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The Town and School District of



Newfields

New Hampshire

For the Financial Year ending December 31, 1976



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TOWN OF NEWFIELDS
NEW HAMPSHIRE
for the
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TOWN OFFICERS
as of January 1, 1977

Selectmen

Mary B. Hallinan (772-4687)	Chm.	Term expires March 1977
Robert E. Nixon (772-4547)		Term expires March 1978
Alfred Conner, Jr. (772-3376)		Term expires March 1979

Town Clerk

Elizabeth Hankin		Term expires March 1978
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Treasurer

David Collinge		Term expires March 1977
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Highway Agent

Walter T. Cronshaw		Term expires March 1977
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Moderator

George J. Shaw, Jr.

Trustees of Trust Funds

Clarence H. Rumford		Term expires March 1977
Margaret M. Plumer		Term expires March 1978
O. Kent Lawrence		Term expires March 1979

Library Trustees

Catherine F. Barron		Term expires March 1977
Alfred Conner, Jr.		Term expires March 1978
James Ryan		Term expires March 1979

School Board

Charles G. Mixter III,	Chm.	Term expires March 1977
Raymond LaBranche		Term expires March 1978
Lynne P. Sweet		Term expires March 1979

Tax Collector

Ruth Holmwood (778-8887)		Term expires March 1979
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Fire Department (778-8321)

Ernest C. Chick, Chief (772-3557)

Auditor

Books audited by Joseph J. Giorani, CPA

Supervisors of Checklists

Pearl W. Stetson	Edna M. Buxton	Harriet M. Knipstein
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Water Extension Committee

The Water Commissioners		The Board of Selectmen
Theodore Nelson	Ernest C. Chick	David Peaslee

Police Department
772-4716

Peter A. Bond, Chief
John Meaney

Edward M. Roberts
John Flanders

Mary B. Hallinan, Matron

Health Officer
Ray Buxton, Jr.

Budget Committee

George J. Shaw, Chm.
Mary B. Hallinan
Theodore Nelson
James F. Hayden

William C. Tebo

Charles G. Mixer III
Herbert Grant
Clarence H. Rumford
Austin McHugh, Jr.

Measurer of Wood
Dwight Sharp
Planning Board

Thomas R. Hackett, Chm.
David Lightfoot
Reginald H. Sharp
David Sweet

Term expires March 1980
Term expires March 1977
Term expires March 1978
Term expires March 1979

Mary B. Hallinan
Board of Adjustment

Lawrence S. Bond, Acting Chm.
George J. Shaw
Theodore Nelson
David Sweet
Paul Cameron
Catherine Barron (alternate)
Lester Plumer (alternate)
Margaret Lawrence (alternate)
Austin McHugh, Jr. (alternate)
Jared Rumford (alternate)

Term expires March 1977
Term expires March 1978
Term expires March 1979
Term expires March 1980
Term expires March 1981
Term expires March 1977
Term expires March 1978
Term expires March 1979
Term expires March 1980
Term expires March 1981

Building Inspector
Ray Buxton, Jr.

Water Commissioners

Arnold Kenneson, Chm.
Reginald Sharp
Norman Rollins

Term expires March 1977
Term expires March 1978
Term expires March 1979

Conservation Committee

Allen Taylor, Chm.
Elizabeth Kittredge
Kent Lawrence
Pauline Cronshaw
Patricia Clinansmith
Elizabeth Hull
Brian Knipstein

Term expires March 1977
Term expires March 1978
Term expires March 1979
Term expires March 1980
Term expires March 1981
Term expires March 1982
Term expires March 1983

Sidewalk Committee

William Dawson, Chm.
Paul Cameron

Lester Plumer

Linda Jordan
Alfred Conner, Jr.

Mosquito Control Committee
Barbara Nelson, Chm.
Cecil Schneeer

Donna Roe

Bicentennial Committee
Nancy Taylor }
Barbara Hayden } Co-chairpersons
Thomas Conner
Gladys Chick Robert Nixon

Barbara Hallinan
Margery Brooke
Ray Buxton, Jr.
Reginald Sharp

Monument & Bell Committee
Dana Hull, Chairman
Clarence Rumford Robert Nixon

Marie Finn
Dwight Sharp

Town Landing Committee
Dana Hull, Chairman
Lyle Clinansmith

David Peaslee
Allen Taylor

Newfields Village Sewer District

Commissioners
Ray Buxton, Jr.
Ross V. Glass, Acting Chairman

Term expires March 1977
Term expires March 1978

Clerk
Mary B. Hallinan
Treasurer
Penelope Lightfoot
Moderator
George J. Shaw

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The Selectmen, on behalf of the Townspeople, wish to express
thanks to the Bicentennial Committee and all others who
helped to make our Country's 200th birthday such a success.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
TOWN WARRANT

To the INhabitants of the Town of Newfields, in the County of Rockingh , in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Newfields on Tuesday the eighth (8th) day of March next, at two o'clock in the afternoon until nine o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

(Business meeting to be held at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening.)

1. To choose all necessary Town and School District Officers for the ensuing term.
2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and authorize the withdrawal from Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as setoffs against budgeted appropriations for the following specific purposes and in amounts indicated herewith or take any other action hereon:

<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>AmountEstimated</u>
Police Dept.	\$ 1,500.00
Fire Dept.	1,500.00
Town Dump	1,524.00
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	\$ 4,524.00

3. To raise and appropriate such sums as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.
4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, in case of disaster, to apply for, contract for, receive and expend Federal Funds for disaster relief.
5. To see if the Town will grant a discount of 2% on taxes paid in full thirty days after the taxes are committed to the Collector.
6. To see if the voters will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate of \$80,000.00 in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town negotiable notes therefore, said notes to be repaid during the current municipal year from taxes collected within the current municipal year.
7. To see what action the Town will take relative to the authorization of the sale of real estate held oracquiredby the Town on account of purchase at tax sale.
8. To see what action the Town will take toward the acceptance of reports of Town Officers as printed in the Town Reports.
9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Water Commissioners, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of revenue.
10. To see what sum the Town will appropriate from the Albert H. Varney Bequest for a placque as a memorial to said Albert H. Varney.

11. On the petition of Nancy Matthews and eleven (11) others to see if the Town will vote to adopt the following article: "Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:43-b and 43-c for expanded exemptions on real estate which provides for a resident sixty-five years of age up to seventy-five, a five thousand dollar exemption; a resident seventy-five years of age up to eighty, a ten thousand dollar exemption; a resident eighty years of age or older, a twenty thousand dollar exemption, provided that the resident owns the real estate individually or jointly with another of his spouse with whom he has been living for at least five years as man and wife; said resident had a net income of less than seven thousand dollars or combined income with spouse of less than nine thousand dollars; and owns assets of any kind, tangible or intangible, less bonafide encumbrances, not in excess of thirty-five thousand dollars?"
12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not to exceed fifty-three hundred dollars (\$5300.00) for a salt spreader.
13. On petition of Margery P. Brooke and twelve (12) others to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of sixty dollars (\$60.00) to reimburse, in part, Rockingham Child and Family Services, a private, non-profit organization, for services rendered to six families in the Town of Newfields during the 1976 calendar year.
14. Whereas the Town of Durham, in cooperation with the University of New Hampshire in response to an expressed interest of the Selectmen of its neighboring towns in a joint Solid Waste Disposal Program, has proposed a feasibility study estimated to cost \$20,000.00 for the construction of Incineration facilities in Durham to accommodate a limited regional Solid Waste Disposal Program. The feasibility study to be initiated following approval at the March 1977 Town Meetings, with a report to be completed with recommendations for further action to be presented to the participating towns at their 1978 Town Meetings. To fully cooperate with the Town of Durham and the University of New Hampshire, be it resolved that the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to cooperate with the Town of Durham in its Regional Incineration Feasibility Study and to raise and appropriate the sum of nine hundred and twenty-one dollars and seventy-four cents (\$921.74) as its share of the cost of the study.
15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for the work of the Newmarket Health Center. The Health Center in turn will be able to request matching funds at a ratio of \$3.00 for every \$1.00 appropriated by the Town.
16. To see what the Town will vote to do with the unexpended Bicentennial Funds.
17. To see if the Town wishes to exclude from its Social Security plan services performed by election officials or election workers for each calendar quarter in which remuneration paid for such services is less than \$50.00.

18. To see what sum the Town will appropriate from the Albert H. Varney Fund for further water studies.
19. To see if the Town will vote to reclassify Old Lee Road from the home of Robert LaBranche to the home of Dennis Lapham to a class V highway.
20. If the above article is passed, to see if the Town will reopen and maintain this portion of Old Lee Road.
21. To see if the Town will vote to accept the proposed changes to the Town's Building and Zoning Ordinances as follows: (Said changes to be voted on by ballot at the Town Meeting)

Zoning Ordinances

1. Zone Industrial a triangular area bounded on the northwest and Eastern sides by the B. & M. Railroad and on the Southern side by land of the Society for the Preservation of W.H. Forests with the apex of the triangle at Rockingham Junction; the area to include part of the Industrial Zone.
2. Rezone Residential-Agricultural the remainder of the present Industrial Zone on each side of the B. & M. tracks northwest of Rockingham Junction (Concord track).
3. Rezone Residential-Agricultural the present Industrial Zone along the westerly division of the B. & M. south of Newfields between the land of the Newfields Building Corporation and the Exeter-Newfields boundary.
4. Rezone Residential-Agricultural the present Commercial Zone on the East side of Route 108.
5. Delete Section 1.4.4 in the present Zoning Ordinance which now reads "Any non-conforming lot may be built upon subject to satisfying the provisions of the Zoning Ordinance excepting when the lot owners on the date of the amendment (3/7/72 have an interest in adjoining property which could be combined with said lot so as to create a conforming lot in which case such adjoining property shall be combined with said lot so as to create a conforming, or more conforming lot."

Building Ordinances

6. Delete Article I, Section 2, Sub-section B (2) which now reads: "The owner shall furnish a statement from the local area or state board of health that the lot is capable of adequate sewage disposal"; and substitute "The owner shall furnish a statement from the State Board of Health that the lot meets the minimum standard requirements."
7. All test pits and percolation tests shall be performed in the presence of a qualified test pit inspector approved by the Selectmen. After installation the septic system must also be approved by the same official before it is covered over. A fee will be charged, and returnable to the inspector, and shall constitute payment in full for his services.

8. The bottom of the tile in a proposed leaching bed or trench and the floor of a leaching cesspool or leaching bed shall be a minimum of four (4) feet above the seasonal high water table. Fill may not be added to meet this requirement.
 9. The bottom of the tile in a proposed leaching bed or trench and the floor of a leaching cesspool or leaching bed shall be a minimum of eight (8) feet above the top of any hardpan or impervious layer. Fill may be added to meet this requirement.
 10. No building of any kind shall be placed on soil which has a seasonal high water table at the natural ground surface or within two feet of the natural ground surface, as judged by the approved inspector as specified in (7). Fill may not be added to meet this requirement.
 11. Any soil with a percolation rate of over thirty (30) minutes per inch shall not be used for the disposal of septic tank effluent. Fill may not be added to meet this requirement.
 12. A building permit will not be necessary for any person or persons making structural alterations to existing buildings, or for any new structure providing said alterations or new structure does not exceed \$500.00 in cost.
22. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and seventy-seven.

Wm B. Hallinan
Robert E. Nixon
Alfred Conner Jr.
Selectmen of Newfields

A true copy of Warrant - Attest

Wm B. Hallinan
Robert E. Nixon
Alfred Conner Jr.
Selectmen of Newfields

SECTION I		APPROPRIATIONS		ACTUAL		APPROPRIATIONS	
PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION		PREVIOUS		EXPENDITURES		ENSUING	
		FISCAL YEAR		PREVIOUS		FISCAL YEAR	
				FISCAL YEAR		1977	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:						(1977-78)	
Town Officers' Salaries		3,750	00	3,810	00	3,850	00
Town Officers' Expenses		4,000	00	3,669	58	4,000	00
Election & Registration Expenses		675	00	755	50	325	00
Municipal & District Court Expenses							
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings		1,750	00	2,453	73	2,000	00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security		500	00	312	56	700	00
Contingency Fund							
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY							
Hydrant Rental		1,000	00	1,000	00	1,000	00
Police Department (Net \$6,596.58)		6,000	00	9,128	85	6,000	00
Fire Department (Net \$3,333.95)		3,000	00	3,556	08	3,000	00
Care of Trees		400	00	598	00	400	00
Insurance		3,200	00	3,365	40	3,400	00
Planning & Zoning		150	00	39	00	200	00
Damages & Legal Expense						3,500	00
Civil Defense		50	00	0		50	00
HEALTH DEPT. (Incl. Hospitals & Ambulance)		30	00	25	00	30	00
Vital Statistics		20	00	11	00	20	00
Senior Citizens Visiting Nurse Association		875	00	875	00	875	00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal (Net \$5,000.00)		5,000	00	5,288	70	5,500	00
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:							
Town Maintenance - Summer & Winter		14,500	00	18,046	10	17,500	00
Street Lighting		5,200	00	4,991	91	5,200	00
General Expenses of Highway Department		900	00	412	14	900	00
Town Road Aid		133	94	133	94	135	66
LIBRARIES:		2,500	00	2,776	91	2,870	00
PUBLIC WELFARE:							
Town Poor		500	00	30	00	500	00
Old Age Assistance		500	00	218	25	500	00
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled		500	00	539	50	550	00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES (Memorial Day, Etc.)		25	00	110	95	75	00
RECREATION		275	00	269	24	300	00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:							
Municipal Water-Electric Utilities							
Cemeteries		350	00	643	75	500	00
Airports							
Advertising & Regional Associations							
DEBT SERVICE: Temporary Loans							
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds		6,566	66	55,000	00		
Interest - Long Term Notes & Bonds		530	42	6,566	66	4,066	66
Interest on Temporary Loans		200	00	530	42	203	33
CAPITAL OUTLAY (List Below):							
Bicentennial Committee		2,817	74	342	51	350	00
Veteran's Monument		1,800	00				
Water Extension & Test Wells		30,000	00	15,141	10		
CETA - Summer Program		1,000	00	0		1,000	00
Isabel Paul Cemetery Trust		200	00	200	00	200	00
Seacoast Counselling		100	00	100	00	100	00
Greater Exeter Area Group Home		500	00	0		500	00
Regional Planning		498	60	481	20	507	00
Mosquito Control		2,366	00	2,341	94	3,266	00
Payroll & Capital Reserve Funds Trust Funds				50	00		
Taxes Bought by Town				8,327	95		
Federal Tax Withheld				251	25		
Refunds				78	00		
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS		102,412	96	157,108	59	74,592	65

SECTION II SOURCES OF REVENUE	ESTIMATED REVENUE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR		ACTUAL REVENUE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR		ESTIMATED REVENUE ENSUING FISCAL YEAR 1977 (1977-78)	
FROM STATE:						
Interest & Dividends Tax	7,800	00	7,381	54	7,300	00
Railroad Tax						
Savings Bank Tax	790	00	859	66	860	00
Meals & Rooms Tax	4,900	00	5,627	48	5,600	00
State Aid - Water Pollution Projects						
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V)	4,004	61	4,004	61	4,005	04
Reimbursement Forest Conservation Aid						
Reimbursement A/C Flood Control Land						
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	5,828	00	5,828	00	6,119	00
Bounties			2	00		
N.H. Bicentennial Commission			1,000	00		
FROM LOCAL SOURCES:						
Dog Licenses & Fees	390	00	400	44	380	00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	5	00	5	00	5	00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,200	00	14,297	44	10,200	00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	1,600	00	2,187	07	1,600	00
Income from Trust Funds	2,750	00	3,084	88	3,000	00
Withdrawal Capital Reserve Funds						
Parking & Motor Vehicle Trust Funds	30,000	00				
Fines & Forfeits - Municipal & District Court						
National Bank Stock Taxes	26	00	26	00	26	00
Resident Taxes Retained & Penalties	4,200	00	5,304	00	4,700	00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed						
Rent of Town Property						
Sale of Town Property			60	00		
Income from Deposits Yield Tax Deposit			30	00		
CRTA	1,000	00			1,000	00
Trust Funds			14,211	40		
Income from Municipal Utilities						
Bond & Note Issues (Contra) Temporary Loans			55,000	00		
Donation			25	00		
SURPLUS			15,000	00		
FROM FEDERAL SOURCES:						
Revenue Sharing & Interest	6,042	00	5,785	02	4,524	00
Refunds			3,556	15		
* TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	79,535	61	143,625	69	49,319	04
*AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	22,877	35	13,432	90	25,273	61
TOTAL REVENUES	102,412	96	157,108	59	74,592	65

* Total estimated "Revenues from all sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total Appropriations Ensuing Fiscal Year gives "Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes".

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF Newfields, N. H.

THIS BUDGET MUST BE POSTED WITH THE TOWN WARRANT

INVENTORY
April 1, 1976

Land	\$ 801,405.00
Buildings	3,000,482.00
Factory Buildings	860,450.00
Electric Plants	100,000.00
10 Trailers used as dwellings	33,845.00
16 Boats and Launches	2,555.00
	<u>\$ 4,798,737.00</u>
Less Elderly Exemptions - 12	25,800.00
	<u>4,772,937.00</u>
Tax Rate \$5.34 per \$100.00 Valuation (Town \$0.36; County \$0.31; School \$4.67)	
Gross Property Taxes	\$ 254,874.84
Less - War Service Exemptions	5,835.46
Property Tax	<u>\$ 249,039.38</u>
National Bank Taxes	26.00
	<u>\$ 249,065.38</u>
Yield Tax	0.00
	<u>\$ 249,065.38</u>
Resident Taxes	4,640.00
	<u>\$ 252,705.38</u>

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS, 1976

Town Officers' Salaries	\$	3,750.00
Town Officers' Expenses		4,000.00
Election Registration Expenses		675.00
Town Hall and Building Maintenance		1,750.00
Social Security and Retirement Contributions		500.00
Police Department		6,000.00
Fire Department		3,000.00
Care of Trees		400.00
Insurance		3,200.00
Planning and Zoning		150.00
Civilian Defense		50.00
Health Department		30.00
Vital Statistics		20.00
Dump		5,000.00
Town Maintenance - Summer		9,500.00
Winter		5,000.00
Street Lighting		5,200.00
General Expenses of Highway Department		900.00
Town Road Aid		133.94
Libraries		2,500.00
Old Age Assistance		500.00
A P T D		500.00
Town Poor		500.00
Memorial Day		75.00
Parks and Playgrounds		275.00
Cemeteries		350.00
Regional Planning		498.60
Payment on Debt:		
Principal, \$6,566.66; Interest, \$730.42		7,297.08
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center		100.00
Hydrant Rental		1,000.00
Visiting Nurse Association		875.00
County Tax		16,746.51
Korean & Vietnam Memorial		1,800.00
Capital Outlay		30,000.00
Bicentennial Committee		2,817.34
CETA - Summer Program		1,000.00
School Tax		246,790.18
Isabel Paul Cemetery Trust		200.00
Greater Exeter Area Group Home		500.00
Mosquito Control		2,366.00
War Service Tax Credits		5,835.46
Overlay		6,362.01
	\$	<u>378,147.12</u>

LIST OF APPROPRIATIONS, 1976 (Cont'd)

Total appropriations (preceding page)	\$ 378,147.12
Less Total Revenue and Credits	<u>91,689.28</u>
Gross Revenue and Credits	\$ 286,457.84
Less War Service Tax Credits	<u>5,835.46</u>
	\$ 280,622.38
Less Total Business Profits Tax Reimbursements	<u>31,583.00</u>
	\$ 249,039.38

STATEMENT OF LONG TERM DEBT as of December 31, 1976

	Note #4 1974 Fire ^{5%} Dept.	Total Amount Maturities
Maturities		
1977	\$ 4,066.66	\$ 4,066.66

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Old Fire House	\$	1,900.00
Revolutionary Park		50.00
Badger Park		300.00
Town Hall		39,250.00
Furniture and Equipment		2,300.00
Library, land and building		37,450.00
Library, furniture and equipment		8,000.00
Fire Department, land and buildings		11,000.00
Fire Department equipment		45,455.00
Highway equipment		1,685.00
School equipment		6,500.00
Schoolhouse and land		94,900.00
D. S. Smith, land on Cuba Road		100.00
Landing lot		100.00
Water Works, land, mains and equipment		160,984.90
Littlefield land, town portion		500.00
George Virgin, land, Epping Road		50.00
Kimball land in Oaklands		200.00
Land acquired through Tax Collector's Deeds:		
Augusta Burnham, Rye Field, Epping Road		100.00
Eva Ferguson, Hilda Howard, land Cuba Road		100.00
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		410,924.90

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N.H.
Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures
Fiscal year ended December 31, 1976

Appropriation	Receipts & Re- imbursements	Total Amount available	Expenditures General Fund	Expenditures Revenue Sharing	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 3,750.00	3,750.00	3,810.00		368.42	60.00
Town Officers' Expenses	4,000.00	4,038.00				
Election & Registration	675.00	680.00	755.50			75.50
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	1,750.00	1,750.00	2,453.73			703.73
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	500.00	712.54	312.56		399.98	
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00			
Police Department	6,000.00	8,532.27	7,214.01	1,914.84		596.58
Fire Department	3,000.00	3,222.13	1,641.24	1,914.84		333.95
Care of Trees	400.00	400.00	598.00			198.00
Insurance	3,200.00	3,200.00	3,365.40		138.00	165.46
Planning & Zoning	150.00	177.00	39.00		50.00	
Civilian Defense	50.00	50.00			5.00	
Health Department	30.00	30.00	25.00		5.00	
Vital Statistics	20.00	20.00	11.00		9.00	
Town Dump	5,000.00	5,288.70	3,333.36	1,955.34	394.41	
Town Maintenance - Summer	9,500.00	9,105.59	9,105.59			
Winter	5,000.00	5,000.00	8,940.51		208.09	3,940.51
Street Lighting	5,200.00	5,200.00	4,991.91			
General Expenses of Highway Department	900.00	900.00	412.14		487.86	
Town Road Aid	133.94	133.94	133.94			
Libraries	2,500.00	2,776.91	2,776.91			
Town Poor	500.00	502.00	30.00		472.00	
Old Age Assistance	500.00	500.00	218.25		281.75	
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	500.00	500.00	539.50			39.50
Memorial Day	75.00	75.00	110.95			35.95
Parks	275.00	275.00	269.24			
Cemeteries	350.00	350.00	643.75			293.75
Bicentennial Committee	2,817.34	3,263.39	3,053.97		209.42	
Veterans' Monument	1,800.00**	1,900.00	2,085.00			185.00

	Appropriation	Receipts & Re- imbursements	Total Amount available	Expenditures General Fund	Expenditures Revenue Sharing	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Principal-Long Term							
Notes	\$ 6,566.66		6,566.66	6,566.66			
Interest-long term							
Notes	530.42		530.42	530.42			
Interest-Temporary							
Loans	200.00		200.00	342.51			142.51
Capital Outlay	30,000.00		30,000.00	15,141.10		14,858.90	
CEA-Summer program	1,000.00		1,000.00			1,000.00	
Isabel Paul Trust Cemetery	200.00		200.00	200.00			
Visiting Nurse Ass'n	875.00		875.00	875.00			
Seacoast Counseling	100.00		100.00	100.00			
Greater Exeter Area Group							
Home	500.00		500.00	0.00		500.00	
Regional Planning	498.60		498.60	481.20		17.40	
Mosquito Control	2,366.00		2,366.00	2,341.94		24.00	
Taxes bought by Town				8,327.95			8,327.95
Federal Withholding Tax				251.25		251.25	
Trust Funds				50.00			50.00
Temporary Loans		55,000.00	55,000.00	55,000.00			
County Tax	16,746.51		16,746.51	16,746.51			
School Tax	246,790.18		246,790.18	216,790.18**		30,000.00	
TOTALS	\$ 365,949.65	59,150.60	425,100.25	384,860.26	5,785.02	49,681.30	13,226.33

Notes:

* Income over estimate

** 1975 appropriation

*** \$20,000.00 - 1975 appropriation

\$196,790.18 - 1976 appropriation

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS

Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1976

ASSETS

Cash:		
In hands of Treasurer	\$	27,269.89
Capital Reserve Funds and Interest		
Grading opposite Catholic Church		210.84
Other Amounts due Town		
From Trustees a/c Rockingham Cemetery		132.45
From Trustees a/c Varney Bequest		<u>2,641.10</u>
		2,773.55
Unredeemed Taxes		
Levy of 1975		5,134.19
Levy of 1974		2,436.89
Previous Years		<u>812.61</u>
		8,383.69
Uncollected Taxes		
Levy of 1976 including Resident Taxes		29,030.13
Levy of 1975		<u>220.00</u>
		29,250.13
Total Assets	\$	<u>67,888.10</u>

Current Surplus, December 31, 1975	\$	31,759.71
Current Surplus, December 31, 1976		13,268.40
Decrease of Surplus		18,491.31

LIABILITIES

Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations		
Sidewalk	\$	1,000.00
Bicentennial Projects		209.42
Mosquito Control		<u>24.06</u>
	\$	1,233.48
Unexpended Balance of Note Funds		
Fire Truck		256.18
Yield Tax Deposits (Escrow acct.)		30.00
School District Tax Payable		50,000.00
Other Liabilities		
Balance - Paul Trust, Locust Grove Cemetery		1,896.99
FICA - 4th quarter		707.96
Federal Withholding Tax, 4th quarter		267.25
Smith's Fire Equipment		<u>17.00</u>
	\$	54,408.86
Capital Reserve Funds		<u>210.84</u>
Total Liabilities	\$	54,619.70
Current Surplus		<u>13,268.40</u>
		67,888.10

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Auto Permits issued:

Jan.	1975	Permits	19	93.29
	1976	"	123	1,338.50
Feb.	1975	"	6	66.00
	1976	"	86	1,038.00
Mar.	1975	"	1	10.15
	1976	"	320	4,029.00
Apr.	1976	"	61	1,081.60
May	1976	"	21	438.50
June	1976	"	30	520.00
July	1976	"	25	483.50
Aug.	1976	"	54	1,161.50
Sept.	1976	"	49	1,023.50
Oct.	1976	"	54	1,149.00
Nov.	1976	"	57	949.50
Dec.	1976	"	50	915.50
Total Permits			<u>956</u>	<u>\$ 14,296.54</u>

Dog Licenses issued:

79 Males	@	2.00	\$ 158.00
27 Females	@	5.00	135.00
57 S.F.	@	2.00	114.00
<u>163</u>			<u>\$ 407.00</u>
Less Town Clerk's fee @.20			<u>32.60</u>
			374.40
Filing Fees - 5 @ 1.00			5.00
Dog Penalties - 6 @ 1.00			6.00
Turned over to Town Treasurer			<u>\$ 14,681.94</u>

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Detailed Summary of Receipts:

1975 Resident Tax	\$	1,360.00
1975 Resident Tax Penalties		135.00
1975 Property Tax		28,313.88
1975 Interest		1,246.86
1975 Yield Tax		30.00
1976 Resident Tax		3,790.00
1976 Resident Tax Penalties		19.00
1976 Property Tax		215,798.27
1976 Interest		48.82
1973 Tax Sales Redeemed		1,318.71
1974 Tax Sales Redeemed		1,909.29
1975 Tax Sales Redeemed		3,193.76
Interest on Redeemed Taxes - 1973		356.55
	1974	158.19
	1975	<u>188.72</u>
		703.46

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Property, Resident & Yield Taxes - Levy of 1976

-Dr-

Taxes committed to Collector:			
Property Taxes	\$	249,039.38	
Resident Taxes		4,640.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes		26.00	
Total Warrants			\$ 253,705.38
Yield Taxes			0.00
Added Taxes:			
Property Taxes		0.00	0.00
Resident Taxes		90.00	90.00
Interest collected on delinquent property taxes			48.82
Penalties collected on resident taxes			19.00
Total Debits	\$		253,863.20

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Remittance to Treasurer:			
Property Taxes	\$	215,798.27	
Resident Taxes		3,790.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes		26.00	
Yield Taxes		0.00	
Interest collected		48.82	
Penalties on resident taxes		19.00	
			\$ 219,682.09
Discounts allowed			3,936.18
Abatements made during year:			
Property Taxes		1,174.80	
Resident Taxes		40.00	
Yield Taxes		0.00	
			\$ 1,214.80
Uncollected Taxes:			
Property Taxes		28,130.13	
Resident Taxes		900.00	
Yield Taxes		0.00	
			\$ 29,030.13
Total Credits			253,863.20

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Levy of 1975

-Dr-

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1976:

Property Taxes	\$ 28,313.88	
Resident Taxes	<u>1,330.00</u>	\$ 29,643.88

Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	0.00	
Resident Taxes	<u>290.00</u>	290.00

Overpayments	0.00	0.00
Interest collected on delinquent property taxes		1,246.86
Penalties collected on resident taxes		<u>135.00</u>
Total Debits		\$ 31,315.74

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Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal year
ended December 31, 1976:

Property Taxes	\$ 28,313.88	
Resident Taxes	1,360.00	
Yield Taxes	30.00	
Interest collected during year	1,246.86	
Penalties on resident taxes	<u>135.00</u>	\$ 31,085.74

Abatements made during year:

Property Taxes	0.00	
Resident Taxes	<u>10.00</u>	10.00

Uncollected Taxes - Dec. 31, 1976

Property Taxes	0.00	
Resident Taxes	<u>220.00</u>	<u>220.00</u>
		31,315.74

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts - Fiscal year ended December 31, 1976

Tax Sales on account of Levies - Previous Years

- Dr -	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971	1970
(a) Balance of unredeemed Taxes - Jan. 1, 1976		4346.18	1538.52	204.56	199.44	188.80
(b) Taxes sold to Town during current fiscal year	8327.95					
Interest collected after sale	39.84	158.19	356.55			
Redemption Costs	25.04					
Total Debits	8392.83	4504.37	1895.07			
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Remittance to Treasurer during year:						
Redemptions	3193.76	1909.29	1318.71			
Interests & costs after sale	64.88	158.19	356.55			
Abatements to town during year	0.00	0.00	0.00			
Deeded to Town during year						
Unredeemed Taxes - Dec. 31, 1976	5134.19	2436.89	219.81	204.56	199.44	188.80
Total Credits	8392.83	4504.37	1895.07	204.56	199.44	188.80

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sale
December 31, 1976

	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971
Boston & Maine Railroad	237.75	213.10	219.81	204.56	199.44
Cunningham, C. Wilmot & Ruth	778.91	114.57			
Devereaux, Pauline	734.05				
Eicher, Raymond & Betty Lou	781.57	661.23			
Heath, Larry & Joyce	691.82	585.71			
Inland Acres	34.35	30.05			
Marshall, Thomas & Catherine	470.05	337.55			
Stapleford, Harriet	509.63				
Wentworth, Forest & Marcia	312.51				
Williams, David & Elaine	583.55	494.68			
Totals	5134.19	2436.89	219.81	204.56	199.44
					& 1970 188.80

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT .
Redemption from Tax Sale
December 31, 1976

	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971
Allen, Jere & Beverly		1036.56			
Cunningham, C. Wilmot & Ruth		544.44 partial	376.28		
Della Jacova, John	1824.35				
Fitzpatrick, John & Georgia	578.27				
Heath, Larry & Joyce			109.55		
Marshall, Thomas & Catherine		61.62 partial	321.30		
Roy, Marjorie		78.94			
Wentworth, Forest & Marcia	791.14 partial	187.73			
Williams, David & Elaine			511.58		
Total	\$ 3193.76	\$ 1909.29	\$ 1318.71		

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance, January 1, 1976

\$ 12,761.11

Summary of Receipts

1975 Resident Tax	\$ 1,360.00
1975 Resident Tax Penalties	135.00
1975 Property Tax	28,316.87
1975 Interest	1,243.87
1976 Resident Tax	3,790.00
1976 Resident Tax Penalties	19.00
1976 Property Tax	215,798.27
1976 Interest	48.82
1976 National Bank Stock Tax	26.00
1975 Yield Tax Deposit	30.00
1973 Tax Sales Redeemed	1,316.71
1974 Tax Sales Redeemed	1,909.29
1975 Tax Sales Redeemed	3,051.14
Interest on Redeemed Taxes	703.46
Highway Subsidy	4,004.61
Business Profits Tax	31,584.12
Savings Bank Tax	859.66
Interest & Dividends Tax	7,381.54
Rooms & Meals Tax	5,627.48
1975 Auto Permits	169.44
1976 Auto Permits	9,952.50
1977 Auto Permits	4,175.50
Dog Licenses	380.40
Filing Fees	5.00
FICA Refunds	212.54
Withholding Tax Refunds	16.00
Library Trust	2,776.91
Cemetery Trust	307.97
Sale of Planning & Zoning Books	12.00
Sale of Dump Permits	6.00
Refund Bounties	2.00
Dog Fees	20.00
Proceeds 1949 Old Home Day Committee	120.57
Refund Bicentennial Committee	446.05
Sale of Cemetery Lots	50.00
Trustee of Trust Funds	14,211.40
Governor's Commission on Crime & Delinquency	1,057.00
New Hampshire Bicentennial Commission	1,000.00
Temporary Loans	55,000.00
Sale of Town Property	10.00
Reimbursements - Police Department	4.00
Town Officers' Expenses	10.00
Forest Fire Warden Expenses	10.91
Planning & Zoning Expenses	15.00
Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	1,971.19
Voided Checks - 1967 & 1973	3.50
Donation - Town Hall Curtain Fund	25.00

Interest - Town Hall Curtain Fund	\$.64
Interest - Torrey Fund Savings	86.18
Interest - Fire Truck Savings	4.93
Interest - 125th Anniversary Committee	41.53
Interest - Water Extension Committee	57.04

Total Receipts

\$ 399,369.04

Total Available

\$ 412,130.15

Summary of all Payments

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 3,810.00
Town Officers' Expenses	3,669.58
Election & Registration	755.50
Town Hall & other Buildings	2,453.73
Retirement & Social Security	312.56
Police Department	7,214.01
Fire Department	1,641.24
Care of Trees	598.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00
Insurance	3,365.40
Planning & Zoning	39.00
Health Department	25.00
Vital Statistics	11.00
Visiting Nurse Association	875.00
Town Dump	3,333.36
Town Maintenance - Summer	9,105.59
Winter	8,940.51
Town Road Aid	133.94
Libraries	2,776.91
Street Lighting	4,991.91
General Expenses - Highway Department	412.14
Town Poor	30.00
Old Age Assistance	218.25
Aid to Permanent & Totally Disabled	539.50
Memorial Day	110.95
Taxes Bought by Town	8,327.95
Parks & Playgrounds	269.24
Cemeteries	643.75
Regional Planning	481.20
Interest - Temporary Loans	342.51
Interest - Long Term Notes	530.42
Payment - Temporary Loans	55,000.00
Payment - Long Term Notes	6,566.66
County Taxes	16,746.51
School Districts	216,790.18
Internal Revenue Service	(251.25)
Paul Trust Cemetery	200.00
Trustee of Trust Funds	50.00
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	100.00
Bicentennial Committee	451.19
Memorial Bell Committee	1,412.22
Monument Committee	2,085.00

Town Landing	\$ 1,190.56	
Water Extension Committee	15,141.10	
Mosquito Control Commission	2,341.94	
Auto Permit Refunds	<u>78.00</u>	
Total Payments		\$ 384,860.26
Balance, December 31, 1976		<u>\$ 27,269.89</u>

David Collinge, Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance, January 1, 1976:

Indian Head National Bank:		
General Fund Checking	\$ 9,145.51	
Water Extension Committee Savings	1,011.44	
Exeter Banking Company:		
Torrey Fund Savings	1,689.95	
Fire Truck Savings	96.87	
125th Anniversary Savings	<u>817.34</u>	
		\$ 12,761.11

Detailed Summary of Receipts

Margaret A. Birge, Collector:

1975 Resident Tax	\$ 420.00
1975 Resident Tax Penalties	42.00
1975 Property Tax	6,676.00
1975 Interest	90.01
1974 Tax Sales Redeemed	78.94
Interest on Redeemed Taxes	<u>4.77</u>

\$ 7,311.72

Ruth B. Holmwood, Collector:

1975 Resident Tax	\$ 940.00
1975 Resident Tax Penalties	93.00
1975 Property Tax	21,640.87
1975 Interest	1,153.86
1976 Resident Tax	3,790.00
1976 Resident Tax Penalties	19.00
1976 Property Tax	215,798.27
1976 Interest	48.82
1975 Yield Tax Deposit	30.00
1976 National Bank Stock Tax	26.00
1973 Tax Sales Redeemed	1,318.71
1974 Tax Sales Redeemed	1,830.35
1975 Tax Sales Redeemed	3,051.14
Interest on Redeemed Taxes	<u>698.69</u>

\$ 250,438.71

Elizabeth Hankin, Town Clerk:

1975 Auto Permits	\$ 169.44
1976 Auto Permits	9,952.50
1977 Auto Permits	4,175.50
Dog Licenses	380.40
Filing Fees	5.00

\$ 14,682.84

The State of New Hampshire:

Highway Subsidy	\$ 4,004.61
Business Profits Tax	31,584.12
Savings Bank Tax	859.66
Interest & Dividends Tax	7,381.54
Rooms & Meals Tax	5,627.48
Refund - Bounties	2.00
Refund - Forest Fire Warden Expenses	10.91
Bicentennial Commission	1,000.00
Governor's Commission on Crime + Delinquency	1,057.00

\$ 51,527.32

Refund - FICA:

Newfields Water Department	\$ 128.70
Newfields Library	70.44
Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	13.40

\$ 212.54

Refund - Withholding Tax:

Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	\$ 16.00
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\$ 16.00

Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Company:

Income, Isabel Paul Trust Fund:	
Library	\$ 2,776.91
Cemetery	307.97

\$ 3,084.88

Board of Selectmen:

Sale of Planning & Zoning Books	\$ 8.00
Sale of Dump Permits	6.00

\$ 14.00

Proceeds - 1949 Old Home Day Committee:

Mary B. Hallinan	\$ 120.57
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\$ 120.57

Bicentennial Committee:

Nancy Taylor, Expenses refund	\$ 1.05
Robert E. Nixon, Bottle Sale Proceeds	252.00
Barbara Hayden, Bottle Sale proceeds	168.00
Winthrop H. Battles, Donation	25.00

\$ 446.05

Dog Fees:

Robert J. Hallinan	\$ 20.00
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\$ 20.00

Purchase of Cemetery Lot:		
Margaret A. Birge	\$	50.00
Trustee of Trust Funds:		
Reimburse - Cemetery Expenses	\$ 634.25	
Albert H. Varney Trust Fund	12,500.00	
Bicentennial Committee Trust	1,077.15	
		\$ 14,211.40
Voided Checks:		
1967 - Town Poor	\$ 2.00	
1973 - Town Officers' Expenses	1.50	
		\$ 3.50
Purchase of Town Property:		
Alfred Conner, Jr., Used Lumber		\$ 10.00
Reimbursement - Police Department		
The Hartford Insurance Company	\$ 4.00	
Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	1,471.27	
		\$ 1,475.27
Reimbursement - Town Officers' Expenses:		
N.H. Municipal Association		10.00
Reimbursement - Planning & Zoning Expenses:		
Ron Lemieux Enterprises		15.00
Sale of Planning & Zoning Books:		
Shaw & Robertson, Attorneys		2.00
Revenue Sharing Trust Fund:		
Reimbursement - Fire Department	\$ 211.22	
Reimbursement - Town Dump	288.70	
		\$ 499.92
Indian Head National Bank:		
Purchase of Planning & Zoning Books	\$ 2.00	
Proceeds - Temporary Loan	55,000.00	
Interest - Water Extension Committee	57.04	
		55,059.04
Exeter Banking Company:		
Interest - Torrey Fund Savings	\$ 86.18	
Interest - Fire Truck Savings	4.93	
Interest - Town Hall Curtain Fund	.64	
Interest - 15th Anniversary Committee	41.53	
		\$ 133.28
Town Hall Curtain Fund:		
Barbara S. Tebo		25.00
Total Receipts	\$	399,369.04
Total Available	\$	412,130.15

Detailed Summary of all Payments

Town Officers' Salaries:

Mary B. Hallinan, Selectman	\$	500.00
Robert E. Nixon, Selectman		500.00
Alfred Conner, Jr., Selectman		500.00
Elizabeth Hankin, Town Clerk		325.00
Auto Permits		958.00
Margaret A. Birge, Collector		107.21
Ruth B. Holmwood, Collector		598.79
David Collinge, Treasurer		250.00
Margaret M. Plumer, Bookkeeper of Trustees		50.00
Robert Hallinan, Dog Officer		14.00
David Collinge, Ass't Dog Officer		7.00

\$ 3,810.00

Town Officers' Expenses:

N.H. City & Town Clerks Ass'n, Dues	10.00
N.H. Ass'n of Assessing Officials, Dues	10.00
N.H. Ass'n of Conservation Commission, Dues	20.00
N.H. Municipal Association, Dues	200.00
N.H. Tax Collectors Association, Dues	10.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Supplies	120.48
Sulloway, Hollis, Godfrey & Soden, Legal Fees	9.01
U.S. Post Office, Envelopes & Postage	165.40
U.S. Post Office, Box Rent	4.00
Town of Newmarket, Dump Stickers	24.85
Wheeler & Clark, Town Clerk, Supplies	44.95
Newfields Country Store, Supplies	4.92
David Collinge, Expenses	18.05
Robert E. Nixon, Expenses	46.95
Exeter News Letter Co., Town Report	715.00
Legal Notices	95.75
Margaret A. Birge, Expenses	1.00
Mary B. Hallinan, Typing, Postage & Expenses	423.88
Exeter Banking Co., Safe Deposit Box Rent	7.50
Joseph J. Giordani, Audit Town Books	850.00
Newmarket Press, Inc., Printing	111.00
Robert J. Hallinan, Dog Officer Expenses	9.40
David Collinge, Dog Officer Expenses	.80
Exeter Veterinary Hospital, Dog Expense	12.00
Ruth B. Holmwood, Postage & Expenses	459.22
Elizabeth Hankin, Phone, Postage & Expenses	128.67
Edith Holland, Registrar, Recording	5.63
J. Philip Estey, Appraisal Assistance	90.00
Treasurer, State of N.H., Appraisal Cards	3.00
Boat Reports	6.90
Branham Publishing Co., Auto References	12.70
N.H. Local Welfare Adm., Ass'n Dues	5.00
N.H. S.P.C.A., Dog Expenses	15.00
Alfred Conner, Jr. Expenses	28.52

\$ 3,669.58

Less Reimbursement N.H. Municipal Ass'n	10.00
Less Voided Check - 1973	2.00
Less Dog Fees	20.00

Less Sale of Dump Permits	\$ 6.00		\$ 38.00
Total Town Officers' Expenses			\$ 3,641.58
Election & Registration:			
Exeter News Letter Co., Ballots	33.00		
Harriet M. Knipstein, Supervisor's Salary	50.00		
Pearl W. Stetson, Supervisor's Salary	50.00		
Edna M. Buxton, Supervisor's Salary	50.00		
Community Church Womens Guild, Meals	228.00		
George J. Shaw, Moderator	60.00		
Kenneth Barton, Moderator	60.00		
Mary E. Stevens, Ballot Clerk	50.00		
Elizabeth D. Morse, Ballot Clerk	50.00		
Elizabeth S. Barton, Ballot Clerk	50.00		
Frances P. Peaslee, Ballot Clerk	50.00		
Newmarket Press, Inc. Check List File Cards	24.50		
		\$ 755.50	
Less Filing Fees		5.00	
		\$ 750.50	
Town Hall & Other Buildings:			
H. R. Haines Oil Service, Oil	870.14		
Callahan Oil Heat, Inc., Oil	411.58		
Public Service Co. of N.H., Lights	318.77		
New England Telephone, Phone	171.34		
William E. Chick, Flag Pole Supplies	2.47		
Lyle K. Clinansmith, Labor & Parts	60.15		
Newfields Country Store, Supplies	2.00		
Rockcrest Gardens, Landscaping	166.75		
Walter R. Cronshaw, Janitor & Supplies	450.53		
		\$ 2,453.73	
Retirement & Social Security:			
N.H. Division of Welfare, OASI Division	2.22		
State of New Hampshire, FICA 3 Quarters	1,032.68		
		\$ 1,034.90	
Less Refunds - FICA	212.54		
Less Withheld	722.34		
		934.88	
		\$ 100.02	
Police Department:			
Robert J. Hallinan, Chief, Salary & Expenses	714.45		
David Collinge, Officer, Salary & Expense	212.00		
Thomas Marshall, Officer, Salary & Expense	141.20		
Peter A. Bond, Chief, Salary & Expenses	3,864.48		
Earl Marcotte, Officer, Salary & Expense	625.53		
Edward M. Roberts, Officer, Salary & Expense	284.10		
Albert Gilbert, Officer, Salary & Expense	65.46		
Ben's Uniforms, Inc. Uniforms, Patches etc.	179.80		
U. S. Post Office, Box Rent	4.00		
Exeter Police Department, Breathalyzer Test	10.00		
Motorola Communications & Electronics,			
Portable Radio	1,113.00		
		\$ 7,214.01	

Police Department (Cont'd)		\$	7,214.01
Less Reimbursements:			
Governor's Commission on Crime and Delinquency	\$ 1,057.00		
Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	1,471.27		
The Hartford Insurance Company	4.00		
			<u>2,532.27</u>
		\$	<u>4,681.74</u>
Fire Department:			
Ernest C. Chick, Chief, Salary	50.00		
William E. Chick, Ass't Chief, Salary	25.00		
New England Telephone, Phone & Alarm	65.80		
William E. Chick, Forest Fire Warden Exp.	21.82		
Public Service Co. of N.H., Lights	91.25		
H. R. Haines Oil Service, Oil	307.92		
Newfields Country Store, Gasoline	172.15		
Colcord's Garage, State Inspections	13.50		
Conway Associates, Fire Hose	850.00		
Seacoast Fire Equipment Co., Supplies	40.80		
Seacoast Chief Fire Officers' Ass'n, Refill Air Tanks	3.00		
		\$	<u>1,641.24</u>
Less Reimbursements:			
Revenue Sharing Trust Fund	211.22		
State of N.H., Fire Warden Expenses	10.91		
			<u>222.13</u>
		\$	<u>1,419.11</u>
Care of Trees:			
Exeter Tree Service		\$	598.00
Hydrant Rental:			
Newfields Water Department		\$	1,000.00
Insurance:			
DeMeritt Agency, Inc.			
Multi-Peril Insurance	604.80		
Public Officials Liability	591.60		
Fire Truck Liability & Damage	821.00		
Blanket Bond	75.00		
Town Officers' Bonds	429.00		
Workmens Compensation	564.00		
Mosquito Spray Insurance	25.00		
Davis & Towle Insurance:			
Police Department Insurance	255.00		
		\$	<u>3,365.40</u>
Planning & Zoning:			
Fosters Daily Democrat, Legal Notices	24.00		
Ray Buxton, Jr., Expenses	15.00		
			<u>39.00</u>
Less Reimbursements:			
Ron Lemieux Enterprises	15.00		
Sale of Planning & Zoning Books	12.00		
			<u>27.00</u>
		\$	<u>12.00</u>

Health Department:			
Ray Buxton, Jr., Health Officer	\$		25.00
Vital Statistics:			
Elizabeth Hankin, Recording			11.00
Visiting Nurse Association:			
Exeter Area Visiting Nurse Ass'n			875.00
Town Dump:			
Town of Newmarket			3,333.36
Less Reimbursement - Revenue Sharing Trust			288.70
	\$		<u>3,044.66</u>
Town Maintenance:			
Walter T. Cronshaw, Labor & Equipment		3,863.25	
Russell Simpson, Labor & Equipment		996.00	
Dwight W. Sharp, Construction, Labor, Equipment		100.00	
Ed Feeney, Inc. Labor & Equipment, Mowing		180.00	
Lloyd Stevens, Labor & Equipment		85.00	
Pauline G. Cronshaw, Labor		77.50	
Allen S. Taylor, Labor		234.00	
William Chell, Labor		97.50	
Earl Marcotte, Labor		39.00	
Iafolla Industries, Inc. Durapatch & Stone		107.06	
John Iafolla Co., Inc. Hot Top		2,460.56	
State of N.H. Dept. of Public Works & Highways, work on Otis Road		865.72	
	\$		<u>9,105.59</u>
Town Maintenance - Winter:			
Granite State Minerals, Salt		1,982.26	
Walter T. Cronshaw, Labor & Equipment		5,082.50	
Walter R. Cronshaw, Labor		522.75	
Pauline G. Cronshaw, Labor		153.50	
Kenneth E. Cronshaw, Labor		12.00	
James P. Daley, Labor		15.00	
Ernest C. Chick, Labor & Equipment		172.50	
Exeter Sand & Gravel, Sand		630.00	
Thomas J. Primmerman, Labor & Equipment		240.00	
Fred J. Ecklund, Labor & Equipment		120.00	
			<u>8,940.51</u>
Town Road Aid:			
State of New Hampshire, Town's Share			133.94
Libraries:			
Treasurer, Library Trustees			2,776.91
Less Proceeds of Paul Trust Fund			<u>2,776.91</u>
			0.00
Street Lighting:			
Public Service Co. of N.H., Lights	\$		4,991.91

General Expenses - Highway Department:		
E.W.Sleeper Company, Spreader Parts	31.83	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Tools etc.	36.61	
Walter T. Cronshaw, Plastic, Chains,		
Patch & Plow Piston	193.00	
R. C. Hazelton Co. Inc., Solenoids	23.76	
Sanel Auto Parts, Parts	29.44	
Wentworth Lumber Co., Lumber & Paint	18.00	
Newfields Country Store, Gasoline	4.00	
The Squamscott Press, Printing	40.00	
John Iafolla Co. Inc., Canvas	35.50	
		\$ 412.14
Town Poor:		
Robert E. Nixon, Overseer	10.00	
Alfred Conner, Jr., Overseer	10.00	
Mary B. Hallinan, Overseer	10.00	
		30.00
Less Voided Check - 1967		<u>2.00</u>
		\$ 28.00
Old Age Assistance:		
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire		218.25
Aid to Permanent & Totally Disabled:		
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire		539.50
Memorial Day:		
E.C.Washburne & Company, Flags		110.95
Taxes Bought by Town:		
Ruth B. Holmwood, Collector		8,327.95
Parks & Playgrounds:		
Rockcrest Gardens, Care		269.24
Cemeteries:		
Donald Smith, Care, Piscassic Cemetery	120.00	
Vincent Bateman, Care, Rockingham Cemetery	523.75	
		<u>643.75</u>
Regional Planning:		
Southeastern Regional Planning Commission		481.20
Interest - Temporary Loan:		
Indian Head National Bank of Exeter		342.51
Interest - Long Term Notes:		
Indian Head National Bank of Exeter:		
Fire Department Note # 4	406.67	
Cuba Road Bridge	123.75	
		<u>530.42</u>
Payments - Temporary Loan:		
Indian Head National Bank of Exeter		55,000.00
Payments - Long Term Notes:		
Indian Head National Bank of Exeter:		
Fire Department Note #4	4,066.66	
Cuba Road Bridge	2,500.00	
		<u>6,566.66</u>

County Taxes:		
Rockingham County Treasurer		\$ 16,746.51
School Taxes:		
a/c 1975-1976 Appropriation	\$ 20,000.00	
a/c 1976-1977 Appropriation	196,790.18	\$ 216,790.18
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Internal Revenue Service:		
1976 Withholding Tax - 3 Quarters		
Less withheld	608.85	
Less refund - Revenue Sharing	16.00	
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		\$ (267.25)
Paul Trust Cemetery:		
Vincent J. Bateman, Care Locust Grove Cemetery		200.00
Trustee of Trust Funds:		
Sale of Cemetery Lot		50.00
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center:		
1976 Appropriation		100.00
Bicentennial Committee:		
Thomas Conner, Cider	\$ 10.50	
Nancy Taylor, Expenses	19.95	
Dorothy Collinge, Spices	3.64	
Newmarket Press Inc., Printing	174.85	
Union Flag Co., Bunting	200.00	
Allen S. Taylor, Expense	1.50	
Dana Hull, Expenses	40.75	
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Town Landing Committee:		
Brentwood Lumber Co. Inc., Lumber	23.16	
Fiberfoam Insulation Inc., Floats	350.00	
Vincent J. Bateman, Labor & Equipment	25.00	
Stratham Hardware & Lumber Co.,		
Bolts, Nails	8.40	
Dwight W. Sharp, Labor & Equipment	80.00	
Newfields Youth Athletic Ass'n		
Refreshments	39.00	
Walter T. Cronshaw, Labor, Equipment,		
Gravel & Paving ..	665.00	
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Monument Committee:		
Dwight W. Sharp, Labor & Equipment	300.00	
Exeter Monument Works, Plaque	1,785.00	
<hr/>		\$ 2,085.00
Bell Committee:		
Kenneth R. Smart, Labor & Material	1,220.47	
Walter T. Cronshaw, Labor & Equip.	128.00	
Bruce & Carbies, Labor & Equipment	26.75	
Exeter Monument Works, Granite Posts	37.00	
<hr/>		1,412.22
Total Bicentennial Committee Projects		\$ 5,138.97

Total Bicentennial Committee Projects		\$	5,138.97
Less Refunds & Reimbursements:			
Bicentennial Committee	446.05		
N.H. Bicentennial Commission	1,000.00		
Proceeds Bicentennial Trust Fund	1,077.15		
Proceeds 125th Anniversary Committee	<u>817.24</u>		
			3,340.54
		\$	<u>1,798.43</u>
Water Extension Committee:			
SEA Consultants Inc., Water Study	3,208.10		
Norman S. Rollins, Expenses	9.73		
Fosters Daily Democrat, Legal Notice	12.00		
Exeter News Letter, Legal Notice	8.00		
Portsmouth Herald, Legal Notice	18.00		
Edwin C. Smith, Clerk of the Works	250.25		
Dwight W. Sharp, Labor & Equipment	6,409.00		
Everett J. Prescott, Pipe & Fittings	<u>5,226.02</u>		
		\$	15,141.10
Less Received - Albert H. Varney Trust Fund			<u>12,500.00</u>
		\$	<u>2,641.10</u>
Mosquito Control Commission:			
Styles Drug Store, Supplies	9.39		
Meredith Hall, Labor & Expenses	676.53		
Gary Fernald, Labor & Expenses	543.73		
Donald Hooke, Labor & Expenses	31.93		
James Katkin, Labor & Expenses	125.65		
Newfields Country Store, Supplies	139.38		
R.H.Fillion Inc., Lumber & Hardware	41.26		
Merrimack Farmers Exchange Inc., Sprayers	45.54		
Town of North Hampton, Sprayer Rental & Chemicals	160.50		
Trustworthy Hardware Store, Supplies	<u>25.97</u>		
		\$	2,341.94
Refund Auto Permits:			
Gretchen S. Loose	23.00		
Jerome H. Stapleford	44.00		
Ethel M. Floyd	<u>11.00</u>		
			78.00
Total Expenditures		\$	<u>384,860.26</u>
Balance, December 31, 1976:			
Indian Head National Bank of Exeter:			
General Fund Checking	\$	23,435.47	
Water Extension Committee Savings		1,068.48	
Exeter Banking Company:			
General Fund Checking		3.50	
Town Hall Curtain Fund		25.64	
Torrey Fund Savings		1,776.13	
Fire Truck Savings		101.80	
Anniversary Committee Savings		<u>858.87</u>	
		\$	27,269.89

David Collinge, Treasurer

Revenue Sharing Trust Fund

Balance, January 1, 1976:

Exeter Banking Company:

Checking Account	\$ 0.00
Savings Account	0.00

\$ 0.00

Receipts:

United States Treasury	\$ 5,695.00
Exeter Banking Company, Interest on Deposits	90.02

5,785.02

Total Available:

\$ 5,785.02

Disbursements:

Police Department:

Peter A. Bond	\$ 192.65
Edward M. Roberts	156.00
Ben's Uniforms, Inc.	94.92
Town of Newfields, N.H.:	
Refund of Funds Paid	1,471.27
Refund of FICA withheld	13.40
Refund of Income Tax withheld	16.00

\$ 1,944.24

Less FICA withheld 13.40

Less Income Tax withheld 16.00

\$ 1,914.84

Fire Department:

H.R.Haines Oil Service, Oil	\$ 269.30
Callahan Oil Heat, Inc., Oil	315.95
Public Service Co. of N.H., Lights	280.49
New England Telephone, Alarm System	536.09
Mobile Electronics, Radio Repair	112.55
W.S.Nickerson Auto Parts, Inc. Parts	6.54
Exeter Auto Parts, Parts	14.24
Newfields Country Store, Gasoline	13.67
Rockingham Electric, Supplies	37.83
Colcord's Garage, State Inspections	15.00
State of New Hampshire, Back Pumps	101.96
Town of Newfields, N.H. refund of funds Paid	211.22

\$ 1,914.84

Town Dump:			
Town of Newmarket, N.H., Dump Rental	\$	1,666.64	
Town of Newfields, N.H., Refund of funds paid		288.70	
		<hr/>	\$ 1,955.34
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Total Expenditures			\$ 5,785.02
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Balance, December 31, 1976:			
Exeter Banking Company:			
Savings Account	\$	0.00	
Checking Account		0.00	
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			\$ 0.00

David Collinge
Treasurer

TRUST FUNDS
TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N.H.

SUMMARY OF COMMON TRUST INCOME
For the Year Ending December 21, 1976

Received from:

Treasurer of United States	\$ 480.00	
Broad St. Investing Corp.	436.27	
Fidelity Fund, Inc.	538.28	
Mass. Investors Trust	240.39	
Plaistow Cooperative Bank	153.52	
Exeter Cooperative Bank	825.31	
Portsmouth Trust	739.50	
Exeter Banking Company	<u>129.22</u>	
		\$ 3,542.49

Allocated as follows:

Cemetery Fund	\$1,690.63	
Brodhead Fund	1,056.89	
Town Hall Grounds	126.82	
Ida Green Fund	154.13	
Adeline Paul - Town Hall	385.32	
Helen Coapman Ewing Memorial Fund	<u>128.70</u>	
		\$ 3,542.49

TRUST FUNDS
TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N.H.
CEMETERY INCOME AND EXPENDITURES
For the Year Ending December 31, 1976

Balance on hand January 1, 1976	\$ 7,895.42
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Income:

From Common Trust	\$ 1,690.63	
Treasurer Of United Stated	191.28	
American Tel. & Tel. Co.	<u>66.60</u>	
Total received in 1975		<u>\$ 1,948.51</u>
Total Available Income		\$ 9,843.93

Expenditures:

Donald Smith, Labor	\$ 138.00	
Vincent J. Bateman, Labor	<u>501.75</u>	
Total Expended		<u>\$ 639.75</u>
Balance on hand December 31, 1976		\$ 9,204.18

Name of Fund:	Purpose of Fund	How Invested	Principal Amount	Balance 1/1/76	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance 12/31/76
Rockingham Cemetery:							
Albert Gray	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	\$ 100.00	26.44	7.59	5.00	29.03
Isabelle Wiggin	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	300.00	100.56	22.76	9.00	114.32
Angel P. Ingram	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	68.58	20.24	5.20	3.75	21.69
Congregational Church	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	47.89	10.40	4.00	54.29
Pollard-Blinn	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	411.41	153.03	31.21	10.00	174.24
A. A. Schenck	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	171.43	39.86	13.00	5.00	47.86
Mrs. Fred O. Langley	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	157.91	30.47	11.98	5.00	37.45
Patricia Clinansmith	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	100.00	22.83	7.59	3.00	27.42
D. Perry Smith, Jr.	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	40.35	15.17	5.00	50.52
George W. Paul	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	169.65	20.80	11.00	179.45
Perley R. Bean	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	205.71	94.73	15.60	3.00	107.33
Frank E. Lang	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	171.43	62.16	13.00	7.00	68.16
Cora C. Reed	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	112.99	20.80	6.00	127.79
Gray-DeRochemont	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	101.97	20.80	10.00	112.77
Walter W. Webb	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	685.70	382.93	52.01	21.00	413.94
Sarah P. Barker	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	171.43	67.81	13.00	5.00	75.81
Jones-Richard	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	92.68	20.81	6.00	107.49
Alice B. Stone	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	105.38	20.81	6.00	120.19
Ernest S. Jamer	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	101.59	20.81	6.00	116.40
Cutts-Mitchell	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	65.59	20.81	6.00	80.40
Jessie Gray	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	256.31	99.73	19.44	4.00	115.17
Horace Green	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	256.31	101.23	19.44	2.00	118.67
David Collinge	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	100.00	20.19	7.59	3.00	24.78
Chris. J. O'Leary	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	411.41	125.02	31.21	8.00	148.23
Leon Spencer	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	15.33	15.17	5.00	25.50
Robert E. Goerner	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	100.00	3.38	7.59	3.00	7.97
Gertrude Price	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	247.54	100.78	18.78	6.00	113.56
Helen Simpson	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	230.69	80.64	17.50	6.00	92.14
Edward Kendall	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	208.05	64.36	15.78	5.00	75.14
Mary E. Beaton	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	104.02	28.55	7.89	3.00	33.44
Gladys Fortin	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	104.02	28.55	7.89	3.00	33.44
Richard Noel	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	19.90	15.17	3.00	32.07
Vernon & Lois Pettengill	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	50.00	0.00	3.79	2.00	1.79
J.T. & M.G. Eldridge	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	0.00	15.17	5.00	10.17

TRUST FUNDS
TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N.H.

As and for the Year Ending December 31, 1976

Name of Fund	Purpose of Fund	How Invested	Principal Amount	Balance 1/1/76	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance 12/31/76
Locust Grove Cemetery:							
William L. Walker	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	\$ 1,371.42	365.62	104.02	50.00	419.64
Green C. Fowler	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	107.98	20.81	5.00	123.79
Joseph Allen	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	128.40	20.81	5.00	144.21
Dearborn Rider	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	40.12	10.40	4.00	46.52
Charles W. Palmer	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	52.45	10.40	4.00	58.85
Mary E. Chase	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	48.94	10.40	4.00	55.34
Neal-Torrey	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	685.70	334.42	52.01	20.00	366.43
Lucy H. Sanborn	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	39.11	10.40	4.00	45.51
John F. Kennard	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	40.69	10.40	4.00	47.09
Austin-Randall	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	130.68	20.81	5.00	146.49
Camelia M. Perry	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	29.48	10.40	4.00	35.88
Elizabeth Grindrod	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	123.63	20.81	5.00	139.44
Lyons	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	85.27	20.81	5.00	101.08
F. O. Kuse	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	105.41	20.81	5.00	121.22
James P. Smith	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	205.71	104.79	15.60	5.00	115.39
Alfred Conner	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	106.22	20.80	5.00	122.02
Frank C. Taplin	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	105.66	20.80	5.00	121.46
Alice B. Paul	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	411.41	180.84	31.21	6.00	206.05
Patridge-Patridge	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	110.40	20.81	5.00	126.21
Mary W. Tarlton	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	112.14	20.81	5.00	127.95
George Odiorne	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	230.69	79.64	17.50	4.00	93.14
George L. Chase	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	411.41	178.19	31.21	6.00	203.40
McGlency-Henderson	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	548.54	234.44	41.61	15.00	261.05
Nash-Langlands	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	265.15	109.88	20.11	8.00	121.99
William Wilson	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	256.31	95.22	19.44	4.00	110.66
Wilkinson	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	239.02	88.04	18.13	3.00	103.17
Goodwin	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	179.26	55.38	13.60	3.00	65.98
Alcot-Stover	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	53.49	15.17	3.00	65.66
Harry K. Torrey	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	500.00	119.02	37.93	40.00	116.95
Mary B.K. Locke	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	600.00	187.12	45.51	9.00	223.63
Adeline Paul	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	1,000.00	289.79	75.86	30.00	335.65
Ethel Isabel Foster	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	300.00	59.93	22.76	4.00	78.69

TRUST FUNDS
TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N.H.
As and for the Year Ending December 31, 1976

Name of Fund:	Purpose of Fund	How Invested	Principal Amount	Balance 1/1/76	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance 12/31/76
Ethel Breed	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Margaret Birge	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	50.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Harry K. Torrey	Old Section	Common Trust	500.00	80.16	37.93	10.00	108.09
Harry K. Torrey	New Section	Common Trust	500.00	74.04	37.93	5.00	106.97
Grace & G. Earl Smith	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	15.33	15.17	4.00	26.50
Ross Glass	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	15.33	15.17	4.00	26.50
Piscassic Cemetery:							
Laura A. Dixon	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	274.27	61.35	20.81	16.00	66.16
Pease-Wingate	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	205.71	64.01	15.60	12.00	67.61
Alfred & Juliette Conner	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	205.71	68.47	15.60	12.00	72.07
Lucius Pease	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	137.14	35.35	10.40	8.00	37.75
Fred S. Foss	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	411.41	124.88	31.21	25.00	131.09
G. Irvin Howard	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	208.05	41.86	15.78	12.00	45.64
John F. Sanborn	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	156.04	34.13	11.84	10.00	35.97
John N. MacInnis	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	150.00	27.72	11.38	8.00	31.10
Herbert W. Smith	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	53.28	15.17	10.00	58.45
Isabel Wiggin	General Cemetery Care	Common Trust	100.00	20.84	7.59	5.00	23.43
Walter G. Sanborn	Cemetery Flowers	Common Trust	200.00	25.77	15.17	10.00	30.94
Martha, Elizabeth & Erwin Neal	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	200.00	11.33	15.17	10.00	16.50
TOTAL CEMETERY			22,537.47	7,183.05	1,690.63	639.75	8,233.93

TRUST FUNDS
TOWN OF NEWFIELDS, N.H.
As of and for the Year Ending December 31, 1976

Purpose of Fund	Principal Amount	Balance 1/1/76	Receipts	Expenditures	Balance
Other Common Trusts					
Brodhead	Purchase of Library Books	\$ 13,714.53	\$ 1,056.89	\$ 1,012.60	\$ 1,056.89
Isabel Paul	% Town Hall Grounds	1,645.69	126.82	0.00	127.43
Ida Green	Temperance	2,000.00	154.13	147.67	154.13
Adeline Paul	% Town Hall	5,000.00	385.32	0.00	1,118.41
Helen Coapman Ewing	Memorial Fund - Library	1,670.00	128.70	123.31	128.70
	TOTAL (Other)	24,030.22	1,851.86	1,283.58	2,585.56
Unallocated Capital Gain		17.64			
TOTAL COMMON TRUST		46,585.33	3,542.49	1,923.33	10,819.49
Other Funds					
Sarah R. Jones	c/o Lots Rockingham Cemetery	Common Stock Am. T & T			
		502.87	66.60	0.00	307.35
Harriet A. Paul	Cemetery Care	U.S. Treasury Bonds 6 3/8 '84			
		3,000.00	191.28	0.00	662.95
Dr. Albert A Varney	Improvement Town Water System	Ctfs.&Deposit Indian Head Nat'l Bank			
		100,677.74	7,609.85	12,500.00	16,212.09
Capital Reserve	Grading Opposite Catholic Church	Exeter Banking Co.			
		100.00	10.24	0.00	110.84
Capital Reserve	Bicentennial	Returned to Town Treasurer			
		-1,000.00	55.98	77.15	0.00
TOTAL OTHER FUNDS		\$104,280.61	\$ 7,933.95	\$12,577.15	\$17,293.23
TOTAL ALL FUNDS		\$150,865.94	\$11,476.44	\$14,500.48	\$28,112.22

NEWFIELDS WATER DEPARTMENT

Balance, January 1, 1976:

Exeter Banking Company:

Checking Account

\$ 150.18

Savings Account

6,670.68

Receipts:

\$ 6,820.86

General Sales:

Unmetered

\$ 35.70

Metered Residential

5,801.15

Metered Industrial

1,173.89

Hydrant Rental:

Town of Newfields, N.H.

1,000.00

Miscellaneous:

Connections On & Off

13.00

Sale of Pipe & Fittings

293.03

Reimbursement - Damages

143.50

Transfer from Checking to Savings

1,000.00

Interest on Deposits:

Exeter Banking Company

418.93

9,879.20

Total Available:

\$ 16,700.06

Disbursements:

Commissioners' Salaries:

Arnold Kennerson Jr., Chairman

\$ 150.00

Reginald Sharp

100.00

Norman S. Rollins

100.00

\$ 350.00

Office Salaries:

David Collinge, Treasurer

350.00

Superintendents' Salaries:

Ernest C. Chick, Sup't

\$ 300.00

Carl Hoyt, Ass't Sup't

100.00

400.00

Power for Pumping:

Public Service Company of N.H.

1,414.01

Repairs:

Dwight W. Sharp, Labor & Equipment

86.00

Equipment:		
Victor Riccardo, Pipe Detector	\$	399.50
Everett J. Prescott, Pipe & Fittings		1,286.19
Norman S. Rollins, Valve		8.10
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		1,693.79
Supplies & Postage:		
U.S. Post Office, Postage	\$	4.00
David Collinge, Postage		1.00
Ernest C. Chick, Water Sample Postage		7.62
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Labor On& Off		12.62
Ernest C. Chick		22.00
Miscellaneous:		
Donald Howcroft, Meter Reading	\$	131.40
U.S. Post Office, Box rent		4.00
Exeter Banking Company, Transfer		
from Checking to Savings		1,000.00
Newfields Country Store, Paint		2.49
Ernest C. Chick, Paint & Labor,		
Paint Hydrants		39.96
Nick Zuk, Tap Water Main		96.80
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		1,274.65
FICA - Department Share		
Town of Newfields, N.H.		64.35
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Total Expenditures	\$	5,667.42
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Balance December 31, 1976:		
Exeter Banking Company:		
Checking Account	\$	311.91
Savings Account		10,720.73
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	\$	11,032.64

David Collinge
Treasurer

NEWFIELDS POLICE DEPARTMENT
Report of Activities

<u>BUDGET</u>	<u>\$6000.00 (1976)</u>
Complaints	198
Accidents	35
Assists to other Departments	83
Messages relayed	18
Warnings issued to motorists	200+
Malicious property damage	51
Domestic problems	61
Reports of missing or runaway persons	13
Miscellaneous	178
Summons & warrants	155
Court appearances	weekly-
Reports of stolen property	34
Stolen property recovered	30
Automobiles towed	10
Breaking & entering or burglaries	27
Dog bites reported	2
Animal related calls	72
Stolen cars	11
Assaults	13
Sex offenses	2
Bomb threats	3
Drug related	17
Trespass	5
Prowlers	8
Suspicious persons	33
Suspicious cars	43
Criminal threatening	5
Alarms ANswered	34
Fire Department assists	4
Fires extinguished by police	1
Fireworks complaints	10
Disorderly persons	26
Juvenile problems	25
Loud parties	32
Relays	17
Loitering	31
Investigations	64
Vacations reported	42
Assists to motorists	68

NEWFIELDS FIRE DEPARTMENT

The year 1976 was not as good to us as was 1975, but in comparison with reports of surrounding towns, we have been lucky.

We had four house fires, one was a total loss, but with the assistance of mutual aid, serious loss was prevented in the others.

We purchased 500 feet of 2½ inch hose, and hope to purchase 500 feet of 1½ inch hose this year.

A telephone has been installed at the station this year and with the Base Station our communication system works very well.

This has been a real old fashioned winter with plenty of ice and snow. Our trucks and equipment have been ready to roll at the sound of the alarm.

Spring is just around the corner! This snow and ice will be gone and people will want to clean up and burn. Remember - all fires shall be BEFORE 9.00 A.M. or AFTER 5.00 P.M. NO FIRE SHALL BE KINDLED BETWEEN 9.00 and 5.00. A permit must always be obtained for outside fires. Call your Forest Fire Warden (772-3735), William E. Chick, for this permit.

This report gives me the opportunity each year to thank all members of the Department; also all the Departments that are called upon to assist by Mutual Aid. Many thanks go to the Fire-Flies and the townspeople for their cooperation. I can say they all do a wonderful job for the Town of Newfields.

1976 Call Report

Chimney	2	K&W Bomb Scare	2
House	4	K&W Trash Container	1
Dryer	1	Tree & Pole	1
Range	1	B&M Grass	2
House full of smoke	2	Pump out sinking	
Car	2	boat at Chapman's	
Truck	1	Landing	1
Gas wash down	1	Camp fire in woods	1
False Alarm	2	Mutual Aid	6

Total calls for Year - 30

Ernest C. Chick,
Fire Chief.

NEWFIELDS WATER DEPARTMENT

The Water Department has experienced some busy periods during the past year. Following is a list of the major projects completed:

1. Extensions on Railroad Avenue and Otis Road with an additional fire hydrant on Otis Road.
2. Accomplished numerous renovations and improvements at number 2 Pumphouse, and installed additional instrumentation at both Pumphouses.
3. Added eight new domestic water services.
4. Finalized the engineering study. Results of the study are available in booklet form at the Newfields Public Library.
5. Completed drilling of one new well yielding over 1,500 gallons an hour of excellent quality water.

We have experienced a serious water shortage during the past few months which prompted drilling of the new well. Our Superintendent, Ernest Chick, has done an outstanding job of "nursing" the pumps at our old wells in order to prevent interruption of service to our customers.

The Water Extension Committee is continuing the search for additional water sources in an effort to be assured that we will not be faced with water shortages in the future.

There have been two freeze-ups during the extremely cold weather. One is Water Department responsibility, and we plan on having the problem corrected in order to prevent future freeze-up of water department lines.

We have responded to two "leaking water mains" during the winter. One turned out to be an over-flowing sewerage system and the other was a plugged culvert.

We wish to thank all of our customers who cooperated in our request for water conservation during our critical period. This serves to remind us what a valuable resource we have in our water supplies, and should encourage all of us not to be wasteful with it.

Arnold Kenneson
Reginald Sharp
Norman Rollins
Water Commissioners.

NEWFIELDS PUBLIC LIBRARY, 1976

Exeter Cooperative Bank:	
Balance, January 1, 1976	\$ 8,492.39
Interest for 1976	<u>463.69</u>
Balance, January 1, 1977	8,956.08
Exeter Banking Company:	
Balance, January 1, 1976	\$ 874.29
Income, 1976	
Town Treasurer, Paul Fund	2,776.91
Trustees, Brodhead Fund	1,012.60
Trustees, Ewing Fund	123.31
Sale of History of Newfields	75.00
Fines and lost books	91.20
W. J. Henderson	<u>50.00</u>
	4,129.02
Total receipts	\$ 5,003.31
Operating Expenses, Paul Fund, 1976:	
Helen J. Simpson, Librarian	979.16
Doris Goerner, Ass't Librarian	83.89
Catherine Barron, Treasurer	70.61
Public Service Co. of N.H.	199.23
H. R. Haines, Inc.	369.13
Callahan Oil Service, Inc.	139.86
Rockcrest Gardens	280.75
Library Supplies	83.67
United States Post Office	12.00
New Hampshire Networks	5.00
DeMerritt Agency	279.80
Lyle Clinansmith	13.75
Trustworthy Hardware	17.08
Snow removal	13.00
N.H. Library Ass'n	2.00
N.H. Library Trustees Ass'n	9.00
Town of Newfields FICA	<u>70.44</u>
Total operating expenses	\$ 2,628.37
Expenses - Brodhead and Ewing Funds	
Books and magazines	\$ 1,044.93
Total payments for 1976	\$ 3,673.30
Exeter Banking Company	
Balance, January 1, 1977	\$ 1,330.01

Catherine F. Barron, Treasurer

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN - 1976

Books added to library:

Adult - fiction	120
non-fiction	64
Juvenile	66
Total	<u>250</u>

New cards issued 36

State cards issued 7

Periodicals purchased:

Adult	11
Juvenile	2

Volumes circulated:

Adult - fiction	1,465
non-fiction	1,221
Juvenile	1,560
	<u>4,246</u>

Books borrowed from Bookmobile:

Adult- fiction	139
non-fiction	27
Juvenile	162
	<u>328</u>

Books borrowed from State Library 25

Programs in Library 2

Programs in School 6

Helen J. Simpson,
Librarian.

EXETER AREA VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

The Exeter Area Visiting Nurse Association, Inc. is a Community Health Service providing health care to individuals and families in their place of residence or in ambulatory care settings for purposes of preventing disease and promoting, maintaining or restoring health or minimizing the effects of illness or disability. The services are as follows:

Home Health Care. Home visits are made on referral from physicians, patients, families or other agencies. The nurse gives treatments, assists with rehabilitation, instructs designated persons in necessary care between nursing visits, teaches good nutrition and understanding of specific diets, sickness and accident prevention. She provides health assessments, motivates patients and families to self care and independence and refers when appropriate to other agencies.

The physical therapist establishes and supervises a program to return the patient to his maximum potential.

The Home Health Aide provides non-skilled care to patients and families under the supervision of the registered nurse or physical therapist.

Maternal and Child Health Program. Home visits to new or expectant mothers are made to provide information and instruction in the care of themselves and their babies. The Child Health Conference is held twice a month providing the following services: physicals by local pediatrician, immunizations, hearing and vision screening, lead and urine testing, PKU's, special counseling, family planning and referral when appropriate for infants and pre-school children of low income families.

Senior Citizens Program. Blood pressure screening held twice a month for blood pressure and weight checks, diet and medication counseling and referrals.

Aftercare Program. Follow-up of mental health patients primarily those recently discharged from N.H. State Hospital. Coordination of care between patients, family, psychiatrist and community, administration of injectable meds and supervision of oral meds.

Communicable Disease Program. Home visits to patients with Tuberculosis or patients who have had Tuberculosis or who are contacts of patients with Tuberculosis for testing and/or medication and general health supervision.

Discharge Planning. Service provided by placing an agency nurse in the Exeter Hospital five mornings a week to assist in planning, coordinating and arranging for continuing care at home.

The Exeter Area Visiting Nurse Association is a Medicare and Medicaid certified agency.

Representative to the Board of Directors from Newfields is Miss Marie Finn.

PROPERTY VALUATIONS

April 1, 1976

* Achorn, John D. & Joan W., Land and Buildings	\$ 22,200.00
Acox Enterprises, Buildings	25,500.00
Acox, Victor, Land	9,850.00
Allen, Jere & Beverly, Land & Buildings	23,100.00
Ames, Robert L. & Patricia J., Land & Buildings	19,700.00
* Anderson, Bertel & Marguerite, Land & Buildings	13,550.00
Anderson, Doris L., Land & Buildings	15,250.00
Austin, Sandra, Land & Buildings	2,650.00
B & B Leasing Co., Land & Buildings	13,425.00
Baird, Marjorie B. & Newlan, Elizabeth B., Land & Buildings	35,450.00
Barron, Catherine F. & Hallinan, Mary B., Land & Buildings	18,900.00
Barton, Elizabeth S., Land & Buildings	13,600.00
Batchelder, Leroy & Leona P., Land	150.00
Bateman, Vincent & Lorraine, Land & Buildings	18,900.00
Barker, Mary A., Land & Buildings	12,900.00
* Beaton, Mary E. & Norman, Land & Buildings	24,350.00
* Beauschene, Raymond & Marion, Land & Buildings	19,750.00
Belmonte, Jerry W., Land	250.00
* Bennett, Bruce & Cecile, Land & Buildings	11,100.00
Bernier, Edward P. & Elaine M., Land & Buildings	9,900.00
Bernier, Edward C. & Janice, Land & Buildings	10,900.00
* Birge, Margaret A., Land & Buildings	7,700.00
* Bond, Lawrence & Jennie, Land & Buildings	23,650.00
Bonner, Arnold & Esther, Land & Buildings	7,400.00
* Bonner, Robert & Irene, Land & Buildings	3,650.00
Bonner, Myrtle, Land & Buildings	3,400.00
* Begiebing, Robert J. & Linda A., Land & Buildings	12,400.00
Bergeron, Glenn A. & David A., Land & Buildings	2,132.00
* Bragg, George J. & Elizabeth, Land & Buildings	18,350.00
Boisvert, Robert A. & Connie L., Land & Buildings	11,000.00
Boston & Maine Railroad, Land	4,350.00
Brooks, Phillip & Cynthia, Land & Buildings	9,350.00
Brooks, Wilfred & Dorothy, Land & Buildings	19,800.00
Brooke, Margery, Land & Buildings	25,350.00
Byrne, Barbara, Land & Buildings	16,950.00
Buxton, Ray P. & Edna M., Land & Buildings	12,700.00
Buxton, Ray P. & Edna M., Land & Buildings	7,900.00
Buxton, Kenneth & William, Land	550.00
Bernier, Theodore & Lillian, Land & Buildings	11,900.00
*Cady, Clark R. & Elsie F., Land & Buildings	12,750.00
Call, Howard E. Jr. & Pamela, Land & Buildings	14,700.00
Call, Howard E. Jr., Land	150.00
* Cameron, Paul & Thelma, Land & Buildings	30,900.00
Caraway, Lawrence & Hazel, Land & Buildings	5,400.00
Carlisle, Walter S. Jr., Land	1,425.00
Case, Leslie C. & Laura E., Land	650.00
* Caswell, Donald W. & Gertrude, Land & Buildings	10,900.00

Cate, Roland E. & Barbara A., Land & Buildings	21,950.00
Chace, Eleanor, Land & Buildings	1,450.00
Chick, Ernest & Gladys, Land & Buildings	21,900.00
Chick, William E. & Barbara G., Land & Buildings	21,150.00
Chick, William E. & Barbara G., Land	2,500.00
* Clegg, Gordon & Katherine, Land & Buildings	13,100.00
* Clinansmith, Lyle & Patricia, Land & Buildings	12,550.00
Clough, Francis W., Land & Buildings	12,050.00
* Cole, Vernon R. & Ruth B., Land & Buildings	13,750.00
Collinge, David & Dorothy, Land & Buildings	16,850.00
* Conner, Alfred Jr., Land & Buildings	21,300.00
Conner, Alfred Jr., Land	2,400.00
Conner, Thomas H., Land & Buildings	19,100.00
Cosgrove, Albert & Thelma, Land & Buildings	10,600.00
Cronshaw, Walter R. & Julia, Land & Buildings	13,600.00
Cronshaw, Walter R. & Julia, Land & Buildings	18,200.00
Cronshaw, Walter R., Land & Buildings	8,300.00
* Cronshaw, Walter T. & Pauline G., Land & Buildings	26,950.00
Cross, Adrian & Cecile, Land & Buildings	14,500.00
Cunningham, Estate of Charles E., Land & Buildings	8,950.00
Cunningham, C. Wilmot & Ruth, Land & Buildings	14,600.00
Cuthbertson, Patricia Walsh, Land & Buildings	11,500.00
Cote, Armand & Barbara E., Land	500.00
Cook, George, Trailer	2,000.00
Conner Bottling Works, Land & Buildings	10,550.00
Daley, James P. Jr. & Stephanie, Land & Buildings	19,450.00
Daley, John J., Land & Buildings	23,150.00
Day, Rudolf & Cheryl M., Land & Buildings	11,250.00
* Dawson, William R. & Dorothy M., Land & Buildings	11,000.00
* Della Jacova, John & Irene, Land & Buildings	34,650.00
Dennehy, David A. & Donna, Land & Buildings	11,450.00
Devereaux, John J., Land & Buildings	13,750.00
Donahue, Frank J. & Patricia M., Land	700.00
Donovan, Christine, Land & Buildings	5,450.00
Dow, Fred & Virginia, Building	4,750.00
Dow, Estate of Winthrop G., Land	700.00
Eicher, Raymond & Betty Lou, Land & Buildings	14,650.00
* Elliott, Harry & Emily, Land & Buildings	12,250.00
Eldridge, Joseph & Muriel G., Land & Buildings	11,500.00
Eldridge, Robert & Deborah, Land & Buildings	14,700.00
Evans, John R. & Dorothy, Land & Buildings	7,900.00
Fearn, Virginia Daley, Land & Buildings	18,450.00
Fernald, Estate of Frederick L., Land	4,050.00
Finn, John J. & Barbara, Land & Buildings	13,700.00
* Finn, Mary V. Land & Buildings	13,350.00
Fitzpatrick, John E. & Georgia C., Land & Buildings	10,800.00
* Floyd, Elwood A., & Ethel M., Land & Buildings	15,600.00

* Fortin, Gladys, Land & Trailer	\$ 3,300.00
* Gervais, Howard E. & Shirley M., Land & Buildings	7,200.00
* Gilbert, Ethel, Land & Buildings	11,900.00
* Glass, Ross Vernon & Carol B., Land & Buildings	17,250.00
Glass, Ross Vernon	13,300.00
* Glenn, Martin & Ruth, Land & Buildings	8,050.00
* Glynn, Richard & Virginia, Land & Buildings	10,950.00
Goldthwaite, Robert & Rosalie, Land	1,800.00
Gorski, Donald & Leslie, Land & Buildings	11,600.00
* Goerner, Robert & Doris, Land & Buildings	16,850.00
Grant, Herbert & Iva, Land & Buildings	21,800.00
Hackett, Mary, Land & Buildings	31,650.00
Hackett, Thomas R., Land & Buildings	15,500.00
Hallinan, Robert J. & Barbara A., Land & Buildings	26,000.00
Hamel, Gerard, Land	100.00
* Hamel, Oswald & Mary, Land & Buildings	12,500.00
Hankin, Elizabeth E., Land & Buildings	14,250.00
Hauschel, Herman, Land	250.00
Hayden, James & Barbara, Land & Buildings	23,800.00
**Hayden, Phyllis & Coen, Elaine, Land & Trailer	11,675.00
* Hansen, Arvid & Velma E., Land & Buildings	23,800.00
Heath, Larry & Joyce, Land & Buildings	12,950.00
Haywood, Florina, Land & Buildings	13,050.00
* Herlihy, Beatrice, Land & Buildings	11,450.00
Hickey, Grace & John, Land & Buildings	15,300.00
* Heyl, James & Nancy, Land & Buildings	22,100.00
* Hickmott, William A. & Linda R., Land & Buildings	22,000.00
Holmwood, Frank S. & Miriam L., Land & Buildings	21,000.00
Honiac, George, Land	650.00
Howcroft, Donald & Elizabeth, Land & Mobile Home	10,575.00
* Howcroft, Thomas H. & Margaret M., Land & Trailer	4,250.00
Hoyt, Earle E., Land & Buildings	1,000.00
* Hoyt, Carl B. & Dorothy M., Land & Buildings	9,650.00
Hull, Dana E., Land & Building	850.00
* Hull, Dana W. & Elizabeth E., Land & Buildings	24,730.00
Haughton, William R. & Dorothy B., Land & Buildings	18,150.00
Hallenbach, Paulina, Land	1,750.00
Inland Acres Associates, Land	500.00
Ives, Peter & Ann, Land & Buildings	12,300.00
* Jackson, Ralph W. & Margaret, Land & Buildings	13,950.00
Jordan, Robert E. & Linda L., Land & Buildings	9,050.00
Jordan, Llewellyn, Land	200.00
Kenneson, Arnold J. & Linda, Land & Buildings	30,250.00
Kennick, Joseph, Land	1,650.00
* Kittredge, Harvey G. Jr., & Elizabeth G., Land & Bldgs	35,600.00
Kimball, Peter R., Land	4,600.00
**Knipstein, William & Harriet M., Land & Buildings	13,900.00
Kurth, Charles & Sylvia, Land & Barn	2,150.00
Kingston - Warren Corp., Old Freight House & Lot	14,600.00

LaBonte, Lionel & Greta, Land	2,650.00
* LaBranche, Raymond & Jeannette, Land & Buildings	14,675.00
LaBranche, Robert S. & Nancy M., Land & Buildings	17,350.00
LaBonte, Albert, Land	200.00
Lang, Leslie, Land & Building	750.00
LaPerle, Paul, Land & Buildings	6,050.00
Lapham, Dennis D. & JoElla M., Land & Buildings.	19,650.00
* Lawrence, O. Kent Jr. & Margaret, Land & Buildings	45,250.00
* LeBeau, William & Shirley, Land & Mobile Home	10,250.00
LeGault, Robert & Lucille; Land	200.00
Lensi, Peter J. Jr., Land	1,000.00
Libbeym Bertha Estate of, Land & Buildings	5,390.00
* Lightfoot, David W. & Penelope, Land & Buildings	10,900.00
Limperis, Ruth, Land	300.00
Littlefield, Warren J., Land & Buildings	14,000.00
Littlefield, Arthur & Donna, Boat	75.00
Lynch, Daniel J. & Katherine A. Lyon, Land & Buildings	25,350.00
Lynch, Daniel J. & Katherine A. Lyon, Land & Buildings	17,800.00
Lynch, Daniel J. & Katherine A. Lyon, Land & Buildings	16,600.00
Levesque, Rene J., Land	1,100.00
Loomis, Dean R. & Diana, Land & Buildings	14,850.00
Loose, John C. & Gretchen S., Land & Buildings	19,600.00
MacInnes, Adelaide B. & Ernest & Martha Bolton, Land	700.00
Martin, Shelia B. Walden, Land & Buildings	25,850.00
* Marno, Claire, Land & Buildings	33,200.00
Marcotte, Frank A. dda N.H. Enterprises Realty Trust Land & Buildings	3,300.00
Marshall, Thomas & Katherine, Land & Buildings	8,750.00
Mathes, Nancy H., Land	600.00
* McHugh, Austin, Jr. & Margaret, Land & Buildings	26,350.00
* McLaughlin, Robert H. & Barbara A., Land & Buildings	22,700.00
Michaud, Raymond & Norma, Land & Buildings	11,150.00
Miles, Roy & Anne, Land	2,050.00
Monaghan, Frank & Helen, Land & Buildings	8,100.00
Monaghan, Mary, Land & Buildings	7,550.00
Morin, Paul G. & Doris H., Land & Buildings	11,700.00
Morrill, Walter & Dona H., land & Buildings	25,750.00
* Morrill, Robert L., Land & Buildings	1,150.00
Morris, Daniel D., Land	1,750.00
* Morrison, John E. Jr. & Sylvia D., Land & Buildings	12,500.00
Morse, Gerald G. & Elizabeth D., Land & Buildings	21,750.00
Martin, Marlon, Land & Buildings	2,550.00
Mastropietro, Armand R. & June A., Land & Buildings	14,550.00
* Matthews, Edward & Nancy, Land & Buildings	9,700.00
* Mixter, Charles G. & Margaret L., Land & Buildings	36,000.00
* Nelson, Theodore & Barbara, Land & Buildings	17,750.00
New England Telephone Company, Land	450.00
Newfields Building Corporation, Land & Factory Buildings	875,550.00
Nichols, Edward, Land & Buildings	20,350.00
Nichols, Ernest & Dorothy, Land & Buildings	12,650.00

Nixon, Robert E., Land & Buildings	16,850.00
Norman, Jean Price Horne, Land	1,800.00
* O'Brien, John A., Land & Buildings	8,350.00
O'Brien, John A. & Alice B., Land & Buildings	8,600.00
* Parish, Lewis & Grace, Land & Buildings	11,175.00
Partridge, Beatrice S., Land	800.00
Partridge, Eva S. Heirs of, Land	500.00
Patterson, Leslie A. & Betty J., Land	4,450.00
Pease, Elaine D. & Ulery, Meredith J., Land & Buildings	15,350.00
Pease, Elaine D., Land & Buildings	24,600.00
* Peaslee, David & Frances, Land & Buildings	21,150.00
Peterson, Arthur G. & Laura, Land & Buildings	13,300.00
* Peterson, Arthur G. Jr. & Cynthia, Land & Buildings	23,550.00
Pettengill, James & Leona, Land & Buildings	13,100.00
* Pettengill, Albert & Jean May, Land & Buildings	16,500.00
Pettengill, Vernon & Lois, Land & Buildings	4,850.00
**Pimentel, Frank & Frances, Land & Buildings	27,950.00
Peck, Stephan & Irene, Land	100.00
Piscassic Grange, Land & Buildings	5,000.00
* Plumer, Lester F. & Margaret N., Land & Buildings	21,150.00
Plumer, Lester F. & Margaret N., Land & Buildings	15,300.00
* Preston, Esther B., Land & Buildings	11,800.00
Plante, Maurice A. & Margaret S., Land & Buildings	20,300.00
Portias, William, Trailer	900.00
Public Service Co. of N.H.	
Quinn Heirs, Land & Buildings	8,300.00
Ramsden, Ethel, Land & Buildings	14,050.00
* Randlett, Raymond & Janet, Land & Buildings	12,700.00
Randlett, Raymond & Janet, Old Post Office Building	10,900.00
Reed, Selwyn, Land & Buildings	11,600.00
* Renner, Justin & Barbara, Land & Buildings	14,650.00
Ridgley, Ernest, Land & Buildings	12,700.00
Robitelle, Ida A., Land & Buildings	15,150.00
Rochefort, Agnes, Land & Buildings	7,950.00
Rogers, Marion E., Land & Buildings	4,000.00
* Rollins, Norman & Shirley, Land & Buildings	18,200.00
* Rollins, Kenneth & Sylvia, Land & Buildings	12,500.00
Roy, Rose M., Land	300.00
* Rugg, Donald & Olive, Land & Buildings	21,850.00
Roy, Marjorie, Land	1,600.00
Rumford, Clarence H., Land & Buildings	11,950.00
* Rumford, Jared & Wilhelmina, Land & Buildings	10,750.00
Rupert, Ruth N. Heirs of, Land & Buildings	20,000.00
Ryan, Helen S., Land & Buildings	13,800.00
Ryan, Richard & Louise, Land	1,100.00
Ryan, James & Nancy, Land & Buildings	10,600.00
Reed, Ralph B. & Barbara G., Land & Buildings	28,900.00
Roberge, Leonard P. & Sylvianne B., Land	550.00
Rush, Deborah H., Land & Buildings	8,050.00
Rawson, Herbert F. Jr. & Judith A., Land & Buildings	6,000.00

Sanborn, Mary N. Heirs of, Land & Buildings	10,760.00
* Sargent, Wendell & Sarah, Land & Buildings	14,650.00
* Schneer, Cecil & Mary, Land & Buildings	21,350.00
Semprini, Fred & Dorothy, Land & Buildings	10,800.00
Shaw, Robert, Land	3,200.00
Schmidt, Paul H. & Marguerite, Land & Buildings	18,250.00
Scanlan, Rose M. & Edward J., Land & Buildings	19,300.00
Sharp, Dwight & Ellen, Reginald & Charlotte H., Land	1,000.00
Sharp, Merle & Annis, Land	2,150.00
* Sharp, Reginald H. & Charlotte H., Land & Buildings	20,350.00
Shaw, George J. Jr., Boat	50.00
Shaw, Pauline R., Land & Buildings	26,700.00
Sewall, Albert F., Land	150.00
Sewall, Neil, Land	150.00
* Sheehy, Eloise B. & Frederick B., Land & Buildings	17,480.00
Simpson, Russell & Helen J., Land & Buildings	24,250.00
Smith, Carl F. Heirs, Land & Buildings	10,200.00
Smith, Daniel P. & Grace A., Land & Buildings	13,850.00
* Smith, Daniel P. Jr. & Charlene A., Land & Buildings	17,800.00
Smith, Earl & Clare, Land	3,150.00
Smith, Edwin C. & Gladys M., Land & Buildings	16,300.00
Smith, George E. Jr. & Florence, Land & Buildings	17,400.00
* Spencer, Ruth, Land & Buildings	9,350.00
Staples, Richard Estate of, Land & Buildings	19,850.00
Stapleford, Harriet J., Land & Buildings	9,500.00
* Staley, Ronald L. & Nina B., Land & Buildings	11,650.00
* Stetson, Pearl & Elvin, Land & Buildings	13,000.00
Stevens, Leonard & Mary, Land & Buildings	23,850.00
Sweet, David P. & Lynne P., Land & Buildings	13,450.00
* Stone, Neal A. & Gail, Land & Buildings	11,600.00
Suhr, Jeff & Beverly, Land & Buildings	11,050.00
Smith, Charles O. Heirs, Land	900.00
Swisher, James W. & Helen K., Land & Buildings	28,100.00
Smith, Gary D. & Sharon, Land	950.00
Succi, Colleen C. Smith, Land	950.00
Taylor, Allen S. & Nancy E., Land & Buildings	14,350.00
* Tebo, Winifred, House Trailer	4,450.00
* Tebo, William C. & Barbara S., Land & Buildings	16,800.00
Toth, Tibor & Dianna L., House Trailer	2,750.00
* Tripp, Homer & Jean, Land & Buildings	20,150.00
Theobald, Louis C. Jr. & Jean H., Land & Buildings	15,150.00
Trueman, Raymond E. & Janice M., Land & Buildings	10,050.00
Universalist Society, Land & Buildings	12,000.00
Verville, George N. & Catherine, Land & Buildings	15,100.00
* Warren, Louis D. & Letha J., Land & Mobile Home & Buildings	15,720.00
Washburn, Irene, Land & Buildings	13,000.00
* Watson, Gerald S. & Rhoda M., Land & Buildings	7,900.00
Webb, Clare M. L., Land & Buildings	12,800.00
Webb, Lyle & Shirley, Land & Buildings	13,800.00

* Wells, David & Rita M., Land & Buildings ..	\$	16,300.00
Whittle, Marion, Land & Buildings		11,600.00
Wentworth, Forest P. Jr. & Marcia F., Land & Buildings		20,750.00
* Wilbur, Merle R. Jr. & Pearl H., Land & Buildings		12,050.00
Wilbur, Merle R. Sr., Land & Buildings		8,400.00
Williams, David L. & Elaine B., Land & Buildings		10,900.00
Williams, Melvin L. & Phyllis Helena, Land		400.00
Wilson, Phillips L. & Susan A., Land & Buildings		22,250.00
Winkler, Matthew & Frances, Land & Buildings		16,150.00
Woodman, George & Audrey, Land		7,000.00
Wright, Olive H., Land & Buildings		21,550.00
Whigham, John Stuart & Judy A., Land & Buildings		10,500.00
* Zachariasen, Marion, Land & Buildings		11,600.00
Zilch, Clifford A. & Joyce M., Land & Buildings		25,900.00
Lemieux, Ronald, L., Land & Buildings		14,650.00
Lemieux, Ronald L., Land & Buildings		10,350.00
Lemieux, Ronald L., Land & Buildings		11,000.00
Lemieux, Ronald L., Land & Buildings		12,900.00
Webbm Robert Realty Inc., Land		1,150.00
Webb, Robert Pealty Inc., Land		750.00
Webb, Robert Realty Inc., Land & Buildings		8,300.00
Webb, Robert Realty Inc., Land & Buildings		11,200.00
Webb, Robert Realty Inc., Land		200.00
Webb, Robert Realty Inc., Land		1,000.00

* Entitled to Veteran's exemptions

Annual Reports

of the

School District

of

NEWFIELDS

NEW HAMPSHIRE

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

Charles Mixter, III - Chairman	Term expires March, 1977
Raymond LaBranche	Term expires March, 1978
Lynne P. Sweet	Term expires March, 1979

Regular meetings on the first Thursday of the month
at 7:30 p.m. at the Schoolhouse

James Swisher, Moderator	Sally English, Clerk
David Collings, Auditor	Barbara Hallinan, Treasurer
David Peaslee, Attendance Officer	Vinie Scamman, School Nurse

Other Officers Union #16

Frederick B. King, Superintendent of Schools
Richard S. Short, Teacher Consultant
Daniel Durgin, Business Administrator
Office, R-40 Main St., Exeter (772-4306)

School Session

Elementary School	8:30 a.m. - 11:40 a.m.
	12:15 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
AREA Junior High	7:40 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
AREA High School	7:55 a.m. - 2:38 p.m.

No School Signal

Fire House Signal sounded at 7:00 a.m. - no school that day
Fire House Signal sounded at 11:00 a.m. - no school in the aftn.
In addition to the fire alarm signal, announcement will be made
over radio stations WKXR, WHEB, and WBBX at 7:00 a.m.

Estimated Time of Bus Pick-up

7:10 a.m. Piscassic Rd.
7:10 a.m. Town-Pleasant St.
8:00 a.m. Elementary

AREA School Advisory Committee Representative	Lynne P. Sweet
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Union #16 Meetings

May - Election of Officers and Business
December - Budget and Other Business

Minutes of the Newfields School District Meeting Held
on Monday, March 1, 1976, as Recorded by the
Newfields School District Clerk

The annual School District meeting was held on Monday evening, March 1, at the Newfields Town Hall before a capacity audience. The School District Warrant was sworn to by the chairman of the School Board, Ray LaBranche, and read by the moderator Lindsey Brigham as follows:

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newfields, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the first day of March 1976 at eight o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
2. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
3. To see if the District will raise and appropriate a sum, not to exceed three thousand two hundred fifty dollars (\$3,250.) for the purpose of hot topping the driveway up to and around the Newfields Elementary School.
4. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries of school district officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against and appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Equalization 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 the Town.
5. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newfields this 14th day of February 1976.

Raymond LaBranche
Charles J. Mixter
Lynne P. Sweet
School Board of Newfields

I certify that on the 14th day of February 1976 I posted copies of the within warrant, attested by the School Board of said District, at the place of meeting within named, and at the Post Office, being public places in said District.

Raymond LaBranche, Chm.
Newfields School Board

Rockingham, ss

Personally appeared the said Raymond LaBranche and made oath that the above certificate by him signed is true.

Before me,
Mary B. Hallinan,
Clerk of the School District

ARTICLE 1 - All reports appear in the Town report.

ARTICLE 2 - No action needed on this article.

ARTICLE 3 - Moved by Justin Renner, seconded by Elizabeth Hankin that the article not be adopted.

Raymond LaBranche explained the article saying they had had an estimate from an outside firm as to hot topping. There are various opinions as to the length of time hot topping will stay. Mary Stevens asked if there was any reason why the driveway couldn't be oiled. Mr. Renner asked how much it would cost to oil same. Mr. LaBranche said under \$1,000.00.

The moderator put the motion to a vote, and it was voted not to raise the money asked for in the article.

Norman Rollins then asked if the driveway would be oiled. The School Board said that it would be.

ARTICLE 4 - The budget was read by Ray LaBranche who explained it item by item as he read it. After the reading of the prepared budget, Mr. LaBranche asked if Mrs. Mary Lyster, principal of the school, could speak. There were no objections. Mrs. Lyster spoke of her many proposals for the betterment of the Newfields Elementary School in the coming year. She explained that in as much as Mrs. Pearl Marston, first grade teacher, is retiring this year she plans to have the first and second grades together and use a "master intern" teacher from the University to work with the first grade. This teacher will come for a salary of \$3,000.00 and is able to do everything a regular teacher can do. She plans to match each child in grades 3, 4 and 5 according to their level. She feels the District is and has been spending too much money for what we're getting. There will be no transition children this year, and no one at the Rockingham School. These will be absorbed in the Newfields School. There will be no permanent substitute as previously. We will save \$699.00 per student on transition and \$1800.00 per student at the Rockingham School.

Some one questioned the number of teachers for so few children. Mr. LaBranche said we have six full-time teachers and including the part-time teachers it would come to a total of 7 and one-fifth teachers. Many people questioned the apparent high salaries being received by the teachers.

Alfred Conner, Jr., asked what the rental was we pay Exeter for children attending school there. He was told it was based on our equalized valuation.

Dr. Mixter stated that the amount of money Newfields has control of is s.5% or about \$2,000.00.

Robert Nixon moved that the district raise and appropriate \$268,904.00 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents, and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, and that there be applied against said appropriations such sums as are estimated to be received from the State of New Hampshire together with any other income and that the School Board be authorized to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated income and the appropriation as an assessment to be raised by the Town by taxes. Motion seconded.

Moderator called for a "yes" and "no" vote and declared the "yes" vote carried. Lester Plumer challenged the decision of the moderator. The moderator then asked all those in favor to stand and William Tebo made the count. Those against then stood. The moderator declared again that the motion was carried.

ARTICLE 5 - Under any other business Norman Rollins suggested all present write the Governor, our legislators, etc. that they support a State Income Tax to help support the education of our children.

No other business to come before the meeting it was voted to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary B. Hallinan, Clerk
Newfields School District

School District Officers were elected at the annual town meeting held on Tuesday, March 2 and are as follows:

Moderator - James Swisher
Clerk - Mary Hallinan (who declined)
Treasurer - Barbara Hallinan
School Board - Lynne P. Sweet

SCHOOL WARRANT
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newfields, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the Eighth day of March, 1977, at two 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 Treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose an Auditor for the ensuing year.
5. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
6. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newfields this 19th day of February, 1977.

Charles Mixter, III

Lynne P. Sweet

Raymond LaBranche
School Board of Newfields, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

Charles Mixter, III

Lynne P. Sweet

Raymond LaBranche
School Board of Newfields, N.H.

SCHOOL WARRANT
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Newfields, New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the Seventh day of March, 1977, at eight o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
2. To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
3. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for School District Officials and Agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against and appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Equalization 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 the Town.
4. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

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Newfields Report - Superintendent of Schools

The year 1976, the Bicentennial Year, has now passed. I feel the pupils' lives have been enriched by the various activities the school was involved in to commemorate this year. A major thread running through the history of American education has been a concern for students as individuals. I feel Newfields has emphasized this greatly in the school programs we have and Mary Lyster, the school principal, reflects this in the following report:

"It is with pleasure that I submit my second annual report as Principal of Newfields Elementary School.

The year has been most successful and productive as the plans developed during last year have become a visible part of the teaching-learning environments and programs. The Primary and Intermediate units are functioning extremely well as students' needs and talents are being recognized and met through various grouping patterns allowing for greater interaction among peers and teachers. Achievement scores have risen dramatically, the budget is in good shape, the building is in fine condition and the students and staff are working daily to further achieve our goals of excellence and commitment.

My thanks and appreciation are extended to the staff and citizens who have helped further these goals and who share the pride we all have in Newfields Elementary School."

We have, and we will continue to provide a solid basic education to fulfill the needs of the students. As students progress through our schools I believe we want to strive to see they acquire the skills to interact compatibly with each other, to become economically sufficient, to use communication effectively, and to develop civic responsibilities.

If the student is to survive in the job market ahead he needs these vital skills. I also feel the schools have an added goal. To be educated means also to be responsible, with a "value" system which strengthens law and order, human relations, uniqueness of the individual, and a true sense of moral obligations. As a tax payer you have every right to have the school join the church and family in aiding in the training of our children to examine value more carefully. One cannot involve a child in schooling from the time he is 6 until he is 18, and not expect an effect upon the way he thinks about moral issues and the way he behaves.

As your superintendent my goal is to produce a citizenry that will do us proud in the twenty first century. Let's all work together in the education of the Newfields' children toward that goal!

Newfields School Board Report

"Your committee in presenting to the town this annual report of the condition of our schools, can say, that upon the whole, they have made very good progress during the past year."

"An extended examination in all the studies pursued in a school, is not necessary to judge of its character and condition. The appearance of the scholars, the way they sit, stand or move from place to place, the tone of voice -- these are some of the items to be considered, scarcely less important than the mere answers to questions proposed."

"The importance of the Primary School cannot be overrated. It forms the basis of our educational system. Here the child must learn what a school is -- how to behave, and how to study when in school. The work well done here will never be lost in subsequent life."

"It seems to me that most of the questions pertaining to order and government should be settled at home by the parents. There should be a right public sentiment in regard to those annoying evils which have crept into our schools. Would it were not necessary for teachers to expend so much of their time in enforcing obedience and order."

"The art of writing is being neglected altogether too much in our schools. Something should be done to redeem this art. Good writing and good spelling are indispensable requisites in the business of life. Our Schools are intended by the laws of the State to instruct children in writing as well as other branches, and care should be taken that every one of suitable age should be able to write a legible and correct hand."

The previous text was taken from the school report of the town of "South Newmarket, N. H." for the year ending March 1, 1868. These excerpts are not meant to necessarily reflect present conditions in our school, but serve to remind us that each generation had their own set of problems.

Many changes have been made this past year in staffing, curriculum, and in the organization of the school day. As we reflect on the past and look to the future we must realize the constant need for re-evaluation.

We, your school committee in 1976, are very pleased with the advances made in the educational program at the Newfields School, made possible through the efforts of the principal, staff and many dedicated volunteers.

We also wish to thank Mrs. Gladys Chick for loaning us the 1868 annual report.

Newfields School Board
Charles D. Mixter, III, Chairman
Raymond LaBranche
Lynne P. Sweet

TREASURER'S REPORT
July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976

Balance July 1, 1975		\$ 13,751.02
Town Appropriation		233,021.34
State - Sweepstakes	\$ 5,420.09	
Foundation Aid	4,359.60	
Building Aid	940.00	
Other	<u>94.08</u>	10,813.77
Federal - PL 874	\$ 5,003.00	
Milk Monies	<u>407.12</u>	5,410.12
Tuition		617.50
Trust Fund		147.67
Other		<u>1,111.51</u>
Total Receipts and Balance		\$264,872.93
Less School Board Orders Paid		<u>248,141.48</u>
Balance on Hand June 30, 1976		<u>\$ 16,731.45</u>

July 7, 1976

Barbara A. Hallinan, Treasurer

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 Newfields, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1976, and find them correct in all respects.

July 8, 1976

David Collinge
Auditor

TREASURER'S REPORT
NEWFIELDS SCHOOL DISTRICT
July 1, 1976 - January 31, 1977

Balance, July 1, 1976		\$	16,731.45
	Receipts		
Town Appropriations			196,790.18
State Sources:			
School Building Aid	\$	940.00	
Sweepstakes		7,120.58	
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			8,060.58
Federal Sources:			
Milk Monies		334.99	
PL 874		2,588.79	
NDEA Title III		770.07	
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			3,693.85
Other Sources:			
Tuition		267.50	
Stopped payment on check		341.23	
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			608.73
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Total Receipts		\$	225,684.79
	Disbursements		
Paid out on School Board Orders			118,248.34
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		\$	107,636.45
Exeter Cooperative Bank Savings Account			50,000.00
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Balance, January 31, 1977		\$	57,636.45

Barbara Hallinan,
School District Treasurer.

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEWFIELDS

	Expenditures 1975-76	Adopted Budget 1976-77	Proposed Budget 1977-78
ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries of District Officers	\$ 570.00	\$ 570.00	\$ 170.00
Contracted Services	50.00	33.00	109.00
Other Expenses of District Officers	197.86	125.00	575.00
INSTRUCTION			
Salary of Principal	2,499.90	3,000.00	5,716.00
Salaries of Teachers	63,948.30	65,126.00	53,718.00
Salaries - Sec. & Clerical	2,083.14	2,400.00	3,840.00
Textbooks	3,186.38	1,261.00	1,293.00
Library & Audio Visual	444.37	497.00	349.00
Teaching Supplies	4,396.25	4,747.00	5,547.00
Contracted Services	173.87	300.00	790.00
Other Expense of Instruction	449.91	671.00	574.00
ATTENDANCE SERVICES	25.00	30.00	30.00
HEALTH			
Nurse's Salary	1,420.00	1,491.00	1,580.00
Supplies	49.30	92.00	100.00
Contracted Services		100.00	100.00
TRANSPORTATION			
To Public Schools	12,600.00	13,320.00	13,620.00
Handicapped Children	1,436.32	2,354.00	2,120.00
OPERATION OF PLANT			
Janitor's Salary	3,029.56	3,240.00	3,465.00
Janitor's Supplies	1,030.01	850.00	900.00
Fuel	1,955.91	2,600.00	2,600.00
Utilities (Lights, Tel., Water)	1,777.99	1,900.00	2,125.00
Contracted Services	230.00	320.00	360.00
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT			
Replacement of Equipment	156.00	248.00	
Contracted Services	2,644.30	1,585.00	675.00
Other Expenses	124.84	160.00	160.00
FIXED CHARGES			
Retirement	1,274.05	625.00	899.00
FICA	4,293.14	4,367.00	3,962.00
Insurance	1,350.02	1,514.00	1,683.00

	Expenditures 1975-76	Adopted Budget 1976-77	Proposed Budget 1977-78
SCHOOL LUNCH/MILK			
Federal Monies	\$ 407.12	\$ 350.00	\$ 450.00
STUDENT BODY ACTIVITIES	50.00	100.00	100.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY			
Sites			500.00
Equipment	618.84	1,080.00	594.00
DEBT SERVICE			
Principal	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Interest	829.50	711.00	593.00
OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS			
Tuition, Public Schools	125,580.58	143,109.00	129,664.00
Supervisory Union Expense	5,121.02	5,819.00	6,285.00
Other In-State Expenditures	852.00	1,209.00	1,229.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OR SCHOOL APPROPRIATION	\$247,855.48	\$268,904.00	\$249,475.00
RECEIPTS			
Balance (Actual or Estimate)	\$ 13,751.02	\$ 12,708.24	\$ 10,000.00
State Aid - Foundation	4,359.60		
State Aid - School Building	940.00	940.00	750.00
State Aid - Sweepstakes	5,420.09	7,120.58	7,100.00
Federal Aid - School Lunch/Milk	407.12	350.00	450.00
Federal Aid - PL 874	5,003.00		
Earned Interest	906.59	850.00	850.00
Trust Fund	147.67	145.00	
Tuition	617.50		
Other - Local Sources	13.00		
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$ 31,565.59	\$ 22,113.82	\$ 19,150.00
Business Profits Tax	22,739.00	23,875.00	25,068.00
District Assessment	210,282.34	222,915.18	205,257.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED OR TO BE VOTED BY THE DISTRICT	\$255,527.00	\$268,904.00	\$249,475.00

REPORT OF THE BUSINESS ADMINISTRATOR

Daniel C. Durgin

Rising prices, increased cost for services, higher utility rates, inflation--none of us is unfamiliar with what the foregoing represents.

Unfortunately, school districts are no less subject to the economics of our society than are we as individuals. Because just as we are consumers, so too is a school district. Being a consumer of goods and services, the school district is confronted with the same budgetary pressures as is every family.

The impact of sharply rising costs on the school district is usually dramatic and has a direct effect on every resident, whether property owner or renter. Assuming no significant increase in revenue from state sources, the property tax must continue to bear the burden of inflation. Although, this is a most serious problem for everyone, some communities with a broader tax base (taxable property which includes not only residences but significant non-residential property as well) are better able to cope with the problem than others. It is the small community comprised of mainly modest residential property that gives one particular cause for concern.

Typically, the small school district, such as East Kingston, Newfields or Kensington, has an equalized valuation (the dollar amount of taxable property assessed at total value or 100%) of under \$20,000,000. A district with an equalized valuation of \$12,000,000 for example, would have to raise its tax rate the equivalent of \$1.00 for each \$12,000 of increased expenditure. In other words, adding an amount of money equal to a little more than an experienced teacher's salary to the school budget would add \$1.00 to the tax rate.

Salary increases to staff have a significant effect on the school budget. Although the size of the increase is important, it is also important to note the number of staff members covered by the increase. For example, a 6% increase granted to all Exeter staff would increase the budget by approximately \$160,000 equivalent to \$1.25 on the tax rate based on current valuation. Add to that another 8% for social security and retirement which are tied directly to salary and we have an additional \$12,800.

So a hypothetical increase of 6%, which is not an uncommon occurrence today in the public or private sector, raises expenditures by \$172,800 before consideration of textbooks, fuel oil, utilities, equipment, insurance and the many other items that make up the total school budget. It is this kind of situation that confronts every school board and administrator.

While salaries rise in response to pressures brought about by inflation, costs of other goods and services necessary to the operation of the school district increase at what often is a more rapid rate.

We are all familiar with what has happened in the past four years to the price of fuel oil. In 1973-74, the total amount budgeted for fuel oil in the six towns of S.U.# 16 was \$32,450. For 1977-78, a total of \$77,336 has been budgeted or a 138% increase. Fuel costs over the same period have climbed approximately 157%.

Although fuel is an extreme example, increases in virtually every other expenditure area can be cited. Even something as subtle as increased values of school buildings leads to increased expenses due to the need to raise insurance coverage to keep pace with higher replacement costs.

Coping with the problems of our economy is not an easy nor a pleasant task. Among other things, it requires careful planning, management based on accurate information and, above all, restraint.

With the continued cooperation of everyone concerned, we shall strive to provide the best education possible with the resources available.

TEACHERS' SALARY SCHEDULE 1976-1977

<u>Step</u>	<u>B. A.</u>	<u>M. A.</u>
1	7,300	7,700
2	7,650	8,050
3	8,000	8,400
4	8,350	8,750
5	8,700	9,100
6	9,050	9,450
7	9,400	9,800
8	9,750	10,150
9	10,050	10,450

TEACHERS' SALARY SCHEDULE 1977-1978

<u>Step</u>	<u>B. A.</u>
1	7,750
2	8,100
3	8,450
4	8,800
5	9,150
6	9,500
7	9,850
8	10,200
9	10,550
10	10,900

Staff members with a masters degree will be paid on the basis of the appropriate step on the B. A. column plus \$400.

New Hampshire State Department of Education
Office of Commissioner
Concord

Supervisory Union #16
1977-1978 SUPERVISORY UNION BUDGET

Receipts:	
Cash on Hand as of June 30, 1977	\$ 6,655.00
State Support	35,123.00
Federal Funds	82,416.00
Other Receipts (Exclusive of District Share)	106,559.00
Total Receipts (Exclusive of District Share)	\$230,753.00

Expenditures:	
Salaries:	
Supervisory Union Officers	\$ 150.00
Administrative and Supervisory	89,327.00
Clerical and Technical	51,434.00
Travel	3,800.00
Other Expenses	15,730.00
Instruction:	
Salaries	143,291.00
Other Expenses	24,581.00
Health Services:	
Salaries	1,425.00
Other Expenses	75.00
Operation of Plant	9,528.00
Maintenance of Plant	3,134.00
Fixed Charges	38,650.00
Capital Outlay	4,106.00
Contingency Fund	700.00
Total Expenditures	\$385,931.00
Less Estimated Receipts (from above)	230,753.00
Amount To Be Shared by Districts	\$155,178.00

Distribution of \$155,178.00 To Be Raised by Districts

District	1974 Equalized Valuation	Valuation Percent	1975-76 Pupils	Pupil Percent	Combined Percent	District Share
Brentwood	\$ 18,574,836	8.57	191.8	4.98	6.77	\$ 10,505.00
East Kingston	11,350,799	5.25	141.4	3.67	4.46	6,921.00
Exeter	131,153,508	60.56	3,054.9	79.23	69.89	108,454.00
Kensington	13,947,932	6.45	128.8	3.34	4.90	7,604.00
Newfields	12,165,021	5.62	95.4	2.47	4.05	6,285.00
Stratham	29,341,055	13.55	243.3	6.31	9.93	15,409.00
TOTAL	\$216,533,151	100.00	3,855.6	100.00	100.00	\$155,178.00

RUSSELL FIELDSEND,
Chairman, Supervisory Union Board.

Dec. 1, 1976.

Superintendent's Salary 1975-1976

Brentwood	\$ 1,563.75
East Kingston	1,001.25
Exeter	15,707.25
Kensington	1,280.25
Newfields	888.75
Stratham	2,058.75
State's Share	<u>3,500.00</u>
	\$ 26,000.00

Teacher Consultant's Salary 1975-1976

Brentwood	\$ 1,212.78
East Kingston	776.52
Exeter	12,181.85
Kensington	992.90
Newfields	689.27
Stratham	1,596.68
State's Share	<u>2,350.00</u>
	\$ 19,800.00

Business Administrator's Salary 1975-1976

Brentwood	\$ 1,157.18
East Kingston	740.92
Exeter	11,623.37
Kensington	947.38
Newfields	657.67
Stratham	1,523.48
State's Share	<u>2,350.00</u>
	\$ 19,000.00

ROCKINGHAM SCHOOL

CODE	BUDGET ITEMS	EXPENDED	BUDGET	PROPOSED
		1975-76	1976-77	1977-78
210.1	Principal's Salary	\$ 1,449.97	\$ 1,200	\$ 1,400
.2	Substitutes	1,210.00	864	1,120
.3	Professional Study			400
.3	Teachers' Salaries	54,570.03	54,075	63,224
.4	Sal. Instr. Staff	6,228.00	10,897	11,210
.5	Clerical Salaries	4,797.88	5,402	5,733
215	Textbooks	122.53	104	200
220.1	Library Books	122.24	25	25
.4	AV Supplies		208	208
230	Teaching Supplies	2,042.95	1,872	2,000
235	Contracted Instr. Serv.	123.60	416	75
290	Other Instr. Expenses	58.67	156	156
410	Salary - Nurse	1,330.00	1,330	1,425
490	Supplies - Nurse			75
610	Salary - Custodian	2,337.23	2,044	2,688
630	Supplies - Custodian	331.08	325	400
640	Fuel	1,205.00	1,621	1,400
645.1	Water & Sewer	141.13	143	150
.2	Electricity	522.12	406	550
.4	Telephone	416.32	624	500
725	Equipment Replacement	138.70	520	200
735	Maint. Contracted Serv.	4,079.79	2,532	2,000
790	Other Maint. Exp.			150
850.1	Retirement	1,155.64	729	1,440
.3	FICA	4,199.59	4,435	5,078
855	Insurance	790.45	1,229	1,210
1075	Student Activities			100
1267.1	Furniture & Equipment	298.28	312	176
.3	Audio Visual			230
1900	Contingency		3,531	
		<u>\$87,671.20</u>	<u>\$95,000</u>	<u>\$103,523</u>

Estimated Revenue - 25 out of Union @ \$2080	\$ 52,000
25 within Union @ \$2000	50,000
Rent	<u>1,559</u>
	\$103,559

TABLE I
NEWFIELDS PUPILS
TOTAL ENROLLMENT JANUARY 1, 1977

Grades	Spec. Trans.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Rockingham School	1													1
Newfields Elem.		13	18	17	19	11	16							94
Exeter AREA Jr.High								13	15					28
Exeter AREA High Sch.									19	21	14	23		77

Totals

1	13	18	17	19	11	16	13	15	19	21	14	23		200
2	1	13	18	21	12	15	16	17	19	22	15	27	11	209

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TABLE II
PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR ENTIRE YEAR
1975-1976

Meredith Allen
Jeffery Poplawski

TABLE III
NEWFIELDS SCHOOL

Statistics for Grades I to VI for Ten
Years Ending June 30, 1976

School Year	Wks. in Yr.	No. of Boys	No. of Girls	Total Pupils	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance
1966-67	38	63	66	129	114.3	4.8	119.1	96.0
1967-68	38	73	64	137	113.7	5.2	118.9	95.6
1968-69	38	72	60	132	116.3	4.1	120.4	96.6
1969-70	38	74	65	139	120.9	6.1	127.0	95.2
1970-71	38	74	58	132	111.6	4.6	116.2	96.1
1971-72	38	63	49	112	103.2	4.6	107.8	95.7
1972-73	38	69	52	121	110.6	4.2	114.8	96.3
1973-74	38	63	55	118	103.4	4.0	107.4	96.3
1974-75	38	54	53	107	96.4	3.9	100.3	96.1
1975-76	38	47	50	97	90.9	4.5	95.4	95.3

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1977-1978

September (18 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
			1	2
X	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

October (20 days) (21 if no convention)

M	T	W	Th	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14*
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

November (19 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	X
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	X	X
28	29	30		

December (15 days) (14 if no convention)

M	T	W	Th	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21*	X	X
X	X	X	X	X

January (21 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
X	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

February (15 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
X	X	X	X	X
27	28			

March (23 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

April (15 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
X	X	X	X	X

May (22 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	X	31		

June (12 days)

M	T	W	Th	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16

Pupil Days: September through January — 93 days. February through June — 87 days.

Workshop Days: Sept. 1, 2 and 6. Pupils start school — Wednesday, Sept. 7.

Total Calendar: 183 Days.

Days Out

- Sept. 5 — Labor Day
- *Oct. 14 — Teacher's Convention — if none held, a school day and Christmas vacation would be moved up to start one day earlier
- Nov. 11 — Veteran's Day
- Nov. 24, 25 — Thanksgiving Recess
- Dec. 22 (or 21)-Jan. 2 — Christmas Vacation
- Feb. 20-Feb. 24 — Winter Vacation
- April 24-April 28 — Spring Vacation
- May 30 — Memorial Day

Use delayed opening for storm days whenever possible, otherwise hold June 19, 20 and 21 as "snow" or "emergency" day make-ups.

Delayed Opening — Announcements and/or local fire whistles by 7 a.m. indicates a delayed opening — buses will start runs two hours later than usual. If weather is still bad — announcement and/or fire whistle by 8:45 a.m. will mean no school for the day.

VITAL

STATISTICS

Town of Newfields

1976

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1976

MARRIAGES

Jan. 4---Elbridge Fernald Stoneham, Jean Moodie Rau, Exeter, N.H.
Kenneth R. Brown, Minister

Apr. 24---Raymond J. Pelletier, Jr., Susan E. Bond, Newmarket, N.H.
Philip P. Bruni, R.C. Priest

Apr. 25---Thomas H. Fearn, Virginia G. Daley, Rye, N.H.
Lindsey R. Brigham, Justice of the Peace

May 16---Robert Lewis Goldman, Mary Ellen Elliott, Rye, N.H.
Herbert N. Lovemore, Minister

June 12---Andrew T. Bogacz, Bonnie C. Craig, Newfields, N.H.
Elizabeth Hankin, Justice of the Peace

June 26---Arthur L. Bragg, Sandra L. Bragg, Newfields, N.H.
James Gilmore, Justice of the Peace

July 10---George N. Martin, Jr., Lorraine B. Murray, Newmarket, N.H.
Rev. Shane D. Estes, Minister

July 31---Norman Anthony Jackson, Kathleen Stewart, Rye Beach, N.H.
James D. Nichols, Clergyman

Oct. 8---Randy Lynd Wilbur, Margaret Ann Laprise, Newmarket, N.H.
Rev. Shane D. Estes, Minister

Oct. 16---John E. Zarnowski, Robin L. Glass, Newfields, N.H.
Warren E. Cottrett, Justice of the Peace

Oct. 22---Edgar Richard Dow, Hope Nine French, Newfields, N.H.
Elizabeth Hankin, Justice of the Peace

Nov. 3---Gary L. Reynolds, Barbara J. Hodges, Newfields, N.H.
Elizabeth Hankin, Justice of the Peace

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1976

BIRTHS

Jan. 1----Schmidt, Thomas Jefferson - Virginia Mead, Thomas Schmidt
Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Jan. 21----Truman, Zachary Alan - Raymond Trueman III, Janice Margaret Frew
Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Feb. 6----Griffin, Zachary Scott - Larry Donald Griffin, Ellen Louise
Garneau - Portsmouth Hospital, Portsmouth, N.H.

Feb. 26----Stone, Tori Marie - Neil Alan Stone, Gail M. Courtemanche
Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Mar. 14----Lamb, Jesse Floyd - Anthony Patrick Lamb, Rebecca Ann Muntimuri
Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

June 4----Paratore, Kristen - Dominic Anthony Paratore, Jeanne Patricia
Ricardi - Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Aug. 7----Gage, Josie Annan - David Linwood Gage, Marie Theresa Holland
Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Aug. 20----Mixer, Jonathan Cobb - Charles Galloupe Mixer III, Margaret
Sherwood Libby - Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Aug. 22----Lightfoot, Chad David - David Wallace Lightfoot, Penelope Lee
MacLean - Exeter Hospital, Exeter, N.H.

Sept. 19----Sharp, Denis Ryan - Dwight Wesley Sharp, Ellen Marie McGrady
Portsmouth Hospital, Portsmouth, N.H.

Oct. 3----Eldridge, Raymong Joseph - Robert Eldridge, Deborah Rae Wallace
Beverly Hospital, Beverly, Mass.

Oct. 16----Whigham, Scott Howard - John Stuart Whigham, Judith Ann Arnold
Beverly Hospital, Beverly, Mass.

DEATHS	Name	Age	Parents
Mar. 17	Mary D. Davey	66	Albert Martell, Mary Nault
Mar. 22	Henry E. Morrison	24	John E. Morrison, Jr., Iowana Harrison
Apr. 11	Dorothy M. Semprini	59	No information
Sept. 25	Granville Wyman Neal	69	Asa G.W.Neal, Lizzie G. Osborn
Nov. 27	Kathleen A. Douglass	52	Wendall E. Poole, Katherine Driscoll

