



Annual Report of the
TOWN OF LOUDON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
for the year ending December 31, 1959





A Dedication to Our Veterans

TO THE MEN AND WOMEN VETERANS OF OUR
ARMED FORCES, AND TO THOSE
WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES SO THAT THIS WOULD
BE A BETTER WORLD IN WHICH TO LIVE.
ALL THOSE WHO KNOW FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE
THE CRUEL FACTS OF WAR UNDERSTAND THE
SUPREME NECESSITY FOR A JUST AND
HONORABLE PEACE.
YOUR CONSTRUCTIVE ACHIEVEMENTS THROUGH
BELONGING TO AN ORGANIZED VETERANS
ORGANIZATION IN OUR AREA
IS HELPING TO ADVANCE OUR HIGHEST HOPES
WITH DEEDS OF GENEROUS CITIZENSHIP

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Town of Loudon

of the

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector
Highway Agent, School Board, Librarian,
Superintendent of Schools, Library
Trustees, Auditors, Trustees of
Trust Funds

For the Year Ending

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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1959

MODERATOR

Everett O. Dow

SELECTMEN

Robert F. McLaren, *Chairman*

Lauris D. Moore

Harold F. Presby

TREASURER

Mary E. Maxfield

CLERK

Jessie M. Cate

ROAD AGENT

Roger N. Dow

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Jean F. Hardy

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Dorothy G. Downes

Anne D. Brown

Harold W. Hill

HEALTH OFFICER

Ruth B. Whitcomb, R.N.

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Benjamin E. Smith

Everett O. Dow

John O. Cate

CONSTABLE

Norman R. Bowles

SPECIAL POLICE

Arthur W. Colby

Robert J. Bunker

MUNICIPAL COURT

Stanley H. Prescott, *Justice* M. Irene Richardson, *Clerk*

TRUSTEES OF MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Ruth M. Forst

Cornelius A. Brinkmann

Martha J. Hall

LIBRARIAN

Marguerite E. Buzzell

AUDITORS

Cornelius A. Brinkmann

Gerald B. Smith

SUPERVISORS

John O. Cate

M. Inez Lovering

Earl W. Cate, Jr.

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT

Harold F. Presby

FIRE CHIEF

Harlan Downes

DEPUTY CHIEF

Warren M. Jenkins

FIRE WARDENS

Harlan Downes, <i>Warden</i>	Fire Phone STory 3-6121
	Home Tel. STory 3-6328
Warren Jenkins, <i>Deputy Warden</i>	SWift 8-6151
Royal L. Page, <i>Deputy Warden</i>	COlony 7-3761
Gerald B. Smith, <i>Deputy Warden</i>	STory 3-6865
Wilbur S. Maxfield, Jr., <i>Deputy Warden</i>	SWift 8-5645

CIVIL DEFENSE

Robert F. McLaren, *Director*

PLANNING BOARD

	<i>Term Expires</i>
C. A. Brinkmann, <i>Chairman</i>	1960
Stanley H. Prescott, <i>Secretary</i>	1961
William H. Brown, (replaced J. W. Robinson)	1962
Vacancy, (Hon. C. A. Richardson, deceased)	1963
Benjamin E. Smith	1964
Herman L. Annis, <i>Treasurer</i>	1965
Robert F. McLaren, <i>Ex-Officio</i> during term as Chairman of Board of Selectmen	

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

The general conditions of the town in 1959 were fairly favorable considering the increasing demands for revenue. These increases are not only on a local level but are also State and County obligations.

This year has not been as productive in so far as the lumber business is concerned as last year. The amount of yield taxes were not as great and for an example lumber companies have hauled away lumber valued at more than \$20,000.00 this year, which we most naturally expect, however this business helps the property owners and if the business slows we taxpayers have to make up the difference. The town's valuation increased only slightly over last year despite the new homes becoming more completed and additional construction around the Clough Pond area, this was due primarily because of our loss in lumber.

The farming business which is mostly dairying is still holding its own. The poultry business which has been dropping off over the past few years is still dropping. Ten years ago for an example, the dairy men paid only 45% more taxes in dollars and cents to the town on their cattle than the poultry growers, 1959 saw the dairy farmer paying 87% more than the poultry farmer.

Our tax rate for 1959 took a larger jump than we would have liked, however state reports show that the average rate state-wide was \$60.00, two towns in the state went over \$90.00, eleven over \$80.00, twenty-seven over \$70.00, a few held their same rate and some reported decreased rates. The reasons for our increased rate lies between the increase of school costs, Pearl Bridge, Town Welfare and County taxes. Our county taxes have increased around 32% in the past ten years and up \$272.92 from last year. Checking back ten years again we find the Loudon tax rate to be \$62.00, with a town valuation of \$906,751 comparing the \$59.80 rate for 1959 with a value of the town \$1,622,136.66. The estimated budget of 1949 \$59,257.63, the estimated budget of 1959 \$99,990.00. We conclude that things are still some-

what portional. Property tax collections for 1959 have come in very well, better than those of last year. The Selectmen would like to call to your attention the 2% discount if paid within 30 days it is better for the individual taxpayer to receive this discount, than to have the town pay $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ and add a share of it to your taxes.

Our roads are in good condition considering the increase cost of labor and material and a budget that hasn't changed in the past few years. We understand people have better autos and expect better roads on which to travel, but they must also expect in the near future an increase in our highway budget. The T.R.A. project at Upper City is completed and the Clough Hill project is progressing nicely and we hope the Pearl Bridge isn't up any longer than necessary. It has been an inconvenience to the town and also to those living in or near the area especially in winter months. We know however, the bridge will be well worth the short delay.

At this time we would like to take the opportunity to thank all the other departments and town officials of our local government for the fine cooperation extended us during the year of 1959, it has been a pleasure and an honor working with you.

ROBERT McLAREN,

LAURIS D. MOORE,

HAROLD PRESBY,

Selectmen, Town of Loudon

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT 1959

	Appropriations	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
Printing Town Reports	\$450.00	\$515.50	.....	\$65.00
Town Officers' Salaries	2,400.00	2,166.74	\$234.00	
Town Officers Expenses	1,600.00	1,317.41	282.59	
Election & Registration Expenses	250.00	207.75	42.25	
Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	500.00	168.67	331.33	
Police Department	350.00	217.96	132.04	
Fire Department	2,460.00	2,158.68	301.32	
Blister Rust & Care of Trees	400.00	400.00		
Insurance	1,180.00	712.81	467.19	
Civil Defense	175.00	54.14	120.86	
Health	25.00	14.76	10.24	
Hospital	296.00	296.00		
Vital Statistics	15.00	16.57		1.57
Town Dump	800.00	681.23	118.77	
<i>Highways and Bridges</i>				
Town Maintenance — Summer	8,500.00	13,602.22		102.22
Town Maintenance — Winter	5,000.00			

General Expenses — Highway	5,000.00	5,715.74	715.74
Street Lighting	480.00	486.71	6.71
Town Road Aid	1,253.42	1,253.42	

Public Welfare

Town Poor	1,750.00	1,974.29	224.29
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	3,054.16	145.84
Memorial Day	50.00	47.16	2.84
Cemeteries	400.00	374.77	25.23
Damages & Legal Expenses	50.00	21.82	28.18
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	260.00	254.14	5.86

Interest

On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	35.00	35.00	
Fire Truck & Interest	3,250.00	3,272.21	22.21

Payment on Principal of Debt

Pearl Bridge	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Canterbury Tax	3.50	3.55	.05
County Taxes	4,876.17	5,149.09	272.92

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Loudon in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

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

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to allow 2% discount on all property taxes paid within thirty days after presentation of tax bill.
4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums of money not to exceed in the aggregate more than 75% of the anticipated amount to be collected in taxes for the current municipal year, and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town of Loudon negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be paid in 1960 from taxes collected during the current municipal year.
5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the Capital Reserve Fund.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 each for the Trustees of Trust Funds to cover their time and expenses as provided in R.S.A. Chapter 31 Paragraphs 23 and 35.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropri-

ate the sum of \$396.00 for the Concord Hospital which is 1.2% of the \$33,000.00 estimated deficit for the year 1960.

8. To see if the Town will vote to accept the private right of way on the back side, so called, of Clough Pond as a Town road. The property owners agree to release to the Town any additional land required to meet minimum road standards: furthermore to jointly contribute a sum of money to assist the Town in putting the right of way into acceptable condition.

9. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the present Municipal Court. This article to take effect upon passage.

By petition

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 to purchase advertising in the 1961 Guide of the Merrimack Valley Region, or act in relation thereto.

By request

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

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

ROBERT F. McLAREN,
LAURIS D. MOORE,
HAROLD F. PRESBY,

Selectmen of Loudon

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

ROBERT F. McLAREN,
LAURIS D. MOORE,
HAROLD F. PRESBY,

Selectmen of Loudon

BUDGET OF THE

Estimates of Revenues and Expenditures for the Compared

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1959	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1959	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1960
<i>From State:</i>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$950.00	\$1,489.37	\$1,200.00
Railroad Tax	.76	.....	.....
Savings Bank Tax	230.00	216.23	200.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands .....	.....	4.58	4.00
For Fighting Forest Fires .....	.....	5.10	.....
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	25.00	224.30	25.00
Refund on Moth Extermination .....	.....	1.20	.....
<i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>			
Dog Licenses	450.00	462.70	450.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	50.00	41.75	50.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	200.00	158.64	200.00
Income of Departments:			
Highway, including rental of equipment	1,000.00	1,002.04	1,000.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	4,500.00	5,825.55	5,000.00
<i>Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</i>			
Pearl Bridge .....	.....	8,000.00	.....
<i>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</i>			
Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2	800.00	926.00	800.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	10.00	15.00	.....
Yield Taxes	1,000.00	652.60	1,000.00
Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes	\$9,215.76	\$19,025.06	\$9,929.00
<i>*Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes</i>			97,486.11
Total Revenues			\$107,415.11

*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

TOWN OF LOUDON

Ensuing Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960
with
of the Previous Year January 1, 1959 to December 31, 1959

Purposes of Expenditures	Appropriations Previous Year 1959	Actual Ex- penditures Previous Year 1959	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1960
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>			
<i>General Government:</i>			
Printing Town Reports	\$450.00	\$515.50	\$450.00
Town Officers' Salaries	2,400.00	2,166.74	2,400.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,600.00	1,317.41	1,600.00
Election and Registration Expenses ..	250.00	207.75	500.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	500.00	168.67	400.00
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>			
Police Department	350.00	217.96	300.00
Fire Department, including Forest Fires	2,460.00	2,158.68	2,215.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust & Care of Trees	400.00	400.00	200.00
Insurance	1,180.00	712.81	1,180.00
Civil Defense	175.00	54.14	175.00
<i>Health:</i>			
Health Department, including hospitals	321.00	310.76	25.00
Vital Statistics	15.00	16.57	15.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	800.00	681.23	700.00
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
Town Maintenance—Summer	8,500.00}	13,602.22	8,500.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	5,000.00}		5,000.00
Street Lighting	480.00	486.71	500.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	5,000.00	5,715.74	5,000.00
(Income Duncan Money \$2,770.63)			
Town Road Aid	1,253.42	1,253.42	1,244.89
<i>Public Welfare:</i>			
Town Welfare	1,750.00	1,974.29	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	3,054.16	3,500.00
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	50.00	47.16	50.00
<i>Public Service Enterprises:</i>			
Cemeteries	400.00	374.77	400.00
<i>Unclassified:</i>			
Damages and Legal Expenses	50.00	21.82	50.00
Porcupine Bounties		14.00	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	260.00	1,120.13	300.00
<i>Interest:</i>			
On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town	35.00	35.00	.....
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>			
New Equipment, Fire Truck & Interest	3,250.00	3,272.21	.....
<i>Indebtedness:</i>			
<i>Payment on Principal of Debt:</i>			
Bonds, Pearl Bridge	2,000.00	10,000.00	2,000.00
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Canterbury Tax	3.50	3.55	3.50
<i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>			
County Taxes	4,876.17	5,149.09	5,149.09
School Taxes	53,489.27	55,459.90	62,557.63
Total Expenditures	\$102,498.36	\$112,512.39	\$107,415.11
Balance owed to schools to June 30, 1959 \$20,459.90			

Schedule of Town Property

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$7,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	600.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	6,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,700.00
Police Department, Equipment	350.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	8,000.00
Equipment	11,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	4,000.00
Equipment	12,000.00
Materials and Supplies	250.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	100,000.00
Equipment	5,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
78 Acres	235.00
2 Acres	6.00
10 Acres	30.00
1 House and 6 Acres	500.00
6 Acres	50.00
 Total	 \$155,721.00

Summary of Inventory

Polls, 591	
Horses, 38	\$2,325.00
Cows, 633	45,525.00
Oxen & Neat Stock, 85	4,705.00
Sheep & Goats, 32	415.00
Fowls, 13,193	6,174.00
Portable Mills, 1	1,000.00
Mature Wood & Lumber	456.00
Gasoline Pumps & Tanks, 10	1,135.00
Stock in Trade	13,789.36
Mills & Machinery	9,400.00
House Trailers	7,200.00
Wood & Lumber not stock in Trades	4,226.00
Electric Plants	108,181.30
Real Estate	1,417,605.00
 Total	 \$1,622,136.66
Less Exemptions	74,025.00
 Total	 \$1,548,111.66

BALANCE SHEET

Liabilities

Assets	
<i>Cash</i>	
In hands of treasurer	\$4,768.67
In hands of officials	
Yield Tax on Deposit	1.00
<i>Capital Reserve Funds:</i>	
(For the acquisition of equipment and new construction)	1,000.00
<i>Accounts Due to Town—</i>	
Due from State: Hedgehog Bounties ...	14.00
Driveway Oiling and Gravel	55.25
<i>Unredeemed Taxes:</i>	
Levy of 1958	2,644.89
Levy of 1957	1,891.57
Previous Years	615.82
<i>Uncollected Taxes:</i>	
Levy of 1959	33,438.94
Levy of 1958	909.12
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1959	1,010.00
State Head Taxes—Prev. Yrs.	15.00
Total Assets	\$46,364.26
Grand Total	\$46,364.26
Surplus, December 31, 1958	18,159.93
Surplus, December 31, 1959	17,332.33
Decrease of Surplus	827.60

Liabilities

<i>Due to State:</i>	
State Head Taxes—1959 (Uncollected \$1,010.00)	\$1,010.00
Yield Tax—Bond & Debt Retirement (Uncollected \$532.66)	532.66
<i>Due to School Districts:</i>	
Balance of Appropriation	18,489.27
<i>Capital Reserve Funds:</i>	
(Offsets similar Asset account)	1,000.00
<i>Long Term Notes Outstanding:</i>	
Pearl Bridge Account	8,000.00
Total Liabilities	\$29,021.93
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	17,332.33
Grand Total	\$46,364.26

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

Receipts

*Current Revenue:**From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer)*

Property Taxes, Current Year, 1959 . . .	\$60,385.86
Poll Taxes, Current Year, 1959	614.00
National Bank Stock Taxes, 1959	15.00
Yield Taxes, 1959	506.41
State Head Taxes @ \$5, 1959	1,930.00

Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted

\$63,451.27

Property Taxes and Yield Taxes, Previous Years

25,449.26

Poll Taxes, Previous Years

312.00

State Head Taxes @ \$5, Previous Yrs. . .

1,000.00

Interest received on Taxes

859.34

Penalties on State Head Taxes

104.50

Tax sales redeemed

1,700.00

Costs and Fees

118.80

Payments

*Current Maintenance Expenses:**General Government:*

Town officers' salaries	\$2,166.74
Town officers' expenses	1,317.41
Election and registration expenses	207.75
Town Reports	515.50
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	168.67

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	217.96
Fire dept., incl. forest fires	2,158.68
Moth extermination—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	400.00
Damage by dogs	21.82
Insurance	712.81
Civil Defense	54.14
Bounties	14.00

Health:

Health dept., including hospitals	310.76
Vital statistics	16.57
Town dumps and garbage removal	681.23

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	1,253.42
Town Maintenance	13,602.22
Street lighting	486.71
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	5,715.74

Receipts

From State:

For Class V Highway maintenance	2,770.63
Interest and dividends tax	1,489.37
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	216.23
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	4.58
Fighting forest fires	5.10
Reimbursement a/c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	258.13
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	224.30

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	462.70
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	41.75
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	158.64
Interest received on deposits	3.81
Income from Highway Dept.	1,002.04

Registration of motor vehicles:

1958 Permits	74.16
1959 Permits	5,721.13
1960 Permits	30.26

Total Current Revenue Receipts \$105,458.00

Payments

Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	3,054.16
Town poor	1,974.29

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veteran's Assns.	47.16
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries, including hearse hire	374.77
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Unclassified:

Taxes bought by town	3,634.41
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	404.23
Employees' Retirement and Social Sec.	1,120.13

Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$40,631.28

Interest:

Paid on bonded debt	\$22.21
Paid on principal of trust funds used by town	35.00

Total Interest Payments 57.21

Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:

Highways and Bridges—State Aid construction	\$10,000.00
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Total Outlay Payments 10,000.00

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION—Continued

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$34,504.17
Long term notes during year	8,000.00
Refunds	1.54

Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue ... \$42,505.71

Total Receipts from All Sources	\$147,963.71
Cash on hand January 1, 1959	11,164.49

Grand Total	\$159,128.20
Yield Tax on Deposit in Concord Svgs. Bank	1.00

\$159,129.20

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$35,000.00
Payments on long term notes	1,000.00
Payments on bonded debt	3,250.00
Payments to capital reserve funds	1,000.00

Total Indebtedness Payments \$40,250.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes paid State Treas.: (1959, \$1,689.50) (Prior Yrs. \$1,119.00)	\$2,808.50
Taxes paid to County	5,149.09
Canterbury Tax	3.55
Payments to School Districts: 1958, \$20,459.90) (1959, \$35,000.00)	55,459.90

Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions 63,421.04

Total Payments for all Purposes	\$154,359.53
Cash on hand December 31, 1959	4,768.67

Grand Total\$159,128.80

Yield Tax on Deposit in Concord Savings Bank	1.00

\$159,129.80

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Auto Permits

Received from Dec. 31, 1958 to Dec. 31, 1959	\$5,825.55
1958	\$74.16
1959	5,721.13
1960	30.26

Dogs

Received from Dec. 31, 1958 to Dec. 31, 1959	\$501.50
Paid fees	38.80
Paid to Treasurer	\$462.70

Beano

Licenses received and paid to Treasurer	\$20.00
Total Remittances to Treasurer	\$6,308.50
Auto	\$5,825.55
Dogs	462.70
Beano	20.00

JESSIE M. CATE,
Town Clerk

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1959

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$92,189.96
Poll Taxes	950.00
National Bank Stock Tax	15.00

Total Warrant	\$93,154.96
Yield Taxes	2,906.04

Added Taxes:

Poll Taxes	6.00
Interest Collected	5.03

<i>Total Debits</i>	\$96,072.03
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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$60,385.86
National Bank Stock Tax	15.00
Poll Taxes	614.00
Yield Taxes	506.41
Interest Collected	5.03
Discount Allowed	971.39

Abatements:

Property	121.40
Polls	14.00

Uncollected Taxes—As per

Collector's List:

Property Taxes	30,711.31
Poll Taxes	328.00
Yield Taxes	2,399.63

<i>Total Credits</i>	\$96,072.03
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1958

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—as of January 1, 1959:

Property Taxes	\$25,411.57
Poll Taxes	346.00
Yield Taxes	937.65
	\$26,695.22

Costs of Sale and Advertising 116.05

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year
Ended December 31, 1959 769.97

Total Debits \$27,581.24

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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal

Year Ended December 31, 1959:

Property Taxes	\$25,296.82
Poll Taxes	312.00
Interest Collected During Year	769.97
Yield Taxes	141.34
Costs of Advertising and Sale	116.05
<i>Abatements Made During Year</i>	35.94

Uncollected Taxes—As per Collector's List:

Property	104.81
Poll Taxes	8.00
Yield Taxes	796.31

Total Credits \$27,581.24

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

State Head Tax

Levy of 1959

*Dr.**State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:*

Original Warrant	\$2,955.00
Added Taxes	20.00

<i>Total Commitment</i>	\$2,975.00
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<i>Penalties Collected</i>	7.50
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<i>Total Debits</i>	\$2,982.50
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*Cr.**Remittances to Treasurer:*

Head Taxes	\$1,930.00
Penalties	7.50

	\$1,937.50
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<i>Abatements</i>	35.00
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Uncollected Head Taxes—As per

<i>Collector's List</i>	1,010.00
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<i>Total Credits</i>	\$2,982.50
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT

State Head Tax

Levy of 1958

Dr.

<i>Uncollected Taxes—as of Jan. 1, 1959</i>	\$1,070.00	
<i>Penalties Collected During 1959</i>	97.00	
<i>Total Debits</i>		\$1,167.00

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<i>Remittances to Treasurer During 1959:</i>		
Head Taxes	\$1,000.00	
Penalties	97.00	
		\$1,097.00
<i>Abatements During 1959</i>	55.00	
<i>Uncollected Head Taxes—As per</i>		
<i>Collector's List</i>	15.00	
<i>Total Credits</i>		\$1,167.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1957

<i>Property Collected</i>	\$11.10	
<i>Interest Collected</i>	.84	
<i>Total</i>		\$11.94

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of December 31, 1959

	<i>Dr.</i>				
	<i>Tax Sale on Accounts of Levies of</i>				
	1958	1957	1956	1955	1951-3-4
<i>Taxes sold to Town during</i>					
<i>fiscal year</i>	\$3,407.31				
Balance of unredeemed taxes		\$1,891.57	\$1,128.12	\$107.53	\$102.26
Int. and Costs of Sale	227.10	.....			
Int. collected after Sale	.70	.....	77.02	3.77	2.01
Redemption costs	1.25	.....	1.00	.25	.25
<i>Total Debits</i>	<u>\$3,636.36</u>	<u>\$1,891.57</u>	<u>\$1,206.14</u>	<u>\$111.55</u>	<u>\$104.52</u>
<i>Cr.</i>					
<i>Remittances to Treasurer dur-</i>					
<i>ing year</i>	\$991.47	.....	\$753.12	\$21.28	\$20.38
Deeded to Town				11.61	
Unredeemed Taxes at close of					
year	2,644.89	1,891.57	453.02	78.66	84.14
<i>Total Credits</i>	<u>\$3,636.36</u>	<u>\$1,891.57</u>	<u>\$1,206.14</u>	<u>\$111.55</u>	<u>\$104.52</u>

JEAN F. HARDY,
Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance on hand December 31, 1958 \$11,164.49

Received from State Treasurer:

Refund on Gas	\$76.74	
Refund of O. A. Assistance	77.25	
Recovery of O. A. Assistance	147.05	
Rent of Truck	175.65	
Road Toll Refund	181.39	
Duncan Money	2,770.63	
Share of Forest Fire Training	5.10	
Interest & Dividend Tax	1,489.37	
Rent of Grader	135.13	
Savings Bank Tax	216.23	
Refund on Blister Rust	1.20	
Refund on Tax Loss of Forestry Land ...	4.58	
		5,280.32

Received from Jessie M. Cate:

Auto Permits 1958	74.16	
Auto Permits 1959	5,721.13	
Auto Permits 1960	30.26	
Dog Licenses 1958	33.50	
Dog Licenses 1959	429.20	
Beano Licenses	20.00	
		6,308.25

Received from Various Sources:

Concord National Bank, loan	\$34,504.17	
Eastern States refund	.34	
Town of Gilmanton, Winter plowing	175.00	
Hiram Cate, rent of truck	8.75	
M. Irene Richardson, court fees	60.14	
Judge Stanley Prescott, court fees	98.50	
Concord National Bank, bridge loan	8,000.00	
Pistol Permits	9.50	
Bicycle Registrations	12.25	
		42,868.65

Gravel, Sand, etc.

Allyn Tucker	\$4.00
Clarence Bachelder	4.00
Ernest Croteau	8.00
Ronald K. Moore	20.00
Capt. Harold W. Mahar	16.00
Hiram Cate	28.00

State of New Hampshire	22.50	
William J. Murray	4.00	
Bruce Yeaton	4.00	
Ralph Pyne	8.00	
Harold Presby	8.00	
		\$126.50

Driveways, etc.:

Wallace Sleeper	\$16.25	
Leonard Hill	50.00	
Robert McLaren	6.00	
Laura G. Jenkins	5.00	
Charles Welch, Jr.	28.00	
William B. Cummings, Jr.	54.50	
Hiram Cate	10.75	
Fred J. Hackett	23.00	
Melvin Gullage	23.00	
Arthur Anderson	32.00	
Fred Dirth	16.50	
Harold Hill	37.88	
Robert Bunker	32.00	
Ralph C. Bennett	28.13	
William H. Brown	18.00	
		\$381.01
		\$66,129.22

Received from Jean F. Hardy, Collector:

Redeemed Taxes for 1954	\$18.12	
Interest on Taxes for 1954	2.01	
Fees on Taxes for 1954	.25	
		\$20.38
Redeemed Taxes for 1955	\$17.26	
Interest on Taxes for 1955	3.77	
Fees on Taxes for 1955	.25	
		21.28
Redeemed Taxes for 1956	\$675.10	
Interest on Taxes for 1956	77.02	
Fees on Taxes for 1956	1.00	
		753.12
Redeemed Taxes for 1958	\$989.52	
Interest on Taxes for 1958	.70	
Fees on Taxes for 1958	1.25	
		991.47
Taxes for 1957	\$11.10	
Interest on Taxes	.84	
		11.94

Taxes for 1958	\$21,438.97	
Interest on Taxes	624.64	
\$2.00 Poll Tax for 1958	312.00	
\$5.00 Head Tax	1,000.00	
Head Tax Penalties	97.00	
		23,472.61
Before sale, 1958	\$450.54	
Interest	15.74	
Costs	17.50	
		483.78
Tax Sale, 1958	\$3,407.31	
Interest	128.55	
Costs	98.55	
		3,634.41
Taxes for 1959	\$60,400.86	
Interest	5.03	
\$2.00 Poll Taxes	614.00	
\$5.00 Head Taxes	1,930.00	
Head Tax Penalties	7.50	
		62,957.39
		\$92,346.38
<i>Yield Tax Report,</i>		
<i>Received from Jean F. Hardy, Collector:</i>		
Yield Tax for 1958	\$141.34	
Interest on Tax for 1958	1.04	
		142.38
Yield Tax for 1959	\$506.41	
Interest on Tax Accrued in Bank	3.81	
		510.22
Total Yield Tax		\$652.60
Total Receipts	\$159,128.20	
Total Orders	154,359.53	
Balance on hand December 31, 1959	\$4,768.67	
Deposit in Concord Savings Bank, Yield Tax	1.00	

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Town Officers' Salaries

Appropriation \$2,400.00

Robert F. McLaren, Selectman & Overseer of Poor	\$485.00	\$12.13	\$472.87
Lauris D. Moore, Selectman	430.00	10.75	419.25
Harold F. Presby, Selectman	400.00	10.00	390.00
Jessie M. Cate, Clerk & Clerk of Board	325.00	8.13	316.87
Mary E. Maxfield, Treasurer	250.00	6.25	243.75
Jean F. Hardy, Tax Collector	240.00	6.00	234.00
Clarence A. Richardson Estate			60.00
Stanley H. Prescott, Justice of Municipal Court			30.00
	\$2,220.00	\$53.26	\$2,166.74

Retirement & Social Security

Appropriation \$260.00

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire, Social Security	\$507.50
District Director of Internal Revenue, Withholding	610.60
N. H. Department of Public Welfare, Administration ...	2.03
	\$1,120.13

Town Officers' Expenses

Appropriation \$1,600.00

Upton, Sanders & Upton, Assistance to Collector & executing deeds	\$25.00
U. S. Postmaster, Concord, N. H., Postage	100.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Office Supplies	70.58
Robert Rousseau, Vital Statistics Binders	14.89
N. H. Assessors' Association, Dues	3.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, Dues	3.00
Charles R. Hardy, Clerks' Association, Dues	3.00
N. H. State Tax Commission, 1 Set Tax Laws	1.75
Concord National Bank, Safety Deposit Box Rent	4.00
State of New Hampshire, Mobile Homes Report	2.00
C. A. Brinkmann, Postage	4.64

Leila Y. Bartlett, Register, List of Estates	40
Kathleen A. Roy, Register, Conveyances & Mortgages ...	27.40
Monitor-Patriot Co., Advertising	18.00
Branham Publishing Company, Auto Guide	9.00
Evans Printing Company, Zoning Reports	25.00
Jackman & Lang, Officers' Bonds	165.00
Sargent Brothers, Tax bills & envelopes	36.25
Loudon Village Store, Paper supplies	.79
Robert F. McLaren, Tax meeting, \$6.00, Telephone \$7.66	13.66
Lauris D. Moore, Road Meeting	6.00
Harold F. Presby, Telephone	9.66
Mary E. Maxfield, Tax Commission Meeting	6.00
Jean F. Hardy	268.43
Collecting Head Taxes, \$87.60 — \$2.19	\$85.41
Tax Sale Fees, \$34.00 — \$.85	33.15
Tax Sale Costs, Notices & Advertising	88.77
Postage & Telephone	49.10
Tax Meetings	12.00
Jessie M. Cate	499.96
Tax & Clerks' Meetings	\$18.00
Auto Permit Fees, \$427.50 — \$10.68	416.82
Making Head Tax List, \$12.00 — \$.30	11.70
Work on Inventory & Copying, \$40.00 —	
\$.01	38.99
Mailing Reports & Inventories, \$10.00 —	
\$.25	9.75
Telephone & Postage	4.70
	\$1,317.41

Town Reports

Appropriation \$450.00

Evans Printing Company	\$515.50
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Election & Registration

Appropriation \$250.00

M. Inez Lovering, Supervisor	\$42.00
John O. Cate, Supervisor	42.00
Earle W. Cate, Jr., Supervisor	42.00
Everett O. Dow, Moderator	6.00

Norman R. Bowles, Constable	6.00
Emma J. Kenney, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Pauline Haines, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Clayton L. Currier, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Hiram W. Cate, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Ladies Aid of Baptist Church, Meals	22.75
Evans Printing Company, Ballots	23.00
	\$207.75

Town Hall & Other Buildings

Appropriation \$500.00

New England Telephone & Telegraph Company	\$106.20
Public Service Company of New Hampshire	51.02
Loudon Village Store, Paper Towels & Kerosene	.65
Russell P. Richardson, Lighting Fires \$8.00 — \$.20	7.80
Arthur W. Colby, Mowing grass	3.00
	\$168.67

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY

Police Department

Appropriation \$350.00

W. S. Darley & Co., 6 Badges	\$6.75
Concord S.P.C.A., Investigations	11.80
The J. F. Dorman Co., Inc., 59 & 60 Bicycle plates	30.92
Yankee Country Store, 4 Boxes bullets	17.60
Norman R. Bowles, Services, mileage & telephone	128.59
Arthur W. Colby, Services	17.90
Arthur W. Colby, 1 Box bullets	4.40
	\$217.96

Fire Department

(Including Forest Fires)

Forest Fires — Appropriation — none

Royal L. Page, Training School	\$11.10
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Fire Department

Appropriation \$2,460.00

City of Northampton, Mass., 6 Used alarm batteries	\$30.00
Arthur W. Colby, Plowing	29.00
Alvah T. Longley, Fuel oil	278.36
John Grappone, Inc., Repair 1946 truck	26.50
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company	153.41
Public Service Company of New Hampshire	107.57
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., Batteries, belts, parts	86.50
Ellington Electric Co., 1 500-w. flood lamp	4.46
Gulf Oil Company, Oil and gasoline	74.18
The Gamewell Company, 1 Pkg. register paper	4.29
DeMambro Radio Supply Inc., Switch & speaker	20.17
George L. Fitts, Used air compressor & tank	25.00
Federal Sign & Signal Corp., Red lens	2.54
Capitol Plumbing & Heating Supply Co., Well supplies ..	57.78
Loudon Village Store, Kerosene, bulbs, Zerone	5.36
Samuel Eastman Co., Inc., Hose couplings & adapters ...	25.20
Spears Garage, Repairs	4.50
Evans Radio, Inc., Radio & parts	77.47
Edward G. Moody & Son, Inc., Electrifying reel	172.59
Tasker's Garage, Tanker repairs & inspections	94.61
Shepard Auto Supply Co., Tailpipe, clamp, hanger, oil ...	51.30

Sudbury Laboratory, 4 1-gal. Dowse-It	17.64
Concord Lumber Co., Door rubber & Weatherstrip	25.12
C. E. Wilber Co., Keys, lock, nails	8.86
Superior Electric Co., Fuses, fuse pullers & lamps	7.45
Hillsgrove Oil Co., Gas, fuel oil & cleaning furnace	102.32
Eastern States Farmers' Exchange, Inc., Paint & thinner ..	41.42
Lauris D. Moore, Anti-freeze	2.48
K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Anti-freeze	3.38
Loudon Garage, Grease trucks	3.90
William C. Chesley, Keys	2.50
Scotty's Radio Communication Service, Radio repairs ...	51.80
Concord Hardware Co., Inc., Light bulbs	2.00
Palmer Spring Company, Diaphragm	2.37
Cairns & Brother Co., Record book refill	3.79
American Fire Equipment Co., 4 50-ft. lengths of hose ...	120.00
Globe Manufacturing Co., 4 Coats	114.40
Acme Fire Alarm Co., 2 Stations	106.46
The Acme Rubber Co. of New England, 2 10-ft. lengths 4 1/4-inch suction hose	200.90
	\$2,147.58

White Pine Blister Rust

Appropriation \$400.00	
William H. Messeck, State Forester	\$400.00

Civil Defense

Appropriation \$175.00	
Anthony F. Jagemann, 2 Radiological slide rules	\$5.00
Treas., State of New Hampshire, Cots, gloves, hose, rope, chain hoist & fire extinguisher	47.11
Bow Electric Supply Co., 2 Fuse reducers	1.05
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., 1 Binder	.98
	\$54.14

Damage by Dogs

Appropriation \$50.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., 250 tags	\$14.02
Arthur W. Colby, Postage & collecting licenses	7.80
	\$21.82

Insurance

Appropriation \$1,180.00	
The Holdsworth Insurance Agency, Firemen's Accident, Workmen's & Public Liability	\$413.89
National Grange Mutual Insurance Company	298.92
	\$712.81

Health Department

Appropriation \$25.00	
Ruth B. Whitcomb, R.N., Services	\$14.76

Town Dump

Appropriation \$800.00	
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc. 1 Face shield	\$2.45
Eastern States Farmers' Exchange, Inc., Tools	12.25
Upton, Sanders & Upton, Time & executing deeds	25.00
Russell P. Richardson, Care of dump, \$658.00 — \$16.47 ..	641.53
	\$681.23

Vital Statistics

Appropriation \$15.00	
Jessie M. Cate, Recording, \$17.00 — \$0.43	\$16.57

HIGHWAYS

Town Maintenance, Summer & Winter

	Appropriation, Summer	\$8,500.00		
	Winter	5,000.00		
	Income	\$1,260.17		
<i>Labor</i>	<i>Gross</i>	<i>With.</i>	<i>S.S.</i>	
Clark Page	\$56.25	\$5.00	\$1.09	\$50.16
Ralph D. Merrill	1,489.70	225.50	36.95	1,227.25
Roger N. Dow	1,518.30	31.80	38.02	1,448.48
Archie C. Page	2,928.90	197.40	73.02	2,658.48
John A. Sanborn	86.15	5.20	2.06	78.89
Asa Maynard	81.25	10.20	2.04	69.01
William M. Osgood	25.00		.63	24.37
Wilbur S. Maxfield, Jr.	78.76	3.10	1.97	73.69

Paul Merrill	305.02	34.90	7.63	262.49
Joseph Cotton, Jr.	36.25	.91	.29	35.34
Archer Smith	20.00	1.40	.50	18.10
Ronald Hayward	76.88	5.30	1.92	69.66
Alfred Bowles	18.75	1.00	.47	17.28
Clarence Bachelder	10.00		.25	9.75
Albert Bachelder	50.00	2.50	1.25	46.25
Lester M. Annis	21.88	.10	.55	21.23
Maurice Merrill	2.50		.06	2.44
International Salt Company, Inc., Salt				2,324.00
Huckins Chevrolet, Inc., Balance truck				1,095.00
John Dowes, Man & chain saw				44.00
Monitor-Patriot Co., Ad				4.50
New Hampshire Bituminous Company, Road oil				2,144.75
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire, Balance Pearl Bridge				123.00
Kenneth C. Pearl, Tractor plowing				7.23
Donald F. Willey, Plowing, salting, sanding				969.20
K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Salting & sanding				86.00
Norman R. Bowles, Tractor plowing & sanding				28.50
Buttrick Construction, Rent of shovel				84.00
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire, Payrolls				86.07
Everett O. Dow, Tractor & truck				480.30
Hiram W. Cate, Labor				7.48
Ralph H. Maxfield, Labor				5.32
				\$13,602.22

General Expenses of Highway Department

Appropriation \$5,000.00

Nick's Garage & Tire Shop, 2 Used tubes	\$8.00
Banks Chevrolet, Inc., Repairs	5.44
Ralph D. Merrill, 1 900x20 flap	1.00
Pelissier's Garage, Parts & repairs	14.10
Loudon Village Store, Nails, hinges, hammer handle	10.33
Yankee Country Store, Kerosene, gas stove pipe	47.59
Hector Drolet, Guard rail paint	13.03
John O. Cate, Tires & tubes	365.05
James McGrath, Checking gas pump	3.00
Scott Machinery, Inc., Grader & loader parts & repairs ...	549.58
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., Tools, chains, wire	152.81
Buttrick Construction, Welding	15.00
St. Lawrence Steel Company, Plow blades & bolts	86.22

Loudon Garage, Oil, headlamp, install generator & regulator	8.05
Roger N. Dow, Sander tire, lamp holder	10.59
Huckins Oil Co., Inc., Gas deisel fuel, oil	1,031.53
Huckins Garage Inc., Parts & repairs	446.99
Merrimack Auto Trim, Repairing cushion	14.00
Central Lumber Co., Inc., Nails & Bermico pipe	3.19
Kenney's Amoco Station & Garage, Loader repairs	187.95
Hoagland's Auto Body, Radiator repairs	40.75
William H. Brown, Sand	59.50
Goodyear Service Stores, 2 Tubes	12.50
Hillsgrove Oil Company, Gas & Oil	398.18
Tilton Sand & Gravel Inc., Patch	331.19
R. C. Hazelton Co., Culvert	565.69
Albin J. Sanborn, Bridge plank	178.20
Milo Bacon, Culvert	31.92
Joseph C. Rogers, Rent of backhoe	130.00
Wilbert Lane, Welding & repairs	403.31
Eastern States Farmers' Exchange, Inc., Paint	5.58
Karl Merrill, Blasting at Gravel Pit	19.20
K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Bridge plank	435.93
H. P. Maxfield, Inc., Tools, DeRusto	9.23
Reed's Oil Service, Kerosene	10.68
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., Chloride	11.80
Page Belting Company, 4 Hoist pins	3.75
Lauris D. Moore, Anti-freeze	25.35
N. H. Machinery & Explosives Co., Inc., Drilling, blasting & bolts	69.53
	\$5,715.74

Town Road Aid

Appropriation \$1,253.42

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire, Town Share	\$1,253.42
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Pearl Bridge Appropriation

1959 Appropriation \$2,000.00

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	\$10,000.00
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Street Lights

Appropriation \$480.00	
Public Service Company of New Hampshire	\$486.71

Public Welfare

Old Age Assistance

Appropriation \$3,200.00	
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	\$3,054.16

Town Welfare

Appropriation \$1,750.00

Smith Twins:

Mrs. Charles Clough, Board & care	\$1,200.00	
Green's Drug Store, Inc., Medicine	41.10	
Drs. F. B. & J. S. Argue, House & office calls	32.00	
Dr. Seymour White, Consultation	10.00	
J. C. Penney Co., Clothes	17.16	
Barney's, Shoes & overshoes	19.70	
		\$1,319.96

Charles & Beulah Brace:

Yankee Country Store, Groceries	\$130.90	
K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Slabs	5.00	
Dr. Robert O. Blood, House & office calls	26.00	
Nault's Pharmacy, Inc., Medicine	9.25	
		171.15

Melvin & Lillian Bissell:

Huckins Oil Co., Inc., Oil	39.92
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Aid to Cancer Patients:

State Cancer Commission, Hospital & medication	443.26
	\$1,974.29

Concord Hospital

Appropriation \$296.00	
Concord Hospital	\$296.00

PUBLIC SERVICES ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries

Appropriation \$400.00

Emerson L. Moore, Treas., Ridge	\$75.00
Laura G. Jenkins, Treas., Center	75.00
Perley W. Ordway, Treas., Moore & Mt. Hope	150.00
Arthur W. Colby, Town Cemetery, Mowing	28.00
Arthur W. Colby, Town Cemetery, Painting fence	19.00
Eastern States Farmers' Exchange, Inc., Paint	27.77
	\$374.77

Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day — Appropriation \$50.00

Loudon Village Store, Lunch supplies	\$8.41
Adnyrum C. Chesley, 3 Wreaths	3.75
V.F.W. Post No. 1631, Concord, N. H., Drum Corps	35.00
	\$47.16

UNCLASSIFIED

Hedgehog Bounties

Jean F. Hardy	\$5.00
Robert F. McLaren	4.50
Lauris D. Moore	3.50
Harold F. Presby	1.00
	\$14.00

Taxes Bought by Town

Jean F. Hardy, Collector	\$3,634.41
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Head Taxes

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	\$2,808.50
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Yield Tax

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	\$404.23
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Interest

Appropriation (Trust Fund) \$35.00

Loudon Trustees of Trust Funds, Maxfield note	\$35.00
Concord National Bank, Fire truck note	22.21
	\$57.21

Capital Reserve Fund

Appropriation \$1,000.00

Loudon Trustees of Trust Funds	\$1,000.00
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PAYMENTS ON INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes

Concord National Bank	\$35,000.00
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Long Term Notes

Appropriation \$1,000.00

Loudon Trustees of Trust Funds, Maxfield note in full ..	\$1,000.00
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Short Term Notes

Concord National Bank, Fire truck note	\$3,250.00
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PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Merrimack County Tax

Appropriation \$4,876.17

Donald G. Rainie, Treasurer	\$5,149.09
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Canterbury Tax

Appropriation \$3.50

John C. Malcolm, Collector	\$3.55
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Schools

Appropriation July 1, 1958 to June 30, 1959 \$53,489.27

Fred J. Hackett, Treasurer	\$55,459.90
January 1 to June 30	\$20,459.90
June 30 to December 31	35,000.00

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Contained in the following is a report of work completed during 1959.

There was an unusual amount of bridge repair with the following being replanked; Christina Clough Bridge, Twin Bridge, Guessmeadow Bridge, Bumfagon Bridge, with the Bridge at Rickers being completely rebuilt.

There were a number of culverts that were considered insufficient, with new culverts replacing them. Two each on Lower Ridge and Moses Road, and one on each of the following; Bee Hole Road, Pleasant Street, Kendall Road, and Guessmeadow Road. Also about 90% of all remaining culverts were cleaned completely.

There were 16,000 gallons of tar applied, together with 20 ton of Cold Patch.

Along with the usual summer grading and maintenance, about 250 yards of gravel was distributed in needing places throughout the town.

ROGER M. DOW,
Road Agent

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

For the Year Ending December 31, 1959

Receipts

Balance on hand, January 1, 1959	\$499.39	
Received from Trust Funds	594.97	
Interest on Savings Account	22.53	
Interest from Trust Funds	35.00	
Total Receipts		\$1,151.89

Expenditures

Marguerite Buzzell, Salary and Janitor Service	\$210.00	
Magazine Subscriptions	53.90	
Books	10.00	
Furnace Oil	183.64	
Electricity	27.04	
Repairs	3.00	
Labor, Care of Cemetery	17.00	
Mowing Lawn:		
Wesley T. Robinson	\$2.75	
Stanley H. Prescott, II	5.00	
	7.75	
Christmas Decorations	4.00	
Snow Shoveling, Bud Case	1.50	
Total Expenditures		\$517.83
Balance Dec. 31, 1959		\$634.06
New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$560.26	
Checking Account	73.80	
Total		\$634.06

Special Fund

On hand Jan. 1, 1959	\$82.72	
Interest	4.45	
Received from Card Parties	26.75	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1959		\$113.92

RUTH FORST,
C. A. BRINKMANN,
MARTHA J. HALL,
Trustees

January 25, 1960 — Audited and found correct.
C. A. BRINKMANN,
GERALD B. SMITH,
Town Auditors

AUDITORS' REPORT

January 26, 1960

TO: Board of Selectmen
Town of Loudon, New Hampshire

We hereby certify that according to the instructions of the State Tax Commission, we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Library Trustees, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds and Judge of the Municipal Court, for the year ending December 31, 1959 and find them correctly kept and properly vouchered.

GERALD B. SMITH,
C. A. BRINKMANN,
Town Auditors

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

For the Year Ending December 31, 1959

Balance in hands of Librarian, December 31, 1958	\$36.78
Fines	4.25
Total	\$41.03

Expenditures

Supplies	\$4.75
Balance December 31, 1959	\$36.28

Resources

No. of Volumes January 1, 1959	5,789
No. of Volumes added during the year	28
Total	5,817
No. of Magazines at Main Library	15
No. of Magazines at the Branch	2
No. of Borrowers at Main Library and Branch	300

Circulation

No. of Volumes of Fiction	2,411
No. of Volumes of Non-Fiction	532
No. of Periodicals	1,876
No. of Juveniles	1,154
Total	5,973

Magazines at Main Library

American	Life
Better Homes and Gardens	McCalls
Children's Activities	National Geographic Magazine
Current Biography	Nature
Field and Stream	Popular Mechanics
Good Housekeeping	Saturday Evening Post
Health	Time
	Workbench

Magazines at the Ridge Branch

Good Housekeeping

Woman's Home Companion

Branch Librarian

Mrs. Anna Hanson

Through the cooperation of the teachers of the Elementary School, a Poster contest honoring "Book Week" was held again this year.

Prizes consisting of books were awarded to the winners in each grade.

The contributions of books and magazines during the year have been greatly appreciated.

Visit your Library often. The Library is open from two until six and from seven until eight on Tuesdays and Saturdays except on Holidays.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE BUZZELL,

Librarian

REPORT OF THE LOUDON PLANNING BOARD

Nine meetings of the Loudon Planning Board were held at the Fire Station during the year 1959. At two of these meetings, the Public was invited to bring suggestions.

Two Public Hearings were held to present and answer questions on the proposed Zoning Ordinance.

Subjects taken up at the regular meetings —

Trailers in the Town.

Proposed Zoning Ordinance.

Road Signs.

Fire Telephones.

Wild Life Preserve.

Right of Way to Sanborn's Pond.

Ski Area on Oak Hill.

Road Around Clough Pond.

Bathing Beach at Clough Pond.

The Board would be glad to receive suggestions, during the coming year, from any interested citizen.

If funds become available, it is planned to erect additional road signs.

C. A. BRINKMANN, *Chairman*

by S. H. PRESCOTT, *Secretary*

FINANCIAL REPORT OF LOUDON MUNICIPAL COURT

January 1 to March 31, 1959

Receipts

Fines	\$160.00	
Costs on Small Claim Case	1.89	
Payment received on Small Claim	2.00	
Total Receipts		\$163.89

Expenditures

Motor Vehicle Dept.	\$85.50	
Maxwell Press	2.73	
Postage, registered mail	.39	
Fees to Judge & Clerk	1.25	
Public Service, payment on S. C.	2.00	
Bank Service Charges	2.88	
Total Expenditures		\$94.75
Balance Cash in Mechanics National Bank		\$69.14
Due Motor Vehicle Dept.	\$9.00	
Due Town of Loudon	60.14	
		\$69.14

Respectfully submitted,

M. IRENE RICHARDSON,
Clerk of Court

October 27, 1959 — Audited and found correct.

C. A. BRINKMANN,
GERALD B. SMITH,
Town Auditors

December 1, 1959 to January 1, 1960

Total number of complaints entered — 8

Criminal cases (misdemeanors) — 8

Balance of cash in Mechanics National Bank, Dec. 1 . . . \$69.14

Receipts

Court Fines for December	625.00
	\$694.14

Disbursements

N. H. Motor Vehicle Dept.	\$90.00
N. H. Fish and Game Dept.	445.50
Town of Loudon	158.64
	\$694.14

Because of mininformation \$72.00 of the above receipts were erroneously sent to the N. H. Motor Vehicle Dept. This amount has been returned to the court and will be credited to the town with the January receipts.

Respectfully submitted,

M. IRENE RICHARDSON,

Clerk

January 21, 1960 — Audited and found correct.

C. A. BRINKMANN,

GERALD B. SMITH,

Town Auditors

LOUDON MUNICIPAL COURT

Financial Report for 1959

	<i>Expenses</i>	<i>Actual Income to Town</i>
1955	\$240.00	\$378.32
1956	180.00	955.32
1957	240.00	469.71
1958	240.00	192.80
1959	90.00	158.64
Totals	\$990.00	\$2,154.79
Net Income		\$1,155.79

TRUST FUNDS

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1959

Date of creation	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION	How Invested	Balance End Year	Balance Begin- ning Year	Income During Year		Expended Dur- ing Year	Balance End Year
					Percent	Amount		
1908	William Maxfield Farm, Benefit of Town	Farm, Land	\$700.00	None		\$179.19	Paid	\$15.82
1908	William Maxfield Fund, Library	Merrimack County Savings Bank	46,000.00	None		144.20	Library	15.22
1908	William Maxfield Fund, Library	N. H. Savings Bank	4,012.50	None		179.70	Trustee	21.70
1908	William Maxfield Fund, Library	Concord Savings Bank	5,000.00	None		74.46	Jan. 1960	80.15
1909	William Maxfield Fund, Library	Concord Savings Bank	2,151.46	None		35.00	\$612.55	94.89
1937	William Maxfield Fund, Library	Town of Loudon Notes	1,000.00			3.97		95.81
1948	George W. Kowell, Cemetery Fund	Merrimack County Savings Bank	100.00	\$11.85		3.97		0
1948	John B. Perkins, Cemetery Fund	Merrimack County Savings Bank	100.00	11.25		3.97		31.46
1927	Amos F. Currier, Cemetery Fund	Merrimack County Savings Bank	100.00	20.42		4.28		15.19
1890	Eliza Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	76.83		6.32		22.52
1907	Fernald, Benefit of Town Poor	Concord Savings Bank	161.21	86.02		8.87		131.92
1925	Jeremiah Sargent, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	105.74		7.38		25.95
1942	Chamberlin & Wiggins, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	90.18		10.43		159.50
*1948	Veterans Affairs Com.	Concord Savings Bank	165.77	67.58		7.39		2.65
1937	Cora I. Brown, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	29.81		4.65		18.28
1941	Hattie Lake, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	28.83		4.61		203.23
1953	Alice Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	18.68		7.84		
1918	Laura A. Clifford, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	126.29		8.13		
1932	Irene A. Hamblett, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	24.50		4.45		
1935	Ivana Foster, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	300.00	146.46		16.04		
1932	E. Gertrude Dickerman, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	50.00	1.82		1.83		
1939	Joseph E. Ross & Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	17.07		4.21		
1917	Sanborn & Huckins, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	204.79		10.94		

1933	Frank M. Ladd, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	100.00	43.32	5.13	3.00	45.45
1944	Levi & Lucraus Sanborn, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	100.00	12.77	4.06	3.00	14.83
1926	Myra Holt, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	100.00	54.48	5.34	3.50	56.52
1952	Perley W. Rowell, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	100.00	13.39	4.06	6.00	11.45
1908	Jeremiah Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	150.00	150.73	10.78	0	161.51
1933	Elbridge S. Wales Heirs, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	50.00	33.75	3.90	3.00	34.65
1939	Harrington & Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	300.00	136.57	15.68	70.52	81.73
1959	Edward Davis, Cemetery Fund	Concord	Savings Bank	0	0	2.40	0	2.40
1958	Mudgett Fund, Lowering Cemetery	Concord	Savings Bank	10,000.00	739.41	739.41	169.75	569.66
1959	Capital Reserve Fund, Use of Town	Concord	Savings Bank	1,000.00	0	0	0	0
1956	Ida M. Dahlgren, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	200.00	6.59	7.42	4.00	10.01
1957	John Winslow, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	200.00	8.56	7.46	0	15.72
1930	Orni. Hamblett, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	54.25	5.53	3.00	56.78
1927	Hattie Morse, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	40.08	5.02	3.00	42.10
1909	Mary Willard, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	125.00	7.05	1.14	0	8.19
1930	Frank Batchelder, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	44.21	5.17	3.00	46.38
1930	Jonathan R. Dinmond, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	35.37	5.72	9.50	55.59
1950	Edward S. Ordway, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	10.22	3.96	5.50	8.68
1928	John Jones, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	200.00	62.62	9.43	3.00	69.05
1909	Sargent, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	47.53	5.29	3.00	49.82
1933	Drake & Foster, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	13.25	4.06	3.00	14.31
1953	Rollins & Regis, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	150.00	19.48	6.08	3.00	22.56
1953	Samuel Lowell French, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	5.89	3.78	4.00	5.67
1954	H. Turner, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	4.35	3.74	4.50	3.59
1954	George L. Griffin, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	100.00	5.19	3.78	4.25	4.72
1952	John W. & Silas Pearl, Cemetery Fund	N. H.	Savings Bank	200.00	40.57	8.62	3.00	46.19
Totals				\$33,915.44	\$1,943.04	\$1,605.02	\$1,077.59	\$2,470.47

*Note: — \$20.84 Charged against principal. New principal \$165.77.

JOHN O. CATE,
BENJ. E. SMITH,
EVERETT O. DOW,

Trustees of Trust Funds

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

The year 1959 saw fire losses in town at a new low. The Fire Department was called on 51 times, 11 chimney fires, 2 building, 5 brush and grass, 7 out of town, 15 service calls, and 11 miscellaneous calls. We called for and received assistance from Canterbury, Belmont, Laconia, Pittsfield, Chichester, and Concord.

The new truck is paid for and has proven its worth several times. New suction hose of the proper size and 200 feet of 1½" hose has been added to Engine No. 1, bringing that piece of equipment to peak efficiency.

The fire station has been painted outside, and improvements have been made on the inside by department members at no labor cost to the town.

In cooperation with other town agencies, fuel oil and gasoline is being purchased on contract thru competitive bidding at a substantial saving.

This past year we made a modest replacement of worn out protective firemen's clothing. This clothing was acquired 11 years ago from the Ladies' Auxiliary and public subscription. More worn out clothes will need replacing this coming year.

During the year an Aqua-Stat has been installed in the Loudon Grade School heating plant. This is connected to a Master fire alarm box, which in turn is connected to the fire alarm system. This Master box automatically sounds an alarm if anything goes wrong with the heating system. It is also a manually operated box, making one more street box for added protection. The Aqua-Stat and Master Box was paid for by the School District, and installed and wired by fire department personnel.

The 5-KW generator, purchased thru Civil Defense is wired and ready to take over the electrical needs of the fire station and Civil Defense headquarters should there be a power failure. All wire, boxes and labor by fire department members.

As in the past the Ladies' Auxiliary is assisting the de-

partment in many ways. Taking over the radio and phones during fires as well as providing hot lunches at fires are only two of many.

The department wishes to say "thanks" to everyone for their cooperation in helping keep fire losses low. Let's make 1960 the best year yet, firewise.

The men and trucks are ready to "roll" anytime, day or night for any emergency. Don't hesitate to call.

A cordial invitation is extended to every one to inspect the station, trucks and equipment, and to sit in on any of our meetings held the second Monday of each month.

HARLAN DOWNES, *Chief*

Harlan Downes, *Chief* Phone STory 3-6328
 Warren Jenkins, *Deputy Chief* Phone SWift 8-6151
 Arthur Colby, *Captain* Phone SWift 8-5876
 Fire Department phone STory 3-6121

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

The year just past is the first for some years with no loss from forest fires and the resulting expense for extinguishment. Five fires started, but prompt reporting and quick response by the fire department kept them small.

Use the town dump for disposal of waste. Burning there is supervised and controlled.

Report any fire or suspicious smoke promptly to the fire department. Remember there is no charge for runs of an hour or less, so stay alert, keep expenses down, way down.

A permit is a *must* from the Warden before kindling any outside fire when the ground is barren of snow. After burning be sure your fire is OUT, ALL OUT before leaving it.

Always be careful of fire and we will have a better record in 1960.

Remember, fire prevention is good business for everyone.

HARLAN DOWNES, *Warden*

PREVENTION IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

The year 1959 was fortunate from a forest fire standpoint. New Hampshire had the best record in the nation. Fewer acres were burned, suppression costs were substantially reduced and damage to woodlands held to a minimum. The record resulted from a combination of favorable weather conditions, an alert warden service and a cooperating public.

Yet, despite all this, there still persists a disturbing note: 58%, or 6 out of every 10 fires in 1959 were caused by careless smokers and debris burners.

10%, or 1 out of every 9 fires was caused by children.

Careless, indifferent, thoughtless and independent minded individuals and failure of parents to properly supervise children and keep matches out of their reach, annually cause these unnecessary fires which cost large sums to extinguish and cause extensive damage. The elimination of these three causes of fires would radically change this picture. The rules are simple —

1. Before burning, secure a permit from your local forest fire warden — the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning.
3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.
4. Don't throw lighted matches, cigars and cigarettes from moving vehicles — use your ash tray.
5. Don't burn at home — use your town dump and save yourself much possible difficulty, both personal and financial.

Number of local fires — 3

Number of acres burned — $\frac{1}{2}$

Number of permits issued — 128

THOS. J. KING,
District Fire Chief

HARLAN DOWNES,
Forest Fire Warden

CIVIL DEFENSE

The Survival Project set up by the State of New Hampshire was terminated last spring, after completion of said project.

The following is a brief summary of said project, which should be of interest to the people of our community.

AREA VI

“A” The state has been divided into eight geographical divisions, known as Civil Defense Areas, to provide maximum advantages to emergency Civil Defense Operations.

“B” Each of the 237 New Hampshire cities and towns are included in one of these areas and are further classified by assignment.

1. “Evacuation” — Communities — towns/cities to be evacuated from areas of potential damage.
2. “Reception” — Communities — towns/cities assigned the responsibilities of housing and caring for evacuees, either in the state or interstate.
3. “Standby Reserve” — Communities — towns/cities which are neither evacuated nor assigned evacuees in the initial operations. Their responsibilities are to expedite evacuee traffic through their communities to designated Reception Areas elsewhere in the state and to prepare to receive surplus evacuees which may be assigned in Post Attack Period to achieve better equalization of the burden throughout the state.

AREA VI COMMUNITIES

1. *Evacuation communities*
Bow
Concord
Pembroke

2. *Reception communities*

Allenstown	Loudon
Boscawen	Northfield
Canterbury	Pittsfield
Chichester	Salisbury
Epsom	Tilton
Franklin	Webster
Hopkinton	

3. *Standby-Reserve Communities* — None in area VI

As you have noted, Loudon is a reception town and they are to receive ward No. 2 of Concord, which has a total of 600 people. These people are to be evacuated to Loudon, to the control center (Loudon Fire Station). We hope to place them through our supply and welfare officer.

To further add to our report, April 17, 1959 saw us in a National Test Alert, directed by our past Civil Defense Director, J. W. Robinson. In brief his report is as follows, "There was more interest and participation during this test than any held previously."

The following units were activated and operational; Attack warnings and communications, Control Centers, Police, Fire Administration, Welfare and Supply, Radef Unit, Manpower, Evacuation and Transportation.

The schools and Radef Unit cooperated 100%, also there were as expected a few criticism reports.

Your Local Fire Unit is keeping up their part of Civil Defense through their fire obligations also your Radef Unit has been meeting nearly every month, not only to keep their interest but to keep up with new developments. We hope some of the other units will take their obligations more serious and come up with more of a program in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT McLAREN,
Local Director

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

February 1, 1960

SCHOOL BOARD

MRS. DOROTHY G. DOWNES, *Chairman*

Term expires March 1960

MRS. ANNE D. BROWN

Term expires March 1961

HAROLD W. HILL

Term expires March 1962

Moderator

STANLEY PRESCOTT

Treasurer

FRED J. HACKETT

Clerk

PAULINE HAINES

Auditors

C. A. BRINKMANN

GERALD SMITH

Teachers

RICHARD W. HISLOP, <i>Principal</i>	Grade 8
MRS. OLIVE A. EDMUNDS	Grade 7
MRS. DORIS B. PHILBRICK	Grade 6
MRS. ALICE H. MARSTON	Grade 5
MRS. RUTH N. TOWLE	Grade 4
MRS. BERTHA L. MULKHEY	Grade 3
MRS. NELLIE F. FROST	Grade 2
MRS. MILDRED LAMPRON	Grade 1

School Nurse

MISS RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R.N.
 209 South Street, Concord, N. H.
 Phone CApitol 8-8665

Truant Officer

MRS. ALICE M. PERKINS

LOUDON SCHOOL DISTRICT

Annual Meeting Proceedings — March 7, 1959

Meeting called to order by Moderator Stanley H. Prescott, 7:40 P.M. with salute to the flag. The warrant was read.

ARTICLE 1:

Stanley H. Prescott was nominated as Moderator by Mrs. Jean F. Hardy. Voted the secretary cast one ballot and he was declared elected Moderator for one year by the secretary.

ARTICLE 2. Nominations for Clerk:

Mrs. Rita Swain by Mrs. Lucille Ladd

Mrs. Alice M. Perkins by John W. Forst

Mrs. Pauline M. Haines by Isabelle Prescott

Mrs. Swain withdrew her name. The Moderator appointed Donald Dussault and Kenneth Pearl to act as tellers. The checklist was not used. Number of votes cast 106. Mrs. Haines received 58 votes; Mrs. Perkins 45; 3 blanks. Pauline Haines was declared elected clerk for one year.

ARTICLE 3. Nominations for a member of the board:

Harold W. Hill by Mrs. Pauline Haines.

Everett O. Dow by Mrs. Dorothy G. Downes.

Voted nominations be closed.

Moderator announced checklist would be used. John W. Forst questioned legality of previous vote for Clerk as checklist was not used, asked to return to Art. 2 and vote for Clerk by checklist.

Moderator ruled that the vote for board member be continued and following its election, would return to Art. 2 and vote for clerk by checklist.

Moderator announced that the names of Kenneth Pearl and Kenneth McKenzie were not on the checklist. On motion of John W. Forst that they be allowed to vote — Amendment by Guy A. Wells that if there are any others

in the hall were denied to vote that the same opportunity be given to them. Voted in the affirmative. Everett O. Dow asked moderator to read from the law book 197-13. John Forst withdrew in favor of the following motion made by Nathan P. Smith. Anyone on the town checklist and qualified to vote in the school district be allowed to vote to-night after name has been placed on the checklist. It was so voted.

Moderator asked Admr. C. A. Brinkmann and Gerald B. Smith to act as tellers. While votes were being counted William H. Brown asked to speak in behalf of Scouts. Would collect papers once a month and the collection would come on March 14.

Result of vote: Total votes cast 123.

Harold W. Hill — 65

Everett O. Dow — 56 2 Blanks.

Harold W. Hill elected member for three years.

Voted by checklist for Clerk: Admr. C. A. Brinkmann and Gerald B. Smith tellers.

Number votes cast — 121

Mrs. Pauline M. Haines — 70 3 Void

Mrs. Alice M. Perkins — 46 2 Blanks

Mrs. Pauline M. Haines was declared elected Clerk for ensuing year.

ARTICLE 4:

Fred J. Hackett was nominated Treasurer by John W. Forst. On motion of Robert Hibbard, voted secretary cast one ballot and Fred J. Hackett was elected Treasurer for coming year.

ARTICLE 5:

It was voted the salaries be \$373.00.

ARTICLE 6:

Voted to accept report of auditors by Admr. C. A. Brinkmann.

ARTICLE 7:

Mrs. Alice H. Marston gave a report on consolidated schools and would like permission for the committee to continue. Request was granted and on motion of William H. Brown voted it be recorded as a report of progress. On motion of John W. Forst voted that the same procedure be followed in setting up a committee for future study of setting up a co-operative High School. This committee to include Chairman of selectmen — three board members and two others chosen by the Board.

On motion voted town auditors serve as school auditors.

ARTICLE 8:

Voted to accept budget as read less \$75.00. Total \$88,-883.59. The sum of \$59,202.32 to be assessed by taxes.

ARTICLE 9:

Robert Hibbard moved to reject article. Vote was lost. On motion of William H. Brown voted to adopt Article 9.

ARTICLE 10:

Chief J. Westly Robinson spoke in regard to possible fires and protection for school pupils. Also speaking in favor — John W. Forst.

On motion of Everett O. Dow voted a committee comprised of the Fire Chief and one other member of the fire association be appointed to work with the three members of the board to look into and take action if they see fit — sum not to exceed \$200.00.

Question arose as to number of vacant school houses. On motion of John W. Forst voted to sell vacant schools by public auction within a year. Ridge and Osborne schools must be moved. Brown school sets on land owned by town.

Result of vote — 28 to sell.
20 opposed.

The next annual meeting to be held at the Town Hall,
March 5th, 1960 — 7:30 P.M.

Meeting dissolved at 10:55 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE M. PERKINS, *Clerk*

The foregoing is a true copy of the proceedings of the
meeting, attest.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 5th day of March, 1960, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. (By request) To see if the School District will vote to allow Loudon Boy Scout Troop 247 the use of the

School premises for their regular meetings. Any damage to the building or premises to be paid for by the troop.

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

Given under our hands at said Loudon this 12th day of February, 1960.

DOROTHY G. DOWNES,
ANNE D. BROWN,
HAROLD W. HILL,
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

DOROTHY G. DOWNES,
ANNE D. BROWN,
HAROLD W. HILL,
School Board

LOUDON SCHOOL DISTRICT
School Board's Estimate for 1960-1961

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1960.

<i>Support of Schools</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Elementary</i>	<i>Total</i>
Salaries of District Officers			\$308.00
Local Share Superintendent's Salary			493.85
Tax for Statewide Supervision			624.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel ..			598.60
Supplies and Other Expenses			477.12
Salaries of Teachers and Principal	\$31,900.00		31,900.00
Books and Other Instructional Aids	1,000.00		1,000.00
Scholars' Supplies	1,000.00		1,000.00
Other Instructional Expenses	150.00		150.00
Salaries of Janitors	2,100.00		2,100.00
Fuel or Heat	1,400.00		1,400.00
Water, Light and Other Expenses	1,100.00		1,100.00
Repairs and Replacements	628.00		628.00
Health Supervision	950.00		950.00
Transportation	7,900.00		7,900.00
Tuition			31,562.00
Special Funds Activities	50.00		50.00
Retirement	2,400.41		2,400.41
Insurance, Bonds and Expenses	700.00		700.00
Contingency Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00
New Equipment	100.00		100.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	5,000.00		5,000.00
Payments of Interest on Debt	1,522.50		1,522.50
Total Amount Required to meet School Board's Budget			\$92,964.48
Estimated Income			30,406.85
Estimated Assessment to Balance School Board's Budget			\$62,557.63

ESTIMATED INCOME

State Aid	\$26,406.85
Building Aid	1,500.00
State Wards	2,500.00
	\$30,406.85

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE LOUDON SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1958 and
Ending June 30, 1959

Receipts

<i>Federal Aid:</i>	
National School lunch and special milk	\$889.44
<i>State Aid:</i>	
Foundation Aid	25,681.27
Building Aid	1,500.00
<i>Local Taxation:</i>	
Current Appropriation	51,459.90
<i>Other Sources:</i>	
Elementary School Tuition (State Wards)	\$4,153.91
Secondary School Tuition (State Wards) ..	375.00
Pupils — Milk Fund	824.92
All Other Sources	47.61
	5,401.44
Total Receipts from all sources	\$84,932.05
Balance on hand June 30, 1958	3,674.15
Grand Total	\$88,606.20

Payments

<i>Administration:</i>	
Salaries of District Officers	\$308.00
Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	457.50
Tax for State Wide Supervision	572.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel. .	551.50
Supplies and expenses	567.30
	\$2,456.30
<i>Instruction:</i>	
Teachers' Salaries	\$25,456.23
Books and Other Instructional Aids	1,043.02
Scholars' Supplies	781.19
Supplies and Other Expenses	470.79
	27,751.23
<i>Operation of School Plant:</i>	
Salary of Custodian	\$1,507.96
Fuel or Heat	1,477.47
Lights, Supplies and Expenses	1,089.15
	4,074.58

<i>Maintenance of School Plant:</i>		
Repairs and Replacements		392.62
<i>Auxiliary Activities:</i>		
Health Supervision	\$871.81	
Transportation	7,452.00	
Tuition — High School	\$26,931.32	
Elementary	152.26	
		27,083.58
Special Activities and Special Funds	1,803.56	
		37,210.95
<i>Fixed Charges:</i>		
Retirement	\$1,810.51	
Insurance, Bond and Expenses	586.96	
		2,397.47
<i>Capital Outlay:</i>		
Additions and Improvements to Bldg.	\$1,385.95	
New Equipment	1,137.13	
		2,523.08
<i>Debt and Interest:</i>		
Principal of Debt	\$5,000.00	
Interest on Debt	1,812.50	
		6,812.50
Total Payments for all Purposes		\$83,618.73
Cash on Hand at end of Year, June 30, 1959		4,987.47
Grand Total		\$88,606.20

Summary of Superintendent's Salary 1958-1959

SUPERVISORY UNION No. 46

The Superintendent's total salary of \$7,500 is paid in part by assessments against the seven districts in the union, which are pro-rated as follows:

Andover	\$631.87	
Boscawen	705.00	
Chichester	305.63	
Loudon	457.50	
Penacook	1,320.00	
Salisbury	176.25	
Wilmot	153.75	
		\$3,750.00

These payments are made by the districts directly through the Supervisory Union office.

The remaining \$3,750 is paid by the State from the fund established by the per capita tax of \$2.00 for each resident pupil. Loudon's per capita assessment for 1958-1959 was \$600.

Payments in Detail

1958 to 1959

Salaries of District Officers:

Stanley Prescott, Moderator	\$2.00	
Alice M. Perkins, Clerk	2.00	
C. A. Brinkmann, Auditor	2.00	
Gerald B. Smith, Auditor	2.00	
Everett O. Dow, Chairman of Board	73.12	
Dorothy G. Downes, Member of Board ...	101.40	
Anne D. Brown, Member of Board	93.60	
Fred J. Hackett, Treasurer	25.00	
State Treasurer (Social Security Tax)	6.88	
		\$308.00

Superintendent's Salary:

Supervisory Union Treasurer	457.50
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Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

State Treasurer	572.00
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Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:

Supervisory Union	\$486.50	
Alice M. Perkins, Census & truant officer ..	65.00	
		551.50

Supplies and Expenses		567.30
Teachers' Salaries		25,456.23
Books and Other Instructional Aids		1,043.02
Scholars' Supplies		781.19
Supplies and Other Expenses		470.79
Salary of Custodian		1,507.96

Fuel:

Reed's Oil Service		1,477.47
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Lights and Supplies:

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$871.71	
Supplies	221.44	
		1,089.15

Maintenance of School Plant:

Repairs and Replacements		392.62
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Health Supervision:

Ruth B. Whitcomb	\$860.15	
Supplies	11.66	
		871.81

Transportation:

Everett O. Dow	\$7,400.00	
High School Transportation	52.00	
		7,452.00

Tuition:

Belmont School District	\$330.00	
Concord Union School District	22,601.32	
Penacook School District	700.00	
Pittsfield School District	3,300.00	
Franklin School District (Elem.)	79.00	
Dunbarton School District (Elem.)	73.26	
		27,083.58

Special Activities and Special Funds:

Haggett's Sport Shop	\$171.86	
Concord Dairy Co. Inc.	1,631.70	
		1,803.56

Fixed Charges:

Retirement (District's Share)		
Treasurer, State of N. H. (OASI)	418.13	
N. H. Teachers' Retirement System	1,285.24	
Supervisory Union No. 46	107.14	
		1,810.51
Grange Mutual Insurance Company	\$564.72	
N. H. School Board Association	10.00	
Treasurer's Bond 3-1/7-1-59	6.14	
Supervisory Union Insurance	6.10	
		586.96

Capital Outlay:

Improvements to Buildings	\$1,385.95	
New Equipment	1,137.13	
		2,523.08

Debt & Interest:

Principal on Debt	\$5,000.00	
Interest on Debt	1,812.50	
		6,812.50

Total Payments		\$83,618.73
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LOUDON, N. H. SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year July 1, 1958 to June 30, 1959

Cash on hand July 1, 1958	\$3,674.15
Received from Selectmen:	
Current Appropriation	\$51,459.90
Received from State Treasurer:	
State Funds	28,070.71
Received from Tuitions	4,528.91
Received from all Other Sources	872.53
Total Receipts	84,932.05
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$88,606.20
Less School Board Orders Paid	83,618.73
Balance on Hand June 30, 1959	\$4,987.47

OLD SCHOOLS ACCOUNT

Balance on hand June 30, 1958	\$1,362.05
Sale of Pearl School	\$500.00
Deposit on Brown School	30.00
Interest	54.09
	584.09
Balance on hand June 30, 1959	\$1,946.14

This fund is kept in a separate account and can be used only by vote of the School District.

SANBORN TRUST FUND

Balance on hand June 30, 1958	\$1,198.42
Interest	42.73
Balance on hand June 30, 1959	\$1,241.15

August 4, 1959

FRED J. HACKETT,
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 Loudon of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1959 and find them correct in all respects.

C. A. BRINKMANN,
G. B. SMITH,

August 8, 1959

Auditors

ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT 1958-1959

The School Health Department gives the following report:
Number of pupils examined — 190

<i>Defects</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Corrections</i>
Teeth	74	81
Tonsils	2	
Glands	3	3
Vision	4	7

Individual inspections	1,327
Mental Hygiene Clinic	3
Special Eye Cases	2
Pre-school Clinic	24
T. B. Patch Test	199
Chest X-Ray	7
First Aid Cases	18

Communicable Diseases

Scarlet Fever	1	Ringworm	4
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I would like to thank the Parent Teachers Association for assistance given the School Health Program.

RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R.N.,
School Nurse

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Pupils not absent, tardy or dismissed for the
school year ending June 1959

	<i>Grade</i>		<i>Grade</i>
Daniel Ladd	2	Joseph E. Towle	6
Sally Ladd	4	Roger A. Maxfield . . .	7
Bonnie Shaw	4	Judith A. Towle	7
Susan L. Ladd	5		

GRADUATES FROM THE EIGHTH GRADE

June 1959

Arthur E. Austin	Ronald Maxfield
Joellen E. Boyden	Eleanor M. Murzin
Joseph P. Brown	Stuart R. Page
Edith H. Collins	Stanley H. Prescott
Gail B. Demain	Susan Sanborn
Loren S. Eastman	Denning Smith
William Forst	Carolyn M. Steeves
Elmer L. Green	Steven B. Tewksbury
Ronald E. Jolin	Russell M. Wilson
Lola M. Kenney	

PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS, FALL TERM 1959
Concord High School — Tuition \$385

Seniors

Marion C. Eastman	Donna Lee Ianuzzo
Patricia L. Hayward	William J. Sheran
Albert W. Hill	Richard G. Simons
Madelyn Hill	Peter E. Smith
Marilyn Hill	Joanne C. Storrs

Juniors

Dennis N. Ashland	Dean E. Lampron
William F. Bresaw	Roy D. Maxfield
Linda M. Buttrick	R. Rolf Moody
Harold W. Case	Virginia A. Moody
Kenneth M. Forst	Nancy Pickering
Ruth O. Fossett	George S. Prescott
Robert F. Haines	Russell G. Spaulding
Michael T. Haskins	Bradley Stuart
Dianne Ianuzzo	Beverly A. Taylor
Claude Kenney	Mary W. Wyman
Sharon Denise LaBonte	

Sophomores

David C. Collins	Albert J. Pickering
Gail F. Cummings	Corinne M. Roberts
Curtis W. Hardy	Nancy E. Rowse
Judith Hilliard	Garth E. Story
Hilda M. Moody	Virginia L. Storrs
Patricia A. Murray	Susan J. Stuart
Clark D. Page	

Freshmen

Arthur E. Austin	Ronald E. Jolin
Joellen E. Boyden	Lola M. Kenney
Edith H. Collins	Ronald Maxfield
Gail B. Demain	Nancy M. Moll
Albert N. Eastman	Stuart B. Page
Loren Eastman	Stanley H. Prescott
William E. Forst	Denning H. Smith
Elmer Green	Steven Tewksbury

Penacook High School — Tuition \$380

Edward Drew	Grade 11	Vernon Wilson	Grade 11
Russell Wilson	Grade 9		

Pittsfield High School — Tuition \$340*Seniors*

Bruce Gard	Nancy Osgood
Richard Merrill	Douglas Towle

Juniors

Leonard Murzin

Sophomores

Ernest Buzzell	Malcolm LeBlanc
Wayne Hall	Peter Towle

Freshmen

Richard Fletcher	Eleanor Murzin
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Chichester Central School — Tuition \$215

Wanda Andrews	Grade 1	Lawrence LaBonte	Grade 3
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Attendance Table for the School Year Ending June 30, 1959

SCHOOLS	Length of school in weeks	Whole No. of different pupils registered			Average daily attendance	Average daily absence	Average daily membership	Percent of attendance	No. of cases of tardiness	No. of visits by Superintendent	No. of pupils not absent or tardy
		Total	Boys	Girls							
Grade 1	36	31	16	15	25.3	1.8	27.1	93	7	5	0
Grade 2	36	32	20	12	27.1	1.8	28.9	94	1	6	1
Grade 3	36	28	9	19	24.3	1.4	25.7	94	18	8	0
Grade 4	36	29	12	17	27.5	1.2	28.6	95	14	8	2
Grade 5	36	33	16	17	27.2	1.6	28.8	94.4	15	5	1
Grade 6	36	22	14	8	19.6	.7	20.3	97	2	4	1
Grade 7	36	18	12	6	14.9	.8	15.7	94.9	14	7	2
Grade 8	36	19	12	7	18.1	.9	19	95.2	0	11	0
Entire District	36	212	111	101	184.0	10.2	204.1	94.7	71	54	7

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1960-1961

Schools open — Wednesday, September 7

Schools Close — Teachers' Convention — Thursday,
Friday, October 20, 21

*Holiday — Columbus Day, Wednesday, October 12

*Holiday — Veterans Day, Friday, November 11

Schools close — Holiday — Memorial Day, Tuesday,
May 30

Schools close — Wednesday, November 23 (12:15 P.M.)

Schools open, Monday, November 28

Schools close — Christmas Vacation — Friday, December 23

Schools open — Tuesday, January 3

Schools close — Winter Vacation — Friday, February 17

Schools open — Monday, February 27

Schools close — Friday, April 21

Schools open — Monday, May 1

Schools close — Friday, June 16 (or after 180 days of
school)

Number of School Days

September	18
October	18
November	19
December	17
January 21	21
February	15
March	23
April	15
May	22
June	12

180

*Option of local School Board

VITAL STATISTICS

Births

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Baby's Name</i>	<i>Father's Name</i>	<i>Mother's Maiden Name</i>	
Jan.	1	Concord	Tammy Lynn	Paul R. Reynolds	Arleen Chamberlain
	7	Concord	Stephen Edward	Richard S. Smith	Jennie I. Merrill
	13	Laconia	Larry John	Wendell A. Moore	Beatrice E. Turner
	18	Concord	Jeffrey Lucien	Luclid Paquin	Muriel M. Chesley
	24	Concord	Judith May	Warren M. Jenkins	Beatrice M. Gile
Feb.	3	Concord	Lynn Steven	Carl O. Dunn	Nancy A. Bullock
Mar.	25	Concord	Dionne Elizabeth	Ronald A. Barrett	Pauline M. Luoma
Apr.	1	Concord	Lawrence William, Jr.	Lawrence W. Cleasby, Sr.	Joan L. Proctor
	14	Concord	Laura-Lee	Guy A. Wells II	Elaine R. Watterson
	23	Concord	Lyla Ann	Melvin W. Mulkhey	Dorothy A. Contois
May	23	Concord	Heather Elizabeth	Charles H. Cate	Ardra L. Hodgins
	23	Concord	Patricia Elizabeth	Olof P. Hanson	Velma J. Monroe
June	15	Concord	Janet Louise	Aleck Murzin	Ethel Welch
	29	Concord	Pamela Rita	Donald J. Dussault	Lorraine J. DesRochers
	30	Concord	Mary Ann	Duane C. Severns	Shirley A. Searles
July	2	Concord	Karl Warren	Donald C. Colby	Sarah E. Mock
	14	Concord	Debbie Elizabeth	Edward A. Moody	Lotte E. Schenk
Aug.	5	Concord	Raymond Norman	Harold L. Muzzey	Gertrude Welch
	6	Concord	Kimberly Ann	Robert S. Howser	Jean L. Greene
	14	Concord	Warren Francis	Fred A. Blake	Nancy A. Watson
	18	Concord	Roger Robert	Robert A. Vinton	Raymonde A. Pigeon
	31	Concord	David Lawrence	Walter C. Perry	Marjorie I. Brazier
Sept.	21	Laconia	Richard Alcide	Alcide L. Cote	Rita B. Bosworth
Oct.	11	Concord	Kristina Anne	Robert S. Lyscars	Mary E. Bailey
	18	Concord	David Alan	Ernest N. Messier	Freda G. Cole
	20	Concord	Cynthia Jean	Ralph D. Merrill	Lois M. Moses
	25	Laconia	William Cecil	Cecil V. Pearl	Eleanor L. Brown
Nov.	7	Concord	Edward Frank	Maurice Hoitt	Ilene E. Dietz
Dec.	11	Concord	Kathryn Huckins	Charles Welch, Jr.	Dorothy E. Huckins
	30	Concord	Thomas Matthew	John L. Miller, Jr.	Arlene R. Clough

Marriages

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Names</i>	<i>Name of Person Officiating and Station</i>
Jan. 17	Loudon	Clifford J. Ash Elizabeth A. Ruggles	William Ash, Captain Salvation Army Officer
Mar. 7	Loudon	Richard A. Grant Cora V. George	Albert B. Kettell Min. of Congregational Ch.
Apr. 11	Loudon	Kenneth F. Kendall Joyce L. Ashland	Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
	18	Loudon	James I. Dymont Nancy I. Storrs Garth E. Story Minister
June 27	Concord	Maynard L. Greenwood, Jr. Ann E. Kennedy	Tom H. Tucker Congregational Minister
	27	Loudon	David A. Barton Natalie A. Reardon Albert B. Kettell Minister of the Gospel
July 25	Pittsfield	Gordon J. Garland Nancy R. Towle	Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
Aug. 29	Loudon	Francis X. Moody Nancy A. Collins	Lauris D. Moore, Jr. Ord. Minister of the Gospel
Sept. 25	Pittsfield	Richard O. Cummings Joanne C. Storrs	Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
	26	Loudon	Willard E. Cameron Barbara J. Cate Albert B. Kettell Minister of the Gospel
Oct. 10	Concord	Bruce C. Smith Deborah A. Smith	Clinton L. Morrill Episcopal Clergyman
	16	Pittsfield	Carroll R. Towle Nancy L. Nelson H. Franklin Parker Clergyman
Nov. 7	Concord	Robert A. Chasse Maureen P. French	Richard A. Smith Catholic Priest
	8	Loudon	Walter C. Elliott Edith A. Robertson Albert B. Kettell Minister (Congregational)
Dec. 19	Loudon	Sydney E. Fisher Maybelle M. Buzzell	Albert B. Kettell Minister (Congregational)

Deaths

<i>Date</i>		<i>Place</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>
Jan.	17	Concord	Walter A. Brown	77 years
Feb.	18	Concord	Albert Ordway	86 years
	19	Loudon	Raymond G. Bailey	48 years
Mar.	9	Hemet, Cal.	Nancy J. Graham	78 years
	16	Loudon	Clarence A. Richardson	65 years
Apr.	14	Concord	Edwin Storrs	79 years
May	9	Loudon	Harold E. Kendall	60 years
	18	Concord	Michael A. Shyne	74 years
July	20	Laconia	Henry L. Mudgett	77 years
Aug.	1	Boscawen	Margaret Pitman	69 years
	31	Concord	Edgar A. Ash	67 years
Sept.	28	Concord	Alberto A. Moody	90 years
Oct.	26	Loudon	Abbie C. Tucker	82 years
Dec.	4	Concord	Duane C. Severns	4 years

