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# Annual Reports

OF THE TOWN OF

# BRADFORD

NEW HAMPSHIRE



For the Year Ending  
December 31, 1971

This Town Report Is Dedicated To  
Bradford's Oldest Resident

*Laura Sanborn*

Born Sept. 25, 1875

A descendent of Deacon William Presbury, first settler in 1771.  
He conducted the first town meeting in 1787.

Descendents of William Presbury:

His daughter, Phoebe, married Gen. Stephen Hoyt.

Her son, Elbridge Hoyt.

His son, Elbridge Jr.

His daughter, Laura.

Born at the Hoyt Homestead, West Road, Bradford Center.

Attended District #1 School, later known as the Center School.

Town Reports of the 1880's all showed her name on the honor  
roll.

Married Joseph Sanborn.

Has held the Post Cane since 1966.

# Annual Reports

of the

Selectmen and Other Town Officers

of the Town of

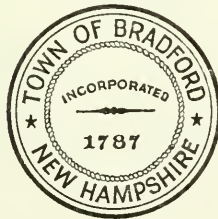
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For the Year Ending December 31, 1971

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Vital Statistics for the Year 1971



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## **DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS**

### **ELECTIVE**

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#### **MODERATOR**

**(Fall Election)**

Carl P. Swinnerton

#### **SELECTMEN**

Philip M. Dodge '72 (Resigned)

Clarence L. Wheeler '73

Robert C. Perron '74

Raymond E. Jaycox (Appointed)

#### **OFFICE SECRETARY (Appointed)**

Mildred H. Gunscheon

#### **TOWN CLERK**

Elizabeth A. Cilley '72

#### **TOWN TREASURER**

Lillian S. Frey '72

#### **TAX COLLECTOR**

Bernard M. Woods '72

#### **SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST**

**(Fall Election)**

Florence V. Jones '72

Matilda A. Wheeler '74

Marion L. Hopkins '76

#### **TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS**

Phyllis F. Webb '72

Vivian A. Messer '73

Dian F. Anderson (Appointed)

#### **TRUSTEES OF THE LIBRARY**

Winifred M. Reeves '72

Henry B. Cilley '72

Elinor Hambrecht '73

Winfield S. Smyth '73

Delores Hansen '74

Fredericka Cunningham '74

## AUDITORS

Edward H. Seamann Ernest C. Stewart (Resigned)  
Edwin E. Westerberg (Appointed)

## BUDGET COMMITTEE

Karl I. Scribner '72 Robert A. Moore '72  
Robert H. Sweet '73 Carroll Butman '73  
Paul N. Gove, Chairman '74 Leo L. Loftus '74 (Resigned)  
Clarence L. Wheeler, Selectman  
Richard A. Burke (Appointed)

## ROAD AGENT (Appointed)

John A. Fortune

## DEPUTY TOWN CLERK (Appointed)

Margaret S. Colgate

## DEPUTY TOWN TREASURER (Appointed)

Carl H. Danforth

## POLICE OFFICERS (Appointed by the Selectmen)

S. Jay George, Chief and Dog Officer  
Lester A. Witham Arthur F. Valley Sr.  
Richard MacLeod

## OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE

S. Jay George

## BALLOT CLERKS

Mildred H. Gunscheon, Rep. Henry A. Wright, Dem.  
Dana C. Sanborn, Rep. Russell Allen, Dem.

## LIBRARIAN (Appointed by the Library Trustees)

Effie M. Craigie

## **PLANNING BOARD**

Ernest C. Stewart '72  
Gerald H. Martin '75  
George P. Morse Jr., Chm. '76  
James W. Gunscheon '72  
Harriet H. Douglass '75  
Robert V. Perron '76  
Robert C. Perron, Selectman

## **SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

Carl H. Danforth '72  
Susan R. Briscoe '73  
Hazel Morse '74  
Florence V. Jones, School Board

## **FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**(Elected from within the Department)**

Robert A. Moore, Chief

Nelson C. Spaulding, Deputy Chief

Kenneth F. Jones, Deputy Chief

Lester F. Hall, Treasurer

Christopher J. Frey, Clerk

**(Appointed from within the Department)**

Carl H. Danforth, Lieutenant

Carroll Butman, Lieutenant

## **BOARD OF FIRE WARDS**

Nelson C. Spaulding

Edwin E. Westerberg

Harlan G. Cummings

## **FOREST FIRE WARDEN**

James C. Fleming

## **TOWN CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

**(Appointed by Selectmen)**

Phyllis F. Webb '72

S. Jay George '72

Erving M. Blunt '73 (Resigned)

Jacquelyn E. Martin '73

Burton D. Hersh, Chm. '73

Kenneth Watson-Jones '73

John W. Moore '74

Douglas Sweet '74

Raymond E. Jaycox, Selectman

## **SURVEYOR OF WOOD AND TIMBER**

Walter A. Heselton Jr.

## **JANITOR OF TOWN HALL**

Lester A. Witham

## **HEALTH OFFICER**

Philip M. Dodge (Resigned)

## TOWN WARRANT

### The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Bradford in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:  
(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Bradford on Tuesday the seventh day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

Polls open at 10:00 A.M. and close not earlier than 6:30 P.M.

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. To adjourn the meeting until Wednesday, March eighth at 8:00 o'clock in the evening; the raising of money and other articles in the warrant to be taken up at the adjourned meeting.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the Conservation Commission.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for the Planning Board.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the American Red Cross. (Permitted by Law)

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$294.00 for Hospitals; Concord Hospital to receive \$94.00 and New London Hospital to receive \$200.00

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an amount equal to \$1.25 per inhabitant of the Town or \$848.75 to continue participation in the Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,106.77 for Town Road Aid. The State will furnish the sum of \$7,378.46.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be placed in the History Trust Fund to be used for the cost of printing a Bradford History.



11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the expenses of the History Committee.
12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$75.00 for the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association.
13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to be placed in a Capital Reserve Fund for the special purpose of purchasing equipment, the purchasing of said equipment subject to a vote of the Town.
14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for replacement of bookstacks in the basement of the Library and to purchase two new railings for the Library steps. (Submitted without the recommendation of the Budget Committee)
15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$583.00 to cover insurance and other expenses of the Bradford Rescue Squad. (Submitted without the recommendation of the Budget Committee)
16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,500.00 to purchase a new highway truck and plow; \$10,000.00 to be taken from the Capital Reserve Fund and the balance paid from Town funds this year.
17. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the Bradford, New Hampshire Mobile Home and Trailer Ordinance.
18. To see if the Town will vote to rescind article 12 in the warrant at the Town Meeting held March 11, 1969 which reads: "To see if the Town will return to the abutting land owners the old Coach Road which starts at the West Road near Eldred Keay's house and runs in a westerly direction for about three-quarters of a mile and then northerly about one-half mile to John Fortune's house."
19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to deed the old roadway to Walter E., Jr. & Anastacia Steere in consideration of said Walter E., Jr. & Anastacia Steere deeding to the Town the right of way occupied by the new lay-out.
20. To see if the Town will vote to increase the price of cemetery lots in the Town of Bradford to \$50.00 for a 10 x 20 lot and \$30.00 for a 10 x 10 lot.
21. To see if the sale of cemetery lots in the Town of Bradford shall be restricted to taxpayers of the Town only.
22. To see if the Town will vote to prohibit the loan, rental or lease of Town road equipment or machinery. (By Petition)

23. To see if the Town will vote to amend the existing Town ordinance for appointing planning board members to an ordinance electing a minimum of three members by the voters of the Town at the annual town meeting. (By Petition)

24. To see if the Town will vote to amend the existing Town ordinances to insure the Town property owners the opportunity to vote at the annual town meeting on all changes, regulations, rules, articles affecting their property. (By Petition)

25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of two hundred dollars from Margaret C. Wise, to be held in trust, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of Lots 2D-12 and 2D-13 in Sunny Plain Cemetery.

26. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of one hundred dollars from William R. Dunlop, to be held in trust, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of Lot E-26 in Sunny Plain Cemetery.

27. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of one hundred dollars from May S. Milner, to be held in trust, the income therefrom to be used for the perpetual care of Lots 2B-35, 2B-36, 2C-35, 2C-36, 2D-35 and 2D-36 in Sunny Plain Cemetery.

28. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) to be known as the Arthur B. Gardner Fund for the benefit of the Brown Memorial Library said sum to be held in trust, the interest therefrom to be used for the purchase of books and magazines.

29. To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the amendments of the Constitution proposed by the 1971 session of the General Court shall be approved.

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

Given under our hands and seal, this seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-two.

CLARENCE L. WHEELER  
ROBERT C. PERRON  
RAYMOND E. JAYCOX  
Selectmen of Bradford

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLARENCE L. WHEELER  
ROBERT C. PERRON  
RAYMOND E. JAYCOX  
Selectmen of Bradford

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT — 1971

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With the combined efforts of all Town Officers, Boards, Commissions and Town employees we have had a pretty good year. Budget-wise any overdrafts occurring were amply balanced out by savings within other appropriated fundings.

Good news — to be used to lower the town's budget the State has granted Bradford a subsidy of \$13,890.56 for use towards the construction, reconstruction and maintenance of our Class IV and V roads.

In accordance with your wishes, at last year's Town Meeting, in regards to enlarging the Bradford Pond Cemetery the portion to be extended into was surveyed into fifty-nine (59) additional lots, each lot is 10 x 10 feet, complete with roads leading into and out of the cemetery, as well as roads and paths between the rows of lots. Also, a chain link fence was erected around the extension. A search is now on for a typical New Hampshire boulder, to be used as the Memorial (with plaque), as stipulated in the trust left to the Town by Ida M. Reddington.

Your attention is invited to that item, in this report, wherein there is a slight overdraft in the insurance column. This occurred in the light of our study and action to update all of the policies. It was found, in some cases, that the liability coverage was insufficient to cover us safely.

It was most unfortunate, that during the past year, we have had several resignations of Town Officers holding responsible offices. However, we were able to fill all the positions with capable individuals. To those we've lost, we say "thank you for a job well done" — to the new officers "welcome," and rest assured that the undersigned will help in any capacity at any time.

CLARENCE L. WHEELER  
Chairman

ROBERT C. PERRON

RAYMOND E. JAYCOX

# B U D G E T

Town of Bradford, New Hampshire

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year

January 1, 1972 to December 31, 1972

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures

of the Previous Year January 1, 1971 to December 31, 1971

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year	Actual Revenue Previous Year	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1972
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 5,319.63	\$ 5,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,000.00	1,224.93	1,200.00
Highway Subsidy		6,963.60	13,890.56
Meals and Rooms Tax	2,500.00	2,978.84	3,000.00
Gas Tax Refund	500.00	501.04	600.00
For Fighting Forest Fires Warden Meeting		50.90	
<b>From Local Sources:</b>			
Dog Licenses	300.00	343.50	350.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	75.00	88.00	75.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal & Dist. Court		24.00	
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	150.00	585.00	400.00
Interest Received on Taxes	1,200.00	1,907.54	1,800.00
Income from Trust Funds	2,000.00	3,278.11	2,100.00
<b>Income of Departments:</b>			
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment		5,179.52	
(b) Class V Highways	4,351.50	4,351.50	4,493.34
(c) Plowing Driveways Town Road Aid		780.00 10,482.35	500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	9,000.00	10,429.45	10,000.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds for Highway Truck			10,000.00

**Amount Raised by Issue  
of Bonds or Notes:**

Fire Truck		9,000.00	
Fire Station Addition	2,500.00	2,500.00	

**Reimbursements a/c  
Business Profits Tax:**

(Town Portion Only)	3,282.00	10,333.53	3,290.00
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**From Local Taxes Other Than  
Property Taxes:**

(a) Resident Taxes Retained		2,062.50	2,000.00
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	10.00		
(c) Yield Taxes	1,000.00	847.15	500.00

**TOTAL REVENUES FROM  
ALL SOURCES EXCEPT  
PROPERTY TAXES**

\$31,868.50	\$79,231.09	\$59,198.90
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**Amount to be Raised by Prop. Taxes**

\$55,500.62

**PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES**

Appropriations  
Previous  
Fiscal Year

Actual  
Expenditures  
Previous  
Fiscal Year

Appropriations  
Recommended  
by  
Budget  
Committee 1972

**General Government:**

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 3,945.99	\$ 4,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	3,500.00	2,967.56	3,500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	500.00	309.12	1,000.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	2,000.00	2,249.10	2,750.00
Reappraisal of Property	196.92	195.17	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	1,650.00	1,713.02	1,750.00

**Protection of Persons and Property:**

Police Department	2,500.00	1,445.07	2,500.00
Fire Department	2,700.00	3,073.30	3,500.00
Insurance	4,400.00	4,656.50	4,500.00
Planning and Zoning	408.90	290.70	300.00
Conservation Commission	200.00	40.00	200.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	150.00		500.00

**Health:**

Bradford Rescue Squad			*583.00
Health Department, Incl.			
Hospitals & Ambulance	321.00	321.00	344.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	22.00	25.00
Nursing Service	815.00	815.00	848.75
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	2,500.00	1,506.72	2,000.00

**Highways and Bridges:**

Town Maintenance—Summer	6,000.00	9,663.21	8,350.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	9,550.00	9,979.61	10,350.00
Street Lighting	3,550.00	3,537.60	3,550.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	12,000.00	20,020.95	18,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,268.80	17,563.84	1,106.77

<b>Libraries:</b>	4,200.00	4,188.00	3,400.00
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**Public Welfare:**

Library Repairs			*400.00
Town Poor	1,000.00	1,264.78	3,000.00
Old Age Assistance	2,000.00	3,065.55	3,000.00

**Patriotic Purposes:**

Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	35.00	35.00	50.00
History Committee	113.70	77.05	50.00
History Trust Fund	500.00	500.00	500.00

**Recreation:**

Parks and Playground, Incl. Band Concerts	650.00	480.25	650.00
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**Public Service Enterprises:**

Cemeteries	800.00	5,014.17	2,900.00
Advertising and Regional Assocs.	75.00	75.00	75.00

**Interest on Debt:**

On Temporary Loans	1,250.00	901.56	1,250.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	500.00	540.00	750.00

**Principal of Debt:**

(b) Long Term Notes	2,000.00	2,000.00	9,000.00
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**Capital Outlay**

New Lands and Buildings,

Addition Fire Station	5,500.00	5,500.00	
New Equipment, Highway Truck and Plow			15,500.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
<b>TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS</b>	<b>\$82,359.32</b>		<b>\$114,699.52</b>
			*\$ 983.00

\* Appropriations submitted without recommendation of  
Budget Committee 1972 — \$983.00

PAUL GOVE, Chairman  
 KARL SCRIBNER  
 ROBERT SWEET  
 RICHARD A. BURKE  
 ROBERT A. MOORE  
 CARROLL BUTMAN  
 CLARENCE L. WHEELER,  
 Selectman

Budget Committee

## SUMMARY OF INVENTORY OF VALUATION

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Land	\$1,802,903.00
Buildings	4,319,686.00
Factory Buildings	72,200.00
Public Utilities	208,100.00
House Trailers (26)	65,900.00
Vehicles	11,500.00
Boats (14)	8,550.00
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Gross Valuation	\$6,488,839.00
Exemptions:	
Elderly (23)	71,750.00
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Net Valuation	\$6,417,089.00
Gross Amounts of Property Taxes	\$ 247,058.26
War Service Tax Credits (60)	3,000.00
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Net Amount of Property Taxes	\$ 244,058.26

## STATEMENT OF LONG TERM NOTES

For the Town of Bradford, N. H.

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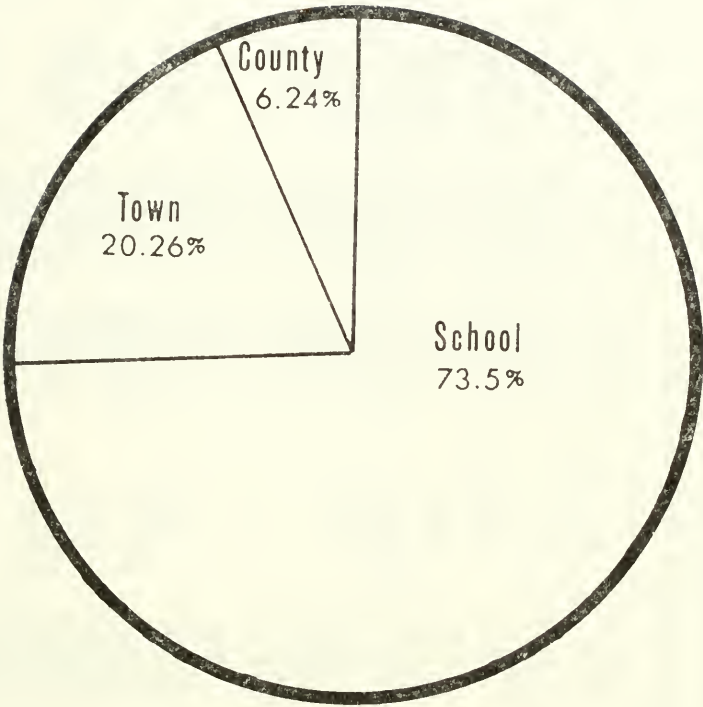
Showing Annual Maturities of Long Term Notes

Dec. 31, 1971

	Galion Grader 1969 4½%	Fire Truck 1970 4%	Fire Station Addition 1971 4%	
	Original Amount	Original Amount	Original Amount	Total Annual
Maturities	\$10,000.00	\$9,000.00	\$2,500.00	Maturities
1972	\$ 2,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$ 9,000.00
1973	2,000.00	4,500.00		6,500.00
1974	2,000.00			2,000.00
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TOTAL	\$ 6,000.00	\$9,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$17,500.00

Interest on Temporary Loans 3¾ %





Town Tax	\$ .78
County Tax	.24
School Tax	2.83

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Tax Rate Per Hundred	\$ 3.85
Tax Rate Per Thousand	\$38.50

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**

**For the Town of Bradford — 1971**

TITLE OF APPROPRIATIONS	Appropriations	Receipts	Total Available	Expenditures	Balance	Over-drafts
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 4,500.00	\$	\$ 4,500.00	\$ 3,945.99	\$ 554.01	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	3,500.00	21.00	3,521.00	2,967.56	553.44	
Election & Registration	500.00	2.00	502.00	309.12	192.88	
Reappraisal of Property (Bal. 1968)	196.92		196.92	195.17	1.75	
Town Hall Expense	2,000.00	585.00	2,585.00	2,249.10	335.90	
Police Department	2,500.00		2,500.00	1,445.07	1,054.93	
Fire Department	2,700.00	50.90	2,750.90	3,073.30		322.40
Insurance	4,400.00	134.00	4,534.00	4,656.50		122.50
Planning Board Expense	408.90		408.90	290.70	118.20	
Conservation Commission	200.00		200.00	40.00	160.00	
History Committee	613.70		613.70	577.05	36.65	
Health Department (Incl. Hospitals & Nursing Service)	1,136.00		1,136.00	1,136.00		
Vital Statistics	25.00		25.00	22.00	3.00	
Town Dump	2,500.00	30.00	2,530.00	1,506.72	1,023.28	
Summer Wages	6,000.00	2,094.79	8,094.79	9,663.21		1,568.42
Winter Wages	9,550.00		9,550.00	9,979.61		429.61
Street Lighting	3,550.00		3,550.00	3,537.60	12.40	
General Highway Expense	12,000.00	14,444.07	26,444.07	20,020.95	6,423.12	
Town Road Aid	1,268.80	16,082.35	17,351.15	17,563.84		212.69
Library	3,200.00		3,200.00	3,200.00		
Repairs to Library	1,000.00		1,000.00	988.00	12.00	

Old Age Assistance	2,000.00			2,000.00	3,065.55	1,065.55
Town Poor	1,000.00			1,000.00	1,264.78	264.78
Memorial Day	35.00			35.00		
Parks & Playgrounds	650.00	46.77		696.77	480.25	216.52
Care of Cemeteries	800.00	4,216.34		5,016.34	5,014.17	2.17
Damage & Legal Expenses	150.00			150.00		150.00
Social Security	1,650.00			1,650.00	1,713.02	63.02
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,250.00			1,250.00	901.56	348.44
Interest on Long Term Notes	500.00			500.00	540.00	40.00
Advertising & Regional Assns.	75.00			75.00	75.00	
Long Term Notes	2,000.00			2,000.00	2,000.00	
Capital Reserve	5,000.00			5,000.00	5,000.00	
Addition to Fire Station	5,500.00			5,500.00	5,500.00	
New Fire Truck (Balance - 1970)	15,630.85			15,630.85	14,581.00	1,049.85
TOTAL	\$97,990.17	\$37,707.22	\$135,697.39	\$127,537.82	\$12,248.54	\$ 4,088.97
					4,088.97	
						Net Balance of Appropriations
						\$ 8,159.57

## FINANCIAL REPORT

### A S S E T S

#### Cash

In hands of treasurer	\$ 72,045.97	
In hands of officials, Library Trustees	233.56	
Total	<u>                    </u>	\$ 72,279.53

#### Capital Reserve Funds

(a) Purchasing equipment	11,084.84	
Total	<u>                    </u>	11,084.84

#### Accounts Due to the Town

Due from State:		
(b) Forest Fire	251.87	
(c) Bounties for 1971	10.00	
Total	<u>                    </u>	261.87

#### Unredeemed Taxes:

(b) Levy of 1970	3,193.89	
(c) Levy of 1969	715.04	
(d) Previous Years	1,038.74	
Total	<u>                    </u>	4,947.67

#### Uncollected Taxes:

(a) Levy of 1971, Including Resident Taxes	30,186.95	
Total	<u>                    </u>	30,186.95

TOTAL ASSETS                      \$118,760.86

Current Deficit (Excess of liabilities over assets)                      9,323.90

GRAND TOTAL                      \$128,084.76

Current Surplus, December 31, 1970 \$ 3,419.54

Current Deficit, December 31, 1971 \$ 9,323.90

Increase Deficit, Change in Financial Condition \$ 5,904.36

### L I A B I L I T I E S

#### Accounts Owed by the Town:

Due to State:

(a) Resident Taxes — 1971 (Uncollected \$387) (Collected—not remitted to State Treas. \$552.60)	\$ 939.60
(b) 2% Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes (Uncollected \$123.83) (Collected—not remitted to State Treas. \$169.43)	293.26
School District(s) Tax(es) Payable	98,267.06
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Grader 1972, \$2,000; 1973, \$2,000; 1974, \$2,000	6,000.00
Fire Truck 1972, \$4,500; 1973, \$4,500	9,000.00
Fire Station Addition 1972, \$2,500	2,500.00
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Total Accounts Owed by the Town	\$116,999.92
Capital Reserve Funds	11,084.84
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$128,084.76
GRAND TOTAL	\$128,084.76

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### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 60,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	4,200.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	30,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	7,800.00
Police Department, Equipment	1,100.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	14,400.00
Equipment (including Siren)	36,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	6,000.00
Equipment	37,000.00
Materials and Supplies	1,200.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	7,000.00
Robinson Lot and Dump	3,000.00
Varnum Lot	1,000.00
Pond Meeting House Lot	500.00
Common — Bradford Center	500.00
Parking Lot — East Side Lake Massasecum	500.00
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TOTAL	\$210,200.00

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

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January 1, 1971 to December 31, 1971

### Receipts

#### Tax for registration of motor vehicles

24 permits for 1970	\$ 170.50	
803 permits for 1971	10,258.95	
Total	<u>          </u>	\$10,429.45

#### Dog Tax

149 registered	\$ 343.50	
12 female		
137 male		
2 kennel		
14 forfeits	14.00	
Total	<u>          </u>	\$ 357.50

Filing Fees	2.00	2.00
Total Receipts		<u>          </u>
		\$10,788.95

Payments to treasurer		\$10,788.95
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ELIZABETH A. CILLEY

Town Clerk

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

(For Previous Year's Levy)

### Summary of Warrant

#### State Head and Poll Tax Levy of 1969

Head Tax	\$	5.00	
Penalty		.50	
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Total Collected	\$		5.50
1969 Poll Tax	\$		2.00

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(For Previous Year's Levy)

### Summary of Warrant

#### State Head Tax Levy of 1970

— Dr. —

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1971	\$	365.00	
Added Taxes During 1971		30.00	
Penalties Collected During 1971		29.00	
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$		424.00

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#### Remittances to Treasurer During 1971:

Head Taxes	\$	305.00	
Penalties		29.00	
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	\$		334.00
Abatements During 1971			90.00
Uncollected Head Taxes — December 31, 1971			
(As per Collector's List)			None
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$		424.00

**Summary of Warrants**  
**Property, Poll and Yield Taxes**  
**Levy of 1970**

— Dr. —

**Uncollected Taxes —**

**As of January 1, 1971:**

Property Taxes	\$30,036.62	
Poll Taxes	126.00	
Yield Taxes	611.10	
		\$30,773.72

**Added Taxes:**

Property Taxes	\$ 50.00	
Poll Taxes	12.00	
		62.00

**Interest Collected During Fiscal Year**

**Ended December 31, 1971** 1,453.60

TOTAL DEBITS

\$32,289.32

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**Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year**

**Ended December 31, 1971:**

Property Taxes	\$30,001.82	
Poll Taxes	104.00	
Yield Taxes	382.18	
Interest Collected During Year	1,453.60	
		\$31,941.60

**Abatements Made During Year:**

Property Taxes	\$ 84.80	
Poll Taxes	34.00	
		118.80

**Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1971:**

(As Per Collector's List)

Yield Taxes	\$ 228.92	
		228.92

TOTAL CREDITS

\$32,289.32



**Summary of Warrants**  
**Property, Resident and Yield Taxes**  
**Levy of 1971**

— Dr. —

**Taxes Committed to Collector:**

Property Taxes	\$244,058.26	
Resident Taxes	4,010.00	
Total Warrant		\$248,068.26

Yield Taxes		1,140.41
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**Added Taxes:**

Property Taxes	\$ 1,778.09	
Resident Taxes	10.00	
		1,788.09

**Overpayments During Year:**

a/c Property Taxes	\$ 18.45	
		18.45

Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes		116.08
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$251,131.29
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**Remittances to Treasurer:**

Property Taxes	\$215,494.34	
Resident Taxes	2,910.00	
Yield Taxes	1,016.58	
Interest Collected	116.08	
		\$219,537.00

**Abatements Made During Year:**

Property Taxes	\$ 1,033.51	
Resident Taxes	250.00	
		1,283.51

**Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1971:**  
(As Per Collector's List)

Property Taxes	\$ 29,326.95	
Resident Taxes	860.00	
Yield Taxes	123.83	
	<hr/>	30,310.78
TOTAL CREDITS		<hr/> \$251,131.29

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1971**

— Dr. —

	1970	1969	1968	Previous Years
Taxes Sold to Town				
During Current Fiscal Year	\$4,504.59	\$	\$	\$
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes				
January 1, 1971		2,170.05	737.48	1,577.98
Interest Collected After Sale	18.32	91.36	102.22	133.76
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	\$4,522.91	\$2,261.41	\$ 839.70	\$1,711.74

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Remittances to Treasurer				
During Year	\$1,329.02	\$1,507.05	\$ 776.65	\$ 711.09
Deeded to E. Westerberg				
(A. Manning Prop.)		39.32	15.64	9.32
Unredeemed Taxes at Close				
of Year	3,193.89	715.04	47.41	991.33
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	\$4,522.91	\$2,261.41	\$ 839.70	\$1,711.74

## Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales

### Tax Sales on Account of Levies of:

	1970	1969	1968	Previous Years
Gideon Barstow Estate	\$ 188.21	\$ 244.46	\$	\$
Dorothy S. & J. A. Raoul Bischoff	35.26			
Cynthia Coonley	584.50			
Ella Griffin	320.73			
John A. Rowell Estate	97.80			
John Rowell (2)	73.50		47.41	
Rita Westman	439.40			
Atkinson & Davis	556.84	470.58		
Mary R. Brown	54.60			
Frederick J. Moreland	329.80			
Fred & Viola Myrshall Jr.	106.20			
Robert Ward	400.75			
Frances Blackley	6.30			
George Rowell				60.61
Walter Goulart				171.52
G. H. Ayer Estate				94.14
M. P. Ayer Estate				29.68
Levi Harmon Estate				59.99
Harold Toomey				50.14
C. & C. Railroad				525.25
	\$3,193.89	\$ 715.04	\$ 47.41	\$ 991.33

# REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

## Detail Statement of Receipts

Balance on Hand December 31, 1970		\$ 57,366.07
<b>Receipts:</b>		
Bernard M. Woods, Tax Collector:		
1971 Property Tax	\$215,494.34	
1971 Resident Tax	2,910.00	
1971 Resident Tax Penalties	8.00	
1971 Interest	108.08	
1970 Property Tax	30,001.82	
1970 Poll Tax	104.00	
1970 Interest	1,440.59	
1970 Head Tax	305.00	
1970 Head Tax Penalties	29.00	
1970-71 Yield Tax	1,016.58	
1969 Poll Tax	2.00	
1969 Interest	.20	
1969-79 Interest	13.01	
1969 Head Tax	5.00	
1969 Head Tax Penalties	.50	
1969-70 Yield Tax	382.18	251,820.30
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Redeemed Taxes 1970:		
Richard F. Burke and Linda M. Burke	\$ 1,168.30	
Frances Blackley pp.	105.00	
Herbert and Bryl Riheman	37.40	
Interest and Costs	18.32	1,329.02
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Redeemed Taxes 1969:		
Wm. and Roberta Westcott	\$ 311.57	
Cynthia Coonley	1,104.12	
Interest and Costs	91.36	1,507.05
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Redeemed Taxes 1968:		
Cynthia Coonley	\$ 674.43	
Interest and Costs	102.22	776.65
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Redeemed Taxes 1967:		

Cynthia Coonley	\$	577.33	
Interest and Costs		133.76	711.09
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Elizabeth A. Cilley, Town Clerk:			
Dog Licenses	\$	357.50	
Filing Fees		2.00	
1970 Auto Permits		170.50	
1971 Auto Permits		10,258.95	\$ 10,788.95
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Road Agent:			
Plowing Driveways —			
Janice Cohen	\$	82.50	
Murray L. Cohen		22.50	
Peter Duff		7.50	
Alice Gray		90.00	
Brian Haggerty		22.50	
Lee C. Bradley		65.00	
Burton Hersh		10.00	
Alexander MacDonald		45.00	
Clara MacDonald		30.00	
Barbara Mullen		15.00	
William Mullen		7.50	
Hazel Perkins		2.50	
Richard Pulie		75.00	
E. W. Saldwalk		20.00	
Ernest Saldwalk		7.50	
Helen Smith		5.00	
Ralph Smith		12.50	
Sandra Strickland		67.50	
George Hambrecht		97.50	
James Robertson		90.00	
Aniela Zalecki		5.00	
Heritage Trail, Repair to Driveway		41.15	
Town of Canaan, Use of equipment		240.55	1,061.70
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Cemetery Lots:			
Pond Cemetery			
Robert A. Perron Lot 3-1 and 4-1	\$	20.00	
Pond Cemetery Lots Extension			
Richard A. Burke Lot 6-9 and 5-10		50.00	
Irving F. and Thelman Warren Lot 1-6 and 1-5		50.00	
Daniel and Fredericka Cunningham Lot 6-4		25.00	
Herbert S. Tucker Lot 3-10 and 4-10		50.00	
Sunny Plain Cemetery			

Margaret C. Wise Lot 2D12 and 3D13	50.00	
Henry F. and Mildred A. Nolte Lot 2D17	25.00	
Robert F. and Kathleen A. Moore Lot A21	25.00	
Paul and Ann Rossman Lot A17	25.00	
Richard W. Colby Lot 2B6	25.00	
William K. Dunlap Lot E26	15.00	
Nelson C. Spaulding Lot B37	25.00	385.00

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Temporary Loans:

First National Bank		55,000.00
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Long Term Loans:

First National Bank, Newport, New Hampshire		11,500.00
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State of New Hampshire

Bounties 1970	\$ 4.00	
Gas Tax Refund	501.04	
Public Works Highway	10,323.75	
Treas. Dept.—Budget Asst.	7,721.19	
Interest due on ½ of 1971 distribution	38.61	
Forest Fire Meeting 4/28/71	41.20	
Warden Meeting 4/28/71	9.70	
Maintenance Class V Highways	4,351.50	
Interest and Dividends Tax	5,319.63	
Savings Bank Tax	1,224.93	
Refund TRA	158.60	
Subsidy Public Works RSA 241-14	6,963.60	
Meals and Room Tax	2,978.84	
Business Profit Tax	2,573.73	
Use of Grader, Loader and Truck	403.75	
Use of Grader and Truck	824.75	
Use of Grader	3,539.65	46,978.47

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Rent of Town Hall:

Bradford Women's Club	\$ 25.00	
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten	390.00	
Lake Massasecum Improvement Assn.	20.00	
The Pilgrim Theatre Company	45.00	
Evening Star Rebekah Lodge	25.00	505.00

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Selectmen:

Pistol Permits	\$ 32.00	
John Ward, Junk Yard Permit	25.00	
Harry E. Heselton, Junk Yard Permit	25.00	
Wallace Brown, Dynamite Permit	2.00	

Richard H. Messer, Dynamite Permit	2.00	
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten telephone refund	21.00	
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten Gift	80.00	
Stop Payment Check #7354	94.79	
Laura Bewersdorf, Dump Donation	10.00	
Philip A. Vaugh, Dump Donation	10.00	
Dump Donation	10.00	
Ermina H. Smith, Perpetual Care Sunny Plain Lot 2A30	100.00	
Margaret C. Wise, Perpetual Care Lot 2D12 and 2D13	200.00	
Arthur B. Gardner, Perpetual Care Lot #147 Pleasant Hill Cemetery	200.00	
William R. Dunlap, Perpetual Care Lot E26 Sunny Plain Cemetery	100.00	
Alfred Ayer, Repair to Roadway	34.88	
Frank A. Wise Rescue Squad, Refund Ambulance Insurance	134.00	
Bradford Police Dept., Impounding dog	10.00	
First Baptist Church:		
1971 Care of Cemetery Lots		
Smith Fund Lot	45.00	
Wheeler Fund Lot	2.00	
Eaton Fund Lot	18.00	
French Fund Lot	120.00	
Trustee of Trust Funds:		
Upkeep Sunny Plain Cemetery and Perpetual Care Lots	2,100.00	
French's Park Expense	46.77	
Expenses Bradford Pond Church Fund	946.34	4,368.78
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>		<b>\$444,098.98</b>
Less by payments on Selectmen's orders		<b>372,052.11</b>
Balance on Hand December 31, 1971		<b>\$ 72,045.97</b>

## UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

### RECEIPTS

**Current Revenue:**

**From Local Taxes:**

(Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes—Current Year—1971	\$215,494.34
Resident Taxes—Current Year—1971	2,910.00
Yield Taxes—Current Year—1971	1,016.58
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<b>Total Current Year's Taxes</b>	
Collected and Remitted	\$219,420.92
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—	
Previous Years	30,384.00
Poll Taxes—Previous Years	106.00
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	310.00
Interest received on Delinquent Taxes	1,907.54
Penalties: State Head Taxes \$29.50	
Resident Taxes \$8.00	37.50
Tax sales redeemed	3,978.15

**From State:**

For Highways and Bridges:	
(a) For Town Road Aid	10,482.35
(b) For Class V Highway maintenance	4,351.50
(d) Highway Subsidy	6,963.60
Interest and dividends tax	5,319.63
Savings Bank Tax	1,224.93
Use of equipment	4,768.15
Fighting forest fires, Warden's Meeting	50.90
Reimbursement a/c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	501.04
Bounties	4.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	2,978.84
Reimbursements a/c Business Profits Tax	10,333.53

**From Local Sources, Except Taxes:**

Dog Licenses	343.50
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	88.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal & District Court	24.00
Rent of town property	505.00
Income from trust funds	3,278.11
Motor vehicle permits (1970-\$170.50)	
(1971-\$10,258.95)	10,429.45
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<b>Total Current Revenue Receipts</b>	<b>\$317,790.64</b>
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**Receipts Other than Current Revenue:**

Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	55,000.00
Proceeds of Long Term Notes	11,500.00
Refunds	155.00
Gifts	80.00
New Trust Funds received during year	600.00
Sale of cemetery lots	385.00
Driveway repairs	76.03
Stop payment check #7354	94.79
Dump donations	30.00
Town of Canaan, use of equipment	240.55
Plowing driveways	780.00

<b>Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue</b>	\$ 68,941.37
<b>Total Receipts from All Sources</b>	\$386,732.01
Cash on hand January 1, 1971	57,366.07
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	\$444,098.08

**PAYMENTS****Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$ 3,945.99
Town officers' expenses	2,967.56
Election and registration expenses	309.12
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	2,249.10
Reappraisal of Property	195.17

**Protection of Persons and Property:**

Police department	1,445.07
Fire department, including forest fires	3,073.30
Planning and Zoning	290.70
Insurance	4,656.50
Conservation Commission	40.00
Bounties	9.50

**Health:**

Health department, incl. hospitals & ambulance	1,136.00
Vital statistics	22.00
Town dumps and garbage removal	1,506.72

**Highways and Bridges:**

Town Road Aid	17,563.84
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Town Maintenance (Summer-\$9,663.21)		
(Winter-\$9,979.61)	19,642.82	
Street lighting	3,537.60	
General Expenses of Highway Department	20,020.95	
<b>Libraries:</b>	4,188.00	
<b>Public Welfare:</b>		
Old age assistance	3,065.55	
Town poor	1,264.78	
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>		
Memorial Day, Veteran's Associations and Old Home Day	35.00	
History Committee	77.05	
<b>Recreation:</b>		
Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts	480.25	
<b>Public Service Enterprises:</b>		
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	4,029.17	
<b>Unclassified:</b>		
Advertising and Regional Associations	75.00	
Taxes bought by town	4,504.59	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	267.60	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	1,713.02	
Payments to trustees of trust funds (New Funds)	1,485.00	
<b>Total Current Maintenance Expenses</b>		<b>\$103,796.95</b>
<b>Debt Service:</b>		
<b>Interest on Debt:</b>		
Paid on tax anticipation notes	901.56	
Paid on long term notes	540.00	
<b>Total Interest Payments</b>		<b>1,441.56</b>
<b>Principal of Debt:</b>		
Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	55,000.00	
Payments on long term notes	2,000.00	
<b>Total Principal Payments</b>		<b>57,000.00</b>
<b>Capital Outlay:</b>		
Lands and buildings (Other-\$5,500.00)	5,500.00	

New equipment (Other-\$14,581.00)	14,581.00	
Payments to capital reserve funds	5,000.00	
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<b>Total Outlay Payments</b>		<b>25,081.00</b>
<b>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</b>		
Resident Taxes Paid State Treasurer (1971-\$760.50)	760.50	
State Head Taxes paid State Treasurer (Prior Years-\$797.00)	797.00	
Payments to State a/c 2% Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes	487.89	
Taxes paid to County	16,043.66	
Payments to School Districts (1970 Tax-\$76,643.55) (1971 Tax-\$90,000.00)	166,643.55	
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<b>Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions</b>		<b>\$184,732.60</b>
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<b>Total Payments for all Purposes</b>		<b>\$372,052.11</b>
Cash on hand December 31, 1971		72,045.97
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<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>\$444,098.08</b>

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS**

**TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES**

Appropriation \$ 4,500.00

PAID:

Philip M. Dodge, Selectman	\$ 265.43	
Clarence L. Wheeler, Selectman	370.19	
Robert C. Perron, Selectman	319.49	
Raymond E. Jaycox, Selectman	115.18	
Bernard M. Woods, Tax Collector	1,178.36	
Lillian S. Frey, Treasurer	331.80	
Carl H. Danforth, Deputy Treasurer	37.92	
Elizabeth A. Cilley, Town Clerk	118.50	
Elizabeth A. Cilley, permits & dog licenses	812.62	
Dian F. Anderson, Trustee Trust Funds	94.80	
Ernest C. Stewart, Auditor	47.40	
Edward H. Seamann, Auditor	47.40	
State Treasurer, Social Security	206.90	3,945.99
Balance		\$ 554.01

**TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES**

Appropriation	\$ 3,500.00
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten, telephone refund	21.00
	\$ 3,521.00

PAID:

Merrimack County Telephone Co., service and tolls	\$ 187.23	
State Treasurer, Social Security	53.61	
Brown & Saltmarsh, office supplies	255.30	
The Argus-Champion:		
Envelopes	\$ 28.10	
Tax Bills	38.60	
Town Reports	654.05	720.75
Branham Publishing Co., auto reference books		10.35
W. A. Mahoney, Cleaning adding machine		10.50
Wheeler & Clark, 3 dog license books		15.00

Equity Publishing Corp., set New Hampshire statutes	142.00	
State Treasurer, maps	8.14	
State of New Hampshire, boat reports	5.46	
Mildred H. Gunscheon, clerical work	916.86	
Postmaster, postage	245.60	
Bettina B. Adams, Town Clerk's Assn. dues	6.00	
Assn. of N. H. Assessors, dues 1971 & 1972	15.00	
Inez M. Cushman, Tax Collector's dues	5.00	
N. H. Municipal Association, dues	50.00	
N. H. Municipal Association, Tax Collector's book	3.00	
Kathleen M. Roy, Register, conveyances & mortgages	100.00	
Kathleen M. Roy, record deed & tax sale notice	15.58	
Leila Y. Bartlett, list estates	.80	
Philip M. Dodge, mileage	15.50	
Clarence L. Wheeler, mileage	6.90	
Raymond E. Jaycox, mileage	12.80	
Elizabeth A. Cilley, expense Town Clerk's meeting	80.80	
Bernard M. Woods, Tax Collector's expense	23.65	
Elizabeth A. Cilley, Town Clerk's expense	8.00	
Dian F. Anderson, Trustee's expense	20.00	
Lillian F. Frey, Treasurer's expense	33.73	\$ 2,967.56
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Balance		\$ 553.44

### ELECTION & REGISTRATION

Appropriation	\$ 500.00
Filing Fee	2.00
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	\$ 502.00

#### PAID:

Carl P. Swinnerton, Moderator	\$ 23.70
Elizabeth A. Cilley, Town Clerk	14.22
Matilda A. Wheeler, Supervisor	39.82
Marion L. Hopkins, Supervisor	29.86
Florence V. Jones, Supervisor	11.37
Erving M. Blunt, Supervisor	2.84
Philip M. Dodge, Selectman	14.22
Clarence L. Wheeler, Selectman	14.22
Robert C. Perron, Selectman	14.22
Henry A. Wright, Ballot Clerk	9.48
Evelyn R. Dodge, Ballot Clerk	9.48
Henry B. Cilley, Ballot Clerk	9.48
Mildred H. Gunscheon, Ballot Clerk	11.61

S. Jay George, police duty	10.00	
Mayflower Press, Town Meeting Ballots	39.60	
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten, town meeting meals	35.75	
State Treasurer, Social Security	19.25	309.12
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Balance		\$ 192.88

### CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Appropriation		\$ 200.00
PAID:		
N. H. Assn. Conservation Commission, dues	\$ 20.00	
U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Commission Service, maps	20.00	40.00
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Balance		\$ 160.00

### TOWN HALL EXPENSE

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten, rent	\$ 390.00	
Bradford Women's Club, rent	25.00	
Lake Massasecum Improvement Assn., rent	20.00	
The Pilgrim Theatre Co., rent	45.00	
Evening Star Rebekah Lodge, rent	25.00	
Bradford Cooperative Kindergarten, gift	80.00	585.00
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		\$ 2,585.00
PAID:		
C. A. Danforth Co., fuel oil	\$ 802.53	
Public Service Co., electric service	417.11	
Lester A. Witham, janitor	682.56	
George P. Morse Jr., care town clock	26.00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., supplies	2.29	
R. L. Dodge Co., supplies	22.35	
Warner Fuel Co., gas for kitchen	14.11	
Valley Plumbing & Heating, cleaning furnaces	25.75	
Bagley Paint & Tile, cleaning roof	30.00	
J. I. Newell Co., wiring	51.15	
Robert MacNab, decorating Selectmen's Office	138.77	
State Treasurer, Social Security	36.48	2,249.10
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Balance		\$ 335.90

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation \$ 2,500.00

### PAID:

S. Jay George, police expense	\$ 748.53	
Lester A. Witham, police duty & mileage	379.51	
Richard MacLeon, police duty & mileage	48.58	
The Argus-Champion, dog & parking ordinance notices	34.10	
W. S. Darley Co., uniform shirts	21.05	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., supplies	5.98	
Jim's Auto Service, flasher & labor	19.80	
McLane, Carleton & Brown, police case	161.09	
State Treasurer, Social Security	26.43	1,445.07
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Balance		\$ 1,054.93

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation \$ 2,700.00

State of N. H., forest fire meeting	\$ 41.20	
State of N. H., warden meeting	9.70	50.90
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		\$ 2,750.90

### PAID:

C. A. Danforth Co., fuel oil	\$ 329.53	
Public Service Co., electric service	116.27	
Merrimack County Telephone Co., red network & telephone service	724.12	
R. L. Dodge Co., supplies	74.68	
Cressy & Williams, gas & oil	33.10	
Jim's Auto Service, parts & repairs	19.20	
Pat's Auto, gas, parts & repairs	281.73	
J. I. Newell Co., wiring firehouse	136.19	
Bradford Electronics, radio work	94.90	
Firemen's Roster	53.00	
N. H. Fire Equipment Co., first aid kit & supplies	58.00	
The Barrett Press, 500 notices	36.25	
International Harvester Co., service manual	19.00	
LaPorte's Skindiving Shop, scot pac fills	2.00	
Martin Hardware, keys	3.50	
The Argus-Champion, adv. fire station bid	8.70	
James Fleming, payroll for Route 114 fire, 8/22/71	503.64	

American Fire Equipment Co., supplies		319.00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc. blocks & insulation		47.98	
N. H. Medical Supply Co., supplies		14.50	
Robert A. Moore, tire & expense		80.21	
State Treasurer, Social Security		6.00	
Warden Training:			
James Fleming, training, meals & mileage	\$ 48.80		
Nelson C. Spaulding, training & car	17.00		
Carroll Butman, training	12.00		
Robert A. Moore, training	12.00		
Donald R. Douglass, training	12.00	101.80	3,073.30
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Overdraft			\$ 322.40

### PLANNING BOARD

Appropriation		\$ 250.00
Balance previous years		158.90
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		\$ 408.90

#### PAID:

Kathleen M. Roy, Register, subdivision regulations	\$ 12.00	
The Argus-Champion, 2500 Subdivision Regulations & legal advertisement	233.70	
George P. Morse Jr., expense	25.00	
U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Commission Service, maps	20.00	290.70
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Balance		\$ 118.20

### REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY

Balance 1968 appropriation		\$ 196.92
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#### PAID:

The Argus-Champion, ledger sheets	\$ 79.40	
The Argus-Champion, binders	28.60	
State Treasurer, assessment cards	16.00	
Kimball's, Inc., file	8.60	
Mildred H. Gunscheon, clerical work	62.57	195.17
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Balance		\$ 1.75



## BOUNTIES

### PAID:

Philip M. Dodge	\$	3.50	
Clarence L. Wheeler		6.00	\$ 9.50
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## INSURANCE

Appropriation		\$	4,400.00
Frank A. Wise, Rescue Squad, refund			134.00
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		\$	4,534.00

### PAID:

#### Colby Insurance & Real Estate Agency:

Balance 1970 Workmen's

Compensation \$ 173.00

1971 Workmen's Compensation 641.00

1970 Audit 296.00

Comprehensive insurance on all public

buildings & contents 1,599.00 \$ 2,709.00

#### Kearsarge Insurance Agency:

Officers' Bonds \$ 215.00

Liability & property damage

on all equipment of fire

& highway departments 1,469.00 1,684.00

#### Peerless Insurance Co., accident policy

on volunteer fire department 218.00

#### International Business Machines,

electric typewriter

45.50 \$ 4,656.50

Overdraft

\$ 122.50

## HISTORY COMMITTEE

Appropriation for publishing history	\$	500.00
Balance previous years		113.70
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	\$	613.70

### PAID:

Lithoprint Co. of N. Y., maps	\$	37.05
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Mildred Gunscheon, postage	15.00	
Effie M. Craigie, expense	25.00	
Dian F. Anderson, Trustee, fund for publishing history	500.00	577.05
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Balance		\$ 36.65

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$ 1,136.00
PAID:		
American Red Cross, appropriation	\$ 50.00	
Concord Hospital, appropriation	71.00	
New London Hospital, appropriation	200.00	
Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Assn., appropriation	815.00	\$ 1,136.00
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### VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation		\$ 25.00
PAID:		
Elizabeth A. Cilley, vital statistics	\$ 20.86	
State Treasurer, social security	1.14	22.00
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Balance		\$ 3.00

### DUMP

Appropriation		\$ 2,500.00
Dump donations		30.00
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		\$ 2,530.00
Labor:		
Delbert L. Harris Sr.	\$ 987.06	
Sterling A. Carmichael	145.49	
John A. Fortune	85.05	
Arnold G. Anderson	76.98	
Morris R. Wheeler	49.75	\$ 1,344.33
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The Argus-Champion, dump stickers	12.15	
State Treasurer, Social Security	70.14	
Internal Revenue Service, withholding tax	80.10	\$ 1,506.72
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Balance		\$ 1,023.28

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

### SUMMER WAGES

Appropriation		\$ 6,000.00
Duncan Fund	\$ 2,000.00	
Stop Payment Check #7354	94.79	2,094.79
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		\$ 8,094.79

PAID:

Labor:

John A. Fortune	\$ 3,198.46	
Morris R. Wheeler	2,440.18	
Arnold G. Anderson	2,430.71	
Philip M. Dodge	160.01	
Thomos Pitts	146.99	
Harlan Fortune	50.69	
Bradley Wheeler	17.06	\$ 8,444.10
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Morris R. Wheeler, stop payment check	94.79	
State Treasurer, Social Security	486.32	
Internal Revenue Service, withholding service	638.00	\$ 9,663.21
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Overdraft		\$ 1,568.42

### WINTER WAGES

Appropriation \$ 9,550.00

PAID:

Labor:

John A. Fortune	\$ 3,070.41	
Arnold G. Anderson	2,201.61	
Morris R. Wheeler	2,388.43	
John Ward II	569.21	
Christopher J. Frey	193.63	
Kenneth E. Anderson	57.78	
Richard Bowie	39.51	
Thomas Pitts	25.67	
Frederick Willett	25.17	\$ 8,571.42
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State Treasurer, Social Security	537.39	
Internal Revenue Service, withholding tax	870.80	9,979.61
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Overdraft		\$ 429.61

## TOWN ROAD AID

Appropriation		\$ 1,268.80
State of N. H., Town Road Aid refund	\$ 10,482.35	
Duncan Fund	5,600.00	16,082.35
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		\$ 17,351.15

### PAID:

#### Labor:

Philip M. Dodge	\$ 767.29	
Arnold G. Anderson	481.13	
Morris R. Wheeler	454.92	
John A. Fortune	421.98	\$ 2,125.32
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Raymond Prince, bulldozer		2,163.95
Wayne Wheeler, compressor		633.52
Leonard F. Wheeler, compressor		589.68
Wheeler Brothers, blasting		283.95
Eldon Owens, shovel		1,842.75
Rocky's Newport Auto Service, Case starter		19.95

#### Trucks:

Clarence Keyser	\$ 900.90	
Dale McLeod	864.00	
Charles Taylor	277.20	
Paul Jurta	277.20	
John Jurta Jr.	138.60	
Alvin Currier	138.60	\$ 2,596.50
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State of New Hampshire, appropriation	1,268.80	
State of New Hampshire, Duncan Fund	5,600.00	
State Treasurer, Social Security	149.32	
Internal Revenue Service, withholding tax	290.10	\$ 17,563.84
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Overdraft		\$ 212.69

## STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		\$3,550.00
PAID:		
Public Service Co. of N. H.		3,537.60
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Balance		\$ 12.40

## GENERAL HIGHWAY EXPENSE

Appropriation		\$ 12,000.00
State of N. H., use of equipment	\$ 4,768.15	
Town of Canaan, use of equipment	240.55	
State of N. H., gas tax refund	501.04	
Alfred D. Ayer, repairs roadway	34.88	
Heritage Trail, repairs driveway	41.15	
State of N. H., Highway Subsidy	6,963.60	
Plowing Driveways	780.00	
Duncan Fund Balance	1,114.70	14,444.07
		\$ 26,444.07

### PAID:

Public Service Co., electric service	\$ 289.64
Merrimack County Telephone Co., service	188.10
C. A. Danforth Co., fuel oil	569.74
Valley Plumbing & Heating, repairs & parts furnace	22.10
Mildred H. Gunscheon, driveway accounts	15.00
R. & L. Auto Part, tools	85.82
Del Chemical Corp., fire extinguishers & cleaning equipment	79.00
R. L. Dodge Co., supplies	73.17
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., insulation, lumber & supplies	388.65
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., calcium	552.00
R. E. Hinkley Co., gasoline	1,768.10
Agway Petroleum Corp., diesel fuel	867.04
International Salt Co., 54 tons salt	798.71
The Chemical Corp., 43 tons salt	634.99
F. B. Automotive, used sander	1,500.00
F. B. Automotive, used motor	35.00
St. Johnsbury Trucking, express	14.10
State Chemical Mfg. Co., brush killer	316.60
Cressy & Williams, gasoline	8.56
Joseph Torro, refund gasoline	5.10
Arnold G. Anderson, refund dry gas	1.30
B B Chain Co., chains	577.50
Philip M. Dodge, welding rod	10.25
Penn-Hampshire Oil Co., oil & grease	264.56
N. H. Explosives & Machinery Corp., parts & repairs Case Loader	1,117.00
John Ward, Oxygen & repairs equipment	340.60
Car-Go Tire & Auto Center, tires	376.87
Rice's, Inc., tire & tube	287.10
Patsy's Garage & Auto Body, parts	293.70

Bradford Garage, parts	6.65	
Pat's Auto, repairs	7.42	
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., parts	438.31	
Jim's Auto Service, parts & repairs	663.00	
Mike's Auto Repair, parts	105.55	
R. C. Hazelton Co., parts	40.63	
Chappell Tractor Sales, parts	5.18	
Dartmouth Motors, Inc., parts	5.20	
Palmer Spring Co., repairs & parts G.M.C.	730.23	
Gingra's Truck Center, parts	11.55	
Hall Machinery Co., rebuild motor mount	16.50	
Martin Hardware, bolts	4.80	
Newbury Garage, oil & chain	22.00	
Leighton's Auto Body, fender & labor G.M.C.	98.00	
Ed's Equipment Service, parts	31.18	
Ray Road Equipment, teeth for rake	263.72	
N. H. Bituminous Oil Co., road oil	3,396.53	
Raymond Prince, bulldozer	254.70	
Eldon Owens, shovel	567.00	
Clarence Keyser, truck	138.60	
Dale McLeod, truck	144.00	
Charles Taylor, truck	138.60	
Paul Jurta, truck	138.60	
Alvin Currier, truck	138.60	
John Jurta Jr., truck	138.60	
Town of Newbury, truck	46.20	
Wheeler Brothers, compressor	61.50	
Adkins Trucking, brush to dump	360.00	
John J. Fortune, bulldozing	56.00	
Frank H. Fortune, mowing	331.80	
Roy A. Messer & Sons, sand & gravel	180.00	\$ 20,020.95
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Balance		\$ 6,423.12

### LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$ 3,200.00
PAID:	
Brown Memorial Library	3,200.00

### LIBRARY REPAIRS

Appropriation	\$ 1,000.00
PAID:	
Carpet World, Inc., carpet	\$ 834.00

Carroll Butman, flashing on roof & repairs around chimney	154.00	988.00
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Balance		\$ 12.00

#### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		\$ 2,000.00
PAID:		
State of New Hampshire		3,065.55
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Overdraft		\$ 1,065.55

#### TOWN POOR

Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
PAID:		
For Relief		1,264.78
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Overdraft		\$ 264.78

#### MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation		\$ 35.00
PAID:		
Wilkins-Cloues-Bigelow Post No. 39, flags		\$ 35.00

#### PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

Appropriation		\$ 650.00
French's Park Trust Fund Interest		46.77
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		\$ 696.77

PAID:

French's Park:

Clarence L. Wheeler, cleaning	\$ 110.00	
Clarence L. Wheeler, dump removal	85.00	
Triangle Chemical Toilet Co., rental	270.00	\$ 465.00
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Lafayette Square:		
Thomas Pitts, mowing	15.25	480.25
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Balance		\$ 216.52

### CEMETERIES

Appropriation		\$ 800.00
Sale of cemetery lots	\$ 385.00	
Perpetual Care Lots:		
Ermina H. Smith, Lot #2A30 Sunny Plain	\$ 100.00	
Margaret C. Wise, Lots #2D12 & #2D13, Sunny Plain	200.00	
Arthur G. Gardner Estate, Lot #147, Pleasant Hill	200.00	
William R. Dunlop, Lot #E26 Sunny Plain	100.00	600.00
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Trustees Trust Funds:		
Perpetual care lots & upkeep Sunny Plain Cemetery		2,100.00
Bradford Pond Church Trust Fund		946.34
First Baptist Church:		
Smith Fund	\$ 45.00	
Wheeler Fund	2.00	
Eaton Fund	18.00	
French Fund	120.00	185.00
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		4,216.34
		\$ 5,016.34

#### PAID:

#### Labor:

Elwin D. Bagley	\$ 1,079.02	
Thomas Pitts	925.94	
Carl Ingalls	401.19	\$ 2,406.15
Clarence L. Wheeler, cleaning Baptist Church & Marshall cemeteries		85.00
L. Harold Bullock, fence Baptist Church Cemetery		148.31
R. L. Dodge Co., supplies		1.99
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., seed		18.25
Valley Plumbing & Heating, care water system, Sunny Plain Cemetery		29.00
J. I. Newell Co., wiring pump		5.00



John A. Fortune, loam		23.89		
Public Service Co., electric service		22.20		
Cressy & Williams, gas & oil		29.09		
State Treasurer, Social Security		140.35		
Internal Revenue Service, withholding tax		173.60		
Dian F. Anderson, Trustee:				
New Trust Funds	\$	600.00		
Sale of cemetery lots		385.00	985.00	
Bradford Pond Church Extension:				
Robert S. Bristol, surveying	\$	155.00		
Brown & Saltmarsh, record book		2.90		
American Chain Link				
Fence Co., fence		778.61		
R. L. Dodge Co., chain		9.83	946.34	\$ 5,014.17
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Balance				\$ 2.17

#### ADVERTISING & REGIONAL ASSOCIATION

Appropriation		\$	75.00
PAID:			
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Assn., appropriation		\$	75.00

#### TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Gideon Barstow Estate	\$	188.21	
Dorothy S. & J. A. Raoul Bischoff		35.26	
Richard F. & Linda M. Burke		1,168.30	
Cynthia Coonley		584.50	
Ella N. Griffin		320.73	
John R. Rowell Estate		97.80	
John R. Rowell (2)		73.50	
Rita Westman		439.40	
Atkinson & Davis		556.84	
Francis A. Blackley		111.30	
Mary L. Brown		54.60	
Frederick J. Moreland		329.80	
Frederick J. & Viola Myrshall		106.20	
Herbert & Bryl Rikeman		37.40	
Robert Ward		400.75	\$ 4,504.59
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#### DISCOUNTS — ABATEMENTS — REFUNDS

PAID:

Refunds:

Overpayment 1970 taxes:

Norman E. Brown	\$	6.75	
Arthur R. Sheehan		5.73	
Eugene Hughson		8.74	
Franklin Sheehan		3.00	
Richard Hanson		4.60	\$ 28.82

Overpayment 1971 taxes:

Leon H. Rice	\$	23.10	
Concord Savings Bank (Dall)		18.45	41.55

Resident's Tax:

Eileen Bowie			10.00
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Car Permit:

Dorothy Brown			14.90
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Overpayment 1969 taxes:

Arden MacNeil			44.89
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Tax Abatements, 1971:

Mildred Elliott	\$	2.31	
William Tonks		125.13	127.44
			\$ 267.60

**SOCIAL SECURITY**

Appropriation \$ 1,650.00

PAID:

State Treasurer, Social Security - 5.2%	\$	1,709.94	
State Treasurer, administrative costs		3.08	1,713.02
			<u>63.02</u>
Overdraft			\$

**INTEREST**

Appropriation

Temporary Loans	\$	1,250.00	
Long Term Notes		500.00	\$ 1,750.00

PAID:

First National Bank, Newport:

Temporary Loans	\$	901.56	
Long Term Notes		540.00	1,441.56

Balance \$ 308.44

## NEW EQUIPMENT

1970 Appropriation Balance on Fire Truck	\$ 11,630.85	
1970 Donation Bradford Volunteer Fire Co.	4,000.00	
1971 Appropriation Fire Station Addition	5,500.00	\$ 21,130.85
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### PAID:

Maxim Motor Division, balance 1970 Fire Truck	\$ 14,581.00	
Arthur H. Bovee, Fire Station Addition	5,450.00	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., insulation	50.00	20,081.00
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Balance		\$ 1,049.85

## INDEBTEDNESS

### PAID:

#### First National Bank, Newport:

Temporary Loans	\$ 55,000.00	
Galion Grader Long Term Note	2,000.00	\$ 57,000.00
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#### Trustees Trust Funds:

Capital Reserve	5,000.00	\$ 62,000.00
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## PAID TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

### PAID:

#### State Treasurer:

1970 Head Tax & Penalties	\$ 797.00	
1970 Bond & Debt Retirement Tax	487.89	
1971 Resident Tax	760.50	\$ 2,045.39
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Merrimack County Tax	16,043.66
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#### Kearsarge Regional School District:

1970-71	\$ 76,643.55	
1971-72	90,000.00	166,643.55
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$372,052.11
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REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BRADFORD, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1971

Date of Creation	NAME OF FUND Purpose of Fund How Invested	Amount of Principal	Income Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Income Balance at End of Year
1941	Alexander, Charles B.	\$ 500.00	\$ 50.51	\$ 28.04	\$ 25.00	\$ 53.55
1957	Anderson, Marion B.	100.00	8.42	5.53	5.00	8.95
1955	Bailey, Anna P.	500.00	41.32	27.69	25.00	44.01
1944	Bailey, Ethel M.	100.00	8.24	5.49	5.00	8.73
1954	Baker, Etta B.	150.00	8.39	8.09	7.00	9.48
1968	Banzhaf, William	200.00	10.64	10.77	7.00	14.41
1907	Bartlett, Charles A. & Carlos	100.00	11.25	5.10	6.00	10.35
1960	Bischoff, Dina	100.00	9.90	5.05	6.00	8.95
1917	Blaisdell, James H.	100.00	9.77	5.03	6.00	8.80
1944	Blood, Hollis	100.00	9.92	5.57	5.00	10.49
1945	Bly, Willis N.	150.00	14.44	8.41	7.00	15.85
1969	Bonnette, Madge T.	100.00	2.76	4.71	5.00	2.47
1937	Bradbury & Reed	100.00	10.28	5.06	6.00	9.34
1941	Bradford, Carolyn B.	100.00	9.94	5.57	5.00	10.51
1949	Bradford Cemetery Trust, *385.00	5,009.74	317.65	244.40	430.00	132.05
1971	Bradford History, *500.00					
1949	Bradford Pond Church Trust, prin MNB, int. MCSB	500.00	1,666.08	153.65	946.34	873.39
1942	Bradford Pond Meeting House, 11 shrs. Merr. Farm. Exch.	275.00	31.38	15.31		46.69
1964	Bradford School Scholarship	2,453.70	220.49	136.80		357.29
1960	Bradford, Town of, Capital Reserve *5,000.00	5,000.00	815.77	263.07		1,083.84
1920	Brockway, Freeman F.	100.00	7.91	5.48	5.00	8.39
1930	Butman, Joshua & Eben	100.00	8.84	4.98	5.00	8.82
1943	Carlton, Kate E. C.	500.00	49.45	27.96	30.00	47.41
1929	Carr, Frank T.	300.00	35.49	15.45	20.00	30.94

1965 Carr, George W.	150.00	13.23	8.35	7.00	14.58
1918 Carr, Mary E.	100.00	9.73	5.03	6.00	8.76
1953 Cheney, Addie A.	100.00	10.97	5.66	5.00	11.63
1955 Cheney, Walter A.	200.00	25.17	11.51	10.00	26.68
1920 Choate, Emma L.	100.00	9.10	5.53	5.00	9.63
1957 Cilley, Almon B.	200.00	21.30	11.32	10.00	22.62
1944 Clark, Ella P.	100.00	9.35	5.54	5.00	9.89
1947 Clogston, Fred N.	100.00	12.07	5.72	5.00	12.79
1926 Cofrin, George	300.00	14.64	14.50	15.00	14.14
1947 Colby, Fred A. & Minnie G	200.00	23.38	11.41	10.00	24.79
1918 Collins, Lemuel	100.00	9.06	5.52	5.00	9.58
1929 Collins & Marshall	500.00	14.06	23.69	25.00	12.75
1968 Craig, Parker E.	100.00	5.20	5.33	3.00	7.53
1965 Cressey-Dalphon	400.00	23.23	21.66	20.00	24.89
1936 Cressy, Ada A.	100.00	8.63	5.50	6.00	8.13
1958 Cressy, Charles A.	50.00	4.92	2.78	3.00	4.70
1943 Cummings, Roswell W. & Lloyd	100.00	8.40	5.50	5.00	8.90
1929 Day, Ward L.	150.00	15.53	8.41	8.00	15.94
1971 Dunlop, William *100.00					
1943 Eaton, J. Willis	100.00	8.41	5.50	5.00	8.91
1936 Emory, John	100.00	9.88	5.56	5.00	10.44
1935 Ewins, Hattie G.	100.00	9.88	5.56	5.00	10.44
1933 Ewins, John	100.00	10.63	5.07	6.00	9.70
1909 Farrington, Ann Maria	100.00	11.70	5.12	5.00	11.82
1957 Felton, Frank, 13 shrs. United Brands Cap., 8 shrs. United Brands Pfd.	370.63	26.39	9.02	6.00	29.41
1939 Fisher, Fred W.	200.00	16.69	10.99	15.00	12.68
1955 Flanders, Annie Smyth 148 shrs. So. N. E. Tel.	7,288.20	1,187.47	461.91	200.00	1,449.38
1947 Forsberg, Andrew	100.00	11.09	5.68	5.00	11.77

Date of Creation	NAME OF FUND Purpose of Fund How Invested	Amount of Principal	Income Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Income Balance at End of Year
1958	Foster, A. E.	50.00	8.21	2.96	3.00	8.17
1929	French, Daniel & John	200.00	18.12	10.04		28.16
1929	French, John E., French's Park	1,000.00		51.07	46.77	4.30
1971	Gardner, Arthur, *200.00					
1958	Gardner, Mabel M., School Fund	200.00	16.61	10.23	10.00	10.23
1943	Gardner, Mary F.	200.00		11.07		17.68
1967	George, U. L.	100.00	7.96	5.50	5.00	8.46
1963	George, Wellman M.	100.00	7.89	5.49	5.00	8.38
1929	Gillingham, Elinda	100.00	10.85	5.66	5.00	11.51
1927	Gillingham, Freeman	100.00	9.89	5.62	5.00	10.51
1952	Gray, Emily	200.00	23.46	10.29	10.00	23.75
1929	Hadley, Sophronia	75.00	12.26	4.12	5.00	11.38
1921	Hall, Almira	200.00	22.73	10.26	15.00	17.99
1963	Hall, Bert and Mary	400.00	27.21	21.83	20.00	29.09
1963	Hall, Fannie M.	100.00	9.52	5.59	5.00	10.11
1968	Hart, Beatrice	100.00	5.20	5.33	3.00	7.53
1920	Hart, William S.	100.00	9.13	5.53	5.00	9.66
1906	Harvey, Clara	100.00	8.57	4.97	5.00	8.54
1963	Hervan, Esther S.	100.00	7.23	5.46	5.00	7.69
1958	Holmes, Harry L.	50.00	5.50	2.81	3.00	5.31
1930	Howe, Frank	100.00	10.80	5.09	5.00	10.89
1944	Hoyt, Elbridge	100.00	9.18	5.53	5.00	9.71
1932	Hoyt, George A.	50.00	8.42	2.65	3.00	8.07
1912	Hoyt, Sarah Raymond, Memorial Fund	500.00	215.70	36.58		252.28
1943	Huntoon, Marietta	200.00	14.06	10.86	15.00	9.92

1943 Huntton, Marietta, Library Fund	3,000.00	186.27	163.01	349.28
1926 Huntton, Martin	100.00	9.78	5.04	8.82
1910 Ingalls, Abbie	100.00	9.23	5.00	9.23
1934 Johnson, Alvin	75.00	11.60	4.42	12.02
1944 Johnson, Effie S., Library Fund	50.00	78.83	6.56	85.39
1930 Jordan, Lucy	100.00	9.86	5.62	10.48
1954 Keyser, Louis	150.00	11.74	8.28	13.02
1939 Kittredge, Everett	100.00	6.85	5.41	7.26
1963 Larivee, Elizabeth	100.00	8.80	4.98	8.78
1937 Marshall, Charles H.	100.00	30.00	6.57	21.57
1942 Marshall, Joshua P.	100.00	9.78	5.04	8.82
1963 Marshall, M. E.	100.00	8.25	5.51	8.76
1918 Martin, Mary T.	100.00	9.89	5.05	8.94
1905 Martin, Sarah J.	100.00	7.86	4.96	7.82
1922 Martin, Sarah Paige	200.00	16.66	11.08	17.74
1946 Melvin, Edson	50.00	9.66	3.02	9.68
1930 Melvin, Helen	100.00	10.51	5.64	11.15
1963 Melvin, Proctor & Walter	100.00	8.46	5.53	8.99
1941 Messer, Hannah	100.00	9.05	5.52	8.57
1970 Messer, Roy	300.00	10.52	15.88	21.40
1922 Miller, William	200.00	11.37	9.70	11.07
1966 Mitchell, Carl A.	100.00	6.49	5.43	6.92
1929 Moon, Emily	100.00	11.32	5.10	10.42
1968 Moore, Reuben S., Library Trust	202.00	14.71	11.05	25.76
1932 Morse, Charles	50.00	11.15	2.78	10.93
1924 Morse, Elvira	100.00	8.82	5.52	9.34
1944 Morse, Flora	200.00	13.42	10.83	9.25
1915 Morse, Lottie	150.00	13.59	7.51	13.10
1968 Moshier, Florence B.	100.00	4.20	5.28	6.48

Date of Creation	NAME OF FUND, Purpose of Fund How Invested	Amount of Principal	Income Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Income Balance at End of Year
1932	McDowell, Mary	100.00	9.67	5.55	5.00	10.22
1969	Nelson-Bonney	100.00	1.76	4.66	5.00	1.42
1960	Nelson, Mary B.	100.00	9.92	5.05	5.00	9.97
1934	Newman, Charles	50.00	6.84	2.91	3.00	6.75
1931	Noyes, William	100.00	14.26	5.84	5.00	15.10
1960	Parmenter, Frank	100.00	8.44	5.53	5.00	8.97
1939	Peaslee, Caroline	100.00	9.80	5.56	5.00	10.36
1920	Peaslee, Daniel	100.00	8.62	5.50	6.00	8.12
1938	Peaslee, George W.	100.00	8.87	5.52	6.00	8.39
1968	Peaslee, Grace	100.00	7.33	5.47	5.00	7.80
1943	Peaslee, Lizzie	200.00	14.11	10.87	15.00	9.98
1926	Peaslee, Maria	50.00	11.95	2.83	3.00	11.78
1965	Perkins, Leon	125.00	10.00	6.90	6.00	10.90
1964	Piasecki, Chester and Josephine	100.00	6.44	5.43	5.00	6.87
1926	Pierce, Harriet	75.00	8.34	4.24	4.00	8.58
1962	Rahr, Hans & Otto	100.00	6.88	5.45	5.00	7.33
1939	Rand & Cheney	100.00	15.00	5.84	6.00	14.84
1932	Rand & Woods	100.00	10.43	5.06	6.00	9.49
1941	Redington, Ida, Princ. held by M.N.B., Trustee	285.00	442.75	65.14	40.00	467.89
1942	Ring, Obediah	75.00	7.26	4.19	4.00	7.45
1952	Rolfe, Marjorie	100.00	12.05	5.14	6.00	11.19
1926	Rowe, Eliza	100.00	12.64	5.16	5.00	12.80
1944	Sanborn, Joseph	100.00	10.10	5.58	5.00	10.68
1956	Sargent, Stella	200.00	24.12	11.45	10.00	25.57
1970	Simpson, Vera	100.00		4.92	3.00	1.92



1970 Smith, Esther	200.00			9.89	5.00	4.89
1942 Smith & Forsaith	100.00	7.43		5.44	6.00	6.87
1971 Smith, Ermina, *100.00						
1962 Smith, Ned	100.00	6.42		5.43	5.00	6.85
1937 Smyth, Joseph	100.00	42.14		7.21	10.00	39.35
1952 Staniels, H. E.	100.00	10.59		5.07	5.00	10.66
1965 Stevens, Fred	100.00	5.66		5.38	5.00	6.04
1930 Studley, Dr. Harvey	100.00	10.22		5.63	5.00	10.85
1955 Sutherland, Col. S. J.	90.00	9.73		5.10	5.00	9.83
1943 Terry, Joseph N.	500.00	74.75		29.41	25.00	79.16
1951 Trow, Carrie C. & W. S., Sunny Plain Cem. 912 shrs. Puritan Fund, †158.40	10,001.18	127.53		540.33	465.00	202.86
1947 Trow, Emma I.	100.00	8.62		5.50	5.00	9.12
1943 Trow, Etta F.	100.00	10.17		5.58	6.00	9.75
1948 Trow, Willie S.	200.00	16.98		11.10	10.00	18.08
1915 Walton, Betsey B.	100.00	11.04		5.10	6.00	10.14
1919 Ward, Edwin D.	100.00	9.52		5.59	5.00	10.11
1937 Ward & Colby, 4 shrs. Merr. Farm. Exch.	100.00	11.35		5.60	5.00	16.95
1966 Wells, Wesley H.	100.00	6.32		5.43	5.00	6.75
1936 Whitcomb, Parker S.	100.00	8.79		5.51	6.00	8.30
1964 Wilson, Mary E.	200.00	17.16		11.11	10.00	18.27
1971 Wise, Margaret, *200.00						
1951 Wood, Kate J. B.	150.00	13.69		8.38	8.00	14.07
1918 Woods, George A.	200.00	19.40		11.23	10.00	20.63
1967 Wyman, Cemetery Trust	100.00	8.07		5.50	5.00	8.57
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$54,600.45</b>	<b>\$ 7,029.28</b>	<b>\$ 3,173.80</b>	<b>\$ 3,093.11</b>	<b>\$ 7,109.97</b>	

All accounts are held in Savings Banks unless otherwise stated.

All are Perpetual Care for cemetery lots unless otherwise stated.

* Funds added and new funds created	\$ 6,485.00
† Capital Gain Dividends	\$ 158.40

### CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date January 25, 1972

DIAN ANDERSON  
PHYLLIS F. WEBB  
VIVIAN A. MESSER  
Trustees

**REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS**

**For the year ending December 31, 1971**

We, the Auditors of the Town of Bradford have examined the books of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Library Trustees and Trustees of the Trust Funds for the year ending December 31, 1971. Compared the figures and found the same correct.

**EDWARD H. SEAMANN**

**EDWIN E. WESTERBERG**

**Auditors**

## BROWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY TRUSTEES

1971

The Board of Trustees of Brown Memorial Library have had a busy, productive and eventful year.

In the spring, with a special appropriation from the Town, new carpeting was installed in the library that is not only attractive and serviceable, but has materially reduced floor maintenance costs. Two other maintenance problems were also solved by the installation of flashing on the roof, and by water-sealing a portion of the basement foundation.

During the past year, Mrs. Douglas Saxby, our newly appointed library trainee, attended library training courses in Keene and Manchester. She also conducted story-telling hours last spring in the library, during the summer at Lake Blaisdell for the children at the Red Cross swimming classes, and in the fall for the Kindergarten to introduce these children to an early awareness of the library. We wish to thank Mrs. Saxby for the many volunteer hours she spent in this valuable work.

As in 1970, the library conducted a summer film program each Saturday morning from June until Labor Day. This program was so successful that we decided to continue it on a monthly basis this fall and winter, every second Thursday at 3:30 p.m. In this regard, we are very grateful to the Bradford Women's Club for their generous donation which enabled us to repair a used movie projector purchased from the Kearsarge Regional School District.

A poetry writing contest was held in October for the fourth and fifth graders at the Bradford Central School, judged by Mrs. Craigie and the trustees, and prizes given to the three best entries.

We are deeply appreciative of the generous bequests received from the estates of Mabel M. Gardner and Arthur B. Gardner. We also thank the many interested citizens for their kind and meaningful donations which were used to support the library and contribute towards its progress.

This summer, the trustees unanimously accepted the unique gift of a painting from Miss Eleanor Marshall. Miss Marshall, from a family of early and prominent settlers of Bradford, and as a relative of Mr. John E. French, who earlier donated \$2,500.00 towards the construction of the present building, explained that it was the wish of her family for many years that the painting be a permanent addition to the Bradford Library. The painting is a large, beautifully framed copy of a Raphael. We believe that it is not only an artistic addition to the library, but serves as a fine example of the world's art treasures for the citizens of Bradford.

One of the most progressive steps taken this year was the formation of the "Friends of Brown Memorial Library" under the chairmanship of Mrs. Paul Rossman. This group held weekly book sales during the summer and fall and from their proceeds made a donation of three magazine subscriptions. The "Friends" are dedicated to aid and promote the library, and the trustees have a deep appreciation of their aims and accomplishments.

The eleven volume "Dictionary of American Biography" was added this year, an important addition to our permanent reference library. Also a "pattern swap" has been instituted for the convenience of all those who sew.

Our delegate, Mr. Carl Swinnerton, attended the District Council meetings and his detailed reports keep us well informed as to the National, State and regional activities of libraries. Book meetings, conferences, and state functions were attended by the librarian and the trustees.

The trustees of the library meet monthly on the first Thursday at 10:00 a.m. in the library. These meetings are public and anyone wishing to attend will be welcome.

This year (1972) we expect to adopt the Harrington Award from the Bradford School PTC. This award has been given for several years by the PTC for reading excellence of students in the Bradford school.

We also hope to install a center rail on the front steps of the library for the increased safety of our patrons, and replace the wooden railing on the east side entrance which is presently rotting. It will also be necessary that we build new and additional bookstacks in our basement storage area.

For the future, we will carry out the above projects and continue to upgrade the library, and improve and expand the services of the library for the benefit of the people of Bradford.

Winifred M. Reeves, 1972

Elinor Hambrecht, 1973

Winfield S. Smyth, 1973

Delores Hansen, 1974

Fredericka Cunningham, 1974

Henry B. Cilley, 1972

**BROWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY****PETTY CASH REPORT — 1971**

Balance, January 1, 1971		\$ 17.17
Receipts for overdue books	\$ 125.02	
Receipts for non-resident cards	28.00	
Sale of discarded books	19.60	
Gift of Mrs. Muguetta Saxby	5.00	
Payment for lost book	3.00	180.62
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		\$ 197.79

**EXPENDITURES:**

Stamps	\$ 18.62	
Postage on books returned to State Library	5.74	
Postage on films returned to State Library	4.79	
Books purchased	131.47	
Office supplies	7.53	
Maintenance Supplies	5.79	
Christmas wreath	2.50	
Miscellaneous	7.64	\$ 184.08
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Balance, December 31, 1971		\$ 13.71

**Donors of books, magazines and records:**

Bradford Women's Club  
Dwight Braley  
Mrs. Henry B. Cilley  
Columbia Records  
Mark and David Cooper  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Danforth  
Philip M. Dodge  
Mr. and Mrs. David Hammond  
Steven Hansen  
Mrs. Thomas Inman  
Mr. and Mrs. Thorkild E. Jacobsen  
Library of Lincoln Weld  
N. H. State Library  
Mr. and Mrs. John Robbert  
Mrs. Harold Rund  
Mrs. M. Saxby  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scofield  
Mr. and Mrs. Winfield S. Smyth  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swinnerton  
Dr. Kenneth Watson-Jones  
The Woman's Christian Guild

**Total Circulation for 1971:**

Adult Books	4,457
Juvenile Books	4,307
Magazines	711
Records	162
Films	34
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	8,764

**Library Hours**

Monday and Wednesday	1:30 - 5:00 P.M.
Friday Evening	6:30 - 8:30 P.M.
Saturday	2:00 - 5:00 P.M.

**EFFIE M. CRAIGIE**

Librarian

# THE BROWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY

## TREASURER'S REPORT

1971

Balance on hand — General Fund — January 1, 1971      \$ 106.19

### RECEIPTS

Town of Bradford	\$ 3,200.00	
Morse Fund Interest	559.11	
State Treasurer — State Aid	100.00	
Bequest of Mabel M. Gardner	6,039.41	
Mabel M. Gardner account interest (deposited in Trustees Fund)	125.85	
Proceeds of Bake Sale (deposited in Trustees Fund)	45.45	
Woman's Christian Guild	15.00	
Bradford Women's Club for purchase of Movie Projector	200.00	
Gift of William L. Lamont	25.00	
Gift of Katrina Jacobsen	50.00	
Proceeds of Book Sale	19.45	\$10,379.27
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		\$10,485.46

### DISBURSEMENTS

Librarian	\$ 1,255.02	
Assistant Librarians	118.80	
Custodians	439.04	
Social Security (Library Share)	90.67	
Books	1,112.36	
Periodicals	37.00	
Electricity	127.00	
Fuel	337.08	
Telephone	142.35	
Maintenance: Includes purchase of vacuum cleaner and painting by Charles Sanborn	82.90	
Library Office Supplies: includes purchase of Movie Projection Screen	83.67	
Delegate Expense	10.80	
Miscellaneous: Includes purchase and repairs to Movie Projector	243.91	
To Special Certificate of Deposit from bequest of Mabel M. Gardner	6,000.00	
To Trustees Special Fund	171.30	\$10,251.90
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Balance on hand December 31, 1971		\$ 233.56



### THE MORSE FUND

Balance per Bank Book January 1, 1971		\$ 7,200.00
<b>Receipts</b>		
Bank Interest to May 25, 1971	\$ 211.11	
Bank Interest to December 31, 1971	148.00	\$ 7,559.11
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<b>Disbursements</b>		
To General Fund January 27, 1971	90.37	
To General Fund May 25, 1971	320.74	
To General Fund June 30, 1971	42.03	
To General Fund October 28, 1971	105.95	\$ 559.11
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Balance per Bank Book, December 31, 1971		\$ 7,000.00

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### THE BROWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY TRUSTEES

#### NO NAME FUND

Balance per bank book January 1, 1971	\$ 458.58
Receipts for 1971 (to December 28, 1971)	27.59
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Balance per Bank Book December 31, 1971	\$ 486.17

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### THE BROWN MEMORIAL LIBRARY TRUSTEES

#### SPECIAL FUND

Balance per bank book January 1, 1971	\$ 338.29
<b>Receipts</b>	
From General Fund:	
Interest of Mabel Gardner Acct.	\$ 125.85
Proceeds of Bake Sale	45.45
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Interest for 1971 (to December 28, 1971)	10.30
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	\$ 519.89
<b>Disbursements</b>	
To General Fund, January 6, 1971	\$ 125.00
To General Fund, March 3, 1971	6.95
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Balance per Bank Book December 31, 1971	\$ 387.94

## MABEL M. GARDNER ACCOUNT

Balance on hand January 1, 1971	\$ .00
Bequest deposited May 25, 1971	6,000.00
Interest Received 1971	125.85
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To Trustees Special Fund	\$ 6,125.85
	125.85
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Balance on hand December 31, 1971	\$ 6,000.00

NOTE: The Morse fund and Mabel M. Gardner Account are combined for investment in a certificate of deposit at 6% interest. This certificate pays quarterly, \$105.00 as the Morse fund proportion and \$90.00 as the Gardner proportion.

The library did not withdraw interest from the Huntoon Fund, Johnson Fund or Moore Fund in 1971.

**REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN  
AND DISTRICT CHIEF**

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**LEST WE FORGET — IT CAN HAPPEN HERE**

Disastrous forest and brush fires that destroy hundreds of homes are more prevalent on the west coast with their dry seasons and strong dry hot winds but 25 years ago this fall is the anniversary of a disaster that devastated large areas of northern New England leaving villages in ashes with rows of cellar holes and chimneys in a number of summer vacation home locations. Many lives were lost on that destructive day of October 23, 1947. Nothing could stop the wind-driven flames.

It is true that such conditions are unusual for New Hampshire but they happened once, they can happen again. The fuel for fires is all around us. All it takes is a firebrand. Only by cultivating a habit of carefulness with fire at all times can we meet the challenge of protection when dry conditions prevail. Please let these reminders be your guide:

1. Never, either when walking, riding or driving, discard a firebrand — a lighted match or a glowing cigarette.

2. Always obtain a permit for any outside burning. The burning of household rubbish is not permitted if your town has rubbish collection. Burning of grass or garden litter can be dangerous. See your warden first.

3. If you camp or picnic, be sure open fires are allowed and if they are, put them **dead out** when leaving.

4. **Most Important** — Instruct your children in the danger of the lighted match. A lighted match and dry grass or forest litter is a dangerous combination which leads to destructive loss and can lead to tragedy.

The past year — 1971 — was a favorable year for the control of fires. There were too many fire starts in some towns. We thank those who remembered and ask others to heed Smokey's message.

Number of fires reported and acres burned — 1971 season:

State	463 fires	160 acres
District	106 fires	61½ acres
Town	Bradford	1½ acres

**JAMES C. FLEMING**  
Forest Fire Warden

**ROBERT J. BURTON**  
District Chief

## REPORT OF THE BRADFORD PLANNING BOARD

The Bradford Planning Board began its duties for the year 1971 on March 17th.

There was a total of 28 meetings this year, 12 regular and 16 specials.

The Board considered, and took action upon 15 subdivisions.

After approximately four months of operating with the original Land Subdivision Regulations, the Board was not satisfied with the hardships of time and money imposed upon the subdivider with a subdivision of three lots or less. Therefore, the Board worked on and proposed a set of amendments, which were presented to the taxpayers and interested citizens, for their comments and criticisms at two "Public Hearings" in early Fall.

The result of these "Public Hearings" is now known as the "Bradford Land Subdivision Regulations Amendment, Section #13 Simple Subdivision." Adopted by unanimous vote of the Board on October 8th, 1971.

The Board felt, in order for the Town of Bradford to grow equitably, that it should consider a study of mobile home and trailer ordinances.

The Board considered many mobile home and trailer regulations and ordinances in use by towns, cities and private developers. The summation of which is presented to the voters of the Town, as an ordinance for their consideration and action under Article #17 of the Bradford, N. H., Town Warrant.

Respectfully submitted,

Bradford Planning Board

GERALD H. MARTIN

Secretary

## REPORT OF THE BRADFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Calls answered:

Stand by for Mutual Aid	4	Car Fires	2
Chimney Fires	2	Mutual Aid Fires	2
Misc. House Calls	3	Grass and Brush Fires	6
Lost Persons	1		

Grass Fires: Expensive? Yes. Unnecessary? Yes. Because of grass and brush fires the Department went over its appropriation this year and the irony of the whole thing is it need not have happened. It points up the fact the best fire fighting cannot beat good fire preventive measures.

The Fire Station has its addition but it took some doing. Building costs skyrocketed between budget time and summer making it necessary to make changes. Volunteer labor removed the old building and painted the new; also built the chimney. Thanks to the Highway Department the foundation was back filled.

The Fire Department from its Fourth of July celebrations has purchased a new furnace to more adequately meet the heating requirements of the larger area of the station thus replacing the 20-year old unit.

The Department is asking for a larger appropriation to meet increasing operating costs, also to replace a 20-year old base station radio and to make necessary repairs on the roof of the original portion of the station.

This year saw the organization of a Rescue Squad operating under the Fire Department but as a separate branch with its own personnel and officers. Since its formation it has answered over 25 emergency calls. It has made sizable expenditures in purchasing an ambulance and the equipment for it. The members have put in many hours of training, bearing the expense themselves. All expenses of the unit have been met largely through contributions.

It should be mentioned that most of the emergency calls are handled by the "Red Network" and there being only a few of these phones, it places a large responsibility on a few people to try to maintain a 24 hours a day, seven days a week service.

The Department started this year a study of water holes in the town but because of the lack of time it is not completed. For example one of the things being considered is the rearing pool which over a half mile of the property along main street is very dependent upon for protection. At times it is doubtful if there would be sufficient water for a prolonged fire attack.

ROBERT A. MOORE

Fire Chief

## BRADFORD HISTORY COMMITTEE REPORT

1971

The year 1971 has been a busy one for this committee, having had 28 work meetings; 21 of these all-day meetings. In addition to this there have been many hours of typing and research at home, more hours in preparation for our exhibit and one day spent at the New Hampshire Historical Society in Concord.

A total of 220 letters was sent to home owners in April asking for any information or pictures on their home. We received many interesting replies but would still like to hear from those who have not returned them.

An all day exhibit was held in August to show you the information, pictures, etc. that we have acquired. Over 500 attended and much interest was shown. We had on sale that day sets of maps dated 1959 and 1890 identifying each house in town by the owner of that time. These maps were printed and given by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sweet with the proceeds from their sale a memorial to Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Sweet, his parents, who summered here more than 30 seasons. There are still a few sets available. A total of \$340.79 was realized from the exhibit and has been placed in a savings account to be used for expenses incurred in compiling our history making it unnecessary to ask the Town for as much in funds for that purpose.

The Boy Scouts have cooperated by locating the Indian Tie-up on Burpee's Hill, making a trail and taking pictures. They also cleared and exposed the old "Town Pound" near the Bradford Center Church.

We are very fortunate in having made available for research from the Warner Library every issue of the Kearsarge Independent published. Much information has been gained, all in chronological order. This paper was first published in 1884 and we have thus far been through to the 1924 issues.

Also made available to us was a series of articles on Bradford history written for the Kearsarge Independent by Ruth S. Moore about 1950. Over 40 of these clippings have been Xeroxed for our records.

The committee is most grateful to all who have contributed material. More is still needed as a gift or loan.

It is our recommendation that \$500.00 be placed in the publishing fund again this year.

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED H. GUNSCHEON,  
Chairman

EFFIE M. CRAIGIE  
RUTH S. MOORE  
ELIZABETH A. CILLEY  
MAXINE B. HAMMOND  
JULIAN F. DODGE  
RAYMOND E. JAYCOX

**REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE  
BRADFORD 1971 CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

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The Bradford Conservation Commission met periodically through 1971. As during the previous year, the Commission concentrated on gathering information that bears on the community's conservation, ecological, and sanitation problems, developing procedures for dealing with these when infractions or oversights are discovered, and dissemination of necessary information. We projected future community involvement in the acquisition and protection of common natural resources. Specific projects included a careful study of the legislation affecting timber harvesting, a determination of state-prescribed procedures in case improper waste or drainage facilities imperil public health, and investigation of the possibility of the town's acquiring land in the center of town that might be converted into a public park or playground.

Together with the Town Planning Board, the Conservation Commission funded the purchase of a Mylar Master Map of the community from the USDA Soil Conservation Service, on copies of which the Commission will indicate in detail soil types and patterns, terrain, and man-made installations. The Board intervened in several local situations; in one it helped arrange that a spillway be altered so as to allow more water into the parched stream bed below it. In several other situations the Commission advised the selectmen of septic and hygiene situations deleterious to the community. At the Jan. 5, 1972 meeting the Commission voted unanimously to purchase a duplicating machine on which it expects to produce fact sheets covering pertinent subjects from slash laws to pesticide dangers for dissemination in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

**BURTON HERSH**



## KEARSARGE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

The Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association made 1,252 visits to patients from January 1, 1971 through December 31, 1971. In the seven participating towns of Bradford, Danbury, New London, Springfield, Sutton, Warner and Wilmot Mrs. Lois Spearman RN traveled 11,687 miles to give service to all ages. Bradford visits totaled 226 in 1971.

### 1971 NURSE'S REPORT

The K.V.N.A. provides the following services:

- Skilled nursing care
- Physical therapy
- Speech therapist in area
- Casefinding
- Nursing evaluations
- TB testing

Health supervision in pre and postnatal cases including:

- Newborns
- Crippled, handicapped and retarded children and adults
- Mental Health
- Diet instruction and use of surplus food
- Instruction on safety hazards
- Disease prevention
- Health promotion

Referrals are made to physicians, welfare, child and family service, nursing homes, school nurses, mental health clinics, local organizations, other visiting nurse associations, hospitals and communications with hospital personnel, medex, social service department for purpose of follow-up through their referral system to K.V.N.A.

A total of 12 immunization clinics was held reaching 294 children with 548 immunizations given. The following vaccines were available: DTP, tetanus, polio, smallpox, measles and rubella.

Future plans:

1. Expand health supervision and promotion with use of part-time nurse.
2. More frequent immunization clinics.
3. Child health conferences.
4. In regard to the new State TB control program: the agency is accepting the responsibility of follow-up of TB patients.
5. To keep the community and local organizations more aware of their own health needs and help them to meet them.

LOIS SPEARMAN RN  
Kearsarge Visiting Nurse  
Telephone New London 526-4077

Bradford Representatives: Mrs. Winifred Reeves, vice-president  
Mrs. Harriet Douglass, secretary



**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRADFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1971**

<b>Date of Birth</b>	<b>Place of Birth</b>	<b>Name of Child</b>	<b>Sex</b>	<b>Name of Father</b>	<b>Maiden Name of Mother</b>
Jan. 6	New London	Claudia	F	Gerald Gallo	Frances L. Reina
Feb. 9	New London	Owen Dwight	M	Richard O. Leighton	Margaret E. Wheeler
April 28	New London	Jamie Peter	M	John A. Fortune	Carol J. Braley
May 20	Sutton	Tanya Elaine	F	Douglas H. Sweet	Christine E. Hoover
May 22	New London	Tammy Marie	F	Robert N. Wells	Diane E. Mulcahy
June 24	Concord	Brenda Kathleen	F	William E. Perkins	Kathleen S. Carnevale
Aug. 20	Concord	Megan Elizabeth	F	Richard F. Champy	Joyce E. Perkins
Sept. 28	New London	Jeremy David	M	Frederick L. Willett	Jo Ann Hansen
Dec. 19	New London	David Scott	M	Robert H. Bagley	Ethel Weeks
<b>All Living</b>				<b>All parents residents of Bradford.</b>	

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ELIZABETH A. CILLEY, Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRADFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1971

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and residence of bride and groom	Names of Parents of Each	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by Whom Married
March 3 Bradford, N. H.	Robert G. LaPree Bradford, N. H. Jane M. Lawton Bradford, N. H.	Gordon J. LaPree Margaret L. Truax Wendell Phillips Cora E. Meredith	Ernest C. Stewart Bradford, N. H. Justice of the Peace
March 6 Concord, N. H.	William E. Einhorn Andover, N. H. Victoria Smalley Bradford, N. H.	Edward Einhorn Claire Miller James Speck Blanche Spohn	Edward A. Cahill Bow, N. H. Minister
April 24 Bradford, N. H.	Frederick L. Willett Bradford, N. H. Jo Ann Hansen Bradford, N. H.	Leo F. Willett Jr. Barbara Hayes James F. Hansen Dolores A. Clark	Rev. Carl R. Bartle Bradford, N. H. Minister
May 2 Bradford, N. H.	Elsid J. Fortune Bradford, N. H. Joan M. Dempsey Sunapee, N. H.	Elsid W. Fortune Pauline Burnett William J. Dempsey Nina Shedd	Richard P. MacLeod Bradford, N. H. Justice of the Peace
June 6 Sunapee, N. H. (Burkehaven)	Richard C. Butterfield Bradford, N. H. Marilyn H. Muller New London, N. H.	David C. Butterfield Thelma Wolfsen Donald L. Muller Lois M. Johnson	Herbert J. Guth New Hampton, N. H. Minister

July 3 Concord, N. H.	Douglas A. Meyer Bradford, N. H. Marylou I. Popp Contoocook, N. H.	Richard J. Meyer Evelyn Ayer Robert E. Popp Evangeline Matragas	John K. Timm Concord, N. H. Lutheran Pastor
Aug. 21 Bradford, N. H.	Charles I. Heath Contoocook, N. H. Nancy L. Griffin Bradford, N. H.	Calvin A. Heath Charlotte Eastman Jesse D. Griffin Ella M. Fifield	George W. Swope Bradford, N. H. Clergyman
Sept. 11 Hillsboro, N. H.	Wesley H. Wells Bradford, N. H. Irene M. Demag Hillsboro, N. H.	Purlington G. Wells Mamic Hunt Leo F. Demag Gladys Whitney	John W. McKelvey Concord, N. H. Methodist Minister
Oct. 16 Bradford, N. H.	Donald R. Johansen Bloomfield, Conn. Colleen P. Keenan Manchester, Conn.	Lawrence P. Johansen Marguerite Boutin Allan R. Keenan Mary D. Crotty	Richard MacLeod Bradford, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Nov. 19 Bradford, N. H.	Henry E. Thomas Jr. South Newbury, N. H. Paula A. Caswell Bradford, N. H.	Henry E. Thomas Claire Fosdick Harold A. Caswell Jr. Rita Lamoureux	George W. Swope Bradford, N. H. Clergyman
Dec. 4 Bradford, N. H.	John R. McAlevy Bradford, N. H. Carol Leonard Bradford, N. H.	John McAlevy Gertrude DeCaro Parker Leonard Louise Homstead	Robert D. Elinor Henniker, N. H. Clergyman

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BRADFORD FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1971

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 7	New London, N. H.	Claudia Gallo	16 hrs.	Gerald Gallo	Frances Reina
Jan. 11	Sutton, N. H.	Frank A. Wise	70	Frank Wise	Etta
March 17	New London, N. H.	Margaret G. Dawkins	92	Joseph Byrnes	Unknown
March 23	New London, N. H.	Ethel Sargent	78	Walter Woods	Mary Bumford
April 11	Northfield, N. H.	Leo J. Loranger	75	Henry Loranger	Albina Donias
April 27	New London, N. H.	Oscar R. Johnson	51	Oscar Johanson	Emma Hanson
June 10	Wearac, N. H.	Harris E. Wheeler Sr.	62	Leonard B. Wheeler	Blanche Drew
June 23	Concord, N. H.	Muriel M. Keays	80	Freeman A. Mann	Bertelle Brewer
June 30	New London, N. H.	William J. Briscoe Jr.	62	William J. Briscoe	Jane Walder
July 6	Newport, N. H.	Robert Hoyt	81	Delman Hoyt	Louise Eaton
Aug. 13	Hamilton, Ontario	Sydney C. Eveleigh	55	Unknown	Unknown
Aug. 19	Newbury, N. H.	Marie L. Parsons	50	Alexander Jonhston	Marie L. Beauclair
Aug. 20	New London, N. H.	Howard A. Milner	73	Edward C. Milner	Emma Jordan
Sept. 2	Bradford, N. H.	Etta E. Bienvenu	78	Gedeon Bienvenu	Evelina Janelle
Sept. 4	Andover, N. H.	Myra DeM. McGlone	76	Ulyss E. Austin	Mary L. Fogg
Sept. 14	Concord, N. H.	Arthur G. Ansart	90	James Ansart	Maryeta Colby
Oct. 16	Lawrence, Mass.	Vera Witham Bates	53	George Witham	Flora Ladd
Oct. 18	Exeter, N. H.	Walter D. Stevens	54	Clark D. Stevens	Rose Hemmings
Nov. 8	Bradford, N. H.	Geraldine E. Heselton	67	Israel Adams	Marjorie Ovens
Nov. 26	Minnetonka, Minn.	Berthale B. Vecchiolla	60	Leo Vecchiolla	Josephine
Dec. 24	New London, N. H.	Bernard G. McKenna	70	Patrick McKenna	Lillian Grant

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