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BY THE BUDGET COMMITTEE, SELECTMEN,
TREASURER, ROAD AGENT, WATER WORKS
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TRUSTEES, AUDITORS AND CLERK.

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Town Officers, 1914-15

Selectmen.

W. B. GATES,

C. B. NORTON,

E. H. BARRETT.

Treasurer.

A. E. LEAVITT.

Collector.

D. C. HAMLIN.

Clerk.

M. M. WILLIS.

Road Agent.

WM. W. JEWELL.

Library Trustees.

A. R. EVANS,

E. H. CADY,

HARRIET MARBLE

Board of Health.

HENRY MARBLE,

W. G. BARRETT,

J. A. FRASER.

Police Officer.

MURDICK GRAHAM.

Firewards.

H. J. FANCY,

A. L. BURBANK,

S. S. BENNETT.

Auditors.

E. H. CADY,

F. R. JENNINGS.

Supervisors of Check Lists.

J. A. FRASER,

P. K. ROSS,

A. G. WELSH.

Moderator.

T. L. MARBLE.

Police Justice.

HARRY G. NOYES.

Attorney.

ALFRED R. EVANS.

Water and Sewer Commission.

T. H. MCHUGH,

C. C. LIBBY,

A. L. BURBANK

State of New Hampshire



To the inhabitants of the town of Gorham, in the county of Coos, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs.

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

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and appropriate money for the same.
3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to distribute the inventory blanks when taking the inventory.
4. To see what sum the town will raise and appropriate for the public library.
5. To see what action the town will take in regard to appropriating money to sprinkle the streets.
6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to install a more adequate and efficient street lighting system, to make such change in the present contract as may be necessary to accomplish the results, and to appropriate money therefor.
7. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to lease the basement of the Gorham Opera House for a period of five years, to be used for town purposes, in accordance with plans now drawn, or for such other purposes as the selectmen may determine, and to appropriate money therefor.
8. To see if the town will vote to build a new bridge over Moose brook on the Heath road, and raise and appropriate money therefor.
9. To see if the town will vote to build a new bridge over Tinker brook on Berlin road, and raise and appropriate money therefor.
10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the building of permanent sidewalks.
11. To see what amount the town will vote to raise for the retirement of town water bonds, or a sinking fund, and appropriate money therefor.

12. To see what action the town will take in regard to raising and appropriating money for a night watchman for the ensuing year.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate seven hundred and fifty dollars to apply on steam roller.

14. To see if the town will vote to install a sewer system on Washington street, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

15. To see if the town will vote to install a sewer system at Gorham upper village and raise and appropriate money for same.

16. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of the state trunk line road.

17. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of trunk line.

18. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of state road.

19. To see if the town will vote to adopt the provisions of chapter 78 of the laws of 1897, entitled "Manner of Conducting Caucuses and Elections," known as the Australian ballot law, and amendments thereto, for all annual town meetings held for election of town officers.

20. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for roads at Cascades.

21. To see if the town will vote to macadam Exchange street and Main street from Glen street to the foot of Marble's hill, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

22. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for installing catch basins.

23. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for shingling and painting town building.

24. To see if the town will vote to repair the sidewalks on Exchange street and raise and appropriate money for same.

25. To see if the town will vote to employ a competent engineer to make plans, specifications and estimates for work recommended by the budget committee, and appropriate money for same.

26. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for installing hydrant gates.

27. To hear reports of town officers, agents and committees heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

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

WARRANT.

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

W. B. GATES,
C. B. NORTON,
E. H. BARRETT,

Selectmen of Gorham.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

W. B. GATES,
C. B. NORTON,
E. H. BARRETT,

Selectmen of Gorham.

Report State Tax Commission 1914

Increase in Public Expenditures.

No power has constituted the members of the tax commission guardians of the public in respect to expenditures for the support of government, and they have no disposition to assume that role. Nevertheless, "economy being a most essential virtue in all states," and it being "the duty of legislators and magistrates * * * to countenance and inculcate the principles of * * * economy" all as set forth in the constitution of this state, the commissioners believe themselves to be amply justified in urging, as they have so often urged before, the importance of this subject upon the voters of the state. The public revenue, state and municipal, is the voters' business and they are responsible, directly, or indirectly, for every extravagance affecting it from the inception to the termination of the fund.

Every compulsory contribution levied by public authority upon people or property is in the broad sense of the term a tax, nor is it made less obnoxious or burdensome if called a fee or a fine. In the figures that follow, therefore, all fees, fines and other exactions, if any, are included with the taxes upon polls and estates. To illustrate the comparative importance of the two classes, it may be said that the taxes upon polls and estates represent about 95 per cent. and all other income about 5 per cent. of the total revenue of the state, and of the counties, cities, towns, districts and precincts therein.

Taxes as defined above have increased by leaps and bounds in recent years. In 1903 the sum of all the taxes assessed by and within the state of New Hampshire was \$5,373,420.22; in 1913 it was \$8,765,039.07, an increase of \$3,391,618.85 or 63 per cent., in ten years. But these figures do not adequately represent the velocity the upward movement has now attained. To show that it is necessary to divide the ten-year period: The levy in 1908 was \$924,388.79, or 17 per cent. greater than in 1903, while that in 1913 was \$2,467,230.06 or 39 per cent. greater than 1908. By so much did the advance in the last half of said period exceed that in the first half. These figures will be the more alarming if it is remembered that while taxes already sufficiently heavy were advancing 63 per cent., the population of the state increased only

about $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., and while the one was advancing 39 per cent., the other increased only about $2\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.

It is instructive to study the subject from another angle. In the ten years from 1904 to 1914, both inclusive, the annual increase in all taxes defined and limited as above was as follows:

1904	\$34,459 91
1905	286,590 14
1906	115,468 39
1907	411,257 46
1908	76,612 89
1909	539,995 97
1910	787,565 31
1911	215,848 50
1912	296,216 85
1913	627,603 43

The average yearly increase for the whole period was \$336,561.85. The upward trend is more plainly shown, however, by dividing, as before, the ten-year period in the middle and considering the halves separately. For the first five years the average annual increase was \$184,877.76; for the last five years it was \$493,446.01. It is surely pertinent to consider how long the little state of New Hampshire, almost stationary in wealth, can sustain a tax already burdensome and increasing at the rate of practically half a million dollars a year without crippling her industries and impoverishing her people. Plainly it is a condition not calculated to attract capital from without the state or to encourage business within the same.

From the per capita standpoint the situation is not less disturbing. In 1903 there were assessed \$12.88 in taxes for each man, woman and child in the state. Five years later there were assessed \$14.75 for each individual, and in five years more \$20.09. If in 1913 taxes had been equally distributed among all the people it would have meant a burden of \$100 for each family of five members. Though in reality there was little such equality in the assessment there was much in the payment. The fact is that those who occupy, use or consume property, no matter who owns it, are those who in the last analysis pay most, if not all, of the taxes thereon. If the wage earner or the man of limited means understood he was in reality paying something like \$100 a year in state and municipal and half as much more in federal taxes for the government of himself, his wife and three children his influence and his vote would more frequently make for economy in appropriations and expenditures than heretofore.

No statistics for the year 1914 appear in the above paragraphs for the reason that they are not yet at hand except in part.

Report of Budget Committee

To the Voters of the Town of Gorham:

The budget committee, appointed by vote of the town at its last annual meeting, respectfully make the following report and recommendations.

This committee began its meetings on the 25th of January, and have held a meeting once a week since that date. The various needs of the town have been carefully considered and as careful estimates as possible have been made of the amount of money necessary to supply these needs. The committee recognizes that it is not possible to do in one year everything that ought to be done in the way of public improvement without raising to an undesirable extent, the tax rate. They have, therefore, selected from the large number of things that need to be done, those which appear to them to be most urgent, and therefore most desirable to be done during the next year, and have included in their recommendations all such work as they feel they would be justified in recommending to be done during the ensuing year, at the same time having in view the desirability of keeping the tax rate at about the same figure as last year's rate.

It has been the policy of the committee to consult with the officers of the different departments of the town, and with any and all citizens who desire to be present at the meetings and make suggestions as to the work needed to be done. If there are any of our citizens who are disappointed because recommendations have not been made for needed sidewalks and other works in the immediate vicinity of their own property, we would respectfully suggest that these citizens must remember that there is another year coming, and that it would be impossible to do everything in one year, as above stated, without raising the tax rate to such an extent as to engender more criticism and fault-finding than the omission of some of the needed work would cause.

With these preliminary remarks we will proceed to give in detail our recommendations. The committee by unanimous vote in every instance have voted to recommend that the following appropriations be made:

Highways and bridges.....	\$2,000 00
Constructing state trunk line.....	3,375 00
Repairs and maintenance of trunk line.....	400 00
Repairs and maintenance of state aid roads.....	125 00

Macadaming Exchange street and Main street from Glen street to foot of Marble's hill.....	\$1,200 00
Building highways at Cascades.....	5,000 00
Constructing new bridges at Tinker brook and Heath road.....	1,500 00
Sprinkling streets.....	400 00
Repairs sidewalk, Exchange street.....	400 00
Granolithic or cement sidewalks.....	2,000 00
Granolithic or cement sidewalks at upper village.....	500 00
Catch basins.....	1,500 00
Hydrant gates.....	250 00
Payment on steam roller.....	750 00
Improvements in street lighting and additional lights..	200 00
Repairing town building.....	200 00
Night watchman.....	850 00
Town charges.....	5,000 00
Sinking fund.....	5,000 00
Overlay, estimated.....	2,000 00
County tax, estimated from last year's tax.....	1,923 52
State tax.....	6,300 00
Public library.....	700 00
Schools, as required by law.....	3,037 50
Total appropriations recommended.....	\$44,611 02

Add to this sum the probable requirements of the school district, which are estimated to be \$12,824, and it gives as the total amount of recommended appropriations \$57,435.02. Estimating the number of polls on the basis of 1914, we would derive from this source \$1332.00, leaving the amount to be assessed upon property as a property tax, \$56,103.02. If all of the above amount is appropriated it would give us a tax rate of \$1.54 on a hundred on the basis of the 1914 valuation of \$3,638,832.00. There is, however, a petition for an article to be inserted in the warrant to appropriate money for a sewer on Washington street, and there is also a demand for a sewer at the upper village, and, further, in the above estimate no specific sum has been recommended for the building or repairing of the Gorham hill road. The committee have been unable to make an estimate of the probable cost of the aforesaid sewers at the time of writing this report, but will have an estimate for each sewer ready to submit orally at the town meeting, and will probably have a further oral recommendation to make with reference to the repairing or building of the Gorham-hill highway.

Detailed Explanation of Appropriations Recommended.

Highways and Bridges—\$2000.00.

This sum is designed by the committee to be expended for repair and maintenance of all roads excepting the state trunk line,

the state aid road, Exchange street and Main street from Glen street to the foot of Marble hill, and for such painting and repairing of bridges as may be found necessary.

Out of this sum, however, it was voted that the committee recommend that a gravel sidewalk be made on the river road at Cascade. It is understood that such a sidewalk will be satisfactory to the dwellers along that road for the present.

Constructing State Trunk Line—\$3375.00.

By appropriating this amount we are informed by the state engineer that the state will contribute a further amount of \$10,125.00, thus giving us a fund of \$13,500.00 to be expended in building the state trunk line in this town. Such a sum ought to go far towards building this road, if it will not entirely complete it, and the town will thus be relieved in future years from further appropriations for this road excepting such as may be necessary for its maintenance.

Repairs and Maintenance of State Trunk Line—\$400.00.

It is obligatory on towns through which it passes to maintain a state trunk line. By making the above appropriation, the state will contribute the additional amount of \$800.00, thus giving us a total sum of \$1200.00 for repairing and maintaining this line. If we make no appropriation for this, the whole expense of repairing and maintaining this line will devolve upon the town alone.

Repairs and Maintenance of State Aid Road—\$125.00.

By making this appropriation the state contributes an equal amount, thus giving us a fund of \$250.00 to repair the state aid road. The only state aid road that we have in town at present is the one extending from the Berlin road to the foot of Gorham hill. The remarks made above in relation to the maintenance and repairs of the state trunk line apply also to the state aid road.

Macadamizing Exchange Street and Main Street from Glen Street to the Foot of Marble's Hill, so Called—\$1200.00.

Exchange street is our principal business street. It is much depressed below the sidewalks; the material of the street is but little better than finely pulverized dust, and is very dusty in dry weather and filled with mud and water in wet weather; and considering the importance of the street and its present condition, the committee have felt that it was important to have the street macadamized. The same reasons hold good for macadamizing Main street from Glen street to the foot of Marble hill.

Building Highways at Cascades—\$5000.00.

There is no question in the minds of the committee but what there is urgent need of building the streets which the people at Cascades desire built. Petitions for legally laying out the various streets at Cascades have been presented to the selectmen, and notice of a hearing on the same has been given, and there is no

doubt but what they will be formally laid out by the town. To build good streets will be rather an expensive job owing to the ledgy condition of the ground, the steep hills, etc., and the committee considered that \$5000.00 was not any more than sufficient to do the required work; and that moreover inasmuch as about two-thirds of the taxable property of the town is located at Cascades, their requirements should receive considerate and liberal treatment. The streets for which this appropriation is recommended are Western avenue, Wentworth avenue, Gordon avenue, that portion of Cascade street that is in Gorham, First street, Second street, and from the main highway to the bridge over the Grand Trunk. The above streets comprise practically all of the proposed highways on which are located any dwellings or other buildings.

Constructing New Bridges at Tinker Brook and Heath Road—
\$1500.00.

Only comparatively small bridges are required at these places. This sum, it is thought, will provide for the building of reinforced concrete bridges at these two places, and when built, every bridge in town, excepting perhaps a few small culverts, will be steel and concrete bridges.

Sprinkling Streets—\$400.00.

This is the sum that has been appropriated for several years past and has always been found to be sufficient.

Repairs of Sidewalk, Exchange Street and in Front of Gorham House—\$400.00.

In the view of the fact that the present tar and gravel sidewalks on Exchange street and in front of the Gorham house and Welsh's store are in fairly good condition, and the further fact that there are still so many streets in town where there are no sidewalks, the committee considered it good policy and good economy to repair these sidewalks instead of tearing them up and building granolithic sidewalks. It was estimated that \$400.00 will cover the expense of doing this and that these sidewalks will then be good for another ten years.

Granolithic or Cement Sidewalks—\$2000.00.

This sum is recommended to continue the settled policy of the town in extending granolithic sidewalks over all of its principal streets, and is thought to be all that the town ought to appropriate for the coming year. This sum, together with the other sums voted for sidewalks, the committee recommend should be expended under contract with responsible parties at so much per yard.

Granolithic or Cement Sidewalks at Upper Village—\$500.00.

The committee were informed by the selectmen that there is somewhere around \$250.00 left over from last year's appropriation for upper village sidewalks, and in view of this fact it was thought

that \$500.00 and this unexpended balance would be sufficient to build such sidewalks at the upper village as are most needed.

Catch Basins and Manholes—\$1500.00.

It was suggested that the catch basins and manholes be located as follows: Three catch basins and one manhole on Exchange and Railroad streets, one catch basin on Main street near the J. W. Brown house, one near H. G. Noyes' residence, one in the hollow on Macfarlane street and one on lower Main street.

Hydrant Gates—\$250.00.

It is a very essential and convenient thing to have a gate on the pipe leading from the main to each hydrant in order that the hydrant may be repaired without shutting off the water in the mains, and it was thought best to recommend this appropriation from which the expense of installing as many such gates as possible can be paid, with a view to making further appropriations for this purpose each year until all the hydrants are supplied with such gates.

Payment on Steam Roller—\$750.00.

When the steam roller was purchased it was agreed in the contract that it should be paid for in installments. The installment called for this year amounts to above sum.

Improving Street Lighting and Additional Lights—\$200.00

The committee had a conference with Mr. Meloon, the manager of the Twin State Gas & Light Company, in relation to this subject. He advises that with very little additional expense we can install new 64 c. p. lights in that part of the town where an increased amount of light is most needed, and can also install some additional lights where needed. The scheme of improvement also contemplates changing the present carbon arc lamps for the large incandescent lamps of 400 c. p., such as has for the past few months been installed in front of Mr. W. B. Gates' residence, on Main street. These lamps give a much more steady light than the arc lights, and diffuse fully as much light. They are also more reliable inasmuch as in the present arc lights the carbons have to be renewed every 70 hours, while the incandescents only have to be renewed when the filaments break. If the town votes to authorize these improvements, it will be necessary for the town also to authorize the selectmen to make a supplementary contract with the light company, embodying the changes above suggested.

Repairing Town Building—\$200.00.

The town building was originally covered with roofing paper, which has become very much worn and the roof leaks badly. The building also needs to be painted, and it was estimated that \$200.00 would cover the expense of these two items.

Night Watchman—\$850.00.

It was thought desirable to recommend the increasing of this

appropriation over last year by \$50.00, inasmuch as the services of a watchman cost about the above sum.

Sinking Fund—\$5000.00.

In fixing upon recommending the appropriation of the above amount for sinking fund, the committee were compelled to choose between cutting down the appropriation from the amount appropriated last year, or cutting out or greatly reducing some of the other appropriations, and concluded that it was more important to pursue a liberal policy toward construction of roads, sewers, sidewalks, etc., than to raise a larger sum to add to the sinking fund.

Overlay Estimated—\$2000.00.

This is not a matter on which the town makes any appropriation, but is a provision of the statute that "The selectmen may assess a sum not exceeding five per cent more than the amount of the tax to be assessed to answer any abatements that may be made, which shall be paid into the town treasury for the use of the town." It was added to the amounts recommended to be appropriated for the purpose of enabling the committee to get at a more accurate determination of the probable tax rate which will be required to meet the above appropriations.

County Tax Estimated from Last year's Tax—\$1923.52.

The committee has no figures from the county treasurer as yet as to what Gorham's proportion of the county tax will be, and, therefore, the amount of the county tax for 1914 has been used as a basis for this estimate. Probably the exact figures will be received in time to have them announced at the annual town meeting.

State Tax—\$6300.00.

The legislature is required to make a new apportionment of the state tax once in four years, and this is the year that the legislature is required to make such apportionment. The bill making such apportionment has passed the present house, and we think has been enacted into law; and a bill has also been passed making the state tax \$750,000.00. Gorham's apportionment is \$8.40 on every thousand of the state tax. The former apportionment was \$3.70, and it will, therefore, be observed that the rate of our state tax is more than doubled, owing to our much increased valuation.

Public Library—\$700.00.

At the time of writing this report the committee have been unable to get figures so as to enable them to make a very accurate estimate of the needs of this important institution. There is a demand which is quite general that the library be kept open more frequently than formerly and there should also be money with which to purchase more books, especially books of reference for the use of the pupils in our schools when investigating any particular subject. To keep the library open more frequently than once a

week as formerly will, of course, necessitate greater expenditure for the services of a librarian, and the above sum, together with any surplus that may be left over from last year's appropriation, will probably not be more than will be needed.

Public Common.

It was ascertained by the committee that the town now has \$1000.00 on hand for the improvement of the common, and the committee recommend that this amount be expended on the common by the selectmen and a committee of four to be appointed by the selectmen, and to act in conjunction with them. Until this is done and it can be ascertained what showing can be made with this amount of money, it is not thought best by the committee to recommend any further appropriation for this year.

In addition to recommending the above appropriations the committee recommend that the town lots in Evans' cemetery be put in better condition, and that the expense of same be paid out of money appropriated for town charges.

It was also voted by the committee to recommend the employment of an engineer to make plans and estimates for work recommended to be done by the budget committee, if such a committee is continued for the ensuing year, and that a small appropriation of money be made for the expense of the same. During the deliberations of the present committee the necessity for having a competent person measure up and estimate the cost of work recommended by the committee has been very apparent.

The work of this committee has been a new experience and the committee for next year can profit much by the present committee's experience in knowing how to ascertain work needed to be done, how to conduct their investigations, and make their estimates. The proper and business like way to do for the future will be to have the committee begin its meetings and plan the work to be done during the summer months, and after such work is determined upon, to then have the engineer measure up the work, make specifications as to how it shall be done, quality of material to be used, and estimate the cost. Proceeding in this way the committee can then give much more accurate results than they are able to do this year.

In conclusion we would say that if all of the above sums which the committee have recommended are appropriated, and to them is added the probable needs of the school district, the tax rate will remain substantially as it was last year. If money is appropriated for building the Washington street and the upper village sewers, and for repairing or building the Gorham hill road in addition to the

above amounts, the tax rate will be likely to be increased to some extent.

Respectfully submitted.

J. F. LIBBY,
T. E. MALLOY,
I. W. FOGG,
W. C. LIBBY,
W. B. GATES,
C. B. NORTON,
E. H. BARRETT,

Budget Committee.

Selectmen's Report

Number of horses, 270; cows, 160; other neat stock, 4; sheep, 20; fowls, 350; hogs, 8; carriages, 98.

Valuation April 1, 1913.

Real estate.....	\$2,032,206 00	
Personal estate.....	1,606,626 00	
Total valuation		\$3,638,832 00
Soldier's exemption.....		6,800 00
Polls 666.....		1,332 00
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		\$8,132 00

Assessments.

Permanent roads.....	\$1,000 00
Highways and bridges.....	2,000 00
Schools, by law.....	3,037 50
Town charges	5,000 00
Public library.....	650 00
Sprinkling streets	400 00
Public common.....	200 00
Permanent sidewalks	3,000 00
Sinking fund.....	10,000 00
Night watchman	800 00
State maintenance trunk.....	400 00
Gorham hill permanent road	500 00
Clay brook bridge	4,000 00
Island bridge.....	2,000 00
Upper village sidewalk.....	500 00
Steam roller.....	800 00
Fire alarm system.....	3,000 00
Dumping ground	500 00
Clean-up day.....	100 00
Rubbish cans.....	50 00
High school committee	100 00
School debt.....	3,000 00
School purposes.....	7,000 00
School books and supplies.	1,224 00
County tax.....	1,723 52
State tax.....	3,240 00
Overlay	2,417 23

Special assessments of persons liable to be taxed, omitted April 1, 1914.....	\$312 94	
		\$56,955 19
Less abatements, 1913.....	\$123 90	
Less abatements, 1914.....	222 56	
		\$346 46
		\$56,608 73

DISBURSEMENTS.

Town Officers.

T. L. Marble, moderator.....	\$5 00
A. L. Burbank, ballot clerk.....	6 00
S. S. Bennett, ".....	6 00
W. R. Haley, ".....	3 00
Will Heath, ".....	3 00
J. R. Evans, ".....	3 00
G. E. Noyes, moderator.....	5 00
J. A. Fraser, supervisor.....	5 00
P. K. Ross, ".....	5 00
Archie Martell, ".....	5 00
M. M. Willis, town clerk.....	65 00
T. H. McHugh, water commissioner.....	25 00
A. L. Burbank, ".....	25 00
C. C. Libby, ".....	25 00
A. L. Burbank, fireward.....	10 00
S. S. Bennett, ".....	10 00
H. J. Fancy, ".....	10 00
A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	65 00
W. B. Gates, selectman.....	300 00
C. B. Norton, ".....	200 00
E. H. Barrett, ".....	180 00
A. R. Evans, attorney.....	50 00
E. H. Cady, auditor.....	5 00
F. R. Jennings, ".....	5 00
D. C. Hamlin, collector.....	418 74

\$1,439 74

Board of Health.

Ed Stearns.....	\$3 00
W. W. Jewell.....	1 00
Berlin Mills Co.....	6 00
Barrett Brothers.....	11 10
Henry Marble.....	35 00
Barrett Brothers.....	1 12
W. G. Barrett.....	25 00

James A. Fraser.....	\$27 50
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\$109 72

Contagious Diseases.

THE FRANK BUZZELL CASE.

John Bushey.....	\$37 50
Henry Marble.....	60 00
A. Lavallee	10 00

\$107 50

Vital Statistics.

M. M. Willis	\$15 30
M. M. Willis	2 75
J. B. McCaffrey.....	1 50
Henry Marble.....	5 25
B. L. Richardson.....	5 25
H. S. Mahood	1 75
H. H. Bryant	3 75
E. R. B. Magee.....	1 25
N. Sasserville	1 50
T. C. Pulsifer	2 25

\$40 55

Public Library.

Alfred R. Evans.....	
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\$650 00

Notes and Interest Paid.

Elsy E. Ross	\$26 64
Mary J. Morse.....	412 00
A. E. Leavitt, bonds.....	146 67
E. H. Cady.....	15,314 80
A. E. Leavitt, interest on bonds.....	2,400 00
John T. Peabody.....	100 00
Isaac A. Peabody.....	180 00
Honora A. McHugh.....	40 00
Stephen Morse.....	20 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	78 27
I. W. McLellan.....	120 00
Mary J. Morse.....	8 00
Angie B. McLellan	20 00
W. D. Morse.....	400 00
C. C. Buck.....	120 00
R. H. Ingalls.....	120 00
Annie L. Gordon.....	20 00
Rebecca C. Phipps.....	160 00
D. T. Wentworth.....	120 00
W. B. Gates.....	80 00

W. A. Head.....	\$40 00
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\$19,926 38

Trust Funds.

P. G. Evans fund.....	\$17 65
Mrs. Frank fund.....	2 26
T. H. Hutchinson fund.....	5 55
Thos. Gifford fund.....	4 12
A. S. Twitchell fund.....	4 17
John Day fund.....	1 25

\$35 00

School Department.

A. E. Leavitt	
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\$16,976 51

Lighting Streets.

Cascade Light & Power Co.....	\$268 64
“ “	133 12
Berlin Electric Light Co	15 00
Twin State Gas and Electric Co	266 44
“ “	393 96
“ “	262 64
“ “	262 64

\$1,602 44

Lighting Town Buildings.

Twin State Gas and Electric Co.....	\$22 50
“ “	13 95

\$36 45

Water and Sewer Commission.

T. H. McHugh	\$730 00
S. D. Wilson	68 50
R. C. Reed, taxes	27 00

\$825 50

Fire Department.

Cascade Hose Co. Fire Station	\$885 62
Coos Telephone Co	1 63
“	1 88
“	4 26
C. B. McAllister.....	5 00
T. H. McHugh, hydrants.....	460 00
Coos Telephone Co.....	6 12
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	28 07
W. S. Hodgman.....	3 00
Fisk & Harris.....	24 00

Boston Woven Wire Co.....	\$208 50
W. W. Jewell.....	13 00
Coos Telephone Co.....	6 11
T. H. McHugh, hydrants.....	460 00
S. D. Wilson.....	1 50
Joe Spear.....	2 50
W. C. McNeil.....	1 50
Umbagog Hose Co.....	60 00
Androscoggin Hose Co.....	331 25
M. Gately.....	2 00
True Barrows.....	1 50
Twin State Gas and Electric Co.....	4 00
Coos Telephone Co.....	1 87
Henry Simpson.....	2 00
W. J. Brown.....	10 91
C. A. Chandler.....	3 45
“.....	5 00
A. E. Vachon.....	1 50
Cascade Fire Co.....	112 24
Charles Dauphney.....	1 50
A. J. Goodridge.....	1 50
Coos Telephone Co.....	1 88

\$2,653 29

Police Department.

Murdick Graham.....	\$11 36
“.....	63 00
“.....	69 75
“.....	67 50
“.....	69 75
“.....	7 00
T. H. McHugh.....	4 50
Murdick Graham.....	67 50
T. L. Marble.....	12 00
A. M. Heath.....	4 00
Joe Dancoes.....	4 00
Murdick Graham.....	69 75
“.....	69 75
“.....	67 50
“.....	69 25
“.....	8 75
“.....	67 50
“.....	69 75
“.....	69 75
T. L. Marble.....	18 00
C. H. Hobbs.....	5 94
Paul King.....	2 00

M. M. Willis.....	\$14 00
Twin State Gas and Electric Co.....	9 10
L. A. McDonald.....	69 75
T. H. McHugh.....	4 50

\$1,022 65

County Tax.

A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	\$1,723 52
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State Tax.

A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	\$3,240 00
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County Paupers.

CASE OF JOE BAKER.

Henry Marble.....	\$7 50
C. B. Norton.....	2 50
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	51 92
Henry Marble.....	6 50
A. M. Heath.....	1 50

\$69 92

CASE OF NELSON CARTER.

C. B. Norton.....	\$7 50
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CASE OF MRS. MURPHY.

Murdick Graham.....	\$19 00
B. C. Smith & Co.....	6 80
A. E. Leavitt.....	8 11
B. B. Bickford.....	4 00
M. M. Willis.....	2 00

\$39 91

CASE OF ARTHUR DICKSON.

C. G. Hamlin.....	\$3 66
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Sprinkling Streets.

Henry Simpson.....	\$13 00
T. H. McHugh.....	60 00
W. W. Jewell.....	314 00
“.....	29 00

\$416 00

New Bridges.

Clay Brook and Island Bridges.

Wm. Jewell.....	\$119 44
“.....	74 75
United Construction Co.....	5,800 00

\$5,994 19

Damage by Dogs.

George W. Harriman sheep.....	\$8 00
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Bounty on Wild Animals.

W. J. Perkins, bear	\$5 00
W. B. Gates, hedgehogs.....	5 80
	\$10 80

Forest Fires.

W. J. Perkins	\$36 75
“	30 00
“	54 70
“	30 00
“	22 40
“	14 75
M. M. Willis	27 87
	\$216 47

State Trunk Line.

Wm. W. Jewell.....	\$4,058 01
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Trunk Line Maintenance.

Wm. W. Jewell.....	\$1,277 24
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State Highway Maintenance.

Wm. W. Jewell.....	\$301 45
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Widening Main Street.

G. E. Noyes.....	\$513 00
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Highways and Bridges.

Wm. W. Jewell.....	\$2,558 36
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Gorham Hill Permanent Road.

S. D. Wilson.....	\$27 00
J. A. Fraser.....	560 00
Wm. W. Jewell.....	6 00
	\$593 00

Rubbish Cans.

Barrett Brothers.....	\$17 67
A. M. Heath.....	1 75
	\$19 42

1912 Trunk Line Insurance.

B. B. Bickford.....	\$117 23
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Steam Roller.

Buffalo Steam Roller Co.....	\$750 00
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Fire Alarm.

Gamewell Fire Alarm Co	\$1,000 00
Riva & Stanley	9 83
J. E. Willey	49 15
E. Libby & Sons Co.	13 45
Inez D. Forbes	3 00
C. H. Hobbs	36 51
J. J. Tellington	19 89

 \$1,131 83
Permanent Sidewalks.

T. H. McHugh	\$32 91
S. D. Wilson	12 00
John Stewart	300 00
S. D. Wilson	1 25
John Stewart	400 00
S. D. Wilson	25 00
John Stewart	300 00
S. D. Wilson	25 00
John Stewart	300 00
Simon Stahl	200 00
Wm. Jewell	148 10
John Stewart	300 00
John Stewart	100 00
Simon Stahl	100 00
S. D. Wilson	63 29
E. M. Cross	6 35
J. F. Libby	27 56
Wm. W. Jewell	8 75
E. Libby & Sons	27 17

 \$2,377 38
Upper Village Permanent Sidewalk.

John Stewart	\$100 00
“	109 00
Simon Stahl	298 50
“	100 00
Wm. W. Jewell	70 25
“	53 77
“	7 50

 \$739 02
Damages Rebecca Phipps.

S. D. Wilson	\$3 50
Henry Simpson	9 75
E. Libby & Sons Co.	5 58
Wm. W. Jewell	93 99

Ami Boutin.....	\$57 25
Wm. W. Jewell.....	15 06
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	7 38

\$192 51

Sinking Fund.

A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	\$10,000 00
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Miscellaneous.

G. E. Noyes, expenses to Concord	\$20 00
F. Ingalls, printing reports	120 50
Mrs. P. A. Audley, Manchester Union....	5 00
Hamlin & Noyes, opera house.....	10 00
Edwin C. Eastman, invoice book.....	16 00
T. H. McHugh, fountain.....	12 50
J. M. Heath, Gorham hill cemetery	7 80
F. R. Jennings, rent for common	2 50
F. Ingalls, printing.....	8 00
A. R. Evans, insurance.....	59 50
Henry Simpson, town building	15 25
John G. Wentworth, meals.....	8 50
Oran Hale, wiring booths.....	3 15
G. L. Shorey, services.....	3 00
A. E. Fish & Co., booths.....	43 50
D. L. Heath, water tub.....	3 00
W. W. Jewell	4 94
Fred Ingalls, printing	11 80
Baltimore Novelty Co., signs	10 00
T. H. McHugh, fountain.....	12 50
W. B. Gates, expenses to Concord	15 00
F. R. Jennings, rent on common.....	2 50
Hamlin & Noyes, opera house.....	10 00
E. H. Cady, rent	150 00
Berlin Mills Co., castings.....	7 78
W. B. Gates, miscellaneous.....	14 25
A. R. Evans, insurance.....	20 00
Sherwin & Williams, paint.....	1 97
F. Ingalls, printing.....	5 50
J. F. Libby, services	50 00

\$654 44

Expenditures.

Town officers.....	\$1,439 74
Board of health.....	109 72
Contagious diseases.....	107 50
Vital statistics	40 55
Public library	650 00
Notes and interest paid.....	19,926 38

Trust funds	35 00
Schools	16,976 51
Lighting streets.....	1,602 44
Lighting town buildings	36 45
Water and sewer commission	825 50
Fire department.....	2,653 29
Police department.....	1,022 65
County tax.....	1,723 52
State tax	3,240 00
County paupers.....	120 99
Sprinkling streets	416 00
New bridges	5,994 19
Damage by dogs.....	8 00
Bounty on wild animals.....	10 80
Forest fires.....	216 47
State trunk line	4,058 01
Trunk line maintenance	1,277 24
State highway maintenance	301 45
Widening main street.....	513 00
Highways and bridges.....	2,558 36
Gorham hill permanent road	593 00
Rubbish cans.....	19 42
1912 trunk line insurance.....	117 23
Steam roller.....	750 00
Fire alarm	1,131 83
Permanent sidewalks.....	2,377 38
Upper village permanent sidewalks	739 02
Damages, Rebecca Phipps.....	192 51
Sinking fund	10,000 00
Miscellaneous	654 44

\$82,438.59

Receipts.

Balance in treasury, including dog license, Feb. 15, 1914.....	\$8,356 34
Dog license, 1914.....	90 00
Account paupers.....	218 66
Redeemed taxes.....	217 60
Pool license	30 00
Water and sewer commission.....	2,678 00
D. C. Hamlin, collector, 1911.....	1 00
“ “ 1912.....	30 74
“ “ 1913.....	1,049 62
“ “ 1914.....	55,090 59
State board of license commissioners, 1913.....	3 34
“ “ 1914.....	72 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	1,000 00
Gorham Savings bank.....	15,000 00

State highway department.....	\$4,616 23
Forest fires.....	77 45
Insurance tax.....	3 00
Railroad tax.....	3,486 88
Savings bank tax.....	2,809 09
Literary fund.....	332 64
School fund.....	2,196 07
Interest on bonds.....	380 00
Interest on deposit.....	46 34
Bounties from state.....	20 60
W. W. Jewell.....	17 91
Primary fees.....	15 00
Selectmen trust fund.....	35 00

 \$97,874 70

Liabilities.

Bonded debt, February 15, 1915.....	\$60,000 00
Balance dog license in treasury, February 15, 1915.....	90 00
Balance on common appropriation.....	1,000 00
Interest on bonded debt.....	300 00
Sidewalk appropriation.....	260 98
Dumping ground.....	500 00
W. B. Gates, note.....	2,000 00
John T. Peabody.....	500 00
Honora McHugh.....	1,000 00
Ellen Morse.....	500 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	1,000 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	500 00
I. W. McLellan.....	1,000 00
I. W. McLellan.....	2,000 00
Mrs. E. H. Fogg, estate of, Order No. 56..	5 00
Mary J. Morse, note.....	200 00
Angie B. Howe, note.....	500 00
W. D. Morse.....	10,000 00
Charlie C. Buck.....	3,000 00
Robert H. Ingalls.....	2,000 00
Robert H. Ingalls.....	1,000 00
Annie L. Gordon.....	500 00
Isaac A. Peabody.....	2,000 00
Rebecca C. Phipps.....	4,000 00
D. T. Wentworth.....	3,000 00
Isaac C. Wight estate.....	1,000 00
Isaac A. Peabody.....	1,000 00
John T. Peabody.....	2,000 00
Isaac A. Peabody.....	1,500 00
Elsie E. Ross.....	1,000 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	1,000 00

Oiling roads.....	200 00	
		\$104,555 98

Assets.

Cash on hand, including dog license	\$15,436 11	
Due from D. C. Hamlin, 1914.....	1,640 79	
" County.....	7 16	
Property bid in by town	1,230 47	
Town of Gorham bonds	18,000 00	
Interest due on bonds owned by town	90 00	
Cash in Gorham Savings Bank.....	104 60	
		\$36,509 13

Statement of Liabilities and Assets.

Liabilities, Feb. 15, 1915.....	\$104,555 98	
" " 1914.....	104,354 46	
Increase.....		\$201 52
Assets, Feb. 15, 1915.....	\$36,509 13	
" " 1914.....	19,164 50	
Increase.....		\$17,344 63

Recapitulation.

RECEIPTS.

Receipts, including dog license, February 15, 1915.....		\$97,874 70
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Expenditures during fiscal year.....	\$82,438 59	
Cash in treasury.....	15,436 11	
		\$97,874 70

Debt Statement.

Net debt, Feb. 15, 1914.....	\$85,189 96	
" " 1915.....	68,046 85	
Decrease in net debt.....		\$17,143 11

Bonded Debt Statement.

Bonded debt, Feb. 15, 1915.....	\$60,000 00	
Bonds purchased by Town of Gorham.....	18,000 00	
Bonded indebtedness exclusive of bonds owned by town.....		\$42,000 00

Respectfully submitted.

W. B. GATES,
C. B. NORTON,
E. H. BARRETT,

Selectmen of Gorham.

We hereby certify that we have this day examined the foregoing report of the selectmen and vouchers for bills paid, and find them correct.

E. H. CADY,
FRED R. JENNINGS,

Auditors.

Gorham, N. H., February 19, 1915.

Inventory of Town Property

Fire Department.

HOSE COMPANY NO. 1.

3 nozzles	\$33 00
1 hand fire engine	200 00
1 hose truck	25 00
2000 feet hose	500 00
300 feet new hose	180 00
1 ladder truck	100 00
230 feet of ladders	23 00
20 fire buckets	5 00
2 hooks, chains and ropes	10 00
1 extension ladder	56 00
1 set of iron blocks and rope	10 00
1 3-way set	163 00
1 Boston pipe	10 00
2 play pipe sets	20 00
10 hose straps	9 00
36 hose spanners	5 50
2 fire extinguishers	178 00
Small tools	7 00
4 firemen's coats	16 00
6 firemen's hats	18 00
6 lanterns	18 00
2 hydrant gates	16 00
1 outlet hydrant gate	22 00
1 hose wagon	350 00
15 feet of hose with coupling	3 00
6 pair rubber boots	24 00

\$2,001 50

HOSE COMPANY NO. 2.

1 ladder truck	\$100 00
148 feet ladders	14 80
1 pole chain	5 00
2 pickpoles	2 00
1 hose truck	25 00
19 fire buckets	4 75
1 play-pipe	5 00
1 set blocks and rope	10 00

1 nozzle	\$11 00
1 hydrant gate.....	8 00
1 play-pipe set.....	10 00
Hose straps	3 00
1 hose cart	20 00
Small tools.....	4 00
1000 feet hose	250 00
1 fire engine.....	200 00

\$672 55

Town Property.

Town house and lot.....	\$2,000 00
Umbagog building and lot	600 00
Furniture and fixtures.....	600 00
Storehouse	125 00
Crushing plant	1,200 00
Aqueduct lots	3,000 00
1 hearse.....	500 00
Small tools.....	75 00

\$8,100 00

Sprinkler.....

\$150 00

Fire alarm

\$1,131 83

Highways.

1 road machine.....	\$60 00
1 snow roller.....	30 00
1 sidewalk plow.....	8 00
1 road plow.....	5 00
1 road drag.....	15 00
18 spades.....	9 00
14 picks	4 20
1 scraper.....	1 00
2 crow bars.....	1 00
6 rakes.....	1 50
2 axes.....	1 00
2 hoes.....	50
2 stone forks.....	80
1 tool box.....	3 00
1 spoon spade.....	1 00
6 chains.....	21 00
Sidewalk tools and materials.....	10 00
Bridge plank.....	5 00

\$177 00

Treasurer's Report

Receipts.

Balance on hand, including \$94.80 dog tax.....	\$8,356 34
Received from W. W. Jewell	17 91
Received from state, insurance tax	3 00
" railroad tax.....	3,486 88
" savings bank tax.....	2,809 09
" school fund	2,196 07
" literary fund	332 64
Received license fees	75 34
" town clerk, primary fees.....	15 00
" forest fires.....	77 45
" county bill.....	218 66
" town clerk, redeemed taxes	217 60
" A. N. Twitchell, on note	1,000 00
" Savings Bank, on note	15,000 00
" bounty, hedgehogs.....	20 60
" interest on redeemed bonds.....	380 00
" highways	4,616 23
" sewer and water commission	2,678 60
Received from D. C. Hamlin, collector, 1913.....	1,049 62
" " " 1914.....	55,090 59
" " " 1912.....	30 74
A. Martel, license	30 00
White Mountain National Bank, interest.....	46 34
Town clerk, dog license.....	90 00
D. C. Hamlin, collector, 1911.....	1 00
Selectmen, trust fund	35 00
	\$97,874 70

Orders Paid.

W. W. Jewell	\$106 98
J. W. Hamlin	36 75
M. W. Hamlin	11 36
M. W. Hamlin	63 00
G. W. Hamlin	20 00
G. W. Hamlin	513 00
F. W. Hamlin	885 62
C. W. Hamlin	1 63
F. W. Hamlin	120 50

Mrs. P. A. Audley	\$5 00
Cascade Light & Power Co.....	268 64
Murdick Graham	69 75
Cascade Light & Power Co.....	133 12
Berlin Electric Light Co	15 00
Coos Telephone Co.....	1 88
W. W. Jewell	85 86
W. W. Jewell	198 25
W. J. Perkins	30 00
D. C. Hamlin.....	10 00
Murdick Graham	67 50
W. W. Jewell	63 00
W. W. Jewell	60 75
Henry Simpson.....	13 00
Henry Marble.....	7 50
St. Louis hospital.....	7 50
C. B. Norton	2 50
W. W. Jewell	127 81
“	50 00
“	149 62
W. J. Perkins	54 70
W. W. Jewell	143 24
S. D. Wilson	27 00
E. C. Eastman.....	16 00
W. J. Perkins	30 00
J. A. Fraser.....	100 00
W. W. Jewell	618 53
Murdick Graham	69 75
Murdick Graham	7 00
John Bushey.....	37 50
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	266 44
Coos Telephone Co.....	4 26
T. H. McHugh.....	32 91
W. J. Perkins.....	22 40
J. A. Fraser	200 00
W. W. Jewell.....	75 72
W. W. Jewell.....	674 90
Henry Marble.....	60 00
J. A. Fraser	260 00
S. D. Wilson.....	12 00
C. McAllister.....	5 00
T. H. McHugh, water and sewers.....	460 00
“ “	12 50
“ “	30 00
“ “	4 50
John Stewart.....	300 00
W. W. Jewell.....	200 00
W. W. Jewell.....	785 05

S. D. Wilson.....	\$1 25
J. M. Heath.....	7 80
Barrett Brothers.....	17 67
W. W. Jewell.....	19 50
W. W. Jewell.....	193 95
Murdick Graham.....	67 50
John Stewart & Son.....	400 00
Buffalo steam roller.....	750 00
Ed Stearns.....	3 00
F. R. Jennings.....	2 50
W. W. Jewell.....	481 25
T. L. Marble.....	12 00
T. H. McHugh.....	250 00
S. D. Wilson.....	25 00
W. W. Jewell.....	201 45
John Stewart & Son.....	300 00
W. W. Jewell.....	840 12
S. D. Wilson.....	25 00
John Stewart.....	300 00
Simon Stahl.....	200 00
C. L. Noyes.....	12 00
F. Ingalls.....	8 00
Amos Heath.....	4 00
J. E. Dancoes.....	4 00
Sherwin Williams Co.....	1 97
W. W. Jewell.....	148 10
“.....	482 36
“.....	397 62
Murdick Graham.....	69 75
W. J. Perkins.....	14 75
John Stewart.....	300 00
W. W. Jewell.....	103 37
“.....	119 44
John Stewart.....	100 00
Simon Stahl.....	100 00
S. D. Wilson.....	63 29
“.....	3 50
John Stewart.....	100 00
A. R. Evans.....	59 50
John Stewart.....	109 00
Simon Stahl.....	298 50
“.....	100 00
W. W. Jewell.....	74 75
“.....	93 34
“.....	159 45
Henry Simpson.....	15 25
T. H. McHugh.....	250 00
W. W. Jewell.....	346 67

E. M. Cross	\$6 35
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	393 96
Murdick Graham	69 75
S. D. Wilson.....	68 50
Coos Telephone Co.....	6 12
United Construction Co.....	5,800 00
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	28 07
W. W. Jewell	365 85
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	22 50
T. L. Marble	5 00
A. L. Burbank	3 00
S. S. Bennett.....	3 00
W. R. Haley.....	3 00
W. W. Jewell.....	70 25
“	71 25
“	314 00
Murdick Graham.....	67 50
W. W. Jewell.....	35 75
“	296 27
T. H. McHugh.....	20 00
Murdick Graham.....	19 00
“	69 25
W. S. Hodgdon.....	3 00
Elsey Ross.....	26 64
J. G. Wentworth.....	8 50
George E. Noyes.....	5 00
A. L. Burbank.....	3 00
S. S. Bennett.....	3 00
W. R. Haley.....	3 00
J. R. Evans.....	3 00
Oran Hale	3 15
Guy L. Shorey.....	3 00
Sewer and water commission.....	150 00
W. W. Jewell.....	231 95
“	74 50
“	15 50
E Libby & Sons Co.....	51 92
A. E. Fish.....	43 50
Fisk & Harris.....	24 00
Boston Woven Hose Co.....	208 50
A. Lavallee.....	10 00
J. F. Libby.....	27 56
Mary J. Morse.....	412 00
W. W. Jewell.....	53 77
Henry Simpson.....	9 75
D. L. Heath.....	3 00
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	5 58
W. W. Jewell.....	93 99

W. W. Jewell.....	\$1 00
“	13 00
“	7 50
“	29 00
W. W. Jewell.....	4 94
“	6 00
“	8 75
Ami Boutin.....	57 25
Sewer and water commission.....	60 00
Fred Ingalls.....	11 80
G. W. Harriman.....	8 00
B. C. Smith.....	6 80
W. J. Perkins.....	5 00
R. C. Reed.....	27 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	262 64
“	13 95
T. L. Marble.....	18 00
A. E. Leavitt.....	8 11
A. E. Leavitt, treasurer, for bonds.....	10,146 67
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co.....	1,000 00
B. B. Bickford.....	4 00
H. Marble.....	6 50
Murdick Graham.....	8 75
Murdick Graham.....	67 50
Coos Telephone Co.....	6 11
Berlin Mills Co.....	6 00
C. H. Hobbs.....	5 94
Baltimore Enamel Co.....	10 00
County tax.....	1,723 52
J. A. Fraser.....	5 00
P. K. Ross.....	5 00
Sewer and water commission.....	12 50
“	30 00
“	460 00
“	4 50
Gorham Savings Bank.....	15,314 80
W. B. Gates.....	15 00
S. D. Wilson.....	1 50
T. S. Spear.....	2 50
A. R. Evans.....	650 00
Cleve McNeil.....	1 50
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	262 64
W. B. Gates.....	5 80
A. L. Burbank.....	60 00
A. E. Leavitt.....	331 25
“ interest on bonds.....	2,400 00
“ state tax.....	3,240 00
F. R. Jennings.....	2 50

Murdick Graham.....	\$69 75
M. Gately.....	2 00
Barrett Brothers.....	11 10
True Barrows.....	1 50
B. B. Bickford.....	117 23
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	4 00
Coos Telephone Co.....	1 87
Riva & Stanley.....	9 83
J. E. Willey.....	49 15
H. Simpson.....	2 00
W. J. Brown.....	10 91
A. M. Heath.....	1 50
“.....	1 75
C. A. Chandler.....	3 45
“.....	5 00
A. E. Vachon.....	1 50
City of Berlin.....	112 24
W. W. Jewell.....	15 06
“.....	63 97
C. Dauphney.....	1 50
A. J. Goodridge.....	1 50
Hamlin & Noyes.....	10 00
C. G. Hamlin.....	3 66
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	27 17
“.....	13 45
“.....	7 38
Coos Telephone Co.....	1 88
Murdick Graham.....	69 75
Paul King.....	2 00
J. T. Peabody.....	100 00
Isaac Peabody.....	180 00
Honora McHugh.....	40 00
Stephen Morse.....	20 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	78 27
I. W. McLellan.....	120 00
Mary J. Morse.....	8 00
Angie B. Howe.....	20 00
W. D. Morse.....	400 00
C. C. Buck.....	120 00
R. H. Ingalls.....	120 00
Annie L. Gordon.....	20 00
Rebecca C. Phipps.....	160 00
D. T. Wentworth.....	120 00
W. B. Gates.....	80 00
M. M. Willis.....	2 00
Estate I. Wight.....	40 00
Gorham Savings Bank.....	150 00
M. M. Willis.....	65 00

Thomas McHugh	\$25 00
A. L. Burbank	25 00
C. C. Libby	25 00
A. L. Burbank	10 00
H. J. Fancy	10 00
S. S. Bennett	10 00
A. E. Leavitt	65 00
W. B. Gates	300 00
C. B. Norton	200 00
E. H. Barrett	180 00
Henry Marble	35 00
A. R. Evans	50 00
E. H. Cady	5 00
F. R. Jennings	5 00
M. M. Willis	5 65
“	27 87
“	14 00
Berlin Mills Co	7 78
Barrett Brothers	1 12
W. G. Barrett	25 00
W. B. Gates	14 25
A. R. Evans	20 00
M. M. Willis	15 30
“	2 75
J. B. McCaffrey	1 50
A. Martel	5 00
H. Marble	5 25
B. L. Richardson	5 25
H. S. Mahood	1 75
H. H. Bryant, Jr.	3 75
E. R. B. McGee	1 25
N. Sasserville	1 50
T. C. Pulsifer	2 25
Twin State Gas and Electric Co.	9 10
I. Forbes	3 00
C. H. Hobbs	36 51
D. C. Hamlin, collector	418 74
A. E. Leavitt, treasurer of school board.	16,976 51
W. W. Jewell	381 23
Thomas Wight	17 35
F. Ingalls	5 50
J. A. Fraser	27 50
L. A. McDonald	96 75
J. F. Libby	50 00
J. J. Tellington	19 89
Balance on hand, February 15, including \$90 dog tax. . .	15,436 11
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	\$97,874 70

Road Agent's Report

Summer Roads

1914			
May 2,	H. A. Stickney,	2½ days.....	\$5 00
	Sidney Orr,	3 "	6 00
	"	4¾ "	9 50
	T. E. Goodno,	4¾ "	9 50
	Edward Stearns,	4¾ "	9 50
	Charles Provencher,	4½ "	9 00
	Patrick O'Malley,	4¼ "	8 50
	Cyrus Gallant,	3 "	6 00
9,	Sidney Orr,	6 "	12 00
	T. E. Goodno,	5 "	10 00
	Edward Stearns,	5 "	10 00
	Charles Provencher,	6 "	12 00
	Patrick O'Malley,	6 "	12 00
	Cyrus Gallant,	6 "	12 00
	Arthur Peltier,	6 "	12 00
	George Huntley,	5 "	10 00
	Joseph Gauthier,	5 "	8 75
	Henry Green,	4¼ "	8 50
	Michael Barrett,	4¾ "	8 31
	Lawrence Gillis,	2 "	4 00
	H. L. Wilson,	5½ "	8 25
13,	W. W. Jewell,		50 00
16,	T. E. Goodnow,	5½ "	11 00
	Charles Provencher,	5½ "	11 00
	Patrick O'Malley,	6 "	12 00
	Cyrus Gallant,	6 "	12 00
	Arthur Peltier,	6 "	12 00
	George Huntley,	6 "	12 00
	Michael Barrett,	5¾ "	10 06
	H. L. Wilson,	5½ "	8 25
	W. J. Perkins,	4 "	10 00
	R. C. Perkins,	4 "	8 00
	W. F. Perkins,	5 "	10 00
	Ralph Ross,	5½ "	8 25
	Erville Hatch,	3¾ "	6 56
	Teles Cote,	5¾ "	11 50
	W. S. Hodgman,	3 "	5 25
	Teles Bouchet,	1 "	1 75

May 23, Sidney Orr,	3 days	.....	\$6 00
T. E. Goodno,	6 "	.....	12 00
Charles Provencher,	6 "	.....	12 00
Patrick O'Malley,	6 "	.....	12 00
Cyrus Gallant,	6 "	.....	12 00
Arthur Peltier,	6 "	.....	12 00
George Huntley,	5 "	.....	10 00
Joseph Gauthier,	1½ "	.....	2 62
Michael Barrett,	5½ "	.....	9 62
H. L. Wilson,	5½ "	.....	8 25
W. F. Perkins,	6½ "	.....	13 00
Ralph Ross,	1 "	.....	1 75
Erville Hatch,	1 "	.....	1 75
Teles Cote,	6 "	.....	12 00
Teles Boucher,	3 "	.....	5 25
John Boucher,	1 "	.....	2 00
Prescott Haycock,	2 "	.....	4 00
R. C. Perkins,	1½ "	.....	3 00
Ralph Perkins,	1 "	.....	2 00
Guy Perkins,	1 "	.....	2 00
30, Charles Provencher,	6 "	.....	12 00
Joseph Gauthier,	6 "	.....	10 50
Michael Barrett,	6 "	.....	10 50
H. L. Wilson,	6 "	.....	9 00
R. C. Perkins,	6½ "	.....	13 00
Isaac Beaulier,	5 "	.....	10 00
John Devine,	5 "	.....	7 50
Aaron Berry,	4 "	.....	8 00
J. L. Guarin,	2 "	.....	4 00
Stephen Stive,	2 "	.....	4 00
Brant Kert,	2 "	.....	4 00
J. M. Heath,	1 "	.....	1 50
W. J. Perkins,	3 "	.....	6 00
Fred Carron,	½ "	.....	1 00
Ralph Perkins,	2 hours	.....	45
Guy Perkins,	2 "	.....	45
J. G. Dickson and team,	15 "	.....	8 33
Apr. 31, William Jewell, No. 1 team and man,	5¾ days	.....	28 75
"	2 "	2¾ "	13 75
May 30,	1 "	25½ "	127 50
"	2 "	24½ "	122 50
"	3 "	19¼ "	96 25
"	4 "	9 "	45 00
"	5 "	1 "	5 00
"	6 horses and man,	4 "	44 00
C. A. Chandler, team and man, 1 day	.....		5 00
J. A. Fraser, 88 loads of gravel	.....		8 80
Ernest Cummings, team and man, 2 days	.....		10 00

May 30,	Berlin Street Railway, car fares	\$1 75
	Sewer commission, installing 3 catch basins..	75 72
June 30,	W. J. Perkins, 4 days, road machine	10 00
	“ 3½ “	7 00
	R. C. Perkins, 5 “	10 00
	H. A. Stickney, 4 “	8 00
	Michael Barrett, 1 “	1 75
	Charles Provencher, 7 “	14 00
	William Jewell, No. 1 team and man, 4¼ days.	21 25
	“ 2 “ 1 “ ..	5 00
	“ 6 horse team and man 4 days ..	44 00
	Italian No. 1, 1 day	1 75
	Italian No. 2, 1 “	1 75
	E. H. Percival, 1½ “ road roller	4 50
	M. McFarlan, ½ “	1 00
	Edward Slattery, 1 “	2 00
	Frank Donahue, 1 “	2 00
	Abram Cantin, 1 “	2 00
	T. W. Haley, ½ “	1 00
	Patrick O'Malley, 1½ “	3 00
	United Construction Co., culvert pipe	51 20
	Henry Simpson, labor, road rollers	10 25
July 31,	William Jewell, team and man ¾ day	3 75
	Charles Provencher, 1¾ days	3 50
	Abram Cantin, ¾ day	1 50
Aug. 31,	William Jewell, team and man, 5¾ days	28 75
	Michael Barrett, 5 “	8 75
	W. J. Perkins, road machine, ¾ “	1 87
	R. C. Perkins, ¾ “	1 50
	Charles Provencher, 5 “	10 00
	W. S. Bryant, 5 “	10 00
	H. L. Wilson, 1 “	1 50
Sept. 30,	Estate William Jewell, team and man, 2 days.	10 00
	G. H. Emery, repairing abutment Moose Brook bridge	6 33
	Wm. Jewell, team, repairing abutment Moose brook bridge	2 00
	W. W. Jewell, cement, repairing abutment Moose brook bridge	3 00
Oct. 31,	Wm. Jewell, team and man, 1 day, Moose brook bridge, Heath road	5 00
	W. J. Perkins, 1 day, Moose brook bridge, Heath road	2 50
	R. C. Perkins, 1 day, Moose brook bridge, Heath road	2 00
	Sidney Orr, 1 day, Moose brook bridge, Heath road	2 00

Oct. 31,	W. J. Perkins, two stringers, Moose brook bridge, Heath road	\$2 00
	Wm. Jewell, team and man $\frac{1}{2}$ day	2 50
	Michael Barrett, 2 days.....	3 50
	W. W. Jewell.....	50 00
	B. B. Bickford, insurance.....	70 00
Dec. 4,	Wm. Jewell, team and man, 1 day.....	5 00
	George Emery, 2 days.....	5 00
5,	Charles Emery, 2 days.....	5 00
	C. G. Hamlin, 5 bags cement.....	3 00
	W. W. Jewell, 4 bags cement.....	2 00
	E. Libby & Sons Co., material and labor.....	229 71
	Bennett & Hamlin, rent.....	15 00
	M. M. Willis, material.....	30 40
	C. H. Hobbs, material.....	18 87
	W. D. Farris, gravel.....	20 00
	Amos Heath, teaming	1 00
	A. H. Hall, teaming	4 75
	Buffalo Steam Roller Co., repairing roller ...	5 00
	Total summer roads.....	\$2,006 05

Winter Roads.

1914

Feb. 15,	C. A. Chandler, 6 horses and man $\frac{1}{2}$ day roller.....	\$5 50
	Wm. Jewell, plowing sidewalks.....	2 00
18,	Wm. Jewell, 4 horses and man $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, roller..	20 00
19,	Wm. Jewell, 2 teams, 2 men 1 day	10 00
	W. J. Perkins and team, 5 days breaking roads.....	25 00
	Charles Hawkins, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	6 12
	R. C. Perkins, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days	9 00
	Aaron Berry, 4 days.....	8 00
	Erville Hatch, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	4 37
	Michael Barrett, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	4 37
	Charles Provencher, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	7 00
	H. L. Wilson, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days.....	3 75
	Ralph Ross, $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	87
	H. A. Stickney, $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	1 00
Mar. 31,	H. A. Stickney, 2 days.....	4 00
	Erville Hatch, $1\frac{3}{4}$ days.....	3 06
	Cleston Spear, $1\frac{1}{4}$ day.....	1 88
	Roy Rogers, $1\frac{3}{4}$ day.....	3 06
	Michael Barrett, 3 days	5 25
	Harold Ricker, $1\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	2 19
	Timothy Flaherty, 3 hours.....	60
	Thomas Austin, $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	1 00
	Charles Hawkins, 3 days.....	5 25

Mar. 31,	J. B. Head, 77 hours	\$15 40
	H. L. Wilson, 2½ days	3 75
	Albert Phipps, 2½ days	4 37
	Edward Billedeau, ¾ day	1 50
	Rich Ridlon, 17 hours	2 55
	R. H. Ingalls, 1 day	2 00
	C. E. Stewart, 1¾ day	3 06
	Lloyd Schandler, 1 day	1 75
	J. Gauthier, 1½ day	2 19
	George Palmer, 3 days	6 00
	George Simonds, 4½ days	9 00
	W. J. Perkins, 2 days	4 00
	R. C. Perkins, 2 days	4 00
Apr. 10,	W. J. Perkins, 6 days	12 00
	H. A. Stickney, 3 days	6 00
	W. F. Perkins, 6 days	12 00
	O. L. Haley, 3 days	6 00
	Sydney Orr, 3 days	6 00
	R. C. Perkins, 6 days	12 00
	Charles Dickson, 3 days	6 00
	Fred Carron, 3 days	6 00
	Angus Gillis, 3 days	6 00
	Patrick O'Malley, 3 days	6 00
	Joseph Gautier, 3 days	5 25
	T. W. Haley, 5 days	10 00
	Lloyd Gillis, 3 days	6 00
	H. L. Wilson, 3 days	4 50
	Mansal Barry, 3 days	6 00
	Adrian Burns, 3 days	4 50
	Ralph Ross, 2 days	3 50
	Percival Hatch, 3 days	4 50
	Albert Misnor, 3 days	6 00
	George Palmer, 3 days	6 00
	James Perry, 4 days	8 00
	Floyd Perry, 4 days	6 00
	John G. Dickson, 2 days	4 00
	John G. Dickson, team, 3 days	9 00
	T. E. Goodno, 3 days	6 00
	Lawrence Fortier, 3 days	6 00
	Wm. Jewell, team and man, 3 days	15 00
	John McDonald, 1 day	2 00
	Alfred Greenwood, 1 day	2 00
	Joseph Davis, 1 day	2 00
	W. B. Brown, 2 days	4 00
	O. L. Haley and team, 2½ days	11 25
	T. W. Haley, 1½ days	2 50
	Elmer Wilson and team, breaking roads	8 00
	Elmer Wilson, ¾ day	1 50

Apr. 10,	G. W. Harriman, breaking roads.....	\$21 00
	J. A. Fraser, crossing land.....	10 00
	Sophia Noyes, crossing land.....	5 00
	John Barron, $\frac{3}{4}$ day.....	1 50
Nov. 20,	Wm. Jewell, plowing sidewalks.....	3 00
	“ 6 horses and 2 men, $\frac{1}{2}$ day, roller	6 50
21	“ 6 “ 1 “	13 00
23,	“ team and man $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	2 50
	Charles Hawkins, $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	87
Dec. 14,	William Jewell, plowing sidewalks.....	2 00
	“ sanding “	50
15,	“ “ “	1 00
17,	“ “ “	1 00
21,	“ plowing “	1 00
22,	“ “ “	2 00
23,	“ “ “	1 00
30,	“ sanding “	1 00
31,	“ “ “	1 00
1915		
Jan. 7,	J. M. Noonan, $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	1 00
	Rufus Chambers, $\frac{1}{2}$ day.....	1 00
	C. G. Hamlin, salt.....	3 60
24,	William Jewell, plowing sidewalks	2 00
25,	“ “	2 00
Feb. 1,	“ “	2 50
2,	“ 6 horses, 2 men, 1 day, roller..	13 00
3,	“ “ “ $\frac{1}{2}$ “ ..	6 50
	William Jewell, plowing sidewalks.....	2 50
9,	“ “	2 00
13,	Wm. Jewell, sanding sidewalks	2 50
	O. L. Haley and team, breaking roads.....	8 75
	Elmer Wilson and team, breaking roads.....	6 00
	G. W. Harriman and team, breaking roads...	4 25
	T. W. Haley, 1 day.....	2 00
	Daniel Sullivan, repairing sidewalk plow....	3 25
	Henry Simpson, repairing sidewalk plow....	1 25
Total winter roads.....		\$552 31

Respectfully submitted.

W. W. JEWELL, Road Agent.

Gorham, N. H., February, 15, 1915.

Water and Sewer Commission

Receipts.

1914		
Feb. 15,	Cash in White Mountain National bank	\$261 25
24,	M. Haines, excess service allowance	15 74
25,	J. H. Woodward, rent	27 00
Mch. 3,	Alfred Michaud, rent	3 50
16,	A. H. Hill, rent	10 00
17,	A. H. Eley, rent	9 00
20,	George E. Coombs, rent	9 00
	George E. Coombs, sewer rent	1 50
21,	E. S. Wood, rent	7 00
28,	The E. Libby & Sons Co., rent	63 00
Apr. 14,	Charles F. Low, sewer rent	1 50
25,	Benjamin Pratt, rent	3 76
May 29,	Thomas Berry, rent	21 00
	Joseph Lavertue, rent	4 05
June 1,	John Graham, rent	3 15
	Arthur Houle, rent	4 05
2,	Mrs. Forbush, rent	4 50
	Mrs. Devine, rent	7 20
	Athanas LeBlanc, rent	9 00
	F. C. Wood, rent	15 30
	G. D. Stratton, rent	29 25
	J. H. Woodward, rent	8 10
4,	Mrs. Potter, rent	8 10
	Willard Farris, rent	4 50
	Archie Mercier, rent	4 50
	Albert Sargent, rent	4 05
5,	T. G. Lary estate, rent	9 00
	J. E. Willey, rent	12 60
6,	Henry Coulombe, rent	4 05
	George M. Watson, rent	7 20
	Mrs. Osgood, rent	4 50
8,	Edward Hall, rent	4 05
	Edward Hall, sewer rent	1 50
	Fred Ingalls, rent	5 85
	C. F. Ring, rent	9 50
	C. F. Ring, sewer rent	1 50
	E. A. Gilbert, rent	3 15

June 8,	J. F. Libby, rent	\$5 85
	F. W. Reed, rent	3 15
9,	William Jewell, installing catch basin.....	75 72
	Meda Tanguay, rent	3 50
	I. W. McLellan, rent	8 10
	Charles McPherson, rent.....	3 15
	James Brooks, rent.....	4 05
	Twin State Gas & Electric Co., rent.....	25 00
	William Kendall, rent.....	4 50
June 9,	Charles E. Howse, rent.....	9 00
10,	Austin Whitman, rent.....	6 75
	David O. Holmes, rent.....	7 20
11,	John Griffin, rent.....	3 15
	Mrs. Barron, rent.....	9 00
	Amie Boutin, rent.....	4 50
	William Flaherty, rent.....	4 05
12,	P. B. Evans, rent.....	18 00
	A. M. Hubbard, rent	8 10
13,	E. Libby & Sons Co., rent.....	59 85
	Fred Coulombe, rent.....	17 64
	Miss M. Williamson, rent	7 20
	P. S. Little, rent	4 05
	R. H. Ingalls, rent.....	7 20
15,	George S. Ingerson, rent.....	4 05
	Isaac Peabody, rent.....	3 15
	Paul Daulphin, rent.....	10 66
	Michael Ogle, rent.....	4 50
18,	John T. Peabody, rent.....	5 85
	F. R. Jennings, rent.....	19 35
20,	C. A. and A. B. Hamlin, rent	9 77
	Town order No. 45, catch basin.....	32 91
	“ 54, rent.....	460 00
	“ 55, rent.....	12 50
	“ 56, rent.....	30 00
	“ 57, rent.....	4 50
	Arthur Therrien, rent.....	8 10
	E. L. Newell, rent.....	4 50
	M. Haines, rent.....	4 05
22,	M. Corcoran, rent	5 10
	Edwin Morse, rent.....	18 00
	Daniel R. Wight, rent	9 00
23,	James T. Culhane, rent.....	8 10
	Thomas Flaherty estate, rent	4 50
	James McGoldrick, rent.....	4 05
24,	S. M. Leavitt estate, rent.....	44 10
	A. E. Leavitt, rent	7 20
25,	Napoleon Nedeau, rent	3 15
26,	William A. Head, rent.....	4 50

June 26,	Thomas Gorham, rent.....	\$4 05
27,	C. S. Russell, rent.....	11 70
	A. N. Twitchell, rent.....	3 15
	Frank Donahue, rent.....	4 05
	A. W. Heath, rent.....	10 20
29,	F. C. Wood, rent.....	6 30
	Mrs Abbie Ross, rent.....	13 00
	A. G. Phipps estate, rent.....	8 55
30,	E. B. Roberts, rent.....	3 76
	M. McGoldrick, rent.....	5 85
	S. S. Bennett, rent.....	2 70
	C. N. Tubbs, rent.....	9 45
	Estate of C. M. Wheeler, rent.....	9 00
	Estate of J. W. Brown, rent.....	80 75
	S. E. Bartlett, rent.....	9 00
	Mrs. A. W. Wheeler, rent.....	4 50
	Walter Buck, rent.....	4 50
	Estate of Frank Cloutier.....	6 30
	George L. Lary, rent.....	9 90
	Mrs. Godsoe, rent.....	4 50
	William Kendall, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pressure regulator..	4 25
	Simon Stahl, rent.....	30 60
	Patrick Foley, rent.....	4 05
July 6,	Town order No. 73.....	250 00
7,	D. C. Hamlin, rent.....	6 30
	Alfred Michaud, rent.....	3 50
	Estate of F. P. Dube, rent.....	4 50
	Frank Dube, rent.....	3 15
21,	P. M. Morgan, rent.....	8 55
	School board order No. 53, rent.....	30 00
24,	C. G. Hamlin, rent.....	16 79
	C. J. Heath, rent.....	5 00
	Albert A. Lufkin, rent.....	9 00
	Albert A. Lufkin, sewer rent.....	1 50
Aug. 3,	J. St. J. Benedict, rent.....	8 00
4,	Murdick Graham, rent.....	9 00
	Thomas Flaherty estate.....	2 70
8,	F. E. Goodridge, rent.....	38 00
	Mrs. Mary Casey.....	4 05
	Paul LeClare, rent....	3 50
18,	E. B. Roberts, rent.....	2 50
31,	Town order No. 107.....	250 00
Sept. 21,	A. H. Hall, rent.....	10 00
	S. E. Montplaisir, rent.....	20 80
22,	George E. Coombs, rent.....	9 00
	C. A. Chandler, rent.....	54 00
23,	G. D. Stratton, installing sewer.....	42 76
Oct. 1,	A. H. Eley, rent.....	4 50

Oct.	2,	John Rix, rent	\$6 66
		John Rix, sewer rent	1 50
	7,	Meda Tanguay, rent	3 50
	10,	Estate of Mrs. D. H. Evans, rent	15 00
		Estate of Mrs. D. H. Evans, sewer rent	1 25
	12,	Mrs. Rentz, rent	3 50
	22,	Mrs. Gertrude Philbrook, rent	5 00
Nov.	2,	Town order No. 125	20 00
	6,	Thomas Fitzgerald, rent	7 00
	7,	Lawrence E. Gillis, rent	18 00
	14,	Benjamin Pratt, rent	4 50
		D. L. Heath, rent	7 00
	21,	Mrs. King, rent	6 65
	23,	Town order, No. 165	60 00
	25,	Miss Ward, rent	12 70
	27,	Edward K. Hall, rent	6 00
	28,	A. H. Hill, 1 ½-inch pressure regulator	4 25
	30,	Austin Whitman, rent	4 73
		Austin Whitman, sewer rent	1 50
Dec.	1,	Joseph Lavertue, rent	4 05
		Joseph Lavertue, sewer rent	1 50
		B. L. Richardson, rent	4 50
		B. L. Richardson, sewer rent	1 50
		Ami Boutin, rent	4 50
		Frank Dube, rent	3 15
		Estate of F. P. Dube, rent	4 50
		Estate of F. P. Dube, sewer rent	1 50
		A. N. Twitchell, rent	3 15
		James B. McCaffrey, rent	27 50
		Mrs. Ellen M. Stearns	1 75
		F. C. Wood, rent	15 30
		C. B. Norton, rent	9 50
		C. B. Norton, sewer rent	1 50
		Daniel R. Wight, rent	9 00
		G. D. Stratton, rent	29 25
		A. M. Stahl, rent	5 25
		A. M. Stahl, sewer rent	3 00
		Joseph Gauthier, rent	6 65
	4,	John Rix, rent	4 50
		John Rix, sewer rent	1 50
		Charles McPherson, rent	3 15
		Edward Hall, rent	4 00
		James T. Culhane, rent	8 10
		James T. Culhane, sewer rent	3 00
		Peter Noonan, rent	6 65
		Arthur Houle, rent	4 05
		Arthur Houle, sewer rent	1 50
	5,	D. C. Hamlin, rent	4 73

Dec. 5,	C. G. Hamlin, rent.....	\$16 52
	G. D. Stratton, sewer rent.....	1 87
	J. H. Woodward, rent.....	8 10
	Fred Ingalls, rent.....	5 85
	Edwin Morse, rent.....	18 00
	Edwin Morse, sewer rent.....	1 50
	P. B. Evans, sewer rent.....	3 00
	P. B. Evans, rent.....	18 00
	Edmonde Gosselin, rent.....	6 00
	Paul LeClair, rent.....	3 15
	Archie Mercier, rent.....	4 50
	Archie Mercier, sewer rent.....	1 50
	T. G. Lary estate, rent.....	9 00
	T. G. Lary estate, sewer rent.....	1 50
	Mrs. Forbush, rent.....	4 50
8,	Henry Coulombe, rent.....	4 05
	Henry Coulombe, sewer rent.....	1 50
	I. W. McLellan, sewer rent.....	1 50
	I. W. McLellan, rent.....	8 10
	Elsy W. Ross, rent.....	10 80
	Elsy W. Ross, sewer rent.....	1 75
	C. S. Russell, rent.....	10 00
9,	M. Ogle, rent.....	4 50
	Mrs. Etta Brooks, rent.....	4 50
	Mrs. Etta Brooks, sewer rent.....	1 50
10,	E. A. Gilbert, rent.....	3 15
	Edward K. Hall, rent.....	4 05
	Edward K. Hall, sewer rent.....	2 62
	Mrs. Potter, rent.....	8 10
	Mrs. Potter, sewer rent.....	1 50
	Estate of Thomas Flaherty, rent.....	9 00
	Estate of Thomas Flaherty, sewer rent.....	1 50
	James McGoldrick, rent.....	4 05
	James McGoldrick, sewer rent.....	1 50
11,	John Griffin, rent.....	3 15
	Charles E. Howse, rent.....	9 00
	School board order No. 88, rent.....	30 00
	Mrs. Osgood, rent.....	4 50
	George M. Watson, rent.....	4 50
	George M. Watson, sewer rent.....	1 50
12,	The E. Libby & Sons Co., rent.....	61 20
	Mrs. Phipps, rent.....	8 10
	Mrs. Phipps, sewer rent.....	1 50
	Napoleon Nedeau, rent.....	3 15
	Isaac Peabody, rent.....	3 15
	P. S. Little, rent.....	4 05
	P. S. Little, sewer rent.....	1 50
	Mrs. Sabina Devine, rent.....	4 65

Dec. 12, Mrs. Sabina Devine, sewer rent.....	\$1 50
Paul Dauphin, rent.....	3 15
Nov. 9, Town order.....	150 00
Dec. 14, Willard Farris, rent.....	4 50
A. C. Gurney, sewer rent.....	1 50
16, Fred Coulombe, rent.....	12 90
Fred Coulombe, sewer rent.....	3 00
E. L. Newell, rent.....	4 50
E. L. Newell, sewer rent.....	1 50
17, Mrs. Laura Lary, rent.....	7 00
Patrick Foley, rent.....	4 05
Patrick Foley, sewer rent.....	1 50
F. R. Jennings, rent.....	19 35
F. R. Jennings, sewer rent.....	1 50
18, M. McGoldrick, rent.....	3 15
A. Sargent, rent.....	4 05
A. Sargent, sewer rent.....	1 50
C. F. Ring, rent.....	4 50
C. F. Ring, sewer rent.....	1 50
Arthur Therrian, rent.....	8 10
Arthur Therrian, sewer rent.....	1 50
William A. Head, rent.....	4 50
Carl P. Stewart, rent.....	5 00
William E. Flaherty, rent.....	4 05
William E. Flaherty, sewer rent.....	1 50
19, F. E. Goodridge, installing sewer.....	23 69
" rent.....	8 55
" sewer rent.....	4 50
John T. Peabody, rent.....	5 85
John T. Peabody, sewer rent.....	2 15
Mrs. Barron, rent.....	9 00
Mrs. Barron, sewer rent.....	1 50
R. H. Ingalls, rent.....	10 15
R. H. Ingalls, sewer rent.....	1 50
21, Michael Haines, rent.....	4 05
Michael Haines, sewer rent.....	1 50
P. M. Morgan, rent.....	8 55
P. M. Morgan, sewer rent.....	1 50
George S. Ingerson, rent.....	4 05
George S. Ingerson, sewer rent.....	1 50
Estate of A. W. Wheeler, rent.....	9 00
Walter Walker, rent.....	9 50
Walter Walker, sewer rent.....	1 50
22, J. F. Libby, rent.....	5 85
26, Harry Laughlin, rent.....	10 00
E. C. Daley, rent.....	4 50
E. C. Daley, sewer rent.....	1 50
Estate of A. B. Libby, rent.....	6 30

Dec. 28, Frank Donahue, rent	\$4 05
Frank Donahue, sewer rent	1 50
James W. Brown estate, rent	38 25
James W. Brown estate, sewer rent	4 50
Estate of Frank Cloutier, rent	9 45
Thomas Gorham, rent	4 05
Thomas Gorham, sewer rent	1 50
29, Town order No. 188, rent	12 50
" 189, "	30 00
" 190, "	460 00
" 191, "	4 50
A. W. Heath, rent	8 10
A. W. Heath, sewer rent	1 50
F. W. Reed, rent	4 50
F. W. Reed, sewer rent	1 50
30, Estate of S. M. Leavitt, rent	44 10
Estate of S. M. Leavitt, sewer rent	4 50
A. E. Leavitt, rent	4 50
A. E. Leavitt, sewer rent	1 50
A. E. Leavitt, merchandise	3 50
Levi S. Barrett, rent	14 25
A. D. Barrett, rent	9 50
E. H. Barrett, rent	4 50
E. H. Barrett, sewer rent	1 50
Barrett Brothers, rent	11 40
James Brooks, rent	4 50
James Brooks, sewer rent	1 50
S. E. Bartlett, rent	5 26
S. E. Bartlett, sewer rent	1 50
P. J. Miles, rent	9 50
Forbush & Miles, rent	9 65
C. A. Chandler, rent	40 50
Joseph Biron, rent	4 05
Mrs. Abbie Ross, rent	13 05
M. Corcoran, rent	4 05
George L. Lary, rent	9 90
George L. Lary, sewer rent	1 50
Mrs. L. E. Godsoe, rent	4 50
Mrs. L. E. Godsoe, sewer rent	1 50
31, C. A. and A. B. Hamlin, rent	7 51
C. A. and A. B. Hamlin, sewer rent	3 00
Mrs. C. M. Wheeler, rent	9 00
Mrs. C. M. Wheeler, sewer rent	1 50
A. M. Hubbard, rent	8 10
A. M. Hubbard, sewer rent	1 50
Walter Buck, rent	4 50
Walter Buck, sewer rent	1 50
The E. Libby & Sons Co., merchandise	26 60

Dec. 31,	E. B. Roberts, rent.....	\$9 00
	E. B. Roberts, sewer rent.....	1 50
	Simon Stahl, rent.....	27 90
	Simon Stahl, sewer rent.....	1 35
Jan. 5,	E. A. Gilbert, 1 ½-inch pressure regulator....	4 25
	John McKinnon, rent.....	6 42
	E. L. Stevens, rent.....	5 00
	E. L. Stevens, sewer rent.....	4 50
	E. L. Stevens, 1 ½ inch pressure regulator....	4 25
12,	Eli Lemay, rent.....	7 00
13,	S. E. Montplaisir, rent.....	19 70
	William W. Jewell, rent.....	69 50
	William W. Jewell, sewer rent.....	4 50
21,	J. St. J. Benedict, rent.....	5 00
	A. K. Scribner, sewer rent.....	4 50
	A. H. Hall, rent.....	5 00
22,	Mrs. Mary Casey, rent.....	4 50
23,	John Graham, rent.....	5 00
	John Graham, sewer rent.....	1 50
Dec. 23,	C. N. Tubbs, rent.....	9 45
	C. N. Tubbs, sewer rent.....	1 50
1915		
Jan. 27,	J. E. Willey, rent.....	14 00
	J. E. Willey, sewer rent.....	1 50
18,	Patrick O'Malley, rent.....	3 50
	T. S. Spear, rent.....	6 50
	Benjamin Pratt, sewer rent.....	6 00
Feb. 5,	F. W. Reed, installing sewer.....	17 68
8,	Thomas E. Malloy.....	4 00
	Thomas H. McHugh, rent.....	13 00
	Thomas H. McHugh, sewer rent.....	1 50
	Thomas H. McHugh, material.....	19 00
	Thomas Wight, rent.....	13 76
	Thomas Noonan estate, sewer rent.....	1 50
13,	Nellie Devine, sewer rent.....	4 50
15,	David O. Holmes, rent.....	5 00
	David O. Holmes, sewer rent.....	1 50
	F. A. McLeod, rent.....	20 00
		\$4,947 46

Paid Out.

1914		
Feb. 20,	W. B. Gates.....	\$20 00
21,	Patrick O'Malley, labor.....	6 00
	T. H. McHugh, labor.....	9 00
24,	Alfred R. Evans, bond.....	7 50
27,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	4 00
28,	T. H. McHugh, labor.....	12 00

Mar.	2,	American Express Co.....	\$0 41
	7,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	3 00
		Italian No. 2, labor.....	3 00
		Patrick O'Malley, labor.....	2 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	15 00
		The E. Libby & Sons Co.....	13 08
	14,	Patrick O'Malley.....	4 00
	23,	National Meter Co.....	15 60
		Patrick O'Malley, labor.....	2 00
	28,	" ".....	3 00
	31,	A. M. Hubbard, storeroom.....	10 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	30 00
Apr.	16,	The E. Libby & Sons Co., merchandise.....	14 19
	18,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	2 00
		Patrick O'Malley, labor.....	5 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
	25,	Patrick O'Malley, labor.....	6 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	12 00
May	9,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	12 00
		" 2, ".....	8 00
		" 3, ".....	4 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
	16,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	12 00
		" 2, ".....	11 00
		" 3, ".....	12 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
	18,	Berlin Water Co., merchandise.....	9 85
	23,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	10 00
		" 2, ".....	9 00
		" 3, ".....	12 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
June	1,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	3 00
		" 2, ".....	4 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	9 00
	2,	Athanes Le Blanc, team hire.....	10 00
	6,	T. H. McHugh, labor.....	6 00
	9,	The E. Libby & Sons Co., merchandise.....	43 74
	13,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	4 00
		" 2, ".....	6 00
		" 3, ".....	10 89
		" 4, ".....	10 89
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	15 00
	15,	Grand Trunk Railway, freight.....	2 48
	20,	Italian No. 1, labor.....	11 11
		" 2, ".....	11 11
		" 3, ".....	10 00
		" 4, ".....	10 00
		T. H. McHugh, labor.....	12 00

June 25, Grand Trunk Railway, freight.....	\$0 68
27, Italian No. 1, labor.....	12 00
" 2, ".....	12 00
" 3, ".....	12 00
" 4, ".....	12 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
29, B. Hoffman Manufacturing Co.....	18 00
Grand Trunk Railway system, freight.....	33
Boston & Maine, freight.....	1 06
July 1, Italian No. 3, labor.....	2 00
" 4, ".....	2 00
A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	1,149 05
3, Simon Stahl, reimbursed.....	6 02
Italian No. 1, labor.....	6 00
Italian No 2, labor.....	6 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	9 00
6, A. M. Hubbard, storeroom.....	10 00
W. B. Gates, labor.....	15 00
Concord Foundry & Machine Co.,.....	32 20
The E. Libby & Sons Co., merchandise.....	24 94
W. L. Blake & Co., merchandise.....	78 74
11, Italian No. 1, labor.....	5 11
Italian No. 2, labor.....	6 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	6 00
18, Italian No. 1, labor.....	12 00
25, Italian No. 1, labor.....	4 00
Italian No. 2, labor.....	4 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	9 00
30, C. H. Hobbs, merchandise.....	9 56
Aug. 1, C. B. Norton, freight.....	2 56
Boston & Maine, freight.....	2 56
Italian No. 1, labor.....	1 00
Italian No. 2, labor.....	1 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	6 00
7, C. B. Norton, freight.....	1 05
8, Italian No. 2, labor.....	10 00
" 1, ".....	12 00
" 3, ".....	12 00
" 4, ".....	10 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
15, Italian No. 1, labor.....	4 00
" 3, ".....	12 00
" 2, ".....	12 00
" 4, ".....	11 00
T. H. McHugh, labor.....	18 00
18, Italian No. 4, labor.....	2 00
22, " 1, ".....	2 00
" 2, ".....	2 00

Aug. 22,	Italian No. 3, labor	\$2 00
	T. H. McHugh, labor	6 00
	B. B. Bickford, insurance	74 00
29,	Italian No. 1, labor	8 89
	“ 2, “	8 00
	“ 3, “	8 89
	T. H. McHugh, labor	9 00
Sept. 1,	W. L. Blake & Co., merchandise	22 05
	Concord Foundry & Machine Co., merchandise	14 40
	A. M. Byen Co., merchandise	38 44
	The E. Libby & Sons Co., merchandise	60 57
5,	Italian No. 1, labor	5 11
	“ 2, “	5 11
	“ 3, “	4 00
	T. H. McHugh, “	9 00
	Brown Water Co., merchandise	36 06
12,	Italian No. 1, labor	2 55
	“ 2, “	4 33
	“ 3, “	2 55
	T. H. McHugh, “	6 00
23,	Pratt & Cady Co., merchandise	10 75
26,	Patrick O'Malley, labor	3 00
	T. H. McHugh	9 00
	Berlin Foundry & Machine Co., labor	18 00
Oct. 1,	E. M. Cross, labor	5 76
3,	Italian No. 3, “	6 00
	“ 2, “	6 00
	Patrick O'Malley, “	6 00
	T. H. McHugh, “	9 00
5,	Pratt & Cady Co.	19 92
10,	Italian No. 2, labor	3 44
	“ 3, “	3 44
	Patrick O'Malley, “	5 00
	T. H. McHugh, “	12 00
17,	Italian No. 2, “	12 00
	“ 3, “	12 00
	Patrick O'Malley, “	12 00
	T. H. McHugh, “	15 00
26,	Italian No. 2, “	10 00
	“ 3, “	10 00
	Patrick O'Malley, “	11 00
	T. H. McHugh, “	12 00
31,	Italian No. 3, “	3 00
	Patrick O'Malley, “	8 00
Nov. 4,	“	1 00
7,	T. H. McHugh, “	18 00
9,	H. Mueller Manufacturing Co., merchandise ..	83 29
	The E. Libby & Sons Co., “ ..	25 49

Nov. 23, B. B. Bickford, additional insurance for year 1913	\$99 07
27, Amos Heath, cartage	11 08
Grand Trunk Railway, freight	33
W. L. Blake & Co., merchandise	7 15
30, Italian No. 3, labor	3 00
28, Boston & Maine, freight	60
30, T. H. McHugh, labor	24 00
Dec. 7, Pratt & Cady, merchandise	6 09
C. G. Hamlin, merchandise	2 70
Fred Ingalls, printing	6 25
12, T. H. McHugh, labor	18 00
14, George E. Noyes, envelopes	5 62
23, Paul King, material	2 95
Dec. 29, A. E. Leavitt, treasurer	507 00
30, " "	58 10
" "	685 85
" 2 pair of rubber boots	9 00
31, A. M. Hubbard, store room	20 00
W. B. Gates	20 00
T. H. McHugh, labor	27 00
1915	
Jan. 4, A. E. Leavitt, treasurer	168 77
5, The E. Libby & Sons Co., merchandise	5 06
13, William Jewell estate	81 25
16, Paul King, merchandise	50
T. H. McHugh, labor	18 00
25, M. M. Willis, merchandise	6 83
Feb. 8, Thomas E. Malloy, team hire	5 00
Italian No. 2, labor	2 00
A. E. Leavitt, treasurer	17 68
11, A. E. Leavitt, treasurer	92 15
13, Italian No. 1, labor	3 00
" 2, "	3 00
15, T. H. McHugh, "	27 00
William W. Jewell, team hire	4 00
Cash in White Mountain National Bank	150 68
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	\$4,947 46

This is to certify that we have this day examined the accounts of T. H. McHugh, treasurer of the Gorham water works and sewer commission, and find them correct.

E. H. CADY,
FRED R. JENNINGS,

Auditors.

Gorham, N. H., February 19, 1915.

Recapitulation of Payments.

INSTALLING SERVICES.

E. Gosselin.....	\$55 21
Lary cemetery	272 84
Catholic cemetery.....	104 50
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	41 25
Daniel Sullivan, sewer and water.....	72 98
Joseph Biron	29 65
Albert Lufkin, sewer and water	43 65
E. L. Stevens.....	62 70

\$682 78

REPAIRS.

Main line.....	\$63 00
Fountain.....	9 50
Thawing out services.....	78 23
On services.....	145 47
On hydrants.....	198 78

\$494 98

Tools bought.....	\$39 42
Storeroom.....	40 00
Additional insurance, year 1913.....	99 07
Insurance, year 1914.....	74 00

\$252 49

SEWER AND CATCH BASINS.

Main and Park Streets.

2 manholes, 2 catch basins.....	\$205 09
1 catch basin, Church street	42 45
Repairs on sewer.....	55 72

\$303 26

Paid A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	\$2,400 00
“ “	278 60
Stock on hand February 15, 1915.....	419 65
Cash in White Mountain National Bank...	150 86

\$3,249 11

\$4,982 62

Statement of Expense.

WATER WORKS.

To February 15, 1914	\$14,038 73
To February 15, 1915	1,004 49

\$15,043 22

SEWERS AND CATCH BASINS.

To February 15, 1914	\$14,073 64	
To February 15, 1915	303 26	
		\$14,376 90
Total amount received up to February 15,		
1914.....	\$25,318 70	
Revenue for year ending February 15, 1915	3,577 61	
		\$28,896 31

Recapitulation of Receipts.

Cash in White Mountain National Bank		
February 15, 1914.....	\$261 25	
Stock on hand February 15, 1914.....	135 16	
Town order No. 73.....	250 00	
" 107.....	250 00	
" 165.....	60 00	
" 	150 00	
" 125.....	20 00	
		\$1,126 41

REVENUE.

Water rent.....	\$3,425 37	
Sewer "	152 24	
		\$3,577 61

LABOR AND MATERIAL FOR OTHERS.

M. Haines, excess service allowance.....	\$15 74	
Wm. Kendall, 1 ½-inch pressure regulator.....	4 25	
E. A. Gilbert, 1 ½-inch pressure regulator.....	4 25	
William Jewell, installing catch basin.....	75 72	
Catch basin charged to sidewalks, order		
No. 45.....	32 91	
G. D. Stratton, installing sewer.....	42 76	
A. H. Hill, 1 ½-inch pressure regulator....	4 25	
F. E. Goodridge, installing sewer.....	23 69	
A. E. Leavitt.....	3 50	
E. Libby & Sons Co	26 60	
T. H. McHugh	19 00	
T. E. Malloy.....	4 00	
F. W. Reed, installing sewer.....	17 68	
E. L. Stevens, 1 ½-inch pressure regulator.....	4 25	
		\$278 60
		\$4,982 62

Gorham Public Library

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts.

Balance from last year	\$388 55
Amount of appropriation	650 00
Received from fines, etc	5 64

\$1,044 19

Expenditures.

Rent, one year, to March 1, 1915.....	\$200 00
Insurance, one year, covering \$1500, paid..	19 75
Library furniture, fittings and outfit.....	258 27
Paid for work, re-indexing and re-cataloguing.....	124 70
Paid for re-binding books.....	38 11
Paid J. E. Willey, for new cases.....	21 70
Paid for binding volumes of The Mountaineer and Among the Clouds	9 00
Paid for freight, express, etc.....	13 92
Paid librarian	23 35
Paid for books.....	61 49

\$770 29

Recapitulation.

Total receipts, as above	\$1,044 19
Total expenditures, as above.....	770 29

Balance on hand March 1, 1915.....

\$273 90

\$1,044 19

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL OFFICIALS

OF THE TOWN OF

GORHAM, N. H.

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1915

BY THE SCHOOL BOARD, TREASURER, AUDI-
TORS, SUPERINTENDENT, PRINCIPAL
AND MUSIC TEACHER.

GORHAM, N. H.:
OLD MOUNTAINEER PRESS
1915

Officers

School Board.

THOMAS L. MARBLE,

ELISHA H. CADY.

JESSE F. LIBBY,

Treasurer.

A. E. LEAVITT.

Clerk.

M. M. WILLIS.

Moderator.

ALFRED R. EVANS.

Auditors.

HENRY MARBLE,

F. R. JENNINGS.

Superintendent.

J. E. WIGNOT.

State of New Hampshire



To the inhabitants of the school district of Gorham qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the high school room in Gorham, in said district, on the 9th day of March, 1915, at 7.30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects, namely:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
5. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise to pay on the indebtedness of said district.
6. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to establish courses in manual training and domestic science in the graded schools of said district.
7. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise for school purposes in addition to the sum which the town is required to raise by law.
8. To see if the district will vote to purchase a suitable site for a new high school building, including sufficient yards and grounds, and appropriate money for the same.
9. To hear the report of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
10. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in the warrant.
11. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Gorham, this 20th day of February, A. D. 1915.

THOMAS L. MARBLE,
JESSE F. LIBBY,
ELISHA H. CADY,

School Board of Gorham.

A true copy—attest:

THOMAS L. MARBLE,
JESSE F. LIBBY,
ELISHA H. CADY,

School Board of Gorham.

Report of School Board

To the voters and inhabitants of the school district of Gorham,
New Hampshire:

The school board herewith submits its annual report for the year
ending February 15, 1915.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

RESOURCES.

Balance on hand, February 15, 1914.....	\$447 16
Amount voted by town, school purposes.....	3,037 50
Amount voted by district, school purposes.....	7,000 00
Amount appropriated for interest and indebtedness....	3,000 00
Requisition for books, supplies, etc.....	1,224 00
State allowance for qualified teachers.....	746 00
State allowance for average attendance of pupils.....	650 07
State allowance for superintendent's salary.....	800 00
Literary fund.....	332 64
Town of Shelburne, proportion of superintendent's salary.....	100 00
Appropriation for high school committee.....	100 00
Dog licenses.....	86 30
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	\$17,523 67

EXPENDITURES.

Supervision.

J. E. Wignot, superintendent.....	\$900 00
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Teachers.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Herbert E. Wolfe, principal.....	\$526 00
Frank W. Knight, principal.....	463 00
Ruth Willis.....	240 00
Jeanette I. Schofield.....	240 00
Geordie H. Hamlin.....	225 00
Phyllis Raeburn.....	225 00
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\$1,919 00

FIFTH TO EIGHTH GRADES.

Ruby M. Smith.....	\$490 00
Mae T. Laffin.....	420 00

Ruth E. Wight.....	\$220 00	
Angie M. Gould.....	180 00	
Gladys A. Sterling.....	240 00	
Edith G. Canning.....	180 00	
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		\$1,730 00

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Eva A. Penfold, principal.....	\$455 00	
Elisabeth Brooks.....	420 00	
Wava B. Richardson.....	420 00	
Bessie A. Barrett.....	420 00	
Ruby Percival, assistant.....	69 00	
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		\$1,784 00

UPPER VILLAGE.

Mary E. Douglas.....	\$302 40	
Julia A. Michaud.....	297 50	
Carrie M. Burbank.....	16 80	
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		\$616 70

CASCADE SCHOOLS.

Marjorie Noyes.....	\$280 50	
Julia Z. Bradbury.....	180 00	
Minnie Angelowitz.....	150 00	
Harriet Ridlon.....	152 00	
Shirley Wentworth.....	127 50	
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		\$890 00

HEATH DISTRICT AND GORHAM HILL.

Mary Ogle.....	\$156 00	
Gladys Hogan.....	120 00	
Julia Z. Bradbury.....	72 00	
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		\$348 00

MUSIC.

Florence Murray.....	\$157 50	
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		\$157 50
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		\$7,445 20

Janitors.

M. B. Alley, village schools.....	\$714 13
Minnie Angelowitz, Albert Long, Cascade hill.....	45 00
Annie Ogle, upper village.....	36 00
Ada Hopkins, Cascade hill.....	30 00
Gladys Hogan, Gorham hill.....	20 00
Emil Bourassa, Cascade flat.....	14 50
James M. Heath, Heath district.....	12 75

John Dickson, Heath district.....	\$7 00
Julia Z. Bradbury, Gorham hill.....	6 00
Alfred Gouin, Cascade flat.....	3 00
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	\$888 38

Salaries.

A. E. Leavitt, treasurer.....	\$25 00
E. H. Cady, member of school board.....	63 00
J. F. Libby, member of school board.....	63 00
T. L. Marble, clerk of school board.....	74 00
A. R. Evans, moderator.....	5 00
M. M. Willis, clerk of district.....	5 00
F. R. Jennings, auditor.....	2 00
Henry Marble, auditor.....	2 00
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	\$239 00

Books and Supplies.**BOOKS.**

Edward E. Babb & Co.....	\$225 99
American Book company.....	208 40
Ginn & Co.....	68 81
Pearson & Marsh.....	18 50
Hinds, Noble & Eldredge.....	15 00
D. C. Heath & Co.....	11 25
Oliver Ditson company, music.....	8 34
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.....	5 00
Silver, Burdett & Co.....	4 48
White-Smith Music Publishing Co., music.....	3 63
C. C. Birchard & Co., music.....	2 01
The Palmer company.....	1 95
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	\$573 36

SUPPLIES.

J. L. Hammett company.....	\$92 31
Milton Bradley company.....	89 38
Edward E. Babb & Co.....	82 41
L. E. Knott Aparatus company.....	8 99
C. S. Brimley, zoological specimens.....	83
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	\$273 92
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	\$847 28

Fuel.

E. Libby & Sons Co., coal and wood.....	\$873 02
Simon Stahl & Son, wood for Cascade schools.....	97 50
Estate of William Jewell, wood.....	60 50
Isaac A. Peabody, wood.....	56 00

William W. Jewell, wood.....	\$45 75
C. M. Philbrook, wood.....	6 00
John Dickson, wood.....	2 00
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	\$1,140 77

Truancy.

B. B. Bickford, services as truant officer.....	\$150 00
B. B. Bickford, taking school census.....	10 00
Prosecution of Camillo D'Alphonse.....	5 14
Prosecution of Camillo D'Alphonse, 2nd.....	5 14
Prosecution of John D'Alphonse.....	5 14
Prosecution of Bertha Dixon.....	4 26
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	\$179 68

Miscellaneous.

F. Ingalls, rank cards, paper, etc.....	\$66 25
M. M. Willis, merchandise.....	53 00
F. Ingalls, reports and order books.....	46 00
C. E. Buzzell, grading.....	45 00
Barrett Brothers, chemicals.....	23 54
Hamlin & Noyes, hall for institute and graduation....	20 00
C. A. Chandler, teams, etc.....	15 00
C. G. Hamlin, merchandise.....	14 98
Howard & Brown, diplomas.....	11 36
L. A. MacDonald, merchandise.....	11 19
Forbush & Miles, merchandise.....	10 89
A. E. Parent, merchandise.....	9 70
A. E. Leavitt, merchandise.....	8 46
Orient Spray company, dust layer.....	4 16
Clarence Bartlett, merchandise.....	3 95
M. Angelowitz, merchandise.....	3 20
F. W. Knight, teams to Gorham hill and Heath district.	2 50
A. E. Parent, keys.....	2 40
Franklin Printery, teachers' contracts.....	2 25
Stephen Morse, grading.....	2 00
Talbot, Brooks & Ayer, keys.....	1 55
J. H. Montminy, merchandise.....	1 49
W. B. Macmaster, repairing clock.....	1 40
John Landry, merchandise.....	53
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	\$360 80

Transportation of Pupils.

Berlin Street Railway, car tickets for 1912 and 1913...	\$95 00
Berlin Street Railway, car tickets from September 6, 1914, to February 15, 1915.....	70 00
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	\$165 00

High School Committee.

E. McC. Macy, services and expenses, making plan....	\$11 55
C. D. Vincent, services.....	1 50
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	\$13 05

Interest.

Paid to February 15, 1915.

W. D. Morse.....	\$560 00
Estate of I. C. Wight....	160 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	100 00
Edward Morse.....	40 00
Isaac A. Peabody.....	32 00
Delphina C. Smith.....	20 00
Estate of Ellen M. Morse.....	20 00
Mary E. Adams.....	12 00
O. F. Hobbs.....	5 00
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	\$949 00

Notes.

Isaac A. Peabody.....	\$800 00
Delphina C. Smith.....	500 00
Estate of Ellen M. Morse.....	500 00
Mary E. Adams.....	300 00
O. F. Hobbs.....	125 00
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	\$2,225 00

Lights and Water.

LIGHTS.

Twin State Gas & Electric Co., high school.	\$30 56
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., primary school.....	24 67
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	\$55 23

WATER.

Town of Gorham, water rent to June 1, 1915	\$60 00
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	\$60 00
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	\$115 23

Insurance.

H. G. Noyes, agent, Cascade hill school.....	\$46 88
A. R. Evans, agent, village schools.....	32 00
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	\$78 88

Express and Freight.

A. H. Hall.....	\$10 30
Amos Heath.....	50
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	\$10 80

Repairs and Cleaning.

Berlin Mills Co., lumber, etc.....	\$123 93
W. N. Green, labor and materials.....	83 63
Allen Totman Co., blackboards.....	40 00
M. M. Willis, paint, etc.....	27 28
Robert Snodgrass, labor.....	11 15
A. E. Parent, paint, etc.....	10 00
Ada Hopkins, cleaning.....	8 00
D. A. Coffin, painting.....	6 30
Daniel Hopkins, labor.....	6 00
Paul King, labor and material.....	3 15
Lena Harriman, cleaning.....	3 00
E. Libby & Sons Co., plaster, etc.....	2 00
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	\$324 44

Recapitulation.

RECEIPTS.

Total receipts.....	\$17,523 67
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EXPENDITURES.

Teachers.....	\$7,445 20
Notes.....	2,225 00
Fuel.....	1,140 77
Interest.....	949 00
Supervision.....	900 00
Janitors.....	888 38
Books and supplies.....	847 28
Miscellaneous.....	360 80
Repairs and cleaning.....	324 44
Salaries.....	239 00
Truancy.....	179 68
Transportation.....	165 00
Lights and water.....	115 23
Insurance.....	78 88
High school committee.....	13 05
Express and freight.....	10 80
Balance in treasury.....	1,641 16
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	\$17,523 67

Liabilities.

NOTES.

W. D. Morse.....	\$14,000 00
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Estate of I. C. Wight.....	4,000 00
A. N. Twitchell.....	2,500 00
Edward Morse.....	1,000 00

\$21,000 00

Respectfully Submitted.

THOMAS L. MARBLE,
 JESSE F. LIBBY,
 ELISHA H. CADY,

School Board.

We certify that we have this day examined the above accounts of the school board and find them correct.

HENRY MARBLE,
 F. R. JENNINGS,

Auditors.

Gorham, N. H., February 18, 1915.

Requisition

In accordance with Section 1 of Chapter 52 of the New Hampshire Laws of 1909, the school board makes the following estimate of the sums of money required during the ensuing fiscal year for the following purposes:

Text books.....	\$400 00
Scholars' supplies	400 00
Salaries	239 00
Truancy.....	160 00
Flags and appurtenances	25 00
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	\$1,224 00

We respectfully request the selectmen of the town of Gorham, N. H., in their next annual assessment to assess upon the taxable polls and property of the district a sum sufficient to meet the above mentioned requirement and when collected to pay the same over to the district treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

T. L. MARBLE,
J. F. LIBBY,
E. H. CADY,

School Board.

Gorham, N. H., February 15, 1915.

Treasurer's Report

Receipts.

Balance on hand.....	\$447 16
Town.....	16,976 51
Town of Shelburne.....	100 00
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	\$17,523 67

Orders Paid.

William Jewell.....	\$45 75
Simon Stahl & Son.....	11 75
Isaac Peabody.....	56 00
M. M. Willis.....	53 00
Allen Totman Co.....	40 00
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 1.....	1,168 00
F. R. Jennings.....	2 00
H. Marble.....	2 00
F. Ingalls.....	46 00
Annie Ogle.....	12 00
John Dickson.....	9 00
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 2.....	981 50
B. B. Bickford.....	25 00
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 3.....	956 33
L. A. McDonald.....	11 19
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 4.....	505 36
Lena Harriman.....	3 00
Ginn & Co.....	68 81
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.....	5 01
J. L. Hammett Co.....	40 12
C. C. Burchard Co.....	2 01
Howard & Brown.....	10 52
Milton Bradley Co.....	60 48
Silver Burdett Co.....	4 48
D. C. Heath & Co.....	11 25
Smith Music Co.....	3 63
Oliver Ditson Co.....	8 34
Annie Ogle.....	10 00
Clarence Bartlett.....	3 95
Julia Bradbury.....	13 00
Mary Ogle.....	12 00
C. A. Chandler.....	15 00

W. N. Green	\$3 00
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	36 11
John Laundry	53
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Co.....	5 00
Pearson Marsh & Co.....	18 50
Simon Stahl & Sons	6 50
Barrett Brothers.....	23 54
Berlin Street Railroad.....	95 00
A. H. Hall	3 25
M. B. Alley	58 33
F. Ingalls	27 75
The Franklin Printery.....	2 25
C. M. Philbrook	6 00
A. E. Parent	9 00
C. G. Hamlin.....	14 98
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	337 96
Amos Heath.....	50
C. E. Buzzell.....	45 00
D. A. Coffin.....	6 30
E. E. Babb & Co	82 41
T. H. McHugh	30 00
A. R. Evans.....	12 00
M. B. Alley	58 33
J. M. Heath.....	12 75
Hamlin & Noyes.....	10 00
Howard & Brown.....	84
Ada Hopkins.....	5 00
M. B. Alley	58 33
A. E. Parent	2 40
E. Libby & Sons Co	342 45
J. E. Wignot.....	150 00
A. R. Evans.....	20 00
W. N. Green	80 63
Berlin Mills Co	88 18
Hinds, Noble & Eldbridge.....	15 00
H. G. Noyes.....	46 88
Robert Snodgrass.....	11 15
E. H. Cady.....	2 00
A. E. Parent	10 00
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 5.....	843 00
Simon Stahl & Son	69 50
M. B. Alley	58 33
J. E. Wignot.....	150 00
Carrie Burbank.....	16 80
B. B. Bickford	10 00
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 6.....	839 40
Daniel Hopkins.....	6 00
M. B. Alley	58 33

J. E. Wignot.....	\$150 00
B. B. Bickford.....	35 00
A. E. Leavitt	241 49
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 7.....	863 00
Hamlin & Noyes.....	10 00
M. B. Alley.....	58 33
Estate of William Jewell.....	27 00
Town of Gorham.....	30 00
J. E. Wignot.....	150 00
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 8.....	446 00
A. H. Hall.....	7 05
A. E. Leavitt.....	284 91
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	16 06
M. B. Alley.....	58 33
Ada Hopkins.....	3 00
J. E. Wignot.....	150 00
F. Ingalls.....	38 50
Paul King.....	1 60
E. Libby & Sons Co.....	178 19
J. F. Libby.....	15 42
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 9.....	829 00
Talbot, Brooks & Ayer.....	1 55
A. E. Parent.....	70
J. H. Montminy.....	1 49
J. F. Libby	4 26
W. B. Macmaster.....	1 40
Estate of William Jewell	36 00
E. Libby & Sons Co	16 42
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.....	3 06
Paul King.....	1 55
Simon Stahl.....	9 75
A. E. Leavitt, note and interest, pay roll.....	3,174 00
B. B. Bickford.....	35 00
A. E. Leavitt	8 46
M. M. Willis	27 28
Berlin Mills Co.....	35 75
A. E. Leavitt, salary pay roll.....	235 00
M. B. Alley	58 33
A. E. Leavitt, pay roll No. 10.....	405 00
Berlin Street Railway	70 00
B. B. Bickford	5 00
H. Marble.....	1 50
E. McCourt Macy.....	11 50
Forbush & Miles.....	10 89
J. E. Wignot.....	150 00
Balance on hand.....	1,641 16

 \$17,523 67

Superintendent's Report

To the School Board:

Gentlemen:—The following report deals with a few of the important essentials in the conduct of schools; and, for the sake of greater emphasis upon these essentials, I shall not take up at all the many minor questions arising in the daily work of a superintendent. I have striven to organize the schools upon right principles and to have the teaching follow the trend of modern educational thought and progress in the State.

Organization and Teaching.

The first essential is popularly known as a "Course of Study," more correctly called a Program of Studies. Every teacher has been furnished a copy of the State Program of Studies; but, its possession is one thing, its actualization in the schools is another. To accomplish this its spirit and underlying principles must be interpreted to the teachers by institutes, meetings and other discussions between teachers and superintendent. We have had one institute by the State Department and ten meetings of our own. These talks furnish the means of growth for teachers and are the chief instrument of the superintendent for the betterment of the school work. In this connection, I might say that my greatest efforts have centered upon chapter 18 of the Program of Studies, because I know that it contains what we need most. While any statement that is possible here is wholly inadequate, nevertheless, I wish to put before you and the parents the substance of this chapter, because it is only along the lines laid down therein that teachers can improve and better teaching can be done. The idea is to divide up a school subject like Geography, for example, into a coherent system of Topics. Each Topic is then covered by Five Steps. The first of these is a period of preparation wherein the teacher ascertains, by questions, all that the pupils already know about the Topic, and leads them to predict what they are likely to learn. Next comes a period wherein the teacher teaches the Topic, that is, lectures upon it, giving the pupils a "bird's-eye-view" of the whole. The third step is Investigation. Here the pupils search out information on the Topic in text books, periodicals, reference books, the home, field, shop, anywhere. Reports of findings are brought into the class and read. Fourth, all the knowledge thus gained is organized and classified. A board syllabus is prepared. The fifth step is Recitation. This is a time when teachers

remain silent for the most part, and when each pupil gets upon his feet and tells all he knows about the Topic. Great credit is due the teachers for the way in which they have taken up the idea and have worked it out in the school rooms. I venture to say that parents who will visit the schools will be pleasantly surprised at the ability shown by the pupils to talk interestingly and instructively for 10 to 20 minutes upon these Topics. The chief features of the scheme are these: Memorization of text books is done away with; teachers act something more than the part of Lesson-hearers; new life, interest and mental activity are awakened, and learning becomes a living experience and a lasting mental possession.

I have adapted our system of home reports to this Topical Teaching. Some time after the recitation, and always without previous notice, pupils are tested out upon the Topic. The results are sent to the parents and the standing of all pupils is sent to me. I have, therefore, a definite record of the progress of every scholar in town in all his studies from the first year of his school life up through the high school. Undoubtedly it is not possible to measure with scientific accuracy what the teachers and pupils have accomplished; but, imperfect as our ratings may be, they are a great deal better than none at all. Parents will appreciate definite information as to just what their children are doing and how well they are doing it. On the other hand, teachers and superintendent ought to keep themselves informed of each pupil's record so that, when sufficient work has been done, promotion may take place at any time in the year.

The inflexible Lock-Step in the movement of children through the grades has undoubtedly wasted years of the school lives of many of our brightest pupils. Doubtless, it is expedient to handle and advance the mass of children together; but provision should be made for the gifted few to advance as fast as they can, due care being taken that their health is not injured by undue stimulation to study. No new classes need be formed for these pupils. They can work pretty much by themselves and will need only occasional guidance by the teacher. Within a year I expect to see flexibility of promotion an accomplished feature of our school work.

Applying Topical Teaching by these Five Steps, I expect the subjects, geography and history, to be greatly enriched by the interest aroused among the pupils to read up on the topics and to gather all the material bearing upon them that comes within their notice. The same will be true of civics and physiology, subjects which, in the past, have been textbook-ridden.

Arithmetic teaching is begun too early. Facts and processes are forced upon children long before they are able, or need, to understand them. We do not teach the right things at the right time. If we wait with our facts and processes until children ought to know them to satisfy their needs, pleasures or curiosity, it will

be an easy matter to teach them then. To force the process is an uphill matter.

We need more drill of the right kind and at the right time.

We need more work done without pencil and paper, i. e., mental arithmetic. Go into a grade and give the children a problem. They immediately begin to figure with paper and pencil. They do not stop to reason the problem out or to estimate the result. I have insisted that teachers do much work of this kind for I consider that herein lies the greatest defect in the teaching of arithmetic today. Problems should deal with pupils' own affairs and with quantities and conditions familiar to their experience as those from the average textbook do not. The recognition of this principle has resulted in the elimination from the course of cube root, partial payments, bank discount, taxes, stocks and bonds, duties and customs, annual interest and compound proportion. Percentage is the underlying principle in most of these topics. The Program of Studies says: "If a pupil thoroughly understands percentage it will not take him long to master the arithmetic of taxes when he needs to. If he is hazy on percentage, he will never be able to understand any of its applications." I tested out the pupils from the 6th grade up through the high school with a simple problem involving the very simplest fundamentals of percentage. Only one pupil, a senior in the high school, from among our total enrollment, could do it. I gather from this that we, too, have wasted years in the futile effort to "try to train pupils for all the applications of arithmetic to business purposes." I expect our Topical Teaching by the Five Steps to be of great value to us in the teaching of arithmetic during the ensuing year. For many years this subject has been experimented with more than any other, especially in the great west. We have had cure-alls in the form of new methods, the Spear Method, the Grube Method, the Ratio Method, the Spiral Method, etc., etc. These are random illustrations of the Revelations to which the world has, at different times, been treated. What the world has done appears like a man clothed in rags to those attired in what they regard the newly found garments of educational righteousness. And the task of keeping the average boy straight in "pointing off" decimals, after he has been instructed in the magically easy way of doing it, remains just as hard as ever. The moral of it all? Authors and advocates of each new method have been, and are, one-sided and narrow. Each has contributed his "mite" toward better methods. Let us take what is best from all, but, with or without this, let us see to it that the pupils furnish the background of serious endeavor, industry and patience. These things, which count the most, are obtainable by all. The methods are incidental.

Teachers' Salaries.

Until we have a Normal School in the North Country we shall

continue to find it difficult to secure good teachers. But perhaps, after all, the real difficulty is in keeping good ones after we get them. To this end, I favor some scheme of a graduated increase in teachers' salaries in proportion to length of service. This would mean the adoption of a plan something like the following: A definite point at which to start and \$1.00 per week additional each year up to a maximum, say \$15 00 per week. I am sure this would tend to attract good teachers to us and to keep them with us for a reasonable length of time. Experience counts tremendously in teaching, and merits compensation as it increases from year to year. I doubt if the above plan would prove much more expensive than the present method of handling teachers' salaries.

Practical Arts Courses.

Unquestionably this is the most discussed feature of modern education. It is still in an early stage of development, having been started about ten years ago; but it can no longer be considered an experiment. Practical Arts courses are already working well in a large majority of high schools. Three-fourths of the high schools in New Hampshire have adopted courses in commerce, mechanic arts, household arts or agriculture. A state deputy superintendent has been appointed to inspect the work. The problem of introducing some new courses into our high school and its allied problem, a New High School Building, are pressing hard upon us for solution. Practical men and women in the community are seeing a vision of better things for Gorham school children in the near future. I judge that ideas have been forming and that plans have been crystallizing for a good many year. A beautiful new building with some of these new courses offered among the studies would certainly be a paying investment to the town if we consider returns in the form of broader training, better morals, more useful citizenship, the unfolding of nobler lives among our young men and women, as things worth while. A real responsibility toward the young rests upon the adult members of the community. I can not believe that we will continue to withhold these good things much longer.

I suggest that we adopt and include the following studies among the branches offered at the high school for the ensuing year:

Domestic Arts Courses.

- Cooking—From the 5th grade up through the high school.
- Sewing—From the 6th grade up through the high school.

Manual Arts Courses.

- Wood-working—From the 6th grade up through the high school.

Respectfully submitted.

J. E. WIGNOT.

High School Principal's Report

Mr. J. E. Wignot, Superintendent of Schools, Gorham, N. H.

Dear sir:—I have the honor to submit the following report of the high school for the fiscal year ending February 15, 1915.

The school year opened with a registration of 63 pupils, and an entire change in the teaching force. At the present time the enrollment is 59 and is as follows: Seniors, 4; Juniors, 14; Sophomores, 17; Freshmen, 24. Fifty-two per cent of the pupils are pursuing the General Curriculum, while the remainder are taking the subjects which prepare directly for academic work in college.

At the beginning of the second term a change was made to one session. The new hours seem satisfactory, and there is thus the opportunity to help either the deficient pupils or those who have been absent. Many pupils return voluntarily for special work.

A stricter adherence to Topical teaching is being followed. By this method an attempt is being made to present the natural divisions of a subject as unified wholes. The pupil is tested on the topic after it has been explained, and no previous announcement of such an examination is ever made. This system is working out well.

The requirements as laid down by the State Department are constantly referred to, and it is our endeavor to meet the approval of all who may inspect the school. I feel that good progress is being made in all the subjects taught.

Respectfully submitted.

HERBERT E. WOLFE.

Report of Supervisor of Music

To J. E. Wignot, Superintendent of Schools:

The following report upon the work in music, from September, 1914, to February, 1915, is herewith respectfully submitted:

Grade I.

34 rote songs have been taught and sung classwise and individually.

Many scale songs are made up and sung.

All intervals of the scale used for ear training and for the clearing of tone-deafness in the room. This room is supposed to be practically cleared of tone-deafness by the end of the year.

Much stress is laid upon individual singing in this grade.

Grade II.

24 rote songs have been taught and all of their first grade songs reviewed that are appropriate for this grade and the season.

Interval work is carried on still farther, giving more difficult intervals and singing from the board.

The ear training, the monotone drills and the individual work is carried along much as it is in the first grade.

Children originate some of their own scale songs.

Grade III.

22 rote songs are taught and others reviewed that are appropriate to grade and season.

Syllable names are taught, and exercises using all intervals of scale and simple skips are read from board, both individually and classwise, using the movable do freely.

Ear training work has been carried into simple exercises in this grade, both oral and written.

Grade IV.

20 rote songs taught and others reviewed as in other grades.

Lines and spaces taught.

Children able to locate own do.

Work on keys started.

Sharp four (4) from above taught.

Ear-training work carried on as in grade III.

Have sung exercises and songs in common time using the quarter, the half, the dotted half and the whole note from the 1st New Educational Reader for the past three months.

Grade V.

All keys reviewed.

The whole chromatic scale, ascending and descending, developed.

Have taught the placing of the sharps and flats on the staff.

Children should be able to use all of the above independently, both in oral and written work.

Ear-training carried on both in oral and written work, based upon the above principles.

Two part work introduced.

Expression marks introduced.

Have used all of the above in exercises and songs found in III New Educational Reader.

Grade VI.

Keys reviewed.

All forms of rythm reviewed.

Placing of sharps and flats reviewed.

Compound time developed.

Measure signs explained.

All chromatics reviewed.

Normal minor scale developed.

Harmonic minor scale developed.

More careful attention called to expression marks.

Children should be able to use all of the above orally and in written matter.

Have sung one and two-part music.

Have practiced all the above in exercises and songs in II Modern Music Readers, individually and classwise.

Grade VII.

All of the technic of former years reviewed very carefully.

Bass clef developed.

Transposition taken up, transposing from one key to another, from one clef to another, and from common time to compound time and vice versa.

The construction of the major scales started.

Have sung in one, two and three part music.

All expression marks carefully noted.

Material used, IV New Educational Readers.

Grade VIII.

All of VII grade technic carefully reviewed.

No new principles taught, having been singing all of the year in three parts.

Material used, V New Educational Readers.

High School.

Chorus work.

Material used, sheet music and Laurel Song Book.

Upper Village.**GRADES I TO IV.**

19 new rote songs taught, others reviewed.
 Tone-deaf drills carried on as in first grade.
 Intervals of scale taught.
 Scale songs taught and originated.
 Syllable names developed.
 Exercises sung from the board.

GRADES V TO VIII.

All keys taught.
 Placing of sharps and flats upon the staff taught.
 All forms of rhythm used.
 All chromatics developed.
 Measure signs explained.
 Common and compound time explained.
 Material used, II Modern Music Readers and No. 6 and No. 8 of the Silver Song Series.

Music at the Cascades might be taught, if it is impossible to have a supervisor, as any subject is taught in these schools. In the lower grades it is quite necessary that the teacher herself can sing and in the upper grades she either must be able to sing or at least be able to tell if the children are singing correctly. She should use an outline made out by someone who understands the teaching of the subject and follow it carefully, teaching the subject as faithfully as she would any subject in her school, and not thinking because it is music that it can be let slide. It is from this kind of teaching that we get the greatest number monotones and the many people singing "off pitch."

A good article on this subject is Abbott's Manual for Teachers of Rural Schools, which I am sending you.

FLORENCE A. MURRAY.

Roll of Honor

The following pupils have been neither absent nor tardy during the entire school year, beginning September 8, 1913, and ending June 12, 1914:

High School. Bessie Harriman, Lucie Twitchell.

8th Grade. None.

7th Grade. Edna Willis.

6th Grade. Earl Libby, Helen Libby, Miriam Willis.

5th Grade. Rolando Noel, Beatrice Dube.

4th Grade. Mary Cote, Henry Trask.

3d Grade. Everett Gatchell, Geraldine Hooper, Mamie Horan.

2d Grade. Leo Therrien.

1st Grade. Vera Libby.

Upper village Primary. None.

Upper village Grammar. None.

Riverside School. Rose Long.

Gorham Hill. None.

Heath District. None.

Cascade Primary. None.

Cascade Grammer. None.

Vital Statistics

FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JULY, 15, 1914.

Pupils.

Whole number of different pupils registered during the year.	504
Boys	249
Girls	255
Per cent of attendance.....	93
Number of pupils not absent nor tardy during the year.....	16
Number of cases of tardiness	519

Promotion, Retardation and Loss.

GRADE.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of pupils promoted at end of school year.....	24	25	29	26	25	27	13	22
Number pupils in grade at the end of the year not promoted.....	8	5	3	2	0	1	5	1
Number pupils in grade at the end of the year who have been there two years ..	2	0	3	10	0	3	1	0
Number pupils in grade at the end of the year who have been there three years.	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Number pupils in grades 1 and 2 over ten years of age.....	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number pupils who have left school and whose school life has presumably ended during year.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Average age of class at the beginning of year.....	7	7	9	10	11	11	12	14

COURSE OF STUDY---ADOPTED AND APPROVED JULY, 1913.

CURRICULUM I.				CURRICULUM II.			
Year.	College Course.	Periods per Week.	Extent.	English Course.	Periods per Week.	Extent.	
I	Algebra Latin English Ancient History	5 5 5 5	Year " " "	Algebra Zoology Botany English Ancient History	5 5 5 5 5	Year " " " "	
II	Latin Greek or French or German English Geometry	5 5 5 5	Year " " "	Geometry English English History Commercial Arithmetic or Bookkeep- [ing	5 5 5 5	Year " " "	
III	Latin Greek or French or German English Physics	5 5 5 5	Year " " "	Mathematics Review English French or German Physics	5 5 5 5	Year " " "	
IV	Latin Greek or French or German English Mathematics Review United States History and Civics	5 5 5 5 5	Year " " " "	Advanced Mathematics English French or German United States History Chemistry	4 4 4 4 4	Year " " " "	

APPENDIX

Tables of Vital Statistics

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child.	Sex and Con.		Maiden Name of Mother.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male.	Female.					
Jan. 6	Viola Couombe	f	Liv.	Adine Terris	Gorham	Laborer	Canada	Canada
9	Emeranie E. St. Clair	f	"	Annie Couombe	"	Auto repairer	Gorham	Gorham
13	Raymond Billedoux	m	"	Alice Tangway	"	Laborer	Canada	Gorham
Feb. 2	Trancho	m	"	Frances Corma	C. scade	"	Italy	Italy
9	Ralph Parkins	m	"	Frances Corma	Gorham	"	Gorham	Gorham
5	Manon P. Kelley	f	"	Ruth White	Gorham	"	Canada	Maine
12	White	m	"	Nina Goodnow	Rardolph	"	Brunswick, Me.	Clifton, Me.
15	Murphy	m	"	— Summers	Gorham	"	Italy	Jefferson
19	Delphose	m	"	Hilda Reed	Cascade	"	Maine	Canada
12	Proventia	m	"	Mary Matr.	Gorham	"	Canada	Canada
14	Kyer	f	Stil	Jackaline Daroche	Gorham	"	Italy	Canada
21	Sherwood Spear	m	Liv.	Eva Obert	"	"	South Brewer	Gorham
3	Winslow	m	Liv.	Gilba Elstad	"	"	Canion, Me	Berlin
6	Joseph Frank Reardon	m	"	Franice R. Hodgkins	"	Papermaker	New Gloucester	New Gloucester
2	Walter D. Emerson	m	"	Minnie Gauthier	"	Millhand	England	Whitefield
6	Lewkowiez	m	"	Mahei F. Driscoll	"	Undertaker	Massachusetts	Boston
6	Billedoux	m	"	Molina Jaloska	Cascade	Laborer	Poland	Poland
10	Foster	m	"	Alphonstue Garand	Gorham	"	Canada	Canada
8	Gilbert	m	"	T. B. Rhoad's	Vermont	Farmer	Vermont	Vermont
15	Goodno	m	"	Mary LeClair	Gorham	Meat cutler	Gorham	Canada
25	Baby Le Blanc	m	"	Flora Lyman	"	Fireman	Canada	Albany, N. Y.
5	Kelly	m	"	Rose St. Hillair	"	Contractor	Berlin	Gorham
14	Joseph E. Gauthier	m	"	Gerruude Hovey	"	Papermaker	Berlin	Hoterville, N. B.
				Grreanna Tremain	"	Laborer	Gorham	Gorham

Color.
No. Child.
Stillborn.

All Whites

Births Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1914---Continued.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child	Sex and Con.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Male.	Female.						
July 26	John David Berry	m	8	Thomas Berry	Nellie Heath	Gorham	Laborer	Calais, Me.	Gorham
Aug. 13	Robert D. Heath	m	1	Delmont L. Heath	Bina Calcutt	"	Farmer	Gorham	Florida
13	Andrew Arlin O'Neil	m	4	Edward G. O'Neil	Tenora Gallant	Cascade	Laborer	P. E. I.	P. E. I.
15	Joseph E. R. Berube	m	2	Joseph Berube	Anna Gouin	Gorham	Papermaker	Canada	Canada
15	— Eisner	f	4	Robert Eisner	Ada F. Meagher	"	Teamster	New Brunswick	Nova Scotia
16	Joseph F. I. Albert	m	4	Therian Albert	Lucierne Martin	"	Papermaker	Canada	Canada
18	— Vachon	m	1	David E. Vachon	Harriet M. Merrill	"	Carpenter	"	Vermont
27	Joseph Paul Hamel	m	9	Theodore Hamel	Marianna Hamel	Lewiston, Me.	Laborer	Lewiston, Me.	Lewiston, Me.
Sept. 14	Marie L. B. Petrin	f	2	Joseph Petrin	Armanda Kibard	Gorham	Papermaker	Dover	Berlin
16	— Herrick	m	5	Clifford Herrick	Melbina Teato	"	Farmer	Amherst, Me.	Malone, N. Y.
17		f	1	Unknown.	Ellen Wight	"	"	"	Gorham
23		f	1	Do not know	Nettie Whittier	"	"	"	Gorham, Me.
28	— Reisch	f	2	Joseph Reisch	Ruby Hatch	"	Laborer	Germany	Gorham
Oct. 1	— Judd	m	7	Alfred Judd	Vina Morrow	Berlin	Papermaker	P. Q.	Grand Falls, Me.
4	— Chabot	m	11	Philip Chabot	Lama Martell	Gorham	Laborer	Canada	Maine
Nov. 8	Baby Mangan	m	8	John Mangan	Ella Shaw	"	Stationary eng.	"	P. E. I.
9	Baby Libby	m	9	Fred Libby	Essie Pike	"	Mill wright	N. B.	N. B.
16	James B. McIntyre	m	2	Peter McIntyre	Mary Flynn	"	Asst. foreman	P. E. I.	P. E. I.
24	— Gauthier	m	9	Francois Gauthier	Lida Dube	"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
Dec. 4	— Doucet	m	2	Stephen Doucet	Mary Brooks	"	Cook	Italy	Italy
11	Labatuli Nappi	m	3	Frank Nappi	Philoma Nappolis	"	Laborer	Chesterfield, Mich.	Chatham, N. B.
15	— Brown	m	4	Fred Brown	Christine Gillis	"	Papermaker	Gorham	Gorham
18	— Tremain	f	5	Thomas J. Tremain	Rosana Preventier	"	Laborer	Castle Hill, Me.	"
Oct. 28	Ruth Sloat	f	3	Perley Sloat	Eunice Hobbs	"	"	"	"

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Marriages Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

Date of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each line of marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Birthplace of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 1	Edwin Morse	Gorham	61	Retired	Whitefield	Whitefield	Cyrus Morse Phoebe Jordan	Kandolph Columbia	Laborer Housework	Wm. E. Green, C. Gorham
	Annie B. Wilson	"	30	Housework	Masonville, Me.	Masonville, Me.	Louis Stone Sophie St. Onge	Masonville, Me.	Farmer Housework	
3	Leonard A. MacDonald	"	40	Merchant	N. S.	N. S.	John MacDonald Margaret Kerr	N. S.	Retired Housewife	J. B. McCaffrey, C. Gorham
	Mary V. Hopkins	Willimantic, Conn.	35	Nurse	England	England	Dennis Hopkins Ellen Ruddy	England	Retired Housewife	
28	Newie S. Rowe	West Paris, Me.	23	Merchant	West Paris, Me.	West Paris, Me.	Lewis S. Rowe Minnie Andrews	Summer, Me.	Mill hand Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham
	Esther C. Gates	Dixfield, Me.	19	Housework	Dixfield, Me.	Dixfield, Me.	Don A. Gates Winifred A. Davis	Milan Searsport, Me.	Lumberman Housewife	
31	Perley A. Ridley	Mechanic Falls, Me.	21	Paper mill	Minot, Me.	Minot, Me.	John R. Ridley Flora R. Ferris	Minot, Me.	Retired Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham
	Ora A. Morse	"	19	Housework	McFalls, Me.	McFalls, Me.	Delvin Morse Carrie Moulton	Buckfield, Me. McFalls, Me.	Laborer Housewife	
Feb. 23	Omer L. Chance	Gorham	29	Laborer	Canada	Canada	Peter LaChance Marie Rouche	Canada	Carpenter Housewife	J. B. McCaffrey, C. Gorham
	Leona Provencely	"	19	Housework	Lewiston, Me.	Lewiston, Me.	Chas. Provencely Elvira Jutras	"	Laborer Housewife	
	Peter Kyer	"	25	Laborer	So. Brewer, Me.	So. Brewer, Me.	Thos. F. Kyer Adelaid Rodettek	South Brewer Canada	Laborer Housewife	J. B. McCaffrey, C. Gorham
	Eva Obert	"	20	Housework	Gorham	Gorham	Joseph Obert D'iphine Thibault	"	Laborer Housewife	
Mar. 19	Robert O. Reynolds	Auburn, Me.	19	Shoemaker	Waterville, Me.	Waterville, Me.	Osborn Reynolds Maud Fields	Auburn, Me. Waterville, Me.	Contractor Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham
	Hazel Moritran	Lewiston, Me.	16	"	Lewiston, Me.	Lewiston, Me.	Geo. Moritran Bertha Berthald	Lewiston, Me. Germany	Mechanic Housewife	
Apr. 18	Irving E. Hodsdon	Fumford, Me.	21	Laborer	Andover, Me.	Andover, Me.	E. F. Hodsdon Annie Noyes	Byron, Me. Mass.	Moulder Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham
	Mabel Hart	Byron, Me.	18	Housewife	Berlin	Berlin	Ernest Hart Mabel Hart	Mass. Berlin	Laborer Housewife	

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Date of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Birthplace of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
Apr. 29	Earl B. Pillsbury Jennie Hill	Gorham	26		Paper maker	Shelburne	Morrill Pillsbury Sophia Burbank	Garland, Me. Gorham	Laborer Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham
June 12	William Richardson	"	19		Housework	St. George N.B.	Arthur H. Hill Nelie McFeters	Rollingdam NB St. George, N.B.	Laborer Housewife	G. L. Pressey, C. Gorham
	Mary E. Adams	"	43		Stationary eng.	Bethel, Me.	Al. Richardson Priscilla Wight	Bethel, Me.	Farmer Housewife	
17	Charles A. Hamlin	"	38		Telephone opr.	Canaan, Me.	Charles B. Adams Harrlet Smith	Bloomfield, Me. New Sharon, Me.	Merchant Housewife	Chas. Skinner, C. Colebrook
	Angie Gould	"	25		Clerk	Gorham	Charles Hamlin Lydia Lee	Waterford, Me. Milan	Merchant Housewife	
July 3	Henry A. Cummings	Paris, Me.	25		School teacher	Colebrook	Frank Gould Emma Terrill	Colebrook Pittsburg	Painter Housewife	W. B. Macmaster, C Gorham
	Lucy E. Stevens	"	20		Farmer	Freeport, Me.	Fred Cummings Mary E. Smith	Paris, Me. Buxton, Me.	Farmer Housewife	
Aug. 5	Harry L. Hayden	Gorham	19		Housework	Sumner, Me.	Wm. O. Stevens Verma A. Davis	Paris, Me. Woodslock, Me.	Farmer Housewife	J. B. McCaffrey, C. Gorham
	Myrtle B. Corcoran	"	29	All White	Clerk	Gorham	Chas. V. Hayden Annette Austin	Lynn, Mass. Granby, Vt.	Brakeman Housewife	
12	Charles E. Sullivan	"	26		Housework	North Stratford	Michael Corcoran M. Johnson	Canada Bloomfield, Vt.	Tr. sup. Housewife	Fred A. Moore, C. Chicago, Ill.
	Marion E. Libby	"	24		Clerk	Laconia	Eugene Sullivan Amelie Chandler	Andover Conway	Millwright Housewife	
Sept. 6	Glynn D. Wiley	Portland, Me.	23		Housework	Gorham	Alna B. Libby David Chandler	Gorham Dummer	Merchant Housewife	J. F. Libby, J. P. Gorham
	Blanche J. Twitchell	"	22		Brakeman	Portland, Me.	Ferd Wiley Elmira Snow	Gorham Colebrook	Operator Housewife	
8	Rodney Verrill	Norway, Me.	24		Stenographer	"	Sarah Donald Frank E. Verrill	Portland, Me. Woodslock, Me.	Shoemaker Housewife	W. B. Watson, C. Gorham
	Marion L. Elwell	"	24		Mechanic	Greenwood, Me.	Rhodie Hewitt Eugene Elwell	Woodslock, Me. Penn.	Mechanic Housewife	
		"	28		Housework	"	Ada Cudwell	Greenwood, Me.	Painter Housewife	

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Date of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each time of marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Birthplace of each.	Name of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.	Condition.
Sept. 23	Charles E. Kenny	Madrid, Me.	25		Teamster	Madrid, Me.	Frederick Kenny Emma Durham	Madrid, Me.	Farmer Housework	E. E. Bickford, J. P. Gorham	
	Ella N. Hemington	"	18		Housework	"	Alz. Hemington Minnie E. Wing	"	Farmer Housework		
26	Edward Daley	Gorham	38		Millhand	Auburn, Me.	Frank E. Daley Annie S. Johnson	Canton, Me. Sweden	Farmer Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham	
	Maria Williamson	"	39		Housework	Scotland	Wm. Williamson Henrietta Bale	Barf, Scotland Ireland	Laborer Housewife		
30	Clyde E. Richardson	"	29		Machinist	Gorham	John Richardson Clara M. Brown	Bethel, Me. Waterford, Me.	Farmer Housewife	F. E. Barton, C. Rockport, Mass.	
	Lyle Blanchard	"	27		Clerk	West Milan	Chas. Blanchard Isabel McCloud	Andover, Me. Colebrook	Farmer Dressmaker		
Oct. 2	Adelard Fortier	"	28		Laundry	Berlin	Hubal — Fortier	Canada	Barber Housewife	H. S. Mahood, C. Gorham	
	Blanche J. Deschamp	Shelburne	21		Housework	Compton, P. Q.	John Deschamp Georganna Carter	"	Laborer Housewife		
6	Frederick Murphy	Gorham	32	All White	Millhand	SorrelRidgeNB	Elias Murphy Marie Wilson	SorrelRidgeNB	Carpenter Housewife	K. T. Fellows, C. Berlin	
	Florence C. Boutlier	"	19		Housework	Gorham	Aaron Boutlier Etta Estes	Halifax, N. S. Gorham	Laborer Housework		
7	Ralph Stewart	"	28		Chauffeur	Nova Scotia	Herbert Stewart Wm Wambolt	Nova Scotia	Farmer Housewife	J. A. Betcher, C. Berlin	
	Oona Hartshorn	"	21		Housework	Guildhall, Vt.	C. Hartshorn Nellie A. Jackson	Guildhall, Vt. Lunenburg, Vt.	Farmer Dressmaker		
14	James E nile Cowitt	"	24		Fireman	Gorham	John B. Cowitt Rosanna Carter	Canada	Laborer Housewife	J. B. McCaffrey, C. Gorham	
	Matilla Leclerc	"	21		Housework	"	France LeClair T. Tarcocete	"	Housewife Hone		
Nov. 9	S. E. Montplaisir	"	28		Laundry	St. Cesaire, P. Q.	O. Montplaisir Louise Decoreau	Manchester Sherbrooke P. Q.	Milkman Housewife	J. B. McCaffrey, C. Gorham	
	Eileen Welsh	"	21		Housework	South Boston	Wm. Welsh Katherine Griffin	Ireland	Tailor Housewife		

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Gorham, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1914.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex—Con.		Occupation.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Disease or Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.				
		Sing., mar., or widow.				Cor.	Sing., mar., or widow.				
Jan. 1	Elsie Goodno	83				f	w	Housewife	James Rines	Susan Appleby	Lobar pneumonia
7	Mary J. Leavitt	70	7	1	Jefferson	f	w	"	John Proventier	Jacqueline DeRouss	Congenital heart disease
21	Alice Proventier		9	6	Gorham	f	w	Retired	Joseph Vincent	Mary Knoyst	Cancer of throat
Feb. 2	Annie Penfold	71	9	6	Canada	f	w	Laborer	Josiah Arno	Antoinette Wight	Writing unintelligible
18	Charles Arno	9	8	19	Gilead, Me.	m	m	Housewife	Paul Stratton	Ann Fraser	Cerebral hemorrhage
Mar. 6	Martha Jewell	72	9	10	Chester, Me.	m	m	Laborer	Madoire Aubert	Virginia Emond	Cancer of colon
9	Ellis Aubert	45	8	14	Canada	m	m	"	Peter Kyer	Eva Obert	"
14	Stillborn					m	w	Retired	Aaron Wight	Rebecca Carlton	Acute bronchitis
27	Issac Wight	84	3	19	Milan	m	w	Housewife	Nathaniel Hildreth	Lucinda Fisk	Chronic laryngitis
Apr. 4	Adella E. Brackett	64	4	4	West Charleston	m	w	"	Damase Partras	Matilda Gendron	Bronco pneumonia
5	Joseph L. Partras	64	1	5	Gorham	m	s	"	Joseph Murphy	Hilda Reed	Malnutrition
14	John M. Murphy			2	"	m	w	Housewife	Stephen F. Austin	Phoebe H. Lyman	[Nephritis Chronic phareuchymatosis
23	Mrs. Joseph Gauthier					f	w	"	Ernest Goodno	Flora Lyman	"
May 18	Mrs. Harold Freeman	54	10	17	Granby, Vt.	m	w	"	Joseph A. Guerion	Louise Rouleoux	Sick since birth
June 15	Stillborn					m	w	"	Charles Dyon	Emma Stevens	Cholera infantum
July 31	Napoleon Guerion			5	"	m	m	Com. traveler	Daniel Cornelia	Guylémia Estconi	Accidental
Aug. 3	Edwel Dorothy Dyon	33			Mass.	m	m	Optician	Florian Albert	Elmira Martin	Pulmonary tuberculosis
17	Walter Finn	23	1	11	Boston, Mass.	m	s	"	Caleb Wight	Hannah Warcup	Chronic cerebral spinal
18	Elizabeth Cornelia				Italy	f	w	Housework	John D. Burbank	Achsah Stuart	Gastro enteritis
27	Frank Albert				"	m	w	"	Joseph Gokey	Laura Reade	Mitro recurvulation
Sept. 2	Mrs. Rosita Dickson	28	1	16	Bethel, Me.	f	w	"	Joseph Touppie	Delphonse —	General debility
Oct. 8	L. Estella Wight	63	3	15	"	f	w	Machinist	Sopi Toppi	Philomer Marchime	Pulmonary tuberculosis
19	John C. Burbank				Canada	m	m	Plumber	Charles Laundry	Rosanna Ouillette	Tenbalnia
21	Garnet M. Goley	63			"	m	m	Housewife			Bronchial pneumonia
29	Mercy L. Marble	63	1	26	Auburn, Me.	m	w	Laborer			Contusion of brain
16	James McMahon	52	11	25	Gorham	m	s	"			Bronchial pneumonia
17	William Touppie			2	"	m	s	"			Abscess of neck
23	John Touppie			2	"	m	s	"			Bronchial pneumonia
Dec. 8	Marie Dorothy Laundry			1	28	Gorham	m	w			

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Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex--Com.		Occupation.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Disease or Cause of Death.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.					Color.	Sing. or widow.
Mar. 21	Eliza A. Whitman	69	11	21	Woodstock, Me.	f	m	Housewife	Perham Bisbee	Arsenath Leavitt	Senile dementia
May 1	Ambrosia P. Libby	75	2	21	Harrison, Me.	f	w	Liveryman	Sylvester Mason	Ruth Earl Knight	Angina pectoris
Aug. 27	William Jewell				Bangor, Me.	f	s	Infant	Jonathan Jewell	Achsa Bailey	Cancer stomach
Nov. 28	Ruth Sloat	55	3	16	Gorham	f	m	Lumberman	Ferley Sloat	Eunice Hobbs	Heart disease
Dec. 14	Alna B. Libby	32	9	26	Windham, Me.	m	m	Brakeman	Elihu Libby	Elizabeth Elliot	Apoplexy
Dec. 28	David J. Wilson				Gorham	m	m		James Wilson	Bridget McCormick	Pulmonary tuberculosis

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MERTON M. WILLIS, Town Clerk.

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