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ANNUAL REPORT

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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. HEWEY

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 in- cluding 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

State Tax	4,274.33
County Tax	770.42
Overlay	1,423.89
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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
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	\$ 5,775.91
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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
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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
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	\$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

May 4	Lucy Lander, filing 115 abstracts	57.50
May 4	John A. Roberts, office supplies	1.61
May 18	Pauline Donovan, copying valuation book	50.00
May 18	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	2.73
Jun. 1	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	1.50
Jun. 15	Arthur Merrifield, tuning hall piano	5.00
Jun. 15	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	10.00
Jun. 15	Sumner Ricker, repairs lawn mower	1.25
Jun. 15	George Crediford, care town dump	10.00
Jun. 15	Loring, Short & Harmon, collector's supplies	3.00
Jun. 15	Margaret Hardy, ballot clerk	5.00
Jun. 15	Alice Emery, ballot clerk	5.00
July 24	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., office phone20
July 27	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	8.65
July 27	Lincoln Press, collector's supplies	18.25
July 27	Dudley T. Forrest, attendance officer	2.00
July 27	John G. Smith, recording 11 tax liens	5.50
July 27	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	3.32
July 27	Kenneth Yates, care town dump	6.00

July 27	S. B. Emery Co., window shades for hall	27.00
July 27	Walter Davis, placing flags on soldiers' graves and making new list	17.00
July 27	Marks Printing House, collector's supplies	8.50
July 27	Agnes Allen, ballot clerk, June	5.00
July 27	Elizabeth Beals, ballot clerk, June	5.00
July 27	Lester Roberts, election clerk, June	5.00
July 27	Harry Drew, election clerk, June	5.00
July 27	John H. Yuill, services, June	5.00
July 27	Frederick Hobbs, 2nd, services June primaries	5.00
July 27	Dudley T. Forrest, clerk, June primaries	5.00
July 27	H. J. Sayward, services, June primaries	5.00
Aug. 10	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	1.50
Aug. 10	Kenneth Yates, care town dump	17.30
Aug. 10	Frederick A. Hobbs, 2nd, part salary	87.50
Aug. 24	Lincoln Press, 200 tax summons blanks	6.50
Aug. 24	John H. Yuill, part salary ..	75.00
Sept. 7	Kenneth Yates, care of town dump	18.20
Sept. 7	John A. Roberts, supplies	2.10
Sept. 21	Sanford Tribune, advertising sale	11.76

Sept. 21	Harry Drew, election clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Lester Roberts, election clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Elizabeth Beals, ballot clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	Agnes Allen, ballot clerk, September	5.00
Sept. 21	George H. Williams, deputy clerk	5.00
Sept. 21	John H. Yuill, services, Sep- tember	5.00
Sept. 21	H. J. Sayward, services, Sep- tember	5.00
Sept. 21	Wilbur Carpenter, patching Depot Street	12.00
Sept. 21	John W. Yates, janitor hall	4.95
Oct. 5	Dudley T. Forrest, destroy- ing dog	2.00
Oct. 19	Forrest Clark, labor and sup- plies (hall)	7.48
Oct. 19	State Treasury Department, auditing books, 1945	321.80
Nov. 2	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	3.00
Nov. 16	Kenneth Yates, care town dump	12.70
Nov. 16	John W. Yates, janitor town hall	9.95
Nov. 30	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	1.68
Nov. 30	Robert Hardy, wood for hall	18.00
Nov. 30	H. J. Sayward, part salary	100.00
Dec. 14	Sanford Trust Co., imprint- ing treasurer's checks	4.48

Dec. 14	Kenneth Yates, gravel town dump	39.20
Dec. 30	Roscoe Butler, sealer	5.00
Dec. 30	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	3.08
Dec. 30	David Knight, shoveling out hydrants	4.00
Dec. 30	T. J. Scott, Mountain Road, 576 yards gravel	57.60

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Jan. 11	David Knight, shoveling out hydrants	4.00
Jan. 11	Forrest Clark, draining hy- drant at dump	2.25
Jan. 11	John G Smith, discharging liens	1.06
Jan. 11	John W. Yates, janitor at hall	5.30
Jan. 11	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., office phone	.15
Feb. 8	J. W. Plummer, treasurer ..	150.00
Feb. 8	J. W. Plummer, treasurer, postage, telephone expense, signing liens	37.37
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, clerk's salary	50.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, constable salary	18.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, attend- ance officer	5.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, destroy- ing dog	2.00
Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, postage and telephone	16.11

Feb. 8	Dudley T. Forrest, vital statistics	20.55
Feb. 8	T. J. Scott, fire warden	25.00
Feb. 8	John H. Yuill, balance salary	118.75
Feb. 8	H. J. Sayward, balance salary	143.75
Feb. 8	Freeman P. Billings, salary collector	202.71
Feb. 8	Freeman P. Billings, excise tax collector salary	75.00
Feb. 8	Freeman P. Billings, postage and telephone	24.46
Feb. 8	Central Maine Power Co., hall lights	2.10
Feb. 8	Frederick Hobbs, legal services	114.50
Feb. 8	Kenneth Yates, care of dump	9.50
Feb. 8	Warren A. Sayward, postage, stationery, balance collector 4 liens, 1945	25.63
Feb. 8	W. J. Mack, mowing lawn between church and hall	3.00
Feb. 8	Mary C. Kelley, election clerk, March 1946	5.00
Feb. 8	James Briggs, salary S. S. Com.	10.00
Feb. 8	Emery S. Littlefield, salary S. S. Com.	10.00
Feb. 8	Elizabeth Beals, salary S. S. Com.	10.00
1946		
Dec. 30	Jerry Gile, gravel	9.80

\$2,541.23

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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
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	\$2,138.85
Overdraft	402.38
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	\$2,541.23

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriated	\$1,500.00
Harold Hall, refund second hand cul- vert	2.00
Edward H. Emery, refund on tar, 1945	125.00
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	\$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
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Total	\$ 748.52

Harold Hall

1946	
Mar. 23 Payroll	\$ 27.51
Apr. 20 Payroll	35.08

Apr. 20	Payroll	92.32	
May 18	Payroll	161.12	
May 18	Payroll	148.94	
Jun. 15	Payroll	101.98	
Aug. 24	Payroll	47.76	
Nov. 2	Payroll	48.38	
Nov. 2	Payroll	122.14	
	Total	\$ 785.23	
	Balance	\$ 93.25	
			\$1,627.00 \$1,627.00

OPENING ROADS IN WINTER

Thomas Scott

1946			
Mar. 16	Payroll	\$ 40.88	
Mar. 16	Payroll	149.77	
Mar. 16	Payroll	55.86	
Apr. 20	Snow Fence removal	19.10	
Sept. 7	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	32.10	
Nov. 30	Snow Fence	44.87	
Dec. 30	Payroll	19.20	
Dec. 30	Payroll	114.90	
1947			
Jan. 11	Payroll	356.05	
Jan. 25	Payroll	117.60	
	One-half cost of repairs and storage of tractor	217.05	
	Total	\$1,167.38	

Harold Hall

1946

Feb. 25	Payroll	\$ 23.50
Feb. 25	Payroll	428.49
Mar. 23	Payroll	209.68
Apr. 20	Snow Fence removal	52.05
Sept. 7	W. H. Shurtleff Co., salt	32.09
Nov. 16	Snow Fence	190.80
Dec. 14	Snow Fence	23.39
Dec. 30	Payroll	122.51

1947

Jan. 11	Payroll	268.63
Jan. 11	Payroll	75.00
Jan. 11	Payroll	51.38
Jan. 25	Payroll	58.20
Jan. 25	Payroll	59.75
Jan. 25	Payroll	256.02
Feb. 8	Payroll	49.75
Feb. 8	Payroll	85.65
	One-half cost of repairs and storage of tractor	217.05

Total	\$2,203.94
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Appropriated by Town	\$3,000.00
T. J. Scott, Payroll	\$1,167.38
Harold Hall, Payroll	2,203.94
	<u>\$3,371.32</u>

State Treasurer, refund from High- way Department	\$ 241.61
Overdraft	129.71
	<u>\$3,371.32</u>
	\$3,371.32

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 sup- plies 102.67
Dec. 30	T. P. Scott, storage of trac- tor 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
	\$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

VETERANS' AID ACCOUNT

Balance \$ 50.00

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Appropriated \$ 350.00

1947

Feb. 8 Parsons Memorial Li-
brary \$ 350.00

\$ 350.00 \$ 350.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Appropriated \$ 100.00

1947

Jan. 11 Arthur Lugee \$ 100.00

\$ 100.00 \$ 100.00

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

Appropriated \$ 25.00

1947

Feb. 8 Carl E. Richards, M. D. \$ 25.00

\$ 25.00 \$ 25.00

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

Jun. 15	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.25
July 27	Marshall's Garage	1.49
July 27	John Gerry	16.00
July 27	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
July 27	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Aug. 10	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Aug. 10	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
Oct. 19	G. C. Downs25
Oct. 19	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.55
Oct. 19	Central Maine Power Co.	3.50
Oct. 19	Dudley Forrest	2.00
Oct. 19	Billings Garage	6.79
Oct. 19	Marshall's Garage	2.50
Nov. 16	Bracy's Garage	3.25
Nov. 16	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	4.40
Nov. 30	Central Maine Power Co.	10.50
Nov. 30	Walter Babcock	38.50
Dec. 14	Marshall's Garage	4.68
Dec. 14	John Gerry	16.00
Dec. 14	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
Dec. 14	Billings Garage	1.10

1947

Jan. 11	T. J. Scott, battery, fire truck	25.58
Jan. 11	John Gerry, janitor	16.00
Jan. 11	Central Maine Power Co. ..	4.46
Jan. 11	New England Telephone & Telegraph Co.	2.20
Feb. 8	Central Maine Power Co.	3.62

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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

ALFRED FIRE DEPARTMENT

Purchase of Fire Hose

Appropriated		\$ 150.00	
1946			
May 4	Quaker Rubber Co., new hose	152.00	
Overdraft			2.00
		\$ 152.00	\$ 152.00

INSURANCE ON TOWN PROPERTY

Appropriated		\$ 600.00	
Feb. 8	Credit from School Depart- ment	202.29	
Apr. 13	Homer Crooker	27.17	
			\$ 829.46

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	
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		\$ 829.46	\$ 829.46

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTS

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

CARE OF FOUNTAIN AND PARK

Appropriated		\$ 25.00	
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1946

Sept. 21	John W. Yates, care of park and hall grounds	\$ 25.00	
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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, tui- tion	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 Appropria- tion)	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

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
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		\$ 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

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 3

Appropriated	\$ 968.70	
Received from State	1,599.00	
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		\$2,567.70

1946

Aug. 9 Payroll	\$ 131.52	
Aug. 23 Payroll	79.88	
Sept. 7 Payroll	254.72	
Sept. 14 Payroll	233.56	
Sept. 28 Payroll	192.16	
Oct. 5 Payroll	539.68	
Oct. 12 Payroll	605.56	
Nov. 9 Payroll	347.54	
Unexpended Balance	183.08	
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	\$2,567.70	\$2,567.70

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 8

Appropriated	\$ 533.00	
Received from State	1,066.00	
Third Class Maintenance	472.00	
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		\$2,071.00

1946

Sept. 21 Payroll	\$ 149.82	
Oct. 12 Payroll	204.52	
Oct. 19 Payroll	370.16	
Oct. 26 Payroll	531.69	
Nov. 2 Payroll	494.14	
Nov. 23 Payroll	315.58	
Unexpended Balance	5.09	
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	\$2,071.00	\$2,071.00

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION No. 7

Appropriated	\$ 500.00	
Received from State	800.00	
		\$1,300.00

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	\$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
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1946

Aug. 10 Eastern Tractor Co., tar....	\$ 67.38	
Aug. 24 Payroll, Harold Hall	59.25	
Unexpended Balance	23.37	
		\$ 150.00
	\$ 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	
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	\$ 900.00	\$ 900.00

SWETT BRIDGE ROAD—HOBBS ROAD

Appropriated		\$ 300.00
F. A. Hobbs, 2nd		14.64
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		\$ 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	
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	\$ 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	
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		\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00

A. C. CLARK ROAD

1946			
May 18	T. J. Scott	\$ 220.72	
	Overdraft, no funds		220.72
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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	
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		\$1,195.40	
	682 yards gravel had to be paid for by town	68.20	
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		\$1,127.20	
	Not Claimed50	
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		\$1,126.70	\$1,126.70

TREE SURGERY IN PARK

Appropriated		\$ 100.00
1946		
July 27 Stevens Tree Company	\$ 75.00	
Unexpended Balance	25.00	
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	\$ 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, express55	
Unexpended Balance	110.81	
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	\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00

FOREST FIRES

No Appropriation.

1946		
May 4 Received from State Treas- urer		\$ 28.38
Sept. 12 Received from State Treas- urer		9.24

1946		
Apr. 20	Clough Fire	\$ 56.76
July 27	North Alfred	18.48
	Overdraft	37.62
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		\$ 75.24
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		\$ 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	
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	\$1,423.89	\$1,423.89

PROPERTY OWNED BY TOWN OF ALFRED

	No. of Acres	
Athletic Field	9	\$ 270.00
Town Dump	1	50.00
Daniel Shackley Meadow	2	10.00
Half of Jewell Mill Privilege	1/4	10.00
Noah Robinson Meadow	2	20.00
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		\$ 460.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT, 1946

Commitment Property Tax	\$30,035.16
Commitment Poll Tax	735.00
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	\$30,770.16
Supplemental Property Tax	\$ 31.73
Supplemental Poll Tax	66.00
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	\$ 97.73
Interest Collected 9/1/46 to 2/10/47	152.08
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	\$31,019.97
Paid Treasurer	\$29,421.94
Discounts allowed according to vote	362.01
Abatements allowed by Assessors ..	170.85
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	\$29,954.80
Uncollected Resident Taxes	\$ 793.71
Uncollected Non-Resident Taxes	271.46
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	\$ 1,065.17
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	\$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
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	\$ 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
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	\$ 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	

**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
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	\$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
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	\$ 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
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	\$ 12.00

UNCOLLECTED POLL TAX FOR 1943

Ora Eastman	\$ 3.00
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	\$ 3.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1938

Kenneth Leach (Balance Due)	\$	18.64
Rupert Lord		1.45
Charles Yeaton		10.44
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	\$	30.53

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1940

Kenneth Leach	\$	25.20
John B. Donovan		5.88
Wilmer Foltz		5.60
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	\$	36.68

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1941

Kenneth Leach	\$	4.13
John B. Donovan		3.03
Thomas Guay		4.46
Ralph Poole		1.38
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	\$	13.00

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1942

Wilmer Foltz	\$	3.40
Ralph Poole		1.70
Roscoe Morse		1.70
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	\$	6.80

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES FOR 1943

Rupert Lord	\$ 48.96
Elmer Goodrich	1.60
Norman Storer	1.60
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	\$ 52.16
Amount of back taxes collected in	
1946	\$ 157.07
Interest Collected	22.92
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	\$ 179.99

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

UNCOLLECTED PERSONAL TAXES, 1939

Allen, Charles	\$ 1.59
Bracy, Mabel	4.03
Blanchard, Fred	1.33
Champagne, Gerard	1.33
Chadbourne, Herbert N.	9.33
Foltz, Wilmer	5.30
Flanders, Cheslie	16.16
Hicken, Burleigh	1.33
Johnstone, John	1.33
Leach, Harold	43.73
Leach, Kenneth	3.18
Penney, John	1.33
Robbins, John	5.30
Woodsome, Norris	2.65
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	\$ 97.92

GRACE L. AKERS, Tax Collector, 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1936

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	\$.94	
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			\$.94

No interest included after March, 1937.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1938

Held by Town

Newell, Ralph E.	\$	5.90	
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			\$ 5.90

No interest included after March, 1939.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1939

Held by Town

Boston, Herman	\$	14.54	
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			\$ 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	
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			\$ 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	
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		\$ 22.74

No interest included after March, 1942.

UNCOLLECTED TAX LIENS FOR 1942

Held by Town

Nowell, Ralph E.	\$ 7.05	
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		\$ 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	
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		\$ 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
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	\$ 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.

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
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	\$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

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
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	\$ 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
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	\$10,526.23

Withholding Tax	\$ 1,256.07
Teachers' Pension	201.06
Teachers' Retirement	205.63
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	\$ 1,662.76
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	\$57,330.65

EXPENDITURES

By Warrant	\$54,245.67
Cash to Balance	3,084.98
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	\$57,330.65

RESOURCES

One U. S. Government Bond	\$ 500.00	\$ 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	
		<u>\$ 559.46</u>
		<u>\$1,059.46</u>

Interest and Costs not included in the above Liens.

 Tax Deeds

Junkins, Alfred, dated February 2, 1929	\$ 19.26	\$ 19.26
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Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947

**PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY
TREASURER'S REPORT**

RECEIPTS, 1946

Balance	\$3,122.66
Fidelity Dividend	105.72
A. B. Fernald, Sale of Books	4.58
Newsweek Refund50
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
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Balance	\$1,870.57

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES W. PLUMMER,

Town Treasurer.

Alfred, Maine
February 16, 1947

State of Maine

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT
AUGUSTA

September 4, 1946

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.

FMB:lee

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 Hand27
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Total	\$7,055.10
Deduct—Outstanding Checks	\$ 888.13
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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:

	2/11/45 to 2/11/46	2/11/45 to 8/12/46
Cash Receipts	\$30,061.85	\$30,385.13
Abatements	24.15	49.90
Discounts	365.21	365.21
Transferred to Tax Liens		629.93
Due from Collector (Exhibit F)	555.64	883.11
Taxes Receivable	1,525.24	218.81
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:

	2/11/45 to 2/11/46	2/11/45 to 8/12/46
Excise Tax Receipts	\$ 702.86	\$ 997.46
Cash Paid to Treasurer	698.77	993.37
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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

ASSETS

	Feb. 11, 1946	Feb. 10, 1945
Cash	\$ 6,166.97	\$ 6,189.24
Accounts Receivable (Schedule A-1)	1,149.13	
Taxes Receivable:		
Current Year (Schedule A-2)	\$ 1,525.24	\$ 1,464.78
Prior Years (Schedule A-2)	1,161.57	1,488.73
	<u>2,686.81</u>	<u>2,953.51</u>
Less—Reserve for Losses	876.86	975.51
		<u>1,978.00</u>
Tax Liens (Schedule A-3)	2,240.44	2,580.70
Less—Reserve for Losses	126.18	118.65
	<u>2,114.26</u>	<u>2,462.05</u>
Tax Deeds (Schedule A-4)	97.14	97.14
Less—Reserve for Losses	48.57	48.57
	<u>48.57</u>	<u>48.57</u>
Investments (Schedule A-5)	500.00	500.00
Special Funds (Schedule A-6):		
Parsons' Memorial Library	3,122.66	2,862.92
Old Cemetery Account	1,842.84	1,818.50
	<u>4,965.50</u>	<u>4,681.42</u>
Total Assets—General Fund	\$16,754.38	\$15,859.28

EXHIBIT A

OF ALFRED
BALANCE SHEET

11, 1946

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable (Schedule A-7)	\$ 385.32	\$ 337.14
Deferred Revenue:		
Excise Taxes	1,176.67	688.17
Special Funds (Schedule A-6):		
Parsons' Memorial Library	\$ 3,122.66	\$ 2,862.92
Old Cemetery Account	1,842.84	1,818.50
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	4,965.50	4,681.42

SURPLUS

Appropriated (Exhibit D)	6,576.50	2,415.92
Unappropriated (Exhibit E)	3,650.39	7,736.63
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	10,226.89	10,152.55
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Total Liabilities and Surplus—General Fund	\$16,754.38	\$15,859.28

EXHIBIT D

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

BALANCES
LAPSED

	Balance 2/11/45	Appro- priations	Cash Receipts	Other Credits	Total Available	Cash Disburse- ments	Other Charges	Over- draft	Unex- pended	Balance 2/11/46
General Government										
Incidentals		\$ 2,500.00	\$ 212.41		\$2,712.41	\$ 2,508.23	\$ 320.83	\$ 116.65		
Protection										
Fire Department		500.00			500.00	454.77			45.23	
Purchase of New Hose		150.00			150.00	150.00				
Electric Street Lights		600.00			600.00	554.76			45.24	
Insurance on Town Property		600.00			600.00	648.69		48.69		
Hydrants		1,600.00			1,600.00	1,600.00				
		3,450.00			3,450.00	3,408.22		48.69	90.47	
Health and Sanitation										
Public Health Officer		25.00			25.00	25.00				
Public Health Nurse		75.00			75.00	75.00				
		100.00			100.00	100.00				
Highways and Bridges										
Highways and Bridges		1,500.00			1,500.00	1,516.85		16.85		
Roads in Winter		2,000.00	773.00		2,773.00	3,031.40		258.40		
Highway Patrol		759.00			759.00	126.00				633.00
State Aid Road Const.	729.75	-			729.75					729.75
3rd class Road Maint.	874.12	472.00		588.88	1,935.00	1,093.24				841.76
Cutting Bushes		400.00			400.00	143.85			256.15	

Cutting Bushes, State Roads	200.00				200.00				200.00	
Rural Roads						298.13			298.13	
	1,803.87	5,131.00	773.00	588.88	8,296.75	6,209.47		275.25	256.15	2,106.38
Charities										
Support of Poor		200.00	169.50		369.50				369.50	
War Veterans' Relief		300.00			300.00	12.00			288.00	
		500.00	169.50		669.50	12.00			657.50	
Education										
Schools	612.05	13,000.00	3,931.93		17,543.98	15,216.54				2,327.44
Repairs and Insurance		2,000.00	3.50		2,003.50	1,734.38				269.12
Repairs, School Basements		500.00			500.00	496.61				3.39
Plumbing, School		5,000.00			5,000.00	3,129.83				1,870.17
Salary of Supt.				320.83	320.83	320.83				
School Nurse		25.00			25.00	25.00				
	612.05	20,525.00	3,935.43	320.83	25,393.31	20,923.19				4,470.12
Library										
Parsons' Memorial		350.00			350.00	350.00				
Interest										
General			255.01	41.60	296.61	37.00			259.61	
Unclassified										
Discounts and Abatements		300.00			300.00		505.68		205.68	
Care of Fountain and Park		25.00			25.00	25.00				
		325.00			325.00	25.00	505.68		205.68	
Special Assessments										
State Tax		4,274.33			4,274.33	4,274.33				
County Tax		770.42			770.42	770.42				
		5,044.75			5,044.75	5,044.75				
Total,										
All Departments	\$2,415.92	\$37,925.75	\$5,345.35	\$951.31	\$46,638.33	\$38,617.86	\$826.51	\$646.27	\$1,263.73	\$6,576.50
EXHIBITS		(C)	(B)			(B)		(E)	(E)	(A)

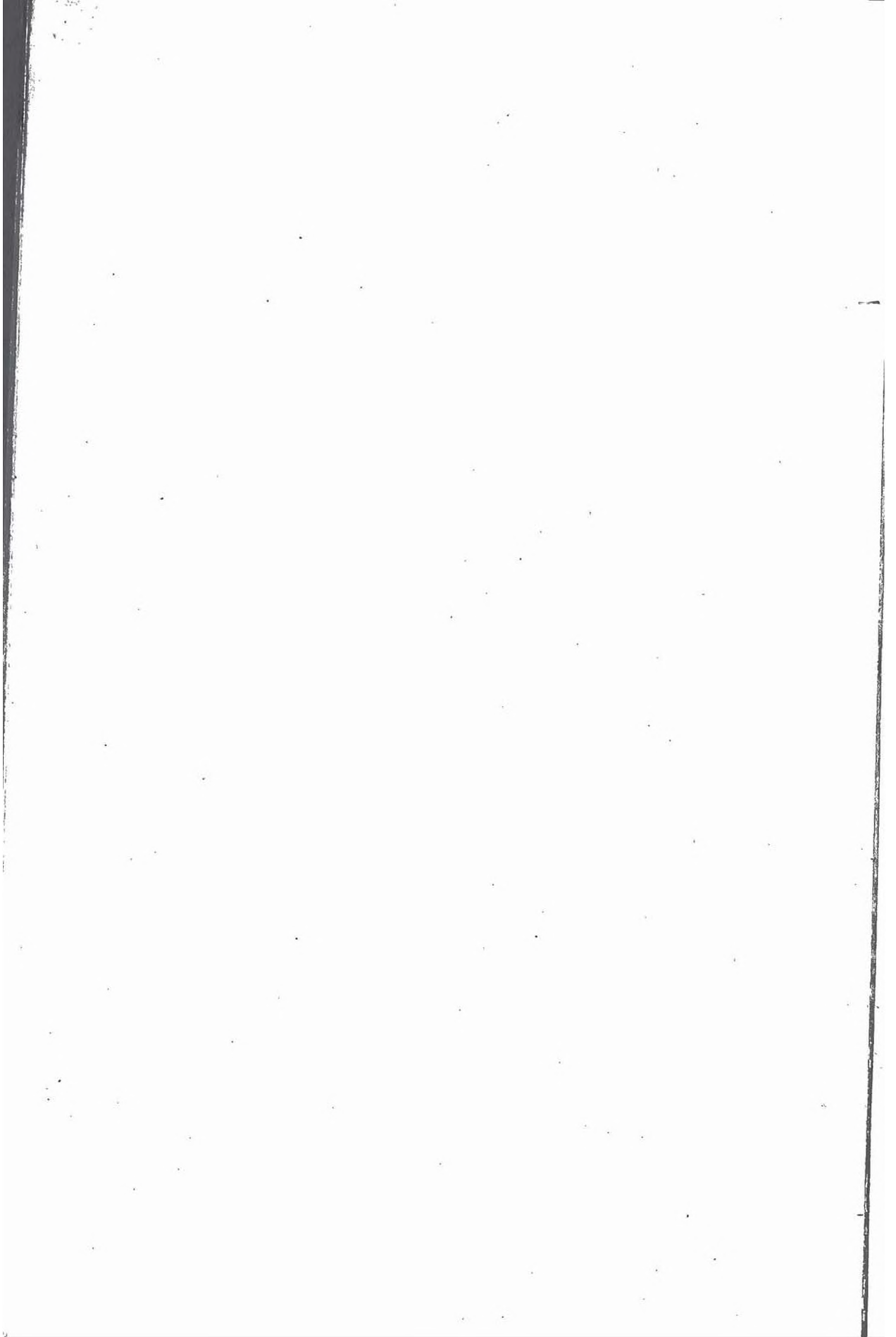


EXHIBIT E

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	
		<u>81.03</u>
ADJUSTED SURPLUS		<u>7,817.66</u>
Decrease:		
Transfer to Appropriation (Exhibit C)	5,946.98	
Increase:		
Appropriation Balances—		
Unexpended (Exhibit D)	\$ 1,263.73	
Overdraft (Exhibit D)	646.27	
	<u>617.46</u>	
Overlay	1,061.51	
Supplemental Taxes	100.74	
Total Increase	<u>1,779.71</u>	
NET DECREASE		<u>4,167.27</u>
UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS—February 11, 1946 (Exhibit A)		<u>\$3,650.39</u>

TOWN OF ALFRED
STATEMENT OF AMOUNT DUE FROM TAX COLLECTOR
August 12, 1946

	February 11, 1945 to August 12, 1946		February 11, 1945 to February 11, 1946
Amount to be Accounted for:			
1945 Tax Commitment	\$32,452.11		\$32,452.11
Supplemental Taxes	79.98		79.98
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Total Assessment Charged to Collector		32,532.09	32,532.09
Excise Taxes:			
1945 Receipts	179.43		179.43
1946 Receipts	818.03		523.43
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Total Excise Taxes		997.46	702.86
Interest on Taxes		132.77	111.44
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Total to be Accounted for		33,662.32	33,346.39
Deduct:			
Payments to Treasurer:			
Taxes	30,375.48		30,061.85

Excise Taxes	993.37		698.77	
Interest on Taxes	132.25		110.92	
Credit by Treasurer's Receipts No. 334, 8/12/46	9.65			
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Total Payments to Treasurer		31,510.75		30,871.54
Credits Allowed:				
Transferred to Tax Liens	629.93			
Discounts on Taxes	365.21		365.21	
Abatements	49.90		24.15	
Taxes Receivable	218.81		1,525.24	
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Total Credits Allowed		1,263.85		1,914.60
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Total Deductions			32,774.60	32,786.14
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Due from Collector:				
Taxes		883.11		555.64
Excise Taxes		4.09		4.09
Interest on Taxes52		.52
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Total			\$887.72	\$560.25

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.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Dudley T. Forrest, Clerk

**Record of Deaths Commencing
March 1, 1946**

	Yeas.	Months	Days
Jan. 27 Charles A. Allen at Portsmouth, N. H.	75	5	20
(The above notice was received too late to be included in previous town report)			
Mar. 10 George Howard Edwards at Wa- terboro	83	10	5
Apr. 30 Henry Fritzsche, at Fairfield, Me.	60	1	27
May 5 John L. Hart at Sanford	83	1	4
May 12 Mary Ann Welch at Alfred	91	6	2
May 12 Webster Carter at Concord, N. H.	67	9	4
May 15 Edward Lewis Maxwell at Togus	55	11	13
May 31 Alice M. Allen at Portsmouth, N. H.	76		
July 10 Lora Belle Rankin at Alfred	82	3	3
July 28 Linnie May Chadbourne at Al- fred	72	10	6
Aug. 12 Frank J. Smith at Worcester, Mass.	72	7	7
Sept. Hedio Ruby Gilpatrick at San- ford, stillborn			
Oct. 2 Hattie B. Hayes Hallett at Wil- ton, Mass.	82	9	27
Oct. 10 John N. Matheson at Portland	40		
Oct. 22 William H. Townsend at Ports- mouth, N. H.	67	2	8

Oct. 24	Emery Stanley Littlefield at Alfred	58	3	7
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.

PARSONS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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, CarolineThe 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

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
Schmitt, Gladys	David, the King
Scott, Col. Robert	God Is My Co-Pilot
Seagrave, Gordon	Burma Surgeon Returns
Swell, Alma	Black Beauty
Seymour, Alta Halverson	The Tangled Skein
Sharp, Marjorie	Brittania News
Sheean, Vincent	San Felice
Shepard, Odel and Willard	Holdfast Gaines
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 ring-worm, 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.

ANNUAL REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

February 26, 1947

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-

boro High School and from the Farm Bureau Office in Sanford.

The students have participated in all of the extra-curricular 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 LUNCH PROGRAM IN THE ALFRED VILLAGE SCHOOL

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)

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
		102.00
Total Resources		\$19,326.84

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary
Instruction	\$7,018.75	\$3,930.75
Fuel	435.14	431.61
Janitor Service	952.50	733.50
Conveyance	2,728.81	
Tuition		1,000.00
Text Books	238.66	198.03
Supplies	363.47	257.39
	\$11,737.33	\$6,551.28
Total Expenditures		\$18,288.61
Balance, February, 1947		1,038.23
		\$19,326.84

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Instruction

	Elementary	Secondary
Josephine D. Gould	\$1,353.75	
Dorothy W. DeBertram ..	1,173.50	
Celia M. Day	1,360.00	
Beatrice L. Clark	1,300.37	
Hattie E. Clark	1,309.25	
Alice Morey	223.00	
Mary Steele	79.75	
Marcia W. Shaw	100.13	\$ 26.75
Helen M. Dolley	119.00	34.00
Malcolm W. Roberts		2,110.00
Miriam B. Moody		1,760.00
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	\$7,018.75	\$3,930.75
Total		\$10,949.50

Fuel

Shepard & Morse Lum- ber Co.	\$ 5.90	\$ 5.00
H. Albert Roberts	429.24	426.61
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	\$ 435.14	\$ 431.61
Total		\$ 866.75

Janitor Service

Everett Kimball	\$ 942.50	\$ 728.50
Kenneth Yates	10.00	5.00
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	\$ 952.50	\$ 733.50
Total		\$1,686.00

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
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Text Books

	Elementary	Secondary
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	\$ 4.62	
Silver Burdett Co.	2.93	
Frontier Press Co. of Bos- ton	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. So- ciety		3.50
Sam Fox Pub. Co.		10.87
Boston Herald-Trav. Corp.		4.45

H. W. Wilson Co.	6.00	
Americana Corp.	69.75	
Gessler Pub Co.	3.90	
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	\$ 238.66	\$ 198.03
Total		\$ 436.69

Supplies

	Elementary	Secondary
E. G. Knights	\$ 1.00	
Maine Public Health As- sociation53	
Berry Paper Co.	15.22	\$ 4.00
Floor-Shine Wax Co.	25.00	19.40
Boston Janitor Supply Service	11.84	8.00
Thomas B. Tupper	9.75	7.00
Whitcomb Supply Co.	2.71	2.00
John A. Roberts	12.72	2.00
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	112.29	27.08
C. B. Dolge Co.	29.13	18.40
Loring, Short & Harmon	20.00	17.63
J. L. Hammet & Co.	4.32	8.69
Maynard E. Wright	6.03	3.23
Ginn & Co.	4.00	1.50
Central Maine Power Co.	83.23	80.92
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	25.70	39.29
D. K. Hammet Co.		18.25
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	\$ 363.47	\$ 257.39
Total		\$ 620.86

REPAIRS ACCOUNT

Resources

Balance, Sewage, Water Heat Ac- counts	\$1,870.17
Balance, Repairs Accounts	269.12
Appropriation, March, 1946	1,000.00
Total Resources	
	\$3,139.29

Expenditures

	Elementary	Secondary
S. B. Emery	\$ 6.10	
L. C. Andrew	94.14	
E. C. Ricker & Sons	1.36	
Harold Deshon	91.25	
J. W. Plummer	10.24	
Fred E. St. Cyr	17.68	
Town of Waterboro	17.82	
J. A. Roberts	89.47	\$ 23.35
Ernest Gallant	15.00	10.00
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co. ..	28.81	20.00
Alfred Incidental Account	102.29	100.00
Ralph W. Smith	3.10	57.11
Wilfred Boulet	179.15	505.16
Forrest Clark	25.00	17.45
Clark's Garage	3.00	3.00
E. Nolet	127.75	53.94
Johns-Manville	120.24	84.00
N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	19.87	8.00
Boston & Maine R. R.		2.73
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.		89.48

Charles Warren	27.50
D. K. Hammett & Co.	123.23
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	\$ 952.27 \$1,124.95
Total Expenditures	\$2,077.22
Balance, February, 1947	1,062.07
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	\$3,139.29

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

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

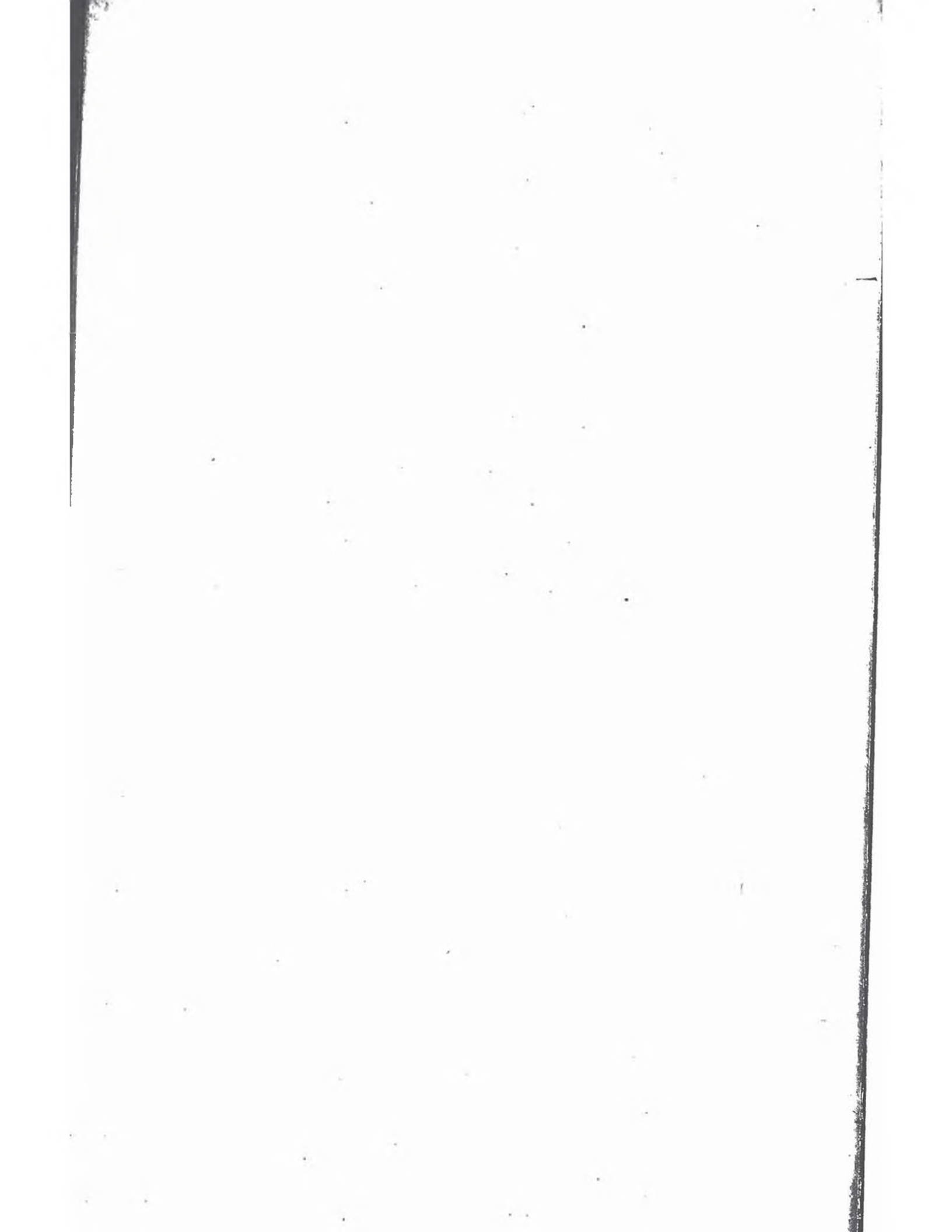
SUMMARY

Resources

School Account	\$19,326.84
Repairs Account	3,139.29
Superintendence Account	433.33
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Total Resources for all School Pur- poses	\$22,899.46

Expenditures

School Account	\$18,288.61
Repairs Account	2,077.22
Superintendence Account	433.33
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Total Expenditures for all School Purposes	\$20,799.16
Balance on all School Accounts	2,100.30
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	\$22,899.46



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 ot 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.
