

# LYNDEBOROUGH

NEW HAMPSHIRE

*Town and School*

REPORTS

*for*

1960





ANNUAL REPORTS  
*of the*  
Town Officers  
*of*  
Lyndeborough, N. H.  
*for the*  
*Year Ending December 31, 1960*

*Also*  
Officers of School District  
*Year Ending June 30, 1960*

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## TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1960

### Moderator

HAROLD P. PARKER

### Assistant Moderator

JOSEPH H. FAY, JR.

### Selectmen

JOSEPH H. FAY, JR. (1961)

ERNEST E. VAN HAM (1962)

ARTHUR V. FULGONI (1963)

### Treasurer

NORMA WALKER

### Clerk

EDWARD H. SCHMIDT, SR.

### Road Agent

EARL A. BULLARD

### Fire Chief

STEPHEN R. SHERMAN

### Fire Warden

EDWARD H. SCHMIDT, JR.

### Trustees of Cemeteries

CHARLES B. O'HARA (1961)

### Board of Health

JOSEPH H. FAY, JR. AND SELECTMEN

### Trustees of Public Library

BESSIE D. HOLT (1961)

BARBARA SHINN (1962)

EDITH D. ROSS (1963)

### Trustee of Trust Funds

CHARLES F. WILCOX



**Building Inspector (Ex-Officio)**  
**JOSEPH H. FAY, JR.**

**Board of Adjustment**

ARTHUR V. FULGONI	1961
E. GEORGE WARREN	1962
ROBERT C. MACKINTOSH	1963
ROBERT T. JOHNSON	1964
STEPHEN R. SHERMAN	1965

**Civilian Defense**

**ROLAND E. PARKER, JR.**

**Hillsborough County Soil Conservation Board  
and Watershed Committee**

**ARTHUR V. FULGONI**

## TOWN WARRANT

### The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lyndeborough in  
the County of Hillsborough in said State,  
qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall  
in said Lyndeborough on Tuesday, the fourteenth day  
of March, next, at 7:30 of the clock in the evening,  
to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer to borrow sums of money in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year.
4. To hear reports of all committees or take any votes relative thereto.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900 for the purchase of a new 11-foot snow plow for the use of the Highway Department.
6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the budget as prepared by the Budget Committee or make any alterations thereto.
7. To see if the Town will vote to add the following ordinance to the Zoning Regulations: Commercial or Industrial buildings and operations shall be permitted at the consent of the majority of the abutters. Ample space shall be provided on the property to



accomodate all such vehicles attracted by the business. When an objection is raised by an abutter of the property in question and/or by petition of ten or more citizens of the Town, the Board of Adjustment shall hold a public hearing to receive the evidence of both sides and shall have the authority to decide whether a permit shall be issued.

8. To see if the Town wishes to establish a committee consisting of the Selectmen, the Health Officer and the Fire Chief for the purpose of determining the feasibility of adopting the provisions of the Housing Standards Act as set forth in Chapter 48-A of the 1959 Supplement of New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated of 1955.

9. To see if the Town wishes to have the Selectmen investigate and take action relative to deriving an income from Citizen Hall by the leasing of a portion or the whole of said building.

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

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-third day of February in the year of our Lord 1961.

JOSEPH H. FAY, JR.,  
EARNEST E. VAN HAM,  
ARTHUR V. FULGONI,  
Selectmen of Lyndeborough.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOSEPH H. FAY, JR.,  
EARNEST E. VAN HAM,  
ARTHUR V. FULGONI,  
Selectmen of Lyndeborough.

## BUDGET

**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year  
January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961  
Compared with  
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures  
of the Previous Year Jan. 1, 1960 to Dec. 31, 1960**

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1961
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest and dividends tax	\$ 918.40	\$ 859.31	\$ 859.31
Railroad tax	160.00	95.23	95.23
Savings bank tax	26.66	16.24	16.24
Revenue from gas tax, maintenance allotment		3,868.68	3,908.46
For fighting forest fires		21.68	
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>			
Dog licenses	300.00	330.50	330.00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees		6.00	
Rent of town hall & other bldgs.	70.00	55.00	55.00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	350.00	336.73	300.00
Income from municipally owned utilities:			
Driveway plowing	650.00	630.00	630.00
Motor vehicle permit fees	2,800.00	3,505.81	3,500.00
Sale of town histories	300.00	72.00	72.00
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>			
(a) Poll taxes—reg. at \$2	350.00	474.00	500.00
(b) National bank stock taxes	.40	2.40	2.40
(c) Yield taxes (timber)	1,000.00	591.86	800.00
Total Revenues from All			
Sources Except Property Taxes	\$6,925.46	\$10,865.44	\$11,068.64

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1960	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1960	Appropri- ations Recom'd by Budget Committee 1961
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>			
<b>General Government:</b>			
Town officers' salaries	\$1,200.00	\$1,169.35	\$1,200.00
Town officers' expenses	1,500.00	1,397.30	1,500.00
Election & registration expenses	350.00	280.44	150.00
Municipal court expenses		83.19	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	300.00	262.24	300.00
Employees' retirement & soc. sec.	250.00	319.68	200.00
<b>Protection of Persons &amp; Property:</b>			
Police department	200.00	175.42	350.00
Fire department	1,400.00	1,527.47	1,400.00
Moth Exterm.— Blister rust and care of trees			400.00
Insurance	700.00	339.20	400.00
Damages and legal expenses	200.00	262.15	200.00
Civil defense	25.00		1.00
<b>Health:</b>			
Health dept., incl. hospitals	1.00	3.00	1.00
Vital statistics	20.00	10.00	15.00
Town dump & garbage removal	250.00	150.00	150.00
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
Tar	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Town maintenance—summer and maint. allot.	3,500.00	7,368.00	7,408.46
Town maintenance—winter	5,000.00	6,712.28	5,500.00
Street lighting	500.00	457.92	500.00
General exp. of highway dept.	1,600.00	3,090.96	2,000.00
Town road aid	928.98	928.98	931.04
<b>Libraries:</b>			
Libraries	450.00	450.00	450.00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>			
Town poor	1.00	58.57	200.00
Old age assistance	2,500.00	2,717.60	2,500.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Assoc.	150.00	150.00	150.00
Aid to soldiers & their families	1.00		1.00
<b>Recreation:</b>			
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	250.00	250.00	250.00
Public Service Enterprises:	50.00	20.00	50.00

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1960	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1960	Appropriations Rec'd By Budget Committee 1961
Cemeteries	500.00	604.00	600.00
Advertising & Regional Associations	76.00	76.00	
<b>Interest:</b>			
On temporary loans	475.00	631.26	500.00
On long term notes	230.00	180.17	180.00
<b>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:</b>			
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
New equipment	500.00	500.00	900.00
<b>Indebtedness:</b>			
<b>Payment on Principal of Debt:</b>			
(b) Long term notes	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$26,307.98</b>	<b>\$33,375.18</b>	<b>\$31,587.50</b>

**REPORT OF SELECTMEN  
INVENTORY OF APRIL 1960**

Land and Buildings:		
Resident	\$562,720 00	
Non-resident	295,930 00	
	-----	\$858,650 00
Electric Plants:		
Non-resident		42,665 00
Mills and Machinery:		
Resident	\$ 300 00	
Non-resident	1,600 00	
	-----	1,900 00
House Trailers:		
Resident		225 00
Stock in Trade:		
Resident		1,800 00
Boats:		
Resident		100 00
Horses and Mules:		
Resident	\$125 00	
Non-resident	25 00	
	-----	150 00
Cows:		
Resident	\$6,595 00	
Non-resident	3,240 00	
	-----	9,835 00
Neat Stock:		
Resident	\$720 00	
Non-resident	960 00	
	-----	1,680 00
Sheep:		
Resident		395 00
Fowl:		
Resident		200 00

Portable Mills (A) and Road Machinery (B):	
Resident:	
A.	\$ 300 00
B.	4,400 00
Non-resident:	
A.	4,000 00
	----- 8,700 00
Wood and Lumber:	
Non-resident	18,500 00
Total Valuation:	
Resident	\$577,880 00
Non-resident	367,560 00
	-----\$945,440 00
Value of property exempt to:	
Veterans	44,000 00
Blind	1,000 00
	-----
Net Valuation	\$900,440 00
Amount of taxes committed to Collector:	
Property	\$63,931 48
Poll	452 00
Nat'l. Bank Stock	40
Yield	743 32
Head	1,450 00
Tax Rate — \$7.10	

### BALANCE SHEET

Due School District (balance 1960-61 appropriation)	\$20,259 61
Due State, Head Taxes	395 00
Serial Notes	7,200 00
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Total Liabilities	\$27,854 61
<b>Available Means</b>	
Cash in hands of Treas., Dec. 31, 1960	\$ 9,695 05
Unredeemed taxes bought from Collector	333 21
Uncollected taxes due from Collector	11,758 35
Uncollected head taxes due from Collector	395 00
Uncollected yield taxes from Collector	383 28
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Total Assets	\$22,564 89
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	5,289 72
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Grand Total	\$27,854 61
Town Debt Dec. 31, 1959	\$4,155 13
Town Debt Dec. 31, 1960	\$5,289 72

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES  
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960**

	Appropriations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdrafts
Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,200.00		\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,168.85	\$ 31.15	
Town officers' expenses	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,397.30	102.70	
Election and registration	350.00		350.00	280.44	69.56	
Citizens' hall	100.00	\$ 15.00	115.00	83.19	31.81	
Town hall and other buildings	200.00	40.00	240.00	262.24		\$ 22.24
Police department	200.00		200.00	175.42	24.58	
York rake	500.00		500.00	500.00		
Fire department	1,400.00	21.68	1,421.68	1,527.53		105.85
Insurance	700.00	30.44	730.44	339.20	391.24	
Health department	1.00		1.00	3.00		2.00
Vital statistics	20.00		20.00	10.00	10.00	
Special tar	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,200.00		
Town dump	250.00		250.00	150.00	100.00	
Summer maintenance	7,368.68		7,368.68	7,368.00	.68	
Winter maintenance	5,000.00	630.00	5,630.00	6,712.28		1,082.28
T.R.A.	928.98		928.98	928.98		
Street lighting	500.00		500.00	457.92	42.08	



General expense of highway dept.	1,600.00	10.00	1,610.00	3,090.96	1,480.96
Libraries	450.00		450.00	450.00	
Old age assistance	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,717.60	217.60
Town welfare	1.00		1.00	58.57	57.57
Memorial Day	150.00	17.35	167.35	150.00	17.35
Parks and playground	50.00		50.00	20.00	30.00
Cemeteries	500.00	204.00	704.00	604.00	100.00
Damage and legal expenses	200.00		200.00	262.15	62.15
Advertising and Regional Association	76.00		76.00	76.00	
Social security	250.00	172.92	422.92	319.68	103.24
Temporary loan, interest	475.00		475.00	631.26	56.26
Serial note, interest	230.00		230.00	180.17	49.83
County tax	3,728.44		3,728.44	3,728.44	
	<u>\$31,629.10</u>	<u>\$1,141.39</u>	<u>\$32,770.49</u>	<u>\$34,853.18</u>	<u>\$1,104.22</u>
					1,982.69
					<u>\$3,086.91</u>
					<u>\$3,086.91</u>

### SERIAL NOTES OUTSTANDING

	Road Grader 2½%	Fire Truck 2½%	
	Original Amt.	Original Amt.	Total Amt. Maturities
1961	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
1962	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00
1963	1,200.00	1,000.00	2,200.00
1964	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
	-----	-----	-----
	\$3,200.00	\$4,000.00	\$7,200.00

### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town halls, land and buildings	\$ 9,000 00
Furniture and equipment	400 00
Library, land and building	2,500 00
Furniture and equipment	1,200 00
Highway department, land and equipment	8,000 00
Materials and supplies	250 00
Fire department, land and building	7,500 00
Equipment	7,000 00
School, land and building	60,000 00
Equipment	400 00
Town histories	2,881 50
	-----
Total	\$99,131 50

## REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

Auto permit fees	\$3,505 61
104 dogs at \$2.00	208 00
19 dogs at \$5.00	95 00
1 breeders' license at \$12.00	12 00
1 dog, $\frac{3}{4}$ year at \$5.00	3 75
1 dog, $\frac{3}{4}$ year at \$2.00	1 50
4 dogs, $\frac{1}{2}$ year at \$2.00	4 00
Fines on dogs	4 00
9 Town Histories at \$7.00	63 00
3 Town Histories at \$3.00	9 00
Filing fees	4 00
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Total Amount Received	\$3,909 86
Paid to Town Treasurer	3,912 31
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Overpaid Town Treasurer	\$2 45

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. SCHMIDT,  
Town Clerk.

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

### Summary of Warrant Property, Poll and Yield Taxes Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960:	
Property taxes	\$12,498 49
Poll taxes	114 00
Yield taxes	164 82
	----- \$12,777 31
Interest collected Jan. 1 to Mar. 8, 1960	19 67
	-----
Total Debits	\$12,796 98

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer, Jan. 1 to Mar. 8, 1960:	
Property taxes	\$2,474 26
Poll taxes	54 00
Yield taxes	28 20
Interest collected	19 67
	----- \$2,576 13
Uncollected taxes as per Collector's list, March 8, 1960:	
Property taxes	10,024 23
Poll taxes	60 00
Yield taxes	136 62
	-----
Total Credits	\$12,796 98

### Summary of Warrant State Head Taxes Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960	\$365 00
Penalties collected to Mar. 8, 1960	16 00
	-----
Total Debits	\$381 00

Cr.	
Remittances to Treasurer to Mar. 8, 1960:	
Head taxes	\$160 00
Penalties	16 00
Uncollected Head taxes as per Collector's list	205 00
	-----
Total Credits	\$381 00

**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1958**

Dr.	
Uncollected Yield taxes as of Jan. 1, 1960	\$42 00
Uncollected Poll taxes	12 00
Interest collected to Mar. 8, 1960	2 86
	-----
Total Debits	\$56 86

Cr.	
Remittances to Treasurer:	
Yield taxes	\$42 00
Interest	2 86
Uncollected Poll taxes as per Collector's list	12 00
	-----
Total Credits	\$56 86

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. MEACOM,  
Tax Collector.

**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1960**

Dr.

Taxes committed to Collector:		
Property taxes	\$63,931 48	
Poll taxes	460 00	
National Bank Stock taxes	40	
Total Warrant	-----	\$64,391 88
Yield taxes		743 32
Added Taxes:		
Poll taxes	\$2 00	
National Bank Stock taxes	2 00	
	-----	4 00
Overpayment property tax		32
Interest collected		70
		-----
Total Debits		\$65,140 22

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property taxes	\$52,301 45	
Poll taxes	340 00	
National Bank Stock taxes	2 40	
Yield taxes	511 58	
Interest collected	70	
	-----	\$53,156 13
Abatements:		
Poll taxes		2 00
Uncollected as per Collector's list:		
Property taxes	\$11,630 35	
Poll taxes	118 00	
Duplication in Warrant — Poll tax	2 00	
Yield taxes	231 74	
	-----	11,982 09
Total Credits		\$65,140 22

**Summary of Warrant  
State Head Taxes  
Levy of 1960**

Dr.		
State Head Taxes committed to Collector:		
Original Warrant	\$1,450 00	
Added taxes	10 00	
Total commitment	-----	\$1,460 00
Penalties collected		3 00
		-----
Total Debits		\$1,463 00
Cr.		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head taxes	\$1,085 00	
Penalties	3 00	
	-----	\$1,088 00
Abatements		5 00
Uncollected as per Collector's list		370 00
		-----
Total Credits		\$1,463 00

**Summary of Warrant  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1959**

Dr.		
Uncollected taxes as of Mar. 7, 1960:		
Property taxes	\$10,024 23	
Poll taxes	60 00	
Yield taxes	136 62	
	-----	\$10,220 85
Interest collected during fiscal year ending December 31, 1960		329 96
Added Poll taxes in 1960		4 00
Overpayment of 1959 tax		49 37
Collector's Cash Overage (property tax)		08
		-----
Total Debits		\$10,604 26

	Cr.	
Remittances to Treasurer during fiscal year ending December 31, 1960:		
Property taxes	\$10,061 83	
Poll taxes	64 00	
Yield Taxes	10 08	
Interest collected	329 96	
	-----	\$10,465 87
Abatements during year:		
Property taxes		11 85
Uncollected taxes per Collector's list:		
Yield taxes		126 54
		-----
Total Credits		\$10,604 26

**Summary of Warrant  
State Head Taxes  
Levy of 1959**

	Dr.	
Uncollected taxes as of March 7, 1960		\$205 00
Penalties collected during 1960		20 50
		-----
Total Debits		\$225 50

	Cr.	
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head taxes		\$205 00
Penalties collected during 1960		20 50
		-----
Total Credits		\$225 50

**Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of Dec. 31, 1960**

	Dr.		
Tax Sales on account of Levies of:			
	1959	1958	Previous Years
(a) Taxes sold to Town dur- ing current fiscal year	\$283.84		



(b) Balance of unredeemed taxes, Jan. 1, 1960		\$382.31	\$1,284.44
Int. col. after sale	.13	2.43	12.78
		<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Total Debits	\$283.97	\$384.74	\$1,297.22

	Cr.		
Remittances to Treasurer during year	\$ 14.68	\$ 29.24	\$ 52.08
Omitted int. pay.	.13		5.58
Unredeemed taxes at close of year	269.16	355.50	1,239.56
	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>	<u>          </u>
Total Credits	\$283.97	\$384.74	\$1,297.22

Unredeemed Taxes due from Collector	\$ 1,877 55
Uncollected Taxes due from Collector	11,630 35
Uncollected Head Taxes due from Collector	370 00
Uncollected Yield Taxes due from Collector	231 74
Uncollected Poll Taxes due from Collector	118 00
Uncollected 1958 Head Taxes	5 00
Uncollected 1957 Head Taxes	10 00
Uncollected 1955 Head Taxes	5 00
Uncollected 1954 Head Taxes	5 00
Uncollected 1958 Poll Taxes	2 00
Uncollected 1957 Poll Taxes	4 00
Uncollected 1955 Poll Taxes	2 00
Uncollected 1954 Poll Taxes	2 00
Uncollected 1954 Yield Taxes	25 00
Uncollected 1959 Yield Taxes	126 54

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. SCHMIDT, JR.,  
Tax Collector.

**REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER**  
**For the Year Ending December 31, 1960**

Cash on hand January 1, 1960		\$14,685 40
Received from State Treasurer:		
Railroad tax 1959	\$ 95 23	
Forest fire account	9 40	
Forest Fire Warden training	12 28	
Interest and dividend tax 1960	859 31	
Gas tax apportionment	3,868 68	
Savings bank tax	16 24	
Reimbursement 1960 head tax	6 41	
Refund — overpayment on 1960 head tax	53 55	
Total Received from State Treas. -----		4,921 10
Received from the Souhegan National Bank:		
Temporary loan, March 1960	\$25,000 00	
Temporary loan, Sept. 1960	15,000 00	
Total Received from Souhegan National Bank -----		40,000 00
Received from Helen M. Meacom, Collector:		
Property taxes, 1959	\$2,474 76	
Regular polls, 1959	54 00	
Yield taxes, 1959	70 20	
Interest, 1959	22 53	
Head taxes, 1959 —	160 00	
Head tax penalties, 1959	16 00	
Total Received from Helen M. Mecom -----		2,797 49
Received from Edward Schmidt, Jr., Collector:		
Property taxes, 1960	\$52,301 45	
Property taxes, 1959	9,700 41	
Annual tax sales, 1959	312 05	
Interest on '59 annual tax sales	21 16	
Refund — overpayment on 1959 tax sales	49 37	

National bank stock	2 40	
Regular polls, 1960	338 00	
Regular polls, 1959	64 00	
Regular polls, 1958	10 00	
Regular polls, 1957	8 00	
Yield taxes, 1960	511 58	
Yield taxes, 1959	10 08	
Property tax sales redeemed,		
1959 plus interest and costs	14 68	
Property tax sales redeemed, 1958	59 25	
Interest and costs on 1958 tax sale	6 20	
Property tax sale redeemed, plus		
1 head tax and 1 poll tax, '58	26 81	
Int. and cost for above 1958 taxes	2 43	
Property tax sale redeemed, 1957	44 88	
Interest and costs on above		
1957 tax sale	7 20	
Interest, 1960	70	
Interest, 1959	290 40	
Interest, 1958	78	
Interest, 1957	1 16	
Head tax, 1960	1,085 00	
Head tax penalties, 1960	3 00	
Head taxes, 1959	205 00	
Head tax penalties, 1959	20 50	
Head taxes, 1958	30 00	
Head tax penalties, 1958	3 00	
Head tax, 1957	20 00	
Head tax penalties, 1957	2 00	
Reimbursement 1959, from Joseph		
Gagliola	12 00	
Total Received from	-----	
Edward Schmidt, Jr.		65,163 49
Received from Edward Schmidt, Clerk:		
Auto permits	\$3,505 81	
Dog licenses	330 50	
Town histories	72 00	

Filing fees	4 00	
Total Received from	-----	
Edward Schmidt, Sr., Clerk		3,912 31
Refunds:		
Motor Sales & Service	\$10 00	
Memorial Day	17 35	
H. D. Cheever Agency	29 44	
Total Refunds	-----	56 79
Miscellaneous Receipts:		
Lyndeboro Fire Insurance	\$ 1 00	
Rent of town hall, 1959	21 50	
Rent of town hall, 1960	18 50	
Pistol permit, 1960	2 00	
Rent of Citizens' hall & armory	15 00	
Perpetual Care Fund	204 00	
Driveway plowing	630 00	
Social Security, 1960	172 92	
Total Miscellaneous Receipts	-----	1,064 92
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Grand Total		\$132,601 50
Less Selectmen's Order		122,906 45
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Balance January 1, 1961		\$ 9,695 05

Respectfully submitted,

NORMA S. WALKER,  
Town Treasurer.

## RECEIPTS

Property taxes, current year	\$52,301 45
Poll taxes, current year	338 50
Property & poll taxes, previous years	12,703 13
Tax sales redeemed	96 00
From State Treasurer	4,861 14
Head taxes and penalties	1,544 50
Dog licenses	330 50
Yield taxes	591 86
Rent of town property	55 00
Interest	311 21
Motor vehicle registration	3,516 37
Miscellaneous and refunds	299 35
Town histories	72 00
Temporary loans	40,000 00
Driveway plowing	630 00
Cash in hands of Treasurer, Jan. 1, 1960	14,685 40
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Total	\$132,601 50

## EXPENDITURES

Souhegan National Bank – Interest and bank	
charges debited from bank account:	
Interest	\$63 54
Charges	50
	----- \$ 64 04
Town officers' salaries	1,168 85
Town officers' expenses	1,397 30
Election and registration	280 44
Citizens' hall	83 19
Town hall and other buildings	262 24
Police department	175 42
York rake	500 00
Fire department	1,527 53
Bounties	1 50
Insurance	339 20

Health department	3 00
Vital statistics	10 00
Tar appropriation	1,200 00
Town dump	150 00
Summer maintenance	7,368 00
Winter maintenance	6,712 28
T. R. A.	928 98
Street lighting	457 92
General expenses of highway dept.	3,090 96
Library	450 00
O. A. A.	2,717 60
Town welfare	58 57
Memorial Day	150 00
Parks and playgrounds	20 00
Head tax	1,277 05
Cemeteries	604 00
Regional association	76 00
Taxes bought by town	333 21
Refunds	6 70
Social Security	319 68
Wilton Youth Center	250 00
Interest	747 89
Temporary loans	40,000 00
Serial notes	2,000 00
County tax	3,728 44
School District	44,184 31
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Total payments for all purposes	\$122,906 45
Cash on hand, December 31, 1960	9,695 05
Grand Total	\$132,601 50

## DETAILED STATEMENTS OF PAYMENTS

### Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries less Soc. Sec.:

Appropriation \$1,200.00

Joseph H. Fay, Jr., selectman's salary	\$ 194 00
Ernest E. Van Ham, selectman's salary	145 50
Arthur V. Fulgoni, selectman's salary	145 50
Helen M. Meacom, balance Collector's salary	24 75
Edward H. Schmidt, Jr., collector's salary	194 00
Norma S. Walker, treasurer's salary	261 90
Edward H. Schmidt, Sr., clerk's salary	48 50
Prescott R. Dow, auditor's salary	48 50
Barbara Maki, auditor's salary	48 50
Frederick Lorette, Overseer of Public Welfare salary	58 20
	\$1,169 35

### Detail 2. Town Officers' Expenses:

Appropriation \$1,500.00

Edith Ross	\$ 40 20
The Cabinet Press, printing reports and notices	507 16
Austin Holt, expenses	4 85
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	3 00
Town and city	10 00
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	9 68
Nashua Trust Co.	3 15
Arthur V. Fulgoni, expenses	43 05
Joseph H. Fay, Jr., expenses	29 88
Sears Roebuck Co., supplies	49 95
Edward H. Schmidt, Jr., expenses and commissions	119 74
Brown & Saltmarsh, supplies	77 83
Donat Corriveau	10 52
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, dues	3 00
The Cheever Agency, town officers' bonds	150 80
Charles R. Hardy, treasurer, town clerk's dues	3 00
Wheeler & Clark, supplies	1 65

Wilton National Bank, safe rental	5 50
Sargent Bros., supplies	15 70
Norma S. Walker, supplies	2 00
Spaulding-Moss, maps	17 39
Edward H. Schmidt, Sr., expenses and fees	299 25

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\$1,407 30

**Detail 3. Election and Registration:**

Appropriation \$350.00

Harold P. Parker, moderator	\$ 29 40
Austin Holt, ballot clerk	10 00
Robert T. Johnson, supervisor	72 75
Mary Mackintosh, supervisor	69 35
Clayton S. Brown, supervisor	69 84
Percy W. Putnam, ballot clerk	29 10

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\$280 44

**Detail 4. Citizens' Hall:**

Appropriation \$100.00

Public Service Co., electric service	\$24 99
Wallace A. Dole, janitor service	58 20

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\$83 19

**Detail 5. Town Hall:**

Appropriation \$200.00

Public Service Co., electric service	\$ 46 42
Joslin Hardware Co., supplies	22 35
Andrew Fowler, janitor service	149 47
Kenneth Mills, cord wood	44 00

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\$262 24

**Detail 6. Police Department:**

Appropriation \$200.00

Richard Cheever, police duty and expenses	\$144 26
Robert Mackintosh, police duty and expenses	31 16

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\$175 42



**Detail 7. Fire Department:**

Appropriation \$1,400.00

Bernier Electronic Service, repairs to fire alarm	\$ 29 14
William A. Blanchard	25 11
Stephen Sherman, supplies	2 75
The Village Store, gasoline	31 54
James A. Coffin, supplies	379 00
Public Service Co., electric service	92 43
Draper Fuel Co., Inc., fuel	171 43
Joslin Hardware Co., supplies	24 42
Phelps Photo Maps	6 00
Edward H. Schmidt, Jr., Forest Fire Warden and expenses	95 19
Milford Motor Co., tow hooks	9 95
Roy A. Taylor, repairs	15 50
Wilton Telephone Co., telephone service	49 00
C. H. Cragin & Son, repairs	6 00
Treas. State of N. H., supplies	4 08
Kapner & Co., battery charger	10 40
N. H. Welding Supply, oxygen	3 70
Lyndeboro Heating, repairs	36 61
McLeod Co., oxygen	3 70
Philip Parker, install siren	19 91
Eastern States, anti-freeze	7 19
A. E. Bartlett, gasoline	4 42
Town of Wilton, fire alarm	500 00
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	\$1,527 47

**Detail 8. Insurance:**

Appropriation \$700.00

Mass. Bonding Co., volunteer firemen insurance	\$169 50
H. D. Cheever Agency, Workmen's Comp.	153 20
Lyndeboro Mutual, fire station insurance	16 50
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	\$339 20

**Detail 9. Town Maintenance:**

Appropriation \$7,368.68

Summer:

Earl A. Bullard \$7,368 00

Appropriation \$5,000.00

Winter:

Earl A. Bullard \$4,830 00

Merrimack Farmers' Exchange 668 26

Earl A. Bullard 464 39

Warren Murdo 135 92

Clayton Brown 163 73

Charles Wilcox 54 11

Roy Sumner 37 98

Wells Foote 7 27

Eastern Auto Parts, supplies 19 91

Scott Machinery, supplies 30 65

Walter Dow 6 06

Edward H. Schmidt, Jr. 77 00

Grace Curtis 211 00

Parker Farms 6 00

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\$6,712 28

**Detail 10. Special Tar Appropriation:**

Appropriation \$1,200.00

Earl A. Bullard \$1,200 00

**Detail 11. General Expense of Highway Dept.:**

Appropriation \$1,600.00

Monson's Texaco Service, repairs \$ 42 40

R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc. 78 93

The Village Store, gasoline and oil 34 24

L. W. Potter, repairs 88 66

Chappell Tractor Sales, parts 5 65

Joslin Hardware Co., supplies 26 78

Mobil Oil Co., gasoline 87 14

Joe Thompson's Garage, welding 87 50

Russell Riddle, Jr., welding	45 00
Ray Road Equip., cutting edges	355 38
Willard's, supplies	22 00
Northeast Eng. & Parts Co., parts	41 71
Draper Fuel Co., gasoline and oil	531 93
Levin Farm Equipment Co., parts	22 50
Wilton Auto Station, repairs	17 65
Scott Machinery Co., parts	9 75
The County Stores, drill	3 98
Danel Supply Co., chains	33 28
A. E. Bartlett, gasoline and oil	31 80
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, salt	417 39
Beebe Oil Co., road oil	168 00
Ralph Leach	55 65
R. C. Mackintosh, supplies	7 63
Motor Service & Supply Co.	869 57
International Harvester Co., parts	6 44

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\$3,090 96

**Detail 12. Interest:**

Appropriation \$705.00

Temporary loans	\$631 26
Serial notes	180 17

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\$811 43

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

### Summer Work

Wages after Social Security and Withholding Tax are withheld:	
Clayton S. Brown, labor	\$1,091 54
Warren Murdo, labor	475 63
Earl A. Bullard, labor	357 27
Arthur Merrill, labor	760 33
Kenneth Merrill, labor	141 30
Harvey Call, labor	13 09
Wallace Dole, labor	14 55
Austin Holt, labor	10 91
Director of Internal Revenue	63 70
Norma S. Walker, Social Security	90 63
Guy Nelson, equipment	108 00
Earl A. Bullard, equipment	2,421 35
Dean Russell, equipment	69 20
James Tuttle, equipment	32 90
Ronald Vaillancourt, equipment	91 40
Richard Wilson, equipment	126 80
Edward Elliott, equipment	99 00
Harold Wilson, equipment	36 90
Clyde Eaton, equipment	14 10
William Benotti, equipment	36 90
Town of Wilton, equipment	36 90
Granite State Asphalt, patch	265 20
James McEntee, labor on culvert at Kanter's	66 00
R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc., culvert	26 80
N. E. Culvert Corp., culvert	67 06
McKay & Wright, sand and gravel	239 41
Warren Murdo, sand	9 00
Grace Dolliver, sand	19 00
Carl D. Abbott, gravel	8 80
Glenny S. Cutter, gravel	27 60
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., tar	1,737 47
Bank charges	9 26
Total	<hr/> \$8,568 00

### Winter Work

Wages after Social Security and	
Withholding Tax are withheld:	
Clayton S. Brown, labor	\$ 582 51
Earl A. Bullard, labor	667 34
Warren Murdo, labor	388 84
Arthur Merrill, labor	149 65
Kenneth Merrill, labor	9 70
George Clark, labor	21 82
George Smith, labor	40 07
James Tuttle, labor	58 20
Charles Wilcox, labor	309 23
Roland E. Parker, Jr., labor	56 29
Walter Dow, labor	26 67
John A. Parker, labor	3 64
Edward H. Schmidt, Jr., equipment	267 00
Parker Farms, equipment	101 30
Mrs. Grace Curtis, equipment	144 00
Earl A. Bullard, equipment	1,796 27
Director of Internal Revenue	127 30
Norma S. Walker, Social Security	75 53
Bank charges	4 64
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Total	\$4,830 00
Received from Selectmen	\$13,398 00
Total Expenses	\$13,398 00

Respectfully submitted,

EARL A. BULLARD,  
Road Agent.

## AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the books, receipts, payments and reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Road Agent, Overseer of Public Welfare, Police Officer, Library Trustees, Board of Health and Memorial Day and find them to be correctly cast and properly vouched for the year ending December 31, 1960, to the best of our knowledge.

PRESCOTT R. DOW,  
BARBARA MAKI,  
Auditors.

February 28, 1961

## REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD

The Planning Board met several times during the year. After due consideration we held two Public Hearings and have decided to offer for your approval another article for the Zoning Regulations.

The State Planning and Development Commission have informed Mrs. Helen Van Ham that the Lyndeboro Town Maps will be available at a small cost about March 14. Mrs. Van Ham has done all the work on these maps.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM D. SHINN, Chairman  
MRS. MARION THOMPSON, Secretary  
E. GEORGE WARREN  
MRS. EDITH D. ROSS  
ARTHUR V. FULGONI

## REPORT OF THE LYNDEBOROUGH POLICE DEPARTMENT 1960

We were kept rather busy answering the various calls and complaints.

Motor vehicle accidents	4
Stolen vehicles	1
Court appearances	4
House Breaks	2
Assault complaints	2
Domestic complaints	2
Dog complaints	7
Vandalism	2
Public meetings	4
All fire calls and other miscellaneous calls.	

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD W. CHEEVER,  
Chief of Police.

## REPORT OF TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

Balance unexpended income, Jan. 1, 1960	\$1,156 89
Income for 1960	449 77
	\$1,606 66
Paid School Treasurer	\$ 44 88
Paid Library Treasurer	7 97
Paid Cemetery Trustee	255 75
Balance unexpended income, Jan. 1, 1961	1,298 06
	\$1,606 66

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. WILCOX,  
Trustee of Trust Funds.

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Lyndeborough on December 31, 1960

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	PRINCIPAL			INCOME			
				Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Feb. 1, 1899	Town Literary Fund	Income for Schools	Merchants Savings Bank	125 50		\$125 50		\$ 4 99	\$ 4 99	
Feb. 1, 1899	Town Literary Fund (Israel Cram Fund)	Income for Schools	Merchants Savings Bank	400 00		400 00		15 96	15 96	
Sept. 1, 1905	Town Literary Fund	Income for Schools	Merchants Savings Bank	500 00		500 00		19 96	19 96	
Sept. 15, 1907	Town Literary Fund	Income for Schools	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	64 55	3 97	3 97	82 09
Feb. 15, 1909	E. Provo	Income for Schools	Merchants Savings Bank	500 00		500 00	80 57	5 00	5 00	
May 8, 1910	Daniel Proctor	Cemetery	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	6 67	4 00	4 00	69 76
Apr. 19, 1911	B. F. & W. E. Fiske		Merchants Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	9 96	3 00	3 00	11 33
Mar. 26, 1913	Mary Cram Pettengill		Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00		50 00	3 45	4 10	1 50	4 10
May 20, 1919	Joseph A. Tarbell		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	20 09	3 00	3 00	21 95
Oct. 22, 1920	Clintie M. Duntlee		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	30 72	4 00	4 00	32 02
Jan. 11, 1921	Belle L. Boutwell		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	65 54	6 70	6 70	69 24
Mar. 14, 1922	Frank E. Cummings		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		150 00	13 26	6 61	4 00	15 87
Dec. 29, 1922	Bradford & Emery		Amoskeag Savings Bank	150 00		100 00	23 56	5 00	3 00	25 56
Nov. 22, 1924	Jennie Rose		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	18 68	2 50	2 50	20 99
Oct. 11, 1925	Edgar Danforth		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	15 17	4 66	3 00	16 83
Apr. 21, 1926	William H. Bowen		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	25 74	5 10	3 00	30 84
Sept. 22, 1926	Potter and Emery		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	19 83	4 86	3 00	21 69
Jan. 17, 1928	David E. Proctor		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		50 00	4 32	2 18	3 00	3 50
Dec. 16, 1927	Mrs. William F. Fields		Amoskeag Savings Bank	50 00		50 00	5 74	1 50	1 50	6 48
Apr. 25, 1928	Daniel Cragin		Amoskeag Savings Bank	200 00		200 00	22 44	9 01	4 00	27 45
June 29, 1928	Walter E. Chamberlain		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	53 35	4 99	6 00	22 34
July 8, 1928	Hartwell M. Stephenson		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	34 05	5 43	3 00	36 48
July 16, 1928	Ida B. Woodward		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	16 33	7 63	3 00	23 96
July 5, 1929	Josephine Woodward		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	15 18	4 66	4 00	16 84
Sept. 28, 1929	Charles M. Livemore	All Cemetery	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	5 25	4 26	4 00	5 51
May 29, 1931	Roland H. Boutwell		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	31 60	5 32	4 00	32 92
Aug. 27, 1931	Harvey E. Woodward		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	7 91	3 37	3 00	9 28
Jan. 19, 1932	Edwin H. Putham		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	38 80	5 63	4 00	40 43
May 16, 1932	S. Ada Perham		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	11 19	4 50	3 50	12 19
Aug. 29, 1932	Mrs. C. M. G. Johnson		Amoskeag Savings Bank	150 00		150 00	7 17	6 36	3 00	10 53
Aug. 29, 1932	Charles F. Burnham		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	7 16	4 34	4 00	11 50
Aug. 29, 1932	Edward L. Curtis		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	19 18	4 82	3 00	21 00
May 22, 1935	Dr. Elizabeth Rice		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	10 27	4 46	3 00	11 73
July 12, 1935	Emma S. Barden		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	6 24	4 30	3 00	9 54
Sept. 28, 1935	F. T. Grant		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	12 51	4 55	3 00	13 06
Mar. 27, 1936	Georgia A. Miller		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	4 27	4 27	3 00	7 54
Sept. 2, 1936	Lois E. McIntire		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	9 88	4 45	3 00	11 33
Apr. 26, 1937	Mary B. Hartshorn		Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00		100 00	2 03	2 03	3 00	1 50
July 1, 1946	Dr. William A. Jones		Merchants Savings Bank	50 00		50 00			1 50	1 50



Date	Name	Account	50 00	100 00	50 00	100 00	1 08	2 03	1 25	1 86
July 1, 1946	Edward W. Dolliver	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	50 00	100 00	16 58	4 72	3 00	18 30
Mar. 31, 1938	Albert Barrows - Hardy	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	12 47	4 54	3 00	14 01
Mar. 31, 1938	Elbert Barrows	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	32 12	9 27	5 00	36 89
Nov. 13, 1939	Jane D. Joslin	Merchants Savings Bank	200 00	200 00	100 00	100 00	11 94	4 54	3 00	13 48
Feb. 1, 1942	Florence P. White	Amoskeag Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	16 50	4 31	3 00	17 81
Aug. 1, 1943	Mina B. Kimball	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	8 19	4 31	3 00	9 50
May 8, 1945	Miles E. Wallace	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	7 23	4 27	3 00	8 50
May 8, 1945	Major Phillip E. Cummings	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	3 19	4 12	3 00	4 31
July 1, 1946	Dr. Alfred F. Holt	U. S. Sav. Bonds, Series G	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	6 65	5 48	3 00	9 13
Jan. 1, 1947	Clement & Woodward	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	5 66	4 19	3 00	6 85
Jan. 1, 1947	Addie F. Burnham	Merchants Savings Bank	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	9 63	3 61	7 00	6 24
Jan. 12, 1948	Dana W. Sargent	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	41 16	6 12	6 00	41 28
Sept. 25, 1948	Percy W. Putnam	Merchants Savings Bank	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	5 95	08	2 00	18 18
Sept. 25, 1948	Charles H. Fellows	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	200 00	200 00	200 00	200 00	2 73	2 62	3 00	5 68
Feb. 24, 1949	Curtis P. Mason	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	3 80	2 62	3 00	3 42
June 8, 1950	George W. Eastman	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1 68	2 54	2 50	1 72
June 8, 1950	Moses Fuller	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 79	7 97	3 00	5 70
June 8, 1950	John T. Stewart	Merchants Savings Bank	200 00	200 00	200 00	200 00	9 42	6 60	7 00	9 02
Mar. 5, 1951	Belle L. Boutwell	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	2 98	5 13	2 50	5 61
Jan. 22, 1951	Charles H. Tarbell	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	200 00	200 00	200 00	200 00	6 77	4 23	3 00	8 00
Jan. 22, 1951	Frank A. Pettengill	U. S. Sav. Bonds Series C	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	20 55	8 79	3 00	26 34
May 14, 1951	Warren, Bishop, Nye	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	29 33	9 15	4 00	34 48
June 4, 1952	Harry L. Carkin	Merchants Savings Bank	200 00	200 00	200 00	200 00	63 26	14 50	3 00	74 76
Mar. 9, 1953	F. Perley Richardson	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	9 99	4 38	3 00	11 37
Apr. 8, 1953	Charles E. Putnam	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	8 13	4 31	3 00	9 44
Sept. 8, 1953	Jenny M. Joslin	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	5 78	4 19	3 00	6 97
Jan. 7, 1954	Delaney and Putnam	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 64	4 16	3 00	5 80
Feb. 11, 1954	Neil C. Head	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	5 44	4 19	3 00	6 63
Aug. 9, 1954	Ira R. Brown	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 36	4 16	3 00	5 52
Aug. 15, 1955	Reynolds Caldwell	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1 89	2 05	2 50	6 79
Sept. 21, 1955	Samuel N. Hartshorn	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1 89	2 05	2 50	6 79
Sept. 21, 1955	Eva Cook	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	5 96	4 21	3 00	7 17
Oct. 18, 1955	Dana P. Hadley	Merchants Savings Bank	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	3 82	4 12	3 00	4 94
Nov. 21, 1955	Howell G. Wilcox	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 35	4 16	3 00	5 51
Jan. 16, 1956	Thomas B. Edwards	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	5 22	4 19	3 00	6 41
Aug. 5, 1956	A. L. Curtis	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 35	4 16	3 00	5 51
Nov. 5, 1956	Renier P. De Vries	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 35	4 16	3 00	5 51
Apr. 24, 1957	Henric-Cole	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1 68	2 05	2 00	6 51
July 16, 1957	Perley Fletcher	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	7 18	4 27	3 00	8 45
July 16, 1957	E. Farmer	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	3 46	4 12	3 00	4 58
July 18, 1957	Fred and Philip Tirrell	Merchants Savings Bank	50 00	50 00	50 00	50 00	1 31	2 03	1 00	2 34
June 26, 1956	Baker-Kinsman	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	5 84	4 19	3 00	7 03
Oct. 9, 1957	L. N. Buker	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	4 71	4 04	2 00	5 87
Dec. 9, 1957	W. F. Herriek	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1 46	4 04	2 00	3 50
May 8, 1958	Joseph & Gladys Fitzgerald	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	58	2 34	1 50	3 08
Aug. 11, 1958	Hilt Sisters	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1156 89	4 04	2 00	3 50
July 15, 1959	C. D. Warner	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1 58	4 04	2 00	3 50
Sept. 28, 1959	John E. Dolliver	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	34	2 34	1 50	3 08
May 11, 1960	Rosie A. Mann	Merchants Savings Bank	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00	1156 89	2 34	1 50	3 08
			\$10525 50	100 00	\$10625 50	100 00		\$449 77	308 60	1298 06

All Cemetery

Cemetery

Library

## J. A. TARBELL LIBRARY

### Report of the Treasurer For the Year Ending December 31, 1960

#### RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1960	\$ 83 90	
Fines	5 50	
Town appropriation	450 00	
Trust fund	7 97	
	-----	\$547 37

#### EXPENSES

Social Security	\$ 8 07	
Library Book House	82 68	
Magazines	30 97	
Postage	50	
Librarian, Marian Stearns	150 00	
Janitor, Charles O'Hara	75 00	
Check book	2 00	
Draper Fuel	28 00	
Box rent, year 1961	80	
Fire extinguisher	33 18	
Marian Stearns, one book	4 50	
	-----	\$415 70

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1960 \$131 67

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH D. ROSS,

Treasurer.

#### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

##### "Your Library Is a Treasure Chest of Books"

As the year of 1960 is drawing to a close, I am thinking of the pleasant visits I have had with my readers. Now is the time for me to report to you of our activities.

The service the State Library has offered has been most helpful. We were able to borrow a great number of books on different subjects ranging from History to Science. The Bookmobile made its usual calls, leaving

us some good books on all subjects. They loaned us two exhibits, one on "How to Do It" about remodeling, etc., and the other on "Teenagers and Their Problems."

We are indebted to Miss Mona Gove, Miss Edna Cole, Mrs. James Putnam, Mrs. French, Mrs. Fulgoni, and Miss Phraner for their gifts of books which helped to supplement our orders.

Mrs. Charles Ballou gave us two books, one of "Rug Exhibits" and the other "Beautiful Braiding." "Beautiful Braiding" is one that all who are interested in the art of braiding can find most helpful.

We are receiving the same magazines as last year, **The Popular Science, National Geographic, Saturday Evening Post, McCalls, Look and Time.** Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kimball renewed our subscription to **The American Heritage** magazine for which we are most grateful. We also still receive **The Milford Cabinet.**

In July we exhibited Litterbug posters made by the Lyndeborough School children. This was under the direction of Miss Marion Kanter, Conservation Director here in this vicinity. All the posters were well made and each conveyed a worthwhile message.

Also during the summer we had the honor and pleasure of meeting and talking with Mrs. Sanford Tarbell, daughter-in-law of the Mr. Tarbell who gave us our lovely building.

As many of you will recall our building will be 50 years old this coming August. I hope we can have a special celebration and all who are interested will make it an occasion to be long remembered.

A very good friend, Miss Gove, gave her time and straightened out our shelves so the books are easier to locate now.

During National Book Week, November 14 through the 19th, Mrs. Peters brought her classes to visit the Library. The Librarian gave a talk about the use of the Library. It was a pleasure to meet and talk with the boys and girls.

In November my three Trustees and I attended a Neighborhood Meeting at the Gregg Free and Wilton Public Library. Mrs. Hopkins, of the State Library, was the speaker. Her topic was **Teenage Books**. She made it most interesting and gave some very good suggestions. Each Library represented received a gift book. Ours was "Words of Science and the History Behind Them" by Isaac Asimov. Also as a special prize two other books, one of them "Book Bait" gives suggestions on what books to buy, and the other "Anthology of Animal Tales," by Ivan Sanderson.

Listed below are a few of the new books we have purchased in 1960:

- "Trustee From the Toolroom" by Nevil Shute.
- "No Room in the Ark" by Alan Moorehead.
- "The Lighted Heart" by Elizabeth Yates.
- "The Lovely Ambition" by Mary Ellen Chase.
- "The American Heritage Picture History of the Civil War" by Richard Ketchum.
- "Old Peppersass" (the locomotive that climbed Mount Washington) by Leonard Stevens.

Here is our circulation for the year:

Fiction	446
Non-Fiction	478
Juvenile	746
Bookmobile	272

We are still hoping for our rest room accommodations.

Our hours are the same as last year. Summer, 2:30 to 5:00 in the afternoon and 7:00 to 8:00 in the evenings. In the winter, 2:30 to 6:00 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION P. STEARNS,  
Librarian.

December 31, 1960  
South Lyndeboro, N. H.

## REPORT OF THE LYNDEBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

There were nine fires during the year, four chimney fires, one house fire due to faulty wiring, two brush fires and two calls to the schoolhouse. There was no fire at the schoolhouse either time, the siren located on the outside of the building near the furnace room was set off by an overheated furnace.

There was one call for the resuscitator.

Through the kindness of Mr. Joseph Van Norman, the Fire Department was given the right to lower the riser to the bottom of the well, so the station will not be without water at any time.

The Fire Department purchased 200 feet of 2½-inch hose and a new fog nozzle for the 1½-inch hose.

They also had the old siren, which was formerly used at the fire house, installed on the apple house at George Parker's, for members of the Fire Department at Perham Corner.

The members painted the meeting room ceiling, walls and floor and it is a great improvement.

The Selectmen have been most cooperative and Lyndeboro has a very conscientious fire department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHIEF STEPHEN R. SHERMAN

## FIRE WARDEN REPORT

### Prevention Is Your Business

Carelessness, human carelessness, causes 9 out of 10 forest fires. Each year 200,000 fires burn over 30 million acres in the United States. This represents 5 per cent of our nation's woodlands being wasted each year. Every fire takes its toll. Floods follow; stream flow is affected; timber, buildings, grazing and wildlife are destroyed — all because MANY are CARELESS with

fire in and near woodland. This can be remedied. YOU can put an end to this shameful waste! PREVENTION is YOUR business!

YOU, whether YOU be a farmer, homemaker, business or professional man or woman, municipal, state or federal official, clerk or woodsman can play an important part in the continuing and vital prevention program.

First — by setting a good example YOURSELF — being sensible and complying with the necessary laws and regulations governing the use of fire in and near woodlands.

Second — by using YOUR individual influence in your community and valued counsel with others in insisting and encouraging them to do likewise.

The following simple rules may be used as a guide both for YOU and for them:

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

Number of local fires	2
Number of acres burned	1/2
Number of permits issued	110

WINTHROP H. HANNAFORD,  
District Chief.  
EDWARD SCHMIDT, JR,  
Forest Fire Warden.

**OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE REPORT**  
**For the Year Ending December 31, 1960**

We have at this time one family on welfare. Investigation revealed the applicant was in real need.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK LORETTE

**REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES -- 1960**

Cash on hand January 1, 1960	\$ 7 85
Received from Appropriation	500 00
Sale of burial lots -- Guy Reynolds, Don Maki, Wells Foote	30 00
	\$537 85
Total Payments	\$692 42
Deficit as of January 1, 1961	-154 57
	\$537 85

**PAYMENTS**

Charles O'Hara, labor and use use of mowers	\$449 89
Edward Hamel, labor	151 24
Use of mower No. 2	56 50
General care, truck	21 60
Social security tax	10 19
Bank charges	3 00
	\$692 42
Deficit as of January 1, 1961	-154 57
	\$537 85

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES B. O'HARA,  
Treasurer of Trustees.

**ZONING ORDINANCE**  
**for the**  
**TOWN OF LYNDEBOROUGH, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

As voted at the special Town Meeting on April 14, 1959, 7:30 p.m.

An ordinance to promote the health, safety, morals, convenience and general welfare of the community in regulating the use of land in the Town of Lyndeborough.

**ARTICLE I**

**Preamble**

In pursuance of authority conferred by Chapt. 31, Sec. 60-89, N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955 and for the purpose of promoting the health, safety, morals, prosperity, convenience or general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development, of the inhabitants of the incorporated Town of Lyndeborough, New Hampshire, by securing safety from fire, panic, and other dangers, providing adequate areas between buildings and various rights of way, by preserving the rural charm now attached to our town, the promotion of good civic design and arrangements, wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the adequate provision of public utilities and other public requirements, and by other means, now therefore the following ordinance is hereby enacted by the voters of the Town of Lyndeborough, New Hampshire, in official annual meeting convened.

**ARTICLE II**

**Districts**

For the purpose of this ordinance the Town of Lyndeborough shall not be divided but remain one zone and the same rules and regulations shall govern all of the town.

**ARTICLE III**

**General Provisions**

A. No junk yard or place of storage of discarded machinery, vehicles, or other scrap materials shall be maintained in any part of town.

B. Minimum Land Area — No lot shall be less than 150 by 200 feet with a minimum distance of 35 feet from each side of the building to the boundary, and a minimum distance of 35 feet from the nearest right of way to the extreme front of the building.

C. 1. Sanitary Protection — No privy, cesspool, septic tank, or sewage disposal area shall be constructed or maintained less than 75 feet from the edge of the public body of water, from a well, or from a dwelling other than that to which it is appurtenant.



2. Such uses which are obnoxious or offensive by reason of the emission of smoke, dust, gas, noise or odor shall not be permitted.

3. No waste waters or sewage shall be permitted to run free into a public water body or be discharged in any way that may be offensive or detrimental to the health of others. All such waste shall be conveyed away under-ground through use of an accepted sanitary system or in such a way that it will not be offensive or detrimental to health.

D. No trailers or mobile homes will be allowed except on a thirty day or less temporary permit; unless it contains 400 square feet, is on a masonry foundation, has a septic tank and running water.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

##### **Enforcement**

1. It shall be the duty of the Board of Selectmen, and that Board is hereby given power and authority, to enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

2. It will be the duty of the Building Inspector to administer the provisions of this ordinance.

3. The Building Inspector shall issue any and all building permits requested when such permit is in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance.

4. All of the rules and regulations adopted at Town Meeting, March 8, 1955, under Building Regulations shall pertain to this ordinance.

#### **ARTICLE V**

##### **Board of Adjustment**

Within thirty days after the adoption of this ordinance and thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the Board of Selectmen shall make appointments to a Board of Adjustment of five members conforming in duties to the provisions of Chapter 31 of the N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955. Thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the appointing authority shall be responsible for filling vacancies and maintaining full membership on the Board of Adjustment. The Board of Adjustment here provided shall conform in membership and term of office to the provisions of Section 67, Chapter 31, N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955. In addition to the general powers granted said Board of Adjustment by said Chapter 31, in harmony with and subject to its provisions, the present Board of Adjustment of the Building Regulations may lawfully act in this capacity if appointed.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

##### **Amendments**

This ordinance may be amended by a majority vote of any legal

Town Meeting when such amendment is published in the warrant calling for the meeting, and when such amendment has received a public hearing, which hearing has been advertised and given fifteen day notice.

## ARTICLE VII

### Definitions

For the purpose of this ordinance, certain terms are defined as provided in this section.

1. **Right of Way** means and includes all range roads, town, state, and federal highways and the land on either side of same as covered by statutes to determine the widths of the rights of way.

2. **Frontage** means the length of the lot bordering on the public right of way.

3. **Junk** means any old metals, old bottles, cotton or woolen mill waste, unfinished cloth, unfinished cotton or woolen yarns, old paper products, old rubber products, two or more unregistered motor vehicles which are unfit for use on highways, used parts and materials of motor vehicles, and other second hand articles the accumulation of which is detrimental or injurious to the neighborhood. Exceptions: A dealer of new cars may display used cars taken in trade.

4. **Nonconforming use** means a building, structure or use of land existing at the time of enactment of this ordinance and which does not conform to the regulations of this ordinance.

## ARTICLE VIII

### Nonconforming Uses

1. Any nonconforming use other than uses specified in (2.) below may continue in their present use except that any nonconforming use or building may not be:

a. Changed to another nonconforming use.

b. Re-established after discontinuance for one year except to a use conforming to the District in which it is located.

c. Extended.

d. Rebuilt after damage exceeding 50 per cent of its value.

2. No junk yard may continue as a nonconforming use for more than one year after the effective date of this ordinance.

## ARTICLE IX

### Saving Clause

The invalidity of any provisions of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other provisions.

## ARTICLE X

This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

**BUILDING REGULATIONS  
TOWN OF LYNDEBOROUGH, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**Adopted by the Voters of Lyndeborough, N. H.  
March 8, 1955**

1. The Chairman of the Board of Selectmen shall be the administrative officer of this ordinance to be known as the Building Inspector and shall serve without compensation. He shall receive applications for the erection or substantial alteration of buildings and electric wiring thereof as provided in this ordinance, shall keep complete records of all applications and his action on the applications; promptly survey and inspect all buildings, substantial alterations, or uses proposed and may issue permits for erection or substantial alteration of all buildings if in his opinion the proposal complies with the law of the State, this ordinance and other town ordinances and by-laws, provided that in any instance where a license for uses is required his permit shall constitute only an approval on which the proper authority may issue a license; any other duties prescribed by law; shall act in cooperation with the fire warden in any matter in which their duties as prescribed by law may coincide or conflict; and shall take such action in the enforcement of this ordinance as may be directed by the Selectmen.

2. No new building construction and no major alterations of existing buildings shall be started, and no building shall be put to any different use than on the day of enactment of this ordinance until a permit thereof has been issued under the terms of this ordinance. No permit shall be required for remodeling or repairing where the total cost of such work including materials will not exceed \$1000 and the purpose for which the building is used is not changed. The Building Inspector may issue building permits for the construction or placing of small camps for logging, hunting, fishing, berrying and the like purposes which may not, by their nature and use, conform to the requirements of this ordinance.

3. No application for a permit required by this ordinance shall receive action by the Building Inspector unless made in writing. All applications for a permit to build or substantially alter any building shall be accompanied by a sketch or plan of the proposed building and a statement of its intended use when built, constructed, or substantially altered. A building permit shall become void unless operations are commenced within six (6) months from date of approval, unless such time is extended by the building official. No fee shall be imposed for any permit required under this ordinance.

4. Upon receiving such application the Building Inspector shall promptly take such action as may be indicated in the way of investigation or public hearings to acquaint himself with the merits of the application. He may, without judging the application on its merits, refer the application to the Board of Adjustment. If, however, he finds the proposed building, or use of building to conform with the law and this ordinance he may at once issue the permit in writing over his signature. If he finds the proposal in any conflict with the law or this ordinance he shall fix whatever restrictions or conditions on the proposed construction or use as may be in his best judgment, right and proper, or for reasonable cause refuse the permit.

5. No building or structure shall be erected or substantially altered unless in compliance with the following.

a. **Commercial Building.** No building intended or designed to be used for industrial, commercial, or other public use shall be erected, substantially altered, or used for any purpose which does not provide non-combustible walls and partitions between its component parts.

b. **Exits.** No building intended or designed for any public use or congregation of people shall be erected, substantially altered, or used for any purpose which does not provide adequate exits, as described in Chapter 176, Revised Laws of New Hampshire and Chapter 153, Laws of 1943, and in the regulations of the New Hampshire Board of Fire Control.

c. **Garages.** No public garage for the storage of five or more automobiles, or having any service or repair enterprises connected therewith shall be erected, substantially altered, or enlarged unless the building is so constructed, or the proposed alterations, enlargements or extensions shall be of slow-burning or non-combustible material, except that use of automatic sprinklers may obviate the use of such slow-burning or non-combustible material.

d. **Roofs.** No roof of any building shall be covered or recovered in whole or in part save with noncombustible or fire resistant roofing materials.

e. **Fire-stops.** No building of wood or other combustible material shall be erected, substantially altered, or enlarged, without providing fire-stops in every combustible wall or partition, at every floor and between floor joints at every partition.

f. **Chimney Construction.** No chimney shall be built, erected,

or altered below the roof unless containing a tile or brick lining and with an iron clean-out door at or near its base, and shall extend at least three feet above the roof. No chimney shall be built, erected, or altered below the roof having wood or other combustible materials within one inch of the chimney and no chimney shall have its base resting upon any floor or beam of combustible material.

g. **Thimbles.** No wall paper or other combustible material shall be laid over any thimble or thimble hole in any chimney.

h. **Smoke Pipes.** No smoke pipes shall be installed or erected so as to be within twelve inches of any combustible floor or ceiling, unless amply protected with non-combustible material. No smoke pipe shall be installed or erected which passes into or through partitions or walls of combustible material, except when guarded by a double collar of metal with air space of at least five inches, or by at least five inches of brick or other non-combustible material between the pipe and the combustible material.

i. **Electric Wiring.** All electrical wiring shall conform with approved methods and practice for safety to life and property. Compliance with the National Electrical Code, as published by the National Board of Underwriters, shall be prima facie evidence of such approved methods and practices.

j. **Foundations.** All structures shall be set on solid foundation of cement, brick, stone or other acceptable masonry except that in special cases where buildings are to be used for accessory use the Building Inspector may waive the requirements of this section and permit the use of wood, metal or masonry piers.

k. **Minimum Building Area.** Every dwelling unit to be used by a single family shall have a minimum ground floor area of five hundred square feet.

l. **Outside walls** shall be constructed of material commonly used for outside construction and materials customarily painted shall be painted.

m. **Sewerage.** All dwellings and all commercial, public, or industrial buildings shall be connected to the public sewer system when available. When a public system is not available a private sewerage disposal system is required. The type, size, and construction of all septic tanks and drainage fields shall be approved by the town health officer.

n. **Exceptions.** The construction of small accessory buildings

not used for living purposes, together with minor alterations, repairs, and general upkeep of existing buildings shall be exempt from the provisions of this Ordinance.

6. **Board of Adjustment.** Within thirty days after the adoption of this ordinance and thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the Board of Selectmen shall make appointments to a Board of Adjustment of five members conforming in duties to the provisions of Sections 56-71, Chapter 51 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942. Thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the appointing authority shall be responsible for filling vacancies and maintaining full membership on the Board of Adjustment. The Board of Adjustment shall conform in membership and term of office to the Provisions of Section 57, Chapter 51, Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942.

7. **Amendment.** This Ordinance may be amended by a majority vote of any legal town meeting when such amendment is published in the warrant calling for the meeting.

8. **Enforcement.** Upon any well-founded information that this Ordinance is being violated, the selectmen shall take immediate steps to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance by seeking an injunction in the Superior Court or by any other appropriate legal action. Whoever violates any of the provisions of the above regulations shall be punished upon conviction by a fine not exceeding ten dollars for each day of each violation.

9. **Takes Effect.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

10. **Conflicting Provisions.** Whenever the regulations made under the authority hereof differ from those described by any statute, ordinance, or other regulations, that provision which imposes the greater restriction or the higher standard shall govern.

11. **Validity.** If any section, clause, provision, portion, or phrase of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent authority such holding shall not affect, impair or invalidate any other section, clause, provision, portion, or phrase of this Ordinance.

(Adopted by the voters of Lyndeborough, March 8, 1955)

# School Report

*For the Year Ending June 30, 1960*

## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

	Term Expires
Moderator: Roland Parker, Jr.	March 1961
Clerk: Edward Schmidt, Jr.	March 1961
Treasurer: Jeannette M. Parker	June 1961
Auditors: Prescott B. Dow	March 1961
Barbara Maki	March 1961

### School Board Members

Guy B. Reynolds, Chairman	March 1961
Olive V. Bullard, Secretary	March 1962
Audrey J. Crandall	March 1963

### Superintendent of Schools

Mr. Kenneth A. Sargent

### Teaching Staff 1960-61

(Mrs.) Mildred Peters, Principal	Grades 5, 6
(Mrs.) Adelaide Herrick	Grades 3, 4
(Mrs.) Alice Smith	Grades 1, 2
(Mrs.) Pauline Brown	Teacher's Aide
Mr. Edward Hamilton	Instrumental Music

### School Nurse

(Mrs.) Charlotte Pollock, R.N.

### School Doctor

Edward Sheris, M.D.



## WARRANT FOR ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

### The State of New Hampshire

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Lyndeborough School in said district on the eighth day of March 1961, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

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

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

Given under our hands at said Lyndeborough this 14th day of February 1961.

GUY B. REYNOLDS,  
AUDREY J. CRANDALL,  
OLIVE V. BULLARD,  
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

GUY B. REYNOLDS,  
AUDREY J. CRANDALL,  
OLIVE V. BULLARD,  
School Board.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

### 1960-61:

School opens January 3, 1961; Closes February 17  
School opens February 27; Closes April 21  
School opens May 1; Closes June 21 (prior to 12 noon)  
Holiday: May 30

### 1961-62:

School opens Sept. 6; Closes November 22 (12 noon)  
School opens November 27; Closes December 15  
School opens January 2, 1962; Closes February 16  
School opens February 26; Closes April 20  
School opens Apr. 30; Closes June 20 (prior to 12 noon)

Holiday: May 30

Teachers' Convention: October 20

Number of School Days: 180

## REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

### SUMMARY

Cash on hand, July 1, 1959		\$ 63 57
Received from Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	\$37,384 31	
Special Appropriation	1,800 00	
Received from State Treasurer:		
State Funds	10,896 49	
Federal Funds	514 74	
Received from Tuitions	480 00	
Received from Trust Funds	39 86	
Received from all other sources	158 76	
Total Receipts	-----	\$51,274 16
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		\$51,337 73
Less School Board orders paid		49,741 70
Balance on hand, June 30, 1960		----- \$1,596 03

JEANNETTE M. PARKER,  
District Treasurer.

June 30, 1960

### AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Lyndeborough of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960, and find them correct in all respects.

PRESCOTT B. DOW,  
BARBARA MAKI,  
Auditors.

July 30, 1960

## SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATED BUDGET

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, 1961 and comparative analysis of expenditures.

	Expended 1959-60	Budgeted 1960-61	Estimated Budget 1961-62
<b>A. Administration:</b>			
1. Salaries of district officers	\$ 214.50	\$ 212.50	\$ 212.50
2. Supt.'s salary (local sh.)	338.40	359.10	368.48
3. Tax for state wide supervision	308.00	310.00	320.00
4. Salaries of other adm. personnel	358.40	436.07	438.84
5. Supplies and expenses	395.58	393.06	365.40
<b>B. Instruction:</b>			
6. Teacher's salaries	13,208.93	13,850.00	14,850.00
7. Textbooks and other instr. aids	312.27	435.00	410.00
8. Scholars' supplies	730.94	845.00	858.00
10. Other instructional expenses	76.77	92.00	118.00
<b>C. Operation of School Plant:</b>			
11. Salary of custodian	1,023.50	1,050.00	1,150.00
12. Fuel or heat	855.45	823.00	840.00
13. Water, light and other expenses	761.43	670.00	755.00
<b>D. Maintenance of School Plant:</b>			
14. Repairs and replacements	554.44	330.00	580.00
<b>E. Auxiliary Activities:</b>			
15. Health supervision	429.95	485.00	510.00
16. Transportation	4,412.00	4,592.00	4,700.00
17. Tuition: High school	10,126.88	13,000.00	16,984.00
Elementary	7,917.56	8,634.00	10,020.00
18. Special activities		10.00	10.00
18a. School lunch	433.74	100.00	500.00
<b>F. Fixed Charges:</b>			
19. Teacher retirement (dist. share)	815.42	935.20	1,004.99
20. Insurance, bonds, taxes and expenses	454.41	257.21	258.20
Total Current Expenses	\$43,728.57	\$47,819.14	\$55,253.41
<b>G. Capital Outlay:</b>			
22. Additions and improvements		150.00	300.00
23. New equipment	486.67	60.00	320.00

<b>H. Debt and Interest:</b>			
25. Payments on principal	4,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
26. Payments of interest	1,026.46	919.69	826.67
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<b>Total Gross Payments</b>	<b>\$49,741.70</b>		
Cash on hand June 30, 1960	1,596.03		
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<b>Total Gross Payments for</b>			
<b>All Purposes</b>	<b>\$51,337.73</b>	<hr/>	<hr/>
<b>Total amount required to meet school</b>			
<b>board's budget</b>		<b>\$52,448.83</b>	<b>\$60,200.08</b>
	Actual	Act. & Est.	Estimated
<b>I. Income of the District:</b>			
Balance on hand June 30, 1959	\$ 63.57	Act. 1,596.03	
State aid: (foundation)	9,546.49	Act. 8,943.99	\$ 7,800.00
(building)	1,350.00	Act. 978.80	1,050.00
Trust funds	39.86	Est. 30.00	40.00
Tuition: Elementary	380.00	Est. 524.00	720.00
Local taxation	39,184.31		
Other sources: school lunch	402.24		400.00
miscellaneous	158.76		
Federal defense act	112.50	Est. 150.00	123.00
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<b>Total Income of District</b>	<b>\$51,337.73</b>	<b>\$12,222.82</b>	<b>\$10,133.00</b>
<b>J. Total Estimated Assessment Required:</b>			
To Meet School Board's Budget	\$39,184.31	*\$40,226.01	\$50,067.08
*Nearer the actual than first estimated			
Per State Tax Commision \$40,259.61			

## LYNDEBOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT'S BUDGET COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED BUDGET

	Actual Expenditures 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Actual Expenditures July 1, to Dec. 31, 1960	School Board's Budget 1961-62	Budget Committee's Budget 1961-62
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>					
<b>Administration:</b>					
Salaries of district officers	\$ 214.50	\$ 212.50	\$ 208.50	\$ 212.50	\$
Superintendent's salary (local share)	338.40	359.10	359.10	368.48	
Tax for state wide supervision	308.00	310.00	310.00	320.00	
Salaries of other administration personnel	358.40	436.07	436.08	438.84	
Supplies and expenses	395.58	393.06	346.13	365.40	
<b>Instruction:</b>					
Elementary teachers' and principal's salaries	13,208.93	13,950.00	4,861.26	14,850.00	14,760.00
Books and other instruction aids, elementary	312.27	435.00	301.06	410.00	
Scholars' supplies, elementary	730.94	845.00	751.00	858.00	
Supplies and other expenses, elementary	76.77	92.00	115.16	118.00	
<b>Operation of School Plant:</b>					
Salaries of custodians, elementary	1,023.50	1,050.00	585.00	1,150.00	
Fuel or heat, elementary	855.45	823.00	171.90	840.00	
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elementary	761.43	670.00	404.11	755.00	
<b>Maintenance of School Plant:</b>					
Repairs and replacements, elementary	554.44	330.00	429.36	580.00	
<b>Auxiliary Activities:</b>					
Health supervision, elementary	429.95	485.00	119.23	510.00	
Transportation, elementary	4,412.00	4,592.00	1,720.00	4,700.00	
Tuition, high	10,126.88	13,000.00	5,666.82	16,984.00	
Tuition, elementary	7,917.56	8,634.00	4,158.90	10,020.00	
Special activities and special funds, elementary	10.00	10.00	9.90	10.00	
*School lunch and special milk, elementary	433.74	100.00	97.51	500.00	
<b>Fixed Charges:</b>					
Retirement and social security, elementary	815.42	835.00	305.96	1,004.99	
Insurance, treas. bonds & expenses, elementary	454.41	257.21	64.41	258.20	
<b>Total Current Expenses</b>	<b>\$43,728.57</b>	<b>\$47,818.94</b>	<b>\$21,421.39</b>	<b>\$55,253.41</b>	<b>\$55,163.41</b>

\*Federal and District funds.

**Capital Outlay:**

Lands and new buildings, elementary  
 Additions and improvements, elementary  
 New equipment, elementary

Total Capital Outlay					
<b>Debt and Interest</b>					
Principal of debt	150.00	36.60	300.00		
Interest on debt	60.00	160.00	320.00		
Total Debt and Interest	486.67	19.56			
	\$ 486.67	216.16	620.00		620.00
Total Expenditures or School Appropriation	\$49,741.70	\$24,111.55	\$60,200.08		\$60,110.08

	Actual Receipts 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Actual Receipts July 1, to Dec. 31, 1960	School Board's Budget 1961-62	Budget Committee's Budget 1961-62
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**RECEIPTS**

Balance (actual or estimated)  
 State aid: foundation  
 State aid: building  
 Trust funds  
 Elementary school tuition  
 School lunch  
 Miscellaneous  
 Other: federal aid

	\$ 63.57	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,596.03	\$ 1,596.03	
	9,546.49	8,869.79	8,943.99	7,800.00	
	1,350.00	1,050.00	978.80	1,050.00	
	39.86	30.00		40.00	
	380.00	524.00		720.00	
	402.24			400.00	
	158.76				
	112.50	150.00	112.25	123.00	
Total Receipts other than Property Taxes	\$12,053.42	\$12,623.79	\$11,631.07	\$11,729.03	\$11,729.03
District Assessment raised or to be raised by Property Taxes	37,688.28	39,824.84	12,480.48	48,471.05	48,381.05
Total Appropriations voted by School District	\$49,741.70	\$52,448.63	\$24,111.55	\$60,200.08	\$60,110.08

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1960

### Administration:

1. Salaries of District Officers	\$ 214 50
2. Superintendent's Salary	338 40
3. Tax for state-wide supervision	308 00
4. Salaries of other admn. personnel	358 40
5. Supplies and expenses	395 58

### Instruction:

6. Teachers' Salaries	13,208 93
7. Books and other instructional aids	312 27
8. Scholars' Supplies	730 94
10. Supplies and expenses	76 77

### Operation of School Plant:

11. Salary of Custodian	1,023 50
12. Fuel or Heat	855 45
13. Water, light, supplies and expenses	761 43

### Maintenance of School Plant:

14. Repairs and replacements	554 44
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### Auxiliary Activities:

15. Health Supervision	429 95
16. Transportation	4,412 00
17. Tuition: High School	10,126 88
Elementary	7,917 56
18a. School Lunch	433 74

### Fixed Charges:

19. Teacher Retirement & Social Security	815 42
20. Insurance, Treas. Bond and expenses	454 41

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Total Net Current Expenses \$43,728 57

### Capital Outlay:

23. New equipment	486 67
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<b>Debt and Interest:</b>	
25. Principal of Debt	4,500 00
26. Interest on Debt	1,026 46
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Total Net Payments for all purposes	\$49,741 70
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1960	1,596 03
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Grand Total Net Payments	\$51,337 73

### RECEIPTS

<b>Federal Aid:</b>	
National School Lunch & Special Milk	\$ 402 24
National Defense Act	112 50
<b>State Aid:</b>	
Foundation Aid	9,546 49
Building Aid	1,350 00
<b>Local Taxation:</b>	
Current Appropriation	39,184 31
<b>Other Sources:</b>	
Elementary School Tuitions	480 00
Trust Funds	39 86
Other	158 76
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Total Net Receipts from all sources	\$51,274 16
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1959	63 57
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Grand Total Net Receipts	\$51,337 73

**EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN  
NET EXPENDITURES and GROSS TRANSACTIONS**

<b>Receipts</b>	
Total Net Receipts for all purposes In and Out Items	\$51,337 73 none
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Total Gross Income	\$51,337 73
<b>Payments</b>	
Total Net Payments for all purposes In and Out Items	\$51,337 73 none
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Total Gross Payments	\$51,337 73

**BALANCE SHEET**

<b>ASSETS</b>	
Cash on hand, June 30, 1960	\$ 1,596 03
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Total Assets	\$ 1,596 03
Net Debt (excess of liabilities over assets)	33,903 97
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Grand Total	\$35,500 00
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Accounts owed by the District:	
Notes & Bonds Outstanding	\$35,500 00
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Grand Total	\$35,500 00

**STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS**

Name of Building or Project for which Notes or Bonds were issued	Central School	Central School	Total
	New Bldg.	Addition	
Payments of Prin. Debt	\$15,000.00 1,500.00	\$25,000.00 3,000.00	\$40,000.00 4,500.00
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Notes and Bonds Outstanding at end of year	\$13,500.00	\$22,000.00	\$35,500.00

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS

Fiscal Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

### ADMINISTRATION

#### 1. Salaries of School District Officers:

Olive V. Bullard	\$44 00	
Guy B. Reynolds	93 50	
Beatrice Wilcox	44 00	
Jeannette M. Parker	25 00	
Roland Parker (2 years)	4 00	
Edward H. Schmidt (2 years)	4 00	
	-----	\$ 214 50

#### 2. Superintendent's Salary (local share):

Supervisory Union No. 63	338 40
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#### 3. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

State Treasurer	308 00
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#### 4. Salaries of Other Admn. Personnel:

Supervisory Union No. 63	\$338 40	
Helen M. Meacom	20 00	
	-----	358 40

#### 5. Supplies and Expenses:

Wilton Telephone Co.	\$ 57 95	
Supervisory Union No. 63	306 17	
Edith Ross	24 80	
Nashua Telegraph	2 96	
The Cabinet Press	2 70	
Maude Adams	1 00	
	-----	395 58

### INSTRUCTION

#### 6. Teachers' Salaries:

Mildred Peters	\$2,813 09
Adelaide Herrick	2,829 79
Alice Smith	2,717 10
Marion Wilcox	300 00
Joan Buckley	478 00
Pauline Brown	596 10

N.H.-Vt. Hospitalization and		
Physician Service	148	20
Supervisory Union No. 63	159	00
State Treasurer	373	69
Internal Revenue Service	2,115	80
N.H. Teacher Ret. System	506	91
Barbara Putnam	10	00
Edward Hamilton	161	25
	-----	13,208 93

**7. Textbooks and Other Instructional Aids:**

L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	\$ 20	52
Scott Foresman Co.	21	21
Houghton Mifflin Co.	19	90
Allyn & Bacon Inc.	32	74
John C. Winston Co.	26	30
Rand McNally & Co.	24	33
Supervisory Union No. 63	26	70
Follet Pub. Co.	7	11
WENH-TV	5	00
School District of New Boston	4	26
American Book Co.	124	20
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**8. Scholars' Supplies:**

McCormack Mathers Pub. Co., Inc.	\$ 7	74
Row, Peterson & Co.	9	06
D. C. Heath & Co.	11	98
The L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	39	64
Scott Foresman Co.	101	46
Houghton Mifflin Co.	55	28
Laidlaw Brothers	22	28
Henry S. Wolkins Co.	4	62
Silver Burdett Co.	15	18
Beckley-Cardy & Co.	6	77
John C. Winston Co.	18	32
Charles E. Merrill	23	16
Rand McNally & Co.	16	24
Elkay Distributing Co.	1	80
Mainco Trading Co.	47	67

Milton Bradley Co.	34 07	
Charles Scribner Inc.	18 99	
J. E. Davidson	5 00	
J. E. Hammett Co.	43 42	
Lyons & Carnahan	9 43	
Readers' Digest	1 11	
Supervisory Union No. 63	24 82	
G. H. Tilden & Co.	10 30	
Richco Products Inc.	6 98	
Pioneer Office Appliance Co.	17 70	
American Education Publications	48 10	
Follet Publishing Co.	6 98	
Gledhill Bros. Inc.	4 00	
Mainco Trading Co.	8 65	
Grade Aid Corp.	59 50	
American Book Co.	50 69	
	-----	730 94

**10. Supplies and Other Expenses:**

J. L. Hammett Co.	\$22 32	
Pioneer Office Appliance Co.	10 40	
Howard N. Chase	20 30	
University of New Hampshire	21 75	
WENH-TV	2 00	
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**OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT**

**11. Salary of Custodian:**

Harry Holt	1,023 50
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**12. Fuel or Heat:**

Ciardelli Fuel Co.	\$806 65	
Wilton Plumbing & Heating Corp.	48 80	
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**13. Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:**

Waxine Co., Inc.	\$ 20 35	
West Chemical Products Inc.	73 46	
Allan H. Murray	11 45	
Luxor Lighting Products, Inc.	27 95	
Masury Young Co.	55 95	

Wilton School District	9 14	
Lancer Specialties	5 90	
Central Paper Products Co:	15 36	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	525 72	
Supervisory Union No. 63	7 63	
Joslin Hardware Co.	8 52	
	-----	761 43

### MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

#### 14. Repairs and Replacements:

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 27 90	
The Color Shop	28 31	
Roger Tuttle	125 00	
Wilton Plumbing and Heating Corp.	15 00	
Harry W. Holt	16 00	
Joslin Hardware Co.	11 90	
Duncan L. Tocher	4 50	
C. A. Sylvester & Son	35 00	
R. C. Mackintosh	178 59	
Milford Home Furnishings, Inc.	12 50	
J. M. Stearns	15 20	
Harry W. Holt	25 00	
James L. West	43 54	
Wilton School District	16 00	
	-----	554 44

### AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES

#### 15. Health Supervision:

Catherine Edwards	\$227 75	
Cleary's Drug Store	26 87	
N. H. Teacher Ret. System	8 68	
Marion Howard	75 85	
Supervisory Union No. 63	80	
Dr. Edward Sheris	90 00	
	-----	429 95

#### 16. Transportation:

Wilton Auto Station	\$3,780 00	
Arthur Lord	632 00	
	-----	4,412 00

<b>17. Tuition:</b>		
Francestown School District	\$ 1,800 00	
Wilton School District	15,636 44	
Milford School District	220 00	
New Boston School District	388 00	
	-----	18,044 44

<b>18a. School Lunch:</b>		
Cascade Paper Co.	\$ 27 42	
Barbara Shinn	402 24	
J. L. Hammett Co.	4 08	
	-----	433 74

**FIXED CHARGES**

<b>19. Teacher Retirement:</b>		
N. H. Dept. Public Welfare		
O.A.S.I. Fund	\$ 1 84	
State Treasurer	225 36	
N. H. Teacher Ret. System	588 22	
	-----	815 42

<b>20. Insurance, Bonds, Taxes and Expenses:</b>		
H. D. Cheever Agency	\$444 41	
N. H. School Board Assoc.	10 00	
	-----	454 41

<b>23. New Equipment:</b>		
Wilton School District	\$ 35 00	
General Industrial Co.	24 95	
Supervisory Union No. 63	3 70	
J. M. Smith	225 00	
James A. Coffin	25 00	
Grade Aid Corp.	165 00	
Law Motor Freight, Inc.	4 02	
State Treasurer	4 00	
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**DEBT AND INTEREST**

<b>25. Payment on Principal:</b>		
First National Bank of Boston	\$3,000 00	
Souhegan National Bank	1,500 00	
	-----	4,500 00

<b>26. Payments on Interest:</b>	
First National Bank of Boston	\$646 25
Souhegan National Bank	380 21
	1,026 46
Total Gross Payments	\$49,741 70
Cash on hand, June 30, 1960	1,596 03
	\$51,337 73

### SCHEDULE OF INDEBTEDNESS

Serial Notes — 2½% — Original Amount \$30,000.00  
Payable Souhegan National Bank

Date Issued — December 1, 1948

Date Due	Principal	Interest	Balance
			\$13,500.00
June 15, 1961	\$1,500.00	\$170.63	12,000.00
Dec. 15, 1961		152.50	
June 15, 1962	1,500.00	151.67	10,500.00
Dec. 15, 1962		133.43	
June 15, 1963	1,500.00	132.71	9,000.00
Dec. 15, 1963		114.38	
June 15, 1964	1,500.00	113.75	7,500.00
Dec. 15, 1964		95.31	
June 15, 1965	1,500.00	94.79	6,000.00
Dec. 15, 1965		76.25	
June 15, 1966	1,500.00	75.83	4,500.00
Dec. 15, 1966		57.18	
June 15, 1967	1,500.00	56.88	3,000.00
Dec. 15, 1967		38.13	
June 15, 1968	1,500.00	37.92	1,500.00
Dec. 15, 1968		19.06	
June 15, 1969	1,500.00	18.95	



School Bonds – 2.75% – Original Amount \$34,000.00

Payable First National Bank of Boston

Date Issued – September 1, 1955

Date Due	Principal	Interest	Balance
			\$22,000.00
Sept. 1, 1960	\$2,000.00	\$302.50	20,000.00
Mar. 1, 1961		275.00	
Sept. 1, 1961	2,000.00	275.00	18,000.00
Mar. 1, 1962		247.50	
Sept. 1, 1962	2,000.00	247.50	16,000.00
Mar. 1, 1963		220.00	
Sept. 1, 1963	2,000.00	220.00	14,000.00
Mar. 1, 1964		192.50	
Sept. 1, 1964	2,000.00	192.50	12,000.00
Mar. 1, 1965		165.00	
Sept. 1, 1965	2,000.00	165.00	10,000.00
Mar. 1, 1966		137.50	
Sept. 1, 1966	2,000.00	137.50	8,000.00
Mar. 1, 1967		110.00	
Sept. 1, 1967	2,000.00	110.00	6,000.00
Mar. 1, 1968		82.50	
Sept. 1, 1968	2,000.00	82.50	4,000.00
Mar. 1, 1969		55.00	
Sept. 1, 1969	2,000.00	55.00	2,000.00
Mar. 1, 1970		27.50	
Sept. 1, 1970	2,000.00	27.50	

## SCHOOL LUNCH REPORT

The summary below covers the receipts, expenditures and balances of the School Lunch Program at Lyndeborough for the fiscal year 1959-1960.

Cash on hand, July 1, 1959		\$ 401 11
Receipts:		
Lunch Sales — Children	\$1,405 34	
Lunch Sales — Adults	102 50	
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	\$1,507 84	
Receipt of Reimbursements	402 24	
Misc. Cash Contributions	64 80	
Total Receipts	<hr/>	1,974 88
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Available Total		\$2,375 99
Expenditures:		
Food	\$1,016 39	
Labor	806 00	
Equipment	171 50	
All Other	9 98	
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Total Expenditures		\$2,003 87
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Actual cash balance as of June 30, 1960		\$372 12

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

MRS. BARBARA SHINN,  
Manager.

June 29, 1960

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Lyndeborough, I respectfully submit my fourth annual report as your Superintendent of Schools.

### Staff and Instruction

The school opened this past fall with the same full time teaching staff as in previous years. Due to the action taken at the last School District meeting, Mrs. Clayton Brown, of Lyndeborough, was hired to fill the assisting teacher vacancy. Mrs. Brown was hired during the latter part of last year when it became necessary for Miss Joan Buckley to leave. Mrs. Brown has been devoting her attention early in the year to the second grade pupils and later in the year to second grade pupils and individual children who are in special need of help in reading and arithmetic. In many cases, excellent results are being obtained.

During the latter part of last year, Mrs. Catherine Edwards, of Wilton, who had been hired as School Nurse, resigned her position, and the vacancy was filled by Mrs. Neil Howard, the School Nurse in Wilton. This past fall when Mrs. Howard left, the nurse teaching vacancy was again filled by the Wilton School Nurse, Mrs. Robert Pollock, of Wilton. Mrs. Pollock has quickly adjusted herself to the nursing needs of Lyndeborough children and met them in an excellent fashion. Dr. Sheris continues as the School Doctor, Mr. Harry Holt as School Custodian, and Mrs. William Shinn as Noon Lunch Manager.

The Instrumental Music Program continues to gain numbers under the leadership of Mr. Edward Hamilton. Some fifteen children are participating in this instrumental program, motivated perhaps by the hopes of playing in the large Wilton-Lyndeborough band. This increase in enrollment has made necessary the provision for additional moneys in Item 6 of the School Budget, since Mr. Hamilton is paid on a per-pupil basis.

The quality of instruction being provided continues at the exceptional level. You will be pleased to know that a very careful analysis of the annual achievement test results shows that the Lyndeborough children are making excellent academic progress when compared with children throughout the country. The range of average achievement scores for grades, runs from five to twelve months above the national average. During the past year, on the average, a year and one month of academic growth took place. In addition, analysis shows that achievement beyond that which could be expected from intelligence scores has taken place at practically every single grade level. A comparison with achievement results tabulated in 1955 shows that today six percent more children are achieving above the normal for them than was the case in 1955. These results quite definitely show that real academic progress is being made in the education of Lyndeborough children, and supports casual observations that achievement was above normal.

The use of Science Research Associates Elementary Reading Laboratory is doing much to improve the individual reading ability of children in grades four through six. This individualized program places children under pressure to read rapidly and also to read with full comprehension. The program is set up so that each child competes with himself and tries, during each practice period, to do better than he has done in his previous reading experience. Children of the upper rooms are reading on an individual basis at levels which they find to be most suitable to their individual skills and abilities.

The programs on television are being fully utilized within the school. Courses being offered provide help in the areas of science at several grade levels, primary music, New Hampshire History, and French I and French II. The children of the school have been most fortunate in having the services of Mrs. John H. Mori-

son to help in the French instruction. Mrs. Morison who speaks fluent French, spends time with the children before and after the television classes, reviewing the previous lesson and re-emphasizing the material that has just been presented via television media. There is no question that the offerings on television have greatly expanded the school program in quantity and quality.

During the past spring and again this fall, the days of outdoor education for the upper room were provided children through cooperation with Mr. Waldo Stone, Director of Camp Union in Greenfield. This outdoor education instruction, when followed up with various and sundry classroom activities, has been found to greatly stimulate the interest of children in the out-of-doors and also in various academic areas. This program is a natural supplement to the program that Miss Marion Kanter has been providing for the children as part of a Wilton Garden Club project. Through these two complementing types of instruction that are being made available, the children of the school are becoming well grounded in fundamental understandings related to the out-of-doors.

### **Building and Grounds**

The correction of the obstruction in the roof drain last year seems to have done away with the problem of roof leakage which has persisted for many years. Most recent observations show, however, that the problem still has not been completely solved.

Additional storage space was provided during the past summer over the coat racks in the new hallway since the original storage space in this form served so satisfactorily. In addition, within the kitchen area, doors were placed on all cupboards to insure better sanitation of dishes and other eating utensils.

In order to provide all rooms with two exits to the hallway to insure more safety and also to provide better

control of the movement of classes, the door which existed between the new classroom and the primary room was blocked up and a new door placed in the corner of the hallway into the primary room. This change has accomplished all that was expected of it. Another step taken to insure a greater safety level within the building was the installation of a thermostatic switch over the furnaces in the boiler rooms. This would automatically set off the siren in case of fire. This switch has been released on several occasions due to extreme heating in the number one boiler room, and a recent investigation of the matter by the local fire chief and the State Fire Marshal has indicated several deficiencies that required correction. The School Board is taking positive steps to make these corrections: First, by providing openings within the boiler room for the provision of an adequate amount of fresh air, and a ceiling vent to relieve the room of its hot air; second, further investigation is being made as to the reason for the breakdown of the insulation around the old boiler; and third, an investigation of leakage of oil from the hot water burner in this boiler room. The high heat levels being maintained in this boiler room may also have been a factor which has contributed to the leakage of the roof. Heat moving out of the boiler room area has in some cases melted tar and caused it to run down the walls of the building. Even though the answering of these alarms in the middle of the night has not been a pleasant experience for firemen, it is felt that in the long run it has been a blessing since it has shown up several fire hazards which have needed attention for many years.

During this past Christmas vacation, another difficulty in the heating system was corrected by the installation of a new one thousand gallon oil tank to replace the one that provided oil for the new part of the building. Due to an improper coating on the original tank, rust developed and roof drain water got

into the tank making it useless and necessitating its removal. During the process of excavating to remove this tank, it was found that roof drain water was pumped into a dry well adjacent to the oil tank, meaning that in many cases the tank was completely submerged in water. The Board has provided within its budget money to carry this roof drain water away from the building to the further side of the road, hoping thus to eliminate this troublesome situation.

### **Finance**

The School Board's budget calls for a total appropriation of \$60,200.08 which is an increase of \$7,751.25 over the amount which was raised for this purpose during the present year. A further decrease in income of \$2,089.82 makes the total assessment for the support of schools \$50,067.08 which is an increase of \$9,841.07 over the amount budgeted last year. The decrease in income is primarily brought about by the difference in the balance being estimated on hand as of June 1961 as compared with the amount that was on hand June 30, 1960.

There are several areas within the budget that are responsible for the increase in overall appropriation. In Item 6, an increase of \$1,000.00 in teachers' salaries is evident and justifiable if the teachers within the school are to be maintained at salary levels comparable with schools of this size in this area. In Item 11 an increase of \$100.00, part of which reflects an increase in the custodian's salary and part of which is necessary in order to properly carry out the summer cleaning program. In Item 14, an increase of \$250.00 includes cost for the painting of the metal and wood trim on the older part of the building. Additional money is being budgeted in this area to bring expenditures and estimates more in line. Under Item 16, an increase of \$108.00 is anticipated since the previous bus contract terminates this June, and it is hoped that transportation will be provided the children of the com-

munity at the figure budgeted. The major increase in the budget lies in Item 17 under Tuitions where an increase of \$5,370.00 is evident. This increase has come about due to the additional numbers of children that are being expected at the high school level and also due to the fact that tuition costs at the high school level have increased. Item 18a indicates an apparent increase of \$400.00 in money provided for the operation of school lunch. This, however, is simply a change in accounting methods recommended by the State Department of Education. In Item J, the income section of the budget, one will find an income anticipated of \$400.00 in Federal Reimbursements to the Noon Lunch Program, making the net cost to the School District for the support of the school lunch program the same as that of the past. In the Capital Outlay section of the budget, will be found an increase of \$150.00 in Item 22 which provides for modification of the roof drain system previously mentioned. In Item 23, the increase of \$260.00 is accounted for by the need for twenty-five additional folding chairs within the school, six chair and desk units to handle increased enrollment, and a floor mat to reduce the amount of sand and grit that is being tracked throughout the building.

### **Conclusion**

I want to thank the Lyndeborough School Board for their helpfulness, understanding and cooperation in all matters relating to the operation of the school. Special thanks are in order to the staff for the tireless efforts made in behalf of children. Finally, the understanding and cooperation of parents and friends has been most rewarding. With the spirit of cooperation that has existed among the three groups, my responsibilities have been more satisfactorily fulfilled and the children of Lyndeborough have been assured of good education.

KENNETH A. SARGENT,  
Superintendent of Schools.



**HEALTH SUPERVISION**  
**Fiscal Year 1959-60**

**Summary**

The following is a summary of the work done by the School Nurse during the school year:

Regular Inspection made by Nurse – Number insp. 87

Tests given:

Hearing	68
Heights	87
Weights	87

First Aid 52

Communicable Diseases:

Chicken Pox	37
Measles	2
Mumps	18
Pediculosis	8

Home Visits 7

Assistance given doctor in his annual physical exam.:

Defects found by Doctor:

Tonsils & adenoids enlarged	few
Glands, enlarged	many
Heart murmurs	3

Defects found by Nurse:

Hearing	3
Scalp	8

Special activities of Nurse:

Dental clinic, Nov. & Dec.	40 exam., 32 treated
Orthopedic, May	1 exam., 1 treated

The above summarizes the Health Services accomplished by the School Nurses during the school year 1959-60, Mrs. Catherine Edwards, R.N., from September to her resignation in April and Mrs. Marion Howard, R.N. from April to June 30, 1960.

KENNETH A. SARGENT,  
 Superintendent of Schools.

## STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING

JUNE 30, 1960

Enrollment							
Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Primary	19	16					35
Elementary			20	11			31
Intermediate					15	11	26
							92

### Attending Schools Elsewhere

Attending	Wilton High School	34
Attending	Wilton Elementary School	24
Attending	Francestown Elementary School	8
Attending	New Boston High School	1
Attending	Milford High School	1
Attending	Milford Elementary School	1

### Attendance

School	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percent of Attendance	Tardinesses
Primary	32.6	29.1	89.4	.21
Elementary	28.9	26.8	92.8	.22
Intermediate	24.0	22.5	93.6	.36

Visits by Superintendent — 55

## Statistics for First Twenty Weeks 1960-61

Census (1 day to 18 yrs. incl.):

Boys 151; Girls 118; Total 269

Attending Public Schools in Lyndeborough	95
Attending Public Schools Outside the District	74
Attending Private Schools Outside the District	2

### Enrollment by Grades

School	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Primary	23	13					36
Elementary			18	18			36
Intermediate					14	14	28
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### Attendance

School	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Percent of Attendance
Primary	33.0	30.8	93.8
Elementary	35.0	32.3	91.5
Intermediate	28.0	26.3	93.9

**Marriages Registered in the Town of Lyndeborough, N. H.  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1960**

<i>Date and Place of Marriage</i>	<i>Name and Surnae of Groom and Bride</i>	<i>Name of Parents</i>	<i>Birthplace of Parents</i>	<i>Name, Official Station and Residence of Person by Whom Married</i>
Feb., 13, Wilton	Earl E. Riendeau Elizabeth Schmidt	Jesse A. Riendeau Helen Lord Edward H. Schmidt, Jr.	Massachusetts Massachusetts New Hampshire Massachusetts	Rev. Neil R. Howard Minister Wilton
July 2, Hollis	Thomas H. Stearns Carol L. Saunders	Lucy Knight Frank H. Stearns Lucille Reynolds Arthur B. Saunders	Massachusetts Vermont Minnesota Massachusetts	Rev. Seth W. Newton Minister Hollis
Aug. 6, Temple	Robert F. Burden Elaine L. Michaud	Katherine V. Thomas Russell Burden Geraldine Robbins Rene J. Michaud Rita Viegnant	Maine Massachusetts New Hampshire Massachusetts Massachusetts	Herbert A. Willard Justice of the Peace Temple
Sept. 8, Milford	Bob McCoy Susan B. Harrington	Bob McCoy Hazel Emmons Kenneth J. Broman Nelle Miller	Maine Maine Massachusetts Michigan	Donald C. Bruce Justice of the Peace Milford
Oct. 1, Wilton	Ernest Ai Hutchinson Doris J. Parsons	Ai J. Hutchinson Margaret Gilmore Erlan J. Parsons Theresa M. Hodgden	New Hampshire New Hampshire Maine New Hampshire	Rev. Samuel J. Hewitt Catholic Priest Wilton
Oct. 29, Bedford	Laurence E. Hubley Mildred L. Caswell	Albert Hubley Ethel Whittemore James V. Tuttle Annie Thompson	Unknown Unknown New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rev. James Scotland Minister Bedford

**Births Registered in the Town of Lyndeborough, N. H.  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1960**

<i>Date and Place of Birth</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Name of Mother</i>	<i>Birthplace of Father</i>	<i>Birthplace of Mother</i>
Feb. 13, Nashua	Edward H.	Carleton J. Moran	Barbara Schmidt	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Feb. 16, Nashua	David F.	Prescott R. Dow	Ella N. Foster	Massachusetts	New York
Mar. 21, Nashua	Patricia A.	Charles H. Robinson, Jr.	Loretta O. A. Spooner	Vermont	Vermont
May 27, Peterborough	Linda M.	George R. B. Frost	Norma M. DeMont	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
June 14, Peterborough	Timothy L.	Robert L. O'Donnell	Phyllis E. Lorette	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
July 21, Peterborough	Mary J.	John A. Robinson	Madeline J. Bolio	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
Sept. 25, Nashua	Joseph A.	Charles A. Elliott, Jr.	Dorothy E. Chapman	Ohio	New Hampshire

**Deaths Registered in the Town of Lyndeborough, N. H.  
For the Year Ending December 31, 1960**

<i>Date and Place of Death</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Name of Mother</i>
Feb. 14, Nashua	Ralph B. Gray	77	Fremont Gray	Sadie G. Lamson
Feb. 26, Peterborough	Charles P. Chase	80	Charles E. Chase	Ada Kenniston
Mar. 25, Brookline, Mass.	Esther E. Hatch	63	Frederick A. Anderson	Hulda E. Lang
May 3, Nashua	Maud C. Brett	71	William E. Richardson	Minnie Dunklee
May 14, Nashua	Thelma H. Reynolds	48	Edgar Holmes	Rena Coffin
June 22, Milford	Arnes C. Griffith	85	Asker Curtis	Mary J. Holt
Nov. 20, Milford	Addie W. Putnam	87	Harlan P. Downs	Maria Stevens
Dec. 17, Lyndeboro	Erwin E. Cummings	74	Frank E. Cummings	Minnie F. Rose



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