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# ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

## TOWN OFFICERS

of the

# Town of Canterbury New Hampshire

Comprising Those of the

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax  
Collector, Overseer of Poor, Road Agent,  
Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust  
Funds, Planning Board and School  
Board

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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Selectmen

OLIVER FIFIELD, Chm.                      ARTHUR BROWN  
DONALD FRARY

### Clerk of the Board

JANET HUTCHINSON

### Town Clerk

CHARLES DEAN

### Treasurer

RICHARD A. DICKSON

### Tax Collector

BEVERLY HUGRON

### Road Agent

PHILIP K. STONE, JR.

### Auditors

FRANK HALLIN                      PRISCILLA LOCKWOOD

### Health Officer

HAMDEN C. MOODY, M.D.

### Police

HARRY HEATH, Chief

### Fire Warden

ROBERT V. LEE



### **Budget Committee**

ROBERT V. LEE	ALEXANDER STANDISH
ROBERT DUDLEY	STUART FIFIELD
ANDREW SMITH	ROBERT FIFE
KENNEDY SHIBLES	FRANK HALLIN
SARGENT GOODHUE	EVERAND YOUNG

### **Planning Board**

	Term Expires
ROBERT HILL, Chm.	1973
ALEXANDER STANDISH	1974
SABIN W. GUERTIN	1972
STUART FIFIELD	1970
CHARLES SMITH	1975

### **Board of Adjustment**

	Term Expires
SARGENT GOODHUE, Chm.	1973
WILLIAM HALL, Sec.	1971
DONALD NUTTER	1972
JAMES LILLY	1970
FRED BRUNER	1974

### **Cemetery Committee**

	Term Expires
COLIN HEATH	1972
CATHERINE DICKSON	1970
VIRGINIA DUDLEY	1971

**WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**  
**State of New Hampshire**

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(L. S.)

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Canterbury in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Canterbury on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next at Twelve of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

(Polls open from 12:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.)

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

2. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to use a portion of anticipated income of the Sam Lake Trust Fund, as may be acceptable to the Trustees to build a new Town Garage. Also authorizing the Selectmen to issue notes in the name of the town, said notes not to exceed \$35,000.00 to be paid from income of the Sam W. Lake Fund by ballot.

**MEET AT EIGHT OF THE CLOCK IN THE EVENING TO  
ACT ON THE REST OF THE ARTICLES IN  
THE WARRANT.**

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

4. To see if the town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.



5. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, lease or otherwise transfer real estate property acquired by the town by Tax Collector's deed in a manner for the best interest of the town.

6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to trade the present grader for a new grader; also authorizing the Selectmen to issue notes in the name of the town, said notes not to exceed \$8,500.00 to be repaid at the rate of \$2,000.00 per year and also authorizing the Trustees of the Trust Fund to release to the Selectmen the sum of \$14,075.33 from the Highway Equipment Reserve for the purchase of a new highway grader.

7. (a) To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum not to exceed \$4,000.00 for the purchase of a new truck for the Highway Department.

(b) To see if the town will authorize the Trustees of the Trust Funds to release the sum of \$2,000.00 from the Capital Reserve Highway Truck Fund to the Selectmen for the purchase of a new truck.

8. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum not to exceed \$9,500.00 from the Highway Bridge Fund for the purchase of a Highway loader.

9. In the event that Article #8 is not accepted by the town, to see if the town will vote to set aside the Bridge Fund of \$9,528.39 referred to in Article #8 in the Capital Reserve Fund for new highway equipment.

10. To see if the town will establish a Town Conservation Commission as set forth in R.S.A. 36-a. and that the Selectmen appoint said Commission within thirty (30) days from the date of the annual meeting and that a temporary chairman be appointed to call the first meeting of the Commission.

11. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) to help defray the cost of preparing a comprehensive long-range town plan by the Planning Board, said borrowing to be repaid in three equal annual installments of \$500.00 each, without interest.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$412.00 for the purpose of paying the town's share of the 1970 budget of the Central New Hampshire Planning Commission.

13. To see if the town wishes to exclude from the plan service in any class or classes or positions of election officials or election workers for a calendar quarter in which the remuneration paid for such service is less than \$50.00.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this February 23, 1970.

OLIVER FIFIELD  
ARTHUR BROWN  
DONALD FRARY  
Selectmen of Canterbury

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

OLIVER FIFIELD  
ARTHUR BROWN  
DONALD FRARY  
Selectmen of Canterbury

## ANNUAL MEETING MARCH 11, 1969

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Polls opened at 12:00 noon with reading of the Warrant by Moderator George Kopperl. Balloting continued till 7:00 p. m. at which time the Polls closed by motion of Charles H. Dean — seconded by Madeline Guertin — Unanimous Vote.

Ballots counted and meeting called to order by the Moderator George Kopperl at 8:00 p. m. for discussion of the warrant. The result of the balloting was as follows:

### Selectman

Donald Frary — 128  
Richard Lakin — 22  
Everand Young — 1  
Thomas Geno — 3  
Raymond Gline — 1  
Arthur Brown — 1

### Tax Collector

Beverly Hugron — 149  
William Hubbard — 1  
Margaret Talmadge — 1

### Treasurer

Richard Dickson — 151  
Herbert Lamprey — 1

### Town Clerk

Charles Dean — 151

### Auditor

Margaret Talmadge — 146

### Cemetery Commission

Colin Heath — 153

Library Trustees

Mary Hutchins — 146

Mildred Meeh — 100

Rebecca Fowler — 1

Trust Fund

Catherine Dickson — 150

Question #1

Yes — 107

No — 35

Question #2

Yes — 114

No — 24

Reading of Warrant:

Moved the adoption by Robert Dudley — seconded by Gilbert Smith.

Article Two. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same. Amendment by Mrs. Hill to take up budget, item by item — seconded. Accepted as read.

Article Three. To see if the town will vote to give the Selectmen authority to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. Robert Lockwood moved, William Hall seconded — accepted as read.

Article Four. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell, lease or otherwise transfer real estate property acquired by the town by Tax Collector's deed in a manner for the best interest of the town. Sargent Goodhue seconded by Jim Jordon — accepted as read.

Article Five. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to be placed in the Cap-

ital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a new truck for the Highway Department. Jim Jordon moved, Linwood Rogers seconded — accepted as read.

Article Six. To see if the town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to use a portion of anticipated income of the Sam W. Lake Trust Fund, as may be acceptable to the Trustees, to build a new Town Garage; also authorizing the Selectmen to issue notes in the name of the Town, said notes not to exceed \$40,000.00 to be paid from income of the Sam W. Lake Fund. Robert Lee moved, John Hugron seconded. Ollie Fifield amended motion, Thomas Geno seconded Article 6 by adding the words: “And rescind action taken on Article 11 at the 1968 town meeting.

Ballots cast — 100

Yes — 66

No — 34

Article 6 — defeated

Article Seven. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a study committee to investigate the possibilities of combining certain town offices to improve the general administration of the town. Moved by Ollie Fifield, seconded by Arthur Brown for adoption. Accepted as read.

Article Eight. To see if the town will vote to release the Capital Reserve Fund established under Article 6 in the Warrant of 1961 Town Meeting to be used in the purchase of a new loader for the Highway Department and also authorize the Trustees of Trust Funds to release \$6,000.00 of the special bridge fund to be used in the purchase of the new loader. Moved by John Welcome, seconded by H. Welcome for adoption. By ballot requested by Selectmen.

Ballots cast — 94

Yes — 62

No — 32

Article 8 — defeated

Article Nine. To see if the town will vote to accept Federal funds to be used in the Library renovation project. By petition. Moved by Rebecca Fowler, seconded by Charles Dean for adoption,  $\frac{2}{3}$  vote show of hands.

Yes — 69

No — 4

Cast — 73

Article Ten. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the amount of \$100.00 for the expenses for the zoning board of adjustment. By petition. Robert Lockwood moved. J. Gilbert Smith seconded for adoption. Accepted as read.

Article Eleven. To see if the twon will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the purchase and planting of shade trees. Ollie Fifield moved, Robert Lockwood seconded for adoption. Accepted as read.

Article Twelve. To see if the twon will vote to become a member of a Central regional planning agency. This agency will have membership of at least two of the municipalities in the Capital area. The objective of this agency will be to plan for and encourage regional planning analysis, provide consensus on major problems of regional concern and to assist in the effectuation of projects which extend beyond the boundaries of a particular town.

The agency will have no jurisdiction over any matter of local affairs. It will be primarily advisory. Two members of the regional planning agency shall be from the town, to be appointed by the Selectmen. Robert Hill

moved, Charles Smith seconded for adoption. Accepted as read.

Article Thirteen. To transact any other business that may legally come before the Meeting. Jim Jordon spoke on skating pond. Charles Smith spoke on Maps of town.

Thomas Geno spoke on dump opening on Sunday from 9-6. Seconded by Richard Lakin. Resolution lost by voice vote.

Motion by Sabin W. Guertin to adjourn at 11:48 p.m.

CHARLES H. DEAN  
Town Clerk

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF

Source of Revenue	Esti- mated Revenue Year 1969	Actual Revenue Year 1969	Esti- mated Revenue Year 1970	Increase	Decrease
<b>From State of N. H.</b>					
Interest & Dividend Tax .....	\$6,500.00	\$8,008.61	\$8,000.00	\$1,500.00	.....
Meals & Room Tax .....	1,500.00	2,588.02	2,500.00	1,000.00	.....
Railroad Tax .....	100.00	89.84	100.00	.....	.....
Savings Bank Tax .....	500.00	578.09	550.00	50.00	.....
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Forest Lands .....	20.00	.....	20.00	.....	.....
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>					
Dog Licenses .....	500.00	566.00	525.00	25.00	.....
Filing Fees .....	20.00	6.00	20.00	.....	.....
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....	30.00	8.00	20.00	.....	10.00
Interest Rec'd on Taxes .....	800.00	996.07	875.00	75.00	.....
Shakers Gift in Lieu of Taxes .....	500.00	500.00	500.00	.....	.....
Motor Vehicle Permits .....	9,000.00	9,942.54	9,500.00	500.00	.....
Poll Taxes .....	760.00	768.00	760.00	.....	.....
Yield Taxes .....	1,000.00	639.96	1,000.00	.....	.....
Property Taxes — Town .....	35,221.22	35,221.22	37,731.03	.....	.....
	<u>\$56,451.22</u>	<u>\$59,912.35</u>	<u>\$62,101.03</u>	<u>\$3,150.00</u>	<u>\$10.00</u>



**CANTERBURY, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Purpose of Expenditure	Approp. Previous Year 1969	Expend. Previous Year 1969	Esti. Expend. Ensuing Year 1970	Increase	Decrease
<b>General Government:</b>					
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$2,325.00	\$2,325.00	\$2,725.00	\$400.00	\$.....
Town Officers' Expenses .....	2,150.00	1,829.37	1,700.00	.....	450.00
Election and Registration .....	125.00	108.80	400.00	275.00	.....
Town Clerk's Fees .....	800.00	351.20	850.00	50.00	.....
Tax Collector's Fees .....	75.00	49.00	75.00	.....	.....
Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,100.00	1,494.12	950.00	.....	150.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>					
Police Department .....	500.00	441.00	500.00	.....	.....
Fire Department .....	950.00	822.37	950.00	.....	.....
Forest Fires .....	100.00	29.00	100.00	.....	.....
Blister Rust Control .....	100.00	100.00	100.00	.....	.....
Insurance .....	2,200.00	2,406.92	2,640.00	440.00	.....
Town Planning Board .....	100.00	196.20	100.00	.....	.....
N. H. Municipal Assn. ....	50.61	50.61	54.65	4.04	.....
Dog Cost and Damages .....	100.00	142.70	200.00	100.00	.....
Civil Defense .....	50.00	.....	50.00	.....	.....
Board of Adjustment .....	100.00	5.62	50.00	.....	50.00
<b>Health:</b>					
Hospital Approp. ....	350.00	243.00	350.00	.....	.....
Vital Statistics .....	25.00	42.00	50.00	25.00	.....
Town Dump .....	800.00	1,352.06	1,200.00	400.00	.....
<b>Highway and Bridges.</b>					
<b>Town Maintenance:</b>					
Summer, Winter, Bridge					
Repair and General Exp. ....	18,500.00	23,804.88	20,000.00	1,500.00	.....
New Plow .....	800.00	1,167.00	.....	.....	800.00
Road Tar .....	3,000.00	2,826.78	2,500.00	.....	500.00
TRA .....	990.61	990.61	1,123.38	132.77	.....
Street Lighting .....	350.00	360.10	360.00	10.00	.....
Shade Trees .....	100.00	164.35	100.00	.....	.....
<b>Libraries:</b>					
Elkins Public Library .....	1,465.00	1,526.78	1,543.00	78.00	.....
Building Fund .....	.....	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....
<b>Public Welfare:</b>					
Town Poor .....	1,250.00	2,043.34	2,500.00	1,250.00	.....
Old Age Assistance .....	2,500.00	1,681.09	2,000.00	.....	500.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>					
Memorial Day .....	50.00	50.00	50.00	.....	.....
<b>Public Service Enterprise:</b>					
Cemeteries .....	600.00	1,661.87	600.00	.....	.....
<b>Unclassified:</b>					
Damage and Legal Expenses ...	1,400.00	1,153.50	1,000.00	.....	400.00
Social Security .....	925.00	999.22	1,000.00	75.00	.....
<b>Interest:</b>					
On Temporary Notes .....	500.00	519.84	600.00	100.00	.....
On Long Term Notes .....	220.00	220.00	180.00	.....	40.00
<b>New Equipment:</b>					
Highway Equip. Reserve .....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
Truck Reserve — Fire Dept. ...	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....	.....
Highway Dept. — Truck Reserve	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....	.....	2,000.00
<b>Payment of Principal of Debt:</b>					
Industrial Site .....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
<b>County Tax</b> .....	8,500.00	10,624.51	11,000.00	2,500.00	.....
	\$58,651.22	\$67,282.84	\$62,101.03	\$8,339.81	\$4,890.00

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**

**December 31, 1969**

	1969	Receipts & Reimburse. Notes & etc.	Total Amt. Available	Total Amt. Expended	Unexp. Balance	Over- draft
	Approp.					
Board of Adjustment .....	100.00		100.00	5.62	94.38	
Town Officers' Salaries .....	\$2,325.00		\$2,325.00	\$2,325.00		
Town Officers' Expenses .....	2,150.00		2,150.00	1,829.37	320.63	
Election & Registration .....	125.00		125.00	108.80	16.20	
Town Clerk's Fees .....	800.00		800.00	351.20	448.80	
Tax Collector's Fees .....	75.00		75.00	49.00	26.00	
Town Hall & Other Bldgs. ....	1,100.00	8.00	1,108.00	1,494.12		386.12
Town Hall .....						
Town Garage .....						
Police Department .....	500.00		500.00	441.00	59.00	
Fire Dept. ....	950.00	12.00	962.00	822.37	139.63	
Fixed Charges .....						
Operating Exp. ....						
New Equipment .....						
Forest Fires .....	100.00		100.00	29.00	71.00	
Blister Rust Control .....	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Insurance .....	2,200.00	85.67	2,285.67	2,406.92		121.25
Town Planning Board .....	100.00		100.00	196.20		96.20
N. H. Municipal Ass'n .....	50.61		50.61	50.61		
Dog Cost & Damages .....	100.00		100.00	142.70		42.70
Civil Defense .....	50.00		50.00		50.00	
Hospital Approp. ....	350.00		350.00	243.00	107.00	
Vital Statistics .....	25.00		25.00	42.00		17.00
Town Dump .....	800.00		800.00	1,352.06		552.06

Highway & Bridges .....	18,500.00	1,770.21	20,270.21	23,804.88	.....	3,534.67
Bridge & Culverts 1,147.07						
Summer Main 7,052.87						
Winter Main 9,732.28						
Gen. Exp. 5,872.56						
New Plow .....	800.00	.....	800.00	1,167.00	.....	367.00
Road Tar .....	3,000.00	175.00	3,175.00	2,826.78	348.22	.....
T.R.A. ....	990.61	.....	990.61	990.61	.....	.....
Street Lighting .....	350.00	.....	350.00	360.10	.....	10.10
Elkins Public Library .....	1,465.00	88.42	1,553.42	1,526.78	26.64	.....
Town Poor .....	1,250.00	.....	1,250.00	2,043.34	.....	793.34
Old Age Assistance .....	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00	1,681.09	818.91	.....
Memorial Day .....	50.00	.....	50.00	50.00	.....	.....
Cemeteries .....	600.00	1,061.87	1,661.87	1,661.87	.....	.....
Damage & Legal Exp. ....	1,400.00	.....	1,400.00	1,153.50	246.50	.....
Social Security .....	925.00	.....	925.00	999.22	.....	74.22
Interest — Long Term Notes .....	220.00	.....	220.00	220.00	.....	.....
Temporary Notes .....	500.00	.....	500.00	519.84	.....	19.84
Highway Equip. Reserve .....	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
Truck Reserve — Fire Dept. ....	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	.....	.....
Long Term Note — Industrial .....	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
County Tax .....	8,500.00	.....	8,500.00	10,624.51	.....	2,124.51
Highway Dept. — Capt'l Res. Trk .....	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....	.....
Shade Trees .....	100.00	.....	100.00	164.35	.....	64.35
Totals .....	<u>\$58,651.22</u>	<u>\$3,201.17</u>	<u>\$61,852.39</u>	<u>\$67,282.84</u>	<u>\$2,772.91</u>	<u>\$8,203.36</u>
Overdraft of 1969 Appropriation				5,430.45		
				<u>\$61,852.39</u>		

## SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land and Buildings		\$3,157,875.00
Public Utilities		364,200.00
Trailers (40)		73,600.00
Stock in Trade, Merchants		3,200.00
Stock in Trade, Manufactures		500.00
Boats (11)		3,100.00
Cows (203)		32,450.00
Other Cattle (126)		570.00
Poultry (9,280)		2,800.00
Gasoline pumps and Tanks		850.00
Construction Machinery		1,900.00
		\$3,641,045.00
Total Gross Valuation		\$3,641,045.00
Less Neatstock Exeption	\$8,895.00	
Less Poultry Exemptions	450.00	
		9,445.00
		\$3,631,600.00
Net Valuation		\$3,631,600.00
Loss of School Tax Paying to other Towns		2,557.50
Loss due to Veteran's Exemp. (69)		3,450.00
Town Tax Rate	\$ .58	
County Tax Rate	.30	
School Tax Rate	3.72	
		\$4.60
Total Tax Rate		\$4.60
Town Property Tax	\$31,156.08	
Poll Taxes	792.00	
Nat'l Bank Stock Tax	10.00	
		\$31,958.08
School Tax		132,538.02
		\$164,496.10
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxation		\$164,496.10

**STATEMENT OF BUDGETARY AND  
NON-BUDGETARY EXPENDITURES**

**For Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31, 1969**

	Appro- priated 1969	Expended 1969
Town Officers' Salaries	\$2,325.00	\$2,325.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,150.00	1,829.37
Election & Registration	125.00	108.80
Town Clerk's Fees	800.00	351.20
Tax Collector's Fees	75.00	49.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings		
Town Hall	\$970.17	
Town Garage	523.95	1,494.12
Police Department	500.00	441.00
Fire Department	950.00	822.37
Fixed Charges	\$544.35	
Operating Charges	278.02	
Forest Fires	100.00	29.00
Blister Rust Control	100.00	100.00
Insurance	2,200.00	2,406.92
Town Planning Board	100.00	196.20
Board of Adjustment	100.00	5.62
N. H. Municipal Association	50.61	50.61
Dog Costs and Damages	100.00	142.70
Civil Defense	50.00	.....
Hospital Appropriation	350.00	243.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	42.00
Town Dump	800.00	1,352.06
Highway Funds	18,500.00	23,804.88
Brdgs. & Culvert	\$1,147.07	
Summer Maint.	7,052.87	
Winter Maint.	9,732.28	
General Expenses	5,872.66	
New Plow	800.00	1,167.00
Shade Trees	100.00	164.35

Road Tar	3,000.00	2,826.78
T.R.A.	990.61	990.61
Street Lighting	350.00	360.10
Elkins Public Library	1,465.00	1,526.78
Town Poor	1,250.00	2,043.34
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	1,681.09
Memorial Day	50.00	50.00
Cemeteries	600.00	1,661.87
Damages and Legal Expense	1,400.00	1,153.50
Social Security	925.00	999.22
Interest	720.00	739.84
New Equipment Reserves	4,500.00	4,500.00
Highway Equip.   \$1,000.00		
Fire Dept.—Truck 1,500.00		
Hwy. Dept.—Truck 2,000.00		
Long Term Note	1,000.00	1,000.00
Industrial Site   \$1,000.00		
County Tax	8,500.00	10,624.51
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Town Totals	\$58,651.22	\$67,282.84
School Totals	66,285.40	138,285.40
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	\$124,936.62	\$205,568.24

Non-Budgetary Expenditures:

T.R.A. Expenses	\$1,355.45
Class V Highways	4,044.40
Taxes Bought by Town	4,180.41
Tax Refunds	40.50
Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	20,000.00
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax	84.39
State Head Taxes Collected	1,140.50
Sam Lake Trust Fund	563.48
Elkins Library Building Fund	1,000.00
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Selectmen's Orders Paid in 1969	\$237,977.37

**BALANCE SHEET OF THE FISCAL YEAR**  
**Ended December 31, 1969**

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**Assets**

Cash in Hands of Treasurer	\$24,851.15
Cash in Hands of Road Agent	351.75
Capital Reserve Fund (Bridge and Interest)	9,528.39
Accounts due to the Town Equipment Reserve	21,070.33
Uncollected Taxes:	
Levy of 1969	48,079.83
Levy of 1961	15.60
Levy of 1959	69.75
Levy of 1958	69.13
Unredeemed Taxes:	
Levy of 1968	3,486.18
Levy of 1967	518.66
Levy of 1966	138.74
State Head Taxes:	
Levy of 1969	765.00
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Total Assets	\$108,944.51

**Liabilities**

Accounts owed by Town:	
Timber Tax Bond due Collector	\$67.93

Unexpended Balance of Special Appropriations:		
Expenses of Industrial Site	769.00	
Sam Lake Fund	204.96	
Due to State:		
State Head Taxes Uncollected	765.00	
Yield Taxes, Bond and Debt Retirement Uncollected	669.94	
Capital Reserve Bond — Bridge	9,528.39	
Equipment Reserve	21,070.33	
Due to School District — Balance of Appropriation	60,313.83	
Long Term Notes Outstanding		
Concord National Bank	4,500.00	
Total Liabilities		\$97,889.38
Excess of Assets over Liabilities		11,055.13
		<u>\$108,944.51</u>
Cash on Hand December 31, 1969		25,202.90
		<u>61,355.72</u>
Less Current Liabilities		61,355.72
		<u>\$36,152.82</u>
Cash Deficit December 31, 1969		\$36,152.82



## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$15,000.00	
Furniture and Equipment	300.00	
Library, land and Building	8,000.00	
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00	
Fire Department, building	3,500.00	
Equipment	12,500.00	
Highway Equipment, land and building	18,000.00	
Equipment	30,000.00	
Material and Supplies	250.00	
School, land and building (Old)	2,000.00	
School, New building and land	300,000.00	
Equipment	18,000.00	
Sam Lake Residence and Buildings	5,000.00	
Town Dump, land and improvements	225.00	
Blacksmith Lot	100.00	
	\$415,375.00	
Land acquired through tax deeds:*		
Dod Wheeler	\$900.00	
William Wheeler	250.00	
Sylvia Glines	100.00	
Bertha Wheeler	50.00	
Enola Colby Estate	60.00	
Mrs. C. L. Sanborn	50.00	
G. Edward Stone	50.00	
Carroll C. Colby	160.00	
Mrs. James Richards	30.00	
Nellie Stearns	150.00	
A. F. & B. W. Thompson	50.00	
John Giddings	50.00	
Roger Libby	200.00	
J. Colby Lot	150.00	
	\$2,250.00	
	\$417,625.00	

\* Valuation at time of Collector's deed.

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

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### Debits

Auto Permits Collected 1969	\$9,480.15
Auto Permits Collected 1970	178.43
Dog Licenses Collected 1969	480.00
Filing Fees Collected 1969	6.00
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	\$10,144.58

### Credits

#### Remitted to Treasurer:

Auto Permits	\$9,658.58
Dog Licenses	480.00
Filing Fees	6.00
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	\$10,144.58

#### Fees Paid to Town Clerk:

Auto Permits 791 @ 1.00	\$791.00
Dog Licenses 195 @ .20	39.00
Vital Statistics 34 @ .50	17.00
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	\$847.00

A true report to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. DEAN,  
Town Clerk

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of December 31, 1969

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:		
	1968	1967	1966
Taxes Sold to Town During 1969	\$4,180.41	.....	.....
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1970	.....	\$518.66	\$399.11
Interest Collected During 1969	5.53	.....	53.04
Costs and Fees Collected	10.10	.....	1.55
Total Debits	\$4,196.04	\$518.66	\$453.70
Remittances to Treasurer During 1969	\$629.86	.....	\$314.96
Deeded to Town During 1969	.....	.....	.....
Abated During 1969	80.00	.....	.....
Unredeemed Taxes as per Collector's List	3,486.18	518.66	138.74
Total Credits	\$4,196.04	\$518.66	\$453.70

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes**

**Levy of 1969**

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$161,027.94
Poll Taxes	768.00
Yield Taxes	4,019.61

Total Warrant	\$165,815.55
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Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$601.45
Poll Taxes	32.00
Yield Taxes	.....

Total Added Taxes	\$633.45
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Interest Collected:

Property Taxes	14.32
Poll Taxes	1.03
Yield Taxes	.....

Total Interest Collected	\$15.35
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Total Debits	\$166,464.35
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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$117,124.85
Poll Taxes	508.00
Yield Taxes	.....
Interest Collected	15.35

Total Remittances	\$117,648.20
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Abatements:

Property Taxes	\$730.02
Cash Abatement	3.70

Poll Taxes	10.00	
Yield Taxes	.....	
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Total Abatements		\$740.02
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:		
Property Taxes	\$43,778.22	
Poll Taxes	282.00	
Yield Taxes	4,019.61	
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Total Uncollected		\$48,079.83
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Total Credits		\$166,464.35

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
State Head Tax**

**Levy of 1969**

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$2,280.00	
Added Taxes	95.00	
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Total Commitment		\$2,375.00
Penalties Collected		21.00
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Total Debits		\$2,396.00
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$1,560.00	
Penalties	21.00	
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Total Remittances		\$1,581.00
Abatements		50.00

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List	765.00
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Total Credits	\$2,396.00

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes**

**Levy of 1968**

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1969:	
Property Taxes	\$40,545.61
Poll Taxes	232.00
Yield Taxes	639.96
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Total Uncollected Taxes	\$41,417.57
Added Taxes During 1969:	
Property Taxes	.....
Poll Taxes	12.00
Yield Taxes	.....
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Total Added Taxes	12.00
Interest Collected During Year:	
Property Taxes	\$958.93
Poll Taxes	3.53
Yield Taxes	18.26
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Total Interest Collected During 1969	\$980.72
Costs and Fees Collected	346.80
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Total Debits	\$42,757.09
Remittances to Treasurer During 1969:	
Property Taxes	\$40,536.16
Poll Taxes	220.00

Yield Taxes	639.96	
Costs and Fees Collected	346.80	
Interest Collected	980.72	
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Total Remittances		\$42,757.09
Abatements During 1969:		
Property Abatements	\$123.20	
Poll Taxes	20.00	
Yield Taxes	.....	
Cash Abatement	113.75	
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Total Abatements		\$143.20
Uncollected Poll Taxes		4.00
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Total Credits		\$42,757.09

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### State Head Tax

#### Levy of 1968

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1,1969	\$680.00	
Added Taxes During 1969	40.00	
Penalties Collected During 1969	66.00	
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Total Debits		\$786.00
Remittance to Treasurer During 1969	\$655.00	
Penalties	66.00	
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Total Remittances		\$721.00

Abatements Made During 1969	55.00
Uncollected Head Taxes	10.00
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Total Credits	\$786.00

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Yield Taxes**

**Levy of 1961**

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1969	
Yield Taxes	\$15.60
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Total Debits	\$15.60
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:	
Yield Taxes	\$15.60
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Total Credits	\$15.60
Uncollected Yield Taxes — Levy of 1961	
	\$15.60
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Total Uncollected Yield Taxes	
Levy of 1969	\$15.60

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and account due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1968, on account of the tax levy of 1961, is correct to the best of my knowledge.

BEVERLY HUGRON,  
Tax Collector



**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Yield Taxes**

**Levy of 1959**

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1969:

Yield Taxes	\$69.75
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Total Debits	\$69.75
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Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Yield Taxes	\$69.75
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Total Credits	\$69.75
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Uncollected Yield Taxes — Levy of 1959:

\$69.75
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Total Uncollected Yield Taxes

Levy of 1959	\$69.75
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I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1968, on account of the tax levy of 1959, is correct to the best of my knowledge.

BEVERLY HUGRON,  
Tax Collector

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Yield Taxes**

**Levy of 1958**

Uncollected Taxes of January 1, 1969:

Yield Taxes	\$69.13
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Total Debits		\$69.13
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Uncollected Taxes as per  
Collector's List:

	\$69.13
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Total Credits		\$69.13
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Uncollected Yield Taxes — Levy of 1958:

\$69.13
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Total Uncollected Yield Taxes

Levy of 1958	\$69.13
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I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of December 31, 1968, on account of the tax levy of 1958, is correct to the best of my knowledge.

BEVERLY HUGRON,  
Tax Collector

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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### Receipts

Beverly Hugron, Tax Collector	\$159,429.89
Reimbursed for 1968 check	7.00
State of New Hampshire	
Class V Highway	4,171.84
Highway	1,391.20
Gas Tax Refund	163.72
Forest Fire Training Meeting	12.00
O.A.A. Recovery	63.75
Interest & Dividends Tax	8,008.61
Savings Bank Tax	578.09
Rail Road Tax	89.84
Meals and Rooms Tax	2,588.02
Concord National Bank	
Tax Anticipation Loan	20,000.00
Interest Rebate	7.91
Town of Northfield, Grader hire	50.00
Town of Boscawen, Grader hire	168.00
Town of Loudon, Grader hire	192.00
Local Sources Except Taxes	
Charles Dean, Town Clerk	
1968 Motor Vehicle, Permits	432.67
1969 Motor Vehicle, Permits	9,331.44
1970 Motor Vehicle, Permits	178.43
Filing Fees	6.00
Dog Licenses	566.00
Reimbursed for 1968 check	16.16
James Lilly, equipment hire	15.00
Charles Fox	5.00
Andrew Fowler	5.00
Peterson's Conutry Store	55.00
Colin Heath	20.00
Temple Bowen	120.00
Chester Weatherbee, plowing	20.00
Nancy Flanders, rent of Town Hall	8.00

Richard Rollins, rent of Sam Lake House	480.00
Trustees of Trust Funds for Cemetery Care	1,052.47
S.S. & W.H. Taxes, Reimbursed	9.40
From Capital Reserve Bridge Fund	1,087.99
Canterbury Shakers, in lieu of taxes	500.00
John Morrill	43.50
Vt. Mutual Insurance Co., Reimbursed for theft loss	85.67
Quentin Hutchins, Land Purchase	25.00
Pistol Permit	
Roland Corriveau	2.00
George Kopperl	2.00
Russell Brown	2.00
Reed Smith	2.00
Quentin Hutchins	2.00
Wilbur Thompson	2.00
James Guertin, Jr.	2.00
Building Permit	
Ludgee Flammand	10.00
Wayne Blais	10.00
Elmer Rule	10.00
R. C. Foss — Canterbury School	10.00
Dudley Laufman	10.00
Roland Howard	10.00
Raymond Glines	10.00
Total Receipts 1969	<u>\$211,068.60</u>
Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1969	51,759.92
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid	<u>\$237,977.37</u>
Balance on hand December 31, 1969	<u>\$24,851.15</u>

RICHARD A. DICKSON  
Treasurer

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

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Town Officers' Salaries	\$2,325.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,829.37
Election and Registration	108.80
Town Clerk's Fees	351.20
Tax Collector's Fees	49.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	1,494.12
Police Department	441.00
Fire Department	822.37
Forest Fires	29.00
Blister Rust Control	100.00
Insurance	2,406.92
Town Planning Board	196.20
Board of Adjustment	5.62
N. H. Municipal Association	50.61
Dog Costs and Damages	142.70
Hospital Appropriation	243.00
Vital Statistics	42.00
Town Dump	1,352.06
Highway Expenditures	23,804.88
New Equipment — Plow	1,167.00
Shade Trees	164.35
Road Tar	2,826.78
Town Road Aid	990.61
Street Lighting	360.10
Elkins Public Library	1,526.78
Town Poor	2,043.34
Old Age Assistance	1,681.09
Memorial Day	50.00
Cemeteries	1,661.87
Damages and Legal Expenses	1,153.50
Social Security	999.22
Interest	739.84
Equipment Reserve — Highway	3,000.00

Truck Reserve — Fire Dept.	1,500.00
Long Term Note	1,000.00
County Tax	10,624.51
Canterbury School District	138,285.40
T. R. A. Expenses	1,355.45
Class V Highways	4,044.40
Taxes Bought by Town	4,180.41
Tax Refunds	40.50
Temporary Loan in Anticipation of Taxes	20,000.00
Bond & Dept. Retirement Tax	84.39
State Head Taxes Collected	1,140.50
Sam Lake Trust Fund	563.48
Elkins Library Building Fund	1,000.00
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	\$237,977.37

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

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### Town Officers' Salaries

Oliver Fifield, Chairman	\$300.00
Arthur Brown, Selectman	300.00
Donald Frary, Selectman	300.00
Donald Frary, Clerk of the Board (2 Mos.)	95.85
Richard Dickson, Treasurer	200.00
Beverly Hugron, Tax Collector	450.00
Charles Dean, Town Clerk	100.00
Janet Hutchinson, Clerk of the Board	479.15
Margaret Talmadge, Auditor	50.00
Frank Hallin, Auditor	50.00

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\$2,325.00

### Town Officers' Expenses

N. E. Telephone Co., Tel. Services	\$61.74
Peterson's Country Store, Stamps and Supplies	205.60
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Supplies	24.97
Kathleen Roy, Recording Conveyances and Mortgages	121.50
N. E. Town Clerks Association, 1969 Dues	13.00
Monitor Pub. Co., Public Hearing Notice	2.81
Quentin Hutchins, Expenses	26.06
Bridge & Byron Town Reports and Envelopes	918.50
Margaret Talmadge, Supplies	1.25
Association of N. H. Assessors — 1969 and 1970 dues	10.00

Concord National Bank, Box rental 1969 and 1970	4.00
Hazen Printing Co., Envelopes and Letterheads	12.00
N. H. Tax Collectors' Assoc., 1969 dues	5.00
Charles Dean, Reimbursement for Supplies	66.05
Homestead Press, Bills and Envelopes, 1967, 1968, 1969	79.90
Beverly Hugron, Reimbursement for Postage	26.40
Janet Hutchinson, Typing Tax Inventory, Supplies and Postage	45.29
Tower Publishing Co., N. H. Register	5.00
Treasurer State of N. H., Boat Ownerships	5.30
Village Press, Inc., Printing Tax Inventory	189.00
N. H. Town Clerk, Dues	6.00
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	\$1,829.37

#### **Election and Registration**

Thomas Rudkin, Ballot Clerk	13.00
Madeline Guertin, Ballot Clerk	13.00
Virginia Maxfield, Ballot Clerk	13.00
Hazen Printing Co., Ballots	23.00
Catherine Dickson, Supervisor of Checklist	15.60
Marion Rancour, Supervisor of Checklist	15.60
Ann Frary, Supervisor of Checklist	15.60
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	\$108.80



**Town Clerk's Fees**

Charles Dean, Town Clerk \*\$351.20

\* 1968 Overpayment of \$469.00 Credited to Town Clerk

**Tax Collector's Fees**

Beverly Hugron, Tax Collector \$49.00

**Town Hall and Other Buildings**

Prescott Oil Co., Fuel Oil \$704.85

Concord Electric Co., Electric Service 181.39

Peterson's Country Store 5.63

Ernest Messier, Paint and Repairs 525.00

Herbert Lamprey, Mowing Lawns and  
Care of Hall 77.25

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\$1,494.12

**Police Department**

Harold Streeter, Fees \$109.00

John Hugron, Fees 49.00

Harry Heath, Fees 283.00

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\$441.00

**Fire Department**

**Fixed Charges:**

Prescott Oil Co., Fuel Oil \$131.46

New England Telephone, Tel. Ser. 266.30

Concord Electric Co., Electric Ser. 146.59

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\$544.35

**Operating Expenses:**

Del Chemical Corp., Bac Off \$16.50

Mobil Oil Co., Gas and Oil 59.41

Wheeler Bros., Anti Freeze	3.25	
Dean Wilbur, Repair Port. Pump	21.55	
McPhail's Garage, Parts and Repairs	65.76	
Peterson's Country Store, Supplies	5.33	
Sanel Auto Parts, Lights	17.39	
American Fire Equip. Co., Smoke Bombs	10.93	
Robert Lee, Supplies Replacement	77.90	
		\$278.02

**Forest Fires**

Robert Lee, Spring Training	\$29.00
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**Blister Rust Control**

Treasurer, State of N. H., 1969 Approp.	\$100.00
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**Insurance**

Richard Smart Agency, Premium	\$2,169.60	
Hermon H. Davis Ins. Agency, Premium	237.32	
		\$2,406.92
(See Schedule)		

**Board of Adjustment**

Monitor Publishing C., Public Notices	\$5.62
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**Town Planning Board**

Bridge & Byron, Inc. Town Maps	\$165.00	
Monitor Publishing Co., Hearings	19.13	
N. H. Savings Bank, Xerox Copying	4.32	
Secretarial Service Shop, Mimeographing	7.75	
		\$196.20

### **N. H. Municipal Association**

N. H. Municipal Assoc., Annual Dues	\$50.61
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### **Hospital Appropriation**

Concord Hospital, Charity Care, 1969	\$243.00
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### **Vital Statistics**

Robert Lockwood, Census	\$25.00	
Charles Dean, Town Clerk	17.00	
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		\$42.00

### **Town Dump Maintenance**

Philip K. Stone, Sr., Bulldozing	\$216.00	
Gordon Johnson, Bulldozing	10.00	
Peterson's Country Store, Supplies	3.19	
Raymond Huckins, Loader Hire	126.00	
Harry Heath, Removing Junk Cars	25.00*	
Ernest Pickard, Labor	544.42	
Harrison Sargent, Labor	212.00	
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	85.25	
Charles Rancour, Labor	71.30	
Leroy Sargent, Labor	58.90	
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		\$1,352.06

\* Town Reimbursed \$25.00 by Junk Car owners

### **Highways** (See Report)

Bridges and Culverts	\$1,147.07
Summer Maintenance	7,052.87
Winter Maintenance	9,732.28
T.R.A.	1,355.45*
General Highway Expenses	5,872.66

\* Received \$1,355.45 Reimbursement from Town Road Aid

Class V Roads	4,044.40	
Road Tar	2,826.78	
		<hr/> \$32,031.51

#### Shade Trees

Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	\$51.50	
Charles Rancour, Labor	39.95	
Leroy Sargent, Labor	34.20	
Merrimack Farmers' Exch., Peat Moss	38.70	
		<hr/> \$164.35

#### New Plow

B & R Equip. Rental Co., Bal. on Plow & Wing	\$1,167.00
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#### Street Lighting

Concord Electric Co., Electric Service	\$360.10
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#### Library

Elkins Public Library, 1969		
Approp.	\$1,465.00	
New England Telephone, Tel. Service	61.78*	
		<hr/> \$1,526.78

\* Received \$61.78 Reimbursement from Elkins Library

#### Town Poor

Mrs. John Bullock, Child Care	\$493.52
Mrs. Poul Bailat, Child Care	550.03
Mrs. H. T. Whitcher, Child Care	618.37
Gail N. Daley, Child Care — 4 Days	6.68
Mrs. Philip Strong, Child Care — 2 Wks.	23.38

Mrs. Anita Buatti, Child Care —		
27 Days	45.09	
J. C. Penney Co., Clothing	278.62	
Sears Roebuck Co., Clothing	11.67	
Tonkin-Fraser, Clothing	15.98	
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		\$2,043.34

**Old Age Assistance**

Treasurer, State of N. H.	1,681.09
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**Memorial Day**

American Legion, Post No. 31, Decorate Graves	\$50.00
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**Cemetary Care**

Harvey Rollins, Cleaning and Mowing	\$795.44	
Jerry Rollins, Cleaning and Mowing	78.00	
Tilton Sand & Gravel, loam	54.40	
Agway, Inc., Lime, etc.	23.26	
Granite State Garden Ctr., Shrub	191.60	
Greenlands, Lawn Mower and Repair	89.50	
Walter Hatch, Signs and Labor	140.28	
Peterson's Country Store, Supplies and Gas	11.82	
Del Chemical Corp., Poison Ivy Spray	121.17	
Harvey Rollins, Spark plugs	1.20	
Wheeler, Bros., Lime and Fertilizer	55.20	
Bernard LaCoy, Mower repair	12.00	
Perry Bros. Monument Co., Clean Kimball Mem.	80.00	
Diamond Pickard, Labor	8.00	
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		*\$1,661.97

\* Received \$1,061.87 Reimbursement from Trust Fund

### Dog Costs and Damages

John Hugron, Care	\$53.00	
Harold Streeter, Collecting Taxes	20.00	
Philip Rollins, Collecting Taxes	25.00	
Wheeler & Clark, License Book and Tags	21.70	
Charles Dean, Notices and Licenses	3.00	
Concord S. P. C. A., Board	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$142.70

### Damages and Legal Expenses

Orr & Reno, Fees	\$1,153.50
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### Taxes Bought by Town

Beverly Hugron, Tax Sale	\$4,180.41
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### Tax Refunds

John Wilson, Advance Overpayment	\$ 3.70	
Harold Weber, 1969 refund	36.80	
	<hr/>	\$40.50

### Social Security

Town Share	*\$999.22
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\* Received \$53.28 Reimbursement from Elkins Library

### Interest

Long Term Notes	\$220.00	
Temporary Loan	519.84*	
	<hr/>	\$739.84

\* Received Rebate of \$7.91 from Concord National Bank

**Equipment Reserve**

Trustees of Trust Fund \$3,000.00

**Fire Dept. — Truck Reserve**

Trustees of Trust Fund \$1,500.00

Notes Payable

Long Term Notes, Concord National

Bank, Industrial Site \$1,000.00

Temporary Loan, Concord National

Bank, in anticipation of taxes 20,000.00

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\$21,000.00

**Bond and Debt Retirement Tax**

State Treasurer \$84.39

**State Head Taxes**

Treasurer, State of N. H. \$1,140.50

**Town Road Aid**

Treasurer, State of N. H., Town's Share 990.61

**County Tax**

Treasurer, County of Merrimack \$10,612.72

Interest on Overdue Taxes 11.79

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\$10,624.51

**Canterbury School District**

Treasurer, Balance of 1968-69

Appropriation \$66,285.40

Treasurer, Partial 1969-70

Appropriation 72,000.00

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\$138,285.40

**Expended From Sam Lake Trust Fund**

Concord Electric Co., Service	\$141.74	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Bank Mix.	18.10	
Concord Lumber Co., Repairs — Garage	73.64	
Ernest Messier, Painting and Repairing Bldgs.	330.00	
	<hr/>	\$563.48

**Elkins Library**

Treasurer, Building Fund	\$1,000.00	
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Total Selectmen's Orders Paid in 1969		\$237,977.37



## HIGHWAYS DEPARTMENT REPORT

Summer Highway Maintenance		
Winter Highway Maintenance		<i>Appropriation</i>
General Highway Expenses		\$18,500.00
Bridge and Culvert Repair		
Shade Trees	100.00	
Road Tar	3,175.00	
Class V Roads	4,171.84	
T. R. A. Reimbursement	1,387.46	
State of N. H. Road Tax Refund	163.72	
Miscellaneous Accounts Receivable, Sand, Loam, Gravel, etc.	1,606.49	
	\$29,104.51	
Over Expenditure on Highway Department	3,250.80	
	127.44	
Less Unexpended Balance on Class V Roads	127.44	
Total Revenue		\$32,227.87

### Cost — 1969

T. R. A. Roads	\$1,387.46	
Bridge Repair and Culverts	1,147.07	
Class V Roads	4,044.40	
Summer Maintenance	7,052.87	
Winter Maintenance	9,732.28	
Shade Trees	164.35	
Road Tar	2,826.78	
General Highway Expenses	5,872.66	
	\$32,227.87	
Total Expenditures		\$32,227.87

## DETAIL OF COSTS

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### Bridge Repair & Culverts

Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	\$115.50
Charles Rancour, Labor	96.60
Leroy Sargent, Labor	79.80
Lockwood-Young Corp., Cement	124.95
The Moore's — Spikes	1.44
A. J. Sanborn, Dr., Planking	163.80
N. H. Bituminous Co., M. C. 800	221.88
L. M. Pike & Sons, Inc., Hot Mix	23.20
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Backhoe	160.00
R. C. Hazelton, Culverts	159.90

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\$1,147.07

### Class V Roads

R. C. Hazelton Co., Culverts and Couplings	\$139.20
Annette Morrill, Sand	67.60
Kenneth Marshall, Gravel	43.50
Grenville Dodge, Gravel	43.50
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Bulldozing & Truck Hire	928.50
Chad Bar Rental, Mich. Model 55III	1,200.00
W. M. Cook & Son, Chipping Brush	96.00
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	561.00
Charles Rancour, Labor	524.40
Leroy Sargent, Labor	383.80
Donald Stone, Labor	17.00
Leroy Glines, Labor	30.40
John Welcome, Labor	9.50

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\$4,044.40

### Summer Maintenance

M & W Contractor, Gravel and Loading	\$245.70
Tilton Sand & Gravel, Gravel and Cold Patch	190.77
Greenlands Corp., New Parts	4.85
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	2,628.05
Charles Rancour, Labor	2,067.75
Leroy Sargent, Labor	1,665.25
Douglas Stone, Labor	14.00
David Fife, Labor	36.10
John Welcome, Labor	68.40
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Backhoe	30.00
Town of Loudon, Loader Hire	102.00
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	\$7,052.87

### Winter Maintenance

International Salt Co., Road Salt	\$1,065.03
Tilton Sand & Gravel, Gravel	45.46
John Morrill, Sand	78.00
Nicholas Sinopoli, Plowing	102.00
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Truck Hire	35.00
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	3,279.78
Charles Rancour, Labor	2,402.65
Leroy Sargent, Labor	1,889.50
Leroy Glines, Labor	253.20
Nicholas Sinopoli, Labor	24.00
Donald Stone, Labor	14.00
Philip K. Stone, Sr., Labor	49.40
James Jordan, Labor	110.25
Hugh Fifield, Labor	77.00
Overpayment on Payroll Reimbursement	307.01
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	\$9,732.28

### Shade Trees

Merrimack Farmers' Exchange,		
Peat Moss	\$38.70	
Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	51.50	
Charles Rancour, Labor	39.95	
Leroy Sargent, Labor	34.20	
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		\$164.35

### Road Tar

Roger Dow, Sander Hire	\$81.00	
N. H. Bituminous, Road Tar	2,745.78	
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		\$2,826.78

### T.R.A. — Labor

Philip K. Stone, Jr., Labor	418.01	
Charles Rancour, Labor	380.65	
Leroy Sargent, Labor	440.80	
John Welcome, Labor	85.50	
Robert Hildreth, Labor	62.50	
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		\$1,387.46

### General Highway Expenses

Harold Streeter, Welding & Repairs	\$208.00	
E. Cohen Steel, Steel for Plow	11.60	
Sanel Auto Parts, Supplies	936.26	
106 Beanstalk, Gasoline and Oil	297.22	
Prescott Oil Co., Kerosene and Fuel	237.65	
New England Telephone, Tel.		
Service	61.72	
Peterson's Country Store, Misc.		
Supplies	110.48	
Mobil Oil Corp., Gasoline and Oil	1,925.68	

N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service	
Health Insurance	370.21
Chadwick BaRoss, Inc., Supplies	56.02
Fred Mudge, Repairs on GMC	27.00
Gilbert Welding, Repairs on GMC	49.49
Wadleigh Marine, Inc., Chain Saw and Repairs	184.95
Robert Bragdon, Chains and Puller	94.50
Palmer Spring Co., Springs for GMC	50.41
Rice's, Inc., Tires and Tubes	277.87
Allstate Cases of N. H., Oxygen and Acetylene	28.67
Shepard Auto Supply, Repairs and Supplies	40.03
John Grappone, Inc., Repair and Supplies	109.95
Mosley's Motor Expres, Express Charges	3.05
DEL Chemical Corp., Supplies and Sprays	208.67
Hoagland's Auto Body, Repairs	14.00
Prison Industries, Pipe	43.50
Agway Petroleum, Inc., Gasoline and Diesel Fuel	77.86
Patsy's Garage, Repairs	319.65
Greenland's Corp., Repair Parts	31.10
Comi's Auto Electric Service, Repairs	7.50
Central N. H. Tractor, Mower Parts	5.26
Concord Frame & Alinement, Repair Parts	41.75
N. H. Explosives, Parts	30.61
Harry Heath, Inspections	12.00
	\$5,872.66
Total Expenditures Highway Department in 1969	\$32,227.87

### Detail of Highway Labor

Philip K. Stone, Jr.	\$7,053.84
Charles Rancour	5,512.00
Leroy Sargent	4,493.35
Donald Stone	31.00
Leroy Glines	283.60
John Welcome	163.40
Douglas Stone	14.00
David Fife	36.10
Nicholas Sinopoli	24.00
Philip K. Stone, Sr.	49.40
Robert Hildreth	62.50
James Jordan	110.25
Hugh Fifield	77.00
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	\$17,910.44

Allocated as follows:

Shade Trees	\$125.65
T.R.A.	1,387.46
Class V	1,526.10
Summer	6,771.45
Winter	8,099.78
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	\$17,910.44

**SAM W. LAKE TRUST FUND ACCOUNT**

**1969**

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**Receipts**

Balance on hand, January 1, 1969	\$288.44	
Richard Rollins, Rent	480.00	
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		\$768.44

**Disbursements**

Concord Electric Co., Electric Ser.	\$141.74	
Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Bank Mix	18.10	
Concord Lumber Co., Repairs	73.64	
Ernest Messier, Paint & Repairs	330.00	
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Total Disbursements		\$563.48
Cash on Hand, December 31, 1969		204.96
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		\$768.44

**CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS' REPORT**  
**1969**

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In the Spring of 1969 a program of Cemetery Improvement was started in several of the cemeteries. An assortment of flowering and evergreen shrubs were purchased and planted along the Parsonage boundary at Maple Grove Cemetery. The shrubs will form an attractive hedge as well as completing the enclosure of the cemetery as required by law. A double row of Fir Balsam trees were also planted to screen off the ungraded area. Lime and fertilizer were applied to most of the cemeteries and a program of Poison Ivy eradication was started and is to be continued in the spring. The Highway Department set out several young Maple trees along the Center Cemetery Wall as replacements for trees that appear to be dying.

It has been suggested that members of the various organizations active in Community Beautification have a joint meeting to formulate plans for further plantings of Town, Church, School and Cemetery areas. This sounds like an excellent suggestion. We hope further action along this line will be taken and we will be most happy to co-operate with all interested groups.

CATHERINE DICKSON  
VIRGINIA DUDLEY  
COLIN HEATH



**REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CANTERBURY, N. H. DEC. 31, 1969**

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose	How Invested	PRINCIPAL			INCOME			Bal. End Year
				Balance Beginning Year	Gains or Losses	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Amount of Interest	Expended During Year	
1873	Benjamin Widden	Cong. Church	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	.....	\$200.00	\$2.37	\$10.31	\$12.68	.....
1965	Home Benevolent Fund	Glasses/Dental Care	N. H. Savings Bank	700.00	.....	700.00	56.66	38.55	95.21	.....
1918	Lucia Maria Elkins	Library Repair	N. H. Savings Bank	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	.....	254.73	254.73	.....
	Lucia Maria Elkins	Library Books	N. H. Savings Bank	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Lucia Maria Elkins	Sick and Worthy Poor	N. H. Savings Bank	6,800.00	.....	6,800.00	1,577.69	415.57	308.70	1,684.56
1955	John Kezer	School District	Railroad Stock	18 shares	.....	18 shares	.....	108.00	108.00	.....
1960	John Kezer	School District	N. H. Savings Bank	1,902.10	.....	1,902.10	.....	96.92	96.92	.....
1960	Capital Reserve	Bridge Const.	N. H. Savings Bank	7,000.00	.....	7,000.00	3,101.74	514.64	1,087.99	2,528.39
1966	Capital Reserve	New Equipment	Com. Trust	11,000.00	.....	12,000.00	.....	.....	.....	2,075.33
1969	Capital Reserve	Truck	N. H. Savings Bank	.....	.....	2,000.00	1,159.36	910.97	.....	150.00
1967	Capital Reserve	Fire Truck	N. H. Savings Bank	3,000.00	.....	4,500.00	.....	.....	.....	345.00
1960	Frank Drew	Library	N. H. Savings Bank	3,000.00	.....	3,000.00	.....	152.83	152.83	.....
1963	Canterbury Youth Fund	Youth Activity	N. H. Savings Bank	180.00	.....	180.00	1.90	9.20	6.35	4.75
1963	1. Wayne Hutchinson	.....	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	.....	180.00	1.10	5.15	1.81	4.44
1963	2. Richard Ambeau	.....	N. H. Savings Bank	223.00	.....	223.00	2.54	11.60	5.64	8.50
1965	3. Kenneth Green	.....	N. H. Savings Bank	35.00	.....	35.00	.45	1.85	1.20	1.10
1968	4. Memorial	.....	N. H. Savings Bank	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1965	Arthur & Mary Mudge	Library Book Fund	Ice Arena Bonds	200.00	.....	200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Perpetual Care Fund	Cemetery Care	Common Trust	9,125.00	535.00	9,660.00	1,225.48	523.53	981.87	767.14
	<b>TOTAL</b>			\$48,465.10	\$5,035.00	\$53,500.10	\$7,129.29	\$2,953.85	\$3,113.93	\$7,469.21

**PERPETUAL CARE OF CEMETERY LOTS**  
**Trust Funds are Invested in New Hampshire Savings Banks**

Date of Creation	Name of Trust Fund	Balance Beginning Year	Amount	Balance Year	Amount	Expended During Year	Bal. End Year
1908	Betsy Kimball .....	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$6.42	\$11.00	\$17.42	.....
1908	Philip & Thomas Clough .....	50.00	50.00	1.82	2.75	4.57	.....
1909	Milton B. Neal .....	100.00	100.00	46.04	5.50	31.17	20.37
1911	Arthur Clough .....	200.00	200.00	178.59	11.00	34.00	155.59
1912	F. E. & G. M. Tallant .....	50.00	50.00	22.62	2.75	25.37	.....
1915	Elbridge Chase .....	50.00	50.00	13.85	2.75	16.60	.....
1919	James Elkins .....	200.00	200.00	139.22	11.00	34.00	116.22
1918	Jonathan Sargent .....	200.00	200.00	218.44	11.00	36.00	195.44
1921	M. S. Tallant .....	50.00	50.00	16.46	2.75	19.21	.....
1921	D. M. Clough .....	50.00	50.00	5.28	2.75	8.03	.....
1924	Smith — Morrill .....	250.00	250.00	96.86	13.75	34.61	76.00
1926	William Small .....	100.00	100.00	31.44	5.50	36.94	.....
1926	Alvah Dearborn .....	50.00	50.00	1.67	2.75	4.42	.....
1927	Boyce — Swasey .....	100.00	100.00	4.17	5.50	9.67	.....
1930	John Ingalls .....	50.00	50.00	10.38	2.75	13.13	.....
1931	Jeremiah Clough .....	200.00	200.00	41.52	11.00	34.58	17.94
1934	Caroline Emery .....	100.00	100.00	23.07	5.50	28.57	.....
1934	Joseph Lake .....	300.00	300.00	108.29	16.50	34.79	90.00
1936	Orin Randall .....	50.00	50.00	5.83	2.75	8.58	.....
1938	Smith — Morrill .....	250.00	250.00	29.13	13.75	34.88	8.00
1940	Frank Dow .....	100.00	100.00	16.39	5.50	21.89	.....
1941	L. & C. H. Jones .....	75.00	75.00	2.41	4.15	6.56	.....



## REPORT OF THE CANTERBURY FUND

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The 1969 Canterbury Fair was the most successful fair ever held in Canterbury and the Trustees of the Canterbury Fund wish to express their appreciation to the many residents who gave generously of their time and effort. As a result of the fair's success, the Fair Committee was able to donate \$2,000.00 to the Canterbury Fund to bring the total from this source to \$6,750.00 during the past four years.

The accounting for 1969 is as follows:

Balance in banks, December 31, 1968		\$5,270.22
Interest Received	\$ 238.52	
Donation — Fair Committee	2,000.00	
		<hr/> 2,238.52
Balance in banks, December 31, 1969		\$7,508.74

No requests for financial aid were received during the year but a grant loan of \$280.00 has been made on recommendation of the Loan Committee since the close of 1969.

The power of the Trustees to make grant loans was detailed in the 1968 report and such grants are made only on the recommendation of the Loan Committee which is made up of representatives from the leading Canterbury organizations. Members of the Loan Committee at present are:

Mrs. Sargent Goodhue — Deaconess, Community Church

Mrs. Robert J. Hill — Ladies Benevolent Society

Mrs. R. Peter Klein — Parent-Teachers Association

Robert V. Lee — Volunteer Fire Department

Mrs. James W. Lilly — Women's Club

Charles H. Smith — Deacon, Community Church

Applications for aid may be made confidentially to any member of the Loan Committee, to the minister of the Church or to any Trustee.

The Fund will again share in the profits of the Canterbury Fair which will be held on July 25, 1970. The Trustees hope that everyone will again assist in making the Fair a success and so continue building up this emergency relief fund for Canterbury residents who meet with misfortune.

COLIN M. HEATH  
ROBERT L. PILE  
ALEXANDER STANDISH  
Trustees

## ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES' REPORT 1969

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Again, a year of change and improvement at Elkins Library. After several years of prodigious work by many townspeople, at last all books are cataloged — quite an accomplishment for a library with the scope of Elkins in a town the size of Canterbury, but you are all well familiar with that old Canterbury volunteer spirit. This milestone means that in the very near future — as soon as a group of filing volunteers completes its work in the next week or so — anyone will be able to determine what literature on a specific subject or by a specific author is available in our library, simply by use of our card catalog. Our school program for the last two years has stressed use of the card catalog, and study of the Dewey Decimal System has been encouraged as low as fourth grade. Elkins library has been cooperating with Canterbury Elementary School in an attempt to send our children to high school with a working knowledge of a public library; it is our theory that the sooner this becomes routine in a pupil's store of knowledge, the better.

We hope Elkins Library's fine collection is duly acknowledged and appreciated. Our non-fiction and reference collection is unusually complete for that of such a small community — in no small part due to consistent gifts from Marion Rudkin, who donates a large number of adult fiction and biography books every year. Consequently, we are able to spend our book money for more sophisticated non-fiction and reference works than one might suppose, and still adequately supply the light fiction reader.

With the town's approval, our board sought and received federal aid for our downstairs room, which is

progressing well. Donald Booth, our contractor, has completely rebuilt the bulkhead and established a new entryway; this winter he is at work inside. Outside lights for those treacherous steps have been installed. In the course of this project, so many helping hands have been extended that one is hard pressed to even recall, let alone mention all of them. Pilgrim Fellowship helped "landscape" the bulkhead excavation, and two other separate groups of young people helped remove all debris from the cellar prior to actual work, all of these projects aided by the loan of various trucks and vehicles. We have promise of future aid when needed.

Two families, the Guertins and the Lees, have given sizable memorial funds towards this renovation, a fitting tribute to two townspeople who made such good use of the library in years past. In addition, a large cribbage board-table has been given in memory of Sabin N. Guertin, and a tournament will be announced as soon as several enthusiasts can arrive at a suitable schedule. Any ideas for a trophy? Gifts large and small seem to keep coming — all are very welcome.

Most purchases in the youth department have been in the classics field — often in Permabound editions — a form of paper back guaranteed for fifty circulations and displayed on a wire rack similar to those used in a book store. Realizing that any school library will of necessity be heavy in the nonfiction-reference sections, we hope to supplement this with the best available literature for youth in its most attractive form. Similarly, we have attempted to follow the tenor of the times in magazine subscriptions, *Camping*, *Nature* and *Oceans* being among our newest and most popular additions.

Our Friends of the Library have been even more active than usual, for this year our school service involved seventh and eighth grades as well as the lower six. Fortunately, our system was well established from last year so our efforts were primarily in the nature of



recruitment. At one of the statewide Friends' meetings Elkins Library was singled out as one of tremendous recent improvement — 1000% was our district consultant's estimate! Needless to say, our own Friends attending that meeting came away proud and pleased with our own hard working group.

All in all, Elkins Library is stretching to keep abreast of this fast paced new century — please come see for yourself!

CHARLES DODGE  
PAMELA FIFIELD  
GEORGE HEINS  
MARY HUTCHINS  
MILDRED MEEH  
MILDRED KOPPERL, Chairmar



**ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
**January 1 to December 31, 1969**

**Librarian's Report**

Book Purchased	367		
Books — Gifts	135		
		Circulation	
	Books Added	Elkins	State
Adult Fiction	125	738	89
Adult Non-Fiction	97	608	115
Juvenile Fiction	123	2827	583
Juvenile Non-Fiction	31	731	207
Magazines and other non-books items		43	
Juvenile Fiction and Non-fiction awaiting classification cards	115		
Reference books	11		
	502	502	4947 + 994 = 5941*

\* Circulation for 1969

Special thanks are in order for this past year to:  
those faithful friends who staff the Library during the  
day when it is open specifically for Canterbury School:

Mrs. Gerow Brill — Grades 1 thru 4; assisted by

Mrs. Sargent Goodhue; with story-telling by

Mrs. Linwood Rogers

Mrs. James Williams — Grades 6 and 7

Mrs. Philip Ernst — Grade 8 and Band pupils' time;

Mrs. Robert Fife, that cooperative and enthusiastic  
chairman of the Friends of the Library, who sees that  
the Library is staffed on Tuesday nights, and to the  
friends who staff it;

Mrs. Quentin Hutchins, who shelved most of our  
5900+ circulated books in 1969 and who keeps the  
Library looking its best;

Mrs. Kenneth Hutchinson for her faithful efforts in  
card filing and the endless cooperation of the Trustees.

YVONNE S. HANDEL  
LOUISA M. JACKMAN

Librarians

**ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
**Treasurer's Report 1969**

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**Receipts**

Balance on hand January 21, 1969 \$	79.65	
Town of Canterbury Appropriation	1,465.00	
Trust Funds		
Elkins	254.73	
Drew	152.83	
Book Fines and Lost Books	57.79	
Canterbury Woman's Club	11.54	
Gift	10.00	
Refund from N.H. State Library Assn.	253.91	
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Total Receipts		\$2,285.45

**Disbursements**

Salaries:

L. Jackman (Librarian)	277.50	
Y. Handel (Librarian)	277.50	
K. Russewick (Janitor)	60.00	
Town of Canterbury — Telephone	61.78	
Prescott Oil Co.	177.17	
Concord Electric Co.	102.88	
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		\$956.83

Library Supplies:

Brown & Saltmarsh	19.84	
Highsmith Co., Inc.	4.93	
Demco	41.25	
Hazen Printing Co.	12.00	
National Library Ass'n	9.50	

Business Equipment Co.	58.95	
Postage	17.05	
Peterson Country Store	4.63	
Y. Handel	4.71	
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		172.86
Repairs:		
Perron Bros.	90.20	
Robie's Wiring Service	63.03	
Concord Lumber	9.98	
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		163.21
Books:		
Magazine Subscriptions	25.98	
Tuttle Co., Inc.	25.17	
F. S. Barnard & Co., Inc.	420.97	
World Book Encyclopedia, Inc.	5.95	
Campbell & Hall, Inc.	324.09	
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		802.16
Miscellaneous:		
Cragg Bindery		
(Bind Town Reports)	30.00	
N. S. State Library (lost books)	8.53	
N. H. Library Ass'n — Dues	8.00	
N. H. Library Ass'n		
Meeting & Luncheons	14.00	
N. H. State Library Friends Banquet	14.92	
F. J. Barnard & Co., Inc. —		
Bind books	8.42	
St. Pauls School (R. Fowler Gift)	40.00	
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		123.87
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Total Disbursements		\$2,218.93
Balance on Hand January 19, 1970		\$66.52

### N. H. Savings Bank Account

Balance on Hand January 21, 1969	\$775.27	
Interest to October 1, 1969	30.88	
Deposit Sept. 3, 1969 ( Canterbury Fair Book Sale)	346.77	
Transferred to Building Fund, December 24, 1969	160.00	
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Balance on Hand January 1, 1970		\$992.92

### ELKINS PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING FUND

Account in Mechanicks National Bank of  
Concord, N. H.

#### Receipts

Memorial Funds	\$205.00	
Town of Canterbury Approp.	1,000.00	
Funds Transferred from Savings Account	160.00	
Refund from State of N. H.	57.72	
Sale of Typewriter	3.26	
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		\$1,425.98

#### Disbursements

Community Builders	\$1,350.00	
Activity Charge for Check	.10	
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		\$1,350.10
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Balance on hand Jan. 21, 1970		\$75.88

**REPORT OF CANTERBURY  
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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The following is a list of call-ins that the Police Department responded to in 1969.

<b>Type</b>	<b>No. Calls</b>	
Trespassing or Destroying Property	5	\$20.00
Complaints on Animals	14	60.00
Disturbing the peace	11	71.00
Patrolling	2	42.00
Accidents	2	11.00
Breaking, Entering & Thefts	9	80.00
Miscellaneous	21	157.00
		<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$441.00

HARRY HEATH — Chief  
HAROLD STREETER — Deputy  
JOHN HUGRON — Deputy

## REPORT OF THE CANTERBURY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC.

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The Fire Department made 17 runs during the year of 1969; 3 chimney fires, 4 grass fires, 3 automobile accidents, 2 automobile fires, 2 lost persons, 1 false alarm and 2 Mutual Aid.

The 1969 fire season was a quiet one in this area. Frequent rains kept the danger to a minimum and there were few violations. Your Forest Fire Warden's job would be easier if everyone understood the State laws that govern the kindling of outdoor fires. A synopsis of these laws follows:

### **Fire Permit**

A *fire permit* is needed for all outdoor fires in or near woodland anytime the ground is not covered with snow. This includes household waste burning, even if in an incinerator, grass burning, garden trash as well as brush burning. Such burning is restricted by regulation to be *prior to 9:00 a. m. and after 5:00 p. m.*

### **Exceptions**

Commercial or industrial burning is allowed anytime under normal conditions with permission of the District Chief and a permit from the Fire Warden.

Camp or cooking fires are allowed on your own property with permission of the Fire Warden. On another's property with written permission of the landowner and permission of the Fire Warden. The Warden can forbid such fires if in a hazardous area. Permits for cooking fires in the White Mountain National Forest can be obtained from the Laconia Office or at the ranger Stations. Permits are not required in public camp or picnic grounds where fireplaces have been built for this purpose.

**Penalties**

1. For kindling a fire without a permit. Maximum of \$200.00 fine; or imprisonment for not more than 60 days.
2. For kindling a fire by any means wilfully or recklessly that shall endanger woodlands the maximum fine is \$500.00 or one year's imprisonment.
3. For failure to totally extinguish a camp or cooking fire before leaving it the same penalties as in (1) above.
4. For dropping inflammable material in or near woodland maximum fine of \$25.00.

Fire prevention is a personal matter and a good habit. Keep our town free from smokes in 1970.

ROBERT V. LEE,  
Fire Chief  
Forest Fire Warden

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**REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS**

We have examined the records of Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agent, Elkins Public Library, Canterbury Volunteer Fire Department and the Selectmen for the year ended December 31, 1969 and have found their accounts correctly cast and properly vouched.

PRISCILLA LOCKWOOD  
FRANK HALLIN

## REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

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Since Town Meeting a year ago, the Planning Board has held regular meetings each month, in addition to two special meetings. Regular meetings are usually on the second Thursday evening of the month. They are held in the Selectmen's office at 7:30 P. M. Interested citizens are invited to attend all but executive sessions.

At the meeting in May, 1969, the Board voted unanimously to embark on the preparation of a long-range, comprehensive town plan in order to anticipate the many problems which will inevitably arise as the result of a rapidly increasing population. Many towns have already had such plans prepared by professional experts, and their value has been demonstrated. The Board felt, however, that the cost of a professional job would be excessive, even with financial assistance from the State and Federal governments. It was decided, therefore, to go ahead on a "do-it-yourself" basis, with the help of an expanded committee of townspeople, the State planning department, the Central New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission, and as much technical assistance from professional consultants as possible with funds that may be available.

Under the direction of the Board, a detailed population and housing survey was conducted in November by a group of nearly thirty volunteer citizens, to whom the Board and the Town owe a debt of gratitude. The results of this survey were tabulated and run through a computer by Mr. and Mrs. R. Peter Klein, to whom many thanks are also due. A preliminary report on the survey was the topic of discussion at the First Friday Forum in January.

Sub-committees are now at work on other phases of the plan and preliminary reports of progress will be



made from time to time. Financial assistance is being sought from New Hampshire-Tomorrow. Negotiations to date suggest that a modest amount may be granted from that organization provided the town itself indicates its interest in the project by voting a small appropriation.

As a member of the Central New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission, we have been represented at several meetings of this body by our appointed delegate, Col. Sabin W. Guertin. We believe it is in the best interests of the town to continue its membership in the Commission and we recommend that the small amount needed to meet our share of the current year's budget be appropriated. We have been advised that New Hampshire-Tomorrow will aid in paying the cost of each town's participation for this year, thus decreasing the expense to be borne by the town.

No sub-division proposals have been submitted to the Board for approval during the past year. However, some such developments in town are known to be under consideration. Proposed zoning regulations to be voted upon by the town of Loudon classify as "commercial" that portion of Shaker Road located in that town. This prospect underscores the importance of consultation and cooperation among adjacent communities.

The Board warmly thanks all those who have assisted so far in the planning project, and appeals to all interested Townspeople for future participation.

STUART D. FIFIELD  
SABIN W. GUERTIN  
CHARLES H. SMITH  
DONALD A. FRARY, *ex officio*  
ALEXANDER STANDISH, Secretary  
ROBERT J. HILL, Chairman

February 16, 1970

## INSURANCE IN FORCE — BUDGET PLAN

Company	Amount	Property	Expiration Date
Vermont Mutual	\$21,000.00	Fire & E. C. — Town Hall	Jan. 1, 1973
Vermont Mutual	21,000.00	Fire & E. C. — Garage	Jan. 1, 1973
Vermont Mutual	6,000.00	Fire & E. C. — Fire Station	Jan. 1, 1973
Vermont Mutual	5,900.00	Fire & E. C. — Lake Bldgs.	Jan. 1, 1973
Vermont Mutual	4,000.00	Fire & E. C. — Library Furn. Bks. & Paint.	Jan. 1, 1973
Vermont Mutual	16,000.00	Fire & E. C. — Library	Jan. 1, 1973
American Employers'	10/20	Mfg. & Contractors Liability	Jan. 31, 1971
Merchant Mutual	Statutory 5/10	Workmen's Compensation Liability, Town Hall, Fire House, Garage, Lake Bldgs.	Jan. 31, 1971 May 2, 1970
National Grange	100/300	Liability & Collision on Town Vehicles	May 25, 1970
National Grange	650.00	Fire Ins. Austin Western Grader	May 25, 1970
National Grange	9,000.00	Fire Ins. Dodge Panel	May 25, 1970
National Grange	3,700.00	Fire Ins. John Deere Tractor	May 25, 1970
National Grange	3,000.00	Fire Ins. Chev. Fire Truck	May 25, 1970
National Grange	ACV	Fire Ins. Gmc Dump Truck	May 25, 1970
National Grange	4,600.00	Fire Ins. Nat'l Fire Truck	May 25, 1970
National Grange	ACV	Fire Ins. Ford Dump Truck	May 25, 1970
Vermont Mutual	8,500.00	Fire Dept. Equip. & Property Floater	Jan. 1, 1971
National Grange	60,500.00	Public Official Bonds	Mar. 1, 1970

Report of the  
**Canterbury**  
**School District**  
for the year  
**1969**

# REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## Moderator

ROBERT V. LEE

## Clerk

MRS. DEBORAH FIFIELD

## Treasurer

MRS. BEVERLY HUGRON

## Auditors

JANET W. HUTCHINSON

GEORGE D. HEINS

## School Board

JAMES JORDAN, Jr.

Term expires in 1970

DOUGLAS RUESSWICK

Term expires in 1971

FRANK H. HALLIN

Term expires in 1972

## Teachers

### 1969-70

LUTHER M. R. COPP, Principal

Grades 5-8

REINO M. LILBACK

Grades 5-8

DENNIS MARTINO

Grades 5-8

LeROY J. ANDERSON

Grades 5-8

MRS. EDITHA M. HALL

Grade 4

MRS. MARY SAWYER

Grade 3

MISS FRANCES WINTERSON

Grade 2

MISS ANN E. SHARPS

Grade 1

MRS. MARY MAZUR, R.N.

Nurse

**Superintendent of Schools**  
RAYMOND E. MORTON

**Assistant Superintendent**  
DONALD F. DAY, JR.

Office in the Beede Block, 1 Merrimack St., Penacook, N. H. Office is open on all school days from 8:30 to 12:30 and 1:30 to 4:30. Appointment for conference with the Superintendent or Assistant Superintendent may be made by calling 753-6561.

**SCHOOL WARRANT**  
**The State of New Hampshire**

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Canterbury School in said district on the 21st day of March 1970, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, with the moderator opening the meeting, declaring the polls open for voting from 2:30 o'clock p.m. to 7:30 o'clock p.m. and from 8:45 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. for school district officials, and declaring the business section of the meeting open at 7:30 o'clock p.m. for action on articles 5-11 inclusive.

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the report of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officers and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

9. To see if the district will vote to provide transportation for pupils in grades 9-12 to the school assigned by the school board.

10. To see if the district will create a school planning committee to study the feasibility of a long term agreement with Belmont and/or other districts, and to elect the members thereof or determine that they shall be appointed by the Moderator.

11. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Canterbury this 2nd day of February 1970.

FRANK HALLIN  
JAMES JORDAN, JR.  
DOUGLAS RUESSWICK  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

FRANK HALLIN  
JAMES JORDAN, JR.  
DOUGLAS RUESSWICK  
School Board

**REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER**  
**For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1968		\$10,844.79
Received from Selectmen		
Current Appropriation	\$115,984.29	
Advance on Next Year's Appro.	301.11	
Revenue from State Sources	16,800.44	
Revenue from Federal Sources	3,567.42	
Received from Tuition	230.00	
Income from Trust Fund	204.57	
Received from Sale of Notes and Bonds	1,000.00	
Received from all Other Sources	4,746.04	
Total Receipts		142,833.87
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		\$153,678.66
Less School Board Orders Paid		142,445.37
Balance on Hand June 30, 1969		\$11,233.29

BEVERLY HUGRON  
District Treasurer

October 8, 1969

**BUILDING FUND**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1968		\$340.54
Received from Sale of Notes and Bonds		50,000.00
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		\$50,340.54
Less School Board Orders Paid		168.57
Balance on Hand June 30, 1969		\$50,171.97

BEVERLY HUGRON  
District Treasurer

October 8, 1969



## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Canterbury, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1969 and find them correct in all respects.

GEORGE D. HEINS  
JANET W. HUTCHINSON

October 21, 1969

Auditors

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**Canterbury School District**  
**For Year Ending June 30, 1969**

**Summary of Finance for 1968-1969**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1968:	
General Fund	\$10,844.79
Capital Outlay	340.54
	\$11,185.33
Total Receipts	\$192,899.51
	\$204,084.84
Minus Payments for 1968-1969	142,679.68
	\$61,405.16

**Receipts**

District Assessment	\$115,984.29
Advance on Next year's appropriation	301.11
Summer School Tuition	230.00
Earnings from Trust Funds	586.96
A. Standish payment for Bond	1,000.00
Foundation Aid	14,447.67
Building Aid	900.00
Sweepstakes	1,452.77
Special Milk Program	621.79
Received from students for milk	662.10
Title I	2,945.63
Telephone reimbursement	1.55
Principal of Notes	53,700.00
Other Revenue	65.64
	\$192,899.51



## INSTRUCTION

### 210. Teachers' Salaries:

Luther M. R. Copp	8,450.00
Reino Lilback	5,400.00
Editha Hall	6,400.00
Ann Sharps	4,153.86
Frances Winterson	5,370.00
Caroline Ruesswick	1,660.00
Priscilla Lockwood	600.00
Esther Copp	20.00
Nora Murphy	208.00
Kaye Mirski	560.00
Juna LaFlamme	180.00
Kathryn Cushman	237.36
Marjorie Andrus	764.64
Susan Grimard	5,400.10
Karolyn Sidway	20.00

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39,423.96

### 215. Textbooks:

American Book Co.	87.63
Educational Reading Service	23.64
Ginn & Co.	102.83
J. B. Lippincott & Co.	55.65
Allyn & Bacon	58.56
Scott Foresman & Co.	175.02
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	77.94
Silver Burdett Co.	141.92
Eldridge Publishing Co.	2.58

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725.77

### 220. Audiovisual and Library Materials:

Home Library Service	7.95
Denoyer-Geppert Co.	23.16
A. H. Rice Co.	1.95

	Science Research Co.	508.07	
	Bob Hall Music Center	12.15	
			553.28
230.	Teachers' Supplies:		
	American Book Co.	11.21	
	Cambosco Scientific	29.18	
	Continental Press	31.18	
	Follett Publishing Co.	23.26	
	Ginn & Co.	214.98	
	Mainco School Supply Co.	154.85	
	Milton Bradley Co.	285.48	
	Education Digest	6.00	
	Ideals Publishing Co.	7.50	
	F. A. Owen Publishing Co.	7.00	
	Grade Teacher	6.00	
	Hammett's	15.51	
	American Education Publica- tions	93.00	
	McGraw-Hill Book Co.	73.44	
	Horton Handicraft	24.91	
	Editha Hall	5.30	
	Scott Foresman & Co.	17.10	
	Ginn & Co.	3.20	
	Houghton-Mifflin Co.	4.15	
	Science Research Co.	204.78	
			1,218.03
235.	Contracted Services:		
	WENH-TV	80.75	
	Harcourt Brace & World Inc.	22.24	
			102.99
290.	Other Expenses for Instruction:		
	Hazen Printing Co.	27.50	

	Brown & Saltmarsh	2.65	
	Editha Hall	14.00	
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			44.15
HEALTH SERVICES			
410.	Salary:		
	Irene Ackley		800.00
490.	Other Expenses:		
	Irene Ackley Travel	100.00	
	Concord Mental Health Center	150.00	
	Nault's Pharmacy	45.96	
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			295.96
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION			
510.	Salaries:		
	Hugh Fifield	1,992.00	
	Lucian Hildreth	1,895.25	
	June Robinson	26.25	
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			3,913.50
525.	Replacement of bus:		
	Benson Auto Co.		6,191.50
530.	Supplies for Pupil Transportation:		
	Mobil Oil Co.	1,141.82	
	Benson Auto Co.	16.25	
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			1,158.07
535.	Contracted Services for Pupil Transportation:		
	Carroll Foster	4,577.00	
	Benson Auto Co.	17.00	
	Tri-County Service	377.63	
	Luther Copp (Title I)	62.00	
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			5,033.63

590.	Other Expenses for Pupil Transportation:		
	Nick's Auto Service	751.42	
	Benson Auto Co.	50.14	
	Sanel's	8.67	
	Hugh Fifield	10.00	
	Palmer Spring Co.	299.97	
	Spear's Garage	83.31	
	Goodyear Service	106.28	
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			1,309.79
555.	Insurance for Pupil Transportation:		
	Towle's Agency		262.00
OPERATION OF PLANT			
610.	Salaries:		
	Ellen Hildreth		2,600.00
630.	Supplies for Operation of Plant:		
	Milton Bradley	29.90	
	George T. Johnson Co.	366.12	
	Peterson's Country Store	10.33	
	Luxor Lighting Products Co.	81.05	
	C. M. Rice Paper Co.	150.91	
	Agway Inc.	105.25	
	Del Chemical	56.45	
	Fox Hardware Co.	15.49	
	Rochester Germicide Co.	12.55	
	Sanel's	7.50	
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			835.55
640.	Heat for Building:		
	Kidder & Morin Fuel Co.		1,249.88
645.	Utilities:		
	Concord Electric Co.	449.73	
	New England Telephone	153.75	
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			603.48

MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

725.	Repairs to Equipment:		
	Cardigan Sport Store	20.00	
	Sanel's	210.00	
		<hr/>	230.00
735.	Contracted Services:		
	George Greenwood	9.25	
	Adams Glass Co.	27.23	
	Nickerson's	21.80	
	Pioneer Office Supp. Co.	10.04	
	Johns Plumbing & Heating	93.43	
		<hr/>	161.75
766.	Repairs to Building:		
	Adams Glass Co.	128.25	
	Concord Lumber Co.	4.69	
	Johns Plumbing & Heating	138.42	
	Mitchell & Hicks	55.88	
	Steenbeke & Sons	7.69	
	Carleton Titus	344.00	
	Community Builders	46.00	
	Nickerson's	21.80	
		<hr/>	746.73

FIXED CHARGES

850.2	New Hampshire Retirement System	746.94
850.3	Treasurer State of N. H. (FICA)	1,422.16
855.	Insurance:	
	Towle Agency	688.75
	Morrill & Everett	85.00



Supervisory Union #46 (Bkkppr.)	4.26	
	<hr/>	2,947.11
SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM		
975. Concord Dairy Inc.		1,385.43
STUDENT ACTIVITIES		
1075. Haggett's Sport Store		63.24
CAPITAL OUTLAY		
1265. Site and Building:		
Arnold Perreton & Assoc.	2,128.00	
Community Builders	50.00	
George C. Benjamin	200.00	
Lloyd F. Brown	219.00	
Frank Hallin	2.50	
Upton Sanders & Upton	250.00	
	<hr/>	2,849.50
1267. Equipment:		
Concord Typewriter Service	175.00	
Milton Bradley Co.	50.45	
Ellen Hildreth	13.55	
Sidway Furniture	150.00	
Mainco School Supply Co.	2,870.35	
Cascade Supplies	129.90	
World Book	137.95	
Paris Mfg. Co.	771.80	
Paid out from Building Fund	168.57	
	<hr/>	4,467.57

DEBT SERVICE FROM CURRENT MONIES

1370.	Principal:		
	Concord National Bank	3,000.00	
1371.	Interest:		
	Concord National Bank	760.00	
		<hr/>	3,760.00

OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS

1477.1	Tuition:		
	Merrimack Valley School		
	District	562.86	
	Concord Union School Dist.	6,800.00	
	Winnisquam Regional School		
	District	48,152.99	
		<hr/>	55,515.85
1477.3	Dist Share Supervisory		
	Union Exp.	2,586.36	
	Bookkeeping Costs—		
	Supt's Office	275.00	
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SUMMER SCHOOL

1710.	Salaries:		
	Luther M. R. Copp	300.00	
	Esther Copp	96.00	
		<hr/>	396.00
	Total Expenditures		<hr/>
			\$142,679.68

**CANTERBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Present and Proposed Budget**

	Present 1969-70	Proposed 1970-71
ADMINISTRATION (100)		
110.1 Salaries of District Officers		
110.1 School Board Members	\$600.00	\$600.00
110.2 Treasurer	100.00	100.00
135. Contracted Services		
135.1 Auditors	20.00	20.00
135.2 Census	25.00	25.00
135.3 Ballot Clerks	8.00	8.00
190. Other Expenses		
190.1 Legal expense	250.00	100.00
190.5 Professional Membership/dues	75.00	75.00
190.6 Local office expense and Postage	75.00	75.00
INSTRUCTION (200)		
210. Salaries		
210.31 Classroom Teachers	55,000.00	62,000.00
210.32 Substitutes	1,960.00	1,500.00
210.33 Title I	2,400.00	2,400.00
210.34 Other Instructional Staff		
215. Textbooks	1,700.00	1,800.00
(Textbooks, freight and cartage of textbooks, expenses for supplementary textbooks and paperback books)		
220. School Library and Audiovisual Materials	700.00	700.00
220.1 School Library books		
220.2 Periodicals and Newspapers		
220.3 Audiovisual Materials		
220.4 Reference Books		
220.5 Maps, charts, globes		

230.	Teaching Supplies	2,200.00	2,000.00
	All tests, chalk, paper, test tubes, ink, pencils, paints, crayons, workbooks, magazines and periodicals)		
230.3	Tests		200.00
235.	Contracted Services		
235.1	Educational Television	100.00	200.00
235.2	Film Rental	75.00	75.00
290.	Other expenses for Instruction	800.00	800.00
	(Office supp., graduation expenses, used in instructional program but not consumed in the actual teaching-learning process, and teacher courses)		

#### HEALTH SERVICE (400)

410.1	Nurse's Salary	900.00	900.00
490.	Other Expenses for Health Services		
490.2	Health Supplies	60.00	75.00
490.3	Mental Health	150.00	150.00
490.4	Travel	100.00	100.00
490.5	Audiometer	315.00	

#### TRANSPORTATION (500)

510.	Salaries (Drivers)	\$4,000.00	\$6,000.00
530.	Supplies	1,600.00	2,000.00
535.	Contracted Services	7,250.00	9,750.00
555.	Insurance	200.00	250.00
590.	Other expenses for transportation	300.00	300.00
590.1	Title I — Transportation	80.00	80.00

#### OPERATION OF PLANT (600)

610.	Custodian's Salary	3,500.00	3,500.00
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630.	Supplies (Brooms, mops, soap, dusters, electrical fuses, light bulbs, paper towels, toilet tissue, etc.)	1,000.00	1,000.00
635.	Contracted Services	150.00	150.00
635.1	Mowing grass		
635.2	Removal of trash		
640.	Heat	1,800.00	2,400.00
645.	Utilities	900.00	900.00
645.2	Electricity		
645.4	Telephone		

#### MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

(700)		1,000.00	1,000.00
725.	Replacement of Equipment		
726.	Repairs to Equipment (Expenditures for materials, repair parts, rental of equipment for the repairing of equipment which is not a built-in item)		
735.	Contracted Services for Maintenance (Expenditures for repair and upkeep of buildings, grounds, and equip- ment by personnel who are not on the payroll of the school district)		
766.	Repairs to Buildings (Repainting woodwork, redecorating walls, refinishing floors, shingling, repairing doors, windows, hard- ware, window shades and built-in equip.)		

#### FIXED CHARGES (800)

850.	School District contributions to Emp. Retire.		
850.2	Teachers' Retirement	1,820.00	1,302.00

850.3 Fed. Ins. Contrib. Act (FICA)	2,277.00	3,041.00
855. Insurance and Treasurer's Bond	939.00	1,200.00
Title I		100.00

SCHOOL LUNCH AND MILK PROGRAM (900)

975.1 Federal Monies	1,700.00	1,700.00
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STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES (1000)

1075.1 Athletics	\$75.00	\$100.00
1075.2 Title I	65.00	65.00

CAPITAL OUTLAY (1200)

1265. Sitas		
1266. Buildings	181,000.00	
1267. Equipment	400.00	400.00

DEBT SERVICE FROM CURRENT MONIES  
(1300)

1370. Principal of Debt —		
Building	12,050.00	11,500.00
Bus	2,000.00	1,700.00
1371. Interest on Debt —		
Building	9,715.00	11,810.00
Bus	161.00	80.00

OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS (1400)

1477.1 Tuition	41,291.00	49,803.00
1477.3 Dist. Share Sup. Union Exp.	2,963.00	3,743.00
1477.4 Bookkeeping	330.00	400.00

SUMMER SCHOOL (1700)	400.00	400.00
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Total to be appropriated	<u>\$346,579.00</u>	<u>\$188,577.00</u>
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### Estimated Income

Foundation Aid	\$14,513.20	\$1,234.00
Building Aid	3,615.00	3,450.00
Sweepstakes	1,150.00	1,150.00
Federal Milk Refund	1,700.00	1,700.00
Trust Funds	195.00	195.00
Title I	2,645.00	2,645.00
Gifts and Bequests	1,100.00	
Bond Issue	181,000.00	
Sale of Bus	1,500.00	
Summer School	250.00	250.00
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	207,668.20	10,624.00
District Assessment	\$138,910.80	\$175,453.00
		2,500.00
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		\$177,953.00

**MINUTES OF THE CANTERBURY SCHOOL  
DISTRICT MEETING, MARCH 8, 1969**

      Polls opened at 6:45 P.M. closed at 7:30 P.M., opened at 8:45 P.M., closed at 9:00 P. M.

      The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Robert Lee. The warrant was read and the checklist attested.

      A total of 81 ballots was cast on a checklist of 354.

      ARTICLE ONE — Moderator elected, Robert Lee.

      ARTICLE TWO — Clerk elected, Deborah Fifield.

      ARTICLE THREE — School Board Member for one year, James R. Jordan, Jr., School Board Member for three years, Frank Hallin.

      ARTICLE FOUR — Treasurer elected, Beverly Hugron.

      The Moderator felt that Article 9 should be brought up before the other articles in the warrant and then return to Article 5 and the remaining articles.

      ARTICLE NINE — To appropriate a sum of money for the enlargement of the elementary school including equipment and other related capital costs and to raise such sum by borrowing in the name of the school district under the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act and to take any other action in relation thereto (requires ballot vote with checklist and 2/3 majority to adopt).

      Robert Lockwood moved adoption of Article 9 with the addition of the following resolution :

      RESOLVED that the District appropriate the sum of \$181,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the elementary school and raise this appropriation by authorizing



the School Board to borrow in the name of the District the sum of \$181,000.00 under the Municipal Finance Act, and, in addition to the foregoing appropriation, authorize the School Board to supply toward the cost of the project any available state or federal funds according to the terms under which they are received, as well as any interest received. (Requires ballot vote with checklist and 2/3 majority to adopt.)

Seconded by Charles Smith. The Moderator asked for the reports of the Study Committee and the reason for this article and the resolution. After the reports, the question was moved and the article and its resolution were duly passed by vote of 79 to 5, balloting with the use of the checklist.

ARTICLE FIVE — To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

It was moved and seconded that this article be taken up with Article 8 as part of the budget. Motion passed.

ARTICLE SIX — To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

George Kopperl moved that these reports be accepted. Duly seconded and motion passed.

ARTICLE SEVEN — To Choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

It was moved that we pass over this article. Duly seconded and motion passed.

ARTICLE EIGHT — To see what sum of money the district raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and

for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

It was moved that we take up this article item by item. Seconded and duly passed.

Item 490.2 — It was voted to increase this item by \$315.00 to purchase an audiometer.

With the addition of the money voted in Article 8, the total appropriation was changed to \$346,579.00. It was moved and seconded that this budget be adopted as amended. Duly passed.

ARTICLE TEN — To appoint a building committee to work with the school board and architect in developing final plans for the enlargement of the elementary school and in supervising the construction of the same.

Robert Lockwood moved its adoption with the following resolution:

RESOLVED that the Moderator be authorized to appoint a building committee of 5 members to work with the School Board and the architect in developing final plans for the enlargement of the elementary school and in supervising the construction of the same.

Duly seconded and motion passed.

ARTICLE ELEVEN — To raise and appropriate a sum of money to compensate the architect for preliminary plans and estimates on the proposed enlargement of the elementary school (to be acted upon only if article for borrowing is defeated).

It was moved that we pass over this article. Seconded and duly passed.

ARTICLE TWELVE — To see if the district will create an authorized regional enrollment area planning committee and to elect the members thereof or determine that they shall be appointed by the moderator.

Everand Young resolved that the Moderator appoint a committee consisting of three people to act on this area planning committee, one of whom is to be a member of the Canterbury School Board. This would cover both area and cooperative studies. Motion seconded and passed.

ARTICLE THIRTEEN — To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

The meeting went on record for a vote of thanks to the study committee for the fine presentation that they gave tonight.

A rising vote of thanks was given to Skip Young for the excellent job he has done and also a vote of thanks to Mary Ellen Fifield for her excellent work.

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 P. M.

NANCY LILLY,  
Canterbury School District Clerk

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the members of the School Board and Residents of Canterbury:

Canterbury may well be pleased with the new school addition and the complete school plant now available for the use of Canterbury pupils. This building should serve the elementary school needs of the community for a long time.

The Canterbury School Board and the building committee members are to be commended for their time, planning and effort on behalf of the children of the school district.

In spite of the building program, a maintenance plan was continued which saw two more classrooms painted as scheduled. This completes one cycle of a rotating plan for repainting annually a portion of the school plant. Attention is now to be directed to exterior painting, together with a certain amount of planting and landscaping.

Consideration is also being given to the need for additional playground equipment and plans are being made to install existing equipment which was removed to permit construction of the new classrooms.

It has been a pleasure to work with the School Board and the various committees in a cooperative effort to provide desirable educational opportunities for the pupils of Canterbury.

RAYMOND E. MORTON  
Superintendent of Schools

**SUMMARY OF SALARIES OF SUPERINTENDENT AND  
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT SUPERVISORY  
UNION NO. 46**

District	Local Share of Supt's Salary	Local Share of Asst. Supt's Salary	Total
Andover	\$1,265.00	\$1,208.08	\$2,473.08
Canterbury	915.00	873.82	1,788.82
Chichester	900.00	859.50	1,759.50
Merrimack Valley	6,920.00	6,608.60	13,528.60
Total	\$10,000.00	\$9,550.00	\$19,550.00

The salary figures above refer to the local share as determined by the joint supervisory union board. They do not include the portion of the salaries paid by the state, which is \$7,575.39.

**CANTERBURY 1969 CENSUS REPORT AND  
PROJECTED ENROLLMENTS**

September 1, 1969

<b>Grade</b>	<b>1969</b>	<b>1970</b>	<b>1971</b>	<b>1972</b>	<b>1973</b>	<b>1974</b>
1	23	24	29	17	16	14
2	25	23	24	29	17	16
3	22	25	23	24	29	17
4	29	22	25	23	24	29
5	25	29	22	25	23	24
6	30	25	29	22	25	23
<b>Totals</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—
1-6	154	148	152	140	134	123
7	14	30	29	29	22	25
8	24	14	30	29	29	22
9	11	24	14	30	29	29
<b>Totals</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—
7-9	49	68	73	88	80	76
10	15	11	24	14	30	29
11	12	15	11	24	14	30
12	14	12	15	11	24	14
<b>Totals</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—
10-12	41	38	50	49	68	73
<b>Grand Total</b>	244	254	275	277	282	272

**TUITION PUPILS AND ANNUAL RATES  
1969-70**

Tilton-Northfield Junior High School — Tuition Rate \$584.00

**GRADE 9**

Jo-Ann Witham	Melissa Dudley	Dan Pearson
Helen Bastarache	Ronald Lee	Don Pearson
Paul Boutin	Laurie Leyland	Donald Russell
Bruce Deary	Mark McKerley	

Tilton-Northfield High School — Tuition Rate \$717.00

**GRADE 10**

Robert Bastarache	Mary Guertin	Glen Ruesswick
Roland Bastarache	Joel Hildreth	Caroll Sargent
Perey Booska	Scott Leyland	Lu-Ann Smith
Wayne Cochrane	Michael Littlefield	Ronilee Smith
Janet Fifield	Sherry Nelson	Shirley Streeter

### GRADE 11

Linda Brown  
Fern Deary  
Ann Fifield  
George Glines

Alan Grimaldi  
Susan Lamprey  
Karen Littlefield  
Wesley Nelson

Kent Ruesswick  
Judy Robinson  
Debra Smith  
Dale Williams

### GRADE 12

Carol Bogle  
Ruth Clairmont  
Kathleen Clough  
Dale Cochrane  
Raymond Deary

Kathleen Glines  
Willie Lamprey  
Teresa Littlefield  
Thomas Maloney

June Sargent  
Diane Smith  
Stephen Smith  
Alden Witham

Pembroke Academy — Tuition Rate \$690.92

Peter Curtis, Grade 12

### ENROLLMENT BY GRADES

February 4, 1970

Grade 1	22
Grade 2	23
Grade 3	23
Grade 4	28
Grade 5	25
Grade 6	30
Grade 7	14
Grade 8	23
Total	<hr/> 188

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE FOUNDATION AID  
FOR CANTERBURY**

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The following official state computation is inserted to show how districts qualify for state aid.

Elementary Average Daily Membership	179.3
Elementary Membership X \$312.46 per pupil	\$56,024.90
Secondary Average Daily Membership	42.1
Secondary Membership X \$449.61 per pupil	18,928.69
Total Cost of Foundation Program	<hr style="width: 100%;"/> \$74,953.59
1966 Equalized Valuation	\$4,362,342
Less 14 Dollar Tax on Equalized Valuation	61,072.79
Amount of 1969 Payment	<hr style="width: 100%;"/> \$13,880.80



## REPORT OF CANTERBURY SCHOOL BOARD

Your school board takes this opportunity to invite you to visit and inspect facilities in the new addition before and after the annual meeting. Canterbury can be proud of this addition which we hope will be a worthy contribution for the education of the children of our town. We must recognize that children, as they are the future of Canterbury, are the most important factor and responsibility of our community.

We are indebted to the Canterbury United Community Church for the use of the Parish Building for Grades III and IV during construction. They were most generous and understanding, only charging us for expenses in connection with use of the rooms.

Prior to construction, the Board was fortunate to obtain Alexander Standish, chairman; Robert J. Hill and Everand Young to serve as a Finance Committee to investigate and recommend the handling procedure of the Bond Issue. Presently we have borrowed \$170,000 from New England Merchants National Bank of Boston, Massachusetts on Bond Anticipated Notes which expire on June 30, 1970. The sale of the Bond Issue must be consummated on or before June 30, 1970 to satisfy this non-renewable note. By waiting for the inflation to break, our hope is to obtain a lower interest rate at the Sale of Bonds.

During construction we went through a very difficult and hectic period with noise, dust, and dirt which were disturbing elements for the teachers and children. The 8th grade returned from Tilton-Northfield to anything but ideal conditions.

Last May, Walter Lewis resigned from the Board as he had sold his home and was leaving Canterbury. Douglas Ruesswick was appointed by the remaining members of the board to fill the vacancy until the annual meeting.

In addition to our building program, our most pressing problem was an acceptable arrangement for our high school pupils. We have explored and/or studied the problem with Pembroke, Merrimack Valley, Tilton-Northfield and Belmont. Tilton-Northfield has agreed to allow present students to graduate from their school but with the reservation to rescind this agreement in the event situations change by an unexpected influx of population. This will be a phasing out procedure, whereby they will not accept the 9th grade in September, 1970. On January 26th, the Board at Merrimack Valley agreed to accept our 9th grade in September, 1970 but with no further commitments unless their "middle-school" proposal is accepted at the annual meeting in March. The tuition rate would be \$1.050 per pupil. The Board met with Belmont Board on January 27th, at which time they agreed to take our 9th grade and would study with us on a "long range" basis. Tuition would be \$735 per pupil. This agreement includes the provisions that the 9th grade pupils will be allowed to graduate from Belmont, regardless of the outcome of the study which is to be made.

The Board wishes to extend its gratitude to all the teachers, committees, and persons who helped us so willingly this year, a heartfelt thank you.

FRANK H. HALLIN, Chairman  
JAMES JORDAN  
DOUGLAS RUESSWICK

**ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT  
CANTERBURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**1968-69**

No. of pupils in school. 148

<b>Clinics held:</b>	<b>No treated:</b>
1. Pre-school dental clinic	87
2. TB clinic — grade one	23
3. Amblyopia Screening (pre-school)	17
4. Measles clinic	14

<b>Communicable Diseases:</b>	<b>No. of Cases:</b>
Measles	26
Chickenpox	13
Mumps	1

<b>Individual Inspections:</b>	<b>No. of Children:</b>
Vision tests	154
Hearing tests	31
First Aid	96
Inspections	540

<b>Home Visits:</b>	<b>93</b>	
<b>Defects Found:</b>	<b>No. of Cases:</b>	<b>Corrections</b>
Vision	9	9
Hearing	3	3
Skin	4	4
Speech	11	2
Tonsils	8	
Teeth	53	28
Overweight	1	

The School Health Service wishes to thank all members of the community who helped in any way with our school programs during this past year.

IRENE ACKLEY, RN  
School Nurse



**Vital Statistics**

of the town of

**Canterbury**

for the year

**1969**



**Births Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1969**

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
1969							
Jan. 20	Concord	Mathew Sheahan Fox	Charles Herbert Fox	Carolyn Sue Hatch	Canterbury	New York	New Hampshire
May 5	Concord	April May Silvius	Earl Jasper Silvius	Marie Donna Oakes	Canterbury	Mass.	New Hampshire
May 15	Concord	Frederick Charles Mudge, Jr.	Frederick Charles Mudge, Sr.	Marjorie Darlene Martin	Canterbury	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept. 2	Concord	Sherrie Ellen Geisser	William Alton Geisser	Judith Ellen Kinne	Canterbury	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept. 11	Concord	Polly Lockwood	Robert Alan Lockwood	Priscilla Parmenter	Canterbury	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept. 13	Concord	Joachim Edwin Martin	David Alan Martin	Jean Calder Tibbills	Canterbury	Illinois	New York
Oct. 9	Concord	Stephen Russell Brown	Russell Neal Brown	Frances Louise Ross	Canterbury	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Oct. 15	Concord	Tammy Jean Atwood	Robert Norman Atwood	Kathleen Lorraine Forgeron	Canterbury	Mass.	Mass.
Oct. 29	Concord	Corey Michael Dickson	Richard Ackley Dickson, Jr.	Kathryn Paula Knowlton	Canterbury	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec. 5	Concord	Christopher Richard Perron	David Albert Perron	Simone Rolande Gagne	Canterbury	Maine	New Hampshire
Dec. 14	Franklin	Matt E. Welcome	John Henry Welcome	Dorothy Anne Young	Canterbury	New Hampshire	New Hampshire

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. DEAN, Town Clerk.

## Marriages Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1969

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Date of Birth of each	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married
1969 Jan. 27	Canterbury	Richard Louis Lavigne	Goffstown	4/14/52	New Hampshire	Roy Sidney Lavigne Flora M. Alvesbury	New Hamp. Mass.	Charles H. Dean Canterbury
		Shelley Anne Grant	Canterbury	9/ 3/52	Vermont	Ernest N. Messier Freda G. Messier	Vermont Vermont	Justice of the Peace
Feb. 15	Concord	Lindsey George Gregory	Canterbury	2/23/38	New Hampshire	Norman Gregory Norma Dornin	New Hamp. Vermont	Virginia B. Drivas Concord
		Phillis Ann Scarsilloni	Concord	7/17/35	New Hampshire	Charles L. Beck Ellen Olson	Mass. New Hamp.	Justice of the Peace
Apr. 25	Canterbury	David McNair	Canterbury	3/10/43	Mass.	John E. McNair Arthur N. Morin	New Hamp. Mass.	Rev. Oliver C. Northcott Penacook, Minister
		Carol Ann Morin	Tilton	7/31/43	New Hampshire	Helen Kelley	New Hamp.	
June 7	Canterbury	John Edward Olson	Concord	2/ 9/45	Maine	Carl Roy Olson Clara Adaline Gross	New Hamp. Maine	Rev. Richard F. Beyer Concord, Clergyman
		Cynthia Ann Rancour	Canterbury	3/17/48	New Hampshire	Charles S. Rancour Marion Louise Pike	Mass. New Hamp.	
July 12	Penacook	Lloyd Edward Cryans	Canterbury	12/28/42	New Hampshire	Lloyd Edward Cryans Pearl Edith Doling	New Hamp. New Hamp.	Rev. Geo. J. Donnelly Penacook, Priest
		Nancy Jane Tudor	Center Barnstead	10/ 5/47	Mass.	Andrew Tudor Charlotte V. Taber	Mass. Mass.	
Aug. 30	Dover	David Alan Martin	Canterbury	2/16/42	Illinois	Albert E. Martin Evelyn F. Faughn	New York Kansas	J. Fuller Concord
		Jean Calder Tibbils	Canterbury	5/ 8/45	New York	Edwin Gould Tibbils Mary Jean Lochhead	New York Kansas	Quaker-Clerk Mtg.



Oct.	11	Canterbury	Harold Ballentine Lavigne	Goffstown	Canterbury	12/24/42	New Hampshire	Roy Sidney Lavigne Flora May Aylesbury Donald L. Nutter Eleanor M. Straus Ira Auprey Myrtle Tilton Herman Ham Eva Miller Paul Angwin Raechel Densmore John Green Margaret Elliott Oswald Bassett Vera Monk Harold Sargent Thelma Lamprey Harrison Sargent Mona Porter Robert Eldridge Amy Grunshaw	New Hamp. Mass. New Hamp. Florida New Hamp. New Hamp. New Hamp. New Hamp. New Hamp. New Hamp. Mass. Colorado New Hamp. England New Hamp. New Hamp. New Hamp. Canada Mass. Mass.	David Andrews Canterbury, Minister
Oct.	13	Penacook	Katherine Anne Nutter	Canterbury	Concord-Penacook	6/21/48	New Hampshire			
Oct.	26	Canterbury	Gene Ira Auprey	Canterbury	Concord	9/30/50	New Hampshire			Emmanuel R. Alojipan Penacook, Minister
			Diane Carol Ham	Canterbury	Concord	6/ 1/52	New Hampshire			
			Peter Brian Angwin	Canterbury	Concord	3/27/48	New Hampshire			David Andrews Canterbury, Minister
			Joyce Elaine Green	Canterbury	Concord	12/ 1/48	Mass.			
Nov.	1	Canterbury	Charles George Bassett	Concord-Penacook	Concord	10/ 6/49	N. H.			David Andrews Canterbury, Minister
			Peggy Lee Sargent	Canterbury	Concord	7/29/50	N. H.			
Nov.	11	Boscawen	William Frank Sargent	Canterbury	Penacook-Concord	11/28/42	Concord, N. H.			William J. Walz Penacook Justice of the Peace
			Lucy May Duclos	Penacook-Concord	Penacook-Concord	5/23/44	Mass.			

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CHARLES H. DEAN, Town Clerk.

**Deaths Registered in the Town of Canterbury, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1969**

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Mar., Wid	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1969										
Jan. 11	Concord	Sadie Ignatius Lavery	77	New York, N. Y.	F	W	W	Housewife	James Riley	Elizabeth Miller
Feb. 21	Concord	John W. Bolton	77	Mass.	M	W	W	Mech. Eng.	John W. Bolton	Mary F. Colby
Apr. 13	Concord	Hazel Lee	69	Concord	F	W	M	Housewife	Forrest T. Blunt	Nettie Temple
May 30	Canterbury	David Arthur Blunt	33	Mass.	M	W	M	Marine Designer	David T. Blunt	Glady's Ross
May 30	Canterbury	Robert Thomas Green	31	Mass.	M	W	M	Truck Driver	John F. Green	Josephine Morse
June 5	Concord	Millicent Fife	51	Penn.	F	W	M	Housewife	John W. Bolton	Cecilia Safarin
June 18	Concord	Frederick L. Jennison	56	Michigan	M	W	S	Artist	.....	Alice Galusha
June 20	Boscawen	Jean Jeanette Couch 2mos. 11 days	56	New Hampshire	M	W	S	Infant	Earl Couch, Jr.	June Gross
Sept. 1	Concord	Thomas A. Rudkin	77	Stoux Falls, S. D.	F	W	M	Phy. Ed. Director	Fred Rudkin	Ellen Whittle
Oct. 1	Canterbury	Ernest Ralph Pickard	57	New Hampshire	M	W	S	Laborer	Charles Henry Pickard	Jennie Hodje
Nov. 16	Concord	Sabin Napoleon Guertin	80	Windsor, Vt.	M	W	M	Carp. Ret. T. Clerk	Sabin Guertin	Phoebe Merchant
Nov. 18	Canterbury	Frederick D. Miller	76	Penn.	M	W	M	Carpenter	Oliver Miller	Isabella Weidmoyer

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. DEAN, Town Clerk.





While the menfolk worked in the mills, the Shaker ladies created masterpieces with needle, thread and yarn.



PERRON

Eldress Bertha Lindsey

Canterbury  
Shakers  
... where yesterday  
meets today and  
forms a heritage for  
tomorrow.



OWLE

Eldress Marguerite Frost



PRIELE

Eldress Lillian Phelps