

166th
Annual Report
TOWN OF WATERBORO
MAINE



February 1, 1953 -- February 1, 1954



BUFFER

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According to Webster a "Buffer" is a device for lessening the shock of concussion. Buffers are much used by vessels and prevent injury to their sides whilst lying in dock.

A buffer for the average family or person for lessening the shock of an unkind stroke of Fate, is a savings account.

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SPRINGVALE NATIONAL BANK

SPRINGVALE, MAINE

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION



Fire Ward

ROLAND S. BENTON

Constables

T LASKEY FORREST M. ABBOTT, JR.

ANDREW C. WOODSOME

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

We, the undersigned Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor of the Town of Waterboro, Maine, herewith submit our Annual Report for the year 1953.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN FOR THE YEAR 1953

Real Estate, Resident	\$511,894.00
Real Estate, Non-Resident	396,351.00
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	\$908,245.00
Personal Estate, Resident	\$ 85,260.00
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	25,483.00
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	\$ 110,743.00
Grand Total Real and Personal Estate	\$1,018,988.00
of Polls, 304 at \$3.00	\$ 912.00

Tax Cast at \$53.00 per Thousand.
 Raised on Property \$ 54,362.84
 Raised on Polls (304) 912.00

Total Assessment Committed to
 Harry A. Smith Collector \$ 55,274.84

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1953

Roads and Bridges (to be taken from
 Excise Taxes) \$ 3,000.00
 Winter Roads (in conjunction with
 State Tax) 300.00
 Support of Charities 1,500.00
 Incidentals 2,000.00
 Tax Collector, on Percentage Basis
 1½% 856.61
 Officers' Salaries 1,550.00
 Free High School, Common Schools,
 Text Books and Supplies 27,000.00
 Repairs, Improvements and Insur-
 ance of School Buildings 2,500.00
 Conveyance of High School Students
 to Sanford 4,300.00
 Public Health Nurse 150.00
 State Tax (in conjunction with Win-
 ter Roads) 6,499.24
 County Tax 1,660.24
 Town Dump 200.00
 Memorial Day Observance 50.00

State Aid Road Construction	1,200.00
Street Lights	1,100.00
Fire Department	3,000.00
White Pine Blister Rust	400.00
Dental Clinic	100.00
Main Pond Roads, Ossipee Lake	1,000.00
Maine Publicity Bureau	50.00
L. Donald Ford Road	500.00
A. B. Carpenter Road (from Excise Taxes)	1,000.00
Total Appropriations	\$59,916.09

INCIDENTALS

Central Maine Power Co.	\$ 34.54
Saco River Tel. & Tel. Co., Town House telephone	22.30
Lincoln Press, printing Town Reports, 1953	474.46
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies for Town House	4.87
Marks Printing House, supplies for Town House	93.55
John G. Smith, Register of Deeds, Deed Abstracts	76.20
State Treasury, Department Water Analysis	19.50
Ernest G. Knights, deeds	2.00
J. Millard Hughey, moderator	5.00
H. P. Lambert, ballot clerk	5.00

Barbara Lord, ballot clerk	5.00
Elizabeth Bradeen, ballot clerk	5.00
Ethelind Roberts, ballot clerk	5.00
Frances Brady, election clerk	5.00
Leon Bean, election clerk	5.00
Forest Laskey, constable	18.00
Ralph Burbank, constable	5.00
Homer J. Ellingworth, Town Officers' Bonds	83.00
L. Everett Outhouse, auditing 1952 accounts	154.97
Waterhouse, Spencer & Carroll, legal advise	80.00
Discount Martin, filing cabinet for Treasurer and Collector	275.36
Treasurer of The United States, Topog. Maps	11.25
John Lebarge, repairing flag pole at Memorial Lot	44.86
Frank Clark, delivery of patient to Augusta	20.00
Earle T. Blodgett, delivery of patients to Augusta	32.60
Treasurer's supplies	17.22
Collector's supplies	74.40
Selectmen's Office, map of Ossipee Lake	2.50
George Pelrine, signs for dump	6.00
State Highway Commission, permit	4.00
Sanford Tribune, dump notice	4.50
Place's Store, miscellaneous	.38
Dr. Carl Richards, examining patients	10.00
Dr. Robert Vachon, examining patients	10.00
J. Millard Hughey, insurance on Town House	31.87
C. M. Thornton, labor and stove pipe at Town House	10.78

Harry A. Smith, bookkeeping for Withholding Tax, 1953	50.00
Harry A. Smith, Vital Statistics, Town Clerk	20.75
Town Paid Out	<u>\$1,729.86</u>

CREDITS, 1953

Appropriation	\$2,000.00
State of Maine, land on Route No. 5	1.00
Rankin Nicholson, Town House lights	12.96
State of Maine, Bank Stock Tax	33.54
State of Maine, Railroad and Tel. & Tel. Tax, 1953	1.77
State of Maine, Dog License Refund	42.23
Lien and Fees Costs Collected	70.74
Balance	<u>\$2,162.24</u>
	\$ 432.38

**TAX LIEN AND DELINQUENT
PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX ACCOUNT**

Receipts

Tax Liens Paid to Treasurer	\$ 693.59
J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., Personal Property Tax, 1950-51	1,622.68
	<u>\$2,316.27</u>

Disbursed

Waterhouse, Spencer & Carroll	\$ 583.86
	<u>\$ 583.86</u>
Balance	<u>\$1,732.41</u>

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

William H. Hanson, Selectman, Asses- sor and Overseer of the Poor	\$ 400.00
Earle T. Blodgett, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor	400.00
Frank E. Clark, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor	500.00
Harry A. Smith, Town Treasurer	150.00

Harry A. Smith, Town Clerk	25.00
Roger Cunningham, School Board, one-half year	12.50
Delma Smith, School Board, one-half year	12.50
Willis Lord, School Board	25.00
Allerton Smith, School Board	25.00
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	\$1,550.00

	Credit	
Appropriation		\$1,550.00

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES

Including Poor Department, Mothers' Aid
and Old Age Assistance

Account No. 1—O.O.A.

Paid for Board	\$ 240.00
Paid for Medical Supplies	88.00
Paid for Supplies	10.20
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	\$ 338.20

Account No. 2—Poor

Paid for Board	\$1,325.00
Paid for Medical	36.75
Paid for Medical Supplies	115.36
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	\$1,477.11

Account No. 3—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 196.98
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	\$ 196.98

Account No. 4—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 19.85
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	\$ 19.85

Account No. 5—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 42.08
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	\$ 42.08

Account No. 6—A.D.C.

Paid for One Case	\$ 18.36
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	\$ 18.36

Account No. 7—Poor

Paid for Medical	\$ 112.00
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	\$ 112.00

Account No. 8—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 28.00
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	\$ 28.00

Account No. 9—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 88.64
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	\$ 88.64

Account No. 10—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 44.68
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	\$ 44.68

Account No. 11—O.O.A.

Paid for Burial	\$ 60.00
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	\$ 60.00

Account No. 12—Poor

Paid for Medical	\$ 45.05
Paid for Burial	150.00
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	\$ 195.05

Account No. 13—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 10.00
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	\$ 10.00

Account No. 14—Poor

Paid for Supplies	\$ 7.18
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	\$ 7.18

Account No. 15—O.O.A.

Paid for Board	\$ 30.00
Paid for Supplies	15.93
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	\$ 45.93

Total	\$2,694.06
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Appropriation	\$1,500.00
Received from Account No. 2	1,735.51

Received from Town of Baldwin credit on 1952 Account No. 9	228.79
Received from State on Account No. 15, 1952	318.35
Received from State on Account No. 9	88.64
Received from Social Security Ac- count No. 12	107.10
Received on Account No. 16	10.00
Total	\$3,989.14
Unexpended Balance	\$1,295.08

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST

John G. Curtis, Jr.	\$ 160.00
David Stuart	105.00
Richard Allen	21.60
Horace Flint	21.60
Total	\$ 308.80
Appropriation	\$ 400.00
Unexpended Balance	\$ 91.20

ROADS AND BRIDGES

Milton Daney, Road Commissioner ... \$	898.46
Davis & Simonds	67.60
Robert Fay	3.00
Robert Fay, Jr.	1.74
Guy Bagley, repairs on grader	118.15
Frederick Fay	1.74
H. P. McLaughlin	256.18
Champ Gould	12.00
James Earl, gravel	40.00
McDonald's Amoco Station	94.80
Peter Belval	174.89
Henry Smith	56.68
Andrew Hanscom	218.34
Philip Burbank	243.64
Richard Place	44.82
James Milligan	6.75
Blue Rock Quarry, black top	87.22
Kenneth Burbank	8.70
Willis Lord	28.00
Walter Roberts	12.62
Allen Davis, gravel	11.20
Maurice Swett, gravel	21.20
Lee Owen, supplies	33.24
Lawrence Mansfield	6.96
James Roberts	28.80
Donald Poole	19.14
Leon Bean, gravel	12.00
David Henderson, gravel	37.70
Charles Dumas	7.28
Raymond Rickard, truck	18.00
Frank Libby	8.19
Burton Boyd	14.56

Dennis Johnson Lumber Company, planks	197.61
Small's Market, supplies	4.66
Jellerson Filling Station	8.40
Frank Laskey	18.00
William Benvie	4.50
Southworth Machine Company, parts for grader	73.75
Scott's, used parts	3.20
Clark's Welding Shop	12.50
Thomas Scott, grader	88.60
Raymond Daney, operator	31.40
Bancroft & Martin, culvert	28.09
James Roberts	7.28
Small's Market, supplies	5.69
Frederick Elwell	8.00
Stanley Roberts	12.64
Malcolm Roberts	3.64
Gilbert Thompson	7.28
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	\$3,208.84

Credits

Appropriation from Excise Tax, 1953	\$3,000.00
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	\$3,000.00
Overdraft	
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	\$ 208.84

WATERBORO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Central Maine Power Company	\$ 110.72
Eastern Fire Equipment	74.53

Walter Roberts	8.00
McDonald's Amoco Station	194.72
Ernest Davis	30.45
Maine Farmers' Exchange	11.75
Gendron Lumber Co.	417.97
George B. Moulton	35.00
Saco River Tel. & Tel.	4.25
V. A. Fogio, furnace, filters	2.50
Stanley Ricker, inspection	1.00
Edwards & Walkers, nails	51.31
E. A. Scribner Insurance	42.97
Jellerson Filling Station	31.20
Bagley's Texaco	30.38
J. Millard Hughey, insurance	360.90
Leavitt Insurance Co.	185.25
Carpenter & Small	3.90
George Robbins	15.00
Hall's Esso .....	.50
Griffin's Auto Body	15.00
Place's Store, supplies	32.10
Forrest Abbott	7.86
Lee Owen, supplies	21.45
Firestone Stores	213.84
Fire Protection Co.	49.89
Ernest Davis	24.00
Blanchard Associates	5.22
Clark's Welding Shop	16.65
Bergeron & Ramsey	3.24
Ridlon's Garage, alignment	11.98
Leland Swett, oil	271.03
Carlton Atkinson, supplies	2.29
C. M. Thornton, furnace and installing	678.31
Merton Bean	22.10
Sudbury Lab.	26.00
Walter Roberts	15.74

Total Expenditures	\$3,010.00
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Credits

N. J. Gendron Lumber Co.	\$ 10.00
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	\$ 10.00
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	\$3,000.00
Appropriations	\$3,000.00

DENTAL CLINIC

Waterboro Chapter of the American Red Cross	\$ 100.00
Town Appropriation	\$ 100.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Paid Arthur F. Lougee, Treasurer	\$ 150.00
Town Appropriation	\$ 150.00

CIVIL DEFENSE AND PUBLIC SAFETY

Central Maine Power Co., lights	\$ 3.00
Milton Daney, moving building	25.00
Lincoln Press, printing	3.75
Total	<hr/>
	\$ 31.75

WINTER ROADS OR SNOW REMOVAL

Guy Bagley, foreman	\$ 6.60
Milton Daney, foreman	463.29
Edward Waterhouse, plow	126.00
Kenneth Roberts, plow	288.00
Lawrence Roberts	60.00
Donald Poole	15.66
Delwin Flood	13.92
Clayton Smith	3.49
H. P. McLaughlin	49.68
Vernon Ramsdell	13.05
Robert Fay, plow	89.70
Fred Fay	51.11
Lawrence Mansfield	3.05
Donald Benvie	8.70
Robert Fay, Jr.	15.66
Charles Dumas	41.84
William Earl	9.57
David Benvie	2.61
Maine Farmers' Exchange, salt	537.60
Keith Bean	1.74
Philip Burbank	191.16
Kenneth Burbank	42.55
Ralph Burbank	41.59
Frederick Elwell	25.28
Thomas Scott	35.44
James Roberts	12.74
Meserve's Express	1.15
Andrew Hanscom	301.07
Emery-Waterhouse, wiring for snow fence	12.10
Champ Gould	9.00

Donald Ricker	14.00
Stanley Ricker	24.00
George Wildes	14.00
Walter Roberts, spikes	3.10
Leon Murphy	4.00
Frank Laskey	5.00
Ralph Owens	9.00
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Total Expenditures	\$2,546.45

Credits

Town Appropriation	\$6,074.02
Credit from State of Maine	495.82
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	\$6,569.84
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Unexpended Balance	\$4,023.39

COUNTY TAX

Paid County, Treasurer, Gladys Merrill	\$1,660.24
Town Appropriation	\$1,660.24

**INTEREST ON
TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES**

Paid Springvale National Bank	\$ 108.33
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	\$ 108.33

AUSTIN B. CARPENTER ROAD

Milton Daney, foreman, truck and dozer	\$ 314.23
Andrew Hanscom, truck and driver	107.28
Peter Belval	5.72
H. P. McLaughlin	10.44
Philip Burbank, truck and driver	108.86
James Roberts	50.05
Austin Carpenter	7.28
Frank Libbey	3.64
Bancroft & Martin, culverts	43.78
Thomas Scott, grader	66.45
Raymond Daney, operator	23.55
Raymond Ricard, truck	18.00
Alton Abbott, driver	7.23
Frederick Elwell, truck and driver	44.24
Charles Huston, truck	29.25
Coleman Harvey, driver	11.83
Earlin Gerry, truck and driver	40.98
Leroy Brackett, driver	12.74
Charles Dumas, driver	21.84
Gordon Bean	9.10
David Henderson, gravel	63.20
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Total Expended	\$ 998.86
Town Appropriation from Excise, 1953	1,000.00
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Unexpended Balance	\$ 1.14

TOWN DUMP

Paid Leon Bean	\$ 50.00
James Earl	50.00
Lester Grant	100.00
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Total Expended	\$ 200.00
Town Appropriated	\$ 200.00

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

Waterboro Grange	\$ 44.20
Pine Grove Cemetery Association, Ben Hamilton, Treasurer	5.80
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Total Expended	\$ 50.00
Town Appropriated	\$ 50.00

STREET LIGHTS

Central Maine Power Co.	\$1,035.84
Town Appropriation	1,100.00
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Unexpended Balance	\$ 64.16

MAINE PUBLICITY BUREAU

Maine Publicity Bureau	\$ 50.00
Town Appropriation	\$ 50.00

ARTICLE 7-A

Paid Collector 1½% for 1953 Collec- tions, Harry A. Smith, Collector	\$ 856.61
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OSSIPEE LAKE CAMP ROADS

Milton Daney, foreman	\$ 453.91
Peter Belval	40.04
H. P. McLaughlin	24.36
James Earl	4.00
Donald Poole	6.96
James Roberts	34.26
Richard Place, gas	4.05
Thomas Scott, grader	115.18
Raymond Daney, operator	40.82
Andrew Hanscom, truck	44.24
Philip Burbank, truck	44.24
Milton Daney	11.44
Frederick Elwell	18.96

Charles Huston	27.00
Coleman Havey	10.92
Earland Gerry	31.50
Leroy Brackett	12.74
Gordon Bean	9.10
David Henderson, gravel	64.40
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Total Expended	\$ 998.12
Appropriated	1,000.00
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Unexpended Balance	\$ 1.88

STATE AID AND RECONSTRUCTION OF ROADS

Carl Day, foreman	\$ 311.03
Joe Beal, bulldozer	684.00
Lawrence Beal, operator	108.00
Milton Daney, bulldozer	567.57
Milton Daney, operator	222.15
Milton Daney, truck	372.91
Burton Boyd, labor	177.00
Andrew Hanscom, truck	282.38
Andrew Hanscom, driver	114.21
Reginald Gerrish, truck	210.38
Reginald Gerrish, driver	85.09
Frederick Elwell, truck	241.88
Frederick Elwell, driver	83.27
Earland Gerry, truck	111.38
Earland Gerry, driver	8.65
Leroy Brackett, driver	36.40
William Sturgeon, truck	128.88

William Sturgeon, driver	20.02
Robert Cousins, driver	43.23
William Sturgeon, truck	124.88
Woodrow Hartford, driver	37.77
Charles Huston, truck	147.38
Alvin Harmon, driver	45.05
Dennis Sanborn, truck	111.38
Dennis Sanborn, driver	41.41
Philip Cole, shovel	388.25
Philip Cole, operator	112.26
Walter Robertson, greaser	71.50
James Roberts, labor	168.81
Peter Belval, grader operator	127.99
Burton, Boyd, compressor operator	12.00
State of Maine, air compressor	69.60
Vern Blodgett, labor	50.96
Raymond Ricard, truck	151.88
Charles Dumas, driver	28.67
Tom Scott, grader	51.10
Raymond Daney, operator	20.58
Stanley Roberts, truck	9.00
Stanley Roberts, driver	3.64
Tom Scott, shovel	27.00
Carroll Lord, operator	9.00
Frederick Elwell, shovel	21.60
Frederick Elwell, operator	7.28
Everett Smith, driver	3.64
Guy Bagley, operator	3.64
David Henderson, gravel	360.00
Ivory Smith, land damage	50.00
Frank Folsom, land damage	150.00
Philip Burbank, truck	74.25
Philip Burbank, driver	30.03
James Benvie, labor	7.28
Maine Farmers' Exchange, cement	8.05
Bancroft & Martin, culverts	611.58
Coyle Meserve, operator	48.00

George Peterson, driver	14.56
Reginald Gerrish, compressor operator	9.00
Edward Roberts, truck	72.00
Edward Roberts, driver	29.12
Alton Abbott, driver	32.76
Milton Daney, shovel	159.48
Coleman Harvey, driver	14.56
Reginald Gerrish, labor	10.47
Total Expenditures	<u>\$7,331.84</u>

Credits

Appropriation, 1952	\$1,066.00
Appropriation, 1953	1,066.00
From Excise Tax	134.00
Received from State of Maine	5,486.08
	<u>\$7,752.08</u>
Unexpended Balance	<u>\$ 420.24</u>

TOWN ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND

Carl Day, foreman	<u>\$ 164.45</u>
Milton Daney, bulldozer	576.00
Milton Daney, operator	192.00
Burton Boyd, driver	126.49
Milton Daney, truck	321.75
Andrew Hanscom, truck	294.75
Andrew Hanscom, driver	119.21

Frederick Elwell, truck	240.75
Frederick Elwell, driver	97.37
William Sturgeon, truck	54.00
Robert Cousins, driver	21.84
Charles Huston, truck	276.75
Alvin Harmon, driver	111.93
Raymond Ricard, truck	276.75
Charles Dumas, driver	111.93
Reginald Gerrish, truck	281.25
Reginald Gerrish, driver	113.75
Dennis Sanborn, truck	220.50
Dennis Sanborn, driver	76.44
Cleon Dyer, driver	12.74
James Roberts, labor	127.40
Philip Cole, shovel	678.75
Philip Cole, operator	196.25
Walter Robertson, greaser	125.00
Peter Belval, grader operator	34.32
Philip Burbank, truck	118.50
Philip Burbank, driver	71.89
Dennis Sanborn, truck	141.75
Everett Smith, driver	57.33
Stanley Roberts, truck	81.00
Stanley Roberts, driver	32.76
Verne Blodgett	36.40
Bancroft & Martin, culverts	463.80
Peter Belval	137.28
Milton Daney, driver	7.28
David Henderson, gravel	857.30
Calcium Chloride, Chemical Corp.	416.00
P. R. Boston, North Berwick, tar	500.00

Total Expenditures \$7,773.66

Credits

Received from State of Maine	\$6,416.36
Appropriation, Ford Road	500.00
From Excise Tax, for gravel	857.30
Total Receipts	<u>\$7,773.66</u>

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. CLARK,
WILLIAM H. HANSON,
EARLE T. BLODGETT,
Selectmen of Waterboro

Report of Treasurer

Cash Balance, February 1, 1953 \$9,550.06

RECEIPTS FOR CURRENT YEAR

TO FEBRUARY 1, 1954

1	Napoleon Pomerleau, charity on account...	\$ 52.90
2	Thomas B. Tupper, refund on School Account	1.00
3	H. A. Smith, Collector, Account, Supplementary Taxes 1953 (John Sanborn, Heirs of, Taxes for 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952—Four Years)	82.80
4	James G. Simonds, back Taxes, Costs and Charges on Foss Lot No. 1 and Charles Garey Lot	15.00
5	Springvale National Bank, Lewis A. Roberts 1951 Tax Lien \$76.91 and Costs \$3.40	80.31
6	Harry A. Smith, Collector, 1952, 1953 Excise Tax, No. 1 to No. 200 inclusive	2,061.15
7	Town of Baldwin, Me., Charity Account No. 9, support to Phyllis Dyer and family	228.79
8	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity Account of Randall Getchell	206.35
9	F. Robert Fay and Andrew C. Woodsome, Town Tax Title Property, formerly owned by Henry Gregoire, Biddeford, Me., Tax Liens 1941, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, \$115.38 and Costs \$9.62	125.00
10	Harry A. Smith, Collector 1952, 1953 Excise Tax, No. 201 to 350 inclusive	1,351.97
11	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity, on Account	52.90

12	Harry A. Smith, Collector, to date 1952 Delinquent Taxes, on Account	757.12
13	Lucien Roberts, 1949 and 1950 Tax Liens \$13.75 each year \$27.50 and Costs \$6.64	34.14
14	Bernice K. Fields, refund, School Supplies	5.05
15	Harold D. Carroll, Attorney-at-Law, Account of J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., 1950 and 1951 Personal Property Taxes, \$1,481.67, Interest on same, \$141.01	1,622.68
16	Harold D. Carroll, Attorney-at-Law, Account of J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., Releasing Lot No. 5 (Mill Office Building and Land as in 1948, 1949, 1950 and 1951 Tax Liens of said Company)	316.10
17	Treasurer State of Maine, on Account, Charity, Napoleon Pomerleau, November 1952	119.15
18	Harry A. Smith, Collector, on Account 1952 Delinquent Taxes to date	1,467.39
19	Clyde E. Plummer, Saco, Me., balance of Costs on 1950 Tax Lien	2.32
20	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity Account, R. Getchell, January 1953, \$112.00, N. Pomerleau, November, December 1952 and January 1953, \$264.85	376.85
21	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 351 to 425 inclusive	499.81
22	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity, on Account	50.00
23	Flora C. Lejonhud, South Portland, 1951 Tax Lien of Oscar E. Lejonhud, Lien \$11.74 and Costs \$3.40	15.14
24	State of Maine, for parcel of land (No.8) on Easterly side of "Sokokis Trail," 0.187 acres as shown on Sheet No. 1, State Highway, per Municipal Quit Claim Deed, of even date	1.00

25	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, March 1953	82.61
26	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
27	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 426 to 475 inclusive	463.60
28	H. A. Smith, Collector, on Account, 1952 Delinquent Taxes \$489.00 and Interest \$5.26	494.26
29	William Gammon, 1949, 1950 and 1951 Tax Liens \$11.91 and Costs \$10.04	21.95
30	N. J. Gendron Lumber Co., refund on Fire Department, Order No. 365	10.00
31	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
32	Rankin Nicholson, Kennebunk, for use of lights in Town Hall to June 1, 1953	12.96
33	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity, on Account, Rhoda Westleigh, Mar. to May 1953	88.64
34	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, April 1953	85.00
35	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 476 to 500 inclusive	147.14
36	Springvale National Bank, Six Months Tax Anticipation Note, Due 12/16/53	7,500.00
37	H. A. Smith, Collector, Delinquent Taxes, 1951 \$3.57, 1952 \$253.75, Interest \$6.47	263.79
38	Treasurer State of Maine, Highway Department, Winter 1952-1953, Snow Removal Allowance	495.82
39	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, May 1953	62.85
40	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
41	Springvale National Bank, 4 months, Tax Anticipation Note, Due November 7, 1953	5,000.00
42	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 501 to 525 inclusive	192.08
43	Treasurer State of Maine, Bank Stock Tax 1953	33.54

44	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	3,328.63
45	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity on Account of Napoleon Pomerleau, June 1953	84.50
46	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	1,814.31
47	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 526 to 550 inclusive	192.32
48	Otto H. Brandt, Town Tax Liens on Fluent Lot, 1939 Lien \$18.67, 1940 Lien \$28.67 (Otto H. Brandt has owned the Fluent Lot and paid Taxes since 1939, on this date 7/29/53, Mr. Brandt selling Fluent Lot, a search of Title at Alfred, showed 1939 and 1940 Liens on same unpaid nor discharged)	47.34
49	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1952 Delinquent Taxes of Stanley H. Ricker. Balance 1952 Taxes \$14.25, Interest on all Delinquent Tax \$1.63, Tax Lien Notice \$1.00	16.88
50	Elmer J. Woodward, Credit on 1952 Tax Lien	10.00
51	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity, on Account	50.00
52	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1952, 1952 Delinquent Taxes \$475.50, Interest \$11.88, Tax Lien Notices \$3.00	490.38
53	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	3,609.53
54	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	5,139.01
55	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	3,577.96
56	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
57	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 551 to 575 inclusive	102.63
58	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, July 1953	64.50

59	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	3,204.64
60	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts 1953 Excise Tax on Account, No. 576 to 600 inclusive	137.36
61	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, August 1953	84.50
62	Andrew, Jr., Alton G. and David C. Woodsome, 1934-1935 Tax Liens \$30.00, Costs \$3.00 and Interest \$17.34 (for Hiram Thyng Farm, Middle Road, per Conveyance by Quit Claim Deed at office of Clyfton Hewes 9/19/53)	50.34
63	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
64	Janet Y. Bridges, owner (Herbert Libby), 1951-52 Tax Liens \$3.51, Costs \$6.80	10.31
65	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	4,465.25
66	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, September 1953	55.00
67	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Supplementary Taxes received to date	557.81
68	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	3,692.81
69	Treasurer State of Maine, Highway Department, 1953 Town Road Improvement Fund	6,416.36
70	Treasurer State of Maine, Highway Department, 1953 State Aid Road	5,486.08
71	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
72	Elmer J. Woodward, Credit on 1952 Tax Lien	10.00
73	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	3,564.16
74	Treasurer State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, October 1953	69.00

75	H. A. Smith, Collector, Excise Car Tax, 1953, on Account No. 601 to 650 inclusive	251.16
76	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
77	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	6,233.72
78	State of Maine, 1953 Educational Subsidies	8,778.95
79	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	2,695.98
80	State of Maine, Treasury Department, 1953 R. R. and Tel. & Tel. Tax	1.77
81	State of Maine, Treasury Department, 1953 Dog Licenses Refund	42.23
82	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	1,753.78
83	State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, November 1953	94.00
84	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1953 Excise Car Tax, on Account, No. 651 to 657 inclusive	4.30
85	Bernice K. Fields, Refund on School Supplies	7.32
86	Napoleon Pomerleau, Charity on Account	50.00
87	George Bilder, 1948 Tax Lien \$18.20, Five Years Interest \$5.45, Lien Costs \$2.73	26.38
88	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	1,759.56
89	H. A. Smith, Collector, Supplementary Taxes 1953, Receipts on Account to Date	208.44
90	State of Maine, Charity on Account, Napoleon Pomerleau, December 1953	64.50
91	Town of Lyman, Me., Schools, Tuition 1953	81.00
92	Earle T. Blodgett, Selectman, Charity Account, part support Demers family	10.00
93	Selectmen, Town of Waterboro, Charity Account, lump sum death payment from Social Security, Account, Norman Willey	107.10

94	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment	2,971.77
95	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Supplementary Taxes (Woodsome Bros., Personal, Part)	65.10
96	H. A. Smith, Collector, 1952 Delinquent Tax, Elwyn Owen, Poll and Personal	3.50
97	H. A. Smith, Collector, Receipts on Account, 1953 Tax Commitment to Audit 2/1/54	2,639.62

Total Funds, Receipts No. 1 to 97 inclusive,
to be Accounted for by Harry A. Smith,
Treasurer \$108,561.01

Less: Total of Semi-Monthly Payrolls, Warrants No. 1 to 24 inclusive,
February 1, 1953 to February 31,
1954 \$94,703.60

Less: Teachers' Retirement Funds as
per Treasurer's Receipt No. 394
Year of 1952 Accounts and Paid to
State of Maine Retirement System
in 1953 61.80

Net Cash Disbursements No. 1 to
1474 inclusive as per Selectmen's
Orders 94,765.40

Cash Balance, January 31, 1954 (Audited) \$13,795.61

NOTE: This does not include 1954 Excise Tax money
collected as of and to February 1, 1954 or Delinquent
Taxes 1953 collected as of and after same date.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY A. SMITH,
Treasurer.

CAROLINE LEONARD FUNDS

No. 22,912, in Biddeford Savings Bank

Balance as shown in 1952 Report \$ 163.54
Interest added to date 4.10

Total \$ 167.64

Purpose of this Account: Benefit of Church, Schools
or Poor of Waterboro Center.

No. 22,913, in Biddeford Savings Bank

Balance as shown in 1952 Report \$ 116.74
Interest added to date 2.93

Total \$ 119.67

Purpose of this Account: Benefit of Church, Schools
or Poor at Waterboro Old Corner.

No. 23,285, in Biddeford Savings Bank

Balance as shown in 1952 Report \$ 407.29
Interest added to date 10.24

Total \$ 417.53

Purpose of this Account as per and reference to
Waterboro Town Report, 1929 Treasurer's Report.

Estate of Caroline Leonard—T1717

Account No. 23,285 for the Perpetual care of the
graves in the cemetery at Waterboro Center of an-

cestors and relatives of the late Caroline Leonard, and
that it is limited to the use of the interest accretions
only.

The amount placed in account on October
12, 1929 \$ 239.41

Rhoda May Carll Fund

No. 8988, in Springvale National Bank

Balance as shown in 1952 Report \$ 102.84
Interest added to date 2.84

Total \$ 105.68

Purpose: Interest to be used in Waterboro School
Department per Superintendent of Schools.

Report of the
Tax Collector
of
Waterboro, Maine

For Year Ending February 1, 1954

Total Commitment (as assessed) \$55,274.84

Accounting:

Tax Collections as per Treasurer's
Report for Collector's Receipts. \$50,450.73
Resident Delinquents, 1953 (See
Schedule A) 2,383.04

Non-Resident Delinquents, 1953 (See
Schedule B) 1,323.25

Abatements, 1953 (See Schedule C) \$54,157.02
1,117.82

1953 Total Commitment (as charged) \$55,274.84

SUPPLEMENTARY TAXES, 1953

Supplementary Taxes, per Assessors	\$ 1,049.19
Supplementary Taxes paid to Col- lector (as per Schedule D)	\$ 914.15
Receipts of Supplementary Taxes paid to Treasurer and showing in Treasurer's Report, Receipts No. 3, 67, 89 and 95	914.15
Delinquent Supplementary (Sched- ule D)	\$ 135.04

1953 CAR EXCISE TAXES

**Total 1953 Issue as per Treasurer's
Receipts to Collector**

Excise Receipts, No. 1 to 657 inclu- sive	\$ 5,403.52
Article 3, Roads and Bridges	\$ 3,000.00
Article 28, Carpenter Road	1,000.00
	\$ 4,000.00
To General Funds	1,403.52
	\$ 5,403.52

Above Accounts Audited February 3, 1954.

Respectfully submitted,

February 1, 1954

HARRY A. SMITH,
Collector

SCHEDULE A
RESIDENT DELINQUENTS, 1953

Abbott, Clara L.	\$ 73.94
Abbott, Edith C.	31.80
Atkinson, Carleton N., balance	23.59
Bean, Frank H., balance	5.84
Bean, Merton E., balance	35.00
*Benton, Roland S., balance	6.10
Billings, Leslie H.	12.28
Booker, Roland H., balance	17.76
Bradeen, Melvin R., balance	40.28
*Brady, Joseph B., balance	37.63
Brann, Winthrop	3.98
Bridges, Donald and Janet Y.	58.30
Bunker, Ralph E.	105.56
Burnell, Lawrence L., balance	5.30
Burnell, Roy, poll	3.00
Canning, Ethel .....	.53
Canning, Ralph	38.78
Carpenter, N. W., Heirs of	29.42
Chapman, Orrin L., balance	100.70
Contois, Robert and Helen, balance ..	8.71
Cook, Ralph H., balance	8.48
Coolen, Fannie N.	53.00
Cummings, Henry F.	62.28
*Day, Octavius, balance	62.81
Demers, Laura	47.70
Durgin, Albert T.	79.06
Durgin, Mary and Celia Moulton, bal- ance	49.73
Emery, Edward E., balance	7.95
Emery, Ralph W., balance	49.82
Emery, Waldo E., balance	14.58

*Eugley, Percy, G., Sr.	13.07
*Ferguson, Shirley and Leroy, balance ..	19.22
Flood, Walter E., poll	8.83
*Foster, Charles W., balance	35.51
Frasier, Kenneth, balance	17.76
Gammon, William	8.30
Gilmore, Richard H., poll	3.00
Graffam, James E.	24.73
Graffam, Lewis F., balance	1.86
Gray, Warren O., balance	67.20
Gregoire, Geneva	4.77
Ham, Ernest	3.00
Harmon, George E., balance	5.30
Harmon, Stanley F.	22.53
Hoffman, Roger, poll	3.00
Holmes, Philip A., balance .....	.53
*Johnson, Ralph H.	3.53
Langill, Roscoe J.,	59.10
Leverrierre, Gerard, balance	15.37
Leland, Flossie, balance	25.00
Littlefield, Lester R., balance	69.43
Lord, Ivory, balance	40.00
McCormick, Ernest H., balance	4.77
McCormick, Blanche P.	69.43
*MacNiell, Katie .....	.53
Moulton, Dorris	7.95
Moses, Norman N., balance	8.03
Murphy, Leon	20.76
Parker, Everett R.	29.68
Parker, Gladys	1.86
Parker, William O., balance	7.16
*Ramsdell, Malcolm, balance	47.17
Ramsdell, Merle, poll	3.00
Ricker, Herbert S.	9.01
Ricker, Stanley H.	63.16
Ridlon, Walter, Heirs of	10.60

Roberts, Lucien P. and Millie, balance	21.73
Rounds, Alfred W., balance	46.91
Shaw, Gerald H., poll	3.00
Smith, Leo C., balance	51.41
Smith, Russell C., Sr., balance	106.53
Smith, Carl A.	5.12
Stewart, Herbert W., poll	3.00
Thyng, Grover E., balance	32.33
Walker, Willard, poll	3.00
Wallingford, Norman W.	30.03
Waterboro Box Co.	74.20
White, Elden C.	22.88
Whitten, Thomas and Virginia, balance	20.41
Wildes, George	4.59
Wilson, Roger J., balance	20.67
Wischt, Michael and Mary	5.30
Woodsome, Norris E., balance	7.00
Woodward, Cecile F.	60.16
Woodward, Elmer J., balance	56.71
Total Resident Delinquents	\$2,383.04

SCHEDULE B

NON-RESIDENT DELINQUENTS, 1953

Aiguier, Winfield and Margaret, Newark, N. J.	\$ 9.28
Clear Spring Trout Ponds, Inc., West Buxton, Me.	42.40
Gagnon, Henry, R. F. D. No. 4, Biddeford, Me.	7.95
Gillies, J. A. Lumber Co., Bath, Me.	401.74
Green, Charles H., Old Orchard, Me.	18.55
Harold R. Hall, Alfred, Me.	113.95
Hanna, Paul and Edna M., Waterboro Center	103.35
Holmes, Marjorie R. and James W., Saugus, Mass.	79.50
Lane, Charles F. and Edna V., Saco, Me.	27.30
Lane, J. Wesley, Saco, Me.	16.43
Lewis Lumber Company, Portland, Me.	31.80
Merrill, William T., Pine Point, Me.	58.30
*Merithew, Clifton H. and Christine, Shirley, Mass.	47.70
McClintic, John and Lucille, address unknown	14.58
*Nolette, Robert D. and Ruth F., Saco, Me.	14.58
Nicklin, Guy E. and Blanche A., Somersworth	53.00
Remy, Victor, Springvale, Me.	27.56
Sansoucy, William J. and Lillian, Biddeford, Me.	79.50
Smith, Arthur F., Milford, N. H.	50.88

Smith, William A., Heirs of, Hollis, Me.	116.60
Smith, William A., Heirs of, Hollis, Me.	5.30
Tozier, Harold and Margaret, Waverly, Ohio, balance	3.00
Total Non-Resident Delinquents	\$1,323.25

Note: Where an "*" shows by name of the taxpayer is that the party has paid their tax in full. Where "***" shows by name of the taxpayer is that said party has paid part of tax. And the amounts paid to Collector is now entered as 1953 Delinquent in the year of 1954 and have been paid since books were closed and audited, as of February 1, 1954.

SCHEDULE C ABATEMENTS, 1953

9	Central Maine Power Co., Ossipee Lake Privilege, 1953	\$ 150.00
10	Virgil Burnham, personal property, in Saco 4/1/53	3.18
11	Void per Selectmen .....	.00
12	Aurele Lemelin, over valuation, real estate	15.90
13	Wilbur L. Pease, over valuation, personal estate	4.77
14	Eleanor Fish, duplicate tax, cottage and lot taxed to Seiler and Fish	56.98
15	Cecil F. Swett, Sr., no cottage	31.80
16	Alfred and Aurora Cloutier, no cottage on second lot	45.05
17	L. Donald Ford, over valuation, personal estate	3.98
18	John Mingo, Saco, Me., no cottage in 1953	31.80
19	Wilbur F. Hennings, no cottage on second lot	49.02
20	Alton N. Jones, over valuation, real estate	42.40
21	Robert Holbrook, no personal estate 4/1/53	1.59
22	Margaret Balcom, no cottage in 1953	42.40
23	Mrs. Wallace O. Hill, no buildings	53.00
24	Harold C. Emmons, Saco, no cottage in 1953	42.40
25	R. Pauquette or A. Bisson, over valuation	10.60

26	Rosaire Letellier, over valuation	10.60
27	Wilfred Turgeon, inability, poll in 1953	3.00
28	Mattie J. Hanson, error in calculating	10.00
29	Kermit Gerry, over valuation	7.95
30	Norman A. Goodwin, Saco, overvaluation	10.60
31	Delphis Turgeon, no television	3.18
32	Carpenter & Smith, error in calculating	.25
33	Alice Knight, duplicate of personal property	.53
34	Lura Wakefield, no cottage	53.00
35	Fred H. Campbell, Heirs of, no buildings	42.40
36	Oscar Lejonhud, Heirs of, overvaluation	2.65
37	Adelbert Howell, no television	4.77
38	Malcolm Ramsdell, land owned by S. Ramsdell	13.25
39	Margie Tibbetts, Lyman, equalization of real estate	1.59
40	Warren L. Walker, no personal property	3.18
41 and 48	E. I. Day, Heirs of, timber cut in 1952	15.90
42	Malcolm C. Smith, no tractor	3.98
43	Roger Ramsell, poll paid in Sanford	3.00
44	Harold Meserve, minor in 1953, no poll	3.00
45	Elwin S. Carll, over 70 years, poll	3.00
46	Leroy Ferguson, veteran, exempt poll, receiving compensation	3.00
47 and 49	Void per Selectmen	.00

50	Chester M. Staples, clergyman, poll	3.00
51	Royal Scott, taxed twice	42.40
52	J. Wesley Lane, no cottage	30.48
53	Charles F. Lane, over valuation on cottage	63.60
54	William D. Carleton, moved camp to New Hampshire in 1952	6.59
55	Abel Violette, real estate sold in November, 1952	6.63
56	Norman Moses, no buildings on lot 4/1/53	9.28
57	Arnold and Marcel Beaudoin, property sold to Dorothy Gilmore, soldier's widow, 1952	14.58
58	Blanche C. Brewster, over valuation	15.90
59	Jesse Carpenter, heirs of, over valuation	1.86
60	Robert D. Nolette, no cottage in 1953	53.00
61	Ada Waterhouse, error in calculating	4.30
62	George Moulton, veteran receiving compensation, exempt poll	3.00
63	Joseph A. Benoit, no cottage in 1953	55.65
64 to 72 inclusive,	1952 Abatements	.00
73	Ella Hasty, Heirs of, taxed to S. W. Durgin	7.95
74	Abatement on 1951 Accounts	.00
75	Frances Gray, overvaluation	5.30
76	Harold F. Thornton, overvaluation	10.60
Total Abatements, 1953		\$1,117.82

ABATEMENTS—YEAR 1952

1	To R. H. Bradeen, Collector 1949-1950	\$.00
2	Lewis Lumber Co., no personal property, overvaluation real estate 1952	55.00
3	Frank J. Lewandoski, poll paid in South Portland, Me.	3.00
4	Benj. F. Bailey, poll paid in Alna, Me.	3.00
5	Dorris Moulton, poll paid in Kittery, Me.	3.00
6	Malcolm Roberts, poll paid in Hollis, Me.	3.00
7	L. L. Clark Lumber Co., timber land sold in 1950 and 1951	46.00
8	Melbert Bennett, poll paid in Bridgton, Me.	3.00
64	Lyndon Brown, moved out of state	5.75
65	Reginald Brown, moved out of state	6.50
66	Henry A. Bourrie, in Oregon, poll	3.00
67	Alexander Bolaski, in California, poll	3.00
68	Ernest Ham, inability, poll	3.00
69	Donald P. Hill, poll paid in Saco	3.00
70	Carleton LeFontaine, moved out of state	3.00
71	Lloyd Page, moved out of state	3.50
72	Woodrow Harriman, moved out of town	3.50
Total Abatements from 1952 Accounts		\$ 150.75

ABATEMENTS—YEAR 1951

74	Carlton LaFountaine, moved out of state	\$ 3.00
Total Abatement, 1951 Accounts		\$ 3.00

SCHEDULE D

SUPPLEMENTARY TAX LIST, 1953

Anderson, Ben, poll	\$ 3.00
Andrews, H. C. state, c/o A. B. Carpenter	14.58
Bean, Reginald I., poll	3.00
*Benson, Edith E., 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, on Lot No. 202, real estate (paid \$5.00)	20.70
Benvie, James M., poll	3.00
Bilder, George, 1952 and 1953 polls	6.00
Bloss, William H., Erving Stuart place, Ossipee Hill Road	63.60
Bylin, Gustive, part built cottage	13.25
Demers, Leon, poll	3.53
Estes, F. Sidney, poll	3.00
Eugley, Percy G., Jr., poll	3.00
Fairfield, Wilbur F., real estate at Ossipee Lake	41.08
Fay & Woodsome, Gregroie and Swett lots	21.20

Forrest, Leo W. and Reta, cottage real estate	26.50
Frizzle, Ronald A., real estate at Waterboro	62.81
Gerry, Merle G., poll	3.00
Guay, George, Saco, cottage real estate	31.80
Hall, William C., poll	3.00
Ham, Edna and Ethel Graham, lot at East Waterboro	6.63
Hincks, Arthur W., Portland, Me., real estate	6.63
Hobbs, Elmer, Heirs of, real estate	2.12
Hobbs, Frank H., South Portland, Me., real estate	18.55
Holmes, Lester C., Alfred, Me., real estate	6.36
*Holmes, Philip A., personal estate	63.60
Kimball, Curtis H., c/o C. H. Kimball, real estate	7.95
*Lewandoski, Frank J., real estate	7.95
Littlefield, Robert L., poll	3.00
Mace, Harvey L., poll	3.00
MacDonald, Arthur L., poll	3.00
Mahair, Oliver, poll	3.00
Marble, Charles B. Jr., Falls Church, Va., poll	3.00
*Munroe, Robert M., Lot No. 202, 1953	5.30
Nason, John D., 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951 and 1952, formerly lot of Albert (Ethelbert) Downs	3.00
Portland Savings Bank, Gladys Howland, Heirs of, property at Waterboro Center	68.90
Ramsell, George H., poll	3.00
*Reynolds, Jack, formerly Spencer Stuart lot, Ossipee Hill Road	6.89

Rich, Robert R., poll	3.00
Ricker, Wayne R., poll	3.00
Ridlon, Maurice R., poll	3.00
Roberts, Edith J., real estate	3.98
Russell, Alphonse, poll	3.00
Sanborn, John, heirs of, c/o Mrs. W. Hamilton, 1949, 1950, 1951 and 1952 tax, real estate	82.80
Savage, Richard L., poll	3.00
Smallidge, John F., poll and personal estate	5.50
Smith, Russell, Jr., poll	3.00
Swett, Edna M., real estate	62.28
Thompson, Maurice D. and Edith, real estate	28.89
Thyng, Ronald C., M. Goodrich lot	2.65
Turgeon, Arthur, Saco, real estate	14.58
Weeks, John H., poll	3.00
Whittaker, Bernice, real estate and personal estate	70.23
*Wilson, Roger J., real estate	10.60
Winslow, Alberta R., real estate	55.65
Woodsome, Andrew C., Wescott lot, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952 and 1953 taxes	26.00
*Woodsome Brothers, personal estate, lumber in yard at North Waterboro, 85 M	90.10

Total Supplementary, per Assessors \$1,049.19

Receipts to Collector on Supplementary	\$ 914.15
*Delinquent Supplementary, 1953	135.04

Total Supplementary, 1953 \$1,049.19

DELINQUENT SUPPLEMENTARY, 1953

*Benson, Edith E., balance real estate	\$ 15.70
*Holmes, Philip A., personal estate	63.60
*Lewandoski, Frank J., real estate	7.95
*Munroe, Robert M., real estate	5.30
*Reynolds, Jack, Bar Mills, Me., real estate	6.89
*Wilson, Roger J., real estate	10.60
*Woodsome Brothers, balance personal estate	25.00
*Delinquent Supplementary, 1953	\$ 135.04

DELINQUENTS, 1952

Schedules A and B 1952 Report That
Have Paid in 1953

Stanley F. Harmon	\$ 21.75
Emile LeCroix, Biddeford	17.50
Frank J. Lewandoski, South Portland	7.50
Irving G. Brackett	35.50
Arthur W. Brackett, part	40.00
C. Wilfred Brackett	36.75
Elden C. White, poll	3.00
E. Emery, Booker & White	18.75
Elmer Hobbs, Heirs of, per N. K. H.	2.00
Albert T. Durgin	75.50
Edith E. Munroe, part	82.50
Warren O. Gray, balance	40.50

Shirley and Leroy Ferguson	28.25
William O. Parker	6.25
Gladys Parker	1.75
Fannie Coolen	30.00
Mary Durgin and Celia Moulton, balance	20.00
Dorris Moulton	7.50
Kenneth and H. Gilpatric, balance	29.25
Claude R. and Irene Ayer, part	63.75
Melvin R. Bradeen	41.00
Edna Ham and Ethel Graham, balance	3.12
Charles F. Clark, heirs of	10.00
Joseph G. York, Heirs of	10.50
L. L. Clark Lumber Co., balance	173.00
Lewis Lumber Co., Portland, Me., balance	40.00
Melbert Bennett, balance	.75
George Wildes	4.50
Winthrop Brann	3.75
Harold F. Thornton, balance	127.50
J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., Bath, Me., per Harold D. Carroll, Attorney-at-Law	1,305.75
Arthur F. Smith, Milford, N. H.	48.00
Kenneth R. Burbank, balance	13.75
Russell C. Smith, Sr.	100.50
Harold R. Hall, Alfred, Me.	107.50
Oscar E. Lejonhud, South Portland, Me.	6.25
Mildred P. A. Smith, Alfred, Me.	50.00
Joseph Stache	4.50
Ivory Lord, balance	111.75
Norris E. Woodsome, part	5.00
Walter E. and Eleanor McKenney, Saco, balance	47.50

Henry J. Mondor, Saco, per R. Pro- vercer	13.75	
Royal Scott, Westfield, Mass.	40.00	
Arnold M. Lawrence, 1952 and 1951 ..	7.07	
Blanche Taylor McCormick	65.50	
Roland H. Booker, balance	10.50	
James E. Graffam, part	23.50	
Alfred E. Rounds	44.25	
William T. Merrill, Pine Point, Me. ...	55.00	
Frank H. Libby, 1952 poll	3.00	
James W. and Marie R. Holmes, Sau- gus, Mass.	75.00	
Stanley H. Ricker	54.25	
Carpenter, Jesse, Heirs of	3.25	
N. W. Carpenter, Heirs of	27.75	
Paul and Edna M. Hanna	97.50	
Ralph W. Emery	46.50	
William C. Hall, poll	3.00	
Kenneth E. Dyer	75.50	
Salvinus Moses	8.75	
Leo C. Smith, Deering's Ridge	23.00	
Elwyn Owen	3.50	
Total Delinquents Paid	\$3,463.19	
Total Interest Receipts	26.13	
Receipts Lien Notices	4.00	
Total	\$3,493.32	

UNCOLLECTED TAXES, 1952

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Poll
Contois, Robert and Helen	\$.50		
Frasier, Kenneth .....	.50		
Gammon, William		5.00	3.00
Graffam, Lewis F. ....	.50	1.25	
LeDuc, Joseph .....	.50		3.00
Moses, Norman	1.00		
Parker, Everett R.	5.00		
Roberts, Malcolm Z. ....	.50		
Ramsdell, Merle			3.00
Whitten, Thomas .....	.50		
Wakefield, Clarence R. ....	.50		
Woodward, Elmer J. ....	.50		
Walker, Willard .....	.50		3.00
Non-Resident			
Aiguier, Winfield and Margaret, Newark, N. J.		8.75	
	\$10.50	\$15.00	\$12.00
Total Unpaid 1952			\$37.50

UNCOLLECTED TAXES, 1951

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Poll
Bean, Frank H.	\$ 6.27		
Contois, Robert and Helen .....	.57		
Gammon, William			3.00

Graffam, James E.	.57	3.00
Harmon, Stanley F.	.57	
Roberts, Florentine T.	.57	
Roberts, Lucien P.	.57	
Woodsome, Norris E.	.57	
Wakefield, Clarence R.	.57	
Walker, Willard	.57	3.00
	<hr/> \$10.83	<hr/> \$ 9.00
Total Unpaid 1951		<hr/> \$19.83

1952 TAX LIENS

The Period of Redemption on the Following Tax
Liens Expires January 24, 1955

Robert and Helen Contois	\$ 23.75
Laura Demers	45.00
Waldo E. Emery	13.75
Kenneth Frasier	16.25
Charles H. Green, Old Orchard, Me.	17.50
Norman N. Moses	12.50
Victor Remy, Springvale, Me.	17.50
Walter Ridlon, Heirs of	10.00
Clarence R. Wakefield	5.00
Norman W. Wallingford	23.50
Thomas Whitten	18.75
Norris E. Woodsome	36.75
Elmer J. Woodward, total lien \$43.00, paid \$20.00, balance due	23.00

Henry Gagnon, Biddeford, Me.	7.50
Waterboro Box Company	70.00
Michael and Mary Wischt, Quincy, Mass.	41.25
Total February 1, 1954	<hr/> \$ 382.00

This is the face value of tax liens only, and does not include costs and interest due on same, which are payable at date of payment.

1951 TAX LIENS

Frank H. Bean	\$ 3.42
Robert Contois	14.25
Waldo E. Emery	8.49
James E. Graffam	14.25
Walter Ridlon, Heirs of	9.98
Lucien P. Roberts or owner	15.68
Norris E. Woodsome	39.90
Clarence R. Wakefield	4.28
Norman W. Wallingford	12.10
Henry Gagnon, Biddeford, Me.	8.55
Raymond Ploude (Byron Dodge)	4.28
J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., Bath, Me.	
Total \$335.73, Less Mary B. Shep- ard, March 19, 1953, Lot No. 5 and Office, \$70.00	279.20
Thomas Whitten	11.40
Laura Demers	19.90

Total February 1, 1954

\$ 445.68

Costs and interest same as 1952.
Right of redemption expired January 21, 1954.

1950 TAX LIENS

Frank H. Bean	\$ 3.00
Robert N. Contois	12.50
Waldo E. Emery	7.50
Henry Gagnon, Biddeford, Me.	7.50
Charles H. Green, Old Orchard, Me., balance due on costs	2.32
Annie Moyse, Waterboro	47.50
Clarence Pike, Shapleigh, Me.	1.50
Clarence Wakefield	3.75
Thomas Whitten	2.50
Norris E. Woodsome	35.00
Waterboro Box Company	65.00
J. A. Gillies Lumber Company, Bath, Me. Total \$294.50, Less Mary B. Shepard, March 19, 1953, Lot No. 5 and office \$65.00	229.50
Total February 1, 1954	\$ 417.57

Costs and interest same as 1952.

Right of redemption expired December 26th, 1952.

1949 TAX LIENS

Amedee Allaire, Sanford, Me.	\$ 5.00
Henry Gagnon, Biddeford, Me.	7.50
J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., Bath, Me. Total \$294.50, Less Mary B. Shep- ard, March 19, 1953, Lot No. 5 and office \$65.00	229.50

Annie Moyse, Waterboro, Me.	47.50
Everett Parker, East Waterboro	2.50
Clarence Pike, Shapleigh, Me.	1.50
Victor Remy, Springvale, Me.	7.50
Waterboro Box Company (J. A. Gillies)	65.00
Herbert L. Whitehouse, Berwick, Me.	2.50
Frank Williams, Heirs of	2.50
Total	\$ 371.00

Costs and interest the same.

Right of redemption expired February 1, 1952.

1948 TAX LIENS

Amedee Allaire, Sanford, Me.	\$ 7.80
Frank H. Bean	5.20
Nathaniel Carpenter, Heirs of	59.80
Robert and Helen Contois	26.00
Alphonso Dion, Sanford, Me.	13.00
Henry Gagnon, Biddeford, Me.	7.80
Daniel Gauthier, Saco, Me.	7.80
J. A. Gillies Lumber Co., Bath, Me. Total \$306.28, Less Mary B. Shep- ard, March 19, 1953, Lot No. 5 and office \$67.60	238.68
Chester Pierce, Waterboro, Me.	17.56
Clarence Pike, Shapleigh, Me.	1.56
Waterboro Box Co., J. A. Gillies Co.	67.60
Lewis Watson, Portland, Me.	7.80
Norris E. Woodsome	36.40
Total	\$ 497.00

Costs and interest same.

Right of redemption expired January 2, 1951.

1947 TAX LIENS

Frank H. Bean	\$ 13.32
Kenneth Frasier	17.76
John and Doris Gilfoy, Waterboro Old Corner	62.90
Ernest Ham	7.40
Gordon K. McLeod, Dorchester, Mass.	14.80
Chester Pierce	29.60
Victor Remy, Springvale, Me.	53.65
Waterboro Box Co., J. A. Gillies, Bath, Me.	379.25
Herbert H. S. Whitehouse, Berwick, Me.	7.40
Frank H. Williams, Heirs of	40.70
Total	\$ 626.78

Costs and interest same.

Right of redemption expired December 7, 1949.

1946 TAX LIENS

Kenneth Frasier	\$ 15.20
Daniel Gauthier, Saco, Me.	15.20
William R. Langmaid, Saco, Me.	19.00
Donald E. Morse, Wells, Me.	11.40
Norris E. Woodsome	22.80
Total	\$ 83.60

These are tax title to the Town of Waterboro.

1945 TAX LIENS

Ernest Ham	\$ 6.60
William R. Langmaid, Saco, Me.	16.50
Victor Remy, Springvale, Me.	35.97
Eleazer Thyng, Newfield, Me.	6.60
Norris E. Woodsome	13.20
Total	\$ 78.87

These are tax title to the Town of Waterboro.

There are also other tax title liens from 1934 to 1944
in the Town Treasurer's office.

L. EVERETT OUTHOUSE
Public Accountant and Auditor
Portland 3, Maine

February 9, 1954

Board of Selectmen
Town of Waterboro
Waterboro, Maine

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your request, we have audited the records of the Town of Waterboro for the Municipal Year ended January 30, 1953.

The examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and included all procedures which were considered necessary. Insofar as could be determined, within the scope of the examination, the financial affairs of the Town appear to have been administered in a proper manner.

The results of the audit are disclosed in the exhibits and schedules embodied in this report, and fairly present the financial position of the Town of Waterboro, and the result of its operations for the Municipal Year ended January 30, 1954.

Respectfully submitted,

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L. EVERETT. OUTHOUSE

TOWN OF WATERBORO
ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN SURPLUS
Year Ended January 30, 1954

Balance January 31, 1953 \$15,295.54

CREDITS

Current Year Appropriations Unexpended 6,561.86

Total \$21,857.40

CHARGES

Abatement of Taxes \$ 1,333.51
Adjustment of Tax Title Property 59.80

Total Charges \$ 1,393.31

Balance January 30, 1954 \$20,464.09

TOWN OF WATERBORO
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET
YEARS ENDED

		ASSETS	
		January 30, 1954	January 31, 1953
Cash	\$	\$13,795.61	\$ 9,550.06
Taxes Receivable	3,852.52		5,704.91
Less Reserve for Losses	124.12	3,728.40	124.12 5,580.79
Tax Liens	\$ 2,916.77		\$ 3,203.95
Less Reserve for Losses	190.15	2,726.62	255.15 2,948.80
Tax Title Property		447.33	507.13
Total Assets		\$20,697.96	\$18,586.78
Trust Funds Invested		810.52	790.41
Total Assets and Trust Funds Invested		\$21,508.48	\$19,377.19

		LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable .....	\$	.00	\$ 61.80
Appropriation Balances Forward		233.87	3,229.44
Surplus Unappropriated		20,464.09	15,295.54
Total Liabilities and Surplus		\$20,697.96	\$18,586.78
Trust Funds Principal		810.52	790.41
Total Liabilities, Surplus and Trust Funds Principal		\$21,508.48	\$19,377.19

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT OF
VITAL STATISTICS

Record of Deaths, 1953

1953		Age
Feb. 6	Henry J. Michel at North Waterboro. Burial at Highland, Limerick, Me.	60 years
Feb. 7	Marshell Allen Day at Saco, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro	72 Years
Feb. 17	Maude Goodale at Augusta, Me. Burial at Hillside, North Berwick, Me.	56 Years
Feb. 21	Abbie J. Tripp at Biddeford, Me. Burial at Buxton Lower Corner	76 Years
Mar. 4	Lizzie Eunice Coffin, Waterboro, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me.	88 Years
Mar. 13	Blanche C. Low at Wolfeboro, N. H. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me.	80 Years
Mar. 24	Effie L. Hamilton at Waterboro, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me.	76 Years
Apr. 24	Ray S. Chadbourne at Augusta, Me. Burial at Friends Cemetery, Rochester, N. H.	74 Years
May 24	Walter Bean at Waterboro, Me. Cremation 5/27/53. Harmony Grove, Salem, Mass.	90 Years

- Jun. 19 James Edward Drowns at Waterboro, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, North Waterboro, Me. 45 Years
- July 12 Alfred Joseph Dumais of Scarborough, Me. Death at North Waterboro, Me. Burial at Mt. Pleasant, South Portland, Me. 39 Years
- July 18 Linwood Burton Sanborn in Koera. Burial October 1, 1953 at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me. 21 Years
- Aug. 30 Norman Willey at Sanford, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me. 69 Years
- Oct. 9 Howard Bernard Gilpatric. Death at Lawton, Oklahoma. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me. 25 Years
- Nov. 16 Maynard L. Nason at Augusta, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me. 71 Years
- Nov. 25 Myrtie B. Norman at Alexandria, Va. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me. 59 Years
- Nov. 28 Wilbur Osborn Bradbury at Hollis, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, North Waterboro, Me. 73 Years
- Dec. 2 Howard Lee Day at Hollis, Me. Burial in family lot, Deering's Ridge, East Waterboro, Me. 86 Years

- Dec. 17 Herbert Alonzo Bradeen at Limington, Me. Burial at Elder Gray Cemetery, North Waterboro, Me. 87 Years
- Dec. 22 Susan Estella Waterhouse, Waterboro Center, Me. Burial at Pine Grove, Waterboro, Me. Age 3 months, 4 days.

Also the following Vital Statistics have been recorded in Town Clerk's records:

Births 25 Marriages 17

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY A. SMITH,

Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT ON DOG LICENSES

During the year 1953 there were one hundred fifty-four (154) dog licenses issued from this office. In addition there were two (2) kennel licenses issued.

These licenses represent two hundred fifty-four dollars forty cents (\$254.40) which was received and paid to the Treasurer of the State of Maine on and before December 31, 1953.

The following licenses were issued:

Eighty-eight (88) males	\$ 79.20
Twenty-four (24) females	117.60
Forty-two (42) spayed females	37.80
Two (2) kennels	19.80
	<hr/>
	\$ 254.40

4.31
24/117.60
108

Respectfully submitted,
HARRY A. SMITH,
Town Clerk

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

Your 1954 Dog License will be due and payable April 1, 1954. If unpaid by June 1 you will be notified by mail and an extra fee of 85¢ added, as permitted by law, then, if unpaid you may be summoned into court which will cost you several times the cost of the license.

Do not look for the Collector to call. This is a license, not a tax, and it is up to you to see that it is paid.

See Revised Statutes, Chapter 5, as amended.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

I herein submit a brief report of service rendered the Town of Waterboro by the York County Tuberculosis and Health Association for the period beginning January 1, 1953 to January 1, 1954.

The purpose of our program is to promote good health among the citizens of Waterboro, to help the family attain and maintain physical and mental well being, and teach health measures aimed at reducing illness and preventing disease, and the value of periodic health examinations with a chest x-ray.

School Health Program

The nurse in the school is concerned with all phases of health in the children of school age. An accurate, detailed health history is kept up to date, with a school health card.

Health inspections completed in all grades:

Number of pupils examined	175
Number of pupils with no dental defects	56
Number of pupils with defective teeth (deciduous)	79
Number of pupils with defective teeth (permanent)	51
Number of pupils with defective throat	13
Number of pupils with defective vision	17
Number of pupils overweight	4
Number of pupils with impetigo	2
Number of pupils with the following corrections during the year: Teeth, 28; Throat, 2; Vision, 10.	

A dental clinic is scheduled for January 1954.

Twenty-two home calls were made for follow-up on defects found during inspections. Several special examinations made because of disturbing health conditions among the children, and followed by home calls.

With many thanks to parents, teachers, town officials and Superintendent of Schools for their cooperation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
York County Tuberculosis and
Health Association

By: NELLIE P. SAWYER, R. N.
Public Health Nurse

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

With this report we are completing our second successful fiscal school year under the new and improved Waterboro school system. Already we have had many favorable reports of the educational progress being made and Waterboro is the envy of many a small neighboring town for the fine teacher per grade system that we are so fortunate in having, in addition to being able to send our secondary pupils to Sanford High School, one of Maine's finest high schools. (In a recent address at Sanford, President James S. Coles of Bowdoin College, stated that Sanford had the finest public school system he had found in the State of Maine.)

Attest: January Newsletter of the Maine Teachers' Association showed that Sanford teachers were paid the second highest salaries of all schools within the State of Maine.

We are pleased and proud to report that the first two Waterboro students to graduate from Sanford High School in 1953 under the new system, graduated with honors, and were ranked 4th and 6th scholastically out of a graduating class numbering well over 125 pupils. Miss Carlita Smith, now at Gordon College, and Miss Ann Rollins, now at Nason College. These two girls are a credit to themselves, a credit to their parents, teachers, also their town; they have left a high standard for other Waterboro students to aim for.

At Sanford in co-curricular activities, Waterboro students are commencing to make their presence felt. Miss Gloria Fields led the way for others to follow

in being a star high-scoring forward on one of the best girls' basketball teams in Sanford High School history. Gloria also went on to become runner-up to the state foul shooting champion in a contest at Westbrook last winter. Other Waterboro students were soon to follow suit for a Waterboro boy played on the Sanford baseball team, four Waterboro girls are members of the Sanford band, one of the finest high school bands in New England. Five Waterboro boys were on the undefeated freshman football team, three Waterboro girls are on varsity and junior varsity basketball teams, two Waterboro boys are on the freshman basketball team. A Waterboro freshman girl is vice president of her class, and a number of other Waterboro students are members of the various intramural sports team and other assorted clubs and organizations pertaining to good schooling.

As for honors and scholastic standing, taking our Waterboro group as a whole, percentagewise, they are averaging better in this respect than is the average for the total enrollment at Sanford.

With increasing school enrollment, also with an eye to keeping costs down where possible to do so, your committee found it necessary to revise the transportation system at the start of the 1953-54 school year. All feeder lines, so-called, with the exception of one were abolished, another bus was added, making a total of three for elementary pupils. This was accomplished successfully after much detailed planning at no increase in cost over the previous year. It also resulted in a much more uniform transportation system.

In January of 1953 through the courtesy of the Brown Television Co. of Sanford, Waterboro students had the opportunity to witness the inauguration of President Dwight D. Eisenhower.

In the spring of 1953 a prize speaking contest was sponsored by the Modern Woodman Insurance Co. The six contestants all gave very commendable accounts of themselves before a capacity audience at the Grange Hall.

In the spring and fall of 1953 musical programs were presented by the students at both elementary schools.

In June of 1953, the largest 8th grade class in recent years held graduation exercises at the Blaisdell Memorial Church.

In November of 1953, in keeping with National Education Week, Waterboro schools held their second annual open-house with a night session of school. This session was equally as well attended as that of 1952 and with the same degree of interest and enthusiasm for all concerned.

As for music, we have made vast improvement. We were very fortunate in being able to obtain the services of a new local resident in the person of Mrs. Helen Cropper, who is very talented and who has a fine musical background. Mrs. Cropper has unselfishly given much extra time toward the development of a better musical program for Waterboro elementary school pupils.

In October of 1953 we were unfortunate in losing our respected first grade teacher, Mrs. Bertha Blodgett, who resigned due to ill health. Again we were also very fortunate in being able to find a very able replacement in the person of Mrs. Esther Abbott, who is doing a fine job.

Your school costs are going up, be it here, there or elsewhere; be it big town, little town or large city, it is nationwide; you read it, see it and hear it almost daily in your newspapers, on your T.V. sets and on

your radio. There is just no escaping it, for there are more children to educate now than ever before, and they must be educated properly for our whole future as a country depends upon them. Teacher salaries and tuition will be of necessity higher and the time has come for an additional Waterboro teacher to make our teacher per grade system complete and fully workable. In a rough survey which we have just completed with the start of the 1954-55 school year, there will be approximately 55 more Waterboro children attending school than there were four years ago, 20 of these students being in the high school age bracket. We are very thankful to be able to report to you that although school costs have increased and will continue to increase to a leveling-off stage, and that the school enrollment has increased, that your cost per child has increased but a very small amount. The whole situation boils down to more children to educate and when there are more children to educate it takes more dollars to educate them, just as it takes more dollars to operate a business as that business expands. This is especially true locally for we have faced not only the inflationary factor, but we have attempted to bring sub-standard education and sub-standard teacher salaries up to a standard level, by necessary, in a short period of time, due to the lack of planning and foresight and the false economy of the past.

As for repairs, a new paint job has been completed on the East Waterboro grade school, the sanitary system has been repaired at said school and added safety precautions have been taken by making adjustments in the boiler rooms and heating systems of both schools as prescribed by the State of Maine Fire Underwriters Association, along with various other minor repairs.

Hot lunches are being served at both schools under excellent management at an increase of five cents per

meal over last year. It might be added here that a small town meeting appropriation might well be in order to complete a fully successful operation of this program. Many other towns are doing this.

Unbeknown to most of you, late last fall we were anticipating the possibility that the South Waterboro school might have to be closed temporarily due to the questionable nature of the drinking water. Fortunately a second State water test put us through. For years the water flowage has been poor and now the water is on the doubtful side. We have been advised that an artesian well now is nearly a must for proper water flowage and for the proper water quality. A not too large initial cost will be involved but a permanent investment for the health and safety of your children will be obtained.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank all of those who have worked so hard to make the Waterboro educational system operate so smoothly and successfully; the parents and townspeople, the teachers, the town officials, the district nurse, the bus drivers, the janitors, and the superintendent.

In closing we want to take the liberty of dedicating this report to Superintendent Maynard E. Wright, who by his own admission is serving the first year of his final three year term as Superintendent of Schools after many years at your service. It is our opinion that this man has done more for the educational advancement of all Waterboro children that he will ever be given his rightful due credit. The people of our town owe Mr. Wright a vote of thanks for a job well done.

Respectfully submitted,
ALLERTON B. SMITH
DELMA K. SMITH
WILLIS A. LORD

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Members of the Superintending School Committee,
Citizens of Waterboro:

I am happy to submit for your attention the report of schools for the year 1953-1954.

There is a total enrollment of 173 in the elementary schools of Waterboro. This is a substantial increase over that of the previous year. Forty-eight secondary pupils are transported to Sanford High School; two attend Hollis High; and one is at Fryeburg Academy. Our teaching staff includes seven classroom teachers and a music supervisor. It will be noted that the present average pupil-teacher ratio is somewhat less than the 25 which is considered maximum by the State. Necessarily, however, the ratio varies in the seven different classrooms. The highest ratio is found in the first two grades — Grade 1 with 32; Grade 2 with 28. We are operating under the system adopted last year of 8 grades to 7 teachers. Obviously a division had to be made somewhere. Since the ratio was lower in grades 6, 7, and 8, the division was made there. The arrangement has been definitely more efficient than the previous one, but the ideal situation would be 8 grades, 8 teachers. Cooperation among the teachers has been very commendable.

A new law has recently been enacted by the legislature which effects the teacher salary schedule. It sets a minimum which goes into effect July 1 of this year. The law especially effects teachers with three, four, and five years of training. A beginning teacher with three years of professional training must, ac-

cording to this law, receive not less than \$2,000.00 per year. An increase of \$100.00 must be added thereafter for each year of experience. This is to continue for four years. Which means that a three year graduate with four years experience must receive not less than \$2,400.00 yearly salary. A four year graduate with a bachelor's degree begins with \$2,400.00 with a yearly increase of \$100.00 for eight years, which makes the minimum of \$3,200.00. The same holds true of the teacher holding a master's degree with this difference. The increases in this group continue for twelve years making the minimum of \$3,600.00. To meet situations where salaries are considerably below this standard the law provides that no town is required to increase the salary of any teacher more than \$300.00 in any one year.

We have used the money voted for repairs and miscellaneous improvements where the need has seemed greatest. Major improvements have been made at East Waterboro. The exterior of the building was painted during the summer; classroom floors were refinished; the kitchen painted; and a new hot water heater installed. Recently panic bars were installed on entrance doors in compliance with the State's safety regulations. Some new seats have been purchased to take the place of those where replacement seemed advisable.

I am grateful for your cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
MAYNARD E. WRIGHT,
Superintendent of Schools

WATERBORO SCHOOL ACCOUNT

RESOURCES

Corrected Balance, 1953	\$ 1,789.38
Appropriation	27,000.00
Appropriation for H. S. Transportation	4,300.00
State School Fund	8,778.95
Refund, Thos. B. Tupper	1.00
Refund for School Supplies, Bernice K. Fields	12.37
Tuition, Town of Lyman	81.00
Total	\$41,962.70

EXPENDITURES

Instruction	\$15,469.89
Fuel	1,831.74
Janitor Service	2,797.00
Elementary Conveyance	6,855.76
Secondary Conveyance	4,407.40
Secondary Tuition	8,163.10
Text Books	924.02
Supplies	480.55
Utilities—Lights and Telephone	319.33
Superintendence	695.62
Total	\$41,944.41
Balance, 1954	18.29
	\$41,962.70

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Instruction

Bertha W. Blodgett	\$ 1,621.70
Helen M. Carpenter	2,041.70
Maude H. Carpenter	2,041.70
Natalie K. Hobbs	2,041.70
Bernice K. Fields	2,141.60
Edna E. Roberts	2,041.70
Florentine T. Roberts	2,041.70
Agnes L. Tibbetts	340.00
Esther B. Abbott	512.50
Town of Alfred, reimburse clerk's salary	184.04
City of Portland	46.55
Helen S. Cropper	400.00
Bernice G. Stimpson	5.00
Alice H. Smith	10.00
Total	\$15,469.89

Fuel

H. Leland Swett	\$ 550.66
Werren's Gas Co.	204.10
Randall & McAllister Co.	1,039.98
Philip Burbank	35.00
Dennis Johnson Lumber Co.	2.00
Total	\$ 1,831.74

Janitor Service

Everett Smith	\$ 2,365.00
Herbert Colby	12.00
Bertha W. Blodgett	80.00

Edna E. Roberts	80.00
Ernest H. Davis	40.00
Walter Bagley	60.00
John E. Weeks	160.00
Total	\$ 2,797.00

Elementary Conveyance

James Milligan	\$ 1,062.50
Frank Folsom	850.00
Austin Carpenter	1,377.50
Lawrence Mansfield	340.00
George Wheeler	380.00
Elizabeth Gould	170.00
John E. Hanscom	170.00
Benj. P. Hamilton	6.50
Arthur L. Orne, Inc.	28.54
J. Millard Hughey	262.41
Frederick G. Pierce	1,050.00
John E. Weeks	1,155.00
Treasurer, State of Maine	3.31
Total	\$ 6,855.76

Secondary Conveyance

Milton L. Daney	\$ 4,325.00
Sanford Tribune & Advocate	13.20
J. Millard Hughey	69.20
Total	\$ 4,407.40

Secondary Tuition

Fryeburg Academy	\$ 288.00
Town of Sanford	7,875.00
Total	\$ 8,163.10

Text Books

Milton Bradley Co.	\$ 5.82
Scott, Foresman & Co.	270.80
Ginn and Co.	19.10
World Book Co.	73.25
American Book Co.	6.89
Allyn and Bacon	19.43
The Arlo Pub. Co.	24.69
Laidlaw Brothers	7.38
The Macmillan Co.	18.60
Random House, Inc.	8.35
Follett Pub. Co.	214.83
Amer. Ed. Press Publications	46.00
Denoyer-Geppert Co.	17.02
Baker Sci. Packets	3.00
The Garrard Press	4.06
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	8.04
The Grolier Society, Inc.	41.95
C. S. Hammond & Co.	17.45
F. A. Owen Pub. Co.	12.50
Field Enterprises, Inc.	86.36
Total	\$ 924.02

Supplies

Loring, Short & Harmon	\$ 217.85
Ed. L. Canter, Inc.	72.49
Thos. B. Tupper	61.29
Thos. B. Tupper	5.00
Treasurer, State of Maine	47.55
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co.	34.99
Cascade Paper Co.	8.20
Lee Owen	8.20
Werren's General Store .....	.79
J. L. Hammett Co.	8.90
Roberts Office Supply Co.	6.55
Maynard E. Wright	16.94
Total	\$ 480.55

Utilities

Saco R. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$ 51.69
Central Maine Power Co.	267.64
Total	\$ 319.33

Superintendence

Maynard E. Wright	\$ 695.62
Total	\$ 695.52

REPAIRS—MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

Appropriation, 1953	\$ 2,500.00
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Expenditures

Deering's Hardware	\$ 6.92
John C. Small	24.79
Fred H. Parent	287.88
Forrest Clark	157.04
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Beaver Wood Prod., Inc.	288.00
M. F. Bragdon Paint Co.	37.45
Total	\$ 2,457.00
Balance, 1954	\$ 43.00
	\$ 2,500.00

WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

County of York, ss.

To Forest Laskey, a Constable of the Town of
Waterboro, in the County of York and
State of Maine

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby commanded to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Waterboro, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday, March 8, 1954, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to accept the reports of the several town officers for the year ending February 1st, 1954.

Article 3. To choose all necessary Town Officers for said town for the year ensuing.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to have a revaluation of the Town by reliable appraisal engineers and to see what sum of money will be appropriated and raised for same.

The Finance Committee recommends that this article ought to pass. That it be voted on by ballot. If it does pass that \$2,500.00 be raised this year and that the Town be bonded to pay the balance and the bond be paid in three equal yearly payments.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to make it compulsory for any person or persons erecting a building at a cost exceeding \$100.00, or moving a building into town, to first obtain a permit from the Selectmen.

The Finance Committee recommends: Ought to pass.

Article 6. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for Roads and Bridges for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$4,000.00.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for winter roads for the year ensuing, or to see if the town will vote to transfer the balance of \$4,023.39 from the 1953-54 Winter Roads account to the Winter Roads Account for 1954-55.

Finance Committee recommends transfer of 1953-54 balance.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for the Support of Charities for the year ensuing, the same being lieu of former appropriations entitled: Support of Poor, and including monies to be paid for Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, etc.

Finance Committee recommends transfer of balance of 1953-54 Charities Account and that \$300.00 be raised.

Article 9. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for incidentals for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$2,000.00.

Article 10. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum of \$1,800.00 to pay Town Officers' Salaries for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,800.00.

Article 11. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for Free High School, Common Schools and Text Books and Supplies for the year ensuing, including Superintendent's Salary.

Finance Committee recommend \$33,000.00.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for Repairs, Improvement and Insurance of School Buildings for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee Recommends \$5,000.00.

Article 13. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for Conveyance of High School Students to Sanford High School for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$4,700.00.

Article 14. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for a Public Health Nurse for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$150.00.

Article 15. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for help in Maintenance of School Lunch Program.

Finance Committee recommends \$600.00.

Article 16. To see if the Town will grant and raise a sum of money to be used in conjunction with Red Cross Funds for the maintenance of a Dental Clinic for school children, and if so, how much.

Finance Committee recommends \$100.00.

Article 17. To see what sum the Town will grant and raise for State Tax for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends to pass over the article.

Article 18. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for County Tax for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends a sum sufficient.

Article 19. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for maintenance of town dump for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$500.00.

Article 20. To see if the Town will grant and raise a sum of money and how much for the Observance of Memorial Day 1954.

Finance Committee recommends \$100.00.

Article 21. To see if the Town will grant and raise a sum of money for the construction of a section of State Aid Road for the year ensuing, and if so, how much.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,200.00.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to add ten street lights on road leading from Waterboro Village to Waterboro Old Corner. By petition of Clinton R. Thompson and 49 others. Also on road 202-4 lower end of Waterboro Village in the direction of Alfred, additional street lights, one to be placed near Carpenter and Smith, one opposite Charles M. Thornton, and one near residence of Ralph A. Owen. By petition of Charles M. Thornton and fifteen others. Also two lights on upper Main Street, one near residence of Carl Johnson and one near school.

Article 23. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for street lights for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,500.00.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to borrow money on the credit of said town to pay current bills in anticipation of taxes for the year ensuing.

Article 25. To see if the Town will grant and raise the sum of money to aid the Waterboro Fire Department for the year ensuing, and if so, how much.

Finance Committee recommends \$3,000.00.

Article 26. To see if the town will grant and raise a sum of money for the benefit of the continuance of the Reforestation Program, and if so, how much.

Article 27. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for Control Measures of Gypsy Moths for the year ensuing.

Finance Committee recommends \$400.00.

Article 28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise to properly maintain the main pond roads in Bradbury Parks, so-called on east side of Ossipee Lake, and in Johnson's Park, so-called, on west side of Ossipee Lake.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,000.00 be taken from 1954 excise tax monies for this.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to pay the Collector of Taxes on a percentage basis at the rate of $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ of all taxes collected on 1954 commitments and car Excise Taxes of the same year.

Finance Committee recommends article ought to pass and a sum sufficient be raised.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest on unpaid taxes on October 1st, 1954. Interest to commence on September 1st, 1954, at the rate of $\frac{1}{2}\%$ per month.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to grant unto the Selectmen authority to convey by quit claim deeds on any Real Estate in said Town to which it has gained title through tax liens or other property of said inhabitants.

Article 33. To see what sum of money the town will grant and raise for resurfacing and tar on Carpenter's Road, so-called, starting at end of State Aid to Austin B. Carpenter's.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,500.00 be taken from 1954 excise tax monies for this.

Article 34. To see what sum of money the Town will grant and raise for gravel to be used in conjunction with Town Road Improvement Funds.

Finance Committee recommends \$300.00 be taken from 1954 excise tax monies for this.

Article 35. To see if the Town will grant and raise a sum of money to retar Pearl Street, May Street, and from 202 to Thomas Whitten's in Waterboro Village, and from Route 5 to Louis C. Colby's, Ossipee Hill Road, Waterboro Center.

Finance Committee recommends \$1,200.00 be taken from 1954 excise tax monies for this.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to resurface and tar the following roads: From Route 5 to L. Donald Ford's from Route 202 to Frank H. Bean's and Lawrence P. Wood's, and from Louis C. Colby's to Gilbert B. Thompson's, the same to be taken from the Town Road Improvement Funds.

Finance Committee recommends ought to pass.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to gravel, improve for travel and install a culvert on that portion of the road in the Happy Valley Section, so-called, leading northwesterly from the residence now of Richard Carpenter to the residence now of Blanche Carpenter Brewster, being a distance of approximately two-thirds (2/3) of a mile, and raise, grant and appropriate a sufficient sum of money therefore.

Finance Committee recommends a sufficient amount be taken from Roads and Bridges Account for this.

Article 38. To see if the Town will grant and raise a sum of money for the repair of the town highway leading from Middle Road, near Red School House, so-called, to Ross Corner, and if so, how much.

On petition of Leo Thyng and thirty-five others.

Article 39. To transact any other business that may lawfully come before said meeting.

Finance Committee recommends that \$200.00 be taken from 1954 excise tax monies for Civil Defense and that \$50.00 be taken from 1954 excise tax monies for the Maine Publicity Bureau.

The Selectmen hereby give public notice that for the purpose of correcting the check list of voters, they will be in session at the Town House, in said Town, on the 3rd day of March, 1954, from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock P. M., and from 7 o'clock to 9 o'clock P. M.

The Selectmen give further notice that the polls for the election of Town Officers under Article 3 of this Warrant will be opened fifteen minutes after the completion of business under all other Articles in the Warrant, and remain open until 7 o'clock of that day.

WITNESS: Our hands at said WATERBORO, MAINE, this eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1954.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK E. CLARK,
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EARLE T. BLODGETT,
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