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# ANNUAL REPORTS

of the TOWN and DISTRICT and the  
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Littleton, New Hampshire

for Year Ending January Thirty-first  
Nineteen Hundred and Forty

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UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

for period

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

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for Year Ending December 31, 1939

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FOR THE

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## Town Officers

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### *Moderator*

John B. Eames

### *Clerk*

Walter N. Heald

### *Treasurer*

Ralph E. Colby

### *Selectmen*

Jacob F. Hildebrand    William H. Shea    Henry F. Whitcomb

### *Supervisors*

William J. Brousseau    Stephen L. Eaton    Fred Kelley

### *Representatives*

Robert E. Bowker    Ada A. Soper  
Jacob F. Hildebrand    Henry F. Whitcomb

### *Auditor*

Fred Kelley

### *Prosecuting Liquor Agent*

Henry W. Chapman

### *Police*

*Chief*, Van H. Gardner

Henry W. Chapman    Ellis L. Hudson  
George H. Page    Edward R. Knapp

Ellsworth E. Knapp

### *Overseer of the Poor*

William A. Astle

*Dog Killer*

Ellis L. Hudson

*Health Officer*

John M. Page

*Surveyor of Wood and Lumber*

Henry F. Whitcomb

*Highway Agents*

Edgar O. Baker

Frank B. Kinne

*Water and Light Commissioners*

James B. Hadley

Trevor O. Mooney

C. Warren Woods

*Park Commissioners*

Arthur S. Morris

Ralph W. Noyes

Herbert H. Downing

*Trustees of Trust Funds*

Ralph E. Colby

Orrin W. Hunkins

Harold A. Edson

# TOWN MEETING WARRANT

## STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the inhabitants of the Town of Littleton, in said State,  
qualified to vote in town affairs:—*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall and Police Court Room, in the Town Building, on the 12th day of March next, being the second Tuesday of March, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:—

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Town Clerk, one Selectman for the term of three years, a Town Treasurer, an Auditor, a Collector of Taxes, an Overseer of the Poor, an Agent to prosecute violations of the liquor law, three members of the Board of the Public Library, each for the term of three years, one Trustee of Trust Funds, a Constable and two Road Agents.

ARTICLE 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the laying out, construction and repairing of highways and bridges, for officers' salaries, for town officers' expenses, for town building maintenance, for election and registration expenses, for Memorial Day, for Municipal Court expenses, for the Police Department, for the health department, for vital statistics, for the Community House, for advertising purposes, for miscellaneous expenses, for street lighting, for the Littleton Hospital, for the public library, for town poor, for band concerts, for cemeteries, for damages and legal expenses, for payment of the town debt and interest, for the Community Nurse, for the skating rink, and for all other town charges.



ARTICLE 3. To see what action the Town will take for the purpose of securing State Aid for construction of highways in this Town under the provisions of an act to provide State Aid and for the expenditure of other public monies in the construction of highways throughout the State in accordance with Chapter 17 of the Laws of New Hampshire for 1935, or any amendments thereto, or an allotment for expenditure of funds upon its Town highways.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collector's deeds.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen of the Town to apply for, accept and use, monies provided by the Federal Government, or State of New Hampshire, for public works, relief unemployment, or otherwise, and do all things required by the Federal Government, or State of New Hampshire, to obtain the same.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will authorize its Board of Selectmen to borrow monies, from time to time, for current indebtedness of the Town, for the ensuing year, in anticipation of taxes to be collected for the year 1940, and to be paid therefrom; all loans to be submitted to bids and secured from the lowest bidder.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct its Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee to investigate, and report at the Town Meeting in March 1941, on the method and cost of the following projects:

1. To take care of the sewage in the Ammonoosuc River, particularly below the Cottage Street bridge, provide additional fire protection from the River, and any other matter related thereto.

2. To protect the farms on the Ammonoosuc River, below the village, from floods or other water damage.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize its Board of Selectmen, to borrow money in the name of and upon the credit of the Town, to be used by the Littleton Water & Light Commissioners, in the enlargement and extension of the electric light plant and facilities of said Town, and to provide for the payment of the same.

ARTICLE 9½. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 10. To choose any other necessary Town officers for the year ensuing and to choose or elect any agents or committees which may be necessary to carry into effect any vote that may be passed under this warrant.

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

Given under our hands and seal the 24th day of February, 1940.

J. F. Hildebrand

W. H. Shea

H. F. Whitcomb

*Selectmen of Littleton, N. H.*



## Schedule of Town Property

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### DESCRIPTION

1. Town hall, land and buildings	\$ 20,400.00
Furniture and equipment	500.00
2. Libraries, land and buildings	20,000.00
Furniture and equipment	2,000.00
3. Fire department equipment	9,500.00
4. Highway department equipment	1,000.00
5. Parks, commons and playgrounds	7,200.00
6. Water and Light plants	500,000.00
8. Blandin tract water shed	56,000.00
9. Stahl tract water shed	9,000.00
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	\$560,600.00

## Inventory of Town of Littleton April 1, 1939

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Land and buildings	\$3,301,040.00
Stock in trade	440,800.74
Mills and machinery	214,669.00
Electric plants	760,850.00
Pumps and tanks	21,630.00
185 horses	16,185.00
798 cows	36,545.00
18 sheep	91.00
26 neat stock	955.00
2,744 fowl	1,886.50
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	\$4,794,652.24

### Tax Rate on \$100 for 1938

State, county, school and highway	\$3.37
Littleton Village District	.51
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	\$3.88

### Tax Rate on \$100 for 1939

State, county, school and highway	\$3.07
Littleton Village District	.57
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	\$3.64

### 1939

Inside valuation	\$3,351,329.74
Outside valuation	1,443,322.50
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Total valuation	\$4,794,652.24

### Money Raised 1939

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Town officers' salaries	\$ 4,500.00
Town officers' expenses	500.00
Election and registration	250.00
Municipal Court	600.00
Town Hall	3,500.00
Police Department	4,000.00
Health Department and Hospital	3,400.00
Vital statistics	450.00
Advertising	500.00
Town maintenance	25,000.00
Street lighting	8,000.00
State aid construction	2,759.25

Library	3,500.00
Town poor and old age assistance	12,000.00
District nurse	900.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Band concerts	600.00
Skating rink	500.00
Community Center	2,500.00
White pine blister	400.00
Cemeteries	200.00
Interest on temporary loans and on long term notes	7,500.00
Payments on debt	19,862.15
Oiling town roads	2,500.00
Tillotson land	1,500.00
Wood cutting and purchasing same	1,500.00
W. P. A. Projects	1,200.00
Foot-Bridge	3,300.00
Class V. Roads	912.33
County tax	22,006.94
Union School District	65,000.00
Village District	19,092.50
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	\$215,823.92

## Budget of the Town of Littleton

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*Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1940 to  
January 31, 1941 Compared with Actual Revenue of the Previous  
Year February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940.*

SOURCES OF REVENUE	<i>Actual Revenue 1939</i>	<i>Estimated Revenue 1940</i>
From State:		
Interest and Dividends tax	\$ 3,134.70	\$ 3,000.00
Insurance tax	4.50	4.50
Railroad tax	420.23	400.00
Savings bank tax	2,447.07	2,400.00
Building and Loan Association tax	55.92	50.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Rent of town hall and other buildings	309.00	300.00
Income from municipally owned utilities:		
Water Department and Electric Light Dept.	40,000.00	40,000.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	6,572.65	6,000.00
From Local Taxes:		
Property and poll taxes	173,056.25	
National bank stock taxes	605.50	600.00
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:		
Anticipation of taxes	60,000.00	60,000.00
Cash on Hand	20,675.74	

## Budget of the Town of Littleton

*Estimates of Expenditures for the Ensuing Year February 1, 1940 to  
January 31, 1941 Compared with Actual Expenditures of the  
Previous Year February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940.*

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES	<i>Actual Expendi- tures 1939</i>	<i>Estimated Expendi- tures 1940</i>
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$ 4,540.00	\$ 4,500.00
Town officers' expenses	623.00	500.00
Election and registration expenses	235.01	650.00
Municipal Court expenses	600.00	600.00
Expenses town hall and other town bldgs.	3,374.55	4,800.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department	3,981.03	4,000.00
Moth extermination—blister rust	400.00	400.00
Health:		
Health department, including hospitals	3,178.39	3,400.00
Vital statistics	453.00	450.00
Highways and Bridges:		
General expenses		1,000.00
Town maintenance	24,397.75	25,000.00
Street lighting	8,988.80	8,000.00
Oiling town roads	2,500.00	3,000.00
Class V. roads	912.33	914.12
Libraries:		
Library	3,500.00	3,500.00
Public Welfare:		
Advertising program	500.00	500.00
Town poor and old age assistance	18,467.32	11,000.00
Community nurse	900.00	900.00
Community house	2,500.00	2,800.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and other celebrations	100.00	100.00
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	1,100.00	1,100.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	90.60	200.00
Interest:		
On temporary loans	173.80	200.00
On bonded debt	3,390.00	3,090.00
On long term notes	4,108.47	4,000.00
Indebtedness:		
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Bonds	7,500.00	6,500.00
Long term notes	15,362.05	13,850.76
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County taxes	22,006.94	22,006.94
Payments to precincts	32,092.50	32,000.00
Payments to school districts	64,272.52	66,500.00

	<b>Balance</b>
<b>ASSETS</b>	
Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 20,675.74
Cash in hands of clerk, 1940 auto permits	57.26
Taxes not collected:	
Levy of 1935	6.00
Levy of 1936	36.00
Levy of 1937	95.25
Levy of 1938	754.44
Levy of 1939	18,397.89
Taxes bid off by Town, still uncollected:	
Levy of 1932	46.75
Levy of 1933	64.66
Levy of 1934	161.59
Levy of 1935	421.14
Levy of 1936	798.62
Levy of 1937	2,099.67
Levy of 1938	3,160.49
Water and Light department:	
Proportion serial notes issued to cover	
Blandin tract purchase	10,445.34
P. W. A. sedimentation tank	13,000.00
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	\$ 70,220.84
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	122,522.94
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Grand Total	\$192,743.78
Net debt, January 31, 1939	\$148,085.89
Net debt, January 31, 1940	122,522.94
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Decrease of Debt	\$ 25,562.95



**Sheet****January 31, 1940****LIABILITIES**

Accounts owed by the town:	
Highway account, overdraft	\$ 43.11
Due to School District:	
Balance of appropriation	18,700.00
Dog licenses	561.75
Welfare Department:	
Outstanding un-paid accounts for January	934.25
Interest:	
One North Littleton road construction serial note	1,312.00
Serial notes outstanding:	
Water and Light Department	10,445.34
Schools, new bridge, town floating debt	13,550.66
North Littleton road construction	26,240.00
Littleton Savings Bank, serial notes	29,333.06
P. W. A. Projects: Bonds to Cover:	
Sewers	21,000.00
Grading and paving	45,000.00
Apthorp sidewalks	2,000.00
Sedimentation tank	13,000.00
Auditor's salary	175.00
Monroe road notes	6,448.61
Hospital notes	4,000.00
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Grand Total	\$192,743.78

## Receipts and

### RECEIPTS

Current revenue: Property and poll taxes	
paid by collector	\$173,056.25
From State:	
Building and Loan Association tax	55.92
Insurance tax	4.50
Railroad tax	420.23
Savings bank tax	2,447.07
Tax on interest and dividends	3,134.70
White pine blister, unexpended balance	11.10
Bounties	44.40
Rent of land and store-house	2.00
Highway Department, refund	261.60
From Local Sources Except Taxes:	
Dog licenses	806.65
Rent town building	309.00
Permits for registration motor vehicles 1939-1940	6,572.65
Federal Government, timber salvage	2,015.40
Water and Light Department, labor at plant	167.98
Sedimentation tank bonds	2,000.00
Bond and interest refund	988.90
Interest	232.61
Surplus earnings	40,000.00
National bank stock taxes	605.50
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	
Indian Head National Bank	60,000.00
Miscellaneous:	
Morley Button Co., refund	1.25
Grafton County, welfare refunds	8,180.11
Town of Orford, welfare refunds	44.05
Welfare refunds	87.00
J. R. Morron, culverts	12.96
W. I. L. Adams, road oil	28.17

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## Payments For Year Ending January 31, 1941

### PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$ 4,540.00
2. Town officers' expenses	623.00
3. Election and registration	235.01
4. Municipal court	600.00
5. Expenses town building	3,374.55

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department and traffic	3,981.03
7. Forest fires	91.96
8. White pine blister	400.00
9. Bounties	69.20
10. Damage by dogs, tags, expense of administration	244.90

Health:

11. Health department	178.39
12. Vital statistics	453.00

Highways and Bridges:

13. Mann's Hill road	720.17
14. Town road aid	380.20
15. Road to town dump	240.40
16. Town maintenance	22,448.98
17. Street lighting	8,988.90
18. Foot-bridge	3,049.00
19. Emergency road aid	608.00

Libraries:

20. Library appropriation	3,500.00
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Charities:

21. Town and County poor	18,467.32
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Patriotic Purposes:

22. Memorial Day	100.00
23. Community House	2,500.00
24. Skating rink	500.00
25. Tillotson land	1,500.00

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**Receipts and**

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Glenwood Cemetery Corp., tanks	7.00
Junk	4.00
Cash on hand, January 31, 1939	17,461.12

Grand Total

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\$318,962.12

## Payments (Continued)

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Unclassified:

26. White Mt. Region advertising	500.00
27. Damages and legal expenses	250.00
28. Cemeteries	90.60
29. Littleton Hospital	3,000.00
30. Taxes bid off	3,660.21
31. Band concerts	600.00
32. Community nurse	900.00
33. Miscellaneous	2,585.28

Interest:

34. Hospital notes	180.00
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	173.80
Blandin tract purchase, new bridge and floating debt	924.24
North Littleton road notes	1,476.00
P. W. A. projects, coupons	3,390.00
\$40,000.00 serial note issue	1,119.96
Monroe Road note issue	408.27

Indebtedness:

35. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	60,000.00
Littleton Savings Bank, serial note (16th)	3,415.39
Littleton Savings Bank, \$40,000.00 serial note	2,666.66
P. W. A. projects, bonds	7,500.00
Littleton Savings Bank, North Littleton road note	3,280.00
Littleton Savings Bank, Monroe road notes	4,000.00
Littleton Savings Bank, Littleton Hospital note	2,000.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

36. Taxes paid to County	22,006.94
37. Payments to Village District	32,092.50
38. Payments to Union School District	64,272.52

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\$298,286.38

Cash on hand January 31, 1940

20,675.74

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Grand Total

\$318,962.12

## Combined Statement of Liabilities and Fixed Charges of Town, Village, School and Water and Light Department for the Year 1940.

<i>Town</i>	<i>Balance Due</i>	<i>Payments</i>	<i>Interest</i>
Main St. Project Bonds 4%	\$ 45,000.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,800.00
Sewers Project Bonds 4%	21,000.00	2,000.00	840.00
Sidewalks Project Bonds 4%	2,000.00	500.00	80.00
Bridge Bonds 4½%	13,550.66	3,415.39	609.78
No. Littleton Road Notes 5%	26,240.00	3,280.00	1,312.00
Savings Bank Notes 3½%	29,333.06	2,666.76	1,026.66
Monroe Road Notes 3½%	6,488.61	2,488.61	227.10
Hospital Notes 3%	4,000.00	2,000.00	120.00
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Totals Feb. 1, 1940, Town	\$147,612.33	\$20,350.76	\$6,015.54
School Bonds 4½%	\$ 48,000.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$2,040.00
Village District			
Grandstand Notes 4%	5,000.00	1,000.00	200.00
Apthorp Sewer 3½%	8,500.00	1,000.00	297.50
Water and Light Department			
Blandin Tract Bonds 4½%	10,445.34	2,584.61	460.04
Sedimentation Tank Bonds 4%	13,000.00	1,000.00	520.00
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Totals All Departments Feb. 1, 1940	\$232,557.67	\$33,935.37	\$9,533.08



Where the Average Town and City Dollar Came From During the Fiscal Year Ended  
January 31, 1939, in Comparison With the Town of Littleton Dollar.

	Entire State		Town of Littleton	
	Total Receipts	Proportion of Average Dollar	Total Receipts	Proportion of Average Dollar
CURRENT REVENUE				
From Local Taxes including Property and Poll Taxes, Taxes on National Bank Stock	\$20,358,496.73	\$0.801	\$190,369.78	.777
Interest and Dividends Tax	723,513.61	.028	4,846.00	.020
Insurance Tax	32,927.71	.001	4.50	.000
Railroad Tax	176,313.80	.007	563.14	.002
Savings Bank and Building and Loan Association Taxes	403,027.18	.016	2,647.25	.011
From Local Sources Except Taxes				
Dog Licenses	66,858.85	.003	731.12	.003
Business Licenses and Permits	53,270.58	.002	45.00	.000
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	36,043.71	.001	250.00	.001
Rent of Town Property	72,774.49	.003	272.00	.001
Interest on Deposits and Overdue Taxes, etc.	149,205.99	.006		
Income from Trust Funds	93,212.55	.004		
Income from Departments	349,787.18	.014	137.14	.000
Appropriations from Municipally owned Utilities				
Motor Vehicle Permits	670,344.28	.026	26,164.61	.107
Miscellaneous (inc. National Forest Reserve)	545,769.04	.022	6,358.41	.026
RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUE				
Bonds and Long Term Notes	1,269,700.20	.050	11,571.75	.047
Withdrawals from Sinking Funds to apply on Principal of Debt	7,989.63	.000		
Insurance Adjustments, Refunds and Gifts	146,891.51	.006	1,138.23	.005
Sale of Town Property Acquired by Tax Deed	123,418.43	.005		
Grants from U. S. Government	130,080.33	.005		
TOTALS	\$25,418,372.45	\$1.000	\$245,098.93	\$1.000

**How the Average Town and City Dollar Was Spent During the Fiscal Year Ended  
January 31, 1939, in Comparison With the Town of Littleton Dollar.**

	<i>Entire State</i>	<i>Town of Littleton</i>	
	<i>Total</i>	<i>Total</i>	
	<i>Expenditures</i>	<i>Expenditures</i>	
	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	
	<i>of Average</i>	<i>of Average</i>	
	<i>Dollar</i>	<i>Dollar</i>	
<i>General Government</i> , including Town Officers' Salaries and Expenses, Election and Registration Expenses, Municipal Court Expenses, Expenses of Town buildings	\$ 1,222,645.05	\$ 13,291.89	.055
<i>Protection of Persons and Property</i> including Police and Fire Departments, including Forest Fires, Moth Extermination and White Pine Blister Rust, Damage by Dogs	1,670,887.00	4,755.37	.019
<i>Health</i> , including Health Department, Hospitals, Vital Statistics, Sewer Maintenance	633,973.50	9,270.20	.038
<i>Highways</i>	4,301,342.87	35,352.97	.145
Construction	\$ 930,899.39	( 5,571.75 )	
Maintenance, including Street Lighting	3,370,443.48	(29,781.22)	
Libraries	245,273.72	3,500.00	.014
Public Welfare	1,557,807.00	10,867.93	.045
Patriotic Purposes	94,153.73	2,847.27	.012
<i>Recreation</i> including Parks and Playgrounds, Band Concerts	183,507.82	1,432.67	.006
<i>Public Service Enterprises</i> , including Water and Electric Utilities, Markets, Public Scales, and Cemeteries	698,241.82	136.40	.001
Taxes Bought by Town	744,065.88	4,049.75	.017
<i>Unclassified</i> , including Damages, Legal Expenses, Discounts and Abatements, and Miscellaneous	221,371.73	1,515.96	.006
Interest	480,451.06	7,982.35	.033
Indebtedness	1,348,166.03	21,446.66	.088
New Buildings, New Equipment, Land, Sewers, etc.	960,782.22	10,308.00	.042
State Taxes	1,199,082.93	19,240.57	.079
County Taxes	3,272,365.22	30,500.00	.125
Precinct Taxes	268,531.83	67,048.13	.275
School Taxes	6,418,817.98		
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$25,521,467.39</b>	<b>\$243,546.12</b>	<b>\$1.000</b>

## Detailed Statement of Payments

### GENERAL GOVERNMENT

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#### **Detail 1. Salaries of Principal Town Officers:**

Selectman, J. F. Hildebrand	\$ 500.00
Selectman, William H. Shea	450.00
Selectman, Henry F. Whitcomb	450.00
Auditor, Fred Kelley	175.00
Treasurer, Ralph E. Colby	100.00
Overseer of the Poor, W. A. Astle	1,365.00
Tax Collector, Clinton H. Kelley	900.00
Town Clerk, Walter N. Heald	600.00
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	\$4,540.00

#### **Detail 2. Expenses:**

Chester S. Gray, bonds	\$100.00
Hadlock Agency, bonds	25.00
C. H. Kelley, bonds	10.00
Hunkins & Eaton, bonds	10.00
C. H. Kelley, fees and expense	228.00
W. A. Astle, use of car	150.00
W. H. Shea, use of car	50.00
H. F. Whitcomb, use of car	50.00
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	\$623.00

#### **Detail 3. Election and Registration:**

Charles E. Carpenter, ballot clerk	\$ 10.00
Fred E. Green, ballot clerk (1938-1939)	30.00
Nelson Lunderville, inspector	10.00
Lawrence M. Colby, ballot clerk	10.00
George H. Stevens, gate-keeper	10.00

Joseph J. Lehan, inspector	10.00
Fred Kelley, supervisor	45.00
Stephen L. Eaton, supervisor	45.00
William J. Brousseau, supervisor	45.00
Oscar Roy, preparing polling-place	20.01

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\$235.01

**Detail 4. Municipal Court:**

Willard Wight, Justice	\$600.00
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**Detail 5. Care and Supplies for Town Bldg.:**

Hunkins & Eaton Agency, insurance	\$ 144.40
Crowley & Lunt, directory	10.00
E. E. Blakley, labor and supplies	46.82
N. E. T. & T. Co., service	23.20
Carl Larson, supplies	77.06
Houle's Electric Service, labor and supplies	62.34
Barretts Insurance Agency, insurance	195.50
Chester S. Gray, insurance	232.90
Wheeler & Clark, supplies	14.25
Littleton Coal Co., fuel	388.16
Hadlock Agency, insurance	131.50
J. D. Harris & Co., supplies	21.88
H. F. Car, supplies	143.32
Silsby's Book Store, supplies	13.85
Gifford Supply Co., supplies	14.52
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc., supplies	74.35
Northern Coal Co., fuel	539.52
Miles Bros., painting	15.00
Shell Oil Co., supplies	14.45
M. P. Gallagher, use of piano	30.00
I. F. Pennock & Son, Inc., labor and material	103.26
Shirley E. Young, labor	6.80
L. E. Muran Co., supplies	17.50
Lewiston & Auburn Awning Co., awning	9.80

Ray's Home Service, supplies	21.32
Northern Office Supply, use of machine	11.15
Colonial-Beacon Oil Co., supplies	3.80
J. Beach, supplies	3.00
Geo. B. Robbins Co., supplies	11.25
C. A. Peabody, painting	423.99
A. N. Farr & Co., labor	1.40
C. P. Leckner, clock repairs	8.00
Masury-Young Co., supplies	24.35
Leslie Bean, labor	3.00
Ellis Hudson, labor	39.50
Water & Light Dept., service	493.41
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	\$3,374.55

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

### **Detail 6. Police Department and Traffic:**

Van H. Gardner, Chief, including car	\$1,650.00
Edward R. Knapp, night police	1,325.00
Ellis L. Hudson, police	191.87
Carl Leonard, police and traffic	147.50
George H. Page, police	34.50
Laurence Myott, parking	92.00
N. E. T. & T. Co., service	95.51
Shirley Young, police	5.50
Henry W. Chapman, police	37.50
Crowley & Lunt, directory	10.00
Ellsworth Knapp, police	7.00
Shea's Laundry, service	10.95
Courier Printing Co., printing	26.00
Bellows & Baldwin Co., supplies	25.00
Ted's Toggery, supplies	82.25
S. H. Reese, supplies	17.25
Frank M. Revoir, police and parking	28.00
Federal Laboratories, supplies	30.00



Charles E. Mozrall, parking	15.00
F. J. Sirchie Co., supplies	14.26
Douglass & Hatch, supplies	40.00
Downing's Garage, Inc., supplies	3.80
J. M. Mathes, supplies	8.50
Jenks Studio, services	9.50
Brown Taxi, service	1.00
Extra police for Hallowe'en and special events	49.00
Spencer Drug, supplies	24.14

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\$3,981.03

**Detail 7. Forest Fires:**

Albert J. Orr, Warden	\$50.00
Pay-rolls	41.96

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\$91.96

**Detail 8. White Pine Blister:**

Appropriation	\$400.00
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**Detail 9. Bounties:**

Hedgehogs	\$69.20
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**Detail 10. Damage by Dogs:**

Wheeler & Clark, tags	\$ 11.50
Ellis Hudson, dog killer	160.00
Collection of license fees	73.40

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\$244.90

HEALTH

**Detail 11. Health Department:**

Milk tests	\$ 9.97
Fumigating	4.00
Courier Printing Co., adv.	.90



John M. Page, health officer	163.52
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\$178.39

**Detail 12. Vital Statistics:**

Physicians, births and deaths	\$55.25
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Clergymen, marriages	5.75
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W. N. Heald, recording, reporting and preparing for town report	392.00
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\$453.00

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

**Detail 13. Manns Hill Road:**

Solvay Sales Co., supplies	\$264.00
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State Treasurer, labor and trucks	456.17
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\$720.17

**Detail 14. Town Road Aid:**

State Treasurer, labor and trucks	\$380.20
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**Detail 15. Road to Town Dump:**

Labor and trucks	\$240.40
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**Detail 16. Town Maintenance:**

Laurence Myott, care of dump	\$ 364.00
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Fred Mossey, labor on foot-bridge	6.40
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Hunkins & Eaton, insurance	1,059.13
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J. B. Ingham, signs	71.75
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W. I. Richardson, surveying	94.00
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N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts	370.96
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E. A. Richardson, team	26.25
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Ellingwood Trucking Co., transportation	2.50
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Ray Road Equipment Co., supplies	372.01
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Barrett Co., tarvia	4,393.25
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Casselini-Venable Corp., supplies	55.60
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J. E. Burnham, signs	20.25
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G. H. Eaton, supplies	8.26
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc., supplies	19.76
Vermont Explosives Co., supplies	22.50
Depot Store, Inc., supplies	24.17
A. N. Farr & Co., labor and material	11.42
Vulcan Steel Co., supplies	38.81
State Highway Garage, repairs	125.51
O. D. Ellingwood, lumber	74.98
Water & Light Dept., labor	93.44
Downing's Garage, Inc., supplies	12.23
Houle's Electric Service, labor and supplies	31.92
Christmas street lights	5.00
George Roben, culverts	88.88
State Highway Dept., supplies	28.00
Trucks and labor	998.43

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\$8,419.51

#### ROAD AGENTS' ACCOUNT

FRANK B. KINNE, Road Agent:

Littleton Hardware Co., Inc., supplies	\$ 70.15
Depot Store, Inc., supplies	13.20
Connecticut River Power Co., gravel	45.00
Downing's Garage, Inc., supplies	1.25
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., supplies	10.75
B. & M. R. R., freight	7.84
West End Garage, repairs	4.50
M. F. Wells, sharpening	33.50
Cassellini-Venable Corp., supplies	100.90
C. F. Harris & Co.	4.14
Vulcan Steel Co., culvert	41.66

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\$ 332.89

Labor and trucks

6,319.26

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\$6,652.15

## EDGAR O. BAKER, Road Agent:

White Mt. Garage, repairs and supplies	\$ 22.29
Downing's Garage, Inc., supplies	6.30
Northern Garage, supplies	1.00
M. F. Wells, sharpening	4.85
Vulcan Steel Co., culvert	101.10
Depot Store, Inc., supplies	27.05
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc., supplies	16.17
Thomason Mfg. Co., repairs	9.00
Northern Coal Co., supplies	10.10
C. F. Harris & Co., labor	25.35
Connecticut River Power Co., gravel	72.30
State Highway Garage, parts	16.13
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., supplies	23.50
George Towne, gravel	35.00
Casselini-Venable Corp., supplies	16.75
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	\$ 386.89
Labor and trucks	6,990.43
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	\$ 7,377.32
Road Agents' payrolls	14,029.47
Overdraft as of January 31, 1939	13.64
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	\$14,043.11
Town Orders	14,000.00
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Current Over-draft	\$ 43.11
<b>Detail 17. Street Lighting:</b>	
Water and Light Department, street lights	\$ 8,988.90
<b>Detail 18. Foot-bridge:</b>	
Kenneth Curran, labor and material	\$ 3,049.00
<b>Detail 19. Emergency Road Aid:</b>	
Labor and trucks	\$ 608.00

**Detail 20. Libraries:**

Library appropriation	\$ 3,500.00
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**Detail 21. Town and County Poor:**

## CHARITIES

Orders to overseer	\$17,200.00
Sewing project	321.30
Wood	863.82
Clark's Garage, transportation	18.00
Van H. Gardner, patients to Concord	22.40
C. W. Copenhaver, M. D., services	5.00
Lunches to transients	36.80
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	\$18,467.32

**TOWN RELIEF 1939**

Bean, Leslie	\$ 7.00
Bergin, Carl	110.50
Burgess, Albert	48.00
Cady, Maurice	30.60
Carbonneau, Frank	261.35
Chamberlain, Sherman	30.00
Champagne, William	6.00
Cone, Warren	109.00
Connolly, Isaac	17.50
Corr, Robert	12.00
Cote, Leo	89.86
Cota, Nelson	168.73
Counter, Lizzem	227.12
Dickson, Harry	44.00
Enderson, William	19.85
Garneau, Herbert	78.00
Goodwin, Edith	85.50
Gray, Joseph	42.75
Gullen, Sue	95.74

Haley, Howard	68.93
Hartshorn, Lilla	203.09
Higgins, James	312.96
Hopkins, John	36.50
Jacobs, Henry	394.13
Jacobs, Raymond	240.00
Kentfield, Eva	413.47
Ledoux, Alfred	15.50
Ledoux, Arthur	102.00
Lewis, Frank	12.93
Lyndes, Alma	10.00
McCarthy, Daniel	144.00
McKeown, Henry	174.00
Moffett, William	212.00
Moore, Alfred	58.00
Moore, Malina	196.21
Moore, William	693.00
Rancour, Thomas	181.00
Revoir, Frank	14.63
Richardson, Fred	190.06
Sulham, William	100.00
Thayer, Winfield	98.14
Thomas, Lyle	24.00
Thompson, Earl	43.45
Towne, Earl	74.00
Turgeon, John	87.98
Vance, Herbert	272.50
Ward, John	79.50
Wells, Ernest	42.60
Wentworth, John	4.00
Young, George	391.25
Young, Shirley	42.50

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\$6,415.83

Soldiers' Aid	\$717.41	
Cash Payments	113.14	
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		\$ 830.55
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		\$7,246.38
Town contribution to Old Age Assistance		2,242.88
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		\$9,489.26

### COUNTY RELIEF 1939

Aldrich, Herbert	155.50
Austin, George	29.00
Berlanger, Charles	10.00
Boutwell, Clyde	70.00
Bryant, Chauncey	87.50
Buckman, Charles	12.09
Buswell, Harry	16.12
Byrnes, Karl	18.00
Charland, Frank	74.50
Chase, Kenneth	40.33
Chase, Mary	272.62
Corey, Lindsey	24.00
Corliss, John	3.00
Costello, Michael	21.93
Courser, Henry	7.19
Day, John	280.60
Ewen, Murray	210.50
Fadden, Charles	95.04
Fisher, Fred	129.50
Forrester, Ernest	4.50
Foster, Wallace	88.60
Goodsell, Fred	27.00
Gordon, Perley	187.55
Gray, Fred	292.56



Guilmette, Napoleon	38.00
Hartwell, James	452.78
Keach, Donald	80.32
Lambert, Arthur	39.50
Lucia, George	18.00
MacDonald, Albert	103.42
MacIver, Murdo	355.58
Manning, Charles	11.00
Marsh, Ralph	598.49
Mason, Edward Jr.	370.43
Merchant, Ralph	15.92
Miles, Harold	186.04
Mossey, Moses	286.50
Newton, Herbert	163.90
Parker, Eugene	55.50
Pascal, Corlis	181.64
Patridge, Viola	300.00
Placey, Elizabeth	3.00
Quimby, Robert	24.50
Shawney, Arthur	544.96
Sidney, Hazel	118.00
Sivigny, Napoleon	9.78
Smith, Charles	77.00
Stiles, Alberta	159.36
Viggue, Frank	277.66
Ward, John	412.20
Welch, George	148.00
Wentworth, John	129.84
Wright, William L.	242.00
Young, Rufus	52.26

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\$7,613.21

Soldiers' Aid	\$2,166.78	
Cash Payments	35.77	
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		\$9,815.76

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

**Detail 22. Memorial Day:**

American Legion, appropriation	\$100.00
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**Detail 23. Community House:**

Appropriation	\$2,500.00
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**Detail 24. Skating Rink:**

Appropriation	\$500.00
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**Detail 25.**

Tillotson land	\$1,500.00
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**Detail 26. White Mt. Region Advertising:**

Appropriation	\$500.00
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**Detail 27. Damages and Legal Expenses:**

H. L. Heald, services (1938-1939)	\$250.00
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**Detail 28. Cemeteries:**

Pattenville	\$25.00
North Littleton	20.00
Meadow	30.00
West Littleton	5.60
Wilkin	5.00
Manns Hill	5.00

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\$90.60

**Detail 29. Littleton Hospital:**

Appropriation	\$3,000.00
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**Detail 30. Taxes Bid Off by Town:**

Lucy A. Anderson	\$ 14.61
Fred E. Abbott	69.84
Mrs. Eugene Allard	49.00
William J. Adair	119.07
Harley Aldrich	78.48
Olin E. Berry	36.60
Napoleon Boisvert	49.51
Carrie S. Bellows	118.40
Elmer Black	31.16
Esther Blakley	54.32
Mrs. Nelson Blodgett	25.59
G. W. Cleasby Estate	155.20
Harry W. Cheney	48.56
H. W. Chapman	34.60
William Champagne	35.04
Ernest Cady	8.64
Homer A. Clark	46.68
Homer A. Clark	26.96
Stewart C. Carr	19.40
Peter Cardinal Estate	27.28
Kate Cardinal Estate	3.37
Kate Cardinal Estate	31.04
Oswald Carbonneau, Jr.	7.76
John Delaney	38.92
Maurice Dickerman	13.17
Maurice Eager	68.37
George E. Gates	45.80
Arthur Girard	52.13
Joseph L. Gray	52.60
Melvin Howland	6.79
Jerry and Flora Harding	37.70

Blanche C. Kenney	57.28
Merton Lakeway	66.08
Helen V. Marsh	77.60
James E. McKenna	88.25
James E. McKenna	20.22
James E. McKenna	6.74
James E. McKenna	58.20
Dr. P. A. Pion	252.20
Meddie Perry	71.52
Wilfred Perry	120.10
Frank I. Parker	16.85
Frank I. Parker	15.17
Adolphus Ross	66.08
Mrs. George Rolfe	114.52
Abbott Ruggles	81.60
Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Sherman	69.40
Mrs. R. S. Sherman	110.64
Mrs. R. S. Sherman	58.20
Earl C. Thompson	16.85
Earl C. Thompson	55.93
Charles Toney	213.52
Charles Toney	77.60
Orange Wells	23.55
Merton Wentworth	78.82
Harry A. Wentworth	52.55
John H. Wentworth	14.81
Louis Ziter	89.36
Charles M. Allen	89.24
Charles M. Allen	46.56
Eva M. Bartlett	20.22
Samuel Bacon	13.48
Chester Stillings	97.00
Helen Smalley Estate	13.48

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\$3,660.21

**Detail 31. Band Concerts:**

Appropriation	\$600.00
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**Detail 32. Community Nurse:**

Appropriation	\$900.00
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**Detail 33. Miscellaneous:**

U. S. Post Office, postage and envelopes	\$ 76.92
F. J. Shores, Register, transfers	45.15
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	12.90
C. E. Dixon, Register, records	1.40
Carl Larson, record books and supplies	90.48
Courier Printing Co., printing and supplies	893.35
New Hampshire Assessors, dues	2.00
State Treasurer, auto registration book	10.00
Royal Typewriter Co., supplies	68.30
A. W. Kellogg, supplies	6.00
W. P. Garrison, auto rate book	3.88
Wilbur Craigie, stumpage	34.65
Littleton Village District, services Ballou fire	81.74
E. J. McKenzie, saw-mill building	200.00
Silsby's Book Store, supplies	16.63
Ida E. Shea, making taxes	150.00
Freight and express charges	36.74
E. C. Eastman, supplies	8.14
W. N. Heald, services to Selectmen	400.00
Collection of auto permit fees	447.00
	\$2,585.28

## INTEREST

**Detail 34.**

Hospital notes	\$ 180.00
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	
(Indian Head National Bank)	173.80
Littleton Savings Bank	
Blandin tract purchase, new bridge, floating debt	924.24

North Littleton Road notes	1,476.00
P. W. A. Projects, coupons	3,390.00
\$40,000.00 serial note issue	1,119.96
Monroe Road note issue	408.27

## INDEBTEDNESS

**Detail 35.**

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$60,000.00
Littleton Savings Bank, serial note (16th)	3,415.39
Littleton Savings Bank, \$40,000.00 serial note	2,666.66
P. W. A. Projects, bonds	7,500.00
Littleton Savings Bank, North Littleton Road note	3,280.00
Littleton Savings Bank, Monroe Road notes	4,000.00
Littleton Savings Bank, Hospital note	2,000.00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL  
DIVISIONS**Detail 36.**

Taxes paid to County	\$22,006.94
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**Detail 37.**

Payments to Village District	\$32,092.50
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**Detail 38.**

Payments to Union School District	\$64,272.52
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	\$298,286.38
Cash on hand January 31, 1940	20,675.74
Grand Total	\$318,962.12



## Tax Collector's Report for 1939 as of February 1, 1940

1939 Property Tax Warrant	\$168,362.67
Property Warrant added by collector	39.14
1939 Poll Tax Warrant	2,710.00
Poll Warrant added by collector	200.00
Taxes collected for previous years:	
1938	18,619.21
1937	69.34
1936	29.53
1935	10.00
Collected for selectmen on taxes bid off by town	1,872.56
Interest	131.28
Cash in hands of collector Feb. 1, 1939	10.00
	\$192,053.73
1939 Property taxes paid to treasurer	\$150,334.33
1939 Poll taxes paid to treasurer	1,978.00
1938 Taxes paid to treasurer	18,621.21
1937 Taxes paid to treasurer	69.34
1936 Taxes paid to treasurer	29.53
1935 Taxes paid to treasurer	10.00
Taxes bid off by Town paid to treasurer	1,872.56
Interest	131.28
Paid treasurer balance in collector's hands	
February 1, 1939	10.00
Abatements	599.59
1939 Property tax uncollected	17,827.89
1939 Poll taxes uncollected	570.00
	\$192,053.73

Examined and found correct.

February 24, 1940

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*

## Taxes Uncollected Date of Audit 1936 Uncollected

### PROPERTY

Maurice Dickerman	\$ 4.00
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### POLLS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Church	\$ 4.00
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Mr. and Mrs. Everett Elliott	4.00
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Walter Rowe	2.00
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Alphonse Fortier	2.00
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Harry Wentworth	2.00
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\$14.00

## 1937 Uncollected

### PROPERTY

Maurice Dickerman	\$ 3.29
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Benjamin Heath	2.00
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W. E. Parker	17.39
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Everett Stevens	2.00
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\$24.68

### POLLS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beecher	\$ 4.00
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Mae Bedell	2.00
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Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Fortier	4.00
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Samuel Nourse	2.00
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Walter Rowe	2.00
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\$14.00

## 1938 Uncollected

### PROPERTY

Harry Church	\$ 4.00
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Cullen Hardware Corp.	582.00
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Frank Elliott	2.00
William Fontaine	9.76
Mrs. C. Messenger	10.33
Nuway Cleaners	38.60
W. E. Parker	9.08
Wilbert Tipton	20.22
Georgia Willey	.81
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	\$676.80

## POLLS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beecher	\$ 4.00
Mae Bedell	2.00
Ervin Corey	1.00
Edward Corliss	2.00
Ernest Corliss	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coty	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Elliott	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Fortier	4.00
Mrs. Elmer Gilman	2.00
Benjamin Heath	2.00
R. F. Jackman	2.00
Mrs. E. W. Keniston	2.00
Mrs. George King	2.00
Everett Stevens	2.00
Lionel Sylvestre	2.00
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	\$37.00

**1939 Uncollected**

## PROPERTY

Harvey E. Allen	\$ 34.80
Mrs. Eugene Allard	93.00
William J. Adair	127.72
Olin E. Berry	62.24
Mrs. James Bolduc	33.12

Donald F. Bass	300.48
Arthur E. Bilodeau	93.00
E. H. Bilodeau & Son	368.25
Carrie L. Bellows	111.20
Elmer Black	29.48
Alton Burgess	8.68
Esther Blakley	54.96
Mrs. Nelson Blodgett	23.49
James Ballou	50.05
H. T. Bushnell	53.50
Isaac Connelly	18.20
G. W. Cleasby Est.	145.60
L. B. Cushing	41.36
Homer A. Clark	68.60
Anna Champagne	42.04
Harry W. Cheney	45.68
Mellie Cardinal	36.40
H. W. Chapman	74.80
Evelina Cullen	169.44
William Champagne	33.12
Stewart Carr	8.80
Ernest Cady	14.92
Harry D. Church	38.58
Peter Cardinal Est.	23.49
Kate Cardinal Est.	32.19
Oswald Carbonneau, Jr.	11.37
Abe Choquette	26.56
Fred A. Carpenter	50.00
Onia Chaffee	65.40
W. E. and Elva Carpenter	42.38
W. E. Carpenter	27.02
George Carbee	20.42
Garrett and Florence Couchois	69.08
Mrs. J. J. Davis	68.28
John Delaney	36.76

Maurice Dickerman	13.82
Mrs. William Everett	46.00
Frank Elliott	2.00
Richard Eastman	46.98
Maurice Eager	61.56
Martha Forbes	38.28
Joseph C. Fadden	19.19
William Fontaine	7.99
George E. Gates	131.40
Arthur Girard	45.68
Walter Glode	28.24
Floyd Grammo	19.35
Ernest Gilman	13.21
O. L. and Blanche Gadbois	28.56
Annie Heath	34.76
Nellie Hall	3.40
Mrs. Henri Houle	76.44
Emery Houle	15.74
Melvin Howland	6.37
Howard Haley	27.66
Ray J. Howe	40.40
Patrick Hogan	23.65
Ross Haggart	18.42
Hazel Howland	19.35
Mrs. Conrad Lashar	63.70
George Kinne	6.61
Lexie Lee	111.20
Lee's Restaurant Inc.	982.80
Omar Lucas	29.48
Merton Lakeway	62.24
David Laflamme	22.10
Raymond and Ruby Lucas	15.20
Arsene Larrivee	19.35
Isaac Langley	67.54
Doris H. Lyster	93.13

Masonic Temple	623.00
Salome S. Marsh	38.40
John MacMillan	25.84
Mrs. Ira Marshall	13.70
James McKenna	159.91
Mrs. C. Messenger	27.63
Henry Martin	20.27
Ira Mann	46.05
Cecil Martin	61.40
Nuway Cleaners	36.40
Ezra B. Nelson	93.00
Jonas Nourse	56.19
George H. Page	40.00
Dr. P. A. Pion	238.60
Meddie Perry	107.56
H. A. Pennock	56.60
Wilfred Perry	122.30
Amelia J. Persons	74.80
William Presley	62.24
Frank I. Parker Est.	29.17
Ezra Peavey	49.12
W. E. Parker	13.06
Fred L. Parker	25.49
Susie Provencal	21.96
Adolphus Ross	62.24
Mrs. George Rolfe	107.56
Abbott Ruggles	76.80
Frank Revoir	14.75
Jesse Stoddard	51.32
Mrs. R. S. Sherman	93.00
Joseph and Mary Spinelli	14.52
Sidney Spreadbury	93.18
Fred G. Smith	8.40
Thomas Shalsi	11.28
Mrs. Everett Stevens	14.75



Seldon Smith	51.01
Louis St. Peter	5.23
Arthur Tunney	10.92
Fritz Thibodeau	43.68
Earl Thompson	73.16
Charles Toney	273.36
Isaac Toney	54.96
James J. Viette	66.94
Perley J. Wright	109.20
W. L. Wright	36.40
George Walker	65.52
Orange Wells	22.11
Harry A. Wentworth	38.84
Merton Wentworth	71.85
Frank Weller Est.	122.80
John H. Wentworth	13.67
Georgia A. Willey	41.91
Arthur and Blanche Willey	36.84
Jessie Young	45.68
Mark A. Young	9.21
Louis Ziter	78.62
Charles M. Allen	127.40
Lucy Anderson	48.66
Eva Bartlett	18.42
Samuel Bacon	12.28
Bernard J. Bond Est.	15.35
Dana H. Eaton	72.80
Mrs. W. I. Greenleaf	132.86
John Lucas	58.24
Hazel K. Meade	182.00
E. W. Ness	34.91
Mrs. Clara Quimby	91.00
Chester Stillings	91.00
Ella Tubby	2.28

Ellen Tillotson Est.	3.07
Helen Smalley Est.	12.28
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Grand Total Property	\$9,661.21

## POLLS

Mrs. Herbert Beaton	\$ 2.00
Lloyd Beecher	2.00
Andrew Bolduc	2.00
Raymond Bolduc	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brown	4.00
Clyde Carbee	2.00
Wilfred Castonia	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Champagne	4.00
Jennie Coates	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Colburn	4.00
Ervin Corey	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. John Corliss	4.00
Florence Costello	2.00
Paul Coty	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coty	4.00
Charles Cushman	2.00
James Dipucchio	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Elliott	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Fortier	4.00
Herbert Gale	2.00
Mrs. Elmer Gilman	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Julius Goodall	4.00
Lydston Haynes	2.00
Benjamin Heath	2.00
William Hopkins	2.00
Richard Jackman	2.00
Mrs. E. W. Keniston	2.00
Annabelle Kent	2.00

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kimball	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. George King	4.00
Mrs. R. Landry	2.00
Mrs. Joseph Laveau	2.00
Mrs. Frank Lewis	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Marsh	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Adelor Pageau	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Pennock	4.00
Ernest Provencal	2.00
Albert Provencal	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quimby	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rainville	4.00
J. L. Richardson	2.00
Mrs. Leon Rolfe	2.00
Walter Rowe	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Davis Sanville	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Shaw	4.00
Delmar Simmons	2.00
Leon Smith	2.00
Gordon St. Lawrence	2.00
Lionel Sylvestre	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thomas	4.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Winget	4.00
Charles Winget	2.00
Mrs. Wallace Wilson	2.00

Total		\$144.00
Taxes of previous years including		
1938 uncollected 2/1/40	\$ 891.69	
Collected on above taxes from		
2/1/40 to date of audit		\$ 121.21
Uncollected date of audit		770.48
1939 taxes uncollected 2/1/40	18,397.89	

Collected on 1939 taxes from	
2/1/40 to date of audit	8,592.68
Uncollected date of audit	9,805.21
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	\$19,289.58 \$19,289.58

## TRUST FUNDS

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Cemetery lot fund, Harry Bingham	\$ 403.23
Cemetery lot fund, Freeman Willis	50.01
Cemetery lot fund, Harvey C. Kinne	110.94
Cemetery lot fund, John Miller	115.42
Cemetery lot fund, O. J. and Lydia J. Mooney	100.00
Cemetery lot fund, George W. Richardson	149.43
Cemetery lot fund, Eliza Wheeler	279.28
Cemetery lot fund, Lydia Cobb	121.34
Cemetery lot fund, Thomas Clark	50.01
Cemetery lot fund, Thomas Trudeau	100.00
Cemetery lot fund, Susie Tunney	75.38
Cemetery lot fund, James H. McGoldrick	215.00
Cemetery lot fund, Eva Chabot	100.00
Cemetery lot fund, Ned J. Renaud	100.00
Cemetery lot fund, Thomas Denney	100.37
Cemetery lot fund, Katherine E. Olive	100.73
Cemetery lot fund, Evariste Pinard	100.81
Cemetery lot fund, O. W. Hunkins	102.08
Cemetery lot fund, Alphis Bouffard	155.38
Cemetery lot fund, E. H. Bilodeau	200.00
Cemetery lot fund, Matthias Powers	101.65
Cemetery lot fund, Matilda McGuire	100.00
Cemetery lot fund, James C. MacLeod	402.64
Cemetery lot fund, Theodore P. Perry	204.59
Cemetery lot fund, Joseph McCombe	152.68
Cemetery lot fund, M. J. and Gustave Lehoux	152.19
Cemetery lot fund, Josephine Chandronait	100.21
Cemetery lot fund, Annie Gadbois and Fred J. Carbonneau	150.00
Remich Park Fund, D. C. Remich	6,075.00
The Dells and Craggs Fund, D. C. and L. K. Remich	6,075.00

Library Book Fund, B. W. and C. L. Kilburn	5,000.00
Domestic Science School Fund, I. C. Richardson	1,060.50
Littleton Public Library Fund, Eli B. Wallace	5,626.06

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Total	\$27,929.93
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O. W. Hunkins

H. A. Edson

R. E. Colby

*Trustees*

Examined and found correct.

February 23, 1940

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*


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## MUNICIPAL COURT

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Willard Wight, *Judge*Walter N. Heald, *Clerk*

### List of Cases

Speeding	3
False statement as to motor vehicle	1
Failure to stop after accident	1
Using auto without consent	1
Mis-use of plates	1
Impeding traffic	1
Permitting unlicensed person to operate	1
Forging and uttering	1
Securing money under false pretense	1
Failure to make contribution to Unemployment Compensation Division	1
Gambling	3
Conversion of money	1
Accessory to conversion of money	1
Unlawful destruction of property	1
Carrying concealed weapon	1
Unlawful cursing	1
Having carnal knowledge	1



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Fugitives from justice	2
Lewd and disorderly conduct	1
Bastardy	1
Refusal to pay admission to ball game	1
Drunk and disorderly	161
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Total number of cases	187

**Report of Clerk of Littleton Municipal Court from  
March 2, 1939 to February 1, 1940.**

Cash on hand March 2, 1939	\$\$ 77.30	
Received from fines and costs	2,191.56	
	<hr/>	\$2,268.86
Paid officers	\$1,208.51	
Special Justice	111.00	
Physician's services	19.12	
Fish & Game Dept.	81.20	
Motor Vehicle Dept.	748.60	
Courier Printing Co., forms	25.00	
Silsby's Book Store, supplies	1.90	
Cash on hand	73.53	
	<hr/>	\$2,268.86

Examined and found correct, February 24, 1940.

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*

**Annual Report of the Officers  
of the  
LITTLETON VILLAGE DISTRICT  
for the  
Year Ending January 31, 1940**

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**Officers**

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*Commissioners*

Rufus N. Gordon	Term expires 1940
Raymond H. Clark	Term expires 1941
Carroll G. Lewis	Term expires 1942

*District Clerk and Treasurer*

Walter N. Heald

<b>Littleton Village District</b>		<b>Balance</b>
ASSETS		
Cash in hands of Village Treasurer		\$ 718.17
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)		12,781.83
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		\$13,500.00
Net debt, January 31, 1940	\$12,781.83	
Decrease of debt	2,712.52	

**Sheet****January 31, 1940**

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**LIABILITIES**

Littleton Savings Bank, grand-stand notes	\$ 5,000.00
Littleton Savings Bank, Apthorp sewer notes	8,500.00
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	\$13,500.00

UNIFORM

**Littleton Village District** **Receipts and**

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RECEIPTS

Cash on hand at beginning of year	\$ 5.65
Village District appropriation	19,092.50
Village District portion highway money	13,000.00
Refunds	53.93
Labor	66.00
Use of pump	5.05
Tarvia, supplies and labor	498.74
Fire Dept. services:	
Whitefield	21.50
Franconia	56.00
Town of Littleton, Ballou fire	81.74
	\$32,881.11



CLASSIFICATION  
**Payments For Year Ending January 31, 1940**

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PAYMENTS

1. Officers' salaries and expenses	\$	600.00
3. Fire Department (including hydrants)		9,607.21
4. Highways		15,464.17
5. Sewers		193.33
6. Interest		572.50
7. Snow		1,688.56
8. Indebtedness		2,000.00
9. Miscellaneous		2,037.17
		\$32,162.94
Cash on hand January 31, 1940		718.17
		\$32,881.11

## Detailed Statement of Payments

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### Detail 1. Officers' Salaries and Expenses:

Rufus N. Gordon, commissioner	\$200.00
Raymond H. Clark, commissioner	150.00
Carroll G. Lewis, commissioner	100.00
Walter N. Heald, treasurer	150.00
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	\$600.00

### Detail 3. Fire Department:

J. Edgar Hadley, chief	\$1,512.00
Floyd Clark, assistant	875.00
Ellsworth A. Richardson, assistant	475.00
N. E. T. & T. Co., service	62.08
A. & P. Tea Co., supplies	7.13
Houle's Electric Shop, labor and supplies	34.94
Courier Printing Co., printing	8.00
American LaFrance Co., repairs and supplies	381.10
A. H. Blanchard Co., supplies	152.94
Colonial-Beacon Oil Co., supplies	24.86
Downing's Garage, Inc., supplies	14.25
Gamewell Co., supplies	31.58
Haskell & Associates, supplies	6.35
Eureka Hose Co., hose	332.50
Hunkins & Eaton Agency, insurance	375.00
F. E. Jesseman, labor	16.20
Norton-Pike Co., labor	3.55
Peter Pirsch, supplies	80.00
I. F. Pennock & Son, Inc., labor	1.50
Firemen's Convention	50.00
Hadlock Agency, insurance	57.00
Homelite Corp., supplies	6.14
Spencer Drug, supplies	.70

Strain Motor Co., supplies	1.50
West End Garage, labor	2.75
Goldberg's, supplies	10.00
Lewis Express, service	3.70
White Mt. Garage, labor	4.00
Water and Light Co., hydrants	2,060.00
Service	272.48
Auto Electric Co., supplies	10.62
W. S. Darley, supplies	2.07
A. N. Farr & Co., labor and material	2.05
Hagar Hardware Co., supplies	5.25
Carl Lane, supplies	2.00
L. D. Nihan, supplies	36.34
Johnson & Barker, supplies	1.65
Littleton Hardware Co., supplies	19.94
Littleton Steam Laundry, service	63.16
Northern Garage, labor	.50
S. O. C. O. N. Y., supplies	5.20
Geo. Robbins Co., supplies	34.00
Maxim Motor Co., supplies	229.81
Alex Welch, labor and supplies	23.95
J. E. Burnham, lettering	24.00
Burlington Electric, supplies	27.38
F. Batchelder Co., supplies	74.20
Depot Garage, supplies	8.00
Barretts Insurance Agency, insurance	20.00
Shell Oil Co., supplies	86.20
Allard's Service, labor	3.00
J. M. Mathes, supplies	3.00
C. H. Kelley, insurance	50.06
Regular, extra firemen and care of alarm	2,013.48
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	\$9,607.21
<b>Detail 4. Highways:</b>	
N. E. T. & T. Co., service	\$ 23.45

Littleton Diner, lunches	2.65
C. S. Gray, insurance	137.95
R. A. Dietz, supplies	8.00
Dyar Sales and Machinery Co., supplies	49.57
Downing's Garage, Inc., labor and supplies	1,372.85
Depot Store, Inc., supplies	40.15
Esco Service Station, supplies	1.10
Hadlock Agency, insurance	43.00
Hunkins & Eaton Agency, insurance	339.00
George Towne, gravel	71.20
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc., supplies	152.42
A. N. Farr & Co., material	1.56
Lewis Express, express	.55
Northern Garage Co., supplies	88.00
M. F. Wells, labor	56.65
White Mt. Garage, supplies	3.25
Casselini-Venable Corp., supplies	79.96
Depot Garage, Inc., supplies	3.10
Harvey's Garage, labor	3.70
Littleton Sand & Gravel Co., gravel	4.02
C. F. Harris & Co., labor	8.18
Northern Coal Co., supplies	153.66
I. F. Pennock & Son, Inc., labor	78.75
Shell Oil Co., supplies	406.28
American Chain Co., supplies	8.40
Barrett Co., tarvia	2,816.44
Strain Motor Co., truck	707.00
O. D. Ellingwood, lumber	51.00
Goldberg's, supplies	22.64
State Highway Garage, labor	4.50
L. R. Brush, insurance	40.35
Hagar Hardware Co., supplies	10.77
Hedge & Mattheis Co., supplies	10.00
Houle's Electric Co., labor	3.80

General Maintenance, labor and trucks	8,650.24
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\$15,464.17

**Detail 5. Sewers:**

Cullen Hardware Co., tile	\$ 92.44
B. & M. R. R. pipe privilege	5.00
Reed Supply Co., supplies	11.89
Concord Foundry, grates and rings	24.00
Preston MacMillan, digging sewer	60.00

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\$193.33

**Detail 6. Interest:**

Littleton Savings Bank, interest on Apthorp Sewer and Grand-stand notes	\$572.50
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**Detail 7. Snow:**

Casselini-Venable Corp., plow	\$ 400.00
B. & M. R. R., freight	11.45
State Highway Garage, repairs	64.45
State Highway Dept., blades	9.00
Labor and trucks	1,203.66

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\$1,688.56

**Detail 8. Indebtedness:**

Littleton Savings Bank, Apthorp Sewer note	\$1,000.00
Littleton Savings Bank, Grand-stand note	1,000.00

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\$2,000.00

**Detail 9. Miscellaneous:**

L. E. Cole, garbage collection	\$ 124.99
J. M. Ballou, garbage collection	575.00
Chester S. Gray, insurance	788.57
Courier Printing Co., printing	26.25
Detex Co., dials	6.96
G. B. Robbins Co., supplies	5.25
Littleton Park Commission, maintenance	250.00

Hunkins & Eaton Agency, bond	25.00
Montfort Haslam, M. D., services	2.80
U. S. Post Office, postage	11.49
Merritt Kelley, supplies	12.00
L. R. Brush, insurance	100.00
Water & Light Dept., service	43.44
W. I. Richardson, surveying	7.00
Freight, express and sundry items	58.42
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	\$2,037.17
Cash on hand January 31, 1940	718.17
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Grand Total	\$32,881.11

Respectfully submitted,

Rufus N. Gordon

Raymond H. Clark

Carroll G. Lewis

*Commissioners Littleton Village District*

Examined and found correct,

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*



## Fire Department

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*Chief*, J. Edgar Hadley

*Assistant Chief*, Ellsworth A. Richardson

*Captain*, George K. Farr

*Captain*, Howard C. Sargent

### PUMPER DRIVERS

Everett E. Miles      Floyd I. Clark      J. Lauren Tuck

### HOSE AND LADDER MEN

Charles E. Mozrall	Lee A. Clark
Wayland O. Tarbell	Ira A. Mann
Maurice E. Stearns	Joseph C. Duranty
Raymond A. Garceau	Harold A. Ross
Ludovic J. Drapeau	Odias Lefebvre
Arthur G. Meunier	Robert J. St. Lawrence
Everett E. Blakley	Alton L. Shuttleworth
Guy F. O'Neil	William C. Ballou
Frank H. Sharman	Edward J. Brooks
Volney M. Ruggles	William M. Goode

### BELL ALARMS

January 4	Box 45	Gordis Lewis
January 6	Box 54	George Houle (4 persons overcome by gas)
January 26	Box 36	Earl Barnett
January 27	Box 23	Littleton Diner
February 17	Box 36	Mrs. A. E. Cole
April 6	Box 37	Lawrence Chase
April 19	Box 21	Littleton Hardware Co.
April 28	Box 45	Mrs. A. Varney (grass)
August 17	Box 23	Frank Howe
October 30	Box 32	Clyde Berry

November 20	Box 312	Holly Shoe Shop
November 22	Box 22	Cooney Furniture Store
December 19	Box 45	State Garage
December 25	Box 37	Porter House, Washington Street
135 Stills		6 Out of Town

**Annual Report**  
**LITTLETON PARK COMMISSION**  
**For Year Ending January 31, 1940**

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*Commissioners*

Arthur S. Morris	Term expires 1940
Ralph W. Noyes	Term expires 1941
Herbert H. Downing	Term expires 1942

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RECEIPTS

Rent, Littleton Ice Co.	\$ 60.00
Daniel C. and Elizabeth K. Remich Park Fund	150.94
Daniel C. and Elizabeth K. Remich Dells fund	150.94
Littleton Village District, appropriation	250.00
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	\$611.88
Cash on hand January 31, 1939	20.10
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	631.98

DISBURSEMENTS

Labor on grounds	\$484.75
Electricity	8.75
Trees and flower beds	30.15
Miscellaneous supplies	107.86
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	\$631.51
Cash on hand January 31, 1940	.47
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	\$631.98

Examined and found correct.

March 1, 1940

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*

**Annual Report of  
SKATING RINK COMMITTEE  
March 7, 1939 to March 1, 1940**

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RECEIPTS

Balance from last year	\$ .74
Received from Gilman Hockey team	5.00
Town of Littleton appropriation	500.00
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	\$505.74

DISBURSEMENTS

Labor	245.50
Coal	63.63
Electric Lights and Water	67.08
Miscellaneous	34.94
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	\$411.15
Balance on hand, March 1, 1940	94.59
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\$505.74

Examined and found correct.

March 1, 1940

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*

**WATER AND LIGHT DEPARTMENT  
REPORT OF F. E. GREEN, TREASURER  
January 1, 1939 to December 31, 1939**

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In the pages directly following this statement you will find the report to the Commissioners and verified by Fred Kelley, Auditor. There are always a few items that should interest the tax payer aside from the financial statement as shown by the balance sheet.

**Electric Department**

Generated at Aphorp Hydro Plant	1,193,340 Kwh
Purchased from Connecticut River Power Co.	1,638,356 Kwh

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Total	2,831,696 Kwh
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Sold and used by the Department	2,470,193 Kwh
Core and copper loss	361,503 Kwh

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Total	2,831,696 Kwh
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Average cost of electricity purchased	.01466		per Kwh
*Average cost of electricity generated	.00728	plus	per Kwh
Average cost of electricity generated and purchased	.01146		per Kwh
Average cost of electricity when ready to deliver to consumer	.02071		per Kwh
Average price paid by consumer	.03994	plus	per Kwh
Average profit	.01923		per Kwh

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We are faced with the need for funds with which to install a grounded system and also to revamp the Lafayette Avenue Sub-station.

As shown by the financial statement we turned back during

the year to the Town in surplus earnings \$40,000.00.

There have been several electric line extensions and two water lines repaired and enlarged.

\*By operating the Aphorp Hydro Station we saved on demand the difference between 830 KW and 503 KW which amounted to \$4,905.00, so, in reality we produced 1,193,340 Kwh of electricity for \$3,797.41 or, in other words at .00318 per Kwh instead of .00728.

Explained by the following equation:

Cost of operation	\$2,574.72	
4% depreciation	6,117.69	
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Total	\$8,692.41	
Less saving on demand	4,905.00	
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Total	\$3,787.41	divided by 1,193,340 Kwh generated equals .00317 per Kwh actual cost to generate.



**BALANCE SHEET**  
**As at December 31, 1939**

**Assets**

**FIXED ASSETS**

**ELECTRIC**

Land	\$12,850.00
Transmission and distribution poles, wires, etc.	37,417.38
Flowage rights, dams and waterways	57,110.91
Water wheel and generating equipment	35,000.00
Accessory electrical equipment	28,031.20
Sub-station equipment	32,800.00
Underground conductors and conduits	1,700.00
Line transformers	21,304.34
Street lighting equipment	16,000.00
Meters	6,243.00
Automotive; office and general equipment and tools	4,465.68
Total	\$252,922.51

**WATER**

Land	\$64,795.00
Water storage reservoirs	25,596.99
Purification equipment	5,938.15
Transmission mains	60,000.00
Settling basin	35,000.00
Distribution mains	49,327.16
Hydrants	4,635.00
Meters	500.00

Automotive; office and general equipment and tools	5,790.69
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Total	\$251,582.99
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Total Fixed Assets	\$504,505.50

## CURRENT ASSETS

Cash	
General fund—on deposit and on hand	\$20,705.52
Special and restricted funds on deposit	18,590.58
Accounts Receivable	
Water department	4,508.86
Electric department	5,865.25
Merchandise accounts	1,032.44
Town of Littleton—advanced on 1940 contributions	988.90
Inventory—merchandise supplies	929.09
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Total Current Assets	\$ 52,620.64
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Total Assets	\$557,126.14

**Liabilities**

## LONG TERM DEBT

Town of Littleton—	
Blandin Land notes	\$10,449.34
Federal loan project No. 2881	13,000.00
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Total	\$ 23,449.34

## CURRENT LIABILITIES

Customers' deposits	\$2,591.17	
Matured bond outstanding	500.00	
Interest on matured bond	26.25	
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Total		\$ 3,117.42
Reserve for Depreciation		\$ 93,314.07
Surplus		
Balance beginning of period	\$426,606.26	
Add		
Net gain for year	10,639.05	
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		\$437,245.31
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Total Liabilities and Surplus		\$557,126.14

**STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS**  
**For the Year Ended December 31, 1939**

**ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT**

Operating Revenue		\$ 97,526.60
Less		
Cost of Operations:		
Purchase of Power—Connecticut		
River Power Company	\$22,099.21	
Depreciation*	9,315.11	
Labor	8,647.50	
Sundry Operating Expenses—		
Schedule No. 1	5,015.70	
Insurance	397.10	
Hurricane Expense—1938	37.35	
Pro-rated General Overhead and		
Expense—Schedule No. 2	5,045.31	
		\$ 50,557.28
Net Operating Income		\$ 46,969.32

**WATER DEPARTMENT**

Operating Revenue		\$ 22,511.08
Less		
Cost of Operations		
Depreciation*	\$6,947.96	
Labor	3,456.45	
Sundry Operating Expense—		
Schedule No. 1.	1,281.73	
Insurance	293.01	
Taxes		
Town of Franconia	490.00	

Town of Bethlehem	202.60	
Interest paid		
Federal Bonds—Prior Year	440.00	
Federal Bonds—Current	560.00	
Town on Blandin Notes	523.37	
Pro-rated General Overhead and Expense—Schedule No. 2	5,045.30	
		\$ 19,240.42
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Net Operating Income		\$ 3,270.66
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Total Operating Income, Water and Electric		\$50,239.98
Non Operating Income		
Miscellaneous Sales of Merchandise	\$1,427.12	
Less: Cost of Sales	1,337.36	
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		\$ 89.76
Interest Received		
Special Funds	\$ 300.13	
Sundry	9.18	
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		\$ 309.31
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Net Income for Year		\$ 50,639.05
Less		
Contributions to General Fund—		
Town of Littleton		\$ 40,000.00
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Net Gain for Year to Surplus		\$ 10,639.05

\*Depreciation charges were based on a previously established rate of 4% per annum on all tangible property except land and those which purported to be entirely depreciated.

<b>Electrical Department Expense</b>	<b>Schedule No. 1</b>
Power plant supplies and expense	\$ 86.30
Operating supplies	64.37
Maintenance dams and waterways	87.15
Maintenance waterwheel	56.00
Maintenance electrical equipment	13.89
Transmission rents	84.00
Overhead system expense	38.60
Sub-station supplies and expense	270.02
Maintenance power plant structures	778.61
Expense meter department	10.80
Street lighting and signal system	47.32
Maintenance of buildings	143.10
Maintenance sub-station equipment	53.67
Maintenance overhead system	690.28
Maintenance line transformers	1,659.02
Maintenance customers' meters	153.09
Maintenance general structures	113.25
Maintenance miscellaneous equipment	70.48
Customers' installation and inspection	108.87
Maintenance of tools	31.93
General expense	282.91
New Hampshire Franchise tax	172.04
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Total	5,015.70

### **Water Department Expense**

Chlorinator supplies	\$ 171.10
Repairs to mains	177.56
Stores department and Shop expenses	316.32
Garage expense—coal, etc.	184.82
Repairs to hydrants	108.32
Repairs to other distribution equipment	67.46



Meter supplies and expense	171.66
Miscellaneous—net	84.49
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Total	\$1,281.73

<b>Analysis of Pro-rated Expense</b>	<b>Schedule No. 2</b>
Salary—Treasurer and Superintendent	\$3,000.00
Office salaries	3,486.50
Truck and auto expense	1,220.38
Office expense	932.09
Postage	466.80
Telephone	334.84
Commissioners' salaries	450.00
Office rent	200.00
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	\$10,090.61
Distributed as follows:	
Electrical department	\$ 5,045.31
Water department	5,045.30
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	\$10,090.61

## Additions to Fixed Assets for Period

### ELECTRIC

Lisbon Road extension	\$1,406.73
Farr Hill extension	982.74
Patridge Lake	232.59
Additional on North Littleton line	68.22
Miscellaneous	38.94
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Total	\$2,729.22

### WATER

Morrison Hill line	\$3,201.43
Gravity System	4,096.99
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Total	\$7,298.42
New Truck Purchase—Pro-rated equally	\$3,511.87
Replacement not capitalized:	
Elm Street extension	\$ 479.81

Examined and found correct.  
January 1, 1940.

Fred Kelley, *Auditor*

F. E. Green, *Superintendent and Treasurer*

## UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### Report of School District Officers for the School Year July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939; Budget and Estimated Receipts for the School Year 1939-1940; Recommendations for the School Year 1940-1941.

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#### SCHOOL BOARD

George A. Tewksbury, <i>chairman</i>	Term expires 1941
Philius A. Pion	Term expires 1941
Raymond L. Giles	Term expires 1940
Mrs. Mildred C. Lakeway	Term expires 1942
Mrs. Ruth R. Lewis	Term expires 1942

#### *Superintendent of Schools and Clerk of the School Board*

Dana S. Jordan

#### *Moderator*

Harry L. Heald

#### *Treasurer*

Marion C. Howland

#### *Clerk*

Walter N. Heald

#### *Auditor*

Fred Kelley

#### *Truant Officer*

Charles Mozrall

#### *School Nurse*

Hazel Bryant

#### *School Physician*

Dr. J. M. Page

#### *Supervisory Union Clerk*

Marion C. Howland

## Report of Board of Education

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*To the Citizens of Littleton:*

We herewith submit the annual school report. The report includes treasurer's report for the fiscal year July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939, with an itemized statement of expenditures for that year; the budget for the present school year and for the next year; statement of estimated receipts for these two years; and written reports by the superintendent of schools and by the headmaster of the high school.

The estimated deficit next June 30 is \$1,600.00. The budget for next year is \$69,445.00. The sum of these amounts is \$71,045.00. The probable receipts from sources other than taxation are about \$3,700.00. An appropriation of \$66,500.00 is necessary for the operation of the schools next year. This recommendation has been approved by the town's budget committee.

Respectfully submitted,

George A. Tewksbury  
Philius A. Pion  
Mildred C. Lakeway  
Ruth R. Lewis  
Raymond L. Giles

## Treasurer's Report

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The regular audited report of the fiscal year as required by law, July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939.

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### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand July 1, 1938	\$ 53.23
Balance 1938 appropriation	62,500.00
Advanced from 1939 appropriation	3,700.00
Tuition—due June 30, 1938	700.00
Tuition—school year 1938-1939	2,156.05
Received from Bethlehem, due June 30, 1938	25.88
Received from Dalton, due June 30, 1938	88.54
Received from Bethlehem, share clerk's salary, supplies 1938-1939	262.08
Received from Dalton, share clerk's salary, supplies 1938-1939	88.17
Dog licenses	472.52
Miscellaneous	184.38
Grand total	\$70,230.85

### EXPENDITURES

Administration	\$ 3,094.31
Instruction:	
Teachers, books, supplies, etc.	37,516.22
Operation and maintenance	8,321.08
Health	418.68
Transportation	6,027.10
Elementary school tuition	62.45

Other special activities	131.87	
State tax, per capita	1,404.00	
Insurance	625.00	
Replacement of equipment and new equipment	1,262.99	
Debt (High school building bonds)	8,000.00	
Interest (High school building bonds)	2,550.00	
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Total expenditures		\$69,413.70
Cash on hand		817.15
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		\$70,230.85

### Auditor's Certificate

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This is to certify that I have this day audited the foregoing accounts of Marion C. Howland, Treasurer of the Union School District, and found them correct and properly vouched and that there was in her hands on July 3, 1939 the sum of Eight Hundred Seventeen and 15/100 Dollars.

The receipts show that the Treasurer has received Thirty Seven Hundred Dollars of the 1939 appropriation.

*(Signed)* Fred Kelley, *Auditor Union School District*  
February 15, 1940

### Balance Sheet

As of July 3, 1939

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#### ASSETS

Cash on hand	\$ 817.15
Accounts due district:	
Federal Vocational Aid	364.66
Tuition	70.00

Sale of property	175.00
Excess of liabilities over assets	58,273.19
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Grand total	\$59,700.00
LIABILITIES	
Borrowed from 1939 appropriation	\$ 3,700.00
High school building bonds	56,000.00
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Grand total	\$59,700.00



## Estimated Expenditures

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	<i>Budget</i> 1939-1940	<i>Proposed</i> <i>Budget</i> 1940-1941
1. Salaries of district officers	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00
2. Superintendent's excess salary	1,400.00	1,400.00
3. Truant officer and census	125.00	125.00
4. Expenses of administration	1,500.00	1,500.00
5. Teachers' salaries	35,000.00	36,000.00
6. Text books	1,000.00	1,000.00
7. Scholars' supplies	1,800.00	1,800.00
9. Other expenses of instruction	700.00	700.00
10. Janitor service	2,160.00	2,160.00
11. Fuel	2,500.00	2,600.00
12. Water, light, janitors' supplies	750.00	750.00
13. Building repairs and expenses	1,600.00	2,000.00
14. Health activities	450.00	450.00
15. Transportation	6,100.00	6,000.00
17. Elementary school tuition	50.00	50.00
18. Other special activities	200.00	200.00
19. Per capita tax	1,366.00	1,380.00
20. Insurance	700.00	700.00
23. New equipment	300.00	700.00
24. Debt—bonds	8,000.00	8,000.00
25. Interest	2,210.00	1,870.00
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Totals	\$67,971.00	\$69,445.00
Estimated deficit June 30, 1940		1,600.00
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Total need for 1940-1941		\$71,045.00

## Estimated Receipts

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	<i>School Year</i> 1939-1940	<i>School Year</i> 1940-1941
Balance July 1	\$ 817.15	\$
Federal Vocational Aid 1938-1939	364.66	
Federal Vocational Aid 1939-1940	400.00	
Federal Vocational Aid 1940-1941		400.00
Balance 1939 appropriation	61,300.00	
Dog licenses	450.00	450.00
Elementary tuition	50.00	50.00
High school tuition	2,200.00	2,200.00
Bethlehem and Dalton—share of clerk's salary, supplies, etc.	550.00	600.00
Charles Ide, sale of building	175.00	
I. C. Richardson Trust Fund, interest	54.42	
	\$66,361.33	\$ 3,700.00
Totals		
Appropriation requested		66,500.00
		\$70,200.00

## A detailed Statement of expenditures for school year, July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939.

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### Administration:

Salaries of district officers	\$ 60.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	1,488.24	
Clerk, office expense	1,421.07	
Truant officer and census	125.00	
	\$ 3,094.31	

**Instruction:**

## High School and Junior High

Headmaster	\$2,900.00
One assistant	2,050.00
One assistant	1,950.00
One assistant	1,900.00
One assistant	1,600.00
One assistant	1,405.00
Two assistants at \$1,400.00	2,800.00
One assistant	1,350.00
Two assistants at \$1,300.00	2,600.00
One assistant	1,050.00

## Grades

Two teachers at \$1,350.00	2,700.00
Three teachers at \$1,250.00	3,750.00
One teacher	1,216.75
Two teachers at \$1,150.00	2,300.00
One teacher	1,134.50
One teacher	1,100.00
One teacher	900.00
One teacher (part time)	800.00
One teacher (part time)	175.00
Substitutes	409.50

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 \$34,090.75
**Textbooks:**

Allyn & Bacon	\$ 30.64
New Idea Publishing Co.	12.00
Harper & Bros.	4.02
D. C. Heath & Co.	25.96
The A. N. Palmer Co.	6.62
The Circle Book Co.	5.46
State of N. H. Forestry and Recreation Dept.	1.80
The L. W. Singer Co.	30.02

Georgia School Book Depository	14.13
The Gregg Publishing Co.	2.35
World Book Co.	10.91
Silver Burdett Co.	75.53
Houghton Mifflin Co.	19.09
Ginn & Co.	185.34
The Macmillan Co.	52.16
J. B. Lippincott Co.	67.44
Cleveland Safety Council	6.40
Scott Foresman & Co.	13.98
C. C. Birchard & Co.	20.50
The John C. Winston Co.	93.49
American Book Co.	133.95
Harcourt, Brace & Co., Inc.	16.01
L. S. Morrison	26.23
Charles E. Merrill Co.	47.64
Row, Peterson & Co.	16.57
South Western Publishing Co.	7.57
Webb Book Publishing Co.	.60

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\$ 926.41

### **Scholars' Supplies:**

E. H. Bilodeau and Son	\$ 4.52
Carl Larson	83.38
The Peck Co.	66.60
O. D. Ellingwood	156.50
Ellingwood Trucking Co., freight, cartage	10.80
Webster Publishing Co.	8.26
Phillips Paper Co.	26.38
The Gregg Publishing Co.	2.95
Houghton Mifflin Co.	14.20
Ginn & Co.	21.79
The Macmillan Co.	5.08
Scott, Foresman & Co.	17.07
Harcourt, Brace & Co., Inc.	132.20

Magoon Grocery Co.	209.00
Charles F. Hubbs & Co.	6.00
General Biological Supply House, Inc.	15.75
West Disinfecting Co.	12.50
Milton Bradley Co.	100.77
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	216.08
J. L. Hammett Co.	401.04
Cambosco Scientific Co.	45.90
Brohead-Garrett Co.	148.55
Geological Survey	20.79
South Western Publishing Co.	1.98
Henry S. Cobb	5.90
Henry S. Wolkins Co.	4.20
Allyn & Bacon	12.04
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	25.87
Allard's Service Station	1.00
American Education Press, Inc.	3.37
John M. Mathes	3.05
Spencer Drug Co.	1.13
Northern Office Supply	1.00
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	\$ 1,785.65

**Flags:**

Philip H. James	\$24.63
J. L. Hammett Co.	3.13
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	\$ 27.76

**Other Expenses of Instruction:**

The Courier Printing Co., Inc.	\$ 18.50
The Circle Book Co.	1.89
Ellingwood Trucking Co.	7.00
R. H. Hinkley Co.	46.30
C. R. Purinton Magazine Agency	11.86
MacLeod's Dept. Store	1.55
National Safety Council. Inc.	2.00

American Education Press, Inc.	27.51
Phillips Paper Co.	15.11
Phillips Ribbon & Carbon Co., Inc.	10.00
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co.	114.50
Royal Typewriter Co., Inc.	90.00
Martin & Murray Co., Inc.	20.37
E. M. Hale & Co.	2.86
F. A. Owen Publishing Co.	3.03
The Christopher Publishing House	4.00
World Book Co.	33.61
Silver Burdett Co.	4.26
Houghton Mifflin Co.	27.54
The Macmillan Co.	11.04
J. B. Lippincott Co.	4.24
American Book Co.	3.51
Harcourt, Brace & Co., Inc.	1.35
South Western Publishing Co.	1.56
D. C. Heath & Co.	2.39
Harper & Bros.	1.21
Row, Peterson & Co.	7.69
Expression Co.	1.90
R. W. Wagner Co.	5.40
School Activities Magazine	2.00
Milton Bradley Co.	12.50
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	39.90
The National Geographic Society	3.00
The Jr. Literary Guild Corporation	1.75
W. B. Saunders Co.	1.80
J. L. Hammett Co.	35.83
Webster Publishing Co.	10.55
The John C. Winston Co.	4.89
G. Schirmer, Inc.	8.05
Ginn & Co.	3.11
Allyn & Bacon	.49
Scholastic Publications	2.50



Porter-Cable Machine Co.	4.17
The Boston Music Co.	17.66
College Entrance Book Co.	.90
Oxford Book Co.	1.58
Lisbon Co., Inc.	1.60
M. P. Gallagher	3.50
C. C. Birchard & Co.	7.10
Deveda L. Cushing	2.90
Herff Jones Co., Inc.	15.07
Northern Office Supply	3.00
Rachel C. Hogan	11.27
Shea's Steam Laundry	8.35
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	\$ 685.65

### Operation and Maintenance

#### Janitors:

Vernon West	\$1,500.00
John Clark	660.00
Milton V. West	30.00
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	\$ 2,190.00

#### Fuel:

O. D. Ellingwood	\$ 2.50
Socony Vacuum Oil Co., Inc.	9.51
Littleton Coal Co.	491.70
Northern Coal Co.	2,366.72
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	\$ 2,870.43

#### Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies:

M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	\$ 11.50
F. E. Green, Treas.	585.14
Cheshire Chemical Co.	6.00
Houle's Electric Shop	18.00
Masury-Young Co.	9.00
The C. B. Dolge Co.	8.85



J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co.	37.46
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	7.50
Standard Cotton Goods Co.	37.50
J. L. Hammett Co.	5.81
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	4.50

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\$ 731.26

### Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Littleton Village District	\$127.66
Wallace A. Welch	162.30
Milton West	150.00
Clifford A. Peabody	204.90
Joseph Brooks	158.20
Roland Brooks	58.40
Ellingwood Trucking Co.	16.96
Shea's Steam Laundry	2.30
O. D. Ellingwood	396.61
Littleton Sand and Gravel Co.	2.75
The Standard Electric Time Co.	55.04
Downing's Garage, Inc.	29.67
Douglass & Hatch	3.00
Houle's Electric Shop	95.66
The Depot Store, Inc.	42.59
The Cullen Hardware Co.	166.48
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	470.50
L. R. Fyles	2.15
Fred G. Smith	3.75
Vernon West	3.00
Lisbon Co., Inc.	4.50
Allard's Service Station	3.56
C. F. Harris & Co.	24.75
Tuttle & Bailey, Inc.	1.00
General Playground Equipment Inc.	7.08
The Tremco Mfg. Co.	58.40
C. P. Leckner	3.00

Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	124.70
J. W. Clarke	3.00
A. N. Farr & Co.	1.34
E. E. Bigelow	1.70
Brodhead Garrett Co.	1.36
The Cooney Furniture Co.	110.46
Larkin R. Brush, Receiver	6.18
The Theodore Kundtz Co.	1.14
Parker Drug Stores, Inc.	3.75
A. G. Cyr	18.63
C. B. Dolge Co.	.62
F. E. Green, Treas.	2.30
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	\$ 2,529.39

### Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities

#### Health:

John M. Mathes	\$ 18.68
Community Nursing Association	200.00
Dr. John M. Page	200.00
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	\$ 418.68

#### Transportation:

Ellingwood Trucking Co.	\$2,856.00
Joseph Pageau	1,163.50
Bernard Nihan	356.00
Oscar Paro	537.00
Wilson Lewis	447.50
Arsene Larrivee	262.50
Morris Moore	318.60
Archie Davio	36.00
Katherine Viette	50.00
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	\$ 6,027.10

**Elementary School Tuition:**

Madeline Bishop, Treasurer, Lisbon Town School District	\$ 62.45
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**Other Special Activities:**

Silsby's Book Store	\$ 1.05
Ellingwood Trucking Co.	91.00
O. D. Ellingwood	6.97
The Littleton Hospital Association	10.00
Henry Engineering Co.	2.95
Orin Glover	15.00
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	4.90
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	\$ 131.87

**Replacement of Equipment and  
New Equipment:**

J. L. Hammett Co.	\$350.00
Rand McNally & Co.	12.33
General Biological Supply House, Inc.	37.95
Milton Bradley Co.	612.50
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	46.72
Cambosco Scientific Co.	38.00
Brodhead-Garrett Co.	59.40
O. D. Ellingwood	17.50
O. H. Toothaker	24.75
Fyr-Fyter Products	61.14
Littleton Hardware Co., Inc.	2.70
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	\$ 1,262.99

**Fixed Charges:**

New Hampshire State Treasurer, per capita tax	\$1,404.00
Chester S. Gray	225.00
The Hunkins & Eaton Agency	400.00

The Manchester Trust Co., bonds	8,000.00	
Interest	2,550.00	
		\$12,579.00
Total expenditures		\$69,413.70

### Financial Data, 5 Year Period, 1935-1939

<i>Year Ending June</i>	<i>Per Pupil Cost Public Elementary Schools</i>		<i>Per Pupil Cost Public High Schools</i>		<i>Current Cost per \$1,000 Equalized Valuation</i>	
	<i>State Median</i>	<i>Littleton</i>	<i>State Median</i>	<i>Littleton</i>	<i>State Median</i>	<i>Littleton</i>
1935	\$76.93	\$73.30	\$ 99.45	\$ 84.15	\$11.06	\$ 9.04
1936	77.93	70.70	99.50	93.34	11.02	9.20
1937	77.16	73.34	101.14	87.55	11.74	9.49
1938	79.98	75.58	105.33	100.07	11.81	9.61
1939	81.07	76.44	104.29	92.50	11.96	10.08

## Littleton School Finances 1927-1940

Year Ending June 30	Taxation Receipts	Total Payments	Fixed Charges	Average Membership	Per Pupil Cost— Total Payments	Per Pupil Cost— Current Costs
1927	\$68,000	\$70,930	\$20,980	537	\$132.03	\$92.83
1928	64,500	66,540	16,829	556	119.68	89.41
1929	66,200	67,823	17,097	587	115.54	86.42
1930	68,800	70,101	16,943	606	115.68	87.72
1931	69,770	71,483	16,897	629	113.65	87.06
1932	73,500	74,594	18,939	635	117.47	87.64
1933	67,000	68,597	16,295	651	105.37	80.34
1934	63,500	64,650	14,539	626	103.28	80.05
1935	64,500	67,447	13,809	652	103.45	82.26
1936	65,400	67,937	13,515	681	99.75	79.91
1937	64,200	67,207	13,731	673	99.86	79.46
1938	64,900	67,439	12,828	647	104.23	84.41
1939	66,200	69,413	12,579	667	104.07	85.21
1940 est.	63,000	67,971	12,276	680	99.95	81.90

Note: Taxation receipts equal the appropriation for the school year minus any part of that appropriation previously used, plus any part of the next year's appropriation necessary to balance the budget.

Fixed Charges include debt and interest, insurance and per capita tax.

Per Pupil Cost—Total Payments is found by dividing total payments by the average membership.

Per Pupil Cost—Current Costs is found by dividing total payments minus fixed charges by the average membership.

## Superintendent's Report

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*To the School Board:*

I am pleased to submit the following report relative to your schools:

Below are listed interesting attendance statistics.

ENROLLMENT 1939-1940							
Grade I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII
47	59	61	54	59	54	61	67
Grade IX	X	XI	XII	P. G.	Total		
78	68	60	54	5	727		

Statistics on next page show that the total resident enrollment has been quite stable during the past decade. The average number is 694 and the enrollment this year to date is 692. During that same period the high school enrollment (resident) has definitely increased. The average number has been 219 and the present enrollment is 232. This is an increase of about one third over the number of pupils enrolled when the present high school building was erected. With a stable total enrollment and an increased high school enrollment, you have a consequent decrease in the number of elementary pupils. The average number of pupils in the elementary grades (I-VIII) for the past ten years has been 475 and the number this year is 460. The town's population and the school population have been quite stable during the past decade and will doubtless remain so during the next few years. The high school enrollment will be larger next year than the present high peak and will doubtless be larger for three or four years







membership of 257. Next year's ninth grade will be the largest ever, making the total number in high school probably 25-30 more than this year. In one study room unsatisfactory chairs should be replaced with good chairs and tables, or chairs and desks. In addition one room previously used for classes in mechanical drawing and music must be equipped with pupil desks. In this way all of the high school pupils can be comfortably seated. The work in mechanical drawing will have to be very limited and given in the shop and all music groups will have to meet in the auditorium. This plan seems to be the only one without building construction. It may mean that the woodworking course offered to the eleventh grade boys will again have to be discontinued.

With any increased enrollment additional teacher time is needed. At present the pupil load is larger than it should be per teacher. In the high school you have eleven full time teachers besides the headmaster. This year you have Mr. Bennett four afternoons a week in the woodworking shop. The time Mr. Bennett and Headmaster Nelson give to classroom teaching equals the time requirement of the St. Rose of Lima and Apthorp pupils in woodworking and home economics classes. Thus you have eleven teachers to provide all of the classroom instruction for a total enrollment of 349 pupils in six grades. With the expected increase of next year one teacher should be added to the staff as some of the larger classes will have to be divided into two groups.

The alternative to equipping with pupil desks the room now used for mechanical drawing and music as a study room is to provide additional rooms elsewhere. In the reports of the last four years I have presented for your consideration the construction of an annex to the Kilburn building. This annex could be built and equipped probably for \$10,000.00 or less. It would provide a basement shop to house a part of the mechanic arts department and enable you to offer some courses not now possible in that department. It would provide a room

for the seventh grade now in the high school building, thereby giving the high school pupils an additional room, and would provide for the Kilburn pupils a small auditorium with a seating capacity for about one hundred persons for assemblies and special programs. It would solve the housing problem in the high school building for an indefinite period.

At present you have the problem of a crowded high school building. You can use every available space for seating and still have the building full with the possible necessity of having to withdraw from your offering one or more of the courses in woodworking. You can provide additional rooms at the Kilburn building. You can, of course, refuse to accept any non-resident pupils, thereby reducing your enrollment by 30 or 35 pupils. This last course, however, is not one I can recommend.

The trend in recent years among the high school pupils has been towards the selection of the practical arts subjects. This year you are offering three years of woodworking in the senior high school. Sixty-six boys are enrolled in these classes. In the four years of home economics 95 girls are enrolled. The commercial groups have 70 pupils. With the desire for these subjects so marked on the part of pupils and parents the elimination of any seems to be of doubtful wisdom. Yet it is not advisable to plan for shop work without adequate space for good results.

Two years of the work in home economics this year, as last, are meeting the requirements of the George-Deen Act for federal vocational aid. The school district received last year \$364.66 from the federal government. The subject matter standards of the federal aided courses are practically the same as those of our own state program but the time standards are slightly greater and more teacher time is required for the supervision of home projects. The high school headmaster was unable to arrange his schedule this year to provide for

subsidizing more classes on the federal plan. With additional teacher time this might be possible next year and would bring some additional revenue to the district.

The expenditure of about \$300.00 would enable you to purchase the equipment to offer one course in crafts. One of your teachers has taken summer courses to teach some of the crafts. Outlines for these courses have been presented by the State Board of Education. This would be a valuable offering for those seniors who have had three years of wood-working. It would doubtless prove a very popular subject.

The report of the medical inspection and of remedial health work follows: The work for health improvement has been of about the same nature for several years and has been very successfully carried out. A more thorough physical examination of all pupils and much more classroom work in physical education should be planned for future years. This phase of public school work has lagged behind in most school systems. At present only a few periods a week can be devoted to physical education in the form of gymnasium and out-of-door classes. I hesitate to urge a more extensive program at this time, in view of the increased budget.

<i>Defects</i>	<i>No. of pupils affected</i>	<i>Pupils receiving treatment</i>	<i>Number defects corrected</i>	<i>Inspection September 1939</i>
Underweight 10%	139		52	132
Defective Vision	94		47	66
Defective Hearing	3	3		2
Nervous Condition	1	1		1
Heart Conditions	19	19		8
Deformity	2	2		
Defective Teeth	96	70	52	96
Diseased Tonsils	11		1	14

Considerable attention has wisely been focussed on the teaching of safety in the public schools in recent years. A bulletin on safety education was published by the State Board of Education a year ago. This is used as a guide in all of the elementary grades and in some high school classes. Safety readers are used in the elementary grades. Safety is associated



with the teaching of nearly all subjects in these grades. A safety patrol is being organized in the Kilburn School for the benefit of those pupils on their way to and from school. A special automobile drivers' course is offered each year to high school pupils who have reached the age of sixteen. The school is indebted to many townspeople who have assisted in making this course worthwhile. It is especially indebted to the police department for the interest shown in the protection of school pupils.

During the past two years a new program in English for high schools has been published by the State Board of Education. A program in social science will soon be printed. Work has begun in re-writing the entire elementary program. These programs serve as guides in most of the school systems of the state. In most subjects the courses outlined by the State Board are of recent date, are sanely progressive, and are the result of the work done by many persons teaching in the state in cooperation with representatives of the State Board of Education.

But few changes have occurred in the teaching staff in the last four or five years. A fairly stable teaching staff is one of the fundamentals of good schools. The progressive salary schedule you adopted several years ago has been an important factor in securing and retaining good teachers. Many of your teachers have attended summer school each year. Last summer six were at summer school, twelve in 1938, and ten in 1937. All of your teachers are earnest and devoted to their work. This year Miss Ruth Canty replaced Miss Hanson as teacher of English in the high school. Miss Canty has had several years of experience and excellent training for this work. She is proving a valuable member of the staff. Mr. Kermit Bennett was engaged for part time work in wood-working. His employment has made it possible to offer the course in woodworking to the boys in the senior and junior classes this year.

Mrs. Mary E. Smith generously bequeathed to the school district the sum of \$200.00 for the mechanic arts department. This sum has been expended for the purchase of a new shaper and for new vises. The money has been a definite help in equipping this department for the increased number of boys in the woodworking classes.

Last summer new drinking fountains and lavatories were placed in the Kilburn and Apthorp buildings. A new water pipe was laid from the high school building to the Kilburn building to increase the pressure. A new sink was placed in the home economics kitchen, new window shades were purchased for two rooms in the Kilburn building, new doors were bought for the Apthorp building, some necessary work was done on the roof of the high school building, and other minor repairs were made.

The school year closing last June showed a net deficit of \$2,273.00. The appropriation the previous March of \$64,000.00 was not sufficient to meet the needs. The deficit this year will be reduced to about \$1,600.00. At the last district meeting \$65,000.00 was appropriated for the current year. That amount with the receipts from sources other than taxation was enough for this year's needs and for some reduction in the deficit. It would be enough for next year's needs and for further reduction in the deficit if no additional teacher time and no additional seating equipment were needed. At least \$1,500.00 should be allowed for these new requirements. An appropriation of \$66,500.00 should be made if all the needs of next year are to be provided and the budget is to be approximately balanced. The town budget committee has approved of this amount.

Tables showing costs in Littleton for the past fourteen years, and showing costs in Littleton in comparison with the median costs in the state for the past five years are included in this report. These tables show that the costs here are

not high in comparison. Your school property has been maintained in good condition. You offer a varied course of study in your high school. Your bonds on the high school building have been reduced to \$48,000.00. Your only other indebtedness is the current deficit mentioned above.

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation for your helpful consideration of all school problems.

Respectfully submitted,  
Dana S. Jordan

## Headmaster's Report

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*To the Superintendent of Schools:*

The wholesome interest of parents and townspeople, together with the sincere cooperation of our school board, teaching staff, and student body, have made this, my second annual report to you, a pleasant duty.

### REGISTRATION

In your own report of registration statistics for the current year you have set forth that our high school is experiencing a record enrollment which results in a high teaching load and crowded conditions in several departments. While these facts are serious in themselves, they become all the more so when our best and most conservative estimates point to an enrollment for next September which will increase even the present total by 25 or 30 pupils. In view of this it would seem prudent to make plans as early as possible to meet the situation, and I would emphasize the necessity of consideration of the following:

1. The teaching staff should be increased by one full time teacher. Our present teaching load is considerably above the average of the state, and any increase would seriously handicap if not jeopardize efficient instruction.
2. The purchase of additional pupil desks seems unavoidable. With nearly twenty pupils without satisfactory accommodations at present, a pupil increase would forbid any temporary arrangements in this line.
3. More classroom and home room space is necessary. By installing twenty more pupil desks in our study hall, Room 6, and replacing the drawing tables in Room 1 with similar



equipment, the situation would be greatly relieved. A rearrangement of the shop equipment with the addition of more work benches will to some extent ease the over-crowded condition in this department. This has already been started and will be completed in the near future.

### CURRICULUM

The major change in the curriculum for this year is the extension of the mechanic arts course into a third year in woodworking.

In my first annual report made a year ago, I commended the fact that Littleton High School had the "core curriculum" with only English and U. S. Constitutional History as compulsory subjects. This I repeat, but I wish to emphasize that this type of curriculum places unquestioned responsibility on the parents, the pupil and his advisers to choose his course wisely. In an endeavor to meet this a series of guidance meetings was held last May with members of the various eighth grades who planned to enter our school in September. During the summer I enjoyed over a hundred calls at the homes of pupils most of which were in reference to choice of subjects. While these meetings and conferences were undoubtedly of benefit, the fact that too many pupils decide too late that they have enrolled in the wrong course, necessitates continued and increasing efforts in educational guidance. The interest and large enrollment in the home economics, commercial, and mechanic arts courses are gratifying.

### DAILY TIME-TABLE

This is nearly identical with that in use last year and seems to provide for conservation and efficiency in time.

### TEACHING STAFF

The satisfactory functioning of all school activities under the crowded conditions of the present year is a more convincing tribute than words to the value of a well trained

staff of experienced teachers. Not only as teachers in the class room, but as leaders in extra curricular activities, each is giving to our high school an unselfish and abundant share of energy and time. All of the important permanent functions, and many of the special functions of school life, are organized and directed by teacher committees.

#### APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATE PRIVILEGE

Secondary schools of our state are approved when they measure up to certain standards such as properly trained teachers, acceptable curriculum, standard class periods, required length of school year, adequate equipment, satisfactory attendance record, etc.

Littleton High School has, and has had for many years, full state approval. Our school likewise enjoys the certificate privilege of the New England Entrance Certificate Board. This privilege allows graduates to enter all colleges that are members of the Board without taking entrance examinations provided the headmaster of the qualifying high school will grant the certificate. Such a certificate is issued to a pupil who has maintained a high grade of work in his school subjects. The colleges belonging to this Board are: Amherst, Bates, Brown, Bowdoin, Boston University, Clark, Colby, Massachusetts Agricultural, Middlebury, Tufts, Wesleyan, Williams and Worcester Polytechnic. The school also has college entrance certificate privileges with Dartmouth College and New Hampshire University.

#### SCHOLARSHIP AND REPORT CARDS

It is most important that all pupils do well in their school subjects, but it is absolutely necessary that those going on with their formal education after high school should select their subjects intelligently, and should maintain a consistently high grade in them. Too many times a failure to recognize this truth has proven costly in shattered ambitions as well as in money.

To better acquaint the parents with the grade of work and the school citizenship traits of their children, a new and more comprehensive report card was adopted this year.

#### ATTENDANCE

Regular and prompt attendance is an important essential in all public schools. How well Littleton High School measured up to this detail is shown in the following table.

	<i>Percentage of attendance</i>	<i>No. of tardy marks per pupil</i>
Average of all N. H. high schools	95.2	1.0
Littleton Senior High	94.6	.4
Littleton Junior High	95.0	.4

It is pleasing to note that our record of tardiness is much better than the state average. When one remembers the severe epidemic of colds which was prevalent for several weeks last winter, our attendance record too becomes a creditable one. That our school should improve its last year's average is forecast by the record made during the first half of the current year. It is as follows:

	<i>Senior High School Attendance</i>	<i>Junior High School Attendance</i>
September	97.92	97.19
October	97.38	97.04
November	96.75	98.20
December	95.39	97.03
January	95.47	95.16
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Average for half year	96.58	96.92

At this time I would express my personal appreciation for the splendid cooperation given the school by the great majority of parents and pupils in observing the attendance regulations, and in returning the written absence excuses for our files.

## MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

Teachers are asked sometimes concerning the rating of schools. I know of no such comparative rating lists except as they exist in statistical tables of various individual school items such as attendance, enrollment, length of school year, etc. The state requires that the high school agent and state supervisors visit high schools of the state but their official visits are in a supervisory capacity and in no sense for the purpose of rating schools. Each year the ranks of all graduates of New Hampshire schools who are enrolled in the freshman year at a college are sent to the State Department of Education. From this, based entirely upon the work during the first year at college and upon no other items, our state department issues a confidential report to each high school. This report of the success of high school graduates during the first year of college comes the nearest perhaps to the hypothetical ratings in question. In these confidential reports, which are given in a code that only reveals the comparative standing of the school in question, I am happy to state that during all recent years Littleton High School has been found in the upper third of the high schools in the state. Other interesting items of comparison taken from the "1938-1939 Secondary Report" issued by the State Board of Education are given below.

	Percent of boys enrolled	Percent of pupils who left school during the year	Percent who failed one course	Percent who failed more than one course	Number of pupils per teacher	No. of half days school was in session
Littleton Senior High	46	9	10	3	26	353
Littleton Junior High	57	11	6	14	—	353
Average of all high schools	49	9.8	5.8	4.3	21.6	351.1



## 1939 GRADUATES

Thirty-nine pupils were graduated from our high school last June. Of this number sixteen are known to be continuing their education at this time in the following institutions: Banford School of Beauty Culture, Becker Business College, Bryant and Stratton Business College, Herring (N. Y.) High School, Kimball Union Academy, Littleton High School, Plymouth Teachers' College, Simmons College, Tilton School, University of New Hampshire and Wentworth Institute.

A real effort is being made in the school office to keep an accurate and up to date record of our graduates. This information together with other which is available should place us in a position where we could be of real assistance in educational and vocational guidance. It is our sincere desire that both graduates and business men may use this office for such a function if they believe at any time that we may be of service to them.

## ATHLETICS

Athletics have an important place in the modern high school, and their value is best judged by ascertaining how well they measure up to the following objectives:

1. The skills and rules of the sport should be well taught.
2. A high type of sportsmanship and leadership should be developed.
3. Athletics should reach the *many* and not just the *few*.
4. The health and safety of all participants should be jealously guarded.

It is in harmony with this policy that athletics at Littleton High School are being directed. Suffice to say that we have had both successes and failures. The former have inspired us while the latter have served as lessons by which we can profit in the future.

The following items are suggestive of progress in this field.

1. The payment of the outstanding athletic debt together with the adoption of a budget which has made athletics self-supporting for the current year.

2. An increase in membership in our athletic association from 128 last year to 154 at the end of the present half year.

3. The management of all major sports by pupil managers under faculty guidance.

4. The inauguration of an insurance for those taking part in sports. This is under the direct sponsorship of the Council of New England Secondary School Principals Association. For a nominal fee a player is insured against fractures, teeth injuries and certain x-ray work. A majority of our players have taken out this insurance.

5. Special physical examinations were given those who took part in football or basketball.

6. A continued and wholesome interest in the gymnasium and game periods conducted by Miss Tewksbury and Mr. Stonier.

Our athletic program includes teams in football, boys' and girls' basketball, boys' and girls' winter sports, baseball, and a gymnasium period per week for pupils of the junior high school together with two periods per week for a limited number of girls in the senior high school.

In order to extend the benefits of athletics to more pupils, it is hoped that a limited program of intra-mural sports may be developed in the near future.

#### OTHER SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS

Supplementing the program of athletic activities, and offering a wide choice of selection, is the list of numerous or-

ganizations of a non-athletic type. In my report of a year ago these were mentioned in some detail, and, with the exception of the Rifle Club which was not re-organized this year, all are active and successful. Included in this list are: the orchestra, glee club and choir groups, "The Record," and the girls' athletic association.

Two new organizations have been inaugurated this year. These are a Student Council and a chapter of the National Honor Society. The former consists of the class presidents and elected representatives from the four classes in the senior high school. This council has jurisdiction in an advisory capacity over extra-curricular activities. The latter, the Littleton Chapter of the National Honor Society, is in the process of organization at this time. The society is a nationwide organization that esteems high scholarship, sterling character and leadership. It has the approval of our State Board of Education, and has several chapters in the larger high schools of our state.

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITIES AND FUNCTIONS

During the last year several important activities and functions have been held which have brought credit to the ones responsible, as well as pleasure and benefit to others. Characteristic of this group are:

The hot noon lunches served by the home economics department to approximately ninety-five pupils during the winter months.

The school census taken by the senior class.

The operetta given by the combined glee clubs.

The North Country Orchestra concert.

The Freshman Reception, sponsored by the seniors.

The senior play, "Spring Fever."

The football banquet given by the Littleton Rotary Club.

The Christmas party arranged by the freshmen.

The junior class Prom.



The annual Stunt Night for the benefit of the athletic association.

The benefit basketball games which yielded a net sum of \$94.20 for the benefit of a member of the girls' basketball squad who was seriously injured in a game.

A cooperative service bureau to help worthy pupils find work to do outside of school hours has been conducted this year under the direction of Mr. Glazier. It was originally planned to present an opportunity for a pupil to earn money for his athletic dues, but because of its success the bureau has been continued and is performing a real service in bringing together those people who have odd jobs to be done, and those pupils who are anxious and best fitted to do them.

To the above list, if space would permit, could be added numerous other class and club activities which were carefully planned and successfully carried out under pupil leadership and teacher guidance.

#### OCCASIONS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO TOWNSPEOPLE

All citizens of our community, and especially the parents of pupils, are cordially invited to visit our schools at any time. There are occasions, however, which we believe should be of special interest to our friends.

The activities of American Education Week which comes in November are planned primarily for this purpose.

The sole objective of the annual school exhibit which is held in June is to acquaint parents and friends with the work of the schools.

Our regular school assemblies, six of which are planned for the year, are arranged to give educational values or observance of some special occasion as well as entertainment. Typical of these assemblies are the Armistice Day assembly and the Christmas assembly of the current school year.

The public activities of commencement week are always happy occasions for many outside of school.

During the present school year a committee of teachers has arranged a series of interesting evening meetings to which the public is invited. Two have been held. The first was a travel talk on "Egypt and the Nile," and the second was a panel discussion of the "Effect of the European Wars upon the United States."

#### NYA

The budget allotted to our school for pupil work under the NYA is \$432.00 which is \$54.00 more than last year. Twelve pupils have qualified under this program and are receiving checks not to exceed the monthly maximum of \$6.00.

#### AWARDS

The following awards were made during commencement week.

Pro Merito Pins—Awarded to ten members of the junior class who have an average of 85 or better during their high school career.

The George H. Tilton awards—

Twenty-five dollars for the athlete and scholar in the senior class who through effort and character has best caught and expressed the ideals and spirit of the school.

Ten dollars for the senior who has shown the greatest all around improvement in the senior year.

Ten dollars for the highest scholarship during the senior year.

Five dollars for the next to the highest scholarship in the senior year.

Ten dollars for the highest scholarship in the lower three classes.

Five dollars for the next to highest scholarship in the lower three classes.

Ten dollars for the best one-act play.

Five dollars for the next to the best one-act play.

Ten dollars for the best essay in English.

Five dollars for the next to the best essay in English.

American Legion medal—for excelling in character, honor, scholarship and courage.

Five dollars given by the American Legion Auxiliary for the girl who is most outstanding in character, scholarship, leadership, athletics and literary ability.

Scholarship Key for the senior excelling in commercial subjects.

In February of this year a senior girl was chosen to represent our school in the annual Good Citizenship Pilgrimage conducted by the Daughters of the American Revolution. This was made possible through the courtesy of the Gunthwaite Chapter of Lisbon.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GIFTS

Departments of school wish to make grateful acknowledgement of the following gifts:

Mechanic Arts Department—from Mary E. Smith Estate, a two hundred dollar bequest for use in this department.

Social Science Department—from Dr. Montfort Haslam, a set of seventeen reference books.

From Christian Science Church of Littleton a three months' subscription to the Christian Science Monitor.

Biology Department—from Mrs. Mabel Cole, copies of the National Geographic magazine for several years back.

From the American Forestry Association a subscription to American Forests.

Home Economics Department—from the I. C. Richardson Trust Fund, a new monel metal sink and built-in ironing board.

#### CONCLUSION

As I conclude this report I wish to express my genuine appreciation and pleasure for being able to serve you. Littleton treats its teachers well. In return the community deserves their best, and as I daily observe my co-workers I am assured that it is the best which each teacher is giving.

Respectfully submitted,  
Westly J. Nelson  
*Headmaster*

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TRUSTEES

Dana S. Jordan	Term expires 1940
George H. Richardson	Term expires 1940
Clarence I. Wiley	Term expires 1940
Ruth E. Lewis	Term expires 1941
Franklin Piper	Term expires 1941
Theodora T. Tilton	Term expires 1941
Amanda S. Edson	Term expires 1942
*Carrie A. Allen	Term expires 1942
Ruth D. White	Term expires 1942

\*Resigned. Helen Bingham appointed.

OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	Amanda S. Edson
<i>Secretary</i> .....	Ruth D. White
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Clarence I. Wiley
<i>Librarian</i> .....	Eleanor Trowt
<i>Assistant Librarian</i> .....	Nellie D. Fisher

HOURS OPEN

*Winter schedule—*

Daily except Sundays and holidays 2-5:30 p. m., 7-8:30 p. m.

Also Tuesday and Thursday morning 10 a. m.-2 p. m.

*Summer schedule (July and August)—*

Daily except Sundays and holidays 10-12 a. m., 2-5:30 p. m.

Monday, Wednesday, Saturday evening 7-8:30 p. m.

*To the Board of Trustees of the Littleton Public Library, the annual report of the Librarian is herewith submitted:*

This year the library has completed fifty years of service. Opened to the public in January, 1890, in rented quarters



in the Rounsevel Block, it was moved to the Town Building in 1895 and remained there until the present Carnegie Building was opened in March, 1906. Its book collection has increased from about 3,000 volumes to 12,000, and over a million and a quarter books have been loaned in the past fifty years.

The record of its fiftieth year appears in the statistical summary which follows this report. There has been a healthy increase in circulation and in the number of borrowers served. More opportunities for the public to use the library have been offered by opening Friday evening and by installing a telephone. Work with the young people has continued to grow and accounts for a large part of the circulation increase.

Reference work has been greatly facilitated since we have moved the card catalog into the new case which was purchased for it this year. The addition of the latest Britannica and Americana encyclopedias has also filled a great need in the reference room. As usual, classes from the High School have received instruction in the use of the library, and effort devoted to this project is well repaid in the more effective use of reference tools which high school students are now able to make, without help from the library staff. Townspeople are reminded that the library is ready to answer information requests by telephone.

While high school students use the library intensively, perhaps the most eager patrons are the younger grade school children who have just discovered the fun of reading. From the primer stage on, books from the library can provide both wholesome recreation and help in school work. Many children can come to the library; to make books available to all we loaned 322 books to the Apthorp school during the past year. There they were used in the classrooms, and 715 volumes were borrowed for home use. The extent of this work



is limited by the supply of children's books; if we had a larger and more complete collection, it would be used to great advantage.

We have been fortunate to have the services of a WPA helper during the year. This assistance has made possible many desirable activities and projects. The picture collection has been greatly enlarged and the Kilburn stereoscopic views arranged and indexed with this help.

We have turned to the State Library for books when our own did not supply the borrower's needs. A new service available there is the phonograph record collection, presented to them by the Carnegie Foundation. A number of exhibits of prints, photographs and reproductions of famous paintings have been loaned by the State Library to display here. The Littleton Library is participating in the union catalog, which is to be a list of books available for inter-library loan among New Hampshire libraries. Already a number of books located through this catalog have been borrowed from us by other libraries, thus giving us the opportunity to repay in small part the many courtesies larger libraries have extended to us in the past.

Borrowers are reminded that the postal rate for mailing books is now  $1\frac{1}{2}$ c per pound, or 3c for the average book. This has already saved money on inter-library loans and makes possible the library's offer to mail books to townspeople outside the village who cannot come to the library conveniently, provided they will pay the return postage.

Friends have presented many books and magazines to the library during the past year. Mrs. Lawrence Gilman gave a fine edition of the Encyclopedia Britannica in memory of her husband. Mr. Fred Green presented a set of the Harvard Classics. To them and to all the others who have made gifts, we express our appreciation and thanks.

The most serious problem facing the library is to find sufficient shelving for the book collection. The old wooden shelving in the stack room is inadequate—the shelves are immovable and not the right height for many books. They both waste space and make it necessary to tip books down so that it is difficult for the public to locate the desired book because the titles cannot be seen. Temporary shelving of boxes piled one on another also has to be used, and there is not room for growth. Shelf space in the reading rooms is already cramped, and many books which should be in the stacks have to be shelved elsewhere in the building.

The original plans of the library called for a two-story steel stack in the stack room wing, which is of brick construction throughout, with fire doors shutting it off from the rest of the building. Lack of funds when the building was opened in 1906 made it necessary to build a floor at the main floor level and use the old wooden shelving which was removed from the Town Building.

The time is at hand when more shelf space is needed. We have postponed this crisis by weeding out older books, but this cannot be carried much further without impairing the book collection. A temporary expedient would be to install modern wood or steel adjustable shelving on the present floor; this would take care of the next five years' needs. However, further expansion would then be more costly. The more satisfactory solution would be the removal of the present wood floor and the installation of a two-tier steel stack, running from the basement up through the stack room, with a stairway connecting the two levels. At the present rate of growth this two-tier stack would provide adequate shelving for fifty years. If the ceiling were made fireproof, then the whole stack would be of fireproof construction and thus give better protection for the largest part of the library's invest-

ment—the book collection. A minor benefit would be the elimination of the present six-inch step into the stack room.

I urge that some action toward remedying the present shelving situation be taken as soon as possible. In closing this report I should like to thank the staff, the trustees, and the public for their courtesy and helpfulness throughout the year.

Eleanor Trowt

## Statistical Summary

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Population of Littleton	4,558
Terms of use	
Free for lending and reference use to residents of Littleton and vicinity.	
Days open February 1, 1939—January 31, 1940	306
Hours open per week	38
Circulation per registered borrower	25.3
(Including 255 non-resident borrowers)	
Per cent of town population registered	31
(Not including non-resident registrations)	
Circulation per capita town population	9.2
Borrowers registered or re-registered during year	742

### BOOK STOCK

Subscription to 48 magazines (5 gifts)

Subscription to 3 newspapers (1 gift)

Pamphlet, map, picture files

Books

February 1, 1939 (by actual count)	11,847
Discarded	239
Added	488

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12,096

Books added 1938	<i>Purchase</i>	<i>Gift</i>
Library tools and reference	37	24
Adult fiction	118	20
Adult non-fiction	94	68
Juvenile	123	4
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	372	116

## Inter-Library Loan

Books	127	Borrowed from the State Library,
Magazines	7	and the Public Library Commission.
Pictures	22	
Phonograph records	10	

## Circulation

Books and magazines lent for home use 41,844

Fiction 71%

Juvenile 31%

Magazines 4,018 Average of 13 per day

Registration since new period beginning February 1, 1938

Littleton 1,398

Out of town 255

## Treasurer's Report

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### INCOME

Cash on deposit	\$	3.13
Petty cash balance		3.03
Town appropriation		3,500.00
Fines and sales of discarded books		225.99
Income from endowment funds		
B. W. Kilburn Picture fund	\$	57.85
C. L. Kilburn Book fund		7.54
Emily J. Witherell General fund		12.58
Tilton Memorial fund		25.15
B. W. and C. L. Kilburn Book fund		125.78
Eli B. and Myra Wallace General fund		141.53
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		370.43
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		\$4,102.58

### DISBURSEMENTS

Books		
Magazines and papers	\$	98.46
Rebinding		20.80
Books		549.27
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		\$ 668.53
Building and grounds		
Janitor	\$	424.50
Coal		406.44
Light		78.70
Telephone		27.10
Water		30.00
Insurance		100.00



Household supplies		20.45	
Repairs		271.29	
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			\$1,358.48
Library supplies			
Post Office box		\$ 4.00	
Inter-Library loan		5.98	
Parcel post, stamps		33.96	
Desk and catalog supplies		66.81	
Mending material		12.87	
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			\$ 123.62
Salaries			
Librarian and assistant		\$1,804.30	
Extra help			
Desk	\$ 6.30		
Mending	28.55		
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			\$1,839.15
Equipment			109.75
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			\$4,099.53
Cash on deposit			1.81
Petty cash balance			1.24
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			\$4,102.58
Reserve funds			
Insurance fund	Balance Jan. 31, 1940	\$ 121.90	
			Clarence I. Wiley, <i>Treasurer</i>
	Examined and found correct.		
	February 26, 1940.		Fred Kelley, <i>Auditor</i>

# Vital Statistics

Births Registered in the Town of Littleton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date of Birth and Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1872 Oct. 21 Mary	F	L	1	Joseph Boudreau	Eliza Myott	Canada	Littleton
1874 Dec. 16 Arthur Dana	M	L	3	Norman D. Jay	Louise Winn	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Danville, Vt.
1886 Mar. 5 Walter Gilman	M	L	7	A. D. Lamphier	Rosbel Locke	Lyman	Canterbury
1900 Dec. 19 Arthur T.	M	L	5	Eugene Coyer	Zilda Young	Canada	Canada
1925 July 7 Donald	M	L	3	Arthur W. Sawyer	Charlotte Henderson	Woodstock	Newbury, Vt.
1938 Sept. 5 Janice Crafts	F	L	2	Justus H. Beal	Marjorie Crafts	Waltham, Mass.	Wilmington, Vt.
1939 Sept. 11 Conrad A.	M	L	2	Vernon A. Woods	Doris Champagne	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Littleton
Jan. 1 Jacqueline Lee	F	L	1	Clifton Scruton	Dorothy Senecal	Strafford	Cumberland, Md.
Jan. 1 Robert Joseph	M	L	3	George Drapeau	Anna Pageau	Littleton	Littleton
Jan. 3 Joseph Arthur	M	L	6	Arsene Larriee	Florada Denis	Canada	Canada
Jan. 10 Robert Joseph	M	L	1	Elwin Capron	Marion Glines	E. Barnet, Vt.	Carroll
Jan. 11 Sharon Ann	F	L	2	Napoleon Gilman	Arletta B. Moore	Concord, Vt.	Littleton
Jan. 20 Peter Laurence	M	L	1	Fred W. Snell	Mary Doyle	Lisbon	Dublin, Ire.
Jan. 22 Infant Bedard	F	L	1		Lena Bedard		Lakeport
Jan. 28 Barbara Ann	F	L	2	Herbert H. Lewis	Christine Hawes	Dorchester, Mass.	Augusta, Me.
Feb. 2 Patricia	F	L	2	Oliver Stillings	Amy Glode	Bartlett	Littleton
Feb. 3 David Cary	M	L	1	Cary Faulkner	Elizabeth McCoy	Cambridge, Mass.	E. Jaffrey
Feb. 8 Goldie May	F	L	1	Horace York	Jennie Ingalls	Northumberland	Waterford, Vt.
Feb. 9 Ronald Earl	M	L	1	Leslie Stinson	Rayvona Nourse	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Littleton
Feb. 13 Deborah	F	L	1	Lawrence Clement	Athalie Page	Concord	Concord

Feb.	13	Thomas Warren	M/L	3	Norman Churchill	Isabel Fraser	Bethlehem	Halifax, N. S.
Feb.	15	Infant Morris	F/S	1	Alton Morris	Lula Goodwin	Shelbyville, Tex.	Pike
Feb.	18	Damus Edward	M/L	1	Damus Champagne	Ruth Osgood	Littleton	Nashua
Feb.	20	Richard Marshall	M/L	3	Carroll Lewis	Anna Mansur	Littleton	Lowell, Mass.
Feb.	25	Donald Maurice	M/L	3	Maurice Gadbois	Dorothy Hilson	Littleton	Lakeport
Feb.	25	James Allan	M/L	2	Preston Sears	Julia Connery	Newbury, Vt.	Sugar Hill
Feb.	27	Theresa May	F/L	3	Hubert Champagne	Lucy May Virge	Bethlehem	Dalton
Mar.	7	Betty Sandra	F/L	2	George B. Lang	Ethel M. Ennis	Bath	Littleton
Mar.	7	Marie Elizabeth	F/L	1	Archie Herbert	Elizabeth Dudley	Littleton	Littleton
Mar.	8	Robert Wheeler	M/L	2	Wheeler D. Orr	Doris E. Sherman	Littleton	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
Mar.	10	Joan Marie	F/L	2	Louis Corey	Sadie Romanos	Barre, Vt.	Fort Kent, Me.
Mar.	12	Burton Ernest	M/L	1	Burton Renihan	Katherine Richmond	Morgan, Vt.	Arlington, N. J.
Mar.	13	Joanne	F/L	1	Garnold Davis	Katherine Murphy	Groveton	Mattapan, Mass.
Mar.	17	Nancy Ellen	F/L	3	John C. Root	Elinor Kendall	Providence, R. I.	Danbury, Vt.
Mar.	18		M/L	3	Perley J. Gordon	Eve E. Bryant	Plymouth	Colebrook
Mar.	19	June Evelyn	F/L	2	Arthur F. Celley	Beatrice Judd	Littleton	Derby, Vt.
Mar.	22	James Paul	M/L	1	John Hennessey	Stella Bagley	Whitefield	Canada
Mar.	25	Roberta Ann	F/L	4	Maurice Stearns	Doris Aldrich	Littleton	Dalton
Mar.	25	Robert Aldrich	M/L	5	Maurice Stearns	Doris Aldrich	Littleton	Dalton
Mar.	29	Ian Burns	M/L	3	Burns R. MacDonald	Doris D. Maddox	Littleton	New York
Mar.	31	Ronald Hillen	M/L	2	Kenneth Chase	Marguerite Sheehy	Lisbon	Lewiston, Me.
Apr.	1	Ann Louise	F/L	2	William L. Bryant	Louise Learned	Manchester	Plymouth
Apr.	2	Carl Franklin	M/L	4	Everett Young	Muriel Andrews	Easton	Pike
Apr.	2	Helen Mary	F/L	4	Joseph Cullen	Helen O'Leary	Littleton	Ireland
Apr.	9	Linda Craig	F/S	2	Carroll Perkins	Grace Craig	Sharon, Vt.	Quincy
Apr.	9	David Elmond	M/L	2	James G. Harris	Velma Fogg	Littleton	Littleton
Apr.	10	Wayne Clark	M/L	2	Walter Brady	Alice R. Smith	Lisbon	Lisbon
Apr.	15	Linda Mae	F/L	2	Percy H. Sweet	Edna M. Strain	Jay, Vt.	Littleton
Apr.	15	Philip Roundy	M/L	1	Warren Marshall	Norine Stimson	Fall River, Mass.	Landaff
Apr.	16	Milton James	M/L	1	Milton Bourassa	Gladys M. Burt	Lisbon	Bethlehem
Apr.	16	Janice Elizabeth	F/L	2	Walter Bender	Dorothy Elms	Boston, Mass.	Filer, Idaho
Apr.	20	Judith Audrie	F/L	3	Clayton Bedell	Eleanor Pierce	Jefferson	Gorham, Me.
Apr.	22	Rachel Orrie	F/L	1	Raymond Smith	Margaret Woods	Needham, Mass.	Somerville, Mass.
Apr.	27	William Hall	M/L	1	William Heath	Ruby Herbert	Bradford, Vt.	Franconia
Apr.	27	Ann Williamson	F/L	1	James J. Bryan	Erma L. Williamson	Littleton	Dover-Foxcroft
Apr.	30	Jean Ann	F/L	4	Raymond Garceau	Helen Sherman	Littleton	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
May	1	Thomas James	M/L	3	James Pitanis	Bessie Dintzios	Greece	Nashua
May	2	Martin Albert	M/L	5	Albert Riley	Hannah Libby	Tunbridge, Vt.	Warren
May	2	Larry Arthur	M/L	6	Arthur Shawney	Blanche Pike	Littleton	Dummer
May	4	Wesley John	M/L	1	John Fitchett	Vida Watson	Canada	Waterford, Vt.

Births (continued)

Date of Birth and Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child	Name of Father		Maiden Name of Mother		Birthplace of Father		Birthplace of Mother	
				Name of Father	Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother				
May 11 Jon Michael	M	L	1	Wallace Crandall	Kathleen Burke	Burlington, Vt.	Canada				
May 14 Allen Abbott	M	L	2	Abbott Ruggles	Mildred Budgett	Littleton	Littleton				
May 14 Allen Charles	M	L	1	Karl Allen Hill	Phyllis A. Mann	Littleton	Shelburne Falls				
May 26 John Canning	M	L	1	Elmer Bowles	Freda Canning	Benton	Stowe, Vt.				
May 27 Martin Alvah	M	L	1	Ervin M. Bean	Ethel Hilliard	Jefferson	Loudon				
May 31 Bradley Dean	M	L	4	Frank Sharman	Emma A. Bolduc	Chicopee, Mass.	Littleton				
June 1 Helen Elaine	F	L	8	Albert MacKay	Delia E. L. Nason	Canada	Canada				
June 5 Dale Ivy	F	L	1	Vincent A. West	Iona Choquette	Littleton	Littleton				
June 6 June Ann	F	L	2	Robert Toulouse	Marie Cyr	Augusta, Me.	Littleton				
June 7 Frederick Rudolph	M	L	1	Frederick Presley	Hazel B. Holmes	Dalton	Littleton				
June 9 Sandra Lee	F	L	1	Frederick Presley	Annie L. Bristol	Whitefield	Lyndon, Vt.				
June 18 Rosamond Clara	F	L	1	Clayton J. Goade	Hazel M. Little	Lisbon	Littleton				
June 19 James Bailey	M	L	1	Robert J. Bean	Mary Bourassa	Franconia	Littleton				
June 21 Ann Catherine	F	L	1	Frederick Aldrich	Madeline Corey	England	Berlin				
June 28 Douglas Ward	M	L	5	Maurice Dickerman	Vivian McReavey	Haverhill	Canada				
June 29 Priscilla June	F	L	5	Gordis Lewis	Helen Marshall	Littleton	Littleton				
June 29 June Marylyn	F	L	4	Frank Charland	Ethel McLeod	Littleton	Bethlehem				
July 1 Gordon Roy	M	L	2	Robert V. Tracy	June Ashley	Woodstock	Concord				
July 1 Mary Louise	F	L	2	Stuart Dexter	Madelene Farr	Bethlehem	Littleton				
July 2 Carol Ann	F	L	2	Carroll Miles	Rozel Wright	Randolph, Vt.	Lunenburg, Vt.				
July 5 Michael Allen	M	L	1	Bernard Reilly	Pauline Lucas	Littleton	Lunenburg, Vt.				
July 6 Infant Whiteside	M	L	2	Ambrose Whiteside	Nancy Singleton	Fall River, Mass.	Miami, Fla.				
July 6 Infant Whiteside	M	L	2	Ambrose Whiteside	Nancy Singleton	Fall River, Mass.	Miami, Fla.				
July 6 Irene June	F	L	2	Charles Whittier	Edith Stinchfield	Fall River, Mass.	Littleton				
July 10 Judith Allison	F	L	1	Dennis Hobbs	Olive Jackson	Mason	Bethlehem				
July 13 Carol Audrey	F	L	1	Edward B. Parker	Doris Darling	Haverhill	Peacham, Vt.				
July 17 Carol Audrey	F	L	1	Edward B. Parker	Phyllis Pelletier	Franconia	So. Ashburnham				



July	19	Nancy Jane	FL	2	Leslie Copenhaver	Rosemary Terhune	Bristol, Tenn.	No. Conway
July	19	Robert Edward	ML	1	Merle Hesselkline	Nora McCullough	Greensboro, Vt.	P. E. I.
July	20	Robert Edvedis	ML	1	Edvedis Lucas	Myra Corliss	Haverhill, Mass.	Canada
July	27	Ronald Anton	ML	1	Henry A. Snell	Iona Foster	Lisbon	Littleton
July	27	Gary Owen	ML	1	Henry Whitcomb, Jr.	Dorothy S. Nute	Dalton	Littleton
Aug.	1	Rhoda Miriam	FL	1	Ralph Sanborn	Marjorie Clark	Bethlehem	Lisbon
Aug.	4	William Hubert	ML	1	Hubert Burke	Yvonne Bilodeau	Crawford	Littleton
Aug.	4	Roland Voltaire	ML	2	Roland V. Smith	Charlote Moulton	Lyndonville, Vt.	Groton, Vt.
Aug.	5	Infant Knapp	MS	1	Edward R. Knapp	Helen Praton	Littleton	Gorham
Aug.	5	Andrew Wallace	ML	1	Wallace Ballou	Martha Aldrich	Greenfield, Mass.	Lisbon
Aug.	11	Infant Burnham	FS	2	Ralph Burnham	Ina Freeland	East Calais, Vt.	Scotland
Aug.	16	Infant Trahan	MS	1	Charles Trahan	Doris Roife	Berlin	Concord
Aug.	20	George Peter	ML	1	Frank R. Bennett	Louise Tewksbury	Newark, N. J.	Littleton
Aug.	21	Carol Louise	FL	4	Lee A. Clark	Helen H. Nute	Littleton	Littleton
Aug.	23	Merton Erald	ML	4	Elmer Knightly	Eunice Libby	So. Paris, Me.	Waltham, Mass.
Aug.	24	Howard Ola	ML	3	Cedric Burgess	Verna Haley	West Milan	Littleton
Aug.	25	Russell Henry	ML	2	Henry J. Harvie	Beatrice E. Hall	Portland, Me.	Lancaster
Aug.	26	Lee Willard	ML	1	Ned E. Hutchins	Ruth Aldrich	Stratford, Vt.	Lisbon
Sept.	2	Robert Charles	ML	1	Charles A. Baker	Irene P. Lucia	Littleton	Littleton
Sept.	4	Colleen Gay	FL	1	Charles Manning	Eleanor Hooper	Manchester	Manchester
Sept.	5	Ronald Edward	ML	3	Kenneth Trevena	Nellie Albee	Lyman	Landaff
Sept.	6		FL	1		Lena E. Sherman		Littleton
Sept.	10	Rachel Clara	FL	4	Albert Burgess	Clara Godbout	West Milan	Canada
Sept.	14	Joyce Marie	FL	1	Merrill Brooks	Myra Berwick	Keene	Littleton
Sept.	19	Elizabeth Jane	FL	2	Wilton A. Shaw	Florence Proulx	Morrisville, Vt.	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
Sept.	26	Linda Marie	FL	5	Frank T. Guyer	Dora Deslandes	Littleton	Island Pond, Vt.
Oct.	7	Myrna Rae	FL	1	Arthur E. Blaney	Hilda Blodgett	Bethlehem	Pittsburg
Oct.	7		FL	1		Beverly DeLage		Littleton
Oct.	8	Suzanne	FL	2	Albert D. Jordan	Edna Wilson	Auburn, Me.	Sangerville, Me.
Oct.	11	Carol Ann	FL	4	Waldo Nelson	Florence Shufelt	Franconia	Canada
Oct.	12	David Williams	ML	3	Harvie Zuckerman	Mary B. Williams	New York	New York
Oct.	19	Edsel Ford	ML	2	Edsel Hubbard	Norma Oakes	Lisbon	Landaff
Oct.	21	Infant Rexford	MS	1	Raymond Rexford	Amelia Heath	E. Burke, Vt.	E. Ryegate, Vt.
Oct.	25	Marie Marguerite	FL	1	Armand Lavallee	Simonne Kelley	Canada	Canada
Oct.	25		ML	2	Cecil W. Martin	Rachel Dodge	Canada	Groton, Mass.
Oct.	25	David Arthur	ML	1	Arthur C. Allen	Dorothy Hatfield	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick
Oct.	25	Joann Dorothy	FL	2	Arthur C. Allen	Dorothy Hatfield	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick
Oct.	29	Donald Charles	ML	1	Alan Sargent	Clarissa Barker	Lowell, Mass.	Charlestown
Oct.	29	Roland Carter	ML	1	Willard Stockbridge	Lavinia Merrow	Wolfeboro	Center Ossipee
Oct.	29	Richard Carter	ML	2	Willard Stockbridge	Lavinia Merrow	Wolfeboro	Center Ossipee



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				Father	Father	Mother	Mother	Father	Mother
Oct. 31 Irene Albina	F	L	3	Leo J. Bilodeau	Medora Laveau	Nashua	W. Ken'bunk, Me.		
Nov. 7 Robert Hampton	M	L	2	Ch'les W. Copenhaver	Ann Messick	Bristol, Tenn.	Hagerstown, Md.		
Nov. 10 Frederick Perry	M	L	1	Philip Rich	Mary Custeau	Lyndonville, Vt.	Canada		
Nov. 13 Thomas George	M	L	2	Winton G. Hunt	Elsie McLoughlin	Littleton	England		
Nov. 13 Oscar Earl	M	L	1	Laurence E. Clark	Reymore E. Lewis	Lisbon	Guildhall, Vt.		
Nov. 14 Janet Louise	F	L	2	Karl D. Sweett	Kathleen Noble	Jefferson	Concord, Vt.		
Nov. 16 Sandra Jean	F	L	1	Chester Goslin	Virginia Lucas	Ashland, Me.	Littleton		
Nov. 19 David Edward	M	L	3	Louis S. Bedard	Laurabella Smith	Littleton	West Bath		
Nov. 20 Roselle Laura	F	L	1	Frederick Lesperance	Alice Longchamps	Littleton	St. Johnsbury, Vt.		
Nov. 21 Evelyn Gail	F	L	2	Edward B. Knight	Sophie Berzin	Conway	Brockton, Mass.		
Nov. 24 Marlene Joan	F	L	1	Edward Robinson	Madeline Sherman	Canada	Littleton		
Nov. 25	F	L	2	James G. Bogle	Faye Coulter	Scotland	Sapula, Okla.		
Nov. 27 Mary Judith	F	L	1	Henry Landry	Rena Thompson	Berlin	Littleton		
Nov. 28 Gordon Ladd	M	L	3	Stephen L. Eaton	Margaret Gordon	Littleton	Canada		
Dec. 1 Jean Meredith	F	L	1	Bernard Hadlock	Leila Marchant	Concord	Lancaster		
Dec. 1 Anna May	F	L	3	Edmund Rioux	Cora Morin	Jefferson	Canada		
Dec. 2 Judith Ann	F	L	1	Holmes Parker	Elizabeth L. Beal	Littleton	Canada		
Dec. 3 Lorraine Sharon	F	L	4	Theodore Ledoux	Eva Daisey	Littleton	Waltham, Mass.		
Dec. 4 Roger Benoit	M	L	1	Benoit Lizotte	Vivian Marquis	Canada	Lisbon		
Dec. 5	F	L	4	Arthur W. Willey	Blanche Page	No. Troy, Vt.	Allen Point, Vt.		
Dec. 9	M	L	3	Kermit Baker	Doris Boulay	Littleton	No. Andover, M'ss.		
Dec. 10	F	L	7	Davila Tardiff	Florence Sharman	Berlin	Berlin		
Dec. 11 Roy Henry	M	L	4	Albert Daigle	Eliza Pageau	Lebanon	Chicopee, Mass.		
Dec. 19 William Howard	M	L	6	Edward Blodgett	Gladys Rawlins	No. Stratford	Littleton		
Dec. 20 Vera Mae	F	L	4	Albert MacDonald	Amelia Therrien	Whitefield	Brighton, Mass.		
Dec. 28 Patricia Louise	F	L	1	Raymond D. Smith	Muriel C. Sweett	Lisbon	Shelburne		
Dec. 28 Dawn Erin	F	L	1	Thomas F. X. Kelley	Margaret Duranty	Brighton, Mass.	Lawrence, Mass.		

I hereby certify that the above report is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. N. HEALD, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Littleton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date of Marriage and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
1938 Feb. 9 Barnet, Vt.	Theodore A. Wilkie Doreta S. Bowen	St. Johnsbury Littleton	22 16	Irwin A. Wilkie L. Mary Stone	R. A. Merrifield Clergyman Barnet, Vt.
Apr. 17 Lyndonville, Vt.	Duncan B. Crawford Florence A. Harvey	Littleton Littleton	60 46	Ethel Place Thomas Crawford Jane Jenkins Milo Harvey	Norman C. Webster Clergyman Lyndonville
Apr. 26 Lyndonville, Vt.	Claude M. Coffran Mary A. Forest	Littleton Littleton	48 50	Manly S. Coffran Irene Dodge Alfred Gerard	John D. Staffield Clergyman Lyndonville
May 7 Wells River, Vt.	Paul D. Burden Jessie W. Brooks	Littleton No. Haverhill	22 32	Clementine Boucher Douglas Burden Isabelle Foster Allen White Della Fleming	W. B. Lounsbury Clergyman Wells River
1939 Jan. 2 Littleton	Maurice H. Smith Isabel Daniels	Morrisville, Vt. Oakham, Mass.	27 23	Homer S. Smith Mabel B. Wade Ralph I. Daniels Leone Boyd	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Jan. 12 Littleton	Benjamin B. Gale Mary E. Swasey	Littleton Dalton	68 68	Ezra B. Gale Melissa R. Lang George Carpenter Phebe J. B. Clark	Frank P. Fletcher Clergyman Littleton

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Date of Marriage and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Jan. 15 Franconia	George F. Gillon	Lisbon	32	Thomas F. Gillon Susie Stone	Raymond F. Smith Clergyman
Jan. 19 Lisbon	Hannah E. Aldrich Holmes Parker	Littleton Littleton	18 23	Olcott N. Aldrich Elsie L. Bailey Walter H. Parker	Franconia Thomas A. Goodwin Clergyman
Feb. 4 Littleton	Elizabeth L. Beal Bernard H. Robie	Littleton Bethlehem	23	Ella Barrows Justus H. Beal Gertrude Howard	Littleton E. A. Francoeur Catholic Priest
Feb. 6 Littleton	Mildred Brown Arthur J. Greenwood	Littleton Haverhill	26	Charles F. Brown Augusta M. Sweet Jeddie P. Greenwood	Littleton E. A. Francoeur Catholic Priest
Feb. 25 Franconia	Madeline C. Veigue Robert Bean	Littleton Franconia	20	John Veigue Annie Provencal James Bean	Littleton Raymond F. Smith Clergyman
Feb. 28 Littleton	Hazel Little Arthur Servant	Littleton Littleton	21	Inez Rowe Harlan C. Little Stella M. Guernsey	Franconia E. A. Francoeur Catholic Priest
Mar. 3 Littleton	Edith A. Stinchfield Henry F. Whitcomb, Jr. Dorothy S. Nute	Littleton Littleton Littleton	31	Ferdinand Servant Claudia Gagnon Arthur W. Stinchfield Mary A. Brunell Henry F. Whitcomb Etta M. Gallagher John B. Nute Nellie S. Heald	Littleton Thomas A. Goodwin Clergyman

Mar. 4 Lunenburg, Vt.	Carl W. Edmunds	Littleton	21 John Edmunds	Olive C. Ball
	Vera I. Allard	Littleton	Lillian F. Elliott	Justice of the Peace Lunenburg, Vt.
Mar. 10 Littleton	William A. Greenwood	Littleton	19 Stephen Allard	
	Irene E. Stimson	Woodsville	18 Adolphus Greenwood	H. A. Hennon
Mar. 11 Lunenburg, Vt.	Charles A. Baker	Littleton	18 Cora A. Tremblay	Catholic Priest Littleton
	Irene P. Lucia	Littleton	Floyd E. Stimson	
Apr. 23 Littleton	Willard H. Buttles	Burlington	32 Clara A. Kidder	R. Heseltine
	Reta Howe	Burlington	Edgar O. Baker	Clergyman Lunenburg
Apr. 23 Littleton	Robert H. Harriman	Franconia	Sarah Curran	
	Dora M. Ledoux	Littleton	George Lucia	
Apr. 29 Groveton	George E. Allen	Bethlehem	Eva Morse	Walter N. Heald
	Hattie G. Haley	Littleton	Ernest H. Buttles	Justice of the Peace Littleton
May 1 Littleton	Fred S. Young, Jr.	Quincy, Mass.	Sarah L. Willard	
	Mary E. Conley	Dorchester, Mass.	21 Marshall A. Howe	
May 15 Littleton	Joseph I. Theriault	Littleton	Mabel E. Lyman	Frank P. Fletcher
	Audrey E. Lamont	Littleton	Elroy W. Harriman	Clergyman Littleton
May 28 Littleton	Harry W. Dickson	Littleton	Margaret Adams	
	Beulah M. Laliberte	Littleton	Theodore J. Ledoux	Robert C. Sharp
May 29 Whitefield	Raymond D. Smith	Littleton	Mary A. Cotnoir	Clergyman Groveton
	Muriel C. Sweet	Littleton	Earl R. Allen	
			Francis Bain	E. A. Francoeur
			Samuel G. Haley	Catholic Priest Littleton
			Bessie M. Smith	
			Fred S. Young	E. A. Francoeur
			Winifred Brown	Catholic Priest Littleton
			Martin J. Conley	
			Margaret Cunningham	E. A. Francoeur
			Richard Theriault	Catholic Priest Littleton
			Victorine Ross	
			Ezra Lamont	E. A. Francoeur
			Annie McKenna	Catholic Priest Littleton
			Thomas Dickson	
			Angeline Dion	William R. Locke
			Nelson Laliberte	Clergyman Whitefield
			Mary Davis	
			Benjamin Smith	
			Elphia Foster	
			Arthur Sweet	
			Elizabeth Frantz	

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Date of Marriage and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
May 29 St. Johnsbury	Edward H. Leonard	St. Johnsbury	36	Joseph Leonard	J. A. Dame Catholic Priest
	Lena A. Bedard	Littleton	18	Maggie P. Griffin George L. Bedard	St. Johnsbury
June 5 Landaff	Peter J. Hamel	Littleton	44	Delphine D. Trocadie	H. S. Weeks Clergyman
	Violet B. Powers	Lisbon	38	Armen Hamel Emma Taghan Frank Powers	Littleton
June 9 Barnet, Vt.	Homer W. Remick	Littleton	54	Lula S. Wright Rufus W. Remick	R. A. Merrifield Clergyman
	Jennie R. Bean	Waterford, Vt.	52	Mary A. Greeley Louis E. Robie	Barnet, Vt.
June 10 Woodsville	Howard E. Stockwell	Littleton	25	Emily A. Lyster Everett E. Stockwell	A. W. Altenbern Clergyman
	Mary L. Knox	Haverhill	22	Gertrude V. Cole Henry S. Knox	Haverhill
June 17 Littleton	Harry B. Ballou 3rd	Littleton	23	Flora J. Moore Harry B. Ballou	Frank P. Fletcher Clergyman
	Frances Giles	Littleton	24	Geraldine Ritson Raymond L. Giles	Littleton
June 27 Plymouth	Arthur T. Simmonds	Littleton	35	H. Abbie Seavey Arthur B. Simmonds	Luther J. Pollard and John C. Prince Clergymen
	Evelyn A. Pollard	Plymouth	27	Nellie Smith Luther J. Pollard	Plymouth Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace
July 8 Littleton	Edward J. Young	Littleton	58	Jessie Lambie Melvin Young	Littleton
	Mamie A. Morin	Littleton	55	Martha Hapgood Oliver Bennett Melissa Ford	



July 9 Littleton	Leman W. Trefry	Wellesley, Mass.	22 Leman C. Trefry Martha Beale	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
July 17 Peacham, Vt.	Florence J. MacDonald	Watertown, Mass.	20 John MacDonald Marcella MacDonald	A. George Scambles Clergyman Peacham, Vt.
July 18 Littleton	Willard G. Hiltz	Lincoln	22 Guy M. Hiltz Mabel Woods	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 19 Littleton	Ruth A. Lucas	Littleton	18 Jesse C. Lucas Elizabeth Tyler	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Settimio Mancini	Littleton	30 Giacinto Mancini Rita Gizza	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Rita Cote	Littleton	23 Ernest Cote Leonie Gaudette	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Scott R. Delaney	Woodsville	37 Arthur C. Delaney Elgie M. Flanders	John W. Dwyer Catholic Priest St. Johnsbury
July 24 Littleton	Mary I. Taupier	Littleton	38 Felix Taupier Sidonia Perras	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Charles W. Cushing	Waterford, Vt.	21 William M. Cushing Lillian K. Phillips	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Marjorie V. Paro	Littleton	16 Oscar W. Paro Helen F. Howland	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Claude L. Brusseau	Cambridge, Mass.	31 George H. Brusseau Virginia S. Boisvert	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 24 Littleton	Delima A. Thibodeau	Littleton	30 Joseph A. Thibodeau Mary A. Morin	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 28 Littleton	Carl G. Nelson	Lynn, Mass.	33 Jonas A. Nelson Helena M. Gullians	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
July 29 Littleton	Elsie C. Jess	Lynn, Mass.	29 Robert Jess Frida A. Hedquist	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest Littleton
July 29 Littleton	Thomas L. Kane	Littleton	51 John F. Kane Annie F. Kane	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Aug. 15 Littleton	Marian E. Fenerty	Littleton	32 Rufus S. Fenerty Margery A. Boynton	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Aug. 15 Littleton	Robert S. McGowan	Cambridge, Mass.	24 George P. McGowan Nellie Swan	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Aug. 25 Littleton	Marguerita A. Sigmund	Atlantic, N. J.	22 Wm. Peter Sigmund Lillian A. Drury	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Aug. 25 Littleton	Lawrence S. Shuman	Everett, Mass.	24 Joseph J. Shuman Pauline Grossman	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton
Aug. 25 Littleton	Mildred Siden	Detroit, Mich.	20 Joseph Siden Bessie Bloom	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace Littleton



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Aug. 31 Littleton	Arthur J. Dubey	Littleton	33	Joseph D. Dubey	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest
	Hazel D. Carbonneau	Littleton	28	Anna Hall	Littleton
Sept. 4 Littleton	William B. Bechtel	Milford, Ct.	29	Mary L. Audibert	Thomas A. Goodwin Clergyman
	Florence T. Little	Geneva, Ill.	21	Oman O. Bechtel Violet McLean	Littleton
Sept. 5 Littleton	Edward S. Trahan	Littleton	31	William D. Little Florence Titus	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest
	Gertrude M. Deveau	Sandown	22	Joseph T. Trahan Delvina Sampson	Littleton
Sept. 18 Littleton	Clarence R. Hill	Littleton	40	Francis E. Deveau Edwina S. Pinkham	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace
	Elsie Rivers	Littleton	40	Charles Hill Bertha Gibson	Littleton
Oct. 4 Littleton	George H. Bielis	Somerville, Mass.	32	Mitchell Routier Leontine Toussant	Walter N. Heald Justice of the Peace
	Grace F. Murphy	Revere, Mass.	24	Vincent L. Bielis Mary Romanis	Littleton
Oct. 9 Littleton	Edward P. Boynton	Littleton	21	Ambrose J. Murphy Mabel L. Foley	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest
	Alberta O. Paquette	Littleton	18	Clarence E. Boynton Alice V. Lehoux	Littleton
Oct. 11 Littleton	John D. Boyle	Concord	33	Mose J. Paquette Mary D. Fountain	Thomas J. Connor Catholic Priest
	Beverly A. Maxwell	Littleton	22	Francis Boyle Margaret Hughes	Littleton
				Samuel E. Maxwell Minnie M. Crowe	

Oct. 12 Woodsville	Joseph W. Gibson	Littleton	27 William M. Gibson	Herbert R. Rolfe
	Esther E. Lane	Littleton	Alfretta M. Barrett	Clergyman
Oct. 17 Manchester	Thomas L. Morris	Littleton	Eri J. Lane	Haverhill
	Dorothy F. Jewell	Littleton	Mamie E. Judd	Thomas L. Crosby
Oct. 28 Lisbon	Harry H. Harding	Littleton	Helen E. Lind	Clergyman
	Jessie L. Hood	Littleton	Eugene L. Jewell	Manchester
Oct. 28 Littleton	William H. Allen	Littleton	Marie F. Bellows	George W. Pike
	Grace E. Keniston	Littleton	Allen Harding	Justice of the Peace
Oct. 31 Littleton	Walter P. Lyman	Littleton	Mary C. Martin	Lisbon
	Hazel Sidney	Littleton	Amos Heath	Frank P. Fletcher
Nov. 15 Littleton	George W. McAlpin	Littleton	Jennie Ince	Clergyman
	Florence Roby	Berlin	George W. Allen	Littleton
Nov. 18 Littleton	Reginald E. Keniston	Littleton	Anna Noyes	Walter N. Heald
	Glenna R. Dupont	Littleton	George E. Prescott	Justice of the Peace
Nov. 25 St. Johnsbury	Gordon F. St. Lawrence	Littleton	Edna McGuire	Littleton
	Margot A. Robie	Littleton	John H. Lyman	Walter N. Heald
Nov. 27 Berlin	Arthur G. Buker	Littleton	Ada E. Downing	Justice of the Peace
	Rita L. Forbes	Berlin	Etta Flanders	Littleton
Nov. 27 Pembroke	John B. Eames	Littleton	George McAlpin	Walter N. Heald
	Blanche M. Foss	Concord	Hazel Reed	Justice of the Peace
			Fred Roby	Littleton
			Rena Griggs	J. Harvie A. Zuckerman
			Ernest W. Keniston	Clergyman
			Grace E. Prescott	Littleton
			Fred E. Dupont	T. W. Horsfield
			Amber M. Swinburn	Clergyman
			Joseph St. Lawrence	St. Johnsbury
			Florence Abbott	Joseph Melancon
			Guy Robie	Catholic Priest
			Gladys Langford	Berlin
			Harold Buker	Manuel H. Snow
			Josephine Lepete	Clergyman
			William Forbes	Pembroke, N. H.
			Delina Saucier	
			Byron Eames	
			Mary Richey	
			Milton Foss	
			Lillian Philbrick	

## Marriages (continued)

Date of Marriage and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of person by whom married
Nov. 29 St. Johnsbury	Edward E. Koepka	St. Johnsbury	67	Henry E. Koepka Martha A. Gould	Lewis A. Hennigar Clergyman St. Johnsbury
	Mary K. McVety	Littleton	67	Martin King Mary Dugan	Armand Fortin Catholic Priest St. Johnsbury
Dec. 1 St. Johnsbury	George J. Therrien	Littleton	23	Peter Therrien Annie Greenwood	Thomas A. Goodwin Clergyman Littleton
Dec. 9 Littleton	Marie C. J. Villeneuve	St. Johnsbury	22	Philippe Villeneuve Cecile Agnes ---	Forrest L. Eastman Priest Haverhill
	Maurice N. Perkins	Littleton	29	Albert E. Perkins Katherine Mooney	Frank P. Fletcher Clergyman Littleton
	Christine E. Ricker	Littleton	22	James W. Ricker Edna M. Parks	
Dec. 24 Woodsville	Harry Nelson	Franconia	21	Carl A. Nelson Stella M. Huntton	
	Virginia O. Spreadbury	Littleton	18	Sidney A. Spreadbury Avis L. Lee	
Dec. 31 Littleton	Charles G. Wiggins	Littleton	23	Charles A. Wiggins Jennie Brown	
	Beatrice Pressey	Littleton	18	Verne T. Pressey Mabel Whiting	

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## Deaths Registered in the Town of Littleton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1939

Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased			Place of Birth			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
	Years	Months	Days					
1938	71	10	20	Whitefield	Darius W. Northey	Roxanna T. Gould		
July 28	80	5	29	Dalton	Kate C. Tillotson	Lucinda Somers		
Jan. 1	86	7	6	Littleton	Ray T. Gile	Rozilla J. Randall		
Jan. 3	45	1	1	Lyman	Percy Corey	Elizabeth Dixon		
Jan. 16	0	0	1	Littleton	Infant Bedard	Lena Bedard		
Jan. 23	80	0	5	Canada	Andrew J. Duff	Martha Walker		
Jan. 24	100	3	1	Canada	Charlotte L. Carbee	Louisa Blodgett		
Jan. 25	47	4	14	Lisbon	Gertrude M. Pevear	Esther L. Ingerson		
Jan. 26	79	11	3	Pawtucket, R. I.	Frederick T. Walsh	Mary Pollard		
Feb. 4	0	0	0	Littleton	Infant Morris	Lula Goodwin		
Feb. 13	88	8	19	Littleton	Frank I. Parker	Lydia W. Chamberlain		
Feb. 17	18	0	3	Littleton	Merle B. Haley	Bessie M. Smith		
Mar. 3	84	4	1	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Mary E. Smith	Mary McCann		
Mar. 20	0	0	0	Littleton	Infant Celley	Beatrice Judd		
Mar. 21	73	0	0	Ireland	Daniel O'Neal			
Mar. 27	68	7	11	Bethlehem	Minot W. Watson	Hattie Mudgett		
Mar. 28	75	0	10	Columbus, O.	Harry Bingham	Susannah F. Gunning		
Mar. 29	62	7	13	Twin Mountain	Harry S. Holmes	Rose Vigue		
Mar. 30	3	2	25	Littleton	Frank S. Currier	Adma Mason		
Mar. 31	0	0	0	Littleton	Luida C. Perkins	Grace Craig		
Apr. 9	66	5	9	Ledgard, Ct.	Maud K. Coon	Louise Hakes		
Apr. 12	71	3	8	Boston, Mass.	James J. Harrington	Mary Collins		
Apr. 13	88	10	6	Franconia	Ella Aldrich	Fannie Burbank		
Apr. 13	78	10	16	Lisbon	Abigail Gould	Arvilla Richardson		
Apr. 17	59	2	27	Haverhill	Walter H. Dickerman	Mary A. Butterfield		
Apr. 21	80	0	28	Lyman	Harry B. Sherman	Adaline Little		



Deaths (continued)

Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Apr. 24	Harriett W. Hawes	82	3	20	Woonsocket, R. I.	George C. Wilder	Sarah A. Arnold
May 10	Elizabeth S. Wilkins	78	6	14	Littleton	Riley Simpson	Susan E. Chandler
May 10	Charlotte S. Howland	78	0	12	Dalton	Benjamin Sawyer	Sophronia Carter
May 13	Elmira Perry	45	2	9	Canada	George Taupier	Lucy Thibodeau
May 24	Martha L. Jervah	72	5	3	Caribou, Me.	William Foote	Eliza MacMillan
May 28	Ann Juliet Burnham	0	9	5	Littleton	John E. Burnham	Emma Simard
May 30	Mary S. Tuttle	70	5	9	Littleton	Charles M. Tuttle	Luthera A. Moulton
May 31	Joseph J. Goode	51	4	24	Littleton	Patrick Goode	Annie Brennan
May 31	Media A. Gould	61	1	18	Nova Scotia		
June 2	Michael J. Costello	62	4	26	Ireland	Timothy Costello	Jennie Burns
June 8	Harry W. Benedict	62	10	29	Franconia	Robert Benedict	Ruth Webster
June 17	Virginia Salway	70	7	0	Canada	John Brousseau	Lisa Cocaron
June 18	Natalie F. Richardson	45	3	5	Canada	Sumner S. Goding	Henrietta Page
June 20	John Lavasseur	76	0	4	No. Stratford	John Lavasseur	Olive Boutin
June 20	Willis J. Young	72	4	8	Franconia	George Young	Jerusha Wells
June 20	John F. Streamberg	77	7	13	Beverly, Mass.	John Streamberg	Mary Crosby
July 6	Herbert D. Newton	72	8	28	Lowell, Mass.	David H. Newton	Adaline Dutton
July 6	Infant Whiteside	0	0	0	Littleton	Ambrose Whiteside	Nancy M. Singleton
July 7	Infant Whiteside	0	0	0	Littleton	Ambrose Whiteside	Nancy M. Singleton
July 16	Mina J. Moore	65	9	2	Canada	James Radford	Julia LaFrance
July 17	Warren W. McGregor	81	1	2	Bethlehem	Willard McGregor	Elmira Blandin
July 27	Julia Columbe	56	6	18	Lincoln		
July 27	Edwin M. Goodwin	76	9	21	Indianapolis	Thomas A. Goodwin	Content Craft
July 27	Infant Burnham	0	0	0	Littleton	Ralph M. Burnham	Ina Freeland
July 29	Ada A. Soper	54	1	5	Washington, Ct.	James B. McHan	Emma Carrey
Aug. 4	Infant Smith	0	0	0	Littleton	Roland V. Smith	Charlotte M. Moulton
Aug. 5	Infant Knapp	0	0	0	Littleton	Edward R. Knapp	Helen Piattoni
Aug. 5	Georgianna M. Morrill	74	0	12	Whitefield	Myron B. Eastman	Caroline E. Richardson

Aug. 6	Eben W. Cole	164	115	Groveton	Alonzo Cole	Rebecca Gould
Aug. 6	William Moore	72	17	Canada	James D. Moore	Margaret Jamieson
Aug. 7	Violet S. Root	38	424	Dalton	William Sullivan	Angie Miller
Aug. 7	Carrie S. Mills	67	3	Littleton	George Morse	Rebecca Elliott
Aug. 16	Infant Trahan	0	0	Littleton	Charles L. Trahan	Doris M. Rolfe
Aug. 21	Della May Lee	45	322	Canada	Robert J. Forbes	Mary J. Johnston
Aug. 22	Joseph O. Mozrall	72	225	Littleton	Joseph O. Mozrall	Mary A. Lucia
Aug. 24	Mary Brown	81	10	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Peter Duffly	Ann Glynn
Sept. 4	J. Arsene Gadbois	67	5	Canada	George A. Gadbois	Therese Goddonbeau
Sept. 24	Kimball Noyes	73	528	Landaff	Kimball Noyes	Diancy Bowles
Oct. 14	Fred Carbonneau	59	0	Littleton	Alfred Carbonneau	Mary McGarry
Oct. 21	Infant Rexford	0	0	Littleton	Raymond Rexford	Amelia Heath
Oct. 23	Mary B. Bloomfield	161	612	New York City	Theron H. Burden	Margaret F. Looney
Oct. 24	Jeanette C. Mathes	79	525	Laucaster	Benjamin F. Hodgdon	Jeanette Chase
Oct. 30	James R. Swinburn	80	914	Lincoln, Me.	Matthew Swinburn	Mary Lane
Oct. 30	Vivian Bisson	22	315	Craftsbury, Vt.	Walter Crowe	Edith Hesselstine
Nov. 2	Annie Bell Elkins	79	5	Belfast, Me.	Andrew J. Dean	Harriet B. Burkmer
Nov. 4	Louise Reynolds	79	126	Cedar Lake, Ind.	Christian Rink'berger	Mary Blakely
Nov. 7	Joseph Laflamme	86	720	Canada	Lawrence Laflamme	Anna Whitton
Nov. 9	George Lynaugh	79	123	Canada	William Lynaugh	Kate Prescott
Nov. 18	Milton P. Clifford	23	11	Springfield, Mass.	Oscar Clifford	Madeline Sherman
Nov. 24	Marlene J. Robinson	0	0	Littleton	Edward R. Robinson	Electa Wilcox
Nov. 25	Altha J. Tewksbury	83	7	Wisconsin	Maurice Lawrence	Jane Eaton
Nov. 30	Edward C. Elliott	49	2	Salisbury, Mass.	Jacob Brown	Lucia A. Dunbar
Dec. 2	Clarence E. Jewell	57	828	Groton	Newton I. Jewell	Sarah S. Gilman
Dec. 2	Harriett F. Morrison	90	117	Haverhill	George Morrison	Persis P. Parker
Dec. 4	Eugenia B. Clark	74	8	Lyman	Julius Smith	Nancy Byers
Dec. 7	Robert Eager	72	8	Canada	William Eager	Rachel Hill
Dec. 10	Harry D. Emmons	73	10	W. Thornton	John Emmons	Clarissa Bowen
Dec. 13	Mary A. Bowen Mills	85	629	So. Colton, N. Y.	John Bowen	Sarah A. Simonds
Dec. 18	Charles E. Harriman	62	817	Bethlehem	Henry Harriman	

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Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1939							
Jan. 8	Robert J. Sheridan	58	7	8	Groveton	John P. Sheridan	Mary J. Atkinson
Jan. 10	Theresa D. Gibbs	50	3	10	Littleton	Lawrence Delaney	Ellen Lavac
Jan. 25	Joseph Corum	76	3	24			
Feb. 3	Gustave Lehoux	73	11	29	Canada	George Lehoux	Eliza Fortier
Feb. 18	Blanche Fiske	55	1	4	Haverhill, Mass.	John Hall	Lavinia H. Stevens
Feb. 24	Charles A. Simpson	71	0	0			
Mar. 4	Caroline Belanger	90	3	5	Canada	Joseph Carrier	Louise
Mar. 15	Margaret E. Whittaker	89	4	25	Barnet, Vt.	Daniel Harrington	Hannah Murphy
Mar. 16	Mary F. Lynch	71	11	0	Bath	Dexter H. French	Martha M. Elkins
Mar. 19	D. Wilbur Little	82	2	7	Monroe	John M. Little	Maria A. Chase
Mar. 31	Ella M. Deming	64	4	23	Lyman	Lorenzo D. Williams	Susan Scales
Apr. 7	Earnest Forester	62	0	0	Littleton		
Apr. 7	Ida Mae Egan	60	1	24	Littleton	Sumner Elliott	Myra Streeter
May 1	Henry Danforth	58	11	22			
June 10	Napoleon Sevigny	40	6	24	Lunenburg, Vt.	Joseph Sevigny	Hattie Guilmette
June 22	Mary B. Sylvester	62	8	20			
June 27	Charles L. Vigue	64	11	1			
June 29	Margaret R. MacIver	36	6	19			
July 14	James M. Wells	76	7	23	Canada	Moise Dupuis	
Aug. 1	John J. McDonald	70	11	0			
Aug. 20	Walter R. Bigelow	54	8	5	Suncook	Wm. R. Bigelow	Emma Place
Nov. 3	Garvin Magoon	40	0	9	Manchester	Charles E. Magoon	Georgia Southard
Nov. 20	Evelyn McMann	35	2	13			
Dec. 19							

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