



HUNTINGTON
VERMONT
TOWN REPORT

FEBRUARY 1, 1939---JANUARY 31, 1940

TOWN OFFICERS

<i>Moderator</i>	H. J. ELLIS
<i>Town Clerk</i>	P. C. JACQUES
<i>Treasurer</i>	H. J. ELLIS
<i>Selectmen:</i>	
Term expires 1940.....	H. H. MITCHELL
Term expires 1941.....	R. H. FIELDER
Term expires 1942.....	P. C. JACQUES
<i>School Directors:</i>	
Term expires 1940.....	A. W. FIELDER
Term expires 1941.....	CLINTON PHILLIPS
Term expires 1942.....	MELVIN FIELDER
<i>Road Commissioner</i>	FAY B. SHATTUCK
<i>Listers:</i>	
Term expires 1940.....	W. E. MARTIN
Term expires 1941.....	C. O. WEAVER
Term expires 1942.....	R. E. MILES
<i>Overseer of Poor</i>	H. J. STEVENS
<i>Trustee of Public Money</i>	C. S. HIGLEY
<i>Town Grand Juror</i>	C. S. HIGLEY
<i>First Constable</i>	MAURICE MOXLEY
<i>Auditors:</i>	
Term expires 1940.....	EVELYN H. SMALL
Term expires 1941.....	GLADYS J. FULLER
Term expires 1942.....	ETHEL W. CARPENTER
<i>Cemetery Trustees:</i>	
Term expires 1940.....	ELI STOKES
Term expires 1941.....	EDSON PIERCE
Term expires 1942.....	H. A. ALGER
Term expires 1943.....	ANDREW LIBERTY
Term expires 1944.....	ROBERT RING

GRAND LIST, 1939—\$3,517.58

School tax.....	\$	1	10
Town tax.....		1	35
Highway tax.....			15
Snow tax.....			20
Chloride tax.....			10
Town records.....			15
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Total tax.....	\$	3	05

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

ACCOUNT WITH DOG LICENSE FUND

May 6, 81 male licenses @ \$2.00.....	\$	162	00
May 6, 2 female licenses @ \$6.00.....		12	00
May 6, 1 license @ \$3.00.....		3	00
May 6, Town Clerk's fees, 84 licenses @ 15c			\$ 12 60
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940, transfer to General Fund.....			164 40
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	\$	177 00	\$ 177 00

ACCOUNT WITH MINISTERIAL FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1939.....	\$	256	16
Received from lease lots.....		42	00
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940...			\$ 298 16
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	\$	298 16	\$ 298 16

ACCOUNT WITH CEMETERY FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1939.....	\$	64	22
Mowing Center Cemetery.....			\$ 6 00
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940...			58 22
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	\$	64 22	\$ 64 22

ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL FUND

January 31, 1939, amount overdrawn....	\$	339	95
Paid orders to January 31, 1940.....			5,373 32

Received from Poll taxes.....	\$ 221 80	
Received from July taxes.....	2,104 87	
Received from Lease lots.....	50 07	
Received from T. H. Cave, state aid....	1,701 86	
Received from November taxes.....	953 54	
Received from School board, Joe Weston, insurance	21 62	
Received refund from Allyn & Bacon....	1 44	
Received from Leon Hanks, chemicals..	3 00	
Received from E. E. Fish & Son, refund on account.....	1 89	
Received from abated taxes.....	20 57	
Received from Ann Smith, refund, trans- fer	33	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes	295 46	
January 31, 1940, amount overdrawn	336 82	
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	\$ 5,713 27	\$ 5,713 27

ACCOUNT WITH STATE SNOW FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1939.....	\$ 135 66	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, winter roads.....	312 07	
Received from Poll taxes.....	19 72	
Received from July taxes.....	187 10	
Received from November taxes.....	84 76	
Received from delinquent taxes.....	28 65	
Total orders paid.....		\$ 658 41
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940...		109 55
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	\$ 767 96	\$ 767 96

ACCOUNT WITH TOWN SNOW FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1939.....	\$ 228 77	
Received from Poll taxes.....	19 72	
Received from July taxes.....	187 10	
Received from November taxes.....	84 76	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes	16 90	
Received from E. A. Trapp, delinquent taxes	22	
Total orders paid.....		\$ 592 83
January 31, 1940, amount overdrawn	55 36	
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	\$ 592 83	\$ 592 83

ACCOUNT WITH CHLORIDE FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940.....	\$	53	59
Received from Poll taxes.....		19	72
Received from July taxes.....		187	10
Received from November taxes.....		84	76
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer dust layer.....		315	95
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes		26	98
Received from E. A. Trapp, delinquent taxes			22
Total orders paid.....	\$	633	36
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940..			54 96
	\$	688	32
	\$	688	32

ACCOUNT WITH STATE AID TOWN ROAD

Received from Poll taxes.....	\$	30	18
Received from July taxes.....		286	50
Received from November taxes.....		129	79
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, town highways.....		2,138	54
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes		25	53
Received from General Fund.....		294	42
Received from E. A. Trapp, delinquent taxes			33
Total orders paid.....	\$	2,808	59
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940...			96 70
	\$	2,905	29
	\$	2,905	29

ACCOUNT WITH VAULT FUND

Received from Poll taxes.....	\$	30	18
Received from July taxes.....		286	50
Received from November taxes.....		129	79
Received from General Fund.....		1,040	87
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes		9	34
Received from C. S. Higley, lumber....		1	00
Received from P. C. Jacques, material, vault			25

Orders paid.....	\$ 1,492 10
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940 transferred to General Fund.....	5 83
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	\$ 1,497 93 \$ 1,497 93

ACCOUNT WITH ROAD FUND

January 31, 1940, amount overdraw....		\$ 1,025 59
Received from C. Switzer, dynamite, fuse and cap.....	\$ 8 07	
Received T. H. Cave, Treasurer, Inc. tax and state aid.....	1,257 57	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, resurfacing	563 80	
Received from Fay Shattuck, error road order, No. 266.....	1 00	
Received from H. J. Ellis, dynamite and caps	3 47	
Received from G. A. Spaulding, digging ditch	9 12	
Received from H. J. Ellis, use of state shovel	68 70	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, selected roads.....	87 80	
Received from Town of Huntington:		
Appropriation, maintenance.....	175 60	
Appropriation, town resurfacing.....	281 54	
Received from abated taxes.....	5 13	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes	37 79	
Received from Norman Chasteney, dynamite and caps.....	42	
Received from Fay Shattuck, error on road order, No. 46.....	01	
Received from Town Treasurer, transferred from General Fund as voted to pay overdraw.....	1,025 59	
Total orders paid.....		6,818 41
Received from Emma Gorton, cement....	1 87	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, state flood.....	2,013 36	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, town flood.....	2,362 31	

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940...

59 15

 \$ 7,903 15 \$ 7,903 15

ACCOUNT WITH GENERAL FUND

January 31, 1940, balance on hand.....	\$ 4,218 31	
Received from H. J. Stevens, refund....	2 25	
Received from Chas. Bannister, refund on WPA work.....	23 07	
Received from Walter Taft, license for dance	1 00	
Discounted Selectmen's notes.....	15,914 20	
Received from Howard National Bank, refund on discount on note.....	4 22	
Received from Poll taxes.....	274 78	
Received from Old Age Assistance tax..	505 00	
Received from July taxes.....	2,607 70	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, flood damage.....	383 71	
Received from Mack Brace.....	5 00	
Received from C. S. Brewster, cement..	1 50	
Received from George Brace, dance li- cense	6 25	
Received from November taxes.....	1,181 33	
Received from B. H. Durand, for roofing	22 50	
Received from M. J. Moxley, abated taxes, Old Age.....	25 00	
Received from M. J. Moxley, abated taxes, Poll.....	27 76	
Received from H. J. Stevens, refund on Poor account.....	16 74	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, flood damage.....	1,823 83	
Received from Treasurer, from Dog Fund	164 40	
Received from Treasurer, balance on Vault Fund, to General Fund.....	5 83	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes	552 22	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, flood damage.....	1,370 07	
Total orders paid to January 31, 1940		\$ 25,691 81
Balance on hand, January 31, 1940..		3,444 86
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	\$ 29,136 67	\$ 29,136 67

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS

Daisie Alger, interest on note.....	\$ 100 00
P. C. Jacques, interest on note.....	106 22
Clyde Brewster, interest on note.....	80 00
Nettie Norton, interest on note.....	80 00
Adeline Ellis, interest on note.....	40 00
Mrs. T. H. Sweet, interest on note.....	33 12
F. D. Falby, M. D., health officer.....	21 00
Evelyn Small, auditing.....	12 00
Ethel Carpenter, auditing and supplies.....	12 50
Gladys Fuller, auditing.....	12 00
E. E. Fish & Son, cement, etc.....	16 50
Parker Beane, removing ice from bridge.....	7 28
Anson Brown, warranty deed from Dayton Hill.....	200 00
P. C. Jacques, reporting statistics.....	7 00
Ralph Gillette, man and team.....	8 52
Ralph Miles, ballot clerk.....	2 50
A. L. Liberty, ballot clerk.....	2 50
W. E. Martin, ballot clerk.....	2 50
I. A. Ring, ballot clerk.....	2 50
P. C. Jacques, attending and recording town meeting, recording deed, and express and postage on town reports	6 14
Nelson Caderact, on WPA.....	53 44
H. H. Mitchell, attending March meeting and board meeting	5 68
H. J. Ellis, moderator.....	2 50
Ralph Miles, listing.....	33 00
Merrill Mitchell, use of lights.....	1 00
H. A. & Daisie Alger, interest on note.....	120 00
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, patrol work.....	277 80
Eli Stokes, lighting torches.....	27 00
W. E. Martin, listing.....	31 00
C. O. Weaver, listing.....	20 70
A. H. Higley, land damage.....	150 00
James Durand, painting town hall.....	10 25
K. B. Sargent, land damage.....	10 00
Edward Thornton, County tax.....	35 77
McAuliffe Paper Co., tax cards and postage.....	12 96
Lincoln Iron Works, (Huntington's share on grader)	283 23
R. H. Fielder, with selectmen and workman.....	7 80
Peter Strong, land damage.....	10 00
H. H. Mitchell, with selectmen and workman.....	7 80
H. A. Alger, Memorial Day.....	16 20

Howard National Bank & Trust Co., bank note due July 17, 1939.....	2,000 00
P. C. Jacques, auditing listers' books.....	10 36
Town of Huntington, taxes.....	1 54
Georgia Pierce, rebate on taxes.....	14 79
M. DeGroot, moving bridge beams.....	6 25
H. A. B. Palmer, Farm Bureau tax.....	26 50
Tuttle Stationery Co., cash book.....	15 74
Carl Higley, insurance on vault.....	5 75
Thos. H. Cave, Treasurer, 295 Poll taxes.....	663 75
J. M. Phillips, rebate on taxes.....	15 25
Montgomery Ward, heater for vault.....	10 90
H. H. Mitchell, on bridges.....	4 50
Howard National Bank, note due November 19, 1939	2,000 00
Howard National Bank, note due November 22, 1939	2,000 00
H. J. Ellis, Treasurer, taxes collected, stamps and paper	109 27
Tuttle Stationery Co., lien books.....	6 90
E. E. Fish & Son, per bill.....	1 89
G. A. Spaulding, wiring vault.....	23 35
Roscoe Printing Co., town reports.....	67 20
H. H. Mitchell, work, postage and stationery.....	4 97
F. B. Shattuck, plowing road.....	3 00
E. G. Norton estate, lumber and repairs for bridges..	94 01
Joe Weston, work on Fargo bridge.....	6 16
Howard National Bank, 1 month, note.....	2,000 00
R. H. Fielder, shoveling snow.....	45
Bertha Sargent, snow shovel.....	60
Town Treasurer, overdrawn on road account.....	1,025 59
Town Treasurer, maintenance and resurfacing.....	457 14
Town Treasurer, town, state aid and fund account..	294 42
Town Treasurer, balance on vault.....	1,040 87
Green Mountain Power Co., lights for vault.....	3 00
Tax collector, abated taxes.....	82 60
R. H. Fielder, planking Brewster's bridge and seeing workman in Essex.....	5 58
Howard National Bank, note due January 22, 1940..	4,000 00
H. H. Mitchell, shoveling snow.....	1 65
Jesse Wright, freight bill on table vault.....	2 62
H. J. Ellis, services as town clerk for 1 year.....	75 00
Howard National Bank, interest on note to February 1	5 33
Labor on Beaudry bridge.....	9 10

\$ 17,964 44

CHLORIDE

Chloride	\$	588 00
Truck, hauling and spreading.....		25 20
Labor		20 16
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	\$	633 36

VAULT

H. H. Holt, labor.....	\$	183 78
H. H. Holt, material.....		8 00
L. H. Holt, labor.....		83 50
L. Walbridge, labor.....		35 50
G. Sweet, labor.....		6 50
Rufus Haskins, labor.....		23 94
Charles Drinkwater, labor.....		43 54
H. Germain, labor.....		1 88
R. Truax, truck and material.....		46 50
C. Bannister, labor.....		6 30
C. D. Huntington, labor.....		72 00
L. Blish, labor.....		7 98
D. Blish, labor.....		7 98
R. Durand, labor.....		5 46
Mosley Safe Co., doors.....		320 00
Drury Brick Co.....		6 81
E. G. Norton estate, cement.....		121 50
N. Chastney, labor.....		4 00
J. Dinan, labor.....		14 40
James Durand, labor.....		13 05
E. G. Norton estate, lumber, paint and nails.....		225 00
Plant & Griffith, material.....		254 48
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Total	\$	1,492 10

BACK ROAD BRIDGES

Salvas bridge:		
Labor	\$	59 93
Material		107 25
Trucking		8 40
Teaming		2 50
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	\$	178 08

Chastenay bridge:		
Labor	\$ 110 68	
Trucking	25 20	
Material	138 81	
	—————	\$ 274 69
C. Carl bridge:		
Labor	\$ 32 20	
Trucking	25 20	
Material	96 57	
	—————	\$ 153 97
Gravel on bridges	\$	7 05
Gardner and Smith bridges:		
Labor	\$ 145 55	
Trucking	36 05	
Cement and gravel	176 13	
	—————	\$ 357 73
Dynamite and caps for bridges	\$	25 00
Mitchell bridge:		
Labor	\$ 60 13	
Teaming	1 80	
Material	69 82	
Trucking	3 50	
	—————	\$ 135 25
Morgan bridge:		
Labor	\$ 51 95	51 95
State shovel:		
Labor	\$ 7 56	
Use of same	91 00	
	—————	\$ 98 56
Use of pump, 6 weeks on bridges		48 00
		—————
		\$ 1,330 28

STATE AID BRIDGES

Carpenter bridge, labor	\$	24 31
Lower Village bridge:		
Labor	\$ 183 56	
Trucking	76 58	
Materials	202 65	
Use of pump	16 00	
	—————	\$ 478 79

Gorton bridge:	
Labor	\$ 786 14
Trucking	185 50
Materials	63 65
Cement	264 80
Sand and stone.....	70 00
	—————\$ 1,370 09
Thompson bridge:	
Labor	\$ 796 75
Trucking	71 35
Cement	289 62
Sand and stone.....	106 50
Materials	35 30
	—————\$ 1,299 52
Stokes bridge:	
Labor	\$ 1,390 74
Trucking	195 70
Teaming	10 90
Materials	107 58
Cement, lumber.....	667 70
Sand and stone.....	160 50
Steel	203 97
	—————\$ 2,737 09
	\$ 5,909 80
Total orders drawn by Selectmen.....	\$ 27,329 98

COPY OF BILL

Montpelier, Vermont.
December 20, 1939.

TOWN OF HUNTINGTON

TO

TREASURER, STATE OF VERMONT, DR.

Account PWA Docket Vt. 1085-F-29.	
Credit account	\$ 25 15
To Huntington (Higley bridge) PWA Docket Vt. No. 1085-F-29 project. Account in accordance with agreement dated March 29, 1939.	\$ 2,678 49
Total construction cost.....	\$ 24,349 98
Amount received from PWA, 45% of \$24,349.98.....	10,957 49
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Difference	\$ 13,392 49
Amount State of Vermont is to be reimbursed by Town of Huntington, 20% of \$13,392.49.	\$ 2,678 49

SUMMARY OF CHARITY DEPARTMENT

EXPENDITURES

Name	Groceries and Clothing	Rent Milk Wood	Atty.	Medical Hospital Burial	Misc.	Board and Care	Trans- porta- tion	Paid Out
Knights, William..\$	5 12	\$ 42 00		\$ 62 61	\$ 18 50	\$ 31 00	\$ 2 00	\$ 161 23
Brace, M., children			\$ 3 75			5 00		8 75
Alger, Kenneth....						98 14		98 14
Charland, Joe.....	37 23	47 25			85			85 33
Alger, Greta, Clara, Lyman and Mar- guerite	66 89							66 89
King, Mrs. Robert.	21 13						2 00	23 13
King, Rachel.....				2 50				2 50
Bell, Albert.....	32 00							32 00
Martin, Barbara and Alberta.....						17 30		17 30
Sheldrake, Lois...	4 01							4 01
Gorton, Lyle.....			2 00					2 00
Sweet, Shirley....						104 05		104 05
Express								7 24
Transients						5 00		5 00
Stevens, H. J., serv- ices and postage.					4 24			104 24

Total orders drawn by Overseer.....\$ 721 81

Received reimbursements from Mack Brace, \$5.00; Cenie Sweet Estate, \$9.50; Truck-
ing and Express on Government supplies, \$7.24. Total.....\$ 21 74

ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Charles Smith	\$	8	40
Josie Beane		4	82
Parker Beane, trucking and labor.....	1,433	8	18
W. E. Beaudry.....		3	08
Frank Dwire		379	96
Vermont Road Equipment Co., 2 snowplow runners.		19	50
Allied Steel Co., chains and snowplow blades.....		107	74
Edwin Blood		214	76
Ralph Gillette		23	56
Leon Wheelock		2	24
J. C. Drinkwater.....		14	84
Henry Alger		6	72
R. W. Shadrick, welding snowplow.....		1	75
Donald Thompson		10	08
Leon Hanks		373	24
William Knights		353	92
G. A. Spaulding, repairs.....		28	50
Strong Hardware Co., machine blades, rakes, etc....		58	35
Clate Sweet		240	92
Marble Sweet		278	60
Carl Weaver		11	70
Claud Weaver		24	50
A. B. White.....		27	28
T. A. Haigh Lumber Co., glass and repairing windows		6	25
Edwin Prindle, plank.....		16	45
Windsor Weston, trucking and labor.....		8	82
Carlyle Taft		276	08
Fay Shattuck, trucking and labor.....	2,591	64	
Wayne Moody		4	20
Walter Taft		372	96
Elmer Stevens		8	70
Frank Gardner		381	08
Homer Mitchell		96	36
Elmer Moody		2	70
N. J. Lewis.....		376	04
Dan Pierce		4	76
Edmund Miles		1	68
Bert Briggs		1	26
Heman Stevens		3	60
John Moody		15	12
Ruric Liberty			84
Walter Sadlier		85	96
Fred Jacques.....		86	24

Charles Bannister, trucking and labor.....	42 81
Walter Gorton	401 16
Will Mitchell	32 76
Delbert Wright	4 06
Arland Tomlinson	345 38
John Prescott	2 00
Woodrow Truax	17 64
G. A. Spaulding, trucking.....	11 76
Albert Bell	1 96
Carroll Switzer	62 88
Eli Stokes	5 00
Ethel Carpenter, man and team.....	6 60
M. J. Moxley, taxes.....	77 48
Will Shattuck; posts.....	7 00
Richmond Feed Co., posts.....	3 75
Vermont Explosive Co., dynamite and caps.....	117 25
Neil Tomlinson	4 50
Leon Briggs	3 36
E. G. Norton Est., paint and oil.....	32 95
Herbert Germaine, trucking and labor.....	32 44
Arland Andrews	235 34
Strong Hardware Co., culverts and shovels.....	38 98
McAuliffe Paper Co.....	3 00
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, use of grader.....	10 00
Wm. Caderec, trucking and labor.....	346 92
Olyn Bracey	1 20
Vermont Concrete Pipe Co., culverts.....	141 52
Fred Germaine	1 40
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, state truck moving shovel....	12 15
Howard Senna, driving state truck.....	4 05
Fred Rounds, trucking and labor.....	26 46
Charlie Drinkwater	29 68
R. F. Knapp, salt.....	49 20
E. E. Flanders, guard rail.....	93 83
Plant & Griffith, cedar posts and guard rail.....	31 00
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, use of shovel No. 12.....	311 70
Burton Gorton	2 24
Ford Shattuck	8 96
E. W. Ross.....	7 98
Carroll Place	6 44
Joe Haskins	3 36
R. E. & P. C. Jacques, per bill.....	15 55
Mack Moody	7 56
Georgia Pierce, per bill.....	4 27
G. A. Spaulding, gravel.....	161 56

Ethel Carpenter, gravel.....	165 90
Richard Fielder, gravel	42 30
E. W. Ross, gravel.....	40 50
Lois Sheldrake, gravel	2 40
Parker Beane, gravel	38 40
E. G. Norton Est., gravel.....	9 00
Edward Murray, gravel	160 05
A. H. Higley, gravel.....	20 10
E. C. Norton, gravel.....	67 65
Emma Gorton, gravel	13 95
Ray Salvas, gravel	9 15
Georgia Pierce, gravel	20 70
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	\$ 11,325 57
Town State Aid	\$ 2,138 54
East Street Bridge	426 26
Town road work	828 69
Maintenance	261 38
Permanent State Aid.....	1,266 34
State resurfacing	844 61
Town, snow	446 54
State, snow	739 92
Town, flood	2,359 93
State, flood	2,013 36
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	\$ 11,325 57

SUMMARY SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Supervision:	
E. T. Maloney.....	\$ 339 48
Teachers' Salaries:	
Elenore Littel, 35 weeks at \$18.....	\$ 630 00
Freda Trapp, 35 weeks at \$18.....	630 00
Irene Vondle, 35 weeks at \$18.....	630 00
Norma Shepard, 35 weeks at \$17.....	595 00
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	2,485 00
School Directors, Services and Expenses:	
Melvin Fielder	\$ 34 72
Clinton Phillips	12 00
A. W. Fielder.....	2 50
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Repairs:

C. E. Ross School.....	\$ 54 09	
Hanksville School	58 05	
Center School	35 63	
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Water and Fuel:

Hanksville School	\$ 32 45	
C. E. Ross School.....	166 00	
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Lights:

Center and C. E. Ross Schools.....		28 01
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Janitor's Services:

Robert Ring, C. E. Ross School.....	\$ 190 00	
Douglas Liberty, Center School.....	35 00	
Barbara Beane, Hanksville School....	35 00	
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Transportation and Board:

Jo Weston	\$ 361 00	
Robert King	31 50	
Bertha Dwire	63 00	
Ralph Gillette	8 00	
Ann Smith	38 00	
Jo Haskins	105 00	
William Crowley	154 45	
W. M. Alger.....	198 00	
Robert Ring	20 00	
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Tuition:

Burlington High School.....	\$ 112 50	
Richmond High School	399 96	
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Supplies	120 58
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Textbooks	95 67
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Sundries	24 00
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Insurance:

Vermont Mutual Fire Ins. Co.....	\$ 25 70	
M. D. Dimick	44 00	
Edgar T. Grow.....	29 28	
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School Barge Insurance:

H. P. Brown, for William Crowley's account	\$ 67 50	
Jo Weston, rebate on insurance.....	3 38	
To Town of Huntington, for Jo Weston	21 62	
		92 50
Total orders drawn by School Directors.....		\$ 5,431 07

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Voters of the Town of Huntington:

Herewith is submitted my fifth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Four elementary schools have been maintained as in former years.

The schools with enrollments are as follows:

<i>School</i>	<i>Enrollment</i>
Catherine Ross Primary.....	31
Catherine Ross Grammar.....	26
Center School	16
Hanksville School	16

Attendance in all schools has been fairly good. Since school age is a comparatively short period in one's life it is the duty of every parent to see that his children attend school regularly. Failure to do so means that children are being deprived of that training which will best fit them for their future work.

The first requisite of good schools is a staff of competent teachers. In this respect, Huntington is fortunate as few changes have been necessary during the past few years.

To insure regular attendance of those who live at some distance from the schools, transportation is provided at a considerable expense to the taxpayers.

During the past school year thirty-eight pupils have been furnished transportation at a cost of \$957.80, or an average of \$25.20 per pupil.

In general, the courses of study have remained the same as last year. Those which are recommended by the State Department of Education are being followed. Continued emphasis has been placed upon reading. As a result, many of the pupils are developing a desire to read good books. Evidence of this is being shown by the increased number of pupils who receive certificates from the State Department each year.

On account of the impossibility of securing the services of a school nurse during the current year this project has been discontinued. This is unfortunate since much benefit from this service was derived by the children.

School buildings are in fairly good condition. New screens and screen doors have been added to some of the schools. A new entrance has been added to the Hanksville School. This was very much needed to protect the schoolroom from storm.

I would recommend that the interior of some of the schools be redecorated next year.

Since the School Board is now allowed by law to spend a sum not to exceed three percent of the money provided for current expenses for health services, I would recommend that provision be made for such service as soon as possible.

In conclusion, I wish to commend the townspeople and members of the School Board for the interest and cooperation which have been extended to all those who are attempting to maintain progress in the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN T. MALONEY,

Superintendent of Schools.

AUDITORS' REPORT

ASSETS OF TOWN

Balance in general fund.....	\$ 3,444 86
Balance in cemetery fund.....	58 22
Balance in ministerial fund.....	298 16
Balance in chloride fund.....	54 96
Balance in state snow fund.....	109 55
Balance in state aid town road fund.....	96 70
Balance in road fund.....	59 15
Delinquent taxes in M. J. Moxley's hands.....	2,913 93
Due from state, Thompson Bridge.....	1,298 59
Due from state, Stokes Bridge.....	2,715 54
Total assets.....	\$ 11,049 66

LIABILITIES OF TOWN

P. C. Jacques, note.....	\$ 1,500 00
Clyde Brewster, note.....	2,000 00
Nettie Norton, note.....	2,000 00
Daisie K. Alger, note.....	2,500 00

Adeline R. Ellis, note.....	1,000 00
H. A. & D. K. Alger, note.....	3,000 00
T. H. Sweet, Est., note.....	828 00
P. C. Jacques, note.....	1,155 42
Overdrawn in school account.....	336 82
Overdrawn in town snow account.....	55 36
Howard National Bank & Trust Co., note.....	4,000 00
Outstanding school order No. 51, March 18, 1935....	4 24
Outstanding road orders, Nos. 533, 609, 611, 615, 616, 617, 620	62 49
Outstanding Overseer's order, No. 40.....	1 75
Outstanding school orders, Nos. 280, 290, 293, 296....	57 75
Outstanding Selectmen's orders, Nos. 139, 11M, 36M, 39M, 43M-a, 53M, 63M, 64M, 65M, 66M, 67M, 68M, 70M, 71M, 72M, 73M, 74M, 75M, 76M, 77M, 78M, 11-o, 23-o, 81-o, 110-o, 117-o, 129-o..	243 27
Due to the state on Higley Bridge.....	2,678 49
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Total liabilities	\$ 21,423 59
Total assets	11,049 66
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Indebtedness of town.....\$ 10,373 93

W. Arthur Simpson, director of the Old Age Assistance Department at Montpelier, states as follows:

"Payments of Old Age Assistance to persons applying from your town amounted to \$1,830 during the year January 1, 1939 to December 31, 1939.

"The number of recipients in December, 1939, was 11.

"The resources of this department and its ability to make payments are determined by the state appropriation which is matched by federal funds. During recent months it has not been possible to grant assistance to all new applicants who have been found eligible after investigation. The cooperation of overseers in extending temporary aid and supplementary medical services has been very helpful.

"The administrative expenses of the department during the year was 3.9%."

The Huntington Cemetery Trust Fund, at Burlington Savings Bank, is \$3,925.96 on February 1, 1940.

We have examined the accounts of all the town officers and believe them to be correct.

EVELYN H. SMALL,
GLADYS J. FULLER,
ETHEL W. CARPENTER,
Auditors.

UNCOLLECTED REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

	1939		1938		1937	
	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.
Alger, Wm. and Mary.....	\$ 6 10	.....	\$ 5 80	.....	\$ 5 60	.....
Allen, Clyde B.....	.....	.....	18 52	.....	.....	.....
Barron, Athalene	27 45	\$ 16 01	.....	.....	.....	.....
Benway, J. C.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 73	.....	.....
Blanchard, Est.....	6 10	.....	5 80	.....	5 60	.....
Bolster, Carl and Laura.....	7 63	.....	7 97	.....	.....	.....
Bolster, Carl	76	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brown, Ruth .....	.....	.....	5 38	.....	.....	.....
Briggs, B. L. and W. Johnson.....	9 15	.....	3 59	.....	.....	.....
Briggs, B. L.....	.....	46	.....	15	.....	.....
Briggs, Edna	6 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Briggs, Leon	9 15	1 83	8 70	1 30	3 79	\$ 84
Brace, Forrest	61 00	7 23	58 00	6 00	.....	.....
Burnett, Julia E.....	73 20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carpenter, G. and Daisy.....	73 20	22 88	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crowley, W. J.....	.....	2 28	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dole, A. M. and Lillian.....	15 25	10 68	2 65	.....	.....	.....
Durand, N. A.....	7 63	1 22	8 27	.....	7 00	84
Durand, James	12 20	3 97	11 60	3 77	11 20	4 34
Douglass, Marguerite	36 60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dutton, F. D.....	.....	41 18	19 14	30 45	.....	.....
Fargo, V. H.....	45 75	17 69	.....	10 79	.....	1 91
Fielder, Levi .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Germaine, Herbert	1 53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gillette, R. and Beulah.....	18 30	.....	17 40	.....	.....	.....
Gillette, Ralph	36 60	8 69	34 80	7 07	.....	.....
Haskins, Wm. and Libbie.....	.....	.....	18 85	1 45	18 20	1 12
Jaques, Fred and Julia.....	21 35	7 93	20 30	2 97	19 60	.....
King, Robert and Della.....	.....	30 50	.....	7 60	.....	.....
Liberty, R. and Ethel.....	9 15	.....	9 86	.....	9 52	.....
Moody, E. and Nettie.....	27 45	14 49	.....	.....	.....	.....
Morgan, Chas. and Sadie.....	.....	15 10	.....	15 82	.....	15 26
Martin, W. E.....	6 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Parks, H. L. and Evelyn.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pierce, Daniel	2 14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Prescott, John and Mary.....	.....	8 39	.....	.....	.....	.....
Prindle, H. P.....	4 58	.....	4 36	.....	4 20	.....
Purinton, Ed.....	.....	.....	1 45	.....	.....	.....
Pummell, Dana .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 28
Rich, Lawson .....	.....	.....	14 50	.....	9 89	.....
Ross, Josie .....	.....	.....	31 90	14 50	17 32	.....
Sadler, Walter and Rena.....	9 15	2 14	16 24	.....	14 00	1 12
Sheldrake, H. and Lois.....	2 44	25 93	8 12	7 83	.....	.....
Sisters, Fred .....	.....	.....	34 80	11 11	.....	.....
Stevens, Heman and Gladys.....	19 39	.....	.....	.....	47 60	5 59
Stevens, M. E.....	30 50	.....	.....	.....	27 25	.....
Sweet, Cenie, Est.....	4 58	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sudarsky, Est.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 40	.....
Weston, Maude, Est.....	9 15	.....	8 70	.....	8 40	.....
Weston, J. A. and Mae.....	30 50	4 58	29 00	10 67	.....	.....
Wheelock, E. E., Est.....	.....	.....	23 86	.....	56 00	10 78
White, A. B. and Marie.....	.....	.....	74 80	.....	.....	.....
Wright, Arville .....	.....	.....	2 03	.....	1 96	.....
	\$630 18	\$243 18	\$506 39	\$132 21	\$268 53	\$49 08

UNCOLLECTED POLL, FLOOD AND OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
TAXES FOR FOLLOWING YEARS,
AS OF JANUARY 31, 1940

	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935	1934
Arnold, Ida	\$ 5 55	\$ 71				
Alger, Mary	3 74					
Atherton, Henry		3 13				
Atherton, Lutie		5 40				
Allen, John		5 40	\$ 5 30		\$ 4 70	
Baker, H. and Ada.....	11 10					
Blood, Edwin	3 74					
Bedell, Harland	5 55					
Bedell, Henry and Persis.....			10 60	\$ 9 00		
Benway, J. C. and Minnie.....	11 10	5 40				
Bolster, Carl and Laura.....	11 10					
Briggs, B. L. and Edna.....	11 10					
Briggs, Leon	5 55					
Brace, Forrest and Hazel.....	11 10					
Charland, Joseph and Edith....			10 60	3 27		
Crowley, W. J. and Gertrude..	11 10					
Clark, Elwin and Nellie.....		10 80	7 47			
Colburn, Ed.		5 40				
Currier, Walter		5 40				
Downing, Ben				4 50		
Dole, A. M. and Lillian.....	11 10					
Drinkwater, J. C. and Grace...		10 80				
Durand, Reginald	5 55					
Durand, N. A. and Pearl.....	11 10	10 80			9 40	
Durand, James	5 55					
Fargo, V. H. and Loa.....	11 10	10 80		9 00		
Fielder, Levi and Elsie.....				9 00		
Fuller, Donald			5 30			
Germaine, Herbert and Eleanor	11 10					
Germaine, F. J. and Flora....	11 10					
Gillette, Ralph and Beulah....	11 10					
Guthrie, John		2 67				
Haskins, Joseph and Hilda....	11 10	5 84				
Haskins, Rufus & Vella.....	11 10	5 40		9 00	9 11	
Hood, Floyd			5 30			
Jennings, Fred		5 40				
King, Della		5 40				
Knights, Wm. and Hazel.....				9 00		
Liberty, Ruric & Ethel.....	9 29					
Maynard, Helen	5 55					
Moody, John	5 55			1 75		
Moody, N. E.	5 55					
Merritt, Lillian	5 55					
Meyette, Della		5 40				
Newton, Guy and Beatrice....		10 80				
Pierce, Dan	5 55					
Prescott, John and Mary.....	11 10					
Steinhour, Mahlon and Dorothy	11 10					

Slayton, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley.	11 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sadler, W. and Rena.....	5 40	.....	9 00	.....	.....	.....
Sisters, Fred	5 40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sigman, Arnold .....	.....	5 30	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stevens, Leon .....	.....	3 49	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sweet, Florence	5 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sweet, A. and Jessie.....	.....	10 60	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tomlinson, Angus and Anna...	11 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson, Carlie .....	.....	5 30	.....	.....	.....	.....
Terrian, Madaline	5 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Terrian, Reo .....	.....	5 30	4 50	.....	.....	.....
Wheelock, Don and Marion...	10 80	87	2 08	.....	.....	.....
White, A. B. and Marie.....	10 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wolcott, Samuel and Delia....	10 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wood, Albert	4 42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wright, Arville .....	.....	.....	4 50	.....	\$3 95	.....
Young, Andrew .....	.....	.....	4 50	.....	.....	.....
Zeno, Carlie	5 40	.....	.....	3 70	.....	.....
	<u>\$283 17</u>	<u>\$163 55</u>	<u>\$79 85</u>	<u>\$79 10</u>	<u>\$26 91</u>	<u>\$3 95</u>

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

1939

- Mar. 31. Robert Dale Emmons to Ernest Henry Emmons and Mae (Nattress) Emmons.
 June 2. Donna June Thompson to Donald Frederick Thompson and Edna (Hallock) Thompson.
 July 26. Robert Wayne Gorton to Ernest Junior Gorton and Ila Ruby (Emmons) Gorton.
 Aug. 31. Carolee Ann Senna to Harold Alfred Senna and Margaret Evelyn (Dwyer) Senna.
 Sept. 23. Roy Elmer Wheelock to Leon Ebenezer Wheelock and Ethel Coy (Hull) Wheelock.
 Sept. 23. Paul Ralph Allen to John Eugene Allen and Mildred Irene (Weston) Allen.
 Nov. 4. Steve Ford Mitchell to Homer Morton Mitchell and Arlene Barbara (Stevens) Mitchell.

DEATHS

1939

- Feb. 16. Allen Sweet, Jr.; 4 months 14 days.
 Mar. 29. Roy Kimball; 44 years, 10 months, 27 days.
 Mar. 30. Fred Sherman; 73 years, 8 months, 3 days.
 May 5. Charles J. Zeno; 62 years, 2 months, 9 days.
 June 20. Minnie M. Carl; 75 years, 7 months, 5 days.
 July 22. Ernest Guy Norton; 61 years, 7 months, 25 days.
 Aug. 23. Baby Johnson, Richmond.
 Aug. 25. Janus Sweet; 80 years, 1 month, 2 days.
 Sept. 7. Eva Johnson Taft, Starksboro, 80 years, 11 months, 24 days.
 Sept. 8. Melissa A. Rollins; 86 years, 11 months, 6 days.
 Sept. 8. Elmer E. Wheelock; 77 years, 3 months, 20 days.
 Nov. 3. Jennie Tupper Kenyon; 68 years, 6 months, 11 days.
 Nov. 25. Oscar Switzer; 60 years, 1 month, 1 day.
 Dec. 13. Eugene Bennett; 70 years, 8 months, 24 days.
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 Jan. 12. Eliza M. Gibney; 86 years, 2 months, 23 days.

MARRIAGES

1939

- May 29. Reginald H. Durand and Ruth Marion King.
 June 23. Harold Lee Robinson, St. Albans, and Clare Cutter, Hinesburg.
 June 26. Harry George Lyman and Vira Jane Martin.

TOWN MEETING WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of Huntington, Vt., are hereby notified and warned to meet at the S. O. V. Hall at Huntington North Village, Huntington, Vt., on Tuesday, March 5, 1940, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to transact the following business, to wit:

1. To elect a Moderator.
2. To elect a Town Clerk.
3. To act upon the Auditors' report.
4. What amount the Town will vote to appropriate to take advantage of "State Highway Apportionment Acts" for permanent roads.
5. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Day.
6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money when needed for current expenses and indebtedness of Town.
7. To see if the Town will vote a sum of money to take advantage of Act No. 101 of the Acts of 1937, for town roads.
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise a tax on the Grand List of 1940 for expenses of schools, general fund, snow removal and dust laying; if so voted, what percent.
9. To elect a Road Commissioner. (By ballot.)
10. To see if the Town will vote a sum of money to buy a road machine.
11. To elect for three years, by ballot, a Selectman, Lister, School Director and Auditor.
12. To elect an Overseer of the Poor.
13. To elect a Constable.
14. To elect a Town Treasurer.
15. To elect a Town Agent and Trustee of public money.
16. To elect a Cemetery Commissioner for five years.
17. "Shall License be granted for the sale of malt and fermented beverages?" "Shall spirituous liquors be sold in town?"
18. To see if the Town will authorize the Auditors to employ the services of an accountant as provided by No. 55 of the Acts of 1937.
19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to arrange for any recognition of Vermont's 150th birthday anniversary during the Town Meeting held on March 4, 1941.
20. To transact, vote and act upon any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Dated at Huntington, Vt., 17th day of February, A.D. 1940.

H. H. MITCHELL,
R. H. FIELDER,
P. C. JAQUES,
Selectmen of Town of Huntington.