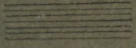


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ANNUAL 
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OF THE

TOWN OF

WINDHAM

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

January 31, 1921

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ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE
OFFICERS, TRUSTEES, AGENTS AND
COMMITTEES

OF THE

TOWN OF WINDHAM

For the Year Ending January 31, 1921.

'NEWS-ENTERPRISE PRESS'
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Derry, N. H.
1921

TOWN OFFICERS FOR YEAR 1920.

Moderator

John W. M. Worledge

Town Clerk

John E. Cochran

Selectmen

Rufus H. Bailey

John E. Cochran

Frederick J. Hughes

Treasurer

William L. Emerson

Tax Collector

Olin J. Cochran

Supervisors

George M. Hawley

Myron C. Wheeler

Olin J. Cochran

Road Agents

Daniel J. Kane

Myron C. Wheeler

George G. Dinsmore

Trustees of Trust Funds.

Eugene W. Armstrong, Term Expires 1923

George M. Hawley, Term Expires 1922

Milford Messenger, Term Expires 1921

Special Police

John W. M. Worledge

Horace C. Boyce

Randall Allen.

Auditors

Albert W. Farmer

Edward A. Haskell

Cemetery Committees

Albert W. Farmer, Term Expires 1922

Rufus H. Bailey, appointed 1921

Eugene W. Armstrong, appointed 1921

Agent of Ministerial Fund

George F. Armstrong

Memorial Day Committee

Rufus H. Bailey

Surveyors of Lumber

Albert W. Farmer

Eugene W. Armstrong

Moody M. Estey

William L. Emerson

Term Expires 1921.

Surveyors of Wood

Albert W. Farmer

Myron C. Wheeler

Samuel F. Campbell

George G. Dinsmore

Representative

Edward A. Haskell

School Officers

Moderator

Albert W. Farmer

Clerk

John E. Cochran

Treasurer

John E. Cochran, Appointed.

School Board

Edward A. Haskell,

Term Expires 1921

Ethel Low

Term Expires 1922

Auditors

Albert W. Farmer

Myron C. Wheeler

TOWN WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE,
ROCKINGHAM, SS.

(L. S.)

To the inhabitants of the Town of Windham, in the County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at Lower Town Hall in said Windham on Tuesday, the eighth (8th) day of March next, at Ten of the 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 appropriation for the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to hire money in anticipation of taxes.
4. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road from the Witch Hazel Factory to the Salem line towards North Salem.
5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to pay the remaining five Bonds out of the town Treasury with money not appropriated for other purposes.
6. To bring in your ballots upon each of the questions submitted by the Convention to revise the Constitution relative to the Amendments proposed by the said convention at a session held on January 28, 1921.
7. To see how much money the town will vote for the observance of Memorial Day.

8. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid the ensuing year,

9. To vote to raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repair of highways and bridges the ensuing year and make appropriation for the same.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise or appropriate One Hundred Dollars (100), for the eradication of the White Pine Blister. State to give three dollars to our one.

11. To elect three Selectmen one for three years, one for two years and one for one year.

12. To see what action the town will take in regard to having town water in the town hall.

13. To see if the town will vote to give the Derry Electric Co., a right to run wires and set poles and exempt them from taxation for ten years.

14. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Derry Electric Co., for lights for Town hall and Library.

15. To see what action the town will take about repairing the bridge at North Pelham.

16. To see how much money the town will vote to pay help and teams on the highway the ensuing year.

Given under our hands and seal, the Nineteenth (19th) day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-one (1921.)

RUFUS H. BAILEY,
JOHN E. COCHRAN,
FREDERICK J. HUGHES.

Selectmen of Windham.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RUFUS H. BAILEY,
JOHN E. COCHRAN,
FREDERICK J. HUGHES.

Selectmen of Windham.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Inventory of the town of Windham, 1920.

Lands and buildings	\$777,622.00
Horses, 114	16,100.00
Cows, 296	22,100.00
Neat Stock, 60	3,095.00
Sheep, 6	60.00
Hogs, 5	180.00
Fowls, 1255	1,255.00
Boats, 12	1,400.00
Wood and Lumber	24,055.00
Money on hand	5,800.00
Stock in Trade	18,550.00
Mills and Machinery, 2	6,500.00
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Total	\$876,717.00
Amount of Property Exempted	
Soldiers and Soldiers' widows	1,525.00
Amount of Taxes committed to	
Collector, including polls	\$22,167.56
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	\$22,167.56
Rate of tax on \$100.00	2.45

APPROPRIATIONS 1920

State tax	\$2,822.00
County Tax	2,152.82
Highways	5,500.00
Schools	6,500.00
Town charges, including Bond	
Interest, Sinking Fund,	
Trust Fund	3,500.00

Memorial day	10.00	
Overlay	997.74	
139 Polls \$3.00 and \$5.00	685.00	22,167.56
Extra State tax on polls.		268.00

PAYMENT BY EACH DIVISION.

Town Officers Salaries	\$1,016.67	
Town Officers Expenses	682.75	
Election and Registration	159.00	
Town Hall	75.45	
Police Department	27.75	
Fire Department	10.00	
Health Department	21.50	
Vital Statistics	5.00	
Tax Sales, Cost	14.80	
State Aid Maintenance	373.15	
Trunk Line Maintenance	3,941.92	
Town Maintenance	2,282.90	
Town Winter Roads	956.74	
General Expenses	12.50	
Libraries	205.93	
Memorial Day and Tablet	113.45	
Cemeteries	141.50	
Taxes bought by town	298.79	
Abatements and Refund	162.75	
Damage and Legal Exp.	34.70	
Interest	240.00	
To Trustees of Trust Fund	17.50	
Permanent road	567.15	
To take up Wilson Fund	150.00	
Merchants Trust Co one Bond	1,000.00	
Treasurer of Trust Fund, Sink- ing Fund	250.00	
Temporary Loan	3,000.00	
State and County Tax 1920	5,242.82	
School Treasurer	5,401.15	

Auto Registration	18.50
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Total Payments	<u>26,424.37</u>
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DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers Salaries

W. L. Emerson Treasurer, Balance 1919	\$18.81
J. W. M. Worledge, moderator	12.00
Olin J. Cochran, tax collector	150.00
A. W. Farmer, auditor	4.00
M. C. Wheeler, auditor	4.00
E. W. Armstrong, treasurer of Trust fund	30.00
F. J. Hughes, bal. of 1919-1920	204.50
J. E. Cochran, bal of 1919-1920	200.61
J. E. Cochran, town clerk	50.00
R. H. Bailey, bal. of 1919-1920	223.00
W. L. Emerson, town treasurer	60.00
J. E. Cochran, janitor	59.75
	<u>\$1,016.67</u>

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES.

N. J. Thurber, envelopes and paper	\$ 6.42
News-Enterprise printing reports	106.00
J. E. Cochran, bonding town officers	83.75
E. C. Eastman, tax book and supplies	7.43
Horace Johnson, establishing boundry's	2.00
W. L. Emerson, establishing boundry's	3.00
Merchants Trust Co., rent of safety box	3.00
Daniel Kane, auto for tax commission	15.00
F. J. Hughes, extra assessing	55.00
J. E. Cochran, and horse extra assessing	66.00
R. H. Bailey, extra assessing	66.00
J. E. Cochran, auto and dinner for tax Ex-emption and selectmen	20.00
Bessie Emerson, copying records	8.00
Derry News, printing notices	1.50

Olin J. Cochran, Sup. Sta. and Postage	29.21
Olin J. Cochran, auto for state highway	15.00
R. H. Bailey, acct. of town, postage, tel. express, etc	80.74
J. E. Cochran, acct of town postage, tel. express, etc	73.70
F. J. Hughes, acct. of town, postage, tel. express, etc ,	36.50
W. L. Emerson, postage and stationery	4.50
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	\$682.75

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION.

Geo. M. Hawley, supervisor	26.00
M. C. Wheeler, supervisor	38.00
Olin J. Cochran, supervisor	36.00
C. I. Woodman, ballot clerk	8.00
A. W. Farmer, ballot clerk	12.00
E. W. Armstrong, ballot clerk	12.00
Frank Porter, ballot clerk	12.00
Derry News, printing check-lists	15.00
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	\$159.00

DETAILED STATEMENTS OF PAYMENTS

Town Hall

Clinton, messenger and cutting wood	\$1.50
Farmer and Wheeler, cutting wood	16.20
T. R. Wells, drawing, sawing and housing wood	14.00
T. R. Wells, Having Piano tuned	8.14
J. W. M. Worledge	12.75
J. E. Cochran, supplies	22.86
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	75.45

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

J. W. M. Worledge, special police	15.00
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Horace C. Boyce, special police	12.50
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\$27.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Geo. G. Dinsmore, labor and expense	\$21.50
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\$21.50

VITAL STATISTICS.

W. L. Emerson, doctor's fees	5.00
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\$5.00

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

Town Maintenance

Geo. G. Dinsmore	\$523.20
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Myron C. Wheeler	639.50
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Daniel Kane	763.70
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Arlington Mills, cinders	300.00
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R. H. Bailey and men	18.00
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North Eastern Culvert Co.	25.00
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Clinton Messenger, cutting bush	13.50
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\$2,282.90

State Aid Maintenance.

Myron C. Wheeler	\$75.80
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Geo. L. Dinsmore	85.05
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F. H. Wells	212.30
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\$373.15

Trunk Line Maintenance.

M. Tranfaglia	\$2,600.85
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F. H. Wells	1,043.07
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Town of Hudson, road roller	290.00
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W. N. Prescott, Tranfaglia's account	8.00
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\$3,941.92

Permanent Road.

Myron C. Wheeler	\$567.15
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\$567.15

General Expense of Highway.

F. H. Nichols, one shovel for 1919	\$1.50
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Sarah L. Webber, watering trough	2.00
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Walton C. Barker, watering trough	3.00
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C. O. Parker	6.00
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\$12.50

Paid Out for Winter Roads.

J. A. Nesmith	\$3.00
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F. J. Hughes for Blatchford & Crowell	6.25
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Milford Messenger and men	194.45
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F. S. Webster and men	127.59
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Moody Estey	10.30
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A. W. Farmer	6.00
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M. C. Wheeler	10.80
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J. H. Trenholm	5.55
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M. Webber	36.40
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Geo. Hall	6.90
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F. J. Hughes for men	19.60
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Geo. and Frank Barker	21.60
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J. M. Crowell	6.00
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G. H. Clark	4.80
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C. W. Fisk	6.45
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B. F. Blatchford	21.45
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Wm. T. Pratt	3.30
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R. W. Jackson and men	76.02
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Joseph Boulanger, Jr.	13.20
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Seward M. Ray	69.50
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Daniel Kane and men	156.68
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Russell Wilson	2.10
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C. I. Woodman	1.13
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M. C. Wheeler and men	100.55
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H. U. Gilson	7.67
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John M. Jackson	10.10
E. Cate	7.60
M. Messenger and boy	12.15
Geo. G. Dinsmore	9.60
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	\$956.74
Forest Fire.	
J. W. M. Worledge, fire warden	\$10.00
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	\$10.00
Olin J. Cochran, tax sale	\$14.80
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	\$14.80
Libraries.	
Marian Gilson, librarian	\$75.00
Charles E. Laureate, history	4.60
John E. Cochran, insurance	65.75
Charles E. Laureate, books for library	60.58
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	\$205.93
Memorial Day.	
C. I. Woodman, memorial tablet	\$97.85
A G. Pollard, 5 dozen flags and P. P	5.12
Rev. Mr. Foxall, speaker	10.48
	113.45
Cemetery Committee.	
Treasurer of Cemetery Committee	\$141.50
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	\$141.50
Damage and Legal Expense.	
Scammon & Gardner	\$2.00
R. H. Bailey, expense to Exeter with selectmen	32.70
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	\$34.70
Interest.	
Mechants' Trust Co., interest on bands	\$240.00
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	\$240.00
Temporary Loan.	
Merchants' Trust Co.	\$3,000.00
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	\$3,000.00
Bonds	
Merchants' Trust Co, one bond	\$1,000.00
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	\$1,000.00
Trust Funds.	
E. W. Armstrong—to take up Nesmith Fund	\$150.00
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	\$150.00
Sinking Fund.	
E. W. Armstrong, on account of bond	\$250.00
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	\$250.00
Trustees of Trust Funds.	
On account of cemetery	\$17.50
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	\$17.50
Auto Registration.	
J. E. Cochran, fees for autos	\$18.50
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	\$18.50
Taxes bought by town	\$298.79
Abatement and refund	162.75
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	\$461.54
For Schools.	
J. E. Cochran, School Treasurer	\$5,401.15
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	\$5,401.15
State Taxes, 1920.	
State Treasurer	\$3,090.00
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	\$3,090.00

County Taxes, 1920.

County Treasurer

\$2,152.82

\$2,152.82

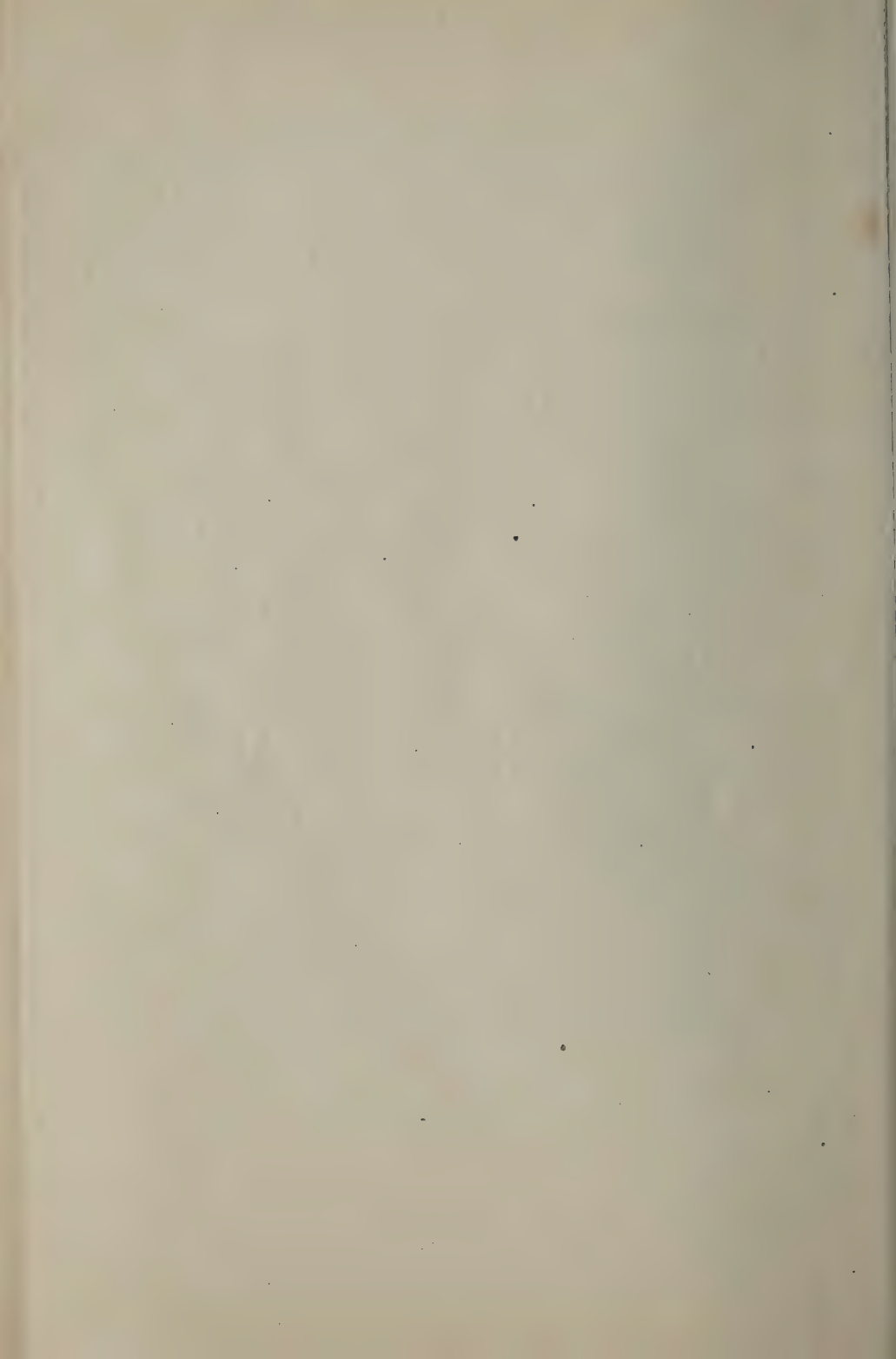
Total payments

\$26,424.37

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Windham, N. H. on January 31, 1921

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION		HOW INVESTED		Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand At Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
	All trust funds should be reported separately giving name of fund and donor		State character and rate of return for each investment. State also dates when funds were "borrowed or used for city or town purposes."							
March 30, 1895	General Care of the Cemeteries.....	Merrimaek River "av. B'k. Manchester, N.H.	\$107.12	.04			\$.43	\$0.01	\$41.44	\$.00
June 24, 1895	Beauty and care of cemetery on Hill.....	Manchester Sav. Bank, "	680.63	.04			33.49	18.36	81.36	44.71
March 11, 1895	Care of Burial Lot	Union Trust Co., Concord, N. H.	100.00	.04			5.16	4.20	1.80	3.54
March 11, 1895	"	New Hampshire Sav. Bank, "	50.00	.04			3.22	2.12	1.80	3.54
Feb 4, 1903	"	Edward Parker Fund.....	100.00	.04			21.62	4.84	9.00	17.46
June 11, 1895	"	Maria Cottle Fund.....	50.00	.04			5.59	2.20	.60	7.79
March 15, 1904	"	Zoe Blanchard Fund.....	50.00	.04			2.66	2.08	1.84	2.94
March 15, 1904	"	Hill Sisters Fund.....	100.00	.04			2.32	4.08	4.60	1.80
June 4, 1904	"	B. O. Simpson Fund.....	50.00	.04			103.33	24.28	12.36	115.05
Dec. 9, 1904	"	Mattie Clark Fund.....	50.00	.04			2.08	4.20	4.16	2.63
Oct. 9, 1905	"	Clariissa Hills Fund.....	100.00	.04			5.56	4.20	3.12	4.12
Oct. 23, 1905	"	J. A. Nesmith Fund.....	100.00	.04			4.93	4.16	6.00	3.12
June 18, 1906	"	Olin Parker Fund.....	100.00	.04			6.51	4.24	3.50	7.25
May 27, 1907	"	Caroline Anderson Fund.....	100.00	.04			9.3	4.44	3.75	9.99
June 1, 1907	"	Jennie Nease Babyc Fund.....	100.00	.04			6.87	4.24	3.75	7.36
Sept. 20, 1907	"	Mary A. Reynolds Fund.....	50.00	.04			.05	2.08	2.05	.08
Sept. 24, 1907	"	Mary Haseltine Fund.....	100.00	.04			3.18	4.48	3.50	3.86
March 21, 1908	"	Horace Anderson Fund.....	50.00	.04			.87	2.04	2.05	.86
May 6, 1908	"	Sarah J. Ward Fund.....	50.00	.04			.19	2.04	2.00	.44
May 30, 1908	"	Mary Milner Fund.....	50.00	.04			5.01	2.22	1.95	5.28
Aug. 1, 1908	"	John Kelley Fund.....	50.00	.04			0.00	2.00	2.00	0.00
Aug. 24, 1908	"	Francis Bartley Fund.....	100.00	.04			7.00	4.36	5.70	5.66
March 20, 1909	"	Mary E. Call Fund.....	50.00	.04			2.82	2.14	2.35	2.61
May 1, 1908	"	Hattie Smith Fund.....	100.00	.04			7.92	4.34	3.75	8.51
May 8, 1909	"	Mrs. Luther Robie Fund.....	100.00	.04			9.49	4.48	6.10	7.84
May 21, 1909	"	N. Twiss and A. E. Simpson F'd	100.00	.04			2.93	4.18	3.75	3.56
Nov. 24, 1894	"	Thomas W. Simpson Fund.....	50.00	.04			4.57	2.22	1.95	4.84
June 22, 1909	"	Emma Palmer Fund.....	50.00	.04			5.90	2.22	2.00	6.10
May 2, 1910	"	W. D. Cochran Fund.....	50.00	.04			2.78	2.14	1.95	2.97
May 2, 1910	"	W. D. & Margaret Cochran F'd	75.00	.04			18.59	8.06	2.25	19.78
May 15, 1910	"	George E. Seavey Fund.....	150.00	.04			6.94	2.12	1.05	.26
May 15, 1910	"	James Wymen Fund.....	50.00	.04			1.62	2.12	5.75	19.78
Aug. 23, 1910	"	S. B. Farmer Fund.....	50.00	.04			4.12	2.10	1.90	1.79
Aug. 29, 1912	"	Mrs. M. K. M. Page Fund.....	50.00	.04			0.00	2.00	2.00	0.00
June 13, 1912	"	Lucinda Bradford Fund.....	50.00	.04			1.69	2.04	1.95	1.78
June 1, 1914	"	Harriet Smith Fund.....	50.00	.04			1.70	2.08	1.75	2.03
June 1, 1914	"	James Watson Smith Fund.....	50.00	.04			.90	2.06	1.75	1.21
Nov. 1, 1914	"	James Barker Fund.....	50.00	.04			.31	2.06	1.75	.52
Jan. 28, 1916	"	Hartshorn & Bailey Fund.....	150.00	.04			3.87	6.24	6.39	3.91
June 16, 1916	"	B. H. Hughes Fund.....	50.00	.04			1.62	2.09	1.90	1.61
Oct. 26, 1916	"	Daniel Kelley Fund.....	50.00	.04			.38	2.02	2.00	.49
Oct. 28, 1916	"	William S. Harris Fund.....	150.00	.04			5.25	6.11	6.90	5.36
Aug. 19, 1916	"	Frank W. Hadley Fund.....	50.00	.04			1.02	2.05	.50	2.57
Nov. 11, 1918	"	Prescott Emerson Fund.....	200.00	.04			0.00	8.06	7.04	1.89
Nov. 11, 1918	"	Samuel W. Prescott Fund.....	100.00	.04			0.00	8.06	7.04	1.89
Jan. 1, 1920	"	Cora W. Simpson Fund.....	100.00	.04			0.00	1.67	3.30	minus 1.63
July 1, 1920	"	Almy A. Armstrong Fund.....	100.00	.04			0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1889	Armstrong Memo Fund for Memo Buildings.....	Pullman Car Stock.....	900.00	.08			71.77	143.77	143.77	0.00
Jan. 1, 1905	Elizabeth Wilson Fund for Public Schools.....	U. S. Bond	1,000.00	.04 1/4			0.00	42.50	42.50	9.00
Jan. 1, 1916	Elizabeth Wilson Fund for Public Library.....	U. S. Bond	1,000.00	.04 1/4			33.25	42.50	29.50	15.25
Jan. 1, 1916	Wilson Fund Cemetery on Hill.....	Town and Sinking Fund	50.00	.04 1/4			17.50	11.30	29.01	.00

Eugene W. Armstrong Treas. Trust Fund.





BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WINDHAM, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year, January 31, 1921 to January 31, 1922.

Compared With
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, January 31, 1920 to January 31, 1921.

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1920	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1921	Purposes of Expenditures	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1920	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1921
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CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:

From State:					
Insurance Tax	\$ 75		General Government:	\$1016 67	
Railroad Tax	575 21		Town Officers' Salaries	682 75	
Savings Bank Tax	609 41		Town Officers' Expenses		
For Highways			Election and Registration		
			Expenses	159 00	
(a) For State Aid Maintenance	287 43		Care and Supplies for Town Hall	75 45	
(b) For Trunk Line	1851 24				

Protection of Persons and Property:					
Police Department				27 75	
Fire Department				10 00	

Health:

Health Department					
				21 50	
Vital Statistics				5 00	

From Local Sources except Taxes:

Fines and Forfeits					
Rent of Town Hall and other Buildings	200 00		Highways and Bridges:		
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	62 50		State Aid Maintenance	373 15	
Income of Depts., Highways, Sewers, etc. Cemetery	101 61		State's Contribution	567 15	
	117 50		Town's Contribution		
Auto Registration	326 60		Trunk Line Maintenance	3941 92	
Sinking Fund	250 00		State's Contribution	2882 80	
R. H. Briley, Load Cinders 10 00			Town's Contribution	956 74	
			Winter Roads		
			General Expenses of Highway Department	12 50	

Interest and Payment on
Warren Place

128 75

From Poll Taxes

685 00

Education:
Libraries 205 98

Auto Registration 18 50

Patriotic Purposes:
Memorial Day and other
Celebrations and Tablet 113 45

Public Service Enterprises:
Cemeteries 159 00
Taxes Bought by Town 298 79
Damage and Legal Expenses 34.70

Interest:
On temporary Loans 3000 00
On Bonded Debt 240 00
On Principal of Trust Funds
Used by Town 150 00

Indebtedness:
Payments on Principal of Debt
(a) Bonds 1000 00
(b) Long Term Notes
(c) To Restore Trust Funds 250 00

Payments to Other
Governmental Divisions:
State Taxes 3050 00
County Taxes 2132 82
Abatements and Refund 162 65
Payments to School Districts 5401 15

Total Expenditures 26,424 37

Total Revenues from all

Sources Except Property
Taxes 5205 99

Amount Raised by Property
Taxes 22802 72

Total Revenues 27508 71

FINANCIAL REPORT.
OF THE
TOWN OF WINDHAM
IN
Rockingham County
For the Fiscal Year Ending
January 31, 1921

CERTIFICATE

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

Date January 31, 1921.

RUFUS H. BAILEY,
JOHN E COCHRAN, ,
FREDERICK J. HUGHES,,
Selectmen.
WILLIAM L. EMERSON,
Treasurer.

BALANCE

Town of Windham

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer (Do not include sinking funds)	\$6,674.78
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Cash belonging to sinking funds to take up Trust Fund	450.00
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Accounts Due to Town:

Due from State:

(a) Joint Highway accounts, unexpended balances in state treasury, State Aid Cons.	499.60
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(b) Due Town from State Trunk Line Maintenance	251.25
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(c) Due Town from State, State Aid Maintenance	258.54
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Other bills due Town:

(a) Warren Place mortgage	500.00
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(b) Sinking fund	250.00
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Total Assets	\$8,884.17
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Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	2,129.96
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Grand Total	\$11,014.13
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Net Debt—Surplus, Jan. 31, 1920	\$4,796.27
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Net Debt—Surplus, Jan. 31, 1921	2,129.96
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Decrease of debt	\$2,666.31
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State purpose for which debt was created	
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SHEET

Dated January 31, 1921

Liabilities.

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

(a) Dog licenses	\$84.10
(b) Balance in Town Treasury, Schools	2,875.15

State and Town Joint Highway Accts.:

(a) Unexpended balances in Town Treasury	1,504.88
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 \$1,249.59

(b) State Aid Cons.	1,249.56
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(c) State Aid Maintenance	255.38
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Bonds outstanding:

State and County tax, 1914, 5 one thou- sand dollar bonds	5,000.00
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Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used
by Town:

Wilson Cemetery fund	50.00
Dora Haselton fund	500.00
Nesmith fund	1,000.00

 Total Liabilities \$11,014.13

 Grand Total \$11,014.13

RECEIPTS AND

Town of Windham

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes committed to
collector, 1920 \$22,167.56

Less discounts and
abatements, 1920 67.10

\$22,100.46

1. Property taxes, current year, actually collected \$21,628.88
2. Poll taxes, current year actually collected at \$3 15.00
3. Poll taxes, current year, actually collected at \$5.00 \$670.00 685.00

\$22,313.88

Tax sales redeemed \$673.84

From State:

5. For highways:
 - (a) For State Aid Maint. 287.43
 - (c) For Trunk Line Maintenance 1,851.24

\$2,138.67

6. Insurance tax \$ 0.75
7. Railroad tax 575.21
8. Savings bank tax 609.41

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

- 15 Dog licenses 84.60
17. Fines and forfeits, municipal court 200.00

PAYMENTS

For the Year ending Jan. 31, 1921

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$1,016.67
2. Town officers' expenses	682.75
3. Election and registration expenses	159.00
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	75.45
6. Police department, including care of tramps	27.75
7. Fire department, including forest fires	10.00

Health:

11. Health department, including hospitals	21.50
12. Vital statistics	5.00

Highways and Bridges:

Permanent road fund	567.15
14. State Aid maintenance	373.15
15. Trunk Line maintenance	3,941.92
16. Town maintenance	2,282.90
17. Winter roads	956.74
18. General expenses of highway department, including watering troughs	12.50

Libraries:

19. Libraries	205.93
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Charities:

Auto registration	18.50
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Patriotic Purposes:

22. Memorial Day exercises and soldiers' tablet	113.45
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RECEIPTS AND

Total receipts brought forward

\$27,464.56

from page 22

18.	Rent of town hall	62.50
19.	Interest received on taxes	8.82
20.	Interest received on deposits	92.79
23.	Income from depart- ments, Cemetery Com.	117.50
25.	Permits for the regis- tration of motor vehicles	326.59
26.	Payment Sinking Fund	250.00
	R. H. Bailey 1 load cinders	10.00
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
27.	Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$2,955.00
	Interest and payment on Warren Place	128.25

Total Receipts from All Sources \$30,547.81

Cash on hand February 1, 1920 6,674.78

Total Current Revenue Receipts \$27,464.56

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

Total payments brought forward		
from page 23		\$11,400.40
Interest:		
Public Service Enterprises:		
27. Cemeteries, including		
hearse hire	159.00	
Unclassified:		
28. Damages and legal		
expenses	34.70	
29. Taxes bought by town	313.59	
30. Abatement and refund	162.75	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses		\$11,140.40
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	Grand Total	\$37,222.59
34. Paid on bonded debt	\$240.00	\$240.00
Indebtedness:		
44. Payments on tempor-		
ary loans in antici-		
pation of taxes	\$3,000.00	
46. Payment on bonded debt	1,000.00	
47. Payments to sinking funds	250.00	
48. Payments to trustees,		
trust funds	150.00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		\$4,400.00
Payments to Other Governmental		
Divisions:		
50. Taxes paid to State,		
Inc., Pools	3,090.00	
51. Taxes paid to County	2,152.82	
53. Payments to School		
Districts	5,401.15	
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.. PAYMENTS... (Continued.)

Total Payments for All Purposes	\$26,424.37
Divisions	\$10,643.97
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Total Paymentts for All Purposes	\$26,424.37
Cash on hand January 31, 1921	10,798.22
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Grand Total	\$37,222.59

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

	Description.	Value.
1.	Town Hall, lands and buildings	\$8,000.00
	Furniture and equipment	1,000.00
2.	Libraries, lands and buildings	5,000.00
	Furniture and equipment	5,000.00
5.	Highway Department, lands and buildings	200.00
8.	All other property and equipment:	
	Hearse house and hearse	350.00
	Road machine and tools	150.00
	Total	<hr/> \$19,700.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Number of male dogs licensed, 35	\$70.00
Number of female dogs licensed, 5	25.00
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	95.00

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By fees	\$8.00	
By postage	.40	
By blank	2.00	
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	10.40	\$84.60
Paid W. L. Emerson, Treasurer, tax on 74 automobiles		\$326.59

JOHN E. COCHRAN,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

1920

Amount committed for collection, 1920	\$22,167.56
Amount collected	\$22,100.46
Abatements	67.10
Extra tax collected	146.32
Interest collected	8.82

Amount paid to Treasurer \$22,322.70

Uncollected taxes, none.

Respectfully submitted,

OLIN J. COCHRAN,

Tax Collector.

January 31, 1921.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast.

ALBERT W. FARMER,

EDWARD A. HASKELL,

Auditors.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending January 31, 1921.

1920.			
Feb.	1.	Cash in treasury	\$6,674.78
	4.	Received from George M. Lockwood, on Warren place	65.00
		Received from Rufus H. Bailey, tax sale redeemed	19.00
	21.	Received from Mary MacDon-ald, tax sale redeemed, 1917-1918	21.54
		Rec'd from Tim Scanlon, tax sale redeemed	3.50
		Rec'd from tax sale redeemed	7.52
		Rec'd from State Highway Department, state aid	54.50
		Rec'd from State Highway department, trunk line	193.87
		E. W. Armstrong, sinking fund	250.00
Mar.	29.	George F. Armstrong, cemetery committee	17.50
		Rec'd from Rufus H. Bailey, tax sale redeemed	25.70
		Rec'd from Frank Albrecht, tax sale redeemed	19.40
		Rec'd from State Highway department, state aid	52.25
		Rec'd from State Highway department, trunk line	59.70
		Rec'd from Henry Brown and W. J. Brown, tax sale redeemed	92.08
June	12.	Rec'd from State Highway department, trunk line	50.00
		Rec'd from State Highway department, trunk line	100.00

July 7.	Rec'd from Thomas Greene, tax sale redeemed	15.02
8.	Rec'd from Olin J. Cochran, collector, June tax receipts	1,023.77
	Rec'd from Olin J. Cochran, collector, July tax receipts	1,003.80
	Rec'd from John E. Cochran, balance 1920 automobile tax	142.16
	Rec'd from interest on Warren place	63.25
	Rec'd from Olin J. Cochran, collector, August tax receipts	1,641.86
Aug. 23.	Rec'd from Merchants' Trust Company, town note	2,955.00
	Rec'd from Olin J. Cochran, collector, Sept. tax receipts	916.34
Oct. 1.	Rec'd from State Highway department	500.00
25.	Rec'd from Rufus H. Bailey, cinders	10.00
	Rec'd from State Highway department	300.00
Nov. 2.	Rec'd from Olin J. Cochran, collector, Oct. tax receipts	2,142.46
	Rec'd from State Treasurer, state aid	50.00
	Rec'd from Olin J. Cochran, collector, Nov. tax receipts	10,045.79
	Rec'd from State Treasurer, insurance tax	.75
	Rec'd from State Treasurer, railroad tax	560.96
	Rec'd from State Treasurer, Savings Bank Tax	609.41
1921.		
Jan. 10.	Rec'd from E. B. Weston, liquor fines	200.00

State treasurer, railroad tax	14.25
State aid	130.68
Trunk line	647.67
Treasurer trust funds	100.00
John E. Cochran, tax sale re- deemed	138.26
Rec'd from John E. Cochran, tax sale redeemed	328.82
Olin J. Cochran, collector, 1920 tax	5,548.63
John E. Cochran, dog license to 31 January 1921	84.66
John E. Cochran, rent of Town Hall	43.25
John W. M. Worledge, rent of Town Hall	19.25
John E. Cochran, automobile li- cense	184.43
Merchants Trust Company, inter- est	92.79
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Total Amount received	\$37,222.59
Paid 172 orders from selectmen	\$26,424.37
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Balance in treasury, February 1, 1921	\$10,798.22

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. EMERSON.

Windham, Jan. 31st, 1921.

We, the undersigned have this day examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Treasurer of trust funds, and Town Clerk, and find them correctly cast with satisfactory vouchers for all disbursements.

ALBERT W. FARMER,

EDWARD A. HASKELL,

Auditors.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

Paid D. Kane, repairing 4 days	\$19.80
D. Kane, man and team, 4 days	32.40
W. Parker, repairing, 4 days	16.20
W. Peet, repairing 4 days	16.20
G. Butterfield, repairing 1 day	4.05
John B. Varick Co., 2 picks \$1.40 each	2.80
John B. Varick Co. 2 pick handles 45c each	.90

\$92.35

Paid D. Kane, repairing, 5 days	\$24.75
D. Kane, man and team, repairing, 5 days	40.50
C. A. Foster, man and team, repairing 1 day, 5 hours	12.60
W. Parker, repairing 5 days	20.25
G. Butterfield, repairing 5 days	20.25
W. Peet, repairing, 5 days	20.25

\$138.60

Paid D. Kane, repairing, 4 days, 6 hours	23.10
D. Kane, man and team, repairing 4 days, 6 hours	37.80
W. Parker, repairing, 2 days, 6 hours	10.80
W. Parker and team 6 hours	5.40
W. Peet, repairing, 3 days, 6 hours	14.85
G. Butterfield, repairing, 4 days, 6 hours	18.90

\$110.85

Paid D. Kane, repairing, 5 days, 6 hrs.	28.05
D. Kane, man and team, 5 days	45.90

W. Parker, repairing, 2 days, 2 hours,	9.00
W. Parker and team, repairing, 1 day, 4 hours	11.70
W. Peet, repairing, 5 days, 6 hours	22.95
G. Butterfield, repairing, 5 days, 6 hrs.	22.95
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	\$140.55
Paid D. Kane, repairing, 5 days	24.75
D. Kane, man and team, repairing, 5 days	40.50
W. Parker, repairing, 5 days	20.25
G. Butterfield, repairing 5 days	20.25
H. Russell, 1 day	4.05
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	\$109.80
Paid D. Kane, repairing, 3 days, 7 hours	18.70
D. Kane, man and team repairing, 3 days, 7 hours	30.60
W. Parker, repairing 4 days, 3 hours	17.55
G. Butterfield, repairing 4 days, 7 hours	19.35
G. Flynn, repairing 2 days, 5 hours	10.35
C. B. Clark, 25 loads gravel at .05	1.25
C. Estey, 30 loads gravel at .05	1.50
Mrs. Seavey, 25 loads gravel at .05	1.25
E. Cohen, 2 shovels, at \$2.00	4.00
H. Berry, 40 loads grade at .05	2.00
Bell's Hardware Co., 1 grub hoe	1.30
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	\$109.85
Paid D. Kane, repairing, 1 day, 5 hours	7.70
D. Kane, man and team 1 day, 5 hours	12.60
G. Butterfield, repairing, 1 day, 5 hours	6.30
G. Butterfield, Jr., 1 day, 5 hours	6.30
J. Jewett, repairing, 1 hour	.45
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	\$33.35
H. E. Russell, due 3 two horse teams 1 day	24.30

1 man	4.05
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	\$28.35
Paid Geo. G. Dinsmore, 1 day ,4 hours April 3.	7.15
Paid Geo. G. Dinsmore , 1 day, 5 hours April 17.	7.70
Paid Geo. G. Dinsmore, 3 days, 2 hours	14.85
Geo. Kutzig, 3 days, 2 hours	13.05
Russell Wilson, 5 hours	2.25
Green, 3 days, 2 hours	13.05
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	\$58.05
Paid Geo. Dinsmore, 6 hours	3.39
Team, 5 hours	2.25
Geo. Dinsmore and team 9 hours	9.00
M. G. Armstrong and team, 9 hours	8.10
M. G. Armstrong, man, 4 hours	1.80
Gus Kritzig, 9 hours	4.05
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	\$28.50
Paid Geo. Dinsmore 2 days, 2 hours	18.00
Gus Kritzig, 2 days	8.10
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	\$26.10
Paid William, Zins, and team, 3 days	\$24.30
Jean Zins, 3 days	12.15
Geo. G. Dinsmore, 3 days	14.85
Geo. Jackson, 1 day	4.05
Tools, two shovels and one hoe,	4.20
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	\$55.35
Paid Geo. G. Dinsmore, 3 days, 2 hours	\$15.95
Team, 3 days, 2 hours	13.05
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	\$29.00

Paid Geo. Dinsmore, 5 days, 8 hours	53.00
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Geo. Dinsmore, 1 day	9.00
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Geo. Dinsmore, 2 days, 5 hours	12.65
Team, 2 days	8.10
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	\$20.75
Paid Geo. Dinsmore, 3 days, 5 hours	\$17.60
Team, 3 days, 5 hours	14.40
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	\$32.00
Paid Geo. Dinsmore, 3 days, 7 hours	\$18.70
Team, 3 days, 7 hours	15.30
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	\$34.00
Paid Geo. Dinsmore 5 days	\$24.75
Team, 5 hours	20.25
Paid Ed. Johnson, 5 hours	2.25
Geo. Dinsmore and team, 1 day	9.00
Fred Reed, 1 day	4.05
Geo. Dinsmore and team, 8 hours	8.00
Geo. Dinsmore, 8 hours	4.40
Gus Kritzig, 8 hours	3.60
Geo. Dinsmore, 1 day	4.95
Team, 1 day	4.05
Gus Kritzig, 1 day	4.05
Gus Kritzig, 5 hours	2.25
Geo. Dinsmore, 8 hours	4.40
Ed. Johnson, 5 hours	2.25
Geo. F. Armstrong, grade 21 loads	2.10
Tools, one axe, J. B. Covee & Co.	2.00
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	\$57.35
Paid Geo. Dinsmore and team, 1 day	\$ 9.00
Geo. Dinsmore and team, 1 hour	9.00

Geo. Dinsmore and team, 4 hours	4.00
Geo. Dinsmore, 8 hours	8.00
Gus Kritzig, 8 hours	3.60
Geo. Dinsmore, 6 hours	3.30
Gus Kritzig, 6 hours	2.70
Geo. Dinsmore and team, 1 day	9.00
Gus. Kritzig, 1 day	4.05
J. W. M. Worledge, gravel 9 loads	.90
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	\$53.55
Paid Geo. Dinsmore and team, 8 hours	\$8.00
Gus. Kritzig, 8 hours	3.60
Wm. Bradley, 7 hours	3.15
Geo. Dinsmore 7 hours	3.85
Team, 1 hour	.45
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	\$19.05
Total	\$523.20

State Road Maintenance

Paid M. Wheeler, 3 days	\$14.85
M. Webber, 1 day, 4 hours	11.70
G. Peters, 1 day	8.10
F. Porter, 1 day	4.05
J. Turner, 1 day	4.05
W. Alexander, 1 day	4.05
C. Hamlin, 1 day	4.05
F. Greeley, 1 day	4.05
M. Wheeler, 4 days, 2 hours	20.90
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State Aid Maintenance Total	\$75.80
Paid M. Wheeler, repairing, 4 days, 5 hours	\$22.55
M. Webber, 4 days 5 hours	36.90
G. Peters, 4 days, 5 hours	36.90
F. Porter, 4 days, 5 hours	18.45
J. Crowell, 3 days, 8 hours	15.75
A. W. Farmer, 4 days, 5 hours	18.45

C. Hamlin, 4 days, 8 hours	18.45
J. Turner, 4 days, 5 hours	18.45
H. Lord, 5 hours	2.25
G. Peters, 2 hours	.90
S. F. Campbell, grade	2.50
Mrs. Seavey, grade	3.30
E. A. Haskell, grade	3.30
S. L. Webber, grade	5.50
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	\$203.65
Paid M. Wheeler, repairing, 5 days, 4 hours	\$26.65
M. Webber, 5 days, 4 hours	44.10
G. Peters, 5 days, 1-2 hour	40.95
F. Porter, 5 days, 4 hours	22.05
J. Crowell, 3 days	12.15
C. Hamlin, 5 days, 4 hours	22.05
J. Turner, 5 days 4 hours	22.05
W. Alexander, 3 days, 7 hours	15.30
S. L. Webber, grade	1.40
A. W. Farmer, grade	1.20
M. Wheeler, grade	6.50
J. Boulanger, grade	3.00
A. Goss, gravel	3.50
Sharpening tools	1.05
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	\$222.25
Paid M. Wheeler, repairing 6 days	\$29.70
Powder and fuse	2.15
H. W.	1.30
Tools	1.50
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	\$34.65
Paid M. Wheeler, repairing, 6 days	\$29.70
M. Webber, 4 hours	3.60
M. Wheeler, 5 days, 7 hours	28.60

M. Wheeler, 2 days, 7 hours	13.75
R. M. Jackson, grade, 2 loads	.20

\$75.85.

Paid M. Wheeler, repairing 3 days, 6 hours	\$18.25
M. Webber, 2 days, 1 hour	17.10
A. W. Farmer, 4 hours	1.80
J. Jackson, 3 hours	1.35
J. Boulanger, 2 hours	.90
M. Wheeler, 4 days, 6 hours	23.10
M. Wheeler, 2 days, 6 hours	13.20
G. Peters, 1 day	8.10
F. Porter, 1 day	4.05
W. Alexander, 1 day	4.05
C. Hamlin, 1 day	4.05
H. Hamlin, 1 day	4.05
J. Boulanger, grade	1.00

\$100.90

Permanent Road

Paid M. Wheeler, 5 days	\$24.75
M. Webber, 4 days	32.40
G. Peters, 4 days	32.40
F. Porter, 4 days	16.20
W. Alexander, 3 days, 8 hours	15.75
C. Hamlin, 4 days	16.20
J. Turner, 5 hours	20.25
J. Crowell, 2 days	8.10
North East	
Metal Culvert Co., Culvert 12x28	
at \$1.55	43.40

\$209.45

Permanent Road

Paid M. Wheeler, 2 days	\$ 9.90
M. Webber, 2 days	16.20

G. Peters, 2 days	16.20
F. Porter, 2 days	8.10
A. W. Farmer, 2 days	8.10
W. Alexander, 2 days	8.10
C. Hamlin, 2 days	8.10
J. Turner, 2 days	8.10
J. Worledge, 1 day, 7 hours	7.20
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	\$90.00
Permanent Road.	
Paid M. Wheeler, 6 days	\$29.70
J. Jackson, 4 days	32.40
G. Peters, 6 days	48.60
F. Porter, 6 hours	24.30
W. Alexander, 6 hours	24.30
C. Hamlin, 6 hours	24.30
A. W. Farmer, 6 hours	24.30
J. Worledge, 3 hours	12.15
J. Crowell, 2 days, 8 hours,	11.70
F. Greeley, 3 days	12.15
M. Webber, 2 days, 4 hours	19.80
Jos. Breck Co. plow points	4.00
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	\$267.70
Total	\$567.15

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Nesmith Library from Feb. 15, 1920 to Feb. 15, 1921.

Number of books in library at the beginning of the year	4,372
Number of books in Library at present	4,415
Largest number of books taken out in one month (July)	257
Smallest number taken out in one month (May)	34
Largest number taken out in one day (July 7.)	35
Smallest number taken out in one day (Dec. 4)	1
Amount of fines collected	\$ 1.91
Amount Paid out	1.02
Amount on hand Feb. 15, 1920	1.77
Amount on hand Feb. 15, 1921	1.66
Whole number taken out during the year	1033

We have had some of the best magazines on our reading table this year. The Harper's, Century, Good-Housekeeping, Pictorial Review, McCall's, St. Nicholas and Popular Mechanics were subscribed for by the library.

Good Health magazine was contributed by Mrs. A. J. Heald.

McClure's Magazine was contributed by Mrs. E. C. Hill.

The Country Gentleman was contributed by Mrs J. E. Cochran.

The collection of Magazines for the coming year will be as equally good.

Some of our new books were given to us by A. L. A.

and they are books that were used in our training camps during the war and have been given to the various libraries.

Our circulation of books has increased so that a hundred more books have gone out this year than last year.

NEW BOOK LIST.

Fiction.

Mary K. Maule, A Prairie Schooner	M533-A
Margaret Deland, An Old Chester Secret	D337-oc
John Fox, Jr., Erskine Dale, Pioneer	F792-e
Capt. A. E. Dingle, Gold Out of Celebes	D435-G
Mrs. Humphrey Ward, Harvest	W261-hh
Douglas Durkin, Heart of Cherry McBain (The)	D637-h
Ridgewell Cullum, Heart of Unaca (The)	C902h
Zane Grey, Man of the Forest (The)	G845mf
Wm. Patterson White, Paradise Bend	W590p
Joseph C. Lincoln, Portygee (The)	L737pp
Bertrand W. Sinclair, Poor Man's Rock	S573p
Max Brand, Night Horseman (The)	B173n
Robert Welles Ritchie, Trails to Two Moons	R624t
Homer Croy, Turkey Bowman	C963t

- Harry A. Franck
Vagabonding Thru Changing Germany F783v
- George Barr McCutcheon,
West Wind Drift M.133w
- Holman Day,
Where Your Treasure Is D273s
- Irvin S. Cobb,
Abandoned Farmer (The) C838a
Juvenile.
- E. B. and A. A. Knipe,
A Mayflower Maid *K75m
- Henry A. Shute,
Brite and Fair *S562b
- Leslie W. Quirk,
Boy Scouts of Lakeville High (The) *264b
- Aline Harvard,
Captain Lucy's Flying Ace *H217c
- Wilbur S. Boyer,
Johnnie Kelley *B590j
- Anna Blunt Morgan,
Little Folks Tramping and Camping *M883l
- Francis Rolt Wheeler,
One Boy with the U. S. Inventors *W397b
- Christine Catrevas,
- Jean Wick,
Pegs—Freshman *C455p
- Edna Turpin,
Treasure Mountain, *T997t
Reference.
- Hereward Carrington,
Boys' Book of Magic (The) C320m
- A. Frederick Collins,
Book of Electricity (The) 537C2
- Croft,
Electrical Machinery, 537.C1
- Clarence Winchester ("Ornis"),
Flying Men and Their Machines W171

Cora Wilson Stewart,		
Country Life and Readers		917Si
Hugh Findlay,		
Handbook for Practical Farmers		635hp
Frank H. Simonds		
History of the World War		
Vol. I		734.5 S1
Vol. II		734.5 S2
Vol. III		734.5 S3
Vol. IV		734.5 S4
Vol. V		734.5 S5
Thomas M. St. John,		
How Two Boys Made Their Own Electrical		
Apparatus		537.C.3
George C. Thomas, Jr.,		
Practical Book of Outdoor Rose Growing		
		635pr
Gowin and Wheatley,		
Occupations,		680G.w1
A. L. A.,		
Your Job Back Home		680.A.L.A.1

Respectfully submitted,

MARION S. GILSON,

Librarian.

REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

Year Ending January 31, 1921.

Dora Haseltine Fund

For Cemetery on Plain.

Dr.

To cash from Trustees of Trust Funds	\$30.00
Balance from last year	.61
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Total	\$30.61
Cr.	
Grass avenues and paths	\$9.00

Town lot	6.10
Haying	15.00
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	30.10
Balance	.51
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	30.61

Wilson Fund.

	Dr.	
Balance on hand		\$50.99
Income		29.58
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		\$80.57

	Cr.	
Care of two Wilson lots		\$4.00
Walks and avenues		43.36
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		\$47.36

General Fund Care of Both Cemeteries

	Dr.	
General Fund, balance		\$0.43
To cash from trustees		40.01
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		\$40.44

	Cr.	
May and July clearing on Hill		\$10.00
Postage and stationery		1.74
May and July, clearing on Plain		9.70
G. F. Armstrong, services as Treasurer		5.00
A. W. Farmer, services and expense		8.00
R. H. Bailey		3.00
Work on Town Lot		3.00
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		\$40.44

Received for sale of lots	\$25.00
Paid same to Treasurer of Trust Funds	25.00

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. FARMER,

R. H. BAILEY,

E. W. ARMSTRONG,

Cemetery Committee.

ARMSTRONG MEMORIAL BUILDING.

January 31, 1920

Balance on hand	\$71.77
Received from Div.	72.00
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	\$143.77

Cr.

Paid John W. M. Worledge, wood	\$2.00
H. C. Russell, wood	18.00
T. R. Wells, sawing wood	3.00
Supplies	4.70
Furnace repairs	1.00
Cash on hand	115.07
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	\$143.77

Births Registered in the Town of Wincham for the Year ending December 31, 1920.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex & Color		Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male or Female	Living or Stillborn				
1920 Feb. 8	Wincham	Anna Morkwick	f	1	Broslaw Morkwick	Josefa Michalwick	Russia	Russia
Feb. 16	"	Julia Jaroszewski	m	1	Joseph Jaroszewski	Stella Staw	Russia Poland	Russia Poland
April 21	"	Orin W. Robbins	m	1	Joseph Robbins Jr.	Vera J. Wilson	Exeter	Spradbury
June 5	"	Mabelle Harrington	f	1	Ernest Harrington	Flora I. Galecia	Lowell, Mass.	Lawrence, Mass.
July 5	"	"	m	1	Ernest Harrington	Sophia Claryes	Germany	Lowell, Mass.
July 12	"	John Owen Hilton	m	1	William S. Hilton	Catherine A. Riscol	Anson, Ms.	Lowell, Mass.
Sept. 24	"	Ernest C. Cutter	m	1	Frank R. Cutter	Lucella B. Varney	Brighton, Vnes	Lowell, Mass.
Sept. 29	"	Martha Low	f	1	Fredrick S. Low	Ethel Bloomfield	Berry	Stratford
Nov. 2	"	Ruth Ida Bown	f	1	Harold Brown	Lillian M. Brown	Franklin	Lowell, Mass.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Windham for the Year Ending December 31, 1920

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each.	Color.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of Each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom married.
1920 June 22	Andover, Mass.	John A. Lamson..... Helen B. Mason.....	Windham Andover, Mas.....	21 w 20 w	w w	Machinist Inspector	Windham, .. Clinton, Mass.	John H. K. Lamson..... Mary E. Robbins..... John Mason.....		Augusta H. Fuller, Andover, Mass.
July 5	Derry.....	Joseph Coughlin..... Mabel B. Mallaham.....	Windham..... Windham.....	23 w 2	w w	Chauffeur Chorus girl	Cambridge, Ms Somerville, Ms	David P. Coughlin..... Margaret E. Corbett..... John J. Mallaham.....		D. J. Dunn, Catholic Priest Derry
Sept. 7	Windham..	Howard A. Coon.....	Westerly R. I.	30 w	w	Artist	De Ruyter, N.Y.	Pedrick M. Coon..... Edna M. Coon.....		John W. Clutter Clergyman Salern, N. H.
Oct. 16	Salern.....	Helen M. Ryder..... Robert W. Farrell.....	Windham Somerville, Ms	28 w 2 w	w w	At home Stock Clerk	Lawrence, Ms Somerville, Ms	Arthur F. Ryder..... Ella W. Coon..... Robert J. Farrell.....		John W. Clutter, Clergyman Salern, N. H.
Dec. 6	Derry.....	Mildred M. Johnson .. Jeremiah Turner	Windham .. Windham.....	23 w 23 w	w w	At home Machinist	Windham, .. Windham, ..	George W. Johnson.... Lizzie Rick..... Joseph Turner.....		E. N. Darrett, Catholic Priest Derry
		Kathryn Malone.....	Windham.....	27 w	w	At home	Ireland.....	John Malone..... Jane Byrne.....		

Deaths Registered in the Town of Windham for the Year Ending December 31, 1920.

Date.	Place of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex.	Sex Con- Color. Single, etc.	Occupation.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
			Year.	Month.	Day.						
1920											
Jan. 29	Haverhill, Mass.	Lizzie S. Robinson	43	10	19	Boxford, Mass.	f	w	At home	Ira E. Goodwin	Ada T. Sead
Feb. 17	Windham	Joseph E. Bruce	41	11	26	Reading, Mass.	m	w	Retired	Franklin Bruce	Harriet Overy
Feb. 23	"	James O. Heald	80	7	1	Leopold, "	m	w	"	James Heald	Maria Davi
April 9	"	Annie Bevevy	37			Boston, Mass.	f	w	"	Erilbert Alexander	Hannah Nichols
April 9	Methuen, Mass.	Charles I. Alexander	65	10		Windham	m	w	Electrician	Walter H. Paul	Bertina Huntington
July 25	Windham	Muriel P. Paul	7			N. Andover, Mas	f	w	At home	George H. Reed	Ellen J. Gery
Sept. 30	"	Anna Reed	74	8	16	Boston, Mass.	f	w	At home	William Colby	Frances Dow
Oct. 4	"	Ada D. Dow	60		2	Salem	f	w	"	Robert Armstrong	Mary Hanson
Nov. 20	"	George E. Armstrong	74	5	7	Windham	m	w	Farmer		

BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR INTERMENT

Feb. 29	Therby.....	Charles C. Thayer.....	87 11	Berwick, Me.					
Mar. 2	Hartford, Conn.	Practical Church.....	24					William Emery.....	Ramsdell.....
Feb. 2	Pelham.....	Abigail Pittison.....	109						
July 24	Lowell, Mass.	Abby Coggeson.....	84	Widham.....					
Oct 1	Boston, Mass.	Charles W. Cook.....	67 9 21						ella Emerson.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief,
 JOHN E COCHRAN, TOWN CLERK.

SCHOOL WARRANT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Windham, Qualified to Vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Lower Town Hall, in said district, on the twelfth day of March, 1921, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following articles:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing two years.
4. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing year.
5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To choose Auditors for the ensuing year, or any other officers.
7. To see how much money the district will vote to raise for school purposes, and appropriate the same for year ending August 31, 1922.
8. To see how much money the district will vote to raise for officers' salaries and appropriate the same for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands this —— day of February, 1921.

A true copy. Attest:

EDWARD A. HASKELL,
ETHEL B. LOW,
School Board of Windham.

SCHOOL REPORT.

We herewith present our annual report for year ending August 31, 1920. We shall not make an extended one, as the ground has been fully covered by Superintendent.

The criticisms he makes are all right from his point of view, but owing to the workings of the new law and the difficulty of getting carpenters at the time, we thought best to put off such alterations as were necessary to put our buildings in the sanitary condition required by the law, until the following spring and summer.

The budget we present is an approximate plan to cover the financial situation for year 1921-1922.

EDWARD A. HASKELL,

ETHEL B. LOW,

School Board of Windham.

BUDGET FOR 1921-1922.

For Elementary Schools.

Teachers' salaries	\$3,024.00
Text books	150.00
Supplies	100.00
Janitors	252.00
Fuel	250.00
Minor repairs and expenses	50.00
Health supervision	225.00
Transportation	792.00

\$4,843|00

Selectmen's assessment for:

High schools and academies	\$750.00
Per capita tax	200.00
Salaries, district officers	200.00

Superintendent's excess salary 100.00

1,250.00

Total to be raised \$6,093.00

Amount to raise on \$5 tax \$4,383.58

Rebate on high school tuition 113.45

Rebate (probable) on budget 353.91

\$4,850.94

Additional amount to raise (above what we
are obliged to raise by law, and this
year's state aid carried to next year)

1,242.06

\$6,093.00

TEACHERS.

Margaret Murphy \$534.00

M. Theresa O'Connor 655.00

Esther McCullough 534.00

Freida Low 432.00

\$2,155.00

TRANSPORTATION.

Fred S. Webster \$366.40

C. W. Fiske 342.00

Maud E. Davis 21.60

Gladys Booth 50.40

\$780.40

JANITORS.

H. W. French \$161.50

Maurice Ackerman 18.50

Francis Cronin 20.00

C. W. Fiske 36.00

\$236.00

FUEL.

John Jewett	\$3.75
C. Boden	25.50
W. C. Barker	33.00
W. L. Emerson	5.00
J. Boulanger	4.50
E. W. Armstrong	18.00
C. A. Foster	9.00
M. Ackerman, sawing	.75
F. Cronin, sawing	.75
Geo. F. Armstrong	45.00
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	\$145.25

HIGH SCHOOLS AND ACADEMIES.

Pinkerton Academy	\$735.00
Nashua	69.00
Hampstead	36.00
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	\$840.00

BOOKS.

Ginn & Co.	\$22.08
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SUPPLIES.

E. E. Babb & Co.	\$2.20
J. L. Hammett Co.	34.93
Geo. E. Davis	.75
Florence E. Clough	.27
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	\$38.15

EXPENSE.

R. L. McLane, cards	\$0.80
Mrs. Goodwin, cleaning	3.00
Jas. Coy, labor	3.00
L. A. Haskell telephone, postage, etc.	10.96
News-Enterprise, cards	1.00
M. Messenger, labor	1.00
John E. Cochran, postage, etc.	6.42

C. W. Cutts, expense	1.73
Mrs. E. B. Low, postage etc.	5.00
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	\$32.91

ELEMENTARY TUITION.

Londonderry, Harmida Cote	\$18.00
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SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY,

C. W. Cutts	\$50.00
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SALARIES SCHOOL BOARD.

E. A. Haskell	\$55.00
L. C. Armstrong	7.50
E. B. Low	25.00
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	\$87.50

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

John E. Cochran, Treasurer and Clerk	\$10.25
John E. Cochran, Treasurer and Clerk	20.00
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	\$30.25

FLAGS.

E. E. Babb & Co.	\$3.42
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REPAIRS.

C. W. Fiske	\$1.19
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AUDITORS.

C. W. Farmer	\$2.62
M. C. Wheeler	2.62
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	\$5.24

PER CAPITA TAX.

John W. Plummer	\$230.00
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SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL REPORT TO TAX
COMMISSION.

Current Revenue.

Support of Elementary Schools	\$2,185.00
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Text-Books	25.00
Scholars' supplies	50.00
Minor repairs	25.00
Flags	10.00
Transportation	300.00
High School and Academy tuition	1,200.00
Salaries district officers	125.00
Superintendent's excess salary	50.00
Other expenses'	30.00
Per capita tax	230.00
Dog licenses	66.00
Local trust fund income	41.45
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Total receipts	\$4,337.45
Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1919	368.14
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	\$4,705.59

SUMMARY FINANCIAL REPORT TO TAX

COMMISSION.

Current Expense

Salaries district officers	\$122.99
Superintendent's excess salary	50.00
Expense of administration	32.91
Teachers' salaries	2,155.00
Text-books	22.08
Scholars' supplies	38.15
Flags	3.42
Janitors	236.00
Fuel	145.25
Minor repairs	1.19
Transportation	780.40
High School and Academy tuition	840.00
Elementary tuition	18.00
Per capita tax	230.00
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Total expense	\$4,675.39

Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1920

30.20

\$4,705.59

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the Windham School Board:

It gives me pleasure to submit my first annual report as superintendent of your schools.

I regret that I am unable to report the progress essential to a modern school system. I find the schools poorly equipped for the progress of the children with the exception of the Canobie Lake School. This is in the same excellent condition as was reported by Superintendent Reynolds in 1910, a condition he predicted would continue. While the lighting facilities are poor in this building, the general housing, seating grounds and outbuildings are model in many particulars.

In place of a negative report indicating the material defects of each school building I would call your attention to Sect. 24 of the Educational Act of March 28, 1919, which provides a standard school is one (1) maintained at least thirty-six weeks in each year, (2) in a suitable and sanitary building, (3) equipped with approved furniture, books, maps and other necessary appliances, (4) taught by an approved teacher, (5) directed and supervised by an approved superintendent, (6) with suitable provision for the care of the health and physical welfare of all pupils.

Undoubtedly the Canobie Lake School is the only building that will pass state approval. In all of the buildings the heating, lighting, seating and toilet facilities are inadequate. There is a dearth of maps, books and other necessary appliances. I say but little concerning the suitability of the buildings and equipment

since I note that these matters have been dealt with in detail in previous reports.

In all schools the light should come from the left or from the left and rear of the room. The window space should amount to twenty-five per cent of the floor space. In schools where stoves are used they should be jacketed with a fresh air vent and a foul air flue. Adjustable furniture should be provided. The out buildings should be reconstructed on a more substantial scale and connected with the buildings or chemical toilets provided.

It is commendable that you have employed the services of a capable nurse for the pupils of your schools. The excellence of her services and the service of Doctors Towner and Coggsell, who volunteered their services free of charge, cannot be too highly commended. I believe that this is one of the best features of the school work in Windham.

The citizens of the community would assist materially in the elevation of the standard of the schools if they would abandon a somewhat skeptical attitude toward the school teacher. Teachers, like other workers need moral support and encouragement in their efforts. High salaries and monetary considerations will not take the place of appreciation for the good work they do. The teachers have the best interests of their schools at heart. They all have their good qualities. It is easy to look beyond Windham, observe some intellectual giant of a teacher and compare the Windham teacher to such a teacher. It is a useless task to pine after such when the services of such teachers are not now available.

We should be appreciative of such teachers as are willing to come to Windham under the existing circumstances. Until the conditions are improved the more skillful type of teacher will accept positions where the school facilities are more normal.

At the request of the State Board of Education I revised the budget previously forwarded by you in October. I found the following amounts necessary to maintain the schools for the ensuing year of September 1, 1920 to September 1, 1921, which were presented to you for approval at your board meeting, November 22, and approved by you and forwarded to Concord.

	Amount	
	Proposed Expenditure	Approved by State Board
Teachers' Salaries	\$3,024.00	\$3,024.00
Text Books	150.00	115.50
Scholars' supplies	100.00	100.00
Flags	10.00	10.00
Janitor service	234.00	144.00
Fuel	224.00	224.00
Miscellaneous	54.00	25.00
Minor repairs	1,000.00	100.00
Health supervision	225.00	77.00
Transportation of pupils	1,224.00	900.00
Elementary tuition	18.00	18.00
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Total for Elementary Schools		\$4,737.50
Amount of \$5 tax		4,383.59
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State Aid Elementary Schools		353.91
Salaries of District officers	\$200.00	
Superintendent's salary	100.00	
Truant officer	5.00	
High School tuition	1,000.00	
Estimated State Aid H. S.		250.00
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Head tax	230.00	
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Total budget	\$7,798.00	
Total estimated State Aid		\$603.91

I believe this statement will answer your question of how the budget as presented was cut.

Text books and supplies were cut \$34.50, janitor service \$90, miscellaneous janitor supplies \$29, minor repairs \$900, health supervision \$148, transportation \$324, making a total cut of \$1,525.50. The maximum state allowance for books is \$1.50 per pupil and a like sum for supplies. The maximum allowance for janitor service in a one-room country school with a stove is \$1 per week, with a furnace \$2 per week. Cleaning of school houses cannot be specified under janitor's supplies. Minor repairs allows only for cleaning, interior painting or whitening and incidentals. The maximum allowed for minor repairs is \$25 per room. The exterior or permanent repairs called for in the budget presented were remodeling, exterior painting and carpentering for which a special appropriation should be made in district meeting. Transportation is based upon the average price paid. \$1 per pupil is allowed for health supervision.

In my judgment a budget based upon these figures will carry the district for the year September 1, 1921 to September 1, 1922.

In order to bring about a more progressive state of affairs in your school system you should have a full school board of three members elected so that when differences of opinion relative to policies arise your superintendent may have the benefit of a decision as to what course he shall pursue.

I make this rather succinct statement with no other intention than with the hope that a more helpful co-operative spirit in regard to the welfare of the school children of Windham may be developed and that the Board may be assisted by the community in the normal development of the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL COTTON,

Superintendent of Schools.

Derry, N. H., January 25, 1921.

REPORT OF JOHN E. COCHRAN, SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER.

1919.

Sept. 1.	Balance in School Treasury	\$368.14
	Due No. 2 school fund	3.28
	Due No. 4 school fund	13.19
	Due No. 6, school fund	12.26
	Received Town appropriation	4,296.00

1920.

Jan. 31.	Received from Wilson fund	41.45
May 1.	Rec'd income No. 2 school fund	42.50

\$4,776.82

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1920.

Aug. 31.	Paid 144 Order of school bond	\$4,675.39
	Balance due No. 2 School fund	45.78
	Balance due No. 4 School fund	13.19
	Balance due No. 6 school fund	12.26
	Balance due Town Schools	30.20

\$4,776.82

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. COCHRAN,

School Treasurer.

Windham, N. H., January 31, 1921.

We the undersigned have this day examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast with vouchers for all disbursements.

ALBERT W. FARMER,

MYRON C. WHEELER,

Auditors.

COMMITTEE FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

Balance on hand from 1919	\$ 5.60
Appropriation for 1920,	10.00
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	\$15.60
Paid Rev. Mr. Foxall, speaker	10.48
A. G. Pollard for Flags	5.12
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	\$15.60

