

WOLFEBORO

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ANNUAL REPORTS

Of the Town Officers

For the Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31, 1953

Vital Statistics for 1953



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ANNUAL REPORT

Town of Wolfeboro

NEW HAMPSHIRE

1953

Population, 1950 Census	2,559
Total Taxable Valuation, 1953	\$5,994,915.00
Tax Rate, Town	\$3.76 per \$100.00
Tax Rate, Precinct	\$4.22 per \$100.00

U. S. SENATORS

Hon. H. Styles Bridges

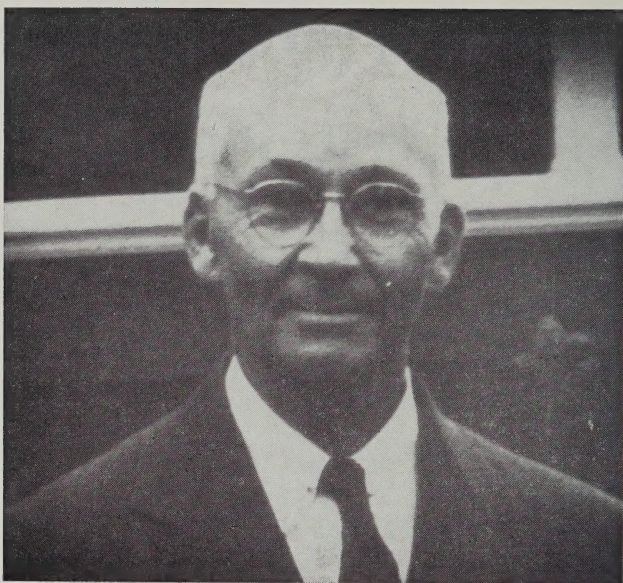
Hon. Charles W. Tobey
(deceased)

Hon. Robert W. Upton
(Appointed to replace Hon. Charles W. Tobey)

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Hon. Chester E. Mellow

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In Memoriam
J. Clifton Avery

Mr. J. Clifton Avery was born in Wolfeboro, June 1, 1874 the only son of Joseph L. and Helen M. (Libbey) Avery. He attended the town schools and graduated from Brewster Free Academy in the class of 1893.

After graduating from Brewster Academy he engaged in farming, specializing in Dairying and continued this business till about 1925 when he sold out due to the pressure of other

affairs. In 1902 he purchased a small insurance business from John H. Beacham and for many years carried this business along in the "Durgin Block" in partnership with the late Judge Sewall W. Abbott. He later bought out Judge Abbott's interest and from time to time purchased agencies from Carroll D. Piper, Frank P. Hobbs and agencies located in Moultonboro, Sanbornville, Pittsfield and Alton which were all operated from Wolfeboro.

Mr. Avery was always much interested in farming and was active in the organization of the New Hampshire Farm Bureau and for a number of years was a Director of the Farm Bureau Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

His interest in Town affairs led him to publish a Directory of the Town of Wolfeboro, in partnership with Frederick Prindle, for the year 1899. He later served the town as Town Clerk for four years, Treasurer one year and Selectman one year. He was also one of the Trustees of Trust funds for nearly twenty years and auditor of the School accounts for about 35 years.

Mr. Avery served as Master of Lake Shore Grange in 1900-1901 and as Deputy in 1906 when it was necessary to cover the district with a horse and sleigh. He was also a member of the Pomona State Grange and the National Grange and lacked only a few months of being a member of the subordinate grange for sixty years.

He was also a member of Morning Star Lodge F. & A. M., Warren Chapter O. E. S. and Carroll Chapter R. A. M. He was also a member of Fidelity Lodge I. O. O. F. and Myrtle Rebekah Lodge.

Mr. Avery served as Director and later President and Chairman of the Board of the Wolfeboro National Bank, President of Wolfeboro Rotary Club and as Trustee of the Congregational Church. For many years he was Treasurer of the Huggins Hospital and member of the Executive Board of the Trustees. He served in many positions of trust as Administrator and Trustee and assisted many people in their financial affairs as counselor and friend.

Mr. Avery always enjoyed meeting and talking with his many friends here in Wolfeboro as well as visitors that he met in course of business. Whether sitting in some friends kitchen talking cows or on a visit as guest of the President of the New Hampshire Fire Insurance Company he was always happy to have the opportunity to visit with his many friends.

He is survived by his three children, Mrs. Helen A. Rollins of Storrs, Conn., and Howard C. Avery and Margaret E. Avery both of Wolfeboro, N. H.



In Memoriam
Bessie Beless Clow

Bessie Beless Clow came to Wolfeboro October 1905, as the bride of Dr. Fred E. Clow. Wolfeboro was her home from then until her death on May 11th, 1953. She was born in Needham, Massachusetts, December 9th, 1883. She attended schools in Waltham, Massachusetts, and was graduated from Burdett College. For several years before her marriage she was secretary for a law firm in Boston.

Mrs. Clow's community interests were many. She was an active member of the Woman's Club, Garden Club, Hospital Aid Association, Auxiliary to the Carroll County Medical Society, and was the first president of the American Legion Auxiliary. From 1939 to the time of her death she was Home Service Chairman for the Red Cross. She was an enthusiastic member of the fund raising drives for the Huggins Hospital and a faithful and loyal member of the Executive Board for the hospital from 1945 until her death. She was a member of the Congregational Church of Wolfeboro and always a tireless worker for all its programs.

Her strong character, understanding sympathetic nature and service to humanity will long be remembered by the people of Wolfeboro.

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COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS
Department of Government

December 17, 1953

Board of Selectmen
Town of Wolfeboro
Wolfeboro, New Hampshire
Gentlemen:

On behalf of the College of Liberal Arts at the University of New Hampshire, and the judges of the New Hampshire Annual Reports Contest, it gives me great pleasure to forward to you the attached certificate in recognition of the excellence of your 1952 Annual Report.

You and your town officials are to be congratulated for the high standard of public reporting which your recent report exemplifies. It is our hope that these standards will become adopted throughout New Hampshire in the preparation of future town reports.

Very truly yours,
David C. Knapp
Assistant Professor of
Government

1953 TOWN MEETING

The following officers were elected:

Wayne L. Parkhurst, Town Clerk	1 year
George W. Nary, Tax Collector	1 year
Harold L. Johnson, Treasurer	1 year
Leslie M. Chamberlain, Highway Agent	1 year
Noyes V. Moore, Selectman	3 years
Jerry L. Thayer, Jr., Trustee of Trust Funds	3 years
Murray L. Fuller, Water & Sewer Commissioner	3 years
Thaddeus Berry, Library Trustee	3 years
Cecil E. Corkum Auditors	1 year
Ralph S. Parker	1 year
Harold L. Thompson, Town Constable	1 year
Cecil E. Corkum Budget Committee	3 years
Matthew Lahti	3 years
Harold H. Bodge	3 years

Routine articles authorizing sale of property taken by tax title or otherwise, tax discounts, hiring money in anticipation of taxes, and appointment of Deputy Tax Collector, were passed.

It was voted to publish in booklet form a list of taxable property for the year 1952, and \$700. was raised and appropriated for this purpose.

It was voted to have the Selectmen instruct the Highway Agent to keep open places of access to the lake wherever possible in the winter.

The amounts recommended by the Budget Committee were raised and appropriated with the following changes:

Amount for skating rink increased from \$150. to \$400.

\$500. for fireworks for Fourth of July approved.

\$1,000. was raised to hard surface the road around Clark Park and \$250. to improve Jenness road.

The Budget Committee's recommendations were approved relative to borrowing on serial notes \$7,000. to continue the sea wall to the Mount Washington Wharf, and \$3,500. for a new Police cruiser and equipment.

Total appropriations amounted to \$286,291.20. Amount to be raised by taxation \$275,791.20, balance by serial notes.

Voted to discontinue the Grace Morgan road and deed to Henry C. Hopewell, Jr. all rights held by the Town in this road.

Voted to adopt and confirm the Wolfeboro Parks and

Playgrounds Commission, present members to remain, and Joseph I. Melanson appointed for one year. Future members to be elected by ballot. Payments of money to be made on regular Selectmen's vouchers, unexpended funds to lapse into general Town fund at end of each fiscal year.

Voted to print a summary of the minutes of this meeting in next year's Town Report.

Respectfully submitted,
Wayne L. Parkhurst,
Town Clerk

TOWN OFFICERS 1953

SELECTMEN

Weare Fred Tuttle	term expires 1954
Earl F. Willand	term expires 1955
Noyes V. Moore	term expires 1956

Moderator	Robert F. Thurrell
Town Clerk	Wayne L. Parkhurst
Treasurer	Harold L. Johnson
Tax Collector	George W. Nary
Highway Agent	Leslie M. Chamberlain
Justice of Municipal Court	Leaman E. Cunningham
Associate Justice	Jerry L. Thayer, Jr.
Town Council	James J. Kalled
Chief of Police	Harold E. Thompson
Constable	Harold E. Thompson
Health Officer	Harold E. Thompson
Overseers of the Poor	The Selectmen

REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT

John H. Clow	Joseph Patrick Ford
Terms expire 1955	

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Robert F. Thurrell	term expires 1954
Willis H. Clough	term expires 1955
Jerry L. Thayer, Jr.	term expires 1956

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECK LIST

Rodney M. Haines	Leon F. Roberts
Osborne H. Abbott	

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

Commissioners	
J. Roscoe Clow	term expires 1954
Chester M. Abbott	term expires 1955
Murray L. Fuller	term expires 1956
Superintendent	Charles I. Lucas

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Commissioners	
John W. McDermott	term expires 1954
Ellis F. Miller	term expires 1955
Tracy L. Abbott	term expires 1956
Chief	Guy L. Foss
Forest Fire Warden	Guy L. Foss

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Mrs. Edith C. Clark	term expires 1954
Cecil E. Corkum	term expires 1955
Thaddeus Berry	term expires 1956

AUDITORS

Cecil E. Corkum	Ralph S. Parker
Donald Savard (appointed to replace Ralph S. Parker)	

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Howard C. Avery	term expires 1954
Chester M. Abbott	term expires 1954
John D. McHugh	term expires 1954
John B. Judkins (appointed to replace John D. McHugh)	
Jesse H. Gould	term expires 1955
Roy G. Nelson	term expires 1955
A. Cooper Ballentine	term expires 1955
Cecil E. Corkum	term expires 1956
Harold Bodge	term expires 1956
Matthew Lahti	term expires 1956
W. Fred Tuttle, for Selectmen	
Frank J. Berry, for School Board	

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS COMMISSION

Joseph I. Melanson	term expires 1954
Edmund A. Jewell	term expires 1955
Noyes V. Moore	term expires 1955
Mrs. Elvira Avery	term expires 1956
W. Fred Tuttle	term expires 1956

PLANNING AND BUILDING COMMISSION

Russell G. Claflin	term expires 1956
John W. McDermott	term expires 1956
Norman M. Hill	term expires 1955
A. Cooper Ballentine	term expires 1955
Jerry L. Thayer, Jr.	term expires 1954
John D. McHugh	term expires 1954
Earl F. Willand, for Selectmen	

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS

Emery W. Carr	term expires 1954
Clifford Stockbridge	term expires 1955
Howard C. Avery	term expires 1956
J. Frank Goodwin, Jr.	term expires 1956
Weare Fred Tuttle, for Selectmen	

DEPARTMENT OF SANITATION

Henry A. Stevens	term expires 1954
Percy R. Candage	term expires 1955
Arthur R. Barnard	term expires 1956



Breaking Ground for Brewster Memorial Hall

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, 1954

Warrant

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Wolfeboro qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Brewster Memorial Hall in said Town on the second Tuesday of March next, from ten A. M. until 8 P. M. for the casting of ballots, and at seven P. M. to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a Town Clerk, two Auditors, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, and Town Constable for the ensuing year, one Selectman for three years, one Trustee of Trust Funds for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, one Water and Sewer Commissioner for three years, three members of the Budget Committee for three years, and one Parks and Playgrounds Commissioner for three years.

ARTICLE 2. To select one or more Highway Agents or to instruct the Selectmen to appoint one Highway Agent.

ARTICLE 3. To choose all other Town Officers and Agents.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell any property taken by tax title or otherwise.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to authorize the Tax Collector to allow a discount on real estate taxes if paid before December 1st, at a rate of discount not to exceed the rate at which the Town can borrow money on short term notes.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire a sum of money necessary to pay expenses in anticipation of taxes.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector to appoint a Deputy under the provisions of Section 42, Chapter 80 of the Revised Laws of 1942 as amended by Chapter 7 of the Laws of 1945.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to sell the old Boston and Maine Railroad Station.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will approve and adopt the recommendations of the Budget Committee and raise and appropriate the various sums contained in the report and listed in the Budget.

ARTICLE 10. To determine if the Town will appropriate

sufficient funds and to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate for and purchase land at or about the "Carry" beach for a parking lot and other recreational facilities.

ARTICLE 11. To determine if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to negotiate and finally conclude an agreement with Mrs. Helen W. Goodwin to establish a boundary line at the northerly end of the "Carry" beach, and to further authorize the Selectmen to make or enter into any and all deeds or written agreements to implement the foregoing.

ARTICLE 12. To determine if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to negotiate and finally conclude a settlement with Mrs. Helen W. Goodwin in connection with a small section of Forest Road at the "Carry" beach.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to extend the present zoning district, to apply only to future building construction and not to apply to sewers, water, or lights, to include all of Lake Wentworth property.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to request the State Tax Commission to make a complete re-assessment of all land and buildings within the Town to the end that all such property shall be equally assessed in compliance with the law, and to appropriate the sum of \$8,500.00 for this purpose.

ARTICLE 15. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 13th day of February, A. D. 1954.

W. FRED TUTTLE
EARL F. WILLAND
NOYES V. MOORE
Selectmen of Wolfeboro, N. H.

A True Copy — Attest:

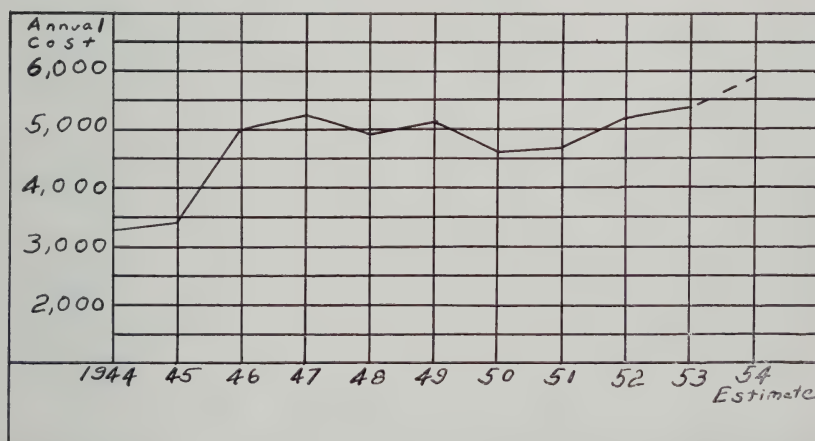
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Selectmen of Wolfeboro, N. H.

THE SELECTMEN'S REPORT

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land and buildings (exclusive of growing wood and timber)	\$5,633,040.00
Mature Wood and Timber	64,970.00
Electric Plants	3,575.00
Horses, 15	1,175.00
Cows, 70	8,500.00
Other Neat Stock, 18	1,600.00
Sheep, 16	240.00
Fowls, 8,100	8,100.00
Boats and Launches, 125	79,135.00
Portable Mills, 4	1,400.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	81,570.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	7,080.00
Stock in Trade	335,900.00
Mills and Machinery	13,500.00
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Total Gross Valuation before exemptions allowed	\$6,174,815.00
Less: Soldier's Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind, 190	\$ 179,900.00
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Net Valuation on which tax rate is computed	\$5,994,915.00
Tax Rate, Town	3.76 per \$100.00
Tax Rate, Precinct	4.22 per \$100.00

POLICE COSTS



Ten Year Low: 1944, \$3,100.00 Ten Year High: 1953, \$5,370.13

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953**

Title of Appropriation	Appropriations	*Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$4,900.00		\$4,900.00	\$4,939.38	\$62.28	\$39.38
Town Officers' Expenses	6,150.00		6,150.00	6,087.72		
Election and Registration	250.00		250.00	283.12		33.12
Municipal Court	530.00		530.00	502.86	27.14	
Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	700.00		700.00	849.93		149.93
Police Department	8,600.00	\$40.00	8,640.00	8,654.23		14.23
Fire Department	3,000.00	4,459.89	7,459.89	7,740.96		281.07
Blister Rust and Tree Care	1,400.00	6.00	1,406.00	972.10	433.90	
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00	140.51		40.51
Health Dept., incl. Hospital	2,650.00		2,650.00	2,650.00		
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00	60.25	39.75	
Town Dump	2,200.00		2,200.00	2,095.80	104.20	
Town Maintenance:						
Summer	15,000.00	244.15	15,244.15	15,262.39		18.24
Winter	12,000.00	235.55	12,235.55	11,970.21	265.34	
Street Lighting	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00		
General Expense of Highway Dept.	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,984.52	15.48	
Town Road Aid	881.13		881.13	881.13		
Wharves	1,000.00		1,000.00	713.11	286.89	
Library	1,350.00		1,350.00	1,350.00		
Town Poor	5,000.00	430.00	5,430.00	5,684.47		
Old Age Assistance	12,000.00	1,668.98	13,668.98	10,168.26	3,500.72	254.47
Memorial Day	200.00		200.00	200.00		
Aid to Soldiers and their families	1,600.00	100.00	1,700.00	1,637.44	62.56	
Fireworks	500.00		500.00	500.00		
Parks and Playgrounds	2,325.00	93.23	2,418.23	2,273.28	144.95	
Cemeteries	500.00		500.00	500.00		
Legal Expenses, Inc. Dog Damage	200.00		200.00	249.46		
Advertising and Regional Ass'ns.	1,124.00		1,124.00	1,124.00		49.46
Employees' Retirement	1,100.00		1,100.00	906.21	193.79	
Interest	1,465.00		1,465.00	1,556.87		91.87

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES — Continued

Title of Appropriation	Appropriations	Reimbursements *Receipts and	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Town Construction	3,950.00		3,950.00	4,015.22		65.22
State Aid Construction:						
Apportionment I	3,140.00		3,140.00	2,849.96	290.04	
Tar and Oil Account	5,500.00		5,500.00	5,415.66	84.34	
New Sea Wall	7,000.00		7,000.00	1,241.40	5,758.60	
Sidewalk Construction	500.00	505.62	1,005.62	997.54	8.08	
New Equipment	4,500.00		4,500.00	3,455.43	1,044.57	
Bonds	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
Long Term Notes	6,500.00		6,500.00	6,500.00		
County Taxes	23,276.85		23,276.85	23,276.85		
School Taxes	113,885.07		113,885.07	54,885.07	59,000.00	
Precinct Taxes	21,491.00		21,491.00	21,491.00		
	<u>\$285,568.05</u>	<u>\$7,783.42</u>	<u>\$293,351.47</u>	<u>\$223,066.34</u>	<u>\$71,321.63</u>	<u>\$1,037.50</u>
					<u>1,037.50</u>	
Net Unexpended Balances of Appropriations					<u>\$70,284.13</u>	

*Receipts and Reimbursements, added to Appropriations, include such items as "Class V Highway Funds" received from State, reimbursements of "forest fire" expenses and other receipts or reimbursements which were not included in the budget and tax rate calculations as estimated revenue items and which can be definitely credited to specific appropriations.

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash on hand, December 31, 1953	\$40,165.17
Capital Reserve Fund, Soldier's Memorial	500.00
Due from State:	
Bounties	69.50
1953-Taxes on public forest lands	45.36
1953 So. Wolfeboro forest fire	109.52
Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on account of)	
Levy of 1952	578.90
Levy of 1951	136.51
Levy of 1949	16.06
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1953	46,594.22
Levy of 1952 Polls	14.00
Head Taxes, Levy of 1953	1,450.00
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Total Assets	\$89,679.24
Excess of Liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	61,880.64
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Grand Total	\$151,559.88
Net Debt, December 31, 1952	75,582.53
Net Debt, December 31, 1953	75,977.35
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Decrease of Debt	\$394.82

LIABILITIES

Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations:	
1953 New Sea Wall	\$5,758.60
1953 Wayne L. Parkhurst, Town Clerk	77.10
1953 Highway Dept., equipment	1044 57
George W. Nary, Coll., 1953 Salary and fees	166.00
1953 Wayne L. Parkhurst, \$69.32; Earl F. Willand, \$31.30	100.62
1953 Apportionment B	3,140.00
1953 Pleasant Street Drainage	300.00
Reserve a/c Future Yield Tax Loss, 1951, 1952 and 1953	3,522.99
Due to State:	
Uncollected 1953 State Head Taxes	1,450.00
Due to School Districts:	
Balance of Appropriation 1953	59,000.00
Capital Reserve Funds:	
Soldier's Memorial	500.00
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
1947 Highway Equipment, Forest Road and Legion Hall	9,000.00

1948 Highway and Sea Wall	3,000.00
1948 Standpipe	9,000.00
1949 Sewall Road and Center Street	2,000.00
1950 B & M Property and State Armory	10,500.00
1953 New Sea Wall and Police Cruiser	10,500.00
Bonds Outstanding:	
1935 Water Bond	6,000.00
1937 Refunding Bond	2,000.00
1939 Sewer Bond	24,500.00
Total Liabilities	<hr/> \$151,559.88

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Land and buildings	\$ 7,950.00
Boston & Maine Sta. Bldg. and land	5,000.00
Office furniture and equipment	500.00
Town Histories	500.00
Town Library	5,300.00
Fire Department:	
Forest fire truck and equipment	800.00
Highway Department:	
Land and buildings	2,000.00
Equipment	24,000.00
Wharves and buildings	10,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	6,500.00
Water Works System	234,584.66
Water Works Buildings and Land	2,500.00
Sewer System	135,057.65
Water and Sewer Department, equipment and supplies	8,998.74
Land around Beach Pond	6,750.00
All Lands and Bldgs. acquired through Tax Coll. Deeds:	
Eva Hayford, Homestead, Bay Street	1,500.00
Clarence and Mae Herbert, Homestead, Varney Road	700.00
Sarah J. Stone Heirs, Lot #26 Waveland Island	200.00
Frank Sterling, Homestead, Pine Hill Road	1,300.00
Total	<hr/> \$454,141.05
Total	\$454,141.05

Respectfully submitted,
W. FRED TUTTLE
EARL F. WILLAND
NOYES V. MOORE
Selectmen of Wolfeboro, N. H.

STATEMENT OF TOWN DEBT, DECEMEBER 31, 1953

	B. & M. Sta. and State Armory Land	Sewall Rd. & Center St.	Highway & Sea Wall Serial Notes 1948, 2½%	Water Dept. Standpipe Serial Notes 1948, 2½%	Highway Equip. Wharf and Legion Hall Serial Notes 1947, 2¼%	New Sea Wall and Police car Serial Notes 1953 2½%	Refunding Bonds 1937, 3%	Sewer Fonds 1939, 2¼%	Water Bonds 1935, 3¼%	Total Annual Maturities
	Serial Notes 1950, 2½%	Serial Notes 1949, 2½%	Original Amount	Original Amount	Original Amount	Original Amount	Original Amount	Original Amount	Original Amount	
	\$18,000.00	\$6,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$18,325.00	\$27,000.00	\$10,500.00	\$46,000.00	\$60,500.00	\$60,000.00	
1954	\$1,500.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,800.00	\$3,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$17,300.00
1955	1,500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,800.00	3,000.00	2,000.00		4,000.00	3,000.00	15,300.00
1956	1,500.00		1,000.00	1,800.00	3,000.00	2,000.00		4,000.00		11,300.00
1957	1,500.00			1,800.00		2,000.00		4,000.00		7,300.00
1958	1,500.00			1,800.00		2,500.00		4,000.00		7,300.00
1959	1,500.00							4,500.00		6,000.00
1960	1,500.00									1,500.00
	\$10,500.00	\$2,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$9,000.00	\$9,000.00	\$10,500.00	\$2,000.00	\$24,500.00	\$6,000.00	\$66,000.00

BUDGET COMMITTEE'S REPORT

The Budget Committee held two Public Hearings in conformity with the Budget Law to enable all interested citizens to submit any request for Budget action or to inform themselves on any phase of the Town's activities. We regret that these hearings are not attended by more of our citizens.

There were six meetings of the Committee at which the budgets of all town departments coming under its jurisdiction were carefully studied in order that the needs of the town may be met at the least possible cost consistant with good service.

The Budget Committee submits the following report and recommendations to be acted on at the Annual Town Meeting to be held March 9, 1954.

General Government	\$ 13,795.00
Protection to Persons & Property	12,050.00
Health Department	5,150.00
Highway Maintenance	38,895.59
Highway Construction	3,600.00
Sidewalks	500.00
Street Lights	5,000.00
Libraries	1,350.00
Public Welfare	16,000.00
Patriotic Purposes	2,300.00
Public Service Enterprises	2,959.00
Interest	1,582.50
Payment on Town Debt	10,500.00
Recreation	2,960.00
Wharves	2,000.00
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	\$118,642.09

Payment to other Government Divisions in addition to above list:

County Tax	\$ 23,000.00
Precinct Tax	19,460.00
School Tax	136,481.37
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	\$297,583.46

TOWN ROADS

Acting upon suggestions from the Highway Department, petition from the residents of Keewaydin Road and the Selectmen the Budget Committee has recommended the expenditure of the following amount for Town Road construction.

1. \$1,500.00 for widening and surfacing Forest Road.

2. 1,200.00 for hard surfacing Keewaydin Road
3. 500.00 for rebuilding a bridge and surfacing on Bay Street.
4. 200.00 for widening Park Ave.
5. 200.00 for hard surfacing the Legion Parking lot which was graded last year.

The Committee also recommends that the entire amount of \$895.59, which the state will match at the ratio of five to one, be raised. This Town Road Aid money goes on roads used by school buses and Mail carriers and there is always work to be done on these roads.

There is a considerable unexpended balance in the State Aid road fund, to which the State contributes in the ratio of one to one, known as Apportionment "B" which will nearly complete the projects now under way and as the permitted use is on a limited portion of the State road only \$500. is recommended to be raised this year.

SCHOOLS

The Town is faced this year with a School Budget of \$136,418.37 to be raised by taxes. This is an increase of about \$23,000. over that raised last year and is made necessary by a continuing increase in the number of children entering Carpenter School. A new four classroom addition will have to be built this year to accomodate the extra classes that will be necessary.

It is expected that the addition will cost about \$80,000. furnished ready for use and this cost spread over twenty years will amount to about \$6,000.00 per year. The increase of the tuition to Brewster from \$225. to \$275. to help them meet their increased cost, additional teachers in Carpenter school and the additional expenses for all plant and classroom operations account for the total increase.

Although we regret the increase in the cost of our schools it is evident that school expenses will continue to rise for several years until the graduating classes equal the entering classes in number of pupils. Our schools enjoy an excellent reputation throughout the State for their teaching program and facilities. We can well be proud of our schools.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

There is little change in the program of the Police department for this year. The purchase of the Police Cruiser last year

has met with very favorable comment and has been a step forward in bringing the Department up to date.

WHARVES

The amount recommended for the repair and maintenance for town wharves was raised to \$2,000.00 this year in order that a start may be made toward replacing the present piers that are built on piling with a more permanent foundation of log cribs filled with stone.

The seawall will be completed this Spring with the funds set aside last year. This will improve the appearance of our water front and will require no maintenance in the future.

TOWN DEBT

Payments on the Town debt this year will be \$10,500 which will bring the total at the end of the year to \$26,500 which is payable from tax funds. This is the lowest it has been for many years. The debt of the Water and Sewer department is being cut down very rapidly and by 1959 will be completely paid off.

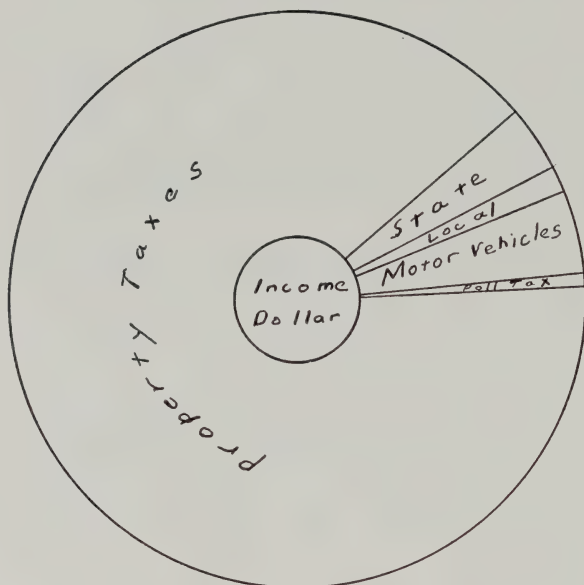
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The budget Committee wishes to thank Noyes Moore especially and all the other department heads for their assistance in preparing this Budget. Once again Mr. Moore and all those having a part in making up the Annual Report of the Town of Wolfeboro are to be congratulated on receiving the annual award for the finest Report in its class in the State.

Respectfully submitted
Wolfeboro Budget Committee
Howard C. Avery, Chairman

Jesse H. Gould, Roy G. Nelson, A. Cooper Balentine, Cecil E. Corkum, Harold Bodge, Matthew Lahti, Chester M. Abbott, John B. Judkins, Frank J. Berry, John W. McDermott, Weare Fred Tuttle and Charles E. Rowse.

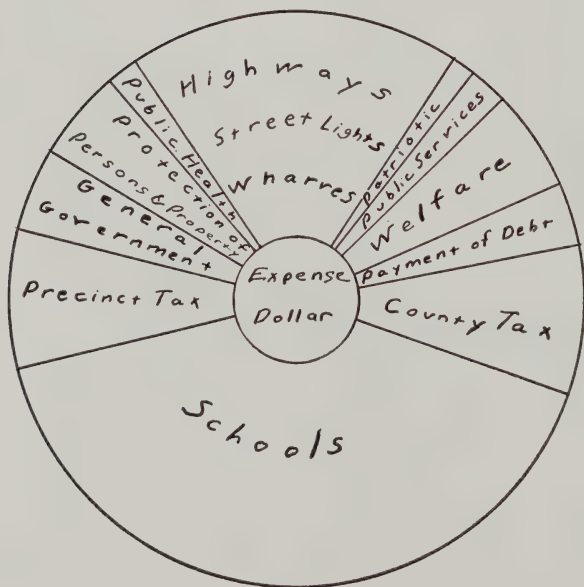
Where the Dollar Came From in 1953



1953 INCOME

Source	%	Amount
State	3.7	\$10,938.70
Local not Taxes	1.5	3,889.71
Motor V. P. Fees	4.6	12,572.07
Poll Taxes	.8	2,024.00
Property Taxes	89.4	247,618.82
Total	100.0	\$277,043.30

Where the Dollar Went in 1953



1953 EXPENSES

Source	%	Amount
General Govt.	4.7	\$12,912.47
Prot. of Persons and Prop.	5.2	14,278.70
Public Health	1.7	4,806.05
Highways, Wharves & St. Lights	18.7	51,992.63
Patriotic Purposes	1.2	2,337.44
Public Welfare	5.7	15,852.73
Payment of Debts	3.6	10,056.87
Public Services	2.2	6,153.49
County	8.4	23,276.85
Precinct	7.6	21,491.00
Schools	41.	113,885.07
Total	100.0	\$277,043.30

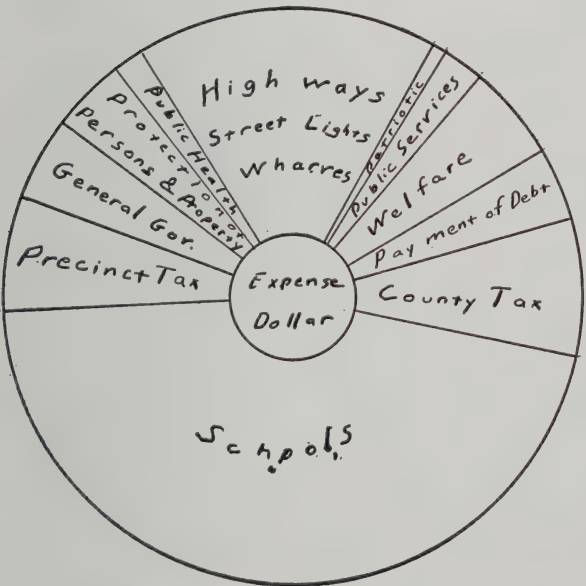
Where the Dollar will Come From in 1954



1954 INCOME

Source	%	Amount
State	3.9	\$11,480.00
Local not Taxes	.9	2,650.00
Motor V. P. Fees	4.1	12,500.00
Poll Taxes	.7	2,300.00
Property Taxes	90.4	268,653.46
Total	100.0	\$297,583.46

Where the Dollar Will Go in 1954



1954 EXPENSES

Source	%	Amount
General Govt.	4.6	\$13,795.00
Prot. of Persons and Prop.	4.1	12,050.00
Public Health	1.7	5,150.00
Highways, Wharves & St. Lights	16.9	49,995.59
Patriotic Purposes	.7	2,300.00
Public Welfare	5.4	16,000.00
Payment of Debts	4.1	12,082.50
Public Services	2.4	7,269.00
County	7.7	23,000.00
Precinct	6.5	19,460.00
Schools	45.9	136,481.37
Total	100.0	\$297,583.46

BUDGET FOR 1954

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1954 to December 31, 1954, compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1953	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1953	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1954
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$12,000.00	\$ 9,354.75	\$10,000.00
Railroad Tax	735.00	734.40	735.00
Savings Bank Tax	300.00	293.89	300.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	40.00	45.36	45.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	2,637.00	2,676.76	2,675.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	300.00	449.07	400.00
Business Licenses, Pemits and Filing Fees	250.00	271.50	250.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	250.00	250.00	250.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	200.00	256.90	200.00
Inteerst Received on Taxes and Deposits	800.00	1,515.74	1,000.00
Income of Departments:			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment	50.00		
Motor Vehicle Road Toll	200.00	519.70	400.00
Telephone Booths	150.00	166.50	150.00
Refund Town Poor	300.00	430.00	400.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,500.00	12,572.07	12,500.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	550.00	550.00	
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
Police Car & Equipment	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Construction of Seawall	7,000.00	7,000.00	
Cash Surplus			
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	2,300.00	2,024.00	2,300.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	575.00	546.20	545.00
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	42,673.00	43,156.84	32,150.00
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes	242,895.05	242,411.21	265,433.46
TOTAL REVENUES			\$297,583.46

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1932	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1933	Appropriations Recommended by Budget Committee 1934
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	4,900.00	4,939.38	5,255.00
Town Officers' Expenses	6,150.00	6,087.72	6,410.00
Election and Registration Expenses	250.00	283.12	700.00
Municipal Court Expenses	530.00	502.86	530.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	700.00	849.93	900.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	5,100.00	5,370.13	5,800.00
Fire Department	3,000.00	7,795.96	4,400.00
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust And Care of Trees	1,400.00	972.10	1,400.00
Civil Defense	100.00	140.00	200.00
Health:			
Health Department, Including Hospitals	2,650.00	2,650.00	2,650.00
Vital Statistics	100.00	60.15	75.00
Town Dump	2,200.00	2,095.80	2,425.00
Highways and Bridges			
Town Maintenance—Summer	15,000.00	15,262.39	15,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	12,000.00	11,970.21	12,000.00
Street Lighting	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,000.00	1,929.52	2,000.00
Town Road Aid	881.13	881.13	895.59
Wharves	1,000.00	713.11	2,000.00
Libraries	1,350.00	1,350.00	1,350.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	5,000.00	5,684.47	5,000.00
Old Age Assistance	12,000.00	10,168.26	11,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	200.00	200.00	200.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	1,600.00	1,637.44	1,600.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playgrounds Including Band Concerts	2,325.00	2,273.28	2,960.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Clark Historical House			300.00
Cemeteries	500.00	500.00	500.00
Corry Beach			100.00
American Legion Fireworks	500.00	500.00	500.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage	200.00	249.46	250.00
Advertising and Regional Assn's.	1,124.00	1,124.00	1,149.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	1,100.00	906.21	910.00

Interest:

On Temporary Loans	600.00	721.87	700.00
On Bonded Debt	120.00	90.00	30.00
On Long Term Notes	745.00	745.00	852.50

Highways and Bridges:

Town Construction, Highway	3,950.00	4,015.22	3,600.00
State Aid Construction—Town's Share App. B	3,140.00	2,849.96	500.00
Seawall	7,000.00	1,241.40	
Sidewalk Construction	500.00	500.00	500.00
Tar & Oil	5,500.00	5,415.66	5,500.00
New Police Car	3,500.00	3,284.10	
New Equipt. Highway Dept.	4,500.00	3,455.43	3,000.00

Indebtedness:**Payment on Principal of Debt:**

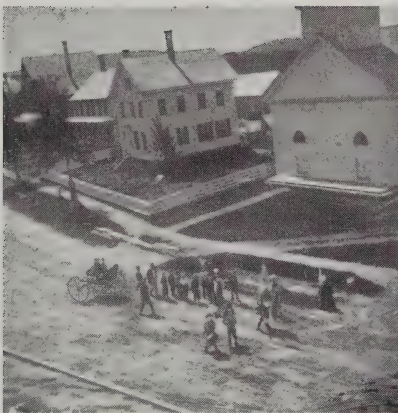
(a) Bonds	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
(b) Long Term Notes	6,500.00	6,500.00	8,500.00

TOTAL TOWN EXPENDITURES

School Tax	\$126,915.13	\$122,915.88	\$118,642.09
Precinct Tax	113,885.07	113,885.07	136,481.37
County	21,491.00	21,491.00	19,460.00
	23,276.85	23,276.85	23,000.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$285,568.05	\$285,568.05	\$297,583.46
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Corner So. Main and Pickerings Corner

Detailed Budget of Departments

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

	1953 Budget	1953 Actual	1954 Budget
Selectmen	\$2,100.00	\$2,068.70	\$2,100.00
Town Clerk	150.00	150.00	200.00
Auto Fees etc.	895.00	965.68	1,000.00
Town Treasurer	400.00	400.00	400.00
Tax Collector	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,200.00
Overseers of Poor	75.00	75.00	75.00
Auditors	130.00	130.00	130.00
	<hr/> \$4,900.00	<hr/> \$4,939.38	<hr/> \$5,255.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Clerk	\$1,775.00	\$1,775.00	\$2,135.00
Travel	550.00	511.92	515.00
Register of Deeds	75.00		
Insurance and Bonds	500.00	484.87	500.00
Telephone	150.00	127.38	150.00
Budget Committee Expenses	250.00	250.00	250.00
Office Repairs & Cleaning	75.00	113.25	800.00
Town Reports	825.00	863.90	865.00
Printing	75.00	96.15	95.00
Trustees of Trust Funds	200.00	256.00	200.00
Postage & Express	200.00	219.67	200.00
Town Maps	70.00	55.13	50.00
Supplies & Equipment	705.00	753.95	650.00
Tax Booklet	700.00	580.50	
	<hr/> \$6,150.00	<hr/> \$6,087.72	<hr/> \$6,410.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT

	1953 Budget	1953 Actual	1954 Budget
Chief Salary	\$3,380.00	\$3,380.00	\$3,380.00
Summer & Special Police	1,500.00	1,552.25	1,650.00
Mileage	140.00	298.40	100.00
Telephone	80.00	66.83	80.00
Misc. Supplies & Equipment		72.65	100.00
Insurance on Cruiser			120.00
Operating Expense Cruiser			370.00
	<hr/> \$5,100.00	<hr/> \$5,370.13	<hr/> \$5,800.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Forest Fires	\$ 100.00	\$4,662.13	
1st Assistant Chief	75.00	75.00	75.00
2nd Assistant Chief	75.00	75.00	75.00
Engine #1	540.00	540.00	540.00
Engine #2	480.00	480.00	480.00
Ladder #1	600.00	600.00	600.00
Hose #2	480.00	480.00	480.00
Supplies & Equip. (incl. New Hose)	165.00	50.62	750.00
Insurance Firemen	361.00	360.46	361.00
Insurance Forest Fire Trucks	99.00	117.00	179.00
Hydrant Tax	25.00	25.00	25.00
Forest Fire School		33.60	35.00
Truck Maintenance			100.00
Partial cost of New Tank Truck			700.00
Wolfe. Water Dept. Water line to Dump		297.15	
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	\$3,000.00	\$7,795.96	\$4,400.00

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

	1953 Budget	1953 Actual	1954 Budget
Huggins Hospital	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
Nursing Association	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Health Officer	150.00	150.00	150.00
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	\$2,650.00	\$2,650.00	\$2,650.00

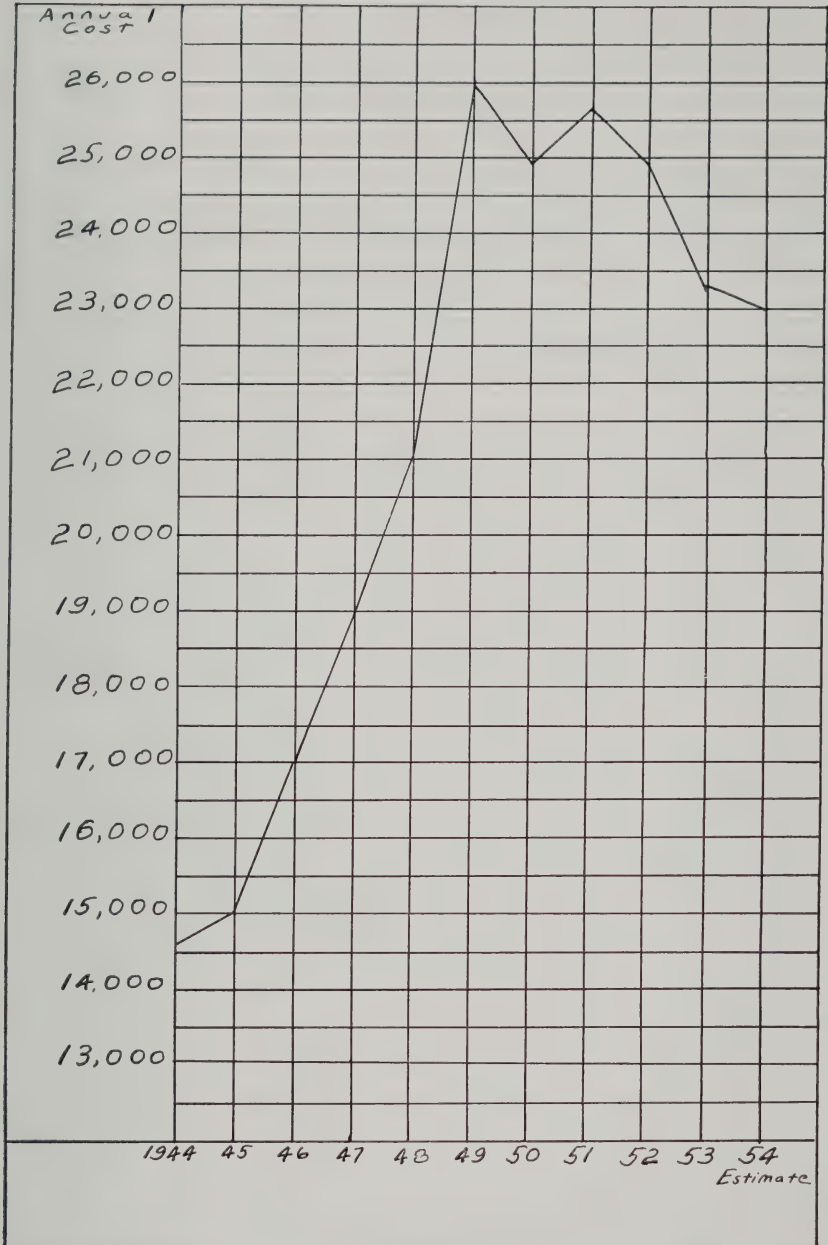
DEPARTMENT OF SANITATION

Man at Dump	1,820.00	\$1,817.00	\$1,976.00
Covering Dump	380.00	278.80	300.00
Fencing			100.00
Survey of lines			49.00
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	\$2,200.00	\$2,095.00	\$2,425.00

PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

Bathing Beach	\$1,000.00	\$1,074.27	\$1,300.00
Ski Slope	250.00	226.30	220.00
Skating Rink	150.00	871.67	830.00
Care of Parks	375.00	389.83	460.00
South Wolfeboro Park			150.00
Clark House	300.00	255.85	
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	\$2,075.00	\$2,817.92	\$2,960.00

COUNTY TAX



Ten Year Low: 1944, \$14,536.

10 Year High: 1949, \$26,110

FINANCIAL OFFICERS' REPORTS

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

1952 permits	
232251-300	\$ 121.35
1953 permits	
245001-246590	\$12,210.93
1954 permits	
247501-14	\$ 239.79
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	\$12,572.07

Less refunds on permits:

249959	\$5.21
245074	2.22
245764	1.97
245997	2.69
246291	2.10
246344	.50
246098	2.41

\$17.10

\$17.10

Paid to Treasurer

\$12,554.97

DOG LICENSES

Cash received for 217 licenses	\$490.67
Less fees	41.60

Paid to Treasurer

\$449.07

Wayne L. Parkhurst
Town Clerk

Tax Collector's Report

The Property Tax Bills for 1953 were a few days late in being mailed than those of 1952. The first were in the mails August 18th. Again this year there is an increase in the total Tax Bills sent out because of properties being divided, plus new building of homes and camps.

The Uncollected Property Taxes were approximately \$5,200.00 more than last year. As a matter of interest the greater portion of the Uncollected Taxes is spread among the larger tax payers. This condition can be attributed to the fact that it has been the policy of Wolfeboro not to advertise immediately after the date of December 1st, and close the Tax Books by December 31st or early January, as many Towns, large and small, do. This policy places an undue burden on the Town and the Tax Collector.

As usual, the Poll and Head Taxes give much trouble in collecting. Attention is called to the fact, that whether a person liable for either Tax receives a bill or not, he or she is responsible for the Tax, and subject to the penalties.

The 1953 Head Tax must all be collected by June 1, 1954, and the final report made by the Town to the State as of that date. Any Head Taxes that are uncollected and not abated must be paid by the Town. The Abatements that have been granted will stand close examination and for reasons acceptable to the Tax Commission.

The Tax Collector maintains regular Office Hours three days a week from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M. at the Town Offices and is available at home. Part Time Tax Collectors are only required by statute to be at the Town Office one day a month. The Tax Collector of Wolfeboro is classified as a part time Officer, and so compensated.

GEORGE W. NARY
Tax Collector

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL, AND YIELD TAXES**

Levy of 1953

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$247,241.36
Poll Taxes	2,378.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	545.20

Total Warrant	\$250,164.56
Yield Taxes	4,979.10
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	3,315.31
Poll Taxes	188.00
Interest Collected	15.32

Total Debits	\$258,662.29
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$206,238.70
Poll Taxes	1,954.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	545.20
Yield Taxes	1,940.68
Interest Collected	15.32
Discount Allowed	388.95
Abatements	985.22

Uncollected Taxes as per Coll. List:

Property Taxes	43,013.80
Poll Taxes	542.00
Yield Taxes	3,038.42

Total Credits	\$258,662.29
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT — STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1953

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$7,530.00
Added Taxes	200.00
Total Commitments	\$7,730.00
Penalties Collected	6.50

Total Debits	\$7,736.50
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$6,105.00
Penalties	6.50

\$6,111.50

Abatements 175.00

Uncollected Head Taxes as per Coll's list 1,450.00

Total Credits

\$7,736.50

Levy of 1952**DR.**

Uncollected as of

Jan. 1, 1953

\$1,535.00

Added Taxes

45.00

Total Commitment

\$1,580.00

Penalties

132.50

Total Debits

\$1,712.50

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$1,348.00
Penalties	132.50

\$1,480.50

Abatements

232.00

Total Credits

\$1,712.50

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES****Levy of 1952****DR.**

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1953:

Property Taxes \$37,811.42

Poll Taxes 494.00

Added Poll Taxes 12.00

Yield Taxes 1,147.71

Added Yield Taxes 4.03

Interest Collected during Fiscal Year

ending Dec. 31, 1953 1,351.14

Total Debits

\$40,820.30

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal Year ending Dec. 31, 1953:		
Property Taxes	\$37,291.20	
Poll Taxes	404.00	
Interest collected during year	1,351.14	
Yield Taxes	1,142.84	
Abatements Made During Year	617.12	
Uncollected Taxes as per Coll's list:		
Poll Taxes	14.00	
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Total Credits		\$40,820.30

Levy of 1951

DR.

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1953		
Poll Taxes	\$ 70.00	
Yield Taxes	180.00	
Interest collected during Fiscal Year	4.55	
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Total Debits		\$254.55

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer		
Poll Taxes	\$ 50.00	
Yield Taxes	180.00	
Interest Collected During Year	4.55	
Abatements Made During Year	20.00	
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Total Credits		\$254.55

Levy of 1950

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1953:		
Poll Taxes	\$ 20.00	
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Total Debits		\$20.00
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Poll Taxes	\$ 14.00	
Abatements	6.00	
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		\$20.00

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS AS OF DECEMBER 31,
1953**

DR.

Taxes Sold to Town during Current Fiscal Year:

	1952	1951	1950	1949
	\$995.88			
Balance of Unredeemed				
Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1954		\$947.78	\$526.69	\$36.48
Interest collected after				
sale	6.18	56.11	79.62	5.45
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Total Debits	\$1,002.06	\$1,003.89	\$606.31	\$41.93

CR.

Remittance to Treasurer				
during year	\$423.16	\$867.38	\$606.31	\$25.87
Unredeemed Taxes at close				
of year	578.90	136.51		16.06
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Total Credits	\$1,002.06	\$1,003.89	\$606.31	\$41.93

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales on account of levies of:

Alice Barnes	\$ 59.23	\$53.82		
Zaida Corson	18.98			
Addie M. Davis	95.20			
Conrad J. O. Johnson	19.13	33.59		
Esther Mae Johnson	25.64			
Lawrence D. & Grace L.				
Graham	129.94			
Herbert Lord	95.20			
Herbert Lord	23.31			
Ernest Kenney	42.66			
Ernest Kenney	5.44	13.83		
Clara M. Kimball		12.36		
Forrest S. Campbell	9.68	15.22		
Edward W. & Arvid B.				
Leelman	25.64			
Mrs. Florence D. Valprey	7.75	7.69		
Herman Wallenfels	21.10			
Fred W. Hodgdon				16.06
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Totals	\$578.90	\$136.51		\$16.06

GEORGE W. NARY,
Tax Collector

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1953	\$ 29,443.71
George W. Nary, Tax Coll.	
1953 Taxes	209,566.87
1952 Taxes	38,303.42
1951 Taxes	70.00
1950 Taxes	20.00
1953 Head Tax	6,105.00
1952 Head Tax	1,348.00
Head Tax Penalties	139.00
Interest on taxes	1,518.37
Tax Redemption	1,775.36
Timber Tax Yield	3,272.42
Wayne Parkhurst, Town Clerk, Automobile Tax	12,572.07
Wayne Parkhurst, Town Clerk, Dog Tax	449.07
Wolfeboro Highway Department, private work	381.48
Temporary loans	85,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds Commission	93.23
Business licenses and permits	271.50
Rentals of town property	200.00
Telephone Booths	159.56
Refunds	1,827.52
Martin Road fund	111.77
Folsom Charity Fund	393.85
Sale of Town property	332.40
Leaman E. Cunningham, municipal court	250.00
Trustees of Trust Funds	550.00
Donation from Portsmouth Naval Base	2.00
Serial Notes, Wolfeboro National Bank, 1953 issue	10,500.00
State of New Hampshire:	
Interest and dividend tax	9,354.75
Loss of taxes on forest land	45.36
Bounties	38.50
Railroad Tax	1,462.78
Town Road Aid	4,720.41
Old Age Recovery	1,668.98
Head Tax refund	28.65
Land damage	1.00
Road Toll refund	519.70
Savings Bank Tax	632.84
National Bank Stock Tax	545.20
Forest Fire school	16.80
Forest Fire — Camp Birchmont	192.85

Forest Fire — Mt. Shaw	3,847.99
Forest Fire — Tuftonboro Town Dump	595.10
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	\$ 428,327.51

DISBURSEMENTS

Selectmen's orders paid	\$ 388,162.34
Cash on hand December 31, 1953	40,165.17
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	\$ 428,327.51
Gate Park Fund	\$ 5,000.00
Interest to December 31, 1953	1,975.17
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	\$ 6,975.17

Harold L. Johnson,
Treasurer



Chief Thompson and Cruiser

SELECTMEN'S FINANCIAL RECORDS

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$4,939.38
Town Officers' Expenses	6,087.72
Election and registration expenses	283.12
Municipal Court expenses	502.86
Town Hall and other buildings	849.93
Wharves	713.11
New Sea Wall	1,241.40

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	8,654.23
Fire Department, including forest fires	7,740.96
Moth Extermination, Blister Rust and Tree Care	972.10
Bounties	69.50
Damage by dogs	29.65

Health:

Health Department, including hospitals	2,650.00
Town Dumps	2,095.80

Vital Statistics:

Returning births, deaths and marriages, 1952	60.25
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Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	
Town \$881.13 — State \$4,191.55	5,072.68
Apportionment B	2,849.96
Town Maintenance:	
Summer	15,262.39
Winter	11,970.21
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	27,232.60
Street Lighting	5,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	1,984.52
Employees' Retirement	906.21

Libraries:

Library	1,350.00
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Public Welfare:

Old Age Assistance	10,168.26
Town Poor	5,684.47

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day	200.00
Aid to soldiers and their families	1,637.44
Civil Defense	140.51

Recreation:

Parks and Playgrounds, Jan. 1 to March 11	544.64
Parks and Playgrounds, March 11 to Jan. 1, 1954	2,273.28
Fireworks, July 4th	500.00

Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	500.00
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Unclassified:

Lakes Region Association	574.00
Information Booth	550.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	221.09
Taxes bought by Town	995.88
Abatements, discounts and refunds	2,323.41

Interest:

Anticipation notes	721.87
Refunding bonds	90.00
Term notes	745.00
Head taxes and expenses	7,168.25

New Construction, Highways:

Trask Mt. road	248.90
Private work	346.13
Park Avenue	287.10
Birch road	240.40
Tar and Oil Account	5,415.66
Sidewalks	997.54
New equipment	3,455.43
Varney road	749.86
Clow road, part of 1951 appropriation	161.50
Libby street	327.84
Legion Parking lot	251.50
Dallas road	254.60
Clark road	1,009.41
Whitten Neck Bridge	484.11

Indebtedness; Bonds and Notes Paid:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	85,000.00
Refunding bonds	2,000.00
Long term notes	6,500.00

Other Government Divisions:

Wolfeboro Fire Precinct	21,491.00
Taxes paid to County	23,276.85

School District:

Balance of 1952 Appropriation	64,000.00
1953 Appropriation in part	54,885.07

Total Payments	\$388,162.34
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DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1953	\$ 29,443.71
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	85,000.00
George W. Nary, Collector:	
1950 poll taxes	20.00
1951 poll taxes	70.00
1952 poll taxes	492.00
1953 poll taxes	2,024.00
1952 property taxes	37,810.42
1953 property taxes	207,542.87
1952 bank stock taxes	1.00
1953 bank stock taxes	545.20
1951 yield taxes	180.00
1952 yield taxes	1,151.74
1953 yield taxes	1,940.68
1952 head taxes	1,348.00
1952 head tax penalties	132.50
1953 head taxes	6,105.00
1953 head tax penalties	6.50
Tax sales redeemed	1,775.36
Interest received	1,518.37
State of N. H.:	
Frank Merrill, Commissioner, land at Ossipee line	1.00
1952 Railroad tax	734.40
1953 Railroad tax	728.38
1953 Interest and dividends tax	9,354.75
1952 Savings bank taxes	293.89
1953 Savings bank taxes	338.95
1952 Public Forest Lands	45.36
Old Age assistance recovery, Town's share	1,668.98
Blister Rust, refund	6.00
Burial, soldier	100.00
Head Taxes, refund	98.00
Motor Vehicle, road toll	519.70
Town Road Aid	4,720.41
1952 Bounties	38.50
State Head Tax, expenses	28.65
Forest fire school, State's share	16.80
Long term notes during year	10,500.00
Wayne L. Parkhurst, registration of Motor Vehicles	12,572.07
Wayne L. Parkhurst, Town Clerk, dog licenses	449.07
Business licenses and permits	271.50
Court Fines, 1953	250.00
Rent of Town Property	200.00
Town Property sold	332.40
Portsmouth Navy Yard, charity donation	2.00

Tar and Oil	381.48
Parks and Playgrounds	93.23
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	159.56
Trustees of Trust Funds, balance of new equipment bond	550.00
Refunds	1,623.52
Birchmont Fire	192.85
Mt. Shaw Forest Fire	3,847.99
Tuftonboro Dump Fire	595.10
Martin Road Fund	111.77
Folsom Charity Fund	393.85
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	\$428,327.51



Elm Street in 1884

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

W. Fred Tuttle, selectman and overseer of poor	\$ 725.00
Earl F. Willand, selectman and overseer of poor	693.70
Noyes V. Moore, selectman and overseer of poor	725.00
James J. Kalled, town counsel	150.00
Harold L. Johnson, town treasurer	400.00
Wayne L. Parkhurst, town clerk	150.00
Wayne L. Parkhurst, fees	965.68
George W. Nary, tax collector	1,000.00
C. E. Corkum, auditor	65.00
Ralph S. Parker, auditor	65.00
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	\$4,939.38

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Noyes V. Moore, clerk	\$1,775.00
Noyes V. Moore, mileage and assessor's meeting	118.50
Timber Yield Tax expenses	200.00
Earl F. Willand, mileage	60.00
W. Fred Tuttle, mileage	60.00
Earl F. Willand, Tax Com. Spot Check, 5 days	40.00
W. Fred Tuttle, Tax Com. Spot Check, 3 days	24.00
Wayne L. Parkhurst, town clerk expenses	61.25
George W. Nary, tax collector's meeting	9.42
Wolfeboro Postmaster, postage	219.67
Ass'n. of N. H. Assessors, 1953 dues	3.00
N. H. Tax Collector's Ass'n., 1953 dues	3.00
N. H. City & Town Clerk's Ass'n., 1953 dues	2.00
Office cleaning	100.00
Town Report, 1500	863.90
Budget Committee expenses	250.00
Thaddeus Berry, typewriter repair	13.25
Wm. J. Britton Agency, money and securities	180.12
Wm. J. Britton Agency, bonds-Treas., Town Clerk and Trustees	203.75
J. Clifton Avery Agency, bonds-other Town Officials	101.00
Trustees of Trust Funds, salary and expenses	256.00
Carroll County Independent, notices and envelopes	70.22
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone 79	127.38
Gene's Hardware, office supplies	2.70
N. H. State Tax Commission, 3,000 assessment cards	39.00
Wolfeboro National Bank, seal	9.20
Roy W. Foster, supplies	2.31
Nation's Business	18.00

Sargent Brothers, tax bills	27.5 ^f
The Paper Store, supplies	22.53
Wolfeboro Cash Store, supplies	6.18
Gould's Dime Store, supplies	2.60
The Kingswood Press, supplies	63.45
Burroughs Adding Mach. Co., adding machine and supplies	327.18
Gas & Electric Service Co., supplies	2.21
The Diamond Match Co., supplies	.77
Treasurer of N. H., supplies	10.00
Branham Publishing Co., auto guide book	3.00
Fred L. Tower Companies, N. H. Register	12.90
Joe Wigon, supplies	24.6 ^c
Wheeler & Clark, supplies	3.25
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	9.92
Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., supplies	121.20
Christmas Tree	2.00
Stephen H. Boomer, surveying sections of Town Line	55.13
Wolfeboro 1952 Tax List	580.50
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	\$6,087.72

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Robert F. Thurrell, moderator	\$ 25.00
Osborne H. Abbott, supervisor	40.00
Leon F. Roberts, supervisor	40.00
Rodney M. Haines, supervisor	40.00
Alma C. Trickey, ballot clerk	10.00
Lottie L. Rust, ballot clerk	10.00
Rena E. Piper, ballot clerk	10.00
Edwin H. Mattison, ballot clerk	10.00
Howard G. Stevens, ballot clerk	10.00
Carroll County Independent, notices	43.20
The Kingswood Press, printing ballots	18.30
Edson C. Eastman, five warrants	.42
Diner, meals	17.20
Richard Shannon, labor on booths	9.00
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1953 Expenditures	\$283.12
1953 Appropriation	250.00
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Deficit	\$ 33.12

MUNICIPAL COURT

Leaman E. Cunningham, justice	\$400.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone 433	102.86
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	\$502.86

1953 Appropriation	\$530.00
1953 Expenditures	502.86
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Surplus	\$ 27.14

TOWN HALL AND OTHER TOWN BUILDINGS

John Brewster Estate, town office rent	\$252.00
Sherman Brummitt Ins. Agency, insurance	479.11
Roderick I. Hogan, sign arm, information booth	22.64
Municipal Electric Dept., 1 class 6 poll	19.23
Wolfeboro Water Department, 1 Trenjer bubbler	18.42
Charles Richardson, painting	13.20
American Flag	10.00
Haskins Hardware, light bulbs	4.56
Ransom Goodrich, electric wiring	20.07
Lloyd W. Hamm, labor and glass, Honor Roll	10.70
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	\$849.93

1953 Expenditures	\$849.93
1953 Appropriation	700.00
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Deficit	\$149.93

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Harold E. Thompson, salary	\$3,380.00
Harold E. Thompson, mileage	258.40
Fred W. Long, salary	807.00
Fred W. Long, mileage	28.80
Paul F. O'Leary, salary	115.25
Paul F. O'Leary, mileage	11.20
Earl F. Willand, salary	472.00
Richard Marden, salary	158.00
Horace Manning, repairing badge	.95
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone 183	66.83
American Fire Equipment Co., red flares and first aid kit	56.55
Haskins Hardware, 1 box ammunition	3.50
The Kingswood Press, tickets and letterheads	11.65
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	\$5,370.13

1953 Expenditures	\$5,370.13
1953 Appropriation	5,100.00
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Deficit	\$270.13

POLICE CRUISER

Horne's Garage, Inc., 1953 Ford Police Cruiser	\$2,293.00
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Sherman Brummitt Ins. Agency, insurance	121.25
Safe-T-Gal Sign & Decals, 2 decals	8.12
Norman Davis, lettering	5.00
N. H. State Police, transmitter and receiver	548.70
Gulf Oil Products, gas	213.12
Horne's Garage, Inc., service, etc.	94.91

\$3,284.10

1953 Motor Vehicle Road Toll	\$ 40.00
1953 Serial Notes	3,500.00

	3,540.00
1953 Expenditures	3,284.10

Surplus	\$ 255.90
Police Department Deficit	\$ 270.13
Cruiser Surplus	255.90

Total Police Dept. Deficit \$14.23

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Norman Davis, Assistant chief	\$ 75.00
Ivan C. Piper, Assistant chief	75.00
Engine Co. #1, 9 men	540.00
Engine Co. #2, 9 men	480.00
Ladder Co. #1, 13 men	600.00
Hose Co. #2, 8 men	480.00
State Treasurer as Custodian, firemen's retirement	111.00
Henry Provost, Sec., insurance for forty-three men	43.00
Clinton Piper, firemen's insurance	206.46
Sherman Brummitt Ins. Agency, truck insurance	62.00
Wolfeboro Water Department, hydrant tax	25.00
Wolfeboro Water Department, firemain—Town	
Dump	297.15
Ralph Herbert, food—So. Wolfeboro Forest Fire	4.80
Railway Express Agency	2.50
Forest Fire School	33.60
Wolfeboro Dump Fire	9.35
Guy L. Foss, forest fires	4,662.13
Forest Fire Truck	33.97
J. Clifton Avery Agency, insurance	55.00

\$7,795.96

1953 Expenditures	7,795.96
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Reimbursements:

1953 Appropriation	\$3,000.00
Mt. Shaw Forest	
Fire	3,847.99

Tuftonboro Dump		
Fire	595.10	
Forest Fire		
School	16.80	\$7,459.89
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Deficit		\$336.07

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST

State of New Hampshire, town's share		\$400.00
Cost of work		394.00
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	Surplus	\$ 6.00

TREE CARE

W. Fred Tuttle & Son, tree care		\$572.10
1953 Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
1953 Expenditures	572.10	
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Surplus	\$ 427.90	

BOUNTIES

Porcupine bounties		\$69.50
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DAMAGE BY DOGS

Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc., dog tags		\$24.85
Carroll County Independent, notices		4.80
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		\$29.65

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Harold E. Thompson, health officer		\$ 150.00
Huggins Hospital, 1953 appropriation		1,500.00
Nursing Association, 1953 appropriation		1,000.00
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		\$2,650.00

TOWN DUMPS

Howard Stevens, salary		\$1,817.00
Wolfeboro Highway Dept., labor		260.10
Dump fire, night watchman		7.50
Varney's Service Station, kerosene		11.20
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		\$2,095.80
1953 Appropriation	\$2,200.00	
1953 Expenditures	2,095.80	
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Surplus	\$ 104.20	

VITAL STATISTICS

Returning births, deaths and marriages		\$60.25
1953 Appropriation	\$100.00	
1952 Fees paid	60.25	
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Surplus	\$ 39.75	

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Summer Maintenance, payroll	\$15,262.39
Winter Maintenance, payroll	11,970.21
Park Avenue	287.10
Trask Mt. Road	248.90
Varney Road	749.86
Birch Road	240.40
Clow Road, part of 1951 appropriation	161.50
Libby Street	327.84
Legion Parking Lot	251.50
Dallas Road	254.60
Clark Road	1,009.41
Whitten's Neck Bridge	484.11
Sidewalks	997.54
Town Road Aid—Town \$881.13, State \$4,191.55	5,072.68
Private Work, tarmac	346.13
Tar and Oil Account	5,415.66
Apportionment B	2,849.96

EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT

Retirement, town's share	\$906.21
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TOWN WHARVES

Edwin V. Moody, ice cutting	\$255.00
4.15 tons asphalt	24.90
Wolfeboro Highway Dept. repairs	41.30
Fred Varney, repairs	391.91
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	\$713.11

NEW SEA WALL

Wolfeboro Highway Dept.	\$ 241.40
John F. Goodwin	1,000.00
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	\$1,241.40
Serial Notes	\$7,000.00
1953 Expenditures	1,241.40
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Unexpended Balance	\$5,758.60

STREET LIGHTING

1953 Appropriation	\$5,000.00
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GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Sherman Brummitt Ins. Agency, insurance	\$639.88
Wm. J. Britton Agency, insurance	883.88
J. Clifton Avery Agency, insurance	75.40
Wolfeboro Water Dept., pipe for sign posts	23.94
Foy Tire Co., tires	30.00
Municipal Electric Dept., electricity for 2 traffic lights	9.91
Diamond Match Co.	3.41
Haskins Hardware	2.85
Labor, painting streets	23.00
Boston & Maine R. R., crossing sign	19.73
American Fire Equipment Co., street signs	74.71
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone 388	142.81
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	\$1,929.52

PUBLIC LIBRARY

1953 Appropriation	\$1,350.00
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE and AID TO DISABLED

State of N. H., town's share		\$10,168.26
1953 Appropriation	\$12,000.00	
1953 Expenditures	10,168.26	
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Surplus	\$1,831.74	

TOWN POOR

1953 Expenditures		\$5,684.47
1953 Expenditures	\$5,684.47	
1953 Appropriation	\$5,000	
1953 Refunds	430	5,430.00
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Deficit	\$ 254.47	

MEMORIAL DAY

1953 Appropriation	\$200.00
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FIREWORKS

1953 Appropriation	\$500.00
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SOLDIER'S AID

1953 Expenditures		\$1,637.44
1953 Appropriation	\$1,600.00	
1953 Refunds	100.00	
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	\$1,700.00	
1953 Expenditures	1,637.44	
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Surplus	\$	62.56

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

1953 Expenditures	\$2,273.28
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LAKE REGION ASSOCIATION

1953 Appropriation	\$574.00
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INFORMATION BOOTH

1953 Appropriation	\$550.00
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CEMETERIES

1953 Appropriation	\$500.00
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LEGAL EXPENSES

Registry of Deeds	\$128.08
Tax Collector, tax sales, fees, etc.	91.71
Walter G. White, 13 deceased persons	1.30
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	\$221.09

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

George W. Nary, collector, tax sales	\$995.88
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ABATEMENTS, DISCOUNTS and REFUNDS

George W. Nary, collector, abatements	\$1,628.34
1953 Discounts	388.95
Refunds	306.12
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	\$2,323.41

INTEREST

1937 Refunding Bond	\$ 90.00
1947 Highway, Equipment, Wharves and Legion Hall	270.00
1948 Highway and Sea Wall	100.00
1949 Sewall Road and Center street	75.00

1950 B. & M. Station and State Armory	300.00
1953 Anticipation of Taxes	721.87
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	\$1,556.87

HEAD TAXES

Treas., State of N. H., head taxes and penalties	\$6,658.89
Fees and expenses	509.36
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	\$7,168.25

CIVIL DEFENSE

1953 Expenditures	\$140.51
N. H. Explosives & Mach. Co., new compressor	\$1,728.04

NEW EQUIPMENT

Hart Motor Co. Inc., 1953 2-ton truck	1,595.57
Hedge & Matthews Co., jackhammer	50.00
Accessories	81.82
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	\$3,455.43

BONDS AND SERIAL NOTES

1937 Refunding Bond	\$ 2,000.00
1947 Highway, Wharves and Legion Hall	3,000.00
1948 Highway and Sea Wall	1,000.00
1949 Sewall Road and Center Street	1,000.00
1950 B. & M. Station and State Armory	1,500.00
1953 Anticipation of Taxes	85,000.00
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	\$93,500.00

CARROLL COUNTY

1953 Appropriation	\$23,276.85
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WOLFEBORO FIRE PRECINCT

1953 Appropriation	\$21,491.00
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WOLFEBORO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Balance 1952 Appropriation	\$64,000.00
1953 Appropriation in part	54,885.07
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	\$118,885.07
Balance of 1953 Appropriation due School District	\$59,000.00
1953 Total Disbursements	\$388,162.34

Highway Agent's Report, 1953

1953 ACCOUNT

	Appropriation	Paid
Winter Highway	\$12,000.00	\$11,561.88
Summer Highway	15,000.00	15,091.39
Sidewalks	1,005.62	997.54
Legion Parking Lot	250.00	251.50
Trask Mt. Road	250.00	248.90
Clark Park and Goodrich Road	1,000.00	1,009.41
Libby Street	350.00	261.84
Varney Road	750.00	749.86
Dallas Road	250.00	254.60
Clow Road unexpended balance of 1952	162.23	161.50
Park Avenue	300.00	287.10
Birch Road unexpended balance of 1952	240.00	240.40
Whitten Neck Bridge	500.00	484.11
Tar and Asphalt Account	5,500.00	5,415.66
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	\$37,557.85	\$37,015.69
	Appropriation	Paid
Total Amount of 1953 Payrolls		\$34,034.27
Old Age Retirement (Paid by Selectmen)		690.61
Withholding Tax (Paid by Selectmen)		1,646.80
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Total		\$36,371.68

WINTER MAINTENANCE

	\$12,000.00	
Jan. 1 to March 20		\$ 8,238.92
Nov. 13 to Dec. 31		1,338.92
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		\$9,577.91
Salt (Paid by Selectmen) 2 carloads		\$1,335.00
Old Age Retirement		198.27
Withholding Tax		450.70
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		\$11,561.88
Summer Maintenance	\$15,000.00	
March 20 to Dec. 11		\$14,191.17
Old Age Retirement (Paid by Selectmen)		429.87
Withholding Tax (Paid by Selectmen)		1,002.35
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		\$15,533.39
Less Gas Tax Refund		442.00
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Total		\$15,091.39

Sidewalks	\$ 500.00	
Interest Trust Funds	505.62	
Total	\$1,005.62	
South Main Street (A&P Store entrance)		\$225.90
North Main Street, end cement walk above Lake St. to Sewall Road		771.64
		\$997.54
Legion Parking Lot	\$250.00	
Gravel and Grading		\$251.50
Trask Mt. Road	\$250.00	
.2 mile Gravel Surface		248.90
Clark Park and Goodrich Road	\$1,000.00	
.3 mile Gravel and Tar Surface		\$1,009.41
Libby Street	\$350.00	
Removing Tree and catch-basin pipe		\$261.84
Varney Road	\$750.00	
.35 mile Tar and Gravel Surface		\$749.86
	Appropriation	Paid
Dallas Road	\$250.00	
.4 mile Gravel Surface		\$254.60
Clow Road, unexpended balance of 1952	\$162.23	
Tar and Gravel Surface		161.50
Park Avenue	300.00	
Part Asphalt Surface & Ledge		
Excavation		287.10
Birch Road unexpended balance of 1952	240.00	
Drainage, Pipe and Catch-basins		240.40
Whitten Neck Bridge	\$500.00	
Town Payroll Labor		97.40
Fred Varney, labor and lumber		386.71
		484.11
Miscellaneous Accounts		
Dump, sand, and burning brush		260.10
Private Work		22.30
Equipment, parts—Chevrolet		
1/2 Ton Truck		81.82
Wharves and New Sea Wall		
Wharf, Mast Landing		41.30
New Sea Wall		241.40

TAR AND ASPHALT ACCOUNT

1953 Appropriation	\$5,500.00	
Paid by Selectmen		\$5,415.66
Private Work Sold		323.83
Koppers Co. Inc.		
25,250 Gals. Tarmac		4,708.50

Barrett Division	
5,540 Gals. Tarvia	1,030.99
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	\$5,739.49
Less Private Work	323.83
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Total	\$5,415.66

TOWN ROAD AID ACCOUNT

	Appropriation	Paid
1953 Town Appropriation	\$ 881.13	
1953 State Appropriation	5,874.22	
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Total	\$6,755.35	
1953 Highway Payrolls		\$4,191.55
Old Age Retirement (Paid by Selectmen)		51.73
Withholding Tax (Paid by Selectmen)		164.65
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Total paid by Town		\$4,407.93
Paid by State		
Alton Grader	\$ 180.50	
Asphalt	1,081.92	
Culverts	193.98	
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		\$5,864.33
1953 Appropriation, Town and State	\$6,755.35	
1953 Expenditures	5,864.33	
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Balance in State Treasury	\$891.02	

PINE HILL from TROTting TRACK ROAD NORTHERLY .50 Mile GRAVEL AND ASPHALT SURFACE

1953 Town Payrolls	\$1,466.50
Alton Grader	180.50
Asphalt	1,081.92
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	\$2,728.92

COLLEGE ROAD

Rt. 28 easterly .30 mile widening	
Earth and Ledge excavation	758.73

PORK HILL ROAD

Rt. 28 to Ossipee Line .95 mile
Gravel Surface and Culverts

Town Payrolls	\$1,836.10
State, culverts	193.98

\$2,030.08

PLEASANT VALLEY ROAD

Ledge excavation, near Hill Camp Road	\$346.60
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APPORTIONMENT B State and Town Account

July 1, 1953 Balance	\$2,358.60
July 1, 1953 State Share	3,140.00
July 1, 1953 Town Share	

Total	\$5,498.60
1953 Town Payrolls	\$569.96
Old Age Retirement	10.74
Withholding Tax	29.10

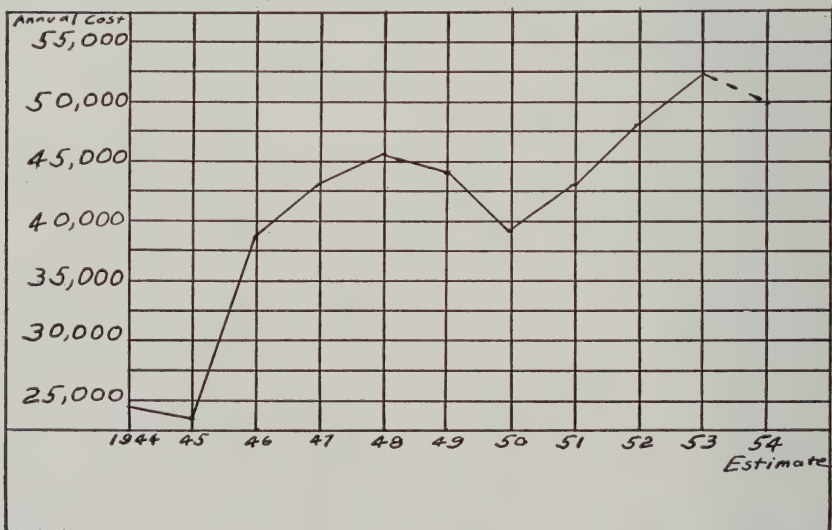
609.80

Paid by State	
Clay Pipe	975.61
R. C. Culverts	444.63

Total	\$2,030.04
Balance	\$3,468.56

Leslie M. Chamberlain Highway Agent

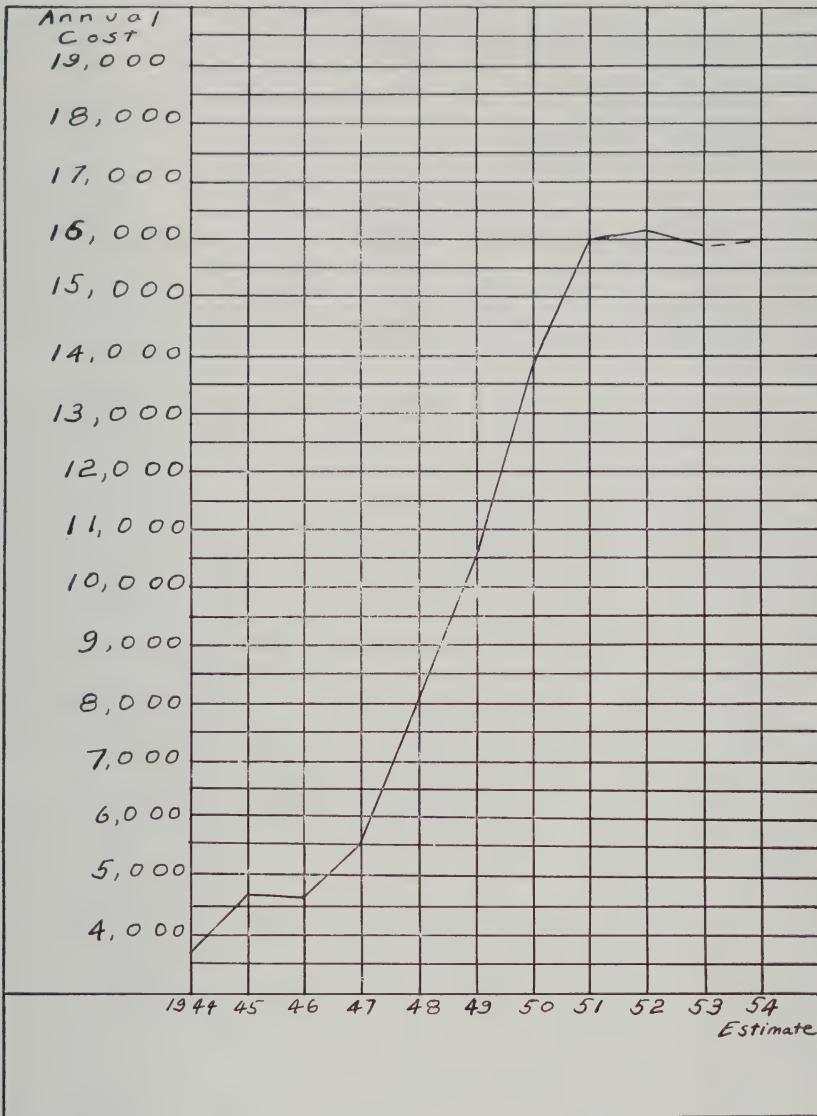
HIGHWAYS, WHARVES & STREET LIGHTS



10 Year Low: 1945, \$23,000.

10 Year High: 1953, \$51,992.

WELFARE



10 Year Low: 1944, \$3600.

10 Year High: 1952, \$16,200.

SERVICE DEPARTMENTS

WOLFEBORO WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, WATER DEPT.

During the past year much new work as well as many new replacements were accomplished in the Water Department.

At the Town Dump 560 ft. 2 in. gal. pipe was installed, to give adequate fire protection at the Dump.

On No. Main St., opposite the home of Mrs. J. Frank Goodwin, 180 ft. of 2 in. gal. pipe was installed, to take care of the new houses which are being built.

Due to the inadequate supply of water at Wolfeboro Neck and Forrest Road, 1,420 ft. of 6 in. Cast Iron Pipe was installed, with 2 new Hydrants, for fire protection.

At Keewaydin Road, 590 ft. of 6 in. Cast Iron, and 280 ft. of 2 in. Gal. Iron pipe was installed, with one new Hydrant, to take care of the new homes now being erected.

One new Hydrant was installed at the Dairy, one at Green Street, and one at Goose Corner, making a total of six new ones during the year.

There were twenty new services connected to the water system during the year past. Twenty-one of the old services were relaid with Copper Tubing.

There were a few breaks and leaks in the water system, which were taken care of as soon as possible. We have a total of 1130 Water customers.

Charles I. Lucas
Supt.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT SEWER DEPARTMENT

During the past year there was very little new construction work done in the Sewer Department, only two new customers were added making a total of 257 connections to the Sewer System.

Due to conditions beyond our control we had considerable trouble with the Imhof Tanks at the treatment Plant, the trickling Filter Bed at the treatment Plant had two treatments of H.T.H. as recommended by the State Health Dept.

By constant treatment of the Imhof Tanks we have reduced the amount of Lime used to approximately 150 pounds per year.

Visitors are always welcome to visit our Pumping Stations and treatment Plant, much credit is due the Commissioners for their cooperation during the past year, and once more I wish to thank the citizens of Wolfeboro for their cooperation.

Charles I. Lucas
Supt.

WOLFEBORO WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT

	1953 Budget	1953 Actual	1954 Budget
SALARIES			
Commissioners	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00
Superintendent	3,900.00	3,900.00	3,900.00
Treasurer	150.00	150.00	150.00
Accounting (P. U. C.)	50.00	50.00	50.00
Clerk & Collector	1,300.00	1,540.00	1,820.00
WATER DEPT.			
Repairs to Services (Labor)	\$3,500.00	\$5,566.63	\$5,000.00
New Construction (Supplies)	3,000.00	5,890.14	5,650.00
SEWER DEPT.			
Repairs to Services (Labor)	\$2,000.00	\$1,934.50	\$2,000.00
New Construction (Supplies)	1,000.00	96.09	1,000.00
PRIVATE WORK			
Repairs to Equipment	\$ 600.00	\$ 433.77	\$ 750.00
Gas & Oil	600.00	594.61	600.00
Fuel for Heating	150.00	82.03	150.00
Freight & Express	200.00	532.00	500.00
Electric Power	900.00	985.64	1,000.00
Telephone	150.00	105.55	150.00
Office Supplies & Equipt.	200.00	138.62	200.00
Insurance (Water & Sewer)	300.00	339.56	350.00
New Equipt. & Tools	1,000.00	192.34	1,000.00
Interest on Bonds (W & S)	1,400.00	1,076.25	1,000.00
Payment on Bonds (W & S)	8,800.00	8,800.00	8,800.00
Refunds, Bank Charges etc.	100.00	95.51	100.00
Retirement Fund	500.00	529.90	550.00
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	\$30,400.00	\$33,634.02	\$35,320.00
Less W. H. Tax Balance		58.70	
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		\$33,575.32	

Withholding Tax			
Tax Withheld	\$546.10		
Tax Paid	487.40		
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	\$58.70		
Cash on Hand			
January 1st	\$ 7,186.47	\$ 7,186.47	\$ 4,740.63
Hydrant Tax	2,525.00	2,525.00	2,675.00
Water Collections	24,100.00	24,123.80	24,200.00
Sewer Collections	4,000.00	4,034.36	4,050.00
Sales of Supplies		360.17	
Credit Account (Gas Refund)		86.15	
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	\$37,811.47	\$38,315.95	\$35,665.03
Surplus	\$345.63		

**COMMISSIONERS REPORT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JANUARY 1st, 1953
TO DECEMBER 31st, 1953**

WATER AND SEWER ACCOUNT

Cash on hand January 1st 1953	\$ 7,186.47
Income Water January 1st 1953 to December 31st 1953	27,095.12
Income Sewer January 1st 1953 to December 31st 1953	4,034.36
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	\$38,315.95

DISBURSEMENTS

	Water Dept.	Sewer Dept.
Salaries	\$ 3,220.00	\$ 3,020.00
Maintenance & New Construction	11,456.77	2,030.59
Repairs to Equipment	433.77	
Gas & Oil	584.61	
Fuel for Heating		82.03
Freight & Express	532.88	
Electric Power		985.64
Telephone	105.55	
Insurance	164.34	175.22
Office Equipment & Supplies	138.62	
New Equipment & Tools	192.34	
Interest on Bonds	513.75	562.50
Payment on Bonds	4,800.00	4,000.00

Refunds Bank Chges Etc.	95.51	
Retirement Towns Share	529.90	
	<u>\$22,778.04</u>	<u>\$10,855.98</u>
Less Withholding Tax Balance	58.70	
	<u>\$22,719.34</u>	
Withholding Tax Withheld	\$546.10	
Withholding Tax Paid	487.40	
	<u>\$58.70</u>	
Total Receipts Water	\$34,281.59	
Total Receipts Sewer	4,034.36	
	<u></u>	<u>\$38,315.95</u>
Total Expenses Water	\$22,719.34	
Total Expenses Sewer	10,855.98	
	<u></u>	<u>\$33,575.32</u>
Cash on Hand January 1st 1954		<u>\$ 4,740.63</u>

COMMISSIONERS REPORT FINANCIAL STATEMENT

ASSETS

Cash on Hand December 31st 1953	\$ 4,740.63
Supplies & Equipment	7,498.74
Ford Truck	300.00
Chevrolet Truck	1,200.00
Buildings & Lots	2,500.00
Land at Beach Pond	6,750.00
Water Works System	234,584.66
Sewer System	135,057.65
Uncollected Bills Water & Sewer	5,671.58
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Total Assets	\$398,303.26

LIABILITIES

Water Bonds	\$ 6,000.00
Sewer Bonds	24,500.00
Standpipe Notes	9,000.00
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	\$39,500.00
BALANCE IN FAVOR OF TOWN	\$358,803.26

J. ROSCOE CLOW
CHESTER M. ABBOTT
MURRAY L. FULLER
Commissioners

SEWER ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

Sewer Collections	\$4,034.36
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DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries		
Charles I. Lucas Supt.	\$1,950.00	
J. Roscoe Clow Commissioner	100.00	
Chester M. Abbott Commissioner	100.00	
Murray L. Fuller Commissioner	100.00	
Murray L. Fuller Clerk & Collector	770.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,020.00
Labor	\$1,934.50	
Supplies	96.09	
Fuel for Heat	82.03	
Electric Power	985.64	
Insurance	175.22	
Interest on Bonds	562.50	
Payment on Bonds	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	7,835.98
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		\$10,855.98
Total Disbursements	\$10,855.98	
Total Receipts	4,034.36	
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Deficit		\$6,821.62

WATER ACCOUNT RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand	\$ 7,186.47
Hydrant Tax	2,525.00
Water Collections	24,123.80
Credit Account (Gas Refunds etc.)	86.15
Supplies Sold	360.17
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	\$34,281.59

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries:	
Charles I. Lucas Supt.	\$1,950.00
J. Roscoe Clow, Commissioner	100.00
Chester M. Abbott, Commissioner	100.00
Murray L. Fuller, Commissioner	100.00

H. L. Johnson, Treasurer	150.00	
M. L. Fuller, Clerk & Collector	770.00	
Bennett & Berry (Accountants)	50.00	
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		\$3,220.00
Repairs to Services & Mains including new Construction		
Labor	\$5,566.63	
Supplies	5,890.14	
Repairs to Equipment	433.77	
Gas & Oil	594.61	
Freight & Express	532.88	
Telephone	105.55	
Insurance	164.34	
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		\$13,278.92
Office Supplies & Equipment	138.62	
New Equipment & Tools	192.34	
Interest on Bonds	513.75	
Payment on Bonds	4,800.00	
Refunds, Bank Charges, etc.	95.51	
Retirement Fund (Town's Share)	529.90	
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		\$ 6,270.12
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		\$22,778.04
Less Withholding Tax Balance		58.70
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		\$22,719.34
Withholding Tax		
Tax Withheld	\$546.10	
Tax Paid	487.40	
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	58.70	
Total Receipts	\$34,289.51	
Total Disbursements	22,719.34	
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Total Profit		\$11,570.17

WOLFEBORO WATER & SEWER DEPARTMENT

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand	\$ 7,186.47
Water and Sewer Collections, M. L. Fuller	31,129.48
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	\$38,315.95

PAYMENTS

Payments by order of the Commissioners	\$33,575.32
Cash on hand December 31, 1953	4,740.63
	\$38,315.95

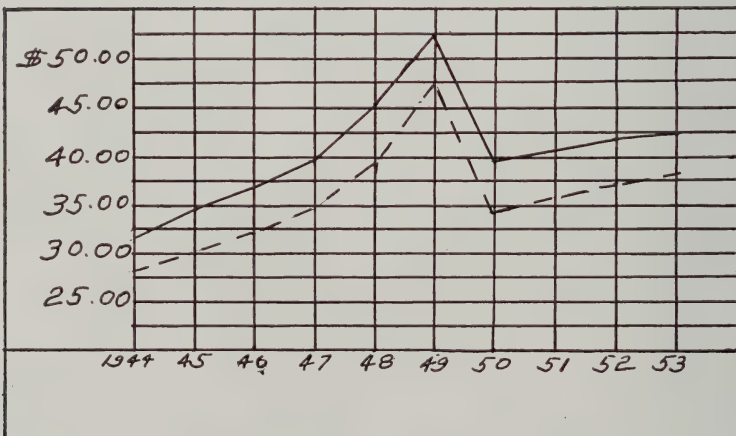
Harold L. Johnson,
Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We have examined the accounts and balance sheets of the various Town Officers. Our examination was made in accordance with the auditing standards as required by the State Tax Commission, and included such tests of the records and other supporting evidence we considered necessary. In our opinion the statements herein present fairly the results of the operations of the Town Officers for the year 1953.

C. E. CORKUM
DONALD E. SAVARD
Town Auditors

TAX RATE PER \$1,000.00



————— Town

----- Town and Precinct

Report of Forest Fire Wardens

The fire season of 1953 was not a very pretty picture. It started out in fine shape with plenty of rain during the spring months. The month of June was the end of the rains and then a period of dry weather. During June we had quite a few lightning storms without any rains. On June 21 and 22 we had one of these storms that started over 43 fires in this state including the Mt. Shaw fire.

People burning without a permit or burning in unsafe places or at unsafe times were the cause of our largest number of fires. It is hard to believe why people do this when they have the expert advice of their town warden who is as close to them as their telephone. Your town Forest Fire Warden is not going to stop you from burning your rubbish or your old fields, but he wants you to burn in a safe place and at a safe time. You must remember it is unlawful to burn without a permit from your Forest Fire Warden.

We have inherited a tremendous responsibility in the priceless treasure of our natural resources. To keep these natural riches we must guard them from all destructive agents. The foremost among these agents is Fire—man's best servant but worst enemy.

REMEMBER — ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES!

No. of Fires 4

No. of Acres Burned $2\frac{1}{4}$

No. of Permits issued 540

Forest Fire Warden
GUY L. FOSS

District Chief
ROBERT B. SMITH



Town Dock, 1890

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Forestry and Recreation Commission
CONCORD

Board of Selectmen
Wolfeboro, N. H.
Gentlemen:

Conforming to our annual custom with towns cooperating financially in the control of the White Pine Blister Rust, we are enclosing a statement briefly summarizing accomplishments in your town during the 1953 season.

That appreciation of the value of white pine as our major softwood still continues is evident by the fact that last March 107 other towns and cities throughout New Hampshire voted funds for continuing the control of this forest tree disease in cooperation with the Forestry Division.

In 1952, the production of White pine for lumber and other uses amounted to over 229 million board feet, or 72 percent of the State's total soft and hardwood timber cut. That an annual white pine cut of over 229 million has been maintained for more than a decade has been only possible on account of the rapid growth of this species and its ability to thrive on a variety of soils. Wholly aside from its direct commercial worth, this tree contributes in no small measure to watershed protection and recreational uses. While these facts are well known to many of us, due to the commonness of white pine, they are often forgotten.

In the attached financial statement, the amount reported as "Cooperative Aid" includes not only expenditures in Ribes eradication, but also state or federal funds spent in detailed mapping and examination of areas prior to the destruction of currant or gooseberry bushes. Such surveys have been instrumental in reducing acreage over which these plants have to be removed, since they define the areas where Ribes are present. These maps also serve as a permanent record of where control work was conducted, and therefore, are of great value in any future examinations or workings.

Inasmuch as the details of blister rust control are many and varied from town to town, it is impossible to mention them all in a brief report. Such information as to the location of the white pine protected in 1953, or previously, infected areas, or other facts pertinent to this program, will be gladly

supplied by the District Leader who supervised the work in your town. His name and address are given below.

Yours very truly,
William H. Messeck, Jr.
State Forester

Mr. S. H. Boomer
Box 436
No. Conway, N. H.

White Pine Blister Rust Control

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

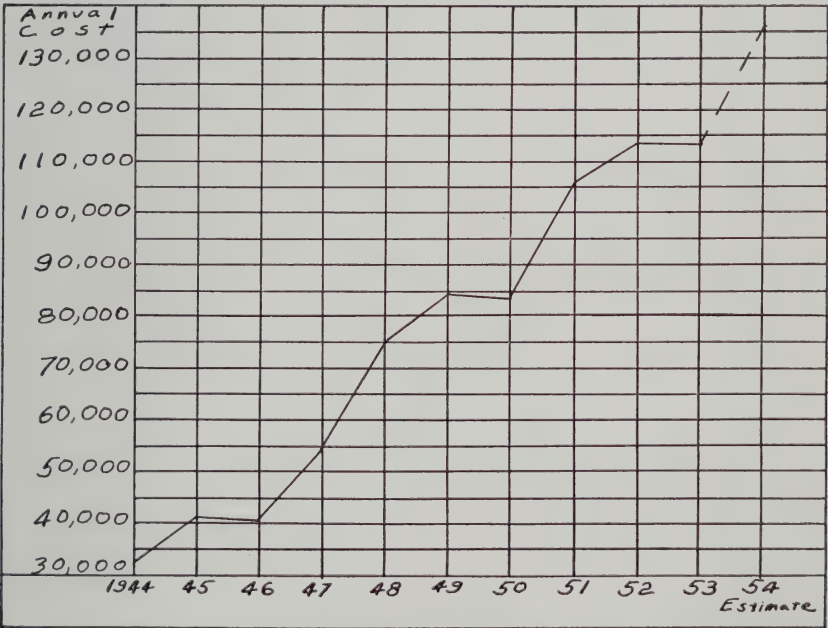
1953

TOWN OF WOLFEBORO

Town funds expended	\$394.00	
Cooperative funds expended	231.09	
Total expended		\$625.09
Received from town	400.00	
Expended from town funds	394.00	
Balance due town		6.00
Area covered	2,096 acres	
Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed	9,543	

A check is enclosed to cover the balance due the town.

SCHOOLS



10 Year Low: 1944, \$32,122.

10 Year High: 1953, \$113,885.

Report of the Public Health Nursing Association of Wolfeboro and Vicinity, Inc.

NURSING SERVICES

	Visits
1. Morbidity Service	235
2. Health Service	
Pre-School	38
School	520
3. Social Service	70

CLINICS

1. Physical Examinations at school	
Pre-School	79
School	140
2. Dental Clinic	Children treated 25
3. Mental Clinic	Children treated 2 visits 7
4. Tuberculosis	
Skin Tested	220
Chest X-rays	22
5. Treatments at school	845

Epidemics of mumps and chicken pox have kept Mrs. Avis MacAuley R. N. school and public health nurse busy during the 1953 school year. With the cooperation of Dr. W. Douglas Kipp both Wolfeboro and Tuftonboro school had very successful dental clinics. This was financed in Wolfeboro by contributions from service clubs and trust funds.

Because our orthopedic problems were at a minimum no clinics were held during 1953, but plans are made for four during 1954, with Dr. Howard Halfman of Laconia in charge. These clinics are sponsored by the Crippled Children Service of the State of New Hampshire. Miss Hazel Leavitt, physical therapist at the Huggins Hospital helps with these clinics and follow up exercises where needed.

220 children had patch tests done for tuberculosis, with 22 of these having follow up chest X-rays taken. No active tuberculosis was found. All pre-school children were given physical examinations in the spring at the time of registration. 140 older students were examined during the school year. 2 children attended Mental Hygiene Clinics seven times.

Mrs. Everett Rockwell R. N. covered the district during Mrs. MacAuley's vacation.

The members of the Nursing Committee together with Mrs. MacAuley have served as the Blood Program Committee. With the exception of one visit of the mobile unit in October,

all visits have been very successful, with the quota being nearly reached each time.

The Nursing Committee thanks everyone who has contributed to the success of this program during the year of 1953.

Respectfully submitted,
Ethel D. Black,
Chairman

1953 REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS

Bal. on hand, December 31, 1952	\$1,191.43	
Received from Membership Dues	785.60	
Received from Special Contributions	93.20	
Received for Dental Clinic	100.00	
Received Nurse's Fees	121.00	
Refund from 1952 Advertising	19.20	
Wolfeboro Town Appropriation	1,000.00	
Wolfeboro School District	850.00	
Tuftonboro Town Appropriation	600.00	
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		\$4,760.43

EXPENSES

Nurse's Salary (from Association)	\$2,241.69	
Substitute Nurse (from Association)	71.20	
Nurse's Salary (from Tuftonboro School District)	157.50	
Medicines	88.64	
Dental Clinic	245.00	
Telephone	122.53	
Printing and Supplies	47.94	
Membership Drive Expenses	63.41	
Misc. expenses	23.48	
Automobile expenses:		
Reserve Fund for		
Depreciation	\$300.00	
Gas, Oil, Tires, etc.	402.98	
Insurance	111.00	
Repairs	50.02	
Town Tax & Registration	31.86	895.86
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Total Expenditures		\$3,957.25
On hand, December 31, 1953		803.18
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		\$4,760.43

Respectfully submitted
s/s Marjorie Richardson, Treasurer

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS COMMISSION
For the Year Ending December 31, 1953**

RECEIPTS

Check Outstanding	\$ 7.50
Balance on hand January 1, 1953	630.37
Town's 1953 Appropriation	2,325.00
	<hr/> \$2,962.87

**EXPENDITURES
March 11 to Jan. 1, 1954**

	1953 Appro.	1953 Actual
Bathing Beach	\$1,000.00	\$1,074.27
Ski Slope	250.00	103.20
Skating Rink	400.00	450.13
Care of Parks	375.00	389.83
Miscellaneous and Clark House	300.00	255.85

Jan. 1 to March 11, 1953

Skating Rink	\$ 421.54
Ski Slope	120.00
Bank Service Charge	3.10
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Total	\$2,817.92
Cash on hand January 1, 1953	\$ 630.37
1953 Appropriation	2,325.00
Check Outstanding	7.50
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	\$2,962.87
Less orders paid	2,817.92
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Cash on hand December 31, 1953	\$144.95

Cate Fund

January 1st. 1953 — December 31, 1953

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 1953	\$ 770.31
Received from Fund Feb. 13	348.75
Refund — Deposited March 26th	25.00
Interest May 1st	1.87
Interest Nov. 2nd	4.60
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	\$1,150.53

EXPENSES

Entertainment	\$ 675.00
Expenses in securing talent (See schedule)	25.83
Use of School — Janitor and movie projector	37.50
Printing	25.15
Petty Cash Balance on hand	14.02
Balance in Savings account	373.03
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	\$1,150.53

SCHEDULE OF EXPENSES

Postage	\$ 1.35
Telephone and Tax	6.18
3 Trips to Boston to interview and secure talent	17.70
Bank checks	.60
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	\$25.83

COMMITTEE

Philip Thurell, Rotary Club
J. Boynton, Carpenter School
Vincent Rogers, Brewster
Mrs. Thaddeaus Berry, Woman's Club
Frank M. Swaffield, Chairman

Audited and Approved, January 29, 1954

C. E. Corkum
Donald E. Savard

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

Wolfeboro, N. H., Dec. 31, 1953

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Wolfeboro, N. H.

Gentlemen:

We submit herewith a statement of the income and disbursements of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the Town of Wolfeboro for the year ending December 31, 1953.

RECEIPTS

CATE GENERAL FUND

	Book Value	Income
43 Shrs. N.H. Fire Ins. Co.	\$2,085.50	\$ 83.00
50 Shrs. Penn. Co., for Lives & Gtg. Ann.	1,600.00	102.50
2800 N.Y.N.H.RR F & M. Mtg. 4's 7/1 2007		112.00
4100 N.Y.N.H. RR Conv. Gen. Mtg. 4½ 7-1-12022	7,439.66	184.50
21 Shrs. N.Y.N.H. & H. RR 5% Pfd.		147.00
3M U. S. Treas. Bonds 2½ 1962-67	3,000.00	75.00
4M U. S. Treas. Bonds 2½ 1963-68	4,000.00	100.00
2M Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾ 1980	2,000.00	55.00
Manchester Savings Bank, a/c #175709	1,000.00	30.23
Amoskeag Savings Bank a/c #218884	1,105.13	33.40
New Hampshire Savings Bank a/c #109279	2,130.67	64.38
Wolfeboro National Bank a/c #8247	5,784.54	145.50
	<hr/> \$30,145.50	
Reserve for Contingencies, sav. a/c #10317	1,614.57	40.60
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CATE FUND FOR SCHOOLS & MUSIC

	Book Value	Income
1M Am. Tel & Tel. Co. 2¾-1980	\$1,000.00	\$ 27.50
2M U. S. Treas. Bonds 2½ 1967-72	2,005.00	50.00
Wolfeboro Nat. Bank Sav. a/c #2989	1,995.00	53.18
	<hr/> \$5,000.00	\$ 130.68
Reserve for Contingencies	119.83	
	<hr/> \$5,119.83	

MARTIN ROAD FUND

1M U. S. Treas. Bond 3¼ 1978-83	\$1,000.00	\$ 20.27
		\$1,173.11
1M U. S. Treas. Bond 2½ 1965-70	1,000.00	25 00
1M U. S. Savings Bond, series G		8.29
Wolfeboro National Bank Sav. a/c #6781	2,000.00	50.93
New Hampshire Savings Bank a/c #134104	1,000.00	30.23
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	\$5,000.00	\$ 134.72
Reserve for Contingencies	25.00	
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	\$5,025.00	

ELIZA W. HANSON FUND

1M U. S. Treas. Bond 2½ 1966-71	\$1,000.00	\$ 25.00
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MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

Town of Wolfeboro-Reserve Fund

500 U. S. Treas. Bonds 2¼ 1959-62	\$ 500.00	\$ 11.25
Wolfeboro National Bank Sav. a/c #13828	370.61	22.91
		550.00
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	\$ 870.61	\$ 584.16

Town of Wolfeboro—School Fund

1M U. S. Treas. Bond 2½ 1963-68	\$1,000.00	\$ 25.00
Amoskeag Savings Bank a/c #217653	2,300.00	69.51
Wolfeboro National Bank a/c #16997	1,000.00	25.15
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		\$ 119.66

Town of Wolfeboro—Parsonage Fund

Amoskeag Sav. Bank a/c #217654	\$1,063.00	\$ 32.12
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Greenleaf B. Clark Fund

2M U. S. Treas. Bonds 2½ 1964-69	\$2,000.00	\$ 50.00
1M U. S. Treas. Bond 2¼ 1959-62	1,000.00	22.50
Wolfeboro National Bank Sav. a/c #15212	364.75	9.16
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	\$3,364.75	\$ 81.66

Everett B. Rich Trust Fund		
26 Shrs. Corn Product Ref. Co.	\$1,872.00	\$ 93.60
45 Shrs. Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Co.	1,485.00	135.00
60 Shrs. Texas Gulf Sulphur Co.	6,135.00	300.00
Wolfeboro National Bank, Sav.		
a/c #15726	5,268.81	132.52
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	\$14,760.81	\$ 661.12

Zemander Garland Cemetery Trust Fund		
100 U. S. Sav. Bond, Ser. G.	\$ 100.00	\$ 2.50
Thomas J. Blaisdell Cemetery Trust Fund		
100 U. S. Sav. Bond, Ser. G.	\$ 100.00	\$ 2.50
Henry B. & Hannah Rust Cemetery Trust Fund		
500 U. S. Sav. Bonds Ser. G.	\$ 500.00	\$ 12.50
Wolfeboro National Bank Sav.		
a/c #15688	9.47	.22
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	\$ 509.47	\$ 12.72

Abbie M. Cotton Fund — Benefit of East Wolfeboro Methodist Church		
Wolfeboro National Bank, Sav.		
a/c #16162	\$ 500.00	\$ 12.57
Abbie M. Cotton Fund — Cemetery Trust		
New Hampshire Savings Bank, Sav.		
a/c #134471	\$1,000.00	\$ 30.23
Income Collected for Cemeteries		
Town of Wolfeboro		\$ 500.00
Cemeteries Trust		296.45
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		\$ 796.45
North Wolfeboro Sunday School Trust Fund		\$ 50.00
Wolfeboro High School Alumni Trust Fund		5.00
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		\$3,854.20

DISBURSEMENTS

CATE GENERAL FUND

Lake View Cemetery	\$117.32	
Huggins Hospital	234.62	
Wolfeboro Town Library	234.62	
Congregational Church	234.62	
Lecture Course	351.93	
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		\$1,173.11

CATE FUND FOR SCHOOLS AND MUSIC

Cate Band Concert Fund, Sav.		
a/c #16060	\$65.34	
Wolfeboro School District	65.34	
	<hr/>	\$130.68

MARTIN ROAD FUND

Town of Wolfeboro	\$134.72
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ELIZA W. HANSON FUND

Wolfeboro Town Library (Brewster)	\$25.00
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TOWN OF WOLFEBORO — RESERVE FUND

Wolfeboro National Bank, Sav.		
a/c #13828	\$ 34.16	
Town of Wolfeboro	550.00	
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TOWN OF WOLFEBORO — SCHOOL FUND

Town of Wolfeboro	\$119.66
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TOWN OF WOLFEBORO — PARSONAGE FUND

Community Christian Church —		
Wolfeboro Center	\$2.59	
Christian Church — Wolfeboro	5.46	
Congregational Church—Wolfeboro	6.73	
Advent Christian Church — Wolfeboro	4.23	
Christion Science Church—Wolfeboro	3.24	
Cottonboro Church	2.59	
First Baptist Church—Wolfeboro	4.69	
Union Church — So. Wolfeboro	2.59	
	<hr/>	\$32.12

GREENLEAF B. CLARK FUND

Wolfeboro Public Library	\$81.66
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ZEMANDER GARLAND CEMETERY TRUST

Pine Hill Cemetery Association	\$2.50
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THOMAS J. BLAISDELL CEMETERY TRUST

Pine Hill Cemetery Association	\$2.50
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HENRY B. & HANNAH RUST CEMETERY TRUST	
Wolfeboro National Bank, Sav. a/c #15688	\$12.72

ABBIE M. COTTON FUND	
Methodist Church	\$12.57

ABBIE M. COTTON CEMETERY TRUST	
W. H. Clough, care of cemeteries	\$30.23

EVERETT B. RICH TRUST FUND	
Carolyn H. Rich—Beneficiary	\$548.06
Bond Probate Court and expenses	113.06
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	\$661.12

NORTH WOLFEBORO SUNDAY SCHOOL TRUST	
Congregational Church, transportation, Sav., a/c #226	\$50.00
Wolfeboro High School Alumni Prize	\$5.00

CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS	
Lakeview Cemetery Association	\$102.15
Pine Hill Cemetery Association	16.00
South Wolfeboro Cemetery Association	8.00
Wolfeboro Center Cemetery Association	11.50
W. H. Clough	658.80
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	\$ 796.45
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	\$3,854.20

Respectfully submitted,
 WILLIS H. CLOUGH,
 JERRY L. THAYER, JR.,
 ROBERT F. THURRELL,
 Trustees.

February 8, 1954

This is to certify that we have this day examined the above report of the Trustees of Trust Funds for the year ending December 31, 1953, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

CECIL E. CORKUM,
 DONALD E. SAVARD,
 Town Auditors.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFEBORO ON DECEMBER 31, 1953

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	Wolfboro National Bank Wolfboro, N. H.					AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL	Bal. of In- come on Hand at be- ginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of In- come on Hand at End of Year
4/28/38	Richard Banfield							150.00	3.41	3.85	6.00	1.26
7/1/08	Samuel A. Brown							200.00	72.17	6.84	6.00	73.01
3/29/24	Curtis S. Edgerly							100.00	2.43	2.56	4.99	
8/4/24	John E. Fox							100.00	.30	2.51	2.81	
2/14/28	George H. Leighton							100.00	5.52	2.63	8.15	
1/15/17	Lock Cemetery Lot							500.00	200.52	17.61	15.00	203.13
9/26/33	Alice Pettrie							100.00	.15	2.51	2.66	
4/23/13	Lydia F. Smith							100.00	2.32	2.56	4.88	
5/5/30	Emma F. Thompson							100.00	.69	2.51	3.20	
6/26/23	Charles E. Tibbetts							100.00	.32	2.51	2.83	
2/15/15	Emma J. Varney							200.00	11.46	5.31	12.00	4.77
3/13/21	Annette Wiggin							100.00	.31	2.51	2.82	
11/9/44	E. May Hanson							300.00	9.68	7.77	7.00	10.45
4/1/40	Mark W. Abbott							100.00	.57	2.51	3.08	
7/29/27	Albert L. Edgerly							100.00	1.13	2.53	3.66	
4/2/31	Issac N. Foss							100.00	.72	2.51	3.23	
1/21/28	James H. Hersey							150.00	9.90	4.00	3.00	10.90
7/14/31	Frank A. Hersey							300.00	1.40	7.57	5.88	3.09
1/23/24	James Hersey							100.00	.76	2.52	3.28	
11/15/46	Edwin L. Tibbetts							100.00	.94	2.52	3.46	
5/13/48	Alonzo F. Avery							100.00	.72	2.51	3.23	
8/8/30	Charles D. Horne							100.00	.39	2.51	2.90	
4/11/31	Benjamin E. Mason							150.00	2.64	3.82	2.40	4.06
8/19/23	Everett U. Hersey							150.00	3.39	3.85	3.00	4.24
9/19/33	Jonathan Hersey							150.00	6.19	3.92	3.00	7.11
12/3/36	Fullerton Cemetery Lot							100.00	.57	2.51	3.08	

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFEBORO — Continued

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL	Bal. of In- come on gaining of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of In- come on Hand at End of Year
5/20/41	Frank A. & Belle Doe		100.00	3.90	2.60	6.50	
9/20/42	Charles F. Hersey		100.00	.32	2.51	2.83	
6/13/51	E. Perley Piper		100.00	.68	2.51	3.19	
7/ 5/51	Ada A. Hersey		100.00	.68	2.51	3.19	
5/14/52	Mary Chase Hersey		100.00	.83	2.52	3.35	
7/12/53	Thomas H. Blaisdell		100.00		.62		
5/ 1/20	Lydia Ann Nute		100.00	10.01	2.76	1.00	11.77
1/11/45	Mary C. Bussell		950.00	15.72	24.27	8.26	31.73
7/ 5/29	Hannah H. & Nellie A. Wiggin		300.00	.45	7.55	4.76	3.24
11/ 2/39	Fred R. Blake #1		250.00	5.41	6.33	3.38	8.36
7/16/40	Fred R. Blake #2		200.00	4.06	5.12	4.38	4.80
4/ 6/43	Nellie F. Blake		300.00	10.31	7.79	6.76	11.34
8/ 3/50	Mary A. Whitehouse		800.00	10.22	20.37	5.26	25.33
9/28/29	Daniel J. Cotton		100.00	.15	2.51	2.50	.16
7/31/28	Edward S. Cotton		100.00	.10	2.51	2.50	.11
12/15/28	Henry D. Cotton		200.00	4.93	5.14	4.00	6.07
8/19/21	Timothy Y. Cotton		100.00	.82	2.52	2.50	.84
11/19/20	Mercy A. Wiggin		200.00	19.60	5.51	5.75	19.36
6/22/51	Minnie M. Cotton		400.00	4.45	10.16	4.38	10.23
12/17/27	Sydney M. Garland		200.00	6.31	5.17	4.00	7.48
4/14/38	Albert L. Stackpole		100.00	.55	2.51	3.00	.06
4/28/38	Prindall Mathes		100.00	.55	2.51	3.00	.06
1/ 6/39	Adelaide Fernald		200.00	3.90	5.11	4.00	5.01
9/21/21	Mrs. William B. Jenness		100.00	.54	2.51	3.00	.05
11/ 4/30	Lucy A. Berry		125.00	2.44	3.20	4.00	1.64
6/ 3/27	Ivory P. Whitehouse		50.00	.70	1.26	1.50	.46

Wolfeboro National Bank
Wolfeboro, N. H.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF WOLFEBORO — Continued

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL	Bal. of In- come on Hand at be- ginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of In- come on Hand at End of Year
11/ 1/26	Henry E. Horne	Wolfeboro National Bank Wolfeboro, N. H.	400.00	12.53	10.36	10.00	12.89
6/11/37	A. Bertha Richardson		100.00	3.10	2.59	3.38	2.31
12/ 7/35	Daniel Page		100.00	3.26	2.59	3.38	2.47
5/11/39	Jenness Cemetery Trust Fund		500.00	36.41	13.49	5.76	44.14
1/21/33	Walter Avery		100.00	7.27	2.69		9.96
6/30/26	Matilda Nute		75.00	1.75	1.91	2.38	1.28
4/ 2/31	Cate Cemetery (Moore Farm)		100.00	14.64	2.87	2.00	15.51
1/ 7/16	Valentine B. Willey		100.00	7.86	2.68	3.38	7.16
3/ 2/26	Joseph W. Chamberlain		300.00	.91	7.55	6.50	1.96
3/27/28	James Canney		100.00	2.57	2.56	3.38	1.75
3/27/33	Albert Smith		300.00	17.00	7.96	8.38	16.58
5/19/39	George H. Nute, (Thomas Nute Farm Cemetery)		521.70	2.82	13.19	11.00	5.01
10/22/35	Martha A. Burrows		100.00	41.40	3.55		44.95
5/ 5/11	Angelina F. Burleigh		100.00	6.18	2.66	1.19	7.65
1/18/24	James Ira Cotton		100.00	5.35	2.63	1.19	6.79
1/ 4/27	W. Dudley Cotton		200.00	17.31	5.46	5.38	17.39
4/ 4/42	Alice B. Tibbetts		100.00	18.39	2.96		21.35
3/11/49	Loren Stoddard		300.00	18.75	7.99	10.00	16.74
1/22/07	North Wolfeboro Sunday School Trust Fund						
	Cemetery Trust Fund			865.36	21.76	50.00	837.12
1/ 7/29	Wolfeboro High School Alumni Trust Fund			190.80	22.05		212.85
9/19/49	Cate Band Concert Fund		200.00	1.31	5.05	5.00	1.36
10/15/53	Inez B. Wentworth Fund		200.00	220.85	66.53		287.38
Audited and Approved February 2, 1954 CECIL E. CORKUM DONALD E. SAVARD				\$1,942.05	\$454.12	\$351.45	\$2,044.72

Wolfeboro - Brewster Memorial Library

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Board of Trustees of the Wolfeboro-Brewster Memorial Library.

Gentlemen:

The report of the librarian for the year ending January 1, 1954 is herewith presented.

Again it has been a busy year with the largest summer circulation in many years; with a very high yearly percentage of juvenile books, and an increasing number of books borrowed from the State Library.

To meet the rapid progress in many subjects, especially the sciences, books and pamphlets have been added, the latter being a very helpful source of information for a small library. Then, too, in keeping with the times a change in library hours became effective the first of September.

In the fall there was held at the library a Neighborhood Library meeting to which librarians in the surrounding towns were invited. And in October a Great Books discussion group was organized under the sponsorship of the library where the meetings are being held bimonthly.

The library has continued to receive radio publicity through the cooperation of the Gray Birch Network, Station WWNH. This was especially helpful in the broadcasting of the change in library hours.

A new article of furniture has been added — a new book cart which facilitates the process of returning to the shelves books returned by patrons.

During the year the librarian has held story hours; several classes have visited the library; teachers have put on reserve books for the use of their classes, and the Bookmobile has continued its visits to the library, leaving books for general circulation and for special requests. These are in addition to over a hundred books borrowed from the State Library.

For the many gifts of books, including the one given by the Carroll Chapter No. 23, F & A M in memory of Mr. William Alexander, the librarian expresses her thanks and appreciation.

The circulation of books for the year was 29,773 books and magazines of these classes: children's books, 10,331; adult fiction, 12,939; non-fiction, 6,503. Three hundred and

eighteen new cards were issued. The largest day's circulation was 208, and the smallest twenty-one.

This year 800 books and pamphlets have been added. Of this number 132 were contributed.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 1, 1953	\$ 13.13
Books damaged and lost	13.65
Books and magazines sold	4.15
Gifts	16.27
Rental books for summer months	23.10
Material sold	.10
Fines on overdue books	333.00
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	\$403.40

EXPENDITURES

Books	\$ 118.03
Magazines	40.82
Box rent	2.95
Cleaning	48.76
Supplies	65.93
Cartage	2.95
Postage	40.17
Repairs	12.75
Salary	42.13
Reimbursements for books lost	3.80
Advertisement	3.60
State Library meeting expenses	9.00
Balance on hand January 1, 1954	12.51
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	\$403.40

To the Trustees and to her assistants the librarian wishes to express her appreciation for their cooperation, helpfulness, and loyalty.

Respectfully submitted,
Wilma M. Paine
Librarian

WOLFEBORO TOWN LIBRARY
REPORT OF TREASURER, Thaddeus Berry
1953

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand January 2, 1953	\$ 187.63
Interest on Willey Fund	3.76
Interest on Wolfeboro-Tuftonboro Alumni Fund	1.38
Interest on Grace Basford Fund	367.91
Trustees of Trust Funds: Gate Fund	232.50
Eliza W. Hanson	25.00
G. B. Clark	79.82
Town of Wolfeboro	1,350.00
Dividends on Eaton & Howard Bal. Fund	412.50
John Brewster Estate	1,200.00
Savings Accounts: Willey Fund	150.00
Wolfeboro Tuftonboro Alumni Fund	55.00
Grace Basford Fund	14,625.84
Eaton & Howard Bal. Fund	10,450.86
	\$29,142.20

EXPENDITURES

New England News Co., books	\$ 290.04
Personal Book Shop Inc., books	576.17
Doubleday & Co. Inc., books	86.95
R. M. Baker, books	59.40
Science Research Associates, books	10.50
Turner Subscription Agency, magazines	29.55
Herman Goldberger Agency, magazines	67.25
F. J. Barnard & Co. Inc., rebinding	36.58
H. W. Wilson Co., bulletins	29.60
Kingswood Press, Bulletins, etc.	86.35
American Library Association, Bulletins	6.00
Bro Dart Industries, supplies	15.00
I. E. Weston, supplies	17.00
Forrest Adjutant, supplies	35.07
Sherman Brummitt Ins. Agency, Insurance	50.00
Salaries	2,320.55
Bank Service Charge	1.66
	\$3,717.67
Total Expenditures	\$3,717.67
Balance on hand January 1, 1954	142.83
Willey Fund	150.00
Wolfeboro Tuftonboro Alumni Fund	55.00
Grace Basford Fund	14,625.84
Eaton & Howard Balance Fund	10,450.86
	\$29,142.20

Municipal Court of Wolfeboro

Leaman E. Cunningham, Justice

TOTAL RECEIPTS

For Year Ending December 31, 1953

Motor Vehicle Cases	\$1,000.00
Fish and Game Cases	55.00
Drunkenness Case	20.00
Bail	200.00
Property Damage	15.00
Unemployment Cases	25.00
Small Claims Court Fees	56.86
Small Claims Court Collections	168.74

Total	\$1,540.60
Cash on Hand	.45
Balance in Bank January 1, 1953	8.83

\$1,549.88

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS

For Year Ending December 31, 1953

F. N. Clarke, Com. of Motor Vehicles	\$ 693.00
R. G. Carpenter 2nd, Com. of Fish & Game	22.50
Unemployment Bureau	18.00
Bail	200.00
Small Claims Collections	168.74
Small Claims Court-Fees, L. E. Cunningham	37.50
Postage—Registered Mail	11.20
Medical Examinations	23.50
Parker M. Merrow, Juvenile Cases	9.00
Complaints and Warrants	81.00
Bank Service Charge	6.21
Property Damage	15.00
Total Disbursements	\$1,285.55
Paid Check, Town of Wolfeboro	250.00
Bank Balance January 1, 1954	14.23

\$1,549.88

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1953

BIRTHS

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 8	Barbara Lynn	Leonard F. Berry	Janet M. Corson
9	Joanne Bryant	Bernard S. Cram	Carrie B. Robinson
13	Corlis Joan	Gordon S. Kimball	Joan E. Bickford
21	Catherine Ann	Lawrence L. Blackey	Annie C. Hughes
22	Robert Allan	Lawrence A. Newhall	Lillian A. Thomas
22	Ellen Frances	Donald R. Nason	Marion E. Walter
22	Cathy Elda	Robert J. Duchane	Gloria M. Paolucci
23	Valerie Jean	Rupert W. Brown	Kathleen V. Duffy
25	Baby Boy	Ronald K. Benson	Norma E. Mallory
Feb. 7	Nancy Lee	Russell Q. Pecunies	Leona H. Hannah
8	Susan Elaine	David B. Kirkpatrick	Frances M. George
9	Marilyn Grace	Donald E. Savard	Vivian M. Zulauf
12	Candace Ettolla	Wilbur J. Drew	Caroline M. Willard
12	Ronald Scott	Norman M. Wansor	Harlene J. Stacy
13	Dwight James	Roy T. Milligan	Dorothy A. Abbott
15	Frank	Charles H. Elliott	Edith L. Bodwell
16	Gary Scott	Clinton T. Piper	Gloria M. Scott
17	Diane Mary	Rolland W. Lord	Mary E. Burke
17	Rodney Alan	Francis W. Portigue	Evelyn G. Pervere
19	Dennise Carol	Marshall M. Kimball	Charlotte B. Geary
22	Carl Robert	Robert Willard Eldridge	Eva May Judkins
27	Benjamin Adam	Bradbury E. Hunter	Barbara Wood
28	Laurie Rebecca	Donald H. Lyons	Helen E. Herrick
Mar. 9	Lisa	Lawrence E. Nickerson	Helen E. Carney
10	John Edwin	Donald E. Craigue	Grace A. Emery
11	Linda Irene	William T. Libby	Frances L. Woodman
14	Andrea Gale	Stewart B. Hobbs	Martha J. Dares
15	Emilie	Fletcher A. Missud	Constance G. Canney
16	Wanda Mae	Oscar J. Soucy	Dora M. Davenport
16	Dwight Allen	Anthony Devork	Grace M. Dale
17	Vanessa	Norman E. Vittum	Nancy DeWitt
18	Nancy Joy	Arvine S. Miller, Jr.	Nancy J. Severance
18	James Michael	James Aikens	Margaret J. Honeybone
21	Sandra Louise	Ellsworth W. Hooper	Muriel V. Lucas
22	Peter Allan	Robert L. Mulvey	Jeannie Paolucci
25	Carolyn Annotte	Forrest J. Durkee	Annotte F. Thompson
29	Barbara Ann	Charles L. French	Beatrice L. Horne
29	John Everett	Herbert F. Riley	Alice M. Pike
Apr. 3	Linda Sue	Robert D. Howe	Dorothy R. Hull
10	Franklin Allen Jr.	Franklin A. Alden, Sr.	Iris J. Simonds
11	Marsha Jean	James L. Belknap	Mary F. Witham
11	Joseph Armond	Armond J. Soucy	Louise L. Swinerton
14	Patricia Ann	Raymond F. Pollini	Mary T. Gravel
15	William Joseph Paul	William H. Garvey	Paula T. Dye
May 5	Jack Theodore	Basil L. Reed	Dorothy J. Warren
7	Douglas Alvin	Rowland E. Dore	Virginia M. Kidder
11	Cheryl Ann	Charles M. Cash	Jacqueline R. St. Clair
12	Terry David	Alfred J. Gagne	Frances M. Abbott
20	Cynthia Ann	Roland H. Libby	Frances H. Estes
21	Joan Evelyn	Charles P. Dearborn	Thelma G. Hlushuk
23	Roy Milton, Jr.	Roy M. Ames	Lois A. Conner
25	Patrick Michael	Alfred K. Golden	Thelma M. Rollins
26	Edwina Natalie	William H. Kean	Mamie E. Dunklee
30	Vicki	Carl I. Hansen	Pearl A. Gulliford
30	Rebecca Ann	Richard R. Vappi	Jean L. Reid
June 2	David Dwight	Carlton Oradon Eldridge	Martha May Hayes
6	Mark Edward	Merle Edward Gassett	Jennie May Alden
6	Louis Allen Jr.	Louis Allen Willand	Miriam Frances Poelman

BIRTHS — Continued

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
10	Michael Allen	William Harold Ames	Leah Claire Knowles
12	Shirley Jean	Marshall B. Johnson	Alice Elizabeth Williamson
13	James Keven	James Francis Lawton	Natalie Anne Drinkwater
20	Patricia Ann	Pike Gordon Perkins, Jr.	Emily Erma Nickerson
25	Randi Allen	Richard E. House	Marjorie June Kelly
27	Sheryl Denise	Richard Kenneth Hersey	Betty Joan Hamlin
29	Charmian Lee	Gordon E. Glidden	Ruth Madeline Osgood
29	Sabra Jayne	Gordon E. Glidden	Ruth Madeline Osgood
July 16	Patricia Lee	Leroy Albert Parris	Beverly Pearl Kimball
18	Clara Avis	Walter Moses Clark	Ethel Gertrude Rines
20	Donald Rodney	Max John Janik	Virginia Alice Haines
21	Stanley Lawrence	Earl Sherwood Dodier	Mary E. Hannigan
27	Deborah May	Lloyd Francis Brewster	Thelma May Griffin
27	Stanley Maynard, 3rd	Stanley Maynard Taylor, Jr.	Ruth L. Thurston
Aug. 1	John Myers, Jr.	John Myers Currier	Janet Downs
4	Lou-Ann	Louis A. Marletta	Mary Agnes MacDonald
6	Barbara Jane	Ernest Maurice Berry	Phyllis Irma Merrow
7	Kenneth Gordon	Kenneth Willie Hlushuk	Claire Virginia Glidden
8	Phillip Morris	John Woodrow Edwards	Helen Frances Stevens
8	Phyllis Elaine	John Woodrow Edwards	Helen Frances Stevens
8	Joni Louise	Phillip Henry Morrill	Jeanne Elizabeth Rouleau
10	Phillip	Frederick William Brennon	Dorothy C. Hart
11	Shirley Jane	Edwin Henry Hutchins	Gloria June Clough
12	Thomas Allan	Donald Albert Dore	Estella Hazel Varney
13	Bonnie Louise	Leslie Charles Rankin	Patricia Mae Varney
14	Rodney Lee	Roy Earl Judkins	Marlene Virginia Ridlon
18	Patricia Ellen	John Glendon Clow	Wealtha Nason
18	Albert Henry III	Albert Henry Dow, Jr.	Marjorie E. Holmes
19	Phillip Patrick	Henry Patrick Valley	Margaret Marie Abbott
19	Bruce Edward	Richard William Williams	Margie Louise Williams
19	Sheila Mae	Marshall Gordon Keene	Leone Mabel Perkins
30	David Douglas	Leon Tallant Dodge, Jr.	Grace Ethel Howe
30	Kenneth David	John Cameron MacIntosh	Elizabeth Ann McDonnell
Sept. 1	Bruce Meserve	Frederick Fisher	Helen Inez Merserve
12	Judith Patricia	Lloyd Clinton Morgan	Eleanor Blanche Lucas
16	Jonathan Roger	Jefferson Coburn Lovering, Jr.	Joan Louise Githens
26	Elizabeth Alice	Roscoe Edward Twombly	Barbara Taylor
26	Mary Anne	Louis A. Soucey	Eleanor Martha Wentworth
27	Barbara Brewster	Irving Rowe Roberts	Jean Frances Parkhurst
28	David Clarence	Edward Herbert Meserve	Sarah Beatrice Mackie
29	Ellne Marie	Bror Axel Rosenquist	Annie Louise Pettersen
30	Brewster Dale	Kenneth Franklin Vittum	Frances Viola Lord
Oct. 10	Priscilla Ann	David Lister Bennett	Gloria Elaine Moore
14	James William	William Braxton Hudson	Shirley Ann Jones
15	Nancy Jean	Albert Ernest Barnes	Ellen Grantham Steen
21	Gloria Mary	Henry Joseph Champagne	Alice Mary Lampron
25	Harriet Lavina	George Russell Fifield, Jr.	Lavina Brewer
25	Mary	Charles Ripley Bookstaver	Elleen Mildred Kruger
26	Catherine Louise	Larry James Woodman	Dorothea Jane Eaton
Nov. 7	Baby Boy	Earle Leonard Walsh	Mildred Audrey Kehoe
14	Frances Seabury	Irving Daniel Tuttle, Jr.	Jean S. Robertson
14	Roxann Mae	Roscoe Wilfred Tasker	Janet Alice Tuttle
16	Debra Jane	Shirley Norman Phillips	Lona Jane Sullivan
22	Sandra Gail	Frank Paul McBride	Bertha Josephine Dearborn
24	John Pierce	James John Kalled	Jacquelyn Kaye Moore
24	Sue Ann	Edmund Foster Weston	Myra Joyce Leighton
27	Robert Michael	Robert Michael Deyak	Mary Watson Hall
27	Joanne Cecilia	Charles Frederick Luken	Josephine C. VanMater
28	Jonathon Norman	Norman Lyle Adjutant	Edith Florence Champaigne
29	Charles Scott	Charles Everett Aspinall	Jean Ann Myers
Dec. 2	Jane Louise	Ellis Neal Herbert	Diane Virginia Elliott
5	Diane Faye	Armand Joseph Gauthier	Pauline Sylvia Welch

BIRTHS — Continued

Date	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
11	Nancy Anne	Raymond Joseph Berry	Irene Bella Lampron
15	Dorothy Marie	Joseph Augustine Welch	Florence Marie Tarr
15	Kimberly Hunt	Richard Ralph Beliveau	Judith Hunt Ingram
17	Gerald Herbert	Herbert Eugene Clough	Colleen Jane Morrill
18	Bruce Freeman	Glenn Freeman Hodgdon	Eunice May Dore
25	Donald Robert	Robert Lyman Tilton	Beth Ida Hendrick
27	Michael William	William Roland Langdon	Dorothy Anne Wentworth
27	Cindy Lou	Philip Chester Wilkins	Jeanette Eileen Keniston
27	Robert Allen	Raymond Edwin Dockham	Arlene Rebecca Anthony
27	Lloyd Richard	Lloyd William Ryder	Ruth Janet Welch
28	Paula Rea	William Robert Candy	Edna Hubbard Long
28	Gail Alice	William Charles Buchanan	Iline Noella Landry
30	Steven Douglas	Raymond Ellsworth Cheney	Hattie Wade Jones
31	Donna Lee	Chester Adelbert Kimball	Helen Adele Emerson

MARRIAGES

Date	Where Married	Name of Persons	Name of Person Performing Ceremony
Jan. 3	Wolfeboro	Loren Ansel Dillon Catherine Elizabeth Irish	Rev. A. H. Poirier
4	Melvin Village	Kenneth Willie Hlushuk Claire Virginia Glidden	Rev. Edward W. Cantwell
17	Wolfeboro	John Warren Hunt Alice May Tibbetts	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
24	Wolfeboro	George Charles Greer Nancy Ruth Magee	Rev. A. H. Poirier
Apr. 4	Wolfeboro	Edwin Irving Bell, Jr. Virginia Patricia Sullivan	Wayne L. Parkhurst Justice of the Peace
6	Wolfeboro	Kenneth Hamel Roberts Esther H. Finks	Wayne L. Parkhurst Justice of the Peace
18	Farmington	Theodore Frederick Moulton Marlene Joyce Glidden	Rev. Linwood C. Potter
June 13	Sanbornville	James C. McNally Frederica H. Keniston	Rev. Henri A. Brodeur
13	Salem	John Fisher Bridges Patricia Elaine Lord	Rev. Glenn W. Douglas
14	Wolfeboro	Edward Craig Smith Shirley Holden	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
20	Wolfeboro	Robert Erick Yngve Joan deRochemont Tutt	Rev. Robert F. Bishop
20	Wolfeboro	Rolph Donald Carey Lois Pingree Wyman	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
21	Brunswick, Me.	Elbridge G. Rines Marjorie Jean Ormsby	Rev. Harold D. Wheeler
27	Wolfeboro	Carleton Jarvis Spear, Jr. Jacqueline Ethel Richardson	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
July 4	Wolfeboro	Ramon Maurice Simmons Diane Lillian Fortin	Rev. Robert F. Bishop
11	Ossipee	Roger Moody Virginia C. Haney	Rev. Arthur R. Sanborn
14	Wolfeboro	Donald French Karen Moyer French	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
25	Wolfeboro	Ralph George Carpenter, Jr. Katherine J. Avery	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
25	Wolfeboro	Ellis Neal Herbert Diane Virginia Elliott	Rev. Herbert Croosley
Aug. 18	Wolfeboro	Clinton H. Frost Ethel Maude Carpenter	Rev. A. M. Fowler, Jr.
24	Wolfeboro	Richard H. Stanley Marguerite M. Frazier	Wayne L. Parkhurst Justice of the Peace
29	Wakefield	Charles L. Little Barbara M. Bell	Rev. Ernest R. Calvert
29	Melvin Village	Chester H. Pike Marion C. Reed	Rev. Edward W. Cantwell
31	Alton	Richard H. Charles Mona J. Charles	Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield
Sept. 5	Manchester	Richard Arthur Keenan Marilyn Thelma Calkins	Rev. Mark B. Strickland
5	Wolfeboro	Bertrand Maurice Rathier Mary Ellen Tibbetts	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
5	Wolfeboro	Harlan L. Glidden Velma A. Virgue	Rev. Frank M. Swaffield
5	Wolfeboro	Phillip Herbert Kief Monika Burghart	Carlotta Kimball Bennett Justice of the Peace
12	Wolfeboro	Richard Cameron Skinner Elizabeth Anne Moore	Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield

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Date		Where Married	Name of Persons	Name of Person Performing Ceremony
Oct.	10	Jaffrey	Lawrence Joseph Walsh Mary Katherine McSkimmon	Rev. Richard Stoughton, Jr.
	12	Alton	Nathaniel D. Lomas Barbara A. Loomis	Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield
	16	Wolfeboro	William M. Wright Sarah M. Jones	Wayne L. Parkhurst Justice of the Peace
	16	Rochester	Robert Adolphe Decoeur Irene Mae Dore	Victor Cardosi Justice of the Peace
	18	Laconia	Peter Paul Welch Winnie Chamberlain Welch	Rev. Roger G. Blinn
Dec.	24	Alton	Theodore S. Nelson Norma Erlene Champaigne	Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield
	24	Wolfeboro	William Leslie Glidden Beverly Ann Hitchcock	Rev. Robert F. Bishop

DEATHS

Date	Name	Age
Jan. 11	Isabelle Cronwell Davis Richardson	77
24	George Washington Berry	81
26	Baby Boy Benson	1 day
29	Frank E. Mitchell	92
Feb. 1	John Thomas Edwards	71
7	Alice E. Sanborn	66
14	Isabell Cora Skinner	80
20	Elizabeth A. Bigbee	75
21	Mildred Mills Hart	64
21	George Frederick Dunham	89
Mar. 1	John H. Moody	82
7	Helen Elizabeth Lyons	21
13	Blanche C. Low	80
16	Otto A. Wolf	78
26	Olive L. Flanders.. ..	60
29	Edith (Eve Maria) Weavers	85
31	Oliver Richard Shuttuck	65
Apr. 7	Grace Huntley Hillman	80
8	Edith May Hodge	44
8	John P. Clough	77
12	Shirley Bernice Stockbridge	37
14	Alice E. Weeks	83
15	Byron Lamont Rogers, III	26
17	Arthur David Thurston.. ..	72
22	Lillian May Kenny	77
23	George Henry Brown	51
25	Walter M. Ridlon	80
May 2	Addie M. Bisbee	75
4	Carrie M. Leavitt	81
4	Earl T. Grant	72
8	Ella J. Pinkham	69
11	Bessie Frances Beless Clow	69
12	Frederick W. H. Maguire	66
15	Clayton Frederick Bamford	52
27	Arthur Leland Durgin	72
June 1	Ida Belle Peavey	87
2	Donald Thurston Stoddard	18
2	Florence Belle Johnson	71
4	Maude Arlene Stoddard	18
7	George Washington White	38
7	Daniel Cummins Paris	79
18	Anna May Stucki	79
19	Frank Adam Rico	27
21	Mary Ella Scott	63
29	Mary Ellen Fitzpatrick	81
July 5	Elizabeth Newman Fenning	82
7	John Wesley Currier	87
11	Edwin Amsden	89
16	Richard Francis Bailey	54
17	Dana L. Burke	58
17	Fannie A. Langley	74
13	Charles William Johnson.. ..	68
29	Henry James	76
31	Everett Lucerne Delaney	65
Aug. 2	Percy H. Dodds	77
6	Nils Monson	74
6	William Sumner Bodwell.. ..	69
8	Howard Root Chase	69
10	Henry George Pickard	53
10	Fred T. Wilson	77
12	Marjorie Ruth Hatch	47
16	Gertrude Davis	84
16	Bertha L. Morrison	80
17	Edward E. Tobey	85

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Date	Name	Age
18	Ruth Elizabeth Foster	80
20	George M. Spinney	83
27	Herbert Elder Smith	71
29	Dora S. Wilkins	72
31	Elmer Reddington Glidden	63
31	Oscar Green Clark	81
Sept. 1	Mabel T. Regan	60
4	Margaret E. Pettee ..	78
13	Mary Jane Brunton	92
15	Leonore D. Stackpole	57
15	Frank Edwin Ward	80
17	Samuel Edwin Pollini	46
23	Ella Elizabeth Corser ..	72
24	Bertha Delia Ryer	82
Oct. 1	John A. O'Connell	62
1	E. Forrest Leavitt	76
9	Sewall Nahum Ellison	85
11	Luigi Lasella	65
14	Adra Hammond Plummer	67
16	Herbert Irving Blake	79
17	Alston B. Welch	75
18	Clarence D. Godfrey	58
25	Mary Bookstaver ..	10 min.
Nov. 3	Kate M. Stillings	79
3	Mira D. Franges ..	53
4	Florence Lillian Hogan	82
8	Baby Boy Walsh ..	14 hours
16	Willard Vincent Sands	66
23	Sarah Lucas	75
24	Harry Melvin Rollins	65
Dec. 4	Baby Girl Duchano	Stillborn
6	Elizabeth W. Hutchins	91
8	Dorothy Edna Manley	46
8	Alice M. Smart	75
27	Edith Louise Haines	76
31	Joseph Clifton Avery	79
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Oct. 16, 1952	Judson E. Brown	84

Wolfeboro Fire Alarm

In case of fire Telephone 182

*The star indicates that there is no street box at this location, but the alarm is given from the Fire Station.

4 So. Main, corner Railroad Ave.	42 So. Main, corner Centre St.
5 So. Main, near W. B. Herbert's	43 So. Main, corner Green St.
6 Center St., corner Elm St.	45 So. Main, at Huggins Hospital
7 Elm St., near W. C. Paris	51 So. Main, near Gen. Wolfe Inn
12 Glendon St., corner School St.	* 52 So. Main, near Brewster Farm
* 13 Factory St., corner Union St.	53 So. Main, near R. W. Foster's
14 Center St., at Pine St.	54 So. Main, near J. A. Wiggin's
* 15 Pleasant Valley	56 So. Wolfeboro Square
* 16 East Wolfeboro	61 River St., near Gardner Pad Co.
* 17 Pine Hill	62 Centre St., near L. M. Chamberlain's
21 No. Main, near Gould's Dime Store	63 Centre St., corner High St.
23 No. Main, corner Sewall Road	64 Centre St., corner Whitten's Neck Rd.
24 Pleasant St., near R. S. Parker's	71 Elm St., corner Bay St.
25 No. Main St., corner Oak St.	231 Sewall Rd., near E. U. Wyman's
26 No. Main, near J. F. Goodwin's	*232 Sewall Rd., near Navy Yard
* 28 Goose Corner	*234 Sewall Rd., near Stonelodge
31 Bay St., corner Varney Rd.	*261 Forest Road
35 Bay St., near L. P. Mansfield's	412 So. Main, at Carpenter School
41 So. Main, corner Union St.	*431 Clark Road

SPECIAL SIGNALS

- 2 Test at 12:55 P. M. daily except Saturday and Sunday. On Saturdays one round of some box is blown at 2 P. M. No test on Sundays.
- 2 After an alarm, All Out.
- 2-2-2-2 Brush Fire.
- 3-3-3-3 Engineer's Call.
- 8-8 7:30 A. M., No School at Brewster Academy.
- 8-8 7:45 A. M., No School at Town School.
- 9-9-9 American Legion Special Service Squad Call.
- 91-91-91 National Guard Unit Call.
- Air Raid Alarm, Fourteen Straight Blasts — All Clear, Two Blasts.

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