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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF GUILFORD

For the Year Ending March 1, 1915

GUILFORD:
REGISTER BOOK AND JOB PRINT
1915
Town Officers, 1914

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR
Micajah Hudson          Frank H. Weymouth
                        Elmer E. Fairbrother
TOWN CLERK
Charles S. Bennett
TOWN TREASURER
Raymond W. Davis
COLLECTOR OF TAXES
Fred A. Heath
ROAD COMMISSIONER
Selden D. Rice
TOWN AGENT
James H. Hudson
TOWN AUDITOR
Frank O. Martin
SCHOOL BOARD
Henry A. Elliott, Charles P. Turner  A. C. Genthner
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
Horace M. Pullen
TRUANT OFFICER
George Wish
NIGHT WATCH
Plummer E. Chadbourne
BOARD OF HEALTH
Frank M. Briggs  G. E. Dore  M. D. Charles W. Stevens
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
Mellen F. Ellis
CONSTABLES
Fred A. Heath  Stewart E. Evans  A. R. Hussey
George A. McKusick  P. E. Chadbourne
Elmer H. Stevens  Elmer E. Fairbrother
Selectmen's Report

APPROPRIATIONS, MARCH 9, 1914

For superintendent of schools, $ 250 00
common schools, 2,000 00
repairs and insurance on school-
house, 500 00
free High school, 1,500 00
school books, 300 00
supplies and appliances, 300 00
support of poor and other town
charges, 1,350 00
outstanding debts and interest
on the same, 2,000 00
roads and bridges, 2,000 00
repairs and building sidewalks, 300 00
state aid road, 533 00
fire purposes and electric lights, 650 00
public library, 575 00
music in the schools, 300 00
Memorial day, 50 00
night watchman, 300 00
Guilford Water Co., 1,000 00
Guilford Fire Co., 150 00
cutting bushes and building snow fences 125 00
school physician, 50 00
janitor services and fuel High
school building, 300 00
For repairing vacant room under Town
hall, 225 00
repairing the road near Ivory Little-
fields, 100 00
concrete walks from school street
to school buildings, 300 00
electric lights on streets, 150 00
repairing street at south end of
bridge, 200 00

Raised by town, $15,508 00
For State tax,  $3,555 73  
  county tax,        646 99  
  overlay,          582 89  

Total assessment, $4,785 61  

Total real estate, $526,355 00  

Total personal property, $208,532 00  

Total valuation, $734,887 00  

Number of polls, 518  
Rate of polls, $3.00  
Amount assessed on estates, $18,739 61  
  polls, 1554 00  

Total tax, $20,293 61  
Rate per cent .025½  

On the first day of May, A. D., 1914, the lists of the foregoing assessments were committed to Fred A. Heath, collector for the town of Guilford.

LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

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<td>Stock in trade</td>
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<td>46,000 00</td>
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<td>Small gasoline boats</td>
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<td>Logs and lumber</td>
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<td>20,000 00</td>
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<td>Carriages</td>
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<td>750 00</td>
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<td>Automobiles</td>
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<td>Finished products in mill</td>
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<td>Machinery not taxed as real estate</td>
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<td>2,800 00</td>
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<td>Ice</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$162,417 00</strong></td>
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Total amount Personal property, $208,532 00

### NUMBER LIVE STOCK COMPARED WITH YEARS

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Horses</th>
<th>Colt, 3 yr. old</th>
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<th>Cows</th>
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<td>7</td>
<td>15</td>
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<td>311</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>38</td>
<td>48</td>
<td>84</td>
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<td>338</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>22</td>
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<td>41</td>
<td>53</td>
<td>62</td>
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<td>19</td>
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<td>14</td>
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<td>33</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>62</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>7</td>
<td>266</td>
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<td>55</td>
<td>62</td>
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<td>326</td>
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<td>47</td>
<td>57</td>
<td>83</td>
<td>140</td>
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FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY
Raised by town, $575 00
To paid F. O. Martin, treasurer, $400 00
F. O. Martin, 175 00
------------------------
$575 00

MEMORIAL FUND
Raised by town, $50 00
To paid Mellen F. Ellis, 50 00

GUILFORD WATER COMPANY
Raised by town, $1,000 00
To paid July 21 $500 00
Jan. 2, 1915, 500 00
------------------------
$1,000 00

UNDER THE HALL ACC.
Raised by town, $225 00
To paid Guilford Mfg. Co., lumber, $92 12
L. B. Trafton, labor, 112 53
Eugene Gould, labor, 2 10
W. E. Jackson, labor, 3 03
------------------------
$209 78
Unexpended, $15 22

FIRE PURPOSES AND ELECTRIC LIGHTS
Raised by town, $650 00
Unexpended from last year, 344 23
------------------------
$994 23
To paid New England Tel. and Tel.
Co., fire alarm from Feb. 1, 1914, to Feb. 1, 1915, $33 00
Guilford Clothing Co., 6 coats and 6 caps, 30 00
A. M. McKusick, lettering 6 coats, 1 20
N. M. Farrell, 250 ft. hose, 137 50
H. L. Harrington, team to fires, 4 04
Piscataquis Woolen Co.,
street lights from March 1, 1914 to March 1, 1915, 421 50
Unexpended, $366 99

SCHOOL CONCRETE JOB
Raised by town, $300 00
To paid
Ben Bunker, $2 00
Porter Bunker, 4 00
O. J. Leander, 4 00
S. D. Rice, 12 37
James Merrill, 3 50
Geo. W. Edes, 6 00
Walter Nelligan Co., 264 00
H. W. Applebee, 2 00
R. N. Cooley, 8 00

$305 87

Overdrawn by town, 1914, $5 87

LITTLEFIELD LEDGE JOB
Raised by town, $100 00
To paid
H. W. Applebee, $4 00
Jack Mack, 4 80
R. Herring, 4 80
Ed. Brown, 10 00
E. S. Wharff, 3 50
Clarence Littlefield, 5 00
Ivory Littlefield, 5 70
S. D. Rice, 22 50
James Merrill, 9 00
Porter Bunker, 8 50
Geo. W. Edes, 9 00
Ed. Grant, 7 23
G. W. Sanford, 60
H. Douglass & Co., 5 25

$100 53

Overdrawn, 53
NIGHT WATCH

Raised by town, $300 00
Unexpended from last year, 73 25

--- --- $373 25

To paid P. E. Chadbourne, $236 75
Robert Race, July 3, 1914 $2 00
J. B. Stevens, " " " 2 00
H. S. Chadbourne, " " " 2 00
Dan Wyman, " " " 2 00
Geo. Richards, " " " 2 00
E. H. Hussey, " " " 2 00
C. W. Stevens, " " " 2 00

$300 75

Unexpended, $72 50

CUTTING BUSHES AND REPAIRING SNOW FENCES

Raised by town, $125 00
Overdrawn by town, 1912, $81 25
Overdrawn by town, 1913, 22 79

$104 04

--- --- $20 96

To paid Pearl Brawn, (1913), $ 5 07
E. T. Pond, 3 00
A. A. Harriman, 7 00
S. D. Rice, 16 20
Chas. Bridges, 11 37
N. E. Knight, 14 00
Rudolph Sanders, 7 05
Porter Bunker, 19 20
W. H. Macomber, 7 87
Neil Sanders 8 74
Jack Mack, 17 68
Ed. Grant, 20 30
Earl Herring, 4 90
Fred Burgess, 9 62
Leon Bennett, 10 67
Howard Taylor, 4 00
Freeland Bennett, 1 75
Overdrawn, $168 42
Overdrawn by town, 1912, $147 46
" " " " 1913, 81 25
" " " " 1914, 22 79
" " " " 1914, 43 42
$147 46

REPORT OF THE GUILFORD FIRE CO. FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 9TH, 1915
Raised by the town, $150 00
Unexpended from 1914, 2 01
Total, $152 01

Paid each fireman for fighting fires and roll calls as follows:

Paid E. H. Stevens, chief, $18 70
C. E. Mahar, assistant chief, 13 47
C. R. Scales, secty. and treas., 13 00
R. E. Race, janitor, 12 25
J. B. Stevens, 8 30
E. H. Hussey, 11 85
Lewis Buzzell, 12 10
F. E. Cobb, 5 75
C. M. Drew, 3 45
O. J. Lombard, 2 95
Geo. Richards, 12 10
Chas. Ridley, 5 30
Wm. Burns, 6 15
E. J. Gould, 10 75
S. B. Drew, Jr., 7 10
Steve Campbell, 3 55
Ralph Richards, 3 40
J. O. Buzzell, 1 00
C. R. Scales for postage, 10
E. H. Stevens for repairing rubber coat, 15
$151 42

Unexpended, 59
C. R. SCALES, Secty. and Treas.
APPROPRIATED TO PUT IN NEW ELECTRIC LIGHTS

Raised by town, $150 00

To paid
S. D. Rice, labor $ 8 65
Ben Bunker, " 7 00
Ed. Brown, " 6 00
Ed. Grant, " 5 25
Porter Bunker, " 6 00
E. P. Smith, 16 electric poles, 16 00
F. U. Witham, wire and putting up, 82 87

Unexpended, $18 23

SIDEWALKS

Raised by town, $300 00

Overdrawn by town 1913, 83 24

Overdrawn, $216 76

To paid
S. D. Rice, labor, $ 11 25
Porter Bunker, " 1 75
O. J. Leander, " 3 50
E. F. Grant, " 4 80
Walter Nelligan Co., labor and material, 301 25

Overdrawn in 1913, $83 24
Overdrawn in 1914, 22 55

$105 79

BURIAL EXPENSES OF SOLDIER'S WIDOW

To paid C. M. Drew, undertaker, $35 00
Mrs. Nellie M. Green,
Due from State, $35 00

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Appropriated 1914, $50 00
Paid J. L. Potter, 50 00
SOUTH END BRIDGE

Raised by town, $200 00

To paid

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<td>Concord Foundry &amp; Machine Co. for 2 catch basins,</td>
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<td>A. E. Hatch,</td>
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$148 72

Unexpended, $51 28

TOWN HALL ACCOUNT

Unexpended from year 1913, $103 71

Received from Star Theatre Co., by A. N. Merrill from Feb. 24, 1914 to Feb. 22, 1915, $645 00

Knights of Maccabees from Nov. 1, 1913 to Jan. 1, 1915, 65 00

Mar. 9 M. E. church, dinner small hall, 2 50

April 10 Guilford High school, 6 00
Oct. 1 M. Hudson 1914, use of small hall

20 H. Hudson, balance in his hands from entertainment, 2 32
22 Sunny South, 10 00
24 Private dance, 7 50
May 8 H. Price Webber, 15 00
18 Beverley, 10 00
29 Modern Woodman, 7 50

Aug. 14 Malone and Malone, 7 00
Sept. 3 Cowboy and Girl Show, 10 00
Ethel May Shorey Co., 6 nights in April and Sept., 50 00
Sept. 21 Smiling Sunbeams, 7 50
Oct. 6 Lady Maccabees, 7 nights from Jan. 1 to Oct. 1, 1914, 7 00
Oct. 7 Cowboy and Sheriff, 10 00
Nov. 12 Cole and Harris, 7 50
Nov. 14 Golden Link Lodge, 4 00
Nov. 20 Universalist Fair, 10 00
Apr. 10 H. N. True, banquet hall, 2 50
Apr. 28 Manley Davis, banquet hall, 1 50
Oct. 1 Athletic association, banquet hall, 2 50
Oct. 1 M. Hudson 1914, use of small hall for Democratic club, 6 00 $902 32

Total, $1,006 03

To paid George A. McKusick janitor, from March 11, 1914 to Feb. 22, 1915, $166 50

E. J. Gould, glass and setting, also cleaning hall, 3 75
Freight on coal, 23 82
Bacon Robinson Co., 46,400 lbs. coal, 126 35
A. M. McKusick, 2 signs, 75
Straw and Martin, insurance, 198 00
E. E. Ellis, repairs on slate, 7 50
Guilford Mfg. Co. lumber dressing room, 6 44
Fred Pearson, labor dressing room, 3 30
W. E. Jackson, paint outside door, 2 10
Nelson Freese, washing dishes, 1 40
H. Taylor, wheeling in coal, 4 00
F. O. Gould, revenue tax to July 1, 1915, 50 00
R. B. Dunning, trucking and freight, 2 00
Page Spearing and Co., supplies to hall, 4 60
F. U. Witham & Co., supplies, 18 24
Hughes & Son, tune piano, 2 50
J. S. Scales, supplies, 5 53
F. A. Heath, paint door, 50
A. M. McKusick, paint sign, 50
J. E. Small, lumber, 11 46
H. L. Harrington, ½ cord of wood in August, 3 50
H. L. Harrington, hauling 46,400 lbs. coal, 11 60
H. Douglass, supplies, 1 32
Piscataquis Woolen Co., electric lights from Feb. 28, 1914 to March 1, 1915, 122 40
for moving pictures on meter, 49 44

$827 50

Unexpended, $178 53
12 tons coal on hand, $84 00
Town office this year, 100 00
Net receipts for town hall, 902 32

$1,086 32

Paid out, $827 50

Income of town hall, $258 82
TO PAY OUTSTANDING INTEREST BEARING DEBTS AND INTEREST ON SAME

Raised by town,  

$2,000 00

Unexpended from last year,  

184 21

1914

Apr. 8 Received on order 55,  

1,000 00

$3184 21

1914

Mar.14 To paid order 848 in full,  

$300 00

1915

Feb. 20 To paid order, 423,  

700 00

63,  

100 00

430,  

100 00

326,  

1,100 00

Feb. 20 To paid interest on interest bearing orders,  

841 93

$3,141 93

Unexpended,  

$52 82

SUPPORT OF POOR AND OTHER TOWN CHARGES

Raised by town,  

$1,350 00

Received interest on deposits,  

6 84

John Foulkes, pool license,  

10 00
town St. Albans,  

40 00
North Main St. sewer,  

71
inquest in office,  

2 00
Skowhegan, Elijah Ames,  

9 59
C. F. Cole, use Bray lot,  

1 00
Railroad and Telegraph tax,  

47 85
F. H. Weymouth, stumpage on H. S. Chadbourne land,  

5 00
State of Maine, dog tax refunded,  

43 11
State of Maine, dog tax refunded,  

58 00
use of weights and measures,  

14 00
From Shirley, $3 00
“ Blanchard, 3 00
” Abbot, 3 00
“ Sangerville, 5 00

$14 00

Overlay,  $582 89

$2,170 99

Unexpended from last year,  1,718 55

$3,889 54

TOWN OFFICERS’ BILLS
Paid M. Hudson, selectman, $200 00
F. H. Weymouth, selectman, 65 00
E. E. Fairbrother, selectman, 50 00
H. A. Elliott, school committee, 20 00
A. C. Genthner, school committee, 20 00
C. P. Turner, school committee, 20 00
J. H. Hudson, town agent, 5 00
F. M. Briggs, Board of Health, 10 00
G. E. Dore, M. D., Board of Health, 10 00
C. W. Stevens, Board of Health, 10 00
Ray W. Davis, treasurer, 60 00
C. S. Bennett, clerk, 15 00
G. H. Wish, truant officer, 12 00

$497 00

RESIDENT POOR
Paid on account James D. Evans,
To paid John Robbins, care and board
from Feb. 21, 1914 to Feb. 21, 1915, $130 00
John Robins, supplies, 5 40
Guilford Clothing Co., 7 75

$143 15

To paid out account Frank Bartlett,
Town of Harmony, board and
care from Feb. 14, 1914 to Feb. 14, 1915, $208 60
PAID OUT ACCOUNT MRS. STANLEY BENNETT
Paid E. A. Conner 3 cords wood, 15 00

PAID OUT ACCOUNT FLORENCE MAY TAYLOR
Paid Dale Boody, clothing, 6 29
Thomas J. Chase, 5 weeks board, 12 50
Maggie Burns, board, 21 00

Total resident poor bill, $39 79

TRAMP BILLS
To paid Mrs. A. R. Maxfield, $1 00
1 tramp,
Paid M. Hudson, cash paid out for food, 52 tramps, 8 90
Paid George A. McKusick, extra to care for tramps, 3 00
Paid A. F. D. Harlow, board of man and wife, 2½ days, and fare to Millinocket, 6 50

Total tramp bills, $19 40

NON-RESIDENT POOR

1914
May 2 Paid French & Elliott Co., on account Elijah Ames, due from Skowhegan, $3 02

STATE PAUPER

1915
Jan. 27 Paid Mrs. G. L. Woodbury for board, $3 00
Paid R. H. Marsh, M. D., four calls, 4 00
to cash to go to hospital, 2 00

Total state pauper, $9 00
MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

To paid M. F. Ellis, sealer wts. & measures 1913 $ 5 88
Ashley O. Draper, hunt browntail moths, 2 80
Nelson T. Oaks, shovel snow 1911, 4 95
Cary Hudson, work on taxes, 4 00
J. S. Williams, stamps and envelopes, 3 25
H. S. Chadbourne, strip of land west of town lot, 100 00
Guilford Mfg. Co., vitol and soda to fill fire extinguisher, E. O. Genthner, 2 40
Newman Clock Co., box dials night clock, 2 63
E. H. Hussey, kill browntail moths, 5 20
Loring Short & Harmon, town books, 19 88
Geo. McKusick, labor voting booths, 5 00
Loring Short & Harmon, town books, 3 25
Register Pub. Co., town reports 1913, 65 00
Register Pub. Co., blanks and adds, 2 40
Eugene Gould, clean town office, 2 40
Eugene Gould, labor on booth, 75 00
Clyde Macomber, cut grass Guilford Center yard, 4 00
J. E. Small, repair wagon, broke near A. G. Crockett's by Seldon Macomber and John Foulkes, 15 50
S. D. Rice, gravel hose, 50
E. J. Gould, screen door and window town office, 3 41
E. J. Gould, labor voting booth Sept. and June, 1 00
E. Babb and Co., 8x12 flag school building, 7 67
Register Pub. Co., 5 order books S. D. Rice, 3 50
Angie Zande, clean office and put on windows, 1 25
John S. Williams, stamp and envelopes browntail moth notices, 3 00
M. Hudson, 2 spreads steel cage, 2 50
Henry M. Packard, run line on H. S. Chadbourne’s land, 1 00
Register Pub. Co., add and cards for browntail moths, 2 55
L. J. Adams, team S. H. B. and F. H. Weymouth fire Fred Burgess, 2 00
To paid M. F. Ellis for salary, 25 00
Fees collected by M. F. Ellis,
B. & A. R. R. Co., Sangerville Station, 37
B. & A. R. R. Co. Guilford station, 99
E. Judkins, 1 54
J. G. Crockett, 34
French & Elliott, 1 68
D. Whiting & Sons, 50
A. S. Eldridge, 20
H. Stewart, 65
F. U. Witham, 40
J. G. Crockett, 10
W. E. Gilman, 10
John Scales, 1 21
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| Cash to balance account M. F. Ellis | 13 03  |
| To paid New England Tel. and Tel. Co., 1/2 use telephone for year 1914, | 10 50  |
| Elmer Stevens fire wards and postage, | 90     |
| J. L. Potter, report 13 births and 13 deaths, | 6 50   |
| G. E. Dore report 5 births and 5 deaths, | 2 50   |
School board expenses in organizing
with other towns for the purpose of
hiring Supt. of Schools, 5 44
Genthner Brothers, town books, 1 20
E. E. Ross, town books, 1 50
Register Pub. Co., add, 40
R. H. Marsh, M. D., reporting 10
deaths and 2 births, 3 00
Stillman Andrews at Burgess fire, 1 00
H. S. Chadbourne, water tub 1914, 3 00
C. W. Ray, M. D., reporting 9 deaths
and 8 births, 4 25
C. S. Bennett, 2 keys and cleaning clock, 2 50
C. S. Bennett, recording 33 deaths and
33 marriages, 14 85
C. S. Bennett, postage, express and
stationery, 3 87
Geo. McKusick, labor on voting
booth Sept. 1914, 75
E. E. Fairbrother, water tub 1914, 3 00
F. H. Weymouth, cutting bushes town
lot and care of town dump, 5 00
F. M. Briggs, ballot clerk June and
Sept. 1914, 4 00
Town of Sangerville, electric lights in
bridge 1914, 7 50
C. F. Scales, ballot clerk, June and
Sept. 1914, 4 00
C. P. Turner, ballot clerk, June and
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M. F. Ellis, ballot clerk, June and
Sept. 1914, 4 00
M. Hudson, extra care tramp and
night clock, 10 00
Lewis Colson, water tub 1914, 3 00
Hudson & Hudson, legal services 1914, 13 50
Cary Hudson, work on town report, 5 00
F. O. Martin, writing 3 town warrants, 1 00
Fred A. Heath, for collecting $20,293.61 at two per cent, 405 87
Fred A. Heath, moderator, spring 1914, 2 00
Fred A. Heath, abatement of taxes year 1914, 71 88

$503 25

$879 11

Town officers bills, 497 00
Resident poor, 406 54
Tramp bills, 19 40
Non-resident, 3 02
State paupers, 9 00

$934 96

$1,814 07

Appropriations, $3,889 54
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Unexpended, $2,075 47

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$535 33
Due on interest-bearing debt, $22,973.89 to Mar. 1, 1915, 535.33
J. R. Pollock fund, 83.61
Estimate due to print town reports 1914, 75.00
Due on non-interest bearing order No. 671, 23.80
" No. 807, 13.50
" No. 535, 1.00

$23,706.13

RESOURCES OF TOWN
Land bought of Mrs. Bray, $300.00
Due from Shep Clark, old shed, 5.00
Land west of J. W. Chamberlain's, 100.00
Land bought M. C. Maxfield, 75.00
Land bought of H. S. Chadbourne, 100.00
Due from Skowhegan account
  Elijah Ames, 3.02
Due from State account burial
  Nellie M. Green, 35.00
Due from State account Henry
  Dandrews, 9.00
Cash in treasury, 2,837.20

$3,464.22

Net indebtedness, Feb. 23, 1915, $20,241.91

We have reduced the net indebtedness for the year, $2,018.57
Reduced interest-bearing debt, 1,300.00

Respectfully submitted,
MICAJAH HUDSON,
F. H. WEYMOUTH,
E. E. FAIRBROTHER,
Selectmen of Guilford.
# Report of Highway Department

S. D. RICE, Road Commissioner

## ROADS AND BRIDGES

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Have 1 two-horse road machine purchased from road funds (see report of items paid to C. M. Conant and freight,)

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O. J. Lander, 67 00
J. Merrill, 101 00
C. M. Conant, (Road machine), 98 95
B. & A. R. R. Co., 1 61
Harry Morgan, 12 60
George W. Edes, 85 50
C. S. Meservey, 16 00
Wallace Gilman, 8 00
Porter Bunker, 67 95
W. E. Wise & Co., 2 55
E. F. Grant, 80 69
S. D. Rice, 169 06
R. M. Cooley, 56 00
Cloyd Pines, 29 27
Albert Dickson, 13 50
Carl Martin 151 75
Howard Taylor, 3 50
M. B. McKusick, 26 00
Ben Bunker, 10 00
E. W. Davis, 2 00
W. H. Applebee, 12 50
F. W. Kenniston, 1 77
Maurice Eastman, 1 75
Chas. Eastman, 1 63
Clarence Small, 7 97
A. M. Hussey, 1 50
Ed. Brown, 6 50
H. L. Harrington, 53 40
Ivan Campbell, 6 13
Guilford Mfg. Co., 45 65
Merle Harlow, 75
George Wish, 1 50
C. A. Sanborn, 33 00
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STATE ROAD

To whom paid:
State of Maine for inspection and engineering, plans, etc., $65 06
F. U. Witham & Co. for metal culvert. 21 56
George Sanford, 1 36
A. E. Hatch, 2 50
Guilford Mf'g. Co., 3 68
H. Douglas & Co., 60
John Scales, 35 46
Howard Greeley, 24 00
W. H. Applebee, 29 00
Manson Prescott, 10 50
Raymond Herring, 7 00
Clive Macomber, 8 75
Frank Priest, 19 00
George Kirk, 6 00
Frederick Prescott, 4 87
George Barnes, 8 30
Earl Applebee, 4 80
Earl Herring, 6 12
Paul Mason, 4 50
H. Hudson & Son, 52 80
T. J. Chase, 18 00
Ora Littlefield, 19 25
W. H. Macomber, 22 75
S. S. Robbins, 28 00
Hugh Applebee, 31 00
Chas. Eastman, 43 00
Maurice Eastman, 41 00
O. J. Lander, 14 00
W. H. Goode, 7 00
R. M. Cooley, 24 00
Benjamin Bunker, 41 00
L. W. Robbins, 44 00
S. D. Rice, 144 25
George W. Edes, 20 00
E. F. Grant, 38 50
M. B. McKusick, 20 63
C. A. Sanborn, 36 00
Carl Martin, 36 00
L. P. Smith, 32 00
Frank McKusick, 34 00
Porter Bunker, 31 00
James Merrill, 32 40
Jack Zande, 16 00
J. J. Mack, 3 50
Ed. Brown, 10 20

$1,103 34

STATE AID MAINTENANCE
To whom paid:
Porter Bunker, $12 00
Ben Bunker, 10 00
Al Dickson, 2 00
S. D. Rice, 23 00
James Merrill, 2 00
E. F. Grant, 14 00
Cloyd Pines, 1 75
W. H. Applebee, 16 00
Earl Applebee, 7 00
Chas. Eastman, 6 13
Guilford Mfg. Co., 2 10
Jack Mack, 1 75

$97 73

GRAVEL SOLD
By whom paid:
Lewis Houston, $2 50
George Wish, 1.10
Guilford Trust Co., 20
Mrs. Hattie Rollins, 20
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$24 60  $24 60

Due from Frank Bishop, 20
Due from W. L. Hammond, 40
Treasurer's Report

Inhabitants of the Town of Guilford in account with RAYMOND W. DAVIS, Treasurer.

CREDIT

1914
February 21, 1914, Cash on hand, $2,158.54

Received from:

State Treasurer:

Account of Dog tax refunded, $43.11
Free Library, 57.50
Soldier's Pensions, 381.00
State roads, 63.46
School and mill tax, 1,477.13
Common school fund, 1,315.08
Free High school fund, 500.00
Railroad and Tel. tax, 47.85

$3,885.13

Interest on deposit in Guilford Trust Co., $6.84
Pool license, 10.00
Town of St. Albans, on account J. Folsom, 40.00
Town of Skowhegan, on account E. Ames, 9.59
Dog taxes from C. S. Bennett, Town Clerk, 58.00
F. H. Weymouth, stumpage on Chadbourne lot, 5.00
No. Main street sewer dividend, 71
C. F. Cole, use of town lot, 1.00
S. D. Rice, account State Aid Highways, 47.67
E. E. Babb on account of bill paid twice (offset), 3.34
H. M. Pullen account supplies sold, 2.50
C. M. Drew, use of town office for inquest, 2.00
Tuition,

Blanchard, $48.50
Parkman, 124.10
Willimantic, 18.00
Sangerville, 46.20
Blanchard, Abbot, Shirley and Sangerville for testing scales, $14 00
M. Hudson for use of Hall rooms for Democratic Club, 6 00
S. D. Rice, account of gravel sold, 53 10
Interest bearing order, 1,000 00
Fred A. Heath, Collector, total commitment, 20,293 61
M. Hudson for rent of Town hall 1914, 896 32

$28,933 35

DEBIT
Cash paid out:
Account Soldier's State pensions, $381 00
State treasurer, State taxes, 3,555 73
State treasurer, State Aid Highway, 533 00
State treasurer, Dog tax, 58 00
State treasurer, Highway fund overpaid, 1 95
State treasurer, Highway commission, 50 00
Free Public Library, F. O. Martin, treasurer, 57 50
E. E. Babb, account bill paid twice, 3 34
County treasurer, county tax, 1914, 646 99
Interest order number 326-1913, 1,100 00
Interest order number 423-1903, 700 00
Interest order number, 63-1906, 100 00
Interest order number 430-1907, 100 00
Order number 778, outstanding 1913, 12 15
Selectmen's orders for 1914, 18,796 49
Feb. 23, 1915, cash on hand, 2,837 20

$28,933 35

Respectfully submitted,
RAYMOND W. DAVIS, Treasurer.
Auditor's Report

I hereby certify that I have this day examined and audited the accounts of the selectmen and treasurer of the town of Guilford for the year ending March 1915, and find the same correct.

FRANK O. MARTIN, Auditor.
Guilford, Maine, Feb. 23, 1915.
To the Citizens of Guilford:

The school committee organized soon after the last annual town meeting with A. C. Genthner, chairman; Chas. Turner and Henry Elliot, second and third members. During the early part of the year we were handicapped considerably by the fact that we were all new members and entirely inexperienced in this particular line of work. During the year it has been our aim to become familiar with the duties of this office and to make our schools as efficient as possible.

As we were instructed to do at the last annual meeting, we endeavored to engage Mr. McKusick of Parkman to serve us as superintendent, but were unable to make satisfactory terms with him. Negotiations were made with the Monson union and finally satisfactory arrangements were made whereby the present union was formed, which consists of Abbot, Blanchard, Guilford, Monson and Willimantic. The proportional part of the salary to be paid by this town for the first year was fixed at $150.00. H. M. Pullen was elected as superintendent. As the regular year of the old union did not close until July 1st, it was not possible for the new union to go into effect until that date. During the intervening time W. F. Holman assumed the duties of superintendent.

Four of the rural schools have been maintained during the year. The school at Low's bridge was opened in the spring with an enrollment of eleven pupils, three of these being Sangerville scholars. The two Rogers children at North Guilford have attended the Bates school in Abbot. Last year $100.00 was raised to buy organs for the rural schools. On investigation we found, that wherever there were musical instruments in schools that these had been purchased by
funds raised by the respective schools, therefore this money has not been expended as we felt that it would be more wisely expended for musical instruction than for instruments. The conveyance problem we have tried to settle as fairly for all concerned as possible. Several repairs are needed on the rural buildings. The Center, Grover and Low's bridge houses should have the walls and ceilings patched and calsomined and the inside wood-work painted. Some repairs need to be made on the foundations, and the Center, and Low's Bridge buildings should be painted outside. We estimate that $150.00 will be sufficient for repair work on the rural buildings.

The appropriation made for laying concrete walks about the village buildings was expended accordingly. These walks have proven to be very satisfactory and most beneficial during the wet seasons. Two new hardwood floors were laid in the High school building during the summer, one in a recitation room and the other in the Grammar schoolroom. These were greatly needed as the old floors had become badly cracked, worn and splintered, being unsafe and extremely unsanitary. The desks in both buildings were varnished, as was the woodwork on the lower floor of the High school building. The flue of the furnace in the High school basement was changed and made larger. By this improvement the efficiency of the heating plant has been greatly increased.

A hood is needed in the laboratory room of the High school to prevent the odor of obnoxious gases from spreading throughout the whole building. A covering is also needed for the air shaft at the new building which will not interfere with the ventilation but at the same time keep out the rain and snow.

Several of the insurance policies expire this year. The premiums on these will be $355.20. This accounts for the increase which we ask for in the repair and insurance account.
In the financial report of last year it will be noted that there were overdrafts in three accounts, textbook, supply and common school. As shown by the report, the overdrafts in the textbook and supply accounts were comparatively small. We have taken care of these this year as our report will show. There were, however, as the last annual report did not show, outstanding bills in the textbook and supply accounts which amounted to $113.55 and $74.49 respectively. As these bills were not reported, we have not felt that we were responsible for their settlement out of this year's appropriation, and furthermore, this would not have been possible, as $300.00 in each of these accounts are the smallest amounts with which it is practicable to try and conduct our schools successfully. The overdraft in the common school account has been considerably reduced this year with the resources with which we have had to work.

NOTE CAREFULLY THE FOLLOWING FACTS

1st. The actual cost of maintaining our schools per week when all are in session, as near as can be estimated, is $143.00; teacher's wages, $110.00; janitors, $12.00; conveyance, $5.00; tuition, $1.00; fuel, $15.00.

2nd. If we have thirty-six weeks of school, which we believe we should have, the approximate amount which must be supplied for common schools is $5,148.00

3rd. The amount which we have received from the State during the past year has been cut down $96.73 from that of the previous year, leaving a total from the State of $2,792.21.

4th. The amount received from tuition will generally be about $175.00, although it has been somewhat more than that this year.

5th. The amounts received from the State and tuition give a total of approximately $3,000.00, leaving a balance of about $2,150.00 to be supplied by the town.

6th. $2,150.00 and about $400.00 overdraft from last year makes approximately $2,500.00 needed for the following year.
During the past year we have endeavored to obtain a clear knowledge of the financing of our schools and as a result of these investigations we strongly recommend that the following appropriations be made for the different departments. Our recommendations in the textbook and supply accounts are sufficient to take care of the old bills mentioned above.

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<td>Music and drawing</td>
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<td>Janitor and fuel for High school</td>
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### FINANCIAL REPORT

#### COMMON SCHOOLS

**Receipts**

- Appropriated by town, $2,000 00
- State common school fund, 1,315 08
- State mill fund, 1,477 13
- Appropriated for music and drawing, 200 00

**Received from tuition:**

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<td>Sangerville</td>
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Total $5,257 61

**Overdrawn 1914-1915,** $381 23

Total $5,638 84
Expenditures

Teachers' Wages:
Carlberg, Clara, $299 00
Cleaves, Hattie, 407 00
Coombs, Emma, 210 00
Cousins, Agnes, 443 00
Delano, Clara, 443 00
Estabrook, Phyllis, 9 00
Fogg, Rebecca, 90 00
Hayden, Mrs. Winnifred, 198 00
Herring, Idella, 360 00
Ireland, Addie, 218 60
Knowles, Edwin, 124 20
Marsh, Helen, 198 00
Smith, Lilla, 450 00
Storer, Alice, 78 60
True, Mrs. Harold, 332 50

Total Teachers' Wages $3,860 90

Teachers' board:
Brown, Mrs. R. E., $13 00

Tuition:
Town of Abbot, $33 60

Conveyance:
Brawn, Gorham, $12 00
Chase, T. J., 16 00
Priest, Lester, 20 00
Rogers, Elmer, 51 00
Smith, Edwin, 60 00

Total Conveyance $205 60

Janitors' services:
Beane, Lester, $ 5 85
Beane, Lewis, 3 85
Burgess, Elton, 14 05
Carberg, Clara, 12 70
Crafts, Clair, 13 25
Ryan, L. F., 292 39

Total Janitors' services $342 09
Fuel:

Applebee, W. H., $15.00
Bennett, Leon S., 18.00
Burgess, Elton, 1.75
Cornor, F. W., 7.50
Douglass, H. & Co., 41.75
Field, Kenneth, 4.25
Guilford Mfg. Co., 10.00
Herring, L. L., 21.75
Harrington, H. L., 88.72
Macomber, C., 18.00
Martin, Carl, 18.00
Piscataquis Woolen Co., 179.86
Ryan, L. F., 27.10
Sanders, Neal, 4.30
Wish, Geo., 2.00

Total, $457.98

Total expenditures for year 1914-1915, $4,866.57

Overdraft 1913-1914, $772.27

Total, $5,638.84

TEXTBOOK ACCOUNT

Receipts

Appropriated by town, $300.00
Books sold, 1.50

Total, $301.50

Overdrawn 1914-1915, 5.07

Total, $306.57

Expenditures

American Book Co., $30.19
Babb, E. E. & Co., 12.74
Barnard, F. J. & Co., 37.30
Ginn & Co., 57.22
Harrington, H. L., 3.62
Heath, D. C. & Co., 57.14
Holman, W. F., 1.04
Houghton Mifflin & Co., 11.19
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<td>Silver, Burdett &amp; Co.</td>
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Expended, $278 33
Overdraft 1913-1914 as shown by report, $28 24

Total expenditures 1914-1915, 306 57

Amount of outstanding bills at last annual town meeting which were not reported:

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<td>Scribner, Chas. &amp; Sons</td>
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Total indebtedness on old bills, $118 55

**REPAIR ACCOUNT**

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<td>Herring, Mrs. L. L.</td>
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SUPPLY AND APPLIANCE ACCOUNT

Receipts

Appropriated by town,  $300 00
Received from pupils .   1 30

Total,  $301 30

Overdrawn 1914-1915,  1 20

Total,  $302 50

Expenditures

Babb, E. E. & Co.,  53 05
Beck Duplicating Co.,  2 50
Bennett, C. S.,  4 00
Crafts, Archie,  3 60
Douglass, H. & Co.,  9 19
Edes, J. K. & Sons,  3 09
Genthner, A. C.,  5 61
Ginn & Co.,  6 48
Hammett, J. L. & Co.,  45 52
Harrington, H. L.,  2 50
Hamer, Myron,  1 50
Hay, H. H. Sons,  2 63
Knowlton, D. H. & Co., 11 16
Knott, L. E. & Co., 31 17
Milton Bradley Co., 18 36
Milwaukee Brush Co., 8 50
Oakes, Lloyd, 1 00
Pepper, J. W. & Sons, 5 48
Pullen, H. M., 3 65
Rand, McNally & Co., 5 95
Register Pub. Co., 9 00
Rumford Supply Co., 6 36
Ryan, L. F., 1 50
Ross, E. E., 1 20
Scales, John, 3 43
Shaw Business College, 8 00
Superintendent's account, 1 20

Total, $290 63

Overdraft, 1913-1914 as shown by report, 11 87

Total, $302 50

Amount of outstanding bills at annual town meeting which were not reported:
Babb, E. E. & Co., $21 69
Hammett, J. L. & Co., 9 10
Knott, L. E. & Co., 13 17
Milton Bradley Co., 30 53

Total indebtedness on old bills, $74 49

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Receipts
Appropriated by town, $1,500 00
Received from State, 500 00
Received from tuition:
Blanchard, 48 50
Parkman, 116 50
Willimantic, 18 00
Unexpended 1913-1914, 922 93

Total, $3,105 93

Expenditures
Teacher's wages:
Holman, W. F., $1,243 89
Arnold, Francis, 252 00
Fogg, Rebecca, 204 00
Patten, Bessie, 305 52
Pfaff, G. Barbara, 75 00
Pike, Carolyn, 239 00

Total, $2,319 41
Unexpended, 786 52
Appropriated for janitor and fuel, 300 00
Expended for janitor and fuel:
Applebee, W. H., $39 38
Harrington, H. L., 14 46
Piscataquis Woolen Co., 127 35
Ryan, L. F., 117 81
Whitman, Perley, 1 00

Total, $300 00

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN
Receipts
Appropriated by town, $50 00

Expenditures
Paid Dr. J. L. Potter, $50 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
Receipts
Appropriated by town, $250 00

$250 00
Expenditures

Paid for services:
Holman, W. F., 52 12
Pullen, H. M., 87 50
Total, $139 62
Unexpended, 110 38

SPECIAL FUND FOR ORGANS

Receipts
Appropriated by town, $100 00
Unexpended, $100 00

ARTICE C. GENTHNER,
CHAS. P. TURNER
HENRY A. ELLIOTT
Superintending School Committee.
Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the superintending school committee:

Gentlemen:

It gives me pleasure to submit a short statement of the progress of the schools of the town for the spring term of 1914.

At your request I assumed the duties of Superintendent March 15th, with the understanding that my position should be temporary, and should terminate with the formation of the union of towns then under consideration. I retained the office until July 1st under that arrangement.

During the spring term the same corps of teachers remained in force as submitted in the previous report, with the exception of Miss Crocker, in the Brown school whose resignation made a change necessary at the beginning of the spring term. Miss Alice Storer of Milo was engaged to fill this vacancy for the remainder of the year.

On account of my work in the High school I was unable to devote to the rural schools the time that they should have received. I was able, however, to keep in touch with the teachers, and to supply all necessary material: The school at Low's Bridge which had been closed for some time was opened with an enrollment of eleven pupils, and I think that the results of the year have shown it to be essential that a school be maintained there.

At the close of the spring term I submitted the necessary reports to the State Department, and issued contracts to all teachers who were to be retained for the coming school year. The usual promotions were made in the grades, and the work well completed.
In conclusion let me say that I fully realize that I could not have carried the double duties of teacher and superintendent without the assistance of the school committee, for which I am very grateful.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. HOLMAN.

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Guilford, I respectfully submit my first report of your public schools:

As I did not assume the duties of this office until the present union of towns went into effect I was unable to give an authentic report covering the first half of the year. This part of the report Mr. Holman has kindly consented to make, which I have submitted above.

No doubt many expected that marked changes would be made in the school system during the past year on account of the election of an entirely new board of school officials. I believe, however, that I express the sentiments of your committee as well as my own when I state that in our opinions it is not by radical changes and innovations but by gradual and carefully considered remodelling that the greatest and most lasting results are obtained. There have been some rearrangements made which we feel confident have been for the advancement and increased efficiency of our schools.

HIGH SCHOOL

This has been a very prosperous year in this school. Although there have been unavoidable changes in the teaching force, these have been made as far as possible without any marked interruption in the general work. We were fortunate in retaining Mr. Holman for the third consecutive year. He is a man of strong personality, and of great value to the school, both as an instructor and executive. The vacancies caused by the resignation of Miss Arnold and Miss Pike were filled
at the opening of the fall term by Miss Bessie Patten, a graduate of Bates college, and Miss Rebecca Fogg, who taught in the Center school last spring. Miss Patten, although coming to us inexperienced, has proven herself to be an able and efficient instructor and to be untiring in her efforts to make the work in her classes most successful. Miss Fogg resigned at the end of first half of the year and Miss Barbara Pfaff was elected to fill this vacancy in the English and History departments. Miss Pfaff's success in these departments is very evident. During the first half of the year courses in elocution were offered to the juniors and seniors. Much credit is due Miss Fogg for the success attained in this branch.

COMMON SCHOOLS

Fortunately we have been obliged to make but one change in the teaching force of the village schools during the year. Miss Emma Coombs resigned at the close of the spring term and Mrs. Harold True was elected to fill the vacancy. I believe that it may rightly be said that we have a very efficient corps of teachers in our village schools, teachers who are striving to maintain a high standard in all the school activities. Mrs. Harold True has been giving a course during a part of the year which has included a very thorough study of the history, geography and physical features of the town and county. This has been of much value to the school and should be given in alternate years. Some promotions have been made during the fall and winter terms in cases where conditions would permit.

RURAL SCHOOLS

I have endeavored during the fall and winter terms, as far as I have been able, to bring about as great a uniformity as possible between the rural and village schools. I believe that this particular work should be strongly emphasized in order that pupils who change from one to the other may continue their work with-
out its being seriously interrupted. The first step in bringing this condition to pass is the employment of competent teachers. I believe that we have been fortunate in this particular during the year. We were sorry to have Miss Storer resign from the Brown school at the close of the spring term. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in hiring teachers for this school during the year on account of the distance of a boarding place from the school-house. Due to this fact the school was closed at the middle of the winter term, with the understanding that the school would have a longer term in the spring.

Very satisfactory progress has been made in the other rural schools which is very largely due to the trained and experienced teachers whom we have been fortunate in securing for these positions.

As stated in the committee's report, repair work is needed on some of the rural buildings in order to make them more sanitary, and also more attractive to pupils, teachers and parents. The best work of pupils and teachers can be done only when the environments are in their best conditions.

The courses in Music and Drawing have been supervised during the year by Miss Helen Marsh. Very good progress has been made. I strongly recommend that arrangements be made if possible whereby music and drawing may be more systematically taught in the rural schools.

Visitors are always welcomed in the schools. I believe that during the past year there have not been enough visits made by parents and friends. It seems to me that the only fair way for those who commend or criticise our schools is to observe the work which is being done during the school hours. Friendly criticism and suggestions are gladly received. We urge that visitors be more numerous during the coming year.
I wish to extend to the committee my sincere thanks and heartiest appreciation for their most loyal support. The meetings of this board have been frequent and all problems have been fully discussed and considered before being settled.

I am pleased to submit to you the reports from Prin. W. F. Holman and Dr. J. L. Potter.

REPORT OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools:

In the brief summary of the year now closing in the High school, which I enclose, I would respectfully call attention to a few points which I believe to be pertinent to the welfare of the high school department especially.

At the beginning of the spring term of 1914 the total enrollment in the school numbered sixty. During the term three students entered on transfer papers from other schools, making a total of sixty-three. I recommended eight students for graduation. Three weeks before graduation we were saddened by the sudden death of the class president, Cyrus Chamberlain, and while it not my purpose to enter at this time into a discussion of the loss we as a school sustained, may I say that I have known but few students, whose life and character were such a source of inspiration to a teacher. As a consequence of this our graduation exercises were somewhat altered and but seven received their diplomas publicly. At the beginning of the fall term I enrolled sixty-three students. During the year I have transferred one to Deering High, one to Belfast High, and one to Edward Little High, leaving the present enrollment sixty students.

No student has dropped school this year, and I may say that present indications point next September to one of the largest entering classes in the history of the school. If the work of the present year is concluded satisfactorily I expect to recommend sixteen students for graduation in June.
Now just a word as to conditions. I am very glad to note the fact that the average attendance for the year past has been 98.3% for the spring term, 98.1% for the fall term, and 97% for the winter, the best record since I have had anything to do with the High school. This is encouraging, but the per cent of tardiness is not so much a source of pride, being 92.3%. Can we not remedy this at home?

Our High school has no right to exist unless its aim is first the making of a decent citizen. We need an additional course of study for the boys and girls who cannot go beyond High school, and an extra teacher for the same. It is bound to come if the times demand it. How unfair it is to base a course of study on the twenty per cent that may continue their education, and neglect the eighty per cent that never will. Other schools are falling into line on this proposition. Let us work for it. Fiske tells us "The secret of success is, just doing the thing when it needs to be done" and if we apply it to education it simply means, give the boy and girl the best surroundings possible as to buildings and equipment, and do a few things well in school. I have said again and again that we need to put the school first in the mind of the boy or girl, not some thing else. I claim that for nine months in the year we have a right to the time and attention of the student if you are in turn to demand anything of us. To secure that we need a good spirit on the part of instructor, and pupils alike, fair play, personal contact, whenever possible, as little red tape as possible, and a realization on the part of the pupil that whoever gets anything out of school must first put something into it. To realize some of these things the past year has been my aim, and in closing this report I wish to express my appreciation of the courtesy and aid extended me in all departments by your superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. HOLMAN, Principal.
REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

The duty of a school physician is to examine every scholar in the schools for diseases, defects and deformities. If diseases, defects or deformities are found he notifies parents or guardians of the same that they may seek the proper treatment.

It is to be regretted that there is not more attention paid to notifications sent to parents. Certainly it is for their interest as well as the scholar's to see that they grow to be strong and useful men and women and intellectually qualified to meet the demands of life's work.

The tabulated results of examinations follow:

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Number of notifications sent to parents, 100

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. POTTER, School Physician.

Feb. 20, 1915.
REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICER


To the Superintendent of Schools:

Your truant officer begs leave to submit the following report:

Number of absentees reported, 10
Found to be truants, 5
Found and returned to school, 1
Leaving school at recess, 4

10

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. WISH, Truant Officer.

Respectfully submitted,

H. M. PULLEN,
Superintendent of Schools.
Report of Guilford Memorial Library

The Trustees of Guilford Memorial Library respectfully submit the following report for the year ending February 1, 1915.

The Library has been open 102 days.

No. of books issued for home use, 11,654
Largest number issued one day, 183
Average number issued in one day, 114

The following splendid sets of books have been added:


The reference books are used more each year.

Patrons of the library enjoy the open stack, which allows them to choose books for themselves.

Any gifts of books or magazines are gratefully received.

The Treasurer's report showing the financial condition of the Library is given below.

Respectfully,
MRS. R. H. MARSH, Secretary of Trustees.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The treasurer of the Guilford Memorial library submits the following report for the year ending March 1, 1915.

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, $81 42
of Town of Guilford, 575 00
of State of Maine, 57 50
for book fines collected, 35 04
5c. fiction, 27 84
for binding books, 5 24
for books sold, 8 73

$790 77
EXPENDITURES

Books and magazines, $244.62
Binding books and magazines, 32.12
Cataloging, 11.84
Electric lights for year, 20.80
Fuel, etc., 72.40
Fixtures, 2.60
Incidentals, 2.77
Insurance premium, 52.50
Janitor, 62.10
Librarian and assistants, 232.50
Printing, 12.50
Reader's Guide, 6.00
Supplies, 8.25

$761.00

Cash balance, 29.77

$790.77

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK O. MARTIN,
Treasurer.
To the Selectmen of the Town of Guilford:

The Board of Health submits the following report. The town has been remarkably free from the more contagious diseases for the past year. No epidemics whatever. Two cases of typhoid which, however, were contracted out of town, and a few cases of measles has been the extent.

A few nuisances have been abated and the board would especially recommend that all drains from sinks, which now empty on the surface of the ground, should either be connected with the sewer or a suitable pit dug.

A word about tuberculosis. This is the most serious contagious disease that we have to contend with, as it is the hardest to manage, few people realizing the danger. It is earnestly hoped and urged that the town will see fit to raise the amount asked for to provide for a district nurse as this seems to be the best way to get at the problem.

C. W. STEVENS,
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G. E. DORE, Sec.
Board of Health.
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DOG LICENSES

48 Males, $1.00 each, 48 00
2 Females, $5.00 each, 10 00

Total, 58 00

C. S. BENNETT, Town Clerk.
Town Warrant

STATE OF MAINE
PISCATAQUIS, SS.
To FRED A. HEATH, a Constable in the Town of Guilford in said 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 by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town hall in said town on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon 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 Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.
Art. 5. To choose a Town Treasurer.
Art. 6. To choose a Town Agent.
Art. 7. To choose a member of the Superintending School Committee.
Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to unite with any other town or towns to employ a Superintendent of Schools in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 296 of the Public Laws for the year 1897, as provided by Chapter 15 of the Revised Statutes as amended in 1903.
Art. 9. To choose a Superintendent of Schools or to see if the town will vote to authorize the Superintending School Committee to elect a Superintendent of Schools.
Art. 10. To choose a Collector of Taxes and see what method the town will adopt for the collection of taxes for the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To choose one or more Auditors of Accounts.

Art. 12. To choose one or more Constables.

Art. 13. To choose a Truant Officer for the ensuing year.

Art. 14. To choose Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber, and all other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to pay the Superintendent of Schools for each day of actual service, or to pay a stated salary, and raise money to pay for same.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of common schools.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs and insurance on school houses the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the Free High school at the village.

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

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for school supplies and appliances.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of the poor and other town charges.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay outstanding interest bearing debt and interest on the same.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of roads and bridges.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to build new side walks and repair of the old side walks in Guilford Village.
Art. 25. To see if the town will vote “yes” or “no” on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid, as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 26. To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of $533.00 for the improvement of the section of State aid road as outlined in report of the State highway commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for fire purposes and electric lights.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to pay the Superintending school committee for their services the ensuing year.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of five hundred and seventy-five dollars ($575.00) for the support of the Guilford Memorial Library.

Art. 30. To choose one or more trustees for the Guilford Memorial Library.

Art. 31. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for music in the schools.

Art. 32. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to help pay the expenses of Memorial day, and how same may be expended.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to have a night watchman in Guilford village and vote to raise money to pay said night watchman.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one thousand dollars, and pay the same over to the treasurer of the Guilford Water company as per contract signed August 10, 1910 as per vote of said town.
Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150.00) or some other appropriate sum, and pay the same to the Treasurer of the Guilford Fire company, the same to be paid to each member for practicing and fighting fires according to the time actually put in by each member.

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to cut bushes by side of town roads, and buy boards to build and repair snow fences.

Art. 37. To see if the town will authorize the school board to appoint a school physician for making medical inspection of our schools and what sum of money shall be raised for same.

Art. 38. To see what action the town will take to protect public and private property in the village of Guilford and stop rowdyism and disturbance of the peace and quiet of its citizens on the nights of July 3rd and 4th, 1915.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to furnish free the use of water and standpipes as used for sprinkling the streets to any party that will put the same in repair and keep the pipes in repair free of expense to said town.

Art. 40. To see what sum of money the town will raise for fuel and janitor's services in the High school.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to elect one or more fire wards, fix their compensation and raise money for same.

Art. 42. To see whether the town will vote to raise money and what sum for the maintenance of State highways during the ensuing year within the limits of the town, under the provision of Section 9 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on the streets in Guilford Village where they are not already supplied, and to be left to the
judgment of the selectmen to be placed where necessary, and raise money to pay for the same.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to make some provision for draining High street down past the house of Lewis Robbins and towards the depot, and raise money for the same.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to buy a piece of land of Mrs. Ivory Littlefield for gravel, for the use of the town, for benefit of roads and to raise money to pay for the same, price being $45.00.

Art. 46. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used by the board of health in hiring a visiting nurse, whose duty it shall be to look after the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis; said sum not to exceed two hundred dollars ($200.00), and to be used in conjunction with other money raised by other towns for the same purposes.

Art. 47. To see if the town will vote to buy a chemical engine for fire purposes, at a cost not to exceed five hundred fifty dollars ($550.00) and will vote to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 48. To see if the town will vote to cut down the ledge on top of the hill between the house of W. H. Applebee and road leading to North Guilford and raise money to pay for the same.

Art. 49. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to buy a new road machine and raise money to pay for same.

Art. 50. To see if the town will vote to buy a safe in which to keep the Town Clerk's books and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 51. To see if the town will vote to instruct the proper officers to enforce the Automobile law as to fast driving in the limits of Guilford village.
Art. 52. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to be used in commemorating the 100th anniversary of the incorporation of the town of Guilford; and appoint a committee to have charge of the same.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting and revising the list of voters at the Town hall at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the day of the said meeting.

Given under our hands at Guilford this 22 day of February, A. D. 1915.

MICAJAH HUDSON,
F. H. WEYMOUTH,
E. E. FAIRBROTHER,
Selectmen of Guilford.