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TOWN OFFICERS OF CORNISH, N. H.

Moderator
CARROLL E. KENYON

Town Clerk
AVIS B. MacMILLAN

Town Treasurer
REGINALD P. DAVIDSON

Selectmen
JESSE B. DEMING
HERBERT H. HODGEMAN
HARRY J. NELSON

Tax Collector
CARROLL E. KENYON

Auditors
MARTHA McSWAIN
HELEN SOUTHWICK

Health Officer
GRACE M. RAWSON

Supervisors of Check List
ELLSWORTH H. ATWOOD
LAWRENCE D. HUNT
CLYDE J. BAILEY

Trustees of Trust Funds
JESSE B. DEMING
HERBERT H. HODGEMAN
HARRY J. NELSON

Library Trustees
IRENE C. LaCLAIR
GRACE M. RAWSON
GEORGIANNA L. BENDIXSON

Constables
PAUL H. LaCLAIR
NORRIS S. WELD
Overseer of Welfare
JOSEPH H. BROOKS
Highway Agent and Cemetery Sexton
GEORGE S. GEER

Fire Chief and Warden Tel. Claremont 775-W2
ELLSWORTH H. ATWOOD

Deputy Fire Wardens
NORRIS S. WELD
ROBERT C. LaCLAIR
ROBERT E. BAYLISS
JOSEPH H. BROOKS

Fence Viewers
JESSE L. STONE
ARTHUR B. DENSMORE
PAUL F. TEWKSBURY

Surveyor of Wood, Bark and Lumber
REGINALD P. DAVIDSON

Hog Reeves
FRED SULLIVAN
FRANK WOODBURY
ROLAND JONES
DAVID JOYCE
JOHN SILVER

Representative to General Court
FRED DAVIS

A WORD FROM THE SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of the town of Cornish:

In accordance with the Public Laws of the State of New Hampshire, the Selectmen herewith present the Annual Report of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Trustees of Trust Funds, Town Clerk, Library Trustees, Fire Warden, Civil Defense Director, Planning Board, Overseer of Welfare, Police Department, Town History Committee, Road Agent's Receipts and Auditor's Statement.

Another year has passed and Cornish residents have much to be thankful for.

On January 9th we received a 'Certificate of Achievement', from Frederick N. Clarke, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, "In recognition of outstanding highway accident prevention activities and completing the year without a fatal Motor Vehicle accident," in Cornish.

This was the year for perambulating the Town Boundaries and dating the stone markers. This was interesting, also quite strenuous. We feel that more folks should know where the town boundaries are.

We appreciate the efforts of the Memorial Day Committee for the good program presented on Memorial Day.

We also thank the Boy Scouts for placing flags on the Soldiers' Graves at Memorial time and any other work they did.

We feel that our highways are being made a little safer each year by being widened in places and corners cut off.

The Butman Bridge abutments were reinforced with concrete and steel decking put on, as voted, which will eliminate often replanking with wood. We hope that another bridge will be fixed in the same way this year.

The following new Cemetery Funds were received: \$100 given by Willis A. Clark, for care and upkeep of the Willis A. Clark Lot in the Child Cemetery.

\$100 given by Ethel Johnson, for care and upkeep of the Dayton F. Johnson Lot in the Edminster Cemetery.

\$100 given by Hazel E. Weld, for the care and upkeep of the Henry H. Weld Lot in the Comings Cemetery.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Cornish in the County of Sullivan in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Cornish on Tuesday, the 8th day of March, next at ten 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.

(A) Town Officers Salaries	\$ 3,000.00
(B) Town Officers Expenses	1,000.00
(C) Election and Registration Expenses	900.00
(D) Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,500.00
(E) Police Department	85.00
(F) Fire Department	600.00
(G) Blister Rust	400.00
(H) Insurance (on Town Help)	500.00
(I) Town Maintenance; Highways and Bridges	20,000.00
(J) Health Department	50.00
(K) Vital Statistics	30.00
(L) Town Dump	100.00
(M) Street Lighting	200.00
(N) Library	800.00
(O) Old Age and Town Welfare	2,600.00
(P) Memorial Day	50.00
(Q) Cemeteries	700.00
(R) Damages and Legal Expenses, Including Dogs	225.00

(S) Employees Retirement and Social Security	700.00
(T) Interest	500.00
(U) Visiting Nurse	100.00
(V) County Tax	
(W) Capital Reserve Fund for New Equipment	1,500.00
(X) Second and last Payment on Oshkosh Truck	3,116.37

3. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell, or otherwise administer, property acquired through tax Sales and Liens.

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

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,054.70; the State to contribute \$7,031.31, for Town Road Aid.

6. To see if the Town will elect a Committee to get up a Program for Memorial Day.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of one hundredth of one per cent ($1/100$ of 1 %) of the assessed valuation for the purposes of publicizing and promoting the Natural Advantages of the Town, together with other towns in the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

8. To see what action the Town wishes to take in regard to trading the G. M. C. truck and raising money therefore.

9. To see if the Town will vote to sell the land which was occupied by a Town Shed, across the highway from Cornish Grange No. 25 to the former owners for the expense of the transaction.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise the necessary sum of money for the purpose of installing an electric water system in the Town Garage Heater Room; consisting of a well, electric pump, lavatory, hose to fill the booster tank on the Fire Truck and necessary piping.

11. To see if the Town will vote to trade the old road grader and the old tractor and snow plow for a medium sized bulldozer and raise money therefore.

12. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the short piece of road that connected Route 12A with the St. Gaudens Road a few rods south of the "Beaman Stone Arched Bridge".

13. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue sections of the old Route 12A not included in the relocated right of way.

Said sections as follows:

Between Station 33-50 and Station 37-00

Between Station 68-00 and Station 70-50

Between Station 73-00 and Station 76-00

Between Station 82-00 and Station 92-00

Between Station 98-00 and Station 106-50

Between Station 114-00 and Station 131-00, except the right of way to the 'Ferry' or 'River' Road at approximately Station 121-00 and Between Station 146-00 and Station 155-00.

14. To see if the Town will vote to close the east end of the Burrow Road subject to gates and bars.

15. To hear reports of Officers, Agents, Auditors and Committees here-to-fore choosen and pass any vote in relation there-to.

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

Given under our hands and seal, this 15th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty.

JESSE B. DEMING,
HERBERT H. HODGEMAN,
HARRY J. NELSON,

Selectmen of Cornish.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JESSE B. DEMING,
HERBERT H. HODGEMAN,
HARRY J. NELSON,

Selectmen of Cornish.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H.

Estimates of Revenues and Expenditures for the Ensuing
Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations
and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1959
to December 31, 1959

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1959	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1959	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1960
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 5,293.93	\$ 5,300.00
Railroad Tax	200.00	238.05	200.00
Savings Bank Tax	20.00	19.48	20.00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	560.00	641.00	600.00
Income of Departments:			
Highway, including rental of equipment	700.00	584.75	600.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	5,000.00	4,829.11	4,800.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	700.00	628.00	800.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	7.00	7.00	7.00
(c) Yield Taxes	700.00	176.08	900.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 13,387.00	\$ 12,417.40	\$ 13,227.00

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H.

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1959	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1959	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1960
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,550.30	\$ 3,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,000.00	1,108.97	1,000.00
Election and Registration Expenses	300.00	251.32	900.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	1,500.00	1,477.20	1,500.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	75.00	107.26	85.00
Fire Department	600.00	733.37	690.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	400.00	400.00	400.00
Insurance	500.00	460.20	500.00
Damage by Dogs	150.00	161.01	150.00
Civil Defense	100.00	248.23	
Health:			
Health Department	25.00	50.00	50.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	35.00	30.00
Visiting Nurse	100.00	100.00	100.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	100.00	120.00	100.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance— Summer - Winter	21,000.00	22,034.26	20,000.00
Street Lighting	200.00	198.00	200.00
Town Road Aid	1,061.92	1,061.92	
Libraries:			
Library	800.00	200.00	800.00

Purposes of Expenditures (Continued)

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Approp. Previous Yr. 1959	Actual Expend. Previous Yr. 1959	Estimated Expend. Ensuing Yr. 1960
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor and Old Age Assistance	2,800.00	2,244.63	2,600.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	50.00	36.10	50.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	700.00	677.96	700.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses	75.00	50.00	75.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	650.00	659.49	700.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans—On Long Term Notes and Bonds— On Principal of Trust Funds	600.00	537.94	500.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Construction—Butman Bridge	900.00	901.12	
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	3,116.37	3,116.37	3,116.37
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,500.00
County Taxes	7,463.58	7,463.58	7,500.00
School Taxes	56,163.47	55,163.47	55,104.98
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$104,455.34</u>	<u>\$104,747.70</u>	<u>\$101,261.35</u>

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings (Exclusive of Property Listed in Item No. 2).	\$1,799,070.00
Mill Buildings, Land and Machinery	309.00
Electric Plants	196,050.00
House Trailers Used as Dwellings	300.00
Stock in Trade	9,450.00
Horses, Asses and Mules—38	3,700.00
Cows—448	51,455.00
Other Neat Stock—41	4,170.00
Sheep and Goats—118	1,217.00
Fowls—700	262.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks—6	900.00
Road Building, Stone Crushers, Derricks and Construction Mach.	5,100.00
Total Gross Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	\$2,071,974.00
Less: Veterans' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind	61,900.00
Net Valuation On Which Tax Rate Is Computed	\$2,010,074.00

Electric and Gas Utility Companies

Central Vermont Public Service Corp.	\$ 20,200.00
Connecticut Valley Electric Co., Inc.	53,800.00
Granite State Electric Co.	6,900.00
New England Power Co.	107,500.00
New Hampshire Electric Cooperative	7,650.00
Total	\$196,050.00

Exemptions and Inventories

Amount of Property Valuation exempted to Veterans	\$ 61,900.00
Number of Inventories distributed	429
Number of Inventories returned	217
Number of Veterans who received Property Exemption	62
Number of Veterans exempted from Poll Tax	115

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

Appropriations

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 3,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,000.00
Election and Registration Expenses	300.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	1,500.00
Police Department	75.00
Fire Department	600.00
Blister Rust—Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	400.00
Insurance	500.00
Civilian Defense	100.00
Health Department	25.00
Hospitals	100.00
Vital Statistics	25.00
Dump and Garbage Collection	100.00
Town Road Aid	1,031.92
Town Maintenance (Summer—Winter)	21,000.00
Street Lighting	200.00
Libraries	800.00
Old Age Assistance—Public Relief	2,800.00
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day	50.00
Cemeteries	700.00
Damages and Legal Expenses—Including Dogs	225.00
Social Security and Retirement	650.00
New Construction—Bridges	900.00
Payment on Debt (Principal \$3,116.37) (Interest \$600.00)	3,716.37
Capital Reserve Fund—to be raised by taxation	1,000.00
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Total Town Appropriations	\$ 40,823.29
County Tax	7,463.58
School Tax	56,163.47
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Total Town, County and School Appropriations	\$104,455.34

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest on Taxes	\$ 200.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	5,293.93
Railroad Tax	238.05
Savings Bank Tax	20.00
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	600.00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS (Continued)

Business Licenses and Permits	17.00	
Rent of Town Property and Equipment	700.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	5,000.00	
Dog Licenses	617.59	
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Total Revenues and Credits		12,686.48
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		\$ 91,768.86
Plus Overlay		1,570.54
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Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		\$ 93,339.40
Less: Number (435) of Poll Taxes at \$2.00	\$ 870.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	6.00	
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		876.00
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Amount to be raised by Property Taxes		\$ 92,463.40
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Taxes to be Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes		\$ 92,463.40
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Total Property Taxes		\$ 92,463.40
Poll Taxes at \$2.00		870.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		6.00
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Total Taxes to be Committed		\$ 93,339.40
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Town Tax Rate	\$4.60	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

For Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1959

Title of Appropriations	Appropriation	Received and Reimbursed	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft	Due School District
Town Officers' Salary	\$ 3,000.00	\$	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,550.30	\$	\$ 550.30	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,108.97		108.97	
Elections and Registration	300.00		300.00	251.32	48.68		
Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,477.20	22.80		
Police Department	75.00		75.00	107.26		32.26	
Fire Department	600.00	135.07	735.07	733.37	1.70		
Visiting Nurse	100.00		100.00	100.00			
Blister Rust	400.00		400.00	398.40	1.60		
Insurance	500.00	18.21	518.21	460.20	58.01		
Town Maintenance	21,000.00	1,036.96	22,036.96	22,034.26	2.70		
Highways and Bridges	25.00		25.00	50.00		25.00	
Health Department							

Vital Statistics	25.00	25.00	35.00	10.00
Town Dump	100.00	100.00	120.00	20.00
Street Lighting	200.00	200.00	198.00	2.00
Library	800.00	800.00	800.00	
Old Age Assistance and Town Poor	2,800.00	209.75	2,244.63	765.12
Memorial Day	50.00	50.00	36.10	13.90
		Carried over		
Civil Defense	100.00	376.50	248.23	247.63
		19.36		
Cemeteries	700.00	700.00	677.96	22.04
Damage and Legal Expenses Including Dogs	225.00	225.00	211.01	13.99
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	650.00	650.00	659.49	9.49
Interest	600.00	600.00	537.94	62.06
County Tax			7,463.58	
Capital Reserve Fund	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	
First Payment on Oshkosh Truck	3,116.37	3,116.37	3,116.37	
Steel Decking on Butman Bridge	900.00	900.00	901.12	1.12
Town Road Aid	1,061.92	1,061.92	1,061.92	
		Carried over		
School Tax	56,163.47	13,000.00	69,163.47	14,000.00
	\$ 96,991.76	\$ 14,795.85	\$104,746.10	\$ 1,262.23
				\$ 757.14
				\$ 14,000.00

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF CORNISH,, N. H.

For The Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

ASSETS

Cash

In hands of treasurer \$ 11,008.94

Capital Reserve Funds:

Cemetery Fund \$ 849.89

New Highway Equipment 1,000.00

1,849.89

Accounts Due to the Town—

Town History Committee \$ 103.92

Town Civil Defense 247.63

Town Planning Board 100.00

Town Cemetery Committee 50.00

501.55

Unredeemed Taxes: (from tax sale on account of)

Levy of 1958 \$ 1,621.45

Levy of 1957 911.06

Previous Years 204.74

2,737.25

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1959 \$ 16,257.42

Levy of 1958 76.50

Levy of 1957 288.72

Previous Years 931.81

State Head Taxes—Levy of 1959 780.00

State Head Taxes—Previous Years 45.00

18,379.45

Total Assets \$ 34,477.08

GRAND TOTAL \$ 34,477.08

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Town History Committee	\$ 103.92	
Town Civil Defense	247.63	
Town Planning Board	100.00	
Town Cemetery Committee	50.00	
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Due to State:

State Head Taxes—1959 (Uncollected \$780.00) (Collected—not remitted to State Treas. \$380.00)	\$ 1,160.00	
Yield Tax—Bond and Debt Retirement (Uncollected \$321.68)	321.68	
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Due to School Districts:

Balance of Appropriation		14,000.00
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Capital Reserve Funds:

Highway Equipment	\$ 1,000.00	
Cemetery Fund	849.89	
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Long Term Notes Outstanding		3,116.37
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Total Liabilities		\$ 20,949.49
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)		13,527.59

GRAND TOTAL		<hr/> \$ 34,477.08
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RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—Current Year—1959	\$77,185.12
Poll Taxes—Current Year—1959	628.00
National Bank Stock Taxes—1959	7.00
Yield Taxes—1959	176.08
State Head Taxes at \$5—1959	1,905.00
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Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	\$ 79,901.20
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Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—Previous Years	15,123.59
Poll Taxes—Previous Years	236.00
State Head Taxes at \$5—Previous Years	750.00
Interest received on Taxes	510.24
Penalties on State Head Taxes	76.00
Tax sales redeemed	2,892.54

From State:

For Highways and Bridges:	
For Class V Highway Maintenance	\$ 888.53
Interest and dividends tax	5,293.93
Railroad Tax	238.05
Savings Bank Tax	19.48
Blister Rust	1.60
Civil Defense Refund	19.36
Fighting forest fires	84.42
Reimbursement a/c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	452.21
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	6,997.58

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	\$ 641.00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	39.00
Income—Fire Department	50.65
Income—Highway Department	584.75
Income—1960 Auto permit	4.43
Registration of motor vehicles, 1958, Permits	51.26
Registration of motor vehicles, 1959, Permits	4,773.42
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	\$ 6,144.51

Total Current Revenue Receipts \$112,631.63

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$ 10,000.00
School Refund on Insurance	18.21
Town Welfare Refunds	209.75
Town Histories sold	22.50
Burial Fees	650.00
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue \$ 10,900.46

Total Receipts from All Sources \$123,532.12

Cash on hand January 1, 1959 10,303.50

GRAND TOTAL \$133,835.62

Unclassified: (Continued)

Taxes bought by town	\$ 3,735.58	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	140.29	
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax		
Debt Retirement	183.71	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	659.49	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses		4,719.07

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 266.67	
Paid on long term notes	217.92	
Deficiency in Mercer Fund	53.35	
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Total Interest Payments		537.94

Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:

Butman Bridge	\$ 901.12	
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Total Outlay Payments		901.12

Indebtedness:

Payment on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 10,000.00	
Payments on long term notes	3,116.37	
Payments to capital reserve funds	1,000.00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		14,116.37

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes paid State Treas.		
(1959 Taxes \$1,045.50) (Prior Years \$1,374.50)	\$ 2,420.00	
Taxes paid to County	7,463.58	
Payments to School Districts		
(1958 Tax \$13,000.00) (1959 Tax \$42,163.47)	55,163.47	
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		65,047.05

Total Payments for all Purposes		\$122,826.68
Cash on hand December 31, 1959		11,008.94

GRAND TOTAL 133,835.62

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 6,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings, including office building	18,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
Fire Department and Equipment	8,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	7,000.00
Equipment	14,500.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	103,000.00
Equipment	7,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	
Wood Lot on Mt. Road	100.00
Land on South Cornish Road	50.00
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Total	\$168,650.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Avis B. MacMillan

Phone Claremont 673-W1

Motor Vehicle Permits

752 Permits \$ 4,829.11

Dog Licenses

200 Males and Spayed Females at \$2.00	\$ 400.00
33 Females at \$5.00	165.00
3 Males and Spayed Females at \$2.50	7.50
3 Kennel Licenses	44.00
1 Female License at \$5.50	5.50
1 Male License at \$1.25	1.25
1 Male License at \$1.50	1.50
1 Male License at .75	.75
(Uncollected in 1958)	15.50
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	\$ 641.00

Town Histories Sold

5 Sets at \$5.00	\$ 25.00
Less commission	2.50
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	22.50
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Paid Town Treasurer	\$ 5,492.61

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes

LEVY OF 1959

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector		
Property Taxes	\$ 92,463.40	
Poll Taxes	870.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	7.00	
Yield Taxes	1,155.22	
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Total Warrant		\$ 94,495.62
Added Poll Taxes	\$ 4.00	
Interest Collected	12.04	
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 94,511.66

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer		
Property Taxes	\$ 77,185.12	
Poll Taxes	626.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	7.00	
Yield Taxes	176.08	
Interest Collected	12.04	
Abatements	2.00	
Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1959		
Property Taxes	15,278.28	
Poll Taxes	246.00	
Yield Taxes	979.14	
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 94,511.66

LEVY OF 1958

DR.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1959		
Property Taxes	\$ 14,013.57	
Poll Taxes	250.00	
Yield Taxes	840.12	
Interest Collected During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959	472.01	
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 15,575.70

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year
 Ended December 31, 1959

Property Taxes	\$ 14,009.83
Poll Taxes	222.00
Yield Taxes	763.62
Interest Collected During Year	472.01
Abatements	9.74

Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List

Poll Taxes	22.00
Yield Taxes	73.50

TOTAL CREDITS

\$ 15,575.70

LEVY OF 1957

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1959

Property Taxes	\$ 191.27
Poll Taxes	10.00
Yield Taxes	447.23
Interest Collected	27.23

TOTAL DEBITS

\$ 675.73

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year
 Ended December 31, 1959

Property Taxes	\$ 143.45
Yield Taxes	162.53
Interest Collected	27.23
Abatements	47.75

Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List

Property Taxes	4.07
Poll Taxes	6.00
Yield Taxes	234.65

TOTAL CREDITS

\$ 675.73

LEVY OF 1956

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1959

Property Taxes	\$ 170.06
Poll Taxes	12.00
Yield Taxes	589.75

TOTAL DEBITS

\$ 771.81

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year
Ended December 31, 1959

Property Taxes	\$ 59.00
Poll Taxes	2.00
Abatements	6.00

Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List

Property Taxes	111.05
Poll Taxes	4 00
Yield Taxes	589.75

TOTAL CREDITS	<hr/>	\$ 771.81
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LEVY OF 1955

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1959

Property Taxes	\$ 231.00
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TOTAL DEBITS	<hr/>	\$ 231.00
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CR.

Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List

Property Taxes	\$ 231.00
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TOTAL CREDITS	<hr/>	\$ 231.00
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Summary of Warrant

STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1959

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed To Collector

Original Warrant	\$ 2,665.00
Added Taxes	20.00
Penalties Collected	10.50

TOTAL DEBITS	<hr/>	\$ 2,695.50
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CR.

Remittances to Treasurer

Head Taxes	\$ 1,905.00
Penalties	10.50
Uncollected Taxes as Per List	780.00

TOTAL CREDITS	<hr/>	\$ 2,695.50
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LEVY OF 1958

DR.

Uncollected Taxes As of Jan. 1, 1959

Penalties Collected	\$ 775.00
	65.00

TOTAL DEBITS	<hr/>	\$ 840.00
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	CR.		
Remittances to Treasurer During 1959		\$ 685.00	
Penalties		65.00	
Abatements		45.00	
Uncollected Taxes as Per List		45.00	
TOTAL CREDITS			\$ 840.00

LEVY OF 1957

	DR.		
Uncollected Taxes As of January 1, 1959		\$ 20.00	
Penalties Collected		.50	
TOTAL DEBITS			\$ 20.50

	CR.		
Remittances to Treasurer During 1959		\$ 5.00	
Penalties		.50	
Abatements		15.00	
TOTAL CREDITS			\$ 20.50

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

As of December 31, 1959

	DR.		
Balance Of Unredeemed Taxes			
As of January 1, 1960		\$ 1,830.43	
Taxes Sold to Town			
August 29, 1959			
October 1, 1959		3,735.53	
Interest and Redemption			
Cost After Sale		63.78	
TOTAL DEBITS			\$ 5,629.79

	CR.		
Remittances to Treasurer During Year		\$ 2,892.54	
Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales			
As of December 31, 1959			
Levy of 1954		\$ 6.89	
Levy of 1955		197.85	
Levy of 1957		911.06	
Levy of 1958		1,621.45	
TOTAL CREDITS			\$ 5,629.79

Respectfully Submitted,
 CARROLL E. KENYON,
 Tax Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1st, 1959—Cash on hand	\$ 10,303.50
Total receipts from all sources during the year:	\$123,532.12
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	\$133,835.62
Less total expenditures	122,826.68
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Cash balance on hand January 1st, 1960	\$ 11,008.94

Respectfully submitted,

REGINALD P. DAVIDSON,
Town Treasurer.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Jesse B. Deming	\$ 744.89
Herbert H. Hodgeman	727.50
Harry J. Nelson	588.75
Avis B. MacMillan	476.00
Norman A. Chabot	64.38
Robert I. Forrest	28.13
Reginald P. Davidson	125.00
Carroll E. Kenyon	723.75
Joseph H. Brooks	26.35
Paul H. LaClair	63.75
Norris S. Weld	31.88
	\$ 3,550.30

Expenses

Jesse B. Deming	\$ 74.62
Herbert H. Hodgeman	75.45
Harry J. Nelson	49.95
Avis B. MacMillan	30.16
Reginald P. Davidson, including officers bonds	183.41
Carroll E. Kenyon	48.54
Joseph H. Brooks	26.35
Paul H. LaClair	23.57
Norris S. Weld	20.60
Dorothy P. Thornton	8.00
A.C. Thornton	5.37
Brown & Saltmarsh	36.75
Claremont Publishing Co. Inc.	361.90
Harold H. Dean	1.00
Associates of New Hampshire Assessors	3.00
New Hampshire State Tax Collectors Association	3.00
Charles R. Hardy	3.00
Kimball's Inc.	.95
State Treasurer	1.00
Bernice M. S. MacWilliams	.30
Zella A. Eastman	17.10
Branham Pub. Co.	7.25
Edson C. Eastman	21.20
Sargent Bros.	26.35
State of N.H. Tax Com	77.71
Norman A. Chabot	2.44
	\$ 1,108.97

Election and Registration

Jesse B. Deming	\$	15 00
Herbert H. Hodgeman		15.00
Harry J. Nelson		15.00
Ellsworth E. Atwood		35.00
Clyde J. Bailey		35.00
Lawrence D. Hunt		36.25
Avis B. MacMillan		15.00
Adel F. Bayliss		11.25
Agnes A. Howard		11.25
Wilma G. Barton		11.25
Wilbur G. Overman		11.25
Carroll E. Kenyon		14.37
Claremont Pub. Co Inc.		25.70
	\$	251.32

Town Hall and Other Buildings

Utilgas Corp., office	\$	59.50
Suburban Natural Gas, Inc., Town Hall		221.20
S. & O. Oil Co., garage		606.43
E. H. Atwood, garage janitor & repairs		32.24
Jesse B. Deming		.54
Reginald P. Davidson—Ins. On garage etc.		302.90
New Hampshire Electric Coop. Inc., Town Hall		67.86
Granite State Electrical Co., Office & Garage		100.76
Harold H. Dean, janitor at office		40.00
Carter's Hardware		7.93
James H. Kiniry		19.02
Floyd A. Tracy		4.80
Clara C. Weld, Janitor at Town Hall		12.00
Norris S. Weld—service		2.00
	\$	1,477.20

Police Department

Paul H. LaClair	\$	63.75
Norris S. Weld		31.83
Everett A. Seale		11.63
	\$	107.23

Fire Department

E. H. Atwood	\$	372.92
Village of Windsor		244.00
Plainfield Volunteer Fire Dept.		12.00
Barnes Rouillard & McPherson, Inc. Ins. on Fire Truck		92.45
Andrew Kuhre		12.00
	\$	733.37

	Blister Rust Control	
William H. Messeck Jr.		\$ 400.00
	Vital Statistics	
Avis B. MacMillan		35.00
	Insurance	
Barnes Rouillard & McPherson, Inc.		460.20
	Health Department	
Grace M. Rawson		40.00
Arthur Hunt		5.00
John Rawson		5.00
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		\$ 50.00
	Visiting Nurse	
Windsor, Vt., Visiting Ass'n.		\$ 100.00
	Burial Money	
George S. Geer		\$ 325.00
Trustees Of Trust Funds		325.00
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		\$ 650.00
	Town Dump	
Ellsworth H. Atwood		\$ 60.00
Andrew Kuhre		60.00
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		\$ 120.00
	Street Lighting	
Granite State Electric Co.		\$ 198.00
	Old Age Assistance	
State of New Hampshire		\$ 540.07
	Town Poor	
County of Sullivan, handling surplus food direct aid		\$ 63.82 8.00
Sullivan County Home		1,248.98
Mrs. Clarence Carey		224.00
A. C. Thornton		9.99
Jesse B. Deming		7.40
Gene's Market		48.00
Harry's Shoe Barn		6.98
New Hampshire Electric Coop. Inc.		16.00
Dodge's Esso Service		43.75
A. & P. Tea Co.		17.41
Valliere's Drug Store		10.23
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		\$ 1,704.56

Interest

Peoples National Bank, anticipation of taxes	\$ 266.67
Peoples National Bank, truck	217.92
Trustee of Trust Funds, Deficiency in Mercer Fund	53.35
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	\$ 537.94

Taxes Paid To County

Taxes paid to County	\$ 7,463.53
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Paid To The State

N.H. State Treasurer, 1959 head taxes	\$ 1,374.50
N.H. State Treasurer, previous year's Head taxes	1,045.50

School District

R. P. Davidson, Treasurer, on 1958 appropriation	\$ 13,000.00
R. P. Davidson, Treasurer, on 1959 appropriation	42,163.47
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	\$ 55,163.47

Temporary Loan

Peoples National Bank	\$ 10,000.00
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Retirement System

Employees Retirement System	\$ 288.47
Social Security	371.02
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	\$ 659.49

Butman Bridge Special

Northeastern Culvert Corp.	\$ 846.72
George S. Geer	8.40
Leonard H. Pardy	9.10
Lawrence J. Hilliard	9.10
Walter N. Burr	9.10
Howard G. Parks	7.70
E. H. Atwood	11.00
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	\$ 901.12

Memorial Day

Windsor News Co.	\$ 26.10
Rev. Alan Bragg	10.00
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	\$ 36.10

Cemeteries

George S. Geer	\$ 106.40
Leonard H. Pardy	46.80
Lawrence J. Hilliard	53.30
Rodney L. Lovell	182.18
Leland F. Atwood	178.64
Rodney L. Lowell 3rd	43.77
Warren A. Geer	10.72
Joe's Equipment	7.10
Hathorn's Inc.	2.74
E. H. Atwood	1.25
Gardner's Welding	1.50
Chabot's Garage	2.56
Walter N. Burr	41.00
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	\$ 677.96

Libraries

Stowell Free Library	\$ 890.00
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Taxes Bought By Town

Carroll E. Kenyon, Collector	\$ 3,735.58
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Overtax

Perley E. Batchelder, On 1959 taxes	\$ 13.80
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Discounts, Abatements and Refunds

Carroll E. Kenyon, Collector	\$ 125.49
E. H. Atwood	1.00
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	\$ 126.49

Damage By Dogs and Legal Expenses

Avis B. MacMillan	\$ 48.60
Paul H. LaClair	28.85
Norris S. Weld	23.71
Everett A. Seale	4.20
David G. Breen	26.68
Harry J. Nelson	2.50
John E. Sawyer	4.50
Wheeler & Clark	21.97
Buckley, Zopf & Sayce	50.00
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	\$ 211.01

Civil Defense

Wilbur G. Overman	\$ 25.87
Arthur Densmore	14.49
Treasurer State New Hampshire	159.84
Treasurer State New Hampshire	19.33
Treasurer State New Hampshire	14.11
New Hampshire Distributing Agency	5.25
Claremont Publishing Co.	9.40
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	\$ 248.23
Refunded	19.33
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Net spent	\$ 228.87

Payment on Oshkosh Truck

Peoples National Bank	\$ 3,116.37
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Capital Reserve Fund

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$ 1,000.00
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Bounties on Porcupines

Bounties paid	\$ 68.00
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State of New Hampshire Class Five Highways

Money	
George S. Geer	\$ 151.20
Leonard H. Pardy	123.50
Lawrence J. Hilliard	141.70
Walter N. Burr	118.20
Rodney L. Lovell	55.00
Howard G. Parks	24.40
Leland E. Atwood	14.00
Orville B. Fitch	87.50
Arthur Weld	14.40
Miller Construction Co.	7.50
Aiken Construction Co.	144.00
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	\$ 881.40

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

L. Barker	\$ 165.00
E. Bartlett	5.00
A. Bendixon	6.60
W. Benware	8.00
J. Brooks	4.00
A. Burbank	4.00
B. Carter	24.15
R. Clafflin	2.00
V. Clow	.30
H. Cole	6.90
E. Conover	3.00
R. Davidson	5.00
M. Drechsler	4.00
G. Fecteau	16.00
R. Fecteau	17.00
R. Forrest	5.50
A. Fuller	24.00
St. Gaudens	26.00
G. Gerritson	6.50
E. Griggs	18.00
A. Hodgdon	10.00
H. Hunt	8.00
W. Jenckes	8.00
L. LaClair	4.50
E. Lear	7.00
W. Lloyd	1.00
J. Lovejoy	8.62
G. Morris	24.00
H. Nelson	8.65
C. Newbold	33.35
T. Nichols	11.93
J. Osgood	8.00
W. Overman	8.00
C. Peterson	7.00

O. Place	6.00
M. Quimby	4.00
C. Ryea	12.00
F. Stockwell	16.00
M. Tatro	4.00
L. Towle	4.00
H. Wade	15.00
H. Wood	.75
E. Andrews	24.00
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	\$ 584.75

Highway Maintenance — Town of Cornish, New Hampshire

	Net Pay Roll	Hired Equip't.	Supplies	Repairs and Garage Bill	Gas, Oil	Insurance	Sand and Gravel	Total
George S. Geer	\$ 2,463.88	\$	\$ 45.66	\$	\$	\$	\$ 98.70	\$ 2,608.24
Leonard H. Pardy	2,621.69							2,621.69
Laurence J. Hilliard	2,787.56							2,787.56
Rodney L. Lovell	1,894.36		2.00					1,896.36
Walter N. Burr	946.04							946.04
Howard G. Parks	272.96							272.96
Leland E. Atwood	369.17							369.17
Warren A. Geer	123.69							123.69
Kermit A. Barton	241.80							241.80
Lionel Tracy	39.47							39.47
Rodney L. Lovell 3rd	21.80							21.80
Jeffrey Thibodeau	24.40							24.40
James Thibodeau	24.40							24.40
Thomas Spaulding	26.31							26.31
Verne R. Clow	9.75							9.75
Internal Revenue	1,025.30							1,025.30
Social Security	368.32							368.32
Employees' Retirement	267.80							267.80
O. H. Lewis Co., Inc.					1,852.63			1,852.63
Ludlow Rubber Co.			172.00					172.00
Orville B. Fitch	50.75							50.75
O. W. Miller							862.20	862.20
Ernest Hodgdon			10.00					10.00
Harold F. Hoisington				5.00				5.00

State of New Hampshire
Department of Public Works and Highways

January 27, 1960

Jesse B. Deming, Chairman
Board of Selectmen, Cornish
R.F.D. 2
Windsor, Vermont

Dear Sir:

Listed below is a statement of expenditures on the Cornish 1959-60
Town Road Aid account.

Appropriation—State and Town	\$ 8,141.42
Expended	8,115.95
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Balance as of Dec. 31, 1959	\$ 25.47
Expenditures—	
Drainage	\$ 3,034.94
Grading	1,625.62
Gravel	3,455.39
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Total Expenditures	\$ 8,115.95
Detail of Expenditures—	
Supervision (Foreman only)	\$ 305.68
State Equipment	576.00
Hired Equipment	4,441.08
Labor	1,071.83
Bills—	
Gravel—3,976 cys.	397.60
Culverts—319 lin. ft.	840.38
Dynamite	482.33
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Total	\$ 8,115.95

Supervision from the Division Office is not a charge against the
account.

Very truly yours,
F. A. Brown,
Division Engineer

REPORT OF THE CORNISH CIVIL DEFENSE

This past year, the Civil Defense program has been coasting along on it's own momentum, due to the illness of your Director last February.

The Police School, held in Newport, was attended by nine volunteers from Cornish, one having to drop out because of being hospitalized. So we have seven accredited Civilian Defense Police for our town. This is most encouraging. The graduates, complete with badges, are Wilbur Overman, Harry Braeuler, John Ladd, Ray Sunter, "Art" Densmore, Donald Mark, John Napsy and Charles Sumner, who has left Cornish.

Our Gosset Communicator is now a reality, and Cornish is firmly established in the RACES network, our call number being 9-1-zero. We are the first town in Area 2 to be so established. Of this we should be mighty proud. However, where to set it up in a permanent "home" is undecided. I had hoped to have it in a separate heated building at my home, but there has been difficulty getting our signals over the hill to Newport. Both Area and State men are now working on it.

Operation Alert 1960 will be a National Alert for the week of May 2nd. through May 5th. Each Community will be expected to hold one or more exercises that week. It has been a hope of mine to practise evacuation of the school, and if I can count on volunteers and their cars as I have in the past, I'm sure this can be a successful and worthwhile undertaking.

There is a new long-range National Program in operation now, and in due time, I hope to distribute the literature to each family through the School, P.T.A., fraternity organizations, Garden and Home Economics Clubs and Churches.

In brief, the Federal Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization is asking every home to prepare a shelter against FALL-OUT. This would be quite different and less expensive than a BLAST-SHELTER, but still it must contain the essentials for you and your family to live for two weeks, when the danger of FALL-OUT has blown over, or when your local radiological teams tell you the area is cleared.

I quote Mr. Leo A. Hoegh, National Director of Civil and Defense Mobilization: "Most people beyond the range of blast and heat will survive IF they have adequate protection from FALL-OUT. There are means of protection—SHELTER. But that protection must be provided BEFORE, not after, the sirens sound."

(Mrs.) HARRIET D. RUNNALS,
Director.

TOWN PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The Planning Board received a citation in 1959 for the picnic area on the South Cornish Road. The award was made by the New Hampshire Roadside Improvement Associates in connection with the "Keep New Hampshire Beautiful" program. The area was used to a considerable extent this year and plans are being made to further improve it. More road signs are being painted and we expect to put them up in the spring.

The Board would welcome suggestions for new projects and would like to remind all townspeople that its meetings are open to the public.

WALTER D. JENCKES, Chairman
CLARA C. WELD, Sec.-Treas.
IRENE C. LA CLAIR,
SUSAN HILLIARD,
ELLSWORTH H. ATWOOD,
CLIFFORD H. PETERSON
HARRY J. NELSON, Selectman

REPORT OF FIRE CHIEF AND WARDEN

The Cornish Fire Department was called twenty-five times last year. There was eight chimney fires, one flooded oil burner, one car fire, one motorcycle fire, one fire in sawdust, which was started by a sawing machine, three building fires, and one time for washing gasoline off highway. There were eight fires reported to the forest department.

The village of Windsor, Fire Department was called into Cornish three times.

In case of fire call Cornish Fire Department, Claremont 775-W2; Phil Reynolds 775-M1; Paul LaClair 912-W2 or Thornton's Store 913-M1.

ELLSWORTH H. ATWOOD,
Fire Chief.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

We, the undersigned Auditors for the Town of Cornish certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Library Trustees, Fire Chief and Fire Warden, and found all accounts correctly cast and properly vouched.

HELEN M. SOUTHWICK,
MARTHA M. McSWAIN,
Auditors of Cornish

January 13, 1960



WINDSOR VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

Annual Report For 1959 For Cornish

19 home visits were made in Cornish during 1959. 18 of these were bedside nursing visits of which 8 were paid or part paid and 10 were free. 1 health guidance visit was made. In the interest of one case, many visits were made to the attending physician and a conference was held with a social service worker.

On several occasions, hospital equipment from the Loan Closet was supplied for temporary use in the home.

LUCILE WALDO, R. N.
Visiting Nurse Assn.

You Can Help Prevent Forest Fires

There were eight fire reports sent into the District office from the town of Cornish in 1959, all occurring during the month of April, the only month with any real fire hazard during the year. Of these eight reports, there were only four that could be called a Forest Fire, the rest being classified as TECHNICAL VIOLATIONS of Forest Laws, where no uncontrolled fire was involved.

We cannot expect to be as fortunate every year as to have the amount of rainfall that we had in 1959, an average of over twenty-five inches over the entire District. It therefore becomes the duty of every citizen to maintain the same vigilance and caution, that they have so admirably in the past, in the basic fundamentals of Forest Fire Prevention,

1. A permit to burn, must be obtained from the Local Warden except, when the ground is covered with snow.
2. Written permission from the Land Owner and verbal consent from the Warden, for all campfires.
3. A written permit for all incinerators and fireplaces, these may be acquired for the Season.
4. To be careful in woodlands and not to drop or throw, any lighted cigar, cigarette or match where fire starting from same could endanger woodlands.
5. To notify the Warden of any uncontrolled fire that they may see.
6. That any fire prevention is your cheapest and best insurance.

The Fire Record for the town of Cornish:

Number of fires	4
Technical Violations	3
Acres Burned	1.1
Investigations	1

GERALD S. GROSS,
District Fire Chief

ELLSWORTH H. ATWOOD,
Fire Warden

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date of Creation	NAME OF TRUST FUND	PURPOSE OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
1909	Jacob Foss	Flags and Upkeep	Peoples Nat'l Bk Stock	\$ 500.00	13 %	\$764.23	\$ 84.28	\$125.56	\$722.95
1909	Jacob Foss	Flags and Upkeep	N. H. Sav. Bank, Concord	440.00	3 1/2 %				
1902	Charles C. Beaman	Guide Boards	N. H. Sav. Bank, Concord	1,000.00	3 1/2 %	304.61	25.63		340.24
1902	William Mercer	High School Aid	N. H. Sav. Bank, Concord	7,850.00	3 1/2 %	279.66	73.99	172.00	2,735.11
1902	William Mercer	High School Aid	Claremont Savings Bank	2,487.11	3 %		13.00		
1952	William Mercer	High School Aid	Peoples Nat. Bank Stock	200.00	6 1/2 %		53.35		
1898	Public Schools	Deficiency from Town	N. H. Savings Bank	364.34	3 1/2 %		12.97	12.97	
1899	Foss and Kimball	Support of Schools	N. H. Savings Bank	4,300.00	3 1/2 %	944.87	153.19	25.00	1,073.06
1907	Stowell Trc. Library	Aid to Worthy Poor	Claremont Savings Bank	10,000.00	3 %		302.25	302.25	
1942	Frances P. Sanderson	Child Cemetery	Claremont Savings Bank	1,000.00	3 %	30.91	30.23	24.00	37.14
CHILD CEMETERY									
1917	H. A. Day	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	200.00	3 %	69.00	6.07	4.50	70.57
1917	E. O. Day	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	200.00	3 %	54.70	6.07	4.50	56.27
1918	P. C. Hardy	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	300.00	3 %	98.10	9.10	7.50	99.70
1920	George H. Ayers	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	150.00	3 %	35.79	4.54	4.50	35.83
1923	Frank A. Fifield	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	50.00	3 %	1.66	1.50	1.50	1.66
1924	Chase and Chellis	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	190.00	3 %	5.64	3.02	3.00	5.66
1923	C. D. Nevens	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	50.00	3 %	1.66	1.50	1.50	1.66
1924	Dinkle and Sisson	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	3.20	3.02	3.00	2.22
1924	Seth Cole	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	13.35	3.02	3.50	12.87
1926	William H. Child	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	15.37	3.02	3.00	15.39
1929	George F. Beckwith	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	12.63	3.02	3.00	12.65
1933	Edwin Child	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	12.43	3.02	3.00	12.45
1936	Siloam G. Spaulding	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	7.12	3.02	3.00	7.14
1940	William N. Miller	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	4.84	3.02	3.00	4.86
1940	Martha E. Weld	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	2.16	3.02	3.00	3.18
1940	Fred M. Sanderson	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	50.00	3 %	1.66	1.50	1.50	1.66
1942	Eldon H. Gordon	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	50.00	3 %	1.66	1.50	1.50	1.66
1944	W. Percival Whitmore	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	7.94	3.02	2.50	8.46
1945	Perry F. Burr	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	50.00	3 %	3.16	1.50	1.50	3.16
1945	Perry F. Burr	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	3.16	3 %	3.16	1.50	1.50	3.16
1947	Charles S. Burr	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	200.00	3 %	5.26	6.07	6.50	4.83

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1959

1949	Hamblet and Weld	Perpetual Care	U.S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2%	2.50	2.50	2.50	
1950	John M. Tewksbury	Perpetual Care	U.S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2%	2.50	2.50	2.50	
1951	Willard, Albert & Charles Weld	Perpetual Care	U.S. Bond	100.00	2 1/2%	2.50	2.50	2.50	
1959	Dayton F. Johnson	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	.25	.25	.25	
CUMMINGS CEMETERY									
1959	G. P. Williams	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	28.47	3.02	28.49	
1910	Leland A. Smith	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	17.32	3.02	17.34	
1928	Marion W. Falmer	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	20.12	3.02	20.14	
1929	D. N. Morgan	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	7.84	3.02	7.86	
1929	Emma C. Smith	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	200.00	3 %	63.17	6.07	65.78	
1934	George B. and Loretta Walker	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	3.12	3.02	3.14	
1934	S. K. Richardson	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	12.55	3.02	12.55	
1940	Kate Kendrick Mower	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	11.69	3.02	11.71	
1947	Edwin F. Bartlett	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	3.81	3.02	3.83	
1956	Gilbert & Estella Donahue	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	150.00	3 %	3.67	3.02	3.69	
1957	Clyton Bartlett	Perpetual Care	Sugar Riv. Sav. Bk. Newport	150.00	3 1/2%	6.06	4.53	6.59	
1953	Cyrus H. Barton	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	150.00	3 %	5.80	3.52	5.12	
1959	Henry H. Weld	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	5.30	4.53	9.83	
CENTER CEMETERY									
1908	Alvah Spaulding	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	50.00	3 %	10.87	1.50	10.87	
1904	Jane Wyman	Perpetual Care	N. H. Sav. Bank, Concord	81.88	3 1/2%	28.18	2.89	28.57	
1908	Lydia J. Kendrick	Perpetual Care	N. H. Sav. Bank, Concord	30.00	3 1/2%	3.64	1.79	3.93	
1947	Mary D. Wyman	Perpetual Care	U.S. Bonds	300.00		31.75		24.75	
TRINITY CEMETERY									
1951	William E. Chadbourne	Perpetual Care	U.S. Bonds	400.00	2 1/2%	25.00	10.00	35.00	
1908	Tolles, Smith and Cook	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	200.00	3 %	25.13	6.07	29.20	
1907	Horace G. P. Cross	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	15.00	3 %	3.28	2.28	4.06	
1930	E. N. Holt	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	250.00	3 %	60.31	7.55	70.00	
1944	Minnie Anderson	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	3.62	3.02	3.64	
1944	James Balloch	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	100.00	3 %	36.12	3.02	39.14	
CHASE CEMETERY									
1926	Jerome J. Wilder	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	150.00	3 %	37.21	4.54	36.85	
1937	Ebenezer and Elihu Pike	Perpetual Care	Sugar Riv. Sav. B'k, Newport	100.00	3 1/2%	5.36	3.52	5.38	
1945	Little Rublee Platt	Perpetual Care	U.S. Bond	500.00	3 %	44.45	17.15	60.86	
1957	Burling and Grimes	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	200.00	3 %	8.11	6.05	8.50	
1957	Horace Rublee	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank	300.00	3 %	9.83	9.06	10.39	
1957	Davidson and Dr. Hall	Perpetual Care	Claremont Savings Bank						
CAPITAL RESERVE FUND									
1947	Cemetery	Upkeep of Cemeteries	Clare. Sav. Bk.	594.13	3 %	17.96	17.96	849.89	
	Road Equipment	New Equipment	New Fund Added	325.00					
			Clare. Sav. Bk.	1,000.00				1,000.00	

CERTIFICATE—This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.
 Dated—January 11, 1960

Jesse B. Deming,
 Herbert H. Hodgeman,
 Harry J. Nelson, } Trustees

REPORT OF GEORGE STOWELL FREE LIBRARY

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 1, 1959	\$ 85.67
Tewn Funds	800.00
Income from trust funds	302.25
Refunds and sale of books	4.00
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	\$ 1,191.92

EXPENDITURES

Librarian	\$ 253.48
Expense account	5.60
Social Security payments	13.04
Books and periodicals	191.73
Janitor and cleaning	129.30
Lights and fuel	112.20
Supplies—organizational dues and Misc.	32.18
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	\$ 737.53
Balance	<hr/>
	\$ 454.39

BREAKDOWN OF BALANCE

Cash	\$ 4.76
Furnace fund	100.00
Insurance (Due in 1960)	150.00
Outstanding bills (Books not yet rec'd.)	99.63
Necessary balance	100.00
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	\$ 454.39

LIBRARY ESTIMATE FOR 1960

Income from trust funds	\$ 302.25
Town funds	800.00
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	\$ 1,102.25

ESTIMATED EXPENSE

Librarian	\$ 260.00
Books and Periodicals	360.00
Janitor and cleaning	130.00
Lights and Fuel	130.00
Furnace fund	100.00
Supplies etc.	25.00
Necessary Bank balance	100.00
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	\$ 1,105.00

TRUSTEES REPORT

The George H. Stowell Library has continued to grow during the last year, slowly but surely. We are never satisfied with the number of people we are able to reach but we do try to keep to a high standard of quality.

Mrs. Bendixon has been working more closely with the teachers—trying to buy books recommended by them and suitable for use in connection with their school work. We try to spend your money wisely and well.

We wish to express our appreciation at this time to the several people who have given books and magazines during the year—also the beautiful Christmas wreath. Ralph and Viola Brown, Harriet Runnals, Rebecca Hunt, Esther Bugbee, Josephine Crane, Martha Lovejoy, John Rawson, Burton Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wood, Ford Kinsmon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sumner, Dr. H. R. Steeves, Dr. Edna Steeves, and the three trustees.

Statistics

Total number of visitors	1202
Books loaned at library	2492
Magazines loaned at library	823
Books loaned to the School	154
Books borrowed from Bookmobile	192
Books borrowed from State Library	12
New books acquired in 1959	275

Avis B. MacMillan
Librarian.

Irene C. LaClair
Grace Rawson
Georgiana Bendixon
Trustees.

Department of Public Welfare

SOLDIER'S AID

Jan. 31 1959 to A. C. Thornton	\$	9.99
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AID TO POOR

Jan. 31—59 to Genes Market	\$	18.00
Feb. 7—59 to Sullivan County Home		127.41
Feb. 14—59 to Genes Market		10.00
Mar. 3—59 to Sullivan County Home		118.03
Mar. 7—59 to N. H. (R. E. A.) Electric		4.75
Mar. 14—59 to Harry's Shoe Barn		2.99
Mar. 14—59 to Dodge Esso Station (Oil)		17.50
Mar. 23—59 to A. & P Tea Co. Groceries		17.41
Mar. 23—59 to Sullivan County Comm.		8.00
Apr. 4—59 to Genes Market, Groceries		20.00
Apr. 4—59 to N. H. (R. E. A.) Electric		5.65
Apr. 4—59 to Dodge Esso Station (Oil)		8.75
Apr. 11—59 to Sullivan County Home		128.03
May 2—59 to Harry's Shoe Barn		3.99
May 2—59 to Sullivan County Home		123.43
May 2—59 to N. H. (R. E. A.) Electric		5.60
May 9—59 to Dodge Esso (Oil)		17.50
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	\$	647.03

June 6—59 to Sullivan County Home	\$128.10	
July 11—59 to Sullivan County Home	123.96	
Aug. 6—59 to Sullivan County Home	126.07	
Sept. 5—59 to Sullivan County Home	125.41	
Oct. 5—59 to Sullivan County Home	123.00	
Nov. 7—59 to Sullivan County Home	125.54	
Dec. 5—59 to Mrs. Doris Carey	110.00	
Dec. 5—59 to Vallier's Drug Store	10.23	
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	\$	872.41

SURPLUS FOOD

Jan. —59 to Sullivan County Commissioners	9.14
Feb. 14—59 to Sullivan County Commissioners	5.59
Apr. 11—59 to Sullivan County Commissioners	15.09

May 9—59 to Sullivan County Commissioners	6.60
May 23—59 to Sullivas County Commissioners	5.91
Oct. 17—59 to Sullivan County Commissioners	19.15
Nov. 23—59 to Sullivan County Commissioners	2.34
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	\$ 63.82

SALARIES

Apr. 11—59 to Jessie Deming Deputy Overseer	\$ 10.00
Dec. 31—59 to Joseph H. Brooks Overseer	71.90
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	\$ 81.90

EXPENSES

Apr. 11—59 to Jessie Deming Deputy Overseer	\$ 7.40
Dec. 31—59 to Joseph H. Brooks Overseer	26.35
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	\$ 33.75

REFUND FOR 1959

Mar. 7—59	\$ 4.75
Mar. 14—59	17.50
Apr. 4—59	5.65
Apr. 4—59	8.75
May 2—59	5.60
May 9—59	17.50
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	\$ 59.75

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Cornish qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the fifth day of March, 1960, at one-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, and the polls will be open from 10:00 A. M. to 6:30 P. M., to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer and Auditors for the ensuing year and a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
2. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
3. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
4. To choose Agents and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
5. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund, together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
6. To see if the district will authorize the school board to appropriate receipts from federal lunch reimbursements, tuition, gifts and any other receipts from miscellaneous sources, in addition to the original appropriation for 1960-61, for the lunch program, general expenses, equipment and improvements.
7. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or state agencies.

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

Given under our hands at said Cornish this twentieth day of February, 1960.

MICHAEL M. YATSEVITCH,
ANNA T. HUNT,
ALVAN BARRUS,

School Board.

A true Copy of Warrant—Attest:

MICHAEL M. YATSEVITCH,
ANNA T. HUNT,
ALVAN BARRUS,
School Board.

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT

The School Board would like to express its appreciation for the cooperation it has received from the Superintendent, the teachers, the staff, and the district in trying to keep the school running smoothly, economically, and effectively.

In accordance with the vote taken at the School meeting last March to correct the difficulties with the freezing of school's water system in winter, the more inaccessible pipes have been moved from the attic into the rooms below. The remainder of the water and heating pipes were insulated. The cost of the work was less than the \$1,500.00 raised for the purpose and there has been no difficulty with freezing this winter.

The water supply at the school still remains inadequate, and in order to help remedy this situation \$500.00 has been included in the budget.

As in the previous year the School Board and Superintendent have encouraged emphasis on the fundamentals of education and we wish to point out the importance of achieving the highest possible standards in our educational system.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL M. YATSEVICH
ANNA HUNT
ALVAN BARRUS.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Cornish School Board and Citizens of the town, I herewith submit my annual report as Superintendent of Schools:

TEACHING STAFF

The following instructors were hired this year to begin service in Cornish this past September:

Mrs. Julia Anderson was appointed teacher of Grade 4. She succeeded Mrs. Guy who returned to Vermont to teach in the town of Chester. Mrs. Anderson is a graduate of Machias Normal School in the State of Maine. She has had many years of experience in elementary schools in Maine.

Mr. John Stevens was appointed teacher of Grade 7. He succeeds Mr. Charles Howe. Mr. Stevens is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire, receiving his BA Degree in June of 1959.

Mr. Bruce Wood was appointed music instructor on a one day a week basis, combining with the Charlestown School District in the public schools of that town. Mr. Wood succeeded Mr. Robert Filippone who resigned to accept a similar position in his home town of Waterbury, Connecticut.

The other faculty members returning to their teaching assignments include the following:

Marjerie Kidder	Grade 1
Maila Suojanen	Grade 2
Lillian Symons	Grade 3
Doris Williams	Grade 5
Marion Stone	Grade 6
Eva Bernard	Grade 8

SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

The school board has held monthly meetings this past year, except for the months of July and August, when special meetings were held only as needed. The Superintendent is always present at each meeting to discuss school problems and plans as the year progresses. Monthly financial reports are prepared and presented by the Secretary to keep members informed of expenditures to date. The members of the school board should be commended for their fine work in the interest of the children in this community. They have given unstintingly of their time.

MAINTENANCE AND BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

Mr. Perkins was this year appointed custodian at the Cornish School. He succeeded Mr. MacMillan who was with us for a number of years. We appreciate very much the fine work he is doing in carrying on the maintenance work at our building.

Water pipes which have given us considerable trouble due to freezing in winter, have been re-located. This work was provided for by a special article in the warrant voted on at our last School District Meeting in March, 1959. The pipes formerly located in the attic have been placed in the corridors within the building.

We have been troubled this past year by lack of water supply, particularly for sanitary usage. It is very probable that it will be necessary, in the near future, to install an auxiliary water system to supplement our present capacity. This would enable us to place our kitchen and drinking facilities on a separate service.

STATE AID AND INCOME

Cornish has received \$1,800 as building aid from the State. This is an annual payment on the Principal cost of our building. Our State Foundation Aid has been increased from last year's figure of \$30,527 to \$31,394 this year. Our expected income from tuition this year should figure a bit over \$1,000 for placed out children.

ENROLLMENT TRENDS

The superintendent's office has made a four year survey of prospective school enrollments, beginning in September, 1960, and running through to September, 1963. Below is recorded the statistics resulting from this research.

PROJECTED ENROLLMENT

CORNISH SCHOOL

1960 - 1961 - 1962 - 1963

1960 - 1961	1961 - 1962	1962 - 1963	1963 - 1964
Grade 1 19	Grade 1 23	Grade 1 19	Grade 1 19
2 31	2 19	2 23	2 19
3 28	3 31	3 19	3 23
4 24	4 28	4 31	4 19
5 24	5 24	5 28	5 31
6 33	6 24	6 24	6 28
7 29	7 33	7 24	7 24
8 33	8 29	8 33	8 24
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226	211	201	187

OTHER

Mrs. Weld and Mrs. Ackerman have been in charge of the school cafeteria this year. They have provided very adequate lunches for those children who desired to make use of this school service. Government surplus foods have aided materially in the operation of this unit; and as a result we have been able to keep the cost to pupils at a minimum. Mr. Jonathan Ladd has taken over the responsibility of the bookkeeping. We have benefited much from his experience in supervision of purchases and financial matters connected with cafeteria operation.

Transportation contracts were let out to bids for this present fiscal year. A five year contract was awarded to Mr. Donald Hood. This procedure resulted in considerable savings to the town. Mr. Hood has operated two large capacity buses, and has given very fine service to the school. A short feeder line is operated by Mr. Orville Fitch as a supplement in the Northwest corner of the town.

Possibly twenty-one pupils will be graduated this coming June. It is expected that we will have a first grade enrollment of nineteen pupils this fall. This would indicate an opening day enrollment of about 226 pupils in September, 1960.

We are very proud of our children in the Cornish School, and we are grateful to the teachers for their fine spirit and professional loyalty throughout the school year. I have personally appreciated this support and also the help and cooperation given me by the Cornish School Board Members.

Respectfully Submitted,
NOYES C. STICKNEY, SR.,
Superintendent of Schools

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

1959 - 1960

Acworth	\$	175.00
Charlestown		1,250.00
Cornish		500.00
Goshen-Lempster		250.00
Langdon		125.00
Unity		200.00
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	\$	2,500.00
State Share		4,500.00
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TOTAL	\$	7,000.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT AND BUDGET

1960 - 1961

	Actual Expendi- tures 1958-59	Adopted (District Meeting) 1959-60	Estimated Expendi- tures 1959-60	Proposed Budget 1960-61
EXPENDITURES				
ADMINISTRATION				
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 680.00	\$ 680.00	\$ 680.00	\$ 680.00
Superintendent's Salary (local share)	441.00	500.00	500.00	540.00
Tax for State Wide Supervision	602.00	608.00	608.00	568.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	701.50	655.00	655.00	675.00
Supplies and Expenses of Administration	895.02	838.00	868.00	880.00
INSTRUCTION				
Elementary Teachers' Salaries	28,993.51	29,700.00	29,700.00	30,200.00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	502.20	808.50	800.00	847.50
Scholars' Supplies	776.51	1,155.00	1,050.00	1,186.50
Supplies and Other Expenses	488.36	288.75	200.00	282.50
OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT				
Salaries of Janitors	1,805.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,030.00
Fuel or Heat	1,483.62	1,400.00	1,450.00	1,400.00
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	1,388.44	1,150.00	1,150.00	1,100.00
MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT				
Repairs and Replacements	678.27	550.00	950.00	650.00

AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES				
Health Supervision	951.80	932.67	932.00	957.00
Transportation	10,505.00	10,800.00	9,900.00	9,900.00
Tuition, high	10,505.00	10,800.00	9,900.00	9,900.00
School Lunch	24,705.92	31,920.00	28,440.00	31,000.00
FIXED CHARGES				
Teachers' Retirement	2,201.86			
Insurance, Treasurer Bonds and Expenses	2,235.67	2,010.67	2,040.00	2,150.54
CAPITAL OUTLAY				
Additions and Improvements	459.21	474.53	470.00	555.88
New Equipment	4,306.86	1,500.00	1,000.00	500.00
DEBT AND INTEREST				
Principal on Debt	82.02	100.00	217.00	374.50
Interest on Debt	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
	1,860.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,620.00
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TOTAL 1958-59 EXPENDITURES	\$ 91,704.77			
TOTAL 1959-60 SCHOOL APPROPRIATION				
ESTIMATED TOTAL 1959-60 EXPENDITURES				
TOTAL 1960-61 SCHOOL APPROPRIATION		\$ 94,931.12	\$ 90,410.00	\$ 93,047.42
BALANCE (actual or estimated)	4,780.21		4,521.12	
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TOTALS	\$ 96,484.98	\$ 94,931.12	\$ 94,931.12	\$ 93,047.42
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RECEIPTS	Actual Receipts 1958-59	Adopted Budget 1959-60	Estimated Receipts 1959-60	Proposed Budget 1960-61
Balance (actual or estimated)	\$ 3,883.40	\$ 4,780.21	\$ 4,780.21	\$ 4,521.12
Federal Aid	1,380.58			
State Aid	30,527.18	31,394.70	31,394.70	31,394.70
Building Aid	1,800.00	1,620.00	1,620.00	1,800.00
Elementary Tuitions	1,235.20	960.00	960.00	1,035.00
Trust Funds	12.74	12.74	12.74	12.74
Other	3,091.61			
TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN TAXES	\$ 41,930.71	\$ 38,767.65	\$ 38,767.65	\$ 38,763.56
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	54,554.27	56,163.47	56,163.47	54,283.86
TOTAL 1958-59 RECEIPTS	\$ 96,484.98			
TOTAL 1959-60 SCHOOL APPROPRIATION		\$ 94,931.12		
ESTIMATED 1959-60 RECEIPTS			\$ 94,931.12	
TOTAL 1960-61 SCHOOL APPROPRIATION				\$ 93,047.42

CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT

REPORT OF TREASURER

Fiscal year: July 1st, 1958 Thru June 30th, 1959.

Balance on hand July 1st, 1958	\$ 3,883.40
State of New Hampshire: Hot Lunch Subsidy	1,380.58
School Board: Telephone fees refunded	13.57
Town of Cornish: School appropriation:	54,554.27
Cornish Fair Association: Rental of facilities	25.00
State of New Hampshire: State Aid	30,527.18
Cornish Fair Association: Gift	100.00
School District of Claremont:	
Tuition for Non-resident Pupils:	1,235.20
School Board: Proceeds of Magazine drive	116.08
School Board: Visual aid projects	57.20
Spaulding Fund	2,590.00
State of New Hampshire: School Building aid	1,800.00
Trustees of Trust Funds: Public School Fund	12.74
Joyce M. Darling, Clerk: Filing fees	3.00
Cornish P.T.A.: Gift	20.00
State of New Hampshire: Social Security Refund	256.76
	\$ 96,484.98
Total receipts	

PAYMENTS

DISTRICT OFFICER'S SALARIES

Jesse B. Deming, Auditor	\$ 5.00
Norman A. Chabot, Auditor	5.00
Alvan Barrus, School Board Member	150.00
Michael M. Yatsevitch, School Board Member	150.00
Anna T. Hunt, School Board Member	200.00
Carroll E. Kenyon, Moderator	5.00
Joyce M. Darling, Clerk	15.00
Reginald P. Davidson, Treasurer	150.00
	\$ 680.00

Superintendent's Salary (local share.)

Supervisory Union No. 5	\$ 441.00
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Tax for Statewide Supervision

State Treasurer	\$ 602.00
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Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel

Alvan Barrus, School Census	\$ 20.00
Union Secretary, Cornish's share	609.00
Edna Guest, Ballot clerk	5 00
Avis MacMillan, Ballot clerk	5.00
Adel Bayliss, Ballot clerk	5.00
Agnes Howard, Ballot clerk	5.00
Ellsworth H. Atwood, Supervisor (Checklist)	12.50
Clyde J. Bailey, Supervisor (Checklist)	12.50
Laurence D. Hunt, Supervisor (Checklist)	12.50
Dwight C. Wood, Truant Officer	15.00
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	\$ 701.50

Supplies and Expenses of Administration

Edson C. Eastman Co., Inc.	\$ 6.62
Anna T. Hunt, Postage & Telephone fees	9.00
Kimball's Inc.	32.49
Supervisory Union No. 5	677.25
Brown & Saltmarsh	6.10
N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare	4.22
W. H. Mandrey	10.00
Claremont Publishing Co. Inc.	122.22
Earle French	3.00
Reginald P. Davidson, Treas., Postage & Envelopes	15.12
Leahy & Denault, Contracts	10.00
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	\$ 896.02

Teachers' Salaries

Eva Bernard	\$ 3,400.00
Zelma Guy	3,400.00
Charles Howe	4,200.00
Marjerie Kidder	3,400.00
Marion Stone	3,300.00
Maila Suojanen	3,300.00
Lillian Symons	3,400.00
Doris Williams	3,400.00
Robert Filippone	700.00
Mrs. David Mindess	162.00
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Gross payments	\$ 28,562.00
Net payments to teachers	\$ 22,223.09

Substitute Teachers

Yvonne Gobin	\$ 230.00
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Withholding Taxes

Peoples National Bank	\$ 3,964.80
Teachers Retirement and Social Security	1,945.72
N. H.-Vt. Hospital Service, Blue Cross	459.40
Mutual Benefit Co., Insurance	165.50

Books and Other Instructional Aids

The Macmillan Company	\$ 91.60
American Book Co.	14.40
Houghton-Mifflin Co.	33.47
Follett Publishing Co.	139.21
Arlo Publishing Co.	13.58
Scott, Foresman & Co.	7.31
Ginn & Company	152.60
Rand, McNally Co.	4.91
Lyons & Carnahan	2.43
Row, Peterson & Co.	25.09
American Education Publications	17.60
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	\$ 502.20

Scholars' Supplies

American Book Co.	\$ 72.51
Houghton-Mifflin Co.	61.35
Follett Publishing Co.	60.05
Milton Bradley Co.	372.02
Civic Educational Service, Inc.	24.00
The Macmillan Co.	3.20
J. L. Hammett	37.59
Scott, Foreman & Co.	13.47
James Millward, Jr.	1.10
American Education Publications	103.00
Richeo Products Inc.	5.75
Continental Press Inc.	6.37
Perfection Form Co.	4.46
Josten Manufacturing Co.	.55
Benefic Press	11.08
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	\$ 776.51

Supplies and Other Expenses

Beckley-Cardy Co.	\$ 169.33
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	133.45

Benefic Press	21.93
N. H. State Library	5.75
Educator's Progress Service	6.50
A. B. Rider	2.95
Bush Music Center	4.15
Charlestown P. T. A.	10.00
Rice Film Co.	17.42
Supervisory Union No. 5	53.41
Ginn & Company	35.49
Jostens	27.93
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	\$ 483.36

Janitor's Salaries

Everett Seale:	\$ 1,050.00
John A. MacMillan	750.00
Clara Weld	5.00
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	\$ 1,805.00

Fuel or Heat

Seven States Gas Co., Gas:	\$ 99.95
Dodge's Esso Service, Fuel Oil:	1,380.29
John A. MacMillan, Wood:	2.50
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	\$ 1,482.74

Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses

N. H. Electric Cooperative Inc., Lights:	\$ 927.18
Pioneer Mfg. Co.	21.86
Eastern States Farmers Exchange:	3.99
Masury-Young Co.	19.09
J. I. Holcomb:	289.68
Seven States Gas Co.	20.41
Airkem Service Co.	16.50
Richeo Products	40.61
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	\$ 1,339.32

Repairs and Replacements

Everett Seale:	\$ 63.50
Russell Rock	47.00
Carter's Hardware	6.53
Vt. Concrete Pipe Co.	131.35
Ellsworth H. Atwood	6.59
Alvan Barrus	5.00

Donald L. Cass	27.50
Montgomery Ward Co.	4.74
George S. Geer	23.40
Homer Ambrose	244.52
John A. MacMillan	3.00
Montgomery Ward Co.	15.48
A. & A. J. Hutcheon, Inc.	3.38
Randall Co. Inc.	63.50
Norman Fletcher	19.00
Michael M. Yatsevitch	13.78
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	\$ 678.27

Health Supervision

Florence MacIver: School Nurse, Salary	\$ 961.80
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Transportation

John A. MacMillan	\$ 6,205.00
Donald M. Hood	4,100.00
Donald L. Cass	200.00
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	\$ 10,505.00

High School Tuitions

School District of Hanover, N. H.	\$ 1,050.00
School District of Windsor, Vt.	9,050.00
Stevens High School	14,605.92
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	\$ 24,705.92

Special Activities (Hot Lunch Program & Other).

Ruth Wood	\$ 190.22
Pauline Weld	1,336.51
Foster Beef Co.	28.66
Ginn & Company (Music)	116.08
Lunch Program	379.39
S. P. French (Landscaping)	151.00
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	\$ 2,201.86

Teachers And Union Officials Retirement

Cornish's Share	\$ 2,235.67
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Insurance and Bonds

R. P. Davidson, Agency	Treasurer's Bond	\$ 20.00
R. P. Davidson, Agency	Fire Insurance	209.99
Ellsworth H. Atwood	Fire Insurance	186.19
Town of Cornish	Employer's Liability	18.21
Barnes, Rouillard & McPherson, Inc.		24.82
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		\$ 459.21

Additions and Improvements

M. J. Bartlett, Blacktop	\$ 4,306.86
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New Equipment

Pauline Weld, on freezer	\$ 75.00
Kimball's Inc.	3.75
Estersky's Hardware	1.58
Jack Weiner	1.69
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	\$ 82.02

Principal of Dept

Bonds Retired: Nos. 21 thru 25	\$ 5,000.00
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Interest On Debt

First National Bank of Boston		\$ 1,850.00
Balance on hand plus total receipts	\$ 96,484.98	
Less total expenditures	91,704.77	
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Balance on hand July 1st, 1959	\$ 4,780.21	

Respectfully submitted,

REGINALD P. DAVIDSON,

District Treasurer.

S-8—CORNISH AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the School Board of Cornish School District for the year ending June 30, 1959, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JESSE B. DEMING
NORMAN A. CHABOT
School District Auditors,
Cornish, N. H.

PUPIL STATISTICS

1959 - 1960

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
	31	28	23	24	33	29	37	21	226

LIST OF TUITION PUPILS 1959 - 1960

CLAREMONT:		Fox, Oma	9
Ackerman, David	9	Hilliard, Anna	9
Bean, David	9	Hodgdon, Ernest	9
Lewis, Francis	9	Hodgdon, James	9
Lovell, Byron	9	Hoskison, David	9
Lovell, Rodney	9	Ivanov, Richard	9
Magoon, Russell	9	Jerard, Leo	9
Mark, Nancy	9	Kenyon, Sherry	9
Marsh, Patricia	9	Monroe, Calveda	9
Smith, Leonard	9	Peck, Veronica	9
Southwick, Donna	9	Osgood, James	9
Thornton, Jane	9	Simonds, George	9
Tracey, Janet	9	Dunn, Helen	10
Weld, Beverly	9	Geer, Warren	10
Wood, Susan	9	Griggs, Norma	10
Brooks, Susan	10	Hodgdon, Gary	10
Bruce, Linda	10	Janssen, Lena	10
Gokey, Donald	10	LeBlanc, Donald	10
Perkins, Thomas	10	Marsh, Priscilla	10
Quimby, Beverly	10	Overman, Jane	10
Thibodeau, Jeffrey	10	Perry, Marie	10
Woodbury, Violet	10	Silver, Sandra	10
Foster, Donald	11	Simonds, Frank	10
Gonyea, Wayne	11	Train, Kurt	10
Kenyon, David	11	Whitecomb, Romaine	10
Kenyon, Kathleen	11	Clow, Verne	11
Lovejoy, Martha	11	Cushing, James	11
Napsey, Rodney	11	Eastman, Judy	11
Perkins, Clyde	11	Griggs, Vaughn	11
Thornton, Jean	11	Ivanov, Victor	11
Tracey, Karen	11	McSwain, James	11
Wood, David	11	Train, Patricia	11
Bean, Barbara	12	Day, Freda	12
Bean, Ralph	12	Hodgdon, Norman	12
Foster, Adele	12	Hoskison, Mary Lou	12
Johnson, Harry	12	Lavell, Thomas	12
Napsey, Douglas	12	Partridge, Stanley	12
Wheeler, Wayne	12	Sweetser, Anne	12
WINDSOR:			
Bortree, Anne	9	WOODSTOCK:	
Darling, Anne	9	Yatsevitch, Mary	10
Drechsler, Eric	9	Yatsevitch, Margaret	9

SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT

School health services are designed to protect and improve the health of children, thus aiding their growth and development and enabling them to benefit fully from school experiences. School health services add to, but in no way replace the health care parents can and should provide for their children. These services are patterned to encourage parents to devote attention to child health, to acquaint them with health problems of which they are unaware and to encourage them to use the services of their physician, dentist and various health agencies. Both school and parents are concerned with protecting and promoting the health of the child and with helping him realize the need of assuming responsibility for his own health as he becomes older.

During the course of the school year various programs relating to health are carried out. These programs create within the child an awareness of the importance of his own health as well as the health of others. These programs include a testing program for vision and hearing; general inspections, including weighing and measuring of the children; immunization clinics for the prevention of diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, smallpox and poliomyelitis; Tuberculin Patch testing for the detection of persons who may have had contact with tuberculosis at some time or another; dental clinics for corrective dentistry.

The success of the School Health Services program is very dependent upon the interest of the community. We have that interest in Cornish and it is shown by the fine cooperation of the parents, the school personnel, the Parent-Teacher Association, which sponsors the dental clinic, and interested individuals. I would like to express my appreciation for this interest.

Respectfully submitted,
FLORENCE MacIVER
School Nurse

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex & Con.			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Parents' Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
			Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child							
Jan. 6	Claremont	Gail M. Benware	M	L	1	Alfred J. Benware	Loretta L. Hardy	W	So. Cornish	Machinist	N. H.	Canada
Jan. 10	Claremont	Alan B. Forrest	M	L	1	Donald L. Forrest	Barbara E. Latham	W	Cornish	Store Clerk	Vt.	England
Feb. 20	Claremont	Mark D. Hurburt	M	L	1	Gerald D. Hurburt	Rosalie J. Tibert	W	Cornish	Machinist	Conn.	Calif.
Mar. 31	Randolph Vt.	Norman A. Johnstone	M	L	1	Merle T. Johnstone	Lillian E. Thurston	W	Cornish	Rubber Work	Vt.	Vt.
July 22	Windsor, Vt.	Terry L. Rogers	M	L	2	Floyd H. Rogers, Jr.	Helen M. Cheever	W	Cornish	Mechanic	N. H.	N. H.
Aug. 6	Claremont	Diana L. Jewell	F	L	2	Milton P. Jewell	Josephine I. Tewksbury	W	Cornish	Trucking	N. H.	Vt.
Sept. 1	Hanover	Richard M. LaClair	M	L	4	Donald E. LaClair	Ethel L. Greene	W	Cornish	Supervisor	Vt.	Vt.
Oct. 21	Hanover	Cynthia E. Guest	F	L	1	Charles E. Guest	Jeanette MacDonald	W	Cornish	Salesman	Mass.	Calif.
Oct. 24	Hanover	Chantelle F. LaClair	F	L	2	Reginald F. LaClair	Melissa I. Irwin	W	Cornish	Farmer	Vt.	Mass.
Nov. 16	Lebanon	Charlton M. Kenyon	M	L	8	Randall C. Kenyon	Margaret Whitcomb	W	Cornish	Farmer	N. H.	N. H.
Nov. 26	Lebanon	Russell E. Rogers	M	L	3	Richard E. Rogers	Margaret Hoisington	W	Cornish	School Teach.	N. H.	Vt.
Nov. 28	Windsor, Vt.	Kimberly J. Silver	F	L	1	John C. Silver	Patricia E. Picard	W	Cornish	Laborer	N. H.	N. H.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	What Marriage	Name, Residence & Official Station of Person by whom Married
1959											
Jan. 18 Orford		Arthur L. Garrow Marilyn J. Hatley	Cornish Monroe	27 W 21 W		Const. worker Clerical Work	Claremont, N.H. Monroe, N. H.	Albert J. Garrow Marion LaClair Robert W. Hatley Martha Judd	Vt. N. H. N. H. N. H.	1st 1st	Rev. Robert Robb Orford, N. H.
Jan. 31 Rutland, Vt.		Frank H. Woodbury Florence Stearns	Cornish Hartland, Vt.	23 W 15 W		Unemployed Student	Woodsville, N.H. Claremont, N.H.	Marion T. Woodbury Marion K. Winn Frank H. Stearns Josephine Pond	N. H. N. H. N. H. N. Y.	1st 1st	Rev. Harold A. Ford Rutland, Vt.
Feb. 7 Claremont		Frederick C. Sullivan Shirley A. Buinicky	Cornish Claremont	20 W 20 W		Farmer Clerk	Etna, N. H. Unity, N. H.	Charles S. Sullivan Bertha M. Hall John J. Buinicky Louise M. Breault	N. H. N. H. Mass. N. H.	1st 1st	Rev. Charles J. Boland Catholic Priest Claremont, N. H.
Feb. 10 Cornish Flat		Patrick A. Ryea Shirley M. Parkhurst	Cornish Cornish	21 W 17 W		laborer at home	Vt. Vt.	Clifford E. Ryea Edith Lockwood Kenneth C. Parkhurst Cora R. Smith	Vt. Vt. N. H. N. H.	1st 1st	Reginald P. Davidson Justice of the Peace Cornish Flat, N. H.
April 12 Orford, N. H.		Albert P. Garrow Mary Jean Duffy	Cornish Woodsville	27 W 26 W		bulldozer oper. shop worker	Claremont Monroe	Albert J. Garrow Marion LaClair Robert W. Hatley Martha E. Judd	unknown Vt. Vt. Landaff, N.H.	1st 2nd	Rev. Robert C. Robb Orford, N. H.
May 2 Cornish		Charles E. Guest Jr. Jeannette MacDonald	Cornish Los Angeles Calif.	24 W 20 W		Salesman USA - Wac	Mass. Calif.	Charles E. Guest Edna A. Walker Malcolm MacDonald Mary L. Jordon	Mass. Ohio Mexico	1st 1st	Rev. Alan R. Bragg Episcopal Priest Windsor, Vt.
May 16 Newport		Randall C. Kenyon Margaret J. Gokey	Cornish Newport	36 W 36 W		Farmer Housekeeper	N. H. N. H.	Carroll Kenyon Mattie Walker Willard Whitcomb Fannie Rockwood	N. H. N. H. N. H. N. H.	2nd 2nd	Rev. A. Paul Stout Sunapee, N. H.
June 6 Claremont		Robert E. Sprano Norma L. Mongeon	Cornish Claremont	21 W 18 W		Logger At Home	N. H. N. H.	Robert Sprano Mary Ladden Norman Mongeon Priscilla Tatro	Conn. N. H. N. H.	1st 1st	Rev. J. J. McCarthy Catholic Priest Claremont, N. H.

June 19 Claremont	William H. Moody	Claremont	21 W	Welder	N. H.	Anthony Moody	N. H.	1st	Rose Ellen Haugsrud Justice of the Peace Claremont, N. H.
June 20 Windsor, Vt.	Sandra J. Lewis	Cornish	18 W	Student	N. H.	Helen Delorier	N. H.	1st	
	Eugene W. Place	Cornish	19 W	Welder	Vt.	Elizabeth Erskine	Vt.	1st	Rev. A. H. Landmesser Windsor, Vt.
June 22 Windsor, Vt.	Mary L. Harris	Windsor, Vt.	18 W	none	Vt.	Otis E. Place	Vt.	1st	
	David F. Clow	Cornish	21 W	Meat cutter	N. H.	Doris Bushway	Vt.	1st	
August 8 Windsor, Vt.	Charlotte J. Spencer	Hartland, Vt.	18 W	Student	N. H.	Frank S. Harris	Vt.	1st	Rev. A. H. Landmesser Windsor, Vt.
	Charles E. Bruce, Jr.	Cornish	18 W	Ludlow rubber	Vt.	Clady M. Williams	Vt.	1st	
Aug. 22 Claremont	Gloria J. Surrall	Windsor, Vt.	17 W	None	Vt.	Howard F. Clow	N. H.	1st	
	Raymond P. Narushof	Claremont	26 W	Machinist	N. H.	Olga Sadomsky	N. H.	1st	
Sept. 19 Cornish	Rebecca J. Mark	Cornish	18 W	at home	N. H.	Watson Spencer	N. H.	1st	Rev. Alford H. Coons Windsor, Vt.
	Robert L. Hilliard	Cornish	22 W	Shop worker	N. H.	Charles E. Bruce	Vt.	1st	
Sept 26 Meriden, N. H. (Plainfield)	Norma F. Ackerman	Cornish	18 W	at home	Mass.	Evelyn Ellis	Vt.	1st	Rev. Warren C. Biebel Claremont, N. H.
	Haivor E. Johnson	Claremont	22 W	lumbering	N. H.	Ralph W. Surrall	Vt.	1st	
Nov. 21 Windsor, Vt.	JoAnne Laurie	Cornish	16 W	At home	Vt.	Mafloric Banyva	N. H.	1st	Rev. Harold S. Campbell Claremont, N. H.
	Kenneth J. Hilliard	Cornish	19 W	Farmer	N. H.	Raymond T. Narushof	Mass.	1st	
Nov. 28 Claremont	Mary E. Gendron	Windsor, Vt.	18 W	Typist	Vt.	Helen Czerny	Mass.	1st	
	Glenn E. Parks	Cornish	58 W	Crane oper	Vt.	Raymond Mark	Vt.	1st	Rev. Jack Hemenway Plainfield, N. H.
	Beatrice L. Ferland	Claremont	51 W	at home	N. H.	Mary Sweet	Vt.	1st	Rev. W. B. Ready Catholic Priest Windsor, Vt.
						Leroy H. Hilliard	N. H.	1st	Rev. J. J. McCarthy Catholic Priest Claremont, N. H.
						Susan MacDonald	Mass.	1st	
						Amedee Gendron	Mass.	1st	
						Catherine Parks	Vt.	2nd	
						Arthur Parks	Vt.	2nd	
						Lillian Edson	Vt.	2nd	
						Alfred Prudhomme	Vt.	2nd	
						Rose A. Messier	N. H.	2nd	

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Male	Female	Color	s, M, or W.D.	Occupation	Place of Birth Father	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Mos.	Days									
1959														
Jan. 25	Brattleboro, Vt.	Clayton Bartlett	82			Cornish, N. H.	M		M	Ret. farmer	--	Lyman Bartlett	Clarie Densmore	
Feb. 1	Cornish	Ethel M. Buttman	64			Elizabethtown, N.Y.	F	W	M	At Home	--	Herbert Meacham	Elizabeth Pratt	
April 6	Claremont	Edith M. Bartlett	82			Plainfield, N.H.	F	W	W	At Home	--	Willis Cole	Julia Huggins	
April 7	Cornish	Otis W. Jordan, Sr.	74			Brooklyn, N.H.	M	W	W	Ret. farmer	--	Darwin F. Jordan	Martha LeDeau	
April 24	Claremont	George Deurell	77			Brooklyn, N.Y.	M	W	W	Hotel oper.	--	Pierre Deurell	Ada Sjoberg	
May 6	Cornish	Estella M. LaClair	77			Altonia, N.Y.	F	W	W	At Home	--	Eugene Thayer	Lawrence	
May 23	Cornish	Floyd H. Rogers	65			Pomfret, Vt.	M	W	M	Dairy farm	--	Cassius Rogers	Sarah Reed	
July 1	Claremont	Vera L. Jones	67			Rutland, Vt.	F	W	D	Laborer	--			
August 27	Claremont	Benjamin C. Biaye	68			Rutland, Vt.	M	W	W	At Home	--			
Sept. 19	Hanover	Elsie M. Atwood	60			Claremont, N.H.	F	W	M	At Home	--	Herman Wessell	Marie Butters	

Brought from out of town for interment

Jan. 25	Brattleboro Vt.	Clayton L. Bartlett	82											
March 11		Henry H. Weld	67											
Apr. 6	Claremont, N.H.	Edith M. Bartlett	82											
Apr. 29	Riverside, Calif.	Dayton F. Johnson	55											
May 17	Saxtons River,	Gladys M. Clark	68											
July 16	Concord, N.H.	Elizabeth S. Dincel	93											
Aug. 29	Charlestown N.H.	James R. Clark	43											
Sept. 19	Bristol, Conn.	Janet Ann Hodgdon	3											
Oct. 23	Windsor, Vt.	Jennie B. Witherrill	62											
Nov. 14	Worcester, Mass	Harold E. Davidson	74											

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 AVIS B. MacMILLAN, Town Clerk



