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Annual Reports  
of the  
Municipal Officers

of the Town of  
HARTLAND  
MAINE



Year Ending February 10th  
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PRESS OF  
THE INDEPENDENT-REPORTER CO.  
SKOWHEGAN, MAINE

# TOWN OFFICERS

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Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

L. F. HUBBARD    PERCY BUTTERFIELD    I. F. STEDMAN, Sr.

Town Clerk

CARL RANDLETT

Treasurer

R. C. HAMILTON

Town Agent, Agent to Overseers of Poor, Tax Collector

HALVER H. WHITNEY

School Committee

D. E. CONNELLY

A. R. SPAULDING

T. F. GRIFFITH

Superintendent of Schools

HAROLD E. CARSON

Health Officer

P. R. BRIGGS, M. D.

# Financial Report

Year Ending February 10, 1945

## CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Cash on hand February 10, 1945 ..... \$11,431.32

### Receipts

#### Property and Poll Taxes:

Current Year .....	\$37,379.48	
Prior Years .....	918.36	
		\$38,297.84
Tax Liens .....		886.63
		\$39,184.47

Excise Taxes—1945 .....	\$ 523.66	
Excise Taxes—1946 .....	195.45	
		\$ 719.11-

Departmental Receipts	From State	Other Sources	
General Govt. ....	\$ 120.55	\$ 81.35	
Protection .....		332.08	
Highways .....	1,335.00	1.00	
Auto Patrol .....	18.75	101.25	
Charities .....	90.64	178.49	
Education .....	7,533.17	1,207.68	
Library .....	35.00		
Unclassified (Wood) .....		31.20	
Cemeteries .....		1,486.27	
Interest .....		181.55	
	\$ 9,133.11	\$ 3,650.87	\$12,783.98

Accounts Receivable .....	\$ 2.94
Impounded Cash (Reserve) .....	628.29
Teachers' Retirement Fund .....	286.79

Withholding Tax .....	1,464.20
Dividends Capital Reserve Funds .	187.50
Gains Property Sold .....	96.04
Accounts Receivable (Reserve) ..	33.46
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	\$ 2,699.22
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Total Receipts .....	\$55,386.78
Total Available .....	66,818.10

## Disbursements

Departmental Accounts .....	\$51,067.41
Teachers' Retirement Fund .....	286.79
Accounts Payable .....	2.00
Perpetual Care .....	85.27
Withholding Tax .....	1,468.75
Capital Reserve Fund .....	5,250.00
Investment Cemetery Fund .....	1,225.00
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	\$59,385.22
Cash Balance February 10, 1946 .....	7,432.88
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Total Available .....	\$66,818.10

## ANALYSIS OF DEPARTMENTAL RECEIPTS

	State	Other
General Government:		
Bank Stock Tax .....	\$ 40.96	
Dog License Refund .....	48.79	
Railroad & Telegraph Tax .....	30.80	
Tax Lien Costs .....		\$ 38.50
Sale of Mowing Machine .....		15.00
Sale of Supplies .....		5.85
Poolroom Licenses .....		20.00
Victualer's Licenses .....		2.00
Plank .....		101.00
Chloride .....		175.00
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	\$ 120.55	\$ 357.35
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		\$ 477.90

## Protection:

Supplies .....	\$	370.08	
Lights at Terminal .....		12.00	
		<u>          </u>	\$ 382.08

## Highways:

Third Class Roads Maintenance	\$	1.00	
Snow Removal .....	\$	1,335.00	
		<u>          </u>	\$ 1,336.00

## Equipment:

Auto Patrol Rental .....	\$	18.75	
Auto Patrol Rental (Op) .....	\$	40.50	
Auto Patrol Rental (Eq) .....		322.50	
Equipment (Parts) .....		387.04	
		<u>          </u>	
	\$	18.75	\$ 750.04
		<u>          </u>	\$ 768.79

## Charities:

Reimbursement-State Poor ....	\$	90.64	
Reimbursement-Town Poor ....	\$	10.03	
Reimbursement-Other Towns' Poor .....	\$	168.46	
		<u>          </u>	
	\$	90.64	\$ 178.49
		<u>          </u>	\$ 269.13

## Education

State School Fund .....	\$	5,048.17	
State Equalization Fund .....		1,265.00	
Special .....		40.00	
State Tuition .....		305.00	
State High School .....		875.00	
Refunds .....	\$	400.50	
Tuition-Town of Palmyra .....		350.00	
Tuition-Town of Pittsfield .....		58.00	
Tuition-Individuals .....		378.00	
Sale of Supplies .....		5.00	
		<u>          </u>	
	\$6,353.17	\$1,191.50	
		<u>          </u>	\$ 7,544.67



Art. 40—To see if the town will vote to authorize its selectmen to sell and dispose of the Hearse House, so called. Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 41—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 95, of the Revised Statutes of 1944. Budget committee recommends pass.

Art. 42—To see if the town will vote to accept the following sums, to be held in trust, the income to be used for care of cemetery lots, as follows:

Name	Cemetery	Lot No.	Amount
Davis, B. F.	Pine Grove	96	\$ 100.00
Randlett, Carl	Pine Grove	196	300.00
Fuller, Thomas	Fuller's Corner		200.00
Rhodes, Willie	Pleasant St.		100.00
Smith, Albra & Others	Pine Grove	35	225.00
Steelbrook, Archie	Pine Grove	80	100.00
Williams, A. G.	Jordan		100.00
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			\$1,125.00
Butterfield, W. L.	Pleasant St.		
20 shares Hartland Mills Inc., par value			\$ 100.00

Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 43—To see if the town will vote to have the selectmen arrange to take over the sewer on Commercial Street, constructed by the American Woolen Co., and assume the expense of repairing and maintaining the same, the repairs to be refunded to the town by the abutters. No recommendation by the budget committee.

Repairs & Insurance .....	\$	16.18	\$	16.18
Sale of Wood .....			\$	31.20
Library .....	\$	35.00		35.00
Interest on Taxes and Tax Liens		181.55		181.55

## Cemeteries:

Sale of Lots .....	\$	130.00		
Trust Fund Income .....		131.27		
		<hr/>	\$	261.27
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				\$11,042.50

# Assessors' Report

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## APPROPRIATIONS MARCH 12, 1945

Art.		
8	Pay of Officers .....	\$ 3,000.00
9	Other Town Charges .....	900.00
12	Abatements .....	100.00
13	Fire Department .....	550.00
14	Street Lighting .....	888.00
15	Hydrant Rental .....	500.00
16	Health Nursing .....	100.00
17	Roads and Bridges .....	1,800.00
18	Village Streets .....	500.00
19	Snow Removal .....	2,000.00
20	Third Class Road Maintenance .....	467.00
21	State Aid Road Maintenance .....	493.50
22	Snow Removal Sidewalks .....	50.00
23	Charities and Corrections .....	800.00
26	Public Library .....	500.00
27	Memorial Day .....	75.00
28	Care Cemeteries .....	400.00
29	Interest on Debt .....	550.00
30	Payment on Bonds .....	4,000.00
31	Capital Reserve Fund .....	5,000.00
35	Schools, Common .....	10,000.00
	Repairs and Insurance .....	570.00
	Superintendent's Salary .....	500.00
	School Physician .....	125.00
	School Committee .....	75.00
36	Rent School Rooms .....	480.00
38	High School Tuition .....	3,500.00
43	Extra Hydrant Rental .....	25.00
48	Repairing Band Stand .....	200.00
	Total Appropriations .....	\$38,148.50

State Tax .....		4,414.68
County Tax .....		851.99
Overlay .....		695.43
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Total Appropriations and Assessments .		\$44,110.60
Less Surplus .....	\$5,000.00	
Less Excise Tax .....	500.00	
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		5,500.00
Total Commitment .....		\$38,610.60

#### 1945 VALUATION AND ASSESSMENT

	Resident	Non-Resident	Total
Real Estate.....	\$343,890.00	\$167,465.00	\$511,355.00
Personal Estate .....	56,880.00	62,525.00	119,405.00
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Totals .....	\$400,770.00	\$229,990.00	\$630,760.00

#### TAXABLE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Horses .....	63	\$ 6,300.00
Steers, oxen, etc. ....	17	680.00
Cows .....	182	9,400.00
Two year olds .....	16	720.00
Over 18 months old .....	52	2,080.00
Swine (over 10) .....	4	40.00
Poultry (over 50) .....	1,835	1,835.00
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		\$21,055.00

## OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Stock in trade .....	\$ 35,050.00	
Wood and bark .....	300.00	
Gasoline pumps and attachments .....	725.00	
Tractors (not excised) .....	2,025.00	
Machinery and equipment .....	54,400.00	
Other property .....	5,850.00	
		<u>\$98,350.00</u>
Taxable livestock .....	21,055.00	
		<u>\$119,405.00</u>

## EXEMPT LIVESTOCK

Cattle, 18 months and younger .....	92	\$2,760.00
Sheep (to 35 in number) .....	21	105.00
Swine (to 10 in number) .....	41	410.00
Poultry (to 50 in number) .....	1,030	1,030.00
		<u>\$4,305.00</u>

## COMMITMENT

Valuation x rate—\$630,760.00 x .60 .....	\$37,845.60	
255 polls x \$3.00 .....	765.00	
		<u>\$38,610.60</u>
Supplemental .....		133.50
		<u>\$38,744.10</u>
Total charged to collector .....		\$38,744.10

# Selectmen's Report

## PAY OF TOWN OFFICERS

Appropriation .....		\$ 3,000.00
Expenditures:		
H. H. Whitney .....	\$ 2,000.00	
L. F. Hubbard .....	150.00	
Percy Butterfield .....	150.00	
I. F. Stedman, Sr. ....	150.00	
R. C. Hamilton .....	150.00	
Carl Randlett .....	50.00	
Carleton Deering .....	50.00	
D. E. Connelly .....	5.00	
O. H. Rowe .....	6.00	
Unexpended Balance .....	289.00	
Totals .....	\$3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00

## OTHER TOWN CHARGES

Appropriation .....		\$ 900.00
Cash Credits .....		201.90
Other Credits .....		276.00
Expenditures .....	\$ 1,361.88	
Unexpended Balance .....	16.02	
Totals .....	\$ 1,377.90	\$1,377.90

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation .....		\$ 550.00
Cash Credits .....		370.08
Overdraft .....		12.85
Expenditures .....	\$ 932.93	
Totals .....	\$ 932.93	\$ 932.93

## ABATEMENTS

Appropriation .....		\$	100.00
Overdraft .....			58.60
Expenditures .....	\$	158.60	
Totals .....	\$	158.60	\$ 158.60

## STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation .....		\$	888.00
Cash Credit .....			12.00
Expenditures .....	\$	900.00	
Totals .....	\$	900.00	\$ 900.00

## HEALTH NURSING

Appropriation .....		\$	100.00
Expenditures .....	\$	100.00	
Totals .....	\$	100.00	\$ 100.00

## HYDRANT RENTAL

Appropriation .....			500.00
Expenditures .....	\$	500.00	
Totals .....	\$	500.00	\$ 500.00

## REPAIRING BANDSTAND

Appropriation .....		\$ 200.00
Expenditure .....	\$ 1.00	
Unexpended Balance .....	199.00	
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Totals .....	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00

## ROADS &amp; BRIDGES

Appropriation .....		\$ 1,800.00
Credits .....		84.00
Expenditures:		
Warrants .....	\$ 783.40	
Other Charges .....	202.25	
Unexpended Balance .....	898.35	
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Totals .....	\$ 1,884.00	\$ 1,884.00

## VILLAGE STREETS

Appropriation .....		\$ 500.00
Expenditures .....	\$ 69.47	
Charges .....	136.00	
Unexpended Balance .....	294.53	
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Totals .....	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00



## MAINTENANCE THIRD CLASS ROADS

Appropriation .....	\$	467.00	
Cash Credit .....		1.00	
Overdraft .....		136.56	
Expenditures Warrant .....	\$	321.06	
Other Charges .....		283.50	
Totals .....	\$	604.56	\$ 604.56

## MAINTENANCE STATE AID ROADS

Appropriation .....	\$	493.50	
Expenditures .....	\$	493.50	
Totals .....	\$	493.50	\$ 493.50

## REMOVAL OF SNOW FROM SIDEWALKS

Appropriation .....	\$	50.00	
Expenditures .....	\$	23.35	
Unexpended Balance .....		26.65	
Totals .....	\$	50.00	\$ 50.00

## CONSTRUCTION STATE AID ROAD

Appropriation 1944 .....	\$	799.50	
Allocated by State 1945 .....		1,599.00	
Expenditures 1941-1943 .....	\$	877.22	
Balance .....		1,521.28	
Totals .....	\$	2,398.50	\$ 2,398.50

This balance is retained by the State for use in future by the town when conditions warrant.

## PURCHASE OF ROAD EQUIPMENT

Voted from Surplus Apr. 14, 1945 . . . .		\$ 2,700.00
Credits . . . . .		387.04
Expenditures . . . . .	\$ 3,087.04	
Totals . . . . .	\$ 3,087.04	\$ 3,087.04

## MAINTENANCE AUTO PATROL

Cash Credits (Rentals) . . . . .		\$ 72.00
Other Credits (Rentals Town) . . . . .		261.75
Overdraft . . . . .		114.37
Expenditures . . . . .	\$ 448.12	
Totals . . . . .	\$ 448.12	\$ 448.12

## SNOW REMOVAL HIGHWAYS

Appropriation . . . . .		\$ 2,000.00
Cash Credit (State Refund) . . . . .		1,335.00
Overdraft . . . . .		476.72
Expenditures (Contract) . . . . .	\$ 2,444.37	
Charges (Contract) . . . . .	374.34	
Expenditures (Fence) . . . . .	214.45	
Expenditures (Sanding) . . . . .	436.46	
Expenditures (Town Ways) . . . . .	342.10	
	\$ 3,811.72	\$ 3,811.72

## CHARITIES AND CORRECTIONS

Appropriations .....		\$	800.00	
Cash Credits (Holmes & Finlayson) .....				10.03
Expenditures				
Myrtle Bell .....	\$	85.13		
Mary Holmes & John Finlayson .....		10.03		
Myles O'Reilly .....		198.00		
Bessie Starbird .....		230.31		
Henry Winchester .....		55.48		
Aid to Dependent Children .....		32.50		
Board & Care Children .....		74.23		
Tramps .....		.50		
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Total Expenditures .....	\$	686.18		
Unexpended Balance .....			123.85	
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Totals .....	\$	810.03	\$	810.03

## CHARITIES (STATE)

Cash Credits .....		\$	90.64	
Balance due Accts. Rec. ....				57.00
Expenditures				
Hazel Porter .....	\$	90.64		
Roy C. Hall .....		57.00		
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Totals .....	\$	147.64	\$	147.64

## CHARITIES (OTHER TOWNS)

Cash Credits .....		\$	168.46	
Balance due Acct. Rec. ....				22.58
Expenditures				
M. A. Merrill .....	\$	105.07		
Ella Nichols .....		5.97		
Edward Wheeler .....		80.00		
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Totals .....	\$	191.04	\$	191.04

## TEACHER'S RETIREMENT

Cash Credits (M. T. R. A.) .....	\$	181.88	
Cash Credits (O. R. S.) .....			104.91
Expenditures .....	\$	286.79	
Totals .....	\$	286.79	\$ 286.79

## WOOD (E. E. WOOD, LOT)

Cash Credits .....	\$	31.20	
Balance due .....			1.00
Balance due 2/12/45 .....	\$	32.20	
Totals .....	\$	32.20	\$ 32.20

## RENT SCHOOL ROOMS

Appropriation .....	\$	480.00	
Expenditures .....	\$	480.00	
Totals .....	\$	480.00	\$ 480.00

## HARTLAND LIBRARY

Appropriation .....	\$	500.00	
Credit (State) .....			35.00
Expenditures .....	\$	535.00	
Totals .....	\$	535.00	\$ 535.00

## MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation .....		\$	75.00
Expenditures .....	\$	59.13	
Unexpended Balance .....		15.87	
Totals .....	\$	75.00	\$ 75.00

## GENERAL CARE CEMETERIES

Appropriation .....		\$	400.00
Credit (Transfer) .....		20.00	
Expenditures .....	\$	420.00	
Totals .....	\$	420.00	\$ 420.00

## PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERY LOTS

Balance Feb. 12, 1945 .....		\$	51.26
Dividends .....		131.27	
Expenditures Warrants .....	\$	85.27	
Expenditures Transfer .....		20.00	
Unexpended Balance .....		77.26	
Totals .....	\$	182.53	\$ 182.53

## PINE GROVE CEMETERY

Balance Feb. 12, 1945 .....		\$	700.52
Sale Lots .....		130.00	
Unexpended Balance .....	\$	830.52	
Totals .....	\$	830.52	\$ 830.52

## INTEREST ON DEBT

Appropriation .....	\$	550.00
Collected on Liens .....		101.06
Collected on Taxes .....		80.49

## Expenditures

School Bonds .....	\$	332.50
Refunding Bonds .....		275.00
Unexpended Balance .....		124.05
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Totals .....	\$	731.55
	\$	731.55

## PAYMENT ON DEBT

Appropriation .....	\$	4,000.00
Dividend Fidelity Trust .....		628.29

## Expenditures

School Bonds No. 23-24 .....	\$	2,000.00
Refunding Bonds No. 5-6 .....		2,000.00
Unexpended Balance .....		628.29
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Totals .....	\$	4,628.29
	\$	4,628.29

## STATE TAX

Assessment .....	\$	4,414.68
Expenditure .....	\$	4,414.68
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Totals .....	\$	4,414.68
	\$	4,414.68

## COUNTY TAX

Assessment .....		\$	851.99
Expenditure .....	\$	851.99	
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Totals .....	\$	851.99	\$ 851.99

## CAPITAL RESERVE FUND (Rural Roads)

From 1945 Surplus .....		\$	2,500.00
Dividend on Bond .....			31.25
Expenditure (Bonds) .....	\$	2,500.00	
Expenditure (Savings) .....		31.25	
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Totals .....	\$	2,531.25	\$ 2,531.25

## CAPITAL RESERVE FUND (SCHOOL BLDG.)

From 1945 Surplus .....		\$	2,500.00
Dividend on Bond .....			31.25
Expenditure (Bonds) .....	\$	2,500.00	
Expenditure (Savings) .....		31.25	
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Totals .....	\$	2,531.25	\$ 2,531.25

## CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

1944 School (Bonds) .....		\$	5,000.00
Dividends (Savings Bank) .....			187.50
1945 School (Bonds) .....			2,500.00

Dividend (Savings Bank) .....	31.25	
Rural Roads (Bonds) .....	2,500.00	
Dividend (Savings Bank) .....	31.25	
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Total .....	\$10,250.00	
Withholding Tax		
Balance due Govt. 2/12/45 .....	\$ 70.55	
Withheld to 2/9/46 .....	1,464.20	
Expenditures (Paid Govt.) .....		
Due Govt. 2/10/46 .....	\$ 1,468.75	
	66.00	
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Totals .....	\$ 1,534.75	\$ 1,534.75

## OVERLAY

Assessment .....		\$ 695.43
Unexpended .....	\$ 695.43	
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Totals .....	\$ 659.43	\$ 659.43

## BONDS PAYABLE

Purpose	Date	Rate	Nos.	Due Date	Amt. Due
Building	1924	4¾%	25-30	1946-48	\$ 6,000.00
Refunding	1942	2½%	7-16	1946-48	10,000.00

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

## Skowhegan Savings Bank

Name	Book No.	Amount
* Butterfield, Walter L.	43,915	\$ 100.00
* Davis, B. Frank	43,352	100.00
* Fisher, Gladys	43,130	100.00
Fuller, Henry C,	35,960	100.00



* Fuller, Thomas	43,996	200.00
Goodspeed, Agnes	31,695	300.00
Hinton, Fred A.	30,431	200.00
Linn, Archibald	35,961	100.00
Linn, William	40,639	200.00
McCausland, Elvira	41,711	100.00
Miller, Albert	40,983	300.00
* Randlett, Carl	43,977	300.00
* Rhodes, William	43,353	100.00
* Steelbrook, Archie	43,372	100.00
* Smith, Albra & Others	43,438	225.00
Ward, Albert	42,057	100.00
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Total		\$ 2,625.00

\* Williams, Albert, Hartland Mills Inc. Stock \$100.00

U. S. Bonds, Series G Due 1955 2½ %	
Barnes, Etta	\$ 100.00
Bennett, Sabra	100.00
Blake, Calvin	100.00
Briggs, Mellon & Willis	100.00
Brooks, Orlando	100.00
Currier, Judson	50.00
Davis, Fred	100.00
Huff, Emma (Stedman)	100.00
Larrabee, Rebecca	100.00
Marr, Doris B.	100.00
Morrison, Margaret	500.00
Morrison, Marion	500.00
Palmer, Thomas	100.00
Rowell, Blanche Thomas	100.00
Smith, Harry	100.00
Soule, Wm. & Lydia	100.00
Starbird, Aaron	75.00
Webber, Louisa	100.00
White, Margaret	100.00
Wilbur, Charles	50.00
Williams, Hiram	75.00
Woodbridge, F. D.	100.00
Worthen, Harrison	150.00

We believe the foregoing to be a true report of the receipts and expenditures for the year last past, and the present financial standing of the town. If however, there appear to be any errors or something that you do not understand, please call at the Selectmen's office, where the books are available, for an explanation, thereby avoiding unnecessary consumption of time during the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

L. F. HUBBARD

PERCY BUTTERFIELD

I. F. STEDMAN, SR.,

Selectmen of Hartland

# Tax Collector's Report

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Cash paid to treasurer .....	\$37,379.48	
Uncollected .....	1,364.62	
		\$38,744.10

## ABATEMENTS

Appropriation .....	\$ 100.00	
Overdraft .....	58.60	
		\$ 158.60

## 1944 ABATEMENTS

Name	Reason	Amount
Leathers, Lloyd, Veteran .....		\$ 3.00
Nevens, Frang, age .....		3.00
White, Frederick, in Service .....		3.00
Walker, Herbert, over assessed ...		11.60
		\$ 20.60

## 1945 ABATEMENTS

Name	Reason	Amount
Austin, C. I., tractor .....		\$ 7.50
Annis, W. P., heirs, taxed twice ...		72.00
Blackden, Raymond, over valued ..		12.00
Dummer, W. A., Weld, Me. ....		3.00
Ford, Carroll, tractor .....		12.00
Fuller, W. Bigelow, minor .....		3.00
Hollister & Brooks, over valued ..		3.00
Lancaster, Percy, taxed twice .....		1.50

Richards, Milo, over valued .....	6.00	
Robinson, Desmond, Veteran .....	3.00	
Sherburne, I. J., Pittsfield .....	3.00	
Walker, Herbert, over valued ....	12.00	
		\$ 138.00
		<u>          </u> \$ 158.60

## 1945 DELINQUENT TAXES

Austin, Elwin .....	\$ 3.00
Austin, C. I. ....	15.00
Baker, Grace .....	49.00
Bell, Myrtle .....	21.00
Bell, John .....	3.00
Burgess, Stanley .....	3.00
Corson, Marie .....	46.50
Clement, Byron .....	18.40
Clowry, Seamon .....	84.00
Church, C. W. ....	3.00
Casey, Walter .....	3.00
Dyer, Vincent .....	3.00
Dumont, Leo .....	3.00
Davis, Howard .....	4.00
Dow, Charles .....	3.00
Elliott, Sadie .....	54.00
Elliott, Harry .....	36.90
Emery, Floyd .....	81.00
Elliott, Leon .....	3.00
Emery, Alton .....	3.00
Frost, Ossian .....	3.00
Goodwin, Wallace .....	63.00
Graves, Irvin .....	3.00
Goodwin, Mildred .....	18.00
Huff, Beulah .....	30.00
Hayden, Horace .....	3.00
Henderson, Harry .....	12.00
Hamilton, George .....	3.00
Johnson, Earl .....	42.00
Jones, Eva .....	93.00
Jones, Allen .....	3.00
Kelley, Perry .....	3.00
Lowell, Thelma .....	15.00
Merrill, Mary A. ....	6.82

Mercier, George .....	3.00
Pelkie, Donald .....	96.00
Parsons, Charles .....	3.00
Parsons, Eugene .....	3.00
Packard, Rupert .....	3.00
Perkins, Roland .....	3.00
Staples, Norma .....	21.00
Stedman, Jean .....	36.00
Sherburne, Vivian .....	6.00
Sherburne, Earl .....	46.50
Soule, Guy W. ....	33.00
Soule, Eva, Gdn. ....	114.00
Stedman, Robert .....	3.00
Stedman, Vernard V. ....	9.00
Staples, Guy .....	25.50
Tozier, Chelsea .....	18.00
Tozier, Ray .....	3.00
Violette, Lillian .....	60.00
Violette, Louis .....	63.00
Withee, F. A., Jr. ....	21.00
Whittemore, Marguerite .....	12.00
Williams, Charles .....	3.00
Cool, Delbert .....	3.00
Jackson, Nathan S. ....	6.00
Jackson, Mabel G. ....	6.00
Robichaud, Edmund .....	18.00
Withee, Florence .....	9.00
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	\$ 1,364.62

## 1944 TAXES

Braley, Clifford .....	\$ 3.00
Dinsmore, Harry .....	39.15
Johnson, Earl .....	2.61
Merrow, Earle F. ....	3.00
Neal, Arnold .....	3.00
Page, Earl F. ....	3.00
Robinson, Marshall .....	3.00
Steeves, Thomas .....	3.00
Spear, Elliott .....	3.00
Violette, Louis H. ....	24.07
Vanadestine, Everett .....	3.00
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	\$ 89.83

## 1943 TAXES

Fitzpatrick, Edward .....	\$	3.00	
Hart, Linwood .....		3.00	
Smith, Maynard .....		3.19	
Vance, Henry .....		3.00	
Webber, Earl .....		3.00	
Lancaster, Percy .....		1.45	
		<hr/>	\$ 16.64

## 1942 TAXES

Austin, Elmer .....	\$	6.48	
Burdin, Jesse .....		3.00	
Deering, Norris .....		3.48	
Finlayson, Robert .....		3.00	
Johnson, Earl .....		23.20	
Webber, Earl .....		3.00	
York, Lindley .....		3.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 45.16

## 1941 TAXES

Burns, Mabel .....	\$	5.67	
Blanchard, Clarence .....		3.00	
Curtis, Lewis .....		3.00	
Michaud, Paul .....		3.00	
Straw, Harry .....		3.00	
Steeves, Thomas .....		3.00	
Vance, Henry .....		3.00	
Lancaster, Percy .....		1.58	
		<hr/>	\$ 25.25

## 1940 TAXES

Campbell, Clarence .....	\$	3.63	
Deering, Kenneth .....		3.00	
Mathews, Frank D. ....		3.00	
Vance, Henry .....		3.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 12.63

## 1939 TAXES

Austin, Kenneth .....	\$	5.14	
Deering, Kenneth .....		3.00	
Sinclair, Annie .....		12.20	
		<hr/>	\$ 20.34

## 1938 TAXES

Braley, Clayton .....	\$	3.00	
Deering, Kenneth .....		3.00	
Deering, Norris .....		3.10	
Lancaster, Percy .....		1.55	
		<hr/>	\$ 10.65

## 1937 TAXES

Braley, Clayton .....	\$	3.00	
Deering, Kenneth .....		3.00	
Lauridse, Paul .....		3.00	
Pelkie, E. R. ....		51.23	
Vance, Henry .....		1.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 61.23

## 1936 TAXES

Austin, Kenneth .....	\$	2.95	
Braley, Clayton .....		3.00	
Getchell, Clyde .....		18.79	
		<hr/>	\$ 24.74

## 1935 TAXES

Austin, Kenneth .....	\$	2.05	
Braley, Clayton .....		3.00	
Deering, Kenneth .....		3.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 8.05

## 1934 TAXES

Deering, Kenneth .....	\$	3.00	
Duran, Milton .....		7.32	
		<hr/>	\$ 10.32

## 1933 TAXES

Austin, Kenneth .....	\$	3.00	
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## 1944 TAX LIENS

Goodwin, Wallace .....	\$	58.00	
Goodwin, Wallace .....		2.90	
Johnson, Earl .....		40.60	
Jones, Eva .....		39.90	
*Randlett, Harry .....		310.46	
Sherburne, Earl .....		29.00	
Soule, Eva, Gdn. ....		110.20	
Violette, Louis H. ....		34.80	
		<hr/>	\$ 675.86

\* Paid since books closed.

## OLDER LIENS

1942 .....	\$	1.45	
1940 .....		26.78	
1939 .....		12.21	
1938 .....		6.20	
1936 .....		25.10	
1934 .....		13.80	
		<hr/>	\$ 85.54



# Report of Superintendent of Schools

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Hartland, Maine, Feb. 10, 1946

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

I submit my seventh annual report for your consideration and  
approval.

There has been an enrollment of 210 pupils in the elementary  
grades this year. These pupils have been fairly evenly distributed  
in each room except the primary room. In this room there is a  
total of 47 sub-primary and first grade pupils. Beginning in Sep-  
tember 1946 there should be a helping teacher added to this  
room. Attendance in the grades has been average up to the  
present time.

## Needs of the Future

Plans should be made now to purchase a new school bus to  
replace the Orange bus. A 60 passenger bus should be purchased  
and used on the West Hartland run. The smaller yellow bus  
should be transferred to the North Hartland route.

Plans should be going forward for the construction of a new  
elementary school building. I wish that parents, and future par-  
ents would visit the school rooms and see for themselves just  
what the housing conditions are. I feel sure that after a visit  
to all rooms that you will agree that something needs to be done  
in the very near future.

## Budget

The following budget is presented for your consideration:

Common Schools and new bus .....	\$13,000.00
Secondary tuition .....	4,000.00

Rent of Randlett building .....	480.00
Repairs and Insurance .....	600.00
School Physician .....	125.00
School Committee .....	75.00
Superintendent .....	560.00

In conclusion may I take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the cooperation extended me during my term of office as Superintendent of Schools.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD E. CARSON

# School Financial Report

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1945-1946

## Receipts

Balance 1945 .....	\$ 377.96	
Appropriation 1945 .....	10,000.00	
Equalization 1945 .....	1,265.00	
State School Fund .....	5,048.17	
Special Project .....	40.00	
Tuition .....	786.00	
Evan Russell, Refund .....	350.00	
Hartland School Lunch .....	50.50	
H. E. Carson .....	5.00	
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Total Receipts .....		\$17,922.63

## Expenditures

Teachers .....	\$ 9,524.19	
Fuel .....	1,180.58	
Conveyance .....	3,462.20	
Janitor .....	1,365.00	
Books .....	429.14	
Supplies .....	1,481.48	
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Total Expenditures .....		\$17,442.59
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Balance 1946 .....		\$ 480.04

## School Committee

Appropriation 1945 .....	\$ 75.00	
Daniel Connelly .....	25.00	
Ray Spaulding .....	25.00	
Theodore Griffith .....	25.00	
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Total .....		\$ 150.00

## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

## Secondary Tuition

## Receipts

Balance 1945 .....	\$ 530.00	
Appropriation 1945 .....	3,500.00	
State Fund .....	875.00	
H. & W. Welfare .....	305.00	
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Total .....		\$ 5,210.00

## Expenditures

Hartland Academy .....	\$ 4,556.02	
Maine Central Institute .....	50.00	
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Total .....		\$ 4,606.02
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Balance 1946 .....		\$ 603.98

## Repairs and Insurance

## Receipts

Appropriation 1945 (Repairs) .....	\$ 300.00	
Appropriation 1945 (Insurance) .....	270.00	
Hartland Academy .....	11.18	
L. H. Barden .....	5.00	
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Total .....		\$ 586.18

## Expenditures

Hartland Academy .....	\$ 96.08
L. M. Huff .....	48.44
W. H. Moore & Son .....	.75
Harold E. Carson .....	6.50
Fred Libby .....	8.13

Percy Butterfield (Insurance) .....	195.00	
Hanson Ins. Agency (Insurance) .....	75.00	
T. F. Griffith .....	3.00	
Harry Randlett .....	150.00	
Arthur Wyman .....	3.75	
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Total .....		586.65
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Overdraft .....	\$	.47

#### School Physician

Appropriation 1945 .....	\$	125.00
Dr. P. R. Briggs .....		125.00

#### Supt. of Schools

Appropriation 1945 .....	\$	500.00
Harold E. Carson .....		474.96
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Balance .....	\$	25.04

### ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

#### Teachers

Nina Steeves .....	\$	420.00
Edythe Libby .....		1,147.43
Mary McLean .....		697.43
Pearl Church .....		1,147.43
Ernestine Carson .....		1,147.43
Mary Connelly .....		420.00
Doris Emery .....		1,117.43
Gertrude Davis .....		1,117.43

Eloise E. Taylor .....	316.00	
Harriet Havey .....	727.43	
Hartland Academy .....	1,149.93	
Maine Teachers Association .....	17.50	
Town of St. Albans (Office maintenance) ..	98.75	
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Total .....		\$ 9,524.19

#### Conveyance

Pittsfield Motor Sales .....	\$ 22.95	
Charles Russell .....	757.20	
Furbush Ins. Agency .....	43.68	
Rae's General Hardware .....	98.67	
Alonzo Williams .....	3.50	
Evan Russell .....	968.76	
Lloyd Hubbard .....	6.00	
Percy Butterfield .....	60.11	
Harold Hubbard .....	544.80	
A. R. Burton & Son .....	16.73	
Soule Glass & Paint Co. ....	4.68	
Ernest McDougal .....	360.00	
W. L. Butterfield .....	543.39	
Vernard Stedman .....	8.00	
Rowell & Clark .....	1.00	
Hubbard's Garage .....	22.73	
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Total .....		\$ 3,462.20

#### Janitors

Sam Parker .....	\$ 270.00	
Fred Brooks .....	165.00	
Hartland Academy .....	450.00	
Vernard Stanhope .....	400.00	
Fred Steelbrook .....	60.00	
L. H. Barden .....	20.00	
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Total .....		\$ 1,365.00

## Books

Ginn and Company .....	\$ 93.42
Scott, Foresman & Co. ....	38.89
Row, Peterson & Co. ....	59.19
World Book Co. ....	5.81
McCormick-Mathews Co. ....	4.16
Houghton Mifflin Co. ....	1.41
Edward E. Babb & Co. Inc. ....	4.64
L. W. Singer Co. ....	10.31
The School Executive .....	1.00
Webster Pub. Co. ....	2.68
American Education Press Inc. ....	56.54
A. N. Palmer Co. ....	1.02
The MacMillan Co. ....	28.08
Allyn & Bacon .....	13.78
Laidlaw Brothers .....	.34
Beckley-Cardy Co. ....	5.79
American Book Co. ....	42.38
J. L. Hammett Co. ....	15.82
Albert Whitman .....	.42
Rand McNally .....	4.46
Charles Scribner's Sons .....	29.82
J. B. Lippincott .....	1.55
The Bobbs-Merrill Co. ....	.91
The John C. Winston Co. ....	1.95
C. A. Gregory Co. ....	.47
Gertrude Longland .....	.50
Clarkson Pub. Co. ....	.72
Ann Marie's Workshop .....	3.08
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 429.14</b>

## Fuel

Ervin Martin .....	\$ 202.50
Oscar Merchant .....	15.00
Harold Hubbard .....	24.00
Howard Davis .....	5.00
Daniel Connelly .....	480.00
Rae Randlett .....	454.08
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$ 1,180.58</b>

## Supplies

Howard & Brown .....	\$ 18.00
Central Maine Power Co. ....	111.81
Loring, Short & Harmon .....	95.63
Stanley Burgess .....	2.40
R. M. Flagg Co. ....	2.64
Pittsfield Advertiser .....	3.05
J. L. Hammett .....	91.21
R. H. Gregoire .....	1.74
Rae's General Hardware .....	286.31
Harold E. Carson .....	142.10
A. R. Burton .....	35.31
A. B. Dunning Co. ....	19.91
Gledhill Bros. Inc. ....	76.72
Beckley-Cardy Co. ....	342.33
W. H. Moore & Son .....	15.86
J. L. Mueller Furnace Co. ....	6.90
American Playground .....	14.35
Welch Allyn Co. ....	16.68
Furbush Ins. Agency .....	20.10
Boston Music Co. ....	.87
Edward E. Babb Co. ....	5.59
The Papercrafters Inc. ....	20.64
R. C. Hamilton .....	2.12
Hartland Academy .....	105.75
H. E. Randlett .....	43.46
Total .....	<hr/> \$ 1,481.48

## Superintendent's Office Account

## Receipts

Balance 1945 .....	\$ 97.38
State Fund .....	435.63
Athens .....	13.97
Cambridge .....	13.97
Harmony .....	13.98



Hartland .....	13.98	
Palmyra .....	13.98	
St. Albans .....	13.98	
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Total Receipts .....		\$ 616.87

## Expenditures

Eloise Taylor .....	\$ 316.00	
A. R. Burton .....	46.86	
J. L. Hammett .....	43.78	
Gledhill Bros. ....	23.15	
H. E. Carson .....	132.10	
Rae's Hardware .....	20.48	
W. H. Moore .....	14.40	
Furbush Ins. ....	20.10	
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Total Expenditures .....		\$ 616.87

# State Auditor's Report

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State of Maine  
STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT  
Augusta

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September 12, 1945

Board of Selectmen  
Hartland  
Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3, Revised Statutes of 1944 and at your request, the records of the town of Hartland have been audited for the period February 10, 1944 to February 12, 1945 inclusive.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which we considered necessary. Insofar as we can ascertain within the scope of our examination, the result discloses that the financial transactions of this town have been satisfactorily handled.

Comments and schedules prepared by Auditor Hawes are incorporated in this report. These should prove of interest to you.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Very truly yours,

FRED M. BERRY  
State Auditor

To: Fred M. Berry, State Auditor  
From: Carl G. Hawes, Auditor  
Re: Audit of the town of Hartland

February 10, 1944 to February 12, 1945

An examination has been completed of the books of account and records of the town of Hartland for the municipal year ended February 12, 1945.

Exhibits and schedules are submitted which, in our opinion, properly reflect the financial status of the town.

#### TREASURER

All receipts as issued by the Treasurer were examined and found to be correctly recorded.

Expenditures were made by check from authorized warrants drawn by the Selectmen.

Due to several errors made by the Treasurer, \$2.94 was discovered due from him. Due to the condition of this account, it seemed advisable to check and reconcile to July 1, 1945.

Tax liens on hand were checked and are in agreement with the control account.

#### TAX COLLECTOR

The tax commitment was compared with the records of the Assessors. It was ascertained that this commitment was accounted for either by cash paid the Treasurer, abatements or unpaid taxes as reflected on the records of the Collector.

Payments received on prior years' taxes were applied against the proper accounts.

#### SELECTMEN

The Selectmen's records were found in good condition. Payrolls and vouchers were test checked.

#### GENERAL

Verifications to the extent deemed appropriate were made of the asset accounts.

(Signed) CARL G. HAWES  
Auditor

## COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

		Assets	
Subsidiary Schedules:		Feb. 12, 1945	Feb. 10, 1944
1	Cash—General . . . .	\$11,431.32	\$12,096.62
	—Impounded . . . . .	1,427.91	1,427.91
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		\$12,859.23	\$13,524.53
	Less—Reserve for Impounded . . . . .	1,427.91	
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		\$11,431.32	\$13,524.53
2	Cap. Reserve Fund . . . . .	5,000.00	
	Tax Accts. Uncoll.:		
3	Taxes . . . . .	1,962.66	2,293.37
4	Tax Liens . . . . .	913.57	828.16
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		2,876.23	3,121.53
	Less—Reserve for Collection . . . . .	162.62	300.00
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		2,713.61	2,821.53
5	Accts. Receivable . . . . .	302.70	596.15
	Less—Reserve for Collection . . . . .	299.76	122.76
		<hr/>	<hr/>
		2.94	473.39
	Total Assets . . . . .	<hr/> 19,147.87	<hr/> 16,819.45
6	Trust Fund Invest's . . . . .	4,400.00	4,400.00
	Total Assets and Trust. Fd. Inv'ts.	<hr/> \$23,547.87	<hr/> \$21,219.45

## Liabilities

Accounts Payable—			
	Tax Collector ...	2.00	
7	Bonds Outstanding	20,000.00	24,000.00
Due Other Agency:			
	Withholding Tax .	70.55	37.35
	Sinking Fund for Bonds Outstanding		713.97
8	Trust Funds used by Town .....	1,028.23	1,028.23
	Total Liabilities.	21,100.78	25,770.55
6	Trust Fund Reserve	5,428.23	5,428.23
	Less—Liabil. above	1,028.23	1,028.23
		4,400.00	4,400.00

## SURPLUS ACCOUNTS

	Cap. Reserve Fund	5,062.50	
Ex. D	Depart. Balances		
	Fwd. (net) ....	1,551.63	1,410.43
	E Net Deficit .....	8,567.04	10,370.53
		1,952.91	8,960.10
Total Liabilities, Trust	Reserve & Surplus Accts.	\$23,547.87	\$21,219.45

The complete report of the audit, as required by Chapter 80, Section 119, Revised Statutes of 1944, and amended by Chapter 84, Public Laws of 1945, is on file in the office of the Selectmen.

# Statement of Departmental Operations

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Year Ended February 12, 1945

	Credits				Charges		Balances			
	From 1943-44	Appro- priations	Depart- mental Receipts	Other	Total	Cash Disburse- ments	Other	Lapsed Over- draft	Unex- pended	To 1945-46
<b>General Gov't</b>										
Town Officers		\$3,000.00			\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,794.62			\$ 205.38	
Oth. Town Chgs.		900.00	\$521.38		1,421.38	1,337.07			84.31	
		3,900.00	521.38		4,421.38	4,131.69			289.69	
<b>Protection</b>										
Fire Department		550.00	80.58		630.58	648.80		\$ 18.22		
Street Lights		888.00	12.00		900.00	900.00				
Hydrant Rental		500.00			500.00	500.00				
		1,938.00	92.58		2,030.58	2,048.80		18.22		
<b>Health</b>										
Health Nurse		50.00			50.00	50.00				
<b>High'ys &amp; Bridges</b>										
R'ds & Bridges		1,200.00	238.47		1,438.47	805.81	\$ 46.59		586.07	
Snow Removal		1,500.00	1,299.09		2,799.09	3,737.47		938.38		
S. A. Road, 1944		799.50			799.50					\$799.50
S. A. Road, 1941-43	\$875.41				875.41					875.41
Highway Patrol		493.50			493.50	493.50				

Maint. 3rd C. Road	360.29	467.00		827.29	902.51	75.22				
Village Streets		500.00		500.00	100.27			399.73		
H. A. Elliott Rd.		200.00	46.59	246.59	246.59					
Sidewalks, Snow		50.00		50.00	42.03			7.97		
	<b>515.12</b>	5,210.00	1,537.56	46.59	6,279.03	6,328.18	46.59	1,013.60	993.77	<b>75.91</b>
<b>Charities</b>										
Poor—Town		1,800.00	11.06	1,811.06	893.66				917.40	
Poor—State			462.87	462.87	462.87					
		1,800.00	473.93	2,273.93	1,356.53				917.40	
<b>Education</b>										
Common Schools	714.28	8,000.00	6,480.83	15,195.11	14,817.15					377.96
High School	571.75	3,000.00	780.00	4,351.75	3,821.75					530.00
Repairs & Insur.	4.74	600.00		604.74	529.78				74.96	
Supt's Salary		475.00		475.00	466.68				8.32	
School Physician		125.00		125.00	125.00					
Sup. Sch. Comm.		75.00		75.00	75.00					
School Lunch		500.00		500.00					500.00	
Rent, Sch. Rms.		480.00		480.00	480.00					
	1,290.77	13,255.00	7,260.83	21,806.60	20,315.36				583.28	907.96
<b>Library</b>										
Hartland Lib'ry		500.00	40.00	540.00	540.00					
<b>Unclassified</b>										
Cap. Reserve Fund		5,000.00		5,000.00		5,000.00				
Memorial Day		75.00		75.00	48.96				26.04	

	Credits					Charges		Balances		
	From 1943-44	Appro- priations	Depart- mental Receipts	Other	Total	Cash Disburse- ments	Other	Lapsed Over- draft	Unex- pected	To 1945-46
Abatement		100.00			100.00		146.60	46.60		
E. E. Wood Lot	60.00		63.50		3.50	35.70				82.20
	60.00	5,175.00	63.50		5,178.50	84.66	5,146.60	46.60	26.04	32.20
<b>Cemeteries</b>										
Maintenance		400.00		25.00	425.00	425.00				
Pine Grove Cem.	615.52		85.00		700.52					700.52
Perpetual Care	79.26		75.00		154.26	78.00	25.00			51.26
	694.78	400.00	160.00	25.00	1,279.78	503.00	25.00			751.78
<b>Interest</b>										
General		650.00	198.85		848.85	752.50			96.35	
<b>Mun. Indebtedness</b>										
Pay. on Sch. Bonds		1,286.03		713.97	2,000.00	2,000.00				
Pay. on Refund. Bds.		2,000.00			2,000.00	2,000.00				
		3,286.03		713.97	4,000.00	4,000.00				
<b>Special Assess.</b>										
State Tax		4,308.22			4,308.22	4,308.22				
County Tax		861.04			861.04	861.04				
		5,169.26			5,169.26	5,169.26				
Total All Depts.	\$1,410.43 (Ex. A)	\$41,333.29 (Ex. C)	\$10,348.63 (Ex. B)	\$785.56	\$53,877.91	\$45,279.98 (Ex. B)	\$5,218.19	\$1,078.42 (Ex. E)	\$2,906.53 (Ex. E)	\$1,551.63 (Ex. A)



## ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN NET DEFICIT

Year ended February 12, 1945

Net Deficit—Feb. 10, 1944 (Exh. A)		\$10,370.53
Transactions affecting prior years:		
Charges—Reserve for Impounded Cash .....	\$1,427.91	
Reserve for Accounts Receivable .....	177.00	
		<u>\$1,604.91</u>
Credits—Reserve for Tax Accts. Adjusted .....	137.38	
Gain on Tax Liens and Property Redeemed .....	472.12	
		<u>609.50</u>
Net Charges for Prior Years ...		<u>995.41</u>
		11,365.94
Transactions affecting current year:		
Operating Accounts—		
Credits—Dept. Bals. (Exh. D)		
Unexpended .....	2,906.53	
Overdraft .....	1,078.42	
		<u>1,828.11</u>
Excise Tax .....	233.59	
Overlay (Exhibit C) .....	846.56	
Supplemental Tax .....	890.64	
Payment on Bonds .....	4,000.00	
		<u>7,798.90</u>
Charge—Capital Reserve Fund appropria. from Net Deficit (Exhibit C) .....		5,000.00
		<u>2,798.90</u>
Net Credits for Current Year ...		2,798.90
NET DEFICIT—February 12, 1945 (Exhibit A) .....		<u>\$8,567.04</u>

## School Physician's Report

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Examination of school children in the Town of Hartland showed an excellent physical standard being maintained. There are however many correctable disabilities and these have been called to the attention of the parents and guardians of these pupils. May I again impress upon these few to correct these defects that their children may continue in good health. That is the purpose of school guidance—to prevent rather than cure disease.

Inoculations were given to prevent diphtheria and were apparently very successful.

Cooperation of the Public Health Service, local volunteers and county nurse are acknowledged and appreciated in our school programs.

May we continue to watch closely the health of our children that they may serve a useful, independent life to our community in the years to come.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. P. R. BRIGGS

# Report of Public Health Nurse

January 1 to December 31, 1945

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## Bureau of Health Nursing Service

The coming of peace so dearly won, has not brought an end to our responsibilities. Sickness and disease are still with us and the need of health protection is as great as ever. How can we better combat these conditions than by developing strong, active Community Health Councils. The improvement in travelling facilities will make it possible for groups to get together again, and really make plans for promoting the health of their communities.

A Community Health Council can play a large part in interpreting to the people the services offered by the public health nurse. Its members are responsible for the health of their own community. There are a number of programs which they may develop such as: protection against disease; correction of defects; community education; and the Child Health Conferences.

Efforts have been made during the past year through the Lions Club and Mr. Carson, Superintendent of Schools, to organize a Health Council. Speakers have come from the State Staff to talk with groups of people, and Mr. Carson has called other groups together with no definite results. Mr. Carson has been untiring in his efforts. It is hoped that better results may be obtained in the coming year. However, the responsibility for this rests with the community.

In the past we have stressed immunizations against preventable diseases, but recent epidemics prove that we have not done enough. Our aim is that every child be protected against diphtheria, smallpox and whooping cough, before he is one year old. If each town sponsors a minimum of three Child Health Conferences, yearly, this can be accomplished.

Home visits have been made to expectant mothers, stressing the importance and general principles of good care for the mothers, and the need for regular health supervision for infants and pre-school children, including medical and dental care, and guidance in nutrition and mental hygiene.

The schools have been visited, and assistance given in vision testing in the Primary room. Much time has been spent on the pediculosis problem and with skin conditions. Nurse-teacher conferences have helped both nurse and teacher, in that they have brought about a better understanding of corrections and problems involving the health of the child. The first of two diphtheria immunization clinics was held in the schools in November, when 388 persons received their first inoculation. 34 of these were infants and pre-school children. The final clinic is planned for early in January.

The services of the State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis have been available to people in the community. All reactors to the tuberculin test, given late last year, had their x-rays, and some re-x-rays have been taken.

Parents can help promote good health in the town by reporting communicable diseases, or suspicion of these diseases, to the local health officer within twenty-four hours. They can watch their children for signs of illness, and keep them home when they have colds or other infections. The "common cold" is the forerunner of many diseases.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE SKELTON

Bureau of Health  
Public Health Nurse

# Report of Hartland Free Library

Number State books in Library Feb. 1, 1945 .....	672
Number State books added .....	6
Number Fiction and non-fiction Feb. 1, 1945 .....	9,022
Number Fiction and non-fiction added .....	720
Number Fiction and non-fiction discarded .....	50
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Total number books in Library .....	9,742
Number books delivered for home use .....	12,326
Number magazines delivered for home use .....	229
Number books rented from rental shelf .....	1,160
Number rental books presented to Library .....	107

We wish to express at this time our appreciation for the many books donated this year and money given by patrons to buy new books. For their interest and support we are very grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY COSTON SMITH, Librarian

## TREASURER'S REPORT HARTLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY February 10, 1946

### Receipts

Balance on hand Feb. 10, 1945 .....	\$ 117.57
Received from Town .....	500.00
Received from State .....	35.00
Received from Outlook Club meetings ....	6.00
Received from rental books .....	76.17
Received from dues and fees .....	6.50
Received from Mary Smith for wood ....	5.25
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Total .....	\$ 746.49

## Expenditures

Librarian's Salary .....	\$ 312.00	
Cora Williamson as substitute librarian ...	29.50	
Wallace Gray for labor .....	2.00	
Arthur Wyman for labor .....	43.84	
Insurance .....	12.50	
Express .....	.72	
Supplies .....	35.45	
Spurgen Brooks for labor .....	10.20	
Hartland Tanning Co. for material for steam heat .....	48.50	
H. E. Randlett for repairs .....	2.65	
Edmund Seekins for labor .....	3.10	
Sadie Brawn for cleaning library .....	1.60	
Magazines .....	22.10	
Central Maine Power Co. for electric lights	12.84	
Tax on checks .....	2.19	
Maine Library Association dues .....	2.00	
Books .....	139.10	
Total .....	\$ 680.29	
Balance on hand Feb. 10, 1946 .....	\$ 66.20	

Respectfully submitted,

INA M. MOULTON,, Treas.

# Report of Hartland Cemetery Association

February, 1946

## Receipts

Town Appropriation .....	\$ 400.00	
Lot owners .....	208.50	
Committals .....	96.00	
Interest on Perpetuals .....	105.27	
Tomb rent .....	1.50	
Balance Feb. 1945 .....	104.63	
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Total .....		\$ 915.90

## Expenditures

Labor and Supplies .....	\$ 864.83	
Cash on hand and checking account .....	51.07	
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Total .....		\$ 915.90

## Trust Funds (Pittsfield Bank)

F. O. Thompson .....	\$ 200.00	
Clara Morrill .....	200.00	
Maude Southard .....	50.00	
Vincent Goforth .....	25.00	
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Total .....		\$ 475.00

## Water Fund

Balance Feb., 1945 .....	\$ 268.09	
Cash from Food Sale .....	50.00	
Gifts, G. H. Bass Co. and others .....	13.00	
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Total .....		\$ 331.09

MAURICE W. HANSON, Secretary  
MARGUERITE BURTON, Treasurer

# Town Clerk's Report

February 11, 1946

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The following is the number of Births, Deaths and Marriages recorded in this office during the year just past.

Births	144
Deaths	33
Marriages	23

CARL RANDLETT

Town Clerk



# Warrant for Annual Town Meeting

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SOMERSET, ss.

STATE OF MAINE

To Owen H. Rowe, a constable in the town of Hartland in the  
County of Somerset Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Hartland, in said county, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Opera House, in said town, on Monday, the eleventh day of March, A. D. 1946, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2—To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector, Superintendent of Schools, and other town officers

Art. 3—To see if the town will vote to adopt the Town Agent form of government for the ensuing year, authorize its selectmen to appoint such agent, fix his compensation and define his duties and to act upon anything relating thereto.

Art. 4—To choose all necessary town officers.

Art. 5—To see if the town will vote to elect one or more road commissioners for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends no.

Art. 6—To see if the town will vote to instruct its selectmen to appoint one or more road commissioners for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 7—To see if the town will vote to pay the State rate for laborers, foremen and trucks on any town work, and \$200.00 yearly for the selectmen, \$150.00 for town treasurer, \$50.00 for town clerk and \$50.00 for fire chief, the town agent's salary to be fixed by the selectmen. Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 8—To see what action the town will vote to take relating to the collection of taxes for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends same as for 1945.

Art. 9—To see if the town will vote to authorize its tax collector to allow a discount for the early payment of taxes. Budget committee recommends no.

Art. 10—To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and treasurer to make loans in anticipation of taxes and to issue notes therefor, or renewals thereof, in accordance with the provisions of Section 96 of Chapter 80 of the Revised Statutes of 1944.

Art. 11—To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell and dispose of the property acquired by the town by tax process, on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute quit-claim deeds for the same. Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 12—To see what action the town will vote to take regarding the purchase or acquisition of land for a cemetery. Budget committee recommends selectmen purchase necessary land and use the existing Pine Grove Cemetery funds.

Art. 13—To see what action the town will vote to take regarding acquiring land for a town dump. Budget committee recommends selectmen acquire.

Art. 14—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for pay of town officers for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends \$3,000.00.

Art. 15—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for miscellaneous town charges, including rent, repairs, etc. to town buildings, other than school buildings, for the ensuing year.

Art. 16—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for abatement of taxes for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends \$150.00.

Art. 17—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of the Fire Department for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends \$550.00.

Art. 18—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lighting for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends \$888.00.

Art. 19—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for hydrant rental and town uses for the ensuing year. Budget committee recommends \$500.00.

Art. 20—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for public health nursing in Hartland. Said sum to be expended for local health service, by the State Bureau of Health. Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 21—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs to roads and bridges, cutting bushes, etc., other than village streets. Budget committee recommends \$1,800.00.

Art. 22—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of village streets and bridges, applying bituminous surfacing, if possible, to such streets that have previously been so treated, and placing a wing on the southerly side of said raceway bridge. Budget committee recommends \$3,000.00.

Art. 23—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for snow removal, sanding highways, maintaining snow fences or anything relating to winter roads. Budget committee recommends \$2,500.00.

Art. 24—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for state aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways, and bridges) under the provisions of Section 25, Chapter 20, of the Revised Statutes of 1944. Budget committee recommends \$533.00.

Art. 25—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for third class road maintenance. Budget committee recommends \$467.00.

Art. 26—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for state aid highway maintenance. Budget committee recommends \$658.00.

Art. 27—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for removal of snow from sidewalks. Budget committee recommends \$50.00.

Art. 28—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for CHARITIES and CORRECTIONS. Budget committee recommends \$800.00.

Art. 29—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for EDUCATION, as follows: Common schools, School Repairs and Insurance, Superintendent's Salary, School Physician and School Committee.

Appropriation 1945	Budget Committee Recommends 1946	
\$10,000.00	Common Schools	\$12,000.00
570.00	Repairs and Insurance	600.00
500.00	Supt. Salary	555.00
125.00	School Physician	125.00
75.00	School Committee	75.00
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\$11,270.00		\$13,355.00

Art. 30—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of Hartland Free Library. Budget committee recommends \$500.00.

Art. 31—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day, any sums so appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Christopher G. Linn, Post No. 141, A. L. Budget committee recommends \$75.00.

Art. 32—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate, to be expended under the supervision of the Hartland Cemetery Association, so called, for general care of cemeteries. Budget committee recommends \$500.00.

Art. 33.—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for payment of interest on debt, in addition to the amounts collected as interest on taxes and liens. Budget committee recommends \$400.00.

Art. 34—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate, in addition to the final dividend of the Fidelity Trust Co. in the amount of \$628.29, for payment of school and refunding bonds maturing in 1946. Budget committee recommends \$3,371.71.

Art. 35—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for rent of school rooms at H. E. Randlett's. Budget committee recommends \$480.00.

Art. 36—To see if the town will vote to authorize its superintending school committee to contract with Hartland Academy, to furnish instruction to its high school pupils. Budget committee recommends no.

Art. 37—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to furnish instruction to its high school pupils. Budget committee recommends \$4,000.00.

Art. 38—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate to repair the Band Stand in Warren Square. Budget committee recommends \$200.00.

Art. 39—To see if the town will vote to continue with the capital reserve fund as directed under the provisions of Chapter 80, Section 130, of the Revised Statutes of 1944. Budget committee recommends yes, and that the sum of \$2,500.00 for a school building be transferred from surplus unencumbered funds, and invested.

Art. 44—To see if the town will vote to authorize the town clerk and moderator to appoint a committee of twelve citizens to cooperate with the selectmen and school committee in preparing and presenting at the next annual town meeting a budget for said meeting. Budget committee recommends yes.

Art. 45—To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to negotiate a ten (10) Year contract with the Hartland Water Company for improved fire protection. Budget committee recommends pass.

Art. 46—To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to maintain the right of way leading from North Street to the residence of William O. Brawn, said right of way being a strip thirty (30) feet in width. Budget committee recommends pass.

Art. 47—To see if the town will vote to direct the selectmen to appoint a Tax Collector for the ensuing year, and authorize them to fix the salary therefor.

Art. 48—To see what sum, if any, the town will vote for maintenance of equipment for the ensuing year.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above named hall and place on Monday, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.



Given under our hands this twenty-sixth day of February, A. D.  
1946.

LLOYD F. HUBBARD

PERCY BUTTERFIELD

IRVIN F. STEDMAN, SR.

Selectmen of Hartland

A true copy:

Attest: Owen H. Rowe

Constable of Hartland

INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS  
OF THE ARMED FORCES of U. S.

CHAPTER 28 PUBLIC LAWS OF 1945

AN ACT Relating to duties of Town Clerks as to Discharges of Soldiers and Sailors.

R. S., c 80, Sec. 24-A, additional.

Chapter 80 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 24-A, to read as follows:

Sec. 24-A. Discharges of soldiers and sailors. The discharge or release papers of soldiers and sailors who served in the armed forces of the United States in time of war or insurrection and have been honorably discharged therefrom or released from active duty therein, may be recorded with the clerk of the town of the holder's residence in books kept for the purpose, upon payment of a fee of 25c for each discharge or release so recorded. The clerk shall prepare and keep an index of the papers so recorded, and copies of such papers, if attested by him, shall be admitted as sufficient evidence thereof whenever they are otherwise competent.

CHAPTER 276 PUBLIC LAWS OF 1945

AN ACT Relating to Free Hunting and Fishing Permits for Veterans.

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 33, Sec. 19-B, additional. Chapter 33 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 19-B to read as follows:

Sec. 19-B. Veterans to have free hunting and fishing permits. A permit to hunt and fish shall be issued free of charge to a resident, who has not been dishonorably discharged in World War II from the armed forces of the United States of America, by the clerk of the town in which he or she resides. Such permits shall be valid for a period of 2 years from the date of discharge or for a period of 2 years from the official declaration of the termination of World War II by the United States Government, whichever is the later date. Holders of such permits shall be subject to all the laws of the state and the rules and regulations of the commissioner regulating hunting and fishing.

During the duration of World War II such free hunting and fishing permits shall be issued to men and women of the armed forces of the United States of America who are on furlough.





## *Preserve This Report*



A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of the voters in advance. It should be borne in mind that if copies are left at home there may not be a sufficient number at the hall to go around on town meeting day. This year or any year it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as issued. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you town meeting day morning.