

Annual Report

WOODSTOCK

NEW HAMPSHIRE



YEAR ENDING

December 31, 1960

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
OFFICERS
OF THE
Town of Woodstock, N. H.

YEAR ENDING
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TOWN OFFICERS

Representative — Dagmar Davis, St. Clair Berringer

Selectmen — Norman Fadden, Wallace Berg,
Sherwood Avery

Town Clerk — Leo Hobin

Town Treasurer — Louise MacKay

Tax Collector — Neale Lynde

Moderator — Robert MacKay

Supervisors — Neal Lynde, Leon Sargent
Thomas Sawyer

Fire Chief — Norman Fadden

Superintendent of Cemeteries — Glen Smith

Commissioner of Public Works — Clinton Hamnett

Auditors — Fred Brown, Justin Stiles

Health Officer — Everett LaPointe

Collector of Water Rents — Arthur Selby

Chief of Police — Everett LaPointe

Library Trustees — Charlotte Amos, Emily Avery,
Priscilla Avery

Trustees of Trust Funds — Ethel Brown, Neal Lynde

Overser of Poor — Norman Fadden

Librarian — Thelma Joy

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said Woodstock, on Tuesday, the 14th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire such sums of money as may be necessary to defray expenses in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if a discount of 3% will be allowed on taxes paid on or before the first of September or a later date to be set by the Selectmen and if the sum of twenty cents shall be added to each poll tax not paid on or before September 15th.

5. To see if the Town will vote to accept the budget as posted.

6. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Selectmen to sell Property taken on tax titles.

7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow not to exceed the sum of \$9,100.00 to extend the Summer water line on Route 175 to the residence of Joseph Bujeaud.

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow not to exceed the sum of \$10,600.00 to put in a sewer line from the Bigelow Cottage on Courtney road along said road to connect with the main sewer across Route 3.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$350.00 to place an honor roll bronze tablet on the present Memorial Monument in Soldiers Park in honor of the Korean War Veterans.

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

NORMAN FADDEN

WALLACE BERG

SHERWOOD AVERY

Selectmen of Woodstock

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WOODSTOCK

Sources of Revenue

	Actual 1960	Estimated 1961
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 1,859.15	\$ 1,800.00
Railroad Tax	108.31	100.00
Savings Bank Tax	55.35	50.00
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal Forest Lands		1,100.00
National Forest Reserve	2,637.51	2,500.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	261.00	250.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	6.00	6.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	950.00	800.00
Water Departments	3,638.11	3,600.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	5,225.93	5,200.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:		
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	492.00	490.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	41.00	40.00
Yield Taxes	3,610.56	3,000.00
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Total Revenue From All Sources Except Property Taxes	\$ 18,840.45	\$18,896.00

Purposes of Expenditures

	Actual 1960	Estimated 1961
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,695.00	\$ 1,700.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,312.68	1,300.00
Election & Registration Exp.	410.02	200.00
Municipal Court Expenses	271.00	325.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	267.32	250.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	917.91	500.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	3,397.19	6,400.00
Fire Department	950.27	1,500.00
Civil Defense		50.00
Health:		
Health Dept., Incl. Hospitals	1,000.00	1,000.00
Vital Statistics	21.00	25.00
Sewer Maintenance	155.10	150.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	237.75	300.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Maintenance —		
Summer	4,825.38	4,800.00
Winter	6,551.60	6,600.00
Street Lighting	2,740.44	2,740.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	388.54	400.00
Town Road Aid	107.00	110.00
Libraries	332.89	500.00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor	1,732.57	1,800.00
Old Age Assistance	1,423.12	1,500.00

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day, 4th July 350.00

Recreation:

Rotary Day Camp 400.00
Parks & Playgrounds, Inc.
Band Concerts 388.55 400.00

Public Service Enterprises:

Municipally Owned Water &
Electric Utilities 4,231.15 4,000.00
Cemeteries 1,695.69 1,700.00
Advertising & Regional Assoc. 425.00 425.00

Interest:

On Temporary Loans 1,482.32 1,400.00
On Long Term Notes & Bonds 1,100.00

Payment on Principal of Debt:

Long Term Notes 1,000.00

County Taxes 4,355.39 4,400.00

Total Expenditures \$ 43,393.88 \$47,325.00

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land and Buildings	\$1,470,115.00
Electric Plants	351,708.00
Stock in Trade	41,475.00
2 Horses	200.00
8 Cows	640.00
2 Neat Stock	150.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,700.00
Mills and Road Machinery	10,348.00
Wood and Lumber	200.00
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	\$1,877,536.00

SOLDIERS' EXEMPTIONS

Roy Andrews	\$ 1,000.00
Arline Ayotte	1,000.00
Wilfred Ayotte	1,000.00
Irving Ayotte	1,000.00
Ruby Barron	1,000.00
Dominick Burreau	1,000.00
Wallace Burroughs	1,000.00
Oscar Carter	1,000.00
Kenneth Chase	1,000.00
Wilfred Curtis	1,000.00
William Chase	1,000.00
Ernest Downing	1,000.00
Cornelius Driscoll	1,000.00
Ina Driscoll	1,000.00
Martin Elias	1,000.00
Phylis Emerson	700.00
Henry Engle	1,000.00
Archie Fournier	1,000.00
Henry Fox	1,000.00
Dennis Fulton	1,000.00
Harold Fulton	1,000.00
Louis Gavoni	1,000.00
Hollis Gordon, Jr.	1,000.00
Joseph Gagnon	1,000.00
Brandon Grey	1,000.00

Carroll Greenwood	1,000.00
Edward Goodspeed	1,000.00
Mabel Hamnett	1,000.00
Alfred Howard	1,000.00
John Ingalls	1,000.00
Harvey Joy	3,500.00
George Lane	1,000.00
Everett LaPointe	1,000.00
Leon Landry	1,000.00
Cecil Longabardi	1,000.00
Henry LaRue	1,000.00
Ralph Martin	1,000.00
John MacKay	1,000.00
Gordon MacIntosh	1,000.00
Raymond Mulleavey	1,000.00
Robert MacKay	1,000.00
Albert MacAfee	1,000.00
Donald Osgood	1,000.00
Clarence Parker	1,000.00
Arthur Raymond	1,000.00
Arthur Selby	1,000.00
Glen Smith	1,000.00
Violet Spafford	1,000.00
James Scanlon	1,000.00
Cyril Theriault	1,000.00
Gordon Willey	1,000.00
Irving Willey	1,000.00
Donald Wright	1,000.00

\$ 55,200.00

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall	\$ 800.00
Fire House	6,000.00
Tool Shed	500.00
Libraries	3,000.00
Tools	600.00
Fire Equipment	2,500.00
Truck and Plow	10,000.00
Welding and Thawing Machine	1,000.00
Power Mowers	150.00
Woodstock Water Supply, 1 acre	20,000.00
North Woodstock Water Supply, 30 acres	55,000.00
Schools, Land and Buildings	40,000.00
Town Forest, South of Mooselauke Brook	1,000.00
Electric Light Dam	5,000.00
Memorial Park	2,000.00
Cascade Park	1,000.00
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	\$148,550.00

TOWN OF WOODSTOCK, N. H. — YEAR OF 1960
 APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,700.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,400.00
Election and Registration	350.00
Municipal Court	268.00
Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	250.00
Police Department	3,300.00
Fire Department	1,500.00
Civil Defense	350.00
Health Department	1,000.00
Vital Statistics	25.00
Sewer Maintenance	100.00
Town Dump	500.00
Town Road	3,000.00
Snow Removal	9,000.00
Street Lighting	2,600.00
Town Road Aid	110.00
Libraries	500.00
Town Poor	1,600.00
Old Age Assistance	1,600.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Rotary Day Camp	400.00
Parks and Playgrounds	400.00
Water Department	2,300.00
Cemeteries	1,200.00
Advertising	175.00
Lincoln-Woodstock Chamber of Commerce	250.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	625.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	600.00
Baston Bridge	2,700.00
County Tax	4,355.39
Sceva Speare Hospital and Littleton Hospital	200.00
	\$ 42,508.39

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 25,121.37
Cash in hands of Judge	171.45
Cash in hands of Tax Collector	94.33
Cash in hands of Water Rent Collector	10.63
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1959	145.11
Levy of 1958	29.10
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1960	10,006.53
Levy of 1959	73.40
Levy of 1958	149.89
Previous Years	203.38
State Head Taxes —	
Levy of 1960	600.00
Previous Years	300.00
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Total Assets	\$ 36,905.19

Liabilities

Community Building	\$ 1,000.00
Due to State:	
State Head Taxes — 1960	1,555.00
Yield Tax — Bond & Debt Retirement	82.47
Due to School Districts: Bal of Appro.	33,319.24
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Pemi. National Bank — Water	15,000.00
Pemi. National Bank — Truck	7,200.00
Trust Funds, Amt. of Principal	
Used by Town:	
Trust Funds for Sale of Lots	80.00
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	\$ 58,236.71
Total Liabilities	\$ 58,236.71
Total Assets	36,905.19
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Liabilities over Assets	\$ 21,331.52

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

Leo W. Hobin, Town Clerk

Dr.

1959 Auto Permits	\$	16.76
1960 Auto Permits		5,216.22
Filing Fees		7.00
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Total	\$	5,239.98

Cr.

Paid Town Treasurer	\$	5,239.98
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WOODSTOCK MUNICIPAL COURT
Raymond B. Sawyer, Justice
Woodstock, New Hampshire

FINANCIAL REPORT

January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

Debit

On Hand Jan. 1, 1960 —		
Cash in Bank	\$	109.76
Cash on Hand		44.42
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	\$	154.18
Cash Received from All Sources	\$	2,598.30
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	\$	2,752.48

Credit

Paid Out —		
Motor Vehicle Department	\$	1,156.50
Fish and Game Department		18.00
Bail		350.00
Town Treasurer		950.00
Bank Service Charges		3.26
Supplies		9.75
Small Claims Collected and Paid Out		93.52
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	\$	2,581.03
On Hand Dec. 31, 1960 —		
Cash in Bank	\$	81.40
Cash on Hand		90.05
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	\$	171.45
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	\$	2,752.48

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND B. SAWYER,

Justice

WOODSTOCK MUNICIPAL COURT
Raymond B. Sawyer, Justice
Woodstock, New Hampshire

STATISTICAL REPORT

January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

Charges	No. of Cases
Solid Line Violations	42
Unreasonable Speed	72
Grossly Careless and Grossly Negligent Operation	6
Defective Equipment	2
No Valid License	2
Unnecessary Noise	2
Stop Sign Violations	3
Improper Registration	1
Operating Under the Influence of Intoxicating Liquor	4
Non-Support	1
Allowing Unlicensed Operator to Drive	2
No Inspection	5
Obstructing Traffic	1
Following Too Close	1
Operating After Revocation	2
Drunk	3
Failure to Report Accident	1
Failure to Keep to the Right	1
Transportation of Beer by Minor	1
Failure to Answer Summons	1
Loaded Rifle in Motor Vehicle	1
Refuse to Stop for an Officer	1
Reckless Operation	1
Throwing Rubbish on Highway	1
Eviction	1
Juvenile	1
Small Claims	5

Total No. of Cases Entered in Court 164

Respectfully submitted,
RAYMOND B. SAWYER,
 Justice

(For Current Year's Levy)
**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES**

**Levy of 1960
Dr.**

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$100,228.48
Poll Taxes	694.00

Total Warrant \$100,922.48

Yield Taxes 4,068.32

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$ 55.00
Poll Taxes	6.00

\$ 61.00

Interest Collected 7.95

Total Debits \$105,059.75

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$ 87,683.23
Poll Taxes	492.00
Yield Taxes	3,310.56
Interest Collected	7.09
In hands of Collector	212.38

\$ 91,705.26

Discount Allowed 2,568.04

Abatements:

Property Taxes	\$ 617.00
Poll Taxes	12.00
Yield Taxes	150.92

\$ 779.92

**Uncollected Taxes — As per
Collector's List:**

Property Taxes	\$ 9,320.88
Poll Taxes	192.00
Yield Taxes	493.65
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	\$ 10,006.53

Total Credits \$105,059.75

(For Current Year's Levy)

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
Levy of 1960**

Dr.

**State Head Taxes Committed
to Collector:**

Original Warrant	\$ 2,175.00
Added Taxes	10.00

Total Commitment	\$ 2,185.00
Penalties Collected	8.00

Total Debits \$ 2,193.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$ 1,555.00
Penalties	6.50
In hands of Collector	16.50

	\$ 1,578.00
Abatements	15.00
Uncollected Head Taxes—As per Collector's List	600.00

Total Credits \$ 2,193.00

(For Previous Year's Levy)
SUMMARY OF WARRANT)
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES
 Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes — as of Jan. 1, 1960:

Property Taxes	\$ 12,614.85
Poll Taxes	118.00
Yield Taxes	1,238.85

\$ 13,971.70

Added Poll Taxes	28.00
Interest Collected During Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1960	484.91

Total Debits	\$ 14,484.61
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Cr.

**Remittances to Treasurer During
Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1960:**

Property Taxes	\$ 12,612.10
Poll Taxes	94.00
Yield Taxes	999.01
Int. Collected During Year	484.91

\$ 14,190.02

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	\$ 2.75
Poll Taxes	2.00
Yield Taxes	216.44

\$ 221.19

**Uncollected Taxes — As Per
Collector's List:**

Yield Taxes	\$ 23.40
Poll Taxes	50.00

Total Credits	\$ 14,484.61
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(For Previous Year's Levy)
SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—as of		
Jan. 1, 1960	\$	390.00
Added Taxes During 1960		90.00
Penalties Collected During 1960		32.50
Total Debits		\$ 512.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer During 1960:		
Head Taxes	\$	325.00
Penalties		32.50
	\$	357.50
Abatements During 1960		15.00
Uncollected Head Taxes — As Per		
Collector's List		140.00
Total Credits		\$ 512.50

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD
Levy of 1958**

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—As of Jan. 1, 1960:			
Property Taxes	\$	135.25	
Poll Taxes		38.00	
Yield Taxes		119.89	
	\$	293.14	
Int. Collected During Year		11.47	
	\$		304.61

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:			
Property	\$	132.60	
Poll Taxes		4.00	
Interest		11.47	
In hands of Collector		2.65	
	\$	150.72	
Abatements:			
Poll Taxes		4.00	
	\$		154.72
Uncollected:			
Polls			30.00
Yield			119.89
	\$		304.61

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
Levy of 1958**

Dr.			
Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1960	\$	125.00	
Penalties Collected		1.00	
Total Debits			\$ 126.00
Cr.			
Remitted to Treasurer	\$	10.00	
Penalties		1.00	
Abated		15.00	
Uncollected		110.00	
Total Credits			\$ 126.00

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
POLL AND YIELD TAXES
Levy of 1957**

Dr.			
Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1960:			
Poll Taxes	\$	14.00	
Yield Taxes		58.68	
	\$	72.68	
Interest Collected		.80	
Total Debits			\$ 73.48
Cr.			
Remittances to Treasurer			
Polls	\$	8.00	
Interest		.80	
	\$	8.80	
Uncollected Taxes			
Polls		6.00	
Yield		58.68	
	\$		73.48

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX**

Levy of 1957

Dr.			
Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1960	\$	45.00	
Penalties Collected		2.00	
Total Debits			\$ 47.00
Cr.			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
Head Taxes	\$	20.00	
Penalties		2.00	
Abated		5.00	
Uncollected Taxes		20.00	
Total Credits			\$ 47.00

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
POLL AND YIELD TAXES**

Levy of 1956

Dr.			
Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960:			
Poll Taxes	\$	14.00	
Yield Taxes	-	128.70	
		\$ 142.70	
Interest Collected		.90	
Total Debits			\$ 142.90

Cr.			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
Poll Taxes	\$	2.00	
Interest		.20	
			\$ 2.20
Abated			2.00
Uncollected Taxes:			
Poll Taxes	\$	10.00	
Yield Taxes		128.70	
Total Credits			\$ 142.90

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
Levy of 1956**

Dr.			
Uncollected — As of Jan. 1, 1960:			
Head Taxes	\$	35.00	
Penalties Collected		.50	
Total Debits			\$ 35.50

Cr.			
Remitted to Treasurer:			
Head Taxes	\$	5.00	
Penalties		.50	
Uncollected Taxes		30.00	
Total Credits			\$ 35.50

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
AS OF DEC. 31, 1960**

		Dr.		
		Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:		
		Previous		
		1959	1958	Years
Taxes Sold to Town During				
Current Fiscal				
Year	\$	248.33	\$	\$
Bal. of Unredeemed				
Taxes Jan. 1, 1960			1,047.76	357.12
Int. Coll. After Sale		1.01	64.94	59.14
Redemption Costs		.61	1.00	
Total Debits	\$	249.95	\$ 1,113.70	\$ 416.26
Cr.				
Remittances to Treas.				
During Year	\$	104.83	\$ 952.63	\$ 416.26
Unredeemed Taxes —				
At close of Year		145.12	161.08	
Total Credits	\$	249.95	\$ 1,113.70	\$ 416.26

**UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALE
ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:**

	1959	1958
Sam Eli	\$ 90.40	\$ 29.10
Ernest L. Bell	24.01	
Russell Holstrom	15.35	
Ursula Mushlet	15.35	
	\$ 145.11	\$ 29.10

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of Dec. 31, 1960, on account of the tax levy of 1959-1958 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NEAL E. LYNDE,
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1960	\$ 12,825.18
From Local Taxes:	
Property Taxes 1960	87,683.23
Poll Taxes 1960	492.00
National Bank Stock Taxes 1960	41.00
Yield Taxes 1960	3,310.56
State Head Taxes @ \$5 1960	1,555.00
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes — Previous	13,871.19
Poll Taxes — Previous	108.00
State Head Taxes @ \$5 — Previous	360.00
Interest Received on Taxes	572.02
Penalties on State Head Taxes	42.50
Tax Sales Redeemed	227.99
Yield Taxes	999.01
From State:	
Gas Tax Refund	66.27
Road Account Deposit	690.08
Interest and Dividends Tax	1,859.15
Railroad Tax	63.84
Savings Bank Tax & Bldg. & Loan Assoc. Tax	55.35
National Forest Reserve	2,637.51
Fighting Forest Fires	20.46
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	7.50
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:	
Dog Licenses	261.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	6.00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal Court	950.00
Rent of Town Property	5.00
Cost of Tax Sales	52.29
Income from Municipal Water, Sewer & Electric Departments	3,638.11
Registration of Motor Vehicles	5,233.98

Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes During Year	50,000.00
Long Term Notes During Year	7,200.00
Refunds	75.72
New Trust Funds Received During Year	100.00
Sale of Town Property	5,020.00
Cemetery Lots	80.00
Withheld on Social Security	468.72
Withheld on Income Tax	916.70
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	\$201,495.36

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,695.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,312.68
Election and Registration Exp.	410.35
Municipal Court Expenses	271.00
Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	267.32

Protection of Persons & Property:

Police Department	3,397.19
Fire Dept., Incl. Forest Fires	994.27
Dozer Work	760.16
Auto License Fees	277.50

Health:

Health Dept., Incl. Hospitals	1,050.00
Vital Statistics	21.00
Sewer Maintenance	155.10
Town Dumps & Garbage Removal	261.75

Highways and Bridges:

Snow Removal	6,571.60
Town Maintenance	4,824.78
Street Lighting	2,740.44
Gen. Exp. of H'way. Dept.	482.58

Libraries

332.89

Public Welfare:

Old Age Assistance	1,423.12
Town Poor	1,732.57

Patriotic Purposes:

Lights — Christmas Trees	19.25
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Recreation:

Rotary Day Camp	400.00
Parks and Playgrounds	388.55

Public Service Enterprises:

Municipal Water & Electric Depts.	4,467.45
Cemeteries	1,706.09

Unclassified:

Damages and Legal Expenses	10.00
Advertising & Regional Assns.	425.00
Taxes Bought by Town	248.33
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds	3,990.95
Employees' Retirement & Soc. Security	1,112.76

Interest:

Paid on Temp. Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	1,482.32
Bank Service Charge	1.11

Outlay for New Construction, Eqmnt.

New Equipment — Truck	7,690.00
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Indebtedness:

Payments on Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes	50,000.00
Payments to Trustees of Trust Funds (New Funds)	341.74

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes Pd. State Treas.	1,922.96
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	737.12
Taxes Paid to County	4,355.39
Payments to School Districts	68,093.68
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	\$176,374.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Fred Brown, Auditor	\$ 30.00
Justin Stiles, Auditor	30.00
Everett LaPointe, Dog Officer	50.00
Louise MacKay, Treasurer	300.00
Leo Hobin, Town Clerk	125.00
Arthur Selby, Water Rent Collector	200.00
Neal E. Lynde, Tax Collector	250.00
Ethel Brown, Treas. Trust Funds	10.00
Sherwood Avery, Selectman	200.00
Wallace Berg, Selectman	200.00
Norman Fadden, Selectman	250.00
Norman Fadden, Overseer of Poor	50.00
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	\$ 1,695.00

Town Officers' Expenses

Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	\$ 30.91
White Mt. Power Co., Lights	68.15
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Phone	123.60
Assn. of N. H. Assessors, Dues	3.00
Arthur Selby, Postage	18.17
Colby Press, Printing	5.00
Priscilla Avery, Typing	12.00
Roy Andrews, Rental	30.00
Fred S. Brown, Postage	3.00
Record Print, Town Reports	324.19
Stanley McCutcheon, Supplies	100.00
Recording and Statistical, Book	7.50
Wheeler & Clark, Supplies	16.98
Norman Fadden, Postage	30.18
Mosley Safe Co., Repairs	73.93
N. H. City & Town Clerks Assoc., Dues	3.00
Charles Wood, Transfers	26.37
MacKay Insurance Agency	253.50
Tax Collectors Assoc., Dues	3.00
Leo Hobin, Attending Meeting	52.78
Glen Press, Printing	9.00

J. H. Fadden & Son, Supplies	.50
Town & City Co., Supplies	10.00
Fred L. Tower Co., Book	20.60
Brown & Saltmarsh, Supplies	7.08
Louise MacKay, Postage	15.31
Sherwood Avery, Postage	6.95
Wallace Berg, Postage	.40
Neal Lynde, Postage	40.08
Northern Office Supply, Repairs	17.50
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	\$ 1,312.68
Election and Registration:	
Leon Sargent, Supervisor	\$ 101.05
Thomas Sawyer, Supervisor	22.50
Neal Lynde, Supervisor	60.00
Marcia Cousineau, Ballot Clerk	24.00
Edith Chaisson, Ballot Clerk	12.00
Ralph Heath, Ballot Clerk	24.00
Fred Brown, Ballot Clerk	36.00
Robert MacKay, Moderator	45.00
Abbie Downing, Ballot Clerk	24.00
Fred Conant, Ballot Clerk	12.00
Record Print, Ballots	17.25
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	1.05
Comet Restaurant, Meals	10.50
Mount Adams, Meals	21.00
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	\$ 410.35
Municipal Court:	
Raymond Sawyer, Salary	\$ 250.00
Raymond Sawyer, Expenses	21.00
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	\$ 271.00
Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	
MacKay Insurance Agency., Ins.	\$ 58.44
White Mt. Power Co., Lights	55.35
Everett's Woodworking Shop, Material	138.08
J. H. Fadden & Son, Material	15.45
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	\$ 237.32

Fire Including Forest Fires

Philips Photo, Supplies	\$	4.00
Gordon Oil Co., Oil		161.95
MacKay Ins. Agency, Insurance		275.82
Andrews Garage, Gas & Oil		13.39
Sabourn's Store, Supplies		.57
Blanchard Associate, Supplies		71.02
Fred Brown, Payroll		17.56
J. H. Fadden & Son, Supplies		79.80
Norman B. Fadden, Payroll		135.75
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Phone		111.95
White Mt. Power Co., Lights		75.64
State of New Hampshire		46.82

\$ 994.27

Police Department

Everett LaPointe, Chief	\$	3,205.00
Everett's Woodworking Shop, Material		27.98
White Mt. Power Co., Blinker		20.21
Henry Cousineau, Special Police		110.40
Sherwin Kendall, Special Police		12.00
Wallace Ward, Special Police		6.00
Milton Shepard, Labor		5.50
Sanel Auto Parts, Supplies		10.10

\$ 3,397.19

Health Department

Lincoln Health Department	\$	800.00
Littleton Hospital, Appropriation		100.00
Plymouth Hospital, Appropriation		100.00

\$ 1,000.00

Vital Statistics

Leo Hobin, Reporting	\$	21.00
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Sewer Maintenance

Robert Hiltz, Bulldozer	\$	75.00
Clinton Hamnett, Payroll		80.10

\$ 155.10

Town Dump

Clinton Hamnett, Payroll	\$ 207.75
Clinton Hamnett, Loader	54.00
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	\$ 261.75

Town Roads Including T. R. A.

State of N. H., Tarring	\$ 1,994.62
Clinton Hamnett, Payroll	2,286.60
Everett's Cities Service, Gas & Oil	224.30
J. H. Fadden & Son, Supplies	3.77
Northern Paving Construction Co., Cold Patch	239.75
R. H. Smith, Tanks	11.13
Wilson Mobil Service, Gas, Oil, etc.	65.21
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	\$ 4,824.78

Snow Removal

Clinton Hamnett, Payroll	\$ 5,141.70
Wirthmore Grain Co., Salt	335.40
Francis Sabre, Rent	41.60
Franconia Paper Corp., Supplies	37.98
Everett's Cities Service, Gas, Oil, etc.	272.95
White Mt. Power Co., Lights	9.05
Scott Machinery Co., Parts	2.70
Sabourn's Store, Supplies	4.49
J. H. Fadden & Son, Supplies	106.40
Alloy Industries, Supplies	192.49
MacKay Insurance, Insurance	229.00
Noble Belisle, Machinery Co.	177.84
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	\$ 6,571.60

Street Lights

White Mt. Power Co.	\$ 2,740.44
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General Expenses of Highway Dept.

White Mt. Power Co., Lights	\$ 21.44
James Welch, Loader	34.51
R. H. Smith Co., Gas	17.29

Everett's Cities Service, Gas, Oil	102.31
North Woodstock Garage, Labor	25.21
J. H. Fadden & Son, Supplies	159.05
Scott Machinery Co., Parts	117.97
Joseph Goodbout, Loader	4.80
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	\$ 482.58

Libraries

Thelma Joy, Librarian	\$ 180.00
Delong Subscription Agency, Mag.	2.70
Charles M. Gardner Co., Books	9.59
John Colbath, Books	50.50
Jennie Brown, Magazines	24.42
Campbell and Hall, Books	3.83
Clay's Newsstand, Books	23.35
S. M. Avery, Labor	38.50
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	\$ 332.89

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,423.12
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Town Poor

Maple Terrace Nursing Home	\$ 1,440.00
J. H. Fadden & Son	282.57
Lawrence Rockwood, M.D.	10.00
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	\$ 1,732.57

Parks and Playgrounds

White Mt. Power Co.	\$ 19.75
Richard Beedie, Labor	25.00
Eastern Construction Co.	75.00
Clinton Hamnett, Payroll	268.55
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	\$ 388.55

Water Department

Everett's Cities Service	\$ 5.92
Goodbout Service Station	2.89

Franconia Paper Corp.	5.26
H. R. Prescott, Pipe, Hyd.	588.68
Pemi. Construction Co.	192.00
J. H. Fadden & Son	367.65
Clinton Hamnett, Payroll	3,305.05
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	\$ 4,467.45
Cemeteries	
Glen Smith, Payroll	\$ 1,783.01
Sabourn's Store, Supplies	23.08
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	\$ 1,706.09
Taxes Bought by Town	
Neal E. Lynde, Collector	\$ 248.33
Discounts and Abatements	
Neal E. Lynde, Collector	\$ 3,990.95
Retirement and Social Security	
State of New Hampshire	\$ 463.47
Director of Internal Revenue	649.29
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	\$ 1,112.76
Interest	
Pemigewasset National Bank	\$ 1,482.32
Christmas Tree	
White Mt. Power Co., Lights	\$ 19.25
Flood Damage	
Eastern Construction Co.	\$ 760.16
Trust Funds	
Trustee of Trust Funds	\$ 341.74
Collecting Auto Fees	
Leo Hobin, Town Clerk	\$ 277.50

Legal Advice

Fred Tobey	\$	10.00
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Advertising

White Mt. Region Assn.	\$	175.00
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Woodstock-Lincoln Chamber of Commerce		250.00
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\$	425.00
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New Truck and Plow

Scott Machinery Co., Inc.	\$	7,690.00
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Head Taxes

State of New Hampshire	\$	1,922.96
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County Tax

\$	4,355.39
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Bond & Debt Retirement Tax

\$	737.12
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Temporary Loan

Pemigewasset National Bank	\$	50,000.00
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School

Woodstock School District	\$	68,093.68
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\$176,254.27

WOODSTOCK CEMETERIES

Cemetery Payroll, 1960

Glen Smith, Labor	\$ 1,162.00
Raymond Emerson, Labor	205.20
Jesse Smith, Labor	150.09
Jennie Smith, Truck	67.20
Merrimack Store, Supplies	52.45
Lester Sabourn, Supplies	36.16
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	\$ 1,673.10

TRUST FUNDS

Received of Trustees	\$ 237.07
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Total Received	\$ 237.07
Expended	\$ 237.07
Received from Sale of Lots	
Arthur Drouin	\$ 20.00
William McGuire	20.00
Milton Davis	40.00
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Total	\$ 80.00
Paid Town Treasurer	\$ 80.00
Due from Sale of Lot	
Antorni Ouellett	\$ 10.00

GLEN SMITH,
Superintendent of Cemeteries

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Town of Woodstock, N. H.

Receipts

Interest on Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank	\$	218.32
Interest on U. S. Savings Bond		26.25
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	\$	244.57

Payments

Glen Smith, Interest on Trust Funds	\$	244.57
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New Funds

Edith Gilman Fund	\$	100.00
Sale of Lots 1959		241.74
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	\$	341.74

Invested Trust Funds

Ply. Guaranty Sav. Bank	\$	380.42
U. S. Savings Bonds		600.00
Puritan Funds Shares		6,978.88
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	\$	7,978.88

Estimated Income for 1961

Puritan Fund Shares, Int.	\$	315.72
U. S. Bonds Interest		15.00
Savings Bank Book Interest		130.63
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	\$	461.35

EMILY AVERY

NEAL E. LYNDE

ETHEL A. BROWN

Trustees of Trust Funds

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Clinton Hamnett

Snow Removal

Clinton Hamnett, Labor	\$ 1,400.00
Clinton Hamnett, Truck, Loader	1,776.40
Glen Smith, Labor	829.20
Clayton Gray, Labor	866.40
William Saber, Labor	52.80
Joseph Goodbout, Truck & Loader	257.00
Everett Mayhew, Truck	234.60
Mary Cox, Sand	10.00
Robert Hiltz, Dozer	120.00
Marshall Nichols, Chains	25.00
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	\$ 5,571.40

Town Road

Clinton Hamnett, Labor	\$ 1,900.00
Clinton Hamnett, Loader	96.00
Clayton Gray, Labor	282.60
Glen Smith, Labor	165.60
Raymond Landry, Labor	62.40
John Currier, Labor	38.40
Edward Clark, Gravel	14.00
Robert Hiltz, Dozer	210.00
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	\$ 2,769.00

Town Dump

Clinton Hamnett, Loader	\$ 174.00
Glen Smith, Labor	19.20
Clayton Gray, Labor	19.20
Mary Cox, Gravel	16.00
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	\$ 228.40

Water Department

Clinton Hamnett, Labor	\$ 1,900.00
Glen Smith, Labor	457.30
Clayton Gray, Labor	519.70
Robert Hiltz, Dozer	475.00
Robert Mellett, Labor	97.00
Raymond Landry, Labor	8.40
John Currier, Labor	13.20
Joseph Goodbout, Backhoe	235.00
Everett Mayhew, Truck	10.00
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	\$ 3,715.60

WATER RENT COLLECTOR'S REPORT Year Ending Dec. 31, 1960

Water Rent Collected for 1960	\$ 3,185.64
Water Rent Collected in Arrears	463.15
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Total Collected	\$ 3,648.79
Paid to Town Treasurer Dec. 31, 1960	\$ 3,638.16
Cash on Hand	10.63
Uncollected Water Rent 1960	\$ 413.10
Uncollected Water Rent 1958-59	152.05
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Total Uncollected	\$ 565.15

ARTHUR SELBY,

Collector

AUDITORS' REPORT

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Municipal Court, Water Rent Collector, Tax Collector and Trustees of Trust Funds. We find them properly cast and properly vouched.

FRED S. BROWN
JUSTIN E. STILES

Auditors

MOOSILAUKE LIBRARY REPORT

It gives me great pleasure to make the annual report of the Library. The number of patrons who made use of the Library was 2,641 and the number of books and magazines taken out was 5,455.

We would like to thank Mrs. Norman Fadden for her gift of New Hampshire Profiles magazines. We would also like to thank Mr. and Mrs. George Ladeau for the National Geographic magazines and for the book "Cherry Ames, Army Nurse." We would like to thank the Quest Club for a one-year subscription to Outdoor Life magazine.

One book has been added to the Memorial Shelf: "The General's Wife" — The Life of Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant, given by Mrs. Altha Gay in memory of Mrs. Fannie Muchmore.

Financial Report

Debit

Cash on hand	\$	2.33
Fines and Fees		14.35
Sale of Books		6.00
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	\$	22.68

Credit

Supplies and Postage	\$	5.49
Subscription for Jack and Jill Magazine		4.10
Cash on hand		13.09
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	\$	22.68

THELMA JOY, Librarian

**PUBLIC HEALTH AND
SCHOOL NURSING SERVICES
LINCOLN — WOODSTOCK AREA
Dec. 31, 1959 — Dec. 31, 1960**

Total number of visits made during 1960 were 1,248. Of this number 790 were to medical and chronic cases, 23 to prenatal cases, 24 to new mothers, 35 pre-school, Crippled Children's Services 27, visits to persons not taken under care; Welfare, etc., 349.

Conferences with Social Workers and Supervisors from various State departments 27, Work Shop and Professional meetings attended 12. Four children transported to State conducted Pediatric Diagnostic clinics, 1 to Orthopedic clinic, 1 adult for chest x-ray.

Total number of school visits made in the area were 200. Visits to homes in behalf of school work 28.

Nurses examinations on 311 pupils consisted of heights, weights, vision testing, hearing tests when it was found necessary, and general inspections, athletic examinations were carried out on 79 high school pupils by Dr. Dooley. Nurse's home visits were made when results warranted such. Hearing tests were given to all high school pupils.

Classes in baby bath procedure were given to the Seniors of the Home Economic Class.

For the Christmas season, gifts of toys, money, clothing and food were donated for the needy children and families. Special mention should be made of the students of the high school and the three upper grades of the Lincoln elementary school for the help on this program.

My thanks also to the organizations and friends who helped in any way on the Christmas program and for cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

NORA E. PARENT, R.N.

Visiting and School Nurse

PREVENTION IS YOUR BUSINESS

Carelessness, HUMAN CARELESSNESS, causes 9 out of 10 forest fires. Each year 200,000 fires burn over 30 million acres in the United States. This represents 5 percent of our nation's woodlands being wasted each year. Every fire takes its toll. Floods follow; stream flow is affected; timber, buildings, grazing and wildlife are destroyed — all because MANY are CARELESS with fire in and near woodland. This can be remedied. YOU can put an end to this shameful waste! PREVENTION is YOUR business!

YOU, whether YOU be a farmer, homemaker, business or professional man or woman, municipal, state or federal official, clerk or woodsman can play an important part in the continuing and vital prevention program.

First — by setting a good example YOURSELF — being sensible and complying with the necessary laws and regulations governing the use of fire in and near woodlands.

Second — by using YOUR individual influence in your community and valued council with others in insisting and encouraging them to do likewise.

The following simple rules may be used as a guide both for YOU and for them.

1. Before burning, secure a permit from your local forest fire warden — the law requires it.

2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning — don't leave it.

3. Make certain your fire, camp or debris, is DEAD OUT before leaving it.

4. Don't throw down lighted matches, cigars and cigarettes or from moving vehicles — make sure they are out — use your ash tray.

5. Don't burn at home — use your town dump and save yourself much possible difficulty, both personal and financial.

Number of local fires	1
Number of acres burned	.1
Number of permits issued	52

FRED S. BROWN

District Chief

Forest Fire Warden

GERALD S. GROSS

Births Registered in the Town of Woodstock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

Date of Birth	Name of Child (If any)	Sex, Cond	Color	No. of Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan 17	Jeffrey Scott	M	L	4	W	Robert Lee Parent	Marjorie Weatherbee	W	No Woodstock	Lincoln	Goffstown
Jan 23	Michael Thomas	M	L	1	W	Thomas Edw Bowes	Carla Jean Albee	W	No Woodstock	No Woodstock	Littleton
Mar 17	Michael Richard	M	L	2	W	Hollis Gordon	Dorra S Grenier	W	No Woodstock	Woodstock	Woodsville
Mar 31	Thomas Mark	M	L	5	W	Joseph A Corbell	Helen T Adams	W	No Woodstock	Lincoln	W Thornton
Apr 2	Karen Jane	F	L	2	W	Edward E Downing	Betty Jane Downing	W	No Woodstock	Plymouth	Plymouth
May 26	Susan Marie	F	L	1	W	Ronald W Emerson	Bennie Lee Cox	W	No Woodstock	Manchester	No Woodstock
June 14	Annette Gall	F	L	3	W	Howard Briggs	Arlene Joyce O'Haire	W	No Woodstock	Bennington Vt	Lincoln
June 23	Barbara Ann	F	L	3	W	Sylvio N Parent	Ora Bertha Parizo	W	Woodstock	No Woodstock	Rochester
July 10	Marie Ann	F	L	3	W	Frank J Pelletier	Carolyn A Theriault	W	No Woodstock	No Woodstock	Lincoln
July 13	Clifton Donald	M	L	1	W	Joseph D Connolly	Linda Marie Shires	W	No Woodstock	Lincoln	Lancaster
Sept 3	Ruth Beverly	F	L	2	W	Gordon W MacIntosh	Beverly D Prugh	W	Woodstock	Providence R I	Dayton Ohio
Oct 1	Jeffrey John	M	L	1	W	John B Ingalls	Priscilla J Cawley	W	No Woodstock	No Woodstock	Plymouth
Oct 6	Jacqueline Vera	F	L	2	W	Rene Rheault	Barbara E LaRue	W	No Woodstock	Lawrence Mass	Haverhill
Oct 21	Terry Lee	M	L	4	W	Edward J Goodspeed	Evening Mary Caron	W	No Woodstock	Brewer Me	Lincoln
Nov 2	Robert Bruce	M	L	2	W	Neill W Macaulay	Nancy J Copenhaver	W	No Woodstock	Columbia S C	Littleton

Marriages Registered in the Town of Woodstock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

Date—1960	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence Each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Times Married	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married
Feb 18	Plymouth	Joseph D Connolly Linda Marie Shores	No Woodstock Thornton	18 16	W W	Student At home	Lincoln New Hamp	Donald Connolly Elizabeth Shores	Maine New Hamp	1 1	M Harold LeGrow Clergyman Plymouth
Feb 20	Lincoln	Joseph A Wiggitt Patricia A King	Lincoln No Woodstock	18 20	W W	Laborer Hairdresser	New Hamp New Hamp	Thelma M Smith Clarence C Wiggitt	New Hamp New Hamp	1 1	Edmond J Guay Clergyman Lincoln
May 6	Manchester	Leonard E Bailey Edna M Wolosewicz	No Woodstock Chelsea Mass	20 18	W W	Laborer Packer	Vermont Poland	Wilfred King Ida Allaire Everett Levey Bailey Edith Ruth Sarridge	Maine Vt Vt Vt	1 1	Victor W Dakar Justice of Peace Manchester
May 14	Plymouth	Ernest Jos Mallett Janet Louise Harper	Woodstock Woodstock	22 26	U S W	Navy At home	Nova Scotia Massachusetts	Sophia Sanko Ernest Jos Mallett Rondei H Harper Madeline D Willey	Nova Scotia New Brunswick Kansas New Hamp	1 1	James J Moran Clergyman Plymouth
May 28	Lincoln	John F Hanna Patricia Lee Cloud	Texas No Woodstock	22 19	W W	U S Navy At home	Arkansas New Hamp	Mary Dorothy Culver Edward Chas Cloud Gertrude G Bellerose	Arkansas New Hamp New Hamp	1 1	Edmond J Guay Clergyman Lincoln

MARRIAGES — continued

June 25	Lincoln	Malcolm L Havlock	Plymouth	23 W Laborer	New Hamp	James Havlock Marjorie A Phinney Maurice W Sharrick	Maine Maine Maine	1 George B Maish Clergyman 2 Lincoln
Sept 3	Lincoln	Gail L Daneault Emil Jon LaBrecque	Woodstock Lincoln	20 W Beautician 21 W Student	New Hamp New Hamp	Fannie L Littlewood Emil G LaBrecque Queenie Wright	New Hamp New Hamp New Hamp	1 Edmond J Guay Clergyman 1 Lincoln
Sept 17	Lincoln	Elinor Jean Berg Donald R Bailey	No Woodstock	20 W Student 23 W Laborer	New Hamp Vermont	Wallace Hilden Berg Lillian R Belanger Everett Levoz Bailey	New Hamp New Hamp Vt	1 George B Marsh Clergyman 1 Lincoln
Sept 24	Lincoln	Jane E Fifield Albert Edwin Joy	Woodstock No Woodstock	17 W At home 24 W Bookkeeper	New Hamp New Hamp	Edith Ruth Strudge Clifford Chas Fifield Mabel J Howland	New Hamp New Hamp New Hamp	1 Nelson Perreault Clergyman 1 Lincoln
Oct 22	No Woodstock	Bertha May Gray Robert J Caron Jr	Lincoln No Woodstock	21 W Clerk 23 W Laborer	New Hamp New Hamp	Thelma A Anderson Roland Alfred Gray Lucy F Jordan	New Hamp New Hamp Ohio	1 Elwood Bray Clergyman 1 Littleton
Dec 17	Ashland	Frances R Duguay Jean P Chaisson Jr	No Woodstock	18 W At home 22 W U S A F	New Hamp New Hamp	Rosemary Lantange William P Duguay Elizabeth Gardner Jean P Chaisson Sr	New Hamp New Hamp New Hamp Canada	1 A J Dumas Clergyman 1 Ashland
Dec 31	Woodstock	Anna Marie Newlen Richard O Schulz Jr	Ashland Somerville Mas	21 W Nurse 25 W Glazier	West Virginia Mass	Edith Louise Hill Kenneth W Newlen Genevieve M Rink	New Hamp Ohio Ohio	1 Dean Roth Clergyman 1 Woodstock
		Janet Mae Pierce	Woodstock	21 W Student	New Hamp	Richard Otto Schulz Margaret Vollum Roy Franklin Pierce Dorothy L Boucher	Mass New Hamp New Hamp	

School District

**MINUTES OF THE WOODSTOCK
SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING
7:30 P. M., March 10, 1960**

Warrant read by Moderator

Articles 1-4 were passed over as they are on the ballot.

Article 5 was passed over as it is in the budget.
Under Article 6 the School Study Report was read by
Raymond Sawyer.

Article 7 was passed over

Article 8—It was moved by Arthur Selby, seconded by
Marion Fadden to take the budget up by bracket.
Vote in the affirmative.

Detail of vote:

Administration

Moved by Mrs. Norman Fadden to accept as printed
Seconded by Mrs. Hollis Drake
Vote in the affirmative

Instruction

Moved by Wallace Berg to accept as printed
Seconded by Mrs. E. P. Lowden
Vote in the affirmative

Maintenance of School Plant

Moved by Phil Lowden to accept as printed
Seconded by Mrs. Norman Fadden
Vote in the affirmative

Auxiliary Activities

Moved by Wilfred Curtis to accept as printed
Seconded by David Georgia
Vote in the affirmative

Fixed Charges

Moved by Raymond Sawyer to accept as printed
Seconded by Mrs. E. P. Lowden
Vote in the affirmative

Contingency Fund

Moved by Sherwood Avery to accept as printed
Seconded by Robert Hiltz
Vote in the affirmative

Additions and Improvements

Moved by Mrs. E. P. Lowden to accept as printed
Seconded by Mrs. Norman Fadden
Vote in the affirmative

Article 9. Moved by Sherwood Avery to raise \$900 for transportation to Lincoln High School.

Seconded by Mrs. Newton Avery
Vote in the affirmative

Article 10. Moved to Raise \$300 for the lease of the ball field by Wilfred Ayotte

Seconded by Mrs. Hollis Drake
Vote in the affirmative

Article 11. Moved by Mrs. Newton Avery to raise \$250 for a skating rink on the school grounds

Seconded by Mrs. Robert MacKay
Vote in the affirmative

Article 12. Moved by Wilfred Ayotte to raise \$250 for band instruction

Seconded by Mrs. E. P. Lowden
Vote in the affirmative

Article 13. Moved by Sherwood Avery that the district authorize the school board to negotiate a contract, not to exceed twenty years with Lincoln School District, ratification of such a contract to be made by the Woodstock School District at a recessed meeting to be held at a later date. This was amended by Wilfred Ayotte to include the study committee along with the school board.

Seconded by Mrs. Newton Avery
Vote in the affirmative in a closed ballot
Yes 45
No 13

Article 14. Moved by David Georgia that \$250 be raised for expense of negotiating a contract

Seconded by Wilfred Ayotte

Vote in the affirmative

Article 15 to be taken up at a later date

Article 16. Moved by Mrs. E. P. Lowden to hold school meetings in the evening.

Seconded by Wilfred Ayotte

Vote in the affirmative

The Moderator declared the meeting recessed until a later date.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the fourteenth day of March, 1961, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the school district will furnish high school transportation and raise money for the same.
10. To see if the district will raise \$300. for the lease of the ballfield.

11. To see if the school district will raise \$350. for a skating rink on the school grounds.

12. To see if the school district will raise \$900. for music supervision in the North Woodstock Elementary School.

13. To see what sum of money the school district will vote to raise to fulfill the requirements of the contract with Lincoln School District.

14. To see if the school district will vote to raise \$450. for six (6) teachers' desks.

15. To see if the school district will vote to raise \$300. to match Federal Funds for improvement of math and science in our school.

16. To see if the voters will authorize the school board to request a special school district meeting should it become necessary.

17. To see if the district will vote to adopt the town checklist as a school district checklist.

18. To see if the school district will vote to raise \$400. to start a hot lunch program at school.

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

Given under our hands at said Woodstock this 26th day of January, 1961.

ARTHUR, SELBY, Chairman
CAROLYN ATWOOD
MARILYN GEORGIA
School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

ARTHUR, SELBY, Chairman
CAROLYN ATWOOD
MARILYN GEORGIA
School Board

DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

Arthur Selby, Chairman	Term expires 1961
Carolyn Atwood	Term expires 1962
Marilyn Georgia	Term expires 1963

Other Officers

Robert MacKay	Moderator
Mildred G. Baston	District Clerk
Mildred G. Baston	Treasurer
Nora Parent	School Nurse
M. Wayne Bowie	Superintendent
Grace Beaudin	School Board Secretary

Auditors

Fred Brown	Justin Stiles
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REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

Summary

Cash on hand July 1, 1959	\$	72.92
Received from Selectmen		
Current Appropriation	\$ 70,558.00	
Special Appropriation	2,942.00	
Received from State Treasurer		
State Funds	4,352.10	
Received from all Other Sources	276.02	
Total Receipts	\$	78,128.12
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$	78,201.04
Less School Board Orders Paid		77,150.97
Bal. on hand June 30, 1960	\$	1,050.97

MILDRED G. BASTON,
District Treasurer

Aug. 13, 1960

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Woodstock of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

FRED S. BROWN
JUSTIN E. STILES,
Auditors

Aug. 25, 1960

BUDGET
Of the School District of Woodstock, N. H.
1961-1962
Expenditures

	Expndtrs. 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Recom'd. Budget 1961-62
ADMINISTRATION			
Salary of District Officers \$	769.00	\$ 645.00	\$ 700.00
Supt's. Salary (local share)	1,149.99	632.10	648.37
Tax for Statewide Supervision	432.00	432.00	428.00
Salaries of Other			
Admin. Personnel	210.00	400.00	400.00
Supplies and Expenses	465.70	450.00	450.00
INSTRUCTION			
Elem. Teachers' Salaries	24,385.04	25,350.00	27,300.00
Elem. Principal's Salary	4,500.00	4,700.00	5,000.00
Books & Other Instruction			
Aids, Elem.	738.20	450.00	600.00
Scholars' Supplies, Elem.	542.21	500.00	550.00
Supplies and Other Expenses, Elem.	234.08	275.00	265.00
OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT			
Salaries of Janitors, Elem.	1,400.00	1,400.00	1,400.00
Fuel or Heat, Elem.	1,700.04	1,800.00	1,800.00
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses, Elem.	959.58	900.00	900.00
MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT			
Repairs and Replacements Elem.	2,339.82	250.00	350.00
AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES			
Health Supervision, Elem.	223.00	225.00	225.00
Transportation, H. S. --	900.00		
Transportation, Elem.	7,600.00	7,600.00	8,140.00
Tuition, H. S.	24,335.91	24,128.00	25,292.00
Special Activities & Special Funds, Elem.	750.00	50.00	50.00
FIXED CHARGES			
Teachers' Retirement, Elem.	1,902.55	2,400.00	2,387.20
Ins., Treas. Bonds & Expenses, Elem.	56.05	350.00	350.00

CONTINGENCY FUND		1,000.00	1,000.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY			
Additions & Improvements,			
Elem.	904.60	150.00	350.00
New Equipment, Elem.	624.85		150.00
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	\$ 77,122.62		
ADULT EDUCATION			
Special Appropriations voted			
by District		1,950.00	
Total Expenditures or			
School Appropriation	\$ 77,122.62	\$76,037.10	\$78,735.57
Balance (Actual or Estimate)	\$ 1,050.07		

Receipts

		Adopted	
		Estimated	Estimated
		Receipts	Budget
		1959-60	1961-62
Balance (Actual or Est.)	\$	72.92	\$ 5,000.00
State Aid		4,352.10	5,500.00
Federal Aid			1,000.00
Trust Funds			35.00
Other		247.67	
Total Receipts Other Than			
Property Taxes	\$	4,672.69	\$11,500.00
District Assessment		73,500.00	67,235.57
Total Appropriation Voted			
by School District	\$	78,172.69	\$78,735.57
Special Appropriation to be Financed			
by Bond Issue or Serial			
Notes Project		\$ 1,950.00	

ARTHUR SELBY,
School Board Chairman

M. WAYNE BOWIE,
Superintendent of Schools

Dated January 27, 1961

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL

Superintendent M. Wayne Bowie
Plymouth, New Hampshire

Dear Mr. Bowie:

I hereby submit my eighth report as principal of the Woodstock School. The 1960-61 school year began on September 7th, with an enrollment of 140 pupils. Halfway through the school year we still have 140 pupils, of which 81 are boys.

New drinking fountains have been installed in place of the old. Several new desks and chairs have made it possible to seat some of the larger pupils in better-fitting accommodations. Swinging doors have replaced the one-way doors between the first floor and the exits.

We are again attempting to provide hot chocolate for pupils at recess and lunch time. (Our equipment is meagre.) Mr. Corbeil has again done a fine job with the skating rink, and many pupils have helped with snow removal from the rink. The 7th grade boys have undertaken the task of making a Nature Trail, which we hope will be of much value in the study of Natural Science.

The work of the School Safety Patrol has perhaps never been more appreciated than in the past couple of weeks of savage sub-zero temperatures! Some Winter Carnival events have been shortened a bit because of the cold, but there has still been a very large number of boys and girls participating.

Last Fall the older boys and girls worked hard to convert the unsightly gravel pit behind the school to a graded slope that can be used by children who wish to ski. I would like to thank Mr. Clinton Hamnett for his help with the project. While the slope has seen much use, it is a poor substitute for the kind of a ski area that the town of Woodstock, with its many fine natural possibilities, should be able to provide for

its citizens. We continue to hack away each winter with hand-axe, knife and bush-hook . . . in order to clear a narrow ski trail down one of the slopes of Grandview Mountain, certainly one of the most beautiful and scenic areas in our region. It is too bad that we cannot take better advantage of the opportunities our physical environment provides.

This past semester there has been a small furore regarding "homework" for school pupils. I stand on the position taken by the faculty — that, generally, there is too little, rather than too much. I ask all parents to read as many as possible of the recent studies made relative to American Education. I would like, in particular, to refer to a recent comparative study, co-authored by Dr. George Gallup and Evan Hill, which is found in the last 1960 issue of The Saturday Evening Post, pages 59-76.

The Elementary School has been charged by many with failure in one of its fundamental tasks because high school and college pupils lack skill in reading. While there probably is room for improvement, we feel that our instructional program is reasonably good. Here again, however, we need some help from parents. Development of reading skills at all levels demands practice.

Our 1960 survey of our Junior High School-age pupils reveals that fewer than 17 % of these pupils read library books regularly, on their own initiative. Only one out of four of these pupils attempt to keep themselves informed of current affairs by consistently reading newspapers and magazines. Yet nearly all admit to a considerable acquaintance with the latest "funny books," and many spend from 20 to 35 hours **each week** watching Television programs. It seems highly improbable that children derive much of lasting value from most of the present programs. Most of the time thus spent is time which could be used to far greater advantage in supplementing the work of the school.

Perhaps we had better make greater use of the Truant Officer. We have had approximately **eleven hundred** half-days lost due to absence during the first semester. This is worse than last year's record, in spite of the fact that we have fewer pupils now. Probably at least 25% of these absences were not for good reasons. (It perhaps won't surprise you that attendance has been better during Winter Carnival.)

There are a few things that should be taken care of soon. One of the second-grade radiation units which has been patched several times is again leaking badly, and should be replaced.

The window in the roof of the building has broken glass, and should be repaired immediately, since the moisture it admits usually ends up in the supply closet.

Many windows now have broken sash cords, and do not function properly.

Some of our teachers need new desks rather badly. We should also get, if possible, one of the mobile Science Tables . . . for use by all grades.

We would like to again thank the Baptist Church for its help at graduation time, and also to thank Mrs. Pritchard, who has substituted so ably in the 5th grade while Mrs. Tetley is out.

1960 Graduates

Nancy Ayotte	Rachel Landry
Howard Campbell	Constance Lavigne
Deanna Huot	Joyce McLain
Edwin Mellett	

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. BEAUDIN,
Principal

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT
TO THE WOODSTOCK SCHOOL BOARD

Hereby submitted is my annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

The Woodstock Elementary School had only one change in staff for this year. Miss Anderson, who resigned to take a job nearer to Plymouth, was replaced by Mrs. Micklon who was a 1960 graduate of Plymouth Teachers College in the Elementary Curriculum. She has proven to be a good teacher with a great deal of energy and ambition and is well liked by the students in her class. All other teaching assignments remained the same.

Mrs. Wilson, the present Music Supervisor for the Union, has informed me she would be willing to take on the duties of Supervisor of Music in your school for another year if you so desire and in all probability there will be a special article in the warrant so you can decide to add this service if you wish. I would highly recommend doing so if you feel you can from the financial angle. Under such a program the Music Supervisor visits each class each week and teaches a full period of music as well as leaving lessons and instructions for the teacher to work on during her absence. The Music Supervisor is also available for evening functions, graduations and things of this nature where singing, music or chorus groups participate.

During the Fall the question was raised concerning the amount of homework in the upper grades. From my knowledge and interest concerning the matter, I did not feel it was in excess so I invited Mr. Economopolis, Elementary School Supervisor for the State of New Hampshire to visit and make his recommendations to me. After his investigation, it was his feeling that too much was not being required but what was needed was more articulation between teachers so that on any given night a child might not have more than

he could do and on another practically none. This advice has been followed and there seems to be no more difficulty.

During the year another major piece of playground equipment has been added and two new drinking fountains installed in the school to replace those that were out of date and of a type not recommended by the State Department of Public Health.

The testing program remains the same as in previous years with readiness tests being administered to first graders when they enter school and achievement batteries administered to all children in the Fall and in the Spring. This year also an aptitude test will be given to all 8th graders to aid school officials in high school placement of the graduates.

The big problem facing the district it seems to me concerns possible courses of action in the education of the high school pupils. I am aware of the fact that committees from both Lincoln and Woodstock have been working on the problem and at this writing I am not sure what the solution is going to be. The Lincoln Superintendent, the school principals and myself met in the Fall to discuss this matter at length and I think that from the concensus of opinion a new 6-year high school was the best solution to the problem if the funds were made available for a building. In any event some decision should be made soon and positive action of some sort should follow. In the event that a 6-year high school (grades 7-12) was voted and built, grades 7 and 8 from the Woodstock Elementary School would move into it. The upstairs temporary partition between what is now Mrs. Hoff's and Mrs. Tetley's rooms could be removed thus leaving a school assembly area that could be used for many school activities as well as for a school hot lunch program which I would like to see some time in the future. Under present conditions this is impossible. A building program for the two towns under the Cooperative School Plan would give both Woodstock and Lincoln a voice in the organization and administration and it seems to me to be a desirable thing.

I would like to have you know that I am available to help in any way I can on the planning and guidance of this project if it reaches that stage.

I feel we have had a most successful year in education and I would like to have you know that I am ready to assist you in any way possible with your educational problems.

Respectfully submitted,

M. WAYNE BOWIE,
Superintendent of Schools

EXPLANATION OF SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Section 5, Chapter 243, Laws of 1953 of the State of New Hampshire, requires that school district annual reports show the total amount paid to the superintendent of schools as per the following quotation: "Reports. Each superintendent of a supervisory union shall annually prepare a report showing the total salary paid to the superintendent, which report shall show in detail the amount derived from the per capita tax and the amount paid directly by each school district in the union."

One-half of the supervisory union expenses is prorated among the several school districts of the union on the basis of adjusted valuation. One-half is prorated on the basis of average daily membership in the school for the previous school year ending June 30th. The Superintendent of Supervisory Union No. 48 during 1959-60 received a salary of \$7,750 which was made up as follows: \$3,500 paid from the per capita tax and \$4,250 prorated among the several school districts. Allowance of \$1,100 for travel within the union was also prorated as stated above.

The table below shows the portion of salary and travel charged to each school district.

	Salary	Travel
Campton	\$ 789.65	\$ 204.38
Dorchester	29.33	7.59
Plymouth	1,611.17	417.01
Rumney	623.47	161.37
Thornton	396.95	102.74
Wentworth	192.95	49.94
Woodstock	606.48	156.97
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	\$ 4,250.00	\$ 1,100.00

Superintendent's salary for 1959-60 based on the above figure is reconciled as follows: \$3,500 paid from State per capita tax plus \$4,250 paid by various districts, equals \$7,750 superintendent's basic salary.

M. WAYNE BOWIE,
Superintendent of Schools

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 48
SCHOOL CALENDAR 1961-1962

September 6, 1961 Wednesday — Schools Open
October 20, 1961 Friday — Schools Closed.
State Teachers Convention
November 22, 1961 Wednesday — Schools Close.
Thanksgiving Recess. All day session
November 27, 1961 Monday — Schools Reopen
December 21, 1961 Thursday — Schools Close.
Christmas Holiday
January 2, 1962 Tuesday — Schools Reopen
February 16, 1962 Friday — Schools Close
Midwinter Vacation
February 26, 1962 Monday — Schools Reopen
April 20, 1962 Friday — Schools Close.
Spring Vacation
April 30, 1962 Monday — Schools Reopen
May 30, 1962 Wednesday — Schools Closed.
Memorial Day
June 15, 1962 Friday — Schools Close for Summer
Recess

This school calendar allows for 182 school days. Up to two days may be lost for storms or other emergencies and still be within the present State requirement of 180. If more than two days are lost, arrangements will need to be made to make up the time.

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