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Of The
Municipal Officers
Of The Town of
Gorham, N. H.
For The
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Town of Gorham, N. H.

Water and Sewer Commissioners

D. O. Holmes

O. L. Haley

R. J. Orino

W. G. Forrest [deceased]

Budget Committee

O. M. Hale

G. L. Shorey

T. E. Malloy

Roydon Leavitt

H. H. Hamlin

E. H. Cady

J. R. Evans

Frank Barrows

I. W. Fogg

C. B. Norton

Trustees of Trust Funds

Lucy B. Richardson

E. H. Cady

Guy L. Shorey

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the town of Gorham, in the County of Coos, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Municipal Hall on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To elect one selectman for three years, and to choose all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Article 2. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for highways and bridges.

Article 3. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for winter roads.

Article 4. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for water and sewer maintenance.

Article 5. To see what action the town will vote to take in regard to raising the salaries of the Water & Sewer Commissioners from \$25 per year to \$75, \$100, and \$125 per year respectively. These salaries will be paid out of the water and sewer appropriation the same as heretofore. The commissioners are now meeting once each week in the interests of the Water & Sewer Commission and feel that they are entitled to more pay.

Article 6. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lights.

Article 7. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for police for the ensuing year.

Article 8. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Public Library.

Article 9. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the District Nursing Association.

Article 10. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Skating Rink.

Article 11. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Parks.

Article 12. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the building of a dam and retaining wall at the Perkins Brook intake, in accordance with the recommendations of the Budget Committee.

Article 13. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the American Legion.

Article 14. To see what sum the town will vote to appropriate from funds on hand for the retirement of Land Bonds.

Article 15. To see what sum the town will vote to appropriate from funds on hand for the retirement of Municipal Water Bonds.

Article 16. To see what sum the town will vote to appropriate from funds on hand for the retirement of Cascade Water Bonds.

Article 17. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Public Dumping Ground.

Article 18. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Charges.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute the inventory blanks when taking the inventory.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, when such debts are incurred and expressly made payable therefrom by such vote. And to see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply to the Governor and Council for assistance in financing the needs of the town, as previously provided by Chapter 63 of the laws of 1933, or any amendment made hereto.

Article 21. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount of 2% on all property taxes paid to the tax collector before Aug. 1, 1938.

Article 22. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Cemeteries.

Article 23. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Band Concerts.

Article 24. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for W. P. A. Projects, in accordance with the recommendations of the Budget Committee.

Article 25. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Advertising.

Article 26. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate to build a channel in the Peabody Branch for the purpose of obtaining sufficient water to take care of the sewers that empty into this stream.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take on the petition for the continuance of the concrete sidewalk from the residence of Frank Sampson on Main Street, to the end of the old walk at the residence of Dean Potter on the Lancaster Road. (not recommended by the Budget Committee).

Article 28. To see what action the town will take on the petition to repair and widen Cross Street at the Canadian National R. R. Crossing, so that it will be safe for two-way traffic. (not recommended by the Budget Committee).

Article 29. To hear the reports of town officers, agents, committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 30. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this nineteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-eight.

O. R. Twitchell

E. F. McLeod

I. W. Fogg

Selectmen of Gorham, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

O. R. Twitchell

E. F. McLeod

I. W. Fogg

Selectmen of Gorham, N. H.

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.

O. R. Twitchell
E. F. McLeod
I. W. Fogg
Selectmen.

Roydon S. Leavitt, Treasurer.

Budget of the Town of Gorham, N. H.

Revenues and Expenditures for the Year February 1, 1937,
to January 31, 1938.

Sources of Revenue

From State :

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 1,068.88
Insurance Tax	13.51
Railroad Tax	5,823.24
Savings Bank Tax	5,787.61
Building & Loan Association Tax	31.34
For Fighting Forest Fires	8.75
Bounties	29.80
State Tax Abatement	151.53
Town Poor	1,092.52
Roller and Snow Removal	354.04

From Local Sources Except Taxes :

Business Licenses and Permits	202.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	239.90
Rent of Town Hall & Other Buildings	478.75
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	818.33

Income of Departments :

Wood Sold	166.75
Dog Licenses	163.83
Interest on Bonds	306.67
District Nurse	1,121.25
Water and Sewer Department	9,799.44
Library	64.00
National Forest Reserve	38.50
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,806.82

From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes :

Poll Taxes	1,740.00
National Bank Stock	437.70
Previous Years Taxes	56,893.59
Redeemed	298.84
Out of Town Fires	160.20
Refunds	205.82
Canadian National Railroad	126.00
Tarring Driveways	38.24

Credit on Tar	63.18
Amount Taken From Savings Bank	9,559.38
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds and Notes:	
Bonds Issued	40,000.00
Temporary Loans	120,000.00
Cash on Hand	25,575.82
Property Taxes 1937	46,491.89
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Total Revenues	\$ 332,158.02

Purposes of Expenditures

Current Maintenance Expenditures

General Government:	
Town officers Salaries	3,176.95
Town Officers Expenses	803.03
Election and Registration Expenses	208.00
Municipal Court Expenses	337.90
Expenses Town Hall and other Buildings	3,618.06
Protection of Persons and Property :	
Bounties	10.60
Police Department	5,376.97
Fire Department	4,768.80
Dredging	126.00
Health :	
Dump	1,296.54
District Nurse	1,861.06
Health Department	189.34
Vital Statistics	43.75
Sewer Maintenance	1,327.80
Highways and Bridges :	
Snow Removal	2,586.32
Town Maintenance	9,637.67
Street Lighting	7,520.16
Libraries	1,259.80
Public Welfare :	
Town Poor	5,516.55
Old Age Assistance	1,223.79
County Poor	1.50
Patriotic Purposes :	
Memorial Day	75.00
Recreation :	
Rinks	533.94

Town Budget

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Parks and Playgrounds incl. Band Concerts	1,616.95
Piano	335.00
Public Service Enterprises:	
Water Maintenance	6,114.66
Cemeteries	1,000.00
Advertising	892.04
Interest:	
On Temporary Loans	452.50
On Bonded Debt	3,050.00
New Construction:	
Water Works Construction	3,568.90
Sewer Construction	646.73
Payment on Principal of Debt:	
Bonds	18,500.00
Temporary Loans	80,000.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions:	
State Taxes	14,000.00
County Taxes	39,116.29
Schools	52,139.65
Miscellaneous:	
Wood Cutting	1,250.77
New Land Purchase	296.19
Taxes Bought by Town	238.34
Cash on Hand Jan. 31, 1938	57,440.47
Total Expenditures	332,158.02

A petition was presented for an appropriation to make or repair the channel in the branch of the Peabody River to obtain water to take care of the sewerage that goes into this stream.

As this seems necessary the Budget Committee recommends the sum of \$500 be appropriated and raised for this purpose.

The Budget Committee does not recommend building any sidewalks this year.

A petition was presented to repair and widen Cross street at the Canadian National Railway crossing for two way traffic. It is the opinion of the Selectmen and Committee that this is not a safe crossing for two way traffic and for this reason the Budget does not recommend raising any amount for this purpose.

A petition for Band Concerts was presented and the Budget Committee recommends the same amount as last year be appropriated and raised, namely \$480.

The matter of increasing the salaries of the Water Commissioners was brought to our attention, but as all the town officers salaries are fixed by a vote of the town we feel this should be up to the voters at town meeting.

The Water & Sewer Commissioners strongly advise the need of a dam and retaining wall at Perkins Brook, estimated to cost \$1500. They figure this would save the town around \$800 a year in labor. A this would seem a good investment the Budget committee recommends the sum of \$1500 be appropriated and raised for this purpose, and that it be put up for bids, all labor to be done by local help, and not to exceed \$1500.

The town is now able to get W. P. A. assistance and it has been suggested that the following sewers be built; Alpine Street, Promenade and Church Streets, and the Leblanc-Willis sewer. Estimated cost of these projects is material furnished by the town \$2907.60 and we recommend this amount be appropriated and raised. All labor for these projects will be furnished by W. P. A.

We recommend the sum of \$7500 be appropriated and raised for Town Maintenance and that from this amount the following be done: A ditch made to take care of the water, Grand Trunk right of way to Union Street; the approaches to the Swing Bridge on Peabody River be properly made; a guard rail on road leading from trunk line to railroad bridge at Cascade; and a catch basin be installed on Broadway to take care of the surface water.

We recommend the following amounts be appropriated from funds on hand;

Land Bonds	\$ 5,000
Municipal Water Bonds	2,000
Cascade Water Bonds	4,000

Following is a list of our budget for the ensuing year, and if no new projects appear other than recommended below our tax rate should be about \$35 per thousand.

Highways and Bridges, Town Maintenance	7,500.
Winter Roads	3,500.
Water & Sewer Maintenance	7,000.
Street Lights	7,500.
Police	5,500.
Library	1,350.
Nurse Association	1,000.
Skating Rink	500.
Parks	800.
Dam at Perkins Brook	1,500.
American Legion	75.

Town Budget


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Dump	1,200.
Town Charges	20,000.
Cemeteries	500.
Band Concerts	480.
W. P. A. Projects	2,907.60
Advertising	500.
Channel Peabody Branch	500.
State Tax	10,500.
County Tax	45,140.
Schools	55,000.
	172,952.60


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Budget Committee

BALANCE

	ASSETS	1936	1937
Cash:			
In hands of Treasurer, not including			
Sinking Funds		25,575.82	57,440.47
Gorham Savings Bank Deposit		9,518.98	117.04
Due From State:			
a. Insurance & Dividend Tax, etc.		4,150.36	
b. Bounties		29.80	10.60
Other Bills Due Town:			
a. Due from Wood Sold		93.00	126.50
b. Due from Tarring Driveways		51.84	36.00
c. From Masonic Lodge		200.00	300.00
d. From Water & Sewer Rents			4,650.78
Unredeemed Taxes, current and previous year's sales		1,586.98	1,079.77
Uncollected Taxes:			
a. Levy of 1937			90,723.64
b. Levy of 1936		56,760.47	142.76
c. Levy of 1935		256.34	84.30
d. Previous Years		297.32	58.00
TOTAL ASSETS		98 520.91	154,769.86
Excess of Liabilities over Assets, Net Debt		12,756.07	7,227.02
 GRAND TOTAL		111,276.98	161,996.88
Net Debt—January 31, 1937			12,756.07
Net Debt—January 31, 1938			7,227.02
Decrease of Debt			5,529.05

SHEET

	LIABILITIES	1936	1937
Accounts Owed by the Town:			
Orders Outstanding, No. 6, Mrs. E. H. Fogg	5.00		5.00
Bills Outstanding, Charles Brunelle, Salary	150.00		
Due to School Districts: a. Dog Licenses	139.65		163.83
b. Bal. of Appropriation	20,500.00		8,500.00
Balance of Appropriations:			
a. District Nurse	1,356.61		1,616.80
b. Gorham Skating Rink	33.78		91.39
c. Water & Sewer			57.54
d. Library	17.92		172.12
e. Cemeteries	1,093.50		593.50
f. Advertising & Celebration	544.12		652.08
g. Common	225.05		488.10
h. Town Maintenance, Snow Removal			1,058.21
i. Dump	1,442.65		946.11
j. Firemen's Convention	500.00		
k. Lawn Mower	68.70		
l. Bridge at Cascade	700.00		1,200.00
m. Cascade Rink			108.45
n. Projects—Water & Sewer			343.75
Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes:			
Lincoln R. Young	40,000.00		80,000.00
Bonds Outstanding			
a. Municipal Water Bonds	30,000.00		23,000.00
b. Municipal Building Bonds	2,500.00		
c. Cascade Water Bonds	12,000.00		8,000.00
d. Land Bonds			35,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES		111,276.98	161,996.88
 GRAND TOTAL		111,276.98	161,996.88

RECEIPTS AND

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CURRENT REVENUE

From Local Taxes:

Total Taxes Committed to		
Collector, 1937	\$ 139,396.87	
Less Discounts and		
Abatements, 1937	3.64	
Less Uncollected, 1937	90,723.64	
Property Taxes Current Year		
Actually Collected	46,491.89	
Poll Taxes Current Year		
Actually Collected	1,740.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	437.70	
Total of Current Years Collections		48,669.59
Property and Poll Taxes, prev. years		
Actually Collected		56,893.59
Tax Sales Redeemed		298.84

From State:

Use of Roller	137.54
Snow Removal	216.50
Reimbursement for town poor, old	
age asst., soldier's aid	1,092.52
Interest & Dividend Tax	1,068.88
Insurance Tax	13.51
Railroad Tax	5,823.24
Savings Bank Tax	5,787.61
Building & Loan Association Tax	31.34
Fighting Forest Fires	8.75
Bounties	29.80
State Tax Abatement	151.43

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	163.83
Business Licenses & Permits	202.00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal Court	239.90
Rent of Town Property	478.75
Interest Received on Taxes	818.33
Interest Received on Bonds	306.67
Income from District Nurse	1,121.25
Income From Wood Sold	166.75
Water & Sewer Rents	9,799.44
Library	64.00
Motor Vehicle Permits, 1937	2,806.82

PAYMENTS

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Current Maintenance:

General Government.

Town officers salaries	3,176.95
Town officers expenses	803.03
Election and registration expenses	208.00
Municipal court expenses	337.90
Expenses town hall and other buildings	3,618.06

Protection of persons and property:

Police Dept., including care of tramps	5,376.97
Fire Dept., including forest fires	4,768.80
Dump	1,296.54
Bounties	10.60
Dredging	126.00

Health:

District Nurse	1,861.06
Health Dept.	189.34
Vital Statistics	43.75
Sewer Maintenance	1,327.80

Highways and Bridges:

Snow Removal	2,586.32
Town Maintenance	9,637.67
Street Lighting	7,520.16
Wood Cutting	1,250.77

Libraries:

Libraries	1,259.80
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Charities:

Old Age Assistance	1,223.79
Town Poor	5,516.55
County Poor	1.50

Patriotic Purposes:

Aid to G.A.R. memorial Day Exercises	75.00
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Recreation:

Gorham Rink	
Parks & Playgrounds inc. Band Concerts	1,616.95
Cascade Rink	191.55


Public Service Enterprises:

Appropriation to Water	6,114.66
Cemeteries	1,000.00
Advertising	892.04


Unclassified:

New Piano	335.00
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RECEIPTS AND

National Forest Reserve	38.50	
		30,567.36
TOTAL CURRENT REVENUE		136,429.38
Receipts other than Current Revenue:		
Temporary Loans	120,000.00	
Bond Issues during year	40,000.00	
Amount taken from Savings Bank to pay principal of debt	7,000.00	
Out of Town Fires	160.20	
Refunds	205.82	
Canadian National for dredging	126.00	
Tarring Driveways	38.24	
Credit on Tar	63.18	
From Sav. Bank for Water Projects	2,559.38	
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		170,152.82
Total Receipts from all sources		306,582.20
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1937		25,578.82
 GRAND TOTAL		332,158.02

PAYMENTS - continued

Taxes Bought by town	238.34	
Land Purchase Expense	296.19	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		63,243.48
Interest:		
Paid on Temporary Loans	452.50	
Paid on Bonded Debt	3,050.00	
Total Interest Payments		3,502.50
Outlay for New Construction & Permanent Improvements:		
Water Works Construction	3,568.90	
Sewer Construction	646.73	
Total Outlay Payments		4,215.63
Indebtedness:		
Payments on Temporary Loans	80,000.00	
Payments on Bonded Debt	18,500.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		98,500.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions:		
Taxes Paid to State	14,000.00	
Taxes Paid to County	39,116.29	
Payments to School Districts	52,139.65	
Total Pay'ts to other Gov. Divisions		105,255.94
Total Payments for All Purposes		274,717.55
Cash on Hand Jan. 31, 1938		57,440.47
 GRAND TOTAL		332,158.02

Schedule of Town Property

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	113,784.00
Furniture & Equipment	700.00
Libraries, Furniture & Equipment	5,000.00
Police Department, Equipment	40.00
Fire Department, Equipment	6,216.49
Highway Department, Equipment	10,098.00
Water Supply	262,006.86
Schools, Lands & Buildings	230,300.00
Equipment	5,000.00
All Lands and Buildings Acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds	466.70
Total	<hr/> 633,612.05

List of Appropriations

Bro't Fwd.	Approp- riation	Recei- pts	Expend- itures	Bal. on hand	Over- drafts
Town Maint. (Projects \$200 Winter Rds. \$4,000 Town Maint. 8,626.74)	12,826.74	455.46	12,223.99	1,058.21	
Water & Sewer	7,500.		7,442.46	57.54	
Street Lights	7,500.		7,520.16		20.16
Police	5,000.		5,353.76		353.76
Library 17.92	1,350.	64.00	1,259.80	172.12	
Nurse 1,356.61	1,000.	1,121.25	1,861.06	1,616.80	
Rink 33.78 [Gorham]	400.		342.39	91.39	
Common 225.05	1,400.		1,136.95	488.10	
Band Concerts	480.		480.		
Dump 1,442.65	800.		1,296.54	946.11	
Am. Legion	75.		75.		
Town Charges	20,000.	8,602.97	30,335.28		1,732.31
Cascade Sidewalk 700.	500.			1,200	
Ceme- teries 1,093.50	500.		1,000.	593.50	
Advt. 544.12	1,000.		892.04	652.08	
Piano	300.		335.		35.
Casc. Rink	300.		191.55	108.45	
Projects Water and Sewer	2,000.	2,559.38	4,215.63	343.75	
State Tax	14,000.		14,000.		
County Tax	39,116.29		39,116.29		
Schools 20,639.65	40,000.	163.83	52,139.65	8,663.83	

Report of Selectmen

Number of Horses 45—Cows 98—Oxen 2—Other Neat Stock 6
Hogs 6—Hens 100

VALUATION

Real Estate	4,086,708.00
Personal Property	421,240.00
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	4,507,948.00
Less Soldier's Exemption	31,030.00
Exemption to Blind	1,000.00
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Total	4,475,918.00
Poll Taxes 1225 at \$2	2,450.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	437.70
Amount of Taxes at Rate \$3.05, less Poll Taxes and Nat. Bank Stock Tax	136,515.02

DETAIL STATEMENT

Detail No. 1 - Town Officers Salaries

O. R. Twitchell, selectman	500.
E. F. McLeod, selectman	450.
I. W. Fogg, selectman	350.
M. M. Willis, town clerk	200.
R. S. Leavitt, treasurer	300.
B. E. Harriman, road agent	500.
E. H. Cady, auditor	25.
C. B. Norton, auditor	25.
H. G. Noyes, attorney	100.
C. B. Norton, budget secretary	25.
M. M. Willis, auto taxes	184.75
R. G. Hamlin, tax collector	323.52
F. L. Crockett, tax collector	194.68
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	3,176.95

Detail No. 2 - Town Officers Expenses

White Mt. Press, reports and notices	237.
Remington-Rand Co., office supplies	1.
W. B. Gates, office supplies	4.77
The Book Store, office supplies	4.80
Wheeler & Clark, office supplies	1.03
E. H. Barrett, office supplies	1.75

E. F. McLeod, office supplies	.38
Edson C. Eastman, office supplies	43.70
M. B. Leggett, selectmens share of clerks pay	93.
H. G. Noyes, legal expenses	10.23
Chas. C. Rogers Co., adding machine	71.25
Roy G. Hamlin, premium on bonds	180.
Roy G. Hamlin, Burgalry ins.	37.75
Assoc. of N. H. Assessors, dues	2.
O. R. Twitchell, passing inventories	8.
N. H. Timberland Owners Assoc., assessments	26.85
Star Paper Fastener Co., stapler	5.50
Berlin Publishing Co., published notices	14.75
Gorham Postmaster, stamped envelopes	21.96
Chas. C. Rogers Co., invoice boards	13.73
L. A. Leighton, repairs to office clock	4.50
Roy G. Hamlin, tax deeds	4.00
Assoc, Coos County Selectmen, dues	3.
Coos County Register of Deeds, deeds recorded	11.03
White Mt. Nat. Bank, telephone charge	1.15
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	803.03

Detail No. 3 - Election & Registration

White Mt. Press, ballots	19.50
H. G. Noyes, moderator	20.
H. E. Graham, supervisor of ck. list	25.
E. O. Sullivan, " "	25.
R. S. Leavitt " "	25.
Roy G. Hamlin, ballot clerk	10.
O. M. Hale, " "	10.
Thomas Flaherty " "	10.
F. T. Murphy " "	10.
M. B. Leggett, stenographer	35.
Good Will Circle, meals	18.50
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	208.00

Detail No. 4 - Town Buildings

Charles Brunelle, 2 yrs. salary	300.
Brown Co., towels	7.50
J. F. Griffin keys	2.90
Ray Emery, oil stove	10.
N. E. Tel. & Tel., telephone	64.90
Twin State Gas & Elec. Co., lights	394.88
Peter Lahouse, janitor	398.
Wesley Jackson, janitor	77.20

E. S. Hatch, care of boiler & oil	215.00
Gorham Plumbing & Heating Co., repairs	118.01
Roy G. Hamlin, insurance	135.81
Joseph O. George, insurance	676.20
Curtis Hardware Store, keys	1.00
C. G. Hamlin Co., supplies	26.61
E. H. Barrett, supplies	1.00
W. G. Forrest Hardware Co., supplies	4.69
L. A. Leighton, care of town clock	36.00
Ina Stearns, cleaning	57.60
Mrs. Pete Comelchook, cleaning	56.93
Louise Stearns, cleaning	9.80
E. Libby & Sons Co., supplies	42.17
Rines Garage, repairs on jail	4.95
Henry Simpson, repairs on jail	8.50
Riva & Stanley, repairs	8.50
Wm. O'Donnell, repairs	15.51
A. T. Beck, painting	59.85
Canadian Nat. R. R., freight on oil	113.09
Colonial Beacon Oil Co., fuel oil	585.81
Chester Heath, repairs on chimney	17.60
B. E. Harriman, freight bills, etc.	7.96
J. J. Tellington, brick for chimney	10.00
Roydon Leavitt, payroll	28.67
Water Commission, water rent	30.00
M. M. Willis, supplies	31.61
Frank Jordan, repairing roof	15.52
R. S. Leavitt, supplies	.30
Charlie's Elec. Shop, repairs and replacements	43.99
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	3,618.06

Detail No. 5 - Police Dept.

E. S. Hatch, salary	1,699.50
G. J. Ryan, salary	1,700.79
Victor G. Heath, salary	1,560.00
A. W. Smith, salary	127.00
Ralph Perkins, salary	90.00
Wm. Houle, salary	67.00
E. H. Barrett, supplies	2.90
M. M. Willis, supplies	1.50
W. G. Forrest Hardware Co., supplies	1.60
R. G. Hamlin, insurance	101.97
Staples Restaurant, meals for prisoners	1.50
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	5,353.76

Detail No. 6 - Fire Dept.

EXPENDITURES:

R. S. Leavitt, payroll	1,572.75
Margaret Lynch, blowing fire alarm	24.00
Mt. Madison House Filling Station, supplies and repairs	244.98
Roy G. Hamlin, insurance	365.84
American LaFrance Co., supplies	2.03
George Lary, fireward	10.00
Lee Whitcomb, fireward	10.00
Leo Poulin, fireward	10.00
O. L. Haley, forest fires	17.50
Robert W. Haskell, coats, etc.	150.51
Philip Cote, bills paid	21.55
Maxim Motor Co., supplies	2.28
Gorham Garage, repairs	1.00
Gorham Plumbing Co., repairs	.65
Water Commission, hydrants	1,520.00
M. M. Willis, Supplies	.25
Carpenter Mfg. Co., hydrometer	16.46
Gorham Fire Dept., Absentees	103.50
E. S. Hatch, Janitor	15.00
Berlin Fire Dept., Cascade Fires	680.50
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	4,768.80

CREDITS:

R. G. Hamlin, refund	23.20
Town of Randolph, fires	137.00
State of N. H., forest fires	8.75
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	168.95
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	4,599.85

Report of Town Treasurer

To the inhabitants of the Town of Gorham :

I herewith submit my report as treasurer for the year ending January 31, 1938.

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 31, 1937	\$ 25,575.82
Received from all departments	<u>306,582.20</u>
Total	332,158.02

PAYMENTS

Payments	\$ 274,717.55
Balance on hand January 31, 1938	<u>57,440.47</u>
Total	332,158.02

Respectfully submitted,
Roydon S. Leavitt, Treasurer.

Report of Gorham Opera House

To the inhabitants of the town of Gorham:

I beg to submit my itemized report of my management of the Gorham Opera House for the year ending Jan. 31, 1938.

1937		RECEIPTS	
Feb. 1	Dining Room, Boilard		\$ 3.00
Mar. 28	Hall, American Legion		10.00
Apr. 8	Hall, Show, Pythian Sisters		10.00
Apr. 9	Police Court, White Mt. Circle		1.50
Apr. 19	Dining Room, Good Will Circle		3.00
Apr. 19	Hall, Woman's Club		10.00
	Hall for Year, Woman's Club		19.75
May 16	Police Court, G. T. R.		1.50
June 20	Police Court, G. T. R.		1.50
July 18	Police Court, G. T. R.		1.50
	Hall, Pictures		10.00
July 26	Hall, American Legion		10.00
Aug. 3	Hall, Pythian Sisters, May 14		10.00
Aug. 28	Dining Room, Pythian Sisters		3.00
			\$ 94.75
Sept. 19	Police Court, G. T. R.		1.50
Oct. 17	Police Court, G. T. R.		1.50
Oct. 23	Hall, Sept., Arthur Barrett		10.00
Nov. 19	Hall, Boilard		10.00
Nov. 25	Hall, Woman's Club		10.00
Dec. 19	Police Court, G. T. R.		1.50
Dec. 30	Hall, Loraine Edgar		10.00
1938			
Jan. 16	Damage to Floor & Cleaning		8.00
Jan. 16	Hall, Woman's Club		10.00
			\$ 64.00
	Total Receipts		\$ 158.75
	Uncollected from K. of P., for hall, March 17		10.00

Respectfully submitted,
Charles L. Brunelle

Report of Municipal Court

To the inhabitants of the town of Gorham:

I beg to submit herewith a statement of the Gorham Municipal Court for the year ending January 31, 1938.

Complaints were entered for the following offences:

Drunk	18
Bastardy	3
Larceny	2
Violation of Motor Vehicle Laws	35
Violation of Municipal Stop Sign Law	43
Violation of Fish & Game Laws	3
Assault	5
Lewdness	5
Neglect and Refusal to Maintain	2
Vagrancy	1
Disorderly Conduct	1
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The above offences were disposed of as follows:

Fines Paid	60
Fines Suspended on Payment of Costs	5
Continued for Payment	23
Sentence Suspended	2
Discharged	3
Placed on File	2
Nol Prossed	3
Suspended on good behavior	6
Bound over to Superior Court	6
Fine & Costs Suspended	2
Committed to Jail	6
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Amount Received by Court	239.90
Paid to Treasurer	239.90

Respectfully submitted,

Harry G. Noyes, Justice

By: Robert Rich

Report of Water & Sewer Commission

FINANCIAL REPORT

Revenue during 1937 from Water & Sewer Rents	9,799.44
Cash Turned Over to R. S. Leavitt, Treasurer	9,799.44

OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	\$ 7,500.00
Expenditures:	
Labor on Gorham Water System	1,057.09
Material on Gorham Water System	1,467.02
Labor on Cascade Water System	102.93
Material on Cascade Water System	771.28
Labor on Sewer System	761.40
Material on Sewer System	566.40
M. B. Legget, Clerk, Salary	846.00
W. G. Forrest, Supt., Salary (deceased)	1,224.00
D. O. Holmes, Acting Supt., Salary	108.00
L. E. Gillis, Supt., Salary	480.00
D. O. Holmes, Commissioner, Salary	25.00
O. L. Haley, Commissioner, Salary	8.34
R. J. Orino, Commissioner, Salary	25.00
Total	7,442.46
Unexpended Balance of Above Appropriation	57.54

WATER CONSTRUCTION

On Deposit in Gorham Savings Bank 1936	9,518.98	
Interest Accumulated during 1937	157.44	
Total		9,676.42
Paid on Water Bonds	7,000.00	
Paid to Projects Approp. for replacing Spiral Pipe, 1262 ft.	2,559.38	
Total		9,559.38
Unexpended Balance on Deposit		117.04
Projects Appropriation	2,000.00	
Credited to Above Appropriation from Bank	2,559.38	
Total		4,559.38
Labor on replacing spiral pipe	860.10	
Material for replacing pipe	2,708.80	
Total		3,568.90

Labor on 800 ft. new sewer line	354.38	
Material for new sewer line	292.35	
Total		646.73
Total		4,215.63
Unexpended Balance on hand		343.75

UNCOLLECTED REVENUE

Total Revenue Due to June 1, 1938		4,650.78
Gorham Revenue due to Dec. 1, 1937	2,253.87	
Cascade Revenue Due to Dec. 1, 1937	1,138.94	
Total Revenue Due to Dec. 1, 1937.	3,392.81	
Inventory of Stock on Hand Jan. 31, 1938	1,170.33	
Inventory of Tools on Hand Jan. 31, 1938	1,051.93	
Total		2,222.26

We have two W. P. A. Projects now in progress: replacing water pipe to the Island and on Alpine Street

The surface drainage jobs for Promenade and Alpine Streets are now under consideration for Federal Aid.

It is to be noted that the amount due on back water rents has been greatly reduced in the past year, and we would like to ask the co-operation of the public in helping to cut this down still lower during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

D. O. Holmes

O. L. Haley

Romeo J. Orino

Water & Sewer Commissioners

District Nursing Association

Financial Statement for the year ending January 31, 1938.

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1937	\$ 1,356.61
Appropriations	1,000.00
Metropolitan Ins. Co.	600.00
John Hancock Ins. Co.	412.75
County Welfare	51.10
Patient's Cash	57.40
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	3,477.86

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries	
Helen Auger	245.00
Anne Gorman	793.95
Gladys Fancy	413.50
Paul Dumontier, M. D.	80.00
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	1,532.45
Transportation	305.56
Supplies	23.05
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	1,861.06
Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1938	1,616.80

H. Wm. Johnson, Chairman
W. S. Adams, Secretary
Rev. T. J. Connor
Rev. Wm. Sinclair
Mrs. A. B. Libby
Mrs. B. C. Smith
Mrs. D. R. Wight
Miss M. Noonan

Report of Park & Skating Rink

SKATING RINK

Bal. on Hand Feb. 1, 1937	33.78
Appropriation	400.00
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	433.78

EXPENDITURES:

Feb. 9	W. S. Ross, labor	23.95
16	W. S. Ross, labor	14.10
23	W. S. Ross, labor	9.87
Mar. 2	W. S. Ross, labor	25.31
9	W. S. Ross, labor	4.70
16	W. S. Ross, labor	7.05
23	W. S. Ross, labor	4.23
Apr. 13	W. S. Ross, labor	4.23
20	W. S. Ross, labor	5.64
27	W. S. Ross, labor	3.76
May 4	W. S. Ross, labor	15.04
18	John Walker, trucking	2.00
June 8	E. Libby & Sons. supplies	11.63
Oct. 26	W. S. Ross, labor	21.15
	Roydon Leavitt, payroll	6.82
	William Watson, loam	2.50
Nov. 2	W. S. Ross, labor	6.58
9	W. S. Ross, labor	11.75
16	John Walker, trucking	3.50
Dec. 7	W. S. Ross, labor	3.76
14	W. S. Ross, labor	10.81
21	W. S. Ross, labor	10.60
28	W. S. Ross, labor	16.71
	M. M. Willis, supplies	7.67
1983		
Jan. 4	W. S. Ross, labor	23.68
11	W. S. Ross, labor	34.80
18	W. S. Ross, labor	16.45
25	W. S. Ross, labor	16.45
31	W. S. Ross, labor	16.30
	Charlie's Elec. Shop, lights	1.35
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		342.39
Bal. on hand, Feb. 1, 1938		91.39

COMMON

Bal. on Hand Feb. 1, 1937		225.05
Appropriation		1400.00
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		1625.05
EXPENDITURES:		
Mar. 30	W. S. Ross, labor	7.52
Apr. 6	W. S. Ross, labor	6.58
May 4	C. A. Walker, flagpole painted	7.00
11	W. S. Ross, labor	17.86
18	W. G. Forrest, supplies	2.83
	W. S. Ross, labor	15.04
	John Walker, trucking	2.30
25	W. S. Ross, labor	15.51
	W. G. Forrest, supplies	1.00
	Roydon Leavitt, payroll	62.07
June 1	Geo. Stevens, new flag	14.03
	W. S. Ross, labor	20.68
	Bert Harriman, trucking	10.70
	C. W. Peabody, sand	15.60
	Roydon Leavitt, payroll	205.01
8	W. S. Ross, labor	18.33
15	W. S. Ross, labor	18.80
	Roydon Leavitt, payroll	16.54
22	W. S. Ross, labor	17.86
29	W. S. Ross, labor	15.98
	American Bitumuls Co., tar	241.20
	Roydon Leavitt, payroll	16.54
July 6	W. S. Ross, labor	27.73
	Henry Simpson, bandstand	10.00
13	Mt. Mad. House Fill. Sta., gas	1.81
	W. S. Ross, labor	18.80
	Morris & Co., Lumber	24.58
20	W. S. Ross, labor	19.27
27	W. S. Ross, labor	18.80
Aug. 2	W. S. Ross, labor	18.80
	Curtis Hardware Co., supplies	6.75
10	W. S. Ross, labor	17.86
17	W. S. Ross, labor	18.33
24	W. S. Ross, labor	19.27
31	Marois Sign Service, signs	9.00
	W. S. Ross, labor	19.27
Sept. 7	Mt. Mad. Ser. Sta., gas	1.97
	W. S. Ross, labor	18.33
14	W. S. Ross, labor	16.92

Report of Park & Skating Rink

	21	W. S. Ross, labor	17.86
	28	John Walker, trucking	4 00
		W. S. Ross, labor	16.45
Oct.	5	W. S. Ross, labor	12.69
	19	W. S. Ross, labor	8.46
Nov.	30	Water Comm., fountain	25.00
Dec.	28	E. Libby & Sons Co., supplies	2.90
1938			
Jan.	4	Roy G. Hamlin, insurance	9.12
	31	Charlie's Elec. Shop, supplies	24.00
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			1136.95
		Balance, Feb. 1, 1938	488.10

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. Walker
 J. P. Tanguay
 Geo. E. Stevens

Report of Public Library

To the citizens of the Town of Gorham:

The board of trustees of the Gorham Public Library submit the following report for the year Feb. 1, 1937, to Jan. 31, 1938.

Financial Statement Year Ending Jan. 31, 1938:

RECEIPTS

Bal. on hand Feb. 1, 1937	17.92
Appropriation	1350.00
Fines	64.00
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	1431.92

EXPENDITURES

Books	471.34
Salary, Librarian	600.00
Periodicals	71.70
Supplies	67.11
Insurance	37.50
Repairs	12.15
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	1259.80
Balance on Hand	172.12

Respectfully submitted

Lucy F. Richardson

Warren C. Coombs

Persis C. Libby

Librarian's Report

February 1, 1937, to January 31, 1938:

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year			7168
Number of bound volumes added by purchase			235
Number of bound volumes added by gift			5
Number of bound volumes discarded or lost			42
Number of bound volumes owned at end of year			7366
Number of magazines currently received			47
	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of non-fiction loaned	836	788	1624
Number of volumes of fiction loaned	10803	4026	14829
Number of unbound magazines loaned			2051
Number of pamphlets loaned			19
Total Circulation			18523
Number of active borrowers			1061
Number of New borrowers			108
Full Registration			1458
Cash on hand			15.65
Fines Collected			97.36
			113.01
Cash to Treasurer			64.00
Postage and Incidentals			17.49
			81.49
Cash on hand			31.52

Elizabeth F. McConnell
Librarian

Report of Road Agent

Appropriation for Town Maintenance	8,626.74
Appropriation for Winter Roads	4,000.00
From Projects Appropriation	200.00
Total	12,826.74

TOWN MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURES

Feb.	9	B. E. Harriman, Bills paid	14.56
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	74.93
	16	“	15.91
	23	“	52.44
Mar.	2	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	14.36
		R. S. Leavitt, Payroll	597.75
	9	“	61.28
	16	“	71.75
	23	“	428.39
	30	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	22.15
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	156.02
Apr.	6	“	114.25
		B. E. Harriman, Bill paid	19.76
	13	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	115.30
	20	“	164.26
	27	“	182.44
		B. E. Harriman, bills paid	7.35
May	4	“	10.86
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	390.17
	11	“	161.22
		B. E. Harriman, bills paid	15.56
	18	Rines Garage, repairs	23.61
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	151.82
	25	Roy G. Hamlin, insurance	72.09
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	70.78
		B. E. Harriman, Bills paid	21.90
June	1	B. & M. R. R., freight	5.00
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	11.67
	8	“	240.77
	15	“	233.82
		C. W. Peabody, sand	47.20
		B. E. Harriman, bills, paid	22.97
	22	“	13.45
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	151.96

	29	American Bitumuls Co., tar	953.68
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	225.21
July	6	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	32.76
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	29.13
	13	R. G. Hamlin, insurance	27.34
		B. E. Harriman, bills paid	17.64
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	114.82
		State of N. H., T. R. A.	220.41
	20	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	3.57
		State of N. H., tar	147.48
		"	79.88
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	32.92
	27	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	9.07
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	71.23
Aug.	2	"	272.23
		B. E. Harriman, bills paid	11.55
	10	Roy G. Hamlin, insurance	90.00
		B. E. Harriman, bills paid	24.31
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	254.29
	17	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	21.45
		R. L. Files & H. J. O'Keefe, repairs	8.00
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	246.71
	24	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	10.61
		C. E. Buzzell, supplies	30.00
		C. W. Peabody, sand	61.10
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	170.88
		State of N. H., tar	168.99
		"	98.32
		"	122.90
		"	221.22
	31	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	65.31
Sept.	7	"	179.75
		J. J. Tellington, brick	10.00
		E. Libby & Sons Co., supplies	42.50
	14	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	141.37
		E. M. Cross Machine Co., supplies	40.00
	21	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	23.04
		State of N. H., tar	95.25
	28	Morris & Co. supplies	11.50
		Roy G. Hamlin, insurance	17.71
		Ray Emery, signs	2.50
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	107.78
Oct.	5	E. Libby, & Sons, supplies	8.10
		R. S. Leavitt, payroll	51.95
		C. E. Buzzell, supplies	144.94

	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	304.72
12	“	220.57
19	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	5.27
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	85.51
26	“	108.87
	Wm. Watson, loam	10.00
Nov. 2	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	97.20
9	Canadian Nat. R.R., bridge fee	1.00
	E. Libby & Sons Co., supplies	14.70
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	45.33
	Marois Sign Service, signs	8.50
16	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	46.06
23	W. G. Forrest Admr. supplies	18.91
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	39.98
30	M. M. Willis, supplies	16.50
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	3.76
Dec. 7	“	14.27
14	“	56.88
21	Cross Machine Shop, catch basin	13.50
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	31.93
1938		
Jan. 11	E. Libby & Sons Co., supplies	3.92
25	Rines Garage, repairs	13.14
Total Town Maint.		<u>9637.67</u>

WINTER ROADS

Nov. 2	Rines Garage, repairs	59.33
	Barnsdall Refining Co., Supplies	35.53
	R. L. Files & H. J. O'Keefe, repairs	11.05
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	21.28
9	U. S. Oil Co., supplies	45.92
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	27.13
	B. Harriman, Bills paid	1.78
16	Leavitt, payroll	29.95
23	Howe Bros., supplies	47.78
	Leavitt, payroll	32.68
30	Central Service Station, supplies	43.41
	Leavitt, payroll	38.73
Dec. 7	B. Harriman, bills paid	5.28
	E. Libby and Sons, supplies	12.35
	Leavitt, payroll	11.00
14	“	107.66
21	“	267.57
28	“	88.80
Jan. 4	“	389.30

Jan. 11	B. E. Harriman, bills paid	6.55
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	679.11
	Files & O'Keefe, repairs	275.00
18	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	92.11
25	R. G. Hamlin, Insurance	89.69
	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	73.95
31	R. S. Leavitt, payroll	93.38
	Total Winter Roads	<u>2586.32</u>
	Total Expenditures	12,223.99
	Total Appropriations	12,826.74
	Less Expenditures	<u>12,223.99</u>
	Balance	603.75

CREDITS

	Cash Rec'd from Tarring Driveways	38.24
	Credit on Tar	63.18
	From State, Snow Removal	216.50
	From State, Use of Roller	137.54
	Total Credits	<u>455.46</u>
	Balance	1058.21

The following work was done by the Road Agent by order of the Selectmen, and was paid for out of the Road Agent's appropriation because no other funds were available for the purpose.

	Libby Pasture & Promenade St. Drainage	360.75
	Savings Bank Catch Basin	88.81
	C. E. Buzzell, pipe	144.98
	Sewer Pipe for Catch Basin	21.00
		<u>615.54</u>

Respectfully submitted,
B. E. Harriman, Road Agent

Report of Tax Collector

Statement of 1937 Tax as of Jan. 31, 1937

Committed Property	\$ 136,822.87	
Committed Polls	2,450.00	
Special Polls	124.00	
Total Taxes Committed	139,396.87	139,396.87
Collected Property	46,929.59	
Collected Polls	1,740.00	
Total Collected	48,669.59	48,669.59
Uncollected Property	89,889.64	
Uncollected Polls	834.00	
Total Uncollected	90,723.64	90,723.64
Discounts	3.64	
Total	139,396.87	139,396.87

Respectfully submitted,

F. L. Crockett, Tax Collector

Uncollected 1937 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938

Addario, Valentine	Cerini, Gregory	Forsythe, Effie
Addario, Mrs. "	Carleton, Hobart	Gauthier, Geo. H.
Addario, Constantine	Carleton, Alice	Gauthier, Georgianna
Addario, Mrs. "	Carberry, Mary	Gilbert, Eugene
Addario, Tony	Cowette, Mrs. O.	Gilbert, Mary
Arsenault, Mrs. Peter	Cowette, Issdore	Gilbert, Celia
" Gloric	Cowette, Mrs. A.	" Bernice
" Mary	Cerino, John	" Naomi
" Ernest	" Leo	" Mrs. Louis
" Delia	Calkins, Oaks	Grenier, Christie
" Charles	Cote, Aldic	Gallant, Bernard
" Yvonne	Dickson, John	" Mary
Aielo, J. A.	" Mrs. John	Guerin, John B., Jr.
Augustine, Mrs. R.	Dube, Mrs. Kath.	Guerin, Ida
Audley, John	Dube, Francis	Griffith, Evelyn
Audley, Geraldine	Dube, Mary L.	Gaetano, Gabrielle
Allair, John	Dube, Fred	Gillispie, Edward

Ainsworth, Leonard	Dube, Dina	Gillispie, Beatrice
Ainsworth, Evelyn	Dalphonse, Luigi	Guimond, Henry
Bilodeau, Mrs. Jos.	Dalphonse, Cafello	Guimond, Mrs. H.
Berry, Susie	Dalphonse, Mrs. "	Gregoire, Harry
Berry, Aaron	Dalphonse, Sammy	Heath, Frank
Berlanger Armond	Dalphonse, Anna	Heath, Mrs. Frank
Berlanger, Alda	Dalphonse, Louis	Hayden Harry
Bolduc, Amile	Dalphonse, Anna M.	Hayden, Myrtle
Bolduc, Dina	Doyle, George	Holmes, John A.
Bolduc Arthur	Doyle, Mrs. Geo.	Holmes, Helen
Borassa, Joseph	Dupont, John	Helms, Ida
Bernster, Henry	Dupont, Harvey	Helms, Rufus
Bernster, Margaret	Dupont, Mildred	Helms, Borden
Biron, Albert	Dupont, Loretta	Hooper, William
Biron, Wilfred	Dupont, Maurice	Hunter, Ruby
Biron, Maud	Dooen, Katherine	Jones, Irving
Biron Alcide	Dooen, Francis Jr.	Jones, Marion
Biron, Edna	Dooen, Avis	Kennedy, Corinne
Biron, Oscar	Demers, Louis	Ladd, Dorothy
Biron, Evelyn	Demers, Mrs. Louis	LeClair, Napoleon
Burns, Terrance	Doncette, Valmore	LeClair, Joseph
Basili, L. D.	DeProspero, Louise	LaPierre, John
Basili, Mrs. L. D.	DeProspero, Wm.	Lawrence, Bert
Baillergeon, V.	Emery, P. J.	Lawrence, Laura
Baillergeon, Amelda	Emery, Edith	LaChance, Lonja
Blake, Edward	Eafrati, Nadell	LeClair, Lawrence
Blake, Grace	Eafrati, Emma	McLeod, Neil
Bunnelle, Jesse	Eafrati, Louis	McLeod, Mrs. Neil
Bunnelle, Viola	Eafrati, Mrs. Louis	McKenna, Alfred, Jr.
Bissette, Flora	Ferranti, Camille	Morse, Edith M.
Belanger, Rudolph	Ferranti, Camille Jr.	McLain, Marguerite
Clouthier, Leon	Ferranti, Mary	Micucci, Tito
Chabot, Felix	Files, Allan	Micucci, Mrs. Tito
Chabot, Laura,	Files, Mabel	Murphy, C. E.
Chabot, Lawrence	Finnan, Mrs. Wm.	Murphy, Robina
Chabot, Lucy	Finnan, Wm.	Molasky, Chester
Chambers, Hazel	Farbizio, Frank	Molasky, Clement
Chambers, Rufus	Long, Ernest	Long, Gladys
Chambers, Bertha	LaPointe, Roger	LaFleur, E. C.
Chambers, Edw.	Martel, Mrs. Nap.	Martel, Brandon
Alati, Columba	Martel, Clara	Murphy, Lawrence
Murphy, Evelyn	Molasky, John	Molasky, Mrs. John
Minnick, Merle	Montplaisir, S.	Montplaisir, Ellen
Milligan, Samuel	Milligan, Celia	Milligan, Lawrence
Mattachino, Mrs. F.	McLain, Chas.	McLain, Katherine
McLain, Andrew	McLain, Hazel	Merritt, Ralph

Montminy, Minnie	Montminy, Ernest	Nault, Ernest
Nault, Harvey	O' Hara, Fred	O'Hara, Edna
O'Neil, Mrs. Greg.	Orkney, James	Orkney, Mrs. James
Perkins, Mary E.	Perkins, Ralph	Perkins, Ruth
Paradis, Alphonse	Paradis, Mrs. Alph.	Provenchie, Mrs. John
Provencher, Joseph	Piattoni, Pasquale	Pelchat, Ida
Pelchat, Thomas	Pelchat, May L.	Perry, Fred
Perry, Rose	Pike, Wm. S.	Pike, Margaret
Perkins, Nathan	Pellerin, Ralph	Perkins, Louise
Provenchie, Ernest	Reid, Phillip	Reid, Mrs. Phillip
Rowe, Durwood	Rowe, Alice	Riff, Nelson
Riff, Rose	Ryan, Wm.	Ryan, Mrs. Wm.
Riendeau, Geo.	Reindeau, Delina	Stephenson, Marion
St.Amend, Alfred	St.Amend, Rose	St.Clair, Lawrence
Smith, Ralph	Smith, Jane	Smith, Rose
Smith, Bernard	Stephenson, Mary	Stephenson, Edw.
St.Pierre, Wm.	St.Pierre, D.	Schoff, Carol
Schoff, Mrs. Carrol	Thompson, James	Thompson, Irma
Thurston, Chas. E.	Thurston, Vera	Tremain, Henry
Tremain, Mrs. H.	Tremain, Lawrence	Tremain, Hazel
Tremain, Arthur	Tyler, Clarence	Tyler, Blanche
Tyler, Leon	Thibault, Clara	Turgeon, Olivine
Tyler, Stella,	Vachon, Amedee	Vachon, Dorothy
Viziner, Jennie	Williams, W. J.	Williams, John F.
Williams, Eileen	Willoughby, Marj.	Wilson, Elmer
Wilson, Albion	Wight, Denman	Wight, Laura
Willette, Jesse	147 Poll Taxes paid since Jan. 31, 1938	

Uncollected 1936 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938.

Addario, Mrs. V.	Arsenault, Delia	Arsenault, Chas, V.
Augustine, Mrs. A.	Allaire, Mrs. Peter	Ainsworth, Leonard
Ainsworth, Evelyn	Bilodeau, Jos.	Bilodeau, Mrs. Jos.
Berry, Thomas	Berry, Herbert	Berry, Nettie
Biron Albert	Biron, Maud	Barberi, Dominic
Chabot, Laura	Chambers, Hazel	Cowette, Mrs. Andrew
Dalphonse, Mrs. C.	Dooen, Avis	Ferranti, Mary
Finnan, Mrs. Wm.	Gray, George	Gilbert, Naomi
Gilbert, Louis	Gallant, Mary	Gillispie Edward
Guimond, Mrs. H.	Hayden, Myrtle	Haines, Norton
Holmes, Helen	Jones, Marion	Lemieux, Harry
McLeod, Neil	McLeod, Mrs. Neil	Murphy, Lawrence
Murphy, Evelyn	Minnick, Merle	McDougall, Leona
McLain, Katherine	Orkney, James	Orkney, Mrs. James
Page, Ernest	Provenchey, Mrs. J.	Pike, Margaret
Reid, Mrs. Phillip	Stearns, Mrs. James	Stephenson, Mary
Tenney, Charles	Tanguay, Mary	Tremaine, Hazel

Tremaine, Arthur	Thibault, Clara	Vail, Elwin
Williams, John F.	Willette, Jessie	

Uncollected 1935 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938i

Addario, Mrs. V.	Arsenault, Delia	Allaire, Mrs. Peter
Ainsworth, Leonard	Ainsworth, Evelyn	Bilodeau, Mrs. Jos.
Berry, Herbert	Berry, Nettie	Biron, Maud
Chabot, Felix	Cowette, Mrs. A.	Dalphonse, Mrs. C.
Dooen, Avis	Finnan, Mrs. Wm.	Gallant, Mary
Gillispie, Edward	Guimond, Mrs. H.	Hayden Myrtle
Lemieux, Harry	McLeod, Mrs. Neil	Milligan Lawrence
McLain, Katherine	McLain, Marguerite	Orkney, Mrs. James
Pike Margaret	Stearns, Mrs. James	Stephenson, Mary
Stearns, Maria	Tenney, Charles	Tanguay, Mary
Tremaine, Arthur	Thibault, Clara	Willette, Jessie

Uncollected 1934 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938.

Addario, Valentino	Addario, Mrs. V.	Biron, Maud
Dalphonse, Cafello	Dalphonse, Mrs. C.	Gallant, Mary
Hayden, Myrtle	Hughes, Cecelia	McLeod, Mrs. Neil
Tenney, Charles	Tanguay, Mary	Willette, Jessie

Uncollected 1933 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938

Dalphonse, Cafello	Finnan, Mrs. Wm.	Hayden, Myrtle
McLeod, Mrs. Neil	Tanguay, Mary	Vail, Rupert
Willette, Jessie		

Uncollected 1932 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938.

Hughes, Cecelia	Perkins, Harold	Tanguay, Mary
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Uncollected 1931 Poll Taxes as of Jan. 31, 1938.

Tanguay, Mary

Auditors' Report

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the various departments of the town of Gorham for the fiscal year ending Jan. 31, 1938, and report as follows:

The receipts of the town as shown by the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer were checked as to source and amount.

The disbursements of the town as shown by the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer were checked with the vouchers and checks drawn. All checks were signed by at least two of the Selectmen and countersigned by Town Treasurer. All revenue received by the Town Treasurer was covered by proper receipts and all deposited in the White Mt. Nat. Bank or the Berlin City Nat. Bank.

The dog license account as shown by the books of the Town Clerk was checked with the books of the Selectmen and Treasurer.

The Town Clerks account of revenue received from Motor Vehicle permits were checked with the books of the Selectmen and town Treasurer.

The receipts of the Municipal Court were checked with the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer.

The accounts of the Water & Sewer Department were examined and checked with the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer. All payrolls were signed by the employees or their recognized agents.

The accounts of the Highway Dept. were checked with the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer. All payrolls were signed by the employees or their recognized agents.

The accounts of the Tax Collector, including the amount committed for collection, the amount collected including special taxes, on previous years uncollected taxes, on property taxes sold, on property taxes redeemed, interest and abatement were examined, and checked with the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer.

The accounts of the Library Dept. and the District Nursing Dept. were checked with the books of the Selectmen and Treasurer.

Payrolls of the Fire Dept. were checked with the books of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer.

The accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds were examined. All payrolls and invoices were attached to vouchers.

Respectfully submitted

E. H. Cady

C. B. Norton

Auditors

Report of Dump Committee

Bal. on Hand, Feb. 1, 1937	\$ 1442.65
Appropriation	800.00
	2242.65
Total Amount Expended to Feb. 1, 1938	1296.54
Unexpended Balance	946.11

Below is an itemized account of the bills we have had to pay up to Feb. 1, 1938, the end of the town fiscal year.

1937

Feb. 13	J. Walker, 4 wks. coll. 92.32 less 10 pc. 83.10 9.22 by error	73.88
Mar. 6	J. Walker, 2 wks. coll. 46.16 less 10 pc. 41.55 plus .91 by error	42.46
13	J. Walker, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc.	41.55
27	“ 1 wk. “	20.78
Apr. 9	J. Walker, 10 pc. held through year \$120. plus 8.31 error Feb. 13	128.31
10	J. Walker, 1 weeks work	22.56
May 1	L. Arsenault, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc.	41.55
15	“	41.55
29	“	41.55
June 12	“	41.55
26	“	41.55
July 6	American Realty Co., lease	110.00
10	L. Arsenault, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc.	41.55
Aug. 7	White Mt. Press, printing Ernest Orino, paid L. Arsenault 2 wks. less 10 pc.	41.55
21	L. Arsenault, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc.	41.55
Sept. 4	“	41.55
18	“	41.55
Oct. 2	“ plus 3 wks. at \$3 at stores over contract	50.55
16	“	41.55
30	“ plus \$12 for 4 wks. coll. at stores over contract	53.55
Nov. 13	L. Arsenault, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc. plus \$3 for one week at stores over contract	44.55
27	L. Arsenault, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc.	41.55

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Dec. 10	L. Arsenault, 2 wks. coll. less 10 pc.	41.55
25	"	41.55
Jan. 8	"	41.55
22	"	41.55
Amount Expended Jan. 22, 1938		<hr/> 1,296.54

Mr. Arsenault's contract continues for ten weeks longer, expiring Sat., April 2, 1938.

Mr. Arsenault has \$207.75 due on his contract to April 2, plus two weeks held back, plus 10 percent, or \$120 plus \$41.55 or a total of \$369.30.

We wish to thank everyone for their cooperation during the year.

C. C. MacDonald

Ernest Orino

L. Gillis

Report of Trust Funds of the Town of Gorham, N. H., Year Ending, Jan. 31, 1938.

Date of Creation	Trust Funds How Invested	Amt. of Principal	Rate of Int.	Bal. of Inc. Beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. at end of year
June 23 '97	T. H. Hutchinson	135.			3.41	3.41	
Nov. 29 '01	Thomas Gifford	100.			2.53	2.53	
Oct. 3 '05	Frank	55.			1.38	1.38	
June 22 '10	Rita M. Twitchell	100.			2.53	2.53	
Apr. 17 '13	Pierson G. Evans	500.		284.65	19.78	9.00	295.43
June 25 '13	Amanda Day	25.			.62	.62	
Apr. 7 '14	A. J. Bartlett	25.			.62	.62	
Jan. 8 '15	George H. Hersey	100.			2.53	2.53	
Mar. 25 '15	Rev. J. E. Emerson	50.		24.25	1.86		26.11
Nov. 14 '15	Oliver B. Frank	84.			2.12	2.12	
July 1 '16	Ann Lary	4000.		705.82	241.00	69.50	877.32
July 10 '17	C. G. Hamlin	100.			2.53	2.53	
Oct. 1 '17	Emeline S. Wilson	50.			1.25	1.25	
Feb. 1 '18	Alfred R. Evans	100.	2-1-2 Percent	104.12	5.12		109.24
Feb. 1, '18	Charles W. Bean	50.		18.69	1.71		20.40
May 8 '18	Delphina C. Smith	50.			1.26	1.25	
June 17 '18	E. & F. Emerson	50.			1.25	1.25	
Feb. 26 '19	William Jewell	100.			2.53	2.53	
May 28 '19	W. B. & Caleb Gates	100.			2.53	2.53	
Aug. 26 '19	Alice M. Pratt	100.			2.53	2.53	
Oct. 29 '19	Samuel E. Bartlett	100.			2.53	2.53	
Nov. 6 '19	Valentine L. Stiles	100.			2.53	2.53	
Jan. 7 '20	Patrick Mullen	200.		174.00	9.39		189.39
Jan. 27 '20	Carrie M. Arno	50.			1.25	1.25	

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Date of Creation	Trust Funds	How Invested	Amt. of Principal	Rate of Int.	Bal. of Inc. Beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. at end of year
May 3	24	Thomas Sullivan	200		81.89	7.07	13.00	75.96
June 7	24	P. M. Morgan	100			2.51	2.51	
June 12	24	Clara A. Arno	50			1.25	1.25	
Aug. 9	24	Augustine N. Gilbert	100		24.62	3.12		27.74
Aug. 29	24	John E. Willis	50			1.25	1.25	
Sept. 3	25	Mr. & Mrs. O. T. Hooper	100			2.53	2.53	
Oct. 7	25	Rosaltha Willey	50			1.25	1.25	
Nov. 24	25	Thomas Diffin	100			2.53	2.53	
Jan. 12	26	Evelyn McGown	100			2.53	2.53	
May 29	26	Mr. & Mrs. I. W. McLellan	100			2.53	2.53	
Oct. 2	26	Bartholomew McHugh	200		41.69	5.98	14.00	33.67
Feb. 18	27	A. E. Watson	100	2 1/2 %		2.53	2.53	
Feb. 25	27	Mr. & Mrs. C. M. Wheeler	100			2.53	2.53	
May 24	27	T. M. Henderson	50			1.25	1.25	
June 16	27	Geo. & Elmer Burbank	100			2.53	2.53	
Aug. 6	28	Emelie Coulombe	100		9.18	2.71	3.00	8.91
Aug. 22	28	Caleb Maxwell	100			2.53	2.53	
Aug. 3	29	Henrietta M. Brown	50			1.25	1.25	
Aug. 17	29	Mary E. Hodgman	50			1.25	1.25	
June 13	30	Perley J. Miles	100			2.53	2.53	
May 25	31	Frederick R. Jennings	100			2.53	2.53	
June 27	32	Elsie M. Vernon	100			2.53	2.53	
Dec. 20	32	Margaret B. Williamson	100			2.53	2.53	
Jan. 6	33	Elizabeth M. Corkum	200			5.05	5.05	

VITAL STATISTICS

Recorded in the Town of Gorham, N. H.
for the Year Ending

December 31, 1937

Births Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1937.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Color	Living or Stillborn	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 25	Barbara Joyce Potter	F			Irwin Potter	Barbara Davis		Lab'tory Man	Berlin, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.
Feb. 14	Barbara Jean Lorry	F			Eldred Lorry	Elizabeth Desrosiers		C C C	Dummer, N. H.	Tic'roga, N. Y.
Feb. 19	Geneva Laura O'Hara	F			Fred A. O'Hara	Edna D. Wilson		Electrician	Staceyville, Me.	Guildhall, Vt.
Mar. 10	Baby York	M			Not Known	Helen York				Milan, N. H.
Apr. 4	Louise F. Baillergeon	F			Valedor Baillergeon	Imelda Bolduc		Millhand	Berlin, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.
Apr. 5	Linda Lee Potter	F			Dean Potter	Verna Coolidge		Wood Scaler	Aiworth, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.
May 23	Baby Dalphonse	M			Sam Dalphonse	Anna Pieloni		Millman	Italy	Bethel, Me.
May 24	John R. Micucci	M			Tito Micucci	Filomine Toppi		Millman	Italy	Italy
May 25	Donald R. Tyler	M			Leon Tyler	Stella Bilodeau		Laborer	Bethel, Me.	Gorham, N. H.
June 11	Nathan C. Perkins	M			Nathan C. Perkins	Gertrude Watson		Mill Laborer	Gorham, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.
July 18	William J. Kehoe	M			John M. Kehoe	Adele Gauthier		Section Hand	N. Mills, Vt.	Gorham, N. H.
Aug. 18	Daisy G. Bilodeau	F	All White	All Living	George Bilodeau	Veronica Desrosiers	Gorham, N. H.	Millman	Gorham, N. H.	Tic'roga, N. Y.
Aug. 25	Marie V. J. Lepage	F			Joseph Lepage	Marguerite Chasse		Millman	Canada	Canada
Sept. 6	Marie L. H. St. Pierre	F			William St. Pierre	Desneiges Basque		Millman	Jackman, Me.	Canada
Sept. 14	Carol Norman Hall	F			Owen Thomas Hall	Hazel King		None	Fryeburg, Me.	Liv. Falls, Me.
Nov. 18	Albert Dexter Lawrence	M			Albert D. Lawrence	Laura E. O'Hara		Millman	S. Paris, Me.	Staceyville, Me.
Dec. 21	Dolores Guarin	F			John Guarin	Ida Lavote		Millman	Gorham, N. H.	Bartford, P. Q.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1937.

Date of Death	Name & Surname of Deceased	Sex	Color	Occupation	Age		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Cause of Death
					Y	M D			
Jan. 2	John Willoughby	M	All White	Druggist	76	9	Wm. Willoughby	Jane Pepper	Acute Myocardial Failure
Jan. 5	Alfred W. Fuller	M		Retired	87	3	John A. Fuller	Lydia Alexander	Senility
Jan. 13	Josephine Hurley	F		Housewife	63	7	Peter Bedard	Josephine Growal	Coronary Thrombosis
Jan. 31	Mary E. Benson	F		Retired	75	1	David Henderson	Katherine Jellison	Myocardial Failure
Mar. 5	Mary E. Perkins	F		Housewife	57	1	Tennant Beckwith	Elizabeth Myers	Broncho Pneumonia
June 4	Archer C. Perkins	M		Retired	69	8	Josiah W. Perkins	Lydia M. Chipman	Uremia
June 8	Woodbury B. Gates	M		Retired	94	6	Kaleb Cass Gates	Bathsheba Porter	Intra cranial Hemm.
July 9	Ruben E. Smith	M		Laborer	60	6	William Smith		Acute Dilatation of Heart
July 12	John Griffin	M		Retired	88	1	Daniel Griffin	Achsa Wilson	Cerebral Hemorrhage
July 26	Lavenia Tracy	F		Retired	83	6	William Connor	Ann Walls	Cancer of Colon
Aug. 15	Wallace R. Guthrie	M		Salesman	66	1	Michael Guthrie	Rhoda Meatey	Left Ventricular Heart Failure
Aug. 16	Sarah Miles	F		Retired	81	10	A. Mc Elreavey	Sarah McElreavey	Chr. Myocarditis
Aug. 19	Nellie B. Chandler	F		Housewife	72	2	Geo. B. Ingerson	Kate Simonds	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Sept. 2	Nettie S. Evans	F		Housewife	80	18	Edmond McGuire	Margaret Snow	Cardiac Failure
Sept. 21	Charles H. Hobbs	M		Photo'er	84	10	Wm. J. Hobbs	Elizabeth Phelps	Arterio Sclerotic Heart Failure
Sept. 27	Thomas Tremaine	M		Laborer	55	6	Thomas Tremaine	Rosaline Dancoes	Acute Dilatation of Heart
Oct. 31	Willard D. Farris	M		Retired	87	15	William Farris	Harriett Davis	Cardio Vascular Renal Disease
Dec 4	Clara M. Rogers	F		Housewife	62	2	Miles C. Grey	Victoria Rowell	Gall Bladder Infection
Dec. 19	Lionel C. Jewett	M		Retired	84	3	Willard Jewett	Mary Morgan	Cancer of Prostate
Dec. 22	David L. Washburn	M		Leadburner	78	1	Levi Washburn	Christiana Benson	Acute Regurgitation
Dec. 25	Thomas Wight	M		Retired	82	2	Caleb Wight	Fannie Burbank	Cancer of Stomach

Bodies from Out-of-Town Buried in the Town of Gorham, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1937.

Date of Death	Name & Surname of Deceased	Sex	Color	Place of Death		Age		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Cause of Death
				Y	M	D	Y			
Feb. 15	Rose Ann Murphy	F		Berlin, N. H.	75	8	7	Cornelius McIntyre	Not Known	Congestive Heart Failure
Feb. 26	Clement F. DeWitt	M		Concord, N. H.	74	8	24	Daniel DeWitt	Emma Webb	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Mar. 9	Edward Kannaugh	M		Berlin, N. H.	59	5	23	Thomas Kannaugh	Nellie Pendergas	Diabetes Mellitus
Apr. 6	James Frank Griffin	M		"	59	5	18	Wm. T. Griffin	Laurance	Acute Appendicitis Perforated
Apr. 29	Hugh W. Smith	M		"	67	11	28	Hugh Smith	Cath. Fitzpatrick	Adynamia Ileus
May 11	Infant Furlong	M		"	-	-	-	Albert Furlong	Viola Simpson	Stillborn Cerebral Hemorrhage
June 1	Malcom D. Brown	M		"	-	5	24	Douglas Brown	Louise Connor	Bronchial Pneumonia
June 16	Helen Whittemore	F		"	38	5	14	Charles Givens	Johanna Cormick	Hyperporosis C Chr. Nephritis
June 11	Mathilda Cates	F		Liv. Falls, Me.	76	11	16	John Dickey	Celiva Curreveau	Chr. Brights Disease
July 23	Arthur Bolduc	M		Berlin, N. H.	23	4	18	Phillippe Bolduc	Elmira Rouleau	Acute Pheno-barbitol Poisoning
Aug. 2	Ellie B. Joudrey	F		"	25	8	22	Gordon Douglass	Adeline Burt	Ulcerative Colitis
Aug. 5	Peter Cote	M		"	52	3	23	Louis Cote	En.ma Begin	Myxosarcoma Generalized
Aug. 8	Andrew Nichols	M		"	23	6	24	Peter Nichols	M. Suharska	Accidental Drowning
Aug. 16	Harold B. Rollins	M		"	45	3	28	Bradford C. Rollin	Emma Bridges	Intra Cranial Hemorrhage
Sept. 15	Alice Minard	F		Portland, Me.	80	3	6	Manson Green	Mary Stevens	Pernicious Anemia
Oct. 2	Hannah Wilson	F		Berlin, N. H.	97	6	12	Daley	Not Known	Old Age
Oct. 8	Lillie Cordwell	F		"	51	10	23	Asaph Fancy	Nellie Sumner	Malignant Hypertension
Nov. 30	Bertha M. Dow	F		"	40	5	24	George Ryder	Mary J. Craig	Carcinoma of Uterus
Dec. 31	James W. Rines	M		"	89	7	22	James Rines	Thankful Sprague	Prostatic Hypertrophy Myocarditis

Marriages Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1937.

Date of Marriage	Name & Surname of Bride & Groom	Age	Color	Residence of Each	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	By Whom Married
Jan. 1	Charlie A. Beck	25		Auburn, Me.	Liv. Falls, Me.	Eugene Beck Stella I Glones	Hartford, Conn. Sumner, Me.	H. O. Megert Gorham, N. H.
	Ruth B. Lowe	27		Auburn, Me.	Auburn, Me.	H. L. Emery M. Edna Burr	Lewiston, Me. Auburn, Me.	
Feb. 9	Raymond Bilodeau	24		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Edward Bilodeau Alphonsine Garand	Canada Canada	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Alice Tremaine	19		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Thos. Tremaine R. Provencher	Gorham, N. H. Lewiston, Me.	
Feb. 26	Raymond M. Bartlett	23		Bethel, Me.	Bethel, Me.	Guy Bartlett Rose Greenwood	Bethel, Me. Richford, Vt.	H. O. Megert Gorham, N. H.
	Grace W. Nolin	18		Bethel, Me.	Bethel, Me.	John Nolin Mina O'Leary	Nova Scotia Southboro, Mass.	
Mar. 15	Laurier Lamontagne	20		Berlin, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	A. Lamontagne Judith Langois	Canada Berlin, N. H.	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Annie Louise Miller	15	All White	Gorham, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	Jerome Miller Delia Gagnon	Canada Berlin, N. H.	
Mar. 17	Howard W. White	24		Pittsfield; Me.	Milo, Me.	Albert White Mercia Stubbs	Milo, Me. Frederickton, N. B.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Myrtle G. Towle	31		Pittsfield, Me.	Pittsfield, Me.	Maynard White Edith Burr	Centerville, N. B. Dummer, N. H.	
Mar. 29	Glen A. Wentworth	29		Gorham, N. H.	Dummer, N. H.	Amos Wentworth Lizzie Farbus	Dummer, N. H. Canada	H. O. Megert Gorham, N. H.
	Louise Demers	17		Gorham, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	Fred Demers Louise Lemeieux	Canada Canada	

Marriages Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1937. [2]

Date of Marriage	Name & Surname of Bride & Groom	Age	Color	Residence of Each	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	By Whom Married
Apr. 7	Thomas E. McMulkin	37		Portland, Me.	Gorham, N. H.	James McMulkin Jane McHugh V. Canavan	New Brunswick Gorham, N. H. Ireland	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Kathryn Vera Canavan	37		Portland, Me.	Portland, Me.	Mary Hernon	Ireland	
Apr. 25	Frederick T. R. Hasey	25		Kenduskeag, Me.	Cambridge	William Hasey Mary McLeod	Kenduskeag, Me. Nova Scotia	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
	Dorothy M. Jackson	19		Levant, Me.	Exeter, Me.	Arthur Jackson Maude Cooley	Putman, Conn. Corrynia, Me.	
Apr. 25	Elmer E. Wells	66		Lewiston, Me.	Turner, Me.	Ruel Wells	Belgrade, Me.	Henry C. Stallard Berlin, N. H.
	Grace May Hussey	55		Richford, Me.	Bowdoinham Me	Esther Collis Jasper Jennings	Hartford, Me. Bowdoinham, Me.	
Apr. 25	Perdita A. Beane	21		Bingham, Me.	Moscow, Me.	Nellie Littlefield Walter S. Beane	Skowhegan, Me. Caratunk, Me.	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
	Llewellyn S. Williams	31	All White	North Anson, Me.	Lewiston, Me.	Alice S. Smith Robert Williams	Moscow, Me. Not Known	
May 1	Francis M. Rich	35		Norway, Me.	Norway, Me.	Florence Hussey Herbert A. Rich	Lewiston, Me. Woodstock, Me.	Wm. T. Hustle Lancaster, N.H.
	Dora B. Hall	27		Naples, Me.	Naples, Me.	Nettie J. Benson William Mained	“ “ Naples, Me.	
May 29	John B. Babineau	26		Hanover, Me.	Rumford, Me.	Myra Barton Clowis Babineau	New Brunswick Michigan	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Gladys M. Hooper	19		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Rose Pelletisar George Hooper Ethel Spear	New Brunswick Dixfield, Me.	

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May 31	Basil G. McConnell	33		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	John McConnell Annie Gillispie	New Brunswick	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Sylvia V. Long	18		Gorham, N. H.	Lincoln, N. H.	Raymond Long Delia Valade	Fort Kent, Me. Springfield, Mass.	
June 7	Laurence Gilbert	22		Gorham, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	Fred Gilbert Millie Laroche	Manchester, N. H. Berlin, N. H.	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Mildred Lafferty	19		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Fred Lafferty Millie Patterson	New Brunswick Went. Loc. N. H.	
June 19	Arthur F. Allen	21		Litchfield, Me.	Bowdin, Me.	Charles Allen Clara Hutchins	Maine Litchfield, Me.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Helen M. Tozier	20		"	Litchfield, Me.	Raymond Tozier Thelma Buker	Gardiner, Me. Litchfield, Me.	
June 25	Harold J. Sonia	30		Bath, Me.	Gloucester, Ms.	John E. Sonia Elizabeth Barrett	Bath, Me. Canada	H. G. Noyes Gorham, N. H.
	Michelina H. Czubat	21	All White	Lewiston, Me.	Auburn, Me.	Albert Czubat Mary Firsck	Poland Poland	
June 26	James E. Everett, Jr.	21		Norway, Me.	S. Paris, Me.	John E. Everett Rose A. Gunn	Waterford, Me. Berlin, N. H.	H. O. Megert Gorham, N. H.
	Celia E. Noyes	20		"	Norway, Me.	Alton L. Noyes Glady's Frost	Norway, Me. Norway, Me.	
July	Frank J. Reardon	23		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Frank Reardon Minnie Gauthier	Not Known Whitefield, N. H.	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Vivian Couture	16		Berlin, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	John B. Couture Bridgett McGinnis	Not Known Canada	

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July 14	Russel A. Kinch	25		Medford, Mass.	P. E. I.	Albert Kinch Gertrude Monrey	P. E. I.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Rita W. Dagle	31		"		James Edwards Ethel Colbret	Nova Scotia " "	
July 27	Russel Depaul	33		Waterloo, N. Y.	Perth Amboy, New Jersey	Louis Depaul Mary Ciccone	Italy " "	H. O. Megert Gorham, N. H.
	Helen Blaisdell	24		Perth, N. B.	Perth, N. B.	Daniel Lovely Nancy Darkis	Canada " "	
July 30	Raymond Gallant	22		Rumford, Me.	Rumford, Me.	Stephen Gallant Mary Arsenault	P. E. I. " "	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Irene Mawhinney	20		Mexico, Me.	Mexico "	John Mawhinney Elizabeth Ray	Canada Eastport, Me.	
July 30	Joshua G. D. Manwaring	30	All White	Ctr. Newton, Mass	Flint Michigan	J. G. Manwaring Flida Dowell	Michigan Ohio	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Rosamond May	22		Jamaica Plain, "	Jamaica Plain	Arthur May Lucia Bliss	Boston Jamaica Plain	
Aug. 7	Thomas A. Jordan	22		Rumford, Me.	Limestone, Me.	George Jordan Annie Tardy	Buckfield, Me. Limestone, "	H. O. Megert Gorham, N. H.
	Louise C. Farrar	18		Bethel, "	Bethel, Me.	Irwin Farrar Sybil V. Coolidge	Bethel, " Bethel, "	
Aug. 9	Paul B. Stinchfield	21		Bangor, "	Millinocket, Me	Eben Stinchfield Molly Gilpatrick	Danforth, " Haynesville, "	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Alice A. England	20		" "	Bangor, Me.	George England Lena P. Traher	N. B. " "	

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Aug. 14	Fred Hughes	26		Rumford, Me.	P. E. I.	John Hughes Marg. Humphrey	P. E. I.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Irene Hill	32		Rumford, Me.	Rumford, Me.	Ira Hill	Rumford, Me.	
Aug. 28	Frank E. Benson	26		Bethel, Me.	W. Sumner, Me.	Susie Burbridge Albridge Benson	Canada Hartford, Me.	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
	Nellie S. Foss	21		Bethel, Me.	Hebron, Me.	Mary Dunham Delma Foss	Peru, Me. Maine	
Aug. 28	Roy L. Sinclair, Jr.	28		Sabattus, Me.	N. Haven, Me.	Alice Johnson Roy Sinclair, Jr.	Brunswick, Me. Columbia Falls, Me.	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
	Tharis M. K. Cook	24		Sabattus, Me.	Sabattus, Me.	Annie Dable Edward Cook	LaGrange, Me. Quebec	
Aug. 28	Linwood A. Emmons	26	All White	Greenwood, Me.	G'wood City Me	Minnie Carver L. B. Emmons	Wales, Maine Greenwood, Me.	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
	Eleanor Vetquasky	27		Bethel, Me.	Bethel, Me.	Bertha Cummings Frank Vitquasky	Greenwood, Me. Russia	
Sept. 20	Luigi Daphonse	23		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Antonea Dolata C. Dalphonse	Russia Italy	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Rose Sinibaldi	23		Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Rose Dalphonse Tito Sinibaldi	Italy Italy	
Sept. 24	William M. Rain	34		Shafton, Pa.	Shafton, Pa.	Aminta Deconto Robert A. Rain	Italy Shafton, Pa.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Nettie F. Laird	24		Shafton, Pa.	Shafton, Pa.	Bessie Gentuns John Laird	Scotland Scotland	
						Janet Snelton		

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Sept. 24	Ernest E. Wilson	26	W	Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Wesley Wilson Cecily McLain	N. B. W. Bethel, Me. Canada	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
	Lorraine S. LeBlanc	19	W	Berlin, N. H.	St. Malo, P. Q.	Joseph Leblanc Mezelia Bisette	Canada	
Oct. 2	Francis M. Appleton, M. D.	28	W	Gorham, N. H.	Dublin, N. H.	Arthur Appleton Alice E. Fox	Dublin, N. H. Bradford, Pa.	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
	Eleanor L. Sullivan	21	W	Gorham, N. H.	Arlington, Mass	Chas. E. Sullivan Marion E. Libby	Lakeport, N. H. Gorham, N. H.	
Oct. 26	Raymond C. Allen	38	W	Liv. Fall, Me.	N. Scharan Me.	Fred Allen Ida Carville	Anson, Me. Lewiston, Me.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Delenia Castonguay	31	W	Jay, Me.	Canten, Me.	P. Castonguay Mary Fournier	Canada Farmington, Me.	
Oct. 30	Lawrence St. Clair	34	W	Gorham, N. H.	Millinocket Me.	Joseph St. Clair Amanda Rancourt	Canada Canada	Ira W. Thayer Berlin, N. H.
	Mrs. Olga Adell	34	All White	Berlin, N. H.	Berlin, N. H.	Charles Nelson Karen Nelson	Canada Norway	
Oct. 30	Raymond J. Bilodeau	23	W	Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H.	Fred Bilodeau Alice Tanguay	Canada Gorham, N. H.	Maurice LeClerc Gorham, N. H.
	Marie R. Lefebvre	20	W	Gorham, N. H.	Canada	Godfrey Lefebvre Rachel Papineau	Canada Canada	
Nov. 12	Mahlon H. White	41	W	Waterville, Me.	Madison, Me.	Ottis White Grace Fuller	Canada Portland, Me.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
	Violet I. Watson	41	W	Waterville, Me.	Mercer, Me.	Charles Farrand Alice Dunton	N. Vineyard, Me. Mercer, Me.	

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Nov. 17	James N. Seeley Eleanor M. Clark	21 18		Bangor, Me. Bangor, Me.	Bangor, Me. Bangor, Me.	Fred Seeley Mertie Gordon Carl E. Clark Mary Carney	Canada Bangor, Me. Mass. Mass.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.
Nov. 18	Edward Duranty Ritha Boillard	23 21		Bethlehem, N. H. Gorham, N. H.	Bethlem, N. H. Lewiston, Me.	Thomas Duranty Joseph Boillard Marie Tanguay	Bethlehem, N. H. Bethlehem, N. H. Canada Canada	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
Nov. 22	Pascal Efrati Louise Dalphonse	24 20		Gorham, N. H. Gorham, N. H.	Gorham, N. H. Gorham, N. H.	Louis Efrati Mary Seondino C. Dalphonse	Italy Italy Italy Italy	Thomas J. Connor Gorham, N. H.
Dec. 9	James R. Nettleton Thurley Atwood	29 21	All White	Cape Cottage, Me. Kingfield, Me.	Collis, Miss. Kingfield, Me.	Elmer Nettleton Elma Sears Blaine Atwood	Canada Georgia Concord, Me. Kingfield, Me.	William Sinclair Gorham, N. H.
Dec. 18	Arthur J. Arsenault Ethelyn F. Carson	21 22		Madison, Me. Madison, Me.	Madison, Me. Mercer, Me.	Louis Arsenault Catherine Desroch Harry Carson Edna Wood	Canada Canada Mercer, Me. Mercer, Me.	H. H. Hamlin Gorham, N. H.

This is to certify that the foregoing returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. M. WILLIS, Town Clerk.
Per A. R. W.
