

# Annual Reports

of the

## Town Officers

of

# MARLOW

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

*for the Year Ending December 31, 1954*

and

## School District Officers

*for the Year Ending June 30, 1954*







ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

# TOWN OFFICERS

OF

MARLOW, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1954

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Selectmen

CLARENCE H. MOSHER                      JAMES T. FRANCISCUS  
ROBERT W. CLOUGH

### Treasurer

LILLIAN M. ANDREWS

### Town Clerk

MABEL D. HATCH

### Supervisors

ALTA P. WHIPPIE                      RALPH R. WINHAM  
GERALD V. MORRELL

### Moderator

LEON H. DAVIS

### Tax Collector

HARRIET M. PERKINS

### Road Agent

GEORGE N. SANDERS

### Acting Overseers of the Poor

THE SELECTMEN

### Trustees of Trust Funds

CALEB W. CAMERON                      HARRIET M. PERKINS  
ROXIE A. FORBES

### Auditor

ROXIE A. FORBES

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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### TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Marlow in the county of Cheshire in said State qualified to vote in Town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at Jones Hall in said Marlow on Tuesday the Eighth 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 to make appropriations for the same.
3. To raise or appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the poor.
4. To see if the Town will apply for class five money known as T.R.A. and raise the sum of \$345.56 required by the State.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the repairs of Highways and Bridges.
6. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town Library.
7. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the observance of Memorial day.
8. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money by temporary loans in anticipation of taxes.
9. To authorize the tax Collector to give two percent cash discount on all property and personal taxes for the payment made within thirty days after the date of tax bill, and empower the Collector to appoint a deputy Collector.



10. To see if the Town will vote to raise such sums as may be necessary to improve Town cemeteries.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty-three Dollars for the Monadnock Region Association.

12. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell or administer all real estate acquired by the Town through Tax Collectors deeds.

13. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for the Elliot Community Hospital.

14. To see what action the Town will take to raise and appropriate money for the observance of old home day.

15. To see if the Town will vote for the white pine blister rust, control, and raise the sum of \$200.00 for same.

16. To see what action the Town will take in regard to those items in the Town Budget not covered in the preceding articles.

17. To see if the Town will vote to accept Trust Funds.

18. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the portion of the road from Joshua Feuer buildings to the Gustin Pond Road, subject to gates and bars.

19. To hear the reports of officers, agents and committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto, and to transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred fifty-five.

CLARENCE H. MOSHER,  
ROBERT W. CLOUGH,  
JAMES L. FRANCISCUS,

Selectmen of Marlow.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLARENCE H. MOSHER,  
ROBERT W. CLOUGH,  
JAMES L. FRANCISCUS,

Selectmen of Marlow.

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR  
THE ENSUING YEAR JAN. 1, 1955 TO DEC. 31, 1955.

COMPARED WITH

ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE,  
APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE  
PREVIOUS YEAR JAN. 1, 1954 TO DEC. 31, 1954

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### SOURCES OF REVENUE

|                                     | Estimated<br>Revenue<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Actual<br>Revenue<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Estimated<br>Revenue<br>Ensuing<br>Year 1955 |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| From State:                         |   |  |  |
| Interest and dividends tax          | \$996 10                                      | \$848 16                                   | \$848 16                                     |
| Savings bank tax                    | 77 55   | 72 26                                      | 72 26  |
| Reimbursement a/c State and         |   |  |  |
| Federal forest lands, 2 yrs.        | 97 10   | 209 29                                     | 102 97                                       |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption         |   |  |  |
| of growing wood and                 |   |  |  |
| timber, 2 yrs.                      | 1,920 77                                      | 3,403 52                                   | 1,841 91                                     |
| For fighting forest fires           |   | 23 93                                      |  |
| Gas Tax                             | 690 12  | 690 12                                     | 690 12                                       |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes:    |   |  |  |
| Dog licenses                        | 159 00  | 141 00                                     | 141 00                                       |
| Business licenses, permits and      |   |  |  |
| filing fees                         |   | 8 00                                       |  |
| Fines and forfeits, Municipal court |   | 284 19                                     |  |
| Interest received on taxes          |   |  |  |
| and deposits                        | 270 59  | 281 13                                     | 281 13                                       |
| New trust funds                     |   | 500 00                                     |  |

|  | Estimated<br>Revenue<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Actual<br>Revenue<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Estimated<br>Revenue<br>Ensuing<br>Year 1955 |
|--|---|--|--|
| Income of Departments:                                   |   |  |  |
| (a) Highway, including rental<br>of equipment            |   | 744 95                                     |  |
| (b) Toll Calls   |   | 17 60                                      |  |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees                                | 1,013 06                                      | 1,105 02                                   | 1,105 02                                     |
| Sale of Town property                                    |   | 219 53                                     |  |
| Amount Raised by Issue of<br>Bonds or Notes:             |   |  |  |
| T.R.A.   |   | 2,700 00                                   |  |
| From Local Taxes Other Than<br>Property Taxes:           |   |  |  |
| (a) Poll taxes—Regular @ \$2                             |   | 138 00                                     | 138 00                                       |
| (b) National Bank Stock taxes                            |   | 2 00                                       | 2 00   |
| <hr/>  |   |  |  |
| Total revenues from all sources<br>except property taxes | \$5,224 29                                    | \$11,388 70                                | \$5,222 57                                   |
| *Amt. to be raised by prop. taxes                        |   | \$23,717 10                                |  |

\*Total estimated "Revenues from all sources except property taxes" deducted from total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by property taxes".



## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

|  | Appropriations<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Actual<br>Expenditures<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Estimated<br>Expenditures<br>Ensuing<br>Year 1955 |
|--|---|---|---|
| Current Maintenance Expenses:                  |   |   |   |
| General Government:                            |   |   |   |
| Town officers' salaries                        | \$980 00                                | \$980 00  | \$980 00  |
| Town officers' expenses                        | 650 00                                  | 484 78  | 650 00  |
| Election and registration expenses             | 165 00                                  | 170 75  | 113 00  |
| Expenses Town Hall and other                   |   |   |   |
| Town Bldgs.                                    | 400 00                                  | 264 77  | 400 00  |
| Protection of Persons<br>and Property:         |   |   |   |
| Police Department                              | 45 00                                   | 57 00   | 57 00   |
| Fire Department                                | 1,000 00                                | 903 46  | 1,000 00  |
| Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust and<br>care of trees | 200 00                                  | 200 00  | 200 00  |
| Bounties                                       |   | 65 00   |   |
| Health:  |   |   |   |
| Health Department, Including                   |   |   |   |
| Hospitals                                      | 110 00                                  | 110 00  | 10 00   |
| Vital Statistics                               | 12 00                                   | 1 20  | 12 00   |
| Town Dump and Garbage Removal                  | 50 00                                   | 43 20   | 50 00   |
| Highways and Bridges:                          |   |   |   |
| Labor for state                                |   | 265 65  |   |
| Town Maintenance—summer                        | 2,200 00                                | 2,290 81  | 2,250 00  |
| Town Maintenance—winter                        | 2,000 00                                | 1,718 40  | 2,000 00  |
| Street lighting                                | 640 78                                  | 632 04  | 640 78  |
| General expenses of highway<br>department      | 1,500 00                                | 1,482 08  | 1,500 00  |
| Town road aid T.R.A.                           | 343 60                                  | 3,043 60  | 345 56  |
| Libraries                                      | 129 20                                  | 128 70  | 129 00  |
| Public Welfare:                                |   |   |   |
| Gas tax  |   | 742 74  |   |
| Town poor                                      | 300 00                                  | 26 10   | 200 00  |
| Old age assistance                             | 1,850 00                                | 2,043 42  | 2,043 42  |

|  | Appropriations<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Actual<br>Expenditures<br>Previous<br>Year 1954 | Estimated<br>Expenditures<br>Ensuing<br>Year 1955 |
|--|---|---|---|
| Patriotic Purposes:                          |   |   |   |
| Memorial Day and Veterans'                   |   |   |   |
| Associations                                 | 75 00                                   | 75 00   | 75 00   |
| Recreation:                                  |   |   |   |
| Trust funds                                  |   | 700 00  |   |
| Public Service Enterprises:                  |   |   |   |
| Cemeteries                                   | 100 00                                  | 68 50   | 100 00  |
| Taxes bought by town                         |   | 1,041 74  |   |
| Unclassified:                                |   |   |   |
| Building Inspector                           | 50 00                                   | 20 00   | 35 00   |
| Damages and legal expenses,                  |   |   |   |
| Incl. Dog Damage                             | 350 00                                  | 254 25  | 300 00  |
| Advertising and Regional Assoc.              | 34 00                                   | 34 00   | 33 00   |
| Head taxes                                   |   | 841 87  |   |
| Collection Head taxes                        |   | 64 14   |   |
| Interest:                                    |   |   |   |
| On temporary loans                           | 90 00                                   | 23 00   | 50 00   |
| Outlay for new construc. and perm. improve.: |   |   |   |
| Highways and bridges:                        |   |   |   |
| New equipment                                |   | 37 60   |   |
| Indebtedness:                                |   |   |   |
| Payment on Principal of Debt:                |   |   |   |
| (a) Bonds Temp. loans                        |   | 3,000 00  |   |
| Payments to other governmental divisions:    |   |   |   |
| County taxes                                 | 1,313 67                                | 1,313 67  | 1,313 67  |
| School Taxes                                 | 11,467 28                               | 12,216 86                                       | 14,552 24   |
| Total expenditures                           | \$26,055 53                             | \$35,344 33                                     | \$29,039 67                                       |

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

### VALUATION

|                         |              |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Land and buildings      | \$322,395 00 |
| Electric plants         | 23,284 00    |
| 4 Horses                | 150 00       |
| 39 Cows                 | 2,770 00     |
| 8 Neat stock            | 470 00       |
| 3 Sheep                 | 15 00        |
| 550 Fowl                | 550 00       |
| 1 Trailer               | 300 00       |
| 7 Gasoline Pumps        | 930 00       |
| Stock in trade          | 2,960 00     |
| Mills & Machinery       | 5,000 00     |
|                         | <hr/>        |
|                         | \$358,824 00 |
| Less Soldiers exemption | 20,900 00    |
|                         | <hr/>        |
|                         | \$337,924 00 |

### TAXES ASSESSED

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Town officers' salaries                               | \$980 00 |
| Town officers' expenses                               | 650 00   |
| Election & Registration expenses                      | 165 00   |
| Town Hall & Bldg., Maintenance                        | 400 00   |
| Police Department                                     | 45 00    |
| Fire Department                                       | 1,000 00 |
| Blister rust-moth extermination,<br>and care of trees | 200 00   |
| Health Dept., and Hospital                            | 110 00   |
| Town Dump   | 50 00    |
| Vital Statistics                                      | 12 00    |
| Town Road Aid   | 343 60   |
| Town Maintenance                                      | 4,200 00 |
| General expense of highway                            | 1,500 00 |
| Street lighting                                       | 640 78   |



|                                 |           |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Libraries                       | 129 20    |
| Old Age assistance              | 1,850 00  |
| Town poor                       | 300 00    |
| Memorial Day                    | 75 00     |
| Cemeteries                      | 100 00    |
| Damage and legal expense        | 350 00    |
| Advertising and regional assoc. | 34 00     |
| Interest                        | 157 50    |
| County tax                      | 1,313 67  |
| School tax                      | 11,467 28 |

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|                                     |             |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Town and School appropriation | \$26,073 03 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|

Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Interest and dividend tax                        | \$848 16 |
| Savings Bank tax                                 | 72 26    |
| Reim. on State and Federal lands                 | 106 32   |
| Reim. on exemption of growing wood<br>and timber | 1,860 74 |
| Dog license                                      | 159 00   |
| Interest on taxes and income from<br>trust funds | 270 59   |
| Gas tax  | 690 12   |

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|                           |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Total revenue and credits | \$5,020 25 |
|---------------------------|------------|

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|              |             |
|--------------|-------------|
|              | \$21,052 78 |
| Plus overlay | 234 51      |

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|                                     |             |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Net amount to be raised by taxation | \$21,287 29 |
| Less 167 of poll taxes @ \$2.00     | \$334 00    |
| National Bank stock tax             | 2 00        |

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336 00

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|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Amount to be raised by property taxes on<br>which tax rate is to be figured. Rate \$6.20 | \$20,951 29 |
|--|-------------|

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

## Description:

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| Town Hall and other buildings             | \$4,500 00        |
| Furniture and equipment                   | 300 00            |
| Library, land and buildings               | 1,000 00          |
| Fire Dept., land and buildings            | 1,000 00          |
| Fire Dept., equipment                     | 2,800 00          |
| Highway Department, land and<br>buildings | 3,000 00          |
| Highway Dept., equipment                  | 8,000 00          |
| School, land and buildings                | 3,000 00          |
| Adam's land                               | 25 00             |
| Holland land                              | 20 00             |
| Dodge land                                | 116 00            |
| Burnap and Griffin land                   | 40 00             |
| Camp lot-Ashuelot Pond                    | 100 00            |
| Total                                     | <hr/> \$23,901 00 |

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW**  
**IN CHESHIRE COUNTY**  
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1954

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**CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

February 10, 1955.

CLARENCE H. MOSHER,  
JAMES L. FRANCISCUS,  
ROBERT W. CLOUGH,  
Selectmen.

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**ASSETS**

|                               |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash:                         |             |
| In hands of Treasurer         | \$7,169 94  |
| Accounts Due to the Town:     |             |
| Bounties                      | 65 00       |
| Unredeemed taxes:             |             |
| Levy 1953                     | 839 80      |
| Levy 1952                     | 602 47      |
| Uncollected taxes:            |             |
| Levy 1954                     | 5,826 76    |
| Levy 1953                     | 247 09      |
| State head taxes—levy of 1954 | 449 00      |
| Total assets                  | \$15,200 06 |
| Grand total                   | \$15,200 06 |



## LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| State head taxes—1954<br>(uncollected \$449.00)     | \$449 00 |
| Due to school district—<br>balance of appropriation | 6,467 28 |

Capital reserve funds:

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Town equipment fund                | 1,533 39 |
| Long term notes outstanding T.R.A. | 2,632 50 |

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|                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Total liabilities                 | \$11,082 17 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities | 4,117 89    |

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|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| Grand total | \$15,200 06 |
|-------------|-------------|

## RECEIPTS

From local taxes:.

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| 1. Property tax—current year                           | \$15,379 17 |
| 2. Poll tax—current year—<br>regular \$2.00            | 138 00      |
| 3. National bank stock tax                             | 2 00        |
| 4. Yield taxes 1954                                    | 71 96       |
| 5. State head taxes—1954                               | 390 00      |
| <hr/>  |             |
| 6. Total current years taxes<br>collected and remitted | \$15,981 13 |
| 7. Property taxes and yield taxes—<br>previous year    | 5,730 19    |
| 8. Poll taxes previous year @ \$2.00                   | 100 00      |
| 9. State head taxes @ \$5.00—<br>previous year         | 275 00      |
| 10. Interest received on taxes                         | 281 13      |
| 11. Penalties on state head tax                        | 27 50       |
| 12. Tax sales redeemed and cost of sales               | 1,501 99    |
| <hr/>  |             |
|  | \$7,915 81  |

## From state:

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| 13. For class V Highway<br>maintenance—gas tax                | \$690 12   |
| 14. Interest and dividend tax                                 | 848 16     |
| 16. Savings bank tax  | 72 26      |
| 17. Reim. a/c state and federal<br>forest lands 1953-54       | 209 29     |
| 18. Reim. a/c exemption of growing<br>wood and timber 1953-54 | 3,403 52   |
| 19. Pine blister refund                                       | 1 64       |
| 20. Forest fire school reim.                                  | 23 93      |
| 21. Bounties  | 56 75      |
| 22. Head tax reim.  | 8 80       |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$5,314 47 |

## From local sources, except taxes:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| 24. Dog license                                | \$141 00   |
| 25. Business licenses, permits and filing fees | 8 00       |
| 26. Fines and forfeits, municipal court        | 284 19     |
| 27. Rent of town property                      | 774 95     |
| 33. Registration of motor vehicles—1953        | 253 68     |
| Registration of motor vehicles—1954            | 851 34     |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$2,313 16 |

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Total current revenue receipts | \$31,524 61 |
|--------------------------------|-------------|

## Receipts other than current revenue:

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| 34. Temp. loans in anticipation of taxes<br>during year | \$3,000 00 |
| 35. Long term notes during year                         | 2,631 00   |
| 38. Refunds—toll calls                                  | 17 60      |
| 40. New trust funds                                     | 500 00     |
| 42. Sales of town property                              | 219 53     |

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Total receipts other than current revenue | \$6,369 63 |
|---|------------|

|                                 |             |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Total receipts from all sources | \$37,894 20 |
|---------------------------------|-------------|

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Cash on hand January 1, 1954 | 4,620 07 |
|------------------------------|----------|

|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| Grand total | \$42,514 27 |
|-------------|-------------|

## PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expense:

General government:

## 1. Town officers' salaries:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Clarence H. Mosher, selectman  | \$250 00 |
| James L. Franciscus, selectman | 200 00   |
| Robert W. Clough, selectman    | 200 00   |
| Lillian M. Andrews, treasurer  | 60 00    |
| Mabel D. Hatch, clerk          | 40 00    |
| Harriet M. Perkins, tax coll.  | 200 00   |
| Roxies Forbes, auditor         | 25 00    |
| Leon H. Davis, moderator       | 5 00     |

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 \$980 00

## 2. Town officers' expense:

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Chase's Book Store, town affairs                       | \$34 19 |
| Assoc., of Assessors, dues                             | 3 00    |
| Idna M. Horner, tax coll., dues                        | 3 00    |
| Charles R. Hardy, clerk, dues                          | 2 00    |
| Bessie Clough, typing report                           | 10 00   |
| Wheeler & Clark, dog tags                              | 9 31    |
| Robert W. Clough, postage<br>and telephone calls       | 5 93    |
| Mason Insurance Agency—<br>town officers bonds         | 55 10   |
| Clarence H. Mosher, tax<br>comm., meeting              | 9 50    |
| Robert W. Clough, tax<br>comm., meeting                | 9 50    |
| Harriet M. Perkins, tax<br>comm., meeting              | 9 50    |
| James L. Franciscus, tax comm.,<br>meeting and mileage | 14 00   |
| Clarence H. Mosher, postage                            | 4 94    |
| Lillian Andrews, postage and envelopes                 | 9 10    |
| Harriet M. Perkins, postage<br>and envelopes           | 21 63   |



|                                      |        |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Harriet M. Perkins,                  |        |
| notifying mortgagees                 | 11 44  |
| Harriet M. Perkins, tax sale expense | 89 30  |
| Mable D. Hatch, issuing auto permits |        |
| and dog license expense              | 125 07 |
| Public Service Co., heater for       |        |
| selectmen's office                   | 12 95  |
| Burroughs adding machine             | 11 39  |
| James F. Perkins, postage            | 96     |
| D. Reed Chaplin, transfer cards      | 15 87  |
| Esther Bennett, deceased owners      | 10     |
| Sargent Bros., tax bills             | 17 00  |

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\$484 78

3. Election and registration:

|                                    |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Mrs. John Peterson, dinners        | \$45 75 |
| Chester Davis, ballot inspector    | 5 00    |
| Christian Larson, ballot inspector | 5 00    |
| Joseph Dellant, ballot inspector   | 10 00   |
| Charles Howard, ballot inspector   | 10 00   |
| Dana Winham, ballot inspector      | 10 00   |
| Leon Davis, moderator              | 10 00   |
| Ralph Winham, supervisor           | 25 00   |
| Alta Whippie, supervisor           | 25 00   |
| Gerald Morrell, supervisor         | 25 00   |

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\$170 75

5. Expenses town hall and other buildings:

|                                 |         |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Public Service Co., lights      | \$23 84 |
| Palmer Insurance Agency         | 89 00   |
| Clarence H. Mosher, rope for    |         |
| flag pole                       | 3 75    |
| Clarence H. Mosher, light bulbs | 1 36    |
| Wm. Taylor, 3 cords wood and    |         |
| housing same                    | 57 00   |
| Irving L. Sawyer, janitor fee   | 65 00   |
| Johnson Lumber Co., strapping   |         |
| for garage                      | 24 82   |

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\$264 77

## Protection of persons and property:

## 6. Police department:

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Charles R. Andrews Sr., salary<br>and mileage | \$57 00 |
|---|---------|

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\$57 00

## 8. Fire department:

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| Public Service Co., lights                         | \$23 81      |
| Marlow Garage                                      | 15 60        |
| Morrell's Service Station<br>gas and oil           | 8 50         |
| New England Tel. & Tel., includ-<br>ing toll calls | 65 29        |
| Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance<br>on Reo truck      | \$7.00 ('54) |
| Palmer Ins. Agency, insurance<br>on Reo truck      | 7.00 ('55)   |

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14 00

|  |        |
|--|--------|
| Clark Insurance Agency,<br>trucks and 1/2 garage | 107 50 |
| Paul Burns insurance,<br>firemen's insurance     | 142 50 |
| C. R. Andrews, forest<br>fire training           | 47 86  |
| Eastern Fire Equipment                           | 14 60  |
| New Hampshire Fire<br>Safety Equipment           | 5 00   |
| Knowlton & Stone, batteries, etc.                | 7 43   |
| Stanley Sawyer, 2 portable telephones            | 15 00  |
| Ella Aho Davis, 4 boxes of Duz                   | 1 12   |
| New England Explosive Corp.,<br>1 box dynamite   | 11 83  |
| Stanley Sawyer, pipe fittings                    | 4 30   |
| Marlow Grocery, light bulbs                      | 2 40   |
| Economy Coal Co.                                 | 68 38  |
| Pippin-Bailey, pipe fittings                     | 1 62   |
| James F. Perkins, flash lights<br>and batteries  | 5 97   |

|   |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|
| Clarence Mosher, pipe for furnace         | 10 75      |            |
| James Coffin, 450 ft. 1-1/2'' hose        | 300 00     |            |
| Irving Sawyer, one half<br>janitor's fees | 30 00      |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
| Total                                     |            | \$903 46   |
| 9. Moth extermination—Blister rust:       |            |            |
| William Messeck Jr., pine blister         | \$200 00   |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   |            | \$200 00   |
| 10. Bounties:                             |            |            |
| C. Mosher                                 | \$37 50    |            |
| R. Clough                                 | 21 50      |            |
| J. Franciscus                             | 4 50       |            |
| G. Dunn                                   | 1 50       |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   |            | \$65 00    |
| Health:                                   |            |            |
| 14. Health Dept., including hospital:     |            |            |
| Town appro., Elliot Comm. Hospital        | \$100 00   |            |
| Ralph R. Winham, health officer           | 10 00      |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   |            | \$110 00   |
| 15. Vital statistics:                     |            |            |
| Mabel D. Hatch, recording                 | \$1 20     |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   |            | \$1 20     |
| 17. Town dump:                            |            |            |
| Care of dump, George N. Sanders           | \$43 20    |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   |            | \$43 20    |
| Highways and bridges:                     |            |            |
| 18. Treas., state of N. H.—TRA            | \$3,043 60 |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   |            | \$3,043 60 |



## 19. Town maintenance:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Summer, \$2,290.81 (including<br>gas tax \$742.74) | \$3,033 55 |
| Winter   | 1,745 40   |
| State  | 238 65     |

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\$4,751 95

## 20. Street lighting:

|                |          |
|----------------|----------|
| Public service | \$632 04 |
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\$632 04

## 21. General expense of Highway Dept.

(Note—see agents report).

## General expense of highway:

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Marlow Garage, labor, battery<br>and tire recap     | \$394 04 |
| Morrell's Service Station, gas and oil              | 560 85   |
| Lights for town garage, Pub. Serv. Co.              | 23 15    |
| Cheshire Oil Co., drum of oil for truck             | 40 98    |
| Cheshire Oil Co., drum of oil for truck             | 6 00     |
| Sibley Oil Co., fuel oil for tractor                | 10 15    |
| Alstead Texaco Station,<br>gear oil for truck       | 2 80     |
| Household Fuel Corp., coal                          | 86 78    |
| Economy Coal Co., coal                              | 68 39    |
| Sargent Motors Co., parts, clutch &<br>clutch plate | 34 02    |
| Sanel Auto Parts                                    | 4 21     |
| Knowlton & Stone Co.,<br>bolts and hardware         | 6 59     |
| Clark Insurance Agency,<br>truck and tractor        | 78 50    |
| Palmer Insurance Co.,<br>tractor insurance          | 22 50    |
| Clark Insurance Agency,<br>garage and contents      | 15 50    |
| Ernest Knight, plank for truck plow                 | 1 04     |
| Treas. of State of New Hampshire                    | 12 08    |

|                                   |            |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Huntley Rake Co., labor and parts | 4 25       |            |
| Roy Road Equipment,               |            |            |
| brooms, shovels and snowfence     | 77 72      |            |
| Merrimack Farmers Exchange, broom | 2 53       |            |
| Irving Sawyer, janitor fees       | 30 00      |            |
| Total                             |            | \$1,482 08 |
| Libraries:                        |            |            |
| 22. Lillian M. Winham, trustee    |            |            |
| of library, town appro.           | \$50 00    |            |
| Mabel D. Hatch, librarian         | 60 00      |            |
| Palmer Insurance Agency           | 18 70      |            |
|                                   |            | \$128 70   |
| Public welfare:                   |            |            |
| 23. Old age assistance:           |            |            |
| State of New Hampshire O.A.A.     | \$2,043 42 |            |
|                                   |            | \$2,043 42 |
| 24. Town poor:                    |            |            |
| Corbet Oil Co., fuel, Edith       |            |            |
| Miller and H. Waldron             | \$22 38    |            |
| Amy Moore, feeding tramps         | 2 78       |            |
| C. Mosher, feeding tramps         | 94         |            |
|                                   |            | \$26 10    |
| Patriotic purposes:               |            |            |
| 26. Memorial Day—Town appro.:     |            |            |
| Gilsum Veterans Assoc.            | \$75 00    |            |
|                                   |            | \$75 00    |
| Public service enterprises:       |            |            |
| 30. Cemeteries:                   |            |            |
| Ivan F. Huntley, mowing grass     | \$40 00    |            |
| Charles Howard, mowing grass      | 10 50      |            |
| Perley Winham, mowing grass       | 18 00      |            |
|                                   |            | \$68 50    |

## 31a. Building inspection:

|                                |         |  |
|--------------------------------|---------|--|
| C. Larsen, building inspection | \$20 00 |  |
|--------------------------------|---------|--|

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\$20 00

## Unclassified:

## 32. Damages and legal expense:

|                                |         |  |
|--------------------------------|---------|--|
| D. Reed Chaplin, mortgage list | \$10 00 |  |
|--------------------------------|---------|--|

|                               |       |  |
|-------------------------------|-------|--|
| Arthur Olson, attorney's fees | 25 00 |  |
|-------------------------------|-------|--|

|                                |        |  |
|--------------------------------|--------|--|
| Sentinel Printing Co., reports | 198 95 |  |
|--------------------------------|--------|--|

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|--|-------|--|
| Winfield M. Chaplin, Est. record-<br>ing deeds | 20 30 |  |
|--|-------|--|

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\$254 25

|                                  |         |  |
|----------------------------------|---------|--|
| 33. Monadnock region town appro. | \$34 00 |  |
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\$34 00

|                          |            |  |
|--------------------------|------------|--|
| 34. Taxes bought by town | \$1,041 74 |  |
|--------------------------|------------|--|

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\$1,041 74

## Interest:

## 38. Interest paid on temporary

|                           |         |  |
|---------------------------|---------|--|
| loans—Keene National bank | \$23 00 |  |
|---------------------------|---------|--|

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\$23 00

## Outlay for equipment etc.:

|                    |         |  |
|--------------------|---------|--|
| 49. Equipment fund | \$37 60 |  |
|--------------------|---------|--|

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\$37 60

## Indebtedness:

## 51. Keene National Bank,

|                |            |  |
|----------------|------------|--|
| Temporary loan | \$3,000 00 |  |
|----------------|------------|--|

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\$3,000 00

## 55. New trust funds:

|                       |          |  |
|-----------------------|----------|--|
| Bussell and Severance | \$100 00 |  |
|-----------------------|----------|--|

|                 |        |  |
|-----------------|--------|--|
| George C. Lewis | 150 00 |  |
|-----------------|--------|--|

|                                      |            |             |
|--------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Fred and Irene Huntley               | 250 00     |             |
| Merl and George Lowell               | 200 00     |             |
|                                      |            | <hr/>       |
|                                      |            | \$700 00    |
| Payments to other Gov't divisions:   |            |             |
| 56. Head taxes:                      |            |             |
| State of N.H. (1953 head tax)        | \$310 87   |             |
| State of N.H. (1954 head tax)        | 531 00     |             |
| For collection of head tax:          |            |             |
| Harriet M. Perkins, for 1953-54      | 26 97      |             |
| C. Mosher                            | 12 39      |             |
| J. Franciscus                        | 12 39      |             |
| R. Clough                            | 12 39      |             |
|                                      |            | <hr/>       |
|                                      |            | \$906 01    |
| 57. Taxes paid to county:            |            |             |
| Stafford M. Boardman                 | \$1,313 67 |             |
|                                      |            | <hr/>       |
|                                      |            | \$1,313 67  |
| 59. School district:                 |            |             |
| Martha L. Strickland, school treas.: |            |             |
| 1953-54                              | \$7,216 86 |             |
| 1954-55                              | 5,000 00   |             |
|                                      |            | <hr/>       |
|                                      |            | \$12,216 86 |



## REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

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### From Keene National Bank:

|                |                  |
|----------------|------------------|
| Temporary loan | \$3,000 00       |
| Long term note | 2,632 50         |
|                | <hr/> \$5,632 50 |

### Harriet M. Perkins, tax collector:

|                         |                   |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Taxes and interest      | \$22,392 95       |
| National bank stock tax | 2 00              |
| Redemptions             | 1,443 29          |
| Interest on redemptions | 58 70             |
|                         | <hr/> \$23,896 94 |

### Mabel D. Hatch, town clerk:

|              |                  |
|--------------|------------------|
| Auto permits | \$1,105 02       |
| Dog licenses | 141 00           |
| Filing fee   | 2 00             |
|              | <hr/> \$1,248 02 |

### Road Agent George N. Sanders:

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| For work done by town truck | 774 95 |
|-----------------------------|--------|

### State Treasurer:

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Loss of taxes on growing timber    | 1,561 61 |
| Loss of taxes on state land        | 106 32   |
| Class V. Highways                  | 690 12   |
| Reimbursement on training meeting  | 23 93    |
| Reimbursement on head taxes        | 8 80     |
| Interest and dividend tax          | 848 16   |
| Reimbursement on hedgehog bounties | 56 75    |
| Loss of taxes on growing timber    | 1,841 91 |
| Pine blister rust reimbursement    | 1 64     |
| Savings bank tax                   | 72 26    |
| Loss of taxes on state land        | 102 97   |

## Trust funds for cemetery:

|                        |        |
|------------------------|--------|
| Fred G. Huntley Estate | 250 00 |
| Ethel Lewis            | 150 00 |
| Busswell cemetery lot  | 100 00 |

## Miscellaneous receipts:

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| Reimbursement for care of Alice Britton | 284 19 |
| C. H. Mosher, sale of town land         | 40 00  |
| C. H. Mosher, sale of town land         | 179 53 |
| C. H. Mosher, pistol permits            | 4 00   |
| Fred Corey, building permit             | 2 00   |
| C. R. Andrews, toll calls               | 17 60  |

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|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Total receipts for 1954    | \$37,894 20 |
| Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953 | 4,620 07    |

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|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
|                            | \$42,514 27 |
| Paid on selectmen's orders | 35,344 33   |

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|                           |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Bal. on hand Jan. 1, 1955 | \$7,169 94 |
|---------------------------|------------|

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN M. ANDREWS,

Treasurer.

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

### IN ACCOUNT WITH MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

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|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| 1953 Balance due                      | \$4 69     |
| 1953 Number of permits registered—10  | 12 96      |
| <hr/>                                 |            |
| 1953 Cash paid to town treasurer      | \$17 65    |
| 1954 Number of permits registered—194 |            |
| 1954 Cash paid to town treasurer      | \$1,105 02 |

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### ACCOUNT DOG LICENSES

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Number of dog licenses, male 38 @ \$2.00  | \$76 00  |
| Number of dog licenses, male 9 @ \$2.50   | 22 50    |
| Number of dog licenses, female 5 @ \$5.00 | 25 00    |
| Number of dog licenses, female 1 @ \$5.50 | 5 50     |
| Kennel license                            | 12 00    |
| <hr/>                                     |          |
| Cash paid to town treasurer               | \$141 00 |

#### Unlicensed dogs:

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| Douglas Bascom   | 1 |
| John Champney    | 2 |
| Frank Elliot     | 2 |
| Lewis Feuer      | 1 |
| Linwood Gorges   | 1 |
| Franklin Pollard | 1 |
| Mabel Miller     | 1 |
| <hr/>            |   |
|                  | 9 |

Respectfully submitted,

MABEL D. HATCH,  
Town Clerk.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

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### SUMMARY OF WARRANT PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES LEVY OF 1954

DR.

Taxes committed to collector:

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Property taxes      | \$20,951 29 |
| Poll taxes          | 334 00      |
| National bank stock | 2 00        |
| <hr/>               |             |
| Total warrant       | \$21,287 29 |
| Yield taxes         | 18 83       |
| <hr/>               |             |
|                     | \$21,306 12 |
| Interest collected  | 2 42        |
| <hr/>               |             |
| Total debits        | \$21,308 54 |

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Remittances to treasurer:

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Property taxes      | \$15,086 11 |
| Poll taxes          | 198 00      |
| National bank stock | 2 00        |
| Yield taxes         | 18 83       |
| Discount allowed    | 168 42      |
| Abatements          | 6 00        |
| Interest collected  | 2 42        |

Uncollected taxes as per collectors list:

|                |             |
|----------------|-------------|
| Property taxes | 5,696 76    |
| Poll taxes     | 130 00      |
| <hr/>          |             |
| Total credits  | \$21,308 54 |



SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
STATE HEAD TAX  
LEVY OF 1954

DR.

State head taxes committed to collector:

|                     |          |          |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Original warrant    | \$980 00 |          |
|                     |          | <hr/>    |
| Total committment   |          | \$980 00 |
| Penalties collected |          | 50       |
|                     |          | <hr/>    |
| Total debits        |          | \$980 50 |

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Remittances to treasurer:

|   |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|
| Head taxes                                  | \$595 00 |          |
| Penalties                                   | 50       |          |
| Abatements                                  | 20 00    |          |
| Uncollected taxes as per<br>collectors list | 365 00   |          |
|   |          | <hr/>    |
|   |          | \$980 50 |

SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES  
LEVY OF 1953

DR.

Uncollected taxes as of January 1, 1954:

|   |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|
| Property taxes  | \$5,783 24 |            |
| Poll taxes  | 104 00     |            |
| Yield taxes   | 131 03     |            |
| Interest collected during year<br>ended December 31, 1954 | 281 88     |            |
| Added taxes (yield)                                       | 175 53     |            |
|   |            | <hr/>      |
| Total debits  |            | \$6,475 68 |

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Remittances to treasurer during  
fiscal year ended December 31, 1954:

|                |            |
|----------------|------------|
| Property taxes | \$5,729 80 |
|----------------|------------|

|   |        |            |
|---|--------|------------|
| Poll taxes                                  | 100 00 |            |
| Yield taxes                                 | 77 91  |            |
| Interest collected during year              | 281 88 |            |
| Abatements made during year                 | 39 00  |            |
| Uncollected taxes as per<br>collectors list | 247 09 |            |
| <hr/>                                       |        |            |
| Total credits                               |        | \$6,475 68 |

SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
STATE HEAD TAX  
LEVY OF 1953  
DR.

|   |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|
| Uncollected taxes, as of<br>January 1, 1954 | \$290 00 |          |
| Penalties collected during 1954             | 27 50    |          |
| <hr/>                                       |          |          |
| Total debits                                |          | \$317 50 |

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Remittances to treasurer during 1954:

|                        |          |          |
|------------------------|----------|----------|
| Head taxes             | \$275 00 |          |
| Penalties              | 27 50    |          |
| Abatements during 1954 | 15 00    |          |
| <hr/>                  |          |          |
| Total credits          |          | \$317 50 |

UNCOLLECTED YIELD TAXES AS OF DEC. 31, 1954  
LEVY OF 1952

|              |         |
|--------------|---------|
| Wayne Buffum | \$90 88 |
|--------------|---------|

LEVY OF 1953

|                     |         |
|---------------------|---------|
| Louis J. Gregory    | \$11 20 |
| Leon Alexander, Jr. | 7 45    |
| A. W. Brayton       | 175 00  |

UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAXES AS OF DEC. 31, 1954  
LEVY OF 1953

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| Ralph Woodward | \$32 00 |
| Ralph Parker   | 21 44   |

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent tax payer, as of December 31, on account of the tax levies of 1952, 1953, are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRIET M. PERKINS,  
Tax collector.

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS AS OF DEC. 31, 1954  
DR.

| TAX SALE ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF                 | 1953       | 1952       | 1951     |
|--|------------|------------|----------|
| Taxes sold to Town during<br>current fiscal year | \$1,041 74 |            |          |
| Balance of unredeemed taxes<br>January 1, 1954   |            | \$1,812 00 | \$89 94  |
| Interest collected after sale                    | 2 50       | 38 09      | 17 11    |
| Total Debits                                     | \$1,044 24 | \$1,850 09 | \$107 05 |

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|   |            |            |          |
|---|------------|------------|----------|
| Remittances to Treasurer<br>during year | \$170 96   | \$1,247 62 | \$82 41  |
| Deeded to Town during year              | 33 48      |            | 24 64    |
| Unredeemed taxes at close of year       | 839 80     | 602 47     |          |
| Total credits                           | \$1,044 24 | \$1,850 09 | \$107 05 |

| UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM SALES ON ACCOUNT OF<br>LEVIES OF | 1953   | 1952     |
|--|--------|----------|
| Richard Elliot   | \$5 13 |          |
| Marie Corday   | 271 32 |          |
| Fredereck Hoelzel                                      |        | \$248 33 |
| John Champney  | 28 59  |          |
| Howard Jillson   | 138 25 | 126 07   |
| Warren Keith Estate                                    | 76 11  |          |
| Frangcon Jones (Yield)                                 |        | 6 52     |
| Charles Strickland                                     | 167 99 | 171 00   |
| Lottie Waldron Estate                                  | 37 24  | 34 36    |
| Colburn Bates  | 17 17  | 16 19    |

|                                |          |        |
|--------------------------------|----------|--------|
| John P. Winham                 | 13 71    |        |
| Charles and Frances Strickland | 43 91    |        |
| Frank Elliott                  | 40 38    |        |
|                                | <hr/>    |        |
| Totals                         | \$839 80 | 602 47 |

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent tax payer, as of December 31, 1954 on account of the levies of 1952-1953, are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRIET M. PERKINS,  
Tax collector.



## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

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### WINTER

|                                  |                  |
|----------------------------------|------------------|
| George N. Sanders, agent         | \$510 20         |
| George E. Dunn, hand             | 500 00           |
| Paul S. Burns, hand              | 88 00            |
| Charles M. Howard, tractor       | 147 00           |
| Stanley D. Sanders, agent        | 215 60           |
| George E. Dunn, hand             | 199 00           |
| Merrimack Farmers Exchange, salt | 46 40            |
| Ernest Knight, lumber            | 1 04             |
| Freight                          | 6 20             |
|                                  | <hr/> \$1,713 44 |

### SUMMER

|                                      |                  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| George N. Sanders, agent             | \$619 55         |
| George E. Dunn, hand                 | 641 00           |
| Charles M. Howard, truck and tractor | 348 10           |
| State of N. H., chloride             | 271 75           |
| Merrimack Farmers Exchange, brooms   | 7 59             |
| Berger Metal Culvert Co.,            | 78 65            |
| Ernest Knight, plank                 | 24 96            |
| Ivan Huntley, gravel                 | 26 40            |
|                                      | <hr/> \$2,018 00 |

### TARRING

|                                      |                |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| George N. Sanders, agent             | \$9 90         |
| George E. Dunn, hand                 | 9 00           |
| T. Lusby, hand                       | 9 90           |
| Charles M. Howard, truck and tractor | 35 40          |
| State of N. H., tar                  | 137 59         |
|                                      | <hr/> \$201 79 |

## GAS TAX

|                            |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| George N. Sanders, agent   | \$91 40 |
| George E. Dunn, hand       | 316 00  |
| Paul S. Burns, hand        | 196 00  |
| James A. Elliott, hand     | 33 00   |
| Charles M. Howard, tractor | 60 00   |
| Berger Metal Culvert Co.   | 73 44   |

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\$769 84

## Labor for State and Towns:

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| George N. Sanders, driver | \$210 65 |
| George E. Dunn, driver    | 55 00    |

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\$265 65

## Care of Town Dump:

|                            |        |
|----------------------------|--------|
| George N. Sanders, hand    | \$2 20 |
| George E. Dunn, hand       | 20 00  |
| Charles M. Howard, tractor | 21 00  |

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\$43 20

## Paid town treasurer:

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Use of truck, state and towns | \$774 95 |
|-------------------------------|----------|

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE N. SANDERS,

Road agent.

# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., DECEMBER 31, 1954

| CREATED                        | FUND                                 | DONOR                                | PURPOSE               | WHERE INVESTED            | Principal | Balance Income From 1953 | Income 1954 | Expended 1954 | Balance Income on Hand |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------------|---------------|------------------------|
| 12/28/37                       | William Abbott                       | Abbott Heirs                         | Care Cemetery Lot     | Cheshire Co. Savings Bank | \$100.00  | \$4.73                   | \$3.15      | \$3.14        | \$4.74                 |
| 7/ 3/28 W. H. Angleton         | Estate W. H. Angleton                | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 100.00    | 10.21                    | 9.32        | 9.31          | 10.22                  |
| 4/15/52 Dalton Ayer            | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 200.00    | .18                      | 6.05        | 5.54          | .69                    |
| 7/13/36 Baker-Hatch            | Oliver H. Baker                      | Same                                 | Care Baker-Hatch Lot  | " "                       | 100.00    | 4.46                     | 3.15        | 3.14          | 4.47                   |
| 2/24/17 Mary L. Bingham        | Same                                 | Same                                 | Care Cemetery Lot     | " "                       | 300.00    | 51.04                    | 10.45       | 11.00         | 50.49                  |
| 4/ 3/22 Sarah A. Burnap        | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 250.00    | 39.48                    | 8.60        | 9.35          | 38.73                  |
| 2/24/17 Julia A. Buss          | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 100.00    | 6.04                     | 3.17        | 2.00          | 7.21                   |
| 7/22/49 Clarence L. Buswell    | Grace B. Little & Tressie L. Newcomb | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 200.00    | 1.56                     | 6.08        | 5.57          | 2.07                   |
| 10/15/54 Buswell & Lawrence    | Ray Lawrence                         | Care Buswell & Lawrence Cemetery Lot | " "                   | Keene                     | 100.00    | 5.48                     | 3.19        | 3.18          | 5.49                   |
| 10/ 1/42 William H. Campbell   | Estate W. H. Campbell                | Same                                 | Care Cemetery Lot     | Cheshire Co.              | 100.00    | 6.10                     | 6.23        | 5.72          | 6.61                   |
| 10/28/39 Geo. W. Clyde         | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 200.00    | 5.41                     | 3.17        | 2.66          | 5.92                   |
| 5/21/38 Adella Lewis Cook      | Same                                 | Same                                 | Care Dudley Lewis Lot | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.07                     | 3.11        | 3.10          | 3.08                   |
| 9/27/43 Arthur M. Davis        | Same                                 | Same                                 | Care Isaiah Davis Lot | " "                       | 100.00    | 10.04                    | 5.89        | 5.41          | 10.52                  |
| 4/ 5/26 Downing Cemetery Fund  | Mary L. Downing                      | Same                                 | Care Cemetery Lot     | Cheshire Co.              | 185.00    | 26.75                    | 13.50       | 13.44         | 23.81                  |
| 7/20/37 H. D. Dunn             | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 500.00    | 5.70                     | 3.19        | 2.68          | 6.21                   |
| 7/ 5/38 Chas. M. Elliott       | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 100.00    | 5.90                     | 4.64        | 4.13          | 6.41                   |
| 4/ 6/40 Lucius P. Farley       | F. B. Farley                         | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 150.00    | 5.46                     | 4.59        | 4.18          | 5.97                   |
| 3/ 2/43 Farley-Brackett        | R. Brackett & F. B. Farley           | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.40                     | 3.11        | 3.10          | 3.41                   |
| 10/28/43 Edgar Farnum          | Henry Farnum                         | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.16                     | 1.60        | .59           | 4.17                   |
| 11/21/00 Jacob Foster          | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 50.00     | 6.79                     | 3.26        | 3.25          | 6.80                   |
| 1/ 2/31 Perley E. Fox          | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 101.53    | 5.37                     | 3.17        | 3.16          | 5.38                   |
| 4/ 8/39 Charlotte B. French    | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 100.00    | 14.30                    | 9.50        | 8.49          | 15.31                  |
| 6/10/37 Edith C. Gee           | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 300.00    | 32.85                    | 16.08       | 13.07         | 35.86                  |
| 2/23/27 Maria A. Giffin        | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 500.00    |                          |             |               |                        |
| 12/ 9/32 C. B. Howard & Cornet | Same                                 | Same                                 | " "                   | " "                       | 1,355.96  |                          |             |               |                        |
| 12/14/31 Band                  | Same                                 | Same                                 | Support of Library    | " "                       | 100.00    | 4.88                     | 40.97       | 40.97         | 4.89                   |
| 11/ 1/07 J. M. Howard          | Estate C. B. Howard                  | Same                                 | Care Cemetery Lot     | " "                       | 200.00    | 43.86                    | 7.36        | 6.85          | 44.37                  |
| 4/15/38 Leora Howard           | Same                                 | Same                                 | Care Pitcher Lot      | Keene                     | 200.00    | 9.20                     | 6.32        | 5.81          | 9.71                   |
| 2/23/27 Mary E. Howe           | Same                                 | Same                                 | Care Cemetery Lot     | Cheshire Co.              | 125.00    | 12.53                    | 4.10        | 3.00          | 13.63                  |

# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MARLOW, N. H., DECEMBER 31, 1954

| CREATED  | FUND                    | DONOR                  | PURPOSE   | WHERE INVESTED            | Principal | Income 1954 |             |               | Balance Income on Hand |
|----------|-------------------------|------------------------|---|---------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|---------------|------------------------|
|          |                         |                        |   |                           |           | From 1953   | Income 1954 | Expended 1954 |                        |
| 3/ 8/54  | Fred & Irene Huntley    | Estate F. Huntley      | Care Cemetery Lot   | Cheshire Co. Savings Bank | 250.00    |             | 3.75        | 3.24          | .51                    |
| 7/10/40  | Orison C. Huntley       | Estate O. C. Huntley   | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 4.94        | 4.02        | 3.14          | 4.95                   |
| 12/12/42 | Franklin & Manley Jones | Ellen Jones            | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.69        | 3.13        | 3.12          | 3.70                   |
| 6/28/84  | Sarah I. Jones          | Same                   | Care M. F. Jones, G. D. Morrison Lots                         | Cheshire Co.              | 200.00    | 7.98        | 6.28        | 5.27          | 8.99                   |
| 3/10/27  | Stephen C. Joslin       | Ellen A. Joslin        | Care Benjamin Knight, Ira Knight Lots                         | " "                       | 100.00    | 5.81        | 3.19        | 3.18          | 5.82                   |
| 1/ 5/39  | Melberne E. Knight      | Same                   | Care Cemetery Lot   | Keene                     | 200.00    | 8.01        | 6.29        | 5.28          | 9.02                   |
| 4/22/42  | Christopher Lewis       | Alice Lewis Farley     | Care Cemetery Lot   | Cheshire Co.              | 50.00     | 2.65        | 1.58        | 1.07          | 3.16                   |
| 4/22/42  | Clarence A. Lewis       | Alice Lewis Farley     | " "   | " "                       | 50.00     | 4.24        | 1.64        | 1.12          | 4.76                   |
| 3/16/64  | George C. Lewis         | Ethel Lewis            | " "   | " "                       | 150.00    |             | 2.25        | 1.75          | .50                    |
| 3/ 2/45  | Wm. & Mary Lewis        | Est. Fred A. Lewis     | Care of Lots of William & Mary and Fred, Zilla & Eldora Lewis | Keene                     | 300.00    | 9.97        | 9.35        | 8.34          | 10.98                  |
| 1/28/54  | Harry Lowell            | Harry Lowell           | Care George & Merle Lowell Lot                                | Cheshire Co.              | 200.00    | 4.24        | 4.02        | 3.27          | .75                    |
| 5/22/37  | Sarah I. Lowell         | Same                   | Care Cemetery Lot   | " "                       | 100.00    |             | 3.14        | 3.13          | 4.25                   |
| 1/11/34  | Mary R. Lowell-Judd     | Same                   | Care Lowell Lot   | " "                       | 300.00    | 23.02       | 9.76        | 8.75          | 24.03                  |
| 5/20/33  | Henry C. Mosher         | Lizzie M. Mosher       | Care Cemetery Lot   | Keene                     | 100.00    | 3.90        | 3.02        | 3.01          | .01                    |
| 3/23/43  | Elbridge Phelps         | A. W. & Sara E. Phelps | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.07        | 3.13        | 3.12          | 3.91                   |
| 9/21/43  | George S. Phelps        | Frank B. & Mary Gilman | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.11        | 3.10        | 3.10          | 3.08                   |
| 4/ 1/27  | Julius Pietzner         | Lucey Pietzner Daley   | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 10.39       | 3.33        | 3.32          | 10.40                  |
| 3/14/45  | Priest & Carpenter      | Evelyn Carpenter       | Care O. F. Carpenter Lot                                      | Keene                     | 100.00    | 6.11        | 3.20        | 3.19          | 6.12                   |
| 10/ 1/23 | Geo. E. Reed            | Same                   | Care Cemetery Lot   | Cheshire Co.              | 200.00    | 4.18        | 7.22        |               | 12.40                  |
| 10/30/37 | Joseph Reed             | Same                   | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 4.72        | 8.15        |               | 47.40                  |
| 11/15/27 | S. P. Richardson        | " "                    | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 7.08        | 4.71        | 3.14          | 4.73                   |
| 8/21/45  | Robb-Petts              | Dr. W. M. Robb         | " "   | " "                       | 150.00    | 6.56        | 3.23        | 3.22          | 7.09                   |
| 11/20/53 | Orville Rogers          | Ada A. Scott           | Care Stone Lot  | Cheshire Co.              | 100.00    |             | 4.71        | 3.26          | .96                    |
| 12/30/33 | Della A. Russell        | Estate D. A. Russell   | Care Cemetery Lot   | " "                       | 100.00    | 4.53        | 3.15        | 3.14          | 4.54                   |
| 7/ 1/44  | Hiram F. Russell        | Same                   | " "   | " "                       | 100.00    | 3.74        | 3.13        | 3.12          | 3.77                   |
| 3/24/44  | Sabin Fund              | Mrs. M. H. Green       | Care Calvin Wilson Lot  | Keene                     | 100.00    | 4.45        | 3.13        | 3.13          | 4.47                   |
| 12/14/35 | Mary E. Sargent         | Same                   | " "   | " "                       | 136.18    | 6.91        | 4.33        | 3.82          | 7.42                   |
| 2/23/27  | E. D. Shepardson        | Same                   | Care Cemetery Lot   | Cheshire Co.              | 150.00    | 12.78       | 4.86        | 3.00          | 14.61                  |



|          |                    |   |   |   |   |   |   |          |       |       |       |       |
|----------|--------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 4/22/42  | H. E. Spaulding    | Estate H. E. Spaulding                        | " | " | " | " | " | 100.00   | 3.82  | 3.13  | 3.12  | 3.83  |
| 10/29/41 | May L. Sperling    | Same  | " | " | " | " | " | 100.00   | 4.83  | 3.15  | 3.14  | 4.84  |
| 2/ 9/34  | Town School Fund   | Sale of School Lots                           | " | " | " | " | " | 1,005.25 |       | 30.38 | 30.38 |       |
| 2/16/31  | H. F. Towne        | Same  | " | " | " | " | " | 200.00   | 14.96 | 6.48  | 5.97  | 15.47 |
| 2/ 6/30  | Hosea Towne        | Est. H. Towne                                 | " | " | " | " | " | 50.00    | 11.52 | 1.85  | .84   | 12.53 |
| 2/23/27  | Washburn-Booth     | D. R. Washburn                                | " | " | " | " | " | 100.00   | 7.90  | 3.22  | 2.00  | 9.12  |
| 3/18/41  | Washburn-Wilder    | N. J. Washburn-Wilder                         | " | " | " | " | " | 500.00   | 20.45 | 15.72 | 13.71 | 22.46 |
| 2/ 9/34  | Asa Way            | Same  | " | " | " | " | " | 447.50   |       | 13.52 | 13.52 |       |
| 7/ 3/44  | Fred P. Whittemore | "   | " | " | " | " | " | 1,605.16 |       | 48.52 | 48.52 |       |
| 12/13/41 | Fred P. Whittemore | "   | " | " | " | " | " | 300.00   | 12.47 | 9.44  | 8.43  | 13.48 |
| 9/23/32  | Chas. H. Williams  | Richardson Cemetery Lots<br>Care Cemetery Lot | " | " | " | " | " | 100.00   | 4.81  | 3.15  | 3.14  | 4.82  |

CALEB W. CAMERON,  
HARRIET M. PERKINS  
IVAN HUNTLEY

## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TOWN LIBRARY

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### Receipts:

|                               |                |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953    | \$159 73       |
| Interest on B. C. Howard Fund | 40 97          |
| Town appropriations           | 50 00          |
| Fines                         | 1 49           |
|                               | <hr/> \$252 19 |

### Expenditures:

|                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Books purchased | \$81 02 |
|-----------------|---------|

Books have been given to the library by Miss Eliza Gee and Mrs. Robert MacFarlane.

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1954 | \$171 17 |
|-------------------------------|----------|

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN M. WINHAM,

For trustees.

Audited and found correct January 22, 1955.

ROXIE A. FORBES

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I have audited the books of the Town of Marlow, N. H. for the year of 1954 and have found them correctly cast and correct to the best of my knowledge.

ROXIE A. FORBES

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

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School Board

MRS. JAMES FRANCISCUS, chairman

ROXIE FORBES

IVAN HUNTLEY

Auditor

VERNABELLE SANDERS

Clerk

ALTA WHIPPIE

Treasurer

MRS. MARTHA STRICKLAND

Superintendent

ELLIOTT W. KEACH

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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### PROPOSED WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the school district of the town of Marlow qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Jones Hall, in said district on the 8th day of March, 1955 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon 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 year.
4. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
5. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
7. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or other officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
8. To choose agents, auditors, committees, or other officers in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
9. 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 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.
10. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year Ending June 30, 1954

### RECEIPTS

|                                 |             |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| State Aid                       | \$449 42    |
| Local Taxation                  | 11,617 42   |
| Special appropriation           | 200 00      |
| Bal. due on previous approp.    | 399 44      |
| Trust funds                     | 92 42       |
| <hr/>                           |             |
| Total receipts from all sources | \$12,758 70 |
| Cash on hand July 1, 1953       | 833 54      |
| <hr/>                           |             |
| Total receipts                  | \$13,592 24 |

### PAYMENTS

#### Administration:

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Salaries of District officers  | \$110 00 |
| Supt's salary (local)          | 179 44*  |
| Tax for statewide supervision  | 128 00   |
| Salaries of other Admin. pers. | 85 24    |
| Supplies and Expenses          | 168 53   |

#### Instruction:

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Teachers' Salaries            | 5,175 30 |
| Books and other instruc. aids | 28 58    |
| Scholars' supplies            | 157 03   |
| Supplies and other Exp.       | 19 32    |

#### Operation of School Plant:

|                                 |        |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Salaries of janitor             | 333 70 |
| Fuel or heat                    | 349 78 |
| Water, light, supplies and Exp. | 48 79  |

\*State's share \$2,275.00; Walpole \$1,915.81; Alstead \$723.19;  
 Gilsum \$248.31; Surry \$174.00; Westmoreland \$384.25.



|                                  |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Maintenance of School Plant:     |             |
| Repairs and replacements         | 175 34      |
| Auxiliary activities:            |             |
| Health supervision               | 165 33      |
| Transportation                   | 1,366 95    |
| Tuition                          | 2,731 42    |
| Fixed charges:                   |             |
| Retirement                       | 203 39      |
| Insurance, Treas. bonds and Exp. | 151 74      |
| Capital Outlay:                  |             |
| Additions and improvements       | 393 00      |
| Total payments for all purposes  | \$11,970 88 |
| Cash on hand June 30, 1954       | 1,621 36    |
| Total                            | \$13,592 24 |

### BALANCE SHEET ASSETS

|                            |            |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1954 | \$1,621 36 |
| Total                      | \$1,621 36 |

### LIABILITIES

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Amounts reserved for special purposes: |            |
| Painting Porch                         | \$50 00    |
| Surplus                                | 1,571 36   |
| Grand total                            | \$1,621 36 |

## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Year Ending June 30, 1954

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|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1953              | \$833 54    |
| Received from selectmen:               |             |
| Current appropriation                  | \$11,617 42 |
| Special approp.                        | 200 00      |
| Bal. of previous approp.               | 399 44      |
| Received from State Treas:             |             |
| State funds                            | 449 42      |
| Received from trust funds              | 92 42       |
| Received from other sources            | 35 66       |
| Total receipts                         | \$12,794 36 |
| Total amount available for fiscal year | \$13,627 90 |
| Less School Board orders paid          | 12,006 54   |
| Balance on hand June 30, 1954          | \$1,621 36  |

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### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Marlow, N. H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1954 and find them correct in all respects.

VERNABELLE F. SANDERS,  
Auditor.

# **SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1955-1956**

|                                  | Current<br>budget | Proposed<br>budget |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Administration:                  |                   |                    |
| Salaries of Dist. officers       | \$125 00          | \$130 00           |
| Supt's Salary (local)            | 158 72            | 174 24             |
| Tax for statewide supervision    | 122 00            | 130 00             |
| Salaries other Admin. personnel  | 119 16            | 127 00             |
| Supplies and expenses            | 118 00            | 125 00             |
| Instruction:                     |                   |                    |
| Teachers' salaries               | 5,700 00          | 5,900 00           |
| Books and Instruc. aids          | 55 00             | 120 00             |
| Scholars' supplies               | 175 00            | 165 00             |
| Supplies and other expenses      | 78 00             | 68 00              |
| Operation of school plant:       |                   |                    |
| Salary of janitor                | 430 00            | 430 00             |
| Fuel or heat                     | 260 00            | 200 00             |
| Water, light, supplies and exp.  | 109 00            | 95 00              |
| Maintenance of School Plant:     |                   |                    |
| Repairs and replacements         | 200 00            | 200 00             |
| Auxiliary activities:            |                   |                    |
| Health supervision               | 199 00            | 200 00             |
| Transportation                   | 1,250 00          | 1,300 00           |
| Tuition                          | 4,300 00          | 6,075 00           |
| Special activities and funds     | 10 00             | 10 00              |
| Fixed charges:                   |                   |                    |
| Teachers' retirement             | 218 00            | 228 00             |
| Insurance, treas. bonds and exp. | 150 00            | 150 00             |
| Capital Outlay:                  |                   |                    |
| Additions and Improvements       | 36 00             | 100 00             |
| Total budget                     | \$13,812 88       | \$15,927 24        |

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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The following is my report for the year ending June 30, 1954:

47 Pupils were inspected.

25 Pupils were in need of dental care.

11 Pupils were under dental care.

49 Pupils had vision tests by the school nurse.

3 Pupils had eye examinations and defect corrected by doctor.

23 Pupils had hearing tests by the school nurse.

1 Pupil had a speech defect.

4 Pupils were advised to have throat and nose examinations by their family physician.

9 Pupils attended the pre-registration clinic.

Home visits were made by the school nurse which I feel were profitable to parents and the school.

ELLEN L. McAFEE,  
School Nurse.

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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Increased enrollment is a problem in Marlow as it is in most schools today. Our problem is the overcrowding in the first four grades. We have thirty-one pupils in these grades this year and our expected enrollment next year is thirty-six. Our total enrollment this year is fifty-four and our total enrollment next year is expected to be fifty-nine, which is a 25% increase in two years. There is little, if any, margin for further increase.

We have been fortunate that our school bus has continued to give us good service, however, there were some rather expensive improvements that had to be made in order to comply with the school bus regulations of the State Motor Vehicle Department. If enrollment continues to increase, the present vehicle will not have the capacity to transport all the children that are required to be carried.

The School Board took advantage of the special milk program whereby reimbursement from Federal funds in the amount of 3c per half pint is available to schools that adopt the program. An average of 39 pupils a week are receiving the benefits of this program. I wish to thank the Parent Teacher Association for their willingness to help defray part of the cost of this program.

The testing program started last year is being continued this year. Increased size of classes will cause an increase in textbook costs as replacement of text books of later editions will be needed.

Your teachers have been attending monthly meetings with other teachers of the Supervisory Union 60 where they have been studying ways and means of improving our mathematics program. They are also going to participate in a Reading Workshop for three days during the February vacation.



Our nation is faced with a serious teacher shortage. The best current estimates show that it is statistically impossible to get enough qualified teachers to staff our schools fully in any one year between now and 1964. The law of supply and demand is causing a considerable increase in teacher's salaries.

The School Board's Estimate page in your town report dated Dec. 31, 1953 did not include the School Board's estimate of income for the school year 1954-1955. The material was submitted for printing but was not included.

The estimate of income was for the amount of \$1,025.00 which meant that the district assessment was expected to be \$12,787.88. However, the anticipated balance instead of being \$550.00 on June 30, 1954, actually was \$1,470.80. This amount plus an increase of \$399.80 in State Aid reduced the district assessment to \$11,467.28.

| ENROLLMENT JANUARY 7, 1955               |   |   |    |   |   |    |    |    |       |
|--|---|---|----|---|---|----|----|----|-------|
| Grade                                    | 1 | 2 | 3  | 4 | 5 | 6  | 7  | 8  | Total |
|  | 9 | 4 | 10 | 8 | 5 | 4  | 6  | 8  | 54    |
| Tuition pupils attending other schools : |   |   |    |   |   |    |    |    |       |
| Grade                                    |   |   |    |   | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | Total |
| Keene, H. S.                             |   |   |    |   |   |    | 2  |    | 2     |
| Vilas, H. S.                             |   |   |    |   | 5 | 3  | 2  | 2  | 12    |
|  |   |   |    |   |   |    |    |    | 14    |

I wish to thank the School Board, teachers, citizens and pupils for their splended cooperation during the past school year.

Respectfully submitted,  
 ELLIOTT W. KEACH,  
 Superintendent of Schools.

# VITAL STATISTICS

## BIRTHS

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Place</i>  | <i>Baby's Name</i> | <i>Father's Name</i> | <i>Mother's Maiden Name</i> |
|-------------|---------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1954        |               |                    |                      |                             |
| May 3       | Bellows Falls | Mary E.            | John F. Champney     | Ethel L. Doe                |
| Oct. 21     | Claremont     | Mary A.            | Alfred J. Lamontague | Mary I. Boruck              |
| July 8      | Bellows Falls | Douglas L.         | Douglas W. Bascom    | Barbara J. Dudley           |

## MARRIAGES

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Place</i> | <i>Names</i>                    | <i>Place</i>     |
|-------------|--------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Nov. 30     | Marlow       | Chester W. Davis<br>Ella I. Aho | Marlow<br>Marlow |

## DEATHS

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Place of Death</i> | <i>Name</i>      | <i>Age</i> | <i>Residence</i> |
|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|------------|------------------|
| June 22     | Marlow                | Milon R. Miller  | 56         | Marlow           |
| Aug. 22     | Brattleboro           | Flora B. Huntley | 91         | Marlow           |
| Nov. 13     | Keene                 | Roy D. Huntley   | 73         | Marlow           |

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages, and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MABEL D. HATCH, Town Clerk.









