

Annual Reports

TOWN OF BELMONT NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the Year Ended
DECEMBER 31, 1961

ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
Selectmen and Other Officers
OF THE
TOWN OF
BELMONT
NEW HAMPSHIRE
FOR THE
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31
1961

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

ROYAL SMITH

SELECTMEN

FLOYD W. WHITE

JOHN F. MOYNIHAN

THOMAS A. ROACH

CLERK

ANTOINETTE N. HAGGETT

TREASURER

WILSON S. MANSFIELD

TAX COLLECTOR

CALVIN D. BROWN

HEALTH OFFICER

DONALD J. LEITH

POLICE CHIEF

DONALD J. LEITH

EARL SWEENEY

LIBRARIAN

PEARL SANBORN

ROAD AGENT

HAROLD REED

SCHOOL BOARD

ROBERT BORDEAU

SUE ROBERTS

MAURICE SIMOND, JR.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

GEORGE MOHLE

CARRIE W. CUSHING

MAUDE BROWN

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

RUSSELL H. CUSHING

WALTER PHILBRICK

STANLEY HILL

AUDITORS

NORVAL LESSELS

HUGH J. CASSIDY

Div. of Municipal Acct., State House, Concord

SUPERVISORS

BELVA MOHLE

ARTHUR HILL

WILLIAM HAROLD STROPLE

REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT

LYLE N. WATSON

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the town of Belmont in the County of Belknap, in the State of N. H. qualified to vote in the Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Community Hall, first floor in said Belmont on Tuesday, the 13th day of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

- (1) To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
- (2) To choose one Selectman for three years, one selectman for two years, one Trustee of the Public Library for three years, one Trustee of the Trust Funds for three years.
- (3) To see if the Town will vote to change the time for discussion of the warrant in 1962 to 2:00 P.M. on the Saturday after the second Tuesday in March.
- (4) To see what action the Town will take upon the budget as recommended by the Budget Committee.
- (5) To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount of 2% on all taxes paid within thirty days of presentation of tax bills.
- (6) To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate \$60,000.00 in anticipation of the collection of taxes for the current municipal year, and to issue in the name of and on the credit of the Town negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be repaid during the current municipal year.
- (7) To see what the Town will vote to do with the income from the John M. Sargent fund.

- (8) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to refinance and/or renew any loans which may become due during the current municipal year.
- (9) To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Australian Ballot System for the election of town officers, in lieu of the non-partisan ballot system now in force, to be effective for the 1963 annual meeting.
- (10) We, the undersigned, hereby petition the Town of Belmont, for three (3) street lights, at suitable intervals, between the Belmont town line at the Terrace Hotel and Hi-Way Lanes on Route 3, at an estimated cost of not more than \$248.00 per year. We request that this petition be placed in the Town Warrant.
- (11) We, the undersigned, request the addition of four(4) street lights, starting from the junction of Route 106 continuing on Route 140 as far as the John Douphinett house. At a cost not to exceed \$144.00 per year. Request the same to be placed in the town warrant.
- (12) To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 23rd day of February, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-two.

FLOYD W. WHITE
JOHN F. MOYNIHAN
WILSON S. MANSFIELD
Selectmen of the Town of Belmont

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FLOYD W. WHITE
JOHN F. MOYNIHAN
WILSON S. MANSFIELD
Selectmen of the Town of Belmont

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF BELMONT

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
January 1, 1962 to December 31, 1962

Compared with
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures
of the Previous Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961

Purposes of Expenditures	Appro. previous Year 1961	Actual Expendi- tures Previous year 1961	Appro. Recommended by Budget Committee 1962
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$5,200.00	\$4,772.00	\$5,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,400.00	2,363.10	2,600.00
Election and Registration Expenses	240.00	256.20	500.00
Municipal Court Expenses	350.00	221.66	350.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,800.00	2,172.99	2,000.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	700.00	666.69	750.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	1,300.00	1,319.95	2,200.00
Fire Department	5,656.00	5,240.83	6,246.00
Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	100.00	100.00	100.00
Insurance Hydrant rental	2,320.00	2,320.00	2,320.00
Damages and Legal Expenses,	50.00	50.00	50.00
Civil Defense	100.00	24.00	100.00
Health:			
Health Department Including Hospitals	600.00	572.71	600.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	4,400.00	4,043.32	4,400.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance—Summer	9,000.00	9,032.10	9,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	6,000.00	5,996.61	6,000.00
Street Lighting	2,550.00	2,535.84	2,800.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	7,500.00	8,118.53	8,000.00
Town Road Aid	942.55	942.55	937.54

Libraries	1,500.00	1,500.00	2,000.00
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Public Welfare:

Town Poor	4,500.00	3,554.78	4,000.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00	7,545.16	7,000.00

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	350.00	350.00	375.00
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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	50.00	50.00	50.00
Advertising and Regional Asso.	200.00	200.00	200.00

Interest:

On Temporary Loans	1,400	694.27	1,200.00
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Highways and Bridges:

Town Construction	3,500.00	3,460.39	4,500.00
State Aid Construction— Town's Share	500.00	446.35	500.00
New Equipment	2,400.00	10,110.00	765.00

Payment on Principal of Debt:

(b) Long Term Notes	1,200.00	1,200.00	3,220.00
(d) Deficit of Previous Year	75.00		

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$71,883.55	\$79,804.03	\$77,963.54
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HOMER BRYANT
 EDWARD G. HOWLAND
 IRWIN W. SOMERO
 AURIL R. TASKER
 MAURICE LACROIX
 FLOYD W. WHITE
 CHESTER A. RANDLETT
 JAMES L. RHODES
 ROYAL W. SMITH
 MAURICE H. SIMOND, JR.
 LYLE N. WATSON

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

RECAP OF AUTOMOBILE RECEIPTS FOR 1961

	<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Filing Fees</i>	<i>Paid to Treasurer</i>
January	\$ 449.74		\$ 194.59
February	1,424.44		1,590.27
March	5,163.11	10.00	5,033.69
April	675.83		742.23
May	646.33		711.39
June	403.04		451.28
July	179.61		172.57
August	584.03		328.97
September	259.55		449.22
October	258.52		271.88
November	261.47		369.58
December	467.78		467.78
	\$10,773.45	\$10.00	\$10,783.45

AUTO PERMITS

Pleasure Cars	963
Trucks	153
Tractors	57
Semi Trailers	2
Motor Cycles	4
Jeeps	7
School Busses	2
	1188

DOGS REGISTERED IN 1961

219	@	\$2.00	438.00
16	@	5.00	80.00
1	@	1.55	1.55
1	@	1.40	1.40
1	@	1.50	1.50
1	@	1.00	1.00
2	@	.80	1.60
3 Kennels	@	12.00	36.00
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			588.05
			Total receipts
			on dogs

TOWN TREASURER'S MONTHLY REPORT

Detailed Statement of Receipts

Cash on Hand January 1, 1961 \$77,626.99

January

3	Belmont Public Library, Social Security	3.60	
18	Harold Reed, personal Tele. calls	8.85	
20	Judge John Maitland, court fines	100.00	
24	Treas. State of N. H., refund on O.A.A.	12.54	
26	Judge John Maitland, court fines	100.00	
	" " " small claims	1.25	
28	Lawrence Grange, rent of hall	30.00	
	" " " " "	30.00	
28	Calvin Brown, 1960 poll taxes	18.00	
"	" " 1960 property taxes	3,534.75	
"	" " 1960 interest	13.47	
"	" " 1960 head taxes	65.00	
"	" " 1960 head tax penalties	5.50	
"	" " 1958 taxes redeemed	198.63	
"	" " 1958 interest	25.25	
"	" " 1959 taxes redeemed	675.04	
"	" " 1959 interest	28.00	
	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	194.59	
		5,044.47	82,671.46

February

4	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	255.15	
	" " " "	309.42	
	" " " "	344.07	
	" " " "	289.52	
	" " " "	392.11	
		1,600.27	84,271.46

March

1	Treasurer State of N. H., refund on gas tax	197.96	
	Judge John A. Maitland, court fines	100.00	
	Treasurer State of N. H. warden services	3.20	

	John Corriveau, pistol permit	2.00	
	Harold Reed, sale of junk batteries	4.91	
4	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	450.47	
	" " " "	74.60	
6	" " " "	291.50	
8	" " " "	656.79	
10	Calvin Brown, 1960 poll taxes	170.00	
	" " 1960 property taxes	4,625.90	
	" " 1960 interest	56.10	
	" " 1960 head tax	565.00	
	" " 1960 head tax penalties	57.00	
	" " 1958 taxes redeemed	27.44	
	" " 1958 interest	4.73	
	" " 1956 taxes redeemed	50.00	
	" " 1956 interest	12.00	
13	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	373.17	
14	Henry Lebreque, pistol permit	2.00	
	James Rhodes, pistol permit	2.00	
14	Kenneth Heath, pistol permit	2.00	
15	Treasurer State of N. H., re-Lyndon Burbank	10.00	
	" " " " re-Clifton Higgins	120.00	
16	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	392.94	
18	" " " "	350.16	
21	" " " "	300.49	
22	" " " "	340.76	
25	" " " "	337.91	
27	" " " "	458.62	
28	" " " "	290.26	
	" " " "	706.02	
	" " " "	111.00	
	" " " "	10.00	
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		11,156.92	95,418.65

April

1	Calvin Brown, 1960 poll taxes	252.00
	" " 1960 property taxes	2,870.63
	" " 1960 yield taxes	3.00
	" " 1960 interest	53.98
	" " 1960 head tax	845.00
	" " 1960 head tax penalties	84.50
	" " 1959 taxes redeemed	644.99
	" " 1959 interest	30.12
	" " 1958 taxes redeemed	269.14
	" " 1958 interest	41.90

4	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	363.13	
11	" " " "	169.66	
	Treasurer State of N. H., refund on O.A.A.	60.00	
	Boston & Maine Railroad, grass fire	86.73	
12	Wilfred Gosselin, pistol permit	2.00	
	Donald J. Leith, rent of hall	14.00	
	Laconia National Bank, equipment loan	1,110.00	
15	Judge John A. Maitland, court fines	100.00	
21	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	209.44	
22	Calvin Brown, 1960 poll taxes	30.00	
	" " 1960 property taxes	4,916.51	
	" " 1960 yield taxes	189.96	
	" " 1960 interest	107.16	
	" " 1960 head taxes	100.00	
	" " 1960 head tax penalties	10.00	
	" " 1959 poll taxes	2.00	
	" " 1959 interest	.12	
	" " 1959 head taxes	5.00	
	" " 1959 head tax penalty	.50	
	" " 1959 taxes redeemed	190.15	
	" " 1959 interest	10.88	
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		21,772.50	117,191.15

May

1	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	142.88	
10	Lakeport National Bank, tax on bank shares	2.00	
	Eastern States Farmers Exchg. refund	.22	
16	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	184.80	
	" " dog licenses	120.00	
26	" " auto permits	383.71	
	Calvin Brown, 1960 poll taxes	16.00	
	" " 1960 property taxes	2,040.85	
	" " 1960 interest	46.02	
	" " 1960 head tax	45.00	
	" " 1960 head tax penalties	4.50	
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		2,985.98	120,177.13

June

3	State Treasurer, warden training	7.62	
	" " fire investigation	9.40	
5	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	149.30	
	" " dog licenses	50.00	
	Laconia National Bank tax anticipation note	30,000.00	

7	State Treasurer, gas tax refund	111.02	
	St. Joseph's Church, grading parking lot	700.00	
14	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	161.68	
15	State Treasurer, refund on gas tax	7.00	
21	" " railraod tax	.29	
	Leo Cormier, pistol permit	2.00	
24	John A. Stockwell, sanding driveway	1.25	
	Calvin Brown, 1961 poll taxes	162.00	
	" " 1961 head taxes	520.00	
	" " 1960 poll taxes	16.00	
	" " 1960 property taxes	9,997.37	
	" " 1960 yield taxes	47.52	
	" " 1960 interest	263.22	
	" " 1960 head taxes	50.00	
	" " 1960 head tax penalties	5.00	
	" " 1959 poll taxes	2.00	
	" " 1959 interest	.12	
	" " 1959 head tax	5.00	
	" " 1959 head tax penalty	.50	
	" " 1958 yield taxes	.84	
	" " 1958 taxes redeemed	207.45	
	" " 1958 interest	82.79	
	" " 1956 taxes redeemed	105.64	
	" " 1956 interest	34.58	
	" " 1957 taxes redeemed	167.23	
	" " 1957 interest	40.33	
26	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	140.30	
	" " dog licenses	51.00	
		43,098.45	163,275.58

July

5	State Treasurer, railroad tax	41.60	
	Thomas Edwards, fire suppression	33.95	
	Ralph Greene, sanding driveway	3.75	
	Archie LaFlam, sanding driveway	2.50	
	State Treasurer, gas tax refund	86.03	
	Winnisquam Fire Dept., beano license	10.00	
	Laconia Nat'l Bank, tax anticipation loan	30,000.00	
	Calvin Brown, 1961 poll taxes	54.00	
	" " 1961 head taxes	185.00	
	" " 1960 poll taxes	2.00	
	" " 1960 property tax	4,029.30	
	" " 1960 interest	154.89	
	" " 1960 head taxes	5.00	

	"	"	1960 head tax penalty	.50	
	"	"	1959 taxes redeemed	164.69	
	"	"	1959 interest	25.40	
	"	"	1958 taxes redeemed	63.34	
	"	"	1958 interest	10.19	
22	Antoinette	Haggett,	auto permits	172.57	
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				35,044.69	198,320.27

August

2	State	Treasurer,	interest and dividends tax	1,702.86	
12	Antoinette	Haggett,	auto permits	217.13	
	"	"	dog tax	138.00	
16	Calvin	Brown,	1961 poll tax	60.00	
	"	"	1961 head tax	205.00	
	"	"	1960 poll tax	4.00	
	"	"	1960 property tax	2,939.95	
	"	"	1960 yield tax	27.04	
	"	"	1960 interest	163.23	
	"	"	1960 head tax	10.00	
	"	"	1960 head tax penalties	1.00	
	"	"	1960 tax sale	218.82	
	"	"	1960 poll taxes	4.00	
	"	"	1960 property taxes	14,120.33	
	"	"	1960 interest	687.59	
	"	"	1960 head taxes	20.00	
	"	"	1960 head tax penalties	2.00	
	"	"	1958 taxes redeemed	775.05	
	"	"	1958 interest	112.42	
	"	"	1959 taxes redeemed	1,353.01	
	"	"	1959 interest	79.52	
17	Evelyn	Hamilton,	sanding driveway	1.25	
24	Antoinette	Haggett,	auto permits	111.84	
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				22,954.06	221,274.33

September

5	Antoinette	Haggett,	auto permits	342.49	
	"	"	dog licenses	45.00	
	Richard H.	Brown,	pistol permit	2.00	
18	Antoinette	Haggett,	auto permits	106.73	
	"	"	dog licenses	37.00	
20	Calvin	Brown,	1961 poll taxes	140.00	
	"	"	1961 head taxes	480.00	
	"	"	1960 property taxes	30.00	

"	"	1960 interest	10.92
"	"	1957 taxes redeemed	25.80
"	"	1959 taxes redeemed	37.52
"	"	1960 taxes redeemed	1,511.57
"	"	1960 interest	9.11

2,778.14 224,052.47

October

2	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	104.02
5	Belmont Public Library, social security	10.80
11	Donald J. Leith, rent of hall to Grange	7.00
	Boutin Ins. Agency, dividends	40.51
	State Treasurer, refund on old age asst.	2.01
16	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	167.86
	" " dog licenses	26.40
23	Lawrence Grange, rent of hall	60.00

418.60 224,471.07

November

3	Antoinette Haggett, auto permits	98.11
8	Treasurer State of N. H., savings bank tax	12.10
	" " " " gas tax refund	93.80
	Donald J. Leith, rent of hall	5.00
	William J. Dupont, pistol permit	2.00
8	Calvin Brown, 1961 poll taxes	156.00
	" " 1961 property taxes	18,501.52
	" " 1961 head taxes	495.40
	" " 1960 taxes redeemed	1,036.08
	" " 1960 interest	24.09
	" " 1959 taxes redeemed	1,192.41
	" " 1959 interest	32.07
	" " 1958 taxes redeemed	193.92
	" " 1958 interest	40.69
	" " 1957 taxes redeemed	423.87
	" " 1957 interest	96.11
	" " 1956 taxes redeemed	393.19
	" " 1956 interest	120.52
	" " 1954 taxes redeemed	338.51
	" " 1954 interest	158.20
17	Calvin Brown, 1961 poll taxes	112.00
	" " 1961 property taxes	42,611.02
	" " 1961 head taxes	440.00
	" " 1956 property taxes	9.00

	"	"	1958 taxes redeemed	12.10	
	"	"	1958 interest	4.25	
20	Antoinette Haggett,	auto permits		161.17	
	"	"	dog taxes	8.00	
22	Calvin Brown, 1961	poll taxes		36.00	
	"	"	1961 property taxes	20,113.43	
	"	"	1961 head taxes	105.00	
25	Calvin Brown, 1961	poll taxes		72.00	
	"	"	1961 property taxes	16,389.74	
	"	"	1961 head taxes	215.00	
30	Antoinette Haggett,	auto permits		110.30	
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				103,812.20	328,283.27

December

1	Calvin Brown, 1961	poll taxes	82.00	
	"	"	1961 property taxes	44,218.84
	"	"	1961 head taxes	300.00
	"	"	1960 poll taxes	2.00
4	Belmont Public Library,	social security	3.60	
13	Antoinette Haggett,	auto permits	233.04	
20	Belmont Fire Department,	social security	40.57	
	State Treasurer,	refund on blister rust	.50	
	"	"	refund on head taxes	30.18
20	Calvin Brown, 1961	poll taxes	56.00	
	"	"	1961 property taxes	8,600.84
	"	"	1961 interest	.17
	"	"	1961 head taxes	170.00
	"	"	1961 head tax penalties	1.50
	"	"	1959 taxes redeemed	128.68
	"	"	1959 interest	15.13
	"	"	1960 taxes redeemed	137.92
	"	"	1960 interest	5.05
23	Antoinette Haggett,	auto permits	121.67	
	"	"	dog taxes	1.60
28	Bell nap County Treasurer,	refund on county tax	.01	
30	Antoinette Haggett,	auto permits	113.07	
	"	"	dog tax	.05
30	Calvin Brown, 1961	poll taxes	30.00	
	"	"	1961 property taxes	4,146.56
	"	"	1961 interest	5.83
	"	"	1961 head tax	90.00

"	"	1961 head tax penalties	9.50
"	"	1960 taxes redeemed	268.85
		Belmont Water Dept., temporary loan	2,000.00
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Total Receipts During Month			60,813.16
Total Receipts for Year			\$389,096.43

The above is a correct statement of the transactions of the treasury during the year 1961.

Respectfully submitted,

WILSON S. MANSFIELD,
Town Treasurer

Belmont, N. H., Dec. 31, 1961.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Selectmen's Office

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

A. Haggett	817.40	
C. Brown	2,379.60	
J. Moynihan	400.00	
T. Roach	500.00	
F. White	400.00	
Russell H. Cushing	75.00	
W. Mansfield	200.00	
Total	_____	\$4,772.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

F. White	50.00
T. Roach	50.00
J. Moynihan	54.45
W. Mansfield	50.00
Robert Harper	7.27
Brimm Stamp and Badge Co.	23.97
Burnham Publishing Co.	9.00
Mahers Book Store	23.50
Bonny Vale Press	32.50
C. Brown	254.09
N. H. Assessors Assoc.	3.00
Russell H. Cushing	3.22
Wheeler & Clark	54.82
Citizen Publishing Co.	12.20
A. Haggett	26.83
Laconia Savings Bank	19.80
Charles Raymond	17.60
Charles Rogers Co.	70.00
Rogers Store	3.20
Thomas Murphy	54.30
N. H. Tax Comm.	259.03
Concord Press, Inc.	660.00
Town of Gilmanton	32.77
Arilda Brown	75.00
Laconia Police Dept.	22.50
Cragg Binding Co.	30.00
Lerner Press	30.40
Edson Eastman Co.	17.46

Boutin Agency	260.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh	37.38	
N. H. Dept. Pub. Welfare	3.25	
Laconia Office Mach. Co.	15.00	
Chas. Hardy	3.00	
Joe Wigan	3.78	
Transport Clearing	4.70	
U. S. Stationery Co.	29.20	
Ida Hanner	3.00	
Tyler Adv. Co.	24.75	
Secy State	12.00	
Stephen Boomer	25.00	
Total	—————	\$2,367.92

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

Belva Mohle	10.00	
R. Bordeau	32.00	
Bonney Vale Press	18.00	
W. Harold Strople	36.00	
Pudgy's Diner	39.60	
Citizen Pub. Co.	120.60	
Total	—————	\$256.20

MUNICIPAL COURT

Stanley Prescott	30.00	
Mrs. John Maitland	41.66	
Judge John Maitland	150.00	
Total	—————	\$221.66

TOWN HALL

B. Torrey	740.96	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	214.80	
P. S. C. of N. H.	86.43	
D. Leith	180.00	
Boutin Agency	343.55	
Northern Heating Co.	45.40	
Fred's Filling Station	4.13	
J. H. Valliere	80.40	
C. Brown Tax Coll.	24.40	
Richard White	150.00	
Total	—————	\$1,870.09

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Boutin Agency	21.24
D. Leith	787.50

Ames Uniform	29.68	
Geo. F. Coke Co.	12.85	
Guns Inc.	14.70	
W. S. Varley Co.	13.45	
Total	_____	\$879.42

LOAN TO WATER DEPARTMENT

Belmont Water Works	2,000.00	
Total	_____	\$2,000.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

C. Brown Tax Coll.	12.50	
Howard Reed	199.81	
Glines Garage	10.60	
Romeo Clairmont, Treas.	1,355.54	
Ralph Green	7.38	
Robert Richards	16.25	
Evans Radio	8.91	
Roys Electronic Serv.	13.65	
B. Torrey	425.60	
Treas. State of N. H.	30.00	
Laconia Wrecking	12.00	
Alonzo Simmons	6.40	
Winnisquam Fire Dept.	1,000.00	
Lakes Region Mutual Aid	6.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	323.55	
T. Roach, Warden	226.35	
Blanchard Associates	88.69	
Harry J. Lovell	337.50	
Boutin Agency	797.69	
P. S. Co. of N. H.	110.16	
Freds Filling Station	177.25	
Paul C. Pearson	75.00	
Total	_____	\$5,240.83

BLISTER RUST

William Messick	\$100.00	
Total	_____	\$100.00

HYDRANT RENTAL

C. Brown, Collector	2,320.00	
Total	_____	\$2,320.00

BOND AND RETIREMENT TAX

Treasurer, State of N. H.	405.05	
Total	_____	\$405.05

CIVIL DEFENSE

D. Ricard, Jr.	24.00	
Total	_____	\$24.00

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

E. Sweeney	40.50	
D. Leith	32.21	
Laconia Hospital	500.00	
Total	_____	\$572.71

TOWN DUMP AND GARBAGE

T. Pickard	1,300.00	
R. White	2,743.32	
Total	_____	\$4,043.32

HIGHWAY SUMMER MAINTENANCE

Harold Reed	2,682.00	
B. Dube	169.50	
H. Scott	2,226.25	
R. Allard, Jr.	2,137.50	
R. Blaisdell	26.25	
R. Martin	1,790.60	
Total	_____	\$9,032.10

HIGHWAY WINTER MAINTENANCE

H. Reed	1,622.30	
B. Dube	921.90	
H. Scott	1,405.16	
R. Allard, Jr.	1,324.60	
L. Parent	258.75	
H. Jones	19.60	
R. Martin	391.30	
M. Bourque	20.00	
Francis Marden	5.00	
R. White	24.00	
Total	_____	\$5,992.61

HIGHWAY GENERAL EXPENSE

R. Leroux	22.13	
J. Connare	152.27	
Mobil Oil Co.	1,947.52	
N. H. Explosives	220.98	
Texaco Co.	110.45	
Del Gilbert	52.00	

Signal Auto	167.54	
Sanel Auto	474.94	
L. M. Pike	14.65	
Boulia & Gorrel	24.50	
R. Page	16.25	
R. Blaisdell	60.00	
F. Judkins	20.40	
Blanche Pease	6.00	
Fletcher Milford	20.97	
Jeanette Noel	1.00	
Paul Young	61.50	
C. Brown, Collector	12.50	
Wilfred Gilbert	22.50	
P. S. Co. of N. H.	44.23	
Everett Weeks	17.50	
Laconia Electric	9.22	
Chas. N. Woods	146.23	
Fred's Filling Station	35.52	
Laconia Auto Supply	20.30	
Mingolla Mach. Co.	106.89	
W. D. Huse	10.85	
Ken's Market	.90	
B. Torrey	186.16	
Central N. H. Tractor	34.38	
Red Dunn	35.00	
Stafford Buick	3.02	
R. C. Hazleton	71.05	
J. E. Faltin	2.75	
Mahoney Welding	146.15	
Hueber Lumber	175.74	
Warner Morrill	35.00	
Irwin Motors	249.81	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	129.65	
Royal Smith	143.75	
R. C. White	210.50	
K. Nutter	67.50	
Boutin Agency	819.89	
Belknap Tire	605.42	
J. J. Morin	13.56	
N. H. Bituminous Co.	453.42	
Merrimack Farmers Exch.	218.64	
Ruth Hodges	3.00	
International Salt Co.	671.00	
Foster Construction	42.00	
Diamond Match	1.40	
Total		\$8,118.53

TOWN AID

Treasurer, State of N. H.	942.55	
Total	—————	\$942.55

STREET LIGHTS

Public Service Co. of N. H.	2,535.84	
Total	—————	\$2,535.84

LIBRARIES

Belmont Public Library	1,500	
Total	—————	\$1,500.00

O. A. A.

Treasurer, State of N. H.	7,545.16	
Total	—————	\$7,545.16

TOWN POOR

B. Torrey, fuel	33.14	
Ken's Market, food	236.86	
Dr. H. E. Trapp, medical	8.00	
Gardner Fuel	30.00	
Week's Dairy	17.79	
Kelly's Army & Navy, clothing	30.45	
J. J. Newberry, clothing	164.29	
Virginia Shaw, clothing	32.38	
Mrs. Olin Ford, board	1,404.89	
Mrs. Jos. Morin, board	960.00	
Dr. Walsh, medical	7.00	
Bristol Drug, medicine	6.05	
Dr. Fournier, medical	32.00	
N. H. Cancer Comm., medical	268.64	
Whelan Drug, medicine	2.00	
Laconia Clinic, medical	149.50	
Leo Leclerc, food	4.24	
Reliable Clothing	8.97	
Freds Filling Station, supplies	1.19	
Byron Parker, surplus food	29.19	
John's Shoe Store	7.65	
Shortle's Shoe Store	30.00	
Salvation Army	45.00	
Dr. Robinson, medical	8.00	
Mrs. Marie Carignan, board	20.00	
Frank Foley, fuel	17.60	
Total	—————	\$3,554.78

MEMORIAL DAY AND OLD HOME DAY

Chas. Kilborn Post	150.00	
W. Mansfield, Treas.	200.00	
Total	_____	\$350.00

CEMETERIES

Russell Cushing	50.00	
Total	_____	\$50.00

HYDRANT RENTAL

Calvin Brown, collector	2,320.00	
Total	_____	\$2,320.00

ADVERTISING AND REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

Lakes Region Association	200.00	
Total	_____	\$200.00

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Calvin Brown, collector	1,552.74	
Total	_____	\$1,552.74

DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Henry Bach, motor vehicle	8.10	
Calvin Brown, collector	10.00	
Parker Albee, property	22.50	
Calvin Brown, timber tax bond	27.00	
Constance Kashuck, motor vehicle	9.47	
Geo. Singleton, property	28.50	
Wm. Fogg, property	19.00	
Total	_____	\$124.57

RETIREMENT AND S. S.

Treas, State of N. H.	715.33	
Total	_____	\$715.33

INTEREST

Laconia National Bank	694.57	
Total	_____	\$694.57

TOWN CONSTRUCTION

Beede Oil Co.	376.00	
R. C. Hazleton	824.32	
L. Roberts	1,113.75	

Del. Gilbert	202.80	
Hueber Lumber Co.	53.22	
N. H. Bituminous	890.30	
Total	—————	\$3,460.39

LAND AND BUILDINGS

R. C. Hazleton, loader	10,110.00	
Total	—————	\$10,110.00

TEMPORARY LOANS

Laconia National Bank	60,000.00	
Total	—————	\$60,000.00

BONDS AND NOTES

Laconia National Bank	1,200.00	
Total	—————	\$1,200.00

COUNTY TAX

Byron Parker, Treas.	5,301.38	
Total	—————	\$5,301.38

HEAD TAX

Treas, State of N. H.	4,617.00	
Total	—————	\$4,617.00

SCHOOLS

Belmont School District	144,570.94	
Total	—————	\$144,570.94

TOWN INDEBTEDNESS

Year due	Water work improvement Bonds		Fire Station	Loader
	2¾%	2⅞%	4½%	3½%
1962	1,600	2,000	1,200	2,022
1963	2,000	2,000	1,200	2,022
1964	2,000	2,000	1,200	2,022
1965	2,000	2,000	1,200	2,022
1966	2,000	2,000	1,200	
1967	2,000	2,000	1,200	
1968	2,000	2,000	1,200	
1969	2,000	2,000	1,200	
1970	2,000	2,000		
1971	2,000	2,000		
1972	2,000	1,000		
1973	2,000	1,000		
1974	2,000	1,000		
1975	2,000	1,000		
1976	2,000	1,000		
1977	1,000	1,000		
1978		1,000		
1979		1,000		
1980		1,000		
	\$30,600	\$29,000	\$9,600	\$8,088

REPORT

of an examination and audit
of the accounts
of the

TOWN OF BELMONT

for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961

made by

THE DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

November 13 and 14, 1961

and

January 18 and 19, 1962

**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION**

Concord, New Hampshire

January 31, 1962

Certificate of Audit

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Belmont for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1961. In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town of Belmont on December 31, 1961, together with the results of operations for the fiscal year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

Harold G. Fowler

Director

**DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION**

Norval D. Lessels, Auditor

Charles T. Carroll, Accountant

EXHIBIT A-1

TOWN OF BELMONT

Comparative Balance Sheets

As of December 31, 1960 and December 31, 1961

ASSETS

	December 31, 1960	December 31, 1961
Cash—Treasurer	\$ 77,626.99	\$ 73,758.96
Accounts Receivable:		
Estimated Railroad Tax \$	25.00	\$
Bounties	12.50	12.50
Due From Water Dept.	865.60	865.60
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	903.10	878.10
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Tax Levy of 1960	\$	\$12,096.00
Tax Levy of 1959	8,212.65	3,726.25
Tax Levy of 1958	2,135.20	595.58
Tax Levy of 1957	1,080.95	459.45
Tax Levy of 1956	831.35	280.97
Levies of Prior Years	2,195.59	1,632.99
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	14,455.74	18,791.24
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1961	\$	\$52,929.05
Levy of 1960	50,071.56	40.75
Levy of 1959	263.61	19.24
Levy of 1958	380.82	352.83
Levy of 1957	188.75	188.75
Levies of Prior Years	1,466.84	1,178.78
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	52,371.58	54,709.40
Uncollected State Head Taxes:		
Levy of Current Year	\$ 1,760.00	\$ 1,795.00
Levies of Prior Years	20.00	20.00
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	1,780.00	1,815.00
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Total Assets	\$147,137.41	\$149,952.70
Net Debt	22,326.21	30,851.05
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Total Assets & Net Debt	\$169,463.62	\$180,803.75
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LIABILITIES

December 31, 1960 December 31, 1961

Unexpended Balances of Special**Appropriations:**

School Tax	\$87,653.47	\$95,214.72
Legal Expense	1,000.00	1,000.00
Hospital	500.00	
Fire Station Construction	1,147.84	293.39
Gen. Expense of Highways	1,500.00	
Winnisquam Fire Dept.	1,000.00	
Civil Defense		76.00
New Equipment		2,400.00
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	\$ 92,801.31	\$ 98,984.11
Yield Tax Deposits	27.00	
Due Tax Collector—Overpayment	10.00	

Due State of New Hampshire:

Head Taxes Uncollected	\$ 1,760.00	\$ 1,795.00
Head Taxes Collected	235.50	271.00
Special Yield Taxes—		
Uncollected	224.76	398.91
Special Yield Taxes—		
Collected	405.05	44.73
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	2,625.31	2,509.64

Long Term Notes Outstanding:

Fire Station	10,800.00	9,600.00
New Equipment		10,110.00
Bonds Outstanding—		
Water Department	63,200.00	59,600.00
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Total Liabilities	\$169,463.62	\$180,803.75
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Total Liabilities	\$169,463.62	\$180,803.75
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EXHIBIT A-2
TOWN OF BELMONT

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961

Net Debt—December 31, 1961	\$30,851.05	
Net Debt—December 31, 1960	22,326.21	
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Increase in Net Debt		\$8,524.84
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Analysis of Change

Increases:

Surplus used to Reduce		
Tax Rate	\$ 9,500.00	
Long Term Notes Issued	10,110.00	
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	25.00	
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		\$19,635.00

Decreases:

Long Term Notes Paid	\$ 1,200.00	
Bonds Paid by Water Department	3,600.00	
Adjustment of Yield Tax Liability	58.42	
Net Budget Surplus	6,251.74	
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		11,110.16
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Net Increase		\$8,524.84
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TOWN OF BELMONT

EXHIBIT C-1

Summary of Warrants

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961

—DR—	1961	1960	1959	1958	Levies of:					1951
					1957	1956	1954	1953		
Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1960:										
Property Taxes	\$	\$49,509.56	\$ 6.90	\$	\$	\$143.20	\$	\$	\$	
Poll Taxes		502.00	4.00							
Yield Taxes			252.71		380.82	526.25	303.35	293.82	200.22	
Taxes Committed to Collector:										
Property Taxes	208,405.65									
Poll Taxes	1,546.00									
National Bank Stock Taxes	2.00									
Yield Taxes	1,808.62	267.52			188.75					
Added Taxes:										
Property Taxes	421.25									
Poll Taxes	20.00	58.00								
Interest Collected	6.00	1,567.40	.24							
Overpayment	3.00									
	\$212,212.52	\$51,904.48	\$263.85	\$380.82	\$188.75	\$669.45	\$303.35	\$293.82	\$200.22	

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$154,581.95	\$49,313.59	\$ 4.00	\$	\$	\$	\$
Poll Taxes	960.00	514.00					
Yield Taxes		267.52		.84		9.00	
Interest	6.00	1,567.40	.24				
National Bank Stock Taxes	2.00						

Discounts Allowed

2,999.02 6.48

Abatements:

Property Taxes	692.50	154.74			134.20		
Poll Taxes	42.00	100.00					
Yield Taxes		240.37	27.15		85.44	24.42	35.00

Uncollected Taxes—December 31, 1961:

Property Taxes	50,556.43	34.75	6.90				
Poll Taxes	564.00	6.00					
Yield Taxes		1,808.62	12.34	352.83	188.75	440.81	258.82
		\$51,904.48	\$263.85	\$380.82	\$188.75	\$669.45	\$293.82
	\$212,212.52					\$303.35	\$200.22
							\$200.22

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES**ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1961**

Town Officers Salaries	\$5,200.00
Town Officers Expenses Exp. of Com. Code (\$500 + Other (2400))	2,900.00
Election and Registration Expenses	240.00
Municipal Court Expenses	350.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	1,800.00
Social Security and Retirement Contributions	700.00
Police Department	1,300.00
Fire Department, Forest Fires	5,656.00
Blister Rust—Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	100.00
Damages and Legal Expenses (Dog Damage \$50.00)	50.00
Civilian Defense	100.00
Health Department \$100 Hospitals \$500	600.00
Dump and Garbage Collection	4,400.00
Town Maintenance (Summer \$9,000) (Winter \$6,000)	15,000.00
Street Lighting	2,550.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	7,500.00
Town Road Aid	942.55
Libraries	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00
Public Relief (Town Poor \$4,500)	4,500.00
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day	350.00
Water and Electric Utilities (Hydrants)	2,320.00
Cemeteries	50.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	200.00
New Construction (Roads \$3,500)	3,500.00
State Aid Construction (Camp Roads)	500.00
New Equipment	2,400.00
Payment on Debt (Principal (1,200) (Interest \$1,400)	2,600.00
Total Town Appropriations	72,308.55
County Tax	5,301.37
School Tax	152,132.19
Total Town, County and School Appropriations	\$229,742.11

Total Town, County and School Appropriations \$229,742.11

LESS ESTIMATED REVENUE AND CREDITS

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,702.86
Railroad Tax	41.89
Savings Bank Tax	12.10
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	1,500.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	1,800.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	50.00
Dog Licenses	580.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	9,000.00
Fines and Forfeits—Municipal Court	500.00
Poll Taxes at \$2.00 Number 709	1,418.00
Surplus (see note)* Balance Sheet Surplus	9,500.00
Other Revenue: Head Tax Com.	220.00
Total Revenues and Credits	26,324.85
	\$203,417.26
Plus Overlay	5,208.04
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Amount to be raised by property taxes	208,625.30
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Taxes to be committed to Collector

Property Taxes	\$208,625.30
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	1,418.00
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Total Taxes to be committed	\$210,043.30
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Tax Rates

Approved by Tax Commission	5.00
4,172,506 x 5.00 =	\$208,625.30
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* NOTE: Cash Surplus—Difference between CASH balance and current liabilities excluding long term debt as of December 31.

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings (Exclusive of		
Property listed in Item #2 & #3		3,691,263.00
Factory Buildings Including Land & Machinery		130,550.00
Electric Plants		331,550.00
Petroleum and Gas Transmission Lines		
(Include Buildings and Mach.)		3,450.00
Stock in Trade		63,190.00
Boats and Launches	73	18,450.00
Horses, Asses and Mules	13	875.00
Cows	297	32,010.00
Other Neat Stock	13	490.00
Sheep and Goats	16	315.00
Fowls	750	380.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks		2,205.00
Road Building and Construction Machinery		
including Stone Crushers	3	13,000.00
Wood, Lumber, Logs, etc. (Not Stock in Trade)		30,753.00
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C. Total Gross Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed		4,318,481.00
D. Less: Veterans' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind		145,975.00
E. Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed		4,172,506.00
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Electric and Gas Utility Companies

Public Service Co. of N. H.	327,600.00	
Gas Sv. Inc.		3,450.00
N. H. Electric Corp.	3,950.00	
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Total	331,550.00	3,450.00
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Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans \$145,975.00

FLOYD W. WHITE
 JOHN F. MOYNIHAN
 THOMAS A. ROACH

BELMONT WATER DEPARTMENT

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS 1961

Administration

Treasurer State of N. H., Social Security	44.14	
Bonnie Vale Press, Tax Bills	16.00	
Robert Leroux, Expenses	4.32	
N. H. Water Works Assoc., Dues	10.00	
Peoples National Bank, Service Charges	10.27	
Wilson S. Mansfield, Salary and Expenses	150.00	
		235.07

Production

Public Service Company, Power	1,347.66	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., line to pump	60.00	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Oil and Anti Freeze	15.00	
Robert Leroux, Supplies	.45	
		1,423.11

Distribution

Robert Leroux, Salary and Labor	1,317.80	
Richard C. White, Plowing Snow	15.75	
Tilton Construction Co., Labor and Equipment	59.80	
Parent Brothers, Labor and Equipment	30.80	
		1,423.35

Interest

Peoples National Bank, Coupons	676.90	
First National Bank Boston, Interest	863.50	
		1,540.40

Indebtedness

Peoples National Bank, Bonds	2,000.00	
First National Bank of Boston, Bonds	1,600.00	
Town of Belmont, Temp. Loan	2,000.00	
		5,600.00

Insurance

Boutin Insurance Agency Insurance	34.68	
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Total Payments		<hr/>
		10,256.61
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Respectfully Submitted,

WILSON S. MANSFIELD
Treasurer

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS
1961

January

1 Cash on Hand		2,876.26
28 Calvin Brown, Water tax	583.96	
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February

No Receipts

March

10 Calvin Brown, Water tax	324.91	
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April

1 Calvin Brown, Water tax	80.45	
	<hr/>	3,775.58

May

24 Town of Belmont, Temp. loan	2,000.00	
26 Calvin Brown, Water tax	326.08	
	<hr/>	6,101.66

June

24	Calvin Brown, Water tax	2,675.81	
		<hr/>	8,777.47

July

15	Calvin Brown, Water tax	432.31	
24	Calvin Brown, Water tax	272.60	
		<hr/>	9,482.38

August

No Receipts

September

23	Calvin Brown, Water tax	764.26	
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October

No Receipts

November

17	Calvin Brown, Water tax	581.45	
	" " " "	223.19	
		<hr/>	11,051.28

December

20	Calvin Brown, Water tax	1,686.41	
	" " " "	741.50	
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Total Receipts 13,479.19

Respectfully submitted,

WILSON S. MANSFIELD
Treasurer

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Created	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Income During Year	Expend. During Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Bal. End Year
1902	Sylvia Walcott Fund, care of lot on Kinsley Farm	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00			100.00	8.35	1.50	54.80	61.65
1907	Stevens Fifield Fund, care of lot in So. Rd., Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	2,688.50		119.34	2,807.84	134.64	180.00	58.26	12.90
1909	W. H. Sanborn Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	75.00			75.00	5.53	4.00	27.33	28.86
1909	John S. Folsom Fund, care of lot in Province Rd., Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	8.23		145.38	153.61
1910	Stephen Folsom Fund, care of lot in Province Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	5.90	1.50	9.06	13.46
1916	James N. Hall Fund, care of lot in So Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	7.71	5.30	42.76	45.17
1916	Chas. E. Cate Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	300.00			300.00	25.57	4.00	171.78	193.35
1917	John M. Folsom Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	6.17	4.50	14.05	15.72
1920-25	George W. Fifield Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	1,732.98		76.83	1,809.81	86.68	107.00	48.23	27.91
1920	Silas Leavitt Fund, care of Joseph Leavitt Cemetery P. Rd.	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00			100.00	9.83	2.25	81.56	89.14
1921	Louise Ingalls Fund, care of Hannah P. Brown lot H. Cem.	"	100.00			100.00	6.19	4.00	14.32	16.51
1921	Sarah Piper Fund, care of lot in Highland Cem.	"	100.00			100.00	5.63	3.50	4.18	6.31
1921	D. W. Gale Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	5.69	4.00	5.33	7.02
1921	Blanche Weymouth Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	5.63	4.00	4.22	5.85
1921	Lydia Willard Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	50.00			50.00	2.81	2.00	2.21	3.02

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Created	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income During Year	Expend. During Year	Bal. End Year
1921	Mrs. Lillian M. Knowles Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00			100.00	.22	5.42	3.58	2.06
1922	Electa Currier Fund, care of lot in Mt. Auburn Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	77.07	9.60	3.00	83.67
1922	Etta Gilman Fund, care of ½ lot in So Rd. Cemetery	"	50.00			50.00		2.70	1.68	1.02
1922	Happy Latty Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00		5.42	3.36	2.06
1923	Mrs. Joseph Hall Fund, care of lot in Jamestown Cemetery	"	50.00			50.00	16.35	2.21		18.56
1924	John A. Ladd Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	60.00			60.00	2.76	3.37	2.00	4.13
1924	Thomas Clark Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	60.00			60.00	2.99	3.39	2.00	4.38
1924	Wm. Kilborn Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	121.32			121.32	26.09	7.98	4.50	29.57
1924	Mason and Clark Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	60.00			60.00	2.79	3.37	2.00	4.16
1924	Fred Brown Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	50.00			50.00	21.82	3.87	4.00	21.69
1924	Wm. Morrill Fund, care of lot in Jamestown Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	14.38	3.83		18.21
1924	Fred Currier Fund, care of lot in Jamestown Cemetery	"	200.00			200.00	33.02	7.82		40.84
1925	Cora Thompson Fund, care of lot No. 54 So. Rd., Cemetery	"	75.00			75.00	.03	4.05	2.54	1.54
1926	Clara Lovejoy Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	4.19	5.63	4.00	5.82
1926	Mattie Adams Fund, care of lot in Jamestown Cemetery	"	20.00			20.00	.76	1.10	1.40	.46

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Created	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income During Year	Expend. During Year	Bal. End Year
1927	Dana Maxfield Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00			100.00		5.42	3.36	2.06
1927	C. S. Watson Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	50.00			50.00	2.13	2.81	2.00	2.94
1928	W. C. Wells Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	7.00	5.79	4.00	8.79
1928	Etta Gilman Fund, care of C. S. Gilman lot in So. Rd. Cemetery									
	Etta Gilman Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00		5.42	3.36	2.06
1930	A. L. West Fund, care of lot in So. Rd., Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	5.96	5.72	4.50	7.18
1930	Laurantine Sanborn Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	.03	5.42	3.39	2.06
1930	John Bean, Mrs. Ella Bean care of lot No. 33 So. Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	.60	5.42	3.96	2.06
1930	Fred Bickford Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	50.00			50.00		2.70	1.68	1.02
1933	Samuel Knowles Fund, care of lots No. 84 and No. 26 in So. Rd., Cemetery	Eaton & Howard Stock Fund Inc.	321.57		8.70	330.27	.80	8.41	9.00	.21
1933	Jeremiah Kimball Fund, care of lot No. 50 So. Rd., Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	165.59		7.80	173.39	2.28	4.68	4.50	2.46
1934	Abbie Fifield Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	1,335.89		58.50	1,394.39		66.00	53.33	12.67
1934	Ada Hudson Fund, care of lot in So. Rd., Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	190.00			190.00	33.29	12.09	5.30	40.08
1934	V. Estelle Sanborn Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	12.13	6.06	4.50	13.69
1934	Harriott S. Leonard Fund, care of Dr. Hurd lot in Highland Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	112.78		4.55	117.33	6.20	2.73	4.00	4.93

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Created	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income During Year	Expend. During Year	Bal. End Year
1934	Mrs. Charles Richards Fund, care of lot No. 179 So. Rd., Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	113.22		3.51	116.73	.58	3.96	4.50	.04
1935	Mary Page Fund, care of Chase lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	50.00			50.00		2.70	1.68	1.02
1935	Asa Gile Fund, care of lot in James-town Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	112.78		4.55	117.33	39.32	2.73	1.50	40.55
1935	Otis Sanborn Fund care of lot No. 35 in Highland Cemetery	"	112.78		4.55	117.33	2.86	2.73	4.00	1.59
1938	Geo. P. Dearborn Fund, care of lot in So. Rd., Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00			100.00	1.12	5.47	2.50	4.09
1938	Lettie M. Hall Fund, care of lot No. 181 So. Rd., Cemetery	Broad S Inv. Corp.	113.22		3.51	116.73	.74	3.96	4.50	.20
1938	M. Jennie Small Fund, care of Small and Garmon lot So. Rd., Cen.	"	116.39		3.51	119.90	.58	3.96	4.50	.04
1938	Mabel Clark Fund, care of lot No. 131 So. Rd., Cemetery	"	226.44		7.02	233.46	42.57	7.92	5.30	45.19
1939	Sadie Pelham Fund, care of Lillian Hull lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	100.00			100.00		5.42	3.36	2.06
1940	Nahum Sanborn Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00	.01	5.42	3.37	2.06
1940	Edna French Fund, care of Moses Lyford lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	113.22		3.51	116.73	.58	3.96	4.50	.04
1940	Wm. Courser Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00			200.00	18.14	11.82	5.30	24.66
1940	Vinson Hadley Fund, care of Hadley Cemetery at P. Rd.	"	200.00			200.00	97.92	16.12	1.50	112.54
1942	Ethelbert Sayward Fund, care of Woodman Cemetery	"	100.00	Keyes 100.00		200.00	19.51	7.12	6.50	20.13
1942	Benjamin Mudgett Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	56.39		1.95	58.34	2.68	1.17	2.50	1.35

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Created	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income During Year	Expend. During Year	Bal. End Year
1938	Fred and George Hancock Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00			200.00	27.79	12.33	4.50	35.62
1944	Sarah Lamprey Fund, care of Lam- prey Cemetery at P. Road	Mass. Inv. Growth Stock Fund Inc.	282.32		12.25	294.57	31.14	5.75	5.00	31.89
1944	Mabel Clark Fund, care of lot No. 139 So. Rd. Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	240.00			240.00	20.48	14.11	5.30	29.29
1946	Kate C. Wells Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	1,335.90		58.50	1,394.40	145.07	66.00	29.50	181.57
1946	Etta B. Dearborn Fund, care of lot in Union Cemetery	Eaton & Howard Bal. Fund	109.27		3.60	112.87	3.14	3.38	3.50	3.02
1947	Alvin Clark Fund, care of Clark lot on Bean Hill	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	226.44		7.02	233.46	38.94	7.92	3.75	43.11
1947	Alvin Clark Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	226.44		7.02	233.46	60.15	7.92		68.07
1948	John Sargent Fund, Town of Bel- mont	Fidelity Fund Inc.	10,103.88		617.50	10,721.38		385.71	385.71	
1948	John Sargent Fund, Town of Bel- mont	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	3,403.02		152.10	3,555.12		171.60	171.60	
1948	Helen Thurley Fund, care of John Ladd lot Highland Cemetery	Laconia Savings Bank	50.00			50.00	1.96	2.77	2.00	2.73
1949	Abbie Young Head Fund, care of Bailey Young Cemetery P. Rd.	"	200.00			200.00	45.70	13.29	2.25	56.74
1950	Josiah Cate Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	500.00			500.00	22.34	28.21	10.30	40.25
1950	Mary Clifford Fund, care of lot No. 146 So. Rd. Cemetery	"	100.00			100.00		5.42	3.36	2.06
1951	Blanche Weymouth Fund, care of lots No. 4 and 10 Highland Cem.	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	113.22		3.51	116.73	4.50	3.96	4.00	4.46
1951	Herbert C. Adams Fund, care of Adams and Wilder lot So. Rd. Cem.	Eaton & Howard Stock Fund Inc.	213.92		5.70	219.62	.58	5.51	4.50	1.59
1951	Daisy Sawyer Fund, care of lot No. 122 So. Rd. Cem.	Laconia Savings Bank	200.00			200.00	21.11	11.98	5.30	27.79

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Created	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Balance Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Capital Gain Dividends	Balance End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income During Year	Expend. During Year	Bal. End Year
1952	Dr. Edwin Hodgdon Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	264.99			275.91	46.02	12.32	5.30	53.04
1952	Dora Riley Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	"	189.95		10.92	198.14	14.43	9.24	12.30	11.37
1953	Addie C. Case Fund, care of lot No. 119 So. Rd. Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	261.38		8.19	276.33	16.89	8.97	10.80	15.06
1953	Dora Riley Fund, care of lot No. 163 So. Rd. Cemetery	"	74.60		14.95	79.15	17.16	2.73		19.89
1953	Ellis Clark Fund, care of lot No. 140 So. Rd. Cemetery	Boston Fund Inc.	191.92		4.55	194.23	6.22	6.27	4.50	7.99
1955	Dow Harris Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Mass. Inv. Trust	217.20		2.31	221.00	17.96	7.41	5.30	20.07
1955	Mary Clark Fund, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	115.00		3.80	119.55	3.46	2.73	2.50	3.69
1956	Thomas Fuller Fund, care of lot No. 66 So. Rd. Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	112.92		4.55	116.04	3.94	3.52	2.62	4.84
1956	Grace Moulton Fund, care of Worthington lot Loudon Ridge Cem.	Eaton & Howard Bal. Fund Inc.	218.39		3.12	225.19	9.81	6.38	4.00	12.19
1957	Fred and Bessie Laflam Fund, care of Half lot So. Rd. Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	122.57		6.80	127.12	12.39	2.73		15.12
1958	Katherine Johnson Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	271.85		4.55	284.85	.23	7.80	7.40	.63
1958	Austin G. Lamprey Fund, care of lot No. 56 So. Rd. Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	160.35		13.00	166.85	1.90	3.90	5.30	.50
1959	Annie Edgerly Fund, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	103.05		6.50	106.30	1.50	1.95	2.50	.95
1960	Alta Heath Donovan, care of lot in So. Rd. Cemetery	Broad St. Inv. Corp.	178.90		3.25	183.97	4.42	5.72	4.50	5.64
1960	W. N. and May E. Duso, care of lot in Highland Cemetery	Fidelity Fund Inc.	200.00		5.07	207.80	1.56	4.68		6.24
1961	Reed-Fifield Fund, care of lot 48 So. Rd., Cem.	Laconia Savings Bank		150.00	7.80	150.00				
			32,020.55	250.00	1,274.39	33,544.94	1,763.76	1,449.66	1,231.59	1,981.83

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS ON OLD CEMETERIES

OLD CEMETERY ACCOUNTS

Cash Receipts

	1961		
Jan.	1	Cash on hand	992.91
Feb.	8	Rec'd from Fidelity Fund Inc., as capital gains on 14 funds	94.77
Feb.	16	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Trust as capital gains on Dow-Harris Fund	3.80
Feb.	28	Rec'd from Boston Fund as qtr. div. and capital gains on Ellis Clark Fund	4.07
Mar.	17	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Growth Stock Fund qtr. div., Sarah Lamprey Fund	1.50
Mar.	27	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Bal Fund as qtr. div. on 2 funds	2.22
Mar.	27	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Stock Fund as qtr. div. on 2 funds	3.36
Mar.	27	Rec'd from Fidelity Fund as qtr. div. on 14 funds	100.44
Mar.	31	Rec'd from Broad Street Investing Corp. as qtr. div. on 21 funds	113.20
Apr.	22	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Trust as div. on Dow-Harris fund.	1.90
May	29	Rec'd from Boston Fund as qtr. div. on Ellis Clark Fund	1.43
June	19	Rec'd from Laconia Savings Bank from Jonah Cate Fund	5.00
June	23	Rec'd from Fidelity Fund as qtr. div. on 14 funds	100.44
June	23	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Fund as qtr. div. on 2 funds	2.34
June	23	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Stock Fund as qtr. div. on 2 funds	3.36
July	1	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Growth Stock Fund as qtr. div. on one fund	1.50
July	1	Rec'd from Broad Street Corp. as qtr. div. on 17 funds	137.20
July	24	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Trust as qtr. div. on 1 fund	1.90
Aug.	3	Rec'd from Everett Keyes for Trust Fund on Sayward lot	100.00
Aug.	29	Rec'd from Boston Fund as qtr. div. on 1 fund	1.54

Sept. 2	Rec'd from Gertrude Reed as Trust Fund for care of Reed-Fifield lot in So. Rd. Cem.	150.00
Sept. 22	Rec'd from Fidelity Fund as qtr. div. on 14 funds	100.44
Sept. 22	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Stock Fund as qtr. div. on 2 funds	3.36
Sept. 22	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Bal. Fund as qtr. div. on 2 funds	2.34
Sept. 30	Rec'd from Broad Street Investing Corp. as qtr. div. on 9 funds	45.00
Sept. 30	Rec'd from Broad Street Corp. as qtr. div. on 8 funds	91.20
Sept. 30	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Growth Stock Fund as qtr. div. on 1 fund	1.50
Oct. 30	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Trust as qtr. div. on 1 fund	1.71
Nov. 14	Rec'd from Laconia Savings Bank as withdrawals from 18 funds	61.00
Nov. 16	Rec'd from Laconia Savings Bank as withdrawals from 22 funds for care of lots in So. Rd. Cem.	81.98
Nov. 29	Rec'd from Boston Fund as qtr. div. on 1 fund	1.54
Dec. 1	Rec'd from Laconia Savings Bank from 7 funds for care of lots in rural areas	11.90
Dec. 1	Rec'd from Laconia Savings Bank from 2 funds for care of 2 lots	8.00
Dec. 26	Rec'd from Fidelity Fund as qtr. div. on 14 funds	133.92
Dec. 26	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Trust as qtr. div. on 1 fund	1.90
Dec. 26	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Bal. Fund as qtr. div. and capital gains on 2 funds	13.26
Dec. 26	Rec'd from Eaton & Howard Stock Fund as qtr. div. and capital gains on 2 funds	18.24
Dec. 28	Rec'd from Broad Street Investing Corp. as qtr. div. on 17 funds	190.68
Dec. 28	Rec'd from Broad Street Investing Corp. as capital gains on 17 funds	102.85
Dec. 30	Rec'd from Mass. Investors Growth Stock Fund as qtr. div. and capital gains on Lamprey Fund	13.50

Total receipts \$2,729.20

Cash Payments

1961			
May	2	Paid Union Cemetery Asso. for care of Ella Dearborn lot	3.50
May	2	Paid Belmont Youth Council from John Sargent Fund	89.01
May	2	Paid Belmont Youth Council from John Sargent Fund	39.00
June	12	Paid Perrys Memorials for Urn from Addie Carr Fund	5.50
June	12	Paid D. D. Whittemores flowers for Fifi- field Lot	10.00
		D. Riley Lot	7.00
		J. Cate Lot	5.00
		H. Johnson Lot	5.00
July	21	Paid Belmont Youth Council from Sar- gent Fund	39.00
July	21	Paid Belmont Youth Council from Sar- gent Fund	89.01
Aug	29	Deposited in Laconia Savings Bank on the Ethelbert Sayward Fund	100.00
Aug.	15	Paid Everett Sayward for cash paid out to repair stone	5.00
Aug.	16	Paid South Road Cemetery Asso. for general care from the Stevens-Fifield Fund	100.00
Sept.	5	Deposited in Laconia Savings Bank in the name of Reed-Field Fund	150.00
Oct.	17	Paid Gordon Bean for care of Lamprey Cemetery P. Road	5.00
Oct.	20	Paid Belmont Youth Council from Sar- gent Fund	89.01
Oct.	20	Paid Belmont Youth Council from Sar- gent Fund	39.00
Nov.	13	Paid Bert Banfill for labor in Highland Cem. from the Kate Wells Fund	19.50
Oct.	2	Paid Bert Banfill for care lots in High- land Cem. 18 lots from Savings Bank acct. 5 lots from Mutual Funds	85.50
Nov.	17	Paid South Road Cemetery Asso. from S. Fifield Fund for general care	70.00
Nov.	17	Paid South Road Cemetery Asso. from Geo. Fifield Fund for general care	107.00
Nov.	17	Paid South Road Cemetery Asso. from Abbie Fund for general care	27.00

Nov. 18	Paid Chester Couch for care of 22 lots in So. Rd. Cemetery from Savings Bank Funds	81.98
Nov. 18	Paid Chester Couch for care of 20 lots in So. Rd., Cemetery from Mutual Funds	105.42
Nov. 18	Paid Chester Couch for labor in So. Rd. Cemetery from Abbie Fifield Fund	7.73
Nov. 29	Paid Loudon Ridge Cemetery Asso. for care of G. Moulton Lot	4.00
Dec. 18	Paid Stanley Hall for care of Electa Currier Lot	3.00
Dec. 18	Paid Orrin Page for care of Cemeteries covered by Trust Funds 2 on Mutual Funds, 7 on Bank Funds	17.15
Dec. 30	Paid Belmont Youth Council from Sargent Fund	118.68
Dec. 30	Paid Belmont Youth Council from Sargent Fund	54.60
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Total		\$1,481.59
Cash on hand in checking account		1,247.61
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		\$2,729.20

TRUSTEES REPORT ON OLD CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Cash Receipts

1961		
Jan. 1	Cash brought forward	102.61
Dec. 7	Rec'd from Town of Belmont 1961 appro.	50.00
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Total		\$152.61

Cash Payments

1961		
Apr. 14	Paid Haywards Country Store for wire and post	80.56
Dec. 18	Paid Stanley Hill for labor in old cemeteries	10.00
Dec. 18	Paid Orrin Page for labor in old Cemeteries	28.50
Dec. 30	Cash on hand	33.55
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Total		\$152.61

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY 1961

Cash on hand December 31, 1960		\$477.41
Town appropriation	\$1,500.00	
Duffy library trust	750.00	
Rent of Memorial Hall	11.00	
Received for books	9.28	
		2,270.28
		\$2,747.69

Expenditures

Librarian	\$480.00	
Janitor	180.00	
Books	547.38	
Periodicals	126.47	
Burleigh Torrey, Fuel Oil	344.17	
Boutin Insurance Agency	93.62	
Public Service Company	94.39	
Water Rent	16.28	
Librarian's Supplies	31.66	
Janitor's Supplies	21.07	
Social Security	14.40	
Assistant Librarian	20.00	
Miscellaneous	29.92	
Treasurer's Expense	10.00	
Bonnie Vale Press	8.70	
Northern Heating & Plumbing Co.	6.63	
Citizens National Bank Service Charges	3.34	
P.O. Box Rental	6.60	
		\$2,034.63
Balance on Hand December 31, 1961		\$713.06

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REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

Circulation			
Adult Non-fiction	2,156		
Adult Fiction	2,230		
Juvenile Non-fiction	1,926		
Juvenile Fiction	2,856		
Magazines	2,130		
	Total	11,298	
Amount on hand January 1, 1961			\$8.39
Received for Fines	\$9.25		
Old Magazines	.75		
Lost book	2.00		
Out of town patron	1.00		
			13.00
			\$21.39
Paid for Postage and insurance	\$5.83		
Books	6.00		
Supplies	2.45		
			\$14.28
Amount on hand December 31, 1961			\$7.11

PEARL E. SANBORN

Librarian

REPORT OF BELMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT

For the Year Ended December 31, 1961

It has been my privilege to serve the people of Belmont as Chief of Police since August, when I was appointed to fill the post vacated by Donald J. Leith after 9 years of service.

Changes affecting police administration during the past year have included adoption by the Selectmen of the first set of Town Ordinances in the history of Belmont. Their overall effect has been beneficial in that your Police Department has been given an indispensable tool with which to work.

Two new officers were appointed, Robert Harper and Donald Hamilton, to replace David Ricard, Jr., and W. Harold Strople, who retired after long service. Alden Brown, who joined the force in 1959, was advanced to the rank of Sergeant. Retiring Chief Leith and Roland Kimball, Jr., a 1960 appointee, remain with us.

The men have been instructed to concentrate activities in the village and on town roads, with crime prevention as their major goal, and to eliminate conflict of interest with other agencies. Examples of additional services made possible by this policy include a reduction in teen-age recklessness with motor vehicles in town; regular checks of business properties at night; wintertime checks of unoccupied premises; and duty at schools and public events. A records system has been installed, and a new "blue phone" network enables you to reach us more easily, since the CO 7-3551 phone now rings at the Town Hall, the home of the Chief and one Special Officer.

Our biggest problem is still—BUDGET. We travelled 6,400 miles and worked many hours answering complaints last year, plus routine patrol and other duties. Your Chief spent more than his salary each week for car expense alone, plus purchasing equipment for the men out of his own pay. Routine patrol is the backbone of all law enforcement, and the most effective deterrent to crime ever devised, yet there has never been any appropriation for patrol or for the purchase of uniforms and equipment in our budget. There is still one member of our department who does not have a service revolver.

Belmont now has school facilities second to none in towns of equal size in the state, and new fire station, fine waterworks system, and the latest in roadbuilding equipment. It is hoped that now that these necessary facilities have been provided, your long-neglected

Police Department will be remembered with adequate funds to meet our ever-increasing work load. Good, efficient police departments, like good schools and other services, are a credit to any community. Ill-trained, poorly-equipped and underpaid policemen in a town of 2,000 population cannot continue to adequately meet the demands made of them, particularly when efficient police organizations operating in neighboring communities cause the shoddier elements of our society more and more to seek out those towns in which minimal standards of police protection are not provided, in which to continue their activities uninterrupted.

EARL M. SWEENEY

Chief of Police

BELMONT MUNICIPAL COURT

Statistical Statement for 1961

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT RECORD Total	41
Persons Killed	2
Persons Injured	15
SUMMARY OF ARRESTS Total for Year	130
Breaks, larcenies, etc.	3
Juvenile Delinquency	2
Assault, malicious damage, drunk, etc.	9
Contributing to Delinquency of Minors	3
Throwing trash on highway	1
Illegal possession or transportation of beer	4
Vagrancy	1
Escapes returned to institutions	3
Other criminal complaints	7
Driving Under the Influence of Liquor	2
Speeding, Stop Sign, Yellow Line	72
Reckless or Careless Driving	4
Uninspected	3
No license or revoked license	6
Unregistered or Mis-Use of Plates	3
Failure to Stop for an Officer	1
Leaving the Scene of an Accident	2
Other Motor Vehicle Complaints	5
ANALYSIS OF DAILY COMPLAINTS Total.....	362
Dog and Cat Complaints	57
Family and Neighbor Troubles	33
Juveniles and Children Involved	50
Stolen Property	27
Breaking and Entering	14
Malicious Damage	11
Drunks and Disturbance Calls	16
Drownings	1
Suicides and Attempted Suicides	2
Mental Cases	2
Stolen Cars	2
Lost or Missing Persons	7
Other Complaints	140
OTHER CALLS, NOT CLASSIFIED AS COMPLAINTS	164
Warnings and Defective Equipment Stops	324
Unsecured Doors and Windows Found	27
Camps and Summer Properties Checked	152
Attended Court and Other Meetings	44
Lost or Stolen Property Recovered	12
Missing Persons Picked Up	1

BELMONT MUNICIPAL COURT

Financial Statement, December 31, 1961

Balance—December 31, 1960 \$360.93

Receipts:

Fines	\$1,335.00	
Bail	40.00	
	1,375.00	
		\$1,735.93

Expenditures:

Motor Vehicle Department	\$ 436.50	
Justice Fees	20.00	
Town of Belmont	401.25	
Court Expense	29.36	
Superior Court	40.00	
	927.11	

Balance—May 7, 1961 \$808.82

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Proof of Balance

Balance in the Laconia National Bank—Per
Statement May 29, 1961 \$ 539.32

Add: Deposits Of:

June 12, 1961	\$ 60.00	
July 7, 1961	50.00	
July 12, 1961	159.50	
	269.50	

Reconciled Balance—May 7, 1961 808.82

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REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN

AN APPEAL FROM YOUR FOREST FIRE WARDEN

In these days of constantly rising taxes and wages, any unnecessary expense is an added burden on everyone's pocketbook—yours and mine. Forest fires cost money and damage our valuable woodlands. Lightning sets some forest fires, but we have no control of lightning. Children cause many fires. Ninety-eight percent of our forest fires result from human carelessness—our carelessness. This, we—you—and I can do something about.

When we require you to obtain a permit for out-of-doors burning or forbid you to burn on days of high fire danger or set up regulations—hours, etc., governing the use of the town dump we are simply protecting yours and the town's interests.

The ever present threat of forest fires is the concern of all of us; the responsibility for preventing them is ours and the costs of extinguishing are ours. We can do something about this problem, by being aware of and alert to the danger and by cooperating with your warden.

Do the things that are required of you—

1. Follow the warden's directions.
2. Secure the required burning permit.
3. Keep your fires under control.
4. Completely extinguish your fires before leaving them.
5. See that your children are properly cautioned.

Everyone will benefit by it.

1961 FIRE RECORD

Number of fires	1
Number of permits issued	149
Number of acres burned	5

GERALD H. HIGHT

District Fire Chief

THOMAS A. ROACH

Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF BELMONT FIRE DEPARTMENT

For the year 1961

There were 29 Local Calls. 7 Mutual Aid Calls
November 21st—Ralph Shute, Concord St.
December 10th—Pearl's, Johnson St.
December 13th—Homer Bryant's Chimney
December 25th—Clarence Moody Car Fire
January 5th—Mutual Aid Tilton
January 15th—Mutual Aid Gilmanton
January 21st—Chapman Barn, Depot St.
February 1st—Chertocks Farm Chimney
February 1st—Blakes South Road
February 2nd—Clarence Weeks
February 2nd—Clyde Blakes Chimney
February 10th—Emergency Call Cormier's Mill
March 28th—Bill Warren
March 29th—Bill Warren
March 30th—Mutual Aid Heberts Foundry Franklin
April 4th—Mutual Aid Chertock Laconia
April 7th—False Alarm
April 13th—Gene Hamilton Car Fire
April 29th—Mutual Aid Canterbury
May 9th—Pickering House
May 5th—Marsh Hill
May 10th—South Road
June 22nd—Dump Area
July 1st—Peter Drowns Barn
July 1st—Mutual Aid Tucker Shore Winnisquam
July 6th—Dump
August 15th—Car Fire Hurricane Road
August 24th—Drown's Barn
August 25th—Wash Gasoline off street
September 16th—Baptist Church, Overheated Furnace
September 22nd—Louise Wuelper
September 29th—Mutual Aid Lower Bay Sanbornton
October 15th—Badleys Durrelle Mt. Road
October 15th—Edward Weston Chimney Fire
November 12th—Carl Sanborn Chimney Fire
November 13th—Stevens Brown Hill Camp
November 25th—Plummer Road Robinson's

REPORT OF THE WINNISQUAM FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC.

To the Voters of Belmont, N. H.

The Winnisquam Fire Department, Inc. wishes to thank the voters of the Town of Belmont for their continued confidence in, and support of its work.

The Department answered the following calls in 1961:

Tilton—1 Belmont—6 Sanbornton—3

The Department called Mutual Aid once and answered four calls for aid. These calls were from:

Tilton—1 Franklin—1 Laconia—1 Belmont—1

Town funds spent for maintenance:

Fuel	\$269.30
Public Service of N. H.	141.29
New England Telephone	328.90
Department Maintenance	713.07
Truck	225.03
New Equipment	210.00
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	\$1,887.59
Town Funds Allotted	\$3,000.00
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Balance	\$1,112.41

The balance has ben allotted to new radios, already ordered, and to tide us over until funds are allotted for 1962.

Respectfully submitted,

Allen O. Smith, Chief
Winslow Braley, Deputy Chief
Engineers
Theodore Moulton
Thomas Horn
Luther H. Straw

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

February 9, 1961

Board of Selectmen
Belmont, N. H.

Dear Sirs:

A third Salk vaccine clinic was conducted by the State Department of Health and sponsored again by the "Belmont Fire Belles", on March 7, 1961. We were fortunate to have the use of Belmont school cafeteria, as it is ideal for clinic service.

Before giving the statistical data of the clinic, I would like to thank Mrs. Helen Bellavance, school nurse, for her assistance conducting the clinic. I would also like to thank Mrs. Dorothy Corriveau, Mrs. Barbara Bordeau, Mrs. Donna White, and Mrs. Doris Waring for their assistance with the clerical work at the clinic.

Age Group	1st. inj.	2nd inj.	3rd inj.	4th inj.
0-1	2	0	0	0
1-4	6	2	6	2
5-19	11	5	20	14
19 and over	5	4	22	2
	—	—	—	—
	24	11	48	18
	Total injections			101

Respectfully submitted,

VIRGINIA KNOWLTON, P.H.N.
Court House
Laconia, N. H.

OFFICERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

MODERATOR

STANLEY HILL

CLERK

MRS. MARION K. WUELPER

TREASURER

LOUIS F. WUELPER

AUDITOR

RUSSELL W. CUSHING

SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Suzanne S. Roberts, Chm.	Term expires 1962
Mr. Maurice H. Simond, Jr.	Term expires 1963
Mr. Robert E. Bordeau	Term expires 1964

SCHOOL NURSE

HELEN BELLAVANCE

316 Gilford Avenue, Laconia, N. H.

Tel. Office: Colony 7-3652 - Home: Lakeside 4-2845

TEACHER CONSULTANT

ESMA C. FORD

243 Main St., Laconia, N. H.

Telephone - Office: Atlas 6-4207

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

GORDON L. FOX

Tilton, New Hampshire

Telephone—Office: Atlas 6-4207

Regular Meeting of School Board—First Tuesday of each month, 8:00 P.M.

SCHOOL WARRANT

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth day of March 1962, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To take any other action which may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Belmont this fifth day of February 1962.

SUZANNE S. ROBERTS, Chairman
ROBERT BORDEAU
MAURICE SIMOND

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

SUZANNE S. ROBERTS, Chairman
ROBERT BORDEAU
MAURICE SIMOND

School Board

FINANCIAL REPORT BELMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT**For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1961**

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand June 30, 1960		0.00
Belmont:		
Appropriation (Current)	\$126,648.68	
Deficiency Appropriation	1,570.94	
Advance on next years appropriation	1,351.32	
State Treasurer:		
State Funds	24,974.59	
Federal Funds	2,793.38	
Tuition:		
Canterbury School District	888.58	
Gilmanton School District	350.00	
Laconia School District	350.00	
Valley Trust Company	6,455.70	
Miscellaneous	44.45	
Total Receipts		165,427.64

PAYMENTS

1. Salaries of District Officers:		
Robert Bordeau, School Board	60.00	
Russell Cushing, Auditor	5.00	
Stanley Hill, Moderator	5.00	
Wilson S. Mansfield, Treasurer	100.00	
Suzanne Roberts, School Board	60.00	
Maurice H. Simond, Jr., School Board	60.00	
Marion Wuelper, Clerk	5.00	
	Total	295.00
2. Superintendent's Salary:		
Treasurer, Supervisory Union		977.50
Total Salary of Superintendent was		
\$8200.00. School Districts paid: Til-		
ton-Northfield \$2142.06 Belmont		
\$997.50, Canterbury \$384.18, Gilford		
\$1,596.57, Gilmanton \$579.69, State of		
New Hampshire \$2500.00.		
3. Tax on State-wide Supervision:		
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire		938.00

4. Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel:		
Belva Mohle, (census)	50.00	
Treasurer, Supervisory Union	1,164.80	
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	Total	1,214.80
5. Supplies and Expenses:		
Helen Bellavance	4.38	
Robert Bordeau	2.35	
Boutin Insurance Agency	10.00	
Maurice Bowler	35.00	
Leigh Bryant	50.00	
Treasurer, Supervisory Union	333.38	
Cole Printing Company	14.50	
Edson Eastman Co., Inc.	17.54	
J. L. Hammett Company	41.52	
Howell Printing & Duplicating	110.00	
Maher's Bookstore	8.00	
Wilson S. Mansfield	49.36	
Milton Bradley Company	5.07	
N. H. Department of Public Welfare	10.49	
N. H. School Board Association	10.00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company	342.98	
Postmaster, Belmont, New Hampshire	49.60	
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	Total	1,094.17
6. Principals and Teachers Salaries:		
High School	30,888.09	
Elementary School	59,959.23	
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	Total	90,847.32
7. Books and Other Instructional Aids:		
Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	43.64	
American Book Company	316.88	
Charles A. Bennett Company	251.64	
Bruce Publishing Company	26.66	
Diamond Gardner	151.16	
Carl Fischer, Inc. of Boston	12.50	
Follett Publishing Company	88.52	
Ginn and Company	203.05	
D. C. Heath & Company	47.73	
Holt, Rinehart & Winston, Inc.	2.34	
Laidlaw Brothers	80.52	
Lyons and Carnahan	29.24	
The McMillan Company	48.24	
National Education Assoc. of the U. S.	4.45	
Prentice-Hall, Inc.	63.05	

Row-Peterson & Co.	38.52
Scott, Foresman & Co.	177.78
Test Service and Advisement Center	56.10
U. N. H.	21.00
World Book Company	105.04

Total	1,768.06
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8. Scholar's Supplies :

Allyn & Bacon, Inc.	71.98
American Book Company	138.00
American Education Publications	158.00
Atlantic Register Company	3.50
Baker and Company	15.43
Cambosco Scientific Co., Inc.	29.76
Diamond Gardner Corp.	247.74
Carl Fischer, Inc. of Boston	17.50
Follett Publishing Co.	39.03
Fred's Filling Station	94.86
Ginn and Company	2.94
J. L. Hammett Company	1,237.07
Holt, Rinehart, and Winston	7.24
Charles Hoymer & Co., Inc.	13.75
Ken's Superette	184.51
Laconia Hardware	15.74
Lee's Cut Rate	7.20
Lyons and Carnahan	11.29
Mahers Bookstore	1.50
McCormick-Mathers, Publishing Co.	13.04
Milton Bradley Company	192.20
Prentice-Hall, Inc.	10.59
Prescotts Pharmacy	132.97
Scholastic Magazines	60.40
Scott, Foresman & Company	540.74
Silver Burdett Company	21.70
Virginia Simond	3.38
L. W. Singer Co., Inc.	1.21
South-Western Publishing Co.	48.32
University of N. H.	22.50
John C. Winston Company	69.85

Total	3,413.94
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10. Supplies and Other Expenses :

American Council on Education	4.00
P. F. Collier & Son Corp.	174.00
Field Enterprises Ed., Corp.	235.98

J. L. Hammett Company	88.44	
Maico Hearing Service of N. H.	1.23	
Prescott's Pharmacy	6.00	
Scholastic Book Services	31.45	
Science Research Association Inc.	3.05	
Science Service	8.13	
Simon and Schuster, Inc.	3.91	
Transport Clearings of N. E., Inc.	4.88	
Treasurer of the United States	9.25	
University of N. H.	2.25	
WENH TV Channel 11	12.00	
World Book Company	21.04	
	Total	605.61
11. Salaries of Janitors:		6,360.00
12. Fuel or Heat:		
Dutile Company	477.80	
Gas Service, Inc.	89.98	
Burleigh Torrey	2,747.74	
	Total	3,315.52
13. Water Lights, Repairs and Expenses:		
James Bliss Company	9.50	
M. F. Bragdon Paint Company	43.27	
Fred's Filling Station	200.92	
Goodwin Paper Company	170.45	
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Company, Inc.	767.68	
Industrial Wiper Supply	37.35	
Laconia Electric Co.	78.03	
Laconia Laboratories	18.00	
Kenneth Moynihan	136.00	
Page Belting Company	19.17	
Public Service Company of N. H.	2,207.97	
Rochester Germicide Company	36.40	
Service Sales Corp.	13.80	
Town of Belmont (Water Dept.)	446.50	
West Chemical Products Inc.	10.80	
	Total	4,195.84
14. Repairs and Replacements:		
Diamond Match Company	8.42	
Fred's Filling Station	14.66	
Greenlaws Music	134.95	
Grossman's	22.68	
J. I. Holcomb Manuf. Company	548.47	
H. S. Kinsman Co., Inc.	8.25	

	Laconia Electric	8.65	
	Laconia Hardware	31.18	
	Mahers Bookstore	6.00	
	Milton Bradley Company	144.10	
	Northern Heating & Plumbing	161.66	
	Parent Brothers	6.00	
	Pittsburg Plate Glass Company	34.40	
	Public Service Co. of N. H.	79.95	
	A. H. Rice Company	16.38	
	Carl Sanborn	8.00	
	Shepherd Furniture Store	149.28	
	Alger Sherman	45.60	
	Charles Stokes	14.00	
	Maurice Tibbetts	51.35	
	Tilton Sand and Gravel	6.37	
	Waxine	97.90	
	Wiley's Express	2.90	
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	Total		1,601.15
15.	Health Supervision:		
	Laconia Drug Store	4.30	
	Laconia Hardware	20.15	
	Prescotts Pharmacy	43.99	
	R. S. Sawyer Company	3.33	
	Leonard J. Slovack, M.D.	80.00	
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	Total		151.77
16.	Transportation:		
	Cass Garage	128.00	
	Frederick H. Sleep, Jr.	15,824.52	
	Anna Stanley	3.92	
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	Total		15,956.44
17.	Tuition:		
	Laconia School District	1,260.30	
	Sanbornton School District	262.00	
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	Total		1,522.30
18.	Special Activities:		
	Belmont School Lunch Program	2,013.10	
	Belmont High School Athletic Assoc.	205.16	
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	Total		2,218.26
19.	Retirement:		
	N. H. State Teachers Retirement	4,053.00	

Treasurer State of N. H.	1,701.90
Treasurer, Supervisory Union	415.62

Total	6,170.52
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20. Insurance:

Boutin Insurance Agency, Inc.	601.53
Grange Mutual Ins. Company	146.79

Total	748.32
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CAPITAL OUTLAY

23. New Equipment:

H. S. Kinsman Co., Inc.	285.00
Mt. Kilburn Paper Company	188.10
A. H. Rice Co., Inc.	500.00
Rays Electric Service	235.00

Total	1,208.10
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DEBT AND INTEREST

25. Principal of Debt:

Merchant's National Bank	5,000.00
Laconia National Bank (Valley Trust Fund)	5,604.69

Total	10,604.69
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26. Interest on Debt:

Merchant's National Bank	6,702.50
Laconia National Bank (Valley Trust)	134.13

Total	6,836.63
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Deficiency Appropriation	1,236.73
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TOTAL PAYMENTS	163,280.67
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Cash on Hand June 30, 1961	2,146.97
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GRAND TOTAL	\$165,427.64
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Respectfully submitted,

SUZANNE S. ROBERTS, Chm. ROBERT E. BORDEAU
 MAURICE H. SIMOND, JR.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the School Board and Treasurer and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for the year ending June 30, 1961.

RUSSELL W. CUSHING, Auditor

Summary of Valley Trust Company—Belmont Finances

The closing of the Valley Trust Company of Penacook on June 24, 1958 by the State of New Hampshire Bank Commissioner found many towns and school districts with over sixty thousand dollars frozen on check accounts.

The School District of Belmont had accounts frozen as follows:

Belmont Building Fund	\$ 83.69
Belmont School District	6,957.81

There were other checks in circulation so that the Belmont School Board had to replace checks totaling \$8,507.95.

The District opened a new account at the Laconia National Bank and paid all checks with school district funds made available with the new budget effective July 1, 1958.

The Legislature passed special legislation on March 19, 1959 authorizing School Boards to borrow in anticipation of the Valley Trust Company reopening and reimbursing the district. Belmont borrowed \$6900.00 and used district funds to pay interest on the loan and complete payment on issued checks.

The Belmont School District used the following to repay the loan from the Laconia National Bank, pay interest, and reimburse the checks:

(1) Reimbursements received from the Valley Trust Company, Peoples National Bank and Laconia Savings Bank	\$5,663.27
(2) Deficiency appropriation by March, 1961 meeting	1,570.94
(3) Interest paid by school district	446.99
(4) Other payments by school district	826.75
	<hr/> 8,507.95

After the March, 1961 school district meeting, additional checks totaling \$792.43 were received from the Merchants National Bank and the Peoples National Bank as dividend checks from the Valley Trust Company. This money was left in the June 30, 1961 school district account and used by the State Tax Commission for tax reduction on the 1961 Belmont Taxes.

The Municipal Budget Committee and the Board of Selectmen of Belmont were continually informed of the complete situation and were very cooperative with the Belmont School board.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Members of the School Board and Citizens of Belmont:

A new epoch in educational history of Belmont came with the opening of the new high school addition on Wednesday, September 6, 1961 with all pupils housed under one roof and all education in one building instead of the High School, Gale School and the Town Hall. The new Roland S. Kimball Auditorium gives excellent space for school assemblies, music, dramatics, school dances, and basketball. The space below makes an excellent industrial arts department, shower rooms and the opportunity for school expansion. The science, commerce, home economics, administration, library, and general classrooms have all been improved with equipment, better space, excellent lighting, heating and supplies.

Dedication of New Belmont High Addition:

The Dedication Exercises of the new addition were held in the Roland S. Kimball Auditorium on Sunday, October 15, 1961 with an excellent program, followed by the official cutting of the ribbon to open the building for inspection by Mrs. Hazel A. Kimball and the immediate family of the man whose work for the advancement of education and other civic services brought a unanimous vote to honor him forever and retain his memory by this beautiful gymnasium-auditorium.

Budget:

The only real increase in the proposed school budget for 1962-1963 is that for Principals and Teachers Salaries. It is necessary to add one teacher to the High School staff because of increased enrollment and improvement of the curricula of the school.

Some new equipment for science, music and industrial arts is added to improve the school program.

Curricula Improvement:

The following Curricula development recently voted will greatly improve the industrial arts offerings to Belmont pupils:

1962-1963

General Shop I	Woodworking (Tool & Small Projects)
Four Areas	Metal Work (Bench)
	Project Drawing
	Internal Combustion Engines

General Shop II	Advanced:
Four Areas	Project Drawing
	Woodworking
	Metal Work (Machine, Welding)
	Blueprint Reading

Mechanical Drawing

1963-64

Electricity

Radio-Electronics

NOTE: General Shop I & II to be offered each year with Mechanical Drawing and Electricity-Radio-Electronics alternate years.

My appreciation is extended to the Municipal Budget Committee, the Selectmen, the Principals and Teachers, the Custodians, the School Lunch Personnel, the bus operators, the Parent-Teacher Association, all civic groups, and all citizens for their support to the Belmont schools.

President John F. Kennedy in his Inaugural Address stated: "Think not what your country can do for you, but what you can do for your country." The people of Belmont all through the years of excellent school progress have thought "What can we do to help our schools," and have responded one hundred per cent for the best education the town can afford.

Cordially yours,

GORDON L. FOX
Superintendent of Schools

BELMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT **1961 Projected Enrollments and Census Report**

Grade	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967
1	53	47	37	47	48	35	46
2	51	53	47	37	47	48	35
3	63	51	53	47	37	47	48
4	41	63	51	53	47	37	47
5	51	41	63	51	53	47	37
6	45	51	41	63	51	53	47
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Totals 1-6	304	306	292	298	283	267	260
7	52	45	51	41	63	51	53
8	50	52	45	51	41	63	51
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Totals 7-8	102	97	96	92	104	114	104
9	37	50	52	45	51	41	63
10	31	37	50	52	45	51	41
11	25	31	37	50	52	45	51
12	19	25	31	37	50	52	45
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Totals 9-12	112	143	170	184	198	189	200
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Grand Total	518	546	558	574	585	570	564

ENROLLMENTS ON JANUARY 2, 1962

Gale and Memorial Schools:

Grade 1	26	Mrs. Lena Thomas
" 1	27	Mrs. Louise Wilson
Grade 2	27	Mrs. Ruth Cutting
" 2	26	Mrs. Martha Colburn
Grade 3	35	Mrs. Maxine Johnson
" 3	28	Mrs. Dorothea Wells
Grade 4	4	Mrs. Dorothea Wells
" 4	36	Mrs. Ada McAllister
Grade 5	26	Mrs. Edith Croteau
" 5	24	Mr. David Ivester
Grade 6	20	Mrs. Shirley Casey
" 6	25	Mr. Earl Harris
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	304	Total

<i>Junior High School</i>		<i>High School</i>	
Grade 7	49	Grade 9	37
Grade 8	51	Grade 10	28
	—	Grade 11	24
Total	100	Grade 12	20
		Total	109
Total Enrollment in Belmont Schools—513			

Graduates of Belmont High School, 1961

Lorraine Beverly Bickford	Patricia Jean Rivers
Mary Jane Binette	Roberta Helen St. Jean
Sandra Lee Clairmont	Claudia Louise Sharps
Fred Richard Firth, III	Sharon Ann Stickney
Norma Jean Getgen	Janice Louise Stroppe
Linda Ann Gilbert	John Albert Walker
Robert Lee Hamel	Carole Ann Wareing
Noel Kenyon, Jr.	Carol Ann Young

Gale School and Memorial School Teaching Staff

Mrs. Lena Thomas	Grade 1
Mrs. Louise Wilson	Grade 1
Mrs. Ruth Cutting	Grade 2
Mrs. Martha Colburn	Grade 2
Mrs. Maxine Johnson	Grade 3
Mrs. Dorothea Wells	Grade 3 - 4
Mrs. Ada McAllister	Grade 4
Mrs. Edith Croteau	Grade 5 - 6
Mrs. Shirley Casey	Grade 5 - 6
Mr. David Ivester	Grade 5 - 6
Mr. Earl Harris	Grade 5 - 6

Belmont High School Teaching Staff

Mr. Maurice Bowler, Principal	Mathematics
Miss Sue Liebo	French, English
Madeline Pickess (Mrs.)	Commerce
Mr. Roland Robichaud	Social Studies
Mrs. Anna Stanley	Home Economics
Mr. Oscar Serard	Cons. Ed. Jr. High Math and English, 7-12 Athletics
Mr. Roscoe Twombly	Science

Mr. Richard Wallsten	Science Grades 9-12
Mr. Edmund Weston	Social Studies
Mr. David Wilson	Industrial Arts Grades 7-12

State of New Hampshire Foundation Aid to School Districts

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

Elementary Average Daily Membership	355.1	
Elementary Membership x 231 dollars per pupil		\$ 82,028.10
Secondary Average Daily Membership	96.4	
Secondary Membership x 386 dollars per pupil		37,210.40
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Total Cost of Foundation Program		119,238.50
1960 Equalized valuation	\$5,560,039.00	
Less 14 dollar tax on equalized valuation		77,840.55
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Amount of 1961 Payment		\$41,397.95

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BELMONT

EXPENDITURES ITEM	Actual Expenditures 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	Actual Expenditures July 1 to Dec. 31, 1961	School Board's Budget 1962-63	Budget Committee's Budget 1962-63
Administration					
Salaries of district officers	\$295.00	\$295.00	\$295.00	\$295.00	\$295.00
Supt.'s salary (local share)	977.50	1,209.35	1,209.35	1,209.35	1,209.35
Tax for state wide supervision	938.00	1,010.00	972.00	1,010.00	1,010.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,214.80	1,385.88	1,335.88	1,404.16	1,404.16
Supplies and expenses	1,094.17	1,065.97	974.05	1,087.86	1,087.86
Instruction					
High school teachers' & principal's salaries	30,888.09	56,638.92	20,524.32	59,406.55	59,406.55
Elementary teachers' & principals' salaries	59,959.23	48,638.93	18,726.74	53,406.41	53,406.41
Books and other instruction aids, high	601.14	1,650.00	1,126.70	2,000.00	2,000.00
Books and other instruction aids, elementary	1,166.92	850.00	624.56	1,000.00	1,000.00
Scholars' supplies, high	1,160.74	1,190.00	1,593.34	2,000.00	2,000.00
Scholars' supplies, elementary	2,253.20	2,310.00	1,809.57	1,500.00	1,500.00
Supplies and other expenses, high	205.91	255.00	641.32	500.00	500.00
Supplies and other expenses, elementary	399.70	495.00	42.54	250.00	250.00
Operation of School Plant					
Salaries of custodians, high	2,162.40	6,720.00	3,745.22	7,120.00	7,120.00
Salaries of custodians, elementary	4,197.60	3,220.00	1,945.04	3,420.00	3,420.00

Fuel or heat, high	1,127.28	2,650.00	829.66	3,200.00	3,200.00
Fuel or heat, elementary	2,188.24	2,650.00	731.67	2,100.00	2,100.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, high	1,426.59	2,600.00	2,495.94	2,600.00	2,600.00
Water, light supplies and expenses, elementary	2,769.25	2,600.00	809.32	2,600.00	2,600.00
Maintenance of School Plant					
Repairs and replacements, high	544.39	1,200.00	2,898.64	2,087.50	2,087.50
Repairs and replacements, elementary	1,056.76	2,175.00	621.74	1,687.50	1,687.50
Auxiliary Activities					
Health supervision, high	51.60	133.34	108.34	100.00	100.00
Health supervision, elementary	100.17	66.66	45.00	100.00	100.00
Transportation, high	5,425.19	7,004.95	5,000.00	12,300.40	12,300.40
Transportation, elementary	10,531.25	13,597.85	1,934.39	8,302.40	8,302.00
Tuition, high	0.00	0.00	262.00	0.00	0.00
Tuition, elementary	1,522.30	1,952.00	78.00	500.00	500.00
Special activities and special funds, high	69.75	230.00	0.00	230.00	230.00
Special activities and special funds, elementary	135.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
‡School lunch and special milk, high	684.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
‡School lunch and special milk, elementary	1,328.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fixed Charges					
Retirement & social security, high	2,097.98	3,570.06	1,353.87	5,000.00	5,000.00
Retirement & social security, elementary	4,072.54	3,988.94	1,654.73	3,355.69	3,355.69
Insurance, treas. bonds & expenses, high	374.16	864.50	708.12	800.00	800.00
Insurance, treas. bonds & expenses, elementary	374.16	712.50	579.37	659.83	659.83
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	143,394.52	172,929.85	75,676.42	180,832.65	181,232.65

‡Federal and District funds.

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BELMONT

EXPENDITURES ITEM	Actual Expenditures 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	Actual Expenditures		School Board's Budget 1960-61	Budget Committee's Budget 1962-63
			July 1 to Dec. 31, 1961	July 1 to Dec. 31, 1961		
Total Current Expenses (Brought fwd.)	\$143,394.52	172,929.85	75,676.42	180,832.65	181,232.65	
Capital Outlay						
New equipment, high	1,040.60	1,500.00	3,500.00	2,526.81	2,526.81	
New equipment, elementary	167.50	500.00	259.78	500.00	500.00	
Total Capital Outlay	144,002.62	174,929.85	79,436.20	183,859.46	184,259.46	
Debt and Interest						
Principal of debt	11,841.42	20,000.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00	
Interest on debt	6,836.63	11,485.00	10,367.50	10,532.50	10,532.50	
Total Debt and Interest	18,678.05	31,485.00	25,367.50	30,532.50	30,532.50	
Budget Deficiency		1,570.94		5,500.00	5,500.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OR SCH. APPROP.	\$63,280.67	\$207,985.79	\$104,803.70	\$219,891.96	\$220,291.96	

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BELMONT

RECEIPTS ITEM	Actual Receipts 1960-61	Adopted Budget 1961-62	Actual Receipts July 1 to Dec. 31, 1961	School Board's Budget 1962-63	Budget Committee's Budget 1962-63
* Balance (actual or estimated)			2,146.97		
State aid	24,974.59	23,576.30	41,397.95	41,397.95	41,397.95
Federal aid	2,793.38		879.62		
High school tuition	1,588.58	2,160.00		2,220.00	2,220.00
(Other)	6,500.15		186.17		
(Building Aid)		5,500.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS OTHER THAN PROP. TAXES	\$35,856.70	\$31,236.30	\$50,610.71	\$49,617.95	\$49,617.95
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT RAISED OR TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES	\$129,570.94	\$176,749.49		\$170,274.01	\$170,674.01
TOTAL APPROP. VOTED BY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$165,427.64	\$207,985.79		\$219,891.96	\$220,291.96

* Current assets minus current liabilities as of June 30, 1961 for Column 2; June 30, 1962 for Columns 4 and 5.

Total Appropriations actually voted by School District Meeting to be raised by Taxation, cannot exceed by more than ten per cent (10%) the Total Appropriations as recommended by Budget Committee (Column 5), less amount to be raised by Bond and Long Term Note issues and Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds.

R. S. A., Chapter 32, section 5, * * * "When completed the budget shall be printed in the town report or separately and distributed or published in some newspaper printed or circulated in said town at least one week before the town or school meeting. If any town, having adopted the provisions hereof, shall fail to elect or appoint a budget committee the selectmen shall perform the duties of said committee."

BUDGET COMMITTEE

LESLIE E. ROBERTS, Chairman	JAMES F. RHODES
IRWIN W. SOMERO	MAURICE H. SIMOND, JR.
FLOYD M. WHITE	AURIL R. TASKER
MAURICE C. LACROIX	LYLE N. WATSON
C. A. RANDLETT	ROYAL W. SMITH

Date Feb. 5, 1962

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BELMONT

For the year ending December 31st, 1961

Date	Name	Residence	Place of Marriage
JANUARY			
29	Paul Edwin Gilman, Laconia Shirley Marie Ouelette, Belmont		Pittsfield
FEBRUARY			
14	Ronald Raymond Robinson, Belmont Mabel Roxanna Gould, Belmont		Belmont
25	John Lendon Ebbels, New Hampton Norma Evelyn Russell, Belmont		Laconia
MARCH			
11	Arthur Wilde Hill, Belmont Helen Louise Maxcy, Laconia		Lakeport
25	Melvin Stewart Fox, Adamstown, Pa. Elizabeth May Sibley, Belmont		Whitefield
APRIL			
8	Leo Joseph Gilbert, Laconia Roseanne Cecile Noel, Belmont		Belmont
MAY			
20	Normand Delphis Martel, Laconia Elizabeth Ann Perry, Belmont		Belmont
20	Wayne Henry Gebo, Belmont Dorothy Jan Weeks, Belmont		Belmont
20	Douglas Edward Ainsworth, Belmont Penelope Eleanor Evars, Belmont		Laconia
26	Wayne Fredrick Brooks, Belmont Katherine Glenna Green, Hill		Franklin
JUNE			
10	Douglas Paul Monahan, Belmont Bonnie-Jean Hardy, Laconia		Laconia
JULY			
1	Russell Hugh Stevens, Belmont Lorraine Doris Brulotte, Laconia		Laconia
14	Louis Leon Small, Belmont Rita Mary Kerr, Laconia		Belmont

17	Eugene Robert Jorgenson, Belmont	Laconia
	Linda Louise Pearce, Saugus, Mass.	
23	Lyndon Wilmer Berwick, Belmont	Belmont
	Eva Leone Anderson, Belmont	
29	James Henry Hawthorne, Belmont	Franklin
	Nancy Anne Pelletier, Franklin	
29	Murton Lionel Chase, Belmont	Laconia
	Dora Edna Sullivan, Laconia	

AUGUST

12	Victor Norman York, North Stratford	Laconia
	Maureen Ada Hicks, Belmont	
19	John Ellis Lyford, Belmont	Tilton
	Eloise Vireeme Harriman, Northfield	
26	Joseph Francis Phelan, Nashua	Concord
	Brenda Jane Heath, Belmont	

SEPTEMBER

2	Raymond Joseph Marceau, Laconia	Laconia
	Patricia Ann Corriveau, Belmont	
22	Allen Wendell Braley, Jr., East Bridgewater, Mass.	Belmont
	Judith Brown Mitchell, Hanson, Mass.	
23	Roland Lee Patten, Gilford	Meredith
	Linda Claire Gilbert, Belmont	

OCTOBER

21	George Ira Weeks, Gilford	Haverhill, N. H.
	Constance Mae Leith, Belmont	

NOVEMBER

25	Stanley Earl Stevens, Belmont	Laconia
	Theresa Marie Beaupre, Laconia	

DECEMBER

16	Edwin Harry Maxfield, Loudon	Concord
	Mary Elizabeth Smith, Belmont	
22	John Almont Blake, Belmont	Belmont
	Geraldine Richardson Sargent, Tilton	
23	Lloyd E. Bailey, Jr., Belmont	Lakeport
	Ruth E. Sorell, Meredith	

This is to certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge.

ANTOINETTE N. HAGGETT,
Town Clerk

BIRTHS IN THE TOWN OF BELMONT
For the year ending December 31st, 1961

Date	Name of child	Parents' Name
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JANUARY

15	David Scott Drouin	John Gerard Drouin Catherine Helen Cullen
21	Gary Eugene Beaudoin	Roger Wilfred Beaudoin Olive Louisa Lowell
30	Scott Gregory Tuttle	Griffin Lawton Tuttle Hazel Mae Delsart
31	Cindy Lynn Morin	Armand Joseph Morin Arlene Alma Camire

FEBRUARY

10	Sally Joanne Downs	Clayton Eugene Downs Miriam Esther Beattie
18	Eleanor Mae Flaherty	Robert Paul Flaherty Phyllis Marriatt Cotton

MARCH

3	Grace Gladys Hughes	Richard Ileff Hughes Vivian Nellie Crawford
15	John Gerard Drouin III	John Gerard Drouin, Jr. Elizabeth Ann Thompson

APRIL

8	Mary Jane Brown	Joseph Philip Brown Patricia Jean Shaw
8	Randy Allen Betourne	Arthur Henry Betourne Barbara Elaine Nichols

MAY

4	Andrea Marie Sawicki	Alfred Julius Sawicki Gloria Elizabeth Mercier
8	Timothy Jeremy Nugent	Earl Clement Nugent Ruth May Little
8	Tami Ann Morency	Eugene Frederick Morency Sheila Belle Hancock
17	Victoria Jean Fralick	Irving Mansfield Fralick Lillian Olive Cole
17	Jeffrey Maro Ellsworth	Wendell Leander Ellsworth Helen Mae Stone

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| 21 | Frederick Scribner Lance | William Wright Lance |
| | | Rita Mary Mooney |
| 23 | Robert Earl Sprague | Raymond Lawrence Sprague, Jr. |
| | | Shirley Ann Blake |
| 24 | Joanne Marie Bougie | Roger Joseph Bougie |
| | | Leontine Eva Rouleau |

JUNE

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| 1 | Anthony Michael Cartier | Louis Joseph Cartier |
| | | Melba Ferne Huntoon |
| 5 | Kathleen Theresa Cormier | Ronald Joseph Cormier |
| | | Francis Bertha Chamberlain |
| 9 | John Fitzgerald Jenot | Lyman Homer Jenot |
| | | Thelma Lucinda Leonard |
| 11 | Suzanne Elaine Corriveau | Gerard Emerson Corriveau |
| | | Vesta Sturtevant Burleigh |
| 27 | Sandra Louise Ham | Dwight Bailey Ham |
| | | Emily — Mahoney |
| 30 | Robert Earl Shepard, Jr. | Robert Earl Shepard, Sr. |
| | | Janice Ora Flora Pearson |

JULY

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| 13 | Sally Ann Dupont | Lawrence Joseph Dupont |
| | | Blanche Olivette Dupont |
| 19 | Ernest Frank Brake, Jr. | Ernest Frank Brake |
| | | Theresa Marie Poisson |
| 28 | Barbara Ellen Snow | Robert Lionel Snow |
| | | Beverly Eleanor Ann Romprey |

AUGUST

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| 1 | Lorenda Janice Graf | Paul Warren Graf |
| | | Betty Jane Jorgenson |
| 15 | Catherine Ann Giguere | Donald Edmund Giguere |
| | | Jeannette Rose Nadeau |
| 18 | Barbara Jean Hamilton | Donald Irvin Hamilton |
| | | Barbara Jean Gleason |

SEPTEMBER

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|----|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 2 | Anthony Joseph Brown | Luther Moses Brown |
| | | Helen Yvette Stokes |
| 5 | Stephen Ray Grant | Joseph Henry Grant |
| | | Sue Katherine Russell |
| 21 | Aaron Robert Billin | Robert B. Billin |
| | | Carole Ann Pringle |

OCTOBER

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|----|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 17 | Jeannine Hilda Lesperance | Walter Leo Lesperance |
| | | Beatrice Jeannine St. Germaine |
| 18 | David Edwin Marden | Lewis Orrin Marden |
| | | Shirley Mae Hammel |
| 29 | Monica—Putnam | William Cassius Putnam |
| | | Edwina Kathleen Hubbell |

NOVEMBER

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|----|----------------------|------------------------|
| 11 | Nancy Lorraine Gebo | Wayne Henry Gebo |
| | | Dorothy Jane Weeks |
| 19 | Daniel Brian Romprey | Donald John Romprey |
| | | Patricia Beryl Benoit |
| 28 | Dennis Lou Cale | Robert Ray Cale |
| | | Janice Bertina Colbath |

DECEMBER

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| 9 | Clayton Dennis Greenwood | Raymond Victor Greenwood |
| | | Margaret Alice Milmore |
| 20 | Joyce Elizabeth Beaudoin | Roger Wilfred Beaudoin |
| | | Olive Louisa Lowell |

I certify that the above report is correct according to the best of my knowledge.

ANTOINETTE N. HAGGETT
Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BELMONT for the year ending December 31st, 1961

Date	Place of Death	Name	Age	Sex	Place of Birth
January 30	Laconia	Charles Otis Grimston	78	Male	Lynn, Mass.
March 13	Laconia	Robert Earl Blake	25	Male	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
April 16	Laconia	Emma Robichaud	84	Female	Canada
" 24	Laconia	Ethel May Lyford	78	Female	Belmont
May 6	Laconia	John Arthur Maitland, Jr.	60	Male	Swampscott, Mass.
" 19	Belmont	Blanche Estelle Ellsworth	75	Female	Gilmanston, N. H.
" 22	Laconia	Catherine Clifford Parent	49	Female	Allston, Mass.
July 18	Exeter	* Leo Cyles Bessette	63	Male	Colchester, Vt.
" 22	Concord	Clifford Robichaud	75	Male	—
August 2	Belmont	Annie Joseph	73	Female	Liverpool, England
" 10	Laconia	Joseph Jean Morin	76	Male	Canada
September 2	Belmont	David B. Marden	44	Male	Jamaica Plain, Mass.
" 6	Belmont	† Artemus Packard	67	Male	Rosindale, Mass.
" 6	Belmont	† Marjory Lord Packard	62	Female	Hanover, N. H.
" 10	Belmont	† Tiberius Lawrence Suciu	47	Male	Canton, Ohio
" 21	Laconia	† Willie N. Brown	70	Male	Lunenburg, Vt.
October 16	Laconia	Lillian Hoyle	77	Female	England
November 11	Belmont	Ernest Edmund Fortin	56	Male	Laconia, N. H.
" 23	Laconia	Edward Leroy Jewell	73	Male	Laconia, N. H.
" 27	Laconia	David Gannon, Sr.	55	Male	Canada

The name I have marked with a* was buried at South Road Cemetery.

The names I have marked with † were Automobile accident deaths

The name I have marked † was a drowning accident.

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ANTOINETTE N. HAGGETT, Town Clerk, Belmont, N. H.

