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Town Officers



TOWN CLERK Dorothy H. Davis
TREASURER Bernice B. Brown

SELECTMEN

Jesse C. Braley Reginald E. Barney
John F. Kuster

TAX COLLECTOR Ellen F. Williams

SUPERVISORS OF CHECK LIST

Leonard A. Guaraldi Grover W. Braley
Earl D. Chellis

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Donald S. Fowler A. Stuart Gage
Morris F. Braley

AUDITORS

Lula H. Dean C. Lawrence Gove

CONSTABLES

C. Lawrence Gove Fred Littlefield

FOREST FIRE WARDEN C. Lawrence Gove

DEPUTY FIRE WARDENS

Richard F. Williams A. Stuart Gage

ROAD AGENT Charles N. Hogue

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Lula H. Dean Bernice B. Brown
Lula M. Bennett

FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Elwood W. Brewster Donald S. Fowler
A. Stuart Gage

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT C. Lawrence Gove

MODERATOR A. Stuart Gage

Town Warrant

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Grafton in the County of Grafton in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

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

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing. Polls to close at 6 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.

3. To hear the report of the budget committee and act thereon.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the control of White Pine Blister Rust.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for Old Home Day.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for the care of the Common at Grafton Center.

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

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to convey by deed any real estate acquired by Tax Collector's Deed.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 for Cutting Bushes and Railing Embankments.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8000.00 for the purpose of maintaining Highways and Bridges.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$955.75 and thereby receive \$6,371.66 from the State for Town Road Aid.

12. To see what sum of money the Town may wish to raise and appropriate for maintenance and repair of bridges.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 to be added to the amount of \$1000.00 plus accrued interest in the capital reserve fund for the purpose of improving and raising the dam at Kilton Pond.

14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to deed a portion of a certain tract of land, mill and flowage right, known as the Kilton Mill Site, controlling the level of Kilton Pond, so called, and acquired by the Town of Grafton from Samuel P. Huff, to the State of New Hampshire for the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) and to contribute fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500.00) toward other funds furnished by the State for the reconstruction of Kilton Pond dam to a pond elevation one foot higher than the present dam is constructed. Meaning to except and reserve for the Town the Huff Beach point of land, parking area and access road westerly of said dam, and also the right of way beginning at the Old Highway and running along line of Ernest L. Brown's land to said pond, being a portion of the property deeded to the Town by Samuel P. Huff.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 as an emergency highway appropriation under the control of the Selectmen.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for oiling roads.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purchase of culverts.

18. (A.) To see if the Town will vote to have the Moderator appoint three resident taxpayers who, together with the Selectmen and Highway Agent, shall constitute a committee to determine the Town's highway equipment requirements, and to recommend sale or trade in of present equipment, with the Selectmen being empowered to purchase and sell or trade in equipment per said committee's recommendation.

(B.) To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of highway equipment as recommended by said committee, said sum not to be exceeded, and what proportion thereof shall be raised by taxation this year, the balance to be raised by long term serial notes.

(C.) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the issuance of said long term serial notes.

(D.) To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salary and expenses of said committee.

19. To see if the Town will vote to accept a trust fund of \$200.00 from the estate of Verna B. Evans, the income thereof to be used for the care and maintenance of the Alden H. Barney lot in the Grafton Center Cemetery.

20. To see if the Town will vote to accept a trust fund of \$100.00 from the estate of Lena H. Brown, the income thereof to be used for perpetual care of the James B. Bullock lot in Grafton Center Cemetery.

21. To see if the Town will vote to elect by ballot at the next annual meeting three members-at-large for the Budget Committee.

22. To see if the provisions of Chapter 171-A RSA relative to playing Beano shall be adopted in this Town.

23. To take any vote or transact any further business that may legally come before said meeting.


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

REGINALD E. BARNEY
JOHN F. KUSTER

Selectmen of Grafton.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

REGINALD E. BARNEY
JOHN F. KUSTER



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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1961.

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts & Reimbur'ts	Total Available	Expend.	Unexp. Bal.	Over-Draft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,350.00		\$ 1,350.00	\$ 1,091.10	\$ 258.90	
Town Officers' Expenses	900.00		900.00	907.72		\$ 7.22
Election and Registration Expenses of Town Hall	100.00		100.00	108.65		8.65
Police Department	200.00		200.00	88.75	111.25	
Fire Dept. including Forest Fires	75.00		75.00	116.10		41.10
Blister Rust Insurance	325.00	303.73	628.73	604.37	24.36	
Legal Expenses	150.00	1.25	151.25	150.00	1.25	
Cutting Bushes and Railing	800.00		800.00	544.41	255.59	
Health Department	100.00		100.00	50.00	50.00	
Vital Statistics	400.00		400.00	399.60	.40	
Town Dump	20.00		20.00	12.00	8.00	
Town Highway Maintenance	15.00		15.00	73.75	26.25	
Street Lighting	7,000.00	756.84	7,756.84	7,646.08	110.76	
General Expense Highway Dept.	700.00		700.00	698.64	1.36	
Town Road Aid	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,631.69		431.69
Library	914.62	2.14	916.76	914.62	2.14	
Town Poor and Veterans Aid	175.00		175.00	175.00		
	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,059.74	140.26	

Old Age Assistance	4,300.00	467.75	4,767.75	4,677.36	90.39
Old Home Day	50.00		50.00	50.00	
Common	25.00		25.00	5.00	20.00
Cemeteries Regular Appropriation	400.00		400.00	400.00	
Clearing & Leveling Pine Grove Cem. from Appropriation	13.25		13.25	13.25	
Kilton Pond Beach—from Appro.	189.80	75.00	264.80	264.80	
Repairs to Valia Bridge	600.00		600.00	448.80	151.20
Culverts	500.00		500.00	570.89	
Oiling and Patching Roads	1,000.00	69.50	1,069.50	894.96	174.54
Special Road Appropriation	500.00		500.00	500.00	
Payment on Debt (Principal)	2,725.00		2,725.00	2,725.00	
Payment on Debt (Interest)	390.00		390.00	302.91	87.09
County Tax	1,882.05		1,882.05	1,882.05	
Totals	\$28,299.72	\$1,676.21	\$29,975.93	\$28,507.24	\$560.05
			Net unexpended balance		\$1,468.69

Grafton Town Budget

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures

Ensuing Year January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962.

Compared with Estimated and

Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the
Previous Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.

Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1961	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1961	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1962
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SOURCES OF REVENUE

From State:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 290.00	\$ 303.31	\$ 300.00
Railroad Tax	260.00	241.24	240.00
Savings Bank Tax	65.00	47.79	50.00
For fighting Forest Fires		103.82	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		467.75	
Class V Gas Tax	4,493.66	4,493.66	5,356.14

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	180.00	196.60	200.00
Business Licenses, Permits and filing fees	20.00	34.00	35.00
Int. Rec'd on Taxes and Deposits	50.00	60.34	60.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,900.00	2,158.58	2,000.00
Sale of Town Property		7.50	2,000.00
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	50.00		
Withdrawals from Spec. Appros.			
(a) Town Hall			100.00
(b) Tractor Repairs			1,000.00
Refunds	747.44	799.69	
Gifts		100.00	

Amt. Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:

Highway Equipment			8,000.00
*Cash Surplus	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,900.00

From Local Taxes Other than

Property Taxes:

(a) Poll Taxes—Reg. at \$2	336.00	292.00	300.00
(b) Nat. Bank Stock Taxes		5.00	5.00

(c) Yield Taxes	800.00	295.99	500.00
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Total Revenues from All Sources	\$11,192.10	\$11,607.27	\$22,046.14
Except Property Taxes			
Amt. to be Raised by Prop. Taxes			18,439.61
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TOTAL REVENUES			\$40,485.75

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

	Previous Year 1961	Expend. Prev. Yr. 1961	Rec'm by Bud. Com. 1962
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,350.00	\$ 1,091.10	\$ 1,350.00
Town Officers' Expenses	900.00	907.72	900.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00	108.65	400.00
Exps. Town Hall and Other			
Town Buildings	550.00	88.75	200.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	75.00	116.10	200.00
Fire Department	325.00	604.37	325.00
Blister Rust	150.00	150.00	100.00
Insurance	800.00	544.41	900.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	100.00	50.00	100.00
Cutting Bushes and Railing	400.00	399.60	450.00
Health:			
Health Department	20.00		20.00
Vital Statistics	15.00	12.00	15.00
Town Dump	100.00	73.75	100.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	4,000.00	4,980.44	
Town Maintenance—Winter	3,000.00	2,665.64	8,000.00
Street Lighting	700.00	698.64	700.00
Gen. Exps. of Highway Dept.	2,200.00	1,631.69	1,600.00
Town Road Aid	914.62	914.62	955.75
Libraries	175.00	175.00	175.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	1,200.00	1,024.82	1,100.00
Old Age Assistance	4,300.00	4,677.36	4,300.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Old Home Day	50.00	50.00	50.00
Veterans' Aid		34.92	100.00

Recreation:			
Common	25.00	5.00	25.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Bridges			250.00
Cemeteries	400.00	400.00	400.00
Kilton Pond Dam			500.00
Interest			
On Temporary Loans	250.00	197.91	250.00
On Long Term Notes	140.00	105.00	350.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Spec. Highway Appropriation	500.00		500.00
Oiling Roads	1,000.00	894.96	600.00
Culverts	500.00	570.89	500.00
Salary and Exps. of Committee			70.00
New Equipment			13,000.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
(b) Long Term Notes	2,725.00	2,725.00	2,000.00
(c) Payment to Cap. Res. Funds	1,500.00	1,500.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$28,464.62	\$27,398.34	\$40,485.75

MORRIS F. BRALEY
 GROVER W. BRALEY
 A. STUART GAGE
 JOHN F. KUSTER
 MARION E. SEAMANS
 Budget Committee

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE
Town of Grafton
NEW HAMPSHIRE
in Grafton County
for the
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1961.

Certificate

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.
January 25, 1962.

JESSE C. BRALEY
REGINALD E. BARNEY
JOHN F. KUSTER,
Selectmen

BERNICE B. BROWN,
Treasurer

Assets

Cash:	
In hands of treasurer	\$ 13,302.27
Capital Reserve Funds:	
(a) Town Hall Basement	2,071.14
(b) Kilton Pond Dam	1,035.55
Accounts Due to the Town—	
Due from State:	
(b) Bounties	21.50
(c) Road Toll Refund	51.80
Unredeemed Taxes:	
(a) Levy of 1961	510.55
(b) Levy of 1960	96.12
(c) Levy of 1959	162.85
Uncollected Taxes:	
(a) Levy of 1961	239.58
(b) Levy of 1960	2.00
(e) State Head Taxes, Levy of 1961	60.00
(f) State Head Taxes, Prv. Years	5.00
Total Assets	<u>\$17,558.36</u>
Grand Total	<u>17,558.36</u>
Net Debt, December 31, 1960	\$ 729.89
Net Surplus, December 31, 1961	1,240.82
Increase of Surplus	510.93

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by Town:

Tractor Repairs	\$ 1,000.00
Huff Beach	66.45
Clearing and leveling Cemetery	186.75
Repairs to Town Hall	450.00

Due to State:

(a) State Head Taxes—1961 (Uncollected \$60.00) (Collected— not remitted to State Treasurer \$35.00)	95.00
(b) Yield Tax—Bond & Debt Retirement, (Uncollected \$36.60) (Collected— not remitted to State Treas., \$49.33)	85.93
Due to School Dist. Bal. of Appro.	9,320.51
Capital Reserve Funds	3,106.69

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Payloader and Backhoe payable June 10, 1962	2,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$16,311.33
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)	1,240.82
Grand Total	\$17,558.36

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue

From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes (1961)	\$37,632.00
Poll Taxes (1961)	292.00
National Bank Stock Taxes (1961)	5.00
Yield Taxes (1961)	295.99
State Head Taxes at \$5 (1961)	910.00
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted	\$39,134.99
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes— Previous years	60.34
Poll Taxes—previous Years	20.00
State Head Taxes at \$5—Prev. Yrs.	65.00
Interest received on Taxes	63.21
Penalties on State Head Taxes	10.00
Tax sales redeemed	719.34

From State:

For Class V. Highway Main.	\$4,493.66
Interest and dividends tax	303.31
Railroad tax	241.24
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Assoc. Tax	47.79
Reimbursement a/c State Head Tax	9.38
Reimbursement a/c Blister Rust	1.25
Reimbursement a/c TRA	2.14
Fighting forest fires	103.82
Reimbursement a/c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	224.24
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Asst.	467.75
Bounties	383.00

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	196.60
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Business licenses, permits and filing fees	34.00	
Sale of Cemetery lots	40.0	
Rent of town property	570.00	
Motor Vehicle Permits —		
1960	13.20	
1961	2,091.90	
1962	153.48	
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**Receipts Other than Current
Revenue:**

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	15,000.00	
Refunds	799.69	
Gifts	100.00	
Sale of town property	7.50	
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Total Receipts Other than Cur. Rev.		15,907.19
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Total Receipts from All Sources		65,256.83
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1961		13,870.31
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GRAND TOTAL		\$79,127.14

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses

General Government:

Town officer's salaries	\$1,091.10
Town officer's expenses	907.72
Election and registration expenses	108.65
Exps. town hall and other town bldgs.	88.75

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	116.10
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Huff Beach	264.80
Fire dept., including forest fires	604.37
Blister Rust	150.00
Insurance	544.41
Bounties	257.00

Health:

Vital Statistics	12.00
Oiling and patching roads	894.96
Town dump	73.75

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	914.62
Town Maintenance—	
Summer	\$4,980.44
Winter	2,665.64
	————— 7,646.08
Street lighting	698.64
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	1,631.69
Libraries	175.00

Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	4,677.36
Town poor	1,024.82
Cutting bushes and railing	399.60

Patriotic Purposes:

Old Home Day	50.00
Veterans' Aid	34.92

Recreation:

Common	5.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Culverts	570.89
Cemeteries	400.00
Valia Bridge repairs	448.80

Unclassified:

Legal expenses	50.00
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Collecting Head taxes	29.85	
Taxes bought by town	510.80	
Clearing and leveling		
Pine Grove Cemetery	13.25	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses		\$24,394.93

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	197.91	
Paid on long term notes	105.00	
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Total Interest Payments		302.91

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$15,000.00	
Payments on long term notes	2,725.00	
Payments to capital reserve funds	1,500.00	
Payments to trustees of trust funds	40.00	
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Total Indebtedness Payments		19,265.00

**Payments to Other Govern-
mental Divisions:**

State Head Taxes paid State Treas.		
1961 Taxes	\$788.00	
Prior years	142.50	
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		930.50
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax		
Debt Retirement	257.66	
Taxes paid to county	1,882.05	
Payment to School Districts:		
1960 Tax	\$10,291.82	
1961 Tax	8,500.00	
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		\$18,791.82

Total Payments to Other Gov. Divisions	21,862.03
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$65,824.87
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1961	13,302.27
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Grand Total	\$79,127.14

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, lands and buildings	\$ 1,500.00
Furniture and equipment	105.00
Libraries, lands and buildings	4,750.00
Furniture and equipment	200.00
Fire Department, land and buildings	1,075.00
Equipment	1,600.00
Highway Department, lands and buildings	1,550.00
Equipment	16,000.00
Material and supplies	300.00
Town Safe	50.00
Kilton Dam and flowage	4,000.00
Schools, land and buildings	7,500.00
Equipment	780.00
New Cemetery	1,000.00

All Lands and Buildings Acquired Through Tax Collector's Deeds

Former Owner	Description	Value
Sargent, Geo. H.,	mining rights on Banks lands	\$ 25.00
Leach, Sarah, Est.,	mining right on Banks land	25.00
Poor, Charles,	16 a. mining right near Jump-off so called and 2 a. land adjoining Almon Barney's	25.00
Kenny and Kraft,	100 a. mining right on La Plant farm	25.00
Sargent, John G.,	35 a. Hazelton lot	70.00
Gallagher, Joseph T.,	15 a. Smith quarry right	25.00
Abbott, Dorothy	7½ a. woodland	25.00
Leslie, William heirs,	50 a. mining right on George Heath farm	25.00
Duhrels, Sophia	340 a. mining right on Alvah Stevens land	50.00

New England Mica Co., mining right on Ma- son and Hadlock land	200.00
Summit Mining Co., mining right on Dexter Whittier land	
Summit Mining Co., mining right on A. Pierce land	130.00
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Total	\$41,035.00

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Lands and Buildings		\$667,580.00
House Trailers,	1	1,200.00
Factory Blds. incl land & Machinery	5	21,850.00
Electric Plants	2	38,970.00
Stock in Trade		24,880.00
Boats and Launches	3	250.00
Horses, (7); Mules, (2)	9	750.00
Cows	70	9,000.00
Other Neat Stock	18	1,480.00
Sheep and Goats	43	470.00
Fowls	9100	3,080.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	9	1,350.00
Portable Mills	2	2,800.00
Wood, Lumber, Logs, etc.		41,260.00
Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions		814,920.00

Less Veterans' Exemptions		30,320.00
Net Val. on which Tax Rate is Computed		\$784,600.00

Electric Utility Companies

N. H. Electric Co-op. Inc.		\$ 8,270.00
Public Service Co. of N.H.		30,700.00

Total		\$38,970.00
Amt. prop. valuation exempted to Vets.		\$30,320.00
Number of inventories distributed	371	
Number of inventories returned	290	
No. of vets. who received prop. exempt.	32	
Number of vets. exempted from poll tax	37	

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,350.00
Town Officers' Expenses	900.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	550.00
Police Department	75.00
Fire Department (\$125); Forest Fires (\$200)	325.00
Blister Rust	150.00
Insurance	800.00
Legal Expenses	100.00
Cutting Bushes and Railing	400.00
Health Department	20.00
Vital Statistics	15.00
Dump	100.00
Town Maintenance—	
Summer	\$4,000.00
Winter	3,000.00
	7,000.00
Street Lighting	700.00
Gen. Expenses of Highway Department	2,200.00
Town Road Aid	914.62
Library	175.00
Old Age Assistance	4,300.00
Public Relief (Town Poor)	1,200.00
Memorial Day, Old Home Day	50.00
Common	25.00
Cemeteries	400.00
Repairs to Valia Bridge	100.00
Culverts	500.00
Oiling Roads	1,000.00
Special Highway Appro.	500.00
Payment on Debt (Prin. \$2,725) (Int. \$390)	3,115.00
Capital Reserve Fund—to be raised by taxation	1,500.00
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TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS	\$28,564.62

County Tax	1,882.05
School Tax	17,820.51
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Total Town, County & School Appros.	\$48,267.18

Less Estimated Revenues and Credits

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 302.74	
Railroad Tax	241.24	
Savings Bank Tax	47.79	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	800.00	
Int. Received on Taxes and Deposits	50.00	
Business Licenses, Permits and filing fees	20.00	
Dog Licenses	180.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,900.00	
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	50.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00	
Poll Taxes at \$2 (No. 155)	310.00	
Cash Surplus	2,000.00	
Class V Gas Tax	4,493.66	
Refunds	747.44	
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Revenues and Credits		\$11,147.87
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		\$37,119.31
Plus Overlay		541.49
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Amt. to be raised by prop. taxes		\$37,660.80

Taxes to be Committed to Collector

Property Taxes	37,660.00	
Poll Taxes at \$2 (155)	310.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00	
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Total Taxes to be Committed		\$37,975.80
Tax Rate	\$4.80.	

Tax Collector's Report

Summary of Warrant, Property, Poll and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1961

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$37,660.80	
Poll Taxes	310.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00	
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Total Warrant		\$37,975.80
Yield Taxes		495.95
Added Taxes:		
Yield Taxes	\$19.62	
Poll Taxes	2.00	
	<hr/>	21.62
Interest Collected		7.98
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Total Debits		\$38,501.35

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$37,632.00	
Poll Taxes	292.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	5.00	
Yield Taxes	295.99	
Interest Collected	7.88	
	<hr/>	38,232.97

Abatements:

Property Taxes	28.80
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Uncollected Taxes, as per Collector's List:

Poll Taxes	20.00	
Yield Taxes	219.58	
	<hr/>	239.58

Total Credits \$38,501.35

Unpaid Yield Tax—1961:

Hazen Lumber Co.	\$152.18	
Kilton, Harland	.60	
Morse, Edwin	12.65	
Pierce, Freeman	12.00	
Casseboom, Alan R.	2.76	
Bassett, John F.	29.85	
Hugran, John	2.34	
Luce, Priscilla	7.20	
	<hr/>	219.58

Unpaid Poll and Head Taxes for 1961

	Poll	Head
Dodge, Donald	2.00	5.00
Dodge, Mavis	2.00	5.00
Hogue, Jane	2.00	5.00
Hogue, Charles N.		5.00
Joyce, James		5.00
Joyce, Velma	2.00	5.00
Morse, Henry	2.00	5.00
Oddus, Frank	2.00	5.00
Shaw, Laurence M.	2.00	5.00
Shaw, Almon	2.00	5.00
Smith, Lester	2.00	5.00
Smith, Marie	2.00	5.00
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	\$ 20.00	\$60.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES

Levy of 1960

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes, as of Jan. 1, 1961:

Property Taxes \$ 23.00

Poll Taxes	28.00	
Yield Taxes	19.50	
	<u> </u>	\$ 70.50

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year:
 Ended Dec. 31, 1961 3.03

Total Debits \$ 73.53

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer During
 Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961:

Property Taxes	\$ 23.00	
Poll Taxes	20.00	
Yield Taxes	19.50	
Interest Collected During Year	3.03	
	<u> </u>	65.53

Abatements Made During Year:

Poll Taxes 6.00

Uncollected Taxes, as per Col-
 lector's List:

Poll Taxes 2.00

Total Credits \$73.53

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1961

Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant \$965.00

Added Taxes 5.00

Total Commitment \$970.00

Total Debits	\$973.50
Penalties Collected	3.50
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Remittances to Treasurer:	
Head Taxes	\$ 910.00
Penalties	3.50
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	\$913.50

Abatements:

Uncollected Head Taxes— as Per Collector's List	60.00
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Total Credits	\$973.50

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

Levy of 1960

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes, as of Jan. 1, 1961	\$85.00
Penalties Collected During 1961	6.50
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Total Debits	91.50

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Remittances to Treasurer During 1961:	
Head Taxes	\$65.00
Penalties	6.50
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	71.50
Abatements During 1961	15.00
Uncollected Head Taxes— as Per Collector's List	5.00
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Total Credits \$91.50

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of Dec. 31, 1961

Dr.

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

				Previous Years
	1961	1960	1959	
Taxes Sold to Town during Fiscal Year	\$510.55	\$	\$	\$
Balance Unredeemed Taxes, Jan. 1, 1961		571.05	227.82	177.94
Int. collected after sale		6.87	5.97	31.41
Added expense		7.74		
Total Debits	\$510.55	\$ 585.66	\$ 233.79	\$209.35

Cr.

Remittances to Treas. during year	\$510.55	\$489.54	\$ 70.94	\$ 209.35
Unredeemed Taxes at close of year		96.12	162.85	
Total Credits	\$510.55	\$ 585.66	\$ 233.79	\$ 209.35

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1961	1960	1959	
Berry, Maude C. & Earl J.	\$93.27	\$	\$	84.77
Dimond, Arthur	27.87			
Holt, Sarah	142.20			
Holt, Sarah	2.70			
Patterson, John J.	73.20	71.36		
Shaw, Francis	57.42			

Bundy, Jo Anne	13.40	13.51	1.99
Groves, Liana	42.34	11.25	
Kniffen, Gertrude (Heirs)	42.34		
Sherry, Frank P.	15.81		
Hammond, F. C. & Son			76.09
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Totals	\$510.55	\$ 96.12	\$ 162.85

I hereby certify that the enclosed lists showing the name and amount due from each delinquent tax payer as of December 31, 1961 on account of levies 1959, 1960, and 1961 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELLEN F. WILLIAMS
Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance January 1, 1961	\$13,870.31
Receipts:	
Selectmen	\$ 712.50
Brundage Gift	100.00
Town Clerk	2,369.18
Tax Collector	40,073.13
State	6,477.49
Concord National Bank	15,000.00
Blanchard Note	524.53
	————— \$55,256.83
Grand Total	\$79,127.14
Less Selectmen's Payments	65,824.87
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Balance, January 1, 1962	\$13,302.27

Respectfully submitted

BERNICE B. BROWN,

Town Treasurer.

Auditors' Certificate

This certifies that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Road Agent, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, and Fire Department and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

January 24, 1962.

LULA H. DEAN

C. LAWRENCE GOVE

Auditors.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

From January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.

Dog Tax:

Male, 76	\$152.00	
Female, 10	50.00	
Kennel, 1	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 214.00
Less Clerk's Fees		17.40
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		\$196.60
Auto Permits	\$2,158.58	
Town Officers Filing	14.00	
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Total		\$2,369.18
Paid Bernice Brown, Treasurer		\$2,369.18

DOROTHY H. DAVIS
Town Clerk

REPORT OF OLD HOME DAY

Sponsored by Eureka Grange

Received from Town of Grafton		\$ 50.00
Paid:		
Mary Senior Brown, Speaker	\$ 15.00	
Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Goodrich, for music	10.00	
Mrs. Dorothy Davis, for prizes	6.00	
Reporter Press, for cards	16.00	
Money order and stamp	.34	
Telephone call to Hanover	.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 47.54
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Balance		\$ 2.46

LULA M. BENNETT,
Chairman of Old Home Day

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Receipts for 1961

Cash on hand	\$ 18.29	
Dividend White River Nat. Bk. No 168	60.00	
Dividend White River Nat. Bank, No. 169 (Extra)	30.00	
Dividend White River Nat. Bk. No. 170	60.00	
Town of Grafton	175.00	
Barney Flanders Fund (for 1960)	75.00	
Barney Flanders Fund (for 1961)	75.00	
Davis Fund (Franklin Sav. Bank)	170.35	
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		\$ 663.64
Less Davis Fund		170.35
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Total Cash Receipts		\$ 493.29
Less Expenditures		335.60
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1961		\$157.69

Expenditures:

Hattie Barney, Librarian one year	\$ 100.00	
Edward Barney, Janitor	20.00	
Thames Book Co., books	126.80	
Magazines	45.60	
Public Service Co.	38.28	
Bernice B. Brown, supplies and tel.	4.92	
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		335.60

The Library has been a grateful recipient of a valuable portrait given by Walter Bucklin of New London, N. H., of Charles Wyman Bucklin, one of his ancestors, born in Grafton 1838.

The Trustees also wish to thank Mr. Arvid Wahlstrom for the much appreciated gift of wood, which was cut, delivered and put in the library basement. This is an item the Trustees find very hard to procure.

LULA M. BENNETT

Treasurer, Public Library

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

Total Circulation of Books for Year:	1,382
Fiction	500
Non-Fiction	679
Juvenile	203
New Books Purchased	55
Magazines Purchased	3
Fines Collected	\$3.15

Books were given from several of our readers and also a nice collection from Canaan Library.

HATTIE E. BARNEY,

Librarian

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Cash in hands of Trustees, Jan. 1,1961	\$ 16.04
Received from Merrimack County Sav. Bank	201.00
Received from N. H. Savings Bank	213.00
Received from Amoskeag Savings Bank	42.00
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Total Receipts	\$ 472.04

Paid:

Milo Perkns, labor and material for Cemeteries	\$372.00
Library Trustees, acct. Barney Fund	75.00
School District, acct. Stevens Fund	10.00
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Total Payments	457.00
Balance in hands of Trustees, Jan. 1, 1962	\$ 15.04

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Treasurer's Report

Receipts:

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1961		\$804.58
Received:		
From ticket sales	\$418.00	
From B & M RR, fires	42.50	
From Labor Day Supper	162.91	
From George MacKay, pumping well	5.00	
From Ranigan, pumping well	5.00	
From Secretary for check to 1st prize winner	50.00	
Accrued interest on Savings acct.	50.33	
		<u>733.74</u>
Total Receipts		\$1,538.32

Expenditures:

Paid:

E. W. Brewster, gas, oil, & supplies	\$ 24.58
Hathorns, Battery	17.91
W. S. Darley & Co., gas masks	9.80
Hutchins Bros. tickets & cards	14.00
C. L. Gove, record book & radiator repr.	16.15
R. P. Johnson & Son, Bldg. material	48.06
Public Service Co. of N.H., meter bill	20.00
Donation to Bicentennial	5.00
Willis C. Collins, 1st prize monthly drawing	50.00
Lawrence Guaraldi, reimbursement act. supper	51.84
H. L. Webster & Sons, truck inspections	2.30
American Fire Equipment Co.	2.59

Total Payments	262.23
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Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1962	\$1,276.09
Deposited in N. H. Savings Bank	\$550.33
Deposited in Nat. Bank of Lebanon	725.76
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	\$1,276.09

VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Your Department was called upon for the following fires during 1961: Four chimney, several railroad and two major fires—the John Wallace camp, and the home of Mary Moore in West Grafton.

The latter call was first made to the closer Enfield Department with the Grafton truck and men arriving shortly thereafter. Regretfully, lack of water and the remoteness of the home resulted in almost total loss to an old landmark.

Despite a small appropriation, mainly to cover insurance on men and trucks, we have managed chiefly through donations and our Labor Day Supper to increase our cash on hand by over \$400.00.

Our members have also volunteered their labor towards installing a hose and equipment rack on the Reo truck and insulating the Fire House, most of which work has been done.

Your continued support should help us to purchase urgently needed equipment from additional hose and fittings to a new truck.

Respectfully submitted,

C. L. GOVE, Chief

J. F. KUSTER, Sec'y.

An Appeal from Your Forest Fire Warden

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

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

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

Do the things that are required of you—

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

Everyone will benefit by it.

1961 Fire Record

Number of fires	2	Number of permits	58
Number of acres burned	4		

GERALD GROSS

District Fire Chief

C. LAWRENCE GOVE

Forest Fire Warden

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers Salaries	
C. L. Gove, Auditor	\$ 28.80
C. L. Gove, Fire Warden	25.00
Lula H. Dean, Auditor	28.80
Ellen F. Williams, Collector	175.00
Dorothy H. Davis, Clerk	100.00
Dorothy H. Davis, Auto Permits	126.50
Dorothy H. Davis, Copying Blotter Book	12.00
A. Stuart Gage, Sec'y to Trustees	25.00
Jesse C. Braley, Selectman	122.40
Reginald E. Barney, Selectman	133.20
John F. Kuster, Selectman	194.40
John F. Kuster, Keeping Books	25.00
Bernice B. Brown, Treasurer	95.00
	\$ 1,091.10

Town Officers Expenses	
N. H. Tax Collectors Assoc., Dues	\$ 3.00
John F. Kuster, Expenses	69.82
Bernice B. Brown, Expenses	2.88
Reginald E. Barney, Expenses	9.00
Association of N. H. Assessors' Dues	3.00
Branham Publishing Co., Auto Ref. Book	5.35
Ellen F. Williams, Expenses	67.87
Reporter Press, Town Reports & Notices	419.15
Brown and Saltmarsh, Office Supplies	10.85
Wheeler and Clark, Dog Tags & Book	10.83
Mildred S. Braley, Bonding Officers	123.00
Sargent Bros., Office Supplies	27.93
Anna D. Proctor, Transfer	.20
Charles A. Wood, Register of Probate	18.97
Charles R. Hardy, Town Clerks Assoc., Dues	3.00

Edson C. Eastman, Inc., Supplies	86.66
Dorothy H. Davis, Expenses	24.50
Emblem Flag Co., Flags	21.71
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	\$ 907.72

Election and Registration

Doris H. Fowler, Copying checklist	\$ 5.25
Richard Williams, Ballot Clerk	7.20
Leonard A. Guaraldi, Supervisor	15.20
Enterprise Press, Ballots	16.00
Reporter Press, Notices	7.20
Earl D. Chellis, Supervisor	17.00
Frank R. Dean, Ballot Clerk	7.20
William H. Armstrong, Ballot Clerk	7.20
C. Lawrence Gove, Tending Guard Rail	7.20
A. Stuart Gage, Moderator	7.20
Grover W. Braley, Ballot Clerk	12.00
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	\$ 108.65

TOWN HALL

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 46.37
Prescott Oil Co.	42.38
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	\$ 88.75

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Edwin Morse, Constable	\$ 12.50
C. Lawrence Gove, Constable	65.00
Fred Littlefield, Constable	38.60
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	\$ 116.10

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Frank K. Clarke, Ins.	
Premium on Firemen	\$ 105.00

C. L. Gove, Warden meetings & Forest Fires	212.22	
H. L. Webster & Sons, Inspection	2.50	
Mildred S. Braley, Ins. on Fire trucks	156.75	
Enfield Fire Dept., Mary Moore Fire	127.90	
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		\$ 604.37
(\$303.73 Refund)		

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST

Willian H. Messeck, Jr. 1961 Appro.	\$ 150.00
(\$1.25 Refund)	

VITAL STATISTICS

Dorothy H. Davis, Clerk	\$ 12.00
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TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

From Sale of Cemetery Lots	\$ 40.00
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CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

Trustees of Trust Funds	
Kilton Pond Dam	\$ 500.00
Town Hall Basement	1,00.00
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	\$ 1,500.00

OLD HOME DAY

Lula M. Bennett 1961 Appro.	\$ 50.00
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COMMON

E. W. Brewster, Sharpening mower	\$ 5.00
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CEMETERIES

Milo D. Perkins	\$ 400.00
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CLEARING PINE GROVE CEMETERY

C. Hogue, labor	\$	7.50	
E. Caswell, labor		5.75	
	\$		13.25

HUFF BEACH

C. Hogue, labor	\$	15.00	
E. Caswell, labor		11.50	
A. Dimond, labor		17.25	
C. L. Gove, labor		91.50	
C. S. Williams, Bulldozing & Sand		129.55	
(Refunded by Property Owners \$75.00)			
	\$		264.80

LIBRARY

Library Trustees (1961 Appro.)	\$	175.00
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TOWN DUMP

C. Lawrence Gove, Care of dump	\$	70.00	
C. Hogue, labor		3.75	
	\$		73.75

INTEREST

Concord National Bank			
Interest on Long Term Notes	\$	105.00	
Interest on Tax Anticipation Loan		197.91	
			\$ 302.91

LONG TERM NOTE

Concord National Bank			
Snow Plow & Wing	\$	725.00	
Payloader & Backhoe		2,000.00	
			\$ 2,725.00

SHORT TERM LOANS

Concord National Bank		\$15,000.00
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TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Ellen F. Williams, Collector \$ 510.80

COUNTY TAX

Lawrence M. Colby, Treas. \$ 1,882.05

HEAD TAXES

State Treasurer \$ 930.50

E. F. Williams, Col. Head Tax 29.85

\$ 960.35

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Yield Tax, State Share \$ 257.66

BOUNTIES

Jesse C. Braley, 289 Hedgehogs \$ 144.50

John F. Kuster, 225 Hedgehogs 112.50

\$ 257.00

SCHOOLS

Doris Fowler, Treasurer

Acct. 1960 Appro. \$10,291.82

Acct. 1961 Appro. 8,500.00

\$18,791.82

LEGAL EXPENSES

William A. Lovejoy \$ 50.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire \$ 4,677.36

(\$467.75 Refund)

TOWN POOR

Acct. Everett Morse

McNeills Drug Store \$ 19.45

I .A. Dinerman, M. D. 59.00

First National Stores 36.00

State of N. H., Aid to Disabled 435.62

\$ 550.07

		\$ 550.07
Acct. Esther Morse		
Gordons General Store	\$ 30.00	
Bristol Drug Store	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 31.50
Acct. Mrs. Archie Morse		
Gordons General Store	\$ 146.00	
Bristol Drug Store	8.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 154.25
Acct. Lizzie Morse		
I. A. Dinerman, M. D.	\$ 4.00	
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Acct. Earl Berry		
State Cancer Commission	\$ 113.30	
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Acct. Rollie Morse		
First National Store	\$ 88.00	
Henry P. Brown, M. D.	12.50	
McNeills Drug Store	1.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 101.70
Acct. Albert Hill		
First National Stores	\$ 10.00	
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Acct. Carolyn Lancey		
George's A. G. Store	\$ 60.00	
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		\$ 1,024.82
VETERAN'S AID		
Canaan Oil Company	\$ 20.00	
Canaan Super Market	14.92	
	<hr/>	\$ 34.92

TOWN HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

General Government

RECEIPTS

1961 Appropriation	\$ 2,506.34	
From State Class V Highway Tax	4,493.66	
From Plowing Drives	155.00	
Road Toll Refund	148.84	
Plowing Town of Orange	25.50	
Hauling Gravel, etc.	117.00	
Rental of Loader & backhoe	203.00	
Sale of fence posts	7.50	
Gift from Charles Brundage	100.00	
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		\$7,756.84

EXPENDITURES

Winter Roads	\$ 2,665.64	
Summer Roads	4,980.44	
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		7,646.08
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Unexpended Balance		110.76

WINTER ROADS

Charles Hogue, Road Agent	\$ 1,106.26
Mileage	33.20
Edwin Caswell, Labor	238.20
Joseph Hill, Labor	426.00
Paul Gove, Labor	137.75
Theodore Hilyard, Labor	64.50
Roger Warcup, Labor	15.50
Internal Revenue Service, Withholding	35.50
H. L. Webster & Sons, Salt	8.00
Stanley Phillips, Labor	1.00
Lula Bennett, Sand	6.20
Robert O'Brien, Labor	21.05

Roger Warcup, Paint	2.50
E. W. Brewster, Gas & Oil	263.15
Gordons Store, Gas & Oil	90.82
American Lub. Co., Grease & Oil	89.65
Grover W. Braley, Gas & Oil	66.16
Canaan Oil Company	30.20
Walter E. Stark, Snow Removal	30.00
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	\$ 2,665.64

SUMMER ROADS

Charles Hogue, Road Agent	\$ 1,592.38
Mileage	19.40
Parts	8.35
Internal Revenue Service, Withholding	135.00
American Lub. Co., Grease & Oil	70.20
E. W. Brewster, Gas & Oil	393.03
Gordon's Store, Gas & Oil	119.06
Grover Braley, Gas & Oil	128.72
C. S. Williams, Bulldozer	234.50
Bridge stringers & posts	55.00
Gravel	102.40
Henry Gagnon, Welding	20.00
Morris Braley, Bridge Plank	391.75
Edwin Caswell, Labor	906.80
Joseph Hill, Labor	465.00
Henry Morse, Labor	322.85
Roger Warcup, Labor	16.00
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	\$ 4,980.44

OILING ROADS

Charles Hogue, Road Agent	\$ 70.50
Edwin Caswell, Labor	46.55
Theodore Hilyard, Labor	18.35
Henry Morse, Labor	20.70

F. Currier, Truck Rental	51.70
Lula Bennett, Sand	5.50
Internal Revenue Service, Withholding	6.40
Black Top Inc., Cold Patch	84.00
N. H. Bituminous Co., Oil	591.26

(Receipts from Private Drives \$69.50) 894.96

TOWN ROAD AID

State of N. H. (1961 Appro.)	914.62
(Refund by State \$2.14)	

CUTTING BUSHES AND RAILING

Charles Hogue, Tractor	96.00
Henry Morse, Labor	187.45
Milo Perkins, Labor	110.55
Internal Revenue Service, Withholding	5.60

399.60

VALIA BRIDGE REPAIRS

Millers Redi-Mix Concrete	207.90
C. Lawrence Gove, Labor	240.90

448.80

CULVERTS

N. H. Metal Culvert Co.,	\$570.89
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STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co., of N. H.	698.64
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INSURANCE

Mildred S. Braley, Agent	
Highway Equipment	179.38
Building and Workmans Compensation and Liability	283.19
A. S. Gage, Agent	
Insurance Premiums on Equipment	

and Buildings 81.84

544.41

GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

C. L. Gove, Labor and Parts for Tractor	41.40
H. Gagnon, Welding	12.00
C. Hogue, Grader repairs	69.00
E. Caswell, Grader repairs	18.00
Public Service Co., of N. H.	22.20
Noble Belisle Mach. Co., Parts	138.46
H. L. Webster & Sons, Parts & Repairs	760.30
Hathorns Inc., Parts	50.17
State of N. H., R. R. Crossing Signs	27.00
Rices Inc., Truck Tires	140.00
R. C. Hazelton Co., Parts for Grader	317.65
Lewis Bros., Pruning Saw	11.16
Hartford Motors, Shaft for Truck	24.35

\$ 1,631.69

Deaths Registered in the Town of Grafton, for Year Ending Dec. 31, 1961.

Date	Place of Death	Name and Surname	Age Years	Place of Birth	Sex and Condition	Occupation	Name of Father and Mother
Mar. 10	Grafton	Paul Matthew Berko	62	Lynn, Mass.	M Single	Civil Engineer	Stephen Berko Anna Pollard
Mar. 19	Grafton	Andrew Bumgardner	72	Catawba, Ohio	M Married	Tool Maker	William C. Runyon Ella Tavaner
May 6	New London	Daniel Fr'cis Gallagher	81	Quincy, Mass.	M Single	Mail Clerk	Michael Gallagher Margaret Woods
May 9	Hartford, Vt.	Ath'ton H. Rounseville	63	Attleboro, Mass	M Married	Farmer	L. Herbert Rounseville Ida M. Frederick
July 6	Canaan	Olive Lorinda Morrill	83	Springfield, N. H.	F Single	Housekeeper	Charles Morrill Olive Dean
Aug. 12	New London	Maude Susie Robinson	83	Canaan, N. H.	F Widowed	Housewife	George Jenness Benjamin Kennerson
Oct. 6	Grafton	Minnie Belle Littlefield	89	Wilmot, N. H.	F Widowed	Housewife	Harriet Irving Albert Downes
Nov. 10	Grafton	Daniel Herbert Downes	54	East Andover, N. H.	M Married	Laborer	Bertha Evans Massimo Basso
Nov. 8	Franklin	Angelica B. Luti	63	Boston, Mass.	F Married	Housewife	Mary Cuneo

I hereby certify that the above list of deaths for 1961 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DOROTHY H. DAVIS, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in Town of Grafton, for Year Ending Dec. 31, 1961.

Date	Name of Groom & Bride	Age	Occupation	Birthplace	Residence	By Whom Married
July 22	Daniel Zwillinger Patricia Mary Hammons	30 31	Technician Phycologist	Czechoslovakia Massachusetts	Palestine Fall Riv'r, Mass.	John Hammond Cong'al Minister

I hereby certify that the above return is a correct list of the marriages for 1961 to the best of my knowledge and belief.
DOROTHY H. DAVIS, Town Clerk,

Births Registered in Town of Grafton, for Year Ending Dec. 31, 1961.

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex, Color and No. Children	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence	Birth Place of Parents
April 22	Hanover	Rose Ann Morse	F W 2	Henry Almon Morse	Esther Mable Dimond	Grafton New Hampshire	Grafton New Hampshire
May 31	N. London	Terri Lynn Gallup	F W 2	Donald Robert Gallup	Louise Irene Stevens	Grafton New Hampshire	Grafton New Hampshire
July 5	Hanover	Joyce Alayne Barney	F W 2	Reginald Edmond Barney	Eleanor Marion Niles	Grafton New Hampshire	Grafton New Hampshire Maine
Nov. 19	Hanover	Clayton Foster Bassett	M W 2	John Foster Bassett	June Lillian Valia	Grafton New Hampshire	Grafton New Hampshire
Nov. 21	Franklin	Linda Kay Trask	F W 2	Allen Stanton Trask	Gloria Mae Downes	Grafton New Hampshire	Grafton New Hampshire

I hereby certify that the above list of births for 1961 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DOROTHY H. DAVIS, Town Clerk

Report of the Trust Funds, for the Year Ending December 31, 1961.

Name and Year of Creation	Purpose	How Invested	Bal. of Principle at beginning and end of year	Bal. of Income on hand at Be- ginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at End of Year
1919 East Grafton	Cemetery	N. H. Savings Bank	235.50	23.90	10.37	9.00	25.27
1919 J. E. Martin	Cemetery	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	45.41	9.81	9.00	46.22
1919 H. Stevens	Cem. & School	N. H. Savings Bank	500.00	19.95	20.80	18.00	22.75
1919 Candace S. Cook	"	N. H. Savings Bank	75.00	10.35	3.41	3.00	10.76
1919 Estelle Axtell	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	4.19	2.18	—	6.37
1919 Nason W. Cass	"	N. H. Savings Bank	150.00	31.38	7.25	6.50	32.13
1919 A. A. Barney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	4.14	2.18	—	6.32
1919 Mary A. Smith	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	5.70	2.22	—	7.92
1918 W. Hardy	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	18.13	4.72	4.00	18.85
1919 Ann M. Hoyt	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	11.89	4.47	3.00	13.36
1920 Jane K. Lawrence	"	N. H. Savings Bank	500.00	111.86	24.49	21.00	115.35
1920 Nathan Severance	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	5.44	2.22	—	7.66
1923 Frank D. Currier, No. 1	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	66.46	10.65	9.00	68.11
1923 Frank D. Currier, No. 2	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	42.48	9.69	9.00	43.17
1929 Edward C. Dimond	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	4.06	2.18	—	6.24
1925 Geo. H. Cole	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	4.22	2.18	—	6.40
1925 A. F. Hoyt	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	35.18	5.40	4.50	36.08
1927 George J. Whitney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	3.65	2.14	—	5.79

1927	Ella J. Smith	Cemetery	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	59.02	10.37	9.00	60.39
1932	Jouathan Severance	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	16.29	4.65	3.00	17.94
1933	Volana E. Kilton	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	22.36	8.89	7.00	24.25
1933	Mary E. Gifford	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	4.32	2.18	—	6.50
1934	Almon H. Barney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	700.00	90.88	31.65	27.00	95.53
1934	Susan St. Ormond	"	N. H. Savings Bank	175.00	21.55	7.85	7.00	22.40
1935	H. L. Powell	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	9.61	4.37	3.00	10.98
1936	Clara E. Johnson	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	28.63	9.15	7.00	30.78
1936	Emeline L. Davis	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	27.11	9.09	7.00	29.20
1945	Geo. A. Bucklin	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	7.78	4.29	3.00	9.07
1948	Alfred Martin	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	7.43	4.29	3.00	8.72
1950	Ichabod B. Sargent	"	N. H. Savings Bank	150.00	12.55	6.49	5.00	14.04
1950	Sam. W. & Caroline Barney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	20.61	8.84	6.00	23.45
1950	Alpheus A. Howe	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	11.39	4.45	3.00	12.84
1950	Geo. L. & Ethel Aldrich	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	1.23	4.08	—	5.31
1951	Rufus H. Hill	"	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	6.76	4.25	3.00	8.01
1951	Wiseman Truell	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	5.91	2.24	—	8.15
1951	Henry Truell	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	5.91	2.24	—	8.15
1953	Harland W. - Grover Barney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	250.00	17.77	10.72	8.00	20.49
1953	Chas. and Ethel Cheney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	12.67	8.50	6.00	15.17
1957	Jarvis Barney	"	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	3.63	2.14	—	5.77
1957	Raynd & Walter Pendleton	"	N. H. Savings Bank	250.00	17.59	10.73	5.00	23.32
1958	Francis S. Carpenter	"	N. H. Savings Bank	250.00	13.42	10.57	5.00	18.99
1948	Eulalia I. Martin	"	Merriack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	16.92	4.71	3.00	18.63
1942	Ethel M. Hanscom	"	Merriack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	8.05	2.34	1.50	8.89
1942	John Valia	"	Merriack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	3.10	2.14	—	5.24

1942	John L. Sargent												
1943	Geo. S.-Cora M. & Dr. J. Sarah Barney	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	50.00	4.47	2.18	—	—	6.65			
1943	Charles P. Sargent	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	150.00	8.59	6.40	5.00	5.00	9.99			
1943	George L. Hall	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	50.00	2.76	2.11	—	—	4.87			
1944	Alice M. Dodge	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	200.00	22.08	8.98	6.00	6.00	25.06			
1944	Augustus G. Russell	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	6.37	4.29	3.00	3.00	7.66			
1945	Mina Bullock Stevens	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	7.78	4.33	3.00	3.00	9.11			
1946	Dean	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	6.62	4.29	3.00	3.00	7.91			
1946	H. Alvah Stevens	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	8.32	4.37	3.00	3.00	9.69			
1947	William Haskins	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	300.00	31.37	13.41	10.00	10.00	34.78			
1946	Geo. M. Flanders	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	14.18	4.61	3.00	3.00	15.79			
1946	Barney & Flanders	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	8.71	4.37	3.00	3.00	10.08			
1947	Geo. S. Sanders	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	2000.00	35.24	82.47	75.00	75.00	42.71			
1950	Guilford & Nancy Underhill	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	500.00	54.25	22.43	16.00	16.00	60.68			
1949	George S. Pierce	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	300.00	29.13	13.31	10.00	10.00	32.44			
1949	Jeremiah & Mary Whitney	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	50.00	2.71	2.11	—	—	4.82			
1949	Fred C. Davis	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	8.82	4.37	3.00	3.00	10.19			
1950	Fred W. Barney	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	8.77	4.37	3.00	3.00	10.14			
1950	Alfred & Mary Sleeper	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	1000.00	113.71	45.06	25.00	25.00	133.77			
1951	C. N. Howe	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	7.66	4.33	3.00	3.00	8.99			
1952	Jacob Blaauw	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	62.50	5.91	2.74	1.50	1.50	7.15			
1952	Flora E. & Edwin L. Sargent	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	200.00	12.20	8.58	6.00	6.00	14.78			
1954	Gage and Bucklin	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	200.00	10.09	8.50	6.00	6.00	12.59			
1955	Robert H. & Eva L. Heath	Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	100.00	5.25	4.25	3.00	3.00	6.50			
		Merri'ack	Co.	Sav. Bk.	200.00	17.40	8.78	6.00	6.00	20.18			

1934	Volana E. Kilton	Doctor	Amoskeag Sav. Bank.	5000.00	3408.07	339.68	—	3747.75
1934	Volana E. Kilton	"	Concord Savings Bank	5000.00	3697.49	358.74	—	4056.23
1934	Volana E. Kilton	"	Franklin Sav. Bank	5000.00	3384.16	338.70	—	3722.86
1934	Volana E. Kilton	"	Merick Co. Sav. Bk.	5000.00	3251.07	333.74	—	3594.81
1934	Volana E. Kilton	"	N. H. Savings Bank	5000.00	3507.27	343.68	—	3850.95
1900	Maria E. Martin	Church	Manchester Sav. Bank	513.65	39.97	22.48	—	62.45
1953	Walter G. Valia	Cemetery	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	1000.00	95.59	44.80	36.00	104.39
1957	Walter L. & Lizzie J. Braley	"	Amoskeag Sav. Bank	200.00	11.38	8.65	6.00	14.03
1960	Archie E. Seamans	Kilton Pd.	N. H. Sav. Bk.	90.00	—	1.83	—	1.83
1960	Capital Reserve Fund	Town Hall		1000.00	14.77	20.78	—	35.55
1960	Capital Reserve Fund			2000.00	29.56	41.58	—	71.14
1960	Pine Grove Cemetery Fund			100.00	2.94	4.12	—	7.06
				\$42,951.65	18,785.54	2,437.00	456.00	20,766.54

All the above funds yield interest at 4%.

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

DONALD S. FOWLER,
A. STUART GAGE,
MORRIS F. BRALEY
Trustees.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GRAFTON
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
June 30, 1961

DISTRICT OFFICERS

DONALD S. FOWLER	Moderator
DORIS H. FOWLER	Treasurer
LULA BENNETT	Clerk
LULA H. DEAN	Auditor

SCHOOL BOARD

MARION SEAMANS	Term expires 1962
RUTH PHILLIPS	Term expires 1963
B. JANE HOGUE	Term expires 1964

TEACHER

Mrs. Kara P. Childs	Grades 1-5
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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Edward H. Currier

SCHOOL NURSE

Rita H. Webster, R. N.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1962 - 63

Open Sept. 5	Close Dec. 21
Open Jan. 2	Close Feb. 15
Open Feb. 25	Close Apr. 19
Open Apr. 29	Close June 21

Days out: October 26, N. H. E. A. Convention; Nov. 22, 23, Thanksgiving; Memorial Day, May 30.

This schedule provides for 187 days but school will close at the end of 180 days. Days lost due to storms or emergencies must be made up.

Total number of days required by State Law is 180 with pupils in attendance.

Pupils must enter the first grade if six by September 30 and may enter if six by January 1.

Vaccination is required by state law unless child has written excuse from doctor.

FINANCIAL REPORT
 TREASURER'S REPORT
 FOR THE
 FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1961

SUMMARY:

Cash on Hand July 1, 1960		\$ 995.94
Received from Selectmen, Current		
Appropriation	\$19,291.82	
Received as Income from Trust Funds	10.00	
Received from all Other Sources	32.48	
Total Receipts		19,334.30
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		20,330.24
Less School Board Orders Paid		18,061.23
Balance on Hand June 30, 1961		\$ 2,269.01

DORIS H. FOWLER,
 Treasurer.

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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Grafton of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them correct in all respects.

LULA H. DEAN,  
 Auditor.

## SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORT

### RECEIPTS:

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| From Selectmen, current appropriation | \$19,291.82 |
| From Trust Funds                      | 10.00       |
| From All Other Sources                | 32.48       |
|                                       | <hr/>       |
| Total Receipts                        | \$19,334.30 |
| Cash on Hand June 30, 1960            | 995.94      |
|                                       | <hr/>       |
| Grand Total                           | \$20,330.24 |

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS:

|                              |       |           |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| Marion Seamans, school board | 75.00 |           |
| Ruth Phillips, school board  | 50.00 |           |
| A. Stuart Gage, school board | 50.00 |           |
| Doris Fowler, Treasurer      | 35.00 |           |
| Donald Fowler, moderator     | 2.00  |           |
| Lula Dean, Auditor and Clerk | 10.00 |           |
|                              |       | \$ 222.00 |

### SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY:

|                         |  |        |
|-------------------------|--|--------|
| Supervisory Union No. 4 |  | 173.92 |
|-------------------------|--|--------|

### TAX FOR STATE WIDE SUPERVISION:

|                              |  |        |
|------------------------------|--|--------|
| Alfred S. Clouse, Treasurer. |  | 116.00 |
|------------------------------|--|--------|

### SALARIES OF OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL:

|                                                |        |        |
|------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| C. Lawrence Gove, truant officer and<br>census | 20.00  |        |
| Supervisory Union No. 4, clerk's salary        | 111.19 |        |
|                                                |        | 131.19 |

### SUPPLIES AND OTHER EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION:

|                                        |        |  |
|----------------------------------------|--------|--|
| The Journal Transcript                 | 6.00   |  |
| N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.        | 43.05  |  |
| Ruth Phillips                          | 1.50   |  |
| Jane Hogue                             | 3.30   |  |
| Marion Seamans                         | 13.74  |  |
| N. H. School Boards Association        | 5.00   |  |
| Doris Fowler                           | .86    |  |
| N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare          | 1.00   |  |
| Music Educators Association            | 5.00   |  |
| Supervisory Union 4, share of expenses | 128.37 |  |
| The Reporter Press                     | 12.60  |  |



220.42

TEACHER'S SALARIES:

|                                           |          |
|-------------------------------------------|----------|
| Martha Ford                               | 3,019.90 |
| Lula Dean                                 | 421.54   |
| Florence Jones                            | 25.00    |
| Director of Internal Revenue              | 516.60   |
| Alfred S. Clouse, Treas., social security | 126.41   |
| N. H. Teachers Retirement System          | 144.30   |

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4,253.75

TEXTBOOKS:

|                                  |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Silver Burdett Company           | 10.75 |
| Martin & Murray Corp.            | 91.68 |
| Golden Press, Inc.               | 15.49 |
| American Book Co.                | 17.91 |
| Webster Publishing Co.           | 7.19  |
| Ginn & Co.                       | 14.27 |
| McCormick-Mathers Pub. Co., Inc. | 5.19  |

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162.48

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES:

|                                 |       |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Houghton Mifflin Co.            | 34.94 |
| American Education Publications | 19.00 |
| Bristol School District         | 5.90  |
| Children's Press, Inc.          | 3.38  |
| Cardigan Sport Store            | 1.35  |
| Supervisory Union No. 4         | 18.49 |
| Silver Burdett Co.              | 42.49 |
| Row, Peterson & Co.             | 7.03  |
| J. L. Hammett Co.               | 11.76 |
| Mainco Trading Co.              | 25.67 |

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170.01

SUPPLIES & OTHER EXPENSES OF  
INSTRUCTION:

Supervisory Union No. 4, flags 7.20

JANITORS' SALARIES:

Mildred Runyan 165.00  
Earl Chellis 199.00

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364.00

FUEL:

Canaan Oil Co. 392.28

WATER, LIGHT, JANITOR'S SUPPLIES AND  
EXPENSES:

Public Service Co. of N. H. 153.97  
West Chemical Products, Inc. 28.05  
White River Paper Co. 15.05  
Bristol School District 7.75  
Earl Chellis 14.14

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218.96

REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS:

Hazen Lumber Co. 9.00  
E. W. Brewster, roofing 3.35  
R. P. Johnson & Son, supplies 42.25  
A. S. Gage, labor 5.00  
Donald S. Fowler, labor 20.09  
Leslie Seamans, labor 40.20  
Myrtle Hackeman, cleaning 35.00  
Thomas Neill, repairs and painting 259.75  
Mildred Runyan, repairs 8.00  
Greenwood Plumbing Co. 57.70  
Harold Holt, trucking 2.50  
G. W. Tucker, repairs 14.00

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496.84

HEALTH SUPERVISION:

|                                         |       |
|-----------------------------------------|-------|
| Supervisory Union No. 4, nurse's salary | 89.03 |
|-----------------------------------------|-------|

TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS:

|                    |          |
|--------------------|----------|
| C. Lawrence Gove   | 3,500.00 |
| Freeman O. Johnson | 1,200.00 |
| J. Frank DesRoches | 76.80    |
| Roy Wright         | 68.00    |
|                    | <hr/>    |
|                    | 4,844.80 |

TUITION, HIGH SCHOOL:

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Canaan School District     | 180.56   |
| Enfield School District    | 399.00   |
| Bristol School District    | 2,030.52 |
| New London School District | 156.91   |
|                            | <hr/>    |
|                            | 2,766.99 |

TUITION, ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

|                             |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Canaan School District      | 529.04   |
| Bristol School District     | 1,225.86 |
| New London School District  | 210.00   |
| Springfield School District | 1,000.00 |
|                             | <hr/>    |
|                             | 2,964.90 |

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

|                               |       |
|-------------------------------|-------|
| C. Lawrence Gove, school trip | 25.00 |
|-------------------------------|-------|

INSURANCE AND OTHER FIXED CHARGES:

|                                    |       |
|------------------------------------|-------|
| A. Stuart Gage, Insurance          | 66.99 |
| Mildred S. Braley, permit and bond | 9.50  |
|                                    | <hr/> |
|                                    | 76.49 |

NEW EQUIPMENT:

|                                         |       |
|-----------------------------------------|-------|
| Supervisory Union No. 4, share of vault | 28.99 |
| Beckley Cardy Co.                       | 10.24 |

|                                                                                       |        |                      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|----------------------|
| Creative Playthings, Inc.                                                             | 44.48  |                      |
|                                                                                       | <hr/>  | 83.71                |
| RETIREMENT:                                                                           |        |                      |
| Alfred S. Cloues, Treas., Social Security                                             | 75.85  |                      |
| N. H. Teachers Retirement System                                                      | 187.22 |                      |
| Supervisory Union No. 4, retirement and<br>Social Security for nurse, supt. and clerk | 18.19  |                      |
|                                                                                       | <hr/>  | 281.26               |
| Total Expenditures                                                                    |        | <hr/><br>\$18,061.23 |

### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

MARION SEAMANS

RUTH PHILLIPS

B. JANE HOGUE

School Board

## GENERAL STATISTICS

| Grades    | Enrollment by Grades |    |   |   |   |   | Total |
|-----------|----------------------|----|---|---|---|---|-------|
|           | 1                    | 2  | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |       |
| 1960 - 61 | 4                    | 10 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 32    |
| Dec.      |                      |    |   |   |   |   |       |

## DISTRICT TOTALS

|           | Av. Attend. | Av. Abs. | Av. Memb. | % At'd |
|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|--------|
| 1960-1961 | 27.6        | 1.9      | 29.5      | 93.5   |
| 1961-62   |             |          |           |        |
| Dec.      | 22.3        | .7       | 23.0      | 97.0   |

## TUITION PUPILS

|                                           |         |
|-------------------------------------------|---------|
| Bristol Elementary School — Rate \$256.00 |         |
| Bruce Dimond                              | " 6     |
| Frederick Duefield                        | " 6     |
| Irene Guaraldi                            | " 6     |
| Leo Hill (part of year)                   | " 6     |
| Patricia Hill (part of year)              | " 6     |
| Donna Bocash                              | " 7     |
| Harold Duefield                           | " 7     |
| Pauline Scales                            | " 7     |
| John Patterson                            | " 8     |
| Barbara Scales                            | " 8     |
| Lillian Shaw                              | " 8     |
| Bristol High School — Rate \$436.00       |         |
| Priscilla Carr                            | " 9     |
| Leonard Guaraldi                          | " 9     |
| Laura Belloir                             | " 11    |
| Nancy Gove                                | " 11    |
| Ralph Gove                                | " 12    |
| Bette Mortensen                           | " 12    |
| Canaan Elementary School — Rate \$194.00  |         |
| Michael O'Dougherty                       | Grade 8 |

|                                           |         |
|-------------------------------------------|---------|
| Canaan High School — Rate \$364.00        |         |
| Patrick O'Dougherty                       | ” 9     |
| Joseph Hill (part of year)                | ” 9     |
| Enfield Elementary School — Rate \$262.00 |         |
| Theresa Burpee                            | Grade 1 |
| Ronald Burpee                             | ” 2     |
| Constance Burpee                          | ” 3     |
| Howard Seamans                            | ” 3     |
| George Burpee                             | ” 4     |
| Elinor Seamans                            | ” 6     |
| Alan Seamans                              | ” 7     |
| Anita Seamans                             | ” 8     |
| Enfield High School — Rate \$436.00       |         |
| Thomas Seamans                            | ” 9     |
| Sandra Seamans                            | ” 11    |
| Lois Johnson                              | ” 12    |

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

The District is facing the need for a deficiency appropriation, in spite of having a contingency fund to use for emergencies. Elementary school tuitions, and transportation, are running far ahead of what was anticipated a year ago. These variables are difficult to anticipate, as the addition of one family for tuition purposes can wreck a well planned budget. These are the same items which will largely account for the increase in the estimated budget for the coming year.

It is becoming increasingly more difficult to obtain teachers for schools like the one in East Grafton. There are many openings in larger schools for teachers in single grade classrooms, and usually for more money than the towns can afford, that new teachers will not consider working in a multi-grade school. The experienced teachers also can accept positions in larger schools, provided that they are free to move from one town to another. Perhaps this problem will be solved for the future as a result of the cooperative school study. The plans to date would seem to offer much better educational opportunities for the pupils in the area.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward H. Currier, Supt.

SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 4 BUDGET 1960 - 61

| District     | Nurse            | Travel           | Office           | Clerk            | Conv.           | Supt.            | Travel           | Vault           | Total             |
|--------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Alexandria   | 109.82           | 66.40            | 25.54            | 137.15           | 5.11            | 214.54           | 61.30            | 35.76           | 655.62            |
| Bridgewater  | 199.18           | 120.43           | 46.32            | 248.74           | 9.26            | 389.09           | 111.17           | 64.85           | 1189.04           |
| Bristol      | 846.91           | 512.08           | 196.95           | 1057.65          | 39.39           | 1654.42          | 472.69           | 275.74          | 5055.83           |
| Canaan       | 602.41           | 364.25           | 140.09           | 752.31           | 28.02           | 1176.80          | 336.23           | 196.13          | 3596.24           |
| Danbury      | 124.40           | 75.22            | 28.93            | 155.35           | 5.79            | 243.01           | 69.43            | 40.50           | 742.63            |
| Grafton      | 89.03            | 53.83            | 20.71            | 111.19           | 4.14            | 173.92           | 49.69            | 28.99           | 531.50            |
| Groton       | 52.68            | 31.85            | 12.25            | 65.78            | 2.45            | 102.90           | 29.40            | 17.15           | 314.46            |
| Hebron       | 107.60           | 65.07            | 25.03            | 134.38           | 5.01            | 210.21           | 60.06            | 35.03           | 642.39            |
| Orange       | 17.97            | 10.87            | 4.18             | 22.45            | .83             | 35.11            | 10.03            | 5.85            | 107.29            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>\$2150.00</b> | <b>\$1300.00</b> | <b>\$ 500.00</b> | <b>\$2685.00</b> | <b>\$100.00</b> | <b>\$4200.00</b> | <b>\$1200.00</b> | <b>\$700.00</b> | <b>\$12835.00</b> |
|              |                  |                  |                  |                  | State's share   | 4000.00          |                  |                 |                   |
|              |                  |                  |                  |                  |                 | <u>8200.00</u>   |                  |                 |                   |





# Grafton School District Budget — 1962 - 63

## EXPENDITURES ITEM

|                                                  | Actual    |           | Act. Exp.    |           | Sch. Bd. Bud. Com. |           |
|--------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|
|                                                  | Expend's  | Adopted   | July 1, to   | Budget    | 1962-63            | Budget    |
|                                                  | 1960-61   | 1961-62   | Dec. 31, '61 | 1962-63   | 1962-63            | 1962-63   |
| <b>Administration</b>                            |           |           |              |           |                    |           |
| Salaries of district officers                    | \$ 222.00 | \$ 237.00 | \$ 231.00    | \$ 237.00 | \$ 237.00          | \$ 237.00 |
| Supt.'s salary (local share)                     | 173.92    | 191.82    | 191.82       | 154.66    | 154.66             | 154.66    |
| Tax for state wide supervision                   | 116.00    | 122.00    | 122.00       | 116.00    | 116.00             | 116.00    |
| Salaries of other administrative personnel       | 131.19    | 133.22    | 138.22       | 163.87    | 163.87             | 163.87    |
| Supplies and expenses                            | 220.42    | 200.00    | 199.07       | 200.00    | 200.00             | 200.00    |
| <b>Instruction</b>                               |           |           |              |           |                    |           |
| Elementary teacher's salary                      | 4,253.75  | 3,750.00  | 1,109.87     | 4,000.00  | 4,000.00           | 4,000.00  |
| Books and other instruction aids, elementary     | 162.48    | 150.00    |              | 150.00    | 150.00             | 150.00    |
| Scholars' supplies, elementary                   | 170.01    | 150.00    | 3.93         | 150.00    | 150.00             | 150.00    |
| Supplies and other expenses, elementary          | 7.20      | 10.00     |              | 10.00     | 10.00              | 10.00     |
| <b>Operation of School Plant</b>                 |           |           |              |           |                    |           |
| Salaries of custodians, elementary               | 384.00    | 375.00    | 194.00       | 375.00    | 375.00             | 375.00    |
| Fuel or heat, elementary                         | 392.28    | 350.00    | 74.44        | 400.00    | 400.00             | 400.00    |
| Water, light, supplies and expenses, elem.       | 218.96    | 200.00    | 85.55        | 225.00    | 225.00             | 225.00    |
| <b>Maintenance of School Plant</b>               |           |           |              |           |                    |           |
| Repairs and replacements, elementary             | 496.84    | 300.00    | 73.40        | 300.00    | 300.00             | 300.00    |
| <b>Auxiliary Activities</b>                      |           |           |              |           |                    |           |
| Health supervision, elementary                   | 89.03     | 93.82     | 93.82        | 100.64    | 100.64             | 100.64    |
| Transportation, elementary                       | 4,844.80  | 4,844.00  | 2,160.00     | 5,350.00  | 5,350.00           | 5,350.00  |
| Tuition, high                                    | 2,766.99  | 5,148.00  | 2,326.00     | 5,653.00  | 5,653.00           | 5,653.00  |
| Tuition, elementary                              | 2,964.90  | 2,816.00  | 1,985.64     | 4,600.00  | 4,600.00           | 4,600.00  |
| Special activities and special funds, elementary | 25.00     | 25.00     |              | 25.00     | 25.00              | 25.00     |
| <b>Fixed Charges</b>                             |           |           |              |           |                    |           |
| Retirement & Social Security, elementary         | 281.26    | 285.00    | 4.07         | 300.00    | 300.00             | 300.00    |

Insurance, treas., bonds and expenses, elem.  
Contingency Fund

**TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES**

**Capital Outlay**

New Equipment, elementary  
Total Capital Outlay  
Budget Deficiency

|             |             |             |             |             |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| 76.49       | 71.66       | 66.68       | 130.66      | 130.66      |
|             | 600.00      |             | 600.00      | 600.00      |
| \$17,977.52 | \$20,052.52 | \$9,059.51  | \$23,240.83 | \$23,240.83 |
| 83.71       | 94.00       |             | 100.00      | 100.00      |
| 83.71       | 94.00       |             | 100.00      | 100.00      |
|             |             | 2,000.00    | 2,000.00    | 2,000.00    |
| \$18,061.23 | \$20,146.52 | \$ 9,059.51 | \$23,340.83 | \$23,340.83 |

**TOTAL EXPENDITURES OR SCH. APPROP.**

| Actual<br>Expend's<br>1960-61 | Adopted<br>Budget<br>1961-62 | Actual<br>Expend's<br>July 1 to<br>Dec. 31, 1961 | Sch. Brd.<br>Budget<br>1962-63 | Bud. Com.<br>Budget<br>1962-63 |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 995.94                        | 2,269.01                     | 2,269.01                                         |                                |                                |
|                               | 47.00                        |                                                  |                                |                                |
| 10.00                         | 10.00                        | 10.00                                            | 10.00                          | 10.00                          |
| 32.48                         |                              |                                                  |                                |                                |

**RECEIPTS**

**ITEM**  
\* Balance (actual or estimated)  
Federal aid  
Trust funds  
Other

|            |             |             |           |           |
|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| \$1,038.42 | \$ 2,326.01 | \$ 2,279.01 | \$ 10.00  | \$ 10.00  |
| 19,291.82  | 17,820.51   | 17,820.51   | 23,330.83 | 23,330.83 |
| 20,330.24  | 20,146.52   | 20,099.52   | 23,340.83 | 23,340.83 |

**TOT. REC'TS OTHER THAN PROP. TAXES**

Dist. Assess'nt Raised or to be Raised by Prop. Taxes


**TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED BY SCH. DIST**

February 19, 1962.

MORRIS F. BRALEY  
GROVER W. BRALEY  
A. STUART GAGE  
JOHN F. KUSTER  
MARION E. SEAMANS  
Budget Committee

# Warrant For School Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



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

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said district on the 13th day of March 1962, at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2000) the same to be made available during the current fiscal year. (Recommended by Budget Committee)

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

Given under our hands at said Grafton this 16th day of February 1962

MARION SEAMANS  
RUTH PHILLIPS  
B. JANE HOGUE

School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

MARION SEAMANS  
RUTH PHILLIPS  
B. JANE HOGUE

School Board

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