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# 219th ANNUAL REPORT



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*Trinity Episcopal Church  
c. 1808  
Cornish, N.H.  
Acquired and Restored by Peter Burling  
1985*

## CORNISH NEW HAMPSHIRE

**Year Ending December 31, 1985**

UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
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# NOTICE

## *Please Read*

### **To Dog Owners:**

- All dogs over three months of age must be registered by May 1st.
- Legal rates: Males \$6.00, Females \$6.50, Neutered Males \$3.50, and Spayed Females \$3.50.
- Rabies Certificates required for registration.
- Failure to register makes owners liable for \$1.00 penalty **per month** after June 1st. It's the **LAW!**
- Owners are liable for free running dogs. If in doubt, check the state statutes RSA:466. The Penalties are severe.

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### **To PROPERTY OWNERS:**

- The law provides that those who do not return their inventory forms by April 15 not only lose their right to appeal their taxes **but are now subject to a fine of not less than \$10.00 but up to and not over \$50.00.**

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### **To those REGISTERING VEHICLES:**

- Resident Taxes must be paid in order to register a vehicle.
- In order for a husband to register a vehicle, he must pay both his and his wife's Resident Tax. **IT'S THE LAW!!**

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### **To those BUILDING NEW OR MAKING CHANGES:**

- The Town Building Code requires permits to construct or remodel any building. There are exceptions. Check first with the Selectmen.

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### **To those OPERATING IN OR NEAR WETLANDS OR WATERWAYS:**

- RSA 483-A A **DREDGE & FILL** application must be filed with the Town Clerk before commencing work. Fines can be assessed for non-compliance.

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Your cooperation in the above matters will save time and money for you — and cut costs of town government.

— The Selectmen

Cornish, N.H.  
FIRE 542-5155  
AMBULANCE-RESCUE SQUAD 542-5155  
TOWN CLERK 542-2845  
POLICE 543-0535

**219th**  
**Annual Report**  
of the  
**Selectmen**  
and other  
**Town Officers**



**CORNISH**  
**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

**Year Ending December 31, 1985**

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**TOWN OFFICERS OF CORNISH, NH**

**Town Clerk**

Bernice F. Johnson (1986)  
542-2845  
Hours: Mon., Tues., Sat. 9 am - noon  
Tues., Fri. 5 - 7 pm

**Town Treasurer**

Mary Jean Garrow (1986)

**Moderator**

Peter H. Burling (1986)

**Selectmen**

J. Cheston M. Newbold (1986)                      David Monette (1987)  
Michael M. Yatsevitch (1988)

**Tax Collector**

Carol F. Fitch (1986)

**Auditors**

Myron A. Kuhre (1986)

Robert F. Maslan (1987)

**Supervisors of Checklist**

Myron A. Kuhre (1986)                      Ruth G. Rollins (19988)  
Leland E. Atwood (1990)

**Constables (by appointment)**

Philip Osgood 543-0535                      Richard Charland 543-0535  
Scott Baker 543-0535                      Steve Marshall 543-0535

**Trustee of Trust Funds**

Pauline T. Monette (1986)                      Barbara Rawson (1987)  
Audrey Jacquier (1988)

**Trustees of George H. Stowell Library**

Kathryn H. Patterson (1986)                      Phyllis M. Hemphill (1987)  
Frank Ackerman (1988)

**Librarian**

Nancy Newbold

**Overseer of Welfare**

Peter C. Storrs (1986)

**Highway Agent**

Harold A. Morse (1986)

**Sexton**

Hollis J. Boardman, Sr. (1986)

**Fire Chief**

Scott B. Kearns

Fire Phone: 542-5155

House Phone: 542-9691

**Fence Viewers**

Fred Sullivan                      Katherine Kibbie  
Ed Lawrence                      Robert Hilliard                      Caroline Storrs

**Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber**

Jesse Stone                      Robin Waterman  
Fred Weld                      Orville Fitch  
Leo Maslan                      James Neil  
William Monette                      Ehrhardt Frost

**Hog Reeves (1985)**

Mark & Candace Dube  
Chuck & Cassie Sullivan

Bruce & Debra Tracy  
Tim & Lynn Schad

John Rawson & Ruth Howe

**Representatives to General Court**

Sara Townsend, Meriden

Merle Schotanus, Grantham

**APPOINTED OFFICIALS**

Solid Waste Representatives: Louis G. Haas Alternate, Barbara Cieslicki  
Upper Valley Solid Waste Rep: William Gallagher Alternate, Doug Miller

**Conservation Commission (appointed by Selectmen)**

E. Leonard Barker Ex Officio Thomas W. Luce (1986)  
Audrey M. Jacquier (1988) Herrika W. Poor (Chairman 1987)  
Natalie A. Frost (1988) Rosamond H. Seidel (Secretary 1987)  
Orville B. Fitch (1986) Michael M. Yatsevitch (for Selectmen)

**Planning Board (appointed by Selectmen)**

David Thrall (1986) Elizabeth Macy (Chairman 1988)  
R. Wells Chandler (1987) Stanley W. Colby (Secretary 1989)  
Sharon Feeney (1987) Frederick Sullivan (for Conserv. Comm.)  
Peter C. Storrs (1988) J. Cheston M. Newbold (for Sel'men)

**Board of Adjustment (appointed by Moderator)**

William S. Balch (1986) David C. Wood (1988)  
Pauline T. Monette (1987) Keith Beardsley (1988)  
Caroline Storrs (Chairman 1989)

**Board of Adjustment Alternates (appointed by Moderator)**

M. Robert Ballard Linda Rice  
John H. Rand Fred C. Sullivan Prue Dennis

**Civil Defense Director**

Michael D. Monette

**Recreation Committee**

Thomas Luce Paul Queneau  
Rita Luce Audrey Jacquier Ed Lawrence

**Overseer of Covered Bridges**

Leo Maslan

**Finance Committee (appointed by Moderator)**

Susan Chandler (1986) Michael Fuss (1987)  
Alexis Gersumky (1986) Wilbur Overman (1988)  
Fred C. Weld (1987) Louis G. Haas (1988)

**Resource Recovery Committee**

Nancy Wightman Sharon Feeney  
Rev Wightman Pat Pinkson-Burke  
Susan VanRensellaer Betty Miller  
Bill Gallagher Doug Miller

**Appointed by State:**

Health Officer - - Virginia Wood Forest Fire Warden - - Scott B. Kearns  
Forest Fire Deputy Wardens:  
Robin Waterman, Michael Monette,  
Leland E. Atwood & William Monette

**Ballot Clerks (appointed by Respective Parties):**

Adel Bayliss (R) Marion Stone (R)  
Clara Weld (D) William Gallagher (D)

**Alternate Ballot Clerks:**

Dwight C. Wood (R) Robin Monette (R)  
Pauline T. Monette (D) Virginia Wood (D)

**Cornish Recreation & Education Area Committee**

Rickey Poor, Chairman, Consv. Comm. David Thrall (Plan.Brd.)  
Ed Lawrence, V-Chairman, Fair Assoc. Tim Luce, Cornish School  
Ros Seidel, Sec. Consv. Comm. Paul Queneau, Rec. Com.  
Michael Yatsevitch, Selectmen Gail McWilliam, Ext. Serv.

**Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council:**

Stanley W. Colby (at large) David Monette (Selectmen)

**Committee for Disposition of Public Records:**

Michael Yatsevitch Bernice Johnson

Carol Fitch



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The front and back covers of this year's Town Report set off two events of historical importance to the Town. The acquisition and restoration of the Trinity Church by Peter Burling is much appreciated. The church will continue to be an historical landmark and will continue to be of service to the Town, thanks to Peter's efforts and generosity.

On the back cover is a reproduction of the Logo for the Hardy Salve Company's 150th anniversary year. Presentowner Bob LaClair says he is looking forward to another 150 "soothing years".

As most of you are aware, the Planning Board, along with the Zoning Board of Adjustment, and a Master Plan Update Committee, has been at work updating the Town's Master Plan. Comments from these committees are included in this report.

There have been a number of changes and additions in the various Town Departments. In June, the Police Department took possession of the cruiser authorized at last year's Town Meeting. Chief Joe Osgood's report details its use as well as other changes within the Department.

The Fire Department is also undergoing change. Chief Scott Kearns has informed the Selectmen that he plans to resign this spring. After long consideration and discussions with a number of people including many members of the Fire Department, the Selectmen offered the position to John Rand. John has accepted, and been appointed Deputy Fire Chief. The Town owes a debt of gratitude to Scott Kearns for his service to the Fire Department.

Earlier this year Ed Lawrence, the Civil Defense Director, resigned. The Board appointed Micheal Monette to fill the vacancy and Micheal is in the process of settling into his new job.

Our Secretary-Bookkeeper, Mary Jean Garrow's hours have been changed so that she spends twenty hours a week in the office. As a result, the Selectmen's Office is now open from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon Monday through Friday. The Selectmen's public hours remain as they have been: Monday 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, and Friday nights 6:30 to 8:30.

As authorized by Town Meeting, five radios have been installed in the Highway department equipment. The crew has found them to be very helpful through the year. The work authorized to be done on the Town Hall and the Selectmen's Office has been completed, as has the ramp for the handicapped at the Town Clerk's Office.

The 1985 Highway Block Grant funds were expended as follows: repairs to the Mercer Bridge, The Thrasher Bridge, the Leavitt Hill Bridge, the Dingleton Hill Bridge, graveling portions of several roads, and finishing the tarring of Center Road.

A Special Town Meeting was held on September 28, 1985 to decide whether the Planning Board should be elected by ballot beginning at the March 1986 annual meeting. The result of the vote was in the negative.



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J. Cheston M. Newbold  
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J. Cheston M. Newbold  
David Monette  
Michael M. Yatsevitch  
Selectmen of Cornish

## CORNISH TOWN MEETING

March 12, 1985

Michael M. Yatsevitch, J. Cheston M. Newbold and David Monette signed the back of the Warrant; the Supervisors of the Check List swore to the Town Clerk that all names on the Check List, 907, were those only of legally registered voters of Cornish. The Ballot Clerks, Adel Bayliss, Clara Weld, Marion Stone and William Gallagher counted the ballots. Clerk Bernice Johnson posted the Absentee Voters and other voting notices on the Town Hall walls and in each booth.

Peter H. Burling announced at 10:00 a.m. that there being a quorum present, he was opening the polls for voting and he proceeded to read the entire Warrant. Then Peter swore in Myron Quimby to act as Assistant Moderator for the day.

(The Cornish Volunteer Firemen's Auxiliary members served lunch and supper.)

ARTICLE 1: To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year. The voting tally is as follows:

For Selectman for three years: Frank N. Ackerman received 50 votes; Michael M. Yatsevitch received 184 votes; William Gallagher had 5 write-ins, Myron Kuhre - 1, Paul Queneau - 1, Charles Aiken - 1, H. Homeyer - 1, Jim Fitch - 1, Susan Van Rensselaer - 1, Phil Reynolds - 1, and Richard Ackerman - 1. Thus Michael M. Yatsevitch received a large majority, and was elected.

For Town Treasurer for 1 year: Mary J. Garrow received 237 votes, Norma LaClair -1, Carol Fitch -1, and Barbara Rawson -1. Mary J. Garrow was elected again for the ensuing year.

For Tax Collector for 1 year: Carol F. Fitch had 246 votes and was re-elected for one year.

For Auditor for 2 years: Robert F. Maslan received 231 votes; Stewart LaClair -1, Mary Thibodeau -1, Charles Aiken -1, Bo Rock -1, and Audrey Dingee -1. Robert Maslan was thus elected for the next 2 years.

For Trustees of Trust Funds for 3 years: Audrey M. Jacquier received 235 votes; Ruth Rollins had 1, and Bob Ballard had 1 vote. Audrey Jacquier was elected for the next three years.

For Library Trustee for 3 years: Frank N. Ackerman received 153 votes, John Dryfhout received 23 write-in, Nancy Newbold had 5, Karen O. Storrs -4, Norma LaClair -2, Connie Dean -6, Bobbi Thrall -4, Robin Monette -1, Kathryn Patterson -1, Stanley Woodward -1, Terry Blair -1, Charlie Aiken -1, Carolyn Storrs -1, Richard Ackerman -1, Ruth Wood -1, V. Colby -1, Polly Rand -1, Sherrie Bulkeley -1, Don Saunders -1, Susan VanRensselaer -1, and Charles Dryfus -1. Frank Ackerman was elected for 3 years.

For Overseer of Welfare for 1 year: As no one filed for this office all votes were write-in votes, and were as follows: Peter Storrs received 84 votes; Frank N. Ackerman -2, Clara Weld -2, Sherrie Bulkeley -1, Peter Burling -1, Bill Gallagher -2, Hollis Boardman -2, Stanley Colby -2, Victor Hayward -1, Wilbur Overman -1, Maybelle Rock -3, Fred Sullivan -2, May Garrow -1, R. Hemphill -1, Tom Bleazard -1, Charles Aiken -2, Bo Rock -1, Paul Duval -3, Sue Fitch -2, Ed Lawrence -1, Marion Boardman -2, Patrick Pinkson-Burke -1, Lee Baker -1, Lewis Gage -1, Claudia Yatsevitch -1, Edna Guest -1, Alonzo Spaulding -1, and Donna Bleazard -1. Peter Storrs, having received the great majority of 84 votes, was elected.



For Highway Agent for 1 year: Harold A. Morse received 224 votes; Fred Weld -1, John Rawson -2, Jim Fitch -5, Don MacLeay -1, and Larry Dingee -1. Harold Morse was elected for another year.

For Sexton for 1 year: Hollis Boardman received 100 write-in votes, Harold A. Morse -4, Robin Waterman -1, Roselba Simino -1, Nate Cass -5, Bill Ladd -7, Jesse Stone -1, Philip Rock -33, William Gallagher -1, Scott Kearns -2, Frank Ackerman -2, Alonzo Spaulding -4, Ruth Rollins -1, Alan Tewksbury -1, C. Johnson -1, Doug Miller -1, Leo Maslan -1, Stanley Woodward -2, Micheal Monette -1, and Arthur LaClair -1. Hollis Boardman, Sr. was the receiver of 100 votes, and was sworn in as Sexton for 1 year on Mar. 13.

At 12:00 Noon sharp, Moderator Burling opened the afternoon business portion of Town Meeting with a Salute to the American Flag followed by a moment of silent prayer. The time change had been well advertised.

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

(a) Town Officers' Salaries -\$14,000. E. Leonard Barker moved, Harold Morse supported, that we raise and appropriate \$14,000. for Town Officers' salaries. With no discussion, it was voted on in the affirmative.

(b) Town Officers' Expenses -\$15,000. Myron Kuhre moved, Bruce Tracy seconded, that Cornish raise and appropriate \$15,000 for Town Officers' Expenses. When asked what the increase over last years was for, Selectman Newbold responded for an office copier and perhaps some software. The motion was passed by vote of the Town.

(c) Election and Registration -\$1,000. Harold Morse moved, Ellen Ballard seconded the motion to raise and appropriate \$1,000 for election and registration expenses. It was promptly voted in the affirmative.

(d) Expenses of Town Hall and Other Buildings -\$16,000. Dale Rook moved, James Lukash supported, that we raise and appropriate \$16,000 for Town Hall and other town buildings. Upon inquiry, it was explained we have been making repairs to keep up with the fire code standards, and more repairs are needed. The motion was voted on in the affirmative.

(e) Reappraisal of Property -\$1,800. Harold Morse moved, Bruce Tracy seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$1,800. for thereappraisal of properties. It was explained it was a year to year expense, and the motion passed vote.

(f) Town Insurance -\$28,800. E. Leonard Barker moved, Mary Thibodeau seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$28,800. for insurance. Cheston Newbold explained it is one lump sum to pay for all town insurances. Following a short discussion, the motion was voted on, in the affirmative.

(g) (taken up after Article 13)

(h) Fire Department -\$11,850. Clarence Decatur moved, Ellen Ballard supported, that we raise and appropriate \$11,850. for our Fire Department. With very little discussion, the motion was passed by vote.

(i) Rescue Squad -\$2,000. Ellen Ballard made the motion, Mary Thibodeau seconded it, to raise and appropriate \$2,000. for the Cornish Rescue Squad. The Motion carried. Ruth Rollins stood to make the following resolution: "The Town of Cornish heartily gives its thanks to the Cornish Rescue Squad for its prompt and efficient services to the Town." Everyone clapped their approval of the



resolution, which was seconded by Barbara Rawson and voted in the affirmative.

(j) Planning Board -\$1,000. Robert LaClair moved, Mary Thibodeau seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$1,000 for use of the Planning Board. Stanley Colby explained why the increase -that the Planning Board and Z.B.A. with other organizations, are working on updating our Master Plan, which should be done every ten years. This necessitates postage and printing costs. The motion was passed by vote.

(k) Zoning Board of Adjustment -\$600. Ruth Rollins moved, Robert Ballard supported, that the Town raise and appropriate \$600. for the Z. B. A. This was a vote in the affirmative.

(l) Animal Control -\$100. James Lukash moved, Fred Sullivan seconded, that we do raise and appropriate \$100. for animal control, and this was voted on, in the affirmative.

(m) Civil Defense -\$100. Robert LaClair moved, seconded by Vera Kuhre, that we raise and appropriate \$100. for Civil Defense. Motion was carried by vote.

(n) Conservation Commission -\$550. E. Leonard Barker moved, Michael Newbold seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$550. for the Conservation Commission. This motion was passed by vote.

(o) Health Department -\$100. Robert LaClair moved, Helena Hilliard supported, the motion to raise and appropriate \$100. for the Health Department. This was voted on in the affirmative.

(p) Vital Statistics -\$100. Helen Lovell moved, Michael Newbold seconded, that we raised and appropriate \$100. for vital statistics. This was so voted.

(q) Upper Valley Solid Waste District -\$255.06. Barbara Rawson moved, Stephen P. Tracy seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$255.06 for the Upper Valley Solid Waste District, as we are obligated to do this. This was voted in the affirmative.

(r) Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee council -\$1,205. Ellen Ballard moved, Peter Storrs seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$1,205. for the Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council, and this was so voted.

(s) Wheels Around Windsor -\$700. Lewis Gage moved, Bruce Tracy supported, that we raise and appropriate \$700. for Wheels Around Windsor. This was passed by vote.

(t) Visiting Nurse -\$1,200. Ruth Rollins moved, Lewis Gage seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$1,200. for the Visiting Nurse Association, in Windsor. This was voted on in the affirmative.

(u) Library -\$5,235.49. Barbara Cieslicki moved, Michael Newbold supported, that we raise and appropriate \$5,235.49 for the Cornish Library. Without any questions or comments, the motion was passed by vote.

Then Ellen Ballard asked to make an amendment in the form of a Resolution: Many thanks from the Town of Cornish to Norma LaClair for her service to the Town through many hours of dedicated work as Library Trustee and also as Librarian. This was a unanimous vote by all present, in the affirmative.

(v) Public Welfare -\$6,400. Robert LaClair moved, Peter Storrs seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$6,400. for Public Welfare. Peter explained how the Town is bound to make payments for people, even after they move to another town for a year. The motion passed by vote.

(w) Community Youth Advocates -\$2,500. Clara Weld moved, Polly Rand supported, that we raise and appropriate \$2,500 for C.Y.A. Quite a few minutes were taken up with discussion pro and con, and explanations of how it helps the young people in our community. It was finally voted on, in the affirmative.

(x) Memorial Day -\$300. Prue Dennis moved, Myron Kuhre seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$300. for use of the Memorial Day committee. This was voted on, in the affirmative.

(y) Cemeteries -\$8,000. Michael Newbold moved, Robert LaClair seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$8,000. for our Cemeteries. After a lengthy discussion, in which the Selectmen told of the dedicated work Hollis Boardman has accomplished in our cemeteries and the realization of repair cost, should he not take the job, Sandra Platt moved an amendment to raise and appropriate \$10,000. for the Cemeteries, seconded by Barbara Rawson. After further discussion, the amendment was voted on in the negative. Then the main motion was voted on, in the affirmative.

(z) Damages and Legal Expenses -\$2,000. Peter Storrs moved, Dale Rook supported, that we raise and appropriate \$2,000. for legal expenses. This was voted on, with little discussion, in the affirmative.

(z1) Employees' Retirement and Social Security -\$10,500. Doug Thayer moved, Bruce Tracy seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$10,500. for employees' retirement and social security costs. This was passed by vote in affirmative.

(z2) Interest -Long Term Notes -\$2,145. Judy Rook moved, Helen Lovell seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$2,145. for interest on Long Term Notes. This was voted in the affirmative.

(z3) Interest on Temporary Loans -\$18,000. Robert Ballard moved, Stanley Colby seconded, a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of \$18,000. for paying the interest on Temporary Loans. This was voted in the affirmative.

(z4) Transfer to New Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund -\$15,000. Larry Dinglee so moved the motion to raise and appropriate \$15,000 to put into the New Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund and Stanley Colby supported him. After a few questions and answers, the Moderator brought the motion to a vote, which was in the affirmative.

(z5) Transfer to Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund -\$10,000. Doug Thayer moved to raise and appropriate \$10,000 to add to Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund, and Dale Rook seconded the motion. Scott Kearns was asked, as Chief, to tell what the situation now is. He said we would no doubt see in next year's warrant an article to buy a new fire truck. The condition of one of them is bad. The motion was carried by vote.

(z6) Transfer to Conservation Commission Fund -\$1,000. Bruce Tracy moved, Ricky Poor seconded, a motion to raise and appropriate \$1,000 to add to the Conservation Commission Fund. Without argument, it was voted in the affirmative.

(z7) Transfer to Police Law Enforcement Vehicle Capital Reserve Fund - \$2,000. James Lukash moved, Gary Chilton supported, a motion to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to add to Capital Reserve Fund for a police cruiser. This was so voted.

(z8) County Tax -Necessary Amount. Dale Rook and Clara Weld moved and supported a motion to raise and appropriate the necessary amount to pay our

share of the Sullivan County Tax. This was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 3: Harold Morse moved, Scott Kearns seconded, that Cornish people vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$169,403., this sum to be composed of \$114,872. to be raised by taxes for the maintenance of Class V Highways and Bridges, and the balance of \$54,531. to be received from the State as Highway Block Grant money and to be spent on special maintenance projects for Class V Highways and Bridges. Harold explained some of the increase was in annual rate of pay raises. David Monette, Selectman, gave a very concise account of the highway figures as budgeted. The motion was voted on, in the affirmative, by a show of hands.

The Moderator declared a short recess so everyone could stand and stretch. After this break Ricky Poor spoke on the donations for CREA land and Peter Burling announced about "Green-up Week". Then E. Leonard Barker (Bunny) stood up front to present the Annual Conservation Commission Award: "The Conservation Award for 1985 is awarded to St. Gaudens National Historic Site. This organization, throughout its existence has been very active and most effective in preserving the natural resources and beauty of this area. Their purpose is to conserve the scenery, natural and historic objects and the wild life and to leave them unimpaired for the enjoyment of future generations.

Allow me please to list just a few of their accomplishments of recent years:

1. Two nature trails have been developed, the Blow-Me-Down Natural Area Trail, and Ravine Trail. A very important aspect of the development of these trails was the help be the Student Conservation Association, Youth Conservation Corps, Boy Scouts and other volunteers. What better way to teach conservation than working with our youth.

2. The Blow-Me-Down Dam rehabilitations and especially the pond restoration.

3. Clearing of the historic tree line as well as the meadow restoration.

4. Clearing of brush in the field located next to the Blow-MeDown Mill, down by the Student Conservation Association.

5. Sponsoring of nature walks each year.

"The Cornish Conservation Commission is pleased to honor this organization by presenting to John Dryfhout this gift certificate which will enable him to select a tree of his own choosing from a local nursery to be planted somewhere on the grounds of Saint Gaudens.

"John, will you please come forward." As John was not in the Town Hall at this time, Stephen P. Tracy, a Trustee, accepted the gift certificate for \$25.00, for John Dryfhout.

Peter Burling, Moderator, announced that there has been a newly formed Fire Department Incorporation. It is open for anyone's membership and will welcome residents' input towards their goals, etc.

Wilbur Overman read a resolution regarding the fall vote on Con. Con. #2:

"Whereas Constitutional Convention Question No. 2 was properly presented and first acted on by Committee with a pro vote of 25 to 1; "and Whereas the Constitutional Convention voted 272 to 62 in favor of Question No. 2, a pro vote of 81.4 per cent; and "Whereas the voters of the entire State of New Hampshire voted 237,045 to 99,172 in favor of Question No. 2, a pro vote of 70.5 percent; and "Whereas the voters of Cornish voted 506 to 162 in favor of Question No. 2 a pro



vote of 75.7 per cent; and "Whereas Constitutional Question No. 2 was properly broached and properly processed at all levels on the way to becoming a part of Constitution of the State of New Hampshire, and is now a part of that document. "Therefore, be it resolved that we, the registered voters of the Town of Cornish, assembled in Town Meeting, urge the elected representatives of the Town of Cornish, at all levels of government in the State of New Hampshire, to act in every way possible to preserve the integrity and maintain the authority of the State Constitution, as properly amended."

The above resolution was adopted by the voters of Cornish, assembled in Town Meeting, on this day, March 12, 1985, by unanimous vote, after it was moved by Clara C. Weld and supported by Stanley W. Colby.

ARTICLE 4: Cheston Newbold moved, amending the amount, \$29,926. -which would be \$28,233 plus \$1,963 for interest, to be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a new truck cab and chasses with dump body and snow equipment to replace the present Mack Truck, and to authorize the Selectmen to either sell outright, or trade the present Mack truck, to offset a portion of the purchase price of the new truck and snow equipment; the remainder of the purchase price to be raised be the issuance of bonds or notes under and in compliance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (NHRSA 33:1 et seq., as amended) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon, and to take such other actions ass may be necessary to effect the issuance, negotiation, sale and delivery of such bonds or notes as shall be in the best interests of the Town of Cornish, for the term not to exceed the useful life of the equipment. This amended motion was supported by Larry Dingee. A lengthy discussion ensued. Bids had been sent out, and it was reported that Liberty had the low bid, of \$19,798. After everyone who wished had had a chance to talk or ask questions, the motion was brought to a vote, by paper ballot. Result was Yes: 55, No: 93. It was declared a vote in the negative.

ARTICLE 5: Bruce Tracy moved, Mark Dube seconded, that we vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500. and authorize its withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund under provisions of the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 as amended by the Second Session of the 94th Congress for the purchase and installation of radio communication equipment for the Highway Department. After some discussion, Robert LaClair made a motion to amend, which Susan Chandler supported, to authorize the purchase of the radio equipment and direct the Selectmen to find the money for payment in the Highway budget. This amendment was voted on, after short discussion, in the negative. Then the original motion was voted on, in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 6: James Lukash moved, Robert LaClair seconded, that the Town of Cornish accept the provisions of RSA 53-B: 1 to 11 inclusive, providing for the establishment of the Regional Refuse Disposal District, together with the Towns of Acworth, Croydon, Goshen, Grantham, Langdon, Lempster, New London, Newport, Plainfield, Sunapee, and the City of Claremont, and the construction, maintenance and operation of the Regional Disposal Facility by said District in accordance with the provisions of the agreement filed with the Selectmen. Moderator Burling asked Bill Gallagher to speak. Bill deferred to Louis Haas, Who has been our Representative in this District. Louis presented facts as he knew them at the present time --that there is money available, and when the company plans to start to build the incinerator, etc. Then Bill Gallagher made

comments against the N.H./Vt. District. Caroline Storrs asked what about the Upper Valley plan? Bill then told of some of the studies that have been done. Jame Lukash spoke for the N.H./ Vt. plan. Paul Queneau told of his studies on both projects, and that he was definitely in favor of the N.H./Vt. plan. Ellen Ballard spoke up, also in favor of that plan. The Moderator decided that all who wished had had a chance to speak up, and said the voting would be done by paper ballot, with the Check List. Result: that the Town of Cornish shall accept the provisions of RSA 53:B: 1 to 11 --Yes --105 votes; No. —45 votes. It was declared a vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 7: Fred Weld moved, Stanley W. Colby seconded, that we vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,082. to cover the Town's commitment, should it vote to rejoin the N.H./Vt. Solid Waste Project, Which the Town just did do, and the vote on \$2,082. was in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 8: Dale Rook moved, Robert LaClair seconded, that we vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000. to defray the cost of using the Claremont landfill for 1985. With no discussion, it came to a vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 9: Dale Rook moved, Bob Ballard supported, that we not raise and appropriate the sum of \$16,000. to defray the cost of using the Lebanon Landfill for 1985, and this was voted in favor.

ARTICLE 10: The Moderator asked that at this time we take up ARTICLE 31: Cheston Newbold made a motion, seconded by Larry Dingee, that we vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to defray the cost of septage disposal for the year 1985. It was explained this would be like a retainer. The motion was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 10: Bill Gallagher moved, Ed Lawrence seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$200.00 to help defray the costs of a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day to be sponsored by the Upper Valley Solid Waste District. The motion was voted on in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 11: Larry Dingee moved to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,572.50 to assure ambulance service by Golden Cross Ambulance and Windsor Ambulance for the year 1985. Doug Miller supported the motion. Lew Gage spoke about the Windsor ambulance. A number of citizens spoke for and against use of ambulances in both towns. Finally it came to a vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 12: Fred Sullivan and Cheston Newbold moved and seconded to pass over the article to raise \$3,450. for use of service by Golden Cross ambulance. This was so voted, to pass over.

ARTICLE 13: Ed Lawrence moved, David Kibbie seconded, that we vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,217.28 to purchase a new Police cruiser, and to authorize the Selectmen to withdraw \$9,517.74 for this purpose from the Police Law Enforcement Vehicle Capital Reserve Fund. Bruce Tracy inquired why not a used cruiser? James Lukash, former Police Chief, explained. Susan Chandler spoke against the motion.

Then Prue Dennis, supported by Myron Kuhre, moved an amendment to use the \$2,000. just added to the Capital Reserve Fund this year, making the total amount in the Fund to be withdrawn \$11,517.74, and we would need but \$699.54 to be raised by taxes. The amendment was voted on, Yes - 71; No — 41. It was a vote in the affirmative.

Then the amended main motion was voted on: Yes — 83; No — 31. It was

declared a vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 2 (g): At this time the Moderator went back to Art. 2(g) and Larry Dingee moved, Clara Weld seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$10,700. for the Police Department. After quite a discussion the Moderator asked for a show of hands to get the feeling of the Town - it was a unanimous vote that the citizens feel they want a right to vote on the use of radar before one is purchased or given to the Department. The motion was then voted on, in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 14: Clara Weld made a motion, supported by Barbara Rawson, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500. and to authorize its withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund under provisions of the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 as amended by the 2nd Session of the 94th Congress, to construct handicapped access ramps for the Town Clerk's office. This was a vote in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 15: It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$975.00 and authorize its withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund under provisions of the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 as amended by the Second Session of the 94th Congress, to pay for the removal of the trees at the Cornish Flat Cemetery upon motion by Doug Miller supported by Barbara Rawson.

ARTICLE 16: Cornish voted to raise and appropriate \$13,000. and authorize its withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund under provision of the State and Local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972 as amended by the Second Session of the 94th Congress to make the 1985 principle payment on the note due on the Gallion Grader, after motion made by Ruth Rollins supported by Fred Sullivan.

ARTICLE 17: Mary Thibodeau moved, John Dryfhout seconded, a motion to raise and appropriate \$600.00 to support a survey of the Town's water resources by the Water Resources Action Project. This was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 18: Audrey Dingee moved, Barbara Rawson seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$4,500, for the purchase of fifteen pagers for the Fire Department. A lengthy discussion was held, with people speaking for and against this article. Finally Peter Storrs moved an amendment, seconded by Bill Gallagher, that we purchase five pagers for \$1,500. for the Fire Department. This was voted on, in the negative. Then the main motion was brought to a vote, which was in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 19: Mary Thibodeau moved, Edna Guest seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$250. to cover the cost of the Town's share of Sullivan County Hospice for 1985. Pauline Monette spoke in favor of supporting this organization; Joan Queneau said the Hospice does a lot of good for the terminally ill in the County. The motion was passed by vote.

ARTICLE 20: Cheston Newbold moved, Michael Yatsevitch supported, to have the appraisal division of the Department of Revenue Administration conduct a complete revaluation starting in 1989 or thereafter and to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of conducting such revaluation and to appoint the Selectmen as agents to administer the fund. This was so voted.

ARTICLE 21: Larry Dingee moved, Cheston Newbold seconded, that we raise and appropriate \$6,000. to be placed in the Capital Reserve Fund for the revaluation of the Town by the Appraisal Division of the Department of Revenue Administration. This was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 22: Upon vote of the Town by motion of Cheston Newbold supported



by Barbara Rawson, Cornish will create a committee to be appointed by the Moderator, including by not limited to a member of the Recreation Committee, Planning Board, Conservation Commission, Rescue Squad, and the Fire Department to study and make recommendation concerning the problems of liability and compliance with state and federal safety requirements at the School Street swimming area, to examine these issues and any others that are pertinent and to report back to the Selectmen by May 15, 1985.

ARTICLE 23: Cornish voted to pass over this article to raise and appropriate a sum of money to defray the state mandated costs connected with this swimming area, on motion of Cheston Newbold supported by Myron Kuhre.

ARTICLE 24: Ed Lawrence moved, Dale Rock seconded, to exclude from the plan service in any class or classes of positions of election officials or election workers for a calendar year in which the remuneration paid for service is less than \$100.00. (This means that any appointed town election official who earned less than \$100.00 during the town's fiscal year would not have Social Security withheld from his/her earnings.) This was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 25: Dale Rock moved, Clarence Decatur supported, a motion that the Town authorize the Selectmen to make application for and to accept and expend pursuant to RSA 31:95-b any and all grants or other funds for general town purposes, including but not limited to disaster relief of CETA, in excess of the money appropriated by the Town which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire. The Motion was voted unanimously in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 26: Ellen Ballard moved, supported by Polly Rand, to authorize the Selectmen to accept and expend pursuant to RSA 31:95-b, any and all gifts or other funds received from miscellaneous sources, as the Selectmen shall determine to be advisable. This was voted on, in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 27: James Lukash moved, Bill Gallagher seconded, to authorize the Selectmen to sell or otherwise administer property acquired by Tax deed. Bill Gallagher then moved to amend, seconded by Sally Wellborn, that we authorize the Selectmen to inform the voters at Town Meeting that any property is for sale. After a short discussion to amendment was brought to a vote in the negative. Then the main motion was voted on, in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 28: Dale Rook moved, seconded by Larry Dingee, that the Town authorizes the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. This motion was voted in the affirmative.

ARTICLE 29: Mary Thibodeau moved, Ellen Ballard supported, that we accept all reports of Officers, Agents, Auditors and Committees heretofore chosen. This was passed by vote.

ARTICLE 30: Moderator Burling asked for nominations for the office of Fence Viewer. Cheston Newbold moved, Polly Rand seconded, that Fred Sullivan, Ed Lawrence, Robert Hlliard, Katherine Kibbie and Caroline Storrs all be re-elected to office. This was so voted.

Then the Moderator asked for nominations for Surveyors of Wood, Bark and Lumber. Polly Rand moved, Bill Fitts seconded, that Jesse Stone, Fred Weld, Leo Maslan, William Monette, Robin Waterman, Orville Fitch, Jim Neil, and Ehrhardt Frost all be re-elected to office. This was voted in favor.

Peter Burling then asked for nominations for Hog Reeves. Mark and Candace Dube, Chuck and Kathy Sullivan, Tim and Lynn Schad, Bruce and Debra Tracy, and John Rawson and Ruth Howe were all nominated to the office, and were elected by vote of the Town.

With some discussion, it was suggested to place on next year's Warrant to hold the business part of Town Meeting on the following Saturday, this to be also put on the printed ballots.

Moderator Peter Burling thanked the Finance Committee, the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Education, and all those who worked hard all year for the good of the Town of Cornish.

The polls and the business meeting were both declared closed, at 8:00 p.m.

An early lunch was served at 11:30 and an excellent supper was served at 8:00 p.m. by members of the Cornish Firemen's Auxiliary.

All votes were counted and tallied, the Moderator announced the final results; unused ballots were boxed, signed and sealed; used ballots were all put in another box, signed and sealed. The Annual Meeting was finally closed down at 10:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bernice F. Johnson, Clerk

### **CORNISH SPECIAL TOWN MEETING September 28, 1985**

The inhabitants of the Town of Cornish met in the Town Hall at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, September 28, 1985 to vote on whether or not to elect the members of the Cornish Planning Board by ballot, beginning at the March, 1986 annual town meeting, pursuant to N.H.R.S.A. 673:2, II (b) and N.H.R.S.A. 669:17, V.

The Town Clerk swore in Kathryn Patterson as Assistant Town Clerk for this meeting; also Robin Monette as a Ballot Clerk (alternate); also the Supervisors of Check List Ruth Rollins and Leland Atwood - - that those names in the thirty pages are by actual residence legal voters in Cornish.

Moderator Peter H. Burling called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. with the pledge to the flag and a moment of silent prayer. Then Mr. Burling read the Warrant. Philip Rock moved that we do elect the members to the Planning Board, seconded by Alan Tewksbury. Whittemore Littell asked what the cost of this Special Town Meeting would be, and why the signers wanted it now rather than at a regular Town Meeting. He was told by Selectman Monette that the cost would be between \$300 and \$500. Sally Wellborn explained that she started the petition to address the wants of the people who asked for an elected planning board on the Master Plan Survey - - a majority.

Robert LaClair suggested we do things like this at our Town Meeting rather than costing the taxpayers extra, and he stressed the desire for harmony in the town. Susan VanRennsalear made comments in favor of electing. Robert Ballard and Susan Chandler spoke up in favor of appointing the members of our Planning Board. Ballard also quoted some statistics from the Survey: 735 people mailed to, with 900 registered voters; 175 returned (24%) with 138 yes, 115 no - or 55%, and 40 people not responding; only a simple majority of those respond-

ing. Susan Chandler brought up the possibility of special interest groups, and the unnecessary cost of the special meeting.

Andrew Leonard wanted to hear more points against. Stan Colby held up a flyer that he found put up outside, and wondered who did it and paid for it, and what were its motives under the guise of democracy.

Joseph Woodward said he failed to see why the wisdom of the whole attendants would be better than the wisdom of the elected Selectmen - - political. Wilbur Overman said it was hard enough to get people to run for offices now. He asked if no one runs for the office of Planning Board, do the Selectmen still have the right to appoint? He was answered "Yes".

Ellen Ballard and David Monette responded to question on Special School District cost being made anyway.

David Wood moved the question be voted on, cutting off further debate. This was supported, and voted on in the affirmative.

Peter Burling stepped outside the rail to speak as a private citizen - - that everyone should be thoughtful of all the people in Cornish and what is truly best for the Town. Then, as Moderator he asked that everyone mark the paper ballots - - "Yes" if you favor an "elected" Planning Board, "No" if you wish it kept as is --appointed. The voting was done by use of the Check List.

Result: Yes - - 39      No - - 114

Moderator announced the result.

Ruth Rollins moved to adjourn this Special Meeting, seconded by Robert LaClair and this was voted in the affirmative. 10:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bernice F. Johnson,  
Cornish Town Clerk

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CORNISH, N.H.**  
**Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year**  
**January 1, 1986 to December 31, 1986**

Purpose of Appropriations	Approp's Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Expendt's Previous Fiscal Year	Approp's Ensuing Fiscal Year 1986-87
<b>General Government:</b>			
Town Officers Salary	\$14,000.00	\$10,478.24	\$14,000.00
Town Officers Expenses	15,000.00	15,881.30	18,000.00
Election and			
Registrtrion Expenses	1,000.00	867.38	2,000.00
Cemeteries	8,000.00	9,072.13	8,000.00
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	16,000.00	12,705.72	15,000.00
Reappraisal of Property	1,800.00	2,420.24	2,500.00
Planning	1,000.00	1,153.82	1,200.00
Legal Expenses	2,000.00	2,326.02	3,000.00
Upper Valley-			
Lake Sunapee Council	1,205.00	1,205.00	1,303.00
Zoning	600.00	699.16	300.00
Special Town Meeting, Sept. 1985	0	192.40	0
<b>Public Safety:</b>			
Police Department	10,700.00	9,450.04	12,677.00
Fire Department	11,850.00	12,513.41	12,550.00
Civil Defense	100.00	0	100.00
<b>Highways, Streets &amp; Bridges:</b>			
Town Maintenance	169,403.00	168,356.74	181,170.90
<b>Sanitation:</b>			
Sull. Cty. Solid Waste Disp./ Art. 7	2,082.00	0	1,916.00
Landfill/Art. 8	15,000.0	15,000.00	15,300.00
Septage/Art. 31	1,500.00	1,417.00	1,417.00
Upper Valley			
Solid Waste Disp. Dist.	255.06	255.06	0
<b>Health:</b>			
Health Department	100.00	47.54	100.00
Ambulances/Art. 11	4,572.50	4,572.50	4,309.25
Animal Control	100.00	739.55	100.00
Vital Statistics	100.00	56.70	100.00
Rescue Squad	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Visiting Nurse	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Wheels Around Windsor	700.00	700.00	700.00
<b>Welfare:</b>			
Genl' Assis., Old Age, & Aid to Disabl'd	6,400.00	11,810.27	1,000.00
Community Youth Advocates	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
<b>Culture and Recreation:</b>			
Library	5,235.49	5,235.49	7,844.71
Patriotic Purposes/Memorial Day	300.00	146.95	300.00
Conservation Commission	550.00	550.00	525.00
Conservation Commission Fund	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00

**Debt Service:**

Principal, Long-Term Bonds & Notes	13,000.00	13,000.00	13,000.00
Interest Expense, Long-Term B. & N.	2,145.00	2,144.99	1,100.00
Interest Expense, Tax Anticip. Notes	18,000.00	19,987.56	18,000.0

**Capital Outlay:**

Article 5: Radios	2,500.00	2,140.35	0
Article 10:			
Household Hazardous Waste	200.00	200.00	0
Article 13: Police Cruiser	12,217.28	12,217.28	0
Article 14: Handicapped Ramp	2,500.00	2,500.00	0
Article 15: Cemetery Trees	975.00	975.00	0
Article 17:			
Water Resource Action Proj.	600.00	600.00	0
Article 18: Pagers	4,500.009	4,500.00	4,500.00
Article 19: Hospice	250.00	250.00	250.00

**Operating Transfers Out:**

Payments to Capital Reserve Funds:			
Highway Capital Reserve Fund	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Fire Dept. Capital Reserve Fund	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Police Capital Reserve Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Revaluation Cap. Res. Fund	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00

**Miscellaneous:**

FICA, Retirement & Pension Contrib.	10,500.00	8,605.33	11,000.00
All Insurances	28,800.00	29,668.86	36,918.00
County Tax	110,236.00	110,236.00	Necess. Amt.

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:	\$535,676.33	\$534,578.03	\$425,130.86
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**SOURCES OF REVENUE**

	Estimated Revenue 1985 (1985-86)	Actual Revenue 1985 (1985-86)	Estimated Revenue 1986 (1986-87)
<b>Taxes:</b>			
Resident Taxes	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 9,530.00	\$ 8,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	16.00	0	0
Yield Taxes	3,000.00	13,009.87	3,000.00
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	4,000.00	5,751.91	4,000.00
Inventory Penalties	100.00	458.01	100.00
<b>Intergovernmental Revenues - - State:</b>			
Shared Revenue - Block Grant	30,000.00	63,200.04	30,000.00
Highway Block Grant	54,531.22	54,531.22	53,103.17
<b>Licenses and Permits:</b>			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	30,000.00	72,418.00	30,000.00
Dog Licenses	1,000.00	1,655.30	1,000.00



**Charges for Services:**

Income from Departments	0	4,504.22	0
Rent of Town Property	0	1,095.50	0

**Miscellaneous Revenues:**

Interest of Deposits	5,000.00	26,695.03	5,000.00
Sale of Town Property	0	10,250.00	0

**Other Financing Sources:**

Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	0	10,720.28	0
Revenue Sharing Fund	11,034.00	10,903.00	10,000.00
Fund Balance	0	86,686.05	0

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TOTAL REVENUES & CREDITS: \$147,681.22 \$439,408.42 \$144,203.17



**STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION  
AND  
TAXES ASSESSED  
For the Tax Year 1985  
Purposes of Appropriations**

**General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$14,000.00
Town officers' expenses	15,000.00
Election and Registration expenses	1,000.00
Cemeteries	8,000.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	16,000.00
Reappraisal of property	1,800.00
Planning	1,000.00
Legal Expenses	2,000.00
Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Council	1,205.00
Zoning	600.00
Article #15	975.00

**Public Safety:**

Police Department	10,700.00
Fire Department	11,850.00
Civil Defence	100.00
Rescue Squad	2,000.00
Article #18	4,500.00
Article #13	12,217.28
Article #14	2,500.00

**Highways, Street, Bridges:**

Town Maintenance	169,403.00
Article #5	2,500.00

**Sanitation:**

Solid Waste Disposal Article #8	15,000.00
Article #7	2,082.00
Article #2, q	255.06
Article #10	200.00
Article #31	1,500.00

**Health:**

Health Department	10.00
Hospitals and Ambulances	4,572.50
Animal Control	100.00
Vital Statistics	100.00
Wheels Around Windsor	700.00
Visiting Nurse	1,200.00
Article #17	600.00

**Welfare:**

General Assistance, Old Age and Disabled	6,400.00
Community Youth Advocates	2,500.00
Article #19	250.00

**Culture and Recreation:**

Library	\$5,235.49
Patriotic Purposes	300.00
Conservation Commission	550.00
Conservation Comm. Fund	1,000.00

**Debt Service:**

Principal of Long-Term Bonds & Notes	13,000.00
Interest Expense - Long-Term Bonds & Notes	2,145.00
Interest Expense - Tax Anticipation Notes	18,000.00

**Operating Transfers Out:**

Highway Capital Reserve Fund	15,000.00
Fire Dept. Capital Reserve Fund	10,000.00
Police Vehicle Capital Reserve Fund	2,000.00
Revaluation Capital Reserve Fund	6,000.00

**Miscellaneous:**

FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions	10,500.00
Insurance (All Insurance)	28,800.00

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:	<u>\$425,440.33</u>
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**SOURCES OF REVENUE****Taxes:**

Resident Taxes	\$9,550.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	16.00
Yield Taxes	9,005.00
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	3,362.00
Inventory Penalties	300.00
Land Use Change Tax	2,210.00

**Intergovernmental Revenues-State:**

Shared Revenue-Block Grant	21,945.00
Highway Block Grant	54,531.00

**Licenses and Permits:**

Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	51,181.00
Dog Licenses	1,519.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	552.00

**Charges for Services:**

Rent of Town Property	200.00
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**Miscellaneous Revenues:**

Interests on Deposits	12,000.00
Sale of Town Property	10,250.00

**Other Financing Sources:**

Withdrawals from Capital Reserve	11,518.00
Revenue Sharing Fund - Art. 5, 13, 14, 15 & 16	18,975.00
Fund Balance	37,000.00

<b>TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS:</b>	<b>\$244,114.00</b>
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**TAX RATE COMPUTATION**

Total Town Appropriations		\$425,440.00
Total Revenues and Credits	-	244,114.00
Net Town Appropriations	=	181,326.00
Net School Tax Assessment	+	675,667.00
County Tax Assessment	+	110,236.00
Total of Town, School and County	=	967,229.00
Deduct Total Business Profits Tax Reimb.	-	41,255.00
Add War Service Credits	+	7,250.00
Add Overlay	+	2,602.00
Property Taxes To Be Raised	=	\$935,826.00

**Proof of Tax Rate Computations:**

Valuation \$26,009,619 times Tax Rate: \$35.98 = \$935,826.00

**Tax Commitment Analysis:**

<b>Property Taxes to be Raised</b>	<b>\$935,826.00</b>
<b>Less War Service Credits</b>	<b>7,250.00</b>
<b>Total Tax Commitment</b>	<b>\$928,576.00</b>

**TAX RATE BREAKDOWN**

Tax Rates	-1984-	-1985-
Town	\$ 8.16	\$ 6.95
County	3.85	4.08
School District	23.54	24.95
Municipal Tax Rate:	35.55	35.98
<b>War Service Credits:</b>		
Disabled veterans 1 @ \$700.00	\$ 700.00	
All others 131 @ 50.00	6,550.00	
Total:	\$7,250.00	
Resident Taxes: 955 @ \$ 10.00	\$9,550.00	

**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION**  
**Tax Year 1985**

Value of LAND under			
CURRENT USE:	\$1,729,869.		
Value of All other			
Improved &			
Unimproved Land:	6,531,300.	TOTAL:	\$8,261,169.
BUILDINGS:			16,686,850.
PUBLIC UTILITIES: Electric			1,103,200.
Manufactured Housing Assessed as Real Property	38		276,150
TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED			26,327,369.
Blind Exemption - 2	\$20,400.		
Elderly Exemption - 33	297,350.		
Total exemptions allowed			317,750.
NET VALUATION ON WHICH THE TAX RATE IS COMPUTED:			\$26,009,619.

Electric, Gas and Pipeline Companies

Central Vermont Public Service Co., Inc.	\$	76,750.
Connecticut Valley Electric Co.		482,550.
Granite State Electric Co.		46,350.
New England Power Co.		338,800
N.H. Electric Co-op, Inc.		158,750
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	Total:	\$1,103,200.

Non-Operating Plant:

New England Power Co.	Land:	\$450.00	\$450.
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Elderly Exemptions being granted: Expanded Adopted 1977

Number of Individuals Applying for

Elderly Exemption 1985	15 at \$5,000.
	12 at 10,000.
	6 at 20,000.

Number of Individuals Granted an

Elderly Exemption 1985	15 at \$5,000.
	12 at 10,000.
	6 at 20,000.

**CURRENT USE REPORT**

	<u>No. of</u> <u>Owners</u>	<u>No. of</u> <u>Acres</u>	<u>No. of</u> <u>Owners</u>	<u>No. of</u> <u>Acres</u>	<u>No. of</u> <u>Acres</u>
Farm Land		1,687.50		129.19	1,816.69
Forest Land		12,224.58		134.62	12,359.20
Wild Land		1,061.73		260.11	1,321.84
Productive	131		23		
Wet Land		75.00			75.00

<b>Total Number of Individual Property Owners in Current Use.</b>	<b>154</b>
<b>Total Number of Acres Taken Cut of Current Use During Year:</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Total Number of Acres Exempted under Current Use.</b>	<b>15,572.73</b>

**FINANCIAL REPORT  
Of The Town Of Cornish**

**BALANCE SHEET  
ASSETS**

**Cash:**

All funds in custody of Treasurer \$323,308.16

**Capital Reserve Funds:**

Town Cemetery Fund (1947)	\$ 1,618.66	
Police Department Fund	1,389.34	
New Highway Equipment Fund	16,414.16	
Fire Truck	41,117.19	
Revaluation Fund	6,202.35	66,741.70

**Accounts Due to the Town:**

<b>Unredeemed Taxes:</b>		
Levy of 1984	12,102.81	
Levy of 1983	3,659.08	15,761.89
<b>Uncollected Taxes:</b>		
Levy of 1985	155,540.30	
Levy of 1984	1,619.40	
Previous Years	10.00	157,169.70

TOTAL ASSETS	\$562,981.45
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Fund Balance - December 31, 1984	66,782.53
Fund Balance - December 31, 1985	86,686.05
Change in Financial Condition	19,903.52

**LIABILITIES**

**Accounts Owed by the Town:**

Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds	\$ 15,570.19	
Unexpended State Highway Subsidy Funds	3.99	
Conservation Fund	3,088.36	
Palmer Trust	10,841.23	
Yield Tax Deposits (Current Year)	9,293.00	
School District Tax Payable	370,667.00	
Conservation Commission Fund Transfer	89.93	\$409,553.70

**Capital Reserve Funds:**

Town Cemetery Fund (1947)	1,618.66	
Police Department Fund	1,389.34	
New Highway Equipment	16,414.16	
Fire Truck Fund	41,117.19	
Revaluation Fund	6,202.35	\$ 66,741.70
Total Liabilities		\$476,295.40
Fund Balance		86,686.05

GRAND TOTAL:	\$562,981.45
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## RECEIPTS

### From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes - Current Year - 1985	\$775,806.64	
Resident Taxes - Current Year - 1985	8,300.00	
Yield Taxes - Current Year - 1985	4,753.58	
Property & Yield Taxes - Previous Years	446,959.70	
Resident Taxes - Previous Years	1,230.00	
Land Use Change Tax - Current & Prior Years	4,520.00	
Interest Received on Delinquent Taxes	5,600.91	
Penalties: Resident Taxes	151.00	
Tax Sales Redeemed	36,949.86	

Total Taxes Collected & Remitted	\$1,284,271.69	
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### Intergovernmental Revenues - State:

Shared Revenue	63,200.02	
Highway Block Grant	54,531.22	117,731.24

### Licenses and Permits:

Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	72,418.00	
Dog Licenses	1,655.30	
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	8.00	
Other Licenses & Permits	934.00	75,015.30

### Charges for Services:

Income from Departments	6,572.28	
Rent of Town Property	1,668.06	
Burial	600.00	
Pertetual Care	2,798.97	
Other Charges for Services	1,912.62	13,551.93

### Miscellaneous Revenues:

Interest on Deposits	24,929.55	
Sale of Town Property	10,250.00	
Refund, Ins. Workers Comp - NHMWCT	2,433.72	
Refund, Ins. Unemployment - NHMUCF	544.00	
Other Miscellaneous Revenue	797.33	38,954.60

### Other Financing Sources:

Withdrawal from Capital Reserve	10,720.28	
Revenue Sharing Entitlement Funds	10,903.00	
Interest on Investments of Rev. Shar. Fnds.	1,765.48	
Timber Tax Escrow Transfer	7,040.00	30,428.76

### Non-Revenue Receipts:

Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	400,000.00	400,000.00
Total Receipts from All Sources		\$1,959,953.52
Cash on Hand January 1, 1985		287,829.12

GRAND TOTAL:	\$2,247,782.64	
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## PAYMENTS

### General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	10,478.24	
Town Officers' Expenses	15,881.30	
Election & Registration Expenses	1,059.78	
Cemeteries	9,054.53	
General Government Buildings	12,705.72	
Reappraisal of Property	2,420.24	
Planning & Zoning	1,852.98	
Legal Expenses	2,326.02	
Advertising & Regional Assoc. UV-LSC	1,205.00	56,983.81

### Public Safety:

Police Department	9,450.04	
Fire Department	12,513.41	21,963.45

### Highways, Streets, Bridges:

Town Maintenance	168,353.74	
Covered Bridge (1984)	500.00	168,853.74

### Sanitation:

Solid Waste Disposal - Landfill	15,000.00	
Septage	1,417.00	
Upper Valley Solid Waste Dist.	255.06	16,672.06

### Health:

Health Department	47.54	
Hospitals & Ambulances	4,572.50	
Animal Control	551.55	
Vital Statistics	56.70	
Hospice	250.00	
Visiting Nurse	1,200.00	
Rescue Squad	2,000.00	
Wheels Around Windsor	700.00	13,528.29

### Welfare:

Gen'l Assist., Old Age, Disabled	11,810.27	
Community Youth Advocates	2,500.00	14,310.27

### Culture and Recreation:

Library	5,235.49	
Memorial Day	146.95	
Conservation Commission	460.07	
Cons. Comm. Fund	1,000.00	6,842.51

### Debt Service:

Principal of Long-Term Bond & Notes	13,000.00	
Interest Expense - Long-Term Bonds & Notes	2,144.99	
Interest Expense - Tax Anticipation Notes	19,987.56	35,132.55

### Capital Outlay:

Article #5 - Radios	2,140.35	
Article 10 - Household Hazardous Waste	200.00	
Article 13 - Police Cruiser	11,065.28	
Article 14 - Handicapped Ramp	2,500.00	

Article 15 - Cemetery Trees	975.00	
Article 17 - Water Resources Action Project	600.00	
Article 18 - Pagers	4,500.00	21,986.63

**Operating Transfers Out:**

Payments to Capital Reserve Funds:

Highway Department	15,000.00	
Fire Department	10,000.00	
Police Department Vehicle	2,000.00	
Revaluation	6,000.00	33,000.00

**Miscellaneous:**

FICA, Retirement & Pension Contributions	8,605.33	
Insurance, Unemployment Compensation	29,668.86	
Other Miscellaneous Expenses	423.72	38,697.91

**Unclassified:**

Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	700,000.00	
Taxes bought by town	30,704.06	
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds	918.59	
Refund & Payment from Yield Tax Escrow Fd.	7,040.00	
Unclassified Expenses	228.15	738,890.80

**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

Payment to State a/c Dog License & Marriage		
License Fees	448.00	
Taxes paid to County	110,236.00	
Payments to School Dist. ('85 Tax \$341,928.46)		
('86 Tax \$305,000.00)	646,928.46	757,612.46

Total Payments for all Purposes:		\$1,924,474.48
Cash on hand December 31, 1985		323,308.16

GRAND TOTAL: \$2,247,782.64

**SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS:**

Long-Term Notes Outstanding - Gallion Grader	13,000.00	13,000.00
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**RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG—TERM INDEBTEDNESS:**

Outstanding Long-Term Debt - Jan. 1, 1985		26,000.00
Long-Term Notes Paid	13,000.00	
Outstanding Long-Term Debt - Dec. 31, 1985		13,000.00

**SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY**  
**As of December 31, 1985**

<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>VALUE</b>
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 117,300.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
Library, Land and Building	48,450.00
Furniture and Equipment	10,000.00
Police Department Equipment	15,000.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	77,100.00
Equipment	85,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	28,000.00
Equipment	252,000.00
Materials and Supplies	5,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds - CREA	30,350.00
School, Land and Buildings, Equipment	374,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Coll. deeds:	
Hodgdon Lot	200.00
Wood Lot on Skyline Drive	12,800.00
Paladino Lot (Map 9, Lot 60)	2,450.00
All Other Property and equipment:	
Buckman Lot	2,700.00
Recycling Center	3,000.00
Cemeteries, Vault, Hearse House	5,000.00
Fire Pond	8,500.00
Jackson Road Gravel Pit	950.00
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$1,082,800.00</b>

**TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**Carol F. Fitch, Tax Collector**  
**FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1985**

— Dr. —

<b>Uncollected Taxes —</b>	<b>Levies of:</b>		
<b>Beginning of Fiscal Year:</b>	<b>1985</b>	<b>1984</b>	<b>Prior</b>
Property Taxes	\$	\$438,457.28	\$
Resident Taxes		1470.00	40.00
Land Use Change Taxes		433.40	
Yield Taxes		2953.12	
<b>Taxes Committed To Collectors:</b>			
Property Taxes	\$930,589.25	\$	\$
Resident Taxes	9550.00		
National Bank Stock Taxes			
Land Use Change Taxes	4220.00		
Yield Taxes	5741.71		
<b>Added Taxes:</b>			
Property Taxes	251.86		
Resident Taxes	510.00	170.00	
Yield Taxes		7198.83	
<b>Overpayments:</b>			
a/c Property Taxes	74.18	260.35	
a/c Resident Taxes			
<b>Interest Collected on Delinquent</b>			
Property and Yield Taxes:	146.39	5454.52	
<b>Penalties Collected on</b>			
<b>Resident Taxes</b>	34.00	114.00	3.00
TOTAL DEBITS	\$951,117.39	\$456,511.50	\$ 43.00

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<b>Remittances To Treasurer</b>			
<b>During Fiscal Year:</b>			
Property Taxes	\$775,806.64	\$438,703.41	\$
Resident Taxes	8,300.00	1,200.00	30.00
Yield Taxes	4,753.58	8,256.29	
Land Use Change Taxes	4,220.00	300.00	
Interest Collected During Year	146.39	5,454.52	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	34.00	114.00	3.00
<b>Abatements Made During Year:</b>			
Property Taxes	2,086.48	14.22	
Resident Taxes	230.00	330.00	
Yield Taxes		386.26	
Land Use Change Taxes		133.40	

**Uncollected Taxes —  
End of Fiscal Year:  
(As Per Collector's Lint)**

Property Taxes	153,022.17		
Resident Taxes	1530.00	110.00	10.00
Yield Taxes	988.13	1,509.40	
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<u>\$951,117.39</u>	<u>\$456,511.50</u>	<u>\$ 43.00</u>

**SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS  
FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1985**

— Dr. —

**Tax Sales on Account of Levies Of  
Previous  
Years**

	<u>1984</u>	<u>1983</u>	<u>Previous Years</u>
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes— Beginning Fiscal Year *	\$	\$ 15,646.66	\$ 2,705.56
Taxes Sold To Town During Current Fiscal Year **	30,704.06		
Interest Collected After Sale	668.03	2,008.33	1,033.43
Redemption Costs	132.70	95.60	13.80
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>	<u>\$ 31,504.99</u>	<u>\$ 17,750.59</u>	<u>\$ 3,752.79</u>

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**Remittances to Treasurer During Year:**

Redemptions	\$ 18,491.68	\$ 11,879.48	\$ 2,626.61
Interest & Costs After Sale	800.93	2,103.93	1,047.23
Abatements During Year			
Deeded to Town During Year	109.57	108.10	78.95
Unredeemed Taxes — End of Fiscal Year	12,102.81	3,659.08	
Unremitted Cash			
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<u>\$ 31,504.99</u>	<u>\$ 17,750.59</u>	<u>\$ 3,752.79</u>



**UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES**  
**December 31, 1985**

	<b>1984</b>	<b>1983</b>
Cass, Nathan C. and Sherry J.	\$ 6.73	\$
Clough, Raymond V. and Irene E.	1,015.47	887.02
Gilbert, Harvey A. and Donna L.	536.05	
Habets, David M. and Gloria J.	633.28	144.88
Land East Const. Corp.	29.39	
Ledoux, Gerald C. and Antonia M.	907.63	696.98
Lefebvre, Robert R.	570.52	
McSwain, James T., Jr. and Carol M.	2,131.20	
Reed, Caroline V.	1,656.32	1,432.06
Rock, Seward J. and Reigh H.	227.03	74.53
Shambo, Robert W. and Lorraine J.	1,203.84	
Stocker, Paul W.	1,002.73	423.61
Tinker, Matthew C. and Lynn B.	177.18	
Walker, Franklin C. and Patricia A.	1,189.17	
West, Mary E.	816.27	
	\$12,102.81	\$ 3,659.08

I hereby certify that the above list showing the name and amount due from each taxpayer for unredeemed taxes on account of the levies of 1983 and 1984, as of December 31, 1985, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Carol F. Fitch  
Tax Collector

**TREASURER'S REPORT  
TOWN OF CORNISH, NH  
Calendar Year 1985**

Cash on Hand, 1-1-85		
Checking	\$242,505.59	
General Savings	11,632.39	
Revenue Sharing	21,794.07	
Conservation Fund	1,897.07	
Rodney A. Palmer Trust	10,000.00	
		\$ 287,829.12
Receipts From All Sources		1,959,953.52
Total Funds		2,247,782.64
Disbursed per Selectmen's Orders		1,924,474.48
		\$ 323,308.16
Cash on Hand, 1-1-86		
Checking	\$180,028.99	
General Savings	113,779.39	
Revenue Sharing	15,570.19	
Conservation Fund	3,088.36	
Rodney A. Palmer Trust	10,841.23	
		\$ 323,308.16

Mary J. Garrow,  
Town Treasurer

**REVENUE SHARING FUNDS**

Cash on Hand, 1/1/85	\$ 21,794.07
Revenue Sharing Funds Received	10,903.00
	32,697.07
Interest	1,848.12
	34,545.19
Withdrawn to General Funds	18,975.00
	15,570.19
Cash on Hand, 1/1/86	\$ 15,570.19

## TIMBER TAX ESCROW FUNDS

Cash on Hand, 1/1/85		\$ 14,071.67
Escrow Funds Received	\$ 9,293.00	
Interest	1,278.41	10,571.41
		24,643.08
Total Funds For 1985		24,643.08
Withdrawn to General Funds		7,040.00
		17,603.08
Cash on Hand, 1/1/86		\$ 17,603.08

**STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT**  
**TOWN OF CORNISH, N.H. - DECEMBER 31, 1985**  
**Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding Notes**  
**1982 - \$65,000.00 at 8.25%**

Maturities	Grader	Total Annual Maturities
1985	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00
1986	13,000.00	13,000.00
Outstanding Balance	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00

**SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS**  
**As of December 31, 1985**

**Long-Term Notes Outstanding:**

Gallion Grader	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00
Reconciliation of Outstanding Long-Term Indebtedness		
Outstanding Long-Term Debt		26,000.00
Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year:		
a. Long-Term Notes Paid	\$13,000.00	
		\$13,000.00

**INTEREST ON TAX ANTICIPATION NOTE:**

Hanover Bank & Trust Co. 1985		\$18,399.45
Hanover Bank & Trust Co. 1984 (Extended)		1,588.11
		\$19,987.56

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**  
**For Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1985**

<b>Title of Appropriations</b>	<b>Appropriations</b>	<b>Received Re'bursed</b>	<b>Total Available</b>	<b>Expenditures</b>	<b>Unexp- ended Balance</b>	<b>Over- Draft</b>
Town Officers Salaries	14,000.00		14,000.00	10,478.24	3,521.76	
Town Officers Expenses	15,000.00	10,250.00	25,250.00	15,881.30	9,368.70	
Election & Registrations	1,000.00	7.00	1,007.00	867.38	139.62	
Special Town Meeting				192.40		192.40
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	16,000.00		16,000.00	12,705.72	3,294.28	
Reappraisal of Property	1,800.00		1,800.00	2,420.24		620.24
Town Insurance	28,800.00	2,977.72	31,777.72	29,668.86	2,108.86	
Police Department	10,700.00	185.00	10,885.00	9,450.04	1,434.96	
Fire Department	11,850.00	712.45	12,562.45	12,513.41	49.04	
Rescue Squad	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
Planning Board	1,000.00	775.78	1,775.78	1,153.82	621.96	
Zoning Board of Adjustment	600.00	464.49	1,064.49	699.16	365.33	
Animal Control	100.00	1,655.30	1,755.30	739.55	1,015.75	
Class V. Highway Maintenance	169,403.00	4,319.22	173,722.22	168,356.74	5,365.48	
Hospice	250.00		250.00	250.00		
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Conservation Commission	550.00		550.00	460.07	89.93	
Health Department	100.00		100.00	47.54	52.46	
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00	56.70	43.30	
Wheels Around Windsor	700.00		700.00	700.00		
Visiting Nurse	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,200.00		
Library	5,235.49		5,235.49	5,235.49		

Public Welfare	6,400.00	261.40	6,661.40	11,810.27	5,148.87
Memorial Day	300.00		300.00	146.95	153.05
Cemeteries	8,000.00	3,342.69	11,342.69	9,072.13	2,270.56
Employees' Retirement & S.S.	10,500.00		10,500.00	8,605.33	1,894.67
Damages & Legal Expenses	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,326.02	
Interest Long Term Notes	2,145.00		2,145.00	2,144.99	.01
Interest Temporary Loan	18,000.00		18,000.00	19,987.56	1,987.56
Principle Long Term Note	13,000.00		13,000.00	13,000.00	
Capital Reserve Highway Fund	15,000.00		15,000.00	15,000.00	
Capital Reserve Police Fund	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00	
Capital Reserve Revaluation	6,000.00		6,000.00	6,000.00	
Capital Reserve Fire Dept.	10,000.00		10,000.00	10,000.00	
Conservation Commission Fund	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00	
Community Youth Advocates	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,500.00	
NH/VT Solid Waste	2,082.00		2,082.00		2,082.00
Ambulance	4,572.50		4,572.50	4,572.50	
UVLSC	1,205.00		1,205.00	1,205.00	
Claremont Landfill	15,000.00		15,000.00	15,000.00	
Clarneont Septage	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,417.00	83.00
Special Articles (5)	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,140.35	359.65
(10)	200.00		200.00	200.00	
(13)	12,217.28		12,217.28	12,217.28	
(14)	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,500.00	
(15)	975.00		975.00	975.00	
(17)	600.00		600.00	600.00	
(18)	4,500.00		4,500.00	4,500.00	
UpperValley Solid Waste	255.06		255.06	255.06	
County Tax	110,236.00		110,236.00	110,236.00	
	\$535,676.33	\$24,951.05	\$560,627.38	\$534,578.03	\$34,324.44
					\$8,275.09



**TOWN CLERKS REPORT**

**1985**

1,790	Motor Vehicle registrations issued	\$72,418.00
369	Dog Licenses sold	1,655.30
	Sale of Town Histories: 7 Vol. III: \$35.00	
	7 Vol. IV: 105	140.00
	Landfill Stickers sold @ \$1.00	238.00
	Use of Office Copier	36.80
	Sale of Zoning Ordinances	50.78
	Sale of Town Road Maps	7.75
	Marriage Licenses - Vital Statistics	400.00
	Filing Fees	8.00
	Sale of Plate Hangers	.70
	Dredge and Fill Permits	10.00
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	Total:	\$74,965.33
	Total monies paid to Town Treasurer:	\$74,965.33

Respectfully submitted,  
Bernice F. Johnson  
Tel: Office 542-2845

Office Hours:  
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Tues. 9 - 12:00, 5 - 7  
Fri. 9 - 7  
Sat. 9 - 12:00

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS, TOWN OF CORNISH, NH

## December 31, 1985

Date	Name Created of Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	Invested	Principal	New Funds Created	Balance beginning of year	Received	Expended	Balance end of year
Var.	PerpetCare	Cemeteries	S.R.&Cl.Svg.Bk.	\$32,391.98	\$ 900.00	\$12,391.45	\$17,522.43	\$ 2,763.65	\$27,150.23
1902	Beaman, C.	Guide Bds.	Nat.Wide Sec.	1,173.06		903.62	1,125.38		2,029.00
1909	Foss, J.	Flags/Upkp.	Nat.Wide Sec.	1,731.40		1,154.92	1,443.75		2,598.67
1889	Foss/KmbI.	Aid to Poor	Nat.Wide Sec.	5,096.04		1,244.27	1,806.80	200.00	2,851.07
1971	Kenny, MJ	Aid/Elderly	Clt.Svg.Bk.	4,000.00		1,576.89	2,174.27	205.32	3,545.84
1902	Mercer, Wm.	Aid/Ed'n	NWS/IHBk.	13,214.61		6,032.21	7,917.48	500.00	13,449.69
1898	PubSchFd	Schools	Nat.Wide Sec.	418.28		46.37	38.24		84.61
1942	Sanderson	ChildCem.Upk.	Nat.Wide Sec.	1,248.67		125.15	231.79	109.10	247.84
1917	Stowell Lib.	Library	Indian Head Bk.	500.00					
			Nat.Wide Sec.	5,897.15		1,152.57	1,110.52	1,152.57	1,110.52
			Clt.Svg.Bk.	4,500.00					
1984	Vet Memor'l	Mem'l Upkp.	Clt.Svg.Bk.	500.00		5.19	55.17		60.36
1947	Town Cem.Fund	Cem.Upkeep	Clt.Svg.Bk.			1,539.44	79.22		1,618.66
1979	School	Bldg. Fund	Clt.Svg.Bk.	7,000.0	1,000.00	10,072.51	683.10	8,000.00	3,755.61
1982	Police Dept.		Clt.Svg.Bk.	8,000.00	2,000.00	9,517.74	591.88	10,720.28	1,389.34
1967	New Highway Equip.		Clt.Svg.Bk.	.00	15,000.00	428.53	985.63		16,414.16
1970	Fire Truck		Clt.Svg.Bk.	23,000.00	10,000.0	27,781.19	3,336.00		41,117.19
1985	Appraisal Fund		Clt.Svg.Bk.	.00	6,000.00	.00	202.35		6,202.35
1985	New Cemetery	Perpetual Care Funds							
	Jones, Edward P.	\$200 Comings							
	Boardman, Beverly	200 Edminster							
	Harrington, Elbert	200 Child							
	Putnam, Donald	200 Edminster							
	Patkowski, Stanislaus	100 Edminster							

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

Barbara Rawson, Audrey M. Jacquier, Pauline J. Monette, Trustees

**HIGHWAY CLASS FIVE MAINTENANCE - - 1985**

	Payroll	Hired Equip.	Repairs Supplies	Gas, Oil & Fuel	Gravel Sand	Rep. & Main.	Asphalt Tar	Chloride Salt	TOTAL
Harold A. Morse	16,298.52								16,298.52
James C. Fitch	7,710.60								7,710.60
Thomas E. Spaulding	11,277.66								11,277.66
John C. Rawson	9,722.60								9,722.60
Arthur F. Hunt	8,538.85								8,538.85
Robert A. Kibbie	3,327.47								3,327.47
Arthur A. LaClair	129.26								129.26
James R. Morse	39.34								39.34
Henry Homeyer	179.84								179.84
Conan A. Johnson	219.18								219.18
William E. Ladd	28.10								28.10
Michael Duval	251.56								251.56
A&M Automotive Parts			1,126.25	1,729.72					2,885.97
Andrew Kuhre	260.00								260.00
Aquatec, Inc.			6.00						6.00
Arthur Hatch			101.12						101.12
Arthur Thompson						36.00			36.00
Atlantic Sign Co.			358.54						358.54
B-B Chain Co.			2,872.25						2,872.25
Bailey Brothers			620.29						620.29
Barney Bass & Co.			26.30			180.40			206.70
Blaktop, Inc.							296.44		296.44
Brake & Electric									296.44
Century Glass & Carpet						155.58			155.58
Claremont Agway						58.07			58.07
Cornish Wood Prod., Inc.								531.00	531.00
Donald MacLeay			240.00						240.00
Ed's Equipment Service		3,663.50							3,663.50
									6,298.96

**HIGHWAY CLASS FIVE MAINTENANCE -- 1985**

	Payroll	Hired Equip.	Repairs Supplies	Gas, Oil & Fuel	Gravel Sand	Rep. & Maint.	Asphalt Tar	Chloride Salt	TOTAL
Eldon Owens		2,000.00							2,000.00
Estersky's Hardware			7.18						7.18
Fleury's Sm. Eng. Repair			275.50						275.50
G.S. Truck Equipment			660.00			370.30			1,030.30
International Salt Co.								661.69	661.69
James Neil & G.R. White					1,500.00	518.81			1,500.00
Jim's Alignment Center									518.81
Johnson & Dix Fuel Corp.				10,270.58					10,270.58
Jordan-Milton Machinery						20.84			20.84
Kelton Motors						123.09			123.09
Kibby Equipment, Inc.		270.00	2,025.00			123.09			2,025.00
Larry Duval									270.00
Lebanon Crushed Stn.Inc.					3,042.94				3,042.94
Manchester Mack Sales					34.13				34.13
Maynard Auto Supply			680.18	146.54					826.72
Merriam-Graves Corp.			699.95						699.95
N.H. Bituminous							800.00		800.00
N.H. Electric Oo-op., Inc.			386.72						386.72
North Country Equip.						606.54			606.54
Northeast Culvert Corp.			1,446.99			606.54			1,446.99
Panbro Sales			364.00						364.00
Pike Industries							935.04		935.04
Powers Country Store			977.79						977.79
R&R Communications			62.50						62.50
R.C. Hazelton									1,849.40
R.E. Hinkley Co., Inc.				3,520.44					3,520.44
R.N. Johnson			21.54						21.54

**HIGHWAY CLASS FIVE MAINTENANCE - - 1985**

	Payroll	Hired Equip.	Repairs Supplies	Gas, Oil & Fuel	Gravel Sand	Rep. & Main.	Asphalt Tar	Chloride Salt	TOTAL
Sanel Auto Parts			126.20						126.20
Stacey Fuel & Lumber Co.			111.50						111.50
State of N.H. - MV			5.00			2.00			7.00
Taylor Rental		123.50							123.50
Webster Motors						5.58			5.58
Western Machine						324.26			324.26
Wilson Tire Co.			103.00			2,437.38			2,540.38
Hannah Schad		30.00							30.00
	57,722.98	6,347.00	13,303.80	15,667.28	4,542.94	13,021.34	2,031.48	1,192.69	113,829.51



**BLOCK FUND PAYROLL  
HIRED EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS**

Available: \$54,531.22

**Payroll:**

Harold A. Mo	\$ 4,252.92	
James C. Fitch	468.60	
Thomas E. Spaulding	3,039.48	
John C. Rawson	1,888.32	
Arthur F. Hunt	2,647.76	
Michael Duval	1,236.37	
Robert A. Kibbie	239.60	
Donna Bleasard	490.98	
William E. Ladd	174.22	14,438.25

**Hired Equipment:**

Donald MacLeay	5,365.25	
Andrew Kuhre	627.34	
Larry Duval	309.49	
The Rental Center	194.10	6,496.18

**Materials:**

Pike Industries	9,425.52	
N.H., Bituminous	3,309.12	
Barney Bass & Co., Inc.	162.30	
Lebanon Crushed Stone Co., Inc.	14,491.74	
St. Pierre	5,486.54	
Stacey Fuel & Lumber Co.	596.30	
Lambert Supply Co.	28.50	
N.C. Marro	23.20	
Kibby Equipment	69.58	33,592.80

Total Expended:		\$54,527.23
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Available:		54,531.22
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Balance:		\$ 3.99
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## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES - 1985

Michael M. Yatsevitch	\$ 2,718.38
J. Cheston M. Newbold	2,562.08
David Monette	2,461.49
Bernice F. Johnson	139.44
Carol F. Fitch	1,115.40
Mary J. Garrow	371.80
Mary Thibodeau	73.95
Myron Kuhre	64.61
Charles Aiken	139.42
Barbara Rawson	92.95
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	9,739.52
Treasurer, State of N.H.	738.72
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	10,478.24

**TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES**

Michael M. Yatsevitch	
J. Cheston M. Newbold	\$ 533.30
David Monette	750.55
Bernice F. Johnson	443.83
Carol F. Fitch	498.40
Mary J. Garrow	152.00
Charles Aiken	3,631.72
Mary Decatur	49.20
Hollis Boardman	39.51
Cornish Flat Post Office	13.50
Kim-Pat, Inc.	1,368.66
Powers Country Store	58.84
New England Telephone	18.23
NH Tax Collector's Association	1,097.52
NH Resource Recovery Association	20.00
Sullivan County Registry of Deeds	43.00
Diane M. Davis	344.05
Treasurer, State of NH	2.50
NH Municipal Association	272.39
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.	651.00
Cornish Elementary School	306.30
Eagle Publications, Inc.	29.91
A'T&T	133.58
The Letter Man Press	37.30
The Corner Book	1,625.10
Valley News	60.14
George Stowell Library	136.44
Twin State Typewriter	24.20
Homestead Press	120.00
Datown	108.60
J&R Enterprises	1,046.70
Conn. Valley Office Machines	88.20
Greydon Freeman	1,500.47
Eserky's Hardware	249.90
NHAAC	7.29
Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Council	15.00
Wayne McCutcheon	10.00
Montshire Museum	311.00
Treas. NH Assoc. of Assessing Officials	21.00
Barbara Rawson	20.00
	41.97
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	\$15,881.30

**ELECTION AND REGISTRATIONS**

Cornish Flat Post Office	\$ 18.24
Cornish Elementary School	19.67
The Letter Man Press	73.50
Myron E. Quimby	40.20
Kathi Patterson	33.50
Marion Stone	48.58
Adel Bayliss	43.55
Clara Weld	50.25
Bill Gallagher	48.58
Michael M. Yatsevitch	49.77
J. Cheston M. Newbold	49.77
David Monette	48.27
Leland Atwood	80.97
Bernice F. Johnson	49.82
Robin Monette	6.70
Ruth Rollins	305.67
Eagle Publications, Inc.	35.00
Valley News	17.94
Treasurer, State of NH	39.80
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	\$ 867.38
Special Town Meeting	\$ 192.40

**TOWN HALL & OTHER BUILDINGS**

Laura White	\$ 1,134.86
Johnson & Dix Fuel Corp.	713.24
Granite State Electric	679.25
NH Electric Co-op., Inc.	1,179.88
Valley Propane	5,466.92
Cornish Elementary School	79.05
Jim Osterlund	437.33
Jan Ranney	46.46
LaValley Building Supply	134.14
Powers Country Store	79.98
Sydney Lorandeau	2,507.57
Conan Johnson	20.00
Upper Valley Fire Equipment	32.00
Rockingham Electric	15.67
Robert Woodman	15.00
George White	23.97
John Bannister	2.50
Treasurer, State of NH	72.90
McKenzie Rental	65.00
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	\$12,705.72

**POLICE DEPARTMENT**

New England Telephone	964.99
Valley Central Dispatch	1,243.24
NH Electric Co-op., Inc.	129.02
Philip Osgood	2,398.09
David Kibbie	1,060.60
Richard Charland	658.33
Elaine Osgood	25.00
Joe's Service Station	769.61
Steven Marshall	55.77
Cornish Flat Post Office	5.00
Cornish Elementary School	2.69
Equity Publishing Co.	161.50
Upper Valley Regional Emergency Service Assoc.	35.00
Naults Ford	345.00
State of NH - MV	7.00
R&R Communications, Inc.	368.41
Scott Baker	13.94
Staples Veterinary Clinic	8.00
Treasurer, State of NH	63.29
T.A.B. Police Distributors	810.13
Police Cruiser	325.13
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	\$ 9,450.04



**FIRE DEPARTMENT**

Johnson & Dix Fuel Corp	\$ 562.50
Ed's Equipment	1,961.12
Powers Country Store	208.27
New England Telephone	168.20
R&R Communications, Inc.	1,255.50
Oxygen & Welding	29.23
R.E. Hinkley Co., Inc.	1,259.34
Conn. River Valley Fire Mutual Aid Assoc.	20.00
LaValley's Claremont Building Supply	46.48
NH Electric Co-op., Inc.	545.75
Reynolds Lock & Sharpening Service	30.00
Eswersky's Hardware	20.00
State of NH Water Supply & Pollution Control	30.00
Scott Kearns, Fire Warden	766.99
Dingee Machine	2,871.16
Larry Dingee	20.00
Steve Fellows	6.50
Civic Supply	66.87
B-B Chain Co.	269.00
Conway Associates	165.52
Overhead Door of Rutland, Inc.	44.00
The Fire Barn	334.60
Michael Monette	19.15
National Fire Protection Assoc.	236.05
Access	68.50
Globe Manufacturing	15.40
Dale Rook	26.95
Jim's Alignment Center	42.50
Peter Burling	41.00
United Divers, Inc.	132.98
Rosen & Berger Auto Parts, Inc.	323.33
Claremont Fire Department	150.00
Middlesex Fire Department	103.58
Mattoon's Garage	424.25
NH Firemen's Association	135.00
Maynard Auto Supply	1.88
NH Fire Standards Training Commission	10.00
State of NH - MV	3.00
Boston Coupling Co., Inc.	19.31
International Municipal Signal Assoc.	20.00
Central Parts & Auto Supply	59.50
Total:	<hr/> \$12,513.41

<b>RESCUE SQUAD</b>	\$ 2,000.00
<b>SEPTAGE DISPOSAL</b>	\$ 1,417.00
City of Claremont	
<b>CLAREMONT LANDFILL</b>	\$15,000.00
City of Claremont	
<b>VITAL STATISTICS</b>	\$ 56.70
Bernice F. Johnson	
<b>WHEELS AROUND WINDSOR</b>	\$ 700.00
Wheels Around Windsor	
<b>HOSPICE</b>	\$ 250.00
Sullivan County Hospice	
<b>VISITING NURSE</b>	\$ 1,200.00
Visiting Nurse Assoc.	
<b>AMBULANCE</b>	
Golden Cross Ambulance	\$ 1,737.50
Town of Windsor, VT	2,835.00
<b>COMMUNITY YOUTH ADVOCATES</b>	\$ 2,500.00
Community Youth Advocates	
<b>HEALTH DEPARTMENT</b>	
Cornish Flat Post Office	\$ 4.40
Valley News	17.94
Eagle Publications, Inc.	25.20
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Total:	\$ 47.54
<b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>	
White River Paper Co.	\$ 71.79
Village News & Gifts	35.00
Reverend Gordon Umberger	10.00
Arthur Bailey	10.00
Powers Country Store	20.16
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Total:	\$ 146.95
<b>ANIMAL CONTROL:</b>	
Bernice F. Johnson	\$ 167.30
David Kibbie	9.53
Philip Osgood	48.57
Richard Charland	25.56
Wheeler & Clark	102.72
Cornish Flat Post Office	14.00
Upper Valley Humane Society	160.00
Treasurer, State of NH	211.87
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	\$ 739.55

**MOTOR VEHICLE PERMITS:**

Bernice F. Johnson	\$ 2,495.70
Treasurer, State of NH	161.38
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	\$ 2,657.08

**ADDITIONAL FEES: (Town Clerk)**

Treasurer, State of NH	\$ 54.15
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**MARRIAGE LICENSES:**

Bernice F. Johnson	\$ 130.13
Treasurer, State of NH	268.88
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	\$ 399.01

**COVERED BRIDGES:**

Graton Associates (Final Payment)	\$ 500.00
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**LIBRARY:**

George Stowell Library	\$ 5,235.49
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**PLANNING BOARD:**

Cornish Flat Post Office	\$ 414.15
Bernice F. Johnson	61.21
Equity Publishing Co. ,	58.50
Valley News	105.28
Kopy King	116.40
Lakes Region Planning	40.43
Datown	45.58
Letter Man Press	212.00
Eagle Publications	27.63
Mary J. Garrow	51.11
NH Municipal Association	7.00
Nancy Newbold (Calendar)	6.00
Treasurer, State of NH	8.53
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	\$ 1,153.82

**ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT**

Kopy King	\$ 116.40
Cornish Flat Post Office	115.34
Eagle Publications	209.55
UVLS Council	40.42
DAtown	45.57
NHMA	70.00
Caroline Storrs	9.88
Cornish School	14.00
Nancy Newbold	6.00
Valley News	72.00
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	\$ 699.16

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION & CREA:**

Rickey Poor	\$ 25.00
Natalie Frost	9.00
Michael Yatsevitch	6.54
Letter Man Press	7.00
Cornish School	2.45
Regional Center for Educational Training	24.55
NH Association of Conservation Commission	63.00
Audrey Jacquier	39.29
Connecticut River Watershed Council	25.00
Society for the Protection of NH Forests	15.00
Don MacLeay	200.00
Nancy Newbold	6.00
Ros Seidel	15.24
Cornell University	22.00
Total:	\$ 460.07

**CONSERVATION COMMISSION FUND** \$ 1,000.00**CEMETERY:**

Hollis Boardman	\$ 3,023.34
Juan Boardman	692.45
Alonzo Spaulding	889.97
Leslie Shambo	507.73
Joe's Equipment	24.90
Powers Country Store	137.21
Agway, Inc.	175.00
A&M Automotive Parts, Inc.	17.60
Treasurer, State of NH	335.33
Total:	\$ 5,760.93

**BURIAL:**

Hollis Boardman	\$ 68.49
Juan Boardman	185.90
Leslie Shambo	158.94
Alonzo Spaulding	92.95
Treasurer, State of NH	35.25
Total:	\$ 541.53

**REAPPRAISAL OF PROPERTY:**

Olive Moyer	\$ 272.50
Paul Franklin	125.00
Treasurer, State of NH	2,022.74
Total:	\$ 2,420.24

**PERPETUAL CARE:**

Hollis Boardman	\$ 1,182.92
Juan Boardman	362.48
Alonzo Spaulding	432.20
Leslie Shambo	410.60
Treasurer, State of NH	159.97
Powers Country Store	77.20
A&M Automotive Parts, INc.	17.60
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Total:	\$ 2,642.97

**SANDERSON FUND:**

Hollis Boardman	75.01
Alonzo Spaulding	27.88
Treasurer, State of NH	6.21
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Total:	\$ 109.10

**WELFARE**

Old Age Assistance	
Treasurer, State of NH	\$10,973.82
Town Poor	
Law Offices of Wm. Howard Dunn	109.60
Law Offices of Charles V. Spanos	28.00
Hathaway & Wilson	61.00
City of Claremont Welfare Dept.	372.31
Powers Country Store	46.54
Sullivan County Welfare Office	15.00
Johnson Oil Co.	104.00
Claremont Gas Light Co.	100.00
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Total:	\$ 836.45

**DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES:**

Buckley & Zopf	\$ 2,326.02
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**RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY:**

Treasurer, State of NH	\$ 7,270.36
NH Retirement System	1,335.07
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Total:	\$ 8,605.33

## DISCOUNTS, ABATEMENTS AND REFUNDS

Carol F. Fitch	\$ 6,850.52
Controlled Forest, Management	47.73
Wayne Simino	99.25
Durgin & Cromwell Lumber Co.	42.50
Louis Haas	178.52
Harold A. Morse	.08
James C. Fitch	.20
John C. Rawson	5.46
Francis A. & Heidi Minkler St. Pierre	259.35
George W. Madeira	6.00
Hannibal Realty, Inc.	297.83
George Rublee	59.00
Jerome D. Salinger	10.00
Stephen L. Sharff	5.00
Harold L. Chapman	50.25
Trustees of Trust Funds	46.90
Total:	<hr/> \$ 7,958.59

### INSURANCE:

NH Municipal Trusts	\$ 1,216.00
Albert C. Jones	1,691.13
Coburn Insurance	16,622.00
NH Municipal Unemployment Comp. Trust	6,627.00
Alexander & Alexander	567.00
NH Municipal Unemployment Comp. Fund	245.84
Gauthier & Woodard, Inc.	798.00
State of N.H.U.C.	61.11
NHMA Health Trust (B/C B/S)	1,840.78
Total:	<hr/> \$29,668.86

### TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN:

Carol F. Fitch, Tax Collector	\$30,704.06
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### PRINCIPAL OF LONG TERM NOTES AND BONDS:

Hanover Bank & Trust Co.	\$13,000.00
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### INTEREST ON LONG TERM LOAN:

Hanover Bank & Trust Co.	2,144.99
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INTEREST ON ANTICIPATION NOTE	19,987.56
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**CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS:**

Highway Department	\$15,000.00
Fire Department	10,000.00
Police Department (Cruiser)	2,000.00
Revaluation Fund	6,000.00
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	\$ 33,000.00

**COUNTY TAX:**

Treasurer, Sullivan County	\$110,236.00
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**CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT:**

1984-1985 Appropriation	\$341,928.46
1985-1986 Appropriation	305,000.00
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Total:	\$646,928.46

**ARTICLES:**

2-R UVLSC	\$ 1,205.00
5 Electronic Specialty Services	2,140.35
10 UVLSC (Household Hazardous Waste)	200.00
13 Naults Ford	12,217.28
14 Sydney Lorandean - 1,829.00)	2,500.00
Cornish Highway 671.00)	
15 Removal of Trees (Cornish Cemetery)	975.00
Leo Maslan 700.00	
Highway 275.00	
17 Water Resources Action Project	
Audubon Society of NH	600.00
18 Pagers for Fire Department	
Motorola, Inc.	4,500.00
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Total:	\$ 24,337.63

**PRINCIPLE SHORT TERM LOAN**

1984 \$300,000.00	
1985 400,000.00	\$700,000.00

**UPPER VALLEY SOLID WASTE  
DISPOSAL DISTRICT**

	\$ 255.06
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## **TOWN REPORT 1985 CORNISH FIRE DEPARTMENT**

The fire department responded to 94 calls in 1985, up 14 from 1984. There was a large increase in brush and grass fires, most of which were caused by broken power lines or lightning.

We are grateful to Peter Burling, who has kindly leased his ladder truck to the town for the sum of \$1.00, it will make many aspects of firefighting much safer and easier and has already proven very useful.

The firefighters Assoc. has purchased many items of equipment, some of which include, fire coats, helmets, gloves 2-1 ½" nozzles and a cascade system to fill air bottles.

As a reminder, new smoke detector laws have been passed by the state and now are in effect. Any house with 3 apts. or more and any new house built or substantially renovated after 1982 MUST have A.C. powered smoke detectors. Any house built prior to 1982, and houses with 2 apts. are allowed battery operated smoke detectors.

Have a safe year.

Respectfully Submitted  
Scott Kearns, Fire Chief

## **CORNISH POLICE DEPARTMENT**

1985 was a year of extremes for the Police Department. Manpower varied from two in January, to one in June, and four at the close of the year.

Mandated training and qualifications by the state are increasing annually. This will add to the quality of the department and personal pride of the officers.

The new police cruiser was put into use in mid July. I am pleased to report that I find it has made a big impact on the condition of the Police Department. It has made finding help easier and should assist in keeping help longer.

Two hundred and seventy-five incidents were documented by our dispatch in 1985, including fifty-five motor vehicle accidents.

Thank you for your support  
Chief Of Police  
Philip (Joe) Osgood

**REPORT OF TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN  
AND  
STATE FOREST RANGER**

Between July 1984 and June 1985, we experienced more forest fires throughout our state than in any year in the last 50. Two of the leading causes of the 1,605 fires were children and fires kindled without written permission of a Forest Fire Warden. Both causes are preventable, but only with your help.

Please help our town and state forest fire officials with forest fire prevention. Contact your Forest Fire Warden for more information.

Enforcement of state timber harvest regulations is the responsibility of State Forestry officials. Our state has excellent timber harvest regulations; however, your assistance is needed.

If you know of a logging operation and suspect a state timber harvest law maybe violated, call your Forest Fire Warden.

If you own forest land, you will become responsible for the timber tax payment starting April 1, 1986. This is a change in the Timber Tax Law that will impact all forest landowners. Contact your Board of Selectmen for timber tax forms.

**FOREST FIRE STATISTICS - 1985**

Number Fires Statewide	1,605
Acres Burned Statewide	1,580
Cost of Suppression	\$246,017
DISTRICT	
Number of Fires	48
Acres Burned	24
TOWN	
Number of Fires	6
Acres Burned	2.47

**CORNISH RESCUE SQUAD, INC.  
REPORT TO THE TOWN, 1986**

We have completed our twelfth year of service to Cornish and Plainfield. This past year we responded to 116 calls. The Medical emergencies were evenly split between the two towns.

Our membership is up to a healthy level but we are always seeking those who have an interest in participating. If you have an interest please speak to one of the members.

Specialized training this past year included a course in farm extrication, cold weather injuries and drownings, automobile extrication, and planning for a mass casualty incident, Monthly meetings held at the area hospitals were available to our members which covered a host of medically orientated subjects.

Our operating budget remains about the same as last year. Our insurance policies are subject to a 16% increase but we feel that the \$2000.00 asked of both towns in addition to our usual fund raising activities will be sufficient to maintain the organizations financial soundness.

The squad has started a fund drive to purchase a new rescue truck. The present 1964 International has served us well for the past ten years, but the chassis is showing it's age. We wish to thank you for the support shown.

As always, our goal is to provide the communities with trained prehospital care to the sick and injured, and to stabilize the patient while waiting for an ambulance to arrive. If we can continue to do this, then we feel we have accomplished our goal of neighbors helping neighbors.

For the Board of Trustees,  
John Rand, President

Trustees:  
Larry Dingee  
Mark Dube  
Susan Fitch  
Dale Rook

# CORNISH CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT 1985

The Cornish Conservation Commission has had another very busy year. Again much of our work is centered around the CREA land. In November the Commission approved the placement of a baseball diamond and a soccer field. For more details, see the CREA report.

After many years of service to the Conservation Commission, several as Chairman, Bunny Barker chose not to serve another term. In recognition of his service to the town, the Conservation Commission unanimously voted to make Bunny in honorary member of the Cornish Conservation Commission.

St. Gaudens National Historic Site was the recipient of the third Cornish Conservation Award.

Because of a late school closing in June, no students were able to attend the Youth Conservation Camp this year. Any youngster between the ages 14-18 interested in attending camp are urged to contact any Commission member for information.

Green—Up Week saw the collection of lots of roadside litter. A new method was tried this year, and with the exception of a few minor problems, seemed to work quite well. People signed up for particular roads at School and Town meetings and were sent a reminder as the week approached.

Commission members showed films at the Cornish Fair.

Several members served on subcommittees for the Master Plan and attended meetings of the Water Resources Action Project. (See special report.)

Numerous dredge and fill applications were reviewed during the year; the Commission intervened on one application.

We always welcome citizen participation at our monthly meetings, the fourth Wednesday of the month.

## CONSERVATION COMMISSION FUND

Cash on Hand, 1/1/85	\$ 1,897.07
Deposits: 1985 Appropriation	1,000.00
Interest	191.29
	\$ 3,088.36
Cash on Hand, 1/1/86	\$ 3,088.36

*Herrika W. Poor, Chairman*  
*Thomas W. Luce, Vice Chairman*  
*Audrey M. Jacquier, Secretary*  
*Fred C. Sullivan, Rep. to Planning Bd.*

*Orville B. Fitch*  
*Natalie A. Frost*  
*Rosamond H. Seidel*  
*Selectman*

## 1986 CREA REPORT

In March of 1985 a grant was submitted by the Town of Cornish to the N.H. Department of Resources and Economic Development to help fund the construction of a baseball diamond, a soccer field, and the start of a nature trail system. In late fall the Town received word that their grant application for funds to develop the Cornish Recreation and Education Area had obtained final approval. The grant award of \$27,000 will be matched on a 50/50 basis for a total project cost of \$54,000. The match is made up of cash pledges and donations totaling \$22,385, inkind contributions totaling \$3,620 and over 170 hours of labor worth over \$700. The support that we have received from Cornish residents and friends has been extremely gratifying.

At the present time the Cornish Recreation And Education Area Committee is working with the Sullivan County Soil Conservation Service and The Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Council on a master plan for the park. At the November meeting of the Conservation Commission, the Commission accepted the recommendation of the CREA Committee regarding the placement of the baseball diamond and the soccer field. The Soil Conservation Service is now drawing up engineering plans for the two fields so that construction can start as soon as possible in the spring. With this time schedule it is hoped that the soccer field will be ready for the fall, 1986 season, and the baseball diamond will be ready for play in spring, 1987. The athletic fields are the first phase in the development of the area. Any area not cited for immediate development will, for the time being, remain in agricultural production.

If you are interested in attending any of our meetings they are posted at the usual locations. We would like to have your ideas as we move ahead with our plans.

Herrika W. Poor  
Chairman



**COMMUNITY YOUTH ADVOCATES  
ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1985**

To: Town of Cornish

For fiscal year 1985 Community Youth Advocates had an active caseload of 154 youths.

Court Appearances	347
Emergency After-Hour Calls	322
Police Referrals	101
Diversions	10
Emergency Placements (Chandler House)	15
Job Placements	263
Youths in Danger of Placement	60

In 1985 Community Youth Advocates worked with 2 males and 1 female who reside in the Town of Cornish. The Chandler House served as a temporary placement for 1 youth from Cornish.

## UPPER VALLEY - LAKE SUNAPEE COUNCIL

The Upper Valley - Lake Sunapee Council is a public, nonprofit voluntary association of towns and cities in the Upper Valley and Lake Sunapee areas. Our thirty-one (31) communities are in two states and five counties.

The Council consists of a Board of Directors and a professional staff. Each town or city annually appropriates funds for the Council's operation and sends two representatives to participate on the Board of Directors. The Board elects officers, adopts the annual work program and budget, and develops policies and positions on issues that are important to UVLSC communities.

The Upper Valley - Lake Sunapee Council is the official organization that brings towns and cities within our region together. By bonding together and pooling their resources, local governments have a highly trained, professional staff available to them for a wide variety of services. Areas of expertise include land use planning, master planning, economics and community development, water quality management, transportation, landscape architecture, housing, capital budgeting, historic preservation, downtown revitalization, solid waste planning, recreation and fiscal and environmental impact analysis. The Council also serves as a collective voice for these towns and cities in dealings with state and federal governments, thereby protecting and furthering the needs and interests of our communities.

Council Staff members include Robert Varney, Executive Director; Vicki Smith, Senior Planner; Lisa Mausolf, Historic Preservation Specialist; Gregg Lantos, Transportation Planner; Tad Redway, Landscape Architect and Planner; Melinda Artman, Community Development Coordinator; John Olmstead, Housing Rehabilitation Specialist; Susan Elder, Economic Development Specialist; Jim Klinger, Draftsman; and Andrea Adams, Joan Austin, and Lori Brown, Secretaries. These staff members offer a wide range of exercise available to our communities.

The Council has been busy working on a variety of regional programs during the past year. The following is a brief summary of some of our regional activities:

- \* provided administrative and planning services to the Upper Valley Solid Waste district, a bistate district with 15 member communities;
- \* developed regional septage management plans which will become components of the solid waste plans for the Sullivan County, Upper Valley and Pemi-Baker Solid Waste Districts;
- \* provided continuing assistance to the regional transit operators, and worked closely with the State Highway department to develop a comprehensive highway planning program;
- \* continued the regional historic preservation program, including historic surveys, national register nominations and historic preservation plans;
- \* continued the Sullivan County Economic Development Program to retain and expand employment opportunities in Sullivan County;
- \* continued work on the Lake Sunapee Management Plan;
- \* co-sponsored another successful Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day, groundwater protection seminar and Municipal Law Lecture Series;
- \* provided economic, population, housing and other data to communities, organizations, banks, real estate firms and consultants for use in fiscal studies, market analyses and grant applications.

As requested by communities, the Council prepared applications for state and federal funds, evaluated development proposals, prepared amendments to local zoning, subdivision, site plan review and other local regulations and provided mapping, drafting and other planning assistance.

Within the past year the the Upper Valley - Lake Sunapee Council has been working with the Cornish Recreational and Education Area Committee to develop a comprehensive park plan and implementation strategy for the Davidson land. In addition,the Council has, upon request, provided the Town with technical assistance in the formulation of the Cornish Master Plan.

The Council's staff of professionals stands ready to assist your community in addressing the planning and growth management issues which you will face during the coming year. We also encourage you to become more familiar andinvolved with the Council, since we are essentially an arm of local government addressing your needs.

### **OVERSEER OF THE POOR 1986**

Town of Cornish:

1985 was a relatively quite year with most Cornish people meeting and solving their own financial problems without help from the Town.

We anticipate an increase in State mandated costs to the Town in 1985 and the Welfare budget is increased accordingly for this year.

I wish to thank many of you, specifically the Selectmen, for your help in administration of the department.

Sincerely,  
Peter C. Storrs  
Overseer of the Poor

## CORNISH PLANNING BOARD

1985

The year of 1985 has seen an increase in both applications for sub-divisions as well as conferences with those wishing to learn what is involved should they decide to sub-divide. Due to the pressure of the work, it has been suggested that the Planning board consider meeting twice a month instead of once.

Regular meetings have been held on the third Thursday of each month, with the exception of Fair week. Due to a conflict the meeting was postponed from August 15 until August 22, 1985.

List below are the actions taken by the Planning Board over a twelve month period:

Minor Sub-Divisions - granted

Richard and Mariann Thompson -2 lots (later withdrawn and resub -divided)

Katherine Holt - 2 lots

Alexander and Caroline Emerson - 2 lots

James A. Tierney - 2 lots

Orville and Carol Fitch - 2 lots and an annexation

Kenneth W. and Dorothy Cady to David M. Sutter - 1 annexation

Major Sub-Divisions - granted

Atkinson Davis - 3 lots

Edward and Joan Benware - 3 lots

Dennis J. Chabot and Jeffrey LeClair - 6 lots and 2 annexations

Sub-Divisions - denied

Wood Fiber -Streeter Lot -2 lots

Major Sub-Divisions -denied

Wood Fiber -Streeter Lot -4 lots

Non residential Site Plan Reviews -granted

Charles and Sheila Stone -cattle barn

Larry Dingee -addition to a garage

In performing its duties the Planning Board followed the Sub-Division Regulations and the amendments which have been adopted by the town and are designed not to stop growth but rather to guide it in the best interests of the community.

Ten years have elapsed since zoning and sub-division regulations have been put in use. Our effort is now under way to update the Master Plan that has guided the development of the early ordinances.

For many months the research which should form the basis of an updated document has been going on. The Planning Board has given support to this effort. From an opinion survey, to studies of the population, soil, and water resources as well as many other facts of concern to Cornish the work has been going on.

The Planning Board is deeply grateful to all the volunteers who have given freely of their time and talents in the interest of the town. A special thank you is accorded Robert Ballard who is acting as coordinator of the many committees working on the Master Plan.

The cooperation of the Selectmen throughout the year, the Planning Board and Zoning Board of Adjustment, the conservation Commission, the Upper Valley Lake Sunapee Council personnel and the various agencies of the government is a matter for which this town can justly be proud.

Respectfully Submitted,

Elizabeth Macy, Chairman  
R. Wells Chandler, V. Chairman  
Peter Storrs  
Sharon Feeney  
David Thrall  
Stanley W. Colby, Secretary  
Fred Sullivan and  
Rosamond H. Seidel, representing the  
Conservation Commission

#### **MASTER PLAN UPDATE STUDY COMMITTEE**

The Master Plan Update Study Committee regrouped on August 1, 1985, to review the responses to the Survey conducted during the winter. The survey was mailed out to residents, landowners and registered voters of the town. The overwhelming response was to "keep Cornish the way it is" with slight growth over the next 20 years.

Six sub-committees were formed to research the population growth, municipal services, historical places, natural resources, current land uses and financial resources of the community. These committees have met with officials from various State, Federal and local Agencies to gather information on ways to protect our "quality of life" here in Cornish.

It became clear to members of the committee that our present regulations governing zoning and sub-division are not adequate to "keep Cornish the way it is". Our regulations must be based on sound scientific reasoning and legal documentation that is reflected in the Master Plan. At the time of this report the committee is finalizing the Land Use Inventory to be followed by its recommendations to the Planning Board for updating the Master Plan.

Respectfully Submitted,  
M. Robert Ballard  
Master Plan Update Study Committee

**SULLIVAN COUNTY REGIONAL REFUSE DISPOSAL DISTRICT  
1985 ANNUAL REPORT OF ACTIVITIES**

After six years of discussion and planning by your District Committee, a 200 ton per day waste-to-energy facility is now well under construction in Claremont, New Hampshire.

A revised twenty year waste disposal contract was signed with Signal Environmental Systems on April 12, 1985. The contract provides that Signal will be the owner and operator of the facility and is responsible for up to \$7.6 million in financial contributions in the form of equity or debt secured solely by Signal. An additional \$18.15 million in Industrial Revenue Bonds were sold by Signal through the New Hampshire Industrial Development Authority on August 12, 1985.

Clark-Kenith, Inc. began construction of the facility for Signal during May 1985. Construction is expected to be completed during the Spring of 1987, at which time the District municipalities must begin delivering waste to the facility.

Hydrogeologic modeling for the 78 acre ash disposal site in Newport is now complete and engineering and permit applications will begin early in 1986. The ash disposal site must also be in operation by the Spring of 1987. Funds for construction are included in Signal's bond issue even though the ash disposal site is owned by the District.

The New Hampshire Air Resources Commission is in the final stage of adopting hydrogen chloride emission standards for the facility. This will necessitate some changes in the design of the of the air pollution control system and an increase in the disposal fee paid to Signal. Negotiations are underway with Signal to determine the appropriate control system and costs.

During 1986 the District will be working on development of a recycling system which may be fully utilized by member municipalities. A full-time recycling manager is included in the budget for 1986.

The District will also be working with the member municipalities to assist them in the development of a transportation system necessary to deliver waste to the facility when it becomes operational.

If individuals have questions concerning any aspect of the Project they should not hesitate to contact their District Committee member or the Project office at (603) 543-1201.

Submitted by,  
Theodore R. Siegler  
Project Manager



## **CORNISH MEETINGHOUSE**

**1985**

The Cornish Meetinghouse continues to be an attractive and useful historical addition to Cornish. The building was used on a regular basis by the Cornish Historical Society, who had an Open House in December to display in the Historical Room the many donated items received over the past years. The Boy Scouts, Christmas Carolers and private groups used the building as well during the past year. The Meetinghouse is available to any group in Cornish who wishes to use it.

Caroline Storrs, Chairman  
Donald Saunders, Secretary  
George Edson, Treasurer  
Dwight Wood  
Orville Fitch  
Susan Chandler  
John Dryfhout  
Stephen P. Tracy, Architect

## **CORNISH FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC.**

**1985**

The theme for this year's Fair "A Farmer's Life For Me" was submitted by Meredith Eastman and the cover illustration was designed by Ali Tenney.

The Cornish Fair Queen for 1985 is Ranae Maccioli from Claremont. She was sponsored by Dan's Service Center. The Prince and Princess were Jason Benware and Karen Perras. Mirka Zapletal was runner-up.

Some new happenings at the fair this year were a Farm Horse Show, a cherry picker competition at the Woodsman Field Day and Antique Tractor competition. A Petting Zoo was also added and held up on the ballfeild.

We were pleased to present the Cornish Fair Scholarship to Phillip Ayer. The Fair sponsored two children to 4-H Camp and one student to Conservation Camp. A donation was also given to the 4-H Foundation.

Plans are being made to build a permanent dairy booth and milking parlor.

We would like to thank our supporters and friends for our success, because without them we could not survive.

Yvette Birch  
Secretary

## CORNISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Cornish Historical Society was the recipient of many gifts this year which are important to the history of Cornish. We are indeed grateful for them. In December a selection of our artifacts was on display at our open house held in the society's room at the Meeting house. Nineteenth century copies of eighteenth century paintings of General Jonathan Chase and Mrs. Chase and their daughter Prudence were willed to the society by the late Miss Alice L.C. Dodge of Washington, D.C. These paintings were exhibited at our meeting which was held in the recently restored Trinity Church.

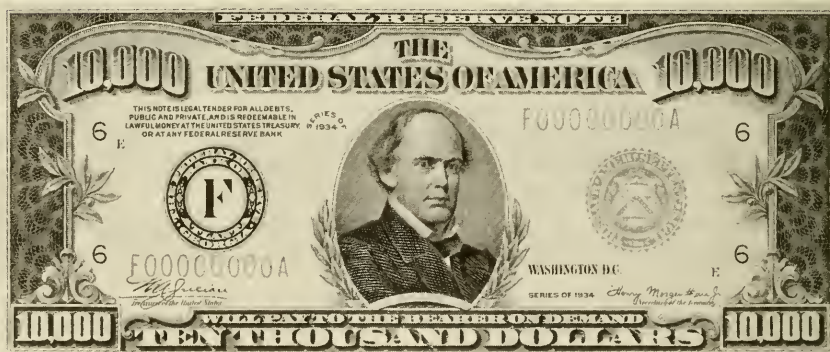
We are grateful to Peter Burling for restoring the beautiful Trinity Church and for his interest in restoring the historic Salmon P. Chase House.

Pressure is still being brought to bear on the state to restore the Cornish-Windsor bridge.

The reprint of the History of Cornish by Wm. Child, silver and bronze medals, paperweights, covered bridge note paper, covered bridge tiles, and General Jonathan Chase Revolutionary War Papers, bumper stickers, postcards, and the booklet Cornish 1983 are available for sale from the Town Clerk.

Our society welcomes new members who share our interests.

Virginia Colby  
President



*Salmon Portland Chase was born in Cornish, N.H. in 1808. He served Ohio as a U.S. Senator and Governor. He was Secretary of the Treasury and Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court.*

*His portrait appears on the \$10,000 bill, the highest existing denomination of currency. He died in 1873.*



*General Jonathan Chase (1732-1800) and his wife Sarah Hall Chase (1742-1806) oil on canvas, attributed to Joseph Steward (1753-1822); New Hampshire Historical Society, Concord, N.H.*

## **SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST REPORT**

The past year the supervisors of the checklist held seven meetings for the purpose of making additions and corrections to the list. More than eighty names were removed due to deaths and people moving from the community, as well as those added.

Three of these meetings were necessary due to the Special Town Meeting, held Sept. 28, to decide the fate of the Cornish Planning Board, whether to appoint or elect.

Much correspondence has been necessary throughout the year due to domicile requirements, which have increased administration costs of the board of supervisors.

Under general provisions of R.S.A. 654:44 "a person must have domicile in the community in which he seeks to register to vote. Supervisors may require proof of domicile in the form of an affidavit declaring that the applicant is an inhabitant of and dwells in the community in which he desires to vote."

The supervisors are constantly working on trying to keep both the list and the card file updated and would appreciate being notified of those voters moving from the community in order of making this task less time consuming.

Ruth G. Rollins, chairman  
Leland E. Atwood  
Myron A. Kuhre

## WHEELS AROUND WINDSOR

Wheels Around Windsor is a social service agency located on Main Street, known more popularly which is designed to meet the different needs of senior members of our community. The category of needs include housing, health supervision, transportation, advocacy, meals and recreation, These services are made available in the following way:

**HOUSING** - Stoughton House is licensed by the Vermont Dept. of Health to provide housing and supervised medical care to forty residents.

The Council On Aging contracts with W.A.W. to provide the following services to any member of the area.

**MEALS** - Nutritious meals are served daily in the Stoughton House dining rooms to every senior without regard to income. The W.A.W. kitchen also prepared over 7000 meals which were delivered by our drivers and volunteers to home bound seniors in the Windsor area. For the Fiscal year 1985, the number of meals served to area seniors was over 19,000. In addition, the W.A.W. kitchen provides 3 meals a day for the Stoughton House residents, making the combined total close to 63,000 meals served.

**TRANSPORTATION** - Our "Wheels" car is known well to the surrounding communities. Providing over 8000 trips, our divers have made it possible for area seniors to have transportation available for medical appointments, visits to the Sr. Ctr., social and shopping trips.

**ADVOCACY** - W.A.W. is assistance with income maintenance and social services. Our Senior Advocate provide information, referrals, assistance with paperwork for all kinds of programs and insurance, counseling, legal aid services, tax assistance and the surplus food distribution programs.

**RECREATION** - The Windsor Area Senior Center is located at Stoughton House. Ceramics craft activity programs, ice cream socials, flea markets, birthday parties, blood pressure checks, flu clinics, educational programs, movies, church services, and trips are many of the activities sponsored by the center. A monthly newsletter is sent to more than 750 homes to notify as many area seniors as possible of a busy Senior Center.

Wheels Around Windsor is proud to be such a busy hub of activities, with communities who support us so generously with funding and volunteer time from many individuals.

The annual report is an opportunity for us to publicly thank the residents of Cornish for supporting the services to seniors.



## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The primary responsibility of the Health Department is to assure that all local and state health regulations are followed within the town of Cornish. The Health Officer and Selectmen comprise the "Board of Health" for the town.

Several cases were brought to the Board's attention in 1984. All are in the process of being resolved.

Ginny Wood  
Health Officer

## WINDSOR REGIONAL HOME HEALTH AGENCY

### Annual Report - - 1985

As a non-profit corporation, the Windsor Regional Home Health Agency has provided home based health care services for over 70 years. It currently covers Windsor and West Windsor in Vermont and Cornish, New Hampshire. Services presently include skilled nursing, physical and occupational therapy, speech pathology, medical social services and homemaker services. As a Medicare certified agency it is under contract with Vermont Medicaid and VT/NH Blue Cross/Blue Shield. A contract is pending with New Hampshire Medicaid.

The medical staff consists of a full time RN supervisor and three part-time staff nurses. Through contracts physical therapist, occupational therapist, a speech pathologist, medical social workers and homemakers are also employed.

The agency is governed by a Board of Directors, and works under the direction of a Professional Advisory Committee. Working cooperatively with other human service agencies helps insure the greatest possible benefit to clients without duplicating effort or expense. Town funds help subsidize home visits to those patient's not eligible for third party reimbursement. All patients are seen regardless of ability to pay.

During fiscal year 1985 2,376 home visits were made -- 186 to Cornish, 187 to West Windsor, 1,929 to Windsor and 64 to other towns. Attendance at the 21 clinics (blood pressure, flu vaccine, etc.) totaled 765.

In addition to offering home health nurse services the agency also contracts with Albert Bridge School in Brownsville to provide school nurse services.

Offices and telephone services are based at Mt. Ascutney Hospital in Windsor, Vermont. Inquiries about services are welcome!

Ginny Wood  
Director



## RESOURCE RECOVERY COMMITTEE

This has been a quiet year while we build up supplies and wait for improved markets.

### INCOME:

Bottle Glass, 16,870 pounds	\$85.70
Deposit Bottles and Cans	14.05
Steel, 2,700 pounds	8.78

### EXPENSES:

NHRRA Membership	\$25.00
Magazine Subscription	18.00
UVLS Council Hazardous Waste Clean-up (Donation)	10.00

Deposit bottles and cans are now being removed from the waste stream and taken to the White River Junction Redemption Center.

The Center remains open daily and we thank all those who continue to participate in many ways.

The Resource Recovery Committee

## THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee sees itself as an Advisory committee. It functions as an intermediary between the public and the school board and between the public and selectmen. Its general aim is to review the school budget and the town budget. The members comment upon them, ask questions, ask for figures to justify expenditures, make suggestions and make recommendations, We try to make our recommendations early enough so that our input is reflected in the final copies of the budgets.

We recognize that our suggestions are not binding, but we hope that the selectmen and the school board see us as a helpful and worthwhile partner in the budgetary process.

Susan Chandler  
Louis Haas  
Wilbur Overman  
Michael Fuss  
Fred Weld

## LIBRARY REPORT

We wish to thank all the volunteers for helping to keep the library open for all of us. Patrick Sheary and Kathy Petterson for their time and devotion to the Historical Room, and for organizing the materials and books in the attic. Dick Hemphill for the Fund Drive box, and new banister in the attic. Frank, Phyllis and Tommy for putting up the storm windows. Bernice Johnson for planting the window boxes. Kelly Patterson for keeping the library in good order. Stan Woodward for the lovely green plants in winter. The Trustees for the many hours spent in helping to keep the library open, books cataloged and everything in good working order. A special thanks to all of you who have come, taken out books and magazines, looked at tax maps, used the historical room, or just stopped to visit.

Rita Bannister resigned as janitor in February and Kelly Patterson replaced her. Frank Ackerman was elected a Trustee in March. Mark Dube repaired the falling ceilings in April. The Trustees and Laura Woodward attended a number of workshops in Concord, Hampton Beach and Laconia. Frank and Phyllis also attended a legislative workshop in Concord.

In June there was a celebration for all the library volunteers. We also started a Story Hour on Wednesday morning from 10-11. We read, play, draw, paste, cut and color and have a snack. The Book and Bake Sale and 75th Birthday party was held July 20th and was well attended and financially a success. In September we had a workshop for the volunteers with cider and donuts, and we were able to recruit a few new helpers.

The Jr. volunteers raised money in the Fall with a bake sale. They planned, organized and ran a successful Halloween party. They have written two news letters, help put books away, make posters, check books in and out and help keep the fire going on these cold afternoons and evenings. I enjoy their support, and thank them for their help.

We have lots of new books, magazines, children's books and cassettes. We can send for any book we don't have from the State Library in Concord, and we welcome suggestions for new books. Most important to be a successful library we need you and your support, come to the Library.

Statistics:	1985	Nancy Newbold Librarian
People	3146	
Books	1956	Frank Ackerman
Magazines	221	Phyllis Hemphill
Records	86	Kathy Patterson Trustees

Hours: Mon. & Wed. 3-5  
Mon., Wed. & Fri. 6:30-8:30  
Sat. 10-12 Wed. 10-12 Story Hour

**GEORGE H. STOWELL FREE LIBRARY  
1985 BUDGET REPORT**

**INCOME:**

Balance 12-31-84		\$ 62.51
Trust Funds	1,152.57	1,215.08
Town Funds	5,235.49	6,450.57
Interest	128.94	6,579.51
Book Fines	51.66	6,631.17
Fund Drive	11.54	6,642.71
Book Sale	609.98	7,252.69
Ceiling Fund	400.00	7,652.69
Balance 12-31-85		\$7,652.69

**EXPENSES:**

(see itemized list)	6,098.61	1,554.08
Funds set aside for Window Repairs	1,500.00	54.08

**BALANCE 12-31-85** \$ 54.08

**INCOME FOR 1986 (estimated):**

Balance 12-31-85		\$ 54.08
Trust Funds	1,000	1,054.08
Town Funds	4,790.63	\$5,844.71

**EXPENSES FOR 1986:**

(see itemized list) \$5,844.71

**FUNDS NEEDED FROM THE TOWN** \$4,790.63

**GEORGE H. STOWELL FREE LIBRARY BUDGET**

<b>EXPENSES:</b>	<b>ESTIMATED 1985</b>	<b>ACTUAL 1985</b>	<b>ESTIMATED 1986</b>	<b>INCREASE/ DECREASE</b>
Bldg., grounds, furn.	200.00	593.61	200.00	- 0 -
Librarian	1,410.00	1,409.40	1,461.60	+51.60
Janitor	504.00	504.00	540.00	+36.00
Electricity	350.00	205.79	300.00	-50.00
Oil/Wood	900.00	830.85	900.00	- 0 -
Books	950.00	986.34	1,000.00	+50.00
Periodicals	300.00	292.35	300.00	- 0 -
Audiovisuals	200.00	197.56	200.00	- 0 -
Postage	25.00	22.96	25.00	- 0 -
Telephone	300.00	333.49	325.00	+25.00
General Supplies	75.00	65.33	75.00	- 0 -
Advertising	75.00	98.41	50.00	-25.00
Social Security	134.00	134.88	143.11	+9.11
Library Training	125.00	123.64	125.00	- 0 -
Catalog Fund	150.00	300.00	150.00	- 0 -
Trustee Expenses			50.00	+50.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>5,698.00</b>	<b>6,098.61</b>	<b>7,844.71</b>	<b>+146.71</b>

**ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT**

The Zoning Board of Adjustment met the second Thursday of every month as business demanded.

The Board approved one (1) variance, three (3) home occupations, six (6) single family dwellings, and one (1) special exception for off premises signs.

David Wood, Chairman  
 Keith Beardslee, Vice Chairman  
 William Balch, Clerk  
 Polly Monette, Secretary  
 Caroline Storrs

**Alternates**  
 Robert Ballard  
 Prudence Dennis  
 John Rand  
 Linda Rice  
 Fred Sullivan

## **REPORT OF WATER RESOURCES ACTION PROJECT**

The scope of the Project was state-wide with Cornish being one of five "Pilot Communities" in the state where water resource studies were carried out.

The water resources of Cornish were studied; water resource issues identified; land use regulations reviewed; meetings were held with the Planning Board, the Selectmen, and Conservation Commission, and recommendations made.

An 84-page report has been submitted to the Town and is available for reference at the Selectmen's Office.

## **AUDITOR'S REPORT 1985**

We, the undersigned auditors for the Town of Cornish, NH hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Trustee of Trust Funds, Library Trustees, Revenue Sharing Funds and Meeting House, and have found them to be correctly cast and properly vouched, to the best of our ability.

Robert F. Maslan  
Edna W. Guest  
Auditors



## Annual Report of Representative Sara M. Townsend

The session of 1985 saw some landmark changes in the state funding of the court system, the settlement law and foundation aid to education. All of these changes were brought about as a result of interim study committee which worked diligently over the time between the '83 and '85 session to perfect these pieces of legislation. To be sure, there are still changes and refinements which are being proposed as this is written and which will be taken up in this 1986 session. The goal of all of these laws is to alleviate some of the burden on the towns and cities, It remains to be seen as to whether the counties will experience added expenses, which will, of course, be reflected in the local property tax. It could be called cost-shifting of a sort, as far as the settlement and court laws go. We are going to try to add some more money to the foundation aid this session. It was a start at least.

The 1986 session marks a real departure from the past here in New Hampshire as we are in the first of the annual sessions' mode. Already a number of Representatives have decided not to run again. It is really a lot to expect of a person to give up so much time for \$100.00 per year, plus mileage. The Concord Representatives make \$.78 a day - hardly enough to buy lunch. I believe that we are more valuable to the state than this paltry sum. Yet the notion of the "citizen" legislature plays out so strongly that there is little chance of bettering the situation. It seems to me that Maine and Vermont, with a smaller body of lawmakers and a decent recompense, do as well as we do in the arena of making laws. Indeed, we sometimes copy theirs!

By having annual sessions, we were able to enact a bill to do away with the snack tax rule on the very first day, as well as to handle a couple of other emergencies which had arisen. Also, we had a cut-off date for all legislation to be submitted (October 5) enabling the legislative drafters to have all bills ready and printed the very first day. Also, all the committee chairmen have set up hearings on their entire workload of bills so that we can plan our time very well. This cannot happen the first year of the sessions unless we think of some way to get a cut-off date which would not discriminate against the newcomers.

I am very honored to have been named to the Nation committee to study the "Future of Public Health" under the National Academy of Sciences Institute of Medicine. This will be a two year study and it involves some very noted folks in this field. Kellogg Foundation is sponsoring it. I am very interested in where we shall go with public health in terms of the emerging social and environmental problems. If any of you have thoughts as to what a department of health at the local, state and national level ought to look like and do, let me know. We have gotten far beyond immunization and sanitation control which used to comprise much of their job.

As usual, I thank you all for your wonderful support in the last election. I am always humbled by the thought that I represent all of you. Please Keep in touch and let me continue to serve you.

SARA M. TOWNSEND  
Representative to the New Hampshire  
House  
Sullivan County, District #1  
tel. Meriden 469-3313  
Concord 271-3661

**REPORT OF REPRESENTATIVE MERLE W. SCHOTANUS  
REPRESENTATIVE TO THE NEW HAMPSHIRE GENERAL COURT**

As a freshman representative for District 1, Sullivan County, and chairman of the Sullivan County Delegation, I have been on an intense learning curve for the past year. The historic advent of annual sessions has provided me a unique opportunity to put to good use what I have learned during the first year of the biennium.

The Environment and Agriculture Committee, of which I am a member, was, and is, very busy wrestling with the difficult issues of hazardous waste. Although the emotionally charged problems of siting a hazardous waste disposal facility in New Hampshire was not resolved in the '85 session, we anticipate substantial movement toward resolution of the associated regulatory problems. I was able to contribute in a small way to controlling hazardous waste through an amendment to a house hold hazardous waste bill which would enable towns to become involved collection programs. Many of you will be voting on an article at town meeting relating to local support of this program. I also helped achieve passage of the governor's acid rain bill which puts New Hampshire in the lead in northeast regional efforts to solve the knotty acid rain problem.

I worked hard during the '85 session for the landmark educational aid distribution bill which helped our financially hard pressed school districts, and was able to obtain some additional funding for the cooperative extension forestry programs in New Hampshire counties. Although the 1985 Connecticut River Valley authority bill fell victim to last minute House-Senate wrangling, I will again this session voice the county delegation's almost unanimous support of this very important legislation. I will also be working with state and local fire officials this year to obtain additional funds form the State's hazardous waste control fund to help equip and train local fire departments for emergency clean-up of hazardous waste spills.

My duties as chairman of the Sullivan County Delegation kept me busy throughout the year. In 1985 the delegation was able to hold the county budget (\$7.3 million) to a reasonable increase of 5%. Through its budget actions the delegation improved the Sheriff's capability to support law enforcement efforts. We were able to reduce environmental services costs by eliminating the position of County Engineer and providing additional funding to the District Soil Conservation Service. Last fall, the delegation resolved the issue of attorney services, and I have introduced legislation this session which, if passed, will result in our county having the services of a full time county attorney in 1987. We established a productive management program for county owned woodlands and are currently examining the feasibility of discontinuing the farm dairy operation in an effort to make the county farm more responsive to county needs at less cost to the taxpayer. The delegation also supported the County Commissioners in their on-going actions to consolidate county administrative and court activities in the renovated Sullivan County Court building in Newport. In 1986 we will look further into the feasibility of hiring a professional county administrator to provide cost effective, day-to-day management of our multi-million dollar county operations.

Thank you for your confidence in electing me. I hope I can continue to serve you. Please call me (863/1928-2293) whenever you need my help.

Merle W. Schotanus

**BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CORNISH  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1985**

<b>Date of Birth</b>	<b>Place of Birth</b>	<b>Name of Child</b>	<b>Name of Father</b>	<b>Maiden Name of Mother</b>
01-09-85	Claremont	Richard Clayton Adams	Raymond Clare Adams	Rebecca Elaine Erisman
02-11-85	Claremont	Monica Lynn Lamoureux	John Rudolph Lamoureux	Patricia Lynn Dopp
02-27-85	Hanover	Shauni Natasha Pinkson-Burke	Patrick Lee Pinkson-Burke	Ilsa Jane Pinkson
03-15-85	Claremont	Laura Jane Hodgdon	Grant James Hodgdon	Pamela Anne Barlow
04-04-85	Hanover	Jessica Ann Bunnell	Charles Alphonse Bunnell	Rhoda Lynn Sakovich
04-06-85	Hanover	Jessica Lynn Clifford	David Frank Clifford	Jo Ann Hill
04-18-85	Hanover	Pallas Antigone Erdrich Dorris	Michael Anthony Dorris	Karen Louise Erdrich
04-30-85	Hanover	Alexandra Chilton	Gary George Chilton	Merlynn Bourne
05-21-85	Hanover	Benjamin Steele Storrs	Douglas Steele Storrs	Karen Leslie O'Soro
05-30-85	Claremont	Christopher Mortenson McIntosh	Geoffrey Meade McIntosh	Heather Jane Mortenson
06-08-85	Hanover	Nathaniel James Jordan	James Robert Jordan	Brenda Louva Latham
06-26-85	Claremont	Stephen Robert Lefebvre	Robert Roland Lefebvre	Mary Ellen Plaisted
07-13-85	Claremont	Lisa Marie Frost	Ehrhard Erwin Frost	Natalie Anne Guinness
07-28-85	Claremont	Stephen Bruce Yeaton, Jr.	Stephen Bruce Yeaton, Sr.	Jerilyn Norma Hilliard
08-16-85	Hanover	Kaitlin Miller	William Michael Miller	Marcel Collette Wilson
08-29-85	Hanover	Maxwell Dawson Gersumky	William Dawson Gersumky	Alexis Dale Teitz
09-02-85	Claremont	Julianne Osterlund	James Erik Osterlund	Kathi Ann Therrien
09-18-85	Lebanon	Ryan James Avery	Sydney Lorandean, Jr.	Lori Lynn Avery
09-20-85	Lebanon	Kevin Michael Guillette	Douglas Albert Guillette	Darlene Lee Goude
09-28-85	Hanover	Travis Jacob Dube	Mark Charles Dube	Candace Louise Traxinger
09-30-85	Claremont	Frederick James Morse II	Frederick James Morse	Barbara Leigh Nelson
10-08-85	Hanover	Charles Christopher Palmer	Charles Edward Palmer	Tracey Arlene Bailey
11-16-85	Claremont	John Paul Gagne	Gerard Ernest Gagne	Susan Elizabeth Litavet
11-28-85	Hanover	Justen Manuel Rich	Stephan Jon Rich	Lynn Maria Harding
12-04-85	Claremont	Benjamin Morse Bulkeley	Jonathan Adams Bulkeley	Sherrie Anna Morse

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

Bernice R. Johnson, Town Clerk

**MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CORNISH  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1985**

<b>Date of Marriage</b>	<b>Name of Bridegroom</b>	<b>Residence</b>	<b>Name of Bride</b>	<b>Residence</b>
04-13-85	Yozo R. Nishikawa	Fushing, N.Y.	Kelley A. Bailey	Cornish
05-26-85	Frederick C. Schad	Cornish	Jenny S. Baughman	Cornish
05-26-85	Robert L. Groundwater	W. Hartford, Ct.	Elaine D. Rosen	W. Hartford, Ct.
06-15-85	Stephen R. Peters	Cornish	Patricia A. Smith	Norwich, Vt.
06-22-85	John Clyde Rawson	Cornish	Ruth Elizabeth Howe	Cornish
06-22-85	Paul R. Rondos	Cornish	Terrilee Mongeon	Cornish
06-30-85	Frank Anthony	Windsor, Vt.	Susan Carter Hall	Windsor Vt.
07-20-85	Franklin C. Jones, Jr.	Bristol, Ct.	Maureen A. Coan	Bristol, Ct.
07-27-85	Arthur Harold Dumayne	Claremont	Joan Marie Sullivan	Cornish
08-03-85	John Holt Littlefield	Claremont	Constance Jean Brown	Cornish
08-03-85	Robbin E. Shepard	Cornish	April M. Vashaw	Cornish
08-11-85	Michael V. Tompkins	Davis, Ca.	Grace M. Munakata	Davis, Ca.
08-17-85	William F. K. Ardinger	Cornish	Kassandra L. Spanos	Claremont
09-15-85	Christopher E. LaBounty	White River Jct., Vt.	Loretta M. Neilson	White River Jct., Vt.
10-27-85	Stephen J. Rich	Cornish	Lynn M. Harding	Cornish
10-31-85	Christopher R. O'Connor	Cornish	Dale L. Smith	Cornish
11-16-85	Young K. Park	Cambridge, Ma.	Elizabeth K. Gallagher	Cambridge, Ma.
11-24-85	Michael L. Bareman	New Fairfield, Ct.	Meri Straz	Brownsville, Vt.
11-29-85	Kelley G. Conley	Windsor, Vt.	Catherine M. Cross	Windsor, Vt.
12-07-85	Calvin M. Jewell	Cornish	Suzanne M. Root	Claremont
12-31-85	Oscar C. Templeton	Cornish	Jane L. Braden	Cornish

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Bernice Johnson, Town Clerk



**DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF CORNISH  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1985**

<b>Date of Death</b>	<b>Place of Death</b>	<b>Name of Deceased</b>	<b>Name of Father</b>	<b>Name of Mother</b>
06-10-83	Littleton	Frances E. Hopkins		
12-20-84	Windsor, Vt.	Alfred William DuBois	Alfred DuBois	Mary Asanowicz
01-15-85	Unity	Frederck J. Chabot	Frederick L. Chabot	Mary Jane WinStanley
01-23- 85	Windsor, Vt.	Beverley J. Boardman		
02-23-85	Grantham	Donald W. Cole	Junius W. Cole	Gertrude E. Westgate
03-02-85	White River Jct., Vt.	Harold Hazen		
03-04-85	Cornish	Joseph T. Wagner, Sr.	John Wagner	Mary Muller
03-05-85	Windsor, Vt.	Edward Paul Jones, Sr.	Harry Jones	Susan M. Strong
03-17-85	Claremont	L. Grace Fitch	George Skinner	Magdalen Cook
04-30-85	Hanover	Alexandra Chilton	Gary G. Chilton	Merlynn Bourne
05-11-85	Concord	Mabel Harrington	Fred E. Cheever	Grace Dee
08-29-85	Hanover	Maxwell Dawson Gersumky	William D. Gersumky	Alexis Teitz
09-12-85	Cornish	Horace Rublee	William A. Rublee	Katherine Rogers
09-17-85	White River Jct., Vt.	Maurice Roy Hodgdon, Sr.	John Hodgdon	Mary B. Hussey
09-28-85	Phoenix, Ar.	Ruth Alice Skogen		
10-25-85	Claremont	Donald E. Putnam		
11-28-85	White River Jct., Vt.	Harold H. Dean	Herbert Dean	Allie Sanderson
12-08-85	Cornish	Stanislaw Patkowski	Stanislaw Patkowski	Maria Chadaj

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Bernice Johnson, Town Clerk





**Report of**  
**Cornish School District**  
**for the**  
**Year**  
**1984 — 1985**

**OFFICERS AND PERSONNEL OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Clerk  
Treasurer  
Moderator  
Auditors

Kathryn Patterson  
Chris Probst  
Peter Burling  
Robert Maslan &  
Myron Kuhre

## SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS

Michael M. Yatsevitch	Term Expires 1986
Joan Baillargeon	Term Expires 1988
Ellen Ballard	Term Expires 1988
Jill Edson	Term Expires 1987
Richard Ackerman	Term Expires 1987

## TEACHERS

Margaret Regan	Principal
Linda Coolidge	Grade 1
Ruth Schneider	Grade 2
Carole Schuschu	Grade 3
Tim Luce	Grade 4
Ruth Cassidy	Chapter I
Rita Luce	Reading
Ruth Little	English
Sandra Platt	Science
Caroline Storrs	Kindergarten
Evelyn Wilson	Math
Jan Ranney	Physical Education
Geraldine Rudenfeldt	Music
Carla Belcher	Resource Room
Christine Hawkins	Art
Geraldine Jachim	Guidance

## STAFF

Carole Krueger	Secretary
Kathryn Patterson	Librarian
Joyce Gogan	Nurse
Donald Stammers	Custodian
Frances Ackerman	Lunch Manager
Norma Garcia	Lunch
Wendy Brothers	Chapter I Aide
Maureen Clancy	Chapter I Aide
Linda Moore	Special Ed Aide
Laura White	Playground Supervisor

## SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT 6

Richard F. Waldo	Superintendent
Frank V. Daly	Assistant Superintendent
Robert G. Baron	Finance Manager
Margaret Belisle	Secretary
Cheryl Bruening	Computer Operator
Karen Davis	Junior Accountant
Betty Hill	Secretary
Theresa Perron	Receptionist

## REPORT OF THE CORNISH SCHOOL BOARD

1985-86

The Cornish School Board has worked cooperatively with several groups over 1985-86 while looking towards the future needs of the Cornish School District. The year has been one of important change, particularly in connection with additional Foundation Aid (Augenblick) from the State. The Board wishes to acknowledge our representatives in Concord, Sarah Townsend, and Merle Schotanus for their consistent support of that legislation. The New Hampshire School Board Association and the Municipal Association were also actively involved as well as many other educationally oriented groups.

A School Board committee was formed to study the amended A.R.E.A. contract between Claremont and Cornish for high school tuition students. After a number of hearings and studies of surrounding schools, the committee recommended the District approach the Claremont Board for a renewal of the amendment. While keeping the interests of Cornish students and the Cornish District in mind, we will continue these negotiations with the Claremont Board.

By direction of the voters last year, the Board appointed a committee to study the feasibility for constructing an all purpose building/gym on school property. Their report is included on another page.

The work of the Cornish Recreation and Education Area Committee (CREA) is continuing with Board input and it is projected that construction of a new baseball diamond and soccer field on land across from the school will begin early in the summer of 1986.

The year has been one of transition at the administrative level in the District and the Board has been diligent in working through the changes. We are encouraged that our combined efforts will show results in the upcoming year.

The Cornish School Board wishes to thank everyone who helped make this a successful year for Cornish students.

Michael Yatsevitch, Chairperson  
Jill Edson  
Joan Baillargeon  
Richard Ackerman  
Ellen Ballard

## REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

To The Residents of Cornish:

The 1985-86 school year will be best remembered as the year of the Augenblick Formula. This system of providing additional State funding to local schools added \$75,617 to the Cornish School District.

The School Board allotted \$15,000 for increased staff; \$10,000 for teaching materials; and \$32,194 for building improvements, the remainder of the funds were used to reduce local taxes.

Having just begun my new position on October 1st most of my efforts to date have been spent becoming familiar with the staff and schools of Claremont, Cornish, and Unity. I have been very impressed with the excellent staff at the Cornish School and with the professionalism exhibited by the Cornish School Board. My family and I are looking forward to our first winter in New Hampshire and to becoming part of your community.

With the beginning of a new year we should all renew our efforts to provide the best possible education for the children of our community. Although, many of the traditional values of education remain constant, it is critical that we provide our students with the skills necessary to live in the rapidly changing, highly technical society. I look forward to working with the parents, students, and staff at the Cornish School.

Frank V. Daly  
Assistant Superintendent

## **PRINCIPALS REPORT TO THE RESIDENTS OF CORNISH:**

This past year saw the completion of my first year as principal of Cornish Elementary School. It is with great pleasure and pride that I review the accomplishments achieved by students and staff during that time.

As a staff we have undertaken the review and revision of two major curriculum areas: Reading and English. In addition, Mr. Luce is doing an independent project rewriting the Math curriculum, reviewing the Physical Education curriculum and developing an Athletics Guide. The professional staff devotes many additional hours toward the improvement of instruction for our students through curriculum work and attendance at workshops, conferences and graduate courses. Many of us are involved in the study of learning styles and brain dominance in order to better meet the needs of the children. We have introduced the Writing Process (based at the University of New Hampshire) to many of the children in order to enhance their writing skills and to help them learn language mechanics in context.

For the first time, our students participated in the Young Authors' Conference which is a statewide event. Mrs. Schuschu served as Coordinator for Cornish School. Our representative this past June was Karrie Cosgriff, now a third grader. We will continue our participation in this annual project.

Odyssey of the Mind (OM) is an enrichment program that was also initiated during the past school year under the capable direction of Ms. Willson. Many students participated in the state wide competition after several successful demonstrations for parents and students in Cornish.

Two students from the class of '85 accompanied by Mr. Platt, entered their energy project in a statewide Science Fair. It is an honor for our Cornish students to be represented at state level events. We will continue to encourage them and provide them with similar opportunities.

We are excited about the many learning opportunities we are able to provide the Cornish children. At this point, we are in the initial stages of exploring programs for gifted and talented students.

A few staff changes occurred during the past year. Lorraine Lawrence moved with her family to Long Island after 10 years as school secretary. Carole Krueger is our new secretary. Linda Fellows resigned as Social Studies teacher in Grades 5-8. Instructional assignments were shifted with that opening. Ruth Little joined us as Grade 5-8 English teacher. Each Upper Wing teacher is also responsible for one Social Studies class. Kindergarten teacher Karen Walsh moved to Mont Vernon and was replaced by Caroline Storrs. Ruth Cassedy joined us as Chapter I teacher and Wendy Brothers is a Chapter I tutor. Effective January 1986, the positions of guidance counselor and art teacher will be filled by Geraldine Jachim and Christine Hawkins, respectively.

The financial support provided by the residents of Cornish demonstrates your high regard for the education of the children. Your appropriation of the Augenblick funds is an example of your commitment to provide an excellent learning environment for the youth of this community. The school staff appreciates your continued involvement.

Special thanks are due to the parents and community members who support

the school's efforts and activities. The number of people willing to help with special efforts and present programs for enrichment is amazing! The activities sponsored by the PTO such as the new "Celebrate The Arts Night", help bring the community closer to the school and provide an opportunity for the children to share their achievements. This past year the Enrichment Committee organized several wonderful activities for the students culminating with a Field Day at Trinity Church in May.

The children with whom we are privileged to work at Cornish School are delightful, challenging and caring individuals. Getting to know, love and appreciate them has been rewarding and an enriching experience for me. I will continue encouraging them to be responsible, sensitive individuals who accept the challenge to strive for excellence in their role as students at Cornish Elementary School.

Thank you for your support and encouragement during the past year!

Margaret F. Regan  
Principal



**SCHOOL WARRANT  
CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT  
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

To the inhabitants of the School District of the Town of Cornish in the said County of Sullivan in the said State qualified to vote in District affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall in said District on the 8th of March, 1986 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the articles set forth in this Warrant.

Article 1 of the Warrant will be voted upon by official ballots from checklist and the polls will remain open for this purpose from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 7 o'clock in the evening.

The business session of the School District meeting will commence at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time all the remaining articles will be acted upon.

- ARTICLE 1 To choose a Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and Auditor for the ensuing year, and one member of the School Board for a term of three years.
- ARTICLE 2 To hear reports of Committees, Agents, Auditors, or Officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
- ARTICLE 3 To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of the schools and salaries of School District officials, agents, and employees, for the payment of the District's obligations, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Equalization Fund, together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenues and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the Town.
- ARTICLE 4 To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to make application for and to accept and expend, on behalf of the District, any and all grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter become forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire.
- ARTICLE 5 To see what sum of money the District will vote to transfer from the Capital Reserve Fund for repair of the upper wing roof, entryway roof and cement slab.
- ARTICLE 6 To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money and authorize the School Board to appoint a committee to bring to the 1987 District meeting, plans, costs and financing recommendations for the construction of a building on the school grounds to serve as a multi-purpose town/school facility.
- ARTICLE 7 To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to accept and expend, on behalf of the District, any and all gifts or other funds received from miscellaneous sources as the Board shall determine to be advisable.
- ARTICLE 8 To choose Agents and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

ARTICLE 9 To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS AND SEALS at said Cornish, this 21st day of February, 1986

A true copy of Warrant attest: Michael M. Yatsevitch  
Jean N. Baillargeon  
Ellen A. Ballard  
Richard B. Ackerman  
Jill Edson

Michael M. Yatsevitch  
Jean N. Baillargeon  
Ellen A. Ballard  
Richard B. Ackerman  
Jill Edson  
Cornish School Board

## CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING

March 9, 1985

The annual meeting of the School District of the Town of Cornish, N.H., was held on March 9, 1985, at the Town Hall. Moderator Peter Burling opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. After declaring a quorum present, he read the warrant and then swore in Frances Ackerman and Sherrie Bulkeley as Ballot Inspectors. He also swore in Prue Dennis as Assistant Moderator.

School District clerk Kathryn Patterson swore in Leland Atwood and Ruth Rollins as Supervisors of the Checklist. The business meeting was opened at 1:00 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and a moment of silence.

The Moderator then explained that he had read the warrant when he had opened the polls and that Article 1 was voted on by paper ballot.

ARTICLE 1 School Board - Joan Baillargeon was elected to a three-year term with 92 votes. Ellen Ballard was elected to a three-year term with 89 votes. Christopher Probst received 56 votes. Moderator - Peter H. Burling was elected for the ensuing year with 128 votes. Auditors - Myron Kuhre was elected for a one-year term with 112 votes. Robert Maslan was elected to a one-year term with 113 votes. School District Clerk - Kathryn Patterson received 127 votes and was elected to a one-year term. Treasurer - Lorraine Lawrence received ten write-in votes but declined the office so the School Board will appoint someone at their first meeting.

ARTICLE 2 Ellen Ballard thanked Lorraine Lawrence for her 12 year of service as School District Treasurer with the following resolution: Resolved: that whereas Lorraine Lawrence has served the Cornish School District as Treasurer for twelve years with dedication, precision, and good humor; and whereas now, therefore, the voters of the said School District unanimously vote that their appreciation and gratitude be noted in the minutes of the School District Meeting for 1985.

The Resolution was voted in the affirmative on a unanimous voice vote.

Louis Haas read the following report from the Special Education Committee: At the 1984 School District Meeting it was voted to select a committee to look into having the State of New Hampshire fully fund Special Education. The following were appointed by Moderator Peter Burling; Nancy Newbold, Polly Monette, Caroline Storrs, Louis Haas, and Audrey Dingee.

A second meeting of the Committee was a trip to Concord, to a public hearing on a House Bill to reduce the age limitations for Special Education Students. It was at this meeting that the resolution signed by Cornish residents was presented to the State Commissioner of Education.

During subsequent meetings we researched the history of Special Ed in our state and the formula now used to allocate State funds to the communities.

It was the decision of the committee that way needed to happen was a change in the formula as it was unfair to towns with a small tax base.

We then received a report on a new formula and methods of funding Special Ed. This report we have found is being written into House Bills 1 thru 5. Rep. Sara Townsend has told us there are no copies of these Bills available but she will see we get them as soon as they are.

The committee will then see that they are published in our local newspapers

along with any information we may have about public hearings. We will also include our own evaluation of these bills. This will enable you as taxpayers to understand these Bills and to contact our Representative with your opinions.

The members of the committee are anxious to hear from you with any ideas or questions you may have.

#### ARTICLE 3

Richard Ackerman moved that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$698,716 for the support of the schools and the salaries of School District, officials, agents, employees, for the payment of the District's obligations, and to authorize the application against said appropriation so such sums as are estimated to be received from the State equalization fund, together with other income, the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenues and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the Town. Michael Yatsevitch seconded.

There followed a line-by-line discussion of the budget with items such as aides' salaries, staff development, textbooks, instructional equipment, cultural art, custodian's salary, tuition and transportation receiving attention. There were questions, comments, and explanations from eighteen different people.

It was mentioned that input from the public was welcome at school board meetings on any concern such as school bus stops. Also, it was suggested that the school board give special notice of its discussion of tuition contracts.

William Gallagher made an amendment to reduce the budget appropriation by 2%, or a figure of \$13,794, to \$675,922. The amendment was seconded by Andrew Kuhre. After a comment by Sue Chandler that the Finance Committee considered this a "bare-bones" budget, the amendment was defeated.

Since there was no more discussion, the main motion was voted in the affirmative on a voice vote.

#### ARTICLE 4

Kay Kibbie moved that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$1600 for the repair the sealing of the driveway at the Cornish Elementary School. Ruth Rollins seconded. The motion was passed by a voice vote.

#### ARTICLE 5

Polly Rand made the motion, seconded by Jim Lukash, that the District vote to authorize the School Board to Accept and expend, on behalf of the District, any and all grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter become forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire. After a brief discussion, the motion was passed on a voice vote.

#### ARTICLE 6

A motion was made by Jill Edson and seconded by Jim Lukash to authorize the School Board to withdraw from the Capital Reserve Fund monies not to exceed \$10,000 for the removal of asbestos and the necessary re-insulation of piping in the Cornish Elementary School. It was explained by Peter Huthins that since the EPA had stated there was still excessive level of asbestos in the air of the school building, the asbestos in the attic must be removed. In answer to a question from Lew Gage concerning whether or not bids had been taken from private contractors for the re-insulation of the attic pipes, Ellen Ballard and Jill Edson explained that since it is not wise to stir up what asbestos is in the attic at

present, the Board is waiting until this summer to find out how much work is required before putting bids. The motion was passed on a voice vote.

ARTICLE 7.

Ellen Ballard moved, Bob Ballard seconded, to authorize the School Board to accept and expend, on behalf of the District, any and all gifts or other funds received from miscellaneous sources as the Board shall determine to be advisable. The motion was voted in the affirmative on a voice vote.

ARTICLE 8.

Fran Hills made the motion that a committee be formed which should consist of five persons and which shall be appointed by the School Board to look into the building of a gymnasium. Polly Rand seconded. Jim Lukash suggested that the building be an all-purpose one. The Moderator requested that any persons interested in serving on the committee give their names to Ellen Ballard after the motion was passed on a voice vote.

ARTICLE 9

Bobbi Longacre asked that more Town information be put on the school notices.

Jim Lukash asked that the Town Reports be mailed to each taxpayer before the School District and Town Meetings.

Cheston Newbold and Jill Edson spoke on the problems of the Constitutional Convention wording of the article which mandated that the State not dictate any programs without providing funds. Myron Kuhre stated that he was a representative to the Convention and that he knew what the intent of the article was. It was suggested that voters write their representatives as to their feelings on the matter.

The Moderator closed the business meeting at 2:15 p.m.

The polls were closed at 7:00 p.m. Linda Moore was sworn in as a Ballot Inspector and Myron Kuhre was sworn in as a Supervisor of the Checklist by the Moderator and the School District Clerk respectively. The ballots were counted and the winners announced.

Respectively submitted,  
Kathryn Patterson, Clerk



**CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**Special School District Meeting**  
**September 28, 1985**

A Special School District Meeting of the School District of the Town of Cornish, N.H., was held on September 28, 1985, at the Town Hall.

Moderator Peter Burling swore in Frances Ackerman and Laura White as Ballot Inspectors. School District Clerk Kathryn Patterson swore in Leland Atwood and Ruth Rollins as Supervisors of the Checklist. She also swore in Sandra Platt as a Ballot Inspector.

The meeting was begun at 10:50 a.m. by the Moderator who read the Warrant.

Richard Ackerman moved that the District apply for, accept, and appropriate during the current 1985-86 school year, the sum of thirty-six dollars (\$36,000) which the School District anticipates receiving in State Foundation Aid (Augenblick Plan Funds); said monies to be in addition to, and not revenue against, monies raised and appropriated at the March 1985 Annual School District Meeting; and said monies to be expended for the following purposes:

Capital Reserve Fund	\$ 5,000
Architectural Fees (gym)	5,000
Instruction (part time Art & Guidance)	11,000
Instructional Materials	5,000
Insulation	4,000
Commercial Dishwasher	6,000

The motion was seconded by Chris Probst.

The Moderator explained that only a total money figure can be decided. It is up to the School Board to decide how it is to be spent within the six items listed. Mike Yatsevitch stated that any money not appropriated would go toward the reduction of property taxes in 1985. It was also stated that since the Warrant was prepared, the funded amount was now expected to be \$57,194.

Richard Ackerman and Chris Probst agreed to modify their motion to have it state that any funds not allocated be returned to the Town for the reduction of taxes.

After some discussion, Louis Haas made the motion to amend the main motion from the sum of \$36,000 to the sum of \$46,000 to be expended for the six listed items with \$10,000 being returned to the taxpayers. Bob Ballard seconded. After discussion, the motion to amend was defeated on a voice vote.

Henry Homeyer made the motion to amend the main motion to have the Town accept all \$57,194 to be expended for the listed educational improvements. the motion was seconded by Shubael Butterfield.

Robert Jaarsma asked that the excess funds be added to the Capital Reserve Fund. The motion to amend was passed on a voice vote.

There followed a discussion of the six items marked for funding of the Architectural Fees. Michael Fuss asked that some extra money be added to the amount requested for the area of Instructional Materials, at least \$10,000 as a total figure. There were no comments on Insulation and the Commercial



Dishwasher. The motion was passed on a paper ballot by checklist vote of 69 people in favor and 9 people opposed.

The motion to adjourn by Stan Colby which was seconded by Bob Ballard was voted in the affirmative by a voice vote. The Moderator adjourned th meeting at 12:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Kathryn Patterson  
School District Clerk

## P T O REPORT

The Cornish Parent Teacher Organization has concluded another successful year in our continuing effort to support our school and community. Proceeds from the Book Fair, school calendar drive, food sales at Bingo, school pictures and the Corn Booth at the Cornish Fair have enabled us to support or sponsor various youth and community oriented activities.

We continue our support of physical education through the purchase of athletic equipment. Our contributions to the school's computer program have helped our students to increase their computer skills. We have helped sponsor field trips and other cultural arts activities. In addition, we have organized school dances, a town Halloween Party, Candidates Night and a School Open House. We also held our annual Current Events Quiz, in which our students again defeated their parents. New this year was a very successful effort to celebrate the arts. Featured over a period of days was an artist in residence, a student choral presentation and many artistic and literary works displayed by our students.

The PTO remains an active community oriented organization, not just for the parents of our students but for anyone interested in the education and improvements of our youth.

It has been a pleasure to serve you as President of the PTO for the past two years. Many thanks to the Executive Board, the School Board, the Principal and teachers, and the community for their support and cooperation.

Christopher Probst  
President PTA

## HOT LUNCH PROGRAM

During the 1984-85 school year the Cornish School Hot Lunch Program served a total of 20,637 lunches, an average of 115 per day.

The program served 16,154 lunches at full price, 2,053 at reduced price, 882 adult lunches, and 1,548 free lunches. The program also served 5,835 cartons of milk for those who brought their own lunch.

Again this year, on behalf of the students, parents, and staff of Cornish School, I would like to recognize Frances Ackerman (28th year) and Norma Gracia (14th) for their continued dedication and service to Cornish School. Thanks to their hard work, a meal at Cornish School is a special treat.

I also wish to thank those who continue to support the Lunch Program through food donations. We look forward to continuing to provide the students with a nutritious and delicious lunch.

Tim Luce  
Hot Lunch Director

## SCHOOL NURSE REPORT

To The Citizens Of Cornish:

During the 1984-85 school year all students were checked several times for pediculosis and scabies. The incidence was very low.

All students were weighed and measured for height and the results were recorded on their permanent records.

The children were all screened for vision and hearing. Of the 193 children tested for hearing, 19 were retested and 7 referred for further evaluation. Of the 193 children checked for vision, 9 were referred for further evaluation.

Of the 22 children entering Kindergarten all of them were up to date on their immunizations and all had had their physicals.

I offered guidance in the area of health and hygiene to some students. I also worked closely with students in grades 6 - 8 and Mrs. Platt in the area of human growth and development.

The State Dental Hygienist came to the school 3 times during the year to screen the teeth of students in grades 1 - 6 and to educate them on good dental hygiene. We had 104 of these students participating in a dry brushing routine everyday and fluoride rinse once a week which I dispensed.

Of the 193 children all except 13 were up to date on their immunizations. Checking all records and sending letters home to parents took a great deal of time. I would like to thank all parents for their cooperation in helping to get the health records up to date.

I have enjoyed the past year in Cornish working with the staff and children.

Respectfully submitted,  
Joyce Gogan  
School Nurse

**REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER  
FOR THE  
FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 1984 TO JUNE 30, 1985**

**SUMMARY**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1984		\$ 17,645.03
Received from Selectmen	\$ 626,409.00	
Revenue from State Sources	5,388.71	
Revenue from Federal Sources	35,477.45	
Revenue from Trust Funds	32.05	
Received from Other Sources	<u>6,226.28</u>	
 <b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>		 673,533.49
 Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		 691,178.52
Less School Board Orders Paid		<u>680,698.20</u>
 <b>BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1985</b>		 \$ 10,480.32

**SPECIAL FUNDS**

Balance as of June 30, 1985		
Glenn Smith Memorial Fund		\$ 256.73
Library Fund		28.99
Gratia T. Huggins Memorial Fund		8,438.95
Ellsworth Atwood Memorial Fund		503.73
Eberhardt Scholarship Fund		503.73
Harriet D. Runnals Memorial Fund		1,270.00

Lorraine Lawrence  
District Treasurer

**SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT 6  
ADMINISTRATIVE'S SALARIES  
1985-1986**

ADMINISTRATORS	Claremont 85.2	Cornish 8.67	Unity 6.13	TOTAL
Richard F. Waldo	\$ 34,642	\$ 3,525	\$ 2,493	\$ 40,600
Frank V. Daly	29,820	3,035	2,145	35,000
Robert G. Baron	23,004	2,340	1,656	27,000

## ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON FINANCIAL PRESENTATION

To The Member of the School Board  
Cornish School District  
Cornish, New Hampshire

We have examined the combined financial statements and the combining fund financial statements of the Cornish School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 1985, as listed in the accompanying table of contents. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

As described in Note 1B, the combined financial statements referred to above do not include financial statements of the General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts, which should be included to conform with generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, except that omission of the General Fixed Asset Group of Accounts results in an incomplete presentation as explained in the above paragraph, the combined financial statements and the combining fund financial statements referred to above present fairly the financial position of the Cornish School District at June 30, 1985 and the results of its operations for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Our examination was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the combined financial statements taken as a whole. The combining fund financial statements and supplemental schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the combined financial statements of the Cornish School District. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the examination of the combined financial statements and, in our opinion, is stated fairly in all material respects in relation to the combined financial statements taken as a whole.

Carri - Plodzic - Sanderson

CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT

NAME	DEGREE	TEACHING EXP. 6-85	SALARY 1983-84	SALARY 1984-85	SALARY 1985-86	BC/BS PER MONTH
Carla Belcher	B	1	\$	\$ 11,515	\$ 12,516	S/\$77.31
Resource Room * Ruth Cassidy						
Chapter 1	B	0		12,000		S/\$77.31
Linda Coolidge						
Grade 1	B	11	13,690	14,420	15,675	D/\$154.62
Rita Luce						
Reading	B	3	11,200	11,930	12,968	
Thomas Luce						
Grade 4	B	7	12,030	12,760	14,196	D/\$154.62
Ruth Little						
English	B	8			15,675	F/\$208.74
Sandra Platt						
Science	B	10	13,275	14,005	15,223	F/\$208.74
Margaret Regan	M					
Principal	CAGS	15		25,000	26,500	F/\$208.74
Carole Schuschu						
Grade 3	B	12	14,105	14,835	16,126	F/\$208.74
Ruth Schneider						
Grade 2	B	20	16,595	17,325	18,832	D/\$154.62
Caroline Storrs						
Kindergarten (1/2 days)	B	8	12,445	Maternity Leave	7,160	F/\$208.74
Evelyn Willson						
Math	B	11	13,900	14,720	16,001	S/\$77.31

\* Federal Funds



**CORNISH SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET  
1986-87**

BUDGET NUMBER	DISCRIPTION	EXPENDED 1984-85	BUDGET 1985-86	PROPOSED 1986-87	INCREASE/ DECREASE
	<b>REGULAR EDUCATION PROGRAMS</b>				
1100 101	Teachers' Salary	\$ 141,853	\$ 141,434)	\$ 178,229	+ \$ 21,795
	.... <b>Augenblick (Art &amp; Guidance)</b>		<b>15,000)</b>		
1100 102	Substitutes	2,455	1,700	2,550	+ 850
1100 106	Aides	3,579	3,312	3,600	+ 288
	<b>OTHER THAN INSTRUCTIONAL</b>				
1100 211	Group Health Insurance	17,949	22,296	23,980	+ 1,684
1100 214	Workman's Compensation	1,336	1,628	1,600	- 28
1100 221	Employee Retirement	706	799	700	- 99
1100 222	Teacher Retirement	1,592	2,203	3,300	+ 1,097
1100 224	Retired Teacher Retirement	1,112	1,776	1,700	- 76
1100 230	FICA	15,203	15,648	18,666	+ 3,018
1100 260	Unemployment Compensation	709	612	1,306	+ 694
1100 271	Staff Development	1,115	1,600	2,928	+ 1,328
1100 273	Term Life Insurance	0	0	400	+ 400
1100 611	Teaching Supplies	3,160	4,000	4,000	
1100 631	Textbooks	3,589	2,700)	4,000	- 8,700
	.... <b>Augenblick</b>		<b>10,000)</b>		
1100 632	Workbooks	2,514	3,500	3,850	- 350
1100 741	New Educational Equipment	352	500	275	- 225
1100 742	Replacement of Instructional Equipment	98	2,150	295	- 1,855
1100 751	Furniture	312	800	4,115	+ 3,315
	<b>CO—CURRICULUM ACTIVITIES</b>				
1410 314	Cultural Arts	150	350	350	
1430 897	Field Trips	358	400	400	
	<b>ATHLETICS</b>				
1450 108	Athletic Salaries	2,910	3,120	3,525	+ 405

1450 391	Referees/Police	690		800	+	200
1450 752	Athletic Equipment/Material	865		700		
2110 114	<b>SUPPORT SERVICES</b>	0		50		
	Truant Officer					
2132 112	<b>HEALTH SERVICES</b>					
2132 611	Salary	1,710	1,830	1,940	+	110
	Health Supplies	157	150	175	+	25
2210 641	<b>IMPROVEMENT OF INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES</b>					
2213 330	Publications	157	150	200	+	50
2221 312	Purchasing Professional Services	1,513	0	0		
2221 312	Testing	347	500	550	+	50
2221 313	Regional Center Educational Services	855	998	1,000	+	2
	Competency Services			500	+	500
2222 101	<b>LIBRARIES</b>					
2223 635	Librarian Salary	5,140	5,455	5,783	+	328
2223 660	Library Materials	1,196	1,400	1,500	+	100
	Audio Visual Materials	171	250	750	+	500
2311 595	<b>GENERAL ADMINISTRATION</b>					
2311 811	School Board Salaries	1,000	1,000	1,000		
2311 985	Dues NHSBA	755	775	1,320	+	545
2313 384	School Board Expenses	42	150	150		
2314 387	District Treasurer	99	200	200		
2315 388	Election Clerks	114	100	100		
2316 551	Supervisor of Checklist	139	100	125	+	25
2317 382	Legal Services	297	1,000	1,000		
2319 385	Annual Report	30	475	400	-	75
2319 396	Auditors	1,100	600	1,500	+	900
2312 383	District Clerk	0	30	30		
	District Moderator	0	15	15		
	Census	0	250	0	-	250

**OTHER SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION SERVICES**

2410 111	Principals Salary	25,000	26,500	27,500	+	1,000
2410 118	Secretary's Salary	9,348	10,248	10,863	+	615
2410 801	Principals Fund	100	100	100		
2410 811	Dues/Expenses/Courses	375	1,000	500	-	500
2410 541	Procurement Services/Advertising	74	100	150	+	50
2410 551	Procurement Services/Printing	167	500	500		
2410 611	Supplies	90	0	200	+	200
2410 532	Postage/Supplies	246	250	275	+	25
2410 892	Graduation	100	100	100		

**INSURANCE**

2541 525	Insurance	1,217	3,252	6,000	+	2,748
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**OPERATION & MAINTENANCE OF PLANT**

2541 115	Custodian Salary	14,629	15,423	16,349	+	926
2541 611	Custodian Supplies	2,825	2,750	2,950	+	200
2542	Telephone	1,468	1,600	1,800	+	200
2542 651	Gas	387	400	400		
2542 652	Electricity	5,976	7,000	7,000		
2542 653	Oil		10,500	9,500	-	1,000
2542	....Augenblick		10,000	0		10,000
	Dishwasher & Insulation					

**OTHER PLANT SERVICES**

2541 443	General Building Repairs	746	1,200	1,000	-	200
2541 442	Contracted Services (Spec.)	8,325	2,570	4,485	+	1,915
	....Blacktopping	0	1,600	0	-	1,600
	....Asbestos Removal	0	10,000	0	-	10,000
	....Roof Repair	0	0	7,180	+	7,180
2541 431	Rubbish Removal	304	900	1,000	+	100
2541 435	Other Contracted Services	1,182	1,100	1,100		
2541 441	Repair of Educational Equipment	955	800	800		
2541 742	Replacement of Equipment/Tools	3,511	300	300		

2551 513	<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>								
	Transportation					54,372	49,700	52,000	+ 2,300
	....Dingleton	\$10,000							
	....High School	14,500							
	....Elementary	26,000							
	....Extra-Curricular	1,500							
2520 211	<b>FOOD SERVICES</b>								
	District Monies					300	450	450	
	....Conference	\$150							
	....Director	300							
4000	.... <b>Augenblick (Architectural Fees)</b>					<b>0</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>0</b>	- <b>5,000</b>
5250 811	<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>								
	Transfer to Capital Reserve					1,000	1,000)	1,000	- 17,194
	.... <b>Augenblick</b>					<b>0</b>	<b>17,194)</b>	<b>0</b>	
5550 111	Previous Year Accounts Payable					2,145			
1100 561	<b>TUITION</b>								
	Stevens					234,223	238,500	218,359	- 20,141
	....Hartford							7,393	+ 7,393
	....Hanover							2,431	+ 2,431
1900 101	<b>SPECIAL EDUCATION</b>								
	Teacher					6,066	12,516	14,568	+ 2,052
	Special Technical Assistance						4,000	4,000	
	Supplies					505	600	660	+ 60
	Transportation					18,610	12,500	20,500	+ 8,000
	Tuition - Claremont Elementary					5,601	19,184	12,000	- 7,184
	Tuition - Stevens					3,528	6,506	5,000	- 1,506
	Tuition - Norwich Day Care					10,242	0	0	
	Tuition - Hartford Skills Center					4,363	7,300	8,175	+ 875
	Tuition - Oxbow					3,701	0	0	
	Visually Impaired					830	0	850	+ 850
	Speech Therapy					180	0	1,000	+ 1,000
1900	Physical Therapy					352	0	500	+ 500

**OTHER SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION SERVICES**

2410 111	Principal's Salary	25,000	26,500	27,500	+	1,000
2410 118	Secretary's Salary	9,348	10,248	10,863	+	615
2410 801	Principal's Fund	100	100	100		
2410 811	Dues/Expenses/Courses	375	1,000	500	-	500
2410 541	Procurement Services/Advertising	74	100	150	+	50
2410 551	Procurement Services/Printing	167	500	500		
2410 611	Supplies	90	0	200	+	200
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2542 652	Electricity	5,976	7,000	7,000		
2542 653	Oil		10,500	9,500	-	1,000
2542	....Augenblick		10,000	0		10,000
	Dishwasher & Insulation					

**OTHER PLANT SERVICES**

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2541 442	Contracted Services (Spec.)	8,325	2,570	4,485	+	1,915
	....Blacktopping	0	1,600	0	-	1,600
	....Asbestos Removal	0	10,000	0	-	10,000
	....Roof Repair	0	0	7,180	+	7,180
2541 431	Rubbish Removal	304	900	1,000	+	100
2541 435	Other Contracted Services	1,182	1,100	1,100		
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2551	513	<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>							
		Transportation			54,372	49,700	52,000	+	2,300
		....Dingleton	\$10,000						
		....High School	14,500						
		....Elementary	26,000						
		....Extra-Curricular	1,500						
2520	211	<b>FOOD SERVICES</b>							
		District Monies		300		450	450		
		....Conference	\$150						
		....Director	300						
4000		.... <b>Augenblick (Architectural Fees)</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,000</b>
5250	811	<b>CAPITAL OUTLAY</b>							
		Transfer to Capital Reserve		1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	-	17,194
		.... <b>Augenblick</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>17,194</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		
5550	111	Previous Year Accounts Payable		2,145					
1100	561	<b>TUITION</b>							
		Stevens		234,223	238,500	218,359	218,359	-	20,141
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		....Hanover				2,431	2,431	+	2,431
1900	101	<b>SPECIAL EDUCATION</b>							
		Teacher		6,066	12,516	14,568	14,568	+	2,052
		Special Technical Assistance			4,000	4,000	4,000	+	
		Supplies		505	600	660	660	+	60
		Transportation		18,610	12,500	20,500	20,500	+	8,000
		Tuition - Claremont Elementary		5,601	19,184	12,000	12,000	-	7,184
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		Tuition - Oxbow		3,701	0	0	0		
		Visually Impaired		830	0	850	850	+	850
		Speech Therapy		180	0	1,000	1,000	+	1,000
		Physical Therapy		352	0	500	500	+	500



## TUITION STUDENTS

### CLAREMONT:

#### Grade 12

Jonathan Alves  
Lisa Baillargeon  
Richard Bleasard  
Karen Brady  
Ronald Brunetti  
Amy Dezan  
Michael Duval  
Kristen Evans  
Keith Jones  
Karin Melone  
Connie Morse  
Robin Quick  
Lara Randall  
Jason Rook  
Daniel Sheary  
Denise Toman  
Darcy Whiteley

#### Grade 11

Robin Bailey  
Peter Hills  
Sean Howard  
Wendi Howard  
Robin Ingalls  
Stephen Lord  
Lisa Morse  
Michael Sartwell  
Troy Simino  
James Therriault

#### Grade 10

Tammy Abbott  
Russell Amison  
John Bannister  
Patty Braden  
Brian Charles  
Eric Cooper  
Richard Cota  
Rebecca Decatur  
Robin Downing  
Robert Eberhardt  
Christopher Elhardt  
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**Hartford Vocational School (1)**

**Hartford High School (3)**

**Day Care of Norwich (1)**

**Claremont Primary School (1)**

**Claremont Developmental Prog. (1)**

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## GYMNASIUM COMMITTEE REPORT

The committee 1. has determined that there is a need in the town of Cornish for a multipurpose building, 2. has determined that it would be feasible to construct a building adjacent to the elementary school, and 3. will present to the school district meeting architectural sketches and cost estimates for a possible building.

A multipurpose building could be used for: physical education classes, athletics, assemblies, music, drama, town and school district meetings, office space for the selectmen and the town clerk, and storage.

The committee learned from Douglas Brown of the State Department of Education that Building Aid Fund money is available to pay 30% of the annual principal payment on a debt. A bond issue for a new building would require a 2/3 vote of the school district.

In conjunction with the committee's work, the school board has obtained a survey of school property, retained Soils Engineering Inc. to do soil analysis borings, and consulted with the architectural firm of Fleck and Lewis concerning specifications for a building.

### COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO HAVE SERVED ON THIS COMMITTEE:

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