

*Annual Report*

# **CAMPTON**

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

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YEAR ENDING

***December 31, 1951***



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

YEAR ENDING  
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## TOWN OFFICERS

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Moderator—Lester E. Mitchell

Representative—Philip S. Willey

Town Clerk—Lavinia E. Dole

Selectmen—Bertram W. Pulsifer, Shirley E. Tracy,  
George V. Durgin\* W. B. Avery†

Treasurer—Fred E. Pulsifer

Tax Collector—Paul S. Durgin

Road Agent—Russell W. Palmer

Supervisors of Check List—Philip S. Willey,  
William C. Houston, Shirley Tracy\*  
Herbert W. Ash§

Overseer of Poor—Edwin L. Heal

Superintendent of Cemeteries—Richard Palmer

Sexton—Richard Palmer

Trustees of Trust Funds—William B. Avery, John Dole,  
Samuel Robie

Police—Milton Brusoe, Ralph Webster,  
Edgar Fowler

Auditors—Harold Henderson, Irving Brown

Judge of Municipal Court—Edwin L. Heal

Library Trustees—Florence McCuin, Alice Stickney,  
Laura E. Pulsifer

Health Officer—George E. Burhoe, Jr.

\* Resigned

† Appointed to serve until March, 1952

§ Appointed to serve until November, 1952

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

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

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

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

3. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise for the maintenance of its highways and bridges and make appropriation of the same.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900 for Campton Cemetery, also to clean up and fence other cemeteries in Town.

6. That the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for the repairing and painting the fence, and repairing and straightening the gate posts of Campton Cemetery (by petition).

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for Memorial Day.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the White Mountain Region Association.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the Campton Volunteer Fire Department.

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the new Sceva Speare Memorial Hospital.

11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the reports of agents and officers heretofore chosen.

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

According to State law the polls cannot be closed before 6 P. M.

Given under our hands and seal, this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

BERTRAM W. PULSIFER,

W. B. AVERY,

SHIRLEY E. TRACY,

Selectmen of Campton

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

BERTRAM W. PULSIFER,

W. B. AVERY,

SHIRLEY E. TRACY,

Selectmen of Campton

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CAMPTON**  
**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the**  
**Ensuing Year Jan. 1, 1952 to Dec. 31, 1952**

**Sources of Revenue**

	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1951	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1952
<b>From State:</b>		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 2,958.75	\$ 2,000.00
Railroad Tax	161.91	150.00
Savings Bank Tax	396.42	350.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	205.20	200.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing wood and timber For Fighting Forest Fires	63.30	1,000.00
National Forest Reserve	76.06	75.00
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>		
Dog Licenses	315.00	300.00
Business Licenses, permits and Filing Fees	22.00	10.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	273.26	100.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	35.00	35.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	181.28	100.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	4,737.46	4,000.00
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>		
Poll Taxes—Reg. @ \$2	934.00	1,000.00



National Bank Stock Taxes	14.00	14.00
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Total Revenues from All Sources		
Except Property Taxes	\$ 10,373.64	\$ 8,984.00
Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes	50,881.82	56,479.00
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Total Revenues	\$ 61,255.46	\$ 65,463.00

## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual	Estimated
	Expenditures	Expenditures
	Previous	Ensuing
	Year	Year
	1951	1952
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
<b>General Government:</b>		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 915.00	\$ 1,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	935.73	1,000.00
Election and Registration Expenses	41.65	100.00
Municipal Court Expenses	125.00	150.00
Expenses, Town Hall and other Town Bldgs.	86.40	100.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>		
Police Department	221.00	100.00
Fire Department	829.38	500.00
Insurance	128.89	130.00
<b>Health:</b>		
Health Department, Including Hospitals	500.00	500.00
Vital Statistics	28.00	28.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	305.00	225.00

**Highways and Bridges:**

Town Maintenance— Summer	8,144.49	8,000.00
Town Maintenance— Winter	3,109.20	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	533.19	530.00

**Libraries** 127.70 125.00

**Public Welfare:**

Old Age Assistance	1,089.58	1,200.00
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**Patriotic Purposes:**

Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	50.00	50.00
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**Public Service Enterprises:**

Cemeteries	900.00	900.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	25.00	25.00

**Interest:**

On Temporary Loans	135.00
On Long Term Notes	3,000.00

**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

County Taxes	\$ 5,867.41	\$ 5,800.00
School Taxes	38,017.03	42,000.00

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Total Expenditures \$ 65,114.65 \$65,463.00

## Only YOU can PREVENT Forest Fires

New Hampshire faces a real forest fire problem and challenge! To meet it successfully, New Hampshire and your community needs YOUR thoughtful and co-operative effort.

Continuously heavy lumbering operations following the hurricane has produced more than 4 billion board feet of lumber. This lumber helped win World War II, meet post war needs and now the current requirements for the Korean military action. But it has added nearly 900,000 acres of slash to our already sizeable slash problem.

When YOU fail to use needed precautions while burning in or near woodlands—

When YOU fail to secure the required permit from your local forest fire warden before burning—

When YOU are careless in smoking near woodlands—

When YOU throw lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches from vehicles moving along the highway—

YOU are violating fundamental common sense and may easily contribute to a substantial and costly fire. Such conflagrations are possible because of the hundreds of thousands of slash acres throughout the state!

REMEMBER—the fire YOU prevent might be one which could conceivably burn YOUR property and harm YOUR community!

Only YOU and YOU and YOU can prevent forest fires! Will YOU help?

## 1951 INVENTORY

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Land and Buildings	\$1,265,225.00
Electric Plants	105,773.00
46 Horses	4,325.00
2 Oxen	400.00
133 Cows	17,475.00
19 Neat Stock	1,950.00
11 Sheep	220.00
2100 Fowl	2,100.00
Rolling Stock	18,000.00
Wood and Lumber, not stock in trade	16,700.00
Gas pumps and tanks	5,155.00
Mills and machinery	311,250.00
Stock in Trade	293,950.00
	\$2,042,523.00
Less Veterans' Exemptions	52,475.00
	\$1,990,048.00

### Taxes Levied for All Purposes, 1951

Highways and Bridges	\$ 10,545.90
Town Charges	5,000.00
Cemeteries	900.00
Memorial Day	50.00
White Mt. Region Association	25.00
Campton Fire Dept.	700.00
Sceva Speare Memorial Hospital	500.00
County Tax	5,867.41
Schools	40,979.00
	\$ 64,567.31

Town Tax Rate—\$2.70 per \$100 valuation  
Precinct Rate—\$1.50 per \$100 valuation

**SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH  
THE TOWN OF CAMPTON**

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**Receipts 1951**

**From Local Sources**

Cash on Hand, Dec. 31, 1950		\$ 8,743.33
Paul S. Durgin		
1951 Property Tax	\$ 50,581.82	
1950 Property Tax	5,288.96	
1951 Polls	934.00	
1950 Polls	228.00	
1951 Head Tax	2,895.00	
1951 Timber Tax	2,222.86	
		\$62,150.64

**From Local Sources Except Taxes**

Campton Grange 1950 Rent of Town Hall	\$	35.00
Grange Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Refund, fire insurance		68.75
E. L. Heal, 1950 Fines		129.78
Lavinia E. Dole, Filing fees		12.00
Town of Hebron, Tractor parts		15.00
Ayer Insurance Agency, Refund		24.77
R. Rogers, Chase Bridge		225.00
Campton Fire Department, Refund, fire tools		2.40
Union Grange Fair, Chloride		80.73
Campton Grange, 1951 Rent Town Hall		35.00
Milton Bruso, Beano permit		10.00
Florence Dole & Harold Edgell, Tar		43.21
Lavinia E. Dole, Auto permits	4,737.46	
Lavinia E. Dole, Dog Licenses	177.00	
Dog Police, Dog Licenses	138.00	
Selectmen, Fire Arms Permits	6.00	
Paul S. Durgin, Land Redeemed	344.55	
Interest	.35	
Penalty on Polls	23.20	

Penalty on Head Tax	6.00	
1950 Timber Tax	75.00	
Interest	181.28	
Bank Tax	14.00	
E. L. Heal, 1951 Fines	273.26	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,657.74

**From State**

Bounties 1950	36.75	
Forest Fire refund	63.30	
Timber Tax Refund 1950	339.22	
National Forest Reserve 1950	76.06	
Loss of Taxes 1950 Gov- ernment owned land	205.20	
Refund, Fire Wardens' Exp.	6.39	
Interest & Dividend Tax	2,958.75	
Savings Bank Tax	396.42	
Railroad Tax	161.91	
Blister Rust Refund	5.12	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,249.12
Total Receipts, 1951		\$ 81,800.83

**Expenditures 1951**

**Town Officers' Salaries**

Harold Henderson, Auditor	\$ 7.50	
I. H. Brown, Auditor	7.50	
Lavinia E. Dole, Clerk	75.00	
Paul S. Durgin, Collector	300.00	
John Dole, Treas. Trust Funds	20.00	
George V. Durgin, Selectman	80.00	
W. B. Avery, Selectman	60.00	
Fred E. Pulsifer, Treasurer	75.00	
B. W. Pulsifer, Selectman	150.00	
Shirley Tracy, Selectman	140.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 915.00

**Town Officers' Expenses**

Edson C. Eastman Co., Dog Tags	\$ 13.50
Edson C. Eastman Co., Vouchers	18.00

N. H. Assessors Ass'n., dues	2.00	
Record Print, Town reports	199.76	
Edson C. Eastman Co.		
Tax Books	6.25	
F. J. Shores, Transfers	22.23	
W. B. Avery, postage	17.45	
B. W. Pulsifer, Bonds	77.00	
Ida M. Horner, Dues,		
Tax Collectors Ass'n.	3.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh,		
Statistic books	15.85	
Paul S. Durgin, expenses	22.02	
U. S. Auto Guide,		
Registration book	7.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Clerk's book	25.00	
F. J. Shores, Searching records	3.50	
Eunice Tracy, copying inventory	25.00	
George V. Durgin, expenses	18.25	
W. B. Avery, expenses	12.25	
Shirley Tracy, expenses	29.78	
Fred E. Pulsifer, expenses	25.00	
B. W. Pulsifer, expenses	35.55	
Lavinia E. Dole, Auto permits	336.00	
Lavinia E. Dole, expenses	6.00	
Lavinia E. Dole, 1950 refund	.34	
Robert G. Wakefield,		
legal services	15.00	
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#### Election and Registration

L. E. Mitchell, Moderator	\$ 6.00	
Herbert Ash, Ballot Clerk	5.00	
J. F. Hodgson, Ballot Clerk	5.00	
E. C. Burns, Ballot Clerk	5.00	
Record Print, ballots	20.65	
	<hr/>	\$ 41.65

#### Highways

R. W. Palmer, Agent	\$ 7,000.00
R. W. Palmer, Overdraft	500.00
Collector of Internal Revenue,	
Withholding Tax	258.50
Harold Edgell, Snow removal	3,109.20

State, T. R. A.	533.19	
State, Chloride & Tar	363.99	
Town of Holderness, Use of Bulldozer	22.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,786.88
<b>Schools</b>		
Marion Avery, Treas., Balance 1950	\$ 7,000.00	
One-half National Forest Reserve 1950	38.03	
Part 1951 Appropriation	30,979.00	
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<b>County Tax</b>		
B. W. Pulsifer, Treasurer		5,867.41
<b>Precinct</b>		
Sterle A. Cheney, Treasurer		3,803.75
<b>State</b>		
State Treasurer OAA		1,089.58
<b>Cemeteries</b>		
R. L. Palmer, Supt.		900.00
<b>Libraries</b>		
Trustees	\$ 65.70	
Laura Pulsifer, Librarian	50.00	
Hilda Avery, Librarian	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 127.70
<b>Bounties</b>		
Selectmen 1951		65.75
<b>Court</b>		
E. L. Heal, Judge		125.00
<b>Vital Statistics</b>		
Lavinia E. Dole, Recording		28.00



### Memorial Day

N. Prescott 50.00

### Protection of Personal Property

Milton Brusco, Warden's expense	\$ 12.78	
State Forestry & Recreation Equipment, Fire Dept.	2.40	
Milton Brusco, Hodgson Fire State Forestry & Recreation, Tools	17.38	
	33.50	
Ralph Webster, Police	32.00	
Milton Brusco, Police	189.00	
State, Fire Tools	3.50	
Campton Fire Dept., App.	700.00	
W. B. Avery, Dog police	25.00	
Plymouth Fire Dept., McKinnon & Smith Fires	112.26	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,127.82

### Town House

New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Phone	59.25	
White Mt. Power Co., lights	27.15	
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### Town Dump

George Burhoe, Jr., Labor	\$ 22.00	
W. B. Avery, Supplies	62.00	
John Crafts, Bulldozer	101.00	
Fracher's Hardware, Chain	10.61	
Harry Cheney, Labor and Care of Dump	100.00	
W. B. Avery, Wire & Staples	10.30	
	<hr/>	\$ 305.91

### General

White Mt. Power Co., Street lights	22.00	
B. W. Pulsifer, Liability Ins.	128.89	
Paul S. Durgin, Taxes bought	501.20	
Sceva Speare Hospital, App.	500.00	

State, 1950 Timber Tax refund	25.53	
State Head Tax	2,840.04	
Paul S. Durgin, 2% Head Tax fee	57.96	
White Mt. Region, Approp.	25.00	
Pemigewasset Nat'l. Bank, Bal. Note & Int.	3,135.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 7,235.62
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		\$ 72,509.23

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT 1951

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### Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 9,291.60
Due from State Bounties	65.75
Cash in hands of Road Agent	112.65
Cash in hands of Supt. of Cemeteries	5.00
Uncollected Taxes—Dec. 31, 1951	7,661.00
Cash in hands of Overseer	130.88
Due on Tax Sales	196.75
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	\$ 17,463.63

### Liabilities

Due School District, 1951 App.	\$ 10,000.00
War Memorial Appropriation	250.00
Due Lavinia Dole, overpayment auto permits	64.57
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	\$ 10,314.57

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

**Levy of 1951**

**Dr.**

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$ 57,572.60
Poll Taxes	1,094.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	14.00

Total Warrant	\$ 58,680.60
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Yield Taxes	2,764.40
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Added Taxes

Property Taxes	25.25
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Interest Collected	.35
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Total Debits	\$ 61,470.60
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**Cr.**

Remittances to Treasurer

Property Taxes	\$ 50,581.82
Poll Taxes	934.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	14.00
Yield Taxes	2,222.86
Interest Collected	.35

Abatements

Yield Tax	29.57
Property Tax	27.00

Uncollected Taxes as per

Collector's List	
Property Taxes	6,989.03
Poll Taxes	160.00
Yield Taxes	511.97

Total Credits	\$ 61,470.60
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**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES**

**Levy of 1950**

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**Dr.**

Uncollected Taxes as of  
January 1, 1951

Property Taxes	\$ 5,332.76
Poll Taxes	264.00
Yield Taxes	75.00

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\$ 5,671.76

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year  
Ended December 31, 1951

Penalty on all Polls	23.20
Add Polls (7-1949)	14.00

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Total Debits \$ 5,890.24

**Cr.**

Remittances to Treasurer During  
Fiscal Year Ended Dec. 31, 1951

Property Taxes and Interest	\$ 5,468.74
Penalty on Poll Taxes	23.20
Yield Tax and Interest	76.50
Poll Taxes	228.00

Abatements made during year 43.80

Uncollected Taxes as per  
Collector's List

Poll Taxes	50.00
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Total Credits \$ 5,890.24

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
STATE HEAD TAX**

**Levy of 1951**

**Dr.**

State Head Taxes Committed  
to Collector

Original Warrant \$ 3,215.00  
Added Taxes 130.00

Total Commitment \$ 3,345.00  
Penalties Collected 3.00  
Overpayment on Penalties 3.00

Total Debits \$ 3,351.00

**Cr.**

Remittance to Treasurer

Head Taxes \$ 2,895.00  
Penalties 6.00

\$ 2,901.00

Uncollected Head Taxes as per  
Collector's List

450.00

\$ 3,351.00

## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of December 31, 1951

<b>Dr.</b>			
Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:			
	1950	1949	1948
Taxes Sold to Town			
During Current			
Fiscal Year	\$ 523.22		
Balance of Unredeemed			
Taxes, Jan. 1, 1951	\$	99.94 \$	96.81
Interest Collected			
After Sale	2.31	1.39	12.84
Total Debits	\$ 525.53 \$	101.33 \$	109.65

<b>Cr.</b>			
Remittances to Treasurer			
During Year	\$ 200.35 \$	34.55 \$	109.65
Unredeemed Taxes at			
Close of Year	325.18 \$	66.78	
Total Credits	\$ 525.53 \$	101.33 \$	109.65

### Unredeemed Taxes From Tax Sales

On Account of Levies of:

	1950	1949
Eurhoe, George C., Jr.	\$ 61.14	
Hall, F. W., Heirs	77.22 \$	66.78
Robie, L. C.	82.50	
Young, Alice	104.32	
	\$ 325.18 \$	66.78

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1951, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PAUL S. DURGIN

## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Russell W. Palmer

Account with the Town of Campton

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Received from Town	\$ 7,500.00
Balance Jan. 1, 1951	27.30
Received from State	240.20
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	\$ 7,767.50
Lewis Noseworthy, labor	\$ 2,032.90
Lewis Noseworthy, truck	993.00
Russell Palmer, labor	510.00
Russell Palmer, truck	907.80
Clarence Woodbury, labor	1,000.20
Carl Keford, labor	698.40
Town of Plymouth, grader	284.00
Robert Garland, labor	80.20
Robert Noseworthy, labor	70.70
Bernard L. Moulton, labor	58.30
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, salt	12.50
Everett Piper, labor	18.90
Koppers, Inc., treated timber	69.25
Robert Marden, labor	8.10
Russell Moren, labor	35.20
Carol Palmer, labor	13.60
Richard Palmer, labor	3.20
Lester Mitchell, Jr., labor and tractor	28.50
Chase Grain, culverts	137.19
John M. Crafts, shovel and bulldozer	89.00
Rose Smith, sand	48.20
Scott Coffin, tractor	22.00
Alvin Brainerd, labor	124.60
Harold Edgell, welding	29.21
W. B. Avery, supplies and gravel	45.85
R. S. Yeaton, plank	148.27



B. W. Pulsifer, plank and chain	52.70
Herbert Coffin, labor	13.00
Rand's, supplies	3.10
Henry Coffin, labor	23.50
Howard Coffin, labor and tractor	21.00
Analysis charge	10.88
Bayfield Shaw, gravel	61.60
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	\$ 7,654.85
Cash on hand	112.65
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	\$ 7,767.50
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## SNOW REMOVAL

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Harold Edgell in Account with the Town

Jan. 1, 1951 to Dec. 31, 1951

Received from Town \$ 3,109.20

### Expenditures

B. W. Pulsifer, plow and driver	\$ 36.00
L. E. Mitchell, Jr., Plow and driver	45.00
Harold Edgell, plows and driver	
Truck No. 1, plow and driver	708.00
Truck No. 3, plow and driver	1,764.00
S. Batchelder, helper	154.80
I. Vintinner, helper	107.10
H. Wright, helper	77.40
E. Cote, helper	36.90
A. Batchelder, helper	31.50
H Gilman, helper	39.60
R. Downing, helper	18.00
T. Downing, helper	15.30
K. Hoyt, helper	14.40
R. Anderson, helper	10.80
L. Avery, helper	9.00
A. Reitsma, helper	4.50
G. Webster, helper	4.50
B. Drake, helper	25.20
T. Inkell, helper	7.20
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	\$ 3,109.20

# REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES

In Account With Town of Campton

1951

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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1950	\$	10.00
Received of Town, App		900.00
Received Irene Avery, 1/2 lot		10.00
Received W. S. O'Hearn, 1 lot		20.00
Received W. G. Driscoll, Sr. 1/2 lot		10.00
Received C. E. Colburn & T. Heath, 1/2 lot		10.00
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Total Received	\$	960.00

## Expenditures

Richard Palmer, labor	\$	465.60
Truman Heath, labor		196.80
Stanley Batchelder, labor		62.80
A. E. Batchelder, labor		51.80
Charles Nelson		67.50
Joe Littlefield		57.00
John Timson		53.50
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	\$	955.00
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1951		5.00
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	\$	960.00
Received from John Dole, Treas., for labor on perpetual care of lots	\$	397.00

RICHARD L. PALMER,

Supt.

## CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

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### Receipts

1951		
Jan. 1	Cash in New Hampshire Banks	\$ 15,788.42
July 5	Received from Geo. F. Avery for Emma Edgell lot	100.00
	Interest	757.81
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		\$ 16,646.23

### Expenditures

Dec. 21	Paid Richard L. Palmer for labor on lots	397.00
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Jan. 1, 1952	Balance	\$ 16,249.23

JOHN L. DOLE, Treasurer

W. B. AVERY,



## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

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Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1951	\$	210.88
Paid Mrs. Tirey		80.00
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Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1952	\$	130.88

EDWIN L. HEAL,

Overseer of Poor

REPORT OF CAMPTON MUNICIPAL COURT  
1951

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Amount Collected by Court	\$ 1,228.10
Paid Motor Vehicle Comm.	\$ 634.10
Paid Fish & Game Comm.	293.00
Paid Town of Campton	273.26
Paid Witnesses	4.24
Paid Dr. DeWitt	8.00
Paid Milton Brusoe	10.50
Paid Mr. Tyrell	5.00
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	\$ 1,228.10

51 Cases Tried  
    39 Motor Vehicle  
    14 Small claims  
    3 Fish & Game  
    1 Larceny  
    1 Gross Lewdness

EDWIN L. HEAL,  
Justice

## REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

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### Receipts

Balance from last year	\$	89.36
Received from Town		65.70
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	\$	155.06
Goodman's Book Store	\$	20.70
Goodman's Book Store		26.76
Personal Book Shop		26.81
Analysis Charge		.77
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	\$	75.04
Balance on hand	\$	80.02

LAURA E. PULSIFER,

ALICE R. STICKNEY,

FLORENCE McCUIN,

Library Trustees



## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT, 1951

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Cash Received for Filing Fees	\$ 12.00
Cash Received for issuing auto permits	4,672.89
Cash Received for issuing dog licenses, less fees	177.00
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	\$ 4,861.89
Paid Town Treasurer	\$ 4,926.46
Overpaid Town Treasurer	64.57
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	\$ 4,861.89

Having examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Overseer of Poor, Town Clerk, Road Agent, Superintendent of Cemeteries, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds and Collector of Taxes, we find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HAROLD HENDERSON,  
IRVING H. BROWN, Auditors

January 17, 1952

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**OF THE CAMPTON VILLAGE PRECINCT**  
**For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1951**

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**Balance Sheet**

**Assets**

Cash on hand by Collector	\$	290.00
Cash on Hand by Treasurer		15.08
Acct Street Lights		135.46
Acct. Side Walks		123.81
Acct. Water		703.73
Funds for Bond Int.		187.50
Uncollected water rents		278.00

Total Assets		1,733.58
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt)		28,089.38

Grand Total		\$ 29,822.96
Line 1, 2, 5, 6—Water Acct.		

**Liabilities**

Bills owed by Precinct Bond Int.	\$	187.50
Street Lights		135.46
Notes Outstanding		4,500.00
Bonds outstanding		25,000.00

Total Liabilities		\$ 29,822.96
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Grand Total		\$ 29,822.96
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## Receipts and Payments

### Receipts

#### Current Revenue:

From Taxes Collected by Town (W)	\$ 3,023.75
Collected by Town St. Lt.	780.00
Collected by Sidewalks	none
From Other Sources	
Water Rents Collector	1,251.49
Rental of Equipment	4.00
Sale of Lumber	28.00
Other: Error of 2-\$15.00 over payments on Bond Int.	30.00
Total Receipts from All Sources	<hr/> \$ 5,117.24
Cash on hand at beginning of year	652.94
Grand Total	<hr/> \$ 5,770.18

### Payments

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

Salaries (W)	\$ 40.00
St. Lights	674.32
Labor (W)	341.81
Supplies (W)	36.99
Bank Annual Charge	2.17
Postage	13.18
Total Current Maintenance Expenses	<hr/> \$ 1,108.47
Interest Paid	538.75
Outlay, New Construction & Equip.	
(a)	<hr/> \$ 167.38
Total Outlay Payments	167.38
Indebtedness	
Payment on Notes	500.00

Payments on Bonds	2,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		2,500.00
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$ 4,314.60
Cash on hand at end of year		
Bank		1,440.50
Treasurer		15.08
Grand Total		\$ 5,770.18

**CAMPTON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.**  
**ANNUAL REPORT**  
**1951**

Amount on hand None

Received from Town, Dec. 1951 \$ 700.00

Purchased from Fire Protection

Dec. 1951, 500 ft. 2½" hose \$ 775.00

The following is a list of expenditures which the  
 Campton Volunteer Fire Department has each year:

Insurance:

Truck \$ 55.76

Men, Medical & Accident 132.00

187.76

Oil, for heat

159.72

Telephone

110.21

Lights

37.26

Truck, gas, oil & upkeep

81.26

Fire House

118.27

Printing

1.50

Equipment

1,089.07

\$ 1,785.05

JOHN L. DOLE,

Treasurer

## OPERATION OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The department is made up of a group of men who give their time to the service of the Town.

To the residents of the Town, there is no charge for any types of fires, other than those under the jurisdiction of the Forestry Dept.

During the year 1951 the company responded to 21 calls.

The fire station and equipment, including truck, and alarm system is paid for and maintained by the department.

The funds needed to maintain and operate the department are obtained by "The Town Appropriation," and the Annual Fair, Minstrel Show and Beano Games, presented through the efforts of the Department members.

RICHARD BEAN, Chief

## Births Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951

Date of Birth 1951	Name of Child (if any)	Sex Cond		Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Male	Female							
Dec 25 '50	Donald Wayne	M	L	George C Barhoe Jr	Agnes J Kuchinsky	W	Campton	Laborer	Campton	Laconia
Jan 30 '51	Judy Ann	F	L	David Cote	Dithel P Joyce	W	Campton	Laborer	Vermont	Canada
Feb 20	Betty May	F	L	Wallace A Howe	Lertha M Vintinner	W	Campton	Laborer	Waterville Vt	Riverside
Mar 14	Arthur Clifford	M	L	Arthur L Gross	Irma M Smith	W	Campton	Laborer	Massachusetts	New Hamp
Apr 1	Russell Fred	M	L	Clarence W Pulsifer	Arlene Richards	W	Campton	Farmer	New Hamp	Vermont
Apr 1	Robert Wallace	M	L	Clarence W Pulsifer	Arlene Richards	W	Campton	Farmer	New Hamp	Vermont
May 7	Sanda May	F	L	Edward W Keeney	Charlotte L Dole	W	Campton	Laborer	Lynn Mass	Boston Mass
May 12	Suzanne	F	L	Pascoe Roberts	Dorothy M Robinson	W	Campton	Vice President	Washington D C	Campton
May 17	Dorothy Ruth	F	L	George Nerison	Dorothy M Robinson	W	Campton	Laborer	Pennsylvania	Massachusetts
June 13	Stevan Bryant	M	L	Herbert Ash	Genevieve Vintinner	W	Campton	Rigger & stockman	New Hamp	New Hamp
June 13	Randy Brian	M	L	Herbert Ash	Genevieve Vintinner	W	Campton	Rigger & stockman	New Hamp	New Hamp
June 15	Judy Leigh	F	L	Robert E Avery	Pern H Danforth	W	Campton	Bulldozer opr	New Hamp	New Hamp
June 15	Veter James	M	L	Wilbur Hixon Jr	Lawn MacNeil	W	Campton	Student	New Hamp	New Hamp
June 30	Bradley Steven	M	L	Robert McCormack	Ivory Joyce	W	Campton	Mill hand	New Hamp	New Hamp
July 21	Jane Marie	F	L	Donald E Wright	Geraldine Downing	W	Campton	Laborer	New Hamp	New Hamp
July 21	Jane Marie	F	L	Donald E Wright	Geraldine Downing	W	Campton	Laborer	New Hamp	New Hamp
July 29	Robert Allen	M	L	Milton Greene	Lillian Merrill	W	Campton	Mill hand	New Hamp	New Hamp
Aug 13	Robert Francis	M	L	Riley F Strong	Sarah A Saubnier	W	Campton	Mill worker	New Hamp	New Hamp
Sept 11	Doreen Carol	F	L	Joseph DeGrae	Elaine Kuchinsky	W	Campton	Laborer	New Hamp	New Hamp
Oct 5	Barry Wayne	M	L	Lewis E Downing	Florence L Ames	W	Campton	Laborer	New Hamp	New Hamp
Oct 4	Kathleen Cecelia	F	L	Paul H Timmins	Cecelia A Elliott	W	Campton	Poultry Farmer	New Hamp	New Hamp
Oct 9	Nancy Lee	F	L	Milton Pettengill	Patricia A Simoneau	W	Campton	Teller	New Hamp	New Hamp
Oct 12	David Ernest	M	L	William O Tobue	Blanche L Beaugrand	W	Campton	Gauger	New Hamp	New Hamp
Oct 21	Victor Ernest	M	L	Willie E Thebault	Joyce M Merrill	W	Campton	Mill hand	Campton	Glenoff
Nov 7	Thomas Andrew	M	L	Laurence E Chayer	Beverly Ann Hopkins	W	Campton	Mill hand	Waterville Vt	Brunswick Me
Nov 19	Lester Cote Jr	M	L	Lester C Hodgson	Pearl K Hammel	W	Campton	Laborer	New Hamp	New Hamp
Dec 21	Kathleen Ann	F	L	Lester Sargeant	Virginia Cote	V	Campton	Laborer	New Hamp	New Hamp
Dec 18	Sterle Armstrong	M	L	Harry Cheney	Delores Tarcy	W	Campton	Gauger	Campton	Massachusetts

## Marriages Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951

Date—1951	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Age in years	Color of each	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Times married	Name residence and official station of person by whom married
Dec 30 '50	Littleton	John Charles Finley Bertha M Houghton	Canterbury Campton	24 W 20 W	U S Army Cashier	Concord Worcester Mass	Edward Finley Elizabeth Waring Charles Houghton Mary Clark	Franklin Preston Eng Putnam Conn Manchester Eng	1 1	Walter N Heald Justice of Peace Littleton	
Jan. 6 '51	Plymouth	Wilbur G Hixon Jr Dawn Rose McNeil	Campton Plymouth	21 W 22 W	Student Clerk	Milford Mass Plymouth	Wilbur G Hixon Marguerite Dillon Allen D McNeil Laura Hull	Milford Mass Chicago Ill Plymouth Waterville Vt	1 1	Adrien Verrette Catholic Priest Plymouth	
Feb 3	Plymouth	Earl Eldon Westover Norma May Burt	Campton Plymouth	24 W 17 W	Mill hand At home	Hanover Plymouth	Earl D Westover Gertrude M Smith Harold J Burt	Grantham Lyman	1 1	Robert Fuller Clergyman Plymouth	
Mar 10	Laconia	Preston H Roby Patricia A Waldo	Campton Holderness	22 W 19 W	Machine opr Mill	Ashland Franklin	Edwin Roby Elsie Brown Abner M Waldo	Bridgewater New Hampshire New Hampshire Vermont	2 1	Frank P Fletcher Clergyman Laconia	
May 19	Campton	Edward A Colson Dorothy P Foss	Bristol Campton	33 W 28 W	Research Eng Social worker	Manila P I New Haven Conn	Everett A Bennett Anna E Johnston Winfred L Foss Dorothy Chaplin	New Hampshire Warren Mass Silon Ky Washington D C	1 1	Herbert C Taylor Clergyman Campton	
May 22	Laconia	John H Hopkins Jr Eugenia M Harvey	Campton Laconia	25 W 28 W	Clerk Dental asst	Maine New Hampshire	John H Hopkins Iris E Hunt Frank L Harvey Helen A Cole	Cambridge Mass Maine Vermont New Hampshire	1 1	Samuel J Hewitt Catholic Priest Laconia	
June 30	Plymouth	Charles Frank Dow Edith Mac Mardin	New Hampton Campton	34 W 32 W	Mill hand Factory worker	New Hampton Laconia	Charles H Dow Eva Mabel Tobine Walker Ray Mardin Gertrude L Bowles	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	2 1	Luther J Pollard Minister Plymouth	



July 4	Milton	Alfred S Rosewarne	Holderness	24 W/Soldier	Cornwall Eng	Alfred Rosewarne	California	1 George F Currier
July 22	Campton	Rose Amelia Bean	Campton	22 W/Mill worker	White Plains N Y	Dora Christophers	Portland	1 Milton
July 24	Plymouth	Venner McNeil	Campton	40 W/Const foreman	Campton	Richard Bean	New Hampshire	1 Herbert C Taylor
Aug 18	No Woodstock	Dorothy Burkhalter	Thornton	30 W/At home	Cambridge Mass	Margaret Hubbard	Cape Breton	3 Campton
Sept 21	Gilford	Exyster E Thibault	Campton	20 W/Soldier	Bristol	John McNeil	Switzerland	1 Deane L Hodges
Sept 15	Campton	Dorothy L Haynes	Lincoln	19 W/Clerk	Lincoln	Mary Robie	Nova Scotia	1 Plymouth
Sept 1	Concord	Ernest H Saulnier	Campton	20 W/Carder	Campton	Everett Kinsman	Canada	1 Herbert C Taylor
Oct 13	Plymouth	Carla Anne Gray	No Woodstock	20 W/Hairdresser	No Woodstock	Marguerite Robellier	Thornton	1 Campton
Nov 17	Plymouth	Myrtle Barton Smith	Campton	37 W/Factory worker	New Hampshire	Camille E Thibault	New Hampshire	1 Thomas F Crowe
Dec 23	Newport	Jucille R Thompson	Gilford	32 W/Restaurant mgr	New Hampshire	Elizabeth Comeau	New Hampshire	1 Catholic Priest
		Eugene C Downing	Thornton	19 W/In service	Thornton	Nelson L Haynes	Nbraska	1 Concord
		Barbara M Sweeney	Campton	17 W/At home	Norwood Mass	Carra Sawyer	New Hampshire	1 Adrien Verrette
		Jane F Murphy	Concord	26 W/Contractor	Florida	Howard Saulnier	New Hampshire	1 Catholic Priest
		Donald W Johnson	Campton	24 W/Clerk typist	Concord	Eva Delloff	New Hampshire	1 Plymouth
		Patricia May Cote	Campton	21 W/Bulldozer opr	Campton	Clyde B Gray	Nova Scotia	1 Deane L Hodges
		Bertram A Latuch	Plymouth	17 W/Seamstress	Plymouth	Annie E Corey	Cochituate Mass	1 Campton
		Mary Eleanor Nelson	Campton	20 W/Grinder man	Campton	Roy R Smith	Vermont	1 Thomas F Crowe
		Alden H Pillsbury	Campton	17 W/At home	Campton	Maud E Barton	Campton	1 Catholic Priest
		Earline R Moulton	Campton	20 W/Air force	Newport	Wyman M Harvey	Concord	1 Concord
			Campton	20 W/Office clerk	Newport	Lucy C Bryant	Calais Me	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Chester Downing	New Hampshire	1 Adrien Verrette
			Campton		Newport	Alice Merrill	Vermont	1 Catholic Priest
			Campton		Newport	Leo J Sweeney	New Hampshire	1 Plymouth
			Campton		Newport	Hazel M Smith	New Hampshire	1 Deane L Hodges
			Campton		Newport	Karl W Jackson	New Hampshire	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Erigia Plant	New Hampshire	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	William H. Murphy	New Hampshire	1 Concord
			Campton		Newport	Eva M Connell	New Hampshire	1 Concord
			Campton		Newport	Donald O Johnson	New Hampshire	1 Adrien Verrette
			Campton		Newport	Glady B Webster	New Hampshire	1 Catholic Priest
			Campton		Newport	Edward P Cole	Vermont	1 Plymouth
			Campton		Newport	Harriet McNeal	New Hampshire	1 Plymouth
			Campton		Newport	James B Latuch	Vermont	1 Deane L Hodges
			Campton		Newport	Olive Joyce	New Hampshire	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Frank A Nelson	Claremont	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Lorence Willoughby	Campton	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Merton Z Pillsbury	Grantham	1 M Porter
			Campton		Newport	Dorothy G Howard	Mass	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Leslie F Moulton	Newport	1 Campton
			Campton		Newport	Helen J Lafontaine	New Hampshire	1 Newport

Deaths Registered in the Town of Campton, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age in years	Place of Birth	Sex and Cond		Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
					Male	Female			
					Color	Mar.			
Jan 8	Concord	Ida May Hall	78	New Hampshire	W	W	F	Housewife	Adeline Furbeck
Jan 14	Campton	Walter W Harding	68	Whitman Mass	M	W	M	Laborer	Georgie Libbey
Jan 19	Plymouth	Eva L Dolloff	70	Thornton	M	W	F	Housewife	Gessia Lyford
Feb 14	Concord	George E Avery	81	Campton	M	W	M	Farmer	Unknown
Mar 9	Campton	William S O'Hearn	75	Canada	M	W	M	Scaler	Not known
Mar 25	Plymouth	Leon W Edgell	55	Tamworth	M	W	M	Road Agent	Child
June 8	Plymouth	Edward O Sanborn	79	Cambridge Mass	W	W	M	Laborer	Daniel Sanborn
July 8	Plymouth	George D Pattee	76	Cambridge Mass	M	W	M	Farmer	Georgianna Brown
July 31	Campton	Santo Di Biasi	46	Sicily Italy	M	W	M	Mechanic	Not known
Aug 25	Holderness	Ruby J Colburn	43	Thornton	W	W	F	Housewife	Truman Heath
Aug 25	Plymouth	Estelle M Blaisdell	77	Lewisville N Y	W	W	F	Stitcher	Mary Mills
Sept 16	Plymouth	Elizabeth R Edgell	59	Prov Quebec	W	W	F	Housewife	Caroline Derocher
Oct 5	Plymouth	Mary P Rivers	64	St Stephen NB	M	W	F	Housewife	Not known
Oct 16	Plymouth	Frank H MacLeod	86	River John N S	W	W	M	Bld contrac'r	Margaret Waugh
Oct 16	Plymouth	Alice O Young	77	Campton Me	W	W	F	Housewife	Julia Ordway
Nov 5	Merredith	George E Carr	88	Lewiston Me	W	W	M	Const Eng	Lucy Andrews

# *School Report*



## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Campton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said district on the 11th day of March, 1952, at two 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 if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Campton this 8th day of February, 1952.

CHAS. F. DESCARY,  
LUCILLE D. PALMER,  
DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CHAS. F. DESCARY,  
LUCILLE D. PALMER,  
DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,  
School Board

## OFFICERS OF THE CAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### Moderator

Lester E. Mitchell

### Clerk of School District

Minnie L. Colpitts

School Board	Term Expires
Charles Descary	1952
Lucille D. Palmer	1953
Dorothea H. Cheney	1954

### Treasurer

Marion E. Avery

### Attendance and Census Officer

William B. Avery

### Auditors

Harold L. Henderson

Irving H. Brown

### Superintendent of Schools

Arthur S. Rollins

### School Nurse

Anna M. Lovett

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE  
CAMPTON SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1st, 1950  
and Ending June 30, 1951**

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**Receipts**

**Local Taxation**

Money received from the Town of Camp-  
ton for support of Schools, Tuition,  
Salaries and other obligations imposed  
by law or established by the District \$ 34,548.77

**Sources Other than Taxation**

Elementary Tuitions	224.00
Other sources	26.78
Cash on hand July 1st, 1950	1,906.38
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Grand Total	\$ 36,705.93



# ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1951

School District of Campton

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## Summary

Cash on hand June 30, 1950 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$ 1,906.38
Received from Selectmen:	
Current Appropriation	\$ 34,548.77
Received from all other sources	250.78
	<hr/> \$34,799.55
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)	36,705.93
Less School Board orders paid	36,403.02
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1951 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$ 302.91

MARION E. AVERY,

July 15, 1951

District Treasurer

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This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Campton, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951 and find them correct in all respects.

HAROLD L. HENDERSON,

WEBB LITTLE,

July 18, 1951

Auditors

## PAYMENTS

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	General Expense	High School	Elementary School
<b>Administration</b>			
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 262.00		
Superintendent's Salary	521.81		
State wide supervision	402.00		
Clerical assistants	125.24		
Supplies & expenses	151.90		
<b>Instruction</b>			
Teachers' Salaries		9.50	\$16,868.86
Text Books and Instructional Aids		25.31	280.26
Scholars' Supplies			625.44
Clerical Assistants		10.00	
Supplies			56.37
<b>Operation of School Plant</b>			
Janitor Service			1,010.50
Fuel (wood and oil)			1,081.18
Water, Electricity and Janitor's Supplies			314.62
<b>Maintenance of School Plant</b>			
Repairs and Replacements			235.91
<b>Auxiliary Activities</b>			
Health Supervision			
School Nurse's Salary and Supplies			606.33
Transportation			798.92
Tuition		11,481.01	
Special Activities	16.75		
<b>Fixed Charges</b>			
Retirement	1,071.53		

Insurance, Treasurer's  
Bond & Expense 75.45

**Capital Outlay**

Additions and  
Improvements to Bldgs. 237.68  
New Equipment 84.45

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Total Payments for all Purposes \$ 36,403.02

Cash on hand June 30, 1951 302.91

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Grand Total \$ 36,705.93

## BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1951

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<b>Assets</b>	
Cash on hand June 30, 1951	\$ 302.91
Accounts due to district	
From State	152.00
From Town or City	280.00
Rumney Tuition	152.00
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Total Assets	\$ 886.91
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Grand Total	\$ 886.91
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Accounts owed by district	
Secretarial Service	\$ 6.46
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Total Liabilities	\$ 6.46
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	880.45
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Grand Total	\$ 886.91

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### Auditors' Certificate

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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 Campton, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951 and find them correct in all respects.

HAROLD L. HENDERSON,  
WEBB LITTLE,

July 18, 1951

Auditors

**WALTER I. LEE EDUCATIONAL TRUST FUND**

(School Board's Report)

Cash on Deposit in Saving Bank Dec. 31, 1950	\$ 2,715.38
Rec'd. from Trustees of Trust Fund Dividends to Dec. 31, 1951	1,602.20
Rec. Interest Saving Bank	<u>55.86</u>
Total cash on hand and receipts	\$ 4,373.44
<b>Paid Out</b>	
Grants approved by School Board	<u>\$ 1,880.00</u>
Balance Dec. 31, 1951	\$ 2,493.44

Deposited in the Plymouth Guaranty Savings Bank

CHAS. F. DESCARY

LUCILLE D. PALMER

DOROTHEA H. CHENEY

School Board of Campton

School District of Campton  
**SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE**  
 July 1, 1952 to June 30, 1953

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**Detailed Statement of Expenditures**

		High Elementary Schools    Schools
<b>Administration</b>		
Salaries of District Officers	\$	395.00
Superintendent's salary (local share)		598.42
Tax for state wide supervision		450.00
Salaries and other Administrative personnel		140.00
Supplies and expenses		160.00
<b>Instruction</b>		
Salaries of teachers and principals		19,795.00
Books and other instructional aids		475.00
Scholars' supplies		525.00
Other instructional expenses		75.00
<b>Operation of School Plant</b>		
Salaries of janitors		1,050.00
Fuel or heat		1,150.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses		350.00
<b>Maintenance of School Plant</b>		
Repairs and replacements		500.00
<b>Auxiliary Activities</b>		
Health Supervision		700.00
Transportation		1,760.00
Tuition	\$ 13,847.00	
Special activities and special funds		200.00
<b>Fixed Charges</b>		
Retirement		1,150.00

Insurance, Treasurer's Bonds and expenses		25.00
<b>Capital Outlay</b>		
Contingency Reserve 4%		1,750.00
Total		<u>\$ 45,095.42</u>
Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget		\$ 45,095.42
<b>Estimated Income of District</b>		
National Forest Reserve	\$	35.00
Elementary School Tuition		114.00
		<u>          </u>
Deduct Total Estimated Income		149.00
		<u>          </u>
Assessment Required to Balance		\$ 44,946.42
		<u>          </u>
Total Budget		\$ 45,095.42

CHARLES F. DESCARY,  
DOROTHEA H. CHENEY,  
LUCILLE D. PALMER,

School Board

Campton, N. H., Jan. 18th, 1952

## REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

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To Campton School Board:

I herewith submit my report as school nurse for the school year 1950-1951.

166 Children were inspected in the Fall of 1950 with symptoms of the following defects found:

Dental (serious)	39
Tonsils	12
Glands	4
Vision	7
Hearing	2
Nutrition	6
Orthopedic (serious)	1
Speech (serious)	1
These communicable diseases were reported:	
Chicken Pox	26
Mumps	52
German measles	2
Pediculosis	2

The correction of defects reported made are as follows:

Dental	61
Tonsils	9
Vision	11
Hearing Aid	1

101 children had the four topical fluoride treatments given at the Fluorine Clinic at Plymouth.

Six children had dental work through the Red Cross.

A hearing aid was purchased by the Campton Red Cross to replace the one loaned the preceding year by the N. H. Hearing Society of Manchester.

Milk was furnished for one family by the Red Cross.



Two pairs of glasses and four vision examinations were given through the Sight Conservation Department of the Public Welfare.

General health habits are emphasized in each school through morning inspection, stories, pictures, games, etc.

Again I take this opportunity to thank the School Board, Supt. Rollins, Teachers, Parents and Children for their help in this program.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. LOVETT, R.N.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS—CAMPTON

The Campton School Board:

My ninth annual report as your superintendent of schools is now submitted for your information and that of citizens of Campton. The report presents a discussion of the major problems before the school district, and such statistical data as may be useful to the people of this town.

At the beginning of the present school year, both rooms at Beebe River had an unusually small number of pupils registered. The Center School had an excessive registration for one teacher to handle, with all grades. The School Board very wisely decided to transport pupils of Grades 6, 7, and 8 from the Center to the Beebe River School. This made the registration in grades 5 to 8 at Beebe, and grades 1 to 5 in the Center School nearly equal. At the same time it brought advantages to the pupils remaining at the Center School that could not otherwise have been enjoyed. Because of fewer grades to instruct, the teacher can do more effective work.

Transportation in Campton is something that varies considerably from year to year. It happens this year that we are incurring much heavier transportation expense than had been planned when our budget was drawn up. A considerable part of increased transportation cost is due to the assignment of children from the Center to Beebe River, but, in my opinion, the benefits received by the children make the expenditure justifiable.

A committee of teachers, consisting of one representative from each school district outside of Plymouth, made a study of report cards, and recommended a revised reporting system for our elementary schools. The new report cards were issued in December covering the first 12 weeks of school. The marking system and the information given about pupils represent a cross section of desires expressed by teachers and parents whom they interviewed. We have tried to

make the reports as comprehensive and informative as possible without making them too complicated. The wishes and suggestions of parents are always welcomed to help us in later changes, should they seem necessary.

Perhaps this is a good time to suggest that the Campton School District ought to begin looking ahead and considering future school needs. We now have six scattered schools employing eight teachers. While those schools are able to accommodate all children living in Campton at the present time, a situation might easily develop where there would not be comfortable accommodations for all children living in the town. If it were possible for all of our children to attend a central school, they would profit from many educational values that are not possible in our present organization. In such a school the same number of teachers could take care of all pupils with a greatly decreased grade load. Four of our teachers are now responsible for four grades each, and the other four are responsible for a maximum of eight grades. The matter of cost is one that must always be seriously considered. The neighboring town of Thornton faces possible building needs, perhaps more urgent than those in Campton. I should like to see a joint committee from Thornton and Campton make a thorough study of school needs, and investigate the feasibility of joint action by both school districts. Such details as location, type and size of school building, transportation, employment of teachers, and division of maintenance and operating costs could be studied and reported back by a committee. As I see it, both towns ought to consider school reorganization. Neither town is probably able financially to undertake a building program alone. Joint action between two towns might enable each one to have better school service and to get for the children better opportunities, which both communities want for their children, but which one cannot afford alone.

Salaries throughout the state, as well as the entire country, show an upward trend. Teachers graduating from teacher training institutions are expecting higher initial salaries each year. This in turn has an effect on the salaries of experienced teachers now in service.

Constantly increasing living costs and tax deductions put those who are on fixed incomes at a disadvantage. While the results of the latest salary survey in New Hampshire are not yet available, it is my belief that salaries throughout Supervisory Union No. 48 are not equal to the state average. We must all be aware of what this situation would mean if replacements became necessary.

The school calendar for 1952-53 is presented in a little more detail than usual. The days of the week when certain holidays occur and the requirements of the State Board of Education that schools must be in session 180 days during a school year, have to be considered in making up a calendar. It is never wise to establish a calendar that does not provide for slightly more time than the minimum of 180 school days.

While few statistics have been included in this report, it has been thought best to give a limited number. Those that were included may give people of the town information and the answers to some of their questions.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation of the fine cooperation given at all times by the Campton School Board, the loyal and efficient work of the teachers, and the friendliness of pupils in the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR S. ROLLINS

## 1952-53 SCHOOL CALENDAR

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September 3, Wednesday, schools open

September 12, Friday, all schools closed for Plymouth Fair.

October 17, Friday, all schools closed for State Teachers Convention.

November 26, Wednesday, all schools close at 12:30

November 27, Thursday, all schools closed - Thanksgiving Day

November 28, Friday, all schools closed - Thanksgiving Recess

December 19, Friday, all schools close at regular time—start of vacation

No. half-days of school 148. No. half-days with no school 8.

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December 29, Monday, all schools reopen after vacation

January 1, 1953, Thursday, all schools closed - New Year's Day

January 2, 1953, Friday, all schools closed - New Year's Recess

February 20, Friday, all schools close at regular time—start of vacation

No. half-days of school 76. No. half-days with no school 4

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March 2, Monday, all schools reopen after vacation

April 17, Friday, all schools close at regular time - start of vacation

No. half-days of school 70. No. half-days with no school 0.

April 27, Monday, all schools reopen after vacation

June 12, Friday, all schools closed—end of school year

No. half-days of school 70. No. half-days with no school  
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Number half-days of school for the year 364

## 1951 GRADUATES FROM CAMPTON SCHOOLS

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Arnold A. Batchelder	Metta Viola Plant
Priscilla Ann Piper	Lillian Rita Greene
Stuart William Curtis	Edward Earl Saulnier
Jacqueline Lois Edgell	Morton Francis Uhlman
Francis Michael McAweeney	Philip Edward Webster
Harold Milton Downing	Donald A. Moren
Barbara J. Coursey	Raymond A. Hixon
Phyllis Irene LaCroix	Patricia Ann McBride
Joan E. Osgood	Martha C. O'Shea
Arthur L. Smith, Jr.	Glenn G. Dudley
Joseph Latuch	Roderick Martin, 3rd
Charles F. Nelson	Howard Noseworthy
Donald B. Stephenson	John W. Timson, Jr.

## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE 1950-1951

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Waneta Kidney	Everett Johnston
Thomas Young	Morton Uhlman
Theodore Comeau	Joseph Littlefield
Josephine Thompson	

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## TEACHERS IN CAMPTON SCHOOLS 1951-1952

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Beebe	Mrs. Altha W. Gay	Grades 5-8
Beebe	Mrs. Viola P. Bump	Grades 1-4
Blair	Mrs. Myrtle Craig	Grades 1-8
Branch	Mrs. Phyllis S. Morse	Grades 1-8
Center	Mrs. Eva S. Grey	Grades 1-5
Livermore	Mrs. Mildred Avery	Grades 1-8
Village	Mrs. Lavinia E. Dole	Grades 5-8
Village	Miss Julia L. Pease	Grades 1-4
Stephen E. Childs—Music		



## COMPARATIVE ENROLLMENTS BY SCHOOLS

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School	Year Different 1950-51 Pupils	Year 1951-52
Livermore	" 21	21
Center	" 32	28
	Less 8 transferred to Beebe	
Beebe Primary	" 22	13
Beebe Grammar	" 16	13
	plus 8 from Center	
Village Primary	" 32	30
Village Grammar	" 15	16
Branch	" 16	18
Blair	" 20	21

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## COMPARATIVE ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

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Grade	1950-51	1951-52
I	38	13
II	19	36
III	14	18
IV	32	13
V	18	30
VI	8	18
VII	14	8
VIII	28	15





