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Town Officers, 1951-52

Moderator

RAY E. HAMLIN

Town Clerk

ROBERT E. GLOVER

Selectmen

HENRY H. HOLT

R. NEAL COATES

CLAYSON I. GLOVER

Treasurer

ERNEST P. GOUD

Tax Collector

RAY E. HAMLIN

Constable

MAURICE WOODWARD

Auditor

RACHEL E. HOLT

Fire Warden

RAY E. HAMLIN

Library Trustees

PHYLLIS HART

FLORENCE HAMLIN

ERNEST P. GOUD

Road Agent

OWEN HAWKINS

Warrant of Town Meeting

To the inhabitants of the Town of Dummer, in the County (L. S.) of Coos, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Willis School House in said Dummer on Tuesday, the 11th day of March, next at ten of the 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 for the same.
3. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repair of highways and bridges.
4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for snow removal.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for cutting bushes along town roads.
6. To see if the town will vote to accept T. R. A. and make appropriations for the same.
7. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for general expense of Highway Department.
8. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for maintenance of cemeteries.
9. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of Town libraries.
10. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of Town Poor.
11. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of Old Age Assistance.
12. To see if the Town will vote to give discount on taxes.

13. To see if the Town will vote to give the Selectmen the right to hire money in anticipation of taxes, and to renew notes.

14. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate any sum of money for the White Mountains Region Association.

15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for repairs of cemeteries.

16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate such sums as may be necessary for repairs of Town Buildings.

17. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to apply on Town Debt.

18. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting and make appropriations relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this 16th day of January in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

HENRY H. HOLT,
R. NEAL COATES,
CLAYSON I. GLOVER,
Selectmen of Dummer.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HENRY H. HOLT,
R. NEAL COATES,
CLAYSON I. GLOVER,
Selectmen of Dummer.

Condensed Budget

	1951	1952
	Actual	Estimated
1. Town Charges	\$ 1,472.44	\$ 1,800.00
2. Highway and Bridges (Summer).....	1,382.91	1,500.00
3. Snow Removal	1,559.57	1,600.00
4. General Expenses of Highway Depart.	557.96	1,000.00
5. Bush Cutting	205.40	150.00
6. Town Road Aid	146.24	147.00
7. Town Poor	1,373.48	1,300.00
8. Old Age Assistance.....	381.71	400.00
9. Cemeteries	75.38	100.00
10. Libraries	67.72	75.00
11. Payment of Town Note.....	1,100.00	1,100.00
12. White Mountains Region Association.....	50.00	50.00
13. Repairs on Cemeteries.....		500.00
14. Repairs on Town Buildings.....		1,000.00

Report of Selectmen

Summary of Inventory, 1951

Lands and buildings	\$169,775.00
Electric plants	138,000.00
Horses, 52	4,850.00
Cows, 157	19,225.00
Neat Stock, 22.....	2,250.00
Sheep, 1	15.00
Hogs, 3	180.00
Fowls, 2,044	2,531.00
Vehicles, 1	2,000.00
Portable Mills, 2	4,200.00
Wood and Lumber	313,037.00
Gasoline Pumps	640.00
Stock in trade	400.00
Mills and Machinery	1,000.00
Dams and Piers	900.00
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Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions allowed.....	\$659,003.00
Less: Soldiers Exemptions.....	3,700.00
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Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is computed.....	\$655,303.00

Statement of Appropriations and Taxes Assessed

Town Charges	\$ 1,900.00
Town Road Aid.....	147.00
Town Road Maintenance.....	1,000.00
Town Snow Removal	1,500.00
Bush Cutting	150.00
General Expense of Highway Department.....	1,000.00
Libraries	75.00
Old Age Assistance	500.00
Town Poor	1,200.00
Cemeteries	100.00
Advertising and Regional Association.....	50.00
Payment on Principal of Debt.....	1,100.00
County Tax	2,258.00

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School Tax	14,545.00	
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Total Town and School Appropriations.....		\$ 25,525.00
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:		
Reimbursement on Exemption of Growing		
Wood and Timber	\$ 1,934.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees.....	643.00	
Dog Licenses	100.00	
Interest Received on Taxes.....	45.00	
Sale of Town Property.....	150.00	
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Total Revenues and Credits.....		\$ 2,872.00
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Appropriations less Revenues and Credits.....		\$ 22,653.00
Plus Overlay		484.65
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Net amount to be raised by taxation.....		\$ 23,137.65
Less Poll Taxes.....		202.00
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Amount to be Raised by Property Tax.....		\$ 22,935.65
Tax Rate \$3.50 on \$100.00 Valuation		
Abatements of 1950 taxes.....	\$ 24.00	
Abatements of 1951 taxes.....	29.02	
Abatements of '51, special poll tax	15.00	
Yield tax from 1951.....	2,013.62	

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer.....	\$ 1,356.88
Bounties due from State.....	68.75
Forest fires from State.....	288.87
Due from Town of Stark.....	105.00
Unredeemed taxes, 1950.....	97.47
Uncollected taxes, 1951.....	1,759.85
Uncollected taxes, 1950.....	53.38
Uncollected State Head Taxes, 1951.....	10.00
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Total Assets	\$ 3,740.20

Liabilities

State Head Taxes 1951, due to State.....	\$ 590.00	
Due to School District.....	2,145.00	
Long term notes.....	1,100.00	
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Total Liabilities		\$ 3,835.00
Total Liabilities	\$ 3,835.00	
Total Assets	3,740.20	
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Excess of liabilities over assets.....		\$ 94.80

Receipts

Cash in treasury January 1, 1951.....	\$ 3,088.32	
Property taxes collected during current year	21,151.45	
Poll taxes for current year.....	148.00	
Yield taxes for current year.....	1,975.70	
State Head Taxes @ \$5.00.....	590.00	
Property taxes for previous year.....	1,794.62	
Poll taxes, previous year.....	78.00	
Interest on taxes	66.69	
Railroad tax	4.85	
Reimbursement Exemption Growing Wood & Timber	1,698.69	
Collecting Head Tax.....	2.36	
Fighting forest fires.....	1,063.85	
Bounties	51.75	
Dog licenses	84.00	
Rent of town property.....	31.80	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1949 permit	5.60	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1950 permits	10.00	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1951 permits	647.24	
Temporary loans	7,935.00	
Sale of town property.....	150.00	
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Grand Total		\$ 40,577.92

Payments

Town officers' salaries.....	\$ 1,120.90
Town officers' expenses.....	183.24
Municipal court expenses.....	8.00
Police department	12.00
Forest fires	2,766.64
Bounties	68.75
Insurance	99.47

Vital statistics	4.00
Town road aid.....	146.24
Town maintenance, summer.....	1,382.91
Town maintenance, winter.....	1,559.57
Brush cutting	205.40
General expenses of Highway Department.....	362.88
Libraries	67.72
Old Age Assistance	381.71
Town poor	1,373.48
Withholding tax	55.60
Cemeteries	75.38
Town forest	37.74
Damages and legal expenses.....	6.06
Advertising and Regional Associations.....	50.00
Taxes bought by town.....	97.47
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds.....	78.63
Interest on temporary loans.....	27.50
Interest on long term notes.....	33.00
Tractor and truck.....	458.49
Payments on temporary loans.....	8,000.00
Payments on long term notes.....	1,100.00
County tax	2,258.26
School Lunch Program.....	200.00
Payments to School District.....	17,000.00
Cash in treasury December 31, 1951.....	1,356.88
Grand Total	<u>\$ 40,577.92</u>

CERTIFICATION

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

HENRY H. HOLT,
 R. NEAL COATES,
 CLAYSON I. GLOVER,
 Selectmen of Dummer

Town Treasurer's Report

Receipts

1951	Balance on hand at beginning of year.....	\$ 3,088.32
Jan. 7	From St. of N. H. Timber Tax Reimbursement	1,435.22
	18 From Carl Nason, rent of Howland House.....	5.00
Feb. 3	From State of N. H., hedgehog bounties.....	51.75
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll. taxes 1950 polls.....	\$ 16.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll. taxes, property.....	377.20
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll. taxes, interest.....	12.90
		406.10
Mar. 7	From State of N. H. Timber Tax.....	263.47
	14 From Charles A. Hawkins, for Howland place	150.00
	29 Ray E. Hamlin, coll. 1950 taxes prop. \$	190.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll. 1950 taxes polls....	22.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll. 1950 taxes interest	2.50
		214.50
Apr. 3	From Robert E. Glover, T. Clerk, auto permits	438.00
	19 From Fred Hand, plowing snow.....	2.00
May 24	From Berlin City National Bank, loan.....	4,950.00
June 7	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 polls \$	10.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	144.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 int.	3.88
		157.88
	27 From Berlin City National Bank, loan.....	2,985.00
Aug. 1	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop. \$	10.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 polls....	6.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 yield....	9.28
		25.28
	7 Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop. \$	224.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 poll....	2.00
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 int.	10.08
		236.08
	21 From State of N. H. Highway Department.....	24.80

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Sept. 6	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	46.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	614.58	
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			660.58
12	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop. \$	320.34	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls	18.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 polls	10.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	275.84	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes interest.....	17.60	
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			641.78
21	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	4.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	9,324.23	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	38.40	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes interest.....	1.90	
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			9,368.53
Oct. 5	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	16.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 head....	30.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	6,548.60	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 poll....	2.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	67.60	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes interest.....	2.10	
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			6,666.30
Nov. 2	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	22.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 head....	125.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	502.68	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 polls	8.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	259.96	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes interest.....	6.85	
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			924.49
22	From State of N. H., Forest Fire Reimburse.		1,063.85
29	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	28.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	3,706.25	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 yield	163.72	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 head	275.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	135.00	
	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes interest....	5.56	
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			4,313.53
Dec. 6	From State of N. H., 2% Head Tax.....		2.36
8	Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	10.00	

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Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	92.75	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 yield	1,760.00	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 head	150.00	
		2,012.75
26 From State of New Hampshire, Railroad Tax		4.85
29 From Robert E. Glover, auto permits \$	224.84	
From Robert E. Glover, dog licenses	84.00	
		308.84
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 polls \$	4.00	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 prop.	42.02	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 yield	42.70	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1951 head	10.00	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 polls	2.00	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes 1950 prop.	72.62	
Ray E. Hamlin, coll., taxes interest.....	3.32	
		176.66
Total Receipts including balance.....		\$ 40,577.92

PAYMENTS

By Orders of Selectmen

1951 Check No. To Whom

Jan. 10 491 Collector of Int. Rev., withheld tax	\$14.60	
Error second quarter	1.50	
		16.10
11 492 Owen Hawkins, snow removal.....		36.40
493 E. C. Stiles & Son, White Truck, \$20.90;		
East snow, \$48.00.....		68.90
494 The New England News Co., library books		19.86
495 Dorothy Hart, 2 weeks board of Hart girl		14.00
496 Jeannette Thibodeau, 2 weeks board of two		
Hart children		28.00
18 497 Owen Hawkins, East snow, \$43.30; West		
snow, \$20.19		63.49
498 Farm Bureau Ins. Co., White Truck ins.		31.25
499 Myrals, Incorporated		4.68
500 Rose Ayotte, International tractor.....		3.21

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	501 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	41.50
24	502 Owen Hawkins, East snow, \$29.70; West snow, \$10.40	40.10
	503 Rachel Holt, auditing books, typing reports	16.00
	504 Jeannette Thibodeau, 2 weeks board of two Hart children	28.00
	505 Dorothy Hart, 2 weeks board of Hart girl	14.00
	506 St. Louis Hospital, X-Ray of Sharon Hart	6.00
31	507 Smith & Town, printing Town Reports.....	204.00
	508 Owen Hawkins, East snow.....	33.90
	509 Clayson Glover, services.....	25.00
Feb. 7	510 Jeannette Thibodeau, 2 weeks board of two Hart children	28.00
	511 Dorothy Hart, 2 weeks board of Hart child	14.00
	512 E. C. Stiles & Son, White Truck.....	3.00
	513 R. Neal Coates, services, \$5; expenses, \$4.05	9.05
	514 Henry Holt, services, \$27.50; expenses, 50c; oil can, 95c.....	28.95
	515 Chas. Hawkins, East snow.....	44.60
	517 Owen Hawkins, East snow, \$61.70; West snow, \$50.60	112.30
	518 Town of Milan, refills for fire extinguisher	17.20
Feb. 14	519 Rose Ayotte, International tractor.....	8.59
	520 Durward Jewett, East snow.....	33.10
	521 Owen Hawkins, East snow, \$66.60; West snow, \$8.00	74.60
21	522 Jeannette Thibodeau, board of 2 Hart child.	28.00
	523 Dorothy Hart, board of one Hart child.....	14.00
	524 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	38.59
	525 The Greenwood Co., record book and sheets	4.94
	526 Owen Hawkins, East snow.....	43.60
28	527 R. Neal Coates, services, \$6.00; expenses, \$4.05; bolts for tractor, 90c.....	10.95
	528 Rose Ayotte, International tractor.....	7.76
	529 E. C. Bacon, International tractor.....	1.25
	530 Owen Hawkins, West snow, \$15.00; East snow, \$65.70	80.70
Mar. 7	531 Herb. Balsler, gas for White truck.....	5.80
	532 Rose Ayotte, gas for International tractor	5.12
	533 Durward Jewett, East snow.....	42.00
	534 Curtis Hardware, tools.....	7.29
	535 Clayson Glover, services, \$17., expenses, 50c	17.50
	536 City Distributing Co., gasoline.....	84.65

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	537 Henry Holt, services, \$6.50; expenses, \$1.00	7.50
	538 Chas. Hawkins, East snow, \$29.70; tax, 70c	29.00
	539 Owen Hawkins, East snow. \$37.40; West snow, \$12.00	49.40
	540 Jeannette Thibodeau, board of Hart child.	28.00
	541 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
14	542 Owen Hawkins, East snow.....	27.20
	543 Ray Hamlin, collecting taxes	48.82
	544 Gerald Sias, supervisor.....	12.00
	545 E. C. Stiles & Son, White truck.....	18.67
	546 Town of Milan, Fowler fire, 2 men, 9 hours @ \$1.00 per hour, \$18.00; 38 miles with auto, \$8.00; 1 man, 9 hours @ \$2.00, \$18.00.....	44.00
21	547 Archie Griffin, supervisor.....	5.50
	548 Rose Ayotte, International tractor.....	3.18
	549 Owen Hawkins, West snow, \$39.80; East snow, \$26.60	66.40
	550 Curtis Hardware, ½ dozen spades.....	13.38
	551 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	36.09
	552 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	553 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
28	554 Rose Ayotte, International tractor.....	3.13
	555 Owen Hawkins, East snow, \$24.70; West snow, \$6.50	31.20
Apr. 4	556 Coll. of Int. Rev., 1st quarter withheld tax	2.00
	557 Owen Hawkins, East snow, \$10.80; West snow, \$6.40	17.20
	558 Thelma Morse Murphy, list of Real Estate transfers	1.06
	559 Henry Holt, services.....	18.00
	560 R. Neal Coates, services, \$18.00, exp., \$7.20	25.20
	561 E. C. Eastman Co., Inc., Tax Coll. books	12.19
	562 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	563 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	564 Smith & Town, envelopes.....	8.00
	565 Clayson Glover, services, \$27.00; exp., \$6.38	33.38
11	566 Roy G. Hamlin, clerk's bond \$5.; treas. \$20.	25.00
	567 Chas. Hawkins, East road, \$27.00; tax, 20c	26.80
	568 Owen Hawkins, East road (summer).....	46.20
18	569 Dr. Dumontier, professional services, Hart child	23.00
	570 Durward Jewett, tractor, \$27.00; man and truck, \$5.60	32.60
	571 Owen Hawkins, West road.....	34.20

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		572 Chas. Hawkins, West road, \$28.80; tax, 50c	28.30
		573 Avery Howland, W. road, \$25.60; tax, \$2.30	23.30
		574 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
		575 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	25	576 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	27.88
		577 Rich & Burns, making deed.....	5.00
		578 Owen Hawkins, West road, \$58.10; East snow, \$94.90	153.00
May	2	579 Owen Hawkins, East road, \$44.10; planting trees, \$33.76	77.86
		580 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		581 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
		582 Henry Holt, services, \$24.50; exp., \$4.60.....	29.10
		583 R. Neal Coates, services, \$25.00; exp., \$8.40	33.40
		584 Clayson Glover, services, \$13.00; exp., \$10.00	23.00
	9	585 Avery Howland, West road, \$17.60; tax, 80c	16.80
		586 Owen Hawkins, West road.....	36.00
		587 Durward Jewett, East road.....	21.10
	16	588 Owen Hawkins, East road	71.70
		589 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		590 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
		591 E. C. Stiles & Son, White truck.....	26.70
		592 Rudy's Market, Town poor, Jos. Gagnon....	24.30
		593 E. Gagnon, Town poor, rent, Jos. Gagnon	16.26
	23	594 J. C. Penney, Town poor, clothing Hart children	35.16
		595 E. C. Eastman Co., Inc., Dog tags.....	4.12
		596 Alvin Howland, repairing cemetery fence....	6.57
		597 New England News Co., library book.....	2.22
		598 Ernest P. Goud, Supervisor, \$5.00; library books, \$3.87	8.87
	30	599 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	26.63
		600 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		601 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
		602 Blanche C. Goud, '50 school appropriations	3,000.00
June	6	603 Owen Hawkins, East road.....	16.40
		604 C. I. Glover, Town poor, \$5.00; expenses, \$3.00; services, \$10.50; bounties, \$9.00.....	27.50
		605 Henry Holt, use of car, \$7.20; services, \$12.; postage stamps, \$3.00; bounties, \$4.75.....	26.95
		606 Herb Balsler, White truck.....	2.60
		607 R. Neal Coates, services, \$8.00; exp., \$5.40	13.40
		608 Mrs. Wilfred Demers, board and room for Mrs. Jos. Gagnon and baby 1 week ending	

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		June 4, 1951.....	14.38
		609 Ray E. Hamlin, Dummer Pond forest fire	2,705.44
13	610	D. L. Garrison, auto guides.....	6.00
	611	Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	612	Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child	14.00
	613	Mrs. Wilfred Demers, board and room for Mrs. Jos Gagnon. and baby.....	14.38
20	614	State of N. H., Old Age Assistance	34.13
	615	Owen Hawkins, West road.....	17.40
	616	Mrs. Wilfred Demers, board and room for Mrs. Jos. Gagnon and baby.....	14.38
	617	Henry A. St. Laurent, explosives, East road \$14.00; West road, \$14.00.....	28.00
27	618	White Mt. Lumber Co., West road.....	19.36
	619	City Distributing Co., White truck.....	88.70
	620	Chas. Hawkins, W. road, \$35.10; tax, \$1.80	33.30
	621	Avery Howland, W. road, \$24.00; tax, \$1.90	22.10
	622	Owen Hawkins, West road.....	92.10
	623	Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	624	Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	625	Mrs. Wilfred Demers, board and room for Mrs. Jos. Gagnon and baby.....	14.38
	626	Blanche C. Goud, bal. of 1950 school appro.	2,000.00
July	4	627 Owen Hawkins, West road.....	44.10
	628	Chas. Hawkins, West road, \$42.30; tax, \$3.	39.30
	629	Avery Howland, W. road, \$35.20; tax, \$4.10	31.10
	630	Clayson Glover, bounties, \$6.75; serv., \$11.00	17.75
	631	R. C. Hazelton Co., grader blades	10.00
11	632	Owen Hawkins, East road.....	53.80
	633	Avery Howland, W. road, \$19.20; tax, \$1.20	18.00
	634	J. E. Faltin, transportation.....	1.60
	635	E. C. Stiles & Son, White truck.....	33.32
	636	Gerald Sias, cemetery.....	15.00
	637	Ida M. Horner, Tax Com. secretary.....	3.00
	638	Henry Holt, serv., \$6.50; library book, \$3.00	9.50
	639	Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	640	Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	641	R. Neal Coates, services, \$6.00; exp., \$4.05	10.05
18	642	Collector of Internal Revenue, withheld tax	7.50
	643	Farm Bureau Mutual Auto Insurance Co., White truck insurance.....	31.25
25	644	Rich & Burns, legal advice to Selectmen....	5.00
	645	State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	28.88
	646	Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00

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	647	Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
Aug.	1	648 Gerald Sias, cemetery.....	9.00
		649 Alvin Howland, cemetery.....	44.81
		650 Clayson Glover, serv., \$10.; bounties, \$12.50	22.50
		651 Henry Holt, services, \$9.00; expenses, \$2.80	11.80
		652 Owen Hawkins, East road, \$7.20; White truck, \$8.10	15.30
	8	653 L. O. Hamlin, express on trees.....	3.98
		654 R. Neal Coates, services, \$9.00; exp., \$2.70	11.70
		655 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		656 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	22	657 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	44.13
		658 Owen Hawkins, East road.....	16.20
		659 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		660 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	26	661 Berlin City National Bank, interest.....	15.00
	29	662 Gerald Sias, repairing tool box.....	10.00
		663 Treasurer of State of N. H., E. road, \$28.40; West road, \$60.80	89.20
Sept.	5	664 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		665 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
		666 Clayson Glover, services, \$25.00; exp., \$3.10	28.10
		667 Henry Holt, services.....	22.00
		668 Avery Howland, W. bushes, \$40.; tax, \$2.70	37.30
	12	669 Clayson Glover, bounties.....	11.50
	19	670 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	30.75
		671 Berlin City National Bank, interest on note	12.50
		672 Owen Hawkins, West bushes.....	32.80
		673 Blanche C. Goud, 1951 school appropriation \$2,000.00; school lunch appropriation, \$200.	2,200.00
		674 White Mountain Region Association.....	50.00
		675 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
		676 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	26	677 Owen Hawkins, East road.....	17.80
Oct.	4	678 Owen Hawkins, bushes, \$34.60; East road, \$35.95	70.55
		679 Chas. Hawkins, bushes, \$11.70; East road, \$24.50; tax, \$1.80	34.20
		680 Haven Knox, bushes, \$17.10; East road; \$24.30; tax, \$5.20.....	36.20
		681 R. Neal Coates, services, \$6.00; exp., \$5.65	11.65
		682 Clayson Glover, serv., \$8.00; bounties, \$15.25	23.25
		683 Henry Holt, services, \$9.00; expenses, 50c	9.50

	684 State Treasurer, T. R. A.....	146.24
	685 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	686 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
17	687 Owen Hawkins, East bushes, \$30.60; West road, \$10.80	41.40
	688 Chas. Hawkins, East bushes, \$19.80; West road, \$8.10; tax, 30c.....	27.60
	689 Haven Knox, East bushes, \$23.40; tax, \$1.90	21.50
	690 Ray E. Hamlin, taxes bought by the Town, Edith Keenan, \$14.11; Glen Wentworth, \$29.08; Chas. Hawkins, \$54.28.....	97.47
	691 New England News Co., library books.....	7.87
	692 City and Town Clerks' Association, dues.....	2.00
	693 Berlin City National Bank, note.....	5,000.00
	694 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	695 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
25	696 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	27.81
	697 Berlin City National Bank note.....	3,000.00
	698 Ernest P. Goud, library books.....	4.00
	699 Blanche C. Goud, 1951 school appropriation	3,000.00
31	700 Owen Hawkins, West road, Paris hill.....	169.80
	701 Chas. Hawkins, W. road, Paris hill, \$26.10; tax, 20c	25.90
	702 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	703 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child	14.00
	704 E. C. Stiles & Son, White truck.....	18.98
	705 Andrew Rozek, clothes for Hart children	4.98
	706 J. C. Penney Co., clothes for Hart children	86.51
	707 City Distributing Co., White truck.....	88.70
	708 Collector of Internal Rev., withheld tax	11.00
Nov. 7	709 R. Neal Coates, services, \$7.00; exp., \$3.45	10.45
	710 Henry Holt, services, \$9.50; expenses, \$1.25	10.75
	711 Owen Hawkins, East snow.....	17.10
	712 Berlin City National Bank, interest.....	33.00
	713 Clayson Glover, services, \$15.; bounties \$6.	21.00
	714 Berlin City Nat'l Bank, payment on note	1,100.00
14	715 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child, \$14.00; clothing for Hart child, \$12.75.....	26.75
	716 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	717 Owen Hawkins, East snow fence.....	58.40
21	718 Owen Hawkins, snow fence and sand.....	162.55
	719 Chas. Hawkins, snow fence and sand, \$33.30 tax, \$1.60	31.70

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	720 H. Knox, snow and sand, \$20.10, tax, \$1.50	19.20
	721 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	25.19
	722 Treas., State of N. H., tie wires and sodium chloride	71.81
28	723 R. Neal Coates, services, \$7.00; expenses, \$4.05; bounties, \$1.50	12.55
	724 Owen Hawkins, snow.....	24.30
	725 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	726 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
Dec. 6	727 Roy G. Hamlin, tractor insurance.....	36.97
	728 Henry Holt, services, \$24.; expenses, \$2.24; K. oil for office, 95c.....	27.19
	729 C. I. Glover, services.....	13.00
	730 Owen Hawkins, East snow.....	52.20
13	732 Rose Ayotte, International tractor.....	1.60
	733 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	734 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	735 E. C. Stiles & Son, blades for plow.....	88.10
	736 Ray Hamlin, collecting taxes, Head, \$11.60; property and polls 1950-51, \$369.63.....	381.23
	737 J. Arthur Sullivan, Co. Treas., County tax	2,258.26
20	738 Owen Hawkins, East snow.....	40.50
	739 Ray E. Hamlin, expenses to tax meeting	4.00
	740 O. S. Holt & Son, repairing stone drag.....	4.87
27	741 Jeannette Thibodeau, board Hart children	28.00
	742 Dorothy Hart, board of Hart child.....	14.00
	743 State of N. H., Old Age Assistance.....	20.13
	744 Owen Hawkins, East and West snow.....	83.20
	745 Chas. Hawkins, E. snow, \$62.10; tax, \$7.50	54.60
	746 Robert Mullins, West snow.....	35.62
	747 R. Neal Coates, International tractor.....	3.00
	748 Rose Ayotte, gas for International tractor	17.63
	749 The Country Store, gas for Inter. tractor	3.00
	750 State of N. H., excess tax coll. on yield tax	76.63
31	751 Jerome Witham, refund of poll tax paid twice in 1951	2.00
	752 Owen Hawkins, West snow, \$18.00; East snow, \$28.80	46.80
	753 Ernest P. Goud, salary as Treasurer, \$75.00; expenses, \$9.06; library postage, books \$7.87	91.93
	754 N. E. News Co., library books.....	19.03
	755 Roy G. Hamlin, Tax Collector's bond.....	25.00
	756 Constance R. Holt, Librarian.....	5.00

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757 Henry Holt, services, \$16.50; expenses, \$1.00	17.50
758 Maurice Woodward, police services, \$10.00; special work, \$2.00	12.00
759 Robert E. Glover, Clerk's salary, \$40.00; jury notices, \$8.00; postage, \$5.40; 130 auto permits, \$65.00; vital statistics, \$4.00	122.40
760 C. I. Glover, services, \$5.00; bounties, 50c; use of car, \$5.00	10.50
761 Blanche C. Goud, Treas., 1951 school appr.	7,000.00
762 Collector of Internal Revenue, withheld tax fourth quarter	19.00
Total payments	\$ 39,218.67
Bank service charges	2.37
Total expenditures	\$ 39,221.04

Recapitulation

Total receipts	\$ 37,489.60
Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1951	3,088.32
Total amount available for year	\$ 40,577.92
Payments by order of Selectmen	\$ 39,218.67
Bank service charge	2.37
Total expenditures for year	\$ 39,221.04
Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1952	\$ 1,356.88

ERNEST P. GOUD,
Town Treasurer.

Tax Collector's Report

Levy of 1951

Taxes committed to Collector:

Property taxes	\$ 22,919.65
Poll taxes	218.00
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	\$ 23,137.65

Added Taxes:

Property taxes	\$ 63.89
Poll taxes	18.00
Yield taxes	2,013.62
Collected by error.....	.11
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	\$ 2,095.62

Totat Debits \$ 25,233.27

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property taxes	\$ 21,151.45
Poll taxes	148.00
Yield taxes	1,975.70
Discounts	169.25
Abatements	29.02
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	\$ 23,473.42

Uncollected as per Collector's List:

Property taxes	\$ 1,657.32
Poll taxes	64.00
Yield taxes	38.03
Due by error.....	.50
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	\$ 1,759.85

Totat Credits \$ 25,233.27

Levy of 1950

Uncollected as of January 1, 1951.....	\$ 1,946.00	
Interest collectd	66.69	
Collected by error.....	2.00	
		\$ 2,014.69
Remittances to Treasurer.....	\$ 1,937.31	
Abatements	24.00	
Uncollected	53.38	
		\$ 2,014.69

STATE HEAD TAX**Levy of 1951**

Head taxes committed to Collector :

Original Warrant	\$ 585.00	
Added taxes	35.00	
		\$ 620.00
Total Commitment		\$ 620.00
Penalties collected		1.00
		\$ 621.00
Total Debits		\$ 621.00

Remittances to Treasurer :

Head taxes	\$ 590.00	
Penalties	1.00	
Abatements	20.00	
Uncollected as per Collector's list.....	10.00	
		\$ 621.00
Total Credits		\$ 621.00

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1951, on account of the tax levy of 1951, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RAY E. HAMLIN,
Tax Collector.

Town Clerk's Report

Received from 130 permits for registration of motor vehicles	\$	662.84
No. of dog licenses issued during 1951:		
28 male dogs @ \$2.00.....	\$	56.00
7 female dogs @ \$5.00.....		35.00
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	\$	91.00
Less Clerk's fee of 20c each		7.00
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	\$	84.00
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Total amount from all sources paid Treasurer	\$	746.84

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. GLOVER,
Town Clerk.

Auditor's Report

The undersigned auditor of Dummer, N. H. hereby certifies that she has examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Road Agents, and Tax Collector for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1951 and finds the same correctly cast and vouched.

RACHEL E. HOLT,
Auditor.

Dummer, N. H., January 18, 1952

School Treasurer's Report

July 1, 1950 to July 1, 1951

Receipts

1950	Cash on hand July 1, 1950.....	\$ 1,782.43
Sept. 6	From State Treasurer, Lunch Program.....	15.70
Oct. 4	From Selectmen, 1950 Appropriations.....	1,000.00
19	From Selectmen, 1950 appropriations.....	6,261.64
1951		
Jan. 2	From Dummer Duzit Club, fuel and lights.....	2.00
Feb. 15	From Dummer Duzit Club, fuel and lights.....	4.00
May 2	From Dummer Duzit Club, fuel and lights.....	2.00
30	From Selectmen, 1950 appropriations.....	3,000.00
June 12	From Dummer Duzit Club, fuel and lights.....	2.00
28	From Selectmen, 1950 appropriations \$	1,800.00
	1951 and 1952 appro	200.00
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		2,000.00
	Total Receipts, including balance.....	<hr/>
		\$ 14,069.77
	Cash on hand June 30, 1950.....	\$ 1,782.43
	From 1950-51 appropriations.....	12,061.64
	From 1951-52 appropriations.....	200.00
	School Lunch Fund.....	15.70
	Dummer Duzit Club.....	10.00
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	Total Receipts, including balance.....	\$ 14,069.77
	Less School Board's orders paid.....	12,195.06
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	Treasurer's Bank Balance June 30, 1951.....	\$ 1,874.71

BLANCHE C. GOUD,
District School Treasurer.

Payments, by order of School Board**From July 1, 1950 to July 1, 1951**

1950 Check No.

July 21	2559	Coll. of Internal Revenue, withheld tax...	\$	79.20
	2560	Public Service Company of N. H., lights		3.69
	2561	Lorena Witham, salary school bd. member		45.00
	2562	Mildred Bacon, salary school bd. member		45.00
	2563	Blanche C. Goud, salary school dist. treas.		45.00
	2564	Rachel Holt, auditor.....		3.00
	2565	Jennie J. Glover, salary school bd. chair.		50.00
Sept. 6	2566	Lorena Witham, cleaning school house:		
		43 hours @ 75c.....	\$	32.25
		Vacuum cleaner, 6 hours @ 50c		3.00
		Painting, 29 hours @ 75c.....		21.75
		Trip to Berlin		3.00
		Paint for Flag pole.....		.65
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				60.65
	2567	Charlie Witham, 4 hours cleaning, \$3.00:		
		3 hours painting, \$2.25.....		5.25
	2568	Cora Wheeler, 7 hours cleaning.....		5.25
	2569	Public Service Company of N. H., lights		2.01
	2570	Paul T. Farnum, school board assn. dues		3.00
	2571	Jennie J. Glover, Lunch program prev. yr.		15.70
	2572	Mildred Bacon, cleaning school house		9.00
	2573	The Macmillan Co., work books.....		5.31
	2574	M. F. Bragdon Paint Co., varnish.....		37.85
	2575	Edw. E. Babb Co., supplies.....		27.15
	2576	Gorham School District, sanding desks.....		18.40
	2577	A. & P. Company, Gorham, toilet paper....		7.00
	2578	Blais & Aubin, paper towels.....		36.26
	2579	J. L. Hammett Company, supplies.....		6.07
	2580	Gledhill Brothers, Incorporated, supplies....		19.50
	2581	Scott Foresman Company, work books....		6.55
15	2582	Fred Bradford, transportation of pupils....		53.40
	2583	Clinton McIntire, Clerk hire and expense		38.50
	2584	Edw. E. Babb Company.....		.87
	2585	American Book Company, books.....		26.87
	2586	Berlin City National Bank, payment on note, \$500.00; interest on bal. 1 year \$60.00		560.00
	2587	Simon Stahl & Son, 9 tons coal.....		216.90
	2588	Gwendolyn Jones, earnings (2 weeks) \$100.		

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		tax with., \$2.60; retirement, \$7.23 (\$9.83)	90.17
	2589	Madeline Lary, earnings (2 wks.) \$105.00 tax with. \$11.50; retirement, \$8.03 (\$19.53)	85.47
	2590	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2591	Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.00
	2592	Edgar Bacon, transportation of pupils.....	17.80
	2593	Elvira Sias, substitute teaching.....	16.00
Oct.	2	2594 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	4	2595 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	76.57
		2596 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	85.47
		2597 Mildred Bacon, janitor.....	15.00
		2598 Lorena Witham, janitor.....	21.50
		2599 Donald Hodgdon, transp. High School pupils	27.25
		2600 Edgar Bacon, transportation.....	17.80
		2601 Public Service Company of N. H., lights	3.67
		2602 American Education Press, books.....	16.50
		2603 Laidlaw Brothers, magazines.....	2.67
		2604 American Book Co., books.....	11.45
		2605 Gorham Post Office, stamped envelopes....	8.74
	13	2607 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	89.57
		2608 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2609 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2610 Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
		2611 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2612 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2613 Edgar Bacon, transportation.....	17.80
		2614 Coll. Internal Revenue, withheld tax.....	25.80
		2615 Charlie Witham, hauling, sawing and hous- ing wood	20.00
		2616 Teachers' Retirement Board.....	55.62
		2617 The Macmillan Company, books.....	5.61
	19	2618 Gerald Sias, repairing flag pole.....	16.50
	27	2619 Elvira Sias, substitute teaching.....	24.00
	29	2620 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2621 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2622 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2623 Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
		2624 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2625 Edgar Bacon, transportation.....	17.80
		2626 Ginn & Company, books.....	24.50
		2627 World Book Company, books.....	4.38
		2628 Curtis Hardware Store.....	15.20

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	2629	Roy G. Hamlin, insurance.....	5.00
	2630	C. N. Hodgdon Company, coal.....	41.92
	2631	Main Gas and Appliances, Inc., gas.....	17.00
	2632	Treasurer, State of N. H., per capita tax....	100.00
	2633	Clinton McIntire, Supt.'s excess salary.....	294.00
	2634	Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	52.77
Nov.	15	2635 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	15	2636 Gwendolyn Jones, earnings (2 weeks) \$100. retirement withheld \$7.23.....	92.77
		2637 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2638 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2639 Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
		2640 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2641 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
		2642 C. N. Hodgdon Company, coal.....	44.90
		2643 Alfred Lindsey, repairing switch.....	1.50
		2644 Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	19.21
	30	2645 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2647 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
		2648 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2649 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2650 Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
		2651 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2652 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
		2653 Wilson Pharmacy, medical supplies.....	2.53
		2654 Scott Foresman Company, books.....	9.31
		2655 American Book Company, books.....	.44
Dec.	8	2656 Fred Bradford, repair work.....	4.15
		2657 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2658 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
		2659 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2660 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2661 Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
		2662 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2663 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	17	2664 Lorena Witham, attending school board meeting and use of car.....	5.00
		2665 Jennie J. Glover, attending school board meeeting	3.00
1951			
Jan.	2	2666 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2667 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77

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	2668	Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2669	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2670	Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
	2671	Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2672	Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2673	Teachers' Retirement Board, withheld teachers, \$91.56; district, \$74.88.....	166.44
	2674	Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	9.85
	2675	Universal Distributors, reference dict.....	15.00
	2679	Coll. of Internal Revenue, withheld tax....	86.60
15	2680	Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	2681	Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2682	Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2683	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2684	Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
	2685	Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2686	Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2687	L. P. Villeneuve, repairing clock.....	3.75
Feb. 2	2688	Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	2689	Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
	2690	Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2691	Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2692	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2693	Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2694	Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
15	2696	Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	2697	Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2698	Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2699	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2700	Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
	2701	Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2702	Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2703	Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	8.21
	2704	Scott Foresman, books.....	2.05
	2706	C. N. Hodgdon Co., coal.....	45.83
	2707	Beckley-Cardy Co., window shades.....	58.29
27	2708	Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2709	Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2710	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2711	Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
	2712	Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2713	Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40

	2714 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2715 Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	6.90
Mar. 12	2716 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2717 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2718 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2719 Lorena Witham, janitor work.....	21.50
	2720 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2721 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	2722 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2723 Edgar Bacon	3.00
	2724 Jennie Glover, toll calls and postage.....	4.80
	2725 State Highway Department, signs.....	7.00
29	2726 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2727 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2728 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2729 Roy Sias, janitor work.....	21.50
	2730 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2731 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	2732 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2733 Vaillancourt's Grocery, janitor's supplies....	2.01
	2734 Curtis Hardware, repair material.....	2.33
	2735 Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	1.78
	2736 Rachel E. Holt, stamps.....	3.00
Apr. 13	2737 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2738 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	63.37
	2739 Mary Herrmann, substitute teaching.....	24.00
	2740 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2741 Roy Sias, janitor work.....	21.50
	2742 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2743 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
	2744 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2745 Curtis Hardware50
	2746 Allyn & Bacon Pub., books.....	47.69
	2747 Houghton-Mifflin Company, books.....	25.07
	2748 Beckley Cardy Company, globes.....	12.67
	2749 Paul E. Farnum, school board assn., dues	3.00
26	2750 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2751 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2752 Mildred Bacon, janitor work, \$15.00; trip to East Dummer and 3 gals. kero. oil, \$3.57	18.57
	2753 Roy Sias, janitor work.....	21.50
	2754 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
	2755 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40

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	2756	Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	17.80
	2757	Coll. of Internal Revenue, withheld tax.....	83.40
	2758	Teachers' Retirement Board.....	166.44
	2759	Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	8.84
	2760	Roy G. Hamlin, treasurer's bond.....	10.00
	2761	Paris Manufacturing Company, slabs.....	15.60
	2762	David Demers, piling slabs.....	2.50
	2763	Donald Bacon, piling slabs.....	2.50
	2764	Edgar Bacon, hauling slabs.....	6.00
	2765	Clifford Beroney, sawing slabs.....	6.00
	2766	Wilson Pharmacy, medical supplies.....	1.63
May	14	2767 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
		2768 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2769 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2770 Roy Sias, janitor work, \$21.50; trip to Gorham, \$3.00; 3 gallons kerosene oil, 45c	24.95
		2771 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2772 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2773 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transp. (1 week)	8.90
28		2774 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
		2775 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
		2776 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2777 Roy Sias, janitor work.....	21.50
		2778 Donald Hodgdon, transportation.....	36.00
		2779 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2780 Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transportation.....	2.30
		2781 Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	4.94
		2782 Roy G. Hamlin, insurance W. D. School	62.50
		2784 Gladys P. Fancy, school nurse.....	156.00
		2785 State Employees Retirement System and Retirement Assessment.....	14.74
June	13	2786 Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
		2787 Madeline Lary, teaching.....	76.42
		2788 Margaret Nichols, substitute teaching.....	8.00
		2789 Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
		2790 Roy Sias, janitor work.....	21.50
		2791 Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
		2792 Roland Sias, carrying wood (Willis Sch.)	1.50
		2793 Albert P. Knightly, reimbursement.....	10.68
		2794 Gorham School District, supplies.....	.75
		2795 Teachers' Retirement System, payroll withheld, \$91.56; dist. contribution, \$74.88	166.44

TOWN OF DUMMER, N. H.

15	2796	Gwendolyn Jones, teaching.....	92.77
	2797	Madeline Lary, teaching.....	83.07
	2798	Mildred Bacon, janitor work.....	15.00
	2799	Roy Sias, janitor work.....	21.50
	2800	Fred Bradford, transportation.....	53.40
28	2801	Public Service Company of N. H., lights....	5.59
	2802	Howard & Brown, school certificates.....	4.30
	2803	Berlin School Dept. High School tuition	2,255.56
	2804	Donald Hodgdon, bal. on transportation....	266.00
	2805	Coll. of Internal Revenue, withheld tax.....	77.70
	2806	Lorena Witham, error on janitor salary.....	.50

Total Payments and Service Charges.....\$ 12,195.06

Annual School Report

March 1, 1952

OFFICERS

Moderator

RAY HAMLIN

Clerk

ROBERT GLOVER

Treasurer

BLANCHE GOUD

Auditor

THELMA SMITH

Truant Officer

ERNEST GOUD

School Nurse

GLADYS FANCY

Census

ROBERT GLOVER

School Board

RACHEL HOLT, Chairman

MILDRED BACON

ELVIRA SIAS

Term expires 1952

Term expires 1953

Term expires 1954

Superintendent of Schools

ALBERT P. KNIGHTLY

Warrant

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Dummer qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Willis School House in said district on the 11th of March 1952 at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen, pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

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

Given under our hands at said Dummer this 15th day of February, 1952.

RACHEL HOLT,
MILDRED BACON,
ELVIRA SIAS,

School Board.

BUDGET FOR 1952-53

(Compared with Budget of 1951-52 and Expenditures of 1950-51)

	Amount Spent 1950-51	Adopted Budget 1951-52	Proposed Budget 1952-53
Salaries of district officers.....	\$ 188.00	\$ 194.00	\$ 194.00*
Superintendent's salary (Local Share).....	294.00	220.00	230.00*
Tax for state wide supervision.....	100.00	98.00	98.00*
Salaries of other administrative personnel.....	24.50	95.00	95.00*
Supplies and other expenses.....	59.12	120.00	100.00*
Salaries of teachers and principals.....	4,177.94	4,500.00	4,780.00
Books and other instructional aids.....	153.17	150.00	120.00
Scholars' supplies.....	81.95	150.00	120.00
Other instructional expenses.....	38.84	105.00	100.00
Salaries of janitors.....	730.00	730.00	730.00
Fuel.....	420.65	350.00	450.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses.....	200.11	200.00	200.00
Repairs and replacements.....	168.92	350.00	350.00
Health supervision.....	160.16	180.00	165.00
Transportation.....	2,233.25	2,750.00	2,970.00
Tuition.....	2,255.56	3,200.00	3,375.00
Special activities and special funds.....	215.70	380.00	600.00
Retirement.....	249.69	300.00	300.00*
Insurance, treasurer's bond and expenses.....	83.50	88.00	88.00
New equipment.....		25.00	25.00
Payments of principal on debt.....	500.00	500.00	500.00
Payments of interest on debt.....	60.00	140.00	20.00
Total.....	\$ 12,195.06	\$ 14,725.00	\$ 15,610.00
Total School Budget.....	\$ 13,157.50	\$ 14,725.00	
Raised by local taxation.....	\$ 12,977.50	\$ 14,545.00	

Estimated income:

State Treasurer, Noon Lunch Program \$300.00 (This is an off-set item under Special Activities and Special Funds, above, where the estimated expenditure is \$300.00 and the estimated receipts are \$300.00. It has no effect what ever on the amount to be raised by taxation). Any State Aid allocated to the district for December 1952 will also be deducted

*The starred items are required by law to be raised as determined by the proper authorities. The district determines the salaries of the district officers. The supervisory union board decided the local share of the superintendent's salary and other union expenses. The state treasurer reports the amount of the per capita tax. The retirement board assesses the amount for the teachers' retirement.

Report of Superintendent

To the Superintending School Committee and the Citizens of the Dummer School District:

FOREWORD

Life's greatest mistake, according to a recent Gallup poll, is in not getting enough education. Pollers found that more men and women listed that omission than any other, as being responsible for their hardships.

"To neglect our school system would be a crime against the future. Such neglect could well be more disastrous to all our freedoms than the most formidable armed assault on our physical defenses. Where the schools are concerned, no external threat can excuse negligence; no menace can justify a halt to progress," said Dwight D. Eisenhower.

In these trying times our schools should devote themselves directly to the great fundamental purposes of education—the preparation of intelligent citizens who understand, believe in, and practice the ideals of democracy—the preservation of national unity; the development of a sense of responsibility for common welfare; and the maintenance of sound wholesome community life.

Education for all the people is America's noblest contribution to civilization. Today there is a mounting tide of sentiment in behalf of better education. As surely as children grow, the schools must go on. Education cannot wait.

TEACHERS

Madeline Lary and Gwendolyn Jones both returned as teachers this year. Mrs. Jones is at the Willis School and Miss Lary at the West Dummer School.

ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE

There are, at this writing, 28 enrolled at the two schools, 7 at West Dummer and 21 at the Willis. The total enrollment is 7 smaller than for the past year.

The percentage of attendance, 98.42, at the West Dummer School was most commendable. The State Department of Education considers 97 or better worthy of special commendation. There was but a single case of tardiness in two schools during the year. This is a most commendable record, also.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

It is proposed that the School Board adopt the following school calendar for 1952-53.

First Term (76 days)

September 3, Wednesday, School Opens

November 26, Wednesday, Closing 12:30

November 27, 28, Thanksgiving Recess

December 19, Friday, School Closes

Second Term (35 days)

January 5, Monday, School Opens

February 20, Friday, School Closes

Third Term (34 days)

March 2, Monday, School Opens

April 3, Good Friday, Closed

April 17, Friday, School Closes

Fourth Term (35 days)

April 27, Monday, School Opens

June 12, Friday, School Closes

SCHOOL YEAR, 180 DAYS

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

The two school houses are for the most part in good condition. During the past year new pupils desks were installed at the West Dummer School. The usual thorough summer cleaning, repairs and improvements were made. A new set of reference books was purchased for the Willis School.

DEBT

The school debt now stands at \$1,000.00. A payment of \$500.00 has been anticipated in making up the budget. At the present rate of payment the debt will be liquidated in one more year.

TUITION

With the opening of school in September we had 15 tuition pupils in Berlin High School. Of these; 2 are seniors, 5 are juniors, 4 are sophomores and 4 are freshmen. With 6 pupils in grade 8 it would seem that the number of tuition pupils might increase next year. The tuition rate at Berlin High School for 1951-52 is \$200.00 per pupil.

TRANSPORTATION

We have a fairly heavy transportation load for a small town. Donald Hodgdon is transporting the high school pupils to Berlin. Fred Bradford transports at the Willis School. Mrs. Lawrence

Gallant transports from the Paris Manufacturing Company to the West Dummer School. Albert Ayotte transports his boys to the Milan Village School.

NOTES ON THE BUDGET

The school board's total budget for 1952-53 is \$15,610.00 as compared with \$14,725.00 for 1951-52. The total budget is \$885.00 more than the one for last year. This amount is directly traceable to anticipated higher costs for fuel, transportation, high school tuition, salaries and the inclusion of \$300.00 for the School Lunch Program.

The \$300.00 has been included in the budget as the estimated amount to be received from Federal Funds on the lunch program. The same amount has been recorded under estimated expenses. This is an off-set entry and has no effect upon the amount of money to be raised by taxation.

CONCLUSION

It has been said that the people of the United States could be divided into three groups—the small group who makes things happen—the large group who watch things happen—and the enormous group who do not know what happens. I hope that the educational opportunities of our schools are such that our boys and girls will become a part of that small group who make things happen.

I take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the members of the school board, parents, teachers, and citizens for their support in our common effort to maintain good schools.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT P. KNIGHTLY,

Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCIAL REPORT

1950-51

Receipts

Cash on hand, July 1, 1950.....	\$ 1,782.43
National School Lunch.....	15.70
Current Appropriation	12,061.64

Appropriation, 1951-52	200.00
Other	10.00
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Total Receipts	\$ 14,069.77

Payments

Salaries of district officers.....	\$ 188.00
Superintendent's salary (local share).....	294.00
Tax for state wide supervision.....	100.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel.....	24.50
Supplies and expenses.....	59.12
Salaries of teachers.....	4,177.94
Books and other instructional aids.....	153.17
Scholars' supplies	81.95
Supplies and other expenses.....	38.84
Salaries of janitors.....	730.00
Fuel	420.65
Water, light, supplies and expenses.....	200.11
Repairs and replacements.....	168.92
Health supervision	160.16
Transportation	2,233.25
Tuition	2,255.56
Special activities and special funds.....	15.70
Retirement	249.69
Insurance, Treasurer's bonds and expenses.....	83.50
Principal on debt.....	500.00
Interest on debt.....	60.00
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Total payments for all purposes.....	\$ 12,195.06
Cash on hand, June 30, 1951.....	1,874.71
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 14,069.77

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT**Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1951**

Cash on hand June 30, 1951.....	\$ 1,782.43
Received from Selectmen:	
Current Appropriation	\$ 12,061.64
Appropriations (1951-52)	200.00
Received from State Treasurer.....	15.70

Received from all other sources.....	10.00
Total	<u>12,287.34</u>
Total amount available for fiscal year.....	\$ 14,069.77
Less School Board Orders Paid.....	<u>12,195.06</u>
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1951	\$ 1,874.71
	BLANCHE C. GOUD,
	District Treasurer
June 30, 1951	

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of DUMMER, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951 and find them correct in all respects.

THELMA SMITH
Auditor

June 30, 1951

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

1950-51

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS:

Jennie Glover, school board salary.....	\$ 50.00
Lorena Witham, school board salary.....	45.00
Mildred Bacon, school board salary.....	45.00
Blanche Goud, treasurer.....	45.00
Rachel E. Magnusson, auditor.....	3.00
	<u>\$ 188.00</u>

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY (Local Share):

Clinton McIntire, union treasurer.....	294.00
	<u>294.00</u>

TAX FOR STATE WIDE SUPERVISION:

Treasurer, State of N. H., per capita.....	100.00
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 100.00

SALARIES OF OTHER ADMINIS. PERSONNEL:

Clinton McIntire, union clerk hire.....	24.50
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 24.50

SUPPLIES AND EXPENSES:

Clinton McIntire, union expenses.....	14.00
U. S. Post Office, envelopes.....	8.74
Lorena Witham, meetings.....	5.00
Jennie Glover, expenses.....	7.80
City National Bank, service charge.....	2.58
Rachel Holt, stamps.....	3.00
Mildred Bacon, supplies.....	3.57
Roy Sias, supplies.....	3.00
Albert P. Knightly, reimbursement.....	10.68
Gorham School District, supplies.....	.75

 59.12

SALARIES OF TEACHERS:

Gwendolyn Jones, salary.....	1,793.40
Madeline Lary, salary.....	1,639.85
Elvira Sias, substitute.....	40.00
Mary Herrmann, substitute.....	24.00
Margaret Nichols, substitute.....	8.00
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding	352.70
Teachers' Retirement, retirement.....	305.25
State Employees' Retirement, retirement.....	14.74

 4,177.94

BOOKS AND OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL AIDS:

American Book Company, books.....	38.32
Laidlaw Bros., books.....	2.67
MacMillan Co., books.....	5.61
Ginn & Company, books.....	24.50
Scott Foresman & Company, books.....	9.31
Allyn & Bacon Company, books.....	47.69
Houghton Mifflin & Company, books.....	25.37

 153.17

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES:

MacMillan Company, workbooks.....	5.31
Edward E. Babb Company, supplies.....	28.02
J. L. Hammett Company, supplies.....	6.07
Gledhill Bros., Inc., supplies.....	19.50
Scott Foresman Company, workbooks.....	6.55
American Press Company, magazines.....	16.50

\$ 81.95

SUPPLIES AND OTHER EXPENSES:

World Book Company, tests.....	4.38
American Book Company, books.....	.44
Universal Distributors, reference library.....	15.00
Scott Foresman Company, books.....	2.05
Beckley-Cardy Company, globes.....	12.67
Howard & Brown, certificates.....	4.30

38.84

SALARIES OF JANITORS:

Mildred Bacon, salary.....	300.00
Lorena Witham, salary.....	430.00

730.00

FUEL:

Simon Stahl & Son, coal.....	216.90
Charlie Witham, slabs.....	20.00
C. N. Hodgdon, coal.....	132.65
Main Gas & Appliances, gas.....	17.00
Paris Manufacturing Company, wood.....	15.60
David DeMers, labor.....	2.50
Donald Bacon, labor.....	2.50
Edgar Bacon, labor.....	6.00
Clifford Beroney, labor.....	6.00
Roland Sias, labor.....	1.50

420.65

WATER, LIGHT, SUPPLIES AND EXPENSES:

Public Service Company of N. H., lights.....	74.69
Mildred Bacon, cleaning.....	9.00
A. & P. Company, toilet paper.....	7.00
Blais & Aubin, towels.....	36.26

Lorena Witham, cleaning.....	60.65	
Cora Wheeler, cleaning.....	5.25	
Charlie Witham, painting.....	5.25	
Vaillancourt's Grocery, supplies.....	2.01	
		200.11
REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS:		
M. F. Bragdon Paint Company, varnish.....	37.85	
Gorham School District, sanding desks.....	18.40	
Curtis Hardware Store, supplies.....	15.20	
Gerald Sias, flag pole.....	16.50	
Alfred Lindsey, labor.....	1.50	
Fred Bradford, labor.....	4.15	
L. P. Villeneuve, repair clock.....	3.75	
Beckley-Cardy, curtains	58.29	
Edgar Bacon, labor.....	3.00	
State of N. H. Highway, signs.....	7.00	
Curtis Hardware Store, repairs.....	2.83	
Roy Sias, supplies.....	.45	
		168.92
HEALTH SUPERVISION:		
Wilson Pharmacy, supplies.....	4.16	
Gladys Fancy, salary.....	156.00	
		160.16
TRANSPORTATION:		
Fred Bradford, transporter.....	1,068.00	
Edgar Bacon, transporter.....	71.20	
Mrs. Lawrence Gallant, transporter.....	224.80	
Donald Hodgdon, transporter.....	869.25	
		2,233.25
TUITION:		
Berlin Public Schools, tuition.....	2,255.56	
		2,255.56
SPECIAL ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL FUNDS:		
Jennie Glover, Lunch Program.....	15.70	
		15.70

RETIREMENT:

Teachers' Retirement Board, retirement	249.69	
	<u> </u>	249.69

INSURANCE, TREAS. BONDS AND EXPENSES:

Roy G. Hamlin, insurance.....	77.50	
N. H. School Board Association, dues.....	6.00	
	<u> </u>	83.50

PRINCIPAL ON DEBT:

Berlin City National Bank, note.....	500.00	
	<u> </u>	500.00

INTEREST ON DEBT:

Berlin City National Bank, interest.....	60.00	
	<u> </u>	60.00

Total payments for all purposes.....	<u> </u>	\$ 12,195.06
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REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE

Teacher and School	Grades	No. Pupils	No. Boys	Average Attendance	Average Membership	Percentage of Attendance	Number of Tardinesses
Willis School							
Gwendolyn Jones	1-8	21	11	18.72	20.94	89.39	0
West Dummer School							
Madeline Lary	1-8	14	7	13.77	13.99	98.42	1
Totals	1-8	35	18	32.49	33.93	93.90	1

ENROLLMENT—JANUARY 1, 1952

Willis School	21
West Dummer School.....	7
	<u> </u>
Total	28

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DUMMER, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Condition	Color	Name of Parents	Birthplace of parents	Occupation of Father	Residence of Parents
April.....8, 1951	Maurice Charles Woodward.....	m	L w	w	Eugene C. Woodward.....	Milan, N. H.....	Farmer.....	Dummer, N. H.
May22, 1951	Stuart Earl Hawkins.....	m	L w	w	Ramona R. Hawkins..... Earl S. Hawkins.....	Berlin, N. H..... Dummer, N. H.....	Scaler.....	Dummer, N. H.
October.....14, 1951	Steven Clyde Stiles.....	m	L w	w	Lois E. Turner..... Clyde W. Stiles Jr..... Helen M. Coates.....	Wentworth, Loc..... Dummer, N. H..... W. Milan, N. H.....	Laborer.....	Dummer, N. H.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DUMMER, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

Place and Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age of each	Occupation of each	Birthplace of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom married
July 6 Wilsons Mills Me.	Elmer R. Hamlin..... Marilyn A. Adams.....	Dummer N. H..... Wilsons Mills, Me.	23 18	Army..... Tel. Operator.....	Dummer, N. H..... Wilsons Mills, Me.	Linwood O. Hamlin..... Evelyne R. Cortum..... Wm. Adams..... Florence Cole.....	Dummer..... Milan, N. H..... Wilsons Mills, Me..... Kenduskeag, Me.....	Rev. Earl C. Osborne Minister of the Gospel Berlin, N. H.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DUMMER, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Condition	Color	Occupation	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents
		Years	Months	Days							
Aug. 12, 1951	Esper A. French.....	66	7	23	Levant, Me.....	f	m	w	Housewife.....	George E. Allen.....	
Sept. 22, 1951	Ena Ann Emery.....	90	2	28	Gorham, N. H.....	f	w	w	Retired.....	Effie Wiggins..... Sidney Wells.....	
Oct. 19, 1951	Wm. A. Fowler.....	72	8	11	Yorkshire, England.....	m	m	w	Blacksmith.....	Catherine Flynn..... Thomas H. Fowler.....	
Dec. 27, 1951	James C. Fogg.....	92	6	25	West Milan, N. H.....	m	m	w	Merchant (retired).....	Martha Whiteley..... Nathan Fogg..... Lavinia Vincent.....	

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 ROBERT E. GLOVER, Town Clerk.

