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NEW HAMPSHIRE

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ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

OFFICERS and COMMITTEES

of the Town of

HOLLIS, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1961

With Report of

SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1961

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

Richard Walker Ralph Hardy Harold Farnum

Town Clerk
Bertha Duncan

Tax Collector
Evelyn B. Rice

Supervisors of the Check List

Harold Hardy Theresa Denault Ann J. Goodwin

Fire Chief
Warren H. Towne

Fire Wards
Warren H. Towne Roscoe L. Brown Erving Simonds

Police Chief
Kenneth R. Bennett

Representative
Dan Brocklebank

Sexton
Kenneth Marvell

Trustees of the Trust Funds

Jeffrey Smith Clarence Howe Wendell C. Wright

Auditors
Gordon McEnnis Warren Towne

Town Treasurer
Milton D. Wright

Moderator
Warren H. Towne

Library Trustees

Dan Brocklebank, 1962
Pearl Rideout, 1962
Doris Bell, 1963

Eugene Beal, 1963
Elizabeth Parker, 1964
Dave Salvail, 1964

Town Budget Committee

Harold Hardy, 1962
Morton Goulder, 1962
Henry Hildreth, 1963

Malcolm Crockett, 1963
Clarence Howe, 1964
Howard Hunt, 1964

Planning Board

H. Farnum, Ex Officio

Francis Bell, 1962
Henry Hills, 1962

Deane C. Simpson, 1963
Winston Hambleton, 1963

Board of Adjustment

Philip Sabbia, 1962
Franklin Worcester, 1963
Helen Bell, 1964

Wendell Wright, 1965
Dave Salvail, 1966

Forestry Committee

Robert Hayden, 1962
Franklin Worcester, 1962
Alton Seager, 1963

Jeffrey Smith, 1963
Edward Watson, 1964
Henry Hildreth, 1964

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hollis, N. H. in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hollis, N. H., on Tuesday the thirteenth day of March next to elect Town Officers for the ensuing year by ballot for which purpose the Polls will open at 10:00 A. M., and close at 7:30 P. M., and to act upon the following subjects at 7:30 P. M.:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To hear reports of the Selectmen and other Town officers and committees.
4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
5. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of Class V roads, and appropriate the sum of \$1,056.94.
6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute blank inventories at the time of appraisal.
7. To see if the Town will vote to assess a fine of twenty-five cents on each Poll Tax not paid by December 1, 1962.
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to be expended in co-operation with the N. H. Forestry and Recreation Commission, for forest fire protection.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund to be used for the purchase of a fire truck and \$3,000.00 for the purchase of a grader.
10. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue that portion of the "Primary" highway known as Route 111, in the Town of Hollis, beginning at the westerly end of Runnels Bridge and running easterly to a point opposite the easterly end of land of Mrs. Edwin Morey and passing in front of land of Nashua N.H. Foundation, land of F. M. and W. R. Mitchell and land of Mrs. Edwin Morey. No discontinuance shall affect any part of the Class V highway which comes within a distance of fifty feet (50) from the center line of the new relocated highway."

11. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue and return to abutters of record, the old section of Route 111, starting at west side of Depot Road, continuing southerly, passing in rear of Dan's stand to present Route 111.

12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to execute quit claim deeds to abutters covering the fee under all roads discontinued by vote of the Town at this and all previous and future Town meetings. Said quit claim deeds to be of such description and running to abutters in such area and portions as the Selectmen in their discretion may determine.

13. To see if the Town will vote to accept a relocation of the right of way to the Town Forest, passing through the property of Antoinette A. Hastedt, located on east side of Route 122 at Silver Lake. The new location would be on and along the southerly and easterly lines of said Hastedt property from Silver Lake Road to present right of way on land of Frederick Lorden.

14. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 for payment of professional appraisers to appraise all of the property and buildings of the Town of Hollis.

15. To see if the Town will vote to name the old section of Route 122 from the Hunter Homestead, passing by the homesteads of Sumner Spaulding and Emma S. Lovejoy, "Spaulding Lane" and to erect "Spaulding Lane" signs at the North and South entrances on to Route 122.

16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to place Emma Weinberg's property on public sale by sealed bids with the right of refusal of any and all bids and to further keep the property on the market until a satisfactory bid is obtained.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-two:

RICHARD WALKER

RALPH HARDY

HAROLD FARNUM

Selectmen of Hollis

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RICHARD WALKER

RALPH HARDY

HAROLD FARNUM

Selectmen of Hollis

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HOLLIS

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1961	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1961	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1962
FROM STATE:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 4,519.60	\$ 4,200.00
Railroad Tax	1.00	.56	.50
Savings Bank Tax	20.00	25.56	20.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		96.83	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		780.75	
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:			
Dog Licenses	650.00	705.25	650.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	20.00	47.00	30.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	250.00	270.00	250.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	450.00	479.60	500.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	1,000.00	1,214.74	1,200.00
Income from Trust Funds	500.00	774.39	1,100.00
Income of Departments:			
Highway, including rental of equipment		205.70	
Cemetery Lots		55.00	
Scales	25.00		25.00
Town Forest	550.00	1,066.85	650.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,000.00	13,494.27	11,000.00
Histories and Maps	25.00	51.65	25.00
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN			
PROPERTY TAXES:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	1,200.00	1,380.00	1,300.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00	16.00	5.00
Yield Taxes	250.00	532.55	350.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 18,946.00	\$ 25,716.30	\$ 21,305.50
TOTAL REVENUES			\$ 45,435.50

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1961	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1961	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1962
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,650.00	\$ 2,948.01	\$ 3,050.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,100.00	1,765.08	2,000.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00	21.00	150.00
Municipal Court Expenses	200.00	172.71	200.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	4,000.00	3,360.11	4,500.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:			
Police Department	3,000.00	3,541.28	3,800.00
Fire Department	4,700.00	4,686.47	4,700.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	500.00	400.00	200.00
Town Scales	25.00	5.00	25.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00		100.00
Poison Ivy Eradication			100.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	200.00	200.00	500.00
Civil Defense	300.00	145.77	700.00
HEALTH:			
Health Dept., Including Hospitals	75.00	42.00	75.00
Vital Statistics	60.00	28.00	60.00
Town Dump	650.00	609.27	700.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	10,000.00	10,690.84	10,500.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	7,500.00	8,623.78	8,500.00
Street Lighting	2,000.00	1,745.69	1,900.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	3,000.00	3,300.72	3,500.00
Town Road Aid	1,062.59	1,062.59	1,056.94
LIBRARIES	2,176.00	2,176.00	2,000.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Town Poor	2,800.00	728.67	2,800.00
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	1,651.91	2,500.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	250.00	250.00	325.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	100.00		100.00
RECREATION:			
Parks and Playground, Including Band Concerts	1,200.00	1,473.77	1,200.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:			
Cemeteries	1,250.00	1,674.58	1,150.00
N. H. Municipal Association	100.00	100.00	50.00
Town Forest	1,500.00	719.83	1,500.00

INTEREST:

On Temporary Loans	300.00	275.92	300.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	100.00	49.50	

Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improv.

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:

Town Construction	1,500.00	122.97	
Sidewalk Construction	50.00		50.00
New Lands and Buildings	250.00	1,596.23	250.00
New Equipment	1,200.00		1,200.00

PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:

Long Term Notes	2,200.00	2,200.00	
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	7,000.00	7,000.00	
Fire Engine			5,000.00
Grader			3,000.00

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 66,698.59</u>	<u>\$ 63,367.70</u>	<u>\$ 66,741.94</u>
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SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings (Exclusive of Property listed in Item Nos. 2 & 3)	\$3,146,333.00
House Trailers, Travel Trailers, Mobile Homes Chapter 41, Laws of 1961)	700.00
Factory Buildings including Land and Machinery	33,900.00
Electric Plants	139,300.00
Stock in Trade	11,770.00
Boats and Launches, 16	3,200.00
Horses Asses and Mules, 2	150.00
Cows, 745	74,500.00
Other Neat Stock, 19	1,000.00
Sheep and Goats, 17	282.00
Hogs, 125	2,000.00
Fowls, 78,700	20,375.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	3,650.00
Road Building and Construction Machinery Including Stone Crushers	5,012.00
Fur-bearing Animals and Rabbits, 311	2,510.00
TOTAL GROSS VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED	
	\$3,444,682.00
LESS: VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS AND EXEMPTIONS TO BLIND	
	125,000.00
NET VALUATION ON WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED	
	\$3,319,682.00
1. Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	\$ 125,000.00
2. Amount of property valuation exempted to blind	None
3. Number of inventories distributed	683
4. Number of inventories returned	471
5. Number of veterans who received property exemption	125
6. Number of veterans exempted from poll tax	184

**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES
 ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1961
 TOWN OF HOLLIS
 APPROPRIATIONS**

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 2,650.00
Town Officers Expenses	2,100.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00
Municipal Court Expenses	200.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	4,000.00
Police Department	3,000.00
Fire Department	4,700.00
Blister Rust—Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	500.00
Town Scale	25.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	200.00
Civil Defense	300.00
Health Department	75.00
Vital Statistics	60.00
Town Dump	650.00
Town Maintenance	
Summer \$10,000.00; Winter \$7,500.00	17,500.00
Street Lighting	2,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	3,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,062.59
Libraries	2,176.00
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00
Public Relief	
Town Poor \$2,800.00; Veteran's Aid \$100.00	2,900.00
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day	250.00
Parks and Playgrounds including Band Concerts	1,200.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	300.00
Cemeteries	1,250.00
Town Forest	1,500.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00
New Construction, Bridges	1,500.00
Sidewalk Construction	50.00
New Buildings and Lands	250.00
New Equipment	1,200.00
Payment on Debt	
Principal \$2,200.00; Interest \$100.00	\$2,300.00
Capital Reserve Fund—to be raised by taxation	7,000.00
TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS	\$ 66,698.59
County Tax	13,703.85
School Tax	157,094.72
TOTAL TOWN, COUNTY AND SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS	\$237,497.16

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 4,519.60
Railroad Tax	1.00
Savings Bank Tax	25.56
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	550.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	1,000.00
Business Licenses, Permits, Filing Fees	20.00
Dog Licenses	650.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	11,000.00
Rent of Town Property Equipment	450.00
Income from Trust Funds	500.00
Fines and Forfeits—Municipal Court	250.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00
Poll Taxes at \$2.00, 730	1,460.00
Cash Surplus	10,145.72
Town Scales	25.00
Town Forest	550.00
Sale of Histories and Maps	25.00

TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS \$ 31,176.88

\$206,320.28

Plus Overlay

1,491.81

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY
PROPERTY TAXES

\$207,812.09

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1961

	Appropriations Previous Year 1961	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Town Officers' Salaries	2,650.00		2,650.00	2,948.01	334.92	
Town Officers' Expenses	2,100.00		2,100.00	1,765.08	89.00	
Election and Registration Expense	100.00	10.00	110.00	21.00	297.29	
Municipal Court	200.00	270.00	470.00	172.71	1,114.49	
Expenses for Town Hall and Buildings	4,000.00	474.60	4,474.60	3,360.11		
Police Department	3,000.00	50.00	3,050.00	3,541.28		
Fire Department	4,700.00	108.83	4,808.83	4,686.47	122.36	
Blister Rust. Care of Trees	500.00	.20	500.20	400.00	100.20	
Town Scales	25.00		25.00	5.00	20.00	
Planning and Zoning	100.00	37.00	137.00		137.00	
Dog Damages and Legal Expenses	200.00	705.25	905.25	200.00	705.25	
Civil Defense	300.00		300.00	145.77	154.23	
Health Department	75.00		75.00	42.00	33.00	
Vital Statistics	60.00		60.00	28.00	32.00	
Town Dump	650.00		650.00	609.27	40.73	
Summer Roads	10,000.00	918.40	10,918.40	10,690.84	227.56	
Winter Roads	7,500.00	52.00	7,552.00	8,623.78		1,071.78
Street Lighting	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,745.69	254.31	
General Expenses Highway	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,300.72		300.72
Town Road Aid	1,062.59		1,062.59	1,062.59		
Library	2,176.00		2,176.00	2,176.00		
Town Poor	2,800.00	140.10	2,940.10	728.67	2,211.43	
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	780.75	3,280.75	1,651.91	1,628.84	

Memorial Day	250.00			250.00			
Aid to Soldiers and Families	100.00			100.00			
Parks, Playgrounds and Band Concerts	1,200.00	94.63		1,294.63			
Cemeteries	1,250.00	741.50		1,991.50			179.14
Advertisement and Regional Association	100.00			100.00			
Town Forest	1,500.00	1,260.85		2,760.85			
Int. on Temp. Loans	300.00			300.00			
Int. on Long Term	100.00			100.00			
Highways and Bridges	1,500.00			1,500.00			
Sidewalk Construction	50.00			50.00			
New Land & Buildings	250.00			250.00			1,346.23
New Equipment	1,200.00			1,200.00			
Long Term Notes	2,200.00			2,200.00			
Payment to Cap. Res. Fire Engine	7,000.00			7,000.00			
Taxes Bought by Town		276.33		276.33			
Temporary Loan		29,724.08		29,724.08			
Head Tax		4,836.50		4,836.50			566.50
School Tax, 1960-1961		20,000.00		20,000.00			
School Tax, 1961-1962	157,094.72			157,094.72			20,000.00
County Tax	13,703.85			13,703.85			
County Poor							
Ambulance		108.00		108.00			54.00
Timber Tax, 1961		654.67		654.67			
Timber Tax, Prev. Year							
Bounty							
Town Maps & Histories		51.65		51.65			1.50
Head Tax Refund		27.28		27.28			
Total Appropriation	\$237,497.16					\$268,722.30	
Unexpended Balance	33,840.14						\$ 33,840.14
Overdraft	3,742.66						\$ 3,742.66
Net Unexpended Balance	30,097.48						
Less: Amount Owed School	20,000.00						
Actual Unexpended Balance	\$ 10,097.48						

FINANCIAL REPORT
of the
Town of Hollis, N. H. in Hillsborough County
for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961

Balance Sheet

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 21,758.85	
Capital Reserve Fund:		
Fire Engine purchase	8,000.00	
Unredeemed taxes:		
Levy of 1960	345.10	
Levy of 1959	36.36	
Previous Years	101.04	
Uncollected taxes:		
Levy of 1961	38,038.27	
Levy of 1960	119.53	
Levy of 1959	96.72	
Previous Years	102.57	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1961	935.00	
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	105.00	
	\$ 69,638.44	
Total Assets		\$ 69,638.44
Grand Total		\$ 69,638.44
Surplus, December 31, 1960		38,797.03
Surplus, December 31, 1961		40,509.44
		\$ 1,712.41
Increase of Surplus		\$ 1,712.41

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Bills outstanding	\$ 194.00
Due to State:	
State Head Taxes—1961	
(Uncollected \$935.00)	
(Collected—not remitted to State Treas.)	935.00
Due to School District:	
Balance of Appropriation	20,000.00
Capital Reserve Funds	8,000.00
	\$ 29,129.00
Total Liabilities	\$ 29,129.00
Excess of assets over liabilities	40,509.44
	\$ 69,638.44
Grand Total	\$ 69,638.44

Uniform Classification

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:	
From Local Taxes:	
1. Property Taxes—1961	\$168,198.79
2. Poll Taxes—1961	1,142.00
3. National Bank Stock Taxes—1961	16.00
4. Yield Taxes—1961	654.67
5. State Head Taxes—1961	3,655.00
	173,666.46
6. Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	173,666.46
7. Property Taxes and Yield Taxes— Previous Years	32,502.41
8. Poll Taxes—Previous Years	238.00
9. State Head Taxes at \$5.00—Previous Years	1,081.00
10. Interest received on Taxes	1,200.24
11. Penalties on State Head Taxes	115.00
12. Tax sales redeemed	817.62
	\$209,620.73
Total	\$209,620.73

From State:

13. For Town Road Aid—Duncan Fund	764.90
14. Interest and dividends tax	4,519.60
15. Railroad Tax	.56
16. Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	25.56
21. Fighting Forest Fires	103.83
22. Head Tax Refund	27.28
23. Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assist.	780.75

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

26. Dog Licenses	705.25
27. Business licenses, permits and filing fees	47.00
28. Fines and forfeits, municipal court	270.00
29. Rent of town property	479.60
31. Income from trust funds	774.39
32. Result of W. Hollis accident	102.50
33. Town Forest & A.C.P.	1,260.85
35. Motor vehicle permits	13,494.27

\$ 23,356.34

Total Current Revenue Receipts

\$232,977.07

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

36. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$ 29,724.08
44. Sale of town property: Town maps, histories	51.65
Blister Rust	.20
Rental of Highway Equipment	153.20
Sale of Cemetery Lots	55.00
Ambulance Service	108.00
Refund a/c Town Poor	140.10
Eastern States Co-op Div.	6.74

Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue

\$ 30,238.97

Total Receipts from All Sources

263,216.04

Cash on hand January 1, 1961

27,265.41

Grand Total

\$290,481.45

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

1. Town officers' salaries	\$ 2,948.01
2. Town officers' expenses	1,765.08
3. Election and registration expenses	21.00
4. Municipal court expenses	172.71
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings	3,360.11

Protection of Persons and Property:

6. Police department	3,541.28
7. Town scales	5.00
8. Fire department, including forest fires	4,686.47
9. Moth extermination—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	400.00
11. Damage by dogs & legal expense	200.00
13. Civil Defense	145.77
14. Bounties	1.50

Health:

15. Health department, including hospitals	42.00
16. Vital statistics	28.00
17. Ambulance	162.00
18. Town dumps and garbage removal	609.27

Highways and Bridges:

19. Town Road Aid	1,062.59
20. Town Maintenance (Summer \$10,690.84) (Winter \$8,623.78)	19,314.62
21. Street lighting	1,745.69
22. General Expenses of Highway Dept.	3,300.72

Libraries:

23. Libraries	2,176.00
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Public Welfare:

24. Old age assistance	1,651.91
25. Town Poor	728.67

Patriotic Purposes:

27. Memorial Day and Veteran's Assoc.	250.00
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Recreation:

29. Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	1,473.77
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Public Service Enterprises:

30. Town Forest	719.83
31. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	1,674.58

Unclassified:

34. Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00
35. Taxes bought by town	276.33
36. Error a/c 3 Checks	.30

Interest:

38. Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	275.92
39. Paid on long term notes	49.50

Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:

43. Highways and Bridges—Town construction	122.97
48. Lands and buildings: (Other \$1,596.23)	1,596.23

Indebtedness:

51. Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	29,724.08
52. Payments on long term notes	2,200.00
54. Payments to capital reserve funds	7,000.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

56. State Head Taxes paid State Treas. (1961 Taxes \$3,655.00) (Prior Yrs. \$615.00)	4,270.00
57. Payment to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	122.12
58. Taxes paid to County	13,703.85
60. Payments to School Districts (1960 Tax \$20,000.00) (1961 Tax \$137,094.72)	157,094.72

Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions \$175,190.69

Total \$216,535.72

Total Payments for all Purposes \$268,722.60

Cash on hand December 31, 1961 21,758.85

Grand Total \$290,481.45

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 60,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	10,000.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	25,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
3. Police Department	
Equipment	1,000.00
4. Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	20,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	5,500.00
Equipment	16,000.00
Materials and Supplies	1,000.00
6. Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
7. Town Forest	12,500.00
9. Schools, Lands and Buildings	250,000.00
Equipment	22,500.00
11. All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:	
Emma Weinberg property	1,000.00
Civil Defense Equipment	2,500.00
Henry F. Tarbell lot	50.00
Tarbell & Letendre lot	35.00
George Perry lot	200.00
Total	\$452,285.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

(January 1, 1961 through December 31, 1961)

DOG LICENSES

Received for licenses on:

2 1960 Licenses	\$ 2.75	
174 male dogs	347.00	
106 spayed female dogs	212.00	
25 female dogs	125.00	
1 Kennel (5 dogs)	12.00	
6 duplicate tags	3.00	
Fines	3.50	
TOTAL		\$ 705.25
Paid Milton D. Wright, Town Treasurer		\$ 705.25

AUTOMOBILE PERMITS

Received for 44 1960 Permits	\$ 277.05	
Received for 1300 1961 Permits	12,422.83	
Received for 63 1962 Permits	794.39	
TOTAL		\$ 13,494.27
Paid Milton D. Wright, Town Treasurer		\$ 13,494.27
Received for Election Filing Fees		\$ 10.00
Paid Milton D. Wright, Town Treasurer		\$ 10.00

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Warrant

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes

LEVY 1961

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Tax Collector:

Property Taxes	\$207,261.20
Poll Taxes	1,460.00
National Bank Stock	16.00

Total Warrant	\$208,737.20
Yield Taxes	654.67

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	90.77
Poll Taxes	8.00

98.77

Interest Collected	27.43
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Total Debits \$209,518.07

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$168,198.79
Poll Taxes	1,142.00
National Bank Stock	16.00
Yield Taxes	654.67
Interest Collected	27.43

\$170,038.89

Abatements:

Property Taxes	1,114.91
Poll Taxes	16.00

\$ 1,130.91

Uncollected Taxes:

Property Taxes	38,038.27
Poll Taxes	310.00

\$ 38,348.27

Total Credits \$209,518.07

**Summary of Warrant
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
LEVY OF 1960**

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes — as of January 1, 1961:

Property Taxes	\$ 32,450.11
Poll Taxes	318.00
Yield Taxes	34.93
Added Poll Taxes	32.00

	\$ 32,835.04	
Interest Collected	983.75	
Total Debits		\$ 33,818.79

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$ 31,889.21
Poll Taxes	312.00
Interest Collected	983.75

	\$ 33,184.96	
Abatements:		
Property Taxes	498.30	
Poll Taxes	16.00	
		\$ 514.30
Uncollected Taxes:		
Property Taxes	62.60	
Poll Taxes	22.00	
Yield Taxes	34.93	
		\$ 119.53
		\$ 33,818.79

Summary of Warrant

LEVY 1959

Uncollected as of January 1, 1961:

Property Taxes	\$	396.72
Poll Taxes		2.00
Yield Taxes		13.20

			\$	411.92
Interest Collected				44.02

\$ 455.92

Remitted to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	313.20
Poll Taxes	2.00
Interest Collected	44.02

Uncollected:

Property Taxes	83.52
Yield Taxes	13.20

\$ 455.94

LEVY OF 1958

Uncollected as of January 1, 1961:

Property Taxes	\$	451.32
Yield Taxes		78.05
Interest Collected		42.17

\$ 571.49

Remitted to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	236.40
Yield Taxes	63.60
Interest	42.12

Abatements:

Property Taxes	126.80
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Uncollected:

Property Taxes	88.12
Yield Taxes	14.45

\$ 571.49

	LEVY 1955
Uncollected Poll Tax	\$2.00
	LEVY 1954
Uncollected Poll Tax	\$2.00
	LEVY 1953
Uncollected Poll Tax	\$2.00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1961

DR.					
Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:					
	1960	1959	1957	1956	Previous Years
Taxes Sold to Town during Current Fiscal Year	\$452.01	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance Unredeemed Taxes as of January 1, 1961		562.24	117.15	101.04	5.44
Interest Collected after Sale	1.34	67.25	34.08		.25
Total Debits	\$453.35	\$529.49	\$211.23	\$101.04	\$ 5.69
CR.					
Remittances to Treasurer	\$108.25	\$593.13	\$211.23	\$	\$ 5.69
Unredeemed Taxes—At Close of Year	345.10	36.36		101.04	
Total Credits	\$453.35	\$629.49	\$211.23	\$101.04	\$ 5.69

**Summary of Warrant
State Head Tax**

LEVY 1961

Dr.	
State Head Taxes Committed to Tax Collector:	
Original Warrant	\$ 4,600.00
Added Taxes	25.00
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Total Commitment	4,625.00
Penalties Collected	14.50
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Total Debits	\$ 4,639.50
Cr.	
Remittances to Treasurer:	
Head Taxes	\$ 3,655.00
Penalties	14.50
Abatements	35.00
Uncollected Head Taxes	935.00
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Total Credits	\$ 4,639.50

**Summary of Warrant
State Head Taxes
LEVY 1960**

Dr.

Uncollected as of		
January 1, 1960	\$	1,035.00
Added Taxes		70.00
Penalties Collected		100.00
		\$ 1,205.00
Total Debits		\$ 1,205.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$	1,000.00
Penalties		100.00
Abatements		40.00
Uncollected Head Taxes		65.00
		\$ 1,205.00
Total Credits		\$ 1,205.00

	LEVY 1959	
Uncollected Head Taxes	\$	10.00
Penalties		.50
		\$ 10.50
Remitted to Treasurer	5.00	
Penalties	.50	
Uncollected	5.00	
		\$ 10.50

Uncollected LEVY 1958 \$5.00

Uncollected LEVY 1957 \$5.00

Uncollected LEVY 1956 \$5.00

Uncollected LEVY 1955 \$10.00

Uncollected LEVY 1954 \$5.00

Uncollected LEVY 1953 \$5.00

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts:

Evelyn B. Rice, Tax. Collector	\$209,620.73
Bertha Duncan, Town Clerk	
Auto Permits	13,494.37
Dog Licenses	705.25
Filings for Office	10.00
State of N. H.	
Interest & Dividends Taxes	4,519.60
Class V Road Aid	760.35
Use of Grader	52.00
Recovery on Osgood Currier O.A.A.	40.50
Recovery on Flora Hardy O.A.A.	740.25
Forest Fires	96.83
Savings Bank Tax	25.56
Railroad Tax	.56
Refund Blister Rust	.20
Refund T. R. A.	4.55
Refund Head Tax Expenses	27.28
Trustees of Trust Funds	774.39
Lorden Lumber Co., Lumber	430.01
School Department, Lumber	462.48
J. P. Smith, Lumber	65.36
Building Permits:	
John Johnson	37.00
Ambulance Service:	
Edna Hill	18.00
David Savail	18.00
W. Ladd	18.00
Maude LaPlante	18.00
John Carnes	18.00
I. Speare	18.00
Indian Head Bank Note	29,724.08
Josephine Rideout:	
Care of Flander's Baby	140.00
Adelaid Crawford Cemetery Lot	20.00
Russell Dudley Cemetery Lot	35.00
Little Store, Town Maps	21.25
Cash, Town Maps	2.50
Social Library, Sale of Histories	27.90
Hollis Kindergarten:	
Rent for Town Hall	193.60
Michael McGilvary, Town Hall	201.00
Boy Scouts, Town Hall	80.00

Denton Lates:

Income from Municipal Court	270.00	
U. S. Treasury A.C.P. on Woodlot	303.00	
Congregational Church:		
Tree Removal	35.00	
Katrina Copeland, Tree Removal	15.00	
D. Canady:		
Accident at W. Hollis	102.50	
Walter Wright, Forest Fire	7.00	
Gate City Caterers:		
Grader Work	24.00	
A. H. Rice, Repair Drive	27.20	
Fire Dept., Use of Truck	5.00	
E. S. A. Exchange Dividend	6.74	
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		\$263,216.04
Cash on hand January 1, 1961		27,265.41
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		\$290,481.45
Total Payments		\$268,722.60
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Cash on hand January 1, 1962		\$ 21,758.85

M. D. WRIGHT

Town Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Bertha Duncan	\$ 946.55
E. B. Rice	426.46
Warren Towne	100.00
Gordon McEnnis	50.00
Richard Walker	400.00
Ralph Hardy	350.00
Harold Farnum	350.00
Milton Wright	325.00
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	\$ 2,948.01

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Donat Corriveau	\$ 63.76
Assoc. of N. H. Assessors	3.00
Charles R. Hardy, Treas. N. H.	
Town Clerks	3.00
N. H. Tax Collectors Assoc.	3.00
Nashua Telegraph	7.35
Bertha Duncan	27.77
Wheeler & Clark	33.91
Maxfield Press	468.00
Shaw Walker Co.	125.00
E. B. Rice	151.25
Branham Publishing Co.	9.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.	52.88
Indian Head Nat. Bank	6.60
C. Edward Bourassa	.60
Sargent Brothers	57.25
Ned Spaulding	2.00
Artcraft Stationery	7.75
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency	251.65
Aimee Stoddard	90.00
B. R. Orde	182.81
Harold Farnum	30.00
Ralph Hardy	30.00
Richard Walker	30.00
Milton D. Wright	38.50
Hollis, Telephone Co., Inc.	90.00
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	\$ 1,765.08

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

Arcraft Stationery Co.	\$	14.00	
Bertha Duncan		7.00	
			\$ 21.00

MUNICIPAL COURT

The Maxwell Press	\$	16.31	
Phaneuf Press		6.40	
Denton Lates		150.00	
			\$ 172.71

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Michael McGilvary	\$	221.10	
Lorden Oil Co., Inc.		1,707.58	
Public Service Co. of N. H.		290.73	
Rheta McGilvary		28.00	
Hollis Telephone Co., Inc.		262.30	
Indian Head Plate Glass Co.		8.53	
Hollis Auto Service		.45	
George E. Therrien		6.60	
Lawrence Clark Insurance Co.		603.95	
Wrenn's Gas Co.		11.50	
J. P. Smith		7.02	
Carroll Spaulding		19.00	
William L. Nutting Inc.		15.50	
Community Store		22.90	
Gabriel Bros.		72.79	
Osgood's		19.31	
Johnson Electric Supply Co.		34.70	
Stello's Electric Supply Co.		7.89	
Wright Brothers		20.26	
			\$ 3,360.11

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Rheta McGilvary	\$ 927.75
Hollis Telephone Co. Inc.	200.75
Law & Order	17.00
Herbert Thistle	41.00
David Munroe	31.00
Wm. Lassins	456.23
Harold King	187.50
Charles Dow	135.00
Chester Whittemore	30.75
Elmer Neary	308.88
F. J. Wood	10.00
Kenneth Bennett	491.75
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency	58.32
Hollis, Auto Service	1.00
Wilton Auto Station Inc.	15.00
Nashua Auto Company	192.03
Public Service Co. of N. H.	22.19
George Howland	315.00
Johnson Electric Supply Co.	7.25
Benner Electronic Service	15.88
Arthur Lemay	13.00
Lynwood Lund, Dog Officer	64.00
City of Nashua, N. H. (Ambulance)	162.00
	\$ 3,703.28

BLISTER RUST AND CARE OF TREES

William Messeck	\$ 400.00
	\$ 400.00

BOUNTIES

Herbert Gardner	\$.50
Benedict Hogan, Jr.	.50
Ralph Hardy	.50
	\$ 1.50

CIVIL DEFENSE

N. H. Distributing Agency	\$ 60.80
Burgess Printing Co.	45.45
Young & Young Co.	11.02
Treasurer of State of N. H.	13.50
American Red Cross	15.00
	\$ 145.77

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Rheta McGilvary	\$ 927.75	
Hollis Telephone Co. Inc.	234.00	
Edward G. Moody & Son	195.00	
C. F. Hayward	23.25	
G. Brown	3.00	
Carroll Spaulding	5.00	
Safe Guard Fire Ex. Co.	10.50	
Wright Brothers	1.78	
Macleod Co.	3.70	
Glenn Staveley	50.00	
Hollis Auto Service	430.66	
Gabriel Brothers	.74	
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency	931.31	
Michael McGilvary	23.40	
Nashua Battery Co.	22.13	
Robert Hayden	130.00	
Warren Towne	121.50	
Gamewell Co.	50.75	
Treas. of State of N. H.	100.50	
James A. Coffin	142.40	
Motor Service & Supply Co.	32.27	
Hammar Hardware Co.	8.02	
Sudbury Laboratory	43.00	
Wright Brothers	11.52	
Harodikes, Inc.	28.00	
Benner Electronic Service	164.79	
Hollis Fire Dept.	991.50	
	\$ 4,686.47	

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Artcraft Stationery Co.	\$ 7.00	
Erving Simonds	35.00	
	\$ 42.00	

VITAL STATISTICS

Bertha Duncan	\$ 28.00	
	\$ 28.00	

TOWN DUMP

Artercraft Stationery Co.	\$	8.80
Charles Dow		36.00
Kenneth Marvell, Sr.		19.50
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.		7.50
Lewis Johnson		77.00
Maurice Marvell		67.90
C. B. Spaulding		38.00
Nelson Parkhurst		24.57
Walter Frost		330.00
		609.27
	\$	609.27

SUMMER ROADS

Charles Dow	\$	2,971.25
Kenneth Marvell, Sr.		1,009.50
Joseph Surwell		842.50
Kenneth Towne		3.00
Carroll Spaulding		22.50
Roy Wilkins		357.00
Lewis Johnson		604.50
Motor Service & Supply Co.		15.87
Chet-er-net		3.90
Lorden Oil Co. Inc.		170.98
C. B. Spaulding		36.00
Maurice Marvell		958.45
Austin Parkhurst		75.20
Julius Kanterovich		95.30
H. Brown		25.00
Floyd Sweetnam		7.20
Mystic Bituminous Co. Inc.		1,780.74
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.		174.10
Terry Helsing		68.20
Glenn Staveley		6.00
R. C. Hazelton Co.		161.28
Wright Brothers		201.07
F. Webber		93.60
Warren Chick		7.70
State of N. H.		1,000.00
		10,690.84
	\$	10,690.84

WINTER ROADS

Charles Dow	\$ 1,962.50
Kenneth Marvell, Sr.	652.50
Joseph Surwell	50.00
Carroll Spaulding	48.75
Kenneth Towne	282.00
International Salt Co.	1,636.82
R. Miner	10.00
Lewis Johnson	1,032.43
Motor Service & Supply Co.	42.19
R. Lavender	10.00
Lorden Oil Co. Inc.	39.46
R. Mayou	10.00
Raymond Covey	45.05
Edward Lievens	237.25
Maurice Marvell	907.13
R. Briggs	17.50
Austin Parkhurst	546.35
Lynwood Lund	12.50
J. D. Paron	18.00
Associated Industries	15.00
Raymond Hebert	6.25
Peter Bell	65.25
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.	235.80
Harold King	22.50
Terry Helsing	22.25
Elwin Hardy	10.00
Law Motor Freight Co.	61.05
Chadwick - Baross Co.	82.71
Community Store	2.34
Hollis Auto Service	1.25
Robert Kibby	25.00
Donel Supply Co.	306.45
Lyle Covey	207.50
	\$ 8,623.78

TOWN ROAD AID

Treasurer of State of N. H. — T. R. A.	\$ 1,062.59
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STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 1,745.69
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GENERAL EXPENSES OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Associated Industries	\$ 216.49	
Lorden Oil Co. Inc.	160.46	
N. H. Explosives & Machine Co.	165.18	
Hammar Hardware Co.	41.02	
Hollis Telephone Co. Inc.	69.38	
Johnson Electric & Supply Co.	8.50	
Reginald White	55.32	
Hollis Auto Service	22.52	
Osgood's	6.89	
Motor Service & Supply Co.	162.20	
Donel Supply Co.	366.43	
Mosley's Express Co.	12.95	
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency	310.68	
Community Store	3.20	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	21.24	
Maurice Perkins	16.25	
Evans Radio Co.	19.95	
E. E. Maclean & Sons	59.77	
Chadwick - Baross	1,162.67	
J. D. Paron Co.	93.95	
Greenard Arbor Press	8.50	
Grover A. Young	12.00	
R. C. Hazelton Co.	284.17	
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co.	21.00	
	\$ 3,300.72	

LIBRARIES

Hollis Social Library	\$ 1,963.60	
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency	212.40	
	\$ 2,176.00	

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Treas. of the State of N. H.	\$ 1,651.91
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TOWN POOR

Mary E. Plimpton	\$	117.12	
Dept. of Public Welfare		20.99	
Mrs. Franklin Blake		83.99	
Mrs. Leopold Chennell		208.58	
Dr. William Garvey		3.00	
Producers Dairy		188.99	
Dr. Oscar Crocker		106.00	
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	\$		728.67

MEMORIAL DAY

Harold J. LaTulippe	\$		250.00
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PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS INCLUDING BAND CONCERTS

Kenneth Marvell, Sr.	\$	483.46	
Terry Helsing		82.50	
Hollis, Auto Service		7.70	
Karl Johnson		4.40	
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.		191.40	
Robert Kibby		4.40	
Hollis Church School Band		300.00	
James Thistle		49.75	
George Therrien		8.53	
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency		51.32	
Wright Brothers		65.86	
Community Store		23.07	
Jeffrey Smith		74.96	
Osgood's		6.52	
Warren Chick		18.70	
Greenland's		101.20	
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	\$		1,473.77

TOWN FORESTS

Kenneth Marvell, Sr.	\$	496.20	
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.		84.70	
Hollis Auto Service		8.43	
Howard Parkhurst		94.50	
Lyle Covey		24.00	
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency		4.00	
Terry Helsing		4.00	
Robert Kibby		4.00	
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	\$		719.83

CEMETERIES

Kenneth Marvell, Sr.	\$	575.00
James Thistle		132.50
Indian Plate Glass Co		2.30
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.		191.40
Joseph Surwell		18.75
J. Covey		11.70
Glenn Staveley		168.00
Terry Helsing		117.70
Associated Industries		6.00
Lawrence Clark Insurance Agency		4.00
Greenland's		56.35
Warren Chick		39.60
Maurice Marvell		33.25
Mills Cemetery Equipment		207.25
Wirthmore Stores		6.90
Community Store		2.52
Hollis Auto Service		80.52
Wright Brothers		8.84
Earl Wright		12.00
		\$ 1,674.58

LEGAL EXPENSES

Sullivan & Gregg	\$	200.00
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REGIONAL ASSOCIATION

Merrimac Valley Regional Assoc.	\$	100.00
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TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

E. B. Rice	\$	276.33
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TOWN SCALES

Community Store	\$	5.00
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INTEREST

Indian Head National Bank	\$	325.42
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HIGHWAY & BRIDGES

Howard Parkhurst	\$	83.85
Hammar Hardware		39.12
		\$ 122.97

LAND, BUILDINGS & NEW EQUIPMENT

Ryder Concrete Co.	\$ 745.75	
Corey's Steeplejacks, Inc.	386.08	
J. D. Paron Welding Co.	24.00	
Associated Industries	113.50	
Wirthmore Stores	326.90	
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TEMPORARY LOAN

Indian Head National Bank	\$ 29,724.08
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BOND, NOTES & CAPITAL RESERVE

Trustees of Trust Fund (Fire Engine)	\$ 7,000.00	
Indian Head National Bank	2,200.00	
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STATE & COUNTY

Albert W. Beaudet, Treas. Hillsborough Co.	\$ 13,703.85	
State of N. H. Yield Tax	122.12	
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HEAD TAX

Treasurer of the State of N. H.	\$ 4,270.00
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SCHOOL DISTRICT

Treasurer of the Hollis School District	\$157,094.72
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REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HOLLIS ON DECEMBER 31, 1961

Date of Creation	NAME OF TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	Principal Balance Beginning of Year	Principal New Funds Created	Principal Balance End of Year	Income Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Income Balance End of Year
SUPPORT OF HOLLIS HIGH SCHOOL								
1878	Mary S. Farley, legacy	Common Trust	\$ 9,549.04	\$	\$	\$	\$ 408.93	\$
1884	Samuel T. Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	1,182.10				51.62	
1916	Lucy E. Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	555.40				24.25	
1916	Sarah A. Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	555.40				24.25	
1917	Franklin Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	25,686.72				1,106.39	
1932	Clara E. Cutter, legacy	Common Trust	500.00				21.83	
1944	Emma F. Vandyke, legacy	Common Trust	3,000.00				128.59	
1956	Mary F. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00				87.34	
1957	Henry A. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00				86.48	
	Total High School Funds		\$45,028.66		45,028.66		\$ 1,939.68	
HELP NEEDED, POOR								
1906	Jesse Rideout, legacy	Common Trust	559.50				24.43	
1934	Delia M. Smith, legacy	Common Trust	100.00				4.37	
1951	Charles H. Farley, memorial	Common Trust	1,000.00				43.67	
	Total Welfare Funds		\$ 1,659.50		1,659.50	418.27	\$ 72.47	\$ 490.74

PERPETUAL CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS

1894 - 1960	156 Legacies and Gifts	\$16,819.50						
1961	7 Legacies and Gifts		800.00	17,619.50	100.00	\$ 719.44	\$ 819.44	

CARE OF PUBLIC SQUARE

1929	Charles J. Nichols, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00			\$ 87.34		
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HISTORICAL SOCIETY

1956	Elizabeth Proctor, legacy	Common Trust	6,862.64			295.90		
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SUPPORT OF HOLLIS LIBRARY

1917	Sarah A. Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	277.70			12.13		
1917	Franklin Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	5,075.00			215.98		
1918	Charles M. Stratton, gift	Common Trust	100.00			4.37		
1927	Lillian Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	361.72			15.79		
1931	John H. & Susan Poole Cutter, memorial	Common Trust	160.00			6.99		
1932	Clara Cutter, legacy	Common Trust	500.00			21.83		
1939	Joseph B. Parker, legacy	Common Trust	500.00			21.83		
1941	Emma Vandyke, legacy	Common Trust	3,000.00			128.59		
1950	Ruth C. Goodwin, legacy	Common Trust	500.00			21.83		
1955	Silas M. Spaulding, legacy	Common Trust	300.00			13.10		
1956	Mary F. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	1,000.00			43.66		
1957	Henry A. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00			86.48		
	Total Library Funds		\$13,774.42	\$	\$13,744.42	\$	\$ 592.58	
	Total Trust Funds		\$86,144.72	\$	\$86,944.72	\$		

HOLLIS CAPITAL RESERVE

1944	Town Map	Amoskeag Sav. Bk.	\$ 1,500.00	\$	\$ 1,500.00	\$	100.19	\$1,029.28
1960	Fire Truck	Amoskeag Sav. Bk.	1,000.00	\$	8,000.00		37.81	37.81
1960	School Building	Amoskeag Sav. Bk.	5,000.00	10,000.00	15,000.00		189.06	189.06

AUDITORS' REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS

TOWN OF HOLLIS, N. H.

Securities in Safe Deposit Box No. 404 of The Indian Head National Bank of Nashua, as shown by Wendell C. Wright, Clarence L. Howe and Jeffery Smith, Trustees, are as follows:

\$5,000.00	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. 4 3/8% Deb. 1-1-85, #205-556/205-560 inclusive.
\$5,000.00	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., 1st & Ref. Mtge. Ser. AA 4 1/2, #16775/8 inclusive and #23122. Maturity 12-1-86.
\$5,000.00	Public Service Co. of Oklahoma 1st Mtge. Ser. 4 1/4% #8075/79 inclusive. Maturity 2-1-87.
\$5,000.00	Sears, Roebuck & Co. 4 3/4% S. F. Deb. of 8-1-83 #68781/85 inclusive.
32 sh.	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co. — 10 sh. Ctf. #X918513; 20 sh. Ctf. #D670049, 2 sh. Ctf. #185746.
218 sh.	Commonwealth Edison Co. common—100 sh. #N276775; 3 sh. #1-480029; 2 sh. #1-304388; 2 sh. #1-123884; 107 sh. #111-49033; 4 sh. #1-772145.
100 sh.	Eaton Mfg. Co. common — 50 sh. #NC/O 41251; 50 sh. #CC/O 25220.
40 sh.	General Motors Corp. common Ctf. #L641-599.
28 sh.	Guaranty Trust Co. of N. Y. Ctf. #F144960.
100 sh.	National Biscuit Co. common Ctf. #G336798.
72 sh.	Ohio Oil Co. common — 70 sh. #NY/AL 156176; 1 sh. #NY/AL 205500; 1 sh. #NY/AL 189235.
90 sh.	J. C. Penney Co. common — 60 sh. #U31541; 30 sh. #A0116241.
65 sh.	Square D Co. — 50 sh. #NY/CO 56728; 1 sh. #DC/O 33702; 1 sh. #DC/O 21014; 13 sh. #DO20952.

United States Savings Bonds Series G as follows:

\$100	#C5661147G
\$100	#C5733795G
\$100	#C5446020G
\$100	#C5905285G
\$100	#C5904929G
\$100	#C5904928G
\$100	#C6031162G
\$100	#C5904216G
\$100	#C5904217G
\$500	#D3482938G

Savings Passbooks:

Amoskeag Savings Bank — #237657 — Bal. \$2,429.09 (Capital Reserve)

Amoskeag Savings Bank — #305397 — Bal. \$8,026.90.

Amoskeag Savings Bank — #305395 — Bal. \$15,134.50.

Manchester Savings Bank — #155661 — Bal. \$2,094.74.

Manchester Savings Bank — #206049 — Bal. \$2,000.00 (Charles J. Nichols Fund)

Merrimack County Savings Bank — #34207 — Bal. \$549.04 (Hollis High School Fund)

New Hampshire Savings Bank — #99555 — Bal. \$1,000.00 (Hollis High School Fund)

U. S. Treasury Bonds: 3 1/4% 1978-83

1 — \$10,000.00

3 — 5,000.00

1 — 1,000.00

Morgan Guaranty Trust Company Receipt #B774723 for U. S. Treas. Note 4% Series D due 2-15-62 for \$10,000.00.

WARREN H. TOWNE
ELSIE S. TOWNE

Auditors

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**REPORT OF THE COMMON TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS
ON THE TOWN OF HOLLIS ON DECEMBER 31, 1961**

No. of Shares or Other Units	HOW INVESTED	Principal Balance Beginning of Year	Principal Purchases	Principal Losses from Sales	Principal Balance End of Year	Income During Year
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
	Merrimack County Savings Bank	549.04			549.04	21.96
	New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,000.00			1,000.00	40.00
	Manchester Savings Bank	2,974.42	1,120.32		4,094.74	143.24
	U. S. Series "G" Bonds, 2 1/2 %	1,600.00			1,600.00	31.50
	U. S. Treasury Bonds, 3 1/4 %	26,000.00			26,000.00	845.00
10 M	U. S. Treasury Note, Series D, 4 %	9,986.25			9,986.25	400.00
5 M	U. S. Treasury Note, Series D, 4 %	5,017.50			5,017.50	218.75
5 M	American Tel. and Tel., 4 3/8 %, 1985	5,013.85			5,013.85	225.00
5 M	Pacific Gas and Electric Co., 4 1/2 %, 1986	5,006.55			5,006.55	212.50
5 M	Public Service Co. of Oklahoma, 4 1/4 %, 1987	5,313.06			5,313.06	237.50
5 M	Sears Roebuck and Co., 4 3/4 %, 1983	1,799.18			1,799.18	72.80
65 Shares	Square D Co., common	2,818.50			2,818.50	180.00
100 Shares	Eaton Manufacturing Co., common	1,886.62			1,886.62	112.00
28 Shares	Morgan Guaranty Trust Co. of New York	3,889.25			3,889.25	280.00
100 Shares	National Biscuit Co., common	4,052.81			4,052.81	226.61
218 Shares	Commonwealth Edison Co., common	1,759.15	193.20		1,952.35	111.15
32 Shares	American Tel. and Tel., capital	2,297.91	26.40		2,324.31	114.40
72 Shares	Ohio Oil Co., common	1,632.16			1,632.16	100.00
40 Shares	General Motors Corp., common	2,476.03			2,476.03	135.00
90 Shares	J. C. Penny Co., common	920.32		(339.92)	580.40	
	Check Account, not invested					
	Totals	\$86,025.33	\$ 1,339.92	\$ (339.92)	\$87,025.33	\$ 3,707.41

TREASURER'S REPORT

Hollis Social Library, 1961

RECEIPTS FOR 1961

Balance in Bank Jan. 1, 1961	\$ 113.27	
Town Appropriation Received	1,963.60	
Trust Funds Received	596.36	
Books and Magazines Sold	38.92	
Gifts for Purchase of Books	10.00	
Old Lamp Sold	5.00	
Fines	70.20	
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TOTAL		\$ 2,797.35

EXPENDITURES FOR 1961

Librarian Salaries	\$650.00	
Books Purchased	463.84	
Magazines	105.75	
Lights	78.21	
Supplies	50.48	
Repairs	591.19	
Fuel	233.34	
Custodian	140.00	
Bank Service Charges	9.30	
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TOTAL		\$ 2,322.11
Bank Balance Dec. 31, 1961		475.24
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		\$ 2,797.35

Report submitted by

R. DAVID SALVAIL

Treasurer
Hollis Social Library

1/9/62 Audited and approved
WARREN H. TOWNE, Auditor
ELSIE S. TOWNE, Auditor

LIBRARY REPORT
CIRCULATION

Adult Fiction	2,473
Adult Non-Fiction	1,580
Magazines	1,139
Junior Fiction	1,669
Junior Non-Fiction	258
Total	7,119
Library open 102 days	
Books Purchased	144
Books Donated	5

LILLIAN MOURISON

Librarian

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REPORT OF THE HOLLIS POLICE DEPARTMENT

Calls and Complaints	418
Abandoned cars	11
Accidents (Personal and Property)	34
Assault and Battery	3
Breaking and Entering	24
Committed to State Penal Institutions	4
Complaint on Speeders	90
Disturbing the Peace	12
Drunkenness	9
Family Disputes	24
Hit and Run (Property Damage)	4
Investigate Stolen Property	39
Investigate with State Police	6
Investigate with Other Departments	3
Investigate for Other Departments	13
Juvenile Complaints	13
Larceny	8
Lost Persons	6
Malicious Damage	12
Drowning	2
Misuse of Fire Arms	2
Misuse of Motor Vehicle	3
Prowlers	7
Stolen Cars	2
Summons Served for Other Departments	7
Suspicious Persons Picked Up	6
Trespassing	2
Other Complaints	69
Road Checks	3
	418

Calls on the Blue Telephone in 1961

Between the Police Department and Rheta McGilvery

Police or emergency	331
Miscellaneous	661
	992
Total	992
Radio calls logged	1,249
Jan., 87; Feb., 44; Mar., 84; Apr., 75; May, 121; June, 115; July, 119; Aug., 85; Sept., 64; Oct., 62; Nov., 71; Dec., 74.	

The year 1961 has been a busy one for the Hollis Police Department. The increase in activity and popularity of our business and entertainment establishments has increased our traffic problem. Therefore, an increase in road patrol has been needed.

This year we were very fortunate to have no fatal traffic accident. We hope by increasing our road patrol for the summer months that our traffic violations will be reduced to a minimum.

I would like to take this opportunity to bring to your attention the fine job that our Radio Dispatcher, Mrs. Rheta McGilvery, is doing. Through her alertness and cooperation this department and the Townspeople have profited this year.

The Hollis Police Association has had a very successful year. Through this association our police officers have had an opportunity to meet and hear speakers of high ability and knowledge of police activities — increasing our ability to be of service to our community.

I would like to thank the Townspeople for the cooperation which they have given the Police Department. Also, I want to thank Judge Denton V. Lates for another year of serving the Town of Hollis in a job that has been well done. The Police Department is very grateful and appreciative of his services.

KENNETH R. BENNETT

Chief of Police

Town of Hollis, N. H.

ANNUAL REPORT OF HOLLIS MUNICIPAL COURT

The Hollis Municipal Court was slightly more active last year than in the previous year. Regular sessions were held on Tuesday evenings in the Fire Station, with special sessions called as the occasion warranted.

The Court convened 31 times during the year to hear a total of 71 complaints. The major portion of these, 55, were for motor vehicle violations.

Details of the year's activities follow:

Total cases heard	71
Total number of Court sessions	31

Receipts:

Total cash on hand Jan. 1, 1961	\$ 15.56	
Total amount of fines and bail forfeitures collected	550.00	
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Total receipts		\$565.56

Disbursements:

Total amount of fines paid to State	\$265.50	
Court expenses	7.58	
Amount paid to Town Treasurer	270.00	
Cash on hand in Court Dec. 31, 1961	22.48	
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Total disbursements		\$565.56

Respectfully submitted,

DENTON V. LATES

Justice

REPORT OF FIRE CHIEF

The Hollis Fire Department does not have an organized Fire Prevention Program. However, all the officers and men are constantly reminding people of the many fire hazards and the need for calling the Fire Department as quickly as possible when an emergency arises. Apparently such reminders are proving successful because calls for aid continue to slowly grow smaller even though the population and buildings are increasing rapidly.

In 1961 we had 26 calls — 2 less than 1960. There were 6 chimney fires, 4 brush fires, 4 electrical fires, one of which was caused by lightning, 3 automobile fires and 4 building fires. Personal emergency calls were for one fatal double drowning, 2 persons rescued from a double drowning, one aid to injured woodsman, 1 child trapped in bed and one call to rescue a dog fallen through ice.

The results of our building fires again proves the great value of carrying water on our fire trucks because in every case we were able to control or extinguish the fires with our tanks.

The caretakers hut at the dump was completely burned as a Hallowe'en prank.

The house and barn fires were extinguished before the complete sets of buildings became involved.

The Red Phone continues to be a busy line well handled by Mrs. Rheta McGilvary on 24 hours daily service. There were 48 calls covering real emergencies and 228 other calls.

May we again stress that the Red Phone is for emergency only. Calls for information should be made to some other telephone.

WARREN H. TOWNE

Fire Chief

AN APPEAL FROM YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN

In these days of constantly rising taxes and wages, any unnecessary expense is an added burden on everyone's pocketbook — yours and mine. Forest fires cost money and damage our valuable woodlands. Lightning sets some forest fires, but we have no control of lightning. Children cause many fires. Ninety-eight percent of our forest fires result from human carelessness — our carelessness. This, we — you — and I can do something about.

When we require you to obtain a permit for out-of-doors burning or forbid you to burn on days of high fire danger or set up regulations — hours, etc., governing the use of the town dump we are simply protecting yours and the town's interests.

The ever present threat of forest fires is the concern of all of us; the responsibility for preventing them is ours and the costs of extinguishing are ours. We can do something about this problem, by being aware of and alert to the danger and by cooperating with your warden.

Do the things that are required of you —

1. Follow the warden's directions.
2. Secure the required burning permit.
3. Keep your fires under control.
4. Completely extinguish your fires before leaving them.
5. See that your children are properly cautioned.

Everyone will benefit by it.

1961 Fire Record

Number of fires, 1

Number of permits issued, 349

Number of acres burned, 3/4

WINTHROP H. HANNAFORD
District Fire Chief

WARREN H. TOWNE
Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

During the winter of 1960-61 Howard Parkhurst was hired to do selective cutting in the Wallingford and Stearns lots. A little was done in the North-East corner of Spalding Park before the snow came. Logs were sold to the Lorden Lumber Co. and delivered to their mill. Some of the less valuable logs were sawed into boards and sold to the school for use in their shop.

In the late fall of 1961 Mr. Parkhurst was again hired to do the same job in the Stearns lot. Many course "pasture pine" were cut and some thinning was done.

Jeff Smith started to thin the very dense stand of pine in Spalding Park, South-East of Mutton Cove. It has always been a problem to find someone to thin out the small trees. We do not have a market for pine pulp wood and cutting and handling small logs is not profitable. This is an attractive spot on the East shore of Duncklee Pond.

In both the winters of 1959-60 and 60-61 Kenneth Marvell did pruning and improvement work in the Wallingford and Stearns lots until deep snow came and then he worked in Spalding Park. He worked at this when his services were not needed by the Road Agent. He pruned the limbs off the lower 17 feet of about 100 selected trees per acre, the best ones, growing 16 to 20 feet apart. He killed the hardwood trees that would interfere with and slow up th growth on the future "crop trees". This is a cost share program with the ACP paying part of the cost. In a few years the results will be noticeable.

Last spring 500 European larch were planted at the Ernest Duncklee place where a small percentage of the red pine planted in 1959 failed to survive.

Most of the roads were spot sprayed with brush-killer, especially those reopened in 1960.

We did not use the \$25.00 of matching funds from the State Forest Fire Service in the Town Forest this year. It was used to reopen the old discontinued road from Burton's on Proctor Hill to the Rocky Pond Road at Worcester's Mill, about 1¾ mile. This opened up a large area with few roads in it.

A tour of the Town Forest was held Nov. 5. Over forty people spent part of the day inspecting the improvement work done in past years. Coffee and hamburgers were furnished by interested citizens and were cooked by the Hollis Boy Scouts. The Boy Scouts held two overnight hikes in Spalding Park and the Cub Scouts have also hiked through it.

Receipts

Sale of lumber 26,000 ft.	\$430.01	
Sale of lumber to school	265.48	
Sale of lumber wormy boards, from 1959-60	13.60	
Credit for lumber for shelter at dump	20.00	
A. C. P. (part of cost, pruning, improvement)	303.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,035.09

Payments

Operating school lumber	\$194.00	
A. C. P. work done	612.90	
Work on "cut down" fire truck tractor	8.43	
Insurance on truck-tractor	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 819.33

(Figures given are for our year 1960-61 and do not coincide with the Town or calendar year).

A comparatively small investment by the Town will reap a tremendous profit in a few decades in value of the timber. We also must not forget the improvement of the esthetic and recreation values.

HENRY H. HILDRETH

Secretary, Town Forest Committee

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

Winter problems were not too great in 1961, although the heavy snow storms came in greater depths. The strain on equipment was greater during the larger storms, and did slow the clearance of some roads. Ice is a problem, especially on the gravel roads, because of the heavy growth of brush and pine trees shading the roads from the sun. This condition would be improved, if anyone planning to cut a small amount of lumber for general repair work would cut trees to a distance of fifty feet on either side of the road.

Summer road maintenance is growing rapidly due to the increased traffic and speed of cars traveling on these roads. Hollis is growing and our program is falling behind because of the lack of funds and the inadequate amount of personnel. It is my opinion that the town should take into consideration the possibility of a full time three-man department as soon as possible, with some of the pay rates and benefits of the average shop worker. The town would benefit by such a move.

The Highway Department installed some 280 feet of culvert pipe, and gravel was applied to Brown Lane, Federal Hill Road, Hayden Road and other spots around town. The bridge on the South Merrimack Road was resurfaced with lumber cut from the town forest by the department.

The T. R. A. program was to rebuild some 5,500 feet of Witches Spring Road which exceeded the estimated cost due primarily to the lack of the proper quality of gravel and large culverts which had to be replaced.

Hollis is expanding, and expansion brings problems not only to the Highway department, but to other town departments as well. Let us all work together and solve these problems. The town roads are an essential part of the growth of Hollis.

CHARLES F. DOW

Road Agent

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Our Motto — "Keep Hollis Clean."

The past few years, we have put out litter cans and these have proved helpful in keeping our town clean.

It is understood that The Hollis Woman's Club is going to put on a spring campaign to keep Hollis clean.

The summer of 1961, being a fast growing season, meant that a schedule of five to seven days of mowing was required each week.

The stone wall along Nichols Field will have to be repaired as many of the stones have been taken out by the children.

There are some large trees that should be removed as they are deceased.

KENNETH MARVELL, SR.

Cemeteries

Again this year, we urge anyone who has not put his lot under perpetual care to do so, as the expense of caring for the cemeteries has increased due to the increase of labor and materials.

The summer of 1961 was one of the fastest growing grass seasons in a long time. Usually in July and August we do very little mowing but we had to mow every week all summer. The sexton put in 355 hours in the care of the cemeteries.

The town has purchased new grass grave mats and has had the casket lowering device rechromed and repaired. There was one new lawn mower purchased. We do not anticipate the need for any new equipment this year.

The Selectmen have made two new rulings this past year.

1. A double cemetery lot shall cost \$120.00 and a family lot \$140.00 including perpetual care.

2. Effective February 1, 1962, no one is to go into any of the cemeteries in the Town of Hollis for the purpose of putting in foundations, or cemetery stones or removing stones, or do any lettering. If any work is to be done, permission must be granted by the Sexton of the cemeteries.

KENNETH MARVELL, SR.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING — MARCH 14, 1961

Moderator Warren Towne opened the meeting at 10:12 A. M. and declared the polls open for voting under Article I at that time. The polls were closed at 7:30 P. M. The evening meeting was opened by Moderator Towne at 7:40 P. M. by reading the warrant.

Article 2. Selectman Harold Farnum explained the comparative statement for last year and pointed out the reason for increases in the budget for this year. The increase in Town Officers' Salary is to pay each selectmen \$100.00 more, each auditor \$25.00 more, the fire chief \$25.00 more, and the treasurer an additional \$75.00. The increase in Police Dept. is for insurance on the cars with 2-way radios. The increase in the Fire Dept. is to pay an increase of 25 cents an hour to the firemen. The increase in Town Dump is to pay the attendant \$10.00 a week and for gravel fill. During the discussion on the dump, Samuel Ballard moved that the dump be open one night a week during the summer in addition to the Sat. and Sun. hours. Seconded but not carried. Voting on Article 2 was passed until the other articles voted on.

Article 3. Reports of Town Officers were accepted as printed in the Town Report. In addition Erving Simonds spoke briefly on Civil Defense urging everyone to take and read the literature on display there. Fire Chief Towne gave an additional report saying that a truck for Forest Fire use had been acquired at no cost to the town, but it would be necessary to spend \$400.00 to equip it which the firemen hope to raise themselves. John Johnson, building inspector gave the following report of permits issued in 1960: — 18 houses, 6 additions, 4 barns, 1 filling station, 2 silos, 2 roadside stands, 4 garages, 2 camps, 3 temporary trailer permits, 2 remodeling, and 3 storage sheds.

Article 4. Motion by Edward Lievens to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. Seconded. Carried.

Article 5. Motion by Frank Whittemore to accept State Aid for construction of Class V roads; and appropriate the sum of \$1,062.59. Seconded. Carried.

Article 6. Motion by Richard Devens to authorize the Selectmen to distribute blank inventories at the time of appraisal. Seconded. Carried.

Article 7. Motion by Ann Goodwin to assess a fine of twenty-five cents on each Poll Tax not paid by December 1, 1961. Seconded. Carried.

Article 8. Motion by Katherine Hardy to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the Merrimack Valley Regional Association. Seconded. Carried.

Article 9. Motion by Erving Simonds to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 to be expended in co-operation with the N. H. Forestry & Recreation Commission, for forest fire protection. Seconded. Motion by Dean Simpson to amend the foregoing to include the words "or successor" after the word Commission. Seconded. Carried as amended.

Article 10. Motion by Irving Cable to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,000.00 to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund to be used for the purchase of a fire truck. Seconded. Carried.

Article 2. Motion by Harold Hardy to increase the amount in the budget for Winter Roads by \$500.00. Seconded. Carried. Erving Simonds announced that the \$300.00 in the budget for Garbage Removal would not be needed and could be deleted from the budget. Motion by George Whelton to accept the budget as printed with these corrections, an increase of \$200.00. Seconded. Carried.

Article 11. Motion by Irving Cable to accept the newly constructed section of the Pine Hill Road, passing through the Ben Hogan property; of approximately 1240 feet in length and 50 feet wide, the old replaced section of road of approximately 1650 feet will then become part and belong to the Ben Hogan property. Seconded. Carried.

Article 12. Motion by Ben Hogan pursuant to RAS, I to discontinue the Right of Way, running from the main road, through the land of the Hollis Congregational Church to the horse stall area behind the Hollis Public Library; and to authorize the Selectmen to deliver a quitclaim deed for the consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) to the area covered by said right of way on the land of the Hollis Congregational Church. Seconded. Carried.

Article 13. No action.

The results of balloting were announced by the Moderator and all elected officials present were sworn in. The others will be sworn in at the next Selectmen's meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30 P. M.

A true copy of record — attest

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

DOINGS OF THE SELECTMEN

This year, the Hollis Board of Selectmen, wishes to evaluate the results of the three year reappraisal of Hollis properties.

First, why — in the past five years, Hollis has begun to feel the full impact of the coming “suburbia.” Increased sales values of real estate within the Town have been maintained with each transfer between a willing seller and buyer. The N. H. State Tax Commission directs that all taxes be assessed equally on the basis of full and true sound market values or a percentage thereof. Therefore, the Board of Assessors began in 1959 the task of a complete reappraisal of each property, on the basis of current sound market values.

Second, how — Each property was visited in 1959, 1960 and 1961 and re-examined. Likewise, all pertinent classified information available to the Town was sought out and evaluated. On the basis of the State’s sound-value-formula as defined to the assessors, a new valuation on each and every property has been set up. In many cases this could not be done in one year, but instead required the balanced judgment of several year’s inquiry. The results are as follows:

1589 net assessed value	\$2,452,148
1959 net assessed value	2,588,659
1960 net assessed value	2,977,697
1961 net assessed value	3,319,682 — a net increase in the three year reappraisal of \$867,534 or 35%.

The amount of the tax warrant in 1958 was \$155,505.81. In 1961, the tax warrant was \$207,812.09. There was a net increase in taxes raised in the three year period of \$52,306.28, a net drop in rate of \$7.00. These are the results as of Town Meeting Day, March 13, 1962.

Next, where do we go from here? Quite obviously our school responsibilities will continue to rise sharply. The State bi-annual survey of Hollis assessments this past year showed the Town figures to be within 2/10ths of 1% of those of the State. Clearly, we are in line with sound value now. However, new and higher levels of value are on the way, as the outside demand for Hollis property mounts and prices go up.

We propose a continued reappraisal of all property in the next three year period to expand and further broaden our tax base. Held in check as we are by an \$80.00 limit on the tax rate, we must strive to continually broaden the base to meet our increasing school costs. We must make every effort to get the most work possible out of each tax dollar and achieve the optimum results therefrom. For

the broader the tax base, the stronger and larger structure it can carry. Wherever necessary, the assessors will continue and use the assistance of the State Tax Commission in this work. We ask that any taxpayers with questions feel free to contact us and help us in clarifying the issues involved.

Finally, we wish to thank you all for your gracious acceptance of the increased burdens of the past three years. With your continued help, we will continue to meet the challenge of the next three.

RICHARD WALKER
RALPH HARDY
HAROLD FARNUM

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CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

Many changes have come about in Civil Defense during 1961 and I am sure many more will come in 1962.

While your local Civil Defense organization is making every effort to be of service to you, we can only accomplish the programs you are willing to support financially, morally and physically.

We are organized, we continually have all the latest information at hand. We can only advise and recommend; it is up to you to carry out the program you think is necessary.

We have a complete roster of our personnel and of our equipment available at the present time.

Many dollars have been saved for you, the taxpayer, through Civil Defense on the purchase of useful Fire Department and Police Department equipment.

We are continually in contact with the State, County and surrounding area Civil Defense organizations and can and will carry out any program necessary and practical for your protection.

HELP US TO HELP YOU.

ERVING R. SIMONDS, Director

Civil Defense
Hollis, N. H.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT

Hollis, N. H.

You must realize that with the growth of the population of our town our health and sanitary problems also increase.

We are most fortunate to have the splendid cooperation of our citizens in the control of these problems.

You will note our expenses are still at a minimum and will continue to be with your cooperation.

This is your problem, each and everyone. You may help us or you may be the cause of additional expense. Let's all do our part and keep our Health Problems and expenses at a minimum.

Healthfully yours,

ERVING R. SIMONDS
Health Officer

HOLLIS CHURCH SCHOOL BAND

The following constitutes the list of activities the band was engaged in during the past twelve (12) months:

COMPLETE BAND

Annual Pops Concert in Hollis.
Memorial Day March in Hooksett.
Memorial Day March in Hollis.
Memorial Day Concert in Hollis.
Art Show Concert in Milford.
Little League Opening March in Goffstown.
Little League Opening March in Milford.
Strawberry Festival in Hollis.
Homecoming March in Merrimack.
Homecoming Concert in Merrimack.
Three Sunday Evening Concerts in Hollis.
Homecoming Concert in South Merrimack.
Democratic Rally in Alpine Grove.
Silver Lake State Park Concert in Hollis.
Church Supper Concert in Hollis.
Grange Fair Concert in Hollis.

GERMAN BAND

Industrial Management Group Dinner Concert in Nashua.
Order of Rebeccas Concert in Hollis.
Church Carnival in Milford.

By including one evening for Christmas carolling and a scheduled Christmas concert for the Industrial School, the band will have participated in a total of twenty-three (23) events.

It is also of interest to note that Conductor, Mr. Robert Spence, obtained the services of Mr. Woods of Manchester for weekly music instruction for the children of Hollis.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ANNABELLE JOHNSON
Co-President
MR. DONALD FYFE
Co-President

MEMORIAL DAY

July 7, 1961

Board of Selectmen
Town of Hollis, N. H.

The following is an itemized list of expenditures for the Memorial Day exercises, May 30, 1961:

Hollis Church School Band	\$150.00	
William the Florist	94.50	
Speaker for the Day	25.00	
Flags	37.00	
Soft Drinks for children	9.65	
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Total		\$316.15
Received from Town of Hollis 6/27/61		\$250.00
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Balance paid by American Legion		\$ 66.15

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD J. LaTULIPPE
Finance Officer

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED

Houses	23
Garages	9
Remodel	10
Storage	5
Trailer (temporary)	2

JOHN T. JOHNSON
Building Inspector

REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS

We have examined the accounts for 1961 of the Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Library Treasurer, Trustees of the Trust Funds and Selectmen and find them correct.

W. H. TOWNE
E. S. TOWNE

Auditors

Hollis, New Hampshire, February, 1962
Auditors

VITAL
STATISTICS

BIRTHS

Date, Place of Birth, Name of Child, Name of Father,
Maiden Name of Mother

1961

- Jan. 6—Groton, Mass., Jay Ellsworth Marshall, Douglas Seymour Marshall, Jr., Mildred Chandler.
- Jan. 25—Nashua, N. H., Theresa Anne Collard, Eugene Leo Collard, Judith Anne Hills.
- Jan. 27—Nashua, N. H., Steven Alan Bristol, James Reginald Bristol, Dorothy Evelyn Wheeler.
- Mar. 10—Nashua, N. H., Barbara Paterson Newton, Seth Wolcott Newton, Helen Rosemary Paterson.
- Mar. 17—Nashua, N. H., Scott Patrick Pierce, Robert Edmund Pierce, Constance Jane Conery.
- Mar. 19—Nashua, N. H., Patrick David Elliott, David B. Elliott, Anna-Belle Viola Conley.
- Feb. 10—Fitchburg, Mass., Cheryl Ann Morrill, Francis Morrill, Ruth Beaubien.
- Apr. 16—Groton, Mass., Marybeth Jean Meuse, Henry Joseph Meuse, Jr., Virginia Marie Eaton.
- Apr. 3—Nashua, N. H., Donald Francis Cadrain, Edward Connell Cadrain, Margaret Catherine Eichorn.
- Apr. 15—Nashua, N. H., Michael Charles Kanterovich, Julius Charles Kanterovich, Mabel Florence Fuller.
- May 2—Nashua, N. H., Penny Jean Morrison, Lawrence Wardell Morrison, Jr., Inez Dorothy Lorentzen.
- May 7—Nashua, N. H., Darrel James Dwyer, Daniel Joseph Dwyer, Helen May Clinton.
- May 22—Nashua, N. H., Kathleen Ann Pranes, James Edward Pranes, Juanita Elizabeth Nartoff.
- May 23—Nashua, N. H., Laura Jane Kenny, Robert Francis Kenny, Lois Holmes Sweetnam.
- May 5—Nashua, N. H., Donna Jean Quinton, William Henry Quinton, Anne Theresa McCann.
- Aug. 9—Lowell, Mass., Shane Hanchett, Frank Hanchett, Joan E. Nixon.
- July 17—Nashua, N. H., John Everett Woods, Arthur William Woods, Elizabeth Julia Lingley.
- July 23—Nashua, N. H., Laurie Jeanne Phaneuf, Paul Albert Phaneuf, Claire Mary-Louise Demers.

- July 31—Nashua, N. H., Mark David Seager, David Norman Seager, Linda Lou Marvell.
- Aug. 8—Nashua, N. H., Charles Sumner Spaulding, Sumner Everett Spaulding, Barbara Elizabeth Blood.
- Aug. 22—Nashua, N. H., Diane Elaine Munroe, David Edward Munroe, Jacqueline May Bishop.
- Aug. 26—Nashua, N. H., Randolph Scott Spaulding, John Edward Spaulding, Irene Elizabeth Crooker.
- Sept. 8—Nashua, N. H., Thomas John Lingley, Lawrence James Lingley, Carolyn Elizabeth Cummings.
- Oct. 5—Nashua, N. H., Alicia Sabbia, Philip James Sabbia, Alice Ciotti.
- Oct. 21—Nashua, N. H., Robert Lewis Wilkins, Roy Lewis Wilkins, Virginia Ruth Lund.
- Nov. 1—Nashua, N. H., James Mark Thorburn, Gordon Thorburn, Donna Elaine Richardson.
- Nov. 7—Nashua, N. H., Fletcher Ridgely Wilson, James Ridgely Wilson, Ann Fletcher.
- Nov. 12—Nashua, N. H., Anne Sheldon, Robert Arthur Sheldon, Constance Poole Smith.
- Dec. 30—Groton, Mass., Kathleen Ann Beal, William C. Beal, Pauline B. Duckworth.

Recorded — Hollis, N. H., Town Records

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

MARRIAGES

Date, Place of Marriage, Name and Surname of Groom
and Bride, by Whom Married

1961

- Jan. 8—Hollis, James William Hamilton, Carole Ann Entwistle,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Jan. 21—Hollis, Robert Gordon Porter, Hope Woodsum, Seth W.
Newton, Congregational Christian Minister.
- Mar. 4—Hollis, David Carl Wilson, Jane Taylor, Charles F. Dow,
Justice of the Peace.
- Mar. 10—Hollis, Robert Allan Cormier, Gail Maye Reirden,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Mar. 14—Hollis, James T. Wilson, Jeanne M. Hoar, Charles F.
Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Mar. 16—Hollis, Robert Anthony Caron, Kathleen J. Deneen,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Mar. 23—Hollis, Edward Johnson, Mary Broom Fraser, Seth W.
Newton, Congregational-Christian Minister.
- Apr. 8—Hollis, Robert Charles Lynde, Mary Ann Boivin, Charles
F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Apr. 7—Hollis, Raymond Edward Keczy, Claire Elizabeth Jam-
bard, Seth W. Newton, Congregational-Christian Min-
ister.
- Apr. 19—Hollis, Robert Francis Marvell, Priscilla Rita LeBlanc,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- May 13—Hollis, William Winter Elliott, Barbara Ella Harrison,
Seth W. Newton, Congregational-Christian Minister.
- May 21—Milford, David Irving Reed, Kathryn Ann Hastedt, Geo.
B. Higgins, Minister of the Gospel.
- May 23—Hollis, Robert A. Perkins, Linda M. Laconte, Charles F.
Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- June 13—Hollis, John Robert Rano, Jr., Mary Jean Mercadante,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.

- June 18—Hollis, Arno Belk Queen, Joan Tyler, Charles F. Dow,
Justice of the Peace.
- July 15—Hollis, Harry Joseph Albert Clermont, Dorothy Ann
Jenkins, Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- July 29—Hollis, Robert Alfred Cooper, Melanie R. DiBernardo,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Aug. 23—Hollis, Ralph Alva Drake, Jr., Judith May Humphries,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Aug. 26—Hollis, Michael Bolster Glynn, Diane Frances Witham,
William C. Sipe, Clergyman.
- Aug. 26—Hollis, Donald J. Jezyk, Nancy A. Rocheleau, Charles F.
Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Sept. 2—Hollis, Thomas Alfred Latorella, Sally Ann Faulkner,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Sept. 2—Hollis, William Bannister Sterndale, Jr., Sandra Lee
Piecuch, Seth W. Newton, Christian Minister.
- Sept. 12—Nashua, Barry Lee Frederick, Diane Claire Devlin, Rev.
Denis Horan, Roman Catholic Priest.
- Sept. 16—Hollis, Kenneth Vernon Marvell, Jr., Linda Lorraine
Stone, William C. Sipe, Clergyman.
- Sept. 16—Manchester, Frank Joseph Barnes, Eleanor Healy, John
J. Foley, Catholic Priest.
- Sept. 23—Hollis, Paul Robert Ventura, Patricia Anne McCulley,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Oct. 21—Hollis, Roger Ernest Marvell, Susan Loretta Anderson,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Oct. 28—Hollis, Louis Philip Masse, Priscilla Ann Doyle, Charles
F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Oct. 29—Hollis, Larry Charles Larson, Judith Bigelow, Charles F.
Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Oct. 28—Nashua, Paul Francis Dutton, Judith Eileen Coffin, Wal-
ter C. Righter, priest of the Protestant Episcopal
Church.
- Nov. 3—Hollis, Henry James Hasey, Edna Frances Dow, Charles
F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Nov. 4—Hollis, Venance Albert Caron, Donna Elaine Nunes,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Nov. 5—Hollis, Donald Gerald Wood, Jean Marie Burkinshaw,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.

- Nov. 25—Hollis, Gerald Marcus Copeland, Sandra Louise Corliss,
William C. Sipe, Clergyman.
- Dec. 16—Nashua, Robert Haliburton Cook, Jr., Linda Weir Crook,
Walter C. Righter, priest of the Protestant Episcopal
Church.
- Dec. 16—Hollis, Charles Edward VanDusen, Helen May Dwyer,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Dec. 23—Hollis, Henry Fioravanti, Jr., Frances Marion Benton,
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
Recorded — Hollis, N. H., Town Records

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

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DEATHS

Date, Place of Death, Name of Deceased, Age,
Place of Birth, Place of Burial

1961

- Jan. 4—New York, N. Y., Howard Hills, 40, Hollis, N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Jan. 19—Omaha, Neb., Lewis Dudley, 31, Hollis, N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Feb. 4—Hollis, N. H., Fannie Ida Brown, 84, Worcester, Vermont, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Jan. 19—Nashua, N. H., Effie M. Flanders, 80, Hollis, N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Jan. 21—Nashua, N. H., Wendell H. Wilshire, 51, Woodbury, Vermont, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Mar. 23—Hollis, N. H., William Dudley, 4, Nashua, N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Mar. 23—Hollis, N. H., Marian Dudley, 3, Nashua, N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Apr. 8—Hollis, N. H., Lura Bell Dalton, 95, Nashua, N. H., Edgewood Cemetery, Nashua, N. H.
- Apr. 15—Hollis, N. H., Patricia Ann Studley, 0,4,4, Nashua, N. H., Edgewood Cemetery, Nashua, N. H.
- May 10—Wayne Township, N. J., Harold A. Rundquist, 64, Sweden, North Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- May 5—Nashua, N. H., Albert D. Reed, 86, Merrimack, N. H., Last Rest Cemetery, Merrimack, N. H.
- June 12—Melrose, Mass., Harry Caswell Nagus, 66 ———, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- June 13—Manchester, N. H., Louis Milton Brown, 63, Norwich, Vermont, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- June 27—Hollis, N. H., Bel J. (Kennedy) Ashley, 79, Somerville, Mass., Edgewood Cemetery, Nashua, N. H.

- July 1—Nashua, N. H., Max Hawkins, 89, Bath, N. H., Holbrook Cemetery, Candia, N. H.
- July 27—Concord, N. H., Ina Ball Eddy, 83, Nashua, N. H., Woodlawn Cemetery, Nashua, N. H.
- July 31—Nashua, N. H., Elmer Henry Bugbee, 63, Pomfret, Vermont, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Aug. 6—Nashua, N. H., Adelia Pearl Wilshire, 54, Oak Park, N. S., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Sept. 10—Quincy, Mass., William G. Grant, 24, Boston, Mass., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Sept. 22—Manchester, N. H., George Hart Ferguson, 71, Boston, Mass., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Sept. 28—Nashua, N. H., Oscar Nathaniel Olson, 74, Lerum, Sweden, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Oct. 22—Durham, N. C., Nettie Britton Shepardson, 65, ———, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Oct. 22—Nashua, N. H., John Doyle Carnes, 59, Nashua, N. H., Woodlawn Cemetery, Nashua, N. H.
- Nov. 24—Nashua, N. H., Flora L. Chase Lyons, 84, Nashua, N. H., Woodlawn Cemetery, Nashua, N. H.
- Oct. 2—Nashua, N. H., Gregory Francis Whelton, stillbirth, Nashua, N. H., St. Patrick Cemetery, Hudson, N. H.
- Dec. 5—Nashua, N. H., Anna M. Sproule, 89, New York, N. Y., Riverside Cemetery, Newport, Maine.

Recorded — Hollis, N. H., Town Records

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

**HOLLIS SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL OFFICERS**

1961 - 62

Mr. Frank Whittimore, Chairman	Term Expires 1962
Mrs. Carolyn Wright	Term Expires 1963
Mr. Jack Boyd	Term Expires 1964
Dr. Richard H. Goodman, Milford, N. H.	Superintendent
Miss Mabel I. Connolly, Milford, N. H.	Teacher Consultant
Mr. Kenneth Trow	Clerk
Mr. Kenneth Trow	Treasurer
Mr. Warren Towne	Moderator
Mr. Clarence L. Howe	Auditor
Mrs. Edna F. Hill	Auditor
Mrs. Marion Gangloff, Milford, N. H.	Nurse
Deering Smith, M. D., Hollis, N. H.	Physician
Mrs. Beryl Orde	Truant Officer

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 40

School Calendar 1961-62

Begins		Close
September 7	(Thurs.) (October 20, November 23-24)	December 22 (Fri.)
January 2	(Tues.)	February 16 (Fri.)
February 26	(Mon.)	April 19 (Thurs.)
April 30	(Mon.) (Memorial Day, May 30 (Mon.))	Approximately June 22 (Fri.)

School Calendar 1962-63

September 6	(Thurs.) (October 26, November 22, 23)	December 21 (Fri.) 74 days
January 2	(Wed.) (January 25)	February 15 (Fri.) 32 days
February 25	(Mon.)	April 19 (Fri.) 40 days
April 29	(Mon.) (Memorial Day, May 30)	Approximately June 21 39 days
		185 days

Schools will be in session a full day on November 21, 1962.

Supervisory Union #40 Teachers' Meeting, September 4.

Teachers' Convention, October 26. Schools will close to encourage teachers to attend their Convention.

Supervisory Union #40 Teachers' Workshops, September 5, and January 25. Schools will be closed on these two days.

The closing date of school will be revised as the number of days omitted for Convention, Workshops, bad weather, etc., necessitates it.

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the town of Hollis qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 12th day of March 1962, at 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years, and a member for the ensuing two years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the district will vote to buy land and to build and equip a new Junior-Senior High School building to be used in conjunction with the existing High School, with adequate sanitary service and administrative facilities and to take any action relating thereto.

10. If the preceding article is adopted, to see what sum the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction, equipment, and furnishings for such a school; and whether the district will vote to authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the district for all or any portion of the sum so raised and appropriated; and to authorize the school board to determine the terms and conditions upon which the notes or bonds shall be issued including their sale, the time and place of payment of principal in accordance with Chapter 33 of Revised Statutes Annotated.

11. If the district has adopted the articles above, to see if the district will vote to appoint a building committee to consist of the school board and two citizens to be appointed by the Moderator, to select the location of the building and to supervise the construction of said building, provided that the plans and specifications shall be approved by the school board acting alone as required by law, and the school board be further authorized to execute any and all contracts or agreements necessary in connection with the construction of said building in accordance with Chapter 199 of Revised Statutes Annotated.

12. If the district has adopted articles 9 and 10 above, to see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and to receive and spend in the name of the district, any gifts, bond premiums, or other funds for purposes related to building and equipping the new Junior-Senior High School.

13. If the district has adopted articles 9 and 10 above, to see if the district will authorize the trustees of the capital reserve fund to transfer all funds, including interest, from the capital reserve to the building fund.

14. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and to receive in the name of the district, such advances, grants in aid or other funds for educational purposes, as may now, or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or any state or private agency.

15. To see if the district will vote to adopt a plan for extending to employees of the district the benefits of title II of the Federal Social Security Act (Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance) as authorized by Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes Annotated Amended by Chapter 302 and 332 of the Laws of 1955 and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$222.41 to defray the district's share of the cost thereof.

16. To see if the district wishes to exclude from the plan, services in any class or classes of positions filled by popular election.

17. To see if the district wishes to exclude from the plan, services in any class or classes of positions the compensation for which is on a fee basis.

18. If a plan for Social Security coverage is adopted, to see if the district will authorize the school board to execute on behalf of the district the necessary agreement with the State of New Hampshire to carry into effect the plan and to see if the district will designate the school district treasurer as the officer to be responsible for the administration of the plan.

19. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Hollis this 23rd day of February, 1962.

FRANK WHITTEMORE
CAROLYN WRIGHT
JACK BOYD

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANK WHITTEMORE
CAROLYN WRIGHT
JACK BOYD

School Board

**SCHOOL
BUDGET**

HOLLIS SCHOOL BUDGET

	Adopted Budget 1961-62	School Board's Budget 1962-63
ADMINISTRATION		
Salaries of district officers	\$ 279.00	\$ 279.00
Supt.'s salary (local share)	1,139.65	1,025.70
Tax for state wide supervision	842.00	958.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,661.25	2,248.97
Supplies and expenses	662.06	1,985.76
	4,543.96	6,497.43
INSTRUCTION		
High School teachers' & principal's salaries	33,137.00	41,479.00
Elementary teachers' & principal's salaries	66,276.00	77,665.00
Books and other instruction aids, high	600.00	1,425.00
Books and other instruction aids, elem.	1,750.00	1,700.00
Scholars' supplies, high	1,000.00	1,200.00
Scholars' supplies, elementary	2,100.00	2,000.00
Supplies and other expenses, high	376.00	376.00
Supplies and other expenses, elementary	754.00	439.00
	105,993.00	126,284.00
OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT		
Salaries of custodians, high	2,600.00	2,600.00
Salaries of custodians, elementary	3,760.00	3,990.00
Fuel or heat, high	1,200.00	1,250.00
Fuel or heat, elementary	2,400.00	2,450.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, high	933.00	1,000.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elementary	1,867.00	2,000.00
	12,760.00	13,290.00
MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT		
Repairs and replacements, high	500.00	400.00
Repairs and replacements, elementary	200.00	200.00
	700.00	600.00
AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES		
Health supervision, high	410.00	645.00
Health supervision, elementary	410.00	900.00
Transportation, high	4,333.00	4,500.00
Transportation, elementary	8,667.00	8,000.00
Tuition, elementary	530.00	558.00
Special activities and special funds, high	1,067.00	1,375.00
Special activities and special funds, elementary	533.00	850.00
	15,950.00	16,828.00

FIXED CHARGES		
Retirement and social security, high	2,699.16	3,044.74
Retirement and social security, elementary	5,398.34	5,671.29
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses, high	523.86	345.71
Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses, elem.	1,047.74	1,037.13
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	9,669.10	10,098.87
CONTINGENCY FUND		
School Building Study	4,500.00	4,500.00
	500.00	
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	5,000.00	4,500.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY		
Lands and new buildings, high	—	400,000.00
Additions and improvements, high	250.00	700.00
Additions and improvements, elementary	250.00	
New equipment, high	1,509.00	4,600.00
New equipment, elementary	3,018.00	1,500.00
Payments into Capital Reserve Fund	10,000.000	
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	15,527.00	406,800.00
DEBT AND INTEREST		
Principal of debt	14,000.00	14,000.00
Interest on debt	4,035.00	3,639.00
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	18,035.00	17,639.00
TOTAL		
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	\$187,678.06	\$602,537.30
ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT		
State Aid	\$ 13,285.00	\$ 24,200.00
Federal Aid	300.00	2,300.00
Trust Funds	1,500.00	1,500.00
Bond or Note Issues		310,000.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds		15,000.00
Other	3,550.00	63,500.00
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	18,635.00	416,500.00
Assessment needed March 1961	169,043.06	
Assessment needed March 1962		186,037.30
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	\$187,678.06	\$602,537.30

Respectfully submitted:

FRANK WHITTEMORE
CAROLYN WRIGHT
JACK BOYD

FINANCIAL REPORT OF HOLLIS SCHOOL BOARD

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961

Total Receipts	\$172,787.26	
Total Payments	172,433.41	
Cash Balance, June 30, 1961		\$ 353.85

RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From State:		
Building and Foundation Aid	\$ 13,418.50	
Federal Aid:		
Smith-Hughes & George Barden	341.76	
National School Lunch	2,875.17	
N.D.E.A.	1,931.66	
From Selectmen, Local Taxation:		
By Appropriation Voted March, 1960	150,074.31	
From Sources Other Than Taxation:		
Trust Funds	1,952.04	
Tuition	898.53	
Other Income	456.22	
Cash on Hand July 1, 1960		\$171,948.19
		839.07
GRAND TOTAL		\$172,787.26

INSURANCE COVERAGE

Elementary School	\$136,000.00	
Contents—All Buildings	29,000.00	
High School	50,000.00	
Shop Building	1,000.00	
Liability (Person & Products)	300,000.00	
Boiler	50,000.00	
		\$566,000.00

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

(July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961)

(Classification and numbering conform to State Accounting System required in State-Aided Districts)

Administration:

1. Salaries of District Officers	279.00
2. Superintendent's Salary (Local share)	1,041.60
3. Tax for State-Wide Supervision	780.00
4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	1,539.80
5. Supplies and Expenses	752.15

\$ 4,392.55

Instruction:

6. Teachers' Salaries	93,139.08
7. Books and Other Instructional Aids	1,895.66
8. Scholars' Supplies	3,024.08
10. Supplies and Other Expenses	936.89

\$ 98,995.71

Operation of School Plant:

11. Salaries of Custodians	5,940.00
12. Fuel or heat	3,811.43
13. Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses	3,073.00

\$ 12,824.43

Maintenance of School Plant:

14. Repairs & Replacements	986.85
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\$ 986.85

Auxiliary Activities:

15. Health Supervision	741.97
16. Transportation	11,876.00
17. Tuition	524.00
18. Special Activities & Special Funds	
a. School Lunch	2,933.33
b. Other	1,588.22

\$ 17,663.52

Fixed Charges:		
19. Retirement	6,718.60	
20. Insurance	1,525.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 8,244.48
CAPITAL OUTLAY:		
21. N.D.E.A.	3,874.43	
22. Additions & Improvements to Buildings	1,390.47	
23. New Equipment	1,593.77	
24. Payments into Capital Reserve Fund	5,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,858.67
Debt and Interest:		
25. Principal on Debt	13,000.00	
26. Interest on Debt	4,467.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 17,467.20
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		\$172,433.41
TOTAL CASH ON HAND, JUNE 30, 1961		353.85
GRAND TOTAL		\$172,787.26

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

FRANK WHITTEMORE
CAROLYN WRIGHT
JACK BOYD

School Board

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all
State Aided Districts)

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 Hollis, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them correct in all respects.

CLARENCE L. HOWE
EDNA F. HILL

Auditors

SALARIES — 1960-61

a. Superintendent:		
State's Share		\$ 2,500.00
Local Share:		
Amherst	\$ 1,283.40	
Brookline	384.40	
Hollis	1,085.00	
Milford	3,180.60	
Mont Vernon	266.60	
		\$ 6,200.00
		\$ 8,700.00
b. Teacher Consultant		
State's Share		\$ 2,500.00
Local Share:		
Amherst	931.50	
Brookline	279.00	
Hollis	787.50	
Milford	2,308.50	
Mont Vernon	193.50	
		\$ 4,500.00
		\$ 7,000.00

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

FRANK WHITTEMORE
CAROLYN WRIGHT
JACK BOYD

School Board

HAROLD C. BOWLEY, Superintendent

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1961

ASSETS	
Cash on Hand June 30, 1961	\$ 353.85
Capital Reserves	5,000.00
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities over Assets)	134,646.15
TOTAL	\$140,000.00
LIABILITIES	
Capital Reserves	\$ 5,000.00
Notes and Bonds Outstanding	135,000.00
TOTAL	\$140,000.00

FRANK WHITTEMORE
CAROLYN WRIGHT
JACK BOYD
School Board

HAROLD C. BOWLEY, Superintendent
INDEBTEDNESS JUNE 30, 1961
New Elementary School \$135,000.00

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

(For Fiscal Year July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961)

Cash on Hand July 1, 1960	\$ 839.07
Received from Selectmen:	
Appropriations for Current Year	\$150,074.31
Received from State Treasurer:	
State Funds	13,418.50
Federal Funds	341.76
Tuitions	898.53
School Lunch	2,875.17
NDEA	1,931.66
Income from Trust Funds	1,952.04
Received from Other Sources	456.22
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$171,948.19
TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)	\$172,787.26
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID	172,433.41
Cash on Hand June 30, 1961	\$ 353.85

KENNETH G. TROW
School Treasurer

NOTIFICATION OF SCHOOL ASSESSMENT, 1961

EXPENDITURES

Current Expenditures	\$154,116.06	
Capital Outlay:		
Land and Buildings	500.00	
Additions and Improvements	500.00	
New Equipment	4,527.00	
Debt and Interest	18,035.00	
Payment into Capital Reserve	10,000.00	
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TOTAL APPROPRIATION		\$187,678.06

RECEIPTS

Federal Aid (Estimate)	\$ 300.00	
State Aid (Estimate)	13,285.00	
Trust Funds (Estimate)	1,500.00	
Other Receipts (Estimate)	3,550.00	
Assessment Required to Meet School District Appropriation	169,043.06	
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TOTAL APPROPRIATION		\$187,678.06

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Hollis School District held March 13, 1961.

KENNETH TROW

Clerk of the School District

SYNOPSIS OF SCHOOL MEETING

March 13, 1961

The annual meeting of the Hollis School District was called to order at 8:10 P. M. in the lower Town Hall by Moderator Towne with about 74 voters present. Moderator Towne read the warrant articles 1 to 12 inclusive and ruled that in all ballot votes the check list must be used.

Article 1. Warren Towne was elected Moderator.

Article 2. Kenneth Trow was elected Clerk.

Article 3. Jack Boyd was elected a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Article 4. Kenneth Trow was elected Treasurer.

Article 5. Voted to pass this by and to take it up under budget recommendations, article 8.

Article 6. Since reports are printed in the Town Report it was ruled that they be accepted as printed.

Article 7. Clarence Howe and Edna Hill were elected Auditors.

Article 8. It was voted that the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$177,178.06 for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Foundation Aid Fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Article 9. Voted to appropriate \$500.00 for continuance of the School Building Study.

Article 10. Voted to appropriate \$10,000.00 to add to the Capital Reserve Fund.

Article 11. It was voted that the district authorize the school board to make application for and to accept, on behalf of the district, all grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire or from any other sources.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:30 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH G. TROW

Clerk

SYNOPSIS OF SPECIAL SCHOOL MEETING

December 1, 1961

A special meeting of the Hollis School District was called to order at 12:20 P. M. in the lower Town Hall by Moderator Towne. The Moderator read the warrant articles 1 and 2 and ruled that voting on article 1 will be by "yes" or "no" ballot.

Article 1. Resolved that the Hollis School District, petition the State Board of Education to become a member of a Cooperative School District, grades 1 - 12, which would include, in addition to this district, the Amherst and Brookline School Districts; that the School Board of this Cooperative District will consist of nine members, three from each of the pre-existing school districts; that each board member will have an equal vote; that each pre-existing school district shall pay its share of all capital outlay costs and operational costs in accordance with the formula that 10% of all such costs shall be apportioned on the basis of the ratio that the equalized valuation that each pre-existing district bears to that of the cooperative district, and 90% shall be apportioned on the average daily pupil membership for the preceeding year.

Article defeated: 346 "no" votes, 236 "yes" votes.

Article 2. To elect one representative to serve with representatives of other school districts on an interim committee who shall prepare a financial budget for the operation of the proposed Cooperative District.

No action taken on this article.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH G. TROW

Clerk

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I submit my first annual report as your Superintendent of Schools. In this report I will point out the work accomplished since I assumed the superintendency on July 1, 1961, and discuss the areas that in my judgment warrant the full attention of each citizen if our schools are to accomplish what I firmly believe to be their goal: the optimum development of each individual.

Modern methods and tools are important in every line of work in order to achieve positive results. In the public school enterprise, which has a major responsibility in shaping tomorrow's citizens, the need to keep abreast of the times is essential. The work accomplished to date and the work ahead illustrate efforts made and planned to insure a high quality education for the boys and girls of each school district.

I. PROGRESS REPORT

A. NEW FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING METHODS

The school districts of this Union are participating in a pilot project to improve school financial accounting methods. This project is sponsored by the State Department of Education and the State Tax Commission. The budget figures for 1960-61, 1961-62, and 1962-63 school years are presented under the new accounting system for the first time in the School Report of each district this year. It is expected that part of this project will result in financial reports of supervisory unions being sent to the State Department, just as each school district does at present. The new accounting system will be implemented state-wide in another year.

B. CURRICULUM EVALUATION AND DEVELOPMENT

For the first four months of this school year, your Teacher Consultant and I met with different groups of teachers nearly every afternoon to examine specific aspects of the curriculum. The teachers met by grade level or subject, not by school district, in the new supervisory union office in the Professional Building in Milford. To date, eleven of the consultants from the State Department of Education have held fifteen meetings with our staff to discuss current developments that will help us improve our schools (see list below). The staff of each school deserves a great deal of praise from each citizen, as well as from their School Board and Superintendent, for their willingness to give time from an already overloaded schedule to the continuous and important job of improving each part of the school program. At the time of the writing of this report, the teachers have initiated an examination of the following areas during the afternoon meetings:

Elementary School — Reading	Secondary School — English
Mathematics	Mathematics
Handwriting	Social Studies
Science	Science

The workshops held to date and those planned for the future are an important part of this work. As of January 25, three nationally prominent educators have come to Milford to address the one hundred and ten teachers of Supervisory Union 40.

September 7 — Dr. Karl Berns, Assistant Executive Secretary, National Education Association, "The Profession Faces the Sixties."

Dr. John Bahner, Director, Harvard-Lexington Team Teaching Project, "Team Teaching in Elementary Schools."

January 25 — Professor Robert Anderson, Harvard University, lecturer and author, "Team Teaching, Grades 1 - 12."

Consultants from the State Department of Education have assisted us as follows:

Consultant — Area — Topic — Group Involved

1. Mr. Frank Brown; Secondary Schools; Teaching Machines; Principals.
2. Mr. George Cunningham, (two visits); Mathematics; Modern Mathematics; Secondary School Math. Teachers and all Elementary School Teachers.
3. Mr. Howard Wagner, (two visits); Science; a. Development of Improved Jr. High Science Program; b. New Science guide; Secondary School Science Teachers and selected Elementary School Teachers; All Elementary School Teachers and Secondary School Science Teachers.
4. Dr. Alice Baumgarner; Secondary Schools; Supervision; Principals.
5. Miss Ruth Cutter, (two visits); School Lunch; Improving School Lunch Programs; School Lunch Staff.
6. Mr. Nick Hondrogan; Industrial Education; A New Approach to Industrial Arts; Industrial Arts Teachers.
7. Mr. Dan Brown; Consultant on School Maintenance; Improving School Maintenance; School Custodians.
8. Mr. Nick Hondrogan; Consultant on School Maintenance; Improving School Maintenance; School Custodians.
9. Mrs. Ruth Craig; Guidance; Guidance; Guidance Counselors.

10. Mr. Andre Pacquette; Foreign Languages; Improving French Prog.; Area French Teachers.
11. Mr. Damon Russell; Administration; The New School Register; Secretaries, Aides, selected teachers.
12. Mr. John Economopoulos; Elementary School Curriculum; Handwriting; Elementary School Teachers.

The schools of this Union are fortunate in being staffed by so many devoted staff members. The deep interest each one takes in improving our schools and the education our boys and girls receive is evident in the many hours worked over and above the normal work-load. The work of the staff members requires the support of each citizen if it is to result in positive gains for our schools.

II. AREAS FOR ACTION

The above progress report illustrates how each staff member in this Supervisory Union, regardless of the school district wherein he performs his work, is working closely with staff members from every school district in the continuous job of improving the education each boy and girl receives. Because of this, and the fact that the school board members from each district work together in Supervisory Union and other matters, it is appropriate for me to list together the areas for action that I believe to be of prime importance for the school districts of Amherst, Brookline, Hollis, Milford, and Mont Vernon.

In any school, the two prime ingredients of quality education are staff and the available teaching tools. Yet, the important ingredients are available only if the citizens of each district so vote. I submit the following needs to the citizens of every district:

A. Staff

We must keep our excellent staff members and recruit others as needed. This can be accomplished through adequate salaries, sound personnel policies, and evidence that the citizens, through their School Board and school administration, are supporting a quality education program.

B. Tools

We must provide our teachers with the tools that will enable them to teach as effectively as possible. The "tools" include books, supplies, equipment, field trips for pupils, and workshops and conferences for teachers. Only when he has the proper tools can any skilled teacher educate to the optimum the boys and girls in his charge.

C. Policies and Regulations

We must develop sound, written policies and regulations to govern the work of each staff member and the education of each pupil.

D. School District Organization

We must continuously investigate the financial and educational implications of our school district organization.

The 1961 General Court authorized an Interim Commission on Education to analyze present school district organization, the cooperative school district law, and other areas in education in terms of necessary legislation. The Chairman of the State Board of Education has proposed a major reduction in the number of our present school districts and creation of new, larger, school districts with large high schools as the centers.

E. Reports of Each School District

I commend to your attention the reports in each School District Annual Report which describe in detail the work of the five districts in Supervisory Union #40. The approaches taken and planned to solving problems in other school districts may have bearing on present and future problems of this district.

F. Other Sections of the School District Report

I commend to your attention the narrative and statistical reports presented by your School Board, Teacher Consultant, Principal, and other officers and agents of the school district in other sections of this School District Report.

As one who is intimately involved in the day-by-day work of providing high quality education for our youth, I would like to express my appreciation for the high devotion to education displayed by every member of the school board and staff in Amherst, Brookline, Hollis, Milford, and Mont Vernon. If your schools are to provide the high quality education demanded by our times, the support of every citizen is needed.

I urge your support.

Respectfully,

RICHARD H. GOODMAN
Superintendent

OUR TEACHER CONSULTANT

For the past seven years this section of the school report has been devoted to a review of some of the work of the Helping Teacher. Inasmuch as the New Hampshire Legislature in 1961 changed the title to Teacher Consultant it might be well to mention the fact at this time. The change in title makes no difference in the statue or role of Helping Teacher, but is considered to be somewhat less confusing and possibly more descriptive of the work being done.

THE BEST EDUCATION FOR ALL CHILDREN

The teachers in all the schools in this Union are concerned with one common goal — the best possible education for all children. Because of this they have two major tasks; to recognize the needs of each child as an individual, and to provide for these needs. Since no two children are alike, each must be considered as unique, different from all the others, with his own strengths, limitations, and particular needs. The teacher attempts to understand the stage of development reached by each child in his search for maturity and education. This understanding is essential if provision is to be made for this further development and education. For each child a program must be planned which will meet his needs and allow him to achieve according to what he is capable of achieving. The ideal way is through individualized instruction where each child works at his own level of achievement, regardless of what other children are doing. This is a difficult method to acquire unless the class is unusually small, and the school district wealthy enough to provide the extra teachers, classrooms, and required materials. A more feasible way for the schools in this Union is for the teacher to work with classes or groups of children who have attained similar levels of achievement. This permits more individual instruction by grouping together pupils with similar achievement levels. This allows children to progress at their own rate, without the usual frustrations encountered by the slower pupils and with greater challenge, enrichment, and progress for the fast. It also helps to eliminate one of the most serious problems in education today — that of the pupil who works below his ability. For many years we have recognized the fact that many of our pupils do not achieve according to their ability. Grouping by achievement is helping in the solution of this problem.

For the reasons stated above, the schools in this Union are concerned with the grouping of their classes, not by ability, but by levels of achievement. Such grouping provides more opportunities for greater accomplishment, in that it recognizes those whose added effort compensates for lesser ability and challenges those of greater ability to produce more. The goal is to allow each child to develop his own capabilities at his own rate of growth; thus grade barriers are eliminated.

The programs in the several schools in Supervisory Union #40 are basically the same in their underlying philosophy of recognition of, and provision for individual needs of our children. However, as no two schools are alike in their organization, so no program in one school is exactly like that in another. In some schools a certain degree of individualized instruction has been a part of the program for some time, usually only in one subject area. Grouping by achievement levels is just getting its start in some schools, and in others it has become well established. This approach to education is a departure from the traditional which was based upon the assumption that all children require exactly the same curriculum and methods of instruction. Being geared to meet the needs of the average child it tended to do just the opposite for him when he was forced to wait for the slow to catch up, while at the same time experiencing the pressure of trying to keep up with the more rapid learners. Well-planned grouping practices will take into consideration the needs of all children, whether they are slow, average, or fast learners, or physically, intellectually, or emotionally handicapped. Your teachers are meeting the challenge.

PROGRESS OF SPECIAL CLASS

Of interest to the parents in this area is the special class which has been established in Amherst. It may be recalled that the need for two such classes was expressed in my last report to the Union. This was to include children from the five towns. However, it was recommended that at this time we organize one class to be made up of children from Amherst and Milford only. The class is limited to fifteen children, and under the guidance of Mrs. Lucy Richardson they are a happy, relaxed group, and the amount of learning taking place is truly amazing. The program is planned to give the children an opportunity to have training in practical arts and scholastic experiences directly related to these arts. Half of the classroom is set up in the usual manner, the other half is designed to provide experiences in homemaking, woodworking and handwork. The children learn to read, write, spell, and work with numbers

through the application of recipes, directions, shopping lists, etc., to the practical use for which they are intended. This is in addition to other instruction in the 3 Rs. As another step in providing for the individual differences of all children we hope that in time we shall have all children requiring such specialized instruction in each of the five towns enrolled in this type of special class.

Once again I would like to thank the parents, teachers, and school board members for their splendid cooperation and dedication to the task of providing the best education for all children. I wish also to pay tribute to Dr. Goodman and to the principals of our schools for their fine leadership in making more effective our combined efforts to bring this about.

Respectfully,

MABEL I. CONNOLLY

Teacher Consultant

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HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dr. Richard Goodman
Superintendent of Schools
Milford, New Hampshire

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my third report as Principal of Hollis High School.

School enrollment — Grade 8, 45 pupils; Grade 9, 36 pupils; Grade 10, 28 pupils; Grade 11, 20 pupils; Grade 12, 20 pupils.

The following is a list of subjects presently being taught in the High School.

Advanced Math	Typing I
Art 9-12	Typing II
Art 8	United States History
Biology	General Science
Bookkeeping	Geometry
Civics	Glee Club (9-12)
Contemporary Problems	Guidance (all pupils)
Elementary Algebra	History of Civilization
English 9	Homemaking I
English 10	Homemaking III
English 11	Homemaking 7A — 7B
English 12	Homemaking 8A — 8B
English 8A, 8B	Intermediate Algebra
French I	Latin II
French III	Mathematics 8A — 8B
French IV	Music 8A — 8B
General Mathematics	Music 9-12
Shop III	Office Practice
Shop IV	Science 8A — 8B
Shop 7A — 7B	Shorthand I
Shop 8A — 8B	Shorthand II
Social Studies 8A — 8B	

Pupils having perfect attendance records from January 1961 to December 1961:

Grade 8 —W. Bell, M. Center
Grade 9 —G. Bell, R. Romberg
Grade 10—B. Mason, N. Parkhurst, J. Weston
Grade 11
Grade 12

Twelve seniors were graduated in June 1961. At present nine (9) are continuing their formal education, three (3) are working or are in apprentice training programs.

Bette Allen	Becker Junior College
Karl Johnson	Dean Junior College
Robert Kibby	New Hampshire Technical Institute
Jeanne Mathews	University of New Hampshire
Sylvia Mullen	Keene Teachers College
Kathleen Neary	Keene Teachers College
Mark Simpson	Columbia
Judy Twombly	Rivier
Frank Whitemore	University of New Hampshire

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

January to June 1961	September to December 1961
Valentine Ball	Student Council Elections
Science Fair	Senior Play
Senior Class Trip	Roller Skating Parties
Junior-Senior Prom	Club Activities
Record Hops	Open House
Roller Skating Parties	Freshman Initiation
Volley Ball	Record Hops
Baseball	Assemblies
Basketball (Boys and Girls)	Christmas Pageant
Baccalaureate	
Class Day Senior	
Senior Banquet	
Graduation	

Henry Goodwin won third place in the State Science Fair at Rivier College. Merrily Spence, Nancy Crook, Bette Allen, and Mark Simpson were initiated into the National Honor Society as Charter members. The Dramatic Club received a plaque for excellence in competition at the University of New Hampshire.

Mark Simpson was chosen Valedictorian and Bette Allen was chosen Salutatorian. Jeanne Mathews and Sylvia Mullen were chosen recipients of the Women's Club Scholarship. Sylvia Mullen received the Teachers' Scholarship. Frank Whitemore was awarded the Bausch and Lomb Award. Mark specialized in Russian at St. Paul's School for boys during the summer. Merrily Spence went to Girls State. Sue Hildreth and Winthrop Bennett went to the Conservation Camp.

Claire Chamberlain was elected Chaplain of Monadnock Regional Student Council.

Sophomore test results show that Hollis tied with Hanover High School for top honors in this program.

Five hundred dollars was used to purchase books for the library. Two thousand dollars has been put into the science department for equipment. A Language Laboratory with ten booths was installed. We wish to thank the P.T.A. for its generous contribution toward purchasing periodicals.

Our greatest problem is in our rapid expansion. While we are graduating classes of 12-20 now, in two years we will be graduating from 35-40; in four years from 40-50, assuming no further growth in Hollis. The bubble is now hitting our 9-12 grades. There is a dire need for a larger physical plant.

We are upgrading our science program by putting in an earth science course in the ninth grade. More able students will take Biology in the ninth year followed by Chemistry, Physics and possibly another more advanced science course such as Bio-chemistry in the senior year. We are taking a long look at our Mathematics courses. Next year we hope to have an eighth grade enrichment program in Math which will require the use of inexpensive teaching machines. We plan to obtain approximately six of these programmed machines in elementary algebra. Students will be able to work on this program at their own speed.

We hope to add six more stations to our language lab to accommodate the ever increasing demand for foreign languages.

With the complexities of today's world, I feel that no child should terminate his formal education upon graduation from high school. Each child should further his abilities. With a four or two year course or a training program.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON THORBURN

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Elementary School

Dr. Richard Goodman,
Superintendent of Schools
Milford, New Hampshire

I herewith submit my report as principal of the Hollis Elementary School.

Our greatest need at present, as everyone knows, is ROOM with our enrollment steadily climbing. We now have 22 more pupils than at this time last year making our present enrollment 344 including the seventh grade.

Our teaching staff and Teacher Consultant, Miss Connolly, remain the same with few exceptions and reassignments:

Mrs. Rosemarie Leppanen	Levels 1-4
Miss Virginia Ferguson	Levels 2-5
Mrs. Elizabeth Yeaw	Levels 4-6
Miss Louise Snow	Levels 5-7
Miss Carole Hannaford	Levels 6-8
Miss Sheila Murphy	Levels 7-9
Mrs. Elizabeth Harris	Levels 7-10
Mrs. Mildred Foote	Levels 9-11
Mr. Thomas Kalampalikis	Grade 5 and Math 6B and 7A
Mrs. Suzanne Brylowe	Grades 5 and 6
Mr. Donald Brennan	Grades 5-7 Science and 7B Math
Mr. Dick Vlangas, assistant principal	Language and Social Studies 6B, 7A, 7B
Mr. George Coutris	Grades 6B and 7 Reading
Miss Ethelyn Edwards	Music on Thursdays
Mrs. Jane Wright	Art Grades 5-7 on Fridays

The faculty is a fine group of teachers who are trying their best to give your children an adequate education.

It was necessary to have another fourth grade teacher due to the large enrollment. An additional teacher will be needed in the sixth grade next fall for the same reason.

Grades 5B, 6B, 7B and 7A were departmentalized for more effective teaching.

The Hollis Plan, an upgraded system of ten levels to take the place of Grades 1-4, went into effect in September. This seems to be working very well allowing all pupils to move along as fast as their individual abilities will allow. This is most noticeable in our faster individualized arithmetic and S.R.A. reading classes where

children are competing against themselves only. S.R.A. reading is now being used in Levels 9-10, Grade 5 and Grade 6. Next year this will be extended to include Grade 7.

ACTIVITIES

Our first Science Fair, under the direction of Donald Brennan, was held in April and rated excellent. Another will be held this spring.

Memorial Day exercises were held in the individual rooms due to the large enrollment.

Reading Readiness tests were given by Miss Connolly, assisted by Miss Ferguson, in August to the children entering school. These were followed by intelligence tests in September to help us determine their degree of readiness for reading and proper placement.

Our testing program has been somewhat revised. Grades and subjects tested to date are:

Levels 9-10—Arithmetic and Work Study Skills in October

Grade 5—Reading and Language in October

Grade 6—Intelligence in October

The other grades and levels will be tested during January and May.

A reception for the faculty was held at the October meeting of the P.T.A. who have generously donated \$100 for library books and \$25 for playground equipment.

Physical examinations were given to all pupils of Levels 1-4, 7-10, and Grade 7 as well as the new pupils entering our school by Dr. Deering Smith, School Doctor, assisted by Mrs. Marion Gangloff, School Nurse, in October. These were followed by vision tests for all pupils.

American Education Week was observed with Open House on Monday evening which was attended by a large number of parents and townspeople.

Many activities have been curtailed or given up due to lack of space, most notable perhaps was the popular Book Fair which will be resumed when space permits.

Mrs. Catherine Hammond, our speech consultant, is giving instruction to eighteen pupils.

Mrs. Mary Larrabee, assisted by four cafeteria workers and volunteers from the P.T.A., manages the school lunch program serving lunches to approximately 80% of the pupils.

The state bookmobile visits our school about four times a year. Reference and leisure reading books are obtained for all grades. Bus transportation to the public library is provided for one grade each Wednesday.

Two fine television sets were installed in September making it possible to take advantage of seven educational programs weekly from WENH-TV in Durham including reading, science, social studies and French. The conversational French program is experimental but we hope to carry it on next year.

A thick curtain was installed between the kitchen and the cafeteria to permit the use of the cafeteria as a classroom, with a minimum of noise, for three classes in music and three in art due to our crowded condition.

In the past two years and especially within the past few months, an extremely strong emphasis has been placed nation-wide upon ways to increase the efficiency of our science and mathematics programs due to the nation's need for more scientists and mathematicians brought on by atomic energy, automation and sputniks.

These changes have been brought to our attention and discussed during the Curriculum Evaluation sessions we have attended from September to December and further stressed by specialists brought in as speakers. These changes will affect content, grade placement, and place instructional emphasis on meaningful arithmetic and science problems involving life situations. It will be interesting to watch the changes made in the teaching of these two subjects.

I attended the State Principal's Meeting on September 29th, the New England Reading Association Conference in Swampscott, Mass. October 1-3, and visited the Estabrook and Franklin Schools in Lexington to observe team teaching. Mr. Brennan attended the New England Science Teachers Association in Boston, also. These conferences are always worthwhile.

Our greatest need for 1962-1963 seem to be:

1. Another teacher for Grade 6 to take care of the large enrollment;
2. A teacher's aide to release teachers from other duties to give additional help to pupils;
3. More room — which is partially being taken care of by sending Grade 7A to the high school for more classes.

With my release from teaching duties I feel I have had time to become a much more effective administrator.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the cooperation and help given to me by you, Miss Connolly, the school board, teachers, parents, and townspeople.

Respectfully submitted,

MADELINE DENAULT
Elementary Principal

**GENERAL STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR
1960-61**

Number of pupils registered during year:	453
Boys 221; Girls 232	
Enrollment by Grades:	
I—59; II—61; III—42; IV—44; V—40; VI—46;	
VII—42; VIII—30; IX—27; X—24; XI—26; XII—12	453
Average membership in Grades 1-8	353.5
Percent of attendance in Grades 1-8	92.7
Average membership Grades 9-12	83.5
Percent of attendance in Grades 9-12	94.8
Number of sessions in all schools	360
Teaching Positions — Elementary — 12	
High — 7	
Part-time — 3	

HOLLIS HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Bette Louise Allen	Kathleen Dianne Neary
Barry Lee Frederick	John Scott Seager
Karl Dexter Johnson	Mark Emery Simpson
Robert Harry Kibby	Peter Evans Snow
Jeanne Evelyn Mathews	Judith Carol Twombly
Sylvia Jean Mullen	Frank Richard Whittemore

REPORT OF HEALTH SUPERVISION

1960-61

Dr. Alexander G. Law, M. D., Examiner

(Mrs.) Marion Gangloff, R. N., School Nurse

The total number of children examined	330
Tuberculosis Tests	143
Chest X-rays	4
Vaccinated	50

The following defects, treatments and corrections were reported:

	Defects	Pupils Receiving Treatment
Defective Tonsils and Adenoids	14	10
Defective Teeth	35	20
Cardiac Disease	17	17
Lungs	5	5
Orthopedic	6	0
Acne	3	3

Parents were informed of all the above cases.

Diseases Reported:

Measles	45
Mumps	91
Chicken Pox	49
Scarlet Fever	36
Pre-school Clinic — April 18-20, 1961, No. examined	50
No. Home Visits by School Nurse	82

OUR TEACHERS

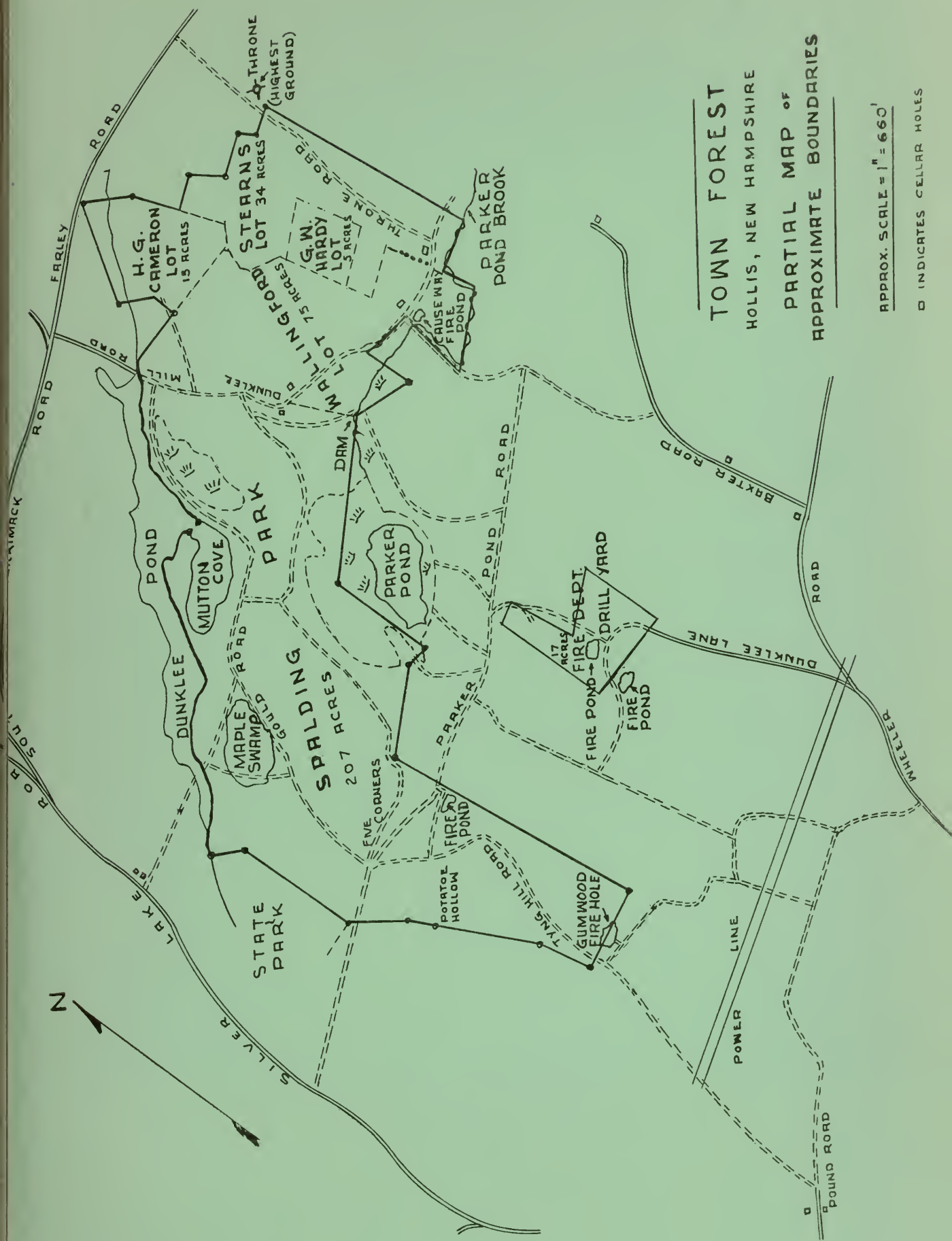
1961-62

Teacher	Grade or Subject	Experience Here	Total Experience
Blanchard, Roland	Language	1¼	1¼
Brennan, Donald	Science	2	3
Brylowe, Suzanne (Mrs.) part-time	Grade 5 and 6	1	4
Casey, Winifred (Mrs.)	Home Economics	8	15
Charest, Joseph	Language	1	1
Cilley, Paul	Language	1	1
Coutris, George	Social Studies	3	3
Cull, Arthur	Commercial	4	4
Denault, Madeline (Mrs.)	Prin. Grades 1 - 6	39	43
Ferguson, Virginia	Grade 1	3	3
Foote, Mildred (Mrs.)	Grade 4	7	13
Fraser, George R.	Shop	3	3
Hannaford, Carole	Grade 3	2	2
Harris, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	Grade 4	1	2
Kalampalikis, Thomas	Grade 5	1	1
Leppanen, Rosemarie (Mrs.)	Grade 1	2	4
Marshall, Olive	Math & Soc. Studies	12	22
Murphy, Sheila	Grade 3	4	4
Snow, Louise	Grade 2	4	4
Thorburn, Gordon	Principal, Science	3	8½
Vlangas, Dick	Social Studies	6	6
Wilkins, Barbara (Mrs.)	Math	2	3
Yeaw, Elizabeth (Mrs.)	Grade 2	1	2
Edwards, Ethelyn	Music (Part-time)		
Hammond, Catherine	Lip Reading (Part-time)		
Wright, Jane	Art (Part-time)		

SCHOOL CENSUS

Beryl R. Orde, Enumerator

Age as of Sept. 1, 1961	Total	Boys	Girls	No. Attending Public School
Under 1 year	22	11	11	
1	39	14	25	
2	35	13	22	
3	32	15	17	
4	40	21	19	
5	55	25	30	18
6	51	26	25	48
7	59	25	34	57
8	49	26	23	48
9	37	19	18	36
10	50	27	23	48
11	52	28	24	50
12	43	21	22	36
13	34	14	20	30
14	59	29	30	55
15	41	17	24	36
16	19	9	10	12
17	30	12	18	18
18	12	6	6	3
TOTALS	758	358	400	495



TOWN FOREST
 HOLLIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE
PARTIAL MAP OF
APPROXIMATE BOUNDARIES

APPROX. SCALE = 1" = 660'

D INDICATES CELLAR HOLES

