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# **ANNUAL REPORTS**

**of the Commissioners, Treasurer  
and other County Officers**

# **STRAFFORD**

# **COUNTY**

**New Hampshire**

**For the Year Ending  
DECEMBER 31, 1973**



COUNTY OFFICERS 1973

# 1973 REPORT

of the

## County Commissioners

## County Treasurer

and other Officers of

## Strafford County

for the year ending

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## COUNTY OFFICERS 1973

### Commissioners

George A. Young, Chairman                      Rochester, N. H.  
Neil H. Robinson, Vice-Chairman              Dover, N. H.  
Paul J. Dumont, Clerk                              Gonic, N. H.

### Attorney

T. Casey Moher                                      Dover, N. H.

### Sheriff

Harold R. Knight                                  Durham, N. H.

### Clerk of Superior Court

Richard H. Keefe                                  Dover, N. H.

### Judge of Probate Court

William E. Galanes                                Dover, N. H.

### Registrar of Deeds

Marjorie E. Holmes                                Dover, N. H.

### Registrar of Probate

Margaret W. Ogden                                Dover, N. H.

### Treasurer

Leo Cormier                                        Rochester, N. H.

### Medical Referee

Paul C. Young, M. D.                              Durham, N. H.

### Administrator of County Home and Jail

Victor L. Hamel                                    Rochester, N. H.

### Chaplains

Rev. Leo K. Ryan                                  Dover, N. H.  
Rev. F. Georges L. Auger                        Dover, N. H.  
Rev. Victor B. Osborne, Sr.                      Dover, N. H.

### Physicians

Paul M. Choate, M. D.                            Durham, N. H.  
Richard H. Watson, M. D.                        Durham, N. H.

### Auditors

Joseph E. Grimes                                Dover, N. H.  
Raymond V. Jones, Jr.                            Rochester, N. H.

## STRAFFORD COUNTY DELEGATION 1973

Roger O. Boisse	Ward 1	Dover
Max W. Leighton	Ward 1	Dover
*Mary E. Bernard	Ward 2	Dover
Helen R. Donnelly	Ward 2	Dover
*William Kincaid	Ward 3	Dover
*Roderick O'Connor	Ward 3	Dover
Aram Parnagian	Ward 4	Dover
Harriet Richardson	Ward 4	Dover
Charlotte Cogswell	Ward 5	Dover
Anthony McManus	Ward 5	Dover
Raymond Peabody	Ward 6	Dover
*Harry Pray	Ward 6	Dover
*Patrick Tanner	Ward 1	Rochester
Thelma Tibbetts	Ward 1	Rochester
*John H. Ineson	Ward 2	Rochester
Barbara C. Thompson	Ward 2	Rochester
*Alfred J. Ruel	Ward 3	Rochester
*Noreen Winkley	Ward 3	Rochester
J. Paul LaRoche	Ward 4	Rochester
**Donald Sylvain, deceased 9/20/73	Ward 4	Rochester
replaced by Arthur D. Gagnon	Ward 4	Rochester
Howell F. Preston	Ward 5	Rochester
*J. Thornton Tripp	Ward 5	Rochester
Helen Maloomian	Ward 1 & 4	Somersworth
*John H. Meserve	Ward 2	Somersworth
*Peter N. Chasse	Ward 3	Somersworth
Roland Hebert	Ward 3	Somersworth
David Bouchard	Ward 5	Somersworth
*Ruth T. Rowell		Barrington
John A. Beckett		Durham
Dudley W. Dudley		Durham
Richard Plummer		Madbury
*Loring V. Tirrell		Durham
*Ruth Dawson		Milton
Harvey Sheldon		Strafford
*Grace L. Joncas		Rollinsford
Ralph Canney		Farmington
Robert B. Hunt, resigned		Farmington
replaced by Walter Colby		Farmington

\* Executive Committee

\*\* Deceased

**Delegation Organization Meeting  
State House, Concord  
January 10, 1973**

Meeting called to order by Rep. Ineson at 12 a.m. to elect Chairman, Vice Chairman, Clerk, and members of the Executive Committee for 1973-74.

Members present were:

Dawson, Canney, Harvey, Rowell, Dudley, Plumer, Tirrell, Joncas, Bouchard, Maloomian, Chasse, Hebert, Meserve, Tibbetts, Tanner, Ineson, Thompson, Ruel, Winkley, LaRoche, Sylvain, Preston, Tripp, Boisse, Leighton, Bernard, Donnelly, Kincaid, O'Connor, Parnagian, Richardson, McManus, Peabody, Pray.

Absent were:

Hunt, Cogswell, Beckett. Moved by Leighton, seconded by Chasse, Tirrell was elected Chairman, Pro. Tem., and so voted. Moved by Pray, seconded by Parnagian, Bernard was elected Clerk, Pro. Tem., and so voted.

Chairman Tirrell, Pro. Tem. stated that the purpose of the meeting was to elect Delegation Officers and the Executive Committee.

LaRoche offered an amendment which would elect twelve (12) members on the Executive Committee, Chairman, Vice Chairman ex-officio. Clerk also ex-officio. Discussion ensued. Moved by Winkley, seconded by Ruel, the amendment be adopted. Motion carried— one dissenting.

Nominations opened:

Moved by Leighton, seconded by Chasse, Ineson nominated for Chairman.

Moved by Parnagian, seconded by Kincaid, Pray nominated for Chairman.

Leighton moved nominations closed, seconded by Maloomian. Chair appointed Bouchard and Kincaid, Tellers.

Delegation vote: Ineson — 28; Pray — 8.

Ineson elected Chairman and so voted.

Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Ruel, Tanner nominated for Vice Chairman.

Moved by Winkley, seconded by Kincaid, Donnelly nominated for Vice Chairman.

Moved by Tirrell, seconded by Tripp, Thompson nominated for Vice Chairman.

Moved by Parnagian, seconded by Leighton, Pray was nominated for Vice Chairman.

Moved by Parnagian, seconded by Leighton Dawson was nominated for Vice Chairman.

Moved by Tirrell, seconded by Parnagian, nominations closed and so voted.

Donelly, Dawson, and Pray withdrew.

Votes cast: Tanner — 17; Thompson — 2.

Tanner, not having the necessary 18 votes for election, nominations re-opened.

Moved by Dudley, seconded by LaRoche, Tanner was again nominated.

Moved by Meserve, seconded by Tirrell, Thompson was again nominated.

Votes cast: Tanner — 21; Thompson — 12.

Tanner elected Vice Chairman.

Moved by Chasse, seconded by Parnagian, Bernard nominated for Clerk.

Leighton moved nominations closed, seconded by Parnagian. Clerk cast one ballot and so voted.

Chairman Ineson granted a recess for Cities and Towns to elect members for nominations to the Executive Committee.

The following Representatives were nominated by LaRoche, seconded by Winkley, and so voted.

Ruth Dawson	R Milton	Alfred Ruel	D Rochester
Ruth T. Rowell	R Barrington	Noreen Winkley	D Rochester
Loring V. Tirrell	R Durham	J. Thornton Tripp	R Rochester
Grace I. Joncas	D Rollinsford	William Kincaid	R Dover
Peter N. Chasse	D Somersworth	Roderick O'Connor	D Dover
John H. Meserve	R Somersworth	Harry Pray	R Dover

Chairman, John Ineson	R Rochester
Vice Chairman, Patrick Tanner	D Rochester
Clerk, Mary E. Bernard	D Dover

On motion of Leighton, seconded by Tirrell, the meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

An Executive meeting will be held January 22, 1973, at 7:30 p.m., Riverside Rest Home, requested by the Commissioners, to authorize the Commissioners to authorize the Treasurer to borrow \$750,000.00 in anticipation of Taxes for 1973.



**State of New Hampshire  
County of Strafford**

I, John H. Ineson, Chairman of the County Convention of Strafford County, New Hampshire, certify that at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the County Convention held Monday, January 22, 1973 at Riverside Rest Home, Dover, New Hampshire at which meeting each member of the committee was duly notified and at which a quorum was present, the following vote was unanimously passed, all of which appears upon the official records of the committee in my custody.

Chairman John Ineson read the formal request made by the County Treasurer to the County Commissioners for the borrowing of \$750,000.00 in the form of a tax anticipation loan.

Motion made by Harry Pray, seconded by Peter Chasse, that the County Treasurer be authorized to bring out formal bids for a loan of \$750,000.00 to be borrowed in anticipation of taxes. Roll call, on motion, unanimously passed by the members present. There were 13 members of the Executive Committee present. VOTED: That approval is hereby given to the Treasurer borrowing the sum of \$750,000.00 upon the order of the County Commissioners pursuant to RSA 29:8 and RSA 91-A:2.

**JOHN H. INESON, CHAIRMAN**  
Clerk of County Convention

Dated: January 23, 1973

**Strafford County Legislative Delegation to the General Court:  
Executive Committee Meeting  
January 30, 1973  
State House, Concord, New Hampshire**

Roll Call:

Absent, Mary Bernard, Peter Chasse, and Noreen Winkley.

**Agenda**

Item No. 1: To review the appropriations and expenditures of the 1972 County Budget for the final calendar quarter, ending December 31, 1972.

Motion by Roderick O'Connor, to accept the County Commissioners expenditures of 1972 and the budget as printed. Seconded by Loring V. Tirrell. Adopted by unanimous vote.

Motion to adjourn at 3:30 p.m.

**JOHN H. INESON, CHAIRMAN**  
Strafford County Legislative Delegation

**Executive Committee Meeting on County Budget  
Strafford County Court House  
February 5, 1973**

Chairman Ineson called meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present were:

Ineson, Tanner, Bernard, Rowell, Tirrell, Joncas, Chasse, Ruel, Winkley, Tripp, Kincaid, O'Connor, and Pray.

Discussion of the 1973 county budget was in order.

Registrar of Deeds, Marjorie Holmes, explained her request for an increase \$3,805.58 was due to increase in salaries 5.5% (cost of living) and another employee, bringing the total to (3) employees.

The Sheriff's increase of \$2,000.00 was, as Sheriff Knight explained, to put him in line with other County Sheriff's salaries, (20% increase). He said, he is on call or on the road 24 hours a day, 7 days a week; and the cost of living has gone up. County Commissioners explained a raise in salary for the Clerk on Nov. 1, 1972 from \$4,854.41 to \$5,841.68 put her in line with N. H. State pay grade. Sheriff Knight also said his department assists other cities when called upon.

Welfare Budget is under \$37,001.06. Mrs. Cheney being questioned as to there being enough in her budget said there is sufficient. Due to cost of living expenses there is 5.5% increase in salaries.

Commissioners explained administration increase due to salaries 5.5% and books being audited every 2 months. Cost going from \$50.00 — \$100.00. Accounts of County Attorney, Court House maintenance, Medical referee, Superior Court were reviewed next.

On motion of Chasse, seconded by O'Connor, the meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

Meeting scheduled for Feb. 9, 1973, 7:30 p.m. Riverside Rest Home to continue review of the County Budget.

**Executive Committee Meeting on County Budget  
Riverside Rest Home  
February 9, 1973**

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Ineson at 7:45 p.m. to continue the reviewing of the Budget for 1973.

Present were:

Ineson, Tanner, Bernard, Tirrell, Joncas, Chasse, Ruel, Winkley, Tripp, Kincaid and O'Connor. Commissioners Dumont, Young, and Robinson were present to explain remainder of the Budget.

Administration:

#411 reflects increase in salaries 5.5% over	\$3,369.07
Property and related expenses, under	\$1,505.38
Plant operation, under	\$3,077.52

Dietary:

#521 Increase in salaries 5.5% and one extra employee over	\$ 987.01
Laundry & Services, under	\$ 562.20

Housekeeping:

#541 Increase in salaries 5.5% over one more employee — total 16	\$ 489.18
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Nursing:

#601 Increase in salaries 5.5%  
10 R. N.'s asking for one more  
68 aids  
6 L. P. N.'s asking for one more

Physician Care:

#711 Increase in salaries (2) physicians  
\$5,368.87 to \$8,000.00

Pharmacy:

#721 New Pharmacist, salary \$6,000.00 (revenue sharing)  
#722 Drug purchases \$11,000.00 (revenue sharing)

Ministerial services:

#779 over 181.30 due to increase in salary

Special services:

#781 Barber — increase in salary 5.5%

Manpower public employment program to be finished in June.

Jail:

#801 Increase in salaries 5.5%... 11 employees

Groundskeeping & Landscaping:

#901 Increase in salary 5.5%...

Capital Improvement Requests 1973:

Administration,		
Calculator	\$	275.00
County Car, (Beach Wagon)		4,434.00
2nd County Car — Administrator		<u>4,000.00</u>
	\$	8,709.00
Plant,		
City Water		\$13,000.00
Fire Sprinkler		1,000.00
Gas Pump		250.00
New Floor in Garage for Rehabilitation		1,000.00
Cemetery Fence		895.00
Hot Top Cross Rd. Intersection		4,500.00
Recondition Stanley Elevator		3,000.00
New T.V. Occup. Therapy Room		1,000.00
Lagoons and surrounding Bldgs.		3,250.00
Pharmacy		<u>12,000.00</u>
		\$39,895.00
Laundry,		
Laundry bag and holders	\$	451.80
Paint for floor		<u>300.00</u>
	\$	751.80
Dietary,		
Trash Compactor	\$	750.00
Jail,		
Typewriter	\$	280.00
Vacuum Cleaner		257.00
2-Drawer file cabinet		115.00
36 Mattresses @\$22.		<u>792.00</u>
	\$	1,444.00
Water Lien		
City of Dover	\$	<u>1,330.00</u>
Grand Total		\$52,879.80

On motion of Chasse, seconded by Ruel, meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Public Hearing, Court House  
February 15, 1973  
Subject: Budget for 1973**

Hearing called to order at 7:30. A quorum not present, postponed until 7:45. A quorum present.

Delegation members present:

Ineson, Bernard, Tanner, Beckett, Tirell, Bouchard, Maloomian, Chasse, Thompson, Ruel, Winkley, LaRoche, Sylvain, Preston, Tripp, Leighton, Kincaid, O'Connor, Pray, Parnagian, Richardson, Donnelly, Tibbetts, and Meserve.

Absent were:

Rowell, Dawson, Canney, Harvey, Hunt, Dudley, Plumer, Joncas, Hebert, Boisse, Cogswell, McManus, Peabody.

Chairman Ineson said, all questions would be directed to the Chair and each person would be heard in proper order and time.

Mr. Hamel said there were 200 patients at the home. Mr. Pratt questioned the increase in salaries. Commissioner Young answered, most everyone got a 5.5% increase.

Councilman Sherwood asked for a breakdown in salaries of Commissioners. Chairman Ineson explained, salaries set by Legislature.

Councilman Morrissette questioned the advantage of bringing in Government funds to help pay for manpower. He said, the Government comes with something for nothing, we buy it for one year for nothing and in two years the County pays for it.

Commissioner Robinson, it is not manpower and the budget reflects 5.5% increase in each department; there is also bonding for micro-filming. Program must be kept moving.

Mrs. Holmes explained her budget. An increase of 5.5% for salaries and she is requesting one more employee.

#139 Commissioner Robinson said this was for 2 new typewriters. Ch. Ineson— the typewriters were scratched and it's time they got new ones.

Mrs. Katz questioned Sheriff's Department. Sheriff Knight explained, the cost of his department as with the Court system, fluctuates from year to year depending on the number of crimes.

#121 County Attorney has requested more help in acquiring more information for the State's prosecution. Last year they ran out of money and had to stop criminal investigation. This was corroborated by the Commissioners. The courts are running 10 months session as opposed to 6 months. Sheriff Knight said he works 7 days a week, 24 hours a day, thus his request for an increase in salary.

#152 Councilman Morrissette said Sheriff's expenses should show how many deputies receive this sum. Taxpayers would understand it better.

Rep. Beckett started to ask questions and Ch. Ineson said Beckett could not ask questions. He was on the otherside of the rail, with the public and as a member of the Delegation, should sit with the Delegation.

Mayor Couture said the Capital improvements are in a "nice little category" and they show nothing about what was spent. He would like it broken down.

#210 Councilman Morrissette asked explanation. Ch. Ineson, it is impossible to tell the number of cases. Commissioner Robinson, last year there were 3 murder cases. Judge had to hire the Ramada Hotel to keep jurors overnight. Deputies stayed on guard over night, which was added expense.

#246 Commissioner Robinson, increase from \$55,000.00 to \$110,000.00. Interest on Bonds.

Dr. Weigman explained Strafford County Guidance Center.

State —	\$ 97,658.00	
County —	20,000.00	
Cities & Towns —	21,000.00	
Private —	12,000.00	
Fees —	14,000.00	
	<u>                    </u>	
	\$164,658.00	Total

Dr. Weigman said he would like to see it on Cities and Towns level. It would be more equitable. Ted Snell asked about the amount of revenues not shown. Commissioner Robinson, a letter was received from the Guidance Center, on Jan. 26th, asking the Commissioners for \$50,000.00. He said he is not against the Center but could not justify the increase from \$20,000.00 to \$50,000.00. Dr. Smith and others spoke in favor of the Center and the good they were doing. Commissioners Dumont and Young also spoke favorably of the Center.

#411 Commissioner Robinson explained mal-practice insurance is mandatory. Workmen's Compensation based on salaries. It covers Nurses, Aides, and L. P. N.'s.

#601 Sandra Balomenos questioned increase. Mrs. McKeon, Director of Nurses, explained, the increase was due to 5.5% increase and her request for extra employees— 1 R. N. and 2 L. P. N.'s and Aides. At present there are 53 full-time L. P. N.'s and 18 part-time. One nurse cares for 8 patients. Victor Hamel, Director and the Commissioners said the Home lost \$3.59 on each patient. Daily Cost is \$16.59. State pays \$13.59. There are 156 patients at the Home. Approximately 130 patients require full-time care.

The Pharmacy being questioned by several. Commissioner Robinson said, other Counties have this program. It is revenue sharing, the bills will be sent to the State. Next year the State will reimburse the County for the cost. The State does not give credit for over the counter drugs such as laxatives or aspirin.

#761 Commissioner Dumont said Physical Therapist was revenue sharing.

Upon being questioned, Capt. Gagne said there are now 11 guards at the Jail.

Mrs. Katz questioned the request for 2 new vehicles. Commissioner Robinson explained, the beach wagon used to take patients in town has 68,000 miles on it and the second car is for the Director. Councilman Sherwood asked why the Beach Wagon couldn't still be used.

Commissioner Young said the water lien \$1,330.00 was for City Water, which is now being used by the Home.

Councilman Morrisette questioned the Lagoons. Commissioner Dumont, this was for chlorination and repairs.

Councilman Morrisette said he would like to see the Budget cut to keep it from increasing so much each year.

On motion of Leighton, seconded by Bouchard, the Hearing adjourned at 10:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

Feb. 19, 1973, Monday, Court House  
Hearing & Review of Budget



**Executive Delegation Meeting  
Strafford County Court House  
February 19, 1973  
Budget: Review Continued**

Chairman Ineson called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Tirrell, Winkley, Joncas, Rowell, Chasse, O'Connor, and Pray.

Absent were:

Tanner, Dawson, Meserve, Ruel, Tripp, Kincaid.

#101 Chairman's Salary — same

V. Chairman and Clerk increase of \$1,250.00

Treasurer, increase to \$750.00

State Auditors, increase of \$200.00

Motion to accept by Pray, seconded by O'Connor — so voted.

Opposed by Tirrell and Winkley.

#131 Salaries, Register of Deeds.

Motion to accept by O'Connor, seconded by Tirrell — so voted. Opposed by Winkley.

#140A Judge of Probate

Motion by Pray, seconded by Chasse to accept — so voted, unanimous.

#142 Register of Probate

Motion of Tirrell, seconded by Winkley, to accept — so voted, unanimous.

#151 Sheriff's Department

Sheriff will give report Feb. 26, 1973

#172 Medical Referee

Motion to accept by Rowell, seconded by Chasse to accept. Vote unanimous.

#201 Superior Court

Motion to accept by Tirrell, seconded by Chasse. Vote unanimous.

#221 Welfare

Motion to accept by Chasse, seconded by Tirrell and O'Connor. Vote unanimous.

**#247** Strafford County Guidance

Motion by O'Connor, seconded by Tirrell, to increase \$20,000.00 to \$41,000.00. Motion by Winkley, seconded by Rowell, to table #247 — so voted, unanimous.

**#441** Administrator 5.5% increase in salary.

**#412** Assistant, Administrator, 12% increase.

**#426** Intercom and telephone for Pharmacy.

**#427** Beachwagon.

**#428A** Administrative Travel.

**#429** Advertising, Public Relations, etc.

**#440** Social Security, Taxes mandatory.

**#441** Employee's retirement (new) Riverside Jail.

**#442** Insurance, Building, Fire etc.

Motion to accept by O'Connor. No second, motion failed. Motion to adjourn at 9:40 p.m. by Tirrell, seconded by Chasse.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Executive Committee Meeting  
Strafford County Court House  
February 26, 1973 — 7:45 p.m.**

Chairman Ineson called the meeting to order to review the Budget.

Present were:

Ineson, Tanner, Bernard, Dawson, Rowell, Tirrell, Joncas, Chasse, Meserve, Ruel, Winkley, Tripp, Kincaid, O'Connor and Pray.

**#151** Salary of Sheriff

Discussion. Motion by Winkley, seconded by Tripp, to cut the entire Budget \$100,000.00. Delegation couldn't agree with that particular sum and asked how it could be done. No one knew. A Roll Call was asked by Winkley, seconded by Tripp. Voting: for 2 and 11 against, Winkley & Tripp minority. Majority against: Dawson, Tirrell, Rowell, Joncas,

Chasse, Meserve, Ruel, Kincaid, O'Connor and Pray. Motion lost. Motion by O'Connor, seconded by Meserve, to hold Sheriff's salary to 5.5%. Vote: 7 for and 3 against. Motion carried.

#181 Approved at last meeting.

#172 Approved.

#201-221 Superior Court approved.

#240 County Extension.

#244 Interest on Bonds.

#245 Interest, tax anticipation notes.

#246 Principal, long term notes \$130,000.00 cut to \$65,000.00 (in escrow).

#247 Tabled. Strafford Guidance Center.

Judge Cooper was then introduced by Chairman Ineson, and spoke to the committee on the need for an increase for the Strafford Guidance Center and said it is a most successful project. There are more and more people emotional because of instability. He cited alcohol as one of the basic problems. Girls 13-14 years of age are problems and are uptight after weekends with parents. Discussion and question period. A motion by O'Connor, seconded by Meserve, to remove #247 from the table and amend. Increase \$20,000.00 to \$41,500.00. A Roll Call was asked by O'Connor, seconded by Meserve. Vote 10-2 passed. In favor: Joncas, Dawson, Chasse, Meserve, Ruel, Winkley, Tripp, Kincaid, O'Connor and Pray. Against: Rowell and Tirrell.

Administration:

#411 Discussion Questioned by Tirrell.

#412 No action.

#421 No action.

#425 to #449

A motion to accept by Meserve, seconded by Meserve and Chasse. So voted.

#451 to #454

Motion to table till after meeting by Meserve, seconded by Winkley.

#511 to 519A

Motion to accept by Ruel, seconded by Meserve. So voted.

#521 to # 529

Motion to accept by Dawson, seconded by Joncas. So voted.

#531 to #539

Motion by Rowell to accept, seconded by Tripp. So voted.

#541 to #549

Motion by Tripp to accept, seconded by Rowell. So voted.

#240 to #252

Motion by Winkley, seconded by Dawson, to accept. So voted.

#711 to #718

Physician's Care, salaries, purchased services. Motion by Tirrell, seconded by Tripp, to reduce #711 from \$8,000.00 to \$6,000.00. Vote: 4-3. Motion carried.

Pharmacy:

#721 Salary (new) \$6,000.00.

#722 Drug purchases \$11,000.00.

#729 Supplies cut from \$1,000.00 to \$500.00.

#721 to #738

Motion by Dawson, seconded by Chasse, to accept. So voted.

#748 #761-#769

Motion by Ruel, seconded by Rowell, to accept. So voted.

#779 Ministerial Services:

Motion by Tripp, seconded by Joncas, to accept. So voted.

#781 to #792

Motion by Joncas, seconded by Chasse, to accept. So voted.

#801 Jail — 11 guards.

#804 Medical Services.

Motion by Meserve, seconded by Ruel, to reduce \$1,500.00 to \$1,000.00. So voted.

#806 to #820

Report to be given by Commissioners later.

#901 to #919

Groundskeeping and Landscaping. Salary. Motion by Ruel, seconded by Dawson, to accept. So voted.

Capital Improvements:

Calculator	\$ 275.00
County Beach Wagon	4,434.00
2nd County Car	4,000.00

Motion by Winkley, seconded by Dawson, to defer till next meeting March 2, 1973. Voting: for 5, against 2. Passed.

Plant:

City Water \$1,300.00 increased to \$1,330.00. Motion by O'Connor, seconded by Tirrell, so voted.

Fire Sprinkler	\$1,000.00
Gas Pump	250.00
New Floor	1,000.00
Cemetery Fence	895.00
Hot Top, Cross Rd.	4,500.00
Elevator, recondition	3,000.00
New T.V. Occup. Therapy Room	1,000.00
Lagoons & Surrounding Buildings	3,250.00

Pharmacy — \$12,000.00 decrease to \$6,000.00. Motion by Pray, seconded by Rowell, to adopt figures for Plant Operation. Vote unanimous.

Laundry — \$751.80. Motion to approve Laundry \$751.80 by Tirrell, seconded by Joncas. Vote unanimous.

Dietary — \$750.00

Jail:

Typewriter	\$ 280.00
Vacuum Cleaner	257.00
2-Drawer File Cabinet	115.00
36 Mattresses @ \$22.00 each	792.00
Total	<u>\$1,444.00</u>

Motion by Tripp, seconded by Winkley to adopt figures for Dietary and Jail. Vote unanimous.

#601 Salary, Director of Nursing

#601 Salaries, R. N.'s — 11

#611 Salaries, L. P. N.'s 10 + 1 new — 11

#621 Salaries, Aides — 53 full-time and 18 part-time

#629 Supplies

No action taken on above.

Chairman Ineson appointed Pray and O'Connor to consult with County Attorney on real estate taxes \$4,000.00 and report back at the March 2nd, 1973 meeting of the Executive Committee.

On motion by Tripp, seconded by Joncas, meeting adjourned at 10:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

Next meeting of the Executive Committee on Budget at Strafford County Court House, March 2, 1973 at 7:30 p.m.

**Strafford County Delegation Hearing on H.B. 237  
Strafford County Court House  
February 26, 1973 — 7:30 p.m.**

H.B. 237

Providing that the City of Rochester be the location of the proposed Strafford County Administration Building.

Chairman Ineson opened the Hearing at 7:30 p.m.

Present were:

Dawson, Harvey, Rowell, Dudley, Tirrell, Joncas, Bouchard, Chasse, Meserve, Tanner, Tibbetts, Ineson, Thompson, Ruel, Winkley, LaRoche, Sylvain, Preston, Tripp, Leighton, Bernard, Donnelly, Kincaid, O'Connor, Parnagian, Peabody and Pray.

Rep. Ruel, sponsor, presented H.B. 237 and explained it to the Delegation. He said he would like to see the new Court House built in Rochester and asked the Delegation to go along with H.B. 237.

A motion was then made by Rep. Peabody, H.B. 237 be reported, as Inexpedient to legislate, seconded by Rep. Kincaid. A vote of the Delegation was unanimously in favor of the motion.

There being no further business on the agenda, the Hearing adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Executive Committee Meeting  
Strafford County Court House  
March 2, 1973**

Meeting called to order by Chairman Ineson at 7:45 p.m. to continue reviewing the Budget for 1973.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Ruel, Tripp, Pray, Kincaid, Rowell, O'Connor, Dawson, Tirrell, Chasse and Tanner.

Executive Committee requested the Commissioners remain for a question and answer period.

#151 Salary of Sheriff 5.5%, approved, no reconsideration.

#257 Strafford Guidance Center, approved as amended.

#252 Law Enforcement Planning Council, approved.

#451 Real Estate Taxes \$4,000.00 cut to \$3,000.00. Chairman of sub-committee, Pray reported, County Attorney approved of the cut. Motion by Tirrell, seconded by Ruel, to cut Real Estate Taxes to \$3,000.00. Motion carried.

#521 Dietary approved.

#711 Salaries 5.5% approved.

2nd County Car — Administrator \$4,000.00

Motion by Kincaid, seconded by Ruel, that 2nd County Car be purchased. Motion carried.

Calculator \$275.00

Beach Wagon \$4,434.00

Motion by Kincaid, seconded by Dawson, Calculator and Beachwagon be purchased. Motion carried.

Commissioners called attention to the arch in front of Court House, needs repairing. No action taken at this time.

Motion by Dawson, seconded by Rowell, to put approximately \$60,000.00 in escrow. Motion carried.

Motion by Kincaid, seconded by Dawson, Capital Improvements be approved as amended. Motion carried.

On motion by Dawson, seconded by Tripp, Meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

Next meeting of entire Delegation at Riverside Rest Home Monday, March 12, 1973. Review and Adoption of the 1973 Budget.

**Strafford County Delegation  
Budget Meeting  
Riverside Rest Home  
March 12, 1973**

Meeting called to order at 1:45 p.m. by Chairman Ineson.

Present were:

Dawson, Canney, Harvey, Powell, Beckett, Dudley, Plumer, Tirrell, Joncas, Bouchard, Maloomian, Chasse, Hebert, Meserve, Tanner, Tibbetts, Ineson, Thompson, Ruel, Winkley, LaRoche, Sylvain, Preston, Tripp, Boisse, Leighton, Bernard, Donnelly, Kincaid, O'Connor, Richardson, McManus, Peabody and Pray.

Chairman Ineson presented the Budget as recommended by the executive committee.

Motion by Ruel, seconded by Richardson, new business to be taken up later. Carried.

#101 Discussion on Commissioner's request. Moved by McManus, seconded by Canney, salaries be kept at 5.5%. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to exclude Rod Hammond, assistant administrator. So voted: 13 in favor and 3 against.

#118 Moved by LaRoche to cut \$3,000.00 to \$2,000.00. Motion withdrawn by LaRoche. Moved by Ruel to eliminate #118 from Budget, seconded by McManus. Roll Call. 23 in favor and 1 against. Carried.

Discussion on salary of Clerk. Bouchard moved for reconsideration of #118, seconded by Kincaid. Motion lost. Moved by Boisse, seconded by Bouchard, Clerk to receive \$200.00 each session. Motion lost. Moved by Boisse, seconded by Donnelly, Clerk to receive \$5.00 each meeting. So voted.

#121 - #123

Moved by Thompson, seconded by Tibbetts. So voted.

#131 Moved by Ruel, seconded by Leighton. So voted.

#140A Moved by Kincaid, seconded by Leighton. So voted.



#142 Moved by Leighton, seconded by Kincaid. So voted.

#101 Commissioners salaries, 5.5%— \$10,776.25. Moved by O'Connor, seconded by Kincaid. So voted. Moved by Tirrell, seconded by Meserve, salaries of 3 commissioners be pooled and divided equally. So voted.

#151 Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid. So voted.

#152 Thompson asked for breakdown. Pray said there are 13 Deputies at \$22.00 per day. Tibbetts questioned fees. Dumont said, Attorney needs an extra employee for investigation. McManus said, same employees working under the department also get fees.

#151 Moved by Winkley, seconded by Donnelly, \$6,095.96 be retained. Voting: for 19 and against 12. Carried.

#160.1 Motion by Leighton, seconded by O'Connor, to delete \$8,000.00. Moved by McManus, seconded by O'Connor, to amend adding \$22,569.00, raising Sheriff's Budget to \$68,964.96.

Moved by Beckett, seconded by O'Connor, to take up new business. So voted.

#247 Strafford Guidance Center.

Canney requested explanation of expenditures. Chairman Ineson said salaries were \$132,430.00. Moved by Thompson, seconded by Ruel, #247 be adopted. So voted. In opposition: Canney, Bouchard, Donnelly. Resolution presented to Delegation by O'Connor, establishing a Strafford County Committee (7) members on Budget operating procedure, to be appointed by Chairman Ineson. Committee of (5) was suggested by Ineson. Moved by Winkley, seconded by Boisse, amendment be deferred to later date. Motion withdrawn by Winkley. Moved by Winkley, seconded by LaRoche, to table. So voted. Moved by O'Connor, seconded by LaRoche, #247 to be reconsidered. Motion lost.

#253 Strafford County Community Action's request, \$20,000.00. McManus, spoke in favor saying, this is a revenue sharing program, subsidized by O.E.O. Moved by McManus, seconded by LaRoche, not to exceed \$20,000.00. Motion carried. Reconsideration asked by Donnelly, seconded by Peabody. Motion lost.

- #181 Moved by McManus, seconded by O'Connor, to adopt. So voted.
- #172 Moved by O'Connor, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.
- #201 Moved by O'Connor, Seconded by Chasse, to adopt. So voted.
- #221 Moved by Leighton, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.
- #240 Moved by Ruel, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.
- #244 Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.
- #245 Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Ruel, to adopt. So voted.
- #246 Moved by Leighton, seconded by LaRoche, to adopt. So voted.
- #250 Moved by Peabody, seconded by Harvey, to adopt. So voted.
- #252 Moved by Tibbetts, seconded by Kincaid, removed from Budget. So voted.
- #411 Riverside Rest Home, Administrator 5.5.
- #412 Administrator's Assistant — \$8,900.32 — 5.5. Moved by Bouchard, seconded by McManus, to adopt. So voted.
- #451 Moved by Chasse, seconded by Plumer, to adopt. Carried. McManus disapproved.
- #511 Plant Operation — \$88,370.00. Moved by Leighton, seconded by Bouchard, to adopt. So voted.
- #521 Dietary — \$188,035.60. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.
- #531 Laundry, Linen & Services — \$46,924.00. Moved by Ruel, seconded by Tirrell, to adopt. So voted.
- #541 Housekeeping — \$72,414.00. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Chasse, to adopt. So voted.
- #601 Nursing — \$433,822.72. Moved by Tibbetts, seconded by LaRoche, to adopt. So voted.

#711 Physicians Care (#601) Winkley and Meserve abstained. Increase from \$6,300.00 to \$6,630.00. Moved by Tirrell, seconded by Leighton, to adopt. So voted: 15 for and 11 against.

#721 Pharmacy — \$17,500.00. Moved by Leighton, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

#738 Laboratory — \$500.00. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

#748 X Ray — \$250.00. Moved by Meserve, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

#761 Rehabilitation — \$8,800.00. Moved by Ruel, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

#779 Ministerial Services — \$1,000.00. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

#781 Other Special Services — \$5,687.64. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

#799 Manpower Program — \$3,011.00. Moved by Tirrell, seconded by Meserve, to adopt. So voted.

#801 Jail — \$92,830.90. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Meserve, to adopt. So voted.

#901 Groundskeeping & Landscaping — \$12,229.00. Moved by Ruel, seconded by Bouchard, to adopt. So voted.

#### Capital Improvements:

Administration — \$8,709.00. Motion by Winkley to buy one car at this time. Defeated. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Ruel, to adopt. So voted.

Plant Operation — \$34,225.00. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Ruel, to adopt. So voted.

Laundry — \$751.80. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Preston, to adopt. So voted.

Dietary — \$750.00. Moved by Tibbetts, seconded by Peabody, to adopt. So voted.

Jail — \$1,444.00. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to adopt. So voted.

Water Lien — \$1,330.00. Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Preston, to adopt. So voted.

Moved by LaRoche, seconded by Kincaid, to accept Grand Total, Capital Improvements — \$47,209.80. So voted.

#252 Moved by Meserve to reconsider, seconded by Bouchard. Motion lost.

Moved by Meserve to put \$800.00 back in budget, seconded by LaRoche. So voted.

Roll Call on Anticipated Revenues — \$979,287.80. 25 in favor and 10 against. So voted.

Roll Call on Total raised by taxes — \$986,176.58. So voted.

Roll Call on Total Budget — \$2,026,619.55. So voted. 24 in favor and 11 against.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m. on motion of Tirrell, seconded by Meserve.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Strafford County Delegation Meeting**  
**Strafford County Court House**  
**April 13, 1973**  
**Subject: H.B. 247**

Meeting was called to order by Ch. Ineson at 7:15 p.m.

Present were:

Chasse, Leighton, Canney, Preston, Tibbetts, Sylvain, Ineson, LaRoche, Tripp, Ruel, Winkley, Tanner, Kincaid, Bernard, Richardson, Donnelly, Boisse, Thompson, Peabody, Parnagian and O'Connor.

Chairman Ineson then turned the meeting over to Councilman Maglaras, who explained from a map, the route of the triangle leading to the Spaulding Turnpike and what it would mean to the City of Dover. A discussion ensued.

O'Connor said H.B. 247 could be in trouble with four lanes and proposed a two lane highway.

Parnagian suggested appointing a sub-committee of seven. Motion by Parnagian, seconded by O'Connor, the Chairman appoint a sub-committee of seven. Vote unanimous.

Peabody asked Councilman Maglaras about the procedure in obtaining the land. Councilman Maglaras said we could negotiate and buy but not take the land by eminent domain.

LaRoche said he preferred a two lane highway and the toll would help pay for it, especially by the out of staters.

Ruel said he attended the hearing on H.B. 247. He said if a four lane highway wasn't built a two lane would be and could be bonded for 30 years, and would bring more business to this area.

Winkley spoke about a secondary road west side of railroad tracks through Lee and Milton.

Leighton said he also attended the hearing on H.B. 247.

Thompson questioned four lanes and where it would end. Senator Greene mentioned the fact that some people are opposed to it.

Tanner said, it is a losing battle and he preferred a two lane to by-pass Milton and it would cut about 25% of the cost.

Tibbetts questioned the cost and Tanner said Commissioner Whitaker had no idea about the number of miles and therefore couldn't give a figure. He preferred a four lane highway to Berlin.

Donnelly asked about the toll charge. It would be ten cents for Dover, twenty cents for Rochester and Milton and forty cents for Hampton. Chairman Ineson questioned how the excess traffic would be taken care of if there were no highway.

Senator Johnson said he is interested in the report by Councilman Maglaras and suggested a new package deal that would be agreeable to all.

O'Connor said H.B. 247 is in the sub-committee of the Public Works Committee at present and the amendment will be introduced in the appropriations committee.

Councilman Maglaras then spoke of the bill he introduced in the 1971 Legislature and that Commissioner Whitaker said at that time, the four lane highway would have to go along with the northern part of the State and there is approximately \$430,000.00 in escrow and another half million is anticipated.

On motion of Winkley, seconded by O'Connor, meeting adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

Rep. Allen of Carroll County was introduced by Chairman Ineson, as a guest at the meeting.

Sub-Committee

LaRoche .....	Chairman
Tanner .....	Milton
Tibbetts .....	Rochester
Dawson .....	Milton
Harvey .....	New Durham
Leighton .....	Dover
Kincaid .....	Dover
Donnelly .....	Dover

**Stafford County Delegation Meeting**  
**State House**  
**May 3, 1973**

Chairman Ineson called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. A quorum was present.

Discussion on #118 — Delegates' expenses of the 1973 Budget ensued.

A motion by Rep. Ruel, seconded by Rep. McManus on March 12, 1973, at Riverside Rest Home and passed by the Delegation 23 in favor, 2 against, was questioned.

Rep. Ruel said he felt he was being pressurized about his motion and there being money in the Contingency Fund, he would like to see it used for the Delegates' expenses. Vice Chairman Tanner suggested consulting the County Attorney. It was decided that this would not be necessary.

It was moved by Rep. Beckett, seconded by Rep. Leighton, the Delegation reconsider its action of March 12, 1973 and reestablish a fund from the Contingency Fund for the Delegates' expenses. Vote was unanimous.

Meeting adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

Notice: There will be an Executive Committee meeting, May 14, at Riverside Rest Home, at 7:30 p.m. Review of the first quarter of the 1973 Budget.

**Strafford County Building Committee Meeting  
Court House  
May 11, 1973  
Subject: New County Court House**

Chairman Parnagian called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m. He said he would like to bring the new members up to date on the new Court House being built by the Strafford County. All the Departments, Sheriff's, Probate, Deeds, etc. had been contacted as to what they expected in regards to size, supplies, etc. for the new offices. The footing is now in progress, and the Chairman suggested the committee view the new Building about once a month until it is closed in. Discussion ensued.

Meeting adjourned at 10:26 a.m. on motion of Pray, seconded by Sylvain.

Present were:

Parnagian, Pray, Bernard, Dawson and Sylvain.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Strafford County Executive Committee Meeting  
Riverside Rest Home  
Monday, May 14, 1973**

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 p.m. by Chairman Ineson to review the first quarterly budget.

#100-#400 of the budget were discussed.

Moved by Meserve, seconded by Ruel, that the committee accept the first quarter of the County Budget. Vote unanimous.

Under new business, delegates' compensation for meetings and mileage was discussed. There being no money in the budget for such, it was recommended by the Chairman, the full delegation decide on what action should be taken. Commissioner Dumont said he expects a surplus in the County Budget. It was moved by Meserve, seconded by Pray, to use \$2,000.00 from the Contingency Fund, for the Delegates' expenses.

Commissioner Dumont spoke of the Physicians' contract being on a trial basis, April 1972 to March 1973, and they are asking for an increase of \$2,000.00 each (2). The Physicians cited an increase in the work-load and agreed to furnish the same services as last year, only if they are adequately compensated; otherwise there will be a curtailment of services. #711 under the 1973 budget, the Physicians' salaries were raised from \$6,000.00 to \$6,330.00. It was moved by Ruel, seconded by Chasse and Rowell, that \$1,670.00 be allowed to bring the total amount up to \$8,000.00 for the two Physicians. So voted. Meserve moved this motion be tabled, seconded by Chasse. Motion defeated. Meserve voting in favor.

Chairman Ineson appointed a sub-committee of three, Tirrell, Meserve and Winkley, to look into the cost of Medical expenses and report at the July meeting of the budget.

On motion of Meserve, seconded by Winkley, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Dawson, Rowell, Tirrell, Chasse, Meserve, Ruel, Winkley, Tripp, O'Connor and Pray.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK



**Stafford County Delegation Meeting  
State House, Concord, N. H.  
May 31, 1973**

Chairman Ineson called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Dawson, Rowell, Tirrell, Ruel, Winkley, O'Connor, Kincaid and Pray.

Chairman Ineson informed the committee that the Commissioners had requested the approval of the Delegation for \$700.00 to be taken from the Contingency Fund for bunting and costumes for the 350th Anniversary of Dover celebration. Discussion ensued.

It was moved by O'Connor, seconded by Rowell, that \$200.00 be taken from the Contingency Fund for bunting only for the 350th Anniversary. So voted. Winkley abstained.

On motion of Kincaid, seconded by Ruel, the meeting adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Stafford County Executive Committee Meeting  
Riverside Rest Home  
August 20, 1973  
Review of Six Months Budget**

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Ineson at 7:45 p.m.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Tirrell, Ruel, Tripp, Pray, Chasse, Dawson and O'Connor.

Mr. Hamel spoke to the executive committee about the "Older American Act", now being offered to Rest Homes, through Social Security. This is a program funded by Federal Government aid. 75-25

He introduced two Social Workers— Mrs. Quimby and Mrs. Whitaker, and recommended Mrs. Quimby for the program.

Mrs. Whitaker also recommended Mrs. Quimby and said Strafford County should take advantage of this opportunity as other Counties have done. It would provide a social worker, MFB, to interest the inmates at Riverside in Arts, Crafts etc. The program could be ready for December 1973 and start January 1, 1974.

Commissioners Robinson and Dumont spoke in favor of the program.

A motion was made by Ruel, seconded by Tirrell, that \$2,500.00 be expended for the employing of Mrs. Beldie Quimby, social worker, to work on the program. Vote unanimous.

Mr. Hamel also spoke about the necessity of a Dentist at Riverside Rest Home. Rep. Ruel said he could provide the Chair. After some discussion the committee felt this matter could be taken care of at a later date.

The 6 month's Budget was next on the agenda.

#100 - #400

It was then moved by Chasse, seconded by Tripp, the 6 month's be accepted. Vote unanimous.

Rep. Tirrell gave a verbal report on the medical costs of Riverside. Each doctor gets \$4,000.00 per year from the County. Aside from this he can earn \$7,200.00. If he has 120 patients, he can charge from \$5.00 to \$11.00 per visit plus the \$4,000.00 from the County. A motion by Ruel, seconded by O'Connor, to accept the verbal report was made. Vote unanimous.

Rep. O'Connor then spoke to the committee, referring to account #253, O.E.O., Special, and stated that he supported the request for the money by the Strafford County Community Action Agency during the budget deliberations. He stated that he wished to inform the committee that information had come to him, from several board members of the Agency, alleging misuse of funds and fraudulent board elections. The elections incident, where a board election for low income representation appeared to have been rigged, was not followed by disciplinary action against the employee involved, but by the placement of this employee in a new position at a higher salary. He urged the delegation and the

commissioners to be cautious and certain that the funds would be properly spent before they were released. O'Connor stated that his wife worked for the Agency and he realized this could jeopardize her job but he felt and she felt that the Agency should serve those it was designed to serve and not just the people it employed. Rep. O'Connor said he wished to have his report included in the minutes, which has been done.

The committee and Commissioners said they would be cautious about #253, O.E.O. and see that the money would be properly spent.

A letter of resignation from Victor Hamel, Administrator of Riverside Rest Home, was introduced by Commissioner Dumont, It spoke of the good work Mr. Hamel had done for the elderly at Riverside. They accepted his resignation with regret and wished him a happy future. The Commissioners said they would advertise for a new Administrator Aug. 22, 23, 24. He would have on the job training for 4 months, until Mr. Hamel left Riverside Rest Home in December 1973.

On motion of Chasse, seconded by Dawson, the meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Special Meeting of Strafford County Executive Committee  
County Court House, Dover, N. H.  
Tuesday, September 25, 1973**

Meeting called to order by Chairman Ineson at 9:45 a.m.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Chasse, Dawson, Ruel, Kincaid, Tirrell, Pray and O'Connor.

Subject: R.S. 733

The County Attorney's getting an assistant in acquiring more information for the State's prosecution. Discussion ensued on salary of the assistant.

A motion was made by Pray, seconded by O'Connor, to pay the assistant \$100.00 per Diem, limited to 35 days for 1973. Vote was unanimous.

On motion by O'Connor, and seconded by Dawson, the meeting adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Strafford County Executive Committee Meeting  
Riverside Rest Home  
Thursday, November 1, 1973**

Meeting called to order by Chairman Ineson at 7:30 p.m., to review the 9 Month's Budget.

Present were:

Ineson, Bernard, Joncas, Ruel, Kincaid, Chasse, Pray, Tirrell and Rowell.

Resume of Accounts: #100 - #400 — over \$27,751.26

Discussion ensued:

Commissioner George Young explained the increase was due to the cost of food. It has risen about 20%.

Director Victor Hamel pointed out the fact, there are more patients at Riverside and this requires more employees and the employees eat two meals a day at Riverside Rest Home. He also said the Home was without a baker for two months which necessitated buying bread and pastry. Mr. Hamel also spoke of the price of meat going up because of the shortage.

Chairman Ineson called attention to the Revenue sharings being over \$79,849.74.

Commissioner Paul Dumont spoke of the Food Stamp Program, starting July 1, 1974.

Commissioner Neil Robinson said the new Administrator of Riverside Rest Home takes over December 1, 1973.

A motion was made by Chasse, and seconded by Ruel, to accept the 9 Month's Budget. Vote unanimous.

On motion of Kincaid, seconded by Dawson, the meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

**Meeting of the Strafford County Building Committee  
Monday, December 3, 1973**

The Strafford County Building Committee held a meeting at the site of the new Strafford County Court House, presently being constructed, December 3, 1973 at 10:00 a.m.

Chairman Parnagian opened the meeting.

Present were:

Parnagian, Pray, Bernard, Boisse, Leighton and Dawson.

A tour of the first floor of the new Court House building was conducted by Rep. John Ineson, "Clerk of the Works". He pointed out, there would be plenty of room in the "Archives" for storage of records, which has been badly needed in the old Court House.

The Welfare Department will be able to branch out also on the first floor.

There is ample room for parking which is always a must.

The committee was very pleased at what they saw and all agreed, we could point with pride to our new Strafford County Court House upon its completion.

On motion of Pray, seconded by Leighton, the meeting adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARY E. BERNARD, CLERK

## BUDGET OF STRAFFORD COUNTY — 1973

### Current Maintenance Expenses:

#### General Government:

##### Salaries of:

Commissioners	\$ 7,385.00
Treasurer	791.25
Auditors	2,600.00
Attorney	12,000.00
Medical Referee	5,000.00
Sheriff	10,550.00

##### Expenses of:

Above officers	77,874.96
Register of Deeds	38,621.19
Register of Probate	4,125.00
Judge of Probate	500.00

Care and Supplies for Court House 12,566.70

#### Superior Court:

Jury Payrolls	45,000.00
State vs. Payrolls	5,000.00
Referees and Masters	2,000.00
Other Expenses	7,000.00
Stenographer	19,000.00
Clerk of Superior Court	6,000.00
Sheriff and Deputies	8,000.00

#### Public Welfare:

County Farm	1,080,246.48
Jail	92,830.90
Support of Poor off Farm	63,000.00
Old Age Assistance	94,500.00
Board and Care of Children	35,000.00
Soldiers' Aid	8,600.00
Old Age Assistance — Alien	7,000.00
Aid to Totally Disabled	30,000.00
Welfare Administration Expense	18,676.58
Surplus Food Program	31,000.00

<b>Interest:</b>	
Temporary Loans	19,056.92
Long Term Notes	110,222.40
Contingency	5,000.00
Strafford Guidance Center	41,500.00
Indebtedness: Long Term Notes	65,000.00
Cooperative Extension Service	43,979.17
Insurance	5,103.00
Employees' Retirement and SS	10,890.00
Delegation Expense	200.00
Region II Law Enforcement	800.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$2,026,619.55</u></b>

**Sources of Revenue:**

**Current Revenue:**

County Farm	\$ 679,854.00
Treasury Bills	85,000.00

**Reimbursement of Expenditures for Support:**

Old Age Assistance	2,000.00
Direct Relief	1,800.00
Board and Care of Children	2,500.00

**Other Receipts:**

Register of Deeds	39,500.00
Surplus Food Program	7,500.00
Surplus (Cash)	61,155.17
Dispatch Center	14,569.00
Revenue Sharing	146,564.80

<b>TOTAL from all sources except taxation</b>	<b><u>\$1,040,442.97</u></b>
<b>Amount to be raised by County Tax</b>	<b><u>986,176.58</u></b>
<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b><u>\$2,026,619.55</u></b>

## STRAFFORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1973

In accordance with the Public Laws of the State of New Hampshire, the County Commissioners of Strafford County herewith submit this annual report of various County officials for the year ending December 1973.

The year 1973 went by with many accomplishments and no internal trouble whatsoever, the reason being that all County personnel worked to his fullest capabilities, and we all worked together in harmony.

The surplus food program worked out extremely well this year as in the past. We will all miss this program when it phases out July 1st, 1974.

The award for the new court house went to Caron Construction Company, and ground breaking ceremonies were held March 30, 1973. Construction has been a little slower than we had hoped for because of shortages of all kinds of material; but the expected opening date of the New Administration Building is June 1st, 1974. This new court house construction took up a great deal of time on our part, because of the many intricate day by day problems that arise with such a big project. It will be a building that everyone will be proud of.

The jail has created some minor problems because of the courts now sentencing some prisoners for over a year, therefore, increasing our prisoner population by almost eighty percent higher than previous years; and this trend will continue. In order to alleviate this problem somewhat, we have started what we call a prisoner work release program that allows a crew of five prisoners and a deputy sheriff to go in any area of Strafford County to do manual labor for any City or Town that requests such services. The program is working out far better than we had hoped for, and it accomplishes many things such as, exercise for the prisoners, less crowded conditions at the jail during the daytime, and it sort of returns to the cities and towns a return for their County tax dollar through manual labor doing projects that



would not normally be done.

The Riverside Rest Home has functioned extremely well in the past year, and the results of this is because everyone worked together; we do not want to name anyone because we could go on forever and space does not allow us to do so.

Our patient load is at its highest, and our nursing care hours are also at their peak. The patients are receiving the highest of care, and we are extremely proud of this.

The Board of County Commissioners hired a Social Services Director to coordinate all our social functions, arts and crafts and many other projects so that the patients are always busy through some project or entertainment. This program is funded with a three to one matching fund through the federal government. It is hard to conceive how we ever got along without these services before.

We would like to thank the County Doctors who so unselfishly devoted so much time and effort for the betterment of our patients.

We were very disappointed with the announcement of Victor Hamel that he was soon to retire. We wish him the very best in his retirement years.

We were very fortunate to have been able to hire George Frigon to replace him. George has the highest of qualifications, and we hope to have him for a long time. Good administrators like Vic and George are hard to find.

We would like to thank the County Delegation for its cooperation that it has given us, especially at budget times.

We would like to thank everyone associated with Strafford County for their dedicated efforts in making Strafford County one of the most efficient Counties in the State.

Respectfully submitted,  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
George A. Young, *Chairman*  
Neil H. Robinson, *Vice-Chairman*  
Paul J. Dumont, *Clerk*

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENSES FOR 1973

Purpose of Expenses	Appropriations	Expenses	Over Expenses	Under Expenses
Salaries:				
Commissioners	\$ 7,385.00	\$ 7,393.96	\$ 8.96	\$
Treasurer	791.25	791.25		
Auditors	2,600.00	600.00		2,000.00
Attorney	12,000.00	12,000.00		
Medical Referee	5,000.00	5,092.90	92.90	
Sheriff	10,550.00	10,550.02	.02	
Expenses of above officers	77,874.96	80,363.63	2,488.67	1,175.61
Register of Deeds	38,621.19	37,445.58		501.09
Register of Probate	4,125.00	3,623.91		156.80
Judge of Probate	500.00	343.20		88.96
Maintenance of Court House	12,566.70	12,477.74		4,773.65
Superior Court	92,000.00	87,226.35		54,846.16
Riverside Rest Home	1,173,077.38	1,118,231.22		6,662.04
Support of Poor Off Farm	63,000.00	56,337.96		12,397.08
Old Age Assistance	94,500.00	82,102.92		5,260.11
Old Age Assistance — Alien	7,000.00	1,739.89		3,865.99
Old Age Assistance — A.P.T.D.	30,000.00	26,134.01		12,261.41
Board and care of children	35,000.00	22,738.59		3,728.86
Soldiers' Aid	8,600.00	4,871.14		

Welfare Administration Expense	18,676.58	18,116.34	560.24
Surplus Food Program	31,000.00	24,811.81	6,188.19
Contingency Fund	5,000.00	3,750.00	1,250.00
County Extension	43,979.17	43,979.08	.09
Interest and Principal:			
Interest — Temporary Loan	19,056.92	21,623.59	2,566.67
Long Term Notes	110,222.40	108,138.50	2,083.90
Principal	65,000.00	65,000.00	
Strafford County Guidance Center	41,500.00	41,500.00	
Delegation Expense	200.00	3.60	196.40
Region II Law Enforcement	800.00		800.00
Insurance	5,103.00	3,926.40	1,176.60
Employees' Retirement & FICA	10,890.00	13,416.39	
	<u>\$2,026,619.55</u>	<u>\$1,914,329.98</u>	<u>\$7,683.61</u>
Under Budget Balance	\$112,289.57		\$119,973.18

## FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance on hand December 31, 1973

Assets:

Merchants National Bank	\$ 745,018.20
Strafford National Bank	65,139.06
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	\$ 810,157.26

Liabilities:

Accounts owed by County 1973	\$ 81,448.42
Net Surplus December 31, 1972	160,563.68
Net Surplus December 31, 1973	810,157.26
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	\$ 649,593.58

### SCHEDULE OF COUNTY PROPERTY — 1973

Land and Buildings:

Court House	\$ 256,500.00
Jail	20,000.00
Farm/Home	471,000.00

Furniture and Equipment:

Court House	30,000.00
Jail	3,000.00
County Home	107,500.00
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	\$ 888,000.00

### RECEIPTS FOR 1973

Riverside Rest Home	\$ 704,270.45
U. S. Treasury Bills	83,779.45
Direct Relief	2,971.29
Board and care of children	2,451.39
Old Age Assistance — reimbursement	1,005.98
Register of Deeds	50,523.24
Surplus Food Program — reimbursements	6,857.33
Dispatch Center	19,884.06
Revenue Sharing	232,253.39
Superior Court	18,468.10
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	\$1,122,464.68

## TREASURER'S REPORT — 1973

All 1973 tax due Strafford County from Cities and Towns has been paid.

On hand January 1, 1973	\$ 160,563.68
Receipts	<u>10,475,935.01</u>
Receipts from all sources	\$10,636,498.69
Payments	
Year ending December 31, 1973	<u>9,826,341.43</u>
Balance — December 31, 1973	\$ 810,157.26

The balance due on long term notes at the end of the year is \$3,477,000.00.

Date of Maturity	Date of Issue	Balance
Maturing 1981	(1971)	\$ 105,000.00
Maturing 1988	(1969)	560,000.00
Maturing 1990	(1970)	155,000.00
Maturing 1993 (new Adm. Bldg.)	(1973)	2,657,000.00

The cooperation of the County Commissioners, County Delegation and the office staff during the year 1973 was greatly appreciated.

LEO CORMIER,  
Treasurer

## STRAFFORD COUNTY AUDITORS' REPORT

Fiscal Year ended December 31, 1973      County Treasurer's Account

Balance on hand January 1, 1973	\$ 160,563.68
Receipts — Year ending December 31, 1973	<u>10,475,935.01</u>
	\$10,636,498.69
Payments Year ending December 31, 1973	<u>9,826,341.43</u>
Balance — December 31, 1973 as per Cash Book	\$ 810,157.26*

Balance:

Merchants National Bank (General)	\$752,884.33
Merchants National Bank (Sup. Ct.)	10,484.98
Merchants National Bank (RR Home-Payroll)	277.08
Strafford National Bank (RRH)	<u>72,914.49</u>
	\$835,560.88

Less Outstanding Orders:

Merchants National Bank	16,244.32
Merchants National Bank	2,106.79
Merchants National Bank	277.08
Strafford National Bank	<u>7,775.43</u>
	\$ 26,403.62

Reconciled Bank Statements — December 31, 1973      \$ 810,157.26\*

County Farm Superintendent's Account

Total amount of receipts from institution  
December 31, 1973      \$ 704,270.45

Total Remittance to Treasurer ending  
December 31, 1973      \$ 704,270.45

Outstanding long term notes      \$ 105,000.00

Outstanding Bonds      \$ 3,372,000.00

Outstanding temporary loan in anticipation  
of taxes      NONE

County taxes due from cities and towns      NONE

Signed:  
RAYMOND V. JONES, JR.  
JOSEPH E. GRIMES  
County Auditors

STRAFFORD COUNTY  
 APPORTIONMENT OF COUNTY TAX — 1973

\$986,176.58

	<u>Proportion of Tax</u>	<u>Amount of Tax</u>
Barrington	\$ 43.95	\$ 43,342.46
Dover	285.00	281,060.33
Durham	86.45	85,254.97
Farmington	42.43	41,843.47
Lee	22.28	21,972.01
Madbury	12.07	11,903.15
Middleton	13.46	13,273.94
Milton	35.99	35,492.50
New Durham	31.73	31,291.38
Rochester	234.97	231,721.91
Rollinsford	31.48	31,044.84
Somersworth	127.84	126,072.81
Strafford	<u>32.35</u>	<u>31,902.81</u>
	\$1,000.00	\$986,176.58

## EXPENDITURES FOR 1973

### Salaries of:

Commissioners	\$	7,393.96
Treasurer		791.25
Auditors		600.00
Attorney		12,000.00
Medical Referee		5,092.90
Sheriff		10,550.02

### Expenses of:

Above Officers		80,363.63
Register of Deeds		37,445.58
Register of Probate		3,623.91
Judge of Probate		343.20
Care and Supplies of Court House		12,477.74

### Superior Court:

Jury Payrolls		42,230.33
State vs. Payrolls		6,725.39
Referees & Masters		1,571.75
Stenographer		20,157.67
Clerk of Superior Court		9,405.81
Sheriff and Deputies		7,135.40

### Public Welfare:

County Farm		1,026,715.08
Jail		91,516.14
Support of Poor off Farm		56,337.36
Old Age Assistance		82,102.92
Board and Care of Children		22,738.59
Soldiers' Aid		4,871.14
Aid to Totally Disabled — OAA		26,134.01
Alien — Old Age Assistance		1,739.89
Welfare Administration Expense		18,116.34
Surplus Food Program		24,811.81

### Interest:

Temporary Loans		21,623.59
Bond and Long Term Notes		108,138.50

### Indebtedness:

Long Term Notes		65,000.00
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<b>All Other Payments:</b>	
Cooperative Extension	43,979.08
Insurance	3,926.40
Employees' Retirement & FICA	13,416.39
Strafford Guidance Center	41,500.00
Law Enforcement Region II	— 0 —
Delegation Expense	3.60
Contingency Account	3,750.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b><u>\$1,914,329.38</u></b>

### EXPENDITURES FOR 1973

<b>Care and Supplies for Court House</b>	
Salary of Janitor	\$ 6,342.70
Fuel	2,255.42
Electricity	1,474.58
Water Bill	122.06
Supplies— paper towels, cups, soap, wax, bulbs, lavatory supplies	1,084.06
Window/venetian blind washing	125.00
Snow removal	242.00
Repairs to roof	551.00
Outside services	190.87
Boiler parts/repairs	73.45
Plumber— repairs to lavatories/bowls	16.60
	<u>\$12,477.74</u>
<b>Superior Court</b>	
Jury Payroll	\$42,230.33
State vs. Payroll	6,725.39
Stenographer (Court)	20,157.67
Master's Fees	1,571.75
Deputy Sheriffs' Fees	7,135.40
Clerk of Superior Court— Expense and miscellaneous items	9,405.81
	<u>\$87,226.35</u>

**Sheriff's Department**

Salary of Sheriff	\$10,550.02
Salary of office clerk	6,095.70
Deputy Sheriffs' fees and expenses	23,449.64
Office supplies and typewriter stand	559.02
Auto expense— gasoline and repairs	1,385.03
Radio repairs and maintenance	585.18
Travel and meal expenses for sheriff	578.35
Telephone	1,970.58
Postage	160.00
Communications/dispatch expenses	<u>29,762.09</u>
	\$75,095.61

**Administration Expenses**

Salaries— Bookkeeper, secretary/typist	\$10,461.34
Office Supplies	1,140.01
Telephone	552.28
Advertising	483.07
Postage	96.67
Expense of County Officers	1,166.12
Maintenance agreements/typewriters	259.05
Printing of County Reports	609.00
Outside services— (tax notes - dues - city directories)	<u>1,025.50</u>
	\$15,793.04

**Register of Deeds**

Salaries— Register of Deeds, part-time typist, Deputy	\$24,289.31
Office supplies	1,090.82
Outside services	311.80
Telephone	304.08
Postage	700.00
Photocopy supplies	4,290.57
Printing and binding	713.25
Service agreement/machines	745.75
Data Process	<u>5,000.00</u>
	\$37,445.58

**Register of Probate**

Telephone/postage	\$ 873.52
Office supplies	820.23
Photocopy supplies	713.21
Printing and binding books	711.20
Service agreements on typewriters	<u>505.75</u>
	\$ 3,623.91

**Judge of Probate Court**

Compensation— Bailiff	\$ 286.00
Expenses for Court Stenographer	<u>57.20</u>
	\$ 343.20

**County Attorney**

Salary	\$12,000.00
Supplies	<u>25.00</u>
	\$12,025.00

**REVENUE SHARING ACCOUNT — 1973**

Total Cash Received 12/31/73	\$232,253.39
Expenses	<u>130,092.20</u>
Balance	\$102,161.19

**Detail of Expenses:**

Acct. No. 109	Administration expense	\$	311.61
139	Register of Deeds expense		1,008.00
159	Sheriff Dept. expense		3,416.00
244	Interest on Bonds		65,000.00
			(in transit)
247	Strafford County Guidance		15,000.00
			(in transit)
721	Riverside Rest Home Pharmacy		2,769.24
729	Riverside Rest Home Supplies		484.18
761	Riverside Rest Home Rehabilitation		3,043.20
	Other Expense		<u>4,526.28</u>
			\$130,092.20

New Administration Building Account — Bonds	\$2,657,000.00
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**Payments to:**

Caron Construction	\$	872,623.80
Hersey Associates		77,500.00
Clerk of Works		3,038.00
Insurance		2,322.00
City of Dover (Water Lien)		1,330.00
Advertisement		637.09
McKenna Associates		1,740.15
Authentication Fee		2,032.00
Legal Opinion (Palmer & Dodge)		1,650.00
Printing of Bonds		1,412.00
Circulars and Postage		269.50
Other Expense — Supplies		414.29
Moody's Investors		<u>850.00</u>
		\$ 965,818.83

ITEMIZATION OF WELFARE EXPENSES  
WELFARE ADMINISTRATION — 1973

Welfare Administration expense	\$ 18,116.34
Direct Relief Cities and Towns	56,337.96
Soldiers' Aid	4,871.14
Old Age Assistance	82,102.92
Old Age Assistance — Alien	1,739.89
Old Age Assistance — Disabled	26,134.01
Board and care of children	22,738.59
Surplus Food Program	24,811.81
	\$236,852.66

WELFARE ADMINISTRATION EXPENSE

Salaries	\$ 16,701.83
Telephone and Postage	429.77
Supplies	434.77
Travel Expense	550.00
	\$ 18,116.34

DIRECT RELIEF CITIES AND TOWNS

Dover	\$ 27,203.57
Durham	81.00
Rochester	19,811.13
Somersworth	6,020.62
Barrington	422.99
Farmington	1,167.49
Madbury	25.00
Milton	1,025.35
Rollinsford	580.83
	\$ 56,337.96

DIRECT RELIEF — SOLDIERS' AID

Dover	\$ 4,599.47
Milton	40.00
Rochester	92.67
Somersworth	139.00
	\$ 4,871.14

Old Age Assistance	\$ 82,102.92
Old Age Assistance (Alien)	1,739.89
Old Age Assistance — Aid to Disabled	26,134.01
Board and care of children plus clothing — 35-40% plus clothing	22,738.59

## SURPLUS FOOD PROGRAM

Salaries	\$ 16,241.79
Surplus Food Cost	7,627.58
Supplies and repairs	
Travel - electricity - telephone	942.44
	\$ 24,811.81

Surplus Food distributed to State, County, Towns,  
and Borderline cases during 1973 — Items:

Flour	Corn Meal	Rolled Oats
Split Peas	Rice	Peanut Butter
Shortening	Luncheon Meat	Chicken
Corn	Can Peas	Can Pears
Fortified Milk	Dehydrated Potatoes	Macaroni
Tomato Juice	Dry Beans	Egg Mix
Corn Syrup	Evaporated Milk	Butter
Green Beans	Orange Juice	Cheese
Turkey	Grapefruit Juice	

Items vary month to month.

Total number of persons served (average) 1966 per month.

**To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners  
Clerk of Superior Court  
JANUARY TERM — 1973**

### Charges Against County

Allowance for Clerk and Clerical Hire	\$ 7,694.33
Credit in Hands of Clerk	3,355.67
	\$11,050.00

### Credits to County

Civil Entries	95 @ \$10	\$ 950.00
Civil Entry	1 @ \$ 5	5.00
Equity Entries	149 @ \$10	1,490.00
State — Appeal Entries	84 — \$ 5	420.00
Fines and Costs		8,185.00
		\$11,050.00

September 5, 1973

Account approved.

WAYNE J. MULLAVEY,  
Presiding Justice

APRIL TERM — 1973

**Charges Against County**

Allowance for Clerk and Clerical Hire	\$13,769.71
Credits to County in hands of Clerk	<u>6,328.79</u>
	\$20,098.50

**Credits to County**

Civil Entries	170 @ \$10	\$ 1,700.00
Equity Entries	245 @ \$10	2,450.00
State Appeal Entries	161 @ \$ 5	805.00
Fines and Costs		<u>15,143.50</u>
		\$20,098.50

September 5, 1973  
Account approved.  
THOMAS J. MORRIS  
Presiding Justice

SEPTEMBER TERM — 1973

**Charges Against County**

Allowance for Clerk and Clerical Hire	\$10,068.55
Credits in Hands of Clerk	<u>5,661.45</u>
	\$15,730.00

**Credits to County**

Civil Entries	128 @ \$10.00	\$ 1,280.00
Equity Entries	202 @ \$10.00	2,020.00
State Appeal Cases	102 @ \$ 5.00	510.00
Fines and bail forfeiture		11,920.00
Allowance for Clerk and Clerical Hire Drawn		<u>none</u>
		\$15,730.00

December 30, 1973  
Account approved.  
WAYNE J. MULLAVEY  
Presiding Justice

Respectfully submitted,  
RICHARD H. KEEFE  
Clerk

## ANNUAL REPORT OF COUNTY ATTORNEY — 1973

The office of County Attorney handled and disposed of several hundred criminal matters in Strafford County Superior Court in the year 1973.

In addition many appearances were made in the District and Municipal Courts of this County where assistance was requested by law enforcement officials.

Because of the volume of work, assistance in this office was provided by the Board of County Commissioners through December 31, 1973.

In the interim the County Attorney applied for and was granted sufficient funds by the New Hampshire Crime Commission to obtain semi-permanent assistance; and it is hoped such assistance may be thus obtained, permanently utilizing funds provided by the Crime Commission.

The usual volume of petitions under the Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act were processed, including those initiated in this State.

Considerable effort was expended in the observation of and efforts to control and/or eliminate obscenity in the County in the form of movies and printed literature.

Appreciation is expressed to the Board of County Commissioners and the Sheriff's Department for their wholehearted interest in and cooperation with this office.

Respectfully submitted,  
T. CASEY MOHER  
County Attorney



## 1973 SHERIFF'S REPORT

As I look back on my fifth year of service as sheriff of Strafford County, I look back on a year that I feel was both rewarding and productive.

Four civil deputies served a total of 2,326 writs, and total fees and mileage amounted to \$11,607.22. The department participated in 182 criminal investigations throughout the county. 799 transports were made from the courts or hospitals to the Strafford County Jail, the New Hampshire State Prison, the New Hampshire Youth Development Center, the Valley St. Jail and/or the New Hampshire State Hospital. In the judicial area, bailiffs were provided for Probate Court and for the three terms of Superior Court. In accordance with RSA 30:5, all deputies have filed an annual report of individual income for 1973 with the Secretary of State.

For a bit of the unusual and at the request of the Attorney General, three months of guard duty was provided for a material witness in a homicide case. Extraditions were made from as far away as Rockford, Ill.; and on three different occasions, deputies were used for guard duty for county confined subjects who were patients at the Wentworth-Douglass Hospital.

Under the direction of the county commissioners, a prisoner work release program was initiated, and an unarmed deputy was assigned to guard duty.

The Strafford County Dispatch Center, located in my office, was a whirlwind of activity this past year and in operation 24 hours a day. Besides the Sheriff's Department, we dispatched for the towns of Farmington, Rollinsford, Milton, New Durham, Middleton and Strafford and have communication with Dover, Somersworth, Rochester, Durham, Barrington, Madbury and Lee, the State Police and the counties of Rockingham, Carroll and Belknap. 1973 traffic included 102,930 radio transmissions, 29,250 telephone calls and 5,475 incident reports.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the County Commissioners, the County Delegation, the County Attorney, the local police departments and all other residents of Strafford County for their singular and combined cooperation and publicly commend the personnel of my department for a good job "well done".

In 1974, I am looking forward to hiring a much needed full time criminal investigator and acquiring a transport van, both through grants from the Governor's Commission on Crime and Delinquency; and hopefully, I am also looking forward to moving into more spacious quarters in the new Strafford County Justice Building. To say that our present facilities are outmoded and over crowded is certainly an understatement and is a well-proven fact on any grand jury day!

Respectfully submitted,  
HAROLD R. KNIGHT  
Sheriff

### ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT December 1973

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners:

In this year 1973, we are proud to state that we stand as one of the best County Homes in New Hampshire. We have met all the requirements of the fire safety codes and the upgrading rulings of the Health and Welfare as to care of patients.

The Executive Board and County Commissioners have allowed us to start a new program of initiating the Occupational Therapy. Mrs. Isabelle Quimby was hired in June as a Social Supervisor and given the duty of preparing the intricate requirements of all detailed information necessary to obtain a Federal Grant for this program. She was diligent in her duties, and because of her work we are on the list as first priority. This department has proven to be one of the

greatest accomplishments for rehabilitation to our patients that Riverside can boast about.

We are always grateful to the Friendly Visitors for their monthly visits and their untiring devotion to our elderly.

To all Social and Fraternal organizations who have come to entertain or cheer our residents;

To our Chaplains, both Protestant and Catholic, who rendered consolation in time of need;

To our Physicians, who attend our patients on a seven day basis and are continually on call for all emergencies;

To my entire staff, I say "thank you so much" for your dedication and cooperation in these past eight years.

Our first full year with a part-time Pharmacist is proving to be beneficial to our operation. It is more economical, and he is on call at all times for all emergencies.

I close in saying that I deeply appreciate the full cooperation that I have received from my County Commissioners, Executive Board and County Delegation these past eight years. It is through this united effort that we have acquired the reputation that Riverside Rest Home enjoys today.

My successor, Mr. George A. Frigon, started his duties on December 3, 1973. He has been selected by the County Commissioners. He comes to us with twelve years of experience in Rest Home Administration. He is well qualified as a good businessman, and he has a deep compassion for the elderly.

I am confident that Mr. Frigon will carry on a transition that will continue the progress we have enjoyed in the past.

Lastly, I want to express my sincere appreciation to my Assistant, Rodolphe Hamann, who untiringly has co-ordinated all department employees to do their work with dedication for the welfare of all our residents.

Sincerely,  
VICTOR L. HAMEL  
Administrator

RIVERSIDE REST HOME  
EXPENSES FOR 1973

ADMINISTRATIVE:

Salary, Administrator	\$ 14,199.90
Salary, New Administrator (interim period)	1,040.00
Salary, Asst. Administrator	8,900.32
Salary, Other Administrative	25,245.66
Office Supplies & Postage	2,017.28
Communications	3,690.25
Travel, Auto	673.00
Travel, Other	288.11
Advertising & Public Relations	510.15
Social Security Taxes	46,888.53
Employee's Retirement Fund	7,603.86
Insurance— B/C, Bldg. Fire, etc.	29,390.80
Supplies & Other Exp.	380.94

\$ 140,828.80

PROPERTY & RELATED EXP:

Real Estate Taxes	\$ 2,771.28
Building Improvements	1,139.58

\$ 3,910.86

PLANT OPERATION:

Salaries	\$ 32,462.96
Fuel	14,512.16
Gas	1,440.75
Electricity	9,295.77
Water	3,830.00
Maintenance & Repairs	8,626.00
Purchased Services	1,716.85
Supplies & Other Exp.	2,530.65
Store Purchases	5,792.31

\$ 80,207.45

DIETARY:

Salaries	\$ 81,545.02
Purchases, Food	123,873.44
Supplies & Other Exp.	7,454.07

\$ 212,872.53

LAUNDRY, LINEN & SERVICES:	
Salaries, Laundry	\$ 37,635.26
Purchases, Linen	5,715.82
Gas	2,161.15
Electricity	678.97
Repair to Eqpt.	159.86
Purchased Services	215.01
Supplies & Other Exp.	2,806.43
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	\$ 49,372.50
HOUSEKEEPING:	
Salaries	\$ 58,008.57
Supplies & Other Exp.	15,249.85
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	\$ 73,258.42
NURSING:	
Salary, Director	\$ 9,500.00
Salary, RN's	80,254.80
Salary, LPN's	61,744.50
Salary, Aides	276,543.85
Supplies & Other Exp.	12,728.06
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	\$ 440,771.21
PHYSICIAN CARE:	
Salaries	\$ 7,499.70
Purchased Services	196.70
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	\$ 7,696.40
PHARMACY:	
Salary, Pharmacist	\$ 6,000.02
Drug Purchases	21,613.33
Supplies & Other Exp.	359.39
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	\$ 27,972.74
LABORATORY:	
Purchased Services	\$ 319.10
X-RAY:	
Purchased Services	\$ 123.00
REHABILITATION:	
Salary, Physical Therapist	\$ 7,181.92
Salary, Social Service Director	2,160.00
Supplies and Other Expenses	1,452.75
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	\$ 10,794.67

MINISTERIAL SERVICES:	
Services & Travel	\$ 1,000.00
OTHER SPECIAL SERVICES:	
Salary, Barber	\$ 3,487.64
Purchased Services	671.75
Misc. Services	757.08
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	\$ 4,916.47
MANPOWER PUBLIC	
EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM:	
Salaries	\$ 3,380.16
JAIL:	
Salaries	\$ 79,935.52
Medical Services	1,987.39
Telephone	299.49
Outside Board & Care	830.00
Clothing, Inmates	1,873.00
Clothing, Guards	1,095.25
Linen	563.80
Heat & Lights	1,204.22
Maintenance & Repairs	433.36
Supplies & Other Exp.	2,550.85
Guidance Counselor	743.26
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	\$ 91,516.14
GROUNDKEEPING & LANDSCAPING:	
Salary, Groundkeeper	\$ 8,229.00
Seed	134.00
Gas, Oil, Grease	960.00
Heat, Gas, Light	688.71
Repairs to Eqpt.	653.81
Repairs to Bldg.	28.37
Supplies & Other Exp.	936.79
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	\$ 11,630.68
GRAND TOTAL EXPENSES	<u><u>\$1,160,571.13</u></u>

**RIVERSIDE REST HOME  
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS — 1973**

**ADMINISTRATIVE:**

Calculator	\$ 266.10
County Car— "Beach Wagon"	3,596.40
2nd County Car— Administrator & Emergency	3,285.90
(seat covers) ....	26.00

**PLANT:**

City Water	10,920.00
New Floor in Garage for Rehabilitation	705.70
Hot Top— Cross Rd. Intersection	4,469.50
Recondition Stanley Elevator for safety	2,984.00
Lagoons & Surrounding Buildings	3,429.56
Pharmacy	5,995.98
Water Lien (City of Dover)	1,330.00

**LAUNDRY:**

Laundry Bags & Holders	453.00
Paint for Floor	235.54

**JAIL:**

Typewriter with stand	272.20
Vacuum Cleaner	253.70
2-Drawer File Cabinet	83.93
36 Mattresses @ \$22.00	801.00

GRAND TOTAL    \$39,108.51

**STRAFFORD COUNTY FARM  
INVENTORY FOR 1973**

**EQUIPMENT:**

1 — 1950	M-135	GMC Truck (Army)
1 — 1950	M-135	W/W GMC Truck (Army) with snow plow
1 — 1970	GMC	1½ Ton Commercial Truck
1 — 1962	M-165	Massey Ferguson with Bucket

Total Income	Land Leasing	\$4,332.00
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RESIDENTS OF VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS WHO WERE PATIENTS AT RIVERSIDE REST HOME DURING 1973 SHOWING TOTAL AMOUNT OF PATIENT DAYS

PRIVATE BOARDERS:

1	Somersworth	354 Patient Days
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CITY AND TOWN CASES:

1	Dover	56 Patient Days
1	Farmington	61 Patient Days
5	Rochester	404 Patient Days
3	Somersworth	219 Patient Days

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COUNTY CASES:

6,681 Patient Days

12	Dover
1	Durham
1	Farmington
1	Milton
8	Rochester
3	Rollinsford
2	Somersworth
1	Strafford

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STATE WELFARE CASES:

50,023 Patient Days\*

2	Barrington
63	Dover
4	Durham
11	Farmington
4	Milton
1	New Durham
45	Rochester
3	Rollinsford
28	Somersworth
2	Strafford

\*State Cases subsidized \$4.76 per day—

Total Subsidy by County — 1973

\$238,109.48



## PROTESTANT CHAPLAIN'S REPORT FOR 1973

During the year 1973, it has been my responsibility and pleasure to work with the personnel of the Riverside Rest Home to bring encouragement and help to the residents. Arrangements were made with the Salvation Army and various denominations to hold services on Sunday afternoons in the Violette Hamel Chapel. Each week, Mrs. Osborne and I have called through the home to bring love, faith, and hope to the residents. Copies of *Power*, (an interdenominational paper) were distributed to many and inspirational books were loaned. I also conducted Sunday Morning Services in the Strafford County House of Correction and counseled with inmates during the week.

Respectfully submitted,  
VICTOR B. OSBORNE, SR.

## ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

I must begin this report by first introducing myself as the acting Chaplain here at Riverside Rest Home. My name is Reverend Leo K. Ryan, and I have been duly appointed as Chaplain of St. Anne's Home and Riverside Rest Home as of this month, February 1974. It is with a great deal of pleasure that I have accepted this pleasant task.

Riverside Rest Home is indeed a very pleasant place to serve; and I find the staff to be jolly, enthusiastic, and very compassionate towards the patients. All the patients are well-adjusted and very contented.

The sad event in October was the hospitalization of their beloved Reverend George Auger who had served here for the past seven years. He suffered a severe stroke and is left paralyzed. He is bed-ridden and hospitalized at Mt. Carmel Nursing Home in Manchester, N. H.

I will make it my duty to do all I can to carry on the warmth and dedication that Father Auger has given to the patients in the past.

Holy Mass is celebrated every Friday at the Home. We have the pleasure of distributing 80 Communion weekly, and I visit the patients as often as I am called.

Respectfully submitted,  
LEO K. RYAN

**REPORT OF COUNTY PHYSICIANS**  
**March 7, 1974**

Dear Sir:

We wish to submit our annual personal report to you as of this date for the year April 1, 1973 to April 1, 1974 as County Physicians for the Riverside Rest Home and County H.O.C.

This past year has resulted in a few improvements and a few old and new medical and administrative problems as described below:

On the plus side we have a new qualified social worker—Mrs. Quimby—a welcome addition to our staff. She has tried valiantly to keep our patients from becoming bored and apathetic and has succeeded in preventing many from becoming merely vegetables. Also on the plus side we still have a dedicated nursing and allied personnel staff taking special interest in the patients beyond routine work.

Administrative problems observed by us are the increased amounts of clerical work required because of new Federal and State requirements; e.g. the six weeks recertification stipulation on all patients that intermediate nursing care is needed.

A marked increase in time spent in the H.O.C. due to increased census and turnover of prisoners as well as increased demands for their so called rights—dental care, eye examinations, etc., and increased numbers of psychiatric cases and drug abuse cases has been a continual problem throughout the year.

Suggestions for remedial action include employment of a male nurse to help out with care of prisoners as well as catheterization of male patients in the Rest Home. At the present time we have to make special trips to catheterize all male patients.

The need for more supervision of diets is also self-evident from the number of diabetic patients.

Clerical help with the log-jam of paper work would free up skilled nursing personnel for primary care of patients which is their real function.

Medication of prisoners by nurses only— in the old building— requires considerable time due to the census of prisoners and numbers of medications being given daily. A male nurse would certainly alleviate this time-consuming chore.

We appreciate the cooperation of the administrators, nurses and allied personnel throughout the year.

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We, the undersigned, submit our report as County Physicians for the year 1973.

During 1973, based on our daily rounds, we forward the following summary:

Patients visited (Riverside)	1,240 plus
Total HOC calls (includes 162 initial physical exams)	687
Total new patients admitted	66
Total discharges	19
Total deaths	28

The Physicians also receive many phone calls and make extra visits per day as needed since one physician is on call on a twenty-four hour schedule.

We would very much like to thank the Commissioners, Administration, and excellent nurses for their cooperation and many kindnesses during the year 1973.

Respectfully submitted,  
PAUL M. CHOATE, M.D.  
RICHARD H. WATSON, M.D.  
County Physicians

STAFFORD COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION AND JAIL  
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No.	Name	Age	Comm.	Town	Crime	Disp.	Disch. or Bail
J4465—	Akeley, Richard	20	6/15/73	Farm	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	6/17/73 Pd. Fine
J4499—	Amidon, Robert	20	9/7/73	Roch	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$2,000.00 Bail	9/7/73 Bail
J4507—	Anderson, Gray	20	9/27/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	9/29/73 Pd. Fine
J3715—	Archambault, Pedro P.	24	3/6/73	Dov	Contempt	Must Pay \$65.00	3/9/73 Pd. Fine
J3715—	Archambault, Pedro P.	24	9/27/73	Som	Non Spt. & M/Veh Violations	\$1,900.00 Bail	10/15/73 to Som Ct
J4546—	Ashby, Gerald	17	12/5/73	Roch	Aggravated Assault	\$1,000.00 Bail	12/10/73 to Som Ct
J4545—	Ashford, Paul W.	19	12/5/73	Roch	Poss of Controlled Drug	\$200.00 Bail	12/12/73 to Roch Ct
J4545—	Ashford, Paul W.	19	12/12/73	Roch	Poss of Controlled Drug	\$50.00 Fine	12/21/73 Bail Pd
J4378—	Band, Kevin	18	1/3/73	Dov	Robbery	\$5,000.00 Bail	1/2/73 to Dov Ct
J4378—	Band, Kevin	18	1/8/73	Dov	Robbery	\$5,000.00 Bail	1/12/73 to Dov Ct
J4378—	Band, Kevin	18	1/12/73	Dov	Robbery	\$5,000.00 Bail	1/30/73 to Dov Ct
J4378—	Band, Kevin	18	1/30/73	Dov	Robbery	\$5,000.00 Bail	3/6/73 to Dov Ct
J4378—	Band, Kevin	18	3/6/73	Dov	Robbery	\$5,000.00 Bail & 6 Mos	5/8/73 to Dov Ct
J4378—	Band, Kevin	18	5/8/73	Dov	Robbery	one (1) yr	11/24/73 W/G time
J4484—	Bartsch, Albert	17	8/7/73	Farm	Aggravated Assault	\$500.00 Bail	8/8/73 to Farm Ct
J4484—	Bartsch, Albert	17	8/8/73	Farm	Ass & Rec Stolen Prop	\$1,500.00 Bail	8/11/73 Bail
J4484—	Bartsch, Albert	17	9/19/73	Farm	Rec Stolen Property	60 days	10/30—73 W/G time
J4516—	Bean, Patrick F.	22	10/20/73	Som	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	10/27/73
J4498—	Bedard, Maurice	24	9/7/73	Roch	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$2,000.00 Bail	9/7/73 Bailed
J3922—	Bennett, Walter	27	8/10/73	Som	Rec Stolen Property	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/10/73 to Som Ct
J3922—	Bennett, Walter	27	10/22/73	Dov	Concealing Stolen Prop	one (1) year	
J4515—	Berube, Edgar P.	17	10/16/73	Dov	Larceny by check	\$500.00 Bail	10/17/73 by Dov Ct
J4166—	Bickford, Paul A.	20	10/16/73	Dov	Drunk & Poss of Cont Drug	\$300.00 Bail	11/7/73 to Dov Ct
J4166—	Bickford, Paul A.	20	11/7/73	Dov	Drunk & Poss of Cont Drug	\$300.00 Bail	11/17/73 Bailed
J4158—	Blackmore, Robert	33	1/30/73	Dov	Contempt	Must Pay \$400.00	1/31/73 Pd Prob Dp
J4351—	Blaisdell, George	30	10/10/73	Dov	Contempt	15 days	10/17/73 by Dov Ct
J4261—	Borgkvist, Dana	23	1/3/73	Dov	Burglary	\$500.00 Bail	2/24/73 Bailed
J4301—	Boucher, Randy	20	11/27/72	Dov	Sale of Controlled Drug	6 mos	2/15/73 W/G time
J3976—	Boudreau, Alfred D.	31	10/30/73	Som	Contempt	No bail set	11/2/73 to Som Ct
J2048—	Bourgoin, Leonard J.	21	2/21/73	Roch	Drunk & Disturbing	30 days	3/17/73 W/G time
J2048—	Bourgoin, Leonard J.	31	4/25/73	Roch	Larceny	30 days	5/20/73 W/G time

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J1076	Bourre, Paul	34	11/2/73	Dov	Criminal Mischief	130 days	
J4456	Bourlin, Daniel	19	6/5/73	Dov	Poss of Controlled Drug	30 days	6/24/73 W/G time
J3596	Bowley, Ralph M., Jr.	28	1/10/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	1/12/73 order of Ct
J3596	Bowley, Ralph M., Jr.	28	2/3/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Fine/SV-W/ends	2/4/73
J4404	Boyt, Daniel L.	18	1/2/73	Dov	Robbery	\$5,000.00 Bail	1/8/73 to Dov Ct
J4404	Boyt, Daniel L.	18	1/12/73	Dov	Robbery	\$500.00 Bail	2/8/73 by Dov Ct
J4404	Boyt, Daniel L.	18	8/30/73	Dov	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Fine or 30 days	9/12/73 to Dov Ct
J4404	Boyt, Daniel L.	18	9/12/73	Dov	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Fine or 20 days	10/2/73
J154	Bragg, Wilbur	42	9/13/73	Dov	Lascivious Act	No Bail	9/14/73 to State Hosp
J154	Bragg, Wilbur	42	8/11/73	Farm	Drunk & Disorderly	\$500.00 Bail	11/29/73 to Farm Ct
J3290	Briiggs, Daniel G.	27	10/26/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	11/1/73
J3644	Brochu, Allen J.	25	8/20/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violations	\$150.00 Fines & 10 days	8/30/73 Fine Pd
J3276	Brochu, Robert	28	2/1/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	2/2/73 Bail
J4471	Brooks, Gary	17	7/2/73	Farm	Assault	\$200.00 Bail	7/3/73 Bail
J4269	Brooks, George	19	9/19/73	Farm	Assault	No Bail Set	9/20/73 to Farm Ct
J4448	Brooks, Louis	25	7/2/73	Farm	Assault	\$200.00 Bail	7/3/73 Bail
J4380	Brown, Clifton	30	5/11/73	Dov	Contempt	15 days on W/ends	6/15/73 did not return
J4580	Brown, Peter	18	10/30/72	Dov	Larceny by False Pretenses	\$1,000.00 Bail	2/6/73 to Dov Ct
J4505	Brown, Ralph E.	18	9/29/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	9/29/73 Bail
J4472	Cardini, Edward	25	9/21/73	Roch	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	9/23/73 Fine Pd
J4501	Carrier, Dennis	23	7/5/73	Farm	Drunk & Der Words	30 days	7/27/73
J4501	Carrier, Dennis	23	9/7/73	Roch	Conspiracy Drug Sale	\$1,000.00 Bail	9/8/73 Bail
J4434	Carswell, Nell W.	20	4/2/73	Som	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/4/73 Bail
J4413	Catlin, Louis	56	1/29/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	2/23/73
J4198	Chamberlain, Wayne	29	4/4/73	Dov	Rec Stolen Property	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/11/73 Bail
J4198	Chamberlain, Wayne	29	11/23/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violation	\$150.00 Fine & \$1,000.00 Bail	11/28/73 to Dov Ct
J4198	Chamberlain, Wayne	29	11/28/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violation	12 Mos	
J4483	Chauvey, Donald	38	8/3/73	Dov	DWI	\$500.00 Fine	8/3/73 Fine pd
J4467	Claiah, Frank	19	6/25/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	6/28/73 Fine pd
J4428	Clark, John R.	23	4/2/73	Dur	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/2/73 to Dur Ct
J4428	Clark, John R.	19	6/11/73	Dov	Sale of Controlled Drug	30 days	6/30/73

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J4506	—Clarke, William	18	9/26/73	Dov	Burglary (2 counts)	\$5,000.00 Bail	
J1002	—Clay, Harold, Jr.	42	9/21/73	Roch	Larceny	\$100.00 Bail	9/28/73 to Roch Ct
J4426	—Claycomb, David	19	4/12/73	Dur	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/2/73 to Dur Ct
J4426	—Claycomb, David	19	6/20/73	Dov	Sale of Controlled Drug	30 days	6/30/73
J4502	—Clukey, Harold J.	46	9/12/73	Dov	Larceny by False Pretense	\$1,000.00 Bail	9/14/73 to Dov Ct
J4521	—Cochran, Bruce E.	35	10/26/73	Roch	DWI	10 days	10/4/73
J3257	—Conway, John	32	9/6/73	Dov	Contempt	\$500.00 Fine	9/17/73 Fine pd
J4243	—Copp, Thomas G.	26	6/8/73	Roch	Violation of Probation	30 days	7/3/73
J4243	—Copp, Thomas G.	26	10/11/73	Roch	Poss of Controlled Drug	\$500.00 Bail	10/22/73 to Ct
J4243	—Copp, Thomas G.	26	10/26/73	Dov	Manufacturing Controlled Drug	6 mos.	
J917	—Cornellier, Ronald E.	35	12/19/73	Dov	Mal Dest of Prop & Drunk	\$75.00 in Fines	12/19/73 Fines pd
J4427	—Cote, Michael	19	4/2/73	Dur	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/2/73 Bail
J4427	—Cote, Michael	19	6/11/73	Dov	Sale of Controlled Drug	30 days	6/30/73
J3238	—Cox, David M.	29	8/31/73	Dov	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Fine	9/1/73 Fine pd
J4258	—Crafts, Stephen	18	3/24/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violations	\$100.00 Fine	3/25/73
J4258	—Crafts, Stephen	18	9/14/73	Dov	Poss of Controlled Drug	\$200.00 Bail	9/15/73 Bail
J4454	—Crowley, Kevin	20	6/4/73	Dov	Poss of Controlled Drug	30 days	6/24/73
J4033	—Currier, Orison E.	48	9/1/73	Dur	Aggravated Assault	\$3,000.00 Bail	9/4/73 to Dur Ct
J4033	—Currier, Orison E.	48	9/4/73	Dur	Assault	60 days	9/14/73 released by Ct
J4445	—Davis, Larry	19	4/25/73	Dov	Drunk & Der Words	\$50.00 Fine	4/26/73 Fine Pd
J4445	—Davis, Larry	19	11/6/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	11/25/73 Fine Pd
J4466	—DeGeorgia, T. A.	28	6/17/73	Mil	Escape	Hold for US Marshall	6/18/73 to Sheriff
J3408	—Demers, Albert	46	1/15/73	Dov	Contempt	\$300.00 to Prob Dept	4/20/73 by Prob Dept
J4305	—DesJardins, Dennis	19	12/2/72	Dov	Attempted Grand Larceny	10 days on W/ends	1/7/73
J4339	—Devoe, Harvey E.	50	8/20/73	Dov	Drunk	5 days	8/25/73
J4464	—Dixon, Arthur, Jr.	18	6/14/73	Som	Drunk & Failure to Summonds	\$100.00 Bail	6/15/73 to Som Ct
J4464	—Dixon, Arthur, Jr.	18	6/15/73	Som	Drunk & Failure to Summonds	\$50.00 Fine	6/23/73 Find Pd

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J4477	Dixon, William J.	17	7/14/73	Som	Assault on Police Officer	\$75.00 Bail	7/17/73 to Som Ct
J4477	Dixon, William J.	17	7/17/73	Som	Assault on Police Officer	\$75.00 Fine	7/17/73 Fine Pd
J4477	Dixon, William J.	17	7/30/73	Som	Mtr Veh Violation	\$115.00 Fine	8/6/73 Fine Pd
J4509	Dilboy, Wayne	20	9/30/73	Som	Contempt	No Bail	10/1/73 to Som Ct
J4408	Dow, John	18	1/10/73	Dov	Ill Poss of Beer	\$25.00 Bail	1/11/73 to Farm Ct
J4408	Dow, John	18	1/11/73	Farm	Cont to Del of a Minor	\$50.00 Bail	1/12/73 to Farm Ct
J4246	Downing Michael	20	4/8/73	Roch	Operating W/O License	\$100.00 Bail	4/8/73 Bail
J4246	Downing, Michael	20	5/2/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violations	\$225.00 Fines	5/2/73 Bail
J3873	Downs, John R.	28	11/17/73	Som	Drunk & Assault on Police Officer	\$600.00 Bail	11/17/73 Bail
J4474	Downs, Larry R.	24	7/8/73	Dur	Mtr Veh Violations	\$500.00 Bail	7/8/73 Bail
J4474	Downs, Larry R.	24	7/21/73	Roch	Mtr Veh Violations	30 days on W/ends	10/28/73
J4420	DuBois, Donald L.	23	3/7/73	Dov	Destruction of Property	\$100.00 Fine	3/26/73
J4386	Dugas, Terrence	48	12/19/72	Dov	Drunk	30 days	1/14/73
J4511	Duguay, Ronald E.	30	10/8/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violations	\$250.00 Fines	11/7/73
J4219	DuPlessise, Antonio	52	1/26/73	Roch	Drunk & Dist	30 days	2/20/73
J4441	Eaton, Wayne F.	22	4/14/73	Dov	DWI	\$500.00 Fine	4/14/73 Fine Pd
J3504	Eldridge, Herbert	25	4/12/73	Roch	Aggravated Assault	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/16/73 to Roch Ct
J3504	Eldridge, Herbert	25	4/16/73	Dov	Agg Ass & Lar by False Pretenses	\$1,500.00 Bail	10/10/73 to Sup Ct
J4255	Emrick, Maruice	20	5/11/72	Dov	Probation Violation	1 year	2/28/73
J4078	Eschmann, Daniel	25	2/22/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Vio & Drugs	\$400.00 Fine	2/23/73 Fine Pd
J4171	Eveleth, William A.	21	2/2/73	Roch	Larceny	\$1,500.00 Bail	2/8/73 to Farm Ct
J4171	Eveleth, William A.	21	2/8/73	Farm	Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	2/9/73 to Roch Ct
J4171	Eveleth, William A.	21	2/9/73	Roch	Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	2/16/73 released by Ct
J4525	Fall, Bruce A.	17	11/2/73	Farm	Reckless operation	\$200.00 Fine	11/22/73
J4495	Feeney, Joseph S. 3rd	24	7/5/73	Roch	Carrying a concealed weapon	\$100.00 Bail	9/5/73 Bail
J4482	Ferland, Brian	32	7/31/73	Dov	Contempt	Must Pay \$100.00	7/31/73 Pd Prob Dept
J3608	Flynn, Larry	25	3/18/73	Dov	Assault & Robbery	No Bail Set	3/19/73 to Dov Ct
J3608	Flynn, Larry	25	3/19/73	Som	5 Counts of Misdemeanors	\$550.00 Bail	6/13/73 to State Prison
J798	Foley, John	44	11/15/73	Roch	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	11/21/73 to Roch Ct
J4038	Fowler, Scott	20	4/2/73	Dov	Disorderly	15 days	4/16/73

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J4341	—Fratus, Davis J.	23	12/21/72	Dov	Burglary	\$5,000.00 Bail	1/19/73 Escape
J888	—Freeman, Everett	34	6/4/73	Dov	Contempt	Must pay \$150.00	6/5/73 by Prob Dept
J4547	—Frink, Harold	24	12/6/73	Roch	DWI	No bail set	11/7/73 to Roch Ct
J4547	—Frink, Harold	24	12/9/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	12/10/73 to Roch Ct
J4547	—Frink, Harold	24	12/10/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	12/14/73 to Roch Ct
J4547	—Frink, Harold	24	12/14/73	Roch	DWI & Burglary	\$200.00 Fine & \$1,000.00 Bail	12/21/73 on Pers Recon
J4457	—Frost, Russell	20	6/8/73	Dov	Sale of Drug	6 mos	10/8/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	12/21/72	Dov	Drunk	60 days	2/12/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	2/20/73	Dov	Drunk	60 days	4/16/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	5/11/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	6/7/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	6/18/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	7/14/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	8/15/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	9/11/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	10/20/73	Dov	Drunk	5 days	10/25/73
J3208	—Gaffney, Thomas	59	10/26/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	11/22/73
J4497	—Gagne, Gordon	17	9/7/73	Roch	Sale of Controlled Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	9/8/73 Bail
J4497	—Gagne, Gordon	17	11/16/73	Dov	Dispensing Controlled Drug	12 mos	
J4518	—Gardner, Richard	31	10/25/73	Farm	Malicious Damage & Der Words	\$65.00 Fines	10/30/73 Fines Pd
J4452	—Gehring, William	30	6/1/73	Roch	Assault	10 days	6/11/73
J4419	—Gerard, William J.	21	3/4/73	Dov	Disobeying a Court Order	Pay \$300.00 to Ct	3/4/73 Pd
J4414	—Goings, Robert H.	19	2/3/73	Roch	Larceny	\$1,500.00 Bail	2/8/73 to Farm Ct
J4414	—Goings, Robert H.	19	2/8/73	Farm	Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	2/9/73 Bail
J4480	—Gordon, Ralph G.	26	7/20/73	Roch	DWI & No License	\$260.00 Fine	9/8/73
J4462	—Gray, Arnold	17	6/13/73	Farm	Assault	No Bail Set	6/14/73 to Farm Ct
J4462	—Gray, Arnold	17	6/14/73	Farm	Assault	30 days	7/3/73
J4443	—Greenough, Roger	52	10/12/73	Roch	Larceny	30 days, 15 susp	10/27/73
J4443	—Greenough, Roger	52	4/19/73	Dov	Larceny by False Pretenses	\$500.00 Bail	4/27/73 to Dov Ct
J4443	—Greenough, Roger	52	4/27/73	Dov	Larceny by False Pretenses	\$500.00 Bail	6/6/73 to Dov Ct
J3682	—Gregoire, Edward, Jr.	26	11/24/73	Dov	Deviate Sexual Relations	\$500.00 Bail	12/3/73 Bail



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J4533	Greenwood, Robert W.	22	11/17/73	Roch	Burglary	\$500.00 Bail	11/20/73 Bail
J3797	Gregoire, Richard L.	18	7/30/73	Som	Burglary	\$2,000.00 Bail	7/31/73 to Som Ct
J3797	Gregoire, Richard L.	18	7/31/73	Som	Burglary	\$2,000.00 Bail	8/1/73
J3797	Gregoire, Richard L.	18	10/12/73	Dov	Burglary	6 mos/5 susp; 30 days on W/end	
J4411	Grenier, George T.	19	1/14/73	Roch	Poss of Controlled Drug	\$100.00 Bail	1/15/73 to Roch Ct
J4411	Grenier, George T.	19	1/29/73	Roch	Use of Controlled Drug	\$100.00 Fine	2/1/73
J265	Grenier, Robert F.	49	2/22/73	Roch	Drunk & Dist.	30 days	3/17/73
J265	Grenier, Robert F.	49	5/14/73	Roch	DWI	70 days	7/8/73
J4422	Grenier, Roland	23	3/16/73	Roch	Larceny	10 days	3/26/73
J4101	Guay, Donald	45	5/5/73	Som	Drunk	\$50.00 Bail	5/7/73 to Som Ct
J4494	Guyer, Ernest A.	25	9/4/73	Roch	Accomplice to Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	9/14/73 Bail
J4494	Guyer, Ernest A.	25	11/2/73	Dov	Robbery	1 yr to 3 yrs.	
J3051	Hall, John L.	31	9/1/73	Roch	Taking Car W/O Auth	\$100.00 Bail	9/2/73 Bail
J3051	Hall, John L.	31	9/14/73	Farm	Operating W/O License	\$50.00 Fine	9/17/73 to Dov Ct
J3051	Hall, John L.	31	9/17/73	Dov	3 Counts of M/Veh Violations	\$150.00 Fines	9/19/73 to Dov Ct
J3051	Hall, John L.	31	9/19/73	Dov	3 Counts of M/Veh Violations	\$300.00 Bail	10/9/73 to State Prison
J4303	Hall, Larry	20	8/2/73	Dov	Grand Larceny	\$5,500.00 Bail	8/10/73 to Dov Ct
J4303	Hall, Larry	20	8/10/73	Dov	Grand Larceny	\$5,500.00 Bail	8/24/73 to Dov Ct
J4303	Hall, Larry	20	8/24/73	Dov	Grand Larceny & Accomplice	\$2,000.00 Bail	9/6/73 by Ct
J4303	Hall, Larry	20	10/22/73	Dov	Larceny	9 mos	
J4461	Hali, Roger	21	6/13/73	Dov	Sale of Drug	6 mos & \$500.00 Fine	10/16/73
J4496	Hapgood, Charles R.	19	9/5/73	Roch	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Fine	10/5/73
J3945	Harriman, Roger W.	23	3/10/73	Roch	Fugitive from Justice	\$1,000.00 Bail	10/5/73
J4459	Harrison, Robert S.	19	6/11/73	Dov	Sale of Controlled Drug	30 days	6/30/73
J4423	Hasselton, Dana J.	18	3/19/73	Roch	Driving after suspension	10 days	3/29/73
J4212	Hassen, Fred	33	8/17/73	Dov	Contempt	\$200.00 to Prob Dept	8/20/73 Pd
J4479	Hayes, Ralph A.	21	7/18/73	Dov	Taking car w/o permission	\$100.00 Fine	9/18/73 Pd Fine
J4157	Heath, Harold	23	11/24/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	11/26/73 Bail
J4542	Heath, Steven	19	11/24/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	
J4245	Hensley, Robert L.	20	5/22/73	Som	Grand Larceny	\$1,500.00 Bail	6/4/73 to Som Ct
J4245	Hensley, Robert L.	20	6/4/73	Som	Grand Larceny	\$1,500.00 Bail	9/19/73 to Dov Ct

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J4468	Hesse, Peter	36	6/26/73	Dov	Assault & Carrying Gun	\$100.00 Fine & \$1,000.00 Bail	6/29/73 to Dov Ct
J4468	Hesse, Peter	36	6/29/73	Dov	Assault & Carrying Gun	\$100.00 Fine & \$1,000.00 Bail	7/6/73 to Dov Ct
J4468	Hesse, Peter	36	7/6/73	Dov	Assault & Carrying Gun	\$1,000.00 Bail	7/26/73 to State Hosp
J4407	Hill, Joseph P.	26	1/8/73	Dur	Enticing a Female Child	\$750.00 Bail	1/8/73 Bail
J4227	Howard, Wayne	18	6/4/73	Roch	Larceny	\$25.00 Fine	6/9/73
J4473	Hurd, Alton	35	10/19/73	Farm	Burglary	\$1,500.00 Bail	11/1/73 to Farm Ct
J4473	Hurd, Alton	35	7/6/73	Roch	Poss of a Firearm	\$2,000.00 Bail	7/18/73 Bail
J4541	Hurteau, Allen J.	35	11/14/73	Dov	Poss of a Firearm	1 year	
J3291	Hussey, Wilfred	21	11/23/73	Roch	DWI	30 days on W/ends	
J4220	Irving, James G.	36	5/3/73	Farm	Drunk	30 days	6/20/73
J4342	Iaacson, Russell	19	9/7/73	Roch	Conspiracy Drug Sale	\$1,500.00 Bail	9/14/73 Bail
J3359	Jacques, Philip	22	5/14/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	5/19/73
J3359	Jacques, Philip	28	8/10/73	Som	Rec Stolen Property	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/10/73 to Som Ct
J3359	Jacques, Philip	28	9/8/73	Dov	Aggravated Assault	\$1,000.00 Bail	9/12/73 to Dov Ct
J4397	Johnson, James A.	31	12/8/72	Roch	DWI	30 days on W/ends	1/8/73 Bal of Fine Pd
J4531	Jones, Jimmy	18	11/14/73	Dov	Poss of Controlled Drug	6 mos	
J4410	Jones, Robert V.	23	1/13/73	Roch	False Pretenses	\$1,000.00 Bail	1/17/73 to Roch Ct
J4410	Jones, Robert V.	23	1/17/73	Roch	False Pretenses	\$3,000.00 Bail	1/31/73 to Dov Ct
J4410	Jones, Robert V.	23	1/31/73	Dov	False Pretenses	\$4,000.00 Bail	2/5/73 to Som Ct
J4410	Jones, Robert V.	23	2/5/73	Som	False Pretenses	No Bail in Som	3/15/73 to Dov Ct
J4410	Jones, Robert V.	23	3/15/73	Dov	False Pretenses	Hold— Safe Keeping	3/15/73 State Prison
J4469	Joy, Samuel	20	6/28/73	Dur	AWOL	Hold for Mil Auth	6/29/73 to Naval Auth
J4490	Katz, John J.	18	8/16/73	Roll	Grand Larceny	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/17/73 Bailed
J4433	Kenney, Michael	19	4/2/73	Dov	Disorderly Conduct	\$50.00 Fine	4/13/73
J4458	Keough, Fred	54	6/9/73	Roch	Att Rape & Concealed Weapon	\$1,000.00 Bail	6/10/73 Bail
J4519	Kimball, Roland	24	10/26/73	Dov	Burglary	30 days	11/15/73
J4412	Kirkpatrick, Douglas E.	29	1/23/73	Roch	False Pretenses	\$1,000.00 Bail	2/2/73 to Roch Ct
J4412	Kirkpatrick, Douglas E.	29	2/2/73	Roch	False Pretenses	\$2,000.00 Bail	2/16/73 to Roch Ct
J4412	Kirkpatrick, Douglas E.	29	2/26/73	Roch	Drunk & Disturbing	10 days	3/7/73
J4446	Knox, Richard F.	19	5/2/73	Roch	AWOL	Hold for Mil	5/4/73 to MP's

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J4430	Kolenda, Steve	19	4/2/73	Dur	Sale of Controlled Drugs	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/2/73 to Dur Ct
J3713	Labby, Richard	37	5/16/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	5/21/73
J3713	Labby, Richard	37	8/13/73	Som	Appear & Failure to Appear	\$100.00 Bail	8/3/73 to Som Ct
J3713	Labby, Richard	37	8/3/73	Som	Drunk & Failure to Appear	30 days	9/8/73
J3713	Labby, Richard	37	9/10/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	9/15/73
J1074	LeCroix, Herve	55	8/2/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	8/22/73
J4438	Langley, Ronald G.	38	4/9/73	Ear	Drunk	30 days	4/28/73
J4438	Langley, Ronald G.	38	5/5/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	5/30/73
J4438	Langley, Ronald G.	38	7/11/73	Som	Drunk, Disorderly & Der. Words	85 days	7/30/73 by Som Ct
J4406	Larochelle, John W.	20	1/5/73	Roch	Contempt	10 days	1/15/73
J4540	Laurent, Fernand M.	18	11/23/73	Roch	2 Counts of Reckless Conduct	\$200.00 Fine & 30 days	11/28/73 to Roch Ct
J4442	Laurent, Lucien	18	4/18/73	Roch	Drunk & Disturbing Conduct	20 days	5/8/73
J4442	Laurent, Lucien	18	11/23/73	Roch	2 Counts of Reckless Conduct	\$300.00 Fine & 30 days	12/13/73
J4455	Lavigne, Robert	24	6/4/73	Dov	Poss of a Drug	30 days	6/24/73
J4421	Lawrich, Anthony, Jr.	19	3/7/73	Dov	Destruction of Property	\$100.00 Fine	3/26/73
J4421	Lawrich, Anthony, Jr.	19	8/22/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	8/27/73 to Dov Ct
J4421	Lawrich, Anthony, Jr.	19	8/27/73	Dov	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Bail	9/5/73 to Dov Ct
J4421	Lawrich, Anthony, Jr.	19	9/5/73	Dov	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Fine	9/12/73 to Dov Ct
J4421	Lawrich, Anthony, Jr.	19	9/12/73	Dov	Petty Larceny	\$100.00 Fine	10/2/73 to Carroll Cty
J4512	LeBlanc, Ronald	34	10/9/73	Som	Larceny	Hold for Court	10/11/73 to Sup Ct
J3866	LeClair, John H.	27	1/30/73	Dov	Contempt	\$300.00 to Prob Dept	1/31/73 Pd
J4201	LePine, Leonard, Jr.	20	4/2/73	Dov	Sale of Cont Drug	\$2,000.00 Bail	4/6/73 to Dov Ct
J4201	LePine, Leonard, Jr.	20	4/6/73	Dov	Sale of Cont Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/11/73 on Bail
J4201	LePine, Leonard, Jr.	20	4/16/73	Som	Driving W/O License	\$20.00 Fine	4/20/73
J4201	LePine, Leonard, Jr.	20	9/5/73	Dov	Trespassing	\$50.00 Bail	9/10/73 to Dov Ct
J4201	LePine, Leonard, Jr.	20	9/10/73	Dov	Trespassing	\$25.00 Fine	9/15/73
J3985	Libby, Charles	38	7/10/73	Som	Lascivious Act & Assault	\$1,200.00 Bail	7/25/73 to Som Ct
J3985	Libby, Charles	38	7/23/73	Som	Lascivious Act & Assault	\$200.00 Bail	7/25/73 Bail

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J4543	—Littlefield, Richard	38	11/25/73	Som	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	11/26/73 Bail
J3611	—Lizotte, Louis J.	80	8/13/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	7/1/73
J3630	—Lockhart, Reed	28	9/28/73	Dov	Mtr Veh Violatlons	\$125.00 Fine & \$300.00 Bail	10/10/73 Bail
J4447	—Lozada, Leo	22	5/4/73	Roll	Aggravated Assault	\$2,000.00 Bail	5/4/73 Bail
J4503	—Luke, Dennis	18	9/14/73	Dov	Leaving Scene of Accident	\$75.00 Fine	7/14/73 Fine Pd
J4254	—Lynch, Dennis	20	11/1/73		Inhaling Toxic Vapors	\$500.00 Bail	11/5/73 to Som Ct
J4439	—Lyons, Richard E.	22	4/11/73	Som	Failure to Sum & Drive w/o License	\$115.00 Fine	4/11/73 Fine Pd
J4415	—Mackinzie, Earl F.	34	2/3/73	Dov	Oper Unreg Veh	\$75.00 Fine	2/3/73 Fine Pd
J4425	—Marcoux, Joseph	22	3/30/73	Roch	DWI	10 days serve on W/ends	4/28/73
J4527	—Martin, Robert	46	11/3/73	Roch	Aggravated Assault	\$1,500.00 Bail	11/23/73 to Dov Ct
J4527	—Martin, Robert	46	11/23/73	Roch	Aggravated Assault	\$1,000.00 Bail	11/29/73 to State Hosp
J4538	—Matta, Alvan	52	11/22/73	Farm	Drunk & Disturbing	Hold for Court	11/22/73 to Farm Ct
J4087	—Mayo, Randolph	27	2/19/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	2/25/73
J4431	—Mentes, Donald	19	4/2/73	Durh	Sale of Cont Drug	\$500.00 Bail	4/2/73 to Dur Ct
J4079	—Meserve, Thomas E.	21	3/21/73	Som	Drunk & Failure to Sum	60 days & \$50.00 Fine	4/17/73 by Ct Fine Pd
J4517	—Moma, Dantlein	27	10/21/73	Durh	DWI	\$300.00 Bail	10/21/73 Bail
J3371	—Moody, Haven	32	4/25/73	Dov	Drunk & Derisive Words	\$50.00 Fine	4/25/73 Fine Pd
J3371	—Moody, Haven	32	8/27/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Bail	8/29/73 on Bail
J2011	—Moody, Walter	42	10/17/72	Dov	Incest	\$ 3,000.00 Bail	3/15/73 to Dov Ct
J4368	—Morrill, Arthur	42	3/15/73	Dov	Incest	\$10,000.00 Bail	
J4368	—Morrill, Arthur	25	10/6/72	Roch	Mtr/Veh Violatlons	\$300.00 Fine & 120 days	1/31/73
J4539	—Morrisey, Peter H.	20	6/14/73	Dov	Sale of Drugs	30 days	7/4/73
J4539	—Moshier, Dennis	20	11/23/73	Dov	Poss of Hypo Needle	\$125.00 Bail	11/30/73 Bail
J4539	—Moshier, Dennis	20	12/3/73	Dov	Poss of Hypo Needle	\$125.00 Fine	12/5/73 Fine Pd
J4548	—Mullaney, Richard E.	23	12/19/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	12/10/73 to Roch Ct
J4548	—Mullaney, Richard E.	23	12/10/73	Roch	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	12/21/73 on Pers Recon
J4307	—McCarthy, Kevin V.	19	1/14/73	Roch	Poss of Marijuana	\$1,000.00 Bail	1/15/73 to Dov Ct
J4307	—McCarthy, Kevin V.	19	1/15/73	Roch	Poss of Drugs / 2 Counts of Robbery	\$1,000.00 Bail	1/29/73 to Roch Ct
J4510	—McDougall, Dellie	43	10/5/73	Farm	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	10/25/73
J4534	—McKenna, George, Jr.	30	11/19/73	Dov	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	11/19/73 Bail

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J984	—McMahon, John	50	6/29/73	Dur	Drunk	30 days	7/19/73
J984	—McMahon, John	50	8/15/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	9/8/73
J984	—McMahon, John	50	10/6/73	Dov	Drunk	\$25.00 Fine	10/11/73
J422	—Nadeau, Arthur	48	3/24/73	Dov	Drunk	20 days	4/6/73 to Dov Ct
J422	—Nadeau, Arthur	48	8/31/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	9/14/73 to Dov Ct
J422	—Nadeau, Arthur	48	10/11/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	11/3/73
J4047	—Nichols, Dennis	20	6/8/73	Farm	Drunk	30 days	7/18/73
J4047	—Nichols, Dennis	20	8/7/73	Farm	B & E	\$500.00 Bail	8/9/73 Bail
J3657	—Owens, Larry	23	2/27/73	Som	Contempt	\$100.00 Bail	3/1/73 Bail
J4437	—Paleriro, Fred	30	4/5/73	Farm	Malicious Damage	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/6/73 Bail
J3345	—Palumbo, Ralph	32	9/16/73	Dov	Passing Counterfeit Money	8 mos	
J4393	—Parker, Robert L.	33	1/13/73	Farm	B & E and Assault	\$500.00 Bail & 90 days	1/15/73 to Farm Ct
J4393	—Parker, Robert L.	33	1/15/73	Farm	Contempt	\$200.00 Bail	1/17/73 to State Hosp
J4532	—Pelletier, Albert J.	55	10/28/73	Som	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	10/29/73 to Som Ct
J4485	—Phinney, Norman, Jr.	17	8/8/73	Roch	Taking M/Veh w/o Auth	\$2,000.00 Bail	8/15/73 to Roch Ct
J4493	—Pike, Alvan.	18	8/31/73	Farm	B & E and Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	9/6/73 to Farm Ct
J4392	—Pike, Charles H.	51	11/29/72	Dov	Larceny by Check	\$1,500.00 Bail	1/30/73 to Dov Ct
J4392	—Pike, Charles H.	51	1/30/73	Dov	Larceny by Check	\$1,500.00 Bail	5/11/73 to Dov Ct
J4392	—Pike, Charles H.	51	5/11/73	Dov	Larceny by Check	6 mos	9/22/73
J4027	—Portrie, Paul	51	12/30/72	Roch	2nd Degree Murder	\$20,000.00 Bail	1/8/73 Bail
J4537	—Pratt, George	22	11/21/73	Dov	Dispensing Cont Drug	1 to 3 years	
J4176	—Puffer, Stanley	50	4/18/73	Dov	DWI & Uninsp Veh	\$210.00 Bail	4/19/73 Bail
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	12/17/73	Roch	Drunk (3 counts)	30 days	1/13/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	1/15/73	Roch	Drunk	45 days	3/1/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	3/12/73	Roch	Drunk	45 days	3/20/73 to Roch Ct
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	3/20/73	Roch	Drunk	5 days	4/24/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	4/28/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	5/25/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	5/28/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	6/23/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	6/26/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	7/21/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	7/30/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	8/25/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	8/12/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	9/19/73 to Dov Ct
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	9/19/73	Roch	Drunk & Disturbing	10 days	9/29/73
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	10/5/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	10/12/73 to Ct
J227	—Quimby, Alfred	69	10/12/73	Roch	Drunk & Disturbing	20 days	11/3/73

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J4343	Raab, Bruce	24	10/18/73	Farm	Gross Lewdness	\$500.00 Bail	10/19/73 to Dov Ct
J4470	Rainville, Mark	17	6/28/73	Farm	DWI	Hold for Ct	6/29/73 to Farm Ct
J4470	Rainville, Mark	17	7/5/73	Farm	DWI & Oper after Revocation	\$275.00 Fine	7/5/73 Fine Pd
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	11/2/72	Dov	Drunk & Dist	90 days	1/3/73
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	2/15/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	3/12/73
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	3/13/73	Dov	Drunk	5 days	3/17/73
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	3/25/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	4/18/73
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	5/26/73	Dov	Drunk	60 days and H/C Mitt called	7/14/73
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	8/16/73	Dov	Drunk	30 days	-9/11/73
J4383	Ray, Lloyd D.	58	9/29/73	Dov	Drunk	60 days	11/15/73
J3905	Ricker, Joh R.	24	12/29/72	Roch	Malicious Damage	\$300.00 Bail	1/2/73 Bail
J3905	Ricker, Jon R.	24	9/20/73		Drunk & Disturbing; Failure to Appear	20 days	10/9/73
J4486	Ridley, Robert W.	21	8/10/73	Roch	Delinquency of a Minor; Mal Damage	\$175.00 Fine	5/25/73
J4524	Ring, Richard	19	10/29/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	10/29/73
J4409	Robinson, Stephen	20	1/10/73	Roch	DWI, Assault; Res Arrest	30 days & \$375.00 Fine	1/31/73 Fine Pd
J4409	Robinson, Stephen	20	3/31/73	Roch	Oper after Revocation	10 days on W/ends	4/30/73
J4440	Roche, James B.	22	4/13/73	Dov	DWI & Agg Assault	\$500.00 Bail & \$300.00 in Fines	4/14/73 Pd & Bail
J4544	Rowland, John	25	11/30/73	Dov	Contempt	\$300.00 to Prob Dept	12/4/73 Pd
J4435	Rzucidlo, John	21	4/2/73	Dov	3 Counts — Sale of Cont Drug	\$3,000.00 Bail	4/3/73 Bail
J4478	Sandock, Paul T.	28	7/17/73	Dov	Burglary	\$500.00 Bail	7/24/73 by Dov Ct
J4500	Sammarco, Richard	23	9/7/73	Roch	Sale of Cont Drug	\$6,000.00 Bail	9/15/73 Bail on \$1,500.
J4500	Sammarco, Richard	23	10/24/73	Dov	Sale of Cont Drug	1 to 3 years	
J3229	Schoff, Jack Benny	29	10/29/73	Dov	DWI	\$100.00 Fine	10/29/73 Fine Pd
J4492	Schreffar, Jim	17	8/20/73	Som	Mtr Veh Violations	\$95.00 Fine	9/8/73
J4186	Seale, Charles R.	21	2/2/73	Roch	Larceny	\$3,500.00 Bail	2/8/73 to Farm Ct
J4186	Seale, Charles R.	21	2/8/73	Farm	Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	2/8/73 to Roch Ct
J4186	Seale, Charles R.	21	2/8/73	Farm	Larceny	\$2,000.00 Bail	2/16/73 on Pers Recon

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J4552	—Seavy, Roger D.	24	12/22/73	Roch	\$500.00 Bail	12/24/73 to Roch Ct
J4532	—Shangrew, Forrest E.	20	11/16/73	Dov	1 mo to serve on W/ends	
J4106	—Sharp, William	25	12/13/72	Dov	\$500.00 Bail	1/17/73 to Dov Ct
J4106	—Sharp, William	25	1/17/73	Dov	\$500.00 Bail & \$50.00 Fine	2/8/73 to State Hosp
J4106	—Sharp, William	25	3/13/73	Dov	\$500.00 Bail	3/14/73 Bail
J4451	—Sharpley, Michael D.	29	5/29/73	Dur	\$1,000.00 Bail	5/28/73 to Dur Ct
J4453	—Shea, John A.	25	6/2/73	Roch	\$2,500.00 Bail	1/8/73 to Roch Ct
J4488	—Shirpa, Michael, Jr.	26	8/14/73	Som	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/27/73 to Som Ct
J4488	—Shirpa, Michael, Jr.	26	9/20/73	Dov	Receiving Stolen Prop	9/21/73 to Dov Ct
J4417	—Simpson, Harry J.	32	2/18/73	Roch	\$1,000.00 Bail	2/20/73 to Roch Ct
J4476	—Simpson, Roy M.	22	7/12/73	Dov	\$5,000.00 Bail	7/12/73 Bail
J4416	—Skilling, Keenen	25	2/8/73	Farm	\$300.00 Bail	2/8/73 By Ct
J4416	—Skilling, Keenen	25	3/22/73	Dov	6 mos w/ 4 susp.	5/1/73
J4528	—Smart, George S.	52	11/6/73	Dov	\$500.00 Bail	11/6/73 Bail
J4491	—Smart, William H.	19	8/20/73	Dov	\$50.00 Fine	8/21/73 Fine Pd
J4491	—Smart, William H.	19	10/21/73	Dov		
J4475	—Smith, Alphonse	23	7/9/73	Dov	\$700.00 Bail	10/31/73 Bail
J3000	—Smith, Robert C.	31	11/19/73	Dov	\$300.00 Bail	7/10/73 Bail
J4429	—Smith, Tim	17	4/2/73	Dur	\$1,000.00 Bail	11/19/73 Bail
J4489	—Snyder, Harry, Jr.	26	8/14/73	Dov	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/2/73 to Dur Ct
J4405	—Spalding, Alan J.	23	1/4/73	Dur	\$300.00 Bail	8/17/73 Bail
J4405	—Spalding, Alan J.	23	1/12/73	Dur	\$3,000.00 Bail	1/12/73 to Dur Ct
J1098	—St. Jean, Maurice	57	5/10/73	Dov	\$3,000.00 Bail	1/24/73 to State Hosp
J4522	—Standish, Gilbert	30	10/27/73	Dov	Drunk DWI & Oper w/o Financial Resp.	5/30/73
J4444	—Staples, Lewis	21	4/20/73	Dov	\$300.00 Bail	10/27/73 Bail
J4444	—Staples, Lewis	21	10/31/73	Dov	\$25.00 Fine	4/20/73 Fine Pd
J4549	—Stone, George W.	31	3/10/73	Dov	\$25.00 Fine	11/5/73
J4424	—Stone, Keith J.	20	3/23/73	Dur	\$5,000.00 Bail	12/13/73 to Dov Ct
J4424	—Stone, Keith J.	20	5/16/73	Dur	\$15,000.00 Bail	5/16/73 to State Hosp
J4424	—Stone, Keith J.	20	7/24/73	Dov	\$15,000.00 Bail	5/30/73 to State Hosp
J4424	—Stone, Keith J.	20	7/24/73	Dov	\$15,000.00 Bail	10/9/73 to Dov Ct

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J3885	Sullivan, Donald R.	22	4/20/73	Dov	DWI, Assault & Oper after Suspension	\$700.00 Bail	4/30/73 Bail
J3885	Sullivan, Donald R.	22	5/14/73	Dov	Malicious Dest of Prop	\$700.00 Bail	5/14/73 to Dov Ct
J3885	Sullivan, Donald R.	22	5/14/73	Dov	Malicious Dest of Prop	\$400.00 Fine	6/11/73 Fine Pd
J4529	Sullivan, Patrick	21	11/8/73	Dov	Larceny	15 days on W/ends	12/21/73
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	2/24/73	Roch	Mtr Veh Violations	Hold for Ct	2/26/73 to Roch Ct
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	2/26/73	Roch	Mtr Veh Violations	\$300.00 Bail	3/2/73 to Roch Ct
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	3/2/73	Roch	Mtr Veh Violations	10 days	3/12/73
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	9/29/73	Roch	Larceny by Check	No Bail Set	10/1/73 to Roch Ct
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	1-1/73	Roch	Larceny by Check	\$500.00 Bail	10/12/73 to Roch Ct
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	10/16/73	Dov	Drunk & Fraudulent Checks	\$75.00 Fine	10/31/73 to Dov Ct
J4418	Tabor, Reginald F.	53	10/31/73	Dov	Larceny by Check	\$100.00 Fine	11/19/73 Fine Pd
J4094	Taylor, Stanley	20	6/28/73	Farm	Drunk	30 days	7/18/73
J4094	Taylor, Stanley	20	8/9/73	Farm	Aggravated Assault	\$500.00 Bail	8/9/73 Bail
J4520	Thurston, John Lee	19	10/26/73	Dov	Receiving Stolen Prop	6 mos	
J4530	Tiberio, Carl L.	35	11/13/73	Dov	Accomplice to Arson	1 to 3 years	
J4481	Tijerina, Roberto.	17	7/28/73	Roch	Larceny	\$106.00 Bail	7/30/73 to Roch Ct
J4460	Towle, Roy L.	18	6/12/73	Roch	Burglary	\$500.00	6/20/73 to Roch Ct
J4460	Towle, Roy L.	18	9/30/73	Roch	Sale of Cont Drug	\$1,000.00 Bail	10/1/73 to Roch Ct
J4460	Towle, Roy L.	18	10/1/73	Roch	Poss of Drugs	\$500.00 Bail	10/5/73 to Roch Ct
J4460	Towle, Roy L.	18	10/5/73	Roch	Poss of Drugs	Case Filed	
J4460	Towle, Roy L.	18	11/13/73	Roch	Poss of Drugs	Hold for Sup Ct	11/13/73 to Roch Ct
J4460	Towle, Roy L.	18	11/13/73	Roch	Poss of Drugs	6 mos	
J818	Waterman, Warren	42	1/13/73	Som	Burglary & Larceny	\$4,000.00 Bail	1/29/73 to Roch Ct
J818	Waterman, Warren	42	1/29/73	Som	Burglary & Larceny	\$4,500.00 Bail	5/10/73 to Dov Ct
J3174	Walbridge, Richard	33	11/14/73	Dov	Personal Injury	\$2,000.00 Bail	11/14/73 Bail
J3591	Walker, Robert	25	12/1/72	Dov	Rape	\$5,000.00 Bail	3/12/73 to State Hosp
J3591	Walker, Robert	25	4/3/73	Dov	Rape	\$5,000.00 Bail	5/18/73 to State Prison
J4450	Walsh, John	24	5/27/73	Dur	DWI	\$200.00 Bail	5/29/73 to Dur Ct
J4514	Walsh, John H.	23	10/14/73	Lee	M/Veh & Poss of Fire Arms	\$1,100.00 Bail	10/15/73 to Dur Ct
J4514	Walsh, John H.	23	12/13/73	Lee	Violation of Parole	No Bail, Hold for State	12/18/73 to State Prison
J4449	Walsh, William	25	5/27/73	Dur	Drunk	\$25.00 Bail	5/27/73 Bail



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J4432	Wells, William	18	4/2/73	Dur	Sale of Drugs	\$1,000.00 Bail	4/2/73 Bail
J4324	Wentworth, Brian	21	4/2/73	Dov	Disorderly Conduct	90 days, 60 susp	5/1/73
J4536	Weymouth, Daniel M.	17	11/19/73	Dov	Attempted Arson	\$1,000.00 Bail	11/19/73 Bail
J4535	Weymouth, David	18	11/19/73	Dov	Attempted Arson	\$1,000.00 Bail	11/19/73 Bail
J3171	Wheeler, Robert	32	5/26/73	Dov	Drunk; Will Conc; Der Wds; Assault	\$250.00 Bail	6/1/73 to Dov Ct
J3171	Wheeler, Robert	32	6/1/73	Roch	Assault	\$400.00 Fine	6/6/73 Fine Pd
J3315	Whitehouse, David F.	28	11/20/73	Roch	Lar by Check & Oper after Revocation	\$600.00 Bail	11/30/73 to Roch Ct
J3315	Whitehouse, David F.	28	11/30/73	Roch	Oper after Revocation	60 days	12/14/73 to Dov Ct
J3315	Whitehouse, David F.	28	12/14/73	Dov	Larceny by Check	\$900.00 Bail	
J4391	Whittemore, Gary T.	19	5/26/73	Dov	Sale of Cont Drug	1 year	9/14/73 by Dov Ct
J4436	Wilson, Barry D.	21	4/4/73	Dov	Acc to Burglary	\$500.00 Bail	4/24/73 to Dov Ct
J4487	Wilson, Robert	27	8/10/73	Som	Rec Stolen Prop	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/10/73 to Som Ct
J4487	Wilson, Robert	27	10/26/73	Dov	Burglary	9 mos	
J4526	Woodman, James	19	11/2/73	Dov	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	12/3/73
J3156	Wonyete, Victor G., Jr.	30	8/12/73	Som	Lascivious Act	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/13/73 to Som Ct
J3156	Wonyete, Victor G., Jr.	30	8/13/73	Som	Lascivious Act	\$1,000.00 Bail	8/13/73 Bail
LATE COMMITMENTS							
J4550	Fifield, Cecil M.	25	12/21/73	Roch	DWI	15 days to serve W/ends	
J4547	Frink, Harold	24	12/21/73	Roch	DWI	\$200.00 Fine	12/24/73 Bal of Fine Pd
J4554	Hallinan, Kevin T.	18	12/28/73	Roll	Drunk & Disturbing	\$200.00 Bail	12/28/73 to Roll Ct
J4551	Hussey, Clarence A., Jr.	18	12/22/73	Dov	Assault & Battery	\$100.00 Bail	
J4551	Hussey, Clarence A., Jr.	18	12/30/73	Dov	Assault & Battery	\$100.00 Bail	
J4553	Legere, Roland E.	27	12/28/73	Dov	Burglary	\$1,000.00 Bail	
J4393	Parker, Robert L.	33	12/31/73	Roch	Contempt	Pay \$300.00 to Prob Dept	
J3905	Ricker, Jon R.	24	12/26/73	Roch	Poss of Cont Drug	\$50.00 Bail	
J3859	Riplett, Thomas	21	11/30/73	Roch	Oper after Revocation	30 days to serve on W/ends	
J4478	Sandock, Paul T.	28	12/28/73	Dov	Burglary	Hold for Sup Ct	
J4552	Seavy, Roger D.	24	12/24/73	Roch	Poss of Cont Drug	\$200.00 Bail	
J3962	Turner, Robert G.	25	12/28/73	Roch	2 cts DWI & Oper a/susp	\$375.00 Fine & 60 days	

STRAFFORD COUNTY  
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE  
AGENTS' COMBINED REPORT  
1973

Agricultural Agent's Report  
Extension Home Economist's Report  
County 4-H Youth Development Agents' Report  
County Forester's Report

The University of New Hampshire, College of Life Sciences and Agriculture— U. S. Department of Agriculture and Strafford County Extension Service Council, sponsoring education in Agriculture, Home Economics, 4-H, and Forestry.

### INTRODUCTION

The Cooperative Extension Service was set up as an informal educational system and today operates in every county and territory throughout the United States. It is commonly referred to as the "off-campus" educational arm of the land grant university; and, as the name implies, is a unique cooperative arrangement between the United States Department of Agriculture, the university and the Cooperative Extension Service Council.

The Council is the governing board for the Extension Service, and is made up of thirteen members. Each line of work— agriculture, forestry, home economics, and 4-H— has three members of the council, with the last member being appointed by the representatives of the County Delegation. Meetings are held at least four times a year, with the finance committee of five members meeting each month for the disbursement of funds.

Extension agents, as teachers, staff the many county offices throughout the United States. Each is a qualified, experienced college graduate, further supported by a battery of specialists in many fields, who are stationed at the state university.

Using a philosophy of helping people help themselves, Extension agents have earned the recognition of becoming a dedicated, useful, and needed group.

Following are resumes of the agents' annual reports. These reports are available for examination at the Extension Service Office, Federal Office Building, Rochester.

## REPORT OF THE AGRICULTURAL AGENT

In 1973 the Strafford County Extension Service Agricultural Program was many-pronged, as are all Extension programs. The Agricultural Agent worked with the agricultural producers to increase their productivity and efficiency. This was accomplished by working in such areas as pest control, soil management practices, decision-making and operational skills, machine structure and technology, animal management practices, crop management practices, and general farm management.

Aid is given by responding to individual requests, as well as organizing and sponsoring programs that deal with anticipated problem areas. There were also programs dealing with the production of crops and livestock for the homeowner. This was stimulated by the sharp rise in food prices during 1973. Even more interest in this area is anticipated this next year.

The area of Natural Resources and the Environment was also an active area for programming. Many requests for information and educational materials were received in the handling and management of solid wastes. This was stimulated by the forthcoming ban on open burning in dumps.

Programs were also prepared and given in soil and water conservation, effects and control of pollution, citizens' understanding of the environment, and planning and zoning. Late in 1973, this agent assumed the duties of county coordinator, which entailed the management of the County Extension Service Office.

If you have suggestions for programs, or if you have problems in any of the areas listed above, or in related areas, please do not hesitate to contact your Extension agents. We welcome your suggestions and problems.

Respectfully submitted,  
GERALD W. HOWE  
County Agricultural Agent

## REPORT OF THE STRAFFORD COUNTY HOME ECONOMIST

The Cooperative Extension Service is often considered to be the nation's most unique and successful experiment in adult education. Strafford County would seem to testify to this, since 1973 was especially busy and, we believe, productive for Home Economics Extension. An increasing number of homemakers enrolled in the numerous courses given in the five areas of concern: Family Stability, Consumer Competence, Family Health, Family Housing, and Community and Resource Development. These people were involved in analyzing problems, deciding upon a course of action, and applying knowledge gained to carry out a program.

Much of the information is taught by leaders trained at special schools by the agent or Extension specialists from the University of New Hampshire. In addition to agent- and leader-taught meetings, instruction was given by local resource people such as doctors, insurance men, and others with special talents or abilities. Also, educational information is provided the public through special schools, workshops, news release, subject matter bulletins, and agent visits to individuals or groups.

The Home Economics Extension Advisory Council, made up of leaders from the thirty-one community groups, has also been very helpful in organizing, motivating, and deciding upon a plan of action for Strafford County.

One of the projects that attracted great interest this year was *Coping with the Hyperactive Child*. In January, our Advisory Council discovered a need for such a program in the county. Our County Health Chairman then arranged for the director of the Strafford Guidance Center, a pediatrician, and a school nurse to form a panel of experts at a meeting open to the public. Interest was far greater than expected, with a capacity crowd attending the session at the Federal Office Building, Rochester.

In the fall, a follow-up to the spring meeting was held at Dover, with Dr. Pierre Durand and Bonnie McGee, family life specialist of the University of New Hampshire, as resource people. The Strafford Guidance Clinic and local pediatricians

helped alert parents and school counselors to this opportunity. As a result, we had a new audience, including school staff members. Another meeting on the Hyperactive Child is planned for the spring of 1974.

Two other family life programs were also well received. Nine leaders, representing five groups, attended a meeting on the *Pre-School Child*, conducted by Bonnie McGee; and twelve leaders, representing eight groups, had training on the *Life Cycle*, dealing with advantages and problems of people from youth to the elderly.

A *Food Preservation School*, held in August at Rochester, proved a great success. Originally, we had planned to hold the meeting at the Federal Building; but, because of the large registration, it was necessary to hold it at the K. of C. Hall. About 180 families were represented at the day-long school on canning and freezing.

Other projects presented this year were: Beginning Sewing (for minority groups), How to Identify and Buy Meat, Cheese in Family Meals, Salads and Herbs, Quilting, Japan and Its Culture, Dental Hygiene, Good Storage Space, Improving Home Environment, and numerous other educational programs to help the people of Strafford County live better and happier.

Respectfully submitted,  
MAMIE MARTY  
Extension Home Economist

#### REPORT OF THE 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT AGENTS

"4-H is the youth program of the Cooperative Extension Service, which is part of the University of New Hampshire and the United States Department of Agriculture. Your 4-H youth development agents are two members of a team of workers in the County Extension Service Office, supported by county, state, and federal funds." (4-H Cir. 1)

A nation's children are its greatest resource, and the goals of 4-H are the same as those you have for your children— to help them grow into useful, mature citizens.

Through the 4-H program, boys and girls in all areas are offered the opportunity to set goals, learn new subject matter, work and play with others, increase skills and dexterity, and gain confidence in themselves and develop an appreciation of others.

Another important aspect of the Strafford County 4-H program is community service. During the past year, 4-H members have been involved in recycling glass (Dover), planting tree seedlings on public property (Dover and Madbury, setting in more than 12,000 tulip bulbs (Rochester, Dover, Berwick, Gonic, East Rochester, West Lebanon, Lee, Milton Mills, Rollinsford, Madbury, and Strafford), adopting grandmothers and grandfathers from Old Age Homes (Rochester), picking up litter on roadside cleanups (all over the county), helping senior citizens and their Center at Rochester (Barrington), setting and maintaining trash barrels (Berwick), and many other town-or-city-aiding projects.

The 4-H Office has aided many science teachers in the improvement of their teaching programs through the use of 4-H manuals and other information.

The Rochester Children's Library now has samples of 4-H manuals to be used as reference materials. Hopefully, children wishing more information concerning a project will be referred to the 4-H Office and may possibly become 4-H members.

The Rochester Boys' Club called upon the 4-H Office for assistance with their ecology program during the summer. The grounds were explored and suggestions were made to the nature director, aiding in developing his program. Also, the film, *So Little Time*, was shown and discussed by the 4-H agent and campers.

In addition, assistance was given the town of New Durham at the annual Bicycle Safety Rodeo, organized and run by the 4-H Department; and to the City of Dover through a Bicycle Safety Program and Rodeo, co-sponsored with the Dover Recreational Department.

4-H will continue to serve the varied interests of all youth, regardless of race, national origin, religion, or economic background; and all interested young people are encouraged to investigate our program so that they may LEARN BY DOING.

Respectfully submitted,  
CHRISTINE C. WYMAN  
CALVIN E. SCHROEDER  
4-H Youth Development Agents

**REPORT OF THE  
STRAFFORD COUNTY FORESTRY PROGRAM  
1973**

**Donald C. Black, County Forester**

The County Forestry Program is a cooperative program financed by county, state, and federal funds; and is administered by the Cooperative Extension Service through agreements with the State Division of Resources Development and the United States Forest Service. It is an adult educational program, aimed at helping private and municipal woodland owners in Strafford County with forest land-use problems. In addition, it offers assistance to wood-using industries in locating, processing, and marketing forest products. Besides helping people realize monetary returns from their woodlands and its products, the forestry program is charged with protecting our forest resources for future generations. It is entirely voluntary on the part of the woodland owners and timber operators.

ACTIVITY	AMOUNT	EXPLANATION
Access Roads	5.8 mi.	These are roads laid out for fire protection and management accessibility.
Forest Weeding	30 acres	These are areas where hardwoods are overtopping white pine.
News Articles	14	Self-explanatory
Referrals to Consulting Foresters	23 landowners	As a cooperating arrangement between the county forester and private forester when larger jobs (more than 20,000 bd. ft.) are encountered, the landowner is referred to a list of private consulting foresters.
Timber Marked	8 landowners 188,000 bd. ft.	On request, as an educational effort, the forester can mark 20,000 board feet.
Management Plans	13 landowners 2,597 acres	On request, the forester prepares a plan containing a forest description, sketch map, and recommendations for forest landowners.
Woodland Exams	80 landowners 4,107 acres	These are individual exams done by the county forester at the request of the landowner.
Shade Tree Assists	57 people 428 trees	Usually these trees are either diseased or have pruning problems.
New Clients	58 persons	These are people who have made contact for the first time and have requested forestry assistance.

## COMMENTARY

### **Salmon Falls River Watershed Association:**

One of the most rewarding activities was working with the Salmon Falls River Watershed Association. In order to bring visibility to the Association, it was suggested that they sponsor a canoe race. Acting as chairman and working with several committees, we arranged a competition that had 93 canoes race in 5 classes. It was estimated that 3,000 spectators watched the race. Since that time, many canoers have been on the river to appreciate its beauty and serenity. This was one step in saving the river.

### **Strafford Town Forest:**

Working with the Strafford Conservation Commission produced a plan for action and development, but the only action was a selective timber marking that wasn't sold due to neglect of the Conservation Commission.

### **Somersworth Conservation Commission:**

As usual, these people continue to move along with their Parson Park development. Assistance to them on several occasions was the selection of trees to be removed and a pruning demonstration. Following the pruning demonstration, they pruned every tree on six acres.

### **Chain Saw and Pruning Saw:**

The acquisition of chain and pruning saws provided many opportunities for on-the-spot demonstrations of the use of tools and on-site timberstand improvement work.

### **Exhibits:**

Three exhibits designed and constructed by the U. S. Forest Service were placed in the Rochester Mall. Also, an office staff exhibit was distributed throughout the county.

### **Tours:**

Two forestry management and industry tours were held in cooperation with neighboring counties, and attracted nearly 100 people at each. An Extension Service slide program is being developed for general use in the county. Some special forestry tours were held for local schools.



### **UNH Students:**

In cooperation with the university forestry professors, senior students provided forest management planning assistance to four landowners in the Durham area. The project was educational for all those involved, including the County Forester.

### **Timber Sales:**

Stumpage prices have tripled during the past three years, and logging activity is at a peak. Through referrals to consultant foresters, more than one million feet were selectively marked and harvested. At one forestry tour, one of the largest saw mill owners remarked that timber quality has greatly increased over the last 15 to 20 years. This is attributed directly to efforts of the County Forestry Program and private consultant foresters managing woodlands through selective cutting.

## **STRAFFORD COUNTY FORESTRY PLAN OF WORK — 1974 SITUATION**

Three important events took place in 1973 that greatly affected the County Forestry Program. The events were the cancellation of the REAP Program, the increased (nearly tripled) demand for standing timber, and the enactment of the Current Use Law.

Loss of the REAP Program caused timberstand improvement work to decrease to one-tenth of previous accomplishments. Only the most serious managers, who also had the capital, hired vendors to do the weeding work. There was little, if any, pruning work done. Forest fire access road installation also decreased. The road practice was very important, because it provided protection for installed practices and provided access to new areas of work.

Increased demand for stumpage has raised many landowners' interest in their woodlot. Fortunately, because of past efforts of former county and consultant foresters, most woodland owners are not seeking professional help when selling their timber. A new law enacted by the New Hampshire legislature (Current Use Assessment) provides that land

managed for timber products is entitled to a reduced tax rate. Many landowners who were passive about their woodlands are now seeking advice through planning and on-the-spot demonstration.

## OUTLOOK FOR 1974

The County Forestry Program objective— to provide an adult educational program aimed at helping private and municipal woodland owners in Strafford County with forest land-use problems— will continue in the traditional manner.

Technical supervision to REAP cost-share incentive practice will be provided if the program or a similar program is enacted. Special or priority consideration will be given to the following areas:

**Woodlot Visits:** This is where the county forester's job is. Only by showing the woodland owner what can be done on his land can forestry improvement be attained. Discussing a landowner's problems on his land is the most effective way to get a job done. There isn't any palatable substitute for this— energy crisis or not.

**Personal Demonstrations:** Equipped with a chain saw, a pruning saw, and a Christmas tree shearing knife, it is now possible to demonstrate woodland improvement techniques. More of this will be done in 1974.

**Forest Management Plan:** With renewed interest from landowners, it is anticipated that planning activities will increase. Last year the program averaged one forest management plan per month.

**Forest Fire Access Roads:** Although cost-share programs are gone, more intensive effort will be made to get these installed. Many roads can be built by giving more attention to the layout so that roads can be opened by cutting. Roads are important, since they provide the owner access to the area being improved and an exit for hauling out wood products.

**Fuelwood:** Now that we have an energy crisis, more people will want to cut their own fuel. Lowgrade stands can be upgraded substantially, if the poorest material is removed. Heavy promotion of fuelwood cutting is in order for this year.

**Shade Trees:** Assistance to landowners with shade tree problems will continue at the same intensity as last year. The need will be met.

**University Students:** Working cooperatively this year with University of New Hampshire forestry students, private landowners received assistance sooner than anticipated. Private land gave the student a real situation to deal with. Everyone benefited— the students, the landowners, the professors, and the County Forester. More of this activity will be encouraged.

Respectfully submitted,  
DONALD C. BLACK  
Strafford County Forester









