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The cover picture is a reminder of the days when Durham was a busy river port.

With the aid of "tugboat captains" Phil Paine and Mal Chase, *Driftwood*, last of the Piscataqua gundelows, is being brought to Durham Landing. Since this picture was taken *Driftwood* has been moved to Jackson Landing where it awaits restoration.

Many readers of this report will remember when *Driftwood* was launched at Adams Point in October, 1950, on Captain Edward Adams' 90th birthday. Several thousand people came literally "by land and sea" to witness the event, one of the most colorful in Durham's recent history.

Captain Adams was the last of the gundelow captains; he skippered the *Fannie M.* which kept the gundelow heritage alive into the early decades of this century. His boat was one of what had been a large fleet of unique commercial craft developed more than a hundred years ago for bringing cargo from the seaport of Portsmouth up to the river ports of the Great Bay tributaries.

When he decided to build one more gundelow before he died, Captain Adams brought to the project knowledge and craftsmanship for which he was famous far beyond Durham's borders. He and his son, Cass, selected for the frame trees whose shape formed natural "knees" for strength and they planked the hull in traditional gundelow fashion. The result is a true example of long-time gundelow construction methods. But, like any creative craftsman, Captain Adams exercised his privilege of substituting gasoline power for the large lateen rig and sweeps of the boats on which he had sailed in his youth.

Models of various gundelows also were made by Captain Adams in his later years and they remain as evidence of his skill and artistry. Of particular note is the model in Washington's Smithsonian Institution.

When *Driftwood* has been repaired — and the gasoline engines replaced by traditional rig — Durham will have an attractive and authentic example of Great Bay river craft of a century and more ago.

Francis E. Robinson

All photographs courtesy L. Franklin Heald

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Town Officers and Committees

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Selectmen

Donald M. Sumner, Secretary 1968
James C. Chamberlin, Chairman 1969
Henry A. Davis 1970

Town Clerk

Phyllis Poland

Tax Collector

Phyllis Poland

Treasurer

Forrest H. Smart

Moderator

Francis E. Robinson

Representatives to the General Court (District No. 4)

Shirley M. Clark, Lee
Alexander Cochrane
Leon M. Crouch
Loring V. Tirrell

Supervisors of the Checklist

Daniel C. Ninde
Wallis S. Rand
Chester H. Tecce

Trustees of Trust Funds

Francis E. Robinson 1968
Bradford Kingman 1969
Malcolm J. Chase 1970

Cemetery Committee

Board of Selectmen
Trustees of Trust Funds

Building Inspector

Harry M. Fitz

Chief of Police

Ray I. Burrows

Budget Committee

M. Rae Borrer 1968
Carleton Meader, Chairman 1968
Harold D. Moran 1968
George Sawyer 1968
Rebecca B. W. Long 1969
Paul E. Schaefer 1969
Henry T. Soper, deceased
Manley R. Irwin, to complete term 1969
Silas B. Weeks 1969
Thelma Brackett 1970
Malcolm J. Chase 1970
Lewis Newsy 1970
Judy L. Simpson 1970

Director of Civil Defense

Thomas M. Wenham, resigned August 11, 1967
Robert N. Gillis, appointed November 1, 1967
Persis Plaisted, Codirector

Health Officer

Lawrence W. Slanetz

Keeper of the Swans

Robert N. Faiman

Librarian

Donald E. Vincent

Representative to Seacoast Regional Association

L. Franklin Heald

Superintendent of Public Works

Thomas M. Wenham, resigned August 11, 1967
Robert N. Gillis, appointed November 1, 1967

	Expiration of Term		Expiration of Term
<i>Tree Warden</i>		Bradford Kingman, Chairman	
Harold W. Hocker		Edwin Rasmussin, resigned	
<i>Welfare Officer</i>		Blanche Neuhoff, Secretary	
Ursula Bowring		Edgar Wimpy	
<i>Conservation Commission</i>		<i>Planning Board</i>	
Jeannette Congdon	1968	Harold Langley, Jr.	1968
Lathrop Merrick	1968	Richard Bernard	1969
Philip Sawyer, Chairman	1968	George E. Frick, resigned November 21, 1967	1969
Donald M. Sumner	1969	Owen Durgin, to complete term	1969
Oliver Wallace	1969	John B. Hraba	1970
Kenneth Barraclough	1970	Alden Winn, Chairman	1971
Maryanna Hatch, resigned April 22, 1967	1970	Maryanna Hatch	1972
Arthur Borrer, to complete term	1970	<i>Portsmouth-Kittery Armed Services Committee</i>	
<i>Fire Chief and Fire Warden</i>		Robert True	
John F. Donovan		<i>Public Works Advisory Committee</i>	
<i>Fire Commissioners</i>		Malcolm J. Chase	1968
Richard W. Daland, Chairman	1968	Howard Forrest	1969
Norman W. Stiles	1969	T. Ralph Meyers	1970
Eugene H. Leaver	1970	<i>Sewer Policy Committee</i>	
<i>Joint Town - University Advisory Committee</i>		Henry A. Davis (Town)	1968
Town	University	Herbert E. Kimball (University)	1969
James C. Chamberlin, Chairman	Jere A. Chase	T. Ralph Meyers (Town)	1970
Malcolm J. Chase	Charles O. Dawson	Malcolm J. Chase (Town)	1971
Henry A. Davis, Secretary	Richard E. Downs	Eugene H. Leaver (University)	1972
Howard Forrest	C. Robert Keesey	<i>Zoning Board of Adjustment</i>	
T. Ralph Meyers	Harold Langley, Jr.	Charles W. Wheeler	1968
Lawrence W. Slanetz	Eugene H. Leaver	Loring V. Tirrell	1969
Donald M. Sumner	John W. McConnell	John Belcher	1970
Alden Winn	Norman W. Meyers	Richard Ringrose	1971
<i>Parks and Recreation Committee</i>		Norman W. Stiles, Chairman	1974
Malcolm J. Chase		<i>District Court</i>	
Henry Clapp		Bradford W. McIntyre, Justice	
Charlotte Collins		Joseph E. Michael, Jr., Special Justice	
George E. Frick, resigned November 21, 1967		Beverly R. Burrows, Clerk	

1968 Town Warrant

To the inhabitants of the Town of Durham, County of Strafford, State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Oyster River Co-operative High School Gymnasium, Durham, N. H., on Tuesday the twelfth day of March, 1968 A.D., at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles. (NOTE: Voting by ballot on Articles 1 through 6 will begin at 10:00 a.m. Action on the remainder of the warrant will be postponed until 7:00 p.m. Balloting will be suspended during consideration of other articles under discussion, and will resume thereafter until the meeting is officially adjourned but election officials urge voters to cast their ballots before the 7:00 p.m. meeting since counting of the unusually long and complicated ballots this year will require several hours following adjournment.)

1. To choose a Selectman for a term of three (3) years, a Town Clerk, a Collector of Taxes, and a Town Treasurer, each for a term of one (1) year, a Trustee of Trust Funds for a term of three (3) years, four (4) members of the Budget Committee for terms of three (3) years, and all elective officers for the ensuing year. (*Ballot*)

2. To act upon the following question: "Are you in favor of increasing the Board of Selectmen from three (3) members to five (5) members?" in accordance with RSA 41:8-b. (NOTE: If majority are in favor action will be effective at the 1969 Town Meeting.) (*Ballot*) (Petitioned by the following 47 legal voters:

Arthur S. Adams, Paul E. Schaefer, M. Rae Borrer, Rebecca B. W. Long, Maryanna Hatch, Marion Fogg, Lawrence W. O'Connell, Lathrop B. Merrick, L. Franklin Heald, Jane L. Chasse, Charles J. Chasse, George E. Frick, Robert E. Craig, Roger S. Hoeh, Judy L. Simpson, Leona P. Andrews, Ursula Bowring, Linnette B. Peak, Melville Nielson, Richard A. Andrews, Alice Rowe, Edward L. Rowe, Jr., Silas B. Weeks, James R. Bowring, William F. Henry, George W. Shaw, Owen Durgin, Thelma Brackett, Carleton E. Meader, Jr., George F. Sawyer, Lewis Newsky,

Regina Haskins, Hans Heilbronner, Marion James, Robert B. Dishman, Harry P. Day, Connie Casas, John Belcher, Richard R. Houghton, Ralph C. Carlson, Lovertia A. Grant, Alden F. Winn, Dwight R. Ladd, Erwin A. Jaffe, Hugh Pritchard, Lillian F. Deichert (Cook), Elizabeth M. Hepler.)

3. To see if the Town will vote in favor of the question: "Do you favor the election of a Town Clerk for a three (3) year term, beginning with the election at the 1969 annual Town Meeting?" in accordance with RSA 243:1. (*Ballot*) (Petitioned by 31 legal voters listed following Article 5.)

4. To see if the Town will vote in favor of the question: "Do you favor the election of a Town Treasurer for a three (3) year term, beginning with the election at the 1969 annual Town Meeting?" in accordance with RSA 243:1. (*Ballot*) (Petitioned by 31 legal voters listed following Article 5.)

5. To see if the Town will vote in favor of the question: "Do you favor the election of a Tax Collector for a three (3) year term beginning with the election at the 1969 annual Town Meeting?" in accordance with RSA 243:3. (*Ballot*) (Petitioned by 31 legal voters. Articles 3, 4 and 5 were petitioned by the following 31 legal voters: Walker Wheeler, Rebecca B. W. Long, Dwight R. Ladd, Judy L. Simpson, Joseph B. Axenroth, Wayne Shirley, Lovertia A. Grant, Edward G. Howe, Katharine B. Howe, Francis E. Robinson, Paul E. Schaefer, Arthur W. Robinson, Jr., Carl L. Martin, John Beckett, R. B. Craig, Sr., Clifford Parker, L. Franklin Heald, Harry M. Fitz, John H. Hersey, Leroy J. Higgins, Sheldon Prescott, T. B. Moriarty, Virginia L. Fitts, Opal Eggert, Russell Eggert, Katherine B. Cunningham, Ray F. MacDonald, Elizabeth M. Hepler, Joan W. Weeks, Dorothy B. Hocker, Lawrence W. O'Connell.)

6. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XII of the Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Durham, revised and amended March 11, 1958, for the purpose of adding Section 1200.3a — Signs and Utility Structures. (*Ballot*) (Recommended by the Planning Board.)

7. To see what action the Town will take on the following

proposal: that the vital statistics of the Town be published in the Annual Report regularly.

(Petitioned by the following 16 legal voters: Philip A. Wilcox, Henry B. Stevens, Berdille S. Eldredge, Ann H. Adams, Marjorie H. McGregor, Cornelia F. Wadleigh, Nellier C. Rand, Marge Fitts, Alexander Cochrane, Eugenie G. Cochrane, Mary S. Gilman, Alice Kavanagh, Paul A. Gilman, Dorothy Wilcox, Eleanor R. Fogg, Thelma Brackett.)

8. To see if the Town will act to clarify the terms of service of individuals and the composition of the Parks and Recreation Committee by rescinding the vote relative to these matters in Article 9 at the 1961 Town Meeting and adopting the following: The Parks and Recreation Committee shall consist of nine (9) members: three (3) to be appointed by the Selectmen and one (1) to be elected or appointed by each of the following organizations and committees as its representative: Planning Board, Conservation Commission, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Woman's Club, and Garden Club. The Committee will elect its own officers. 1968 appointment schedule to be effective April 1, 1968: for one (1) year, a representative from the Garden Club, the Woman's Club and one appointment by the Selectmen; for two (2) years, a representative from the Boy Scouts, the Planning Board and one appointment by the Selectmen; for three (3) years, a representative from the Conservation Commission, the Girl Scouts and one appointment by the Selectmen. Thereafter all appointments will be for terms of three (3) years each.

9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept ownership for the Town of Lot No. 55 in the Woodridge subdivision as proposed by Mr. Walter W. Cheney, President of Durham Land Corporation, to be used as a recreational area for the community. This lot is approximately 205 feet by 180 feet (area 40,100 sq. ft.)

(This Article has the recommendation of the Parks and Recreation Committee but no funds are budgeted for improvements at this time.)

10. To see if the voters will direct the Selectmen to prepare

and enforce by March, 1969, a merit system covering all Town employees. This merit system would cover job specifications for hiring and promotion and progressive salary scales.

(Petitioned by the following 10 legal voters: C. H. Mullins, Judy L. Simpson, Lewis Newsky, Silas B. Weeks, Harriette Underwood, Gordon A. Haaland, Dwayne Wrightsman, Minnie E. Murray, Donald M. Murray, Rebecca B. W. Long.)

11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen under authority of RSA 80:42 to sell and transfer the tax lien and/or the title to real estate acquired by the Town at a tax collector's sale for nonpayment of taxes, in default of redemption from such tax sale within the time limited by law, by deed or otherwise upon such terms as the Selectmen shall deem to be in the best interests of the Town.

12. To see if the Town will direct the Selectmen to negotiate immediately with the officials of the Boston & Maine Railroad, or the legal railroad company which is being formed through mergers, the state utility commission and any other legal parties concerned, for the purpose of (1) widening the railroad bridge on Mill Road in the Town of Durham, and (2) constructing a pedestrian walk on this same bridge.

(Petitioned by the following 25 legal voters: Charles G. Arnold, Sheila Arnold, Lee Anne S. Steiner, Robert J. Steiner, Nancy Hess, Irwin T. Hess, Charles E. Gambell, Mrs. Anna N. Gambell, Mrs. Carolyn V. Shore, Samuel D. Shore, John Yount, Susan Yount, Carolyn E. Taft, Joseph B. Murdoch, Barbara F. Towle, Ann E. Murdoch, Harold E. Kimball, Jr., Constance S. Kimball, Rebecca B. Schuyler, J. John Uebel, Kathleen Uebel, Faith M. Pilgrim, Loraine C. Forcier, Ruth Smith, Willard E. Urban, Jr.)

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow necessary money in anticipation of taxes.

14. To see if the Town will authorize the purchase of land and buildings located at 29 Main Street to provide facilities for relocation and expansion of the Town offices to better serve the public, and further to raise and appropriate the sum

of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) as the first of five payments for a total cost of forty thousand dollars (\$40,000.00) for this property; and further to authorize the issuance of serial notes in the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) each, one becoming due and payable on April 1, 1969, one on April 1, 1970, one on April 1, 1971 and one on April 1, 1972, each bearing interest at 4% annually.

(Submitted without recommendation by the Budget Committee.)

15. To appropriate money for sidewalks to be constructed as follows:

1. Extend sidewalk on south side of Main Street from Mill Road to a point beyond the intersection of Main Street and Madbury Road.
2. Extend sidewalk on east side of Madbury Road from the Catholic Youth Center to Woodman Avenue.
3. Construct sidewalk on south side of Woodman Avenue from Madbury Road to Dennison Road.
4. Construct sidewalk on east side of Dennison Road from Woodman Avenue to Elementary School.

This construction is in the interest of eliminating the necessity of school children from Mill Road passing through the Town Parking Lot, and those children on the School side of Madbury Road crossing Madbury Road twice.

(Petitioned by the following 25 legal voters: Ralph B. Craig, Jr., Donald Cook, Joanna Greenlaw, Margaret M. Christensen, Anastatia Anglin, Ralph B. Craig, Merle F. Craig, Albert W. Snow, Janet A. Snow, Robert E. Greenlaw, V. Janet Davison, Patricia Herbst, Edward Herbst, Frederick Hochgraf, Sally V. Hochgraf, Thomas M. Dudley, Dudley W. Dudley, Mildred W. Harmon, George Findell, Jr., Carol R. Findell, D. A. deMoupiéd, Ralph Carlson, Elizabeth W. MacDonald, John M. Sakowski, Ray F. MacDonald.)

16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into contracts for the necessary enlargement and replacement of the College Brook interceptor extension below Randall Hall for a sum not to exceed one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000.00) a share of which is to be

paid by contributions from the State and/or Federal Governments, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150,000.00 by the issuance of serial notes upon the credit of the Town for the payment of the Town's share of said contracts in accordance with the provisions for the Municipal Finance Act, RSA Chapter 33, and to authorize the Selectmen to accept all grants and aid from Federal, State and other sources for the completion thereof, and to authorize the Selectmen to determine the rate of interest and the term and method of payment therefor, and a report of expenditures shall be rendered annually. (See budget.)

(Recommended by Budget Committee.)

17. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to extend the time required for reassessment of land and buildings in the Town of Durham and reschedule for completion in 1969, due to the inability of the N. H. Tax Commission appraisers to complete the work as authorized by Article 9 in the 1967 Town Warrant and to authorize a partial payment of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00) for work performed in 1968. (See budget.)

(Approved by Budget Committee.)

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for the use of the McGregor Memorial Committee in purchasing and equipping an ambulance. The McGregor Memorial Committee was appointed pursuant to a resolution adopted at the 1967 Town Meeting calling for the creation of a "suitable memorial" to the late Dr. George G. McGregor. (See budget and report, Page 24.)

(Recommended by Budget Committee.)

19. To see whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for the purpose of mosquito control.

(Petitioned by the following 15 legal voters: Robert J. Steiner, Robert E. Evans, Lee Anne S. Steiner, Charles G. Arnold, Sheila Arnold, Nancy Hess, Irwin T. Hess, Carl Lundholm, Robert Schuyler, John McGinty, William H. Davison, Robert E. Wear, Emily Evans, Ruth Davis, Lewis

Newsky.) (Not recommended by Budget Committee.)

20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to retain, for the sum of five hundred fifty dollars (\$550.00) annually, the necessary legal counsel to protect the interest of the Town and to serve the various Town committees and departments.

(Petitioned by the following 11 legal voters: C. H. Mullins, Judy L. Simpson, Lewis Newsky, Harriette Underwood, Gordon A. Haaland, Dwayne Wrightsman, Minnie E. Murray, Donald M. Murray, Robert E. Simpson, Rebecca B. W. Long, Maryanna Hatch.)

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of approximately forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000.00) to defray its share of the cost of Strafford County Government.

22. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee in the amount of five hundred ninety-one thousand four hundred fifty-four dollars and eighty-three cents (\$591,454.83) and to raise by taxes the sum of two hundred forty-six thousand seven hundred

fifty-nine dollars and thirty-two cents (\$246,759.32) which is the budget total, less revenues and 1967 surplus, for the purposes of it. (See budget detail.)

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

Given under our hand and seal this 26th day of February in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-eight.

Donald M. Sumner
James C. Chamberlin, Chairman
Henry A. Davis
Board of Selectmen

A True Copy, Attest:

Donald M. Sumner
James C. Chamberlin
Henry A. Davis
Board of Selectmen

1968 Budget

As Submitted by the Budget Committee

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1968 to December 31, 1968 compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1967 to December 31, 1967.

	Estimated Revenue 1967	Actual Revenue 1967	Estimated Revenue 1968	Estimated Revenue 1967	Actual Revenue 1967	Estimated Revenue 1968
SOURCES OF REVENUE						
From State:						
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 27,000.00	\$ 30,063.91	\$ 35,000.00			
Railroad Tax	500.00	336.43	300.00			
Savings Bank Tax	3,000.00	3,215.99	3,400.00			
Meals and Rooms Tax	—	—	10,000.00			
Reimbursement:						
Head Tax	—	48.28	50.00			
Water Pollution Projects	31,561.00	31,561.00	32,429.00			
Public Welfare	350.00	257.08	200.00			
Road Toll Refund	1,500.00	833.91	1,000.00			
From Local Sources Except Taxes:						
Dog Licenses	900.00	946.25	950.00			
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	100.00	144.00	169.00			
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	7,000.00	7,680.80	8,500.00			
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	—	—	720.00			
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	450.00	330.54	400.00			
Miscellaneous	200.00	223.00	200.00			
Income of Departments:						
(a) Highway, incl. rental of equip.	5,000.00	105.00	100.00			
(b) Building permits	1,200.00	880.00	800.00			
(c) Comprehensive Plan - UNH share	—	3,000.00	—			
Income from Municipally owned Utilities:						
Sewer Departments	18,000.00	18,964.00	10,000.00			
Interest from Investments	—	—	2,256.80			
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	35,000.00	34,712.74	36,000.00			
Town Clerk - Tax Collector Fees	700.00	586.00	1,010.00			
Sale of Town Property	100.00	514.30	200.00			
Septic Tank Inspection Fees	600.00	360.00	500.00			
Property Tax Refunds	—	1,950.00	—			
Reimb. Water Dept. Payroll	1,000.00	300.78	1,000.00			
Reimb. Sewer Dept. Payroll	1,000.00	1,906.09	1,000.00			
Reimb. Sewer - UNH	5,000.00	5,346.45	4,825.40			
Reimb. Incinerator - UNH	—	—	9,750.00			
				Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:		
				Serial Notes - Parking Lot	35,000.00	35,000.00
				Serial Notes - Incinerator	70,000.00	86,000.00
				Serial Notes - Callege Brook Interceptor	—	150,000.00
				Insurance Refunds	350.00	—
				Cash Surplus	—	30,465.31
				From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:		
				(a) Poll Taxes - Regular at \$2	2,700.00	2,918.00
				(b) National Bank Stock Taxes	250.00	159.00
				(c) Yield Taxes	400.00	388.57
				TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$248,861.00	\$299,197.43
				AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROP. TAXES		\$233,777.32
				TOTAL REVENUES		\$ 578,452.83
PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES						
General Government:						
				Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 15,050.00	\$ 13,560.66
				Town Officers' Expenses	10,173.00	10,000.77
				Election and Registration Expenses	230.00	141.65
				Municipal and District Court Expenses	2,280.00	2,280.00
				Expenses Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	2,250.00	1,625.79
				Reappraisal of Property	800.00	702.18
				Employees' Retirement & Social Security	3,900.00	4,626.77
				Contingency Fund (Rental of Prop.)	—	—
				Protection of Persons and Property:		
				Police Department	50,815.00	48,407.16
				Fire Department	15,472.64	6,315.59
				Math Extern. - Blister Rust & Care of Trees	700.00	588.20
				Insurance	7,100.00	7,174.73
				Planning and Zoning	12,300.00	10,527.12
				Hydrant Rental	630.00	630.00
						660.00

Detail of 1968 Budget

	1967 Budget	1967 Expended	Proposed Budget 1968
Damages and Legal Expenses	2,000.00	1,010.03	2,000.00
Civil Defense	200.00	11.65	200.00
Health:			
Health Department	600.00	445.31	1,350.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	7,100.00	8,116.85	28,706.40
Town Maintenance	78,150.00	75,147.12	101,956.00
Street Lighting	7,500.00	7,501.08	8,000.00
Town Road Aid	705.80	705.80	902.13
Libraries	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,500.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	2,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00
Old Age Assistance	1,000.00	1,510.11	1,600.00
Memorial Day	100.00	100.00	100.00
McGregor Memorial	—	—	2,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	2,650.00	2,643.95	2,914.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	200.00	240.50	200.00
Conservation Commission	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Advertising & Regional Associations	200.00	200.00	200.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	800.00	2,118.47	1,000.00
On Bonded Debt	27,000.00	27,000.00	25,500.00
On Long Term Notes	2,420.00	664.89	4,560.00
Town Construction	36,500.00	33,551.91	8,600.00
Construction Incinerator	87,000.00	6,172.00	—
Sidewalk Construction	9,000.00	7,058.68	6,000.00
Sewer Construction	—	—	150,000.00
New Equipment	10,000.00	10,192.75	20,500.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Bonds	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Long Term Notes	7,000.00	7,000.00	15,600.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	5,000.00	5,000.00	—
Deficit of Previous Year	3,800.00	3,800.00	—
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$470,626.44	\$366,771.72	\$578,452.83¹

Note:

¹ This total differs by \$8,001.00 from the total of the detailed budget following, the sum of items not recommended by the Budget Committee.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

	1966 Expended	1967 Budget	1967 Expended	1968 Proposed
Town Officers' salaries				
Selectmen - Chairman	\$ 600.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00
- Others	1,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Tax Collector	1,588.16	1,600.00	1,790.13	1,800.00 ¹
Tax Collector's fees	323.85	300.00	312.30	310.00
Town Clerk	2,172.85	2,500.00	2,258.00	2,700.00 ¹
Treasurer	300.00	300.00	300.00	300.00 ²
Building Inspector	1,281.00	1,000.00	706.50	1,000.00 ³
Director of Public Works	5,000.00	5,700.00	4,543.73	6,700.00 ⁴
Health Officer	300.00	350.00	350.00	350.00 ⁵
Welfare Officer	50.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
	12,615.86	15,050.00	13,560.66	16,460.00

Notes:

¹ **Revenue.** The entries under Sewer and Water Departments' reimbursement for payroll represent the estimated work to be done for those departments by Town crew. Salary payments by these departments to others on the Town payroll appear only in the budgets of the two departments.

Expenditures. Salaries for the Town Office staff require more explanation. At present one person is serving as Tax Collector, Town Clerk, and Town Office manager. The Office force (manager, assistant, part-time help) type, file, keep records for the Selectmen, the Superintendent of Public Works, the Sewer and Water Departments, and other officers and committees as necessary. The Selectmen have therefore budgeted the office salaries as a package, totaling \$12,210.00. The breakdown:

Office manager	\$6,500
Assistant	4,810
Part-time help	900

Of this amount \$8,010 is in the Town budget (offset in part by fees, licenses, etc. in the revenue) and \$2,100 each from Sewer and Water Department budgets. Tax Collector's salary is determined by a formula based on the taxes and fees collected.

² \$300 raised by taxes; \$100 from Sewer Dept.; \$100 from Water Dept., the two latter not shown previously.

³ This figure is an estimate based on 90% of building permit fees plus one-half septic tank inspection fees.

⁴ Plus \$2,300 from Sewer Dept. and \$1,000 from Water Dept. Only payments from Town taxes listed in earlier Town Reports.

⁵ Plus one-half septic tank inspection fees. See Health Department.

	1966 Expended	1967 Budget	1967 Expended	1968 Proposed		1966 Expended	1967 Budget	1967 Expended	1968 Proposed
Town Officers' Expenses					PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY				
Assoc. dues & membership	154.80	200.00	183.25	200.00	FIRE DEPARTMENT				
Audits	493.00	500.00	552.76	550.00	[Town shore - 1/3]				
Census - Head & poll tax	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	Salaries	8,657.70	11,800.00	4,302.40	15,800.00
Clerical assistance	2,559.68	3,720.00	3,871.57	3,200.00 ¹	Insurance	114.64	239.30	82.64	239.30
Computer service	—	500.00	497.49	500.00	Retirement fund	280.51	500.00	248.51	733.33
Coupon service	11.05	—	—	—	Supplies and maintenance	1,410.05	1,200.00	682.04	1,100.00
Office supplies & expenses	3,020.84	3,000.00	2,807.17	3,000.00	Equipment	443.52	734.34	—	1,066.67
Telephone	415.10	600.00	476.18	600.00	Capital reserve fund	334.34	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Town Report printing	925.00	1,203.00	1,203.80	1,000.00	Total Town	11,240.06	15,472.64	6,315.59	19,939.30
Travel - Conventions	177.87	250.00	208.55	250.00	Total Town and UNH	—	44,751.22	—	56,817.50
	7,957.34	10,173.00	10,000.77	9,500.00	POLICE DEPARTMENT				
ELECTION AND REGISTRATION					Salaries	30,271.80	37,856.00	36,885.00	41,496.00
Fees - Election officials	\$ 234.00	\$ 70.00	\$ 65.25	\$ 270.00	Supplies	552.76	550.00	644.34	550.00
Meals - Election officials	86.33	40.00	17.00	85.00	Travel expenses	129.66	200.00	81.50	200.00
Rental polling place	20.00	10.00	—	40.00	Uniform allowance	1,150.60	1,200.00	1,323.34	1,341.00
Setting up polling place	35.50	10.00	10.00	25.00	Special officers	1,805.25	1,673.00	1,465.53	1,500.00
Supplies and printing	190.75	100.00	49.40	200.00	Equipment	542.67	1,550.00	1,622.36	600.00
	566.58	230.00	141.65	620.00	Utility Vehicle	—	800.00	800.00	—
DISTRICT COURT					Gas, oil, maintenance	1,805.60	2,200.00	1,206.91	2,182.00
Justice salary	1,209.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,750.00	Lease of cruiser	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,080.00	1,560.00
Special Justice salary	360.00	360.00	360.00	1,200.00	Retirement fund (6%)	1,288.52	1,906.00	1,756.47	1,906.00
Clerk of Court salary	720.00	720.00	720.00	1,050.00	Answering service	357.70	550.00	567.08	550.00
	2,289.00	2,280.00	2,280.00	4,000.00	Dispatch service	—	—	—	625.00
EXPENSES TOWN HALL					Telephone	361.62	125.00	125.15	125.00
Janitor	332.03	400.00	337.50	500.00	Traffic control lights	136.16	175.00	153.05	175.00
Utilities	785.70	750.00	869.71	800.00	Radio equipment	30.50	700.00	655.60	800.00
Repairs	933.40	900.00	81.49	200.00	Radio maintenance	127.08	150.00	40.83	150.00
Materials	—	—	—	400.00	Mileage for inspector	—	100.00	—	—
Office equipment	560.19	200.00	188.19	1,150.00	CARE OF TREES				
Utilities, 29 Main Street	—	—	148.90	400.00	INSURANCE				
Repairs, 29 Main Street	—	—	—	5,000.00	Town Officers' bonds	303.00	300.00	269.00	300.00
	2,611.32	2,250.00	1,625.79	8,450.00	Town buildings	—	—	—	—
Appraisal of Property	808.51	800.00	702.18	3,500.00	Workmen's compensation)	5,145.50	5,300.00	5,137.72	5,500.00
Social Security	3,740.92	3,900.00	4,626.77	4,932.00	Retirement insurance	—	—	—	500.00
TOTAL FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT	30,589.53	34,683.00	32,937.82	47,462.00	Health insurance	1,410.98	1,500.00	1,768.01	4,044.00
						6,859.48	7,100.00	7,174.73	10,344.00
					PLANNING AND ZONING				
					Planning Board	1,267.77	2,300.00	1,377.12	2,500.00
					Comprehensive Plan	—	10,000.00	9,150.00	3,000.00
					Zoning Board of Adjustment	—	—	—	100.00
						1,267.77	12,300.00	10,527.12	5,600.00

	1966 Expended	1967 Budget	1967 Expended	1968 Proposed		1966 Expended	1967 Budget	1967 Expended	1968 Proposed
LEGAL FEES & DAMAGES	886.21	2,000.00	1,010.03	2,000.00	Town road aid	700.59	705.80	705.80	902.13
CIVIL DEFENSE	31.86	200.00	11.65	200.00	Parking lot	—	35,000.00	32,064.05	2,100.00
HYDRANT RENTAL	630.00	630.00	630.00	660.00	Town garage	1,459.07	1,000.00	855.22	1,500.00
					Contracts	6,528.33	500.00	632.64	5,000.00
TOTAL - PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY	61,355.30	89,217.64	74,664.48	93,203.30	New equipment	21,486.40	10,000.00	10,192.75	20,500.00
HEALTH					Capital reserve (equip.)	—	5,000.00	5,000.00	—
Oyster River Home Health Assn.	—	200.00	200.00	1,000.00		105,421.82	139,355.80	131,656.26	137,958.13
Health Officer's expenses	81.06	100.00	65.31	100.00	STREET LIGHTING	6,335.88	7,500.00	7,501.08	8,000.00
Septic tank inspection fees	300.00	300.00	180.00	250.00	McGREGOR MEMORIAL	—	—	—	2,000.00
	381.06	600.00	445.31	1,350.00	LIBRARY	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,500.00
REFUSE COLLECTION					PUBLIC WELFARE				
[and incinerator-dump operations]					Old age assistance	813.59	1,000.00	1,510.11	1,600.00
Payroll - collection	6,777.70	6,800.00	7,936.34	7,706.40	Direct relief	3,018.07	2,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00
Operation of dump	468.25	300.00	180.51	200.00		3,831.66	3,500.00	4,010.11	6,600.00
Incinerator and dump					PATRIOTIC PURPOSES				
Payroll 1st six months	—	—	—	1,300.00	Memorial Day	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
Payroll 2nd six months	—	—	—	10,500.00	RECREATION				
Equipment	—	—	—	5,500.00	Parks & playgrounds	1,540.66	2,650.00	2,643.95	2,914.00
Tools - 2nd six months	—	—	—	500.00	PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES				
Supplies - 2nd six months	—	—	—	500.00	Cemeteries	215.00	200.00	240.50	200.00
Utilities - 2nd six months	—	—	—	2,500.00	Regional advertising	300.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
	7,245.95	7,100.00	8,116.85	28,706.40 ¹	Conservation Commission	275.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
MOSQUITO CONTROL	—	—	—	1.00		790.00	1,400.00	1,440.50	1,400.00
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT					CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS				
Payroll (exclusive of Supt. & refuse collection)	30,852.86	34,900.00	32,107.08	54,156.00	Incinerator construction	—	87,000.00	6,172.00	—
Gas and oil	4,814.30	5,500.00	5,438.65	5,500.00	Acquisition Smart property	—	—	—	8,000.00
Materials and supplies	8,123.62	6,500.00	5,406.49	4,000.00	Expenses 3 mos. - Jan.-Mar.	—	—	—	600.00
Equipment maintenance	7,727.39	7,000.00	8,652.96	8,000.00	College Brook interceptor reconstruction	—	—	—	150,000.00
Utilities	769.42	750.00	1,019.38	800.00					158,600.00
Highway maintenance					INDEBTEDNESS				
Supplies	—	—	1,357.97	2,500.00	Interest				
Equipment rental	1,497.42	2,000.00	773.95	1,500.00	Temporary loans	795.83	800.00	2,118.47	1,000.00
Asphalt patch)				3,000.00	Long term notes	—	2,420.00	664.89	4,560.00
Road tar)	10,322.79	12,000.00	9,370.69	9,000.00 ²	Bonded debt	28,596.25	27,000.00	27,000.00	25,500.00
Highway salt	4,101.20	7,500.00	9,019.95	8,000.00	Principal				
Sand (screened)	—	—	—	3,000.00	Long term notes	—	7,000.00	7,000.00	15,600.00
Bituminous concrete	—	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	Bonded debt	61,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Roadside mowing	—	—	—	500.00					
New construction					TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS	90,392.08	87,220.00	86,783.36	96,660.00
Sidewalks	7,038.43	9,000.00	7,058.68	6,000.00 ²	DEFICIT	—	—	3,800.00	—
					TOTAL TOWN EXPENDITURES	\$315,474.95	\$466,826.44	\$362,971.72	\$591,454.83
					Surplus or (Deficit)	(3,800.00)	(3,800.00)	(3,800.00)	30,465.31

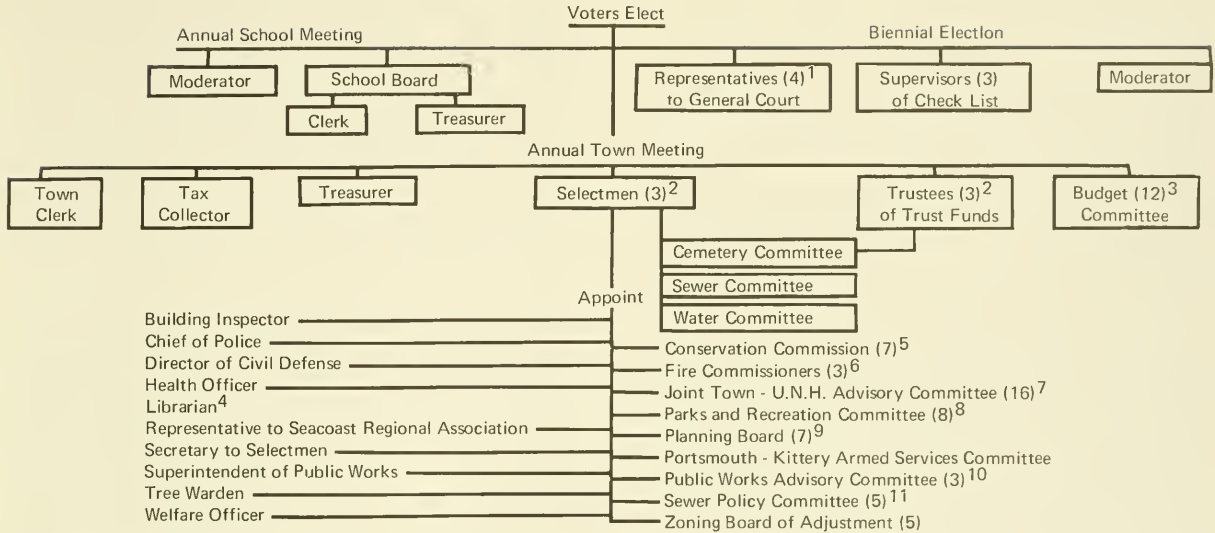
1 There is partial reimbursement from UNH for incinerator entries under Revenue.

2 These items do not include payroll, which is included in total payroll as shown above.

Revenue to Town Estimated for 1968

	1965 Actual	1966 Actual	1967 Actual	1968 Estimate		1965 Actual	1966 Actual	1967 Actual	1968 Estimate
FROM STATE					Reimbursements				
Interest and dividends	\$ 20,953.47	\$ 24,897.05	\$ 30,063.91	\$ 35,000.00	Incinerator - UNH	—	—	—	9,750.00
Railroad tax	479.05	499.96	336.43	300.00	Sewer - UNH	36,872.00	14,040.00	5,346.45	4,825.40
Reimbursements:					Sewer Dept. payroll	4,013.00	13,732.45	1,906.09	1,000.00
Head tax	—	—	48.28	50.00	Water Dept. payroll	3,489.36	3,801.57	300.78	1,000.00
Public welfare	435.00	333.00	257.08	200.00	Town property				
Sewer (1947)	955.97	1,274.00	1,274.00	1,274.00	Rental	—	—	—	720.00
Sewer (1964)	—	50,712.00	30,287.00	31,155.00	Sale	1,080.50	100.45	514.30	200.00
Road toll refunds	877.17	1,612.03	836.91	1,000.00	Withdrawal from capital res.	5,000.00	5,900.00	—	—
Rooms and meals tax	—	—	—	10,000.00	Miscellaneous	905.25	129.14	223.00	200.00
Savings bank tax	2,541.09	2,795.77	3,215.99	3,400.00	TOTAL FROM LOCAL SOURCES OTHER THAN TAXES	120,739.24	112,698.28	77,949.95	78,381.20
TOTAL FROM STATE	26,241.75	82,123.81	66,316.60	82,379.00	FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY				
FROM LOCAL SOURCES					National bank tax	114.75	245.90	159.00	150.00
Licenses, permits, fees					Poll tax	2,642.00	2,754.00	2,918.00	3,000.00
Building permits	1,250.00	1,278.00	880.00	800.00	Timber tax (Yield Tax)	475.73	620.01	388.57	300.00
Business licenses	34.00	115.00	75.00	115.00		3,232.48	3,619.91	3,465.57	3,450.00
Dog licenses	897.00	840.00	946.25	950.00	FROM BONDS AND NOTES				
Filing fees (candidates)	—	—	4.00	4.00	Serial notes - Parking lot	—	—	35,000.00	—
Motor vehicle permits	29,908.26	33,080.89	34,712.74	36,000.00	Serial notes - Incinerator	—	—	86,000.00	—
Parking permits	—	—	65.00	50.00	Serial notes or bonds - College Brook interceptor reconstruction	—	—	—	150,000.00
Septic tank inspection fees	630.00	600.00	360.00	500.00	TOTAL REVENUE OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES	\$150,213.47	\$198,442.00	\$268,732.12	\$314,210.20
Sewer entrance fees	7,800.00	15,642.00	18,964.00	10,000.00	Cash surplus	11,863.66	—	30,465.31	—
Tax collector's fees	—	—	—	310.00					
Town clerk's fees	717.93	691.00	586.00	700.00					
Fines									
Court fines and forfeits	5,000.00	4,360.00	5,539.40	6,000.00					
Parking fines	1,564.00	2,263.15	2,141.40	2,500.00					
Other									
Comprehensive plan (UNH share)	—	—	3,000.00	—					
Highway Department, including rental of equipment	468.20	5,576.79	105.00	100.00					
Insurance refunds	664.32	279.00	—	—					
Interest on:									
Investments	20,000.00	9,833.80	—	2,256.80					
Taxes and deposits	445.42	435.04	330.54	400.00					
Property tax refunds	—	—	1,950.00	—					

Government in Durham



1. Lee and Durham compose District No. 4.

2. 3-year term; one elected annually.

3. 3-year term; 4 elected annually.

4. U.N.H. librarian is also Town librarian.

5. 3-year term; 2 appointed annually, one additional triennially.

6. One appointed by selectmen, one by U.N.H. These 2 select a third.

7. 8 members represent Town, 8 U.N.H. On committee by virtue of their positions.

8. Members appointed by selectmen or chosen by interested organizations to represent their interests.

9. 5-year term for 6 appointed members; one appointed annually, 2 when 2 terms expire. A selectman is also a voting member.

10. 3-year term; one appointed annually.

11. 5-year term; one appointed annually; 2 represent Town, 2 U.N.H. These 4 appoint the fifth.

12. 5-year term; one appointed annually.

Reports of Town Officers and Committees

Selectmen

The task of being a selectman in our rapidly growing Town becomes a more complex job every year, and the Board is most grateful for the increasing assistance being volunteered by various committees and individuals. This Town Report details the accomplishments of various groups. In our report, we shall try to highlight some of Durham's productive efforts during 1967, and perhaps cast some light (or shadow) on what Durham faces in the near future.

First, we would acknowledge with many thanks the work of Thelma Brackett as editor of this 1967 Town Report. She has spent many hours trying to clarify Durham's report to its citizens.

The Comprehensive Plan is progressing and several preliminary ideas have been presented. The plan should be of real interest to all of us as we look forward and plan for the future growth of Durham — and grow it will. In the past decade 270 new homes have been built, and there is no indication that this expansion will not continue. It is a matter for regret that more efforts were not made in the past regarding street layout and provision for adequately handling the vast amount of vehicular traffic that funnels in, out, and around our limited business section and the U.N.H. campus. Perhaps a Comprehensive Plan cannot correct all the deficiencies existing today, but it should provide the ideas necessary to correct many of them and enable us to avoid some mistakes in the future.

During 1967 our plan for sidewalk construction progressed within the limits of available funds. An extension of Mill Road sidewalk and one along Coe Drive from the elementary school to the high school were completed. Planned for 1968

are a sidewalk from Cowell Drive along Madbury Road to Woodman, along Woodman to Dennison and thence along Dennison to the elementary school. It is also hoped that additional work can be accomplished on Mill Road.

1967 Town Road Aid funds were expended on Emerson Road from Edgewood to Bagdad. This new road will help immensely in dispersing traffic to and from the high school. Plans for the 1968 T.R.A. funds are to correct some of the deficiencies on Durham Point Road and to improve drainage and road shoulders on Durham Point and Bennett Roads. In 1968 our tarring program will be increased. The specialized asphalt treatment used on Mill Road in 1967 will be used in 1968.

The Joint Town - University Committee has met several times during the past year and its various subcommittees are working on programs that will mutually benefit Town and University. The Sewer Committee has taken over administration of the Sewer Department. Arrangements are virtually complete to establish a central dispatch installation at the U.N.H. - Town Fire Station to provide 24-hour radio dispatch service to Fire and Police Departments and other emergency services. Progress has been made toward construction of an incinerator at the site of the present Town dump. Construction is scheduled to start late this spring and the incinerator should be in operation by midsummer. While this installation will increase the costs of our rubbish disposal, we believe it will be a real asset to Durham. We sometimes overlook the considerable growth of this service required by Durham citizens. At the present time three members of our nine-man Public Works crew spend two and one-half days a week picking up Durham's leftovers. The Joint Committee's efforts to provide for present and future needs for water have progressed. In 1967 the control gates on the Wiswall Dam were rebuilt at a cost of less than \$16,000. This cost added to the Dam and water rights represents an investment of approximately \$35,000. The additional water supply thus provided University and Town is over ten times the present supply.

The 1968 program will provide a pipeline to deliver this supply to our present treatment plant and distribution system.

Our Public Works Department has had a busy year between day-to-day maintenance and keeping up with the variety of jobs delegated to it. Besides the items already mentioned, the Department replaced nearly 1,000 feet of water line on Bay View Road and repaired more than a dozen points in our sewer lines where much of the "illegal" surface water had been entering, and causing excessive burdens on, the sanitary sewer.

The Town is most fortunate to have been able to obtain Robert N. Gillis as Superintendent of Public Works and Assistant to the Selectmen. Bob comes to us with an excellent background of practical experience in the operation and direction of the various functions of this position. We hope all citizens will come to know Bob better; we are certain that his contribution to Durham will be of great value to us all.

Looking to the future, we wish to call attention to the need for improvement of the Wiswall Road bridge over the Lamprey River, and also the Mill Road bridge over the Oyster River.

The Police and Fire Departments have done an excellent job throughout 1967 and deserve a "well done" from the Selectmen and all Durham citizens.

The size and complexity of the operations in the Town Office continually increase and we are pleased that Phyllis Poland, Linda Ekdahl and Jenifer McKinnon have so well kept up with the increasing work load. As noted in the Warrant and the Budget, we are recommending new facilities for Town offices. The present space has been outgrown and the Selectmen feel that larger quarters must be provided.

The Selectmen continue to hold regular weekly meetings Saturday mornings and welcome visits from the public to discuss Durham's problems and their possible solutions.

Building Inspector

Number	Description of Permits Issued	Estimated Cost
35	New residences	\$663,100.00
14	Additions and alterations to residences	62,555.00
2	Private residence garages and additions	8,300.00
3	New business buildings	46,500.00
3	Additions and alterations to business buildings	16,000.00
1	Foundation under present building	900.00
1	Tennis court and fence	3,800.00
Total estimated cost		\$801,155.00
1	Application for permit disapproved	

Harry M. Fitz

Cemetery Committee

The Town maintenance forces are continuing their excellent maintenance of the Town Cemetery and those under trust to the Town. Eight half-lots have been sold in the newly developed burial area completed last year. The amount borrowed for development and improvement of the cemetery has been fully repaid, and a pump has been provided near the cemetery tool house so that water can be obtained for memorial flowers.

Conservation Commission

During 1967 the Conservation Commission, together with the Trustees of Trust Funds and legal counsel, arranged to have the Woodman Cemetery and adjacent three acres of land transferred to the care of the Trustees of Trust Funds. We appreciate particularly the cooperation of Mr. Jesse P. Gangwer and Mr. Harold Weathers in making this arrangement possible. The land will remain an oasis of open space in a rapidly growing area.

The Commission members conveyed in meetings and by

letters their thoughts and wishes regarding future open space needs of Durham to The Planning Services Group of Cambridge. The Group wove these ideas into their own preliminary report. We have reviewed in detail this Open Space Report, and returned it to them. We were pleased with the originality and thought that went into the Report.

In 1967 we approached our Cooperative School tentatively with an offer of our services to aid in bringing principles of conservation and ecology to our young people. We hope this plan may be further developed in 1968.

A careful review of subdivision regulations resulted in two suggestions favorable to the goals of the Conservation Commission. These were sent to the Planning Board for their consideration.

Philip J. Sawyer

Durham District Court

Receipts

Balance on hand		
January 1, 1967	\$	191.57
Receipts, fines & forfeitures		8,600.20
Bail		120.00
		\$8,911.77

Disbursements

State Fish and Game	\$	84.00
State Motor Vehicles		2,540.28
Expenses of the Court		360.05
Witness fees		168.04
Return of bail		120.00
Town of Durham		\$5,539.40
Balance on hand		
December 31, 1967	\$	100.00
		\$8,911.77

Total Number of Complaints

Felonies	6	
Misdemeanors	549	555
Drunk		7
Illegal possession		17
Falsifying age to procure alcohol		1
Violation motor vehicle - State		416
Violation motor vehicle - Town		58
Fish and Game		7
Petty larceny		7
Attempted larceny		1
Willful concealment of merchandise		21
Assault		5
Assault and robbery		3
Assault and battery		1
Disorderly conduct		4
Unlawful possession of a narcotic drug		2
Unlawful purchase of a narcotic drug		1
Neglect of minor children		2
Damage to public property		1
Derisive words		1
		555
Found guilty		509
Found not guilty		5
Dismissed		9
Nol prossed		19
Forfeited bail		1
Defaulted		5
Placed on file		1
Bound over		3
Transferred to Superior Court		3
		555
49 pleaded not guilty		
3 appealed		

Beverly R. Burrows
Clerk of Court

Fire Commissioners

The Durham - U.N.H. Fire Department, consisting of a three-man Board of Commissioners, seven permanent firemen and approximately thirty volunteers, join together to ask you all to make 1968 a year of no fires. Your 100% cooperation is necessary for such a record. The complete assistance of the Fire Department, physically and informationally, is always as handy as your telephone.

Your permanent firemen are Chief John F. Donovan; Deputy Chief Alfred E. Grimes; Captain Roland R. La Roche; and Privates James Breslin, Frank Martin, Joseph E. Polazzi, and Robert Wallingford. They are qualified and well-trained professional firemen. The volunteers are equally well qualified, drill twice monthly and respond to all call alarms. Many of these volunteers have served more than ten years.

So much for manpower, which at best can only operate the equipment available. In the Durham - U.N.H. Fire Department the equipment basically consists of four pumpers plus a 75-foot aerial ladder truck. All of this motorized apparatus carries a full complement of hose in two sizes, 2½" and 1½", as well as a varied assortment of fire-fighting tools. These range from hand flashlights to a gas-operated generator for floodlights, and power tools, portable pumps, smoke ejectors, deluge guns, and eight Scott Air Paks (self-contained fresh air breathing devices), plus a wide variety of the many necessary smaller pieces of equipment.

The Fire Station is equipped with two master radios, one on the State Forestry frequency, the other tied in with some twenty other fire departments as well as with three of the trucks equipped with two-way mobile radio units. The Department thus has a complete independent communication system both within itself and with surrounding communities. During the year the Durham - U.N.H. Fire Department, a charter member of the Southeastern New Hampshire Mutual Aid System, has been designated as one of three subdispatching centers for this system, which has Portsmouth for its



A chimney fire at Highland House in January, 1967. The Durham—UNH Fire Department is using the 75-foot aerial ladder. In the foreground is the 1,000-gallon-per-minute pumper.

main center. If the proposed Public Safety Communication setup is implemented by the Town and University in March 1968, all emergency calls, Town and University, police and fire, health and accident, will be handled on a 24-hour basis from a dispatching center in the Durham - U.N.H. Fire Station. Your Fire Commissioners believe this to be a giant step toward the goal of offering the entire community a complete protective service by one comprehensive organization. This center of course is not the final answer, but fundamentally fast and knowledgeable communication is the base on which joint cooperation must be built.

The Department answered 280 calls during 1967, about 100 more than in 1966. Many were for malfunctioning alarms. We believe this trouble has now been eliminated. Fire insurance losses for 1967 totaled about \$14,000, one

fire accounting for \$12,000 of this total.

Your Board of Fire Commissioners will continue to work toward giving better fire protection to the Durham community, bearing in mind that true quality and efficiency are not always indicated by a dollar sign.

*Richard W. Daland
Eugene H. Leaver
Norman W. Stiles*

Forest Fire Warden

After several successive years of drought, the rains of 1967 came as a welcome change. Our thanks to all who contributed to the good record of the past fire season. Continued improvement in accurate, prompt detection and rapid, effective suppressive action can help to maintain this worthwhile record, even though we do not have an abundance of rain as in 1967.

Please follow these simple suggestions:

- No burning of debris and waste between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. and then only with a written permit from the Forest Fire Warden.
- Take debris and waste to the town dump.
- Maintain a clean, safe dump.
- Keep matches away from young children.
- Be sure matches and smoking material are dead out before discarding.
- Set a good example for others in fire prevention.

1967 Record

State	408	520
District	28	60
Town	1	4

*John F. Donovan, Warden
Ivan E. Scranton, District Chief*

Health Officer

No serious outbreaks of communicable diseases were reported to the Health Officer during the year. Supervision of the sanitary quality of the water and milk supplies was continued and attention was given to maintaining good sanitary conditions in our Durham restaurants and stores. Our program of inspection and approval of septic tank disposal systems was continued for all new homes in Durham not serviced by the Town sewerage system. Periodic bacteriological tests on water samples from the Oyster River estuary indicated that the Durham waste treatment plant was effectively treating the effluent discharged into this stream.

L. W. Slanetz

Joint Town - University Advisory Committee

This Committee was established in 1962 because of Town and University interest in solving common problems in a mutually advantageous way. Problems of mutual concern such as pollution control, water supply, public safety (to name only a few subjects) are frankly discussed by the members who are the top officials in both Town and University policy-making positions. Thus eventual recommendations for action by either Town or University are in line rather than in conflict with the common good.

The Committee met four times in 1967. There is no set date for meeting but it is agreed that one meeting each quarter is desirable. Problems discussed included infiltration, illegal water and grease in the sewer system, communication-dispatch system, refuse (rubbish) disposal — the proposed incinerator, water supply and treatment, public safety (police, traffic, fire).

Because of the unofficial nature of this Committee final action resulting from discussions is included in the report of the department or Town committee concerned or in the selectmen's report.

James C. Chamberlin

Keeper of the Swans

On New Year's Day, 1968, bright and sunny despite a cold wind and snow piled high, Alice and Hamilton, "Durham's Swans", paddled strongly and freely to be fed by a group of happy children on the shore in a cove of Portsmouth's North Mill Pond. Their first winter of freedom in this ice-free sheltered open-water area appears to be thoroughly agreeable to them and from the enthusiastic comments of their new neighbors who are watching over and feeding them they have obviously prospered and brought to Portsmouth the warm pleasure felt during the past three summers by the citizens of Durham.

The first winter following Alice's exciting arrival on Durham's Mill Pond was spent in a poultry apartment on the University campus. The succeeding summer after her return to the pond was a lovely one spent mostly at the far end of the reservoir. After her molt she moved down to the open pond and after several random flights landed below the dam where she was captured. Because Hamilton was by then sufficiently strong to be released — even though his pinions were not developed enough to fly — her flight pinions were clipped so that they would remain together. With the onset of ice they were captured and together spent the winter as guests of the University.

Last spring saw their release to the pond and, following Hamilton's abortive trip over the dam towards the sea and their initial seclusion in the cove at the far side of the lower pond during the early part of the summer, with the completion of their molt, they regularly and freely swam out for feeding and admiration. A strong consensus against again clipping their wings existed and this fall they were left free. With the onset of ice on the pond they moved to open water below the dam and after several interim stops established winter quarters in Portsmouth. In accordance with advice from natural resources specialists, including the New Hampshire Fish and Game Commission, it was decided that no



Alice can usually be identified by the arched neck.

effort should be made to capture them. If normal patterns of behavior are followed, it is anticipated that they will return

to Durham's Mill Pond in the spring to complete their nest and possibly present us with a family.

A hearty thank you to all the interested citizens of Durham is expressed. The "swan fund" so generously supported provided help for their care and feeding. Mr. Forrest, Judge McIntire, and Professor Olson's continuing efforts are particularly appreciated.

R. N. Faiman

Librarian
Durham Public Library
Comparative Statistics

	1966	1967
Volumes in the University Library	418,251	446,367
Number of Periodicals	3,225	3,452
Durham Public Library Collection		
Children's Books Added	294	634
Youth Books Added	116	213
Adult Books Added	14	93
Books discarded	347	240
Total in Collection	7,543	8,243
Circulation		
Children's Books	15,952	19,272
Youth Books	1,965	2,132
Total	17,917	21,404
Registration		
Town Adults	866	1,072
Oyster River School District Children	1,040	1,095
Total	1,906	2,167

For the past year and a half, Durham has had a half-time Children's Librarian at the University Library. Mrs. Jean Agenbroad served from July 1966 through September 1967 and is now on leave of absence for one year. Mrs. Rebecca Schuyler has capably substituted since September. It is a pleasure to append their reports to the Town Library Report.

Donald E. Vincent
Librarian

Children's Room 1966 – 1967

Book Collection: The collection suffers from gaps and a general lack of depth. The great books are there, but too many good standard titles, especially in nonfiction, are not. Fiction has been weeded, standard titles replaced, and some retrospective buying done.

Programs: Fifteen book talks and story hours were given in the schools, and ten classes and six Brownie and Cub Scout Troops visited the Library for story hours and instruction in the use of the card catalog. The preschool story hour, begun in January, proved very popular. It was necessary to hold two separate story hours each week in order to accommodate the 45 children registered; approximately 40 story hours have been held with an average attendance of fifteen.

The summer reading club was even more popular. Sixty-five children began to "Sail Through Summer" by writing book reports on their summer reading, and attendance at each of the three weekly programs was often a staggering 55-60 children.

In June, four groups of Head Start workers were instructed in conducting a preschool story hour.

The Town is urged to appropriate the money for either a full-time librarian or two part-time ones. There is simply too much work here for a half-time librarian.

Jean Agenbroad

A floor-shelf plan has been erected in the Children's Room to aid young people when the Children's Librarian is not available.

Several Oyster River Elementary School classes have come to the Library for instruction, and individual instruction in library usage continues to be a daily occurrence.

In February, the preschool story hour will be reactivated.

Rebecca Schuyler

Local Government Study Committee

This Committee, created by the 1967 Town Meeting [see Article 10, page 48] to study alternative forms of government for Durham, was made up of (elected) M. Rae Borrer, Marion Fogg, Maryanna Hatch, Rebecca Long, Lathrop B. Merrick, Norman W. Stiles and (appointed by the Moderator) Arthur S. Adams, Henry A. Davis, L. Franklin Heald, Lawrence O'Connell and Paul E. Schaefer. The Committee elected the following officers: Arthur S. Adams, Chairman; L. Franklin Heald, Vice-Chairman; Marion Fogg, Secretary. During the year, eleven meetings were held, and several sub-committees were named by the Chairman.

The four interim reports stipulated in Article 10 were published in the *Durham Resident Advertiser* on June 8, October 26, December 7, 1967 and January 25, 1968. All are an integral part of this final report, and are on file in the Town Hall Office.

Because the Committee believed that citizen interest in local government was an important factor for it to consider as it reviewed alternative forms of government, analysis was made of voter participation in Town elections for the past ten years and in the annual elections of the Oyster River Cooperative School District, support of which requires the largest share of Durham's tax dollar. Except in those years in which presidential primaries are held, the percentage of citizens voting in Town elections [see page 37] seems to indicate a low level of interest in Town affairs. Inquiry also revealed that hearings of the Planning Board and of the Zoning Board of Adjustment were generally attended only by individuals who had a personal stake in the issues being considered.

The Committee expressed concern about this state of affairs, and, in order to examine the extent of public interest in its own responsibilities, invited each individual who had signed the petition authorizing the inclusion of the Article in the Warrant to attend a public hearing on June 15 so that

each of them might state his or her reason for signing. Those who appeared voiced various concerns and suggestions. After careful review of all that had been expressed, the Committee concluded that nearly all of the suggestions were matters relating to the responsibilities of the Planning Board rather than of the Local Government Study Committee. Those concerned with planning were relayed to the Planning Board for further consideration.

The Committee studied the statutes relating to local government in New Hampshire, the reports from two other communities which had carried on similar studies, and it gave particular attention to the report of the Committee authorized by the 1949 Town Meeting to consider the proposal of the Town Manager plan for Durham. From its study of the statutes relating to local government in New Hampshire, the Committee concluded that the possible alternatives for Durham are:

1. The present organization which provides for three Selectmen and a Superintendent of Public Works who has responsibilities defined by the Town closely similar to those recited in the statutes for a Town Manager;
2. An organization similar to the present one but with five Selectmen;
3. A Town Manager form of organization in which the Town Manager has responsibilities similar to those of the Superintendent of Public Works, but defined by statute rather than locally. With this form of government, the Town Manager is responsible to the Board of Selectmen, just as is the Superintendent of Public Works, and the number of Selectmen could be either three or five;
4. A city form of government with an elected mayor and council and either a Superintendent of Public Works or a City Manager;
5. A representative town meeting form of government with the Town divided into precincts, each of which would elect persons to be its representatives at Town Meeting. The ad-

ministrative organization of local government under this alternative could be any variation of alternatives 1, 2 or 3 above.

One of the subcommittees developed recommended agenda for future meetings of the full Committee as follows:

1. To interview individually the principal elected Town officers.
2. To interview a representative of the N.H. Municipal Association and discuss with him how local government operates in other towns in New Hampshire approximately the size of Durham and particularly those with Town Managers.
3. To consider the advantages and disadvantages for Durham of the representative town meeting plan.
4. To consider the advantages and disadvantages of having a larger number (5) of Selectmen.
5. To consider the advantages and disadvantages of the Town Manager form of organization.
6. To seek to determine what in the present system of Town government might be improved.

The agenda were adopted and each of the principal elected Town officials (Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, and Tax Collector) was asked to comment upon four specific topics, as follows: a. The time demands of the particular office; b. Whether a larger number of Selectmen would be desirable; c. The advantages and disadvantages of having a representative Town Meeting; d. What could be done to improve the present system of Town government. The Committee enjoyed the full cooperation of those whom it interviewed and is grateful to each of them for their thoughtful expressions of their views. As a result of these interviews, the Committee came to have a clear understanding of the growing complexity of Town affairs and was impressed by the dedicated concern for the welfare of the Town revealed by each of the officers.

In recognition of the special relationship that exists in Dur-

ham between the Town and the University, the President of the University was invited to appear before the Committee and to express his views on the same topics. He accepted the invitation and his comments were of substantial value to the Committee.

From the testimony that was given, it became obvious that the growth in population of the Town, as well as the assumption by the Town of responsibility for the police and sewer departments (which had previously been shared with the University) and for the water distribution system represented a major increase in the work load and responsibility of the Town officers, and especially of the Selectmen. (Parenthetically, it should be noted that the University of New Hampshire owned, operated and maintained most of the sewerage system in Durham until 1964, when this service was taken over by the Town. One of the main considerations in this change of ownership was the fact that the Town was eligible for State funds to assist in financing a construction program, whereas the University was not.)

From its deliberations the Committee reached the conclusions detailed in the fourth interim report. In the light of these conclusions, the Committee recommends that:

- A. The present form of administrative organization of the government of Durham be retained with special emphasis given to better and more consistent use of official and unofficial advisory committees;
- B. Appropriate measures be taken to increase the membership of the Board of Selectmen from three to five;
- C. Consideration be given to the provision of additional administrative help to the Selectmen.

In conclusion, the Chairman records his warm appreciation to the members of the Committee for their excellent attendance at meetings and their thoughtful concern about the issues that were considered and debated.

For the Committee,
Arthur S. Adams, Chairman

Excerpt from the Third Interim Report

The Committee found it helpful to review the general responsibilities of the Superintendent of Public Works as outlined by the Public Works Advisory Committee. The Superintendent is legally responsible to the Board of Selectmen for the assumption of duties and responsibilities as may be assigned to him by the Board. He is also encouraged to consult with the Board and/or the P.W. Advisory Committee as the need arises. His duties at present include but need not be limited to:

1. Administration of the P.W.D. — including construction and maintenance of Town streets, roads, bridges, sidewalks, water and sewer mains, street signs, care of the waste water disposal plant and pumping stations, other Town buildings and equipment, Town lands, cemeteries, parks, playgrounds and trash and snow removal.
2. Preparation and updating of a long-range P.W.D. program.
3. Preparation of work schedules for the P.W.D.
4. Employment and dismissal of P.W. personnel.
5. Preparation of a P.W.D. budget.
6. Purchase of supplies for the P.W.D. and care, maintenance and replacement of its equipment.
7. Supervision and letting of contracts for work to be done for the Town.
8. Periodic inspection of P.W. projects with report of findings for the Selectmen.

Excerpt from the Fourth Interim Report

1. More effective administrative help is necessary for the Board of Selectmen. Interviewing the elected Town officials and interested citizens and detailing the functions and responsibilities of the Selectmen revealed that both the volume

and complexity of Town affairs are increasing substantially. Currently, it is estimated that the Selectmen must conduct and attend approximately 150 hours of public sessions, 250 hours of committee meetings, be present at public hearings, prepare testimony and appear at state legislative hearings, oversee budget preparations, advise and attend to the work of major departments, personally deal with the individual citizen's problems, and devise and propose plans for the future development of the Town. For individuals who have full-time private employment, as each Selectman currently has, the Committee believes that this constitutes an unreasonably heavy burden.

2. Better and more consistent use should be made of official and unofficial advisory committees. The community is fortunate to have experts in many fields who are willing to make their time and knowledge available, and their services should be utilized as fully as possible.

3. The present form of town government should be retained but the Board of Selectmen should be increased from three to five members. It is the conviction of the Committee that the larger membership will provide better representation; will bring to the group a greater range of ideas, skills, and experiences; and also will lighten the work load of individual Selectmen by wider division of functions.



McGregor Memorial Committee

The 1967 Town Meeting adopted a resolution calling for the "creation of a suitable memorial expressing the great loss in the passing of Dr. George G. McGregor." His death on March 13, the day before Town Meeting, ended a span of 34 years of service as Durham's general practitioner.

The Board of Selectmen appointed the McGregor Memorial Committee and charged it according to the vote of the meeting. The committee includes: Bradford W. McIntire, Mrs. Theron L. Tirrell, Francis E. Robinson, Mrs. Alfred W. Isaacson, Perley I. Fitts, Glenn W. Stewart, and L. Franklin Heald, chairman.

Although a number of suggestions for a memorial were considered by the committee, there was unanimous approval of the idea of better ambulance service for Durham, a long-time goal of the doctor.

The Committee has been operating in three areas:

- (1) Conducting a campaign for funds to purchase a new ambulance to replace the present 20-year-old vehicle,
- (2) Working with University authorities to revise the regulations (the present ambulance is owned and operated by the University) to make service more readily available for any emergency in the community, and
- (3) Training additional volunteers to permit round-the-clock service by the Durham Ambulance Corps.

Two valuable pieces of equipment have been put into use in the present ambulance in memory of Dr. McGregor. Newman's Pharmacy of Dover gave a portable oxygen unit and the Durham Trust Company board of directors gave two-way radio equipment. Cash contributions to the fund totaled \$2,600 as of mid-January and there are pledges of additional amounts. The Committee has asked both the Budget Committee and the University to consider an appropriation.

The kind of vehicle to be purchased will depend on the

amount of money available. There has been some feeling expressed that a combination ambulance-rescue vehicle would offer more service to the community than an ambulance only. The final decision probably will be made by a special committee representing the community's public safety services — doctors, fire, police — and the McGregor Memorial Committee.

Once the new vehicle has been purchased, the Committee hopes that its fund-raising and organizational efforts can be turned over to a volunteer ambulance corps which would operate a free emergency service to the whole community.

L. Franklin Heald

Oyster River Home Health Association

The Oyster River Home Health Association, a visiting nurse agency serving the towns of Durham, Lee and Madbury, was given initial support through funds voted at the 1967 Town Meetings of the three communities. These modest sums (\$200 from Durham and \$100 each from Lee and Madbury) made possible the payments necessary to set up an office and secure a qualified registered nurse. A grant from the Department of Health and Welfare was received but did not completely satisfy the requirements of the budget; the remainder was raised through membership fees and contributions from organizations and individuals. Continued support from the towns through increased appropriations to be voted in the 1968 Town Meetings is anticipated.

The Association was incorporated on February 27, 1967 as a nonprofit organization under the laws of the State of New Hampshire. Officers are President, Georgia Armitage, Madbury; Vice President, Alice Dudley, Lee; Treasurer, Jane Chase, Madbury; Secretary, Mildred W. Harmon, Durham. The Board of Directors includes five representatives from each of the three towns. Included in the standing committees are physicians, registered nurses, a registered physical therapist, a registered dietitian, an attorney and lay persons.

On June 23, 1967 Miss Loretta Stutz, R.N., was employed as the administrative nurse. Mrs. Mary Louise McGill was engaged as a physical therapy consultant.

On August 1 the Association began service to Durham, Lee and Madbury, and later to Newmarket on a temporary basis, with the Town of Newmarket assuming the expenses for the service. In the early spring of 1968, at the Association's annual meeting, bylaws will be adjusted to allow Newmarket to join as a participating member, with equal representation on the Board of Directors and proportionate sharing in the support of the agency.

The Association wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the support given by School and Town officials, the clergy, professional people, clubs and organizations, as well as individuals who have made generous contributions to the project.

Report of Administrative Nurse

July — December 31, 1967

	Durham	Lee	Madbury	Newmarket
Calls made in Health promotion	81	47	13	1
Disease control	63	17		12
Physical therapy		2		
Other	20	5	2	
Total	164	71	15	13
Total calls made	263			

Report of the Treasurer

July 1 – December 31, 1967

Income	\$9,404.27
Disbursements	4,399.07
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Balance on hand	\$5,005.20

Mildred W. Harmon
Secretary



Oyster River from Shipyard Landing. The office - restroom building is on the extreme left.

Parks And Recreation Committee

Great progress was made in accomplishing our goals for the year. An innovation was the hiring of Mr. Harry Faucy to give direct supervision of maintenance and construction for the Committee. Working week ends in May and full time during school vacation, Mr. Faucy did much to further develop the Shipyard area into a fine recreational facility. The conversion of the old pumping station into an office and rest room has now been completed. The Committee is planning an open house dedication at the beginning of the 1968 summer season. The dock was repaired, the lawn around the building planted and fertilized, posts were installed around the driveway and leaks filled in the cribbing. Mr. Faucy donated a dinghy which was widely used by the many people who moor their boats nearby.

While the bulk of work and funds for 1967 was spent in improving this area, other areas were marked by attractive new signs, and maintained during a summer of abundant rainfall and prodigious growth. Durham residents will enjoy Oyster River Park, with its unique picnic site along the River; The Tot Lot in the nearby faculty area, with its new gravel path; Hamilton Smith Chapel on Mill Pond Road; The Falls area, on both sides of the Oyster River; Jackson Landing, with its parking lot and launching ramp, and now, the Adams gundelow *Driftwood*; the small Cedar Point ramp area at what was once the terminal of the old Piscataqua Bridge; Doe Farm, an opportunity for nature lovers. [Doe Farm is mentioned also in the report of the Trustees of Trust Funds, page 31.]

For the coming year, this Committee is directing its efforts toward improving Oyster River Park. With the anticipated increased use of both this area and the Shipyard, a supervisor-helper in addition to Mr. Faucy will be necessary for adequate management and maintenance of all facilities.

Bradford Kingman

Planning Board

The usual annual report of a town committee justifies its functions with a citation of the number of its meetings and a summary of its decisions. In our case, we held four statute-required and 48 special meetings, approved two regular and five limited subdivision requests, and held five formal and three informal public hearings.

If the only function of a planning board were to respond to requests for approval of subdivisions, our report could end here. A planning board is required, however, not only to approve proposals for development of town land in conformance with existing laws, but to determine and recommend for approval by the legislative body of the town those regulations best suited to regulate and encourage development of privately owned property in ways most economically and sociologically desirable.

To determine what Durham needs and what steps shall be taken to insure fulfillment of these needs, your Planning Board was granted \$10,000 by the Town, \$3,000 by the University, and \$19,378 by the Federal Government, to develop a comprehensive plan which is now being prepared by The Planning Services Group of Cambridge, Massachusetts.

A comprehensive plan involves the determination of the town's physical character, its opportunities for growth and for maintaining desirable characteristics (open spaces, recreation areas, etc.), its needs for business development, tax structure, traffic patterns, and fulfillment of housing requirements. These determinations are based on the physical and economic character of the town and the desires of its inhabitants. For Durham, the latter was determined by a survey of citizens' opinion conducted last spring by the League of Women Voters. This survey raised important questions about Durham's future development such as:

1. What types of business development are seen as most ad-

vantageous and needful? Where should we encourage expansion of necessary additions to business enterprises?

2. Which portions of Durham should be set aside or otherwise reserved for development as open spaces or recreational areas, and how should such use be implemented legally and commercially?
3. What are the possibilities for redirection of the traffic flow pattern to minimize congestion and possibility of accidents?
4. What development is the best compromise for reducing the tax rate while still preserving the essential nature and desired characteristics of the Town?

The first three of several preliminary reports from The Planning Services Group have been presented to the Town and have been the subject of discussion and debate. After all preliminary reports have been submitted and discussed in public hearings, your Planning Board will bring to the 1969 Town Meeting a recommendation for revision of zoning and subdivision regulations to achieve the objectives of the comprehensive plan.

The Board hopes that the interest of Durham citizens will encourage participation in the public hearings on sections of the comprehensive plan so that the ultimate result will be acceptable and desirable for the Town.

A. L. Winn

Police Department

As usual the Police Department has during 1967 given its best possible service in protecting the Town. At times the work has been most demanding. Increasing growth of the community — new facilities and new roads — requires expansion of road control and other functions.

Members of the 1967 Police Force included Chief, Ray I. Burrows, Lt. Ronald E. McGovern, Sgt. John Chick, and Officers Robert Hollis, Jr., Leslie J. Jewell, Richard G. Lilly

and Theodore W. Turner. (Officer Turner died on January 9, 1968.)

Duties of the Department are varied. They include

Checking buildings. Business and residential buildings in the downtown area are checked on patrol for doors and windows left unlocked, as a deterrent to unlawful entry and larceny. Open buildings are reported to the owners as soon as possible. Townspeople who ask friends to take charge of their property when they are away from home, and who notify the Department that they will be absent and request that their premises be checked, assist the Department in discouraging damage and unlawful entry.

Aid rendered to citizens. The Department handles numerous requests for assistance, made by telephone or through road patrols. Examples are flat tires, vehicles out of gas, maternity cases rushed to a hospital, heart attacks, bad falls.

Traffic control. Cruisers patrol heavy traffic areas to watch for violations of motor vehicle laws. Court cases may follow. It is the policy of the Department, however, to issue verbal and written warnings for law violations in lieu of court appearances. Many times your officers feel that such a warning to a citizen is sufficient to correct the type of violation witnessed. A court summons is not always the answer to good preventive law enforcement.

Defective equipment tags. Passing vehicles are observed for such irregularities as defective headlights, taillights, mufflers, tailpipes, tires. A tag is issued for prompt correction of unsafe items, and the license number is recorded.

Criminal investigation. The Department conducts many forms of investigation. Some examples of those under law considered criminal are breaking and entering, willful concealment of merchandise from a store, motor vehicle thefts, robbery, assault, assault and battery, rape, murder, unlawful possession of firearms, and unlawful possession and use of narcotics. Any one of these examples can and often does require many man-hours interviewing people, assembling infor-



An accident on Piscataqua Road in August, 1967, when a truck overturned and spilled gasoline. Policeman Richard G. Lilly and Deputy Fire Chief Alfred E. Grimes collaborate on taking measurements for the accident report.

mation, collecting clues, fingerprints and vital material facts to bring the perpetrator to court and justice.

Road patrol has been expanded during the year with the use of the regular cruiser, the unmarked cruiser and the "remote control" radio. This radio system is located at the Chief's home and monitored by both the Chief and his wife, who have in this way donated a great many working hours to the Department. This service has cut down on the use of the Department's telephone recording system, while still maintaining 24-hour protection. The officers have been able to

patrol the Town more freely, checking remote areas more often. Preventive law enforcement has improved.

Accidents in 1967 totaled 158, with two fatalities and 24 requiring medical attention for injuries. The radar acquired since the last Town Meeting has helped control speeding (with 76 summonses for speeding and 105 warnings), but cannot eliminate accidents. Safety on our roads can be increased only as driving habits improve.

The Department's 1966 report covered the problem created by heavy traffic in early morning and late afternoon. School foot traffic too is heaviest during those morning hours. The noon-hour traffic is equally difficult to handle. But the Police Department will continue to provide the best possible security for the Town and off-campus students.

Public Works Advisory Committee

With the increasing interest and awareness of the people of Durham in the functions of their local government, it seems appropriate to the Committee this year to explain its origin, duties and responsibilities. These are summed up in the article voted at Town Meeting in 1950, which provided for the establishment of the Committee, with appropriate University representation, and continued: "all members of such commission to serve without pay in an advisory capacity only to the Selectmen or the Superintendent of Public Works on all matters concerning new public works, old public works, or the extension of existing public works in the Town of Durham."

In line with its designated functions, the Committee has assisted the Board of Selectmen at their request in several major areas of Town public works during the past year. Again, as for the past several years, the Committee, augmented by Mr. Norman Stiles and the current Superintendent of Public Works as equipment specialists, has reviewed the equipment needs of the Town on a long-range basis, and recommended the items to be included in the budget. In addition, the Committee has developed the specifications for each piece of equipment for use by the Selectmen in obtaining bids.

When Superintendent Wenham resigned, the Committee was asked to solicit, screen, and recommend candidates to fill the position of Superintendent of Public Works. Over 25 applicants were screened and interviewed during a two-month period, and four were finally recommended to the Selectmen for consideration. The result was the acceptance of the position by Mr. Robert Gillis of Newington, New Hampshire. [See page 23, Third Interim Report.]

The Committee hopes that its work this past year has been of benefit to the Town. It has offered its services to the Selectmen and the new Superintendent of Public Works in

1967 Statistics

Accidents covered	158
Aid rendered to citizens	1,681
Aid to other enforcement agencies	319
Animals killed by vehicles	4
Buildings checked	303
Citizens' complaints answered	241
Criminal arrests	17
Criminal investigations conducted	134
Defective equipment tags issued	156
Motor vehicle arrests	8
Motor vehicle warnings	327
Parking violations	2,342
Summonses issued to court	309
Traffic investigations	2,066

Ray I. Burrows

assisting in the development and continuing surveillance of long-range programs in all areas of the Town's public works.

*Malcolm Chase
Ralph Meyers
Howard Forrest*

Town Clerk Responsibilities

Prepare car registration forms, collect permit fees, issue dog licenses, prepare and keep vital statistics records and prepare and distribute copies as required, draw jurors with due notices, record mortgages, liens, etc., and other duties as prescribed by law.

Keep proper account of all funds and fees received and transmit monies to Town Treasurer.

Tax Collector Responsibilities:

Prepare bills and collect taxes (property, head and poll, etc.) per warrant from Selectmen; bill and collect sewer entrance (annually) and maintenance (semi-annually) fees. Keep proper account of all funds received and transmit same to Town Treasurer.

Secretary to Selectmen:

Water Dept.: Billing (semi-annually), collection, accounting records, transfer funds to Treasurer.

Sewer Dept.: Keep accounting records, both of users and operation.

Prepare and mail Inventory Blanks before March 20, or as specified by law, each year.

Prepare blotter book, corrected to date insofar as possible, as of April 15 each year. Check inventories, veterans' exemption applications, boat declarations.

Maintain up-to-date property assessment record cards so far as owner and address of each parcel is concerned, based chiefly on transfer cards received from Register of Deeds.

When applicable, add to, remove or relocate water, sewer, census, property owners files.

Maintain up-to-date chart or other record showing status of each building permit. Show type of job and services required. Make sure record is made when required in property, water and sewer files.

Receive and transmit to Treasurer with proper record all monies received by the Town.

General office operation: typing, filing as required for Selectmen, Superintendent of Public Works, regular or special Town Committees. Write and record payrolls, checks in payment of bills, typing and filing for Police Dept. Maintain accounting records for general funds, Water Dept. and Sewer Dept. Maintain up to date record on status of budgeted items. Prepare and send bills for services or materials.

Service to the public: answer insofar as possible inquiries by mail, phone or in person.

Maintain cemetery records.

Tree Warden

Twenty-one Dutch elm disease suspect reports were issued for Durham this year by representatives of the State Entomologist. In the areas reported there are one or more trees with Dutch elm disease. Ten of these trees are along Town right-of-way, eleven on private property. During 1968 the Town trees will be removed, and it is hoped that owners of trees on private property will see that their trees too are cut. Reducing the number of diseased trees in Town helps slow the spread of Dutch elm disease.

Street trees were sprayed with methoxychlor in the spring for bark beetles. The spray program will continue since it is the most efficient and effective method of checking the spread of Dutch elm disease.

The shade tree replacement program was begun. Replacement trees were planted on four properties where trees had

been cut in the interest of the Town. With the cooperation of property owners who need to have trees replaced the program will be continued. The Town budgets money for the under Care of Shade Trees.

Brownie Troop 228 again planted a maple tree, this year at St. George's Church. Brownie Troop 111 planted a birch tree at the Community Church.

H. W. Hocker

Trustees Of Trust Funds

The Trustees are pleased to report that the access road into the Doe Farm for emergency use has been completed and a gate installed at the entrance. The new service road has eliminated the railroad crossing. With the assistance of Mr. Kenneth Barraclough and a graduate forester, the Trustees can now initiate the much needed selective cutting program to weed out old trees and allow new growth to develop properly, at the same time laying out a hiking trail system with a limited number of primitive camp sites adjacent to the Lamprey River. It is hoped that opening up vistas and scenic areas will make the Farm more attractive to nature lovers and hikers. The selective thinning should provide improved cover for wild life and encourage its increase.

Improvements are continuing to be made at the Smith College Chapel, both through repair of the structure itself and in the surrounding grounds. It is now available for small weddings and similar functions at a small fee. Mr. Norman Stiles has been appointed caretaker for the Trustees.

Through the help of the Conservation Commission, the Woodman Cemetery area has been cleared of brush and trees, thus presenting an extremely attractive walking area for townspeople.

Maturity of some bonds during the year has enabled the Trustees to invest the proceeds in higher income bond investments now available. For the financial report see page 43.

Welfare Officer

Any person 21 years of age or older who has lived in Durham for a year has by law become a resident. He can thereafter seek assistance from the Town if he is unable to support himself. This one-year provision, effective January 1, 1968, is a long step forward in the revision of our ancient and cumbersome settlement laws.

Durham gave direct financial assistance to seven families in 1967. Many Durham residents find it hard to believe that anyone in our Town really needs direct cash assistance. Poverty tends to be hidden. Those of us who partake of America's affluence seldom come in contact with actual poverty. The really poor are too poor to mingle with others, in churches, in organizations, even in neighborhoods.

There are such families in Durham, eating too little, living in substandard housing — and your Welfare Officer has been able to aid some of them, directly or indirectly. A family may not qualify for the State's welfare program, or it may need help while the State is deciding whether it is qualified — a period of six weeks at the minimum. Or emergencies may arise that make totally inadequate the help normally available. Or a chronic situation may become acute, without warning.

Welfare laws are such that saving money often comes before saving people. Welfare workers consequently find it difficult to assist families as soon as they need help and with as little embarrassment as possible. Many who are in desperate need do not apply for help: they have learned to get along with too little for too long; they do not know assistance is available; they regard themselves as ineligible; they are too proud to ask for public assistance. And since they do not ask for help their neighbors and their community too often let them get along as best they can.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Durham ministers, the girls from Angel Flight, the residents of Hitchcock Hall and several Durham citizens for their cash donations.

Ursula Bowring

Sewer Department Sewer Policy Committee

The Sewer Policy Committee met frequently during 1967, to consider a wide variety of problems, both those inherited from the old system, and those related to the financing and operating of the recently improved system. These problems, with notes on their current status, will be reviewed briefly.

During the engineering study of the system undertaken in 1963, it was found that the lower end of the College Brook sewer main was filled near capacity during periods of peak flow. In the intervening years, many new University and private housing units have been connected to the line, with more to come. It is imperative, therefore, that the lower section of this line be replaced by larger pipe during 1968. Recommendations for necessary survey, design, and cost estimates have been made, so that pertinent information will be available for consideration and appropriate action at Town Meeting.

Another problem inherited from the old system is that of storm water entering the system in large quantities. The designers of the recent improvements in the present system determined a number of causes for this condition. A program of systematic inspection and corrective action has been recommended. Such a program should be incorporated as an integral part of the operational program of the Sewer Department. This will contribute to the efficiency of the treatment process and the reduction of charges for power and chemicals.

A third problem that persists is the high grease content of Durham sewage. It is due to the numerous food preparation centers in our community. Grease in abnormally large concentrations reduces the efficiency of collection, pumping, and treatment facilities. A coordinated experimental study has been agreed upon by University and Town officials which may assist in controlling the grease problem at its source.

Policy matters related to the improved system and its operation are largely budgetary and regulatory in nature. With

the accumulation of data and experience, it is anticipated that problems of this nature should decrease.

*Malcolm J. Chase
Henry A. Davis
Herbert E. Kimball
Eugene H. Leaver
T. R. Meyers*

Waste Water Treatment Plant Operation

The Ritzman Laboratory ejector station, Oyster River and Dover Road pumping stations and waste water treatment plant (disposal plant) are all a part of Durham's water pollution control system. Salaries, maintenance, electricity, oil, chemicals — all operational costs for this service for 1967 — totaled \$25,469.01, or \$10.65 per million gallons treated.

Bacterial control of plant effluent requires that chlorine gas — a disinfectant — be fed into the flow of sewage 24 hours a day. The amount varies with the volume of sewage pumped, but averages 123.5 pounds a day.

Chemicals Used In 1967

Chlorine gas	22.5 tons	\$2,677.50
Ferric chloride (coagulant)	6,075 pounds	944.66
Hydrated lime (coagulant aid)	30,000 pounds	<u>510.00</u>
Total		\$4,132.16

Inventory Of Chemicals As Of January 1, 1968

Chlorine gas	2,000 pounds	\$ 119.00
Ferric chloride	675 pounds	104.90
Hydrated lime	5,000 pounds	<u>85.00</u>
Total		\$ 308.90

239 million gallons raw sewage pumped and treated.
4,934,077 pounds raw solids settled from sewage and treated.
1,480,223 pounds treated solids separated by vacuum filter.

262 truck loads (786 cubic yards) treated solids dumped at disposal area.

Robert J. Bourke

1964 Sewer Construction Bond Issue

\$1,000,000 Payable in 20 Years

Interest 3% due March 1 and September 1;

\$50,000 payment on principal due September 1

Year	Total Payment Principal and Interest	From State Grant (C-29)	U.N.H. share	Town share
1965	\$ 80,000.00	\$	\$ 15,138.55	\$ 64,861.45
1966	78,500.00	50,712.00	14,854.65	12,933.35
1967	77,000.00	30,287.00	14,570.80	32,142.20
1968	75,500.00	31,155.00	14,286.96	30,058.04
1969	74,000.00	30,603.00	14,003.11	29,393.89
1970	72,500.00	30,051.00	13,719.26	28,729.74
1971	71,000.00	29,499.00	13,435.41	28,065.59
1972	69,500.00	28,947.00	13,151.57	27,401.43
1973	68,000.00	28,395.00	12,867.72	26,737.28
1974	66,500.00	27,843.00	12,583.87	26,073.13
1975	65,000.00	27,291.00	12,300.03	25,408.97
1976	63,500.00	26,739.00	12,016.18	24,744.82
1977	62,000.00	26,187.00	11,732.33	24,080.67
1978	60,500.00	25,635.00	11,448.49	23,416.51
1979	59,000.00	25,083.00	11,164.64	22,752.36
1980	57,500.00	24,531.00	10,880.79	22,088.21
1981	56,000.00	23,979.00	10,596.95	21,424.05
1982	54,500.00	23,427.00	10,313.10	20,759.90
1983	53,000.00	22,875.00	10,029.25	20,095.75
1984	51,500.00	22,323.00	9,745.41	19,431.59
1985		21,750.00		21,750.00
Totals	\$131,500.00	\$557,312.00	\$248,839.07	\$508,848.93
Balance due from Town January 1, 1968				\$398,911.93

Selectmen's Comments

Not until the 1968 budget have the Selectmen had a full year's operation of the waste water treatment plant and the Dover Road pumping station on which to base their estimates of costs. While the figures for 1967 have proved reasonably adequate, it will be necessary to increase the 1968 budget to assure proper service and care. The sewer rental charge per cubic foot of metered water was .0016 cents in 1966, .0024 in 1967, and will be .0024 in 1968, in order to meet the budget. See the sewer budget and financial tables on page 35.

The Selectmen wish to acknowledge the patience and co-operation of the many property owners involved during the construction and installation of the sewer system. Thanks are publicly extended to them on behalf of the engineering firm and the contractors. Barring a few minor corrections the installation is now complete.

Federal, state and local regulations, and the recommendations of Camp, Dresser & McKee, the consulting engineers, were all met in the work. Main line installations required easements from the owners of 52 different properties, and in 51 of them it was possible to negotiate in a mutually satisfactory manner. The same terms applied to all. In some cases it was possible to make minor location changes in the original plans to better suit a property owner, without materially increasing costs or decreasing efficiency of operation. In one case eminent domain proceedings became necessary even though an alternate location was used in an attempt to satisfy the property owner. Final settlement in this case is still to be decided.

Terms offered to all property owners involved in easement requests were that a lateral line would be installed as required to provide sewer service between the sewer main and the outside foundation of the property owner's house. Disturbance of property by installation procedures was to be repaired in the best practical manner. There were no exceptions made to the \$400 entrance fee for each unit connected to the system.

To aid in solving the problems of grease and illegal (un-metered) water, which required prompt attention, Camp, Dresser & McKee were retained as consultants. Holes and open ends in the older sewer mains and lateral lines were located by the use of smoke under pressure. Dye was also used to check whether runoff was reaching the old lines. Repairs have been made in many locations, and this work will continue.

Funds for the work on grease and illegal water have come from the balance in the street sewer bond project, an appropriate expenditure since the work improves the entire sewer system.

The Sewer Policy Committee report covers the need for immediate replacement of a section of the College Brook main line. [See page 32.] A plan for financing this project will be presented for action at the 1968 Town Meeting.

1964 Sewer Construction Funds: The Complete Record

I Source of Funds

Sale of bonds		\$1,000,000.00
Plus - Premium on bonds	\$ 3,570.00	
Plus - Interest on invested funds	29,833.80	
	33,403.80	
	80.00	
Less - Anticipation note interest		
Less - Interest used (bond payment)	29,833.80	
Balance available to construction funds		3,490.00
Durham Water Department - Difference between cost of 6" water pipe allowed and 8" installed (Contract No. 2)		5,415.25
Federal Grant		305,051.00
TOTAL CONSTRUCTION FUNDS AVAILABLE		\$1,313,956.25

II Cost of Sewer Construction Project

Total funds available		\$1,313,956.25
Expenditures		
Six contracts involved totaling	\$1,200,346.49	
Camp, Dresser & McKee, engineering and general supervision	70,694.20	
Bond issue cost	3,420.00	
Legal and miscellaneous to date	74.20	
Total cost		1,274,534.89
BALANCE IN SEWER BOND ACCOUNT JUNE 1, 1967		\$ 39,421.36

III Distribution of Costs

Federal Grant	\$ 305,051.00
State-aid Grant	423,878.00
U.N.H. participation share	189,231.25
Town participation share	350,959.39
Durham Water Department (cost of 8" over 6" water main)	5,415.25
TOTAL COST, exclusive of interest on bonds	\$1,274,534.89

IV Reconciliation of Account

Bank statement balance June 1, 1967	39,421.36
Plus - Check in escrow	750.00
Plus - Interest on invested funds (short term)	530.56
Total	40,701.92
Expenses	
Camp, Dresser & McKee, study and report of illegal water and grease problems	9,857.67
Repair and renovation of Town lateral lines to correct illegal water problem	4,966.13
Adjustments on easements	100.00
Total expenses	14,923.90
BALANCE IN CHECKING ACCOUNT DECEMBER 31, 1967	\$ 25,778.12

NOTES:

One court case pending. Costs unknown.

The balance will be used for further improvement in the sewer system, as authorized by the Town in voting the bonds in 1964.

Balance on hand, January 1, 1967

Receipts		
Sewer rental warrants, 1966	\$ 360.42	
Sewer rental warrants, 1967	13,967.71	
From U.N.H. for service	9,239.17	
Accounts receivable		
On warrants	3,173.21	
From U.N.H.	8,454.84	
		\$ 35,195.35

SUMMARY

Receipts	\$ 23,567.30
Accounts receivable	11,628.05
	35,195.35
Expenses	32,216.84
	2,978.51
Less accounts payable	41.55
	\$ 2,936.96
Balance, December 31, 1967	

Budget			Line maintenance, contracted				
	1967	1967	1968				
	Budget	Expended	Budget				
Salary payroll and allowances				Force main)	500.00	247.21	500.00
				College Brook main)			
				Pettee Brook main)			
				Other (Town) lines	1,000.00	811.59	1,000.00
Superintendent of Public Works, General Supervision	\$ 2,300.00	\$ 1,769.36	\$ 2,300.00	Subtotal	1,500.00	1,058.80	1,500.00
Plant and pumping stations				Office			
Operator	6,500.00	6,788.30	7,300.00	Printing	30.00	147.40	50.00
Crew, full time	4,840.00	4,974.43	6,000.00	Postage	50.00	39.95	50.00
Crew, part time (Town)	500.00	333.75	500.00	Miscellaneous supplies	50.00	10.00	25.00
Other labor hired	—	—	500.00	Subtotal	130.00	197.35	125.00
Main lines and laterals				Deficit	500.00	500.00	—
Crew, part time (shared lines)	750.00	222.30	250.00				
Crew, part time (Town lines)	1,000.00	1,606.99	500.00	TOTAL	33,267.52	32,216.84	38,011.00
Other, hired (shared lines)	—	—	500.00				
Other, hired (Town lines)	—	—	500.00	Less U.N.H. share	17,866.82	17,694.01	21,199.00
Office, clerical	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,100.00	Town share (sewer rentals)	15,400.70	14,522.83	16,812.00
Treasurer	100.00	100.00	100.00	Accounts paid		14,328.13	
Mileage (Plant Operator)	100.00	78.00	125.00	Deficit December 31, 1967		194.70	
Short courses and meetings	500.00	427.10	500.00	Accounts receivable		3,082.13	
FICA	802.56	771.68	1,000.00				
Subtotal	19,392.56	19,071.91	22,175.00				
Disposal plant							
Electricity and alarm No. 5435	1,500.00	1,549.68	1,600.00				
Fuel oil (heat)	700.00	870.00	1,000.00				
Chemicals	4,500.00	3,819.68	5,000.00				
Supplies (operation and maintenance)	1,500.00	1,818.25	2,000.00				
Telephone	200.00	325.41	350.00				
Water	75.00	—	300.00				
Insurance	309.00	191.16	200.00				
Subtotal	8,784.00	8,574.18	10,450.00				
Pumping stations							
Dover Road							
Electricity and alarm No. 5436	2,200.00	2,316.97	2,500.00				
Supplies	100.00	230.20	500.00				
Water	—	—	300.00				
Oyster River Road							
Electricity	210.96	193.38	211.00				
Supplies	100.00	44.72	100.00				
Ejector station — Ritzman							
Electricity	150.00	—	100.00				
Supplies	200.00	29.33	50.00				
Subtotal	2,960.96	2,814.60	3,761.00				

Water Department

The Water Department has received less attention this year than routine maintenance generally requires. There were no major breaks in the lines, and only malfunctioning meters were checked. Continuing programs of flushing and cleaning main lines (begun in 1966) and systematically checking meters should be put in operation.

In opening a housing development off Dover Road, the Fischer Agency installed a six-inch transit-water line, including one hydrant, along Young Drive (a new street through the development) to the intersection with the line on Bay View Road. Cast iron pipe was used under an area requiring a large quantity of fill. The Water Department, in line with proposed improvement of its system, replaced the Bay View Road two-inch water line (a part of which had been in service more than 25 years) with six-inch transit pipe to the intersection with Young Drive. The Water Department also installed a new hydrant at the intersection.

The repair of the Wiswall Road Dam was resubmitted for bids, as recommended by our engineers in 1966; the successful bidder was A. Belanger and Son of Cambridge, Massachusetts. The work, by agreement not begun until September to avoid lowering the water level during the summer, has now been completed. The contract price of \$12,310 was within the funds held by the Water Department.

Matters of concern to both Town and University, now being studied by a subcommittee of the Joint Town-University Advisory Committee, include getting water from the storage area to the water treatment plant and increasing the storage facilities for treated water. It appears that the present treatment plant is operating at or near capacity, and that present storage is insufficient in case of a major disaster. And the problem of service to new subdivisions continues.

Although water consumption increased in a year by almost nine and half million gallons:

(October 1, 1965 - September 30, 1966 - 54,956,308 gallons
 October 1, 1966 - September 30, 1967 - 64,294,842 gallons)
 the metered accounts increased by only two during the year,
 from 558 to 560 on December 31, 1967

Henry A. Davis

On hand January 1, 1967			
Checking and Savings Bank accounts		\$ 12,674.68	
Accounts receivable		1,857.85	
Capital reserves, Trust funds		6,328.02	
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		20,860.55	
			Estimated
Receipts	1966	1967	1968
Sale of water and services	\$ 26,151.83	\$ 22,020.47	\$ 26,000.00
Hydrant rental	—	630.00	660.00
Interest, savings account	—	430.51	50.00
Reimbursement, main relocation	2,102.80	—	—
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	\$ 28,254.63	\$ 23,080.98	\$ 26,710.00
		Expenses	
Distribution mains (cap. equip.)	977.00	6,855.83	—
Meters (cap. equip.)	1,101.61	1,713.18	1,000.00
Funded debt (cap. liability)	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Purchased water (1965 - \$5,840.58)	5,994.20	—	12,200.00
Distribution expenses			
Superintendence	999.96	769.20	1,000.00
Labor	1,046.80	909.14	1,000.00
Meter labor	122.25	524.15	500.00
Meter supply expense	48.19	44.10	50.00
Other distribution supply expense	897.23	367.70	—
Repairs			
To distribution structures	377.17	—	—
To mains	3,531.52	2,039.63	2,000.00
To services	1,296.55	539.43	750.00
To hydrants	837.74	136.70	250.00
To meters	95.55	78.25	500.00
To other distrib. equipment	42.79	—	—
F.I.C.A.	153.16	184.83	220.00
Other general expense (including office)	1,752.60	2,206.40	2,350.00
Stationery and printing	115.66	186.53	100.00
Interest paid	105.00	75.00	50.00
Packers Falls (Wiswall Dam)	4,532.49	15,577.90	259.00
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TOTAL EXPENSES — 1967	\$ 26,207.55	\$ 34,207.97	\$ 24,229.00

Summary

Total funds, less accounts receivable		
January 1, 1967		\$19,002.70
Total receipts, 1967		23,080.98
Accounts receivable, December 31, 1967		4,041.03
TOTAL		46,124.71
Total expenses 1967		34,207.97
Balance		11,916.74
Less bills outstanding (purchased water)	(estimated)	6,100.00
Balance, available funds		5,816.74
Capital reserve in Trust funds		1,615.98
TOTAL — December 31, 1967		\$ 7,432.72

Durham Data

Population. 3,739 (1967 census for head and poll tax.) Are you 70 yet? If so, you no longer need to pay head and poll taxes.

Vital Statistics. Births - 74; marriages - 53; deaths - 19.

Voting Record: (Interim report of Local Government Study Committee):

1956 - 45.8%	1960 - 55.0%	1964 - 56.0%
1957 - 26.9	1961 - 24.0	1965 - 43.1
1958 - 28.3	1962 - 25.7	1966 - 44.1
1959 - 34.3	1963 - 20.3	1967 - 35.8

Citizen participation in the School elections has been less than in Town elections.

Physically, Durham covers 25.5 square miles, 2.2 of them water area. It has 57 miles of roads, 17 maintained by the State (The bypass measures 3.1 miles.) and 40 by the Town — 29.6 tarred, 10.4 gravel. Sidewalks measure 22,700 feet, or 4.3 miles.

Hydrants. Installed and maintained at expense of Water Department, to which Town pays \$10 for each hydrant to compensate for extra expense incurred for fire protection. They number 66, three more than in 1966.

Street lights, 198 of them, are the property of the New Hampshire Public Service Company, which erects, maintains and inspects them annually. The selectmen decide on their location, character and power, in consultation with Public Service representatives, and after consideration of suggestions by Town residents. (Did you know that the traffic light on Main Street and College Road is activated from the Fire Station? When the siren sounds and a fire truck leaves the station, the light automatically turns green for College Road, thus giving the fire trucks right of way.)

<i>Property.</i> Property taxpayers	941
Parcels taxable	1,192
Boats licensed	38
Cows on tax list	238

Property Owned By The Town

(Areas given are approximate)

Town Hall, used as central office for Town officials, Police Department, District Court and Durham Historic Association.

Town Garages and lot, for Public Works Department use.

Water distribution lines.

Wiswall Road Dam (for storage), with four acres of land.

Sewer system including treatment plant, pumping stations and collecting mains and laterals.

Waste disposal area, 40 acres off Durham Point Road.

Doe Farm, 260 acres off Bennett Road and along the Lamprey River.

Smith Chapel and two acres of land.

Landings. Old Landing Road (Shipyard), Jackson, Cedar Point.

Parks. Three acres off Oyster River Road, donated by the University.

Tot Lot, Croghan Drive, half an acre.

Fifty feet of land the length of Maple Street.

Land along Oyster River adjoining former Sullivan property.

Cemeteries. Woodman Cemetery with two acres of land; one on Concord Road; one on Schoolhouse Lane.

Gravel pit, 13 acres in Lee off Garrity Road.

Well site, four acres off U.S. 4 in Lee.

By tax deed: Lot 50 x 100' off Newmarket Road.
 Lot 125 x 150' off Back River Road.
 Wood lot, 20 acres on Foss Farm Road.

Traffic Regulations

(in capsule form)

State traffic laws will be enforced.

Speed limit 25 mph unless otherwise posted.

Drive and park on right-hand side.

No double parking.

No parking within ten feet of fire hydrant.

Observe yellow line limits in parking.

Obtain permit from Police Department before staging parades, street demonstrations, or using sound trucks and similar vehicles.

No U turns on Main Street between Town Hall and R.R. bridge.

Parking lot off Madbury Road next to Ideal Food Store. Observe posted regulations. One-hour limit south of traffic island and north of business blocks. Over-night parking (midnight to 6 a.m.) requires police permit and is limited to north edge of lot.

No parking on any street or highway midnight to 6 a.m. December 1 through April 1. Cars so parked liable to be towed away; owner pays charges plus \$5 fine. [Streets must be clear to facilitate snow removal.]

One-Way Streets. Jenkins Court (enter from Main Street and exit through parking lot); *Dennison Road* (north from Garrison Avenue to Bagdad Road and south from Garrison to Woodman Road); *Garrison Avenue* from Madbury Road to Dennison Road (enter from Madbury Road); *Rosemary Lane* (enter on Garrison, exit on Ballard).

No Parking. Main Street (entire length) midnight to 6 a.m.; south side from Field House driveway to Huddleston Drive either side from Runlett House (27 Main Street) to Town Hall. *Madbury Road*, west side from Main Street to Durham Trust Company and from Edgewood Road to Hampshire Avenue; east side from Garrison Avenue to Bagdad Road. *Garrison Avenue*, either side from Main Street to Madbury Road. *Dennison Road*, either side from Garrison Avenue to

Woodman Road; *Rosemary Lane*, either side from Garrison Avenue to Ballard Street. *Ballard Street*, east side. *Mast Road*, either side from opposite Field House to entrance UNH horse barn. *Cowell Drive*, either side from Glassford Lane to entrance to post office parking lot. *Mill Road*, east side from Main Street to College Road.

ONE-HOUR PARKING. *Parking lot. Main Street*, south side Huddlestone Drive to Runlett House; north side, Ballard Street to 20 Main Street (Elsie Brown's) *Mill Road*, west side, Main Street to College Brook.

PEDESTRIANS: Have right of way on cross walks, not otherwise. Should, by State law, use sidewalks when they are provided. Where there are no sidewalks, should walk on side against traffic.

Bicycle Regulations

A bicycle ordinance went into effect in Durham in September 1965. As revised in February 1968, it provides, in essence, that any person residing in Durham who rides a bicycle within the Town limits must obtain a license from the Police Department. But if a bicycle is currently licensed in another town, registration in Durham is not required. [A Durham license, however, would be an added protection against theft.] Licenses are dated April 1 and are good for one year. The Police provide and attach the license to the bicycle, and issue a registration card. The fee is fifty cents, or, for the transfer of a licensed bicycle to another person, 25 cents. Sales or transfers of bicycles are to be reported to the Police Department within five days.

Traffic rules. Riders must obey all traffic signs and signals. Under all conditions they yield right of way to pedestrians. They may not ride on sidewalks. They ride single file, near the right-hand curb, on all main streets; on other streets no more than two abreast. They give hand signals before turning. They do no fancy or trick riding, nor do they hold on to any other moving vehicle. No bicycle built for one shall carry an-

other person on front or rear frame or handlebar. A bicycle used between an hour after sunset and an hour before sunrise must have appropriate and adequate front light and official reflector or red light on the rear.

Inspection. Police on application for a license shall inspect the bicycle, which must have adequate brakes, warning signal, fenders and chain guards, all in working order. Police also examine applicant for knowledge of traffic rules and safe riding habits.

Licenses issued.

1965 - 575
1966 - 500
1967 - 398

Dog Regulations

An act (466:31) passed in June of 1967 by the New Hampshire General Court is concerned with "dogs as a nuisance or menace." The act defines a dog as a nuisance or menace if it barks continuously for sustained periods of time; and if, while running at large, it upsets garbage cans or waste containers, or otherwise litters yards, streets, or sidewalks; barks, snaps at or runs after pedestrians, bicycle riders or motor vehicles; gathers with other dogs in a pack and chases game, domestic animals or human beings; harms growing plants, shrubs or trees in gardens or around cultivated areas; is unconfined while in heat.

The act also stipulates the steps to be taken if a complaint about such a dog is made to the police or selectmen. The owner of the dog is given proper notice to restrain the dog before more drastic action is taken.

Dogs licensed in Durham: 1965 - 362; 1966 - 366; 1967 - 410.

Since 1967, by State law, dogs must be vaccinated for rabies before being licensed.

Town Financial Reports

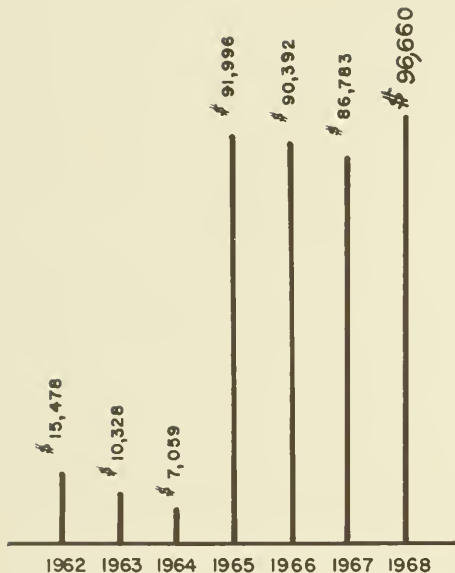
Town Treasurer

Town Account For The Year Ending December 31, 1967

Balance January 1, 1967		\$ 253,292.75
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 30,063.91	
Railroad Tax	336.43	
Reimbursements: Head Tax	48.28	
Public Welfare	257.08	
Project R. 7	1,274.00	
Project C. 29	30,287.00	
Road Toll Refunds	833.91	
Savings Bank Tax	3,215.99	
Building Permits	880.00	
Parking Permits	65.00	
Pistol Permits	12.00	
Dump Permit	10.00	
Septic Tank Inspection Fees	75.00	
Special Building Permit Inspection Fees [Septic Tank]	285.00	
Sewer Entrance Fees	13,876.00	
Recording Fees	58.00	
District Court	5,539.40	
Police Department (Fines, etc.)	2,139.30	
Police Department	10.00	
U.N.H. Share Comprehensive Plan	3,000.00	
Public Works	105.00	
U.N.H. Share Sewer Bond Payment	5,346.45	
Sewer Contra a/c	7,500.00	
Sewer Department Payroll	6,114.98	
Water Contra a/c	1,315.17	
Water Department Payroll	3,070.40	
Rental, Town Property	160.00	
Sale, Town Property	514.30	
Reimbursements: Terry Property	1,500.00	
Subdivision Fees	33.00	
Trustee of Trust Fund	223.00	
	118,148.60	
Temporary Loans, Durham Trust Co.	321,000.00	
TOTAL		\$ 439,148.60

Tax Collector

Head Taxes, 1965	5.00
Head Taxes, 1966	1,345.00
Head Taxes, 1967	7,885.00
Head Taxes, Penalties	145.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	159.00



TOWN DEBT PAYMENT — PRINCIPAL and INTEREST
(School Expenses Not Included)

Poll Taxes, 1965	2.00	
Poll Taxes, 1966	460.00	
Poll Taxes, 1967	2,456.00	
Property Taxes, 1966	11,856.29	
Property Taxes, 1967	821,921.69	
Tax Sales Redeemed	938.59	
Interest	330.54	
Sewer Entry 1966	195.00	
Sewer Entry 1967	4,835.00	
Yield Taxes	388.57	
TOTAL RECEIPTS, TAX COLLECTOR		\$ 852,922.68

Town Clerk

Copies Vital Statistics	50.00	
Discharges	14.00	
Dog Licenses	946.25	
Filing Fees	4.00	
Marriage Licenses	123.00	
Motor Vehicle Permits, 1966	389.16	
Motor Vehicle Permits, 1967	34,323.58	
Pole Licenses	24.00	
Theater Licenses	75.00	
UCC Filings	375.00	
Total Receipts, Town Clerk		\$ 36,323.99
TOTAL RECEIPTS, INCLUDING BALANCE		\$1,581,688.02
Paid Out on Selectmen's Orders	\$1,304,009.30	
Credit Void Checks	1,240.98	
	1,302,768.32	
Balance December 31, 1967		\$ 278,919.70
	<i>Forrest H. Smart</i>	
	<i>Treasurer</i>	

Sewer Department

For The Year Ending December 31, 1967

Balance January 1, 1967		
Receipts:		
Sewer Maintenance	\$ 14,383.16	
U.N.H. Sewer Maintenance Charges	9,239.17	
Total Receipts		23,622.33
Total		\$ 30,573.51

Paid out on Selectmen's Orders	27,021.96
Balance December 31, 1967	\$ 3,551.55

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Sewer Bond Account

Balance January 1, 1967		\$ 53,307.60
Reimbursement, Water Department	\$ 5,415.25	
Time Certificate, Matured	25,000.00	
Interest	530.56	
Total Receipts		30,945.81
Total Including Balance		\$ 84,253.41
Paid out on Selectmen's Orders		59,225.29
Balance December 31, 1967		\$ 25,028.12

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Water Department

For The Year Ending December 31, 1967

Balance January 1, 1967 Checking Account		\$ 3,843.63
Receipts:		
Sale of Water	\$ 21,920.47	
Repairs to Services	100.00	
Hydrant Rental	630.00	
Transfer, Trustee of Trust Funds	5,000.00	
Transfer from Savings Account	8,500.00	
Total Receipts, including Balance		36,150.47
Paid out on Selectmen's Orders		39,994.10
Balance, Checking Account December 31, 1967		\$ 5,686.13
Savings Account:		
Dover Federal Savings & Loan		
January 1, 1967	\$ 9,461.05	
Dividend June 30	212.87	
Dividend December 30	217.64	
Total	\$ 9,891.56	

Transferred to Checking Account,		
Short Term Note	8,500.00	
Interest on Note	22.08	8,522.08
Balance, Savings Account December 31, 1967		1,369.48

Total Water Department Funds, December 31, 1967	\$ 7,055.61
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Forrest H. Smart
Treasurer

Inventory of Property Valuation

April 1, 1967

	1962	1963	1964	1965(1)	1966(2)	1967(3)
Land and Buildings	\$15,688,441	\$15,861,977	\$16,388,060	\$17,160,900	\$18,658,930	\$20,180,995
Electric Property	456,205	477,850	491,350	473,350	513,950	547,350
House Trailers Used as Dwellings	11,159	6,160	2,460	1,960		3,150
Horses	450					
Cows	17,000	17,900	25,200	26,100	18,800	23,800
Neat Stock	750	550	100			
Sheep	1,525	490				
Fowls	395	335	3,600	1,650	1,630	3,770
Portable Mills - Road Machinery	12,000	13,525	14,960	47,910	45,440	23,600
Boats and Launches	12,370	31,540	29,640	19,850	14,750	13,975
Wood and Lumber	500	7,450	7,100		12,420	240
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	7,100	3,250	3,000	2,850	2,550	3,450
Stock in Trade	300,300	287,560	278,210	286,370	293,360	291,930
Sub total	\$16,508,195	\$16,708,587	\$17,243,680	\$18,020,940	\$19,561,830	\$21,092,260
Veterans Exemptions	64,000	66,720	139,000	148,720	152,720	199,030
Other Exemptions			10,720	8,000	13,000	6,000
Total For Taxation	\$16,444,195	\$16,641,867	\$17,093,960	\$17,864,220	\$19,396,110	\$20,887,230

(1) Assessed at 100% valuation.

(2) Tax Commission determined that assessment is at 92% full valuation.

(3) Tax Commission determined that assessment is at 87% full valuation.

Trust Funds
As of December 31, 1967

Date Created	Name of Trust Fund	Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Principal			Income				
				Balance Beginning Year	New Funds Created	Gains or (Losses)	Balance End Year	Balance Beginning Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End Year
1881	George Frost Fund	Promote Temperance	Bonds & Savings	\$ 3,250.00	\$		\$ 3,250.00	\$ 600.12	\$ 105.35	\$ 143.42	\$ 562.05
1889	Anna Woodman	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	300.00	500.00		800.00	52.84	5.89		58.73
1892	Sarah E. Griffiths	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	300.00			300.00	543.46	25.69		569.15
1897	Lydia Simpson	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	27.97	2.35		30.32
1899	George W. Furness	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	105.43	5.49		110.92
1903	Susan R. Wilson	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	79.20	4.43		83.63
1907	Alice & Ella Hayes	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	20.62	2.07		22.69
1909	Olinthus Doe	Care of Farm Bal. to School	Bonds & Savings	5,128.69		(542.25)	4,586.44		93.76	55.25	38.51
1911	Olive Wiggin	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	160.59	7.72		168.31
1911	Abbie Mathes	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	300.00			300.00	430.51	21.12		451.63
1914	Mary A. Burnham	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	59.09	3.62		62.71
1916	Moses G. Woodman	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	100.00			100.00	19.76	2.03		21.79
1927	Durham Town Cemetery	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	6,916.11	700.00		7,616.11	905.11	839.99	1,092.83	652.27
1928	Forrest S. Smith Cemetery	Cemetery care	Bonds & Savings	500.00			500.00	117.82	11.64		129.46
1932	Smith Town Improvement	Town Improv.	Bonds & Savings	5,000.00			5,000.00	2,043.08	129.68		2,172.76
1953	William J. Drew	Cemetery care	Savings acc't.	100.00			100.00	31.87	5.30		37.17
1957	Bickford Memorial	His. research	Savings acc't.	80.00			80.00	25.14	4.24		29.38
1962	Margaret D. Croghan	Cemetery care	Savings acc't.	500.00			500.00	70.19	23.02		93.21
1963	Smith Chapel	Chapel care	Savings acc't.	5,000.00			5,000.00	683.25	368.17	394.69	656.73
1964	Captain Edward Griffiths	Cemetery care	Savings acc't.	500.00			500.00	42.58	21.90		64.48
1953	Durham Capital Reserve	New Equip.	Savings acc't.	5,915.78	6,000.00	(5,900.00)	6,015.78	912.12	37.46		949.58
	<i>Allocated to highway funds</i>			<i>5,247.44</i>	<i>5,000.00</i>	<i>(5,900.00)</i>	<i>4,347.44</i>				<i>922.33</i>
	<i>Allocated to Fire Dept.</i>			<i>668.34</i>	<i>1,000.00</i>		<i>1,668.34</i>				<i>27.25</i>
1953	Durham Sewer Dept.	Construction	Savings acc't.	1,025.33			1,025.33	295.14	53.32		348.46
1964	Durham Water Dept.	Construction	Savings acc't.	5,000.00		(5,000.00)		1,328.02	287.96		1,615.98
1967	Durham Conservation Com.	Conservation	Savings acc't.		275.00	(66.00)	209.00		7.35		7.35
				\$40,515.91	\$7,475.00	(\$11,508.25)	\$36,482.66	\$8,553.91	\$2,069.55	\$1,686.19	\$8,937.27

Unpaid Taxes

Levy of 1967 as of December 31, 1967

(Published in accordance with R.S.A. 41:35)

Head and Poll Taxes

	Comtois, Edith	5.00	2.00	Gadon, Herman	5.00	---	Johnson, Barbara	5.00	2.00
	Conroy, John	5.00	2.00	Gadon, Elinor	5.00	2.00	Johnson, Ralph	5.00	2.00
Adams, Franklin	Cooke, Peter	5.00	2.00	Gahan, Gary	5.00	2.00	Johnson, Gloria	5.00	2.00
Adams, Anita	Cooke, Joanne	5.00	2.00	Gallup, Donald	5.00	---	Kang, Wook	5.00	2.00
Baines, Leroy	Corcoran, Susan	5.00	2.00	Gallup, Elizabeth	5.00	2.00	Kavanagh, Alice	5.00	---
Baines, Mary	Cote, Louis	5.00	---	Gates, Richard	5.00	2.00	Keegan, George	5.00	2.00
Bamford, George	Cote, Beatrice	5.00	2.00	Gilbert, James	5.00	2.00	Keegan, Genevieve	5.00	2.00
Bamford, Beatrice	Cote, Marion	5.00	2.00	Gilbert, Judy	5.00	2.00	Kelleher, Patrick	5.00	2.00
Barone, Carl	Courage, Alice	5.00	2.00	Glanz, Filson	5.00	2.00	Kelleher, Helen	5.00	2.00
Barone, Patricia	Dalton, William	5.00	2.00	Gove, Fowler	5.00	---	Kennedy, Richard	5.00	2.00
Barrett, Joanne	Dalton, Marguerite	5.00	2.00	Gove, Jeanette	5.00	2.00	Kennedy, Martha	5.00	2.00
Biasotti, Joseph	Davis, Arthur	5.00	2.00	Guay, Merle	5.00	2.00	Kennedy, Roger C.	5.00	2.00
Biasotti, Phyllis	Davis, Wanda	5.00	2.00	Guay, Jeannette	5.00	2.00	Kitfield, Karen	5.00	2.00
Bonnice, William	Devine, Donald	5.00	2.00	Haaland, Gordon	5.00	2.00	Klein, Mark P.	5.00	2.00
Bonnice, Canan	Devine, Faith	5.00	2.00	Haaland, Carol	5.00	2.00	Knowlton, Elizabeth	5.00	2.00
Boothroyd, James	Dingle, Charles	5.00	---	Hamson, Darryl	5.00	2.00	Koeroghlian, Moses	5.00	2.00
Boothroyd, Linda	Dingle, Beverly	5.00	2.00	Hanrahan, Edward	5.00	2.00	Koeroghlian, Jeannie	5.00	2.00
Bourque, Irene	Diniak, Olympia	5.00	2.00	Hanrahan, Mrs. Edward	5.00	2.00	Koontz, Charles	5.00	2.00
Bradley, Barry	Dodge, Edward	5.00	2.00	Harris, William	5.00	2.00	Koontz, Lynn	5.00	2.00
Brian, Gabrielle	Dodge, Rosemary	5.00	2.00	Haskell, John	5.00	2.00	Kotheimer, John	5.00	2.00
Brockelman, Paul	Dodge, Robert	5.00	2.00	Heath, Frederick	5.00	---	Kotheimer, Shirley	5.00	2.00
Brockelman, Barbara	Dodge, Elona	5.00	2.00	Heath, Patricia	5.00	2.00	Lambert, Patricia	5.00	2.00
Brown, Horace	Doherty, Jane	5.00	2.00	Hersey, Stanley	5.00	---	Lavakare, P.	5.00	2.00
Brown, Anna	Dompkowski, Andrew	5.00	---	Hess, Frederick	5.00	2.00	Lavakare, Sheela	5.00	2.00
Bryar, Cheryl	Dompkowski, Virginia	5.00	2.00	Hill, Warren, Jr.	5.00	2.00	Lawson, Ursula	5.00	2.00
Bullick, Robert	Donovan, John	5.00	---	Hill, Norma	5.00	2.00	Leavitt, James B.	5.00	2.00
Burnett, Robert	Donovan, Betty	5.00	2.00	Holton, Peter	5.00	2.00	Lindsey, Wilbur	5.00	2.00
Burns, Marcia	Doten, William	5.00	2.00	Holton, Linda	5.00	2.00	Lowe, Julia	5.00	2.00
Caldwell, Burton	Doten, Jean	5.00	2.00	Horne, Edwin	5.00	---	Lynch, Patsy	5.00	2.00
Caldwell, Iktge	Downs, Richard	5.00	---	Horne, Dorothy	5.00	2.00	McCaddin, Edith	5.00	2.00
Carlisle, Duane	Downs, Julie	5.00	2.00	Houle, Robert	5.00	2.00	McGinty, John	5.00	---
Carlisle, Dorothy	Duryea, Walter	5.00	2.00	Hughes, Dean E.	5.00	2.00	McGinty, Patricia	5.00	2.00
Carlisle, M. Elizabeth	Duryea, Jane	5.00	2.00	Hughes, Mrs. Dean	5.00	2.00	McKone, Harold	5.00	2.00
Carr, Howard	Edmunds, Richard W.	5.00	2.00	Hutchinson, Barry	5.00	2.00	McMahon, David	5.00	2.00
Carr, Nancy	Emmett, Ruth	5.00	2.00	Hutchinson, Elizabeth	5.00	2.00	MacDonald, Douglas	5.00	2.00
Chase, Richard	Farrell, Patricia	5.00	2.00	Hyde, Robert	5.00	2.00	Manton, Ruth	5.00	2.00
Chase, Lucile	Fasanelli, James	5.00	2.00	Hyde, Kay	5.00	2.00	Miller, John	5.00	2.00
Clapp, Deborah	Ferber, Daniel	5.00	---	Irwin, George	5.00	---	Miller, Virginia	5.00	---
Clapp, Henry	Ferber, Dorothy	5.00	2.00	Irwin, Isabel	5.00	2.00	Mischke, David	5.00	2.00
Clapp, Edna	Fetterer, Dominic	5.00	---	Isherwood, Robert	5.00	2.00	Mischke, Carol	5.00	2.00
Clark, Edward	Fetterer, Arlene	5.00	2.00	Isherwood, Juanita	5.00	2.00	Mitchell, Gordon	5.00	2.00
Clark, Ronald	Follansbee, Clayton	5.00	---	James, Gerald	5.00	2.00	Mitchell, Susan	5.00	2.00
Clark, Linda	Follansbee, Edna	5.00	2.00	James, Ronald	5.00	2.00	Molloy, Richard	5.00	2.00
Coburn, Elliott	Fortin, Alphonse	5.00	2.00	Jellerson, Robert	5.00	2.00	Monroe, Herbert, Jr.	5.00	2.00
Coburn, Dorothy	Fox, Barbara	5.00	2.00	Jennings, Richard	5.00	---	Monroe, Beverly	5.00	2.00
Cohen, Jack L.	Friling, Lawrence	5.00	2.00	Jennings, Muriel	5.00	2.00	Mons, Rene	5.00	2.00
Comtois, Paul	Friling, Mary	5.00	2.00	Johnson, Philip	5.00	2.00	Mons, Norma	5.00	2.00

Monser, George	5.00	2.00	Rajanikmi, Elaine	5.00	2.00	Strain, Beverly	5.00	2.00
Moore, Donald	5.00	---	Ramsey, Robert	5.00	2.00	Stuart, David	5.00	2.00
Moore, Jeannette	5.00	---	Ramsey, Cheryl	5.00	2.00	Stuart, Phyllis	5.00	2.00
Moore, Robert	5.00	---	Rasmussen, Mary Helen	5.00	2.00	Sutherland, Douglas	5.00	2.00
Moore, Marjorie	5.00	---	Regoulinsky, Martha	5.00	2.00	Sutherland, Ann	5.00	2.00
Moore, William	5.00	2.00	Robertson, Shirley	5.00	2.00	Swan, Barbara	5.00	2.00
Morin, Ursula	5.00	2.00	Rollins, William	5.00	---	Temple, John	5.00	---
Morrione, Thomas	5.00	2.00	Rosholt, Edward, Jr.	5.00	---	Temple, Ruth	5.00	---
Morrione, Nancy	5.00	2.00	Rosholt, Florence	5.00	2.00	Terry, Wendell	5.00	---
Morrison, Jean	5.00	2.00	Rowe, James	5.00	2.00	Terry, Margaret	5.00	2.00
Moyer, Herbert	5.00	2.00	Rowe, Mrs. James	5.00	2.00	Thompson, Murrell	5.00	---
Moyer, Karen	5.00	2.00	Rowley, C. Stevenson, Jr.	5.00	---	Thompson, Shirley	5.00	2.00
Mudgett, Donald	5.00	2.00				Tiffany, Wesley, Jr.	5.00	2.00
Mudgett, Theresa	5.00	2.00	Rowley, Mrs. C.			Turcotte, H. Richard	5.00	2.00
Mullen, Richard	5.00	2.00	Stevenson	5.00	2.00	Turcotte, Elizabeth	5.00	2.00
Mullen, Linda	5.00	2.00	Roy, Dennis	5.00	2.00	Vakalis, James	5.00	2.00
Murphy, John	5.00	---	Runge, Alfred	5.00	2.00	Vakalis, Mary	5.00	2.00
Murphy, Eleanor	5.00	2.00	Rush, Heath	5.00	2.00	Valenza, Daniel	5.00	2.00
Murphy, Robert M	5.00	2.00	St. Onge, Richard	5.00	2.00	Valenza, Ann	5.00	2.00
Myers, Norman	5.00	---	St. Onge, Carol	5.00	2.00	Van Ameyden Van		
Myers, Barbara	5.00	2.00	Saksa, Phillip	5.00	2.00	Duym, Hidde	5.00	2.00
Namm, Ted	5.00	2.00	Sanchez, Matthew	5.00	---	Van Ameyden Van		
Newsy, John	5.00	2.00	Sanchez, Shirley	5.00	2.00	Duym, Penelope	5.00	2.00
Newsy, Elizabeth	5.00	2.00	Santerre, Robert	5.00	2.00	Van der Voet, Dirk	5.00	2.00
Nichols, Henry, Jr.	5.00	2.00	Santerre, Virginia	5.00	2.00	Van Duyn, Donald	5.00	2.00
Nichols, Carol	5.00	2.00	Savage, Godfrey	5.00	---	Van Duyn, Rosamond	5.00	2.00
Ninde, Daniel	5.00	---	Savage, Joanne	5.00	2.00	Varney, Joyce	5.00	2.00
Ninde, Ann	5.00	2.00	Sawyer, A. Kendall	5.00	2.00	Vaughan, Earl	5.00	---
Oaks, Steven	5.00	2.00	Sawyer, Ellen	5.00	2.00	Vaughan, Elizabeth	5.00	2.00
O'Brien, Francis	5.00	2.00	Schultz, J. Howard	5.00	2.00	Venkatesan,		
O'Brien, Marion	5.00	2.00	Seamans, E. June	5.00	2.00	Meenakshisunder	5.00	2.00
Olosky, Judith	5.00	2.00	Seavey, Fred	5.00	2.00	Venkatesan, Pamela	5.00	2.00
Palmer, John E.	5.00	2.00	Seavey, Jean	5.00	2.00	Wade, Janice	5.00	2.00
Palmer, Louise	5.00	2.00	Serotkin, Jeffrey	5.00	2.00	Wallace, John	5.00	---
Panicei, Ronald	5.00	2.00	Shaw, James	5.00	2.00	Wallace, Rose	5.00	2.00
Papas, Takis	5.00	2.00	Shaw, Jane	5.00	2.00	Warren, R. Scott	5.00	2.00
Papas, Tula	5.00	2.00	Shaw, Ron	5.00	2.00	Weiland, Walter	5.00	---
Peckrul, James	5.00	2.00	Shaw, Pamela	5.00	2.00	Weiland, Jane	5.00	2.00
Perham, David	5.00	2.00	Small, Nancy	5.00	2.00	Weinberger, Monroe	5.00	---
Peterman, Sidney, Jr.	5.00	2.00	Smith, Daniel	5.00	2.00	Weinberger, Ruth	5.00	2.00
Pierce, Gloria	5.00	2.00	Smith, Jacquelyn	5.00	2.00	Weiss, Roger	5.00	2.00
Pierce, Maurice	5.00	---	Smith, Joan	5.00	2.00	Weiss, Carolyn	5.00	2.00
Piper, Richard	5.00	2.00	Smith, Raymond	5.00	2.00	Wheeler, Richard	5.00	2.00
Piper, Madeline	5.00	2.00	Smith, Ellen	5.00	2.00	Whitlock, John	5.00	---
Plaisted, Persis	5.00	---	Smith, Rodney	5.00	2.00	Whitlock, Virginia	5.00	2.00
Plourde, Randall	5.00	2.00	Smith, Carolyn	5.00	2.00	Winn, James S.	5.00	2.00
Plourde, Cynthia	5.00	2.00	Southwick, David	5.00	---	Yang, W. Tseng	5.00	2.00
Plumer, James	5.00	---	Southwick, Gloria	5.00	2.00	Yang, Jane	5.00	2.00
Plumer, Alice	5.00	2.00	Staley, Thomas	5.00	2.00			
Polk, Keith	5.00	2.00	Staley, Barbara	5.00	2.00			
Polk, Marie	5.00	2.00	Stanick, Fred	5.00	2.00			
Ragland, Beatrice	5.00	2.00	Strain, Edward	5.00	---			

\$1,665.00 \$570.00

Property Taxes

Alumni of Zeta Chapter	\$	500.00
Theta Chi		
Balomenos, Richard & Georgia		443.04
Barringer, Beverly		179.17
Barringer, Raymond		52.50
Boston, Clarence & Anne (Valenza)		574.28
Brady, Francis W.		32.80
Brodie, James & Elsa		760.14
Carlisle, Marguerite E.		357.11
Carlisle, Marguerite E.		82.00
Carlisle, Marguerite E.		508.81
Carlisle, Marguerite E.		901.18
Channel, Heirs of Wm. J.		16.40
Chase, Arthur Jr. & Lorraine		735.13
Cheney, Walter W.		1,038.12
Cheney, Walter W.		418.20
Cheney, W. W. & Sweetnam, Floyd		88.56
Coker, Roland & Morna		165.23
Coker, Heirs of Leola F.		93.48
Comstock, Theodore & Bernice		419.63
Connor, Lawton & Betty		728.98
Connor, Lawton & Betty		61.91
Connor, Lawton & Betty		58.22
Cote, Louis & Beatrice		127.92
Donovan, John & Betty		446.49
Ellis, Mrs. Lyndon		39.36
Ellis, Mrs. Lyndon		46.74
Ellis, Mrs. Lyndon		61.09
Ellis, Mrs. Lyndon		45.92
Ellis, Mrs. Lyndon		22.55
Ellis, Mrs. Lyndon		43.87
Everett, Edgar & Evelyn		125.68
1st National Bank of Portsmouth		43.20
Fisher, Homes, Inc.		225.50
Five Stratford Avenue Corp.		2,720.29
Fogg, Marion M.		739.23
Follansbee, Clayton & Edna		889.70
Fuellhart, Howard & Ruth		1,021.72
Gadon, Herman & Elinor		1,148.41
Gonet, Karol F.		32.80
Goodwin, Richard & Linda		574.00
Gove, Ernest & Doris		131.20
Gove, Jeanette G.		635.91
Hobson, Arthur L.		339.48
Howard, Richard & Beverly		600.00
Kappa Sigma		1,000.00
Kavanagh, Alice W.		661.74

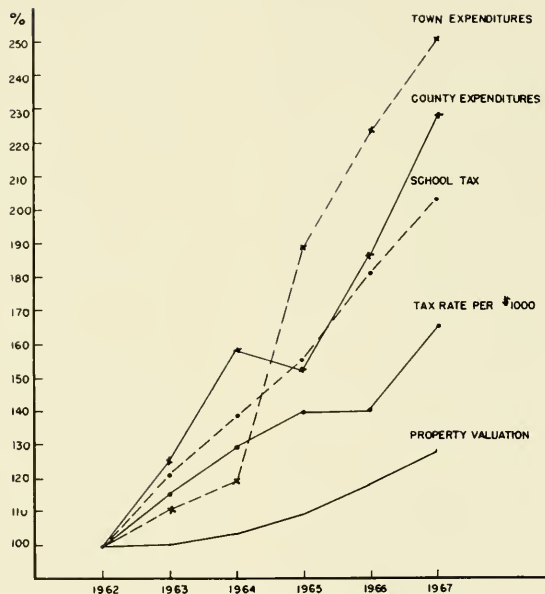
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MacLean, Alexander & Evelyn	1,093.47
Manock, Francis & Dorothy	946.28
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Moore, Donald J.	135.92
Olson, E. William	797.04
Palmer, John	6.15
Palmer, John	24.60
Piecuch, John	97.68
Pitman, Stanley & Claudia	13.94
Plaisted, Mrs. Persis	578.92
Plock, Frederick M.	8.20
Plumer, Alice	141.04
Poynter, Horace, Jr.	16.40
Prunier, Lawrence & Barbara	28.70
Rosholt, Edward, Jr. & Florence	498.15
Smith, A. Dickson & K. C.	2.05
Smith, Julian & Monica	276.75
Stetson, Kenneth & Barbara	9.84
Stevens, H. B.	82.00
Strain, Edward	123.00
Terry, W. Allan	296.84
Thompson, Murrell & Shirley	1,653.94
Thompson, Murrell	241.90
Vakalis, James & Mary	1,507.57
Vaughan, Earl S. & E.	1,484.20
Wallace, John & Rose	575.64
Weinberger, Monroe & Ruth	228.22
Greene, Raymond (White)	26.24
Wolfe, William & Natalie	769.57
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	\$32,037.89

Sewer Taxes

December 31, 1967

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Bamford, Geo. & Beatrice	\$ 28.81	\$ 15.00
Boston (Valenza), D. & A.		15.00
Davison, Wm. & V. Janet		22.50
Ferber (Grishman, Allan)		7.50
Hammond, Leon		30.00
Maynard, Max		15.00
Mower, L. & K.		15.00
Ozenich (Booska, Emery)		7.50
Steffy, Robert		30.00
Grant, Bruce		15.00
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	\$ 28.81	\$ 172.50



A STUDY IN PERCENTAGES

Minutes of Town Meeting

March 14, 1967

The meeting was opened at 4:00 p.m. by Moderator Francis Robinson who read Article 1. Moved by James Chamberlin, seconded by Joseph Michael, that voting proceed on Articles 1 through 7 and that further reading of the warrant be postponed until 7:30 p.m. Before bringing the motion to a vote, the Moderator announced that, as noted in the warrant, petitions opposing the changes proposed in Articles 5, 6, and 7 were received before the Town Report was printed and are mentioned in the Report. Since publication of the Report, a petition also has been received opposing the changes proposed in Article 3. A signer of that petition has requested that his objections and the ruling of the Moderator thereon be included in the records of the meeting. In complying with this request, Moderator Robinson emphasized that *all* rulings of the Moderator are a part of the public record of the meeting.

The request, addressed to the Selectmen, was then read by the Moderator:

I am a legal voter in the Town of Durham and also an owner of real property in the area of a proposed change of zoning classification as set forth in Article 3 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting to be held March 14, 1967. I do not believe this Article 3 to be properly included in the Warrant as an item of business for voting because the public hearings by the legislative body, as required by statute and ordinance, have not been held. I request that this objection and the ruling of the Moderator thereon be included in the records of the Town Meeting. The objections and request are presented in this form because it has been publicly stated there is to be no debate on this article at the Town Meeting.

In the event this Article 3 is submitted to the vote of the Town Meeting, objections to the change of classification have been filed by persons specified in Article XI section 1100.2 of the ordinance. It is my belief that the affirmative vote of 75% of all the members of the Town Meeting, i.e., 75% of all the eligible voters on the check list used at this meeting, is required to adopt this article. I am given to

understand that the theory has been advanced that only the affirmative vote of 75% of those actually present and voting is required for adoption. I request that this question be submitted to the Moderator for ruling and that this request and his ruling thereon be made a part of the records of the Town Meeting.

Very truly yours,
Ernest Cutter, Jr.
65 Mill Road
Durham, New Hampshire

Regarding Mr. Cutter's first objection, the Moderator stated his opinion that the public hearings required by statute and ordinance had been complied with and, therefore, that Article 3 is properly included in the Warrant as an item of business for voting. On the second question raised by Mr. Cutter, the Moderator was of the opinion that a vote of three-fourths of those voting at the meeting is sufficient to adopt the proposal of the Planning Board over the objection of the petitioners.

The motion was then put to a vote and carried. Voting opened at 4:04 p.m. All election officials were sworn in by the Moderator.

Article 1. Results of balloting:

Selectman	Henry A. Davis	509
Town Clerk	Phyllis Poland	593
Treasurer	Forrest H. Smart	557
Tax Collector	Phyllis Poland	590
Trustee of Trust Funds	Malcolm J. Chase	576
Budget Committee-3 yr.	Thelma Brackett	497
	Malcolm J. Chase	556
	Lewis W. Newsky	366
	Judy L. Simpson	382
Budget Committee-2 yr.	Manley R. Irwin	495

Article 2. (Zoning – Business District)
Yes 493 (required to pass: 466) No 118

Article 3. (Zoning – Class II Residential District)
Yes 484 (required to pass: 466) No 134

Article 4. (Zoning – University District)
Yes 529 (required to pass: 466) No 80

[Note: Articles 2 – 4 were recommended by the

Planning Board.]

Article 5. (Zoning – Stony Brook)
Yes 161 No 450

Article 6. (Zoning – Phelps Farm)
Yes 170 No 440

Article 7. (Zoning – Turcotte Land)
Yes 139 No 478

[Note: Articles 5 – 7 were not recommended by the
Planning Board.]

Total votes cast: 621

Moderator Robinson suspended voting on Articles 1 through 7 at 7:30 p.m. and announced that balloting would be continued after consideration of Articles 8 through 20 until all who wished to vote had the opportunity to do so. The Moderator then announced that before considering further business the meeting would be turned over to Bradford McIntire. Mr. McIntire gave the following tribute to Doctor George Gleason McGregor:

“There is no joy in Mudville, Mighty Casey *has* struck out.”
I have been requested to share some thoughts with you as a tribute to our late friend Doctor George Gleason McGregor. As heavy as our hearts are tonight, we still have some cause for thankfulness: His wish to die with his boots on. He did not have the fatal attack while on the highway. His final moments were calm and serene. And we still have Marjorie.

Moved by Joseph Michael that the Selectmen for the Town of Durham create a suitable memorial expressing the great loss in the passing of Doctor George McGregor; that the same shall include the affection and respect of our Townspeople; and further, that a resolution shall be spread on the pages of this meeting with a copy being delivered to his widow and family. The motion was seconded by several and carried by a unanimous rising vote. [See page 24.]

Article 8. Moved by Donald Sumner that the Town vote to empower the Planning Board to review and approve or disapprove site plans for the development of tracts for nonresidential uses, whether or not such development includes a subdivision or resubdivision of the site, in accordance with the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 36, Section 19.a as amended. Motion seconded by

Lathrop Merrick. Mr. Sumner spoke briefly in explanation of the article. Motion carried.

Article 9. Moved by Henry Davis and seconded by Paul Schaefer, that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to obtain the services of a qualified agency to make reassessment of land and buildings in the Town of Durham during the calendar year 1968. Mr. Davis stated that no appropriation would be necessary for 1967 since the work would be done in 1968, and that expense for it could probably be spread over two years as was done in 1962 assessment. Motion carried.

Article 10. Moved by Rebecca Long, seconded by Thomas Marshall, that the Town vote to establish a Local Government Study Committee to consist of 11 members, 5 to be appointed by the Town Moderator and 6 to be nominated and elected from the floor. Motion carried. The following names were placed in nomination from the floor; Marion Fogg, Lathrop Merrick, Norman Stiles, Maryanna Hatch, Lawrence O’Connell, Henry Davis, M. Rae Borrer, Rebecca Long. Nominations closed. Suggested by Joseph Michael that the nominees indicate whether they would serve if elected. Lawrence O’Connell and Henry Davis withdrew and the remaining six candidates were elected by voice vote. Moderator Robinson announced that his appointment of 5 members would be made at a later date. [See page 21.]

Article 11. Moved by Donald Sumner that the Town vote to authorize the purchase of a certain tract of land from the Gamma Theta Corporation as described on a plan by G. L. Davis Associates dated January 1967, File 107-28, for the sum of \$15,000. Motion seconded by several. Motion carried.

(Point of order raised by Donald Sumner: discussion omitted on Article 11. It was ruled unnecessary. Question raised by Paul Norton: Would passage of Articles 11, 12, and 13 be contingent on passage of Article 2? Answered by James Chamberlin: most of the land being considered for use as a parking lot is in the Business District.)

Article 12. Moved by James C. Chamberlin, seconded by Rebecca Long and Paul Schaefer, that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to negotiate with Mr. William Davison and Mr. R. C. Durgin for the purpose of obtaining a piece of land 50’ in width along Pettee Brook to be used as a public way connecting the lot of land referred to in Ar-

ticle 11 with Jenkins Court and with the present Town parking lot. Motion carried.

Article 13. Moved by Paul Schaefer that Articles 13, 14, and 15 be discussed in order but that final action on these three articles be reserved for a single ballot covering all three. Davis Larson asked if this would preclude amendment to these articles. Moderator Robinson said that it would not, and explained that the voting by ballot would give a clear record of the number for and the number against, which was desirable because borrowing money is involved.

James Chamberlin moved for the adoption of the article and Paul Schaefer seconded.

Paul Norton moved that adoption of Article 13 be contingent on passage of Article 2. Motion seconded. After some discussion, Mr. Norton called for the question. The motion to amend lost.

Article 14. James Chamberlin moved for adoption of the article. It was seconded by Paul Schaefer.

David Larson offered the following amendment: "and, that the selection of the site for the incinerator be subject to a public hearing before the site is decided upon." Seconded. After much discussion, the motion for amendment was put to the question, and it was lost.

Motion made by Paul Schaefer to amend Article 14 by changing the amount to be raised by serial notes from \$70,000 to \$86,000 to cover acquisition of land and increased Town share of construction. It was seconded and carried.

Results of balloting on Articles 13, 14, and 15:

Article 13 (Parking Lot)	Yes 275	No 53
Article 14 (Incinerator)	Yes 261	No 66
Article 15 (Water Dept.)	Yes 311	No 17

Article 15. Moved by Henry Davis that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to issue short term notes in the name of the Durham Water Department not in excess of \$10,000 payable at the rate of \$2,000 per year, or more if feasible, for the purpose of making necessary repairs and improvements to the Wiswall Road dam on the Lamprey River. Seconded by M. Rae Borrer. Mr. Davis called attention to the fact that no tax money is involved in this article. John Hatch asked

if the water height behind the dam would be raised. Mr. Chamberlin answered that the present level stores about 96,000,000 gallons, which is ample for the foreseeable future; however, it would be possible to raise the water level in case of future need. Motion carried.

Article 16. Moved by Henry Davis, seconded by several, that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow necessary money in anticipation of taxes. Motion carried.

Article 17. Moved by Donald Sumner, seconded by several, that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200 toward support of the proposed Oyster River Home Health Association. Motion carried.

Article 18. Paul Schaefer moved, James Chamberlin seconded, that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of approximately \$36,000 to defray its share of the cost of Strafford County Government. Motion carried.

Article 19. Moved by Paul Schaefer that the Town vote to adopt the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee. After the motion was duly seconded, Mr. Schaefer moved to amend the budget by adding the sum of \$16,320 for the incinerator, changing the total from \$437,468.44 to \$453,788.44. Seconded by Thelma Brackett. Amendment carried.

Henry A. Davis moved to raise the additional sum of \$303 to cover Town Report expense. Seconded by Paul Schaefer. Carried.

James Chamberlin moved to increase the salt budget from \$4,000 to \$7,500. Seconded by Lewis Newsy. Carried.

Joseph Michael moved that \$2,965 be added to the Police Department budget, the same to be for expenditures as follows:

Uniform Allowance for Special Officers	\$224.00
Special Officers	173.00
Equipment	650.00
Gas, Oil & Maintenance	418.00
Acquisition of Additional Cruiser	800.00
Radio Equipment for Second Car	700.00

Seconded by Donald Sumner, who also spoke for the Selectmen endorsing this amendment. After some discussion, the amendment carried.

Total budget, as amended: \$460,556.44; to be raised by taxes: \$195,695.44. Motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, the Moderator declared the polls open for further voting. Voting continued until 11:00 p.m. Polls closed, and the meeting adjourned.

Following the counting of the ballots by Elizabeth Smart, Forbes Bryce, Rebecca Long, Elizabeth Robinson, Leona Andrews, John Sakowski, Linda Ekdahl, Donald Sumner, Wallis Rand, James Chamberlin, Chester Tecce, and Daniel Ninde, all being duly sworn in by the Moderator, the Moderator administered the oath of office to Phyllis Poland, having been elected Town Clerk and Tax Collector. Mrs. Poland gave the oath of office to Henry A. Davis, having been elected Selectman.

Phyllis Poland, Town Clerk

The 1967 audit by the State Tax Commission could not be included with this report. It will be distributed at Town Meeting, and may be seen in full at the Town Hall.

The complete text of the proposed amendment to Article XII of the Zoning Ordinance may be obtained at the Town Hall.

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DURHAM-UNIVERSITY FIRE ALARM SIGNALS

Effective April 1, 1968

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| 12 | Main St. — R.R. Station to Ballard St. | 48 | Newmarket Rd. — Bennett Rd. to Town Line; Stagecoach Rd. |
| 13 | Main St. — Ballard St. to Madbury Rd. | 51 | Bennett Rd. |
| 14 | Main St. — Madbury Rd. to Town Hall | 52 | Packers Falls Rd. — Wiswall Rd. to Newmarket Town Line; Wiswall Rd. |
| 15 | Garrison Ave. — Ballard St. — Rosemary Lane | 53 | Packers Falls Rd. — Wiswall Rd. to Lee Line; Wednesday Hill Rd. |
| 16 | Strafford Ave. | 54 | Durham Point Rd. — Newmarket Rd. to Colony Cove Rd., Langley Rd., Longmarsh Rd. |
| 17 | Oyster River Elementary School | 56 | Wedgewood Development — Pine Crest Lane, Den Bow Rd., Sunny Side Dr., Willey Rd., Curtis Rd., Frost Dr. |
| 18 | Madbury Rd. — Main St. to Garrison Ave. | 57 | Durham Point Rd. — Colony Cove Rd. to Adams Point Rd., Dame Rd. and Colony Cove |
| 19 | Woodman Ave. and Dennison Rd. | 58 | Bay Rd. and Adams Point Rd. |
| 21 | Cowell Dr., Sauer Terrace and Glassford Lane | 59 | Concord Rd. — R.R. Station to Town Line |
| 23 | Oyster River High School | 61 | Mast Rd. — Concord Rd. to Lee Line |
| 24 | Coe Dr. and Beards Landing | 62 | Mast Rd., Spinney Lane and Horticulture Farm |
| 25 | Madbury Rd. — Garrison Ave. to Maple St., Davis Ct. | 63 | Chesley Plaza |
| 26 | Bagdad Rd. and Canney Rd. | 121 | College Rd. — Main St. to DeMeritt Rd. |
| 27 | Madbury Rd. — Maple St. to Emerson Rd. | 123 | Library Way — College Rd. to Dimond Library |
| 28 | Madbury Rd. — Emerson Rd. to Town Line — Beech Hill Rd. and Pendexter Rd. | 124 | Hamilton Smith-Hall, Hood House, Memorial Union |
| 29 | Lundy Lane, Hampshire Ave. and Scotland Rd. | 125 | Huddleston Dr. — Main St. to Alexander Hall |
| 31 | Edgewood Rd. — Madbury Rd. to Emerson Rd., Emerson Rd. | 126 | College Rd. — DeMeritt Rd. to Quadrangle Dr. |
| 32 | Edgewood Rd. — Davis Ave. and Meadow Rd. | 127 | McDaniel Dr. — College Rd. to Mill Rd. |
| 34 | Mill Rd. — Main St. to College Rd. | 131 | Forest Park |
| 35 | Mill Rd. — College Rd. to R.R. Bridge; Orchard Dr. and Foss Farm Rd. | 132 | Quadrangle Dr. — College Road to East Hall |
| 36 | Mill Rd. — R.R. Bridge to Packers Falls Rd. | 134 | Ballard Dr. — Garrison Ave. to McLaughlin Hall |
| 37 | Woodridge Development — Woodridge Rd. | 135 | New England Regional Center for Continuing Education |
| 38 | Faculty Rd., Garden Lane, Valentine Hill Rd., McGrath Lane | 136 | College Rd. to Ritzman Lab. and Water Treatment Plant |
| 39 | Hoitt Dr., Oyster River Rd., Croghan Lane | 137 | Mast Rd. — Main St. to Dairy Barns |
| 41 | Thompson Lane, Burnham Ave., Mill Pond Rd., Chesley Drive | 141 | Dairy Bar, New Hampshire Hall and Snively Arena |
| 42 | Dover Rd. — Town Hall to Coes Corner; Bay View Rd., Old Landing Rd. | 142 | Main St. — R.R. overpass to bypass |
| 43 | Dover Rd. — Coes Corner to Town Line | | |
| 45 | Piscataqua Rd. — Coes Corner to River View Rd., River View Rd. | 5 short | — Fire Station call |
| 46 | Piscataqua Rd. — River View Rd. to Town Line; Cedar Point, Watson Rd., Back River Rd., Bunker Lane | 2 short | — All out |
| 47 | Newmarket Rd. — Town Hall to Bennett Rd., School House Lane, Longmarsh Rd., Winecellar Rd. | 4 short | following regular alarm — Forestry call |
| | | 2 — 2 | No school in Oyster River Cooperative School District |

Fire Department Telephones: 868-5531 or 868-5511 Ext. 390

