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Observations by John F. McNamara at Meriden Village

	<i>Average Temp.</i>	<i>Snow Inches</i>	<i>Precip- itation</i>	<i>Degree Days</i>	<i>High Temp.</i>	<i>Low Temp.</i>
January	10.3°	38''	2.44''	1698	34°	-20°
February	21.1°	14''	1.04''	1233	44°	-12°
March	35.7°	28''	4.32''	910	76°	6°
April	42.3°	Trace	3.55''	674	82°	20°
May	51.8°	0	2.40''	277	90°	24°
June	61.7°	0	4.11''	154	88°	33°
July	63.2°	0	1.64''	38	98°	38°
August	65.6°	0	2.34''	85	94°	36°
September	50.3°	0	2.74''	238	86°	32°
October	45.8°	0	6.19''	595	78°	18°
November	37.4°	3''	5.74''	756	66°	16°
December	22.5°	26''	3.13''	1336	44°	-22°
Totals		109''	39.64''	7994		
Yr. Ave.	42.3°				98°	-22°
10 Yr. Ave.	43.8°	76''	44.25''	7678		
From Ave.	-1.5°	+33''	-4.61''	+316		

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ABOUT THE COVER — Just like olden days, a Plainfield couple enjoys a merry drive through new fallen snow along Black Hill Road. (Larry McDonald photo).

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ANNUAL REPORT

of

THE OFFICERS AND SELECTMEN

AND THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

for the

TOWN OF PLAINFIELD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

** Please bring this Report to the School District and Town Meetings **

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR	Malcolm J. Grobe	
TOWN CLERK	Howard Zea	1980
SELECTMEN	Stephen Taylor	1978
	Louis Houser	1979
	Paul Franklin	1980
TREASURER	Fred Sweet	1980
TAX COLLECTOR	Dorothy McNamara	1979
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS	Arthur Quimby	1978
	Ray Pardo	1979
	Howard Zea	1980
AUDITORS	Kathryn MacLeay	1978
	Herman Rogers	1979
TRUSTEES OF PHILIP READ MEMORIAL LIBRARY	Ruth Stalker	1978
	Ruth Wheeler	1979
	Hazel Amidon	1980
TRUSTEES OF MERIDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY	Doris LeVarn	1978
	Susan McGee	1979
	Susan Carver	1980
HIGHWAY AGENT	Thomas Bircher	
POLICE CHIEF	Terrance Kelley	
DEPUTY TOWN CLERK	Sylvia Clark	
REPRESENTATIVE	Sara M. Townsend	
BALLOT CLERKS	Margaret Meyette	
	John F. McNamara	
	Anita Barrett	
	Alice Jordan	
FENCE VIEWERS	Stephen F. Kimball	
	Nelson Green	
	William C. Quimby	
HEALTH OFFICER	Douglas Gearson Jr.	
TREE WARDEN	Thomas Bircher	
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR	Douglas Smith	
BUILDING INSPECTOR	Douglas Smith	
YIELD TAX AGENT	Paul Franklin	
OVERSEER OF WELFARE	Stephen Taylor	

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR	Maude Earle	
SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST	Ruth Ann Wheeler	1978
	David Stockwell	1979
	Basil McNamara	1980
PLANNING BOARD	Jay D. Waldner, Jr., Chairman	1978
	Judith A. Belyea, Sec'y	1979
	Sheila Stone, V. Chairman	1980
	Adeloid Benware	1980
	Joseph Longacre	1981
	Mary Cassedy	1982
	Paul Franklin	<i>ex officio</i>
ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT	Ira P. Townsend, Clerk	1978
	William F. Franklin, Jr., V. Chairman	1979
	H. Fenton Smith, Chairman	1980
	Katherine Vaughn	1981
	Denis Reisch	1982
	Steven Roland	<i>Alternate, 1981</i>
CONSERVATION COMMISSION	Lockwood Sprague	1978
	Jay D. Waldner, Jr.	1978
	Barbara Soper	1979
	James Longacre	1979
	Robert Sodemann, Chairman	1979
	Edward McGee	1980
	William Franklin III, Sec'y	1980
RECREATION COMMISSION	Sherry Kelley, Chairman	
	Seldon Lord	
	Richard Read	
	Annamay Chapman	
	Kinsley Walker	
FINANCE COMMITTEE	Susan Perkins, Chairman	
	Lee Stacey	
	Paul Roeber	
	Edward Martin	
	Dennis Meadows	
	Ray Pardo	
POLICE OFFICERS	Terrance Kelley	<i>Chief</i>
	John Conly, Jr.	<i>Patrolman</i>
	Lawrence Dore	<i>Patrolman</i>
	David Tucker	<i>Patrolman</i>
FOREST FIRE WARDEN	John Conly, Jr.	
DEPUTY FOREST FIRE WARDENS	Ira P. Townsend	
	John L. Meyette	
	John C. Morse	
	G. Gardiner MacLeay	
	Lester J. Bouchier, Jr.	
	Ralph E. Sullivan	
	Ralph K. Jordan	<i>Honorary</i>
	Francis W. Sullivan	<i>Honorary</i>

ARTICLE IX: To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the 1978 fiscal year.

The Selectmen propose the following budget:

1. Town Officers salaries	\$11,000
2. Town Officers Expenses	9,500
3. Election & Registration	2,500
4. Town Building Expense	2,500
5. Retirement & Social Security	8,000
6. Re-Appraisal of Property	1,500
7. Police Department	20,000
8. Fire Departments inc. hydrants	9,700
9. Care of Trees	100
10 Insurance	21,300
11. Planning & Zoning	2,700
12. Damages & Legal expense	7,000
13. Ambulance, Health Officer, etc.	4,500
14. Rubbish removal	26,000
15. Town Maintenance	86,550
16. Street Lights	3,000
17. General Expense of Highway Department	8,500
18. Town Road Aid (town share)	1,300
19. Trucks & Plows	15,000
20. Grader & Loader	4,500
21. Fuel & Oil	12,000
22. Libraries	9,650
23. Welfare Department	7,500
24. Old Age Assistance	1,000
25. Memorial Day	75
26. Recreation	2,100
27. Conservation	600
28. Cemeteries	4,100
29. Airports	650
30. Principal on Long Term Notes	21,000
31. Interest on Long Term Notes	2,060
32. Interest on Temporary Loans	10,000
33. Capital Reserve for appraisal	2,500
34. Highway-Duncan Fund	8,100
35. Highway-TRA	8,300
36. Highway Subsidy (construction only)	<u>9,900</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$344,685

ARTICLE X: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate funds to properly record various vital statistic records.

ARTICLE XI: To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to dispose of property acquired by Collector's deed.

ARTICLE XII: To see if the town will vote to increase the real estate tax exemption on dormitories, dining halls, and kitchens of Kimball Union Academy above \$150,000 as allowed in R.S.A. 72:23 and to take any other necessary action relating thereto.

ARTICLE XIII: To see if the town will vote to instruct the moderator to appoint a Finance Committee of six persons to advise the selectmen and other town officers in the prudential affairs of the town.

ARTICLE XIV: To see if the town will vote to authorize the Tax Collector with the approval of the selectmen, to appoint a deputy tax collector.

ARTICLE XV: To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell the Oliver sidewalk plow and to apply such proceeds received from the sale of said plow towards the general fund.

ARTICLE XVI: To see if the town will vote to instruct the trustees of trust funds to close the Highway Equipment fund and forward the balance in said fund, \$13.74, to the general fund.

ARTICLE XVII: To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to draw up an ordinance to regulate on-street parking during snow removal months.

ARTICLE XVIII: To see if the town will vote to accept a parcel of land from William T. and Hazel H. McNamara for purposes of expanding the River Cemetery.

ARTICLE XIX: To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen and trustees of trust funds to negotiate for and acquire in the name of the town additional land for the Plainfield Plain cemetery.

ARTICLE XX: To see if the town will vote to instruct the moderator to appoint a committee to study the administrative structure of the town's government and the possible creation of the position of Administrative Assistant to the Selectmen, said committee to present its report and recommendations no later than the 1979 annual town meeting.

ARTICLE XXI: To see if the town will vote to direct the selectmen to appoint a five member committee to study the need for housing for the elderly in Plainfield and to further explore ways of funding such housing under FHA and/or the New Hampshire Housing Authority, said committee to report by the next annual town meeting. (by request)

ARTICLE XXII: To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and seventeen dollars (\$317.00) as its share of the cost of publicizing and promoting the natural attractions of the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region and encouraging vacation travel in the region. (by request)

ARTICLE XXIII: To see if the town will vote to designate Harriman Hill Road a scenic road as provided in R.S.A. 253:17. (by petition)

ARTICLE XXIV: To see what action the town will take with respect to the following: "On the ballot petition of Charles Flickinger and others to see if Plainfield citizens oppose the concept of Construction Work in Progress (CWIP) as a devise by Public Service Company of New Hampshire to pass construction costs on to the consumer in the form of higher electric rates. We ask the selectmen to send a letter to our representatives in the General Court asking that they pass legislation prohibiting this practice." (by petition)

ARTICLE XXV: To take any other action that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 22nd day of February in the year of our Lord, 1978.

A True Copy Attest:

STEPHEN H. TAYLOR
LOUIS H. HOUSER
PAUL B. FRANKLIN
Selectmen of Plainfield

STEPHEN H. TAYLOR
LOUIS H. HOUSER
PAUL B. FRANKLIN
Selectmen of Plainfield

Budget of the Town of Plainfield

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Fiscal Year

January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978

<i>APPROPRIATION</i>	<i>Approp. Previous Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Actual Expenditure Previous Fiscal Year</i>	<i>Approp. for Fiscal Year 1978</i>
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers Salaries	\$ 11,000.00*	\$ 10,066.74	\$ 11,000.00*
Town Officers Expenses	9,000.00	9,880.61	9,500.00
Election & Registration	600.00	724.11	2,500.00
Town Buildings	2,500.00	2,381.36	2,500.00
Retirement & Social Security	7,500.00	7,207.24	8,000.00
Re-Appraisal of Property	1,500.00	1,126.15	1,500.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:			
Police	20,500.00	20,082.46	20,000.00
Fire Depts. (inc. hydrants \$2500.00)	9,700.00	11,302.99	9,700.00
Care of Trees	355.00	355.00	100.00
Insurance	18,000.00	19,527.28	21,300.00
Planning & Zoning	2,700.00	3,861.34	2,700.00
Damages & Legal Expense	6,500.00	6,966.98	7,000.00
HEALTH DEPARTMENT:			
Ambulance, Health Officer, etc.	4,000.00	3,743.42	4,500.00
Rubbish Removal	25,000.00	25,033.65	26,000.00
Vital Statistics	50.00		
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:			
Town Maintenance	89,300.00	85,889.92	86,550.00
Street Lights	2,800.00	2,938.76	3,000.00
General Expenses	15,500.00	21,253.95	8,500.00
TRA (Town share)	1,260.00	1,254.68	1,300.00
Trucks & Plows	9,000.00	8,861.65	15,000.00
Grader & Loader	3,500.00	4,645.61	4,500.00
Fuel & Oil	11,500.00	11,747.38	12,000.00
LIBRARIES:			
Town Share	9,395.00	9,542.16	9,650.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Town Poor	9,000.00	5,951.95	7,500.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	1,077.84	1,000.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:			
Memorial Day	75.00	99.21	75.00
RECREATION:			
Town Share	2,000.00	2,329.43	2,100.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:			
Conservation	1,000.00	1,000.00	600.00
Cemeteries	4,100.00	4,479.26	4,100.00
Airports	650.00	650.00	650.00
Regional Association	75.00	75.00	

DEBT SERVICE:			
Principal on Long Term Notes	28,500.00	28,500.00	21,000.00
Interest on Long Term Notes	2,671.00	1,926.10	2,060.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	10,000.00	9,187.50	10,000.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY:			
Appraisal	2,500.00	2,000.00	2,500.00
Highway-Duncan Fund			8,100.00
Highway-TRA			8,300.00
Highway Subsidy (Construction only)			9,900.00
New Truck	5,000		
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$327,731.00		\$344,685.00

***TOWN MAINTENANCE**

Payroll	\$55,500
Surface	10,350
Plant Mix	2,300
Equipment Hire	6,000
Agg., Sand, Gravel	4,000
Ice/Dust Control	1,800
Culverts	4,100
Bridge Plank & I Beams	2,500
	<u>\$86,550</u>

***TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES**

Selectmen	\$ 4,500
Town Clerk	3,000
Tax Collector	2,000
Treasurer	900
Trustees	200
Auditors	400
	<u>\$11,000</u>

<i>SOURCES OF REVENUE</i>	<i>1977</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>1978</i>
STATE:			
Interest & Dividends	17,000	20,580.08	20,000
Savings Bank Tax	1,700	1,632.67	1,600
Meals & Rooms Tax	10,500	12,262.23	13,000
Highway Subsidy	19,000	27,232.67	17,400
Business Profits Tax	6,500	7,329.20	7,000
Gas Tax Refund	1,100	1,155.04	1,100
Law Enforcement	7,200	5,205.00	
Forest Land Grant	75	79.20	75
Duncan Fund	3,700	3,699.11	8,100
Highway—TRA		7,499.55	8,300
Highway Subsidy (Const. only)			9,900
Forest Fires		361.17	
Flood Disaster		14,107.93	
LOCAL:			
Dog Licenses	700	877.51	800
Permits/Filing fees	1,700	2,707.00	2,500
Motor Vehicle Registrations	27,000	31,064.50	29,000
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	16,000	16,595.45	16,000

Income from Trust Funds	2,200	3,695.00	2,200
National Bank Stock	25	48.00	25
Resident Taxes	8,600	9,520.00	10,000
Normal Yield Taxes	3,000	7,229.71	2,000
Rent of Town Property		20.00	
Income from Departments	2,000	2,719.30	2,000
Sale of Town Property		2,800.00	
FEDERAL:			
Revenue Sharing	<u>28,000</u>	<u>28,000.00</u>	<u>26,000</u>
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES:	156,000	206,420.32	177,000
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES:	<u>171,731</u>		<u>167,685</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	<u><u>\$327,731</u></u>		<u><u>\$344,685</u></u>

Town Meeting 1977

March 8, 1977

Plainfield, N.H.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Plainfield, in the County of Sullivan, State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs, holden at the Plainfield School gymnasium on Tuesday, the eighth day of March at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the business of the day was disposed of in the following manner:

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Malcolm J. Grobe. All the requirements for the opening of a Town Meeting having been met, the polls were declared open.

Total number of names on the check list	868
Total number of ballots cast	498

ARTICLE I

FOR SELECTMAN FOR THREE YEARS

Nicholas B. Cohen	had	5 votes
Paul B. Franklin	had	150 votes
Robert F. King	had	16 votes
Sheila Stone	had	114 votes
Jay D. Waldner, Jr.	had	85 votes
Susan Perkins	had	117 votes
James Longacre	had	1 vote
Perkins	had	1 vote
Linda Smith	had	1 vote
Edward G. Martin	had	1 vote

Paul B. Franklin was declared elected.

FOR TOWN CLERK FOR THREE YEARS

Howard Zea	had	457 votes
Sylvia Clark	had	1 vote
Robert Perkins	had	2 votes
Donald Duck	had	1 vote

Gretchen Taylor	had	1 vote
Marjorie Spalding	had	1 vote
Fred Woods	had	2 votes
Ruth Rogers	had	1 vote

Howard Zea was declared elected

FOR TREASURER FOR THREE YEARS

Fred W. Sweet	had	464 votes
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Fred Sweet was declared elected.

AUDITOR FOR TWO YEARS

Herman D. Rogers	had	461 votes
Beatrice Clark	had	1 vote
Donald Berwick, Sr.	had	1 vote

Herman D. Rogers was declared elected

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THREE YEARS

Howard Zea	had	456 votes
Susan Carver	had	1 vote
Paul Franklin	had	1 vote
Harold Blankmeyer	had	1 vote
Marjorie Spalding	had	1 vote
James Pringle	had	1 vote
Donald Duck	had	1 vote

Howard Zea was declared elected.

LIBRARY TRUSTEE FOR THREE YEARS, EAST PART OF TOWN

Susan Carver	had	456 votes
Peggy Williamson	had	1 vote
Susan McGee	had	1 vote

Susan Carver was declared elected

LIBRARY TRUSTEE FOR THREE YEARS, WEST PART OF TOWN

Hazel Amidon	had	459 votes
Glen Small	had	1 vote

Hazel Amidon was declared elected.

ARTICLE II

Question 1: Do you favor amending the table of permitted uses and special exceptions to read as follows: 338 (yes) 127 (no)

DISTRICT	PERMITTED USES	SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS
Village Residential	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Silviculture and agriculture 2. One and two family dwelling 3. Home occupation or office in residence 4. Religious institution 5. Public School 6. Accessory residential building use 7. Community center 8. Public outdoor recreation 9. Fire Station 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bank 2. Public Utility 3. Multiple family dwelling 4. Mobile home park when submitted as a planned residential development 5. Planned residential development 6. Private school and/or day care center 7. Retail gasoline service station and/or garage 8. Professional office 9. State facility

- 10. Any retail or wholesale business concerned with the sale of produce, products, goods, equipment and services
- 11. Hotel and/or motel
- 12. Restaurant

Question 1 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Do you favor adding the following in this district as special exceptions:

Question 2: Research and Development Operations 317 (yes) 166 (no)

Question 2 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 3: Light industrial manufacturing which strictly meets the requirements of Section 4.8 315 (yes) 162 (no)

Question 3 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 4: Do you favor amending the table of permitted uses and special exceptions to read as follows: 323 (yes) 147 (no)

DISTRICT	PERMITTED USES	SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS
Rural Residential	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Silviculture and agriculture 2. One and two family dwellings 3. Home occupation or office in residence 4. Religious institution 5. Public School 6. Accessory residential building use 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bank 2. Public utility 3. Multiple family dwelling 4. Mobile home park when submitted as a planned residential development 5. Planned residential development 6. Private school and/or day care center 7. Sand or gravel operations 8. Professional office 9. State facility 10. Any retail or wholesale business concerned with the sale of produce, products, goods, equipment and services 11. Commercial outdoor recreation 12. Restaurant 13. Public outdoor recreation

Question 4 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Do you favor adding the following in this district as special exceptions:

Question 5: Automotive Repair Service 293 (yes) 184 (no)

Question 5 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 6: Light Industrial Manufacturing which strictly meets the requirements of Section 4.8. 302 (yes) 176 (no)

Question 6 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 7: Research and Development Operations 290 (yes) 153 (no)

Question 7 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 8: Do you favor amending the table of permitted uses and special exceptions to read as follows: 347 (yes) 122 (no)

DISTRICT	PERMITTED USES	SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS
Rural Conservation I	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Silviculture and agriculture2. One and two family dwellings3. Home occupations or office in residence4. Accessory residential building use	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Religious institution2. Public outdoor recreation3. Sand or gravel operations4. Commercial outdoor recreation5. Planned residential development6. Day care center7. Cemetery

Question 8 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Do you favor adding the following in this district as special exceptions:

Question 9: Research and Development Operations 305 (yes) 169 (no)

Question 9 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 10: Light Industrial Manufacturing which strictly meets the requirements of Section 4.8 294 (yes) 177 (no)

Question 10 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 11: Do you favor amending the table of permitted uses and special exceptions to read as follows: 335 (yes) 135 (no)

DISTRICT	PERMITTED USES	SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS
Rural Conservation II	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Silviculture and agriculture2. One and two family dwellings3. Home occupation or office in residence4. Accessory residential building use	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Religious institution2. Public outdoor recreation3. Sand or gravel operations4. Commercial outdoor recreation5. Planned residential development6. Day care center7. Cemetery

Question 11 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Do you favor adding the following in this district as special exceptions:

Question 12: Research and Development Operations 294 (yes) 165 (no)

Question 12 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 13: Light Industrial Manufacturing which strictly meets the requirements of Section 4.8. 282 (yes) 180 (no)

Question 13 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 14: Do you favor amending the balance of the table to read as follows: 317 (yes) 96 (no)

DISTRICT	PERMITTED USES	SPECIAL EXCEPTIONS
Conservation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Silviculture and agriculture 2. Wildlife refuge (no permanent structures) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Public outdoor recreation 2. Educational use associated with conservation 3. Seasonal residence 4. Accessory use with agriculture
Wetlands/Floodland	See Article II, Section 2.3	See Article II, Section 2.3

Question 14 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 15: Do you favor amending Article III, Section 3.3 Home Occupations, and Article VIII Section 8.7 to read as follows: 406 (yes) 61 (no)

“Section 3.3 Home Occupations. Any resident may use a minor portion of his or her dwelling, outbuildings, and/or a portion of the homestead premises for a ‘home occupation’ which is customary in residential areas and does not change the character thereof. The establishment and continuance of a ‘home occupation’ shall be subject to the following conditions:

- (1) Such use shall be conducted on the homestead and only by the inhabitants thereof.
- (2) There shall be no advertising display or other indications of home occupation on the premises except a customary sign or nameplate for identification purposes only, such sign not to exceed two square feet in area.
- (3) A ‘home occupation’ shall provide additional offstreet parking area reasonably adequate to accommodate the needs created by the home occupation. Such parking shall be not less than one space for each 300 square feet of floor area devoted to the ‘home occupation.’ Such parking shall be provided on the lot utilized for the ‘home occupation.’
- (4) For further requirements and definitions, see Section 8.7 of Article VIII.”

Article VIII Section 8.7:

“Home Occupation: An accessory use of a service character that is incidental and secondary to the use of the homestead for residential purposes, and does not change the residential character thereof. ‘Home occupations’ shall include the production and sale of home grown agricultural products and such customary uses as workrooms for craftsmen, artists, tutors, beauticians, dressmakers, milliners, photographers, cabinetmakers, radio repairmen, as well as incidental work and storage areas in connection with off-premises trades such as those of builder, carpenter, electrician, painter, blacksmith, plumber, tree surgeon, or landscape gardner. The business of selling merchandise, supplies or products other than incidental retail sales in connection with other permitted uses shall not be considered a home occupation use.”

Question 15 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 16: Do you favor amending Article III Section 3.6 and the Mobile Home Ordinance Section 2.3 by deleting each section and substituting in its place the following: 377 (yes) 87 (no)

“SECTION 3.6 Travel Trailers, Occupancy and Storage. Camping trailers (whether of the truck-mounted or towed varieties) or motor coaches may be occupied for a period of 14 consecutive days in the Town of Plainfield without a special permit hereunder. For a period of longer than 14 consecutive days, a special permit authorizing occupancy must be issued by the Zoning Administrator. Such special permit shall be for a period not to exceed 90 days in any 12-month period. Camping trailers or motor coaches may be garaged or stored on premises in the Town occupied by the person in charge of the trailer or coach.”

“2.3 Mobile homes that are not occupied as residence may be temporarily parked or stored in the Town of Plainfield only as a special exception hereunder pursuant to prior permit issued by the Board of Adjustment and subject to such terms and conditions as the Board of Adjustment may find necessary in order to safeguard the purposes of the ordinance.”

Question 16 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Question 17: Do you favor amending Article IV Section 4.2 to read as follows: 380 (yes) 80 (no)

Section 4.2 Combination of Contiguous Lots. When two or more lots or parcels of land, either of which lacks adequate area and/or dimension to satisfy the requirements of the zoning district in which they are located, are contiguous and are held in one ownership for a period of more than three years, they shall be considered to be one zoning lot or parcel for the purposes of the Ordinance.”

Question 17 was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

Then the following came forward and took the oath of office in open meeting.

Paul B. Franklin , Selectman for three years

Herman D. Rogers, Auditor for two years

Howard Zea, Town Clerk for three years and Trustee of Trust Funds for three years.

Pursuant to the warrant for the meeting, the meeting was again called to order by the Moderator, Malcolm Grobe on March 12, 1977 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Mason B. Ellison.

Articles III through XVIII were read by the Moderator.

ARTICLE III

It was moved and seconded that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved: That the Selectmen be authorized and instructed to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE IV

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town authorize and instruct the Selectmen to withdraw from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 the sum of \$28,000 in principal and interest for use as setoffs against the following operating budget appropriations: Welfare, \$9,000; Libraries, \$9,000; Visiting Nurse, \$2,000; Ambulance, \$1,500; Landfill and solid waste removal, \$5,500; and Conservation, \$1,000.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE V

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town authorize and instruct the Selectmen to purchase a new dump truck for the Highway department, that the sum of \$23,500 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, with \$5,500 to be raised through current years appropriation and the balance through issuance of serial notes in the name of the town to be retired one each year beginning in 1978, and that the Selectmen sell or trade the 1969 International truck now owned by the Town and apply the proceeds from such sale or trade toward the purchase of the new truck.

It was so voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE VI

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town accept the reports of the Town Officers, as printed in the 1976 annual report, subject to corrections and that a corrected copy be placed on file with the Town Clerk.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE VII

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$314,731 to defray town charges for the 1977 fiscal year.

The following amendment to the resolution was made and seconded.

Resolved: That the appropriation for general expense of the Highway Department be increased by \$8,000 to make it \$15,500 and the total appropriation for town charges by \$322,731, in order to effect the repairs of Mill Bridge over Bloods Brook.

The amendment was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

The resolution as amended was then voted in the affirmative and it was so declared, thereby raising the following sums for town charges:

1. Town Officers Salaries	\$ 11,000
2. Town Officers Expenses	9,000
3. Election and registration expense	600
4. Town buildings expense	2,500
5. Retirement and Social Security	7,500
6. Reappraisal of Property	1,500
7. Police Department	20,500
8. Fire Department, including hydrants	9,700
9. Care of trees	355
10. Insurance	18,000
11. Planning & Zoning	2,700
12. Damages and legal expense	6,500
13. Health Department	4,000
14. Vital Statistics	50
15. Rubbish removal, including landfill	25,000
16. Town maintenance	89,300
17. Street lighting	2,800
18. General expense of highway dept.	15,500
19. Town Road Aid (town share)	1,260
20. Truck & Plow expense	9,000
21. Grader and loader expense	3,500
22. Fuel & Oil expense	11,500
23. Libraries	9,395
24. Welfare Department	9,000
25. Old age assistance	1,000
26. Memorial Day expense	75
27. Recreation	2,000
28. Conservation	1,000
29. Airport	650
30. Regional Association	75
31. Principal of long term notes	28,500
32. Interest on long term notes	2,671
33. Interest on temporary loans	10,000
34. Capital reserve for re-appraisal	2,500
35. Cemeteries	4,100
Total	<u>\$322,731</u>

ARTICLE VIII

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Selectmen be authorized to dispose of property acquired by Collector's deed.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE IX:

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town increase the real estate exemption on dormitories, dining halls and kitchens of Kimball Union Academy from \$150,000 to \$598,000 as allowed in RSA 72:23 for the 1977 tax year only.

A standing vote was called for, showing Yes, 132 and No, 46.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE X

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town provide indemnification for selectmen, town officers and agents and town employees for personal loss or expense including reasonable legal fees and costs, if any, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of negligence or other act resulting in injury to a person or damage to property providing the indemnified person was acting within the scope of his office or employment, as provided in RSA Chapter 31:104, 105, 106.

Voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE XI

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved that the Selectmen be authorized and instructed to apply the sum of \$535 received in 1976 and such other sums as may be received in 1977 from the United States government for anti-recession public works programs to the Cemetery Department account for repairs and improvements to gates, fences and driveways.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE XII

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the selectmen be authorized and instructed to dismantle the iron bridge over Blow-Me-Down Brook at Mill Village and to sell as salvageable material from said bridge at the highest obtainable price for the town, and to take any other necessary action relating thereto.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE XIII

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Moderator be authorized and instructed to appoint a Finance Committee of six persons to advise and consult with the Selectmen and other Town officers in the prudential affairs of the Town.

Voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE XIV

A motion was made and seconded that the Town will rescind the designation of Underhill Road as a Scenic Road as provided in RSA 253:17. After lengthy discussion it was moved and seconded the question be moved. It was voted in the affirmative.

A show of hands was called. Yes, 78; No, 90. It was voted in the negative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE XV

The following resolution was offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Town designate Whitaker Road as a scenic road, as provided in RSA 253:17. After discussion it was moved and seconded that the question be moved. Voted in the affirmative.

It was then voted in the affirmative on the resolution and it was so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE XVI

The following motion was made and seconded that the Town of Plainfield designate Grantham Mountain Road from Route 120 to that portion of the road closed subject to gates and bars, as a scenic road as provided in RSA 253:17.

After discussion the question was moved and seconded and it was voted in the affirmative.

It was then voted in the affirmative on the motion to designate Grantham Mountain Road a scenic road and it was so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE XVII

It was moved and seconded that the Town go on record as being in favor of lower taxes and less services.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

ARTICLE XVIII

A rising vote of thanks was extended to David R. Stone for his unfailing good humor, insight, and his devotion to duty during his terms of office as Selectman of Plainfield.

After Article XVIII had been discussed, one voter of the Town of Plainfield, having voted with the majority on Article XII, made a motion that the meeting reconsider Article XII. The motion was duly seconded and it was voted in the affirmative that Article XII be re-opened.

The following resolution was then offered and it was moved and seconded that it be adopted.

Resolved: That the Selectmen be authorized and instructed to dismantle the iron bridge over Blow-Me-Down Brook at Mill Village and to sell all salvageable material from said bridge at the highest obtainable price for the town, and to take any other necessary action relating thereto.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared by the Moderator.

There being no further business it was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.

It was voted in the affirmative and it was so declared.

HOWARD ZEA
Town Clerk
Plainfield, New Hampshire

Selectmen's Report

The selectmen recorded a successful year of administering the town's affairs. The board welcomed Paul Franklin to its membership to replace the retiring David Stone, who had served ably for some nine years.

The Highway Dept. enjoyed a productive year, with considerable amounts of improvement and betterment work being accomplished. High Street and Old County Road were improved under state aid projects and several sections of town road were gravelled and their drainage improved. The town took delivery on a new diesel powered dump-plow truck to replace a 1969 unit. The majority of town equipment is now diesel powered with resultant savings in fuel and repairs.

After many months of negotiations the selectmen decided to finally settle with the federal government on claims for damage assistance from the 1973 floods. It was decided to accept the government's final offer rather than litigate with the uncertainties of costs and outcome that would have entailed. Thus the town absorbed some \$40,000 which will have to be worked off through the overlay account in the coming years.

In addition to the flood money setback, the town also lost the Blue Mountain Forest tax suit in the state Supreme Court, forcing the town to pay back some \$13,000 in taxes to Blue Mountain and to grant a large reduction in the appraised value of the Blue Mountain property.

Balanced against these setbacks were modest increases in our town's grand list, all of which serve to ease the rising burden of taxation to support town services, the schools and the county government.

Members of the board of selectmen held 52 regular meetings during the year, made more than 20 trips to Concord and Newport on town business, participated individually in over 100 meetings connected with town affairs and handled Heaven knows how many telephone calls and individual inquiries. Regular meetings are becoming longer and longer as the workload of tending to the town's affairs grows. Meanwhile many other citizens contribute their time and effort to make Plainfield's local government go.

Looking ahead to 1978, the selectmen hope to continue to explore ways to make things run better and to save taxpayers money. The door is always open to ideas and suggestions, and the selectmen hope citizens will come forward when they have them.

The selectmen wish to thank all who helped them in the conduct of town affairs in 1977.

Respectfully submitted,
STEPHEN H. TAYLOR
LOUIS H. HOUSER
PAUL B. FRANKLIN
Selectmen of Plainfield

Here are several new laws that will have a direct affect on many of us.

***** State law now requires *absentee ballots* be available for *local elections*. Ballots must be picked up in person from the town clerk or be mailed directly by the town clerk no later than 11 a.m. of the day before the election and returned no later than 5 p.m. of the day before the election.

***** A revised state law, RSA 466:31, relates to controlling *dogs* that are a *nuisance* (including such things as barking; scattering garbage or digging on property other than the owner and allowing a female dog in heat to run at large), a *menace* (a dog chasing a person or any vehicle), or *vicious* (a dog biting or attacking a person or any wild or domestic animal).

Any person who considers a dog to be a nuisance, a menace, or vicious may make a complaint in writing to any law enforcement officer in the town. After investigation and substantiation of the complaint, the law enforcement officer shall order the owner of the dog to abate the nuisance or menace and fine the owner \$10.00 for a nuisance offense, \$15.00 for a

menace offense, and \$25.00 for a vicious offense. The owner may pay the fine to the town clerk or, **WITHIN TEN DAYS PETITION THE DISTRICT COURT TO REVIEW THE COMPLAINT.**

For more information contact the Chief of Police or the Dog Officer.

***** The penalty for changing the use of land enrolled in the *current use program* to a non-qualifying use is now due at the time of the change of use. Previously, it was due the following April 1st. Also, it is the person who *changes the use* of the land that is responsible for the penalty, not necessarily the one who sells the land.

***** There is now a penalty for any person who fails to file a completed *property inventory form* by April 15th. The penalty is 1% of the property tax, but in no case less than \$10.00 nor more than \$50.00.

***** According to revised regulations of the N.H. Air Pollution Control Agency, *no commercial burning* of brush, slash, tree cuttings, not over five (5) inches in diameter is allowed without written permission from the Agency. To receive this permission, one would have to show that there is no other suitable method, such as chipping, that can be used.

Residential burning of brush and tree cuttings not over five (5) inches in diameter on an occasional basis is allowed by an individual landowner from material generated by the owner. On premises burning for agricultural and forestry improvement is also allowed. Please note: you still must have a fire permit to burn on your own land, if there is no snow cover.

For more information contact the Fire Warden or New Hampshire Air Pollution Control Agency, Hazen Drive, Concord.

Report of the Finance Committee

The Finance Committee met with the Selectmen to review expenditures and policies concerning town finances in May, July, and November; and with the School Board in August and December. Another meeting is currently scheduled with the School Board late in January.

In cooperation with the Selectmen and School Board the Committee prepared, distributed and tabulated the results of a questionnaire intended as a directional aide for Town and School officials in preparing budgets for 1978. The questionnaire was prompted by the vote at Town Meeting in March, 1977 to reduce town services with resultant lower taxes, effective 1978. The detailed results of the questionnaire were delivered to the Selectmen in November, the School Board in December, and a summary was published in the news media. Anyone interested in reviewing the tabulated results or the 34 pages of comments can contact the Selectmen, the School Board, or the Finance Committee.

Since this report must be filed with the Selectmen before the Finance Committee has seen the final proposed town and school budgets for 1978, we are not in a position to comment on them.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD G. MARTIN

DENNIS MEADOWS

RAY PARDO

SUE PERKINS (Chairman)

PAUL ROEBER

LEE STACY

Report of the Planning Board — 1977

The Planning Board had another busy and productive year. The Board met regularly on the third Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Plainfield School. In addition, eight special meetings were held throughout the year. Public hearings for one or more subdivisions were held on nine of these occasions as well as the final hearing for the Zoning Ordinance changes and an open meeting to accept petitions. A total of 6 major subdivisions and 12 minor subdivisions were passed, creating a total of 39 new lots in the Town of Plainfield. The Board made recommendations to the Zoning Board of Adjustment on 12 requests for special exceptions and one variance. Board members also made site reviews of 2 proposed major subdivisions in the company of the Road Agent.

Aside from the routine business of the Board throughout the year, there were several significant hurdles crossed as well. The first meeting for the Board in 1977 was the last of the series of meetings and hearings about a group of proposed changes in the Zoning Ordinance. These proposals were later voted on and accepted at the Town Meeting in March. Another major event in the year was the review of the Land Vest vs Plainfield case by the State Supreme Court. The resulting decision should help Planning Boards throughout the State to better understand the legal powers granted to them in the Statutes, as well as clarifying the situation at hand. A great deal of time has been spent in meetings toward the end of the year reviewing the Subdivision Regulations, as a new supply of booklets will soon have to be printed. This work will continue into the new year.

Last year's report included an invitation to anyone contemplating a subdivision to come for an informal discussion of their proposal prior to making a formal application. We are pleased to say that many people are doing this, and we believe it has been to the benefit of all concerned. We would like to further extend the invitation this year to anyone questioning what should or should not be considered a subdivision. Any property owner in town contemplating the development, sale, or transfer of property is invited to come in and determine whether or not their plans should include subdivision approval. It is our belief that better communication between the Town's people and the Planning Board that serves them will benefit us all.

The Board wishes to extend special thanks to Mr. Floyd Avery of New London and Road Agent Tom Bircher for their time and expertise in the review of road related questions. Thanks are also due Edward G. Martin and Stephen H. Taylor who left the Board this past year. We welcomed Mary W. Cassidy and Paul B. Franklin in their places and look forward to their continued help in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
JAY D. WALDNER, Chairman
SHEILA STONE, Vice-Chairman
JUDITH A. BELYEA, Secretary
ADELOID BENWARE
MARY W. CASSIDY
PAUL B. FRANKLIN
JOSEPH M. LONGACRE

Report of the Board of Adjustment

The following special exceptions were granted during the year:

1. To the Meriden Civic Association to allow the operation of a private school and the retail sale of fine art objects at the old Meriden White School.
2. To James Longacre to allow the growing and retail sale of nursery and green house plants and the sale of supplies.

3. To Nancy Dumaine to allow the establishment of a law office in a single family dwelling.

4. To Allen S. Guyer to allow the erection of a seasonal dwelling on Croydon Turnpike in the Conservation Zone.

5. To William A. Smith to allow the establishment of a restaurant and accessory office in the basement of the Auction Gallery in Plainfield Village.

6. To Paul Franklin to allow the sale of Farm Produce at the residence of William F. Franklin, Jr.

7. To Earl C. and Robert F. King to allow the operation of an automobile repair service adjacent to the Town Sheds.

8. To the National Bank of Lebanon to allow the operation of branch banks in the Plainfield General Store and Meriden Country Store.

9. To Terrance W. Kelley to allow the operation of a used furniture and merchandise shop at his residence.

10. To Roland Raiche to permit the sale of mobile homes on James Gallagher's Truck Equipment Sales lot.

Woodward Noyes was denied a special exception to allow the repair of automobiles at his residence in Meriden.

John Woodward-Poor was granted a variance to allow the construction of a breezeway and utility room at his residence with less than the required depth of lot.

Respectfully submitted,

IRA P. TOWNSEND
Clerk

Health Officer Report

December 1976 through December 1977

Fourteen new system approvals were received from the New Hampshire State Water Pollution Commission. A total of eighteen systems were inspected and four had site reviews performed on them with seven final system approvals being sent to the state.

Four complaints were investigated by the Health Officer and on two a selectman was also in attendance. Part of one day was spent in court as a witness on a faulty septic system installation problem of a Plainfield resident.

Respectfully submitted,

DOUGLAS C. GREARSON, JR.
Plainfield Health Officer

Police Report

1977 was a very good year. Overall, police activity is down which means our community was a better place in 1977 than it was in 1976. Motor vehicle collisions are reduced significantly — a credit to your safer driving. Your Highway Dept. continues to do a fine job keeping our roads open for safe travel. The volunteer fire departments help support the community in many ways including very rapid response to our emergencies. Congratulations to Dave McBride and the Upper Valley Humane Society for their dependable, professional handling of the animal problems in our town.

Special thanks to John Conly and Larry Dore, part-time police officers, and to the State Police for their extra effort during the year. Thanks and appreciation to the Selectmen, Town Officers, Employees, and residents for all their help and support. Your police cannot provide service for you without your help.

Sincerely yours,
TERRANCE W. KELLEY
 Chief of Police

Plainfield Police Department Activities Report

This report reflects the number of various incidents reported to the police throughout the year.

Burglary	11	Vacant House Checks	53
Larceny	29	Suspicious Vehicles	13
Alarms	25	Suspicious Persons	3
Trespass	18	Suspicious Calls	17
Arson	2	Follow-up Investigations —	
Assault	7	Criminal	125
Worthless Checks	6	Non-criminal	81
Narcotics	3	Recovered Property	17
Firearm Violations	11	Motor Vehicle Complaints	27
Disturbance	23	Motor Vehicle Accidents	23
Prowler	8	Police Traffic	67
Vandalism	18	Assist Other Agency	13
Juvenile Complaints	37	Arrests	10
Public Assistance	341	Animal Complaints	167
Parking Complaints	5	False Reports	35
Missing Person	7		
Domestic	9		
Town Business	142		

Your Police handled the above 1353 incidents during 1977. 1151 were reported to ValCom and the remainder received by home phone or in person.

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Facts about the Plainfield Fire Departments

While taking inventory of our town's fire protection equipment and capabilities we decided that this information would be of interest to the people we protect.

The Plainfield Fire Department's stations were built, owned by the members and are located one on each side of town. We have similar equipment and are dispatched by the Lebanon Fire Department to answer all fire calls and other emergencies. The dispatching is done with radio operated sirens, home monitors and our new mobile scanning units are in constant contact with the Claremont, Cornish, Lebanon, Hanover and other upper valley fire departments.

Meriden Engine 2 purchased new in 1964 at a cost of just over \$16,000 is our newest pumper. This 750 gallon per minute pumper with a 500 gallon tank and now carries an approximate \$55,000 replacement cost. The other three engines were purchased used from larger departments and both tankers have been put on used but newer adequate chassis by each department. The department responds to all fires with a total pumping capacity of 2,500 gallons per minute and carries 6,800 gallons in the tanks. In addition we have an automatic mutual aid agreement with Cornish Fire Department and they respond with fire equipment and the Cornish Rescue Squad. To protect each fireman with a helmet, coat and boots now costs approximately \$145.00 per man. Some of the protective gear now used has been purchased by the firemen themselves or from donations.

Operating expenses include fuel for both stations and equipment, lights, telephone, insurance and maintenance. Our firefighters are all volunteer and what money earned fighting forest fires is turned back to the departments.

All the engines and most of the equipment have been purchased by the Fire Department. We would estimate the replacement cost of our equipment at current prices to be:

- (4) Engines at \$55,000 = \$220,000
- (2) Tankers at \$20,000 = \$40,000
- (2) Stations at \$35,000 = \$70,000
- (6) Mobile Radios at \$1,200 = \$7,200
- (26) Home Monitors at \$125 = \$3,250
- (40) Sets of Protective Clothing at \$145 = \$5,800

Total replacement cost 1977 values would be \$326,200.00.

Respectfully submitted
DOUGLAS C. GREARSON, JR.
Meriden Fire Department Chief

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN CONLY, JR.
Plainfield Fire Department Chief

P.S. Support your fire departments' activities, Saturday Nite Socials, Wild Game Dinners and Chicken/Lobster Barbecues.

Report of the Plainfield Volunteer Fire Department

The department has responded to twelve fires in 1977.

We have again this year had successful Mutual Aid Drills with Meriden, Cornish, West Lebanon and Lebanon Fire Departments.

Some of the members attended fire schools at Keene State College and Fitzwilliam Drill Yard, again this year. I attended a week long Seminar at the University of Maine at Orono, for Fire Investigation and Arson.

The department purchased 1,000 feet of 1½ inch hose this year.

We will again have Smoke Detectors and Fire Extinguishers for sale.

I would like to thank Mrs. Emma Spaulding for the tremendous job of running our Social Parties. Mrs. Becky Meyette is still doing an excellent job in the refreshment department.

I would like to thank the active members and the community for their support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN R. CONLY, JR.
Fire Chief

Budget Summary

Plainfield Volunteer Fire Department

	1977	1978
Repairs, Gas and Oil	\$ 611.27	\$ 675.00
Heat	440.04	480.00
Electricity	135.86	150.00
Water	N/A	N/A
Supplies	270.70	300.00
Equipment	2147.41	1900.00
Insurance	1596.25	1800.00
Telephone	202.16	250.00
Misc./Schools	1790.09	1800.00
	\$7193.78	\$7355.00
Totals		

Meriden Fire Department Report

The Meriden Fire Department regretfully accepted the resignation of Arthur W. Thompson as Fire Chief as he has moved to West Lebanon. He has continued to assist us on our truck maintenance and is an active member of the department when he is in town. During the year we purchased a more powerful General Motors chassis to haul our 3000 tanker replacing a 24-year-old Dodge.

Under the direction of Training Officer Gardiner MacLeay and Firefighter T. Seymour, a KUA faculty member, we are training a 15 person KUA Student Fire Brigade.

During the year we answered 22 various alarms:

- 1 House fire in Plainfield
- 5 Forest fires
- 4 Chimney fires
- 4 False alarms
- 2 Smoke investigations in houses
- 2 Standbys in Cornish
- 2 Mutual aid runs to Cornish
- 1 Mutual aid run with the tanker to Lebanon
- 1 Auto accident

Respectfully submitted,
DOUGLAS C. GREARSON, JR.
 Chief, Meriden Fire Department

Expenditures

Meriden Volunteer Fire Department

	1977	1978
Heating Oil	\$1311.00	\$1444.00
Building (interest and maintenance)	1153.00	1111.00
Truck Fuel and Maintenance	953.00	1125.00
Insurance	504.00	554.00
Telephone	288.00	288.00
Fire Equipment	219.00	500.00
Siren Repair	199.00	
Electricity	154.00	175.00
1977 Operating Expenses	\$4781.00	\$5197.00
Capital Expenditure — Tanker	3055.00	
Total Expenditures	\$7836.00	Total 1977 Town Appropriation \$3500.00

The department is grateful to all those in the community who have supported us with donations and attended our money raising functions.

Report of District Fire Chief and Town Forest Fire Warden

Forest fire control in New Hampshire is a joint state and town/city responsibility (RSA 224).

The Director, Division of Forests and Lands (State Forester) appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town/city upon the recommendation of local authorities.

The local forest fire warden is responsible for forest fire prevention and suppression activities in his town. He regulates the kindling of outside fires when the ground is not covered with snow by the issuance of written permits only when conditions are safe. He is responsible for suppression with the town/city and state sharing the cost. Suppression costs in excess of ¼ of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town are assumed by the state.

The state provides training for the local fire organization and helps coordinate activities between towns/cities. The state also supports local forces with backup personnel, equipment, and supplies for suppression and prevention.

This combination of state and local cooperation, started in 1893, works well, for New Hampshire has enjoyed one of the smallest acreage losses due to forest fires in the United States for the past 25 years.

1977 FOREST FIRE STATISTICS

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres Burned
State	1,091	2,386
District	53	40.5
Town	7	3.5

GERALD S. GROSS
District Fire Chief

JOHN R. CONLY
Forest Fire Warden

Report of Building Inspector

In the year ending December 31, 1977, eighty-three building permits were issued by this office. They break down and compare to 1976 figures as follows:

	<u>1977</u>	<u>1976</u>
New single family residences	16	14
Additions & alterations to existing structures	35	34
Barns	5	3
Woodsheds	5	0
Residential garages	9	7
Commercial steel building	2	0
Storage buildings	3	8
Decks	4	0
Pools	1	3
Chimneys	2	4
Tree House	1	0
Green-houses	0	1
Chicken coop	0	5
Dog kennels	0	2
Feed bank	0	1
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Totals	83	82

Respectfully submitted

DOUGLAS SMITH
Building Inspector

Annual Report of Representative to the N.H. General Court — 1977

Is truth stranger than fiction? If you had been in my shoes during the last session (s counting the "special" ones) you might have thought so. It was impossible for the average legislator to keep track of just where we were. The conference committee on the operating budget just couldn't agree and the state went from July until October without one. We were called in periodically to see what was going on, and most of the time it was a deadlock between the Senate and the House—with the Governor apparently trying to manipulate the two.

In addition to that mess, the Governor vetoed the capital budget, and to this day the state of New Hampshire cannot make repairs nor build any new buildings. When this happened in the Governor's first term, we discovered that when a capital budget was finally passed, the state had to spend thousands of extra dollars due to galloping inflation. I call this unfortunate, but I do agree that certain items in this budget are not needed, but merely a pet project of someone's. There is no telling when we shall be able to pass a capital budget, once again due to the deadlock between the Senate and the House and the Governor.

I serve as vice-chairman of the Executive Departments and Administration committee this term—we handle all the bills which deal with the state agencies in any way: A very busy session for us. We are studying the corrections system in N.H. as well as the crime commission and the reorganization of the Dept. of Mental Health, to name a few of the kinds of bills we get.

With much help from the senior citizens across this state we managed to secure a good hearing-aid bill. This was my "baby," and I had worked for two years on it. We found fraud and sharp practices among certain dealers, and felt the need to protect the elderly, especially, by outlawing door-to-door or phone sales, providing for a 30-day money back guarantee, an

itemized receipt and other things. The dealers fought this, and we got the bill through both houses and even overrode the Governor's veto (no small task—unanimous in the Senate) we felt pretty gratified.

Unfortunately the ethics bill, having passed the House, died in the Senate, but this is the first time it even got through the House—progress! I do not give up.

It has been a good feeling to have many of you calling on me to help you with bureaucratic problems or to give you what information I can on some subjects. If I do not know the answer, I DO know where to find it.

The overall box score: 1191 House bills introduced, 370 in the Senate. 272 bills became law, and 208 are in study. The subject matter of bills becomes increasingly complicated, and often the heaviest bills seem to come in late in the session when there just is not time to do them justice, so they are sent to study. Our committee alone has over 25 bills to work on between sessions.

As in any line of endeavor, you win some and you lose some. When you are trying to get good laws for your state and its people, and you win, that is when politics is truly rewarding. And when you lose, you try again. The key to success is sustained effort.

Thank you for having once again elected me as your Representative.

SARA M. TOWNSEND

Financial Report

of the Town of Plainfield in Sullivan County for the Fiscal Year ended December 31, 1977

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

STEPHEN H. TAYLOR
LOUIS H. HOUSER
PAUL B. FRANKLIN
Selectmen

February 15, 1978
Plainfield, N.H.

FRED SWEET
Treasurer

Certificate of Audit

To the Selectmen, Town of Plainfield:

This is to certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other officers of the Town of Plainfield for the year ending December 31, 1977, and find them correct to the best of our knowledge.

KATHRYN MacLEAY
HERMAN D. ROGERS
Auditors

February 12, 1978
Plainfield, N.H.

Summary of Lumber Operations for 1977

Number of Operations	29
Board Feet Cut	2,026,863
Cords (Pulp)	139
Christmas Trees	1,430
Normal Yield Tax (Town)	\$6,086.12
Bond and Debt Retirement (State)	<u>1,217.23</u>
Total Yield Tax Assessed	<u><u>\$7,303.35</u></u>

PAUL B. FRANKLIN
Yield Tax Agent

Report of the Treasurer

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1977	\$ 115,390.11
Receipts from all sources through December 31, 1977	<u>1,456,621.53</u>
GRAND TOTAL	<u>\$1,572,011.64</u>
Less Selectmen's orders paid	<u>1,491,104.25</u>
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1977	\$ 80,907.39

Respectfully submitted,
FRED SWEET
Treasurer, Town of Plainfield

Schedule of Town Property

Town halls, land and buildings	\$472,400.00
Furniture and equipment	9,000.00
Libraries, land and buildings	69,950.00
Furniture and equipment and books	11,400.00
Police Department equipment	9,511.00
Highway Department, land and buildings	19,860.00
Equipment	
Material & Supplies	
Cemetery Department equipment	6,000.00
School District land and buildings	553,500.00
Equipment	
Town Dump Lot	4,200.00
Mill Road lot	900.00
Stage Coach Road lot	750.00
Burnap Island	200.00
Town Forest	15,000.00
Recreation Department	<u>950.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL	<u>\$980,201.00</u>

(Land and buildings valued by Dept. of Revenue Administration, Appraisal Division; furniture, equipment, materials and supplies valued at replacement cost.)

Statement of Indebtedness

<i>Purpose of Loan</i>	<i>Rate</i>	<i>Date due</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Highway No. 85	4.00%	12/15/78	\$11,000.00
Highway No. 86	4.25%	12/15/79	11,000.00
Highway No. 87	4.50%	12/15/80	10,000.00
Equipment No. 89	3.90%	12/15/78	10,000.00
Equipment No. 90	3.90%	12/15/79	8,000.00

Report of Town Clerk

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1977
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Auto Permits	\$31,065.50
Dog Licenses	851.00
Fees	<u>732.00</u>
	\$32,648.50

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Paid to Treasurer

Auto Permits	\$31,065.50
Dog Licenses	851.00
Fees	<u>732.00</u>
	\$32,648.50

HOWARD ZEA
Town Clerk

Balance Sheet

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 80,907.39	
Revenue Sharing Funds	2,177.16	
Conservation Commission Account	42.01	
Nursing Service Account	<u>25.58</u>	
		\$ 83,152.14
Accounts due Town:		
Gas Tax Refund	268.36	
Welfare Liens	2,993.27	
Insurance Refund	668.51	
Highway Refunds (Culverts)	911.61	
Police Grant	1,995.00	
Vendors	<u>75.61</u>	
		6,912.36
Capital Reserve Funds		4,000.00
Unredeemed Taxes		
Levy of 1976	26,819.97	
Levy of 1975	<u>5,882.26</u>	
		32,702.23

Uncollected Taxes		
Levy of 1977	88,012.58	
Levy of 1976	743.72	
Previous Years	<u>1,999.70</u>	
		<u>90,756.00</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		\$217,522.73
LIABILITIES		
Unexpended balance of special appropriation (appraisal fund)	\$ 500.00	
Uncollected Bond & Debt taxes	448.44	
Bond & Debt taxes collected, not remitted	1,177.20	
School District Taxes payable	288,865.00	
Capital Reserve Fund	<u>4,000.00</u>	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$295,490.64
Current Deficit, December 31, 1976		36,535.51
Current Deficit, December 31, 1977		77,967.91
Increase of Deficit		*41,432.40
*\$39,865.06 of this increase results from the Federal Disaster Assistance Administration office classifying the expenditure as "Betterment" rather than "as existed."		

Summary of Inventory of Valuation

Land — Improved and Unimproved		\$ 4,057,250
Buildings		10,164,568
Factory Buildings		44,950
Public Utilities, electric		590,018
House Trailers, Mobile Homes—21		86,400
Boats & Launches—9		<u>5,300</u>
Total valuation before exemption allowed		\$14,948,486
Less:		
Blind Exemptions—2	\$ 10,000	
Elderly exemptions—24	124,700	
School dining room, dormitory & kitchen exemption Article IX	<u>598,000</u>	
Total exemptions allowed	\$732,700	
Net valuation on which tax rate is computed		\$14,215,786
Electric Utility Property:		
Connecticut Valley Electric Co.		116,418
Granite State Electric		174,250
New England Power Co.		278,700
N.H. Electric Cooperative		<u>20,650</u>
Total		\$590,018
Number of Inventories distributed in 1977	657	
Date 1977 Inventories were mailed	March 15, 1977	
Number of Inventories returned in 1977	592	
Number of Individuals applying for Elderly Exemption in 1977	18 at 5,000	
	4 at 10,000	
	5 at 20,000	

Number of Individuals granted an Elderly Exemption in 1977

15 at 5,000
 4 at 10,000
 5 at 20,000

Itemization of Qualifying Current Use

<i>Land Categories</i>	<i>Number of Owners</i>	<i>Number of Acres</i>
Number of Property Owners who were granted Current Use Exemption in 1977 and total number of acres exempted:		
a/c Farm Land	35	1,209.60
a/c Wetland	12	127.50
a/c Forest Land	43	11,432.60
*a/c Recreational Land	14	3,074.32
a/c Wild Land	31	2,621.72

*Also included in other categories

Tax Rates

Tax Rates	Prior Years tax rate	1977 Approved Rate
Town	1.33	1.37
School District	3.14	3.23
County	.33	.31
Rate	4.80	4.91

(For Current Year's Levy)

Summary of Warrants Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

	Levy of 1977	
	<u>— DR. —</u>	
Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	\$658,202.07	
Resident Taxes	10,130.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	48.00	
Total Warrants		\$668,380.07
Yield Taxes		639.41
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	\$ 319.14	
Resident Taxes	460.00	
		779.14
Land Use Change Taxes		2,253.40
Overpayments During Year:		
a/c Property Taxes	\$ 3,333.14	
a/c Resident Taxes		
		3,333.14

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes	901.04	
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	<u>23.00</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		<u><u>\$676,309.20</u></u>

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Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	\$575,911.80	
Resident Taxes	8,980.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	48.00	
Yield Taxes	634.10	
Land Use Change Taxes	1,109.40	
Interest Collected	901.04	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>23.00</u>	

\$587,607.34

Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	\$ 39.28	
Resident Taxes	650.00	
Yield Taxes		

689.28

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1977: (As Per Collector's List)		
Land Use Change Taxes	\$ 1,144.00	
Property Taxes	85,903.27	
Resident Taxes	960.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>5.31</u>	

88,012.58

TOTAL CREDITS

\$676,309.20

Summary of Warrants Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1976

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1977:		
Property Taxes	\$66,188.09	
Resident Taxes	690.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>495.92</u>	

\$67,374.01

Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes		
Resident Taxes	\$ 60.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>6,996.53</u>	

7,056.53

Land Use Change Taxes

Overpayments:		
a/c Property Taxes	\$ 5.65	
a/c Resident Taxes		

5.65

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes	2,465.36	
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes	<u>53.00</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		<u><u>\$76,954.55</u></u>

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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977:		
Property Taxes	\$66,193.74	
Resident Taxes	530.00	
Yield Taxes	6,748.73	
Land Use Change Taxes		
Interest Collected During Year	2,465.36	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>53.00</u>	
		\$75,990.83

Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes		
Resident Taxes	\$ 220.00	
Yield Taxes	<u> </u>	
		220.00

Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1977: (As Per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes		
Resident Taxes		
Yield Taxes	\$ 743.72	
	<u> </u>	743.72

TOTAL CREDITS		<u><u>\$76,954.55</u></u>
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Summary of Warrants Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1975

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1977:		
Resident Taxes	<u>\$10.00</u>	
		\$10.00
TOTAL DEBITS		<u><u>\$10.00</u></u>

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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977:		
Resident Taxes	<u>\$10.00</u>	
		\$10.00
TOTAL CREDITS		<u><u>\$10.00</u></u>

Summary of Warrants Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1974

— DR. —

Uncollected Jan. 1, 1977

Yield Taxes \$2,069.70

TOTAL DEBITS

\$2,069.70

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Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1977:

Yield Taxes \$ 70.00

Uncollected Taxes, December 31, 1977

(As per Collector's List)

Yield Taxes 1,999.70

TOTAL CREDITS

\$2,069.70

Uncollected Yield Taxes

Levy of 1974

December 31, 1977

Wayne Simino \$1,999.70

Uncollected Yield Taxes

Levy of 1976

December 31, 1977

Wayne Simino \$148.17

Edward Benware 201.60

Michael McNamara 52.20

Wallace Chesley 48.00

Controlled Forest Management 293.75

\$743.72

Unredeemed Taxes

	1976	1975
Aldrich, Henry & Karen	\$ 434.93	
Atkinson-Davis	946.89	\$1,310.14
Barton, Lawrence & Addie	1,057.01	
Barton, Heirs of Vern	513.57	
Branstatter, Sol	249.96	
Burgess, Theodore, Trustee	3,778.39	3,250.75
Chapman, Frank & Annamay	647.10	
Daley, Frederick	13,309.48	
Davis, Stephen & Joan	462.49	
Drew, William & Marilyn	1,166.17	
Freeland, Robert & Barbara	314.11	
Fellows, Hazen & Sally	792.72	

Martin, Paul & Anita	786.04	675.13
O'Leary, Eric & Constance	176.14	
Powell, Albon & Helen	675.08	445.35
Sadoques, Anthony & Barbara	138.87	
Slayton, Hayden & Bernice	333.06	
Sullivan, Alberta		200.89
Sweeney, Arthur & Edward	597.83	
Tri-State Timberland	440.13	
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	\$26,819.97	\$5,882.36

Uncollected Current Use Penalties

Tax Year 1977

Robert & Kazuyu Lindsay	\$ 575.00
Barnett, Wallace & Betty Ann	569.00
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	\$1,144.00

Uncollected Property Taxes

1977

December 31, 1977

Aldrich, Henry & Karen	\$ 653.03	Couture, Arnold Jr. & Marlene	191.49
Atkinson-Davis	849.45	Daley, Frederick & Gertrude	11,366.66
Ashey, Gordon & Carol	184.99	Dantonio, Ralph	601.48
Avesar & Hill	116.32	Dantonio, William & Roseann	2,283.15
Bailey, Allen & Marion	5.90	Daschbach, Richard & Virginia	136.60
Barnett, Wallace	72.59	Davidson, Anne	922.43
Barry, John Jr.	668.06	Davis, Cecil & Helen	315.21
Barton, Heirs of Vern	500.82	Davis, Martin Jefferson	31.38
Barton, Lawrence	810.15	Davis, Stephen & Joan	449.27
Barton, Richard	341.00	Dean, Constance	20.19
Beard, Elaine	403.06	DeFeo, Anthony	1,324.03
Beliveau, Beatrice	389.61	DeFeo, Deloris	1,792.16
Benware, Edward	176.76	Delange, Corneli & Carmen	141.11
Berry, Alden	10.00	Descoteau, Edward & Marion	297.94
Boivin, Ferne	1.10	Dow, William	136.60
Bolton, Burton	201.31	Drew, William & Marilyn	1,870.71
Bourget, Joseph & Dorothy	89.25	Ducey, Richard	111.29
Burckes, Ralph & Phyllis	76.11	Fadden, Eugene	203.41
Burgess, Theodore; Trustee	3,746.33	Fadden, James	206.22
Burgess, Theodore & Betty	9,103.15	Farnham, Jean	126.96
Carvey, Virginia	208.68	Fellows, Hazen & Sally	785.60
Cassedy, Mary	869.65	Fleischhacker, Peter & Nelly	737.54
Chapman, Frank & Annamay	1,087.57	Freeland, Robert & Barbara	698.78
Chase & Tripp	237.00	Freeman, Madeline	624.97
Cherington, Alex and Margaret	665.31	Gardiner, Philip & Gayla	569.57
Cherington, Heirs of Paul	829.76	Goss, Patricia & Bassett, Jacqueline	1.10
Chesley, Wallace	292.15	Greenough, George Jr.	670.22
Clem, David & Kathleen	115.86	Griswold, James	152.06
Comstock, Augusta	616.21	Grobe, Malcolm & Theodora	1,145.42
Conklin, Raymond	87.48	Hall, Robert & Marsha	354.51
Coonley, Douglas & Suzanne	257.28	Hartford Oil Company	327.76

Hector, Eugene & Freda	270.83	Perkins, Orville	75.21
Hennessey, John III	8.55	Phelps, Austin	661.79
Henry, Don Sr.	410.79	Powell, Albon & Helen	657.95
Hodges, Deborah	130.32	Pringle, George & Janice	514.66
Hooker, Kenneth & Viola	363.34	Putnam, Guy & Marcia	786.43
Hussey, Donald	136.60	Regione, Michael & Rachael	440.91
Jacobson, Homer & Leslie	82.03	Riley, Norma	93.29
Jalbert, Dennis	265.14	Russell, William & Carol	260.64
Johnson, Glendon	1,711.14	Sadoques, Anthony & Barbara	544.11
Jordan, Robert & Cheryl	392.42	Schupp, Nancy	12.55
Judy, James & Harriet	1,746.02	Shattuck, Roy	4.79
Kelley, Sherry	185.11	Sherman, Everett & Beatrice	167.84
Kenyon, Bernard & Shirlie	509.73	Slayton, Hayden & Bernice	323.16
Kilton, Augusta	736.50	Slayton, Ray & Geraldine	497.14
Kilton, Leo	4.91	Slayton, Scott & Barbara	606.39
Kimball, Stephen	182.44	Small, Larry	115.86
Konrad, Charles & Vera	1,610.48	Soucy, Daniel & Elizabeth	908.35
LaBine, Thelma	37.45	Steele, Betty Lou	21.94
LaPan, Heirs of John	218.50	Stewart, Marjorie	14.73
Lawrence, Francis & Nancy	554.83	Strobel, Charles & Richard	179.22
Leavitt, Sidney & Margaret	95.58	Strong, Frank & Marie	3,005.52
LeVarn, Doris	84.23	Sullivan, Alberta	397.71
Longacre, Norman & Roberta	197.89	Sweeney, Arthur Jr. & Edward	568.13
Marcuse, Evelyn	61.30	Swett, Richard & Marcia	421.89
Martin, Paul & Anita	770.87	Temple, Maurice & Jean	386.79
Mason, Harry & Maxine	267.02	Tibbetts, Patricia	289.69
Meriden Civic Association	560.94	Tri-State Timberland	424.72
Mills, Gerald & Cheryl	567.11	Tuttle, David: Trustee	539.66
Mize, Gretchen	20.29	Ward, George & Steve	203.71
Moodie, Edward & Carol	147.79	Ware, Mary	746.90
Mulherrin, Thomas & Patricia	1,119.48	Williams, Norman	853.15
Murphy, Dennis & Diane	169.43	Windsor Area JC's	32.83
Nelson, Melvin & Eleanor	15.46	Wood, Harry	422.34
Noyes, Woodrow & Maxine	638.30	Woods, Frederick & Cora	318.25
Ohlhaber, Gerard & Elfriede	379.41	Zimmermann, John	680.61
O'Keefe, James & Yvonne	250.41	Zimmermann, Josephine	881.26
O'Leary, Eric & Constance	191.75		
Outridge, Allan & Barbara	555.11	Total Uncollected	\$85,903.27
Patch, Norman & Linda	541.28		

Uncollected Resident Taxes

Levy of 1977

December 31, 1977

Adams, George Jr.	Clark, Douglas	Hendrick, Auraora	Lambert, Roger
Ayer, Elizabeth	Comstock, Augusta	Hendrick, John	Lawrence, Francis
Barnes, Shirleigh	Conklin, Adeline	Hooker, Kenneth	Lawrence, Nancy
Barton, Addie	Conklin, Raymond	Hooker, Viola	Leavitt, Mary Ann
Barton, Lawrence	Drew, Marilyn	Hynes, George Jr.	LeClair, Barbara
Beard, Elaine	Drew, William	Hynes, Timothy	Leonard, Michael
Blanchard, Vivian	Finer, Chad	Jenks, Margaret	Leonard, Patricia
Brooks, Roger Jr.	Finer, Susan	Jenks, Stanley	Libby, Dale
Chapman, Annamay	Goodspeed, Edward	Kennett, Byron	Linn, James
Chapman, Deborah	Grobe, David	Kimball, Richard	Marrazzo, Carol
Chapman, Frank	Grobe, Dennis	Kimball, Susan	Marrazzo, Robert

Martin, Sherry	Parker, Willard	Schwabe, Gunther	Tibbetts, Patricia
McNamara, Hazel	Perkins, Arthur	Slayton, Bernice	Urion, David
McNamara, Joyce	Porter, John	Slayton, Darrell	Walker, David
McNamara, William	Pringle, Donald	Slayton, Hayden	Walker, Jean
Moniz, Paul	Pringle, George	Sleckman, Thomas	Watson, Albert
Morse, Gary	Pringle, Janice	Soucy, Daniel	White, David
O'Leary, Brian	Rabin, Marvin	Soucy, Elizabeth	White, Laura
O'Leary, Constance	Raymond, Sandra	Stone, Charles	Whitney, Patricia
O'Leary, Eric	Roberts, Phillip	Stone, Sheila	Williams, John
O'Leary, Kathleen	Russell, Carol	Thompson, Diane	Williams, Mary
Pardo, Catherine	Russell, William	Thompson, Merrill	Williams, Norman
Pardo, David	Schubert, James	Thompson, Stephanie	Vatland, Mrs. Richard
Parker, Carol	Schubert, Jody	Thorndike, Virginia	Vatland, Richard

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1977

	— DR. —		
	----- Tax Sales on Account of Levies of -----		
	1976	1975	1974
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes—January 1, 1977		\$17,414.36	\$6,978.40
(b) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$48,221.42		
Interest Collected After Sale	1,003.84	1,854.74	1,528.45
Redemption Costs	54.50	88.10	15.48
TOTAL DEBITS	\$49,279.76	\$19,357.20	\$8,522.17
— CR. —			
Remittances to Treasurer During Year:			
Redemptions	\$21,201.92	\$11,532.10	\$6,978.40
Interest & Costs After Sale	1,058.34	1,942.84	1,543.93
Abatements During Year	199.53		
Deeded to Town During Year			
Unredeemed Taxes —			
December 31, 1977	26,819.97	5,882.26	
TOTAL CREDITS	\$49,279.76	\$19,357.20	\$8,522.17

- (a) "Balance of Unredeemed Taxes — January 1, 1977:"
Should include balances of Unredeemed Taxes, as of beginning of fiscal year — January 1, 1977 from Tax Sales of *Previous Years*.
- (b) "Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year:"
Tax Sales held during fiscal year ending December 31, 1977, should include total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale.

NOTE: TOTAL DEBITS AND TOTAL CREDITS should agree.

Statement of Appropriations and Taxes Assessed

APPROPRIATIONS:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 11,000
Town Officers' Expense	9,000
Election & Registration	600
Town Halls & Other Buildings	2,500
Employees Retirement & Social Security	7,500
Police Department	20,500
Fire Departments	9,700
Blister Rust & Care of Trees	355
Insurance	18,000
Planning & Zoning	2,700
Damages & Legal Expense	6,500
Re-Appraisal	1,500
Health	4,000
Vital Statistics	50
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	25,000
Highway Department:	
Summer & Winter Maintenance	113,300
Street Lights	2,800
General Expense	15,500
Town Road Aid	<u>1,260</u>
	132,860
Libraries	9,395
Town Poor	9,000
Old Age Assistance	1,000
Memorial Day	75
Recreation	2,000
Conservation	1,000
Cemeteries	4,100
Airports	650
Advertising & Regional Associations	75
Payment of Debt:	
Principal	28,500
Interest on long term notes	2,671
Interest on temporary loans	<u>10,000</u>
	41,171
Capital Outlay	
Article V, New Truck	23,500
Payments to Capital Reserve Funds	
Re-Appraisal	<u>2,500</u>

TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

\$346,231

LESS ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS:

Interest & Dividends Tax	20,580
Savings Bank Tax	1,633
Meals & Rooms Tax	10,688
Police Dept. Grant	7,200
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	6,162
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	16,000
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	1,700
Dog Licenses	700

Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	27,000
Income from Trust Funds	2,200
Income from Departments	2,000
National Bank Stock Taxes	10,130
Revenue Sharing, (Articles IV & XI)	28,535
Highway Subsidy	17,487
Duncan Fund	3,699
Town Road Aid (State Share)	8,364
Gas Tax	1,100
Proceeds of Bonds & Long Term Notes Article V	<u>18,000</u>
TOTAL REVENUE AND CREDITS	183,282
Net Town Appropriations	162,949
Net School Appropriations	463,865
County Tax Assessment	<u>44,125</u>
TOTAL OF TOWN, SCHOOL AND COUNTY	670,939
Deduct: Business Profits Tax Reimbursement	7,330
Add: War Service Tax Credits	9,600
Add: Overlay	<u>24,786</u>
PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	697,995
Taxes Committed to Collector:	
Gross Property Taxes	697,995
Less War Service Tax Credits	<u>9,600</u>
	<u><u>\$688,395</u></u>

Summary of Receipts

Cash on hand, January 1, 1977	\$ 115,390.11
Local Taxes, Current Year	587,607.34
Local Taxes, previous years	120,328.36
From State of New Hampshire	101,143.85
Local Sources, except taxes	3,604.51
Income of Departments	2,719.30
Trustees of Trust Funds	3,695.00
Registration of Motor Vehicles	29,082.00
Receipts other than Current Revenues	<u>608,441.17</u>
	\$1,572,011.64

Detailed Statement of Receipts

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1977	\$ 115,390.11
LOCAL TAXES, CURRENT YEAR	
Property	577,021.20
Resident	8,980.00
National Bank Stock	48.00
Yield Taxes	634.10
Interest	901.04
Penalties	<u>23.00</u>
	587,607.34

LOCAL TAXES, PREVIOUS YEARS

Property	66,191.34
Resident	540.00
Yield	6,595.61
Interest	2,465.36
Resident tax penalties	53.00
Tax Sales redeemed	39,885.37
Interest & costs	4,597.68

120,328.36

FROM STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Gas Tax refund	1,155.04
Forest Land grant	79.20
Business Profits tax	7,329.20
Duncan Fund	3,699.11
Interest & Dividends tax	20,580.08
Savings Bank tax	1,632.67
Rooms & Meals tax	12,262.23
Highway Subsidy	18,936.40
Police Grant	5,205.00
TRA	7,499.55
Flood Disaster	14,107.93
Covered Bridge	8,296.27
Forest Fire	361.17

101,143.85

LOCAL SOURCES, EXCEPT TAXES

Dog licenses	877.51
Building permits	919.00
Sub-Divisions	605.00
Bingo permits	300.00
Board of Adjustment fees	91.00
Junk Yard permits	50.00
Pistol permits	36.00
Rent of town property	20.00
Dynamite permits	2.00
Town Clerks fees	704.00

3,604.51

INCOME OF DEPARTMENTS

Use of copier	30.74
Welfare Liens	1,353.51
Sale of Zoning Ordinances	54.87
Recreation Commission	100.18
Mill Cemetery Association	229.78
Police reports	31.12
Forest fires	228.10
Highway	511.00
Cemetery lots	180.00

2,719.30

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

3,695.00

REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES

29,082.00

RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT REVENUES

Temporary loans	525,000.00
Interest on deposits	8,631.37

Revenue Sharing	47,770.50	
Refunds and Insurance Adjustments	2,200.22	
Timber Tax and Culvert Bonds	4,039.08	
Sale of Town Property	2,800.00	
Long Term notes	18,000.00	
		<u>608,441.17</u>
	Total	<u><u>\$1,572,011.64</u></u>

Summary of Payments

Town Officers salaries	\$ 10,066.74
Town Officers expenses	9,880.61
Election & Registration	724.11
Re-Appraisal of Property	1,126.15
Town Hall and Other Building Expense	2,381.36
Police Department	20,082.46
Planning & Zoning	3,861.34
Fire Departments	11,302.99
Care of Trees	355.00
Insurance	19,527.28
Health	3,743.42
Rubbish Removal	25,033.65
Winter Maintenance	26,711.04
Summer Maintenance	59,178.88
TRA	1,254.68
Loader & Grader	4,645.61
Trucks & Plows	8,861.65
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	21,253.95
Fuel & Oil	11,747.38
Street Lights	2,938.76
Libraries	9,542.16
Recreation	2,329.43
Old Age Assistance	1,077.84
Memorial Day	99.21
Cemeteries	4,479.26
Retirement & Social Security	7,207.24
Damages & Legal Expenses	6,966.98
Advertising & Regional Association	75.00
Taxes Bought by the Town	48,218.32
Discounts, abatements & Refunds	22,642.07
Interest	11,113.60
Airports	650.00
Conservation	1,000.00
Repayment of Debt	553,500.00
Revenue Sharing	17,253.00
New Equipment Purchase	23,348.00
Trustees of Trust Funds	2,000.00
Payments to County & State	44,482.64
Payments to School District	484,490.49
	<u>484,490.49</u>
	<u>\$1,491,104.25</u>

Salaries

	<i>Total Salary</i>	<i>Deductions</i>	<i>Amount Rec'd</i>
David Stone, Selectman	\$ 375.00	\$ 85.56	289.44
Stephen Taylor, Selectman	1,500.00	349.78	1,150.22
Louis Houser, Selectman	1,500.00	87.76	1,412.24
Paul Franklin, Selectman	1,125.00	65.82	1,059.18
Howard Zea, Town Clerk	2,955.00	630.97	2,324.03
Sylvia Clark, Deputy Town Clerk	45.00	4.55	40.45
Dorothy McNamara, Tax Collector & Bookkeeper	4,500.00	1,160.96	3,339.04
Fred Sweet, Treasurer	900.00	293.62	606.38
Terrance Kelley, Police Chief	13,920.00	3,106.28	10,813.72
John Conly, Patrolman	616.00	145.08	470.92
Lawrence Dore, Patrolman	840.00	147.27	692.73
Jerry Day, Patrolman	123.66	17.19	106.47
David Tucker, Patrolman	294.00	50.29	243.71
R. Scott Loessel, Patrolman	24.50	1.43	23.07
Karl Quinn, Patrolman	24.50	1.43	23.07
Douglas Smith, Building Inspector	501.00	100.30	400.70
Judith Belyea, Clerk-Planning Bd.	325.50	19.04	306.46
Douglas Grearson, Jr., Health Insp.	166.50	9.74	156.76
Kathryn MacLeay, Auditor	150.00	27.74	122.26
Herman Rogers, Auditor	150.00	27.74	122.26
Ruth Wheeler, Supervisor of Ck. List	36.00	2.11	33.89
David Stockwell, Supervisor of Ck. List	36.00	2.11	33.89
Basil McNamara, Supervisor of Ck. List	36.00	2.11	33.89
Malcolm Grobe, Moderator	50.00	2.93	47.07
Anita Barrett, Ballot Clerk	45.00	2.63	42.37
Alice Jordan, Ballot Clk. & Rec. Supv.	533.00	62.27	470.73
Margaret Meyette, Ballot Clerk	45.00	2.63	42.37
John McNamara, Ballot Clerk	45.00	2.63	42.37
David McBride, Animal Control Officer and Rec. Director	699.00	96.13	602.87
Otis Jordan, Bus Driver, Red. Program	46.65		46.65
Arthur Thompson, Road Agent	340.75	43.65	297.10
Thomas Bircher	12,419.67	2,710.82	9,708.85
Arnold Chapman, Laborer	10,944.91	2,455.50	8,489.41
Gordon Bedell, Laborer	9,614.21	1,943.08	7,671.13
Douglas McGranaghan, Laborer	9,682.49	2,735.44	6,947.05
Norman Torrey, Laborer	2,948.00	657.39	2,290.61
Floyd Rogers, Laborer	6,273.13	1,121.42	5,151.71
Daniel Rondeau, Laborer	843.50	161.94	681.56
Arthur Creighton, Laborer	870.00	70.32	799.68
George Kibbie, Laborer	1,815.70	280.45	1,535.25
Earl King, Laborer	39.00	2.28	36.72
Clayton Morse, Laborer	642.20	138.67	503.53
Ralph Sullivan, Laborer	334.50	37.78	296.72
Henry Thompson, Laborer	1,724.80	234.38	1,490.42
Ernest Barrett, Laborer	500.50	41.59	458.91
Eugene Fadden, Laborer	153.00	17.47	135.53
Roy Goodwin, Laborer	939.00	77.92	861.08
Maxwell Plummer, Laborer	138.00	18.14	119.86
Nancy Norwalk, Librarian	993.00	103.54	889.46
Peggy Williamson, Librarian	1,861.50	317.43	1,544.07
Doris Plummer, Librarian	6.88	.40	6.48
Brenda Garrand, Librarian	52.50	6.19	46.31
Linda Willard	105.00	6.15	98.85
Barbara Outridge	592.50	53.20	539.30

Detailed Statement of Expenses

TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire; S.S.	\$ 624.22	
Internal Revenue Service, withholding	63.62	
Claremont National Bank, withholding	959.47	
David Stone, Selectman	289.44	
Stephen Taylor, Selectman	1,150.22	
Louis Houser, Selectman	1,412.24	
Paul Franklin, Selectman	1,059.18	
Howard Zea, Town Clerk	2,324.03	
Sylvia Clark, Deputy Town Clerk	40.45	
Dorothy McNamara, Tax Collector	1,292.97	
Fred Sweet, Treasurer	606.38	
Kathryn MacLeay, Auditor	122.26	
Herman Rogers, Auditor	122.26	
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	\$10,066.74	\$10,066.74

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Franklin Barto, box rent	3.00
Branham Publishing, manuel	13.55
Brown & Saltmarsh, office supplies	148.98
Roger Burt, printing	1,962.05
Business Products of N.H., copy paper	123.71
Chronicle Press, supplies	17.20
Claremont National Bank, payroll service & withholding	561.77
Sylvia Clark, Deputy Clerks exp.	7.50
V.W. Eimiecke, files	32.13
Equity Publishing Co., RSA's	110.00
Paul Franklin, Selectmans exp.	79.51
Greydon Freeman, supplies	73.80
Hildreths, supplies	1.83
Homestead Press, supplies	58.26
Louis Houser, Selectman exp.	388.23
Internal Revenue Service, withholding	.52
Kimball's, supplies	142.40
Zella Eastman LaForge, recording	173.28
John Lawrence, tax billing	961.96
Dorothy McNamara, collectors exp.	31.69
Meriden Congregational Church, meals	31.50
Meriden Country Store, supplies	32.99
Meriden Telephone Co., service	564.78
Meriden Vol. Fire Dept., delivering town reports	50.00
Microfilm Services, record storage	37.20
N.H. City and Town Clerks Assoc., dues	20.00
N.H. Municipal Association	306.15
N.H. Tax Collectors Assoc., workshop and dues	25.00
Pitney Bowes, meter rental	132.00
Plainfield School District, paper	9.84
Plainfield Volunteer Fire Dept., del. town reports	50.00
Postmaster, Meriden, Postage & Box rent	870.76
Poultney Rubber Stamp	40.00
Rutland Daily Herald, Advertising	52.50
Vando Spaulding, expenses	37.50
David Stone, Selectmans exp.	60.00
Fred Sweet, Treasurers exp.	50.00
Arthur Thompson, meeting exp.	99.75
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	112.05
Union Leader Corporation, advertising	21.55

Valley News, advertising	89.31	
Webster Associates, copying	4.00	
Treasurer, State of N.H., supplies	5.93	
Howard Zea, clerks meeting exp.	240.36	
Dorothy McNamara, bookkeeping	2,046.07	
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	\$9,880.61	\$9,880.61
ELECTION AND REGISTRATION		
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	36.54	
Plainfield Coop PreSchool, dinners	72.00	
Roger Burt, ballots	177.35	
John Lawrence, printing check lists	120.00	
Ruth Wheeler, supervisor of check list	33.89	
David Stockwell, supervisor of check list	33.89	
Basil McNamara, supervisor of check list	33.89	
Malcolm Grobe, Moderator	47.07	
Anita Barrett, ballot clerk	42.37	
Alice Jordan, ballot clerk	42.37	
Margaret Meyette, ballot clerk	42.37	
John F. McNamara, ballot clerk	42.37	
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	\$724.11	\$724.11
REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY		
Susan Blake, map work	119.20	
Treasurer, State of N.H., appraisal	1,006.95	
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	\$1,126.15	\$1,126.15
TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDING EXPENSE		
Connecticut Valley Electric, service	565.29	
Michael Gallagher, cleaning	60.00	
Granite State Electric, service	53.21	
Johnson & Dix, fuel	711.41	
McNamara's Plumbing, repairs	115.81	
Mericrafters, venetian blind	11.54	
Woodrow Noyes, cleaning	60.00	
Oxygen & Welding, extinguishers	30.50	
Plainfield Village Water District, service	90.00	
Herman Rogers, repairs	10.00	
Suburban Natural Gas Co., service	673.60	
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	\$2,381.36	\$2,381.36
POLICE DEPARTMENT		
Allegheny Airlines, Juvenile case	510.00	
Claremont National Bank, withholding	2,119.83	
John Conly, expenses	20.70	
Equity Publishing Co., criminal code	7.00	
Gallison's Communications, service	18.50	
Greydon Freeman, office supplies	11.99	
Griswolds Garage, service & parts	866.77	
Meriden Garage	9.35	
New England Telephone, service	1,131.95	
Plainfield General Store, gas	33.10	
Prentiss Hall Inc., handbook	12.56	
Joseph Salisbury, cash advance—juvenile case	300.00	
Sanel Auto Parts, booster cable	16.95	
Search & Seizure Bulletin, subscription	25.00	
Treasurer, State of N.H., retirement	1,092.16	
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	57.31	
Treasurer, State of N.H., registration	2.00	
Valcom Inc., communication	1,294.00	

Valley News, advertising	52.50	
Hogan Tire Co., tires	127.10	
Terrance Kelley, Police Chief	10,813.72	
John Conly, patrolman	470.92	
Larry Dore, patrolman	692.73	
Jerry Day, patrolman	106.47	
David Tucker, patrolman	243.71	
R. Scott Loessel, patrolman	23.07	
Karl Quinn, patrolman	23.07	
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	\$20,082.46	\$20,082.46
PLANNING & ZONING		
Judith Belyea, expenses and clerks salary	351.69	
Roger Burt, printing	1,051.20	
Claremont National Bank	19.56	
Greydon Freeman, stamp and pad	8.95	
Postmaster, Meriden, postage	84.24	
Douglas Smith, Inspectors exp. and salary	523.70	
Ira Townsend, postage	50.15	
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	37.12	
Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Assoc., dues	1,107.00	
Valley News, notices	627.73	
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	\$3,861.34	\$3,861.34
FIRE DEPARTMENTS		
Lester Bouchier, fire school	3.75	
John Conly, fire school	3.75	
G. G. MacLeay, Jr., fire school	3.75	
Ira Townsend, fire school	3.75	
Meriden Vol. Fire Dept., Approp. and Forest Fires	4,069.99	
Plainfield Vol. Fire Dept., Approp. and Forest Fires	4,768.00	
Meriden Village Water Dist., hydrant rental	1,200.00	
Plainfield Village Water Dist., hydrant rental	1,250.00	
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	\$11,302.99	\$11,302.99
CARE OF TREES		
Blister Rust Control	\$355.00	\$355.00
INSURANCE		
Blue Cross-Blue Shield, health ins.	2,894.28	
Keating Insurance	15,964.00	
McNamara, John	669.00	
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	\$19,527.28	\$19,527.28
HEALTH		
Claremont National Bank, withholding	.26	
Douglas Grearson, health officer salary & exp.	227.16	
City of Lebanon, ambulance service	1,500.00	
Nursing Service, appropriation	2,000.00	
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	16.00	
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	\$3,743.42	\$3,743.42
RUBBISH REMOVAL		
G. & S. Equipment, dumpster & service	528.00	
City of Lebanon, landfill contract & service	6,460.65	
Noel Vincent, collection	18,045.00	
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	\$25,033.65	\$25,033.65
WINTER MAINTENANCE		
H. B. Biathrow, truck hire	294.00	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield, insurance	166.05	

Claremont National Bank, withholding	3,254.54
International Salt	782.74
Andrew Kuhre, truck hire	180.00
Don MacLeay, truck hire	399.00
Clifton Marsh, truck hire	36.00
Kenneth Moore, sand	893.75
Thomas Theodore, gravel	293.84
Treasurer, State of N.H., retirement	841.33
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	1,847.09
Upper Valley Feed, chloride	38.75
Arthur Thompson, Road Agent	297.10
Thomas Bircher, Road Agent	3,450.91
Arnold Chapman, laborer	3,757.92
Earl King, laborer	36.72
Douglas McGranaghan, laborer	3,088.72
Clayton Morse, laborer	503.53
Floyd Rogers, laborer	2,543.54
Ralph Sullivan, laborer	296.72
Norman Torrey, laborer	634.86
Gordon Bedell, laborer	3,073.93
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	\$26,711.04

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SUMMER MAINTENANCE

Agway, chloride	31.96
H. B. Biathrow, equipment hire	4,357.50
Blaktop, Inc., surface treatment	1,503.18
Blue Cross-Blue Shield, insurance	261.38
Bob's Sawmill, plank	61.62
Claremont National Bank, withholding	3,084.74
Cote-Reney, plank	722.28
Don Crate, TRA work	180.80
Hathorns, supplies	3.00
Milton Jewell, TRA work and truck hire	2,153.00
Andrew Kuhre, TRA work	121.00
Lebanon Crushed Stone	337.18
Don MacLeay, TRA work & equipment hire	666.00
Clifton Marsh, TRA work & equipment hire	2,590.60
James McSwain, sand	238.00
Kenneth Moore, sand	155.75
Geo. Nash, tree removal	75.00
N.H. Bituminous Co., sealer	8,006.54
Northeastern Culverts	3,097.03
Oxygen & Welding, equipment rental	35.05
R & D Enterprises, equipment rental	144.00
David Stockwell, fill	663.50
Townline Equipment	65.00
Thomas Theodore, gravel	1,691.75
Treasurer, State of N.H., retirement	1,161.01
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	1,513.95
Thomas Bircher, Road Agent	6,257.94
Arnold Chapman, laborer	4,731.49
Gordon Bedell, laborer	4,597.20
Douglas McGranaghan	3,858.33
Norman Torrey, laborer	1,633.15
Daniel Rondeau, laborer	681.56
Arthur Creighton, laborer	98.95
George Kibbie, laborer	300.85
Henry Thompson, laborer	1,490.42
Floyd Rogers, laborer	2,608.17
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	\$59,178.88

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TRA		
State of N.H., town share	\$1,254.68	\$1,254.68
LOADER & GRADER		
Car-Go, tires	388.32	
R. C. Hazelton, repairs and parts	1,950.65	
Interstate Tire Co.	24.23	
Jordan Milton Machinery, parts	645.53	
Kibby Equipment, parts	49.50	
Rice's Tire Center, tires	1,587.38	
	<u>\$4,645.61</u>	\$4,645.61
TRUCKS & PLOWS		
Bailey Brothers, repair parts	1,208.74	
Barrett Equipment, parts	72.52	
Daniels Sales & Service	6.00	
Decato Motor Sales, parts	1,731.24	
G. & S. Trucking, parts	102.22	
Hartford Motors, parts	523.32	
Hathorn's, parts	294.56	
Jordan Milton Machinery, parts	62.64	
Kibby Equipment, parts	1,247.78	
Kelton Motors, parts	304.74	
K. Ross, plow parts	12.30	
Manchester Mack, parts	46.32	
M & M Equipment, parts	163.94	
Meriden Garage, Inspection	22.00	
Oxygen & Welding, supplies	30.50	
R & D Transportation, wrecker service	140.00	
L. L. Reed, parts	31.35	
Rices Tire Center, tires	718.70	
Sanel's, parts	37.85	
Valcom, C-B's	360.00	
West Lebanon Supply, parts	18.38	
Wilson Tire Co., tires	1,726.55	
	<u>\$8,861.65</u>	\$8,861.65
GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT		
Ad-Visor, advertising	14.10	
B & B Chain, chains	125.00	
Barney Bass & Co., supplies	6.40	
Berwick & Sons, sand drums	60.00	
Connecticut Valley Reporter, advertising	28.80	
Curtis Noll, supplies	354.13	
Neil Daniels, Covered Bridge roof	8,296.29	
Decato's, broom repair	14.00	
D & S Electric, Covered Bridge lights	339.89	
Larry Dore, tool box	141.13	
Eagle Publications, advertising	10.50	
Greydon Freeman, supplies	7.70	
Hathorn's, supplies	3.00	
Holmes Transportation, freight	11.95	
Interstate Uniforms, uniforms	1,662.57	
Joe's Equipment, supplies	380.40	
Johnson & Dix, oil	827.74	
Johnson's Home Center, supplies	10.44	
Kibby Equipment, supplies	88.51	
K. Ross Building, supplies	66.66	
John H. McNamara, Jr., hay	55.00	
Meriden Garage, state inspection	20.65	
Meriden Telephone Co., service	533.02	

N.H. Electric Cooperative, service	835.84	
N.H. Explosives, supplies	83.25	
James Neil, Covered Bridge repairs	350.00	
Noble Beslile Machinery, supplies	9.00	
Oxygen & Welding, supplies	81.43	
Plainfield General Store, supplies	2.09	
L. L. Reed, moving machine parts	105.40	
Sanels, tools	233.24	
Suburban Natural Gas, supplies	15.53	
S. C. Shepard, parts for steamer	10.00	
Shepard Corp., supplies	8.69	
Treasurer State of N.H., Covered Bridge work & dynamite perm.	4,152.14	
Upper Valley Feed, seed	4.00	
Upper Valley Locksmith, garage lock	8.00	
Valcom, Inc., security	1,830.00	
Valley News, advertising	28.71	
West Lebanon Supply, chloride	72.38	
Zep Manufacturing, grease	397.75	
	<u>\$21,253.95</u>	\$21,253.95
FUEL & OIL		
Johnson & Dix	5,402.12	
Lubrication Engineers	423.30	
Plainfield General Store	41.32	
Sanborn Oil	116.05	
Texaco	5,764.59	
	<u>\$11,747.38</u>	\$11,747.38
STREET LIGHTS		
Connecticut Valley Electric	1,338.43	
Granite State Electric	1,600.33	
	<u>\$2,938.76</u>	\$2,938.76
LIBRARIES		
Claremont National Bank, withholding	258.51	
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	201.47	
Meriden Library, appropriation	3,000.00	
Philip Read Library, appropriation	2,957.71	
Peggy Williamson, librarian	1,544.07	
Barbara Outridge, librarian	539.30	
Linda Willard, librarian	98.85	
Nancy Norwalk, librarian	889.46	
Brenda Garrand, librarian	46.31	
Doris Plummer, librarian	6.48	
	<u>\$9,542.16</u>	\$9,542.16
RECREATION		
White River Paper Co., supplies	70.47	
Claremont National Bank, withholding	80.25	
Powers, supplies	52.15	
Johnson's Home Center, supplies	29.67	
Plainfield General Store, gas	197.86	
Singing Hills, use of facilities	31.50	
Tom's Toggery, supplies	483.25	
State of N.H., social security	61.07	
Sunapee Belle, coaches remuneration	135.00	
Dewey Peck, insurance	127.00	
Meriden Garage, gas	5.00	
Plainfield Arco, gas	30.25	

Norman Torrey, bus driver	67.60	
Otis Jordan, bus driver	35.25	
Harvey Foods, supplies	10.65	
David McBride, recreation director	484.10	
Alice Jordan, recreation director	428.36	
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	\$2,329.43	\$2,329.43
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE	\$1,077.84	\$1,077.84
TOWN POOR	\$5,951.95	\$5,951.95
MEMORIAL DAY		
E. G. Washburne, flags and marker	\$99.21	\$99.21
CEMETERIES		
Bale-Busters 4-H Club, fertilizer	209.00	
Claremont National Bank, withholding	214.49	
F. C. Hammond & Sons, lumber	13.50	
Johnson's Home Center	83.99	
Meriden Garage	5.50	
Reynold's & Sons Inc., parts for mower	15.51	
Treasurer, State of N.H., social security	246.76	
Trustees of Trust Funds, sale of lots	180.00	
Ernest Barrett, laborer	458.91	
Arthur Creighton, laborer	700.73	
Eugene Fadden, laborer	135.53	
Roy Goodwin, laborer	861.08	
George Kibbie, laborer	1,234.40	
Maxwell Plummer, laborer	119.86	
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	\$4,479.26	\$4,479.26
RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY		
Treasurer, State of N.H.; Social Security	4,723.82	
Treasurer, State of N.H.; Retirement	2,483.42	
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	\$7,207.24	\$7,207.24
DAMAGES & LEGAL EXPENSES		
Att'y Jon Auten, service	354.00	
Buckley & Zopf, service	687.50	
Claremont National Bank, withholding	12.02	
Dow Manufacturing, supplies	30.50	
Hall, Morse, Gallagher etc., service	1,334.00	
Leahy & Denault, service	3,448.37	
Don MacLeay, service	46.00	
David McBride, exp. & salary, dog officer	196.17	
Robert Orr, dog board	80.00	
Atty. Michael Slive, service	450.00	
Treasurer, State of N.H., Social Security	1.43	
Upper Valley Humane Society, animal shelter	275.00	
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags	51.99	
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	\$6,966.98	\$6,966.98
ADVERTISING & REGIONAL ASSOCIATION		
Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Regional Association	\$75.00	\$75.00
TAXES BOUGHT BY THE TOWN		
Dorothy T. McNamara, Tax Collector	\$48,218.32	\$48,218.32
DISCOUNTS, ABATEMENTS & REFUNDS		
Yield Tax deposits	4,208.85	
Property Taxes overpaid	18,372.72	
Motor Vehicle Permit, refund	60.50	
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	\$22,642.07	\$22,642.07

INTEREST		
Claremont National Bank	\$11,113.60	\$11,113.60
AIRPORT		
Lebanon Regional Airport	\$650.00	\$650.00
CONSERVATION	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
REPAYMENT OF DEBT		
Claremont National Bank, notes	28,500.00	
Claremont National Bank, temporary loans	525,000.00	
	<u>\$553,500.00</u>	\$553,500.00
REVENUE SHARING		
Treasurer, Town of Plainfield, transfer of funds	\$17,253.00	\$17,253.00
NEW EQUIPMENT PURCHASE		
Decato Motor Sales, truck	19,895.00	
M & M Equipment, Inc., truck body	3,453.00	
	<u>\$23,348.00</u>	\$23,348.00
TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS		
Re-appraisal	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00
PAYMENTS TO COUNTY & STATE		
State of N.H. Bond & Debt tax	357.83	
Sullivan County tax	44,124.81	
	<u>\$44,482.64</u>	\$44,482.64
PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT		
Fred Sweet, district treasurer	\$484,490.49	\$484,490.49
Total expenditures for all purposes		<u>\$1,491,164.25</u>
Cash on hand, December 31, 1977		<u>80,907.39</u>
GRAND TOTAL		<u><u>\$1,572,011.64</u></u>

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures

Fiscal Year ending December 31, 1977

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Total Available</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance Unexpended</i>	<i>Overdraft</i>
Town Officers Salaries	\$ 11,000	\$ 704.00	\$ 11,704.00	\$ 10,066.74	\$ 1,637.26	
Town Officers Expenses	9,000	30.74	9,030.74	9,880.61		\$ 849.87
Election & Registration	600		600.00	724.11		124.11
Town Building Expense	2,500	20.00	2,520.00	2,381.36	138.64	
Retirement & S.S.	7,500		7,500.00	7,207.24	292.76	
Re-appraisal	1,500		1,500.00	1,126.15	373.85	
Police	20,500	31.12	20,531.12	20,082.46	448.66	
Fire Departments	9,700	228.10	9,928.10	11,302.99		1,374.89
Care of Trees	355		355.00	355.00		
Insurance	18,000		18,000.00	19,527.28		1,527.28
Planning & Zoning	2,700	303.00	3,003.00	3,861.34		858.34
Damages & Legal Exp.	6,500	177.51	6,677.51	6,966.98		289.47
Health	4,000		4,000.00	3,743.42	256.58	
Vital Statistics	50		50.00		50.00	
Rubbish Removal	25,000		25,000.00	25,033.65		33.65
Town Maintenance	89,300	7,499.55	96,799.55	85,889.92	10,909.63	
Street Lights	2,800		2,800.00	2,938.76		138.76
General Expense	15,500	8,296.27	23,796.27	21,253.95	2,542.32	
TRA (Town Share)	1,260		1,260.00	1,254.68	5.32	
Truck & Plow	9,000	2,800.00	11,800.00	8,861.65	2,938.35	
Grader & Loader	3,500		3,500.00	4,645.61		1,145.61
Fuel & Oil	11,500		11,500.00	11,747.38		247.38
Libraries	9,395	147.16	9,542.16	9,542.16		
Welfare	9,000		9,000.00	5,951.95	3,048.05	
Old Age Assistance	1,000		1,000.00	1,077.84		77.84
Memorial Day	75		75.00	99.21		24.21
Recreation	2,000	100.18	2,100.18	2,329.43		229.25
Conservation	1,000		1,000.00	1,000.00		
Airport	650		650.00	650.00		
Region Assoc.	75		75.00	75.00		
Prin. Long Term Notes	28,500		28,500.00	28,500.00		
Int. on Term Notes	2,671		2,671.00	1,926.10	744.90	
Int. on Temp. Notes	10,000		10,000.00	9,187.50	812.50	
Cap. Res. for Re-App.	2,500		2,500.00	2,000.00	500.00	
Cemeteries	4,100	1,904.78	6,004.78	4,479.26	1,525.52	
TOTAL	\$322,731	\$22,242.41	\$344,973.41	\$325,669.73	\$26,224.34	\$6,920.66
					\$19,303.68	
						Net Unexpended Balance of Appropriations

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS 1977

NAME OF FUND & PURPOSE	PRINCIPAL	ADD/SUBTRACT	PRINCIPAL	BALANCE	INCOME	EXPENSE	BALANCE
	December 31, 1976		December 31 1977	December 31, 1976	1977	1977	December 31, 1977
Daniels Cemetery	\$ 2000.00		\$ 2000.00	\$ 496.87	\$ 195.42	\$ 142.00	\$ 550.29
East Plainfield Cemetery	950.00		950.00	160.85	100.43	100.00	161.28
Freeman Cemetery	700.00		700.00	179.21	64.70	100.00	143.91
Gilkey Cemetery	100.00		100.00	13.40	9.46	8.00	14.86
Gleason Cemetery	4257.63		4257.63	606.46	431.87	490.00	548.33
Methodist Hill cemetery	100.00		100.00	32.25	14.19	15.00	31.44
Mill Cemetery	3450.00		3450.00	614.21	326.43	300.00	640.64
Moulton Yard	1788.60	\$ 100.00*	1888.60	328.91	192.59	160.00	361.50
Penniman Lot	300.00		300.00	77.54	19.37	20.00	76.91
Westgate-Peterson	250.00		250.00	53.73	35.47	30.00	59.20
River Cemetery	300.00		300.00	47.24	26.48	25.00	48.72
Ward General Cemetery Fund	1000.00		1000.00	291.13	127.90	120.50	298.53
Raynsford Cemetery	400.00		400.00	82.27	52.03	43.00	91.30
General Cemetery Fund	2865.00	180.00	3045.00	282.62	241.16	145.00	378.78
Plainfield Cemetery	11650.00	1836.00	13486.00	2454.73	1264.76	1200.00	2519.49
Town Libraries	3985.00	10098.00	14083.00	0	1024.54	1024.53	.01
Ward Christmas Fund	1000.00		1000.00	130.49	141.90	130.44	141.95
Earle Mower Fund	300.00		300.00	0	17.30	17.30	0
Ward Worthy Poor	1500.00		1500.00	383.02	147.81	200.00	330.83
Elijah Burnap Fund	2750.80		2750.80	682.62	268.97	400.00	551.59
Duncan Piano Fund	300.00		300.00	112.37	22.64	40.00	95.01
Vernon Hood Fund	100.00		100.00	29.68	7.09	00	36.77
	41047.03	12214.00	53261.03	7145.60	4818.26	4796.12	7167.74
CAPITAL RESERVES							
Re Appraisal	2000.00	2000.00	4000.00	0	99.52	0	99.52
School Bus	2017.00	0	2017.00	1491.76	191.81	0	1683.57
Highway Equipment	0	0	0	13.74	0	0	13.74
Conservation	5287.09	800.00	6087.09	845.53	332.04	0	1177.57
Bicentennial Fund	660.47	- 85.41	575.06	6.47	40.62	47.09	0
Total of all Trust Funds	\$ 9964.56	\$ 2714.59	\$ 12679.15	\$ 2357.50	\$ 663.99	\$ 47.09	\$ 2974.40

*New Fund. Created 1977; Carl O. DuBois Fund; Edna DuBois, Donor; Amount of Fund \$100.00; Purpose—Care of the family lot and general care of Moulton Yard Cemetery.

Report of the Plainfield Conservation Commission

One of our major concerns is to try to preserve some areas of the Town in their natural state. To this end, the Commission has been studying conservation agreements with the aid of the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests. The Commission has discussed conservation agreements with several landowners and will gladly furnish information about them upon request.

The Commission assisted conservation education in several ways. Two town students Janice Chapman and Mark Wilder were awarded scholarships to the Youth Conservation Camp. One of our members taught conservation in the school and we now have a bulletin board in the hall devoted entirely to Conservation items. A Conservation Newsletter will appear in the near future.

The Commission sponsored its first Annual Clean-Up Day. It was a successful start of an event we hope to continue to assist in keeping our Town clean and attractive to our residents and visitors.

The Commission members, after hiking over the area, have outlined and marked the Town Conservation Land on Columbus-Jordan Road. A map and a registration book are now set up at the entrance for the convenience of anyone who wishes to hike through the area. The Commission is most interested in hearing from Town residents on any suggestions they might have on how to make best use of this land.

We held a joint meeting with the Cornish Conservation Commission as our guests. It was a most worthwhile meeting as we discussed mutual challenges and how we might work cooperatively in some of these areas. We will be guests at one of their meetings this year.

The Commission is planning to replace the tree that was cut down in front of the Plainfield Library. This will be handled in the spring.

The Commission assisted a landowner in interpreting and getting the answers about building codes and health regulations in regard to his property lines.

We continue to review dredge and fill applications and make recommendations when necessary.

The chairman served as a panel member for a Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association meeting held in Cornish.

Our town map is available from the Town Office and from Commission members.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM FRANKLIN III, Secretary

JAMES LONGACRE

EDWARD MCGEE

ROBERT F. SODEMANN, Chairman

BARBARA SOPER

LOCKWOOD SPRAGUE

JAY D. WALDNER, JR.

Financial Report of the Plainfield Conservation Commission

Balance, January 10, 1977	\$ 67.58
Portion of allowance from Town	200.00
Interest on N.O.W. account	3.17
Total	<hr/> \$270.75

Payments:

Society for Protection of N.H. Forests for fees to Youth Conservation Camp (2 campers)	\$150.00
Lockwood Sprague — Clean-Up Day expenses	10.92
College Supplies — Hand Stamp	5.00
N.H. Association of Conservation Commissions 1978 dues	40.00
Emerson Gardens — Flowers	12.00
Postage, Telephone, stationery	10.82
Total	\$228.74
Balance, January 12, 1978	\$ 42.01

Report of Recreation Committee

The summer recreation program enrolled over 100 children ranging in age from 7 to 15 years old. They were able to take advantage of both indoor sports and crafts, and outdoor games and nature hikes. We also had people from the community join us to give special demonstrations. We would like to enlarge this field of activity, as it enables the youngsters to learn from older residents who have special skills and talents. Dave McBride and Alice Jordan did an outstanding job of organizing and implementing a large recreation program with limited resources.

The summer baseball program enrolled enough boys and girls to form four little league teams, one midget, and one Babe Ruth. There were enough teams to give variety to intramural games and regular games with Cornish. We combined first timers with more experienced players on every team, so that they may learn from each other; give everyone a chance to play and win; and provide a fair, competitive atmosphere. We would like to extend a special thanks to all our coaches and assistants for the terrific job they did this year. These people give up several evenings each week to teach, yell at, support, laugh and cry with the community's children. As a small token of our appreciation we treated them to a dinner on the Sunapee Belle.

It is our belief that by spending some time and money with our children through recreation programs, we are giving them a healthy outlet for their overbounding energies. They learn to make craft treasure from trash; to cooperate with each other in team sports; and to appreciate the designs, colors and textures of nature.

Respectfully submitted,

SHERRY KELLEY
LEE WALKER
SELDON LORD
ANNAMAY CHAPMAN
RICHARD READ

Report of the Philip Read Memorial Library Trustees

Special thanks to the Friends of the Library who have begun meeting regularly on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. The Friends purchased posters and bulletin boards and donated two books in memory of Mrs. Barbara Sweet. The Friends also had a very successful table and raffle at the Christmas Bazaar.

Story time for pre-schoolers was held regularly through the year, but due to lack of participation will not be continued. However, a very successful nature program for children was held during the summer. This included a bird walk, tree identification, and utilization of nature kits borrowed from the Montshire Museum.

The Library was used as a meeting place by many groups this year, including the 4-H which meets on the 1st Saturday of each month. Quilting classes were held in the spring, and last winter crochet lessons were given by Nancy Norwalk and Ruth Wheeler who donated their fee to the library.

Jigsaw puzzles are now available for loan, and delivery of books to shut-ins is offered. Call the library for more information.

Some urgently needed bookcases were built this year and hopefully the narrow shelves in the front room will be replaced by spring of '78.

The trustees are grateful to all who donated books and material for the historical room this year.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH WHEELER
RUTH STALKER
HAZEL AMIDON

Philip Read Memorial Library Financial Report

1977 Fiscal Year

Balance — 1976		\$ 108.97
	Checking	
	Petty Cash	10.00
Income:		
Town Appropriation — 1977	\$3942.29	
Trust Funds	379.90	
Fines Collected	51.15	
Bank Interest	47.92	
Donations	5.00	
Gifts (In Memoriam—Barbara Sweet)	15.00	
(Friends of Library)		
Trustees Sales	167.45	
Crocheting Course	28.78	
Total Receipts	<u>\$4637.49</u>	<u>\$4637.49</u>
Total Finances — 1977		\$4756.46
Expenditures:		
Books	1901.38	
Supplies	217.35	
Oil	370.42	
Water	65.00	
Telephone	147.00	
Electricity	188.17	
Salaries	942.25	
Withholding—Social Security	100.04	
Miscellaneous	68.64	
Total	<u>\$4000.25</u>	<u>\$4000.25</u>
Balance — December 31, 1977		\$ 756.21
Proof:		
Balance in checking — 1977 — 12/31/77		746.21
Petty Cash		<u>10.00</u>
		\$ 756.21

Report of the Meriden Library Trustees

There has been a wealth of activity this year at the library. In the year ending December 1976, circulation figures almost matched the number of volumes in the library. Approximately 6,500 books went out this year. The bookmobile came four times. We exchanged selected books several times with the Plainfield library. Many patrons are taking advantage of the inter-library loan system through the State library. Over 100 books were requested through this system.

Programs for the children of Meriden and Plainfield were successful this year. There were ten story hours conducted from April to December: six for pre-schoolers, and four for school-aged children. There were ten film programs after school and the nine kindergarten film sessions.

National Library Week in April saw the following events: Buster Keaton and Charlie Chaplin films for the whole family, sponsored by the Friends of the Library; Open House featuring a display of drawings and paintings by Aidron Duckworth and weaving by Sandra Duckworth; childrens films; and two birthday parties for Peter Rabbit who turned 75 this year.

Children's Book Week in November was highlighted by a poster contest for which prizes were awarded.

The Friends of the Library enjoyed a revival this year through the dedicated efforts of the officers, Katy Feichtinger, Hazel Chellis and Judy Salisbury, plus the never-ending spirit and work of Sally Townsend. The Corn Roast in August was grand success and the first meeting this fall was well attended.

The Display case held many interesting exhibits this year including old KUA and Meriden Photos, Doug Beaupre's Baseball cards, Hats from the Bryant Estate by Bobbie Ellison and Donna Beaupre, Shells from the Feichtinger's trip to the West Indies, Projects made by the 4-H Dandee Kandies, a Bird Club exhibit, Avon Bottles by Marcia Swett, old postcards and greeting cards belonging to Kay Jones and Sue Timmon's Santa Claus collection.

We obtained the excellent services of Barbara Outridge as assistant librarian in May.

This year saw the retirement of John F. McNamara as Treasurer of the Meriden Library Association. His 40 years of service and devotion to the welfare of the library will always be admired and greatly appreciated. We all express our sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,
SUE McGEE
DORIS LeVARN
SUSAN CARVER
Trustees

Meriden Library Trustees Proposed 1978 Budget

EXPENSES:

Librarians' Salaries	\$3,302
Custodians' Salaries	190
Book Purchases	1,400
Telephone	200
Electricity	285
Oil	500
Water/Maintenance	235
Supplies/Postage	200
Professional Activities	150
TOTAL	\$6,462

RECEIPTS:

Town Appropriation		\$5,747
Trust Funds		140
Gifts		400
Book Fines		75
Book Sale		<u>100</u>
TOTAL		\$6,462

Meriden Library Financial Report

Balance on hand, January 1, 1977

Checking account	\$ 684.60	
Memorial savings account	<u>168.92</u>	
		\$ 853.52

Receipts

Town Funds	5,542.16	
Book fines	76.40	
Gifts	425.78	
Trust funds	119.24	
Book Sale	104.15	
Bazaar	12.45	
N.H. Council for the Humanities	370.00	
Savings account interest	9.22	
Refunds	<u>16.14</u>	
		6,675.54

Expenditures

Librarians' salaries	2,542.16	
Custodians' salaries	156.60	
Book Purchases	1,792.69	
N.H. Council for the Humanities	370.00	
Telephone	216.50	
Electricity	228.34	
Oil	479.45	
Water/maintenance	170.84	
Supplies/postage	262.01	
Professional activities	159.00	
Return of Town funds	147.16	
Bank Service charge	<u>3.00</u>	
		<u>6,527.75</u>

Balance**\$1,001.31****Reconciliation — December 31, 1977**

Checking account	\$ 822.06
Memorial savings account	178.14
Petty cash	<u>1.11</u>
	\$1,001.31

Report of Nursing Services

The City of Lebanon Public Health Nursing Service provided the Town of Plainfield with 292 nursing visits and 69 physical therapy visits to 136 individuals.

Again on age breakdown of visits we find that people over 65 benefited most from this service. This breakdown is as follows:

	Nursing Visits	Physical Therapy Visits
0 to 28 days	13	0
1 mos. - 1 year	7	0
1 - 5 years	1	0
6 to 20 years	1	0
21 - 44 years	32	0
45 - 65 years	8	0
65 years & older	<u>230</u>	<u>69</u>
Total	292	69

Of the nursing visits, 227 were for skilled nursing care and 65 for health promotion which includes such things as new baby supervisory calls.

COST OF SERVICE

The contract for this year has been written on a cost per visit charge rather than on a set number of hours per week. We pay Lebanon their cost for each visit to us. We are credited with the payments they receive on behalf of our patients from insurance companies, medicare, medicaid and direct patient fees. In cases not covered by the above, the Town of Plainfield underwrites the cost of the visit.

Balance on hand, December 31, 1976	994.75
Allotment from the town, March 1977	2,000.00
Interest, Mascoma Savings Bank	<u>61.50</u>
	\$3,056.25

<i>Billed from City of Lebanon</i>	<i>Total Charges</i>	<i>Less Revenue Received</i>	<i>Total Paid to Lebanon</i>
January 5, 1977	1,038.38	381.80	656.58
April 11, 1977	949.76	372.03	577.73
Sept. 20, 1977	646.40	210.20	436.20
Oct. 26, 1977	<u>785.04</u>	<u>362.20</u>	<u>422.84</u>
	\$3,419.58	\$1,326.23	\$2,093.35
Balance on hand, December 31, 1977	\$962.90		
Due City of Lebanon	\$937.32		

Plainfield Free Bed Fund

Balance brought forward 7-1-76	\$ 623.05
Allotment 76-77	<u>574.67</u>
	1,197.72
Reinstatement	<u>240.00</u>
Available for fiscal year	1,437.72
Services rendered	<u>424.00</u>
Unused balance as of 6-30-77	\$1,013.72

Warrant

State of New Hampshire

Sullivan, SS

Town of Plainfield

To the inhabitants of the Town of Plainfield in the County of Sullivan in said State, who are legal voters residing in the Plainfield Village Water District, qualified to vote in said District's affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Plainfield Village on Tuesday the Fourteenth day of March 1978 at 7:30 p.m. to act upon the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To choose necessary District officers for the ensuing year or otherwise as the law directs:

1. a moderator for one year
2. a clerk for one year
3. a treasurer for one year
4. a commissioner for three years
5. other officers and agents the voters judge necessary for managing District affairs, or as directed by law to be chosen.

ARTICLE 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray District costs for 1978, and any assignments to debt service and/or capital reserves.

ARTICLE 3. To fix District officers' salaries to be paid for the ensuing year, and to establish expenditures in 1978, by and for the District, to be paid by the Treasurer upon authorizations by the Commissioners.

ARTICLE 4. To see what action the District will take with regard to reports of the District Officers.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the District will authorize the transfer of \$1,500. from current operating income to the Capital Reserve account.

ARTICLE 6. To enact any other District business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and official seal this twenty second day of January in the year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-eight.

A true copy attest:

ELANE WHEELER
Clerk

PAUL ROEBER
WAYNE WHEELER
GEORGE ADAMS
Commissioners

Plainfield Village Water District 1977 Annual Report of Commissioners

During the past year the District engineers completed study for a 100,000 gallon reservoir. The District has prepared option agreements with the land owner. Arrangements for funding the construction of the reservoir and pipeline are in process. The total cost of the project is expected to be in the \$150,000 range. Application for grants are being made to several Government agencies and it is hoped the construction could start in 1980.

The benefits of construction of this reservoir are numerous. One being a 20% reduction of fire insurance to residential subscribers. Another is a one week reserve supply of a gravity water system.

The location of the reservoir was chosen with future expansion in mind. Service to the Mill Village area and the Stage Road area would be possible.

A new item that appears in this year's budget is the testing of water samples, which in the past was done by the state free of charge.

The construction of the infiltration galley and the conservative use of water by our subscribers has allowed us to get through this year with no water outages, which proves that conservation works for the benefit of all. As Commissioners, we wish to thank you all for your efforts.

P.V.W.D. Commissioners
PAUL C. ROEBER
WAYNE WHEELER
GEORGE ADAMS

Clerk's Report

At the twelfth annual meeting of the Plainfield Village Water District held in the Plainfield Town Hall, located in said Plainfield Village Water District on the fifteenth day of March 1977 at 7:30 p.m., the articles in the Plainfield Village Water District Warrant were disposed of in the following manner:

The meeting was called to order by Wallace Pickering in the absence of William A. Smith, Moderator of said district and read the articles of the Warrant.

The Moderator pro-tem proposed that Article I be passed over until completion of Article VI. Motion was made by Gertrude R. West, seconded by Beulah Pickering and it was so voted.

Article 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray District costs for 1977 and any assignments to debt service and/or capital reserves.

Joan A. Roeber offered the following resolution and moved its adoption: That the Commissioners of the Plainfield Village Water District be directed to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray District costs for 1977, and any assignments to debt service and or capital reserves. Motion was seconded by Hazel Amidon and it was passed in the affirmative.

Article 3. To fix District officers salaries to be paid for the ensuing years and to establish expenditures for 1977, by and for the District, to be paid by the Treasurer upon authorization by the Commissioners. Paul Roeber offered the following resolution and moved the adoption of the proposed budget for 1977 as printed on Page 76 of the Plainfield Town Report for 1976 with the following exceptions: 1 - Operating Expenses, Maint. wages \$600; 2 - Operating Expenses, Main. Suppl., etc. \$600; 3 - Operating Expenses, Clerical wages, \$350; 4 - Operating Expenses Totals, \$3,587. 5 - Net operating gains \$66, 763.; 6 - Other disbursements, Capital Expend., Auxiliary pump system, \$500; 7 - Other Disbursement Totals - \$5,963; 8 - Net other (decrease) (\$5,663.) 9 - Cash Increase, \$1,100. All payments to be made by Treasurer upon authorizations by the Commissioners. The motion was seconded by Wayne Wheeler and passed in the affirmative.

Article 4. To see what action the District will take with regard to reports of the District officers. George Adams offered the following resolution and moved its adoption: That the District accept the reports of the District officers as printed in the Plainfield Town Report for 1976. The motion was seconded by Hazel Amidon and the motion passed in the affirmative.

Article 5. To see if the District will authorize the Commissioners to utilize an amount, not to exceed four thousand dollars, from the Capital Reserve a/c, for all or part thereof of an engineering investigation and study of the feasibility of constructing distribution storage together with long-range development of the water supply and distribution system, compiled in an engineering report, and including periodic engineering consultations with the Board of Commissioners.

Article 6. To see if the District will authorize the transfer of \$1,500 from current operating funds to the Capital Reserve as subsequent to July 31, 1976. Wayne Wheeler offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. That the District authorize the transfer of \$1,500 from the current operating income to the Capital Reserve account.

Paul C. Roeber offered the following resolution and moved for its adoption: That the District authorize the Commissioners to utilize an amount, not to exceed four thousand dollars, from the Capital Reserve a/c, for all or part thereof, of an engineering investigation and study of the feasibility of constructing distribution storage together with the long-range development of the water supply and distribution system, compiled in an engineering report, and including periodic engineering consultations with the Board of Commissioners. The resolution was seconded by Paul Amidon and the motion passed in the affirmative. A motion was made and seconded that we return to Article 1; the vote was in the affirmative.

Article 1. To choose necessary District officers for the ensuing year or otherwise as the law directs:

1. a Moderator for one year
2. a clerk for one year
3. a treasurer for one year
4. a commissioner for three years
5. other officers and agents the voters judge necessary for managing District affairs, or as directed by law to be chosen.

Moderator for one year: Motion was made by Gertrude R. West and seconded by Beulah Pickering that the clerk cast one ballot for William A. Smith for moderator. The ballot was cast and said clerk declared William A. Smith elected.

Clerk for one year: Motion was made by Hazel Amidon that the clerk cast one vote for Gertrude R. West for clerk. The ballot was cast and said clerk declared Gertrude R. West elected.

Treasurer for one year: Motion was made by Paul Roeber and seconded by Paul Amidon that the clerk cast one ballot for Elaine Wheeler for treasurer. Gertrude West, clerk, cast one ballot and Elaine Wheeler was declared elected. Commissioner for three years: Motion was made by Paul Amidon and seconded by Hazel Amidon that the clerk cast one ballot for George Adams, for Commissioner for three years. Gertrude West, clerk, cast one ballot and declared him so elected.

Other officers and agents the voters judge necessary for managing District affairs or as directed by law to be chosen. Paul Amidon offered the following resolution and moved its adoption. That the Commissioners be authorized to request and to pay for the services of the Auditors of the Town of Plainfield, N.H. or of a professional firm, for necessary audits, and further that the Commissioners be authorized to hire, to direct the activities of, to establish rates of pay of, to approve payments of earned wages to, and to discharge or replace, when necessary, such personnel, other than officers in their official functions, as the Commissioners may deem necessary. The motion was seconded by Paul Roeber and passed in the affirmative.

Article 7. To enact any other District business that may legally come before the meeting.

Wallace Pickering proposed a vote of thanks to Paul Amidon for his devotion of duty to the Plainfield Village Water District.

It was discussed that Vera and Donald MacLeay, who have been donating services of their duplicating machine, be reimbursed for said services. Paul Amidon offered to speak to the MacLeay's regarding such reimbursement, and authorization for such payment be given to Clerk, by submitting such bill to Treasurer.

There being no other business, the meeting was voted closed.

GERTRUDE R. WEST
Clerk

Plainfield Village Water District Comparative Budgets & 1977 Actuals

	<i>1977 Budget</i>	<i>1977 Actual</i>	<i>1978 Budget</i>
OPERATING INCOMES			
Water Rents	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 9,300.99	\$ 9,000.00
Water Rent Interests	100.00	117.56	100.00
Hydrant Services	1,250.00	1,250.00	1,250.00
New Installations	0	0	0
Operating Income Totals	10,350.00	10,668.55	10,350.00
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Officers Salaries	315.00	5.00	315.00
Officers Expenses	50.00	15.89	50.00
Maintenance Wages	600.00	440.25	450.00
Maintenance Supplies and Services	600.00	995.16	950.00
Clerical Wages	350.00	301.25	300.00
Clerical Expenses	107.00	46.68	50.00
Electrical Power	880.00	960.27	1,000.00
Telephone Alarm System	160.00	280.43	300.00
Legal & Auditing Services	50.00	55.00	100.00
Water Sample Testing	0	0	120.00
Misc.	0	295.76	200.00
Operating Expenses Totals	3,587.00	3,718.69	4,160.00
NET OPERATING GAINS OR (LOSSES)	6,763.00	6,949.86	6,190.00
OTHER INCOMES			
Interest, Savings	100.00	36.58	100.00
Interest, Reserve	200.00	255.59	200.00
Other Income Totals	300.00	292.17	300.00
OTHER DISBURSEMENTS			
F.H.A. Loans, to principal	2,463.00	4,925.27	2,463.00
F.H.A. Loans, to interest	1,500.00	2,274.73	1,500.00
Eng. Study A/C	0	3,032.00	0
Transfer to Reserve	1,500.00	0	0
Other Disbursements Total	5,463.00	10,232.00	3,963.00
NET OTHER INCR. OR (DECREASE)	(5,163.00)	(9,939.83)	(3,663.00)
CASH INCREASE OR (DECREASE)	1,600.00	(2,989.83)	2,527.00
BAD DEBTS LOSSES	165.00	14.72	0

Plainfield Village Water District Comparative Balance Statement

	12-31-76	1977 Change	12-31-77
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash, Petty	\$ 25.00	\$ -25.00	\$ 0
Cash, Checking A/C	65.91	-1,073.00	-1,138.91
Cash, Savings A/C	799.11	1,236.58	2,035.69
Capital Reserve, Savings	5,122.82	278.43	5,401.25
Accounts Receivable	976.85	642.50	334.35
Total Current Assets	6,989.69		6,632.38

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable			
Note; F.H.A. 50,000	41,144.39	5,878.00	35,266.39
F.H.A. 10,000	<u>8,597.19</u>	<u>1,322.00</u>	<u>7,275.19</u>
Total Liabilities	49,741.58	7,200.00	42,541.58
DISTRICT PROPERTY	<u>173,448.20</u>	<u>553.24</u>	<u>174,001.44</u>
UNDEPRECIATED WORTH	<u><u>\$130,696.31</u></u>	<u><u> </u></u>	<u><u>\$138,092.24</u></u>

Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Sullivan, SS

Town of Plainfield

To the inhabitants of the Town of Plainfield in the County of Sullivan in said State, who are legal voters residing in the Meriden Village Water District, and qualified to vote in said District's affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Plainfield School in said Meriden Village Water District on Tuesday the twenty-first of March next at 7:30 p.m. to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. To choose necessary District officers for the ensuing year or otherwise as the by-laws direct.

1. A moderator for one year.
2. A clerk for one year.
3. A commissioner for three years.
4. A treasurer for one year.
5. Such other officers and agents as the voters may judge necessary for the managing of the District's affairs, or as may be directed by law to be chosen.

ARTICLE 2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray District charges for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 3. To see what action the District will take with regard to the reports of the District officers.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the District will vote to authorize the commissioners to borrow funds in anticipation of income.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the District will vote to authorize the commissioners to increase the water rents.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Meriden Village Water District will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$20,000, for the purpose of preparing plans and specifications on sewerage and sewage treatment facilities which are requirements contained in the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. §1251 et seq.) and will qualify the Meriden Village Water District for Federal funds, such sum to be raised by the issuance of Serial Bonds or Notes not to exceed \$20,000 under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (N.H. R.S.A. 33.1 et seq., as amended) and to authorize the Commissioners 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 Meriden Village Water District and to allow the Commissioners to expend such monies as become available from the Federal Government under the Financial Assistance Program of the Construction Grants section of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. §1251 et seq.) and pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE 7. To enact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 25th day of January in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-eight.

A True Copy Attest:

DONALD E. GARFIELD
JEFFREY ALLBRIGHT
JOHN H. McNAMARA
Commissioners,
Meriden Village Water District

Minutes of 1977 Annual Meeting Meriden Village Water District

The Meriden Village Water District met at the Plainfield School in Meriden on Tuesday, March 15th, 1977, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Stephen H. Taylor, who then read the warrant articles that were then voted upon.

Article 1. The following officers are nominated for 1977:

1. Moderator for one year — Stephen H. Taylor
2. Clerk for one year — Doris LeVarn
3. Commissioner for three years — John H. McNamara
4. Treasurer for one year — Herman Rogers

The entire slate was elected, unanimously.

Article 2. Resolved that the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,570 to defray district charges for the 1977 fiscal year. It was voted in the affirmative and so declared.

Article 3. Resolved that the district accept the reports of district officers as printed in the 1976 town report, subject to corrections, and that a corrected copy be placed on file with the district clerk. It was voted in the affirmative and so declared.

Article 4. Resolved that the commissioners be authorized and instructed to borrow money in anticipation of income. It was voted in the affirmative and so declared.

Article 5. Resolved that the commissioners be authorized and instructed until directed to the contrary at a subsequent Water District meeting, to apply, negotiate and do all other things necessary to obtain such Federal, State, or other assistance as may be available for the report for, design of, and construction of a sewage disposal system, and to authorize the commissioners to borrow money in anticipation of said assistance as outlined in N.H. R.S.A. 33:7-b et seq., as amended, and pass any vote relating thereto. It was voted in the affirmative and so declared.

The meeting was adjourned.

A True Copy Attest:

Respectfully submitted,
DORIS A. LeVARN
Clerk

Report of Commissioners Meriden Village Water District

The Meriden Village Water District provided good service to its customers this past year, particularly since the major leaks which plagued us last winter have been repaired. There is still at least one suspected minor leak on a customer line. Since August, when most leaks had been repaired, daily water usage fluctuated between 30,000 to 58,000 gallons per day, with an

average usage of about 45,000 gallons per day. Maintenance costs were higher than expected this year due to the repair of leaks and the repair of one pump. Hopefully, the maintenance will be lower next year, but with the extent of old lines in our system, costs may continue to be high.

The sewer system engineering study has recently been completed and approved by the State of New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission and the Federal Environmental Protection Agency. Dufresne-Henry Engineering Corporation performed the study which is the first phase of a proposed three-step project. A request for approval to begin the detailed design phase will be voted on at the annual meeting in March.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD E. GARFIELD

JEFFREY ALLBRIGHT

JOHN H. McNAMARA

Commissioners

Meriden Village Water District

Meriden Village Water District Comparative Balance Statement

	<u>Balance</u> <u>12-31-76</u>	<u>Change</u> <u>1977</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>12-31-77</u>
ASSETS			
Cash - Petty	\$ -0-	\$ 4.57	\$ 4.57
Checking A/C	331.04	(199.63)	131.41
Regular Savings A/C	1,470.82	583.25	2,054.07
Cash, Capital Reserve Savings A/C	-0-	-0-	-0-
Accounts Receivable	<u>2,313.70</u>	<u>144.95</u>	<u>2,458.65</u>
Total Assets	\$ 4,115.56	\$ 533.14	\$ 4,648.70
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable	\$ -0-	(\$5,440.00)	(\$5,440.00)
Note Payable, F.H.A. \$50,000	(44,273.46)	2,000.00	(42,273.46)
Note Payable, F.H.A. \$10,000	(9,441.34)	-0-	(9,441.34)
Note, Nat'l Bank of Lebanon	<u>-0-</u>	<u>(3,000.00)</u>	<u>(3,000.00)</u>
Total Liabilities	(\$53,714.80)	(\$6,440.00)	(\$60,154.80)
DISTRICT PROPERTY	<u>\$116,717.75</u>	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$116,717.75</u>
NET WORTH	<u><u>\$ 67,118.51</u></u>	<u><u>(\$5,906.86)</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 61,211.65</u></u>

Meriden Village Water District 1978 Proposed Budget

	<u>1977 Budget</u>	<u>1977 Actual</u>	<u>1978 Budget</u>
OPERATING INCOMES			
Water Rent	\$ 9,200.00	\$ 8,757.45	\$ 9,760.00
Interest on Overdue Accounts	20.00	30.55	30.00
Connections & Turn-Ons	-0-	1,192.33	20.00
Hydrant Rental	<u>1,200.00</u>	<u>1,200.00</u>	<u>1,200.00</u>
Operating Incomes Totals	\$10,420.00	\$11,180.33	\$11,010.00
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Office Expense	\$ 150.00	\$ 152.84	\$ 150.00
Electricity	2,500.00	2,684.54	3,150.00
Maintenance	1,367.00	4,505.49	2,000.00
Water Analysis	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>120.00</u>
Operating Expenses Totals	\$ 4,017.00	\$ 7,342.87	\$ 5,420.00
NET OPERATING GAINS OR (LOSSES)	\$ 6,403.00	\$ 3,837.46	\$ 5,590.00
OTHER INCOMES			
Interest Savings A/C	\$ 150.00	\$ 111.06	\$ 50.00
EPA Grant	24,750.00	19,900.00	49,200.00
State WSPCC Grant	6,600.00	4,950.00	13,500.00
Refunds	-0-	58.23	30.00
Notes or Bonds	<u>10,000.00</u>	<u>7,400.00</u>	<u>26,000.00</u>
Other Incomes Totals	\$41,500.00	\$32,419.29	\$88,780.00
OTHER EXPENSES			
F.H.A. Loan Principal	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
F.H.A. Loan Interest	2,900.00	2,800.00	2,800.00
Principal on Notes or Bonds	-0-	4,400.00	15,000.00
Interest on Notes or Bonds	-0-	58.23	30.00
Engineering Expense, Sewer Project	33,000.00	26,610.33	61,100.00
A/C payable, Dufresne-Henry	-0-	-0-	5,440.00
Bank Service Charge	<u>3.00</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Other Expenses Totals	\$37,903.00	\$35,868.56	\$86,370.00
NET OTHER GAINS OR (LOSSES)	\$ 3,597.00	(\$3,449.27)	\$ 2,410.00
CASH GAIN OR (LOSS)	<u>\$10,000.00</u>	<u>\$ 388.19</u>	<u>\$ 8,000.00</u>

Ruth L. Rogers **1912-1978**



The Town of Plainfield lost one of its most hardworking servants with the death of Ruth Rogers earlier this year.

Ruth served the community in many capacities, — mother, Grange secretary, Treasurer of Mericrafters, Treasurer of Community Christmas and Clerk of the Plainfield School District for 16 years. To all her duties, she brought a dedicated sense of responsibility and a good-humored twinkle in her eyes.

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

PLAINFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT PLAINFIELD, N.H.

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1977

OFFICERS AND PERSONNEL OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

MODERATOR

Jerome B. Doolittle

CLERK

Ruth L. Rogers

TREASURER

Fred Sweet

SCHOOL BOARD

Sandra Stettenheim
(Term Expires 1978)

Joan Roeber
(Term Expires 1979)

Donald Garfield
(Term Expires 1980)

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Daniel J. Whitaker

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS

Raymond A. Lagasse — Richard A. Lalley

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR

Charles G. Boehm

SCHOOL NURSE

Marie Steinsieck

AUDITORS

Herman Rogers — 1 Yr.
Kathryn MacLeay — 2 Yrs.

Plainfield School District Warrant

State of New Hampshire

Sullivan, ss:

School District of Plainfield

To the inhabitants of the School District of Plainfield, in the County of Sullivan, and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Plainfield School in the Village of Meriden in said Plainfield on Tuesday, March 7, 1978, at 7:30 P.M. in the evening to act on the following subjects:

ARTICLE I. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, and other officers heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

ARTICLE II. To see if the district will vote to raise, appropriate, and expend the sum of \$5,000.00 to paint the exterior of the Plainfield School, Bonner Road, Meriden.

ARTICLE III. To see what sum of money the District will raise, appropriate, and expend for the support of schools, for the salaries of the School District officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of said District and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state and federal governments, together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance to be raised by taxation.

ARTICLE IV. To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for, to accept on behalf of the District, and to expend for the purpose intended, any or all grants or other funds which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, from the State of New Hampshire, or from private foundations, trusts or individuals.

ARTICLE V. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

NOTE: Election of School District Officials will take place at the same time and place as the election of Town Officials on March 14, 1978 (See separate warrant).

Given under our hands and seals at said Plainfield this 10th day of February, 1978.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

SANDRA STETTENHEIM
DONALD GARFIELD
JOAN ROEBER
Plainfield School Board

SANDRA STETTENHEIM, Chairman
DONALD GARFIELD
JOAN ROEBER
Plainfield School Board

Plainfield School District Special Warrant

State of New Hampshire

Sullivan, ss:

School District of Plainfield

To the inhabitants of the School District of Plainfield, in the County of Sullivan, and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Plainfield School in the Village of Meriden in said Plainfield on Tuesday, March 14, 1978, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following subject:

ARTICLE I. To choose by ballot a Moderator, a Clerk, and a Treasurer for the ensuing year, an Auditor for the ensuing two years, and a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years. (Polls will open at 10:00 A.M. and will close at 6:00 P.M., unless the Town votes to keep the polls open until a later hour.)

NOTE: All other school business will be considered at the School District Meeting to be held on Tuesday, March 7, 1978, at 7:30 P.M. at the Plainfield School.

Given under our hands and seals at said Plainfield this 8th day of February, 1978.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

SANDRA STETTENHEIM
DONALD GARFIELD
JOAN ROEBER
Plainfield School Board

SANDRA STETTENHEIM, Chairman
DONALD GARFIELD
JOAN ROEBER
Plainfield School Board

Plainfield School District 1978-1979 Proposed Budget Summary

	<i>1976-77</i>		<i>1977-78</i>	<i>1978-79</i>
	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Approved Budget</i>	<i>Proposed Budget</i>
Administration	1,620.00	1,552.94	1,830.00	1,755.00
Instruction	153,438.56	150,370.41	158,368.00	167,778.00
Attendance				
Health	3,330.00	3,379.76	3,440.00	3,539.00
Transportation	22,640.00	22,668.04	32,919.30	35,486.30
Operation of Plant	35,104.00	28,698.40	36,043.00	37,103.00
Maintenance of Plant	5,860.00	6,048.93	6,734.75	7,071.00
Fixed Charges	25,421.79	23,122.36	32,925.18	35,445.70
Food Services	900.00	7,248.04	1,003.00	1,093.11
Student Activities	4,691.00	4,352.14	4,515.00	4,330.00
Capital Outlay	840.00	850.64	316.00	991.00
Debt Service	62,667.50	62,667.50	60,882.50	59,097.50
Outgoing Transfers	154,853.25	143,399.23	165,067.01	198,643.42
TOTALS	<u>471,366.10</u>	<u>454,358.39</u>	<u>504,043.74</u>	<u>552,333.03</u>

Increase \$48,289.29
Percent of Increase 9.6%

	<i>1976-77</i>		<i>1977-78</i>	<i>1978-79</i>
	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Approved Budget</i>	<i>Proposed Budget</i>
ADMINISTRATION				
Salaries				
School Board Members	525.00	525.00	525.00	525.00
Treasurer	150.00	150.00	150.00	150.00
Clerk	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Moderator	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00
Total	<u>735.00</u>	<u>735.00</u>	<u>735.00</u>	<u>735.00</u>
Contracted Services				
Census	150.00	316.40	360.00	360.00
Audit	60.00	60.00	60.00	60.00
Total	<u>210.00</u>	<u>376.40</u>	<u>420.00</u>	<u>420.00</u>

	1976-77		1977-78	1978-79
	Budget	Actual	Approved Budget	Proposed Budget
Other Expenses				
School Board Dues	225.00	183.00	225.00	300.00
Legal Counsel	200.00	15.00	200.00	50.00
School District Mtg.	250.00	243.54	250.00	250.00
Total	675.00	441.54	675.00	600.00
TOTAL ADMINISTRATION	1,620.00	1,552.94	1,830.00	1,755.00
INSTRUCTION				
Salaries				
Principal	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,600.00	16,848.00
Teachers	112,009.70	110,870.02	116,450.00	123,848.00
Substitutes	1,800.00	1,472.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Library-Res. Cons.	3,090.96	2,990.88	3,215.00	3,440.00
Secretary	4,389.00	4,389.00	4,564.00	4,882.00
Aide	3,762.00	3,762.00	3,910.00	3,420.00
Total	140,051.66	138,483.90	145,539.00	154,238.00
Textbooks	2,588.00	2,043.80	1,944.00	1,925.00
Library & Audio-Visual	2,428.90	2,215.20	2,185.00	2,330.00
Teaching Supplies	5,100.00	5,088.89	5,275.00	5,325.00
Contracted Services				
Educational T.V.				
Testing	200.00	125.65	200.00	250.00
Regional Center	600.00	600.00	600.00	660.00
Film Rentals	390.00	156.80	425.00	350.00
Mental Health Services	500.00	279.58	500.00	1,000.00
Total	1,690.00	1,162.03	1,725.00	2,260.00
Other Expenses				
Office Supplies, Prof.				
Books, Conferences, etc.	280.00	160.39	400.00	400.00
In-Service Training				
Staff Development	1,300.00	1,216.20	1,300.00	1,300.00
Total	1,580.00	1,376.59	1,700.00	1,700.00
TOTAL INSTRUCTION	153,438.56	150,370.41	158,368.00	167,778.00
HEALTH				
Salary-Nurse	2,730.00	2,730.00	2,840.00	3,039.00
Physicals, Supplies, Etc.	600.00	649.76	600.00	500.00
TOTAL HEALTH	3,330.00	3,379.76	3,440.00	3,539.00
TRANSPORTATION				
Salaries-Reg. Trans.			8,910.00	9,180.00
Salaries-Act. Trans.			1,000.00	1,062.50
Supplies			3,000.00	3,066.00
Contracted Services				
Regular Bus Runs	20,940.00	21,164.34	17,371.80	17,371.80
Activity Trips (Sum. Rec.)	800.00	1,330.00	922.50	922.50
Trans. Handicapped	900.00	173.70	950.00	1,114.50
Bus Repairs				1,000.00
Total Contracted Services	22,640.00	22,668.04	19,244.30	20,408.80

	1976-77		1977-78	1978-79
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Approved Budget</u>	<u>Proposed Budget</u>
Insurance			765.00	1,769.00
TOTAL TRANSPORTATION	22,640.00	22,668.04	32,919.30	35,486.30
OPERATION OF PLANT				
Custodial Salaries	13,864.00	12,406.42	12,643.00	14,048.00
Custodial Supplies	1,485.00	1,563.78	1,650.00	1,775.00
Contracted Services	180.00	180.00	180.00	180.00
Fuel	10,875.00	7,862.55	12,000.00	10,000.00
Utilities				
Electricity	7,950.00	5,993.03	8,745.00	10,275.00
Telephone	750.00	692.62	825.00	825.00
Total Utilities	8,700.00	6,685.65	9,570.00	11,100.00
TOTAL PLANT OPERATION	35,104.00	28,698.40	36,043.00	37,103.00
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT				
Replacement of Equipment	350.00	286.00	934.75	271.00
Repairs to Equipment	150.00		300.00	300.00
Contracted Services				
Equipment Maintenance	360.00	483.54	500.00	500.00
Bldg. & Boiler Maint.	2,000.00	1,675.90	2,000.00	2,000.00
Total Contracted Services	2,360.00	2,160.44	2,500.00	2,500.00
Repairs to Building	1,000.00	1,617.43	1,000.00	2,000.00
Other Expenses	2,000.00	1,985.06	2,000.00	2,000.00
TOTAL MAINT. OF PLANT	5,860.00	6,048.93	6,734.75	7,071.00
FIXED CHARGES				
Retirement				
Custodians & Aides	423.76	381.62	1,020.64	782.28
Teachers	3,356.69	2,855.04	2,910.64	3,294.94
F.I.C.A.	9,358.28	9,246.85	10,228.55	11,322.73
Total Retirement	13,138.73	12,483.51	14,159.83	15,399.95
Insurance				
S.M.P. & Boiler	3,406.00	3,473.70	3,805.00	3,966.00
Workmen's Compensation	514.50	710.00	641.07	1,127.00
Liability	2,302.00	1,563.00	1,438.00	3,000.00
Bond Premium	14.00	14.00		14.00
Health Insurance	6,046.56	4,878.15	12,881.28	11,938.75
Total Insurance	12,283.06	10,638.85	18,765.35	20,045.75
TOTAL FIXED CHARGES	25,421.79	23,122.36	32,925.18	35,445.70
FOOD SERVICE				
Fed. & State Reimb.	400.00	6,748.04	100.00	100.00
District Support	500.00	500.00	903.00	993.11
TOTAL FOOD SERVICE	900.00	7,248.04	1,003.00	1,093.11
STUDENT BODY ACTIVITIES				
Salaries	3,200.00	3,200.00	3,350.00	3,350.00
General Support	1,491.00	1,152.14	1,165.00	980.00

	1976-77		1977-78	1978-79
	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Approved Budget</i>	<i>Proposed Budget</i>
TOTAL STUDENT BODY ACTIVITIES	4,691.00	4,352.14	4,515.00	4,330.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY				
Sites				
Building Alterations				
Equipment-Instructional	840.00	850.64	316.00	991.00
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	840.00	850.64	316.00	991.00
DEBT SERVICE				
Principal	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00
Interest	27,667.50	27,667.50	25,882.50	24,097.50
TOTAL DEBT SERVICE	62,667.50	62,667.50	60,882.50	59,097.50
OUTGOING TRANSFERS				
In-State Tuition	140,679.60	130,142.80	150,285.17	183,545.58
Supervisory Union Exp.	13,173.65	13,256.43	13,781.84	12,868.84
Tuition to Private Schs.	1,000.00		1,000.00	2,229.00
TOTAL OUTGOING TRANSFERS	154,853.25	143,399.23	165,067.01	198,643.42
GRAND TOTALS	471,366.10	454,358.39	504,043.74	552,333.03

Plainfield School District 1978-79 Proposed Budget

REVENUE

	1976-77		1977-78	1978-79
	<i>Approved</i>	<i>Actual</i>	<i>Approved</i>	<i>Proposed</i>
Revenue from Local Sources				
Unencumbered Balance	19,460.39	23,774.90	23,775.00	3,000.00
District Assessment	429,490.49	429,490.49	463,865.00	531,578.03
Other Income		178.99		
Revenue from State Sources				
Building Aid	10,500.00	10,500.00	10,500.00	10,500.00
Sweepstakes Aid	11,115.22	11,601.44	5,404.00	6,755.00
Foster Children Aid	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00
Lunch Aid	50.00	311.05	50.00	50.00
Revenue from Federal Sources				
NDEA		60.40		
Lunch Aid	350.00	7,059.41	50.00	50.00
Other Federal Revenue		90.00		
TOTAL REVENUE	471,366.10	483,466.68	504,044.00	552,333.03

Plainfield School District Annual Meeting March 1, 1977

At a legal business meeting of the voters of the School District of the Town of Plainfield qualified to vote in the District affairs, Moderator Jerome B. Doolittle called the meeting to order at eight o'clock in the evening of Tuesday, March 1, 1977 at the Plainfield School, in the village of Meriden, in said Plainfield.

ARTICLE I. The following resolution was presented, moved and seconded it be adopted. Resolved: That the reports of officers, agents and auditors be accepted as printed in the Annual School Report. Amended: Change 1982 to 1992 line two and line three on Page 90 of Town Report. The resolution as presented with the amendment was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE II. The following resolution was presented, moved and seconded it be adopted. Resolved: That the District authorize the Plainfield School Board to enter into a five (5) year lease/maintenance contract for school buses. The vote was in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE III. The following resolution was presented, moved and seconded it be adopted. Resolved: That the District vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$504,043.74 for the support of schools, for the salaries of the School District officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of said District and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state and federal governments, together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance to be raised by taxation.

Administration	\$ 1,830.00
Instruction	158,368.00
Health Services	3,440.00
Transportation	32,919.30
Operation of Plant	36,043.00
Maintenance of Plant	6,734.75
Fixed Charges	32,925.18
School Lunch & Milk	1,003.00
Student Body Activities	4,515.00
Capital Outlay	316.00
Debt Service	60,882.50
Outgoing Transfers	<u>165,067.01</u>
Total	\$504,043.74

Less Estimated Income:

Unencumbered Balance	5,400.00
Building Aid	10,500.00
Sweepstakes	11,115.00
Foster Child Aid	600.00
Lunch & Milk Aid	<u>100.00</u>
Total Estimated Income	\$ 27,715.00
Estimated amount to be raised by Taxation	\$476,328.74

The following amendment was presented, moved and seconded it be adopted: Resolved: That the proposed budget of \$504,043.74 be reduced by \$10,000.00 to \$494,043.74. A standing vote on the amendment was taken, result — 21 yes, 64 no, thus the result of the vote was in the negative.

The original resolution under Article III was moved and seconded it be adopted. The vote was in the affirmative by voice vote.

ARTICLE IV. The following resolution was presented, moved and seconded it be adopted. Resolved: That the District authorize the School Board to make application for and to accept and expend on behalf of the District, any and all grants or other funds which may now

or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government, from the State of New Hampshire, or from private sources. The vote was in the affirmative.

ARTICLE V. Sandra Stettenheim, member of the School Board, offered the following: On behalf of the Board, the Staff, and the Town, I wish to express our appreciation of Sylvia Clark's service. During her six years on the School Board, she has helped us grow from two separate buildings to a united school. Those who have worked with her know how willingly she has devoted countless hours to our students and to our community. Her dedication and capabilities will be sorely missed on the board. Although she deserves a rest, we assume she won't lose touch.

We will also miss Bruce Soper — his perceptive listening and concise commentary. Thank you both for all you have done. The response to these remarks was a standing ovation.

The meeting was adjourned by order of the Moderator.

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The election of School District Officials took place at the same time as the election of Town Officials on Tuesday, March 8, 1977 at the Plainfield School in the village of Meriden in said Plainfield.

There were 498 ballots cast:

Moderator:

Merome B. Doolittle	413 votes
Stephen Taylor	8
Malcolm Grobe	5
Howard Zea	4
William Quimby	2
David Pond	2
John F. McNamara	1
Dale Hanson	1
Gardner MacLeay	1
Marilyn McNamara	1
Bruce Soper	1
Kenneth Forseth	1
Donald MacLeay	1
Steve Bishop	1
David Stone	1
William Franklin, Jr.	1
Ira Townsend	1
Norman Blue	1

Jerome B. Doolittle was declared elected.

Clerk:

Ruth L. Rogers	469 votes
Virginia Berwick	1
Sylvia Clark	1

Ruth L. Rogers was declared elected.

Treasurer:

Fred Sweet	465 votes
Joan A. Roeber	1

Fred Sweet was declared elected.

Auditor for 2 years:

Kathryn MacLeay	465 votes
Donald Berwick, Sr.	1
Ira Townsend	1

Kathryn MacLeay was declared elected.

School Board member for 3 years:

Donald E. Garfield	430 votes
E. G. Martin	3
Janet Read	1
Ruth Ann Wheeler	1
Joe Goodspeed	1
Ralph Sullivan	1
Joseph Longacre	1
Lee Stacey	1
Arlene Berry	1
Susan Posnaski	1
John Meyette	1
Sue Perkins	1

Donald E. Garfield was declared elected.

School Board member for 2 years:

Joan Spalding Roeber	236 votes
Katherine Burns Vaughan	229
Sylvia Clarke	2
Flora LaPan	1
Rudy Vigneault	1
Jeffrey Cutts	1
James Griffith	1
Sara Townsend	1

Joan Spalding Roeber was declared elected.

Ruth L. Rogers, Clerk, gave the oath of office to Jerome B. Doolittle, Moderator, who in turn gave the oath of office to Donald E. Garfield and Ruth L. Rogers, Clerk.

A True Record Attest,

RUTH L. ROGERS
School District Clerk

Treasurer's Report

FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1977

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand July 1, 1976	\$ 21,621.47
Town of Plainfield	429,490.49
Building Aid	10,500.00
Sweepstakes	11,601.44
Special Milk (State)	311.05
Foster Children Aid	400.00
N.D.E.A.	60.40
School Lunch & Special Milk Program	7,059.41
Rent	134.50
Refunds	159.52
Total Receipts:	481,338.28
Less School Board Orders Paid;	452,447.94
Balance on hand June 30, 1977:	<u>\$ 28,890.34</u>

Auditor's Report

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 Plainfield, N.H. for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1977 and find them correct to the best of our knowledge.

HERMAN D. ROGERS
KATHRYN MacLEAY
Auditors

Plainfield School District Debt Statement

March 1, 1978

New School: Bonner Road, Meriden

On November 1, 1972, thirteen \$35,000 and seven \$30,000 bonds were issued, payable at the First National Bank of Boston. Principal payments due on November 1, 1973 through 1992 with Interest payments due on May 1, 1973 and November 1, 1973 through 1992. Total indebtedness, principal and interest, \$1,009,505.00. Payments made through November 1, 1977, \$326,725.00. Outstanding indebtedness: \$682,780.00.

Plainfield School District Detailed Statement of Expenditures 1976-77

Salaries of District Officers:

Sylvia J. Clark	\$175.00	
Bruce C. Soper	175.00	
Sandra Stettenheim	175.00	
Fred Sweet	150.00	
Ruth L. Rogers	25.00	
Jerome Doolittle	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$735.00

Contracted Services for Administration:

Estelle Reisch	\$125.00	
Lockwood Sprague	125.00	
Supervisory Union #32	66.40	
Herman Rogers	30.00	
Kathryn MacLeay	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$376.40

Other Administrative Expenses:

N.H. School Boards Assoc.	\$125.00	
Supervisory Union #32	58.00	
Stebbins & Bradley	15.00	
Eagle Pub. Inc.	61.74	
Valley News	59.90	
Cory-Hewitt Press	40.90	
Supervisors of Checklists	81.00	
	<hr/>	\$441.54

Salaries of Teachers & Principal:

Stephen Beaupre	\$15,000.00
Nancy M. Brandis	9,542.00
Robert M. Brewster	8,327.07
Earle A. Emerson	10,544.07
Camille R. Frankel	8,312.00
Malcolm J. Grobe	10,382.00
Audrey Logan	2,833.38
Melinda Meyerhoff	8,575.65
Elva W. Mikula	8,072.80
Marjorie Ann Porter	8,657.00
Denis M. Reisch	10,552.00
Caren D. Showerman	1,585.93
Marion R. Stone	10,677.00
Anne M. Sprague	8,162.00
Anne M. Tetreault	4,880.50
Linda S. Zoller	<u>2,930.00</u>

\$129,033.40**Salaries of Secretary & Aide:**\$8,223.00**\$8,223.00****Salaries of Substitutes:**\$1,515.18**\$1,515.18****Textbooks:**

Ginn & Co.	\$243.97
Harcourt-Brace	51.88
Hertzberg-New Method Inc.	173.30
Litton Educ. Pub. Inc.	212.46
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	32.76
Random House Inc.	41.16
Scholastic Book Service	129.11
Science Research Assoc.	61.95
Scott Foresman & Co.	156.21
Addison Wesley Co.	66.50
Educators Pub. Service Inc.	28.40
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	280.06
Selective Ed. Equip. Inc.	3.50
J. W. Pepper & Son, Inc.	59.20
Barnell Loft Ltd.	3.00
MacMillan Pub. Co.	81.59
Up With People	11.90
Phi Delta Kappa	25.00
Ann Arbor Pub. Inc.	63.01
Anne Tetreault	2.50
University of Vermont	13.50
N.Y. University School of Ed.	46.55
National Wildlife Fed.	<u>25.00</u>

\$1,812.51**Library & Audio-Visual Materials:**

Audrey Logan	\$937.53
The Owl & The Pussycat	95.66
Time Life Books	81.12
Xerox Biblio	68.78
Educators Progress Service	13.70
Silver Burdett Co.	48.90

J. W. Pepper & Son Inc.	22.95
Lerner Pub. Co.	44.30
Up With People	10.90
Verham News Corp.	4.76
Walker & Co.	11.90
American Heritage	20.90
Meriden Country Store	25.80
J. P. Lippincott Co.	54.33
The World Almanac	7.80
Parents Magazine Press	139.90
Crestwood House	56.60
National Geographic Society	9.80
American Museum of Nat. History	10.00
Human Sciences Press	19.13
Stone Soup Inc.	7.00
Doris Cox Magazine Sub.	150.63
Educational Record Sales Inc.	8.25
MacMillan Pub. Co.	212.56
Perma Bound	62.21
Dartmouth Bookstore	65.00
1975-76 Accounts Payable	<u>4.64</u>

\$2,195.05

Teaching Supplies:

Addison Wesley Pub. Co.	\$205.11
Creative Classrooms	2.70
Creative Pub.	37.90
Creative Teaching Press Inc.	26.18
Developmental Learning Materials	98.48
Educ. Insights Inc.	27.34
Gaylord Bros. Inc.	157.71
Ginn & Co.	417.74
J. L. Hammett Co.	456.06
Harper & Row Pub.	49.12
D. C. Heath & Co.	64.95
Litton Ed. Pub. Inc.	3.31
Mainco School Supply Co.	423.01
Math Master	22.63
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	69.61
Nasco	28.10
N.E. School Supply	340.49
Northern Supply Co.	203.27
Random House Inc.	17.68
The Education Center	28.85
School Specialty Sup. Inc.	21.10
Science Research Assoc. Inc.	6.85
Scott Foresman & Co.	166.79
Selective Ed. Equip. Inc.	123.08
Childcraft Ed. Corp.	19.32
Educators Pub. Service Inc.	178.91
Hertzberg New Method Inc.	67.41
London Grady	10.90
Scholastic Book Services	16.57
Scholastic Magazines Inc.	227.05
Xerox Ed. Pub.	239.40
J. W. Pepper & Son	6.69
Barnell Loft Ltd.	25.93

Gambel Music Co.	35.08
Globe Book Co.	59.06
Pop Hits Pub.	24.90
Up With People	23.45
Anne Tetreault	41.45
Prentice-Hall Inc.	227.90
Petty Cash	98.78
Hildreth's Hdwe.	35.15
Cory-Hewitt Press	31.50
H. A. Holt & Sons	47.35
Regional Center for Educ. Training	92.92
Passon's Sport Center	24.64
Audrey Logan	2.75
Belwin Mills Pub. Corp.	5.00
Shawnee Press Inc.	3.30
National Urban Coalition	48.00
Gaylord Bros. Inc.	95.15
Good Apple Inc.	26.40
Verham News Corp.	39.38
Fearon Pub.	54.06
Media for Educ.	8.35
White River Paper Co.	26.43
Virginia Verge	6.34
Transfer-Imprest Funds	24.97

\$4,872.55

Contracted Services:

The Psychological Corp.	\$ 10.35
CTB-McGraw-Hill	115.30
Regional Center for Educ. Training	606.00
Assoc. Sterling Films	64.80
Twyman Films Inc.	61.00
Dartmouth College Films	25.00
Counseling Ctr. of Sullivan Cty.	146.25
Supervisory Union #32 RCEH	133.33

\$1,162.03

Other Expenses of Instruction:

N.H. Music Educ. Assn.	\$ 5.00
Prentice Hall Inc.	16.99
Supervisory Union #32	35.00
N.H. School Boards Assoc.	7.00
Marie Steinsieck	42.10
Denis Reisch	91.60
Linda Zoller	145.00
Nancy Brandis	48.00
Marjorie Porter	126.00
Reg. Ctr. for Educ. Trng.	312.00
Elva Mikula	50.00
Camille Frankel	30.00
Robert Brewster	52.40
Stephen Beaupre	37.00
Virginia Verge	30.00
Anne Tetreault	157.50
Anne Sprague	40.00
Caren Showerman	140.00
Malcolm Grobe	11.00

1975-76 Accounts Payable	<u>125.00</u>	\$1,501.59
Health Services:		
Salary — Marie Steinsieck	<u>\$2,730.00</u>	\$2,730.00
Other Health Services:		
School Health Supply Co.	\$103.67	
George E. Quittmeyer	328.00	
R. A. Whitney, M.D.	200.00	
Preschool Screening System	<u>18.09</u>	\$649.76
Contracted Services for Transportation:		
Jan-Car Leasing Corp. (Reg. Bus Runs)	\$20,989.34	
Jan-Car Leasing Corp. (Activity Trips)	1,153.00	
Cheryl Mills	<u>162.00</u>	\$22,304.34
Salaries of Custodians:		
Stanley R. Day	\$7,790.22	
Anne Schelewa	<u>4,616.20</u>	\$12,406.42
Custodial Supplies:		
Acme Chemical Co.	\$104.25	
Airkem Vt/NH Inc.	210.65	
Dulac's Hardware	66.10	
Hildreth's Hardware	29.62	
Hillyard Chemical Co.	92.45	
Richco Products, Inc.	312.15	
White River Paper Co.	327.62	
Allston Supply Co.	70.00	
Albert D. Bourke	191.20	
Interstate Restaurant Equip.	143.00	
Meriden Garage	11.35	
Stanley Day	<u>5.39</u>	\$1,563.78
Contracted Services:		
Elizabeth Pardoe	<u>\$180.00</u>	\$180.00
Heat for School Plant:		
Texgas Corp.	\$ 7.40	
Johnson & Dix	5,878.80	
1975-76 Accounts Payable	<u>1,773.77</u>	\$7,659.97
Utilities:		
Granite State Electric	\$5,993.03	
Meriden Telephone Co.	<u>616.30</u>	\$6,609.33
Repairs & Replacement of Equipment:		
Educational Installations	\$264.00	
Interstate Restaurant Equip.	<u>22.00</u>	\$286.00

Contracted Services:			
Greydon Freeman Inc.		\$ 98.88	
Lebanon School District		88.26	
Regional Center for Educ. Trng.		41.65	
D & E Fire Ext.		18.00	
Johnson & Dix		414.95	
Kenco Inc.		181.00	
Harold Clark		153.19	
LaValley Bldg. Supplies		138.96	
Meriden Village Water Dist.		<u>770.80</u>	
			\$1,905.69
Repairs to Building:			
Dulac's Hardware		\$ 80.03	
Sherwin-Williams Co.		131.58	
Supervisory Union #32 (Shades)		300.82	
Meriden Garage		5.90	
Standard Elec. Time Corp.		9.60	
Ken's Welding Shop		<u>212.00</u>	
			\$739.93
Other Expenses:			
Meriden Garage		\$ 2.10	
Harold Clark		1,152.00	
Dulac's Hardware		2.21	
Upper Valley Feed Supply		<u>28.75</u>	
			\$1,185.06
Retirement System:			
N.H. Retirement System		<u>\$3,236.66</u>	
			\$3,236.66
Federal Ins. Contributions Act (FICA):			
Treasurer, State of N.H.		<u>\$9,246.85</u>	
			\$9,246.85
Insurance:			
Dewey, Peck & Co.		\$5,224.70	
Robert B. Harrison Agency		536.00	
BC/BS Health Ins.		4,166.46	
Mutual of N.Y.		<u>711.69</u>	
			\$10,638.85
Food Service Program:			
Lebanon Food Services		\$7,248.04	
1975-76 Accounts Payable		<u>622.42</u>	
			\$7,870.46
Student Body Activities:			
Coaching Salaries		\$3,200.00	
Passon's Sport Center		493.49	
Tom's Toggery		543.90	
Northern Dist. Jr. High		44.00	
Scott Caldwell Parish Players		40.00	
State Fed. Youth Exchange Treas.		15.00	
1975-76 Accounts Payable		<u>15.75</u>	
			\$4,352.14
Capital Outlay & Equipment:			
Gaylord Bros.		\$ 10.00	

LaValley Bldg. Supplies	230.88	
Alfax Corp.	183.68	
Greydon Freeman Inc.	242.35	
Robert Campbell	144.00	
Bush Music Center	17.00	
Interstate Music Supplies	8.73	
1975-76 Accounts Payable	<u>86.05</u>	
		\$922.69
Principal of Debt:		
First National Bank of Boston	<u>\$35,000.00</u>	\$35,000.00
Interest on Debt:		
First National Bank of Boston	<u>\$27,667.50</u>	\$27,667.50
Tuition:		
Lebanon School District	\$127,742.80	
Town of Hartford, Vt.	<u>2,400.00</u>	
		\$130,142.80
District Share of Supervisory Union Expense:		
Supervisory Union #32	<u>\$13,256.43</u>	\$13,256.43
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		<u><u>\$452,422.91</u></u>

Plainfield School District Report of the Superintendent of Schools

Instructional Programs: Under the leadership of Stephen Beaupre, principal, the staff has made substantial progress in developing and implementing a language skills curriculum that will ensure that each student develops, consistent with his ability, the basic skills of reading, writing, speaking, and listening. In the area of enrichment programs, the Plainfield School has been fortunate in participating in two regional programs which are funded by federal grants. The "Maximizing Talent" program is organized to train teachers and volunteers to provide enrichment activities for students with special talents, interests, and abilities. Through this program, small groups of Plainfield students have worked with interested adults in intensive study of topics of special interest. The "Artists in Schools" program has brought cultural activities and performing artists into the Plainfield School to give the students first-hand experience with producing and performing arts.

In summarizing instructional programs at the Plainfield School, it is meaningful to look at the end product of our programs: our graduates. Plainfield students continue to be recognized at both Lebanon High School and Kimball Union Academy as knowledgeable and well-prepared. Our local students are both "achievers" and "participants". It is particularly satisfying to attend athletic events, plays, and honor society inductions and note the involvement of Plainfield students.

School Board Activities: The past year has been productive for the Plainfield School Board. Communication with you, the community, has increased by distributing School Board Minutes through the Plainfield Store and Meriden Store. Regular meetings with the Town Finance Committee have resulted in a useful exchange of points-of-view and a sharing of the "real" problems which face us in our dual role as educators and taxpayers. On behalf of the school staff and administration, I would like to thank Sandy Stettenheim for her service to the children of Plainfield. Sandy has approached her duties as a school board member with great dedication.

Warrant and Proposed Budget: The Warrant for the 1978 Annual School District Meeting contains one article requesting \$5,000 to contract to have the exterior of the school restained and repainted. In order to protect our investment in the building, this type of preventive maintenance will be necessary periodically. If approved at the School District Meeting, the work will be bid out for completion by late summer.

The major increase in the proposed budget is the result of graduating the largest eighth grade class in Plainfield's history. Next year we will have seventeen additional students in high school. Other increases represent cost-of-living increases for all personnel and an increase in consulting services in order to comply with federal requirements for diagnosing the problems of handicapped children.

In Memory of Mrs. Ruth L. Rogers: The Plainfield School District will miss Ruth Rogers. Her careful attention to details and her interest in both school district and town affairs made her an important part of our community. On behalf of the School Board, staff and administration, I would like to extend to Ruth's family our deepest sympathy.

DANIEL J. WHITAKER
 Superintendent of Schools
 Supervisory Union #32

Supervisory Union #32 Expense

ACCOUNT NO.	FY-78	FY-79
110.2 Salaries-Administration	\$ 84,238.00	\$ 89,938.00
110.3 Salaries-Support Staff	44,094.70	47,641.50
135 Contracted Services-Audit	1,350.00	1,400.00
190 Other Expenses	17,850.00	16,500.00
610 Custodial Service	530.00	530.00
645 Telephone	3,140.00	3,600.00
725 Replacement of Equipment	-0-	675.00
735 Contracted Services	3,600.00	3,100.00
850 Retirement/FICA	11,371.87	12,401.39
855 Insurance	8,449.89	8,283.68
860 Office Rent	7,000.00	8,000.00
1267 New Equipment	120.00	-0-
TOTALS	\$181,744.46	\$192,069.57
Amount to be raised by districts	\$169,894.46	\$178,337.57

SHARES:	1976-1977			
SHARES	1977-1978		1978-1979	
Grantham	4.989%	8,476.03	4.887%	8,715.36
Lebanon	56.016%	95,168.08	56.284%	100,375.52
Mascoma	30.883%	52,468.51	31.613%	56,377.85
Plainfield	8.112%	13,781.84	7.216%	12,868.84
	100.000%	169,894.46	100.000%	178,337.57

Districts' Share of Supervisory Union Salaries

	State of N.H.	Grantham 4.887%	Lebanon 56.284%	Mascoma 31.613%	Plainfield 7.216%
Superintendent	2,500.00	1,190.72	13,713.60	7,702.51	1,758.17
Asst. Superintendent	2,350.00	937.52	10,797.52	6,064.64	1,384.32
Asst. Superintendent	2,350.00	937.52	10,797.52	6,064.64	1,384.32
Business Administrator	2,350.00	862.80	9,936.94	5,581.28	1,273.98
	<u>9,550.00</u>	<u>3,928.56</u>	<u>45,245.58</u>	<u>25,413.07</u>	<u>5,800.79</u>

Plainfield School District Principal's Report

There have been some changes on the Plainfield School staff this year. Robert Brewster, who taught grades 1 & 2 and Camille Frankel, English teacher for grades 7 & 8, have left this area to pursue other interests. Marion Stone, a 6th grade teacher, retired.

Four new teachers joined the staff this year; Carol Wood, grade 6, Julie Perkins, grade 6, June Donnelly, grades 3 & 4, and Albert Pothier, an English teacher for grades 7 & 8.

Some of the past and present years' accomplishments are:

1. The completion of a language arts manual for grades 1-5 to be used as a guide for teachers in facilitating a sequential and comprehensive curriculum for students.
2. The federally funded Maximum Talent program, which was started last year, has been expanded. More students have been selected to work with an instructor to increase their knowledge of a chosen subject.
3. We have been chosen as one of seven Upper Valley schools to participate in a federally funded Artists-In-Residence program. The artists' come to the school to work with teachers and students, providing instruction in music, art, dance, and drama.

Although items appearing in the budget this year are much the same as last year, inflation has forced costs up regardless of our constant efforts to keep expenses down.

The largest increase in the budget this year is for outgoing transfers which is the result of an anticipated 23 more students attending Lebanon High School.

Staff salaries for next year have been increased approximately 7 percent, based on cost-of-living increases and not on an additional year of teaching experience.

More money will be spent next year on testing and mental health services. The New Hampshire State Board of Education plans to require each district to report individual student achievement minimum competences in mathematics, reading, and language. Federal law P.L. 94-142 will require periodical tests for all handicapped children between the ages of 3-21. Qualified people will be hired to administer these tests.

STEPHEN A. BEAUPRE
Principal

Plainfield School District Report of the School Nurse

This past spring we did an extensive pre-school screening which enabled the first grade teachers to prepare lesson plans for the different maturity levels of incoming first graders. Parents were very cooperative which the staff appreciated.

At this moment we are attempting to assess the immunization needs of the children in grades 6-8. The state law on immunization requirements has been in effect since 1972 and pupils beginning school after that date have on the whole, good completed immunization.

Your school nurse spoke with pupils in these upper grades explaining the importance of the required immunization and sent home a history sheet for parents to fill out. My thanks to the cooperating parents and my request for other parents to comply.

Routine physicals assessments are being done on each child and parents promptly notified of any effects. Health Education classes continue in dental care, nutrition, growth, and development. A health career day was held in the spring in conjunction with a tour of Alice Peck Day Hospital for 8th graders. Plans this year are being made for a First Aid Course for 7th graders. The aim of the school health department is on education and prevention, with the hope that this knowledge is carried over through-out life.

MARIE STEINSIECK
School Nurse

Plainfield Enrollment — September 1977

<u>GRADE</u>	<u>BOYS</u>	<u>GIRLS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1	18	13	31
2	11	12	23
3	13	5	18
4	20	13	33
5	12	12	24
6	16	20	36
7	19	7	26
8	24	20	44
		Total Enrollment	235

8th Grade Students — 1977

Bailey, Kevin	Fellows, Wendy	Kenyon, Lisa	Sackett, Reid
Balboni, Thomas	Freeman, Joan	Lambert, Lisa	Smith, Deena
Barton, Garry	Goodspeed, John	LaQuire, Winona	Spencer, Janet
Beliveau, Tamara	Grace, Melissa	Marsh, Todd	Strong, Carlton
DeFeo, Dominic	Hodges, Tammy	Mason, Sherrie	Swett, Lori
DeLange, Eric	Hooker, Kevin	McMillan, Alex	Tibbits, Toby
Dole, Karen	Hynes, James	O'Toole, Lawrence	Walker, Lee
Dunham, Scott	Kenyon, Karen	Parmenter, Kenneth	Wilder, Mark
		Sackett, Quimby	Wimett, Dawn

Plainfield Tuition Students 1977-78

Attending Hanover St. School:

Brian Bouchier	Special Education
Tammy Lee Mills	Special Education
Craig Belyea	Special Education
David Bouchier	Special Education

Attending Lebanon Jr. High School:

Timothy Hooker	Special Education
Charles Bushor	Special Education
Stevens Perkins	Special Education
Eric Schelewa	Special Education

Attending Lebanon High School:

Grade 9:

Kevin Bailey
Tommy Balboni
Garry Barton
Dorothy Conklin
Dominic DeFeo
Eric Delange
Karen Dole
Scott Dunham
Wendy Fellows
Joan Freeman
John Goodspeed
Melissa Grace
Tammy Hodges
Kevin Hooker
James Hynes
Lisa Kenyon
Colt LaHaye
Lisa Lambert
Winona LaQuire
Todd Marsh
Victor Milo
Lawrence O'Toole
Kenneth Parmentor
Michael Paterson
Janet Spencer
Lori Swett
Toby Tibbits
Mark Wilder
Dawn Wimett
Annette Plummer

Grade 10:

Amber Atchinson
Richard Barton
Sara Barton
Connie Bosley
Bonnie Brandt
David Cherrier
Vicky Dumaine
Ken Dunham
Michelle Dunham
Steven Kelley
Dan LaPan
Sue LeVarn
Jill Marsh
Susan Mitchell
Carol Morse
Lauri O'Toole
Peter Pardoe
Theresa Peavey
Bruce Plummer
Donald Stacy
Eric Sullivan
Tammy Therrien
Robbie Tibbits
Gary Ward

Grade 11:

Scott Atchinson
Sandy Balboni
Michelle Baril
Sandra Bedell
Randy Brooks
Janice Chapman
Thomas Crary
Alan Dupuis
Kelly Filiault
Ann Griswold
David Hynes
Robin King
Teri Lambert
Cheryl Marsh
Edward Martin
Todd Milo
Jeff Morse
John Nugent
Kevin O'Leary
Michael Perkins
Douglas Quimby
Cheryl Roark
Roseanna Rondeau
Pam Slayton
Patty Spencer
Debbie Swett
Tracy Tibbits
Lynne Walker
Everett Webber

Grade 12:

Danielle DeFeo
Gene Descoteau
Patricia Dupuis
Mikeal Earle
Sally Fellows
Kurt Filiault
Michael Gallagher
Tina Griswold
Jonathan Grobe
Vicki Hewes
Diane Mitchell
Carl Morse
Larry Morse
Michael Morse
Doreen Nugent
James Stockwell
Albert Sullivan
Diane Swett
Holly Wallace

Ward's Essay Winners — 1976-77

1. "Plainfield's Beginning Is Forgotten" — Mark Wilder
2. "How Money Is Ruining Professional Sports" — Carl Strong
3. "Where Should the Land Go" — Reid Sackett
3. "Crime Against the Elderly" — Quimby Sackett
3. "Commercials Insulting to Women" — Janet Spencer
4. "Do Modern Conveniences Help or Hurt Americans" — Melissa Grace

Good Citizenship Award — Janet Spencer

School Spelling Bee Champion — Amy Dupuis

Plainfield Students at KUA — 1977-78

1. Ashton, Julie	10
2. Beliveau, Tamara	9
3. Berwick, Donald	11
4. Berwick, John	10
5. Carver, Sandra	9
6. Clark, Gregory	10
7. Grearson, Jessie	10
8. Leavitt, Le'Ann	11
9. Leavitt, Marta	10
10. Leavitt, Vicki	12
11. McConnel, Peter	11
12. Parmenter, Paula	11
13. Smith, Deena-Lee	9
14. Stettenheim, Wendy	10
15. Stone, Matthew	11
16. Strong, Carlton	9
17. Strong, Holly	11
18. Thompson, Andy	12
19. Walker, Lee	9
20. Webber, Martha	10

Plainfield Teachers 1977-78

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Yrs. Exp.</u>	<u>Yr. Apptd.</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Degree</u>
Beaupre, Stephen	Principal	15	1962	Plymouth	M.Ed.
Porter, Marjorie	1	5	1974	Un. Mass.	B.A.
Mikula, Elva	1&2	4	1975	Goddard	B.A.
Brandis, Nancy	2&3	5½	1972	Un. Iowa	M.A.
Donnelly, June	3&4	10	1977	Worcester State	B.S.
Meyerhoff, Melinda	4	5	1976	L.I. Univ.	M.S.
Sprague, Anne	5	4	1974	UNH	B.A.
Grobe, Malcolm	5&6	11	1970	Beloit	B.A.
				Andover Newton	B.D.
Wood, Carol (res. 12/77)	6	4	1977	Un. Tenn.	B.S.
Perkins, Julie	6	0	Jan. 1978	Castleton	B.S.
Reisch, Denis	7&8-Soc. St.	11	1968	UNH	B.A.
	Phys. Ed.				
Emerson, Earle	7	11	1976	Keene	B.Ed.
Pothier, Albert	8-7&8 Eng.	4	1977	Rhode Island	B.A.
Tetreault, Anne	Remedial Tchr.		1976		
Zoller, Linda	Physical Educ.		1976		
Logan, Audrey	Library Res. Cons.		1973		
Showerman, Caren	Music		1974		
Reisch, Estelle	Library Aide/Secy.		1977		
Verge, Virginia	Office Secy.		1969		

Plainfield School District Salary Schedule 1978-1979

Experience	1977-78	1978-79
	7,300	7,500
1	7,600	7,811
2	7,900	8,132
3	8,200	8,453
4	8,500	8,774
5	8,825	9,095
6	9,150	9,443
7	9,475	9,791
8	9,800	10,138
9	10,125	10,486
10	10,450	10,834
11	10,800	11,182
12	11,075	11,556
F	11,450	11,850

Plainfield School District Insurance Program 1977-78

Vehicles: Automobile Liability Ins. Coverage & Costs

Bodily Injury:	200,000 Owned Vehicles	N/C
	1,000,000 Hired Vehicles	25.00
	Non-Owned Vehicles	25.00
Property Damage:	50,000 Owned Vehicles	N/C
	50,000 Hired Vehicles	6.00
	Non-Owned Vehicles	6.00
	Total Premium	\$62.00

Fire Insurance

	Coverage	Premium	Div./R.P.	Paid	
Bonner Rd., Meriden:					
Building	605,000)	\$4,374.00		\$4,374.00	
Contents	25,000)				
Legal Liability	1,000,000	403.00	(1 yr.)	403.00	
Personal Injury Liability	800,000	1,000.00	(1 yr.)	1,000.00	
Workmen's Compensation		598.00	(est.)		
Boiler (limit 50,000)		189.00	(3 yrs.)	63.00	(Ann.)
Treasurer's Bond		14.00	(3 yrs. prepaid)		
Blue Cross/Blue Shield-District Allowance:	Family	69.74			
	2 Person	60.51			
	1 Person	23.61			

Mutual of New York (MONY) paid by employer



WILLIAM C. WILDEY receives the gold-headed Boston Post Cane traditionally presented to Plainfield's oldest resident. Handing him the cane is **Louis H. Houser**, chairman of the Board of Selectmen, and looking on are **Stephen H. Taylor** and **Paul B. Franklin**, selectmen.

BIRTHS

<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>Place of Birth</i>	<i>Maiden Name of Mother</i>	<i>Mother's Birth-place</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Father's Birth-place</i>
Daphne De Vere Adler	Sept. 19	Hanover, N.H.	Kimberly Chase	Mass.	Thomas Jay Adler	Maine
James Lynn Ashley	Oct. 6	Lebanon, N.H.	Carol Sondra Brannon	Calif.	Gordon Earl Ashley Jr.	N.H.
Jeffrey Alden Berry	Oct. 6	Lebanon, N.H.	Arlene Margaret Dessert	N.H.	Peter Alden Berry	N.H.
Sierra Sunrise Brandis	July 26	Lebanon, N.H.	Nancy Lee Murray	Iowa	Durward Porter Brandis	Colo.
Adam Wayne Chesley	Feb. 27	Hanover, N.H.	Debra Ann Rondeau	Mass.	Stephen Edward Chesley	N.H.
Molly Zoe Dinan	Nov. 17, 1976	Hanover, N.H.	Sally Louise Austerberry	Mich.	Dennis Allen Dinan	Mich.
Crystal Marie Jenks	Aug. 25	Lebanon, N.H.	Donna Marie Harlow	Mass.	Richard Dean Jenks	Colo.
Jeremiah John Johnson	March 13	Lebanon, N.H.	Nancy Rae Lavoy	Mass.	Fred John Johnson	N.H.
Sharon Anne Longacre	May 16	Lebanon, N.H.	Joanne Mary McNicholas	Mass.	James Harold Longacre	Pa.
Kevin John McNamara	March 16	Lebanon, N.H.	Sheila Ann Gallagher	N.Y.	John Henry McNamara	N.H.
Bertram Blanchard Merchant Jr.	Apr. 16	Lebanon, N.H.	Sonya Jean Smith	N.H.	Bertram Blanchard Merchant	Maine
Katrina Thomsen Mogielnicki	Sept. 9	Hanover, N.H.	Nancy Wood Puffenberger	N.Y.	Robert Peter Mogielnicki	Conn.
Crystal Marie Powers	July 21	Hanover, N.H.	Kathie Mae Ricker	N.H.	Duane Lyle Powers	N.H.
Heidi Patience Roland	May 19	Lebanon, N.H.	Sydell Susan Otchin	N.Y.	Steven Roland	N.Y.
Tasman Rubel	Dec. 2	Hanover, N.H.	Heidi Kropp	N.Y.	William Duncan Rubel	Mary.
Lori Schaffer	Nov. 19	Hanover, N.H.	Cynthia Crowell	Mass.	Bruce Daniel Schaffer	N.Y.
Rebecca Augusta Schmidt	Mar. 10	Claremont, N.H.	Lucy Ann Lester	N.Y.	Carl P. R. Schmidt	Mass.
Adrienne Ann Slayton	Jan. 31	Lebanon, N.H.	Geraldine Mae Conley	Vt.	Ray Thomas Slayton	Vt.
Eleanor Elizabeth Soper	Oct. 28	Lebanon, N.H.	Barbara Mae Burgess	Mich.	Bruce Campbell Soper	N.Y.
James Edward Stoops	Apr. 12	Claremont, N.H.	Rosanne Leda Vigneault	N.H.	Roy James Stoops	Ind.
Nicole Marie Temple	June 10	Lebanon, N.H.	Jean Louise LaPan	N.H.	Maurice Robert Temple	N.H.
Daryl Stephen Tribou	Jan. 6	Claremont, N.H.	Deborah Jean Powers	Mass.	Stephen Wilbur Tribou	Mass.

DEATHS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Place of Death</i>	<i>Date</i> 1977	<i>Age</i>	<i>Place of Birth</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Maiden Name of Mother</i>
Myrtie W. Barker	Newport, N.H.	Nov. 8	89	N.H.	Bert West	Etta Kimball
Robert H. Cole	Hanover, N.H.	Aug. 4	72	Lebanon, N.H.	Daniel Cole	Lizzie _____
Frances Helena Dickerson	Lebanon, N.H.	July 19	83	Canada	Arthur C. Bacon	Rosa Mary Gallpen
Earl M. Joyce	Franklin, N.H.	Aug. 30	67	N.H.	John Joyce	Emma Rouchie
Elliot R. Kofoed	Meriden, N.H.	Nov. 27	26	Florida	Paul MacDonald	Marilyn Elliott
Charles C. Maylin	Windsor, Vt.	Dec. 23	82	Mass.	John Henry Maylin	Elizabeth Swineamier
Cullous W. Mitchell	Meriden, N.H.	Feb. 25	76	W. Va.	Joseph Mitchell	Mary Suflett
Barbara I. Sweet	Hanover, N.H.	Aug. 21	56	N.H.	Harold Stone	Willa Stone
Eunice S. Waite	Claremont, N.H.	April 17	92	N.H.	Joseph Stickney	Emily Jordan

MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Name of Groom & Bride</i>	<i>Date Birth</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Maiden Name of Mother</i>	<i>By Whom Married</i>
1977						
Aug. 2	Plainfield, N.H.	Gary M. Agan Roberta P. Trevithick	Jan. 2, 1955 Feb. 1, 1955	Niel Agan Robert Corrigan	Helen Quimby Pearl Downes	Norman F. Patch J.P.
	Plainfield, N.H.	Burton Russell Bolton Christine Joy Clydesdale	Oct. 31, 1934 Apr. 3, 1949	Henry S. Bolton Mason B. Ellison	Elsie B. McCullen Roberta A. Mason	Mason B. Ellison Clergyman
Oct. 8	Hanover, N.H.	Michael Watkins Chellis Anne Kristine Hennig	Feb. 2, 1950 Mar. 13, 1952	Frank D. Chellis Gerhart R. Hennig	Vera Davis Jean E. Ross	Noel N. Sokoloff Minister
Oct. 1	Plainfield, N.H.	John Raymond Conly, Jr. Mary-Ann Joslin	Oct. 12, 1942 June 13, 1945	John R. Conly, Sr. Harold L. Blodgett	Dorothy A. Richards Doris Elaine Goodell	Norman F. Patch J.P.
June 18	Claremont, N.H.	Jeffrey Paul Cutts Brenda Sue Freeland	Apr. 28, 1955 June 13, 1955	Raymond M. Cutts, Jr. Robert E. Freeland	Sandra Smith Barbara Ann Woodley	Mason B. Ellison Minister
July 4	Plainfield, N.H.	Francis Thomas Douskey Sarah Sedgwick Heath	Dec. 2, 1941 Sept. 28, 1951	Stanley Douskey Fenno Heath	Wadia Mekdeci Carol Quimby	Hazel Roper Minister
May 14	Plainfield, N.H.	Robert Douglas Gardner Patricia Elaine Hazelton	Feb. 4, 1949 Aug. 8, 1955	Harold A. Gardner Walter H. Hazelton	Mary J. Andrews Rae A. Gilson	Malcolm J. Grobe Clergyman
Sept. 3	Lebanon, N.H.	William Arthur Gould Sherwood West Sackett	Sept. 7, 1922 Feb. 23, 1939	William S. Gould Joshua Collingham West	Alice M. Potter Frances Loryma Hutchins	N. George Papademas J.P.
Feb. 14	Lebanon, N.H.	Kenneth L. Hooker, Jr. Carolyn Jea Currier	May 17, 1958 Sept. 23, 1957	Kenneth L. Hooker, Sr. Richard Currier	Viola M. Bragg Carolyn Lahaye	Jay P. Cooper J.P.
March 5	Lebanon, N.H.	Andrew Lewis Johnson Patricia Jennings	June 9, 1947 Oct. 13, 1951	Allen S. Johnson Robert D. Jennings	Caroline Lewis Nancy Parker	Virginia P. Gibson J.P.
Aug. 20	West Lebanon, N.H.	Benjamin Roe Judy Joyce Margaret McNamara	July 19, 1955 Oct. 30, 1955	James B. Judy William T. McNamara	Harriett Louise Fly Hazel Irene Howe	Robert J. Campbell Pastor

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Feb. 11	Plainfield, N.H.	Gregory Paul Marsh Melody Lain Salls	Feb. 22, 1958	Paul C. Marsh Archabald Salls	Elaine Stimpson Dorothy Dywer	Mason B. Ellison Minister
May 21	West Lebanon, N.H.	David W. McGuire Audrey A. Williams	May 13, 1959	John H. McGuire Harland P. Williams	Gertrude Smith Barbara J. Crandell	Wesley E. Megan Clergyman
Sept. 3	Plainfield, N.H.	Paul E. Nagle Julia M. Ashley	July 24, 1952	Thomas Nagle Herbert Gilson	Alice Lecore Lizzie Johnson	Mason B. Ellison Minister
June 25	Plainfield, N.H.	Stanley Louis Nelson Jessie Mary Carver	Sept. 19, 1953	Ervin E. Nelson James A. Graham	Gertrude Eva Beaudette Etta Mae Wilbur	Mason B. Ellison Minister
Aug. 20	Cornish, N.H.	Ronald David Spaulding Rita Pearl Wood	Aug. 13, 1920	Kenneth J. Spaulding Richard B. Wood	Ina May Steven Violet Sadie Avery	James H. Link Minister
Jan. 22	Plainfield, N.H.	Glenn Alan Stone Kathy Elaine Benjamin	Feb. 11, 1922	Justin B. Stone Julius H. Benjamin	Ellen Hodge Nancy Mason	Warren C. Biebel Pastor
			Sept. 2, 1915			
			Nov. 21, 1915			
			Oct. 16, 1955			
			Sept. 4, 1952			
			Dec. 23, 1954			
			Feb. 17, 1957			

