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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### MODERATOR

Charles A. Young

### CLERK

Cecil P. Bowles

### TREASURER

Charles A. Young

### SELECTMEN

Sheldon Whitcomb

Fred Bowles

Oliver Bowles

### SUPERVISORS

George S. Judd

Melvin Bowles

Ora W. Noyes

### HEALTH OFFICER

Elra M. Cooley

### BOARD OF EDUCATION

Fred H. Bowles

E. M. Cooley

Mabel Bowles

### LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Cecil P. Bowles

Fred H. Bowles

### AUDITOR

Katharine L. Bowles

### ROAD AGENTS

W. A. Judd

Tildin Day

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

C. A. Young, Moderator	\$ 9 00
C. P. Bowles, Town Clerk	24 00
C. A. Young, Treasurer	25 00
S. F. Whitcomb, Selectman	73 15
F. H. Bowles, Selectman	38 00
O. L. Bowles, Selectman	44 50
G. S. Judd, Supervisor, at Primary and General Election, two sessions of correcting for registration and making 2 copies of check list to be sent to Concord	14 00
M. H. Bowles, Supervisor	6 00
O. W. Noyes, Supervisor	5 00
E. M. Cooley, Health Officer and expenses incurred	29 65
K. L. Bowles, Auditor	10 00
G. S. Judd, Collector for 1924	84 42
W. A. Judd, Ballot Clerk, two meetings, Sept. and Nov.	4 00
Doris Brown, Ballot Clerk, one meeting, November	2 00
Lyle Brown, Ballot Clerk, one meeting, November	2 00
Merton Edney, Ballot Clerk, one meeting, September	2 00
Elroy Harriman, Ballot Clerk, one meeting Septem- ber	2 00
C. P. Bowles, Automobile Bureau	5 50
C. P. Bowles, recording births, deaths and mar- riages	1 75
C. P. Bowles, recording invoice, bonds, postage and sundries	9 75
Helen J. Young, Town Clerk, for settling time till March election 1924	3 38

## INVENTORY OF APRIL 1924

Improved and unimproved landed buildings	\$179,723 00
74 horses	7,625 00
3 mules	215 00
108 cows	4,025 00

6 oxen	390 00
21 neat stock	690 00
7 sheep	35 00
4 vehicles	200 00
2 gas engines	200 00
2 mills	4,500 00
1 lock	150 00
Stock in trade	7,050 00
Lumber	3,250 00
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Total value	\$208,053 00
Resident Tax	5,201 33
75 polls	375 00
Total tax committed to collector	\$5,576 36
Tax rate \$2.50 for \$100 valuation	

### TREASURER'S REPORT

#### Receipts

Balance on hand February 1, 1924	\$3,315 54
Town Clerk, auto taxes	163 00
Town Clerk, dog license money	51 85
F. H. Bowles, bounty money	40 00
Town Clerk, filing money	2 00
Dept. State Treasurer	1,016 53
Geo. S. Judd, Collector	5,628 49
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Total	\$10,217 41

#### Expenditures

52 orders paid	\$ 5,464 30
Cash on hand February 1, 1925	4,753 11
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Total	\$10,217 41

## HIGHWAYS

## C. N. Judd, Road Agent

## Labor on Town Road

C. N. Judd, December 1923, self and team 2½ hours	\$ 1 80
C. N. Judd, January 1924, self and team 3 hours	2 16
C. N. Judd, February, self 3 hours	1 17
C. N. Judd, February, self and team, 11 hours	7 92
C. N. Judd, March 1½ hours	59
F. H. Bowles, February 8 hours	2 66
C. L. Thayer, January 3 hours	1 00
S. F. Whitcomb, February	3 33
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Total	\$20 63

## Labor on State Highway 1923

C. N. Judd, December, self and team 2 hours	1 44
C. N. Judd, December 4 hours	1 56
C. L. Thayer, December 6 hours	2 00
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Total	\$5 00

## W. A. Judd, Road Agent

## Town Road

## Labor from April 8 to May 21

W. A. Judd, 7 days	\$ 24 50
E. S. Leighton and team, 4 days, 2½ hours	24 75
C. N. Judd, 3 days, 2 hours	9 69
Ion Whitcomb and team, 2 days	12 00
F. H. Bowles and team, 3½ hours	2 35
Chas. Caldwell and team, 6⅓ days	38 00
Stanley Darvid, 3 days	9 00
Maynard Clark, 6 days	18 00
C. L. Thayer, 6 days	18 00
C. A. Young, man 3¾ days and team 2¾ days	19 50
S. F. Whitcomb, 6 hours	2 00

**Labor from May 21 to July 1**

W. A. Judd, 7 days, 2 hours	25 10
C. N. Judd, 5 days, 7 hours	17 32
Ion Whitcomb and team, 2 days, 7 $\frac{1}{3}$ hours	16 83
Joe Melick, 5 days, 7 hours	17 32
Chas. Caldwell and team	18 33
Maynard Clark, 1 day	3 00
C. L. Thayer, 3 days, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours	9 82
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$285 51</b>

**Labor from July 1 to November 29**

W. A. Judd, 20 $\frac{1}{3}$ days and team 1 day	\$72 78
Stanley Darvid, 4 days	12 00
Ion Whitcomb and team, 10 days	60 00
C. N. Judd, 4 days and team $\frac{1}{2}$ day	13 50
E. S. Leighton, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours	50
Joe Melick, 3 days	9 00
Johnsky and team, $\frac{1}{2}$ day	3 00
W. A. Judd, paid for spikes, pick handles and sharpening picks	4 12
Richard Melcher, 7 loads gravel	70
E. S. Leighton, 23 loads gravel	2 30
A. C. Pease, 145 loads gravel	14 50
Clayton Dockham, 13 loads gravel	1 30
C. A. Young, 49 loads gravel	4 90
Stanley Darvid, 17 loads gravel	1 70
C. A. Young, bridge plank	17 50
Parker & Young Co., bridge plank	64 19

Total amount spent by W. A. Judd on town roads **\$567 50**

**W. A. Judd, Agent****1924 STATE AID MAINTENANCE****Labor from April 8 to May 17**

W. A. Judd, 7 days	\$24 50
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Roy Judd, 1 day	3 00
C. N. Judd 4 days	12 00
Maynard Clark, 6½ days	19 50
Stanley Darvid, 6 days	18 00
E. S. Leighton and team, 7 days	42 00
Ion Whitcomb and team, 5 days	30 00
C. L. Thayer, 8 days	24 00
O. W. Noyes, ¼ day	75
O. L. Bowles, ¼ day	75
Chas. Caldwell and team, 7¾ days	46 50
S. F. Whitcomb, 2 days	6 00

**Labor from May 17 to July 25**

W. A. Judd, 14 days, 2 hours	49 78
C. N. Judd, 8 days, 2 hours	24 68
C. L. Thayer, 7 days, 6½ hours	23 18
E. S. Leighton and team, 7 days	42 00
Joe Melick, 12 days, 6½ hours	38 18
Ion Whitcomb and team, 13 days, 2 hours	79 38
Ion Whitcomb, 1 day	3 00
Maynard Clark, 7 days	21 00

**Labor from July 25 to November 29**

W. A. Judd, 11 days, 2 hours	\$39 29
Ion Whitcomb and team, 7 days	42 00
C. N. Judd, 7 days	21 00
Stanley Darvid, 2 days	6 00
John Johnsky and team, 1 day	6 00
Lyle Brown, 323 loads of gravel	32 30
Richard Melcher, 58 loads of gravel	5 80
Joe Sherburn, 44 loads of gravel	4 40
Clayton Dockburn, 17 loads of gravel	1 70

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Total amount spent by W. A. Judd on State Maintenance	\$686 07
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**Tilden Day, Road Agent**

**Labor on Town Road from January 5 to June 28**

Tilden Day and team, 6 days	39 00
Edwin Bowles and team, 1½ days	9 00
Ben Bowles, 1½ days	4 50
Stanley Darvid, 3½ days	10 50
Albert Judd, 1½ days	4 50
C. W. Morse, ½ day	1 50

**Labor from June 28 to October 14**

Tilden Day and team, 6 days	39 00
Roy Judd, 1 day	3 00
Herbert Eastman, 4 days	12 00
Stanley Darvid, 1 day	3 00

Total amount spent on town roads by Tilden Day	\$126 00
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**Tilden Day, Agent**

**1924 STATE AID MAINTENANCE**

**Labor from May to June 28**

Tilden Day and team, 12 days	\$78 00
Claude Davis, 8 days	24 00
Edwin Bowles and team, 8½ days	51 00
Albert Judd, 8½ days	25 50
Ben Bowles, 4½ days	13 50
Stanley Darvid, 4½ days	13 50

**Labor in October**

Tilden Day and team, 14 days	91 00
Herbert Eastman, 10 days	30 00
Stanley Darvid, 8 days	24 00
Bishop and Young, 8 bags cement	6 80
Champlain Realty Co., 104 loads gravel	10 40

Total amount spent by Tilden Day on State Maintenance	\$367 70
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## JOINT FUND ACCOUNT

S. F. Whitcomb, Foreman

Total amount expended	\$706 60
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### MISCELLANEOUS

Berger Manufacturing Co., for culverts	\$ 77 62
S. F. Whitcomb, work in cemetery	15 00
S. F. Whitcomb, installing culvert on Wildwood road	14 00
Edson C. Eastman, for tax book	3 25
W. J. Randolph, for land transfers	1 34
C. M. Dockham, bounty on wild cat	20 00
Albert Judd, bounty on wild cat	20 00
Geo. Farrand, special poll tax	104 00
F. H. Foster, County Treasurer, county tax	445 63
Association of N. H., assessors	2 00
Grafton County Publishing Co., printing town reports	27 50
Geo. Farrand, state tax for 23 and 24	419 19
School orders	1,592 31
Tax paid for land bid off by town, on "The John Atwood Heirs of Land"	20 84

### LIBRARY REPORT

The Town Library is still making itself useful to the people. We added in 1924, 22 volumes by purchase, making the total 1,070. Our small appropriation is all used for books. Since Katherine L. Bowles' death her son, Cecil P. Bowles, has taken care of the Library.

## Births Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1924

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition		Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Sex	Living or Stillborn							
Jan. 22	Tony Stanley	M	5		Stanley Dalwitz		Easton	Farmer	Russia	Austria
Mar. 5	Barbara E. Clark	F	6		Maynard R. Clark		"	Lumberman	Lunenburg, Vt.	Lyndonville, Vt.
Apr. 11	Edney	F	2		Merton Edney		"	Teamster	Victory, Vt.	Granby, Vt.
July 27	Harriet I. Caldwell	F	6		Charle T. Caldwell		"	Woodsmen	Greenburo	Danville, Vt.

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

C. P. BOWLES, Town Clerk

## Marriages Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1924

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years		Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
				Age in years	Color of each					
June 28	Littleton	Oliver Bowles	Easton	29		Carpenter	Easton	Fred H. Bowles Abbie S. Huntress	Easton	William Warren Clergyman Littleton
		Jessie B. House	Lisbon	24		Teacher	Lyme	Clinton E. House Lothe Gilbert	Orleans, Vt.	
Dec. 6	N. Haverhill	Geo. Ramsey	Easton	38	White	Bobbin Splitter	Percy	John Ramsey Rose Churchill	Percy St. John, Que.	D. E. Burns Clergyman Haverhill
		Florence Hill	Lisbon	18		Housework	Piermont	Orland B. Hill Howland	Lisbon Piermont	

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Easton, N. H. for the year Ending December 31, 1924

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex, Condition			Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	
			Years	Months		Days	Male	Female						Color
Jan. 13	Easton	Willard W. Brooks	71	9	21	France	M	White	W	Lumberman	Benton Woodstock Ireland	Landaff Easton Bedford, Mass.	Otis Brooks	Sarah Drury
Oct. 8	"	Evander E. Brown	73	3	27	Easton	F	White	W	Farmer			Amos Brown	Laura Eastman
Nov. 13	"	Katharine L. Bowles	75	9	6	Benton	F	White	M	Home			Francis Dwyer	Mary E. Gifford

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