
TOWN OF LISBON
New Hampshire

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OFFICERS

Year Ended December 31, 1949

Town of Lisbon

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1949

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Town Officers

MODERATOR
George E. Clark

TOWN CLERK
Norman C. Fox

TREASURER
Elizabeth L. Collins

SELECTMEN
Roland B. Spencer Oscar R. Conrad
Andrew E. Aldrich

TAX COLLECTOR
Harry T. Andross

AUDITORS
Robert A. Reed Wallace S. Clough

HIGHWAY AGENTS
Lester O. Ingerson Herbert A. Sherman

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST
L. Robert Goudie George H. Marshall
Paul C. Boy

LIBRARY TRUSTEES
Nell T. Buffington Ethel C. Smith Mabel S. Jesseman
Harold C. Pickwick Harold W. Smith
Charlotte A. Barbour

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
Lewis H. Dumdey George E. Clark Charles K. Besaw

OVERSEER OF THE POOR
Norman C. Fox

HEALTH OFFICER
James E. Collins

CHIEF OF POLICE
Harry T. Andross

DOG OFFICER
Herbert G. Allbee

Town Meeting Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Lisbon, in the County of Grafton, and the State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Lisbon on Tuesday, the 14th day of March next, polls to be opened at nine o'clock in the forenoon and will not be closed before four o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1 To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

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

Art. 3 To see if the town will fix and determine the compensation to be paid each of the town officers.

Art. 4 To hear the reports of agents, auditors and special committees heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote in relation thereto.

Art. 5 To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways and bridges for the ensuing year.

Art. 6 To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the public libraries in addition to what is required by law, and to determine how the same shall be divided.

Art. 7 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to give a discount on all property taxes paid on or before such date as they may designate.

Art. 8 To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for cemeteries in the town of Lisbon.

Art. 9 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the Pine Blister Rust control.

Art. 10 To see if the town will vote to light the streets of Lisbon Village District all night during the entire year; Sugar Hill from the dwelling of H. Jay Field to Hotel Lookoff, from the Baptist Church through Lovers' Lane to the Franconia town line, from the former location of the Goodnow school house to the Homestead, and from the Lisbon and Franconia town line to the dwelling of James Dudley; Sugar Hill and vicinity to be lighted the entire year until midnight, and from 5 a. m. until daylight, excepting the lights from the Homestead to the Hotel Lookoff for six months of the year; all the above premises to be lighted with electricity; and to raise and appropriate the necessary money for the same.

Art. 11 To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the District Nursing Association.

Art. 12 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for the proper observance of Memorial Day.

Art. 13 To see if the town will vote to accept State Road Aid and raise and appropriate the sum of \$991.55 for the same.

Art. 14 To see if the town will vote to plow the town roads, and if so to raise and appropriate the necessary money for the same.

Art. 15 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to oil such roads in the town as are already oiled, and to raise and appropriate the necessary money for the same.

Art. 16 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) for the purchase of additional land for the Grove Hill Cemetery.

Art. 17 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of helping maintain the Sugar Hill Fire Dept. in the town of Lisbon.

Art. 18 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to the White Mountain Region Association for the purpose of advertising the town of Lisbon.

Art. 19 To see how much money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of the poor.

Art. 20 To see how much money the town will raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance.

Art. 21 To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the community skating rink.

Art. 22 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow such sums of money as they deem necessary in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 23 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be divided between the Littleton Hospital and the Woodsville Hospital.

Art. 24 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the purpose of repairing Sugar Hill sidewalks.

Art. 25 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to employ the services of an out-of-town Appraiser for the complete reappraisal of Real Estate in Lisbon, and appropriate the necessary money for the same.

Art. 26 To see if the town will vote to authorize the holding of Boxing Bouts in the town of Lisbon.

Art. 27 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 to widen, drain, gravel and surface treat the Davis road from Donovan's turn toward the Mallery drive.

Art. 28 To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to set up a Board of Assessors for revaluation of Real Estate in the town of Lisbon and to raise and appropriate the necessary money for the same.

Art. 29 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to widen and resurface the road from Wm. Mayhew's to Mark Young's in Center District.

Art. 30 To see if the town will vote to install parking meters after a suitable free parking area has been provided. Meters to be installed if authorized between the Titus Block and Dexter's Garage.

Art. 31 To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 24th day of February, nineteen hundred and fifty.

R. B. SPENCER

O. R. CONRAD

A. E. ALDRICH

Selectmen of Lisbon

Budget for the Town of Lisbon

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1949	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1949	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1950
From State			
Interest and dividend tax	4,500.00	5,018.41	5,000.00
Railroad tax	200.00	198.09	200.00
Savings bank tax	1,000.00	972.41	1,000.00
Fighting forest fires	750.00	10.30	
From Local Sources except Taxes			
Dog licenses	400.00	453.20	450.00
Fines, forfeits, Mun. Court	200.00	244.80	200.00
Rent town hall & other bldgs.	200.00	219.50	200.00
Interest on taxes and deposits		25.35	
Income of highway dept.		1,330.85	1,000.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	4,000.00	5,655.78	5,000.00
Cash Surplus	4,062.75		6,468.68
From Local Taxes other than Property Taxes			
Poll taxes at \$2	1,800.00	1,836.00	1,800.00
National bank stock taxes	12.80	12.88	12.88
Total Revenues from all sources except property taxes	\$17,125.55	\$15,977.57	\$21,331.56
Am't to be raised by prop. tax	119,447.33	145,466.02	140,782.26
Total revenues			\$ 162,113.82

Budget for the Town of Lisbon

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1950
Current Maintenance Expense			
General Government			
Town officers' salaries		3,161.60	
Town officers' expenses		1,683.11	
Election and registration		28.00	
Municipal Court exp.		400.00	
Town hall & other bldgs.	10,000.00	6,388.10	12,000.00
Protection - Persons & Property			
Railroad signs		45.45	
Police department		315.50	
Fire department		1,156.15	
Moth Exterminat'n, Blister rust	400.00	400.00	400.00
Health			
Health dept.	2,200.00	2,280.04	2,200.00
Vital statistics		141.20	
Bounties		82.50	
Town dump, garbage removal		392.70	
Highways and Bridges			
Town maint., summer-town	11,500.00		11,000.00
precinct	9,000.00	12,238.61	9,000.00
winter	5,000.00	5,630.13	5,000.00
Street lighting	6,000.00	6,045.72	6,000.00
General exp. highway dept.	2,500.00	2,507.26	2,500.00
Town road aid	990.07	1,241.62	991.55
Libraries	2,800.00	2,800.00	2,800.00
Public Welfare			
Town poor	2,500.00	4,364.62	5,000.00
Old age assistance	7,200.00	6,850.72	7,000.00
Patriotic Purposes			
Memorial day	150.00	250.00	150.00

Budget for the Town of Lisbon

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1949	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1949	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1950
Flags	100.00	50.00	
Public Service Enterprises			
Cemeteries	1,100.00	1,109.60	1,000.00
Sugar Hill fire dept.	800.00		
Winding town clocks 2		50.00	50.00
Unclassified			
Damages & legal exp. (inc. dog damage)		130.71	
Advertising and regional assns	780.00	280.00	300.00
Taxes bought by town		1,063.44	
Abatements and refunds		98.30	
Interest			
On temporary loans		627.51	600.00
New Construction - Permanent Improvements			
Town construction	1,000.00	1,898.15	
Dozer operator		371.18	
Sidewalk construction	500.00	472.69	400.00
New lands and buildings		75.00	
Payments to other gov. divisions			
Precinct	12,500.00	21,500.00	12,500.00
County taxes	8,621.34	8,621.34	8,222.27
School taxes	71,336.52	48,909.08	75,000.00
Total expenditures	\$156,477.93	\$143,660.03	\$162,113.82

Inventory of the Town

Land and buildings	\$ 2,330,710.
Growing wood and timber	23,445.
Electric plants	236,684.
120 Horses	11,200.
11 Oxen and bulls	1,550.
540 Cows	70,310.
82 Other neat stock	8,075.
83 Sheep and goats	637.
10 Hogs	450.
1,935 Fowls	2,725.
Vehicles	1,000.
Wood and lumber	7,933.
Gasoline pumps and tanks	5,695.
Stock in trade	325,151.
Mills and machinery	91,900.
Taxable inventory	\$ 3,117,465.
Veterans' exemptions	68,765.
Exemptions - precinct	2,275.
Total valuation	\$ 3,188,505.
Polls	916
National bank stock	\$ 1,832.00
	12.88

Valuation of Districts

1949		Tax Rate
Dist. No. 1 in Lisbon	\$ 1,630,391.	
Less O. P.	113,756.	
	1,461,576.	
Precinct		\$6.02
Dist. No. 1 in Lisbon	1,630,391.	
Landaff Set-off	55,059.	
	1,685,450.	
Total Dist. No. 1		5.16
Dist. No. 1	1,630,391.	
Dist. No. 2	528,181.	3.50
Dist. No. 3	1,013,952.	3.10
	\$3,117,465.	

TOWN OF LISBON

Balance

ASSETS		
Cash in hands of treasurer		\$47,502.75
Accounts due to the Town		
From State		
Joint highway const. accounts		
unexpended bal. in state treasury		14.67
Unredeemed taxes (from tax sale on account of)		
Levy of 1949	1,063.44	
Levy of 1947	33.67	
		1,097.11
	Total assets	\$ 48,614.53
	Grand total	\$ 48,614.53
Net surplus, Dec. 31, 1948	\$ 4,467.30	
Net surplus, Dec. 31, 1949	6,468.68	
Increase	2,001.38	

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DEC. 31, 1949

 LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town	
Orders outstanding	\$ 275.00
Unexpended bal. special approp.	
Special small bridges	204.96
Flags	50.00
Sugar Hill sidewalks	29.91
Hamilton-Jamieson road	234.79
	794.66
Due to school districts, bal. of approp.	41,336.52
State and town joint highway const. accts.	
Unexpended bal. in state treasury	14.67
Total liabilities	\$ 42,145.85
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	6,468.68
Grand total	\$ 48,614.53

Schedule of Town Property

Town hall, lands and buildings	\$ 35,000.
Furniture and equipment	500.
Libraries, lands and buildings	40,000.
Furniture and equipment	10,000.
Highway department, lands and buildings	1,200.
Equipment	16,000.
Town forest	100.
Town share in pumper	900.
Forest fire equipment	425.
Land for Sugar Hill dump	75.
Total	\$104,200.

Town Clerk's Report

To the voters and selectmen:

I herewith submit my report of the financial doings in connection with my office for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1949.

The sum of \$5,734.52 was collected for automobile tax permits and turned over to the town treasurer.

The sum of \$453.20 was collected from the owners of 224 dogs and turned over to the town treasurer.

The sum of \$13.00 was collected from candidates filing for town office last March and turned over to the town treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN C. FOX
Town Clerk

Tax Collector's Report

Taxes committed to collector		\$ 147,329.69
Additional collections		
Property and poll taxes prev. years	767.74	
Error in warrant	12.88	
Property tax not listed 1948	18.08	
Poll tax not listed 1948 (3)	6.00	
Poll tax not listed 1949 (17)	34.00	
Interest collected	25.35	
Fees collected	1.60	
		865.65
		148,195.34
Abatements	8.00	
Cond. abatements	33.67	
Wrong assessments	20.00	
	61.67	
Amount paid treasurer	148,133.67	
		\$ 148,195.34

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY T. ANDROSS

Tax Collector

Treasurer's Report

To the Taxpayers of the Town of Lisbon, New Hampshire:

I hereby submit my report as treasurer for the year ended December 31, 1949:

RECEIPTS

From H. T. Andross, Tax Collector—

1949 taxes collected	\$147,329.76	
Previous year poll taxes	16.00	
Taxes bought by town, redeemed with interest	787.91	
		148,133.67

From State—

Interest and dividend tax	5,018.41	
Railroad tax	198.09	
Savings bank tax	972.41	
Bounties	107.50	
T. R. A. refund	1,054.00	
Recovery old age assistance	6.82	
Forest fire refund	10.30	
Overseer of the Poor, Department of Probation refund	60.00	
Gas tax refund	92.03	
		7,519.56

From N. C. Fox, Town Clerk—

Registration of motor vehicles, 1949	5,655.78	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1948	78.74	
Filing fees	13.00	
Dog licenses	453.20	
		6,200.72

From Lisbon Municipal Court—	244.80
From Selectmen and other sources—	
Rent of hall	94.50
Full Gospel Church, rent	65.00
Advent Christian Church, rent	60.00
Use of bulldozer	1,011.05
Selectmen, revolver permits	6.50
Selectmen, Town poor refund	639.79
Maintenance of Hall	4.15
Telephone refund	.35
Rent of truck	15.30
Town of Lyman, gasoline money	185.50
Town of Lyman, Town maintenance	119.00
Lisbon Village District, refund	11.35
Grove Hill Cemetery, labor	6.70
Carnival license	25.00
Lisbon Savings Bank and Trust Co., note	50,000.00
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	52,244.19
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Total receipts from all sources	214,342.94
Cash on hand January 1, 1949	26,587.51
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	\$240,930.45

PAYMENTS

Selectmen's orders paid	\$193,427.70
Cash on hand December 31, 1949	47,502.75
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	\$240,930.45

Respectfully submitted,
 ELIZABETH L. COLLINS
Town Treasurer

Report of Overseer of the Poor

Year ended Dec. 31, 1949

Board and care of five children	\$ 2,014.55
Direct relief to adults and families	1,675.41
Aid to soldiers and families	674.66
	4,364.62
Reimbursements	699.79
Net cost	\$ 3,664.83

Besides the five children being cared for by the town, we have had 17 families on relief during the year. At present there are only two families receiving aid. The town will be obliged to care for the five children for a long time. Last March we raised and appropriated the sum of \$2,500 for the care of town poor. For the year of 1950 I recommend a substantial increase in the appropriation for the care of the town poor.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN C. FOX

Overseer of the Poor

Reports of Selectmen

Roland B. Spencer, Ch. Board of Selectmen

38½ days services as selectman: town
meeting, mailing inventory blanks,
tax meeting, taking inventory, blotter, etc. \$ 269.50

O. R. Conrad, Selectman

48½ days services as selectman 339.50

A. E. Aldrich, Selectman

42½ days services as selectman 297.50

TOWN OF LISBON

Receipts and

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

From local taxes (collected and
remitted to treasurer)

1. Property taxes—current yr.	\$145,466.02	
2. Poll taxes—current year at \$2	1,836.00	
3. National bank stock taxes	12.88	
4. Total current years taxes collected and remitted		\$ 147,314.90
5. Property taxes—prev. years		18.08
6. Poll taxes—prev. years at \$2		16.00
8. Interest received on taxes		25.35
9. Tax sales redeemed		757.74
Outstanding orders		275.00

From State

11. Interest and dividend tax	5,018.41	
12. Railroad tax	198.09	
13. Savings bank tax	972.41	
17. Fighting forest fires	10.30	
18. Bounties	107.50	
19. Reimbursement a/c old age assistance	6.82	
		6,313.53

From local sources except taxes

22. Dog licenses	453.20	
23. Bus. licenses, permits, filing fees	44.50	
24. Fines and forfeits, munic. court	244.80	
25. Rent of town property	1,550.35	

Payments

YEAR ENDED DEC. 31, 1949

PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses

General government

1. Town officers' salaries	\$ 3,161.60
2. Town officers' expenses	1,683.11
3. Election and registration	28.00
4. Municipal court expenses	400.00
5. Town hall and other buildings	6,388.10

Protection of persons and property

6. Police department	315.50
7. Railroad signs	45.45
8. Fire department, inc. forest fires	1,156.15
9. Moth extermination—blister rust	400.00
10. Bounties	82.50
11. Damage by dogs	80.71

Health

12. Health department	2,280.04
13. Vital statistics	141.20
15. Dumps, garbage removal	392.70

Highways and bridges

16. Town road aid	1,241.62
17. Town maintenance	
Summer	12,238.61
Winter	5,630.13
	<u>17,868.74</u>

18. Street lighting	6,045.72
19. Oiling	2,507.26

Libraries

20. Libraries	2,800.00
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Public welfare

21. Old age assistance	6,850.72
22. Town poor	4,364.62

Patriotic purposes

24. Memorial day, veteran's assns.	300.00
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TOWN OF LISBON

Receipts and

RECEIPTS

31. Registration of motor vehicles		
1948 permits	78.74	
1949 permits	5,655.78	
Fees collected	1.60	
		<u>8,028.97</u>
Total current revenue receipts		162,749.57
Receipts other than current revenue		
32. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	50,000.00	
Refunds		
T.R.A.	1,054.00	
Village District	11.35	
Grove Hill Cemetery, labor	6.70	
Dept. of Probation	60.00	
Gas tax	92.03	
Town poor	639.79	
Town hall	4.15	
Telephone	.35	
Lisbon C. of C., appropriation	500.00	
Total receipts other than current revenue		<u>52,368.37</u>
Total receipts from all sources		\$ <u>215,117.94</u>
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1949		<u>26,587.51</u>
Grand total		\$ <u>241,705.45</u>

Payments

YEAR ENDED DEC. 31, 1949

PAYMENTS	
Public service enterprises	
27. Exp. bulldozer when rented out	371.18
29. Cemeteries	1,109.60
30. Winding town clocks, 2	50.00
Unclassified	
31. Damages and legal expenses	50.00
32. Advertising and regional assns.	780.00
33. Taxes bought by town	1,063.44
34. Discounts, abatements, refunds	98.30
Total current maintenance	62,056.26
Interest	
35. On temporary loans	627.51
New const., equipment, perm't improvements	
40. Highways and br., town const.	1,898.15
43. Sidewalk construction	472.69
45. Lands	75.00
	2,445.84
Indebtedness	
48. Payments on temporary loans	50,000.00
51. 1948 Outstanding orders	42.67
	50,042.67
Payments to other gov't divisions	
54. Taxes paid to County	8,621.34
55. Payments to precinct	21,500.00
56. Payments to School Districts	
Dog licenses	379.08
Appropriation	48,530.00
	48,909.08
Total to other gov't divisions	79,030.42
Total payments for all purposes	194,202.70
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1949	47,502.75
Grand total	\$ 241,705.45

Detailed Statement of Payments

Detail 1 Town Officers' Salaries

Oscar R. Conrad, Selectman	\$ 339.50
Roland B. Spencer, Selectman	269.50
Andrew E. Aldrich,, Selectman	297.50
Norman C. Fox, Town Clerk	1,038.10
Harry T. Andross, Tax Collector	650.00
E. L. Collins, Treasurer	100.00
G. E. Clark, Moderator	11.00
C. K. Besaw, Ballot Clerk	7.00
R. E. Olney, Ballot Clerk	7.00
George H. Marshall, Supervisor	14.00
Paul C. Boy, Supervisor	28.00
Wallace S. Clough, Auditor	100.00
Robert A. Reed, Auditor	100.00
N. C. Fox, Overseer of the Poor	200.00
	\$3,161.60

Detail 2 Town Officers' Expenses

Oscar R. Conrad, Selectman	\$ 80.00
Roland B. Spencer, Selectman	10.60
Andrew E. Aldrich, Selectman	111.00
Norman C. Fox, Town Clerk	66.35
Norman C. Fox, Overseer of the Poor	15.00
Grace A. Elms, making warrant and tax bills	20.00
Jean R. Paige, clerical work	25.00
Post Office Department, envelopes and postage, etc.	47.76
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co., services	208.75
The Ammonoosuc Press, printing annual reports, etc.	346.65
Courier Printing Co., printing notices	35.28

Hotel Moulton, lunches	11.00
The Skyliner, lunches	11.35
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	26.70
Brown and Saltmarsh, Inc., supplies	31.71
A. E. Martell Co., supplies	8.12
Northern Office Supply, supplies	6.35
Goudie's Hardware, supplies	2.00
S. D. Morgan and Son, supplies	2.50
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, dues	2.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	2.00
F. J. Shores, Register of Deeds	1.28
Woolson and Clough Insurance Agency, sureties	30.00
Merrill's Insurance Agency, sureties	535.58
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	\$1,636.98

Detail 3 Election and Registration

L. Robert Goudie, Supervisor	\$ 21.00
Ellis W. Holmes, Ballot Clerk	7.00
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	\$ 28.00

Detail 4 Municipal Court

George W. Pike, Judge	\$ 400.00
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Detail 5 Town Hall

Bernard McCabe, janitor	\$1,506.00
Public Service Company of New Hampshire, lights	257.03
Lisbon Grain and Coal Company, fuel	1,570.86
Gowing and Chamberlin, plumbing	73.96
Goudie's Hardware, supplies	49.07
Paul E. Guilmette, switch	1.70
Harry N. Dodge, labor, material, and men	257.68
Sundeen Lumber Co., materials	131.50
Clark's Hardware, supplies	1.40

S. D. Morgan and Son, supplies	18.40
Roberts' Express, Inc., express on door, etc.	5.71
Woolson and Clough Insurance Agency, fire insurance	225.00
Merrill's Insurance Agency, fire and boiler insurance	650.67
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	\$4,748.98

Special Town Hall Appropriation

Maynard G. Clough, electrician	\$ 527.76
Harry Woods, painting and supplies	502.48
Harry N. Dodge, labor	241.50
Bernard C. Dodge, labor	156.60
Laurence H. Dodge, labor	183.30
Lisbon Company, Inc, supplies	24.48
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	\$1,636.12

Detail 6 Police Department

Harry T. Andross, Chief	\$ 288.00
Daniel Ahern, retirement fund	12.00
Kenneth McKown, police	4.50
Frank G. Clark, Jr., police	4.00
Olin L. Swett, police	7.00
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	\$ 315.50

Detail 7 Fire Department

Lisbon Village District, reimbursement to men fighting fire	\$ 315.00
Sugar Hill Fire Department	800.00
Alfred J. Wilson, Forest Fire Warden	30.98
Roy F. Dodge, Forest Fire Deputy	10.17
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	\$1,156.15

Detail 8 Blister Rust

John Foster, Forester	\$ 400.00
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Detail 9 Bounties

Norman C. Fox, Town Clerk, hedgehog bounties	72.50
Norman C. Fox, Town Clerk, bear bounties	10.00
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	\$ 82.50

Detail 10 Damage by Dogs

Indianapolis Tag Co., dog tags	\$ 9.40
Wheeler and Clark, license book, etc.	12.46
H. G. Allbee, dog police	50.00
H. G. Allbee, mileage	8.85
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	\$ 80.71

Detail 11 Health and Sanitation

J. E. Collins, Health Officer	\$ 63.80
J. E. Collins, expenses as Health Officer	16.24
Lisbon District Nursing Association, appropriation	1,200.00
Cottage Hospital Association, appropriation	500.00
Littleton Hospital Association, appropriation	500.00
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	\$2,280.04

Detail 12 Vital Statistics

Norman C. Fox, Town Clerk:	
Issuing burial permits	\$ 4.50
Issuing verifications	1.00
Recording births, marriages, and deaths	47.00
Making returns to State	22.00
Making returns to Towns	6.50

Making returns to Town Report	56.00
Obtaining unreported facts	1.00
Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	3.20
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	\$ 141.20

Detail 14 Town Road Aid

State aid construction	\$ 990.07
Herbert A. Sherman, men, self, and truck	111.55
Lester Ingerson, bulldozer	90.00
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	\$1,191.62
Withholding tax deducted from wages	2.60
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	\$1,189.02

Detail 15 Town Maintenance

HERBERT A. SHERMAN, Agent

Self and truck	\$1,289.85
Byron M. Sherman, labor	1,130.70
Woodrow Mardin, labor	1,042.95
George Laleme, labor	583.95
Herbert A. Sherman, freight bill	1.42
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	\$4,048.87
Withholding tax deducted from wages	293.50
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	\$3,755.37

LESTER INGERTON, Agent

Self and truck	\$1,060.20
Robert Ingerson, labor	1,048.25
William Lyndes, labor	675.00
Robert Straw, self and truck	620.75
Rockwell Wilson, labor	39.00

Alden Noyes, labor	13.50
Ray Bowles, labor	470.25
Lester Ingerson, supplies	3.83
Ellsworth Hubbard, self and truck	175.95
Howard Ingerson, labor	39.75
Byron Sherman, labor	4.50
Woodrow Mardin, labor	8.25
Raymond Smith, labor	15.00
Felix Lavigne, labor	15.00
Manus Perkins, labor	36.00
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	\$4,225.23
Withholding tax deducted from wages	68.30
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	\$4,156.93

General Maintenance

Merrill's Insurance Agency, liability, etc.	\$ 283.05
Dexter's Garage, gas and oil	484.86
Dexter's Garage, labor and parts	147.60
Jesseman's Garage, gas and oil	308.43
Jesseman's Garage, labor and parts	343.40
George LaBelle, gas	9.70
G. A. Clark and Son, labor and parts	174.67
Perkins' Garage, parts	10.00
State Highway Garage, labor and parts	41.10
Grafton Oil Co., gas, tires, etc.	264.16
John's Esso Station, gas	5.25
R. D. Hall, supplies	17.83
Gowing and Chamberlin, supplies	.81
Goudie's Hardware, supplies	55.39
Franconia Reliable Welding, welding	75.75
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts and couplings	447.99
Southern Petroleum Co., Inc., motor oil, etc.	75.65
Clark's Hardware, supplies	1.60
Peter Hembick, labor	28.50

Wood Bros., rods	9.00
Littleton Sand and Gravel Co., moving tractor and dozer	25.00
Johnson Lumber Co., lumber	200.00
O. R. Conrad, lumber	26.45
Lisbon Co., Inc., lumber, etc.	254.42
Lisbon Village District, labor on roller	6.23
Woolson and Clough, fire and collision	98.00
Lisbon Grain and Coal Co., cement	2.30
Ed Magny, men, team, and tractor	22.85
Ed Magny, gravel	23.20
J. A. Fineman, gravel	173.40
Elwood Bishop, gravel	28.60
Ira Aldrich, gravel	129.80
Alfred Morse, gravel	76.50
Robert Moore, gravel	15.00
The Barrett Division, cold patch	289.28
Northwestern Petroleum Co., grease	23.92
Casellini-Venable Corp., labor and parts	54.92
U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue, withholding tax	413.90
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	\$4,648.51

Oiling

Lester Ingerson, self, men, and trucks	\$ 548.20
Herbert A. Sherman, self, men, and trucks	64.80
Barrett Division, oil	1,605.76
State of New Hampshire, labor, etc.	72.00
Littleton Sand and Gravel Co., moving shovel, oiling	216.50
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	\$2,507.26
Withholding tax deducted from wages	5.20
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	\$2,502.06

Snow Removal

HERBERT A. SHERMAN, Agent

Self and truck	\$ 791.35
Byron M. Sherman, labor	698.25
Woodrow Mardin, labor	87.75
L. S. Jesseman, sharpening tools, etc.	4.25
Richard L. Smith, labor	13.50
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	\$1,595.10
Withholding tax deducted from wages	146.20
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	\$1,448.90

LESTER INGERSON, Agent

Self and truck	\$ 742.80
Robert Ingerson, labor	642.75
Orville Gordon, labor	9.75
Walter Lynde, labor	18.00
Winifred Mossey, labor	20.25
Harry Ruggles, labor	13.50
Lester Ingerson, supplies	1.10
Howard Ingerson, labor	77.50
Norman Ruggles, labor	25.50
Arthur Murray, labor	20.25
Lyle McBurney, labor	22.50
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	\$1,593.90
Withholding tax deducted from wages	1.00
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	\$1,592.90

General Snow Removal

Harold N. Haskings, plowing and sanding	\$ 35.00
Municipal Steel Corp., cutting edges for grader, etc.	537.46
Lester Ingerson, flue brushes	1.50

Lisbon Grain and Coal Co., paint, brush, and paper	16.64
Ray Road Equipment, cutting blade	17.26
George LaBelle, gas	4.35
Casellini-Venable, parts	124.44
State Highway Garage, material	43.06
Dexter's Garage, gas and oil	216.29
Dexter's Garage, labor and parts	65.84
Jesseman's Garage, gas and oil	133.68
Jesseman's Garage, labor and parts	257.69
Grafton Oil Co., gas, etc.	87.59
Lisbon Company, Inc., lumber, etc.	7.74
Franconia Reliable Welding Co., welding	27.30
Goudie's Hardware, supplies	26.35
Treasurer State of New Hampshire, roofing paper	3.36
International Salt Co., salt	192.00
Steel Products Corp., steel	136.94
Commodore Steel Co., snow plow blade	65.14
Collector of Internal Revenue	276.90
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	\$2,276.53
Total Snow Removal	\$5,318.33
Total Maintenance	\$15,062.87

Sidewalk Construction and Repairs

Lester Ingerson, Agent, men, self, and truck	\$ 205.50
Bowles and Hoskins Co., material	29.25
Lisbon Company, Inc., lumber, etc.	161.19
State of New Hampshire, material	75.60
Lisbon Grain and Coal Co., cement	1.15
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	\$ 472.69
Withholding tax deducted from wages	2.60
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	\$ 470.09

Out of Town Use of Bulldozer

Lester Ingerson	\$ 189.00
Thurman Towle	4.00
Littleton Sand and Gravel Co., moving dozer	117.50
Franconia Reliable Welding, bulldozer repairs	35.50
Grafton Oil Co., fuel oil for bulldozer	23.38
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	\$ 369.38

Hamilton and Jamieson Roads — Appropriation

The Barrett Division, tar	\$ 933.66
Herbert A. Sherman, Agent; self, men, and truck	61.35
Lester Ingerson, Agent; self, men, and truck	108.10
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	\$1,103.11

Detail 16 Street Lighting

Public Service Company of New Hampshire	\$6,045.72
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Detail 18 Libraries

Treasurer Lisbon Public Library	\$2,800.00
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Detail 19-20-21 Public Welfare

Old age assistance	\$6,850.72
Town poor	4,364.62
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	\$11,215.34

Detail 22 Patriotic Purposes

Treasurer American Legion, appropriation— flags	\$ 150.00
Treasurer American Legion, Memorial Day	150.00
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	\$ 300.00

Detail 24 Unclassified

George H. Richardson, surveyor, survey and description Sugar Hill dump lot	\$ 6.00
B. and M. Railroad, signs, freight, etc.	45.45
State of New Hampshire, engrossing fee	.75
White Mountain Region Association, appropriation	280.00
F. J. Shores, transfers, etc.	30.73
Anna D. Proctor, transfers	.80
Homer Aldrich, winding clock	25.00
Charles H. Fisher, winding clock	25.00
Lisbon Chamber of Commerce, advertising	500.00
L. S. Jesseman, sharpening lawn mower	3.00
Norman C. Fox, Town Clerk, expenses to Town Clerks' Convention, etc.	13.85
Town of Landaff, dynamite caps, etc.	1.80
Amos Elms, lumber	50.00
Lyle McBurney, work on dump	18.75
Littleton Sand and Gravel Co., moving tractor, dump road	40.00
Lester Ingerson, labor and men, dump road	176.45
Ellsworth Hubbard, work on dump	151.50
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	\$1,369.08

Culvert

Herbert A. Sherman and men	\$ 126.90
Lester Ingerson and men	35.55
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts	632.59
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	\$ 795.04

Taxes Bought By Town

Harry T. Andross, Collector	\$1,063.44
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Abatements

Ruth Richardson	\$ 3.10
Virgil Silver	60.20
George S. Rassmussen	35.00
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	\$ 98.30

Lands

Harold C. Aldrich, Sugar Hill dump site	\$ 75.00
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Temporary Loans

Lisbon Savings Bank and Trust Co., loans in anticipation of taxes	\$50,000.00
Interest on loans	627.51
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	\$50,627.51

Detail 27 Cemeteries

Sunnyside Cemetery Association, appropriation	\$ 400.00
Salmon Hole Cemetery Association, appropriation	300.00
Grove Hill Cemetery Association, appropriation	400.00
Grove Hill Cemetery — Lester Ingerson, labor and men	9.60
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	\$1,109.60

Detail 28 Legal Expenses

Pike and Aldrich, lawyers	\$ 50.00
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**Detail 50-51-52 Payments to Other Govern-
mental Divisions**

Payments to County	\$8,621.34
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Payments to Precinct	\$21,434.90	
Herbert Sherman and men, oiling	65.10	
		\$21,500.00
Payments to School Districts:		
No. 1 — 1949 appropriation	\$27,100.00	
Dog money	191.06	
No. 2 — 1949 appropriation	7,500.00	
Dog money	65.20	
No. 3 — 1949 appropriation	13,930.00	
Dog money	122.82	
		\$48,909.08
		\$79,030.42
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	\$194,160.03	

Auditors' Report

We have examined the accounts of the tax collector, town clerk, treasurer, selectmen, overseer, municipal court and trustees of trust funds, and find the same to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

ROBERT A. REED
WALLACE S. CLOUGH

March 6, 1950

Auditors

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Lisbon on December 31, 1949

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION <small>All Trust Funds should be reported giving name of fund and donor</small>	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
Mar. 12, 1895	Eastman Fund (Chas. O. Eastman) 1-3 cemetery lot S. H., 2-3 books, non-fiction Lisbon Public Library		\$300 00 -63 81 236 19 *3 19 239 38		17 17	5 15	6 00	16 32
Oct. 13, 1921	Lucy D. Richardson Fund, care of lot Salmon Hole cemetery		100 00 -23 31 76 69 *1 17 77 86		51 27	2 59	2 00	51 86
Mar. 24, 1924	Wm. S. Nelson Fund, care of lots Nos. 6 & 97 Grove Hill cemetery	DEPOSITED IN LISBON SAVINGS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY	100 00 -17 80 82 20 * 89 83 09	2 per cent	00	1 66	1 50	16
April 3, 1929	Mary R. Cummings Fund, for libraries		2,000 00 -487 50 1,512 50 *24 38 1,536 88		00	30 88	30 88	00
Mar. 28, 1931	John H. Rand Fund, for libraries		350 00 -75 00 275 00 *3 75 278 75		00	5 59	5 59	00

*Deposits. [NOTE: The above deposits are 5 per cent payments on certificates.]

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Lisbon (Continued)

Date	Description	200		2	1934	
		200	400		8 64	8 64
July 21, 1934	Geo. F. and Luella Parker Cushman, fund for libraries	200	400	00	8 64	09
Oct. 20, 1934	Ida M. Bishop Fund, care of John Bishop lot, Salmon Hole cemetery	100	00	11 77	2 25	12 00
Apr. 26, 1947	Ida M Bishop Fund No 2, same purpose	100	00	00	2 01	51
June 29, 1935	Blanche H. Crane fund, care of Warren Wetherbee lot, Salmon Hole cemetery	100	00	9 17	2 19	9 36
Nov. 6, 1935	J. H. McGuire fund, for Lisbon District Nursing Association	3,755	04	00	45 32	00
		-1,500	00 †			
		2,255	04			
Nov. 3, 1937	Frank E. Bowles Fund, care of lot in Sunnyside cemetery	150	00	18 39	3 38	19 77
Apr. 22, 1938	Hosea Foster Fund, care of lot in Grove Hill Cemetery	500	00	92 58	14 34	62 92
Oct. 10, 1940	Alice B. Oliver Fund for library	688	97	21 2	15 95	00
Oct. 19, 1942	Lawrence K. Ford, part care of lot, Grove Hill Cemetery	50	00	2	1 00	00
Oct. 9, 1943	Lavina Conrad Fund, part care of Moses H. Noyes lot, Salmon Hole Cemetery	50	00	00	1 00	00
Nov. 5, 1943	Annie H. Bowles Fund, care of Willis Bowles lot, Sunnyside Cemetery	150	00	5 76	3 12	6 88
Apr. 26, 1944	George B. Savage Fund, care of Savage lot, Grove Hill cemetery	150	00	6 30	3 13	7 43

† Note: Withdrawal of \$1,500 from principal John G. McGuire fund for purchase of automobile for District Nursing Assn.

REPORT OF
Lisbon Municipal Court

GEORGE W. PIKE, *Justice*

Cases were before this court for the following violations during 1949:

Motor Vehicle	57
Drunkenness	12
Aggravated assault	1
Non-support	1
Liquor law violations	2
Selling adulterated milk	1
Violation unemployment compensation law	2
	76

There were also the following before this court: 1 civil case (bastardy); 2 Juvenile Court cases; and 5 cases in the Small Claims Court, making a total of 84 cases before this court.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE W. PIKE

Lisbon Public Library

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

for the

Year Ended Dec. 31, 1949

ORGANIZATION

TRUSTEES

Nell T. Buffington	Term expires 1950
Harold C. Pickwick	Term expires 1950
Mabel S. Jesseman	Term expires 1951
Charlotte A. Barbour (Resigned)	Term expires 1951
Ethel C. Smith	Term expires 1952
Harold W. Smith	Term expires 1952

LISBON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Edith Hawes, librarian

RICHARDSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY, SUGAR HILL

Gertrude Parker, librarian

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1949

LISBON PUBLIC LIBRARY

RECEIPTS

Balance from last year	\$ 298.30
Received from town	2,000.00
Fines	87.00
Book sales	10.68
Interest on trust funds	64.49
	<u> </u>
	\$ 2,460.47

PAYMENTS

Salaries	
Mrs. Hawes, librarian	462.00
Miss Hawkins, assistant	88.88
Mr. McCabe, janitor	264.00
Fuel	321.02
Insurance premiums	224.18
Water	18.00
Lights	36.60
Supplies, repairs, etc.	33.30
Books	510.61
Magazines	59.50
Summer school exp.	30.00
P. O. box rent	3.00
	<u> </u>
	\$ 2,051.09
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1949	\$ 409.38

HAROLD W. SMITH

Treasurer

SUGAR HILL BRANCH

1949

RECEIPTS

Balance from last year	\$	45.09	
Received from town		800.00	
Fines		9.37	
		<u> </u>	\$ 854.46

PAYMENTS

Salaries			
Mrs. Hubbard, librarian		60.00	
Mrs. Parker, "		180.00	
Mrs. Smith, ass't "		2.00	
Janitor		60.30	
Fuel		112.00	
Insurance		72.50	
Lights		13.07	
Supplies, repairs, etc.		103.15	
Books		98.82	
Magazines		17.50	
P. O. box rent		1.80	
		<u> </u>	721.14
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1949	\$		133.32

HAROLD W. SMITH
Treasurer

Examined and found correct.

ETHEL C. SMITH, *Auditor*

LISBON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Report of Librarian

The circulation of books and magazines for 1949 was 15,742, of these 4,706 were junior and 11,036 were adult.

Thirty-seven books were discarded during the year, too badly worn to be kept longer in circulation.

I attended one library meeting held in Whitefield, and spent one week in Franklin, N. H., for instruction in library work.

Books were given the library by Mrs. Barbour, George Brummer, Miss Monahan, Prof. Suttie, Mrs. Webb and Mrs. H. C. Slaughter.

Magazines were given by Miss Lang, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. D. Perkins, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. L. Price, Mrs. Stiles, K. McKown, and the D. A. R.

EDITH HAWES
Librarian

RICHARDSON MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Report of Librarian

To the Board of Trustees:

The Richardson Memorial Library had an attendance during 1949 of 1160 and the circulation was 725 fiction, 340 juveniles and 269 magazines.

Approximately 80 books were added to the Library in 1949 including some donated books. There were another 150 volumes presented to the Library by Mr. Weaver from his collection.

Donors to the Library were Mrs. Richard Meyer, Mrs. E. A. Harmes, Mr. Joseph Fobes, Mrs. Fontelle Elliott, Miss Jane Osborne, Mrs. William Burpee (nee Elaine Reid) and Mr. Weaver.

Respectfully,

GERTRUDE PARKER

Librarian

ALICE SMITH

Ass't Librarian

Books Added to the Lisbon Public Library During 1949

FICTION

Allbrand	After Midnight	Deasy	Cannon Hill
Andrezel	Angelic Avengers	Disney	Hangman's Tree
Annixter	Swiftwater	Doner	Ravenswood
Arnow	Hunter's Horn	Downes	Eagle's Song
Asch	Mary	Douglas	Big Fisherman
Aston	Parson Austen's Daughter		
		Fadiman	Voice and the Light
Baldwin	Golden Shoestring	Field	Outlaw Valley
Barnes	Brief Gaudy Hour	Floren	Milk River Range
Bonnet	Mudlark	Fox	Shadow on the Range
Bowen	Heat of the Day	Frankau	Willow Cabin
Brace	Summer's Tale	Frost	Corpse Said No
Brag	Smoky Joe		
Brand	7 Trails	Gaither	Double Muscadine
Brand	Crooked Wreath	Gardner	D. A Breaks an Egg
Bridge	And Then You Came	Gebhard	Rual Parish
Brown	Freeholder	Goertz	Moon Is Mine
Buck	Kinfolk	Goudge	Gentian Hill
Burman	Everywhere I Roam	Grey	Deer Stalker
Bassett	White Sail		
		Halleran	Outlaw Trail
Cadell	Iris in Winter	Hamilton	Gentle Heart
Calwell	Let Love Come Last	Hancock	Calling Nurse Blair
Carr	Below Suspicion	Haycox	Bugles in the Afternoon
Castle	Golden Fury	Haycox	Saddle and Ride
Canning	Golden Salamander	Hendrex	Murder in the Outlands
Carroll	West of the Hill	Heyer	Arabella
Chamberlain	Midnight Boy	Hill	Mary Arden
Chamberlain	Overcoat Meeting	Hill	Morning Is For Joy
Chase	Plum Tree	Hilton	And Now Good Bye
Christie	Crooked House	Holt	My Son and Heir
Colby	Big Secret	Howe	Call It Treason
Costain	High Towers		
Crane	Flying Red Horse	Kelland	This Is My Son
		Kennelly	Peaceable Kingdom
De La Roche	Mary Wakefield	Keys	Safe Bridge
du Maurier	Parasites	Keys	Dinner at Antoine's

Lancaster	Trumpet to Arms	Runbeck	Pink Magic
Landon	Never Dies the Dream		
Larrimore	Faraway Haven	Sandburg	Remembrance Rock
Lea	Brave Bulls	Seifert	Bright Coin
Lee	Monster of Lazy Hook	Sedges	Long Love
Lincoln	Celia Amberley	Stevenson	Vittoria Cottage
Loring	Love Came Laughing By	Shellabarger	King's Cavalier
Loring	We Ride the Gale	Stanley	Rock Cried Out
		Standish	Elephant Walk
McCrone	Aunt Bell	Steen	Twilight on the Floods
MacDonald	Gunsight Range	Sinclair	O Shepherd Speak
MacInness	Rest and Be Thankful	Smith, Betty	Tomorrow Will Be Better
Marquand	Point of No Return	Stuart	Dusty Wagons
Marriot	Valley Below		
Marshall	Wilderness Nurse	Thirkell	Old Bank House
Mayrant	Running Thread		
Meeker	Prairie Avenue	Walker	Medical Meeting
Miller	Born Strangers	Waltari	Egyptian
Moore	Fire Balloon	Wellman	Chain
		West	Botched Brand
Nathan	River Journey	Wees	Under the Quiet Water
Nolan	This Same Flower	Wees	Melody Unheard
Norris	High Holiday	Wight	Inner Harbor
		Winslow	The Springs
Ogilvie	Rowan Head	Winslow	It Was Like This
Ostenso	Sunset Tree	Wilson	Live with Lightning
		Wise	Shepherd of the Valley
Perroot	Bar D Buckaroot		
		Yates	Beloved Bondage
Ricer	No Benefit of Law	Yerby	Pride's Castle

NON-FICTION

Bard	Dr. Wears Three Faces	Leyson	Modern Wonders
Bean	Yankee Auctioneer	Leibman	Peace of Mind
Beebe	High Jungle		
Blood	Manchester on the Merrimack	MacDonald	Plague and I
		Merton	Seven Story Mountain
Casey	Black Hills	Mooraad	Lost Peace in China
Chapman	Fishing in Troubled Waters		
Costain	Conquerors	Osborn	Our Plundered Planet
Churchill	Their Finest Hour		
		Partridge	Old Oaken Bucket
Eisenhower	Crusade in Europe	Pocock	Red Flannel and Green Ice
		Poole	Nancy Flyer
Fischer	3 Who Fled	Posselt	Christmas Stories
Fowler	Beau James	Powers	Baseball Personalities
		Pretorius	Jungle Man
Glesinger	Coming Age of Wood		
Gilbreth	Cheaper By the Dozen	Richards	Artic Mood
Gilberg	Eskimo Doctor	Rogers, Will	Autobiography
Gibbings	Over the Reefs	Roosevelt, E.	This I Remember
Gunther	Behind the Curtain	Roosevelt, K.	Arabs' Oil and History
Gunther	Death Be Not Proud	Reynolds	Leave It to the People
		—————	World Folk Tales
Hahn	England to Me	Schendel	Jungle Wife
Harwood	Lily and Leopards	Smith	State of Europe
Hoyle	Book of Games	Smith	Baby's First Two Years
Hughes	Big Barbecue	Stowe	Target You
		Streeter	Father of the Bride
Idell	Doorway in Antigua		
Keller	You Can Change the World	Villiers	Set of the Sails
Kimbrough	It Gives Me Great Pleasure		
		White	Half Way to Freedom.
Lattimore	Situation in Asia		

Report of the Forest Fire Warden

Forest Fires—our Most Shameful Waste!

Everyone apparently fears fire but too many are careless with it. This is particularly true of fires in and near woodlands. Official figures show that more than 98 percent of all forest fires result from human carelessness and can be prevented. Consequently, we may say "Forest Fires are our most shameful waste".

Annual forest fire losses are tremendous and their effects far-reaching. Such fires destroy the raw products of the forests, the protection forests provide for game and the supply of ground water. They upset local economies by drawing men from gainful employment and requiring the expenditure of public funds to extinguish them.

Our forest fire organization is doing a good job in keeping the size of fires small but the number of fires is increasing. In 1949 there were 100 more fires in New Hampshire than in 1948, but they burned 500 acres less. For the warden and his deputies to do the job they are capable of, they must have the cooperation of the public — YOU!

The primary objective of all fire fighters is PREVENTION — fire stoppage. This is the goal toward which your local forest fire warden and his deputies are constantly working. It can be achieved ONLY if YOU and YOU and YOU cooperate with them. It is worth YOUR effort and can be accomplished by:

1. Being careful with fire in or near woodland, being particularly careful with matches and cigarettes.
2. Securing the required written permit from the warden when the ground is not covered with snow.

3. Insisting that others be careful and comply with burning requirements.
4. Calling the warden promptly when fire is detected and aiding him to extinguish it.

Let's reduce the number of forest fires and eliminate our most shameful waste.

1949 Fire Record

Number of fires	1
Acreage burned	2
Number of fire permits issued	37

W. S. CODMAN
District Chief

REID CARR
Forest Fire Warden

Vital Statistics

The following are transcripts of vital statistics as recorded in the town clerk's records.

I hereby certify that the following are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

NORMAN C. FOX
Town Clerk

Births Registered in the Town of LISBON, N. H., for the Year Ended December 31, 1949

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Stillb'n	No of Child, 1st, 2nd, etc.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1949									
Jan	8 Mary Lee	F	L	3	Robert A Ingerson	D Lucille Lyndes	Lisbon	Lisbon	Littleton
	11 Carol Lynn	F	L	6	Gerald S Morey	Hazel V Powers	Westfield Vt	Westfield Vt	Lowell Vt
	25 Hector William	M		2	John A Day	Alice N Rasicot	Littletton	Littletton	Lyman
Feb	11 Harvey Lyster	M		1	Harvey Mackie	Frisquilla R Lyster	Lisbon	Lisbon	St Johnsbury Vt
	22 Edward Chester Jr	M		1	Edward C Clough	Mary A Finley	"	"	Lancaster
Mar	3 Jane Alice	F		2	Kenneth H McKown	Dorothy G Hubbard	"	"	Lisbon
	7 Deborah Ann	F		2	Douglas Wilkins	Marion E Austin	"	"	"
	9 Douglas Sutherland	M		2	Wallace S Clough	Flora Belle J Dion	"	"	"
	11 William Dolphis	F		3	Paul L Hill	Sylvia B King	"	"	"
	22 Karen Ann	F		2	Harley E Burt	Eleanor B Haskins	Franconia	Franconia	Haverhill
	23 Larry Oliver	M		2	Raymond F Woolson	Beverly B Bort	Lisbon	Lisbon	Lyman
	27 Donna	F		2	Virgil B Silver	Helen M Burlock	Guildhall Vt	Guildhall Vt	Littletton
Apr	16 Carroll Dean	M		6	Robert E Santy	Hazel F Kahlstrom	Bath	Bath	Lisbon
	16 Eugene Seth Jr	M		2	Eugene S Chase	Josephina A Dion	Lisbon	Lisbon	Concord Vt
	18 Wesley Howard	M		4	Wesley J Whitchee	Blaine B Haskins	Lisbon	Lisbon	Brownington Vt
	25 Boyd Malcolm	M		1	Glenwood F Aldrich	Stephania Zinkiewicz	Lisbon	Lisbon	Lancaster
May	7 Larry James	M		1	James Morrison Jr	Anita G Longchamps	Scotland	Scotland	Littletton
	15 Kathleen Lea	F		4	Walter A Cheney	Thelma Locke	Littletton	Littletton	Littletton
	16 Debra Thomas	F		3	Elsworth H Hubbard	Lorraine B Kittredge	Lyman	Lyman	Franconia
	25 Alice Thomas	F		2	Roger E Champagne	Erleen T Rathburn	Lisbon	Lisbon	Walden Vt
Jun	19 Peter George	M		2	Olson C Smith	Sylvia J A Sany	Lisbon	Lisbon	Littletton
	26 Reginald Wayne	M		3	Alfred R Turmelle	Marjorie A Smith	Troy	Troy	Littletton
	19 Douglas Nathaniel	M		1	Henry R Parent	Marquette C Jennings	Lisbon	Lisbon	Whitmore Mich
	21 Douglas Ernest	M		2	George A Parent	Joan A Bussiere	Whider Vt	Whider Vt	Berlin
	29 Richard Curtis	M		1	Harold C Pickwick Jr	Joyce A Prescott	Littletton	Littletton	Haverhill

BIRTHS, continued

Jul	11 Cynthia Ann	F	1 Raymond R Ash	Carolyne J Bailey	Littleton	Wolcott Vt
	14 Martha Louise	"	3 Warren G Berry	Virginia E Cote	Lisbon	Breiton Woods
	20 Meredith Ellen	"	2 George S Allbright	Carolyne Kittridge	Quincy Mass	Quincy Mass
Aug	4 Jonathan Dayton	M	1 Herbert A. Berman	Katrina Voorhees	Savannah Ga	Philadelphia Pa
	6 Paul Lewis	"	2 Grover A Young	Joyce E Breck	Lisbon	Wentworth
	13 Darlene Ann	F	3 Lawrence W Carr	Shirley D Connery	Arlington Mass	Ft Edwards N Y
	20 Kevin Barry	M	2 David E Haines	Ruth H Weyer	Randolph Vt	Lynn Mass
	23 David Victor	"	1 Richard E Snell	Priscilla E Turner	Bangor Me	Billerica Mass
Sep	27 Donald Mills Jr	"	3 Donald M Allen	Hope Fields	Erie Pa	Lisbon
	5 Cheryl Ann	F	2 Milton W Carr	Dorothy R McCullough	New York City	New York City
Nov	17 Elizabeth Zofia	"	8 Ludvig Garvil	Zofia G Wezcook	Poland	Poland
	22 Louise Ellen	"	9 Roy F Dodge	Gertrude A Howland	Concord Vt	Whitefield
	24 Tonya Jennie	"	1 Robert M Marcou Jr	Elsie R Knowles	Lisbon	Stavesville Me
	Pia	"	1 Roderick L Carmosino	Shirley J Grass	Mass	N H
Dec	7 Alice Mary	"	3 Florian Defosse	Hazel A Marsh	Berlin	Thetford Vt
	Rita Marie	"	4			

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Marriages Registered in the Town of LISBON, N. H., for the Year Ended Dec. 31, 1949

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age In Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Names of Parents	Name and Official Station of Person by whom married
1948 Oct 9	New York City	Merwin E Stiles Jane V Gregory	Milan Lisbon	36 33	scaler secretary	Winfield Stiles Mary Jewett Alice Gregory Bess Rogers	Joseph Stagg New York Clergyman
30	St Johnsbury Vt	Ola M Ainsworth Helen A Wilson	" "	30 21	woodsman shoe worker	Adney Ainsworth Alice Eastman Rockwell Wilson Lilla Aldrich	Harold Haunum St J Clergyman Vt Clergyman
1949 Jan 30	Lisbon	Roderick L Carmosino Jean S Grass	Quincy Mass Lisbon	24 18	student "	Marso Carmosino Esther Domini William Grass	Norman Fox Lisbon Justice
"	"	Ray I Merrill Althea E Moulton	" "	37 26	glove maker shoe worker	Juna Fields Leon Merrill Mabel French Edgar Moulton Minnie Martin Clarence Dunham	Fred Fox Littleton Clergyman
Feb 3	Hartford Vt	Clarence W Dunham Jr Virginia L Dow	Lebanon Lisbon	19 19	laborer at home	Avis Day Henry Dow Annabell Kittridge	John Storie Hartford Vt Clergyman
12	Lisbon	Robert E Farrell Arline H Dahlman	Guilford Conn Larchmont N Y	26 23	student at home	Alton Farrell Hazel Addison Arvard Dahlman O Pauline Synowicz	Walter Oddy Sugar Hill Clergyman
18	"	Lloyd A Mason Laura A Elliott	Lisbon "	21 18	painter shoe worker	Clayton Mason Lottie Dodge John Elliott Mildred Ball	Norman Fox Lisbon Justice

MARRIAGES, continued

Mar 5	Lisbon	Wesley J Whitcher	Lisbon	23 edgerman	Howard Whitcher Doris Jenks Thomas Dion	Elgin, Sherk Lisbon Clergyman
16	Littleton	Georgianna A Mossey	"	23 housework	Alberta Mayhew	Fred Fox Littleton Clergyman
Apr 9	Manchester	Robert J Young	"	23 woodsman	James Young	Andrew Richards Manchester Clergyman
16	Lisbon	Agnes J Pushor	"	22 at home	Jena Hunt Carl McCormick	Elgin Sherk Lisbon Clergyman
May 4	Haverhill	Richard A Lane	Concord	25 accountant	Edith Ireland George Jane Charles Brown	Henry Reatlift Jr Haverhill Clergyman
7	"	Dorothy M Putnam	Lisbon	33 teacher	Hugh Maynor Emma Schrepper	George Donnelly Haverhill Cath Priest
14	Lisbon	Earl G LaLeme	"	34 millhand	George LaLeme Mabel Gilbert	Elgin Sherk Lisbon Clergyman
21	"	Mary L MacKay	"	19 secretary	Albert MacKay Della Nasan	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
25	"	John R Hurst Jr	"	23 laborer	John Hurst Effie Z Wallas	Walter Oddy Sugar Hill Clergyman
Jun 5	"	Beatrice M McConnell	Haverhill	17 at home		George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
7	"	Robert M Marcou Jr	Lisbon	20 soldier	Robert Marcou Doris Rogers	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
14	Lisbon	Elsie R Knowles	Pike	18 millhand	Lancelot Knowles Irene Emery	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
21	"	Harold L Boutin	Bath	21 laborer	Napoleon Boutin Alexena Demars	Walter Oddy Sugar Hill Clergyman
25	"	Marion C Hannux	Lisbon	18 clerk	Richard Hannux Caroline Towle	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
28	"	Richard W Blodgett	Landaff	19 farming	Dean Blodgett Amy Goudspeed	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
29	"	Margaret M Robar	Lisbon	18 bookkeeper	Lorne Robar Hazel Lucia	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
30	"	Roger H Aldrich	"	26 carpenter	Homer Aldrich Dorothy Berry	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
31	"	Nancy M Dexter	"	20 musician	Wilfred Dexter Pauline Taylor	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
31	"	Earl C White	"	23 student	Earl W White Ruth LaRock	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman
31	"	Barbara B Bishop	"	22 teacher	Elwood Bishop Madalene Morse	George Wiseman Lisbon Clergyman

Jul	31	Littleton	Gene D Willey	Littleton	21 farming	Rupert Willey Georgia Franklin Carroll Santy	Johnson Haines Littleton Clergyman
			Anita G Santy	Lisbon	24 secretary	Annie Chanpamy Harold McLoud	
Aug	19	Nashua	Harold J McLoud Jr	Nashua	23 student	Mary Fortin	Paul Desaulniers Nashua Cath Priest
			Geraldine T Fox	Lisbon	24 teacher	Jerry Fox	
			Edwin C Nutting	"	48 plumber	Keith Campbell Charles Nutting	Elgin Sherk Lisbon Clergyman
			Iola M Howland	"	32 shoe worker	Edith Sherman William Howland	
Sep	7	Littleton	Lincoln C Price Jr	"	21 student	Flora Bennett Lisbon Price	William Weber Littleton Episc Priest
			Betty E Hadley	Littleton	19 "	Louise Simonds Bertram Hadley	
			William B Burpee	Franconia	25 "	Helen Clark Benjamin Burpee	Walter Oddy Sugar Hill Clergyman
			F Elaine Reid	Lisbon	17 "	Marguerite Burke Alice Brown	
			Richard P C Johnson	Concord	22 "	Leslie Johnson Elizabeth Corbett	Harry Kelley Chichester Justice
			Delma E Bain	Lisbon	20 stenographer	Howard Bain Dorothy Santy	
Oct	22	Lisbon	Ralph A Martelle	Essex Jct Vt	22 cook	Roland Martell Elizabeth Patneau	Norman Fox Lisbon Justice
			Shirley M Mills	"	22 clerk	George Mills Thelma Worthen	
			William S Liveston	Lisbon	21 machinist	William M Liveston Clementine Skea	Johnson Haines Littleton Clergyman
			Ann E Enderson	Littleton	18 at home	Lawrence Enderson Anne Stone	
			Wayne D Smart	Laconia	27 merchant	Chester Smart Eula Douglas	Elgin Sherk Lisbon Clergyman
			Barbara J Goudie	Lisbon	23 nurse	George Goudie Harriet Moore	
Nov	26	"	Elwin A Mason	"	29 painter	Clayton Mason Lottie Dodge	Norman Fox Lisbon Justice
			Helen L Singleton	"	31 waitress	George Mitton Stella Wright	

Deaths Registered in the Town of LISBON, N. H., for the Year Ended December 31, 1949

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the deceased	Age			Sex	Single, Married or Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days					
1949 Jan	2	Concord	79			M	Widower	Willard Barrett	Margaret Snow	
	3	Lisbon	79			"	"	not reported	not reported	
	9	"	91			"	"	Prescott Parker	Maria Fitzpatrick	
Feb	24	"	70			"	"	Mitchel Marcoux	Adele	
	26	Lisbon	77			"	"	Ezra Gillman	Charlotte Dow	
	4	Haverhill	72			"	"	Roscoe Burleigh	Sharon Wood	
	11	Hanover	27			F	"	Norman Gilbert	Marion Hansen	
	11	Lisbon	84		13	"	"	William Simpson	William Warcup	
Mar	28	"	52			"	"	William McVety	Ruth Lowary	
	7	"	70			M	"	Harvey Locke	Ella Smith	
Apr	19	Haverhill	82		3	"	"	Henry Reiston	Agnes Wright	
	4	"	82			"	"	Eugene Chase	Hazel Kahstrom	
May	20	Bath	81			F	"	George Brimmer	Lovina Smith	
	28	Rye	53			F	"	Edward Williams	Louise Smith	
Jul	8	Lisbon	68			F	"	Willard Chamberlain	Florence Forbes	
	8	University N Y	64			F	"	Melford Alexander	Elizabeth Forbes	
	9	Lisbon	82			M	"	Fred Richardson	Martha Wallace	
Aug	22	Hasbrouck Hts NJ	75			"	"	Samuel White	Ella A	
	24	Littleton	83			"	"	not reported	not reported	
Aug 11	3	Haverhill	56			F	"	George W. Paige	Elizabeth Young	
	16	"	104			M	"	Edward Alger	Hattie Osmer	
	24	"	79			"	"	Phillip Northey	Esther Aldrich	
	30	"	69			F	"	Gabril Caulin	Mary Meers	
	30	"	60			F	"	Fred Morton	Della Smith	
Sep	16	"	69			F	"	Charles Mashia	Sophia Burnor	
	20	"	57			F	"	Albert Richardson	Alma Dennis	
	27	"	77			F	"	Edson Curtis	Edna Blodgett	
Oct	6	"	76			"	"	Linas Hibbard	Eliza Chandler	
	6	"	85			M	"	Lorenzo Coates	Emily Jeweli	

Deaths, continued

Oct	8	Concord	Martha Russell	Lisbon	F	Whousewife	Jonas Nourse	Abbigill Inman
	19	Haverhill	Ernest Rittenhouse	Canada	M	Physician	Wm. Rittenhouse	Mary Sawyer
Nov	2	Haverhill	Clarence Bedfre	Lancaster	F	Whousewife	Moses Pietre	Annie Craig
	3	Littleton	Nellie M Moulton	Lyman	M	" Farming	John Messer	Adelta Dexter
	6	Lisbon	George W Foster	Hudson Mass	"	" Laborer	Charles Foster	Louisa Knapp
	18	"	Charles H. Foran	Lisbon	"	Whousewife	Charles Fowler	Lizzie Bowles
	20	"	Neal E. Williams	Foston	F	"	Charles Merrill	Hattie Boyd
	23	"	Mattie E. Pease	Lisbon	"	"	Martin Gilman	Acanda Lyford
Dec	6	Lancaster	Lillian Bennett	Piermont	"	retired	Burgess Metcalf	Mary Jackson
	10	Haverhill	Eva J Metcalf	Bethlehem	"	Whousewife	Edwin Crane	Mary Messer
	31	Lisbon	Lizzie M Deming		"			Ella Blundin

