1947

Annual Report of the Financial Condition and Receipts and Expenditures of the Town of Alfred Maine Together With The Reports of Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons Memorial Library For the Year Ending February 8, 1947

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ANNUAL REPORT
of the
FINANCIAL CONDITION
and the
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES
of the
Town of
ALFRED, MAINE
TOGETHER WITH THE REPORT OF
Selectmen, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Superintendent of
Schools, High School Principal, Supervisor of
Music, Alfred Fire Department, Directors and Librarian of Parsons
Memorial Library

For the Year Ending February 8,

1947

THE LINCOLN PRESS, SANFORD, MAINE
1947
TOWN OFFICERS

Town Clerk
DUDLEY T. FORREST

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
HERMAN J. SAYWARD   JOHN H. YUILL
FREDERICK A. HOBBS
(-second six months' term)

Superintending School Committee
EMERY S. LITTLEFIELD, JR. JAMES E. BRIGGS
ELIZABETH A. BEALS

Superintendent of Schools
MAYNARD E. WRIGHT

Treasurer
JAMES W. PLUMMER

Road Commissioners
THOMAS J. SCOTT   HAROLD HALL

Tax Collector
FREEMAN P. BILLINGS

Health Officer
DR. CARL E. RICHARDS

Constable
DUDLEY T. FORREST

Directors Parsons Memorial Library
CHARLES L. STEVENS   HERBERT B. FERNALD
MARION E. HEWY
HATTIE E. CLARK   MARY C. EMERSON
    DAVID H. WILSON
REPORT OF
BUDGET MEETING, FEBRUARY 26, 1947

$ 650.00 For Alfred Fire Department, plus the balance of $361.77.
1,600.00 For Water Service.
  25.00 For Park and Fountain.
  300.00 For Discounts and Abatements.
  400.00 For Cutting Bushes.
  Street Lights, no recommendation made, to be left open until town meeting.
1,500.00 For Highways and Bridges.
2,000.00 For Incidentals.
  600.00 Insurance on town property.
  968.70 Maintenance of State Aid Highway.
3,000.00 Opening Roads in Winter.
  350.00 For Parsons Memorial Library.
  100.00 For Public Health Nurse.
  25.00 For Public Health Officer.
  Recommended that $1,000.00, plus the unexpended balance for Repairs, Equipment, Insurance and Improvement of Schools.
  100.00 For Support of Poor.
16,500.00 For Support of Schools.

To see if the town will vote to install two fire escapes at school building.
To see if the town will vote to raise money for same.
To see if the town will vote to raise $500.00 to resurface and tar the road from State Highway No. 2 to Franklin Grant's.
To see if the town will vote to raise $500.00 to retar Brackett's hill, the road from E. C.
Ricker and Sons to Swett’s Bridge, the road from Embroidery Mill to Sam Thyng’s and from Percy Morrill’s to Grange Hall from State Highway No. 202—State Highway No. 111.
To see if the town will vote to raise $350.00 to resurface and tar Depot Street.
To see if the town will vote to raise $500.00 for State Aid Road No. 7.
To see if the town will vote to raise $1,066.00 for State Aid Road No. 8.
To see if the town will vote to raise $533.00 for State Aid Road No. 3.
To see if the town will vote to raise $100.00 for six cement settees for park.

Voted to adjourn,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Clerk.
Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

For the Municipal Year Ending February 8, 1947

Appropriated to Defray Town Expenses, State and County Taxes, Etc.

Alfred Fire Department .................. $ 500.00
Alfred Fire Department, new hose ..... 150.00
Alfred Water Co., hydrant rental ... 1,600.00
Care of Fountain and Park .............. 25.00
Cutting Bushes ............................. 400.00
Discounts and Abatements .............. 300.00
Electric Street Lights ................... 600.00
Highways and Bridges ................... 1,500.00
Incidentals .................................. 2,000.00
Insurance on town property (not in­cluding school) ......................... 600.00
Maintenance of State Aid Highways ... 968.70
Maintenance of Third Class Highway ... 472.00
Opening Roads in Winter ............... 3,000.00
Parsons Memorial Library .............. 350.00
Public Health Nurse ...................... 100.00
Public Health Officer .................... 25.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of Schools .................. 1,000.00
Support of Poor ........................... 100.00
Support of Schools ....................... 12,000.00
Veteran Aid Account ..................... 50.00

Total Appropriation ..................... $29,342.40
ANNUAL REPORT OF

State Tax ......................................... 4,274.33
County Tax ........................................ 770.42
Overlay ........................................... 1,423.89

Total to be Assessed $35,811.04
Excise Tax for 1945 $1,061.78
245 Polls for 1946 735.00
Surplus in Treasury 1945 3,979.13

$ 5,775.91

To be Assessed by Property Tax $30,035.13

VALUATION

Real Estate, Resident ................................ $303,413.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident ........................... 78,770.00
Personal Estate, Resident ........................... 49,806.00
Personal Estate, Non-Resident ........................ 60,389.00

Total Valuation ...................................... $492,378.00

Tax Rate .061.

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION, 1946

Owned by Veterans and Veterans' Widows $7,370.00
Exempt by Vote of Town:
Alfred Water Co. $1,290.00
Owned by Town of Alfred 690.00
Owned by United States Forestry Service 18,862.00

$28,212.00
INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Appropriated .......................................................... $2,000.00

Paid 1946:
Feb. 25  Elmer Goodrich, shoveling at hydrants ......................... 3.00
Feb. 25  Lincoln Press, printing town reports .......................... 160.75
Feb. 25  New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., office phone .. .40
Apr.  6  Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies ..................... 22.93
Apr.  6  Leavitt Insurance Agency, Treasurer Bonds ................... 10.00
Apr.  6  Leavitt Insurance Agency, Collector's Bond .................. 10.00
Apr.  6  Elsie Davis, Moderator, (March) .............................. 10.00
Apr.  6  George Crediford, care of town dump ......................... 6.00
Apr. 20  John G. Smith, discharging liens ............................. 3.50
Apr. 20  Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies .................... 5.00
Apr. 20  John W. Yates, janitor town hall ............................ 3.30
May  4  Central Maine Power Co., hall lights ......................... 7.57
May  4  Maine Municipal Association, annual service charge ....... 35.00
May  4  George Crediford, care of town dump ......................... 10.00
May  4  Dudley T. Forrest, destroying dog ............................ 2.00
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Dec. 30 | Jerry Gile, gravel                                                         | 9.80    |

$2,541.23
TOWN OF ALFRED

Rental Town Hall .................................. 25.00
Interest on War Bonds ............................ 12.50
State of Maine Bank Stock .................... 33.90
Railroad and Telegraph Stock ............... 52.45
J. W. Plummer, advertising ................ 15.00

$2,138.85

Overdraft ................................................ 402.38

$2,541.23

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated ..................................... $1,500.00
Harold Hall, refund second hand culvert ...... 2.00
Edward H. Emery, refund on tar, 1945 .... 125.00

$1,627.00

Thomas Scott

1946
Mar. 23 Payroll ................................... $ 210.27
Apr. 20 Payroll ..................................... 133.68
May 18 Payroll ..................................... 82.72
May 18 Payroll ..................................... 106.51
Jun. 15 Payroll .................................... 215.34

Total ............................................... $ 748.52

Harold Hall

1946
Mar. 23 Payroll ................................... $ 27.51
Apr. 20 Payroll ..................................... 35.08
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$1,627.00 $1,627.00

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**OPENING ROADS IN WINTER**

Thomas Scott

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REPAIRS ON TRACTOR

1946
Mar. 16 Billings Garage ......................$ 19.71
Mar. 23 Bracy's Garage .................... 7.30
Mar. 23 Scott's Garage, gas and labor 70.95
Mar. 23 Eastern Tractor Co., parts 71.61
Apr.  6 Eastern Tractor Co., parts 21.86
Apr.  6 Clark's Garage .................... 7.50
May  4 E. C. Ricker & Sons ............ 1.90
Dec. 14 Eastern Tractor Co., parts 10.60
Dec. 30 T. J. Scott, repairs and supplies 102.67
Dec. 30 T. P. Scott, storage of tractor 120.00

$ 434.10

One-half carried to each account on snow removal.

MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID HIGHWAY

Appropriated ........................................... $ 968.70
State Treasurer ........................................ 588.88

$1,557.58

1946
Feb. 25 State Treasurer ................$ 800.70
Dec.  3 State Treasurer ................ 961.90

Total ...........................................$1,762.60
Overdraft ........................................ 205.02

$1,762.60 $1,762.60

$800.70 was for maintenance in 1945 and should have been paid in that year.
MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROAD

Appropriated ........................................... $ 472.00
The above amount was transferred to State Aid Construction.

CUTTING BUSHES

Appropriated ........................................... $ 400.00
1946
Nov. 30 Harold Hall, Payroll ........ $ 57.50
Nov. 30 Harold Hall, Payroll ........ 48.89
Dec. 14 Harold Hall, Payroll ........ 45.00
Dec. 14 Harold Hall, Payroll ........ 40.50
Dec. 30 Harold Hall, Payroll ........  7.88

Total ........................................... $ 199.77
1946
Nov. 30 T. J. Scott, Payroll ........ $ 24.75
Dec. 30 T. J. Scott, Payroll .......... 21.00

Total ........................................... $ 45.75

Unexpended Balance ......................... $ 154.48

$ 400.00 $400.00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Appropriated ........................................... 100.00
Balance ............................................ 100.00

$ 100.00 $100.00
ANNUAL REPORT OF

VETERANS' AID ACCOUNT

Balance ........................................ $ 50.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated ................................ $ 350.00
1947
Feb. 8 Parsons Memorial Li-
$ 350.00  

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated ................................ $ 100.00
1947
Jan. 11 Arthur Lugee .................$ 100.00

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriated ................................ $ 25.00
1947
Feb. 8 Carl E. Richards, M. D. ......$ 25.00
TOWN OF ALFRED

ALFRED WATER COMPANY

Appropriated ...................................... $1,600.00
1946
Dec. 30 Alfred Water Company ...$1,600.00

$1,600.00  $1,600.00

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriated ...................................... $ 500.00
Transferred from Fire Department .................. 407.58

$ 907.58

1946
Mar. 23 S. B. Emery Co. ......................$  7.70
Mar. 23 W. R. Babcock ..................... 18.15
Mar. 23 John Gerry ......................... 16.00
Mar. 23 Forrest Clark .................... 30.50
Mar. 23 G. C. Downs .......................  7.52
Mar. 23 Central Maine Power Co. ....  4.30
Mar. 23 New England Telephone &
    Telegraph Co. ..........................  4.50
May 4 New England Telephone &
    Telegraph Co. .........................  4.40
May 4 John Gerry .......................... 16.00
May 4 Eastern Fire Equipment Co. ....... 46.52
May 4 Billings Garage ....................  3.40
May 4 John Gerry .......................... 17.50
May 4 Marshall’s Garage ..................  1.32
May 4 Central Maine Power Co. .......  3.25
May 18 Central Maine Power Co. .......  3.50
Jun.  1 Central Maine Power Co. .......  3.50
Jun. 15 Billings Garage ..................  1.04
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**TOWN OF ALFRED**

Feb. 8 New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. ........... 2.20
Feb. 8 Forrest Clark, stove .................. 140.95
Feb. 8 Billings Garage ..................... 1.98
Feb. 8 R. W. Littlefield, oil .............. 14.36
Feb. 8 John Gerry, janitor .......... 16.00

Total .............................................. $545.81
Unexpended Balance ......................... 361.77

$907.58 $907.58

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**ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**Purchase of Fire Hose**

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$152.00 $152.00

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$829.46
ANNUAL REPORT OF

1946
May 4  J. W. Plummer, Agent  $431.07
Mar. 23  H. E. Crooker, Agent  300.55
July 24  J. W. Plummer, Agent,
   tractor insurance  46.00
Dec. 30  J. W. Plummer, Agent
   truck insurance  12.33
   Unexpended Balance  39.51

$829.46  $829.46

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ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

Appropriated ....................................... $600.00
Paid Central Maine Power Co. ........ $431.23
Unexpended Balance ................... 168.77

$600.00  $600.00

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CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

Appropriated ....................................... $25.00

1946
Sept. 21  John W. Yates, care of
   park and hall grounds .......... $25.00
SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS

Appropriated for Schools $12,000.00
Appropriated for repairs and equipment 1,000.00
Received from Ralph Littlefield, tuition 36.00
Received from Henry Brock, tuition 36.00
Received from Allen Bickford, tuition 15.00
Received from Marjorie Littlefield 15.00
Received from State School Fund 4,362.20
Received from State Treasurer, School Maintenance 530.00
Repairs, Equipment and Insurance of School Building 3,139.49
Paid out for School Payrolls No. 1 to 26 inclusive 20,799.16

LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1946

May 7 Borrowed from Sanford Institution for Savings $4,000.00
Feb. 8 Paid above note $4,000.00
INTEREST ON LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

1946
July 27 Paid Sanford Institution for Savings ............... $17.67
Oct. 5 Paid Sanford Institution for Savings .............. 30.00
Dec. 30 Paid Sanford Institution for Savings ........... 30.00

1947
Feb. 8 Paid Sanford Institution for Savings .......... 13.33
Overdraft (No Appropriation) .................. 91.00

$ 91.00 $ 91.00

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Appropriated ....................................... $ 300.00

1946
Aug. 10 G. Burton Chadbourne ............... $ 3.11
Aug. 10 William Kallis ...................... 3.11
Aug. 17 Ralph Nickels ...................... 2.07
Aug. 17 Ralph Nickels ...................... 3.35
Aug. 17 Ralph Nickels ...................... 3.05
Aug. 20 Carl Eagle ......................... 3.35
Aug. 20 Alfred A. Wilson ............... 5.03
Aug. 20 John Fenwick ..................... 13.40
Oct. 5 Harry Varney ..................... 84.50

1947
Jan. 25 Helen Brock ....................... 4.58
Jan. 25 Charles Drown ................... 3.00
TOWN OF ALFRED

Jan. 25 Clifford Allen ................... 3.00
Jan. 25 Colby Ricker ..................... 3.00
Feb. 2 Harold Crawford ................... 3.00
Feb. 8 Henry Gay .......................... 3.00
Feb. 8 Paul St. George ................... 3.00
Feb. 8 Jacob Hanscom .................... 3.00
Feb. 8 Fred L. Jones ..................... 3.00
Feb 8 Donald Kimball ................... 3.00
Feb. 8 Ralph Nickels .................... 3.00
Feb. 8 George L. Roberts ................ 3.00
Feb. 8 Norman L. Storer ................ 3.00
Feb. 8 Ernest L. Willey ................. 3.00
Feb. 8 Alex Thompson .................. 3.00
Feb. 8 John Fenwick .................... 30.50
Feb. 8 Marcia Cluff, years 1939-1940, 1941, 1942 ... 289.11
Overdraft ................................... 187.16

$ 487.16 $487.16

STATE TAX

Assessment ................................... $4,274.33
1946
Dec. 30 Joseph H. McGillicuddy, State Treasurer ...... $4,274.33

COUNTY TAX

Assessment ................................... $ 770.42
1946
Oct. 19 Gladys Merrill, County Treasurer .......... $ 770.42
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STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 7

Appropriated ....................................... $ 500.00
Received from State ................................ 800.00

1946
Oct. 19 Payroll ...................................... $ 77.61
Nov. 16 Payroll ..................................... 103.17
Nov. 16 Payroll ..................................... 369.73
Nov. 23 Payroll ..................................... 735.29
Balance ............................................. 14.20

$1,300.00 $1,300.00

Dec. 30 Jerry Gile, 98 yards of gravel $9.80 was paid in payroll.
E. C. Ricker & Sons, 495 yards gravel paid after books closed.

TARRING BRACKETT HILL

Appropriation ....................................... $ 150.00

1946
Aug. 10 Eastern Tractor Co., tar...$ 67.38
Aug. 24 Payroll, Harold Hall .......... 59.25
Unexpended Balance ............... 23.37

$ 150.00 $ 150.00
MILLS ROAD TO SAM THYNG'S

Appropriated ....................................... $ 900.00

1946
May 18 Thyng Road .....................$ 324.89
Aug. 24 T. J. Scott, tarring ........ 317.63
Aug. 10 Eastern Tractor Co., tar .. 239.48
Unexpended Balance ......................... 18.00

$ 900.00 $ 900.00

SWETT BRIDGE ROAD—HOBBS ROAD

Appropriated ...................................... $ 300.00
F. A. Hobbs, 2nd ............................... 14.64

$ 314.64

1946
May 18 Swett Bridge Road .......... $ 122.33
Aug. 24 T. J. Scott ...................... 130.36
Aug. 10 Eastern Tractor Co., tar .. 60.65
Unexpended Balance ......................... 1.30

$ 314.64 $ 314.64

NUTTER ROAD

Sanford Institution for Savings by
Note ................................................ $ 600.00

1946
Nov. 2 T. J. Scott, Nutter Road {$ 560.02
Dec. 30  Sanford Institution for
Savings, interest on above
note ..................................... 2.75
Unexpended Balance ........ 37.23

$ 600.00  $ 600.00

A. C. CLARK ROAD

1946
May 18  T. J. Scott .................. $ 220.72
Overdraft, no funds .......... 220.72

RURAL ROAD—SPECIAL STATE FUND

1947
Jan. 21  From State Treasurer ........ $1,126.70
1946
Nov. 16  Harold Hall, labor .......... $329.50
Nov. 16  Leland Gile, gravel ........ 10.60
Dec. 30  T. J. Scott, gravel (paid
from Incidentals) .......... 57.60

1947
Jan. 11  T. J. Scott, labor .......... 797.70

$1,195.40
682 yards gravel had to be
paid for by town .......... 68.20

$1,127.20
Not Claimed ............. .50

$1,126.70  $1,126.70
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TREE SURGERY IN PARK

Appropriated ....................................... $ 100.00

1946
July 27 Stevens Tree Company ................ $ 75.00
Unexpended Balance ............................ 25.00

$ 100.00  $ 100.00

FLAG POLE

Appropriated ....................................... $ 150.00

1946
May 18 Sanford Water Co. ...................... $ 4.13
May 18 Donald Leighton ......................... 13.00
Jun. 15 Ralph Smilie ............................. 7.00
July 27 Saco Lowell Shops ..................... 2.16
July 27 Loring, Short & Harmon .............. 12.35
Dec. 14 F. G. Congdon, express ............. .55
Unexpended Balance ............................ 110.81

$ 150.00  $ 150.00

FOREST FIRES

No Appropriation.

1946
May 4 Received from State Treasurer ... $ 28.38
Sept. 12 Received from State Treasurer .... 9.24
1946
Apr. 20  Clough Fire  $ 56.76
July 27  North Alfred  18.48
Overdraft  37.62

$ 75.24 $ 75.24

OVERLAY
Assessed According to Law  $1,423.89

Overdrafts:
Incidental Account  $ 402.38
Snow Removal  129.71
Maintenance State Aid Road  205.02
Fire Department Hose  2.00
Interest on $4,000.00 Loan  91.00
A. C. Clark Road  220.72
Forest Fires  37.62
Abatements  187.16
Unexpended Balance  148.28

$1,423.89 $1,423.89

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF ALFRED

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$ 460.00
TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1946

Commitment Property Tax $30,035.16
Commitment Poll Tax 735.00

$30,770.16

Supplemental Property Tax $ 31.73
Supplemental Poll Tax 66.00

$ 97.73

Interest Collected 9/1/46 to 2/10/47 152.08

$31,019.97

Paid Treasurer $29,421.94
Discounts allowed according to vote 362.01
Abatements allowed by Assessors 170.85

$29,954.80

Uncollected Resident Taxes $ 793.71
Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes 271.46

$ 1,065.17

$31,019.97

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES

Real and Personal

Walter Babcock $ 50.33
Alfred Bernier 40.26
Charles H. Burns 32.64
C. Edwin and Phyllis Butler 31.50*
Herbert N. Chadbourne ............................................. 64.11
William DeMille .................................................. 27.45
Paul Garvin ........................................................... 129.01
Christopher Hussey, 2nd ......................................... 9.15
Harvey Hussey ...................................................... 112.68
Georgie Stearns ..................................................... 296.58

$ 793.71

UNCOLLECTED NON-RESIDENT TAXES

Real and Personal

Fred and Emma Bickford ........................................ $ 61.00
Herman D. Boston .................................................. 18.30
Mrs. Angelina M. Brown ........................................ 54.90*
Orrin Garland ...................................................... 4.58
Mrs. Ethel and Nancy Littlefield ................................ 40.87
Ralph C. Nowell .................................................... 6.10
Jennie Picken ....................................................... 5.80
Mrs. Florence Prescott ........................................... 30.50
George Robinson .................................................... 7.32
Staples and Anspough ............................................. 30.50
Alphonse Tanguay ................................................... 11.59

$ 271.46

* Star represents paid after book were closed.

Respectfully submitted,

F. P. BILLINGS,
Tax Collector.
COLLECTOR'S FINAL REPORT
FOR 1945 TAXES

As of February 10, 1946, there were outstanding:

Uncollected Polls ....................... $ 12.00
Uncollected Resident Real and Personal Taxes .................. 1,038.11
Uncollected Non-Resident Real and Personal Taxes ............ 443.88

$1,493.97

Plus Interest Collected 2/10 to 6/30/46 25.74

$1,519.71

Abatements Allowed by Assessors $ 52.90

Charles H. Burns, overtaxed on stock $10.72
Carl Eagle, no real estate 3.35
John Fenwick, error in tax 13.50
Ralph Nichols, no refrigerator 3.35
Theodore Porier, Spanish War Veteran 16.75
Alfred A. Wilson, in armed services 5.03

$52.90
TOWN OF ALFRED

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT REAL AND PERSONAL TAXES

Charles H. Burns ..................................$ 31.49
C. Edwin and Phyllis Butler ...................... 100.50
Liens filed with Registrar of Probate .......... 650.27
Treasurer’s Receipts since 2/10/46 ............ 684.75

$1,519.71

The face value of liens for 1945 handed to Town Treasurer amounted to $681.82 as follows:
Taxes covered 1945 as committed.............$ 650.27
Interest on liens, Sept. 1, 1945 to June 30, 1946 31.55

$ 681.82

W. A. SAYWARD,
Collector for 1945.

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAXES FOR 1938

Philip Edgecomb ..................................$ 3.00
Rupert Lord ....................................... 3.00
Chester McKenney ................................ 3.00
Rupert Lord ....................................... 3.00

$ 12.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAX FOR 1943

Ora Eastman .......................................$ 3.00

$ 3.00
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UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1938

Kenneth Leach (Balance Due) ........................................... $ 18.64
Rupert Lord ........................................................................... 1.45
Charles Yeaton ...................................................................... 10.44

$ 30.53

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1940

Kenneth Leach ...................................................................... $ 25.20
John B. Donovan ................................................................... 5.88
Wilmer Foltz .......................................................................... 5.60

$ 36.68

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1941

Kenneth Leach ...................................................................... $ 4.13
John B. Donovan ................................................................... 3.03
Thomas Guay ......................................................................... 4.46
Ralph Poole .......................................................................... 1.38

$13.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1942

Wilmer Foltz .......................................................................... $ 3.40
Ralph Poole ........................................................................... 1.70
Roscoe Morse .......................................................................... 1.70

$ 6.80
### UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1943

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<td>Norman Storer</td>
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Total: $52.16

Amount of back taxes collected in 1946: $157.07
Interest Collected: 22.92
Total: $179.99

H. J. KELLEY,  
Tax Collector for 1938, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943

### UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1939

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Total: $97.92

GRACE L. AKERS, Tax Collector, 1939.
UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1936

Held by Town

Boston, Herman ........................................ $  .94

No interest included after March, 1937.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1938

Held by Town

Newell, Ralph E. ..................................... $  5.90

No interest included after March, 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1939

Held by Town

Boston, Herman ..................................... $ 14.54

No interest included after March, 1940.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1940

Held by Town

Boston, Herman E. ................................ $ 17.40
Nowell, Ralph E. ....................................  5.80

$  23.20

No interest included after April, 1941.
UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1941

Held by Town
Boston, Herman .................................. $ 17.05
Nowell, Ralph E. .................................. 5.69

$ 22.74

No interest included after March, 1942.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1942

Held by Town
Nowell, Ralph E. .................................. $ 7.05

$ 7.05

No interest included after May, 1943.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1943

Held by Town
Allaire, Wilfred .................................. $ 13.31
Boston, Herman D. .................................. 19.96
Nowell, Ralph .................................. 6.66
Paul, Esther D. .................................. 4.66

$ 44.59

No interest included after May, 1944.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1944

Boston, Herman D. .................................. $ 18.90
Littlefield, Ed. I. Estate .................. 42.21
Nowell, Ralph E. ...................  6.30
Paul, Esther D. .......................... 4.41
Tanguay, Alphonse ........................ 11.97

$ 83.79

No interest included after May, 1945.

These tax liens are resources held by the Town and not shown in the Treasurer’s Report.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN J. SAYWARD,
JOHN H. YUILL,
Selectmen.
TOWN OF ALFRED

TREASURER'S REPORT

TOWN OF ALFRED

RECEIPTS

.1946

Balance ................................................. $ 6,118.42
Freeman P. Billings, Tax Collector
1946 Taxes, Real Estate, Personal
and Polls .............................................. 29,421.94
Freeman P. Billings, Excise Tax ... 626.86
Warren A. Sayward, 1945 Taxes ... 1,524.73
Warren A. Sayward, Excise Tax ... 49.18
Harry J. Kelley, Back Taxes ....... 179.99
Frederick A. Hobbs, Liens ........ 472.17
Liens ..................................................... 832.66

$39,225.95

Sanford Institution for Savings $ 4,000.00
Interest on Bond ................................. 12.50
Henry Brock, Tuition ......................... 36.00
Ralph Littlefield, Tuition .................. 36.00
Marjorie Littlefield, Tuition .......... 15.00
Allen Bickford, Tuition ...................... 15.00
Maynard E. Wright, Refund ............... 5.20
J. W. Plummer, Advertising .............. 15.00
School Department, Refund Insur-
ance ...................................................... 202.29
Harry L. Drew, Sale of Property .... 28.00
Harry E. Chadbourne, Sale of Prop-
erty ..................................................... 58.75
John Matherson, Sale of Property .... 275.00
Frederick A. Hobbs, 2nd, Refund .... 14.64
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Parents' Clubs ........................................ 15.58
Jack Yates, Hall Rent ............................... 10.00
John H. Yuill, Hall Rent ............................ 15.00
Harold Hall, Culvert ................................. 2.00
Sanford Institution for Savings .................... 600.00
Homer E. Crooker, Refund ........................... 27.17
Alfred Fire Department, Transfer .................. 407.58
Edward H. Emery, Refund ............................ 125.00

$ 5,915.71

State Treasurer

Highway Department ................................ $ 5,422.19
State School Fund ................................... 4,892.20
Refund .................................................. 87.87
Railroad and Telegraph Tax ......................... 52.45
Bank Stock Tax ....................................... 33.90
Forest Fires .......................................... 37.62

$10,526.23

Withholding Tax ...................................... $ 1,256.07
Teachers' Pension .................................... 201.06
Teachers' Retirement ................................ 205.63

$ 1,662.76

$57,330.65

EXPENDITURES

By Warrant ............................................ $54,245.67
Cash to Balance ...................................... 3,084.98

$57,330.65
### RESOURCES

One U. S. Government Bond ........ $ 500.00

1946 Tax Liens:

- Mrs. Georgia Stearns ..................... $ 338.52
- William Demille ...................................... 31.66
- Mrs. Angelina Brown ............................. 35.11
- Herman D. Boston ...................... 21.11
- Ralph Nowell ...................................... 7.04
- Estate J. H. Makin ..................... 12.06
- Mrs. Ethel Littlefield ....................... 47.13
- Herbert Chadbourne ............................. 66.83

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Interest and Costs not included in the above Liens.

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### Tax Deeds

Junkins, Alfred, dated February 2, 1929 ................ $ 19.26

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947
RECEIPTS, 1946

Balance .......................................... $3,122.66
Fidelity Dividend ................................... 105.72
A. B. Fernald, Sale of Books .................... 4.58
Newsweek Refund .................................... 1.50
Gaylord Bros., Inc. .................................. 4.75
The New York Trust Co. ............................ 84.98
State of Maine, Library Stipend ................... 35.00
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. ............... 150.00
H. B. Fernald, Silver Tea ........................... 7.15
H. B. Fernald, Sale of Books ...................... 5.77
Mrs. C. P. Milmine, for Books ..................... 30.00
Henry Parsons ......................................... 200.00
The New York Trust Co. ............................ 87.96
Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. ............... 150.00
Fines .................................................... 30.00
Sale of Book .......................................... 1.00
Town of Alfred ....................................... 350.00
Interest on Deposits ................................. 34.40

$4,404.47

EXPENDITURES

Paid by Order of Director ..................... $ 982.12
Cash Balance .................................... 3,422.35

$4,404.47

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947
OLD CEMETERY FUND
TREASURER’S REPORT

RECEIPTS, 1946

Balance ........................................ $1,842.84
Interest ......................................... 27.73

Balance ......................................... $1,870.57

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,
Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947
Board of Selectmen
Alfred, Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Chapter 16, Section 3, Revised Statutes of 1944 and at your request, the records of the Town of Alfred have been audited by Auditor F. A. Reichel for the period February 11, 1945 to February 11, 1946 inclusive.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards applicable in the circumstances and included all procedures which were considered necessary. Insofar as could be ascertained within the scope of the examination, the financial transactions of the town appear to have been appropriately handled with, of course, such exception as is noted in the comments.

Exhibits and schedules incorporated in this report impartially present the financial position of the town and the result of its operations for the period designated.

Comments and other data incorporated in this report may prove of interest to you. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Very truly yours,
FRED M. BERRY,
State Auditor.
COMMENTS
Re: Audit of Accounts—Town of Alfred
February 11, 1945 to February 11, 1946

An examination has been made of the books and records of the Town of Alfred for the municipal year ended February 11, 1946. During the examination a variation totaling $560.25 was noted in the accounts of the Tax Collector. Because of this variation, the accounts of the Tax Collector were brought up to August 12, 1946, the date of the audit. The variation then amounted to $887.72 and was settled in full by Mr. Warren Sayward, Tax Collector. A complete analysis of this variation may be found on Exhibit F of this report.

Cash
As far as could be ascertained, all monies received by the Treasurer had been correctly recorded and promptly deposited in the Sanford Trust Company. It was ascertained that all expenditures had been made by check and were authorized by warrants which had been signed by a majority of the Board of Selectmen. It was noted, however, that all disbursements were not supported by vouchers or payrolls. The cash balance of $6,166.97 as reflected by the records of the Treasurer reconciled with the bank statement dated February 18, 1946.

Balance per bank statement, February 18, 1946
Sanford Trust Co., Sanford, Me. .......... $7,054.83
Add—Cash on Hand .............................. .27

Total ............................................... $7,055.10
Deduct—Outstanding Checks .......... $ 888.13

Balance per Treasurer’s Records
February 11, 1946 ............................... $6,166.97
Accounts Receivable

The following were outstanding as accounts receivable at February 11, 1946:

State of Maine—Highway Department ........................................ $ 588.88
Warren Sayward—Tax Collector ........................................... 560.25

$1,149.13

These accounts have since been paid in full.

Taxes Receivable

The 1945 tax commitment was added and was found to agree with the valuation records and the warrant of commitment. All payments recorded as received were examined. It was noted that many accounts had not been properly credited and requests for verification were mailed to all outstanding tax accounts. All supplemental taxes and abatements were examined. A variation of $555.64 was noted in the accounts of the Tax Collector for the 1945 tax commitment. Because of this variation, the accounts of the 1945 Tax Collector were also examined for the period February 12, 1946 to August 12, 1946, the date of the audit. The 1945 tax commitment is summarized as follows:

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<td>Cash Receipts</td>
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<td>Taxes Receivable</td>
<td>1,525.24</td>
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1945 Tax Commitment ................................. $32,532.09  $32,532.09
The following variation was noted in the handling of the interest charges on 1945 taxes:

Interest collected from Marcia Shaw—2/1/46 ........$1.52
Cash paid to Treasurer ........................................ 1.00

Due from Collector (Exhibit F) ..........................$ .52

The excise tax collections were examined and the following variations were noted in the records of the Collector:

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<td>Cash Paid to Treasurer</td>
<td>698.77</td>
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Due from Collector—Receipts No. 424 and No. 436 (Exhibit F) ....$ 4.09 $ 4.09

These variations were settled in full by Mr. Warren Sayward on August 20, 1946.

Tax Liens
The tax liens were examined. It was ascertained that all payments recorded as received had been credited to the proper accounts.

Tax Deeds
There was no change in the tax deed account during the year under examination.

Investments
There was one $500 2½% Series G United States Savings Bond in the custody of the Treasurer. The interest of $12.50 was credited to General Government.
Special Funds

Parsons' Memorial Library ............................................. $3,122.66
Old Cemetery Account ..................................................... $1,842.84

The bank pass books representing savings accounts and the bank statement of the checking account of the Parsons' Memorial Library Fund were examined. An analysis of these funds may be found on Schedule A-6 of this report.

Accounts Payable

All items which were authorized for payment by warrants, but which had not been paid as of February 11, 1946, were set up as accounts payable.

Surplus

The surplus at February 11, 1946 was:
Appropriated .......................................................... $6,576.50
Unappropriated .................................................... $3,650.39

Total ..................................................................... $10,226.89

The appropriated surplus represents the net amount of all appropriation account balances or overdrafts which were carried forward to the 1946 municipal year.

The unappropriated surplus was decreased by $4,086.24 during the year under examination. The major factor contributing to this decrease was the transfer of $5,946.98 from surplus to certain appropriation accounts. An examination was made of the records of the Town Clerk but no record of a vote of the town authorizing this transfer was found.
General

The bonds of the Treasurer and Collector were examined. Each was bonded for $2,000 with the Maine Bonding and Casualty Company.

The accounts for the Fire Department were checked in detail and were in agreement with the statements shown in the town report.
### TOWN COMPARATIVE

#### February

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## OF ALFRED
### BALANCE SHEET

**11, 1946**

### LIABILITIES

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Total Liabilities and Surplus—General Fund

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TOWN OF ALFRED
STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS
YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 11, 1946

| EXHIBIT D |

| BALANCES |
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## General Government

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- Health and Sanitation: $116.65
- Highways and Bridges: $116.65
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TOWN OF ALFRED

ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS
YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 11, 1946

Unappropriated Surplus—February 11, 1945 .......... $ 7,736.63

Adjustments Affecting Prior Years:
Credits—
  Decrease to the Reserve Account .................. $  91.12

Charges—
  Adjustments on Tax Lien Settlement .............. 10.09

ADJUSTED SURPLUS .................................................. 7,817.66

Decrease:
  Transfer to Appropriation (Exhibit C) .............. 5,946.98

Increase:
  Appropriation Balances—
    Unexpended (Exhibit D) ............................$ 1,263.73
    Overdraft (Exhibit D) ..............................  646.27

  Overlay ......................................................  1,061.51
  Supplemental Taxes .....................................  100.74

  Total Increase ........................................... 1,779.71

NET DECREASE .................................................... 4,167.27

UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS—February 11, 1946 (Exhibit A) .......... $3,650.39
## TOWN OF ALFRED
### STATEMENT OF AMOUNT DUE FROM TAX COLLECTOR
#### August 12, 1946

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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.
ANNUAL REPORT OF

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Dudley T. Forrest, Clerk

Record of Deaths Commencing
March 1, 1946

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TOWN OF ALFRED

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Nov. 21 Hattie Morrison Littlefield at Springvale ..................................... 56 1 20
Nov. 30 Elizabeth Adeline Pease at Alfred ............................................ . 59 11 16
Dec. 20 Barry James Thompson, at Sanford ................................................. Minutes
Dec. 29 Mabel Lander Webster at Alfred 77 4 16
Jan. 12 Carrie Belle Leach at Alfred .......................................................... 79 5 27
Jan. 20 John Albert Siegars at Alfred ..................................................... 67 11 13
Jan. 30 Lona Small at Lynn, Mass. ............................................................ 83

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST
Clerk.

DOG LICENSES

Number of Dogs 98
Males 75
Females 9
Spayed Females 14

Amount Collected ............................................... $ 74.40
Paid Secretary of Agriculture .................................. $ 74.40

Respectfully submitted,

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Clerk.
To the Board of Directors of Parsons Memorial Library:

Gentlemen:

I present the following as the forty-second report of Parsons Memorial Library.

This year has been busier at the library, as the hours have been lengthened to coincide with the school’s new time schedule and many more books have been loaned to the pupils for reviews.

At the annual meeting Mrs. Carrol Beals was appointed assistant librarian, to take the place of the librarian, in case of enforced absence. We have added about one hundred and fifty-three new books during the year. About half of the number were given us through the generosity of different members of the Parsons family and several interested friends in town.

During the latter part of August and first of September the library was closed while being re-decorated and the lightning system improved. This was made possible through the generosity of Mr. Henry Parsons, who again has remembered us with a generous check.

Upon reopening the building, the general public was invited to a silver tea, with the added attraction of Mr. Adelbert Jakeman of Ocean Park, as guest speaker. Those attending pronounced the afternoon a most enjoyable occasion and hoped it would be repeated.

Members of the Parsons family have shown their continued interest by visiting us during the summer. Mrs. Charles Millmine presented us with a check, which more than completed a fund started several
years ago by the A. A. M. Class, towards a new dictionary, which has now been purchased.

A committee was appointed by the librarian to procure a speaker for Book Week, but no one being available, we were sorry not to make more observance of this special time, set aside for children. We did, however, have Book Week posters and an exhibition of some fine children's classics, sent from the State Library for the occasion.

Everyone speaks of the improved appearance of the library and I feel on the whole, this has been a satisfactory year.

I am still hoping sometime in the not too distant future, we may acquire the Encyclopedia Americana.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE R. HEWEY,
Librarian.

The following is a list of books added during the last year:

Agar, Herbert .................. A Time for Greatness
Anson, Peter F. .................. How to Draw Ships

Bach, Julian .................. America's Germany
Baldwin, Faith .................. The Heart Remembers
Bangs, Ella Matthews .......... The King's Mark
Barber, Elsie Oakes ............. The Wall Between
Bassett, Sara Ware .............. The Beacon
Battle, Florence ............... Jeremy Goes Fishing
Bauer, Florence Marvyne ...... Behold Your King
Bird, Dorothy Maynard ...... Mystery at Laughing Water
Bradley, Cliff ........................ Building the Small Boat
Brill, Ethel C. ......................... Madeleine Takes Command
Bronte, Charlotte ...................... Jane Eyre
Bristow, Gwen .......................... Deep Summer
Bristow, Gwen ........................... Tomorrow Is Forever
Burgess, Perry .......................... Who Walks Alone

Carroll, Lewis ........................ Alice's Adventures in Wonderland
Caruso, Dorothy ........................ Enrico Caruso
Cavannah, Frances ........................ Benjy of Boston
Cavanna, Betty .......................... Going on Sixteen
Chamberlin, Wm. Henry ................ The Russian Enigma
Chamberlain, Geo. Agnew........... Scudda-Hoo! Scudda Hay!
Cheney, Sheldon ................... Men Who Have Walked With God
Christman, Henry ...................... Tin Horns and Calico
Clapper, Olive Ewing ................. Washington Tapestry
Coffin, Robert P. Tristram ............. People Behave Like Ballads
Cole. G. D. and H. W. ................ The Murder at the Munition Works
Coleman, Satis ...................... Volcanoes New and Old
Comfort, Mildred H. .................... Peter and Nancy in the U. S. and Canada
Cooke, David C., Editor ............... Best Detective Stories of the Year
Curie, Eve ............................ Journey Among Warriors
Curtis, Muriel S. ...................... The Story of the Bible People

Daly, Maureen ........................ Seventeenth Summer
Daly, Maureen ......................... Smoother and Smarter
Daly, Shelia .............................. Personality Plus
Davis, Robert .......................... Gid Granger
Dern, Peggy ............................. Heart's Home
Donahey, Wm. ......................... Teenie Weenie Neighbors
Donahey, Wm. and Baker, Effie E. ......................... The Teenie Weenies
Duffield, Anne ................................ Repent at Leisure
Dyer, Caroline ........................... The Three Famous Ugly Sisters

Fast, Howard ........................................ The American
Faulkner, Edward H. ...................... Plowman's Folly
Fitts, Clara Atwood ... Jeremy Mouse and His Friends
Fitzpatrick, Kathleen ... They Lived in County Down
Foster, Elizabeth ........................................ The Islanders
Forester, C. S. .............. The Captain from Connecticut
Foster and Watt ................. Voices of Liberty
Funk, Chas. Earle, Editor ...... International Year Book

Gaddus, Peggy ......................................... Country Doctor
Galt, Tom .................................................... Volcano
Glmore, Beatrice V. .......... Beyond the Crystal Cave
Godden, Rumer .......................................... The River
Gould, R. E. .............................. The Yankee Storekeeper
Gould, John ............................ Farmer Takes a Wife
Graham, Shirley and Lipscomb, Geo. Dewey ....
.......................... Dr. Geo. Washington Carver
Graham, Elinor ........................................... Maine Charm String
Grenfel, Wilfred ....................... Down to the Sea
Grey, Zane ...................................... Shadow on the Trail

Hay, Ella H. ........................................ Happy Days on the Farm
Hill, Grace L. ......................... Bright Arrows
Hill, Grace L. ......................... More Than Conqueror
Hindle, Wilfred, Editor .......... We Were There
Howard, Warren .......................... Beloved Brat
Hull, Helen ................................................ Hawk's Flight
Hume, Edward ............................. Drs. East and Drs. West
Hylander, Clarence and Harding, Robert J. ...........
........................ An Introduction to Television

Ingersoll, Ralph ........................................ Top Secret
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James, Will ........................................ The Lone Cowboy
Jennings, John ...................................... The Salem Frigate
Jones, Mary Alice .................................. Tell Me About God
Jones, Elizabeth Orton .......................................................... Told Under the Stars and Stripes
Jong, Dola .............................................. Picture Story of Holland

Keene, Carolyn ..................................... Mystery of the Tolling Bell
Keyes, Frances Parkinson ......................... The River Road
Kitson, Harry Dexter .................................. Vocations for Girls
Kiviat, Esther ............................................... Paji
Klemper, John .......................................... Letter to Five Wives

Laxness, Haldor ...................................... Independent People
Lenski, Lois ........................................ Strawberry Girl
Lenski, Lois ............................................. The Little Fire Engine
Lehman, Rosamond .................................. Dusty Answer
Liebman, Joshua Loth .............................. Peace of Mind
Logan, Louise .......................................... Nurse Merton Comes Home
Loring, Emilie ......................................... Bright Skies
Lyons, Dorothy ........................................ Golden Sovereign

MacKay, Ruth ........................................ Just Like Me
Maughm, W. Somerset ................................ Then and Now
Marquand, John P. .................................. B. F.'s Daughter
Maurier, du, Daphne ................................ The King's General
McArdie, Dorothy ....................................... The Unforseen
McSwigan, Marie ....................................... Hi! Barney!
Miller, Helen Topping ................................ Wicked Sister
Miller, Helen Topping ................................... Shod with Flame
Mitchell, Edwin Valentine .......................................................... It's An Old New England Custom
Montgomery, Elizabeth Rider ......................... Great Medical Discoveries
Moore, Ruth ............................................ Spoonhandle
Morgan, Helen L. ...................................... Mistress of the White House
Nehru, Krishna .................................. With No Regrets
Norris, Kathleen .......................... Heartbroken Melody

O'Hara, Mary ............................... Green Grass of Wyoming
Osborne, Letitia Preston .................. Through Purple Glass

Page, Elizabeth ............................. Wilderness Adventure
Paschal, Nancy .............................. Clover Creek
Perenyi, Eleanor .............................. None Was Lost
Perkins, Frances ............................ The Roosevelt I Knew
Petersham, Maud and Miska ............... The Rooster Crows
Poole, Ernest .................................. The Great White Hills of New Hampshire

Porter, Catherine Anne ..................... The Leaning Tower
Post, Emily .................................. Blue Book of Etiquette
Pyle, Ernie .................................... Last Chapter

Rau, Santha Rama .......................... Home of India
Ray, Jim ...................................... The Story of American Aviation
Report of the Howard Com. ............... General Education in a Free Society
Rich, Louis Dickinson ...................... Happy the Land
Roche, de la Maza .......................... Return to Jalna
Russell and Briggs ........................ The Meaning of Democracy
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Scott, Col. Robert ........................... God Is My Co-Pilot
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Sheean, Vincent ............................. San Felicé
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Shiber, Etta .................................. Paris Underground
Silliman, Leland ............................. The Scrapper at Camp Blazing Rock
Sinclair, Jo .................................. Wasteland
Skinner, Chas. M. ............................................................
Myths and Legends Beyond Our Borders
Smith, Glanville ....................................................... Many a Green Isle
Smith, Lawrence Dwight ............................................ Adirondack Adventure
Snow, Edgar Rowe ..................................................... Pirates and Buccaneers of the Atlantic Coast
Snow, Edgar Rowe ..................................................... Famous Lighthouses of New England
Stevenson, Augusta ................................................ Ben Franklin, Printer’s Boy
Stoddard, Anne ........................................................ Topflight
Street, Alicia .................................................. The Land of the English People
Sues, Ilona Ralf ................................................ Sharks Fins and Millet
Sugrue, Thomas ................................................ Starling of the White House

Tarbell, Arthur Wilson ................................................ Cape Cod Ahoy
Taylor, Henry J. ..................................................... Men and Power
Towne, Charles Hanson ........................................ Jogging Around New England
Travers, P. L. ..................................................... Mary Poppins Opens the Door

Walker, Hattie A. ................................................ The Snow Children
Waldeck, Jo Besse ................................................ Jungle Journey
Ward, Arthur .................................................. The Hand of Fu Manchu
Webster’s New International Dictionary
West, Jessamyn ................................................ Friendly Persuasion
Welty, Eudora ................................................ Delta Wedding
White, Wm. Allen ................................................ The Autobiography of Wm. Allen White
Willison, Geo. F. ................................................ Saints and Strangers
Wolfe, Linnie Marsh ........................................ Son of the Wilderness (John Muir)

Yutang, Lin ................................................ With Love and Irony
REPORT OF THE
MAINE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

I herein submit a brief report of service rendered the Town of Alfred by the York County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the period beginning January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946.

During January, 36 students were given tuberculin tests. One reactor was found and X-rayed, also two previous reactors had chest X-rays in Sanford at the State Diagnostic Clinic. The diagnostic clinics are of great educational value as they guard the health of contacts; preventing the development of active TB, also prevent relapses in quiescent and arrested cases and reveal diagnosis; hence checking the spread of the disease in the community. The funds from the sale of the Tuberculosis Christmas Seals are helping to carry on the extensive work in case finding which is now in progress. No case finding program in the schools would be complete without including all school personnel.

Various health education material, including Facts About TB and Good Health practices were given to the school.

Vision and hearing tests given to all school children. Seventy-five high school and grades 5, 6, 7, and 8 were given hearing tests with the audiometer loaned to us by the Maine Public Health Association. Thirteen students were found to have hearing losses ranging from 6 to 16 per cent. Recommendations for corrections advised.
Two immunization clinics were held in the school building in May and June. Immunizing was done by Dr. Richards.

28 children were given smallpox vaccinations.
25 children were given diphtheria toxoid.

Annual inspections completed in all grades.

Number of pupils inspected .............................................. 137
Number pupils with no dental defects .............................. 57

Number pupils with the following defects:
- Teeth (deciduous) .............................................. 54
- Teeth (permanent) .............................................. 39
- Throat ............................................................. 14
- Vision ............................................................ 3
- Hearing ............................................................ 13
- Skin ................................................................... 2
- Evidence of Pediculi ........................................... 4

Corrections made during the year:
- Teeth ............................................................. 31
- Throat ............................................................ 3
- Vision ............................................................ 8
- Hearing ............................................................ 1

Several special inspections in school because of ringworm, scabies and other communicable diseases. Many field nursing visits made during the year.

With sincere thanks to Mr. Wright, Superintendent of Schools, A. A. M. Club, Red Cross, American Legion Auxiliary and the teachers who have been very generous with their time and efforts in assisting with the Health Program.

Respectfully submitted,

YORK COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS AND HEALTH ASSOCIATION

By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R. N.
Public Health Nurse.
To the Selectmen, Town of Alfred, Maine:

Since my return and reappointment as health officer by the Selectmen, two mild epidemics have visited Alfred, measles in 1945 and chickenpox in 1946. To the best of my knowledge almost every case of each was reported to me in person or by telephone. I appreciate the cooperation the townspeople have given in this situation.

The Public Health Nurse, Nellie P. Sawyer, R. N., has done valuable work in the school especially in arranging immunization clinics and in tuberculosis surveys. I wish to thank her for her cooperative spirit.

Robert T. Hardy has been reappointed plumbing inspector for 1946.

Only one nuisance dangerous to life and health was reported to me during the year. The owner of the property was notified and willingly took steps to remove the nuisance.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL E. RICHARDS, M. D.,
Local Health Officer.
REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of Alfred:

I herewith submit the annual report of schools:

There are 142 pupils registered in the elementary grades, classified as follows: Sub-primary, 23; Grade 1, 15; Grade 2, 20; Grade 3, 15; Grade 4, 12; Grade 5, 22; Grade 6, 14; Grade 7, 6; Grade 8, 15.

We have been fortunate this year in retaining all regular classroom teachers. Last fall Mrs. Helen Dolley resigned as supervisor of music. Thus far the position has not been filled. This fact is to be regretted. However, teachers of school music who will teach in the smaller systems are difficult to obtain. Possibly a union or two or more neighboring towns could make the position of music supervisor sufficiently attractive to induce full time, qualified teachers to accept the position.

Due to labor and material shortages we have not accomplished all we had hoped to in the matter of repairs and improvements. This accounts for the substantial balance in the repairs account.

We have been able to finish the interior painting; made some improvement in the heating, where more radiation was necessary; equipped the lunchroom with tables and benches; and purchased new window shades, some of which are still on order. The pipe for supplying a larger amount of water for fire protection has been purchased but has not been laid. We have been unable to do anything regarding improvement
of the lighting system beyond having a survey made and a plan submitted.

We are making a recommendation this year that fire escapes be installed. Although the building conforms with the law in that it has “two separate means of egress,” we feel that these exits are so located that both could be cut off by fire at the same time. This matter should be given your serious consideration.

Two bills relating to increase in teachers’ salaries are before the present legislature. One proposes a yearly minimum salary of $1,500. The other provides for a salary range from $1,000 to $2,000 depending upon the number of years training a teacher has had. In anticipation of the passage of one of these bills, it will be necessary for the town to be prepared to meet this situation.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers, the committee, and all those who have helped in any way to make the school year a profitable one.

Respectfully submitted,

MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

To the School Board, the Superintendent of Schools, and the Citizens of the Town of Alfred, I submit the following report:

School opened on Monday, September 9th, with an enrollment of 12 boys and 24 girls—making a total of
36 pupils. One pupil enrolled on October 10th and since then 5 pupils have left school—leaving a final enrollment of 32 pupils. By classes this is: 7 seniors, 2 juniors, 11 sophomores, and 12 freshmen.

The College Preparatory Course and the General Course have been offered this year. Nine students are taking the College Preparatory Course; the remaining students are taking the General Course.

This year we have had periodic assemblies with guest speakers who spoke on subjects covering a broad field. The speakers and their subjects were:

Work as a Commando—George Townsend
Radar—George Willard
The Court System of Maine—Judge Edward S. Titcomb
Historic Mansions of York County—Mary Carpenter Kelley
Soil Conservation Motion Pictures—Delbert S. Moody
The Christmas Story—Rev. Frederic Charrier
The Work of the Experimental Forest Service—C. A. Bickford
The Other Fellow—Rev. Charles Stevens
Ann Hathaway's Cottage, Shakespeare's Home and Memorial Theatre—Miss Lillian W. Gould.

The visual educational program has been handicapped this year due to the fact that our projector is not in suitable working condition. We have shown several films by borrowing a projector from Water-
The students have participated in all of the extracurricular activities of the Central York County League and have made a creditable showing in all events. All teams showed a decided improvement over last year and next year should be a winning year for most of the sports teams. Events in which the students have participated are: horseshoes, checkers, spelling, basketball, public speaking, baseball, track and softball.

We have been handicapped in music this year due to the resignation of the music supervisor. The high school is indebted to Mrs. Josephine Gould for the time that she has given to help with music. It is hoped that a trained music supervisor may be obtained to teach in the schools of this union.

I want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Superintendent of Schools, School Board, Teachers, Selectmen, townspeople and to the students for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM W. ROBERTS,
Principal.
The school lunch program during the current year, supported as it has been, by its sponsors, the Parents' Club, the United States Department of Agriculture, and the Town of Alfred, has made phenomenal growth. During the 13 weeks from November 12, 1946 to February 14, 1947, 6,650 meals were served, 518 of which were free. During the corresponding period of the preceding year 3,398 meals were served. An average of 125 pupils besides the teachers now take lunch daily.

The total cost of food and labor for the above 13 weeks was $1,773.50, while the total income was $1,244.25 for meals plus $561.96 from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, or $1,806.21. In other words there was a difference of only $32.71 between income and expenditure. Incidental expenses are taken care of by the so-called emergency fund which comprises the sum of $187.78 carried over from last year plus the proceeds of money-earning projects of the Parents' Club. This organization has, for example, put on three suppers this year for the York County Poultrymen's Association and earned $169.66. Two were served in Conant Memorial Chapel and the third in the school lunchroom using the regulation compartment trays, and all were under the management of Mrs. Carl N. Hanson.

The work of the treasurer for the lunch program, Mrs. Arthur A. Gould, entails much involved accounting, as every meal must be listed and paid for in order to figure the amount due from the government on the basis of nine cents per meal. As lunches are available at three different rates, 75 cents weekly for pupils from
the sub-primary to the fifth grade, $1.00 from the fifth grade through high school, and $1.50 weekly for the teachers, bookkeeping is complicated. Mrs. Gould also pays all bills for foods and supplies. No reduction in rates because of absence can be made as the expense of food and labor is unvarying.

It is the policy of the Parents’ Club to divide its buying equally between the two local grocery stores and that it has done so successfully is shown by the treasurer’s accounts; Grover C. Downs will have received the business for 32 days and John A. Roberts for 32 days by the end of February. Pasteurized milk is bought from the Badger Farms Creamery, apples from the Henry W. Brock storage plant, eggs from Paul Garvin, carrots from Carl Clark and chicken from Edgar P. Moulton, all local people. Certain amounts of some foods have been given the school by the Produce and Market Administration. These included 3,000 pounds potatoes, 300 pounds onions, and a half dozen No. 10 cans of beets.

A large amount of canned fruits and vegetables resulted from the work of the school canning project last season under different leaders. Mrs. Percy F. Morrill and her assistants put up 3½ bushels of peaches and one bushel of pears; Mrs. Harold R. Hall five bushels tomatoes; Mrs. Carl N. Hanson three bushels apples, and Mrs. James E. Briggs five bushels corn. The canning was done in the school kitchen with modern canning implements. When the corn was put up Mrs. Briggs had the assistance of several of the men whose wives are active in the Parents’ Club, Jerry A. Gile, William Schlipp, James E. Briggs and Delbert L. Moody.

These men and others volunteered to paint the floor
of the new lunch room in the school basement just before the program was started in the fall, and as an incentive they were served an oyster supper by the Parents' Club the evening of the painting. The paint was donated. This lunch room, now heated and furnished with tables and benches, does away with the carrying of the trays to their desks by the pupils, as was formerly done.

Two full-time workers are now employed to cook and serve the lunches, Mrs. James J. Momna and Mrs. Clifford Nutter. The two small gas ranges in the kitchen were turned in toward a large restaurant size range costing $289.00, $150.00 of which was paid by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and 50 more compartment service trays have been purchased. A further gift from the Department of Agriculture is soon to be forthcoming as a requisition for a water heater, a vegetable slicer and shredder and a supply of stainless steel forks and spoons, the whole amounting to $197.69, has just been approved by Harold E. Carsons, head of the School Lunch Program of the State of Maine.

Mr. Carson inspected the kitchen, lunch room, and equipment on February 4, and expressed approval of the entire set-up, commending the tray service particularly. The lack of hot water in the kitchen was of course, a serious deficiency for reasons of convenience and sanitation.

The York County Tuberculosis and Health Nurse, Nellie P. Sawyer, of Limington, who has been a guest of the Parents' Club at lunch, has made the following statement in regard to the value of the school lunch program: "Children especially need three square meals a day. Eating inadequately results in irritability, fatigue, and physical defects. The adequate school
lunch now being served in Alfred is of high vitamin value and affords an effective means of teaching and improving health and eating habits.

"The hot dish, supplemented with fruit, milk, nutritious sandwiches, and properly prepared vegetables, is nicely served and supervised and is enjoyed by the children. I can see, as a result of the lunch, that they are doing better work and that the general health of the students is improved throughout the school."

The Parents' Club now has 31 members and would welcome newcomers not only as members but as workers on the executive board. The club wishes, in presenting this report to the citizens of Alfred, to thank them all for their continued interest and help in making the lunch program available.

Respectfully submitted,

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF
THE PARENTS' CLUB.

(Written for the Parents' Club by
MARY CARPENTER KELLEY)
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SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Resources

Balance, 1946 ........................................ $2,327.44
Appropriation, March, 1946 .................. 12,000.00
State School Fund ......................... 4,362.20
State Equalization .......................... 530.00
Tuition:
  Ralph Littlefield ........................... $ 36.00
  C. Allen Bickford ....................... 15.00
  Henry W. Brock ......................... 36.00
  Marjorie Littlefield ................. 15.00

  ........................................ 102.00

Refund, The Macmillan Co. ................... 5.20

Total Resources ................................... $19,326.84

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Balance, February, 1947 .......................... 1,038.23

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ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

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| Shepard & Morse Lumber Co. | $5.90 $5.00 |
| H. Albert Roberts | 429.24 426.61 |

Total .................................. $435.14 $431.61 $866.75

Janitor Service

| Everett Kimball | $942.50 $728.50 |
| Kenneth Yates | 10.00 5.00 |

Total .................................. $952.50 $733.50 $1,686.00
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Conveyance
Elementary Secondary
Roscoe Hussey .................. $1,202.50
Harold Hall ..................... 1,062.00
Everett Kmball ................ 329.00
Elwin Morey .................... 31.00
Dorothy W. DeBertram ....... 10.00
Leavitt Ins. Agency ............ 75.46
Homer E. Crooker Ins. Agency .. 18.85

Total ........................................ $2,728.81

Tuition
Town of Sanford ................... $1,000.00

Text Books
Elementary Secondary
Gledhill Bros., Inc. ............. $ 4.62
Silver Burdett Co. .............. 2.93
Frontier Press Co. of Boston .... 17.60
Scott, Foresman & Co. ........ 34.40
Rand McNally Co. ............. 52.12
F. A. Owen Pub. Co. ........... 30.00
American Book Co. ............. 25.13
American Ed. Press ............ 13.60
The Arlo Pub. Co. ............. 25.04
Ginn & Co. ......................... 12.78 $ 80.89
The Macmillan Co. ............ 8.25 10.35
World Book Co. ................ 12.19 8.32
The National Geog. Society .... 3.50
Sam Fox Pub. Co. .............. 10.87
Boston Herald-Trav. Corp. ..... 4.45
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TOWN OF ALFRED

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D. K. Hammett & Co. ................................. 123.23

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Total Expenditures ..................................... $2,077.22
Balance, February, 1947 ............................. 1,062.07

$3,139.29

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

Appropriation, March, 1946 ......................... $ 433.33
Paid Maynard E. Wright ........................... 433.33

SUMMARY

Resources

School Account ........................................ $19,326.84
Repairs Account ....................................... 3,139.29
Superintendence Account ........................... 433.33

Total Resources for all School Purposes ........ $22,899.46

Expenditures

School Account ........................................ $18,288.61
Repairs Account ....................................... 2,077.22
Superintendence Account ........................... 433.33

Total Expenditures for all School Purposes .... $20,799.16
Balance on all School Accounts ................... 2,100.30

$22,899.46
TOWN OF ALFRED

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

County of York, ss.

To Dudley T. Forrest, a constable of the Town of Alfred, said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town of Alfred, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Town House in said Town on the fifteenth day of March 1947 A. D. at Ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following Articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector, Superintendent of Schools, Road Commissioners, Town Clerk, and other town officers.

Article 3. To elect a Town Clerk, three Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, one member Superintending School Committee for three years, Town Treasurer, Road Commissioners, Tax Collector, Constable, two Directors Parsons Memorial Library for three years.
Article 4. To see if the town will vote to elect a Road Commissioner or Commissioners as per Section 16, Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes of 1930, not exceeding three and proceed to elect the same.

Article 5. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for purchase of fire hose for Alfred Fire Department.

Article 6. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for maintenance of Alfred Fire Department.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for hydrant rental and town water service as per contract with Alfred Water Company.

Article 8. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for care of Fountain and Park.

Article 9. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Discounts and Abatements for the ensuing year.

Article 10. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Street Lighting.

Article 11. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of Highways and Bridges.
Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise money by tax assessment and appropriate for construction of State Aid Roads in addition to the amounts regularly raised for Ways, Highways and Bridges under the provisions of Section 25 and 29, Chapter 20, R. S. 1944 as amended.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $1,066.00 for State Aid Construction No. 8.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of $533.00 for State Aid Construction No. 3.

Article 15. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for repairing, resurfacing and tarring the road from Oak Street to old Boston and Maine Depot.

Article 16. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate to go with the money the State may furnish to be used on Road No. 7 known as Gile Road.

Article 17. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Incidental Expenses.

Article 18. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Insurance on Town Property.

Article 19. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Maintenance of State Aid Highways.
Article 20. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Opening Roads in Winter.

Article 21. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Parsons Memorial Library.

Article 22. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Repairs, Equipment, Insurance and Improvements on School Buildings.

Article 23. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Support of Elementary and Secondary Schools including salary and tuition.

Article 24. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Nurse.

Article 25. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for the services of a Public Health Officer.

Article 26. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Relief for the Poor.

Article 27. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for War Veterans' Aid Account.

Article 28. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for Cutting Bushes.
Article 29. To see if the Town will vote, raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 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 Maine.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote, raise and appropriate a sum of money to erect a suitable permanent memorial for World War veterans of Wars No. 1 and 2 and to fix that sum.

Article 31. To see if the Town will take action to determine the dates between which service with the armed forces of the United States for World War 2 shall entitle one's name to be inscribed on such Memorial.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote the sum of $50.00 to pay for writing up new valuation book.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to install two fire escapes on High School Building.

Article 34. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for fire escapes.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to resurface and tax the road from State Highway No. 8 to Franklin Grant's.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $500.00 to
retar the Brackett Hill Road from E. C. Ricker & Sons to Swett's Bridge, road from old Embroidery Mill to Sam Thyng's, and from Percy Morrill past Grange Hall, also from State Highway No. 202 to State Highway No. 111.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,00.00 to purchase six cement setters for the park.

Article 38. 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 from taxes.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to accept the steel flag pole erected on the Park as a permanent pole.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to increase salary of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer $100.00 each.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Collector of Taxes three-fourths of one per cent of the total collection of taxes.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount of 2% on all taxes paid within 30 days after commitment.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest on all taxes unpaid on September 1st until paid and to fix the amount.
Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of property acquired by the Town by tax process and execute quit claim deeds in behalf of the inhabitants of the Town of Alfred for such property.

Article 45. To see what sum of money, if any, the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate for resurfacing and tarring the road known as "Nutter Road," from State Road No. 111 at Conrad Roux by petition of Clifford Nutter and nine others.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise by tax assessment and appropriate the sum of $600.00, being money borrowed on note by vote at special meeting held in 1946. Money used on Nutter Road.

Article 47. To see if the Town of Alfred will instruct its Selectmen to either approve and allow, or disapprove and disallow on merits of type, architecture, beauty, location, public health and public comfort any and all future construction or remodeling of any home, mercantile building, barn, hovel, shed, garage and/or related structures and cause to be removed any of the aforementioned future construction built without approval of the Selectmen within the following described boundaries to wit: beginning at the highway bridge over the Middle Branch of the Mousam River near the Shepherd & Morse Lumber Company, thence northerly by the North Berwick road, so-called, to the Sanford Road, so-called; thence westerly by the Sanford Road to the Boston & Maine Railroad; thence by the said railroad in an easterly direction to the Massabesic River, so-called; thence southerly by the said Massabesic River to its confluence with the Middle Branch of the Mousam River; thence
in a westerly direction by the Middle Branch of the Mousam River to the point of beginning, until such time as a committee of five citizens of Alfred, including the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, shall report at the next regular town meeting on the advisability of the Town of Alfred creating and adopting zoning and building laws, so-called.

Article 48. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above-named hall and place of meeting on Saturday, March 15, 1947, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of Voters, from 9:00 o'clock A. M. until the polls are closed. Polls will be open for voting at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

HERMAN J. SAYWARD,
JOHN H. YUILL,
Selectmen of Alfred.

DUDLEY T. FORREST,
Constable of the Town of Alfred.