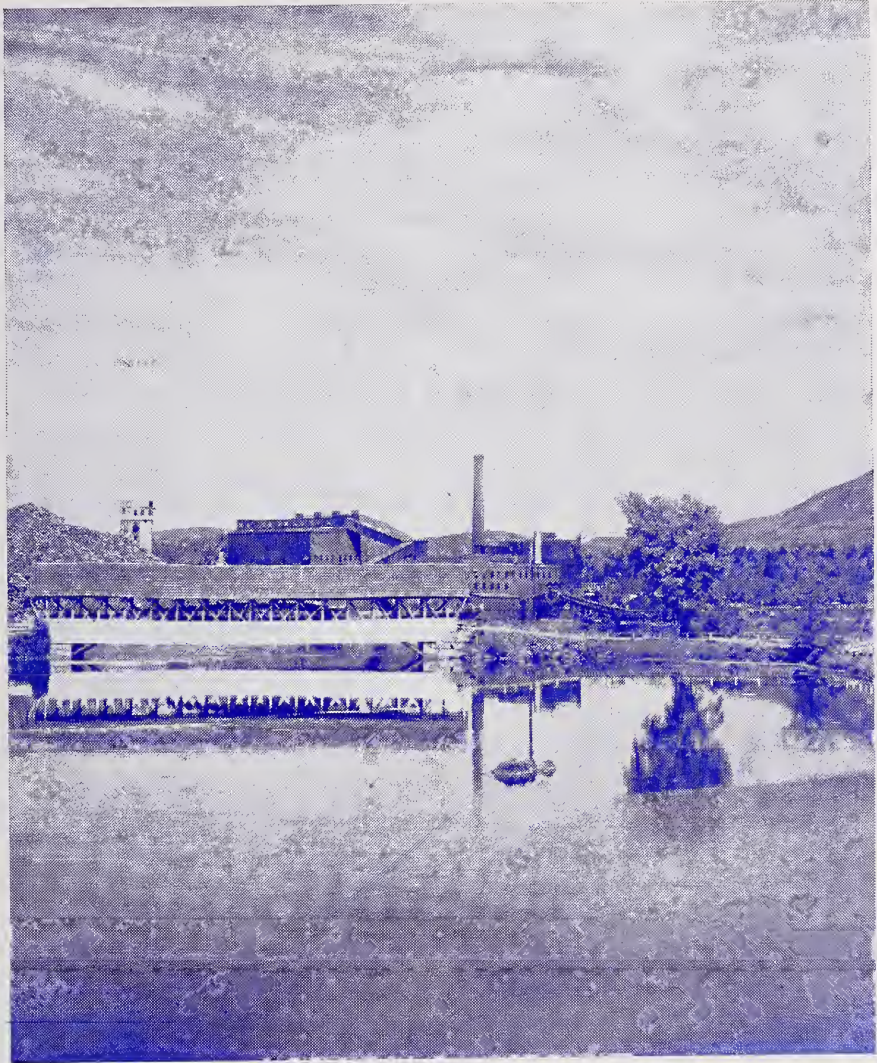


NH
352.07
N878
1968



1968
Annual Report
NORTHUMBERLAND

NEW HAMPSHIRE



GROVETON FIRE ALARM
BOXES AND LOCATIONS
FEB. 6. 1954
JAF

2-2-2 OUT OF TOWN
3-3-3 FOREST FIRE CALL
4-4-4 EMERGENCY CALL

Annual Report
of the
Municipal Officers
of the Town of
NORTHUMBERLAND
New Hampshire

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31st

1968

DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS

Selectmen

ELVIN WOODWARD JOHN FORREST
LEWIS MAYHEW

Town Manager

DANA KINGSTON

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

JEANNE GARLAND

Treasurer

ROBERT BOUCHER

Chief of Police

VICTOR CLOUTIER

Public Works Foreman

FORREST MAGUIRE

Town Nurse

WILETTA LURVEY, R.N.

Health Officer

ROBERT HINKLEY, M.D.

Civil Defense Director

SHEPARD MAHURIN

Judge, Municipal Court

RALPH ROWDEN

Precinct Commission

C. DEAN SANBORN RALPH HURLBUTT
CARROLL MATTHEWS

Fire Chief

MAX HALL

Assistant Fire Chiefs

EDWIN CARVER STANLEY EMERY

Supervisors of Check List

HELEN ANDERSON HOWARD CRAGGY
ARTHUR LeCLERE, JR.

Auditors

WENDELL ANDERSON LEO RICH

Library Trustees

HELEN ANDERSON I. ELTON BENNETT
 CHANDLER MATTHEWS

Librarian

WINIFRED TRASK

Recreation Commission

SALLY RYAN CLARA HERSOM
 ERNEST JEWELL ELETA JOHNSON
 STEWART MARSHALL

Planning Commission

JAMES EMERSON KENDALL BRANN
 NATALIE POTTER J. RICHARD POTTER
 LEWIS MAYHEW

Zoning Board of Adjustment

JOHN KNIGHTS RALPH HURLBUTT
 NEIL WOODWARD ROBERT BOUCHER
 PIERSON FOGG DANA KINGSTON

Cemetery Committee

GEORGE COLE ARLO ELLIOTT
 ELVIN WOODWARD

Moderator

LYLE HERSOM

AUDITOR'S REPORT

(January 1969)

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Water Collector, Library Trustees, Trustees of the Trust Funds, Town Nurse, Municipal Court, Youth Center Commission, and Chief of Police, and found them correct with proper vouchers.

WENDELL ANDERSON
 LEO RICH
 Auditors

**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF
PROPERTY VALUATION**

	Total Town	Precinct
Land—Improved and Unimproved	\$ 604,180.00	\$ 453,970.00
Buildings	2,520,370.00	2,271,440.00
Factory Machinery	3,066,840.00	3,066,840.00
Public Utilities—Electric	553,300.00	553,300.00
House Trailers, Mobile Homes and Travel Trailers	67,050.00	53,100.00
Stock in Trade of Merchants	169,730.00	167,750.00
Stock in Trade of Manufacturers	970,410.00	970,410.00
Boats and Launches	1,000.00	1,000.00
Neat Stock	17,280.00	11,500.00
Poultry	1,260.00	1,260.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	9,480.00	9,480.00
Portable Mills	15,000.00	15,000.00
Road Building and Construction Machinery	99,950.00	80,460.00
Wood, Lumber, Logs	7,840.00	760.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>
Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	\$9,176,490.00	\$8,729,070.00
Blind Exemptions	3,000.00	3,000.00
Neatstock Exemptions	5,500.00	3,600.00
Poultry Exemptions	350.00	350.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>
Total Exemptions Allowed	\$ 8,850.00	\$ 6,950.00
Net Valuation On Which Tax Rate Is Computed	\$9,167,640.00	\$8,722,120.00

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1968**

Total Town Appropriations	\$ 243,258.04
Less: Estimated Revenues & Credits	
Interest & Dividends Tax	\$ 1,552.65
Railroad Tax	401.99
Savings Bank Tax	701.23
Meals & Rooms Tax	4,712.00
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	478.21
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	2,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	50.00
Dog Licenses	350.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	17,500.00
Rent of Town Property	20.00
Income from Trust Funds	200.00
Fines & Forfeits—Municipal Court	1,600.00
Water Department	11,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	433.15
Poll Taxes—993 @ \$2.00	1,986.00
Income from Departments	4,000.00
Notes—Articles 22 & 23 (water line extensions)	32,000.00
	<hr/>
Total Revenues & Credits	\$ 78,985.23
	<hr/>
Net Town Appropriations	\$ 164,272.81
Net School Appropriations	324,382.75
County Tax Assessment	41,569.10
	<hr/>
Total of Town, School & County	\$ 530,224.66
Add: War Service Tax Credits	10,500.00
Add: Overlay	9,333.74
	<hr/>
Property Taxes To Be Raised	\$ 550,058.40
Precinct Taxes To Be Raised	19,188.66
	<hr/>
Total Property Taxes	\$ 569,247.06

TAX RATES

	1968	1967	1966	1965
Town	\$2.01	\$2.01	\$1.91	\$1.92
School	3.54	4.04	3.76	3.55
Precinct	.22	.16	.21	.16
County	.45	.45	.37	.47
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
Total	\$6.22	\$6.66	\$6.25	\$6.10

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1968**

Title of Appropriation	Amount of Appropriation	Receipts and Reim- bursements	Total Amount Available	Expendi- tures	Unexpended Balances	Over- drafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 14,850.00	\$	\$ 14,850.00	\$ 14,900.58	\$	\$ 50.58
Town Officers' Expenses	2,600.00	44.37	2,644.37	2,504.77	139.60	
Office Furniture and Equipment	500.00		500.00	428.22	71.78	
Election and Registration	2,000.00	7.00	2,007.00	2,011.03		4.03
Municipal Court	1,000.00	2,100.00	3,100.00	826.80		
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	3,400.00		3,400.00	3,458.68	2,273.20	58.68
Police and Article 16	22,300.00	101.75	22,401.75	24,109.87		1,708.12
Fire, incl. Forest Fire	500.00		500.00	656.00		156.00
Blister Rust and Care of Trees	500.00		500.00	27.77	472.23	
Planning and Zoning	300.00		300.00	96.05	203.95	
Insurance	5,200.00		5,200.00	5,413.08		213.08
Civil Defense	1,350.00	447.08	1,797.08	1,049.78	747.30	
Health Department	3,000.00	2,313.86	5,313.86	5,067.01	246.85	
Vital Statistics	150.00		150.00		150.00	
Sewer Maintenance	4,000.00		4,000.00	3,398.74	601.26	
Dump Maintenance	2,400.00		2,400.00	2,466.20		66.20
Summer Maintenance	13,800.00	1,000.00	14,800.00	14,139.25	660.75	
Winter Maintenance	18,000.00		18,000.00	20,468.84		2,468.84
Town Road Aid	303.64		303.64	303.64		
Street Lighting	9,100.00		9,100.00	8,955.23	144.77	

Parks and Playgrounds	1,200.00			1,314.66		114.66
General Expenses Highway Dept.	7,000.00	2,088.62	9,088.62	8,076.28	1,012.34	
Tarring Streets	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,729.00		229.00
Sidewalk Maintenance	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		
Public Library	6,000.00	360.27	6,360.27	6,249.76	110.51	
Old Age Assistance	10,500.00	269.23	10,769.23	5,463.56	5,305.67	
Town Poor	6,000.00	1,407.20	7,407.20	3,263.28	4,143.92	
Band Concerts	600.00		600.00	596.00	4.00	
Youth Center	4,500.00		4,500.00	4,413.48	86.52	
Swimming Pool	4,000.00	1,162.00	5,162.00	3,986.42	1,175.58	
Water Maintenance	12,000.00	402.70	12,402.70	12,790.92		388.22
Cemeteries	2,200.00	630.00	2,830.00	2,303.73	526.27	
Damage and Legal Expenses	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,024.77		24.77
Advertising and Regional Assn.	700.00		700.00	130.00	570.00	
Retirement and Social Security	4,000.00		4,000.00	3,924.69	75.31	
Interest	1,750.40		1,750.40	1,791.43		41.03
Long Term Notes	14,625.00		14,625.00	14,625.00		
Totals	\$185,329.04	\$12,334.08	\$197,663.12	\$184,464.52	\$18,721.81	\$5,523.21
Unexpended Balances Less Overdrafts					5,523.21	
Total Unexpended Balances					13,198.60	
Less Estimated Revenues (Used in Computing Tax Rate)					5,800.00	
Net Unexpended Balances					\$ 7,398.60	

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES**ASSETS**

Cash On Hand 12/31/68	\$202,924.68
U.S. Treasury Bills	25,000.00
Rental Income, Thorpe Estate	4,409.52
Library Construction Fund	755.85
Uncollected Water Rentals	5,911.11
Uncollected Head Taxes	2,110.00
Uncollected Poll Taxes	662.00
Uncollected Yield Taxes	465.22
Unredeemed Tax Sales	15,897.55
Uncollected Property Taxes: Levy of 1968	30,233.41
	<hr/>
Total Assets	\$288,369.34

LIABILITIES

Due School District	\$224,382.75
Uncollected Head Taxes	2,110.00
Head Taxes Collected But Not Remitted To State	210.00
Yield Tax Due State	77.53
Rental Income, Thorpe Estate	4,409.52
Information Booth Area	1,500.00
Change of Location, Band Stand	750.00
Planning Program	3,425.00
Balance, Water System Survey	450.00
Balance, Graham & First Streets	515.11
Balance, New Cemetery Development	2,214.66

Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Swimming Pool	10,250.00
Fire Station	20,000.00
Water Line Extensions:	
Northumberland (1968)	21,000.00
Groveton (1968)	11,000.00
	<hr/>
Total Liabilities	\$302,294.57
	<hr/>
Excess of Liabilities Over Assets	\$ 13,924.23

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

Title of Obligation	Outstanding Principal	Principal Due in 1969	Interest Due in 1969
Swimming Pool	\$ 10,250.00	\$ 5,125.00	\$ 307.50
Fire Station	20,000.00	5,000.00	700.00
Water Line Extensions:			
Northumberland	21,000.00	4,200.00	756.00
Groveton	11,000.00	5,500.00	330.00
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
Totals	\$ 62,250.00	\$ 19,825.00	\$ 2,093.50

STATEMENT OF FUNDS INVESTED IN U.S. TREASURY BILLS

Amount Redeemed During 1968	\$100,000.00
Amount Invested	
During 1968	\$ 72,992.87
Amount Due In	
January 1969	25,000.00
	<hr/>
	97,992.87
	<hr/>
Net Income On Investment	\$ 2,007.13

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT**Registration of Automobiles**

1967 Auto permits issued in 1968	\$ 424.35
1968 Auto permits issued in 1968	18,937.64
1969 Auto permits issued in 1968	44.14
	<hr/>
Total remitted to Treasurer	\$ 19,406.13

DOG LICENSES ISSUED

183 Male dogs	329.40
14 Female dogs	67.20
9 Penalties	9.00
	<hr/>
Total remitted to Treasurer	\$ 405.60

Respectfully submitted,
 JEANNE A. GARLAND
 Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**SUMMARY OF WARRANT****Property, Poll and Yield Taxes, Levy of 1968**

—DR—

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$559,296.61
Poll Taxes	1,986.00
Nat'l Bank Stock Tax	428.40
	<hr/>
Total Warrant	\$561,711.01
Yield Taxes	573.61
Added Taxes:	
Property Taxes	74.64
Poll Taxes	28.00
	<hr/>
Interest Collected	102.64
	12.78
	<hr/>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$562,400.04

—CR—

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Property taxes	\$523,567.80
Poll Taxes	1,318.00
National Bank Stock Tax	428.40
Yield Taxes	108.39
Interest Collected	12.78
	<hr/>
	\$525,435.37
Discounts allowed	5,290.66
Abatements:	
Property Taxes	279.38
Poll Taxes	34.00
	<hr/>
	313.38
Uncollected Taxes:	
Property Taxes	30,233.41
Poll Taxes	662.00
Yield Taxes	465.22
	<hr/>
	31,360.63
	<hr/>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$562,400.04

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
State Head Tax Levy of 1968

—DR—

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Original Warrant	\$6,340.00
Added Taxes	85.00
	<hr/>
Total Commitment	\$ 6,425.00
Penalties collected	15.00
	<hr/>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 6,440.00

—CR—

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$ 4,295.00	
Penalties	15.00	
		<hr/>
		\$ 4,310.00
Abatements		20.00
Uncollected Head Taxes		2,110.00
		<hr/>
TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 6,440.00

*(For Previous Year's Levy)***SUMMARY OF WARRANT***State Head Tax, Levy of 1967*

—DR—

Uncollected Taxes—as of

Jan. 1, 1968	\$ 2,250.00
Added Taxes During 1968	120.00
Penalties Collected During 1968	213.00
	<hr/>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 2,583.00

—CR—

Remittances to Treasurer

During 1968:

Head Taxes	\$2,130.00	
Penalties	213.00	
		<hr/>
		\$ 2,343.00
Abatements During 1968		240.00
		<hr/>
TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 2,583.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes, Levy of 1967

—DR—

Uncollected Taxes—As of	
January 1, 1968:	
Property Taxes	\$ 30,287.95
Poll Taxes	712.00
Yield Taxes	17.64
	\$ 31,017.59
Interest collected during fiscal Year ended Dec. 31, 1968	788.49
	\$ 31,806.08
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 31,806.08

—CR—

Remittances to Treasurer, during fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1968:	
Property Taxes	\$ 30,287.95
Poll Taxes	650.00
Interest collected	788.49
	\$ 31,726.44
Abatements made during year:	
Poll Taxes	62.00
	62.00
Uncollected Taxes:	
Yield	17.64
	\$ 31,806.08
TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 31,806.08

WATER COLLECTOR'S REPORT FOR YEAR 1968

Water account committed to collector	\$ 18,651.78
Total amount collected and remitted to the treasurer	\$ 12,533.24
Total rebates	207.43
Total amount uncollected	5,911.11
	<hr/>
	\$ 18,651.78

Respectfully submitted,

JEANNE A. GARLAND
Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT**RECEIPTS**

Cash On Hand 1/1/68	\$125,480.37
Received from Departments	754,293.27
	<hr/>
Total	\$879,773.64

PAYMENTS

Total Payments	\$676,848.96
	<hr/>
Cash On Hand 12/31/68	\$202,924.68

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Local Taxes Current Year:

Property Taxes	\$523,567.90
Poll Taxes	1,318.00
Nat'l. Bank Stock Taxes	428.40
Yield Taxes	108.39
Interest	12.78
Head Taxes	4,295.00
Head Tax Penalties	15.00

Total \$529,745.47

Local Taxes Previous Years:

Property Taxes	\$ 30,287.95
Poll Taxes	650.00
Interest	788.49
Head Taxes	2,130.00
Head Tax Penalties	213.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	3,875.57
Interest After Tax Sale	491.13

Total \$ 38,436.14

State of New Hampshire:

Bounties	\$ 6.50
Interest & Dividends Tax	1,552.65
Savings Bank Tax	701.23
Railroad Tax	401.99
Rooms & Meals Tax	4,707.48

Total \$ 7,369.85

Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	\$ 405.60
Business Licenses, Permits & Fees	92.00
Municipal Court	2,100.00
Rent of Town Property	20.00
Income From Trust Funds	630.00

Income From Departments	9,604.08	
Motor Vehicle Registrations	19,406.13	
Long Term Notes	32,000.00	
U.S. Treasury Bills	100,000.00	
Water Rentals	12,533.24	
Water Rentals (Bank Interest)	1,964.88	
		<hr/>
Total		\$178,755.93
		<hr/>
Total Receipts All Sources		\$754,307.39
Cash On Hand 1/1/68		85,829.61
		<hr/>
Grand Total		\$840,137.00

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 14,900.58	
Town Officers' Expenses	2,504.77	
Office Furniture & Equipment	428.22	
Election & Registration	2,011.03	
Municipal Court	826.80	
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	3,458.68	
		<hr/>
Total		\$ 24,130.08

Protection of Persons & Property:

Police	\$ 24,109.87	
Fires Outside Precinct	656.00	
Blister Rust & Care of Trees	27.77	
Planning and Zoning	96.05	
Civil Defense	1,049.78	
Bounties	6.50	

Insurance:

Employee Hospitalization	1,590.08	
--------------------------	----------	--

Vehicles	1,429.00
Buildings	833.00
Workmen's Compensation	836.00
Liability	510.00
Town Officers' Bonds	215.00

Total \$ 31,359.05

Health and Sanitation:

Health Department	\$ 5,067.01
Sewer Maintenance	3,398.74
Dump	2,466.20
Hospital Appropriation	3,000.00
Mental Health Appropriation	2,439.00

Total \$ 16,370.95

Public Works:

Summer Maintenance	\$ 14,139.25
Winter Maintenance	20,468.84
Town Road Aid	303.64
Street Lighting	8,955.23
Parks & Playgrounds	1,314.66
Gen'l. Exp. Highway Dept.	8,076.28
Tarring Streets	2,729.00
Sidewalk Maintenance	1,500.00

Total \$ 57,486.90

Public Library: \$ 6,249.76

Public Welfare:

Old Age Assistance	\$ 5,463.56
Town Poor	3,263.28

Total \$ 8,726.84

Recreation :

Band Concerts	\$ 596.00
Youth Center	4,413.48
Swimming Pool	3,986.42

Total	\$ 8,995.90
-------	-------------

Public Service Enterprises :

Water Maintenance	\$ 12,790.92
Cemeteries	2,303.73

Total	\$ 15,094.65
-------	--------------

Unclassified :

Damage & Legal Expenses	\$ 1,024.77
Advertising & Regional Assoc.	130.00
Retirement & Social Security	3,924.69
Taxes Bought by Town	6,833.02
Discounts, Abatements, Refunds	831.75

Sidewalk Plow	4,695.00
Sidewalk Sander	545.00
Tailgate Spreader	1,375.00
Sewer Rodder	4,570.00

Total	\$ 23,929.23
-------	--------------

New Construction & Improvements :

Graham and First Streets	\$ 4,484.89
Fluoridation Equipment	2,274.00
New Cemetery Development	285.34
Water Line Extensions	36,183.75
Fire Station	5,564.68

Total	\$ 48,793.06
-------	--------------

Indebtedness Payments :

Long Term Notes	\$ 14,625.00
Interest	1,791.43

Total	\$ 16,416.43
-------	--------------

Payments to Other Government Divisions:

State of New Hampshire	\$ 6,287.89	
Coos County	41,569.10	
Groveton Village Precinct	18,115.00	
Northumberland School District	280,331.25	
U.S. Treasury	72,992.87	
		<hr/>
Total		\$419,296.11
		<hr/>
Total Payments		\$676,848.96

LIBRARY REPORT**—DR—**

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1968	\$ 42.33	
Received from Town	6,000.00	
Fine Money Used	170.00	
		<hr/>
		\$6,212.33

—CR—

Librarian	\$1,590.00	
Assistant Librarian	66.00	
Janitor	2,079.70	
Fuel	489.01	
Lights	336.42	
Books & Magazines	1,488.24	
Office Supplies	20.20	
Janitor Supplies	12.45	
Repairs	2.55	
Furnishings (Book Truck)	49.00	
Miscellaneous	42.73	
		<hr/>
		\$6,176.30
Balance Jan. 1, 1969		36.03
		<hr/>
		\$6,212.33

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1968	\$2,533.12	
Interest Received in 1968	102.32	
		<hr/>
Balance on Jan. 1, 1969		\$2,635.44

TRUST FUNDS***Cemetery***

Balance On Hand 1/1/68	\$25,406.71	
Interest Received In 1968	1,125.56	
New Accounts—1968:		
John Gorkin	200.00	
James Russell	100.00	
Lucien DeLabruere	100.00	
		<hr/>
Total Amount of Fund		\$26,932.27
Less Disbursements:		
Town of Northumberland	\$ 420.00	
Gary Normandeau	12.00	
		<hr/>
Total		432.00
		<hr/>
Balance On Hand 12/31/68		\$26,500.27

GROVETON VILLAGE PRECINCT***Equipment Fund***

Balance On Hand 1/1/68	\$ 5,804.34	
Interest Received In 1968	234.48	
		<hr/>
Balance On Hand 12/31/68		\$ 6,038.82

NORTHUMBERLAND MUNICIPAL COURT

The detailed and itemized account of the Municipal Court of Northumberland for the year 1968 is as follows:

RECEIPTS

From fines prior to 1968	\$ 150.00	
From fines collected in 1968	4,265.00	
From bail forfeitures in 1968	20.00	
		\$ 4,435.00

EXPENDITURES

New England Telephone	\$ 150.15	
Doctors' Fees	50.00	
National Council (dues)	15.00	
State Judicial Council (dues)	5.00	
Court Bond	10.00	
American Humane Association	4.94	
U.S. Post Office	2.75	
Bank Service Charges	12.57	
		\$ 250.41
Remitted to Town Treasurer	\$2,100.00	
Remitted to Dept. of Safety	1,860.00	
Remitted to Dept. of Fish & Game	188.00	
		\$ 4,148.00
Balance on hand January 1, 1969		36.59
		\$ 4,435.00

Nature of cases before the Northumberland Municipal Court during the calendar year of 1968:

Violation of Town Ordinances	14
Violation of Motor Vehicle Laws	111
Cases of Delinquent Children	7
Giving Beer to Minors	3
Minors Possessing Alcoholic Beverages	1
Drunkenness	11
Fish and Game Violations	7
Assault	2
Other Misdemeanors	2
Found Probable Cause	2
	<hr/>
	160

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH C. ROWDEN
Justice and Clerk

GROVETON VILLAGE PRECINCT*Commissioners Report for the year ending Dec. 1968***RECEIPTS**

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1968	\$	7,733.02
Appropriation		18,115.00
From fires outside Precinct:		
Dummer	\$	129.00
Maidstone, Vt.		53.00
Guildhall, Vt.		90.00
Stark		59.00
Stratford		142.00
Northumberland		656.00
		<hr/>
		1,129.00
		<hr/>
Total	\$	26,977.02

Expenditures

Repairs to Fire Alarm	\$	240.19
Care of Fire Trucks		50.00
Repairs & Supplies to Fire Trucks		599.03
New Fire Station: Building & Utilities		7,090.83
New Equipment: Pack Pumps		225.35
Installation of Heating system		1,062.68
Fuel for Fire Station		423.67
Electric power to Fire Station		108.78
Repairs to Heating system		7.40
Firemen's Payroll		4,239.00
Precinct Officers salaries		290.00
Cleaning Streets & Disposal of Rubbish		3,869.15
Insurance		133.00
Red Telephones		304.20

Miscellaneous Expenses:

Lunches at Daignault fire	\$ 8.67	
Supplies: Precinct vouchers	10.00	
Postage	1.62	
Trustees of Trust Funds, Fee	5.00	
		25.29
Transferred to Special Equipment Fund		3,000.00
Bank Service Charges		2.39
		21,670.96
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1968		5,306.06
		\$ 26,977.02
Total		

Respectfully submitted,

C. G. MATTHEWS

C. D. SANBORN

R. H. HURLBUTT

Precinct Commissioners

GROVETON VILLAGE PRECINCT

*List of fires for the period from
November 1, 1967 through October 31, 1968*

1967

6 Workshop Meetings	\$ 339.00
Nov. 5—Gropaco (#5 Paper Machine)	20.00
Nov. 11—Beland Camp (Lost Nation Road)	76.00
Nov. 14—Gropaco (Weston Building)	51.00
Nov. 23—Harold McMann Camp (Stratford Bog Road)	68.00
Nov. 25—Raymond Benoit Home	285.00

1968

Jan. 13—Raynald Daley Home (Stark)	32.00
Feb. 5—Leonard Linscott Auto (N.H. R M 560)	22.00
Mar. 6—Grapaco (Warming shack— Brooklyn Street)	36.00
Mar. 23—William King Home (Guildhall, Vt.)	40.00
Mar. 27—Emergency (Town Reservoir Empty)	12.00
Mar. 30—Gropaco (Weston's—Grassfire)	39.00
Mar. 31—Forbush Place (Northumberland)	15.00
Apr. 2—Robinson Camp (Brooklyn Street)	45.00
Apr. 6—Lost Nation Road (Grassfire)	33.00
Apr. 6—Otto McLain Home (Maidstone, Vt.)	39.00
Apr. 7—Myron Hopps Field (Crow Hill)	42.00
Apr. 8—Sheltry House (on Stratford Road)	262.00
Apr. 13—Town Dump	8.00
Apr. 13—Albert Cloutier Place (Northumberland—Woods Fire)	68.00
Apr. 14—Brush fire along roadside (Stark)	24.00
Apr. 14—Forest Fire (Town of Dummer)	115.00
Apr. 17—Oscar Colby Buildings (Stratford)	60.00
Apr. 18—Gropaco Airport (Grass Fire)	69.00
Apr. 19—Gropaco (Grass fire near Woods Office)	48.00

Apr. 19—Brush fire (off Lost Nation Road under Power Line)	69.00
Apr. 23—Albert Curtis Workshop	60.00
Apr. 23—Town Dump	42.00
Apr. 23—Town Dump	30.00
May 7—Town Dump (Craggy Woods)	6.00
May 15—Grass fire (Northumberland near Dupuis Store)	69.00
May 18—Savage Farm (Lost Nation Road— Grass fire)	9.00
May 18—Grapaco Mill (Towmotor)	69.00
May 27—Grass Fire (Graham Street)	57.00
May 29—Town Dump	15.00
June 2—Junk Auto (Maple Street)	57.00
June 3—Thomas Young Home	12.00
June 14—Camp on Ellingwood Meadow	24.00
July 15—Grass Fire (Off Route 110—CNR)	6.00
July 21—Motor Bike (At Eagle Hotel)	24.00
July 29—Auto Truck Accident (Northumberland)	3.00
Aug. 12—Currie Chip Truck (Lancaster Road)	20.00
Aug. 17—Robert Wentworth Home (Guildhall, Vt.)	42.00
Aug. 28—Raymond Johnson Garage	48.00
Sept. 7—Legion Home (Rubbish Fire)	45.00
Sept. 12—Brooks Farm (Lost Nation Road) (False Alarm)	54.00
Sept. 17—Gropaco Parking Lot (Gasoline on Pavement)	12.00
Sept. 19—Francis Cotter Farm (Northumberland)—False Alarm)	60.00
Oct. 28—Old B&MRR Station (Northumberland)	8.00
Sub-Total	<hr/> \$2,689.00

Salaries:

Chief	200.00
2 Asst. Chiefs @ 100.00	200.00
23 Firemen @ 50.00	1,150.00
	<hr/>
Total	\$4,239.00

GROVETON VILLAGE PRECINCT

*Bills rendered for fires outside the Village Precinct
for the period of Nov. 1, 1967 through Oct. 31, 1968*

1968		Town of Dummer:	
Apr. 14—	Forest fire (Holt road)	\$ 129.00	
		Town of Maidstone, Vt.:	
Apr. 6—	Otto McLain home	53.00	
		Town of Guildhall, Vt:	
Mar. 23—	William King home	\$44.00	
Aug. 17—	Robert Wentworth home	46.00	
			90.00
		Town of Stark:	
Jan. 13—	Raynold Daley home	35.00	
Apr. 14—	Brush fire off Molly Brook road	24.00	
			59.00
1967		Town of Stratford:	
Nov. 23—	Harold McMann camp on Bog road	74.00	
1968			
Apr. 17—	Burning Oscar Colby buildings	68.00	
			142.00
		Town of Northumberland:	
Apr. 8—	Sheltry Farm buildings (Stratford road)	262.00	
Apr. 13—	Town Dump	8.00	
Apr. 13—	Woods fire at Albert Cloutier's (Northumberland)	68.00	
Apr. 18—	Gropaco Airport (Grass fire)	69.00	
Apr. 19—	Brush fire under Power line (Lost Nation)	69.00	
Apr. 23—	Town Dump	42.00	

Apr. 23—Town Dump	30.00	
May 7—Woods fire opposite Town Dump	6.00	
May 18—Savage Farm—grass fire (Lost Nation)	9.00	
May 29—Town Dump	15.00	
June 14—Camp on Ellingwood meadow	24.00	
Sept. 12—Brooks Farm (Lost Nation) False alarm	54.00	
	<hr/>	656.00
Total		<hr/> \$1,129.00

GROVETON RECREATION COMMISSION

Balance Jan. 1, 1968	\$ 423.50
Receipts for 1968	1,102.30
	<hr/>
Total Available	\$1,525.80

Disbursements

C. Hessenauer—wood	\$ 10.00
I. Covell—plowing	80.00
Coos County Democrat—advertising	18.00
A. Blodgett—chopping wood	15.00
C. Curtis—chopping wood	15.00
John Fraser—Little League Entrance Fee	32.00
Cardigan Sport Store—uniforms	98.20
Colonel Town Rec.—Swim Team Entrance Fee	10.00
Linscott & Smith—supplies	13.05
Curtis Hardware—equipment	8.55
Awards Night—cash	25.00
Louis Leaver—Little League Picnic	15.00
American Service Station	4.50
Coca-Cola Bottling Co.	11.07
Claire's—supplies	2.93
Halloween Party—expenses	40.00
Holiday Handicrafts—supplies	16.13
Postage	4.46
S. & W. Market—supplies	59.81
American Handicraft—supplies	87.65
Charles Tillotson Store—games	11.42
Ronald Gilbert—telephone & expenses	19.22

Styles Drug Store—First Aid supplies	9.94
Carol Woodward—expenses	105.00
J. L. Emery & Son—equipment	136.14
Emerson & Son, Inc.—supplies	271.62
Peoples Nat'l Bank—service charges	7.80
	<hr/>
Total Disbursements	\$1,127.49
	<hr/>
Balance on hand January 1, 1969	\$ 398.31

ALETA JOHNSON, Treasurer

TOWN NURSE'S REPORT—1968

Regular calls		1016
Night calls		43
Saturday calls		39
Sunday calls		55
Triple toxoid clinics	3	Attendance 157
Sabin Trivalent Oral Polio Clinics	3	Attendance 147
Positive Heaf test reactors x-rayed		3
Cardiac Clinics Lancaster	4	Attendance 22
Orthopedic Clinics Berlin	7	Attendance 34
Amputee Clinics Concord	1	Attendance 1
North Country Comm. Services		Attendance 10
Hanover Plastic Surgery Clinics		Attendance 1
Preschool Clinics	1	Attendance 56
21 of those attended received Trivalent Polio boosters		
Physical Therapy Clinics	1	Attendance 7
Money turned in from fees collected		\$292.50

I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to all concerned that gave so willingly their time, help and transportation to make these clinics a success.

Respectfully submitted,

WILETTA LURVEY, R.N.
Town Nurse

NORTH COUNTRY COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.***December 20, 1968***

Dear Selectmen:

North Country Community Services was chartered by the State of New Hampshire to serve the people of this area with a full program of service. Scarcely three years have passed and maturity has been achieved, we are now fighting in the front line in an effort to keep our Coos communities mentally healthy.

As President of NCCSI, I am pleased to say that we provide direct psychiatric and psychological treatment to anyone in need, child or adult. We have full clinical services available in two centers, Colebrook and Berlin. The scope of these services is great including mental illness, alcoholism, disturbed children and adolescents, and family problems of marriage or meeting stress situations.

Any citizen may secure our services for himself or family. He may apply in person or ask his physician, clergyman, the public health nurse, or a local school person. When one of these professionals refers the patient, our psychiatric team can be even more effective. Success in mental health depends upon early detection of problems, early and adequate treatment, and good community support and cooperation.

Two of our services merit special notice. Because children with problems and problem children can cause untold damage to themselves and others, and because problem children so often become problem parents, the schools are in a key position in the community's mental health battle. NCCSI school consultants and social workers have uncovered many bad situations and have successfully helped parents and teachers to meet them this year. Your local physicians and teachers will confirm this.

Our other significant service is derived from our agreement with the State to supervise all patients who return to Coos County from the New Hampshire Hospital. Fortunately, most of these people succeed at home with the help of the local doctor and our staff, but they all need lots of help during the first few weeks.

A portion of our funds are State; another amount comes from our members, but the key to our success lies in the town appropriations.

The support of Dr. Robert Hinkley, his associate Dr. Robert Lindholm, and Linwood Clarke, John Nay, and the other school men have contributed to much of our success in the Groveton area. So, too, has your financial support.

Sincerely,

DALE TRUE, President
Board of Directors

**NEW HAMPSHIRE AIR POLLUTION
CONTROL COMMISSION**

**Regulation No. 1
Prohibition of Open Burning**

I. Purpose

This regulation is adopted for the purpose of preventing, abating, and controlling air pollution caused by air contaminants discharged into the air by open burning of combustibles.

II. Definitions

For the purpose of this subtitle, the following words and phrases have these meanings:

A. **Combustion Products:** Particulate and gaseous contaminants created by the burning of any kind of material.

B. **Open Burning:** The burning of any type of combustible material in the open, not in any enclosure, where the products of combustion are emitted directly into the atmosphere without passing through a stack or chimney.

C. **Refuse (garbage, rubbish and trade wastes):**

1. **Garbage:** Waste resulting from distribution, preparation and serving of food.

2. **Rubbish:** Solids or liquids not considered to be highly flammable or explosive, such as, but not limited to, paper, rags, ashes, leaves, tree branches, yard trimmings, furniture, tin cans, glass, crockery, demolition wastes, junk automobiles, tires, automotive parts, paints, oils, and other similar materials.

3. **Trade Waste:** Combustible solid or liquid material resulting from construction, building operations, or the prosecution of any business, trade or industry, such as, but not limited to, plastic, rubber, leather, chemicals, cartons, paints, greases, oils, other

petroleum products, sawdust, dead animals (including fish and fowl), and other forms of solid or liquid waste materials.

D. Stack or Chimney: Any flue, conduit, or duct arranged to conduct an effluent to the open air.

E. Commission: State Air Pollution Control Commission.

F. Agency: State Air Pollution Control Agency.

III. Open Burning Prohibited

No person, firm, corporation, association, municipal or state agency shall ignite, cause to be ignited, permit to be ignited, or suffer, allow, or maintain the burning of refuse except in conformity with the provisions of Section IV.

IV. Permissible Open Burning

When not prohibited by local ordinances or officials having jurisdiction, such as local, state or federal fire wardens or other fire prevention officials, the following types of burning are permissible, provided no nuisance is created:

A. Fires in conjunction with holiday and festive celebrations and other special occasions.

B. Campfires, outdoor grills, and fireplaces for recreation or preparing of food.

C. Burning of solid or liquid fuels or structures for the purpose of bona fide instruction and training of municipal, volunteer, and industrial firefighters in the methods of fighting fires when conducted under the direct control and supervision of qualified instructors. Said firefighters shall be residents of the state of New Hampshire or affiliated with the mutual aid systems within the state of New Hampshire.

D. Burning of brush, tree cuttings and slash in forest areas where the cuttings accrue from pulping,

lumber, clearing of rights-of-way and similar operations.

E. On-premises burning of leaves and burning for the purpose of weed abatement, disease, frost and pest prevention and agricultural improvement.

F. Burning of combustible construction material resulting from the demolition of buildings and other structures, brush, tree trunks and the like, originating from within the state, provided such burning is done in a specified area approved by the Agency.

G. Backyard burning of combustible domestic rubbish where no public disposal service is available. This provision applies only to on-premises burning of combustible materials in a backyard waste burner having a capacity of seven (7) cubic feet or less and serving a building containing four (4) or less dwelling units.

H. Open burning, in remote areas, of highly explosive or other dangerous materials for which there is no other feasible method of disposal or for nonrecurring unusual circumstances. However, written permission for this type of burning must be obtained in advance from the Agency.

V. Salvaging Operations

No business, trade or industry engaged in whole or in part in salvaging or reclaiming any product or material, such as, but not limited to, reprocessing of used motor oils, metals, chemicals, shipping containers, or drums, and specifically including automobiles, automobile parts and junkyards, shall burn in the open air after July 1, 1968. A suitable incinerator or other means of compliance, approved by the Agency, shall be employed.

VI. With the exception of salvage operation as described in Section V, town and city solid waste disposal areas presently in use shall not be subject to the provisions of this regulation until July 1, 1971. Open burning shall not be permitted at any new waste disposal site after July 1, 1968.

Public Hearing May 1, 1968

Adopted June 19, 1968

Effective date July 1, 1968

N. H. Air Pollution Control Commission
Stacey W. Cole, Chairman

*Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission
61 South Spring Street
Concord 03301*

July 8, 1968

Board of Selectmen, Northumberland
Town Hall
Groveton, New Hampshire

ORDER #1381

1. During the 1967 session, the Legislature classified by Laws of 1967, Chapter 311, the following surface waters as Class B:

Connecticut River Tributaries—Refer to Paragraphs XXIX and XLI of attached laws.

2. The records of the Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission show, and it is hereby found by the Commission, that either raw sewage, inadequately-treated sewage, industrial wastes, or other wastes are being discharged from the municipal system into the aforementioned waters, thereby lowering the quality of the waters in question below the minimum requirements of the duly-adopted classification (see RSA 149:3, copy enclosed).

3. The Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission hereby orders that you take such steps as may be necessary to correct this situation and to abate the pollution caused by the said discharges from the municipal sewer system into the above-mentioned waters.

It has been voted by the Commission to allow you a period of two years from date of receipt of this notice for completion of the necessary remedial action in accordance with the classification enacted. It is recognized that occasionally additional time may be needed because of unusual circumstances. It it

becomes apparent that you will be unable to complete the necessary work by the expiration date of this order and you can demonstrate sufficient reason for extension of the time limit, please advise this office in writing, requesting a definite time extension. Your request should be submitted no earlier than six months before the expiration date of the order; however, it must be received in this office at least sixty days in advance of the due date to allow for appropriate action by the Commission.

Signed:

William A. Healy, P.E.
Executive Director
N. H. Water Supply and Pollution
Control Commission

**RULES AND REGULATIONS
GOVERNING CEMETERY ADDITION**

This part of the Northumberland Cemetery shall be known as Fort Wentworth Cemetery.

Lots are available under a perpetual lease arrangement with the Town. All land to remain the property of the Town of Northumberland.

Lot sizes and prices are as follows:

- 1 Grave Lot, size 10' x 5'—\$ 25.00
- 2 Grave Lot, size 10' x 10'— 50.00
- 3 Grave Lot, size 10' x 15'— 75.00
- 5 Grave Lot, size 10' x 20'— 125.00
- 10 Grave Lot, size 20' x 20'— 200.00

The above prices do not include perpetual care of the lots. Perpetual care can be arranged by the establishment of a Trust Fund. All Trust Funds must be at least \$100.00.

Monuments shall not be over four feet in height including the base and shall be placed in line with each other. Foundation size shall exceed the base size by four inches and shall be smooth. Headstones shall not exceed 12" x 24". All lots to have cornerstones with the corner stones being set at ground level.

No lot shall be raised in any way. The planting of flowers, shrubbery, trees, etc. is prohibited. Cut flowers shall be placed in suitable containers so they may be moved to facilitate mowing. Cut flowers and artificial flowers shall be removed when they become wilted or faded.

All roads in the Cemetery shall be twenty-five feet in width. Paths will be laid out between rows of lots and grassed over. Paths to run from side roads to middle roads.

Winter burial shall be at the discretion of the Cemetery Commission.

These rules have been established by the Cemetery Commission to insure the beauty and maintenance of Fort Wentworth Cemetery.

The Cemetery Commission reserves the right to make changes in these rules from time to time.

Signed,

GEORGE COLE, Chairman
ELVIN WOODWARD
ARLO ELLIOTT
Cemetery Commission

Program of the White Mountains Region Association 1968 (31st year)

Printed and distributed 308,000 folders promoting the region. Received and answered 7,335 inquiries and mailed a total of 17,392 individual letters or packages.

Posted our annual 500-miles of Fall Foliage Tours for the 20th season.

Wrote forty-four news releases to inform people in the region of important economic issues.

Prepared publicity articles which have appeared in **New Hampshire Profiles**, **Skiing Magazine** and the **American Canoeist**.

Assisted with the production of a full page four-color ad urging motorists to visit New Hampshire, which appeared in seven national magazines including **Sports Illustrated** and **National Geographic**.

Assisted with a study for better vocational and rehabilitation services for Coos and Carroll Counties.

Researched and sold the concept of an east-west interstate highway for the north country.

Prepared a position paper regarding the Connecticut Valley National Recreation Area proposal.

Worked at three travel shows, one at Boston, one at Montreal, and the other at Cleveland.

Assisted two TV teams in filming the White Mountains.

Presented the annual awards and subscriptions to 4-H clubs in the region.

Introduced whitewater canoe racing into the region.

Promoted the concept of preserving farms through encouraging family farming.

Worked on industrial development problems with communities in the area.

Supported with money the Shelburne Highway Safety Rest Area Information Center and assisted in training the staff.

TOWN WARRANT
TOWN OF NORTHUMBERLAND
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Northumberland qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Groveton High School Auditorium in said Town on the second Tuesday of March next, March 11, 1969, to act upon the subjects hereinafter mentioned. You are hereby warned that on the said date and place, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the matters of appropriations concerning the articles to be voted on by ballot will be taken up (articles 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9). Upon completion of the discussion of said articles, the polls will then be opened at said place and date until 6:00 o'clock in the afternoon for the reception of your ballots under the Australian Ballot Laws; and such other business properly coming before said meeting will be taken up for your consideration and action.

ARTICLE 1.* To choose by ballot two Auditors for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 2.* To choose by ballot the following Town Officers for the ensuing three years: one Selectman, a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, one Library Trustee, and one Trustee of the Trust Funds.

ARTICLE 3.* To see if the Town will vote to construct a new Town

Garage and for this purpose to authorize the Selectmen to borrow upon the note of the Town a sum not in excess of \$39,500 at such rate of interest and payable at such time and place in accordance with Chapter 33 of the 1955 R.S.A. and amendments thereto, "Municipal Finance Act," as the Selectmen shall decide.

ARTICLE 4.* To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$575,000 for the purpose of financing and constructing a municipal sewage and waste disposal system, including sewerage, interceptors, pumping stations, treatment works, and such other related facilities including land acquisition, easements and rights of way as are required, such sum to be raised by the issuance of not exceeding \$575,000, in Serial Bonds or Notes under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (Chapter 33 of the New Hampshire Statutes Annotated 1955 and any amendments thereto) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Northumberland, and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 5.* (If the vote on Article 4 is negative) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000 for the purpose of acquiring land, easements, and rights of way for the purpose of constructing sewerage improvements for the Town of Northumberland, such sum to be raised by the issuance of not

exceeding \$30,000 in Serial Bonds or Notes under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (Chapter 33 of the New Hampshire Statutes Annotated 1955 and any amendments thereto) and to authorize the (Selectmen or Sewer Commission or other legally authorized representatives) to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions as may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Northumberland and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 6.* To see if the Town will vote to extend the Town water main on the Lancaster Road from the present end opposite the Dollard LaRoche property, proceeding to the Lancaster Town line with an eight inch main, a distance of approximately 5,800 feet; and for this purpose to authorize the Selectmen to borrow upon the note of the Town a sum not in excess of \$26,000 at such rate of interest and payable at such time and place in accordance with Chapter 33 of the 1955 R.S.A. and amendments thereto, "Municipal Finance Act," as the Selectmen shall decide. (Inserted on petition of 21 voters)

ARTICLE 7.* To see if the Town will vote to extend the Town water main on Brown Road from the present end opposite the Victor Young property, proceeding with an eight inch main to the Burt Willard property, a distance of approximately 4,200 feet; and for this purpose to authorize the Selectmen to borrow upon the note of the Town a sum not in excess of \$19,000 at such rate of interest and payable at such time and place in accordance with Chapter 33 of the 1955 R.S.A. and amendments thereto, "Municipal Finance Act," as the Selectmen shall decide. (Inserted on petition of 27 voters)

ARTICLE 8* (If the vote on Article 11 is in the affirmative) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 to install an eight inch water main on the Brown Road from the Burt Willard property to the Craggy property, a distance of approximately 1,340 feet; and for this purpose to authorize the Selectmen to borrow upon the note of the Town a sum not in excess of \$6,000 at such rate of interest and payable at such time and place in accordance with Chapter 33 of the 1955 R.S.A. and amendments thereto, "Municipal Finance Act," as the Selectmen shall decide. (Inserted on petition of 16 voters)

ARTICLE 9.* To see if the Town will vote to extend the Town water main on Brooklyn Street from the present end opposite the property of Armand Gaudette, proceeding with an eight inch main to the Carroll Wheelock property, a distance of approximately 8,450 feet; and for this purpose to authorize the Selectmen to borrow upon the note of the Town a sum not in excess of \$42,250 at such rate of interest and payable at such time and place in accordance with Chapter 33 of the 1955 R.S.A. and amendments thereto, "Municipal Finance Act," as the Selectmen shall decide. (Inserted on petition of 31 voters)

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to apply, negotiate and do all other things necessary to obtain such Federal, State, or other assistance as may be available in the construction of a sewerage and waste disposal system, including storm drain separation, and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 252 of the Revised Statutes Annotated relative to the construction and maintenance of sewers and sewage treatment and disposal facilities in the Town and that the function of sewer commissioners be performed by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the following Town charges for the ensuing year: (1) Town Officers' Salaries; (2) Town Officers' Expenses; (3) Office Furniture and Equipment; (4) Election and Registration; (5) Municipal Court; (6) Town Hall and other Town Buildings; (7) Police Department; (8) Fire, Including Forest Fire; (9) Blister Rust and Care of Trees; (10) Planning and Zoning; (11) Insurance; (12) Civil Defense; (13) Health Department including Hospitals; (14) Vital Statistics; (15) Sewer Maintenance; (16) Dump Maintenance; (17) Highways and Bridges: (a) Summer Maintenance, (b) Winter Maintenance; (18) Town Road Aid; (19) Street Lighting; (20) Parks and Playgrounds; (21) General Expenses of Highway Department; (22) Tarring Streets; (23) Sidewalk Maintenance; (24) Public Library; (25) Old Age Assistance; (26) Town Poor; (27) Band Concerts; (28) Youth Center; (29) Swimming Pool; (30) Water Maintenance; (31) Cemeteries; (32) Damage and Legal Expenses; (33) Advertising and Regional Associations; (34) Retirement and Social Security; (35) Interest; (36) Long Term Notes.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,400 to purchase a new police cruiser.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000 for the development of the new cemetery land.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,400 to install a six inch water main on the Lost Nation Road; beginning at a point south of the Walter Bouchard property and ending opposite the Aime Goulet property; a distance of approximately 1,600 feet. (Inserted on petition of 21 voters)

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504 to install three 3,500 lumen mercury vapor street lights on the Lost Nation Road between the Aime Goulet property and the Walter Bouchard property. (Inserted on petition of 22 voters)

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 to pave and re-fence the tennis court area on the playground opposite the high school.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 to pave Mountain View Street. (Inserted on petition of 16 voters)

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to establish a scale of discounts for the prepayment of real estate and property taxes and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,000, the amount estimated will be allowed in discounts in 1969. The scale of discounts to be as follows: 3% if paid on or before June 1, 1969; 2% if paid on or before August 1, 1969; and 1% if paid on or before October 1, 1969.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,616 for the North Country Community Services, Inc.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will instruct its Selectmen to appoint all other Town Officers as required by law.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to incur debts in anticipation of taxes of the financial year such debts are incurred, in order to pay current maintenance and operation expenses, and to issue notes therefor in accordance with the provisions of R.S.A. 33:7.

ARTICLE 23. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or other officers hereto chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 24. To transact any other business that may legally be brought before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 17th day of February, 1969.
*Articles 1 through 9 will be on printed ballots.

ELVIN G. WOODWARD
JOHN FORREST
LEWIS MAYHEW
Selectmen of Northumberland

WATER POLLUTION REPORT

Since the last Town Meeting, our engineers, Anderson-Nichols & Company, Inc., have completed the final design for the construction of sewerage facilities for collection and disposal of domestic sewage for the Villages of Groveton and Northumberland. The New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission has approved the design of the facility.

Total estimated cost of this project, including land acquisition, legal, engineering, bond cost, and inspection is \$849,400. Federal Water Pollution Control Administration's share of the project is currently limited to 40% of eligible items. This amounts to \$274,200. The State's share is the same, \$274,200. However, the State's share must be bonded by the Town and is repaid on a yearly basis (principal and interest) by the State. The Town must therefore raise \$575,200 of which \$301,000 is the Town's share. The breakdown of the estimated cost is as follows:

	Eligible Items	Ineligible Items	Total
Construction			
Storm Drain Separation	\$	\$109,200.00	
Northumberland Facility	104,100.00		
Pump Station Across River	79,200.00		
Domestic Treatment Groveton	392,900.00	3,500.00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	\$576,200.00	\$112,700.00	
3% Construction Contingencies	17,300.00	3,400.00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	\$593,500.00	\$116,100.00	
5% Additional Cost Increase Allowance	29,600.00	5,800.00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	\$623,100.00	\$121,900.00	
10% Engineering, Surveys, Inspec- tion, Bonding, Legal Interest	62,300.00	12,200.00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	\$685,400.00	\$134,100.00	
Land Acquisition		30,000.00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
Total Cost	\$685,400.00	\$164,000.00	\$849,400.00
FWPCA—40%	274,200		
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
Town to Raise	\$411,200.00	\$164,000.00	\$575,200.00
State—40%	274,200.00		
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
Town Burden	\$137,000.00	\$164,000.00	\$301,000.00

On July 8, 1968, the Town received orders from the Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission to abate the pollution caused by the discharges from the municipal sewer system. The Commission has allowed the Town a period of two years from date of notification, or until July 8, 1970, to complete the treatment facilities. (See letter from commission.)

In order to comply with this order, the Selectmen have inserted articles in the Town Warrant for the purpose of financing and constructing a municipal sewage and waste disposal system.

Each year the project is delayed, the cost of construction goes up between 5 and 10%. At this time the Town has a grant offer of \$275,000 from the Federal Water Pollution Control Administration. It is a distinct possibility that the Town could lose this grant if positive action isn't taken at the Town Meeting in March.

Bearing this in mind, we urgently request the voters of the Town of Northumberland to support the articles covering the municipal sewerage and waste disposal system.

AIR POLLUTION REPORT

On June 19, 1968, the New Hampshire Air Pollution Control Commission adopted Regulation Number 1 prohibiting open burning. (A copy of this regulation has been included elsewhere in the Annual Report.)

Page 3, Paragraph VI of the regulation pertains to town dumps and stipulates that open burning dumps will not be permitted after July 1, 1971.

This leaves the Town with the problem of how to dispose of its solid wastes. There are two methods commonly being used: the sanitary land fill method and the incinerator type disposal.

Both types of disposal are expensive and should, therefore, be investigated fully before a decision is made as to which method is the most feasible.

I think it is worth investigating the possibility of establishing an area type disposal facility with two or more adjoining towns participating, the objective being to provide a suitable facility as economically as possible.

The Selectmen, after due deliberation, made a decision to close the Groveton dump except on specified days. There were a number of reasons for this action such as the unsanitary condition at the dump when unrestricted dumping is allowed, a number of the surrounding towns making use of the dump and the increased cost of maintenance to the local tax payers. The Board has received numerous comments, both pro and con, regarding their decision, but feel the best interest of the Town is being served by this action.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA R. KINGSTON
Town Manager

REPORT OF PAYMENTS FOR 1968 AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1969

	Appropriated for 1968	Expended 1968	Recommended for 1969
General Government:			
1. Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 14,850.00	\$ 14,900.58	\$ 15,350.00
2. Town Officers' Expenses	2,600.00	2,504.77	2,600.00
3. Office Furniture and Equip.	500.00	428.22	500.00
4. Election and Registration	2,000.00	2,011.03	1,800.00
5. Municipal Court	1,000.00	826.80	1,000.00
6. Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	3,400.00	3,458.68	3,500.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
7. Police (\$18,000), Art. 16 (\$4,300)	22,300.00	24,109.87	25,500.00
8. Fire, incl. Forest Fire	500.00	656.00	700.00
9. Blister Rust and Care of Trees	500.00	27.77	500.00
10. Planning and Zoning	300.00	96.05	300.00
11. Insurance	5,200.00	5,413.08	5,500.00
12. Civil Defense	1,350.00	1,049.78	1,000.00
Health and Sanitation:			
13. Health Dept., incl. Hospital	3,000.00	5,067.01	8,000.00
14. Vital Statistics	150.00		150.00
15. Sewer Maintenance	4,000.00	3,398.74	3,500.00
16. Dump Maintenance	2,400.00	2,466.20	2,400.00
Public Works:			
17. Highways and Bridges			
a. Summer Maintenance	13,800.00	14,139.25	15,000.00
b. Winter Maintenance	18,000.00	20,468.84	22,000.00
18. Town Road Aid	303.64	303.64	301.80
19. Street Lighting	9,100.00	8,955.23	9,500.00
20. Parks and Playgrounds	1,200.00	1,314.66	1,500.00
21. Gen. Exps. of Highway Dept.	7,000.00	8,076.28	8,000.00
22. Tarring Streets	2,500.00	2,729.00	5,000.00
23. Sidewalk Maintenance	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Libraries:			
24. Public Library	6,000.00	6,249.76	6,500.00
Public Welfare:			
25. Old Age Assistance	10,500.00	5,463.56	7,500.00
26. Town Poor	6,000.00	3,263.28	5,000.00
Recreation:			
27. Band Concerts	600.00	596.00	600.00
28. Youth Center	4,500.00	4,413.48	4,500.00
29. Swimming Pool	4,000.00	3,986.42	4,200.00
Public Utilities:			
30. Water Maintenance	12,000.00	12,790.92	13,000.00
31. Cemeteries	2,200.00	2,303.73	2,500.00
Unclassified:			
32. Damage and Legal	1,000.00	1,024.77	1,000.00
33. Advertising and Regional	700.00	130.00	700.00
34. Retirement and Soc. Sec.	4,000.00	3,924.69	4,400.00
Indebtedness Payments:			
35. Interest	1,750.40	1,791.43	2,093.50
36. Long Term Notes	14,625.00	14,625.00	19,825.00
TOTALS	\$185,329.04	\$184,464.52	\$206,920.30

Date of Creation	Purpose of Trust Fund TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	PRINCIPAL			INCOME				
			Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Income During Year Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year	
Mar. 12, 1931 and Nov. 26, 1946	George Hinman, Cemetery Fund		300.00		300.00	233.47		23.21	4.00	252.68
May 18, 1933	Mary E. Smith, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	50.11		6.53	4.00	52.64
Dec. 11, 1933	Frank and Cora Giberson, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	16.43		5.06	4.00	17.49
Nov. 26, 1924	Rose White, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	30.74		5.69	4.00	32.43
Feb. 26, 1936										
Jan. 11, 1951	Charles M. Hayes, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	53.61		6.68	4.00	56.29
Sept. 1, 1936	Henry H. Hayes, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	117.51		13.81	4.00	127.32
Jan. 17, 1938	William Myers, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	18.66		5.16	4.00	19.82
Jan. 28, 1938	Edward B. Soule, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	14.87		5.00	4.00	15.87
Jan. 28, 1938	Fanny B. Colby, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	115.51		13.72	4.00	125.23
Aug. 29, 1939	Mrs. C. F. Moore, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	30.96		5.70	4.00	32.66
Sept. 18, 1940	Thomas F. Nugent, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	19.05		5.18	4.00	20.23
Sept. 20, 1940	Charles F. Myers, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	32.37		5.76	4.00	34.13
Jan. 14, 1941	Mrs. E. B. Wilde, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	31.15		5.71	4.00	32.86
Mar. 4, 1941	Willoughby McBain, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	95.60		12.86	4.00	104.46
Aug. 29, 1941	Willie W. Cole, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	31.23		5.71	4.00	32.94
Nov. 20, 1941	Eva Eames, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	111.28		13.54	4.00	120.82
Mar. 20, 1942	Maude J. Capen, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	109.19		13.45	4.00	118.64
July 11, 1942	Charles N. Martin, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	31.16		5.71	4.00	32.87
May 21, 1943	Manley Barnes, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	26.68		5.51	4.00	28.19
Dec. 9, 1943	Carrie B. McDow, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	56.84		11.17	4.00	64.01
Jan. 18, 1944	Alvin Martin-Lewis Morse, Ceme- tery Fund		200.00		200.00	77.45		12.07	4.00	85.52
Jan. 17, 1944	Charles Ritchey, Cemetery Fund		200.00		200.00	122.60		14.03	4.00	132.63
Mar. 9, 1944	James & Mary J. F. Dodds, Cemetery Fund		100.00		100.00	29.18		5.62	4.00	30.80

Date of Creation	Purpose of Trust Fund	HOW INVESTED				PRINCIPAL				INCOME			
		TRUST FUND				Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Income During Year	Percent	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
		Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance End Year	Income During Year								
Nov. 5, 1945	Lizzie Stearns McMann, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	21.40		100.00	5.28		4.00	22.68		
April 6, 1946	Frank and Addie M. Woodward, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	96.22		200.00	12.89		4.00	105.11		
April 6, 1946	Payson and Emma Fish, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	119.25		200.00	13.89		4.00	129.14		
July 8, 1946	Frank and Cora D. Keene, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	33.61		100.00	5.81		4.00	35.42		
July 22, 1946	Ernest E. Munroe, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	109.87		200.00	13.48		4.00	119.35		
Apr. 23, 1947	Henry Lawler, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	169.61		200.00	16.08		4.00	185.69		
Apr. 30, 1947	Leah, Allen, Lucien Matthews, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	151.75		200.00	15.30		4.00	163.05		
Nov. 4, 1947	Frank F. Warren, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	30.53		100.00	5.68		4.00	32.21		
July 28, 1948	George S. and Cora E. Wiles, Cemetery Fund	300.00		300.00	113.32		300.00	17.98		4.00	127.30		
May 14, 1949	F. B. Lurvey, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	74.40		200.00	11.94		4.00	82.34		
May 25, 1949	Gilkey & Bean, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	21.34		100.00	5.28		4.00	22.62		
June 1, 1949	Ernest Rosebrook, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	19.74		100.00	5.21		4.00	20.95		
June 1, 1949	Arthur and Lucy Vatter, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	21.54		100.00	5.29		4.00	22.83		
Sept. 30, 1949	Melvin E. Brett, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	95.71		200.00	12.86		4.00	104.57		
Oct. 28, 1949	Edward J. Morancy, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	82.41		200.00	12.28		4.00	90.69		
Dec. 28, 1949	James P. and Eliza Hayes, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	32.60		100.00	5.77		4.00	34.37		
Feb. 14, 1950	Aaron P. Potter, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	92.10		200.00	12.71		4.00	100.81		
Mar. 14, 1950	Gilbert and Blanchard, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	15.48		100.00	5.02		4.00	16.50		
Jan. 3, 1952	James B. and Mary A. McFarland, Cemetery Fund	300.00		300.00	102.13		300.00	17.49		4.00	115.62		
Mar. 15, 1950	Fred and Margaret Keene, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	42.07		200.00	10.53		4.00	48.60		

Date of Creation	Purpose of Trust Fund TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED			PRINCIPAL			INCOME		
		Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Balance Fund Year	Balance Beginning Year	Percent	Income During Year	Amount	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
Mar. 14, 1951	Angus McDougall, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	78.61		12.12	4.00	86.73	
May 22, 1958	Austin Astle, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	24.30		5.41	4.00	25.71	
Oct. 22, 1951	John A. Hayes, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	15.16		5.01	4.00	16.17	
Mar. 22, 1952	Albert and Mary Johnson, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	15.01		5.00	4.00	16.17	
June 13, 1952	Joseph McLaughlin, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	125.92		14.18		140.10	
June 18, 1952	John and Amanda Donnelly, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	18.06		5.14	4.00	19.20	
Nov. 12, 1952	Joseph Streeter, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	22.80		5.34	4.00	24.14	
June 21, 1953	Carl and Cora Runge, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	27.18		5.53	4.00	28.71	
July 15, 1954	George Pike, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	21.55		5.29	4.00	22.84	
Sept. 18, 1954	Richard and Mary Thomas, Cemetery Fund	150.00		150.00	40.11		8.27	4.00	44.38	
Oct. 19, 1954	Zachary Stepchuck, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	70.86		11.78	4.00	78.64	
Mar. 1, 1955	Donald LaBrecque, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	21.61		5.29	4.00	22.90	
Nov. 8, 1955	John Marsh and Sarah Abbie Wilson, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	60.06		11.31	4.00	67.37	
Dec. 6, 1955	Charles Russell, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	67.71		11.65	4.00	75.36	
Jan. 10, 1956	Richard Hooker, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	56.74		11.17	4.00	63.91	
Feb. 13, 1956	Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Parker, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	69.59		11.73	4.00	77.32	
July 17, 1956	Walter and Eva Sargent, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	18.39		5.15	4.00	19.54	
Jan. 29, 1959	Jacob and Lena Salmon, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	49.06		10.83	4.00	55.89	
Aug. 20, 1957	Harry and Helen Munn, Cemetery Fund	100.00		100.00	18.96		5.17	4.00	20.13	
Oct. 14, 1957	James E. McCodick, Cemetery Fund	60.00		60.00	9.14		4.24	4.00	9.38	
May 3, 1958	Ellingwood and Reneau, Cemetery Fund	200.00		200.00	57.53		11.20	4.00	64.73	

Sept. 2, 1958	Guy A. Cushing, Cemetery Fund	200.00	58.70	11.25	4.00	65.95
Sept. 9, 1958	Ovilla Jackman, Cemetery Fund	100.00	17.48	5.11	4.00	18.59
Oct. 10, 1958	Michael and Christine Morrison, Cemetery Fund	200.00	55.41	11.11	4.00	62.52
Sept. 22, 1957 and Oct. 31, 1961	Daniel and Susan Ellingwood, Cemetery Fund	200.00	41.95	10.52	4.00	48.47
Oct. 9, 1959	Montgomery and Terrill, Cemetery Fund	250.00	70.23	13.93	4.00	80.16
Nov. 12, 1959	Benj. McMann, Cemetery Fund	200.00	48.54	10.81	4.00	55.35
May 13, 1960	Capt. William Dunham, Cemetery Fund	150.00	31.74	7.91	4.00	35.65
June 7, 1960	David and Elizabeth McConnell, Cemetery Fund	230.34	56.39	12.47	4.00	64.86
June 9, 1960	Mona McKeene Corriveau, Cemetery Fund	200.00	46.78	10.74	4.00	53.52
July 7, 1961	Homer and Sylvina Nate, Cemetery Fund	100.00	14.07	4.96	4.00	15.03
Aug. 11, 1961	Vivian Ouellette, Cemetery Fund	200.00	40.41	10.46	4.00	46.87
Mar. 15, 1962	Bean and Ziegler, Cemetery Fund	100.00	13.38	4.93	4.00	14.31
Mar. 15, 1962	Judson A. Potter	200.00	37.55	10.33	4.00	43.88
Dec. 31, 1962	William Lehnert, Cemetery Fund	200.00	31.72	10.08	4.00	37.80
Dec. 31, 1962	Charles and Grace Henson, Cemetery Fund	100.00	10.41	4.80	4.00	11.21
Oct. 24, 1963	Charles E. Savage, Cemetery Fund	400.00	62.78	20.13	4.00	78.91
Oct. 24, 1963	Frank E. Wilkinson, Cemetery Fund	300.00	44.87	15.00	4.00	55.87
Dec. 6, 1963	Veterans Trust Fund, Cemetery Fund	307.04	46.39	15.37	4.00	57.76
May 1, 1964	James and Ella McHarg, Cemetery Fund	100.00	9.00	4.74	4.00	9.74
May 1, 1964	Carl and Alice McHarg, Cemetery Fund	100.00	9.00	4.74	4.00	9.74
May 24, 1965	Fred Hayes, Cemetery Fund	200.00	12.57	9.25	4.00	17.82
June 17, 1965	Samuel and Clara MacLoud, Cemetery Fund	200.00	12.57	9.25	4.00	17.82
Apr. 24, 1966	Demars and Pike	200.00	11.67	9.21	4.00	16.88
May 5, 1966	Smith and Veazie	200.00	11.67	9.21	4.00	16.88
June 30, 1966	Henry and Mary Patrick	100.00	3.12	4.49	4.00	3.61
Jan. 26, 1967	LeClere Lot	100.00	3.70	4.51		8.21
Feb. 8, 1968	John Gorkin	200.00		8.70		8.70
Apr. 26, 1968	Lucien Delabruere	100.00		4.35		4.35
Mar. 7, 1968	James Russell	100.00		4.35		4.35
	John Gorkin Estate	200.00				
	Alice Delabruere	100.00				
	Blanch Russell	100.00				
		400.00	18,172.38	7,634.33	432.00	8,327.89
		\$17,772.38		1,125.56		
	Groveton Village Precinct Fund	5,500.00	304.34	234.12		538.46
	New Equipment Book No. 6211					

**ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NORTHUMBERLAND**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1968

ORGANIZATION

ADMINISTRATION

School Board

DEAN TILLOTSON, Chairman
HAROLD MARSHALL ROLAND YOUNG
LYLE HERSOM ROBERT STYLES

Superintendent of Schools

LINWOOD E. CLARKE, Tel. 636-1437
FLORENCE G. TILTON, Secretary

High School Principal

ALAN RICH, Tel. 636-1619
MARION ROWDEN, Secretary

Elementary School Principal

GORDON FLIGHT, Tel. 636-1806
EDNA CRAWFORD, Secretary

Treasurer

STANFORD JOHNSON

Truant Officer

MRS. WILETTA LURVEY

Clerk

MRS. FLORENCE TILTON

Moderator

LYLE HERSOM

School Nurse

MRS. WILETTA LURVEY

Auditors

RAYMOND HURLBUTT ARTHUR GAUDETTE

SCHOOL REPORT***SCHOOL WARRANT******State of New Hampshire***

To the inhabitants of the School District of North-umberland qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in Groveton High School Gymnasium in said district on Saturday, March 15, 1969, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the subjects hereinafter mentioned. The polls will be open at said place and date from 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon until 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon for the reception of your ballots under the non-partisan ballot system; furthermore you are hereby warned that on said date and place, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon the matters of appropriations and such other business properly coming before said meeting will be taken up for your consideration and action.

1. To choose by non-partisan ballot the following district officers for the ensuing year; a moderator, a district clerk, a district treasurer, two auditors, and three members of the school board, one for one year term, one for two year term, and one for three year term. (Candidates will be selected by the number of votes cast, largest number of votes will be the three year candidate, second largest will be the two year candidate, and the third largest number cast for the one year candidate.)

2. To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a Physical Education program.

4. To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to sell the so-called Principal's House at 8 Preble Street, Groveton, N.H., upon such terms and conditions and for such consideration as the School Board may be able to negotiate, and further empower the School Board to execute all documents necessary in order to effectuate a sale.

5. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$31,313.85 to purchase, install, staff and equip two portable classrooms, so-called.

6. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payments of salaries for school district officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

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

Given under our hands at said Northumberland this 28th day of February, 1969.

DEAN TILLOTSON, Chairman
 HAROLD MARSHALL
 ROLAND YOUNG
 LYLE HERSOM
 ROBERT STYLES
 School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:
 DEAN TILLOTSON, Chairman
 HAROLD MARSHALL
 ROLAND YOUNG
 LYLE HERSOM
 ROBERT STYLES

REPORT OF THE TREASURER*For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1968***SUMMARY**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1967	\$	10.08
Received from Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	\$312,331.25	
Revenue from State Sources	9,903.37	
Revenue from Federal Sources	9,995.22	
Received from Tuitions	36,640.84	
Received from all Other Sources	1,247.49	
		<hr/> 370,118.17
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		<hr/> 370,128.25
Less School Board Orders Paid		359,180.26
		<hr/>
Balance on Hand, June 30, 1968	\$	10,947.99

Respectfully submitted,

STANFORD JOHNSON
District Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the School District of Northumberland of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968, and find them correct in all respects.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND HURLBUTT
ARTHUR GAUDETTE

October 12, 1968

FINANCIAL REPORT*For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1968***RECEIPTS**

Taxation and Appropriations Received:	
Current Appropriation	\$312,331.25
Tuition from Patrons:	
Elementary, Current Year	1,080.00
High School, Current Year	300.84
Other Revenue from Local Sources:	
Rent	660.00
Other Revenue from Local Sources	203.90
Revenue from State Sources:	
School Building Aid	4,798.46
Driver Education	560.00
Intellectually Retarded	19.24
Sweepstakes	4,525.67
Revenue from Federal Sources:	
National Defense Education Act	
Title V	241.20
Vocational Education	442.12
School Lunch & Special Milk Program	3,160.84
Public Law 89.10—Title I	3,615.00
Title II	1,399.34
Other Revenue from Federal Sources	1,136.72
Amounts Received from Other School Districts in State:	
Elementary Tuition	5,614.00
High School Tuition	17,081.00
Amounts Received from School Districts in Another State:	
Elementary Tuition	5,194.00
High School Tuition	7,267.00
Receipts Recorded under Item 60	383.59
Receipts Recorded under 1900 Series	104.00
	<hr/>
	\$370,118.17

Cash on hand at beginning of year	10.08
	<hr/>
(July 1, 1967)	
GRAND TOTAL	\$370,128.25

BALANCE SHEET—June 30, 1968

ASSETS

Cash on Hand June 30, 1968	\$ 10,947.99
Accounts Due to District	
From Town	20,000.00
	<hr/>
Total Assets	\$ 30,947.99
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities	
Over Assets)	101,052.01
	<hr/>
GRAND TOTAL	\$132,000.00

LIABILITIES

Notes and Bonds Outstanding	\$132,000.00
	<hr/>
Total Liabilities	\$132,000.00
	<hr/>
Surplus (Excess of Assets	
Over Liabilities)	-0-
	<hr/>
GRAND TOTAL	\$132,000.00

STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

Outstanding at Beginning of Year	\$147,000.00
Issued During Year	none
	<hr/>
Total	\$147,000.00
Payments of Principal of Debt	15,000.00
Notes and Bonds Outstanding	
at End of Year	\$132,000.00
	<hr/>

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1969 - 1970**First Term (75 days)**

September 3—Wednesday, School Opens
October 10—Friday, Teachers' Convention
November 14—Report Cards Sent Home
November 27, 28—Thanksgiving Recess
December 19—Friday, Christmas Recess

Second Term (35 days)

January 5—Monday, School Reopens
January 30—Report Cards Sent Home
February 20—School Closes

Third Term (35 days)

March 2—Monday, School Reopens
April 10—Report Cards Sent Home
April 17—School Closes

Fourth Term (35 days)

April 27—Monday, School Reopens
June 12—Friday, School Closes
June 12—Friday, Report Cards Sent Home

GRADUATION—JUNE 10, 1970

PAYMENTS 1967-68

	Total Amount	Elem School	High School	General Expenses
100 Administration				
110. District Officers	\$ 830.00	\$ 551.95	\$ 278.05	
135. Contracted Services	141.00	93.77	47.23	
190. Other Expenses	390.07	259.40	130.67	
200 Instruction:				
210.1-210.3 Teachers' Salaries	218,280.17	103,589.30	114,690.87	
210.5 Secretarial Assistants	5,604.75	3,145.50	2,459.25	
215. Textbooks	4,785.14	2,523.08	2,262.06	
220. Library & Audio-visual	3,829.00	1,737.80	2,091.20	
230. Teaching Supplies	12,516.45	6,062.52	6,453.93	
235. Contracted Services	450.00	450.00		
290. Other Expenses	2,695.87	768.80	1,927.07	
400 Health Services:				
410. Salaries	1,605.00	1,123.50	481.50	
490. Other Expenses	264.31	185.01	79.30	
500 Pupil Transportation:				
510. Salaries	6,122.75	4,285.92	1,836.83	
526. Repairs to Vehicles & Equip.	207.90	145.53	62.37	
530. Supplies	1,034.28	792.01	242.27	
535. Contracted Services	7,163.20	5,014.24	2,148.96	
600 Operation of Plant:				
610. Salaries	11,975.00	4,900.00	7,075.00	
630. Supplies	2,070.84	821.85	1,248.99	
635. Contracted Services	206.64	82.65	123.99	
640. Heat	5,473.20	2,462.94	3,010.26	
645. Utilities	5,619.23	2,246.83	3,372.40	
700 Maintenance of Plant:				
710. Salaries	317.80	158.90	158.90	
725. Replacement of equipment	3,343.44	1,327.37	2,016.07	
726. Repairs to Equipment	813.96	244.18	569.78	
766. Repairs to Buildings	2,951.64	1,475.82	1,475.82	
800 Fixed Charges:				
850.1 State Employees' Retirement System	182.88		182.88	
850.2 Teachers' Retire. System	6,706.74	2,682.69	4,024.05	
850.3 F.I.C.A.	6,714.30	2,685.72	4,028.58	
855. Insurance	4,870.55	1,948.22	2,922.33	
900 School Lunch & Special Milk:				
975.1 Federal Monies	3,160.84	2,212.58	948.26	
1000 Student Body Activities:				
1075. Expenditures and Transfers of Monies	1,120.00		1,120.00	

1200 Capital Outlay:				
1267. Equipment	3,605.80			3,605.80
1300 Debt Service:				
1370. Principal of Debt	15,000.00			15,000.00
1371. Interest on Debt	4,263.00			4,263.00
1400 Outgoing Transfer Accounts:				
1477.3 District Share of Supervisory Union Expenses	12,821.79	8,526.50	4,295.29	
1477.9 Other in-state expenditures	401.00	401.00		
1479. Tuition	401.00	401.00		
1600 Adult Education:				
1610.3 Salaries of Teachers	300.00			300.00
1610.9 Other Salaries	349.70			349.70
1690. Other Expenses	487.02			487.02
1981 Refunds:	104.00	104.00		
<hr/>				
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	\$359,180.26	\$163,410.58	\$171,764.16	\$ 24,005.52
Cash on Hand at end of year (June 30, 1968)	10,947.99			
	<hr/>			
	\$370,128.25			

GROVETON EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**1967-1968*****Athletics*****Junior High:**

Baseball and Basketball	\$	100.00
Elementary & Junior High Soccer		100.00

High School:

J.V. Baseball		100.00
Varsity Baseball		200.00
J.V. Basketball		200.00
Varsity Basketball		500.00
Girls' Basketball		200.00
Ski Team		200.00
Soccer		200.00

Academic

Vice-Principal		100.00
Dept. Chairman—English		100.00
Driver Education		300.00
Music—Elementary		100.00

Clubs

Newspaper		100.00
Yearbook		100.00

\$ 2,600.00

GROVETON EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES***Proposed for 1969-1970******Athletics*****Junior High:**

Baseball	\$	100.00
Basketball		200.00
Soccer		100.00

High School:

J.V. Baseball	200.00
Varsity Baseball	300.00
J.V. Basketball	300.00
Varsity Basketball	500.00
Girls' Basketball	300.00
Cheerleading	100.00
Ski Team	200.00
Soccer	400.00

Academic

Vice-Principal	500.00
Department Chairman	
English	100.00
Math	100.00
Science	100.00
Social Studies	100.00
Detention	200.00
Driver Education	200.00

Clubs

A-V Club	100.00
Dramatics	200.00
FHA	100.00
French Club	200.00
Junior Council on World Affairs	200.00
Library Club	100.00
National Honor Society	100.00
Newspaper	100.00
Science Club	100.00
Student Council	200.00
Yearbook	200.00
Treasurer, Student Activities	300.00

\$ 5,900.00

**NORTHUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND BUDGETS**

	Expendi- tures for 1967-68	Estimate for 1968-69	Budget for 1969-70
SUMMARY			
100 Administration:			
110.1 Salaries of District Officers	\$ 830.00	\$ 830.00	\$ 1,230.00
135. Contracted Services	141.00	149.00	324.00
190. Other Expenses of Dist. Officers	390.07	415.00	415.00
200 Instruction:			
210.1-210.3 Teachers' Salaries	218,280.17	239,830.00	251,100.00
Teachers' Extra Curricula Duties			5,900.00
210.5 Salaries of Secretarial Assistants	5,604.75	6,410.00	6,404.00
210.9 Other Salaries for Instruction			2,500.00
215. Textbooks	4,785.14	4,000.00	4,000.00
220. Libraries & Audiovisual Material	3,829.00	2,500.00	3,000.00
230. Teaching Supplies	12,516.45	11,750.00	12,000.00
235. Contracted Services	450.00	1,250.00	1,485.00
290. Other Expenses for Instruction	2,695.87	3,330.00	2,440.00
300 Attendance Services:			
310. Salaries for Attendance Services		50.00	50.00
400 Health Services:			
410. Salaries for Health Services	1,605.00	4,050.00	4,550.00
490. Other Expenses for Health Services	264.31	600.00	600.00
500 Pupil Transportation:			
510. Salaries for Pupil Transportation	6,122.75	6,000.00	6,250.00
526. Repairs to Pupil Transportation	207.90	150.00	200.00
530. Supplies for Pupil Transportation	1,034.28	1,500.00	1,400.00
535. Contracted Services, Bus Rental	7,163.20	7,700.00	7,800.00
590. Other Expenses for Pupil Transportation		300.00	

600	Operation of Plant:			
610.	Salaries for Operation of Plant	11,975.00	12,320.00	14,000.00
630.	Supplies for Operation of Plant	2,070.84	1,500.00	2,000.00
635.	Contracted Services, Operation of Plant	206.64	800.00	500.00
640.	Heat for Buildings	5,473.20	5,500.00	5,500.00
645.	Utilities, except Heat for bldgs.	5,619.23	5,800.00	5,300.00
690.	Other Expenses for Operation of Plant		400.00	
	700 Maintenance of Plant:			
710.	Salaries for Maintenance	317.80	1,500.00	1,050.00
725.	Replacement of Equipment	3,343.44	7,597.00	2,540.00
726.	Repairs to Equipment	813.96	1,200.00	1,000.00
735.	Contracted Services for Maintenance		670.00	9,460.00
766.	Repairs to Buildings	2,951.64	5,500.00	1,165.00
790.	Other Expenses for Maintenance			200.00
	800 Fixed Charges			
850.1	State Retirement	182.88	160.00	418.00
850.2	Teachers' Retirement	6,706.74	12,842.00	5,700.00
850.3	F.I.C.A.	6,714.30	8,123.00	9,000.00
855.	Insurance	4,870.55	4,668.00	5,131.40
900	School Lunch & Special Milk:			
975.1	Federal Monies	3,160.84		
975.2	District Monies		500.00	500.00
1000	Student-Body Activities:			
1075.	Expenditures and transfers of monies for general support of student-body activities fund	1,120.00	573.00	2,320.00
	1200 Capital Outlay:			
1267.	Equipment	3,605.80		5,900.00
1300	Debt Service:			
1370.	Principal of Debt	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
1371.	Interest on Debt	4,263.00	3,828.00	3,393.00
	1400 Outgoing Transfer Accounts:			
1477.1	Tuition		500.00	500.00
1477.2	Transportation			500.00

Expenditures for	Estimate for	Budget for
	1968-69	1969-70
1967-68	14,368.20	15,291.68
12,821.79	440.00	
401.00		
401.00	3,200.00	
300.00		
349.70		
487.02		
104.00		
359,180.26	397,803.20	418,017.08

RECEIPTS

	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70
Cash on hand	10.08	10,947.99	12,000.00
Due from town—1967-68 appropriation		20,000.00	
Town Appropriation	312,331.25	324,382.75	354,298.62
State Building Aid	4,798.46	4,798.46	4,798.46
Intellectually retarded	19.24		
Driver Education	560.00	700.00	1,200.00
Sweepstakes	4,525.67	2,874.00	3,000.00
Federal Aid, Home Economics	442.12	200.00	
Federal Aid, School Lunch & Special Milk	3,160.84		
Federal Aid, Title V	241.20		
Federal Aid, Title II	1,399.34		
Tuition	36,640.84	30,000.00	42,000.00
Other Receipts	1,247.49	700.00	720.00
P.L. 89-10	3,615.00	3,200.00	
Adult Basic Education	1,136.72		
\$ 370,123.25	\$ 397,803.20	\$ 418,017.08	

1477.3 Dist. Share of Supervisory Union Expenses
 1477.9 Other In-State Expenditures
 1479.1 Tuition to Private Nonsectarian Schools
 P.L. 89:10
1600 Adult Education:
 1610.3 Teachers' Salaries
 1610.9 Other Salaries
 1690. Other
1981 Refunds:

Cash on hand
 Due from town—1967-68 appropriation
 Town Appropriation
 State Building Aid
 Intellectually retarded
 Driver Education
 Sweepstakes
 Federal Aid, Home Economics
 Federal Aid, School Lunch & Special Milk
 Federal Aid, Title V
 Federal Aid, Title II
 Tuition
 Other Receipts
 P.L. 89-10
 Adult Basic Education

**NORTHUMBERLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT
PAYMENTS 1967-68**

110.1 Salaries of District Officers

Lynwood Shoff, School Board salary	\$ 200.00
Harold Marshall, School Board salary	200.00
Dean Tillotson, School Board salary	200.00
Stanford Johnson, Treasurer	200.00
Lyle Hersom, Moderator	20.00
Florence Tilton, Clerk	10.00
	<hr/>
	\$ 830.00

135 Contracted Services

Raymond Hurlbutt, Auditor	25.00
Arthur Gaudette, Auditor	25.00
Helen Anderson, Supervisor	8.00
Howard Craggy, Supervisor	8.00
Mabel Hall, School Census	75.00
	<hr/>
	\$ 141.00

190.1 Other Expenses of District Offices

Mr. Willard Covieo	246.87
Lewiston Sun-Journal	6.40
People's National Bank, Service Charges	26.48
The Union Leader Corporation	110.32
	<hr/>
	\$ 390.07
210.1-210.9 Teachers' Salaries	\$218,280.17
210.5 Salaries of Secretarial Assistants	\$ 5,604.75

215 Textbooks

Addison-Wesley Pub. Co., Inc.	231.55
Allied Education Council	19.96
Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	162.49
American Book Co.	373.84
Association Press	3.21
Belwin, Inc.	17.20
Continental Book Co.	10.55
Thomas Y. Crowell Co.	2.95
Cuisenaire Co. of America, Inc.	10.00
T. S. Denison & Co., Inc.	5.10
The Economy Co.	234.00
Educational Audio-Visual, Inc.	6.20
Carl Fischer, Inc.	165.43
Follett Publishing Co.	404.52
W. H. Freeman & Co.	45.35
Ginn & Co.	162.21
Hampshire Music Co.	38.69
Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.	119.16

Harr Wagner Publishing Co.	70.95
D. C. Heath & Co.	65.72
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	530.64
Houghton Mifflin Co.	83.96
Initial Teaching Alphabet	41.20
Jam Handy Organization, Inc.	64.00
Neil A. Kjos Music Co.	45.75
Laidlaw Brothers	380.89
McCormick Mathers Pub. Co.	13.95
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	170.44
Charles E. Merrill Books, Inc.	90.25
N.H. Div. AAA	91.00
Porter Sargent Publisher	10.00
Prentice Hall, Inc.	153.23
Science Research Associates	456.00
Scott, Foresman & Co.	59.80
The L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	106.50
South-Western Pub. Co.	188.10
Wilcox & Follett Co.	150.35

\$ 4,785.14

220 Library and Audio-Visual

American Library and Educational Ser. Co.	34.13
American Interstate Corporation	5.40
Association Press	3.76
Award Records & Film Co.	50.00
Herbert E. Budek Films & Slides	18.30
H. D. Burrage	25.15
Cambosco Scientific Co.	34.42
The Civil War Press	13.95
County Treas. & Tax Collector	2.10
Dell Publishing Co.	1.95
Dodd, Mead & Co. Inc.	89.74
Doubleday & Co. Inc.	162.76
Eastern Book Co.	413.38
Edu. Comm. of the Southern Baptist Convention	1.00
Educational Filmstrips	12.50
Educational Record Sales, Inc.	90.76
Educational Visual Aids	182.00
Educators Book Club	5.77
Educators Progress Service	26.00
Encyclopedia Britannica Educational Corp.	146.15
Filmstrip House, Inc.	35.10
Follett Library Book Co.	5.99
Forest Press, Inc.	10.00
Gaylord Brothers, Inc.	51.91
The Grade Teacher	10.80
Grolier Society, Inc.	5.95
Guidance Associates	61.20
Hammond, Inc.	47.23

Harcourt, Brace & World, Inc.	21.69
Harper & Row Publishers	45.51
Harr Wagner Pub. Co.	16.20
Hearne Brothers	225.00
D. C. Heath & Co.	46.52
The Highsmith Co.	7.50
Holt, Rinehart & Winston, Inc.	502.31
Hovey's Camera	7.50
Institute for Research, The	19.58
The Jam Handy Organization	12.50
John Martin Kroll	132.75
Life Nature Library	17.60
Life World Library	20.32
Lyons Band Instrument Co., Inc.	41.36
Martin Murray Corp.	120.15
3M Business Products Sales	2.50
3M Minnesota, Mining & Mfg. Co.	24.85
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	294.77
Modern Learning Aids	54.00
Moore Cottrell Subscription Agencies, Inc.	119.20
National Education Asso. of the U.S.	2.25
National Geographic Society	11.75
National School Public Relations Asso.	18.00
Olson Electronics, Inc.	14.05
F. A. Owen Publishing Co.	17.95
Parents Magazine Enterprises, Inc.	12.76
Phi Delta Kappa	5.50
Popular Science Pub. Co., Inc.	33.00
Prentice-Hall Inc.	5.47
Rand McNally & Co.	16.11
Regents Publishing Co.	15.15
A. H. Rice Co., Inc.	19.85
Science Research Asso., Inc.	25.62
Scott, Foresman & Co.	37.99
Society for Visual Education, Inc.	68.69
Speakers Coop.	46.50
Superintendent of Documents	3.75
Teachers College Press	3.45
Time Life Books	10.05
University of N.H.	44.00
Vocational Guidance Manuals	11.06
Wholesome Film Center, Inc.	11.28
The H. W. Wilson Co.	31.00
The World Book Encyclopedia	84.56
	<hr/>
	\$ 3,829.00

230 Teaching Supplies

Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	26.03
Alvin & Co.	9.80
American Automotive Units	5.95

American Council on Education	32.05
American Education Publications	219.40
American Oil Co.	7.29
Atlantic Business Forms Co.	5.25
Beacon Musical Instrument Co.	10.36
Beckley Cardy Co.	5.45
Boshco, Inc.	13.46
Boston Blue Print Co., Inc.	60.25
Brodhead-Garrett Co.	996.00
Cambosco Scientific Co.	684.94
Carolina Biological Supply Co.	193.97
Chevron Oil Co.	75.97
Chronicle Guidance Publications, Inc.	44.50
Civic Education Service	291.00
Clear View Co.	13.95
College Entrance Examination Board	6.50
College Entrance Publications	1.50
Continental Press, Inc.	13.37
Coop. Test Div. of Edu. Testing Service	133.15
Mr. Donat Couture	16.25
Mr. Willard Covieo	131.39
Miss Genevieve Devlin	7.04
A. B. Dick Co. of N.E.	22.00
The Economy Co.	2.40
Educator's Progress Service	8.75
Educator's Publishing Service	3.00
Emerson & Son	76.35
Follett Publishing Co.	356.15
W. H. Freeman & Co.	58.55
Gaylord Brothers, Inc.	17.40
Ginn & Co.	80.15
Glenn Cove Public Schools	1.00
Globe Discount Store	4.99
The Grade Teacher	10.25
Grady's Welding Supply, Inc.	5.25
Mr. George Gross	11.90
Groveton Red & White	12.34
J. L. Hammett Co.	13.00
Harcourt Brace & World, Inc.	12.39
D. C. Heath & Co.	7.90
Victor C. Hiett	5.15
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	173.60
Houghton Mifflin Co.	8.00
Initial Teaching Alphabet	409.21
The Instructor	1.00
Kee-Lox Mfg. Co.	26.40
Laidlaw Brothers	242.91
Lancaster Building Materials, Inc.	4.95
LaPine Scientific Co.	56.08
Lewiston Welding Co.	41.95
Life Educational Reprints	10.85

Lynn Hardware Co., Inc.	234.17
Mainco School Supply Co.	3,379.88
3M Business Products Sales, Inc.	300.43
3M Minnesota, Mining & Mfg. Co.	15.00
McCormick Mathers Pub. Co., Inc.	6.05
Milton Bradley Co.	4.20
Modern Learning Aids	18.00
Nat'l Council of Teachers of Math.	14.00
Nat'l. Education Asso. of the U.S.	10.20
National School Methods, Inc.	9.25
Neeburban Club	4.00
N.H. Division of AAA	31.00
N.H. State Treas.	6.05
Patterson Brothers	269.46
Postmaster, Groveton	5.34
Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test	45.00
Rand McNally & Co.	7.43
Readers Digest Services, Inc.	87.59
Regents Publishing Co.	8.56
A. H. Rice Co., Inc.	45.55
Mr. Alan Rich, Petty Cash	200.00
Rinehart	50.00
Roberts Motor Sales, Inc.	12.85
Rumford Office Supply	173.35
Ryan's Chevron Service	35.07
Scholastic Book Services	14.61
Scholastic Magazines	499.50
School Service Co., Inc.	44.65
Science Research Assoc.	851.98
Scott, Foresman & Co.	505.95
Sermons & Pictures, Inc.	7.50
Siecus	2.50
Silver Burdett Co.	55.84
The L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	10.55
South-Western Publishing Co.	317.29
Styles Drug Store	25.67
Superintendent of Documents	.40
S. & W. Market	167.99
Today's Secretary	33.50
Town of Northumberland	21.57
Tracy's Texaco	7.25
University of N.H.	140.08
U.S. Post Office	7.20
Washington Irving Publishing Co.	8.50
John Wiley & Sons, Inc.	7.61
Wilcox & Follett Co.	24.74
Mr. Larry W. Williams, Petty Cash	100.00
Wisconsin State Univ.	.45

\$ 12,516.45

235 Contracted Services for Instruction	
Rinehart Handwriting System	\$ 450.00
290 Other Expenses of Instruction	
Miss Almira M. Baston	6.40
Edward Briggs	17.60
The Caledonian Record Pub. Co.	4.52
The Camera Shop	8.00
Linwood E. Clarke	100.65
The Coos County Democrat	5.25
Mrs. Rachel Colby	21.60
The Courier Printing Co.	4.00
Mr. Willard Covio	44.80
Dept. of Elem. School Prin.	12.00
Eagle Hotel	210.45
Educator's Progress Service	6.75
The Charles H. Elliott Co.	423.18
Mr. W. Eugene Garlich	64.75
Groveton Chamber of Commerce	5.00
G.H.S. Activity Fund	65.00
Mrs. Margaret Harder	14.40
Mr. George Larkin	60.00
Mr. Edward J. Lawton	24.00
Mr. William E. Merrill	14.40
Mr. John Nay	215.47
N.E. Asso. of Colleges & Secondary Schools	200.00
N.H. Council for Better Schools	5.00
N.H. Music Educators' Asso.	10.00
Mrs. Dianne Nolin	48.18
Dr. Vincent Paniccia	47.00
Plymouth State College	5.00
Mrs. Ruth Potter	49.66
Mr. Randall Ray	200.00
Mr. Alan Rich	277.75
Miss Jeanette Saigh	26.26
Mr. William Savage	18.40
Science Research Associates, Inc.	170.00
School Assembly Service	70.00
Mrs. Helen N. Selby	4.80
Sheraton Meadowbrook Motor Inn	35.54
Jeanette Therrien	16.80
U.S. Immigration Dept.	10.00
Mr. Larry W. Williams	173.26
	\$ 2,695.87
410 Health	
Bureau of Dental Public Health	240.00
R. I. Hinkley, M.D.	625.00
Robert N. Lindholm, M.D.	40.00
Mrs. Wiletta Lurvey	700.00
	\$ 1,605.00

490 Health—Other

American School Health Asso.	10.00	
Art Metal, Inc.	19.00	
Geo. C. Frye Co.	11.43	
Mrs. Wiletta Lurvey	200.00	
Styles Drug Store	4.32	
Surgeons' & Physicians Supply Co.	6.30	
U.S. Post Office	13.26	
		\$ 264.31

510 Salaries for Pupil Transportation \$ 6,122.75

526 Repairs to Pupil Trans. Vehicles & Equipment

Mr. Darrell P. Arsenault	32.50	
Groveton American Service	4.00	
Hart's Service Station	61.85	
Hunt's Esso Station	49.55	
John Ryan	60.00	
		\$ 207.90

530 Supplies - Transportation

American Oil Co.	10.47	
Chevron Oil Co.	21.46	
Groveton American Service	15.00	
Wendell Hart	14.39	
Bernard Lurvey	159.02	
Normandeau Trucking	2.60	
Ryan's Chevron Service	23.86	
Town of Northumberland	787.48	
		\$ 1,034.28

535 Contracted Services Transportation

Hart's Service Station	39.90	
Nugent Motor Co.	7,123.30	
		\$ 7,163.20

610 Salaries for Operation of Plant \$ 11,975.00

630 Operation of Plant

American Chemical Co.	39.00
C. B. Dolge Co.	88.70
Emerson & Son	5.19
George R. Hepworth	10.50
Hillyard Sales Co.	1,321.59
Interstate Restaurant Eqpt. Co.	18.10
Luxor Lighting Products, Inc.	361.36
Magson Uniform Co., Inc.	17.63
North American Mogul Products Co.	38.13
The Pioneer Mfg. Co.	33.60

St. Johnsbury Trucking Co., Inc.	48.12	
Vanity Fair Paper Sales Corp.	65.22	
West Chemical Products	23.70	
		\$ 2,070.84

635 Contracted Services—Operation of Plant

Mr. Gary Normandeau		\$ 206.64
---------------------	--	-----------

640 Heat for Buildings

J. L. Emery & Son	107.60	
C. H. Sprague & Son Co.	5,365.60	
		\$ 5,473.20

645 Utilities

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	1,130.11	
Public Service Co. of N.H.	4,489.12	
		\$ 5,619.23

710 Salaries for Maintenance		\$ 317.80
-------------------------------------	--	-----------

725 Maintenance of Plant, Replacement of Equipment

Audio Engineering Co., Inc.	192.00	
The Atwell Co.	15.00	
Beacon Musical Instrument Co.	585.28	
Block & Co., Inc.	137.00	
Cambosco Scientific Co.	262.58	
Linwood E. Clarke	35.00	
T. S. Denison & Co., Inc.	66.06	
General Electric Supply Co.	19.39	
Hovey's Camera	201.10	
Lewis Express, Inc.	4.80	
Litton Industries Credit Corp.	324.00	
Lynn Hardware Co., Inc.	622.00	
N. H. Treasurer	25.00	
A. H. Rice Co., Inc.	202.61	
Royal Typewriter Co., Inc.	333.50	
Science Research Associates, Inc.	127.20	
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	20.24	
School Sound Systems, Inc.	136.08	
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co., Inc.	9.60	
Top Furniture Inc.	25.00	
		\$ 3,343.44

726 Repairs to Instructional Equipment

Boivin's Radio & TV	4.25
The Bookstore of Berlin	530.00
Emerson & Son	40.55
3M Business Products Sales, Inc.	24.50
Mobilab of N.H., Inc.	18.79
Public Service Co. of N.H.	5.60
A. H. Rice Co., Inc.	109.67
Rumford Office Supply, Inc.	3.80
Mr. Jack Watkins	65.00
Webco	11.80
	<hr/>
	\$ 813.96

766 Maintenance of Plant, Replacement of Equipment

Burrell Roofing Co.	170.00
Emerson & Son	1,026.97
J. L. Emery & Son	248.16
C. L. Haskell	180.00
George R. Hepworth	8.00
Hillyard Sales Co.	1.74
Interstate Restaurant Equip. Co.	108.10
Mr. William Joyce	26.00
Kelley's Auto Supply, Inc.	15.39
Koffler Sales Corp.	31.88
James W. Main	23.27
New England Door Closer, Inc.	39.37
Jay Norris Co.	43.78
North American Mogul Products Co.	62.80
Property Chemical Products	108.45
E. S. Ronaldson, Inc.	581.94
Frank I. Rounds Co.	119.52
Sherwin Williams Co.	40.23
St. Johnsbury Trucking Co.	14.50
R. E. York	101.54
	<hr/>
	\$ 2,951.64

850.1 State Retirement

N.H. Retirement System	\$ 182.88
------------------------	-----------

850.2 Teachers' Retirement

N.H. Teachers Retirement System	\$ 6,706.74
---------------------------------	-------------

850.3 FICA

N.H. Div. of Welfare: OASI Fund	22.12
N.H. State Treas.	6,692.18
	<hr/>
	\$ 6,714.30

855 Insurance		
Langley's Insurance	4,866.55	
N.H. Dept. of Labor	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,870.55
975.1 Federal Reimbursement—School Lunch Program		
Groveton Elementary School Cafeteria		\$ 3,160.84
1075 Student Body Activities		
Groveton High School Activities Fund	1,000.00	
N.H. Interscholastic Athletic Asso.	120.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,120.00
1267 Capital Outlay—Equipment		
Mainco School Supply		\$ 3,605.80
1370 Principle of Debt		
The National Shawmut Bank of Boston		\$ 15,000.00
1371 Interest		
The National Shawmut Bank of Boston		\$ 4,263.00
1477.3 Supervisory Union Expenses		
Supervisory Union No. 58		\$ 12,821.79
1477.9 Other		
Mr. Ralph Hersom		\$ 401.00
1479 Tuition		
N.H. State Board of Education		\$ 401.00
1610.3 Teachers' Salaries, Adult Basic Education		\$ 300.00
1610.9 Other, Salaries, Adult Basic Education		\$ 349.70
1690 Other, Adult Basic Education		
Barnell Loft, Ltd.	3.34	
N.E. Telephone	20.00	
News for You	9.00	
N.H. State Treas.	28.18	
A. H. Rice Co.	355.00	
Simon & Schuster, Inc.	66.50	
U.S. Post Office	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 487.02

1981 Refund		
Guildhall, Vt. School District		\$ 104.00
		<hr/>
Total Payments for All Purposes 1967-1968		\$359,180.26
Superintendent's Salary 1967-68		
State's share	\$ 4,250.00	
Northumberland School District's share	5,192.50	
Stratford School District's share	2,170.00	
Stark School District's share	387.50	
	<hr/>	
	\$12,000.00	

**REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
OF SCHOOLS**

This has been another very busy year for Groveton and we would like to digress if we may pertaining to some of the events in the elementary, the Guidance Counselor's report, and a report from the secondary school.

This year we are still working on recommendations made by the Evaluating Committee and we have seen improvement in the library facilities that are offered and have continued curriculum studies in all subject matter areas for, as you know, curriculum development cannot remain stagnant for you must constantly study your programs, study the needs of the student body and meet these needs head on whenever possible. This the administration and staff are trying to do. You must, also, be apprized that there are certain limitations which our faculty are faced with which presently handicap them in the carrying out of our education goals. This year the State Department has published guide lines for the elementary school and, of course, here as, also, did the Evaluating Committee, they have recommended various criteria that we should have to meet the educational needs of our students, such as remedial, guidance, released time for teachers to work on curriculum in the summer, increased library facilities and pupil-teacher ratio of no more than 25 students to one teacher. With this in mind, the Board is going to propose the purchasing of two portable educational centers which will provide a minimum of three additional classrooms. Specific details will be coming from the Board at the annual school meeting.

It, also, is to be noted that there is a great deal of interest in the town and from the faculty and administration for the inclusion of a Physical Education program.

When the possible Union merger with Colebrook was discussed by the State Board of Education and the Deputy Commissioner of Education visited us their recommendations were that we provide some relief for our teachers and their suggestions were, of course, in the line of the field of guidance and teacher aides. In the Board's wisdom they felt that the town could not afford guidance this year, but did suggest adding two part-time teacher aides. In 1970, the State Dept. will again re-evaluate the efforts that our town has made pertaining to meeting some of our educational needs. This, we feel, is a step in the right direction in providing additional space and teacher aides.

Moving the library to the third floor has given us the additional space that was needed and will provide room for future expansion. A teacher may now have a full class spend as much time as she feels necessary which heretofore could not be done. We received an additional \$1,500.00 for the purchase of reference materials for the library because of this move into a larger room which we would not have gotten if we had not done this.

We are presently studying the feasibility and implementing of a Special Education Center for the Union. This would be funded primarily by State and Federal funds and would utilize specialists from the various Mental Health Clinics throughout the state. Hopefully, by next year we will have more information regarding this.

The staff this year has devised a new report card for the primary grades 1 to 3 which we feel is much more adequate than the previous card.

We are very happy to have with us this year as a new titular head of the Elementary School, Gordon Flight, who was the former Principal in Bethlehem. He is doing an outstanding job in curriculum reorgan-

ization and following up on the recommendations and suggestions made by the Evaluating Committee, administration and Board of Education.

This year, also, we are very pleased to have the services of Miss Elise Laurin who comes to us from the Peace Corps with three years experience teaching students in Turkey. She is presently affiliated with the 3rd Grade. In the 2nd Grade we have Mrs. Alice Abbott who has ten years experience. Mrs. Harriette Potter who is teaching Grade 4 has 8 years experience prior to raising her family and we are very pleased to have her back with us as a member of our educational team. We are pleased, also, to have Mrs. Joyce Haas who has three years experience who is teaching the 1st Grade. She attended an Institute pertaining to I.T.A. and is working with Mrs. Nay in this program.

In Guidance this year Mr. Nay has coordinated our Social Education Sex program and we feel we have made many inroads with this program. It is to be clearly understood with a program of this type that before it can be incorporated officially with the rest of the curriculum it will take time for we must get the materials, work with the staff to draw up outlines and Courses of Study, but we are encouraged with the progress that was made this year and next year we will increase the offerings and, hopefully, within three years it will be fully implemented with our curriculum.

This year Mr. Nay was instrumental in working with the State Test Advisory Board from the State Department of Education revising the state-wide testing program. This year for the first time we received full subsidy for testing Grades 2, 4, 6 and 8, and 50% subsidy for testing Grade 10. These test results are coordinated with the statewide testing program so that it will be possible to develop statistical norms from other schools throughout the state. This department was, also, instrumental in establishing additional services regard-

ing a regularly scheduled program with the North Country Community Services in Berlin who now provide regular referral consultation services to our students. Twice a month the director of the center meets with the faculty and administration of our two schools.

At the high school we had the following new members:

- Mr. Kenneth Brown, Mathematics
- Mr. Lloyd Gaudette, Mathematics
- Mrs. Donna Grant, Art
- Mr. Kent Lauber, Business
- Mr. Richard Merrill, Chemistry & Physics
- Mr. Thomas Ordzie, English 9 & 10
- Mr. Robert Tobin, Music

Last year and part of this year was spent in the Self-Evaluation for the New England Association of Colleges & Secondary Schools who are to accredit our school sometime in April.

We are now, also, officially approved for the Vocational Business program.

We have this year for the first time enlisted the services of two Vista workers on a tutoring program.

Our Family Life & Sex Education program was started.

Our teachers have attended the following professional conferences.

- N.H.E.A. Convention, Manchester, N.H.
- N. H. Business Teachers Association, Concord N.H.
- General Session of the N.H.E.A., Manchester, N.H.
- Mathematics Institute, University of N.H., Durham.
- New England Convention of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, Boston, Mass.
- Lecture on Narcotics by the State Dept. of Education, Whitefield, N.H.
- Coaches Clinic, Manchester, N.H.

Coaches Clinic, Hanover, N.H.

Library Techniques Conference, Whitefield, N.H.

Meeting of the Delegates for the N.H.E.A., Manchester, N.H.

Youth Citizenship Conference, Pembroke, N.H.

Youth Citizenship Conference, Lincoln-Filene Center, Boston, Mass.

Home Economics Association Conference, Hanover, N.H.

Hamilton County Music Teachers Association Conference.

All County Music Festival, Indian Lake, N.Y.

American Association of Guidance Counselors, Detroit, Mich.

N. H. Guidance Association meeting, Henniker, N.H.

State Testing Workshops in Guidance.

County meetings in Guidance, Whitefield, N.H.

The high school is constantly revising and upgrading its curriculum and we hope for a very good report from the New England Association of Colleges & Secondary Schools when they, hopefully, accredit our school this spring.

Our In-service programs were continued with Timberland Machines Co. and the Groveton Papers Co.

We have tried for a period of five years to get permission to receive student teachers from various colleges and universities and last year we received for the first time our first student teachers in the fields of Social Studies and French. This year we have received five student teachers. I think the reasons are very obvious as to the benefits derived from this program.

1. It offers the student an opportunity to work under the supervision of a trained experienced teacher.

2. It gives him first hand experience of knowing the type of students that he might be confronted with if he were to choose Groveton for a career.

3. It gives us an opportunity of observing potential teaching candidates and, of course, we are proud of our institutional system and the public relations that would get back to other members of the student body at local universities or colleges which will help us in future placement.

All in all we feel we are making the needed progress towards the development of the educational programs that will train our young people to be useful citizens and to carry and pull their own weight in a very complex and demanding society.

Respectfully submitted,

LINWOOD E. CLARKE
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE 1968

- 331 Students had scalp and hair inspections
 70 Checked on for small pox vaccination
- 601 Weighed and measured
- 274 Students in Grades 4-7-11 and all new students plus all known heart murmurs and all that participated in athletic activity had physical examinations
- 639 Vision and 655 Hearing tests were done and corrections made
- 319 First aid treatments were given
- 259 Home visits were made
 Contagious diseases during the school year were:
 Impetigo—4
 Ringworm—1
 Chicken pox—14
 German measles—5
 Mumps—6
- 65 Students in first three grades received Measles Vaccine
- 180 Students received Triple Toxoid immunization
- 36 Students received Trivalent Oral Polio vaccine
- 56 Preschool children had physical examinations and
 21 Had Trivalent Polio vaccine
- 106 Had the Heaf test for tuberculosis
 3 Were checked on by X-ray and 1 had the mantoux test
- 45 Teachers received Flu vaccine

Special referrals and clinics

Mental Health—5

Lancaster Cardiac Clinic—17

Orthopedic Clinic, Berlin—22

Physical Therapy—7

Plastic Surgery Clinic, Hanover—1

Dental Clinic—Inspected 310; Treated—84

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all school personnel, the doctors and all the other people for their willing help that I received at all the various clinics. It was much appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

WILETTA LURVEY, R.N.

GRADE PLACEMENT CHART—September, 1968

Elementary Building				Gordon Flight, Principal			
Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Joyce Haas	23						23
Roma Nay	22						22
Alice Abbott		21					21
Virginia Davis		23					23
Estella Sullivan		19					19
Elise Laurin			31				31
Rowena Rogerson			32				32
Ruth Croteau				25			25
Harriette Potter				24			24
Dorothy Covio					28		28
Janet Rich					29		29
Helen Boswell						20	20
Thomas Monahan						23	23
Dorothy Taylor, Remedial Reading							
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	45	63	63	49	57	43	320

High School Building				Alan Rich, Principal			
Grades	7	8	9	Donald Dimick, Ass't. Principal			Total
				10	11	12	
	59	54	54	58	61	47	333

Helen Anderson	Mathematics 7-8
Ruth Beattie	Business, Dept. Chr.
Kenneth Brown	Mathematics, Dept. Chr.
Cecile Costine	English 7-8
Donald Dimick	Social Studies, Driver Ed.
Roland Fillion	French
Lloyd Gaudette	Mathematics
Donna Grant	Art Coordinator 1-12
William Joyce	Industrial Arts
Patricia Kelley	English 11-12, Dept. Chr.
Kent Lauber	Business
D. Chandler Matthews	Social Studies, Librarian
Phyllis McFarland	Science 7-8
Richard Merrill	Science
Thomas Ordzie	English 10
Randall Ray	Social Studies, Dept. Chr.
Helen Robertson	Home Economics
Hollis Sawyer	Science, Dept. Chr.
Robert Tobin	Music Director Elementary & Secondary

VITAL
STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NORTHUMBERLAND For The Year Ending December 31, 1968

Date of Birth and Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
January			
6 Ruth Ann Mardin	F	David W. Mardin	Linda M. Morse
12 Lisa Marie Breese	F	Edmund O. Breese	Doris T. Roby
21 Jonathan Ruben Gonyer	M	John R. Gonyer	Waneta F. Irving
30 Faron Wayne Deyette	M	Wayne F. Deyette	Mary Jane Wilson
February			
18 Laneta Ray Wiles	F	Dean A. Wiles	Rita M. Wiley
19 Michael David Johnson	M	Kenneth A. Johnson	Linda J. Levesque
24 Lesley Ann Dunham	F	Philip B. Dunham	Thelma J. Hawkins
28 Wendy Lynn Merrow	F	Charles J. Merrow	Lorraine E. Wright
March			
8 Devin Stanley Atkinson	M	Thomas M. Atkinson	Ann L. Brown
23 Tricia Reeves Covell	F	Thomas R. Covell	Gloria J. Gagnon
26 Sheridan James Covill, Jr.	M	Sheridan J. Covill	Beverly L. Johnson
April			
5 Kim Renae Panzieri	F	Angelo J. Panzieri	Sarah A. Cass
8 Lori Anne Major	F	Gilbert A. Major	Geraldine M. Gagnon
8 Ryan Mitchell Irving	M	Rodney L. Irving	Sharon A. Wylie
18 Darcie Anne Brooks	F	James A. Brooks	Gail P. Young
May			
7 Lawrence Robert Gray	M	Linwood P. Gray	Mary L. Dorr
10 Timothy Hunter Savage	M	Frank H. Savage	Sharon L. Deering
17 Troy Arthur Burt	M	Kenneth D. Burt	Sally M. Knights
28 Kelley Rose Beaton	F	Arthur R. Beaton, Jr.	Linda Joyce Hopps
June			
4 Gary Daniel Marshall	M	Stewart G. Marshall	Louisa D. Lavertue
8 Kimberly Sue Marshall	F	Andrew E. Marshall	Bonnie L. Hurlbert
19 Cheryl Anne Roy	F	Ernest A. Roy, Sr.	Linda J. Hopps
21 Paul Guy Perras	M	Real J. Perras	Alice B. St. Germain
25 Gary Michael Gilcris	M	Wayne D. Gilcris	Brenda M. Deyette
July			
8 Dale Richard Simpson	M	Arthur R. Simpson, Jr.	Carlene J. Eagan

BIRTHS (Continued)

8	Kevin L. Boudle	M	Lawrence A. Boudle
15	Tera Ann Mills	F	Timothy P. Mills
20	Reginald Keith Charron	M	Dennis R. Charron
29	Esandra Lynn Brooks	F	Stanley L. Brooks
29	Diane Elaine Kenney	F	Thomas W. Kenney
August			
14	Thomas F. Bushey	M	Bernard G. Bushey
17	Robin Forrest Ash	M	Ronald K. Ash
23	James Joseph Normand	M	John J. Normand
September			
2	John Wesley Berube, Jr.	M	John W. Berube, Sr.
6	Lisa Marie Fogg	F	Elliott S. Fogg
11	Tina Lee Benoit	F	Raymond F. Benoit
October			
2	Angela Marie Whittum	F	George T. Whittum, Jr.
30	Joseph Robert Hartien	M	Donald K. Hartien
November			
9	Theresa Rachel Lamoureux	F	Ivan M. Lamoureux
11	Nancy Jane Reynolds	F	Clarence B. Reynolds
12	Randall Robert Ray, Jr.	M	Randall R. Ray, Sr.
December			
17	Julie Ann Cunningham	F	William B. Cunningham
24	Scott Alan Dunham	M	Harland R. Dunham
26	Timothy Lee Charbonneau	M	Charles E. Charbonneau
28	Jessica Marie Knowlton	F	Arnold E. Knowlton
			Jane C. Stone
			Anna B. Leclerc
			Louise A. Platt
			Gertrude E. Devost
			Joan V. Miles
			Jeanne P. Fecteau
			Marion C. Donaghy
			Denise A. Thibodeau
			Mary J. Savage
			Theresa P. Goulet
			Chloe J. Hodgdon
			Sandra L. Hutchinson
			Leah M. Everley
			Camellia L. Gosselin
			Barbara L. Roby
			Nancy J. Cole
			Mary Jane Goulet
			Charlotte A. Sheltry
			Joan M. Kennett
			Lorraine A. Gagnon

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Respectfully submitted: JEANNE A. GARLAND, Town Clerk

**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NORTHUMBERLAND
For The Year Ending December 31, 1968**

Date		Name of Deceased	Age	Occupation
	Place of Death			
January				
4	Groveton, N.H.	John Melvin Tilton	50	Heavy Equipment Operator
17	Jefferson, N.H.	Joseph Adolphe Blais	72	Retired
31	Lancaster, N.H.	Mike Nicholas Sullivan	72	Foreman (Retired)
February				
12	Lancaster, N.H.	Simon Devost	54	Section man
28	Groveton, N.H.	Bertha F. King	75	Housewife
March				
12	Concord, N.H.	Lillian McBride	76	Hotel worker
31	Concord, N.H.	Philip Larochele	42	Laborer
May				
13	Jefferson, N.H.	Harold Clifford	73	Millwright
17	Northumberland, N.H.	David Allan Beroney	32	Machine worker
31	Lancaster, N.H.	Henry J. Paradis	70	Laborer
June				
7	Lancaster, N.H.	Genevieve Devlin	68	Teacher
July				
5	Concord, N.H.	Robert Downing	92	None listed
27	Groveton, N.H.	Earl Linwood McHarg	76	Machinist (Retired)
August				
8	Lancaster, N.H.	Harold G. Jackson	69	State employee
29	Lancaster, N.H.	John H. Small	66	Construction Super.
September				
10	Lancaster, N.H.	Irene L. Dunham	88	Teacher
12	Lancaster, N.H.	Gladys Violet Cote	57	Housewife
28	Keene, N.H.	Ora Pearl Reneau	80	Housewife
29	Lancaster, N.H.	Mabel S. Dupuis	71	Housewife
October				
8	Hartford, Vt.	Milo H. Baird	73	Laborer
12	Lancaster, N.H.	Ila D. Sheltry	77	Housewife
21	Groveton, N.H.	Clinton W. Johnston	87	Mechanic (Retired)
30	Lancaster, N.H.	Arthur Joseph Leclere	72	Paper finisher

DEATHS (Continued)

November				
20	Stewartstown, N.H.	Napoleon S. Pomerleau	87	Retired
28	East Greenwich, R.I.	Edward C. Reneau	76	Retired
December				
17	Lancaster, N.H.	James Isaac MacDow	94	Millworker
18	Lancaster, N.H.	George A. Sirois	73	Fireman
20	Hartford, Vt.	George W. Russ	50	Laborer
28	Groveton, N.H.	Michael R. Emerson	3	None

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Respectfully submitted: JEANNE A. GARLAND, Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF NORTHUMBERLAND For The Year Ending December 31, 1968

Date Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Name of Official by Whom Married
January			
1 Noah B. Bush	Groveton, N.H.	52	Rev. Maurice Porter
Priscilla K. Foster	Groveton, N.H.	57	Methodist Minister
17 Perley S. Graham	Groveton, N.H.	70	Rev. Maurice Porter
Ludivinia M. LaBelle	Groveton, N.H.	57	Methodist Minister
27 Eugene D. Cloutier, Jr.	Groveton, N.H.	20	Rev. Lucien Dupont
Jane V. Durgan	Augusta, Me.	20	Roman Catholic Priest
February			
2 John W. Berube	Groveton, N.H.	19	Rev. Maurice Porter
Mary J. Savage	Lancaster, N.H.	20	Methodist Minister
10 Roland L. Vaillancourt	Groveton, N.H.	45	Rev. Lucien Dupont
Norma I. McMann	Groveton, N.H.	39	Roman Catholic Priest
24 Douglas R. Pandora	Lancaster, N.H.	18	Rev. Maurice Porter
Susan L. Douglas	Groveton, N.H.	18	Methodist Minister
March			
2 Roger M. Brousseau	Groveton, N.H.	22	Rev. Lucien Dupont
Juanita F. Hawksley	Groveton, N.H.	20	Roman Catholic Priest
2 Lawrence A. Boudle	North Stratford, N.H.	19	Rev. Maurice Porter
Jane C. Stone	Groveton, N.H.	18	Methodist Minister
11 Sheridan J. Covill	Stratford, N.H.	19	Rev. Maurice Porter
Beverly L. Johnson	Groveton, N.H.	16	Methodist Minister
April			
6 Glen J. Lunn, Jr.	Stark, N.H.	23	Rev. John Chase Gregory
Carolyn D. Hinkley	Groveton, N.H.	23	Episcopal Priest
8 Edward F. Roney	Portland, Me.	24	Rev. Maurice Porter
Carla B. Neilson	Portland, Me.	20	Methodist Minister
20 Clyde E. Piatt	Groveton, N.H.	28	Rev. Lucien Dupont
Dolores M. Audit	Groveton, N.H.	20	Roman Catholic Priest
20 Joseph F. Germain	Lancaster, N.H.	25	Rev. Lucien Dupont
Theresa F. Gagnon	Groveton, N.H.	20	Roman Catholic Priest

27	Archie L. Lewis, Jr. Sherry K. Twofoot	Groveton, N.H. Brighton, Vt.	20	Rev. Michael A. Demasi Roman Catholic Priest
May			20	
4	Alfred F. Gagnon, II Carol A. Lakin	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	22	Rev. Achemar Deveau Roman Catholic Priest
18			18	
June			20	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
1	Irving A. Brunet Barbara A. Houle	Biddeford, Me. Groveton, N.H.	19	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
1	Ronald C. Hodge Robin J. Langley	Northumberland, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	20	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
7	Peter R. McConnell Mary L. French	Scarboro, Me. Lancaster, N.H.	24	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
21	Joseph D. Cushman Rosalie M. Kay	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	20	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
23	Ralph E. Leclere Gertrude E. Hutchinson	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	23	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
25			25	
18			18	
July			21	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
3	Ronal C. Gilcris Elaine L. McCarron	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	21	Rev. Gerard Supper Roman Catholic Priest
6	Roger J. Knowlton Bonnie L. Tisdale	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	21	Lois S. Van Bubar Justice of the Peace
17	Albert G. Spaulding Ida Beloin	Canaan, Vt. West Stewartstown, N.H.	42	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
26	Aaron W. Bennett, Jr. Sharon A. Devost	North Stratford, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	46	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
19			19	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
27	Dennis R. Gileris Barbara J. Weagle	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	20	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
27	Norman J. Bernard Jane A. Bryan	Action, Mass. Groveton, N.H.	20	Rev. Alfred A. Daniszewski Roman Catholic Priest
27	Dennis J. Fernald Rose M. Benway	Whitefield, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	32	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
22			22	
21			21	
August			21	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
17	John B. Talbutt Bonnie M. Robertson	Chicago, Ill. Groveton, N.H.	21	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
24	Ronald E. Bigger Rita R. Burt	Lisbon, Iowa Groveton, N.H.	22	Alexander J. Corey Justice of the Peace
28	Douglas R. Gilman Mary L. Chenette	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	19	
22			22	
18			18	
September			20	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
7	Leon A. Frizzell Kathleen D. Mills	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	19	

MARRIAGES (Continued)

Date Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Name of Official by Whom Married
11 Aiden S. Dresser Alice J. Newton	Lancaster, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	25 17	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
14 Arnold E. Knowlton Lorraine A. Gagnon	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	23 19	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
20 Raymond J. Leclere Elaine M. Collins	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	41 38	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
October			
5 Glenn A. Lurvey Susan J. Stillings	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	26 21	Rev. Frank Kelley Methodist Minister
5 William B. Miller Diana J. Morton	Northumberland, N.H. St. Johnsbury, Vt.	21 20	F. Russell Dickson Justice of the Peace
November			
19 Carl A. Mears, Jr. Sheryl A. Graves	Derby Line, Vt. Derby Line, Vt.	24 18	Rev. Maurice Porter Methodist Minister
30 Roger G. Renaud Anne M. Ferland	Groveton, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	23 21	Rev. Lucien Dupont Roman Catholic Priest
December			
31 Ernest G. Blodgett, Jr. Sharlene R. Dupuis	Lancaster, N.H. Groveton, N.H.	22 20	Rev. Roland Belanger Roman Catholic Priest

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Respectfully submitted: JEANNE A. GARLAND, Town Clerk

LOCATION OF NEW FIRE BOXES IN VILLAGE OF GROVETON

CIVIL DEFENSE AIR RAID WARNING

1-1-1 Four Short Rounds All Clear 1-1-1 One Round

Box No.

- 12 Corner of Main and State Streets
 - 13 Corner of State and Morse Streets
 - 14 Corner of Rich and State Streets
 - 15 Corner of Arlington Avenue and Preble Street
 - 16 Mechanic Street opposite Old Company Store
 - 21 Fire Station (Church Street)
 - 22 Corner of Summer Street and Odel Park
 - 23 Corner of West and Rich Streets
 - 24 Corner of West and Main Streets
 - 53 Upper State Street near Douglas Garage
 - 52 Corner of Pleasant and State Streets
 - 51 Corner of Eames and Park Streets
 - 31 Corner of Second and Melcher Streets
 - 32 Corner of Hillside Avenue and Highland Street
 - 33 Intersection of Graham and Cottage Streets
 - 34 Corner of Hillside Avenue and First Street
 - 41 Junction of Main and Melcher and Cumberland
Streets
 - 42 Junction of Maple and Cumberland Streets
 - 43 Fiske Street opposite Ivan Jordan Home
 - 62 Junction of Brooklyn Street and Lost Nation Rd.
 - 61 Winter Street beside Alton Forbes Home
 - 63 Brooklyn Street opposite Cloutier Store
 - 64 Brooklyn Street near Foot Bridge
 - 222 Out-of-Town Calls
 - 333 Forest Fire Calls
 - 444 Emergency Call
 - 71 Groveton Papers Co., Nos. 3 and 4, Machine End
 - 72 Groveton Papers Co., Nos. 1 and 2, Machine End
 - 73 Groveton Papers Co., Woodroom Area
-

NO SCHOOL — 3 Blasts at 7.30 A.M.

CURFEW — 2 Blasts at 9.00 P.M.

RECALL (Fire Out) — 1 Blast

Learn how to operate a Fire Alarm Box. Learn the location of box nearest you. If you must go to a fire Do Not Hinder or Obstruct Fire Trucks or Firemen.

For Map of Streets and Fire Alarm Box Locations see inside Front Cover.

LAW GOVERNING BOXES

Any person sending in a false alarm of fire, or tampering with fire alarm system, will be fined \$150.00 or serve one year in jail.
This law will be strictly enforced.

INDEX

Town Officers	2	Library Report	21
Auditor's Report	3	Report of Trust Funds	22 and 46
Property Valuation	4	Municipal Court	23
Valuations and Taxes Assessed	5	Village Precinct Report	25
Tax Rates	5	Report of Recreation Commission	32
Comparative Statement	6	Nurses' Reports	34
Statement—Assets and Liabilities	8	No. Country Community Services	35
Bonded Debt Statement	9	Air Pollution Control Report	37
Town Clerk's Report	10	Water Pollution Control Report	41
Tax Collector's Report	10	Rules Governing Cemetery	43
Water Collector's Report	14	Report of WMRA	45
Treasurer's Report	15	Report of School District	51
Summary of Receipts	16	Vital Statistics	85
Summary of Payments	17		

TOWN TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

TOWN MANAGER, Dana R. Kingston	636-1450
TOWN CLERK & TAX COLLECTOR Jeanne A. Garland	636-1450
TOWN NURSE (Elementary School) Wiletta Lurvey	636-1806
TOWN NURSE (Home) Wiletta Lurvey	636-1564
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	636-1806
HIGH SCHOOL	636-1619
SUPT. OF SCHOOLS OFFICE	636-1437

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE NUMBERS

POLICE DEPARTMENT TURBINE ROOM	636-1430
OFFICE AND JAIL	636-1124
CHIEF CLOUTIER	636-1372
CIVIL DEFENSE	636-1430
FIRE DEPARTMENT	636-1224

**The red fire line 636-1224 is for reporting fires only.
Do not attempt to use it for any other purpose.**