

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
TOWN OF EPSOM
NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING
JANUARY 31, 1942

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

TOWN OFFICERS

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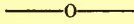
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TOWN OFFICERS



Moderator

EDWARD B. DEMERS

Selectmen

| | |
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| KARL F. RAND | Term expires 1942 |
| ALMON M. WORTH | Term expires 1943 |
| FRANK E. HURD | Term expires 1944 |

Town Clerk

MAURICE C. PHILBRICK

Treasurer

OLAF A. RING

Representative to General Court

EDWIN L. BUNKER

Collector of Taxes

GEORGE G. RING

Highway Agents

| | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| JOHN P. YEATON | District No. 1 |
| ELDON W. HOWARD | District No. 2 |

Supervisors of Check List

WALTER B. WELLS LEWIS B. DEMERS
HAROLD S. BICKFORD

Ballot Inspectors

ARTHUR H. SULLIVAN ERNEST G. CLARK
GEORGE H. HAYNES ELBRIDGE M. BARTLETT

Library Trustees

GEORGE G. RING Term expires 1942
MARGERY C. YEATON Term expires 1943
FLORENCE L. YEATON Term expires 1944

Auditors

LEWIS H. NUTTER RUSSELL S. YEATON

Librarian

HESTER E. BICKFORD

Cemetery Trustees

EDWIN L. BUNKER Term expires 1942
ELEANORA C. NUTTER Term expires 1943
OLAF A. RING Term expires 1944

Trustees of Trust Funds

EDWIN L. BUNKER Term expires 1942
ELEANORA C. NUTTER Term expires 1943
OLAF A. RING Term expires 1944

Forest Fire Warden

ARTHUR H. SULLIVAN

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

| | |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| ARTHUR A. WELLS | HAROLD S. BICKFORD |
| ERNEST G. DOWST | ALMON M. WORTH |
| ALBERT D. SHERBURNE | EDWARD B. DEMERS |
| CLARENCE E. BARTLETT | |

Health Officer

WALTER B. WELLS

Overseer of the Poor

ALBERT J. YEATON

Fire Department Officers

Chief

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT

Deputy Chiefs

| | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| HAROLD S. BICKFORD | MILLARD J. YEATON |
| ELDON W. HOWARD | |

Lieutenants

| | |
|------------------|------------------|
| ALBERT J. YEATON | WALTER A. SAWYER |
| JESSE A. HUNT | |

Secretary

HENRY DOWST

Treasurer

FRED W. YEATON

Trustees

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Park Commissioners

WARREN T. FOWLER BENJAMIN M. TOWLE
GROVER T. STEVENS

Officers of School District

Moderator

EDWARD B. DEMERS

Clerk

FLORENCE L. YEATON

Superintendent of Schools

CHESTER W. DOE

School Board

| | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| ELEANORA C. NUTTER | Term expires 1942 |
| HENRY DOWST | Term expires 1943 |
| WARREN T. FOWLER | Term expires 1944 |

Treasurer

MARY E. Q. PHILBRICK

Auditor

AMY K. BARTLETT

Truant Officer

WALTER B. WELLS

Budget Committee

| | |
|--------------------|---------------------------|
| HENRY DOWST | Term expires 1942 |
| HARRY SILVER | Term expires 1942 |
| CHARLES M. STEELE | Term expires 1942 |
| EDWARD B. DEMERS | Term expires 1943 |
| LAURA Y. BICKFORD | Term expires 1943 |
| OLIVER C. LOMBARD | Term expires 1943 |
| LEWIS H. NUTTER | Term expires 1944 |
| ALBERT J. YEATON | Term expires 1944 |
| WILLIAM H. KNOWLES | Term expires 1944 |
| ELEANORA C. NUTTER | Member of School Board |
| KARL F. RAND | Member Board of Selectmen |

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Epsom in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Epsom on Tuesday, the Tenth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty dollars for the observance of Memorial Day.

4. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Four hundred dollars for the White Pine Blister Rust control.

5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of Five hundred forty dollars and eighty-two cents for the construction of Class V. Roads, T.R.A., so called; the State to contribute Two thousand one hundred sixty-three dollars and twenty-seven cents.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six hundred dollars to provide for additional fire protection due to the war emergency.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One thousand dollars to reduce long term note on Fire Truck.

8. To see if the Town of Epsom will accept the following sums as Trust Funds, the interest, only, to be used for care of Cemetery lots:—\$100.00 for William

Babb lot; \$100.00 for E. R. and A. J. Yeaton lot; \$100.00 for Joseph Cass and George S. Bixby lot; \$50.00 for Unknown Soldier's lot; \$200.00 for Capt. Arthur C. Locke and Frances T. Locke lots; all in McClary Cemetery.

\$200.00 for Augusta A. Fiske lot in Gossville Cemetery.

\$100.00 for Daniel S. Jones lot in Short Falls Cemetery.

9. To see if the Town will vote to use the State system of paying the road help.

10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell any property acquired by the Tax Collectors' deeds or otherwise. This vote to stand until rescinded.

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary in anticipation of taxes.

12. To see what discount, if any, the Town will allow on all property taxes paid previous to July 1, 1942.

13. To transact any other business that may legally be brought before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 21st day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-two.

KARL F. RAND,
ALMON M. WORTH,
FRANK E. HURD,

Selectmen of Epsom

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

KARL F. RAND,
ALMON M. WORTH,
FRANK E. HURD,

Selectmen of Epsom

BUDGET OF THE TOWN
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

| Sources of Revenue | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1941 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1942 | Increase | Decrease |
|--|---|---|------------|----------|
| <i>From State:</i> | | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | \$49.50 | \$49.50 | | |
| Railroad Tax | 64.64 | 64.64 | | |
| Savings Bank Tax | 921.82 | 921.82 | | |
| Bounties Refund | 6.20 | 6.20 | | |
| County Poor Refund | 83.28 | 83.28 | | |
| Old Age Assist. Refund | 23.48 | 23.48 | | |
| <i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i> | | | | |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 203.12 | 203.12 | | |
| Overseer of Poor Balance | 2.10 | 2.10 | | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 971.29 | 971.29 | | |
| <i>From Local Taxes Other Than Prop- erty Taxes:</i> | | | | |
| (a) Poll Taxes | 638.00 | 638.00 | | |
| (b) National Bank Stock Taxes ... | 7.00 | 7.00 | | |
| Cash on Hand (Surplus) | | 1,000.00 | \$1,000.00 | |
| Total Revenues from all Sources Ex- cept Property Taxes | \$2,970.43 | \$3,970.43 | \$1,000.00 | |
| <i>*Amt. to be Raised by Property Taxes</i> | | 21,465.13 | | |
| | | <u>\$25,435.56</u> | | |

*Total estimated "Revenues from All Sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

OF EPSOM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Year February 1, 1942 to January 31, 1943, Compared with
Year February 1, 1941 to January 31, 1942

| Purpose of Expenditures | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1941 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1942 | Increase | Decrease |
|--|--|--|------------|------------|
| <i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i> | | | | |
| <i>General Government:</i> | | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$770.00 | \$830.00 | \$60.00 | |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 348.89 | 350.00 | 1.11 | |
| Election and Registration Expenses | | 15.00 | 15.00 | |
| Town Officers' Supplies | 211.75 | 225.00 | 13.25 | |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs. | 471.44 | 125.00 | | \$346.44 |
| <i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i> | | | | |
| Police Department | 174.95 | 175.00 | .05 | |
| Fire Department | 1,109.75 | 1,000.00 | | 109.75 |
| Moth Extermination—Blister Rust | | 400.00 | 400.00 | |
| Insurance and Bonding | 888.88 | 880.00 | | 8.88 |
| Health Department, including hos- pitals | 20.43 | 100.00 | 79.57 | |
| Vital Statistics | 10.50 | 15.00 | 4.50 | |
| New Fire Equipment | 1,100.00 | | | 1,100.00 |
| <i>Highways and Bridges:</i> | | | | |
| Town Maintenance, Class V Im- proved | 1,301.15 | 1,200.00 | | 101.15 |
| Town Maintenance, Class V Un- improved | 1,301.15 | 1,300.00 | | 1.15 |
| General Expenses of Highway De- partment | 251.11 | 250.00 | | 1.11 |
| Snow Removal | 1,152.93 | 1,000.00 | | 152.93 |
| Class V New Construction | 577.84 | 575.00 | | 2.84 |
| <i>Libraries:</i> | | | | |
| Libraries | 200.00 | 250.00 | 50.00 | |
| <i>Public Welfare:</i> | | | | |
| Town Poor | 465.53 | 400.00 | | 65.53 |
| Old Age Assistance | 790.00 | 1,200.00 | 410.00 | |
| <i>Patriotic Purposes:</i> | | | | |
| Memorial Day and Other Celebra- tions | 48.20 | 50.00 | 1.20 | |
| <i>Recreation:</i> | | | | |
| Parks and Playgrounds, incl. band concerts | 100.00 | 100.00 | | |
| <i>Interest:</i> | | | | |
| On Long Term Notes | 77.32 | 50.00 | | 27.32 |
| <i>Indebtedness:</i> | | | | |
| Payment on Principal of Debt: | | | | |
| Long Term Notes | | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | |
| <i>Payments to Other Governmental Di- visions:</i> | | | | |
| County Taxes | 4,205.67 | 3,951.88 | | 253.79 |
| Payments to School Districts | 9,566.31 | 9,993.68 | 427.37 | |
| Total Expenditures | \$25,143.80 | \$25,435.56 | \$2,462.65 | \$2,170.89 |

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1941

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Town officers' salaries | \$775.00 |
| Town officers' expenses | 350.00 |
| Election and registration | 15.00 |
| Supplies for officers and office | 275.00 |
| Town hall | 125.00 |
| Police department | 200.00 |
| Fire department | 350.00 |
| Health department | 50.00 |
| Vital statistics | 15.00 |
| Town Road Aid, Class 5 Construction | 540.00 |
| Town Road Maintenance: | |
| Class 5 Improved | 1,200.00 |
| Class 5 Unimproved | 1,200.00 |
| Snow removal | 1,000.00 |
| Insurance and Bonding | 600.00 |
| General expense of highway department | 500.00 |
| Libraries | 250.00 |
| Old age assistance | 900.00 |
| Town poor | 500.00 |
| Memorial Day | 50.00 |
| Parks | 100.00 |
| New fire equipment | 1,100.00 |
| Old Home Day | 50.00 |
| County Tax | 4,205.67 |
| School Tax | 9,566.31 |
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| Total appropriations | \$23,916.98 |

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Inventory for 1941

| | | |
|------------------------------------|--------|--------------|
| Land and buildings | | \$600,025.00 |
| Electric plants | | 19,300.00 |
| Horses | 67 | 7,825.00 |
| Cows | 352 | 18,190.00 |
| Neat | 54 | 2,010.00 |
| Sheep | 26 | 181.00 |
| Fowl | 24,160 | 16,805.00 |
| Portable Mills | 3 | 775.00 |
| Wood and Lumber | | 24,436.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks | | 5,165.00 |
| Stock in Trade | | 18,091.00 |
| Mills and Machinery | | 5,000.00 |
| Total valuation | | \$717,803.00 |
| Soldiers' exemption | | 8,860.00 |
| Valuation on which tax is assessed | | \$708,943.00 |

Tax Rate \$3.00 on \$100.00.

Poll taxes \$770.00.

National Bank Stock Taxes \$7.00.

Assets

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Balance in treasury, January 31, 1942 | \$5,467.89 |
| Uncollected taxes for 1941 | 3,034.27 |
| State Treasurer, bounties | 6.20 |
| 177 shares Suncook Valley R. R. stock | no value |
| Merrimack County, aid to county poor | 63.63 |
| Albert J. Yeaton, overseer of poor | 45.23 |
| Total assets | \$8,617.22 |

Liabilities

| | |
|---|----------------|
| Due School District, balance 1941 appropriation | \$5,066.31 |
| Balance of dog license money on hand | 215.53 |
| Long term note | 1,900.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total liabilities | \$7,181.84 |
| Total assets | \$8,617.22 |
| Total liabilities | 7,181.84 |
| | <hr/> |
| Credit to town | \$1,435.38 |

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Town Hall, land and buildings | \$3,500.00 |
| Furniture and equipment | 400.00 |
| Library, land and buildings | 1,500.00 |
| Furniture and equipment | 3,000.00 |
| Police Department, land, building and equipment | 100.00 |
| Highway Department, house and land | 250.00 |
| Tractor and snow plow | 800.00 |
| Tool house and land | 750.00 |
| Tools and machinery | 1,500.00 |
| Schools, land, buildings and equipment | 8,000.00 |
| Fire Department, fire truck, hose and equipment | 6,200.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$26,000.00 |

TREASURER'S REPORT**Feb. 1, 1941 to Jan. 31, 1942**

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|--|-------------|
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1941 | \$5,081.18 |
| Jr. O. U. A. M., Rent of hall | 12.00 |
| Jackman & Lang, refund on insurance | 129.90 |
| Suncook Bank, temporary loan | 5,000.00 |
| F. W. Yeaton, part pay on fire truck | 200.00 |
| Karl Rand, sale snow plow blade | 15.00 |
| Concord Bldg. & Loan Assn., back tax John Bickford | 332.03 |
| E. L. Bunker, refund Memorial Day | 1.80 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$10,771.91 |

Geo. G. Ring, Collector 1941:

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Property and poll taxes | \$18,785.05 | |
| Bank stock | 7.00 | |
| Interest | 9.00 | |
| Discounts and abatements | 461.07 | |
| | <hr/> | \$19,262.12 |

C. M. Steele, Collector 1940:

| | | |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| Property tax | \$3,657.22 | |
| Interest | 194.12 | |
| Abatements | 39.14 | |
| Redemptions | 187.33 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,077.81 |

E. L. Bunker, Collector 1939:

| | | |
|-------------|--------|---------|
| Taxes | \$2.00 | |
| Redemptions | 65.10 | |
| Abatements | 15.24 | |
| | <hr/> | \$82.34 |

State Treasurer:

| | | |
|----------------------------|---------|------------|
| Bounty on hedgehogs | \$11.00 | |
| Class V roads | 185.50 | |
| Railroad tax | 64.64 | |
| Savings Bank tax | 921.82 | |
| Distribution Int. and Div. | 49.50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,232.46 |

County Treasurer:

| | | |
|---------------|---------|----------|
| Soldiers' aid | \$16.50 | |
| Aid of poor | 884.42 | |
| | <hr/> | \$900.92 |

M. C. Philbrick, Town Clerk:

| | | |
|--------------------------|----------|------------|
| 1941-42 dog tax | \$234.53 | |
| Balance 1940-41 auto tax | 3.26 | |
| 1941-42 auto tax | 929.44 | |
| 1942-43 auto tax | 38.59 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,205.82 |

Geo. H. Yeaton, Overseer of Poor 1940:

| | | |
|---------|--------|--|
| Refunds | 109.32 | |
|---------|--------|--|

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|----------------|-------|-------------|
| Total Receipts | <hr/> | \$37,642.70 |
|----------------|-------|-------------|

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|--|-----------|--|
| Less Selectmen's Orders No. 1 to 208 incl. | 32,174.81 | |
|--|-----------|--|

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|------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1942 | <hr/> | \$5,467.89 |
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Respectfully submitted,

O. A. RING,
Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1—Salaries of Town Officers

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| Karl F. Rand, Selectman | \$125.00 | |
| Almon M. Worth, Selectman | 100.00 | |
| Frank E. Hurd, Selectman | 100.00 | |
| Olaf A. Ring, Treas. | 100.00 | |
| Maurice E. Philbrick, Town Clerk | 50.00 | |
| Walter B. Wells, Supervisor | 20.00 | |
| Harold S. Bickford, Supervisor | 20.00 | |
| Louis Demers, Supervisor | 20.00 | |
| George H. Haynes, Ballot Clerk | 3.00 | |
| Elbridge M. Bartlett, Ballot Clerk | 3.00 | |
| Arthur H. Sullivan, Ballot Clerk | 3.00 | |
| Ernest Clark, Ballot Clerk | 3.00 | |
| Edward B. Demers, Moderator | 3.00 | |
| Charles M. Steele, Tax Collector, 1940 | 50.00 | |
| George G. Ring, Tax Collector, 1941 | 150.00 | |
| Lewis H. Nutter, Auditor | 20.00 | |
| Russell S. Yeaton, Auditor | 20.00 | |
| | | \$790.00 |

Detail 2—Town Officers' Expenses

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Karl F. Rand, Selectman, time, | |
| mileage | \$11.90 |
| Frank E. Hurd, Selectman, time, | |
| mileage | 33.62 |
| Almon M. Worth, Selectman, time, | |
| mileage | 14.10 |
| Helen Hurd, typing town reports | 7.00 |
| George H. Yeaton | 5.00 |
| Olaf A. Ring, postage, mileage | 33.60 |
| Albert J. Yeaton, overseer poor | 40.80 |
| George G. Ring, expenses | 26.49 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh | 10.60 |
| C. M. Steele, expenses | 10.00 |

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|-----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| O. C. Lombard, expenses | 16.80 | |
| Arthur B. Hayden, Baker deed | 5.00 | |
| Huckins Garage | 3.00 | |
| Town Clerks' Assn. dues | 2.00 | |
| Katherine Crowley, recording deed | 1.18 | |
| New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., calls | 1.30 | |
| Tax Assessors' Assn., dues | 2.00 | |
| Suncook Bank | 2.00 | |
| Hazel P. Steele, copying Blotter | 10.00 | |
| M. C. Philbrick | 91.00 | |
| Edwin L. Bunker | 1.50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$328.89 |

Detail 3—Dog Damage

| | | |
|------------------|--------|---------|
| Albert J. Yeaton | \$1.00 | |
| Albert J. Yeaton | 17.92 | |
| | <hr/> | \$18.92 |

Detail 4—Town Hall Expenses

| | | |
|------------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Concord Electric Co. | \$29.76 | |
| George H. Haynes, labor | 4.00 | |
| Frank E. Hurd, labor | 19.50 | |
| Katherine Crowley, deed conveyance | 16.05 | |
| Almon M. Worth, labor | 9.00 | |
| Silver & Young, supplies | 14.46 | |
| Merrimack Farmers Exchange, paint | 2.93 | |
| Hazel P. Steele | 1.00 | |
| E. E. Bartlett, labor | 239.45 | |
| Bailey Lumber Co. | 127.04 | |
| Karl F. Rand | 8.25 | |
| | <hr/> | \$471.44 |

Detail 5—Police Department

| | | |
|----------------------|---------|--|
| Albert J. Yeaton | \$71.31 | |
| Concord Electric Co. | 63.64 | |

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|----------|
| Clarence E. Bartlett | 11.75 | |
| Walter A. Sawyer | 21.50 | |
| Silver & Young | 6.75 | |
| | <hr/> | \$174.95 |

Detail 6—Fire Department

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Howard Curtis, labor | \$8.25 | |
| Merrimack Farmers Exchange | 27.50 | |
| Roscoe Warren | .80 | |
| Arthur Sullivan, warden | 489.99 | |
| Pembroke Water Works, hydrants | 225.00 | |
| Epsom Garage | 43.21 | |
| American LaFrance Foamite Co. | | |
| truck | 3,700.00 | |
| O. C. Lombard, stove, labor | 95.00 | |
| Kidder C. Fisk, care fire | 20.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,609.75 |

Detail 7—Health Department

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Walter B. Wells, salary and expenses | \$20.43 | |
| | <hr/> | \$20.43 |

Detail 8—Vital Statistics

| | | |
|-------------------|--------|---------|
| F. B. Argue, M.D. | \$1.50 | |
| M. C. Philbrick | 9.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$10.50 |

Detail 9—Insurance and Bonding

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Jackman & Lang, liability | \$600.64 | |
| John A. Tasker, bonds | 100.00 | |
| Harriman & Paige, fire truck ins. | 48.00 | |
| Charles M. Steele, fire ins. | 15.64 | |
| Harry Silver, fire ins. | 83.50 | |
| Henry Stevens, fire ins. | 41.10 | |
| | <hr/> | \$888.88 |

Detail 10—Dog Tax

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| Mary E. Q. Philbrick (bal. 1940 dog tax) | \$234.45 | |
| | <hr/> | \$234.45 |

Detail 11—County Tax

| | | |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|
| Merrimack County Treas. | \$4,205.67 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,205.67 |

Detail 12—Class Five Construction

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Treasurer State of New Hampshire | \$577.84 | |
| | <hr/> | \$577.84 |

Detail 13—Town Road Maintenance

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| John P. Yeaton, Agent District No. 1 | | |
| Improved Class 5 | \$600.00 | |
| Unimproved Class 5 | 600.00 | |
| Snow Removal | 348.60 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, Agent District No. 2 | | |
| Improved Class 5 | 600.00 | |
| Unimproved Class 5 | 654.80 | |
| Snow Removal | 460.75 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,264.15 |

Detail 14—Selectmen's Report on Snow Removal

| | |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| C. N. Huckins, gas | \$4.28 |
| Roscoe Warren, driving tractor | 12.70 |
| E. M. Bartlett, shoveling | 6.40 |
| P. I. Perkins, parts | 203.66 |
| Howard Curtis | 8.75 |
| George H. Haynes, plowing | 21.60 |
| Arthur Sullivan, plowing | 19.80 |
| Arthur Stearns, plowing | 16.08 |
| Epsom Garage, gas & oil | 75.81 |

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|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| N. H. Rowe, plowing | 11.00 | |
| Albert F. Yeaton, sand | 61.00 | |
| Hedge & Mattheis Co., snow fence | 50.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$491.08 |

Detail 15—General Expense of Highway Department

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|----------|
| A. M. Worth | \$8.00 | |
| Frank E. Hurd | 2.00 | |
| N. H. State Prison, cement culverts | 157.68 | |
| N. H. State Treasurer, tar for park | 52.31 | |
| Vulcan Steel Corporation, rd. machine | | |
| blade | 22.97 | |
| Bickford & Huckins, plank | 7.15 | |
| John Boyce, labor | 1.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$251.11 |

Detail 16—Old Age Assistance

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Albert J. Yeaton, Overseer of Poor | \$790.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$790.00 |

Detail 17—Town Poor

| | | |
|------------------------------------|---------|----------|
| George H. Yeaton | \$73.53 | |
| Karl F. Rand, wood for tramp house | 7.00 | |
| A. J. Yeaton, Overseer of Poor | 385.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$465.53 |

Detail 18—County Poor

| | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| George H. Yeaton | \$640.22 | |
| Albert J. Yeaton, Overseer of Poor | 670.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,310.22 |

Detail 19—Libraries

| | | |
|--------------------|----------|----------|
| Florence L. Yeaton | \$200.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$200.00 |

Detail 20—Memorial Day

| | | |
|-----------------|---------|---------|
| Edwin L. Bunker | \$50.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$50.00 |

Detail 21—Webster Park

| | | |
|---------------|----------|----------|
| Warren Fowler | \$100.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$100.00 |

Detail 22—Town Officers Supplies

| | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|----------|
| Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies | \$17.20 | |
| Bridge & Byron, printing | 162.50 | |
| Karl F. Rand, supplies | 19.55 | |
| Valley Times, supplies | 12.50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$211.75 |

Detail 23—Abatements Refunded

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Charles M. Steele, 1940 abatements | \$39.14 | |
| George G. Ring, property and poll tax | | |
| 1941 abatements | 461.07 | |
| Edwin L. Bunker, 1939 abatements | 15.24 | |
| | <hr/> | \$515.45 |

Detail 24—Bounties

| | | |
|-------------|--------|--------|
| 31 Hedghogs | \$6.20 | |
| | <hr/> | \$6.20 |

Detail 25—Interest

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Suncook Bank, interest on note | \$77.32 | |
| | <hr/> | \$77.32 |

Detail 26—Payment on Principal Debt

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Suncook Bank, short term note | \$3,100.00 | |
| bal. of \$1,900.00 left of fire | | |
| truck note | <hr/> | \$3,100.00 |

Detail 27—Schools

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Mary E. Q. Philbrick, Treasurer | \$8,633.37 | |
| | <hr/> | \$8,633.37 |

Detail 28—Real Estate Bought for Taxes

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Cleophas Bellimore | \$4.18 |
| Horace Blanchard | 5.01 |
| Ruby J. Courser | 4.18 |
| Heirs of Joseph H. Dearborn | 49.46 |
| Eugene R. Dennett | 5.01 |
| Gertrude M. Eastman | 4.18 |
| Rufus D. and Grace King | 4.18 |
| Edith Kramer | 4.18 |
| Edgar Lavallee | 53.78 |
| Ruth and Martin McCabe | 4.18 |
| Chester and Mildred Richardson | 4.18 |
| Cora and Daniel Sullivan | 4.18 |
| Bloise F. Townes | 5.01 |
| Harry J. Welch | 6.65 |
| Rachel Wilson and Rose and Philip Pennell | 19.74 |
| C. A. Richards and Helena Olson | 4.18 |
| Abbie J. Whitehouse Est. | 6.65 |
| Abbie J. Whitehouse | 11.02 |
| John R. Brown | 42.66 |
| Heirs of S. S. Clark | 36.15 |
| George F. Dowst | 6.65 |
| Roscoe E. Kelley | 47.84 |
| Nettie H. Yeaton | 42.66 |
| Lot 44 Northwood Lake | 1.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$376.91 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | \$32,174.81 |

KARL F. RAND,
ALMON M. WORTH,
FRANK E. HURD,
Selectmen

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the Year Ending January 31, 1942

Receipts

| | |
|--|--------|
| Auto registration permits, balance 1940-1941 | \$3.26 |
| Auto registration permits, 1941-1942 | 929.44 |
| Auto registration permits, 1942-1943 | 38.59 |
| Dog licenses, 1941 | 234.53 |

\$1,205.82

Paid Olaf A. Ring, Treasurer:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Auto registration permits, bal. 1940-1941 | \$3.26 |
| Auto registration permits, 1941-1942 | 929.44 |
| Auto registration permits, 1942-1943 | 38.59 |
| Dog licenses, 1941 | 234.53 |

\$1,205.82

M. C. PHILBRICK,
Town Clerk

REPORT OF EDWIN L. BUNKER, COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR 1939

For Abatement

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Bal. of Esther Jackman tax sale | \$3.37 |
| Robert L. Long tax sale | 5.87 |

\$9.24

Poll Taxes 1939

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Katherine Thake, deceased | \$2.00 |
| Harry Thake, moved away | 2.00 |
| Alice Wardwell, unable to pay | 2.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | \$15.24 |

EDWIN L. BUNKER,
Collector for 1939

**REPORT OF CHARLES M. STEELE, COLLECTOR OF
TAXES FOR 1940**

Redemptions

| | |
|---|----------|
| Nettie H. Yeaton, bal. 1938 tax inc. int. | \$25.51 |
| Roscoe Kelley, 1938 tax inc. int. | 65.09 |
| Heirs S. S. Clark, 1940 tax inc. int. | 36.15 |
| Geo. F. Dowst, 1940 tax inc. int. | 6.80 |
| Edgar Lavallee, bal. 1940 tax. inc. int. | 53.78 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$187.33 |

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Uncollected taxes, Jan. 31, 1941 | \$3,672.16 | |
| Added property tax | 12.20 | |
| Added 6 poll taxes | 12.00 | |
| Interest from Jan. 31, 1941 | 194.12 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,890.48 |

Paid to Treasurer:

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| Property and poll taxes | \$3,657.22 | |
| Abatements on property tax | 29.14 | |
| Abatements on 5 poll taxes | 10.00 | |
| Interest from Jan. 31, 1941 | 194.12 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,890.48 |

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Charles M. Steele, Collector of Taxes for 1940 and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

LEWIS H. NUTTER,
 RUSSELL S. YEATON,
 Auditors

Epsom, N. H.
 February 12, 1942

**ABATEMENTS ON CHARLES M. STEELE'S LIST
 FOR 1940**

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Harris Mason, deceased | \$22.88 | |
| Mayland P. Ames, unable to pay | 1.07 | |
| Henry Sells, illegal tax | 4.58 | |
| Miller Clark, deeded to town | .61 | |
| | <hr/> | \$29.14 |

Poll Taxes:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Ada Ames, too poor to pay | \$2.00 | |
| John G. Bickford, too poor to pay | 2.00 | |
| Alice Wardwell, too poor to pay | 2.00 | |
| Elisabeth Adams, left town | 2.00 | |
| Katherine Thake, deceased | 2.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$10.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total | | \$39.14 |

REPORT OF GEORGE G. RING, COLLECTOR OF TAXES FOR 1941

Committed for Collection, 1941:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Property taxes | \$21,272.29 |
| Poll taxes | 770.00 |
| Bank stock taxes | 7.00 |
| Added property taxes | 134.10 |
| Added poll taxes | 104.00 |
| Interest to Jan. 31, 1942 | 9.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$22,296.39 |

Paid to Treasurer:

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Property and poll taxes | \$18,785.05 |
| Bank stock taxes | 7.00 |
| Discounts | 144.17 |
| Abatements | 316.90 |
| Interest | 9.00 |
| Uncollected taxes | 3.034.27 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$22,296.39 |

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. RING,
Collector for 1941

Property Tax to be Abated, 1941

| | |
|--|----------|
| Charles S. Bickford, duplicate entry, paid by Margaret Fitzgerald | \$90.30 |
| Mayland P. Ames, unable to pay | 2.70 |
| Ida Palmer, duplicate entry | 21.00 |
| Wm. P. and Julia Riley, duplicate entry | 12.00 |
| Earle Foster, overtax | 18.00 |
| Chas. Hill, duplicate entry | 45.00 |
| Louis P. Marche, overtax | 13.50 |
| George and Adeline Saul, overtax | 9.90 |
| Harris Mason, unable to pay | 22.50 |
| Discounts allowed | 144.17 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$379.07 |

1941 Poll Taxes to be Abated

Adams, Elizabeth, moved away
 Ames, Ada W., unable to pay
 Bartlett, Dorothy, now Tanner, Dorothy, duplicate entry
 Bickford, Charles S., moved away
 Bickford, Katie R., moved away
 Blanchard, Horace, moved away
 Boyce, John, over age limit
 Burnham, Hattie A., over age limit
 Brown, John C., over age limit
 Brown, Celia, pays in Concord
 Elliott, Charles, over age limit
 Fannee, Emery, moved away
 Fannee, Alexina, moved away
 Forest, Alfred, moved away
 Forest, Lydia, moved away
 Forest, Narcisse, moved away
 Hamilton, Warren, moved away
 Howard, John, over age limit
 Hodges, Albert L., over age limit

Lombard, George E., over age limit
Mackenzie, Alice, moved away
Marston, Gilbert, moved away
Marston, Ellen, moved away
Morrill, Rachael, moved away
Sanders, Mary M., pays in Concord
Stevens, Edgar A., moved away
Stevens, Ruth P., moved away
Stevens, Warren G., moved away
Stevens, Bessie M., moved away
Thake, Katherine, dead
Tanner, Dorothy M. B., moved away
Tanner, Clarence, moved away
Tanner, Anna M., moved away
Towle, Ralph E., exempt, veteran
Virtue, John, pays in Manchester
Ward, Marshall, moved away
Ward, Carol, moved away
Wetmore, William S., moved away
Wetmore, Priscilla, moved away
Young, Lottie, over age limit
Zinn, Agnes P., dead

**REPORT OF JOHN P. YEATON, ROAD AGENT
DISTRICT NO. 1**

Improved Class 5 Roads

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|----------|
| Geo. Kelley | \$12.50 | |
| Watson Ambrose | 14.00 | |
| Lewis Hill | 20.00 | |
| J. B. Yeaton | 22.00 | |
| T. R. Yeaton | 65.00 | |
| Howard Curtis | 15.50 | |
| Geo. Dowst | 15.00 | |
| A. J. Yeaton | 12.00 | |
| Chas. Morrell | 3.00 | |
| E. M. Kelley | 12.00 | |
| Elbridge Bartlett | 3.00 | |
| H. L. Stevens | 12.00 | |
| A. Hiederman | 1.50 | |
| Roscoe Kelley | 40.00 | |
| H. I. Yeaton | 5.00 | |
| T. B. Langley | 40.00 | |
| A. H. Sullivan | 5.00 | |
| John P. Yeaton | 289.50 | |
| E. M. Bunker | 3.00 | |
| Arthur Roby | 10.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$600.00 |

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN P. YEATON

Supplies

| | | |
|--------------------|---------|---------|
| Bickford & Huckins | \$38.50 | |
| H. P. Maxfield | 14.00 | |
| Francis Peaslee | 5.00 | |
| Demers & Steele | 5.00 | |
| W. H. Knowles | 3.55 | |
| | <hr/> | \$66.05 |

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN P. YEATON

Unimproved Class 5 Roads

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| Geo. Kelley | \$10.00 |
| Watson Ambrose | 14.00 |
| Lewis Hill | 14.50 |
| J. B. Yeaton | 17.00 |
| T. R. Yeaton | 64.00 |
| Howard Curtis | 10.00 |
| Geo. Dowst | 6.00 |
| Wheeler Bros. | 10.00 |
| E. M. Kelley | 8.00 |
| Elbridge Bartlett | 1.50 |
| Glenn Yeaton | 3.00 |
| H. D. Yeaton | 39.50 |
| Roscoe Kelley | 26.00 |
| H. I. Yeaton | 4.00 |
| T. B. Langley | 21.00 |
| R. F. Demers | 4.50 |
| J. P. Yeaton | 243.95 |
| Barton Bros. | 12.00 |
| Leslie Clark | 2.00 |
| A. D. Sherburne | 10.00 |
| Arthur Roby | 13.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$533.95 |

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. YEATON

REPORT OF JOHN P. YEATON

Winter Work

| | | |
|------------------------|---------|----------|
| T. R. Yeaton | \$31.00 | -- |
| Lewis Hill | 6.40 | |
| R. Warren | 9.80 | |
| J. P. Yeaton (truck) | 26.00 | |
| T. B. Langley | 10.00 | |
| Arthur Roby | 10.00 | |
| H. D. Yeaton | 13.00 | |
| Howard Curtis | 8.40 | |
| R. F. Demers | 6.00 | |
| A. Osborne | 5.00 | |
| Geo. Dowst | 2.00 | |
| A. Locke | 1.00 | |
| J. P. Yeaton (plowing) | 154.00 | |
| J. P. Yeaton(sand) | 6.00 | |
| Barton Bros. | 5.00 | |
| J. B. Yeaton | 5.00 | |
| | | \$298.60 |

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN P. YEATON

REPORT OF ELDON W. HOWARD, ROAD AGENT DISTRICT NO. 2

Improved Class 5 Roads

| | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| State Highway | \$73.92 |
| Albert F. Yeaton | 7.60 |
| Bickford & Huckins, plank | 16.41 |
| Harris Mason, Jr. | 23.00 |
| Robert Dowst | 23.00 |
| Louis Hill | 3.00 |
| John Howard | 1.00 |
| Eldon W. Howard, truck | 10.14 |

| | | |
|-------------------------|--------|----------|
| Eldon W. Howard, labor | 5.59 | |
| Arthur Stearns | 14.00 | |
| Roland LaFleur | .67 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, grader | 383.00 | |
| Calvin Menard | 20.67 | |
| Adin Munroe | 18.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$600.00 |

Unimproved Class 5 Roads

| | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|------------|
| Calvin Menard | \$22.29 | |
| James Libbey | 14.67 | |
| Almon Worth | 1.00 | |
| Maurice Yeaton, truck | 13.33 | |
| John Howard | 9.00 | |
| Oscar Henriksen | 3.67 | |
| George Stearns | 4.00 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, truck | 88.97 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, labor | 43.03 | |
| Adin Munroe | 20.00 | |
| Arthur Stearns | 8.34 | |
| Ned Witham | 15.00 | |
| Steve Bosak, gravel | 4.35 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, gravel | 3.15 | |
| Guy Wheeler | 13.67 | |
| Herbert Wheeler | 9.00 | |
| Karl Rand | 7.00 | |
| S. Fanny | 4.67 | |
| Russel Hunt | 7.33 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, grader | 358.00 | |
| Henry Dowst, Jr. | 2.33 | |
| Gregory Hurd | 2.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$654.80 |
| Received from Town of Epsom | | \$1,254.80 |

Respectfully submitted,
 ELDON W. HOWARD,
 Road Agent, District No. 2

Winter Work — 1942

| | | |
|--------------------------|----------|----------|
| Eldon W. Howard, plowing | \$348.25 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, truck | 11.10 | |
| Eldon W. Howard, labor | 2.80 | |
| John Davis | 8.40 | |
| Roland LeFleur | 2.40 | |
| Arthur Stearns | 25.20 | |
| John Brown | 7.20 | |
| Eugene Wells | 1.20 | |
| George Stearns | 16.00 | |
| Herbert Wheeler | 1.60 | |
| Adin Munroe | 9.60 | |
| Oscar Henricksen | 4.60 | |
| Frank Hurd | 4.40 | |
| Philip Cofran | 6.40 | |
| Almon Worth | 7.60 | |
| Maurice Yeaton | 4.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$460.75 |

Respectfully submitted,

ELDON W. HOWARD

REPORT OF ALBERT J. YEATON, OVERSEER OF THE POOR

Town Relief Cases from March 1, 1941 to Jan. 31, 1942

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|----------|
| March 1, 1941, number of cases | 2 | |
| January 31, 1942, number of cases | 2 | |
| Received from the Town of Epsom | | \$385.00 |
| Paid out for Town relief | | 382.90 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand January 31, 1942 | | \$2.10 |

Relief Cases Chargeable to Merrimack County

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|----------|
| March 1, 1941, number of cases | 3 | |
| January 31, 1942, number of cases | 2 | |
| Received from the Town of Epsom | | \$670.00 |
| Paid out for County Relief | | 650.35 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand January 31, 1942 | | \$19.65 |
| Due the Town of Epsom from Merrimack | | |
| County bill of January 1942 | | \$63.63 |

Old Age Assistance for the Year Ending January 31, 1942

Number of Old Age Assistance cases chargeable to the Town of Epsom:

| 1941 | Amount of | Town's |
|---------------------|-----------|---------|
| | Grant | Share |
| March, 14 cases | \$278.50 | \$69.63 |
| April, 14 cases | 281.25 | 70.31 |
| May, 14 cases | 277.25 | 69.31 |
| June, 17 cases | 330.25 | 82.56 |
| July, 17 cases | 319.25 | 79.81 |
| August, 17 cases | 320.95 | 80.24 |
| September, 17 cases | 321.50 | 80.38 |
| October, 17 cases | 311.84 | 77.96 |

| | | |
|--------------------|--------|-------|
| November, 17 cases | 312.25 | 78.06 |
| December, 17 cases | 313.04 | 78.26 |

\$766.52

Bill for Jan. 1942 had not been received from State of
N. H. on Jan. 31, 1942.

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Received of the Town of Epsom | \$790.00 |
| Paid the State of New Hampshire | 766.52 |

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Balance on hand January 31, 1942 | \$23.48 |
|----------------------------------|---------|

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. YEATON

EXPENSES ON RELIEF CASES

For the Month of February 1941

| | |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Paid for four County Cases | \$148.37 |
| Paid for three Town Cases | 67.78 |
| Paid for Old Age Assistance | 71.79 |

\$287.94

| | |
|---|----------|
| Due from Town of Epsom Jan. 31—Aid to County Cases | \$411.56 |
| Paid to Town of Epsom—Bal. on hand | 109.32 |

\$808.82

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Received from Town of Epsom | \$708.00 |
| Due Town of Epsom Jan. 31, 1941 | |
| Old Age Assistance Money | 82.38 |
| Due Town of Epsom Jan. 31, 1941 | |
| Town Poor Money | 18.04 |

\$808.42

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. YEATON

AUDITORS' REPORT

Assets

| | |
|--|------------|
| Balance in treasury | \$5,467.89 |
| Uncollected taxes for 1941 | 3,034.27 |
| State Treasurer, bounties | 6.20 |
| Merrimack County, aid to poor | 63.63 |
| Overseer of Poor | 45.23 |
| 177 Shares of Suncook Valley R. R. stock | no value |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | \$8,617.22 |

Liabilities

| | |
|--|------------|
| Amount due School District, balance of | |
| 1941 appropriation | \$5,066.31 |
| Balance of dog licenses collected | 215.53 |
| Amount due on fire truck note | 1,900.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | \$7,181.84 |

| | |
|-------------------|------------|
| Total assets | \$8,617.22 |
| Total liabilities | 7,181.84 |

| | |
|----------------|------------|
| Credit to town | \$1,435.38 |
|----------------|------------|

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collectors, Cemetery Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, Library Trustees, Overseer of the Poor and Road Agents of the Town and Epsom and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

LEWIS H. NUTTER,
 RUSSELL S. YEATON,
 Auditors

Epsom, N. H., February 13, 1942.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EPSOM, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1942

| Date of Creation | For Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lots Trust Funds — Purpose of Creation | How Invested | Amount of Principal | Rate of Interest | Balance of Income on hand at beginning of year | Income during year | Expended during year | Balance of Income on hand at end of year |
|------------------|--|-----------------|---------------------|------------------|--|--------------------|----------------------|--|
| | | | | | | | | |
| 1903 | John L. Brackett, by self | In Savings Bank | \$50.00 | 2% | \$6.17 | \$1.12 | \$0.00 | \$7.29 |
| 1903 | S. M. Chesley, by self | " | 50.00 | " | 5.10 | 1.10 | .50 | 5.70 |
| 1903 | J. A. Clough, by self | " | 50.00 | " | .30 | 1.00 | 1.25 | .05 |
| 1907 | Mary A. Swain, by self | " | 50.00 | " | 1.25 | .99 | 1.25 | .99 |
| 1912 | Susan E. P. Forbes, by self | " | 200.00 | " | 48.53 | 4.96 | 6.75 | 46.74 |
| 1915 | William McMurphy, by self | " | 25.00 | " | .22 | .50 | .50 | .22 |
| 1915 | Abbie Hopkinson, by self | " | 1,000.00 | " | 25.26 | 20.17 | 25.26 | 20.17 |
| 1915 | C. F. Griffin, by self | " | 50.00 | " | .26 | 1.00 | 1.25 | .01 |
| 1915 | Gen. B. L. Locke | " | 50.00 | " | .36 | 1.00 | 1.25 | .11 |
| 1915 | Morrill Hoyt, by Ebenezer Hoyt | " | 50.00 | " | .65 | 1.00 | 1.25 | .44 |
| 1915 | Mary B. L. Dowst, by self | " | 100.00 | " | 25.06 | 2.50 | 0.00 | 27.56 |
| 1917 | Horace Bickford, by self | " | 100.00 | " | .02 | 2.00 | 2.00 | .02 |
| 1917 | Hiram A. Holmes, by self | " | 100.00 | " | 31.09 | 2.62 | 2.00 | 31.71 |
| 1917 | Henry Knox, by self | " | 100.00 | " | 26.72 | 2.52 | 15.00 | 14.24 |
| 1917 | Flora E. Burnham, by self | " | 50.00 | " | 4.73 | 1.08 | 2.00 | 3.81 |
| 1917 | Sarah N. Holmes | " | 100.00 | " | 17.52 | 2.34 | 2.25 | 17.61 |
| | (John Wallace lot and Wallace row) | | | | | | | |
| 1917 | Mary A. Evans—two lots, by self | " | 400.00 | " | 81.69 | 9.62 | 13.50 | 77.81 |
| 1917 | Walter Chesley, by self | " | 50.00 | " | 5.53 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 5.38 |
| 1918 | John Cotteral, by Clara Cotteral | " | 100.00 | " | 2.52 | 2.01 | 2.52 | 2.01 |
| 1918 | William Sanders, by Clara Cotteral | " | 50.00 | " | 1.26 | 1.01 | 1.26 | .75 |
| 1920 | Eliza J. Bickford, by self | " | 100.00 | " | 8.19 | 2.16 | 2.01 | 9.60 |
| 1921 | John M. Moses, by self | " | 100.00 | " | 2.52 | 2.01 | 2.52 | 2.01 |
| 1921 | Sophila Bullfinch, by self | " | 50.00 | " | 9.25 | 1.18 | 1.75 | 8.68 |
| 1922 | Daniel T. Cilley, by Annie Towle | " | 50.00 | " | 5.41 | 1.10 | 1.25 | 5.26 |
| 1922 | John and Salome Babb, by Annie Towle | " | 50.00 | " | 10.77 | 1.20 | 1.00 | 10.97 |
| 1924 | Hilton Goodhue, Mrs. C. H. Kempton | " | 75.00 | " | 13.34 | 1.76 | 1.50 | 13.60 |

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Receipts

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Balance first of year | \$0.53 |
| Received for sale of lots | 35.00 |
| Received from Trustees of Trust Funds | 122.15 |
| | <hr/> \$157.68 |

Expenditures

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Care of lots and fence | \$122.15 |
| Paid for mowing and raking | 23.00 |
| Paid for up-keep of yard | 3.50 |
| Paid for deed blanks and making deeds | 5.25 |
| Paid for postage, envelopes, etc. | .42 |
| Cash on hand | 2.83 |
| In bank | .53 |
| | <hr/> \$157.68 |

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN L. BUNKER,
ELEANORA C. NUTTER,
OLAF A. RING,
Cemetery Trustees

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Cemetery Trustees of the town of Epsom, and find them correctly cast, and supported by the proper vouchers.

LEWIS H. NUTTER,
RUSSELL S. YEATON,
Auditors

**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE
EPSOM PUBLIC LIBRARY**

During the year the trustees have tried to get new underpinning for the porch of the library but were unable to get anyone to repair it for the appropriation allowed, so we hope to have sufficient money appropriated this year to complete the job.

The trustees discontinued the New Rye Branch of the library temporarily until such time as there is an increased demand for such a branch.

We were unable to complete the driveway and grounds around the library until the new highway is completed.

Each year shows increased interest in the library and we are trying to keep books and magazines available that meet the demand.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. RING,
MARGERY C. YEATON,
FLORENCE L. YEATON,
Trustees

Financial Statement**Receipts**

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Balance on hand January 31, 1941 | \$88.27 |
| Town of Epsom | 200.00 |
| Trustees of Trust Funds | 95.78 |
| State Highway Department | 20.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$404.05 |

Expenditures

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Bank Service charge | \$7.00 |
| Concord Electric Co. | 11.00 |
| Gaylord Bros. | 5.55 |
| Binding books | 6.00 |
| N. H. Library dues and meetings | 4.50 |
| Magazines | 8.25 |
| Janitor | 25.00 |
| Librarians | 88.00 |
| Wood | 4.25 |
| Books | 98.42 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$257.97 |
| Balance on hand | 146.08 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$404.05 |

Library Endowment Fund

| | |
|--------------------------|------------|
| Mary A. Evans fund | \$500.00 |
| Benjamin F. Webster fund | 1,000.00 |
| Susan E. P. Forbes fund | 2,000.00 |
| Charles Summer Hall fund | 200.00 |
| Warren Tripp fund | 200.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3,900.00 |

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of Epsom Public Library:

The librarian submits the following report:

| | |
|---|-------|
| Total number of accessioned volumes January | |
| 31, 1941 | 5,060 |
| Books purchased during the year | 82 |
| Books presented to the library | 40 |

| | |
|---|-------|
| Total number of accessioned volumes January | |
| 31, 1942 | 5,182 |

Circulation figures for 1941:

| | |
|----------------------|-------|
| Adult fiction | 2,448 |
| Juvenile fiction | 1,048 |
| Adult non-fiction | 442 |
| Juvenile non-fiction | 186 |
| Magazines | 291 |

| | |
|-------|-------|
| Total | 4,415 |
|-------|-------|

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|-------------------------|----|
| Number of new borrowers | 27 |
|-------------------------|----|

The librarian and trustees wish to thank the following persons for books presented to the library this year: The Epsom Woman's Club, Miss Alice Knox, Mrs. Geo. Ring, Mr. Reynolds, Mrs. Geo. Stevens, and Mr. Arthur Stevens.

The Bookmobile has stopped at the library about every six weeks and loaned us books from the Public Library Commission.

Cash Account

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Cash on hand January 31, 1941 | \$1.20 |
| Fines | 5.37 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$6.57 |

Expenditures

| | |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Refund on book returned | \$1.50 |
| Postage on books | .45 |
| Due cards | .57 |
| Ink | .10 |
| Wee Wisdom | 1.00 |
| Catalog cards | 1.00 |
| 5 reprints | 1.95 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$6.57 |

Respectfully submitted,

HESTER E. BICKFORD,
Librarian

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

| | |
|--------------------------|--|
| Received from treasurer | \$50.00 |
| Paid for band | \$30.00 |
| Paid speaker | 15.00 |
| Paid for 20 flags | 2.00 |
| Paid for rent of hall | 1.00 |
| Paid for telephone calls | .20 |
| Cash on hand | 1.80 |
| | <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto;"/> |
| | \$50.00 |
| Paid to Town | \$1.80 |

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. STEELE,
GEO. H. YEATON,
EDWIN L. BUNKER,
Memorial Day Committee

REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

| | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Paid for Truck | \$27.50 |
| Paid for Team | 12.00 |
| Paid for Labor | 57.65 |
| Paid for Repairs to Lights | 2.85 |
| | <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto;"/> |
| | \$100.00 |
| Received from Town Treasurer | \$100.00 |

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN M. TOWLE,
GROVER T. STEVENS,
WARREN T. FOWLER,
Commissioners

**REPORT OF WALTER B. WELLS,
HEALTH OFFICER**

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Salary, including reporting diseases and general duties | \$5.00 |
| Quarantining, supervision and care of 5 cases, 5 infected houses, scarlet fever | 15.00 |
| Telephone charges and postage for year | .43 |
| Total | <hr/> \$20.43 |

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER B. WELLS,
Health Officer

**REPORT OF THE EPSOM VOLUNTEER FIRE
DEPARTMENT**

Year Ending January 31, 1941

I submit herewith the annual report of the Epsom Volunteer Fire Department.

During the past year the department has answered eighteen calls. All were minor fires; causing very little damage.

In July we were proud to become the owners of a five hundred gallon American LaFrance Pumper with nine hundred feet of new hose. The Town enlarged the fire station and purchased a new heater.

We are doing all that is required by the State Defense Council in regard to preparedness for service to the Town in the present emergency. If, at Town Meeting it is voted to purchase sirens, we will be as well prepared in case of fire or air raid as any community of equal size in the state.

The department has held regular meetings throughout the year, which have been well attended.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT,
Chief

Statement of Northwood and Epsom Fire

| | |
|--|----------|
| Epsom share of cost of fire | \$494.50 |
| Epsom spent on fire for which certified bills submitted | 487.59 |
| | <hr/> |
| Epsom owes state | \$6.91 |

Very truly yours,

THOS. J. KING,
District Chief

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1941

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Received as per Treasurer's report | \$11,185.82 |
|------------------------------------|-------------|

Payments

| | |
|---|----------|
| Salaries of district officers | \$110.00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary | 178.63 |
| Truant officer and school census | 20.00 |
| Expenses of administration | 28.02 |
| Teachers' salaries | 3,200.00 |
| Text books | 135.71 |
| Scholars' supplies | 125.10 |
| Flags and appurtenances | .80 |
| Other expenses of instruction | 24.76 |
| Janitor service | 115.00 |
| Fuel | 148.80 |
| Water, light and janitors' supplies | 103.15 |
| Minor repairs and expenses | 464.12 |
| Medical inspection and health supervision | 200.00 |
| Transportation of pupils | 2,600.00 |
| High school and academy tuition | 2,570.92 |
| Elementary school tuition | 239.75 |
| Other special activities | 11.10 |
| Tax for state wide supervision | 290.00 |
| Insurance | 56.80 |
| Alterations of old buildings | 267.94 |

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|----------------|-------------|
| Total payments | \$10,890.60 |
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|-------------------------------|----------|
| Balance on hand June 30, 1941 | \$295.22 |
|-------------------------------|----------|

Payments in Detail

| | |
|---|--------|
| Stanley L. Drew, cleaning chimney at Center | \$1.50 |
| Fred C. Fife, repairs at New Rye | 25.27 |
| Eugene Call, shingles and labor at Gossville, Center and Short Falls | 164.95 |
| Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, drain pipe for Short Falls | 14.69 |
| Bailey Lumber Co., windows and lumber for Center and Short Falls | 83.00 |
| Manchester Supply Co., sink for Short Falls | 6.60 |
| Helen Ambrose, cleaning Center and Goss- ville schoolhouses | 10.00 |
| Barbara Munroe, cleaning Short Falls and New Rye schoolhouses | 10.00 |
| Edwin L. Bunker, labor and repairs at Center | 31.56 |
| George H. Haynes, oiling floors | 7.60 |
| Edward E. Babb Co., window shades for Center and supplies | 36.09 |
| Warren T. Fowler, labor, trucking and expenses | 19.00 |
| John Boyce, labor and repairs to seats | 6.50 |
| Fred Knight, repairs on coat racks | 4.50 |
| Frank W. Sawyer, labor and supplies at Gossville | 26.55 |
| Lewis H. Nutter, labor and expenses | 5.00 |
| Silver and Young, supplies | 5.04 |
| Bickford and Huckins, lumber and kindlings | 18.34 |
| Watson Ambrose, wood for Center | 20.00 |
| Adin Munroe, wood for New Rye | 34.00 |
| Albert J. Yeaton, wood for Short Falls, Gossville and Center | 68.00 |
| Sylva Fanny, wood for Short Falls | 16.00 |
| Eldon W. Howard, sawing wood | 2.50 |
| Pembroke Water Works | 22.00 |
| Concord Electric Co., lights | 48.20 |
| Cheshire Chemical Co., paper towels | 8.70 |
| Dickerman & Co., paper towels | 9.80 |
| Silver and Young, supplies | 2.86 |

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| O. C. Lombard, supplies | 7.59 |
| G. E. Rundlett | .80 |
| Laidlaw Bros., books and supplies | 9.74 |
| Arlo Publishing Co., text books | 7.30 |
| Milton Bradley Co., supplies | 45.33 |
| Beckley-Cardy Co., text books | 1.20 |
| Ginn & Co., text books | 59.83 |
| J. L. Hammett Co., books and supplies | 11.38 |
| Harry Houston, text books | 1.12 |
| Macmillan Co., books and supplies | 31.97 |
| Scott Foresman & Co., text books | 8.74 |
| L. W. Singer Co., text books | 5.69 |
| University of New Hampshire, text books | 5.00 |
| University of North Carolina, text books | .83 |
| Webster Publishing Co., supplies | 2.23 |
| World Book Co., text books | 13.58 |
| Barnes & Noble, text books | .63 |
| Bobbs-Merrill Co., text books | 2.74 |
| Denoyer-Geppert Co., supplies | 11.10 |
| Character Building Publications, text books | 1.20 |
| American Education Press, supplies | 21.28 |
| Ginn & Co., supplies | 2.93 |
| Houghton and Mifflin Co., supplies | 2.41 |
| Schoolcrafters, supplies | 12.88 |
| Geo. E. Gordon & Co., supplies for nurse | 4.15 |
| Euna W. Keniston, teaching Center school | 800.00 |
| Katherine C. Knight, teaching Gossville school | 800.00 |
| Verna W. Hunt, teaching Short Falls school | 800.00 |
| Margery C. Yeaton, teaching New Rye school | 800.00 |
| Adonia Douillette, school nurse | 200.00 |
| James B. Osborne, transportation, Gossville and Center | 1,250.00 |
| Samuel W. Marston, transportation to Pittsfield | 300.00 |
| Jesse A. Hunt, transportation, Short Falls and New Rye | 1,050.00 |
| John Boyce, janitor at Gossville | 40.00 |
| Helen Ambrose, janitor at Center | 25.00 |

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|--|-------------|
| Verna W. Hunt, janitor at Short Falls | 25.00 |
| Bertha Haynes, janitor at New Rye | 21.50 |
| Margery C. Yeaton, janitor at New Rye | 3.50 |
| Walter T. Tripp, insurance on schoolhouses | 56.80 |
| Mrs. Sarah I. Smith, stove jacket | 2.00 |
| Edward E. Babb Co., septic toilet system | 265.94 |
| Pembroke Academy, high school tuition | 2,192.68 |
| Union School District, Concord, high school tuition | 318.24 |
| Coe-Brown Academy | 60.00 |
| Pittsfield School District, elementary tuition | 203.75 |
| Chichester School District, elementary tuition | 36.00 |
| State Treasurer of New Hampshire, per capita tax | 290.00 |
| Roger D. Hutchins, superintendent's excess salary and expenses of Union | 189.81 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., 500 school vouchers | 7.16 |
| C. W. Doe, books, supplies and expenses | 7.86 |
| Warren T. Fowler, school board chairman | 45.00 |
| Eleanora C. Nutter, school board member | 25.00 |
| Henry Dowst, school board member | 25.00 |
| Mary E. Q. Philbrick, treasurer | 15.00 |
| Walter B. Wells, truant officer and census | 20.00 |
| J. Clifton Fife, I. O. O. F. Hall for graduation | 3.00 |
| Hilaire Drolet, music for graduation | 10.00 |
| Eleanora C. Nutter, Expense and ribbon for graduation | 6.53 |
| Mary E. Q. Philbrick, postage and stationery | 5.31 |
| Knoll-Crest Gardens, roses for graduation | 4.00 |
| Bridge & Byron, programs for graduation | 6.62 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$10,890.60 |

Assets

| | |
|---|----------|
| Balance in hand of Treasurer, June 30, 1941 | \$295.22 |
|---|----------|

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANORA C. NUTTER,
HENRY DOWST,
WARREN T. FOWLER,
School Board of Epsom

Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Epsom, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

AMY K. BARTLETT,
Auditor

July 7, 1941

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1941

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1940 | \$160.53 |
| Received from Town Treasurer: | |
| Appropriation for current year | \$9,333.37 |
| Dog tax | 234.45 |
| Received from State Treasurer | 1,390.27 |
| Received from all other sources | 67.20 |
| | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> 11,025.29 |
| Total amount available | \$11,185.82 |
| Less school board orders paid | 10,890.60 |
| | <hr style="width: 100%;"/> |
| Balance on hand as of June 30, 1941 | \$295.22 |

MARY E. Q. PHILBRICK,

Treasurer

June 30, 1941.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Epsom:

In addition to their regular work, the schools are engaged in defense activities. Junior Red Cross groups have been organized. General instructions based on principles recommended in the one-day air-raid school conducted in Concord and attended by Mrs. Nutter (Chairman of the School Board), Mr. Henry Dowst, and the Superintendent, have been sent to all schools. Details as to shelters, drills, and warnings, are being worked out by teachers, wardens, and school board members in the different localities. Where schoolhouses serve as shelters, the school board should see that hazards are reduced so far as possible. Interested organizations might help with this project. Teachers have taken courses in first aid and home nursing, and have been instructed to stress similar units of instruction in the school program. Now it is said that teachers are to administer the sugar rationing program. All pupils follow the meaning of current events, through periodical literature furnished in the schools for the various ages. Arrangements have been made with the State Police to fingerprint children for their own protection. These records will be kept in a separate file. All persons having the guidance of children should help them cultivate an attitude of calmness, assurance, and obedience to recognized authority, worthy of our pioneer forefathers.

The present organization of the schools is as follows:

| School | Grades | Teacher | Enrollment |
|-------------|--------|------------------------|------------|
| Center | 5-8 | Mrs. Euna W. Keniston | 21 |
| Gossville | 1-4 | Mrs. Katherine Knight | 24 |
| New Rye | 5-8 | Mrs. Margery C. Yeaton | 23 |
| Short Falls | 1-4 | Mrs. Verna W. Hunt | 23 |
| Total | | | 91 |

Our faithful and experienced teachers, who have assumed many new duties as demands upon the schools have grown more complex, should receive salaries nearer to the scale in other towns and more adequate in present economic conditions.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER W. DOE,
Superintendent of Schools

February 7, 1942.

Honor Roll of Perfect Attendance for One Year

Pauline Ambrose, Beverley Ashley, Raymond Fife, Richard Hodges, Earl LaFleur, Robert Yeaton, Gladys Jaworski, Leo Girard, Flint Wells, Cecile Girard.

Pupils Attending High School, 1941-2

CONCORD XII Carroll Bartlett, Gordon Huckins, XI Frances Bartlett, Clara Yeaton; PEMBROKE ACADEMY XII Leslie Clark, Kathleen Demers, Geraldine Fowler, Marjorie Fowler, Nancy Lombard, Catherine Yeaton, Marieta Yeaton, Theodore Yeaton, XI Arlene Clark, Robert Dowst, Jeanette Demers, Carroll Stevens, Charles Yeaton, Norman Pauling, X Lillian Ambrose, Emery Dowst, Gwendolyn Elliott, Grace Garrison, Marianne Heidmann, Janet Lombard, Edward Nutter, Myra Palmer, Albert Yeaton, Jr., IX Helen Ambrose, Raymond Fife, Gladys Palmer, Alfred Sawyer, Elsie Yeaton, Grace Yeaton, Phylis Yeaton, Velma Munroe, Joan Hendrickson, Lorraine Drolet, Francis Fitzgerald, LEBANON IX Harry Laware.

Epsom School Statistics, Year Ending June 30, 1941

| | |
|--|--------|
| Whole number of pupils registered | 106 |
| Not previously registered in N. H. | |
| Boys | 48 |
| Girls | 56 |
| Half-days schools in session, average | 352 |
| Aggregate attendance | 31,795 |
| Aggregate absence | 1,762 |
| Per cent of attendance | 94.80 |
| Average attendance | 91.37 |
| Average absence | 5.01 |
| Cases of tardiness | 55 |
| Pupils not absent nor tardy | 12 |
| Pupils transported at district expense | 83 |

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----|
| Tuition paid by district elsewhere | |
| Elementary | 6 |
| Secondary | 35 |
| Visits made by Superintendent | 75 |
| Visits by other citizens | 180 |

Proposed School Calendar 1942-3

| | |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| Sept. 8—Nov. 25 | 11 weeks and 2 days |
| Nov. 30—Dec. 23 | 3 weeks and 3 days |
| Jan. 4—Feb. 19 | 7 weeks |
| Mar. 1—Apr. 16 | 7 weeks |
| Apr. 26—June 16 | 7 weeks and 3 days |
| Total | 36 weeks and 3 days |

No School Days

Oct. 22 and 23—Teachers' Convention
 Nov. 11—Armistice Day
 May 31—Memorial Day
 2 days of institutes

Annual Health Report

Number of pupils examined—102

| <i>Defects</i> | <i>No. Pupils Affected</i> | <i>Pupils Reported to Parents</i> | <i>Pupils Receiving Treatment</i> | <i>No. Defects Corrected</i> |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|
| Underweight (10%) | 25 | 11 | 4 | ---- |
| Defective Vision | 8 | 8 | ---- | 5 |
| Deformity | 1 | ---- | ---- | ---- |
| Defective Teeth | 81 | ---- | ---- | 58 |
| Diseased Tonsils | 11 | 11 | ---- | 3 |
| Defective Breathing | 7 | 7 | ---- | ---- |
| Adenoids | 7 | 5 | ---- | 3 |
| Enlarged Glands | 9 | 9 | ---- | ---- |

Cases of Communicable Diseases

Whooping Cough 47

Protection Against Communicable Diseases

| | |
|---|-----|
| (a) Total number vaccinated | 100 |
| (b) Total number unvaccinated | 2 |
| (c) Total number excused by board of health | 2 |

Special Work

| Clinics Held | Where Held | Number Treated |
|--------------|----------------|----------------|
| Eye | Concord | 1 |
| Eye | Concord & Man. | 2 |
| Orthopedic | Manchester | 1 |
| Orthopedic | Concord | 1 |
| Dental | Epsom | 35 |
| Dental | Pembroke | 1 |

ADONIA DOUILLETTE,

School Nurse

GRADUATION EXERCISES EPSOM GRAMMAR SCHOOL

I. O. O. F. Hall, June 11, 1941

PROGRAMME

| | |
|--|----------------------------------|
| Selection | Drolet Family Orchestra |
| Invocation | Rev. Leonard P. Edwards |
| Address of Welcome | Elsie Yeaton |
| Medley of Stephen Foster Songs | Gladys Palmer |
| Introduction | Alfred Sawyer |
| The Life of Stephen Foster—Essays | |
| Phylis Yeaton, Helen Ambrose, Harry Laware, Gladys Palmer, Arlene Sherburne | |
| Songs of Stephen Foster | Center School |
| "Let's Visit Alaska"—Play | New Rye School |
| Father | Bradford Allen |
| Mother | Velma Munroe |
| Aunt May | Doris Henley |
| George | Richard Fowler |
| Evelyn | Glenna Yeaton |
| John | Morris Mason |
| Anita | Gladys Jaworski |
| Helen | Elizabeth Mason |
| Joe | Vernon Hall |
| Carl | Donald Munroe |
| Class Will | Doris Henley |
| Class Song | Eighth Grade |
| Farewell Address | Grace Yeaton |
| Presentation of Diplomas | Superintendent Chester W. Doe |
| Selection | Orchestra |
| Reception | |

Parts Awarded by Vote of the Class

Epsom Graduates 1941

Helen Elizabeth Ambrose
 Raymond Lyman Fife
 Harriett June Kelley
 Harry Laware
 Gladys Lela Palmer
 Alfred Richard Sawyer
 Arlene Elizabeth Sherburne
 Elsie Mildred Yeaton
 Grace Emily Yeaton
 Phylis Mary Yeaton
 Doris Ida Henley
 Leonard Stewart Batchelder
 Velma Jeanette Munroe

Ushers

| | |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Bradford Allen | Walter Pauling |
| Robert Yeaton | Gordon Ashley |
| Donald Munroe | Henry Stevens, Jr. |

Class Officers

| | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| Class President | Raymond Fife |
| Class Secretary | Doris Henley |
| Class Motto | "Practice Makes Perfect" |
| Class Colors | Blue and White |
| Class Flower | American Beauty Rose |
| Marshal | Richard Fowler |

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births Registered in the Town of Epsom for the Year ending December 31, 1941

| Date of birth. | Place of birth. | Name of the child (if any). | Sex and condition. | | Name of father. | Maiden name of mother. | Color of parents | Residence of parents. | Occupation of father. | Birthplace of father. | Birthplace of mother. |
|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | Sex. | Living or stillborn. | | | | | | | |
| | | | No. of child. | 1st, 2nd, etc. | Color. | | | | | | |
| 1941 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan. 27 | Epsom. | Deanna Lucille. | F | 1 | All White | Robert H. Cass. | Mertle L. Bartlett. | Epsom... | Poultryman | [Mass. Somersworth. | Epsom Pa. |
| Feb. 25 | Pittsfield. | Charles E. Jr. | M | 1 | All White | Charles E. Morrell. | Alice M. McDowell. | Epsom.... | Truck Driver | Epsom.... | Epsom Pa. |
| Mar. 4 | Epsom. | Joyce Ann. | F | 1 | All White | Roy J. Tanner. | Dorothy M. Bartlett. | Berkshire, Vt. | Poultryman | Berkshire, Vt. | Manchester |
| Mar. 10 | Chichester. | Jacquelyn Louise. | F | 1 | All White | Robert E. Parent. | Evelyn B. Girard. | Boston, Mass. | Salesman | Boston, Mass. | Concord |
| Apr. 16 | Concord. | Nancy Jayne. | F | 1 | All White | Elmer O. Bergstrom. | Ruby A. Bartlett. | Concord, N. Y. | R. R. Trackman. | Concord, N. Y. | Braintree, Vt. |
| May 23 | Epsom. | Lilla Harriet. | F | 1 | All White | Frederick M. Palmer. | Lilla M. Heath. | Littleton, Colo. | Electrician | Littleton, Colo. | Concord |
| May 24 | Concord. | Carolyn Louise. | F | 1 | All White | William S. Wetmore. | Prescilla N. Hutcher. | Littleton, Colo. | Electrician | Littleton, Colo. | Concord |
| July 30 | Concord. | Albert Dale. | M | 1 | All White | Wilfred H. Osborne. | Mary Louise Doherty. | Staten Island, N. Y. | Farmer | Staten Island, N. Y. | Manchester |
| Aug. 20 | Pittsfield. | Margaret Ann. | F | 1 | All White | Clyde H. Gauthier. | Frances L. Ambrose. | Staten Island, N. Y. | Farmer | Staten Island, N. Y. | Concord |
| Aug. 21 | Epsom. | Eldon Woodrow. | M | 1 | All White | Eldon W. Howard. | Edna A. Spill. | Haverhill. | Highway Dept. | Haverhill. | Concord |
| Dec. 24 | Concord. | Gail Irene. | F | 1 | All White | Clifford M. Osborne. | Dorothy T. Rand. | Epsom.... | Draftsman. | Epsom.... | Epsom |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. C. PHILBRICK, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Epsom, for the Year ending December 31, 1941

| Date of marriage. | Place of marriage. | Name and surname of groom and bride. | Residence of each at time of marriage. | Age. | Color. | Occupation of groom and bride. | Place of birth of each. | Names of parents. | Birthplace of parents. | Occupation. | What marriage. | Name, residence and official station of person by whom married. |
|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--|------|--------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|---|
| 1941 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Apr. 13 | Epsom. | Barnum L. Sardonis .. | Concord. | 24 | | Clerk | Nashua | Louis Sardonis | Greece. | Retired | 1 | Rev. Leonard P. Edwards, Epsom |
| | " | Olive M. Osborne | Epsom. | 21 | | " | Redfield, Can. | James B. Osborne | Nashua. | Home | 1 | |
| 27 | " | Ralph K. Ames | Northwood. | 29 | | Farmer | Lowell, Mass. | Lillian Clease | Bristol, Eng. .. | Home | 2 | Rev. Caroline F. Scott Deerfield |
| | | Mildred E. Palmer | Epsom. | 17 | | Home | Auburn. | Edna B. Kelley | Allenstown. | Home | 1 | |
| May 24 | Barnstead ... | Clyde H. Gauthier ... | " | 22 | | Laborer | Haverhill ... | Harriet E. Keniston. | Auburn | Home | 1 | Rev. Harry E. Little Barnstead |
| | | Frances L. Ambrose. | " | 19 | | Domestic | Epsom. | Ralph E. Gauthier .. | Littleton | Home | | |
| Nov. 29 | Pittsfield | Allan P. Barton. | " | 34 | | Farmer | " | Watson T. Ambrose. | Epsom. | Home | | |
| | | Pauline F. Stockman. | Pittsfield | 26 | | Domestic | Pittsfield | Helen Ordway | " | Home | | |
| | | | | | | | | Albert Barton | " | Home | | Rev. Ward H. Crawford Pittsfield |
| | | | | | | | | Mary G. Knowles. | Pittsfield | Home | | |
| | | | | | | | | Everett L. Stockman | " | Home | | |
| | | | | | | | | Josephine G. Dennett | " | Home | | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. C. PHILBRICK, *Town Clerk.*

Deaths Registered in the Town of Epsom, for the Year ending December 31, 1941

| Date of death. | Place of death. | Name and surname of deceased. | Age. | | Place of birth. | Sex and condition. | | Occupation. | Place of birth. | | Name of father. | Maiden name of mother. | | |
|----------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------|---------|-----------------|--------------------|------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------|---------|
| | | | Years. | Months. | | Days. | Sex. | | Color. | Sim. or wid'd. | | | Father. | Mother. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1941 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jan. 1 | Epsom. | Sophonria Y. Wells | 50 | 25 | Epsom. | F | | Housewife. | Epsom. | | Samuel R. Yeaton | Evelyn Stewart | | |
| 9 | Hooksett | Norman H. Monroe | 74 | 6 | Nova Scotia. | M | | Farmer | Nova Scotia. | | William S. Munroe | Barbara A. Rhyndard | | |
| 29 | Epsom. | Agnes P. Zinn | 58 | 6 | Germany | F | | Housewife. | Germany | | August Wiegandt | Paula Halbeck | | |
| Apr. 6 | " | Harriet J. Kyle | 83 | 4 | Deerfield | F | | | Deerfield | | William P. Ladd | Mary A. Brown | | |
| 20 | " | William C. Burnham | 68 | 7 | Epsom. | M | | Farmer | Epsom. | | James M. Burnham | Mary J. Wells | | |
| May 7 | Deerfield | John L. Libbey | 69 | 1 | Epsom. | M | | | | | Moses C. Libbey | Rosetta Langley | | |
| June 25 | Boscawen | Charles L. Quimby | 84 | 5 | " | M | | | | | | | | |
| 25 | Pembroke | Herbert A. Miller, Jr. | 32 | 7 | 16 [Mass. | M | | Housework | | | Hiram Guthrie | Lucinda Newcomb | | |
| 26 | Brentwood | Ardella Kennett | 65 | 21 | Somerville. | F | | Chief Forstr | Epsom. | | James H. Tripp | Sarah Moses | | |
| 28 | Lancaster | Walter H. Tripp | 66 | 2 | 4 Epsom. | M | | Farmer | Allenstown. | | Jackson C. Philbrick | Elizabeth Crawford | | |
| 11 | Epsom. | Trescott Griffin | 71 | 5 | 10 Allenstown. | M | | Broker | Boston, Mass. | | John W. Griffin | Flora C. Atwood | | |
| 17 | Bost'n, Mass. | Sarah M. Bunker | 78 | 6 | 23 Chichester. | F | | Home | Epsom. | | Joseph L. Swain | Hannah P. Olley | | |
| 26 | Concord. | Waldo A. Holmes | 67 | 5 | Epsom. | M | | Millwright. | Randolph | | Hiram A. Holmes | Caroline A. Yeaton | | |
| Aug. 7 | Penacook | Clover V. Gerig | 48 | 2 | 5 Epsom. | F | | Housewife. | Vermont | | George Devino | Hattie Foss | | |
| Sept. 24 | Epsom. | Lizzie E. Kimball | 54 | 2 | 28 Epsom. | F | | Home | Pittsfield | | Samuel L. Clark | Olive Pritchett | | |
| Nov. 18 | Gerrish | Jessie C. Gamage | 70 | 8 | " | F | | Housewife. | Epsom. | | George H. Rand. | Sarah A. Ordway | | |
| 19 | Epsom. | Annie M. Fowler | 73 | 8 | " | F | | Home | " | | Warren Tripp | Katie Bickford | | |
| Dec. 1 | " | Eldon W. Howard, Jr. | 78 | 3 | 10 " " | M | | Retired | Concord. | | Eldon W. Howard | Edna A. Snell | | |
| 2 | " | Flora C. Griffin | 84 | 10 | 2 B'ston, Mass. | F | | | Roxbury, Mass. | | Isaac F. Atwood | Caroline T. Ripley | | |
| 14 | Concord. | Harris S. Mason | 41 | 2 | 6 Epsom. | M | | Farmer | Allenstown. | | George W. Mason | Minnie R. Bickford | | |
| 22 | " | Ada F. Mackay | 54 | 10 | 21 Epsom. | F | | Home | Epsom. | | Cyrus Marden | Flora Marden | | |
| 30 | Epsom. | Edith N. Parker | 35 | 2 | 27 Hemiker.... | F | | Housework | Franklin Hillsboro. | | Ed. J. Shaw | Nellie Paterson | | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. C. PHILBRICK, Town Clerk.

