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**DECEMBER 31, 1949**



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**TOWN OFFICERS****MODERATOR**

Jason C. Sawyer

**TOWN CLERK**

George H. Duncan

**TOWN TREASURER**

Eugene F. Boynton

**SELECTMEN**

Jason C. Sawyer  
 Ralph E. Boynton  
 J. Oren Belletete

Term expires 1950  
 Term expires 1951  
 Term expires 1952

**OVERSEER OF POOR**

Hubert F. O'Neil

**COLLECTOR OF TAXES**

Hubert F. O'Neil

**SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST**

James H. Fitzgerald

Nelson W. Gill

Ray E. Matthews

**BUDGET COMMITTEE**

Alfred S. Despres

Carl C. Spofford

James B. Perry

C. Francis Wozmak

Ralph E. Boynton

**FOREST FIRE WARDEN**

Phillip C. Tremblay

**ASSISTANT FOREST FIRE WARDENS**

Leon W. Priest

William J. Devlin

Alphe L. Lamothe

**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Phillip C. Tremblay, Chief

Leon W. Priest

John J. Devlin

Assistant Engineers

**SEXTONS**

Fred L. Cournoyer

Frank W. Faery

**HIGHWAY AGENT**

Henry J. Belletete

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Hubert F. O'Neil, Chief  
 Specials

George S. Austermann, Arthur H. Baldwin, Robert F. Bunce, Horace  
 A. Deschenes, Frank W. Faery, Amadice Jalbert, Alphe L.  
 Lamothe, William C. Messing, Hubert Stratton O'Neil  
 Romolo Vanni, George A. Willis, Nelson W. Gill

**CONANT INDIGENT FUND TRUSTEES**

Helen P. Duncan  
 Charles E. Chamberlain  
 Edward L. Fay

Term expires 1950  
 Term expires 1950  
 Term expires 1950

## LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Georgia L. Eaves	Term expires 1950
James B. Perry	Term expires 1951
Marion G. Symonds	Term expires 1952
Margaret E. Costello	Term expires 1953
Ralph E. Boynton	Term expires 1954

## WATER COMMISSIONERS

Geo. Prescott Duncan	Term expires 1950
Ralph E. Boynton	Term expires 1951
James B. Perry	Term expires 1952

## CONANT HIGH SCHOOL FUND TRUSTEES

Merrill G. Symonds	Term expires 1950
Frank H. Baldwin	Term expires 1951

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Carl C. Spofford	Term expires 1950
Frank H. Baldwin	Term expires 1951
James B. Perry	Term expires 1952

## HUMISTON PARK COMMISSIONERS

Baker F. McNear	Term expires 1950
Joseph Leo Forcier	Term expires 1951
James F. Farley	Term expires 1952

## AUDITORS

Antonio Cote	George W. McInnes	Lewis S. Record Jr.
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## CONSTABLE

Lloyd F. Wellington

## DOG CONSTABLE

Arthur H. Baldwin

## HEALTH OFFICER

Kauko Walkonen

## TREE WARDEN

Chas. E. Chamberlain

## AGENT FOR TOWN CLOCKS

Elmer H. Eaves

## REPRESENTATIVES TO GENERAL COURT

James B. Perry	Carl C. Spofford
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## TOWN WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Jaffrey, in the County of Cheshire, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Union Hall on School Street in said Town, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, (polls to remain open until six o'clock in the afternoon) to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for three years, and all other necessary Town Officers.

2. To hear all reports, except that of the Budget Committee, and act thereon.

3. To hear the report of the Budget Committee, and to raise such sums of money as may be required for the support of the poor, building and repairing highways and bridges, fire department, Memorial Day, street lights, and all other Town Charges.

4. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to arrange for the installation of a street light on the road leading from the Old Meeting House to the home of Paul Harling and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$23.50 to pay for the electric service for one year, as petitioned for by Katherine J. Hammar and others.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$925.34 upon condition that the State will contribute the sum of \$3,701.37 for Town Road Aid upon class V highways.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$447.00 (1/100th of 1% of the valuation of the Town) to the Monadnock Region Association of Southern New Hampshire for issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, and by other means, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the Town, in co-operation with the other thirty seven towns of the Monadnock Region.

8. To see if the Town will vote to purchase the surveys and property records of the late Arthur S. Buss, raise and appropriate money to pay for same, or act in any way relating thereto.

9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate with the New Hampshire Gas and Electric Company to sell to them a lot on the easterly side of SLAB City Road to be used as a transformer and regulator substation.

10. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following article: The Town of Jaffrey will accept from the Conant Cemetery Association the Conant Cemetery in Jaffrey, together with such trust funds as are held by said Association for perpetual care of certain lots in said cemetery and



will hold and control said cemetery as a town cemetery according to the provisions of law. The care, protection and preservation of the Conant Cemetery, the sale of lots and the control of the expenditure of all funds on said Conant Cemetery shall be vested in a Cemetery Commission. Said Commission shall be composed of three members, to be appointed by the Moderator for terms of three years, the first such Commission to be appointed for respective terms of one, two and three years and thereafter for full terms of three years. The sum of \$1,000.00 is raised and appropriated for the care of the Conant Cemetery for the ensuing year.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to the Elliot Community Hospital of Keene, the sum of \$155.20 being this town's proportionate share of said Hospital's deficit for the year 1949.

12. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Planning Board to consider the Town and School long range building needs and report thereon, to raise and appropriate a sum of money for necessary expenses.

13. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from its unencumbered surplus, any sum of money to the Town Hall Capital Reserve Fund.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be set aside and added to the Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of erecting a Town Hall at some future time as the Town may direct.

15. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$10,000 from its unencumbered surplus to the School District, thereby reducing the amount to be raised for School purposes by that amount, provided the School District votes to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for school building purposes and appropriates \$10,000 for that purpose.

16. To see if the Town will vote to accept in trust the following sums of money:

\$100.00 from Phoebe Roith

\$100.00 from Arland B. and Lydia L. Hunt

\$100.00 from Frank V. and Edith L. Wright

\$100.00 from Daniel C. and Abbie E. Lynch

\$100.00 from Georgiana P. Yeatman and Mildred W. Mulford

The income from such funds to be used for the care of their respective lots in the Cutter Cemetery.

To vote by ballot on the following question:

"Shall the provisions of Chapter 171-A of the Revised Laws relative to playing games of Beano be accepted in this town?"

Given under our hands and seal this twenty seventh day of February, A. D. 1950.

JASON C. SAWYER,  
RALPH E. BOYNTON,  
J. OREN BELLETETE,  
Selectmen of Jaffrey.

A true copy of Warrant,  
Attest:

JASON C. SAWYER,  
RALPH E. BOYNTON,  
J. OREN BELLETETE,  
Selectmen of Jaffrey.



**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF JAFFREY, N. H.**

Estimate of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year  
January 1, 1950 to December 31, 1950

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures  
of the Previous Year January 1, 1949 to December 31, 1949

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1949	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1949	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1950
<b>FROM STATE:</b>			
Interest and dividends tax	\$10,000 00	\$15,294 43	\$12,000 00
Railroad tax	350 00	386 17	350 00
Savings bank tax	500 00	278 59	278 59
Reimbursement a/c state and federal forest lands	190 00		
For fighting forest fires		25 48	
Reimbursement a/c old age assistance		32 50	
<b>FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:</b>			
Dog licenses		789 14	700 00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	200 00	264 00	264 00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	300 00	423 44	300 00
Rent of town hall and other buildings	50 00	64 50	40 00
Income from trust funds		44 00	44 00
Income of departments:			
(a) Highways, including rental of equipment	3,000 00	5,858 56	3,000 00
(b) Sewers		100 00	100 00
Histories sold		57 50	
Motor vehicle permit fees	6,844 00	9,807 51	8,000 00
Sale of town property		150 00	
‡Cash surplus		29,954 69	
<b>FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN</b>			
<b>PROPERTY TAXES:</b>			
(a) Poll taxes—regular @ \$2	2,844 00		
(b) National bank stock taxes	548 00		
<b>TOTAL REVENUES FROM</b>			
<b>ALL SOURCES EXCEPT</b>			
<b>PROPERTY TAXES</b>			
	\$24,862 00	\$63,530 51	\$25,076 59
<b>*AMOUNT TO BE RAISED</b>			
<b>BY PROPERTY TAXES</b>			
			177,390 81
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>			
			\$203,367 40

\* Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

‡ Cash Surplus equals Excess of actual Cash on Hand at close of fiscal year over Current Liabilities, i.e., Balance of Appropriation due School District, Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations, Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes and Accounts Payable.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1950
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town officers' salaries	\$4,200 00	\$3,944 50	\$4,200 00
Town officers' expenses	2,000 00	1,804 55	2,000 00
Election and registration expenses	100 00	141 72	400 00
Municipal court expenses	500 00	503 87	500 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	400 00	159 00	400 00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police department	4,300 00	4,479 22	5,000 00
Fire department	5,000 00	4,008 65	5,000 00
Moth insurance	1,700 00	1,789 89	1,800 00
Health:			
Health department, including hospitals	75 00	45 00	75 00
Vital statistics	150 00	80 00	100 00
Sewer maintenance	600 00	251 17	600 00
Town dump and garbage removal	800 00	657 85	800 00
Highways and Bridges:			
Tar	9,000 00	11,729 06	9,000 00
Town maintenance: summer	7,800 00	7,407 65	7,800 00
Town maintenance: winter	13,000 00	11,401 58	13,000 00
Street lighting and telephone	5,000 00	5,189 13	5,300 00
General expenses of highway department	1,200 00	759 37	1,200 00
Town road aid	932 76	932 76	925 34
Libraries	1,500 00	784 23	1,500 00
Public Welfare:			
Town poor	4,100 00	4,091 75	4,100 00
Old age assistance	1,600 00	1,608 25	1,600 00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial day and veterans' associations	400 00	400 00	400 00
Recreation:			
Bathing beach	700 00	699 34	
Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts	600 00	653 14	1,000 00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Humiston Field			850 00
Municipally owned water and electric utilities	65 00	63 50	65 00
Cemeteries	500 00	298 46	700 00

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1950
Unclassified:			
Refunds		65 72	
Damage and legal expenses, incl. dog damage	500 00	89 20	500 00
Advertising and regional associations	427 00	427 00	447 00
Interest:			
On temporary loans	400 00	149 61	300 00
Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improv.			
Highways and Bridges:			
Town construction	2,000 00	1,784 25	2,000 00
Road survey	500 00	175 00	500 00
Sidewalk construction	500 00	433 45	1,000 00
Sewer construction	6,500 00	796 87	3,500 00
New equipment		1,430 00	
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
(c) Payment to Capital reserve funds	15,000 00	15,000 00	5,000 00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:			
Rindge tax	100 00	84 28	100 00
County taxes	12,000 00	13,307 06	13,307 06
School taxes	93,849 00	87,131 07	108,398 00
Total expenditures	\$197,998 76	\$184,757 15	\$203,367 40

## BUDGET COMMITTEE ESTIMATE

Schools	\$108,398 00	
		\$108,398 00
Town officers' salaries	\$4,200 00	
Town officers expenses	2,000 00	
Election and registration	400 00	
Municipal court	500 00	
Town hall	400 00	
Police department	5,000 00	
Fire department	5,000 00	
Insurance	1,800 00	
Health department	75 00	
Vital statistics	100 00	
Sewer maintenance	600 00	
Public dump	800 00	
Tarring roads	9,000 00	
Highways (summer)	7,800 00	
Snow removal	13,000 00	
Street lighting and telephone	5,300 00	
General expenses highway department	1,200 00	
Town road aid	925 34	
Library	1,500 00	
Town poor	4,100 00	
Old age assistance	1,600 00	
Memorial day	400 00	
Parks and playgrounds	1,000 00	
Humiston field	850 00	
Water supply	65 00	
Cemeteries	700 00	
Damages and legal expenses	500 00	
Interest	300 00	
Town construction	2,000 00	
Sidewalk construction and repairs	1,000 00	
Sewer construction	3,500 00	
Rindge tax	100 00	
County tax	13,307 06	
		\$89,022 40
Monadnock Region Association (Article 7)	\$447 00	
Town hall fund (Article 14)	5,000 00	
Planning board (Article 12)	500 00	
		\$5,947 00
Total revenues from all sources except property taxes	\$25,976 59	
Amount to be raised by property taxes	177,390 81	
		\$203,367 40

ALFRED S. DESPRES,  
 JAMES B. PERRY,  
 FERDINAND D. GORDON,  
 RALPH E. BOYNTON,  
 Budget Committee.

**CERTIFICATE**

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

February 6, 1950.

JASON C. SAWYER,  
RALPH E. BOYNTON,  
J. OREN BELLETETE,  
EUGENE F. BOYNTON,  
Selectmen.  
Treasurer.

<b>TOWN OF JAFFREY,</b>	<b>ASSETS</b>	<b>BALANCE SHEET</b>
Cash in hands of treasurer		\$69,215 20
Capital reserve funds: (Chap. 35—Laws 1945)		
(a) Town hall		30,637 24
Accounts due to the town—		
Uncollected taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1949		12,422 01
(b) Levy of 1948		167 28
(c) Levy of 1947		410 02
(d) Previous years		6 00
Total assets		\$112,857 75
	<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Accounts owed by the town:		
Unpaid orders		\$3,305 28
Due to school districts:		
(a) Dog licenses		611 54
(b) Balance of appropriation		48,349 00
Capital reserve funds:		
(Offsets similar asset account)		30,637 24
Total liabilities		\$82,903 06
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)		29,954 69
Grand total		\$112,857 75

**RECEIPTS**

Current Revenue:		
From Local Taxes:		
(Collected and remitted to treasurer)		
1. Property taxes—current year	\$143,693 00	
2. Poll taxes—current year— regular @ \$2	2,296 00	
3. National bank stock taxes	604 00	
4. Total current year's taxes collected and remitted		146,593 00

5. Property taxes—previous years		11,340 85
6. Poll taxes—previous years— regular @ \$2		448 00
8. Interest received on taxes		544 92
9. Tax sales redeemed		2,707 55
From state:		
11. Interest and dividend tax	15,294 43	
12. Railroad tax	386 17	
13. Savings bank tax	278 59	
17. Fighting forest fires	25 48	
18. Bounties	158 50	
19. Reimbursement a/c old age assistance	32 50	
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
22. Dog licenses	789 14	
23. Business licenses, permits and filing fees	266 00	
24. Fines and forfeits, municipal court	423 44	
25. Rent of town property	64 50	
26. Bicycle registrations	29 50	
27. Income from trust funds	44 00	
28. Income from departments	5,858 56	
29. Histories sold	57 50	
31. Registration of motor vehicles, 1949 permits	9,807 51	
Total current revenue receipts		195,150 14
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
32. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	15,000 00	
35. Insurance adjustments	20 00	
38. New trust funds received during year	100 00	
40. Sale of town property	150 00	
Total receipts other than current revenue		\$15,270 00
Total receipts from all sources		\$210,420 14
Cash on hand January 1, 1949		62,597 00
Grand total		\$273,017 14

### PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officer's salaries	\$3,944 50
2. Town officer's expenses	1,804 55
3. Election and registration expenses	141 72
4. Municipal court expenses	503 87
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	159 00



## Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department	4,479 22
8. Fire department, including forest fires	4,008 65
9. Moth insurance	1,789 89
10. Bounties	157 00
11. Damage by dogs	177 60

## Health:

12. Health department, including hospitals	45 00
13. Vital statistics	80 00
14. Sewer maintenance	251 17
15. Town dumps and garbage removal	657 85

## Highways and Bridges:

Tarring roads	11,729 06
16. Town road aid	932 76
17. Town maintenance (summer \$8,033.05) (winter \$11,401.58)	19,434 63
18. Street lighting and telephone	5,189 13
19. General expenses of highway department	759 37

## Libraries:

20. Libraries	784 23
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## Public Welfare:

21. Old age assistance	1,608 25
22. Town poor	4,091 75

## Patriotic Purposes:

24. Memorial day and Veteran's associations	400 00
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## Recreation:

Bathing beach	699 34
26. Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	653 14

## Public Service Enterprises:

27. Appropriations to water and electric utilities	63 50
29. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	298 46

## Unclassified:

31. Damages and legal expenses	89 20
32. Advertising and regional associations	427 00
34. Discounts, abatements and refunds	65 72

Total current maintenance expenses	65,425 56
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## Interest:

35. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	149 61
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Total interest payments	149 61
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Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:		
40. Highways and bridges—town construction	1,784 25	
Road survey	175 00	
43. Sidewalk repairs	433 45	
44. Sewer construction	796 87	
46. New equipment (highway \$1,430.00)	1,430 00	
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Total outlay payments		4,619 57
Indebtedness:		
48. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	15,000 00	
49. Payments on outstanding orders	2,240 79	
50. Payments on Conant indigent fund	44 00	
51. Payments to capital reserve funds	15,000 00	
52. Payments to trustees of trust funds (new funds)	800 00	
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Total indebtedness payments		33,084 79
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
54. Taxes paid to county	13,307 06	
55. Rindge taxes	84 28	
56. Payments to school districts	87,131 07	
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Total payments to other governmental divisions		100,522 41
Total payments for all purposes		\$203,801 94
Cash on hand December 31, 1949		69,215 20
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Grand total		\$273,017 14

### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
1. Town hall, lands and buildings	\$18,000 00
Furniture and equipment	500 00
2. Libraries, lands and buildings	18,000 00
Furniture and equipment	5,000 00
3. Police department,	
Equipment	1,700 00
4. Fire department, lands and buildings	10,000 00
Equipment	8,000 00
5. Highway department, lands and buildings	6,000 00
Equipment	15,000 00
Materials and supplies	1,000 00
6. Parks, commons and playgrounds	2,500 00
7. Water supply, if owned by town	157,000 00
9. Schools, lands and buildings	175,000 00
Equipment	10,000 00
10. Town hall site	12,000 00
11. All lands and buildings acquired through tax collector's deeds	
William H. Davis land lot 2 R 8, dist. 5	100 00
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Total	\$437,800 00

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

## Dog licenses:

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949	\$2 86	
244 Male and spayed female licenses @ \$2.00	488 00	
63 Female licenses @ \$5.00	315 00	
1 Kennel license (5 tags)	12 00	
1 Kennel license (1 tag)	25 00	
3 Males @ \$1.50	4 50	
2 Males @ \$1.33	2 66	
1 Female @ \$2.92	2 92	
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315		\$852 94
4 extra tags (kennel)		
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319		
Commission, 319 @ 20c	\$63 80	
Paid treasurer	789 14	
	<hr/>	\$852 94

## Filing Fees:

Town meeting	\$8 00	
Paid treasurer		\$8 00

## Auto Permits:

1948 Permits:		
199636-199683 (48)	\$202 72	
1949 Permits:		
80101-81250 (1150)		
199951-200100 ( 150)		
208051-208103 ( 53)		
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1353	9,604 79	

		\$9,807 51
Paid treasurer		\$9,807 51

Respectfully submitted,  
 GEORGE H. DUNCAN,  
 Town Clerk.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

1942 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1949		\$2 00
1943 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1948	\$8 00	
Amount of interest added	78	
	<hr/>	8 78
1946 taxes collected and paid treasurer	4 00	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	78.	
	<hr/>	4 78
1946 taxes uncollected December 31, 1949		4 00
1947 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1948	457 62	
Amount of interested added	5 33	
	<hr/>	462 95

1947 taxes collected and paid treasurer	47 60	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	5 33	
		52 93
1947 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1949		410 02
1948 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1948	11,953 32	
Amount of interest added	515 31	
Amount of poll taxes added 1948 list	26 00	
		12,494 63
1948 taxes collected and paid treasurer	11,737 25	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	515 31	
Abatements allowed on 1948 taxes	74 79	
		12,327 35
1948 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1949		167 28

#### Summary of 1949 Tax Warrant

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$156,989 74	
Poll taxes	2,840 00	
Bank stock taxes	594 00	
Sewer assessments	2,335 10	
		\$162,758 84
Interest added	23 50	
Added property taxes	108 50	
Added poll taxes	64 00	
Added sewer assessments	146 56	
Added bank stock taxes	10 00	
		352 56
		\$163,111 40
Property taxes collected and paid treasurer	\$141,798 43	
Poll taxes collected and paid treasurer	2,296 00	
Bank stock taxes collected and paid treasurer	604 00	
Sewer assessments collected and paid treasurer	1,894 57	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	23 50	
		146,616 50
Amount of abatements allowed	968 57	
Amount of discounts allowed	3,104 32	
		4,072 89
1949 taxes uncollected, December 31, 1949		12,422 01

#### Summary of Tax Sales as of December 31, 1949

Unredeemed from sales of previous years.

Jane Y. B. Savage

Property redeemed from tax sale of September 30, 1948

Taxes of 1947.

A. M. Deschenes	\$2,615 95
Eva C. Deschenes	63 80
Marion P. Coburn	27 80

\$2,707 55

HUBERT F. O'NEIL,  
Tax Collector.

December 31, 1949

## UNPAID POLL TAX PAYERS

Antilla, Marion L.	\$2 00	Gauthier, Laurent	2 00
Antognoni, Florence M.	2 00	Gauthier, Margaret R.	2 00
Arceci, Rachel	2 00	Gobeil, Helen D.	2 00
Babineau, Barbara	2 00	Gobeil, Joseph T.	2 00
Babineau, Joseph	2 00	Guignard, Horace	2 00
*Baird, Lucille M.	2 00	Guyette, Mary Rose	2 00
Baldwin, Godfrey A.	2 00	Hamel, Julien	2 00
Baldwin, Margaret A.	2 00	Harling, Frances	2 00
Barney, Mrs. Ray	2 00	Harlow, Margaret	2 00
*Beam, Gertrude M.	2 00	Hartwell, Edwin L.	2 00
*Belletete, Charlotte M.	2 00	Harvey, Mary Ann	2 00
Blair, Estelle	2 00	Haude, Phyllis D.	2 00
*Bosley, Alton	2 00	Hebert, Mary A.	2 00
Bosley, Marion E.	2 00	Hebert, Verde W.	2 00
*Burns, Clifford	2 00	*Heikkila, Charlotte	2 00
*Burns, Freda	2 00	*Heikkila, Eino	2 00
Bussiere, Marietta J. G.	2 00	*Hill, Lorraine	2 00
Calder, Alec F.	2 00	Homan, Nellie A.	2 00
Calder, Elinor	2 00	Howard, Fannie G.	2 00
Carpenter, Fred H.	2 00	Jalbert, Imogene	2 00
Ceourchenes, Laura B.	2 00	Jalbert, Rosemary	2 00
Champney, Ruth T.	2 00	Janson, Hannah	2 00
Christian, Regina	2 00	Knowlton, Albert G.	2 00
Clapp, Frank D.	2 00	Knowlton, Mary	2 00
Clapp, Muriel L.	2 00	*LaFleur, Dorothy	2 00
*Connor, Lydia	2 00	*LaFleur, Emile	2 00
*Connor, William	2 00	Lafortune, Virginia M.	2 00
Despres, Alma	2 00	Lafrenier, Joseph	2 00
Despres, Raymond G.	2 00	LaPlante, Marion	2 00
Desrosiers, Edmund A.	2 00	LaPlante, Theodore	2 00
Devlin, William E. Jr.	2 00	Lashua, Victoria M.	2 00
*Dillon, Florence M.	2 00	LeClair, Marie A.	2 00
Dodge, Elmer A.	2 00	*Letourneau, Geraldine	2 00
Dodge, Helen E.	2 00	Letourneau, Ila M.	2 00
Dunning, Shirley M.	2 00	Mailo, Laida J.	2 00
Duval, Antoinette B.	2 00	*Marion, Emile	2 00
Duval, Denaige	2 00	*Marion, Exilda M.	2 00
Duval, Dorothy	2 00	Martin, Hazel	2 00
Duval, Sidney	2 00	Martin, Lucinne N.	2 00
Dyer, Alice T.	2 00	Mathewson, Norris	2 00
Dyer, Olive M.	2 00	McKinnon, Joseph G.	2 00
Eastman, Elizabeth	2 00	McKinnon, Leota	2 00
Eaves, Jean A.	2 00	Merrill, Mary J.	2 00
Ellis, Beatrice	2 00	Michaud, Raymond	2 00
Ellis, Corrine	2 00	Mitchell, Aseneth	2 00
Enos, Lillian G.	2 00	Morin, Richard A.	2 00
Fenerty, Margery A.	2 00	O'Boyle, James J.	2 00
Fernald, Helen	2 00	O'Boyle, Doris C.	2 00
Fisher, Grace L.	2 00	Parrott, Fannie R.	2 00
Fontaine, Millie	2 00	Peard, Edith A.	2 00
Forcier, Gertrude J.	2 00	Peard, Norman J.	2 00
Fournier, Aldea	2 00	Pelletier, Andrew J. Jr.	2 00
Garabrandt, Margaret	2 00	Pelletier, Leona	2 00
Garfield, Ro	2 00	Pelletier, Yvonne C.	2 00
Garfield, Roger J.	2 00	Pelton, Barbara M.	2 00
Garfield, Ruth T.	2 00	Pelton, Donald J.	2 00
Garfield, Charlotte	2 00	<b>Pike, Simonne</b>	<b>2 00</b>



Pitt, Elizabeth	2 00	Stevenson, Dale A.	2 00
Pilewicz, Islina	2 00	Stevenson, William D.	2 00
Putnam, Grace	2 00	Stewart, William H.	2 00
Robichaud, Georgiana	2 00	Stewart, Marjorie	2 00
Robidoux, Peter J.	2 00	St. Pierre, Jeanette	2 00
Robidoux, William G.	2 00	*Sullivan, Rosamond	2 00
Rossignol, Exilda	2 00	Taylor, Lillian M.	2 00
Rossignol, Ovilla F.	2 00	Taylor, Mary Rita	2 00
Rowleau, Alcide	2 00	Varville, Caroline	2 00
Rowleau, Mabel F.	2 00	Varville, Roger	2 00
Sands, Harold M.	2 00	Varville, Estalla	2 00
Sands, May L.	2 00	*Whipple, Anna	2 00
Saveall, Lena A.	2 00	White, Elizabeth A. J.	2 00
Sebastian, Aldea M.	2 00	Whitehead, Earl A. Jr.	2 00
Shattuck, Marjorie K.	2 00	Whitehead, Gertrude R.	2 00
Simmons, Blanch M.	2 00	Whitney, Harry S. Jr.	2 00
Sirois, John A.	2 00	Whitney, Marion R.	2 00
Sirois, Lucia	2 00	*Williams, Nora W.	2 00

\* Paid after close of fiscal year.

#### DELINQUENT PROPERTY TAX PAYERS

Adams, Annie G.	\$10 75	Charles	28 50
Adams, Charles F.	103 50	Bridgman, Lola I.	52 50
Adams, Roger B. and Bernice T.	91 50	Briggs, Roger C. and Agnes G.	21 50
The Ark	1,472 28	Brown, Lawrence W.	122 50
Antilla Heirs, Andrew	84 00	Burgoyne Heirs, Geo. R.	22 50
Arnold, Ralph W. Jr. and Delia M.	35 25	Burgoyne Heirs, Nelson	60 50
Austin, Charles R. and Eleanor L.	95 00	Burnham, Lawrence R. and Rosamond E.	30 00
Austin, Robert M. and Barbara J.	30 00	Butler, Frederick J. and Isabelle	144 00
Avard, Willie S.	47 50	Butler Oil Co.	52 50
Baird, Clarence J. and Lorraine D.	2 00	Bunker, Cyrus W. Heirs	35 00
*Baldwin, Ralph I. and Marion	54 50	Ceourchenes, Leonard	35 00
Bassett, Regina	61 50	Champney, Theron N.	44 00
Baldwin, Muriel	9 00	Charlonne, Homer	12 50
Beauvals, Charles G. and Marion M.	56 50	*Christian, Alonzo and Barbara H.	54 50
Belletete, William J.	35 00	Christian, Joseph H. and Gabrielle M.	102 00
Bergen, Homer and Jeanette	12 50	Cloutier, Albert and Eileen	9 00
Bernier's Market	105 00	*Cote, Viola	2 00
Bernier, Fortuna and Adeloisa	87 50	Crawford, John A. and Cecile M.	82 50
Bernstein, Edwin G.	535 50	Deschenes, A. M.	955 38
Best, Thomas W. Jr and Marjorie E.	165 00	Deschenes, Joseph A. and Mae J.	207 00
Bibeau, Joseph	34 12	Despres, J. Arthur	100 00
Bosley, Thomas J.	37 00	*Devlin, Mildred and William E.	91 50
Boutwell, Karl J. and Levida C.	97 63	Dillon, John K.	89 50
Boutwell, Karl J.	140 00	Dyer, Earl E.	44 00
Bridgman, Lola I. and		Eaves, Don A.	157 50
		Ellis, Albert E.	16 00
		Farrin, Myrtle J.	290 50



Fenerty, Rufus S. Jr.	65 00	Sawtelle, Homer J. and Marianne P.	91 50
Field, John W. and Agnes M.	2 00	Shattuck, Daniel C.	45 75
Fish, Abel John and Pauline	27 00	Sirois, Walter and Alice L.	81 00
Forcier, Frederick J.	7 00	Smith, Charles H. and Janet	26 50
Garfield, Carl F. and Philip C.	43 40	Sirois, George A. and Jeanne S.	35 00
Garfield, John T.	37 00	*Smith, Frederick and Amanda	16 00
Garfield, Robert T.	87 50	Stewart, Marion L.	72 00
Gargaro, Aldea	117 50	St. Pierre, Albert	44 00
Gentsch, Lucy C.	94 50	Taft, Fletcher W., Trustee	35 00
*Greene, William	3 50	Taft, Fletcher W.	107 00
*Harling, Paul H.	93 00	Varville, Onesime	47 50
Heikkila, Jalmar and Anna L.	341 25	White, Bradford A. and Hazel A.	89 50
Hill, Heirs, George W.	7 00	White, William G. and Eleanor	9 00
Howard Heirs, Alice E.	105 00	Wilson, Ida M. and Olive M. Fuller	49 50
Howard Heirs, William O.	88 38	Wright, Harry E. and Cora E.	46 00
Jaffrey Veterans, Inc.	175 00	Amsden, Agnes R. and Constance	14 00
Kulish, John W. and Aino J.	71 75	Association to Protect Mt. Monadnock	210 00
LaBrack, Forrest and Beatrice	109 00	Boynton, Josephine L.	17 50
LaBrie, Emile	28 00	Colleran, Thomas J.	60 38
LaBrie, Emile J. and Eva S.	7 50	Crowe, May F.	253 40
LaFosse, Peter H.	7 00	Cutler, Dorothy P. and Miriam Mauritzen	180 25
LaPage, Wilbur L. and Annette A.	10 75	Greene, Ainsworth W. and Florence M.	210 00
Laviolette, Lawrence and Florence L.	158 00	Greene, Florence M.	3 50
Lindsay Heirs, Walter A.	175 00	Gustafson, Evelyn H.	28 00
Lynch and Adams	12 60	Higgins, James P.	52 50
MacDonald, Ora M.	117 50	O'Hare Heirs, Anne	52 50
Martin, Peter P.	37 00	Richmann, Lucille	175 00
Merrill, Leonard C.	87 50	Snow, Sally D.	105 00
Murray, Louis E.	87 50	Stratton, G. Francis and Dorothy B.	84 00
Ouellette, Rose M.	50 00	Talbot, Albert	1 05
Ouellette, Antonio	89 50	Thrasher, Frank A. and Marcia	3 50
Paradise, Arthur G. and Louise	12 75	Tonry, Sarah J., Frank and Richard F.	105 00
Patterson, George A. Jr. and Beverly Ann	44 00	Watkinson, Olive R. and Kloberg, Ethel T.	63 00
Perry, Dana D. Jr. and Dorothy	98 50	Whitney, Robert	115 50
*Phelps, Claude L. and Mildred E.	68 50		
*Roberts, James	9 00		
Roberts, Mary R.	44 00		
Robichaud, Maxime Sr.	89 50		
Sasner, Bertha E.	68 50		

\* Paid after close of fiscal year.

## UNPAID SEWER ASSESSMENTS

Butler, Fred J.	\$17 19	LaBrack, Forrest	35 34
Ceourchenes, Leonard	13 12	Hunt, Herman W.	16 29
Christian, Joseph H.	20 95	Lavolette, Lawrence	20 09
Deschenes, A. M.	92 61	Lindsay, Heirs, W. A.	23 22
Despres, J. Arthur	5 60	Ouellette, Rose M.	26 24
Farrin, Myrtle J.	68 06	Sasner, Bertha E.	4 26
Gentsch, Lucy C.	51 33	*Zeeman, Ira P.	15 41
Hannon, Raymond	14 91		

\*Paid after close of fiscal year.

## REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

For year ending December 31, 1949

Balance on hand from last year \$62,597 00

## Received from State:

State share firemen's training at Peterboro	9 00
State share ½ expense forest fire Aug. 26, 1949	16 48
Bounty on 317 hedgehogs	158 50
Town share of recovery rec'd. on old age assistance paid to George W. Hill	32 50
92 yards gravel	9 20
Savings bank tax	278 59
Railroad tax	386 17
Interest and dividends tax	15,294 43

## H. F. O'Neil, Tax Collector:

1946 taxes	4 78
1947 taxes	52 93
1948 taxes	12,252 56
1949 taxes	146,616 50
Taxes redeemed	2,707 55
118 bicycle registrations @ 25c each	29 50

## George H. Duncan, Town Clerk:

Auto permits	9,807 51
Dog licenses	789 14
Filing fees	8 00

## Henry J. Belletete, Road Agent:

Use of equipment, labor, tarring drives etc.	4,721 54
1948-49 plowing drives	95 00
1949-50 plowing drives	745 00

## Alice E. E. Lehtinen:

4 sets histories sold	57 50
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Jason C. Sawyer, Justice, Municipal Court 1949 account 423 44

Kauko Walkonen, health officer, milk licenses 48 00

## Licenses:

Carl A. Butler, 6 bowling alleys	60 00
Carl A. Butler, 2 pool tables	20 00
Romolo Vanni, theatre license	100 00
Nathan Caplan, junk license	15 00
William J. Clement, junk license	15 00

Jaffrey Outing Club, bath house receipts	103 85
Monadnock National Bank, 2 promissory notes	15,000 00
P. C. Tremblay, fire chief, one axe sold	7 67
Union Pacific R. R. dividends for Conant Indigent Fund	44 00
Charles J. Letourneau, hearse house at Centre	150 00
D. Gagnon, garage rent Jan. 1, 1949 to July 1, 1950	54 00
Daniel C. & Abbie E. Lynch, lot No. 52 Cutter cemetery	100 00
Ray J. Whitehead, account fire	8 00
Town of Dublin, account of fire in 1948	37 00
Town of Troy, assist at May 5th forest fire	23 00
Boston & Maine R. R., assist service at fire Apr. 12, 1949	8 30
Travellers Insurance Co. claim No. 92-AD14526 policy M2 9082050	20 00
James Schofield, entrance charge to Charlonne St. sewer	50 00
George Hautenen, entrance charge to sewer	50 00
K. M. Larkin, rent of hearse house May to Aug. inc.	10 50
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	\$273,017 14
Less last years orders paid	2,240 79
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	\$270,776 35
This year's orders paid	198,255 87
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	\$72,520 48
This year's outstanding orders	3,305 28
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Balance after all orders are paid	\$69,215 20
Total orders issued this year	\$201,561 15

E. F. BOYNTON,  
Town Treasurer.

**TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT OF FUNDS**  
**Conant Indigent Fund**

Receipts:

Union Pacific R. R. stock dividend	\$44 00	
Deposited in Monadnock Savings Bank		\$44 00
The fund consists of:		
Union Pacific R. R. Co., Pfd. stock.		
22 shares certificate No. 014029	\$1,100 00	
Monadnock Savings Bank, Acct. No. 3201	6,282 95	
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**Dog Licenses**

Receipts	\$789 14	
Payments, dog damage, constable, etc.	177 60	
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Balance to schools, 1949		\$611 54

E. F. BOYNTON,  
Treasurer.

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS**

**General Government**

DETAIL NO. 1—Paid by Selectmen

Selectmen:

Homer J. Belletete, salary	\$101 50
J. Oren Belletete, salary	248 50
Ralph E. Boynton, salary	558 00
Jason C. Sawyer, salary	425 00

Town Clerk:

George H. Duncan, salary	100 00
George H. Duncan, issuing auto permits	766 50
George H. Duncan, drawing jurors	12 00

Town Treasurer:

Eugene F. Boynton, salary	150 00
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Health Officer:

Kauko Walkonen, salary	100 00
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Tax Collector:

Hubert F. O'Neil, salary	790 00
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Overseer of Poor:

Hubert F. O'Neil, salary	300 00
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Auditors:

George W. McInnes	25 00
Harry J. O'Brien	25 00
Lewis S. Record Jr.,	25 00

Sextons:

Fred L. Cournoyer	144 00
Frank W. Faery	56 00

Trustees of Trust Funds:

James B. Perry	100 00
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Tree Warden:

Charles E. Chamberlain	18 00
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\$3,944 50

DETAIL NO. 2—Expenses of Town Officers

Office Supplies:

Homer J. Belletete	\$1 34
Brown & Saltmarsh Inc.	81 38
Chase's Book Store	7 85
George H. Duncan	32 86
Nelson C. Faught	99 50
L. Jones	6 00
John E. Rich Co.	169 40
Sargent Brothers	26 40
Wheeler & Clark	2 33
Everett H. Whitlock	7 50

## Postage:

Ralph E. Boynton	2 40
Eugene F. Boynton	60
George H. Duncan	3 84
Homer J. Forcier P. M.	32 00

## Auto Hire:

J. Oren Belletete	49 00
Eugene F. Boynton	20 00
Ralph E. Boynton	32 00
George H. Duncan	8 00
Jason C. Sawyer	47 00

## Expenses:

Association of New Hamp. Assessors	2 00
Arthur S. Buss, research	15 00
Eugene F. Boynton, clerical work	428 00
Jaffrey Recorder, publishing notices	15 00
Monadnock Insurance Agency, bonds	95 00
Jason C. Sawyer, expenses	14 50
New Hampshire Tax Collectors Assoc. dues	4 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports etc.	586 65
Lloyd F. Wellington, bond	10 00
George H. Duncan	5 00

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 \$1,804 55

## DETAIL NO. 3—Election and Registration

## Moderator:

Jason C. Sawyer	\$8 00
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## Ballot Clerks:

Manuel Fernandes	8 00
George A. Hart Jr.	8 00
Myrtle F. Hazelton	8 00
Emma M. Langevin	8 00
Omelina S. Wheeler	8 00
Alice K. Duncan	8 00

## Supervisors of Check List:

James H. Fitzgerald	16 50
Nelson W. Gill	20 25
Ray E. Matthews	16 50

## Paid:

Elie Belletete & Sons, supplies	90
Chase's supplies	18 07
Robert J. Rich, janitor	5 00
Transcript Printing Co. printing	8 50

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 \$141 72

## DETAIL NO. 4—Municipal Court

## Paid:

Jason C. Sawyer, salary	\$500 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing	3 87

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 \$503 87

## DETAIL NO. 5—Town Hall

Paid:

Elmer H. Eaves, care of clocks	\$150 00
Jason C. Sawyer, mowing common	9 00

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 \$159 00

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

## DETAIL NO. 6—Police Department

Paid:

Hubert F. O'Neil, chief	\$3,824 52
George H. Duncan, rent	120 00
J. F. Dorman Co., bicycle plates	18 55
Motorola Inc., police radio	499 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing	12 60
Edmund Bibeau, labor	4 55

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 \$4,479 22

## DETAIL NO. 7—Fire Department

Paid:

Annett Box Co., lumber	\$8 65
Ralph I. Baldwin, printing	5 00
D. D. Bean & Sons Co., steel plate	8 78
Elie Belletete & Sons, supplies	5 54
Bernard Howe, supplies	4 56
Blanchard Associates, check valve	25 25
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., hose	38 56
Boutwell's Garage, repairs	12 55
John G. Britton, labor and material	29 73
Robert F. Bunce, labor	26 80
Butler Oil Co., fuel oil	395 72
Marcus Chamberlain, labor	24 50
Cheshire Oil Co., oil	16 98
Edgar Christian, labor	3 00
C. A. Clark, supplies	7 93
James A. Coffin, equipment	132 22
Danielson Printing Co., supplies	15 41
Eastern Fire Equipment Inc., supplies	76 62
Elite Laundry Co.,	2 70
Evans & Devlin, labor	7 00
A. Perley Fitch Co., blood plasma	45 94
Goodnow Bros. Co., supplies	56 77
George F. Grant Co., hose and supplies	611 10
Hackler Motor Sales, repairs	31 45
Paul A. Leach, labor	77 00
Charles McCarthy, labor	24 50
Ray Moore Motors, repairs	91 39
Ohio Chemical & Mfg. Co., supplies	7 00
L. W. Priest, trucking	13 00
Pay roll	1,967 37
Forest fire pay roll	151 44
A. W. Peters, gasoline	75 44
Thomas Stephenson Jr., labor	6 00
United Auto Supply Co., supplies	1 80
Wade Motor Sales, supplies	95

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 \$4,008 65



## DETAIL NO. 8—Insurance

Paid:

Eaves Insurance Agency	\$1,330 86
Ralph E. Boynton	210 39
Duncan Agency	45 64
Cournoyer Insurance Agency	52 88
Monadnock Insurance Agency	150 12

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 \$1,789 89

## DETAIL NO. 9—Bounties

Paid:

Homer J. Belletete	\$106 00
J. Oren Belletete	33 25
Ralph E. Boynton	14 50
Jason C. Sawyer	3 25

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 \$157 00

## DETAIL NO. 10—Damage by Dogs

Paid:

Arthur H. Baldwin, dog constable	\$157 60
George H. Duncan, town clerk	20 00

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 \$177 60

## HEALTH

## DETAIL NO. 11—Health Department

Paid:

Henry J. Belletete, clean up day	\$45 00
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 \$45 00

## DETAIL NO. 12—Vital Statistics

Paid:

George H. Duncan, town clerk	\$80 00
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 \$80 00

## DETAIL NO. 13—Sewer Maintenance

Paid:

Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$236 10
Goodnow Bros. Co., pipe	15 07

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 \$251 17

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

## DETAIL NO. 14—Highway Maintenance

Paid:

Henry J. Belletete, dirt account	\$7,051 85
Henry J. Belletete, snow account	11,223 28
Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	534 10

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 \$18,809 23

## DETAIL NO. 15—Cutting Brush

Paid:

Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$625 40	
		\$625 40

## DETAIL NO. 16—Tarring Roads

Paid:

Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$4,591 21	
Koppers Co. Inc., tar	3,329 51	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tar	2,345 29	
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., asphalt	1,463 05	
		\$11,729 06

## DETAIL NO. 17—Street Lighting &amp; Telephone

Paid:

New Hampshire Gas & Electric Co.	\$4,540 50	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	626 63	
Wilfred Boudrieau, labor	22 00	
		\$5,189 13

## DETAIL NO. 18—General Expenses Highway Department

Paid:

Annett Box Co., lumber	\$1 26	
Elie Belletete & Sons, traffic paint and supplies	76 04	
Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	60 15	
Henry J. Belletete	337 77	
J. Oren Belletete, signs	24 00	
Bernard's Hdwe, supplies	2 59	
John Boudrieau, labor, trimming trees	5 50	
Goodnow Bros. Co., drain pipe	53 55	
State of New Hampshire, calcium chloride	150 68	
State of New Hampshire, traffic signs	47 83	
		\$759 37

## PUBLIC DUMP

## DETAIL NO. 19—Dump

Paid:

Samuel Blanchette, care of dump	\$657 85	
		\$657 85

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

## DETAIL NO. 20—Library Building

Paid:

Elie Belletete & Sons, supplies	\$32 29	
Henry J. Belletete, labor on driveway	17 10	
Elmer H. Eaves, labor	7 60	
Lillian G. Encs, labor	77 40	
Evans & Devlin, labor	36 30	
Letourneau Furniture Co., fuel oil	609 44	
New Hampshire Gas & Electric Co., supplies	2 10	
L. W. Priest, trucking	2 00	
		\$784 23

PUBLIC WELFARE  
DETAIL NO. 21—Town Poor

Paid:

Hubert F. O'Neil, overseer of poor	\$5,700 00
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\$5,700 00

PATRIOTIC  
DETAIL NO. 22—Memorial Day

Paid:

Albert Coll, appropriation	\$400 00
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\$400 00

RECREATION  
DETAIL NO. 23—Beach

Paid:

Goodnow Bros. Co., supplies	\$0 64
Hubert S. O'Neil, supplies	3 80
Richard Pratt, services, caretaker	274 00
Walter J. Simcock, life guard	400 90
Job Stanley, supplies	20 00

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\$699 34

DETAIL NO. 24—Parks and Playgrounds

Paid:

Annett Box Co., lumber	\$3 88
Elie Belletete & Sons, supplies	2 00
Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	185 60
Edmund Bibeau, labor	39 79
F. S. Cheney Lumber Co., lumber	12 00
James F. Farley, supplies	73 85
Goodnow Bros. Co., supplies	38 79
Highway Department, labor	7 20
Peter P. Martin, trucking	11 00
Monadnock Tree Service	17 75
Philip Morris Co., equipment and supplies	213 39
Jaffrey Recorder	6 00
Gus Steman, services	25 00
Alphonse Taylor, labor	4 00
United Auto Supply Co., supplies	2 89
Kauko Walkonen	10 00

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\$653 14

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES  
DETAIL NO. 25—Water Supply

Paid:

Jaffrey Water Works	\$63 50
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\$63 50

## DETAIL NO. 26—Cemeteries

Paid:

George E. Barker, labor	\$96 06
Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	182 40
Charles E. Chamberlain, labor	10 00
Mrs. George B. Hyde, refund	10 00
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\$298 46

## UNCLASSIFIED

## DETAIL NO. 27—Damages and Legal Expenses

Paid:

Esther G. Bennett, list of deceased owners of real estate	\$2 50
Winfield M. Chaplin, transfer cards	44 00
Philip H. Faulkner, legal services	24 00
Demetrius Gagnon, labor on damaged fence	8 75
Walter H. Gentsch, legal services	5 00
Goodnow Bros. Co., supplies	4 95
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\$89 20

## DETAIL NO. 28—Refunds

Paid:

Bean & Symonds Inc., truck tax overcharge	\$7 78
Amanda Bruno, poll tax, over 70 years old	2 00
Edward L. Fay Jr., poll tax exempt	2 00
Robert Heinonen, motor vehicle tax	1 70
Alphe Lamothe, tax overcharge	7 00
Charles J. Letourneau, motor vehicle tax	1 43
Ruby I. Sawtelle, motor vehicle tax	3 31
Maybelle P. Urquhart, poll tax 70 years old	4 00
Patrick Varville, property tax exemption	36 50
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\$65 72

## INTEREST

## DETAIL NO. 29—Interest

Paid:

Monadnock National Bank	\$149 61
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\$149 61

## NEW CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENTS

## DETAIL NO. 30—State Aid T. R. A.

## Town Road Aid

Paid:

Treasurer State of New Hampshire	\$932 76
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\$932 76

## DETAIL NO. 31—Town Construction

## Howard Hill Road

Paid:

Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$717 90
Prison Industries, culvert pipe	70 30

	Lawrence Street		
	Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	794 55	
	Squantum Village		
	Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	201 50	
		<hr/>	\$1,784 25
	DETAIL NO. 32—Road Survey		
Paid:	Arthur S. Buss, surveying	\$150 00	
	Gus Steman	25 00	
		<hr/>	\$175 00
	DETAIL NO. 33—Sidewalk Repairs		
Paid:	Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$318 45	
	Joseph Gamelin, labor	115 00	
		<hr/>	\$433 45
	DETAIL NO. 34—Sewer Construction		
	K. K. Road		
Paid:	Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$598 61	
	Evans & Devlin, labor	5 00	
	Grove Street		
	Henry J. Belletete, pay roll	\$189 26	
	Goodnow Bros. Co., supplies	4 00	
		<hr/>	\$796 87
	DETAIL NO. 35—New Equipment		
Paid:	Wade Motor Sales, truck	\$1,430 00	
		<hr/>	\$1,430 00
	REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS		
	DETAIL NO. 36—Advertising		
Paid:	Monadnock Region Association	\$427 00	
		<hr/>	\$427 00
	INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS		
	DETAIL NO. 37—Temporary Loans		
Paid:	Monadnock National Bank	\$15,000 00	
		<hr/>	\$15,000 00
	DETAIL NO. 38—Capital Reserve Fund		
Paid:	Trustees of trust funds	\$15,000 00	
		<hr/>	\$15,000 00

## DETAIL NO. 39—Cutter Cemetery Lots

Paid:

Trustees of Trust Funds, money received for  
following lots

Arland B. and Lydia Hunt	\$100 00
Daniel C. and Abbie Lynch	100 00
Charles S. Phelps	300 00
Phoebe Roith	100 00
Frank V. & Edith Wright	100 00
Georgina P. Yeatman and Mildred W. Mulford	100 00

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 \$800 00

## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

## DETAIL NO. 40—

Paid:

Harry A. Page, County Treasurer, County tax	\$13,307 06
Town of Rindge, taxes	84 28
L. W. Brown, Treas., School District	87,131 07

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 \$100,522 41

## REPORT OF HENRY J. BELLETETE, HIGHWAY AGENT

Receipts from Highway Department:

Received for Use of Grader:

Arthur Whitcomb, Inc.	\$20 00
Deschenes, A. M.	7 70
Jaffrey Reservoir Corp.	82 00
N. H. Forestry Dept.	565 00
N. H. Highway Dept.	1,277 50
Town of Fitzwilliam	229 25
Town of Rindge	345 00

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 \$2,526 45

Received for Use of Tractor:

Bois, Joseph	\$7 50
Desmarais, Edward	2 50
Fenerty, Rufus	20 00
Fernades, Manuel	7 50
Gagnon, Joseph	10 00
Lamonthe, Alphe	10 00
Letourneau, Charles	10 00
Mercure, Bertrand	27 50
O'Brien, Joseph P.	22 50
Schofield, James	25 00
Sunoco Station	10 00

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 \$152 50

Received for Use of Compressor:

Korpi, Reuben	\$10 00
Peterborough Water Dept.	8 00

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 \$18 00



## Sewer Work:

Boyton, Ralph	\$40 90
Gentsch, Walter	61 40

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\$102 30

## Plowing Driveways:

1948-1949	\$95 00
1949-1950	745 00

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\$840 00

## Tarring Driveways:

Bean, D. D. & Sons	\$356 49
Belletete, Laura	61 20
Buckwold, Henry	17 90
Bunce, Annie	8 30
Bussiere, Andrew	43 00
Chamberlin, Prescott	29 50
Christian, David	28 80
Conant Cemetery	155 40
Donahue, Joseph	47 50
Forcier, Phil	66 15
Grummon, Robert	55 03
Howard, Charles	23 20
Kelly, John	59 60
Low, Florence	23 30
McSkimmon, William	150 00
Roy's Groc. Store	77 45
Shattuck, Helen	42 87
Shattuck Inn	266 90
Sirois, Felix	102 60
Sunoco Filling Station	42 00
Taylor, William	25 90
Town of Rindge	65 20
Wetherell, L. H.	96 20

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\$1,842 49

## Material Sold:

## Road Salt:

Camp Iroquois	\$53 00
Faery, Frank	1 60
Gauthier, Alfred	13 50
Gill, Nelson	9 60
Martin, Leonard	2 10

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\$79 80

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\$5,561 54

Paid Treasurer

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\$5,561 54

## REPORT OF HENRY J. BELLETETE, HIGHWAY AGENT

Year Ending December 31, 1949

### Maintenance of Dirt Roads

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$774 90
Belletete, Henry, truck	617 70
Belletete, Henry, truck	445 40
Buckwold, Max, labor	256 70
Clark, Walter, labor	176 35
Despres, Raymond, labor	55 00
Dillon, Roger, labor	481 40
Duval, August, labor	387 45
Eaves, Alton, labor	20 25
Elliott, Edward, shovel	357 00
Forcier, Leo, labor	47 90
Gagnon, Demetruis, labor	81 75
Gamelin, Jos. labor	21 50
Greenwood, Geo., labor	271 65
Greenwood, Richard, labor	266 95
Harling, David, truck	50 00
LaFleur, Ernest, labor	95 90
LeClair, Albert, labor	122 25
Ouellette, Roland, labor	279 90
Parker, Frank, labor	21 00
Roy, Raymond, tractor shovel	84 00
Turner, Alton, labor	117 15
Turner, Harold, labor	651 30
Whitcomb, Arthur, shovel	56 27

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\$5,739 67

### Supplies and Repairs

Annett Box Co.	\$4 14
Belletete, H. J.	4 52
Butler Oil Co.	156 27
Casellini-Venable Corp.	36 79
Concord Foundry & Machine Co.	40 00
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co.	34 35
Eaves, D. A.	4 79
Goodnow Bros. Co.	87 09
Hackler Motor Sales	43 44
Hazelton, R. C. Inc.	249 67
Monadnock Nat'l Bank	3 26
Nelson, Irvin, gravel	37 00
New Eng. Metal Culvert Co.	23 00
New Eng. Explosives Corp.	16 01
Perkins, Bassett & Wright	9 60
Perkins, M. S.	20 33
Peters, A. W.	389 24
Prison Industries	33 60
Ray Moore Motors	9 83
Robertson Motor Co.	1 26
Robichaud, John	1 60
Roy, Raymond, gravel	80 20
Southwestern Trans. Co.	3 99
Wade Motor Sales	22 00

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\$1,312 18

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\$7,051 85

**REPORT OF HENRY J. BELLETETE, HIGHWAY AGENT****Tarring and Patching Roads**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$290 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	707 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	685 75
Bernier, Octave, shovel	126 00
Buckwold, Max, labor	233 80
Butler, Carl, truck	105 40
Clark, Walter, labor	86 40
Despres, Raymond, labor	38 25
Dillon, Roger, labor	212 90
Duval, August, labor	239 20
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co.	47 50
Elliott, Edward, shovel	162 00
Greenwood, George, labor	191 80
Greenwood, Richard, labor	262 25
Harling, David, truck	141 05
Huntley, Fred, supplies	38 00
Lafleur, Ernest, labor	52 65
LeClair, Albert, labor	53 10
Mei F. & Co.	8 31
Nelson, Irvin, gravel	60 30
Ouellette, Roland, labor	227 80
Roy, Raymond, tractor shovel	26 25
Roy, Raymond, truck	175 15
Southwestern N. H. Trans. Co.	1 25
Turner, Alton, labor	40 10
Turner, Harold, labor	274 00
Whitcomb, Arthur, shovel	205 00

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\$4,591 21

**REPORT OF HENRY J. BELLETETE, HIGHWAY AGENT****Sanding and Snow Removal**

January 1, 1949—December 31, 1949

Ascani, Severino, labor	\$31 05
Austin, Robert, labor	16 65
Bacon, Charles, tractor plowing	175 50
Belletete, Henry, agent	805 10
Belletete, Henry, truck	649 40
Belletete, Henry, truck	809 60
Belletete, Henry, t. plowing	237 15
Belletete, Henry, t. plowing	385 95
Buckwold, Max, labor	352 60
Butler, Carl, truck	78 10
Carpenter, Oris, labor	9 00
Clark, Walter, labor	33 75
Cloutier, Patrick, labor	4 05
Crawford, John, labor	6 75
Dillon, Roger, labor	419 00
Duval, August, labor	372 60
Duval, Roderick, labor	7 20
Eaves, Alton, labor	374 20
Elliott, Edward, shovel	147 00
Fontaine, George, tractor	35 65
Gagnon, Andre, labor	10 80

Gagnon, Demetrui, labor	274 95
Greenwood, George, labor	308 95
Greenwood, Richard, labor	506 10
Lafleur, Ernest, labor	191 55
LeClair, Albert, labor	186 60
Ouellette, Roland, labor	269 55
Paradise, Oliver, labor	7 20
Putnam, Frank, labor	36 90
Roy, Raymond, tractor	144 10
Roy, Raymond, truck	273 00
Sawyer, Jason, tractor plowing	171 00
Sawyer, Jason, truck	407 45
Sawyer, Roscoe, team	75 00
Stratton, Samuel, labor	4 05
Turner, Alton, labor	169 30
Turner, Harold, labor	761 60
Varville, Roger, labor	11 70
Williams, Carlos, labor	13 05

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\$8,773 15

#### Supplies and Repairs

Annett Box Co.	\$83 27
Bastille, John	22 00
Belletete, Elie	2 05
Belletete, H. J.	5 34
Butler Oil Co.	346 01
Casellini-Venable Corp.	9 50
Eaves, D. A.	23 13
Elm City Grain Co.	120 00
Faltin Trans. Co.	1 30
Folsom, Charles	20 50
Goodnow Bros. Co.	68 15
Hackler Motor Sales	61 58
Hazelton, R. C.	564 11
International Salt Co.	423 00
Jones Express	1 20
Monadnock Nat'l Bank	3 26
New Eng. Explosives Corp.	5 88
N. H. Welding Supply Co.	15 36
Northeastern Petroleum Co.	25 75
Perkins, Bassett & Wright	3 35
Perkins, M. S.	78 46
Peters, A. W.	221 26
Ray Moore Motors	64 79
Robertson Motor Co.	16 26
Robichaud, John	3 95
Southwestern Trans. Co.	2 62
Sunshine Stores, Inc.	216 00
Thompson & Hoague Co.	4 20
Wade Motor Sales	37 85

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\$2,450 13

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\$11,223 28

**New Construction**  
**Howard Hill Road**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$26 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	60 45
Belletete, Henry, truck	44 95
Butler, Carl, truck	58 90
Elliott, Edward, shovel	186 00
Greenwood, Richard, labor	24 30
Harling, David, truck	65 10
Ouellette, Roland, labor	26 10
Roy, Raymond, truck	65 10
Sawyer, Roscoe, gravel	112 40
Turner, Alton, labor	22 50
Turner, Harold, labor	26 10

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\$717 90

**New Construction**  
**Lawrence Road**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$24 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	63 55
Belletete, Henry, truck	68 20
Buckwold, Max, labor	20 70
Butler, Carl, truck	21 70
Duval, August, labor	16 20
Elliott, Edward, shovel	114 00
Greenwood, Richard, labor	7 20
Harling, David, truck	46 50
Hazelton, R. C., culverts	160 50
Ouellette, Roland, labor	19 80
Roy, Raymond, truck	27 90
Sawyer, Jason, tractor	70 00
Sawyer, Roscoe, gravel	81 20
Turner, Alton, labor	24 30
Turner, Harold, labor	28 80

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\$794 55

**New Construction**  
**Squantum Village**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$9 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	27 90
Belletete, Henry, truck	27 90
Buckwold, Max, labor	8 10
Butler, Carl, truck	17 05
Duval, August, labor	8 10
Elliott, Edward, shovel	54 00
Greenwood, Richard, labor	8 10
Quellette, Roland, labor	8 10
Roy, Raymond, truck	17 05
Turner, Alton, labor	8 10
Turner, Harold, labor	8 10

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\$201 50

**Cutting Brush**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$66 30
Belletete, Henry, truck	27 50
Buckwold, Max, labor	25 40

Dillon, Roger, labor	52 90
Duval, August, labor	37 25
Greenwood, Richard, labor	47 10
Lafleur, Ernest, labor	17 55
LeClair, Albert, labor	36 20
Ouellette, Roland, labor	45 90
Sawyer, Jason, tractor	211 50
Turner, Harold, labor	57 80

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\$625 40

**Sidewalk Repairs**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$8 50
Belletete, Henry, truck	9 90
Buckwold, Max, labor	47 65
Duval, August, labor	8 10
Goodnow Bros. Co.	92 10
Greenwood, Richard, labor	7 20
Ouellette, Roland, labor	27 90
Turner, Alton, labor	53 00
Turner, Harold, labor	64 10

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\$318 45

**Work Done in Cemeteries**

Belletete, Henry, truck	\$39 60
Clark, Walter, labor	31 95
Despres, Raymond, labor	14 10
Dillon, Roger, labor	14 40
Duval, August, labor	31 95
Forcier, Leo, labor	7 20
Greenwood, George, labor	14 40
Greenwood, Richard, labor	28 80

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\$182 40

**Sewer Maintenance**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$24 00
Belletete, Henry, compressor	24 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	5 00
Buckwold, Max, labor	23 40
Clark, Walter, labor	7 20
Despres, Raymond, labor	26 50
Dillon, Roger, labor	7 20
Duval, August, labor	58 20
Elliott, Edward, shovel	12 00
Greenwood, Richard, labor	16 20
Ouellette, Roland, labor	16 20
Turner, Alton, labor	16 20

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\$236 10

**Sewer Construction**

**K. K. Road**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$24 00
Belletete, Henry, compressor	3 00
Belletete, Henry, truck	41 85
Buckwold, Max, labor	24 75
Duval, August, labor	16 65
Elliott, Edward, shovel	45 00



Gamelin, Joseph, labor	7 50	
Goodnow Bros. Co.	229 61	
Greenwood, Richard, labor	20 25	
Ouellette, Roland, labor	16 65	
Turner, Alton, labor	24 75	
Turner, Harold, labor	8 10	
Whitcomb, Arthur, shovel	76 50	
		\$538 61

**Sewer Construction  
Grove Street**

Belletete, Henry, agent	\$10 00	
Buckwold, Max, labor	9 00	
Duval, August, labor	9 00	
Gamelin, Joseph, labor	7 50	
Goodnow Bros. Co.	84 36	
Greenwood, Richard, labor	5 40	
Ouellette, Roland, labor	9 00	
Turner, Alton, labor	9 00	
Whitcomb, Arthur, shovel	34 00	
		\$177 26

**REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Town orders drawn \$3,824 52

Expenditures:

Hubert F. O'Neil	\$2,193 88	
Arthur H. Baldwin	1,059 00	
Horace A. Deschenes	91 50	
Nelson W. Gill	67 50	
Leon E. Jackson	29 25	
Alphe Lamothe	49 50	
William C. Messing	12 00	
Hubert S. O'Neil	10 00	
Lloyd F. Wellington	8 60	
Fred M. Batchelder Co.	40 00	
Fred L. Cournoyer	1 69	
Honesty Press	8 22	
Silver Ranch Airport	3 75	
Ray Moore Motors	61 75	
Moore's Service Station	165 90	
King's Garage	2 78	
Postage	19 20	
		\$3,824 52

Bills paid by Selectmen:

George H. Duncan	\$120 00	
Edmund Bibeau	4 55	
J. F. W. Dorman Co.	18 55	
Sentinel Printing Co.	12 60	
Motorola Co.	499 00	
		\$654 70

HUBERT F. O'NEIL,  
Chief of Police.

December 31, 1949.

**REPORT OF BICYCLE REGISTRATIONS**

Bicycles registered, Nos. 1 to 118, @ 25c	\$29 50
Paid to town treasurer	\$29 50

HUBERT F. O'NEIL,  
Chief of Police.

December 31, 1949.

**TOWN OF JAFFREY MEMORIAL DAY REPORT**

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949	\$107 22
Received from town of Jaffrey	400 00

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\$507 22

Paid out Memorial Day expense:

To U. S. Treasurer, for ammunition	\$28 58
To J. M. Taylor, 300 wood hoops for wreaths	5 25
To N. E. Fireworks for 17 doz. small flags	29 75
To A. F. Coll, express on ammo. flags	3 38
To Coll's Radio Shop, rental of amplifier	5 00
To Mrs. Stella LaRose, 290 wreaths @ 45c	130 50
To Keene Am. Legion Band, for music	220 00

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\$422 46

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1950

\$84 76

A. F. COLL, Treas.  
CHARLES J. McCABE,  
WILBUR LaPAGE,  
WILFRED H. BOUDRIEAU,  
MAURICE CHRISTIAN,  
ARMAND Del ROSSI,  
Memorial Day Committee.

**REPORT OF JAFFREY HISTORY AGENT**

Histories sold to:

G. E. Emory	\$12 50
Miss S. S. Goodwin	15 00
Mrs. Margery Fenerty	15 00
Mrs. Helen Kelley	15 00

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\$57 50

Paid to town treasurer

\$57 50

ALICE E. E. LEHTINEN,  
History Agent.

**REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR**

Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1948	\$150 54
Town orders drawn	5,700 00
Repayments of old age assistance	32 50

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\$5,883 04

**TOWN CHARGES**

Ascani, Zelinda, account closed	\$155 00
Charlonne, Homer	74 30
Duval, Antonette, account closed	100 00
Dyson, Lily	365 00
LaForce, Hormidas, account closed	461 00
Muzzey, Ethel	521 47

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\$1,676 77

**MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES**

Soldier's Aid, 8 cases	\$2,300 29
Feeding tramps	29 65
Old age assistance	1,608 25

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\$3,938 19

**RECEIPTS**

Repayments of old age assistance	\$32 50
Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1949	235 58

**SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS**

Army & Navy Store	\$2 29
Iker C. Baird	36 00
Bennett's I. G. A. Store	440 00
Bernier's Market	60 00
Grace Bowler	36 00
C. G. Cayward, M. D.	55 00
George Ceourchenes	84 00
County of Cheshire	968 47
A. M. Deschenes	72 00
Duncan, the Druggist	16 00
Lily Dyson	365 00
E. Jaffrey Shoe Repair	5 05
H. E. Flewelling M. D.	41 00
R. John Hackler	156 00
Haefeli Fuel Co.	24 32
Forcier's Market	100 00
First National Store, Peterborough	60 00
First National Store, Jaffrey	509 00
H. G. Lee, M. D.	10 00
Letourneau Oil Co.	62 87
Monadnock Community Hospital	142 60
Louis Murray	30 00
N. H. Gas & Electric Co.	11 09
Perry's Diner	29 65
Rexall Drug Store	55 79
R. A. Sawyer	138 08
State of New Hampshire	1,608 25
Robert Whitney	84 00

C. F. Wozmak, M. D.  
Direct aid to soldiers

27 50  
385 00

\$5,614 96

HUBERT F. O'NEIL,  
Overseer of Poor.

December 31, 1949.

### REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

Received for 24 milk licenses issued	\$48 00
Paid town treasurer	\$48 00

#### 24 MILK LICENSES PAID @ \$2.00

Silver Ranch  
Felix O'Neil  
Bernier's Market  
No. 1 Forcier's Market  
No. 2 Forcier's Market  
Eli Belletete Market  
Lessard's Market  
I. G. A. Store  
F. L. Cournoyer  
Perry's Diner  
Felix Sirois  
Charles Smith  
Goodnow Bros.  
Cozy Lunch  
Oribe Tea Room  
Mark Wheeler  
Willis Guest House  
Lambert Lunch  
R. Vanni  
First National Stores  
Roy's Self Service  
Louis Murray  
Ice Cream Shoppe  
Walter Sirois

KAUKO WALKONEN,  
Health Officer.

### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE JAFFREY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Number of volumes on hand January 1, 1949		13,012
Number of volumes purchased during year		232
Adult fiction	125	
Adult non-fiction	44	
Juvenile fiction	50	
Juvenile non-fiction	13	
Number of volumes acquired by gift		52
Number discarded		80
Number lost		14
Number now in library		13,200
Number of periodicals for which library subscribes		25
Number of periodicals circulated		1,708
Number of books circulated		18,078
Total circulation		19,786

## CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION

	Adult	Juvenile
General works	8	
Philosophy	31	
Religion	21	16
Sociology	87	249
Language	2	14
Science	147	196
Useful arts	294	50
Fine arts	113	24
Literature	382	32
History	455	52
Travel	609	46
Biography	852	306
Fiction	8,423	5,661
Periodicals	1,708	
Foreign books	8	

Respectfully submitted,

EVELYN H. RUFFLE,

Librarian.

## REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF JAFFREY PUBLIC LIBRARY

For Year Ending December 31, 1949

January 1, 1949, balance	\$964 91	
Received from trustees	2,454 03	
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	\$3,418 94	
Books		\$520 00
Magazines and periodicals		86 25
Supplies		112 25
Repairs		227 28
Librarian		1,400 00
Check 1641 not returned		4 44
Paid withholding tax		53 40
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1949		1,015 32
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		\$3,418 94

Respectfully submitted,

MARION G. SYMONDS,

Treasurer.

ABSTRACT OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT THE ANNUAL  
TOWN MEETING

March 8, 1949

Art. 1. Officers Elected. Town Clerk, George H. Duncan; Selectman for three years, J. Oren Belletete; Town Treasurer, Eugene F. Boynton; Highway Agent, Henry J. Belletete; Chief of Police, Hubert F. O'Neil; Chief Engineer, Fire Department, Philip C. Tremblay; Overseer of the Poor, Hubert F. O'Neil; Water Commissioner, three years, James B. Perry; Tax Collector, Hubert F. O'Neil; Commissioner of Humiston Park, three years, Homer J. Belletete; Trustee of Trust Funds, three years, James B. Perry; Member of Budget Committee, three years, Alfred S. Despres; Auditors, Harry J. O'Brien, George W. McInnes, Lewis S. Record, Jr. It was voted that all remaining town officers be appointed by the selectmen.

Art. 2. Reports. The report of the Committee on Veterans' Memorial was presented as follows and the Committee discharged: "Polls concerning the erection of World War Two Monument designed by Viggo Brandt-Erichsen were conducted by both veterans' organizations. Both favored the erection of said monument through some means other than taxation. In addition, letters of inquiry were sent to the families and next of kin of the boys who gave their lives in World War II to determine what they favored. The replies unanimously favored Mr. Brandt-Erichsen's Monument. Erection and sponsorship has been turned over to a committee of citizens.

The Committee feels that the sentiment of their fellow veterans concerning the most proper and fitting type of memorial is so varied and uncertain at this time that no definite conclusions can be reached. The committee feels that those who entertain various ideas can best bring those ideas to the fore and receive action on them by individual or group sponsorship in the Town Warrant.

Respectfully submitted,  
 HUBERT S. O'NEIL,  
 J. FREDERICK FORCIER,  
 GEORGE ROBINSON,  
 CHARLES F. HART,  
 RAY E. MATHEWS.

It was voted that the reports as printed, with the exception of that of the Budget Committee, be accepted and adopted.

Art. 3. Appropriations. It was voted to raise and appropriate the following sums for the purposes named:

Town officers' salaries	\$4,200 00
Town officers' expenses	2,000 00
Election and registration	100 00
Municipal court	500 00
Town hall	400 00
Police department	4,300 00
Fire department	5,000 00
Insurance	1,700 00
Health department	75 00
Vital statistics	150 00
Sewer maintenance	600 00
Highways (summer)	7,300 00
Snow removal	13,000 00
Tarring roads	9,000 00
Mowing roadsides	500 00
Street lighting and telephone	5,000 00
General expenses, highway department	1,200 00
Public dump	800 00
Library	1,500 00
Old age assistance	1,600 00
Town poor	4,100 00
Memorial day	400 00
Parks and playgrounds	1,300 00
Water supply	65 00
Cemeteries	500 00
Damages and legal expenses	500 00
Interest	400 00
Road survey	500 00
Sidewalk construction and repairs	500 00
Sewer construction	6,500 00



Town construction	2,000 00	
Rindge tax	100 00	
County tax	12,000 00	
Monadnock region association	427 00	
Capital reserve fund, town hall	5,000 00	
		\$93,217 00

Art. 4. Borrowing Money. It was voted to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxation.

Art. 5. Town Road Aid. It was voted that the sum of \$936.72 be raised and appropriated for Town Road Aid on Class V roads, on condition that the State contribute \$3,731.02.

Art. 6. Capital Reserve. (In Budget).

Art. 7. Capital Reserve. It was voted to transfer \$10,000. from surplus to the capital reserve fund for construction of a town hall.

Art. 8. Sewer Assessments. It was voted that a committee consisting of the Health Officer, Chairman of the Water Commissioners, one selectman and two other citizens appointed by the selectmen make a thorough study of the question of sewer assessments, and recommend some fair, workable system to an adjournment of this meeting. The Moderator reported the membership of this Committee to be Kauko Walkonen, James B. Perry, Jason C. Sawyer, Henry J. Belletete and George P. Duncan.

Art. 9. Discontinuance of Highway. It was voted that the Town discontinue subject to gates and bars that portion of the highway leading from the summer residence of Gertrude Hanson to the Toupin Farm, so-called owned by George P. Duncan, from high water mark on the northerly side of the reservoir created by Jaffrey Reservoir Corporation to highwater mark on the southerly side of said reservoir, provided that said Reservoir Corporation shall agree to construct and maintain said gates and provide for the reasonable reconstruction of the highway from the residence of W. B. McSkimmon past the property of H. H. Faxon.

Art. 10. Reappraisal by Tax Commission. It was voted to pass over the article.

Art. 11. Audit by State Tax Commission. It was voted to pass over the article.

Art. 12. Appropriation for Elliott Community Hospital. It was voted to pass over the article.

Art. 13. Lights on Howard Hill Road. It was voted to raise and appropriate \$117.50 for five new street lights on Howard Hill Road from the Leonard Martin driveway to the Sawyer Farm owned by A. M. Deschenes.

Art. 14. Old Burying Ground Fund. The following motion was adopted: That the Town accept the sum of \$903.75, the same being the net proceeds from the sale of the Willa Cather lot, the E. Granville Crabtree lot and the Elizabeth VanDeman lot in the Old Burying Ground, as well as the sum of \$336.25 from George and Eleanor Austermann and the heirs of the late Edmond C. Shattuck, making a total of \$1,240., said sum to be invested by the Trustees of Trust Funds and identified as the "Willa Cather Fund", the income from which is to be used for the perpetual care of the Old Burying Ground as follows: primarily for the general care of the area in which said named lots are located in the southwest corner of the cemetery and bounded generally by stone walls on the south and west, the tomb on the north

and the main entrance driveway on the east; that additions to said fund may be made by those interested in the proper maintenance of the Willa Cather grave and that general area; that after reasonable care has been given to the area and the lots particularly mentioned, as well as the lots of future contributors to the fund, any remaining balance may be used for the care of the rest of the Old Burying Ground.

Art. 15. Town Horse Sheds. It was voted that the so-called "Hearse House" located at the entrance to the Old Burying Ground be removed and either used elsewhere or sold on such terms as the selectmen may determine and that the ground on which it stands be devoted to cemetery purposes. The following motion was offered, laid on the table and referred to the following committee appointed by the Moderator: Eleanor S. Austermann, Carl C. Spofford, Joseph B. Eldridge: "That the Town accept gratuitous title to those old horse sheds owned by Helen E. Shattuck and Edith McCoy, which are a part of the group near the Old Town House in Jaffrey Center for the purpose of removal and disposal by the selectmen, as well as those of any other owner or owners to which the Town may become entitled by gift or reversion, and that the land on which they stand be enclosed within the Old Burying Ground for cemetery purposes," said Committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting.

Art. 16. Disposal of Water Works Land on Mt. Monadnock. It was voted that the Water Commissioners and Selectmen constitute a special committee to confer with the State Forestry and Recreation Department, investigate their proposition and report their recommendation to an adjournment of this meeting.

Art. 17. Old Home Week. It was voted to pass over the article.

Art. 18. Encroachments on Highways. The following motion was adopted: Whereas in times past without proper authorization various acts have been committed and structures erected within the limits of highways; and Whereas, such acts have resulted in an infringement upon the rights of the public and the Town; and Whereas, such uses adverse to the interests of the Town seem in recent years to have increased despite the efforts of the selectmen to keep our roads free from them; Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the selectmen are hereby instructed to investigate all such private encroachments, actual and potential, upon the rights of the Town, and in their judgment after such investigation either order the removal of the same or cause same to be removed, all at no expense to the Town; and Be It Further Resolved, That after proper warning, the selectmen be instructed to prosecute any further infringement upon town property through appropriate court action.

Art. 19. Planning Board. It was voted that the town establish a Planning Board of seven members, with duties set forth in section 3 to 15, inclusive of chapter 53 of the Revised Laws, to make a study of the town's development and report to town meeting appropriate recommendations for the promotion and maintenance of the town's best development, the board members to consist of one selectman and six other citizens appointed by the selectmen, as provided in chapter 53, Revised Laws.

The meeting voted to adjourn to the third Tuesday of May, 1949, at 7:30 p. m.

A true abstract. Attest:

GEORGE H. DUNCAN,  
Town Clerk.

**ABSTRACT OF BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT THE ADJOURNED  
TOWN MEETING**

**May 17, 1949**

Art. 8. Sewer Assessments. The following rules were adopted:

1. That one-half the cost of the sewer, including the installation thereof and including the cost and installation of the tank, if any, shall be paid by the town.

2. That the other half of such cost shall be assessed against the abutters on a front-foot basis, payable in five equal installments, at the same time as real estate taxes are payable, without interest if paid when due, but with interest at 6% per annum after due-date.

3. That in cases as it may be determined by the Selectmen that the abutter cannot, within the foreseeable future, be benefitted by said sewer, by reason (a) of its being on a higher elevation than the dwelling or other construction now occupied or may be expected to occupy; (b) By reason of the abutter's land not being now or in the foreseeable future suitable for construction; (c) By reason of the premises being adequately served by a town sewer already in place; (d) By reason of a portion of the line being installed merely for the purpose of necessary outfall or discharge without the purpose of benefitting abutters who are not indeed benefitted; (e) For other good and sufficient reasons the selectmen shall eliminate the linear footage determined not to be improved by such sewer, and shall not assess the abutter on the basis of that footage, but shall divide the half-cost by the remaining linear footage to determine the amount to be assessed against each abutter.

4. That when an abutter desires to connect into a sewer, he shall pay the cost of construction to the street line, and shall pay in advance a connection charge of \$50.00, and the town shall pay the cost of construction from the street line to the sewer line, and shall make the connection, and all such construction shall be under the supervision of the Sewer Commission.

5. That when a non-abutter desires to connect into a sewer, he shall pay the cost of construction to the street line, and shall pay in advance a connection charge of \$100.00, and the town shall pay the cost of construction from the street line to the sewer line, and all such construction shall be under the direction of the Sewer Commission.

Art. 15. Town Horse Sheds. The committee appointed at the previous meeting reported as follows: I. The members of this committee have consulted with all the owners of the horse sheds. They all are agreeable to giving up their title if the sheds are to be restored as a historical monument. II. The owners of a majority of the sheds are unwilling that the cost of restoration or maintenance thereafter shall ever become a charge upon the town or supervision thereof a burden on its officials. III. Suggestions have been made to the committee that necessary funds for such restoration and maintenance could and should be raised by popular subscription. IV. Therefore, the committee recommends that action under Article 15 be indefinitely postponed.

The report was accepted, the committee discharged and the motion was taken from the table and indefinitely postponed.

It was voted that a committee of four, consisting of Carlos T. Pierce, chairman; George B. Farnham, Delcie D. Bean, Sr., and Margaret G. Blaine, acting in accordance with the report just accepted, shall receive such funds as may be forthcoming by private subscription for the reconstruction and maintenance of all the horse sheds near the Old Town House in Jaffrey Center as a historical monument; said

committee may authorize any organized civic group or society to see to such reconstruction and maintenance, or sponsor the same; and that if they shall fail to interest any such civil groups or society, the committee be authorized to proceed toward these objectives themselves.

Art. 16. Land on Monadnock Mountain. The committee appointed to investigate reported that in its opinion it is inexpedient to dispose of the land at the present time; the report was adopted and the committee discharged.

The meeting then adjourned at 9:15 p. m.  
A true abstract. Attest:

GEORGE H. DUNCAN,  
Town Clerk.

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### REPORT OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

Total Collections:	
Total water rent collections	\$15,370 19
Total uncollected water rents	9,054 60

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### REPORT OF TREASURER—WATER DEPARTMENT

#### RECEIPTS

George L. Piper	\$26 15
Alphe Lamothe	30 65
George Barker	19 75
Karl J. Boutwell	26 00
Harry Mack	10 00
Jaffrey Mills Div.	263 05
Myrtie Farrin	40 75
Herbert Bosley	7 45
Ruth Draper	10 00
Patrick J. Varville	32 75
D. B. Priest	28 40
Charles J. Reed	5 50
Napoleon Bruno	30 35
D. D. Bean Sr.	84 85
Azubah Royce Est.	24 40
State of N. H. Forestry Dept.	20 00
William Desrosier	17 95
Mrs. J. H. Fitzgerald	10 00
F. H. Baldwin	91 30
Rodolphus Lafleur	32 16
August Palletier	13 30
James Schofield	15 40
Town, Highway Dept.	12 00
Carl G. Wilen	30 75
Alphe Lamothe	7 50
Mrs. M. J. Labonte	48 20
R. S. Fenerty 3rd.	42 30
Ernest B. Garfield	316 00
H. S. O'Neil	16 00
Elphege Christian	17 12

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\$1,330 03



## PAYMENTS

Warren C. Ruffle, supt. salary	\$2,407 60
Warren C. Ruffle, expense acct.	37 79
Ernest Ouellette, labor	1,392 60
Albert Ouellette, labor	541 50
Alonzo Christian, labor	171 90
Paul Jalbert, labor	52 20
Howard Quinn, labor	5 40
Severino Ascani, labor	3 60
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	82 60
N. H Gas & Elec Co	12 00
Boston & Maine R R. Co.	428 25
Wade Motor Sales Co.	265 03
Chase's	1 20
H. R. Prescott & Sons	91 87
Moore's Service Sta.	3 78
George A. Caldwell Co.	557 59
Postmaster	7 40
Eddy Valve Co.	76 90
Johnson-Barker-Webb Corp.	188 83
Sumner & Dunbar	1,278 90
Perkins, Bassett & Wright	30 18
E. F. Boynton	350 00
United Auto Supply Co.	73 51
Sentinel Printing Co.	26 80
Boutwell's Garage	4 25
Montouri Bros. Inc.	8 14
D. D. Bean & Sons Co.	2 00
Monadnock Stamp Works	1 70
D. A. Eaves	3 50
City of Keene	538 78
The Central Foundry Co.	2,285 35
Leon W. Priest	27 45
W. C. Ferguson	1,302 00
Annett Box Co.	9 12
So. Western N. H. Express	3 84
City of Gardner	10 09
F. E. Britton	24 00
Army & Navy Store	18 98
Monadnock Ins. Agency	39 84
Goodnow Bros. Co.	4 09
N. H. Water Works Assn.	5 00
Collector of Internal Revenue	260 70
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$12,636 26</b>
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949	4,335 71
Receipts	1,330 03
Paid water bills	15,370 19
	<b>\$21,035 93</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>	<b>12,636 26</b>
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1950	\$8,399 67
Capital reserve fund	1,192 31

RALPH E. BOYNTON,  
Treasurer.

**REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER WORKS  
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1949**

**NEW SERVICES**

Date	Name	Cost Cust.	Cost Town
Apr.	Bertram Mercure	None	\$45 90
	Mrs. Harold Robidoux	None	47 10
	2 camps—1 service		
May		\$12 16	25 05
	Arthur G. Blair	34 65	35 50
	August Pelletier	13 30	48 70
June	Edward H. Mason	None	17 80
	Edward Brummer	None	42 50
July	James Schofield	17 40	43 50
Aug.	Jules W. Desrosier	None	36 10
	Laurent Gauthier	None	49 30
Sept.	Harland Rickter	None	33 90
	Albert Lambert	7 22	25 30
	August Duval	7 98	22 10
Oct.	Frank H. Baldwin	92 30	47 20
	John H. Bridgeman	None	29 30
Nov.	Leonard Stewart, Jr.	None	28 80

**RENEWED SERVICES**

Apr.	James Austin	36 80	None
	August Bernier (Block)	51 80	41 20
June	Delcie D. Bean, Sr. (Greenhouse)	84 85	31 80
	Leon Priest	28 40	24 80
	Azubah Royce Estate	24 40	20 55
July	Joseph Gill	30 60	28 80
	Marcel Guillaume	None	19 40
Aug.	Ernest Garfield	316 00	44 80
	Rufus Fenerty III	42 30	17 30
Sept.	Dr. Roland Isherwood	None	13 05
Oct.	Rodolphus LaFleur	32 16	39 90
	Mrs. A. J. LaBonte	48 20	16 30

**RIDGE CREST EXTENSIONS**

June	William Desrosier	17 95	21 10
	Fred H. Smith	24 45	19 50
	Joseph Bruno	31 35	24 50
	Joseph Deschenes (Tenement)	49 15	27 50
	Joseph Deschenes (Tenement)	35 25	27 50
	Joseph Deschenes (Homestead)	47 65	24 80

**EXTENSIONS**

592 ft. 6" Universal Pipe C. I. from Peterborough Road to Arthur DeGrandpre House. Replacing  $\frac{3}{4}$ " Galv. pipe. One hydrant at end of line. 5 customers. Total Cost \$2,154.45.

**CHESHIRE EXTENSION (UPPER ROAD)**

288 ft. 6" Universal Pipe C. I. from Lower Pond near Match Factory to Fred Smith House on upper road, replacing 1" galv. 5 services renewed. Total Cost excluding service \$1,092.96.



**BEAVER DAM EXTENSION**

852 ft. 6" Universal Pipe C. I. and 1 hydrant from Race Track across  
Beaver Dam toward Rindge Town line. Total Cost \$2,169.22.

WARREN C. RUFFLE,  
Superintendent.

**REPORT OF THE CONANT INDIGENT FUND**

For The Year Ending Dec. 31, 1949

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949	\$8 17
No money drawn.	
No money paid out.	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1950	\$8 17

HELEN P. DUNCAN,  
Secretary.  
EDWARD L. FAY.

**REPORT OF ALICE POOLE FUND COMMITTEE**

Fiscal Year 1949

All applications have received careful consideration of the committee and acted upon to the best of its ability according to the terms of the will.

Cash on hand at beginning of period	\$1,747 94
Receipts	2,640 73
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	\$4,388 67
Expenditures as follows:	
Educational	\$1,891 25
Provisions	260 99
School lunch program	500 00
Individual care	125 00
Outstanding check	32 78
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	\$2,810 02
Balance cash on hand Jan. 1, 1950	\$1,578 65

Respectfully submitted,  
GEORGIA L. EAVES,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF JAFFREY, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1949

Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1924	John A. Allen Fund—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	\$100 00	2 1/4 %	\$11 52	\$2 51	\$3 50	\$10 53
1913	John E. Baldwin Fund—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	13 47	2 55	3 50	12 52
1940	Graham B. & Katherine W. Blaine Fund—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	14 96	2 59	3 50	17 55
1900	Timothy Bradley Fund—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	15 24	2 60	20 00	14 04
1912	Julia A. Bradget Fund—for Library books	10 Shares Union Pacific R. R. Stock	500 00	2 1/4 %	7 96	2 43	3 50	6 89
1933	Henry Chamberlain Fund—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	4 40	68 22	46 00	26 62
1904-05	Susan B. Clay Fund—care of library grounds and books	Monadnock Savings Bank	3,000 00	2 1/4 %	208 02	27 33		235 35
1873	Conant Repair Fund—repair Town House, at Jaffrey Center	Monadnock Savings Bank	1,000 00	2 1/4 %	4 22	2 35		6 57
1917	Edward B. Crowe Fund—lot Catholic Cemeter'y	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	4 28	2 35		6 63
1902	M. B. Crowe Fund—Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %				
1916	Alice E. Cutter Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot and general care	Monadnock Savings Bank	500 00	2 1/4 %	342 00	19 04	3 50	357 54
1921	Caroline H. Cutter Fund—John Felt lot, Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	150 00	2 1/4 %	117 03	6 03	3 50	119 56
1885	Cutter Cemetery Fund—general care	Monadnock Savings Bank	0 82	2 1/4 %				
1908	Jonas Cutter Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	11 02	2 51	3 50	10 03
1915	Mary E. Cutter Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	8 53	2 44	3 50	7 47
1938	Bertha T. Danforth Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	2 99	2 32	2 50	2 81
1906	Ermina M. Dickinson Fund—Spaulding lot, Old Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	150 00	2 1/4 %	111 30	5 90	3 50	113 70
1933	Edith E. Frost Fund, Old Cemetery, Harlan S. Robbins, donor	Monadnock Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/4 %	31 98	5 23	3 50	33 71
1910	Benjamin Heywood Fund, Baptist Cemetery lot, Abby H. Constock, donor	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	30 34	2 94	3 00	30 28
1949	Arland B. Hunt Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	57 06	3 54	3 50	57 10
1910	Dexter Jewell Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	11 15	2 51	3 50	10 16
1927	Emily A. Jewell Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %				
1936	Gertrude Kingsbury Fund, care lot 49 and Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	6 14	2 40	2 50	6 04
1940	William H. Lang Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %	3 48	2 33	2 50	3 31
1912	Charles D. Law Fund—Baptist Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4 %		2 26	2 00	0 26

1922	G. F. Lawrence Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	11 80	2 51	3 50	10 81
1920	Walter A. Lindsay Fund—Baptist Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%		2 26	2 00	0 26
1923	Livingston-Shedd Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	20 98	2 72	3 50	20 20
1949	Daniel C. & Abbie E. Lynch Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%				
1925	Asa Nutting Fund—Old Cemetery, Marion Clark donor	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	8 47	2 44	3 50	7 41
1931	Old Town Burying Ground Fund—Cemetery Care	Monadnock Savings Bank	581 40	2 1/4%	157 30	16 70	2 50	171 50
1889	Sally M. Page Fund, care John Felt lot—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/4%	420 10	14 02	3 50	430 62
1901	Joel Parker Fund, care Old Cemetery lot and Library books	Monadnock Savings Bank	5,000 00	2 1/4%		113 12	113 12	
1908	Andrew M. Perham Fund, care Tarbox lot—Baptist Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	31 57	2 96	3 00	31 52
1949	Charles S. Phelps Fund—Old Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	300 00	2 1/4%				
1949	Phoebe Roith Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%				
1905	Lydia F. Sanderson Fund—Baptist Cem. lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/4%	346 52	12 35	4 00	354 87
1932	Josiah Sawyer Fund, care Baptist Cemetery lot, Alfred Sawyer donor	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	1 54	2 28	3 00	0 82
1939	Sewall Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot and general care	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	2 99	2 32	2 50	2 81
1902	Elvina S. Spaulding Fund, care Spaulding, Stratton & Bailey lots—Old Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	200 00	2 1/4%	198 41	9 00	10 50	196 91
1926	Henry V. Shattuck Fund—Old Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	300 00	2 1/4%	43 80	7 77	10 50	41 07
1926	Henry V. Shattuck Fund, care Shattuck Park	Monadnock Savings Bank	1,000 00	2 1/4%	512 82	44 21		557 03
1878	Jane B. Stone Fund, Jacob Newell lot—Baptist Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	29 49	2 91	3 00	29 40
1927	Town Hall Fund—To build Town Hall	Monadnock Savings Bank	237 39	2 1/4%	211 56	10 14		221 70
1914	Underwood-Baker Fund—Cutter Cem. lots	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	49 50	3 36	3 50	49 36
1919	I. & J. Underwood Fund—care Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	10 40	2 49	3 50	9 39
1911	Peter Upton Fund, Hiram Duncan lot—Cutter Cemetery	Monadnock Savings Bank	500 00	2 1/4%	238 89	16 70	7 00	248 59
1911	Thomas Upton Fund—Old Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	99 73	4 50	3 50	100 73
1925	The Warren Fund, for the Worthy and Industrious Poor	Monadnock Savings Bank	2,569 45	2 1/4%	330 92	65 61		396 53
1936	Lawrence H. Wetherill Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%	18 31	2 67		20 98
1949	Frank V. & Edith Wright Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%				
1949	Georgiana P. Yeatman and M. W. Mulford Fund—Cutter Cemetery lot	Monadnock Savings Bank	100 00	2 1/4%				

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Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1925	Jule C. Durant Fund— $\frac{2}{3}$ of income for the support of the High School and $\frac{1}{3}$ for Library	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Debenture Bonds Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. Stock, 100 sh. Amoskeag Savings Bank Cheshire County Savings Bank City of Berlin, N. H., Bonds City of Manchester, N. H., Bonds City of Nashua, N. H., Bonds City of Portsmouth, N. H., Bonds Claremont, N. H., Stevens School Bonds Dartmouth Savings Bank Franklin Savings Bank Hillsboro Guaranty Savings Bank Hillsborough County Savings Bank Keene, N. H. Savings Bank Laconia Savings Bank Littleton Savings Bank Massachusetts Investors Trust, 403 Shares Merrith Village Savings Bank Merrimack County Savings Bank Monadnock National Bank Stock Monadnock Savings Bank New Hampshire Savings Bank Newport Savings Bank Peterborough Savings Bank Plymouth, N. H. School District Bonds The Plymouth Guarant. Sav. Bank Savings Bank of Walpole School District of Jaffrey Bonds	1,600 00 10,000 00 5,000 00 5,000 00 9,000 00 14,000 00 1,000 00 2,000 00 Called 1,000 00 1,000 00 1,000 00 1,000 00 5,000 00 1,000 00 1,000 00 11,384 75 1,000 00 1,000 00 800 00 17,723 07 1,000 00 1,000 00 2,500 00 7,000 00 1,000 00 1,000 00 13,500 00	3½% 9% 2¼% 2¼% 4¼% 2% 2½% 1½%  4½% 2% 2¼% 2% 2¼% 2¼% 2¼% 2¼%  2¼% 2¼% 5% 2¼% 2¼% 2¼% 2¼% 2¼%  2¼% 2% 2½% 3%	25 02 904 60 125 00 125 00 382 50 280 00 25 00 30 00  405 00 20 00 25 08 20 00 25 00 112 50 25 00 12 50  193 44 12 50 25 16 40 00 436 82 25 13 25 15 69 00  157 50 20 00 22 50 405 00	25 02 904 60 125 00 125 00 382 50 280 00 25 00 30 00  405 00 20 00 25 08 20 00 25 00 112 50 25 00 12 50  193 44 12 50 25 16 40 00 436 82 25 13 25 15 69 00  157 50 20 00 22 50 405 00		

Jule C. Durant Fund—cont.

	1,000 00	2%	10 10	10 10
Somersworth Savings Bank				
Tilton and Northfield school Dis- trict Bonds	4,000 00	2½%	90 00	90 00
United States Treasury Bonds	16,000 00	2½%	440 00	440 00
U. S. Treasury Bonds, Series G	73,000 00	2½%	1825 00	1825 00
United States Treasury Bonds	5,800 00	2½%	145 00	145 00
United States Treasury Bonds	17,000 00	2½%	488 75	488 75
Amoskeag Savings Bank	980 74	2½%	24 50	24 50
Andover Savings Bank	1,199 52	2%	23 98	23 98
Athol Savings Bank	3,894 21	2%	67 88	67 88
Cheshire County Savings Bank	2,097 51	2½%	52 42	52 42
Dartmouth Savings Bank	727 99	2%	7 27	7 27
Essex Savings Bank	692 36	2%	13 84	13 84
Franklin Savings Bank	1,145 67	2%	22 90	22 90
Gardner Savings Bank	4,073 93	2%	81 46	81 46
Manchester Savings Bank	1,750 87	2½%	43 76	43 76
Merrimack County Sav. Bank	2,392 06	2½%	59 80	59 80
Monadnock National Bank Stock	1,000 00	5%	50 00	50 00
Monadnock Savings Bank	4,879 62	2½%	108 55	108 55
New Hampshire Savings Bank	3,288 83	2½%	82 20	82 20
Peterborough Savings Bank	3,720 78	2½%	102 30	102 30
Provident Institute of Savings	704 54	2%	14 08	14 08
United States Treasury Bonds	2,500 00	2½%	62 50	62 50
U. S. Treasury Bonds, Series G	67,000 00	2½%	1675 00	1675 00
Winchendon Savings Bank	1,148 75	3%	34 44	34 44
Worcester County Savings Bank	640 91	2%	12 80	12 80
Worcester Mechanics Savings Bank	1,666 63	2%	33 32	33 32
Worcester North Sav. Institution	3,870 34	1¾%	67 73	67 73
Monadnock Savings Bank			\$70 10	20 66
Monadnock Savings Bank	1,000 00	2½%	165 95	26 86
Monadnock Savings Bank	30,000 00	2½%	279 68	357 56
Monadnock Savings Bank			\$515 73	\$3005 83
	\$137,695 00		\$2562 35	\$859 21

1945 Capital Reserve Fund—Jaffrey High School  
 1946 Capital Reserve Fund—Jaffrey Water Works  
 1946 Capital Reserve Fund—Jaffrey Town Hall

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
 EDWARD L. FAY,  
 JAMES B. PERRY,

Trustees.

January 24, 1950



## RECORD OF FIRES

1949	Fire	Alarm	Residence	Owner
Jan. 7	Chimney	S	Perley Enos	G. H. Duncan
Jan. 21	House	W	Doris Oksmen	Ed Lafrenier
Jan. 28	Chimney	W	Lindsey Block	Lindsey Est.
Jan. 30	Chimney	S		Arthur Baldwin
Feb. 7	Chimney	S	Fred Bass	Amedee Girouard
Feb. 16	Chimney	S		Lawrence Laviolette
March 12	Chicken house	W		Archie Coll
March 13	Chimney	S		George Potter
March 28	Town dump	S		Town
March 28	Grass	S		B. & M. Railroad
March 31	Oil burner	S	Moore Garage	Ray Moore
April 2	False	W		Archie Coll
April 2	Grass	S		Ray Whitehead
April 2	Oil stove	W		Joseph Bois
April 4	Blower system	W		W. W. Cross Inc.
April 5	Grass	S		Lemire Est.
April 8	Grass	S		Ruby Mead
April 11	House	S	Albert Deschenes	Homer Forcier
April 30	Chimney	S		Dominic Pomponio
May 2	Brush	S		Cong. Church
May 11	Grass	S		Jalmar Helkkila
May 18	Town dump	S		Town
June 2	Explosion	W		D. D. Bean & Sons
June 5	False	W		
June 8	Town dump	S		Town
June 13	Car	S		Ray St. George
June 25	Houses	W		A. W. Greene
June 27	Stripper	W		D. D. Bean & Sons
July 1	Oil burner	W		Mallon Blair
Aug. 1	Oil burner	S		Hart Est.
Aug. 4	Heated motor	S	O'Neill Drug	Leonard St. George
Aug. 8	Oil burner	S	Duncan Drug	G. H. Duncan
Aug. 19	House	W		Camp Iroquois
Aug. 20	Brush	W		Fletcher Taft
Aug. 20	Chimney	S		E. Chamberlain
Aug. 23	Oil store	S	Roger Garfield	Frank Patterson
Aug. 26	Town dump	S		Town
Sept. 17	Town dump	S		Town
Sept. 24	Oil burner	S		August Bernier
Sept. 26	House	S		Arthur Hale
Oct. 13	Oil stove	W		Mallon Blair
Oct. 28	Chimney	S		Henry Buckwell
Oct. 30	Hotel	W	Red Mill Inn	Mon. Sav. Bank
Nov. 2	Chimney	S		Peter Wilson
Nov. 5	Chimney	S		John Field
Nov. 8	Oil burner	S		Robert Baska
Nov. 19	Car	S		Alfred Pelkey
Nov. 19	Chimney	S	Mrs. Doud	Leonard St. George
Dec. 13	Chimney	S	George McGinnis	John G. Townsend
Dec. 15	Chimney	S		Peter Wilson
Dec. 20	Oil stove	W		Aldia Gargaro
Dec. 23	House	S		David Ouelletete
Dec. 25	House	W		Louls Cournoyer
Dec. 29	Chimney	S	A. Pelletier Jr.	D. D. Bean & Sons
Dec. 30	Chimney	S		Luella Spaulding



PHILIP C. TREMBLAY,  
Fire Chief.

38 Still Alarms.  
17 Whistle Alarms

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**REPORT OF MUNICIPAL COURT OF JAFFREY**  
**Annual Report 1949**

Receipts:

From fines collected	\$1,230 00	
From costs assessed	633 60	
From juvenile cases	23 50	
From small claims cases	75	
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		\$1,887 85

Disbursements:

Paid Motor Vehicle Department	\$884 10	
Paid officers fees	363 20	
Paid justices of the peace (warrants)	156 50	
Paid officers fees (juvenile)	14 50	
Paid special justices	18 00	
Paid postmaster, stamped envelopes	24 96	
Paid for imprinted check books	3 15	
Paid town treasurer, balance	423 44	
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		\$1,887 85

JASON C. SAWYER,  
Justice and Clerk.

**Cases Heard Before The Court In 1949**

Speeding	25
Operating without license	15
Operating under the influence of liquor	12
Intoxication	9
Inadequate brakes	6
Crossing traffic line	6
Petty larceny	5
Reckless operating	5
Failing to keep to the right	3
Simple assault	3
Moral charges	3
Non-support	3
Breaking entering and larceny	2
Fish and Game violations	2
Illegal sale of liquor	2
Hit and run	2
Misuse of automobile plates	1
Fugitive from justice	1
Taking auto without owners permission	1
Permitting improper person to operate	1
Refusing to stop for officer	1

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**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

We the undersigned of the Town of Jaffrey, N. H., hereby certify that we have carefully examined the reports and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds Tax Collector, Overseer of the Poor, Chief of Police, Health Officer, Memorial Day Appropriation, Road Agent, Treasurer Jaffrey Public Library, Treasurer, Jaffrey Water Works, Conant Indigent Fund, Trustees of the Alice W. Poole Fund, Municipal Court and find them correct in all respects.

**LEWIS S. RECORD,  
GEORGE W. McINNIS,  
ANTHONY COTE.**

Jan. 31, 1950.

# ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## Jaffrey School District

For the School Year Ending June 30, 1949

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**PART I. ADMINISTRATION AND ORGANIZATION****A. Officers of the School District**

Moderator

JASON C. SAWYER

Clerk

EVELYN H. RUFFLE

School Board

ERNEST J. PRATT, Chairman

Term expires 1950

HOMER J. FORCIER

Term expires 1950

EVELYN H. RUFFLE

Term expires 1951

FERDINAND D. GORDON

Term expires 1951

MARY B. DAVIS

Term expires 1952

ROBERT M. GRUMMON

Term expires 1952

Treasurer

LAWRENCE W. BROWN

Auditors

LEWIS S. RECORD, JR.

HARRY J. O'BRIEN

GEORGE W. McINNIS

Superintendent of Schools

LESTER B. BADGER

Truant Officer

HUBERT F. O'NEIL

Census Taker

AMY FITZGERALD

School Nurse

RUTH S. LANGILLE, R. N.

**B. Administrative Policy**

There has been an increasing consciousness that the demands for school health services were not being adequately met. To correct this it was decided to employ a school nurse more nearly full time instead of half time. Miss Langille this year spends full time in Jaffrey except for two days per month when she is working in the Rindge School. This has already resulted in the detection of a number of obscure correctible defects of highly serious nature and in a marked improvement in the rate of correction of common defects.

The 1949 legislature changed the law regarding tuition rates so that a district sending high school pupils to schools outside the district is liable for the total average per pupil current cost in that school. In line with this change in the state law the rate of tuition in Conant High school has been raised from \$125 per pupil in 1949-50 to \$200 in 1950-51. It may be of interest to observe that the state average per high school pupil cost for 1948-49 was \$233.70 whereas the comparable figure for Jaffrey was \$237.42.

## PART II. INSTRUCTION

## A. Teachers as of January 15, 1950

## CONANT HIGH

Teacher	Position	Salary	Gr.	Enroll.
Lewis, Robert G.	Hdm., Hum. Beh.	\$3,900 00	9-12	161
Chamberlain, Charles E.	Shop	2,650 00		
Smith, William R.	Commercial	2,300 00		
Cunningham, Grace C.	Latin & Math.	2,675 00		
Fitzgerald, Ruth J.	Jr. H. Eng.	2,450 00	7/1	24
Berry, Elizabeth E.	Eng.	2,200 00		
Piper, Jessie L.	Jr. H. Soc. St.	2,200 00	8/1	24
Kelley, Louis D.	Sci., Phys. Ed.	2,300 00		
Rice, Vera L.	Jr. H. Math. & Sc.	2,350 00	7/2	26
DeFelice, Eugene O.	Gen. Sci., Jr. H. Math. & Sc.	2,650 00		
Burns, Charles F.	Soc. St.	2,300 00		
Farley, Ellen S.	Home Ec.	2,350 00	8/2	19
Total Gr. 7-12				254

## JAFFREY GRADE

Craig, Clayton E.	Prin. & Gr. 6/1	3,000 00		27
Belletete, Louise B.	Part-tm. Gr. 6/1	1,050 00		
Fitzgerald, Mary M.	Gr. 6/2	2,250 00		27
Brown, Abbie S.	Gr. 5/2 & 4/2	2,250 00		20
Hamilton, Mary C. E.	Gr. 5/1	2,350 00		25
Costello, Anne C.	Gr. 4/1	2,250 00		21
Cutter, Mildred	Gr. 3/1	2,250 00		28
Kendall, Dorothy B.	Gr. 2/3 & 3/2	2,150 00		23
Lynch, Olive	Gr. 2/1	2,250 00		28
Deschenes, Mary S.	Gr. 2/2	2,100 00		28
Davis, Priscilla	Gr. 1/1	2,100 00		24
Garfield, Ruth	Gr. 1/3	2,200 00		20
Wallace, Geraldine	Gr. 1/2	2,250 00		24
Total Gr. 1-6				295

Coogan, Arthur T.	Sr. Music all grades	2,000 00
Filbin, Roger L.	Art, all grades	1,820 00
Langille, Ruth S.	Nurse, all grades	2,200 00

Grade 1	68	Grade 7	50	
2	65	8	43	
3	42	9	53	
4	32	10	32	
5	34	11	45	
6	54	12	31	Total enrollment: 550
1 post-graduate student				

The following teachers have demonstrated their interest in continuing their professional improvement: Mr. Robert Lewis by attendance at Boston University Summer School and Saturday courses; Mr. Chamberlain by attendance at Keene T. C. summer school; Mr. Smith by attendance at Boston University Summer School; Mr. Craig by attendance at Keene Summer School and extension courses during the school year; Miss Cutter at Keene T. C. summer school and Miss Lynch at Keene T. C. extension courses.



No vacancies occurred during the school year 1948-49, but resignations at the end of the year, together with the need of one additional teacher because of over-crowding at the grade school necessitated procuring seven teachers and one school nurse before the opening of schools in September, 1949.

In spite of this large turn over, there has been no noticeable disturbance of the school program and teacher morale is good.

### B. Programs and Methods

One of the most important subjects of study offered in our schools is that of reading and it is the most difficult to teach.

In order to help teachers obtain higher skill in this tremendously vital area, all teachers of the Supervisory Union worked for five full school days (November 7-11) under highly expert leaders from Boston University. The activity was officially called a Workshop, and it truly was. Drs. Durrell, Murphy and Sullivan gave as fine a course as could possibly be desired. There wasn't a dull moment from start to finish, and all teachers have reported a very helpful experience.

The teachers paid one-fourth of the total cost of the course and the school districts shared in meeting the balance of the expense.

### "Sugar and spice and everything nice"



Fifth graders learn arithmetic in a practical way.



### PART III. SCHOOL PLANT

Last year's report listed sixteen items under this heading that were receiving consideration. Because of the loss of the expected State Aid of \$17,000 few of these things have been accomplished.

The most significant improvement has been the installation of the fifty-two new desks and chairs in the Assembly room at the High School.

It is becoming increasingly evident that no amount of work done on the present High School building will render it suitable for the number of pupils now headed in that direction. Some publicity has already been given to expected enrollment figures which indicate that within five years the enrollment at Conant High School will reach 300 students, and in another five years will exceed 400. Plans drafted during the past few years by use of Federal funds provided for a maximum enrollment of 300. Enrollments the past two years have been increasing much more rapidly than figures then available indicated.

SHOULD JAFFREY ENLARGE ITS HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING A LITTLE AT A TIME DURING THE NEXT TEN YEARS?

SHOULD IT GO AHEAD WITH PLANS IT NOW HAS?

SHOULD IT REVISE OR AMEND THESE PLANS TO PROVIDE FOR 400 PUPILS WITHIN TEN YEARS?

SHOULD IT ENCOURAGE OTHER NEIGHBORING DISTRICTS TO COOPERATE IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF SUITABLE FACILITIES FOR ALL HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS IN THE REGION, INCLUDING AT LEAST TROY, FITZWILLIAM AND RINDGE?

SHOULD IT PLAN ON HAVING SUITABLE FACILITIES FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION, INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC, SCIENCE, AUTO MECHANICS?

These are some of the questions concerned Jaffrey people are trying to find answers for. Some answer will be found. Careful study and unprejudiced thinking will find the right answer.

### PART. IV. FINANCE

#### A. Annual Report of District Treasurer

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1949

Cash on hand June 30, 1948 (Treasurers Bank Balance)	\$50 90
Received from selectmen, approp. for current year	\$78,398 41
Dog tax	732 66
Income from trust funds	5,002 56
Received from state treasurer	16,978 78
Money borrowed	5,075 00
Received from all other sources	8,430 86
Total amount available for fiscal year	114,618 27
Total amount available for fiscal year (Bal. and receipts)	\$114,669 17
Less school board orders paid	112,503 12
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1949	\$2,166 05

LEWIS S. RECORD, JR.  
GEORGE W. McINNIS

July 15, 1949.

**AUDITORS' 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 Jaffrey, N. H., of which the above is the true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and find them correct in all respects.

LEWIS S. RECORD, JR.  
GEORGE W. McINNIS

December 14, 1949.

**B. Financial Report of the School Board  
For Year Ending June 30, 1949**

**RECEIPTS****FEDERAL AID:**

Smith-Hughes and George-Barden	\$395 77
National school lunch	2,443 16
Other (F. W. A.)	5,075 00
State aid	16,978 78

**Local taxation:**

Current appropriation	75,176 41
Special appropriation, (def. approp. 1948-1949)	2,500 00
Advanced on 1949-1950	722 00

**OTHER SOURCES:**

Dog licenses	732 66
Secondary school tuitions	2,657 92
Trust funds	5,002 56
School lunch, (excl. nat'l. and spec. approp.)	2,472 52
Other	461 49

Total receipts from all sources	\$114,618 27
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1948	50 90
Grand total of receipts	\$114,669 17

**PAYMENTS**

	Amount	General	High	Elem.
<b>ADMINISTRATION:</b>				
Salaries of district officers	\$180 00	\$180 00		
Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,486 95	1,486 95		
Tax for state wide supervision	1,072 00	1,072 00		
Salaries of other administrative personnel	990 65	990 65		
Supplies and expenses	805 85	805 86		
<b>INSTRUCTION:</b>				
Principals' and teachers' salaries	60,051 62		\$22,581 22	\$37,470 40
Books and other Instructional aids	1,862 18		400 22	1,461 96
Scholars' supplies	4,991 83		2,189 64	2,802 19
Supplies and other expenses	476 83		320 80	156 03

	Amount	General	High	Elem.
<b>OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT:</b>				
Salaries of janitors	4,270 16		1,602 47	2,667 69
Fuel or heat	3,864 54		1,510 82	2,353 72
Water, light, supplies, and expenses	1,744 75		852 99	891 76
<b>MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT:</b>				
Repairs and replacements	4,217 30		2,327 96	1,889 34
<b>AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES:</b>				
Health supervision	704 46		147 56	556 90
Transportation	7,820 00			7,820 00
Special activities and special funds	2,485 00		842 99	1,642 01
<b>FIXED CHARGES:</b>				
Retirement	1,957 41	1,957 41		
Insurance, treas., bonds, and expenses	1,824 15	1,824 15		
<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY:</b>				
Lands and new bldgs.	5,075 00	5,075 00		
Additions and improve- ments to bldgs.	2,921 92	2,921 92		
New equipment	3,093 01	3,093 01		
<b>DEBT AND INTEREST:</b>				
Interest on debt	607 50	607 50		
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Total payments for all purposes	\$112,503 12	\$20,014 45	\$32,776 67	\$59,712 00
Cash on hand end of year June 30, 1949	2,166 05			
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Grand total	\$114,699 17			

**BALANCE SHEET****June 30, 1949****Assets**

Cash on hand	\$2,166 05
Accounts Due to District:	
From Rindge school district	63 14
Total assets	\$2,229 19
Net debt (excess of liability over assets)	22,621 11
Grand total	\$24,850 30

**Liabilities**

Accounts Owed by District:	
F. W. A.	\$10,500 00
Advanced 1949-1950 appropriations	722 00
Blue Cross—July-August	128 30
Bonds outstanding	13,500 00
Total liabilities	\$24,850 30
Grand total	\$24,850 30

**Status of School Notes and Bonds**

Outstanding at beginning of year	\$13,500 00
Notes and bonds outstanding at end of year	\$13,500 00

**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Jaffrey, New Hampshire, of which this is the true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LEWIS S. RECORD, JR.  
GEORGE W. McINNIS

December 13, 1949.

**C. Purchases made from Durant Fund**  
**July 1, 1948 to June 30, 1949**

Music Instruction:	
a. Supervisor	\$1,000 00
b. Band	78 00
c. Supplies	42 37
Art Instruction:	
a. Supervisor	500 00
b. Supplies	343 12
Library	89 46
Magazines and newspapers	193 00
Science supplies	38 95
Maps	44 43
Graduation, plaque diplomas	120 26
Equipment, billing machine repairs	80 75
Total	<u>\$2,530 34</u>

**D. Union Hall Rental**  
**1948-49**

V. F. W. basketball practice, games and auxillary play	\$176 00
Jaffrey Republican club	10 00
Catholic Men's club	30 00
Jaffrey Outing club	30 00
St. Patrick's C. Y. O.	6 00
Wyoming Steve Gibson	20 00
Ind. Order of Odd Fellows	10 00
	<u>\$282 00</u>

**E. Report of Distirct Clerk**  
**Annual Distirct School Meeting**  
**March 7, 1949**

At a legal meeting of the voters of the School District in Union Hall in said District in the Town of Jaffrey on the seventh day of March at 7:30 o'clock in the evening pursuant to the foregoing warrant.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Jason C. Sawyer and the warrant was read by him with the return on the same.

Alfred Despres moved that Evelyn H. Ruffle serve as temporary clerk. The motion was carried.

Article 1. George Austermann moved that the Clerk be instructed to cast one ballot for Jason C. Sawyer for Moderator for the ensuing year. The Moderator turned the chair over to the Clerk. The motion was put by the Clerk and the motion was unanimously carried. The Clerk cast one ballot for Jason C. Sawyer and he was declared elected and took the oath of office in open meeting.

Article 2. George Austermann moved the Moderator be instructed to cast one ballot for Evelyn H. Ruffle for Clerk for the ensuing year. The motion was carried. The Moderator cast one ballot for Evelyn H. Ruffle for Clerk and declared her elected and took the oath in open meeting.

Article 3. Charles Fish moved the Clerk cast one ballot for Robert M. Grummon for a member of the School Board for three years. The Clerk cast one ballot for Robert M. Grummon for a member of the School Board and he was unanimously elected.

Warren C. Ruffle nominated C. Francis Wozmak for a member of the school Board for three years. Nomination seconded.

Homer Belletete nominated Mary Davis for member of the School Board for three years. Nomination seconded.

Motion was made the nominations be closed. Motion was seconded and carried.

The Moderator exhibited the empty ballot box and the ballot was taken. The Moderator appointed the following tellers: Lloyd Wellington, Frederick Franzelm, Homer Forcler, and Robert Bunce. Total number of ballots given in were 159 in which C. Francis Wozmak had 57 and Mary Davis had 102 and Mary Davis was elected a member of the School Board for three years. The moderator administered the oath of office to both new members in open meeting.

Article 4. Homer Belletete moved that the Clerk be instructed to cast one ballot for Lawrence W. Brown for Treasurer. The Motion was unanimously carried. The Clerk cast one ballot and Lawrence W. Brown was declared elected.

Article 5. Ernest J. Pratt moved the District pay its officers as follows:

Salaries of School Board (\$20.00 each)	\$120 00
Salary of Truant Officer	25 00
Salary of District Clerk	5 00
Salary of Moderator	50 00

Motion was seconded and carried.

Mr. Robert Lewis, chairman of the School Building Committee read a report of that Committee stating that the Committee was satisfied that the present blueprints and specifications are, in general, adequate at this stage. The Committee had received definite assurance from the architects that the present blueprints and specifications are our property; received definite assurance that minor changes and alterations to plans will be made by architects without additional expense, and placed plans on file with the Superintendent of Schools.

Philip Darling reported on the Regional School Committee, stating there was nothing new to report. Moved by Anne Gordon that these reports be accepted and the committees be continued another year. Motion was seconded and carried.



Fredinand Gerdon reported the Budget Committee approved \$90,079.00 as printed in the town report.

Charles Fish moved that the School District's report as printed in Town Report be accepted. Motion was seconded and carried.

Article 7. Charles Fish moved that the Town Auditors serve as auditors for the School District for the ensuing year. Motion was seconded and carried.

Article 8. Ferdinand Gordon moved that the district raise and appropriate \$83,849 for the support of schools and other statutory obligations of the district as recommended by the school board. Motion seconded and carried.

Article 9. Esther Baker moved that the school board be authorized to withdraw immediately from the special Reserve Fund of the Durant Fund such money as is now held in said Special Reserve Funds in accordance with the vote of the district at its annual meeting, March 12, 1945.

Article 10. Leon Hunt moved that the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated for interior painting at the grade school. Motion seconded and carried.

Article 11. Ferdinand Gordon moved that the sum of \$2,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the replacement of pupil's desks and chairs at the High School. Motion seconded and carried.

Article 12. Leon Hunt moved that the sum of \$730 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of additional folding chairs for Union Hall. Motion seconded but defeated.

Article 13. Ernest Pratt moved that the sum of \$600 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of new equipment. Mr. Pratt explained that this sum was for the home economics room and audio-visual education. Motion seconded and carried.

Article 14. George Austermann moved article 14 be passed over. Motion lost. Carl Spofford moved that the sum of \$2,500 be raised and appropriated as a deficiency appropriation for the school year ending June 30, 1949. Mr. Spofford explained that this was a request of the Trustees of the Trust Funds. Motion seconded and carried.

Article 15. Ferdinand Gordon moved that the sum of \$1,400 be raised and appropriated for the purchase and installation of storm windows on the High School building. Motion seconded and carried.

Article 16. Homer Forcier moved that the sum of \$3,500 be raised and appropriated for the purchase and installation of lighting equipment at the high school. Motion seconded and carried.

Philip Darling moved we return to Article 11. Motion seconded and carried.

Delcie Bean Jr., moved we do not reconsider Article 11. Motion lost.

Ferdinand Gordon moved that the sum of \$1,000 in place of \$2,000 be raised and appropriated for the replacement of pupils desks and chairs at the High School. Motion seconded and carried.

Voted to adjourn at 10:20 p. m.

A true record—Attest:

EVELYN H. RUFFLE,  
School District Clerk.



**F. Return of District Revenue 1949**

Support of Schools:

School board budget of necessary expenses of instruction, operation and special activities	\$100,632 00
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Other Statutory Requirements:

Salary of district officers	\$180 00
Local share of superintendent's salary	1,285 00
\$2.00 per capita for supervision	1,040 00
Payment of interest on debt	405 00
Other obligations imposed by law or established by district	3,977 00
	\$6,887 00

Special Appropriations:

Interior painting at grade school	1,000 00
Replacement desks and chairs at high school	1,000 00
New equipment	600 00
Deficiency appropriation	2,500 00
Storm windows for high school	1,400 00
Lighting equipment at high school	3,500 00
	10,000 00

Total amount of school board's budget and special appropriations made by district	\$117,519 00
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Deduction for estimated income of district from sources other than current taxation:

Balance 6/30/49	\$000 00
State aid 12/49 allotment	17,000 00
Federal aid (estimate)	380 00
Dog tax (estimate)	0 00
Elem. and high school tuition receipts	1,500 00
Other estimated income	4,790 00
	23,670 00

Amount to be raised by taxation for budget and appropriations	\$93,849 00
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**CERTIFICATES**

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Jaffrey School District, held March 7, 1949.

EVELYN H. RUFFLE,  
Clerk of School District.

3/24/49.

To the State Board of Education:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for the school year 1949-1950, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board in accordance with N. H. Revised Laws Chapter 139, Section 19.

ERNEST PRATT,  
Chairman School Board.

3/24/49.

**G. School Board's Budget**  
**EXPENDITURES**

	Original Budget 1949-50	Estimated Expend. 1949-50	School Boards Budget 1950-51
<b>Administration:</b>			
1. Salaries of district officers	\$180 00	\$180 00	\$210 00
2. Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,285 00	1,285 00	1,368 00
3. Tax for state wide supervision	1,040 00	1,040 00	1,070 00
4. Salaries of other adminis- trative personnel	1,079 00	1,079 00	1,097 00
5. Supplies and other expenses	637 00	637 00	718 00
<b>Instruction:</b>			
6. Salaries of teachers and principals	65,012 00	63,283 00	66,950 00
7. Books and other instructional aids	2,700 00	1,500 00	2,216 00
8. Scholars' supplies	3,265 00	3,700 00	3,968 00
9. Salaries of Clerical assistants	1,260 00		
10. Other instructional expenses	1,765 00	900 00	3,130 00
<b>Operation of School Plant:</b>			
11. Salaries of janitors	6,185 00	4,525 00	6,005 00
12. Fuel or heat	4,825 00	4,825 00	4,825 00
13. Water, light, supplies and expenses	1,760 00	1,760 00	2,000 00
<b>Maintenance of School Plant:</b>			
14. Repairs and replacements	4,060 00	3,970 00	5,000 00
<b>Auxiliary Activities:</b>			
15. Health supervision	2,250 00	2,250 00	2,400 00
16. Transportation	8,550 00	8,580 00	9,000 00
18. Special activities and special funds		500 00	500 00
<b>Fixed Charges:</b>			
19. Retirement	2,108 00	2,311 00	3,439 00
20. Insurance, treasurer's bonds and expenses	153 00	400 00	862 00

	Original Budget 1949-50	Estimated Expend. 1949-50	School Boards Budget 1950-51
Capital Outlay:			
22. Additions and improvements to buildings	5,900 00	5,900 00	
23. New equipment	600 00	600 00	
Debt, Interest, and Other Charges:			
26. Payments on interest on debt	405 00	405 00	405 00
Total	\$115,019 00	\$109,630 00	\$115,163 00
<b>INCOME</b>			
Cash on hand, July 1		\$656 00 (net)	
Federal aid	\$380 00	380 00	\$380 00
State aid	17,000 00		
High school tuitions	1,500 00	2,500 00	5,000 00
Income from local trust funds	4,640 00	4,640 00	4,640 00
Dog tax		650 00	
Rent of Union Hall	150 00	150 00	150 00
Total	\$23,670 00	\$8,976 00	\$10,170 00
Appropriation	91,349 00	91,349 00	104,993 00
Total	\$115,019 00	\$100,325 00	\$115,163 00
Deficit (special appropriation requested, March 1950)		9,305 00	
		\$109,630 00	

A general explanation of the present financial situation in Jaffrey seems to be in order. The most important single fact in connection with the current budget is the loss of the \$17,000 expected State Aid. Because of this loss of revenue the school board has faced two serious problems: (1) how to keep the schools operating at as high a standard as possible and (2) how to keep the budget within the limits of a reasonable local tax assessment. A careful examination of the budget of 1949-50 as published a year ago and repeated in column one above, together with the figures in the second column, which represent what is expected will actually be spent, shows that a total of \$5,389 has been pared from the early estimates, chiefly from the following items: item 6, \$1,729; items 7 and 8 (taken together) \$765; item 9, \$1,260; item 10, \$865; item 11, \$1,660; and item 14, \$90, whereas small overdrafts are expected in items 18 (\$500) and 20 (\$247). The overdraft in item 18 is expected because of lack of sufficient Federal Funds to maintain the present rate of reimbursement on school lunches throughout the year. (A notice recently from the state office of Education indicates our reimbursements from Federal Funds for April, May and June are expected to be cut 30%). This total saving of \$5,389 together with an increase of revenue of \$2,306 cuts the additional appropriation needed to balance the budget from \$17,000 to \$9,305.

Let us look at the 1950-51 Budget.

(1) Item 1,—Salary of District Officers:—For a number of years it has been customary for the school district to elect as auditors the same individuals elected by the town as town auditors and for their salaries to be paid by the town. The 1950-51 budget carries an allowance

of \$30 for auditors' salaries in anticipation of the school district paying for the auditing of its own books. Therefore the increase in total of the item from \$180 to \$210.

(2) Item 6.—Salaries of teachers:—The small increase in this item allows for no additional teachers next year, only such salary increases as are thought to be necessary to hold our present standard of efficiency.

(3) Item 10.—Other Instructional Expenses:—For several years a part of the salary of the music supervisor and for two years a part of the salary of the art supervisor have been thought of as coming from the Durant Fund. It is now believed that the music and art programs should be regarded as regular features of the educational program and that the Durant Funds thus released should be used for some service or activity over and above the present program. Following out this thought item 10 includes \$1,500 for special instructional expenses to be paid for from the Durant Fund, the exact nature of them being still under consideration.

(4) Item 11.—Salaries of Janitors:—It is now commonly recognized that the amount of janitorial service required by our schools to maintain modern standards of cleanliness and service is greater than what two janitors can reasonably be expected to do. When the 1949-50 budget was made up a year ago it was expected that additional janitors would be employed but because of the lack of State Aid this has not been done except for some extra cleaning last summer. It is now generally felt that this need should not go another year unheeded so the 1950-51 budget includes an estimate for some additional help during the time schools are in session.

(5) Item 14.—Repairs and Replacements:—This covers the upkeep on school buildings valued in the town report at \$175,000 and on equipment valued at \$10,000. It should be kept in mind in this connection that these valuation figures are way below present day replacement costs. Even a casual glance of an interested taxpayer at this property would show that it is not being kept up. The \$5,000 requested is the least possible amount that can be expected to be needed to maintain its present condition to say nothing of making any headway towards a real improvement.

(6) Item 16.—Transportation:—This year school buses are filled to capacity and some extra trips have to be made. Next year it is almost certain that still more pupils will be needing transportation, therefore the increase in this item.

(7) Item 19.—Retirement:—The reason for the increase is due to the fact that more teachers are members of the Teacher Retirement System and the rate of contribution by the district on retirement of Janitors and other district employees has increased.

## PART V. CHILD ACCOUNTING AND STATISTICS

### A. Promotions to High School

The following 49 pupils as compared with 34 in 1948, were promoted to High School in June, 1949:

Constance Adams, Clinton Barker, William Bean, Marlene Beauvais, Norman Belletete, Juliet Bernier, Loren Blair, Kathleen Bosley, Ronald Boudrieau, Donald Bryant, Lois Burgoyne, Robert Butler, Raymond Christian, Dorothy Cote, Charles Davis, Harold Davis, Richard Day, Edward Desmarais, Leo Desmarais, Thomas Duval; Richard Falrey, Mable Fernald, Daniel Field, George Fish, Robert Forcier, Edward Fournier, Hilaire Gagnon, Leona Gagnon, Peter Gordon, Richard Harling, William Heikkila, Richard Isakson, Marion LaFleur, Francis



Martin, Janice McGinnis, Rachel Ouellette, Anna Ouellette, Laura Pelkey, Judith Perry, Rita Record, Kenneth Ryan, Richard Roberts, Kent Royce, Sheldon Sawyer, Paul St. Pierre, Frederick Walkonen, Doris Whipple, Harry Whitney and Robert Whitney.

### B. High School Graduates

Twenty-five students as compared with 43 in 1948 graduated from Conant High School in June 1949:

Margiorinio S. Ascani; Joanne Austin, Ellsworth Baker, Joanne Butwell, Kenneth Brown, David Calder, Norman Caron, James Doten, Cynthia Eaves, Eileen Fitzgerald, Donald Gordon, Richard Hautanen, Norman Letourneau, Barbara MacDonald, Neil Martin, Thomas Morse, Enidio Pomponio, David Pratt, William Raymond, Jr., Rita Tobichaud, Richard Francis Ryan, Donald Sawyer, Thomas Stevenson III; Georgette Varville and Ira Zeeman.

### C. Statistics for the Year Ending June 30, 1949

	High	Elem.	Total
Number of pupils registered	151	398	549
Average number of days schools were in session	175	173	174
Average membership	143 93	390 85	534 78
Average attendance	137 85	365 12	502 97
Aggregate number of days all pupils were in school	24,124	63,189	87,313
Per cent of attendance	95 78	93 08	94 08
Average number of days each pupil was in school	167 61	161 67	164 64
Pupils not absent or tardy	5	20	25
Non-resident (tuition) pupils	15		15
Pupils transported at district expense	42	181	223

It is of interest to note that: 1. The number of pupils in 1948-49 was 11 more than the previous year. 2. The number transported has increased from 159 in 1946-47 to 204 in 1947-48 and to 223 in 1948-49, a 40% increase in two years.

## PART VI. AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL REPORTS

### A. Jaffrey School Lunch Program 1948-49

#### RECEIPTS

Jaffrey Community League	\$407 00
175th Anniversary Committee	800 00
Pool Fund Committee	500 00
Jaffrey 175th Anniversary Committee	110 38
Durant Fund	1,311 23
School lunch program, bal.	597 46

\$3,726 07

#### EXPENDITURES

Eddie Demarais (waste line)	\$15 00
Amadee Deschenes (lumber)	52 89
D. A. Eaves (refrigerator) bal.	166 14
Butler & Son (gas range)	253 97
Evans & Devlin (waste line)	84 99
Evans & Devlin (guard rails)	23 84
Gosselin & Co. (plates & kitchen equip.)	890 26

B. & B. Elec. Appliance Co. (disposal)	55 00
Smith & Thoin (carpenter work)	153 78
South-Western Trans. Co. (express)	7 57
F. Mei (water heater)	680 57
F. Mei (installation of sink)	182 12
A. G. Gosselin Co. (kitchen equip.)	70 06
John G. Heil (piping)	101 46
Smith & Thoin	284 48
Letourneau Furniture Co. (refrigerator)	153 72
A. G. Gosselin (equipment)	267 53
Dover School District (food carriers)	133 85
Wilfred Boudreiau	108 48
Thompson-Winchester (equipment)	21 95

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\$3,707 66

### B. Report of School Nurse

Ruth S. Langille, R. N.

The four months that I have been School Nurse in Jaffrey on a full time basis has been spent in getting acquainted with the schools and their needs, the community and its facilities, the school personnel, the doctors, and as many parents and citizens as possible.

During this time vision and hearing tests have been done with the new Massachusetts vision type and the Eames type vision tests and the new pure tone individual test audiometer for the hearing. Most pupils needing glasses were fitted promptly by private means but a few were done with the help of Jaffrey Community League funds. One child was found to have sufficiently poor vision so that he is being taught Braille reading with finger tips while he still has vision to help. It is very necessary that all suspicious vision or eye strain pupils be examined promptly by specialists before the child begins to fall behind his class in reading achievement as well as other school work.

In November, December, and January immunization clinics for protection against Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, and Tetanus have been held for 108 six and seven year olds and pre-school children. This is done with three shots of the combined serums a month apart or with a single booster shot if the child was protected more than two years ago. Dr. Franklin Sterling gave the shots with Miss Elizabeth Carriel of Claremont, State Board of Health Nurse for this area assisting. The Jaffrey Community League assisted with a committee, whose members were: Mrs. Frederick Butler, chairman, Mrs. Dana Perry, Jr., Mrs. John Korpi, Mrs. Arthur Gelinas, Mrs. Lawrence Lavoilette, Mrs. Philip Darling, Mrs. John Hackler, Mrs. Walter Gentsch, and Mrs. Edward Brummer.

In these four months, 40 pupils were taken to physicians, 2 to hospitals, 2 to dentists, 28 to oculists, 1 to Mental Hygiene Child Guidance clinics, 3 to Orthopedic clinics. In the Nurse's office, 438 were checked for minor injuries or for suspected illness with 46 taken home from school with colds or other suspicious illness and 4 treated in the home. There were 283 school visits made and 105 home visits.

During the Christmas season 92 children in 22 families were cheered by a home visit from Santa with gifts and toys and guided by the Nurse. This was a community project planned and carried out by Conant High School juniors and aided by the Jaffrey Community League.

Clothing for several families was procured by the combined resources of the Salvation Army, Red Cross and Poole Funds. One family was outfitted and cared for by out-of-town resources while the mother



recovered from surgery. A Girl Scout Troop is being aided in getting First Aid Merit Badges in an after-school class.

As soon as Dr. Bingham returns from his Winter vacation, the dental clinic will start. The Jaffrey Woman's Club in cooperation with Dr. Shirley Dwyer, State Board of Health Dental consultant, sponsors this clinic each year. Because available funds would limit this service to a mere fifty cents a child if free and stretched over the whole school system, it is proposed that the clinic be started in the first grade with a complete job done on each pupil and only continued up through the grades as the rotation of funds permits. If parents who are able would get their children's dental work done privately and if part or all of the expense at the easy clinic rate could be paid by parents of pupils using the school clinic, this fund could be rotated to help a much larger percentage of the school population. By their honest support, parents alone will dictate how far this fund can be stretched.

During this term, in out-of-school hours, your nurse has been privileged in being able to take the Harvard-Boston University course in School and Home Relations with college credits, also college credit work on Child Growth through Reading from the angle of eliminating physical defects which retard progress in school and slow development of the whole child.

I would appreciate it if calls for the school nurse could be made at the nurses office in the Grade School building daily from 8:30 till 9:00 a. m. The principal of the building is kept informed at all times where she is working. Full time work is done in the Jaffrey Schools with the exception of the equivalent of two days time a month devoted to Rindge, which usually is scheduled for Wednesday or Thursday P. M., unless extra time is needed to complete an un-interrupted unit of work.

I find working in Jaffrey very pleasing, the people friendly and helpful and the schools growing and planning wisely for the future. The parents have been very cooperative in all matters affecting the health of their children, correcting reported physical defects promptly, keeping their children home from school with colds and other communicable diseases. Teachers and other school personnel have been very helpful. Doctors have cooperated with the school health program 100%. All community clubs have honored every request for aid, financial or otherwise, most graciously. For all this support I wish to extend my thanks in behalf of the children, who are the beneficiaries but are unable at their age to thank you all.

### **C. Report of Jaffrey School Building Committee**

(Committee appointed under Article 10 of the 1946  
School District Warrant)

A year ago this Committee indicated that it had assigned itself two main areas of investigation to be carried on during 1948:

1. The examination of the building plans and specifications to assure their educational adequacy; and
2. The continuation of the study of the proposed renovation and expansion of the High School building.

Our present report submits the following review of progress in both areas.

In the first of these the Committee has:

- (a). Satisfied itself that the present blueprints and specifications are, in general, adequate as they now stand and as detailed as they can be at this stage of planning. Following their approval by the State De-

partment of Education and Superintendent of Schools, Lester B. Badger, the Committee has given its approval of them. However, it recognizes that constant changes and developments being made in educational practices and building materials and equipment, as well as their availability, will necessitate a careful revision of plans before bids are sought. Naturally, the longer the period between the drawing of the plans and the call for bids, the greater the need for more extensive revision.

(b). Received definite assurance from the architects that the present blueprints and specifications are our property and that any desired additional copies will be furnished.

(c). Received further definite assurance that possible minor changes and alterations to plans which may have to be made at some future time when these plans are put up for bids will be made by the architects without additional expense.

(d.) Placed the approved plans and specifications on file with the Superintendent of Schools where they will always be available for the use of the School District.

As a matter of information the Committee would like to report now on its recommendation to the 1947 School District meeting that the School Board be authorized to apply for federal funds to be used for the preparation of plans and specifications. Such application was made and \$10,150.00 of Federal Works Agency Funds have been turned over to the School District, and paid to the architects.

With relation to the second area of investigation concerned with the continuation of its study, the committee now recommends that the School District should hold itself in readiness to take advantage of any grants of state or federal funds for actual school building construction if such should become available as a result of legislation now pending or planned.

Respectfully submitted,

EVELYN H. RUFFLE,  
RALPH E. BOYNTON,  
ALFRED S. DESPRES,  
JAMES B. PERRY,  
ROBERT G. LEWIS, Chairman,  
The School Building Committee.

## PART VII. SCHOOL CALENDAR

### 1950

Apr. 7	Schools close at 12:15 (Good Friday)
Apr. 17-21	Spring vacation
Apr. 24	Schools closed—Fast Day (Mon.)
May 30	Schools closed—Memorial Day (Tues.)
June 14	Schools close (Wed.) at 12:15 (unless days lost)
Sept. 6	Schools open (Wed.)
Oct. 12	Schools closed—Columbus Day (Thurs.)
Nov. 23-24	Thanksgiving recess (close 12:15 Wed.)
Dec. 21	Schools close for Christmas vacation (Thurs.)

### 1951

Jan. 2	Schools reopen (Tues.)
Feb. 19-23	Winter Vacation
Mar. 23	Schools close at 12:15 (Good Friday)
Apr. 16-20	Spring vacation
Apr. 23	Schools closed—Fast Day (Mon.)
May 30	Schools closed—Memorial Day (Wed.)
June 14	Schools closed (Thurs.) at 12:15 (unless time lost)

**PART VIII. SCHOOL WARRANT**  
**SCHOOL WARRANT**  


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**THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Jaffrey qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Union Hall in said district on the 13th day of March 1950, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose two Members 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 fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and 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 the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to use the \$1,400 raised and appropriated under Article 15 of the warrant of the annual School District meeting of March 7, 1949, for current expenses, instead of the purchase and installation of storm windows on the high school building as then voted.
10. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to use the \$3,500 raised and appropriated under Article 16 of the warrant of the annual school district meeting of March 7, 1949, for current expenses instead of the purchase and installation of lighting equipment at the high school as then voted.
11. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to use the \$1,000, raised and appropriated under Article 10 of the warrant of the annual school district meeting of March 7, 1949, for current expenses instead of the interior painting at the grade school.
12. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate, in addition to the original appropriation for 1949-50, a sum of \$9,305 to be made available to the school district prior to July 1, 1950 in order to meet unanticipated obligations caused by lack of State Aid.
13. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed \$22,363.37 as a capital reserve fund for the construction, reconstruction or acquisition of school buildings, said funds to be placed in the custody of the trustees of trust funds and reserved for the construction, reconstruction or acquisition of school buildings in accord-

ance with the Laws of 1943, Chapter 160, as amended by the Laws of 1945, Chapter 35 and Laws of 1947, Chapter 8.

14. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,000 for the purchase of additional land at the rear of the Conant High School, and to authorize the school board to issue serial notes or bonds in the name and on the credit of the District in this amount in conformance with existing Statute.

15. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500 for the purpose of obtaining an option for five (5) years on the purchase of additional land in the rear of the Conant High School.

16. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make contracts for periods not exceeding five (5) years upon terms and conditions to be determined by the school board.

17. To see if the District will vote to authorize the school board to engage an architect, or architects, to assist in surveying present school buildings, the preparation of plans for the construction, reconstruction or acquisition of school buildings, and raise and appropriate \$1,000 for said purpose.

18. Moved: that the Jaffrey School Board be recorded as in favor of the immediate restoration of state support of public education at least on a par with support provided in 1947 and 1948, and that the State Board of Education make whatever provision may be necessary in order that a formula for the equitable distribution of such money as may be provided, be available for the consideration of the special session of the legislature.

Given under our hands at said Jaffrey this 25th day of February, 1950.

ERNEST J. PRATT,  
FERDINAND GORDON,  
MARY B. DAVIS,  
HOMER J. FORCIER,  
EVELYN H. RUFFLE,  
ROBERT M. GRUMMON,  
School Board.

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**REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF CONANT HIGH SCHOOL FUND**

Received interest from Monadnock Savings Bank	\$140 70
Paid treasurer of Jaffrey School District for support of Conant High School	140 70
The fund is invested in Monadnock Savings Bank Account No. 3182	\$7,000 00

MERRILL G. SYMONDS,  
FRANK H. BALDWIN,  
Trustees.



**Births Registered in the Town of Jaffrey, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1949**

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Age	No. of Children	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1948								
Nov. 14	MacDonald, Marsha Georgine	F		1	Ch'ter Alb't Pratt M'Donald	Anita Eva Dellsle	Athol, Mass.	Winchendon, Mass.
Dec. 16	Desrosiers, Peter Joseph	M		3	Jos. Henry Desrosiers	Mary Marguerite Brideau	Greenville, N. H.	Peterboro, N. H.
Dec. 23	McPhie, Paul Joseph	M		4	Maurice Jos. MacPhie	Rose Ellen Foster	Dover, N. H.	Jamaica Plain, Mass.
Dec. 27	Duval, Janet Ann	F		1	Joseph August Duval	Char'l'e Isabel Phillips	Jaffrey	Greenfield, Mass.
Dec. 31	Symonowicz, Anna Jean	F		4	Michael Symonowicz	Lil'n Beatrice LaPlante	Worcester, Mass.	Jaffrey
1949								
Jan. 2	Austin, Joel Peter	M		2	Robert Maurice Austin	Barbara Jewell	Jaffrey	Alton, N. H.
Jan. 3	Christian, Sandra Yvonne	F		1	Maurice Jos. Christian	Alice Proulx	Jaffrey	Southbridge, Mass.
Jan. 7	Gagnon, Janet Marie	F		1	Andre Phillip Gagnon	Bety Irene Burnham	Jaffrey	Richmond, N. H.
Jan. 30	Hautanen, Nancy Ellen	F		3	Arthur Hautanen	Dorothy Ann Paul	Jaffrey	Lancaster, Mass.
Feb. 11	Stoughton, Thomas Briggs	M		1	Richard Stoughton, Jr.	Charlotte Hastings Hawkes	Montague, Mass.	Brockton, Mass.
Feb. 11	Ely, Edward Thomas	M		4	David Alden Ely	Priscilla May Baird	Brockton, Mass.	Jaffrey
Feb. 18	Haynes, Gerald Leonard	M		2	Harold Leon'd Haynes	Winifred Janet Smith	Springfield, Mass.	Sharon, N. H.
Mar. 1	Merrill, Karen Anne	F		1	Alfred Arthur Merrill	Andrew May Bellio	Jaffrey	Albany, N. Y.
Mar. 2	Fitzgerald, Jas. Sidney	M		2	Jas. Henry Fitzgerald	Kath'l'n Mary Whalen	Jaffrey	Louisville, N. Y.
Mar. 16	Coll, Timothy Arthur	M		5	Arthur Jule Coll	Gladys Pearl Sollitt	Jaffrey	Syracuse, N. Y.
Apr. 1	Powell, Charles David	M		1	Henry Specht Powell	Irene Marion Pelletier	Wheeling, W. Va.	Jaffrey
Apr. 23	Hannan, Gail Frances	F		3	Maxwell Martin Hannan	Grace Eleanor Messing	Boston, Mass.	Auburn, Mass.
Apr. 24	Brodmerkle, Ronald John	M		3	Howard Russell Brodmerkle	Helen Margaret Mckenney	Rutland, Mass.	Acushnet, Mass.
May 6	Washburn, Linda Lee	F		2	Alf'd Robert Washburn	Lillian Beatrice MacDonald	Brockton, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
May 9	Baird, Gary James	M		2	James Baird	Lucille Mary Rickett	Jaffrey	Richville, N. Y.
May 16	Charlonne, Vernon Earl	M		12	Homer Jos. Charlonne	Pauline Doris Cote	Jaffrey	Winchendon, Mass.
May 17	Tolman, Marcia Louise	F		1	Odella Roland Tolman	Marie Lydia Pellerin	Jaffrey	Marlboro, N. H.
May 20	Charlonne, Annette Joan	F		2	Jos. Lozo Charlonne	Rita Alice Dechenes	Jaffrey	Jaffrey
May 20	Lane, Richard Henry	M		2	James Edward Lane	Mildred Adelaide Buckwold	Peterboro, N. H.	Jaffrey
June 3	Brown, Nancy Lee	F		1	Richard Linfield Brown	Marg'ite Lucille Bourgeois	Peterboro, N. H.	Orange, Mass.
June 9	Proulx, Dhalid James	M		3	Roland Euclid Proulx	Evelyn Mae Schofield	Melton, Can.	Brockton, Mass.
June 15	Stewart, Roland Reginald	M		3	Ge'ld Norman Stewart	Gladys Mae Martell	Danby, Vt.	So. Lincoln, Vt.

Births Registered in the Town of Jaffrey, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1949

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Liv. or sb.	Name of Father		Maiden Name of Mother		Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
				No.	Child	No.	Child		
June 16	Kersesvich, Elaina Louise	F		1	Frank Michael Kersesvich	Olivette Dion	Keene, N. H.	Jaffrey	
June 17	Mei, John Douglas	M		2	Julio Mei	Rita Eleonor Carbone	Jaffrey	Keene, N. H.	
June 18	Paradise, Jean Nancy	F		3	Arthur Geo. Paradise	Louise Ann Dubois	Jaffrey	Canton, Mass.	
July 27	Forcier, Karen Elizabeth	F		2	Rene Joseph Forcier	Adelaide Belle Bishop	Jaffrey	Boston, Mass.	
July 30	Griffin, Daniel Thomas	M		1	Jos. Thomas Griffin	Helen Frances Mei	Brockton, Mass.	Jaffrey	
Aug. 16	Jurva, Norma Mellissa	F		2	Tauno Charles Jurva	Ge'gia Nina Cummings	Jaffrey	Howland, Me.	
Aug. 19	Schaffner, Cynthia Louise	F		3	Frederick Stanley Schaffner	Harriet Helen Ford	Cambridge, Mass.	Cambridge, Mass.	
Aug. 29	Durand, Daniel Joseph	M		2	Rene Arthur Durand	Rita Rorcier	Jaffrey	Jaffrey	
Sept. 4	Rice, Trudy Ann	F		2	Chas. Harrison Rice, Jr.	Ruby Edith Miller	Jaffrey	Rindge, N. H.	
Sept. 4	Bingham, Barbara Lee	F		1	Paul Dana Bingham	Nancy Elizabeth Wailes	Jaffrey	Baltimore, Md.	
Sept. 8	Fuller, Joan Leslie	F		4	John Lester Fuller	Olive Mae Wilson	Peterboro, N. H.	Jaffrey	
Sept. 14	DeBell, Carolyn Kay	F		2	Elwin Walter DeBell	Carmella Marie Vanni	Ashuelot, N. H.	Wilton, N. H.	
Sept. 14	Pomponio, Jay Dean	M		1	Alb't Jerome Pomponio	Vera May Stratton	Italy	Peterboro, N. H.	
Sept. 16	Launier, Mark Wm.	M		1	Hector Ernest Launier	Isabelle Ann Royce	Worcester, Mass.	Peterboro, N. H.	
Sept. 23	Loranger, Marsha Louise	F		2	Rich'd Robert Loranger	Rita Leona Christian	Keene, N. H.	Peterboro, N. H.	
Oct. 2	Griffin, Richard Edwin	M		1	Edward Dennis Griffin	Patricia Flor'ce Parker	Massachusetts	Keene, N. H.	
Oct. 8	LeFleur, Russell Allen	M		7	Emile Joseph LaFleur	Dorothy Florence Gregory	Jaffrey	New Brunswick	
Oct. 10	Sebastian, Kirk Daniel	M		4	Raym'd White Sebastian, Jr.	Frances Arlene Jackson	Jaffrey	Boston, Mass.	
Oct. 12	McCabe, Betty Annie	F		3	Chas. Joseph McCabe	Phyllis Anita Devlin	Lowell, Mass.	Centralia, Wash.	
Oct. 16	Schofield, Carol Anne	F		1	James Elmer Schofield	Jeanett Lillian Coll	St. Louis, Mo.	Jaffrey	
Oct. 24	Dyer, Diane Lee	F		1	Jos. Philip Russell, Jr.	Bernadette Cecilia Dionne	Peterboro, N. H.	Jaffrey	
Oct. 25	Dyer, Edward George	M		3	Edward Marcellus Dyer	Alice Theresa Sirois	Patton, Me.	Jaffrey	
Oct. 26	Maki, Senia Ruth	F		1	Alex John Maki	June Helen Cutter	Finland	Jaffrey	
Oct. 26	Simons, Ken'eth Eugene	M		1	Roy Donald Simons	Marcelle Mary Hamel	Sutton, N. H.	Randolph, Mass.	
Oct. 27	Sawyer, Kevin White	M		1	Gerald David Sawyer	Shirley Evelyn White	Winchendon, Mass.	Winchendon, Mass.	
Nov. 2	LaFrance, Phyllis Ann	F		3	Philip Jos. LaFrance	Jane Anita Cadieux	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	
Nov. 9	Rivers, Mark Stevens	M		1	LaRoyce Franklin Stevens	Claire Rose Brault	Massachusetts	New Hampshire	
Nov. 14	Lagasse, Ronald Wm.	M		2	Wm. Jos. Lagasse, Jr.	June Madeline Gregory	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	
Nov. 15	Brown, Kathleen Marie	F		1	Geo. Edward Brown, Jr.	Marcella Louise Baker	Maine	Vermont	
Nov. 17	Wetherbee, Susan Louise	F		1	Ken'th Bryan Wetherbee, Jr.	Gloria Marie Robichaud	Peterboro, N. H.	Jaffrey	
Nov. 18	Rickter, Donna Mae	F		3	Harland Ogdan Rickter	Lenora Marie Cloutier	New York	Massachusetts	
Nov. 27	Speckman, Earl Joseph	M		2	Robert Earl Speckman	Victoria Yvonne Labrie	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	
Nov. 29	Brown, Joyce Ann	F		1	Harry Neal Brown	Lorraine Marie Taylor	New Hampshire	New Hampshire	



**Marriages Registered in the Town of Jaffrey, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1949**

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Name and Residence of Person by Whom Married
1948						
July 24	Richard Linfield Brown	Jaffrey	22	New Hampshire	Lawrence W. Brown Thelma E. Wellington	Earl Horton, J. P. Chester, Vt.
	Marguerite Lucille Bourgeois	Jaffrey	18	Massachusetts	Emilien A. Bourgeois Germaine C. Thibault	
Aug. 28	Jerry Charles Maniscalchi	Thomsonville, Ct.	24	Connecticut	James Maniscalchi Rose Sicilia	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
1949						
Jan. 3	Claire Beatrice Michaud	Jaffrey	25	New Hampshire	George Michaud Alberta Guay	
	Francis King	E. Windsor, Ct.	24	Massachusetts	Henry King Evon Anctil	Rudolph C. Geissler, J. P. E. Windsor, Ct.
	Florence Bernadette Christian	Jaffrey	19	Massachusetts	Wilfred Christian Eva Chouinard	
Jan. 15	Albert Patrick Robinson	Peterboro, N. H.	25	New Hampshire	Geo. A. Robinson Eleanor Brady	Rev. F. X. McMullen Jaffrey
	Germain Eva Roy	Jaffrey	26	Canada	Clement J. Roy Cedulle M. Demers	
Jan. 29	George Joseph Duguay	Gardner, Mass.	39	Maine	Joseph Duguay Phyllis O'Malley	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Mary Anna Martin	Gardner, Mass.	38	Canada	Joseph Martin Flora Bois	
Jan. 29	Eric Olaf Ecklund	Jaffrey	41	Sweden	Gustave Ecklund Anna Anderson	Rev. Roger W. Floyd Jaffrey
	Alice Edna Lundgren	Jaffrey	40	Massachusetts	James Stockton Elizabeth Addison	
Feb. 3	Richard Edwin Harmon	Gardner, Mass.	29	Maine	Wade S. Harmon Hulda Seeley	Geo. P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Eida Lucille Valoir	Athol, Mass.	21	Massachusetts	Frederick A. Valoir Harriet M. Kendall	

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Feb. 12	Albert Jalmar Lehtonen Barbara Ann Antilla	New Ipswich, N. H. Jaffrey	23 19	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Jalma M. Lehtonen Alvira Hemburg Andrew R. Antilla Marion L. Cook	Rev. Richard Stoughton, Jr. Jaffrey
Feb. 12	Raymond Jos. Desmarais Constance Gloria Ouellette	Jaffrey Jaffrey	20 19	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Wm. J. Desmarais Margaret M. Robitaille Antonio A. Ouellette Josephine L. Caron	Rev. F. X. McMullen Jaffrey
Feb. 19	William Peter McGann Joyce May Nelson	Rutland, Mass. Hubbardston, Mass.	24 18	Massachusetts Massachusetts	Michael McGann Mary Carlson Robert Nelson Thera Labor	George H. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
Mar. 5	Frank Charles Grincewicz Ruth Pauline Lennerton	Gardner, Mass. Winchendon, Mass.	23 24	Massachusetts Massachusetts	Charles Grincewicz Petronella Judsky Elmer Bosworth Mary J. Royce	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
Apr. 16	David Billson Margaret Sangster Clegg	No. Chelmsford, Ms. Leominster, Mass.	72 62	Massachusetts Massachusetts	George Billson Julia Chapman Joseph Sangster Margaret McLeod	Rev. Richard Stoughton, Jr. Jaffrey
Apr. 16	Arthur Walter Snow Mary Elizabeth Breen	Jaffrey Mineola, N. Y.	21 18	Massachusetts New York	Franklin W. Snow Pearl Washburn Edward J. Breen Marie Rousseau	Rev. Thomas Manning Mineola, N. Y.
Apr. 23	Andrew Pelletier Maria Caron	Jaffrey Greenville, N. H.	61 61	Canada Canada	Octave Pelletier Lydia Gagnon Matthias Langolis Marie Belanger	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey

Apr. 29	Lawrence Henry Harper, Jr.	Jaffrey	26	New Hampshire	Lawrence H. Harper	George H. Duncan, J. P.
	Exzelie Louise Sesia	Jaffrey	32	New Hampshire	Freda A. LaFleur	Jaffrey
May 7	Atilio Arceci	Winchendon, Mass.	58	Italy	Joseph Champney	Rev. John A. McSweeney
	Maria Arceci	Winchendon, Mass.	58	Italy	Mary L. Meatty	Jaffrey
May 7	Eugene Joseph Nadeau	Winchendon, Mass.	60	Canada	Angelo Arceci	George P. Duncan, J. P.
	Ruth Effie Reid	Winchendon, Mass.	59	Massachusetts	Vincenzo Barbadoro	Jaffrey
May 14	Ernest Arne Hagie	Gardner, Mass.	37	New Hampshire	Joanna Polverari	George H. Duncan, J. P.
	Dorothy Mary Chamberlain	Gardner, Mass.	31	Maine	Anselme Nadeau	Jaffrey
May 14	John Harold Stanley Christianson	Worcester, Mass.	36	Massachusetts	Sophie LaPage	Rev. Harold A. Hopkins
	Miriam Lindquist	Worcester, Mass.	23	Massachusetts	Ellon L. Barrows	Jaffrey
May 25	Francis John Flaminion	Worcester, Mass.	34	Massachusetts	Ambrose Hagie	George P. Duncan, J. P.
	Marie Wanda Watkins	Worcester, Mass.	28	Massachusetts	Lydia Honkonen	Jaffrey
May 28	Albert Joseph Alfred Morin	Jaffrey	30	New Hampshire	Mary E. Lavigne	Rev. John A. McSweeney
	Margaret Isabel Brown	Jaffrey	37	New Hampshire	Joseph Chamberlain	Jaffrey
June 11	Roland Odias Roy	Jaffrey	29	Canada	Jonas A. Christianson	Rev. John B. McQuaid
	Grayce Mildred Reynolds	Keene, N. H.	25	New Hampshire	Johanna Larson	Keene, N. H.
					Frank D. Lindquist	
					Diana E. Rich	
					John Flaminio	
					Mary Bastardo	
					John W. Watkins	
					Mary E. Greig	
					Joseph P. Morin	
					Marie Mercure	
					George R. Brown	
					Annie Burke	
					Clement J. Roy	
					Cedulie M. Demers	
					Edward L. Reynolds	
					Theresa M. Hervieux	

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June 15	Robert Earl Speckman	Rindge, N. H.	21	New Hampshire	Henry A. Speckman Mary P. Lemire	Ralph R. Winham, J. P. Keene, N. H.
	Victoria Yvonne Speckman	Jaffrey	21	New Hampshire	Emile J. Labrie Eva I. Therrien	
June 18	Aylmer Henry Given, Jr.	Baldwinsville, Mass.	23	Massachusetts	Aylmer H. Given Beatrice H. Bliss	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
	Mary Theresa Desmarais	Jaffrey	21	New Hampshire	Edward J. Desmarais Alphonse H. Deshaies	
June 18	James Thos. Halfpenny	Jaffrey	20	Massachusetts	George S. Halfpenny Hilma S. Aho	Rev. Richard Stoughton, Jr. Jaffrey
	Pauline Rita Smith	Jaffrey	19	New Hampshire	Winfield M. Smith Ruth L. Eastman	
June 24	Alfred Paul Orsl, Jr.	Worcester, Mass.	20	Massachusetts	Alfred P. Orsi Mary Pepper	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Ellen Louise Gustafson	Leicester, Mass.	18	Massachusetts	Benhard G. Gustafson Josephine A. Taft	
June 25	Francis Emmett Devlin	Jaffrey	26	New Hampshire	William E. Devlin Mildred G. Hurd	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter Exeter, N. H.
	Regina Margaret Quirk	Kensington, N. H.	23	New Hampshire	John S. Quirk Margaret R. Wolfe	
July 9	John Rider	Burt, Mich.	22	Kentucky	Herbert W. Rider Ethel M. Marcus	Rev. Richard Stoughton, Jr. Jaffrey
	Nellie Bertha Petterson	Jaffrey	18	New Hampshire	George A. Patterson Eva I. Poulain	
July 10	Edgar Beaugrand	Athol, Mass.	58	Canada	William Beaugrand Josephine Hibbard	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Lila Rose Morriseau	Athol, Mass.	48	Massachusetts	Ezekiel L. Morriseau Exilina Aubin	

July 23	Joseph Lionel Sarrazin	Jaffrey	21	Massachusetts	Alfred Sarrazin Ida Sarrazin	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
	Rosalie Anne Despres	Jaffrey	18	New Hampshire	Edward L. Despres	
July 25	Robert Grant Sproule	St. Petersburg, Fla.	23	England	Denaris D. Christian Frederick Sproule	Rev. Robert H. Lewis Henniker, N. H.
	Lois Story Austin	Jaffrey	25	New Hampshire	Frances J. Grant James W. Austin	
July 29	Harold Charles Hurlbrink	Worcester, Mass.	20	Massachusetts	Doris M. Story Harold C. Hurlbrink	George H. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Drucilla Smith	Worcester, Mass.	18	Massachusetts	Winifred Anderson	
July 20	Gerald Harris Williams	Winchendon, Mass.	29	Massachusetts	Alfred T. Smith Dorothy Smith	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Margaret Elizabeth Doody	Winchendon, Mass.	20	Massachusetts	Richard E. Williams Grace Harris	
Aug. 20	Theodore Raoul Albert Lambert	Jaffrey	29	New Hampshire	Edward J. Doody Eva M. Lashua	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
	Patricia Corina Belanger	Jaffrey	25	Massachusetts	Albert Lambert Blanche Gagnon	
Aug. 22	Harold Christopher Mack	Ayer, Mass.	26	New York	Corina Forcier	Rev. Robert E. Baggs Rindge, N. H.
	Kathleen Ruth Harris	Fitchburg, Mass.	25	Illinois	Harry E. Mack Pauline M. Sherwin	
Sept. 10	Leo Edgar Arsenault	Danielson, Conn.	22	Massachusetts	Paul U. Harris Ethelyn Gratton	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
	Rita Michaud	Jaffrey	20	New Hampshire	Blair T. Arsenault Emily Doirand	
Sept. 16	Ronald William Record	Jaffrey	19	New Hampshire	George M. Michaud Alberta Guay	Rev. Norman B. Cawley Troy, N. H.
	Joan Marilyn Lepisto	Troy, N. H.	17	New Hampshire	Stephen W. Record Emma G. Ouellette Charles A. Lepisto Bertha L. Carter	



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Sept. 17	DanteTino Travaglini Lea Baviera	Winchendon, Mass. Jaffrey	24 23	Massachusetts Italy	Viscardo Travaglini Anna Adrioni Paffila Baviera	Rev. F. X. McMullen Jaffrey
Sept. 24	Harold Guy Sands Norma Jean McClelland	Jaffrey Rochester, N. H.	25 21	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Harold M. Sands May Guy Robert J. McClelland Maude B. Wentworth	Rev. Ray R. Kelley Rochester, N. H.
Sept. 24	Harold Elmer Hill Pauline Wade Fox	Cohasset, Mass. Wollaston, Mass.	22 21	Massachusetts Massachusetts	Ernest S. Hill Florence A. Damon John Fox	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
Sept. 25	William S. Austin Elizabeth Louise Viereck	Jaffrey Tom's River, N. J.	24 24	New Hampshire New Jersey	Ruth N. Wade James W. Austin Doris M. Story John F. Viereck	Rev. Donald L. Phillips & Rev. Harry VanVleaf Tom's River, N. J.
Oct. 1	Stuart Norton Chamberlain Dorothy Scribner	Jaffrey Jaffrey	25 23	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Florence E. DeGraw Emma M. Allard Frederic B. Scribner Dorothy J. Burgoyne	Rev. F. X. McMullen Jaffrey
Oct. 13	William Allen Worden Mary Katherine LaCroix	Shrewsbury, Mass. No. Grafton, Mass.	27 27	Massachusetts Massachusetts	William J. Worden Mary S. Hamm Albert LaCroix Rosetta G. Benoit	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
Oct. 14	Charles Standish Wanda Bertha Smolkowicz	Springfield, Mass. Springfield, Mass.	23 19	Massachusetts Massachusetts	Charles B. Gustafson Anna McCarthy John J. Smolkowicz Eva S. Witek	George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey

Oct. 15	Channing Bouve Marsh	Worcester, Mass.	23	Massachusetts	John L. Marsh Marion Bouve Leonard C. Merrill Mary J. Burgoyne Edward M. Roche Bridget Kelley Flave LaPitre Victoria Matte Warren E. Fales Ethel E. Burnham Tellsfeur Guy Amanda Duval John J. Duval Lucie J. Goulet Albert J. Bruno Helen M. Bernier Richard L. Grogan Mary U. Nugent Bernard Forstedt Ruth I. Sullivan George Ramsey Florence M. Hale Albert L. Plummer Mabel L. Cripps Carl E. Olson Alice V. Scarborough Robert A. Raines Edna J. Lierman Charles H. Smith Jeannette W. Elliott Frank Bushey Eleanor Long	Rev. F. X. McMullen Jaffrey
	Phyllis Elaine Merrill	Jaffrey	21	New Hampshire		
Oct. 22	Edward Francis Roche	Fitchburg, Mass.	56	Massachusetts		Daniel P. McGuirl, J. P. Lunenburg, Mass.
	Laurence Mary LaPitre Brault	Jaffrey	46	Canada		
Oct. 29	Darwin Duane Fales	Winchendon, Mass.	40	Massachusetts		George P. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Yvonne Marie LaFortune	Winchendon, Mass.	34	Massachusetts		
Nov. 5	Eugene Edward Duval	Winchendon, Mass.	21	Massachusetts		Rev. F. X. McMullen Jaffrey
	Rita Mary Bruno	Jaffrey	17	New Hampshire		
Nov. 18	Richard Linus Grogan, Jr.	Worcester, Mass.	21	Massachusetts		George H. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Lois Shirley Forstedt	Worcester, Mass.	18	Massachusetts		
Nov. 19	Wilfred Lee Ramsey	Jaffrey	22	Vermont		Rev. R. W. E. McKenzie Swansey, N. H.
	Ella Laura Plummer	Swansey	15	Massachusetts		
Nov. 20	Elwood Arthur Olson	Worcester, Mass.	25	Massachusetts		Rev. A. G. Lund Jaffrey
	Mona Lee Young	Worcester, Mass.	20	Texas		
Nov. 23	Frederick Wm. Smith	Rindge, N. H.	46	Massachusetts		Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
	Margaret Bushey White	Jaffrey	40	Maine		

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Nov. 24	George Andrew Willis	Jaffrey	34	New Hampshire	Charles I. Willis Lola I. Mather	Rev. Oscar E. Giguere Troy, N. H.
	Victoria Claire Despres	Troy, N. H.	30	Connecticut	Medric Despres Amelia Barron	Algie A. Holt, J. P. Peterborough, N. H.
Nov. 26	Oliver August Paradise	Jaffrey	26	New Hampshire	Oliver Paradise Delvina Blais	
	Edna Elizabeth Proulx	Jaffrey	25	New Hampshire	Fred C. Blood Annie B. Edwards	
Dec. 8	Warren Gordon Pease	Northampton, Mass.	25	Massachusetts	Warren C. Pease Sarah E. Simpson	Rev. A. G. Lund Jaffrey
	Dorothy Viola Button	Amherst, Mass.	32	New Hampshire	Frank W. Bowman Lilla M. Whittemore	
Dec. 10	Paul Herman Harling	Jaffrey	47	New Hampshire	John Harling	Rev. Roger W. Floyd Antrim, N. H.
	Grace Rebecca Brooks	Stoneham, Mass.	39	Massachusetts	Matilda Johnson Lemuel E. Brooks	
Dec. 18	Gilbert Joseph Gaudet	Waltham, Mass.	23	Massachusetts	Claire VonIderstine Camille J. Gaudet	George H. Duncan, J. P. Jaffrey
	Mary Jones Miller	Stowe, Mass.	28	Massachusetts	Mary Lafrenier Arthur Jones	
Dec. 29	Charles Henry Griswold	Jaffrey	34	New Hampshire	Elanche Conant Charles H. Griswold	Rev. John A. McSweeney Jaffrey
	Nancy Taylor Brown	Jaffrey	29	New Hampshire	Rose Murphy William F. Taylor Waty P. Austin	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Jaffrey, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1949

Date	Name	Years	Place of Birth	Sex	S. M. W.*	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Feb. 21	Nelson Leonard Burgoyne	40	New Hampshire	M	M	Alfred J. Burgoyne	Alice D. Carpenter
Mar. 7	Lumina Blais Bosley	59	Canada	F	M	Philip Blais	Mary Drapo
Mar. 8	Philip Joseph Letourneau	70	New Hampshire	M	M	Richard Letourneau	Emma Marchand
Mar. 13	Elizabeth Donahue Devlin	74	Massachusetts	F	M	Timothy Donahue	Margaret Gallagher
Mar. 21	Arthur M. Hatch	73	Vermont	M	M	Carl Hatch	Sarah Goodnow
Mar. 24	Alvine Robichaud Guillaume	76	Canada	F	M	Joseph Robichaud	Clarisse Pelletiere
Apr. 2	Noel Antill	60	Canada	M	W	Augustus Antill	Alice Robichaud
Apr. 21	George F. Dorr	65	Massachusetts	M	M	George Dorr	Lizzie Miller
May 18	Rose Griswold	73	Ireland	F	W	Michael Murphy	Rose Murphy
May 18	Hormidas LaForce	67	New Hampshire	M	S	Leon Laforce	Josephine Rodier
June 6	James Douglas Adams	74	Massachusetts	M	M	George Adams	Dora Hussey
July 1	Arthur Stacy Buss	72	Massachusetts	M	M	George Buss	Cynthia Baker
July 30	George Dancause	64	Canada	M	M	Augustine Dancause	Clarisse Vereault
Aug. 18	Peter Joseph Desrosiers	8 mo.	New Hampshire	M	S	Joseph Henry Desrosiers	Marguerite Brideau
Aug. 25	Andrew Robert Antilla	46	Minnesota	M	M	Henry Antilla	Ida Palania
Sept. 27	Peter J. Wilson	92	New Hampshire	M	M	John S. Wilson	Mary Holden
Oct. 12	Caroline Robichaud	68	Canada	F	M	Siffrold Christian	Delvina Bernier
Dec. 30	George Parker Wellington	73	New Hampshire	M	W	John Wellington	Lizzie Wright
Dec. 31	Carl K. Bowen	60	New Hampshire	M	W	George C. Bowen	- - Fletcher

\* Single, married or widowed.



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Brought to Town for Burial**

Date	Name	Years	Place of Birth	Place of Death	Sex	* S. M. W.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1945								
Mar. 3	Raymond Samuel Lafreniere	19	New Hampshire	Iwo Jima	M	S	Samuel Lafreniere	Beatrice J. Bosley
Apr. 15	Erik Harry Hamilton	25	Sweden	Italy	M	S	Axel H. Hamilton	Anna Johanson
1948								
Dec. 19	Alexandre Varville	50	Massachusetts	Harrisville	M	M	Modesse Varville	Philomene Chretien
1949								
Feb. 2	John F. Stewart	73		Newton, Mass.	M			
Apr. 2	Edith Merle Doten	38	Vermont	Boston, Mass.	F	M	Harry M. Perkins	Alice Wilcox
Apr. 2	George Henry Levins	11	Massachusetts	Boston, Mass.	M	S	Peter John Levins	Ruth Eaves
Apr. 5	Anthony Letourneau	57	New Hampshire	Winchendon, Mass.	M	S	Antoine Letourneau	Elmira Chaput
May 21	Joseph Riendeau	76	Canada	Westmoreland, N. H.	M		Peter Riendeau	Ansimé - - -
May 31	Meloria Christian	60	New Hampshire	Winchendon, Mass.	F	M	James Emery	Caroline Durant
June 2	William Carter Bemis, Jr.	20	New Hampshire	Peterboro, N. H.	M	S	William C. Bemis	Evelena Taylor
June 4	Julia B. Lacy	81	New Hampshire	Medford, Mass.	F	M	Samuel Jones	Angenette Davis
June 23	Frederick C. Sweeney	77	New York	Peterboro, N. H.	M	W	John Sweeney	Mary Parrish
June 20	Shelia Drene Charlonne	2	New Hampshire	Peterboro, N. H.	F	S	Homer Charlonne	Pauline Cote
July 19	Vinnie Hurd	63	Massachusetts	Peterboro, N. H.	F	M	Charles Jackson	Amie Drew
July 24	Cyrus Bunker	65	New Hampshire	Peterboro, N. H.	M	W		
July 28	Amy Fairfield	56	Maine	Concord, N. H.	F	W	Eugene Mitchell	
Aug. 5	Diane Belanger Pelkey	82	Canada	Manchester, N. H.	F	W	Celestin Belanger	Auberlin Gagnon
Aug. 14	Joseph Peter Morin	63	Canada	Peterboro, N. H.	M	M	Jules Morin	Olivine Bernier
Sept. 14	Herbert Hyacinthe Lafreniere	32	New Hampshire	Keene, N. H.	M	S	Jesse H. Lafreniere	Sarah Ann Maddore
Nov. 18	Alfred Francis White	57	Massachusetts	New Berlin, N. Y.	M	M	Milos White	Kate Morlock
Nov. 29	Abbie Olive Hansle	69	Massachusetts	Peterboro, N. H.	F	W	George Dorr	Lizzie Miller
Dec. 4	Freda Bernier Campbell	32	New Hampshire	Peterboro, N. H.	F	M	August L. Bernier	Aldea Robidoux
Dec. 29	Harry Mack	69	Nova Scotia	Peterboro, N. H.	M	W	Theophilus Mack	Semantia Moore

\*Single, married or widowed.

A true record, Attest:  
**GEORGE H. DUNCAN, Town Clerk.**





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## FOREST FIRES—OUR MOST SHAMEFUL WASTE

Everyone apparently fears fires but too many are careless with it. This is particularly true of fires in and near woodlands. Official figures show that more than 98 percent of all forest fires result from human carelessness and can be prevented. Consequently, we may say "Forest Fires are our most shameful waste".

Annual forest fire losses are tremendous and their effects far reaching. Such fires destroy the raw products of the forests, the protection forests provide for game and the supply of ground water. They upset local economies by drawing men from gainful employment and requiring the expenditure of public funds to extinguish them.

Our forest fire organization is doing a good job in keeping the size of fires small but the number of fires is increasing. In 1949 there were 100 more fires in New Hampshire than in 1948, but they burned 500 acres less. For the warden and his deputies to do the job they are capable of, they must have the cooperation of the public—YOU!

The primary objective of all fire fighters is PREVENTION—fire stoppage. This is the goal toward which your local forest fire warden and his deputies are constantly working. It can be achieved ONLY if YOU and YOU cooperate with them. It is worth YOUR effort and can be accomplished by:

- (1) Being careful with fire in or near woodland, being particularly careful with matches and cigarettes.
- (2) Securing the required written permit from the warden when the ground is not covered with snow.
- (3) Insisting that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.
- (4) Calling the warden promptly when fire is detected and aiding him to extinguish it.

Let's reduce the number of forest fires and eliminate our most shameful waste.

F. J. BAKER,  
District Chief.

### 1949 FIRE RECORD—JAFFREY

Number of Fires, 2.

Acreage Burned, 7/8.

Number of fire permits issued, 158.

Respectfully submitted

PHILIP C. TREMBLAY  
Forest Fire Warden,

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