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Annual Report
OF THE
Municipal Officers
Of the Town of
GUILFORD
For the Year Ending
March 1st. 1910

THE REGISTER PRINT
GUILFORD
1910

Town Officers, 1909.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Micajah Hudson, Frank H. Weymouth, Elmer E. Fairbrother.

Town Clerk, Charles S. Bennett.

Town Treasurer, Frank O. Martin.

Collector of Taxes, Selden D. Rice.

Town Agent, James H. Hudson.

Town Auditors, Frank B. Pease, E. O. Stoddard.

Superintendent of Schools, Ernest L. Palmer.

School Board, F. B. Pease, E. E. Ross, John S. Williams.

Board of Health, Frank M. Briggs, R. H. Marsh, M. D., Forest A. Cousens.

Truant Officer, Fred T. Leavitt.

Constables, Selden Rice, Samuel B. Drew, Stewart E. Evans, Fred T. Leavitt, Charles E. Higgins, A. R. Hussey, Frank M. Briggs, Arthur B. Johnson.

Selectmen's Report

APPROPRIATIONS MARCH 15, 1909.

| | | |
|---|------------|--------------------|
| For superintendent of schools, | \$ 250 00 | |
| support of common schools, | 2,500 00 | |
| repairs and insurance on school houses, | 700 00 | |
| support of free High school | 1,400 00 | |
| purchase of text books, | 300 00 | |
| supplies and appliances, | 250 00 | |
| support of poor and other town charges, | 2,000 00 | |
| outstanding debts and interest on the same, | 2,000 00 | |
| fire purposes and electric lights, | 800 00 | |
| State road, | 133 50 | |
| Guilford Memorial Library, | 575 00 | |
| support of roads and bridges, | 2,750 00 | |
| Memorial day, | 50 00 | |
| music in schools, | 150 00 | |
| repair of side walks, | 450 00 | |
| laying of pipe for fire protection, | 600 00 | |
| support of night watch | 500 00 | |
| fire escapes on High school building, | 175 00 | |
| | | <u>\$15,583 50</u> |
| For State tax, | \$2,208 02 | |
| county tax, | 682 99 | |
| overlay, | 645 58 | |
| | | <u>3,536 59</u> |
| Total assessment, | | <u>\$19,120 09</u> |

VALUATION OF PROPERTY, April 1, 1909.

| | | |
|---------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Resident real estate, | \$439,340 00 | |
| Non-resident real estate, | 42,000 00 | |
| | | <u>\$481,340 00</u> |
| Total real estate, | | |
| Personal estate resident, | \$182,815 00 | |

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| nor-resident, | 1,660 00 | |
| | <hr/> | 184,475 00 |
| Total valuation, | | \$665,815 00 |
| No. of polls 492. Rate on polls, \$3.00. | | |
| Amount assessed on estates, | \$17,644 09 | |
| polls, | 1,476 00 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total tax, | | \$19,120 09 |

Rate per cent., .026 1-2.

On the first day of May, A. D., 1909, the lists of the foregoing assessments were committed to Selden D. Rice, collector for the town of Guilford.

LIST OF ITEMS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY, April 1, 1909.

| | | |
|---------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| 338 horses, | av. val. \$71.19 | \$24,065 00 |
| 14 three-year-old colts, | " " 60.71 | 850 00 |
| 26 two-year-old colts, | " " 49.03 | 1,275 00 |
| 22 one-year-old colts, | " " 23.86 | 525 00 |
| 301 cows, | " " 25.06 | 7,545 00 |
| 2 oxen, | " " 27.50 | 55 00 |
| 41 three-year-old cattle, | " " 20.73 | 850 00 |
| 53 two-year-old cattle, | " " 14.05 | 745 00 |
| 62 one-year-old cattle, | " " 6.69 | 415 00 |
| 261 sheep, | " " 3.02 | 790 00 |
| 94 swine, | " " 6.64 | 625 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total live stock, | | \$37,740 00 |

OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY.

| | |
|------------------------|------------|
| National Bank stock, | \$4,865 00 |
| Trust companies stock, | 37,760 00 |
| Money at interest, | 4,000 00 |
| Stock in trade, | 42,600 00 |
| Logs and lumber, | 25,000 00 |
| Automobiles, | 5,600 00 |

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| Carriages, | 860 00 | |
| Musical instruments, | 9,000 00 | |
| Furniture, | 400 00 | |
| Finished products in mill, | 2,000 00 | |
| Materials in stock, | 12,500 00 | |
| Machinery not taxed as real estate, | 2,000 00 | |
| Ice, | 150 00 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$146,735 00 |
| Total amount of personal property, | | <u>\$184,475 00</u> |

NUMBER OF LIVE STOCK AS COMPARED WITH
YEARS, 1908 AND 1909.

| | 1908 | 1909 |
|-------------------------------|------|------|
| Number of horses, | 347 | 338 |
| Number of colts 3 years old, | 7 | 14 |
| Number of colts 2 years old, | 15 | 26 |
| Number of colts 1 year old, | 23 | 22 |
| Number of cows, | 311 | 301 |
| Number of Oxen | 10 | 2 |
| Number of cattle 3 years old, | 38 | 41 |
| Number of cattle 2 years old, | 48 | 53 |
| Number of cattle 1 year old, | 84 | 62 |
| Number of sheep, | 358 | 261 |
| Number of swine, | 141 | 94 |

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

| | |
|---|----------|
| Raised by town, | \$575 00 |
| To paid F. O. Martin, treasurer of library, | 575 00 |

MEMORIAL FUND.

| | |
|--|---------|
| Raised by town, | \$50 00 |
| To paid M. F. Ellis, 4 dozen flags and express | 4 45 |

| | | |
|---|-------|---------------|
| To paid L. E. Howard, iron markers for graves of soldiers, | 20 30 | |
| To paid M. F. Ellis for letter grave stone markers, | 6 25 | |
| | <hr/> | \$31 00 |
| Unexpended | | <hr/> \$19 00 |

NIGHT WATCH.

| | | |
|--|----------|----------------|
| Raised by town 1909, | | \$500 00 |
| To paid Arthur B. Johnson, from May 3d to November 15, 1909 | \$343 00 | |
| To paid C. S. Bennett, night watch, | 50 00 | |
| To paid express on same, | 1 25 | |
| To paid Charles E. Higgins, night police, | 2 00 | |
| | <hr/> | 396 25 |
| Unexpended, | | <hr/> \$103 75 |

WATER PIPE.

| | | |
|--|----------|----------|
| Raised by town, | \$600 00 | |
| Overdrawn last year, | 8 20 | \$591 80 |
| | <hr/> | |
| To paid Walworth Manufacturing Co. for pipe and hydrants, | \$346 94 | |
| To paid freight on lead and jute, | 1 73 | |
| Guilford Manufacturing Co., wood, | 25 | |
| William H. Macomber, labor, | 7 75 | |
| Claud Macomber, labor, | 3 00 | |
| S. D. Rice, labor, | 26 62 | |
| Angie Zande, labor, | 12 50 | |
| Jack Zande, labor, | 8 75 | |
| N. B. Merrill, labor, | 6 03 | |
| J. A. Church, labor, | 4 80 | |
| J. S. Bruce, labor, | 3 05 | |
| Ed Grant, labor, | 4 38 | |
| S. S. Robbins, labor, | 9 18 | |

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|---|-------------------|------------------------------|
| A. M. Orff, labor, | 88 | |
| H. L. Harrington, labor, | 2 00 | |
| S. D. Rice for men, labor, | 32 78 | |
| Wilson Edwards, labor, | 5 25 | |
| J. E. Hescocck, laying pipe, | 33 03 | |
| F. U. Witham & Co. bill, | 3 97 | |
| A. G. Crockett bill, | 50 | |
| H. Douglass & Co., | 1 36 | |
| A. E. Hatch, | 1 40 | |
| New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. fire alarm system from part of May to February 1st, | 34 38 | |
| | <u> </u> | 550 53 |
| Unexpended, | | <u> </u> \$41 27 |

FIRE PURPOSES AND ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

| | | |
|--|-------------------|----------|
| Raised by town, | \$800 00 | |
| Overdrawn last year, | 112 23 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$687 77 |
| To paid Piscataquis Woolen Co.: | | |
| For 61 lights 365 nights, | \$333 98 | |
| For 2 lights 140 nights, | 4 20 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$338 18 |
| To paid Piscataquis Woolen Co., use of fire pump as per contract, | 150 00 | |
| To paid Piscataquis Woolen Co., running new line on Water street, | 39 09 | |
| To paid members of fire company, | | |
| Elmer Stevens, | \$7 00 | |
| C. M. Drew, | 4 00 | |
| M. S. Fogg, | 4 00 | |
| Charles Dodge, | 4 00 | |
| C. W. Stevens, | 4 00 | |
| H. L. Harrington, | 4 00 | |
| George Richards, | 3 25 | |

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|--|-------|---------|
| C. Ray Scales, | 4 25 | |
| Vinal Ellis, | 4 00 | |
| Fred Cobb, | 4 00 | |
| Ed Fortin, | 3 75 | |
| James Stevens, | 4 00 | |
| E. O. Stoddard, | 3 25 | |
| Oma Lombard, | 75 | |
| E. A. Ham, | 1 50 | |
| John Small, | 2 00 | |
| Thomas Merrill, | 4 00 | |
| | <hr/> | 61 75 |
| To paid Bay State Belting Co. for 300 feet hose and one nozzle, | | 155 00 |
| To paid freight on hose, | | 98 |
| To paid John E. Small hose cart, | | 12 50 |
| To paid John E. Small repair sleds, | | 1 50 |
| To paid H. L. Harrington team to fires, | | 3 50 |
| To paid express on wrenches and spanners, | | 1 40 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 763 90 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn, | | \$76 13 |

TOWN HALL ACCOUNT.

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|----------|----------|
| Unexpended from last year, 1909, | | \$549 81 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$549 81 |
| March 18 | Received H. M. Carr, band concert, | \$7 50 | |
| April 12 | A. M. McKusick and C. M. Drew, dance, | 7 50 | |
| May 5 | Frank W. Nason, | 10 00 | |
| " 13 | H. H. Linn, three nights, | 22 50 | |
| " 14 | Sunny South, | 10 00 | |
| " 24 | Out in Idaho, | 10 00 | |
| June 15 | American Amusement Co., | 10 00 | |
| July 24 | Matinee Girl Co., | 10 00 | |
| Oct. 24 | M. E. Church, they paid janitor, | 5 00 | |
| Nov. 1 | The Final Settlement, | 10 00 | |
| Dec. 9 | Amerno Hypnotist, | 25 00 | |

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|------|----|---|-------|----------|
| " | 21 | Woodman, (Benefit time), | 2 00 | |
| " | 27 | New England Amusement Co., hall and extra insurance on account moving pictures, | 52 00 | |
| Nov. | 26 | Basket Ball, | 7 50 | |
| 1910 | | | | |
| Jan. | 1 | Ned Scales, basket ball and dance, | 7 50 | |
| " | 4 | Star Theatre Co., two nights, | 12 00 | |
| " | 10 | Star Theatre Co., one night, | 6 00 | |
| " | 15 | Star Theatre Co., one night, | 6 00 | |
| " | 22 | Basket Ball, two nights, | 15 00 | |
| " | 25 | Star Theater, one night, | 6 00 | |
| " | 26 | Mrs. E. E. Ross, Benefit for Mrs. C. C. Thomas, | 2 00 | |
| Feb. | 2 | John McSorley, band concert, | 2 00 | |
| " | 2 | Star Theatre, Jan. 29, | 6 00 | |
| " | 2 | Basket Ball, | 7 50 | |
| " | 5 | School time, Union Depot, | 3 75 | |
| " | 7 | Star Theatre, one night, | 6 00 | |
| " | 8 | Star Theatre, one night, | 6 00 | |
| " | 16 | Star Theatre, one night, | 6 00 | |
| " | 17 | Basket Ball, | 7 50 | |
| " | 17 | Hall Merchants' Week, | 7 50 | |
| " | 21 | Star Theatre, February 18 and 19 | 12 00 | |
| " | 28 | Star Theatre, | 6 00 | |
| " | 28 | Basket Ball, February 25, | 7 50 | |
| " | 28 | Masons, February 22, | 7 50 | |
| " | 28 | Knights of Maccabees use of small hall from May 11 to February 11, 1910, | 27 00 | |
| " | 28 | Received of Knights of Maccabees use of hall December 29 for Public Installation of Officers, | 4 00 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$359 75 |
| | | | | <hr/> |
| | | | | \$909 56 |

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| To paid Frank Matthews, janitor, | 21 00 | |
| George McKusick, janitor, | 57 00 | |
| F. M. Howard, fire escapes, | 115 00 | |
| Page, Spearing & Co., difference in Piano, | 266 00 | |
| Straw & Martin. insurance, | 77 52 | |
| M. Hudson, 1 3-4 cords wood, | 9 50 | |
| William Silvie, saw wood, | 1 88 | |
| L. B. Trafton, labor and lumber to fix entry floor, | 7 35 | |
| Guilford Manufacturing Co., plate glass and express, | 5 70 | |
| J. E. Small, piano slide, | 4 25 | |
| Angie Zande, cleaning hall, glass and setting for the year, | 16 15 | |
| Walter Race, repair seats, | 3 61 | |
| Page, Spearing & Co., | 1 00 | |
| George McKusick, clean funnel, | 50 | |
| George McKusick, saw wood, | 3 50 | |
| A. M. McKusick, paid signs, | 1 50 | |
| F. U. Witham & Co., on funnel, | 50 | |
| Packard & Ross, bill, | 4 55 | |
| F. H. Leavitt, 1 1-4 cord wood, | 6 25 | |
| John Scales, bill, | 4 22 | |
| Carl Martin, 2 1-2 cords wood, | 12 50 | |
| Fred Cole, labor on door, | 1 13 | |
| Piscataquis Woolen Co., electric lights to Feb. 28, | 100 00 | |
| Piscataquis Woolen Co., lights and repairs for year, | 11 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$731 61 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | | \$177 95 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | SIDE WALKS. |
| Raised by Town, | | \$450 00 |
| To Paid P. J. Nelligan & Co., | \$415 02 | |
| Ed Grant, | 5 59 | |
| N. B. Merrill, | 1 58 | |
| Angie Zande, | 35 | |

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|----------------|----------------|
| S. D. Rice, | 18 31 |
| George Curtis, | 2 83 |
| | <hr/> \$443 68 |
| Unexpended | \$6 32 |

OUTSTANDING DEBTS AND INTEREST.

| | |
|--|------------------|
| Raised by town, | \$2000 00 |
| April 24 Loan from Guilford Trust Company to pay order 353, | 300 00 |
| June 25 Temporary loan Guilford Trust Company, | 500 00 |
| Unexpended from last year, | 306 47 |
| | <hr/> \$3,106 47 |
| To paid interest on interest orders, | 569 29 |
| Piscataquis Savings Bank order 195, | 1000 00 |
| April 24 To paid on order 353, | 300 00 |
| To paid Guilford Trust Company loan, | 300 00 |
| To paid Guilford Trust Company loan, | 500 00 |
| May 24 To paid on order 353, | 200 00 |
| | <hr/> 2,869 29 |
| Unexpended | \$237 18 |

Now due on order 353, \$500 00

SUPPORT OF POOR AND OTHER TOWN CHARGES.

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Raised by town, | \$2,000 00 |
| Unexpended last year, | 205 41 |
| License Alf. Wheeler, | 3 00 |
| Money left by Abigail Briggs, | 2 50 |
| State for sheep killed by dogs, | 40 00 |
| Charles F. Cole use land 1909, | 1 00 |
| Northern Telephone Co., | 4 00 |
| R. R. & Telegraph tax, | 49 81 |
| Dog licences refunded, | 65 45 |
| Overlay, | 645 58 |
| | <hr/> \$3,016 75 |

TOWN OFFICERS BILLS.

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Paid M. Hudson, selectmen, | \$175 00 |
| F. H. Weymouth, " | 60 00 |
| E. E. Fairbrother, " | 55 00 |
| F. B. Pease, school committee, | 20 00 |
| E. E. Ross, " " | 20 00 |
| J. S. Williams, " " | 20 00 |
| James H. Hudson, Town Agent, | 5 00 |
| Fred T. Leavitt, truant officer, | 12 00 |
| F. M. Briggs, Board of Health, | 10 00 |
| F. A. Cousins, " " " | 10 00 |
| R. H. Marsh, " " " | 10 00 |
| F. O. Martin, treasurer, | 60 00 |
| C. S. Bennett, town clerk, | 15 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$472 00 |

RESIDENT PAUPERS.

Dolly Robinson:

| | |
|--|----------|
| To Paid T. J. Chase, board and care from | |
| Mar. 1 to Sept. 23, | \$129 25 |
| Page, Spearing, & Co., burial expenses, | 41 00 |
| J. K. Edes & Son, | 25 |
| Packard & Ross, bill, | 3 00 |
| Genthner Brothers, bill, | 50 |
| William Cowie, M. D., | 2 85 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$176 85 |

Abigail E. Briggs:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|
| To paid Ida Robinson, board and care, | 47 50 |
| Flora L. Johnson, board and care, | 106 00 |
| W. A. Parington, bill, | 1 50 |
| J. K. Edes & Son, " | 17 03 |
| Genthner Brothers, " | 1 00 |
| R. H. Marsh, " | 4 00 |
| William Cowie, " | 17 05 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 194 08 |

John Briggs paid the burial expenses,

James D. Evans:

| | | |
|---|-------------------|--------|
| To paid John Robbins board and care from Feb. 26, 1909 to Feb. 26, 1910, | \$132 50 | |
| Guilford Clothing Co. bill, | 6 25 | |
| John Robbins bill supplies, | 19 65 | |
| | <u> </u> | 158 40 |

Harrison B. Chase:

| | | |
|--|-------------------|--------|
| To paid Mrs. A. W. Crosby board and care from Feb. 15, 1909 to Dec. 20, 1909, | 220 00 | |
| Mrs. A. W. Crosby burial expenses, | 43 00 | |
| | <u> </u> | 263 00 |

George McSorley and Family:

| | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| To paid the town of Anson, | 48 75 | |
| | <u> </u> | 48 75 |

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| Total resident pauper bills, | | <u>\$841 08</u> |
|------------------------------|--|-----------------|

TRAMP BILLS.

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|---------|
| To paid Mrs. E. Hussey, | \$49 50 | |
| Fred Draper, over night, | 1 00 | |
| | <u> </u> | \$50 50 |

STATE PAUPER.

| | | |
|---|-------------------|-------|
| To paid R. H. Marsh attending Fred Mathers, | 14 00 | |
| | <u> </u> | 14 00 |

Earnest McKenney and family:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-------|
| To paid S. B. Drew, Jr. 2 nights, | \$4 00 | |
| A. B. Johnson 1 night, | 2 00 | |
| C. S. Drew 1 night, | 2 00 | |
| M. C. Maxfield 3 nights, | 6 00 | |
| William Cowie, M. D. | 7 00 | |
| | <u> </u> | 21 00 |

Due from St. Albans.

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

| | | |
|---|---------|--|
| To paid Andrew F. Tibbetts Printing Co. for town reports 1908, | \$50 75 | |
| C. P. Turner ballot clerk 1908, | 2 00 | |
| Harry Dean snow bills 1907, | 1 00 | |
| S. D. Rice measuring streets to see how many hydrants the town would want, | 4 26 | |

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|--|-------|
| E. F. Dillingham town books, | 11 70 |
| Mrs. E. M. Carr by vote of town, | 57 00 |
| Angie Zande clean town office, | 1 85 |
| 1-2 cord wood town office, | 2 75 |
| Andrew F. Tibbetts Printing Co. ad. to pay dog licenses, | 1 90 |
| Orman Woodbury cleaning up Center burying ground, | 5 00 |
| G. L. Perkins mowing grass burying ground near Hudson farm, | 2 50 |
| F. D. Dearth and others for 4-2 1/2 of lot of land in northeast corner of Hall lot, | 20 00 |
| Frank Bartlett saw wood office, | 50 |
| Bangor Publishing Co. for ad. for R. R. com- missioners to legalize R. R. crossing, | 6 50 |
| Fare and freight on goods N. E. Chandler and wife to Norridgewock, | 18 71 |
| Loring, Short and Harmon for town books, | 4 50 |
| W. L. Hammon 4 granite posts for road, | 2 10 |
| Fred A. Heath moderator, March and May, 1909, | 4 00 |
| Fred A. Heath, night police, | 2 00 |
| Fred A. Heath serve papers Abigail Briggs, | 2 00 |
| Wm. P. Oakes witness fees for R. R. gates, | 2 00 |
| Wm. P. Oakes to lay out road over R. R. crossing and team near S. J. Goldthwaites, | 4 50 |
| F. D. Barrows 2 highway books, | 3 75 |
| G. W. Morgan sheep and lambs killed by dogs, | 10 00 |
| H. L. Crafts 3 sheep and 2 lambs killed by dogs, | 30 00 |
| F. D. Washburn labor on boiler High school building, | 3 00 |
| Angie Zande clean windows, | 25 |
| A. F. Tibbetts Printing Co. printing road blanks, | 3 75 |
| E. D. Tewksbury 8 1-2 feet wood town office, | 5 32 |
| Chas. Coy saw wood, | 1 25 |

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| Page, Spearing & Co. 7 chairs town office, | 20 00 |
| Page, Spearing & Co. 2 pails state road, | 50 |
| Miss Small account pianos, | 1 00 |
| Page, Spearing & Co. desk town office, | 6 00 |
| W. A. Purington report 6 births, 5 deaths, | 2 75 |
| A. M. McKusick paint sign, "No Rubbish," | 75 |
| Frank M. Briggs post town warrants 1909, | 2 50 |
| John Scales use town office to Feb. 28; | 100 00 |
| John Scales axe handle fire account, | 25 |
| John Scales 1-2 gallon parafine oil; office; | 15 |
| New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. | |
| 1-2 use of telephone; | 10 50 |
| R. R. fare Joe Patterson, wife and 3 children; | 2 00 |
| M. Hudson 2 bill files, postage and telephone | |
| messages, | 6 00 |
| Herbert Chadburne water tub 1909; | 3 00 |
| Genthner Brothers town books; | 1 65 |
| E. E. Fairbrother water tub 1908 and 1909; | 6 00 |
| F. B. Pease, auditor 1908; | 2 50 |
| H. W. Applebee house road machine; | 3 00 |
| Town of Sangerville 1-2 light Sangerville bridge; | 7 50 |
| Hudson & Hudson, | 42 30 |
| C. W. Ray report 5 births, 3 deaths; | 2 00 |
| R. H. Marsh express on Bennett pond water; | 90 |
| R. H. Marsh report 13 births, 5 deaths; | 4 50 |
| C. S. Bennett recording 40 births, 31 deaths, | |
| 35 marriages, | 16 35 |
| C. S. Bennett, postage and stationery, | 2 42 |
| William Cowie report 14 births, 15 deaths; | 7 25 |
| S. D. Rice collecting \$19,120.09 at 2 per cent; | 382 40 |
| S. D. Rice collector abatement of taxes 1909 | 122 41 |
| F. M. Briggs abatement of taxes 1908, | 6 00 |
| | <hr/> \$1,027 42 |
| Paid out on account water tub; | |
| To paid Orman Woodbury; | \$12 34 |
| N. B. Merrill, | 6 13 |

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|-----------------------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Ed Grant, | 87 | |
| Guilford Manufacturing Company, | 1 89 | |
| J. E. Small for water tub, | 12 00 | |
| W. H. Macomber, | 9 62 | |
| I. Littlefield, | 3 95 | |
| Porter Bunker, | 1 75 | |
| Orman Corner, | 3 50 | |
| E. H. Ames, | 5 25 | |
| Alton G. Crockett pipe and labor, | 28 44 | |
| W. H. Macomber, | 1 75 | |
| Merl Straw, | 25 | |
| S. D. Rice, | 3 37 | |
| Jack Zande, | 88 | |
| Harold Straw, | 5 00 | |
| | | <u>96 99</u> |
| Town officers bills, | | 472 00 |
| Resident pauper bills, | | 841 08 |
| Tramp bills, | | 50 50 |
| State pauper bills, | | 14 00 |
| Earnest McKenney bills, | | 21 00 |
| Miscellaneous bills, | | 1,027 42 |
| | | <u>\$2,522 99</u> |
| Brought down, | \$3,016 75 | |
| Expended, | 2,522 99 | |
| | | <u>\$493 76</u> |
| Unexpended, | | |

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

| | | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Raised by town, | \$ 250 00 | |
| Unexpended last year, | 47 26 | |
| | | <u>\$297 26</u> |
| To paid E. L. Palmer, | 276 00 | |
| | | <u>276 00</u> |
| Unexpended | | <u>\$ 21 26</u> |

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Raised by town, | \$1,400 00 |
| Unexpended last year, | 235 62 |
| Amount received from State, | 250 00 |
| Received tuitions, | 128 00 |
| | <u>\$2,013 62</u> |
| Orders drawn to pay Vouchers (see school account to whom paid) | 1,941 87 |
| | <u> </u> |
| Unexpended | \$ 71 75 |

COMMON SCHOOLS.

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Raised by town, | \$2,500 00 |
| Music, | 150 00 |
| Received from State, | 1,706 97 |
| Unexpended last year, | 329 27 |
| Received tuitions, | 80 00 |
| | <u>\$4,766 24</u> |
| Orders drawn to pay Vouchers (see school account to whom paid) | 3,982,23 |
| | <u> </u> |
| Unexpended | \$ 784 01 |

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT.

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Raised by town, | \$ 300 00 |
| Unexpended from last year, | 2 33 |
| | <u>\$ 302 33</u> |
| Orders drawn to pay Vouchers (see school account to whom paid) | 286 37 |
| | <u> </u> |
| Unexpended | \$ 15 96 |

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE.

| | |
|----------------------|------------------|
| Raised by town, | \$ 700 00 |
| Overdrawn last year, | 226 41 |
| | <u>\$ 473 59</u> |

| | | |
|--|--|----------|
| Orders drawn to pay Vouchers (see school account to whom paid) | | 562 88 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | | \$ 89 29 |

SUPPLY AND APPLIANCES.

| | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Raised by town, | \$ 250 00 | |
| Overdrawn last year, | 68 29 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 181 71 |
| Orders drawn to pay Vouchers (see school account to whom paid) | | 200 82 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | | \$ 19 11 |

FIRE ESCAPE SCHOOL BUILDING.

| | | |
|--------------------------|--|-----------|
| Raised by town, | | \$ 175 00 |
| Paid F. M. Howard & Co., | | 160 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | | \$ 15 00 |

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

| | | |
|---|------------|------------|
| Raised by town, | \$2,750 00 | |
| Set apart state road, | \$267 00 | |
| Over drawn last year, | 140 90 | |
| | <hr/> | \$407 90 |
| | | 407 90 |
| | <hr/> | \$2,342 10 |
| Received for gravel sold, | | 29 70 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$2,371 80 |
| Orders drawn to pay vouchers see Road Commissioners account to whom paid spring, summer and winter, | | 2,217 68 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended, | | \$154 12 |

STATE ROAD.

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Raised by town, | \$133 50 | |
| Received from state, | 400 50 | |
| Set apart from highway money, | 267 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$801 00 |

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Orders drawn to pay vouchers see Road Commissioner's account to whom paid, | 806 04 |
| Overdrawn, | <u>\$5 04</u> |

LIABILITIES ENDING MARCH 1st, 1910.

Due on interest bearing orders,

| Order No. | Year | Principal | Interest due to March 1, 1910 |
|-----------|------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| 7 | 1899 | \$150 00 | \$4 81 |
| 16 | 1899 | 200 00 | 6 42 |
| 19 | 1899 | 300 00 | 9 62 |
| 60 | 1901 | 100 00 | 2 46 |
| 105 | 1900 | 400 00 | 8 63 |
| 106 | 1900 | 400 00 | 12 82 |
| 425 | 1903 | 700 00 | 23 48 |
| 423 | 1903 | 700 00 | 23 48 |
| 191 | 1903 | 400 00 | 6 53 |
| 210 | 1903 | 400 00 | 6 18 |
| 16 | 1904 | 500 00 | 16 04 |
| 17 | 1904 | 300 00 | 9 62 |
| 62 | 1906 | 100 00 | 2 91 |
| 63 | 1906 | 100 00 | 2 99 |
| 64 | 1906 | 175 00 | 5 10 |
| 72 | 1906 | 200 00 | 5 83 |
| 73 | 1906 | 300 00 | 8 70 |
| 75 | 1906 | 500 00 | 14 53 |
| 386 | 1907 | 500 00 | 2 42 |
| 396 | 1907 | 500 00 | 2 46 |
| 427 | 1907 | 300 00 | 5 2 |
| 430 | 1907 | 100 00 | 5 |
| 432 | 1907 | 330 00 | 45 |
| 482 | 1907 | 125 00 | 00 |
| 611 | 1907 | 200 00 | 00 |
| 52 | 1907 | 200 00 | 00 |
| 102 | 1907 | 100 00 | 2 90 |
| 187 | 1907 | 450 00 | 11 02 |
| 246 | 1907 | 1,000 00 | 23 31 |

| | | | |
|-----|------|------------------|---------------|
| 353 | 1907 | 500 00 | 18 31 |
| 638 | 1907 | 1,000 00 | 7 00 |
| 642 | 1907 | 700 00 | 4 48 |
| 775 | 1907 | 200 00 | 00 |
| | | <u>12,130 00</u> | <u>243 17</u> |

| | |
|--|--------------------|
| Total interest bearing debt, | \$12,130 00 |
| Due on interest, | 243 17 |
| Estimate print town reports 1909 to A. F. Tibbetts Printing Co., | 60 00 |
| | <u>\$12,433 17</u> |

RESOURCES OF TOWN.

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| Land bought Mrs. C. Bray, | \$300 00 |
| Due from state account Free High School, | 125 00 |
| Town Hall, | 2,000 00 |
| Due from state account Fred Mathers, | 14 00 |
| Due from St. Albans account E. McKenney and family, | 21 00 |
| Cash in Treasury, | 2,523 48 |
| | <u>\$4,983 48</u> |
| Net indebtedness, | \$7,449 69 |

We have reduced the interest bearing debt, \$1,500.00.

| | |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Paid order 195 in full, | \$1,000 00 |
| Paid on order 353, | 500 00 |
| | <u>\$1,500 00</u> |

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

| | Receipts | Expenditures | Unexpended | Overdrawn |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--------------|------------|-----------|
| Memorial Library | \$575 00 | \$575 00 | | |
| School Department, | 8,034 75 | 7,250 17 | 784 58 | |
| Fire Escape High School building, | 175 00 | 160 00 | 15 00 | |
| Memorial Day, | 50 00 | 31 00 | 19 00 | |
| Roads and bridges, | 2,371 80 | 2,217 68 | 154 12 | |
| State road, | 801 00 | 806 04 | | 5 04 |

| | | | | |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|
| Night watch, | 500 00 | 396 25 | 103 75 | |
| Water pipe, | 591 80 | 550 53 | 41 27 | |
| Side walk, | 450 00 | 443 68 | 6 32 | |
| Electric lights, | 687 77 | 763 90 | | 76 13 |
| Hall account, | 909 56 | 731 61 | 177 95 | |
| Support poor and other town charges, | 3,016 75 | 2,522 99 | 493 76 | |
| Town debt and interest, | 3,106 47 | 2,869 29 | 237 18 | |
| | <u>3,106 47</u> | <u>2,869 29</u> | <u>237 18</u> | <u>76 13</u> |
| | \$21,269 90 | \$19,318 14 | \$2,032 93 | \$ 81 17 |

Respectfully submitted,

MICAJAH HUDSON, }
 F. H. WEYMOUTH, }
 E. E. FAIRBROTHER, }

Selectmen
 of
 Guilford.

Auditor's Report.

We have examined and audited the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer for the year ending March 2, 1910, finding the same correct.

F. B. PEASE, Auditor.

Report of Highway Department.

| | | |
|--|-----------|------------|
| Amount raised by town, | | \$2,750 00 |
| Amount received for gravel and labor, | | 29 70 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total amount available | | \$2,779 70 |
| Set apart for state road, | \$ 267 00 | |
| Paid overdraft last year, | 140 90 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 407 90 |
| Amount actually available for highways 1909-10, | | \$2,371 80 |
| Expended in Spring, | \$ 452 06 | |
| Expended in Summer, | 1,497 85 | |
| Expended in Winter, | 267 77 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2,217 68 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | | \$ 154 12 |
| Due from fire department for labor done and paid from highway money, | | 12 30 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$ 166 42 |

SPRING SNOW BILLS.

To whom paid:

| | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| W. R. Titcomb, | \$ 3 00 |
| S. E. Evans, | 2 10 |
| Irving Connor, | 26 |
| C. S. Meservey, | 1 00 |
| T. J. Chase, | 2 00 |
| Hastings Brown Heirs, | 7 65 |
| L. E. and Frank Priest, | 6 26 |
| L. W. Robbins, | 11 60 |
| Gorham Brawn, | 4 09 |
| E. E. Fairbrother, | 28 00 |
| Ernest Conner, | 22 56 |
| S. P. Howard, | 5 25 |

| | |
|------------------|-------|
| S. D. Rice, | 58 58 |
| W. H. Macomber, | 3 68 |
| Harry Dean, | 1 00 |
| A. S. Brawn, | 89 |
| F. H. Bean, | 3 75 |
| J. M. Bragdon, | 4 20 |
| Elwood Bragdon, | 1 75 |
| M. M. Ames, | 1 05 |
| H. Hudson & Son, | 31 50 |
| N. B. Merrill, | 5 40 |
| M. B. McKusick, | 10 00 |
| Orman Woodbury, | 3 90 |
| C. F. Wharff, | 6 00 |
| Geo. Towle, | 6 12 |
| John Sturtevant, | 1 05 |
| Maurice Bennett, | 4 65 |
| Clive Macomber, | 2 25 |
| C. H. Herring, | 4 40 |
| Howard Greeley, | 20 47 |
| Freland Herring, | 27 67 |
| H. L. Crafts, | 6 90 |
| A. S. Brawn, | 2 37 |
| S. B. Drew, | 3 60 |
| E. S. Wharff, | 5 00 |
| J. W. Titcomb, | 1 13 |
| John Starbird, | 20 20 |
| F. E. French, | 1 05 |
| C. B. Bearce, | 3 00 |
| Forest Bearce, | 2 85 |
| Israel Wilds, | 4 37 |
| G. H. Rogers, | 7 85 |
| Joseph Pupnis, | 3 15 |
| Frank Lankist, | 7 50 |
| Allen Harriman, | 30 |
| W. B. Foss, | 11 55 |
| Chas. Bridges, | 3 95 |

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|-----------------|-------|
| P. A. Brawn, | 12 95 |
| F. H. Bean, | 8 40 |
| S. H. Adams, | 6 25 |
| J. H. Briggs, | 2 85 |
| W. L. Robinson, | 1 13 |
| Jack Zande, | 2 60 |
| H. W. Herring, | 2 48 |
| Edwin Edes, | 5 08 |
| John D. Edes, | 2 40 |
| W. E. Wise, | 2 75 |
| W. H. Applebee, | 16 00 |
| Wallace Gilman, | 3 00 |
| Geo. McKusick, | 7 00 |
| Villie Priest, | 2 32 |
| | <hr/> |

\$451 06

SUMMER WORK.

To whom paid:

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| S. D. Rice, | \$237 70 |
| N. B. Merrill, | 76 19 |
| Will Higgins, | 12 25 |
| Geo. Tower, | 19 26 |
| M. M. Ames, | 5 25 |
| Ora Littlefield, | 3 67 |
| Ernest Conner, | 3 75 |
| E. P. Smith, | 8 00 |
| Ernest Floyd, | 4 79 |
| Carl Martin, | 33 00 |
| Eugene Kimball, | 61 27 |
| E. H. Ames, | 11 37 |
| Ed Grant, | 78 10 |
| Wm. Silva, | 2 62 |
| Geo. Curtis, | 34 21 |
| Ed Fortin, | 7 50 |
| F. M. Blissett, | 18 00 |
| F. W. Kingston, | 3 12 |

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Geo. Perkins, | 22 74 |
| Ben Bunker, | 51 61 |
| Carrol Oaks, | 6 12 |
| Fred Staples, | 30 63 |
| S. B. Drew, | 24 00 |
| H. Hudson & Sons, | 157 48 |
| John Starbird, | 11 80 |
| Chas. Bridge, | 8 87. |
| Phil French, | 35 00 |
| Porter Bunker, | 26 76 |
| Orman Woodbury, | 5 25 |
| Eldred Straw, | 1 00 |
| Ivory Littlefield, | 4 80 |
| J. E. Small, | 1 50 |
| W. E. Wise, | 131 85 |
| Sylvester Welts, | 3 00 |
| Jack Zande, | 4 80 |
| A. W. Stanley, | 82 56 |
| Shirley Lumber Co., | 17 22 |
| Clarence Small, | 52 87 |
| J. A. Scribner, | 2 00 |
| Concord Foundry and Machine Co., | 6 60 |
| Martin Jackson, | 1 00 |
| W. H. Applebee, | 26 05 |
| A. F. D. Harlow, | 1 00 |
| Guilford Manufacturing Co., | 20 69 |
| B. & A. Railroad Co., | 78 |
| John Scales, | 44 43 |
| S. S. Robbins, | 3 50 |
| S. D. Rice, | 11 59 |
| F. U. Witham & Co., | 1 30 |
| W. A. Titcomb, | 1 00 |
| Georgie Dudley, | 6 00 |
| S. E. Evans, | 2 62 |
| F. A. Crockett, | 5 80 |
| Jo Goodbaby, | 87 |

| | |
|-----------------------|---------|
| A. E. Hatch, | 9 55 |
| Henry Parker, | 4 00 |
| E. F. Wharff, | 2 00 |
| Finland Herring, | 2 00 |
| Hastings Brown heirs, | 7 50 |
| P. A. Brawn, | 2 27 |
| G. H. Rogers, | 3 50 |
| W. B. Foss, | 1 50 |
| Chas. Bridges, | 1 00 |
| Fred Burgess, | 4 00 |
| L. W. Robbins, | 7 00 |
| Fayette Risk, | 87 |
| H. L. Harrington, | 50 |
| T. F. Rose, | 2 00 |
| H. Douglass & Co., | 11 62 |
| Alvah Foss, | 5 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,498 |

WINTER WORK.

To whom paid:

| | |
|---|---------|
| Ed Grant (snow fences) | \$ 7 00 |
| J. E. Small (repairs on roller and side walk scrapers) | 14 63 |
| A. E. Hatch, | 1 65 |
| T. J. Chase, | 1 00 |
| Forest Bearce, | 23 |
| C. B. Bearce, | 30 |
| E. S. Wharff, | 1 50 |
| G. Mfg Co. (snow fences) | 8 90 |
| Finland Herring, | 6 55 |
| Maurice Bennett, | 3 80 |
| P. A. Brawn, | 9 30 |
| G. H. Rogers, | 6 60 |
| W. B. Foss, | 4 80 |
| J. H. Briggs, | 98 |
| L. L. Herring, | 1 65 |

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|---------------------------|-------|
| Chas. Bridges, | 2 85 |
| Hayden & Adams, | 17 35 |
| L. W. Robbins, | 8 00 |
| F. H. Bean, | 11 70 |
| Gorham Brawn, | 82 |
| W. E. Wise, | 7 00 |
| John Scales, | 64 |
| Geo. McKusick, | 9 40 |
| H. L. Harrington, | 10 95 |
| E. J. Hooper, | 8 10 |
| E. E. Fairbrother, | 3 50 |
| W. H. Macomber, | 60 |
| W. H. Applebee, | 5 10 |
| Orman Woodbury, | 2 63 |
| Jack Zande, | 1 20 |
| S. B. Drew, | 38 55 |
| Ernest Connor, | 21 82 |
| Edwin Edes, | 6 35 |
| F. E. Bennett, | 45 |
| Myron McKusick, | 17 76 |
| Geo. Curtis (snow fences) | 4 37 |
| S. D. Rice, | 19 74 |

\$ 267 77

REPAIRS ON OLD SIDEWALKS.

Amount raised by town,

\$450 00

Amount expended,

To whom paid:

| | |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Ed Grant, | \$6 47 |
| P. J. Nelligan & Co., | 415 02 |
| N. B. Merrill, | 70 |
| Angie Zande, | 35 |
| S. D. Rice, | 20 27 |
| Geo. Curtis, | 87 |

443 68

Balance unexpended,

\$6 32

STATE ROAD.

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|--------|
| Raised and set apart by town, | \$400 50 | |
| Received from State, | 400 00 | |
| | <hr/> | 800 50 |
| To whom paid: | | |
| Ed Grant, | 40 32 | |
| Ben Bunker, | 18 38 | |
| S. B. Drew, | 15 00 | |
| Orman Woodbury, | 1 75 | |
| Ray Conroy, | 6 75 | |
| Ivory Littlefield, | 14 00 | |
| E. H. Ames, | 7 00 | |
| Eugene Kimball, | 15 51 | |
| Porter Bunker, | 16 63 | |
| Jo Goodbaby, | 6 13 | |
| J. S. Burce, | 13 82 | |
| W. H. Macomber, | 8 75 | |
| Herbert Trask, | 3 50 | |
| J. E. Small, | 4 00 | |
| N. B. Merrill, | 7 69 | |
| Willis Bennett, | 4 37 | |
| Merl Littlefield, | 35 | |
| Sylvester Welts, | 25 00 | |
| Geo. Curtis, | 28 00 | |
| John Starbird, | 84 47 | |
| Jack Zande, | 19 50 | |
| John Starbird, | 2 63 | |
| Clarence Small, | 21 00 | |
| Ernest Connor, | 28 00 | |
| E. J. Hooper, | 5 25 | |
| J. A. Scribner, | 28 00 | |
| Garfield Tibbetts, | 5 25 | |
| Milo Shattuck, | 8 75 | |
| Will Burns, | 4 37 | |
| B. & A. Railroad Co., | 21 00 | |
| W. H. Applebee, | 105 25 | |

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|-----------------------------|-------|
| Freeland Bennett, | 11 37 |
| Wallace Gilman, | 50 |
| H. Hudson & Son, | 2 00 |
| L. W. Robbins, | 37 00 |
| M. B. McKusick, | 11 00 |
| E. E. Fairbrother, | 6 00 |
| S. S. Robbins, | 18 38 |
| Carl Martin, | 3 00 |
| H. L. Harrington, | 4 00 |
| F. N. Leavitt, | 26 00 |
| Geo. Haley, | 17 00 |
| A. R. Hussey, | 20 00 |
| F. M. Briggs, | 6 00 |
| Guilford Manufacturing Co., | 6 00 |
| John Scales, | 67 37 |

 \$806

 \$4

Overdrawn,

RECEIVED FOR GRAVEL AND BREAKING YARDS

| | |
|---|------|
| F. E. Rollins (for gravel and breaking yards) | 50 |
| L. A. Small, | 60 |
| A. H. Gould, | 1 40 |
| Guilford Mf'g Co., | 1 00 |
| S. N. Clark, | 50 |
| Wybert Hammond, | 50 |
| G. W. Sanford, | 1 00 |
| Dr. R. H. Marsh, | 1 20 |
| Carl Martin, | 7 40 |
| Amos Ruths, | 50 |
| C. F. Scales, | 30 |
| Chas. Stevens, | 50 |
| Dr. Cowie, | 1 50 |
| Northern Tel. Co., | 4 00 |
| J. Homer, | 4 80 |
| A. K. Herring | 40 |
| P. W. Walker | 25 |

| | | |
|--------------------------|-------|------------------|
| D. Wynne | 25 | |
| E. W. Genthner | 1 00 | |
| Mr. C. W. Ellis | 50 | |
| A. F. Edes | 50 | |
| Georgie Dudley | 1 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$29 70 |
| Due from Fire Department | | 12 30 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$42 00 |

Treasurer's Report

Inhabitants of the Town of Guilford, in account with FRANK O. MARTIN, Treasurer.

| 1909. | Debit. | |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| To cash paid account State pensions 1909, | \$240 00 | |
| State Treasurer for dog licenses collected for year 1909, | 95 00 | |
| State Treasurer for State tax, 1909, | 2,208 02 | |
| County treasurer for County tax, 1909, | 682 99 | |
| Guilford Memorial Library (amount received from State), | 48 30 | |
| Piscataquis Savings Bank interest bearing order No. 195 balance due on principal, | 1,000 00 | |
| Selectmen's orders drawn for the municipal year, | 18,318 14 | |
| On hand in Treasury, | 2,523 48 | |
| | | \$25,115 93 |
| 1909. | Credit. | |
| By balance in Treasury from last year, | | \$1,498 29 |
| By amounts received from State Treasurer as follows: | | |
| For Free High School, | \$375 00 | |
| Free Public Library, | 48 30 | |
| State pensions 1909, | 240 00 | |
| Improvement State roads, | 400 50 | |
| Dog licenses refunded, | 65 45 | |
| Sheep killed by dogs, | 40 00 | |
| School and Mill Fund, | 1,706 97 | |
| Railroad and telegraph tax, | 49 81 | |
| School unions, old balance, | 57 07 | |
| | | \$2,983 10 |
| By amount received for tuition, | | 218 50 |
| from estate of Abigail Briggs, | | 2 50 |
| from Town Clerk for dog licenses for 1909, | | 95 00 |

| | |
|--|-------------|
| from Chas. Cole for grass on Bray lot, | 1 00 |
| from pupils of Grover school for dictionary fund, | 5 00 |
| from S.D.Rice, Road Commis- sioner for gravel sold, etc., | 29 70 |
| from Selectmen for receipts of Town Hall, | 359 75 |
| for circus license, | 3 00 |
| from Guilford Trust Co. tem- porary loan, | 800 00 |
| from S. D. Rice, Collector, total commitment for 1909, | 19,120 09 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$25,115 93 |

Report of the Superintending School Committee

TO THE CITIZENS OF GUILFORD:

Your committee has attended to its duties for the year 1909-1910 and submit the following report:

Insurance will expire in 1910 on the Low's Bridge, Grover and Center school buildings.

Insurance has been renewed during the year as follows:

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| High School Building | \$12,000 00 |
| Town Hall School Building | 4,000 00 |
| School house Dist. No. 5 | 400 00 |
| “ “ North Guilford | 800 00 |

We recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year:

RECOMMENDATIONS.

| | |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Common Schools, | \$1,000 00 |
| High School, | 1,400 00 |
| Text Books, | 300 00 |
| Supplies and Appliances, | 250 00 |
| Repairs and Insurance, | 600 00 |
| Superintendent of Schools, | 250 00 |

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

| | Receipts | Expenditures | Unexpended | Overdrawn |
|----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Common schools, | \$4,766 24 | \$3,982 23 | \$784 01 | |
| Text books, | 302 33 | 286 37 | 15 96 | |
| Repairs and insurance, | 700 00 | 789 29 | | \$ 89 29 |
| Supplies and appliances, | 250 00 | 269 11 | | 19 11 |
| High school, | 2,013 62 | 1,941 87 | 71 75 | |
| Superintendent of schools, | 297 26 | 276 00 | 21 26 | |
| Fire escapes, | 175 00 | 160 00 | 15 00 | |
| | <u>\$8,504 45</u> | <u>\$6,704 87</u> | <u>\$907 98</u> | <u>\$108 40</u> |
| Net balance unexpended, | | | | \$799 58 |

The detailed statement of each account follows :

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Receipts

| | |
|----------------------|------------|
| Appropriation, | \$2,500 00 |
| Music, | 150 00 |
| Received from State, | 1,706 97 |
| Unexpended 1908-9, | 329 27 |
| Tuitions, | 80 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4,766 24 |

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

| | | |
|------------------------|----------|------------|
| Paid Bridges, Lora J., | \$ 84 00 | |
| Crafts, Mildred Z., | 77 00 | |
| Crafts, Maud E., | 70 00 | |
| Cousens, Agnes F., | 394 00 | |
| Clark, Della M., | 84 00 | |
| Farrar, Marcia, | 330 00 | |
| French, Mildred E., | 20 00 | |
| Hayden, Mrs. Winifred, | 273 00 | |
| Harrington, Evelyn, | 161 00 | |
| Herring, Idella, | 238 00 | |
| Longley, Chastine S., | 156 00 | |
| Miller, Jennie A., | 264 00 | |
| Small, Bertha A., | 464 00 | |
| Smith, Lilla J., | 420 00 | |
| Whittemore, Clara M., | 70 00 | |
| Wise, Edith S., | 140 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,245 00 |

FUEL

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| Applebee, Hugh, | \$2 70 |
| Connor, Frank, | 12 50 |
| Crafts, H. L., | 15 00 |
| Guilford Manufacturing Co., | 6 93 |
| Herring, H. W., | 5 63 |
| Herring, L. L., | 21 75 |

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|--------------------|--------|----------|
| Hussey Woolen Co., | 137 95 | |
| Knowlton, P. H., | 5 25 | |
| Leavitt, F. H., | 120 07 | |
| Pomroy, Merl, | 1 00 | |
| Pomroy, W. A., | 5 00 | |
| Priest, Linwood, | 45 | |
| Straw, G. M., | 15 00 | |
| Wise, W. E., | 17 40 | |
| | <hr/> | \$366 63 |

JANITOR

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| Beane, Walter F., | \$ 11 00 | |
| Crafts, Archie, | 3 50 | |
| Draper, Ashley, | 1 50 | |
| Fairbrother, Maurice, | 14 05 | |
| Farrar, Emmons, | 52 50 | |
| Foss, Ralph, | 9 80 | |
| Herring, Idella F., | 5 50 | |
| Herring, Earle, | 8 05 | |
| Pomroy, Mesle, | 9 20 | |
| Pomroy, Ray, | 5 50 | |
| Ryan, L. F., | 187 50 | |
| Straw, G. M., | 60 00 | |
| Titcomb, Freda, | 2 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$370 60 |

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|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Total expenses common school account, | \$3,982 23 |
| Balance unexpended, | 784 01 |

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT.

| | | |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation, | \$300 00 | |
| Unexpended last year 1908, | 2 33 | |
| | <hr/> | \$302 33 |
| Amount available, | | |
| Paid American Book Co., | 75 48. | |
| Babb & Co., Edward E., | 15 13. | |
| Ginn & Co., | 13 70. | |
| Heath & Co., D. C., | 74 33 | |

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| Houghton, Mifflin & Co., | 16 41 |
| Harrington, H. L., | 2 48 |
| Palmer, E. L., express and freight, | 6 84 |
| Silver, Burdett & Co., | 67 77 |
| Sanborn & Co., Benj. H., | 8 40 |
| Thompson, Brown & Co., | 5 88 |

 286 37

Unexpended,

 \$15 96

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE.

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| Paid Applebee, Hugh, | \$2 00 |
| Burns, Miss, (cleaning H. S.), | 10 57 |
| Cole, F. W., labor on boiler, | 1 88 |
| Crockett, A. G., labor on boiler, | 6 85 |
| Guilford Manufacturing Co., lumber, | 18 15 |
| Harriman, C. V., labor, | 4 00 |
| Hayden, Winnifred, Mrs., cleaning school house, | 5 00 |
| Herring, Idella F., cleaning school house, | 5 00 |
| Herring, L. L., Mrs., cleaning school house, | 5 00 |
| Hussey Woolen Co., | 1 20 |
| Jackson, W. E., painting school houses, | 112 95 |
| Knowlton, P. H., lumber, | 2 62 |
| Lyons, Rupert, | 50 |
| Pease, F. B., | 1 00 |
| Page, Spearing Co., material, | 4 70 |
| Perkins, Mrs., cleaning High school building, | 9 90 |
| Pomroy, Merle, | 3 90 |
| Ryan, L. F., cleaning High school building, | 17 30 |
| Scales, John, | 10 49 |
| Small, J. E., | 4 36 |
| Smith, Perley, Mrs. cleaning High school building, | 4 42 |
| Straw & Martin, insurance, | 249 68 |
| Sturtevant, J. W. Mrs. cleaning school house, | 5 00 |
| Titcomb, Isabel Mrs., cleaning school house, | 5 00 |
| Trafton, L. B., labor on High school steps, | 5 50 |

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| Washburn, Freeman, labor on boiler, | 3 00 | |
| Witham & Co., F. U., | 58 73 | |
| Zande, Angie, | 4 10 | |
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| Total expenditures, | | \$562 88 |
| Overdrawn last year, | | 226 41 |
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| Total liabilities, | | \$789 29 |
| Appropriation for repairs and insurance, | | 700 00 |
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| Overdrawn, | | \$89 29 |

FIRE ESCAPE ACCOUNT.

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| Appropriation, | \$175 00 | |
| Paid F. M. Howard Co., | 160 00 | |
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| Balance unexpended, | | \$15 00 |

SUPPLIES AND APPLIANCE ACCOUNT.

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| Appropriation, | \$250 00 | |
| Overdraft last year, | 68 29 | |
| | <hr/> | \$181 71 |
| Paid Douglass & Co., H., | \$11 73 | |
| Dustham Manufacturing Co., | 9 50 | |
| Eagle Pencil Co., | 10 40 | |
| Edes & Sons, J. K., | 1 94 | |
| Genthner Bros., | 50 | |
| Fairbrother, Maurice, | 1 00 | |
| Hammett & Co., J. L., | 14 05 | |
| Harrington, H. L., | 3 96 | |
| Milton Bradley & Co., | 96 50 | |
| Pease, Frank, | 2 80 | |
| Packard & Ross, | 18 31 | |
| Shaw Business College, | 9 00 | |
| Palmer, E. L., cash paid out, | 10 18 | |
| Tibbetts, Andrew F., | 2 75 | |
| Weigel, H. M., | 5 00 | |

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| Walker, Isaac, | 3 00 | |
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| Account overdrawn, | | <hr/> \$19 11 |

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

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| Appropriation, | \$1,400 00 | |
| Unexpended, 1908, 1909, | 235 62 | |
| Amount received from State, | 250 00 | |
| Amount received for tuitions, | 128 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2,013 62 |
| Paid Adams, W. S., | \$55 56 | |
| Ellis, E. Rebecca, | 162 50 | |
| Flint, Charlotte, W., | 36 00 | |
| Higgins, E. C., | 1,008 31 | |
| Jonsson, Alice, | 396 00 | |
| Northrupp, Alice, | 96 00 | |
| Soule, Dora M., | 187 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,941 87 |
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| Balance unexpended, | | \$71 75 |

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

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| Appropriation, | \$250 00 | |
| Unexpended, 1908, 1909, | 47 26 | |
| | <hr/> | \$297 26 |
| Paid E. L. Palmer, superintendent, | | 276 00 |
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| Amount unexpended, | | \$21 26 |

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| F. B. PEASE, | } | School Committee. |
| E. E. ROSS, | | |
| J. S. WILLIAMS, | | |

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

To the Superintending School Committee:

I have the honor to present for your consideration my fifth annual report of the condition and progress of your schools.

I.—SCHOOL POPULATION.

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| Number of persons between 5-21 years of age April 1, 1909, | 416 |
| Number of persons between 5-21 in village, | 313 |
| Number of persons between 5-21 in rural districts, | 103 |

II—PUPILS.

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| Number pupils registered in all schools in largest term of year, | 323 |
| Average number pupils registered in all schools for year, | 311 |
| Average attendance for year, | 276 |
| Percentage of attendance—all schools, | 89 |
| Rural schools, | 83.5 |
| Village grades, | 90.5 |
| High school, | 90 |

III.—NUMBER OF WEEKS TAUGHT.

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| Rural schools, | 33 |
| Village grades, | 35 |
| High school, | 36 |

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314 citizens have visited the schools during the year, 187 in the village and 127 in the rural schools. An average of 5.1 pupils have not been absent one half day in each term in the village schools and an average of 12 have not been absent so much as one half day each term in the rural schools. The average number of pupils to a teacher in the village grades has been 36, and in the rural schools 15.

RURAL SCHOOLS.

It will be noted from the above statistics that the number of pupils in our rural schools is slightly larger than last year. These schools are of good working size now, all having maintained an average of more than eight pupils except

the Brown district. These schools are graded according to the same schedule as the village schools and have succeeded in keeping well up to grade. In the Grover school the 8th grade is somewhat in advance of the requirements for that grade and I would suggest that they be given an extra study, agriculture, for the spring term. Some excellent text books are now prepared on this subject for the use of public schools. Classes are fitting for the high school in all the districts except the Brown. Care should be exercised that the grading of these classes be maintained so that they will reach the high school without loss of time.

I regret to report that Mrs. Winnifred Hayden, who has so successfully taught the Grover school during the past year, and Miss Edith Wise, who with equal success has had charge of North Guilford school, have signified their intention of giving up their schools. The Grover school, because of its size and the advancement of the older pupils, will require a teacher of considerable experience as well as one of good training and ability.

The town should vote to reestablish the school in the Brown district at required by law when the yearly average falls below eight pupils.

VILLAGE SCHOOLS.

The village grades and High school are at the present time doing their work extremely well. The resignation of Miss Ellis from our High school staff of teachers was a serious loss to the schools. Because of the high expectations held by her pupils regarding their work for the coming year the loss is the more severely felt by them. It is always unfortunate when we have to take inexperienced teachers to fill High school positions, but inexperienced ones are the only ones available at \$12.50 per week and even they will not accept these wages until all possibility of getting something better has vanished.

Mr. Higgins has proved himself a very fine principal for the High school. His services have been appreciated both by the pupils and the community in a marked degree.

The making of character is a very large part of education, and by far the best part. A High school principal stands for vastly more before his school as a man than as a scholar; his virtues must be positive, not negative, if his pupils are to respect them. Mr. Higgins has met these requirements most acceptably to all.

TOWN HALL SCHOOL.

During my five years of service as your Superintendent I have never failed in my annual report to call attention to the undesirability of having primary schools under the town hall. Those of you who are trying to rear your children in decency and morality, and that includes every father and mother, should rise in revolt when asked to send your children into this place for their early education. I have called your attention many times in the past to the whiskey bottles, cigarette and cigar stubs and tobacco quids that so often have littered the floor in the corridors where the children play. You yourselves can not have failed to notice the indecent figures and drawings that have been marked or cut into the walls in the lower hall way where your children assemble five days in the week. If you have not seen them your children have,

The decency of the public print does not allow me to describe what I have seen there within the past months.

Suffice it to say in one instance that a little girl, who in her home is being trained by her parents in purity, was here found standing upon the upturned trunk of a traveling show and amid the shouts and laughter of a crowd of little children, who were standing around, pointed out to them the details of the most filthy drawing I have ever seen any where.

In all my experience I have never seen any where a sight more revolting than this was. I will frankly say to every father and mother who now send children to the primary schools and to every one who expects to send children there in the future, that so long as this school is under the Hall, you may be very sure that your children will come in contact with these contaminating surroundings.

I think you will all agree that the grounds where your children play, the building in which they assemble and the rooms in which they study, should be as clean and free from objectionable features as the homes in which they live. Such a wholesome condition can never exist at the entrance to a public town hall, more especially an old one.

In closing this my last report to you as your Superintendent, permit me to express my deep appreciation for the cordial support given to me in my work during the past five years, especially by the business men of the town and school officers.

You have here one of the most progressive towns in Maine and you have always evinced a keen desire to have the schools the very best.

To do this you need a new school building for the lower grades, that building should be heated, lighted and ventilated by modern methods. In it there should be a room for Manual training and domestic science. Provide a good instructor for these subjects and then your schools will take a long step forward.

There are better days ahead for the schools of Maine. The progress of the past generation will be more than duplicated in the next. The campaign of progress is not only being carried on along the old lines but into many new fields. The school of the future will be a model from the standpoint of Sanitation. It will wage the fight against infectious and contagious diseases where alone education will be effective. It will co-operate with the business man, farmer, merchant and mechanic in training boys and girls to do the world's work better and with greater profit to themselves. In truth it will be the training school for the whole boy and the whole girl. We are going to ask for our children the very best and what that is to be each succeeding year will reveal.

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST L. PALMER.

Report of Guilford Memorial Library

The seventh annual report of the Guilford Memorial Library is respectfully submitted by the Trustees. During the year the name "Guilford Memorial Library" has been legally adopted.

The new building was opened to the public in May and much good work has been accomplished under the new conditions.

The Treasurer's report will show that it has been possible to keep the extra expenses of the first year in the new library, within the limits of the Library funds.

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| Whole number of books catalogued March 1st, 1910; | 3,457 |
| Number of books added during year, | 345 |
| By gift, | 215 |
| Largest output for one day, | 210 |
| Average output for one day, | 123 |

Some desirable changes will be made as soon as possible, one of which will be to have the Library opened three days of each week.

The Trustees desire to again thank the citizens of Guilford for their generous support of a public Library.

Respectfully,

MRS. LILLIAN MORGAN,
 MRS. JOHN HOUSTON,
 MRS. P. H. KNOWLTON,
 MRS. R. H. MARSH,
 H. W. DAVIS,
 H. D. STRAW,
 F. O. MARTIN, Trustees.

The Treasurer of the Guilford Memorial Library submits the following report for the year ending March 1, 1910.

Receipts.

| | | |
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| Cash on hand, | | \$ 377 41 |
| Donations as follows; | | 130 38 |
| Grammar school entertainment, | \$ 37 00 | |
| University of Maine Dramatic club, | 43 00 | |
| Marion Wilson entertainment, | 7 00 | |
| Bridge "Its" club, | 10 10 | |
| Guilford Athletic club, | 6 25 | |
| Primary school penny collection, | 5 33 | |
| D. Cimpher, cash, | 10 00 | |
| S. D. Rice, labor, | 10 00 | |
| F. A. Heath, labor, | 1 70 | |
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| | \$130 38 | |
| Fines collected, | | \$ 46 68 |
| Books and catalogues sold, | | 17 45 |
| Town of Guilford annual appropriation, | | 575 00 |
| State of Maine account Free Public Libraries, | | 48 30 |
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| | | \$1,195 22 |

Expenditures.

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| Books and magazines, | | \$214 43 |
| Fuel, | | 20 50 |
| Insurance and repairs, | | 65 38 |
| Freight, express, postage and trucking, | | 9 70 |
| Job printing, | | 15 85 |
| Janitor service, | | 55 25 |
| Library and fixtures as follows; | | 571 51 |
| Library Bureau for new steel book stacks, | \$215 00 | |
| Page, Spearing Co. for library furniture, | 123 80 | |
| W. L. Hammond for one memorial tablet, | 18 50 | |
| Rockland Granite Co. two memorial tablets, | 25 00 | |

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| Piscataquis Woolen Co. for electric wiring and fixtures, | 72 69 |
| Mounting Heron, | 3 50 |
| Window screens, | 7 50 |
| Drawer pulls and knobs, | 72 |
| S. D. Rice grading lawn, | 93 47 |
| Grass seed, | 4 65 |
| Two granite posts, | 2 40 |
| Picture moulding, | 4 28 |
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| | \$571 51 |

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| Librarian and Assistants, | \$192 73 |
| Piscataquis Woolen Co. for electric lights, | 29 88 |
| Printing legal notices, | 6 00 |
| Recording deeds, | 1 02 |
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| | \$1,182 25 |
| Balance, cash on hand | 12 97 |
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| | \$1,195 22 |

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK O. MARTIN, Treasurer.

Report of Board of Health.

To the Inhabitants of Town of Guilford:

Your Board of Health respectfully submit the following report. During the past year our town has been very fortunate in not having any epidemics of a serious nature. The few cases of contagious and infectious diseases that have visited us have been very mild in form, leaving no serious results.

We are very pleased to say that no nuisances were reported during the past year.

To every Person that offers milk or its by-products for sale in the Town of Guilford:

In order to protect the citizens of Guilford from the sale of milk and its by-products coming from tuberculous cows, the Board of Health of this town have drawn up by-laws which require owners of cows who offer milk for sale in Guilford to have their animals tested for tuberculosis once in every twelve months.

Whoever violates these rules is liable to a fine of not more than \$50 as provided by the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine. These rules not only cover the sale of milk but also the cream furnished the creameries and butter offered for sale.

Said rules have been approved by Wm. P. Whitehouse, Justice of Supreme Judicial Court and they go into effect at once, March 16, 1910.

The rules are as follows:

Guilford, Maine,
February 23, 1910.

We, the undersigned:

The duly elected and legally qualified local board of health for the town of Guilford, in the county of Piscataquis and state of Maine, by virtue of and pursuant to the powers and duties given by the Revised Statutes of Maine, ch. 18, Sec. 30, paragraph 50, as amended by the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1909, ch. 130, have made and do hereby make subject to the approval of any justice of the Supreme Judicial court of Maine, the following orders and by-laws, to wit:

Section I.—Any person who shall own a cow or cows, the milk of which he

shall sell or offer for sale in said town in any quantity, however small, shall have such cow or cows tested for tuberculosis, by a registered veterinary surgeon, as least once in every 12 months. And whoever shall purchase a cow, the milk from which he shall sell or offer for sale in any quantity, however small, shall cause such cow to be tested as above provided, unless such cow has been so tested within 12 months prior to such purchase.

Section II.—It shall be the duty of such registered veterinary surgeon to give to the owner or owner of each cow so tested, a certificate in writing showing the true result of such test. And it shall be the duty of the owners of such cows to keep such certificate and exhibit the same to any member of the board of health in said town when requested.

Section III.—Whoever wilfully violates any provision of the above orders and by-laws, shall be punished by a fine not more than fifty dollars as provided in section 50, of said chapter 18, of the Revised Statutes.

These orders and by-laws are hereby approved.

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| F. M. BRIGGS, | } | Board of Health. |
| F. A. COUSINS, | | |
| R. H. MARSH, | } | Town of Guilford. |

Approved, Feb. 25, 1910.

W. P. WHITEHOUSE, Justice Supreme Judicial Court.

Town Clerks' Statistics.

Marriages Registered in Guilford in the Municipal Year 1909

| DATE | GROOM AND BRIDE | RESIDENCE | OCCUPATION | WHERE MARRIED | BY WHOM |
|----------|---|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| 1909 | | | | | |
| Jan. 6 | Hazen W. Frost Lillian Gerald | Willimantic Guilford | Farmer Domestic | Willimantic | Rev. T. F. Jones |
| Jan. 14 | William H. Leonard Nellie M. Priest | Sangerville Guilford | Spinner Weaver | Guilford | Rev. T. F. Jones |
| Jan. 23 | Frank E. Bishop Emma A. French | " " | Millman Domestic | " | Rev. T. F. Jones |
| Feb. 13 | Herbert S. Gore Florence E. Warren | Abbot " | Millman School Teacher | " | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| Feb. 28 | Hugh S. Goodell Laura B. Hatch | Willimantic " | Farmer Domestic | Guilford | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| Mar. 21 | James L. Wilson Nora A. Wells | Guilford " | Laborer Domestic | " | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| Mar. 30 | Charles H. Herring Mildred A. French | " " | Farmer Teacher | " | Rev. F. H. Pratt |
| April 3 | William F. King Agnes V. Wise | Willimantic " | Farmer Milliner | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| April 12 | Leslie E. Priest Maud L. Priest | Guilford " | Farmer Domestic | " | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| May 18 | Guy M. Whittier Elsie Malone | Greenville " | Laborer At Home | " | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| May 22 | Harry S. Harrington Laura M. Stevens | Guilford " | Blacksmith Domestic | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| June 2 | John G. Crockett Lottie E. Sabin | " Abbot | Baker At Home | Dover | Rev. Charles F. Smith |
| June 1 | Gardiner L. Foss Annie G. Barnett | " " | Farmer Domestic | Abbot | Rev. F. L. Payson |

Marriages Registered in Guilford in the Municipal Year 1909

| DATE | GROOM AND BRIDE | RESIDENCE | OCCUPATION | WHERE MARRIED | BY WHOM |
|----------|---|------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| June 5 | Harry L. Johnson Edith M. Crafts | Guilford " | Millman School Teacher | Guilford | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| June 12 | Alonzo F. Ridley Arvilla B. Buzzell | Parkman Sangerville | Laborer Mill Opp. | " | John S. Williams, J. P. |
| June 16 | William Fairbrother Marion H. Merrill | Guilford Foxcroft | Sawyer Domestic | Dover | Rev. E. B. Foster |
| June 19 | Maurice L. Bennett Elvie B. Smith | Guilford " | Farmer Mill Opp. | Guilford | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| July 4 | William B. Foss Laura A. Hunt | " Foxcroft | Farmer Domestic | " | Rev. J. F. Haley |
| July 9 | Wilfred H. Eldridge Fay G. Harding | Monson " | Lumberman At Home | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Aug. 4 | Howard F. Taylor Florence M. Littlefield | Guilford " | Laborer Domestic | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Sept. 4 | Mathew Ginty Clarissa Hardy | " " | Weaver Weaver | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Sept. 11 | Thomas Clukey Victoria R. Matthews. | " Augusta | Night Watchman Domestic | Pittsfield | Rev. F. S. Walker |
| Sept. 18 | George L. Bennett Mertie E. Joaquin | Guilford Pittsfield | Butter Maker At Home | " | Rev. F. B. Schoonover |
| Sept. 13 | Delmont C. Potter Helen E. Perkins | Brighton Abbot | Carpenter Domestic | Guilford | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| Oct. 2 | Roy G. Gould Vera S. Allen | Dover Guilford | Weaver At Home | " | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| Oct. 9 | Taylor A. Kimball Edna L. Hopkins | Parkman Abbot | Laborer Dressmaker | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Oct. 16 | Geo. W. Emery Jessie Chadburne | Guilford " | Weaver At Home | " | Rev. F. L. Payson |
| Nov. 11 | Walter A. Lunt Esther M. Spearing | Foxcroft Guilford | Mill Opp. At Home | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |

Marriages Registered in Guilford in the Muticipal Year 1909

| DATE | GROOM AND BRIDE | RESIDENCE | OCCUPATION | WHERE MARRIED | BY WHOM |
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| Nov. 13 | Fred H. Heath Grace M. Gould | " | Painter At Home | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Nov. 18 | Eugene O. Gilbert Leila F. Butterfield | Orono Guilford | Lumberman School Teacher | Madison | Rev. C. K. Evans |
| Nov. 20 | Frank H. Washburn Bessie S. Packard | " | Clerk Domestic | Dover | Rev. A. Gertrude Earle |
| Nov. 22 | Gussie N. Bonee Lulu M. Hatch | " | Spinner Mill Opp. | Dexter | Rev. T. Maney |
| Nov. 24 | Clinton A. Stevens Edith M. Bickford | Hallowell Kingsbury | Laborer School Teacher | Guilford | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Nov. 30 | Francis Hubbard Josephine A. Jackson | Guilford | Carpenter Domestic | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Dec. 24 | Edward N. Tucker Effie M. Washburn | " | Mill Opp. Mill Opp. | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| 1910 | | | | | |
| Jan. 3 | Fred L. Smith Delia E. Lewis | " | Meat Man Domestic | Dover | Rev. Chas. F. Smith |
| Jan. 20 | Percy F. Hibbard Hazel R. Lyshorn | Saugerville " | Mill Opp. Mill Opp. | Guilford | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Jan. 27 | George W. Shannon Elizabeth A. Curtis | None given Manchester, N.H. | Weaver Mill Opp. | " | James H. Hudson, J. P. |
| Jan. 29 | Jefferson Robinson Estelle C. Hight | Guilford | Night Watchman Domestic | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Feb. 18 | Geo. L. Robinson Elizabeth E. Lampher | " Providence, R.I. | Weaver Domestic | " | Rev. Harry M. Daniels |
| Feb. 23 | Silas J. Ricker Susie L. Higgins | Milo Sebec | Carpenter Domestic | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |
| Feb. 26 | Ernest G. Ferris Mertie I. Hamilton | Guilford " | Laborer Domestic | " | Rev. Thos. F. Jones |

Births Registered in Guilford in the Municipal Year 1909

| DATE. 1909. | | NAME OF CHILD. | SEX. | NO. | NAME OF PARENTS. | OCCUPATION OF FATHER. |
|----------------|----|-------------------------------|------|------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| March | 8 | Marie Fanchon Drew | F | 2d | Samuel B. and Lelia F. | Spinner |
| | 25 | Marjorie Huff Adams | F | 2d | Leslie J. and Althea G. | Livery stable prop. |
| | 28 | Shannon | M | 1st | Robert and Harriet | Woodsmen |
| April | 7 | Arlene Chenery | F | 3d | Garfield J. and Mary R. | Telephone lineman |
| | 10 | Fortier | M | 5th | William and Lizzie | Laborer |
| | 11 | Esther Margaret Perkins | F | 6th | Geo. L. and Etta M. | Laborer |
| May | 15 | Violet Althea McSorley | F | 2d | John A. and Estella L. | Finisher in woolen mill |
| | 18 | Faye Julia Harrington | F | 1st | Harry and Laura | Blacksmith |
| | 21 | Althea Marguerite Butterfield | F | 2d | David R. and Isabella G. | Millman |
| May | 3 | Ruthie Hope Rowe, | F | 4th | Harry E. and Lora M. | Laborer |
| | 5 | Stanley Wilfred Carter | M | 1st | James W. and Alice | Laborer |
| | 15 | Earl Raymond Priest | M | 1st | Lester and Maud | Farmer |
| | 18 | Readell Isadore Orff | M | 1st | Frank H. and Bernice E. | Painter |
| | 31 | Henry Edwin Curtis | M | 1st | Adelbert E. and Marcia | Farmer |
| | 23 | Louis Ione Small | M | 2d | Cecil and Grace | Carder |
| June | 4 | Everett Howard Connor | M | 2d | Ernest A. and Bernice E. | Farmer |
| | 1 | Flora Jane Turner | F | 1st | Chas. P. and Bessie F. | Book-keeper |
| July | 2 | Alton Robert Cole | M | 2d | Fred W. and Myrtle P. | Mechanic |
| | 8 | Alice Elizabeth Bradford | F | 4th | Owen D. and Maria E. | Laborer |
| | 20 | Annie Myrtle Nesbet | F | 10th | Geo. C. and Eliza | Laborer |
| | 28 | Manuel F. Bishop | M | 1st | Frank and Emma | Laborer |
| Aug. | 11 | Dana Malcolm Small | M | 1st | Bela L. and Sfa M. | Sawyer |
| | 27 | Aubrey Eugene | M | 5th | Oscar F. and Flossie M. | Fireman |
| Oct. | 9 | Mark Liscoe Pease | M | 1st | Hiram L. and Edna E. | Mail carrier |
| | 17 | Frederick Eugene Wiers | M | 1st | F. Milo and Agnes M. | Barber |
| Nov. | 25 | Madeline Ruth Bragdon | F | 8d | Charles C. and Eva A. | Truckman |
| | 3 | Marjorie Lillian Herring. | F | 1st | Charles H. and Mildred A. | Farmer |
| | 9 | John Edwin Labree | M | 1st | Harry L. and Edith L. | Laundryman |
| | 10 | Charlene Hope Ellis | F | 8d | Vinal H. and Estella C. | Millman |
| | 16 | Roland Edwin Pomroy | M | 9th | Warren A. and Charlotte | Farmer |

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| Dec. | 29 | Richard Wright Genthmer | M | 3d | Eugene O. and Gertrude | Farmer |
| | 16 | Vera Alberta Rose | F | 3d | Eldorus E. and Emma B. | Laborer |
| | 20 | Roy Bickford, | M | 5th | A. Leroy and Blanche C. | Farmer |
| | 23 | French | M | 5th | Philemon R. and Rose E. | Farmer |
| | 29 | Thornton Bennett | M | 1st | Maurice L. and Elva B. | Farmer |
| 1910 | | | | | | |
| Jan. | 8 | Geraldine Persis Johnson | F | 1st | Harry L. and Edith M. | Laborer |
| | 11 | Straw | F | 4th | David R. and Sophia J. | Weaver |
| Feb. | 17 | Iva E. Forbus, | F | 4th | Clarence E. and Florence M. | Mill opp. |
| | 4 | Margaret Ray Crafts | F | 8th | Herbert L. and Effie M. | Farmer |
| | 10 | Elizabeth Brown | F | 1st | Johnson T. and Mary E. | Millman |

Deaths Registered in Guilford in the Municipal Year 1909

| DATE | NAME | YRS. | MO. | DAYS | CAUSE OF DEATH | PERSON REPORTING DEATH |
|-------------|---------------------|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1909 | | | | | | |
| Mar. 29 | Shannon | | | | Premature birth | William Cowie M. D |
| Apr. 2 | Amanda A. Hobart | 68 | 6 | 16 | Diabetes Mellitus | " |
| 3 | Hushia T. Palmer | 86 | 11 | 26 | Old Age | C. W. Ray " |
| 10 | Fortier | | | | Premature separation of placenta | William Cowie " |
| 26 | Everett Marsh | 21 | 4 | 1 | Tuberculosis | R. H. Marsh " |
| 30 | John Pollock | 69 | 4 | 8 | Tabes dorsalis | C. M. Foss " |
| May 5 | Moses G. Lowe | 93 | 1 | 8 | Old Age | C. W. Ray " |
| 18 | Edwin C. Sturtevant | 79 | 8 | 18 | Chronic Interstitial nephritis | William Cowie " |
| June 24 | Vera Bessey | 17 | 7 | 18 | Diphtheria | C. W. Ray " |
| 30 | Mrs. Alice Waters | 68 | | | Cancer | William Cowie " |
| Aug. 1 | Ephriam Washburn | 79 | 3 | 12 | Chronic Interstitial nephritis | William Cowie " |
| 20 | Moses P. Robinson | 86 | 4 | | Uremic poisoning | W. A. Purington " |
| 20 | Silas J. Hale | 75 | 11 | 20 | Angina Pectoris | William Cowie " |
| 26 | Lovina Small | 60 | 10 | | Cerebral Apoplexy | William Cowie " |
| Sept. 6 | Mary S. Robinson | 71 | 3 | 24 | Sarcoma and Uremic Coma | W. A. Purington " |
| 21 | Dorothy Robinson | 80 | | 8 | Senile Ganglions of great toe | Wm. Cowie " |
| Oct. 11 | Abigail Briggs | 36 | | | Bright's Disease | R. H. Marsh " |
| 12 | Hartley Chase | 25 | 9 | 26 | Accident caught on shaft | R. H. Marsh " |
| 27 | Martin V. B. Marsh | 73 | 7 | | Cerebral Thrombosis | William Cowie " |
| Nov. 13 | Lydia Maria Palmer | 83 | 7 | 19 | Senility Endocarditis | Horace K. Richardson " |
| 20 | John W. Kelsey | 84 | 5 | | Arterio Sclerosis | William Cowie " |
| Dec. 23 | Hattie May Gore | | | | Died at birth | C. W. Ray " |
| 28 | Martha A. Williams | 84 | 11 | 7 | Dementia | William Cowie " |
| 1910 | | | | | | |
| Jan. 12 | Joseph T. Jackson | 72 | 4 | | Arterio Sclerosis | William Cowie " |
| 17 | Clarence W. Bragg | 1 | 4 | 4 | Cerebral Abscess | H. A. Holt " |

Deaths Registered in Guilford in the Municipal Year 1909

| DATE | NAME | YRS. | MO. | DAYS | CAUSE OF DEATH | PERSON REPORTING DEATH |
|--------|-------------------|------|-----|------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 24 | Benj. Spaulding | 72 | 1 | 24 | Tuberculosis | W. A. Purington " |
| 26 | Fred Drake | 31 | 9 | | Tuberculosis | William Cowie " |
| Feb. 4 | Jason M. Bragdon | 50 | | 28 | Empiemia | W. A. Purington " |
| 11 | Emily Hamer | 56 | 6 | 11 | Uraemia | W. A. Cowie " |
| 11 | Almeda Beal | 81 | 3 | 1 | Cancer of the stomach | R. H. Marsh " |
| 15 | David R. Campbell | 79 | 6 | 15 | Bronchitis complicated by diabetes | R. H. Marsh " |

DOG LICENSES, 1909.

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|---------|---------|
| No. of dogs licensed, | 81 | | |
| males, | 74 at \$1 00 | \$74 00 | |
| females, | 7 at 3 00 | 21 00 | |
| Total, | | <hr/> | \$95 00 |

C. S. BENNETT, Town Clerk.

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE.

Piscataquis ss.

To Selden D. Rice, a constable in the town of Guilford in said county :

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Town of Guilford, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in said town on the fourteenth day of March, A. D., 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit :

- ART. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
- ART. 2. To choose a town clerk.
- ART. 3. To hear all reports to be made at said meeting.
- ART. 4. To choose three or more selectmen, assessors, and overseers of the poor.
- ART. 5. To choose a town treasurer.
- ART. 6. To choose a road commissioner and fix his compensation for the ensuing year.
- ART. 7. To choose a town agent.
- ART. 8. To choose a member of the superintending school committee.
- ART. 9. To see if the town will vote to unite with any other towns to employ a superintendent of schools in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 296 of the Public Laws for the year, 1897, as provided by Chap. 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended in 1903.
- ART. 10. To choose a superintendent of schools or to see if the town will vote to authorize the superintending school committee to elect a superintendent of schools.
- ART. 11. To choose a collector of taxes and see what method the town will adopt for the collection of taxes the ensuing year.
- ART. 12. To choose one or more auditors of accounts.

- ART. 13. To choose one or more constables.
- ART. 14. To choose truant officers for the ensuing year.
- ART. 15. To choose surveyors of wood, bark, and lumber and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
- ART. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to pay the superintendent of schools for each day of actual service or pay a stated salary.
- ART. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of schools.
- ART. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs and insurance on school houses.
- ART. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for a free High School at the village.
- ART. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for purchase of school books.
- ART. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for school supplies and appliances.
- ART. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor and other town charges.
- ART. 23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay outstanding debts and interest on the same.
- ART. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of roads and bridges.
- ART. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of the sidewalk on Water Street leading to the depot, and other necessary repairs on old sidewalks in the village.
- ART. 26. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" upon the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909, relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to state aid for highways for the year 1910.
- ART. 27. To see if the town will raise and appropriate, in addition to the amounts regularly raised and appropriated for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the sum of \$400.00, being the maximum

amount which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907, as amended by Chapter 69, Public Laws of 1909.

- ART. 28. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for fire purposes and electric lights.
- ART. 29. To see if the town will vote to pay members of fire company the amount of their poll tax for serving in the fire company for the ensuing year.
- ART. 30. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of water pipes and laying the same in Guilford village for fire purposes.
- ART. 31. To see if the town will vote to pay the superintending school committee for their services the ensuing year.
- ART. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of Guilford Memorial Library.
- ART. 33. To choose one or more trustees for the Guilford Memorial Library.
- ART. 34. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for music in the schools.
- ART. 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to help pay the expenses of Memorial Day, and how shall the same be expended.
- ART. 36. To see if the town will vote to have a night watchman in Guilford village, and vote to raise money to pay for said night watchman.
- ART. 37. To see if the town will vote to drain the water from South Main street near George Sanford's house and raise money for the same.
- ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to build a place suitable for housing road machines, road rollers, scrapers and other tools, and determine how and where the same shall be built and raise money for the same.
- ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to discontinue all or a part of the road leading from High Street near the house of F. H. Leavitt

north to the road leading past the house of Freeland E. Bennett in said Guilford.

- ART. 40. To see if the town will vote to buy, build or rent a room for a lock-up, and make arrangements for the same, and how much money to raise for the same.
- ART. 41. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to purchase a steel cage for a lock-up, and raise money to pay for same.
- ART. 42. To see if the town will vote to buy new seats for the town hall, and to make all other necessary repairs, and to raise money for the same.
- ART. 43. To see if the town will vote to buy a lot and build a school building in Guilford village, and choose a committee to select said lot, procure plans, and have supervision of the erection of said school building.
- ART. 44. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and treasurer to hire sufficient money to buy said lot and build said building.
- ART. 45. To see if the town will vote to re-imburse Edgar S. Chase a portion or all of his expenditures made for and in behalf of his wife Eva S. Chase by reason of injuries received by her in slipping and falling upon the sidewalk in Guilford village in December, 1907.
- ART. 46. To see if the town will vote to re-establish the school in the Brown district.
- ART. 47. To see if the town will vote to accept the right of way across the railroad crossing near J. A. Goldthwaite's, as laid out by the selectmen September 3, 1909, and the railroad commissioners on same date, said road leading from Water street south and across the right of way of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad Company. Said laying out with the boundaries and measurements has been filed with the town clerk of the Town of Guilford.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting and revising the list of voters at the Town Hall at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Guilford this fourth day of March, A. D., 1910.

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| MICAJAH HUDSON, | } | Selectmen of Guilford. |
| F. H. WEYMOUTH. | | |
| E. E. FAIRBROTHER, | | |