

ANNUAL REPORTS

TOWN OF  
MADISON  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

1956



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Town Officers

## MADISON NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the fiscal year ending  
December 31, 1956

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1956

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## LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

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### Moderator

FRED E. FROST

### Town Clerk

ARTHUR W. TYLER

### Town Treasurer

NANNY SHAW

### Tax Collector

GEORGE W. SHAW, JR.

### Selectmen

SAMUEL F. LYMAN                      JESSE A. CURRIER  
FRANK G. WARD, JR.

### Supervisors of Check List

PRISCILLA FORREST                      LEAH G. KENNETT  
MARJORIE CHICK

### Highway Agent

FRANK JONES

### Trustees of Trust Funds

ALMON BRYANT                              JESSE HARMON  
ALBERT W. CLAYTON

### Trustees of Library

CHARLOTTE HAMILTON                      MARION JACKSON  
ALICE WARD

### Auditor

J. DONALD HAYES

**Fire Commissioners**

ALTON LOVERING                      LELAND DREW  
SAMUEL F. LYMAN

**Old Home Week Committee**

J. DONALD HAYES                      ANDREW BISSETT  
AKARI HIRAMI

**Budget Committee**

PHILLIP THOMPSON                      J. CLIFFORD WARD  
ANDREW BISSETT                      ALBERT CLAYTON  
J. DONALD HAYES                      ROBERT CHICK

**Constable**

IRENE BRYANT

**Health Officer**

GUY W. NICKERSON

# MADISON, N. H., CIVIL DEFENSE

## Selectmen — Advisory Council

SAMUEL F. LYMAN                      JESSE A. CURRIER  
FRANK G. WARD, JR.

### Director

WM. A. HARMON

### Deputy Director

FRANK G. WARD, JR.

### Warning and Communication

GEORGE W. SHAW, JR.  
Assistant—NANNY SHAW

### Medical, Nursing and First Aid

OLIVE T. WARD  
Assistant—ELIZABETH H. BRADY

### Engineering, Rescue, Evacuation and Transportation

ERNEST A. MEADER  
Assistant—LELAND S. DREW

### Fire Fighting

FLETCHER A. LYMAN

#### Assistants

ROBERT M. COLCORD                      CARL W. ARNOLD

### Refugee

RUTH V. CHICK

#### Assistants

RUTH T. DAVIS                      MILDRED N. FROST  
EUNICE G. CURRIER

### Health and Sanitation

HAROLD E. GILMAN  
Assitant—DONALD L. COLCORD

### Police

IRENE BRYANT

#### Assistants

SAMUEL F. LYMAN                      FRANK G. WARD, JR.  
JESSE A. CURRIER                      E. MILTON HOYT

## TENTATIVE WARRANT

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Madison in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Madison on Tuesday, March 12, 1957, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

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

As follows:

Town officers' salaries

Town officers' expenses

Expenses of recreation hall

Expenses of town hall

Advertising

Police Department

Fire Department

Damage and legal expense

Health Dept., including hospitals

Vital Statistics

Town real estate

Summer Highways, Bridges and Tarring

Winter Highways, snow removal and sanding

Street Lighting

General expense Highway Dept.

Town Road Aid

Libraries

Insurance

Town Lines

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$138.80 which is 1/100 of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town; to the Lakes Region Association for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the town, in cooperation with other towns in the Lakes Region.



## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF MADISON, N. H.

Estimates of revenue and expenditures for the ensuing year January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957. Compared with estimated and actual revenue, appropriations and expenditures of the previous year January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1956	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1956	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1957
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,500.00	\$2,520.11	\$ 2,000.00
Railroad Tax	500.00	561.89	550.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	5,000.00		
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		198.59	
Road Toll Refund	91.68	90.00	
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>			
Dog Licenses	175.00	192.00	
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	5.00	6.00	5.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,200.00	2,464.44	2,400.00
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	390.00	378.00	375.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	1.25	2.50	2.50
Yield Taxes			6,122.69
<b>Total Revenues from all Sources except Property Taxes</b>	<b>\$9,771.25</b>	<b>\$6,415.21</b>	<b>\$11,545.19</b>

## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appro- priations Previous Year 1956	Actual Expen- ditures Previous Year 1956	Estimated Expen- ditures Ensuing Year 1957
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>			
<b>General Government:</b>			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$2,033.50	\$1,962.50	\$ 1,908.50
Town Officers' Expenses	1,150.00	1,072.39	1,200.00
Election and Registration Expenses	282.00	252.00	
Municipal Court Expenses	500.00	369.04	300.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,100.00	1,145.42	1,000.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>			
Police Department	50.00	3.95	50.00
Fire Department	660.00	660.00	950.00
Moth Exterm.—Spraying	200.00	100.00	100.00
Insurance	500.00	668.61	300.00
Forest Fire School		45.20	50.00
<b>Health:</b>			
Health Department, Including			
Hospitals	25.00		25.00
Vital Statistics	30.00	13.50	30.00
Town Dump	100.00	100.00	100.00
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
Town Maintenance—Summer	6,000.00	4,438.24	6,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,000.00	2,796.78	2,500.00
Street Lighting	800.00	711.48	800.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	3,000.00	4,109.28	5,000.00
Town Road Aid	614.52	614.52	618.46
Libraries	500.00	500.00	500.00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>			
Town Poor	100.00		100.00
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00	1,348.77	1,500.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>			
Memorial Day and Veterans'			
Associations	150.00	164.54	175.00
Old Home Week	250.00	250.00	250.00

**Recreation:**

Parks and Playground	400.00	518.94	600.00
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**Public Service Enterprises:**

Municipally Owned Water and Electric Utilities			200.00
Fire Alarm System	275.00	275.00	
Town Lines	300.00		

**Unclassified:**

Damages and Legal Expenses, Incl. Dog Damage	25.00		25.00
Advertising and Regional Assns.	125.64	125.64	138.80

**Interest:**

On Temporary Loans	300.00	125.00	225.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	650.00	650.00	490.00

Outlay for New Construction and  
Perm. Improv.

**Highways and Bridges:**

Town Construction (Tasker Hill Road)	4,400.00	2,420.00	
State Aid Construction—Town's Share (Forest Brook)	4,800.00	4,800.00	
Town Forest Markers	100.00		100.00
New Equipment—International Truck	2,000.00	2,395.00	

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

Long Term Notes	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
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**Payments to Other Governmental**

Divisions:			
County Taxes	3,800.88	3,800.88	4,000.00
School Taxes			34,851.51

Total Expenditures			\$66,087.27
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### SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings		\$1,107,373.00
Mills and Machinery		46,000.00
Electric Plants		83,650.00
Stock in Trade		141,026.00
Vehicles	3	4,500.00
Boats and Launches	21	3,200.00
Horses, Asses and Mules	26	1,575.00
Cows	45	3,605.00
Other Neat Stock	2	80.00
Sheep and Goats	4	110.00
Fowls		835.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks		1,375.00
Portable Mills		2,300.00
Fur-bearing Animals and Rabbits		300.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.		21,350.00
		\$1,417,279.00
Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions Allowed		\$1,417,279.00
Less: Soldiers' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind		29,260.00
		\$1,388,019.00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed		\$1,388,019.00

#### Electric and Gas Utility Companies

Public Service Co.		\$80,000.00
N. H. Electric Co-op.		3,650.00
		\$83,650.00
Total		\$83,650.00

Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	\$29,260.00
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SAMUEL F. LYMAN  
JESSE A. CURRIER  
FRANK G. WARD, JR.  
Selectmen of Madison

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS  
AND TAXES ASSESSED**

Appropriations:	
Town Officers' Salaries	\$2,033.50
Town Officers' Expenses	1,150.00
Election and Registration Expenses	282.00
Municipal Court Expenses	
Town Hall and Buildings	
Maintenance	1,600.00
Police Department	50.00
Fire Department	935.00
Blister Rust—Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	200.00
Health Department	25.00
Dump and Garbage Collection	100.00
Vital Statistics	30.00
Old Home Week	250.00
Town Road Aid	614.52
Town Maintenance	8,000.00
New Construction	9,200.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	3,000.00
Insurance	500.00
Town Lines	400.00
Street Lighting	800.00
Interest on Temp. Loans	300.00
New Equipment	2,000.00
Libraries	500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00
Public Relief	100.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Parks and Playgrounds	400.00
Damages and Legal Expenses inc. Dog Damages	25.00
Advertising and Regional Assns.	125.64
Payments on Debt	2,650.00
County Tax	3,800.88

School Tax	35,694.33	
Total Town and School Appropriations		\$76,415.87
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$2,520.11	
Railroad Tax	500.00	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	3,656.93	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	2,200.00	
Dog Licenses	175.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	5.00	
Cash Surplus	2,786.39	
Total Revenues and Credits		\$11,843.43
		64,572.44
Plus Overlay		551.75
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		\$65,124.19
Less: Number 220 of Poll Taxes at \$2.00	440.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	2.50	
		442.50
Amount to be raised by property taxes		\$64,681.69
<b>Taxes to be committed to Collector:</b>		
Property Taxes		\$64,681.69
Poll Taxes at \$2.00		440.00
National Bank Stock Taxes		2.50
Total Taxes to be Committed		\$65,124.19
Tax Rate approved by Tax Committee		\$4.66

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 Selectmen of Madison

# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1956

Title of Appropriation	Total			Unexpended	
	Appropriation	Available	Expenditures	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,033.50	\$ 2,033.50	\$ 1,962.50	\$ 71.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	1,150.00	1,150.00	1,072.39	77.61	
Town Hall	1,100.00	1,100.00	1,145.42		\$ 45.42
Recreation Hall	500.00	500.00	369.04	130.96	
Police Dept.	50.00	50.00	3.95	46.05	
Fire Dept.	660.00	660.00	660.00		
Forest Fires			45.20		45.20
Advertising	125.64	125.64	125.64		
Damage and Legal Expenses	25.00	25.00		25.00	
Health Dept.	25.00	25.00		25.00	
Vital Statistics	30.00	30.00	13.50	16.50	
Summer Highways	6,000.00	6,000.00	4,438.24	1,561.76	
Winter Highways	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,796.78		796.78
Street Lighting	800.00	800.00	711.48	88.52	
General Expense Highway	3,000.00	3,000.00	4,109.28		1,109.28
Town Road Aid	614.52	614.52	614.52		
Libraries	500.00	500.00	500.00		
Insurance	500.00	500.00	668.61		168.61
Interest on Temporary Loans	300.00	300.00	125.00	175.00	
Interest on Long-Term Notes	650.00	650.00	650.00		
Town Lines	300.00	300.00		300.00	



Payment on Debt	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Spraying	200.00	200.00	100.00	100.00
Parks and Playgrounds	400.00	400.00	518.94	118.94
Old Home Week	250.00	250.00	250.00	
Memorial Day	150.00	150.00	164.54	14.54
Old Age Assistance	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,348.77	151.23
Town Poor	100.00	100.00		100.00
Town Dump	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Election and Registration	282.00	282.00	252.00	30.00
County Tax	3,800.88	3,800.88	3,800.88	
Fire Alarm System	275.00	275.00	275.00	
Town Line Markers	100.00	100.00		100.00
New Truck	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,395.00	395.00
Tasker Hill Road	4,400.00	4,400.00	2,420.58	1,979.42
Forest Brook Bridge	4,800.00	4,800.00	4,800.00	
Fire Alarm System		55.16	55.16	
Elfie Greene		314.20	314.20	
Taxes Bought By Town		261.41	261.41	261.41
Refunds		349.52	349.52	349.52
Head Tax	1,340.75	1,340.75	1,340.75	
Fred Bickford Fund	100.00	100.00	100.00	
Totals	<u>\$40,721.54</u>	<u>\$42,531.65</u>	<u>\$40,858.30</u>	<u>\$3,304.70</u>
		Overdrafts		3,304.70
		Unexpended		<u>\$1,673.35</u>

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1956

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SAMUEL F. LYMAN  
JESSE A. CURRIER  
FRANK G. WARD, JR.

Selectmen

NANNY SHAW

Treasurer

February 8, 1957

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### ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer	\$18,655.02
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Capital Reserve Funds:

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$ 120.13
John Forrest Bridge	4,800.00
East Madison Road (Tarring)	1,500.00
Bonds Series F	2,116.40

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8,536.53

Accounts Due to the Town—

Due from County:

Elfhannah Green Estate	314.70
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Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1955	101.15
Levy of 1954	35.28
Previous Years	9.33

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145.76

Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1956	6,398.41	
State Head Taxes—		
Levy of 1956	195.00	
		6,593.41
		34,245.42
Total Assets		34,245.42
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)		14,477.69
		\$48,728.11
Grand Total		\$48,728.11

#### LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Due to State:		
State Head Taxes—1956	\$ 195.00	
F.I.C.A.	114.18	
Due to School Districts:		
Balance of Appropriation	19,577.30	
Due State Bond and Debt		
Retirement Tax (2%)	700.10	
State and Town Joint Highway		
Construction Accounts:	8,536.53	
Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
Tractor Note—First Nat'l		
Bank of Concord	2,000.00	
East Madison Road—Carroll		
County Trust Co.	17,600.00	
		48,723.11
Total Liabilities		48,723.11
		\$48,723.11
Grand Total		\$48,723.11

#### RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:	
From Local Taxes:	
Property Taxes—Current Year	
—1956	\$61,304.34

Poll Taxes—Current Year—	
Reg. @ \$2—1956	378.00
National Bank Stock Taxes—	
1956	2.50
State Head Taxes @ \$5—1956	1,200.00
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Total Current Year's Taxes	
Collected and remitted	\$62,884.84
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes	
—Previous Years	2,758.43
Poll Taxes—Previous Years—	
Regular @ \$2	52.00
State Head Taxes @ \$5—	
Previous Years	195.00
Interest received on Taxes	37.24
Penalties on State Head Taxes	24.00
Tax sales redeemed	269.77
From State:	
For Highways and Bridges:	
For Town Road Aid	3,785.48
Interest and dividends tax	2,520.11
Railroad Tax	561.89
Road Toll Refund	91.68
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	198.59
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:	
Dog Licenses	192.00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	6.00
Registration of motor vehicles,	
1955 Permits	17.98
1956 Permits	2,446.46
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Total Current Revenue Receipts	76,041.47
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:	
Temporary loans in anticipation	
of taxes during year	15,000.00
Refunds	174.96
New Trust Funds—Fred Bickford	100.00

Refunds on Social Security	42.11	
Interest on above	1.40	
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	15,318.47	
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Total Receipts from All Sources	91,359.94	
Cash on hand January 1, 1956	21,524.93	
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Grand Total	\$112,884.87	

## PAYMENTS

## Current Maintenance Expenses:

## General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,962.50
Town officers' expenses	1,072.39
Election and registration expenses	252.00
Municipal court expenses	369.04
Expenses town hall and other	
town buildings	1,145.42

## Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	3.95
Fire department	935.00
Moth extermination—	
Spraying	100.00
Forest Fires	45.20
Insurance	668.61
Fire Alarm System	55.16

## Health:

Vital statistics	13.50
Town dumps	100.00

## Highways and Bridges:

Tasker Hill Road	2,420.58
Town Maintenance	5,735.02
Street lighting	711.48
General Expenses of Highway	
Department	4,109.28

Libraries	500.00
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Public Welfare:		
Old age assistance	1,348.77	
Elfhannah Greene Est.	314.70	
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and		
Veteran's Associations	164.54	
Old Home Week	250.00	
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds,		
including band concerts	518.94	
Unclassified:		
A. W. Tyler Reimbursement	13.56	
Advertising and Regional		
Assns., Lakes Region	125.64	
Taxes bought by town	261.41	
Discounts, Abatements and		
Refunds	335.96	
Fred Bickford Cemetery Fund	100.00	
Social Security	42.11	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses		865.12
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in		
anticipation of taxes	125.00	
Paid on long term notes	100.00	
Paid on bonded debt	550.00	
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Total Interest Payments		775.00
Outlay for New Construction,		
Equipment and Permanent		
Improvements:		
Trustees of Trust Funds	6,300.00	
New equipment—Truck	2,395.00	
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Total Outlay Payments		8,695.00
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans		
in anticipation of taxes	15,000.00	

Payments on long term notes	2,000.00	
Payments on bonded debt	4,400.00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		21,400.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
State Head Taxes paid		
State Treas.	1,226.00	
Taxes paid to County	3,800.88	
Head Tax Commissions	114.75	
Payments to School Districts	34,657.64	
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		39,799.27
Total Payments to Other Gov. Divs.		94,344.03
		114.18
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Total Payments for all Purposes		94,229.85
Cash on hand December 31, 1956		18,655.02
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Grand Total		\$112,884.87

### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$	\$25,000.00
Furniture and Equipment		700.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings		2,000.00
Furniture and Equipment		500.00
Fire Dept., Lands and Buildings		2,000.00
Equipment		4,000.00
Highway Dept., Equipment		15,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds		6,200.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings		18,000.00
Equipment		3,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:		
Dora Hand Place		60.00
Part Lot No. 177 SD.		30.00

Lots 1276, 1185, 59, 911, 912, 141	100.00
Laskey Property	100.00
Morton Lots 471, 477, 478	40.00
Wiley Lots	30.00
Lot 148 SD, and Lot 136 SD	20.00
Peter Carter Place	250.00
Lot No. 3, Blairs Location	50.00
Seavey Lots	50.00
All other Property and equipment:	
Water Rights (outlet of Silver Lake)	3,000.00
Total	<u>\$80,130.00</u>

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### Certificate

I, J. Donald Hayes, Auditor for the town of Madison, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1956 hereby certify that I have examined the books and accounts and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

J. DONALD HAYES  
Auditor

Feb. 7, 1957



## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

### MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS

1955 Permits	
No. 136370 to No. 136381	\$ 17.98
1956 Permits	
No. 170201 to No. 170525	2,446.46
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	\$2,464.44

### Remittances to Treasurer:

February 5	\$241.65
March 15	717.88
March 26	542.01
April 12	245.01
May 25	222.97
August 3	264.69
October 8	106.15
January 3, 1957	124.08
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	\$2,464.44

### DOG LICENSES

80 Licenses Issued for 1956	\$ 212.00
Less Clerk's Fees	20.00
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	\$ 192.00

## Remittances to Treasurer:

October 8	\$119.00	
January 3, 1957	73.00	
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		\$ 192.00

ARTHUR W. TYLER  
Town Clerk

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Auditor

Feb. 7, 1957

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Report of George W. Shaw, Jr., Collector**  
**SUMMARY OF WARRANT**  
**Property, Poll and Yield Taxes**  
**Levy of 1956**

**Dr.**

Taxes committed to collector:	
Property Taxes	\$64,681.78
Poll Taxes	440.00
National Bank Stock Tax	2.50
	\$65,124.28
Total Warrant	\$65,124.28
Yield Taxes	4,200.63
Added Taxes:	
Poll Taxes	22.00
Interest Collected	3.63
	\$69,350.54
Total Debits	\$69,350.54

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Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property Taxes	\$61,304.34
National Bank Stock Tax	2.50
Poll Taxes	378.00
Interest Collected	3.63
Discounts Allowed	957.66
Abatements	306.00
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list:	
Property Taxes	2,131.78
Poll Taxes	66.00
Yield Taxes	4,200.63
	\$69,350.54
Total Credits	\$69,350.54

### SUMMARY OF WARRANT

#### Property, Poll and Yield Taxes

##### Levy of 1955

###### Dr.

##### Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1956:

Property Taxes	\$1,129.92
Poll Taxes	52.00
Added Poll Taxes	4.00
Yield Taxes	1,640.97
Interest Collected	33.61

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\$2,860.50

###### Cr.

##### Remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1956:

Property Taxes	\$1,128.67
Discounts Allowed	1.25
Poll Taxes	52.00
Yield Taxes	1,629.76
Interest Collected	33.61
Yield Tax Abated	11.21
Poll Tax Abated	4.00

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\$2,860.50

### SUMMARY OF WARRANT

#### State Head Tax

##### Levy of 1956

###### Dr.

##### State Head Taxes committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$1,425.00
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Added Taxes	25.00	
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Total Commitments		\$1,450.00
Penalties Collected		8.00
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		\$1,458.00
<b>Cr.</b>		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$1,200.00	
Penalties	8.00	
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	\$1,208.00	
Abatements	55.00	
Uncollected	195.00	
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		\$1,458.00

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## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### State Head Tax

#### Levy of 1955

<b>Dr.</b>		
Uncollected taxes as of		
Jan. 1, 1956	\$ 175.00	
Additional Head Taxes	25.00	
Penalties Collected	16.00	
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Total Debits		\$ 216.00
<b>Cr.</b>		
Remittances to Treasurer	\$ 195.00	
Abatements	5.00	

Penalties	16.00
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Total Credits	\$ 216.00

### SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNT

As of August 3, 1956

#### Dr.

	1955	Levies 1954	1952
Taxes sold to Town			
Aug. 3, 1956	\$323.25		
Redemption Costs	7.53		
Interest collected after sale	1.66	\$ 4.54	
Balance of unredeemed taxes as of Aug. 3, 1956		69.22	\$9.33
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Total Debits	\$332.44	\$73.76	\$9.33

#### Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer	\$231.29	\$38.48	
Unredeemed taxes at close of year	101.15	35.28	\$9.33
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Total Credits	\$332.44	\$73.76	\$9.33
Unredeemed:			
Robert Bell	\$ 9.99	\$ 9.69	\$9.33
Unknown	45.34		
Basil T. Bell	2.74		
Charles Colby	34.92		
R. F. Harmon Estate	6.81	6.61	
William Mason	1.35		

Ivan Bell	1.34	
Bertha Davis	17.64	
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	\$101.15	\$35.28    \$9.33

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Auditor

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## TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1956	\$21,524.93	
Receipts for Calendar Year	91,359.94	
		\$112,884.87
Selectmen's Orders Paid	94,229.85	
Cash Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1957	18,655.02	
		\$112,884.87

### DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

From Town Clerk:		
Auto Permits	\$ 2,464.44	
Dog Taxes	192.00	
		\$ 2,656.44
From State of New Hampshire:		
Town Share of Recovery of		
Old Age Assistance	198.59	
Motor Vehicle Road Toll	91.68	
Reimbursement T.R.A.	3,785.48	
Interest and Dividends	2,520.11	
Railroad Tax	561.89	
		7,157.75
From Miscellaneous Sources:		
Pistol Permits	6.00	
Carroll County Trust Co.	15,000.00	
Selectmen—Refund on Head Tax and Penalty paid by town	5.50	
Treasurer of the U.S.—Refund Overpayment on Social Security	42.11	
Interest on above item	1.40	



Fred Bickford—To Trust Fund		
—Care of cemetery lot	100.00	
Frank L. Kendall, Agency Inc.		
Refund on insurance	169.46	
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		15,324.47
From Tax Collector:		
1954 Property Taxes—Redemption	33.94	
1954 Interest—Redemption	4.54	
1955 Property Taxes—		
Redemption	229.63	
1955 Interest—Redemption	1.66	
1955 Poll Taxes	52.00	
1955 Property Taxes	1,128.67	
1955 Interest	33.61	
1955 Head Taxes	195.00	
1955 Head Tax Penalties	16.00	
1955 Timber Taxes	1,629.76	
1956 Poll Taxes	378.00	
1956 Property Taxes	61,304.34	
1956 Interest	3.63	
1956 Head Tax	1,200.00	
1956 Head Tax Penalties	8.00	
1956 National Bank Stock Tax	2.50	
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		66,221.28
Total Receipts		<hr/>
		\$91,359.94

NANNY SHAW  
Treasurer

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Auditor

Feb. 7, 1957

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

### SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes	\$66,221.28	
From State	7,157.75	
Local sources, except taxes	2,662.44	
Receipts other than Current	15,318.47	
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		\$ 91,359.94
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1956		21,524.93
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		\$112,884.97

### SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government	\$ 4,801.35	
Protection of Persons and Property	1,807.92	
Health	113.50	
Highways and Bridges	12,976.36	
Libraries	500.00	
Public Welfare	1,663.47	
Patriotic Purposes	414.54	
Recreation	518.94	
Unclassified	878.68	
Interest	775.00	
New Equipment	8,695.00	
Indebtedness Payments	21,400.00	
Payments to other Government Division	39,799.27	
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Total		\$ 94,344.03
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1956		18,655.02
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		112,999.05
Less Social Security (see Liabilities)		114.18
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		\$112,884.87

**TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES**

Samuel F. Lyman	\$ 472.50	
Jesse A. Currier	472.50	
Frank G. Ward, Jr.	472.50	
George W. Shaw, Jr.	225.00	
Nanny Shaw	85.00	
Arthur W. Tyler	51.00	
Arthur R. Gilman, 1955	8.00	
William N. Kennett, 1955 and '56	20.00	
Leah Kennett	60.00	
Priscilla Forrest	60.00	
Marjorie L. T. Chick	36.00	
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Total		\$1,962.50
Appropriation		2,033.50
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Unexpended Balance		\$ 71.00

**TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES**

Samuel F. Lyman	\$ 118.00
Jesse A. Currier	136.00
Frank G. Ward, Jr.	126.82
Arthur W. Tyler	173.00
George W. Shaw, Jr.	20.00
Nanny Shaw	9.14
Marion Lyman	14.61
Larry Lyman	25.00
Carroll County Independent	352.89
Registry of Deeds	24.14
Brown & Saltmarsh	17.81
Sargent Bros.	15.50
Edson C. Eastman Co.	1.32
N. H. Tax Collector's Assn.	3.00
Wheeler & Clark	28.91
Charles Hardy	2.00

Assn. of N. H. Assessors	3.00	
Treasurer State of N. H.	1.25	
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Total		\$1,072.39
Appropriation		1,150.00
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Unexpended		\$ 77.61

#### RECREATION HALL

William A. Harmon	\$118.55	
Public Service Co.	43.27	
John F. Chick & Son, Inc.	85.22	
Frank Perreault	110.00	
Edwin Keith, Jr.	12.00	
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Total		\$369.04
Appropriation		500.00
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Unexpended Balance		\$130.96

#### SPRAYING

Western Maine Forest Nursery	\$100.00	
Appropriation	200.00	
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Unexpended Balance		\$100.00

#### POLICE DEPT.

Smith and Bennett	\$ 3.95	
Appropriation	50.00	
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Unexpended Balance		\$46.05

#### FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

Phillip Thompson	\$10.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel.	45.16	
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Total		\$55.16
Reimbursed by Fire Dept.		\$55.16

**FOREST FIRES**

Albert Lyman	\$45.20
No Appropriation	
Overdraft	45.20

**FIRE DEPT.**

Madison Fire Dept.	\$935.00
Appropriation	935.00

**INSURANCE**

Fred Frost	\$187.20
Frank L. Kendall Agency	481.41
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Total	\$668.61
Appropriation	500.00
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Overdraft	\$168.61

**ELFIE GREENE**

Arthur Bennett	\$285.00
Frank G. Ward, Jr.	5.00
Jesse Currie	24.20
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Amount Due from Estate	\$314.20

**SUMMER HIGHWAYS**

Frank Jones	\$1,857.90
Russell Jones	18.00
Bruce Jones	70.36
Richard Jones	28.00
Franklin Jones	12.00
Jesse Shackford, Jr.	262.00
Loren Shackford	45.00
Melvin Chute	5.00

Leonard Bickford	1.80	
Samuel Lyman	37.60	
George Ames	2.00	
Guy Nickerson	7.00	
Raymond Ward	11.00	
Fred Bickford	529.90	
B&M Railroad	14.38	
Conway Supply Co.	36.30	
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Total		\$2,938.24
Appropriation		4,500.00
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Unexpended		\$1,561.76

#### WINTER HIGHWAYS

Frank Jones	\$1,297.00	
Richard Jones	207.00	
Franklin Jones	117.00	
Bruce Jones	27.00	
Russell Jones	39.00	
Floyd Jones	13.00	
James Twombly	26.00	
Paul Bickford	78.00	
Jesse Shackford, Jr.	493.00	
Loren Shackford	367.00	
Arthur L. Potter	13.78	
Donald Colcord	62.00	
Samuel F. Lyman	12.00	
Bernard Nickerson	31.00	
Fred Bickford	9.00	
Jesse Harmon	5.00	
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Total		\$2,796.78
Appropriation		2,000.00
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Overdraft		\$ 796.78

**TASKER HILL ROAD**

Frank Jones	\$245.00
Loren Shackford	63.00
Jesse Shackford, Jr.	143.50
Fred Bickford	160.00
Jesse Currie	30.00
Samuel F. Lyman	38.00
Grafton Ward	30.00
Franklin Jones	4.00
Almon Evens	383.60
Emery Roberts	86.10
Reg Lyman	73.80
Warren Spears	143.00
Bruce Jones	9.00
Bruce Gass	4.45
John F. Chick & Son	19.18
Phil Noyes	1.50
Treas. State of N. H.	920.65
Hume Pipe of N. E., Inc.	65.80
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	\$2,420.58
Appropriation	4,400.00
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Unexpended Balance	\$1,979.42

**STREET LIGHTING**

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$711.48
Appropriation	800.00
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Unexpended	\$ 88.52

**LIBRARIES**

Madison Public Library	\$500.00
Appropriation	\$500.00

### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	\$1,348.77
Appropriation	1,500.00
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Unexpended Balance	\$ 151.23

### MEMORIAL DAY

Eagle Flag and Toy Co.	\$ 20.75
Frank G. Ward, Jr.	125.00
Hayes Gen. Store	18.74
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Total	\$ 164.54
Appropriation	150.00
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Overdraft	\$ 14.54

### PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Public Service Co.	\$ 83.47
Frank Jones	110.20
Bruce Jones	30.00
Richard Jones	6.00
Franklin Jones	3.00
Raymond Ward	2.00
Fred Bickford	31.38
Loren Shackford	2.00
Leland Drew	25.00
William Harmon	8.00
John Currier	200.00
John F. Chick & Son, Inc.	7.70
Hayes General Store	10.19
	_____
Total	\$518.94
Appropriation	400.00
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Overdraft	\$118.94



**FRED BICKFORD TRUST FUND**

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$100.00
Received from Fred Bickford	\$100.00

**INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS**

Carroll County Trust Co.	\$125.00
Appropriation	300.00
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Unexpended	\$175.00

**INTEREST ON LONG TERM NOTES**

Carroll County Trust Co.	\$550.00
First National Bank of Concord	100.00
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Total	\$650.00
Appropriation	650.00

**FOREST BROOK BRIDGE**

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$4,800.00
Appropriation	4,800.00

**EAST MADISON ROAD TARRING FUND**

Trustees of Trust Funds	\$1,500.00
Appropriation	1,500.00

**TEMPORARY LOANS**

Carroll County Trust Co.	\$15,000.00
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**LONG TERM NOTES**

First National Bank of Concord	\$2,000.00
Carroll County Trust Co.	4,400.00
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Total	\$6,400.00
Appropriation for Tractor Note	2,000.00

Appropriation T.R.A.	614.52	
State's share T.R.A.	3,785.48	
	<hr/>	\$6,400.00

#### COUNTY TAX

Kenneth Berry		\$3,800.88
Appropriation		3,800.88

#### HEAD TAX

Treasurer State of N.H.	\$1,226.00	
George W. Shaw, Jr.	59.75	
Samuel F. Lyman	18.33	
Jesse A. Currier	18.33	
Frank G. Ward, Jr.	18.34	
	<hr/>	\$1,340.75
Total		

#### GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY DEPT.

State of N.H.	\$ 124.42	
Murray Machine Co.	97.56	
Palmer Simpson Co.	20.10	
Samuel F. Lyman	22.00	
J. C. Faltin Co.	2.55	
Cassellini Venable Corp.	47.21	
Ray Road Equipment Co.	135.87	
Morton Machine Co.	3.50	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	1,194.00	
Madison Garage	2,351.20	
Hayes General Store	32.43	
Rines' Garage	38.70	
Frank Jones	2.44	
Bruce Gass	27.30	
Leon Gerry	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,109.28
Total		
Appropriation		3,000.00
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Overdraft		\$1,109.28

**TOWN HALL (Silver Lake)**

Frank Perreault	\$ 220.00
Public Service Co.	98.82
Ossipee Oil Co.	250.20
New Eng. Tel. & Tel.	116.46
John F. Chick & Son	38.22
Weston's Store	9.05
Hayes Store	12.23
Samuel Lyman	62.50
Frank Jones	11.25
Remick Gas & Electric	53.50
Bruce Gass	9.09
Richard Jones	2.00
P. J. Brown	45.00
Fred Bickford	5.00
Gilman Cyr	25.00
Frank L. Kendall Agcy.	85.75
Percy Blake, Jr.	29.95
I. L. Forrest	4.00
W. H. Davehall	51.90
Philip Thompson	15.50
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Total	\$1,145.42
Appropriation	1,100.00
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Overdraft	\$ 45.42

**OLD HOME WEEK**

Treas. Old Home Week	\$250.00
Appropriation	250.00

**ADVERTISING**

Lakes Region Assn.	\$125.64
Appropriation	125.64

**TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN**

George W. Shaw, Jr., Collector	\$261.41
No Appropriation	

**REFUNDS**

William Kennett	\$ 93.20
Central Maine Power Co.	63.80
Francis Werner	58.35
George Shaw, Jr.	16.50
State of N.H.	55.93
Mabel Webber	48.18
Arthur Tyler	13.56
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Total	\$349.52
No Appropriation	

**INTERNATIONAL TRUCK**

Rines' Garage	\$2,395.00
Appropriation	2,000.00
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Overdraft	\$ 395.00

**TOWN DUMP**

Guy Nickerson	\$100.00
Appropriation	100.00

**VITAL STATISTICS**

A. W. Tyler	\$13.50
Appropriation	30.00
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Unexpended	\$16.50

**ELECTION AND REGISTRATION**

Samuel F. Lyman	\$ 28.00
Jesse A. Currier	28.00

Frank G. Ward, Jr.	28.00	
Arthur W. Tyler	28.00	
Fred Frost	28.00	
Ernest Meader	28.00	
Almon Bryant	28.00	
Richard Tyler	28.00	
Jesse Harmon	28.00	
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Total		\$252.00
Appropriation		282.00
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Unexpended		\$ 30.00

### MADISON SCHOOL DISTRICT

Madison School District		\$34,657.64
Balance due Jan. 1, 1956	\$18,540.61	
Appropriation	35,694.33	
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		54,234.94
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Balance due Jan. 1, 1957		\$19,577.30

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## REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1956

Balance of Income 1955	\$121.97	
Interest from Banks	221.69	
Interest from U.S. Bonds	72.60	
	<hr/>	\$416.26
Expenditures 1956		
S. L. Womans Club	\$ 32.76	
Town Library	16.39	
Fred Bickford	25.00	
Jesse Harmon	177.41	
Re-Investment	76.30	
	<hr/>	327.86
Expenditures 1956		327.86
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Balance of Income 1956		88.40
		\$416.26

ALBERT W. CLAYTON  
ALMON H. BRYANT  
Trustees of Trust Funds

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# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF MADISON, N. H.

## On December 31, 1956

Date of Creation	Name of Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance at End of Year
1935	Gilman and Brown Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	\$1,000.00	3/4%	\$ 12.02	\$ 32.65	\$ 42.50	\$ 2.17
1920	General Cemetery Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	1,000.00	3/4%	16.69	32.65	42.50	2.84
1934	Town Poor Fund	Care of Town Poor	Bank Deposit	1,000.00	3/4%	11.48	33.04	32.76	11.76
1934	Town Library Fund	Support of Town Library	Bank Deposit	500.00	3/4%	3.53	16.39	16.39	3.53
1919	H Hubbard Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	200.00	3/4%	4.99	6.50	6.50	4.99
1934	Meloon and Harmon Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	200.00	3/4%	4.16	6.50	6.50	4.16
1941	Hobbs Lot Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	250.00	3/4%	3.93	8.12	8.12	3.93
1944	Ward and Hagar Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	200.00	3/4%	4.95	6.50	6.50	4.95
1930	Hobbs Lot Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	200.00	3/4%	2.15	6.50	6.50	2.15
1931	Mooney and Gerry Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	1.73	3.25	3.25	1.73
1926	Hunt Lot Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	2.74	3.25	3.25	2.74
1930	Atkinson Lot Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	2.12	3.25	3.25	2.12
1926	John Drew Lot Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	2.27	3.25	3.25	2.27
1925	L. Durgin Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	2.66	3.25	3.25	2.66
1924	A. L. Whiting Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	1.16	3.25	3.25	1.16
1923	J. Haines Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	1.16	3.25	3.25	1.16
1922	John M. Ward Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	5.52	3.31	7.25	1.58
1936	A. J. Forrest Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	5.57	3.31	7.25	1.63
1921	J. Marston Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	50.00	3/4%	.81	1.64	1.64	.81
1925	H. Warren Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	4.40	3.25	3.25	4.40
1936	M. Blaisdell Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	50.00	3/4%	.71	1.64	1.64	.71
1942	M. and E. Nickerson Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	1.80	3.25	3.25	1.80
1941	R. and H. Chick Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	1.88	3.25	3.25	1.88
1944	John Pearson Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	2.15	3.25	3.25	2.15
1945	E. Schmitt Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	125.00	3/4%	8.37	3.98	10.25	2.10
1945	M. McNair Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	4.83	3.25	3.25	4.83
1945	N. Blaisdell Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	4.56	3.25	3.25	4.56
1946	Geo. Phillips Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%	3.40	3.25	3.25	3.40
1948	Snell Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	150.00	3/4%	1.98	4.88	4.88	1.98
1943	Ed. Littlefield Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	150.00	3/4%	2.25	4.88	4.88	2.25
1956	Fred Bickford Fund	Care of Cemetery Lot	Bank Deposit	100.00	3/4%		3.70	3.70	
1943	Town Sinking Fund	Use of Town	Bank Deposit	120.13	3/4%		72.60	72.60	
1943	Town Sinking Fund	Use of Town	U.S. Gov. Bonds	2,116.40	2 3/4%				
1956	Madison Bridge & Tar Fund	Use of Town	Bank Deposit	6,300.00	2 1/2%				
Total				\$15,311.53		\$121.97	\$294.29	\$327.86	\$88.40

## TOWN AND SCHOOL LIBRARY REPORT

For the Year 1956

Balance on hand Jan., 1956	\$ 21.33
Appropriation	500.00
From Trust Fund	16.39
	\$537.72
Total Receipts	
Expended:	
Books	\$349.56
Librarian's Salary	125.00
Insurance	32.50
Check book	2.00
Gift to Miss Pratt	2.00
Supplies	5.36
Postage	2.00
	\$518.42
Total Expended	
	\$ 19.30

### Statement of Use

Books added to Library in 1956	193
Books circulated in Library in 1956:	
Adults	1265
Juveniles	1777
	3042
Total	

MARION JACKSON  
 CHARLOTTE H. HAMILTON  
 ALICE H. WARD  
 Trustees



## OLD HOME WEEK, 1956

	Receipts	Payments
Bank balance	\$ 93.66	
Town appropriation	250.00	
Bretton Woods Boys Choir	104.97	\$150.00
Square Dance	49.40	40.00
Ball Games	19.83	
Bean Hole Supper	287.30	
Talent Night	78.71	
Tonic Sold	106.30	
Field Prizes		12.45
Mardi Gras Prizes		50.00
P.T.A. Prizes		6.00
Edwin Keith expenses (tonic)		26.40
Varsity Beverage Co. and Cola Bottling Co. (tonic)		53.29
The Reporter Press		34.20
Abbotts Dairy (ice cream)		40.96
W. H. Brine Trophys		65.00
Francis Welch (ice)		7.75
Flowerland (bouquet)		5.00
James Bailey Co. Inc. (medals)		19.43
Leonard Virgin (music)		40.00

Ellsworth Russell (caller)		10.00
Hayes Store		191.28
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	\$990.17	\$751.76
	751.76	
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Balance in Savings Account	\$238.41	

ERNEST A. MEADER  
Treasurer

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### Certificate

I, J. Donald Hayes, Auditor for the town of Madison, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1956 hereby certify that I have examined the books and accounts and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

J. DONALD HAYES  
Auditor

Feb. 7, 1957

# FIRE COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

## TOWN OF MADISON

### Receipts

Cash on Hand, Jan. 1, 1956	\$	369.80
Received from Selectmen		935.00
		\$1,304.80

### Payments

Public Service Company		40.75
Conway Insurance Agency		14.00
Fred Frost		9.48
Mass. Bonding & Insurance Co.		104.40
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.		284.35
Samuel F. Lyman		22.50
Ossipee Oil Company		214.56
Carroll County Independent		6.55
Frank Kendall Agency Inc.		95.34
The Fyr-Fyter Company		10.89
Madison Garage		9.31
Albert Lyman		4.30
		816.43
Total Payments		816.43
Bank Service Charge		3.15
		\$819.58
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1957		\$485.22

ALTON P. LOVERING  
LELAND DREW  
SAMUEL F. LYMAN  
Fire Commissioners

## MADISON FIRE DEPARTMENT

### TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1956	\$ 369.80	
Receipts for Calendar Year	935.00	
		\$1,304.80
Commissioner's Orders Paid	816.43	
Bank Service Charges	3.15	
Cash Balance in Treasury, January 1, 1957	485.22	
		\$1,304.80

NANNY SHAW  
Treasurer

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J. DONALD HAYES  
Auditor

Feb. 7, 1957

## **FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT**

### **DANGER FROM FIRE IN WOODLANDS**

WOODLAND LITTER, WHEN DRY, IS HIGHLY INFLAMMABLE AND FIRES CAN QUICKLY GET OUT OF CONTROL. WE REQUEST YOUR COOPERATION TO CONTROL ALL FIRES SO THAT LIVES AND PROPERTY MAY NOT BE ENDANGERED OR DESTROYED, AND FORESTS BE KEPT GREEN TO FURNISH THE NATURAL BEAUTY WE ALL ENJOY AND TO GROW TIMBER WE WILL NEED.

### **WHAT IS "WOODLAND"?**

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

WHEN IN THE WOODS, YOU ARE EXPECTED TO EXERCISE CAUTION IN THE USE OF FIRE AND TO REMEMBER THAT

### **IT IS UNLAWFUL TO**

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

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

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

Leave an open fire burning unattended.

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

## VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO THESE PENALTIES

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

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

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

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

## DAMAGES

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

## BE SURE—GET A PERMIT

Incinerators should be tight, with a close mesh screen, and be on clean ground.

Open fireplaces used to burn rubbish are classed as incinerators.

Always clean a space about any open fire to prevent its spread.

Never burn in dry, windy weather.

Have incinerators inspected by the Forest Fire Warden and get his written permission.

No. Permits—19; No. Fires—1; Acreage Burned—4A

ALBERT LYMAN  
Town Warden  
ROBERT B. SMITH  
District Chief

## MADISON SCHOOL REPORT

March 1, 1957

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### OFFICERS

**Moderator**

ARTHUR GILMAN

**Clerk**

BEATRICE HARMON

**Treasurer**

NANNY SHAW

**Truant Officer**

IRENE BRYANT

**Census Enumerator**

IRENE BRYANT

**Auditor**

J. DONALD HAYES

**Nurse**

REBECCA SANBORN, R.N.

### School Board

ELIZABETH BRADY, Clerk	Term Expires 1957
RALPH ACKER	Term Expires 1958
E. MILTON HOYT, Chairman	Term Expires 1959

**Superintendent of Schools**

EVERETT H. BRASIER

## SCHOOL WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 12th day of March 1957, 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 three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation



of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will vote to adopt a plan for extending to employees of the district the benefits of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act (Old Age and Survivor's Insurance) as authorized by Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes Annotated Amended by Chapter 301 and 332 of the laws of 1955 and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$41.18 to defray the district's share of the cost thereof.

10. To see if the district wishes to exclude from the plan services in any class or classes of positions filled by popular election.

11. To see if the district wishes to exclude from the plan services in any class or classes of positions the compensation for which is on a fee basis.

12. If a plan for Social Security coverage is adopted, to see if the district will authorize the school board to execute on behalf of the district the necessary agreement with the State of New Hampshire to carry into effect the plan and to see if the district will designate the treasurer as the officer to be responsible for the administration of the plan.

13. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to make application for and accept in the name of the school district for educational purposes such funds or grants-in-aid as may be obtainable from the State or Federal Government or any department or agency thereof, or any other sources.

14. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for storm windows for the Madison School.

15. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to sell, or otherwise dispose of, the shed now adjacent to the primary room.

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

Given under our hands at said Madison this 7th day of February 1957.

E. MILTON HOYT  
ELIZABETH H. BRADY  
RALPH R. ACKER  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

E. MILTON HOYT  
ELIZABETH H. BRADY  
RALPH R. ACKER  
School Board

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURES

	Appropriation	Expenditures	Balance	Overdraft	Appropriation	Estimate
	1955-56	1955-56			1956-57	1957-58
<b>High School</b>						
Transportation	\$ 1,800.00	\$1,837.50		\$37.50	\$1,820.00	\$1,445.00
Tuition	9,300.00	9,394.30		94.30	10,370.00	10,200.00
<b>Elementary</b>						
<b>Administration</b>						
Salaries—District Officers	354.00	354.00			354.00	369.00
Salary Superintendent	393.53	395.93		2.40	547.50	472.72
Per Capita Tax	206.00	206.00			208.00	198.00
Other Administrative Personnel	15.00	15.00			15.00	15.00
Adm. Expenses, including Supt. and Un. Exp.	500.00	509.25		9.25	400.00	480.54
<b>Instruction</b>						
Salaries	9,200.00	9,290.67		90.67	9,800.00	10,600.00
Books	200.00	176.84	23.16		125.00	200.00
Scholars' Supplies	350.00	440.53		90.53	350.00	350.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	100.00	109.80		9.80	100.00	100.00
<b>Operation of School Plant</b>						
Janitor	500.00	586.00		86.00	500.00	480.00
Fuel or Heat	700.00	888.77		88.77	750.00	900.00
Water, Light	400.00	421.52		21.52	525.00	500.00
Maintenance, Repairs and Replacements	400.00	450.08		50.08	400.00	400.00

Auxiliary Activities						
Health Supervision	400.00	344.00	56.00		395.00	431.85
Transportation	4,400.00	4,543.41		143.41	4,500.00	3,280.00
Tuition	2,200.00	1,478.76	721.24		1,640.00	220.00
Special Activities	250.00	144.24	105.76		150.00	300.00
School Lunch	1,650.00	1,469.65	180.35		1,700.00	1,700.00
Fixed Charges						
Retirement—Teachers and Supt.	637.00	656.17		19.17	705.83	754.93
Insurance—Treasurer's Bond	325.00	448.29		123.29	339.00	231.97
Contingency Fund	200.00		200.00		200.00	
New Equipment					200.00	
Debt and Interest						
Principal of Debt						1,600.00
Interest on Debt						100.00
	<u>\$34,480.53</u>	<u>\$34,160.71</u>			<u>\$36,094.33</u>	<u>\$35,329.01</u>

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

1955-56

**RECEIPTS****Federal Aid**

Noon lunch and special milk		\$ 370.11
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**Local Taxation**

Current appropriation	33,227.48	
Advance 1956-57 appropriation	130.16	

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 33,357.64
**Other Sources**

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Tuition		400.00

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 Total Receipts from all Sources

34,127.75

Cash on Hand July 1, 1955

General Fund		196.56
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 Grand Total Receipts from all Sources

\$34,324.31

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

1955-56

### ADMINISTRATION

Salaries of District Officers:

Milton Hoyt, school board	\$ 100.00
Ralph Acker, school board	100.00
Elizabeth Brady, school board	100.00
Elizabeth Brady, clerk	65.00

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\$ 365.00

Superintendent's Salary:

Blanche Buswell, Dist. Supt. Sal.	395.93
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Tax for Statewide Supervision:

State of N.H., per capita tax	206.00
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Salaries of Other Administrative

Personnel:

Irene Bryant, census	15.00
Nanny Shaw, treasurer	35.00
William Kennett, auditor	10.00
Arthur Gilman, moderator	4.50
Beatrice Harmon, clerk	4.50

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69.00

Supplies and Other Expenses:

Myrtle E. Lyman, Treas. bond	15.00
Blanche Buswell, Union expense	324.16
Blanche Buswell, Union travel	99.60
N. H. School Board Assn., dues	10.00
Nanny Shaw, envelopes	9.14
J. E. Faltin, transportation	2.45
Carrol County Trust Co., service charges	1.35

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\$ 461.70

## INSTRUCTION

## Teachers' Salaries:

Martha Kelley	\$2,344.01
Edith Plant	2,339.40
Eleanor Grace, substitute	30.98
Hollis Eaves	2,657.32
Dir. Int. Revenue	1,004.80
N. H. Teachers retirement	726.00
Beatrice Harmon, substitute	27.00
Winnifred Harmon, substitute	121.50
David Lowe	39.66

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\$ 9,290.67

## Books and Other Instructional Aid:

Allyn & Bacon, books	46.32
D. C. Heath Co., books	17.10
Scott Foresman, books	57.50
Martin & Murray Co., Inc., books	33.95
MacMillan Co., books	8.96
Row Peterson & Co., books	13.01

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176.84

## Scholars' Supplies:

American Book Co., workbooks	61.66
Ginn & Co., workbooks	17.96
D. C. Heath Co., workbooks	9.12
Scott Foresman Co., workbooks	43.90
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	165.39
Ruwe Pencil Co., supplies	10.30
State Office Equipment, supplies	25.82
Cascade Paper Co., supplies	29.77
American Educational Pub., magazine	52.80
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	23.81

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440.53

## Supplies and Other Expenses:

Beckley Cardy Co., supplies	70.69
Alger Sherman, piano tuning	20.00
Lynch Co., basketball	4.95
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	11.71
Cascade Paper Co., supplies	2.45

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 109.80

## OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT

## Salaries of Janitors:

Ruth T. Davis	\$ 34.50
Eunice G. Currier	35.50
John Currier	15.00
Franklin Nason	180.00
Patricia Shackford	48.00
Madison Garage, use of mower	2.00
Helen Jones	11.00
Franklin Jones	260.00

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 \$ 586.00

## Fuel or Heat:

Dube & Murphy Inc.	888.77
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## Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:

Public Service Co., lights	251.95
J. I. Holcomb Co., supplies	99.20
Moulton's Store, towels	54.72
Weston's Store, supplies	1.79
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	8.10
Hayes General Store, supplies	.61
Coll. of Internal Revenue	2.70

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 419.07



### MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

#### Repairs and Replacements:

Lorne B. Hulsman, repairs	\$ 20.20
Harold Gilman, supplies	124.70
Ernest A. Meader, repairs	247.19
N. E. Utilities, clock	13.00
Conway Furniture Co., mirror	5.95
John F. Chick & Son, repairs	4.04
Morton Machine Co., repairs	35.00

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450.08

### AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES

#### Health Supervision:

Union No. 36, nursing fund	\$ 320.00
Charles E. Smith, M.D.	24.00

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\$ 344.00

#### Transportation:

Ossipee School District	2,000.00
Eleanor Huff	269.95
Edward Stokes	75.00
Patricia Shackford	1,118.80
John L. Brown	600.00
George Spring, M.D.	15.00
Eleanor Chase	525.00
Clifford Laws	311.04
Charles Smith, M.D.	3.00
George Shaw	11.60
Clifford Ward	1,451.52

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6,380.91

#### Tuition:

Conway School District	10,873.06
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#### Special Activities and Special Funds:

Madison Garage, bill	3.32
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Hayes Gen. Store, supplies	1.95	
The Lynch Co., equipment	44.33	
John F. Chick & Son, repairs	4.42	
Raymond Hackett, record player	30.00	
Edith Plant, reimbursement	3.45	
Weston's Store, supplies	.60	
Hollis Eaves, expense	50.65	
Cascade Paper Co., supplies	5.50	
Norton Hardware, supplies	64.00	
Winnifred Harmon, salary	1,000.00	
Edward Sullivan, dishes	27.29	
Harold Gilman, repairs	8.25	
Winnifred Harmon, Fed. reimbursement	370.11	
		1,613.87

### FIXED CHARGES

#### Retirement:

N. H. Teachers Ret., teachers	\$ 613.80	
Union No. 36 Nursing Fund, nurse	15.69	
N. H. State Employees Ret., Supt.	26.68	
		\$ 656.17

#### Insurance, Treas. Bond and Expenses:

Mark L. Kendall Agcy.	246.65	
Myrtle L. Lyman, Ins.	104.78	
Grange Mut. Ins. Co.	81.86	
		433.29

Total Expenditures for all Purposes	\$34,160.69
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**BALANCE SHEET****June 30, 1956****ASSETS**

Cash on hand June 30, 1956	\$ 163.62	
Accounts due from Town—Bal. 1955-56 appropriation	882.97	
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Total Assets		\$1,046.59

**LIABILITIES**

		none
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Surplus (excess assets over liabilities)		\$1,046.59

**Certificate**

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J. DONALD HAYES  
Auditor

Feb. 7, 1957

## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

1955-56

### SUMMARY

Cash on hand July 1, 1955 (Treas. Bank balance)		\$ 196.56
Received from Selectmen		
Current Appropriation	\$33,357.64	
Received from State Treasurer		
State Funds	370.11	
Received from Tuitions	400.00	
Total Receipts		34,127.75
Total amount available for Fiscal Year		
(balance and receipts)		34,324.31
Less School Board Orders paid		34,160.69
Balance on hand June 30, 1956		
(Treas. Bank balance)		\$ 163.62
July 6, 1956		

NANNY SHAW  
District Treasurer

#### Auditor's Certificate

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

J. DONALD HAYES  
Auditor

July 23, 1956

## ANNUAL REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

1955-56

Fourteen pupils received second shots of Salk Polio Vaccine at a clinic held in Conway on October 25, 1955. Fifty-eight children, which included twenty-two pre-schoolers, received first shots at a clinic held at the Madison School on January 27, 1956.

Pupils taking part in athletics were given medical examinations at the beginning of the school year.

During May 1956 the Tuberculosis Patch Test was given to 24.

Vision Tests		80
Hearing Tests		27
Inspections		42
Heights		110
Weights		110
		No. Pupils Seen or Treated by
Defects Found	No. Cases	Family Physician
Vision	8	7
Ears	1	1
Tonsils	2	2 T&A

There were 21 cases of Chicken Pox.

Number of Home Visits were 22.

I wish to express my appreciation to all those who assisted in the health program.

Respectfully submitted,

REBECCA P. SANBORN, R.N.

January 16, 1957

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Madison:

During the school year 1955-56 the teachers in the Madison School were: Principal, Mr. Hollis Eaves, grades 6 to 8; Mrs. Martha Kelley, grades 3 to 5; Mrs. Edith Plant, grades 1 and 2. Mr. Eaves was succeeded by Mr. John DiSanto of Providence, R.I., who is a graduate of Providence College, and has one year of teaching experience. We are very fortunate to have such competent teachers.

Mrs. Rebecca Sanborn, R.N., served as School Nurse in a School Nursing Union consisting of Brookfield, Effingham, Freedom, Madison, and Wakefield. This Union of school districts made possible the employment of a qualified nurse resident a relatively short distance from the schools. This provides a definite increase in the efficiency and amount of this vital service. Mrs. Sanborn continues this service during the current year. Her tireless devotion to the welfare of the children in her care has earned her many well deserved compliments. The Salk Polio Inoculation Program initiated in 1954 was continued through the cooperative efforts of the State Department of Health, Mrs. Sanborn, the teachers, and interested citizens.

There was a total enrollment of 58 pupils in the Madison School. In the Conway Elementary School 9 Madison pupils were enrolled. At the beginning of the current year there were 66 pupils in the Madison School and one in the Conway Elementary schools. The purchase of a new bus during the past summer makes possible the transportation of Madison pupils who are

resident on Route 16. This bus also provides high school pupils with transportation to Conway. Substantial savings in cost of transportation and tuition are expected.

There were 34 Madison pupils enrolled at Kennett High School with an average membership of 31.6. Currently there are 29 high school pupils with seven in the Senior Class. The nine eighth grade pupils are expected to enter high school next September. The high school tuition rate for 1955-56 was \$295.00 For the current year the rate is \$305.00.

The P.T.A. continued its sponsorship of the School Lunch Program. This is recognized as one of the better programs in the area and certainly serves a commendable purpose.

The interest and cooperation of the School Board, teachers, pupils, and citizens is most sincerely appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. BRASIER  
Supt. of Schools

December 28, 1956

## NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Concord

### END OF PROGRAM REPORT TO SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To: Superintendent of Schools

The summary below covers the receipts, expenditures, and balances of the School Lunch Program at Madison Grammar for the fiscal year 1955-1956.

Cash on Hand Sept. 1, 1956	\$ 149.69
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#### Receipts

Lunch Sales—Children	\$1,201.23	
Lunch Sales—Adults	100.60	
	1,301.83	
Receipt of Reimbursement	358.88	
District Appropriations	1,000.00	
Misc. Cash Contributions	1.20	
	2,661.91	
Total Receipts		2,661.91
Available Total		\$2,811.60

#### Expenditures

Food	\$1,739.86	
Labor	928.00	
All Other	41.51	
	2,709.37	
Total Expenditures		\$2,709.37
Actual Cash Balance as of June 30, 1956		\$ 102.23
Estimated Value of Food on Hand as of June 30,		\$15.00



I certify that the above information is true and correct; that the cash balance has been determined by actual count and/or verification of the checkbook balance; and that invoices and other pertinent records as required are on file to substantiate the School Lunch Program transactions.

WINNIFRED HARMON  
Treasurer

July 3, 1956

## STATISTICAL REPORT

### 1955-56

Number of weeks in school year	37
Number of half days in school year	360
Total number of different pupils registered	58
Boys—29      Girls—29	
Average membership	56.5
Percentage of attendance	95.1
Average number of tardinesses	.123
Number of pupils transported at District's expense	86
Elem.—55      High—31	
Number of school board meetings held	12
Number of visits of Superintendent	109
Perfect attendance school year 1955-56	3

Jean Perrault

Joyce Bickford

Carolyn Gilman

**SUPERVISTORY UNION #36****FINANCIAL REPORT****1955-56****Receipts**

Balance on hand July 1, 1955	\$ 51.08	
Received during year	8,229.98	
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Total Receipts		\$8,281.06

**Expenses**

Clerk hire	\$1,791.93	
Office expenses	833.39	
Educational aids	336.45	
Union Treasurer	25.00	
Superintendent's salary	3,975.00	
Superintendent's travel	1,000.00	
Workshop	23.16	
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Total Expenses		7,984.93
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Balance on hand June 30, 1956		\$ 296.13

The State's share of the superintendent's salary for Union No. 36 was \$2,500.00. The shares for the various school districts in the Union for 1955-56 were as follows: Brookfield \$126.02; Effingham \$286.19; Freedom \$286.19; Madison \$395.93; Middleton \$41.32; Ossiipee \$1,106.64; Tamworth \$852.64; and Wakefield \$880.07. Madison's per capita tax was \$206.00.

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MADISON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956**

Date of Birth	Name of Child	No. of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Feb. 22	Janice Marie	2	Carl W. Arnold	Jean Louise Ward	Madison, N. H.	No. Conway, N. H.
Mar. 27	Rebecca Lynn	2	Donald L. Colcord	Shirley A. Parker	Atkinson, N. H.	Madison, N. H.
June 6	Luella	5	Percy A. Blake	Margaret E. Tyler	Lynn, Mass.	Madison, N. H.
Aug. 29	Guy Edward	3	James R. Twombly	Gladys L. Smith	No. Conway, N. H.	No. Conway, N. H.
1891						
Dec. 29	Nellie Florence		William F. O'dell	Mary E. Townsend		
1956						
Sept. 11	Michael Richard	3	Richard David Jones	Norma J. Warner	Madison, N. H.	No. Conway, N. H.
Oct. 4	Joseph Martin	4	Jesse E. Shackford, Jr.	Ruth A. Prescott	Madison, N. H.	No. Conway, N. H.
Oct. 16	Susan Elizabeth	5	E. Milton Hoyt	Frances L. Hayden	Madison, N. H.	Portland, Me.
Nov. 6	Lisa Carol	3	Guy E. Hayford	Margaret M. Gagnon	Hartford, Me.	Madison, N. H.
Nov. 21	Stephen James	5	Ralph J. Burroughs	Luella G. Hooper	Providence, R. I.	Wolfeboro, N. H.
1926						
Sept. 4	Katherine	3	William E. Frost	Florence E. Thurston	Reading, Mass.	Effingham, N. H.
1976						
Dec. 29	Andrea Gaye	3	William F. Jones	Olive E. Richardson	Tamworth, N. H.	Bridgton, Me.

**MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MADISON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956**

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Age of Groom and Bride	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Name and Address of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 3	No. Conway, N. H.	Russell William Webster	22	Carpenter's Helper	Madison, N. H.	Rev. A. Eugene Lloyd
Aug. 18	Madison, N. H.	Roberta Eleanor Wiggin	17	At Home	Conway, N. H.	No. Conway, N. H.
		William Henry Annis	27	Teacher	Conway, N. H.	Rev. L. Winfield Witham
Sept. 22	Madison, N. H.	Elizabeth Forrest	28	Secretary	Madison, N. H.	No. Bridgton, Me.
		David Whitton Foss	38	Electronic Engineer	Beverly, Mass.	Rev. Akira Hirami
Oct. 4	Madison, N. H.	Priscilla Mildred Leonard	34	Glass Lathe Oper.	Beverly, Mass.	Madison, N. H.
		Herbert Raymond Huff	18	Engineer	Madison, N. H.	Rev. Akira Hirami
Oct. 27	Madison, N. H.	Janice Margaret Gaudette	26	At Home	Gorham, N. H.	Madison, N. H.
		Leland Nason Harmon	27	Bookkeeper	Madison, N. H.	Rev. M. A. MacDuffie, Jr.
		Carol-Sue Holder	24	Registered Nurse	Madison, N. H.	Jackson, N. H.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MADISON, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1956

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name Mother
			Y	M	D			
Mar. 19	Madison, N. H.	Clayton W. Campbell	67	5	23	Granville, Vt.	George Campbell	Nellie Farrington
Mar. 26	Madison, N. H.	Ethel Harmon Plummer	75	8		Chelmsford, Mass.	Benjamin Harmon	Nellie Ferin
May 22	Lebanon, N. H.	Elmer Francis Littlefield	85	7	27	Freedom, N. H.	Diamond Littlefield	
June 13	Madison, N. H.	William Frank Arnold	67	7	13	Millbury, Mass.	David Arnold	Grace
June 20	Madison, N. H.	Lillian M. Sawyer	78	3	11	Boston, Mass.	Andrew Osgood	Hattie Billings
June 10	No. Conway, N. H.	Bessie P. Thompson	87	3	10	Madison, N. H.	John H. Pearson	Carrie Davis
Sept. 13	No. Conway, N. H.	Charles Bickford	83	3	23	Madison, N. H.	Paul Bickford	Eliza Rand
Oct. 11	Madison, N. H.	Albin L. Twombly	66	11	9	Madison, N. H.	John L. Twombly	Jane Thurston
Nov. 12	No. Conway, N. H.	Summer Bickford	66	5	24	Madison, N. H.	Benjamin Bickford	Nellie Dolloff
Dec. 26	No. Conway, N. H.	Arthur I. Haaland	45	13		Lardick, Norway	Ingvald Haaland	Anna Jensen





