



ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

TOWN OF

GILFORD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 1950

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ANNUAL REPORT

of the

TOWN OF GILFORD

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR,
LIBRARY TRUSTEES, SCHOOL BOARD AND
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

for the

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1950

Also a Tabular Statement of

Births, Marriages and Deaths

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

ARTHUR A. TILTON

Town Clerk

LORRAINE ROYCE

Selectmen

W. LYMAN PETERS MAURICE W. SAWYER
NORMAN B. RICHARDSON

Treasurer

ARTHUR H. LORD

Highway Agent

JOHN DOW

Collector of Taxes

ARTHUR P. GERRY

Supervisors

STUART VINCENT AUGUSTINE S. FRANCIS
FRANCES L. SWAIN

Trustees of Public Library

BARBARA A. SMITH MARGARET J. FRANCIS
BERTRAND F. AMES

Trustees of Trust Funds

MAURICE W. SAWYER LENA D. WEEKS
RAY C. WATSON

Auditors

WILLIAM S. LORD PAUL V. HOSTETTER
MARGARET J. FRANCIS

Representative to General Court

LENA D. WEEKS

Chief of Police

HERMAN E. OLSEN

Overseer of the Poor

LORRAINE ROYCE

Chief of Fire Department

ROY F. PAGE

Fire Engineers

RAY C. WATSON AUGUSTINE S. FRANCIS

TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Gilford in the County of Belknap in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Gilford on Tuesday, the 13th day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

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

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

Article 3. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purposes of the Police Department.

Article 4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the Fire Department.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the control of the White Pine Blister Rust, in cooperation with the State Forestry and Recreation Department. By request.

Article 6. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate money for the purposes of the Laconia Hospital.

Article 7. —To see what action the town will take to fix the compensation of the Tax Collector.

Article 8. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for maintenance and repairs of highways and bridges for the ensuing year and to make appropriations for the same.

Article 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for asphalt.

Article 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance and repairs of Glendale wharf and parking lot.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Public Library.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the aid of the Town Poor and for Old Age Assistance.

Article 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the decoration of graves of soldiers and sailors.

Article 14. To see what action the Town will take to observe Old Home Day and to raise and appropriate money for same.

Article 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Gilford Beach.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$298.00 which is 1/100 of 1% of the assessed valuation of the Town, to the Lakes Region Association for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town, in cooperation with other Towns in the Lakes Region. By request.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on the credit of the Town, not to exceed \$25,000.00, in anticipation of taxes.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$512.50 to pay the balance of principal and interest on note on the Water Works.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for State Aid Construction for reconstruction of a section of highway in the Town known as Route 11A, the State to contribute \$15,000.00 and the Federal Government \$30,000.00.

Article 20. To see if the Town will authorize the issue of long term notes to meet all or any part of an appropri-

tion raised and appropriated for State Aid Construction for reconstruction of a section of highway in Town known as Route 11A.

Article 21. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the reconstruction of the Tannery Bridge, so-called, on Route 11A, with State Bridge Aid, if possible.

Article 22. To see if the Town will authorize the issue of long term notes to meet all or any part of an appropriation raised and appropriated for reconstruction of the Tannery Bridge, so-called, on Route 11A.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$566.67 for Town Road Aid for maintenance, construction or reconstruction of Class V Highways, the State to contribute \$2266.66.

Article 24. To see what action the town will take to raise and appropriate money for the purchase of a new truck for use on the town roads.

Article 25. To see what action the town will take to raise and appropriate money for the purchase of a new truck for the use of the Fire Department.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate money for the purchase and erection of a fence at Gilford Beach.

Article 27. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate money to black top the Dockham Shore Road before the 1952 summer season, or such portion of said road as finances will permit, said road to be properly graded and smoothed before black top is applied. By petition.

Article 28. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate money for the purchase of a portable model Emerson Resuscitator. By request.

Article 29. To see what action the Town will take to approve an Ordinance Relating to the Holding of Motorcycle and Stock Car Races on Sunday, passed and approved by the Selectmen on June 5th, 1950, it being ordained as follows:

1. One or more motorcycle or stock car races may be held in the Town of Gilford for pay at or after the hour of one o'clock on any Sunday, if, in the opinion of the Selectmen, a license for the holding of such race or races should issue.
2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage, and shall expire on the date of the next regular election unless approved by a majority vote of the legal voters present and voting thereat.

Article 30. To see what action the town will take to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee to study the problem of control and operation of the Gilford Beach, said committee to make a report at the next annual Town Meeting.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to accept deeds to each of the following parcels of property for purposes of Town right of way and road extension :

1. Portion of Harris Shore Road, deed from Nina B. Harris dated May 14, 1942.
2. Portion of Wildwood Road, deed from Frank R. Varney dated December 7, 1946.
3. Addition to Varney Point Road, known as Varney Point Heights Road, deed from Frank R. Varney dated July 3, 1947.
4. Right of way at Terrace Hill, deed from Ella W. Cheney dated July 13, 1948.

Article 32. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and Fifty-one.

W. LYMAN PETERS
 MAURICE W. SAWYER
 NORMAN B. RICHARDSON
 Selectmen of Gilford

A true copy of Warrant—Attest :

W. LYMAN PETERS
 MAURICE W. SAWYER
 NORMAN B. RICHARDSON
 Selectmen of Gilford

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GILFORD, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
January 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of
the Previous Year January 1, 1950 to December 31, 1950

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1950	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1950	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1951
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$4,819.00	\$4,840.36	\$4,840.36
Railroad Tax	19.69	19.47	19.47
Savings Bank Tax	342.81	249.07	249.07
Reimbursement a/c State For- est Lands	50.41	47.69	47.69
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	640.00	448.89	530.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		949.46	
Bounties		29.25	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses		611.39	500.00
Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees		2,608.90	2,500.00
Interest Received on Taxes		362.27	360.00
Income from Trust Funds		100.00	
Income from Municipally owned Utilities:			
(a) Water Works		442.64	440.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	4,000.00	4,861.57	4,820.00
Tax Sales Redeemed		1,539.46	
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
State Aid Construction			10,000.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes — Regular @ \$2	1,192.00	1,200.50	1,160.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes		2.00	2.00
(c) Timber Yield Taxes		79.90	120.00
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TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROP- ERTY TAXES	\$11,063.91	\$18,392.82	\$25,588.59
Amount to Be Raised by			
Property Taxes	\$104,425.13	\$103,054.69	\$119,628.67
TOTAL REVENUES			\$145,217.26

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GILFORD, N. H.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1950	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1950	Estimated Expenditures Previous Year 1951
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:	\$8,400.00		\$7,500.00
Town Officers' Salaries		\$3,057.41	
Town Officers' Expenses		1,101.47	
Election & Registration Expenses		271.39	
General Expenses		462.57	
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings		600.64	
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Fire Department	6,000.00	5,209.64	6,000.00
Blister Rust	400.00	399.91	400.00
Health:			
Laconia Hospital	500.00	500.00	500.00
Vital Statistics40	
Town Dump		587.60	
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance	16,000.00	16,338.84	17,000.00
Asphalt	1,500.00	1,448.78	1,800.00
Street Lighting		409.92	
Glendale Wharf and Parking Lot	400.00	225.57	300.00
Town Road Aid	566.56	566.53	566.67
Libraries:	900.00	900.00	1,000.00
Public Welfare:	5,000.00		5,500.00
Town Poor		3,326.97	
Old Age Assistance		1,946.59	
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	100.00	85.76	100.00
War Memorial		428.05	
Old Home Day	100.00	200.00	100.00
Recreation:			
Gilford Beach	800.00	729.70	800.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Water Works		444.03	440.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF GILFORD, N. H.

Unclassified:

Bounties		29.75	
Licenses, Services and Expense		2,393.73	2,300.00
Damages and Legal Expenses including Dog Damage		315.74	325.00
Advertising and Regional Assn.	259.00	259.00	298.00
State Refund—Forest Fires		949.46	
Taxes Bought		1,138.21	

Interest:

On Temporary Loans		135.00	135.00
On Long Term Notes			100.00
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	25.00	25.00	12.50

**Outlay for New Construction and
Permanent Improvements:****Highways and Bridges:**

Town Construction—			
Gunstock Road	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Watson Road	2,000.00	2,000.00	
State Aid Construction—Town's Share			15,000.00
Water Works—Prev. Expense	600.00		
New Equipment—Highway Truck			2,000.00
Fire Truck			4,000.00

Indebtedness:**Payment on Principal of Debt:**

(a) To Restore Trust Funds.....	500.00	500.00	500.00
(b) Temporary Loan		5,000.00	

**Payments to Other Govern-
mental Divisions:**

County Taxes	8,417.21	8,417.21	9,000.00
School Taxes	55,953.25	58,663.01	67,540.09

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$112,421.02	\$123,067.88	\$145,217.26
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INVENTORY, APRIL 1, 1950

Lands and Buildings	\$2,811,850.00
Mature Wood and Timber	5,000.00
Electric Plants	88,902.00
53 Horses	5,350.00
2 Mules	150.00
2 Oxen	300.00
433 Cows	54,690.00
118 Other Neat Stock	9,120.00
108 Sheep and Goats	2,120.00
12 Hogs	280.00
4,914 Fowls	6,140.00
127 Boats and Launches	50,775.00
Wood and Lumber	19,782.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,600.00
Stock in Trade	16,800.00
Mills and Machinery	3,250.00
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	3,077,109.00
Amount of Property Exemption to Soldiers	93,800.00
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	\$2,983,309.00

APPROPRIATIONS AND ASSESSMENTS

Town Charges	\$8,400.00	
Police Department	2,000.00	
Fire Department	6,000.00	
Blister Rust Control	400.00	
Laconia Hospital	500.00	
Highways and Bridges	16,000.00	
Town Road Aid	566.56	
Gunstock Road	2,000.00	
Watson Road	2,000.00	
Asphalt	1,500.00	
Glendale Wharf and Parking Lot	400.00	
Town Poor and Old Age Assistance	5,000.00	
Public Library	900.00	
Memorial Day	100.00	
Old Home Day	100.00	
Gilford Beach	800.00	
Lakes Region Association	259.00	
Extra Expense on Water Works	600.00	
Note and Interest on Water Works	525.00	
County Tax	8,417.21	
School Tax	55,953.25	
		<u>\$112,421.02</u>
Less Estimated Revenue:		
Interest and Dividend Tax	4,819.00	
Railroad Tax	19.69	
Savings Bank Tax	342.81	
Reimbursement of State Lands	50.41	
Reimbursement of Growing Timber	640.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	4,000.00	
		<u>9,871.91</u>
		102,549.11
Plus Overlay		3,068.02
		<u>105,617.13</u>
Less 596 Poll Taxes at \$2.00		1,192.00
		<u>\$104,425.13</u>
Amount to be raised by property taxes		\$104,425.13
Inventory exclusive of exemptions		\$2,983,309.00
Taxes per \$100 for all purposes		3.50

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1950

TITLE OF APPROPRIATIONS	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town Charges:						
Town Officers' Salaries				\$3,057.41		
Town Officers' Expenses				1,103.06		
Election and Registration				271.39		
Town Hall and Other Buildings				600.64		
Street Lighting				409.92		
Town Dump				587.60		
General Expense				462.57		
Total	\$8,400.00	\$8.59	\$8,408.59	\$6,492.59	\$1,916.00	
Police Department	\$2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
Fire Department	6,000.00	960.46	6,960.46	6,170.10	790.36	
Bliester Rust Control	400.00	197.66	597.66	597.57	.09	
Laconia Hospital	500.00		500.00	500.00		
Highways and Bridges	16,000.00	526.76	16,526.72	16,865.56		\$338.84
Town Road Aid	566.56	2,367.47	2,934.03	2,923.91	10.12	
Gunstock Road	2,000.00	48.60	2,048.60	2,048.60		
Watson Road	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
Asphalt	1,500.00	149.01	1,649.01	1,597.79	51.22	
Glendale Wharf and Lot	400.00		400.00	225.57	174.43	

Public Welfare

Town Poor					3,358.23	
Old Age Assistance					1,946.59	
Total	\$5,000.00	\$ 131.26	\$5,131.26	\$5,304.82		173.56
Library	900.00		900.00	900.00		
Memorial Day	100.00		100.00	85.76		14.24
Old Home Day	100.00		100.00			100.00
Gilford Beach	800.00		800.00	729.70		70.30
Lakes Region Association	259.00		259.00	259.00		
Water Works Expense	600.00		600.00	600.00		
Water Works Note and Interest	525.00		525.00	525.00		

Totals	\$48,050.56	\$4,389.77	\$52,440.33	\$49,825.97	\$3,126.76	\$512.40
						512.40

Net Unexpended Balance

\$2,614.36

ANNUAL REPORT
FINANCIAL REPORT

of the Town of Gilford, N. H. in Belknap County
for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1950

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date Feb. 6, 1951.

W. LYMAN PETERS

MAURICE W. SAWYER

NORMAN B. RICHARDSON
Selectmen

ARTHUR H. LORD
Treasurer

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$14,111.78	
Due from State:		
Growing Wood and Timber Tax	82.41	
Other bills due Town:		
Water Works	94.83	
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1949	341.04	
Levy of 1948	285.19	
Previous Years	132.53	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1950	18,140.79	
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Total Assets		\$33,188.57
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Grand Total		\$33,188.57
Net Debt—December 31, 1949		5,109.87
Surplus, December 31, 1950		16,214.23
Increase of Surplus		11,104.36

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Bills outstanding	\$865.09	
Town Shed	2,500.00	
Cemeteries	56.00	
Old Home Day	100.00	
Due to School Districts:		
Balance of Appropriation	12,953.25	
Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by Town:		
Water Works	500.00	
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Total Liabilities	\$16,974.34	
Excess of assets over liabilities	16,214.23	
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Grand Total		\$33,188.57

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue—From Local Taxes:

(Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—Current Year	\$86,971.86
Poll Taxes—Current Year— Regular at \$2	814.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	2.00
Yield Taxes	79.90
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	87,867.76
Property Taxes—Previous Years	16,082.83
Poll Taxes—Previous Years— Regular at \$2	386.50
Interest received on Taxes	362.27
Tax sales redeemed	1,539.46

From State:

Interest and dividend tax	4,840.36
Railroad tax	19.47
Savings bank tax	249.07
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	47.69
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	448.89
Fighting forest fires	949.46
Bounties	29.25

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	611.39
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Business licenses, permits and filing fees	2,608.90	
Income from trust funds	100.00	
Income from municipal water and electric departments	442.64	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1949 Permits	39.79	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1950 Permits	4,823.73	15,210.64
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Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	18,000.00	
Refund—Town Poor	31.26	
Yield Taxes, Security	79.94	
Refunds	1.59	
Refund—Asphalt—Gunstock Road	48.60	
Refund—Asphalt	149.01	
Refund—T.R.A.	849.33	
Refund—Town Roads	526.72	
Refund—Fire Dept.	11.00	
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		\$19,697.45

Total Receipts from All Sources		141,146.91
Cash on hand January 1, 1950		15,732.24
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Grand Total		\$156,879.15

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$3,057.41
Town officers' expenses	1,103.06
Election and registration expenses	271.39
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	600.64

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	2,000.00
Licenses and Fees	2,393.73
Fire department, including forest fires	6,170.10
Moth extermination—Blister Rust	400.00
Bounties	29.75
Damage by dogs	312.74

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	500.00
Vital statistics	.40
Town dump	587.60

Highways and Bridges:

General Expenses	382.97
Street lighting	409.92
General Expenses of Highway Department	16,865.56

Libraries:

Libraries	900.00
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TOWN OF GILFORD

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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	1,946.59
Town poor	3,358.23

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Old Home Day	285.76
War Memorial Tablet	428.05

Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds	729.70
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Public Service Enterprises:

Municipal water and electric departments	444.03
Auto Permit Refund	1.95

Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses	3.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	259.00
Taxes bought by town	1,138.21
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	
Yield Taxes, Security	79.94

Total Current Maintenance Expenses	<u>3,358.23</u>	\$44,659.73
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Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	135.00
Literary and Ministerial Fund	79.60
Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	25.00

Total Interest Payments	<u>239.60</u>	239.60
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Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:

Highways—T.R.A. Class 5	1,415.86
Highways—Town construction Asphalt	1,597.79

Glendale Wharf	225.57	
Gunstock Road	2,048.60	
Watson Road	2,000.00	
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Total Outlay Payments		7,287.82
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	23,000.00	
Payments to trustees of trust funds	500.00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		23,500.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
Taxes paid to County	8,417.21	
Payments to School Districts	58,663.01	
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		67,080.22
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Total Payments for all Purposes		142,767.37
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Cash on hand December 31, 1950		14,111.78
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Grand Total		\$156,879.15

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$8,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	800.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	6,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,500.00
Fire Department Equipment	7,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	4,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
Water Supply	7,000.00
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Total	\$54,300.00

DETAILED STATEMENTS OF PAYMENTS

Detail No. 1

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

W. Lyman Peters, Selectman	\$440.00
Maurice W. Sawyer, Selectman	420.00
Norman B. Richardson, Selectman	324.00
Bertrand F. Ames, Selectman	64.00
Arthur H. Lord, Treasurer	150.00
Arthur P. Gerry, Tax Collector	1,062.36
Lorraine T. Royce, Town Clerk	495.05
Lena D. Weeks, Copying Trust Funds	50.00
Arthur A. Tilton, Moderator	16.00
William S. Lord, Auditor	12.00
Parkman Howe Jr., Auditor	12.00
Paul V. Hostetter, Auditor	12.00
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	\$3,057.41

Detail No. 2

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

W. Lyman Peters, Expenses	\$29.40
Bertrand F. Ames, Expenses	1.25
William S. Lord, Stamps and Notices	4.33
Arthur H. Lord, Labor on Books and Stamps	250.00
Norman B. Richardson, Stamps and Expenses	12.70
Hattie M. Jewett, Officers' Bonds	118.50
E. C. Eastman Co., Office Supplies	89.07
Charles P. Raymond, Transfer Cards	83.05
Charles H. Rogers Co., Supplies	14.14
Lorraine Royce, Expenses	34.45
Eunice L. Hunt, Copying Books	60.00
M. J. Carroll, Stamps and Envelopes	21.08
Maher's Book Store	33.55
Laconia Typewriter Service	7.55
Recording Statistical	6.00
Smith Corona Typewriter, Inc.	2.75
Edward L. Lydiard, Supplies	2.50

Citizen Pub. Co., Printing Town Reports	314.02
Citizen Pub. Co., Supplies	9.60
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	1.12
Asso. of N.H. Assessors	2.00
U. S. Auto and Truck Guide	6.00
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	\$1,103.05

Detail No. 3

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Stewart Vincent, Supervisor	\$48.00
Augustine Francis, Supervisor	46.00
Frances Swain, Supervisor	26.00
Carlton L. Elsner, Supervisor	8.00
Norman B. Richardson, Ballot Clerk	4.00
Archie MacDonald, Ballot Clerk	16.00
Sylvio Morin, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Samuel W. Smith, Ballot Clerk	12.00
Eunice L. Hunt, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Frank W. Smith, Ballot Clerk	8.00
Paul V. Hostetter, Constable	4.00
Harrison V. Spencer, Constable	12.00
Vernon A. Roach, Constable	8.00
Citizen Pub. Co.	30.35
Dorothy C. Harris, Officers' Lunch	6.00
Lorraine Royce	27.04
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	\$271.39

Detail No. 4

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Appropriation	\$2,000.00
Herman E. Olsen	\$1,922.60
Sylvio Morin	27.50
Alden Cann	11.00
Roy Page	21.00
Roger Lindsey	11.20
Robert Rac	2.70
McDuff Marine	4.00
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	\$2,000.00

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Detail No. 5

TOWN ROADS

Appropriation	\$16,000.00
Payroll	
Lewis Dow	\$1,536.80
John Dow	1,363.70
Tom Hunt	1,423.20
Carroll Aiken	1,940.25
Harold Haskell	1,720.00
Merton Hawkins	396.00
Arthur Valliere	114.75
Milo Bacon	23.49
Philip Vincent	32.80
Col. of Internal Revenue	95.35
Harry Delacey	12.00
Harold Tefft	233.10
Lester Sargent	22.40
David Sturrock	20.00
Joseph Simoneau	11.20
Carl Lamprey	55.20
Pat Brooks	56.80
Ben Frohock	14.40
Harry Spencer	7.50
John Bacon	1.60
Allen Haskell	4.00
Sears and Roebuck Co.	29.91
Gardner Libby	55.00
Paul Haskell	4.00
Homer Dutile	50.00
Parkman Howe Jr.	18.75
Stanton Buzzell	242.50
Total Payroll	<u>\$9,484.70</u>
Equipment Cost	
Acme Oil Co., Gas	\$1,531.59
Acme Oil Co., Oil and Supplies	710.78
Scott Machinery, Inc.	885.61
Norman G. Pynn	883.10
R. C. Hazelton Co.	1,423.15
Arthur P. Gerry, Truck Ins.	189.55
Arthur P. Gerry, Workmen's Compensation	362.64

Laconia Milling Co., Lumber	126.90
Airport Authority, Gravel	58.30
Laconia Auto Wrecker	52.00
State Highway Garage, 5 tons Calcium	185.00
Milo Bacon, Welding	67.41
Boulia and Gorrell Co., Cement	66.00
Manchester Sand and Gravel	5.33
Lewis Dow, Express	5.60
Atherton Farm Equip.	9.25
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Cement	11.70
Laconia Hardware Co., Supplies	3.15
Gardner Libby, Gravel	81.20
C. Westberg Co.	20.90
Harold E. Tefft	60.00
Texas Oil Co.	185.07
Laconia Welding Service	26.99
Lacey's Tire Service	58.69
Sanel Auto Parts Inc.	277.12
F. E. Faltin, Express	4.20
Lakes Region Feed Co.	46.80
Ray Road Equip.	29.72
Belknap Tire Co.	13.11
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Total Equipment Cost	\$7,380.86
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Total	\$16,865.56
Refund—Town Roads	526.72
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	\$16,338.84

Detail No. 6

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$6,000.00
Roy T. Page	\$223.00
Milo Bacon	2,920.20
Harold Wilkinson	193.40
Coll. Internal Revenue	12.10
New Eng. Tel.	313.76
R. G. Crowell, Insurance	195.00
McDuff Marine, Inc.	13.60
Norman Pynn	8.40
Laconia Water Co., Hydrant	50.00
Garrom Fire Equipment	25.00

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Frank A. Dill, Inc., Pump and Hose	560.00
Nighswander and Lord	20.44
Arthur Gerry, Ins. on trucks	115.50
Frank H. Albee, Hose and Equipment	295.30
Willey's Express	2.00
Eastern Fire Equipment	1.16
Payroll—Town Fires	272.70
Payroll—Town Forest Fires	936.38
Justine McCarthy Co.	12.16
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	\$6,170.10
Refund Forest Fires	960.46
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	\$5,209.64

Detail No. 7

WATER WORKS

Income from Water 1950	\$442.64
Payroll	\$98.11
Damage from Break	27.69
Public Service	106.15
Laconia Water Co.	138.28
Rex Swain	17.40
Charles Gove	56.40
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	\$444.03

Detail No. 8

STREET LIGHTING

Public Service	\$344.64
Charles A. Gove, repairs	10.28
One-Half of Lake Ave.	55.00
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	\$409.92

Detail No. 9

PUBLIC BEACH

Appropriation	\$800.00	
Peter Kling, Lifeguard		\$318.90
Worley L. Jackson		236.25
Martin Hall, Policing		4.60
Lorraine Royce, Beach Permits		64.80
Payroll		47.60
George Stafford Co.		10.00
Laconia Hardware		5.44
Public Service		20.93
Lougee-Robinson Co.		7.38
Laconia Chapter Red Cross		8.00
Village Store		5.80
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		\$729.70

Detail No. 10

GLENDALE WHARF

Appropriation	\$400.00	
Payroll		\$39.40
Public Service Co., Lights		21.03
Harrison Spencer		24.00
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.		81.00
Laconia Milling		17.88
Charles Gove		39.57
Laconia Hardware Co.		2.69
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		\$225.57

Detail No. 11

GENERAL EXPENSE

New England Tel. & Tel.	\$170.99
Public Service Co.	4.54
Milo Bacon	25.60

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Hopkins & Barlow	40.45
W. D. Huse Co.	29.57
The Village Store	3.15
Faltin Motor Transportation Inc.	1.30
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc.	39.13
Laconia Hardware Co.	10.34
C. Westberg & Co.	15.60
Snap on Tools Corp.	5.80
N. H. Explosive Machine Co.	20.50
Clarence E. Sawyer	7.00
Burrough Adding Machine	9.00
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	\$382.97

Detail No. 12

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Farm Bureau Insurance	\$89.32
Grange Insurance	75.00
Peter Dutile, Coal	107.55
Marshall & Riley	285.81
Elbert A. Haley	30.85
Laconia Hardware	12.11
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	\$600.64

Detail No. 13

TOWN DUMP

Payroll	\$587.60
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Detail No. 14

WAR MEMORIAL TABLET

Conly & Conly	\$285.00
Merchandise Markets Co., Expenses	12.50
Merchandise Markets Co., Expenses	3.88
Frances M. Doherty, Labor and Expenses	126.67
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	\$428.05

Detail No. 15

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE AND TOWN POOR

Appropriation	\$5,000.00	
Old Age Assistance		\$1,946.59
Belknap County Home		1,340.85
Hospital Care		725.78
Medical Aid		75.00
Fuel		72.50
Food and Clothing		1,001.10
Board		108.00
Rent		35.00
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		\$5,304.82
Julia Ladd Fund	\$100.00	
Refund	31.26	131.26
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		\$5,173.56

Detail No. 16

T.R.A. STATE AND TOWN

Balance	\$101.22	
Appropriation, State	2,266.25	
Appropriation, Town	566.56	
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Payroll	\$2,923.91	
Balance	10.12	
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		\$2,934.03

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Year Ending December 31, 1950

Motor Vehicle Permits :

1949: 10 Permits	\$ 39.79
1950: 723 Permits	4,823.73

Amount Received	\$4,863.52
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Paid to Town	\$4,863.52
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Dog Licenses:

1948 3 Licenses issued	\$ 12.00
1949 51 Licenses issued	113.77
1950 211 Licenses issued	501.42
3 Kennel Licenses	36.00
1951 1 License issued	2.00

Amount Received	\$665.19
Less Fees	53.80

Paid to Town	\$611.39
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Miscellaneous :

Received for Stamps and Envelopes	\$ 1.59
Filing Fees	7.00

Amount Received	\$ 8.59
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Paid to Town	\$ 8.59
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Total Receipts	\$5,483.50
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Total Paid to Town	\$5,483.50
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REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR
For the Year Ended December 31, 1950

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Levy of 1950

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$104,425.13
Poll Taxes	1,192.00
Yield Taxes	117.91
	\$105,735.04
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	547.75
Poll Taxes	36.00
Interest Collected	.94
TOTAL DEBITS	\$106,319.73

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$86,971.86
Poll Taxes	814.00
Yield Taxes	79.90
Interest Collected	.94
	\$87,866.70
Abatements:	
Property Taxes	\$288.75
Poll Taxes	34.00
	\$322.75
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:	
Property Taxes	\$17,722.78
Poll Taxes	380.00
Yield Taxes	38.01
	\$18,140.79
Total Uncollected	\$18,140.79
	\$106,330.24
Less overpayment to Treasurer	10.51
	\$106,319.73
TOTAL CREDITS	\$106,319.73

Levy of 1949

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1950:

Property Taxes	\$16,153.74	
Poll Taxes	408.00	
	<u> </u>	\$16,561.74

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1950	312.76
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Added Taxes

Property Taxes	108.95
Poll Taxes	18.00

TOTAL DEBITS	<u> </u>	\$17,001.45
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$16,051.49
Poll Taxes	374.00
Interest Collected During Year	312.76

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	203.50
Poll Taxes	14.00

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	3.70
Poll Taxes	42.00

TOTAL CREDITS	<u> </u>	\$17,001.45
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Levy of 1948

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1950:

Property Taxes	\$31.34	
Poll Taxes	22.50	
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		\$53.84
Interest collected during year		2.46
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$56.30

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During year:

Property Taxes	\$31.34
Poll Taxes	12.50
Interest Collected During Year	2.46

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Poll Taxes	10.00	
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$56.30

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1950**

DR.

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

	1949	1948	1945	1941	1940
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$1,138.21				
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes —January 1, 1950		\$985.50	\$41.98	\$97.16	\$35.37
Interest Collected After Sale	5.52	40.59			
TOTAL DEBITS	\$1,143.73	\$1,026.09	\$41.98	\$97.16	\$35.37

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During Year	\$802.69	\$740.90	\$41.98		
Unredeemed Taxes— At Close of Year	341.04	285.19		\$97.16	\$35.37
TOTAL CREDITS	\$1,143.73	\$1,026.09	\$41.98	\$97.16	\$35.37

ARTHUR P. GERRY,

Tax Collector

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amt. of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of income on hand begin- ning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Bal. of income on hand end of year
Feb. 14, 1898	Emily B. Sanborn	Laconia Savings Bank	\$350.00	2½	\$151.05	\$12.60	\$14.00	\$149.65
Aug. 18, 1898	Julia A. Ladd	Laconia Savings Bank	2,215.68	2½	267.70	61.81	100.00	229.51
May 25, 1900	Sarah P. Hunt	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	8.35	2.71	4.00	7.06
Oct. 4, 1901	Eliza Blaisdell	Laconia Savings Bank	53.76	2½	8.68	1.57	2.00	8.25
Oct. 4, 1901	Ellen E. S. Wadleigh	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2½	4.95	5.14	7.00	3.09
Oct. 6, 1902	Samuel H. Blaisdell	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	12.06	2.81	3.00	11.87
Nov. 11, 1902	Lucy M. Rand	City Savings Bank	151.00	2½	18.85	4.25	9.50	13.60
Jan. 22, 1903	Simeon P. Heath	Laconia Savings Bank	60.00	2½	1.77	1.54	1.00	2.31
Jan. 22, 1903	Philena M. Sanborn	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	2.32	2.57	2.00	2.89
Jan. 3, 1911	John G. Wadleigh	City Savings Bank	50.00	2½	2.15	1.30	2.00	1.45
Jan. 6, 1911	Nancy Sawyer	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	8.44	2.71	3.00	8.15
Dec. 20, 1911	John H. Weeks	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2½	40.33	4.78	5.00	40.11
Jan. 6, 1913	Sarah F. Rowe	New Hampshire Savings Bank	75.00	2½	2.15	1.93	1.50	2.58
Mar. 25, 1913	Lydia F. Smith	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2½	77.63	4.43	15.00	67.06
Sept. 2, 1913	Levi Grant	Laconia Savings Bank	50.00	2½	11.11	1.52	3.00	9.63
Dec. 15, 1913	Simon Rowe	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2½	2.42	2.55	2.00	2.97
Feb. 28, 1914	John P. Smith	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	400.00	2½	216.54	15.50	23.00	209.04
June 28, 1915	Benjamin Weeks	City Savings Bank	100.00	2½	3.18	2.59	2.50	3.27
Dec. 7, 1915	Wealthy C. Leavitt	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	15.92	2.90	5.00	13.82
Feb. 8, 1916	Mary J. Gove	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	150.00	2½	6.45	3.93	4.00	6.38
May 14, 1917	David Y. Smith	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	6.42	2.67	3.00	6.09
Oct. 8, 1917	Francis M. Gilman	Gilford Water Works	200.00	2½	5.88	5.12	4.00	7.00

Oct. 22,	1917	William H. Weeks	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	2.72	2.58	2.00	3.30
Sept. 8,	1917	Charles W. Leavitt	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	3.55	2.59	3.00	3.14
May 1,	1918	Moses Clough	Laconia Savings Bank	25.00	2½	6.48	.78		7.26
Aug. 15,	1919	John R. Brown	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	2.33	2.57	2.00	2.90
Nov. 1,	1919	Thomas Britton	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	3.54	2.59	2.00	4.13
Sept. 3,	1919	Annis James	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2½	71.57	5.56	5.25	71.88
June 15,	1920	Martha S. Gilman	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2½	8.37	5.23	4.00	9.60
Aug. 25,	1920	William S. Hoyt	Laconia Savings Bank	75.00	2½	2.23	1.94	2.00	2.17
May 7,	1921	Enoch Sanborn	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	2.94	2.58	1.00	4.52
Dec. 8,	1922	Susan E. Blaisdell	Laconia Savings Bank	75.00	2½	29.94	2.63	3.00	29.37
June 1,	1922	William W. Watson	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	8.77	2.73	3.00	8.50
Nov. 4,	1922	Frank E. Grant	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	9.24	2.74	4.00	7.98
Jan. 16,	1922	Hannah R. Follett	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2½	6.12	2.65	4.00	4.77
June 30,	1923	Seth E. Grant	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	3.41	2.59	2.00	4.00
May 12,	1923	Ann C. Lamprey	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	48.60	3.73	5.75	46.58
June 5,	1924	Liberty Hill Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	18.96	2.98	6.00	15.94
May 10,	1924	John M. Potter	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2½	27.28	5.72	5.00	28.00
July 12,	1924	George Crosby	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	4.13	2.61	3.00	3.74
Aug. 11,	1924	Joseph F. Smith	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	32.47	3.33	3.25	32.55
July 3,	1924	Edwin T. Batchelder	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	3.72	2.60	2.00	4.32
Nov. 19,	1924	Levi D. Sawyer	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	2.65	2.57	2.00	3.22
Dec. 31,	1924	General Fund	Laconia Savings Bank	350.00	2½	88.65	11.03		99.68
Jan. 3,	1925	Joseph Potter	Charlestown Five Cents Sav. Bk.	100.00	2	4.92	2.69	2.00	5.61
Jan. 2,	1925	William Potter	Charlestown Five Cents Sav. Bk.	200.00	2	36.54	5.40	6.00	35.94
Aug. 10,	1925	Helen F. Dennen	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	9.34	2.74	5.00	7.08
Dec. 31,	1925	James N. Ames	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2½	8.42	3.98	6.00	6.40
Jan. 2,	1926	Charles S. Thompson	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	5.14	2.64	3.00	4.78
Jan. 31,	1926	A. V. Lincoln	Loan & Trust Savings Bank	1,250.00	2½	284.48	38.35		322.82
Feb. 1,	1927	A. Lincoln Hatch	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	11.78	2.80	4.00	10.58
Sept. 19,	1927	Dr. Geo. W. Munsey	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	6.27	2.67	4.00	4.94
Nov. 29,	1927	Caleb M. Hatch	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2½	6.09	2.67	3.00	5.76

Dec. 13, 1927	A. H. Bacon	Laconia Savings Bank	75.00	2 1/2	14.47	2.24	4.00	12.71
Jan. 10, 1928	Reuben S. Dame	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	11.40	2.79	4.00	10.19
May 5, 1928	Samuel C. Clark, Jr.	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	8.38	2.71	2.00	9.10
Dec. 18, 1928	Sarah P. Smith	Laconia Savings Bank	2,200.00	2 1/2	101.10	44.83		165.93
Dec. 18, 1928	Sarah P. Smith	Gilford Water Works	300.00	2 1/2		20.00		
May 21, 1929	Edward A. Perkins	Laconia Savings Bank	50.00	2 1/2	9.37	1.49	1.00	9.86
Oct. 26, 1929	Emily S. Rowe	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	12.78	2.83	4.00	11.61
Nov. 26, 1929	Clara Morrill	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	11.36	2.79	4.00	10.15
Feb. 25, 1930	Daniel Smith	Laconia Savings Bank	55.00	2 1/2	1.53	1.41	1.00	1.94
June 2, 1930	Eleanor J. Gove	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.87	2.58	2.00	4.45
Oct. 28, 1930	Arthur H. Drury	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.41	2.58	2.00	3.99
Oct. 8, 1931	Mary A. Whittier	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	20.51	5.54	5.00	21.05
Dec. 7, 1933	John P. Davis	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.89	2.58	2.00	3.47
Oct. 23, 1934	Clara Ellen Morrill	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.93	2.58	2.00	3.51
Jan. 28, 1935	Cora E. Roberts	City Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	5.98	2.65	2.00	6.63
Jan. 20, 1936	Lillian B. Plowman	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	6.49	3.93	3.00	7.42
Aug. 22, 1936	John Earle Sanborn	Laconia Savings Bank	75.00	2 1/2	4.69	1.99		6.88
Oct. 3, 1936	Mabelle S. James	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	10.31	2.77	2.00	11.08
Nov. 18, 1936	Laura A. Weeks	Laconia Savings Bank	3,000.00	2 1/2	319.75	83.50	54.00	349.25
Aug. 12, 1937	Mary E. Frohock	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	14.61	4.13	5.00	13.74
June 30, 1938	Fred R. Weeks	City Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	45.55	4.90		50.45
Sept. 20, 1939	Lawrence A. Foss	City Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	10.76	4.03	4.00	10.79
Nov. 22, 1939	Frank Grant	City Savings Bank	50.00	2 1/2	15.26	1.64		16.90
Dec. 22, 1939	Herman and Alvah F. Hunter	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	9.22	5.25	4.00	10.47
Aug. 21, 1940	Warren S. Dockendorff	City Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.18	2.59	2.00	3.77
Sept. 6, 1941	Samuel J. Prescott	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	6.39	2.67	3.00	6.06
May 26, 1941	Nellie D. James	Laconia Savings Bank	50.00	2 1/2	6.62	1.41	1.00	7.03
Sept. 30, 1942	Harry W. Moss	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.19	2.59	2.50	3.28
Jan. 12, 1943	Benjamin H. Frohock	Laconia Savings Bank	251.15	2 1/2	37.53	7.25		44.78
Nov. 23, 1943	H. Frank Bacon	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	16.24	2.91		19.15

Dec. 10, 1943	Benjamin Wadley	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	16.03	2.91	18.94	
Dec. 30, 1944	Thurston & Copp	Laconia Savings Bank	35.00	2 1/2	3.32	.96	3.28	
Feb. 25, 1944	Charles Smith	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	8.02	2.71	7.73	
Aug. 30, 1944	Ida Alderson	Laconia Savings Bank	55.00	2 1/2	8.00	1.58	9.58	
June 7, 1944	William & Fred Potter	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	26.42	5.69	32.11	
Mar. 13, 1944	Ida J. Glidden	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	9.41	2.74	12.15	
Mar. 21, 1945	Carol & Belle Follett	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	4.86	2.63	4.49	
Mar. 28, 1945	C. E. & M. W. Sawyer	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	18.03	4.23	22.26	
Jan. 15, 1946	Elmer Oleson	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	8.23	3.98	8.21	
Nov. 12, 1946	William I. Harris	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	11.90	5.32	13.22	
Aug. 19, 1949	Dora Keasor	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	11.17	5.30	13.47	
Aug. 4, 1947	W. A. & F. M. Jackson and Ray Watson	City Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	10.51	5.29	15.80	
Sept. 11, 1947	Orman M. Sanborn	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	11.48	5.32	16.80	
Oct. 27, 1947	Louise Davis	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	5.51	2.64	8.15	
June 24, 1948	Claude R. Smith	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.79	2.60	6.39	
Apr. 15, 1948	Milo Bacon & Roy Page	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	6.34	3.93	10.27	
Dec. 13, 1948	Jos. R. Patten and Alexander Moulton	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.51	2.57	5.08	
Dec. 31, 1948	Oscar V. Rand	Laconia Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	3.77	3.85	5.62	
Apr. 11, 1949	Asa B. Frohock	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	1.67	2.54	4.21	
Sept. 12, 1949	Mabel & John Colby	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	1.25	5.05	6.30	
Aug. 30, 1944	George Frohock	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	8.02	2.71	7.73	
TOTALS					\$2,534.81	\$590.91	\$451.25	\$2,674.47

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

MAURICE W. SAWYER, LENA D. WEEKS, RAY C. WATSON, Trustees

Date Jan. 15, 1951

ANNUAL REPORT
AUDITORS' REPORT

We, the undersigned auditors of the Town of Gilford, have examined the accounts of the Treasurer, Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds and Treasurer of the Public Library for the year 1950, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1951.

WILLIAM S. LORD
MARGARET J. FRANCIS
PAUL V. HOSTETTER
Auditors.

**REPORT OF THE
GILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY**

To the Citizens of Gilford:

The undersigned Trustees of the Gilford Public Library respectfully submit the report for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1950.

This year Mrs. Robert B. Smith served as chairman, Mrs. Augustine S. Francis as secretary, and Mr. Bertrand F. Ames as treasurer.

We are proud to call to your attention the continued increase in the number of subscribers and number of books loaned during the past year. This is particularly true in the case of the juvenile readers and is partly due to the splendid cooperation we have received from the school teachers, who have allowed the pupils to patronize the library during school hours. We are deeply appreciative of this effort on their part. In return for this, Mrs. Whitney has spent a great deal of time working with the children, helping them to make worth

while selections and teaching them to use the up to date reference books which have been added to the library—the latest being the Lincoln Library—bought last September.

We would also like to bring to your attention the "Hobby Shelf." This is a collection of books covering a wide range of subjects and we hope all our subscribers will find something of help and interest there. We will be happy to add to this collection and welcome suggestions from the readers.

The library suffered a great loss this year by the death of Mr. Frank Wright. Mr. Wright has given unstintingly his time for many years in beautifying the flower gardens on the library lawn. The trustees will not be able to replace Mr. Wright but we will attempt to carry on the work in memory of our good friend.

We were pleased to receive a visit in October from Miss Pratt, the assistant state librarian, who, as always, gave us helpful suggestions to improve the library service.

Our librarian, Mrs. Whitney, served on the registration committee for the Library Conference held in Laconia, May 15th at the Congregational church assembly rooms.

Mrs. Whitney and Mrs. Francis attended an all day meeting of librarians in Plymouth in November. These district meetings are very helpful for all the problems of running our small town libraries are discussed.

As always we wish to thank all our interested friends who have done so much to help us and the library during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

BARBARA A. SMITH
MARGARET J. FRANCIS
BERTRAND F. AMES

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

No. of books catalogued Jan. 1, 1950		9,089	
No. of books catalogued Dec. 31, 1950		9,306	
Books purchased by the Town	203		
1 Set Lincoln Library (2 Vol.)	2		
Books donated by friends:			
Mrs. Richard Lancaster	3		
Mrs. Augustine Francis	3		
Mrs. Carole Wells	3		
Mrs. Marion Lord	3		
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No. of books purchased and donated		217	
Old books removed from library		675	
No. of books loaned at library :			
	Adults	Children	Total
Fiction	2442	1483	3925
Non-Fiction	148	28	176
Magazines	993	129	1122
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Total	3583	1640	5223
No. of bookmobile books loaned at school			219
Books borrowed from Laconia Library			2
Books borrowed from the State Library			38
Books borrowed from bookmobile at Library			135
New borrowers			26
Balance brought forward Jan.			
1, 1950		\$6.35	
Cash received from fines during the year		45.60	
Cash received from sale of duplicate books		1.50	
		<hr/>	\$53.45
Cash paid for postage		\$3.22	
Cash paid for supplies		15.46	
Cash paid Bertrand Ames from fine fund		25.47	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1951		9.30	
		<hr/>	\$53.45

1950 REPORT OF TREASURER OF GILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Jan. 13 Curtis Circulation Co., Sat. Eve Post, 2 yrs.	\$ 10.00
Jan. 14 Hammond Ins. Agency (Library)	52.00
Feb. 6 Charles A. Goss	5.00
Feb. 17 Curtis Circulation Co., Jack & Jill, 2 yrs., Colliers, 2 yrs.	12.00
Feb. 20 DeWolfe & Fiske Co., Books	20.72
Mar. 22 Maher's Bookstore, books	54.21
Mar. 20 F. J. Barnard & Co., Rebound Books	3.00
Mar. 30 Mrs. Helene L. Watson, Magazines	50.70
Mar. 30 Mrs. Madeline Whitney, Librarian, 1st Qtr.	50.00
Mar. 30 Maurice Sawyer, 1 Cord Wood	18.00
Mar. 31 Kathleen Lolliver, Treas. N. H. Li- brary Asso.	5.00
Apr. 26 Maher's Bookstore, Books	67.44
June 1 Archie MacDonald, Painting	4.50
July 1 Wm. Taylor, Janitor Service	50.00
July 1 Mrs. Madeline Whitney, Librarian, 2nd Qtr.	50.00
July 8 F. W. Faxon Co., Am. Girl Mg.	2.00
July 8 The New England News Co., Books	41.82
Sept. 5 Mrs. Madeline Whitney, Librarian	50.00
Sept. 5 Life, Book	7.95
Sept. 13 Maher's Bookstore, Books	28.35
Sept. 13 The New England News Co.	3.66
Sept. 23 Archie MacDonald, Painting	25.05
Oct. 12, Mrs. Madeline Whitney, Library, 3rd Qtr. Stationery	6.50
Oct. 19 The New England News Co., Books	2.61
Nov. 9 Maurice W. Sawyer, 2 Cords Wood	36.00
Nov. 10 Frontier Press Co., Lincoln Library Information	25.25
Dec. 11 Maher's Bookstore, Books	138.59
Dec. 13 Wm. Taylor, Janitor Service	50.00
Dec. 13 Mrs. Madeline Whitney Librarian, 4th Qtr.	50.00
Dec. 21 Mrs. Helene Watson, Magazine	4.25
Bank Charges	3.51
Total	\$928.20

TREASURER, GILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

1950

Jan. 1 Cash on hand	\$ 161.40
Mar. 1 Received from Fines	10.00
Mar. 30 Received from Town Treas.	200.00
May 25 Received from Librarian Sales Book	3.47
June 3 Received from Town Treas.	200.00
July 3 Received from Fines	5.00
Sept. 5th Received from Town Treas.	200.00
Sept. 12 Received from Fines	7.00
Dec. 2 Received from Town Treas.	300.00
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	\$1,086.87
Expenditures	928.20
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	158.67
Check No. 450 Outstanding	5.00
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Bank Bal. Dec. 31, 1950	\$ 153.67

Respectfully submitted,

Dec. 31, 1950

BERTRAND F. AMES, Treasurer

GILFORD PLANNING BOARD**Financial Report for 1950**

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1949		\$ 378.40
Receipts		none
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		\$ 378.40
Payments		
Lorraine Royce, typing	\$ 7.00	
Chas. C. Rogers, paper	7.02	
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		14.02
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Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1950		\$ 364.38
February 10, 1951		

PAULINE S. GODDARD, Treasurer

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		\$100.00
Paid		
June 1950		
Laconia High School Band	50.00	
Laconia Hardware Co., Flags	14.36	
Prescott Flower Shop, Flowers	14.40	
Laconia Transit Co., Inc.	7.00	
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		\$ 85.76

OLD HOME DAY

Band	\$90.00	
18 Dinners at 50c	9.00	
		\$ 99.00
Publicity		
Citizen Advertising	5.00	
Invitations	8.80	
Posters	5.00	
Mimeograph Letters	3.34	
Citizen Advertising	5.00	
		27.14
Prizes		
Parade		
Award for Floats and Children	17.00	
Ribbons	7.20	
Races	3.34	
		27.54
Police		9.90
Entertainment		
Speaker—Jule Ayres	10.00	
Magician—Dana Taylor	30.00	
		40.00
		\$203.58
Bank Balance	34.65	
Sales of Candy & Pop	3.50	
Check rec'd from Town	200.00	
Cash Available	238.15	
Expenses	203.58	
Bank Balance		\$34.57

LAWRENCE W. GUILD, Treasurer

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL

 Financial Statement
 1950
 Town of Gilford

Expenditures

Town Funds	\$399.91	
State and Federal Funds	• 197.66	
Total expenditures	<hr/>	\$597.57

Received from Town	\$400.00	
Expended from Town Funds	399.91	
Balance in Town Funds	<hr/>	.09

Area Covered	1,430 acres
Currant & gooseberry bushes destroyed	3,972
Area discontinued from control	558 acres
Stamps are enclosed to cover the balance due the town.	
Land Area of Town	24,716 acres
Present Control Area	19,087 acres

FOREST FIRE PREVENTION PAYS DIVIDENDS

Most forest fires are preventable because someone is responsible for them. State records for 1950 show 94% of 632 fires resulted from human perversness and carelessness. Refusal to secure the required warden permit before burning; failure to use good judgment, lack of equipment and assistance while burning; carelessness in smoking and poorly conditioned woods equipment (trucks, tractors, etc.) resulted in a total of 6090.6 burned acres with a loss of \$63,949.10 in valuable property.

Fortunately, these human factors can be dealt with because people can be reached. This the local forest warden tries to do by informing his fellow citizens that EVERY-ONE MUST:

1. Secure a written permit to burn in or near woodlands when the ground is not covered with snow.
2. Use good judgment in burning and have enough equipment and assistance to keep fire under control at all times.
3. Be careful when smoking in or near woodlands and refrain from throwing lighted material from automobiles.
4. Make certain that all equipment used in the woods is in good condition.

His success depends entirely upon public reaction to his appeals. He does his part—the rest depends upon YOU and

YOUR compliance with burning requirements

YOUR care with YOUR fires and YOUR smoking and

YOUR care of motive equipment you use in the woods.

It all aids, materially, in reaching the desired goal, the

PREVENTION OF FOREST FIRES —

because PREVENTION PAYS DIVIDENDS!

Number of local fires	3
Number of acres burned	5½
Number of permits issued	68

MILO BACON,
Forest Fire Warden

THOS. J. KING,
District Fire Chief

REPORT OF THE STATE NURSE

At the Child Health Conference 36 children were immunized for Diphtheria, Tetanus and Whooping Cough by Dr. H. Trapp. 9 were vaccinated.

The local Red Cross Chapter provided transportation and brought this Health program to a successful conclusion. The Parish House was made available through the generosity of Rev. Hostetter.

Through such excellent co-operation in our community helpful projects of any type can be accomplished

My sincere thanks and appreciation.

Respectfully,

JOANNA M. CARTER

REPORT OF THE GILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Officers of the Gilford School District

Moderator

CARLETON L. ELSNER

Clerk

LOIS ADAM

Treasurer

ARTHUR H. LORD

Auditors

MAURICE W. SAWYER

WILLIAM S. LORD

School Board

Jean C. Wallace

Term expires 1951

Winnifred H. Varney

Term expires 1952

Rangvald Olsen

Term expires 1953

School Nurse

Madeliene R. Trabucco, 9 Mill Street, Tilton, N. H.
 Telephone:

Office at Tilton 531

Residence Tilton 279

Superintendent of Schools

DONALD P. MATTOON

Tilton, N. H.

Telephone:

Office at home

Tilton 6425

Office at school

Tilton 531

Regular Meeting, School Board, Second Thursday
 of each month, 3:30 P.M.,
 Gilford Grade School

SCHOOL WARRANT**The State of New Hampshire**Belknap, ss.

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Gilford, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall, in said District on Saturday, March 17, 1951 at 2:00 p.m., to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a member of the School Board to serve for three years to fill the vacancy arising from the expiration of the term of office of Jean C. Wallace.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
7. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and other district officers.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are

estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the School Board in the school lunch program.

10. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for improving the driveway, lawn and parking area at the Gilford Grade School.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands in said Gilford this 8th day of February, 1951.

JEAN C. WALLACE,
WINNIFRED H. VARNEY,
RANGVALD OLSEN,
School Board

A true copy of Warrant, Attest:

JEAN C. WALLACE,
WINNIFRED H. VARNEY,
RANGVALD OLSEN,
School Board.

**ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET
FOR 1951-1952**

Expenditures

Item	School Board's Budget 1951-52
Administration	
Salaries of district officers	\$ 245.00
Supt's. Salary (local share)	675.50
Tax for state wide supervision	434.00
Salaries other administration personnel	670.76
Supplies and expenses	170.50
Instruction	
Teachers' Salaries	18,500.00
Books and other instruction aids	500.00
Scholars' Supplies	900.00
Supplies and other expenses	225.00
Operation of School Plant	
Salaries of janitors	1,500.00
Fuel or heat	1,000.00
Water, light, supplies and exp.	750.00
Maintenance of School Plant	
Repairs and replacements	500.00
Auxiliary Activities	
Health Supervision	475.00
Transportation	7,776.00
Tuition	23,150.00
Special activities and spec. funds,	
Fixed charges	
Retirement	1,126.65
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses	231.68
Total Current Expenses	58,830.09

Capital Outlay	
Debt and Interest	7,710.00
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Total Expenditures	\$66,540.09

Receipts

Item	
National School Lunch (Revolving Fund, approx. \$6624.)	
State Aid	0.00
Elementary school Tuition	150.00
Special activities & spec. funds	0.00
Other, miscellaneous	0.00
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Total Receipts	\$150.00
District Assessment to be Raised by Property Taxes	\$66,390.09
Total Appropriation to be Voted by School District for Current Expenses without Revolving Fund	\$66,540.09
With Revolving Fund	\$73,164.09

Respectfully submitted,

JEAN C. WALLACE,
WINNIFRED H. VARNEY,
RANGVALD OLSEN,
School Board

FINANCIAL REPORT

Gilford School District

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1950

 Receipts

Cash on hand July 30, 1949	\$ 3,850.09
Appropriation	43,556.01
Special Appropriation (Mrs. Jackson's salary)	2,107.00
Elementary Tuition	72.00
Trust Funds	33.60
Refund:	
Edward E. Babb	15.75
F. A. Owen Co.	6.50
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	22.25
School Lunch, Federal Aid	1,582.35
Peoples' National Bank, Bond issue	5,004.17
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Total	\$56,227.47

Payments

Administration

1. Salaries of District Officers:	
Carleton L. Elsner	\$ 5.00
Margaret Francis	5.00
Arthur H. Lord	50.00
William S. Lord	5.00
Rangvald Olsen	50.00
Maurice Sawyer	5.00
Winnifred H. Varney	50.00
Jean C. Wallace	50.00
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Total	220.00
2. Superintendent's Salary:	
Treasurer Supervisory Union	565.00
3. Tax for State Wide Supervision:	
Treasurer Supervisory Union	432.00

4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:

Cole Printing Co.	9.00	
R. E. Lane, cards	2.57	
Treasurer Supervisory Union	325.68	
Jean C. Wallace, census	25.00	
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Total		\$362.25

5. Supplies and Expenses:

James H. Armstrong	\$ 15.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh	18.00	
Citizen Publishing Co.	7.80	
Howell Business Service	3.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	66.28	
Rangvald Olsen	7.00	
Secretary of State	2.00	
Treasurer Supervisory Union	16.00	
Wheeler & Clark	7.20	
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Total		\$142.28

Instruction

6. Principals and Teachers Salaries:

James H. Armstrong (W. T. \$98.40, Ret. \$100, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4)	\$ 2,692.60
A. Donald Bouchard	40.00
Natalie H. Davis (W. T. \$116, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4, B. C. \$63.45)	2,211.55
Mrs. Carl Dolloff, substitute	30.00
Kathleen D. Jackson (W.T. \$161.10)	1,945.90
Helen E. Martin (Ret. \$13)	493.25
Agnes H. Moulton, (W. T. \$261.60 B.C. \$57.30, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4)	2,072.10
Eleanor Ouellett, (W.T. \$32, Ret. \$96, NEA \$5, NHSTA \$4, Tuition \$144)	2,119.00
Tilton-Northfield School District (Mrs. Gray, Mr. Bouchard)	719.17
Jane R. Vogel (Ret. \$9)	274.00
Collector Internal Revenue	669.10
N.H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	120.75
National Education Association	20.00

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N. H. Teachers' Association	16.00
Teachers' Retirement Board	218.00

Total	\$13,641.42
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7. Books and Other Instruction Aids :

American Education Press	\$ 72.00
Audio-Visual Center of Maine	7.41
Edward E. Babb & Co.	36.85
Houghton-Mifflin	4.90
Laconia Music Shop	2.70
Lyons & Carnahan	2.60
Charles E. Merrill & Co.	19.93
Modern School Supplies Co.	44.50
Project in Applied Economics	3.40
Scott Foresman & Co.	140.61

Total	\$ 334.90
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8. Scholars Supplies :

American Book Co.	\$ 5.03
Audio-Visual Center	6.80
Edward E. Babb & Co.	342.80
Belmont School District	1.60
City Freight Service	3.00
Ditto, Inc.	22.39
J. L. Hammett Co.	56.03
F. A. Owen	6.50
Phillips Paper Co.	70.71
Row, Peterson & Co.	7.67
Scott Foresman & Co.	86.03
Thompson & Hoague	47.70
Tilton-Northfield School District	52.96
World Book Co.	19.42

Total	\$782.20
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9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants :

10. Supplies and Other Expenses :

American Assoc. of School Adm.	\$ 9.00
James H. Armstrong	21.45

F. E. Compton & Co.	101.62
Garrand Press	23.52
News Map of the World	15.00
Scott Foresman	5.14
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Total	\$175.73
Operation of School Plant	
11. Salaries of Janitors:	
James H. Armstrong	\$1,090.00
12. Fuel:	
Gardner Fuel Co.	\$686.13
13. Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:	
City Freight Service	\$ 3.00
Hopkins & Barlow	12.59
Masury-Young Co.	7.69
Northern Heating & Plumbing Co.	181.43
Public Service Co. of N. H.	234.70
C. M. Rice Co.	51.75
Tilton-Northfield School District	34.35
Village Store	15.60
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Total	\$541.11
14. Repairs & Replacements:	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	\$.60
Milo Bacon	6.50
Milo Bean	2.50
G. J. Blais	4.50
Boulia-Gorrell Lumber Co.	6.92
Wm. E. Downs	260.16
Folsom's Market	4.49
Francoeur-Gill Co.	1,781.40
Hopkins & Barlow	54.78
Laconia Electric Shop	30.15
Laconia Hardware Co.	4.19
Jack Landry	20.00
Northern Heating & Plumbing Co.	702.07
NuFloor Covering Co.	49.72
Donald F. Perthel	53.60
Everett Sanborn, Jr.	74.00
Smith Lumber Co.	16.40

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Tilton-Northfield School District	9.70
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.	3.78

Total	<u>\$3,085.46</u>
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Auxiliary Activities

15. Health Supervision:	
Herrick Drug Co.	\$ 2.84
Lurline H. McCook (W.T. \$60)	340.00
Charlotte Pettingill	14.00
Presby's Store	3.95
Dr. Harry Trapp	78.60
Edith C. Varney	20.00
Village Store	.63
Collector Internal Revenue	60.00

Total	<u>\$520.02</u>
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16. Transportation:	
Laconia Transit Company	\$7,776.00

17. Tuition:	
Laconia School District	
High School	8,588.96
Elementary School	6,587.69

Total	<u>\$15,176.65</u>
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18. Special Activities:	
Cardigan Sport Store	\$ 26.95
Collector Internal Revenue	155.70
Natalie Davis	32.00
Kathleen D. Jackson	32.00
Agnes Moulton	32.00
Raymond MacDonald	20.00
N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	14.40
Eleanor Ouellett	32.00
Rinehart Writing System	350.00
School Lunch, Federal Aid	1,582.35
School Lunch Program (W.T. \$155.70, B.C. \$14.40)	829.90
Ralph H. Smith Co.	110.25
State Board of Education	72.00
Tilton-Northfield High School Cafeteria	4.40

Total	<u>\$3,293.95</u>
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Fixed Charges

19. Retirement :		
Teachers' Retirement Board		\$284.00
20. Insurance :		
Arthur P. Gerry	\$	67.56
Hammond Agency		203.84
Peerless Casualty Co.		8.00
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Total		\$279.40

Capital Outlay

21. Lands and New Buildings :		
Todd B. Wallace, Architect		\$773.66
22. Addition and Improvements to Buildings :		
23. New Equipment :		
Diamond Match Co.		8.33
H. W. Pettengill		3.75
Tilton-Northfield School District		24.75
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Total		\$36.83

24. Payment into Capital Reserve Fund :

Debt Service

25. Payment of Debt :		
National Shawmut Bank of Boston		\$1,000.00
26. Interest on Debt :		
National Shawmut Bank of Boston		270.00
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Total Payments		\$51,468.99
Cash on hand June 30, 1950		4,758.48
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Grand total		\$56,227.47

Respectfully submitted,

JEAN C. WALLACE,
RANGVALD OLSEN,
WINNIFRED H. VARNEY,
School Board

ARTHUR H. LORD,
School District Treasurer

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board, Parents, and Voters:
 ADDITION TO EXISTING SCHOOL BUILDING

The best school news which can be reported in Gilford this year probably is the action to expand the facilities of the Gilford Grade School. Free discussion in community and home circles following the defeat of the proposed building program in 1949, particularly this last winter and spring, focussed attention to the important issue of new rooms. Certain citizens investigated financial aspects among some State and Federal agencies. The endeavors of many residents culminated in favorable action at the annual school meeting on March 18, 1950, as the voters responded under Articles VI, XI, XII, and XIII.

A Building Committee was authorized to serve in an advisory capacity to the School Board. A committee of five was approved; one from the School District, and by invitation, one each to be chosen by the Board of Selectmen, the Grange, the P.T.A., and the Gilford Church. From the School District, Mr. Marleton L. Elsner was elected.

The District voted to construct and equip an addition to the Gilford Grade School by a standing vote of 107 to 9. In subsequent votes, one on a standing count of 96 to 27, the District raised and appropriated not exceeding \$75,000 for this purpose, and then in an unanimous standing vote of 102, it authorized the issue of bonds, not to exceed 19 years and not less than 15 years, to meet all or any part of the appropriation.

The Advisory Committee:	The School Board:
Mrs. Lucille Allen	Mrs. Jean C. Wallace
(Mrs. Thomas G.)	(Mrs. Todd B.)
Community Church	Mrs. Winnifred H. Varney
Mr. James H. Armstrong	(Mrs. Cyrus R.)
P.T.A.	Mr. Rangvald Olsen
Mr. Carleton L. Elsner	
School District	
Mr. Norman B. Richardson	
Selectmen	
Mr. Donald P. York	
Grange	

The Advisory Committee and the School Board met at the Gilford Grade School on March 29, 1950 and organized as a committee as a whole with Mrs. Jean C. Wallace as Chairman, and Mrs. Lucille Allen as Secretary. The group voted to act jointly in decisions and discussed procedures in achieving the purposes set by the School District Meeting. Mr. Todd B. Wallace was selected as Architect, to serve under a standard contract established by the American Institute of Architects and rendering all services; architectural, engineering, and supervisory.

On April 6, 1950, the Advisory Committee and the School Board obtained points of view on school facilities from teachers, special workers, school nurse, and particularly from Mr. Paul E. Farnum, Chief of the Division of Administrative Services of the New Hampshire State Department of Education. Some general principles were established:

1. Larger working areas are needed for the modern educational program,
2. Equipment should be movable so it may be arranged to the best advantage.
3. Light on the working surfaces should be over 30 foot candles,
4. There should be plenty of storage space.
5. The walls should be made of working surfaces for pupils use.
6. Work benches can be attached to the walls.
7. Wardrobe lockers may be placed in corridor or classroom.
8. School rooms may be either square or rectangular.
9. Bilateral lighting gives excellent distribution of illumination.
10. Incandescent lighting is cheaper to install but is more expensive to maintain; fluorescent lighting gives a lower electricity bill.
11. Steel sash is popular, but has more air leakage than wooden.

12. Surfaces of walls should have light tints, ceilings should have good reflectance.

13. Architects are trying to have corridor serve many purposes by enlarging them.

14. Health quarters should be equipped to serve the many demands of a health program.

15. Plastered walls are not in vogue now; a wainscoting having a durable, easily cleaned surface is preferred.

16. Experiments show that chlorophyll-green coloring for chalkboards is the most satisfactory.

17. Toilet facilities should follow the National Code.

18. Toilet rooms should have a floor and wainscoting which can be cleaned with a hose and water.

19. Janitor should have easily accessible utility sink.

20. Prices of buildings vary with the materials used in their construction; experience of other building committees can help avoid errors in new construction.

An April 8, 1950 sketches of the proposed addition were considered and the Architect directed to prepare plans and specifications.

Two meetings were held to discuss plans for financing. Finally on May 11, 1950, the School Board, at its regular monthly meeting, voted unanimously:

1. To act as empowered under Article 13 of the School Warrant, March 18, 1950 and

2. To issue bonds in the name and on the credit of the District to the extent of \$75,000.

3. To sell 15-year serial bonds, each bearing a call feature making the bond callable on the anniversary date upon ninety days' notice,

4. To set each bond value at \$5000 and bearing interest coupons with rate of interest of 2% annually,

5. To establish the anniversary date as December 15,

6. To accept the provisions on issuance and purchase as set for in communications dated May 3 and May 10, 1950 of the Peoples National Bank of Laconia, N. H.,

7. To sell the bonds to the Peoples National Bank, Laconia, N. H., and

8. To use the moneys so obtained to construct an addition to the Gilford Grade School.

Bids were called for and opened on July 19, 1950 in the presence of the School Board, Architect Todd B. Wallace, Heating Engineer Warren Gifford, Consulting Engineer Clifford Broker, and three bidders. The bids were:

Edwin J. Hodgdon, Mirror Lake, N. H.	\$87,546.00
W. M. Bisson & Son, Laconia, N. H.	\$92,370.00
David A. M. Sturrock, Laconia, N. H.	\$96,063.00

Since all bids were in excess of the appropriation, they were rejected. Addendum specifications were written and new bids called for from the three original bidders. These were opened on August 1, 1950 and disclosed:

David A. M. Sturrock, Laconia, N. H.	\$67,456.00
W. M. Bisson & Son, Laconia, N. H.	\$70,949.00
Edwin J. Hodgdon, Mirror Lake, N. H.	\$75,246.00

A contract was signed with David A. M. Sturrock on August 5, 1950.

The new part is a one-floor structure placed at the rear of the existing building. There are three large rooms for primary pupils, bilaterally-lighted and made comfortable mainly through radiant heat and heated fresh air from a univent system. The corridor is enlarged to permit the use of one end for library purposes and small-group work. A clinic, reception room, toilets, and janitor's room occupy the south side of the wing. The exterior brick match the antique type of the original building. The unit is as fireproof as the type of construction will allow.

Some comparisons between the existing building and the addition show the changes which have come about in building costs. The present Gilford Grade School has about 134,000 cu. ft.; the addition, about 93,500, or 44% less

cubage. In 1938, the original structure, without land, architect's fee, and equipment cost about 25c a cu. ft. In 1950, the addition, without equipment and architect's fee, but with new heating plant for both new and old building cost about 72c per cu. ft.

The financial obligations of the School District in the total school plant are as follows:

EXISTING BUILDING			ADDITION		
National Shawmut Bank, Boston			Peoples National Bank, Laconia		
20-year serial bonds 3% interest Nov. & May \$1000 on principal annually			15-yr. serial bonds, callable 2% interest June & Dec. \$5000 on principal annually		
	Interest	Principal		Interest	Principal
May 1951	\$120	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1950	\$350	
Nov. 1951	\$105		June 15, 1951	750	
May 1952	\$105	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1951	750	\$5000
Nov. 1952	90		June 15, 1952	700	
May 1953	90	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1952	700	\$5000
Nov. 1953	75		June 15, 1953	650	
May 1954	75	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1953	650	\$5000
Nov. 1954	60		June 15, 1954	600	
May 1955	60	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1954	600	\$5000
Nov. 1955	45		June 15, 1955	550	
May 1956	45	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1956	550	\$5000
Nov. 1956	30		June 15, 1956	500	
May 1957	30	\$1000	Dec. 15, 1956	500	\$5000
Nov. 1957	15		and so on through		
May 1958	15	\$1000	June 15, 1965	50	\$5000

Details on construction cost will be published upon the completion of the project. The itemized accounts will be printed in the 1951 School Report.

The contractor has succeeded in his efforts to construct a fine addition. The architect has prepared the plans for a three-room unit which will be very serviceable. The School Board has maintained constant and solicitous interest in the project. Altogether, there should be very general satisfaction on the part of Gilford residents, teachers, and pupils when the whole building is ready for full use in September 1950.

Schedule of School Property

Land purchased from Ernest P. Sawyer in 1938, 3.74 acres, and building constructed and equipped with W. W. A. Grant and Bond Issue in 1938-39: Actual cost about \$40,500.00.

Addition to Gilford Grade School constructed and equipped in 1950-51, with new heating plant for the original building and the addition: Actual cost about \$75,000.

Pupil Enrollments in September 1950:

Room A	Beginners	26	Mary C. Fall
C	Primary	22	Agnes H. Moulton
E	Primary-Int.	25	Natalie H. Davis
G	Intermediate	33	Marion M. Daley
I	Intermediate	30	James H. Armstrong

The Elementary School Program

Our endeavor in the elementary years is pointed towards bringing out of each youngster his own potentialities, those talents which were hidden within him when he was formed, and assisting him to develop himself into a well-rounded human being capable of caring for himself and also assuming his social-civic obligations to others.

Little children should be loved, should grow up in a school system where they are understood by kindly teachers, should learn to do by performing work or lessons which are meaningful to them, and should be helped to develop into expressive, creative, cooperative and loyal young citizens with good understandings of the world in which they live, with good work habits, and with sincere civic responsibility.

Youngsters differ from each other in many ways. Our teachers try to deal with the varying learning abilities of the children in suitable exercises. There is much more to school than studying books. Attitudes towards work, of kindly feelings toward others, of respect for self, companions, and property, and cooperation in group projects are as important as book-learnings. Complete control of a skill, mastery of a process, or use of facts are goals sought. Actual achievements are generally measurable and they are meaningful when they are related to a child's talents and capabilities.

Child life is a growing-up period. A child has his own interests; and these are not grownups interests. A child has his own understanding of situations, and this is not adult understanding. A child has his own understanding of situations, and this is not adult understanding. A child sees the world and the people in it through his own eyes. He makes his own meaning of conditions he finds, and it is not an adult interpretation. A child is not a miniature adult. He is a CHILD, and the school should be organized to deal with him in the best known ways psychologically as well as physically. School life should be a wonderful experience for every child. Through its program, knowledge of and acquaintance with the world should be opened through books, pictures, television, radio, conversation, magazines, excursions, and group activities.

Reading and writing are useful means of expression. So also is graphic expression in Art, harmony in Music, and grace in Physical Exercise. Every means of expression should be advanced in the elementary school so that each child may acquire there some of the experiences for living full lives as adults.

School Calendar for 1950-1951

Workshop for Teachers—Social Studies—Belmont—
Sept. 5-8 inclusive

First Term Begins Monday, September 11

“No school” days October 19, 20; November 23, 24

Christmas vacation, December 22-January 1, inclusive

Second Term Begins Tuesday, January 2

Winter vacation, February 17-25, inclusive

Third Term Begins Monday, February 26

Spring vacation, April 21-29, inclusive

Fourth Term Begins Monday, April 30

No school, Memorial Day, May 30

School Year Closes Friday, June 15

Gilford Pupils Attending Laconia Schools, Tuition Charges

Grade VII—Tuition \$205.00 in 1950-1951

Jett, Carole Vivian	R.F.D. 4
Johnson, Andrew Delphus	R.F.D. 3
Maynard, Patricia Ann	R.F.D. 4
Nedeau, Arnold	25 Ridgewood Ave.
Pell, Jane Hoyt	R.F.D. 4
Pitou, Penelope Theresa	R.F.D. 4
Piuma, Rose Earline	R.F.D. 4
Raabe, Constance Charlotte	R.F.D. 2
Randlett, John Russell	Lake Shore Inn
Scribner, Ralph Otis	Schoolhouse Rd.
Wadsworth, Frederick Hunt	R.F.D. 4
Simonds, Judith Davis	Stark Street
Stephenson, Charlotte Marie	R.F.D. 4
Allen, Ernestine Pearl	R.F.D. 4
Armstrong, Dolores	Governor's Island
Bean, Marjorie Ethel	R.F.D. 4
Butterfield, Kenneth Byron	R.F.D. 4
Camire, Thelma Theresa	R.F.D. 4
Curtis, Jeananne Alene	R.F.D. 2
Duval, Peter Arthur	R.F.D. 4
Fay, Beverly Jean	R.F.D. 2
Goldman, Flora Charlotte	R.F.D. 4
Harris, Marshall Paul	Cotton Hill Road

Grade VIII

Abbott, Patricia	24 Ridgewood Ave.
Bean, Harry Arthur	R.F.D. 4
Bickford, Ruth Blanche	R.F.D. 2
Breed, John Lincoln	93 Woodland Ave.
Breton, Gerard Aime	R.F.D. 3
Cookman, Nancy	R.F.D. 3
Davis, Norman Arlene	R.F.D. 4
Drouin, Paul Radul	R.F.D. 4
Gordon, Doris Eva	R.F.D. 4

Gordon, Edna	R.F.D. 4
Hall, Martin Cramp	R.F.D. 4
Hawkins, Betty Marie	Stark Street
Jackson, Lawrence	R.F.D. 4
Parrotte, Richard Henry	Saltmarsh Pond Road
Randlett, Letha Ann	R.F.D. 2
Randlett, Raymond	R.F.D. 2
Cwain, Edgar Morrell	R.F.D. 2
Tardy, June Teresa	R.F.D. 4
Taylor, Richard William	R.F.D. 4
Wallace, Michael Todd	R.F.D. 4

Grade IX—Tuition \$245.00 in 1950-51

Baillargeon, Gaitan	9/11/50	98 Woodland Ave.
Bickford, Ross	"	R.F.D. 2
Bolduc, Hector	"	R.F.D. 4
Breton, Robert	"	R.F.D. 3
Gustafson, Joan	"	R.F.D. 3
Harris, Arthur	"	R.F.D. 4
Harris, Patricia	"	R.F.D. 4
Jacques, Eugene	"	R.F.D. 4
MacKay, Lucille	"	R.F.D. 4
McGilvreay, Kathryn	"	R.F.D. 4
Maynard, June	"	R.F.D. 4
Morin, Armand Ema	"	R.F.D. 4
Robie, Paul	"	Gilford
Smith, James	"	R.F.D. 3
Swain, Rex	"	Gilford
Swain, Sally	"	R.F.D. 2
White, George	"	R.F.D. 4

Grade X

Colby, Robert	"	R.F.D. 3
Colby, James	"	R.F.D. 3
Dunn, Bernard	"	R.F.D. 4
Gardner, Walter	"	Governor's Island
Johnson, Carle	"	Stark Street

Labonte, May	"	Gilford
Leroux, Donald	"	Gilford
Scribner, Ernest	"	Gilford
Tardy, Elwin	"	Stark Street
Taylor, Claire	"	R.F.D. 4
White, Barbara	"	R.F.D. 4

Grade XI

Bacon, John	"	Gilford
Baillargeon, Genoise	"	Gilford
Hall, Lee Ann	"	R.F.D. 4
Harris, Sandra	"	R.F.D. 4
Phelps, Jessie	"	R.F.D. 4
Roberts, William	"	Gilford
Weeks, John M.	"	R.F.D. 4
Weeks, Robert B.	"	R.F.D. 4
Wing, Jean	"	R.F.D. 4
Roberts, Jane	"	Gilford

Grade XII

Bolduc, Ernest	"	R.F.D. 4
Harris, Arlene	"	R.F.D. 4
Randlett, Fred	"	R.F.D. 2
Stone, Ruth	"	R.F.D. 3
Swain, Richard	"	R.F.D. 2
Wilkinson, Norma	"	R.F.D. 4
Breed, Marilyn	9/25/50	93 Woodland Ave.

Teachers

Mr. James H. Armstrong, Mrs. Natalie H. Davis, and Mrs. Agnes H. Moulton returned to their posts. As teacher of Beginners, Mrs. Mary C. Fall of Center Harbor was employed. For Intermediate pupils, Miss Marion M. Daley of Lemington, Vt., was secured. Mrs. Eleanor S. Ouellet and Mrs. Kathleen D. Jackson have home responsibilities this year.

The five teachers on the staff have developed a very fine spirit of cooperation and understanding among themselves. They try to be very helpful, one towards the other, and the relationship is a harmonious one. They meet together frequently for discussions of school techniques and

practices. They study in workshops and extension courses. Altogether, there is alert thinking and action among the staff members.

In the special fields, Miss Helen E. Martin continues her exceptionally able work with the teachers and Mrs. Maude A. Gray inspires expression in Art Education. Mr. Paul S. Mayerson replaced Miss Jane R. Vogel, now of Laconia, in Music Education.

Health Program

Mrs. Lurline H. McCook has taken part-time work in school nursing in Tilton-Northfield. To serve in her place in Gilford, Mrs. Madeliene R. Trabucco of Tilton has been employed.

Fluorine treatment has been administered recently to the teeth of the children. This is a preventative measure in dental health.

School Lunch Program

Child-loving parents can attest that growing boys and girls need much good food to keep healthy and happy. In the school lunch program, nourishing noon meals fill the hearty appetites of the youngsters. The Gilford program is very well managed, and provides substantial portions for many children.

P.T.A.

The P.T.A. has among its membership those parents who are not only willing to give much of their own time and effort towards fund-raising projects but also ready to help in whatever ways are open to them in promoting the school program. The School Department is the recipient of useful gifts and the beneficiary of P.T.A. support, all of which causes us to express our most sincere gratitude.

Conclusion

As your superintendent of schools for more than a decade, it is a pleasure again to express thanks to all those who in any way have helped during this year to improve school conditions and aid boys and girls to learn to live in a changing world.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD P. MATTOON

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1950**

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex & Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Sex	Living or Stillborn							
Jan. 1	Catherine Ann	F	2	George E. Hawkins	Verna L. Annis	White	Gilford	Truck Driver	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
5	Richard Allen	M	3	Clifton L. Moore	Helen M. Elliott		Gilford	Printer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
13	_____	M	1	Roland H. Bolduc	Theresa D. Campbell		Gilford	Farmer	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
15	Lawrence Ernest	M	2	William M. Brown	Marie G. Cronk		Gilford	Salesman	Massachusetts	Massachusetts
19	Louise Ada	F	1	Kenneth C. Hodgdon	June I. Merrill		Gilford	Repair Man	Vermont	New Hampshire
19	Wayne	M	4	Horace A. McClary	Mary E. Moran		Gilford	Lumberman	New Hampshire	Ohio
23	Joann Marie	F	2	Howard Fisher	Cecile A. Faucher		Gilford	Laborer	New York	Massachusetts
23	Roy Alexander	M	2	Alexander Narris	Gwendolyn Williams		Gilford	Plantman	South Carolina	New Hampshire
31	Christopher Lee	M	4	Thomas G. Allen	Lucille A. Vogel		Gilford	Pilot	New Jersey	Ohio
Apr. 13	Robert Frederick	M	1	Burton F. Fabian	Theresa I. Paquette		Gilford	Messenger	Maine	New Hampshire
18	Charles Raymond	M	3	Edward R. Fennell	Frances M. Perrigo		Gilford	Salesman	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
June 2	Stephen Walter	M	2	Leon W. Guyer	Ariette L. Letourneau		Gilford	Laborer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
12	Irene Edna	F	1	Merton E. Hawkins	Ariene R. Haskell		Gilford	Pilot	New Hampshire	Ohio
30	Penny Lee	F	2	Richard L. Fielders	Eunice M. Ladd		Gilford	Merchant	Massachusetts	Massachusetts
Aug. 14	Sharon Elaine	F	2	Charles A. Bolduc, Jr.	Gwendolyn J. Wylie		Gilford	Salesman	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
14	Parkman Dexter III	M	2	Edward C. Walsh	Helen K. Weeks		Gilford	Laborer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept. 7	Karen Ann	F	3	Parkman D. Howe, Jr.	Helen H. McIntosh		Gilford	Foreman	Connecticut	New Hampshire
25	Alan Douglas	M	1	Maynard Libby	Lillian B. Way		Gilford	Truck Driver	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
Oct. 5	Linda Ruth	F	1	Orville C. D. Perkins	Olive E. Royce		Gilford	Mainten'e Man	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Nov. 16	Brenda Jean	F	1	Charles F. Burditt	Ruth B. Turt		Gilford	Civil Engineer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec. 2	Lewis Harvey	M	1	Paul E. Jordan	Louise Smith		Gilford	Mechanic	Vermont	New Hampshire
Dec. 27	Alice Leda	F	3	Luther W. Jackson	Kathleen C. Davison		Gilford	Truck Driver	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
31	Joy Esther	F	1	Lorenzo J. Morin	Evelyn P. Theberge		Gilford	Machinist	Georgia	New Hampshire
		F	1	Charles F. Corliss	Lois E. Gordon		Gilford	Laborer	New Hampshire	New Hampshire

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1950

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	By Whom Married
Jan. 18	Allen B. Austin Constance I. Haddock	Sanbornton, N. H. Gilford, N. H.	46 29	All White	Clerk At Home	New York Maine	William B. Austin Gerrude E. Simpkin William J. Davis Beatrice E. Lowell	New York New York Massachusetts Maine	Paul V. Hostetter Presbyterian Clgy. Gilford
March 25	Paul E. Jordan Louise Smith	Gilford, N. H. Lakeport, N. H.	29 25	All White	Truck Driver At Home	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Scott E. Jordan Addie E. Packard Carl L. Smith Cassie I. Clark	New Hampshire New Hampshire Vermont New Hampshire Massachusetts	Rev. Raymond J. Bean Baptist Clergyman Lakeport
April 22	Raymond W. Herbert Simonne T. Valliere	Laconia, N. H. Gilford, N. H.	20 19	All White	Heel Scouring Stapler	New Hampshire New Hampshire	William A. Herbert Iris L. Cleveland Ambrose J. Valliere Yvonne J. Tremblay	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire Canada	Rev. D. Fortier, M. S. Catholic Priest Laconia
June 17	Almond R. Watson Emily H. Lord	Laconia, N. H. Gilford, N. H.	40 42	All White	Laborer Stenographer	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Roland A. Watson Anna M. Merrill Arthur H. Lord Helena A. Brownlow	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire Canada	Rev. Roger Blinn Minister of Gospel Laconia
June 25	Charles L. York Elizabeth G. Fogg	Gilford, N. H. Gilford, N. H.	19 16	All White	Farmer Student	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Donald P. York Phoebe P. Smith Lucian H. Fogg Bertha M. Copp	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Paul V. Hostetter Presbyterian Clgy. Gilford
July 19	John E. Bushnell Ruth M. Abbott	Caldwell, N. J. Port Jarvis, N. J.	50 42	All White	R. R. Conductor School Principal	Pennsylvania New Hampshire	Joseph E. Bushnell Wesley A. Abbott Eva R. Frost	Pennsylvania New Hampshire Canada	Paul V. Hostetter Presbyterian Clgy. Gilford
Aug. 5	Crescens G. Hubbard Jean Nussbaum	White Plains, N. Y. Poughkeepsie, N. Y.	35 30	All White	Attorney Teacher	New York Massachusetts	Crescens Hubbard Julia E. Suiven Berthold M. Nussbaum Edith Dunn	Turkey New York Indiana Indiana	Rev. Jule Ayers Minister Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Sept. 2	Richard L. Perron	Laconia, N. H.	22	Shoemaker	New Hampshire	Lawrence E. Perron	New Hampshire	Rev. George Chicoine Catholic Priest Laconia
	Helen R. La Bonte	Gilford, N. H.	18	Waitress	New Hampshire	Rose A. Couture	New Hampshire	
Sept. 3	Harold C. Denney	Laconia, N. H.	35	Attendant	Massachusetts	Arthur J. LaBonte	Maine	Rev. Roger Blinn Minister of Gospel Laconia
	Louise F. Glines	Gilford, N. H.	21	Waitress	Massachusetts	Diane M. Mitchell	New Hampshire	
Sept. 9	Robert S. Plimpton	Laconia, N. H.	25	Salesman	Ohio	Harry Dinney	New Hampshire	
	Patricia A. Bacon	Gilford, N. H.	19	At Home	New Hampshire	Edith M. Clark	Massachusetts	Paul V. Hostetter Presbyterian Clergy. Gilford
Sept. 19	Samuel W. Smith	Gilford, N. H.	73	Farmer	New Hampshire	John A. Plimpton	New Hampshire	A. Brownlow Thompson Bethadist Minister Bristol
	Mary E. Duso	Belmont, N. H.	67	Housewife	New Hampshire	Mildred A. Gelly	Massachusetts	
Sept. 23	Eugene W. Blais	Laconia, N. H.	18	Tire Re-capper	New Hampshire	Franklin M. Bacon	New Hampshire	Rev. Samuel J. Hewitt Catholic Priest Laconia
	Vera M. Gordon	Gilford, N. H.	19	At Home	New Hampshire	Minnie M. Page	New Hampshire	
Oct. 7	Edward P. Stoessel	New York City	26	Engineer	Massachusetts	William S. Smith	Massachusetts	Paul V. Hostetter Presbyterian Clergy. Gilford
	Janet E. Pray	Gilford, N. H.	24	Advertising	Illinois	Lydia A. Sanborn	Massachusetts	
Dec. 9	Fred O. Wheeler	Gilford, N. H.	17	Cutter	New Hampshire	Clara A. Clements	Canada	Paul V. Hostetter Presbyterian Clergy. Gilford
	Barbara E. Dow	Gilford, N. H.	16	Pooler	New Hampshire	Cleophas Blais	Canada	
						Rose D. Truchon	New Hampshire	
						Lucius M. Gordon	New Hampshire	
						Edith I. Andrews	New Hampshire	
						Albert F. Stoessel	Missouri	
						Julia Pickard	Massachusetts	
						Melvin F. Pray	Massachusetts	
						Lea A. Royer	Canada	
						George Wheeler	New Hampshire	
						Marie P. Fortier	Canada	
						Ernest D. Dow	New Hampshire	
						Mabel Foster	New Hampshire	

**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF GILFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1950**

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Married, Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days							
Feb. 7	Laura E. Varney	86			Gilford, N. H.	F		R. R. Brakeman	Charles L. Patten	Minnie B. Smith	
Mar. 13	Joseph R. Patten	59			Center Harbor, N. H.	M		Farmer	Orin Hilliard	Sarah Rogers	
21	John Hilliard	76	2	11	New Hampshire	M		Housewife	James Knowles	Lillian E. Chase	
April 26	Ina B. Baldwin	66			New Hampshire	F		Laborer	James P. Dow	Mary Early	
May 28	Andrew B. Dow	53			Massachusetts	M		Asst. Manager	Alexander Dick	Dorothy Smith	
June 25	Charles W. Dick	44			Rhode Island	M		S None	Robert W. Goodman, Sr.	Sarah Tlusty	
July 30	Robert W. Goodman, Jr.	4			Warsaw, Poland	M		M Accountant	Heyman Friedman	Grace B. Rollins	
Aug. 2	Oscar I. Friedman	46			New Hampshire	M		M Auto Mechanic	Percy C. Dow	Jessie McCormac	
4	Lewis R. Dow	40			Massachusetts	F	All White	Press Feeder	Artemus S. Carr		
16	Frances M. Greig	59			Lynn, Mass.	M		Retired	Walter Ela	Loney Godding	
27	Ernest R. Carr	61			Massachusetts	F		Housewife	Frank E. Wright	Alberta Clark	
Sept. 8	Susan E. Holmes	82			Vermont	F		Farming			
Oct. 3	Charles Baldwin	79			Massachusetts	M		Retired			
Dec. 24	Frank E. Wright	69			Massachusetts	M					

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LORRAINE T. ROYCE, Town Clerk



