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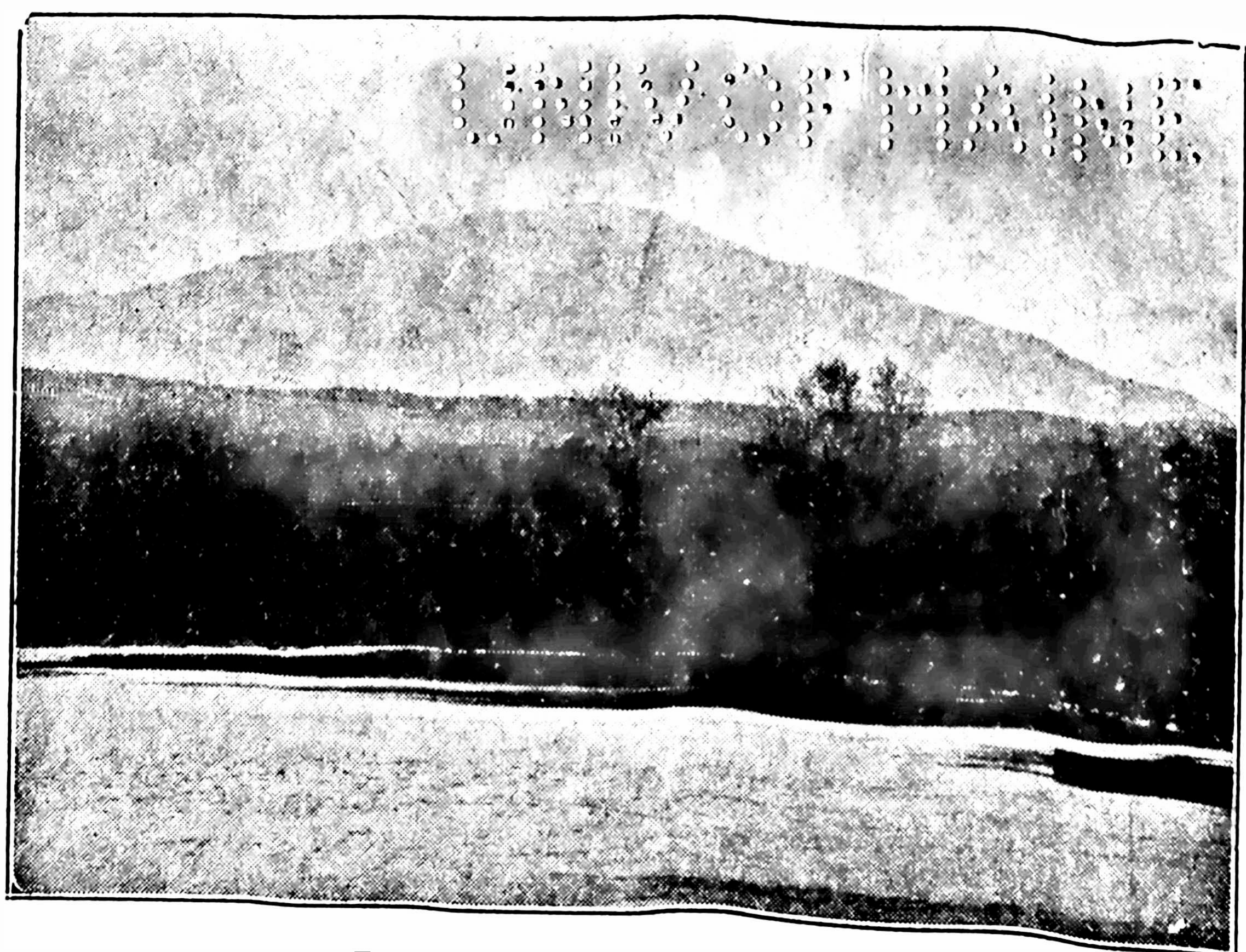
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State House
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ANNUAL REPORT



of the
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS
of the
Town of Avon
for the
Year Ending Feb. 15. 1942



Avon view of Mt. Blue

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**STATE DEPT.
OF AUDIT**

TOWN OFFICERS, 1941

CLERK

RAY KINNEY

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

WM. S. KELLEY REX E. RAYMOND PERCY A. COOK

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ROBERT MILLS J. E. NOBLE ROBERTA RAYMOND

COLLECTOR AND CONSTABLE

FRED K. TOOTHAKER

TREASURER

BEULAH COOK

HEALTH OFFICER

DR. G. I. FLINT

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

NATHANIEL HARNDEN

FIRE WARDEN

REX E. RAYMOND

FIRE WARD

PERCY A. COOK

FARMINGTON, MAINE

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IMPORTANT

All taxpayers should read the following requirements and comply with them.

Section 70. Chapter 13. Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930:

“Before making an assessment, the Assessors shall give reasonable notice in writing to the inhabitants, by posting notifications in some public place in Town, or shall notify them in such other ways as the Town at its annual meeting directs to make and bring in to them true and perfect lists of their polls and all their estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which they are possessed on the first day of April of the same year. If any resident owner, after such notice, does not bring in such list he is hereby barred of his right to make application to the Assessors or the County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes, unless he offers such lists with his application or satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time appointed.”

Assessors' Report

To the Citizens of Avon:

Valuation of property and number of polls in town taxed April 1, 1941:

Valuation of real estate, resident	\$63,280 00	
Valuation of real estate, non-resident	93,445 00	
	<hr/>	\$156,725 00
Valuation of personal estate, resident	\$14,880 00	
Valuation of personal estate, non-resident	810 00	
	<hr/>	\$15,690 00
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Grand Total		\$172,415 00

Number of Polls taxed	91
Number of Polls not taxed	11
Poll tax rate	\$3.00
Rate of taxation	\$65 per \$1000

TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

	NO.	VALUE	
Horses and Mules	45	\$3,375	
Colts 2 to 3	5	275	
Colts under 2 years			
Cows	169	6,265	
Oxen	32	1,805	
Three year old	29	820	
Two year old	57	1,375	
Poultry (over 50 in No.)	350	175	
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Total			\$14,225

EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

	NO.	VALUE	
One year old	60	\$710	
Sheep (to 35 in No.)	54	419	
Swine (to 10 in No.)	11	82	
Poultry (to 50 in No.)	414	207	
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Total			\$1,418

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ALL OTHER KINDS OF PROPERTY

	NO.	VALUE	
Stock in trade	2	\$850	
Radios	33	340	
Other property		275	
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Total			\$1,465

MONEY RAISED AND ASSESSED

State Tax	\$1,310 60	
County	460 64	
Support of Poor	750 00	
Town Charges	600 00	
Snow Removal	800 00	
Cutting Bushes	200 00	
Collection of Taxes	200 00	
State Aid Construction	450 00	
Maintenance of Third Class	309 00	
Support of Schools	3,600 00	
Town Officers	693 57	
Public Health Work	25 00	
Health Officer	25 00	
Bonds, 5 for officers	50 00	
School Committee Salary	30 00	
State Patrol Service	490 80	
Abatement of Taxes	100 00	
Overlay	288 27	
School Repairs	100 00	
Interest on Loans	150 00	
Highway and Bridges	800 00	
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		\$11,432 28

On the 26th day of May, 1941 the above assessments were committed to Fred K. Toothaker, Collector.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. S. KELLEY,
 REX E. RAYMOND,
 PERCY A. COOK,

Assessors of Avon.

WILLIAM D. HAYES, C. P. A.
STATE AUDITOR

HAROLD E. CRAWFORD,
MUNICIPAL AUDITOR
CHESTER A. DOUGLAS,
CHARLES G. DUDLEY,
DEPARTMENTAL AUDITORS



STATE OF MAINE
State Department of Audit
Augusta, Maine

March 6th, 1942

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Avon:

In accordance with the request of your municipal officers, this department, represented by R. M. Parsons, has completed an examination of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended February 28, 1942.

Our report, herewith submitted, was prepared from your town records and, to the best of our knowledge and belief, properly reflects the true financial condition of your municipality as of that date; subject however to a probable shrinkage in the final settlement of unpaid taxes, tax liens and deeds.

The data obtained by us is summarized in the following:

	Comments
Exhibit A	Comparative Balance Sheet
B	Treasurer's Account
C	1941 Valuation and Commitment
D	Statement of Appropriation Accounts
Schedule 1	Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash Balance
2	Uncollected Taxes
3	Tax Liens
4	Tax Deeds
5	Accounts Receivable
6	Cemetery Trust Funds
7	Accounts Payable
8	Notes Payable
9	Analysis of Change in Surplus
10	Excise Tax Collections
11	Abatements—1941 Taxes
12	Tax Collector's Commissions

We are also including Schedule 13 showing abatements made during 1941 which applied to prior years' taxes, and Schedule 14 which shows the property acquired by tax lien foreclosure. This schedule does not agree with the control account, but an analysis will later be made of this account to determine where the difference may be.

Respectfully submitted,

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT,
HAROLD E. CRAWFORD,

Municipal Auditor.

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COMMENTS

Cash:

All cash recorded as received was properly accounted for and is summarized on Exhibit B.

Expenditures were made by check from properly authorized warrants as summarized on Exhibits B and D.

The cash balance was reconciled with the bank as per detail on Schedule 1.

Taxes:

The 1941 commitment was added and an adjustment of \$2.86 was necessary due to gain in assessing. The total commitment was accounted for by cash, abatements, tax liens, transfer to Tax Acquired Property, or was still unpaid as shown by Schedule 2.

The abatements were checked and are shown by Schedule 11.

The excise tax was checked and, according to the receipts, F. K. Toothaker overpaid the town \$2.23, which has been set up as an Account Payable as shown by Schedule 7; and C. A. Wing owes the town \$11.90, which has been set up as an Account Receivable as shown by Schedule 5. With these exceptions, all money received from excise tax had been properly deposited with the Treasurer as shown by Schedule 10.

Tax Liens and Deeds:

All tax liens and deeds were checked and are shown by Schedules 3 and 4. Some of the liens and deeds were at the office of the Register of Deeds in the process of being recorded.

According to your town records, these tax liens and deeds are still unpaid.

Trust Funds:

An examination was made of the savings pass books covering trust fund investments and the detail is shown by Schedule 6. The income from the investments was not withdrawn.

General:

A partial check was made of paid bills and payrolls and as far as our examination went, all appeared to be proper charges and correctly recorded.

It was suggested to your Selectmen that a permanent record book be kept of all abatements, and that all tax liens and deeds be set up in a visible index ledger.

It appeared that the Phillips Farmers' Union was overpaid \$5.90 which was not set up, but should be refunded to the town if found to be correct.

With the exception of cash and trust funds, no external verification was made of your asset or liability accounts.

EXHIBIT A

TOWN OF AVON
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS		
Subsidiary Schedules:	March 7, 1941	Feb. 28, 1942
1 Cash	\$ 223 24	\$ 792 20
<i>Tax Accounts:</i>		
2 Uncollected Taxes	\$ 684 13	\$1,006 11
3 Tax Liens	88 37	309 68
4 Tax Deeds	3,028 22	1,016 90
Tax Acquired Prop.	683 51	2,481 10
	<hr/>	<hr/>
	4,484 23	4,813 79
Mortgage — Wilcox	3 89	

5	Accounts Receivable	\$ 305 24	\$ 415 86
6	Trust Fund Investments	145 05	145 05
		<hr/>	<hr/>
	TOTAL ASSETS	5,161 65	6,166 92
	Overdraft Balances	506 56	
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	COMBINED ASSETS AND OVER-		
	DRAFT BALANCES	\$5,668 21	\$6,166 92
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LIABILITIES

7	Accounts Payable	\$2,466 72	\$ 173 32
8	Notes Payable	2,000 00	4,000 00
	<i>Deferred Credits:</i>		
	Dog Taxes	9 40	
	Care of Cemeteries		36 70
6	Cemetery Trust Funds	145 05	145 05
		<hr/>	<hr/>
	TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,621 17	4,355 07
	Unexpended Balances — Net		
	(Ex. D)	255 65	1,028 99
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		4,876 82	5,384 06
9	Surplus	791 39	782 86
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	COMBINED LIABILITIES, UNEX-		
	PENDED BALANCES AND		
	SURPLUS	\$5,668 21	\$6,166 92
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EXHIBIT B

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT
Year ended February 28, 1942

Cash on Hand — March 7, 1941 \$ 223 24

RECEIPTS

Property and Poll Taxes:

Current Year	\$9,652 73
Prior Years	282 32
Tax Deeds	558 41
Tax Acquired Property	515 27

\$11,008 73

Excise Tax (Schedule 10) 460 89

Dog Taxes 60 10

Departmental:

From State — Highways	3,704 36
— Charities	2,274 29
— Education	1,858 24
— Dog Tax Refund	25 37
— Miscellaneous	23 00
— Porcupine Bounties	7 25

7,892 51

From Other Sources — Highways 3 20

— Charities 230 54

233 74

Temporary Loans 10,000 00

TOTAL RECEIPTS 29,655 97

TOTAL AVAILABLE 29,879 21

TOTAL WARRANTS PAID:

Appropriation Accounts (Ex. D)	20,991 31
Tax Deed Refunds	19 25
Tax Acquired Property	76 45
Temporary Loans	6,000 00
Notes	2,000 00

29,087 01

CASH BALANCE — February 28, 1942 (Schedule 1) \$792 20

EXHIBIT D

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

Year ended February 28, 1942

	Balances from 1940 41 Year	Appro- priations	Cash Credits	Transfers to	Total Available	Expendi- tures	Transfers from	LAPSED BALANCES Over- draft	Unex- pended	BALANCES TO 1942 43 YEAR Approp. Accts.	Others
<i>Administration:</i>											
Town Officers — 1940		\$ 693 57			\$ 693 57	\$ 693 57					
School Committee		30 00			30 00	33 00		\$ 3 00			
Town Officers — 1941						120 00				\$ 120 00	
Misc. Town Charges		600 00	\$ 25 37	\$ 13 52	638 89	1,138 49		499 60			
Collection of Taxes		200 00			200 00		\$171 09		\$ 28 91		
<i>Health and Sanitation:</i>											
Health Officer	\$ 25 00	25 00			50 00	25 00			25 00		
County Nurse	25 00	25 00			50 00	25 00			25 00		
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>											
Highways and Bridges		800 00			800 00	758 16			41 84		
State Aid Road Constr.		450 00	1,818 81		2,268 81	2,738 00				469 19	
Third Class Road Constr.			1,159 56		1,159 56	1,159 56					
Maint. Third Class Roads	62 35	309 00			371 35	296 33				75 02	
Beal Street		50 00			50 00	51 95		1 95			
Maint. Unimproved Roads			257 21		257 21	257 21					
Cutting Bushes		200 00			200 00	219 60		19 60			
Highway Patrol	106 60	490 80			597 40	492 90			104 50		
Snow Removal	154 03	800 00	339 66		985 63	1,244 83		259 20			

Charities and Corrections:

Poor Relief		750 00	15 80		765 80	1,080 48	314 68		
State Poor	147 33		2,274 29		2,126 96	2,374 36			\$247 40
Poor of Other Towns			214 74		214 74	116 38		98 36	
Dependent Children						2 17	2 17		

Education:

School Account	311 86	3,600 00	1,858 24	2,335 64	7,482 02	5,988 86			1,493 16
School Repairs		100 00			100 00	33 90		66 10	

Unclassified:

Old Age Assistance						102 69	102 69		
Abatements		100 00			100 00	65 00	280 25	245 25	
Bonds for Town Officers		50 00			50 00				50 00

Interest:

Notes and Temporary Loans		150 00			150 00	133 13			16 87
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Special Assessments:

State Tax		1,310 60			1,310 60	1,310 60			
County Tax		460 60			460 60	460 64		04	
Overlay		288 27			288 27			288 27	
Dog Taxes	9 40		83 10		92 50	69 50		23 00	

\$384 87	\$11,482 84	\$8,046 78	\$2,349 16	\$21,493 91	\$20,991 31	\$451 34	\$1,448 18	\$717 85	\$1,028 99	\$247 40
				(Exhibit B)			(a)	(a)	(b)	(c)

(a) *Analysis of Net Overdraft Balance to Surplus:*

Overdrafts — Appropriation Accounts	\$1,448 18
Unexpended — Appro. Accts.	\$717 85
— Excise Tax	470 56
— Supp. Taxes	64 50
— Porcupine Bounties	3 37

1,256 28

NET OVERDRAFT BALANCE TO SCHEDULE 9 \$191 90

(b) NET UNEXPENDED BALANCE TO 1942|43 YEAR (Exhibit A)

(c) Accounts Receivable (Schedule 5)

EXHIBIT C

1941 VALUATION AND COMMITMENT
Year ended February 28, 1942

Valuation:

Real Estate — Resident	\$63,280 00	
— Non-resident	93,445 00	
	<hr/>	\$156,725 00
Personal Estate — Resident	14,880 00	
— Non-resident	810 00	
	<hr/>	15,690 00

TOTAL VALUATION

\$172,415 00
Commitment:

Valuation x Rate —

\$172,415 x .065

\$11,206 98

91 Polls @ \$3.00

273 00

11,479 98

Fractional Gain

2 86

Tax Commitment

11,482 84

Supplemental Taxes

64 50

TOTAL CHARGED TO COLLECTOR

\$11,547 34
Credits to Collector:

Cash to Treasurer

\$ 9,652 73

Tax Liens

243 76

Abatements (Schedule 11)

51 88

Transfer to Tax Acquired Property
(Schedule 14)

609 72

10,558 09

Due from Collector (Schedule 5)

156 58

10,714 67

UNCOLLECTED 1941 TAXES — February 28, 1942
(Schedule 2)

\$832 67

SCHEDULE 1

RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH BALANCE
February 28, 1942

Balance per bank — February 26, 1942	\$5,033 04	
<i>Add:</i> Deposit March 2, 1942	844 61	
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	5,877 65	
<i>Deduct:</i> Outstanding checks	5,100 55	
	<hr/>	
CHECK BOOK BALANCE	777 10	
<i>Add:</i> Cash on Hand (verified)	15 10	
	<hr/>	
CASH BALANCE — February 28, 1942 (Exhibits A and B)		<u>\$792 20</u>

SCHEDULE 2

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

2/28/42

1941	\$832 67 (Exhibit C)
1940	94 35
1937	34 08
1936	45 01

\$1,006 11 (Exhibit A)

1941:

Charles Berry — Balance	\$ 29 63
Jobie Bachelder	2 28
Waldo Bubier	52 40
Percy Ernst	3 00
C. E. Gould	156 08
Ramon Hanson	3 00
Mrs. Hanson	3 25
Charlie Huff	32 58
Riley Huff	8 20
Durwood Hinkley	1 95
Ivory Lord	3 00
Floyd Mitchell — Balance	178 43

J. E. Noble	\$29 00	
Theodore Richmond	40 63	
Hervey Vining	17 63	
Elbridge Vining	22 50	
Floyd Whitney	3 00	
B. F. Beal — Heirs	4 00	
J. S. Maxcy — Heirs	65 00	
Fred Mitchell	14 63	
Benjamin F. Mitchell	55 25	
Mary Newman	45 50	
Fred Ross	26 00	
Charles McDonald	15 75	
Robert Orbeton	1 95	
Charles Pinkham	3 00	
Erlon Richardson	15 03	
	<hr/>	\$832 67
1940:		
Floyd Mitchell	\$94 20	
Guy Cushman	15	
	<hr/>	\$94 35
1937:		
Erlon Richardson		\$34 08
1936:		
Erlon Richardson		\$45 01

SCHEDULE 3

TAX LIENS
February 28, 1942

1941:	
Mrs. Ward Jackson	\$11 38
Mrs. Jonathan Daggett — Heirs	29 25
D. T. Harnden — Heirs and Dana Witham	55 25
Fred Ross	26 00
Mrs. Ben Landers	19 50

Mrs. Ben Landers	\$13 00	
Mrs. Ben Landers	24 38	
Stowell & Paul	65 00	
		\$243 76
1939:		
Savage, Benjamin	\$13 60	
Fulton, Wilbur	8 47	
Mitchell, Floyd	43 85	
		65 92
	(Exhibit A)	\$309 68
		SCHEDULE 4

TAX DEEDS

	1940	\$286 24			
	1939	607 42			
	1938	28 84			
	1937	74 73			
	1935	19 67			
		\$1,016 90	(Exhibit A)		
	1940	1939	1938	1937	1935
Bubier, Waldo	\$ 41 27	\$ 5 30			
Savage, B. F.	144 30	170 44			
Witham, Dana	36 34				
Kennedy, Clifford	20 09	22 16			
Haglan, John	21 98				
McKenzie, C. H. — Heirs	18 49	65 52			
Lander, Ben	3 77				
Look, Annie		45 96			
Flagg, M. M.		65 17			
Richards, C. E.		28 88			
Mitchell, Floyd		203 99			
Weston, Augustus — Heirs			\$20 92	\$25 67	
Hanson, Mrs.			7 92		
Mills, Robert				49 06	
Cushman, Guy					\$19 67
	\$286 24	\$607 42	\$28 84	\$74 73	\$19 67

SCHEDULE 5

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE
February 28, 1942

C. A. Wing (Schedule 10)	\$ 11 90
F. K. Toothaker (Exhibit C)	156 58
State of Maine — Paupers	247 40
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(Exhibit A)	\$415 88

SCHEDULE 6

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

	<i>How Invested</i>	<i>Book No.</i>	
Lucy M. Hunt	Franklin County Savings Bank	978	\$ 11 77
Lucy M. Hunt		987	11 04
Edwin Bates		1177	122 24
			<hr/>
	(Exhibit A)		\$145 05

SCHEDULE 7

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

F. K. Toothaker — Collector's Commission	
(Schedule 12)	\$171 09
— Overpayment on Excise Tax	
(Schedule 10)	2 23
	<hr/>
(Exhibit A)	\$173 32

SCHEDULE 8

NOTES PAYABLE

<i>Payee</i>	<i>Purpose</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Rate</i>
National Bank of Commerce, Portland, Me.	1941 Tax Anticipation	3 22 41	2½% \$4,000 00
			(Exhibit A)

SCHEDULE 9

ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN SURPLUS
Year ended February 28, 1942

Surplus — March 7, 1941	\$791 39
<i>Increase:</i>	
Adjustment of Tax Deeds	\$ 56 18
Accts. Payable written off (errors)	131 08
	<u>187 26</u>
<i>Decrease:</i>	
Mortgage written off	\$ 3 89
Net Overdraft Balance from Ex. D	191 90
	<u>195 79</u>
NET DECREASE FOR YEAR	<u>8 53</u>
SURPLUS — February 28, 1942 to Exhibit A	<u><u>\$782 86</u></u>

SCHEDULE 10

EXCISE TAX COLLECTIONS

1941 — <i>C. A. Wing, Collector:</i>	
Receipts 56 to 76	\$ 84 45
— <i>F. K. Toothaker, Collector:</i>	
103 150	\$ 88 71
450	4 39
	<u>93 10</u>
1942 — <i>F. K. Toothaker, Collector:</i>	
1 50	231 70
101 113	61 31
Transfer debit — Accounts Payable (Schedule 7)	2 23
	<u>388 34</u>
	<u><u>\$472 79</u></u>

CASH TO TREASURER:

F. K. Toothaker	\$388 34
C. A. Wing	72 55

(Exhibit B)	460 89
Transfer Credit—Accounts Receivable (Schedule 5)	11 90

\$472 79

SCHEDULE 11

ABATEMENTS — 1941 TAXES

James Vining	\$ 3 00
William Vining	3 00
Hiram Vining	3 00
William Goldsmith	13 00
Ralph Flagg	7 88
B. F. Savage	3 00
John Storer	3 00
John Wyman	3 00
William Goldsmith	13 00

(Exhibit C) \$51 88

SCHEDULE 12

TAX COLLECTOR'S COMMISSIONS

February 28, 1942

1941 Taxes Collected — \$9,652.73 x .016	\$154 44
Excise Taxes — 111 receipts @ .15	16 65

COMMISSIONS DUE (Schedule 7) \$171 09

SCHEDULE 13

ABATEMENTS — PRIOR YEARS' TAXES

Year ended February 28, 1942

1940:

Ralph Flagg	\$4 70
John Storer	3 00
James Vining	3 00
Floyd Whitney	3 00

 \$13 70

1939:

Timberland, Inc.	\$65 28
J. J. Eaton — Heirs	25 75
John Bachelder	7 49
Sherman Grover	55
Basil Rowe	1 02
Herbert Hall	3 00
H. E. Vining	34 72
Herbert Hall	3 00
W. H. Vining	3 00
Hiram Vining	3 00
Floyd Whitney	4 42
B. F. Savage — Error in assessment	13 60

 \$164 83

1938:

Ralph Flagg	\$ 5 85
Hervey Vining	15 29
W. H. Vining	3 00
Hiram Vining	3 00

 \$27 14

1937:

Elbridge Vining	\$ 3 00
H. E. Vining	19 70

 \$22 70

TAX ACQUIRED PROPERTY
February 28, 1942

	1941	1940	1939	1938	1937	Total
Mitchell, M. H.	\$ 6 50	\$ 13 58	\$ 14 52		\$15 86	\$ 50 46
Marcus, Neal	32 50	37 58	5 16		32 46	107 70
Curtis, Dyke	81 25	29 09	32 36		32 41	175 11
Fairbanks & Hunter	337 35	319 92	358 54	\$25 96	28 88	1,070 65
Orbeton, Robert	17 88	19 67	14 35	20 92	25 67	98 49
Richardson, Erlon	19 50	76 50	94 54	87 45		277 99
Fairbanks, Chester	114 74	120 81	135 63			371 18

\$609 72 \$617 15 \$655 10 \$134 33 \$135 28 \$2,151 58
(Exhibit C)

Selectmen's Report

STATE TAX

Assessed by Town	\$1,310 60
Warrants to Treasurer	1,310 60

COUNTY TAX

Assessed by Town	\$460 64
Warrant to Treasurer	460 64

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriation by Town	\$ 750 00	
Town of Farmington	27 55	
State of Maine	2,274 29	
Town of Rangeley	60 82	
Town of Jay	126 37	
Sherman Grover	15 80	
Due from State of Maine	184 37	
Overdrawn	132 02	
		<hr/>
Grand total		\$3,571 22
Warrants drawn		3,571 22

STATE POOR

Voucher 1 (Due from State \$16.86)	\$668 26
Charles Coolong	468 76
John Bachelder	604 78
Harlan White	260 00
Clayton Brown	37 08
Ward Jackson	85 89
Gladys Trask	27 98
Walter Bachelder	221 61

OTHER TOWNS' POOR

Harry Ross, from town of Rangeley	\$62 04
Linwood Lee, from town of Jay	5 90
W. Bump, from town of Farmington	27 55

TOWN OF AVON POOR

Sherman Grover	\$567 28
George Wotton	438 43
Austin Phillips	66 00
Floyd Whitney	4 00
Fred Dyer	4 77

DETAILED EXPENDITURES — RELIEF

Phillips Farmers Union	\$ 21 23
Town of Farmington	15 00
N. E. Wells Estate, rent	90 00
Alton Pease, rent	156 00
C. E. White, board	260 00
Revelo Warren, wood	38 50
Central Me. General Hospital	53 70
C. E. Gould, milk	81 00
R. H. Trecartin, drugs	85 55
L. M. Schmidt, Dr.	124 50
George L. Flint, Dr.	172 00
L. R. Lewis	4 60
Dana Witham, groceries	6 25
L. D. Moody	31 00
B. F. Beal Estate, rent	130 00
D. F. Hoyt, clothing	38 38
J. W. Russell, clothing	604 52
Pillsbury Bros., groceries	786 68
C. E. Chandler	7 40
Elmon Tyler, board	12 00
F. K. Toothaker	168 42
Robert Mills, mileage	14 70
Town Prop.	117 00
M. T. Toothaker, rent	65 00
Phillips Water Co.	12 00
C. L. Beals	103 22
C. F. Thompson	5 00
Rex Raymond	55 60
Basil Rowe	6 00
J. B. Neal	12 50
W. S. Kelley	35 90
F. M. Ross, rent	24 00

C. M. Thurlow	\$19 00
G. A. Cook	37 82
J. E. Noble	88 35
Edith Berry	83 50

MISCELLANEOUS TOWN CHARGES

Appropriated by town	\$600 00
Overlay	288 27
Dog license	25 37
Part of Excise tax	224 75

Total	\$1,138 39
Warrants	1,138 39

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

Maine Municipal Association	\$ 15 00
Nelson Print, town reports	47 00
Robert Mills, mileage	20 88
C. H. Shepherd, trucking surplus commodities	47 73
Discount, Martin	24 90
Branham Excise book	2 00
W. S. Kelley, mileage	24 76
W. S. Kelley, expense and labor	218 15
R. E. Raymond, mileage	123 22
R. E. Raymond, expense and labor	119 40
Dr. L. M. Schmidt	1 75
R. E. Rowe, mileage	7 50
C. A. Gould, expense and labor	7 65
R. H. Trecartin, supplies	21 50
Frank Knowlton, Reg. Deeds	6 75
Marks Printing, printing and supplies	34 20
Pillsbury Bros., freight on surplus commodities	2 90
State Dept. of Audit	93 12
Beulah Cook, postage, supplies and expense	31 80
Celia Smith, typing voting list	1 00
Ray Kinney, stamps, etc.	10 25
P. A. Cook, expense and labor	86 70
P. A. Cook, mileage	90 04
J. E. Noble	3 00
C. H. Shepherd, freight	58 69
C. E. Toothaker	18 85
Hamm Garage	12 00
First National Bank of Farmington, supplies	2 50

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated by town	\$800 00	
Unexpended		\$ 41 84
Warrants to Treasurer		758 16
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		\$800 00

EXPENDED IN DETAIL

Lester Gould, Road Commissioner	\$163 80
Sumner Huff, truck and labor	127 31
Main St. Garage	13 60
Rex Bubier, labor	35 40
Harold Mitchell, labor	6 81
Richard Beal, labor	1 60
Blanche Beal	2 25
Elmon Tyler, labor	4 80
Horace Beal, labor	39 00
C. McDonald, labor	3 20
Cecil Voter, truck	129 15
Guy Cushman, labor	4 80
Town Prop.	145 00
F. Rollins	4 80
B. F. Savage, labor	6 00
C. J. Dustin, labor	5 00
W. A. Arnold, labor	10 40
Phillips Hardware Co, supplies	6 89
M. M. Flagg, labor	17 90
Waldo Bubier, labor	2 70
Phillips Farmers Union, supplies	1 35
Alton M. Pease, labor	25 20
Bernard Beedy, labor	1 20

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriation by town	\$800 00
State of Maine	336 46
Fred Dyer	3 20
Overdraft	105 17
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	\$1,244 83

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

Richard Beal, labor	\$33 85
Theodore Beal, labor	5 60

Lawrence Cook, labor	\$ 32 01
Charles McDonald, labor	4 20
Charlie Huff, labor	46 38
L. Huff, labor	4 80
H. Huff, labor	4 40
E. Anderson, labor	3 60
F. Rollins, labor	80
Mont Toothaker, labor	3 20
R. Orbeton, labor	80
O. Roberts, labor	10 40
L. Voter, labor	9 60
J. E. Noble, labor	27 60
Charles Berry, labor	20 00
Rex Bubier, labor	29 88
Irving G. Kelley, labor	14 00
Elwyn Phillips, labor	9 15
K. Safford, labor	2 80
L. Pinkham, labor	2 80
Lester Gould, labor	10 80
Percy Cook, plowing	663 61
Fred Dyer, plowing	49 53
Sumner Huff, labor	33 70
Field Pulpwood Co.	64 75
Guy Cushman, labor	80
B. F. Savage, labor	20 25
Town of Strong	35 00
H. E. Vining, labor	20 00
W. Mills, labor	23 60
Rex Raymond, labor	25 60
State of Maine, salt	11 82
Cecil Voter, labor	11 30
W. Cook, labor	8 20

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriation by town	\$200 00	
Overdrawn	19 60	
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Total		\$219 60
Warrants to Treasurer		219 60

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

R. E. Rowe	\$ 7 50
C. E. White	5 00
C. Fairbanks	4 60
Sumner Huff	30 20
Fred Dyer	5 00
Rex Bubier	5 00
Raymond Orbeton	5 00
Lester Gould	58 30
Sherman Grover	49 80
Elmon Tyler	41 40
Merton Presby	3 60
Phillips Hardware Co.	4 20
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	\$219 60

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Appropriation March 17	\$ 450 00
Rec'd from State, cash	1,818 81
State, Tar and applying	228 12
Rent of State Shovel	766 50
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	\$3,263 43
Due from State, Special Resolve 1942	469 19
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	\$3,732 62
Expenditures	3,732 62
Labor, Trucks, Shovel and Tar (See detail acct. below)	

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

State, tar	\$228 12
State, shovel	766 50
D. C. Alexander	104 80
Ivan Mullen	90 35
T. E. Richmond	43 05
Rex Raymond	95 42
R. E. Rowe	205 85
Clarence Fairbanks	131 90
C. E. White	127 17
Ramon Hanson	14 16
P. A. Cook	403 75
M. A. Dunham	357 62

Charles Pinkham	\$151 73	
Harold Mitchell	110 87	
Cecil Voter	21 52	
Everett Pillsbury	28 91	
Delmar Harnden	38 59	
John Wyman	83 48	
Oren Roberts	65 10	
Raymond Orbeton	95 13	
Elmon Tyler	8 71	
John Bachelder	34 67	
J. E. Noble	11 68	
Linwood Lee	25 12	
C. E. Mills	30 02	
Rex Bubier	52 11	
Sumner Huff	23 18	
Fred Dyer	38 81	
Phillips Farmers Union	2 50	
Est. of C. V. Starbird	6 30	
Phillips Hardware Co.	3 09	
Town Prop.	158 15	
Bancroft & Martin	75 36	
W. S. Lovejoy	1 95	
Warren Smith	2 05	
W. W. Small	2 00	
Henry Hamlin	89 00	
Lawrence Voter	1 90	
Ivory Lord	1 90	
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Total		\$3,732 62

THIRD CLASS ROAD MAINTENANCE

Appropriated by town		\$309 00
Expenditures:		
Labor and trucks	\$296 33	
Unexpended	12 67	
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		\$309 00

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

Lester Gould, foreman	\$78 50
Cecil Voter	79 31

J. E. Noble	\$ 5 25
C. E. Berry	3 85
Rex Bubier	17 15
Richard Beal	4 20
Horace Mitchell	28 66
Elmon Tyler	23 05
Sumner Huff	18 00
Horace Beal	9 97
P. A. Cook	24 19
Harry Hawbold	4 20

STATE PATROL OF STATE AND STATE AID ROADS

Appropriation by town, State	\$490 80	
Overdraft	2 10	
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Total		\$492 90
Warrants to Treasurer		492 90

THIRD CLASS ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Received from State of Maine	\$1,159 56	
State Shovel rental	213 00	
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Total receipts		\$1,372 56
Expenditures:		
Labor, trucks, material and shovel		1,372 56

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

R. E. Rowe	\$ 42 75
Ivan Mullin	59 84
Rex Raymond	28 40
M. Dunham	109 45
P. A. Cook	144 73
Cecil Voter	39 36
Chas. Pinkham	64 28
Everett Pillsbury	63 35
Mike Morton	52 28
R. McLaughlin	36 90
C. E. White	39 55
Clarence Fairbanks	34 27
Raymond Orbeton	35 91
Rex Bubier	21 85
Fred Dyer	35 91

Guy Cushman	\$ 20 14
Walter Bachelder	95
George Wotton	20 71
Levi Litchfield	21 09
Phillips Hardware Co.	50
Bancroft & Martin	152 02
Town of Avon, gravel	132 32
Lester Gould	3 00
Shovel	213 00

SPECIAL RESOLVE UNIMPROVED ROADS

State of Maine	\$257 21
Rental State Shovel	81 00

 \$338 21

Expenditures:

Labor, trucks and shovel	338 21
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DETAILED EXPENDITURES

R. E. Rowe, foreman	\$19 41
Ivan Mullin, operator	21 60
Rex Raymond	9 40
M. Dunham	42 44
S. Huff	17 50
C. Fairbanks	10 45
Rex Bubier	14 25
P. A. Cook	40 59
Chas. Pinkham	19 68
Everett Pillsbury	19 68
Cecil Voter	18 08
C. E. White	9 50
Fred Dyer	9 50
Burnham White	1 71
R. Orbeton	3 42
State Shovel	81 00

TOWN OFFICERS, 1940

Appropriated by town	\$693 57
Warrants to Treasurer	693 57

DETAILED EXPENDITURES

Beulah Cook	\$ 75 00
Ray Kinney	20 00
Conrad Gould	75 00
Wm. S. Kelley	279 80
C. A. Wing	237 57
T. E. Richmond	6 20

TOWN PROPERTY (See Audit)

DOGS LICENSED

Paid Treasurer by Ray Kinney	\$69 50
Paid State of Maine	69 50

WM. S. KELLEY,
REX E. RAYMOND,
PERCY A. COOK,

Selectmen of Avon.

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of the Town of Avon:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

This is the tenth in a series of annual reports submitted by the present Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCES. This year the town appropriated for our Common School Fund the sum of \$3,600 as was recommended by the School Committee. This has been adequate for needs, in fact leaves us, after taking out our overdraft of last year \$239.76, an unexpended balance of \$192.28.

In making estimates for next year we will have to take into consideration the fact that our equalization fund will be cut to \$588.00 and probably our State School Fund will be about the same. Probably there will be an increase in teachers' salaries. With these things in mind the following estimates of receipts and expenditures for the coming school year are submitted.

Teachers	\$1,368 00
Fuel	45 00
Janitors	40 00
Conveyance	1,000 00
Tuition, Elementary	1,000 00
Tuition, High	1,600 00
Textbooks	30 00
Supplies	30 00
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	\$5,113 00
	RECEIPTS
State School Fund	\$1,241 00
Equalization	588 00
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	\$1,829 00
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Necessary to appropriate	\$3,284 00

REPAIRS. This year we had an appropriation in this department of \$100. This was asked for in anticipation of shingling one side of the roof on the Valley School. The shingles have been purchased for this but we have not been able to have them applied. This will be done in the early spring.

We also plan the chimney in the Mile Square School. We do not believe that it will be necessary to make an appropriation for this as we have a sizeable unexpended balance.

CONCLUSION. Through the efforts of the Selectmen it has been possible for us to have many of the surplus commodities in both of the schools. This has been appreciated by the teachers and pupils and has to a great extent solved the problem of a properly balanced noon lunch.

It is our hope that during these trying times that our boys and girls are not neglected and that means will be provided for good schools in a defense effort to safeguard our Democracy.

Respectfully submitted,

T. A. DECOSTA.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1942

RESOURCES

Appropriation	\$3,600 00
School Fund	1,241 24
State Equalization Fund	640 00
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	\$5,481 24

EXPENDITURES

Teachers	\$1,156 00
Fuel	36 60
Janitors	55 50
Conveyance	967 76
Tuition, Elementary	1,188 00
Tuition, High	1,471 18

Textbooks	\$45 77	
Supplies	28 39	
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		\$4,949 20
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Unexpended		\$532 04
Overdrawn 1941		339 76
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Unexpended 1942		\$192 28

DETAILED ACCOUNT OF EXPENDITURES

TEACHERS

Helen Cousineau	\$570 00	
Mary Conwell	544 00	
Maynard Austin	42 00	
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		\$1,156 00

FUEL

James Bachelder	\$ 1 50	
Horace Beal	24 50	
R. L. Oberton	8 00	
D. E. Morton	2 60	
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		\$36 60

JANITORS

Helen Cousineau	\$18 00	
Linwood Wallace	3 40	
Mary Conwell	24 60	
James Bachelder	4 50	
Mrs. Irving Kelly	5 00	
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		\$55 50

TUITION, HIGH SCHOOL

Town of Phillips	\$1,289 50	
Town of Strong	181 68	
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		\$1,471 18

TUITION, COMMON SCHOOL

Town of Phillips	\$1,089 00	
Town of Strong	99 00	
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CONVEYANCE

Rex Raymond	\$758 20	
Percy Cook	51 06	
Mrs. Elbridge Vining	31 50	
Verlena Pinkham	70 00	
Clarence Mitchell	57 00	
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TEXTBOOKS

Educational Guild of N. E.	\$20 75	
Allyn & Bacon	7 38	
Scott, Foresman Co.	3 87	
Webster Publishing Co.	13 77	
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Interest to Phillips	\$11 76	
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SUPPLIES

Loring, Short & Harmon	\$3 21	
R. H. Trecartin	1 53	
Pillsbury Bros.	3 18	
Remington Rand Inc.	3 64	
The Geographical Publishing Co.	4 58	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	4 75	
J. L. Hammett Co.	6 30	
Department of Education	1 20	
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REPAIRS

Appropriated		\$100 00
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EXPENDED

Phillips Farmers' Union	\$ 2 66	
Estate of C. V. Starbird	33 90	
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Unexpended 1942		<hr/> \$63 44

North Franklin County Nursing Service

To the Citizens of the Town of Avon:

I submit the report of the North Franklin County Nursing Service from January 1, 1941 to December 31, 1941.

One visit was made to a prenatal patient. Five visits were made to infants and thirteen to preschool homes. General health habits were discussed and literature was given to the mothers. Two visits were made in the interest of school children with defects. These were discussed and plans were made for corrections. Four visits were made to homes of children with crippled conditions. Follow-up suggestions were made from the crippled children's clinic as to proper exercises and proper shoes.

This fall the nurse's inspections were carried out in the Valley and Mile Square schools. Thirty-two children were seen. Records were completed and reports were sent to the parents. Four conferences were held with the teachers and others in reference to defects of school children.

Plans were made for six children to be given dental corrections at the Clinic. Another date will be planned for the Spring.

The Nurse visited a doctor's office to explain her plan to carry out more home visits. This plan was approved by him. The Nurse visited the Town Clerk's office to learn of new infants born in the last year.

As a result of the nurse's inspections in the schools, the defects were evaluated and home visits were made to stress the need for corrections. A greater united effort was made to increase the number of corrections and it is felt this was accomplished. The nurse worked in close cooperation with your teachers who were most helpful in stressing these needs. In case corrections were needed but could not be financed through the helpful direction of teachers and officials, organizations, and individuals were approached and they have been most helpful in financing many of these.

Your County is fortunate in having the facilities of the dental clinics made possible by the local dentists and Hospital. The Public

Health Nurses of the Hospital area are given the opportunity to admit school children who otherwise might not have the opportunity to visit the dentists. Each month the Hospital maintains the services of crippled children's clinics with an Orthopedic Surgeon in charge to which we may direct any individuals who appear to have any deforming conditions, if their family physicians desire these services. Each month a chest clinic, sponsored by the Bureau of Health, is held at the Hospital so that Tuberculosis cases and their contacts may be followed-up.

Reference was made in the 1940 report to the fact that the nurse would endeavor to increase her visits to the homes of mothers, infants, and preschool children for the purpose of discussing general health habits of living. This was done. Considerable literature was given the mothers and discussions were carried out in reference to diet, rest, fresh air, health habits, and child training.

As an educational feature of this Service, each year the Maine Public Health Association provides us with literature, posters, movie films, and milk bottle caps carrying the Early Diagnosis Campaign Slogan. These were delivered early in April to schools, industries, stores, business establishments, and dairies.

As has been the custom for a number of years, space was allotted the County Nursing Services at the Franklin County Fair grounds. Literature pertaining to all phases of health was available upon request, posters were displayed, and the most recent films shown in reference to Tuberculosis, Cancer, and Syphilis. It was felt that a gratifying number of people saw these pictures and requested literature.

In summarizing the year's program, the nurse feels that the home visits to mothers, infants, preschools, school age, and all groups have been invaluable. She found that through these visits, she has been able to inform the public as to her functions, to explain the meaning of findings of defects, and, so often, to help direct the individuals toward the means of corrections.

Through these visits she has been able to overcome the belief that the public health nurse works only with indigent cases. She finds people are most interested to learn that the objective of the Service is to aid in maintaining the best public health and to suggest measures toward the best healthful living, to find symptoms of defects and help plan for corrections and to urge measures such as protective treatments to prevent certain diseases.

One pupil in the Valley School received the Seven Point Pin and Certificate.

Never before have we been so aware of the need for the best we can maintain in health. We are concerned with the fact that not only do we need the best we have in physique for fighting men in this war, but we must endeavor to obtain the best possible physical health for our future generation. That future generation depends so much upon the best possible public health measures carried out now.

The Nurse wishes to take this opportunity to express her appreciation to all citizens who have participated in the health activities.

Respectfully submitted,

NORTH FRANKLIN COUNTY HEALTH SERVICE,

By RUBY G. BENNETT, R. N.,

Public Health Nurse.

Vital Statistics

To the Citizens of the Town of Avon:

The following Vital Statistics of the Town of Avon have been recorded by me for the fiscal year ending March 1st, 1942:

MARRIAGES

Strong, Me., March 23, 1941, by Rev. Willard H. Curtis, Wendell Winston White and Bertha May Phillips, both of Avon.

Strong, Me., April 19, 1941, by Rev. Willard H. Curtis, Clyde Forest Wilcox of Rangeley and Thelma Arlene Moody of Avon.

Strong, Me., Sept. 27, 1941, by Rev. Willard H. Curtis, Floyd Warren Flagg of Avon and Phyllis Gertrude Bachelder of Coplin Plantation.

Strong, Me., Oct. 4, 1941, by Rev. Willard H. Curtis, Alfred William Presby of Avon and Elsie L. Ross of Dallas Plantation.

Strong, Me., Oct. 4, 1941, by Rev. Willard H. Curtis, Merton Albert Presby of Avon and Rowena Julia Pillsbury of Dallas Plantation.

Avon, Me., Nov. 20, 1941, by Rev. George L. Hammond, James Edgar Toothaker of Phillips and Evangeline Olive Beal of Avon.

Avon, Me., Nov. 20, 1941, by Rev. George L. Hammond, Cecil Thane Grant of Phillips and Phebe Ella Beal of Avon.

BIRTHS

Lewiston, Me., Feb. 13, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard Mills, a son, Corydon Lynn.

Avon, Me., April 6, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bennett Ross, a son, Stanley Burchard.

Avon, Me., April 8, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Benton Lewis Rowe, a daughter, Carolyn Delphia.

Avon, Me., May 18, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Snow Phillips, a daughter, Nadina Weston.

Farmington, Me., June 26, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Joseph Gilchrist, a daughter, Lucretia Barden.

Avon, Me., Oct. 15, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Bachelder, a son, Leland John.

Avon, Me., Dec. 6, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tyler, a daughter, unnamed.

Avon, Me., Dec. 15, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Shaw Currier, a son, Carlton Lester.

Avon, Me., Jan. 6, 1942, to Germaine R. Daggett, a son, Wendell Roy.

Avon, Me., Feb. 13, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Merton Conley Presby, a son, Merton Conley, Jr.

Avon, Me., Feb. 11, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Olando Huff, a son, Charlie Olando, Jr.

DEATHS

Avon, Me., May 7, 1941, Austin T. Voter, aged 63 years, 2 mos., 20 days.

Avon, Me., Sept. 25, 1941, Fred Dyer, aged 71 years, 22 days.

Avon, Me., Dec. 6, 1941, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tyler.

Avon, Me., Dec. 6, 1941, Ada Mitchell, wife of Herman Tyler, aged 44 years, 25 days.

Kingfield, Me., Feb. 6, 1942, Vera Alva Kennedy, wife of Warren Walker, aged 50 years, 8 mos., 13 days.

Respectfully submitted,

RAY E. KINNEY,

Town Clerk.

Town Warrant

*To Fred K. Toothaker, a Constable in the Town of Avon, in the
County of Franklin, State of Maine,* GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Avon, in said County, *qualified by law to vote* in town affairs, to meet at the Avon Town House in said town, on Monday, March 16th, A. D. 1942, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To hear and act on the reports of the town officers.

ART. 3. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750, more or less, for repairing roads and bridges, for the ensuing year.

ART. 5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$340.00 for third class maintenance for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00, more or less, for winter and spring snow removal for the ensuing year.

ART. 7. To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid Construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 38, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1931.

ART. 8. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000, more or less, for all school expenses, both High and Common, for the ensuing year.

ART. 9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$350, more or less, for the relief of poor for the ensuing year.

ART. 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for town officers the past year.

ART. 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00, more or less, for miscellaneous town charges for the ensuing year.

ART. 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for cutting bushes along the highways for the ensuing year.

ART. 13. To raise and appropriate the sum of \$492.90 for State Patrol for the ensuing year.

ART. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for Health officer for the ensuing year.

ART. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30.00 for County Nurse for the ensuing year.

ART. 16. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to sell, and dispose of property acquired by the town by tax process, on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute municipal Quit Claim Deeds for such property.

ART. 17. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to procure a temporary loan, or loans, in anticipation of taxes, for the purpose of paying obligations of the town; such loan or loans to be paid during the current municipal year out of money raised during said current municipal year by taxes.

ART. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest on notes issued by the selectmen.

ART. 19. To see what compensation the town will vote to pay the road commissioner, and laborers on town roads for the ensuing year.

ART. 20. To see if the town will vote to pay the school board the sum of \$30.00 for their services for the ensuing year.

ART. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, more or less, for the abatements for the ensuing year.

ART. 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40.00 to bond treasurer and tax collector for the ensuing year.

ART. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of money necessary to pay for the collection of taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 24. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to issue on behalf of the town, serial notes in an amount not exceeding Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00) for the purpose of refunding outstanding indebtedness of the town, and to authorize the treasurer to sign and the selectmen to countersign said notes, and the selectmen to determine the form and term of said notes, including the interest rate thereon, the place of payment of said notes and all other details not herein expressly mentioned.

ART. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00, more or less, to be used for war emergency, including Civilian Defense.

ART. 26. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the above-named Town House on Monday, March 16, the day of said meeting,

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for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until the close of said meeting.

Given under our hands this seventh day of March, 1942.

WILLIAM S. KELLEY,
REX E. RAYMOND,
PERCY A. COOK,

Selectmen of Avon.

ATTEST:

FRED K. TOOTHAKER,

Constable of Avon.