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**ANNUAL REPORTS**

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**TOWN OF PEMBROKE**

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**N E W H A M P S H I R E**

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**FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953**

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# ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SELECTMEN and TREASURER

of the

TOWN OF

# PEMBROKE

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Together with the Reports of the

Road Agent and Other Officers

of the Town

for the

Fiscal Year Ending December 31,

# 1953

Also Vital Statistics

for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

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*Representatives*

LEO PAYEUR

GEORGE D. THIBEAULT

*Trustees of Trust Funds*

HARRY K. ROGERS

ALONZO J. BATES

JOSEPH H. ROBINSON

*Chief of Police*

LEO A. PLOURDE

*Fire Chief*

ALFRED METIVIER

*Checklist Supervisors*

CORNELIUS CONNOR

PAUL T. ANNIS

FERNAND A. PERRON

*School Board*

JOHN SATURLEY

DONALD STEVENS

ALICE REEN

*Highway Surveyor*

NORMAND BRASLEY

*Librarian*

VIRGINIA BATCHELDER

*Relief Administrator*

GRACE LABONTEE

*Custodians of Cemeteries*

GEORGE P. COFRAN

MARY CHESEBORO

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Pembroke in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in the Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Grammar School Auditorium in said Pembroke, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

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

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.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to charge twenty (.20) cents on and after September 1, 1954, on all unpaid 1954 poll taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Selectmen to sell any real estate which the Town may have acquired by deed as a result of non-payment of taxes, and to authorize the Selectmen to give a deed in the name of the Town to the purchaser of such land.

6. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of beano in this Town.

7. To see if the Town will vote to rescind Article 14 in the 1952 warrant which was accepted at the Annual Town Meeting, March 11, 1952. Said article being as follows: "14. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to elect the Road Agent by popular vote in the same manner as other elected officials of the Town."

8. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Planning Committee as a permanent board composed of six members to be appointed by the Selectmen; two members to be appointed for a term of three years, two for a term of two years and two for a term of one year and thereafter two for a term of three years each succeeding year.

9. To see if the Town will vote to make general repairs on the Main Street Bridge, so called, crossing the Suncook River in Suncook Village as recommended by the Bridge Engineers of the State Highway Department and to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money therefor.

10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Board of Selectmen to employ the New Hampshire State Tax Commission to revalue all taxable property in the Town; and to employ such other competent personnel as shall be required to obtain the necessary information for the construction of an adequate tax map of the Town and to construct such map; and to see if the Town will vote to authorize its Board of Selectmen to borrow such sum of money, not to exceed \$5,000.00, as shall be necessary for said purposes, by the issuance of serial notes of the Town, each in the amount of \$1,000.00 to be payable in one, two, three, four and five years respectively from date of issuance, said notes to be paid exclusively from funds to be raised by taxation.

11. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to accept and maintain a tract of land known as the Sanatorium Road from Pembroke Street in an easterly direction to point where the northeasterly corner of the land of George N. Sanborn adjoins the land belonging to the Pembroke Sanatorium on the southerly side of said Sanatorium Road.

12. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to construct Girard Avenue as a surface treated gravel



street from Pembroke Hill Road to a point 100 feet more or less northwest of Elm Street, and to raise and appropriate sufficient money for that purpose.

13. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to install and maintain one (1) 2500 lumen street light to be located on pole number 3 on Hillcrest Avenue, and to raise and appropriate sufficient funds for that purpose.

14. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary funds for the installation of certain street lights on Brickett Hill Road for the convenience and comfort of the residents thereof. Said street lights, not to exceed six in number, shall be of normal intensity and be placed strategically at intervals on utility poles already existent and in accordance with the common or standard practice adopted for placement of such street lights.

15. To hear the reports of auditors, agents and committees or officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

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

The Polls will be open until six o'clock in the afternoon.

Given under our hands and seal, this 17th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

LEO G. PAYEUR,  
FRED D. LITTLE,  
ARTHUR T. BRASLEY,  
*Selectmen of Pembroke*

*A true Copy of Warrant—Attest:*

LEO G. PAYEUR,  
FRED D. LITTLE,  
ARTHUR T. BRASLEY,  
*Selectmen of Pembroke*

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the  
1954, Compared with Estimated and Actual  
of the Previous Year January

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1953	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1953	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1954
<i>From State:</i>			
Interest and Dividends Tax .....	\$3,300.00	\$3,064.87	\$3,000.00
Railroad Tax .....	50.00	48.02	50.00
Savings Bank Tax .....	1,000.00	933.41	900.00
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>			
Dog Licenses .....	250.00	552.50	400.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees .....	50.00	25.00	25.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court ..	250.00	447.00	300.00
Interest Received on Taxes and De- posits .....	400.00	721.53	500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees .....	8,000.00	9,831.63	8,500.00
<i>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</i>			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2 .....	2,806.00	2,450.00	2,500.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes .....	40.00	40.00	40.00
Total Revenues from all sources except property taxes .....	\$16,146.00	\$18,113.96	\$16,215.00
Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes .....	.....	.....	185,811.66
Total Revenues .....	.....	.....	\$202,026.66

## OF PEMBROKE, N. H.

Ensuing Year January 1, 1954 to December 31,  
Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures  
1, 1953 to December 31, 1953

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1953	Actual Expendi- tures Previous Year 1953	Estimated Expendi- tures Ensuing Year 1954
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>			
<i>General Government:</i>			
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$2,040.00	\$2,115.00	\$2,300.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	1,000.00	1,035.35	1,300.00
Election and Registration Expenses ..	700.00	800.25	1,100.00
Municipal Court Expenses .....	300.00	310.00	300.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs. ....	600.00	482.09	500.00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>			
Police Department .....	3,750.00	4,315.62	4,625.00
Fire Department .....	3,500.00	5,085.95	4,600.00
Moth. Exterm. — Blister Rust & Care of Trees .....	400.00	700.00	800.00
Forest Fires .....		2,760.34	
Hydrant Service .....	5,280.00	5,280.00	5,280.00
<i>Health:</i>			
Health Department Including Hospitals	150.00	150.00	150.00
Vital Statistics .....	100.00	75.50	75.00
Sewer Maintenance .....	500.00	826.81	500.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal ..	4,500.00	5,108.32	5,000.00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
Oiling Roads .....	3,500.00	3,777.26	3,500.00
Town Maintenance—Summer .....	12,000.00	11,715.74	12,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter .....	10,000.00	9,007.11	10,000.00
Street Lighting .....	4,450.00	4,488.15	4,756.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept. ...	300.00	666.98	300.00
Town Road Aid .....	1,995.47	1,995.47	1,976.70
<i>Libraries</i> .....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
<i>Public Welfare:</i>			
Town Poor .....	3,000.00	5,428.16	6,000.00
Old Age Assistance .....	4,800.00	5,345.53	5,800.00
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associa- tions .....	100.00	100.00	100.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families .....	1,500.00	1,359.45	1,500.00
<i>Recreation:</i>			
Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Con- certs .....	200.00	200.00	200.00
<i>Public Service Enterprises:</i>			
Cemeteries .....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
<i>Unclassified:</i>			
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage .....	125.00	125.00	100.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Se- curity .....	450.00	489.24	650.00
<i>Interest:</i>			
On Temporary Loans .....	700.00	1,386.94	1,200.00
<i>Payment on Principal of Debt:</i>			
Deficit of Previous Year .....	10,880.97	.....	14,862.05
<i>Payments to Other Gov't Divisions:</i>			
County Taxes .....	9,859.19	9,859.19	10,000.00
School Taxes .....	92,417.92	87,846.00	100,051.91
<b>Total Expenditures .....</b>	<b>\$181,598.55</b>	<b>\$175,335.45</b>	<b>\$202,026.66</b>

## INVENTORY, APRIL 1, 1953

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Land and Buildings	\$2,025.870.00
Mature Wood and Timber	0
Electric Plants (2)	124,112.00
Petroleum and Gas Transmission Lines	12,810.00
Horses (23)	2,250.00
Cows (218)	21,800.00
Neat Stock (39)	2,210.00
Sheep and Goats (14)	160.00
Hogs (220)	5,500.00
Fowls (545)	1,315.00
Fur Bearing Animals (230)	2,300.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,150.00
Stock in Trade	106,247.00
Mills & Machinery	126,500.00
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Total Gross Valuation	\$2,433,224.00
Less: Soldier's Exemptions	176,055.00
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Net Valuation	\$2,257,169.00
Poll Taxes (1,403)	\$2,806.00

## TOTAL AMOUNT RAISED BY TAXES

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### *General Government:*

Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$2,040.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	1,000.00
Social Security or Retirement .....	450.00
Election and Registration .....	700.00
Municipal Court .....	300.00
Town Hall and Buildings .....	600.00

### *Protection of Persons and Property:*

Police Department .....	3,750.00
Fire Department .....	3,500.00
Blister Rust .....	400.00
Hydrant Service .....	5,280.00

### *Health:*

Health Department .....	150.00
Vital Statistics .....	100.00
Sewer Maintenance .....	500.00

### *Town Maintenance:*

Summer .....	12,000.00
Winter .....	10,000.00
Rubbish .....	4,500.00
Town Road Aid .....	1,995.47
Street Lighting .....	4,450.00
General Expenses Highway Dept. ....	300.00
Oiling Streets .....	3,500.00

### *Libraries:*

General Expenses .....	1,000.00
Building Fund .....	500.00

*Public Welfare:*

Old Age Assistance .....	4,800.00
Town Poor .....	3,000.00

*Patriotic:*

Memorial Day .....	100.00
Soldiers' Aid .....	1,500.00

*Recreation:*

Band Concerts .....	200.00
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*Public Service Enterprises:*

Cemeteries and Parks .....	1,000.00
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*Unclassified:*

Damages and legal expenses .....	125.00
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*Interest:*

Interest on temporary loans .....	700.00
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*Indebtedness Payments:*

Previous Year's Deficit .....	10,880.97
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*Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:*

County Tax .....	9,859.19
School Tax .....	92,417.92

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\$181,598.55

Plus Overlay .....	1,948.65
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\$183,547.20

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits ...	15,025.00
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Poll Taxes .....	2,806.00
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National Bank Stock Taxes .....	40.00
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Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes .. \$165,676.20

Tax Rate per \$100.00 of Valuation ..... \$7.34

## FINANCIAL REPORT

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### *Assets*

Cash in hands of Treasurer Dec. 31, 1953	\$10,534.74
Unredeemed Taxes bought by Town	587.81
Uncollected Taxes:	
1953 Levy	19,099.87
1952 Levy	199.40
1951 Levy	68.81
1950 Levy	48.00
Uncollected Head Taxes	2,035.00
Balance due from State of N. H. (Forest Fires)	260.62
Total Assets	\$32,834.25
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	14,862.05
	\$47,696.30

### *Liabilities*

Pembroke School District	\$42,417.92
State of N. H. Head Taxes	2,035.00
Reserve a/c Future Tax Loss (Timber Tax)	3,243.38
Total Liabilities	\$47,696.30

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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Received from K. Donald Woodbury, Tax Collector	\$172,862.16
Received from Irene A. Cochran, Clerk, Auto Permits and Dog Tax	9,735.97
Received from Albert Ritchotte, Clerk, Auto Permits and Dog Tax	645.74
<i>Received from the following parties:</i>	
Judge George P. Cofran, Municipal Court fees	447.00
The Suncook Bank, money borrowed	115,000.00
Licenses:	
Abraham Golad	\$5.00
Ned Levin	5.00
Nicholas Sysn	5.00
Donat Bonenfant	10.00
	25.00
Pembroke School District, labor on school grounds	123.38
Pembroke Water Works, labor Main St., Bridge, Lindy & Central Sts.	247.84
Town of Allenstown, forest fires and road repairs	388.73
Town of Milton, N. H., forest fire	156.20
Town of Moultonboro, N. H., forest fire	660.03
Town of Epsom, N. H., (Eldon Howard, Road Agent)	85.00
Victor R. Girard, repairs on Elm St.	20.00
Atty. G. P. Cofran, repairs to Bear Brook Bridge	200.94
<i>For aid rendered:</i>	
City of Concord	\$180.00
Woodbury & Woodbury	10.00
H. Pepin	15.00
	205.00



*For oil, labor, repairs, etc.:*

Mrs. Edna S. Beckett	\$24.00	
Mr. Foster Benson	11.15	
F. W. Saltmarsh	11.15	
Leonard Gilson	28.93	
	<hr/>	75.23
Romeo Plourde, old tank	\$3.00	
I. A. Cochran, moving and telephone	5.73	
	<hr/>	8.73
Normand Brasley, truck chains	\$20.00	
G. J. Snow, R.N., use of phone	1.00	
	<hr/>	21.00
H. K. Rogers, Insurance Agency, refund		15.86
Brown & Saltmarsh, refund order No. 3918		3.17

*Refund for Police Budget:*

A. Brasley	\$12.00	
E. M. Annis	12.00	
	<hr/>	24.00

*For Social Security Benefits and  
Withholding Tax:*

Gedeon Petit, Jr.	\$ .38	
Albert Ritchotte	.12	
Arthur Brasley	5.25	
K. D. Woodbury	7.50	
Alice Jacobs, Treas.	7.09	
N. P. Brasley, Road Agent	659.75	
R. P. Martel, Treasurer	336.35	
Grace LaBontee	58.56	
Irene Cochran	.63	
Leo A. Payeur	7.50	
Fred Little	5.25	
E. A. Chapdelaine	3.75	
M. G. Ferry, Supt.	327.92	
L. A. Plourde, Chief	306.69	
John D. Welch	.68	
George P. Cofran	7.50	
	<hr/>	1,734.92

*State of New Hampshire:*

Savings Bank Tax	933.41
Railroad Tax	48.02
Railroad Tax, supplemental 1952	16.68
White Pine Blister	3.40
Distribution of tax on Interest & Dividends	3,064.87
Forest Fire, training expenses	9.80
Share of fire suppression	680.82
Partial payment for share of forest fires	173.74
Health Department, for use of telephone	54.98
County Commissioners, for aid rendered	30.00
Tax Yield, savings account, transferred to checking account	5,563.01
Interest accrued on Tax Yield Savings Account	144.90
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Total Receipts for the year 1953	\$313,408.95
Cash on Hand December 31, 1952	480.49
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	\$313,889.44
Total Expenses for the year 1953	303,354.70
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Cash Balance December 31, 1953	\$10,534.74

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST A. CHAPDELAINÉ,  
*Treasurer*

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Received from October 28, 1953 to December 31, 1953

67 Auto permits issued	\$483.24
53 Dog Licenses	162.50
	\$645.74

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT RICHOTTE,  
*Town Clerk*

Received from January 1, 1953 to October 28, 1953

66 Auto permits issued	\$9,345.39
157 Dog Licenses	359.00
1 Kennel License	12.00
Penalties	19.00
	\$9,735.39

Respectfully submitted,

IRENE COCHRAN,  
*Town Clerk*

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### *Town Officers' Salaries*

Leo G. Payeur, selectman	\$500.00
Fred D. Little, selectman	350.00
Arthur T. Brasley, selectman	350.00
Arthur T. Brasley, auditor (1952)	20.00
Donald P. Kittredge, auditor (1952)	20.00
Ernest P. Chapdelaine, treasurer	250.00
Gedeon N. Petit, Jr., moderator	25.00
Irene Cochran, town clerk	41.70
Irene Cochran, fees—dog and auto permits	642.60
Albert Ritchotte, town clerk	8.30
Albert Ritchotte, fees	47.40
K. Donald Woodbury, tax collector	500.00
K. Donald Woodbury, head tax fees	281.38
Willie Demers, winding clock	50.00
	\$5,086.38

### *Town Officers' Expenses*

Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	\$3.00
The Suncook Bank, safe deposit box rent	3.60
Burrough's Adding Machine Co., supplies and service	11.69
Harry K. Rogers, Trustee Bonds	51.22
Harry K. Rogers, Treasurer's Bond	25.00
Ritchotte Ins. Agency, Town Clerk's Bond	25.00
Kenneth M. Woodbury, Tax Collector's Bond	99.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	42.45
Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	26.83
State of N. H., expense	3.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., Supplies	20.64
Postmaster, Stamps & Envelopes	90.76
Alfred Vezina, Poll Tax Census	16.00
Charles Tilden, Poll Tax Census	50.00
Edmund Chase, Poll Tax Census	62.00

Pembroke Press, Printing & Supplies	91.82
C. H. Wells Co., Supplies	4.41
N. H. Tax Collector's Assoc., dues	3.00
N. H. Department of Public Welfare	17.20
Albert Ritchotte, Office Expense	5.65
Woodbury & Woodbury, Recording Fees	4.28
K. Donald Woodbury, Office Expense	54.28
Katherine Crowley, Conveyances	46.92
George W. Philbrick, Estate Notices	.90
Pete's Wiring Service, Labor & Supplies	6.30
Normand Brasley, Moving File	4.15
The U. S. Auto & Truck Guide, Manual	7.00
Romeo Plourde, Assisting Timber Appraiser	12.00
Albert Ritchotte, Supplies	6.75
Fred Tower, Supplies	12.90
Fred Little, Expense Telephone Calls	5.10
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Service	222.50

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\$1,035.35

*Election and Registration*

Pembroke Press, Town Reports	\$597.50
Pembroke Press, Ballots & Check Lists	107.15
Myrtle Currier, dinners	43.40
Vet's Spa, Coffee	1.20
Walter Bergevin, Services	26.00
Erwin Chase, Ballot Clerk	5.00
K. Donald Woodbury, Ballot Clerk	5.00
Roland Young, Ballot Clerk	5.00
Alonzo Bates, Ballot Clerk	5.00
Sherborn Chickering, Ballot Clerk	5.00

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\$800.25

*Municipal Court*

George P. Cofran, salary	\$300.00
George P. Cofran, expenses	10.00

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\$310.00

*Town Hall and Other Buildings*

Lion D'Or Club, Rent	\$78.00
John D. Welch, janitor	45.00
Ritchotte Ins. Agency, Insurance	120.00
Alfred P. Girard, Constructing Doors	184.16
C. H. Wells, Supplies	5.89
Petit Plumbing Co., Labor and Material	49.04
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	\$482.09

*Police Department*

Leo A. Plourde, salary	\$2,960.08
Leo A. Plourde, mileage and expenses	31.35
Eugene Pelletier, special duty	529.00
Romeo Martel, special duty	176.00
Joseph Gagnon, special duty	74.00
Romeo Plourde, special duty	35.00
Roland Bouley, special duty	66.00
Frank Bennett, special duty	12.00
Edwin Annis, special duty	12.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	159.76
Public Service Co. of N. H., electric service	65.19
Maurice D. Martel, insurance	163.24
Henry J. Soucy, supplies	20.00
Jean LeBlanc, M.D., professional services	12.00
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	\$4,315.62

*Fire Department*

Romeo Martel, secretary — payroll	\$1,618.32
Public Service Co. of N. H. — service	149.98
Manchester Fire Department — truck	500.00
Manchester Fire Department — supplies	5.00
The Emery Waterhouse Co. — supplies	2.67
Justin A. McCarthy Co., fire hose and equipment	638.96
Justin A. McCarthy Co., supplies	11.17

Manchester Oxygen Co., supplies	23.75
The Seagraves Corp., supplies	1.00
Bailey Lumber Co., supplies	10.36
Century Plumbing Co., parts and labor	29.80
C. H. Wells Co., supplies	21.54
Pembroke Auto Supply Co., supplies	35.90
American Fire Equipment Co., supplies	7.50
Auto Electric Supply Co., supplies	5.50
Lewis W. Cass, supplies	41.67
Edgar C. Hartford, supplies	6.60
Petit Plumbing Co., labor and supplies	.37
Thompson & Hogue, supplies	8.00
Jenny Manufacturing Co., supplies	27.36
A. E. Mullaire, welding	4.25
N. H. Welding Supply Co., supplies	17.70
Lester R. Nesbitt, M. D., services	8.00
Roy Nedeau, parts and labor	373.71
Chase's Garage, parts and labor	154.16
Sanel Auto Parts, supplies	1.09
Edward G. Moody & Son, Inc., supplies	10.00
Cormier's Market, supplies	.88
George J. Hillman, Jr., tires and tubes	213.71
J. C. Brasley, gas and oil	57.20
Albert Brasley, gas and oil	76.47
Harry K. Rogers, insurance	452.25
Ritchotte Ins. Agency, Insurance	41.20
Rene Levallee, fuel oil	166.65
Rivard Oil Co., fuel oil	60.74
Arthur Cochran, fuel oil	61.16
Alfred Metivier, fuel oil	120.70
Norman Smith, fuel oil	60.00
Fred W. Saltmarsh, fuel oil	60.63
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	\$5,085.95
Moth Extermination	\$300.00
Blister Rust	\$400.00

*Health Department*

Warren Foss, rent dump	\$100.00
Alonzo Bates, health officer	50.00
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	\$150.00

*Vital Statistics*

Albert Ritchotte	\$75.50
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*Sewer Maintenance*

Normand Brasley, payroll—truck and labor	\$611.01
Petit Plumbing Co., pipe and supplies	193.11
Concord Lumber Co., supplies	16.50
Page Belting Co., sewer tool	2.60
Bailey Lumber Co., supplies	3.59
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	\$826.81

*Town Maintenance — Summer*

Normand P. Brasley, Road Agent, payroll for trucks and labor	\$7,086.56
Town of Hooksett, grader and operator	397.00
State of N. H., grader and operator	261.16
Geo. C. Lugg, bulldozer and operator	154.00
Weaver Bros., sweeper	32.00
Romeo Plourde, loading gravel and grading	143.15
Richard E. Stevens, ditching	44.10
Leo A. Plourde, mowing bushes	182.00
Marcellous Rowe, gravel	47.90
Richard E. Stevens, gravel	110.50
Vera Maroney, gravel	6.00
Romeo Plourde, gravel	24.00
Earl Cofran, gravel	16.30
Granite State Asphalt Products Co., asphalt patch	1,266.92
Granite State Asphalt Products Co., mix	29.11
Louis Plante, asphalt mix	6.00
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., oil	133.10



Auclair Transportation Co., express charge	10.10
Hector Hervey, labor	38.00
Bailey Lumber Co., supplies	63.90
Concord Lumber Co., supplies	46.34
Frank Petit, supplies	93.90
Steve Levesque, supplies	27.98
Albert Perreault, parts and labor	33.00
Rudy's Welding Shop, labor	21.50
State of N. H., supplies	3.00
State of N. H., extra payment on T. R. A.	150.00
Pembroke Press, printing signs	12.90
Concord Foundry & Machine Co., supplies	103.50
Manchester Sand, Gravel & Cement Co., gravel	15.38
Duracrete Block Co., Inc., blocks	143.52
E. M. Annis, cedar posts	36.90
R. C. Hazelton Co., culvert pipe	192.32
N. H. Explosive and Machinery Co., Inc., brush saw and parts	297.43
Chase's Garage, gas and oil	3.44
Albert Brasley, truck, labor, gas and oil	16.10
W. T. Mayo, gravel	56.85
Victor Girard, labor and material	9.00
Thomas Brasley, filing saws	10.50
Geo. P. Cofran, Att'y for Thomas Brasley, money due Lucien Levesque	43.20
Concord Supply Co., supplies	3.32
Maurice Martel, insurance	290.57
Robie Construction Co., use of roller	22.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Inc., supplies	1.99
Prison Industries, pipe	28.80

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\$11,715.74

*Town Maintenance — Winter*

Normand P. Brasley, Road Agent, payrolls for trucks and labor	\$6,750.17
State of N. H., parts and labor on plows	206.07
Martel's Garage, parts and labor on plows	27.00

R. C. Hazelton Co., parts and labor on plows	324.33
R. C. Hazelton Co., sand spreader	235.00
Thomas Brasley, plow and blades	260.00
N. H. Explosive and Machinery Co., Inc., parts and labor	34.66
Albert Perreault, parts and labor	22.35
Columbia Steel Co., supplies	61.58
Southwestern N. H. Transportation Co., express	11.76
Manchester Sand, Gravel & Cement Co., gravel	54.92
Romeo Plourde, gravel	34.50
Wilda T. Little, gravel	7.80
Granite State Asphalt, asphalt patch	91.02
International Salt Co., salt	618.00
C. H. Wells Co., supplies	8.56
Suncook Machine Co., labor and material	55.29
Rudy's Welding Shop, labor and material	16.50
Pembroke Press, printing notices	6.25
Concord Woodworking Co., snow fence	75.00
Maurice Martel, insurance	100.40
Thompson & Hoague Co., supplies	5.95
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	\$9,007.11

*Rubbish*

Normand P. Brasley, Road Agent, payroll for truck and labor	\$4,995.97
Town of Hooksett, use of dump	9.75
Warren Foss, tractor covering dump	14.00
George C. Lugg, bulldozer covering dump	21.00
Marcellous Rowe, gravel	17.20
Wilda T. Little, gravel	23.40
American Sign Co., signs for dump	17.00
Rudy Campbell, repairing dump truck sides	10.00
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	\$5,108.32

*Oiling Roads*

Normand P. Brasley, Road Agent, payroll

for truck and labor	\$891.80
Plourde Sand and Gravel Co., gravel	409.00
Earl Cofran, gravel	4.20
Wilda T. Little, gravel	5.40
Marcellous Rowe, gravel	3.20
Albert Perreault, labor	7.50
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., as- phalt oil	2,456.16
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	\$3,777.26

*Street Lighting*

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$4,373.15
Suncook Chamber of Commerce, Xmas lights	115.00
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	\$4,488.15

*General Expense of Highway Department*

Normand P. Brasley, Road Agent, supplies and telephone calls	\$35.32
Wilfred Letendre, supplies	33.28
Thompson & Hoague Co., supplies	1.80
Lewis W. Cass, supplies	76.04
C. H. Wells Co., supplies	6.43
Lewis & Sons, Inc., supplies	16.68
Petit Plumbing Co., supplies	7.97
State of N. H., road signs	7.50
Hedge & Mathias Co., supplies	2.00
J. C. Brasley, supplies	1.95
Concord Supply Co., supplies	2.00
Albert Brasley, supplies	.84
Alfred Metivier, range oil	25.48
Emilien Martel, rent	110.00
Catherine Simpson, rent	132.00
Rudy's Welding Shop, labor	5.50
Ralph Langevin, sharpening tools	6.00
Normand P. Brasley, Road Agent, labor on bridge	86.30

Albert Brasley, wrecker on bridge railing	10.00
Bailey Lumber Co., supplies	5.24
Suncook Machine Co., labor & material on bridge	94.65
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	\$666.98

*Libraries*

Trustees of Trust Funds, building fund	\$500.00
Treasurer of Library Trustees	1,000.00
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	\$1,500.00

*Public Welfare*

Old Age Assistance, Treas. State of N. H.	\$5,345.53
Town Poor	5,428.16
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	\$10,773.69

*Patriotic Purposes*

Soldier's Aid	\$1,359.45
Suncook Valley Post 2860 V. F. W.	100.00
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	\$1,459.45

*Recreation*

Octave Bellerose, Treasurer — Band Concerts	\$200.00
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*Cemeteries*

George P. Cofran, Custodian of Cemeteries	\$1,000.00
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*Damage and Legal Expense*

Woodbury & Woodbury, legal service	\$100.00
Guerna Wilson and Robert D. Branch, damage	25.00
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	\$125.00

*Taxes Bought by Town*

K. Donald Woodbury, Tax Collector	\$587.81
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*Forest Fires*

Alfred Metivier, Fire Warden:	
Payroll, Pembroke fires	\$493.65
Payroll, Allenstown fires	332.28
Payroll, Milton fire	156.20
Payroll, Ossipee fire	1,035.61
Payroll, Ossipee and Grantham fire	302.05
Expense for Warden training	19.60
Town of Epsom, for Pembroke fire	43.60
Town of Pittsfield, for Pembroke fire	127.88
Town of Allenstown, for Pembroke fire	68.41
Town of Loudon, for Pembroke fire	44.20
Town of Chichester, for Pembroke fire	40.80
N. H. Forestry & Recreation Commission, supplies	96.06
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	\$2,760.34

*Interest*

The Suncook Bank, short term notes	\$1,386.94
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*New Construction*

Marcellous Rowe, sidewalk Corp. Ave.	\$200.00
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*Indebtedness Payments*

Temporary Loans	\$115,000.00
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*Payments to Other Governmental Divisions*

Treasurer State of N. H., Head Tax	\$9,698.62
Treasurer State of N. H., Class "B" Highway	1,420.00
Treasurer State of N. H., T. R. A.	575.47
Treasurer State of N. H., F. I. C. A.	978.47
Merrimack County, county tax	9,859.19
Pembroke Water Works, hydrant rent	5,280.00
Treasurer Pembroke School District 1952-'53	37,846.00
Treasurer Pembroke School District 1953-'54	50,000.00
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	\$115,657.75

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Summary of Warrant**

*Property, Poll and Yield Taxes*  
 Levy of 1953

Debit

*Taxes Committed to Collector:*

Property Taxes	\$165,676.20
Poll Taxes	2,806.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	40.00

Total Taxes Committed to Collector	\$168,522.20
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<i>Yield Taxes:</i>	1,032.94
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*Added Taxes:*

Property Taxes	\$400.03
Poll Taxes	30.00

Total Added Taxes	430.03
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<i>Interest Collected:</i>	36.70
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Total Debits	\$170,021.87
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Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer:*

Property Taxes	\$146,470.30
Poll Taxes	2,222.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	40.00
Yield Taxes	672.62
Interest	36.70

Total Remittances to Treasurer	\$149,441.62
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*Abatements:*

Property Taxes	\$1,370.38
Poll Taxes	110.00

Total Abatements	1,480.38
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*Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:*

Property Taxes	\$18,235.55	
Poll Taxes	504.00	
Yield Taxes	360.32	
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Total Uncollected Taxes		19,099.87
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Total Credits		\$170,021.87
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*Abatements — 1953 Property Taxes*

Boisvert, Lucien, over assessment	\$36.70
Tilden, Charles and Margaret, Veterans Exemption	73.40
Petrin, Roger, over assessment	22.02
Kenney, Walter, Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Laverdiere, Benoit, Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Coulombe, Rogacien, Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Knowlton, Milton and Wilberta, Veteran's Exemption	146.80
Sinotte, Roland R. and Irene G., Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Bryant, Webster, Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Pelletier, Eugene, over assessment	14.68
Lea, Frederick R., Veteran's Exemption	67.53
Ross, Edward, Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Smith, Dwight and Gertrude, over assessment	58.72
Sanderson, Judson, over assessment	14.68
McKay, Geraldine, Veteran's Exemption	73.40
Cofran, Robert, over assessment	11.01
McDonnell, Frances, for cause	183.50
Rand, Mary A., for cause	146.80
Jesseman, Clarence and Vera R.	7.34
Anderson, Mary and James	73.40
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	\$1,370.38

*Poll Tax Abatements — Levy of 1953*

Boisvert, Raymond, veteran	\$2.00
Bosse, Blanche, taxed twice	2.00
Bousquet, Peter S., veteran	2.00
Brooks, Elsie, veteran's widow	2.00
Burpee, Claudia, taxed twice	2.00
Burpee, Mose, taxed twice	2.00
Carrier, Phillip, veteran	2.00
Cass, Lewis, veteran	2.00
Chase, Frank E., veteran	2.00
Courtemanche, Alfred, veteran	2.00
Diehl, David W., in service	2.00
Emge, Jean R., veteran's widow	2.00
Engel, Roland A., veteran	2.00
Fisher, Mildred, taxed twice	2.00
Fisher, Raymond, taxed twice	2.00
Fowler, Trueworthy, veteran	2.00
Gale, Herbert, veteran	2.00
Georgi, Maynard B., veteran	2.00
Grenier, Laura, paid in Hooksett	2.00
Hayes, Walter, veteran	2.00
Knowlton, Maynard A., veteran	2.00
Laliberte, Armand, veteran	2.00
Lemay, Ovila, veteran	2.00
Levesque, Albina, veteran's widow	2.00
Paine, Irene, left town	2.00
Plante, Aurore, taxed twice	2.00
Plante, Maxime B., taxed twice	2.00
Rainville, Eugene, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Richard, Chester B., veteran	2.00
Saltmarsh, Chester, veteran	2.00
Saucier, Sidney, taxed twice	2.00
Savaraia, Zelia, veteran's widow	2.00
Thibeault, Roger, veteran	2.00
Viens, Leo, left town	2.00
Howland, Percy, veteran	2.00
6 over 70	12.00



6 under 21	12.00
4 deceased	8.00
4 unable to pay	8.00
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	\$110.00

*State Head Tax — Levy of 1953*

Debit

*State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:*

Original Warrant	\$9,005.00
Added Taxes	130.00

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\$9,135.00

*Penalties Collected:*

19.00

Total Debits

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\$9,154.00  

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Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer:*

Head Taxes	\$7,260.00
Penalties	19.00

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\$7,279.00

*Uncollected Head Taxes as per  
Collector's List:*

1,875.00

Total Credits

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\$9,154.00  

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*Property, Poll and Yield Taxes — Levy of 1952*

Debit

*Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1953:*

Property Taxes	\$13,495.30
Poll Taxes	554.00
Yield Taxes	837.60

Total Uncollected Taxes

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\$14,886.90  

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*Added Taxes:*

Property Taxes	\$50.80
Poll Taxes	32.00

Total Added Taxes	82.80
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<i>Interest and Costs Collected During Year:</i>	487.07
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Total Debits	<u>\$15,456.77</u>
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## Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

Property Taxes	\$12,406.28
Poll Taxes	310.00
Yield Taxes	690.20
Interest and Costs	487.07

Total Remittances to Treasurer	\$13,893.55
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*Abatements:*

Property Taxes	\$1,139.82
Poll Taxes	224.00

Total Abatements	1,363.82
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*Uncollected Taxes as Per Collector's List:*

Poll Taxes	\$52.00
Yield Taxes	147.40

Total Uncollected Taxes	199.40
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Total Credits	<u>\$15,456.77</u>
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*Property Tax Abatements — 1952 Levy*

Gauthier, Joseph, error in assessment	\$9.53
Demers, Albina, veteran's exemption	63.50
McDonnell, Frances, for cause	158.75

Casci, Paul F., error in assessment	95.25
Damour, Raymond and Rose, veteran's exemption	15.87
Garten, Christian, veteran's exemption	63.50
Garten, Christian, taxed twice	6.35
Donneson, Leonard, taxed in error	31.75
Racette Radio Shop, taxed in error	31.75
Thompson, Augustus Heirs, taxed in error	12.70
Thompson, James Heirs, taxed in error	22.22
Cole Dry Cleaning, taxed in error	317.50
Daneault, Edward, taxed twice	266.70
Walsh, Lawrence	44.45
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	\$1,139.82

*Poll Tax Abatements — Levy of 1952*

Allaire, Stella, paid in Allenstown	\$2.00
Amyot, Theresa, taxed in error	2.00
Annis, James, veteran	2.00
Annis, Paul, veteran	2.00
Bean, Edith, paid in Medway, Mass.	2.00
Benson, Frances B., left town	2.00
Benson, Oscar C., left town	2.00
Boucher, Maureen, left town	2.00
Brown, Catherine, unknown	2.00
Burt, Watson, veteran	2.00
Carr, Dorothea, left town	2.00
Cederlund, Arthur, paid in Candia	2.00
Chamberlen, Howard, left town	2.00
Clark, Robert E., veteran	2.00
Clement, Antoinette, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Clement, Marion, unknown	2.00
Cloutier, Jennie, left town	2.00
Cloutier, Willie, left town	2.00
Cochran, Rita, paid in Hooksett	2.00
Courchene, Rene, veteran	2.00
Des Longchamps, David, unknown	2.00

Des Longchamps, Rowell, unknown	2.00
Desrosier, Stella, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Dow, Neal, unknown	2.00
Dupont, Martha, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Farber, Louis, paid in Tilton	2.00
Farber, Shirley, paid in Tilton	2.00
Foss, Hazel L., paid in Manchester	2.00
Frizzell, Irene, paid in Hooksett	2.00
Gamelin, Cecile, paid in Lisbon, Maine	2.00
Gardner, Gerald O., left town	2.00
Grappone, James, veteran	2.00
Gromko, Mary, paid in Manchester	2.00
Heath, Robert, unknown	2.00
Johnson, Mildred B., left town	2.00
Johnson, Odelia M., left town	2.00
Labby, Antoinette, unknown	2.00
Ladd, Albert N., veteran	2.00
LaDuke, Robert N., veteran	2.00
Lavoie, Gloria, paid in Allenstown	2.00
L'esperance, Doris, out of town	2.00
Little, Marion H., left town	2.00
Little, Morrill H., left town	2.00
Marden, Catherine, unknown	2.00
Marshall, Calvin, veteran	2.00
Martel, William, veteran	2.00
Martineau, Robert, Allenstown	2.00
Mathews, Catherine, Mass.	2.00
Molan, Frank M., Manchester	2.00
Molan, Gladys, Manchester	2.00
Newton, Daniel, Hooksett	2.00
Noyes, Adin, Allenstown	2.00
Noyes, Elbert, veteran	2.00
Orcutt, Bette, Mass.	2.00
Orcutt, Eugene, Mass.	2.00
Paine, Irene, left town	2.00
Pelletier, Alice, left town	2.00
Perron, Alfred E., left town	2.00

Perron, Florida E., left town	2.00
Perron, Norman, taxed twice	2.00
Plourde, Georgette, Allenstown	2.00
Poch, Anna, left town	2.00
Poch, Joseph, left town	2.00
Raymond, Ysola, Allenstown	2.00
Roberts, Albert, veteran	2.00
Ross, Edward, veteran	2.00
Severance, Henry C., veteran	2.00
Shaw, Ione, left town	2.00
Sivari, Mary L., left town	2.00
Spaulding, Elsie, Auburn, N. H.	2.00
Spicker, Donald, left town	2.00
Spicker, Shirley E., left town	2.00
Twom, Dorothy, unknown	2.00
Vezina, Rene, veteran	2.00
Viens, Leo, left town	2.00
Warren, Elizabeth, Manchester	2.00
Weber, Lois, left town	2.00
Weber, Robert, left town	2.00
Williams, Julian J., veteran	2.00
Young, William, Jr., veteran	2.00
10 over 70	20.00
3 deceased	6.00
19 unable to pay	38.00
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	\$224.00

*State Head Tax — Levy of 1952*

Debit

<i>Uncollected State Head Taxes as of</i>	
<i>January 1, 1953:</i>	\$1,635.00
<i>Added Taxes:</i>	110.00
<i>Penalties Collected:</i>	82.00
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Total Debits	\$1,827.00
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## Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

State Head Taxes	\$980.00	
Penalties	82.00	
		\$1,062.00

*Abatements:*

<i>Uncollected State Head Taxes as per Collector's List</i>		605.00
		160.00

Total Credits		\$1,827.00
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*1952 Head Tax Abatements*

Neil Boucher, left town	\$5.00
Catherine Brown, unknown	5.00
Arthur Buissiere, Allenstown	5.00
Arthur Cederlund, Candia	5.00
Roger Chevrette, in service	5.00
Antoinette Clement, Allenstown	5.00
Earl Clement, unknown	5.00
Marion Clement, unknown	5.00
Roland Clement, Allenstown	5.00
Donald Cochran, Hooksett	5.00
Rita Cochran, Hooksett	5.00
David Des Longchamps, unknown	5.00
Rowell Des Longchamps, unknown	5.00
Joseph Desrosiers, Allenstown	5.00
Stella Desrosiers, Allenstown	5.00
Hazel Foss, Manchester	5.00
Cecile Gamelin, Lisbon, Me.	5.00
Gerald Gardner, out of town	5.00
Stanley Heath, in service	5.00
Antoinette Labby, unknown	5.00
Leslie Lajoy, taxed twice	5.00
Gloria Lavoie, Allenstown	5.00
Roger Lavoie, Allenstown	5.00
Doris Lesperance, Nebraska	5.00

Steve Levesque, taxed twice	5.00
Robert Martineau, Allenstown	5.00
Frank Molan, Manchester	5.00
Gladys Molan, Manchester	5.00
David Newton, Hooksett	5.00
Bette Orcutt, Mass.	5.00
Eugene Orcutt, Mass.	5.00
Irene Paine, left town	5.00
Alfred Perron, left town	5.00
Floria Perron, left town	5.00
Norman Perron, taxed twice	5.00
Bernard Plourde, Allenstown	5.00
Georgette Plourde, Allenstown	5.00
Kenneth Purrington, Raymond	5.00
Isola Raymond, Allenstown	5.00
Roland Rondeau, taxed twice	5.00
Italo Silvari, left town	5.00
Mary Silvari, left town	5.00
Elsie Spaulding, Auburn	5.00
Harold Tilley, left town	5.00
Leo Viens, left town	5.00
Rene Allaire, Allenstown	5.00
Stella Allaire, Allenstown	5.00
Frances Benson, out of town	5.00
Oscar Benson, out of town	5.00
Maureen Boucher, left town	5.00
Dorothea Carr, left town	5.00
Howard Chamberlen, left town	5.00
Donald DesLongchamps, in service	5.00
Claude Dupont, Allenstown	5.00
Martha Dupont, Allenstown	5.00
Louis Farber, Tilton	5.00
Sherley Farber, Tilton	5.00
Joseph Fontaine, Manchester	5.00
Irene Frizzell, Hooksett	5.00
Thomas Frizzell, Hooksett	5.00
Nellie Freeman, Concord	5.00

Edmund Gagne, in service	5.00
Clarence Gosselin, Manchester	5.00
John Gould, Allenstown	5.00
Mary Gromko, Manchester	5.00
William Gromko, Manchester	5.00
Annie Hamel, Allenstown	5.00
Maynard Knowlton, duplicate	5.00
Marion Little, left town	5.00
Merrill Little, left town	5.00
Oscar Martel, left town	5.00
Anna Poch, left town	5.00
Joseph Poch, left town	5.00
Fernand Raymand, Allenstown	5.00
Gaston Raymond, Allenstown	5.00
Donald Spicker, out of town	5.00
Shirley Spicker, out of town	5.00
Estelle Turgeon, out of town	5.00
Roland Turgeon, out of town	5.00
Elizabeth Warren, Manchester	5.00
Lois Weber, left town	5.00
Robert Weber, left town	5.00
Bean, Edith, Medway, Mass.	5.00
Twom, Dorothy, unknown	5.00
10 over 70	50.00
3 deceased	15.00
24 unable to pay	120.00
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	\$605.00

*Property, Poll and Yield Taxes — Levy of 1951*

Debit

*Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1953:*

Poll Taxes	\$122.00
Yield Taxes	604.77

Total Uncollected Taxes	<hr/>	\$726.77
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*Added Taxes:*

Property Taxes	83.55
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*Interest Collected:*

45.46
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Total Debits	<u>\$855.78</u>
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## Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

Property Taxes	\$83.55
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Poll Taxes	12.00
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Yield Taxes	427.64
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Interest	45.46
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Total Remittances	<u>\$568.65</u>
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*Abatements:*

Poll Taxes	\$74.00
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Yield Taxes	144.32
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Total Abatements	<u>218.32</u>
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*Uncollected Taxes as per  
Collector's List:*

Poll Taxes	\$36.00
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Yield Taxes	32.81
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Total Uncollected Taxes	<u>68.81</u>
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Total Credits	<u>\$855.78</u>
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*Poll Tax Abatements — Levy of 1951*

Clark, Gregory, left town	\$2.00
Edmonds, Lucille, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Gauthier, Blanche, duplicate	2.00
Hayes, Walter, veteran	2.00
Hodges, George, unknown	2.00

Little, Marion, left town	2.00
Little, Maurice, left town	2.00
McAllister, Daniel M., veteran	2.00
Martel, Antoinette, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Molan, Frank M., paid in Manchester	2.00
Molan, Gladys, paid in Manchester	2.00
Silvari, Mary, left town	2.00
Twom, Dorothy, unknown	2.00
Racine, Dorothy R., unknown	2.00
Santacruse, Patsy L., veteran	2.00
Santacruse, Cecilia, paid in Concord	2.00
Cartoni, Peter, veteran	2.00
1 over 70	2.00
4 deceased	8.00
15 unable to pay	30.00
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	\$74.00

*Yield Tax Abatements — Levy of 1951*

Colby, James F., over-assessment	\$144.32
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*State Head Tax — Levy of 1951*

Debit

<i>Uncollected State Head Taxes as of</i>	
<i>January 1, 1952</i>	\$65.00
<i>Added Taxes</i>	10.00
<i>Penalties Collected</i>	1.50
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Total Debits	\$76.50
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Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

State Head Taxes	\$15.00
Penalties	1.50
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Total Remittances	\$16.50
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<i>Abatements</i>	60.00
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Total Credits	\$76.50
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*Head Tax Abatements — Levy of 1951*

Gould, John, Allenstown	\$5.00
Howard, Leon, Maine	5.00
Molan, Frank, Manchester	5.00
Molan, Gladys, Manchester	5.00
1 deceased	5.00
7 unable to pay	35.00
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	\$60.00

*Poll Taxes — Levy of 1950*

Debit

<i>Uncollected Poll Taxes as of January 1, 1953</i>	\$138.00
<i>Interest Collected During Year</i>	4.60
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Total Debits	\$142.60
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Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

Poll Taxes	\$46.00
Interest	4.60
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Total Credits	\$50.60
<i>Abatements</i>	44.00
<i>Uncollected as per Collector's List</i>	48.00
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Total Credits	\$142.60
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*Poll Tax Abatements — Levy of 1950*

Drew, Evelyn, paid in Bow	\$2.00
Edmonds, Lucille, paid in Allenstown	2.00
McCormack, Eva, paid in Pittsfield	2.00
Martel, Antoinette, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Molan, Frank M., paid in Manchester	2.00
Molan, Gladys, paid in Manchester	2.00
Richard, Norman, paid in Allenstown	2.00
Twom, Dorothy, unknown	2.00
Silvari, Mary L., left town	2.00
1 deceased	2.00
12 unable to pay	24.00
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	\$44.00

*Poll Taxes — Levy of 1949*

## Debit

<i>Uncollected Poll Taxes as of January 1, 1953</i>	\$98.00
<i>Interest Collected During Year</i>	2.40
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Total Debits	\$100.40
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## Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

Poll Taxes	\$24.00
Interest	2.40
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Total Remittances	\$26.40
<i>Abatements</i>	74.00
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Total Credits	\$100.40
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*Poll Tax Abatements — Levy of 1949*

Colletti, Ellen, left town	\$2.00
Comeau, Alice, left town	2.00
Comeau, Edward, left town	2.00
Drew, Evelyn, paid in Bow	2.00
Gagnon, Marcel, veteran	2.00
Hayes, Mabel, left town	2.00
Hyland, Alfred, paid in Hooksett	2.00
Hyland, Bessie, paid in Hooksett	2.00
Lappas, Mary, taxed twice	2.00
Marshall, Edith, unknown	2.00
Martel, Antoinette, Allenstown	2.00
Payeur, Gertrude, unknown	2.00
Rose, Alice, unknown	2.00
Silvari, Mary, left town	2.00
Twom, Dorothy, unknown	2.00
McCormack, Eva, paid in Pittsfield	2.00
21 unable to pay	42.00
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	\$74.00

*Poll Taxes — Levy of 1948*

## Debit

<i>Uncollected Poll Taxes as of January 1, 1952</i>	\$38.00
<i>Interest Collected During Year</i>	.40
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Total Debits	\$38.40
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## Credit

*Remittances to Treasurer During Year:*

Poll Taxes	\$4.00
Interest	.40
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Total Remittances	\$4.40
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<i>Abatements During Year</i>	34.00
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Total Credits	<hr/> \$38.40 <hr/>
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*Poll Tax Abatements — Levy of 1948*

Comeau, Alice, left town	\$2.00
Comeau, Edward, left town	2.00
Lefebvre, Armand, left town	2.00
Lefebvre, Mrs. Armand, left town	2.00
McCormack, James F., veteran	2.00
Martel, Antoinette, paid in Allenstown	2.00
McCormack, Eva, paid in Pittsfield	2.00
10 unable to pay	20.00
	<hr/> \$34.00

## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

As of December 31, 1953

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:				
	1952	1951	1950	1949	1948
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year .....	\$587.81				
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes, January 1, 1953 .....		\$441.28	\$218.01	\$30.76	\$16.34
Interest Collected after Sale ...		31.67	24.27		
	\$587.81	\$472.95	\$242.28	\$30.76	\$16.34
Remittances to Treasurer Dur- ing Year .....	\$18.66	\$305.42	\$195.15		
Deeded to Town .....				\$12.19	\$16.34
Abated .....		38.74	33.94	18.57	
Unredeemed Taxes — at Close of Year .....	569.15	128.79	13.19		
	\$587.81	\$472.95	\$242.28	\$30.76	\$16.34

## UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

	On Account of Levies of:		
	1952	1951	1950
Atwood, Lawrence .....	\$234.38		
Sargent, Roy .....	13.57		\$13.19
Gallien, Catherine .....	49.91	\$43.61	
Ladd, Bradley B. ....	107.30		
Wetmore, Priscilla .....		32.20	
Marvelis, Arish .....	23.57	20.78	
Robinson, John E. ....		32.20	
Gray, J. E. ....	23.57		
Hannigan, Walter G. ....	43.33		
Peaslee, Caroline C. ....	7.10		
Thompson, Mrs. Donald .....	23.57		
Williamson, Charles .....	42.85		
	\$569.15	\$128.79	\$13.19

K. DONALD WOODBURY,  
*Tax Collector*

**PEMBROKE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
POLICE REPORT**

**January 1, 1953 to Dec. 31, 1953**

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Disorderly Conduct	9
Disturbing the Peace	8
Drunks	4
Doors found unlocked	18
Gas Pumps found unlocked	4
Lodgers	11
Notifying Public Service Co. of N. H.	55
Robberies	1
Speeding	1
Driving under influence	1

Respectfully submitted,

**LEO A. PLOURDE,**  
*Chief of Police*



## CUSTODIAN OF CEMETERIES

1953

### *Receipts*

On hand December 31, 1952	\$33.28	
Town of Pembroke, appropriation	1,010.00	
Trustees of Trust Funds, interest, 1953	400.50	
	_____	\$1,443.78

### *Payments*

James McCormack, labor	\$689.00	
John McCormack, labor	320.00	
Earl McCormack, labor	101.00	
Bernard McCormack, labor	16.00	
Greenlands Services, Inc., repairs to mower, etc.	36.25	
Clippers	2.10	
W. S. Edmunds, grinding Lawn- mowers, etc	33.25	
Leo A. Plourde, labor	75.75	
Thompson & Hoague, hardware	1.50	
Kimball's, gas and oil for mowers	9.00	
Suncook Bank, service charge	.75	
	_____	1,284.60
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1953		\$159.18

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

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Selectmen,  
Pembroke, N. H.

Dear Sirs:

Herewith is a report of the Health work which has been done in your community by the Bureau of Public Health Nursing of the N. H. State Department of Health, co-operating with local agencies as represented through the Local Child Health Conference Committee.

### Child Health Conferences:

Number held	5
Total Attendance	92

### Immunization Clinics:

Number held	5
Total Attendance	220

Very truly yours,

GERTRUDE J. SNOW

*Public Health Nurse*

*Bureau of Public Health Nursing  
N. H. State Department of Health*

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF  
PEMBROKE LIBRARY**

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For year ending December 31, 1953

*Receipts*

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953	\$580.89
From Selectmen (1953 appr.)	1,000.00
Foss Fund dividends (1953)	60.75
	\$1,641.64

*Expenditures*

Librarian	\$216.56
Social Security (Librarian)	7.09
Rent	420.00
Insurance	31.88
Lights	35.41
Books	470.12
Magazines	29.45
Supplies and cataloguing	25.77
Cleaning and painting	67.21
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953	338.15
	\$1,641.64

ALICE JACOB,  
*Treasurer*

## REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

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### People Play a Vital Part in Our Forest Fire Problems

A review of the 1953 fire season proves the vital part people play in the never ending battle to prevent forest fires.

In this fire district there were 133 fires in 26 of the district's 30 towns; 409 acres were burned over and it cost \$9,499.97 to extinguish them. This figure was reduced somewhat through payment of fire costs by persons responsible for illegal fires, fires which escaped from control and fires caused by their carelessness. Costs were abnormally high this year due to protracted periods of dry weather which increased the difficulty of extinguishing fires.

Eighty-eight percent of the 133 fires were man-caused and could have been prevented. They tell a story which needs to be carefully studied. Some people were careless in disposing of smoking material and camp fires; others burned without the required warden permit — disregarding weather, forest conditions and the normal safeguards recognized and considered by the warden in issuing permits. Other fires resulted from children playing with matches, carelessly handled fireworks, faulty railroad and truck equipment, etc.

These fires cost a lot to extinguish, most of which could have been avoided — this affects taxes; local business was interrupted by men leaving their jobs to extinguish the fires; trees that might otherwise have built houses, repaired bridges and supplied raw materials for local industries were destroyed; seedling growth — the future timber crop was wiped out.

This picture can, however, be reversed if people who offend could be impressed with the importance of observing the simple but essential common sense safeguards that will prevent forest fires. They are:

1. Care in disposing of lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches in and near woodlands.
2. Care in selecting camp fire sites and completely extinguishing them.
3. Consultation with the local forest fire warden before burning to secure the required permit.

People play a vital part in our forest fire problem.

It is EVERYONE'S job to HELP PREVENT FOREST FIRES.

THOMAS J. KING,  
District Fire Chief

ALFRED METIVIER,  
Forest Fire Warden

### **1953 Local Fire Record**

Number of Fires — 2

Acreage Burned — 95

No. Fire Permits Issued — 49

**REPORT OF PEMBROKE FIRE DEPARTMENT**

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*To the Board of Selectmen and the  
Citizens of Pembroke:*

In submitting the annual Fire Department report to the townspeople, I am proud to say that we have continued the program of improvement that had been set. In my mind the most important development was the purchase of two-way radios for the apparatus. At the present time, two units have been installed and the reception from various sections of the town is very good. Two other radio units are expected shortly and these will be installed when they arrive. The radio system cost in excess of \$1,700 and we were able to acquire this needed equipment without any assistance from the town as a result of a fund sponsored by the firemen through its annual ball. Last year, a sum of \$600 was realized from the event and this was placed against the cost of the radio expense. We were also fortunate in having the Civilian Defense absorb half of the cost of the radio equipment. The balance of our share will be paid off from receipts we expect from the 1954 firemen's ball. Two overhead doors were also built, without any extra cost to the town, in the building housing the Ladder truck and the White pumper. During the year, members of the department acted as janitor for the fire station building and the money normally allowed to a janitor was used to pay for the doors. The 1926 Ahrens Fox pumper was put out of commission earlier in the year while responding to a fire and rather than go into the heavy expense of rebuilding the engine, a similar truck in good running condition was purchased for \$500 from the Manchester Fire Department. The problem of much needed hose will be taken care of in the next few years with the

budgeting of a sum of money every year to purchase some 300 ft. of 2½ inch and 200 fet of 1½ inch hose. It will be noted that the number of calls in 1953 was double the number of the previous year. The greater cost of fires plus the sum allocated to purchase another piece of apparatus was largely responsible for the rise in the department's budget. A grave problem is facing the Fire Department and the townspeople this year as a result of the installation of dial phones in the town. Under the present set-up, persons could call up the operator to sound the alarm for a fire. With the dial system in operation, it will not be possible to do this because of many reasons. However, officials of the Town and Fire Department are working on a solution and when a decision is reached, proper notification to all residents on the use of the new alarm system will be made. In conclusion, the department wishes to express its sincere appreciation to all persons for their cooperation and we pledge our continued effort in improving the efficiency of the department.

ALFRED METIVIER,

*Fire Chief*

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Pembroke, N. H., on December 31, 1953

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest Per Cent	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1911	Warren D. Foss	Library Fund	The Suncook Bank	\$2,000.00	\$46.52	3	\$60.75	\$60.75	\$50.33
1935	Helen Eastman	Library Fund	The Suncook Bank	80.99	626.54	3	3.81		757.83
1937	Town of Pembroke	Library Fund	The Suncook Bank	4,500.00	189.47	3	131.28		189.21
1889	Sarah P. Knox	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	500.00	31.35	3	20.74	21.00	31.29
1894	Deborah P. Knox	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	62.93	3	4.44	2.50	62.80
1888	E. W. Upham	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	147.21	3	4.87	5.00	140.67
1903	Mary E. Kimball	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	300.00	486.01	3	13.46	20.00	475.69
1907	Vesta M. Abbott	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	500.00	62.85	3	29.68	40.00	62.72
1910	Ellen R. Hayes	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	167.00	3	4.87	5.00	62.72
1907	A. T. K. McFarland	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	167.00	3	11.05	15.00	163.05
1907	Sarah Blanchard	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	81.22	3	5.44	5.00	81.66
1911	John A. Bartlett	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	58.17	3	4.75	5.00	57.92
1917	P. E. Richardson	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	11.96	3	1.83	1.00	12.79
1918	Mary E. Adams	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	7.74	3	1.71	1.00	8.45
1919	Annie B. Thompson	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	250.00	65.63	3	9.47	8.00	67.10
1921	William W. Fife	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	37.98	3	4.12	4.00	38.10
1921	Mary E. Osgood	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	82.73	3	8.48	9.00	82.21
1921	George and Robert West	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	39.06	3	4.18	3.00	40.24
1921	Ellen W. Kimball	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	6.33	3	1.68	1.00	7.01
1923	D. D. Richardson	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	600.00	179.61	3	23.42	25.00	178.03
1924	John F. Clifford	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	39.14	3	4.18	3.00	40.32
1924	Willis N. Noyes	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	250.00	122.49	3	11.20	15.00	118.69
1925	Winthrop Fowler	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	25.85	3	3.77	4.00	25.62
1927	Mary W. Morrison	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	75.95	3	8.27	8.00	76.22
1927	Jonathan Payson	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	23.60	3	3.70	3.00	24.30
1927	Timothy Drew	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	21.27	3	3.64	3.00	21.91
1928	Adin G. Fowler	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	21.00	3	3.64	3.00	21.64



1928	T. L. Fowler	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	18.30	3	3.55	4.00	17.85
1928	Henry T. Fowler	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	18.02	3	3.55	3.00	18.57
1928	Nancy S. Colby	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	20.72	3	3.61	3.00	21.33
1928	Philip Holt	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	17.28	3	3.52	3.00	17.80
1928	Annie O. Drake	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	16.51	3	3.49	3.00	17.00
1928	George P. Morgan	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	20.51	3	3.61	8.00	21.12
1928	Annette K. Knox	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	48.50	3	7.46	3.00	47.96
1928	Samuel D. Robinson	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	23.00	3	3.70	3.00	23.70
1928	Bailey Parker	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	14.82	3	1.92	1.00	15.74
1929	James Stevens	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	20.09	3	3.61	3.00	20.70
1929	Daniel T. Merrill	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	14.26	3	3.43	3.00	14.69
1929	George W. Sargent	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	26.65	3	5.29	4.00	27.94
1929	Frank L. Aldrich	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	300.00	68.80	3	11.07	12.00	67.87
1930	Edwin Dearborn	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	18.77	3	5.05	4.00	19.82
1930	True W. Fowler	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	20.75	3	3.61	3.00	21.36
1930	Jacob Woods	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	500.00	126.38	3	18.84	25.00	120.22
1931	Freeman Haynes	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	32.57	3	6.98	6.00	33.55
1932	David S. Batchelder	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	14.87	3	3.43	2.00	16.30
1933	Samuel E. Moore	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	300.00	46.96	3	10.41	10.00	47.37
1933	William H. Thompson	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	12.52	3	3.37	2.00	13.89
1934	Charles V. Fischer	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	4.70	3	1.62	1.00	5.32
1934	Chauncey C. French	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	11.59	3	3.34	3.00	11.93
1934	William Haseltine	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	15.38	3	4.96	3.00	17.34
1934	Jeremiah Wilkins	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	10.44	3	3.31	3.00	10.75
1934	Crosby Knox	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	11.79	3	3.34	3.00	12.13
1934	F. S. Whitehouse	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	250.00	29.88	3	8.39	8.00	30.27
1935	Solomon Whitehouse	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	18.77	3	5.05	4.00	19.82
1935	Hall Wilkins	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	9.79	3	3.28	3.00	10.07
1936	George E. Miller	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	9.11	3	3.28	2.00	10.39
1936	Stephen A. Bates	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	99.61	3	8.97	108.58	15.48
1936	Charles N. Quimby	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	14.05	3	3.43	2.00	15.48
1937	Benjamin Fowler	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	7.70	3	3.22	2.00	8.92
1938	Alice Holt	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	10.22	3	3.31	3.00	10.53
1937	William N. Johnston	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	9.10	3	3.28	2.00	10.38
1939	Rowell and Worcester	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	9.10	3	3.28	2.00	10.38
1939	Horace Batchelder	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	8.10	3	3.25	2.00	9.35
1939	Jeremiah Wilkins	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	7.49	3	3.22	2.00	8.71
1940	Martin H. Cochran	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	250.00	24.61	3	8.23	2.00	30.84
1941	George D. Harris	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	6.55	3	3.19	2.00	7.74
1942	Julia E. Cass	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	6.17	3	3.19	2.00	7.36
1942	Charles A. Gile	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	5.08	3	3.16	2.00	6.24
1944	Minot R. Fife	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	3.85	3	3.09	2.00	4.94
1945	James E. Adams	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	300.00	24.01	3	9.73	2.00	31.74

## Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Pembroke, N. H., on December 31, 1953

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance Beginning of Year	Rate of Interest Per Cent	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1945	Walter Hayward	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	300.00	17.39	3	9.53	8.00	18.92
1946	Thomas Brasley	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	6.61	3	3.19	2.00	7.80
1946	Annie M. Edgerley	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	7.03	3	3.22	2.00	8.25
1946	Albert Mason	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	50.00	3.06	3	1.59	1.00	3.65
1947	Berton C. Goward	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	8.76	3	3.24	3.00	11.00
1949	Charles Baker	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	5.21	3	4.66	3.00	6.87
1949	Frederick B. Eaton	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	8.84	3	6.25	4.00	11.09
1950	Freeman G. Hewey	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	100.00	4.18	3	3.12	1.00	6.30
1950	Mabel G. Morrison	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	7.81	3	6.21	1.00	13.02
1951	Fred M. Pettengill	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	.63	3	4.49	1.00	4.12
1951	George B. Lake	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	3.00	3	6.10	3.00	6.10
1952	Charles H. Ruggles	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	150.00	1.50	3	4.53	2.00	4.03
1953	Herbert W. Glidden	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	.....	3	2.50	.....	2.50
1953	Hallett Patten	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	205.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1953	Charles E. Cushing	Cemetery Fund	The Suncook Bank	200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals.....				\$3,751.00	\$653.68	\$461.25	\$3,943.43		

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

**HARRY K. ROGERS,**  
**ALONZO J. BATES,**  
**JOSEPH H. ROBINSON, Trustees**

**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

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We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds and Custodian of Cemeteries and find same correctly cast and properly vouched and balances on hand in the bank in all cases.

DONALD P. KITTREDGE,  
RICHARD D. DELESDERNIER,  
*Auditors*

**REPORT  
OF AN AUDIT AND EXAMINATION  
OF THE ACCOUNTS  
OF THE  
TOWN OF PEMBROKE**

**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING**

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**STATE TAX COMMISSION  
Concord, New Hampshire**

November 18, 1953

Board of Selectmen  
Pembroke, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the Town of Pembroke which was made by this Division, acting under authority of Chapter 82, Section 27, of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, which provides in part as follows:

“Audit on Motion of Commission. The Commission may cause an audit to be made of the accounts of any city, town, school district, village district or precinct, as often as once in two years, or whenever conditions appear to it to warrant such. \* \* \* \*”

This audit covered the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, and the period from January 1st to October 24th, 1953. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report which is made up in three sections as follows:

Section I — Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1952

Section II — Period January 1st to October 24th, 1953

Section III — Ten Year Statement of Indebtedness, Valuation and Taxes

**SCOPE OF AUDIT**

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds, Municipal Court, Library and Treasurer of Cemetery Custodians.

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

Comparative Balance Sheets — December 31, 1951 - December 31, 1952:  
(Exhibit A)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1951 and December 31, 1952, are presented in Exhibit A. As indicated therein, the Net Debt decreased by \$2,229.31 during 1952.

**Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit B)**

An analysis of the change in financial condition of the Town during the year is made in Exhibit B, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

<b>Decreases in Net Debt</b>	
Water Bonds Retired	\$14,000.00
Long Term Notes Retired	2,075.00
Appropriation for 1951 Deficit	4,910.72
1951 Head Taxes Not Collected but Paid to State	65.00
	\$21,050.72
<b>Increases in Net Debt</b>	
Net Budget Deficit (Exhibit D)	\$16,142.66
Increase in Yield Tax Reserve	1,642.60
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	992.95
Increase in Accounts Payable	43.20
	18,821.41
<b>Net Decrease</b>	<b>\$2,229.31</b>

**Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures — Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits C & D)**

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, are presented in Exhibits C and D. As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit D), a net overdraft of appropriations of \$19,712.99, less a net revenue surplus of \$3,570.33, resulted in a net budget deficit of \$16,142.66.

**Summary of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit E)**

A summary of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit E. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of October 24th, 1953, is indicated in Exhibit O.

**AUDIT PROCEDURE**

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks.

## GENERAL COMMENTS

### Current Deficit:

The balance sheets of December 31, 1951 and December 31, 1952 (Exhibit A), indicate that the current deficit (excess of current liabilities over total assets) increased from \$6,675.99 to \$20,521.68, during 1952, as shown herewith:

	Dec. 31, 1951	Dec. 31, 1952
Total Current Liabilities	\$43,552.14	\$48,951.42
Total Assets	36,876.15	28,429.74
	<u>        </u>	<u>        </u>
<b>Current Deficit</b>	<b><u>\$6,675.99</u></b>	<b><u>\$20,521.68</u></b>

To remain in sound financial condition, a town should at all times have sufficient assets to meet its current liabilities. The factor chiefly responsible for a town being in a deficit position is the accumulation of annual budget deficits resulting from appropriation overdrafts. This condition can be remedied only by more careful budget preparation and closer adherence to the appropriations which are authorized by the town meeting.

### Appropriation Overdrafts:

It is noted that in the year 1952 there were total appropriation overdrafts of \$21,524.46, unexpended balances of appropriations of \$1,811.47, and a resultant net overdraft of appropriations of \$19,712.99, as indicated by the budget summary in Exhibit D. The larger appropriation overdrafts were in the following accounts:

Town Maintenance	\$9,829.12
State Aid Construction	2,789.46
Sewer Construction	2,473.65
Rubbish Collection	1,304.64

### Town Clerk:

A shortage in the amount of \$3,279.30 was found to exist in the Town Clerk's motor vehicle permit and dog license accounts. Certain credits on account of salary and fees due the Clerk, amounting to \$484.30, were deducted from the amount of shortage, leaving a balance due the Town from the Clerk of \$2,795.00. The shortage was discovered on October 27th, 1953, and the following day, October 28th, restitution in full was made to the Town by the Clerk by means of a Cashier's check issued by The Suncook Bank in the amount of \$2,795.00.

Two schedules in reference to this account are presented in Exhibits T-1 and T-2.

### Yield Tax Account:

A special bank account designated as the "Yield Tax Account" has been established to which *all* yield tax collections are transferred. As of October 24th, 1953, yield tax collections totaling \$5,563.01, had been deposited in this account. The amount of the "Reserve for Future Yield Tax Loss," as of October 24th, 1953, amounted to \$3,737.82. Inasmuch as the amount of the yield tax collections deposited in the special account (\$5,563.01) exceeded the amount of the

"Reserve for Future Yield Tax Loss" (\$3,737.82) by \$1,825.19, the excess of \$1,825.19 should be transferred back into the general fund.

If the special bank account is to be continued, the amount on deposit should not exceed at any time the amount of the "Reserve for Future Yield Tax Loss," which represents the excess of yield tax collections over the annual tax loss based upon the five year average valuation of growing wood and timber.

However, it is not necessary to set up a special fund for this account. The usual procedure is to have *all* yield tax collections retained in the general fund with an offsetting liability account for the "Reserve for Future Yield Tax Loss."

A warrant should be committed to the Collector for the collection of yield taxes.

#### **Accounting for Withholding Taxes and Social Security Deductions:**

A standard procedure for handling these accounts should be adopted and maintained throughout the year.

It is recommended that two columns in the book in which the Selectmen's payments are recorded be designated for this purpose. One column should be headed "withholding Taxes" and the other "Social Security Deductions." When a payroll voucher is issued, the net amount of the payroll (total amount earned less withholding taxes and social security deductions) will be the amount for which the check is drawn and the amount which is entered in the total payments column. The gross amount of the payroll (total amount earned) will be entered in the proper classification column or columns. The totals of the withholding taxes and social security deductions should then be entered in red in the columns designated for this purpose. When checks are issued to the Collector of Internal Revenue for income taxes withheld and to the State of New Hampshire for social security deductions, the amounts of such checks, representing total quarterly withholdings and deductions, should be entered in the total payments column only. This will bring the total payments column into balance with the classification of expenditures columns.

#### **Conclusion:**

The provisions of Section 31, Chapter 211, of the Laws of 1939, require that this report or a summary of its essential features shall be published in the next annual town report. This letter of transmittal should be included in its entirety but the inclusion of Exhibits is optional.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Pembroke for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

Harold G. Fowler  
Director

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION

C. David Sullivan, Auditor  
Hugh J. Cassidy, Accountant

**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING  
STATE TAX COMMISSION  
Concord, New Hampshire**

November 18, 1953

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**Certificate of Audit**

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Pembroke for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1952, and the period from January 1st to October 24th, 1953. In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town on December 31, 1952, and the results of operations for the fiscal year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

**HAROLD G. FOWLER, *Director***  
Division of Municipal Accounting  
State Tax Commission

**C. DAVID SULLIVAN, *Auditor***  
**HUGH J. CASSIDY, *Accountant***



SCHOOL REPORTS



ANNUAL REPORT OF THE  
PEMBROKE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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*Moderator*

ERWIN A. CHASE

*District Clerk*

BEATRICE MICHAUD

*School Board*

JOHN L. SATURLEY	Term expires 1954
DONALD R. STEVENS	Term expires 1955
ALICE REEN	Term expires 1956

*District Treasurer*

FRANCES McDONNELL

*Auditor*

GEORGE P. COFRAN

*Superintendent of Schools*

MURRAY H. WATSON  
South Deerfield, N. H.

*Truant Officer*

WALTER BERGEVIN

*Enumerator*

GERMAINE W. DOWST

## FINANCIAL REPORT

For the School Year Ending June 30, 1953

### Receipts

*Federal Aid:*

Smith-Hughes — George		
Barden	\$1,292.06	
National School Lunch	884.70	
		\$2,176.76

*State Aid:*

Foundation Aid		2,921.26
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*Local Taxation:*

Current Appropriation		88,119.79
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*Other Sources:*

Elementary School Tuition	\$135.00	
Other	172.08	
		307.08

Total Receipts from all sources	\$93,524.89
Cash on hand — July 1, 1952	204.95

Grand Total — Net Receipts	\$93,729.84
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### Payments

*Administration:*

Salaries of District Officers	\$444.00	
Superintendent's Salary —		
Local share	918.36	
Per Capita Tax	782.00	
Salaries of Other Administra-		
tive Personnel	452.80	
Supplies and Expenses	407.91	
		\$3,005.07

*Instruction:*

Teachers' Salaries	\$27,232.40
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Books & Other Instruc-		
tional Aids	758.54	
Scholars' Supplies	1,088.42	
Supplies & Other Expenses	120.42	
	<hr/>	29,199.78
<i>Operation of School Plant:</i>		
Salaries of Janitors	\$2,546.46	
Fuel or Heat	2,063.97	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	1,387.22	
	<hr/>	5,997.65
<i>Maintenance of School Plant:</i>		
Repairs and replacements		702.20
<i>Auxiliary Activities:</i>		
Health Supervision	\$1,274.68	
Transportation	5,089.47	
Tuition	25,929.18	
School Lunch	1,098.26	
	<hr/>	33,391.59
<i>Fixed Charges:</i>		
Retirement — Local Share	\$1,954.62	
Insurance, Treas. Bond &		
Expenses	977.03	
	<hr/>	2,931.65
<i>Capital Outlay:</i>		
New Equipment		5,195.31
<i>Debt and Interest:</i>		
Principal of Debt	\$10,000.00	
Interest on Debt	3,200.00	
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Total Net Payments for All Purposes	\$93,623.25	
Cash on Hand at End of Year, June 30, 1953		106.59
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Grand Total — Net Payments	\$93,729.84	

## BALANCE SHEET

*Assets*

Cash on Hand June 30, 1953	\$106.59
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Total Assets	\$106.59
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities over Assets)	155,275.86
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Grand Total	\$155,382.45

*Liabilities*

Invoices Outstanding	\$382.45
Bonds and Notes Outstanding	155,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$155,382.45
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Grand Total	\$155,382.45

*Status of School Notes and Bonds*

Outstanding at Beginning of Year	\$165,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	10,000.00
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Notes & Bonds Outstanding at End of Year	\$155,000.00

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon form prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

JOHN L. SATURLEY  
DONALD R. STEVENS  
ALICE REEN

*School Board*

MURRAY H. WATSON

*Superintendent of Schools*

July 13, 1953

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the School Board of Pembroke, New Hampshire, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GEORGE P. COFRAN,  
*Auditor*

July 13, 1953

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953

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### *Summary*

Cash on hand June 30, 1952 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$204.95
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriation for the current year	88,119.79
Received from State Treasurer:	
Federal Funds	2,176.76
State Funds	2,921.26
Received from tuitions	135.00
Received from all Other Sources	172.08
Total Receipts	<hr style="width: 100%; border: 0.5px solid black;"/> \$93,524.89
Total Amount Available for the Fiscal Year	<hr style="width: 100%; border: 0.5px solid black;"/> \$93,729.84
Less School Board Orders Paid	93,623.25
Balance on hand June 30, 1953 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	<hr style="width: 100%; border: 0.5px solid black;"/> \$106.59

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Pembroke, New Hampshire, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953 and find them correct in all respect.

GEORGE P. COFRAN,  
*Auditor*

### Budgets for 1953-54 and 1954-55

<i>Items</i>	1953-54	1954-55
1. Salaries of District Officers	\$452.00	\$452.00
2. Superintendent's salary — local share	990.00	900.00
3. Per Capita Tax — State Wide Supervision	740.00	774.00
4. Salaries of Other Adminis- trative Officers	450.00	460.00
5. Administration — Supplies and Expenses	450.00	400.00
6. Teachers' Salaries	29,000.00	32,125.00
7. Books & Other Instruc- tional Aids	1,000.00	800.00
8. Scholars' Supplies	1,000.00	1,000.00
10. Other Expenses of Instruction	200.00	260.00
11. Services of Janitors	2,616.00	2,666.00
12. Fuel or Heat	2,200.00	2,200.00
13. Water, Light, and Janitors' Supplies	1,000.00	1,000.00
14. Repairs and Replacements	900.00	900.00



15. Health Supervision	1,350.00	1,350.00
16. Transportation	6,000.00	6,500.00
17. Tuition	27,500.00	32,600.00
18. Special Activities —		
School Lunch	400.00	400.00
19. Retirement — Local Share	2,200.00	2,500.00
20. Insurance, Treasurer's Bond		
& Expenses	1,000.00	800.00
23. New Equipment	700.00	600.00
25. Principal of Debt	10,000.00	10,000.00
26. Interest on Debt	3,000.00	2,800.00

Total Amount required to meet Budget	\$93,148.00	\$101,487.00
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DEDUCT estimated income — State Aid	475.08	1,435.09
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Total Amount required to be raised and appropriated to balance the School Board's Budget	\$92,672.92	\$100,051.91
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JOHN L. SATURLEY  
DONALD R. STEVENS  
ALICE REEN

*School Board*

February 1, 1954  
Pembroke, New Hampshire

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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February 1, 1954

*To the School Board of Pembroke:*

May I present my seventh annual report of the schools of Pembroke and at the same time take the opportunity to thank the members of the Board for the generous help and understanding in our attempt to solve the problems of the district.

In any school system of this size there are usually one or two changes in the personnel each year. Due to increased enrollments in Grade one it became necessary to divide the group and assign two teachers to them. Mrs. Bertha M. Hickey and Miss Catherine Noonan became the logical choices. Mrs. Rebecca Ricard moved along with her same group into Grade two; Mrs. Gertrude E. Chase continued in Grade three; Miss Jane Hall, an experienced teacher, replaced Mrs. Thompson, who accepted a position in Rye, N. H., in Grade four; Mrs. Florence Stone returned to Grade five; Mrs. Helen Desmarais, after an absence of two years, became the teacher in Grade six; Mr. Tierney in Grade seven; and Mr. Morin and Mr. Donaghey in Grade 8; Mrs. Reed as music teacher in all grades; and Mrs. Severance as instructor in Grades 7 and 8 in Homemaking. Mr. Donaghey with his administration, supervision, physical and social activities of the entire school made up the total staff.

You should know if you do not already, that your building custodian, Mr. Bergevin, is really an added teacher. His understanding of people, handling of children, desire to keep the building in tip-top condition, and his patience, time and energy in the face of

great inconvenience has proven his value to the educational system.

As the new year is not too far off when attention must be given to the housing of the children for 1954-55, we must again face enrollment increases. A few short years ago the present eighth grade entered the old building about 45 strong. This was the largest class up to date in the history of the school. At the time of its entrance no provision was made to split it because of lack of funds. This class has been handicapped ever since. An attempt was made to add a remedial teacher in order to help those children who, because of the lack of time of the teacher, regardless of efficiency, were unable to get the reading and arithmetic fundamentals. This group of children have been shifted at various intervals since in order to make up to them what they missed during the early part of their educational growth.

At the opening of school last September we had a similar situation with over 50 youngsters entering Grade one where 25 should be the top number in any primary grade. However, the Board prepared for this emergency and determined to give them an even chance to begin their educational careers with the tools needed by all children who enter Grade one — the ability to be exposed honestly for a reasonable length of time to the fundamental principles of reading, writing, and arithmetic, as well as living in harmony with their classmates. The problem was solved by dividing Grade one into two groups and using one teacher for each group. The results have proved all that was expected.

Again in September this year we shall have the same problem. Our estimates show that there will be approximately 50 children who will enter Grade one in September 1954. This means that this group should be divided also and a new teacher added. Those parents

who will have children entering the Pembroke Elementary school for the first time must decide whether the cost of a new teacher is more important than the education of their children. You cannot blame the teacher for not giving children their chances to grow educationally when you curtail the teaching time of the teacher. It is the taxpayer who provides the means, not the teacher. The budget calls for this added instructor and citizens and parents are strongly urged to carefully consider this problem.

The second important problem which again must be faced squarely is the problem of tuition. This problem is almost beyond the power of the citizens of the town to change because nearly every secondary school to which students are sent, the tuition will be greater than the tuition set at the Academy. And where the tuition is less, the cost of transportation must be taken into consideration.

At the risk of boring you a moment or two, may I place before you a few figures? At the close of this school year in June 1954, Pembroke will have sent to the Academy 117 pupils. At \$250 per pupil this begins to take on considerable size from a monetary point of view. Not only does it bring close to home the increased cost of education, but at the last session of the legislature a bill was passed that requires by law that all children who have not reached the age of 16 years **MUST** attend a secondary school if there is one in the district. Before the bill became law, a child graduating from Grade 8 at 14 years could leave school. Recent figures show that this has held boys and girls in the Academy this year, at least in part, by the number of drop-outs last year as compared to this year.

Whether this is a good law or not, it still places the burden on the taxpayer to pay the tuition bill. Next year there will be at least 100 students enter the freshman class in September at the Academy and out of the

entire enrollment there will be at least 120, and perhaps more, from Pembroke. The tuition is to be \$270 per pupil. You can, by quick calculation, get the rough tuition cost — \$32,400. As a comparison, the tuition costs to other high schools are — Concord, \$325; Sanborn Seminary \$275; Manchester \$300; Raymond \$300; Coe-Brown Academy \$315. This problem is a very important one and must be solved in terms of housing at the Academy because the Trustees must give these children sent to them by the town an adequate education for the money invested by the taxpayers of the surrounding towns.

This brief discussion brings out sharply the need for a broader tax base and the only people who can solve it are the citizens of the State who must provide some help from State Aid. The answer must be positive, not negative — we must believe in education in every town and provide for it, not see how little must be raised to get by. America has grown from a matter of 100,000 souls in 1790 to nearly 160,000,000 souls in 1954. The children of today will be the men and women of tomorrow who will solve our problems and preserve our heritage. They must be educated.

May I again express my thanks and appreciation to the members of the School Board, the teachers, children, and every individual person who has faith in the American school system and the attempt which is being made to improve it. Only through this cooperation will the children of the town become informed men and women of tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

MURRAY H. WATSON,  
*Superintendent of Schools*

**Statistical Report of the Schools of Pembroke,  
New Hampshire**

Item	Grades		Aggregates and Averages
	1-8	9-12	
Half-days in session . . . . .	360	360	360
Total enrollment . . . . .	273	186	459
Average membership . . . . .	245	171	416
Percent of attendance . . . . .	94	95	94.5
Percent of Promotions . . . . .	97	97	97
Number of pupils transported by district . . . . .	95	0	95
Number of pupils neither absent or tardy . . . . .	8	12	20
Number of tardinesses per pupil	.56	.7	.63
Number visits — School Board & Trustees . . . . .	15	8	23
Number visits — Superinten- dent . . . . .	41	59	100
Number visits — School Nurse	58	0	58
Number visits — All others . . .	85	200	285

**ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE**

Raymond Brasley	Carole Chase
Thomas Ladd	John Lavertu
Joan MacKenzie	Sandra McCormack
Thomas Severance	Robert Stimson

**EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES**

Norman Landon Adams	Sandra Ruth Gould
Charles Edward Bachelder	Arthur Edward Harriman
Elsie Evelyn Baum	Charles Kern Holtz
Leroy Emile Belanger	Genevieve Cathryn Knoch
Alice Patricia Cantara	Thomas Stephen Ladd
Peter Vance Chandler	Joan Ellen MacKenzie
Yvette Pearl Chaput	Norman Philip Martel
Sandra Elaine Chase	Hallie Ronald Nightingale
Linda Lou Cutting	Marian Evelyn Ricard
George Maxwell Foskett	Robert John Stevens
Roberta Jane Foss	Edward Louis Thibeault
Katherine Lynda Freeman	Shirley Ann Thompson
William Gagne	Maurice Robert Wilcox
Betty Ann Gay	Robert David Williamson

**SCHOOL CALENDAR**

January to June 1954 —

Schools Open	Monday, January 4
Schools Close	Friday, February 19
Schools Open	Monday, March 1
Schools Close	Friday, April 23
Schools Open	Monday, May 3
Schools Close	... At completion of 180 days in June

September to December 1954 (Tentative) —

Schools Open	Wednesday, September 8
Schools Close	Wednesday, November 24
Schools Open	Monday, November 29
Schools Close	Wednesday, December 22

*Holidays*

October 12	Tuesday, Columbus Day
October 14 & 15	Thursday & Friday, Teachers' Convention
November 11	Thursday, Armistice Day
November 25 & 26	Thursday & Friday, Thanksgiving



## SCHOOL LUNCH FUND

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### *Receipts*

National School Lunch	\$884.70
District General Fund	200.00
Receipts from Sales of Lunches	3,835.22
All other sources	40.57
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Total Receipts	\$4,960.49
Cash on hand July 1, 1952	99.85
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Grand Total	\$5,060.34

### *Payments*

Food	\$3,049.61
Labor	1,814.00
Other	151.44
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Total Payments	\$5,015.05
Cash on hand June 30, 1953	45.29
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Grand Total	\$5,060.34

MYRTLE L. CURRIER,  
*Lunch Supervisor*

**ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT**  
**1952-1953**

Total number of pupils examined 284

Defects	No. Cases	Number of Pupils Seen or Treated By Family Physician
Heart	1	1
Vision	14	21
Hearing	2	2
Skin	2	2
Scalp	1	1
Posture	14	
Speech	10	3
Teeth	201	104
Tonsils	7	11
Vision Tests		284
Hearing Tests		284
Inspections		43
Heights		249
Weights		249
First Aid		41
Chicken Pox		24
Measles		1
Whooping Cough		1
Mumps		16
Pediculosis		2
Impetigo		3
Scarlet Fever		2
No. successfully vaccinated		249

Clinics and Special Referrals	Examined	Treated
Dental	24	24
Mental Hygiene	7	7
Convulsive	2	2
Preschool	34	
Well Child Conference	23	23
Orthopedic	2	2
T.B.	7	
Pediatric	6	6
Chest X-Ray	7	

Respectfully submitted,

ADONIA DOUILLETTE, R.N.,

*School Nurse*

**REPORT OF SCHOOL BUS OPERATION 1952-53**

Gas, Oil and Repairs	\$303.35
Garage Rent	120.00
Driver	600.00
Insurance	131.27
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	\$1,154.62
Less Gas Tax Refund	40.88
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	\$1,113.74
Depreciation (6 years)	833.00
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	\$1,946.74
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Bus driven 7,000 miles	

## REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF PEMBROKE ACADEMY

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*To the Trustees of Pembroke Academy and the Superintendent of Schools:*

This is my sixteenth annual report as Principal of Pembroke Academy. It includes the school's organization and educational activities for the year 1953.

### *Enrollment and Teaching Staff*

School opened Wednesday, September 9, 1953, with an enrollment of 196 students, 88 boys and 108 girls. Since then, seven more students have enrolled making 91 boys and 112 girls, or a total of 203. To date, seven students have left school, four boys and three girls, but two of these are continuing their education elsewhere.

The teaching staff of nine full-time and two part-time teachers includes four teaching at Pembroke Academy for the first time. Mr. William Vaughn, a graduate of Boston University, succeeded Mr. Chester Steckevicz who is now teaching in Merrimack High School. Mr. Vaughn has the Social Studies. Mr. Redmond Carroll, a graduate of Springfield College, has charge of the Physical Education Program and teaches Biology. Mr. Raymond Tremblay, a graduate of Salem Teachers College, succeeded Miss Patricia Gorman (now Mrs. John McCarthy) in the Commercial Department and Miss Evelyn Rush has taken over the English and French courses from Miss Frances Nourse (now Mrs. Bernard McCarthy). Miss Rush has taught for the past eight years in Benedicta High School in Maine. The present teaching staff is as follows:

Jarvis T. Beal, Principal, Administration and Science  
Edward W. Currier, Assistant Principal, Mathematics, Science

Alice W. Bean, Home Economics, Noon Lunch Program  
 Redmond C. Carroll, Physical Education, Biology, Girls' Basketball, Baseball  
 Nicholas K. Gardner, English, Latin, General Math., Basketball, Yearbook  
 Raymond A. Tremblay, Commercial Subjects, Student Activities, Finances  
 Thomas N. McKnight, Industrial Arts, Driver Training  
 Evelyn V. Rush, English, French  
 William J. Vaughn, Social Studies  
 Mabel Reed, Music  
 Elizabeth C. Morrill, Public Speaking and Dramatics  
 Trueworthy Fowler, Custodian  
 Adine Chase, Noon Lunch Program  
 Flossie Robinson, Noon Lunch Program

*Distribution of Pupils by Age and Grade*

		13-14	14-15	15-16	16-17	17-18	18-21	Boys	Girls	Total
Grade 9	B	9	13	4	5	1		32		69
	G	8	21	7	1				37	
Grade 10	B		5	13	4	1		23		48
	G		8	13	4				25	
Grade 11	B			2	9	3		14		35
	G			7	10	3	1		21	
Grade 12	B				3	13	6	22		51
	G				9	16	4		29	
Total		17	47	46	45	37	11	91	112	203

*Distribution of Pupils by Towns*

	Gr. 12		Gr. 11		Gr. 10		Gr. 9		Sub Totals		Totals
	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	
Allenstown	3	6	4	3	2	2	8	8	17	19	36
Concord	1								1		1
Deerfield				1						1	1
Epsom	5	4	1	2	4	3	1	2	11	11	22
Hooksett	1	5	1	1	3	3	2	8	7	17	24
Pembroke	12	14	8	14	14	17	21	19	55	64	119
Sub-Totals	22	29	14	21	23	25	32	37	91	112	
Totals	51		35		48		69		203		203

*Class Organization 1953-1954**Seniors*

Adviser: Mrs. Alice Bean  
 President: David Child  
 Vice President: Virginia Mitchell  
 Secretary: Hector Emond  
 Treasurer: David Yeaton

*Juniors*

Adviser: Mr. William Vaughn  
 President: Roy Gilbert  
 Vice President: Rita Gagne  
 Secretary: Gertrude Sanschagrín  
 Treasurer: Joan Blais

*Sophomores*

Adviser: Mr. Thomas McKnight  
 President: Francis Girard  
 Vice President: Faye Bennett  
 Secretary: Martha Lavertu  
 Treasurer: Madaline Girard

*Freshmen*

Adviser: Miss Evelyn Rush  
 President: Paul Plourde

Vice President: Thomas Ladd  
 Secretary: Jacqueline Langford  
 Treasurer: George Ford

*Student Council*

The Student Council was organized in September and meets once a month. Its chief activity to date has been the organization and supervision of the annual Winter Carnival and Dance. The Carnival program of skiing and skating was held at Bear Brook State Park on January 16 and the Carnival Ball was the following Saturday night, January 23. Girard Brasley and Louise LeBlanc were crowned King and Queen respectively. These two students were high scorers at the Carnival and will have their names engraved on the Paul Goodwin Memorial Winter Sports Trophy. Another feature at the Ball was the presentation of a special trophy by Captain Clifton Cody representing the Manchester Squadron of the New Hampshire Wing, Civil Air Patrol. The trophy will be awarded annually to the class having the highest percentage of students participating each year.

Faculty Adviser ..... Mr. Edward Currier  
 President ..... David Yeaton  
 Vice President ..... Ernest Bergevin  
 Secretary ..... Gertrude Bellerose  
 Treasurer ..... Gerard Brasley

*Seniors:* Gerard Brasley, Ernest Bergevin, Diana Blakeslee, David Yeaton

*Juniors:* Gertrude Bellerose, Bruce Michiels, Andre Lemaire, Gloria Richard

*Sophomores:* Simone Rondeau, Richard Langford, Louise LeBlanc

*Freshmen:* Charles Bachelder, Betty Gay



### *D. A. R. "Good Citizen"*

Anually the local Buntin Chapter, D. A. R. sponsors the selection by the seniors and the Faculty of a "Good Citizen", a girl in the senior class who has excelled in scholastic ability, leadership, dependability and service. This year Virginia Faye Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Mitchell of Hooksett, N. H. was elected to this honor. Virginia, who has been active on the Academy News staff, is co-editor of the Yearbook, the "Academian," and Valedictorian of her class. She is planning to enter Keene Teachers College.

### *Prize Speaking*

The Austin Memory Prize Speaking Contest was held Thursday, December 10, with twelve contestants from Grades 9-12 competing. The winners were Carole Hyde, 1st; Joanne Culberson, 2nd; Judith Chase, 3rd and Marian Ricard, 4th. These four girls represented Pembroke Academy in the State Preliminary Contest held at Dover, N. H., on Saturday, January 16, and each one earned enough credits to permit her to participate in the State Finals at the University of New Hampshire on Saturday, February 13.

### *Music and Dramatics*

Mrs. Mabel Reed, Music Supervisor, trains the General Chorus, the Freshman Chorus and both Boys' and Girls' Glee Clubs. These latter groups take part in programs for special school and public occasions. The cast has been selected for the spring Operetta, "Creatures of Impulse" which is tentatively planned for May 6 and 7.

Under the direction of Mrs. Elizabeth Morrill the senior play, "Come Out of Your Coma" was shown on two evenings, October 22 and 23. Our thanks are also

due to Miss Evelyn Rush for taking the directing of the Christmas play when Mrs. Morrill was taken ill.

### *Cadet Teachers*

Our cadet teacher from Mount Saint Mary for the first half year was Miss Mary O'Hagen, who conducted classes in Home Economics under the direction of Mrs. Bean. We have had several Seniors and Juniors from the Mount substitute for our regular teachers at times.

### *Noon Lunch Program*

Under the direction of Mrs. Alice Bean and with the help of Mrs. Erwin A. Chase and Mrs. Joseph H. Robinson, our Noon Lunch Program is being carried on, and a well-balanced meal is served daily at a charge of 30 cents.

### *Industrial Arts and Driver Training*

Mr. Thomas McKnight is teaching Cabinet Making, Metal Work and Shop Electricity. Three hour shop course for Freshman boys was changed this year to allow Mr. McKnight to get in two periods of Driver Training during the school day. About 30 students of age 16 have enrolled, some of whom have to have their behind-the-wheel training after school. Our dual-control car was obtained through the American Automobile Association and from the Huckins Garage in Epsom. This has been a popular course and it will be interesting to see how many of these students are granted licenses.

### *Physical Education and Sports*

Mr. Redmond Carroll, a graduate of Springfield College, has charge of the Physical Education program for both boys and girls and has been coaching the Girls'

Basketball Team. He also was coach of the Cross Country Team and will act in the same capacity for Baseball. He is planning a Gymn Exhibit for some evening in April.

I recommended last year that parents take out insurance to cover accidents occurring in Physical Education and sports and this has proved a valuable precaution this year as several boys and girls and one teacher have sustained injuries.

In Varsity Basketball, Mr. Gardner's boys have had a good year. Lacking height and weight, they have made up for it in aggressiveness and at present are ranked in the first ten teams in Class B. State Competition.

Mr. Currier's Junior Varsity boys have played more games than usual and have won a majority of them.

### *Miscellaneous*

1) Statistics taken from the school Register for the twenty-weeks period ending January 29 show the following:

aggregate half days attendance	35,400
aggregate half days absence	1,510
aggregate half days non-membership	1,254
average daily attendance	188.29
average daily absence	8.03
average membership	196.32
percent of attendance	95.90
average tardinesses.	.47

2) Motivation in class work has been aided by: (a) moving pictures in various subject fields; (b) film strips; (c) visits of the Bookmobile from the State Library and (d) new texts and references.

3) The Cheerleaders purchased material and spent part of their Christmas vacation making new uniforms under Mrs. Bean's guidance.

4) Most of the Seniors and Juniors have taken an Occupational Interest Inventory Test this fall. The results show what their large interest fields are, and can be broken down into many suggested occupational opportunities. "Future Planning" and "How to Obtain a Job and Keep It" are two valuable monographs which accompany these tests.

### *Conclusion*

In my last year's report I said we were experiencing growing pains. These will be much in evidence when we graduate 51 in June, and next fall when we take in nearly 100 freshmen! This will mean a total of 240 or 250 students.

A parent's signature on a report card does not necessarily mean that the parent approves of the report. It means merely that the parent has seen the card. Parents are urged to make appointments with the Principal or with any of the teachers to discuss their children's work. I would like to urge them to encourage regular attendance of their children. A student who is absent for a considerable period of time loses touch, loses interest and loses confidence in himself.

Finally, I want to express my sincere appreciation to Superintendent Watson, the Trustees and the Teachers of Pembroke Academy for their interest and cooperation throughout the year.

JARVIS T. BEAL,  
*Principal, Pembroke Academy*

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

*of the*

# **PEMBROKE WATER WORKS**

PEMBROKE - - NEW HAMPSHIRE

*BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS*

William R. LeClair, *Chairman*

Victor R. Girard

Frank A. Petit, *Clerk*

Albert J. Richard

Warren G. Foss

Martin G. Ferry, *Superintendent*

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953



## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

For The Year Ending December 31, 1953

### Administration

This department is well organized and the same spirit of cooperation exists as heretofore between the Board and Employees.

The addition of the tractor, shovel and loader purchased during 1952 has proven to be a good investment. The only additional labor required this past year was a traffic man for 21 hours. This machine has now paid for itself and is still in very good condition.

Collections have been extra good as is shown by the fact that the total amount of outstanding accounts on December 31, 1953 amounted to but \$15.50.

While it is believed that most of the consumers are cooperating with the Supt. in reporting additional fixtures there has been so much new construction that it is suggested that a complete fixture survey be made in the near future.

It was intended to paint the hydrants during 1953 but due to the expenditures for the new well this was put over until 1954. There were a few bottlenecks that were postponed for the same reason but will be taken care of during 1954.

Changes in regulations regarding rebates on vacant property have been approved by the P. U. C. These changes will be of interest to water takers and will benefit those having vacant property. These new regulations become effective Jan. 1, 1954.

### Source of Supply — Wells

In the last annual report the conditions of our gravel packed wells were described in detail together with suggested remedies. As stated at that time the Pem-

broke Well, known as Well No. 2, was repaired and developed to supply 350 g.p.m., equivalent to 500,000 gals. per day.

The Concord Well, known as Well No. 1, presented the main problem on account of the heavy iron content. Filtration was one of the suggested remedies. This matter was thoroughly investigated and the estimates received were from \$50,000.00 to \$100,000.00, which of course was prohibitive.

There remained two alternatives as follows:

(1) Construct a new well on Pembroke side of river, if possible.

(2) Supplement yield from Pembroke Well with water from Concord Well during periods of excessive use.

Both of these alternatives were given serious consideration. While it was admitted that No. 2 would be the least expensive, the problem would still be far from being solved. This was proven by the experiment tried out during the past Summer. During the time of excessive use, water from the Concord Well was used to supplement yield from Pembroke Well. By mixing water from the two wells on a 50-50 basis the water still contained over 2 parts iron, which is several times the amount allowable by the State Board of Health. This method required the operation of two electric motors which increases the power cost by over 50%.

Alternate No. 1 was finally decided upon and eventually carried out.

Well companies were contacted and representatives from two companies appeared before the board for discussion. A contract was drawn up, and contained a clause whereby both the *quantity* and *quality* of the water must be acceptable to the State Board of Health. Bids were received from two companies, and a contract was awarded to The Layne New York Co. This company was the lowest bidder and also was the only one



that would sign a contract containing the "quality clause."

Upon being requested the State Board of Health assumed the responsibility of making all tests from the test wells as well as the gravel packed well. Five test wells were driven and the location decided upon was 82 feet deep to ledge and the formations were very promising for a very good well. This was found to be true after new well was completed.

The contract consisted of constructing a gravel packed well that would deliver 700 g.p.m., equivalent to 1,000,000 gals. per day, moving the pump and 100 H.P. motor from the present Pembroke well to new No. 3 well; installing a smaller pump in Pembroke well and operating same with the 75 H.P. motor to be removed from the Concord Well. The gasoline engine at Pembroke well was removed to Concord well, so this well can be operated by gasoline in case of emergency.

One of the major changes required was on the electrical end. This necessitated the changing of all wire in the panels so that the new well could be operated from the Pembroke Well House.

The new well was piped into the line from the Concord well at the rear of Pembroke Well House. Necessary gates were installed so that water from any or all wells can supply water either individually or collectively through the Pembroke Well House. All piping installations were done by P. W. W. employees. A concrete block building was constructed to house the new pump.

All necessary engineering was done by your Supt. and it was therefore unnecessary to employ outside assistance. At this time your Supt. wishes to extend his appreciation to Charles W. Green, formerly Chairman of the Joint Committee, for the valuable assistance

rendered in writing the specifications for the electrical work.

Bids were called for and contract awarded for electrical work to the lowest bidder, who was Joseph E. Cournoyer of the Suncook Machine Co.

In order to pay for this new well it was necessary to borrow \$10,000.00 from the local bank. It was estimated that this new well would cost about \$20,000.00 and one-half of this amount could be made available from water works funds. The notes are payable \$2,000.00 per year at  $21\frac{1}{2}\%$  interest.

It has been rumored that water rates were to be increased on account of this construction but this is entirely erroneous. All notes will be paid from water works funds.

Following is a detailed account of costs of the new well and appurtenances thereto.

### No. 3 Well Construction

Following is a detailed account of the cost of the new well (designated as Well No. 3).

Test wells	Contract	\$1,500.00
No. 3 Well	Contract	11,860.00
Extra pumping time	Contract	498.00
Electrical Work	Contract	1,433.96
Pipe—Valves—Checks, etc.		1,343.36
Building Materials		715.05
Skilled labor		412.63
P. W. W. labor		1,105.05
Use of P. W. W. Backhoe		400.00
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Total Cost		\$19,268.05
Paid during 1953		17,472.21
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Outstanding		\$1,795.84

## Distribution of P. W. W. Labor

Preparation of site, cutting trees, etc.	\$222.00
Piping labor	335.00
Electrical work—ditches—drilling, etc.	75.00
Wells including Test Wells	203.05
Building—Excavating—Concrete Work, etc.	270.00
	\$1,105.05

## New Construction — Mains

Location	Town	Type	Size	Length	Cost
Girard Ave.	Pembroke	Galv.	2"	277'	\$278.00
Off Broadway	Pembroke	Galv.	1¼"	63'	64.80
Academy Road	Pembroke	Galv.	1½"	274' (ledge)	419.70
Theodore Ave.	Allenstown	Galv.	2"	74'	97.60
Al's Ave.	Allenstown	Galv.	2"	248'	340.70

## Installed at Pumping Station

C.I.	12"	8'
C.I.	8"	164'
C.I.	6"	53'

## Services

31 New Services Installed	3 Epsom — 28 Pembroke
12 Services Relaid	3 Epsom — 9 Pembroke
30 Services Repaired	
20 Service Boxes Located	

## Hydrants

29 Hydrants Repaired 5 Epsom — 24 Pembroke  
 All hydrants have had periodic inspection. None were found frozen. Any containing water during the winter months were treated with anti-freeze.

Hydrants were also kept clear of snow as during the past year. It is still the policy of this department to cover all fires as far as practical, in case anything happens to a hydrant.

## Gates

New Installations:  
 3 — 2" Gates  
 At Pumping Station:  
 1 — 12" Gate 1 — 6" Gate  
 1 — 8" Gate  
 9 Gates were repaired  
 Leaks repaired: Epsom 130, Pembroke 87

## Summary of Present Operating System

Size	EPSOM				PEMBROKE, etc.			
	Cast Iron	Galv. Iron	Wood	Total	Cast Iron	Galv. Iron	Wood	Total
2"		340		340		1,422		1,422
4"					2,975			2,975
6"	2,400			2,400	20,641			20,641
8"					18,690			18,690
10"					1,000			1,000
12"			14,119	14,119	36,004		13,376	49,380
14"	14,660		6,552	21,212	5,825			5,825
16"			4,750	4,750				
Totals	17,060	340	25,421	42,821	85,135	1,422	13,376	99,933

Note: All figures not marked, represent feet.

### TOTALS

Epsom	42,821
Pembroke, etc	99,933
Bombay Bridge to Back Road (Epsom)	10,880 (wood stave)
<b>Total</b>	<b>153,634</b>

NOTE: Wood stave pipe, Bombay Bridge to Back Road in Epsom, is being used at present to supply water from Pleasant Pond through the old wood pipe along Route No. 28 to the residence of Warren Foss. Although it is possible to use well water in this section, it is impractical due to the prevalent leakage of this pipe and, therefore, would add greatly to the cost of pumping.

### Public Hydrants

Pembroke	90
Allenstown	34
Epsom	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>134</b>

Number of services — 1196 (approx.)

**Pembroke Water Works**  
**Detailed Statement of Disbursements for the year**  
**Ending December 31, 1953**

**JANUARY, 1953**  
**(5 Week Period)**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$425.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	293.75	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	288.75	
		\$1,007.50

**Summary of Bills Paid February 11, 1953**

The Suncook Bank; Interest due Feb. 1, 1953	\$405.00	
Plourde Sand & Gravel Co.; Gravel & trucking	14.00	
Wheeler & Clark; Pocket stamp	2.50	
Perreault's Garage; Equipment repairs	35.25	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	23.95	
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc.; Cross chains, priers, etc.	28.55	
J. C. Brasley; Wrecker service, plugs, etc.	9.10	
George Hillman, Jr.; One snow tread for pick-up	17.82	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.; Anti-freeze for hydrants	42.90	
Smith's Service Station; Gas and Oil	63.15	
Merrimack Oil Co.; Fuel oil — pumping station	27.80	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power, pumping station	409.99	
Robert E. Cutter; Labor & Trucking, Mains, Epsom	10.00	
Alfred Metivier, Range oil for flares	8.20	
		1,098.21
Total Expenditures for Month		\$2,105.71

**FEBRUARY, 1953**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	220.00	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	220.00	
		\$780.00

**Summary of Bills Paid March 11, 1953**

M. G. Ferry; Cash expenses (Lunches & Stamps)	\$5.45	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Material for stub holders	3.16	
Harry K. Rogers; Insurance — Garage & Shop	33.87	
Merrimack Oil Co.; Fuel Oil — Pumping Station	27.11	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	23.65	
Ione's Flower Shop; Robinson funeral	10.00	

Alfred B. Hartford; Auditing Accounts	163.20	
Petit Plumbing Co.; Pipe fittings	3.00	
Power Equipment Co.; Electric Pump repairs	36.55	
Pleasant St. Machine Co.; Welding hydrant	18.00	
Page Belting Co.; Machine bolts (hydrants)	1.48	
N. H. Supply Co.; Power grinder	45.08	
Berry's Garage; Cutting & welding	8.85	
Chase's Garage; Gas & Oil	56.78	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Electric Power	395.74	
The Ludlow Valve Mfg. Co., Inc.; Hydrant parts	50.37	
		882.29
Total Expenditures for Month		\$1,662.29

### MARCH, 1953

#### Payroll Account

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	240.00	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	245.00	
		\$825.00

#### Summary of Bills Paid April 15, 1953

M. G. Ferry; Cash expenses (P. O. Box rent)	\$75	
J. Arthur Lemaire, Postmaster; Stamped envelopes	72.32	
The Suncook Bank; Interest on Bonds	3,645.00	
Ernest A. Chapdelaine, Treas.; F.I.C.A. taxes — Pembroke Water Works share	44.20	
Manchester Sand, Gravel & Cement Co., Inc.; gravel	6.85	
The Pembroke Press; Annual Reports & Printing	276.78	
M. H. Rowe, gravel for street repair	21.50	
J. C. Brasley; Gas, oil & supplies	57.04	
Power Equipment & Sportmotor Co.; Making keys	1.25	
Pleasant Street Machine Co.; Repairing hydrant	14.00	
Page Belting Co.; Steel for bolts & fittings	14.03	
The Chemical Corp.; Soda ash for Pumping Station	87.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Telephone service	29.95	
Berry's Garage; Fender, body work — painting pick-up	95.00	
Chase's Garage; Overhauling pick-up	165.29	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power Pumping Station, etc.	426.45	
Harry K. Rogers; Workmen's Compensation Ins.	137.97	
		5,095.38
Total Expenditures for Month		\$5,920.38

**APRIL, 1953**  
**(5 Week Period)**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$425.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	282.50	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	278.75	
		\$986.25

**Summary of Bills Paid May 20, 1953**

George Hillman, Jr.; Retreading Tires, Dodge Pickup	\$21.90	
Harry K. Rogers; Insurance on Compressor	35.00	
Army & Navy Store; Tarpaulin for Dodge Pickup	10.43	
Ritchotte Insurance Agency; Insurance, 1/2 T. & Tractor	89.04	
Alfred B. Hartford; Accounting	39.00	
M. H. Rowe; Gravel — repairing streets	12.00	
Concord Lumber Co.; Akron pipe	8.29	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Lumber for Pickup body	23.11	
N. E. Tel. & Tel.; Telephone service	26.66	
Red Head Mfg. Co.; Curb stops	56.10	
Page Belting Co.; Flanges & pipe	4.41	
Layne-New York Co., Inc.; Test Wells as per Contract	500.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power Pumping Station	412.41	
Merrimack Oil Co.; Fuel oil	12.73	
Builders, Providence, Inc.; Flowmeter Charts	4.82	
		1,255.90
Total Expenditures for Month		\$2,242.15

**MAY, 1953**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	232.50	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	230.00	
		\$802.50

**Summary of Bills Paid June 10, 1953**

Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.; Office supplies	\$6.10	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	29.05	
Petit Plumbing Co.; Service fittings	1.85	
George Hillman, Jr.; Tube for pick-up	2.36	
Chase's Garage; Truck inspection, etc.	8.80	
Lyons Iron Works; Steel plate for pick-up	23.88	

Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power —		
Pumping Station	395.58	
N. H. Farm Tractor Corp.; Back-hoe parts	41.70	
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Total Expenditures for Month		\$1,311.82

### JUNE, 1953

#### Payroll Account

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	263.75	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	246.25	
	<hr/>	\$850.00

#### Summary of Bills Paid July 15, 1953

M. G. Ferry, Supt.; Cash expenses — P. O. Box & Stamps	\$7.10
The Suncook Bank; Bonds & Interest	2,522.50
Kenneth M. Woodbury; Truck Insurance	40.50
Alfred Metivier; Range Oil — Torches	8.20
C. H. Wells Co.; Office supplies	.80
N. H. Supply Co.; Galvanized pipe - copper tubing	222.71
Plourde Sand & Gravel Co.; Use of truck	3.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Telephone service	25.95
Southwestern N. H. Transp. Co., Inc.; Express on fittings	2.05
N. H. Farm Tractor Corp.; Backhoe packing	8.30
Ritchotte Insurance Agency; Truck insurance	5.60
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.; Office supplies	8.60
N. H. Explosive & Machinery Co., Inc.; Drill bits	5.86
Brasley's Service Station; Gas & Oil	5.06
The Chemical Corp.; 30 bags Soda Ash	87.00
Page Belting Co.; Gate valve & oil	13.27
Red Head Mfg. Co.; Service supplies	252.62
Sanel Machine & Paint Supplies Inc.; Paint	15.80
J. E. Faltin Motor Transp., Inc.; Transportation	1.65
Chase's Garage; Gas, oil, labor	75.94
Eugene Pelletier; Dynamite & labor	15.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc.; Culvert — Well No. 3 & Backhoe repairs	96.50
Rensselaer Valve Co.; Gates & check valves	587.10
Layne-New York Co., Inc.; As per contract	5,265.00
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power — Pumping Station	708.53



Ernest A. Chapdelaine; F.I.C.A. Tax, 2nd Quarter	39.44	
		10,024.58
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Total Expenditures for Month		\$10,874.58

**JULY, 1953**  
(5 Week Period)

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$425.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	330.00	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	309.70	
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		\$1,064.70

**Summary of Bills Paid August 12, 1953**

Smith's Service Station; Tractor oil	\$12.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone Service	15.45	
Alfred B. Hartford; Accounting	31.50	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Lumber - boat supplies	2.48	
N. H. Supply Co.; Copper tube & fittings	275.68	
H. R. Prescott & Sons, Inc.; Service & Gate boxes	316.68	
The Star-Martin Gage Co.; Gage & supplies	30.29	
M. H. Rowe; Gravel	9.00	
The Pembroke Press; Water bills	17.60	
Layne-New York., Inc.; Payment on Well No. 3	6,907.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Light & Power	647.74	
Edgar C. Hartford; Gas & Oil	63.40	
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		8,328.82
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Total Expenditures for Month		\$9,393.52

**AUGUST, 1953**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	272.60	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	253.80	
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		\$866.40

**Summary of Bills Paid September 16, 1953**

M. G. Ferry, Supt.; Cash expense	\$1.80	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Form lumber	5.30	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	6.66	
Henry W. Monroe; Painting signs	31.90	
The Star-Martin Gage Co.; Special gauge — Pumping Station	56.64	

Sanel Auto Parts, Inc.; Tractor parts	6.76	
N. H. Supply Co.; 1¼" Pipe & Fittings	15.52	
N. H. Explosives & Machinery Co., Inc.;		
Form wire No. 3, No. 411	3.38	
Albert Brasley; Gas & Oil	72.34	
Chase's Garage; Repairs 1½ ton Truck	19.81	
M. H. Rowe; Gravel No. 3 Well, Trucking & Service		
repairs	19.50	
Steven Levesque Lumber; Lumber No. 3 Well,		
balance of bill	5.04	
Duracrete Block Co., Inc.; Well No. 3	126.42	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power Pumping		
Sta. & Garage	570.25	
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		941.32
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Total Expenditures for Month		\$1,807.72

**SEPTEMBER, 1953**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	271.15	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	251.10	
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		\$862.25

**Summary of Bills Paid October 14, 1953**

M. G. Ferry, Supt.; Cash expenses	\$1.10
The Suncook Bank; Bonds & Interest	15,645.00
Ernest A. Chapdelaine, Treas.; F.I.C.A. Tax,	
3rd quarter	41.90
Eli R. Laflamme, Coll.; Allenstown Taxes	9.66
Amos B. Morrison, Coll.; Concord Taxes	33.53
Army & Navy Store, Tarpaulin	14.20
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	14.36
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.; Office supplies	1.04
Page Belting Co.; Pipe & fittings Well No. 3	16.40
Suncook Machine Co.; Labor & Materials	6.65
Petit Plumbing Co.; Pipe & Fittings, Well No. 3	3.91
Bailey Lumber Co.; Lumber for forms, Well No. 3	25.02
Lockwood Young Corp.; 10½ yds. Concrete,	
Well No. 3	131.25
Albert Brasley; Gas & Welding	2.60
Smith's Service Station; Gas & Oil	62.76
Chase's Garage; Battery for 1½ T. Truck	18.95
Lyons Iron Works, Inc.; Reinforcing rods	
Well No. 3	74.77

Public Works Supply Co.; Hydrant wrenches	7.44	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power, Pumping Sta. & Garage	574.63	
		<hr/> 16,685.17
Total Expenditures for Month		<hr/> \$17,547.42

**OCTOBER, 1953**  
(5 Week Period)

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$425.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	365.40	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	341.55	
Edwin Annis, Labor	21.00	
		<hr/> \$1,152.95

**Summary of Bills Paid November 18, 1953**

M. G. Ferry, Supt.; Cash Expenses	\$2.60	
Alfred Metivier; Kerosene	8.20	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Telephone service	27.60	
Pete's Wire Service; Wire	15.00	
Chase's Garage; Wiper motor, inspection, etc.	6.11	
Eddie's Service Station; Gas & Oil	57.25	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Building material	3.80	
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc.; Anti-freeze	15.06	
Suncook Machine Co.; Back-hoe repairs	10.85	
Eugene Pelletier; Dynamite work	33.00	
M. H. Rowe; Trucking & furnishing gravel	35.00	
N. H. Water Works Asso.; Membership dues	5.00	
Alfred B. Hartford; Accounting	70.50	
N. H. Supply Co.; Galv. pipe-fittings & copper	131.02	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power	526.03	
		<hr/> 947.02
Total Expenditures for Month		<hr/> \$2,099.97

**NOVEMBER, 1953**

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$340.00	
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	262.45	
Aldei Duguay, Labor	260.55	
		<hr/> \$863.00

**Summary of Bills Paid December 16, 1953**

William LeClair; Salary as Commissioner	\$98.50
Victor R. Girard; Salary as Commissioner	98.50

Frank A. Petit; Salary as Commissioner and Clerk	123.12	
Albert J. Richard; Salary as Commissioner	98.50	
Warren G. Foss; Salary as Commissioner	98.50	
Ernest A. Chapdelaine; Salary as Treasurer	49.25	
Harry K. Rogers; Insurance	144.95	
Alfred B. Hartford; Accounting	76.50	
Woodbury & Woodbury; Legal Expense	150.00	
Kenneth M. Woodbury; Collector's Bond	20.00	
Merrimack Oil Co.; Fuel Oil — Pumping Station	22.17	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.; Record Book	1.20	
City of Concord, N. H.; C. I. Pipe, etc. for Church job	132.97	
Suncook Machine Co.; Hydrant repairs	3.58	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	20.75	
"Cass"; Miscellaneous supplies	95.31	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.; Lub. oil for Pumping Station	6.36	
Chase's Garage; Gas & Oil	50.85	
Lyons Iron Works, Inc.; Steel Door & Sash for No. 3 Well House	148.25	
State Roofing & Siding Co.; Roof repairs — Garage & Shop	30.00	
N. H. Explosive & Machinery Co., Inc.; Tamp, Shovel & Bits	21.55	
Willey's Express; Transporting Fittings — No. 3 Well	5.73	
Page Belting Co.; Valves, fittings, etc.	60.61	
Duracrete Block Co., Inc.; Casing Blocks	6.99	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power — Pumping Station	429.03	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Building Material Well No. 3	100.77	
Lucien R. Fontaine; Labor Well No. 3	236.75	
Ernest A. Chapdelaine, Treasurer; P.W.W. share of F.I.C.A. Tax	49.48	
Town of Pembroke; Repairs to Streets & Bridge	247.84	
Joseph E. Cournoyer; Electrical work Well No. 3 (part payment)	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	3,628.01
Total Expenditures for Month		\$4,491.01

## DECEMBER, 1953

(5 Week Period)

**Payroll Account**

M. G. Ferry, Supt. & Coll.	\$425.00
Ernest L. Martel, Labor	323.35

Aldei Duguay, Labor	310.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,058.85

**Summary of Bills Paid January 20, 1954**

M. G. Ferry, Supt.; Cash Expenses	\$1.10	
Chase's Garage; Gas & Labor	2.96	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.; One drum Anti-freeze	43.60	
Rene Lavalee; Gas & Oil	51.06	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.; Office supplies	3.75	
The Suncook Bank; Bonds & Interest	1,505.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.; Phone service	21.05	
Public Works Supply Co.; Gate valve boxes	41.25	
Suncook Machine Co.; Tractor repairs	14.00	
Victor R. Girard Co., Inc.; Labor — Pump House	17.00	
Adams Glass Co.; Glass — Well No. 3	20.84	
Manchester Water Works; Pipe fittings — Well No. 3	12.78	
N. H. Supply Co.; 2" galv. pipe	103.58	
State Roofing & Siding Co.; Roof — Well No. 3	83.88	
Page Belting Co.; Pipe flange bolts	1.58	
Lucien R. Fontaine; Labor — Well No. 3	75.00	
Bailey Lumber Co.; Nails — Well No. 3	1.13	
Public Service Co. of N. H.; Power — Pumping Station	365.39	
Harry K. Rogers, Insurance	53.80	
Ernest A. Chapdelaine, Treas.; Postage & stationery	4.39	
Petit Plumbing Co.; Hatchway cover — Well No. 3	27.89	
The Chemical Corp.; Soda Ash	66.00	
Pipe Founders Sales Corp.; Flanged fittings — Well No. 3	112.62	
	<hr/>	2,629.65
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Total Expenditures for Month		\$3,688.50

## Summary

## DISTRIBUTION OF PAYROLL ACCOUNT

Total Payroll — \$11,119.70

	Epsom	Pembroke	Total
Administration and Collection	\$450.50	\$4,054.50	\$4,505.00
Mains:			
New	.....	444.40	
Repairs—Iron	.....	28.00	
Repairs—Wood	982.20	724.80	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	2,179.40
Services:			
New	44.80	617.45	
Relays	44.00	92.20	
Repairs	45.60	380.15	
Locating Shut-off boxes	29.00	96.65	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	1,349.85
Hydrants:			
Repairs to	52.95	196.95	
Testing	43.00	124.20	
Snow removal	.....	40.00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	457.10
Gates:			
New installations	.....	12.00	
Repairs to	.....	45.00	
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Pumping Station:			
Regular	.....	521.50	
No. 3 Well	.....	1,105.05	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	1,626.55
Garage and Shop:			
Building repairs	.....	62.00	
Equipment repairs	31.50	247.10	
Shop work	18.45	98.45	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	457.50
Miscellaneous:			
Town Reports (Distribution)	.....	10.00	
Inventory (Checking)	20.00	91.60	
Job Work	.....	46.30	
Moving pipe (Well Field)	.....	40.00	
Town Work (Backhoe)	.....	108.00	
Pleasant Pond (Regulations)	73.00	30.00	
Pleasant Pond Gate House	2.70	18.00	
Locating pipe, N.E.T. & T. Co.	.....	21.20	
Pumping, etc. (Flood cond.)	.....	26.50	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	487.30
	\$1,837.70	\$9,282.00	
Total bills paid			11,119.70 51,379.02
Total amount paid fiscal year 1952			<hr/> \$62,498.72

The preceding pages show a statement of disbursements amounting to \$62,498.72. The following schedule lists some of the larger items, and condensed in brief form amounts to \$49,740.21. This amount shows that these items above account for 80% of the total expenditures.

Pumping Station

Labor	\$521.50	
Power	5,926.47	
Repairs — Fuel — Soda Ash	429.80	
	<hr/>	\$6,877.77
Bonds and interest		23,345.00
Legal Expense		150.00
No. 3 Well paid to date		17,472.21
F. I. C. A. (Old Age)		175.08
Commissioners' and Treasurer's Salaries		575.00
Insurance		539.43
C. P. A. Accounting		247.95
Overhauling Pickup		357.77
Printing Annual Report		234.00
Town of Pembroke, Repairs to Streets and Bridge		247.84
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		\$50,222.05

Respectfully Submitted

WILLIAM R. LECLAIR, *Chairman*  
 VICTOR R. GIRARD  
 FRANK A. PETIT, *Clerk*  
 ALBERT J. RICHARD  
 WARREN G. FOSS  
 MARTIN G. FERRY, *Supt.*

**Pembroke**  
**BALANCE SHEET**

**ASSETS**

CURRENT ASSETS:	Pembroke	Epsom	Total
Cash in Bank	\$5,708.86	\$1,518.95	\$7,227.81
Cash — Sinking Fund	994.46	.....	994.46
Cash — Payroll Revolving Fund	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00
Accounts Receivable	.....	15.50	15.50
Materials and Supplies	3,307.20	.....	3,307.20
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Total Current Assets	11,510.52	1,534.45	13,044.97
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FIXED ASSETS:			
Land — Water Supply	9,185.00	.....	9,185.00
Land — Water Storage	200.00	.....	200.00
Land — Other (Community House)	50.00	.....	50.00
Structures — Water Supply	45,615.32	983.00	46,598.32
Structures — Pumping Station	45,994.01	.....	45,994.01
Structures — Water Storage	40,866.35	.....	40,866.35
Structures — Other (Community House)	1,429.26	.....	1,429.26
Water Supply Equipment	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00
Pumping Station Equipment	26,253.04	.....	26,253.04
Purification Equipment	.....	2,371.08	2,371.08
Other Equipment	3,930.03	.....	3,930.03
Mains	344,843.47	76,486.29	421,329.76
Services	27,694.91	3,432.17	31,127.08
Hydrants	13,744.84	541.56	14,286.40
Stable and Garage Equipment	5,653.85	.....	5,653.85
Office Equipment	193.00	.....	193.00
Tools	836.82	.....	836.82
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Totals	567,989.90	83,814.10	651,804.00
Less — Reserves for Depreciation	70,889.88	17,184.78	88,074.66
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Total Fixed Assets	497,100.02	66,629.32	563,729.34
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OTHER ASSETS:			
Intangible Property	5,475.45	.....	5,475.45
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Total Assets	\$514,085.99	\$68,163.77	\$582,249.76



## Water Works

DECEMBER 31, 1953

EXHIBIT I

## LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL

CURRENT LIABILITIES:	Pembroke	Epsom	Total
Accounts Payable	\$1,106.72	\$17.93	\$1,124.65
Notes Payable 2% 6 yr. serial	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
Notes Payable 2½% 5 yr. serial	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00
Accrued Payroll	880.43	178.42	1,058.85
Accrued Taxes	29.81	.....	29.81
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>5,016.96</b>	<b>196.35</b>	<b>5,213.31</b>
<b>LONG-TERM DEBT:</b>			
Bonds Payable 2¼% 30 yr. serial	312,000.00	.....	312,000.00
Bonds Payable 2¼% 20 yr. serial	34,000.00	.....	34,000.00
Notes Payable 2% 6 yr. serial	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00
Notes Payable 2¼% 6 yr. serial	6,000.00	.....	6,000.00
Notes Payable 2½% 5 yr. serial	8,000.00	.....	8,000.00
<b>Total Long-Term Debt</b>	<b>364,000.00</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>364,000.00</b>
<b>CAPITAL:</b>			
Municipal Investments	(3,314.22)	72,211.33	68,897.11
Surplus — January 1, 1953	134,873.10	(4,647.40)	130,225.70
Net Profit for the Year (Exhibit II)	13,510.15	403.49	13,913.64
<b>Total</b>	<b>148,383.25</b>	<b>(4,243.91)</b>	<b>144,139.34</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital</b>	<b>\$514,085.99</b>	<b>\$68,163.77</b>	<b>\$582,249.76</b>

ALFRED B. HARTFORD  
*Certified Public Accountant*  
Concord, New Hampshire

February 15, 1954

Board of Water Commissioners  
Pembroke Water Works  
Pembroke, New Hampshire

We have examined the accounts of the Pembroke Water Works for the year ended December 31, 1953.

Our examination included a verification of cash on hand and in banks, a review of the additions to plant assets; and without making a detailed audit of all transactions, satisfied ourselves that all income had been received and all expenditures were satisfactorily supported by vouchers. We did not confirm accounts receivable and accounts payable with debtors and creditors nor were we present when the inventory was taken.

In our opinion the attached exhibits and schedules present fairly the financial condition of the Water Works at December 31, 1953, and the results of operations for the year ended on that date.

ALFRED B. HARTFORD,  
*Certified Public Accountant*

## Pembroke Water Works

### STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1953

EXHIBIT II

REVENUE:	Pembroke	Epsom	Total
Commercial Sales	\$36,183.75	\$2,614.50	\$38,798.25
Industrial Sales	4,048.00	204.00	4,252.00
Hydrant Rentals	7,346.50	806.00	8,152.50
Merchandise Sales and Job Work	267.51	.....	267.51
Service Applications	330.00	.....	330.00
Total	48,175.76	3,624.50	51,800.26
EXPENDITURES:			
Operation and Maintenance — Water (Schedule 1)	17,625.89	2,078.45	19,704.34
Depreciation — Water (Schedule 2)	9,019.70	1,142.56	10,162.26
Taxes — Water	43.19	.....	43.19
Total	26,688.78	3,221.01	29,909.79
NET OPERATING INCOME — WATER	21,486.98	403.49	21,890.47
OTHER INCOME:			
Damage to Hydrant Recovery	231.95	.....	231.95
Sale of Right of Way	25.00	.....	25.00
Interest — Sinking Fund	98.62	.....	98.62
Miscellaneous	12.60	.....	12.60
Total	368.17	.....	368.17
	21,855.15	403.49	22,258.64
OTHER CHARGES:			
Interest on Bonds and Notes	8,345.00	.....	8,345.00
NET PROFIT (to Exhibit I)	\$13,510.15	\$403.49	\$13,913.64

## Pembroke Water Works

### RECONCILIATION OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1953

EXHIBIT III

#### CASH — JANUARY 1, 1953:

Sinking Fund	\$895.84	
Bank — Operating	7,530.47	
Payroll Revolving Fund	1,500.00	
		\$9,926.31

#### RECEIPTS:

Water Rentals	51,331.00	
Merchandise Sales and Job Work	267.51	
Service Applications	330.00	
5 Year Serial Notes 2½%	10,000.00	
Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co.		
Damage to Hydrant	231.95	
Sale of Right-of-Way	25.00	
Interest — Sinking Fund	98.62	
Miscellaneous	10.60	
		62,294.68
		72,220.99

#### DISBURSEMENTS:

Operation Expenses and Plant Improve- ment	39,153.72	
Retirement of Bonds	14,000.00	
Retirement of Notes	1,000.00	
Interest Paid	8,345.00	
		62,498.72

#### CASH — DECEMBER 31, 1953:

Sinking Fund	\$994.46	
Bank — Operating	7,227.81	
Payroll Revolving Fund	1,500.00	
		\$9,722.27

## Pembroke Water Works

### EXPENSES OF OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE — WATER SCHEDULE 1

	Pembroke	Epsom	Total
Superintendence — Water Supply	\$715.50	\$79.50	\$795.00
Pumping Station Labor	380.10	.....	380.10
Miscellaneous Labor	645.15	115.40	760.55
Pumping Station Supplies and Expense	420.86	.....	420.86
Fuel for Power	96.17	.....	96.17
Power Purchased	5,861.77	.....	5,861.77
Superintendence — Distribution	2,862.00	318.00	3,180.00
Repairs to Mains	1,249.14	813.70	2,062.84
Repairs to Services	641.15	151.60	792.75
Repairs to Hydrants	408.49	69.75	478.24
General Office Rent and Expenses	847.08	94.11	941.19
Other General Expenses	91.65	9.91	101.56
Insurance	524.37	58.26	582.63
Stationery and Printing	268.89	29.88	298.77
Store Department and Shop Ex- penses	239.13	26.57	265.70
Stable and Garage Expenses	1,246.52	138.49	1,385.01
Taxes — Other	133.42	62.78	196.20
Collection Expense	477.00	53.00	530.00
Commissioners' and Treasurer's Salaries	517.50	57.50	575.00
Total	\$17,625.89	\$2,078.45	\$19,704.34

### DEPRECIATION EXPENSE

#### SCHEDULE 2

	Pembroke	Epsom	Total
Structures — Water Supply	\$588.66	\$19.66	\$608.32
Structures — Pumping Station	917.48	.....	917.48
Structures — Water Storage	817.33	.....	817.33
Structures — Community House	28.58	.....	28.58
Water Supply Equipment	20.00	.....	20.00
Pumping Station Equipment	785.89	.....	785.89
Purification Equipment	.....	237.10	237.10
Other Equipment	393.00	.....	393.00
Mains	3,402.02	784.58	4,186.60
Services	693.56	90.00	783.56
Hydrants	283.23	11.22	294.45
Stable and Garage Equipment	1,070.65	.....	1,070.65
Office Equipment	19.30	.....	19.30
Totals	\$9,019.70	\$1,142.56	\$10,162.26



VITAL  
STATISTICS

## Births Registered in the Town of Pembroke, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

Birth Date of	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male	Female				
1892								
Jan. 1893	Pembroke	Fred E. A. Collins	M	L	Edward T. Collins	Mabel D. Simpson	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Jan. 1953	Pembroke	Avila Adeline Guilbert	F	L	Didace Guilbert	Domithilde Langevin	Canada	Canada
Jan. 14	Concord	John Howard Saturley	M	L	John L. Saturley	Florence B. Allen	Concord	Rochester
Jan. 20	Manchester	Kevin Kimball Hill	M	L	Willard S. Hill	Ruth E. Kimball	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Concord
Feb. 8	Manchester	Bruce Wright Ray	M	L	James Alfred Ray	Esther A. Wright	Texas	Massachusetts
Feb. 14	Manchester	Rita Constance Gelinax	F	L	Ernest Gelinax	Pauline E. Raymond	Manchester	Pembroke
Feb. 17	Manchester	Lucille Gertrude Vezina	F	L	Alfred J. Vezina	Rita L. Petrin	New Hampshire	Manchester
Feb. 21	Concord	Donald James Kelley	M	L	Fredrick L. Kelly	June R. Gaston	Oldham, England	Pembroke
Feb. 23	Concord	Robert Newton Peale, 2d	M	L	Richard N. Peale	Adelaide M. Innes	Lynn, Mass.	Concord
Feb. 26	Concord	Linda Ann Worrey	F	L	Roger A. Worrey, Jr.	Natalie Kennett	Augusta, Me.	Needham, Mass.
Feb. 27	Concord	Keith George Richard	M	L	Donald E. Wittemore	Marrion L. Harris	Concord	Concord
Mar. 2	Manchester	Louise Marcelle Petrin	F	L	George A. Richard	Irene Huggins	New Hampshire	Pembroke
Mar. 10	Manchester	Debra Ann Boisvert	F	L	Roger J. Petrin	Lorretta A. Vezina	Holyoke, Mass.	Pembroke
Mar. 11	Manchester	James Lee Littlefield	M	L	Rene L. Boisvert	Irene A. Duval	New Hampshire	Pembroke
Mar. 28	Concord	Paulette Florence Garon	F	L	James Littlefield	Claire I. Saulnier	Campton	Concord
Mar. 30	Concord	Sandra Susan Faucher	F	L	Arthur J. Garon	Kathleen I. Dye	Manchester	Maine
Apr. 6	Concord	Lester Harry Taylor, Jr.	M	L	Robert A. Faucher	Anita R. Martel	Concord	Pembroke
Apr. 8	Concord	Diane Pauline Rondeau	F	L	Lester H. Taylor	Dorothy L. Boyle	Derry	Pembroke
Apr. 10	Manchester	Wayne Freeman Kilgore	M	L	Gerard P. Rondeau	Palmire E. Prive	Allenstown	Manchester
Apr. 14	Manchester	Steven Malcom Doyle	M	L	Roger L. Kilgore	Christine M. Kimball	Maine	Pembroke
Apr. 21	Goffstown	Ann Rae Lemay	F	L	Sidney M. Doyle	Fay A. Connor	Detroit, Mich.	Pembroke
Apr. 24	Manchester	Richard Roger Berube	M	L	Emile R. Lemay	Collette A. Lemaire	New Hampshire	Pembroke
May 12	Manchester	Marie Gregoire	F	L	George J. Berube	Eileen E. Richard	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
May 19	Concord	Shirley Ann Anderson	F	L	George J. Gregoire	Josephine M. Lefevre	Pembroke	Concord
May 19	Concord	Pamela May Moody	F	L	Lincoln C. Anderson	Marilyn A. Harris	Pittsfield	Concord
May 20	Manchester	Elenor Rose Searah	F	L	Harold R. Moody	Mary J. Sharon	New York	Pembroke
May 25	Manchester	Richard David Bilodeau	M	L	Andrew J. Searah	Rose M. Busby	England	Pembroke
May 26	Concord	Robert Laurie Merrill	M	L	Romeo Bilodeau	Albertine Lemieux	St. Damien, Can.	Pembroke
May 27	Concord	Timothy Henry Cofran	M	L	Laurance R. Rowe	Patricia R. Rowe	New Hampshire	Pembroke
May 30	Manchester	Paul Ernest Chouinard	M	L	George P. Cofran	Madeleine B. Bolger	Pembroke	Lowell, Mass.
May 31	Manchester	Robert Leon Lapierre	M	L	Lionel E. Chouinard	Mary J. Gagnon	Greenville	Pembroke
June 4	Manchester	Diane Rita Bonenfant	F	L	Ernest E. Lapierre	Lucille E. Bergevin	Allenstown	Pembroke
					Paul A. Bonenfant	Georgette I. Larcher	Pembroke	Pembroke



June	11	Concord	Jay Overton Beckett	M	L	1	Joseph O. Beckett	Edna F. Stoddard	Concord	Concord
June	26	Manchester	Murielle Marie Bonenfant	F	L	2	Lucien U. Bonenfant	Olive C. Beuregard	Pembroke	St. Damase, Can.
June	28	Manchester	Richard E. Laverdure	M	L	2	Dollard C. Laverdure	Bernadette T. Rheault	Manchester	St. Plevien, Can.
June	29	Manchester	Roger Roland Blazon	M	L	5	John R. Blazon	Jeanne L. Croteau	Pembroke	Manchester
June	30	Manchester	John Callahan	M	L	1	John R. Callahan	Mary J. Harrington	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July	1	Manchester	Doreen Michele Martin	F	L	1	Wilfred Martin	Ida A. Daneault	Connecticut	New Hampshire
July	1	Concord	David Peter Knowlton	M	L	3	Milton G. Knowlton	Wilburta L. Duquette	Boscawen	Barre, Vt.
July	8	Manchester	Wendy Louise Merrill	F	L	2	Wendell G. Merrill	Louise J. Bee	Woodstock	Manchester
July	14	Concord	Katherine Ann Scannell	F	L	4	Gabriel A. Scannell	Hazel Hiscock	Massachusetts	Massachusetts
July	15	Concord	Lorraine Irene Cote	F	L	5	Adrien P. Cote	Germaine L. Couturier	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July	21	Exeter	Kenneth M. McKnight	F	L	5	Thomas W. McKnight	Barbara C. McDevitt	Pennsylvania	Massachusetts
Aug.	6	Manchester	Diane Lucille Verville	F	L	1	Roger N. Verville	Simone G. Dandurand	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Aug.	6	Concord	Cynthia Kern Holtz	F	L	4	Charles H. Holtz	Ethel M. Kern	New York	New York
Aug.	13	Manchester	Richard Philip Carrier	M	L	1	Philip A. Carrier	Geneva G. Richard	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Aug.	14	Concord	Lynne Farnum	F	L	5	John L. Farnum	Lillian C. Ordway	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Aug.	18	Manchester	Denise Marie Labrie	F	L	2	Lawrence E. Labrie	Lillian B. Courchesne	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Aug.	29	Manchester	Richard A. MacMillan	M	L	3	Robert A. MacMillan	Thalia M. Follansbee	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept.	3	Manchester	Ruth Barbara Demers	F	L	2	Laurent S. Demers	Pauline M. Rondeau	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
Sept.	8	Kittery, Me.	Mark Joel Perham	M	L	1	Joel L. Perham, Jr.	Marjorie T. Scherig	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
Sept.	12	Concord	Patricia Jeanne Letendre	F	L	1	Maurice N. Letendre	Vera N. B. Emerson	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept.	16	Concord	Stephen Scott Elwell	M	L	2	Gerald E. Elwell	Mary L. Hook	Maine	New Hampshire
Sept.	22	Concord	Ann Renee Deguan	F	L	3	John B. Deguan	Beverly A. Boyd	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept.	23	Manchester	Reginald Ernest Dionne	M	L	3	Renee J. Dionne	Evelyn C. Martel	New Hampshire	Little Rock, Ark.
Oct.	15	Concord	Bert H. Foster	M	L	3	Eugene Foster	Marilyn E. Avery	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Oct.	16	Manchester	Deborah Ann Jarrett	F	L	2	Henry George Jarrett	Helen T. Heury	Massachusetts	Massachusetts
Nov.	1	Concord	Dale Anne Elwell	F	L	2	Russell H. Elwell	Mildred L. Hiscock	Maine	Massachusetts
Nov.	10	Manchester	Roberta Lee Bergevin	F	L	1	Robert W. Bergevin	Marilyn M. Hillman	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Nov.	12	Manchester	Michael Philip Plourde	M	L	1	Ernest P. Plourde	Gertrude L. Daneault	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec.	4	Concord	Larry Richard Chagnon	M	L	2	Raymond G. Chagnon	Patricia M. Crowley	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
Dec.	5	Manchester	Gregory Allen Chase	M	L	5	Edmund T. Chase	Catherine Allen	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec.	7	Manchester	Linda Faye Letendre	F	L	1	Robert G. Letendre	Faye L. Lewis	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
Dec.	10	Manchester	Elizabeth Ann Scott	F	L	1	Ralph W. Scott	Claire J'A. Plourde	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec.	16	Concord	David Anthony Tawa	M	L	3	Anthony J. Tawa	Ella J. Severance	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
Dec.	18	Concord	Lynn Susan Sanborn	F	L	2	Harlan R. Sanborn	Kathleen H. Lessard	New Hampshire	New Hampshire

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## Marriages Registered in the Town of Pembroke, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

Date and Place 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	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married
Jan. 22, 1953 Allenstown	Warren Vincent McCormick Laura Mae Scramlin	Pembroke Concord	24 24	W W	Electrotypist Nurse	Massachusetts Florida	James B. McCormack Eva Clark Earl W. Scramlin	Rev. A. J. Lesmerises Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Feb. 6 Concord	Ralph Whitney Scott, Jr. Claire Joan Arc Plourde	Pembroke Pembroke	27 19	W W	Painter Secretary	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Margaret Pixley Ralph W. Scott, Sr. Evelyn Fortin Romeo Plourde	Arthur E. Roby Justice of the Peace Concord, N. H.
Feb. 16 Allenstown	Reginald Roland Cassidy Mary Rose Leclair	Manchester Pembroke	21 18	W W	Trucker Service Worker	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Therese S. Riopel Edward Cassidy Charlotte Racicot Charles Leclair	Rev. A. J. Lesmerises Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Mar. 28 Concord	Robert Lyman Gerow Mary Rita Crowley	Concord Pembroke	23 18	W W	Laborer Clerk	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Antonia Frodyma Lyman W. Gerow Evangia M. White	Rev. Ned Burr McKenney Minister of the Gospel Concord, N. H.
Mar. 28 Manchester	Rosaire Amedee Pelletier Priscilla Marsh	Concord Pembroke	25 18	W W	Laborer Sales Girl	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rita Robichaud Aime Pelletier Valeri Benoit Louis Townsend	P. Piper Justice of the Peace Goffstown, N. H.
Apr. 11 Pembroke	Richard Glenn McNamara Joan Eileen St. Jean	Allenstown Pembroke	26 18	W W	Farmer Florist	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Dorothy Foster Glenn O. McNamara Gladys Mary Richards	Roland Stahl Minister of the Gospel Mansfield, Conn.
Apr. 25 Concord	Stanley Freeman Grimes Mary Elizabeth Murray	Pembroke Concord	26 23	W W	Farmer Tel. Operator	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Mary Ellen Duckworth Freeman Grimes Real Sargent Reuben E. Murray	Clinton L. Morrill Clergyman (Episcopal) Concord, N. H.
Apr. 25 Allenstown	Mederic Surprenant Florida Plourde	Nashua Pembroke	69 66	W W	B&M Railroad At Home	New York Canada	Helen N. Merrick Raphael Surprenant Malvina Dubois Leon Baril Aurelie Lambert	Rev. Donat Martel Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.

May 2	Rodney William Currier	Manchester	24	W	U. S. Army	New Hampshire	William Currier	Rev. D. Glengyle Deale Clergyman Pembroke, N. H.
Pembroke	Doris Madilyn Biggers	Pembroke	26	W	Payroll Clerk	New Hampshire	Rose May Towns	
May 9	Robert George Letendre	Pembroke	26	W	Helper Plumber	New Hampshire	Florence E. Osgood	Rev. A. J. Lesmerises Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Allenstown	Faye Linda Lewis	Allenstown	21	W	Stenographer	Massachusetts	George C. Lewis	
May 9	Norman Ernest Boisvert	Allenstown	20	W	U. S. Navy	New Hampshire	Tyra C. Lindquist	Rev. Arthur L. Massicotte Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Allenstown	Pauline Rolande Cantara	Pembroke	18	W	Inspector	New Hampshire	Ernest H. Boisvert	
May 10	William Meader Crafts	Pembroke	20	W	U. S. A.	New Hampshire	Eugene Cantara	Mark B. Strickland Clergyman Manchester, N. H.
Manches'r	Judith Ann Swallow	Hooksett	20	W	Stenographer	New Hampshire	Mansfield S. Crafts	
May 13	Antonio Francis Ricard	Pembroke	24	W	Apprentice Ma- chunist	New Hampshire	Robert H. Swallow	Rev. Napoleon J. Gilbert Roman Catholic Priest Manchester, N. H.
Manches'r	Theresa Jeanne Robidoux	Manchester	22	W	Office Clerk	New Hampshire	Thelma L. Swallow	
June 6	Melbourn Smith, Jr.	Tranquility, Cal.	21	W	U. S. Air Force	Oklahoma	Wilfred E. Ricard	Rev. A. J. Lesmerises Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Allenstown	Pauline Orona Boulet	Pembroke	21	W	Bookkeeper	New Hampshire	Antoinette Laliberti	
June 6	Girard Ovila Cherrette	Pembroke	24	W	Masonry Work	New Hampshire	Gedeon Robidoux	Rev. Wilfred A. Chartier Roman Catholic Priest Hooksett, N. H.
Hooksett	Theresa Albertine Courchesne	Hooksett	17	W	Shoe Worker	New Hampshire	Lena Duhamel	
June 13	Frederick Henry Ruf, Jr.	Nashua	40	W	Florist	New Hampshire	Melbourn Smith, Sr.	Paul R. Walker Minister of the Gospel Nashua, N. H.
Pembroke	Tone La Cygne Shaw	Pembroke	31	W	Florist	California	Clemmie Pope	Herbert J. Foote Clergyman Derry, N. H.
June 20	Richard Dana Smith	Derry	31	W	Farmer	Massachusetts	Clovis A. Boulet	Rev. E. A. Lignor Letendre Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Pembroke	Marjorie Cass	Pembroke	31	W	Secretary	New Hampshire	Clarida B. Crevier	Mark B. Strickland Clergyman Manchester, N. H.
July 4	Philip Louis Dandurand	Pembroke	21	W	U. S. Navy	New Hampshire	Ovila Cherrette	
Allenstown	Norma Constance Cyr	Allenstown	18	W	Faltin Transp. Co.	New Hampshire	Yvonne Lafleur	
July 12	Elmer Oscar Bergstrom	Epsom	44	W	Salesman	New Hampshire	Joseph R. Courchesne	
Manches'r	Eliza Adele Crafts	Pembroke	44	W	Bottled Gas	New Hampshire	Agnes Campbell	
							Frederick H. Ruf, Sr.	
							Anne M. Walter	
							Kenneth S. Coats	
							Mabel D. Loberg	
							Martha A. Wilson	
							Lewis W. Cass	
							Winnifred M. Sheehan	
							Alfred Dandurand	
							Angelina Daneault	
							Edouard Cyr	
							Alice Boucher	
							Carl A. Bergstrom	
							Alma Teresa Ostlund	
							William H. Colby	
							Anna C. Brooks	

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Date and Place 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	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married
Aug. 15 Pembroke	Arthur Adrian Wheeler Ruth Joyce Chickering	Virginia Pembroke	33 26	W W	U. S. Gov't Em- ployee Teacher	Massachusetts New Hampshire	George O. Wheeler Anna Wilkins Arthur M. Chickering Edith S. Gile	Rev. D. Glengyle Deale Clergyman Pembroke, N. H.
Aug. 29 Portsm'th	Lee Adams Young Jane Churchill Bellamy	Pembroke Maine	25 21	W W	Student Teacher	Colorado New York	Charles W. Greene Margaret Odlin Francis R. Bellamy Virginia Woods	Robert H. Dunn Clergyman Portsmouth, N. H.
Sept. 4 Pembroke	Henry Francis Young Ella Ida Jones	Pembroke Groveton	23 23	W W	Mill Worker Housework	New Hampshire Vermont	Frank Allen Young Nancy Flora Fuller Samuel E. Jones Alice E. Huntton Albert Rousseau	George P. Cofran Justice of the Peace Pembroke, N. H.
Sept. 5 Allenstown	Donald George Rousseau Georgette Laliberte	Manchester Pembroke	23 27	W W	Shoe Worker Shoe Worker	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Clara Noel Joseph Laliberte Rosaline Enaire	Rev. Adrien Verrette Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Sept. 5 Allenstown	Donald M. Lavoie Claire A. Verville	Allenstown Pembroke	21 18	W W	Shoe Worker Shoe Worker	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Henry D. Lavoie Anna Boucher Ernest J. Verville Joannette Gagne	Rev. A. J. Lesmerises Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Sept. 19 Manches'r	Armand Roland Brasley Anita Marguerite Tremblay	Pembroke Manchester	24 25	W W	Mail Clerk Meter Sealer	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Arthur Brasley Annette Boisvert Adrian Tremblay Delina Beland	Rev. Doria P. DesRuisseaux Roman Catholic Priest Manchester, N. H.
Oct. 12 Concord	Judson Alfred Sanderson, Jr. Eleanor Amoret Hollis	Pembroke Concord	22 20	W W	U. S. Navy None	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Judson A. Sanderson Marion J. Blaisdell Franklin Hollis Eleanor A. Slaker	Francis E. Potter Minister Concord, N. H.
Oct. 12 Allenstown	Roger Ernest Charpentier Venona Lorraine Mahair	Manchester Pembroke	21 17	W W	Shoe Shop M. K. F. Em- ployee	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Ernest O. Charpentier Marie A. Tremblay Ovilia O. Mahair Rita A. Mestime	Rev. Adrien Verrette Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.
Oct. 17 Allenstown	Sylvio Isidore Dube, Jr. Aline Emma Ouellette	Pembroke Pembroke	22 20	W W	U. S. Navy Bookkeeper	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Sylvio I. Dube, Sr. Rosaline P. Martel Phillip L. Ouellette Eva L. Desjardins	Rev. Adrien Verrette Roman Catholic Priest Allenstown, N. H.

Nov. 7	George Phillip Guetin	Manchester	23	W	Office	New Hampshire	Pierre Guetin	Rev. Adrien Verrette Roman Catholic Priest Allentown, N. H.
Allenstown	Doris Rose Desrosiers	Pembroke	32	W	Stitcher	New Hampshire	Marie Belmare Joseph Desrosiers	
Nov. 26	Harold Norman Mochrie	Pembroke	39	W	Foreman	New Hampshire	Josephine Boise Robert L. Mochrie	Rev. Wilfred A. Chartier, D.D. Roman Catholic Priest Hooksett, N. H.
Hooksett	Marie Antoinette Lafond	Hooksett	44	W	At Home	New Hampshire	Margaret Allison Alfred J. Lafond	
Dec. 5	Clyde Henry Severance	Pembroke	21	W	Tannery	New Hampshire	Anaise Turcotte Henry Clyde Severance	Quentin L. Hand Ordained Elder of the Methodist Church Pembroke, N. H.
Pembroke.	Dorothy Mae Crane	Pembroke	17	W	Shoe Worker	New Hampshire	Alice Mae Rothwell Ernest Crane Arrietta Hartford	

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# Deaths Registered in the Town of Pembroke, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex and Condition		Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months		Days	Male or Female			
1952										
June 9	Boscawen	Charles Eastman Cushing	34		Massachusetts	M	W	Farmer	John B. Cushing	Mary C. Kendrick
Nov. 11	Pembroke	Joseph Gosselin	65		Canada	M	W	B-Cutter	Joseph Gosselin	Ella Rowe
1953										
Jan. 3	Pembroke	Sylvia Fay Savitz	27		Indiana	F	W	Technician	David Savitz	Helen A. Bloom
Jan. 14	Pembroke	Roland Belair	30		New Hampshire	M	W	Mechanic	Albert Belair	Louise Tousignant
Jan. 19	Pembroke	Laura J. Jones	31		Vermont	F	W	Housewife	Joseph Rowe	Maria Sanborn
Jan. 23	Pittsfield	James Edward Adams	39		Vermont	M	W	Executive	Frederick B. Adams	Mary Doe
Feb. 1	Pembroke	Mary Jane Annis	38		P. Q.	F	W	Housewife	Charles Bresse	Louise Bonneau
Feb. 2	Pembroke	Fannie Whittemore Robinson				F	W	Housewife	Aaron Whittemore	Acha Cheney
Feb. 5	Allenstown	Fabiola Malo	19		New Hampshire	F	W	Mill Hand	Alfred Pelletier	Cordelia Duclos
Feb. 10	Pittsfield	Judith Marie Allaire	3		New Hampshire	F	W	None	Lester J. Allaire	Theresa Y. Hurd
Feb. 11	Pembroke	Alphonse David Poisson	54		New Hampshire	M	W	Mill Hand	David Poisson	Emma Tetrault
Feb. 20	Pembroke	Raoul P. Guimond	58		New Hampshire	M	W	Cobbler	Moise Guimond	Zelia Talbot
Mar. 4	Concord	Frank Eugene Freeman	32		Massachusetts	M	W	Supervisor	Charles Freeman	Elizabeth Oliver
Mar. 7	Pembroke	Oscar Boisvert	66		P. Q.	M	W	Yardman	Joseph Boisvert	Marie Tessier
Mar. 9	Pembroke	Winnie May Wadsworth	33		New Hampshire	F	W	Housewife	William Preston	Nellie Chase
Mar. 25	Manchester	Albina Marie Jacob	39		New Hampshire	F	W	Housewife	Alexis Coindre	Pauline Fountain
Mar. 27	Pembroke	Lester Boudreau	33		P. Q.	M	W	Millworker	Cleophas Boudreau	Adele Champagne
Apr. 2	Concord	Arthur Harland Truell	76		New Hampshire	M	W	Trackman	Harland P. Truell	Gertrude A. Havy
Apr. 9	Pembroke	Lola Mae Harper	72		Maine	F	W	Housewife	John Drew	Lucinda Blake
Apr. 15	Concord	William Leslie Dillane	77		Massachusetts	M	W	Meat Cutter	Robert Dillane	Alice R. Kimball
Apr. 19	Concord	Willis Chandler Hutchinson	57		New Hampshire	M	W	Housewife	Lester Hutchinson	Anaise Ouellette
Apr. 23	Manchester	Albertine Marie Lapierre	60		New Hampshire	F	W	Caretaker	Alphonse Plourde	Sophie Morissette
Apr. 24	Manchester	Joseph Fontaine	30		Canada	M	W	Housewife	Francoise Fontaine	Marie Desruisseaux
May 5	Pembroke	Helen Petrin	70		Canada	F	W	Labor	Pierre Letendre	Unknown
May 25	Concord	William Labaucette	77		Canada	M	W	Labor	Unknown	Josephine Tremblay
June 5	Pembroke	Amelia Marie Boulin	87		Canada	F	W	Housewife	Benjamin Tremblay	Ananda Jutras
June 14	Manchester	Oscar Isaac Boisvert	53		New Hampshire	M	W	Upholsterer	William Boisvert	Katharine Merkel
June 21	Pembroke	Dora Colby	89		Germany	F	W	At Home	Christian F. Neidhardt	Abbie H. Clark
June 29	Concord	Adele Bertha Pond	86		New Hampshire	F	W	At Home	Henry H. Cleasby	Nellie Auger
July 15	Pembroke	Robert J. Spencer	65		Vermont	M	W	Janitor	Herman M. Spencer	

July	17	Pembroke	Lyman H. Clark	77	New Hampshire	M	W	Store Clerk	William Clark	Mary Ann Wiggins
July	18	Concord	Alice R. Kimball	78	New Hampshire	W	W	At Home	Franklin P. Robinson	Ellen S. Fowler
July	27	Concord	Elsie Viola Truell	69	New Hampshire	F	W	At Home	William Head	Henrietta Sykes
Aug.	8	Manchester	Raoul L. Perreault	57	New Hampshire	M	W	Ins. Salesman	Mederic Perreault	Clarisse Caya
Aug.	21	Goffstown	Clarence B. French	63	New Hampshire	M	W	B&M RR	Fred French	Ada Noyes
Aug.	31	Pembroke	Michel Ernest Forcier	67	New Hampshire	M	W	Barber	Michel Forcier	— Grenier
Sept.	2	Pembroke	William Plastringe	74	New Hampshire	M	W	B&M RR	Charles F. Plastringe	Abbie M. Cass
Sept.	6	Manchester	Gustav Adolf Ober	75	Germany	M	W	Retired	Wilhelm Oberstebrink	Carolina Vitamins
Sept.	12	Manchester	Elizabeth G. Warren	60	Massachusetts	F	W	Reg. Nurse	Timothy Gallagher	Margaret Sheehan
Sept.	18	Pembroke	Robert Leon Lapierre	3	New Hampshire	M	W	—	Ernest E. Lapierre	Lucille Bergevin
Sept.	28	Concord	Ida Robinson	79	New Hampshire	F	W	—	William L. Robinson	Nannie Cochran
Oct.	2	Pembroke	Frank McLaren	46	California	M	W	Housekeeper	John F. McLaren	Maude Greenlaw
Oct.	16	Manchester	Robert L. Caswell	62	Massachusetts	M	W	Meat Cutter	Not known	Not known
Nov.	2	Concord	Elizabeth N. Drew	61	New Hampshire	F	W	General Man	Joseph P. Drew	Mary Cooper
Nov.	15	Pembroke	Edith Laurette Varney	78	New Hampshire	F	W	Housework	Alonzo H. Draper	Abbey Torrey
Nov.	19	Manchester	Jane Esther Perry	71	Massachusetts	F	W	Weaver	Cornelius Deehan	Mary Twomey
Dec.	5	Pembroke	Philomene M. Richard	83	Maine	F	W	At Home	Timothy Lizotte	Marie Gagnon
Dec.	10	Pembroke	Anaise J. Boulet	90	Canada	F	W	Housewife	Antoine Thibeault	Marceline Fredette
Dec.	29	Pembroke	Theresa Constance Panes	33	Massachusetts	F	W	Manager	Alexander Bourk	Amelia Fachuer

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