



HUNTINGTON  
VERMONT  
TOWN REPORT

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1940-1941



## TOWN OFFICERS

*Moderator*.....H. J. ELLIS

*Town Clerk*.....P. C. JAUQUES

*Treasurer*.....H. J. ELLIS

### *Selectmen:*

Term expires 1941.....R. H. FIELDER

Term expires 1942.....P. C. JAUQUES

Term expires 1943.....G. A. SPAULDING

### *School Directors:*

Term expires 1941.....CLINTON PHILLIPS

Term expires 1942.....MELVIN FIELDER

Term expires 1943.....A. W. FIELDER

*Road Commissioner*.....FAY B. SHATTUCK

### *Listers:*

Term expires 1941.....C. O. WEAVER

Term expires 1942.....R. E. MILES

Term expires 1943.....CARLYLE TAFT

*Overseer of Poor*.....H. J. STEVENS

*Trustee of Public Money*.....E. A. TRAPP

*Town Grand Juror*.....E. A. TRAPP

*First Constable (resigned)*.....MAURICE MOXLEY

### *Auditors:*

Term expires 1941.....GLADYS J. FULLER

Term expires 1942.....ETHEL W. CARPENTER

Term expires 1943.....EVELYN H. SMALL

### *Cemetery Trustees:*

Term expires 1941.....EDSON PIERCE

Term expires 1942.....H. A. ALGER

Term expires 1943.....ANDREW LIBERTY

Term expires 1944.....ROBERT RING

Term expires 1945.....ELI STOKES

## GRAND LIST, 1940—\$3,408.65

Town tax.....	\$	1	35
School tax.....		1	20
Highway tax.....			25
Town road, snow tax.....			15
Chloride tax.....			10
State aid, snow tax.....			10
Special tax, Higley bridge.....			75
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Total tax.....	\$	3	90

## REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

## ACCOUNT WITH DOG LICENSE FUND

April 22, 73 dog licenses @ \$2.00.....	\$	146	00
April 22, 4 dog licenses @ \$6.00.....		24	00
July 3, 2 dog licenses @ \$3.00.....		6	00
April 22, Town Clerk's fees, 79 licenses @ 15c.....	\$		11 85
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941 transferred to General Fund.....			164 15
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	\$	176	00
	\$		176 00

## ACCOUNT WITH MINISTERIAL FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940.....	\$	298	16
Received from lease lots.....		10	00
Paid Bertha Sargent, Baptist Church.....	\$		20 00
Paid Lillian Norton, Baptist Church.....			20 00
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941.....			268 16
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	\$	308	16
	\$		308 16

## ACCOUNT WITH CEMETERY FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940.....	\$	58	22
Mowing Center Cemetery.....	\$		6 00
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941.....			52 22
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	\$	58	22
	\$		58 22

## ACCOUNT WITH SCHOOL FUND

January 31, 1940, amount overdrawn.....		\$	336 82
Paid orders to January 31, 1941.....			6,162 21
Received from Poll taxes.....	\$	229 43	
Received from July taxes.....		2,159 41	
Received from Lease lots.....		38 15	
Received from T. H. Cave, state aid.....		1,682 01	
Received from November taxes.....		851 80	
Received from late November taxes.....		5 60	
Received from Grant Hallock, tuition.....		4 00	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes .....		245 63	
Received from H. J. Ellis, delinquent taxes		106 27	
Received from school refund transportation insurance .....		37 54	
Received from old shed and radiator.....		5 25	
Received from school board refund.....		1 50	
January 31, 1941, amount overdrawn..		1,132 44	
		\$	6,499 03
		\$	6,499 03

## ACCOUNT WITH STATE SNOW FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940.....	\$	109 55	
Received from T. H. Cave, winter roads...		371 82	
Received from Poll taxes.....		19 37	
Received from July taxes.....		182 29	
Received from November taxes.....		71 90	
Received from abated taxes.....		30	
Received from late November taxes.....		47	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes .....		20 93	
Received from H. J. Ellis, delinquent taxes		8 86	
Total orders paid.....	\$	597 35	
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941....		188 14	
	\$	785 49	\$
		785 49	

## ACCOUNT WITH TOWN SNOW

January 31, 1940, amount overdrawn.....		\$	55 36
January 31, 1941, amount orders paid....			424 00
Received from Poll taxes.....	\$	28 31	
Received from July taxes.....		266 41	

Received from November taxes.....	105 09		
Received from late November taxes.....		70	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes .....	14 62		
Received from H. J. Ellis, delinquent taxes	11 94		
Received from abated taxes.....		44	
January 31, 1941, amount overdrawn..	51 85		
	\$ 479 36	\$	479 36

## ACCOUNT WITH CHLORIDE FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940.....\$	54 96		
Received from Poll taxes.....	19 37		
Received from July taxes.....	182 29		
Received from November taxes.....	71 90		
Received from late November taxes.....		47	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, dust layer .....	309 37		
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes .....	20 34		
Received from H. J. Ellis, delinquent taxes	8 87		
Received from abated taxes.....		30	
Received from rebate on chloride.....	25 00		
Total orders paid .....		\$	618 74
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941....			74 13
	\$ 692 87	\$	692 87

## ACCOUNT WITH STATE AID TOWN ROAD

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940.....\$	96 70		
Received from Poll taxes.....	47 67		
Received from July taxes.....	448 71		
Received from November taxes.....	177 00		
Received from late November taxes.....		1 16	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, town highways .....	1,919 29		
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes .....	15 03		
Received from H. J. Ellis, delinquent taxes	19 65		
Received from abated taxes.....		73	
Received from Fay Shattuck, old iron....	4 00		
Received from Fay Shattuck, dynamite...	81		

Received from Town resurfacing, voted by town .....	104 28	
Received from J. H. Moore, town road . . . .	25 00	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, town highway .....	117 46	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, balance to town roads .....	336 71	
Balance from road fund .....	97 07	
Total orders paid .....		\$ 3,243 65
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941 . . . .		167 62
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	\$ 3,411 27	\$ 3,411 27

## ACCOUNT WITH ROAD FUND

Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer . . . . \$	87 80	
Received from vote of town .....	175 60	
Received from vote of town .....	299 24	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer . . . .	598 49	
Total orders paid .....		\$ 1,137 99
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941 . . . .		23 14
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	\$ 1,161 13	\$ 1,161 13

## ACCOUNT WITH BLACK TOP

Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer . . . . \$	2,105 33	
Total orders paid, January 31, 1941 . . . .		\$ 2,105 33
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	\$ 2,105 33	\$ 2,105 33

## ACCOUNT WITH HIGLEY BRIDGE

20% of \$13,392.49 .....	\$ 2,678 49	
Selectmen's order No. 99 .....		\$ 2,678 49
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	\$ 2,678 49	\$ 2,678 49

## ACCOUNT WITH GENERAL FUND

Balance on hand, January 31, 1940 .....	\$ 3,444 86
Received discounted Selectmen's notes . . . .	8,442 89
Received from Poll taxes .....	257 73
Received from Old Age Assistance taxes . . .	477 50
Received from July taxes .....	2,425 83

Received from November taxes.....	956 89	
Received from late November taxes.....	6 29	
Received from M. J. Moxley, delinquent taxes .....	431 64	
Received from H. J. Ellis, delinquent taxes	161 42	
Received from Treasurer, from Dog Fund	164 15	
Received from abated taxes.....	14 26	
Received from Raymond Jimmo, 1939 Poll tax .....	5 55	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, flood damage .....	2,731 51	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, flood damage .....	200 00	
Received from Town of Richmond, balance due on Charland family.....	85	
Received from old Gorton bridge.....	7 00	
Received from William Knights, phosphate	5 00	
Received from School Board for order books .....	3 90	
Received from T. H. Cave, Treasurer, flood damage .....	4,153 09	
75 cents on the dollar of 1940 tax, collected for Higley bridge .....	2,081 89	
Total orders paid, January 31, 1941...		\$ 23,574 76
Balance on hand, January 31, 1941....		2,397 49
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	\$ 25,972 25	\$ 25,972 25

## SELECTMEN'S ORDERS

Daisie K. Alger, interest on note.....	\$	100 00
P. C. Jaques, 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
Howard National Bank, note due February 1.....		4,000 00
Howard National Bank, interest on \$4,000.00 note....		8 45
W. E. Beaudry, labor.....		12 88
Mrs. T. H. Sweet, interest on note.....		33 12
Evelyn Small, auditing.....		16 00
Gladys Fuller, auditing.....		16 00
Ethel Carpenter, auditing and supplies.....		16 60
P. C. Jaques, wood for Town Hall.....		1 25



T. H. Cave, Treasurer, 2 school signs.....	3 50
Vermont Engraving Co., 1 halftone.....	6 50
H. H. Mitchell, land damage and services.....	15 80
Green Mountain Power Co., lights for vault.....	2 00
Tuttle Stationery Co., supplies.....	2 50
Free Press Association, town reports.....	52 91
Union Stationery Corp., 6 chairs and 1 table, Town Clerk's office .....	37 32
Walter Taft, ballot clerk.....	2 50
Ralph Miles, ballot clerk.....	2 50
Andrew Liberty, ballot clerk.....	2 50
I. A. Ring, ballot clerk.....	2 50
H. J. Ellis, moderator.....	2 50
Bertha Sargent, ministerial fund (1939-1940).....	20 00
D. J. Wilson, order books.....	11 70
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, for Huntington patrol work....	370 40
H. A. & D. K. Alger, interest on notes.....	164 00
Ralph Miles, listing.....	39 00
Carlyle Taft, listing.....	30 00
Carl Weaver, listing.....	23 40
Wells Andrews, cleaning park.....	1 50
Howard National Bank, note payment.....	1,500 00
Harry R. Wishart, County tax.....	35 18
Mrs. V. R. Sargent, land damage.....	10 00
Howard National Bank, note payment.....	1,500 00
Wells Andrews, labor.....	1 00
L. G. Burnham Co., covered bridge picture.....	1 00
H. A. Alger, Memorial Day expenses.....	19 60
P. C. Jaques, Town Clerk services and money paid out..	23 71
Howard National Bank, note payment.....	1,500 00
Clyde Brewster, payment on note.....	500 00
Fay Shattuck, trip to Plattsburg to see snow plow.....	3 60
R. H. Fielder, trip to Plattsburg to see snow plow.....	3 65
Fay Shattuck, fighting fire (Joe Weston's).....	1 12
B. F. White, fighting fire (Joe Weston's).....	1 12
W. E. Beaudry, fighting fire (Joe Weston's).....	1 68
Green Mountain Power Corp., lights for Town Hall....	3 00
Lillian Norton, ministerial fund (1939-1940).....	20 00
Leon Hanks, ballot clerk.....	2 50
R. E. Miles, ballot clerk.....	2 50
J. C. Drinkwater, ballot clerk.....	2 50
R. H. Fielder, ballot clerk and labor.....	3 50
I. A. Ring, ballot clerk.....	2 50
A. L. Liberty, ballot clerk.....	2 50

P. C. Jaques, services at primaries.....	3 00
H. J. Ellis, services at primaries.....	3 00
A. W. Foote, insurance on Town building.....	9 00
H. A. Bailey, services on Drew case.....	31 00
Roscoe Printing Co., cost of primary ballots; less credit for error on town reports.....	2 85
Green Mountain Power Corp., lights for Town Hall...	1 00
H. A. B. Palmer, Farm Bureau tax.....	25 40
Bertha Sargent, per bill.....	2 99
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, Old Age Assistance tax.....	672 75
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, town share of Higley bridge....	2,678 49
Strong Hardware Co., 6 gallons paint.....	24 87
Daisie K. Alger, Old Age Assistance fees.....	3 00
H. J. Ellis, Treasurer, tax on Baker lot.....	1 95
H. J. Ellis, election and absent ballot work.....	3 75
I. A. Ring, ballot clerk and absent ballot work.....	3 27
A. L. Liberty, ballot clerk.....	2 52
Leon Hanks, ballot clerk.....	2 52
R. E. Miles, ballot clerk.....	2 52
R. H. Fielder, services and labor.....	5 17
Dayton Hill, 31 loads gravel for bridge.....	4 65
G. A. Spaulding, freight on Government Commodities..	33 07
McAuliffe Paper Co., 2 tax receipt books.....	2 00
T. H. Cave, Treasurer, use of jacks and handles.....	4 00
Green Mountain Power Corp., lights in town room....	1 00
Roscoe Printing House, ballots and postage.....	13 65
Strong Hardware Co., merchandise.....	9 22
Buffalo Industrial Co., snow fence, posts and hooks....	105 50
Heman Stevens, rebate on taxes.....	3 57
State Highway Dept., 2 galvanized posts.....	1 85
Howard National Bank, note.....	2,000 00
J. C. Drinkwater, ballot clerk.....	2 52
R. H. Fielder, labor.....	6 38
Green Mountain Power Corp., lights in town room....	3 00
P. C. Jaques, services at September and November elec- tion and postage.....	7 48
Norton & Jaques, lumber and plank.....	173 31
R. E. & P. C. Jaques, paint and supplies.....	267 36
H. J. Ellis, Town Treasurer, taxes collected; postage and salary.....	201 23
Georgia B. Pierce, supplies.....	1 80
H. W. & B. C. Sargent, supplies.....	5 46
Howard National Bank, note.....	2,000 00
Howard National Bank, interest.....	2 90

Town Treasurer, maintenance.....	175 60
Town Treasurer, town resurfacing.....	104 28
Town Treasurer, state resurfacing.....	299 24
H. J. Ellis, Treasurer, abated taxes.....	21 75
	\$ 19,374 08

## CHLORIDE

Chloride .....	\$ 575 00	
Trucking .....	27 54	
Labor .....	16 20	
	\$	618 74

## STOKES BRIDGE

Fay Shattuck, labor and trucking.....	\$ 42 56	
G. A. Spaulding, gravel, spark plugs, trucking and labor.....	37 58	
Harlie Perry, labor.....	80 00	
Elmer Perry, labor.....	42 00	
Harlie Perry, labor; use of saw rig.....	8 30	
Ruric Liberty, labor.....	23 52	
Henry Alger, labor.....	16 24	
Willard Alger, labor.....	18 34	
Valentine Sweet, labor.....	12 32	
Wayne Moody, labor.....	20 86	
Oscar Wright, labor.....	18 34	
D. W. Overrocker, 12 yards sand; 24 yards stone .....	42 00	
State of Vermont, cement mixer.....	88	
Ford Shattuck, labor.....	2 52	
Strong Hardware Co., per bill.....	5 23	
R. E. & P. C. Jaques, supplies.....	3 84	
	\$	374 53

## THOMPSON BRIDGE

Vermont Structural Steel Corp., structural steel, hardware, and reinforcing steel...\$	1,253 00
Harlie Perry, labor.....	227 50
Elmer Perry, labor.....	141 60

Ruric Liberty, labor.....	62 44
Henry Alger, labor.....	29 82
Willard Alger, labor.....	30 80
Valentine Sweet, labor.....	24 50
Wayne Moody, labor.....	48 16
Oscar Wright, labor.....	29 96
Ford Shattuck, labor.....	43 82
State of Vermont, trucking.....	2 10
G. A. Spaulding, trucking.....	19 60
Harlie Perry, trip to Burlington.....	3 00
Harlie Perry, use of saw rig.....	35 00
State of Vermont, use of cement mixer.....	4 90
D. H. Overrocker, 6 yards sand; 6 yards stone .....	12 00
Josie Beane, per bill.....	2 91
E. G. Norton Estate, spruce dimension lum- ber .....	336 09
R. E. & P. C. Jaques, supplies.....	86 50
State of Vermont, use of welder.....	17 67
B. C. Shattuck, land damage, 2 years.....	10 00
Fred and Gertie Thompson, land damage, 2 years.....	50 00
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	\$ 2,471 37

#### BUELL WHITE BRIDGE

Fay Shattuck, labor .....	\$ 10 50
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#### McKENZIE BRIDGE

Windsor Weston, truck and labor.....	\$ 10 22
Walter Johnson, labor .....	3 36
Bert Briggs, labor.....	3 36
Joseph Digneid, labor.....	3 64
Charles Drinkwater, labor.....	3 64
R. H. Fielder, labor.....	5 40
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	\$ 29 62

#### PAINTING BRIDGES

Willard Alger, labor.....	\$ 1 96
Ruric Liberty, labor, trucking and use of engine .....	62 24

R. H. Fielder, labor.....	61 80	
Leon Hanks, labor.....	37 52	
Arland Andrews, labor.....	19 46	
Arland Tomlinson, labor.....	16 94	
Frank Dwire, labor.....	19 60	
Walter Taft, labor.....	23 80	
Fay Shattuck, labor and trucking.....	73 70	
Marble Sweet, labor.....	2 52	
Douglas Liberty, labor.....	11 90	
G. A. Spaulding, use of torch.....	4 00	
		\$ 335 44
		\$ 3,840 20
Total orders drawn by Selectmen.....		\$ 23,214 28

## CHARITY DEPARTMENT

Alger, Kenneth, board and clothes.....		\$ 89 78
Sweet, Shirley, board and clothes.....		64 89
King, Mrs. Robert:		
Wood .....	\$ 36 80	
Potatoes .....	8 32	
Medical .....	5 50	
Groceries .....	265 28	
Clothing .....	13 03	
		\$ 328 93
Alger, Willard:		
Groceries .....	\$ 3 60	
Medical .....	2 50	
		\$ 6 10
Knights, William:		
Groceries .....	\$ 3 00	
Medical .....	11 50	
Rent .....	45 50	
Fertilizer .....	19 00	
		\$ 79 00
Gorton, Walter:		
Groceries .....	\$ 43 97	
Wood .....	2 00	
Rent .....	10 60	
		\$ 56 57
Alger, Clara, Greta, Marguerite and Lyman, board and clothes.....		\$ 59 77

Gorton, Ernest, groceries . . . . .	2 30
Drinkwater, Charles, groceries . . . . .	4 22
H. J. Stevens, transients and postage . . . . .	6 93
H. J. Stevens, services . . . . .	100 00
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Total orders drawn by Overseer . . . . .	\$ 798 49
Received reimbursement from William Knights on fertilizer . . . . .	\$ 5 00

## ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Frank Dwire . . . . .	\$ 283 36
Arland Andrews . . . . .	253 68
Dan Pierce . . . . .	1 40
Ford Shattuck . . . . .	51 80
Lyle Gorton . . . . .	2 80
Neil Tomlinson . . . . .	24 75
Leon Hanks . . . . .	175 84
Carl Weaver . . . . .	7 56
Arthur Liberty . . . . .	70
Carlyle Taft . . . . .	530 18
Paul Carpenter . . . . .	1 68
Maurice Moxley . . . . .	2 52
Albin Pierce . . . . .	3 83
Lloyd Alger . . . . .	3 47
Edward Parrott . . . . .	3 00
Rurie Liberty . . . . .	11 34
Ralph Gillette . . . . .	9 24
Earl Zeno . . . . .	2 52
Howard Mace . . . . .	41 40
R. C. Lafromboise . . . . .	4 67
J. M. Phillips . . . . .	7 28
Arland Tomlinson . . . . .	59 64
Sam Bracey . . . . .	2 52
Carlie Thompson . . . . .	5 60
Elmer Stevens . . . . .	3 36
Leon Wheelock . . . . .	5 60
Jim Wheelock . . . . .	2 80
Clinton Phillips . . . . .	6 02
Herbert Germain . . . . .	12 32
Lawrence Blish . . . . .	10 92
Edwin Blood . . . . .	65 24

Walter Sadlier .....	82 32
Fay Shattuck .....	1,819 32
T. H. Cave, Treasurer .....	71 65
Wayne Moody .....	5 88
Melvin Durand .....	1 40
Will Knights .....	257 60
W. E. Beaudry .....	5 04
Walter Gorton .....	111 44
Eli Stokes .....	1 68
Donald Thompson .....	20 16
Marble Sweet .....	170 24
Glenn Alger .....	2 24
Charles Bannister .....	10 08
Jack Allen .....	3 64
Glenn Towers .....	4 90
Windsor Weston .....	4 41
Walter Johnson .....	24 64
Forest Brace, land damage and labor .....	13 40
Claude Weaver, land damage and labor .....	15 60
N. J. Lewis .....	353 08
Parker Beane .....	835 94
Walter Taft .....	329 84
Frank Beane .....	44 80
P. C. Jaques, per bill .....	76 43
Charles Smith, repairing road machine tongue .....	1 50
Bert Briggs, repairs .....	90
David Dike, 45 cedar posts .....	9 00
Dan Garland, use of tractor @ \$4.00 per hr. ....	24 00
G. A. Spaulding, repairs .....	146 61
Vermont Road Equipment Co., snow plow shoe .....	4 69
Vermont Road Equipment Co., gear for road machine ..	16 62
C. E. Flanders Co., 4 road machine blades .....	31 60
E. G. Norton Est., 600 lbs. cement .....	6 00
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts .....	134 35
Strong Hardware Co., shovels and picks .....	10 79
R. F. Knapp, 5 tons salt .....	46 50
Bristol Contracting Co., drilling machine @ \$2.50 per hr. ....	10 00
Koppers Co., 8,135 gals. tar .....	853 36
Richard Fielder, gravel .....	12 90
Parker Beane, gravel .....	27 30
Emma Gorton, gravel .....	75
A. H. Higley, gravel .....	12 15
Ethel Carpenter, gravel .....	2 10

Dayton Hill, gravel .....	2 40
Charles Morgan, gravel .....	29 25
P. C. Jaques, gravel .....	59 40
G. A. Spaulding, gravel .....	80 55
Edward Murray, gravel .....	62 85
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	\$ 7,448 34
State, snow .....	\$ 595 91
Town, snow .....	374 64
Town road .....	761 89
Maintenance .....	230 18
State resurfacing .....	897 73
Town resurfacing .....	104 28
Town State Aid .....	2,378 38
Black top .....	2,105 33
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	\$ 7,448 34

## SCHOOL ACCOUNT

## Supervision:

E. T. Maloney .....	\$ 339 48
Teachers' Salaries:	
Elenore Littel, 16 weeks at \$18 .....	\$ 288 00
Elizabeth Corliss, 19 weeks at \$18 ....	342 00
Freda Trapp, 35 weeks at \$18 .....	630 00
Irene Vondle, 35 weeks at \$18 .....	630 00
Norma Shepard, 16 weeks at \$17 .....	272 00
Mildred Simpson, 19 weeks at \$17 ....	323 00
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	2,485 00

## School Directors, Services and Expenses:

Clinton Phillips .....	\$ 10 50
Melvin Fielder .....	6 65
Anson Fielder .....	13 50
Melvin Fielder, taking census .....	8 46
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## Repairs:

C. E. Ross School .....	\$ 52 80
Center School .....	119 21
Hanksville School .....	85 61
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	257 62



## Water and Fuel:

C. E. Ross School .....	\$ 164 00	
Center School .....	153 75	
Hanksville School .....	18 00	
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## Lights:

C. E. Ross and Center Schools .....		33 81
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## Janitors' Services:

Robert Ring, C. E. Ross School .....	\$ 185 00	
Douglas Liberty, Center School .....	17 00	
Edward Lewis, Center School .....	18 00	
Barbara Beane, Hanksville School ....	17 00	
James Beane, Hanksville School .....	18 00	
Robert Ring, cleaning Ross School ...	12 00	
Dora Lewis, cleaning Center School ...	2 50	
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## Transportation:

Joe Weston .....	\$ 417 36	
W. M. Alger .....	393 38	
Joe Haskins .....	156 10	
W. J. Crowley .....	170 91	
Bertha Dwire .....	42 50	
Fred Jaques .....	2 00	
Ann Smith .....	34 40	
		<hr/> 1,216 65

## Tuition:

Burlington High School .....	\$ 150 00	
Richmond High School .....	581 16	
Montpelier High School .....	25 00	
Waterbury High School .....	25 00	
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Supplies .....	136 82
Textbooks .....	37 49
Insurance .....	85 60
School Barge Insurance .....	101 48
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Total orders drawn by School Directors .....\$ 6,119 47

January 24, 1941.

*To the Citizens of Huntington:*

During the present school year, the State Department of Education has forwarded to your Town Treasurer the sum of \$1,701.86 in state aid for use in your public schools during the school year 1940-1941.

The purpose of our system of state aid is to help equalize educational opportunities for our children in all parts of Vermont and to assist schools in reaching and keeping up to the minimum qualifications of good current practice in education.

Preferential purposes for the local expenditure of state aid include rural teachers' salaries, advanced instruction, transportation and supervision, as well as the improvement of school buildings and vocational education.

Very sincerely yours,

RALPH E. NOBLE,

*Commissioner of Education.*

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

*To the Voters of the Town of Huntington:*

In compliance with the laws of Vermont, I hereby submit my sixth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

As in former years, four elementary schools have been maintained for a period of thirty-five weeks each with enrollments as follows:

<i>School</i>	<i>Enrollment</i>
Catherine Ross Primary .....	29
Catherine Ross Grammar .....	24
Center School .....	29
Hanksville .....	16

Fairly good attendance has been maintained during the year. This shows that parents are interested in having their children secure the advantages of an education. If children fail to attend school regularly, so much school work is missed that it is necessary for them to repeat a whole year's work.

Two new members of the teaching staff were necessary at the beginning of the current school year. Miss Elizabeth Corliss, of Swanton, Vermont, was engaged to fill the vacancy in the Catherine Ross School made by the resignation of Mrs. Elinor Little. Miss Mildred Simpson of Waterbury, Vermont, replaced Miss Norma Shepard in the Hanksville School.

One of the troublesome problems which still confronts the school board is that of transportation. During the school year which ended June 30, 1940 a total of \$1,086.69 was spent for transporting thirty-two elementary school pupils. This represents an average cost per pupil of \$33.96. The fact that this average is increasing each year, bears evidence of the seriousness of transportation problems.

No radical changes in the courses of study have been made during the year. New courses such as health and temperance education have been emphasized. Some new basic texts in reading have been introduced in one of the schools. On account of the importance of reading in the elementary school curriculum, too much emphasis cannot be placed on this subject.

A new rating of the schools will take place in the near future. This will give a true picture of the condition of your school buildings and equipment. Since buildings have been kept in very satisfactory state of repair, I am not anticipating any great change in the rating of the schools.

One of the most desired improvements at the present time, is a change in the artificial lighting of the Catherine Ross School. The amount of light in each of the two rooms is entirely inadequate to meet the specifications required by the State Department. I would recommend that this improvement be made as soon as possible in order that a higher rating may be given the school.

In conclusion, I wish to express appreciation to the townspeople and board of school directors for the support and cooperation which have been extended to the schools during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN T. MALONEY,

*Superintendent of Schools.*

TAXES FOR YEARS SHOWN, AS OF JANUARY 31,

1937		1936		1935	1934	1933	1941	1931
Real Estate	Pers. Prop.	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.	Real Estate	Real Estate	Real Estate	Real Estate	Real Estate
\$ 5 60		\$ 5 50		\$ 4 40	\$ 4 90	\$3 80	\$4 80	\$ 2 23
				1 21*	1 35*			
5 60		5 50		4 40	4 90	3 80	4 80	
3 79	\$ 84							
7 00	84	6 87	\$ 83	5 68				
11 20	4 34	11 00	3 71	8 52				
			2 06					
18 20	1 12	17 87		10 80				
19 60								
9 52		3 71						
	15 26		9 31					
								9 55
4 20		3 07						
	7 28							
9 89								
17 32								
14 00	1 12	13 75	1 10	11 60				
47 60	5 59	15 29						
27 25		46 56		28 71	30 48			
1 40								
1 96								
\$204 13	\$36 39	\$129 12	\$17 01	\$75 32	\$41 63	\$7 60	\$9 60	\$11 78

UNCOLLECTED REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

	1940		1939		1938	
	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.	Real Estate	Pers. Prop.
Alger, Willard and Mary	\$ 7 80		\$ 6 10		\$ 5 80	
Allen, Clyde B.					18 52	
Allen, John	9 40					
Barron, Athalene	35 10	\$ 21 14	27 45	\$ 16 01		
Benway, J. C.						\$ 73
Blanchard Est.	7 80		6 10		5 80	
Bolster, Carl and Laura	9 75		7 63		7 97	
Bolster, Carl	98		76			
Brown, Ruth					5 38	
Briggs, B. L. and W. Johnson			6 86		3 59	
Briggs, B. L.	11 70			46		15
Briggs, Edna	7 80					
Briggs, Leon	11 70	1 95	9 15	1 83	8 70	1 30
Brace, Forrest	78 00	11 97	61 00	7 23	58 00	6 00
Burnett, Julia E.	93 60		73 20			
Carpenter, Giles and Daisy	46 40	27 89	36 60	10 68		
Crowley, W. J.				2 28		
Dole, A. M. and Lillian	19 50		15 25	10 68	2 65	
Durand, N. A.	9 75		7 63	1 22	8 27	
Durand, James	15 60	5 07	12 20	3 97	11 60	3 77
Douglas, Marguerite			27 38			
Dutton, F. O.				41 18	3 34	
Fargo, V. H.	52 65	15 99	45 75	17 69		
Fielder, Levi						
Germaine, Herbert	1 95		1 53			
Gillette, Ralph and Beulah	23 40		18 30		17 40	
Gillette, Ralph	46 80	10 02	36 60	8 69	32 64	
Haskins, William and Libbie	10 35				18 85	1 45
Jaques, Fred and Julia	27 30	10 26	21 35	7 93	20 30	2 97
King, Robert and Delia	39 98			30 50		7 60
Liberty, Ruric and Ethel	11 70		9 15		9 86	
Lander, Alfred and Patty	39 00	10 53				
Moody, E. and Nettie	35 10	14 24				
Morgan, Chas. and Sadie	136 50			12 85		15 82
Martin, Robert	30 80					
Martin, W. E.	7 80		6 10			
Mayo, Aida	159 90	27 36				
Mitchell, W. E. and Marjorie		3 90				
Murray, Edward and Elizabeth	90 00					
Parks, H. L. and Evelyn						
Pierce, Daniel	2 73		2 14			
Pecor, Joseph	13 65	9 95				
Prescott, Mary				8 39		
Prindle, H. P.			4 58		4 36	
Pummell, Dana						
Rich, Lawson	19 50				14 50	
Ross, Josie					31 90	14 50
Ross, H. Austin	2 60					
Ross, Charles Robert	2 60					
Ross, Helen Russell	2 60					
Sadlier, Rena and Walter	12 87		9 15	2 14	16 24	
Strong, Peter	37 05					
Sweet, Valentine	7 09					
Sheldrake, H. and Lois			2 44	25 93	6 67	
Sisters, Fred					34 80	11 11
Stevens, Heman and Gladys			19 39			
Stevens, M. E. and Edna			22 22			
Sudarsky Est.						
Swinyer, A. G. (H. H. Mitchell)	181 35					
Thompson, F. G. and Gertie	78 78					
Wheelock, E. E., Est.		14 05				
White, A. B.	7 80					
White, A. B. and Marie	97 50	17 94				
Weston, J. A. and May	39 00	12 29	30 50			
Wright, Arville					2 03	
Rich, Josie	21 66					
	\$1,605 09	\$214 55	\$528 80	\$210 20	\$349 17	\$65 40

\* Personal property tax.

UNCOLLECTED POLL, FLOOD AND OLD AGE ASSISTANCE  
TAXES FOR FOLLOWING YEARS,  
AS OF JANUARY 31, 1941

	1940	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935
Allen, John	\$ 6 40		\$ 5 40	\$ 5 30		\$ 4 70
Allen, Mildred	6 40					
Arnold, Ida	6 40	\$ 5 55	71			
Alger, Mary	6 40					
Alger, Willard	6 40					
Atherton, Henry			3 13			
Atherton, Lutie			5 40			
Bedell, Harland		5 55				
Bedell, Persis and Henry				10 60	\$ 9 00	
Benway, Minnie		5 55	5 40			
Blood, Edwin	6 40	1 88				
Brace, Mack	6 40					
Bracey, Mabel	6 40					
Bracey, Alyn	6 40					
Briggs, B. L. and Edna		11 10				
Briggs, B. L.	6 40					
Briggs, Edna	6 40					
Briggs, Leon	6 40	5 55				
Brace, George	6 40					
Brace, Forrest	6 40					
Brace, Hazel	6 40					
Charland, Edith and Joseph L.				10 60	3 27	
Clark, Erwin	6 40					
Clark, Nellie	6 40					
Clark, Nellie and Erwin			10 80	7 47		
Crowley, Gertrude	6 40					
Crowley, W. J.	6 40					
Cusson, Abraham	6 40					
Charles, Warham	6 40					
Colburn, Ed.			5 40			
Currier, Walter			5 40			
Dole, Arthur	6 40					
Dole, Lillian	6 40					
Downing, Ben					4 50	
Dwire, Howard	6 40					
Drinkwater, J. C. and Grace			10 80			
Drinkwater, E. C.	6 40					
Drinkwater, Sophia	6 40					
Durand, Derwood	6 40					
Durand, James	6 40					
Durand, N. A.	6 40					
Durand, Pearl	6 40					
Durand, Reginald	6 40	5 55				
Fargo, V. H. and Loa		11 10	2 90			
Fargo, V. H.	6 40					
Fargo, Loa	6 40					
Fielder, Levi and Elsa						9 00
Fuller, Donald and Eleanore				5 30		
Germaine, Eleanor	6 40					
Germaine, Herbert	6 40					
Germaine, Flora	6 40					
Germaine, Fred	6 40					
Gillette, Ralph	6 40					
Gillette, Beulah	6 40					
Gorton, Walter	6 40					
Gorton, Evelyn	6 40					
George, C. E.	6 40					
Guthrie, John			2 67			
Haskins, Joseph and Hilda			5 84			
Haskins, Hilda	6 40					
Haskins, Joseph	6 40					

	1940	1939	1938	1937	1936	1935
Haskins, Rufus and Vella	11 10		5 40		9 00	9 11
Hood, Floyd				5 30		
Jennings, Fred			5 40			
Johnson, Walter E.	3 66					
King, Della	6 40		5 40			
Knights, Wm. and Hazel					9 00	
Liberty, Ethel	6 40					
Lander, Alfred	6 40					
Lander, Patty	6 40					
Lewis, N. J.	6 40					
Lewis, Dora	6 40					
Liberty, Cassius	6 40					
Maynard, Helen		5 55				
Mayo, Leonard	6 40					
Moody, John		5 55			1 75	
Moody, Nettie	6 40					
Merritt, Lillian		5 55				
Mitchell, W. E.	6 40					
Mitchell, Marjorie	6 40					
Martin, Robert	6 40					
Newton, Guy and Beatrice			10 80			
Poquette, Eleanor	6 40					
Poquette, Lawrence	6 40					
Pecor, Joe	6 40					
Pecor, Eva	6 40					
Pierce, Dan	6 40					
Prescott, Mary	6 40	5 55				
Slayton, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley		11 10				
Sadlier, W. and Rena			5 40		9 00	
Sisters, Fred			5 40			
Sigman, Arnold				5 30		
Stevens, Elna	6 40					
Stevens, Gertie	6 40					
Stevens, Leon				3 49		
Stevens, Monroe	6 40					
Stevens, Elmer	6 40					
Stevens, Lillian	6 40					
Sadlier, Walter	6 40					
Sadlier, Rena	6 40					
Sweet, A. and Jessie				10 60		
Sweet, Florence	6 40	5 55				
Sweet, Marble	6 40					
Sweet, Valentine	6 40					
Terrian, Madaline	6 40					
Terrian, Reo				5 30	4 50	
Tomlinson, Angus	6 40					
Tomlinson, Anna	6 40					
Thompson, Edna	6 40					
Thompson, Donald	6 40					
Thompson, F. G.	6 40					
Thompson, G. E.	6 40					
Thompson, Carlie	6 40					
Wheelock, James	6 40					
Wheelock, Leon	6 40					
Wheelock, Don and Marion			10 80	87	2 08	
Wolcott, Samuel and Delia			10 80			
Wood, Albert				4 42		
Wright, Arville					4 50	
Wright, Oscar	6 40					
Weston, Richard	6 40					
Young, Andrew					4 50	
Zeno, Carlie			5 40			3 70

\$541 26 \$101 78 \$128 65 \$79. 85 \$70 10 \$17 51

Wright, Arville, for year 1934—\$3.95.

## AUDITORS' REPORT

## ASSETS OF TOWN

Balance in general fund .....	\$ 2,397 49
Balance in cemetery fund .....	52 22
Balance in ministerial fund .....	268 16
Balance in chloride fund .....	74 13
Balance in state snow fund .....	188 14
Balance in state aid town road fund .....	167 62
Balance in road fund .....	23 14
Delinquent taxes .....	4,448 89
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Total assets .....	\$ 7,619 79

## LIABILITIES OF TOWN

P. C. Jaques, notes .....	\$ 2,655 42
Clyde Brewster, note .....	1,500 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 .....	3,800 00
Overdraw in school account .....	1,132 44
Overdraw in town snow account .....	51 85
Outstanding Selectmen's order, No. 36M, November 25, 1939 .....	28
Outstanding school order, No. 51, March 18, 1935 .....	4 24
Outstanding road order, No. 542 .....	2 52
Outstanding Overseer's order, No. 30 .....	2 00
Approximate amount due the State on Creamery Bridge .....	817 56
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Total liabilities .....	\$ 15,466 31
Total assets .....	7,619 79
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Indebtedness of town .....	\$ 7,846 52

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 \$1,732.50 during the year January 1, 1940 to December 31, 1940.

"The number of recipients in December, 1940, was 9.



"The resources of this department and its ability to make payments are determined by the state appropriation which is matched by federal funds.

"The administrative expenses of the department during the year was 4%.

"The advice and council of local officials and interested people are gratefully acknowledged by this department and its field staff."

The Huntington Cemetery Trust Fund, at Burlington Savings Bank, is \$4,495.08, on February 1, 1941.

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

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

## VITAL STATISTICS

### BIRTHS

1939

July 15. Rita Irene Stevens to Heman Henderson Stevens and Gladys (Walton) Stevens.

1940

Jan. 3. Alan Roger Crowley to William Joseph Crowley and Gertrude Rosette (Kennedy) Crowley.

Jan. 15. Reginald Benjamin Durand to Reginald Howard Durand and Ruth Mary (King) Durand.

Mar. 5. Richard Edward Weston, Jr. to Richard Edward Weston and Gladys Rita (Desso) Weston.

Mar. 9. Thomas Lewis McGrath to James Edward McGrath and Lucille Eva (Lewis) McGrath.

Mar. 15. Kenneth Oscar Switzer to Carroll Lorenzo Switzer and Beulah Emma (Kenyon) Switzer.

Mar. 22. Joann Laura Rublee to Forest Myron Rublee and Margaret C. (Pecor) Rublee.

Apr. 12. John Martin Truax to Raymond John Truax and Carlene (Goodrich) Truax.

Apr. 29. Charles Jason Mitchell to William E. R. Mitchell and Marjorie (Zeno) Mitchell.

May 17. Myrle Alberta Sweet to Allan Sweet and Jessie (Norton) Sweet.

- June 2. Roland Leonard Haskins to Joseph Leonard Haskins and Hilda Mae (Zeno) Haskins.
- June 10. Robert Edward Stevens to Leon Gillette Stevens and Gertrude Caroline (Pummell) Stevens.
- Aug. 8. Gene Raymond Truax to Woodrow Donald Truax and Marie Agnes (LaFlore) Truax.
- Aug. 15. Robert Windsor Weston to Windsor Arnold Weston and Dorothy (Desso) Weston.
- Nov. 4. Willard Hale Taft to Carlyle Marble Taft and Audra (Mashburn) Taft.
- Dec. 17. Roderick Elbridge Ross to Roderick Lee Ross and Elizabeth Harriet (Gates) Ross.
- Dec. 30. Ralph Oliver Gorton to Burton Parker Gorton and Marjorie (Hill) Gorton.
- 1941
- Jan. 5. Ralph Gene Allen to John Eugene Allen and Mildred (Weston) Allen.

## DEATHS

- 1940
- Mar. 2. Maria Sweet; 86 years, 6 months, 5 days.
- July 31. Maud Dwyer; 63 years, 3 months, 23 days.
- Aug. 17. Betsey W. Gillett; 71 years, 4 months, 8 days.
- Sept. 27. Minnie M. McGrath; 64 years, 5 months, 8 days.
- Oct. 6. Elna Stevens; 67 years, 6 months, 16 days.
- Nov. 21. John M. Prescott; 62 years, 8 months, 20 days.

## MARRIAGES

- 1940
- May 30. Burton Parker Gorton and Marjorie Hill.
- Aug. 3. Gordon H. Brown and Wilma E. Spaulding.
- Aug. 3. Glendon Leonard Kelsey and Esther Mary Alger.
- Sept. 8. Guy C. King, Jr. and Lois E. Fielder.
- Oct. 12. Lawrence Maxwell Blish and Lucille Sarah Martin.
- Oct. 31. Russell Hopkins Allen, New Haven, and Helen Esther Drinkwater.
- Nov. 10. Charles Fordyce Degrennia and Myrtle Elizabeth Gilbeau.
- 1941
- Jan. 1. Millard Carlton Brace and Marion Louise Hallock.



## TOWN MEETING WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of Huntington, Vt., are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Town Hall at Huntington Center, Huntington, Vt., on Tuesday, March 4, 1941, at 10 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. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Day.
5. Will the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money when needed for current expenses and indebtedness of Town?
6. What amount the Town will appropriate to take advantage of "State Highway Apportionment Acts."
7. To vote a sum of money to take advantage of Act. No. 101 of the Acts of 1937, for town roads.
8. What per cent the Town will raise on the Grand List for the general fund, expenses of schools, snow removal and dust laying.
9. To elect a Road Commissioner. (By ballot.)
10. To elect for three years, a Selectman, Lister, School Director and Auditor. (By ballot.)
11. To see if the Town will vote to use the Australian Ballot system. (By request.)
12. To elect an Overseer of the Poor, Constable, and Town Treasurer.
13. To elect a Town Agent and Trustee of public money.
14. To elect a Cemetery Commissioner for five years.
15. "Shall License be granted for the sale of malt and fermented beverages?"
16. To transact, vote and act upon any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Dated at Huntington, Vt., this 17th day of February, A.D. 1941.

R. H. FIELDER,  
P. C. JAQUES,  
G. A. SPAULDING,  
*Selectmen of Huntington, Vt.*