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Annual Report

OF THE

Municipal Officers

OF THE

Town of Guilford,

FOR THE

Year ending March 9, 1901.

GUILFORD:
GUILFORD CITIZEN PRINT.
1901.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN.

APPROPRIATIONS MARCH 26, 1900.

Support of schools....	\$2,000 00
Insurance and repairs.....	500 00
Purchase of school book.....	400 00
Supplies and appliances.....	250 00
Support of free high school..	900 00
Support of poor and other town charges . . .	2,000 00
Outstanding debts and interest.....	500 00
Support of roads and bridges.....	2,000 00
New school building at North Guilford.....	1,100 00
Memorial day exercises.....	25 00
Printing town reports.....	20 00
Fire purposes and electric lights.....	300 00
Enforcing prohibitory law.....	25 00
Water pipe and laying the same.....	1,000 00
	\$11,020 00
State tax.....	\$1,621 62
Overlay.....	268 73 ✓
Undivided fraction... .	91
	\$1,891 26
 Total assessment.....	 \$12,911 26

VALUATION OF PROPERTY, APRIL 1, 1900.

Resident real estate.....	\$872,045 00
Non-resident real estate.....	27,835 00
Resident personal estate.....	117,165 00
Non-resident personal estate	555 00
	\$517,660 00
Total valuation.....	
Number of polls, 421.	
Rate of polls, \$8.00.	
Rate per cent, .0225.	
Town tax.....	\$11,020 00
State tax.....	1,621 62
Overlay.. .	268 73
Undivided fraction.....	91
	\$12,911 26
 Total assessment.....	 \$12,911 26

COMMON SCHOOLS

Appropriated for common schools.....	\$2,000 00	
Received from bank and mill tax.....	1,095 04	
Received from common school tuition.....	36 30	
Received for tuition due last year.....	38 45	
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Overdrawn.....		\$3,169 79
		69 56
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		\$3,239 35

AMOUNT EXPENDED.

For instruction.....	\$2,495 50	
For janitoring.....	326 41	
For conveying pupils for 1900.....	68 00	
For conveying pupils for 1899.....	20 00	
For fuel	329 44	
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		\$3,239 35

TEXT BOOKS.

Appropriated for text books.....	\$400 00	
Received from sale of books.....	3 20	
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Overdrawn.....		\$403 20
		4 87
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		\$408 07
Expended for text books.....	\$319 34	
Expended for text books, bills contracted '97-98	88 73	
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		\$408 07

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE.

Amount appropriated for repairs and insurance		\$500 00
Amount expended for repairs, insurance and cleaning.....	\$355 33	
Unexpended.....	144 67	
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		\$500 00

SUPPLIES AND APPLIANCES.

Amount appropriated.....	\$250 00	
Donation.....	12 00	
Sale of goods.....	35	
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Overdrawn.....		\$262 35
		1 54
		<hr/>
Amount expended.....		\$263 89

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

Amount appropriated.....	\$900 00	
Received from State.....	250 00	

Received for tuition due last year.....	37 70	
Received for tuition, 1900.....	132 82	
		<u>\$1,320 52</u>
Expended for instruction.....	1,190 01	
Expended for fuel.....	118 96	
		<u>\$1,308 97</u>
Unexpended.....		11 55
		<u>\$1,320 52</u>

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE AT NORTH GUILFORD.

Amount appropriated.....	\$1,100 00	
Received for sale of old school house.....	15 00	
Rent of school house.....	12 00	
		<u>\$1,127 00</u>
Overdrawn.....		146 13
		<u>\$1,273 13</u>
Amount expended.....		\$1,273 13

ROAD DEPARTMENT.

Amount appropriated.....	\$2,000 00	
Received for gravel and concrete.....	102 22	
		<u>\$2,102 22</u>
Overdrawn.....		247 68
		<u>\$2,349 90</u>
Expended winter and spring, 1899-00.....	\$167 01	
Expended in summer.....	1,290 13	
Expended in winter, 1900-01.....	892 76	
		<u>\$2,349 90</u>
Total amount expended.....		\$2,349 90

WATER PIPE.

App'd for laying water pipe for fire purposes		\$1,000 00
B. & A. R. R., freight on water pipe ...	\$72 80	
W. A. Warren, labor.....	5 17	
Walworth Mfg. Co., water pipe.....	484 93	
Mark Wentworth, foreman, laying pipe.....	24 30	
S. D. Rice, labor and team.....	57 80	
R. Cooley, ".....	20 25	
E. T. Higgins ".....	3 22	
Geo. Clark, ".....	12 00	
Wm. H. Macomber, labor.....	15 00	
David Walsh, labor.....	4 97	
Michael Dolan.....	4 97	

Erastus Hussey, boarding men	7 00	
Ivory Littlefield, labor	8 25	
Herbert Trask, "	15 37	
J. L. Hescock, "	14 62	
John Zande, "	13 12	
E. R. Merrill, "	6 00	
L. W. Robbins, "	1 05	
S. B. Drew, "	40	
Chas. Small, "	7 00	
P. H. Knowlton, sawdust	1 75	
N. H. Smith, labor	1 50	
Walworth Mfg. Co., jute yarn	1 30	
Guilford Mfg. Co, plank	70	
Page, Spearing Co., lead	32 25	
Plummer Chadbourne, hydrant house	2 50	
H. Douglass & Co., express and supplies	3 70	
D. Cimpher, leather for hydrant	25	
Total	\$822 17	
Unexpended	177 83	
		\$1,000 00

FIRE PURPOSES AND ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Amount appropriated	\$300 00	
Overdrawn	5 50	
		\$305 50
Piscataquis Woolen Co., for electric lights	\$133 68	
Town of Sangerville, lighting Sangerville bridge	4 32	
Piscataquis Woolen Co., water power and hose	150 00	
Page, Spearing & Co, damage to pails at fire	4 25	
Sarah Bennett, storing hose cart	12 00	
Mrs. M. L. Holmes, trucking to fire	1 25	
Total amount expended		\$305 50
Appropriated for Memorial day	\$25 00	
Paid to C. N. Rand, chairman		\$25 00
Appropriated for printing town reports of 1900	\$20 00	
Paid R. C. Tobey		\$20 00

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Mrs Geo. Spearing, acct. of Dolly Robinson		\$104 00
Dr. C. C. Hall, " " Mrs. Ada Bartlett	\$10 00	
Dr. Q. A. Bridges, " " " "	27 95	
T. J. Chase, " " " "	32 00	
D. Cimpher, " " " "	1 10	
		71 05

Wm. Lombard, acct. of Nelson Freize	\$5 00	
Mrs. O. T. Eldridge, " " " "	3 24	
Harry Richards, " " " "	16 25	
Mrs. Judith McPheters, acct. of Nelson Freize..	10 00	
Dr. W. A. Purrington, " " " " ..	16 00	
E. W. Genthner, " " " " ..	75	
		51 24
Jennie Gavin acct. of W. H. Macomber family	\$2 00	
Mrs. I. J. Sturdevant, " " " "	7 25	
J. A. Rand, " " " "	1 95	
Dr. Q. A. Bridges, " " " "	14 00	
H. Douglass & Co, " " " "	90 35	
M. & J. Hudson. " " " "	65 58	
		181 13
A. J. Chenery, acct. of M. F. Wharff... ..	\$459 00	
Dr. Q. A. Bridges, " " " " ..	25 00	
		484 00
		\$891 42
Amount of resident pauper bills.		
Willard Littlefield, tramp bill.....	\$1 00	
S. B. Drew, " "	5 00	
Horace Stewart, " "	3 00	
E. O. Stoddard, " "	2 25	
		\$11 25

SUPPORT OF POOR OF OTHER TOWNS.

STATE.

Dr. R. H. Marsh, account Stephen Lovell... .	\$2 00	
H. Douglass & Co., account Stephen Lovell...	3 94	
		\$5 94

HARPSWELL.

W. A. Purrington, account McKiney family...	\$1 50	\$1 50
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CORINNA.

R. H. Marsh, account Mullen family.....	\$9 00	
M. & J. Hudson, account, Mullen family.....	5 89	
		\$14 89

Total non-resident pauper bills.....		\$22 33
Received from town of Corinna	\$13 41	
Received from A. Mullen.....	1 48	
Received from State, account, Stephen Lovell.	5 94	
Received from town of Harpswell.....	1 50	
		\$22 83

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

C. W. Ellis, selectman.....	\$100 00
E. O. Stoddard, selectman	75 00
C. C. Dunham, selectman, resigned... ..	15 00
F. O. Martin, selectman.....	15 00
H. W. Davis, treasurer.....	60 00
C. S. Bennett, town clerk.	10 50
S. F. Rice, road commissioner.....	100 00
L. H. Whittier, superintendent of schools.....	150 00
F. M. Briggs, truant officer.....	4 00
Q. A. Bridges, M. D., sec. Board of health.....	10 00
F. M. Briggs, board of health	5 00
J. C. Butterfield, M. D., Board of Health.	5 00
F. T. Leavitt, constable.....	5 00
H. Hudson, town agent.....	5 00
H. Douglass, auditor, 1899-00.....	3 00
E. G. Stoddard, moderator, 1900.....	2 00

 \$564 50

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Loring, Short & Harmon, blank books.....	\$8 25
R. C. Tobey printing dog notices.....	2 00
S. B. Drew, night watchman, July 4, 1899.....	2 00
I. J. Sturdevant, horse injured on road.....	25 00
Town of Sangerville, wiring Sangerville bridge	21 39
Town of Sangerville, use of fumigator.....	2 00
M. S. Fogg, watchman at Hatch fire.....	1 50
Chas Dodge, " " " "	1 50
Chas. Withee, " " " "	1 50
Thos. Butler, " " " "	1 50
M. S. Fogg, night watch, when elec. lights were off.....	1 50
Chas. Higgins, night watch when electric lights were off.....	1 50
J. F. Bartlett, night watch, when electric lights were off.....	1 50
Shepherd Clark, nightwatch, when electric lights were off.	1 50
J. C. Butterfield, M. D., reporting 2 births and 7 deaths.....	2 25
Q. A. Bridges, M. D, reporting 10 births and 3 deaths.....	3 25
R. H. Marsh, M. D., reporting 8 births and 7 deaths	3 75

S. C. Bennett, recording 28 births, 28 deaths, 15 marriages	12 15	
Q. A. Bridges, M. D., disinfecting house.....	5 00	
S. C. Bennett, express and postage.....	2 17	
E. W. Genthner, stationery and disinfectants ...	3 00	
C. W. Ellis, expense to Bangor, account pauper case	2 75	
C. W. Ellis, postage, stationery, etc	3 25	
John Scales, office rent and fuel.....	8 00	
Wm. G. Thompson, posting six warrants.....	8 00	
Wm. G. Thompson, for collection of taxes.....	258 22	
Wm. G. Thompson, abatements 1900	75 73	
C. P. Turner, ballot clerk.....	4 00	
John Houston, " "	4 00	
James Hudson, " "	4 00	
E. W. Genthner, " "	4 00	
		<u>\$476 16</u>

SUMMARY OF POOR AND OTHER TOWN CHARGES.

Amount appropriated.....	\$2,000 00	
Received from State and towns.....	22 33	
		<u>\$2,022 33</u>
Total.....		\$2,022 33
EXPENDED FOR SUPPORT OF POOR:		
Resident pauper bills.....	\$891 42	
Non-resident pauper bills.....	22 33	
Tramp bills	11 25	
		<u>\$925 00</u>
Total.....		\$925 00
Town officer's bills.....	\$564 50	
Miscellaneous bills.....	476 16	
Members of fire company.....	42 00	
		<u>1,882 66</u>
Total.....		\$2,007 66
Unexpended..		14 67
		<u>\$2,022 33</u>

OUTSTANDING DEBTS AND INTEREST.

Amount appropriated.....		\$500 00
Paid on interest.....	207 05	
Unexpended	292 95	
		<u>\$500 00</u>

DUE ON INTEREST BEARING ORDERS

Order No.		Prin.	Interest due to April 1, 1901
3, 1899		\$300 00	\$10 50
" "	5, "	250 00	8 75
" "	7, "	150 00	5 25
" "	11, "	1,550 00	52 50
" "	12, "	150 00	5 25
" "	13, "	100 00	3 50
" "	16, "	200 00	7 00
" "	17, "	500 00	35 00
" "	19, "	300 00	10 50
" "	21, "	200 00	14 00
" "	23, "	820 00	28 70
" "	25, "	850 00	29 75
" "	34, "	300 00	21 00
" "	105, 1900	400 00	9 33
" "	106, "	400 00	9 33

	\$6,420 00	\$250 36
Due on principal.....	\$6,420 00	
Due on interest.....	250 36	
		\$6,670 36

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

Support of common schools.....	\$3,239 35
Text books.....	408 07
Repairs and insurance.....	355 33
Supplies and appliances.....	263 89
Free high school.....	1,308 97
New school house at North Guilford.....	1,273 13
Roads and bridges.....	2,247 68
Fire and electric lights.....	305 50
Memorial day exercises.....	25 00
Printing town reports.....	20 00
Interest.....	207 05
Laying water pipe.....	822 17
Poor and other town charges.....	2,007 66
Total.....	\$12,483 80

RESOURCES.

W. H. Macomber, farm.....	\$350 00
Land bought of Mrs. Bray.....	300 00
Cash on hand.....	993 33
Due for tuition.....	67 95
	\$1,711 28

LIABILITIES.

Due on interest bearing orders.....	\$6,420 00	
Due for interest on interest bearing orders.....	250 36	
Due on non-interest bearing orders.....	86 18	
		\$6,756 54

Respectfully submitted, March 9, 1901,

SELECTMEN OF GUILFORD.

 AUDITOR'S REPORT.

This is to certify that we have examined the books of the Selectmen and account of the Treasurer for the year 1900, and the statement of the selectmen of the financial standing of said town at this date and find the same correct.

DAVID R. STRAW, }
 HENRY DOUGLASS, } Auditors.

Guilford, Me., March 9, 1901.

 ROAD COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

TO WHOM PAID:	
Will Robinson.....	4 00
J. W. Littlefield.....	37 62
H. Douglass & Co.....	20 22
Geo. W. Edes.....	14 70
S. P. Howard.....	11 10
Jack Zande.....	6 45
Geo. L. Woodbury.....	14 10
Fred H. Draper.....	6 53
S. S. Robbins.....	4 37
S. E. Evans.....	1 05
John S. Robinson.....	2 60
Frank Rooney.....	5 02
Herbert Trask.....	11 02
Lewis Robbins.....	107 80
Wallace Gilman.....	1 50
Percy Martin.....	3 00
Chas. H. McGrath.....	4 05

J. E. Herring.....	10 87
W. H. Applebee.....	15 22
M. & J. Hudson.....	68
Lysander Stevens.....	4 20
Llewellyn Cole.....	1 72
J. T. Ellis.....	2 00
A. M. Titcomb.....	5 05
L. B. Conner.....	17 10
T. F. Rose.....	2 10
Walter Ducet.....	3 75
John Robbins.....	3 60
A. R. Hussey.....	23 10
C. R. Small.....	9 62
F. R. Strout.....	3 60
Eleazer Farrar.....	1 50
C. C. Merrill.....	20 07
John Zande.....	1 50
Bangor Gas Light Co.....	86 96
Hussey, Goldthwaite & Hudson.....	17 68
F. A. Crockett.....	3 50
E. B. Richards.....	75
Jason Bragdon.....	4 50
T. B. Snow.....	2 25
Byron Clements.....	2 00
W. E. Wise.....	78
Dennis J. Brawn.....	41 75
E. E. Fairbrother.....	32 90
A. J. Chenery.....	75
A. B. Edes.....	3 83
Amos Delano.....	3 00
G. W. Morgan.....	3 00
Geo. Maxfield.....	13 89
W. M. Herring.....	1 95
R. L. Harlow.....	3 12
Albert Harlow.....	1 00
Porter Bunker.....	3 30
J. F. McKenney.....	4 57
J. W. Sturtevant.....	16 68
J. H. Deering.....	19 92
F. H. Bean.....	8 62
S. R. Crafts.....	2 45
N. H. Smith.....	30 37
H. Splann.....	2 00
A. E. Hatch.....	80

G. A. McKusick.....	30 00
Ralph Burgess.....	12 00
John Wiles.....	25 00
F. M. Briggs.....	1 00
Oscar Lander.....	57 00
C. A. Calusha.....	46 00
G. W. Sanford.....	1 60
Herbert Harrington.....	16 88
Geo. D. Clark.....	1 50
P. H. Knowlton.....	9 02
Forest Bearce.....	2 40
Wm. M. Beal.....	28 02
Chas. F. Cole.....	1 05
Chas. Witthee.....	4 70
A. Adams.....	5 77
E. Watson.....	10 15
S. B. Drew.....	72 60
H. W. Herring.....	15 85
Peter Perrin.....	2 25
Ernest Ham.....	1 50
James Merrill.....	1 50
E. W. Southards.....	1 95
C. Watson.....	15 65
C. W. Ellis & Co.....	47 78
M. S. Davis.....	6 30
E. W. Davis.....	25 82
Charles Murch.....	8 85
P. B. Beal.....	1 00
C. A. Sanborn.....	16 45
John Scales.....	13 75
F. E. Bennett.....	2 40
E. H. Howard.....	10 65
E. S. Hammond.....	7 65
M. P. Robinson.....	6 05
J. M. Herring.....	1 57
Page, Spearing & Co.....	9 84
E. S. Wharff.....	30 35
H. L. Crafts.....	26 26
T. J. Chase.....	26 15
W. A. Titbomb.....	21 00
Archie Mullen.....	2 60
R. A. Diffin.....	24 15
Hasting Brown heirs.....	30 50
F. W. Herring.....	24 22

F. W. Tyler..	21 75
S. P. Farrar.....	1 35
L. W. Colson.....	5 20
A. S. Brawn.....	14 75
Chas. F. Wharff	38 22
Andrew Lyon.....	97
L. L. Herring...	15 00
C. H. Herring.....	2 17
John H. Weymouth.....	2 62
John Briggs.....	37 59
David Briggs.....	10 93
Frank Foss.....	6 95
T. J. Brawn.....	9 30
A. F. Wharff.....	5 77
L. D. Bennett.....	6 06
M. C. Maxfield.....	23 25
Ivory Littlefield.....	2 30
W. A. Bennett.	10 15
S. E. Bennett....	1 40
B. & A Ry. Co., freight.....	16 45
B. & A. Ry. Co., 20 cars gravel.....	40 00
S. D. Rice...	224 48
W. H. Macomber.....	9 07
H B. Chase.....	18 00
G. M. Straw.....	51 10
Ed Grant....	53 70
N. B. Merrill.	36 97
R. Cooley.....	51 75
J. L. Hescock.....	84 00
E. P. Merrill.....	82 65
Plummer Chadbourne.....	6 00

 \$2,289 17

Unpaid bills of 1899 and spring of 1900.....	
Expended in summer.....	\$1,290 13
Less rec'd for concrete, granite etc. as follows:	
Q. A. Bridges, M. D.....	\$5 37
F. M. Briggs.....	40
Mrs. Webber.....	25
Mrs. S. N. Stevens.....	9 50
Dr. J. C. Butterfield.....	3 00
M. L. Hussey.....	24 00
E. B. Packard.....	60
Henry Douglas.....	8 90
Walter G. Witham.....	1 60

\$106 27

M. E. parsonage.....	12 00		
D. Cimpher.....	4 20		
E. O. Stoddard.....	4 20		
W. E. Gilman.....	2 00		
J. S. Williams.....	18 40		
D. R. Straw.....	2 80		
Henry Merrill.....	1 00		
E. H. Page.....	4 00		
		102 22	1,187 91
Bills of winter of 1900 and 1901 including snow fence on Maxfield road.....			892 76
			<u>\$2,186 95</u>
Appropriation.....			2,000 00
			<u>\$186 95</u>
Overdrawn.....			

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

INHABITANTS OF GUILFORD, MAINE, IN ACCOUNT WITH HARRY W.
DAVIS, TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 9, 1901.

DR.

To cash paid State Treasurer for 1900 tax.....	\$1,621 62	
State Treasurer for dog licences, '99	2 00	
State Treasurer for dog licence-, '00	50 00	
State pensions.....	132 00	
Selectmen's orders drawn since March 17 1900.....	12,499 64	
Cash on hand to balance.....	993 33	
		<u>\$15,298 59</u>

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By amount in treasury from last year.....	\$185 76	
Cash received from Wm. G. Thompson, collector for 1899 to correct an error in commitment for last year.....	6 06	
Amt rec'd from State Treas refunded as town's proportion of dog tax for 1899....	56 29	
Amt rec'd from State Treas. for act. State pauper	10 99	
" " " " " " free high school	250 00	
" " " " " " State pensions..	132 00	
" " " " " " R. R & Tel. tax	1 23	
" " " " " " school fund and		

mill tax.....	1,095 04
Amt. rec'd from town clerk, act. dog licences..	50 00
Amt. rec'd from school board for sale of old school building at North Guilford.....	15 00
Amt. rec'd from school board for rent of school house in A. B. Edes' district.....	12 00
Amt. rec'd from school board for boards sold...	1 50
Amt. rec'd from Bangor & Aroostook R. R., for rebate, freight.....	7 00
Amt. rec'd from town of Sangerville, expense of funeral, etc., Wm. Preble.....	34 50
Amt. rec'd selectmen for acct Mullen family...	14 90
Amt. rec'd from Supt. of schools for sale of books and tuition rec'd from non-res. scholars..	260 70
Amt. rec'd from town of Harpswell account T. McKenney.....	1 50
Amt. rec'd from road commissioner for concrete and gravel sold.....	102 22
Amt. rec'd from C. F. Cole for use of gravel pit	2 00
Amt. rec'd from W. P. Appleyard for property sold for taxes.....	128 35
Amt. rec'd from W. P. Appleyard for interest and expenses.....	20 21
Amt. rec'd from Wm G. Thompson, collector for tax commitment for 1900.....	12,911 26
	<u>\$15,298 59</u>

HARRY W. DAVIS, Treasurer

March 9, 1901.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Received on tuition of last year and not included in this year's appropriations as follows:

COMMON SCHOOLS.	
E. S. McKusick.....	\$4 00
C. H. Loring.....	8 00
M. Tyler.....	4 00
Ansel Whitney.....	8 70
Freeman (rockett).....	4 75
E. Rollins.....	5 00
Samuel Adams.....	4 00
	<u>\$38 45</u>

HIGH SCHOOL:

A. Buzzell.....	\$4 80
J. H. Loring.....	18 90
J. S. McKusick.....	9 20
Samuel Adams.....	4 80

 \$37 70

Yet due on last year's tuition from:

E. Rollins.....	\$6 40
Mrs. W. D. Crockett.....	6 25

PAID FOR INSTRUCTION.

Elmie J. Briggs, 16 weeks.....	\$165 00
Annie E. Rowe, 11 weeks.....	110 00
Estelle A. Bearce, 30 weeks.....	300 00
Minnie E. Ross, 30 weeks.....	300 00
Lillian J. Smith, 30 weeks.....	300 00
Orpha N. Lowell, 19 weeks.....	190 00
W. H. Sturdevant, 5 weeks.....	60 00
Edith N. Weaver, 9 weeks.....	90 00
Mae E. McCausland, 21 weeks.....	147 00
Annete Cimpher, 30 weeks.....	195 00
Winifred Pearson, 21 weeks.....	136 50
Bertha Small, 30 weeks.....	195 00
Lois R. Peakes, 11 weeks..	75 00
Mary R. Norris, 19 weeks.....	123 50
Charlotte W. Flint, 7 weeks.....	45 50
Sanger Knowlton, 9 weeks.....	63 00

 \$2,495 50

JANITORING.

L. H. Whittier.....	\$285 00
Evelina McKennie.....	5 25
Elwin Colson.....	2 75
Gracie Bunker.....	5 25
Lawrence Rogers.....	7 63
Vernon Titcomb.....	88
Linwood Colson.....	2 50
Ruel Brown.....	3 15
Jack Zande.....	2 45
Merle Harlow.....	8 40
John Murch.....	3 15

 \$326 41

CONVEYANCE OF PUPILS

Mary Howard.....	\$36 00	
E. H. Howard	22 00	
Vesta Prescott.....	5 00	
George Maxfield.....	5 00	
		<hr/> \$68 00

FUEL.

John Scales.....	\$84 32	
Ezra Merrill.....	9 00	
Elwin Colson	2 25	
H. L. Craft.....	14 00	
Fred Burgess.....	21 50	
Dan Whittier.	3 00	
John Robbins.....	14 00	
R. L. Harlow.....	4 67	
G. B. Woodcock.....	4 50	
Ruel Brown.....	50	
E. B. Richards.....	5 55	
F. M. Briggs.....	123 25	
J. H. Deering.....	70	
Charles Sanborn.....	40 00	
L. H. Whittier.....	2 20	
		<hr/> \$529 44
Total expenditure.....		<hr/> \$3,219 54

Amount raised by town.....	\$2,000 00
Received from bank and mill tax.....	1,095 04
From tuition:	
Freeman Crockett.....	4 75
Town of Abbot.....	7 50
Eugene Tewksbury.....	5 70
Genie Currier.....	7 95
C. W. Brawn.....	4 40
Bernice Whitney.....	3 00
Lewis Tripp	3 00
Tuition due:	
Lewis Tripp.....	2 70
Mrs. W. D. Crockett.....	3 00

Total appropriation.....	<hr/> \$3,157 44
Overdrawn.....	<hr/> \$63 10

TEXT BOOKS.

A. Flanigan.....	\$4 40	
Educational Publishing Co.....	1 67	
Max Millan Co.	8 75	
American Book Co.....	60 12	
D. C. Heath & Co	32 17	
Ginn & Co.....	115 58	
E. W. Genthner.....	66 26	
Prang Educational Co.....	11 52	
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.....	3 15	
D. Appleton & Co.....	4 32	
L. H. Whittier.....	11 40	
	<hr/>	\$319 34
Appropriation.....	\$400 00	
Sale of books.....	3 20	
	<hr/>	\$403 20
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Unexpended.....		\$83 86

SUPPLIES, APPLIANCES, ETC.

J. L. Hammett Co.....	\$147 95	
Howard & Brown	5 25	
Isaac Walker.....	3 00	
E. C. Farrington... ..	12 00	
Llewellyn Barton.....	8 25	
Page, Spearing & Co	3 23	
Harry Cimpher.	50	
Scales, Cimpher & Co.....	6 50	
Fred Leavitt.....	11 65	
Henry Hudson.....	10 00	
C. N. Rand.....	15 00	
H. Douglass & Co.....	16 53	
L. H. Whittier.....	9 68	
E. W. Genthner.....	14 35	
	<hr/>	\$263 89
Appropriation.....	250 00	
Donation	12 00	
Sale of goods	35	
	<hr/>	\$262 35
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Overdrawn		\$1 54

INSURANCE, REPAIRS AND CLEANING SCHOOL HOUSES.

Guilford Mfg. Co.....	21 60	
Nellie McKennie.....	2 00	
Mrs Levi Herring ..	2 00	
Fattie McKennie.....	4 00	
Bernice Herring.....	1 00	
Ada Sawtelle.....	3 37	
Ida Clark.....	3 12	
Delia Small.....	4 12	
Lettie M. Hibbard.....	4 50	
Jennie M. Palmer.....	5 75	
Mary A. Page.....	4 12	
Don Whittier.....	7 00	
Mrs. R. L. Harlow....	4 00	
Mary R. Norris.....	1 75	
Charles Bridges.....	2 00	
Straw & Martin.....	228 20	
Page, Spearing & Co...	27 95	
Joseph Hescocck.....	75	
Selden Rice	1 50	
Andrew Lyon.....	1 00	
John Scales.....	12 23	
H. Douglass & Co.....	3 37	
L. H. Whittier.....	8 00	
Geo. S. McKusick.....	2 00	
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		\$355 33
Appropriation		\$500 00
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Unexpended.....		\$144 67

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

PAID FOR INSTRUCTION.

G. W. Snow.....	\$692 01	
L. M. Clary.....	373 00	
A. M. Blackburn.....	125 00	
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		\$1,190 00

FUEL.

H. Douglass & Co....	\$138 86	\$118 96
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Total expenditure.....		\$1,308 97

APPROPRIATIONS.

Town.....	\$900 00
State.....	250 00

TUITION RECEIVED.

Frank Loring.. .. .	\$14 00	
Eve Loring.....	14 00	
Sabel Hescoc.....	14 00	
Elizabeth Blanchard.....	14 00	
Larry Warren.....	9 20	
Alba Weaver.....	9 20	
Bernice Whitney.....	9 20	
Clare McKusick.....	4 80	
Mellicent Flynt.....	9 20	
Mara Delano.....	9 20	
Samuel Adams.....	1 20	
J. A. Buzzell.....	9 20	
		132 80

TUITIONS DUE.

Silas Bates.....	\$4 80	
Mrs. Tripp.....	4 80	
Bewell Curtis.....	4 80	
E. Rollins.....	14 00	
M. Tyler.....	9 20	
Frank Weymouth.....	14 00	
		51 60

Total appropriation.....	\$1,334 40
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Unexpended.....	\$25 43
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NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

J. Bragdon.....	\$21 85
Fred Draper.....	27 70
T. R. Strout.....	37 80
Charles W. Grant.....	8 15
Guilford Mfg. Co.....	136 28
C. W. Mitchell.....	3 00
Alvin Foss.....	7 50
C. F. Cole.....	81
W. D. Rogers.....	4 82
F. A. Crockett.....	33 60
S. J. Hale.. .. .	78 00
Andrew Lyon.....	73 07
W. A. Race.....	22 91
F. W. Kenniston.....	20 69
W. E. Wise.....	256 74
W. E. Jackson.....	23 75

C. W. Ellis & Co.	240 28
C. McGrath.....	1 25
Hussey, G. & H.....	41 30
C. F. Scales.....	3 00
John Scales.....	52 14
H. Douglass & Co	79 88
F. M. Briggs.....	2 00
J. L. Hammett Co.....	69 14
L. H. Whittier.....	2 30
Page, Spearing & Co.....	16 22
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Total expenditure.....	\$1,273 13
Appropriation.....	\$1,100 00
Received for old building	15 00
Received for rent of schoolhouse.....	12 00
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Total appropriation.....	\$1,127 00
Overdrawn	146 13

SUMMARY.

Total appropriations for school purposes.....	\$6,763 99
Total expenditures for school purposes.....	6,639 92

Unexpended..... \$24 07

The committee would report that the new school house is completed and was ready for occupancy at the commencement of the fall term and that the grounds have been nicely graded, making it one of the most attractive and convenient buildings in this part of the state. It will need another coat of paint this year.

On account of the expense of this building exceeding the appropriation, the repairs on the other buildings have been very light. To place our buildings in proper condition the house in the Brown district should be underpinned, new blackboards, woodwork, inside painted, and plaster kalsomined; also new seats.

The house in Grover district should also be painted inside, and new seats. We think that with the same appropriation of last year these houses can be put in first class condition.

We would also call the attention of the citizens of this town to the primary school building in the village. It is well known that with the present arrangement there is no way to heat the hall between the two rooms where all the little ones wraps have to be kept, and the outhouse is simply a blot on the fair name of the town. There should be some remedy for these things but your committee have as yet been unable to decide as to what can be done with the least expense. We would recommend that some instructions be given the school

ard or a special committee be appointed to investigate this matter and report at some future time.

We recommend the following appropriations for the ensuing year:

For free high school	\$900 00
For common schools	2,000 00
Repairs and insurance	500 00
Text books	400 00
Supplies and appliances	250 00

DAVID PEARSON,	} School Committee.
JOHN SCALES,	
RALPH H. MARSH,	

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We have entered upon a new century, and it is but right for us to take a retrospective glance at the past and note the wonderful changes that have taken place in the last century. We are amazed when we behold the progress that has been made in our own country, yet as we stand upon the threshold of this twentieth century we behold before us prospects of nobler and grander achievements than have been made in the past, and not the least among them, the intellectual development of the coming generations.

New methods of instruction are constantly being placed before the people. New and improved text books are being crowded upon the public and it tests the ability of the school officers and teachers to select the best and those most adapted to the schools under their management.

Last year, or in '99 I made no radical changes but contented myself with watching the working of the schools under the then existing system. I found in the rural schools chaos and confusion ruled. It seemed that the grand end to be attained was to see how many text books could be gone over (not through) with but little reference to the knowledge to be obtained from them: many of the pupils having a class entirely to themselves, thereby making the number of daily recitations innumerable, and with the result that when they came to our High School we found them deficient in many instances and were obliged to put them into the Grammar school for year's drill making it more expensive to the parents. (This was no worse than in the surrounding towns.)

Upon my re-election last spring I set myself about what seemed to be the Herculean task of surmounting these difficulties.

It has seemed to be a foregone conclusion in most towns, ours among the rest, that it was impossible to introduce a course of study into the outlying schools with any degree of success; but after mature deliberation, consultation and correspondence, I found it had succeeded in many instances, and I thought if others had succeeded why not we? I therefore had our course of study revised and printed in sufficient numbers to supply every person in town.

I then set about classifying the school, and in doing so I was able to dispense with a great number of classes thereby giving much more time to each, and allow me to say right here, that in all cases where the teacher has understood her business as she should, it has proved a success far beyond my most sanguine expectations.

I would not by any means have you think that we have got this system perfected. One of the best Superintendents in the state said it took them seven years to get it completed, but if it is carried out in the future, it will give the pupils in all the outlying schools a thorough, practical, every day education; and when they have completed their course they will be prepared to enter any of our High schools.

In relation to our schools, as I said last year, I shall make no special report on individual qualifications, successes or failures, of the different teachers. They are known. In my opinion the schools in general have been a grand success. There has been more interest manifested both among parents and pupils than I have ever known in all the years in which I have been connected with the school work in our town. In the course of the spring term an epidemic of measles spread through every school in town, four schools had to be closed for two weeks, and also it reduced the average attendance.

At the close of the spring term Miss Rowe left us for a more lucrative position and Miss Lowell was put in her place.

At the middle of the fall term Miss Briggs' health failed and after a week's vacation we were fortunate enough to secure the services of W. H. Sturdevant to finish the term. Miss Weaver was then engaged for the winter and spring terms. After two weeks of the winter term of the High school the principal, Mr. Snow, was taken sick and again we were fortunate in securing Mr. Blackburn to supply until he recovered. Notwithstanding all these breaks the work has gone grandly on.

I have found it impossible to secure first class normal school graduates in all cases at the pay we are offering and therefore have done what I thought to be the next best. I employed some of our High school graduates making it obligatory for them to spend several weeks in the different departments of our village schools, observing and copying the best methods of teaching. A prominent educator said of our village system, it came nearer a training school than any he knew of.

I must say a word for the School Improvement League of Maine. The object of which is to beautify and adorn the school buildings and grounds, furnish libraries, and in fact, to make the school building a literary and art centre of the neighborhood. It has come to town to stay. One year ago last fall the first one was organized at North Milford; during the past year there has been one organized at the town district, with the name of Benjamin Franklin; one at Lows with the name of Henry W. Longfellow; at the village 2d Grammar school with the name James Otis; at the Grover district owing to the fact that the scholars were nearly all young they have not organized one, but have made the request that their school be called John G. Hittier. These schools have raised for the above purpose more than one hundred dollars the past year. Flags have been placed over every school building in town except the buildings at the Village.

I would ask parents and others to join these leagues as all are eligible to membership

It was the intention to have three twelve-weeks terms of High school during the year, but owing to the illness of the principal, we were obliged to only have thirty-five, one less. The other common schools have had thirty weeks each, with the exception of the Grover school which on account of an accident to the teacher only had twenty-eight.

There have been sixteen from other towns attending the High school the past year. The whole number of scholars in town on April 1, 1900, between the age of four and twenty-one, was 433.

I submit below table giving name of teachers, length of term, whole number in attendance and average as far as I was able to obtain them some of the teachers being away on vacation and having no registers in their possession.

SCHOOLS.

	NUMBER OF WEEKS.	WHOLE NO.	AVERAGE
SPRING TERM.			
Elmie J. Briggs.....	11	32	27
Mrs. May McCausland.....	11	14	10
Annie E. Rowe.....	11	29	26
Estella Bearce.....	11		..
Minnie E. Ross.....	11		..
Lillian J. Smith.....	11	40	32.5
Lois R. Peakes.....	11	18	16.6
Annette Cimpher.....	11	16	12.3
Winifred Pearson.....	9	16	14.1
Bertha Small.....	9	16	15.6
FALL TERM.			
Elmie J. Briggs & W. H. Sturtevant	10	30	29
Orpha N. Lowell.....	10		
Estella A. Bearce.....	10		
Minnie E. Ross.....	10	51	47
Lillian J. Smith.....	10	40	35.4
May E. McCausland.....	10	16	14.3
Mary R. Norris.....	10	14	11.8
Annette Cimpher.....	10	18	16
Winifred Pearson.....	12	19	16.4
Bertha Small.....	11	18	17.4
WINTER TERM.			
Edith N. Weaver.....	9	29	26
Orpha N. Lowell.....	9		
Estella A. Bearce.....	9		
Minnie E. Ross.....	9	50	
Lillian J. Smith.....	9	35	30
Sanger Knowlton.....	9	10	9.8
Mary E. Norris.....	9	14	11.4
Annette Cimpher.....	9	16	13.6
Charlotte Flint.....	7	16	9
Bertha Small.....	10	16	14
HIGH SCHOOL.			
G. W. Snow, Prin.; L. M. Clary, Asst			
Spring Term.....	12	52	48
Fall Term.....	11	52	50
Winter Term.....	12	50	45

L. H. WHITTIER, Supt. of Schools.

Dogs Licensed in Guilford in 1900.

Number of males, at \$1.00, 41.....	\$41 00
Number of females, at \$3 00, 1.....	3 00
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	\$44 00

SUMNER C. BENNETT, Town Clerk.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Board of Health respectfully submit the following:

The sanitary condition of the town has been good during the past year. With the exception of the epidemic of measles last spring there has not been a great deal of sickness. No other contagious diseases. Three nuisances were removed.

Q. A. BRIDGES, M. D., Secretary Board of Health.
March 9, 1901.

TOWN CLERK'S STATISTICS.

Marriages Registered in Guilford from February 1, 1900, to March 1, 1901.

DATE.	GROOM AND BRIDE.	RESIDENCE.	OCCUPATION	Where Married	BY WHOM MARRIED
1900.					
Feb. 3	Charles S. Burgess	Sebec...	Blacksmith...	Guilford	D. B. Dow, Guilford.
	Sylvia M. Farris	"	Weaver		
Mar. 10	Albert E. Oakes	Guilford	Millman	Guilford	D. B. Dow, Guilford.
	Mrs. Nellie M. Brown	"	Mill opp		
" 27	Charles E. Corliss	Bingham	Engineer.....	Waterville ...	E. C. Whittemore, Waterville.
	Mrs. Laura E. Ells	Foxcroft	Housework ...		
June 24	Garfield J. Cheyney.....	Guilford	Spinner.....	Dover.....	Howard B. Tilden, Dover.
	May Rosemond Shattuck..	"	Housework ...		
July 11	Taylor Kelsey Edes.....	"	Merchant	Guilford.....	Asa M. Bradley, Sangerville.
	Mildred May Ellis	"	Clerk		
" 24	Will E. Richards.....	Greenville	Weaver.....	Greenville....	Carl H. Ramsdell, Greenville.
	Lizzie F. Swift	Guilford	Domestic		
" 11	Alpheus Leroy Rickford..	Foxcroft	Weaver	Foxcroft	Horace H. Hayes, Foxcroft.
	Blanche Cora Frost	Sebec.....	Housework ...		
Aug. 15	Willie Thornton Harmon,	Guilford	Woodsman...	Dover	J. H. Irvine, Dover... ..
	Minnie Belle Sturtevant...	"	Housework ...		
" 25	Howard Thomas Merrill...	"	Millman	Dexter	John W. Hanlihan, Dexter.
	Nellie Mabel Clukey	"	Weaver		
Sept. 1	Fred Burgess	"	Farmer	Guilford.....	J. Frank Haley, Guilford.
	Mabel Bennett	Lowell, Mass	Housework ...		
" 25	Albert Dore	Guilford	Carpenter.....	Guilford.....	J. Frank Haley, Guilford.
	Genie M. Whittier	"	Domestic		
" 26	Orland E. Rose.....	Stillwater.....	Millman	Orono	W. B. Dukeshire, Orono.
	Lizzie M. Bean	Guilford	Domestic		
" 20	John W. Sturtevant	Guilford	Farmer	Dover	J. H. Irvine, Dover.
	Mrs. Lottie May Foss	"	Domestic		
Oct. 13	Robert N. Corbett	Abbot	Laborer	Guilford.....	J. F. Haley, Guilford.
	Albertha D. Bruce	"	Housework ...		
" 19	John A. Bates	Parkman	Farmer	Sangerville...	Asa M. Bradley, Sangerville.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN GUILFORD FROM MAY 10, 1900, TO
February 18, 1901.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	SEX.	NO.	NAME OF PARENTS.	OCCUPATION—FATHER.
1900.					
Apr. 17	Sarah Foster Knowlton	Female	2nd	Paul H. & Margaret L.	Kindling Wood Mfgr.
May 13	Mabel Minnie Bennett	"	3d	Freeland E. & Lilla E.	Farmer.
16	Hazel M. Lamson	"	2nd	Roscoe P. & Myrtie A.	Lumberman.
17	Zande	Male	4th	John & Emma D.	Laborer.
25	Macomber	"	11th	Wm Henry & Laura C.	Farmer.
27	Palmer	Female	3d	Jos A. & Lena B.	Cook
June 8	Bragdon	"	7th	Jason M. & Cora E.	Stone Mason.
Aug. 4	Foley	Male	4th	Wallace J. & Cora M.	Laborer.
6	Rogers	"	1st	Richard & Minnie E.	"
20	Francena Clark	Female	4th	Geo. D. & Agnes M.	"
Sept. 16	Ham	Male	2nd	Ernest A. & Addie J.	Guide.
25	Gilman	"	2nd	Willis E. & Effie M	Merchant.
Oct. 4	Ellis	"	3d	Oscar R. & Effie J.	Laborer.
10	Kenisto	Female	2nd	Frank W. & Mattie S.	Station Agent.
17	Howard	Male	1st	Harry B. & Mary E	Farmer.
Nov. 12	Littlefield	Female	4th	J. M. & Luella	Laborer.
Dec 19.	Davidson	"	2nd	Joseph T. & Ida E.	Foreman, Woolen Mill
21	Southard	Male	2nd	Eugene W. & Sadie J	Laborer.
	Gena G. Mullen	Female	5th	Archie R. & Lefa J.	"
29	Lander	Male	1st	Oscar J. & Affie M.	"
31	Bickford	Female	1st	Alpheus L. & Blanche C.	Weaver.
Jan. 5	Avilda Ida Mitchell . . .	"	4th	C. W. & Eliza	Carpenter.
12	French	"	1st	Philemon R. & Rosie E.	Feanster.
18	Snow	"	3d	Thos. B. & Edith A	Farmer.
22	Wharff	Male	7th	Albert F. & Lizzie A.	Tinsmith.
Feb. 8	Trafton	Female	1st	Geo. W. & Hannah	Laborer.
17	Larrabee	Male	3d	Arthur A. & Minne D.	"
17	Perin	"	2nd	Gianbattista & Guistina	"

Deaths Registered in Guilford from March 28, 1900, to March 3, 1901.

DATE.	NAME.	YRS.	MOS.	DAYS.	CAUSE OF DEATH.	PERSON REPORTING DEATH.
1900.						
March 28	Betsey S. Piper	82	8	18	Senile Dementia	C. M. Foss, M. D.
April 18	Mary A. Sanford	52	6	9	Cancer	J. C. Butterfield, M. D.
	Maud L. Leavitt	14	3	3	Congenital Heart Disease.	C. M. Ray, M. D.
	Pearl J. Palmer	13	8	5	Double Pneumonia	W. A. Purrington, M. D.
	Nancy Wiggin	72	1		Old age and heart failure..	J. C. Butterfield, M. D.
May 29	Caroline A. Straw	86	9	17	Old age	" " "
June 5	John D. Maxfield	54	9	22	Phthisis Pulmonalis	W. A. Purrington, "
July 4	Chandler G. Robbins	85	1	4	Old age	C. W. Ray, "
	Matilda H. Strout	79		26	Senility	R. H. Marsh, "
Aug. 14	Isabelle Palmer		2	14	Cholera Infantum	O. R. Emerson, "
Sept. 3	Frank W. Gray	68	10	7	Fatty degeneration of heart	Q. A. Bridges, "
	Mary I Kirk		6	1	Ileo-colitis...[and kidneys	R. H. Marsh, "
	Donald B. Snow		11	5	Cholera Infantum	J. C. Butterfield, "
	Elizabeth A. Connor	83	2	30	Old age	C. W. Ray, "
Oct. 19	Ichabod Rollins	78	9	19	Old age	J. C. Butterfield, "
	Geo. L. Nisbet	1	4	5	Ileo-colitis	R. H. Marsh, "
	Marion E. Larrabee		8	20	" "	" " "
Nov. 13	Henrietta M. Benson	77	7	3	Bright's Disease	Town Clerk, Dexter, Me.
	Chas. E. Corliss	46	6		Ulcer of Rectum	O. R. Emerson, M. D.
Dec. 19	John M. Connor	88	9	22	Old age	C. W. Ray, "
1901.						
Jan. 12	French				Stillborn	Q. A. Bridges, "
	Carrie A. Straw	28	2	19	Tuberculosis of lungs	R. H. Marsh, "
Feb. 8	Lander		1	14	Cyanosis	J. C. Butterfield, "
	Robinson Turner	66	10	22	Pneumonia	R. H. Marsh, "
	Mrs. Effie M. Lander	25	8	6	Exhaustion	C. W. Ray, "
	Richmond R. French	72	7	10	Cerebral hemorrhage	Q. A. Bridges, "
	Nancy J. Walker		10	27	Pneumonia	R. H. Marsh, "
March 2	William Delloff	82	10	17	Cerebral embolism	J. C. Butterfield, "

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING.

Wm. G. Thompson, Constable of the town of Guilford, Piscataquis County.

GREETING:—

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Guilford, qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at Guilford Hall in the village of Guilford on Monday, the 18th day of March A. D., 1901, at ten o'clock A. M., to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1 To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2 To choose a town clerk.

Art. 3 To hear all reports to be made at said meeting.

Art. 4 To choose three or more, selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor.

Art. 5 To choose a town treasurer.

Art. 6 To choose a member of the superintending school committee.

Art. 7 To choose a superintendent of schools or to see if the town will vote to authorize the S. S. committee to elect a superintendent of schools.

Art. 8 To choose a road commissioner.

Art. 9 To choose a town agent.

Art. 10 To see if the town will vote that all taxes shall be collected and paid to the treasurer in the following manner: One third on or before July 1, 1901; one third on or before Nov. 1, 1901, and the remaining one third on or before March 1, 1902.

Art. 11 To choose a collector of taxes and see what method the town will adopt for the collection of taxes for the ensuing year.

Art. 12 To choose one or more auditors of accounts. —

Art. 13 To choose one or more constables.

Art. 14 To choose truant officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 15 To choose surveyors of wood, bark and lumber and all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 16 To see what sum of money the town will vote to pay the superintendent of schools, for each day of actual service or pay stated salary.

Art. 17 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of schools.

Art. 18 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs and insurance on school houses.

Art. 19 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise

for a Free High school at the village.

Art. 20 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school books.

Art. 21 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for supplies and appliances.

Art. 22 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor and other town charges.

Art. 23 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay outstanding debts and interest on the same.

Art. 24 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of roads and bridges and how the same shall be expended.

Art. 25 To see if the town will vote to have printed reports at the next annual meeting and raise money to pay for the same.

Art. 26 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for fire purposes and electric lights.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the Kindergarten school and how the same shall be expended.

Art. 28 To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to town agent to prosecute all persons in town who violate the prohibitory law during the municipal year A. D 1901, and to see how much shall be raised to pay for the same.

Art. 29 To see if the town will vote to pay members of the fire company the amount of their poll tax for serving in the fire company for the ensuing year.

Art. 30 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay for storing hose cart and hose for the ensuing year.

Art. 31 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of water pipe and lay the same for fire purposes in Guilford village and how the same shall be expended.

Art. 32 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to purchase fire pails for fire purposes, and raise money to pay for the same.

Art. 33 To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of two hundred dollars or other sum of money to erect a hose house in the village on the old school house lot or elsewhere.

Art. 34 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to provide a suitable place for the security and preservation of the town books and records and to make provision to pay for the same.

Art. 35. To see what action, if any, the town will take in relation to the heating of the primary school building and furnishing a suitable outbuilding.

Art. 36 To see if the town will vote to raise twenty-five dollars

to help pay expenses of Memorial day and pay the same to C. N. Rand, chairman of committee of arrangements.

Art. 37 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to purchase of Elmwood Cemetery Company lots No. 282 and 283 in said cemetery for town use, and how much money shall be raised to pay for the same.

Art. 38 To see if the town will accept of the town way located by the selectmen of the town of Guilford on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon, from the south side of Elm street near the hearse house on said Elm street, south on land of Josiah T. Ellis, for the accommodation of house lots surveyed by Wm. P. Oaks, the plan of which has been made by said Oaks. The return of said location is made and filed with the town clerk of said town.

Art. 39 To see if the town will accept of the town way laid out by the selectmen of the town of Guilford on the 12th day of July, A. D., 1900, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on the petition of C. N. Rand and others, praying for the location of a town way from School street near the west line of land of Otis Martin in the village of said Guilford to the land of C. N. Rand. The return of said town way is filed with the town clerk of said town.

Art. 40 To see if the town will accept of the town way laid out by the selectmen of the town of Guilford on the 12th day of July, A. D., 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, from School street to the mill lot of the Guilford Lumber Co., across the railroad of the Bangor & Aroostook R. R. Co., which said street is laid adjoining the west line of what was the west line of the Wm. W. Bennett farm. The return of said town way is filed with the town clerk of said town.

Art. 41 To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and treasurer to take up outstanding interest bearing orders and issue new ones in their place.

Art. 42 To see if the town will vote that all taxes not paid in accordance with article ten of this warrant shall draw interest until paid.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, at Guilford Hall Association at nine o'clock A. M., on the day of said meeting

Given at Guilford the ninth day of March A. D. 1901.

C. W. ELLIS,
E. O. STODDARD, } Selectmen
F. O. MARTIN. } of
Guilford.