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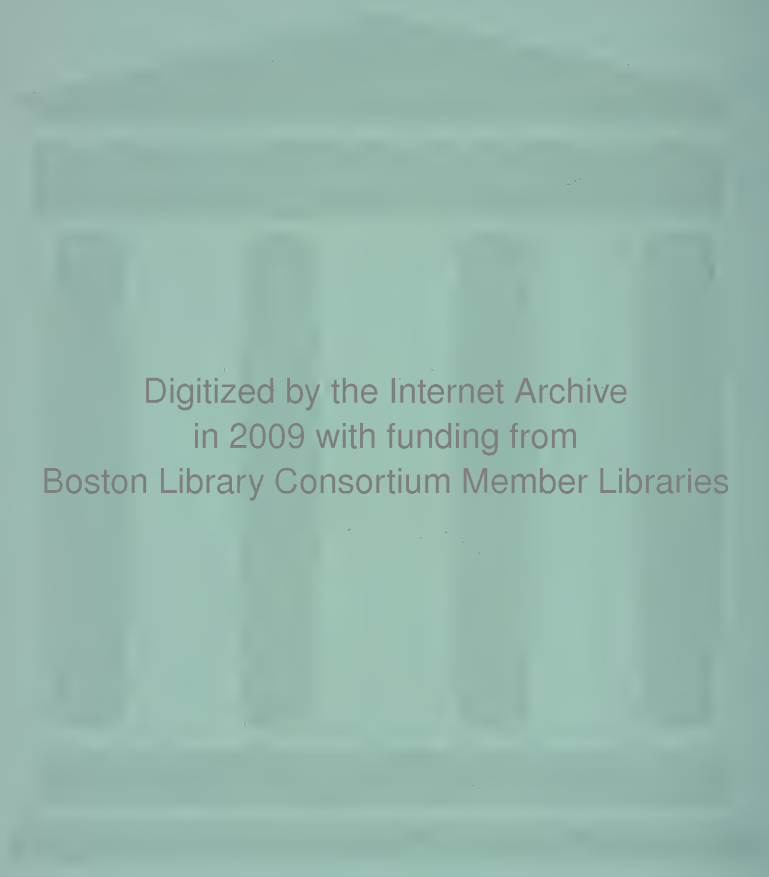
*of the Officers of the Town*

## CONWAY

NEW HAMPSHIRE



*For the Fiscal Year Ending  
December 31, 1956*



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# TOWN OFFICERS

## SELECTMEN

MELVIN G. DENNETT	Term expires 1957	Center Conway
JOHN N. LEIGHTON	Term expires 1957	North Conway
CHARLES V. STURDIVANT	Term expires 1959	Conway

## CLERK and COLLECTOR

LEON A. SHIRLEY	Center Conway
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## MODERATOR

BURNHAM B. DAVIS	Conway
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## AUDITORS

LUCIEN STACY	North Conway
RAYMOND AMBROSE	Conway

## SUPERVISORS

STETSON F. ARCHIBALD	Conway
ROGER S. BURNELL	Conway
DANA J. FARRINGTON	Conway

## FIRE WARDEN

LEDORIQUE T. SAVARD	North Conway
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## LIBRARY TRUSTEES

HOWARD G. BURDGE	Term expires 1957	Conway
RUTH B. D. HORNE	Term expires 1957	Conway
HAZEL RAMSAY	Term expires 1958	Conway
GERTRUDE G. SHEDD	Term expires 1958	North Conway
ANNE GLACKENS	Term expires 1959	Center Conway
LIBERTY SANTA MARIA	Term expires 1959	Conway

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

PERLEY W. MUDGETT	Term expires 1959	Center Conway
FRANK E. KENNETT, JR.	Term expires 1958	Conway
S. JEAN FERNANDEZ	Term expires 1957	North Conway

# TOWN WARRANT

*State of New Hampshire*

*Carroll ss.*

*To the inhabitants of the Town of Conway, County of Carroll, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

*You are hereby notified to meet at the Kennett High School Auditorium at Conway, New Hampshire, March 12, 1957, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:*

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers.

Article 2. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the following purposes:

Section a. Town officers' salaries

- b. Town officers' expenses
- c. Election and registration expenses
- d. Municipal Court expenses
- e. Expenses of town hall and other town buildings
- f. Police department
- g. Fire department
- h. Insurance
- i. Civil Defense
- j. Health department
- k. Vital statistics
- l. Town office expense
- m. Town dump
- n. Town maintenance of highway, summer and winter
- o. Libraries
- p. Town poor
- q. Old age assistance
- r. Memorial Day
- s. Soldiers' aid
- t. Parks and playgrounds
- u. Damage and legal expense
- v. F.I.C.A.
- w. Interest on temporary loans and bonds

- x. Payment on bond issue
- y. County tax

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for the purpose of mailing inventory blanks to all taxpayers on the property warrant records.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute the blank inventories at the time that they take their inventory of Head and Poll taxes.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire upon the credit of the town such sums of money as may be needed. Such sums not to exceed the combined School, Town and County tax budget, in anticipation of taxes raised for Town, County and School purposes.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,400 for the purchase of two new trucks for the Highway Department.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000 for the purchase of a new loader for the Highway Department.

Article 8. To see what action the town will take on the following: Do you favor the continuation of the town manager plan as now in force in this town?

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600 to be paid to the State Tax Commission at the rate of \$5.00 per parcel for appraising new property.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00, \$500.00 for the general expenses of the Information Booth located in North Conway and \$500.00 for the general expenses of the booth in Conway Village and to pay such sums respectively to the North Conway Chamber of Commerce and the Conway Chamber of Commerce to be expended for said general expenses of each such Information Booth respectively. Agreeable to a petition signed by William White and others.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for remodeling and enlarging the Information Booth at Conway and North Conway. Agreeable to a petition signed by William White and others.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00, Five Hundred Dollars, to the White Mountains Region Association for the purpose of issuing and distributing printed matter and advertising and otherwise publicizing the advantages of the town, in co-operation with the other 45 towns in the region. Agreeable to a petition signed by Richard G. White and others.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to reappropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 as appropriated under Article 13 in last year's warrant, for the proper drainage of Mechanic Street in North Conway Village.

Article 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to widen the present bridge at the outlet of Conway Lake and to grade the approaches to the same. Agreeable to a petition signed by Charles E. Davidson and others.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$275.00 to paint the roof of the wooden covered bridge crossing the Saco River on Route 16A at Conway Village.

Article 16. To see what sum of money the town of Conway will vote to raise and appropriate to assist in maintaining the Memorial Hospital at North Conway.

Article 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,500.00, said sum to be matched by the State of New Hampshire, and an additional sum to cover cost of damages to water and sewer lines, and to acquire drainage casements, said sums to be used in connection with the reconstruction of East Main Street in Conway Village.

Article 18. To see if the town will vote to adopt the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law; as provided for by Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, of the State of New Hampshire.

Article 19. To see if the members-at-large of the budget committee shall consist of three, six, nine, or twelve members.

Article 20. To see if the members-at-large of the budget committee shall be appointed by the moderator or elected by the town meeting.

Article 21. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$390.00 for the construction of 40 street signs.

Article 22. To see if the town will vote to accept the following proposed by-law: Gasoline stations to be constructed in our township hereinafter must be located at least 1,000 feet from any other business establishment selling petroleum products. Agreeable to a petition signed by Jesse E. Lyman, Sr., and others.

Article 23. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate toward the support of the Eastern Slope Region, Inc. Agreeable to a petition signed by Robert E. Duncan and others.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to have the State Auditors audit the town books each year until this vote is rescinded at some future town meeting.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 to reroof and point and waterproof the walls of the Highway garage.



Article 26. To see if the town will vote to rescind the vote passed under Article 24 of the Annual Town Meeting of 1956, said article reading: "To see if the town will vote to widen Main Street in Conway Village from the bridge near the Heel Mill to the junction of N. H. Routes 16 and 113."

Article 27. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,038.24 for Town Road Aid with the State contributing \$6,921.62 and to see if the town will raise and appropriate \$4,540.00 for Class IV Urban with the State contributing \$4,540.00.

Article 28. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the short section of highway in Conway Village connecting Main Street with the street leading northerly past the house of William C. Kennett, said highway to be discontinued lying northerly of a triangular island and southerly of the Kennett High School lot. Agreeable to a petition signed by Robert S. Morrell and others.

Article 29. To see if the town will accept Jackson Avenue as a town road and to appropriate a sum of money for necessary repairs. Agreeable to a petition signed by Clifford Russell and others.

Article 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to rebuild the bridge on Whitaker Road so-called. Agreeable to a petition signed by Daniel E. Grant and others.

Article 31. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to deed to the North Conway Water Precinct for erection of a fire station, a part of the North Conway Park on the southerly end, going north 100 feet on Main Street, bounded on the south by a town highway, west by a town highway, east by Main Street, and north by the North Conway Park. Agreeable to a petition signed by Ledorique T. Savard and others.

Article 32. To see if the town will vote to accept as a public town way a portion of Pine Street so-called, said portion being an extension of the public way described in the Town Clerk's Records of the Town of Conway, Volume 8, Pages 454 and 455, under date of November 9, 1898, its center line running from the location of the stake 25 feet from the northwest corner of the then house of Mrs. Warren Dinsmore to Main Street, North Conway, this line being a straight line continuation of the center line last mentioned in the above description, and being the center line of the portion of said Pine Street under consideration for acceptance, said portion to be three rods wide.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to construct a drain at the junction of A and Main Streets in North Conway.

Article 34. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to construct a drain through Reporter Court to connect with the drain on Main Street.

Article 35. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to complete the drainage system on Mill Street so-called in Center Conway. Agreeable to a petition signed by Charles E. Davidson and others.

Article 36. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install a catch basin and necessary pipe to further drain Washington Street in Conway Village.

Article 37. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to prevent the escaping of sewer gas into the catch basin on Washington Street, Conway Village, at the Conway Furniture Company.

Article 38. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to make application for a Federal loan, interest free, from the Housing and Home Finance Agency, under the provisions of Public Law 560, 83rd Congress; further to authorize the Selectmen to enter into an agreement with the Federal Government to obtain said loan, the proceeds of which shall be expended by the Selectmen for an engineering study, plans, specifications and cost estimates of the sewage disposal requirements in Conway; said loan to be repaid only if and when construction of such sewage disposal project is undertaken by said town.

Article 39. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to gravel and surface the uncompleted portion of River Street.

Article 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) to grade and gravel surface Hillside Avenue and Muster Road in Conway Village, the approximate distance being 2,000 feet. Agreeable to a petition signed by Arthur L. Potter and others.

Article 41. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to grade and surface the road leading to the Town Dump in East Conway.

Article 42. To see if the town will vote to: resurface and tar the road from Goshen Corner (on Brownfield Road, South Conway) to the snowplow turn around at the R. J. Marvel, Jr., house on Davis Hill, a distance of 8/10 mile, and to raise and appropriate sufficient money for same. Agreeable to a petition signed by Reuben J. Marvel, Jr., and others.

Article 43. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 to install traffic lights at the junction of Main Street and Washington and Pleasant Streets in Conway Village or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 44. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate

the sum of \$5,500.00 to enlarge and alter the building housing the town offices at Center Conway.

Article 45. To see if the town will vote to reappropriate the sum of \$500 to defray the cost of perambulation of town lines.

Article 46. To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Center Conway, N. H., this 23rd day of February, 1956.

MELVIN G. DENNETT

JOHN N. LEIGHTON

CHARLES V. STURDIVANT

Selectmen of Conway

A True Copy Attest:

MELVIN G. DENNETT

JOHN N. LEIGHTON

CHARLES V. STURDIVANT

Selectmen of Conway

### **NOTICE**

As the Town Audit is incomplete, all town accounts herein are subject to audit.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR  
 JANUARY 1, 1957 TO DECEMBER 31, 1957

Compared with

ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE, APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE  
 PREVIOUS YEAR JANUARY 1, 1956 TO DECEMBER 31, 1956

## SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1956	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1956	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1957
<i>From State:</i>			
Interest and dividends tax	\$ 12,511 49	\$ 12,511 49	\$ 11,000 00
Railroad tax	2,500 00	3,705 15	2,500 00
Savings Bank tax	800 00	1,349 64	1,000 00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	200 00	85 54	80 00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of growing wood and timber	1,000 00		
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>			
Dog licenses	750 00	682 75	600 00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	300 00	369 50	300 00
Fines and forfeits, Municipal Court	300 00	1,013 32	600 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	250 00	93 38	
Filing fees		21 00	
Taxi licenses		211 50	
Bicycle licenses		282 00	200 00

Beano licenses	190 00		20,000 00
Motor vehicle permit fees	22,485 68		
Sale of town property	1,136 68		
John Porter Davidson Trust Fund	500 00		
<i>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</i>			
(a) Poll taxes — Regular at \$2	2,800 00	3,236 00	2,800 00
(b) National Bank stock taxes	10 00	18 00	10 00
(c) Yield taxes		3,490 62	1,500 00
<i>Total Revenues from All Sources</i>			
<i>Except Property Taxes</i>	\$39,736 62		

## II

### PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

Current Maintenance Expenses:			
<i>General Government:</i>			
Town office expenses	\$ 3,000 00	\$ 2,984 35	\$ 3,000 00
Town officers' salaries	12,500 00	11,488 90	14,500 00
Town officers' expenses	1,200 00	1,402 94	1,400 00
Election and registration expenses	1,500 00	1,433 49	600 00
Municipal Court expenses	400 00	400 00	500 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	800 00	829 38	1,000 00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>			
Police department	9,200 00	9,535 22	10,850 00
Fire department	2,000 00	2,137 20	2,000 00

Insurance	1,800 00	4,115 90	2,700 00
Civil Defense	600 00	600 00	2,500 00
<i>Health:</i>			
Article 16	4,000 00	4,000 00	200 00
Health department, including hospitals	200 00	128 00	300 00
Vital statistics	300 00	324 25	1,500 00
Town dump and garbage removal	1,500 00	1,324 80	55,000 00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
General expenses of highway department	52,000 00	59,512 02	7,500 00
<i>Libraries:</i>			
Libraries	6,750 00	6,750 00	8,000 00
<i>Public Welfare:</i>			
Town poor	10,000 00	7,698 35	13,000 00
Old age assistance	14,000 00	12,902 33	275 00
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>			
Memorial Day and veterans' associations	275 00	275 00	1,500 00
Aid to soldiers and their families	3,000 00	1,217 93	450 00
<i>Recreation:</i>			
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	450 00	455 00	1,000 00
<i>Unclassified:</i>			
Damages and legal expenses, including dog damage	350 00	1,407 27	1,500 00
Employees' retirement and social security	1,200 00	1,344 51	2,000 00
<i>Interest:</i>			
On long-term notes and bonds	2,000 00	1,330 00	4,540 00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
Article 8	4,540 00	4,540 00	1,041 22
Article 8	1,041 22	1,041 22	

*Payment on Principal of Debt:*

Long-term notes

6,000 00                      6,000 00                      6,000 00

*Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:*

County taxes

24,913 53                      24,913 53

School taxes

237,564 01

Article 3

100 00

Article 10

1,000 00

Article 12

500 00

Article 14

500 00

Article 15

4,500 00

Article 20

200 00

3,786 96

*Total Expenditures*

\$435,583 76

\$413,042 56

\$136,575 00

# SELECTMEN'S REPORT

## INVENTORY

Land and buildings	\$9,075,639 00
Electric plants	329,455 00
Horses, 40	2,500 00
Cows and other, 624	51,795 00
Fowls, 2,000	1,950 00
Wood and lumber	1,560 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	5,183 00
Stock in trade	690,139 00
Mills and machinery	88,719 00
Trailers and boats	5,860 00
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<b>Total Valuation</b>	<b>\$10,252,800 00</b>
Exempted to veterans	217,275 00
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	<b>\$10,035,525 00</b>
Poll taxes at \$2.00 (1588)	3,176 00
National Bank Stock taxes	10 00

## TAX RATES PER \$1,000 VALUATION

Town of Conway	\$39 00
Center Conway Fire Precinct	1 40
Center Conway Lighting Precinct	2 50
East Conway Precinct	2 10
Conway Village Fire District	7 30
North Conway Precinct	2 70

## APPROPRIATIONS

Town officers' salaries	\$12,500 00
Town officers' expenses	1,200 00
Election and registration	1,500 00
Municipal Court	400 00
Town Hall and other town buildings	800 00
Police department	9,200 00
Fire department	2,000 00
Insurance	1,800 00
Civil Defense	600 00
Health Department	200 00
Memorial Hospital	4,000 00
Vital statistics	300 00
Town dump	1,500 00
General expense of highway department	52,000 00
Libraries	6,750 00
Town poor	10,000 00
Old age assistance	14,000 00
Memorial Day (Vet. Assoc.)	275 00



Soldiers' Aid	3,000 00
Parks and playgrounds	450 00
Article 8, Class IV Urban	4,540 00
Article 8 Town Road Aid	1,041 22
Damages and legal expenses	350 00
Article 12, White Mountains Region Assoc.	500 00
Social Security or Retirement	1,200 00
Interest on temporary loans and bonds	2,000 00
Article 3, Mailing inventory blanks	100 00
Article 10, Information booths	1,000 00
Article 14, Survey of town lines	500 00
Payments on bond issue	6,000 00
County taxes	24,913 53
School taxes	263,264 01
Town office	3,000 00
Article 15, Saco River bridge	4,500 00
Article 20, Eastern Slope Region, Inc.	200 00

<i>Total Town and School Appropriations</i>	\$435,583 76
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**LESS ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS**

Interest and dividends tax	\$12,511 49
Railroad tax	2,500 00
Savings Bank tax	800 00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	200 00
Yield tax	3,616 61
Dog licenses	750 00
Business licenses and permits	300 00
Fines and forfeits – Municipal Court	300 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	250 00
Motor vehicle permit fees	19,000 00
Cash surplus	10,000 00

<i>Total Revenues and Credits</i>	\$ 50,228 10
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	\$385,355 66
Plus overlay	9,215 82
<b>Net amount to be raised by taxation</b>	<b>\$394,571 48</b>
Less: 1588 poll taxes at \$2.00	3,176 00
Less: National Bank stock taxes	10 00

3,186 00

<b>Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is to be figured</b>	<b>\$391,385 48</b>
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## Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1956

	Appropriation	Receipts	Available	Expended	Unexpended	Overdraft
Town officers' salaries	12,500 00	\$100 00	12,600 00	11,488 90	1,111 10	
Town officers' expenses	1,200 00		1,200 00	1,402 94		202 94
Election and registration	1,500 00		1,500 00	1,433 49	66 51	
Municipal court	400 00	1,015 32	1,413 32	400 00	1,013 32	
Town Hall and other buildings	800 00		800 00	829 38		29 38
Police department	9,200 00	4 50	9,204 50	9,535 22		330 72
Fire department	2,000 00		2,000 00	2,137 20		137 20
Insurance	1,800 00	451 82	2,251 82	4,115 90		1,864 08
Civil Defense	600 00		600 00	600 00		
Health department	200 00		200 00	128 00	72 00	
Vital statistics	300 00		300 00	324 25		24 25
Town dump	1,500 00		1,500 00	1,324 80	175 20	
General expenses of highway	52,000 00	7,535 42	59,535 42	59,512 02	23 40	
Libraries	6,750 00		6,750 00	6,750 00		
Town poor	10,000 00	1,019 20	11,019 20	7,698 35	3,320 85	
Old Age Assistance	14,000 00	447 47	14,447 47	12,902 33	1,545 14	
Memorial Day	275 00		275 00	275 00		
Soldier's Aid	3,000 00		3,000 00	1,217 93	1,782 07	
Parks and playgrounds	450 00		450 00	455 00		5 00
Office expense	3,000 00		3,000 00	2,984 35	15 65	
Interest	2,000 00		2,000 00	1,330 00	670 00	
Bonds (retirement)	6,000 00		6,000 00	6,000 00		
Damage and legal	350 00		350 00	1,407 27		1,057 27
F.I.C.A.	1,200 00		1,200 00	1,344 51		144 51

Article 8, Town Road Aid	1,041 22			1,041 22	
Article 8, Class IV Urban	4,540 00			4,540 00	
Article 10, Information Booths	1,000 00			1,000 00	
Article 12, White Mountains Region	500 00			500 00	
Article 14, Surveying town lines	500 00			500 00	500 00
County tax	24,913 53			24,913 53	
School tax	263,264 01			237,564 01	25,700 00
Article 3 (inventory blank)	100 00			100 00	
Article 15 (Saco River Bridge)	4,500 00			3,786 96	713 04
Article 16 (Hospital)	4,000 00			4,000 00	
Article 20 (Eastern Slope)	200 00			200 00	
1955 TRA Reimbursement		10,204 02			10,204 02
		<u>\$20,775 75</u>		<u>\$413,042 56</u>	<u>\$47,112 30</u>
					<u>\$83,795 35</u>

# FINANCIAL REPORT

FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$143,306.43	
Petty cash	25 00	
<i>Accounts Due to the Town</i>		
Robert J. Brown (Bonded by State)	765 70	
<i>Unredeemed Taxes</i>		
Levy of 1955	5,386 96	
Levy of 1954	1,319 43	
Levy of 1953	540 34	
<i>Uncollected Taxes</i>		
Levy of 1956 — Property taxes	35,731 83	
Levy of 1954 — Property taxes	1,287 56	
Levy of 1953 — Property taxes	28 80	
Levy of 1956 — Yield taxes	2,514 50	
Levy of 1955 — Yield taxes	125 79	
Levy of 1953 — Yield taxes	197 35	
Levy of 1956 — Poll taxes	696 00	
Levy of 1955 — Poll taxes	54 00	
Levy of 1954 — Poll taxes	36 00	
Levy of 1953 — Poll taxes	34 00	
State Head taxes — 1956	2,305 00	
State Head taxes — 1955	185 00	
State Head taxes — 1954	120 00	
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<i>Total Assets</i>		\$194,659 69
Surplus December 31, 1956	\$68,588 69	
Surplus December 31, 1955	59,248 03	
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Increase of surplus	\$ 9,340 66	

### Liabilities

<i>Accounts Owed by Town</i>		
Due to State on Head taxes and penalties (1956)	871 00	
Due to School District, balance of appropriation	115,000 00	
Due Eastern Slope Region, Inc.	200 00	
<i>Bonds Outstanding</i>		
Highway and bridge bonds	2,000 00	
Highway garage bonds	8,000 00	
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<i>Total Liabilities</i>		\$126,071 00
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)		68,588 69
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		\$194,659 69

**STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT  
TOWN OF CONWAY  
December 31, 1956**

	Highways Garage Bonds Balance Due at 2% Interest	Highways Bridge Bonds Balance Due at 2% Interest	Total Annual Maturities
	\$8,000 00	\$2,000 00	
1957	4,000 00	2,000 00	6,000 00
1958	4,000 00		4,000 00
	\$8,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$10,000 00

**UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION**

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**RECEIPTS**

*Current Revenue*

*From Local Taxes: Collected and  
Remitted to Treasurer*

Property taxes	\$383,741 63	
Poll taxes	2,624 00	
National Bank stock tax	18 00	
Yield taxes	3,490 62	
State Head taxes and penalties	8,581 00	
Interest on taxes	93 38	
Total current year's taxes collected and remitted		\$398,548 63
Property taxes and Yield taxes, previous years		34,050 87
Property redeemed (John B. Reed, Coll., North Conway Water Precinct)		943 32
Poll taxes previous years		612 00
Head taxes and penalties previous years		2,352 50
Tax sales redeemed and interest		14,235 45
<i>From State:</i>		
Town road aid and Cl. IV urban		15,883 40
Railroad and Savings Bank tax		5,054 79
Interest and dividend taxes		12,511 49
Reimbursement National Forest Reserve		4 94
State road toll reimbursement		553 96
Reimbursement to old age assistance		447 47
Reimbursement for state forest lands		80 60
Head tax reimbursement		30 00
Bicycle licenses		282 00
Filing fees		21 00

Dog licenses	682 75
Business licenses	369 50
Beano licenses	190 00
Taxi licenses	211 50
Municipal Court (fines and forfeits)	1,013 32
Reimbursements to F.I.C.A.	94 56
Reimbursement to general highway	1,302 08
Reimbursement to town poor	1,019 20
Reimbursement to insurance	451 82
Reimbursement withholding tax	438 00
Reimbursement town officers' salaries	100 00
Registration of motor vehicles	
1955 Permits	284 32
1956 Permits	21,921 34
1957 Permits	279 92
Reimbursement to police	4 50
Reimbursement to Blue Cross	91 00
Reimbursement to Mechanic Street drain	502 25
Sale of town property	1,136 68
John Porter Davidson Trust Fund	500 00
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	150,000 00
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Total Receipts, All Sources	\$666,205 16
Cash on hand, January 1, 1956	115,638 99
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	\$781,844 15

### PAYMENTS

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

<i>General Government:</i>	
Town officers' salaries	\$11,488 90
Town officers' expenses	1,402 94
Election and registration	1,433 49
Municipal Court	400 00
Town Hall and other buildings	829 38
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>	
Police department	9,535 22
Fire departments, including forest fires	2,137 20
Office expense	2,984 35
Insurance	4,115 90
Civil Defense	600 00
<i>Health and Sanitation:</i>	
Health department	128 00
Article 16, hospital	4,000 00
Vital statistics	324 25
Town dump	1,324 80
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>	
Town road aid	1,041 22

Class IV urban	4,540 00
Town highway maintenance, including work done on TRA, Cl. IV urban	59,512 02

*Libraries:*

Libraries	6,750 00
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*Public Welfare:*

Town poor	7,698 35
Old age assistance	12,902 33

*Patriotic Purposes:*

Memorial Day	275 00
Aid to soldiers and their families	1,217 93

*Recreation:*

Parks and playgrounds	455 00
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*Unclassified:*

Art. 3, mailing inventory blanks	100 00
Art. 10, Information Booths	1,000 00
Art. 12, White Mountains Region Ass'n.	500 00
Art. 15, Saco River bridge	3,786 96
F.I.C.A.	305 14
Retirement and social security	1,344 51
Town Clerk's fees, licenses	468 75
Legal expenses	1,407 27
Abatements and refunds	3,898 43
Auto permit fees	1,182 00
Bicycle plates and licenses	81 92
Taxes bought by town	19,139 15
W. H.	810 50
Mechanic street drain	8,113 29
Interest for all purposes	1,330 00
Blue Cross	118 00
Auditing	429 89
Miscellaneous	35 00

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44,050 81

*Indebtedness:*

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	150,000 00
Payments on bridge bonds	2,000 00
Payments on garage bonds	4,000 00

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156,000 00

*Payments to Other Governmental*

*Divisions:*

Payments to precincts	30,590 09
State Head tax	10,323 00
County tax paid to treasurer	24,913 53

Payments to school district	237,564 01
(1955 - \$ 90,000 00)	
(1956 - \$147,564 01)	
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	638,537 72
Cash on hand December 31, 1956	143,306 43
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	\$781,844 15

### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and buildings	\$20,000 00
Libraries, lands and buildings	25,000 00
Furniture and equipment	500 00
Police department, land and buildings	2,500 00
Highway department, land and buildings and equipment	60,000 00
Parks, commons and playgrounds	7,500 00
Schools, lands and buildings	628,000 00
Equipment	70,000 00
Timber lot	1,000 00
Gravel pit	1,000 00
Property acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds	
35 acres pasture and intervale land	1,000 00
1/8 acre, house and land	1,130 00
Land and buildings, Side Track	1,000 00
Land and buildings, Odell Hill	200 00
1 acre camp and lot, Fryeburg Road	100 00
1/8 acre, camp and land, West Side Road	400 00
1/4 acre, Brackett house and land	1,500 00
50 acres, land	150 00
House and lot, East Conway Road	600 00
1/2 acre, house and lot	50 00
House on Washington Street	6,150 00
Cottage on Hatch land	100 00
Land and buildings, North Road	790 00
Land and buildings, Intervale Road	1,540 00
1/2 acre, house and land, Swett Street	2,440 00
9 acres, Clark land	270 00
Land and buildings, Intervale Road	2,110 00
Cottage and land, Kennett Street	2,700 00
3/4 acre, land and buildings	6,620 00
Land and buildings, Grove Street	980 00
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	\$845,330 00



# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### STATE HEAD TAX

#### LEVY OF 1954

— DR. —

Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1956	\$340 00	
Added tax:		
Penalties collected	7 00	
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Total		\$347 00

— CR. —

<i>Remittance to Treasurer During 1956</i>		
Head tax	\$ 70 00	
Penalties	7 00	
Abatements	150 00	
Uncollected Jan. 1, 1957	120 00	
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Total		\$347 00

### PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES

#### LEVY OF 1955

— DR. —

<i>Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1956</i>		
Property taxes	\$31,658 45	
Poll taxes	704 00	
Yield taxes	1,893 95	
Added property tax	129 35	
Added polls	148 00	
Interest collected	83 84	
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Total		\$34,617 59

— CR. —

<i>Remittances to Treasurer</i>		
Property taxes	\$31,594 17	
Poll taxes	688 00	
Interest collected during year	89 19	
Yield taxes	1,747 05	
Abatements	320 97	
Uncollected Yield	125 79	
Uncollected Poll	54 00	
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Total		\$34,619 17
Overpaid		1 58
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Total		\$34,617 59

**PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1956**

— DR. —

<i>Taxes Committed to Collector</i>		
Property taxes	\$422,364 50	
Poll taxes	3,176 00	
National Bank stock tax	18 00	
Yield taxes	6,005 12	
<i>Added taxes:</i>		
Property taxes	920 03	
Poll taxes	278 00	
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Total		\$432,761 65

— CR. —

<i>Remittance to Treasurer</i>		
Property taxes	\$383,741 63	
Poll taxes	2,624 00	
National Bank stock taxes	18 00	
Yield taxes	3,490 62	
Abatements	3,945 07	
<i>Uncollected taxes Jan. 1, 1957</i>		
Property taxes	35,731 83	
Poll taxes	696 00	
Yield taxes	2,514 50	
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Total		\$432,761 65

**PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES**

<b>CR.</b>	<b>1954</b>	<b>Levies of 1953</b>	<b>1952</b>
<i>Uncollected Jan. 1, 1956</i>			
Property taxes	\$1,322 17	\$ 51 20	
Poll taxes	102 00	122 00	\$ 88 00
Yield taxes		197 35	310 20
Interest	4 19		
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Totals	\$1,428 36	\$ 370 55	\$ 398 20
<b>CR.</b>			
<i>Remittance to Treasurer, 1956</i>			
Property taxes	\$ 34 61		
Poll taxes	16 00	\$ 4 00	
Interest	4 19		
Abatements	50 00	106 40	398 20
<i>Uncollected end of year</i>			
Property	1,287 56	28 80	
Poll	36 00	34 00	
Yield		197 35	
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Totals	\$1,428 36	\$ 370 55	\$ 398 20

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES AS OF DEC. 31, 1956**

<b>DR.</b>	<b>1955</b>	<b>Levies of 1954</b>	<b>1953</b>
Taxes sold to town	\$18,025 04		
Balance of unredeemed taxes as of Jan. 1, 1956		\$2,415 99	\$ 859 09
Interest collected after sale	367 24	89 59	32 79
Redemption costs	80 20		
<b>Total Debits</b>	<u>\$18,472 48</u>	<u>\$2,505 58</u>	<u>\$ 891 88</u>
<b>CR.</b>			
Remittances to Treasurer	\$12,949 16	\$1,088 75	\$ 271 18
Abatements	48 36	12 11	
Deeded to town	83 28	85 29	80 36
Unredeemed taxes close of year	5,386 96	1,319 43	540 34
Cash on hand	4 72		
<b>Totals</b>	<u>\$18,472 48</u>	<u>\$2,505 58</u>	<u>\$ 891 88</u>

**CASH REFUNDS**

Roger S. Burnell — Mary W. Watson	\$ 14 20
Sarah Sawyer	2 00
Inez Sanborn	2 00
Eleanor Robinson	2 00
Mrs. Waldo G. Lowd	2 00
Raymond Butler	35 43
Leon Bolduc	72 16
Leon Bolduc	72 16
Leon Bolduc	41 44
Leon Bolduc	41 44
Leon Bolduc	14 34
Leon Bolduc	14 34
Leon Bolduc	7 05
Leon Bolduc	7 05
L. Raymond Ambrose	128 67
Irene Barnard	75 45
Ernest and Zelpha Blake	16 68
Melvin Bryant	14 70
W. P. Chick	26 44
Georgia B. Davis	20 12
Paul Dantos	643 15
Lee Fowle	3 78
Esther Hardenburgh	32 34
Susan Johnson	45 13
Laura Lyman	13 55

Neil Osgood	30 65
Joseph and Wanda Pennett	14 90
Frank and Sybil Philbrick	52 74
Pequaket Power Co.	92 23
Harold and Irene Potter	36 30
A. T. Schmitt	19 62
David Schurman	36 30
Mabel J. Stone	26 49
E. Stuart and M. Dennett	42 22
Elva Thurston	25 51
John Whitaker	46 06
Eastern Slope Inn	1,828 74
Wilfred J. Landry	49 06
Melvin Bryant	26 29
Philip Earl Heald	6 58
William McKay	7 92
Glenn Hale	37 04
Eldesta Marsters	17 94
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	\$3,744 21
Adj. 1954 tax sale	127 22
Adj. 1955 overpayment	27 00
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	\$3,898 43

# TREASURER'S REPORT

## RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1956		\$115,638 99
Temporary loan	150,000 00	
Leon A. Shirley, Collector	449,799 45	
Leon A. Shirley, Clerk	23,682 83	
John B. Reed, Collector, N.C.W.P.	943 32	
Selectmen	40,761 30	
State of N. H.	4 94	
Municipal Court	1,013 32	
Total Receipts, 1956		\$666,205 16
<i>Grand Total</i>		\$781,844 15

## PAYMENTS

As per Selectmen's or Town Manager's orders		638,537 72
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1957		\$143,306 43

## DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

North Conway Loan & Banking Company, temporary loan		\$150,000 00
State of N. H., National Forest Reserve Fund		4 94
Municipal Court		1,013 32
<i>Leon A. Shirley, Collector</i>		
1955 Property redeemed	44,770 93	
1955 Interest redeemed	448 63	
1955 Polls redeemed	592 00	
1955 Head taxes redeemed	2,060 00	
1955 Head taxes, penalties	204 50	
1955 Yield taxes	1,747 05	
1955 Yield taxes, interest	7 80	
1955 Bank stock	3 00	
1954 Property redeemed	1,033 77	
1954 Interest redeemed	93 78	
1954 Polls	16 00	
1954 Head taxes	70 00	
1954 Head tax penalties	7 00	
1953 Property redeemed	244 95	
1953 Interest redeemed	32 79	
1953 Polls	4 00	
1953 Head taxes	10 00	
1953 Head tax penalties	1 00	
1956 Property	383,741 63	
1956 Polls	2,624 00	
1956 Head taxes	8,510 00	
1956 Head tax penalties	71 00	

1956 Yield taxes	3,490 62
1956 National Bank stock	15 00

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449,799 45

*Leon A. Shirley, Clerk*

1956 Auto permits, less refund of \$64.52	21,921 34
1955 Auto permits	283 52
1957 Auto permits	279 92
1956 Dogs	679 75
1956 Taxi licenses	211 50
1956 Filing fees	21 00
1956 Bicycle licenses	282 00
Balance of 1955	3 80

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23,682 83

*John B. Reed, Collector,*

*North Conway Water Precinct*

1955 Redeemed tax cost and interest	630 57
1954 Redeemed tax cost and interest	271 27
1953 Redeemed tax cost and interest	41 48

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943 32

*Selectmen and or Town Manager*

Reimbursement to highway	17,185 48
Sale of town property	1,136 68
Pistol permits	113 50
Revolver sales licenses	6 00
Licenses and permits	440 00
Reimbursement to F.I.C.A.	94 56
Reimbursement to withholding	438 00
Reimbursement to town poor	1,019 20
Porter Davidson Cemetery Fund	500 00
Reimbursement to insurance	451 82
Reimbursement to town officers' salary	100 00
Reimbursement to toll road	553 96
Reimbursement to O.A.A., State	447 47
Interest and dividends tax	12,511 49
Reimbursement to Blue Cross	91 00
Reimbursement to Mechanic Street drain (Art. 13)	502 25
Reimbursement to police	4 50
Reimbursement to federal and state forest lands	80 60
Reimbursement to Head tax	30 00
Savings Bank tax, State	1,349 64
Railroad tax	3,705 15

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\$40,761 30

Respectfully submitted,  
MELLEN B. BENSON, Treas.

# TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1956

## DEBIT

1955 Auto permits issued	\$ 283 52	
1956 Auto permits issued	21,921 34	
1957 Auto permits issued	279 92	
Taxi licenses issued	211 50	
Dog licenses issued	679 75	
Bicycle licenses	282 00	
Filing fees	21 00	
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Total		\$23,679 03

## CREDIT

Paid to Treasurer		\$23,679 03
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LEON A. SHIRLEY,  
Town Clerk

# HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

## TOWN MAINTENANCE

Appropriation	\$52,000 00
Reimbursement 1955 TRA received in 1956	10,204 02
Reimbursement TRA and miscellaneous	6,981 46
Reimbursement gas tax	553 96

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\$69,739 44

### Expenditures

#### Labor

Robert G. Lowd	\$2,306 61
Otis M. Quint	906 67
George Brooks	848 15
Everett F. Snow, Jr.	3,555 27
R. Clifton McGraw	3,229 83
Ralph K. Banfill	3,073 84
Ralph L. Leavitt	688 77
Carl Thibodeau	1,159 86
Robert Tibbetts	1,222 15
Harry J. Moore, Jr.	2,400 00
Melvin G. Dennett	73 13
Danny Quint	5 00
Rollins A. Tibbetts	79 38
Rodney C. Mason	39 38
Elton C. Eastman	2,427 18
Clinton W. Jay	2,092 11
Carl R. Shirley	50 00
Joseph F. Costello	1,660 33
Lewis L. French, Jr.	2,038 06
Eugene H. Littlefield	320 00
Richard A. Orfield	22 50

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**Total Labor** \$28,198 22

This amount of labor included in total payroll but charged against Mechanic St. drain Art. 13	2,540 58
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25,657 64

Parts	4,298 50
Labor (during no mechanic)	1,235 27
Gas	3,521 50
Oil and grease	429 89
Telephone	197 23
Lights and power	1,067 85
Freight and express	74 54
Signs	66 26
Gravel	869 30
Salt	4,988 50





# GENERAL EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation		\$12,500 00
Reimbursement (George Densmore, 1955)		100 00
		\$12,600 00

### Expenditures

George E. Densmore	\$ 293 75	
John N. Leighton	1,086 86	
Earl A. Shirley	361 25	
Charles V. Sturdivant	535 74	
Melvin G. Dennett	935 00	
Leon A. Shirley	1,600 00	
Mellen B. Benson	500 00	
Office clerk	2,915 00	
Office clerk assistant	556 30	
Margaret Jeanne Shirley	209 50	
Margery L. Shirley	90 50	
Percival H. Wardwell	2,380 00	
Chairman of budget committee	25 00	
	\$11,488 90	
Total	\$11,488 90	
Unexpended	1,111 10	

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation		\$1,200 00
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### Expenditures

Mileage		
Leighton	\$336 72	
Dennett	88 60	
Sturdivant	138 28	
Wardwell	350 00	
Densmore	53 76	
Shirley	55 84	
Foster	1 00	
Potter	3 20	
		\$1,027 40
Meals		
Leighton	31 00	
Dennett	11 55	
Shirley	1 10	
Sturdivant	6 25	
		\$12,600 00
Budget committee	17 00	

66 90

Telephone		32 50
Postage		6 30

Miscellaneous		
Reference books	26 50	
Dues	8 00	
Notices	19 16	
Distribution Town Reports	28 50	
Book registers	30 80	
Checking mortgage on real estate bought by town	146 88	
Town Manager contract	10 00	

269 84

Overdraft		\$1,402 94
		202 94

\$1,200 00

**ELECTION AND REGISTRATION**

Appropriation		\$1,500 00
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**Expenditures**

Moderator	\$ 36 25
Assistant moderator	58 75
Ballot clerks	320 00
Assistant town clerk	35 25
Supervisors:	
Roger Burnell	569 78
Dana Farrington	146 88
Stetson Archibald	70 63
Printing	150 41
Supplies	45 54

Total	\$1,433 49
Unexpended	66 51

\$1,500 00

**TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS**

Appropriation		\$800 00
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**Expenditures**

Town Hall – lights, cleaning, heating	\$ 54 50
Office – repairs, new office	682 90
Garage – thermostat	12 80
Court House – repairs	78 33
Storage building – glass	85

Total	\$829 38
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Overdraft		\$29 38
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\$829 38

**TOWN OFFICE EXPENSE**

Appropriation		\$3,000 00
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**Expenditures**

Town Reports	\$1,109 60
Registry of Deeds	196 04
Printing	21 60
Supplies	541 27
Telephone	333 05
Lights	116 37
Heat	188 41
Postage	218 46
Cleaning	60 00
Other	199 55

Total	\$2,984 35
Unexpended	15 65

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\$3,000 00

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Appropriation	\$9,200 00
Reimbursement (battery)	4 50

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\$9,204 50

**Expenditures**

## Salaries:

J. E. Bogle	7 00
John P. Roberts	325 00
Robert G. Lowd	200 00
William R. Scaletti	1,300 00
George Wardwell Young	40 00
F. Stetson Archibald	3,152 50
Arthur R. Sheaff	544 00
Stuart F. Robertson, Jr.	7 50
Arthur W. Seavey	19 00
Merle L. Eastman	234 00
Charles Whitcomb	6 00
Leonard Morrill	978 00
Alfred G. Nelson	333 00

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Salaries	\$7,146 00
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Fuel	193 52
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Telephone	377 67
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Supplies	96 37
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Clothing	226 55
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Meals (tramps)	19 75
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Mileage	1,255 77
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Lights	70 25
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## Miscellaneous:

Water	7 00
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Cleaning and light bulbs	3 99
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Taxi (Thompson shooting)	1 50	
Removal of grass and rubbish	1 80	
Signs	6 00	
Fire extinguisher	35 00	
Two-way radio	94 05	
		149 34
Overdraft		\$9,535 22
		\$330 72
	<b>FIRE DEPARTMENT</b>	
Appropriation		\$2,000 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
East Conway Fire Department, Inc.	\$ 82 75	
Fryeburg Village Fire Corp.	54 00	
North Conway Fire Department	1,235 00	
Center Conway Fire Department	115 50	
Conway Fire Department	536 00	
L. T. Savard	105 95	
Graves	7 50	
Miscellaneous (Bulletin)	50	
Total	\$2,137 20	
Overdraft		\$137 20
	<b>VITAL STATISTICS</b>	
Appropriation		\$300 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Leon A. Shirley	\$260 75	
Charles E. Smith, M.D.	42 25	
William G. Duprey, Jr., M.D.	7 00	
Kenneth E. Dore, M.D.	14 25	
Total	\$324 25	
Overdraft		\$24 25
	<b>TOWN DUMP</b>	
Appropriation		\$1,500 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Labor	\$904 80	
Bulldozing and filling:		
James Kelley	108 00	
Donald Ballard	180 00	
Melvin Dennett	72 00	
Otis Quint and Son	60 00	
		420 00
Total		\$1,324 80
Unexpended		175 20
		\$1,500 00

**INTEREST**

Appropriation		\$2,000 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Carroll County Trust Company	\$ 80 00	
The Merchants National Bank	200 00	
North Conway Loan & Banking Co.	1,050 00	
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	\$1,330 00	
Unexpended	670 00	
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		\$2,000 00

**OLD AGE ASSISTANCE**

Appropriation	\$14,000 00	
Reimbursements	447 47	
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		\$14,447 47
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Paid State Treasurer	\$12,902 33	
Unexpended	1,545 14	
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		\$14,447 47

**MEMORIAL DAY**

Appropriation		\$275 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Women's Relief Corps	\$ 25 00	
American Legion Post No. 46, Conway	125 00	
American Legion Post No. 95, North Conway	125 00	
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		\$275 00

**INDEBTEDNESS**

**TEMPORARY LOANS**

Borrowed in anticipation of taxes	\$150,000 00	
Paid North Conway Loan and Banking Co.		\$150,000 00

**PAYMENT OF TOWN BONDS**

Town bonds due, April 1 and May 1, 1956	\$ 6,000 00	
Appropriation for 1956 paid to Merchants National Bank of Boston		\$4,000 00
Appropriation for 1956 paid to the Carroll County Trust Co.		2,000 00
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		\$ 6,000 00

## INSURANCE

Appropriation	\$1,800 00	
Reimbursement	451 82	
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		\$2,251 82
<b>Expenditures</b>		
A. D. Davis & Son, Inc., premiums	\$4,115 90	
Overdraft		1,864 08
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		\$4,115 90

## PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

### COUNTY TAX

Appropriation		\$24,913 53
Paid County Treasurer	\$24,913 53	

### PAYMENTS TO PRECINCTS

#### Center Conway Lighting Precinct

Appropriation		910 00
Paid Treasurer	910 00	

#### North Conway Lighting Precinct

Appropriation		7,985 00
Paid Treasurer	7,985 00	

#### Conway Village Fire District

Appropriation		20,110 09
Paid Treasurer	20,110 09	

#### Center Conway Fire Precinct

Appropriation		1,085 00
Paid Treasurer	1,085 00	

#### East Conway Fire Precinct

Appropriation		500 00
Paid Treasurer	500 00	

#### School District

Balance due in 1955		90,000 00
Appropriations, 1956		262,564 01
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		\$352,564 01
Paid Treasurer	237,564 01	
Due School District, Dec. 31, 1956	115,000 00	
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		\$352,564 01

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

Appropriation		\$200 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Catherine Aguerre	\$128 00	
Unexpended	72 00	
	<hr/>	\$200 00

**MUNICIPAL COURT**

Appropriation		\$ 400 00
Reimbursement		1,013 32
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		\$1,413 32
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Hamlin Greene	\$400 00	
Unexpended	1,013 32	
	<hr/>	\$1,413 32

**TOWN POOR**

Appropriation		\$10,000 00
Reimbursement		1,019 20
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		\$11,019 20
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Relief checks	\$ 431 00	
Food and household necessities	901 00	
Rent	61 00	
Clothing	274 74	
Fuel	94 15	
Medical and hospital	385 20	
Board and care	5,191 07	
Other	360 19	
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Total	\$7,698 35	
Unexpended	3,320 85	
	<hr/>	\$11,019 20

**SOLDIERS' AID**

Appropriation		\$3,000 00
	<b>Expenditures</b>	
Food and household necessities	\$621 60	
Rent	82 50	
Clothing	119 47	
Fuel	117 04	
Gas, light, water	24 14	
Medical	5 00	
Board and care	111 70	
Other	136 48	
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Total	\$1,217 93
Unexpended	1,782 07

\$3,000 00

**LEGAL EXPENSE AND OTHER**

Appropriation		\$350 00
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**Expenditures**

Burnham Davis	\$232 00
Preston Smart	30 00
H. T. Lorimer	999 35
White Mt. Agency	30 00
Carleton Rayno	70 00
L. Hamlin Greene	5 00
Leon A. Shirley, Collector	40 92

\$1,407 27

Overdraft	1,057 27
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\$350 00

**PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS**

Appropriation		\$450 00
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**Expenditures**

North Conway Park	\$250 00
Center Conway Park	50 00
Redstone Park	50 00
Conway Village Park	100 00
David Baker (sharpening mower)	5 00

\$455 00

Overdraft	5 00
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\$450 00

**REPORT OF CONWAY VILLAGE PARK ASSOCIATION**

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1957		\$391 64
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June 10 - Paid Lev. Lowd for hauling debris	\$ 5 00
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July 13 - Paid for Conv. check book	1 00
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Sept. 19 - Paid Clifford Upham for mowing grass for season	28 00
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Dec. 12 - Paid Western Maine Forest Assoc. for cutting dead tree and hauling away	60 00
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\$94 00

\$297 64

Dec. - Received check from town	100 00
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\$397 64

IRENE C. GRINDLE,  
Treasurer of Association

## REPORT OF CENTER CONWAY LIBRARY

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1956	\$14 24	
Received from fines	7 50	
Received from trustees	50 00	
Received from other sources	16 00	
		\$87 74
<b>Expenditures</b>		
Books	\$49 39	
Supplies	7 95	
Incidentals	2 15	
		59 49
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1956		\$28 25
<b>Resources</b>		
Volumes owned Jan. 1, 1956	3,863	
Added by purchase	33	
Added by gifts	5	
		3,901
Discarded		129
Volumes owned Dec. 31, 1956		3,772
<b>Circulation</b>		
Fiction	1,095	
Juveniles	429	
Miscellaneous	102	
Magazines	426	
		2,052

GERTRUDE A. SNOW,  
Librarian

## REPORT OF CONWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY

### Report for the Year Ending December 31, 1956

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1956	\$190 29	
<b>Received</b>		
Fines	\$216 85	
Rentals	148 84	
Non-resident cards	29 50	
Books lost, damaged, etc.	16 57	
Gifts – memorial books	27 66	
All other sources	43 64	
		\$673 35
Total		
<b>Paid</b>		
Books	\$328 25	
Periodicals, papers, etc.	69 73	

Supplies	32 70	
Postage, stationery, etc.	19 44	
Miscellaneous	73 46	
Box rent	6 00	
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Total		\$529 58
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1956		\$143 77
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	<b>Resources</b>	
Volumes owned Jan. 1, 1956	9,171	
Volumes added	345	
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Total		9,516
Deduct volumes discarded or lost		405
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Total volumes owned Dec. 31, 1956		9,111
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	<b>Services</b>	
<i>Adult</i>		
Volumes loaned, non-fiction	3,752	
Volumes loaned, fiction	6,962	
Volumes loaned, rentals	980	
Pictures	14	
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Total		11,708
<i>Juvenile</i>		
Volumes loaned, non-fiction	1,212	
Volumes loaned, fiction	3,140	
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Total		4,352
References	310	

## REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF CONWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY

### Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

January 1, 1956, to December 31, 1956

	<b>Receipts</b>	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1956	\$ 395 53	
Received from Town of Conway	6,750 00	
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		\$7,145 53
	<b>Disbursements</b>	
Fuel oil	\$806 39	
Lights	221 99	
Telephone	92 33	
Repairs	22 90	
Supplies	109 55	
Furniture and fixtures, including typewriter and stand	247 70	
Books, Conway and Center Conway libraries	621 67	
Magazines and periodicals, Conway		

and Center Conway libraries	174 40
Salaries, Conway and Center Conway libraries	4,024 09
Insurance	319 95
Miscellaneous	171 68

	<u>\$6,812 65</u>
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1956	332 88

\$7,145 53

#### Trust Funds

William K. Eastman Fund	\$1,303 50
Alice Bean Fund	775 99
Clarence Eastman Fund	2,375 43

LIBERTY SANTA MARIA, Treasurer  
Conway Public Library Trustees

#### Budget for 1957

Overhead	
Fuel	\$1,000 00
Lights	250 00
Telephone	100 00
Insurance	125 00
Rubbish removal	20 00
Library supplies	75 00
Miscellaneous (P. O. box, toilet paper, light bulbs, cleaning, etc.)	280 00

\$1,850 00

Salaries	
Librarian	\$2,600 00
Center Conway librarian	200 00
Assistants	480 00
Janitor	720 00

Books and periodicals	\$4,000 00
Repairs (roof and light fixtures particularly)	1,200 00
	650 00

\$7,700 00

## REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

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To the Citizens of Conway:

I hereby submit to you my report for the year 1956.

An examination of circulation records still show an increase in both adult and juvenile reading, with particular emphasis on non-fiction in both reading levels. This seems to be a nation-wide tendency.

Your librarian has given four book reviews, or talks, has attended a workshop for librarians at Durham and the joint New Hampshire-Vermont Library Association meeting at Fairlee, Vermont.

We were hostess library for the Neighborhood Meeting of librarians, with speakers from the State Library and Wolfeboro Library, as well as presenting as speakers from our town, Mrs. Brownlow Thompson and Mrs. Ira Glackens. On three other occasions, the State librarians have come to help with our problems.

Noteworthy exhibits this past year were an exhibit commemorating the 250th birthday of Benjamin Franklin and an exhibit from the Bowdoin College of Fine Arts. It is hoped we may have some equally fine ones this year.

The library staff and trustees are most grateful for the gifts of books and money for books from friends of the library. To the organizations and friends who helped to make the library more attractive at Christmas, and to the newspaper and Radio Station WJWG for the willingness to give us publicity, a sincere thank you.

To the library trustees who have been most co-operative, my personal gratitude.

Respectfully submitted,

PERSIS H. BERRY,  
Librarian

# Report of Police Department

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1956

On January 26, 1956, I was appointed and received my commission as your Chief of Police of Conway, by the board of Selectmen, George Densmore, John Leighton and Earl Shirley, which I am deeply grateful to have received. I assumed the duties of this office fully aware that it was filled with great responsibilities. I sincerely hope that I have carried out these responsibilities in a manner that is satisfactory to most of you.

I hereby submit my report for the past year.

First of all, it was necessary for me to get officers to work with me, who would work for the interest of the department and the Town as a whole. You must not forget that a police officer is a real public relations man, therefore, I adopted these six simple rules to be followed by all my officers while on duty.

1. No smoking on the beat.
2. Keep neatly dressed and in full uniform.
3. Render every service possible.
4. No horse play.
5. Be courteous and strict and use plenty of common sense.
6. All doors to be checked nightly.

## Uniforms

Knowing full well that the uniforms of past years were varied in color and design, I decided that our police department should conform to all departments elsewhere by being in regulation blues. It was necessary to purchase two new uniforms. We had about \$350 worth of clothing which I sent to Watkins and had all dyed blue at a cost of \$53.50. Since then, I have equipped three men with this clothing.

## Safety Program

I have always felt that a safety program should be brought to the children of our schools, so I contacted the Motor Vehicle Department to see what they could do to help out, and on May 10, 1956, two Inspectors, namely, James Brown (now retired) and Clarence Van Kleat, came to the Conways and gave a very interesting program. It was held at the Community Center, North Conway, Elementary School at Center Conway and with the Conway Elementary School and Kennett High at the K.H.S. Auditorium. The program was presented to a total of 1,100 students.

## Probation Set-up

In a job of this kind, one has many, many problems placed before him, especially among our young people. The department has a private set-up to deal with these cases and it is voluntary with the party involved. These records are not Public Property, nor do they become a record to be used for any purpose except to relieve the Police Department of unnecessary complaints regarding the young boys and girls

in this area. The persons involved will sign their true names and the offense for which they are being questioned. They may set the best time for their report to be made. This is a matter, not of record against any person, but a means by which the Officers and the individual may work out problems for the advantage of the entire community. There has been one boy only who has been handled through the State Probation Department. He was taken to the State School for thirty days and later on he was taken to the Mental Clinic at Concord for complete examination and tests.

### **Rubbish Trucks**

Shortly after being appointed Chief, I prepared a message which was given out over our Radio Station about a rule of the Town, that any person or persons hauling rubbish, sawdust, etc., must have their vehicle covered, so as not to strew paper, boxes, etc., along the highways of own Town, going to the dump. It has not been necessary to arrest anyone for this offense as yet, as all who have been cautioned have co-operated.

### **Parking in Conway Village**

For a long, long time, it has been necessary that some steps should be taken to relieve the traffic congestion which existed on the Main Street, so the early part of the summer, it was decided to make parallel parking only on both sides of the street from the four corners south to the Heel Hill and Public Service Co., and that a one-hour parking ordinance be in effect. At first, the plan was met with a lot of opposition. A meeting was called by the Chamber of Commerce and it was discussed at length and a report of the parking spaces available was given. It was a very good move as it has provided more spaces for the purchasing public to use, because all the workers and store owners were parking, sometimes all day long right in front of their own doors of business. Many summer visitors have been very outspoken about how much better it was to be able to stop and shop and be on their way. Much credit for the move goes to Selectman Charles Sturdivant.

### **Police Station**

During the last of May, I asked the Selectmen if they would furnish some paint, I would paint the roof, as the old orange color was getting very shabby-looking and rusty. They took up my offer and later, upon examining the outside of the building, said they would furnish the paint for the whole building if I wished to do it also, which I agreed to do, and did. The roof is painted green and the building gray with white trim. After the paint was on, Mr. Dennett (Selectman) decided that it would also improve the looks by having the small sign taken down and have "Police Department" painted on the white trim over the doorway and have a small blue light at each end of the sign, which was done at a very small cost. The building has been cleaned on the inside. The grounds have been mowed all summer and kept clean. The work has been done by the department; namely, Officer Merle Eastman and myself.

## Correspondence

There has been a fair amount of correspondence during the year. Letters have been received seeking all kinds of information and there has also been a quantity of forms from all branches of the armed services, as well as from big concerns hiring help from our section of the State.

## Breaks

Yes, we have had some breaks in our town this past year. The usual at the Elementary schools in Conway and North Conway. At Frunzi's Garage, a safe was broken open and at the Shop in the Woods. This last one was on the busy October 12th holiday. Deputy Sheriff Herbert Taylor was with me on these.

## House Guests — 72

There has been a total of 72 persons who have been given a night's lodging at the Police Station. Some were tramps who had nothing and it has been our policy to give the needy ones a breakfast and have them go on their way and not begging at doors for something to eat. Some have had money to live on and there have been several service men who have stayed over night, mostly on account of bad weather.

## Warnings — 526

It has been my policy to have the department issue a warning instead of a summons if possible. These warnings are for several things such as: speeding, improper driving, failing to stop at stop signs (full stop), pedestrians, children, signals, etc. I find that many people, both local and strangers, do things unintentional and that by stopping them and letting them know they were wrong, ninety-nine per cent will admit their wrong doings and thank you for stopping them. There are many, many people passing through our villages who are doing so for the first time and have been helped upon asking directions to different parts of the State; also, we have been able to point out interesting parts of our Town.

### Unlocked Doors — Conway Village

Red & White Store	2
Conway Furniture (2 stores)	6
Wheeler's Restaurant	1
Stimson's Garage	3
Abbott's Dairy	2
Colbath's (Trading Post and storehouse)	6
Demeritt's Store	1
Northeast Handling Co.	1
Public Service Co. (garage)	1
Western Auto Store	2

### Unlocked Doors — North Conway

Main Street Garage	1
North Conway Diner	1
Jenney Station	1



Korner Kitchen	1
Key left in door (Gulf new)	1
Window open, Earle Dwelly	1
Lyman's Station, cushion left out	1
Amoco Station, tires left out	2
U. S. Post Office keys found on sidewalk	1

It has been our custom to call the owners to come and lock up except in a few cases, the lock could be snapped, and a card was placed under the door signed by the officer, stating what time it was found open and locked.

### **Accidents — 70**

- 1 Child hit on tricycle — minor bruises
- 1 Child fell from car — minor bruises
- 1 Car only involved — 19
- 2 or more cars involved — 49

### **Family Troubles — 13**

We have been called to these homes at all hours of the day and night and, as always, neither party will sign a complaint.

### **Special Functions**

It has been my policy this past year to cover all special functions anywhere in the Town of Conway. These include events at the High School such as: football games, basketball games, operetta, musicals, graduations, pop concert, church sales, etc. Auctions — these are being taken care of extra from our regular tour of duty.

### **Funerals**

At the first of the year, the funeral directors were asked to notify me when they were to hold a funeral and a police officer would be present. I have personally been on duty for 18 and Officer Morrill two.

### **Fatal Shootings**

We had the misfortune to lose three of our citizens of Conway during this past year.

### **State Hospital**

I have been to the State Hospital at Concord twice.

### **Emergencies**

We have had two calls to go to the Memorial Hospital, once a man was sick at the Community Center at North Conway and was pronounced dead upon arrival there with Officer Sheaff. Then, two boys who were playing on the fire escape and one was pushed off. Officer Morrill took him and he was only shaken and bruised.

### **Drunks — 35**

These were picked up in several places in town. Many were taken to their homes, some were taken to the Police Station and sobered off and some were then processed through the court. We have had very few repeaters this way.

### Assistance to People — 17

We have assisted by getting gas, changing a tire for a party of ladies from Bartlett, locating friends and relatives, calling to get information needed, some stranded and many other requests. One tripped and fell on the sidewalk.

### Other Duties Performed

Stolen and recovered car	1
Lights left on in stores and offices	7
AWOL (Air Force)	2
Summons served for Massachusetts	4
Summons served for Maine	1
Aid to Animal Rescue League	2
Rubbish fires	2
Stolen and recovered bikes	4
Lost cat	1
Dogs killed by cars	4
Bikes inspected at schools	

Investigations and check-ups were many. Street lights broken, North Conway, boys caught. Cars parked — no plates — dogs — children bothering neighbors — insulators being shot from electric high lines — noise — hot rods — bonfire Grove street, boys found — broken windows, rocks thrown at Snow Train at Conway — child having nightmares — town grader — lost and found children — lost and found handbags — mirrors and hub caps stolen, boy found, now being prepared for State Probation Department. One fire alarm bell ringing, Conway Supply caused by low air pressure on pump. One chimney on fire at Dr. Harold Shedd residence — owner notified and fire department called.

### Courtesy Parking Tickets — 78

They read, "This is a courtesy parking ticket with good will. We suggest that your car is now illegally parked as checked below. May we have your co-operation?"

Hydrant, 3; Fire Station, 10; Cross Walk, 5; No Parking Zone, 18; Overtime, 5; Driveway, 4; Other, 33. Defective equipment tags have been given to motorists.

### Court Cases — 55

Speeding	27
Drunk and disorderly	4
Disturbing the peace	2
Yellow line violation	5
Leaving scene of an accident	2
Careless and negligent operation	2
Driving under influence	2
Stop sign violation	1
Failure to answer summons	3
Operating without license	1
Operating after suspension	2

Beer for minors	2
Indecent exposure	1
Failure to stop for school bus with red lights	1

Our record for convictions is very good. We have had only three found not guilty. I do not plan to take anyone into court unless it is necessary.

### Telephone Calls — 592

This number is by no means accurate, as many calls have been answered that were not recorded, and you would be surprised at the number of things that are asked. Three hundred and forty of these calls are recorded in a book at my home by my wife. As perhaps many of you don't know, we have a red light connected to the phone at the police station and same in Conway. When the phone rings, the light comes on. We call my house, as many call my house number and my wife dials which man is wanted. She has been very faithful in taking these calls and very seldom is my phone left unattended. Upon being away, we call the operator and tell her where to place any urgent calls. However, it may be necessary to make other plans, perhaps to some kind of answering device in the near future, as people call the police station during the hours that we are off duty. If they call the operator, she always rings my home. The new telephone book covers give some people the impression someone is at the station all the time.

### Conclusion

It was on July 3, 1944, when I first was appointed a special officer of the Town of Conway. Since that time, I have worked on all kinds of details and have enjoyed the work very much. Nearly a year ago, I was appointed as your Chief, and I have tried very hard to maintain a higher standard police department. I have tried to serve the people and help where and whenever we could. I knew before I started that you cannot satisfy everyone all the time, so have tried to satisfy the most. Working for the public is a real job. In this work, if you do your duty, some will kick, and if you don't, they will kick. I have tried hard to keep the so-called hotrods somewhere near the line. We have begged, talked, scolded, warned and some have finally been brought before the court. There have been times where I have been able to go to the parents and help the kids, and there are some parents who uphold their boy or boys, no matter what they do, and condemn the officer, in fact, even go to the Selectmen and want him fired. I often wonder what these same people would say, if sometime, we are called and in turn have to call an undertaker to come with his basket and pick up the remains of his or her boy. I know we would be blamed for not doing our duty.

When I started this year, I notified the other branches of law enforcement that I wanted real co-operation between us and all are free to use our office, jail, etc. I can truthfully say that we have had just that, all through the year. I have found in Herbert L. Taylor, Deputy Sheriff, a great deal of help and I assure you it is always a pleasure to have him help me and to help him. Sheriff Foss is no

stranger, as we have worked together at times, and I have also enjoyed working with our State Police: Sgt. Swift, Troopers Hayes, Sturvis, Aspinall, Knowlton and finally Trooper Laurhammer. No longer do the Troopers have to call me, as I have instructed them to carry on their work right through town. We help each other every chance we can. The Motor Vehicle Inspectors are the same and we do a lot of work together. We have gained a lot of experience in 1956 and hope to do a lot more in 1957.

We have the police department working closer with the fire departments of the town. I attended the Governor's Conference held at the Eastern Slope Inn this past fall. I have tried very hard to help promote all parts of our Town by working closely with the Chambers of Commerce. I often wonder if some of our people really realize the tremendous amount of traffic that flows through our villages with only a very few regulations and a small number of police officers. I have had residents complain because traffic moves fast by their house, maybe a side street, or why an officer doesn't spend his time in front of his or her house, twenty-four hours a day. Well, we have done the very best that we could. We walk our beats when it is the busiest and I do a lot of cruising with my car all over our town late at night when many are fast asleep and do not know I am constantly watching for fires and anything else along the way. Since the night of October 31 through November and December, I have traveled about 4,500 miles. Days and days I am on the go somewhere about town on police work in plain clothes.

Recently, I presented to the Safety Squad at the North Conway Elementary School, new safety belts as a personal gift from me. I have enjoyed working with children everywhere and hope to do more in the coming year.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all who have supported me this past year: to John Leighton, Melvin Dennett, Charles Sturdivant, our board of Selectmen, and to Mr. Wardwell, our Town Manager. They have been very co-operative and it has been a pleasure to work with them at all times.

The department roster:

Stetson Archibald	Chief
Leonard Morrill	Special Officer Uniform
Merle Eastman	Special Officer Uniform
Alfred Nelson	Special Officer Uniform
Arthur Sheaff	Special Officer Uniform
Arthur Seavey	Special Officer
Joseph Costello	Special Officer
Carl Tenney	Special Officer at Skimobile only
Myron Hanson	Special Officer at Skimobile only
Leslie Lowell	Special Officer at Skimobile only
Arthur Lynch	Special Officer at Skimobile only

Respectfully submitted,

STETSON ARCHIBALD, Chief  
Conway Police Department

# Office of Civilian Defense

## REPORT OF EXPENSES

Balance in North Conway Loan & Banking Co.		\$ 93 04
Received from Selectmen and deposited in Carroll County Trust Co.		600 00
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Total		\$693 94
Expenses to December 31, 1956:		
Bank service charges	\$ 2 15	
G.O.C. expenses	5 17	
Travel expense (gas and oil)	8 80	
Telephone	32 10	
Office equipment and expense	75 09	
C.D. hats, plates and bands	21 84	
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Total expenses		\$145 15
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Balance in Carroll County Trust Co.		\$547 89

H. S. WILSON, JR.  
Director

## REPORT OF OFFICE OF CIVILIAN DEFENSE

January 15, 1957

Selectmen, Town of Conway

Center Conway, New Hampshire

Dear Selectmen:

I took over the office of Director of Civil Defense for the Town of Conway, July 3, 1956. During the week of July 20-26, there was a National Civil Defense Alert. The nation-wide alert was on July 20. This alert pointed out the inadequacy of our warning system and the lack of a communication in the various sections of the town. This must be corrected as soon as possible in the near future.

We now have two Ground Observer Posts: one at the Skimobile and the other in the tower of the Presidential Inn. The Skimobile takes care of its own post but we have to maintain the post in the Presidential Inn. The tower is being altered and equipped with heat so that it can be manned in winter as well as summer. Both posts have a very good record with the Air Force in reporting planes.

The Auxiliary Police and the Warden Units are in the process of being enlarged. The Emergency Welfare Services are fairly well organized but much more has to be done. I have hopes of getting the various other units started in the very near future.

As I mentioned before, we need a communication system. I would like to recommend a municipal radio network which would be used

daily for all police, fire, emergency and Civil Defense needs. The Town of Conway is one of a very few communities that are without a communication system. As it is now, we have to depend on the State Police network, Forestry network, which operates only eight or nine months of the year, or the telephone. In emergencies or a Civil Defense Alert, these would be taxed to their limit and there would be considerable delays in reaching C.D. Headquarters in Concord. This would necessitate an appropriation of \$2,500. This would mean equipment for a Control Center and enough mobile units to cover the entire Township. This amount, with a like amount supplied by State and Federal agencies, is ample to set up coverage for the entire town. This estimate was made during a conference with the State Communications Officer Basil Cutting. It is my sincere hope that this amount will be appropriated for Civil Defense for the coming year.

I wish to thank all those who have helped in the Civil Defense Activities during the past year.

HERBERT S. WILSON, JR.  
Director of Civil Defense

## REPORT OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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On a motion made at the last Town Meeting, a committee of seven legal voters were to be appointed by the Moderator to work with the Selectmen and the Town Manager, if any, on recommendations to enlarge the present office building. Your Moderator appointed the following: Robert Davis, Forrest Saunders, Arthur Cressey, Raymond Ambrose, George Tuttle, Frank Philbrick, Melvin Dennett.

The Committee met with the Selectmen soon after appointment and after much discussion with Library Trustees, we made some temporary arrangements to take care of year 1956. The Library, which is at the side of the Town Offices, was divided and a room nine feet by 10 feet was added. Storage room was made from rear of the office rooms. This seemed to take care of needs for this year.

With regard to future needs, we find that the present vault is not large enough for storage of valuable records. We recommend that present building be enlarged to include more vault space, more office room space, new heating system (using whatever can be salvaged from the old system), four fireproof cabinets, also office equipment. The above to be determined by the Town Manager and Selectmen. They have estimates under consideration for the above.

We recommend that the Town Auditors audit the books twice each year.

With reference to all other recommendations, the committee feels that the Selectmen and Town Manager are qualified to handle whatever they need.

Respectfully submitted,  
Frank H. Philbrick, Chairman

# REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

## DANGER FROM FIRES IN WOODLANDS

Woodland litter, when dry, is highly inflammable and fires can quickly get out of control. We request your co-operation to control all fires so that lives and property may not be endangered or destroyed, and forests be kept green to furnish the natural beauty we all enjoy and to grow timber we will need.

### WHAT IS "WOODLAND"?

The term "woodland" is defined by law to include, "cut-over land, slash and such other land as bears a sufficient amount of wood growth, wood, weeds, grass or other growth as to be likely to be burned over."

When in the woods, you are expected to exercise caution in the use of fire and to remember that

### IT IS UNLAWFUL TO

Throw down lighted matches, cigarettes, or other burning substances from vehicles or otherwise.

Burn brush, rubbish, grass or other materials when the ground is not covered with snow, without written permission from the Forest Fire Warden.

Kindle a camp or cooking fire on land of another without permission from the owner or his agent.

Leave an open fire burning unattended.

Fail to report a forest or brush fire that is out of control.

### VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO THESE PENALTIES

Anyone letting a fire escape from control, whether or not he has a permit to kindle the fire, is liable for the costs of extinguishing the fire.

Anyone found guilty of dropping inflammable material in or near woodland shall be fined not more than \$25.

A person failing to report an uncontrolled brush or forest fire is liable to a fine of not more than \$10.

For kindling a fire in woodland of another without permission of the owner, or for kindling any fire without a permit when a permit is required, a person may be fined not more than \$200, or imprisoned 60 days.

### DAMAGES

Every person who shall set fire on any land, that shall run upon the land of another, shall pay to the owner all damages done by such fire.

### BE SURE – GET A PERMIT

Incinerators should be tight, with a close mesh screen, and be on clean ground. Open fireplaces used to burn rubbish are classed as incinerators. Always clean a space about any open fire to prevent its spread. Never burn in dry, windy weather. Have incinerators inspected by the Forest Fire Warden and get his written permission.

Number of permits, 102; number of fires, 2; acreage burned, 13½.

L. T. SAVARD, SR.  
Town Warden

ROBERT B. SMITH  
District Chief

# REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

### School Board

Ernest C. Gerry, Jr.	Term Expires 1957
Ralph L. Grindle	Term Expires 1957
Edith C. Perkins	Term Expires 1958
Robert S. Morrell	Term Expires 1958
Natalie Duprey	Term Expires 1959
Frank E. Kennett, Jr.	Term Expires 1959

### Moderator

Burnham B. Davis	Conway
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### Clerk

Neil C. Cates	North Conway
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### Treasurer

Mary H. McKeen	Conway
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### Auditors

David B. Schurman	Conway
Chester B. Lucy	North Conway

### Superintendent

David Appleton	Conway
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### Supervisory Union Secretary

Mildred A. Fulton	Conway
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### Attendance Officer

Isabelle Hallowell	Conway
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### School Nurse

Julia T. Cox, R.N.	Conway
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## PROCEEDINGS OF ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING APRIL 14, 1956

Agreeably to the foregoing warrant, the meeting of the Conway School District was held at Kennett High School in Conway at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on April 14, 1956.

The meeting was called to order by Burnham B. Davis who read the Warrant, certificate of posting and oath; and certificate of the check list and correction and posting of said check list, and oaths of the School Board members.

The polls were declared open and proceeded to vote by ballot under Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 while acting on the other Articles of the Warrant.

### *Under Article 6*

A motion to lay Article 6 on the table and take up Articles 8, 9, 10, and 11 by Mr. Altenbern was voted upon and the motion was lost.

On motion by Robert H. Kennett, duly seconded, it was voted that the School District raise and appropriate the sum of \$341,674.01 for the support of the schools, for the salaries of School District officers and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Equalization Fund, together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxation.

### *Under Article 7*

On motion by R. L. Grindle, Jr., duly seconded, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of four thousand five hundred (\$4,500.00) dollars so much thereof as is necessary to be used for the purchase and installation of automatic oil-burning equipment in Kennett High School.

### *Under Article 8*

On motion by Frank E. Kennett, duly seconded, it was voted that the School Board be authorized to sell and convey a portion of the Mason property and the whole or any part of the School District property on Seavey Street at such price and to such grantees as the School Board consider to be to the best interests of the School District.

### *Under Article 9*

On motion of Robert S. Morrell, duly seconded, it was voted that the sum of seven thousand one hundred eight dollars and fifty-one cents (7,108.51) be appropriated for the construction and equipment of new elementary schools in North Conway village and Conway village.

### *Under Article 10*

On motion of Robert H. Kennett, duly seconded, it was voted that the District appropriate any unencumbered surplus funds of the District remaining on hand on June 30, 1956, and funds from the sale of bonds and the interest on the Treasury Bills to supplement the appro-

priation made for the construction and equipment of new elementary schools in North Conway village and Conway village at the Special Meeting of the District held on November 19, 1955.

*Under Article 11*

On motion by Edith C. Perkins, duly seconded, it was voted to appropriate any balance remaining in the accumulated Capital Reserve Fund to supplement the appropriation made for the construction and equipment of new elementary schools in North Conway village and Conway village at the Special Meeting of the District held November 19, 1955, and to authorize and direct the Trustees of Trust Funds to pay over such balance to the School Board as Agents for the District, to be expended for the purpose of said appropriation.

*Under Article 12*

It was voted that the polls close at 8 o'clock p.m.

At 8:00 p.m. the polls were closed and the ballots counted.

Total ballots cast	211
For Moderator	
Burnham B. Davis	121
and he was declared elected.	
For Clerk	
Neil C. Cates	188
and he was declared elected.	
For Treasurer	
Mary H. McKeen	200
and she was declared elected.	
For Auditors (2)	
Chester B. Lucy	185
David B. Schurman	184
Joseph W. Jones	1
Lucien Stacy	4
Carlisle Hildebrand	1
Ray Ambrose	2
and Chester B. Lucy and David B. Schurman were declared elected.	
For members of the School Board (2) for three years	
Philip T. Cate, Jr.	52
Natalie M. Duprey	167
Frank Kennett, Jr.	174
Others	6
and Natalie Duprey and Frank Kennett, Jr., were declared elected.	
Burnham B. Davis and Neil C. Cates were duly sworn.	

Voted to adjourn.

Neil C. Cates, Clerk

A true record Attest

Neil C. Cates, Clerk

# Financial Report

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1956

## RECEIPTS

Federal Aid		
Smith Hughes and George Barden	\$1,516	19
National School Lunch	4,409	37
State Aid – Area Vocational	565	39
Local Taxation – Current appropriation	224,402	48
Other Sources		
Elementary school tuitions	9,201	82
Secondary school tuitions	59,980	04
Notes and bonds	395,000	00
Other	28,439	27
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<i>Total Net Receipts from All Sources</i>		\$723,514 56
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1955		2,800 00
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<i>Grand Total Net Receipts</i>		\$726,314 56

## PAYMENTS

	<i>High School</i>	<i>Elementary Schools</i>
<i>Administration</i>		
Salaries of District Officers	\$393 90	\$616 10
*Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,259 90	1,970 60
Tax for state-wide supervision	462 00	1,308 00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,001 29	1,566 11
Supplies and expenses	1,290 73	2,018 83
*Conway	3,230 50	
Bartlett	650 65	
Jackson	336 70	
Eaton	159 25	
Chatham	81 90	
Albany	91 00	
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	\$4,550 00	
State share	2,500 00	
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	\$7,050 00	

<i>Instruction</i>			
Teachers' salaries	68,086 83	79,799 51	
Salary of principal	5,200 00		
Books and other instructional aids	1,329 96	1,879 35	
Scholars' supplies	2,750 59	2,688 34	
Salaries of clerical assistants	1,482 76		
Supplies and other expenses	2,594 44	1,964 98	
<i>Operation of School Plant</i>			
Salaries of custodians	5,056 07	6,980 95	
Fuel	3,739 44	3,580 73	
Water, light and expenses	3,275 58	1,596 44	
<i>Maintenance of School Plant</i>			
Repairs and replacements	6,696 95	3,426 27	
<i>Auxiliary Activities</i>			
Health supervision	1,796 02	1,801 75	
Transportation	5,416 44	6,524 19	
Special activities	1,454 66	819 14	
School lunch	2,045 89	3,199 99	
<i>Fixed Charges</i>			
Retirement	4,374 19	6,561 28	
Insurance	1,683 78	2,525 66	
<i>Total Net Current Expenses</i>	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	\$121,391 42	\$130,828 22	\$252,219 64
<i>Capital Outlay</i>			
Lands and new buildings		55,821 81	
Additions and improvements to buildings		5,500 00	
New equipment	3,990 31	4,582 29	
<i>Debt and Interest</i>			
Principal of debt			4,000 00
Interest on debt			320 00
Adult education			185 90
<i>Total Net Payments for all Purposes</i>	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	\$125,381 73	\$196,732 32	\$326,619 95
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1956			
General fund			\$7,222 15
Capital outlay fund			392,472 46
<i>Grand Total Net Payments</i>			<hr/>
			\$726,314 56

## BALANCE SHEET — JUNE 30, 1956

<i>Assets</i>		
Cash on hand June 30, 1956	\$399,694 61	
Capital reserves	98,237 70	
<i>Total Assets</i>		\$497,932 31
 <i>Liabilities</i>		
Accounts owed by District	\$ 1,868 41	
Capital reserves	98,237 70	
Notes and bonds outstanding	407,000 00	
Amounts reserved for special purposes	597,826 20	
<i>Total Liabilities</i>		\$904,932 31
Excess of liabilities over assets		\$407,000 00

### Explanation of Difference Between Net Expenditures and Gross Transactions

<i>Receipts</i>		
Total net income plus cash on hand July 1, 1955		\$726,314 56
Receipts from refunds, "in and out" transactions between districts		48,825 40
<i>Total Gross Income</i>		\$775,139 96
 <i>Payments</i>		
Total net payments plus cash on hand June 30, 1956		\$726,314 56
Transfers to or from other accounts		48,825 40
<i>Total Gross Payments</i>		\$775,139 96

Ralph L. Grindle  
Robert S. Morrell  
Frank E. Kennett, Jr.  
Ernest C. Gerry, Jr.  
Edith C. Perkins  
Natalie Duprey  
School Board

# School Treasurer's Report

for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

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## SUMMARY

### General Fund

Cash on hand July 1, 1955		\$18,670 88
Received from Selectmen		
Current appropriation	\$224,402 48	
Received from State Treasurer		
State funds	565 39	
Federal funds	5,925 56	
Received from tuitions	69,181 86	
Received from all other sources	8,099 52	
	<hr/>	\$308,174 81
Total amount available for fiscal year		<hr/> \$326,845 69
Less School Board orders paid		\$319,623 54
Balance on hand June 30, 1956		<hr/> \$7,222 15

July 14, 1956

MARY H. McKEEN,  
District Treasurer

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Conway of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956, and find them correct in all respects.

July 21, 1956

CHESTER B. LUCY  
DAVID B. SCHURMAN  
Auditors

# School Treasurer's Report

for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

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## SUMMARY

### Building Fund

Received from sale of notes and bonds	\$395,000 00	
Received from capital reserve funds	40,870 88	
Received from all other sources	12,423 39	
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<i>Total Receipts</i>		\$448,294 27
Total amount available for fiscal year		<hr/> \$448,294 27
Less School Board orders paid		55,821 81
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Balance on hand June 30, 1956		\$392,472 46

July 14, 1956

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Auditors

## COMPARATIVE BUDGET FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONWAY, N. H.

EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures 1955-1956	Adopted Budget 1956-1957	School Board Budget 1957-1958
<i>Administration</i>			
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 1,010 00	\$ 1,040 00	\$ 1,140 00
Superintendent's Salary (local share)	3,230 50	3,230 50	3,837 75
Tax for State-wide Supervision	1,770 00	1,888 00	1,900 00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	2,567 40	2,831 80	3,391 40
Supplies and Expenses	3,309 56	2,966 30	3,958 65
<i>Instruction</i>			
Teachers' Salaries	153,086 34	174,000 00	201,250 00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	3,209 31	6,010 00	5,884 50
Scholars' Supplies	5,438 93	6,800 00	6,775 50
Clerical Assistants	1,482 76	1,600 00	1,800 00
Supplies and Other Expenses	4,559 42	4,278 00	4,337 80
<i>Operation of School Plant</i>			
Salaries of Custodians	12,037 02	12,850 00	15,000 00
Fuel	7,320 17	8,500 00	11,200 00
Water, Light, Etc.	4,872 02	5,900 00	10,205 00
<i>Maintenance of School Plant</i>			
Repairs and Replacements	10,123 22	7,100 00	7,900 00
<i>Auxiliary Activities</i>			
Health Supervision	3,597 77	4,176 00	4,324 20
Transportation	11,940 63	14,330 00	16,600 00
Tuition		540 00	1,350 00



Special Activities	2,273 80	5,300 00	3,400 00
School Lunch	5,245 88	5,000 00	7,000 00
<i>Fixed Charges</i>			
Retirement	10,935 47	12,649 98	14,916 75
Insurance	4,209 44	5,213 43	7,540 71
Contingency Fund		10,000 00	8,000 00
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<i>Total Current Expenses</i>	\$252,219 64	\$296,204 01	\$341,762 26
<i>Capital Outlay</i>			
Lands and New Buildings	55,821 81		4,500 00
Additions and Improvements to Buildings	5,500 00	7,300 00	1,800 00
New Equipment	8,572 60	6,970 00	5,255 00
<i>Debt and Interest</i>			
Principal of Debt	4,000 00	24,000 00	24,000 00
Interest on Debt	320 00	11,300 00	10,285 00
Adult Education	185 90	400 00	400 00
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<i>Total Appropriation</i>	\$326,619 95	\$346,174 01	\$388,002 26
Cash on hand — General Fund	7,222 15		
Capital Outlay Fund	392,472 46		
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<i>Total Expenditures</i>	\$726,314 56	\$346,174 01	\$388,002 26

**RECEIPTS**

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Estimated</b>	<b>Estimated</b>
Federal Aid (Smith Hughes-Barden)	1,516 19	1,500 00	1,000 00
Federal Aid (National School Lunch)	4,409 37	5,000 00	7,000 00
State Aid (Area Vocational)	565 39	1,500 00	500 00
State Aid (School Building)		4,000 00	4,800 00
Tuition (Elementary)	9,201 82	6,560 00	3,300 00
Tuition (High School)	59,980 04	64,050 00	65,000 00
Other Sources	28,439 27	1,000 00	500 00
Notes or Bonds	395,000 00		

*Total Receipts Other Than Property Taxes*

<u>\$499,112 08</u>	<u>\$ 83,610 00</u>	<u>\$ 82,100 00</u>
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District Assessment

224,402 48	262,564 01	305,902 26
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Balance

2,800 00
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*Total*

<u>\$726,314 56</u>	<u>\$346,174 01</u>	<u>\$388,002 26</u>
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# COMPARATIVE BUDGETS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONWAY, N. H.

## HIGH SCHOOL

### EXPENDITURES

	Actual Expenditures 1955-1956	Adopted Budget 1956-1957	School Board Budget 1957-1958
<i>Administration</i>			
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 393 90	\$ 395 20	\$ 444 60
Superintendent's Salary (local share)	1,259 90	1,227 59	1,496 72
Tax for State-wide Supervision	462 00	472 00	452 00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	1,001 29	1,076 08	1,322 65
Supplies and Expenses	1,290 73	1,127 19	1,543 87
<i>Instruction</i>			
Teachers' Salaries	73,286 83	81,350 00	92,000 00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	1,329 96	3,050 00	3,041 25
Scholars' Supplies	2,750 59	3,500 00	3,668 25
Salaries of Clerical Assistants	1,482 76	1,600 00	1,800 00
Supplies and Other Expenses	2,594 44	2,567 60	2,404 80
<i>Operation of School Plant</i>			
Salaries of Custodians	5,056 07	5,750 00	6,300 00
Fuel	8,739 44	4,000 00	3,300 00
Water, Light, Etc.	3,275 58	3,120 00	3,715 00
<i>Maintenance of School Plant</i>			
Repairs and Replacements	6,696 95	4,400 00	4,700 00
<i>Auxiliary Activities</i>			
Health Supervision	1,796 02	1,426 00	1,856 38
Transportation	5,416 44	7,800 00	8,600 00

Special Activities	1,454 66	5,100 00	3,200 00
School Lunch	2,045 89	3,100 00	4,500 00
<i>Fixed Charges</i>			
Retirement	4,374 19	5,807 08	5,817 53
Insurance	1,683 78	1,836 68	2,940 88
<i>Capital Outlay</i>			
Lands and New Buildings			4,500 00
Additions and Improvements to Buildings		5,900 00	1,800 00
New Equipment	3,990 31	4,485 00	3,055 00
<i>Debt and Interest</i>			
Principal of Debt	4,000 00	4,000 00	4,000 00
Interest on Debt	320 00	300 00	160 00
Adult Education	185 90	400 00	400 00
	<u>129,887 63</u>	<u>153,790 42</u>	<u>167,018 93</u>
<i>Total for High School</i>	\$129,887 63	\$153,790 42	\$167,018 93

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

<i>Administration</i>			
Salaries of District Officers	616 10	644 80	695 40
Superintendent's Salary (local share)	1,970 60	2,002 91	2,341 03
Tax for State-wide Supervision	1,308 00	1,416 00	1,448 00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	1,566 11	1,755 72	2,068 75
Supplies and Expenses	2,018 83	1,839 11	2,414 78
<i>Instruction</i>			
Teachers' Salaries	79,799 51	92,650 00	109,250 00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	1,879 35	2,960 00	2,843 25
Scholars' Supplies	2,688 34	3,300 00	3,107 25
Supplies and Other Expenses	1,964 98	1,710 40	1,983 00

<i>Operation of School Plant</i>			
Salaries of Custodians	6,980 95	7,100 00	8,700 00
Fuel	3,580 73	4,500 00	7,900 00
Water, Light, Etc.	1,596 44	2,780 00	6,490 00
<i>Maintenance of School Plant</i>			
Repairs and Replacements	3,426 27	2,700 00	3,200 00
<i>Auxiliary Activities</i>			
Health Supervision	1,801 75	2,750 00	2,467 82
Transportation	6,524 19	6,530 00	8,000 00
Tuition		540 00	1,350 00
Special Activities	819 14	200 00	200 00
School Lunch	3,199 99	1,900 00	2,500 00
<i>Fixed Charges</i>			
Retirement	6,561 28	6,842 90	9,099 22
Insurance	2,525 66	3,376 75	4,599 83
<i>Capital Outlay</i>			
Additions and Improvements to Buildings	5,500 00	1,400 00	
Lands and New Buildings	55,821 81		
New Equipment	4,582 29	2,485 00	2,200 00
<i>Debt and Interest</i>			
Principal of Debt		20,000 00	20,000 00
Interest on Debt		11,000 00	10,125 00
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<i>Total for Elementary Schools</i>	\$196,732 32	\$182,383 59	\$212,983 33
Contingency Fund		10,000 00	8,000 00
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<i>Grand Total</i>	\$326,619 95	\$346,174 01	\$388,002 26

# FACULTY AND PUPIL ENROLLMENT

## KENNETT HIGH SCHOOL

George T. Davidson, Jr., Supervising Principal  
 Gordon K. Mann, Assistant Principal  
 C. Brenton Battersby, Agriculture  
 Roger Beaudoin, Science  
 Carroll Blanchard, Business Education  
 Charles Broomhall, Biology, General Science  
 Victor Broomhall, Bookkeeping, Mathematics  
 Miss Sally Gilchrist, Mathematics  
 Miss Deborah Goldman, English  
 C. Wayne Hancock, English  
 William Hodge, Jr., History, Civics  
 Mrs. Daphne Merrill, English  
 Mrs. Wanda Pennett, French  
 Charles Pierce, Physics  
 Hollis Robbins, Industrial Arts  
 Mrs. Therna Sanborn, History, Government  
 Karl Seidenstuecker, History, Director of Athletics  
 Richard P. Stevens, Auto Mechanics  
 Mrs. Dorothea Thompson, English  
 Miss Barbara Willey, Home Economics  
 Mrs. Dorothy Fenton

	1955-1956	1956-1957
Number of Pupils	454	437
Seniors	104	93
Juniors	104	94
Sophomores	104	129
Freshmen	142	121

## NORTH CONWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Grade 8	Brownlow L. Thompson, Principal	34	32
Grade 7	Mrs. Kathleen Hodge	32	36
Grade 6	William J. Mathurin	30	31
Grade 5	Mrs. Joan Mathurin	32	25
Grade 4	Mrs. Rose Laliberty	24	32
Grade 3	Mrs. Anna L. Garland	33	20)
Grade 3	Mrs. Esther York		21)
Grade 2	Mrs. Karol Garland and (Mrs. Esther York) 1955-56	37	35
Grade 1	Mrs. Myrtle Gosselin	30	32
		252	264

### CONWAY VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Grade 8	Mrs. Margaret C. Gagnon	30	36
Grade 7	Edward C. Desmond, Principal		(
Grade 7	Mrs. Mary E. Mills	33	(46
Grade 6	Raymond Lanoue	42	30
Grade 5	Miss Ruth I. Dietzel	28	(
Grade 5	Robert C. Wing		(45
Grade 4	Mrs. Vera N. Chase	(	(
Grade 4	Mrs. Barbara Hodsdon	(47	(46
Grade 3	Miss L. Kathleen Lord	(	(
Grade 3	Miss B. Jeanne Lord	(50	(47
Grade 2	Mrs. Sandra Fitzpatrick (2 teachers 1955-56)	55	29
Grade 1	Mrs. Olive Ball	33	(
Grade 1	Mrs. Beulah Parent		(40
		318	319

### PINE TREE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Grades 7-8	Raymond A. Angers, Principal	31	25
Grades 5-6	Mrs. Mary-Elizabeth Walker	20	18
Grades 3-4	Mrs. Celia J. Kennett	27	37
Grades 1-2	Mrs. Elsie M. Masterton	32	31
		110	111
Total Number Elementary Pupils		680	694
Total Elementary and High School Pupils		1134	1131

#### TEN YEARS AGO

Kennett High School had  
 12 Teachers  
 201 Pupils from the Conways  
 65 Tuition Pupils  
 135 Pupils Transported

#### TODAY

Kennett High School has  
 21 Teachers  
 226 Pupils from the Conways  
 211 Tuition Pupils  
 170 Pupils Transported

#### TEN YEARS AGO

In the Elementary Schools in Conway there were:  
 21 Teachers  
 469 Elementary Pupils from the Conways  
 35 Elementary Tuition Pupils  
 161 Elementary Pupils Transported

## TODAY

In the Elementary Schools in Conway there are

- 28 Elementary Teachers
- 669 Elementary Pupils in the Conways
- 25 Elementary Tuition Pupils
- 265 Elementary Pupils Transported

The rate of tuition charged for Elementary Pupils

10 years ago .....	36.00
Today the rate is .....	205.00
Next year the rate has been established at .....	220.00

The rate of tuition charged for high school pupils

10 years ago .....	125.00
Today the rate is .....	305.00
Next year the rate has been established at .....	340.00

# Report of Superintendent

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*To the School Board and Citizens of Conway:*

In the short time since we sold the school bonds at an interest rate of 2.7, the rate has spiralled to 4% and construction costs have continued to increase. The new elementary schools reflect the careful planning of the School Board and Building Committee in obtaining the maximum of school building facilities for a cost of \$10.86 a square foot as compared with the National average of \$14.85 a square foot.

Reinforced concrete foundations, reinforced damp-proof concrete floor slabs, structural steel frame, pre-cast concrete insulating roof decking, twenty-year bonded roof. Lead-coated copper flashings, aluminum sash, brick facing with cinder tile backing, cinder tile interior partitions, acoustical tile, plastered and structural ceilings, large glazed areas in corridor, large display cases in lobby, ceramic tile floors, asphalt tile finished floors, wood stage floor. Stainless steel kitchen equipment, steel interior door frames. Modern paint decorations. Program plumbing system thirty-six fixtures, five-zone forced hot water heating system. Forced ventilation.



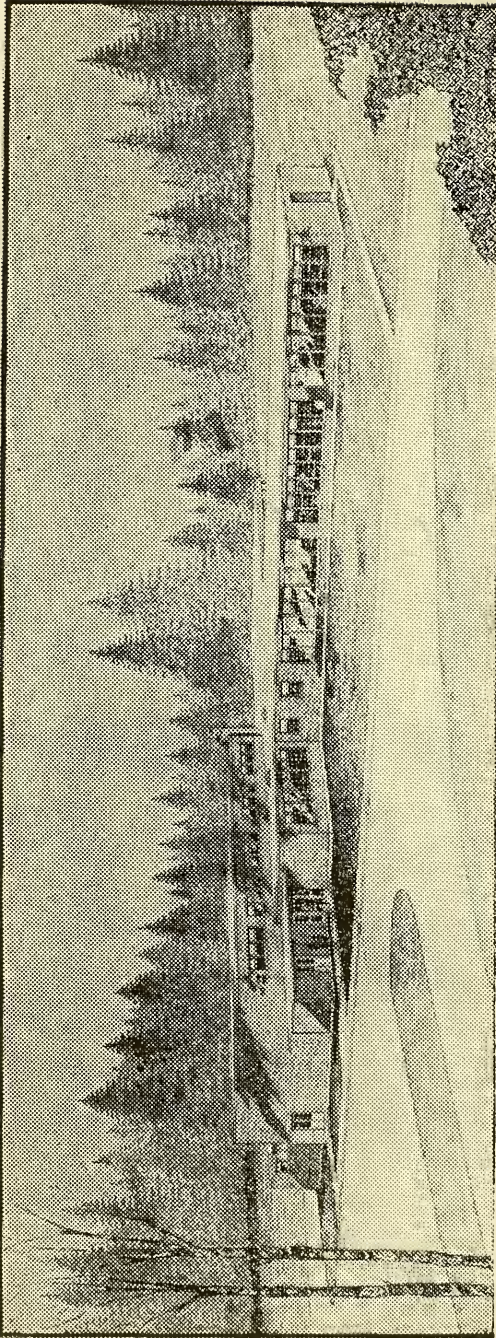
## BUDGET FOR THE NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Expenditures	North Conway	Conway
Structure	\$179,983 00	\$176,013 00
Plumbing-Heating	38,030 00	38,030 00
Electrical	12,202 90	12,252 80
Water line	2,826 88	1,667 29
<i>Construction Cost</i>	\$233,042 78	\$227,963 09
Land purchase	25,000 00	7,500 00
Site preparation	2,300 00	18,925 00
Site development	3,000 00	4,000 00
Architect's fee	13,320 00	13,088 00
Equipment	11,000 00	11,000 00
	\$54,620 00	\$ 54,513 00
		\$570,138 87
Performance Bond		3,277 04
Legal and engineering fees		2,000 00
<i>Total</i>		\$575,415 91

### Receipts

Capital reserve fund	\$137,600 00
School bonds	395,000 00
Return of one month interest	918 38
Premium on bonds	2,441 50
Interest on treasury bills – June, 1956	1,955 00
Sale of timber	7,108 51
Interest on treasury bills – September, 1956	2,102 00
Interest on treasury bills – December, 1956	1,652 00
Transferred – Balance of general fund	5,353 74
*Interest, capital reserve fund – January, 1957	1,200 00
*Interest on treasury bills – March, 1957	900 00
*Interest on treasury bills – July, 1957	400 00
*Interest – Capital reserve fund – July, 1957	1,000 00
<i>Total</i>	\$557,631 13

\*Estimated Receipts



ARCHITECT'S DRAWING OF THE NORTH CONWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
Similar to the New Elementary School in Conway

The Conway School Board has revised the salary schedule for teachers. The minimum salary for teachers with a bachelor's degree will be \$3,200.00 for the first year and a maximum of \$4,800.00 in the 13th year; for those holding the master's degree, a minimum of \$3,400.00 and a maximum of \$5,000. Certified teachers without a degree, a starting salary of \$2,600.00 and a maximum of \$3,900.00

Extensive work was done on the Kennett High School athletic field. The sewerage disposal line was repaired and extended. The high school auditorium was painted. The usual minor repair program was carried out in the elementary schools.

It became necessary to rent the primary classroom in the new addition of the Second Congregational Church for one section of the first grade in Conway. This year we have classes in these buildings: a fourth grade in the Community Center at North Conway, two fourth grades in the Precinct Building in Conway, a first grade in the Little Building, a first grade in the Second Congregational Church, and a sixth and eighth grade in the high school building.

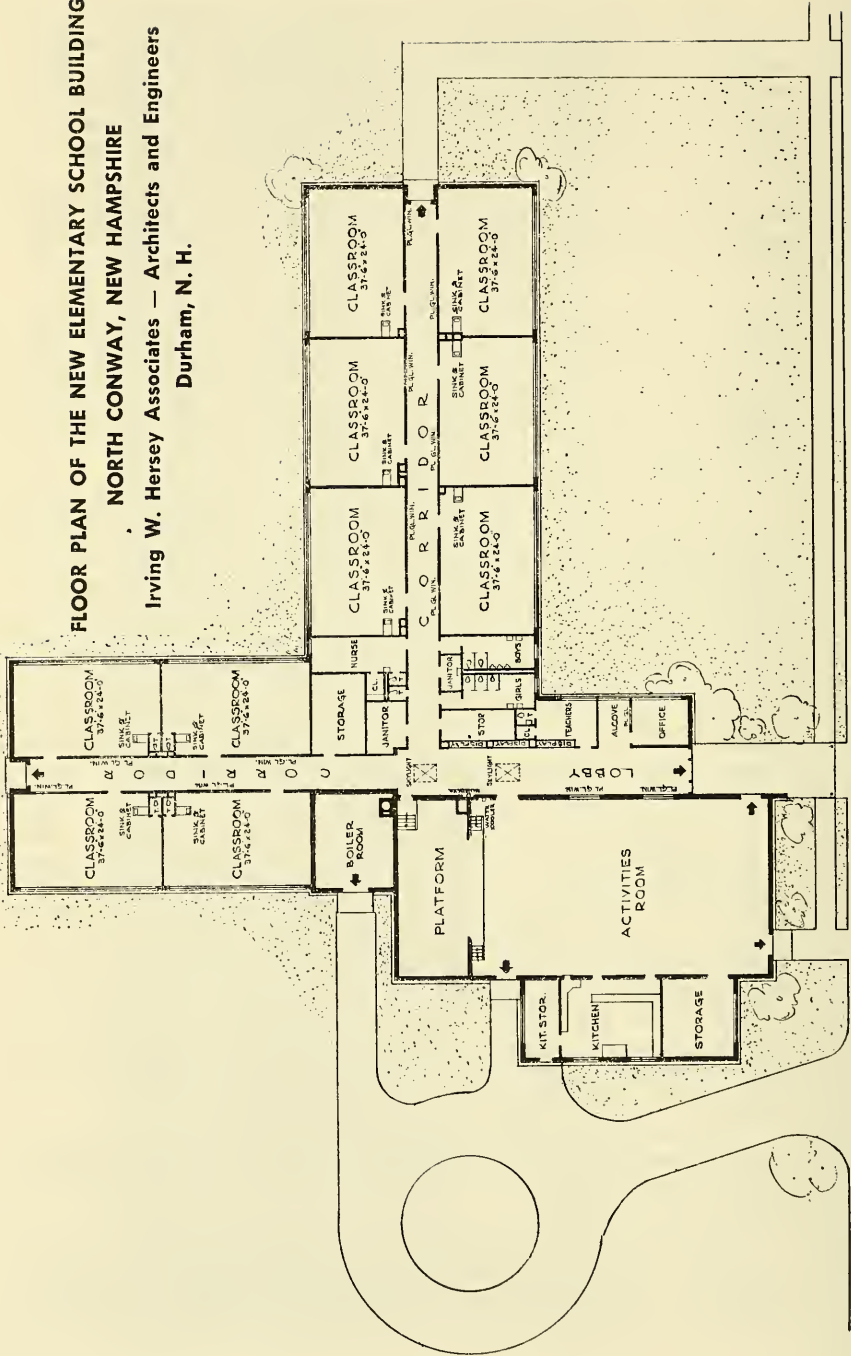
You will notice an article in the Warrant regarding a Helping Teacher. A Helping Teacher will provide the school districts of this Union with essential supervisory and educational consultant services that will improve the quality of instruction. The state will pay \$2,500.00 as its share of the Helping Teacher's salary and the Helping Teacher will be governed by the same laws, rules, and regulations as apply to superintendents. The criteria used by the Commissioner of Education in determining which Unions shall be qualified for the services of a Helping Teacher are: the number of teachers, number of pupils, number of schools, and population trends. This Supervisory Union has been designated by the Commissioner of Education as meeting these requirements.

The Helping Teacher as defined under Section 24, Chapter 186 of the New Hampshire State Laws: — a teacher with specific training and experience which will enable her, or him, to give helpful advice, counsel, and assistance to teachers, pupils and parents of a school system as a constructive means of improving the educational growth and development of children, solving pupil problems of retardation and maladjustment, adopting the program of studies to meet the needs of the children and the community, bringing resources outside of the school to classroom teachers, pupils, parents and community, and in general acting as consultant to the entire staff and community in recognition of the educational needs.

The number of children and youth requiring school transportation has increased each year. The summary which follows clearly shows that our school district is benefiting substantially from the operation of district-owned buses.

Today, in the Conway Schools, more emphasis than ever is placed in the teaching of the "fundamentals." The three R's are still the basic foundation of the curriculum. The teaching of phonics is particularly stressed as an aid to independent reading without losing sight of the

**FLOOR PLAN OF THE NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING**  
**NORTH CONWAY, NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
 Irving W. Hersey Associates — Architects and Engineers  
 Durham, N. H.



main objective — reading for learning, understanding, and meaning. Although we can boast about the achievement of the overwhelming majority of the children in our schools, we always have a few who encounter difficulties in some phase of their school work. Through a process of testing, guidance, and counseling, these children are carefully observed and usually provided a program involving additional time and help so that they may achieve, in varying degree, some measure of successful school experiences.

Our schools are deeply rooted in local responsibility. The citizens of Conway have evidenced their faith in public education and understand the benefits of a sound educational investment.

DAVID APPLETON

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONWAY

### ALL TRANSPORTATION INCLUDING ACTIVITIES AND ATHLETICS

1955 - 1956

	<b>54 Passenger Bus No. 1</b>	<b>48 Passenger Bus No. 3</b>
<i>Fixed Costs</i>		
Salary of driver	\$1,023 25	\$1,759 84
Insurance	128 59	128 59
Storage	35 00	35 00
Depreciation	775 00	667 00
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	\$1,961 84	\$2,590 43
<i>Variable Costs</i>		
Gasoline		
No. 1 — 1836.1 gals. x .20685		
No. 3 — 1890.0 gals. x .20685	379 80	390 95
Oil and grease	24 50	20 50
Labor	231 60	231 38
Parts, equipment	220 73	234 23
Tires, tubes	50 62	317 52
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	\$ 907 25	\$1,194 58
	\$2,869 09	\$3,784 96
Receipts — State highway tax refund	91 80	94 50
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<i>Total</i>	\$2,777 29	\$3,690 46
Total mileage	16,604	17,491
Cost per mile	16.73c	21.10c
	Bus No. 1	Bus No. 3
1956 — 9-1	50013	86654
1955 — 9-1	33409	69163
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	16604	17491
	9.04 MPG	9.25 MPG

# SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONWAY, N. H.

## Activity Program Transportation — 1955-1956

	Cost Private Cars		Bus No. 1 — 54-Passenger		Bus No. 3 — 48-Passenger		Total Mileage	Total Cost				
	Mileage	Cars	Mileage	Gasoline .20685	Mileage	Gasoline .20685						
Baseball			120	2.75	12.50	45.25	608	13.60	20.15	33.75	728	49.00
Basketball	660	127.32	203	4.64	23.75	28.39	862	17.43	105.15	123.05	1665	278.79
Debating	2012	130.26									2012	130.26
Drama			94	1.99	11.00	12.99	209	4.67	20.50	25.17	303	38.16
Football	135	54.00	191	4.37	36.00	40.37	630	11.09	73.50	87.59	956	181.93
Future Farmers							241	5.39	19.00	24.39	241	24.39
Music	220	14.65	120	2.75	8.00	10.75	680	15.21	32.00	47.21	1020	72.61
Jr. Ski Program	420	132.50									420	132.50
Skating	277	19.53	97	2.00	11.00	13.00	542	12.12	72.00	84.12	916	116.65
Physical Exams			273	6.23		6.23					273	6.23
Field Trips	265	17.50	330	7.55	21.00	28.55	490	10.96	67.54	78.50	1085	124.55
Highway gasoline tax refund — 158 gal. x 5c	3989	495.76	1428	32.28	133.25	153.53	4202	93.37	403.84	503.81	8619	1155.10
				-7.80	-7.90	-7.90	470 gal. at 5c	-23.50		-23.50		-31.40
		495.76		24.38	133.25	147.63		70.47	403.84	480.31		1123.70

Square Dance, U. H. N., State Library, Nason College, Portland Hospital, Memorial Hospital, Council on Europe, Ossipee Court, Polo Clinics, Science Fair, Track, Cross-Country, Cheerleaders, Softball (Girls).

# REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

1955 - 1956

The school health program is designed to raise the health standards of all pupils; to know what is good for one's health; to establish sound health habits and attitudes; to dispel a child's fear of doctor and dentist examinations and treatments; to help parents to know where they can go for desired help outside of the community; how to avoid illness and accident; and how to protect the health of others.

In the fall of 1955, 388 physical examinations were done. All pupils desiring the examination from the first, fourth, seventh and 10th grades were done at the hospital. The students out for sports who were not done at the hospital were done at Kennett High School by Dr. Chester Wiggin and Dr. William Duprey, Jr.

During the year 574 first or second shots were given of the Salk Polio vaccine; 366 tuberculin Patch tests were given; 75 chest X-rays were taken; 1,204 vision tests were done, 20 vision defects discovered and 17 of the defects were corrected; 368 hearing tests were done, 10 defects discovered and two received treatment; three treatment centers were held at Kennett High School for the checking of exercises for the orthopedic defects, and an average of 12 to 20 pupils attended; 60 pre-school pupils attended the pre-school summer round-up. Each child was weighed and measured, teeth and tonsils checked; and parents were advised as to the importance of the immunizations that are available.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for all the help given in the School Health Program.

JULIA T. COX, R.N.  
School Nurse

## CONWAY LUNCH PROGRAMS

	Kennett	Pine Tree	No. Conway	Total
	H.S.	School	Elem.	
Children's meals	38,322	11,542	16,007	65,871
Free meals	1,808	1,314	1,619	4,741
Adult meals	1,941	400	708	3,049
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	42,071	13,256	18,334	73,661
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Food	\$10,538 33	\$ 2,699 52	\$ 4,063 31	\$17,301 16
Labor	3,210 21	976 56	1,341 88	5,528 65
Equipment	529 37	125 00		654 37
Other	200 00	39 57	93 76	333 33
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<i>Total</i>	\$14,477 91	\$ 3,840 65	\$ 5,498 95	\$23,817 51
<i>Receipts</i>	\$14,198 49	\$ 3,784 62	\$ 5,877 10	\$23,860 21
Average cost a meal	34c	29c	30c	32c

	<b>1953-1954</b>	<b>1954-1955</b>	<b>1955-1956</b>
Cash on hand	\$ 1,692 39	\$ 868 56	\$ 1,301 76
Lunch sales (children)	14,767 96	15,419 87	16,520 09
Lunch sales (adults)	522 80	804 60	671 85
Reimbursement (Federal)	2,748 64	2,747 20	2,988 24
District appropriation		1,040 05	
Miscellaneous income	2,203 00	1,547 99	3,293 73
	<u>\$21,934 79</u>	<u>\$22,428 77</u>	<u>\$24,775 67</u>
Balance			\$958 16

**FOOD ALLOCATED TO THE CONWAY LUNCH PROGRAMS  
FOR THE 1955-1956 PROGRAM**

**By the New Hampshire Distributing Agency**

Butter	95 cases
Fresh Italian Plums	13 baskets
Peanut Butter	6 cases
Dried Apricots	8 cases
Dried Milk	13 cases
Salad Oil	6 gals.
Rice	200 lbs.
Shortening	17 cases
Process Cheese	22 cases
Dried Pinto Beans	600 lbs.
Canned Peas	18 cases
Canned Grapefruit	26 cases
Sour Cherries	11 cases
Canned Tomatoes	22 cases
Lard	10 cases
Canned Orange Juice	5 cases
Sweet Potatoes	10 hampers
Canned Pork and Gravy	33 cases
Canned Hams	8 cases
Canned Luncheon Meat	12 cases
Frozen Hamburg	14 cases
Fresh Cabbage	400 lbs.



# Kennett High School Central Activity Fund July 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

Estimated Income:	Adopted Budget 1956-57		Income	Expenses	Fund Balance
\$2,382.48	\$ 126.48	General Fund:			
		Balance, 1955 Athletic Fund	\$ 1.87		
		School District Grant, July 1, 1956	2,500.00		
		Total, July 1, 1956	<u>\$2,501.87</u>		
		Less Payment of Liabilities, July 31	2,093.54		
		Total, July 31, 1956	408.33		
		Less opening of Fund Bank charges	5.85		
		Total of outside grants, Sept. 1, 1956	\$ 402.48		
		Membership Fees, 327 Students approximately 80% of student body)	1,993.00		
		<b>Total Income:</b>	<b>2,395.48</b>		
		I D Cards, supplies, telephone, rebates		111.00	15.48
50.00	650.00	Baseball: Equipment, uniforms		376.03	273.97
1,000.00	1,000.00	Basketball:			
		Games receipts, player payments on equipment	530.42		
		Officials, police, equipment, laundry		661.93	338.07
950.00	1,770.00	Football:			
		Game receipts, player payments on equipment	1,374.89		
		Officials, police, guarantees, equipment, laundry		1,636.38	133.62
	600.00	Ski Programs:		5.00	595.00
9.00	75.00	Track — cross-country	9.00	41.00	34.00
	100.00	General Sport: Insurance, NHIAA dues		84.00	16.00
		<b>Totals Carried Forward:</b>	<b>\$4,309.79</b>	<b>\$2,915.34</b>	<b>\$1,406.14</b>
\$4,591.48	\$4,321.48				

Estimated Income	Adopted Budget 1956-57		Income	Expenses	Fund Balance
\$4,391.48	\$4,391.48	<b>Totals Brought Forward:</b>	\$4,309.79	\$2,915.34	\$1,406.14
90.00	255.00	All-School Dances:	29.00	97.42	157.58
90.00	140.00	Assembly Programs:	29.20	65.00	75.00
	25.00	Cheerleaders: Laundry, uniforms		20.24	4.76
	25.00	Dance Band: Music purchases		23.24	1.76
	35.00	Debating Club: Debate materials		23.04	11.96
350.00	350.00	Dramatics:	283.00	193.05	156.95
	50.00	Kennett Krier: Newspaper expenses		25.00	25.00
	50.00	Science Club: Science Fair			50.00
	50.00	Square Dance Club:			50.00
	35.00	Student Council:		5.00	30.00
	.25	Kennett Keys:	.25		.25
90.00	85.00	Carnival: Dance, programs, decorations			85.00
335.00		Vaudeville Show:			
75.00		Spring Concert:			
		<b>Total Budget and balance of funds to be expended during period from January 1, 1957 to July 1, 1957:</b>			2,054.40
		<b>Total Budget Funds expended, July 1 to Dec. 31, 1956:</b>			3,367.33
\$5,421.73	\$5,421.73				\$5,421.73
		Yearbook:	767.80	308.38	
		Visual Aids:	100.87	41.26	
		Girls' College Club:	23.01		
		<b>Totals Carried Forward:</b>	\$5,542.92	\$3,716.97	

Estimated Income	Adopted Budget 1956-57		Income	Expenses	Fund Balance
\$5,421.73	\$5,421.73	Totals Brought Forward:	\$5,542.92	\$3,716.97	\$5,421.47
-----	-----	Class of 1957:	364.87	41.84	
		Class of 1958:	251.09	2.00	
		Class of 1959:	249.83	11.44	
		Class of 1960:	3.50		
		Tri-Hi-Y:	38.09		
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		<b>Totals, December 31, 1956:</b>	\$6,450.30	\$3,772.25	
		Cash on hand, checking account, Dec. 31, 1956		2,613.05	
		Cash on hand, cashbox, December 31, 1956		60.00	
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			\$6,450.30	\$6,450.30	

SCHOOL AUDITED:

January 11, 1957

Robert Abbott, Treasurer, Student Council

Damon O'Neal, Treasurer, Athletic Association

Beverly Marsters, Treasurer, Class of 1957

Jean Leighton, Treasurer, Class of 1958

Peter Nichols, Treasurer, Class of 1959

Betty Ryder, Treasurer, Class of 1960

Submitted, December 31, 1956  
 CARROLL H. BLANCHARD, JR.  
 Treasurer

SCHOOL SUPERVISORY UNION 9

Albany  
Bartlett  
Chatham

SCHOOL CALENDAR  
1957-1958

Conway  
Eaton  
Jackson

SEPTEMBER (16)					OCTOBER (22)					NOVEMBER (18)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
9	10	11	12	13	7	8	9	10	11	4	5	6	7	8
16	17	18	19	20	14	15	16	17	18	11	12	13	14	15
23	24	25	26	27	21	22	23	24	25	18	19	20	21	22
30					28	29	30	31		25	26	27	28	29
DECEMBER (15)					JANUARY (20)					FEBRUARY (15)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
2	3	4	5	6			1	2	3	3	4	5	6	7
9	10	11	12	13	6	7	8	9	10	10	11	12	13	14
16	17	18	19	20	13	14	15	16	17	17	18	19	20	21
23	24	25	26	27	20	21	22	23	24	24	25	26	27	28
30	31				27	28	29	30	31					
MARCH (21)					APRIL (17)					FIRST TERM:				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F					
3	4	5	6	7	7	8	9	10	11	Sept. 7	Teachers Meetings			
10	11	12	13	14	14	15	16	17	18	Sept. 9	Schools Open			
17	18	19	20	21	21	22	23	24	25	Oct. 4	Fair Day			
24	25	26	27	28	28	29	30			Oct. 17-18	Teachers Conv.			
31										Nov. 28-29	Thanksgiving Wed. 12:00 P.M.			
MAY (21)					JUNE					SECOND TERM:				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F					
			1	2	2	3	4	5	6	Jan. 6	Schools Open			
5	6	7	8	9	9	10	11	12	13	Feb. 21-	Winter Vacation			
12	13	14	15	16	16	17	18	19	20	March 3	THIRD TERM: Schools Open			
19	20	21	22	23						April 11	Teachers Institute			
26	27	28	29	30						April 18-28	Spring Vacation			
										FOURTH TERM:				
										April 28	Schools Open			
										May 30	Memorial Day			
										Schools close on completion of 180 days.				
										*Nov. 11	Veteran's Day			

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY, N. H. ON DECEMBER 31, 1956

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance beginning of Year	Income During Year		Expended During Year	Balance End of Year
					Percent	Amount		
Oct. 2, 1908	Andrew Dismore Cemetery Trust Fund.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	150.00	107.79	2 1/2	6.16	25.00	88.95
May 9, 1912	Andrew Dismore, donor. Center Old Cemetery Trust Fund.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	290.00	59.10	2 1/2	8.68	7.00	60.78
Jan. 1, 1917	Abial Smith, Cemetery Fund. Abial Smith, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	50.00	6.72	2 1/2	1.40		8.12
June 1, 1920	Mary Adjutant, Cemetery Fund	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	100.00	5.24	2 1/2	2.61	2.00	5.85
April 3, 1922	Mary Banfill School Fund. Mary Banfill, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	235.00	102.70	2 1/2	8.47		111.17
Aug. 16, 1922	Osgood Thoms, and Emerson Cemetery Fund. J. Fred Thoms and others, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	400.00	60.16	2 1/2	11.50	10.00	61.66
Feb. 3, 1923	West Side Cemetery Fund. Frank P. Allard and others, donors.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	693.21	45.14	2 1/2	18.56		63.70
Jan. 2, 1925	Meeting House Hill Memorial Fund. Care of tablet and lot.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	85.79	10.43	2 1/2	2.37	3.00	9.80
July 2, 1925	Brooks Cemetery Fund. Estate of Arthur E. H. Brooks, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	200.00	146.73	2 1/2	8.70		155.43
May 19, 1926	Emma P. Atkinson Fund, care of Deering Cemetery. Emma P. Atkinson, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	11.70	2 1/2	2.80		14.50
Dec. 27, 1927	Charlotte Meserve Cemetery Fund	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	300.00	86.12	2 1/2	9.62	5.00	90.74
Dec. 27, 1927	Perkins Cemetery Fund. Emma N. Cook, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	150.00	4.25	2 1/2	3.83	3.00	5.08
Feb. 23, 1928	Etta Cole Cemetery Fund. Etta Cole Tart, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	86.45	2 1/2	9.64	10.00	86.09
Sept. 24, 1928	Sarah J. Carter Cemetery Fund. Sarah J. Carter and Herbert Q. Carter, donors.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	400.00	146.79	2 1/2	13.42	25.00	135.21
July 10, 1929	Julia Webster Cemetery Fund	Carroll County Trust Company	350.00	18.72	2 1/2	9.23	5.00	22.95
July 19, 1932	Calhoun Cemetery fund. George W. Calhoun, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	310.92	13.51	2 1/2	8.09	10.00	11.60

Aug. 20, 1932	Charles J. and Alice R. Snow Cemetery Fund, Charles J. and Alice R. Snow, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	18.01 2 1/2	2.93	5.00	15.91
Nov. 29, 1932	Robertson Cemetery Fund, Emmeline Fullerton donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	12.00 2 1/2	2.81		14.81
Dec. 2, 1932	Gariand Cemetery Fund, Susie M. Ham and Hannah A. Garland donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	14.38 2 1/2	2.84	2.50	14.72
Dec. 5, 1933	Ann R. Russell Cemetery Fund	Carroll County Trust Company	500.00	177.69 2 1/2	16.63	64.65	129.97
Sept. 5, 1934	Samuel B. Shackford Cemetery Fund, Heirs of Samuel B. Shackford, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	14.99 2 1/2	2.81	10.00	7.50
Sept. 5, 1934	Richard B. Thom Cemetery Fund	Carroll County Trust Company	194.66	34.52 2 1/2	5.76		40.25
July 30, 1935	Samuel C. Hatch Cemetery Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	2.81 2 1/2	2.56	2.00	3.37
Dec. 16, 1935	Lucia Morrill Lougee Cemetery Fund, Care of Morrill Cemetery.	Carroll County Trust Company	150.00	11.96 2 1/2	4.02	5.00	10.98
Nov. 9, 1936	Pemis - Taylor Cemetery Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	26.95 2 1/2	3.17		30.12
June 24, 1938	Curtis Sinclair Cemetery Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	15.33 2 1/2	7.90	5.00	18.23
July 3, 1940	Sylvia E. Hunter Cemetery Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	48.36 2 1/2	8.69	10.00	47.05
Nov. 6, 1940	Lillian Trundy Cemetery Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	150.00	4.16 2 1/2	3.85	3.00	5.01
March 3, 1941	Elmer E. Weeks, Lot No. 58.	Carroll County Trust Company	25.00	6.31 2 1/2	.77	1.50	5.58
Nov. 3, 1941	J. Fred Shackford Cemetery Lot.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	12.00 2 1/2	2.81		14.81
Oct. 13, 1942	Lucy J. Philbrook Trust Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	42.45 2 1/2	8.75	5.00	46.02
Mar. 10, 1943	Lovina E. Potter Fund, Harry E. Potter, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	400.00	29.18 2 1/2	10.72	10.00	29.90
Oct. 23, 1943	Frank W. Davis Fund, Ruth B. D. Horne, P. S. Davis, Mildred Rich, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	50.13 2 1/2	8.48	50.00	8.61
Oct. 30, 1944	George D. and Grace G. Petrie Harold Q. Petrie, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	600.00	123.03 2 1/2	18.18		141.21
Dec. 22, 1944	Emma M. Robertson Cemetery Fund, Emma M. Robertson, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	12.00 2 1/2	2.81		14.81

Feb. 25, 1946	Irving W. Young Cemetery Fund. George D. Youngs, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	12.81 2 1/2	2.82	15.43
Jan. 3, 1947	Arthur Kenison, donor. Isadore Kenison, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	332.00	19.44 2 1/2	8.76	18.20
June 26, 1947	Estate of Frank W. Tasker. Sadie F. Foster, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	150.00	18.14 2 1/2	4.22	22.36
June 21, 1951	Charles W. Nute Cemetery Fund. For upkeep of the Kearsarge Cemetery lot.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	517.58	26.38 2 1/2	13.54	29.92
Oct. 29, 1951	John B. Potter Cemetery Fund. Arthur L. Potter, donor.	New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, N. H.	300.00	39.57 3/4	11.12	50.69
Oct. 29, 1951	George A. Wagg Cemetery Fund. Mrs. George A. Wagg, donor.	New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, N. H.	300.00	34.27 3/4	10.78	35.05
April 12, 1954	Abbie L. McCall Cemetery Fund.	Carroll County Trust Company	400.00	9.14 2 1/2	10.25	14.39
March 1, 1955	James P. Davidson Cemetery Fund.	Concord Savings Bank (formerly Loan & Trust Savings Bank)	1,000.00	22.61 3/4	32.18	54.79
July 1, 1955	Percy F. Gariand Cemetery Fund. Emma F. Gariand, donor.	Concord Savings Bank (formerly Loan & Trust Savings Bank)	500.00	7.50 3/4	15.98	23.48
May 5, 1954	North Conway Water Preinct. For erection of new fire station.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	7,000.00	104.12 2 1/2	170.27	274.39
Mar. 29, 1951	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, N. H.	20,000.00	2,452.70 3/4	550.38	22,800.00
Mar. 17, 1952	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Amoskeag Savings Bank Manchester, N. H.	10,000.00	1,209.24 3/4	367.25	1,576.49
Mar. 17, 1952	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Concord Savings Bank (formerly Loan & Trust Savings Bank)	10,000.00	2,421.66 3/4	1,029.42	3,000.00
Sept. 8, 1953	For erection of new building.	Laconia Savings Bank Laconia, N. H.	780.56	232.15 3/4	528.02	780.15
Jan. 9, 1954	New Building for Conway School District.	Manchester Savings Bank Manchester, N. H.	20,000.00	183.63 3/4	450.27	633.90
April 2, 1955	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Manchester Savings Bank Manchester, N. H.	13,560.00			

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

PERLEY W. MUDGETT  
S. JEAN FERNANDEZ  
FRANK KENNETT, JR.  
Trustees

## VITAL STATISTICS

TO THE SELECTMEN — in compliance with an act of Legislature passed June session 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Conway, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1956

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan.	2 Suzanne Marie	Richard T. Watson	Frances M. McGinty	North Conway	Hanover
6	Helen Louise	Edmund M. Warren	Marion E. Lucy	Pembroke	North Conway
9	James Irving, Jr.	James I. Hutchins, Jr.	Ida M. Fernald	Jackson	East Conway
10	Jeffrey Lee	Garfield W. Dickey	Helen B. Welch	Warren	Chocoma
11	Joyce Gertrude	Robert H. Bray	Barbara J. Yeaton	Sturington, Me.	Conway
18	Jane Stevens	Rodney L. Eastman	Ruth W. Reed	Durham	Whitman, Mass.
19	Clyde William	Corliss S. Watson	Shirley A. Carlson	Kingfield, Me.	North Conway
20	Susan Elizabeth	William S. Dallinger	Alice L. Winn	Ctr. Lovell, Me.	Windsor, Vt.
20	Cleland Kinlock	Richard B. Earle	Anne C. Cadwalader	Cambridge, Mass.	Baltimore, Md.
21	Barbara Joyce	David G. Hill	Eva G. Jones	Portland, Me.	Fryeburg, Me.
22	Dale Arnold	James H. Brooks	Joyce A. Walker	Portland, Me.	Brownfield, Me.
24	Ronald Scott	Donald E. Hattin	Marjorie E. Macy	South Paris, Me.	Coliasset, Mass.
24	Hillary Ann	John R. E. Booker	Arlene M. Sanphy	Eastbourne, England	Belin, Germany
26	Lorrie Lee	Ronald G. Hill	Robert M. Thompson	Gray, Me.	North Conway
26	Bradford Milton	Brewster Morrill	Ethel M. Thurston	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Sherbrooke, Que.
26	Sandra Ann	Russell H. Bean	Robert E. Merrill	North Conway	North Conway
27	Kimberly Jean	Edgar A. Frechette	Kay B. Merrill	Conway	Bartlett
30	John Emery	Emery R. Roberts	Faye O. Leso	Tanworth	Denmark, Me.
1	Lois Lee	Roland A. Gaudreau	Marilyn L. Wilkie	Nashua	Boston, Mass.
3	Debra Lee	Clarence E. Osgood	Marguerite E. Heath	Fryeburg, Me.	Fryeburg, Me.
4	Robert Donald, Jr.	Robert D. Campbell, Sr.	Arlene D. McLellan	Nova Scotia	Conway
10	Robert Stoning, Jr.	Robert S. Morrill, Sr.	Ruth M. Taber	Manchester	Manchester
12	Diane Elaine	Howard A. Ward	Eva L. Dunn	East Hiram, Me.	East Brownfield, Me.
12	Diane Lynn	Earl M. Marston	Betty Lou Larlee	Eastimore, Md.	Conway
14	Cindy Ann	Gordon B. Evans	Marilyn A. Larabee	Laconia	Conway
16	Norman Dana	Dana M. Ferren	Elizabeth E. Frost	Auburn, Me.	Conway
17	Ann Marie	Rollins A. Tibbetts	Glenna E. Fernald	Fryeburg, Me.	North Conway
18	Stephanie Ann	Stephen R. Burke	Martha A. Garland	Bartlett	North Conway
19	Collin Leon	Lloyd G. McLaskey	Pearl D. Hewey	Portland, Me.	Winnipeg, Canada
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## Births Continued

21 Rhonda Lee	Donald C. Ela	Doris M. Charles	North Conway	Chatham
22 Janice Marie	Carl W. Arnold	Jean L. Ward	Madison	North Conway
23 Michael Jay	Harry B. McKeen	Robert F. Ratty	North Conway	Pawtucket, R. I.
24 Christine Joan	Philip G. Andrews, Jr.	Audrey L. Graves	Levell, Me.	Levell, Me.
25 Jeffrey Scott	Carl A. Lowell	Shirley A. Gray	North Conway	Foxboro, Mass.
26 Robert Carl	Everett C. Smith	Dorothy E. Farrington	Fryeburg, Me.	Oxford, Me.
27 Patricia Lee	William O. Burdwood	Beverly J. Beal	North Conway	Leviston, Me.
28 Jeffrey Gene	James W. Sanborn	Grace E. Madsen	Tarpon Springs, Fla.	Portland, Me.
29 William Wade	Richard D. Chinnoek	Margit D. Hargool	River Falls, Wis.	Roslinde, Mass.
30 Steven Mark	David E. Whitcher	Marilyn L. Locke	Bartlett	Bartlett
31 Evelyn Carl	Robert W. Sawyer	Norma L. Kennet	Topeka, Kansas	Providence, R. I.
32 Gralyn W.	Leonard W. Morrill	Francis L. Wiggin	Sabornville	Denver, Colo.
33 John Alan	Frank H. Patch	Friene F. Butland	Stannard, Vt.	Lawrence, Mass.
34 Robert Kenneth	Frank L. Miller, Jr.	Bertila L. Day	Roxbury, Mass.	Brownfield, Me.
35 William Clifford, Jr.	William C. Harriman, Sr.	Yvonne M. Turgeon	Fryeburg, Me.	Conway
36 Richard Floyd	Earl M. Roby	Bessie A. McKeen	Wilmington, Vt.	North Conway
37 Rita May	Daniel E. Drew, Jr.	Amy M. Gendron	North Conway	North Conway
38 Joan Elizabeth	John L. Drew	Mary A. Wendon	North Conway	Marchester
39 Joan Lawlor	Carroll L. Sanborn	Anna V. McKeen	Bartlett	Dayton, Ohio
40 Bryan Albert	Fred A. Johnson	Bearice M. DeWitt	Eaton	Lebanon
41 Norman Charles	Charles E. Yates	Mildred M. Day	Brownfield, Me.	Hollis Center, Me.
42 Tracy	Donald H. Ballard	Marilyn M. Evans	St. Petersburg, Fla.	Bethle, N. J.
43 Donna Jean	Leon A. Evans	Frances L. Panno	East	North Conway
44 Rebecca Lynu	Gordon C. Johnson	Evelyn F. Johnson	Arkison	Naples, Me.
45 Sharon Louise	Donald L. Colcord	Shirley A. Parker	North Conway	North Conway
46 Peter Paul	Kenneth E. Warren	Priscilla M. Hill	Berlin	Meredith
47 John Henry	Norman M. Labnon	Jean L. Ludgate	Conway	Chicago, Ill.
48 Darrell Carleton	Clifton R. Garland	Dorothy J. Rines	Conway	Shelburne
49 Margaret	Henry H. Seavey	Doris L. Thomas	Saugus, Mass.	Beaman, Ohio
50 Sarah	Bruce M. Bottomley	Ola-Mae Dickey	Millinocket, Me.	Wintport, Me.
51 Mary Jane	Louis Wheaton	Maryanne E. Kemple	Providence, R. I.	Conway
52 Peter Steven	Peter Linmer	Helen A. Purington	North Conway	Fryeburg, Me.
53 Peter Wayne	Earl W. Goodman	Frances E. Baswell	Passaic, N. J.	Paterson, N. J.
54 Janice Marie	Edward S. Layne	Anna M. Jakubiec	Levell, Me.	Monson, Me.
55 Karen Ann	Ralph H. Junge	Jacelynn Warren	Alexandria	Portland, Me.
56 Scott Taylor	Donald I. Harmon	Patricia E. Wilson	Cleveland, Ohio	New York City, N. Y.
57 Elwyn Bruce, Jr.	Elwyn B. Segulin, Sr.	Laura L. Evinger	Fryeburg, Me.	Leviston, Me.
58 Susan Catherine	Harold J. Walker	Roseleane A. Coffin	Fryeburg, Me.	Eric, Pa.
59 Wendy Jean	Irving R. Shaw	Norene C. Mattison	Colebrook	Beecher Falls, Vt.
60 Thomas Warren	Hugh W. Hastings, Jr.	Cecile A. Bergeron		
61 Anita Cecile	David A. Dudley			

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May	1 Donald Scott	Robert E. Davidson	Mary E. Barton	Center Conway	Brownfield, Me.
	10 Karen Leigh	John F. Lowd	Nancy C. McQuinn	Conway	Redstone
	21 Sherry Leigh	Salvatore T. E. Manna	Shirley A. Bacon	Conway, Mass.	Jefferson
	23 Diana Carol	Gordon L. Stinson	Norma P. Nichols	Conway	Center Harbor
	22 Brenda Joyce	Howard J. Young, Jr.	Julia B. Rowell	Townworth	Madison
	22 Michael David	David Milton Zack	Jeanne K. Allen	Brandeport, Conn.	Littlefield
	26 Lee Scott	Donald L. Brosnan	Jacqueline A. F. Bridge	Conway	Littlefield
	29 Jean Claire	James R. Untied	Margaret E. Turner	Conway, Ohio	Zanesville, Ohio
	30 Michael Joseph	Robert A. Spratt	Elaine R. Clemond	Weston, Mass.	North Conway
	30 Marie Elizabeth	Ernest A. Mayford	Elizabeth D. Neora	South Ferrisburgh, N. H.	Center Sandwich
	31 James David	Paul J. Desrambeau	Alice E. Ventworth	Brownfield, Me.	North Conway
	4 Nellie Ann	Roy F. Chilton	Beverly L. Fairmon	North Conway	Los Angeles, Calif.
June	6 Nellie Ann	Roy F. Chilton	Margaret E. Tyler	Lynn, Mass.	Madison
	9 Kathleen Marie	Paul W. Haler	Mary E. Snow	North Conway	Portland, Me.
	12 David James, Jr.	David J. Therien, Sr.	Joyce V. Wright	North Conway	Montague, Mass.
	14 Jennifer Ruth	Robert O. Spencer	Jean M. Warren	North Conway	Pinehurst, N. C.
	14 Frederick Alan	Edward K. Hampshire	Carol H. Bardick	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Los Angeles, Calif.
	19 Holly Annis	Laurence W. Hoyte	Jeanne E. Tyomby	Conway	North Conway
	19 Lorna Sue	Arthur I. Gaudette	Carol L. Cruff	North Conway	Marblehead, Mass.
	20 Ruth Marie	William S. Davis	Donna L. Weare	Portsmouth	Portsmouth
	22 Curtis Edward	James M. Howard	Dorothy M. Booden	Portland, Me.	Boston, Mass.
	24 Martha Ann	Everett C. DeWitt	Irene E. Brownell	Eaton	Center Ossipee
	29 Scott Michael	James L. Higgins	Irene I. Bean	Eaton	Eaton
July	7 Pamela Jean	Merton W. Blood	Barbara G. Kimball	Princeton, Ind.	North Waterford, Me.
	8 Lorna Matilda Claire	Harry W. Edwards	Beverly J. Rogers	Woodstock, Me.	Portland, Me.
	8 Gretchen Moore	Gerald H. Mersereau	Betty R. Duguay	Bartlett	Berlin
	8 Margaret Jean	Charles H. Watts	Patricia D. McQuillen	New York City, N. Y.	New York City, N. Y.
	9 Howard Raymond	Roland J. Chute, Jr.	Margaret A. Wood	Salem, Mass.	Framingham, Mass.
	13 Wallace Craig	Joseph E. White	Alberta M. McAllister	Weston, Md.	Lovell, Me.
	14 Cynthia Mae	Clyde H. Allen	Mary L. Damon	Albany, Me.	Norway, Me.
	15 Kay Ellen	Alfred C. Sawyer	Flora L. Heath	East Conway	Norway, Me.
	15 Gordon Elwood, Jr.	Theodore W. Meserve	Theresa M. Hutchins	East Baldwin, Me.	Norway, Me.
	15 Charles George, Jr.	Karl C. Zacker, Sr.	Donna Carter	Conway	North Conway
	24 Howard Everett	Gordon E. Doe	Frances L. Jones	Center Ossipee	Porter, Me.
	27 Ellen Lindsey	William P. Heath	Ruby A. York	Center Ossipee	Naples, Me.
	27 Joyce Marie	Charles G. Fletcher, Sr.	Carol A. Vaughan	Center Ossipee	Boston, Mass.
	28 Caroline Sawyer	Loren B. Bunnell	Florence M. Warren	West Baldwin, Mass.	West Denmark, Me.
	29 Michael David	Fred A. Hatch	Mary R. Crouse	Newbury, Vt.	North Conway
	29 Michael Jay	Stephen W. Perry	Eunice M. Day	Haverhill	North Conway
	5 Donald Richard	Stephen W. Perry	Eunice M. Day	Haverhill	North Conway
Aug.	7 John Paul	Nelson H. Smith	Jean Cavanaugh	Boston, Mass.	Manchester
	10 Sharon Lee	Howard R. Allen	Winona C. Hewey	Keene	Kingfield, Me.
		Virgil F. Neddenlep	Dorothy E. Kiesman	Alpine City, Cal.	Fryeburg, Me.
		Richard A. Orfield	Agnes M. Metayer	Raymond	St. Albans, Vt.
		James H. Kiesman	Beverly A. Neumdorf	Denmark, Me.	Westwood, Mass.
		Ernest J. Boucher, Jr.	Constance M. LeBlanc	Conway	Woburn, Mass.

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12	Suzanne	Edward F. Sargent	Joanne Richardson	North Conway	Gorham, Me.
14	Francis Sydney	Homer D. Greenwood	Marion J. Hilsley	Portland, Me.	Jackson
15	Boyce	Norman Eastman	Clara E. Smith	Chatham	Conway
15	Susan Lee	Maurice A. Lamper	Arlene M. DeWitt	Westerboro	Eaton
24	Brenda Kay	Donald W. Putnam	Velma C. Frost	Waterbury, Vt.	North Conway
24	David Bradley	Theodore H. Quinn	Barbara A. Perkins	North Conway	Exeter
26	Debra Marjory	Smith C. Allard	Dorothy A. Davis	North Conway	North Conway
27	Steven Charles	John E. MacLeod	Emmie B. Minchin	Quincy, Mass.	Far Rockaway, N. Y.
29	Gay Edward	Richard C. Nealley	Cecile A. Butreau	Bartlett	Berlin
29	Carl Arnold	James R. Twombly	Glady L. Smith	North Conway	North Conway
29	Deborah Ann	Lawrence E. Tibbetts	Rita J. Gardner	Brownfield, Me.	North Conway
2	Paula Irene	Howard Cady	Phyllis A. Archer	Portland, Me.	Mapleton, Me.
11	Rene	Irving T. Chandler	Evelyn E. Evans	Sweden, Me.	Lovell, Me.
11	Richard Michael	Clifford R. Streeter	Lorraine B. Evans	Northumberland	Tamworth
11	Michael Richard	Francis N. King	Kaye E. Thurston	Bartlett	Plyeburg, Me.
14	Gary Gene	Richard D. Jones	Norma J. Warner	Madison	North Conway
16	Vincent Charles	Elmer C. Halden	Evelyn H. Parent	North Conway	Cuttler, Me.
16	Scott Wellington	Charles W. Halden	Anna Marie Small	Portland, Me.	North Conway
21	Brian Louis	Clyde W. Merrill	Marie M. Scott	North Conway	North Conway
21	William Howard, III	Warren R. Carpenter	Marion I. McGDonald	Westerboro	Brownfield, Me.
23	Peter Michael	William H. Zack, Jr.	Jan B. Hancock	Bridgeport, Conn.	Jacksonville, Fla.
24	Peter Everett	Earl B. Piles	Shirley D. Blake	North Conway	Brownfield, Me.
25	Russell Stearns	Everett F. Gile	Ivy Eaton	North Conway	Manchester
25	Robert Lynn	Alpheus C. Kennett, II	Mary F. Stearns	North Conway	Boston, Mass.
27	Lawrence Albert, Jr.	Lawrence B. Dow	Rachel B. Nudd	Farmington	Center Sandwich
27	Larrys Barbara	Lawrence A. Locke	Mary E. Twale	Sharon, Mass.	Central Zone
29	William Arthur	Cowan B. Battersby	Cecilia Baverstock	Harrieh, Me.	Millinocket, Me.
1	John Peter	Norman E. York, Jr.	Margaret L. Dunn	North Conway	Manchester
1	Ruby May	Peter S. Davey	Ruth M. Ors	Lovell, Me.	Bath, Me.
1	Keith Michael	Charles W. Fox	Marjorie Dearborn	Freedom	East Hiram, Me.
2	Terry William	Miles Brooks	Barbara A. Hatch	North Conway	North Fryeburg, Me.
3	William George, Jr.	Rodney C. Mason	Virginia A. Daisey	Bethel, Me.	Greenville, Me.
3	Jerrold Parker	William G. Hastings, Sr.	Mary G. Parker	Philadelphina, Pa.	Lancaster
4	Steven John	Irving A. Kuntz, Jr.	Lillian E. Powell	Madison	Wales, Great Britain
4	Joseph Martin	Edward W. Elliott	Ruth A. Prescott	Providence, Me.	North Conway
5	William John, Jr.	Jesse E. Shackford, Jr.	Ethel M. Emerson	Southbridge, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
7	Ronald Howard	Harold L. Briggs	Dorothy M. Mason	North Conway	Boston, Mass.
9	Janice May	Alburn F. Roberts	Rita J. Twombly	Center Sandwich	Madison
11	Kathy Ann	James H. Botting	Priscilla M. Eldridge	West Ossipee	West Ossipee
11	Joanna Kay	Wallace R. Nudd	Eileen E. James	Osage, Iowa	North Conway
12	Darlene Joan	John Brown	Charlotte M. James	Haverhill	Haverhill
14	Mary Spaulding	Thomas C. Altenbern	Beverly A. Blake	West Ossipee	Portland, Me.
14	Virginia Lee	Donald W. Eldridge	Frances L. Hayden	East Madison	Portland, Me.
16	Susan Elizabeth	Edward M. Hoyt			

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20	Danny Sears, Jr.	Danny S. Quint	Elinor E. Goodwin	Conway	Brooklyn, N. Y.
26	Lucinda Mae	Willard R. Placey	Madeline L. Hart	Colebrook	Wilson Mills, Me.
28	Curtis William	William A. MacKay	Priscilla B. Eastman	Bartlett	North Conway
3	Franklin Onslow	Onslow F. Smith	Bernice B. Brown	Chatham	North Conway
6	Lisa Carol	Guy E. Hayford	Margaret M. Gagnon	Hartford, Me.	Madison
13	Diana Mae	Robert D. Lucy	Norma J. Boyser	North Conway	Johntown, Pa.
14	Timothy Leslie	Leroy C. Sawyer	Carolyn J. Bean	Holls, Me.	Eaton
15	Gordon Ross, Jr.	Gordon R. Duncan, Sr.	Elin M. Brill	Canada	Indonesia
16	Raymond Byron	Bryon W. Charles	Glenice E. Raymond	Springfield, Me.	Lewiston, Me.
18	Nathan David	Willard J. McCuag	Esther M. Messersmith	Springfield, Mass.	Fleetwood, Pa.
19	Scott David	Frank W. Hackett	Rosemary Carmichael	New Boston, Mich.	Knoxville, Tenn.
21	Nancy Jane	Albert M. Grigel	Lorraine A. Perry	North Conway	North Conway
24	Garry Alan	Harold N. Fall	Julieta S. Biron	Borlin	Canada
28	David Charles	Dale F. Tripp	Hazel L. Perkins	Bartlett	Namer, Idaho
29	Alan E.	Raymond E. Lowd	Eleanor M. Bickford	Newport, Vt.	Middletown, Conn.
4	Laurie Anne	George W. Young	Louise E. Ormsby	North Conway	Meiose, Mass.
4	John Kenneth	Levi D. Hill	Audrey A. Eastman	Conway	North Conway
9	Betty Fay	Richard C. Witham	Fay A. Drew	Bartlett	North Conway
13	Brenda Jean	Richard C. Witham	Bertha B. Hill	Jackson	Bartlett
13	Bradley Wayne	Richard C. Witham	Bertha B. Hill	Senecaady, N. Y.	Bartlett
24	David Paul	Paul J. Pecola	Arlene L. Abbott	Madisonboro	Bartlett
27	William Louis	Lester L. Charles	Maude A. Aubin	Madison	Bartlett
28	Andrea Gaye	William F. Jones, Sr.	Olive E. Richardson	Tamworth	Bartlett
30	Jesse William	Thomas O. Currier	Virginia M. Smith	Glen	Bartlett
31	Lynda Janette	Merle B. Grant	Gloria M. Clemons	Glen	Bartlett

**Marriages Registered in the Town of Conway, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1956**

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
Jan. 1	Center Conway	Elmer E. McDonald Irene F. Lane	Conway Conway	23 16	Conway Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, C Conway
3	North Conway	Russell W. Webster Roberta E. Wiggin	Madison Conway	22 17	Madison North Conway	A. Eugene Lloyd, C North Conway
14	Brattleboro, Vt.	Francis C. Pitkin Dora Hinds	Brattleboro, Vt. Conway	28 20	Marshfield, Vt. Haverhill, Mass.	Johnnie Elliott, C. Brattleboro, Vt.
Feb. 4	North Conway	Roy F. Atwood Whitney B. Choate	New York, N. Y. Locust Valley, N. Y.	57 42	Massachusetts New York	Thomas C. Roden, C. North Conway
18	Center Conway	Joseph H. R. Brown Glennys L. Springer	Lewiston, Me. Sabattus, Me.	20 21	Maine Maine	Leon A. Shirley, J.P. Center Conway
23	Conway	Russell Holmstrom Dorothy A. Mucci	Portland, Me. Portland, Me.	63 58	England England	Leon A. Shirley, J.P. Center Conway
Mar. 24	North Conway	Abbott W. Thompson Rosalie Carey	Conway Conway	19 17	Conway Massachusetts	John V. Moran, R.C.P. North Conway
Apr. 2	Center Conway	Nelson J. Duncan Martha M. Post	Rowley, Mass. Middletown, Conn.	29 29	Somerville, Mass. Somerville, Mass.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P. Center Conway
7	North Conway	Sherwood R. Estes Beverly N. Estes	South Paris, Me. South Paris, Me.	36 22	Lawrence, Mass. Greenwood, Me.	A. Eugene Lloyd, C. North Conway
23	Conway	Harvey C. Blake Patricia L. Bragg	Conway Conway	19 23	Houlton, Me. Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, C. Conway
May 12	Conway	Renier J. DeVos Kathleen M. Smith	Conway Conway	21 28	Conway Brooklyn, N. Y.	John V. Moran, R.C.P. North Conway
26	North Conway	Joseph C. Peters Jean L. Black	Conway Conway	18 18	North Conway North Conway	Leo K. Ryan, R.C.P. North Conway
June 2	Conway	Diana A. Haley Elizabeth M. Elwell	Conway Conway	35 35	Baldwin, Me. Conway	Thomas C. Roden, C. North Conway
26	Conway	Benny F. Cummey, Jr. Kathleen M. Anderson	Bangor, Me. Bangor, Me.	32 32	North Carolina North Carolina	Thomas C. Roden, C. North Conway
29	North Conway	Carol N. Coburn Carol N. McLean	Portland, Me. Portland, Me.	28 27	Maine Maine	Thomas C. Roden, C. North Conway
July 11	Center Ossipee	Leroy Colbroth Virginia A. Emery	Conway Conway	18 16	Conway North Conway	Clifford W. Leav, C. North Conway
27	North Conway	Donald J. Gallagher Virginia L. Spear	Augusta, Me. Augusta, Me.	29 24	Massachusetts Wisconsin	Milburn F. Roberts, J.P. Center Ossipee North Conway

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Aug.	4	Center Conway	Robert C. Black	Portland, Me.	26	Maine	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
			Evelyn J. Whitmore	Portland, Me.	22	Maine	Center Conway
	4	Conway	Leslie D. Freeman	Andover, Mass.	62	Massachusetts	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
	4	Errol	Lila E. McCormack	Conway	49	Canada	Conway
	13	Center Conway	Frederick C. Peters	North Conway	26	New Hampshire	Albert Gagnon, R.C.P.
	14	Center Conway	Sydney A. Hawkins	Errol	21	New Hampshire	Colebrook
	14	Center Conway	Robert E. Keniston	North Conway	29	Dover	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
	18	Conway	Elizabeth R. Gagne	Conway	17	Conway	Center Conway
	22	North Conway	Ralph E. Butterfield	Portland, Me.	57	Massachusetts	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
			Ruth M. Varney	Portland, Me.	45	Maine	Center Conway
			Ralph C. Stone	Conway	37	Conway	Thomas C. Roden, C.
			Shirley A. Warren	Conway	23	North Conway	North Conway
			Donald L. Arsenault	South Portland, Me.	22	Maine	North Conway
Sept.	1	Conway	Jean C. Eastman	Fryeburg, Me.	22	Portland, Maine	Cornelius J. Goggin, R.C.P.
	6	Center Conway	Stanley R. Hart	Lynn, Mass.	21	Massachusetts	North Conway
	10	Conway	Joanna M. Smith	Conway	22	Conway	Fergus Les, C.
	12	Center Harbor	Aldora Pomerleau	Lewiston, Me.	42	Maine	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
	19	Conway	Drew T. Webster	Lewiston, Me.	42	Maine	Center Conway
	19	Conway	Judith DeWitt	Conway	21	Bridgton, Me.	Conway
	19	Conway	Carl R. Shirley	Conway	23	Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
	12	Center Harbor	Carol J. Philbrick	Conway	23	Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, Conway
	13	Tamworth	Ronald S. Estes	South Paris, Me.	19	Maine	W. Irving Brown, J.P.
	15	Conway	Arlene F. Bean	Norway, Me.	23	Maine	Center Harbor
	29	North Conway	Haven E. Gordon	Tamworth	19	New Hampshire	Forrest D. Ayer, J.P.
	6	Conway	Jacquelyn Young	Conway	6	New Hampshire	Tamworth
	6	Conway	Clifton E. Henry	Portland, Me.	33	Barre, Vt.	Thomas C. Roden, C.
	6	Conway	Bette L. Spencer	North Conway	33	North Conway	North Conway
	6	Conway	Alton E. Ryder	Tamworth	18	Maine	Cornelius J. Goggin, R.C.P.
	6	Conway	Sally Ann Clark	Conway	18	New Hampshire	North Conway
	6	Conway	Oscar D. Smith	Conway	26	Conway	Thomas C. Roden, C.
	6	Conway	Anne L. Thomas	Wentley, Mass.	29	Massachusetts	North Conway
	13	Laconia	Elizabeth B. Massey	Wilburton, Okla.	36	Oklahoma	Thomas C. Roden, C.
	20	Center Conway	Thomas H. Elshelberger	Conway	41	Conway	John Papandrew, C.
	20	Center Conway	Carol Meser	North Conway	25	New York	North Conway
	20	Center Conway	Kenneth A. DeWitt	Easton	19	New Hampshire	Laconia
	20	Center Conway	Dorothy M. Nelson	Conway	29	Eaton	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
	2	North Conway	Russell W. James	North Conway	31	Conway	Center Conway
	2	North Conway	Kathleen M. Burke	North Conway	26	North Conway	Thomas C. Roden, C.
	2	North Conway	Norman L. Jacques	Augusta, Me.	23	Barlett	North Conway
			Christine E. Swift	Augusta, Me.	34	Maine	Bernard M. Carter, J.P.
					38	Maine	North Conway

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3	North Conway	Robert A. Elliott	Conway	21	Lynn, Mass.	Cornelius J. Goggin, R.C.P.
		Marilyn A. Woodward	Conway	21	Wolfeboro	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
10	Conway	James E. Spaulding, Jr.	Westbrook, Me.	29	New York	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
20	Center Conway	Joanne Brooks	Cumberland, Me.	21	Portland, Me.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
		Frank A. Hackett	Conway	24	Conway	Thomas C. Rodeh, C.
24	Conway	Lorraine A. Terry	East Douglas, Mass.	28	Massachusetts	Center Conway
		Winfield S. Carrick	Conway	22	Conway	Thomas C. Rodeh, C.
24	Conway	Jenet Goodwin	Princeton, Me.	22	Maine	North Conway
		John R. Barry	Princeton, Me.	22	Massachusetts	North Conway
		Gene J. Warner	Conway	19	North Conway	Nettie M. Hill, J.P.
Dec. 1	Conway	Jeffrey L. Noyes	Conway	24	Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
		Orla M. Chamberlain	Conway	24	Worcester, Me.	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
26	Conway	George A. Yaton, 2nd	Conway	20	Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, C.
		Leon Seavey	Conway	16	Conway	Center Conway
29	North Conway	Harner E. Gosselin, Jr.	Conway	23	Conway	Cornelius J. Goggin, R.C.P.
		Annice L. Neal	North Conway	19	Conway	North Conway

Deaths Registered in the Town of Conway, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1956

Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days			
Jan.	1 Harriett N. Green	75			Conway, Mexico, Me.	William Sargent	Josephine Merrow
	2 Vera R. Bickford	57			South Conway	George B. Reed	Eva J. French
	4 Dorothy E. Robbins	39			Northwood	Frank B. Robbins	Norris Davidson
	7 Mary B. Comings	53			Conway	Ben D. Comings	Nellie L. Hanson
	9 John E. Smith	57			Ireland	Myron Smith	Belle French
	19 Julia Ashnault	87			Conway	Michael Malia	Margaret Grant
	24 Eva C. Gates	66			England	Andrew J. Cheney	Harrist E. Frost
	25 Maurice L. Asher	78			Conway	Jacob Asher	Bessie
	30 Helen M. Kenney	70			Conway	Frank Lucy	Emma Stuart
	Feb.	8 Charles F. Meloon	71		Onelda, S. D.	Walter N. Meloon	Apphia Hutchins
	9 Reginald F. Harmon	66			Saugorville, Me.	Frank L. Harmon	Elsie Harrington
	13 Howard C. Banfill	55			Conway	John S. Banfill	Cora Oaell
25 Clarence L. Reynolds	57			Amsterdam, N. Y.	Wallace T. Reynolds	Harrjet C. Youngs	
Mar.	7 Harland D. Ballard	46		East Conway	Raymond E. Ballard	Sadie Heath	
10 Lillian E. Trundy	85			Norway, Me.	Charles K. Holmes	Abbie H. McKean	
14 Elmer E. Morrill	73			Denmark, Me.	Frederick Morrill	Unknown	
20 George F. Hallsworth	72			England	Frederick J. Hallsworth	Anna Sykes	
23 Ellsworth H. Newton	58			Franklin	Elmer Newton	Unknown	
28 Alice B. Glines	88			Eaton	Benjamin Glines	Unknown	
24 Mary L. Rogers	90			Wakefield	Simon Fernald	Sara Cook	
30 Peter Labnon	90	3 hr.		North Conway	Norman M. Labnon	Priscilla M. Hood	
April	8 Mabel F. Wiggan	84					
10 Almon N. French	78			Porter, Me.	Woodman French	Eliza J. Kezar	
14 Thomas P. Oulton	77			Canada	George Oulton	Isabel Phelan	
19 Charles T. James	49			Worcester, Mass.	Cyrus D. James	Grace Lawrence	
23 Ardella C. J. Chase	50			Groveland, Mass.	Thomas E. Collins	Ida Drew	
25 Clara L. Moody	84			Marshfield, Vt.	Liberty		
26 Chester S. Sawyer	74			Brighton, Me.	George A. Sawyer	Ann Douglas	
27 Anita C. Dudley	66	1		North Conway	David Dudley	Cecile Bergeron	
May	9 Ethel E. P. Clark	51		Alfred, Me.	William Eaton	Sarah Merserve	
12 William H. Frechette	49			Berlin	Honore Frechette	Euphemie LeBlanc	
12 Anna L. Frechette	49			Barlett	Albert Towle	Emma R. Burke	
13 Herbert L. Yeaton	79			Tamworth	Alvin K. Yeaton	Narcissa Nickerson	
June	9 Lily P. Bates	70		Marblehead, Mass.	Joseph Bates	Mary Adams	
10 Bessie P. Thompson	67			Madison	John H. Pearson	Carrie Davis	
12 Chester W. Drown	41			North Conway	Percy Drown	Grace Perkins	
12 Bertha A. Canniff	87			Toledo, Ohio	Gilbert Canniff	Sarah Sills	



### Deaths Continued

July	31 Margaret T. Earle	73	Salem, Mass.	William M. Earle	Sarah Gallagher	
	24 Charles H. Chapman	83			Charles H. Chapman	Minerva Kirtidge
	1 Samuel W. Benson	86			Melven Benson	Nancy Thurlow
	5 Thomas Larkin	78			Elizabeth Meade	Unknown
	6 Della J. Thompson	78			Galloway, Ireland	Unknown
Aug.	16 Gretchen M. Watts	8	Conway	Charles Watts, II	Patrick D. McQuillen	
	17 Harry Lee Smith	77	Albany	Elbridge Smith	Emily Hammond	
	23 Belmont D. Whitaker	51	Conway	Edmund H. Davey	Leta Whitaker	
	8 Edward S. Davey	71	Canada	Samuel Gardner	Emma Stiles	
	8 Leslie D. Gardner	48	Jersey City, N. J.	Unknown	Janet Kirk	
	14 Joseph W. Mitchell	98	Dover, England	James Delany	Margaret Quinn	
	15 Frederick J. Delaney	56	Walham, Mass.	Oreste Groppi	Erna Panecali	
	20 Ancilla T. Antonucci	44	Boston, Mass.	Hugo Oppenheim	Anna Oppenheim	
	25 Robert H. Opton	74	Berlin, Germany	John Shryock	Virginia Schaeffer	
	29 Joseph G. Shryock	75	New Jersey	James G. Webber	Sara N. _____	
Sept.	31 James F. Webber	71	Chelsea, Mass.	Michaell Rossignol	Anna Amthemise	
	3 Elizabeth Cook	84	Canada	Paul Bickford	Eliza Rand	
	13 Charles Bickford	83	Madison	Lewis Arndt	Unknown	
	25 Frank F. Arndt	57	Meriden, Conn.	Clarence E. Allard	Vesta Lord	
	26 Edwin M. Allard	51	Fryeburg, Me.	Daniel H. Rowe	Mary E. Pease	
	29 Clarence I. Rowe	43	Fuxton, Me.	John Bickford	Carrie Field	
	3 Harold C. Bickford	62	Sandwich	Ludd Roberts	Elma Story	
	7 Bernard E. Roberts, Sr.	64	Michigan	Edward F. Mason	Ida Babb	
	10 Guy C. Mason	62	Center Conway	Arthur Andrews	Linnie Butler	
	10 Howard A. Andrews	73	Hudson	Frederick Jackson	Minerva Murphy	
Oct.	14 Arthur O. Jackson	62	Medford, Mass.	George Kinslow	Rosanna Parsons	
	16 Francis A. Kinslow	73	Nova Scotia	Leonard Hatch	Flora E. Trask	
	24 Charles H. Johnson	76	Berwick, Me.	William Weston	Coleen Banfill	
	29 Bernard M. Hatch	39	Conway	Benjamin Bickford	Nellie Dolloff	
	7 Howard L. Weston	69	Boston, Mass.	Maurice R. Bougie	Phyllis Levesque	
	12 Sumner Bickford	66	Madison	Everett A. Stanley	Ida M. Hill	
	14 Infant Wiggin	9 hr. 17 m.	Conway	Leland Dawson	Sarah Preston	
	2 Philip M. Bougie	3	North Conway	Amaziah M. Littlefield	Effie Allard	
	6 Harry A. Stanley	76	Eaton	James Carter	Sarah Berry	
	7 Myrtle E. Farrington	87	Shrewsbury, Vt.	Ingiwaald Haaland	Anna Jensen	
Nov.	14 Avon T. Littlefield	47	Conway			
	22 Mary Frances Bertwell	80	Lardick, Norway			
	26 Arthur I. Haaland	45				
Dec.						

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true transcript of the record of all births, marriages, and deaths, that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31, 1956.

LEON A. SHIRLEY, Town Clerk





