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**TOWN OF LOUDON,  
NEW HAMPSHIRE**

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**ANNUAL REPORT**

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1973

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**In memory of Archie Page a long time employee  
of Loudon Highway Department**



# ANNUAL REPORT

of the

# Town of Loudon

of the

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector,  
Highway Agent, Librarian, Library Trustees,  
Auditors, Trustees of Trust Funds

For the Year Ending  
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**Municipal Court**

STANLEY H. PRESCOTT, Justice  
MELVIN GULLAGE, Clerk

**Trustees of Maxfield Public Library**

ISABEL PRESCOTT MARGARET RICE  
ELEANOR L. HOFFMAN

**Librarian**

MARGUERITE E. BUZZELL

**Auditors**

RONALD MOORE PHILLIP J. MULKHEY

**Supervisors**

M. INEZ LOVERING ISABEL PRESCOTT  
BEATRICE JENKINS

**Representatives to the General Court**

GEORGE D. KOPPERLE KATHERYN CUSHMAN

**Fire Department**

Fire Department Telephone No. 225-3355  
Give Name, Address and Town

**Fire Department Officers with Telephone Numbers**

WARREN M. JENKINS, Chief, Chichester 798-5402  
ANDREW G. DOWNES, Deputy Chief, Village  
Canterbury 783-6328  
ROYAL L. PAGE, Deputy Chief, Ridge  
Belmont 267-3761  
RALPH MARSTON, Fire Alarm Superintendent

**Warden and Deputy Wardens**

WARREN M. JENKINS, Warden 798-5402  
ANDREW G. DOWNES, Deputy Warden 783-6328  
ROYAL L. PAGE, Deputy Warden 267-3761



JOHN PAYNE 783-4267  
MELVIN MULKHEY 783-6337

**Planning Board**

STANLEY PRESCOTT, Chairman  
ROBERT HIBBARD, Secretary  
RICHARD MURPHY  
ROBERT P. ORDWAY  
ROBERT WARNER  
LEVI K. LADD  
RAYMIE K. RATTEE

**Conservation Commission**

	<b>Term Expires</b>
JOHN PAYNE, Chairman	1975
DENNIS CHESLEY, Secretary	1974
C. MARSHALL BEALE	1975
HARVEY BERGERON	1974
RAYMOND CUMMINGS	1976

**Dump Study Commission**

ARNOLD STORRS                      ROBERT HIBBARD  
   WILLIAM CHESLEY

**Civil Defense Director**

WILLIAM CHESLEY

**Planning Board Variance Committee**

	<b>Term Expires</b>
GUY DEERING	1974
STANLEY MADISON	1975
EDWARD ROWSE	1975
MELVIN W. MULKHEY	1974
ROBERT WARNER	1974

**TOWN WARRANT**  
**The State of New Hampshire**

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

(L.S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Loudon on Tuesday, the 5th day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

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

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

Polls will open at 9:00 A.M. and close not earlier than 7:00 P.M.

3. To see if the Town will vote to allow 2% discount on all property taxes paid within thirty days after presentation of tax bill.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums of money not to exceed in the aggregate more than 75% of the anticipated amount to be collected in taxes for the current municipal year and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town of Loudon negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be paid in 1974 from taxes collected during the current municipal year.



5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the Highway Capital Reserve Fund.

6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$357.00 for the Concord Hospital to help defray their estimated deficit for the year of 1974.

7. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund as set up in the 1963 Town Meeting.

8. To see if the Town will vote to become a member of the regional planning commission, now organized and named the Central New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission. This Commission has membership of more than ten municipalities and has jurisdiction over the planning region delineated by the Office of State Planning. The objective of the Commission is to plan for and encourage regional planning analysis, provide consensus of major problems of regional concern and to assist in the effectuation of projects within, and which extend beyond, the boundaries of a particular town.

The Commission has only the authority conferred on it by Chapter 36:45-53, Revised Statutes Annotated 1955, and is advisory to local governments in the Region. Members of the Commission shall be appointed by the Selectmen in accordance with State Law. Two representatives will be appointed from Loudon, N. H.

9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$1,206.00 as the Town's share for the studies and operation of the Central New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission. These funds will be used for financing the staff, operation expenses, planning studies, technical assistance and other programs of the Commission. These funds may be used in conjunction with other State and Federal funds available for planning purposes.

10. By Request: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the Loudon Conservation Commission, to be used for the purpose of acquiring land for conservation purposes. Any money not spent may be held for future acquisition.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$430.00 to maintain and continue the delivery system of services to the poor through the Concord Center of the Belknap-Merrimack Community Action Program Inc.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of \$500.00 to be used to erect basketball poles, backboards and nets located on the Loudon School grounds for citizen use.

13. To see if the Town will transfer the special account of money received for the sale of the old fire truck to the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund.

14. By Request: To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to sell to Davis Forrest Industries for \$3,000.00, the towns undivided half interest in the 20 acre Taylor lot. The other undivided half interest being purchased by Davis Forrest Industries for \$3,000.00. The property is landlocked, and abutts Wage Corporation on the north, Soucook River on the east, Concord Lumber Co. on the south, and Royal Page and Davis Forrest Industries on the west.

15. To see how the Town wishes to dispose of the balance of money left from the Bicentennial Committee.

16. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to use Capital Revenue Funds to buy a new diesel truck with body to replace existing 1970 gas truck with body (estimated cost to be \$17,500.00).

17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Revenue Sharing Trust Fund and transfer to the following accounts as listed \$14,718.20.

Loader Note	\$ 5,468.20
Loudon Fire Dept. Alert System	750.00
Maxfield Public Library	1,500.00
Highway Capital Reserve Fund	5,000.00
Fire Dept. Capital Reserve Fund	2,000.00
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Total	\$14,718.20

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

Given under our hands and seal, this 8th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-four.

RAYMIE K. RATTEE  
GUY DEERING  
ARNOLD STORRS  
Selectmen of Loudon, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

RAYMIE K. RATTEE  
GUY DEERING  
ARNOLD STORRS  
Selectmen of Loudon, N. H.



## OFFICE OF SELECTMEN

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Nineteen Hundred Seventy-Three was our Bicentennial year and our Bicentennial Committee deserves a well done and many thanks for the outstanding job they did. For many it meant renewing memories with old friends from past years and for others meeting new people and making new friends for years to come.

Our Fire Department has made many improvements and the guarantee of response when help is needed is even more assured then ever. We thank you.

I believe our Police Department has to be commended for its fine work and many hours. Many of us forget it is not a full time Department. Their income more than offsets their cost this year even after buying a new Cruiser (by the way, no help from the Crime Commission, we paid for the whole car).

Our Highway Department has been plagued by many breakdowns this past year. Much of our equipment is in need of replacement. An orderly method of replacement should be adopted by raising a predetermined amount to be deposited in Capital Reserve Fund so as replacement will not create ups and downs in taxes. The depreciation per year should be raised and adjusted by current replacement cost each year.

We face many problems in the coming year such as approximately a 30% increase in our school Budget for our Town which will be reflected directly in our Tax Bills. We feel we will have to take a long hard look at land values.

The time for a non-burning Dump is fast approaching and we feel many problems may arise in this area.

The demand for a Tax Map and keeping it up to date is getting more important every day.

Our planning board and several interested Citizens have spent a lot of time trying to come up with some kind of zoning package. Your suggestions as how they can write up this package will be appreciated and helpful. There will be a special Town Meeting later on this year to handle this.

On April 4, 1:30 P.M. at the Loudon Town Hall, there will be a Second hearing on the new proposed Loudon By Pass. We hope everyone will be able to be present.

**Estimated Revenues and Expenditures of the  
Compared  
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures**

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1973	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1973	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1974
<b>From State:</b> .....	\$	\$ 57,701.60	\$
Interest & Dividends Tax .....	1,100.00	.....	1,373.00
Savings Bank Tax .....	.....	.....	796.00
Meals & Rooms Tax .....	7,500.00	.....	10,000.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V) .....	19,677.87	.....	19,589.46
Reim. A/C Bus. Profits Tax (Town Portion)	9,000.00	.....	10,601.00
<b>From Local Sources:</b>			
Dog Licenses .....	900.00	999.50	900.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees ...	400.00	535.00	400.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees .....	23,000.00	31,806.80	28,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits .....	2,500.00	5,549.28	3,000.00
Fines & Forfeits — Municipal & Dist. Ct. ...	3,000.00	9,400.00	6,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes .....	4.00	5.10	5.00
Resident Taxes Retained .....	3,500.00	8,920.00	9,000.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed .....	1,500.00	6,472.66	3,000.00
Income from Departments .....	600.00	.....	400.00
Miscellaneous .....	.....	111.58	.....
<b>Surplus</b>			
<b>From Federal Sources:</b>			
Revenue Sharing .....	19,000.00	18,626.20	14,718.20
<b>*Total Revenues from all Sources except property Taxes</b> .....	<u>91,681.87</u>	<u>140,127.72</u>	<u>107,782.66</u>
<b>*Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes</b> .....			10,951.79
Total Revenues .....			\$118,734.45

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



**Ensuing Year January 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974**  
**with**  
**of the Previous Year January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973**

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations		Actual	Estimated
	Previous Year 1973	Expenditures Previous Year 1973	Appropriations Previous Year 1973	Appropriations Ensu- ing Year 1974
<b>General Government:</b>				
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,490.00	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,600.00
Town Officers' Expenses .....	7,000.00	7,393.51	8,000.00	8,000.00
Election & Registration Expenses .....	400.00	671.93	2,000.00	2,000.00
Municipal & District Court Expenses .....	200.00	264.36	600.00	600.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings .....	1,300.00	472.83	1,200.00	1,200.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security .....	2,500.00	1,770.89	2,500.00	2,500.00
Contingency Fund .....	1,200.00	.....	1,200.00	1,200.00
<b>Protection of Persons &amp; Property:</b>				
Police Department .....	5,500.00	8,902.17	7,160.00	7,160.00
Fire Department .....	7,450.00	8,733.42	7,150.00	7,150.00
Care of Trees .....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Insurance .....	4,700.00	4,782.30	5,200.00	5,200.00
Planning & Zoning .....	.....	516.10	.....	.....
Damages & Legal Expense .....	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
Civil Defense .....	100.00	.....	.....	.....
<b>Health Dept. (Incl. Hospitals &amp; Ambulance) ...</b>				
Vital Statistics .....	100.00	383.00	.....	.....
Sewer Maintenance .....	1,200.00	.....	100.00	100.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal .....	3,300.00	2,918.80	3,300.00	3,300.00
<b>Highways &amp; Bridges:</b>				
Town Maintenance — Summer & Winter ....	25,000.00	22,118.04	26,000.00	26,000.00
Street Lighting .....	1,250.00	1,116.40	1,300.00	1,300.00
General Expenses of Highway Department ...	20,000.00	19,951.20	26,000.00	26,000.00
Town Road Aid .....	1,348.75	1,348.75	1,346.25	1,346.25
<b>Libraries: .....</b>				
.....	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>				
Town Poor .....	1,200.00	612.55	1,000.00	1,000.00
Old Age Assistance .....	3,500.00	2,785.88	3,500.00	3,500.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes (Memorial Day, Etc.) .....</b>				
.....	650.00	650.00	150.00	150.00
<b>Recreation .....</b>				
.....	200.00	69.45	300.00	300.00
<b>Public Service Enterprises:</b>				
Cemeteries .....	600.00	272.00	900.00	900.00
Advertising & Regional Associations .....	125.00	82.25	300.00	300.00
<b>Debt Service:</b>				
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds .....	5,468.20	5,468.20	5,468.20	5,468.20
Interest — Long Term Notes & Bonds .....	450.00	450.00	1,250.00	1,250.00
Interest on Temporary Loans .....	1,250.00	2,093.65	2,250.00	2,250.00
<b>Capital Outlay:</b>				
Canterbury Tax .....	50.00	54.18	60.00	60.00
Discounts & Abatements .....	2,000.00	88.83	2,000.00	2,000.00
<b>Payment to Capital Reserve Funds .....</b>				
.....	.....	7,500.00	.....	.....
<b>Total Appropriations .....</b>	<b>\$105,241.95</b>	<b>\$118,734.45</b>	<b>\$118,734.45</b>	<b>\$118,734.45</b>

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

Cash in Checkbook .....	\$ 8,077.57
Land Sale Account .....	35,368.39
Revenue Sharing Acc. ....	4,289.41
Capital Reserve Funds:	
Fire Department .....	2,451.86
Highway Department .....	7,193.91
Accounts Due to the Town:	
Joint Highway Const. Acc.	
Unexpended Bal. in State	
Treasury .....	2,153.37
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1972 .....	16,125.46
Levy of 1971 .....	6,478.82
Previous Years .....	7,381.86
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1973 .....	70,278.95
Levy of 1972 .....	2,450.60
	\$162,250.20
Total Assets .....	

### Liabilities

Due to State:	
2% Bond & Debt Retirement	
Taxes Uncollected .....	\$ 899.81
Notes Outstanding .....	21,872.80
School District:	
Taxes Payable .....	40,000.00
	\$ 62,772.61
Total Liabilities .....	
Current Surplus .....	99,477.59
	\$162,250.20
Surplus Dec. 31, 1973 .....	99,477.59
Surplus Dec. 31, 1972 .....	55,115.87
	\$ 44,361.72
Net Increase in Surplus ....	

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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Town Hall, Land and Buildings	\$ 15,000
Furniture and Equipment	2,500
Libraries, Land and Buildings	12,000
Furniture and Equipment	2,500
Police Department Equipment	4,000
Fire Department Land & Buildings	12,000
Equipment	35,000
Highway Department, Land & Buildings	12,000
Equipment	40,000
Material and Supplies	1,000
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Total	\$136,000

## SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land	\$1,189,820
Buildings	4,681,331
Factory Buildings	14,675
Gas & Electricity Property	273,216
Trailers & Mobil Homes	466,836
Boats & Launches	11,225
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	6,637,103
Less Exemptions	8,450
Less War Service Exemptions	127,413
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Net Inventory	\$6,501,240



## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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Jan. 1, 1973 to May 31, 1973

### Receipts

Auto Permits:

1972	\$ 968.66
1973	30,400.81
1974	437.23

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\$31,806.70

Dog Licenses:

1973	\$ 905.50
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Late Penalties

94.00

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\$ 999.50

Beano Licenses

\$ 300.00

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\$ 300.00

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\$33,106.20

### Remittances

Total Remittances to Town Treasurer

\$33,106.20

MARY E. MAXFIELD  
Town Clerk

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT**

**Yield Tax**

**Levy of 1969**

**Debits**

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1973		
Yield Taxes	\$180.16	
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Total Debits		<u>\$180.16</u>

**Credits**

Remittances to Treasurer During Current Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1973		
Yield Taxes	\$180.16	
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Total Credits		<u>\$180.16</u>

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS**

**Property, Resident and Yield Taxes**

**Levy of 1973**

**Debits**

Taxes Committed to Collector		
Property Taxes	\$334,501.30	
Resident Taxes	9,340.00	
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Total Warrants	\$343,841.30	

Yield Taxes	7,047.26
Added Taxes	
Property Taxes	419.63
Interest Collected on	
Delinquent Taxes	.37
Penalties Collected on	
Resident Taxes	48.00
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Total Debits	<u><u>\$351,356.56</u></u>

**Credits**

Remittances to Treasurer	
Property Taxes	\$258,096.34
Resident Taxes	6,650.00
Yield Taxes	1,648.42
Interest Collected	.37
Penalties on	
Resident Taxes	48.00
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	\$266,443.13
Discounts Allowed	4,850.44
Abatements During Year	
Property Taxes	1,695.20
Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1973	
Property Taxes	70,278.95
Resident Taxes	2,690.00
Yield Taxes	5,398.84
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	78,367.79
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Total Credits	<u><u>\$351,356.56</u></u>

SHIRLEY W. LAMPRON  
Tax Collector





Penalties on Resident Taxes	217.00	
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Discount Allowed		1.58
Abatements Made During Year		
Property Taxes		214.30
Uncollected Taxes — December 31, 1973		
Property Taxes	2,450.60	
Resident Taxes	920.00	
Yield Taxes	1,646.60	
	<hr/>	5,017.20
Total Credits		<u><u>\$72,023.80</u></u>

SHIRLEY W. LAMPRON  
Tax Collector

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNTS**  
**Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1973**

	Debits			Previous Years
	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of			
	1972	1971	1970	
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes as of January 1, 1973	\$ .....	\$19,214.54	\$5,342.03	\$3,937.43
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	19,044.31	.....	.....	.....
Interest Collected After Sale	87.31	1,458.23	199.30	213.67
Redemption Costs	5.00	8.50	2.00	1.00
Total Debits	<u>\$19,136.62</u>	<u>\$20,681.27</u>	<u>\$5,543.33</u>	<u>\$4,152.10</u>
<b>Credits</b>				
Remittances to Treasurer During Year	\$ 2,918.85	\$12,735.72	\$1,073.51	\$ 824.09
Redemptions Costs	5.00	8.50	2.00	1.00
Interest & Costs After Sale	87.31	1,458.23	199.30	213.67
Unredeemed Taxes — December 31, 1973	16,125.46	6,478.82	4,268.52	3,113.34
Total Credits	<u>\$19,136.62</u>	<u>\$20,681.27</u>	<u>\$5,543.33</u>	<u>\$4,152.10</u>

SHIRLEY W. LAMPRON  
Tax Collector

## UNREDEEMED TAXES

	1969	
Chester Cadrette		\$ 269.24
Elmer Davis		19.42
George Duclos		64.06
Loren Eastman		76.57
Charles Green		337.48
Randall Gross		719.89
Mary Landry		22.98
Lauren Lawrence		118.32
James Whittal		541.20
	1968	
Chester Cadrette		259.61
Elmer Davis		18.26
Loren Eastman		83.94
Charles Green		300.68
Warren Webb		202.14
	1965	
Merrill Laslie		15.28
	1963	
Claude Doe		6.30
	1958	
Roland Hoyt		24.42
	1955	
Albert Prue		33.55
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		\$3,113.34
	1970	
George Albee		\$ 231.98
Chester Cadrette		257.96



Roger DeCato	810.65
Charles Green	151.02
Randall Gross	665.98
Arthur Harriman	616.66
Lauren Lawrence	188.25
Robert Neal	324.04
Lewis Oliva	166.74
Roland Rossier	70.87
Stanley Ruggles	231.65
Peter Sowkow	34.70
James Whittal	518.02
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	\$4,268.52

**1971**

George Albee	\$ 235.85
Earl Blanchard	201.31
Chester Cadrette	259.29
Lawrence Clark	63.51
Sherwin Colby	236.48
Robert Currier	501.96
Oliver Green	229.51
Randall Gross	628.04
Arthur Harriman	616.64
Donald Jacobs	213.45
Estelle Kane	214.62
Lauren Lawrence	184.21
Leon Miller (By Error)	121.80
James Minery, Jr.	239.01
Lewis Oliva	184.48
Lawrence Palmer	204.17
Ernest Partridge	454.44
William Sheran	337.22
Peter Sowkow	45.77
Raymond Starrett	218.42
John Storrs	294.45
Charles Walker	223.17

James Whittal	571.02
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	\$6,478.82

1972

George Albee	\$ 210.00
Ray Bigwood	74.55
Richard Bolduc	204.38
Charles Brace	58.31
Bryar Motorsport Park	5,543.73
Chester Cadrette	221.23
Winifred Call	106.18
Williard Cameron	41.46
Herbert Cleashy	322.36
Sherwin Colby	218.76
Leslie Cord	120.11
William Crowley (By Error)	193.14
Robert Currier	490.90
Richard DeCato	210.00
David Follansbee	179.10
William Flaherty	273.21
William Fenney	260.56
Oliver Green	204.38
Charles Green	283.03
Edward Hawkins	274.61
Michael Kaufman	35.84
Richard Kendall	134.34
Lauren Lawrence	164.22
Theo Littlefield	344.83
Lawrence Lyons	92.07
Fred McAllister	202.98
Thomas McKenna	226.85
James Minery, Jr.	347.64
Gertrude O'Mara	409.81
Lewis Oliva	179.10
Lawrence Palmer	210.00
Ernest Partridge, Jr.	403.82

Robert Poulin	1,074.89
Joseph Richard	629.02
John Sheran	481.07
William Sheran	327.98
James Spearman	35.84
Peter Sowkow	41.46
John Storrs	249.32
Millicent Tuckerman	515.45
John Tucker	249.32
John Vacca	279.61
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	\$16,125.46

#### SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

As of December 31, 1972; June 30, 1973

Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Loader Notes .....	\$21,872.80
Total Long Term Notes	
Outstanding .....	\$21,872.80

**TREASURER'S REPORT**  
**Town of Loudon 1973**

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Balance on hand January 1, 1973	\$ 4,073.41
Property Taxes, 1973	\$258,096.34
National Bank	
Stock Tax	5.10
Yield Tax, 1973	6,445.44
Yield Tax, 1972	27.22
Resident Tax	6,650.00
Property Taxes, Prior Years	78,503.35
Resident Tax, Prior Years	2,270.00
Property Tax, Int.	5,284.28
Resident Tax, Int.	265.00
Redemption Fees	16.50
State of N. H.	57,701.60
Revenue Sharing	18,626.20
Dog Licenses	999.50
Business Licenses & Permits	20.00
Fines —	
Municipal Court	9,400.00
Registration —	
Motor Vehicles	31,806.80
Building Permits	165.00
Beano Perimts	300.00
Junk Yard Permits	50.00
Temporary Loans	120,000.00
Refunds (Ins.)	28.00
Interest Refund	67.08
 Total Receipts	 \$600,800.82



Less Expenditures	592,723.25	
Balance Cash on hand		8,077.57
Balance Cash on hand, Yield Tax Account		1.00
Balance Cash on hand, Revenue Sharing Account		4,289.41
Total Cash on hand, 12-31-73		<u>\$12,367.98</u>
Balance in Land Sale Certificate of Deposit, 2 yr.	33,726.05	
Interest earned to 12-31-73	1,642.34	
Total		<u>\$35,368.39</u>

RAYMOND C. CUMMINGS  
Treasurer

#### STATEMENT OF NOTES OUTSTANDING

New Loader and V-Plow

Date Due:

Jan. 30, 1974 .....	\$5,468.20
Jan. 30, 1975 .....	5,468.20
Jan. 30, 1976 .....	5,468.20
Jan. 30, 1977 .....	5,468.20

Total Notes Outstanding .....	<u>\$21,872.80</u>
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## STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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1973

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 3,490.00
Town Officers Expenses	7,305.89
Election — Registration	671.93
Municipal Court	264.36
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	472.83
Police	8,902.17
Fire Dept. Revenue Sharing	3,615.80
Fire Dept., Including Forest Fires	5,117.62
Insurance	4,782.30
Health Dept., Including Hospital	383.00
Town Dump	2,918.80
Town Road Maintenance	
Duncan Fund	1,033.25
Highway Subsidy	22,118.04
Town Road Aid	3,184.75
Street Lighting	1,116.40
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	19,951.20
Library	1,200.00
Library Revenue Sharing	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	2,785.88
Town Poor	612.55
Memorial Day & Other Celebrations	650.00
Recreation — Parks & Playgrounds	69.45
Cemeteries	272.00
Advertising & Regional Associations	82.25
Regional Planning	516.10
Taxes Bought by Town	19,044.31
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds	88.83
Social Security — Retirement	1,770.89
Withholding Tax	(70.90)
Yield Tax	279.60
Conservation Commission Expenses	2.87

Temporary Loans	120,000.00
Interest Expense	2,543.65
Bonds, Notes, Term Notes, Cap. Reserve	13,052.95
County Tax	22,659.66
Resident Tax	3,479.30
School District Tax	316,801.34
Canterbury Tax	54.18
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Total Expenditures	<u>\$592,723.25</u>

## REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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The Highway Department report for 1973 is as follows:

Town road Aid (T.R.A.) project was the necessary trimming, and cutting, drainage and excavation with gravel was completed from Cate residence to Carter Hill on the Ridge Road. It also was tarred.

1974, hopefully, will see the remaining section completed from Route I-29 to Cate residence.

The Duncan Fund account was utilized on the Old Shaker Road, from the Canterbury end to the bridge. This involved cutting the right of way, necessary drainage, and graveling. 1974, hopefully, will see the paving of this part of Old Shaker Road.

There were numerous culverts put in this year.

We had a 1000 yards of gravel made into bank crush run that was put on dirt roads for grading.

We cut numerous banks on Page Road, Youngs Hill Road, Bee Hole Road, and Capation French Road.

Approximately a 100 yards of cold patch was put out on the tarred roads.

About \$3,000 worth of tar was used on the Ridge Road.

We cut a good section of the trees and brush on the half mile extention of the Bee Hole Road. In 1974 we plan to complete this extention.

This was a bad winter for salt, approximately 150 tons were used during the ice storms.

I regret that during one of these ice storms the oldest member of our crew, ARCHIE PAGE, was accidently killed while doing his job. As a friend and co-worker for many years, he is very much missed.



At this time I would like to call to your ATTENTION that experienced help is hard to obtain at the present salary paid per hr. with only straight time.

Therefore, I respectfully request that the taxpayers of the Town Loudon consider raising the salary level.

At present, the road crew consists of only two men, Oliver Green and myself.

Sincerely,

CHARLES R. HAMMETT  
Road Agent

## BICENTENNIAL REPORT

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These are the ideas that have been suggested for use of the approximately \$2,000.00 left from the Bicentennial celebration.

- a. Put money toward a town park and recreation area including future tennis court and basketball court.
- b. Put the money in the bank and use the interest for activities to celebrate the 1976 National Bicentennial.
- c. Use the money for a yearly 'Old Home Day' celebration in town.
- d. Return the full amount to the town.
- e. Set aside enough money to purchase two iron kettles to be used for cooking the beans for 'bean hole suppers'.
- f. Have the selectmen appoint a person or group to collect the pictures and other memorabilia concerning the Bicentennial. This material could be placed in the town library where it would be available for anyone who wished to peruse.
- g. A town seal made from the original dye of the Bicentennial coin.

At this time we, your Bicentennial Committee would like to extend sincere thanks to you all for your moral and financial support in making our Bicentennial a grand success.

Bicentennial Committee

Mrs. Lucille Ladd  
Chairman

January 30, 1974

## LOUDON BICENTENNIAL FUND

### REPORT OF TREASURER

January 1, 1973 — December 31, 1973

#### Receipts:

Bank Interest	\$ 224.78
Metal Coins	5,480.05
Wooden Coins	1,206.50
Trophy Money	275.13
Dance & Snowmobile Race	1,739.23
Brothers for the Bush	113.00
Horse Show	1,027.32
Bicentennial Souvenirs	832.95
Talent Show	308.00
Chicken Bar-B-Q	369.00
Baked Bean Supper	748.16
Decoration Material	38.00
Beard Contest	121.00
Flea Market Booths	57.00
Auction	52.75
Sales of Books	552.50
Town of Loudon	500.00
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	\$13,645.37

#### Disbursements:

N. H. Blackinton & Co.	\$ 2,222.75
Saymour Trophy Co.	1,094.04
Dalton Awards & Badges	192.32
Lucy Ladd	191.60
Doucette Enterprises	349.70
Keene Advertising Specialties	1,927.02
Melvin Bolden	537.50
Rice Paper Co.	104.72
Capital Offset Co.	3,084.35
A. D. A. Aids Unlimited	153.00

106 Beanstalk	451.25
Margo Ellis	25.00
Steve Davis	15.00
Roberta Lugg	35.20
Pal Investment Club	40.00
Homer Labonte	4.56
Granite State Candy Shoppe	8.77
Parade Costs	1,605.18
Knoll Crest Gardens	12.00
Kentucky Fried Chicken	200.00
Irvin C. Dymont	25.00
Loudon Fire Aux.	20.00
George Schemel	250.00
Prime Meats, Inc.	96.57
Homer H. Hammond	21.00
Frank's Signs	22.00
L. K. Ladd	36.00
Atlas Display Fireworks	350.00
American Legion, Post 88	97.20
Ken Williams, Photography	23.00
Rowland Studios	18.15
Harold R. Colby	180.00
Band	60.00
Monitor Publishing Co.	4.00
Newton Insurance Agency	168.00
Tom Geno	3.20
Jerry Lacasse	13.95
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	\$13,642.03
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Balance on hand December 31, 1972	\$ 2,269.63
Receipts	13,645.37
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	15,915.00



Less Disbursements	13,642.03
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Balance in Concord Savings Bank December 31, 1973	\$ 2,272.97

Respectfully submitted,

FRED J. HACKETT  
Treasurer

January 28, 1974

**REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES  
1973**

Receipts

Balance on hand, January 1, 1973	\$ 498.22
Income from Trust Funds	1,153.14
Interest on Savings Account	44.65
Gift from Mr. & Mrs. Clinton Cowan	90.00
Float Prize	50.00
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Total Receipts to December 31, 1973	\$1,836.01

Expenditures

Fuel Oil	270.40
Care of Grounds	49.15
Electricity	54.74
Miscellaneous	38.00
Repairs to building	229.60
Books and Magazines	420.83
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Total Expenditures	\$1,069.72
Balance on hand December 31, 1973	\$ 766.29

Special Fund

Balance on hand January 1, 1973	127.64
Interest	6.73
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Balance on hand December 31, 1973	\$ 134.37

ISABELLE PRESCOTT  
MARGARET RICE

## REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Balance on hand December 31, 1972	\$11.51
Fines	22.00
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Total	\$33.51

### Expenditures

Supplies	\$ 2.84
Magazines and Books	12.24
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Total	\$15.08
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Balance December 31, 1973	\$18.43

### Resources

Number of volumes January 1, 1973	3,995
Number of volumes added	328
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Total	4,325
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Number of Recordings	81
Number of Magazines	13
Number of Borrowers	282

### Circulation

Fiction	1,030
Non-Fiction	592
Periodicals	467
Juvenile	1,326
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	3,433
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Recordings	18

## Magazines

American Girl	Life
Boys Life	McCall's
Children's Digest	National Geographic
Better Homes and Gardens	Magazine
Current Biography	Natural History
Good Housekeeping	Time
Highlights	Workbench

This year so many things happened at the Maxfield Public Library, the leading one being their float winning an award at the Loudon Bicentennial Parade, for which Peg Buzzell and Isabelle Prescott worked so hard. The open house that followed, with an elaborate display of local artifacts, was well attended by both local and out-of-town people.

Mrs. Eleanor Hoffman

We had many visitors during open-house; people who lived here in the past, newcomers to our town, residents, and folks from near and far. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Muff from Scotland who signed our guest book, later received recognition and a Bicentennial plate as a memento for coming the greatest distance to our celebration.

I think this is an appropriate time to inform our residents that Mrs. "Peg" Buzzell has been serving as our librarian since March 16, 1933 and we extend to her our appreciation and thanks.

Mrs. Ellen Chesley

A new thirty volume set of the Encyclopedia Americana has been added this year. Nine volumes were contributed by Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cowan of our town.

A hand painted picture was a gift of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Malfait. In the corner of the picture appears the name of Nellie James Gurney of Loudon '86. Any information in regard to the picture would be greatly appreciated.

Our sincere thanks for the many books and magazines donated during the year.

To all who helped in any way to make 1973 a successful year many many thanks and especially to the following persons who helped to make our Bicentennial celebration a success.

Isabelle Prescott who spent many hours planning and working on our library float.

Margaret Rice for getting the greens for decorating. Billy and Brian Currier, also Mary Wheeler for helping to decorate. Kathy and Diane Morin who took part on the float. Mr. Stanley Prescott for building the frame for our float. Mr and Mrs. Fred Hackett for loaning, to me, the beautiful parasol. Fred believes the parasol belonged to his great-grandmother.

Open house was held following the Parade. Refreshments were served by:

Mrs. Eleanor Hoffman	Mrs. Marjorie Buzzell
Mrs. Ellen Chesley	Mrs. Dorothy Downes

Articles on display were loaned by:

The Loudon Antique Shop	Mrs. M. Inez Lovering
Mrs. Bernice Potter	Miss Theresa Batchelder
Mrs. William Chesley	Miss Janet Batchelder
Mrs. Marjorie Buzzell	Mrs. Melvin Mulkhey
Mr. & Mrs. Robert French	Mr. & Mrs. Norman Maynard
Mrs. Dorothy Downes	Mrs. Stanley Prescott
Mrs. Irene Batchelder	Mrs. Grace Maynard
Mrs. Marguerite Buzzell	Mrs. Jacqueline Hickox of Manchester, N. H.



One visitor who presented a great deal of information about the history and people of our town, while reminiscing, was Mrs. Ruth (Sanborn) King. Mrs. King is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Sandborn. Ruth and other Guests, who gathered in the library, certainly made the afternoon most enjoyable and entertaining as well as informative.

Finally, I want to thank the young boys and girls for the wonderful articles loaned for the Exhibit held in Penacook for the fifth and sixth grades. The letters I received from the students in the fifth and sixth grades were just beautifully written and certainly appreciated.

MARGUERITE E. BUZZELL  
Librarian

**LOUDON MUNICIPAL COURT**  
**ANNUAL REPORT**  
**1973**

Total no. of criminal cases disposed of during year 503

Criminal Cases — Cash Receipts:

Total cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1972	\$317.57	
Total amount of fines collected	11,775.20	
Total amount of bail forfeitures	1,600.00	
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Total amount of receipts		\$13,692.77

Criminal Cases — Cash Disbursements:

Total fines & for. paid to state	\$3,747.20	
Total amount expended to court	120.00	
Other expenses	15.00	
Total amount paid town	9,400.00	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1973	410.57	
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Total Disbursements		13,692.77

Bail Account:

Bail on hand Dec. 31, 1972	.....	
Bail collected 1973	6,065.00	
Bail returned on discharge	3,465.00	
Bail forwarded to Sup. Court	1,000.00	
Bail forfeitures during 1973	1,600.00	
Bail on hand Dec. 31, 1973	.....	
Total Bail Account		6,065.00

MELVIN G. GULLAGE  
Clerk

## FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

1973

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Your Fire Department has advanced more this past year. We are in full operation with the Concord Dispatch System — all Fire emergency calls go through them — 225-3355. This is 24 hour coverage on reporting emergencies. We have twelve tone alert monitors in the homes of firemen and hope to add some more this year.

Also, in updating and planning for better coverages, we have formed an overlapping system with the Lakes Region Mutual Aid in the Ridge and Upper City areas. Two companies from Lakes Region Mutual Aid will run first call with us on “structural fires.” This will give these out-lying areas far better coverage than they ever had. All this new Fire Emergency Coverage is interlocked in the new radio alert network.

I might add, anyone who is interested in looking over this new dispatch system in Concord, please feel free to make arrangements with your Chief or Deputy Chief Andrew Downes.

We have enjoyed the interest of several young men joining the Fire Department. We are very proud of them, as you all should be. They have joined with us in more schooling and the work we enjoy in the Fire Service. On many occasions, these young men have picked up the slack spots and made things work more smoothly.

As the growth of Loudon climbs, so do our fire calls. We feel we have kept up with them in keeping losses at a minimum. Your calls, as soon as possible, — no matter how small, can help us help you with any emergency before it gets out of control. PLEASE REMEMBER the telephone number is 225-3355.

Don't wait for the fire to strike before you check your home for fire hazards.

Are attic, basement, closets and garage FREE OF RUBBISH?

Are furnaces and stoves in good working order and placed well away from combustible walls and ceilings?

Are worn electric cords and defective appliances repaired promptly?

Are flammable liquids safely stored?

Plan in advance for fire emergencies. Don't give fire a place to start.

We in the Fire Service enjoy working for you, and your support of your Fire Department is very much appreciated.

To report a FIRE in the town of Loudon, call 225-3355.

Give NAME, TOWN, LOCATION, TYPE OF EMERGENCY, AND YOUR PHONE NO.

# ANNUAL REPORT OF LOUDON FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Selectmen:

Dear Sir:

The following is a brief summary of the activities of the Fire Department for the year 1973.

## KIND OF FIRE

	No. of Alarms	Buildings	Chimney	Mutual Aid	Car	Grass	Misc.
Jan.	2	1	1				
Feb.	4	2		1			1
Mar.	1					1	
Apr.	4					3	1
May	2						2
June	3	1			1		1
July	4	2		2			
Aug.	4			3			1
Sept.	5	1			1		3
Oct.	5			1	1	1	2
Nov.	9	3		4		2	
Dec.	6	1	1	2	1		1
<b>Totals</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>

Number of men in Department: Officers—11, Firemen—60, for a total of 71.

Appropriation for year \$5,375.00.

## EXPENSE FOR YEAR

Salaries .....	\$ None
New Equipment .....	2,033.00
Repairs .....	1,050.00
Other Expenses .....	1,858.05
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>\$4,941.05</b>

We travelled over 479 miles.

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN M. JENKINS

Chief



## REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND DISTRICT CHIEF

The New Hampshire Forest Fire Service is represented in every town, city or unorganized place in our state by the forest fire warden. Anyone wishing to kindle an outside fire when the ground is not covered with snow must first obtain the written permission of the fire warden. Except for cooking fires, no fire can be kindled between 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. unless it is a commercial or industrial burn or it is raining. The fire warden is assisted in his work by the District Forest Fire Chief who works for the Department of Resources and Economic Development Forest Fire Service.

Fire prevention was, again this year, the most important part of the Forest Fire Warden's job. Fire statistics show the need with 72% of the fires caused by smoking, debris burning and children. Smokey the Bear is an important prevention tool but he still needs much help from the public. Parents should warn their children of the hazards of playing with matches. Children tend to forget that a lighted match held in their hand is a potential forest fire.

### Forest Fire Record:

	State	District	Town
Fires reported	617	124	3
Acres Burned	244	146	1/8A
Acres average size	.395	1.21A	Spots

RICHARD S. CHASE  
District Fire Chief

WARREN JENKINS  
Forest Fire Warden

## **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

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This is to certify that we have examined the records of the Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Selectmen, Library Trustees, Trustees of the Trust Funds and found them to be correct.

Respectfully submitted,

**PHILLIP MULKHEY**

**RONALD MOORE**

**Auditors**

## **POLICE REPORT**

The Police Department would like once again to thank the people of our town for the added interest and excellent cooperation we have been given.

On different occasions, it has been learned that the summoning of an ambulance has been hindered due to lack of information given. Hurds Ambulance Emergency number is 224-5591. When the Police Department is needed be advised that valuable time can be saved by calling the Loudon Police Department directly 783-4476. If no answer then the State Police in Concord will usually cover the emergency. In each case, be sure to give your name and exact location.

Last year there were 503 court cases in the Loudon Municipal Court and \$9,400.00 in court fine that the town received.

The purchasing of a new Police cruiser has added to our goal of efficiency in serving our community. In it are proper radio communications in which we have contact with Concord Police, Merrimack Sheriff Department, and the N. H. State Police as well as our own radios. The Loudon Police Association also purchased a siren and a wailer. The cruiser has proven to be more efficient in emergency conditions as well as traffic patrol.

Once again, I would like to stress the importance of giving your name, nature of your call and exact location when calling the police department so our dispatcher may give you the prompt and efficient service you deserve.

Chief Robert Fiske 783-4476  
Sgt. Lewis Marston 783-4246  
Sgt. Melvin Gullage 783-4218

Sincerely,

**ROBERT N. FISKE**  
Chief of Police

## CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT

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Since our last annual report, the conservation commission has become involved in many varied projects as a result of its dozen official meetings.

First of these was to successfully sponsor an article on the 1973 warrant to have Currier Road designated scenic under N. H. Statute, thereby protecting its natural beauty. Later in the year, Loudon's Scout Troop 247 held a cleanup of Currier Road at the recommendation of the conservation commission. Three truckloads of debris were removed by the boys.

A \$750.00 Ford Foundation grant was awarded to the commission in mid-summer, to be used for a study of agriculture as a way of life in our community. As many of you know, we have already commenced the project with a survey of Loudon farms. A report of our findings, complete with maps, charts, illustrations, and conclusions is to be published, hopefully to be available by the coming summer.

Commission funds were made available to send an eligible Loudon child to Spruce Pond Conservation Camp for a week, but no one came forward to apply.

Questions concerning the environmental impact of a proposed Route 106 bypass were answered for the commission in a special meeting with representatives from the State Highway Commission.

Booklets on emergency home heating were provided for the townspeople, and may still be obtained free of charge at the selectmen's office.

Two new members were seated on the conservation commission; Raymond Cummings and Raymie Rattee.

One member whose term expired, Bob Hibbard, went off the commission after having served as its first Chairman.

Finally, your commission assisted the Planning Board in the preparation of a proposed zoning ordinance for Loudon. We feel that the town should grow, yet in an orderly fashion that would preserve its rural and agricultural character. For this reason, the Loudon Conservation Commission has voted to officially support the zoning proposal.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN PAYNE, Chairman  
MARSHALL BEALE, Treasurer  
DENNIS CHESLEY, Secretary  
HARVEY BERGERON  
RAYMOND CUMMINGS  
RAYMIE RATTEE



## REPORT OF PLANNING BOARD 1973

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### Members:

Stanley Prescott, Chairman  
Robert Hibbard, Secretary  
Levi Ladd  
Richard Murphy  
Robert Ordway  
Robert Warner  
Selectman Rattee

The Loudon Planning Board dedicated itself in 1973 to widely publicizing and fairly administering the town's subdivision regulations. The Board evaluated ten times the number of subdivision requests considered in 1972, ranging in scope from one lot subdivision to complex residential developments. These regulations have been effective in controlling the direction of Loudon's growth.

A great deal of the board's time has been spent considering the need for further regulation. A zoning ordinance proposal has been prepared and is currently under discussion by the town's voters. The board believes the town is in an era of explosive population growth and feels it is essential that the people of Loudon decide how the town will develop.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT HIBBARD  
Secretary

## REPORT OF THE REGIONAL REFUSE DISPOSAL PLANNING COMMITTEE

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The Refuse Disposal Planning Committee representatives appointed by the Town Moderator in 1972 joined with eleven other communities to form the Capital Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board. The Board action in May was taken under N. H. RSA 53-B:3. The cooperating communities are Allenstown, Bow, Canterbury, Concord, Dunbarton, Epsom, Henniker, Hopkinton, Loudon, Pembroke, Salisbury, and Warner.

In June, the Central N. H. Regional Planning Commission received a \$40,000 Federal grant to plan a refuse disposal system to meet the needs of the cooperating communities according to New Hampshire law. The Refuse Planning Board works with the Regional Commission as the refuse planning operation. The 30 cents per capita solid waste assessment in 1973 was a condition of the Federal contract for all communities in the Disposal Planning Board. These funds are held in escrow to be used to further the disposal planning program with acquisition and site work as necessary. No further solid waste assessment is requested in 1974.

To date, seven sites have been investigated under the engineering contract with the Anderson-Nichols Company to determine the capability of the sites to accept solid waste in landfill operations as required. In 1974, under the 24-month contract, the detailed engineering, operations requirements, costs, financial and legal data will be developed to be presented to member communities for final action in 1975.

Draft prepared for Capital Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board members by the Regional Commission.  
1-25-74

# TRUST FUNDS

## Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Date of Creation	Trust Funds — Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Income During Year					Balance End of Year
			Bal. Principal End of Year	Bal. Beginning of Year	Amount Expended During Year	Paid to Maxfield Library Trustees	Balance End of Year	
			\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
1908	Wm. Maxfield Fund (Lead)	Puritan Funds, Inc.	700.00					
1961	Wm. Maxfield Fund, Maxfield Lib.	N. H. Savings Bank	1,489	Shares				
1908	Wm. Maxfield Fund, Maxfield Lib.	Concord Savings Bank	4,015.70		862.25			
1908	Wm. Maxfield Fund, Maxfield Lib.	Merrimack City Savings Bank	2,151.46		215.49			
1948	George Rowell, Cemetery Fund	Merrimack City Savings Bank	511.79		114.58			
1948	John B. Perkins, Cemetery Fund	Merrimack City Savings Bank	100.00	28.71	27.31		1,219.63	
1927	Amos Currier, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	32.35	6.87	8.00	27.58	
1909	Sargeant Fund, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	22.18	7.04	8.00	31.39	
1952	John & Silas Pearl, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	22.18	6.50	8.00	20.68	
1933	Drake and Foster, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	67.82	9.08	6.00	70.90	
1928	John Jones, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	127.67	17.56		145.23	
1930	Frank Bachelder, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	18.04	6.32		18.36	
1909	Mary Ann Willard, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	149.07	18.70	15.00	152.77	
1927	Hattie Morse, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	47.52	7.89	8.00	47.41	
1930	Ozui Hamblett, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	25.00	3.25	1.50	2.00	2.75	
1950	Edward S. Ordway, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	61.64	8.64	10.00	60.28	
1957	John Winslow, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	70.23	9.59	10.00	78.82	
1962	Charles & Sarah Oate, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	23.69	6.56	4.00	25.65	
1930	Jonathan Diamond, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	136.20	18.03	50.00	104.53	
1933	Samuel Lowell French, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	31.4	5.97	6.00	9.61	
1954	Turner Trust, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	87.32	10.91	4.00	83.33	
1956	Ida M. Dahlgren, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	14.54	6.13	5.00	15.67	
		N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	11.02	5.93	4.00	12.95	
		N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	102.59	16.21	5.00	113.80	

1954	George Griffin, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	10.36	5.90	4.00	12.26
1963	War Memorial Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	208.43	16.51	...	224.94
1963	Rollins & Rogers, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	86.48	9.99	10.00	86.47
1933	Frank M. Ladd, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	68.40	8.92	...	77.32
1958	Robert J. Mudgett, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	10,000.00	2,040.70	633.55	696.95	1,977.34
1948	Veterans Affairs Com., Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	135.04	51.15	9.88	...	61.06
1925	Jeremia Sargeant, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	154.64	13.42	4.00	164.06
1941	Harlie Lath, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	24.64	6.60	4.00	27.24
1917	Subborn & Hucksins, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	291.76	26.82	15.00	297.58
1952	Perley W. Rowell, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	21.43	6.34	4.00	23.87
1939	Harrington & Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	300.00	282.57	30.66	4.00	309.53
1969	Edward Davis, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	91.25	3.51	6.00	91.10
1907	Fernald Fund, Town Poor	Concord Savings Bank	161.21	201.55	24.06	...	315.61
1969	Capital Reserve, Hwy. Dept.	Concord Savings Bank	2,074.37	2,074.97	5,118.84	...	7,193.91*
1953	Alice Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	118.16	16.90	5.00	130.06
1933	Elbredge Wales, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	50.44	7.98	8.00	50.42
1926	Myra Hot, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	63.70	8.70	10.00	62.40
1944	Levi & Lucratur Sanborn, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	10.73	5.88	6.00	10.61
1936	Joseph E. Ross, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	16.27	6.17	6.00	16.44
1886	F. Gertrude Dickerman, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	50.00	7.14	3.02	3.00	7.16
1935	Ivana Foster, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	300.00	343.14	34.22	15.00	362.36
1933	Irene Hamblett, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	39.23	7.98	8.00	38.61
1939	Cora Brown, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	53.04	8.13	8.00	53.17
1942	Chamberlain & Wiggan, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	159.10	19.11	15.00	163.21
1890	Eliza C. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	163.80	14.01	27.00	150.81
1918	Laura A. Clifford, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	277.80	20.07	13.50	284.37
1908	Jeremiah Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	150.00	282.31	23.00	15.00	290.31
1863	Capital Reserve, Fire Dept.	Concord Savings Bank	425.80	...	2,026.06	...	2,451.86†
1964	David & Mary McKerley, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	36.42	12.57	12.57	36.99
1964	Sanborn Trust, Maps & Globes	Concord Savings Bank	2,161.21	...	94.45	616.10	1,639.56
1965	Ernest Baldwin, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	...	5.44	5.00	2.72
1965	Rosco Lovering, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	2.28	5.44	5.00	2.72
1925	Perley Ordway, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	2.28	5.44	5.00	2.72
1972	George Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	3.27	5.47	5.00	3.74
1973	London Conservation, Committee Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	...	...	...	501.00
1973	London Library, Improvement Fund	Concord Savings Bank	1,500.00	...	3.01	...	1,503.01
			...	\$12,857.21	\$8,413.68	\$1,694.55	\$19,576.34

\*Deposit \$5,000.00. Interest \$118.94.  
†Deposit \$2,000.00. Interest \$28.06.





**Births Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1973**

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (If Any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
<b>Late Entries</b>							
<b>1972</b>							
Feb. 29	Concord	Amy Marjorie Hutton	Ben B. Hutton	Beth Ann Maltais	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
Dec. 31	Concord	Amos Gabriel Saunderson	George L. Saunderson	Ann L. Wheeler	Loudon	Mass.	Michigan
<b>1973</b>							
Jan. 15	Concord	Dawn Marie Hills Grove	George C. Hills Grove	Sandra J. Publicover	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
18	Concord	Darcie Joyce Haywood	Dennis G. Haywood	Darlene J. Aoytte	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
23	Concord	David Patrick Hill	Frank R. Hill	Regina-Beth McLaughlin	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
31	Concord	Jonathan David Burpee	Frank J. Burpee	Judith M. Anjoorian	Loudon	Mass.	New Hamp.
Feb. 1	Concord	Jonathan Michael Lane	Erving R. Lane	Alma W. Wheeler	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
6	Concord	Amanda Laura Burke	Timothy M. Burke	Laurel A. Wilcox	Loudon	Michigan	Oregon
7	Concord	Michael Wayne Chagnon	Wayne E. Chagnon	Rosalie F. Haase	Loudon	Germany	New Hamp.
14	Concord	Norman Raymond Preston	Paul P. Preston	Doris B. Tibbitts	Loudon	New Hamp.	Vermont
23	Concord	Rebecca Elizabeth Russell	Henry J. Greemore	Rachel E. Larochele	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
27	Concord	Christopher Michael Hill	James L. Russell	Phyllis L. Haddock	Loudon	New Hamp.	Kentucky
21	Concord	Timothy Daniel Hill	Daniel C. Hill	Joyce A. Nelson	Loudon	New Hamp.	Mass.
22	Concord	Matthew Carter Lee	David J. Lee	Joyce A. Nelson	Loudon	New Hamp.	Mass.
3	Concord	Lisa Rae Paton	Kenneth R. Paton	Patricia A. Avery	Loudon	Vermont	Vermont
10	Concord	Gary Cy Minery, Jr.	Gary Cy Minery	Glennis R. Lane	Loudon	New Hamp.	Vermont
23	Concord	Katy Jane Brown	Robert L. Brown	Marilyn E. Pearl	Loudon	New Hamp.	Conn.
25	Concord	Heather Amber Parker	Donald A. Parker	Janet L. Maxfield	Loudon	New Hamp.	Mass.
28	Concord	Kelly Jeanne Miller	Ralph A. Miller	Marjorie J. Wood	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
May 29	Concord	Thomas John Lawrence	Wayne L. Lawrence	Lydia M. Pouthin	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
June 1	Concord	Harrison Dunham Beale, II	Carl M. Beale	JoAnn Whitham	Loudon	New Hamp.	Ohio
3	Wolfeboro	Barbara Ruth Bohl	Karl F. Bohl	Galen Lucas	Loudon	Conn.	New Hamp.
14	Concord	Chad Edward Austin	Joseph A. Austin	Barbara V. Dimcks	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
30	Concord	Jefferson Lee Davis	Richard E. Davis	Jacklyn R. Simous	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
July 25	Loudon	Clifford Whitney Jones, Jr.	Clifford W. Jones	Iris I. Lawrence	Loudon	Mass.	Florida
Aug. 11	Concord	Abigail Brooks Upton	Robert W. Upton, II	Christine R. Jones	Loudon	Mass.	Florida
Sept. 7	Concord	Jacob Wodrow Endres	Thomas E. Endres	Margaret M. Brooks	Loudon	New Hamp.	Pennsylvania
27	Concord	George Lyman Fiske, III	George L. Fiske, Jr.	Sara J. Archbald	Loudon	New Hamp.	Pennsylvania
Nov. 4	Concord	Matthew James Keefe	James A. Keefe	June M. Hall	Loudon	New Hamp.	New Hamp.
Dec. 12	Concord	Sarah Gwen Anderson	William J. Anderson	Sandal R. Strout	Loudon	New Hamp.	Montana
				Rebecca E. Grant	Loudon	Vermont	Mass.

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MARY E. MAXFIELD, Town Clerk

**Marriages Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1973**

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of Persons by whom married
1973 Jan. 10	Chichester	Ernest R. Richardson Claudia E. Waterson	Loudon Penacook	N. H. N. H.	Russell P. Richardson Martha Welch Claude E. DeGrecnia Ann R. Forrest	N. H. N. H. N. H. N. H.	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Ordained Clergyman
Mar. 3	Loudon	Terry L. Miller Esther L. Munn	Loudon Loudon	Me. Vt.	Elwood T. Miller Jessie L. Sowers Irving A. Wells Edith M. Chase	Me. Vt. Vt. Vt.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
21	Boscawen	Josph M. Elliott Doris M. Coe	Loudon Loudon	N. H. Mass.	Fred Elliott Theresa M. Lawrence Emery V. Nelson	Unknown N. H. Mass.	Kennedy R. Shibles Justice of the Peace
Apr. 1	Chichester	Charles M. Richardson Luann Pelletier	Loudon Pembroke	Mass. N. H.	Doris H. Walker Russell P. Richardson Martha Welch	Mass. N. H. N. H.	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Ordained Clergyman
7	Penacook	Peter J. Rivers Mabel C. Wiggins	Loudon Concord	Mass. N. H.	Rosaire Pelletier Priscilla Townsend Nelson J. Rivers Clara Soucy	N. H. N. H. England Canada	Rev. Oliver C. Northcott Minister of the Gospel
14	Concord	Robert A. Stevens Kathleen Sinnett	Loudon Concord	N. H. N. H.	George A. Keyes Mary Ramsay Robert Stevens Thelma Guay George Sinnett Elaine Harwood	N. H. Scotland N. H. N. H. Mass. N. H.	Norman J. Simoneau Priest

May 18	London	Paul L. Thibodeau	London	R. I.	Lucien J. Thibodeau	Mass.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
		Paula J. Bovesquet	Concord	N. H.	Paul Soucy	R. I.	
June 16	Concord	John K. Holland	Penacook	Mass.	Beverly Parker	N. H.	Sherwood A. Treadwell Minister
		Edeltraud V. Field	London	Ger.	John K. Holland	Mass.	
23	Allenstown	Robert A. Richardson	London	Mass.	Mary E. MacDonald	Me.	Rev. Roger E. Fournier R. C. Priest
		Debra A. Boisvert	Pembroke	N. H.	Raymond R. Field	Germany	
30	Gilmanston	Daniel J. Stafford	Penacook	N. H.	Anna Werner	N. H.	Rev. Sherman A. Stevens Minister
		Terri L. McClintock	London	N. H.	Russell F. Richardson	N. H.	
July 8	London	Alan H. Kenney	London	N. H.	Martha Welch	N. H.	Joseph A Guignard Justice of the Peace
		Mary J. Seeley	London	N. H.	Kene Boisvert	N. H.	
6	London	Edward F. Hamilton	Waltham, Mass.	Mass.	Irene Duval	N. H.	Mary E. Maxfield Justice of the Peace
		Josephine E. Lovereu	Waltham, Mass.	Mass.	Stanley Stafford	N. H.	
21	London	John F. Boyle	London	N. H.	Nancy Bourbeau	N. H.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
		Virginia E. Jenkins	London	N. H.	Bruce McClintock	N. H.	
21	Concord	Paul F. Paquin	London	N. H.	Carol Drescher	N. H.	Winston I. Blake Justice of the Peace
		Belle J. Marshall	Concord	Wash.	John R. Kenney	N. H.	
Aug. 4	London	Donald M. Green	London	N. H.	Kathleen Brown	N. H.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
		Fay E. Minery	London	N. H.	Angus R. Seeley	Me.	
10	Chichester	Roland J. Moody	London	N. H.	Agnes Colson	Me.	Rev. Franklin Parker Ordained Clergyman
		Lorraine R. Pass	London	Mass.	Oliver F. Hamilton	Mass.	
					Elizabeth M. Kennedy	Vt.	
					Earl F. Howard	Vt.	
					Florence L. Vander Woerd	Mass.	
					Daniel J. Boyle	Mass.	
					Beverly A. Maxwell	N. H.	
					Warren M. Jenkins	Me.	
					Beatrice M. Gile	N. H.	
					Wilfred Paquin	N. H.	
					Pauline F. Trombly	N. H.	
					Charles Marshall	N. H.	
					Edith M. Stone	N. H.	
					Maurice M. Green	N. H.	
					Evelyn P. Pickard	N. H.	
					James W. Minery, Sr.	N. H.	
					Maryann Mogob	Conn.	
					Edward A. Moody	Conn.	
					Lois L. Wach	N. H.	
					Arthur E. Pass	Germany	
					Mary Jane Bussiere	Mass.	

**Marriages Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1973**

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Place of Birth	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of Persons by whom married
11	Loudon	David J. Rice	Loudon	N. H.	John H. Rice, Jr. Margaret E. Parker	N. H.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
		Cheryl L. Pickering	Webster	Tex.	James R. Pickering Patricia A. Verina	N. H. N. H.	
18	Troy	Raymond J. Chaisson	Loudon	N. H.	Henry J. Chaisson Alice Gauvin	Canada England	Arthur A. Bowers Justice of the Peace
		Carol A. Mallon	Loudon	R. I.	Bernard J. Mallon Lucy McKendall	R. I.	
Sept. 7	Laconia	Robert A. Williams, Jr.	Loudon	N. H.	Robert A. Williams, Sr. Marguerite Murray	N. Y. N. H.	Rev. Gerald Flewelling Minister
		Ruth M. Libby	Loudon	N. H.	Arthur R. Nault Eisie Stone	N. H. N. H.	
15	Chichester	Bruce B. Shufelt	Falmouth, Mass.	Conn.	Bruce W. Shufelt Mary A. Alger	Mass. Mass.	Richard N. Slater Ordained Clergyman
		Nancy J. Millicar	Loudon	Mass.	John H. Millican, Jr. Helen Eldridge	Mass. Vt.	
29	Loudon	Chris D. Fowler	Chichester	Mass.	Norwood V. Fowler Janet D. Winchester	Mass. N. H.	Lee W. Mercer Justice of the Peace
		Kathy J. Decato	Loudon	N. H.	Richard H. Decato Sarah P. Lawrence	N. H. N. H.	
30	Concord	Eric F. Lakevicus	Loudon	N. H.	Michael Lakevicus Leona Locke	Mass. N. H.	Fr. Theodore Stavru Priest
		Mary Ann Timbas	Concord	N. H.	Paul Timbas Louisa Kontos	N. H. N. H.	

Oct. 20	Concord	Edward W. Benoit, Jr.	Warner	N. H.	Edward W. Benoit, Sr.	N. H.	Charles Ludeking Pastor
		Karen F. Leonard	Loudon	N. Y.	Rita Lagreux	Unknown	
Nov. 24	Concord	Gardner D. Hammond	Loudon	N. H.	James F. Leonard	N. Y.	Charles Whedeking Pastor
		Madelaine D. Phelps	Bedford	N. H.	Clara Messigno	N. H.	
		Richard A. Ketchum	Penacook	N. H.	Mary Robinson	N. H.	
Dec. 1	Penacook			N. H.	Philias Dubuc	N. H.	
		Kathleen M. O'Mara	Loudon	N. H.	Elsie Basha	N. H.	Rev. Francis A. Callahan Priest
1	Loudon	Donald J. Bowles	Loudon	N. H.	Howard J. Ketchum	W. Va.	
		Linda C. Knapp	Loudon	Conn.	Vivian Hill	N. H.	
16	Concord	Gerald L. Taylor, Jr.	Loudon	Me.	William J. O'Mara	N. H.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
		Carolyn M. Folsom	Loudon	Mass.	Gertrude Dandurant	N. H.	
22	Loudon	Willard J. Stinson, Jr.	Concord	N. H.	Norman R. Bowles	N. H.	
		Carolyn E. Muzzey	Loudon	N. H.	Alma E. Jurgenson	Mass.	Edward A. Cahill Minister
					George S. Knapp	Conn.	
					Helen J. Lovell	Conn.	
					Gerald L. Taylor	Canada	
					Averil L. Hersey	Me.	
					Edward H. Fogg	N. H.	
					Ruth Welch	Mass.	
					Willard J. Stinson, Sr.	N. H.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry Ordained Clergyman
					Corrine Bonlay	N. H.	
					Harold L. Muzzey, Sr.	N. H.	
					Gertrude Welch	N. H.	

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MARY E. MAXFIELD, Town Clerk



**Deaths Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1973**

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Date of Birth	State of Birth	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Place of Burial
1973							
Jan. 29	Loudon	Jennie Mae True	May 21, 1908	N. H.	Fred L. Stone	Mary S. Hilliard	Mt. Hope, Loudon
Feb. 5	Concord	Deane B. French	Aug. 12, 1898	N. H.	Herbert French	Nettie Shute	Loudon Ridge, Cemetery
Mar. 20	Concord	Wilbur A. Kendall	June 20, 1890	N. H.	Dan G. Kendall	Clara F. Ordway	Mt. Hope, Loudon
Apr. 4	Concord	Clarence W. Bachelder	Aug. 6, 1911	N. H.	John E. Bachelder	Lucy Castor	Loudon, Center
Apr. 11	Concord	Ernest J. Guilloy	July 4, 1909	N. H.	Jehiel B. Guilloy	Mary Jane McGrath	Mt. Hope, Loudon
May 7	Concord	Steven D. Greenwood	Aug. 29, 1966	N. H.	Douglas C. Greenwood	Irene Miller	Mt. Hope, Loudon
May 18	Concord	Pauline LeClair	Mar. 27, 1898	Ger.	Unknown	Unknown	Mt. Hope, Loudon
June 2	Boscawen	Clifford Culver	Mar. 4, 1890	Mass.	Edson Culver	Elizabeth McGinis	Loudon Ridge, Cemetery
June 17	Concord	Ethel R. Yates	Mar. 2, 1898	N. H.	Albert Rogers	Jennie Brown	Moore Cemetery, Loudon
June 27	Concord	Ralph H. Maxfield	May 7, 1907	N. H.	Harry H. Maxfield	Hattie Hill	Mt. Hope, Loudon
Aug. 8	Epsom	Rhona N. Flanders	Aug. 3, 1892	Vt.	Edwin H. Flanders	Mary Derrick	Loudon Ridge, Cemetery
Aug. 12	Loudon	William M. Cushing	Sept. 30, 1885	N. H.	Charles Cushing	Ellen Cyr	St. Rose Lima Cemetery
Sept. 4	Concord	Arthur W. Contois	July 8, 1907	N. H.	George Contois	Alice Labbie	Littleton, N. H.
Sept. 23	Concord	Carlton V. Sinclair	Jan. 12, 1899	N. H.	William Sinclair	Lucy C. Drew	Mt. Hope, Loudon
Oct. 9	Concord	Alice L. Marston	June 14, 1905	N. H.	Albert Thornton	Sarah A. Simmonite	Ossipee Village Cemetery
Oct. 18	Loudon	Ellen F. Hepburn	Feb. 9, 1894	Mass.	Charles W. Westgate	Rachel L. Gault	Ossipee, N. H.
21	Concord	Kevin N. Dane	Oct. 10, 1962	N. H.	Samuel G. Dane.	Shelba Davis	Wareham, Mass.
Nov. 7	Concord	Ethel W. Gile	Oct. 27, 1884	Ill.	David A. Watson	Mary M. Obase	Blossom Hill
Nov. 9	Concord	John C. Marston	Sept. 22, 1898	N. H.	Arthur K. Marston	Flossie B. Twombly	Concord, N. H.
24	Concord	Lottie Fowler	Dec. 19, 1881	N. H.	Charles Chisholm	Unknown	Park Cemetery, Tilton, N. H.
29	Concord	Grace E. Culver	June 25, 1897	N. H.	Charles L. Merrill	Mary Weeks	Cold Springs Cemetery
Dec. 6	Loudon	Ernest B. Westgate	Apr. 10, 1888	Mass.	Charles Westgate	Rachel Gault	East Rochester, N. H.
26	Concord	Archie C. Page	Oct. 13, 1907	N. H.	Dwight Page	Eva Foster	Loudon Ridge, Cemetery
							Pine Grove
							Gilmanston Iron Works, N. H.

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