 |

Dog Licenses

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Cash received for Licenses, 1945 | 24.00 |
| Cash received for Licenses, 1946 | 390.00 |

Filing Fee

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Cash received for Filing Fees | 20.00 |
| Paid Town Treasurer | <u>\$1,402.36</u> |

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE ZEA,

Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1946

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$35,496.93 |
| Poll Taxes @ \$2.00 | 872.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 63.00 |

Total Warrant \$36,431.93

Added Taxes:

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Property Taxes | 640.24 |
| Poll Taxes @ \$2.00 | 18.00 |
| Interest Collected | 8.32 |

Total Debits

\$37,098.49

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Remittances to Treasurer:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$33,847.10 |
| Poll Taxes @ \$2.00 | 736.00 |
| National Bank Stock Taxes | 61.86 |
| Interest Collected | 8.32 |

Discount Allowed 368.87

Abatements 122.20

Uncollected Taxes Dec. 31, 1946:

| | |
|---------------------|----------|
| Property Taxes | 1,834.14 |
| Poll Taxes @ \$2.00 | 120.00 |

Total Credits

\$37,098.49

Levy of 1945

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes Jan. 1, 1946:

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$ 1,591.35 |
| Poll Taxes, Regular @ \$2.00 | 132.00 |
| Poll Taxes, Special @ 3.00 | 207.00 |

Interest Collected \$ 1,930.35
21.72

Total Debits

\$ 1,952.07

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Remittances to Treasurer:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$ 1,574.78 |
| Poll Taxes, Regular @ \$2.00 | 108.00 |
| Poll Taxes, Special @ 3.00 | 168.00 |
| Interest of Special Poll Taxes | 3.35 |
| Interest on Town Taxes | 18.37 |
| Abatements | 63.00 |
| Uncollected Property Taxes December 31 | 16.57 |

Total Credits \$ 1,952.07

Levy of 1944

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes Jan. 1,
1946:

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Property Taxes | \$ 11.63 |
| Poll Taxes, Regular @ \$2.00 | 4.00 |
| Poll Taxes, Special @ 3.00 | 6.00 |
| Interest Collected | .46 |

Total Debits \$ 22.09

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Poll Taxes, Regular @ \$2.00 | \$ 2.00 |
| Poll Taxes, Special @ 3.00 | 3.00 |
| Interest on Special Poll Taxes | .27 |
| Interest on Town Taxes | .19 |
| Abatements | 5.00 |
| Uncollected Property Tax | 11.63 |

Total Credits \$ 22.09

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1946**

Dr.

| | Tax Sale on Account of Levy of: | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------|
| | 1945 | 1944 | 1943 |
| Taxes Sold to Town Feb. 2, 1946 | \$778.56 | \$ | \$ |
| Taxes Sold to Individuals | 56.81 | | |
| Balance of Unred. Sales Jan. 1, 1946 | | 150.01 | 96.37 |
| Interest Collected After Sale | 42.97 | 4.19 | 15.11 |
| Redemption Costs Collected | 4.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 |
| Total Debits | \$882.34 | \$155.20 | \$112.48 |

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| | | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Remittances to Treasurer | \$583.98 | \$ 46.16 | \$ 99.38 |
| Remittances to Individuals | 19.12 | | |
| Deeded to Town | 30.13 | 34.69 | 13.10 |
| Unredeemed Sales December 31, 1946 | 249.11 | 74.35 | |
| Total Credits | \$882.34 | \$155.20 | \$112.48 |

UNREDEEMED TAX SALES

| | Tax Sale on Account of Levy of: | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
| | 1945 | 1944 |
| Helen Coots | \$ | \$ 28.41 |
| Alice Fellows | | 22.11 |
| Charles Strobel | | 23.83 |
| Charles F. Braden | 139.19 | |
| Raymond Bowles* | 9.98 | |
| Heirs of Henry L. Smyth | 96.65 | |
| Russell and Verna Camp | 3.29 | |
| Total Unredeemed | \$249.11 | \$ 74.35 |

*Lien held by individual

Respectfully submitted,

VERNON A. HOOD,
Tax Collector

December 31, 1946

TREASURER'S REPORT

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1946 | \$ 2,483.47 |
| The People's National Bank, note | 10,000.00 |
| The People's National Bank, note | 2,000.00 |
| Nellie Zea, Clerk: | |
| 1945 Motor Vehicle Permits | 8.74 |
| 1946 Motor Vehicle Permits | 959.62 |
| 1945 Dog Licenses | 24.00 |
| 1946 Dog Licenses | 390.00 |
| Filing Fees | 20.00 |
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire: | |
| Bounty on Hedgehogs | 61.50 |
| Forest Protection Refund | 65.18 |
| Class V Highways | 1,486.70 |
| Refund on Capital Reserve Funds | 4,884.79 |
| Refund on Training Session | 10.30 |
| Refund on Old Age Assistance | 10.48 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 154.95 |
| Railroad Tax | 24.44 |
| Interest and Dividends tax | 3,823.99 |
| Gravel Sold to T.R.A. | 48.30 |
| Leased Land Rent | 66.96 |
| K.U.A., Refund on Fire Tools | 49.50 |
| E. M. Pierce, Sale of Town Property | 56.06 |
| Town of Cornish, N. H., Rebate on Old Age Assistance | 70.12 |
| Palmer C. Reed, Fire Warden, Refund, St. Peters Fire | 29.79 |
| John W. Whitney, Capital Reserve Funds | 2,539.54 |
| Creighton Churchill, Use of Truck & Tractor | 207.10 |
| Floyd Cuddy, Interest on Note | 22.38 |
| Mrs. Stevens, Use of Tractor and Plow | 51.40 |
| Guy Scruton, Use of Tractor and Plow | 85.00 |
| John C. Cowles, Road Construction | 500.00 |
| Francis Atwood, Refund on Donald Tucker | 21.41 |
| H. C. Corey, Drawing Sand | 48.95 |
| John E. Sullivan, Sale of Town Property | 350.00 |
| Byron D. Benson, Use of Tractor & Bulldozer | 105.00 |
| John W. Whitney, Burnap Fund Interest | 55.00 |
| Vernon A. Hood, Collector: | |
| 1943 Tax Redeemed | 83.27 |
| 1943 Int. Collected on Redeemed Taxes | 15.11 |
| 1943 Costs Collected on Redeemed Taxes | 1.00 |

| | |
|--|-------------|
| 1944 Tax Redeemed | 40.97 |
| 1944 Int. Collected on Redeemed Taxes | 4.19 |
| 1944 Costs Collected on Redeemed Taxes | 1.00 |
| 1944 Poll Taxes | 2.00 |
| 1944 Special Poll Taxes | 3.00 |
| 1944 Special Poll Tax Interest | .27 |
| 1944 Interest on Town Tax | .19 |
| 1945 Taxes Redeemed | 539.43 |
| 1945 Int. Collected on Redeemed Taxes | 41.55 |
| 1945 Costs Collected on Redeemed Taxes | 3.00 |
| 1945 Property Taxes | 1,574.78 |
| 1945 Poll Taxes | 108.00 |
| 1945 Special Poll Taxes | 168.00 |
| 1945 Special Poll Tax Interest | 3.35 |
| 1945 Interest on Town Tax | 18.37 |
| 1946 Property Taxes | 33,847.10 |
| 1946 Poll Taxes | 736.00 |
| 1946 National Bank Stock | 61.86 |
| 1946 Interest Collected | 8.32 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$67,975.43 |
| Selectmen's Orders Paid | 65,452.13 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance in Treasury Jan. 1, 1947 | \$ 2,523.30 |

Respectfully submitted,

SUSIE JORDAN,

Treasurer

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$ 1,367.25 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 343.83 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 452.13 |
| Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Buildings | 286.04 |
| Fire Department, including Forest Fires | 523.59 |
| Moth Extermination—Blister Rust | 400.00 |
| Bounties | 73.50 |
| Damage by Dogs | 41.62 |
| Health Department | 144.50 |
| Vital Statistics | 25.00 |
| Town Maintenance: | |
| Summer | 6,216.67 |
| Winter | 2,363.17 |
| Withholding Tax | \$ 680.50 |
| | 9,260.34 |
| Street Lighting | 96.44 |
| General Expenses of Highway Dept. | 1,655.32 |
| Truck | \$2,712.69 |
| Tractor | 1,073.57 |
| | 3,786.26 |
| Library | 168.60 |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,063.15 |
| Town Poor | 1,084.30 |
| Burnap Fund | 26.00 |
| Memorial Day | 23.10 |
| Cemeteries | 12.00 |
| Motor Fees to Clerk | 95.25 |
| Damages and Legal Expenses | 138.29 |
| Advertising & Regional Associations | |
| Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Asso. | 40.00 |
| Taxes Bought by Town | 736.92 |
| Interest: | |
| Paid on Temporary Loans in | |
| Anticipation of Taxes | \$190.34 |
| Paid on Taxes Bought by Town | 9.75 |
| Paid on Principal of Tr. Funds | |
| Used by Town | 36.00 |
| | 236.09 |
| Highways and Bridges — State | |
| Aid Construction | 4,884.79 |

Indebtedness:

| | | |
|---|-------------|-----------|
| Payments on Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes | \$12,000.00 | |
| Payments to Trustees, Trust Funds | 8,884.79 | |
| | <hr/> | 20,884.79 |

Payments to Other Governmental
Divisions:

| | | |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Special Poll Taxes @ \$3 paid to State | \$ 447.71 | |
| Taxes Paid to County | 4,032.26 | |
| Payments to School Districts | 13,123.06 | |
| | <hr/> | 17,603.03 |

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--|-------------|
| Total Payments | | \$65,452.13 |
| Cash on Hand December 31, 1946 | | 2,523.30 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Grand Total | | \$67,975.43 |

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

| | |
|--|------------|
| Herman D. Rogers, Selectman to March 12 | \$ 95.00 |
| Francis E. Atwood, Selectman to March 12 | 55.00 |
| John F. McNamara, Selectman to March 12 | 40.00 |
| Howard Chellis, Auditor | 15.00 |
| John W. Whitney, Auditor | 15.00 |
| Vernon A. Hood, Tax Collector | 200.00 |
| Susie Jordan, Town Treasurer | 100.00 |
| Nellie Zea, Town Clerk | 35.00 |
| Francis E. Atwood, Selectman | 254.00 |
| John F. McNamara, Selectman | 215.50 |
| Herman D. Rogers, Selectman | 237.75 |
| John W. Whitney, Treasurer Trust Funds | 30.00 |
| Francis E. Atwood, Overseer of Poor | 30.00 |
| Otis Jordan, Supervisor | 15.00 |
| Palmer C. Read, Jr., Supervisor | 30.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,367.25 |

Town Officers' Expenses

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Howard W. Chellis | \$ 2.50 |
| Francis E. Atwood, Selectman, Expenses | 62.29 |
| John F. McNamara, Selectman, Expenses | 25.47 |
| Herman D. Rogers, Selectman, Expenses | 22.30 |
| Edson C. Eastman | 16.90 |
| Susie Jordan | 15.50 |
| Cory-Hewitt Press | 9.54 |
| Claremont Eagle, Inc. | 25.11 |
| Kimball, Inc. | 25.00 |
| Clinton K. Barton | 1.00 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh | 2.25 |
| Association N. H. Assessors | 2.00 |
| Vernon Hood | 45.47 |
| Palmer C. Read, Jr. | 30.00 |
| Town Clerk Association Fee | 2.00 |
| Palmer C. Read | 30.00 |
| Nellie Zea | 26.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 343.83 |

Election and Registration

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Herman D. Rogers | \$ 17.00 |
| Floyd Jarvis | 5.00 |
| Meriden Congregational Ladies Aid, Dinners | 16.15 |
| Francis E. Atwood | 5.00 |
| Cory-Hewitt Press, Town Reports | 129.48 |
| Mrs. Francis Atwood, Dinners | 16.50 |
| Converse Chellis | 10.00 |
| Palmer C. Read, Treas. P.T.A., Dinners | 22.00 |
| Ethel P. Duncklee | 10.00 |
| Earl Colby | 15.00 |
| E. M. Pierce | 15.00 |
| Howard Chellis | 15.00 |
| Palmer C. Read, Jr. | 37.50 |
| Otis Jordan | 67.50 |
| Palmer C. Read | 5.00 |
| E. M. Porter | 47.50 |
| Nellie Zea | 17.00 |
| John W. McCrillis | 1.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 452.13 |

Town Hall and Other Buildings

| | |
|--|-----------|
| D. E. Guillotte | \$ 64.55 |
| Central Vt. Public Service Corp. | 29.64 |
| Meriden Electric Light & Power Co. | 12.00 |
| Robert Gibson, wood | 36.00 |
| Herman Rogers, supplies | 2.00 |
| Earl Barker, wood | 3.25 |
| Francis Atwood | 43.00 |
| W. L. Mahan | 3.00 |
| Susie Jordan, Insurance, Town Hall | 35.00 |
| Susie Jordan, Insurance, Town Shed | 6.00 |
| Susie Jordan, Insurance, Plain Library | 20.00 |
| C. E. King | 5.00 |
| Dana L. Stoddard | 4.20 |
| Stephen Plummer | 18.40 |
| Alex White | 4.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 286.04 |

Protection of Persons and Property

Fire Department

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Palmer C. Read | \$ 284.24 |
| N. H. State Forestry Department | 96.60 |
| Village of Windsor, Smyth fire | 90.00 |
| O. A. Ranta | 9.00 |
| John F. McNamara, Insurance | 43.75 |

\$ 523.59

Pine Blister Rust \$ 400.00

Bounties

Hedgehogs \$ 73.50

Damage by Dogs

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Edson C. Eastman, dog tags | \$ 8.02 |
| Francis Atwood | 2.00 |
| O. W. Jordan, 1 sheep | 10.00 |
| Nellie Zea, dog licenses | 21.60 |

\$ 41.62

Health Department

Edward Pierce, dump \$ 50.00

Vital Statistics

Nellie Zea \$ 25.00

1946 ROAD AGENT ACCOUNT

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Atwood, Francis, labor | \$ 6.30 |
| Andress Theodore, labor | 21.00 |
| Barker, Albert, labor | 64.03 |
| Barker, Roy, labor | 9.50 |
| Bliss Welding Shop, labor | 4.50 |
| Bass, I, iron | 8.36 |
| Biathrow, Harry, truck | 94.57 |
| Cutts, Stanley, labor | 287.43 |
| Cutts, Robert, labor | 19.65 |
| Chapman, Arnold, labor | 661.35 |
| Coutermarsh, Sam, gravel | 53.80 |
| Cornish, Town of, truck | 90.00 |
| Cole, Forrest, gravel | 8.50 |
| Dodge Leslie W., labor | 177.10 |
| Dube, Joseph, labor | 22.50 |
| Easersky's Hardware, supplies | 1.25 |
| Eastman, Willard, truck | 67.50 |
| Gibson, John, labor | 25.80 |
| Hussey, Frank, gravel | 164.30 |
| Hall, Elmer, gravel | 3.90 |
| Hathorns Garage, supplies and repairs | 2.50 |
| Jones, Harry, labor | 756.43 |
| Jones, Edward, labor | 279.03 |
| Jenney, W. F., labor | 451.60 |
| Jenney, W. F., truck | 63.00 |
| Jenney, W. F., car and telephone | 19.00 |
| Jenney, W. F., gravel | 108.30 |
| Jordan, Otis, gravel | 27.00 |
| King, Maurice D., labor | 1,710.13 |
| King, Maurice D., use of car | 54.26 |
| King, Maurice D. | 4.92 |
| King, Herbert P., labor | 1,643.53 |
| King, Herbert P., use of car | 1.92 |
| King, Charles, truck | 687.20 |
| King Motor Service, labor | 1.50 |
| King, Charles, tractor | 15.00 |
| King, Harold, labor | 37.80 |
| Kibbie, George, labor | 93.80 |
| Lewis, O. H. Co., supplies | 14.60 |
| Lebanon, Town of, truck | 45.00 |
| Merrihew, Jack, gravel | 24.10 |
| Marcou, William, truck and cement | 19.75 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Meyette, John, labor | 69.60 |
| Morse, Howard, labor | 34.20 |
| Motor Vehicle Department, road toll | 7.00 |
| Merrill, Hiram, labor | 10.00 |
| Mark, Roland, labor | 57.05 |
| Miller, O. W., truck | 27.90 |
| Noble-Belisle, supplies | 1.31 |
| Pennsylvania Refining Co., supplies | 6.30 |
| Perkins, Randolph, gravel | 98.70 |
| Rogers, Herman, use of car | 9.90 |
| Rand, Ball & King Co., supplies | 5.72 |
| Read, Albert, tractor | 6.00 |
| Scruton, Ralph, labor | 277.50 |
| Scruton, Joseph, labor | 161.00 |
| Smith, James, labor | 1.40 |
| Sullivan, John, truck | 14.00 |
| Sullivan, Frank, truck | 17.60 |
| Torrey, A. C., labor | 299.00 |
| Torrey, A. C., Prestone | 5.30 |
| Tomkinson, Charles, gravel | 64.40 |
| Whitney, Dana, labor | 194.75 |
| Weld, Norris, truck | 40.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$9,260.34 |

Equipment and Maintenance of Tractor

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Gulf Oil Corporation | \$ 77.41 |
| Central Petroleum Corporation | 72.56 |
| Meriden Garage | 151.51 |
| Treas., State of N. H., road toll | 32.00 |
| W. F. Jenney | 5.00 |
| Miller Auto Company | 610.66 |
| Gardner's Garage | 124.43 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,073.57 |

Truck Maintenance

| | |
|---------------------|-----------|
| Tracy M. Spalding | \$ 154.59 |
| Dutton & Fellows | 6.92 |
| Miller Auto Company | 9.66 |
| Howe Motor Company | 5.00 |
| Meriden Garage | 1,731.01 |

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| W. F. Jenney | 13.07 |
| Davis Bros. Garage | 41.00 |
| Gibson Motor | 21.90 |
| Town of Lebanon | 325.00 |
| Montgomery Ward Company | 116.08 |
| Newport Motor Company | 19.50 |
| Flanders & Patch | 23.18 |
| Kings Motor Company | 17.00 |
| A. H. Jones & Son | 15.14 |
| Carl's Garage | 17.45 |
| Stephen Plummer | 78.15 |
| Bliss Welding Shop | 62.30 |
| Noble-Belisle Machine Company | 9.28 |
| John F. McNamara, insurance | 46.46 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2,712.69 |

Street Lighting

| | |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Meriden Electric Light & Power Co. | \$ 65.30 |
| Central Vt. Public Service Corp. | 26.14 |
| A. A. Bassett, bulbs | 5.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 96.44 |

General Expense Highway Department

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Forrest Read, bridge plank | \$ 35.75 |
| Meriden Electric Light & Power Co. | 12.00 |
| Construction Equipment Company | 75.00 |
| R. C. Hazelton Company | 110.40 |
| Vermont Concrete Pipe Corporation | 162.03 |
| Tracy Spalding | 4.69 |
| New England Metal Culvert Company | 249.16 |
| Meriden Garage | 16.20 |
| John F. McNamara, insurance | 169.74 |
| Noble-Belisle Company | 6.35 |
| Ray Huston, rent Town Shed | 150.00 |
| A. H. Jones & Son | 8.47 |
| Davis & Symonds, bridge plank | 651.03 |
| Maurice D. King | 4.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,655.32 |

Libraries

| | | |
|--|----|--------|
| Meriden Electric Light & Power Company | \$ | 12.00 |
| Edith Whitney, library tax | | 24.60 |
| Sara Whitaker, library tax | | 24.60 |
| Susie Jordan, insurance | | 15.40 |
| Sylvia Gray, salary | | 4.50 |
| Edith Whitney, salary and janitor | | 52.00 |
| Sara Whitaker Estate, salary | | 29.25 |
| H. C. Taylor, salary | | 6.25 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 168.60 |

Town Poor

| | | |
|---|----|----------|
| Sullivan County Home: | | |
| Bertis Smith | \$ | 668.00 |
| Mr. and Mrs. Linn Waterman | | 40.00 |
| Refunded, Town of Cornish, Gail Tolbert bd. | | 135.00 |
| Mrs. Hugh Hunt, Gail Tolbert board | | 180.00 |
| Linn Waterman | | 39.70 |
| Flora Pellerin, board Tucker child | | 21.60 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 1,084.30 |

Memorial Day

| | | |
|----------------------|----|-------|
| Windsor News Company | \$ | 23.10 |
|----------------------|----|-------|

Dartmouth - Lake Sunapee Region

| | | |
|------|----|-------|
| Paid | \$ | 40.00 |
|------|----|-------|

Hospital Fund

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|-------|
| Alice Peck Day Hospital | \$ | 94.50 |
|-------------------------|----|-------|

Motor Fees to Clerk

| | | |
|------------|----|-------|
| Nellie Zea | \$ | 95.25 |
|------------|----|-------|

Cemeteries

| | | |
|-------------------|----|-------|
| Fredrick Penniman | \$ | 2.00 |
| John W. Whitney | | 10.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 12.00 |

Damage and Legal Expense

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Vernon A. Hood, cost of tax sale | \$ 31.89 |
| Clinton K. Barton | 17.95 |
| Charles W. Varney Company, bonds | 65.00 |
| John F. McNamara, bonds | 10.00 |
| Bernice M. Sawyer McWilliams | .80 |
| Ruth H. Avery, Tax Collectors' Assn. dues | 2.00 |
| Nellie Zea | 10.65 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 138.29 |

Taxes Bought by Town

| | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Vernon A. Hood, Collector | \$ 736.92 |
|---------------------------|-----------|

Special Poll Tax

| | |
|----------------------|-----------|
| Paid State Treasurer | \$ 447.71 |
|----------------------|-----------|

Interest

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Trustees of Trust Fund | \$ 36.00 |
| Peoples National Bank | 190.34 |
| Vernon A. Hood, interest on taxes | 9.75 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 236.09 |

State Aid Construction

| | |
|----------------------|------------|
| Paid State Treasurer | \$4,884.79 |
|----------------------|------------|

Temporary Loan

| | |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Paid Peoples National Bank | \$12,000.00 |
|----------------------------|-------------|

Payment to Trustees of Trust Funds

| | |
|----------------------------|------------|
| To Capital Reserve Fund: | |
| For State Aid Construction | \$4,884.79 |
| For Town Shed | 4,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$8,884.79 |

County Tax

| | |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Paid County Treasurer | \$4,032.26 |
|-----------------------|------------|

School District

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Paid District Treasurer | \$13,123.06 |
|-------------------------|-------------|

ELIJAH BURNAP FUND

New Hampshire Savings Bank

| | |
|--|------------|
| Amount of Principal | \$2,750.80 |
| Rate of interest | .02 |
| Balance of Income on hand Jan. 1, 1946 | 176.38 |
| Income during year | 55.00 |
| Expended during year | 26.00 |
| Balance of income on hand Jan. 1, 1947 | 205.38 |

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS E. ATWOOD

JOHN F. McNAMARA

HERMAN D. ROGERS

CLARA FREEMAN CEMETERY FUND

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Amount of principal | \$159.25 |
| Rate of interest | .02 |
| Balance at beginning of year | 112.59 |
| Interest for the year | 5.45 |
| Expended during the year | 5.00 |
| Balance of income at end of year | 113.04 |

BLANCHA L. DANIELS,

Trustee

| | | | | | | | | |
|------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| 1929 | F. L. Hudson | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 50.00 | 2% | 2.24 | 1.02 | 1.00 | 2.26 |
| 1929 | Charles & Lucia Williams | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | 4.74 | 2.07 | 3.00 | 3.81 |
| 1930 | William E. Westgate | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2 1/2% | 6.32 | 2.61 | 3.00 | 5.93 |
| 1930 | Ella M. Richardson | Manchester Savings Bank | 400.00 | 2 1/2% | 24.37 | 10.79 | 10.00 | 25.16 |
| 1930 | Mellicent M. Miller | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 1,000.00 | 2% | 81.83 | 7.62 | none | 89.45 |
| 1931 | Chamberlain Fund | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 1,300.00 | 2% | 131.05 | 23.43 | 9.80 | 144.68 |
| 1931 | Samuel C. Harrington | Mascoma Savings Bank | 50.00 | 1 1/2% | .83 | .76 | 1.00 | .59 |
| 1931 | Emma J. Rice | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | 5.94 | 2.09 | 2.00 | 6.03 |
| 1932 | Hattie L. Chellis | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | 4.84 | 2.13 | 3.00 | 3.97 |
| 1934 | Mary J. Doyle | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 50.00 | 2% | 2.86 | 1.05 | 1.50 | 2.41 |
| 1934 | George B. Cole | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2% | 15.88 | 4.33 | none | 20.21 |
| 1936 | Madge Daniels Miller | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 1,000.00 | 2% | 127.28 | 21.89 | 55.00 | 94.17 |
| 1937 | Edward C. Daniels | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 1,000.00 | 2% | 118.89 | 21.71 | 50.00 | 90.60 |
| 1937 | Frank W. True (Plain) | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 50.00 | 2% | 1.20 | 1.01 | 1.00 | 1.21 |
| 1937 | Frank W. True (Freeman) | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 150.00 | 2% | 31.75 | 3.64 | none | 35.39 |
| 1937 | George E. Reed | Windsor Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1 1/2% | 2.20 | 1.54 | 1.00 | 2.74 |
| 1938 | Frank J. Chadbourne | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2 1/2% | 2.49 | 2.05 | 2.00 | 2.78 |
| 1939 | Earle Westgate | Manchester Savings Bank | 50.00 | 2 1/2% | 2.47 | 1.31 | 1.00 | 2.78 |
| 1939 | Mabel E. Short | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 150.00 | 2% | 5.22 | 3.11 | 3.00 | 3.53 |
| 1939 | Susan E. Clark | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | 2.55 | 2.05 | 2.00 | 2.60 |
| 1943 | George P. Merton | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | 1.77 | 2.03 | 2.00 | 1.80 |
| 1943 | Lewis Jordan | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | .98 | 2.01 | 1.50 | 1.49 |
| 1944 | Rosamond Jordan | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 200.00 | 2% | 1.02 | 4.04 | 3.00 | 2.06 |
| 1944 | Capital Reserve Fund | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 4,884.79 | 2% | 27.04 | 32.11 | 27.04 | 32.11 |
| 1944 | Daniel C. Westgate | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | .83 | 2.01 | 1.00 | 1.84 |
| 1945 | Daniel Cole | Mascoma Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1 1/2% | .50 | 1.51 | none | 2.01 |
| 1945 | Mrs. Fred I. Davidson | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | 1.33 | 2.03 | 1.00 | 2.36 |
| 1945 | John M. Cole | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | none | 2.34 | 1.00 | 1.34 |
| 1945 | E. J. Hollenbeck | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2% | none | 2.34 | none | 2.34 |
| 1946 | Deane Ruggles | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 47.66 | 2% | none | none | none | none |
| 1946 | Capital Reserve Fund, (town shed) | Dartmouth Savings Bank | 4,000.00 | 2% | none | none | none | none |

1,094.71 448.47 455.99 1,087.19

PALMER C. READ,
 JOHN W. WHITNEY,
 Trustees of Trust Fund
 Plainfield, N. H.

REPORT OF PHILIP READ MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Receipts

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Balance on hand December 31, 1945 | \$ | 148.90 |
| Interest on fund (True and Spalding) | | 6.15 |
| Edmund Read Fund | | 60.00 |
| Received from Selectmen | | 24.60 |
| Interest on bank account | | .69 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total Receipts | \$ | 240.34 |

Disbursements

| | | |
|--|----|--------|
| Paid for Electric Lights | \$ | 13.00 |
| Paid Fred Sweet for Janitor service | | 3.00 |
| Paid A. A. Bassett for Janitor service | | 20.00 |
| Paid Maurice French, cleaning windows | | 6.00 |
| Paid Melvin Jordan, care of lawn | | 2.00 |
| Paid Richard Gray, care of lawn | | 9.50 |
| Paid Norris Welds, 2 cords wood | | 36.00 |
| Paid for Books | | 32.71 |
| Paid for Stamps | | .15 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total | \$ | 122.36 |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1946 | \$ | 117.98 |

Respectfully submitted,

LENA A. REED

SYLVIA GRAY

REPORT OF MERIDEN LIBRARY

Receipts

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-------|
| Cash on hand December 31, 1946 | \$ | 1.34 |
| Received from Selectmen | | 24.60 |
| Mary True Fund | | 5.00 |
| Marion Eastman Fund | | 4.00 |
| Abbie Spaulding Fund | | 1.03 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 35.97 |
| Fines for Books | | 9.20 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | \$ | 45.17 |

Disbursements

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|-------|
| Paid for Books | \$41.03 | |
| Stamps and Incidentals | .63 | |
| | <hr/> | 41.66 |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1946 | \$ | 3.51 |

Eight Books were given by Mrs. Annie Davis.

Respectfully submitted,

ETHEL P. DUNCKLEE

RUTH L. ROGERS

HENRIETTA S. DAVIS

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, and other officers of the Town of Plainfield for the year ended December 31, 1946 and find the same correct and properly vouched.

JOHN W. WHITNEY,

HOWARD W. CHELLIS,

Auditors

Plainfield, New Hampshire

February 12, 1947

VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages

Registered in the Town of Plainfield, N. H.,
for the year ending December 31, 1946

- Jan. 20 Meriden, N. H., Robert Leland Cutts and Barbara Louise Parker by Herman A. Childs, Clergyman.
- Mar. 24 Meriden, N. H., George William Bosley and Lena Clastia Chapman by Roy B. Chamberlin, Jr., Minister.
- Mar. 30 Plainfield, N. H., Leslie Hervey Hill and Amelia Bessie Lucy Wheeler by Vernon A. Hood, Justice of the Peace.
- Apr. 13 Hartford, Conn., John Calvin Duncklee and Janet Emily Cooley by J. Melvin Prior, Clergyman.
- Apr. 20 Plainfield, N. H., Guy S. Scruton and Rosaline E. Baker by Herbert C. Taylor, Clergyman.
- June 14 Plainfield, N. H., Fred Sweet, Jr. and Barbara Idella Stone by Herbert C. Taylor, Clergyman.
- June 22 Plainfield, N. H., Grant Herbert Lennox and Elizabeth Ann Foster by Herbert C. Taylor, Clergyman.
- June 30 West Claremont, N. H., Edward P. Jones and Freda L. LeClair by Louis C. Reed, Clergyman.
- Aug. 24 Plainfield, N. H., Alexander M. White and Stella I. Morse by Herbert C. Taylor, Clergyman.
- Oct. 6 Meriden, N. H., Clifton Harland Porter and Doris May Barker by Roy B. Chamberlin, Jr., Minister.
- Oct. 12 Cornish, N. H., Lawrence E. LaClair and Gladys Violet Scruton by Norman Scruton, Clergyman.
- Oct. 20 Meriden, N. H., Lawrence Godfrey Eaton and Barbara Ann Sticklin by Roy B. Chamberlin, Jr., Clergyman.
- Nov. 23 Meriden, N. H., Albert Clarence Barker and Myrtie Grace Weedon by Roy B. Chamberlin, Jr., Minister.

Births

Registered in the Town of Plainfield, N. H.,
for the year ending December 31, 1946

Date, Name of Child, Name of Father and
Maiden Name of Mother

- | | |
|----------|---|
| Jan. 1 | Paul Frederic Chamberlin; Roy Bullard Chamberlin, Jr., and Mary Paul Masi. |
| Jan. 18 | Marcia Jane Stone; Roland Stone and Barbara Dannel. |
| Feb. 7 | Gerald Robert Wilder; Harold Samuel Wilder and Mildred Irene Stearns. |
| Feb. 25 | James Edward Townsend; Ira Peabody Townsend and Sara Orne Martenis. |
| Apr. 24 | Beatrice Amelia Hill; Leslie Hervey Hill and Amelia Bessie Lucy Wheeler. |
| May 5 | Robert Norman Williams; Norman Chester Williams and Mary Ellen Reaside. |
| June 10 | Mary Spalding; Edward Lewis Spalding and Bertha Leona Johnston. |
| June 26 | Ella Marine Hiscock; William John Hiscock and Clara Marine Worthman. |
| June 28 | William Edward Curtis; William Clarence Curtis and Bessie Melba Weeks. |
| Sept. 7 | Alexandra Churchill; Creighton Churchill and Martha Bacon. |
| Sept. 16 | Mary Louise Jenney; William Freeman Jenney and Mary Louise Jacquin. |
| Sept. 21 | Barbara Jean Picard; Earl Eli Picard and Ula Lyle Miller. |
| Sept. 28 | William Frederick Franklin, 3rd; William Frederck Frankln, Jr., and Doris Gregory Smith |
| Nov. 27 | David George Sullivan; Jeanette Sullivan. |
| Nov. 30 | Helen Warner Taylor; Lawrence Hoe Taylor and Edith Estella Howard. |
| 1870 | Winifred Ella Hanchett; Dennis Allen Hanchett and Lizzie Charlotte Read. |
| June 3 | 1877 Elizabeth M. Westgate; Warren Westgate and |
| Nov. 9 | Luetta Hadley. |
| 1882 | George Sidney Stickney; Charles Sidney Stickney and Ada Elizabeth Bailey. |
| July 8 | 1906 Robert William Meyers; George Meyers and |
| Feb. 4 | Lillian Dean. |

Deaths

Registered in the Town of Plainfield, N. H.,
for the year ending December 31, 1946

| | | Yrs. | Mo. | Days |
|----------|----------------------------------|------|-----|------|
| Jan. 1 | Anna Read | 70 | 10 | 26 |
| Jan. 7 | Josephine D. Jones | 71 | 10 | 8 |
| Jan. 21 | Julia Whitaker Burr | 83 | 8 | 23 |
| Apr. 17 | Eliza Agnes Paget | 90 | 5 | 11 |
| June 27 | Herman W. Plummer | 68 | 5 | 26 |
| Aug. 9 | Kate Read Lewin | 86 | 3 | 15 |
| Aug. 17 | Georgia Rebecca Maude Chapman | 59 | 3 | 1 |
| Sept. 10 | Mary D. Wyman | 74 | 3 | 23 |
| Oct. 1 | Sara C. Whitaker | 70 | 10 | 0 |
| Oct. 15 | Issac E. Rash | 78 | 7 | 12 |
| Oct. 23 | Emma White | 54 | 0 | 14 |
| Nov. 1 | William T. Sullivan | 62 | 0 | 0 |
| Dec. 9 | Ida F. Hubbard | 96 | 1 | 14 |
| Dec. 24 | Hattie Eliza Reed | 71 | 3 | 0 |
| 1941 | | | | |
| Apr. 5 | James Patric Cuddy | 85 | 2 | 2 |
| June 11 | Alice Cuddy | 72 | 0 | 12 |

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF PLAINFIELD**

Officers of the District

Moderator

JOHN F. McNAMARA

Clerk

JOHN W. WHITNEY

Treasurer

NELLIE ZEA

School Board

BLANCHA L. DANIELS
(Resigned June 30, 1946)

ROBERT GIBSON
(Appointed)
(Term expires March 1947)

ETHEL P. DUNCKLEE, Chairman
(Term expires March 1947)

HARRIET A. WILLIAMS
(Term expires March 1948)

Superintendent of Schools

WILLIAM J. ENGLISH

School Nurse

MRS. ROBERT HASHAM

Auditors

HOWARD W. CHELLIS

JOHN W. WHITNEY

Truant Officer

JOHN P. McNAMARA

**PLAINFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT
WARRANT**

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Plainfield, in the county of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in Plainfield in said district on Tuesday, the 11th day of March 1947, at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, to act upon the following subjects:

- Article 1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
- Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- Article 3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years and one for two years.
- Article 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- Article 5. To choose Auditors or other agents for the ensuing year.
- Article 6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, and other officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
- Article 7. 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.
- Article 8. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to drive an artesian well at the Plain School and provide a sum of money therefor.
- Article 9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 11th day of February, nineteen hundred and forty-seven.

ETHEL P. DUNCKLEE,
HARRIET A. WILLIAMS,
ROBERT GIBSON,

Plainfield School Board

A True Copy—Attest
Ethel P. Duncklee
Harriet A. Williams
Robert Gibson

Plainfield School Board

SCHOOL BOARD'S BUDGET FOR 1947-1948

Detailed Statement of Estimated Expenditures

Support of Schools:

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Teachers' Salares | \$12,600.00 |
| Textbooks | 200.00 |
| Supplies | 250.00 |
| Flags and Appurtenances | 15.00 |
| Other expense of instruction | 10.00 |
| Janitor service | 850.00 |
| Water, lights, janitor supplies | 250.00 |
| Fuel | 850.00 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 500.00 |
| Health supervision | 400.00 |
| Transportation | 3,500.00 |

Total Support of Schools \$ 19,425.00

Other Statutory Requirements:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries of District Officers | \$ 323.00 |
| Truant officer and census | 20.00 |
| Payment of high sch. tuition | 3,000.00 |
| Superintendent's salary | 600.00 |
| Per capita tax | 378.00 |
| Expense of administration | 100.00 |
| Teachers' retirement assess- ment | 300.00 |

Total Statutory Requirements \$ 4,721.00

Total amount to meet School

Board's Budget \$ 24,146.00

Estimated Income:

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Balance on hand July 30, '47 (estimated) | \$ 200.00 |
| State Aid | 5,000.00 |
| Dog tax (estimated) | 100.00 |
| Income from land rent (esti- mated) | 25.00 |

Total estimated income \$ 5,325.00

Assessment required to balance School
Board's Budget \$ 18,821.00

**FINANCIAL REPORT
PLAINFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT
(1945 - 1946)**

Current Revenue

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| State Aid | \$ 5,394.17 |
| Appropriation | 10,556.65 |
| Dog Tax | 348.65 |
| Enfield Tuition (1945) | 320.00 |
| Lease Land Rent | 117.76 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total receipts from all sources | \$ 16,737.23 |
| Cash on hand July 1, 1945 | 1,249.03 |
| <hr/> | |
| Grand Total | \$ 17,986.26 |

Current Expenses

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Salaries of district officers | \$ 223.00 |
| Superintendent's salary | 400.00 |
| Truant Officer | 5.00 |
| Expense of administration | 124.18 |
| Teachers' salaries: | |
| Marion Hall | 1,000.00 |
| Emma Spalding | 1,150.00 |
| Josephine Crane | 1,150.00 |
| Louise Kinsey | 1,300.00 |
| Hazel Dodge | 1,200.00 |
| Ruth Northrup | 1,300.00 |
| Ollie Tucker | 1,052.00 |
| Gladys Hurlbutt | 198.00 |
| Textbooks | 263.09 |
| Scholars' supplies | 221.54 |
| Flags and appurtenances | 8.75 |
| Other expense of instruction | 35.47 |
| Janitor services: | |
| Gerald Blair | 36.00 |
| Claudette Dion | 41.00 |
| Daniel Westgate | 72.00 |
| Ethel Cutts | 228.00 |
| Mrs. Walter Smith | 8.00 |
| Fred Sweet | 129.60 |
| Rita Morse | 3.50 |
| Josephine Crane | 77.50 |
| Howard Wilder | 100.40 |

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Fuel | 503.57 |
| Water, lights and janitor supplies | 217.02 |
| Minor repairs and expenses: | |
| N. P. Clough & Co., shingles | 129.70 |
| J. W. Whitney, labor | 30.70 |
| Harold Wilder, labor and glass | 1.50 |
| Cye Dennis, trucking | 4.90 |
| Lewis Bros., material | 20.58 |
| Daniel Westgate, labor | 45.00 |
| Randolph Perkins, labor | 48.94 |
| N. R. Green, labor | 19.13 |
| Charles Strobel, labor painting and paint | 90.00 |
| J. F. McNamara, labor and supplies | 24.10 |
| Arthur LaClair, labor | 12.25 |
| E. C. Waite, labor and material | 46.85 |
| Medical inspection | 355.62 |
| Transportation | 2,958.21 |
| High School Tuition | 1,875.80 |
| Tax for state-wide supervision | 340.00 |
| New equipment | 30.02 |
| Retirement assessment | 38.43 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Expenditures | \$ 17,119.35 |
| Balance on hand at end of year (June 30) | 866.91 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand Total | \$ 17,986.26 |

TREASURER'S REPORT

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1945 | \$ 1,249.03 |
| Received: | |
| Selectmen, appropriation | 10,556.65 |
| Selectmen, dog tax | 348.65 |
| Income from land lease | 117.76 |
| State Aid | 5,394.17 |
| Other sources: | |
| Enfield tuition (1945) | 320.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Receipts | \$ 17,986.26 |
| Paid on School Board orders | 17,119.35 |
| | <hr/> |
| Cash on hand June 30, 1946 | \$ 866.91 |

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE ZEA,

Treasurer

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Plainfield of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HOWARD W. CHELLIS,

JOHN W. WHITNEY,

Auditors

PRIZES AND AWARDS

The prizes awarded the Eighth Grade pupils by the Honorable H. E. Ward for patriotic subjects are as follows:

| | Eastern Section | Western Section |
|-----------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 1st Prize | Claudette Dion | Jean Bushold |
| 2nd Prize | William Blair | Richard Plummer |
| 3rd Prize | Jeraldine Greenwood | Bernard Fleming |

ENROLLMENT

| School | Number Pupils in Grades | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | Total |
| Meriden Primary | | | | | | | | | |
| Hazel Dodge | 7 | 10 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 34 |
| Meriden Grammar | | | | | | | | | |
| Gertrude Morrison | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 9 | 7 | 26 |
| Plainfield Primary | | | | | | | | | |
| Mary Gauthier | 2 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 28 |
| Plainfield Grammar | | | | | | | | | |
| Emma Spalding | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 4 | 25 |
| East Plainfield | | | | | | | | | |
| Ollie Tucker | 3 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 20 |
| Brook School | | | | | | | | | |
| Marion Hall | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 10 |
| Methodist Hill | | | | | | | | | |
| Josephine Crane | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 15 |
| Totals | 14 | 24 | 33 | 16 | 14 | 17 | 24 | 16 | 158 |

LIST OF GRADUATES

Eighth Grade

JUNE, 1946

Plainfield Plain School

Jean Bushold
Edward Daniels
Bernard Fleming
Gladys Harper
William Husband
Raymond Morse
Richard Plummer
Howard Wilder

East Plainfield School

Claudette Dion
William Blair
George Pringle
Brook School
Jeraldine Greenwood
Meriden School
Raymond Cutts
Ray Morey

PLAINFIELD TUITION PUPILS

1946 - 1947

Windsor, Vt., High School

| | Grade | | Grade |
|----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| John Gibson | 12 | James Crary | 10 |
| Joseph Gibson | 12 | Bernard Fleming | 9 |
| Louise Wilder | 12 | William Husband | 9 |
| Richard Gray | 11 | John Morse | 9 |
| Benjamin Lewin | 10 | Raymond Morse | 9 |

Lebanon High School

| | Grade | | Grade |
|-----------------|-------|-------------------|-------|
| Elaine Blair | 12 | Lorraine Dion | 11 |
| Helen Dion | 12 | Beverly Haynes | 10 |
| Benjamin Porter | 12 | Patricia Thibault | 10 |
| Barbara Pringle | 12 | Gerard Blair | 9 |
| Madeline Smith | 12 | Claudette Dion | 9 |
| Francis Smith | 12 | Louise LaClair | 9 |
| Marie Pickens | 11 | | |

West Lebanon High School

| | Grade | | Grade |
|----------------|-------|------------|-------|
| Patricia Torry | 10 | Helen King | 11 |

Hartford High School

| | Grade |
|----------------------|-------|
| Marjorie Coutermarsh | 10 |

Attending Kimball Union Academy (tuition free)

| | Grade | | Grade |
|------------------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| Marian Dean | 12 | Kinsley Walker | 10 |
| Dolphus Guillotte, Jr. | 12 | Richard Wood | 10 |
| Earle Kenyon | 12 | Polly Adams | 9 |
| Charles Moulton | 11 | Richard Plummer | 9 |
| Benoit Muise | 11 | Howard Wilder | 9 |
| Donald Berwick | 10 | | |

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Plainfield School Board and Citizens:

This report will be brief.

Teachers

Teachers have been found for all schools. In these days that is news. The budget for teachers' salaries is increased with the hope that we may make the positions in Plainfield as attractive as those of our neighbors. The budget may not be large enough. One room schools of ten pupils or less should be closed, since the expense of operation is not justifiable.

Noon Luncheons

Parent-Teacher Associations were formed at Meriden and the Plainfield Schools. These have been very active and successful in carrying on the noon luncheons with small federal aid. The contract for luncheon operations is between the State and School Board.

Health Work

Mrs. Hasham, our school nurse, has a large number of towns to cover, yet she is always ready and willing to come on call for emergencies. Her work is very highly appreciated by all who know of it.

The report shows only the statistics of her activities but the personal contacts necessary to accomplish the work are innumerable.

Recommendations

I recommend a special appropriation for an artesian well water supply at the Plainfield School, the continuation of luncheons and some financial assistance for transportation to high schools.

The School Board has plans for ample toilet arrangements at the Plain School.

Conclusion

The year has been a busy one. Demands for attention to many and varied problems keep me very busy. In spite of this, I shall be glad to be of help whenever I can.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. ENGLISH,
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

I hereby submit my seventeenth annual report as School Nurse. Among the most common defects found are neglected teeth, poor personal hygiene and poor posture.

| | | |
|----------------------------|----|----------------|
| School visits | | 101 |
| Home visits | | 48 |
| Number of pupils inspected | | 168 |
| Defective vision | 3 | 4 |
| Nervous habits | 6 | 0 |
| Defective teeth | 92 | 56 |
| Enlarged tonsils | 10 | 2 |
| Poor posture | 16 | 16 Improved |
| Faulty speech | 4 | |
| Communicable diseases: | | |
| Whooping cough | 8 | |
| Pediculosis | 9 | 7 Corrected |
| Diphtheria protection | | 2 inoculations |
| School children | | 130 |
| Pre-school children | | 28 |

Respectfully submitted,

ZEPHYRINE L. HASHAM, R.N.

School Nurse

