

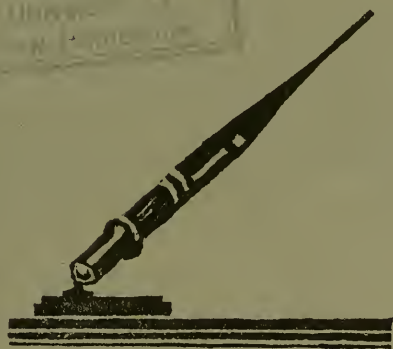
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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE TOWN OF

GILFORD

NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1933

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

Selectmen, Treasurer, Highway Agents, Tax
Collector, Library Trustees, School Board
and Trustees of Trust Funds

OF THE

TOWN of GILFORD

New Hampshire

FOR THE

Year Ending January 31, 1933

Also a Tabular Statement of Births, Marriages and Deaths

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

ORMAN M. SANBORN

Town Clerk

LOUIS E. ROE

Selectmen

JOHN A. HAMMOND CLARENCE V. HENDERSON
BERT F. SWAIN

Treasurer

OSCAR V. RAND

Highway Agent

ROY T. PAGE

Health Officer

LOUIS E. ROE

Collector of Taxes

MYRTIE E. KIMBALL

Supervisors

HOWARD M. JAMES MAURICE W. SAWYER
HARVEY E. RAND

Trustees of the Public Library

HELENE E. JACKSON FRANK R. VARNEY
EUNICE L. HUNT

Trustees of Trust Funds

ORMAN M. SANBORN LAURA E. VARNEY
MAURICE W. SAWYER

Auditors

HARVEY E. RAND ETHEL J. HAMMOND
HOWARD M. JAMES

Representative to the General Court

ETHEL J. HAMMOND

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

To the Citizens and Taxpayers of Gilford:

We present the annual reports of the Selectmen and the Treasurer, the Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, Trustees of Trust Funds, Trustees of the Public Library, also the reports of Town Officers and Committees and annual report of the School Board, for the fiscal year ending January 31, 1933.

The Weirs Road construction under the Special Legislative Act has been finished at a cost well within the appropriation, giving us an unbroken line of surfaced road along our entire lake front.

The Unemployment Relief Construction allotment from the State has enabled us to continue operations on the Gully Road in a year when we had anticipated no progress.

The condition of our Town roads has caused much favorable comment from officials of other towns as well as the travelling public, which further strengthens our conviction that our present method of maintaining our highways is the best that has yet been advanced.

Our equipment is modern, fairly complete, and in excellent condition. Apparently there are no major projects advisable or necessary at this time.

We trust that our citizens will not curtail our Highway appropriation without first giving considerable thought to the probable result. For several years past many of our people have welcomed employment on our larger road construction operations as a means of meeting at least part of their living expenses. In view of the prevailing unemployment situation, and the absence of any large construction project, it is our opinion that curtailment at this time

would result in a loss to the Town rather than a saving. Money spent in creating honest employment results in material benefit to the community. Money spent for the relief of the poor, while very necessary brings no permanent benefit to anyone.

Our budget which follows, contains only those items that are practically mandatory, or in our opinion essential to the proper management of the Town business for the ensuing year.

State Tax, Assessed,	\$2,800 00
County Tax, Assessed Estimated,	6,000 00
Current Maintenance Expenses,	2,500 00
Old Home Day.	100 00
Highways and Bridges,	8,500 00
State Aid Construction Estimated,	600 00
Payment on Snow Removal Equipment,	2,756 00
Aid to Town Poor,	500 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. HAMMOND,
CLARENCE V. HENDERSON.
BERT F. SWAIN,

Selectmen

INVENTORY, APRIL 1, 1932

	Number	Value
Improved and unimproved land and buildings,		\$1,318,568 00
Electric Lines,		18,156 00
Horses,	121	10,370 00
Oxen,	4	400 00
Cows,	476	25,920 00
Neat Stock,	282	9,676 00
Sheep,	211	1,690 00
Hogs,	7	70 00
Fowls,	1,246	1,246 00
Portable Mills,	3	1,900 00
Boats and Launches,	58	20,800 00
Wood and Lumber, not Stock in Trade,		6,000 00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks,		3,000 00
Stock in Trade,		11,070 00
		<hr/> \$1,428,866 00
Number of polls,	470	

APPROPRIATIONS AND ASSESSMENTS

State Tax,	\$2,800 00
County Tax,	5,456 95
Town Charges,	2,500 00
Memorial Day,	25 00
Public Library,	200 00
State Aid Construction, Legislative Special,	3,585 00
Old Home Day,	100 00
Highways and Bridges,	7,500 00
Laconia Hospital,	200 00
Trunk Line Maintenance,	3,100 00
State Aid Maintenance,	1,100 00
Town Poor,	500 00
Snow Removal Equipment (Note and Interest),	2,912 00
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Total Town Appropriations and Assessments,	\$29,978 95
Less amount assumed by State (Trunk Line and State Aid Maintenance),	4,200 00
Net Town Appropriations and Assess- ments,	\$25,778 95
School Appropriations,	9,463 40
Plus Overlay,	704 87
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Total Appropriations and Assessments,	\$35,947 22
Total amount of Inventory,	\$1,428,866 00
Taxes on \$100.00 for all purposes,	2 45
Amount exempted to Soldiers,	20,464 00

FINANCIAL REPORT
of the
TOWN OF GILFORD

In Belknap County for the Fiscal Year Ending
January 31, 1933

CERTIFICATE

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

Date February 1, 1933.

JOHN A. HAMMOND,
CLARENCE V. HENDERSON,
BERT F. SWAIN,

Selectmen

OSCAR V. RAND, Treasurer.

ASSETS

Cash:		
In hands of treasurer,		\$902 19
In hands of officials:		
(a) Due on Auto Permits,		197 51
Taxes bought by Town,		2,240 75
Uncollected Taxes:		
(a) Levy of 1932,		9,232 49
(b) Levy of 1931,		54 00
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Total Assets,		\$12,626 94
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Grand Total,		\$12,626 94
Net Debt—January 31, 1932	\$2,177 36	
Surplus—January 31, 1933	1,913 54	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to School Districts:

(a) Balance of Appropriation,	\$3,863 40
State and Town Joint Highway Construction	

Accounts:

(a) Appropriation for Toilets,	250 00
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Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation
of Taxes.

4,000 00

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

(a) Snow Removal Equipment,	2,600 00
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Total Liabilities,

\$10,713 40

Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus),

1,913 54

Grand Total,

\$12,626 94

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes com-
mitted to collector,

1932,	\$35,007 22
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Less discount and
abatment, 1932,

134 50

Less uncollected, 1932,	9,232 49
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Property taxes cur-
rent year, actually
collected,

\$25,934 23

Poll taxes, current
year, actually col-
lected, 323 at \$2.00.

646 00

Property and poll taxes, previous years actually collected,	9,881 67
Abatements, List 1931.	153 88
Abatements, List 1932	134 50
Total of above collections,	————— \$36,750 28
Tax sales redeemed,	353 09
Added Tax,	278 20

From State:

For Highways and Bridges:	
(a) For State Aid maintenance,	\$172 33
(b) For State Aid construction, Legislative Special,	7,231 97
(c) For Trunk Line mainte- nance,	719 55
(d) Snow removal,	179 26
(e) For Unemployment Relief construction,	3,979 33
Interest and dividend tax,	160 49
Insurance tax,	24 45
Railroad tax,	333 75
Savings bank tax,	894 26

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses,	167 60
Nomination Papers,	6 00
Interest received on taxes,	428 60
Income from Highway Department,	45 50
Income from Town Trucks and Equipment,	6,079 08
Appropriations to general muni- cipal funds from municipally owned utilities,	135 00

Registration of motor vehicles:	
1932 permits.	445 60
1933 permits.	414 89
Auto permits, balance due	
February 1, 1932.	373 77
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	\$22,324 94
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Total Current Revenue Receipts.	\$59,706 51
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:	
Temporary loans in anticipation	
of taxes during year,	\$4,000 00
Refunds,	1,470 95
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Total Receipts Other Than	
Current Revenue,	\$5,470 95
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Total Receipts From All	
Sources.	\$65,177 46
Cash on hand February 1, 1932.	1,570 00
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Grand Total,	\$66,747 46

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government:

Town officers' salaries,	\$1,147 50
Town officers' expenses,	327 97
Election and registration expenses,	203 00
Auto permit fees,	97 50
Expenses town hall,	257 04

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department,	10 00
Fire department, including forest	
fires,	171 03
Damage by dogs,	26 00

Health :

Health department,	22 00
Vital statistics,	7 25

Highways and Bridges :

Trunk Line maintenance,	400 13
Town maintenance,	8,466 95
Street lighting,	146 66
General expenses of highway department,	1,206 60

Libraries :

Libraries,	200 00
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Charities :

Old age assistance,	84 00
Town poor,	456 20
Laconia Hospital,	83 49

Patriotic Purposes :

Memorial Day exercises,	50 00
Old Home Day,	100 00

Public Service Enterprises :

Appropriation to water and elec- tric utilities,	109 34
Town trucks and equipment,	4,710 47

Unclassified :

Taxes bought by town,	1,495 36
Discounts and Abatements,	288 38

Total Current Maintenance ex-
penses,

\$20,056 87

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$773 59
Paid on long term notes,	312 00
Paid on principal of trust funds,	95 56

Total Interest Payments,	\$1,181 15
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Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:

Highways and Bridges—State Aid construction,	\$10,881 10
Unemployment Relief Construction,	4,229 42
Glendale Wharf,	16 83
Lincoln Park,	443 55
New equipment,	1,038 60

Total Outlay Payments,	\$16,609 50
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes,	\$7,550 00
Payments on long term notes,	2,600 00

Total Indebtedness Payments,	\$10,150 00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to State,	\$2,800 00
Taxes paid to County,	5,456 95
Payments to School Districts,	9,590 80

Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions,	\$17,847 75
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Total Payments for all Purposes,	\$65,845 27
Cash on hand January 31, 1933,	902 19

Grand Total,	\$66,747 46
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SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings,	\$3,000 00
Furniture and Equipment,	1,200 00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings,	4,500 00
Furniture and Equipment,	1,000 00
Fire Department, Equipment,	600 00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings,	2,000 00
Equipment,	14,600 00
Parks, Commons, and Playgrounds,	1,000 00
Water Supply,	1,500 00
Electric Light Plant,	75 00
All land and buildings acquired through Tax Collectors' deeds,	700 00
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Total,	\$30,175 00

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Gilford, have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, Trustees of Trust Funds, Trustees of the Public Library, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, for the year ending January 31, 1933.

HARVEY E. RAND,
HOWARD M. JAMES,
ETHEL J. HAMMOND,

Auditors

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Salaries and Expenses of Principal Town Officers

Detail No. 1

Selectman, John A. Hammond,	\$297 00	
Selectman, Clarence V. Henderson,	246 00	
Selectman, Bert F. Swain,	195 00	
Selectman, Wm. I. Harris,	39 00	
Town Clerk, Louis E. Roe,	86 50	
Town Treasurer, Oscar V. Rand,	75 00	
Collector of Taxes, Myrtie E. Kimball,	200 00	
Auditor, Harvey E. Rand,	3 00	
Auditor, Howard M. James,	3 00	
Auditor, Ethel J. Hammond,	3 00	
		----- \$1,147 50

Expenses

Detail No. 2

J. A. Hammond, Postage Stamps,	\$8 11	
Louis L. Comstock, Inventory Cards,	5 55	
Myrtie E. Kimball, Postage,	24 24	
Henderson-Glendale, Boat Hire,	8 00	
Evans Printing Co., Town Reports,	150 00	
Laconia Press Association, Printing,	33 15	
Edson C. Eastman, Stationery and Supplies,	26 80	
Elizabeth H. Sanborn, Conveyance Cards,	7 50	
N. H. Assessors Association, Dues,	4 00	
Elizabeth H. Sanborn, Searching Records,	8 50	
John A. Hammond, Cash paid,	4 66	
Muriel Rand, Copying Tax and In- voice Books,	35 00	
Oscar V. Rand, Postage,	2 46	
		----- \$317 97

Election and Registration

Detail No. 3

Moderator, Orman M. Sanborn,	\$9 00	
Ballot Inspector, Fred R. Weeks,	9 00	
Ballot Inspector, Clifton A. Waldron,	9 00	
Ballot Inspector, Archie A. Andrews,	9 00	
Ballot Inspector, Russell Swain,	9 00	
Constable, Lawrence A. Foss,	9 00	
Constable, Lester Steele,	9 00	
Archie A. Andrews, 1 Voting Booth,	10 00	
Harvey E. Rand, Supervisor,	39 00	
Maurice W. Sawyer, Supervisor,	39 00	
Howard M. James, Supervisor,	42 00	
Mt. Belknap Grange, Supper for elec- tion officers,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$203 00

Detail No. 4—Town Hall

Wm. I. Harris, Wood,	\$14 00	
W. A. Gove, Inc., Electric Supplies,	18 72	
W. A. Gove, Insurance,	37 50	
Melcher & Prescott, Insurance,	7 50	
C. V. Henderson, Insurance,	37 50	
F. B. Swain, Shingles,	34 80	
Cooks Lumber Co., Lumber,	11 20	
Lougee Robinson Co., 1 Curtain,	3 20	
Lizzie Collins, 50 Chairs,	50 00	
Archie A. Andrews, Setting Glass,	40	
R. T. Page, Payrolls,	27 22	
L. E. Roe, Janitor,	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$257 04

Protection of Persons and Property

Detail No. 5—Police

Claude Foster, Police Service,	\$5 00	
H. E. Rowen, Police,	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$10 00

Detail No. 6—Fire

A. W. Spring, Laconia Fire Dept.,	\$115 00	
C. H. Gove, Fire Payrolls,	21 40	
C. H. Gove, Supplies,	14 63	
C. H. Gove, Care of Extinguishers and Truck,	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$171 03

Detail No. 7—Damage by Dogs

Elmon E. Levoy, Damage to Sheep,	\$8 00	
Russell C. Swain, Damage to Sheep,	8 00	
Claude Foster, Dog Police,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$26 00

Detail No. 8—Health

Louis E. Roe, Health Officer,	\$22 00
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Detail No. 9—Vital Statistics

Louis E. Roe, Fees,	\$7 25
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Detail No. 10—Water Works

Public Service Company, Commercial Power Service,	\$109 34
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Detail No. 11—Town Trucks and Equipment

The Texas Company, Gasoline,	\$1,789 40
Cantin Chevrolet Co., Repairs,	945 78
Henderson-Glendale, Inc., Repairs,	1,067 90
L. B. Warren, Accessories for Trucks,	133 29
Acme Road Machinery Co., Repairs for Roll,	89 40
Northern Road Equipment Co., Repairs,	19 20

Eastern Tractors Co., Repair for Tractor,	40 02	
4 Wheel Drive Sales Co., Repairs F. W. D. Truck,	4 41	
F. G. Bickford, Gasoline,	2 34	
Good Roads Machinery Co., Repairs for Plow,	10 00	
J. W. Jacques, Repairs on Trucks,	20 97	
H. Bickford, Repairs on Tractor,	11 10	
McDuff Machine Co., Machine Work,	12 29	
W. D. Huse & Sons, Machine Work,	18 09	
Jenney Mfg. Co., Denatured Alcohol,	27 86	
Maine Steel Products Co., Repairs on Plow,	27 44	
Mead Morrison Mfg. Co., Repairs for Tractor,	329 21	
C. V. Henderson, Insurance on Truck,	64 00	
J. E. Sanborn, Gasoline,	90	
Clara A. Yeaton, Gasoline,	15 98	
State Highway Garage, Tires and Tubes,	79 02	
E. H. Rand, Gasoline,	1 87	
		————— \$4,710 47

Detail No. 12—New Equipment

Cantin Chevrolet Co., New Truck,	\$800 00	
Good Roads Machinery Co., Blade Plow,	238 60	
		————— \$1,038 60
Expenditures for Trucks and Equipment,		\$5,749 07
Receipts from Trucks and Equip- ment,	\$6,079 08	

Detail No. 13—Glendale Wharf

Roy T. Page, Payroll, Repairing Wharf,	\$11 83	
Henderson-Glendale, Labor on Wharf,	5 00	
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Detail No. 14—Lincoln Park

Roy T. Page, Payroll for labor at Park,	\$14 83	
Roy T. Page, Payroll for labor at Park,	318 34	
Roy T. Page, Payroll for labor at Park,	80 68	
C. V. Henderson, Gravel,	5 10	
Geo. Marsh, Gravel,	12 00	
Oscar V. Rand, Gravel,	12 60	
	<hr/>	\$443 55
Less error in Payroll, refunded,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$433 55
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds,	\$433 55	

Detail No. 15—Laconia Hospital

Appropriation,		\$200 00
Paid		
Charges against Town at Hospital,	\$124 11	
Check to Hospital,	75 89	
	<hr/>	\$200 00

Detail No. 16—Highways and Bridges

Appropriation,	\$7,500 00	
Less amount transferred to Legislative Special,	1,415 00	
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	\$6,085 00	
Transferred from Treasury. State Credits (Interest and Dividend, Railroad, Savings Bank, and Insurance Taxes),	\$1,412 95	
Additional transfer from Treasury,	913 05	
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		\$8,411 00

Expenditures

Roy T. Page, Payrolls,	\$7,844 25	
Less refunds,	55 95	
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	\$7,788 30	
George Marsh, Gravel,	\$305 30	
Chas. L. Smith, Gravel,	24 70	
Maurice W. Sawyer, Gravel,	61 20	
Savage Brothers, Gravel,	63 00	
Stark Morrill, Gravel,	18 10	
Frank Grant, Gravel,	42 70	
Bert F. Swain, Gravel,	65 40	
Frank A. Bean, Gravel,	5 40	
John A. Hammond, Gravel,	14 90	
Chas. Perkins, Gravel,	2 50	
Oscar V. Rand, Gravel,	5 50	
John Colby, Gravel,	5 50	
C. V. Henderson, Gravel,	8 50	
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		\$8,411 00

Detail No. 17—General Expense

John B. Varick Co., Dynamite,	\$83 54
W. D. Huse & Sons, Machine Work,	15 95
The Bond Company, Repairs for Road Machine,	35 60
J. P. Pitman & Co., Hardware,	133 77
Isaac Sakansky, Iron Pipe,	30 05
E. H. Rollins, Lumber,	126 00
Laconia Water Co., Second Hand Pipe,	37 88
Chas. L. Smith, Land Damage,	100 00
McGloughlin Foundry Co., Casting,	8 61
Cooks Lumber Co., Lumber,	155 80
Archie A. Andrews, Culvert Pipe,	82 00
Frank R. Varney, Drag Plank,	15 36
State Highway Garage, Calcium Chloride,	112 72
W. E. Weeks, Yarding Wood,	11 73
W. I. Harris, Wood for Town Shed,	7 00
C. V. Henderson, Insurance on Town Shed,	40 00
W. A. Gove, Inc., Light Bulbs,	1 20
C. H. Gove, Blacksmith Work,	85 50
New England Metal Culvert Co., Culverts,	62 83
R. T. Page, Miscellaneous Expense,	61 06
	————— \$1,206 60

Detail No. 18—Legislative Special

State Appropriation,	\$10,000 00
Town Appropriation,	5,000 00
	—————
Total Joint Fund,	\$15,000 00

Expenditures

C. A. Waldron, Payrolls,	\$10,035 67	
Howard M. James, Gravel,	21 00	
Henderson-Glendale, Gas & Oil,	141 17	
State Treasurer, 200 Gal. Tarmac,	23 90	
Muzzey & Hopkins, Hardware,	81 91	
J. P. Pitman & Co., Wire Fencing,	13 50	
W. I. Harris, Gravel,	27 20	
F. P. Wilkinson, Gravel,	272 40	
C. V. Henderson, Gravel,	208 60	
Nathan Roberts, Blacksmith Work,	19 52	
Boulia Gorrell Lumber Co., Lumber,	29 97	
J. E. Sanborn, Kerosene Oil,	6 26	
Amount transferred from Unemploy- ment Relief Const.,	250 09	
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Paid by Town,	\$11,131 19	
Less State to Town,	7,231 97	
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Net Town Expenditure,	\$3,899 22	
Paid by State:		
State to Town,	\$7,231 97	
S. J. Cotton,	41 89	
F. A. Stockley,	158 60	
Kopper Products Co.,	920 86	
Berger Metal Culvert Co., Culvert Pipe,	22 49	
State Highway Garage, Fittings,	16 20	
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	\$8,392 01	
Total Expenditure,		\$12,291 23
Balance State,	\$1,607 99	
Balance Town,	1,100 78	
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Unexpended,	\$2,708 77	

Detail No. 19—Unemployment Relief Construction

Appropriation, borrowed from State, \$4,244 50

Expenditures

C. A. Waldron, Payrolls,	\$4,010 25
Chas. L. Smith, Gravel,	80 00
Mrs. R. L. Yeaton, Oil,	3 68
J. C. Follett, Gravel,	34 60
Samuel Smith, Gravel,	22 70
Boulia Gorrell Lumber Co., Lumber,	10 59
C. W. & P. E. Hunt, Oak Posts,	17 50
A. T. Quinby & Son, Dynamite Caps and Fuse,	2 50
Nathan Roberts, Sharpening Drills,	14 70
Muzzey and Hopkins, Hardware,	32 90

\$4,229 42

Less amount transferred to Legis-
lative Special, 250 09

Paid by Town, \$3,979 33

Paid by State, F. A. Stockley,
Culverts, 265 17

\$4,244 50

State Expenditures:

State to Town,	\$3,979 33
F. A. Stockley, Culvert Pipe,	265 17

\$4,244 50

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

To the Selectmen of Gilford:

The following is an account of the money collected by me for dog licenses issued by me for the year commencing May 1, 1932.

Males, Females, Spayed Females,	\$169 00
Less 72 Dogs at 20c each,	14 40
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Paid Town Treasurer,	\$154 60
Paid Town Treasurer Balance of Dog Licenses, 1931,	13 00
Paid Town Treasurer on Automobile Tax Permits:	
From February 1, 1932, to December 31, 1932,	\$445 60
From January 1 to February 1,	612 40
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	\$1,058 00
Paid Town Treasurer, Balance 1931,	\$373 77
Paid Town Treasurer,	860 49
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Balance Due Town,	\$197 51

LOUIS E. ROE, Town Clerk

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF GILFORD ON JANUARY 31, 1933

TRUST FUNDS — PUR- POSE OF CREATION		HOW INVESTED		Rate of interest	Amount of principal	Balance of in- come on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance of in- come on hand at end of year
Date of creation									
Aug. 18, 1898	Julia A. Ladd	New Hampshire	Savings Bank	3 1/2	\$1,000.00	\$66.81	\$37.31	\$80.00	\$14.12
Aug. 18, 1898	Julia A. Ladd	Loan & Trust	"	4 3/4	1,215.68	13.06	52.11	50.00	15.17
Feb. 8, 1916	Mary J. Gove	"	"	4	100.00	6.29	4.31	3.60	7.00
Mar. 25, 1913	Lydia F. Smith	New Hampshire	"	"	100.00	111.33	7.39	6.00	112.72
Oct. 4, 1901	Eliza Blaisdell	Laconia	"	"	53.76	56.92	4.25	19.00	42.17
Dec. 15, 1913	Simon Rowe	New Hampshire	"	3 1/2	100.00	6.77	3.71	1.35	9.13
Jan. 6, 1913	Sarah F. Rowe	"	"	"	75.00	15.87	3.15	2.47	16.55
Feb. 28, 1914	John P. Smith	Loan & Trust	"	4	400.00	293.31	27.79	19.37	301.73
Sept. 2, 1913	Levi Grant	"	"	"	50.00	44.54	3.80	5.02	43.32
Dec. 7, 1915	Wealthy C. Leavitt	Laconia	"	"	100.00	13.53	4.56	2.72	15.37
June 28, 1915	Benjamin Weeks	City	"	4 1/4	100.00	5.46	4.24	4.07	5.63
Oct. 6, 1902	Samuel H. Blaisdell	Laconia	"	4	100.00	112.42	8.23	33.00	87.65
Nov. 11, 1902	Lucy M. Rand	City	"	4 1/4	151.00	217.97	14.38	61.23	170.35
Jan. 3, 1911	John G. Wadeigh	"	"	"	50.00	19.75	2.80	2.97	20.28
May 25, 1900	Sarah P. Hunt	Laconia	"	4	100.00	15.88	4.66	2.72	17.77
Jan. 22, 1903	Simon P. Heath	"	"	"	200.00	79.81	11.28	55.02	36.13
Feb. 14, 1898	Emily B. Serborn	"	"	"	60.00	1.77	2.46	4.26	141.96
Dec. 20, 1911	John H. Weeks	"	"	"	350.00	133.28	19.50	10.92	32.04
Jan. 22, 1903	Philena M. Serborn	"	"	"	150.00	29.99	7.24	3.49	17.05
May 14, 1917	David Y. Smith	"	"	"	100.00	15.13	4.64	2.12	13.55
Oct. 8, 1917	Frances M. Gilman	"	"	"	200.00	15.77	4.66	6.38	21.65
Oct. 22, 1917	William H. Weeks	"	"	"	100.00	19.58	8.84	9.20	3.66
						8.50	4.36		

Sept. 8, 1917	Charles W. Leavitt	Laconia	100.00	4	11.04	4.48	2.49	13.03
May 1, 1918	Moses Clough	"	25.00	"	7.06	1.28	2.02	6.32
Apr. 15, 1919	John R. Brown	I. S. Bond, No. 013282	53.00	"	3.56	2.13	2.00	3.69
Nov. 1, 1919	Thomas Britton	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	4	8.57	3.36	2.94	9.99
Sept. 3, 1920	Annis James	"	150.00	"	75.04	9.08	1.02	83.10
Aug. 25, 1920	William S. Hoyt	"	75.00	"	2.54	3.12	4.47	1.19
June 15, 1920	Martha S. Gilman	"	200.00	"	40.74	9.70	27.41	23.03
Mar. 7, 1921	Enoch Sanborn	"	100.00	"	13.36	4.56	2.72	15.20
Dec. 8, 1922	Susan E. Blaisdell	"	75.00	"	29.38	4.20	4.02	29.56
June 7, 1922	William W. Watson	"	100.00	"	6.67	4.28	8.12	2.83
Nov. 4, 1922	Frank E. Grant	"	100.00	"	12.31	4.52	2.49	14.34
Jan. 16, 1922	Hannah R. Follett	New Hampshire Savings Bank	100.00	3½	22.99	4.27	3.42	23.84
June 30, 1923	Seth E. Grant	Laconia	100.00	4	44.79	5.82	3.80	50.61
May 12, 1923	Ann C. Lamprey	"	100.00	"	9.77	4.40	.....	14.17
Jan. 5, 1924	Liberty Hill Cemetery	"	100.00	"	12.71	4.52	.....	14.51
May 10, 1924	John M. Potter	"	100.00	"	5.13	4.21	3.17	6.20
July 12, 1924	George Crosby	"	100.00	"	37.86	5.54	.....	43.40
Aug. 11, 1924	Joseph E. Smith	Amskeag	100.00	"	8.25	4.36	3.60	9.01
July 3, 1924	Edwin T. Batchelder	Laconia	100.00	"	4.41	4.20	3.82	4.99
Nov. 19, 1924	Levi D. Sawyer	"	350.00	4	2.90	14.21	6.90	10.33
Dec. 31, 1924	General Fund	Charlestown Five Cent Savings Bank	100.00	.....	28.07	4.66	6.50	26.13
Jan. 2, 1925	Joseph Potter	"	200.00	.....	26.42	9.30	4.29	31.45
Jan. 2, 1925	William Potter	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	4	7.98	4.34	3.33	8.93
Aug. 10, 1925	Helen F. Dennen	"	150.00	"	11.22	6.50	4.80	12.92
Dec. 31, 1925	James N. Ames	"	100.00	"	.90	4.04	3.82	1.32
Jan. 2, 1926	Charles S. Thompson	New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,250.00	3½	438.12	59.08	433.55	63.65
Jan. 31, 1926	A. V. Lincoln	Laconia	100.00	4	8.10	4.36	6.27	6.19
Feb. 1, 1927	A. Lincoln Hatch	"	100.00	4	.....	.....	.....	.....

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF GILFORD—Concluded.

Date of creation	TRUST FUNDS — PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of principal	Rate of interest	Balance of income on hand at beginning of year	Income during year	Expended during year	Balance of income on hand at end of year
Sept. 19, 1927	Dr. George W. Munsey	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00	4	7.93	4.84	2.72	9.55
Nov. 29, 1927	Caleb M. Hatch	"	100.00	"	4.03	4.20	2.49	5.74
Dec. 3, 1927	A. H. Bacon	"	75.00	"	14.53	3.60	7.89	10.24
Jan. 10, 1928	Reuben S. Dane	"	100.00	"	1.84	4.08	1.37	4.55
Jan. 3, 1928	Samuel C. Clark, Jr.	"	100.00	"	28.80	5.18	7.02	27.05
Dec. 18, 1928	Sara P. Smith	New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,487.50	3 1/2	85.24	55.02	.....	140.24
Dec. 18, 1928	Sara P. Smith	Laconia	1,000.00	4	46.56	42.26	.....	88.82
Mar. 21, 1929	Edward A. Perkins	"	50.00	"	6.47	2.26	.....	8.75
Oct. 26, 1929	Emily S. Rowe	"	100.00	"	2.36	4.14	2.19	4.61
Nov. 26, 1929	Clara Morrill	"	100.00	"	4.00	4.20	2.72	5.48
Feb. 25, 1930	Daniel Smith	"	55.00	"	4.65	2.38	.82	6.21
June 2, 1930	Eleanor J. Gove	New Hampshire	100.00	3 1/2	5.21	3.58	2.25	6.64
Oct. 28, 1930	Arthur H. Drury	"	100.00	"	.67	3.50	2.70	1.47
Oct. 3, 1931	Mary A. Whittier	Laconia	200.00	4	2.25	8.16	.....	10.41

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ORMAN M. SANBORN,
 LAURA E. VARNEY,
 MAURICE W. SAWYER,
Trustees.

REPORT OF MYRTIE E. KIMBALL, COLLECTOR OF
TAXES, LIST, 1931

Balance due Town, January 31, 1932,	\$10,089 55
Paid Treasurer,	\$9,881 67
Abatements,	153 88
Due Town, Uncollected,	54 00
	————— \$10,089 55
Interest collected and paid treasurer,	\$428 60
Added tax paid treasurer,	\$278 20

MYRTIE E. KIMBALL,

Collector of Taxes, List of 1931

REPORT OF MYRTIE E. KIMBALL, COLLECTOR OF
TAXES, LIST, 1932

Amount Commitment List, 1932,	\$35,947 22
Paid Treasurer, List 1932,	\$26,580 23
Abatements, List 1932,	134 50
Balance due Town, Jan. 31, 1933,	9,232 49
	————— \$35,947 22

MYRTIE E. KIMBALL,

Collector of Taxes, List of 1932

HIGHWAY AGENT'S REPORT

I herewith submit my annual report for the year ending
January 31, 1933:

Cash received from the Selectmen

Town Roads Payrolls,	\$7,844 25	
Lincoln Park Payrolls,	443 55	
Miscellaneous Expense,	61 06	
	—————	\$8,348 86

Expenditures

Town Roads Payrolls,	\$7,844 25	
Lincoln Park Payrolls,	433 55	
Miscellaneous Expenses,	61 06	
Error in Lincoln Park Payroll,	10 00	
	—————	\$8,348 86

ROY T. PAGE,

Highway Agent

SCHEDULE OF EQUIPMENT, HIGHWAY
DEPARTMENT

-
- 4 Chevrolet Trucks
 - 1 Ford Truck, Model T
 - 1 F. W. D. Truck
 - 1 5-ton Acme Gasoline Roller
 - 1 55 Mead Morrison Tractor
 - 1 Sargent Snow Plow
 - 1 Walsh Snow Plow
 - 2 Blade Snow Plows
 - 2 Cement Mixers
 - 2 Road Machines
 - 2 Rooter Plows
 - 12 Road Drags
 - 1 Set Tractor Grousers
 - 5 Wheelbarrows
 - 50 Gal. Oil
 - 25 Lbs. Dynamite
 - 1 Large Stilson Wrench
 - 1 Large Monkey Wrench
 - 2 Sets Socket Wrenches
 - 1 Bit Brace
 - 4 Bits
 - 2 Hand Saws
 - 6 Hammers
 - 1 Stone Hammer
 - 2 Pr. Tree Climbers
 - 2 Safety Belts
 - 100 Ft. Garden Hose
 - 2 Wrecking Bars
 - 2 Iron Bars
 - 1 Axe
 - 8 Square Point Shovels
 - 6 Snow Shovels
 - 14 Spades

- 4 Hoes
- 4 Potato Diggers
- 6 Forks
- 4 Cable Chains
- 1 Stone Lifter
- 5 Picks
- 6 Rakes
- 2 Snow Plow Blades
- 2 Road Machine Blades
- 6 Lanterns
- 2 Moth Cutters
- 4 Bush Scythes
- 3 Bush Cutters
- 1 Jack Screw
- 400 Ft. 2x4 Hemlock
- 5 Pr. Rubber Boots
- 1 Blow Torch
- 1 Stone Cart
- 1 Stone Drag
- 6 Drag Planks

REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

Drew from Appropriation, 1931,	\$25 00
Appropriation, 1932,	25 00
Balance from 1931,	12 00
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	\$62 00

Expenditures

Band,	\$35 00
Flags,	5 70
Baskets,	2 50
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	\$43 20
	\$62 00
	43 20
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Balance,	\$18 80

C. W. HUNT

REPORT OF GILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Gilford:

The undersigned, trustees of Gilford Public Library, respectfully submit the following reports for the year ending January 31, 1933.

The trustees organized the first of the year with the same officers: Mrs. Helene E. Jackson, Secretary; Mr. Frank R. Varney, Treasurer; and Miss Eunice L. Hunt, Chairman. The business and needs of the library were discussed at frequent meetings throughout the year.

A Garden Party was held at "The Morrill Place," the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jackson, in August for the benefit of the library. Owing to the hearty support of the townspeople and friends this party was a success. Grateful appreciation is extended to the following who made the entertainment possible: Miss Harriette Kahn, of Cambridge, Mass., and a guest at "Ames Farm," who told fortunes; Mrs. George W. Osgood, Miss Rachel Osgood and their Camp Lynnholm girls, who presented "The Belle of Bagdad" by Geoffrey F. Morgan; and the local cast who gave the Indian play, "Mother Minnetonka" by Jack Stuart Knapp. Thanks are extended also to those who served on committees and to the road men who moved the piano, chairs, and tables. The proceeds, \$38.30, were turned over to the treasurer and used to purchase juvenile literature.

The lawn has been cared for at a slight cost. In the interests of economy the magazine list was revised and by changing agencies a saving was made. Books, also, were purchased with ten per cent discounts in most cases and sometimes additional discounts were allowed. In accordance with the Bi-Centennial observance some trees were planted on the lawn. A copy of Stuart's Washington given through the courtesy of the late Congressman Fletcher Hale, was suitably framed and placed in the reading room.

Children's books were selected from grade lists provided

by the State Library Commission. Books comprising history, biography, music, religion, poetry, travel, and fiction have been added to the shelves. As usual we have received gifts from generous friends as shown by the following report:

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Total number of volumes catalogued,	5,315
Total number added the last year,	159
Given by the Town,	47
Given by Mrs. W. A. Jackson,	13
Given by Miss Mary Lord,	5
Given by John H. Bartlett,	1
Given by Rev. Nicholas Frost,	2
Given by Mrs. Ellen Seadding,	19
Given by Home and Community Welfare Committee of Mt. Belknap Grange,	18
Given by Garden Party,	50
Given by Ralph Morin,	4
Magazines were given by Mrs. W. A. Jackson, Mrs. R. L. Yeaton, Mrs. Carrie Morrill, and Mrs. Ida Alderson.	
Number of books loaned:	
Fiction,	2,355
General literature,	776
Total,	3,131
Visitors,	35
New patrons,	6

GRACE L. WEEKS,

Librarian

The librarian's report shows an increase of 415 books loaned over last year. We wish to thank all who have contributed to the library in any way during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK R. VARNEY,

HELENE E. JACKSON,

EUNICE L. HUNT,

Trustees Public Library

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF ACTING TREASURER OF GILFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Dr.

1932	Cash on hand,	\$8 31
June 23.	To cash received from town,	100 00
Oct. 1.	To cash received from lawn party,	38 30
Dec. 17.	To cash received from town,	100 00
		\$246 61

Credits

1932		
June 11.	Paid Roland Hill, labor,	\$3 68
June 23.	Paid Grace L. Weeks, janitor service,	12 50
June 23.	Paid Grace L. Weeks, librarian,	37 50
June 23.	Paid Helene E. Jackson, trees and express,	4 40
July 8.	Paid Roland Hill, labor,	2 51
Sept. 10.	Paid Roland Hill, labor,	2 67
Oct. 1.	Paid Helene E. Jackson, framing picture,	3 00
Oct. 18.	Paid M. J. Mendell, magazines,	21 10
Dec. 5.	Paid Library Book House, books,	20 71
Dec. 10.	Paid Frank R. Varney, 2 cords wood,	18 00
Dec. 17.	Paid Grace L. Weeks, librarian,	37 50
Dec. 17.	Paid Frank R. Varney, 1/2 cord slabs,	3 00
Dec. 28.	Paid Oscar A. Lougee Co., books,	13 45
Dec. 28.	Paid Maher's Book Store, books,	14 60
1933		
Jan. 7.	Paid Oscar A. Lougee Co., books,	9 10
Jan. 16.	Paid National Geographic Society, magazine,	3 00
Jan. 21.	Paid Grace L. Weeks, janitor service (1932),	12 50
Jan. 21.	Paid Arthur R. Womrath, books,	22 60
	Paid Check tax, 18 checks at \$.02 each,	36
	Cash on hand,	4 43
		\$246 61

EUNICE L. HUNT, Acting Treasurer

REPORT OF OLD HOME DAY

Balance on hand from 1931,	\$ 95
Appropriation, 1932,	100 00
Pop Corn privilege,	2 50
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	\$103 45

Expenditures

Laconia Band,	\$65 00
Dimmers for Band,	6 50
Prizes for Floats in Parade,	15 00
Prizes for Sports,	5 00
Eunice L. Hunt, Postals and Printing,	4 45
Laconia Press Association, Posters and Handbills,	6 75
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	\$102 70
Balance on hand,	75
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	\$103 45

JULIA E. HUNT,

Treasurer

FINANCIAL REPORT, GILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1932

Receipts

Income from Local Taxation:

Appropriations:

Support of Elementary Schools.	\$6,998 40
Payment of High School Tuition,	2,000 00
Salaries of District Officers.	157 00
Payment of per capita tax,	294 00
Superintendent's Excess Salary.	230 00

Total	\$9,679 40
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From Sources Other than Taxation:

Dog Licenses.	\$46 20
Income from Local Trust Funds,	33 60
Sale of School Buildings.	486 88
Rebate on Bill.	3 45

Total,	\$570 13
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Total Receipts from all Sources,	\$10,249 53
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Cash on Hand July 1, 1931,	992 55
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Grand Total.	\$11,242 08
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Payments

Administration

Salaries of District Officers:

Harvey Rand.	\$25 00
Winnifred Smith,	35 00
Ethel J. Hammond,	35 00
Lizzie A. Sanborn,	35 00
Howard James.	3 00
Maurice Sawyer,	1 00
William Harris,	1 00

O. M. Sanborn.	1 00	
Total.		\$136 00
Superintendent's Excess Salary:		
Winnifred F. Walker, Treasurer of Supervisory Union.		\$230 00
Truant Officer and School Census:		
Charles Hunt, taking census.	\$15 00	
R. E. Lane, cards.	2 10	
Total.		\$17 10
Expenses of Administration:		
Channing T. Sanborn.	\$2 30	
Winnifred F. Walker, Treas. of Supervisory Union, for Super- intendent's office clerk.	63 09	
Ethel J. Hammond.	10 00	
Samuel W. Smith.	2 50	
Melcher & Prescott, bond.	10 00	
Total.		\$87 89
Instruction		
Teachers' Salaries:		
Esma Ford.	\$850 00	
Eunice L. Hunt.	873 61	
Anna R. Furey.	350 00	
Teresa M. Corcoran.	350 00	
Total.		\$3,423 61
Text-books:		
Silver-Burdett & Co..	\$14 57	
Clear Type Publishing Co..	10 13	
L. W. Singer Co..	9 26	
Ginn & Co..	8 52	
Total.		\$42 48

Scholars' Supplies:

Edward E. Babb Co.,	\$57 09
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Flags and Appurtenances:

Lougee-Robinson Co.,	\$6 60
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Operation and Maintenance

Janitor Service:

Lester Blackey, Jr.,	\$18 00
Alphonse Lemire,	13 00
Eunice L. Hunt,	9 50
Gerard Camary,	18 00
Paul Trojano,	18 00

Total,	\$76 50
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Fuel:

Orman Sanborn,	\$27 00
Elmer Levoy,	18 00
Maurice Sawyer,	65 00
A. D. Bean,	2 00
O. V. Rand,	6 00
Gerard Camary,	15

Total,	\$118 15
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Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies:

Lougee-Robinson Co.,	\$9 04
West Disinfecting Co.,	14 12

Total,	\$23 16
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Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Archie A. Andrews,	\$150 55
Elmire Drouin,	5 00
Lizzie A. Sanborn,	11 75
Samuel W. Smith,	3 50
Nettie Blackey,	11 30
Murray Weeks,	1 00
E. E. Babb & Co.,	18 43
Forest Smith,	3 00
Economy Furniture Store,	2 00
Howard M. James,	2 00
Alphonse Lemire,	3 00

Total,	\$211 53
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Auxiliary Agencies

Medical Inspection:

N. W. MacMurphy, M. D.,	\$25 00
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Transportation:

Irvin Bickford,	\$554 50
O. M. Sanborn,	5 00
Oscar Emerson,	760 00
Laconia School District,	20 55

Total,	\$1,340 05
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High School Tuition:	
Laconia School District,	2,104 00
Elementary School:	
Laconia School District,	2,523 00
Insurance:	
Melcher & Prescott Agency,	84 20
Other Fixed Charges:	
Per Capita Tax,	294 00
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Total Payments,	\$10,800 36
Cash on Hand June 30, 1932,	87 52
Due from Selectmen,	354 20
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Grand Total,	\$11,242 08

Respectfully submitted,

ETHEL J. HAMMOND,
WINNIFRED SMITH,
PHILLIP E. VINCENT,

School Board

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

Gilford, N. H., Sept. 6, 1932.

MAURICE W. SAWYER,
WILLIAM I. HARRIS,

Auditors

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
GILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Preliminary Report for the Current Fiscal Year
July 1, 1932, to January 31, 1933

Revenue

Balance of last year's appropriation,	\$354 20
Income from local taxation:	
Appropriations—all purposes,	9,463 40
From sources other than taxation:	
Income from local trust funds,	\$33 60
Dog licenses,	136 60
Rebate on Superintendent's salary,	23 00
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Total from other sources,	\$193 20
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Total from all sources,	\$10,010 80
Cash on hand July 1, 1932,	87 52
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Grand Total,	\$10,098 32

Payments

Salaries of district officers,	\$136 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	230 00
Truant officer and school census,	17 09
Expense of administration,	73 78
Teachers' salaries,	1,676 31
Text-books,	17 08
Scholars' supplies,	24 89

Other expense of instruction,	4 95
Janitor service,	7 00
Fuel,	68 50
Janitor supplies,	15 75
Minor repairs and expenses,	177 25
Transportation of pupils,	727 50
High School tuition,	1,064 25
Elementary School tuition,	942 75
Per capita tax,	328 00
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Total payments,	\$5,511 10
Amount available for remainder of year,	4,587 22
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Grand total,	\$10,098 32

Respectfully submitted,

ETHEL J. HAMMOND,
WINNIFRED P. SMITH,
PHILLIP E. VINCENT,

School Board

Gilford, N. H., February 15, 1933.

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR SCHOOL YEAR
ENDING JUNE 30, 1932

SCHOOL	TEACHER	Salary—Yearly Rate	No. weeks	Total Enrollment	Average member- ship	Per cent. attend- ance	No. tardy	Visits by Supt.	No. not absent or tardy
Gilford Village....	Anna Furey	\$850	36	19	18	94	24	23	1
Intervale.....	Eunice L. Hunt	850	36	13	12	94	22	22	0
No. Nine.....	Teresa Corcoran ..	850	36	8	7	95	9	15	2
Lily Pond.....	Esma Ford	850	36	15	14	96	7	22	1

GILFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Budget for 1933-34

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, 1933.

Detailed Statement of Proposed Expenditures

Support of elementary schools:

Teachers' salaries.	\$3,400 00
Text-books,	50 00
Scholars' supplies,	50 00
Flags and appurtenances,	10 00
Other expenses of instruction,	10 00
Janitor service,	75 00
Fuel,	100 00
Health supervision, medical inspection,	50 00
Transportation of pupils.	1,400 00
Minor repairs and expenses,	200 00
Elementary school tuition.	2,300 00

Total,	\$7,645 00
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High School tuition,	3,000 00
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Other statutory requirements:

Salaries of district officers,	\$155 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	200 00
Per capita tax,	294 00

\$649 00

Total,	\$11,294 00
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Estimated Income of District

Dog tax,	\$100 00
Income from trust funds,	33 60
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Deduct total estimated income (not raised by taxation),	\$133 60
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Assessment required to balance school board's budget,	\$11,160 40

Respectfully submitted,

ETHEL J. HAMMOND,
WINNIFRED P. SMITH,
PHILLIP VINCENT,

School Board

Gilford, N. H., January 20, 1933

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Gilford:

I herewith submit my annual report as superintendent of schools. This is the fourteenth such report which I have had the pleasure of submitting to you. This report is brief but includes material which should have reference value.

Your attention is called to the financial reports and the proposed budget for next year submitted by the school board. The first report covers the full school year ending June 30 last and is in detail; the second report covers the period from July 1, 1932 to January 31, 1933, a little more than one-half of this current financial year.

Statistics

	1930-31	1931-32
No. children between ages of 5 and 16 as shown by Sept. Census.	147	144
Total No. local children in Laeonia schools:		
Elementary,	62	61
High School,	28	28
Total enrollment in local schools,	69	55
Boys,	38	29
Girls,	31	26
Average membership,	51	52
Per cent of attendance,	95	95
Tardinesses,	107	62
Visits by Superintendent,	95	82
Expenditures—all purposes,	\$10,397 58	\$10,800 36
Teachers' salaries,	3,281 91	3,423 61
Transportation,	1,328 25	1,340 05
Elementary school tuition,	2,408 00	2,523 00
High school tuition,	2,006 00	2,104 00

Attendance

Our attendance the last year was good and there was a marked drop in the number of tardinesses. The increased attractiveness of the modern school and the excellent attitude of parents have had much to do with improved attendance records. Most of the absences which we have had were due to emergencies or to illness. Those children who have had perfect records are to be commended for their perseverance and to be congratulated for being blessed with good health and freedom from illness. And not a little commendation goes to the parents. Following are the names of those with perfect records:

Lily Pond	Barbara Sanborn
Village	James Hughes
No. Nine	Anita Aldrich, Leander Fleck

Graduates

The following are the names of those pupils completing the eighth grade and receiving certificates at the closing exercises in June:

Lily Pond	Marion Dow
Village	Paul Trojano
Intervale	Mildred Frohock, Mildred Harris Malcolm Sawyer

Four of these pupils entered high school in September.

Teachers and Present Enrollment

Our teaching force remains the same as for two years past. This indicates appreciation on the part of both parents and school board of the fine quality of work which these teachers are continuing to do. The following table shows the teacher assignment and enrollment in the several schools at the present time:

School	Teacher	Salary	Enrollment
Village	Anna R. Furey,	\$850	16
No. Nine	Teresa Corcoran,	850	6
Intervale	Eunice L. Hunt,	850	13
Lily Pond	Esma Ford,	850	18

This total enrollment of 53 is one more than the enrollment one year ago. There are enrolled 70 local children in the Laconia schools, 28 in the high school and 42 in the elementary schools, 20 of this second group being in the junior high.

Tuition Rates

The tuition charge in the Laconia schools has been increased about \$9.00 per year for each pupil. The rates are now \$45 per year for children in grades one to six, \$66.50 for children in grades seven and eight or the junior high, and \$85.50 per year for children in the high school. This increased tuition rate was not determined upon until last summer and of course was not anticipated when the budget was prepared a year ago. Because of a drop in the number of local pupils enrolled in the elementary grades in Laconia the total expenditure for elementary tuition will not greatly exceed the amount estimated in the budget. There has been no drop in the number enrolled in the high school and the necessary expenditure will be considerably more than was estimated.

Repairs

The principal outlay for repairs was at Lily Pond. The chimney here was found to be a real hazard, built in the center of the building and resting on timbers of the ceiling of the school room. This was replaced by one more satisfactorily located and resting on the ground. At the same time much needed repairs were made on the foundation of the building. These improvements result in a much more comfortable room. The toilets in this building should be replaced before another school year.

We have at the Intervale an attractive school room but it is very much in need of new and additional black boards. The expense of this improvement would be comparatively small.

The need of improvements in the No. Nine building if it is to be continued in use, is recognized. The enrollment is small. It would probably be more economical and more satisfactory to close this school and make provision for the few children elsewhere, than go to the expense of remodeling this building.

School Nurse

The school board has made arrangements for the employment of a part-time school nurse. Miss Ruth Whitecomb of Concord, N. H., has been secured for this work. Miss Whitecomb has charge of the health work in several towns in this vicinity. It is expected that the work of the nurse will prove beneficial to the children in our schools.

Finances

The school board's estimates of the necessary expenditures for the next fiscal year are printed elsewhere but the following table will make easy a comparison in detail of the proposed budget with the budget adopted a year ago for this current fiscal year:

	1932-33	1933-34
Teachers.	\$3,400 00	\$3,400 00
Text-books and supplies.	150 00	100 00
Flags.	15 00	10 00
Other expenses of instruction.	15 00	10 00
Janitors.	72 00	75 00
Fuel.	125 00	100 00
Repairs.	125 00	200 00
Health supervision.	30 00	50 00
Transportation.	1,300 00	1,400 00
Elementary tuition.	2,300 00	2,300 00
High school tuition.	2,000 00	3,000 00
Officers.	157 00	155 00
Superintendent's excess salary.	230 00	200 00
Per capita tax.	328 00	294 00
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Total.	\$10,247 00	\$11,294 00
Deduct estimated income.	783 60	133 60
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Appropriation recommended.	\$ 9,463 40	\$11,160 40

It will be noted that the proposed budget shows decreases in several items, but, on the other hand, an increase of \$1,000 in high school tuition, the increase in the total budget being about \$1,050. It is quite impossible to estimate accurately the amount needed for high school tuition.

This year's budget provided for an expenditure of \$2,000, but we shall actually spend nearly \$2,600. Three years ago the cost of high school tuition was \$1,600. It seems probable that there will be an increased number of high school pupils next year and that not less than \$3,000 will be needed for this purpose.

In the study of the budget it should be further noted that, although the total of the proposed budget is but \$1,050 more than the total of the previous budget, the total amount of the appropriation recommended by the school board exceeds the appropriation made a year ago by approximately \$1,700. This is due to a drop in the "estimated income." In the "estimated income" of a year ago there was included a probable balance of \$600 in the treasury at the close of the year. There will be no balance in the treasury at the close of this fiscal year.

Deficit

On February 1 the estimated amount available to meet necessary school expenses for the remainder of the year was \$4,587.22. A careful estimate places the necessary expenditures at \$5,540. This means a deficit this current year of approximately \$950. This is accounted for largely by the increase in the cost of high school tuition, of transportation, and of repairs.

Respectfully submitted,

CHANNING T. SANBORN,

Superintendent of Schools

February 18, 1933.

VITAL STATISTICS

To THE SELECTMEN OF GILFORD: Agreeably to section 4, chapter 43, of the Public Statutes, I hereby submit a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths for the year ending December 31, 1932, and I certify that it is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LOUIS E. ROE, *Town Clerk.*

Births Registered in the Town of Gilford for the Year ending December 31, 1932

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition			Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Color of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
		Sex	Living or Stillborn	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.							
1932											
Feb. 14	Lois Ellen	F	L	1	Bernard Robie	Emma Sawyer	Gilford	All White	Farmer	E. Andover	Gilford
Mar. 27	William Steele	M	L	1	Daniel Steele	Ernestine Willard	Gilford	All White	Carpenter	N. H.	N. H.
May 18	John A. York	M	L	2	Donald York	Pearl Smith	Gilford	All White	Carpenter	Ctr. Harbor	Leaconia
May 22	Bernard Thurston	M	L	1	Bernard A. Smith	Madelynde Smith	Gilford	All White	Brickman	Ctr. Harbor	Newtowne, Ms.
July 8	Margaret Alice	F	L	3	Ralph T. Blackey	Marg't N. Hilliard	Gilford	All White	Engineer	Gilford	Leaconia
July 29	Eugene R. Cavanaugh	M	L	4	Nelson Cavanaugh	Bernice G. Dow	Gilford	All White	Laborer	Penacook	Lakenport
Oct. 4	May L. Gordon	F	L	5	Lucius Gordon	Edith Andrews	Gilford	All White	Laborer	Gilford	Gilford

Marriages Registered in the Town of Gifford for the Year ending December 31, 1932

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by Whom Married
1932									
June 15	Lester F. Sargent	Gifford	27		Laborer	Laconia	Fred Sargent	London	Rev. Daniel G. Rider Laconia
	Albertin Evis	Laconia	27		Mill Hand ..	Laconia	Rose E. Hoarath	New Hampton	
							Edgar Bouley	S. Twp's, P. O.	
July 23	Daniel R. Wentworth ..	Gifford	28		Truckman ..	Laconia	Della Houle	Fall River, Ms.	
	Betsey V. Dockham	Gifford	18		Housework ..	Gifford	Daniel G. Wentworth ..	Hudson	Rev. Charles J. Jones Lakeport
							Maibel Connell	Hudson	
Sept. 11	Harry D. Bean	Gifford	22		Farmer	Gifford	Charles L. Dockham	Hudson, Ms.	
	Ethel M. Dalton	Sanbornton ..	18	All White	Housekeeper ..	Sanbornton ..	Ella Fisher	Powell, Ms.	
							Arthur D. Bean	Gifford	Rev. H. C. Steinheimer Laconia
Dec. 25	Elmon L. Phelps	Gifford	19		Farmer	Laconia	Sadie I. Spurr	Gifford	
	Iva E. Batchelder	Gifford	21		At Home	Gifford	Rebecca H. Dalton	Farmington ..	
							Mildred M. Southwick ..	Sanbornton ..	
							Arthur L. Phelps	Sanbornton, N. Y. ..	
							Jessie Levevay	Gifford	Rev. Charles J. Jones Lakeport
							Claude R. Batchelder	Lakeport	
							Lena E. Buzzell	Gifford	

Deaths Registered in the Town of Gilford for the Year ending December 31, 1932

Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex and Condition			Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Place of Birth	
		Years	Months	Days		Sex	Color	Mar.				Father	Mother
Jan. 23	Reuben L. Yeaton	71	1	23	Tamworth	M	All White	M	Blacksmith	Jacob Mageon	Melessa Mason	U. S. A.	Canada
Mar. 10	Mattie D. Peters	63	1	1	Richmond, P. Q.	F	All White	S	Housewife	David Clark	Harvey	Sanbornton	Sanbornton
May 11	Benjamin F. Clark	66	11	24	Tilton	M	All White	M	Needle Maker	Mary F. Clark	Jane Weid	Gilmanston	Farlee, Vt.
July 21	Edward P. Merriman	63			Lexington, Ms.	M	All White	M	Retired Mfr.	Joshua H. Merriman	Martha Ripley	Sanbornton	Sanbornton
Oct. 15	Eugene S. Harriman	72	4	3	Prospect, Me.	M	All White	M	Machinist	Russell C. Swain	Alma E. Ballou	Sanbornton	Bristol
Dec. 22	Russell C. Swain, Jr.	72	4	20	Gilford	M	All White	S				Sanbornton	Bristol

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