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THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE

February 23, 1966

Total Budgets and Taxes

The 1966 Town Expense Budget including special articles totals \$661,100, an increase over the 1965 budget of \$91,800, a 16.1% increase. Because the Selectmen were able to effect considerable expense savings over budget in 1965 and because income is estimated to increase close to \$40,000 in 1966, the additional tax money needed in 1966 is \$45,000. This represents a 13.8 percentage increase.

The 1966-67 School Budget as presented by the Dresden and Hanover School Boards totals \$1,021,300, an increase of \$105,600 or 11.7%. However, income is budgeted to decrease in 1966-67 by \$5,500. Therefore the additional tax money needed to support the Hanover schools in 1966-67 totals \$111,100, an increase of 14.1%.

You will note by the summary which follows this text that the total expense budget increased by close to \$200,000 (13%), while the additional tax money needed is approximately \$156,000 (14%). The maximum tax rate for Hanover residents in 1965 was \$34.41 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. In 1966 it is estimated that the maximum tax rate will be \$37.78 or an increase of \$3.37 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation. The figures for the minimum tax rates are also included in a table which follows.

The 1965 assessed valuation in Hanover totaled \$35,225,000 and the Selectmen estimate an increase in assessed valuations of \$1,500,000 in 1966. This will reduce the additional dollars needed from Hanover taxpayers by approximately \$52,000. Therefore, the net increased tax dollars required of Hanover residents will be approximately \$104,000, a percentage increase of 9.3%. This is the figure that individual property owners may estimate that their tax bill in 1966 will increase over their 1965 bill. This, of course, assumes that there is no change in the assessed valuation of the individual property.

A better than 9% tax increase presents a heavy demand to the Hanover taxpayers.

HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE

Agency	1965 Budget	Proposed 1966 Budget
I. Town—Regular	\$ 550 900	\$ 646 500
II. Town—Special Articles		
A. Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee	500	500
B. Information Booth	600	600
C. Lebanon Regional Airport	2 500	3 000
D. Tax Survey	10 000	5 000
E. Upper Valley Develop- ment Council	2 300*	3 500
F. Hanover Conservation Council	—	2 000
G. Transportation Study	2 500	—
H. Total—Special Articles	\$ 18 400	\$ 14 600
III. Town—Total	\$ 569 300	\$ 661 100
IV. School Regular	914 700	1 021 300
V. School—Special Articles School Bus	1 000	—
VI. School—Total	\$ 915 700	\$1 021 300
VII. GRAND TOTAL	\$1 485 000	\$1 682 400

*Hanover's total contribution to the Upper Valley Development Council was \$3500 but a \$1200 contribution from private resources reduced the net expense to \$2300.

SUMMARY ALL BUDGETS

Change	1965 Tax	Proposed 1966 Tax	Change
+\$ 95 600	\$ 307 600	\$ 356 400	\$ 48 800
	500	500	—
	600	600	—
+500	2 500	3 000	+500
-5 000	10 000	5 000	-5 000
+1 200	2 300*	3 500	+1 200
+2 000	—	2 000	+2 000
-2 500	2 500	—	-2 500
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-\$ 3 800	\$ 18 400	\$ 14 600	-\$ 3 800
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+\$ 91 800	\$ 326 000	\$ 371 000	+\$ 45 000
106 600	795 700	907 800	+112 100
-1 000	1 000	—	-1 000
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+\$105 600	\$ 796 700	\$ 907 800	+\$111 100
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+\$197 400	\$1 122 700	\$1 278 800	+\$156 100

At the same time we want to point out that the future will call for even greater tax dollars. While the 1966-67 school budget reflects an increase in the minimum starting salary of our teachers, certainly teachers salaries have not yet reached their maximum.

In addition, a new elementary school is in the planning stages and will go to an architect in the very near future. We must recognize that any major construction will demand significantly more tax dollars.

The 1966 town budget already reflects the needs of a new school building in the highway and sidewalk area. Town expenses will continue to rise in the area of the Fire Department, Highway Department, and Health and Sanitation. A committee is already studying the possibility of a new municipal building and this also will represent a major item in a future budget.

The question must also be asked whether it is time for Hanover to study the possibility of a reorganization of the Town Government. The demands presently placed on the Selectmen already represent an unfair burden for them to carry. Since these demands will increase, the Finance Committee recommends that immediate thought be given to this possibility.

We mentioned in our report one year ago that it is obvious that the Sweepstakes are of little help to New Hampshire communities. We must have additional aid from the State in the form of a broad-based tax and the Finance Committee recommends that Hanover take the lead in urging our State to adapt to such a program.

Again this year the Hanover Finance Committee wishes to express its thanks to the Hanover and Dresden School Boards and to the Hanover Board of Selectmen for their excellent cooperation and dedication throughout the past year. Their service to the community is considerable and they deserve the gratitude of all of us.

**HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE
TOWN OF HANOVER—TAX SUMMARY**

Maximum Tax

	Actual 1965	Estimated 1966	Difference
Town	\$ 6 16	\$ 6 60	\$ 44
County	1 98	1 98	—
School	22 41	24 74	2 33
Fire Area #4	2 43	3 15	72
Sidewalk Area	60	51	(09)
Sewer Area #2	83	80	(03)
	\$ 34 41	\$ 37 78	\$ 3 37

Minimum Tax

	Actual 1965	Estimated 1966	Difference
Town	\$ 6 16	\$ 6 60	\$ 44
County	1 98	1 98	—
School	22 41	24 74	2 33
Fire Area #1	49	63	14
	\$ 31 04	\$ 33 95	\$ 2 91

Town

1965 Results

The Town of Hanover finished the year 1965 with a cash balance of \$48,983. In addition to the careful expenditure of funds throughout the year, the principal items accounting for this balance were tax receipts from previous years of \$11,571, an overage of \$5,532 in the interest and dividends tax and \$4,416 in motor vehicle permits. In addition, some \$6,700 was unexpended in the Department of Public Works inasmuch as the Superintendent was not hired until the middle of the year.

Further, although \$15,000 was budgeted for sidewalks, only \$4,142 was expended. In addition, the \$10,000 raised for the reappraisal of taxable property was not spent because the work was not undertaken in 1965 as anticipated. Funds left in both the sidewalk account and the reappraisal of property account will be placed in a reserve for expenditure during the current year and the year 1967.

1966 Budget

Receipts

Current receipts for the year 1966 are budgeted at \$273,380 as compared with \$234,445 for the year 1965 resulting in an increase of \$38,935. The principal items accounting for the difference are as follows:

Head Taxes

This is budgeted at \$11,100, up from the \$1,000 budgeted last year. Inasmuch as this is essentially an in-and-out item, the \$1,000 figure had been carried forward from year to year. The \$11,100, however, is based on the funds actually received.

Interest and Dividends Tax

The Interest and Dividends Tax is budgeted at \$78,000 as compared with \$70,000 in 1965. The addition of \$8,000 reflects the continued growth of this item.

Motor Vehicle Permits

Motor Vehicle Permits are budgeted at \$49,000 as compared with \$45,000 this year. The increase represents the continued growth of the income under this item.

Sewer System

Two items of income might be mentioned. The first is a budgeted figure of \$7,000 which is shown as income for new construction. This actually represents a transfer from the 1965 Capital Reserve. In addition, the State Grant is up from \$16,500 in 1965 to \$21,600. This represents the increase in the cost of the sewer system being borne by the State.

Expenses

Expenses for the year 1966, excluding special articles for the Warrant, are budgeted at \$646,510 as compared with \$550,870 for the year 1965, for an increase of \$95,640. In general it might be said that the increases involved reflect the continued growth of the Town and its need for services. Two items are of

special significance this year. One involves the Fire Department and the other a major expenditure for roads in connection with the construction of a new school in the Reservoir Road area. These items together with the other significant items accounting for the difference other than salary increases which have been included where appropriate are listed as follows:

Head Taxes

Head taxes are budgeted at \$10,000 whereas in 1965 this item was not included. As previously indicated it was treated as an in-and-out item.

Municipal Building

This item is budgeted at \$8,600 in 1966 as compared with \$11,100 in 1965. The difference is largely attributable to the fact that the janitorial services and supplies required by the building are being budgeted at \$3,500 rather than \$6,500 as was the case last year. These services were previously provided by the Fire Department and are now to be contracted for separately, with that portion of the Fire Department budget previously charged to the Municipal Building now being added to the Fire Department budget.

Libraries

The Howe Library this year is requesting \$6,500 from the Town as contrasted to the amount budgeted last year of \$8,200. Funds received from the Library's own resources have increased and it is of interest to note therefore that the amount being requested from the Town which had been growing annually is for this year at least reduced.

Social Security and Health Insurance

These items in past years were listed separately. In the budget for 1966 they have been incorporated under those items where the charge is made.

Fire Department

The Fire Department is budgeted at \$74,220 for 1966 as

**TOWN OF HANOVER
1966 BUDGET FOR RECEIPTS**

Item	1965 Actual Receipts	1965 Budget	1966 Budget	1965 vs. 1966
Taxes Other Years	\$ 11 572	—	—	—
Interest	259	\$ 100	\$ 100	—
Poll Tax	3 926	4 300	4 000	(\$ 300)
National Bank Stock	1 080	1 100	1 100	—
Bond & Retirement Tax	348	150	150	—
Head Tax	11 820	1 000	11 100	10 100
Interest & Dividends Tax	75 532	70 000	78 000	8 000
Town Road Aid	3 506	8 600	10 440	1 840
Precinct Road Aid	3 010	3 010	3 010	—
Railroad Tax	206	175	175	—
Savings Bank Tax	4 699	4 000	4 500	500
Bounties	4 50	—	—	—
Motor Vehicle Permits	49 417	45 000	49 000	4 000
Town Clerk's Fees	2 951	3 000	3 000	—
Business Licenses	828	800	800	—
Tax Sales Redeemed	1 378	—	—	—
Bicycle Registrations	48	100	100	—
Trust Funds	2 220	2 000	2 000	—
Scrap, Maps, Misc.	742	—	—	—
Adelaide S. Hardy Estate	2 000	—	—	—
Hanover Water Works Co. (Div.)	4 392	4 400	4 400	—
College Hydrant Rental	3 042	3 100	3 100	—
Hospital Hydrant Rental	320	300	300	—
Municipal Bldg. (Rental Income)	660	660	660	—
Could Farm (Rental Income)	200	600	600	—
Building Inspector	2 788	1 000	1 000	—
Parking Fines	3 920	3 000	3 000	—
Other Fines	4 482	3 500	3 500	—
Dog Licenses	1 454	1 250	1 400	150
Town Nurse	2 296	1 500	2 000	500
Town Welfare	1 063	—	—	—
Cemetery Income	4 021	5 000	5 000	—
Sewer—New Construction	7 596	—	7 000	7 000
Sewer Connections	1 700	—	—	—
Sewer Rentals	53 825	50 300	52 345	2 045
State Grant	16 502	16 500	21 600	5 100
Total Current Income	\$283 807 50	\$234 445	\$273 380	\$38 935

**TOWN OF HANOVER
1966 BUDGET FOR EXPENDITURES**

Item	1965 Actual Expense	1965 Budget	1966 Budget	1965 vs. 1966
Bond & Retirement Tax	\$ 106	—	\$ 100	\$ 100
Head Tax	11 528	—	10 000	10 000
Town Road Aid	4 879	\$ 10 000	12 000	2 000
Bounties	5 50	—	—	—
Tax Sales	1 088	—	—	—
Maps, Refunds & Abatements	287	—	—	—
Adelaide S. Hardy Estate	2 000	—	—	—
Hydrant Rental	25 454	25 000	26 000	1 000
Municipal Building	11 865	11 100	8 600	(2 500)
Town Garage #1	1 845	2 350	2 350	—
Town Garage #2	1 208	1 250	950	(300)
Etna Fire Station	1 488	1 050	1 880	830
Libraries				
Etna	882	1 000	1 000	—
Howe	8 200	8 200	6 500	(1 700)
Gould Farm	245	600	600	—
Superintendent of Public Works	4 540	11 250	12 870	1 620
General Government	36 806	40 200	46 240	6 040
Social Security	4 942	5 500	—	(5 500)
Health Insurance	7 030	7 500	—	(7 500)
Municipal Court	2 400	2 400	2 400	—
Dogs	147	250	250	—
Police Dept.	45 330	48 020	49 710	1 690
Fire Dept.	54 297	54 200	74 220	20 020
Forest Fire Account	469	650	300	(350)
Health & Sanitation	3 812	3 900	3 900	—
Town Nurse	5 739	6 070	7 640	1 570
Welfare	11 775	15 000	17 000	2 000
Cemeteries	15 604	15 700	19 600	3 900
Highway Dept.	148 996	157 500	185 500	28 000
Road Construction	—	—	25 000	25 000
Sewerage System	82 963	79 830	93 670	13 840
Sidewalks	4 142	15 000	10 000	(5 000)
Street Lighting	13 439	13 500	14 000	500
Civil Defense	1 344	1 500	1 500	—
Care of Trees	9 089	9 100	10 300	1 200
Interest	14 056	3 250	2 430	(820)
Total Current Expenses	\$538 000 50	\$550 870	\$646 510	\$95 640
Special Articles				
Information Booth	\$ 600	\$ 600	\$ 600	—
Lebanon Regional Airport	2 500	2 500	3 000	\$ 500
Upper Valley Development Council	2 300	2 300	3 500	1 200
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	500	500	500	—
Transportation Study	2 500	2 500	—	(2 500)
Reappraisal of Taxable Property	10 000	10 000	5 000	(5 000)
Conservation	—	—	2 000	2 000
Total Special Articles	\$ 18 400	\$ 18 400	\$ 14 600	(\$ 3 800)

compared with \$54,200 in 1965. Included in this item is a full-time daytime employee for the Etna station, payment to volunteers to stand by during weekends, plus the \$5,000 referred to under Municipal Building services. This budget represents a response to the growing needs for fire protection throughout the Town and it also attempts to meet changing conditions which involve the movement of volunteers out of the precinct area, the need for coverage in Etna while the volunteers are working in the precinct area, and the growing tendency for volunteers to be away from Hanover during a portion of the weekend.

Highway Department

This item is budgeted at \$185,500 compared with \$157,500 for 1965, up \$28,000. The largest single item in this increase represents a change in the budget in the Capital Reserve from \$12,000 to \$25,000. As the replacement of equipment has been found necessary the cost of this item has grown correspondingly and at \$25,000 still only represents some 10% of the total value of the highway equipment owned by the Town.

Road Construction

This item is budgeted at \$25,000. It represents a new item and will be spent on improvement and refinishing of Reservoir Road so that it will be able to accommodate the traffic destined for the new school.

Sewer System

The sewer system is budgeted at \$93,670 for 1966 as contrasted to \$79,830 for 1965. New construction is up from \$10,000 to \$20,000; however, as previously indicated, \$7,000 of this will be covered by withdrawing funds from a capital reserve. The balance of the increased expense is accounted for under salaries, social security and plant operation expense.

Sidewalks

Sidewalks are budgeted at \$10,000 in lieu of \$15,000

in 1965. A carry-over from 1965 of approximately \$10,800 makes this reduction possible. However, major construction must be undertaken in the area of East Wheelock Street and Reservoir Road.

Special Articles

The total cost of the Special Articles in the 1966 budget as proposed is \$14,600 as contrasted to \$19,600 in 1965. One item, the Transportation Study, is out and a new one concerned with Conservation has been added. Inasmuch as the Information Booth and the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association have been included in previous years, no comment seems necessary. The amount requested from the Town of Hanover for the Lebanon Regional Airport Authority is up from \$2,500 to \$3,000 and the Finance Committee recommends that this increased cost be assumed by the community. In addition, whereas the total amount which the Town of Hanover has been asked to pay to the Upper Valley Development Council remains at \$3,500, the support received from private resources has now been eliminated and the Town is therefore faced with the cost of assuming the entire sum. The Finance Committee approves this amount. This year the amount required for the Reappraisal of Taxable Property is being reduced from the \$10,000 anticipated last year to \$5,000. The work will be begun later than was expected and will be finished in 1967, thereby making it possible to spread the \$10,000 over two tax years. Finally, the Conservation Council has asked the Town of Hanover to contribute \$2,000 per year on an annual basis toward the cost of acquiring additional land to supplement that presently designated as the Green Belt. Private sources will be added to the Town's contribution and it is anticipated that State and Federal funds will also be provided. The Finance Committee believes that the raising of this sum is in the long-range interest of the community and recommends that it be approved.

SCHOOL BUDGET FOR 1966-1967

The Hanover School Board through its school budget requests a substantial \$112,000 increase in funds. This represents an increase of 14 percent over last year's budget and does not

HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT-SUMMARY

ELEMENTARY GRADES—K-6

Administration

Instruction—

Salaries (including Principal)

Text books, libraries, teaching supplies, etc.

Health

Transportation

Operation of School Plant

Maintenance of Plant

Fixed Charges

School Lunch

Capital Outlay

Outgoing Transfer Accounts

TOTAL ELEMENTARY

DRESDEN—GRADES 7-12 (Exhibit B)

TOTAL

Debt Service, Net—All Grades

TOTAL EXPENSES

Less Receipts other than Taxes

TOTAL

SPECIAL ARTICLE—BUS

TO BE RAISED BY HANOVER TAXATION

*Increase over 1964-65, \$58,900—8.0%

OF PROPOSED BUDGET 1966-67

Budget 1965-66	Budget 1966-67	Budget 1966-67 Increase or (Decrease) Versus Budget 1965-66	
\$ 4 700	\$ 3 600	(\$ 1 100)	(23.4) %
244 800	275 000	30 200	12.3 %
26 700	35 200	8 500	31.8 %
4 800	5 600	800	16.7 %
21 500	22 200	700	3.3 %
29 200	32 900	3 700	12.7 %
8 600	5 600	(3 000)	(34.9) %
22 500	28 200	5 700	25.3 %
6 200	6 400	200	3.2 %
369 000	414 700	45 700	12.4 %
6 700	5 500	(1 200)	(17.9) %
16 900	19 900	3 000	17.8 %
392 600	440 100	47 500	12.1 %
428 300	494 700	66 400	15.5 %
820 900	934 800	113 900	13.9 %
93 800	86 500	(7 300)	(7.8) %
914 700	1 021 300	106 600	11.7 %
119 000	113 500	(5 500)	(4.6) %
\$795 700*	\$ 907 800	\$112 100	14.1 %
1 000	—		
<u>\$796 700</u>	<u>\$ 907 800</u>		

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT (GRADES 7-12)
(Expense Comparisons before Allocation)

Administration

Instruction—

 Salaries (including Principal)

 Text books, libraries, teaching supplies, etc.

Health, etc.

Transportation

Operation of Plant

Maintenance of Plant

Fixed Charges

School Lunch

Student Activities

Capital Outlay

Outgoing Transfer Accounts

Debt Service

Total Expense before Allocation to Norwich

Less Receipts Applicable to Dresden District

Net Expense of Dresden District—

 For allocation between Hanover and Norwich School Districts

Percentage to Hanover

Hanover School District Share (for'd)

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED BUDGET 1966-67
to Norwich School District)

Budget 1965-66	Budget 1966-67	Budget 1966-67 Increase or (Decrease) Versus Budget 1965-66	
\$ 4 300	\$ 3 100	(\$ 1 200)	(27.9) %
364 400	425 200	60 800	16.7 %
45 400	52 400	7 000	15.4 %
4 500	5 400	900	20.0 %
500	500	—	—
50 600	50 400	(200)	—
16 100	15 300	(800)	(.5) %
37 600	42 800	5 200	13.8 %
5 600	7 900	2 300	41.1 %
21 700	21 300	(400)	(1.8) %
<hr/> 550 700	<hr/> 624 300	<hr/> 73 600	<hr/> 13.4 %
17 800	14 300	(3 500)	(19.6) %
16 000	19 700	3 700	23.1 %
<hr/> 584 500	<hr/> 658 300	<hr/> 73 800	<hr/> 12.6 %
43 000	42 000	(1 000)	2.3 %
<hr/> 627 500	<hr/> 700 300	<hr/> 72 800	<hr/> 11.6 %
49 700	41 200	(8 500)	(17.1) %
<hr/> \$577 800	<hr/> \$659 100	<hr/> \$81 300	<hr/> 14.1 %
74.13%	75.05%		
<u>\$428 300</u>	<u>\$494 700</u>	<u>\$66 400</u>	<u>15.5 %</u>

include provision for the new school at Reservoir Road. The new school cost details will be explained and necessary bonding sought at a later date.

It appears to the Finance Committee that this increase is considerably beyond any "rules of thumb" at our disposal. In other words the amount of increase is not in proportion to increase in enrollment, the "normal" cost of living indices, etc.

Major areas of increase are—

Teaching supplies, books, teaching aids, etc.	\$ 13,000
Additional teachers	40,500
Increase in salaries	35,500*
All other expense items	11,100
Decrease in receipts	12,000
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	<u>\$112,100</u>

*Includes increase in teacher salary scale. Lowest base proposed is \$5,300 per year.

Hanover resident pupils are estimated to increase 6.7 percent, from 1,345 to 1,435.

There are indeed many, many facets to operating a good school system. The Finance Committee has met with the Budget Committees of the School Boards and finds it very easy to justify line by line their financial requests. There is much evidence that the Boards spend many thoughtful hours in discussing real needs versus ideal needs, then drafting and revising their financial estimates before the final budget receives their approval.

Our teacher salary scale is in the top quarter of New England teacher salary levels, and our per pupil cost does exceed the national average.

We understand the end result of all this effort is a good school system.

The Finance Committee finds itself in the position of not being able to overwhelmingly approve of the School Boards' budget requests, but neither can the Committee overwhelming-

ly disapprove. We do believe this \$112,000 or 14 percent increase over last year to be somewhat out of line, but we are not so sure it is out of line for the quality system evidently sought by the Hanover parent.

It appears that the voters can best be our guide via their thoughtful questioning of the School Boards at the annual meeting or at Finance Committee public hearings.

Respectfully submitted,

HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE

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James D. Wilson

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Morris H. Hayes
Niles A. Lacoss

*Also Members Board of Health

**Deceased

†Term expires 1966

**WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Grafton, SS.

Town of Hanover

To the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover, in the County of Grafton and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Auditorium of the High School in Hanover on March 8, 1966 at 11 a.m., to act upon the following subjects. (The only business to be transacted from 11 a.m. till 7:30 p.m. will be voting by ballot under Article FIRST and Article SECOND. Voting may be temporarily suspended at 7:30 p.m. during the consideration of the remaining articles of the Warrant and will be resumed for at least one half hour after the consideration of the last Article in the Warrant, or until 10:30 p.m., whichever is later.)

FIRST: To choose by Non-Partisan Ballot, the following Town Officers:

- Two Selectmen, to serve for a term of three years
- One Town Clerk, to serve for a term of one year
- One Treasurer, to serve for a term of one year
- One Trustee of the Trust Funds, to serve for a term of three years
- One Library Trustee, to serve for a term of three years
- One Library Trustee to serve for a term of one year

SECOND: To vote by written ballot on the question of whether the amendment to the zoning ordinance comprised of four sections, as proposed by the Planning Board, be adopted for this Town. (A copy of the proposed amendment was published in the Valley News on February 15, 1966 and in the Hanover Gazette on February 17, 1966, and is attached to each posted copy of this warrant.)

THIRD: To elect by majority vote, the following Town Officers:

- Two Auditors

One Member of the Advisory Assessors Board for
three years

Three Fence Viewers

Two Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

Other Necessary Town Officers

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

FIFTH: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Hanover Information Booth for the summer of 1966.

SIXTH: To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Lebanon Regional Airport Authority.

SEVENTH: To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Upper Valley Development Council.

EIGHTH: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

NINTH: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the unexpended balance of the previous appropriations, (a) for sewer expenses of \$12,956.69 and place the same in a capital reserve fund for the improvement of sewage facilities and (b) for sidewalks of \$14,341.66 and place the same in a capital reserve fund for the improvement of sidewalks.

TENTH: *A.* To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of RSA Chapter 36-A and to establish pursuant thereto, a conservation commission to consist of three (3) members, to be appointed by the Selectmen for the promotion and development of the natural resources and for the protection of the watershed resources of the Town.

B. To see what sum of money, not exceeding \$2,000, the Town will vote to appropriate for the use of the con-

servation commission and for the acquisition of property in accordance with RSA Chapter 36-A; and to see what portion thereof shall be placed in capital reserve for such use in future years.

ELEVENTH: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary to meet the Town's obligations until the taxes are collected and paid into the Treasury.

TWELFTH: To see if the Town will vote to convey to Sidney Lees and Marjorie B. Lees a certain unused portion of Dunster Road in exchange for a conveyance from the Lees of a portion of their land now required for highway purposes, in accordance with a plan on file in the Selectmen's office.

THIRTEENTH: To transact any other business that legally may be brought before said meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Town of Hanover, this 16th day of February, 1966.

DAVID J. BRADLEY
LEWIS J. BRESSETT
DONALD W. CAMERON
KENNETH A. LECLAIR
DAVID C. NUTT
Selectmen

A true copy of Warrant, Attest:

DAVID J. BRADLEY
LEWIS J. BRESSETT
DONALD W. CAMERON
KENNETH A. LECLAIR
DAVID C. NUTT
Selectmen

SUMMARY OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

REVENUE	1965
Non-Real Estate Taxes	29 004 76
State	104 522 97
Local Sources:	
Motor Vehicle Permits	49 416 90
Dividends & Hydrant Rents	7 753 92
District Court	8 401 27
Nursing Service	2 296 30
Cemeteries	4 021 20
Sewer Rents	53 825 14
Sub-Total	259 242 46
Real Estate Taxes	
School	789 507 45
County	69 564 63
Town	321 137 05
	1 180 209 13
Tax Anticipation Notes & Treasury Bills	1 735 000 00
Other	126 773 10
Total Receipts	3 301 224 69
Cash Balance, January 1, 1965	87 556 86
	3 388 781 55

SUMMARY OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

EXPENDITURES	1965
Current Operating Expense	
General Government	39 009 57
Police Department	45 330 25
Fire Department	80 220 65
Town Buildings	16 650 35
Health & Sanitation	9 551 46
Sewage System	82 962 75
Highway Department	153 875 06
Superintendent of Public Works	4 539 91
Street Lighting	13 439 11
Care of Trees	9 089 62
Sidewalks	4 142 35
Libraries	9 082 02
Public Welfare	11 774 77
Cemeteries	15 603 73
Social Security	4 942 08
Health Insurance	7 029 67
Interest Paid	14 056 02
	521 299 37
Other Expenditures	
Principal Payments on Indebtedness	727 252 33
Service Accounts	17 953 79
Unclassified	10 534 03
U. S. Treasury Bills	944 347 71
Sewer Construction	27 000 00
Advertising & Regional Associations	7 296 00
Payments to Other Government Divisions	911 776 76
Off-Street Parking Facilities	30 559 73
Transportation Study	2 500 00
To Capital Reserve	
Reappraisal	10 000 00
1964 Surplus of Special Areas	41 671 24
	51 671 24
From Capital Reserve	20 882 72
	3 273 073 68
Total Expenditures	3 273 073 68
Cash Balance, December 31, 1965	115 707 87
	3 388 781 55

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

REVENUE

	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
OTHER TAXES		
Previous Years		10 331 84
Interest	100	264 13
Poll Taxes	4 300	3 926 00
National Bank Stock	1 100	1 080 20
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax (Yield Tax)	150	347 79
Head Taxes	1 000	12 971 00
 FROM STATE		
Interest & Dividends Tax	70 000	75 532 25
Town Road Aid	8 600	3 505 55
Precinct Road Aid	3 010	3 010 00
Railroad Tax	175	205 62
Savings Bank Tax	4 000	4 699 81
Bounties		4 50
 LOCAL SOURCES		
Motor Vehicle Permits	45 000	49 416 90
Town Clerk's Fees	3 000	2 542 30
Business Licenses	800	828 00
Tax Sales		
Tax Sales Redeemed		1 377 88
Bicycle Registrations	100	48 50
Trust Funds	2 000	2 220 03
Sale of Scrap & Old Equipment		447 75
Miscellaneous		160 80
Maps		133 00
Refunds & Abatements		
Adelaide S. Hardy Estate (Cemetery Trust)		2 000 00
 DIVIDENDS AND HYDRANT RENTAL		
Hanover Water Works Co. (Dividend)	4 400	4 392 00
College Hydrant Rental	3 100	3 041 72
Hospital Hydrant Rental	300	320 20

HYDRANT RENTAL—HANOVER WATER WORKS CO.

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

EXPENDITURES			
Proposed Budget 1966	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	Proposed Budget 1966
100			
4 000			
1 100			
150		106 02	100
11 100		11 528 50	10 000
78 000			
10 440	10 000	4 878 66	12 000
3 010			
175			
4 500		5 50	
49 000			
3 000			
800		1 088 23	
100			
2 000			
		133 00	
		153 53	
		2 000 00	
4 400			
3 100			
300			
	25 000	25 454 13	26 000

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

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REVENUE

	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
RENTALS AND EXPENDITURES—		
TOWN BUILDINGS		
Municipal Building (Rental Income)	660	660 00
Services and Supplies		
Insurance		
Repairs & Improvements		
Fuel & Electricity		
Town Garage #1		
Insurance		
Repairs & Improvements		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
Town Garage #2		
Insurance		
Repairs & Improvements		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
Etna Fire Station		
Insurance		
Repairs & Improvements		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
Libraries		
Etna		
Howe		
Gould Farm (Rental Income)	600	200 00
Expenses		
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS		
Salary		
Social Security		
Office Expense		
Transportation		

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

Proposed Budget 1966	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1966
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	
660	6 500	6 308 10	3 500
	600	552 97	600
	2 000	2 484 44	2 000
	2 000	2 519 25	2 500
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	11 100	11 864 76	8 600
	450	444 93	450
	100	138 45	100
	1 800	1 261 42	1 800
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	2 350	1 844 80	2 350
	250	104 67	150
	100	551 42	100
	900	551 86	700
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	1 250	1 207 95	950
	150	159 60	180
	300	565 18	800
	600	763 17	900
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	1 050	1 487 95	1 880
	1 000	882 02	1 000
	8 200	8 200 00	6 500
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	9 200	9 082 02	7 500
600	600	244 89	600
	7 500	3 387 84	8 760
	3 000	188 18	360
	750	963 89	3 000
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	11 250	4 539 91	750
			12 870

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

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	REVENUE	
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
GENERAL GOVERNMENT		
Administration—Salaries & Expenses		
Social Security & Health Insurance		
Selectmen's Office Expense		
Town Clerk's Office Expense		
Bond & Insurance		
Building Inspector	1 000	2 788 26
Zoning Board		
Planning Board		
Finance Committee		
Legal		
Election Expense		
Patriotic Expense		
Miscellaneous		
New Hampshire Municipal Association		
SOCIAL SECURITY		
HEALTH INSURANCE		
MUNICIPAL COURT		
Parking Fines—Income	3 000	3 919 78
Other Fines	3 500	4 481 49
Salaries		
DOGS		
Licenses	1 250	1 454 45
Constable		
Expenses		
POLICE DEPARTMENT		
Regular Services		
Social Security & Health Insurance		
Special Services		
Insurance		
Transportation		
Office Expense		
Uniforms		
Training Schools & Meetings		
Miscellaneous		

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

Proposed Budget 1966	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1966
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	
	28 100	26 057 43	30 375
			2 185
	4 700	4 668 21	5 500
	2 100	2 023 67	2 280
	600	597 80	650
1 000	1 000	658 00	1 000
	500	715 27	800
	1 000	936 56	1 200
	250	65 64	250
	800	282 00	800
	500	301 34	500
	150	178 05	200
	300	125 60	300
	200	196 00	200
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	40 200	36 805 57	46 240
	5 500	4 942 08	
	7 500	7 029 67	
3 000			
3 500			
	2 400	2 400 00	2 400
1 400			
	50	50 00	50
	200	97 14	200
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	250	147 14	250
	33 620	31 359 88	34 910
			1 300
	2 500	2 700 25	2 800
	1 500	1 148 19	1 500
	2 000	1 541 01	2 000
	1 000	1 116 24	1 500
	1 800	1 775 76	1 800
	400	284 83	400
	400	405 21	500
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	43 220	40 331 37	46 710

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

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REVENUE

	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
Capital Reserve		
New Equipment		

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Services
Social Security & Health Insurance
Secretarial Services
Equipment Maintenance
Alarm System Maintenance
Supplies
Insurance & Telephone
Training Schools & Meetings
Miscellaneous

New Equipment
Capital Reserve

FOREST FIRE ACCOUNT

HEALTH & SANITATION

Services
Dump
Vital Statistics 492 25

Town Nurse
Nursing Services—Income 1 500 2 296 30
Salaries
Social Security & Health Insurance
Supplies & Equipment
Transportation
Uniforms
Telephone
Other
Medicare Provision

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

Proposed Budget 1966	EXPENDITURES		
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	Proposed Budget 1966
	1 500	1 500 00	3 000
	3 300	3 498 88	
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	48 020	45 330 25	49 710
	36 300	35 097 98	52 410
	200	139 39	1 850
	2 600	3 662 36	220
	300	1 361 05	4 000
	650	1 012 16	440
	3 750	3 481 98	800
	1 000	799 98	4 000
	400	430 34	1 000
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	45 200	45 985 24	500
	5 000	4 311 76	65 220
	4 000	4 000 00	5 000
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	54 200	54 297 00	4 000
	650	469 52	74 220
	300	300 00	300
	3 000	3 020 10	3 000
	600	492 25	600
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	3 900	3 812 35	3 900
2 000	5 000	4 855 03	5 500
	125	170 18	480
	700	564 20	175
	75	60 49	700
	60	57 71	75
	110	31 50	60
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	6 070	5 739 11	150
			500
			<hr/>
			7 640

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

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	REVENUE	
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
WELFARE		
Old Age Assistance		
State Refund		1 063 24
Town Welfare		
Hospitalization		
Medical Expense		
CEMETERIES		
Income	5 000	4 021 20
Salaries		
Social Security & Health Insurance		
General Maintenance		
Supplies		
Truck Expense		
Mowers & Small Equipment Expense		
Insurance		
Capital Reserve		
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT		
Ordinary Maintenance		
Social Security & Health Insurance		
New Streets & Drains		
Bridges		
Oiling & Hot Mix Materials		
Snow Removal		
Equipment Maintenance		
Supplies		
Insurance		
Traffic Signs & Street Markings		
Capital Reserve		

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

Proposed Budget 1966	EXPENDITURES		
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	Proposed Budget 1966
	5 500	4 688 54	7 200
	6 500	5 432 50	6 800
	2 500	1 648 73	2 500
	500	5 00	500
	<u>15 000</u>	<u>11 774 77</u>	<u>17 000</u>
5 000	11 000	10 631 75	11 200
	800	941 22	2 800
	600	888 19	800
	400	415 91	600
	500	492 47	300
	400	234 19	300
	<u>13 700</u>	<u>13 603 73</u>	<u>16 600</u>
	2 000	2 000 00	3 000
	<u>15 700</u>	<u>15 603 73</u>	<u>19 600</u>
	59 000	57 114 66	63 000
	6 000	7 015 25	6 000
	10 000	6 909 30	10 000
	15 000	13 467 24	20 000
	27 000	27 800 29	27 000
	10 000	6 176 59	10 000
	10 000	10 676 28	10 000
	7 500	5 166 14	7 500
	1 000	2 670 65	1 000
	<u>145 500</u>	<u>136 996 40</u>	<u>160 500</u>
	12 000	12 000 00	25 000
	<u>157 500</u>	<u>148 996 40</u>	<u>185 500</u>

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

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REVENUE

	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
SPECIAL PROJECT—ROAD CONSTRUCTION		
SEWERAGE SYSTEM		
Treatment Plant		
Principal & Interest		
Operators		
Social Security & Health Insurance		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
Chemicals		
Supplies, Maintenance & Improvements		
Transportation		
Insurance		
New Equipment		
Interceptor & Service Lines		
Maintenance		
New Construction		7 596 07*
Sewer Connections		1 700 00
Reimbursements		
Sewer Rentals	50 300	53 825 14
State Grant	16 500	16 502 00
SIDEWALKS		
STREET LIGHTING		
CIVIL DEFENSE		
CARE OF TREES		
Pine Blister Rust		

*Withdrawn from 1964 Capital Reserve

**To be withdrawn from 1965 Capital Reserve

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

Proposed Budget 1966	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1966 25 000
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	
	14 230	14 228 00	8 550
	10 700	10 933 81	12 020
			1 000
	6 000	5 080 85	6 700
	4 000	3 704 73	6 900
	2 500	2 024 36	4 000
	2 500	1 034 38	1 500
	1 400	1 509 39	1 400
	2 500	2 322 61	500
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	43 830	40 838 13	42 570
	7 500	5 281 55	7 500
7 000**	10 000	19 296 07	20 000
	2 000	1 045 00	2 000
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	19 500	25 622 62	29 500
52 345	16 500	16 502 00	21 600
21 600	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
	79 830	82 962 75	93 670
	15 000	4 142 35	10 000
	13 500	13 439 11	14 000
	1 500	1 343 60	1 500
	8 800	8 789 87	10 000
	300	299 75	300
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	9 100	9 089 62	10 300

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND
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	REVENUE	
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
INTEREST		
Temporary Notes		
Bonds and Notes		
TOTAL CURRENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES	234 445	283 807 95
REIMBURSABLE SERVICES & EXPENSES OF TOWN		
Accounts Receivable—1965		16 085 89
1964	1 265	816 24
Balance to be Collected		
INDEBTEDNESS		
Temporary Notes		700 00 00
Bonds and Notes		
REAPPRAISAL OF TAXABLE PROPERTY		
SPECIAL PROJECT—HYDRANT CONSTRUCTION		
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS		
Information Booth		
Lebanon Regional Airport Authority		
Upper Valley Development Council		1 200 00
Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region Association		
Transportation Study		
		1 200 00
PARKING METER ACCOUNT		5 663 03
U. S. TREASURY BILLS		1 019 548 92
Interest		15 451 08

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

Proposed Budget 1966	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1966
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	
	1 000	11 793 75	1 000
	2 250	2 262 27	1 430
	<u>3 250</u>	<u>14 056 02</u>	<u>2 430</u>
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273 380	550 870	538 000 89	646 510
1 865		16 085 89	
385		1 867 90	
		700 000 00	
	27 260	<u>27 252 33</u>	27 260
		727 252 33	
	10 000	10 000 00	5 000
			2 200
	600	600 00	
	2 500	2 500 00	
	2 300	3 500 00	
	500	500 00	
	<u>2 500</u>	<u>2 500 00</u>	
	8 400	9 600 00	
		5 663 03	
		944 347 71	

COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND
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	REVENUE	
	Budget 1965	Actual 1965
CAPITAL RESERVE		
Cemetery Department		3 723 26
Highway Department		12 718 40
Etna Garage Fire Loss Account		4 441 06
		20 882 72
 OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES		 30 559 73
 PROPERTY TAXES		
School—1965		789 507 45
School—1964		
County		69 564 63
Town	326 050	321 137 05
		1 180 209 13
 SEWER CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT		 27 000 00
 CAPITAL RESERVE		
1964 Unexpended Special Area Appropriations		
 CASH BALANCE	 34 770	 87 556 86
	596 530	3 388 781 55

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1965

		EXPENDITURES	
Proposed Budget 1966	Budget 1965	Actual 1965	Proposed Budget 1966
		3 723 26	
		12 718 40	
		4 441 06	
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		20 882 72	
		30 559 73	
		498 000 00	
		332 577 61	
		69 564 63	
356 357			
		27 000 00	
		41 671 24	
48 983		115 707 87	
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680 970	596 530	3 388 781 55	680 970

SURPLUS ACCOUNT

Bank Balance, December 31, 1965		115 707 87
Invested in Treasury Bills		246 794 22
		362 502 09
1965 Appropriation Due School	291 507 45	
1965 Taxes Due State:		
Head Tax	1 302 50	
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax (Yield Tax)	88 09	
Unexpended Special Area Appropriations:		
Sidewalk	10 857 65	
Sewage System:		
Raised by Sewer Area	1 495 94	
Raised by Sewer Rentals	8 267 14	9 763 08
		313 518 77
Cash Surplus		48 983 32

FIRE SERVICE AREA BUDGET FOR 1966

Expenditures:		
Hydrant Rental		26 000 00
Etna Fire Station		1 880 00
Fire Department		74 220 00
Forest Fire Account		300 00
Municipal Building Operation (50% of Fuel, Utilities & Insurance)		1 550 00
Special Project—Hydrant Construction		2 200 00
		106 150 00
Less Revenue:		
College Hydrant Rental	3 100 00	
Hospital Hydrant Rental	300 00	
		3 400 00
To be raised by Fire Area		102 750 00

PROPOSED SEWER BUDGET FOR 1966

To be raised by Sewer Area		
Treatment Plant		8 550 00
Operators		12 020 00
Social Security & Health Insurance		1 000 00
Fuel & Utilities		6 700 00
Chemicals		6 900 00
Supplies, Maintenance & Improvements		4 000 00
Transportation		1 500 00
Insurance		1 400 00
New Equipment		500 00
Superintendent of Public Works		2 200 00
		44 770 00
50% of 44 770 00 =		22 385 00
To be raised by Sewer Rentals		
50% (44 770 00)		22 385 00
Interceptor & Service Lines		
Maintenance		7 500 00
New Construction	20 000 00	
Less Capital Reserve	7 000 00	13 000 00
Reimbursements		2 000 00
Existing Sewer Debt		8 560 00
Superintendent of Public Works		1 400 00
		54 845 00

SIDEWALK SERVICE AREA BUDGET FOR 1966

Expenditures:		
Sidewalks		10 000 00
Superintendent of Public Works		1 300 00
		11 300 00
To be raised by Sidewalk Area		

1965 TAX RATES

Unit of Government	Total Appropriation	Revenue or Credit
Town	420 800	206 477 ^b
County	69 565	
Hanover School	517 603	152 955
Dresden School	465 187 ^a	40 328 ^a
	1 473 155	399 760

Fire Area #1
 Fire Area #2
 Fire Area #3
 Fire Area #4

Total Fire

Sidewalk

Sewer Area #1
 Sewer Area #2

Total Sewer

GRAND TOTAL

Notes:

**Includes overlay of \$2811 which applies to Town, County, and School Appropriations.

*Includes overlay: Fire \$100. SDW \$50., Sewer \$80.

^aIncludes only Hanover's share (74.13%) of Dresden budget.

^bIncludes \$34,770 cash surplus from 1964.

To be raised by Taxes	Net Valuation	Tax Rate
217 134**	35 227 697	6 16
69 565		1 98
364 648		10 35
424 859 ^a		12 06
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1 076 206		30 55
1 196*	2 440 280	49
2 040*	2 081 390	98
1 021*	523 650	1 95
73 343*	30 182 377	2 43
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77 600*	35 227 697	
15 050*	25 084 092	60
1 681*	5 093 017	33
20 313*	24 474 350	83
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21 995*	29 567 367	
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<u>1 190 851</u>		

ASSESSMENT STATISTICS
1965

Land and Buildings	33 547 075	
Factory Buildings and Land	90 000	
Factory Machinery	33 060	
Electric Company	934 082	
Stock-in-Trade of Merchants	679 400	
Stock-in-Trade of Manufacturers	15 840	
Boats and Launches	9 065	
Cows (123)	10 650	
Other Cattle (68)	4 160	
Poultry (2327)	1 125	
Gas Pumps and Tanks	17 150	
Road Building and Construction Machinery	67 885	
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Total Valuation	35 409 492	
Veterans' Exemptions	173 000	
Neat Stock Exemptions	8 200	
Poultry Exemptions	595	181 795
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Net Valuation		35 227 697
Total Number of Polls listed at \$2.00		2 150

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash Balance, December 31, 1965		115 707 87
Uncollected Taxes		
Prior Years	8 00	
1965	10 546 02	
Head Taxes		
Prior Years	30 00	
1965	1 185 00	
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		11 769 02
Unredeemed Taxes		236 11
Accounts Receivable—1964		388 79
—1965		1 867 90
Sewer Rentals Due		1 929 25
Capital Reserve		82 448 36
U. S. Treasury Obligations		246 794 22
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		461 141 52
Excess of Liabilities Over Assets		107 587 09
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		568 728 61
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Liabilities

1964 Taxes Due State		
Head Taxes	1 302 50	
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax (Yield Tax)	88 09	
Uncollected Head Taxes	1 215 00	
Balance Due Schools	291 507 45	
Bonds & Notes Outstanding (Schedule B)	192 167 21	
Capital Reserve	82 448 36	
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		568 728 61
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SCHEDULE A
Materials and Supplies

Salt	350 00
Sewer and Storm Drain Materials	2 168 32
Gasoline and Diesel Fuel	1 331 50
Lubricants	294 50
Miscellaneous Supplies	3 774 10
	7 918 42

SCHEDULE B
Bonds and Notes Outstanding

F. W. Horne Company		
Highway Construction Bonds—		
Lebanon Street		6 000 00
First National Bank of Boston		
Sewage Treatment Facilities	350 000 00	
State Grant	250 000 00	
		100 000 00
Dartmouth National Bank		
Fire Alarm Rehabilitation & Water		
Co. Stock		10 400 00
Sewer Purchases		8 294 00
Lebanon Regional Airport		21 900 02
Off-Street Parking Facilities		45 573 19
		192 167 21

SCHEDULE C
Fire Department Equipment

	Depreciated Value
Engine #1—1948 Maxim Pumper	3 000 00
Engine #2—1951 Maxim Pumper	4 450 00
Pump #1—1956 International Maxim Pumper	6 700 00
Pump #2—1956 International Maxim Pumper	6 700 00
Ladder #1—1952 Maxim Aerial Ladder	9 500 00
Chief Car—1963 Chevrolet Station Wagon	1 800 00
Rescue #1—1949 Chevrolet Combination	800 00
Rescue #2—1942 Panel, 4-Wheel Drive	100 00
Tanker—1930 Ford	10 00
Willys Pump No. 3	2 200 00

Equipment (Hose, Tools, Air Paks and Small Appliances)	38 280 00
Fire Alarm System, Controls and Related Equipment	17 000 00
Boat, Trailer, Motor	280 00
Base Radio and Alerting Units	8 600 00
Total	99 420 00

SCHEDULE D
Highway Department Equipment

	Depreciated Value
1961 Bobcat Sidewalk Plow	1 850 00
1952 Elgin Sweeper	2 750 00
1964 Hough H60 Payloader with Plow	18 550 00
1965 Hough H30 Payloader with Backhoe	18 250 00
1957 P & H Shovel with Backhoe	11 650 00
1952 Austin Western Grader	4 150 00
1947 Austin Western Grader with Plow	2 950 00
1952 Sicard Snow Loader	4 150 00
1957 International Truck No. 1	1 520 00
1955 GMC Truck No. 2	1 220 00
1960 Rambler Station Wagon No. 3	640 00
1965 International 4 x 4 Pickup with Plow No. 4	2 510 00
1962 International Truck No. 5	3 010 00
1936 Chevrolet Truck No. 6	45 00
1965 International Truck No. 7	2 740 00
1950 Willys Pickup No. 8	330 00
1958 International Truck No. 9	1 520 00
1964 Ford Truck No. 11	2 450 00
1964 Ford Truck No. 12	3 020 00
1954 International Truck No. 14	650 00
1956 International Truck No. 15	1 270 00
1958 International Truck No. 16	1 690 00
1957 Oliver Crawler Tractor	1 290 00
1951 Ford Garden Tractor	410 00
5 Truck Plows	1 900 00
4 Sidewalk Plows	510 00
1 Road Rake	260 00
1 Pump	130 00
1 Conant Loader	75 00
1 Set Sewer Rods with Trailer	630 00
1 Ford Mowing Machine	45 00
1 Air Compressor	270 00
1 Paint Stripping Machine	420 00
Small Equipment and Shop Tools	7 200 00
	100 055 00

SCHEDULE E
Police Department

	Depreciated Value
5 Pair Peerless Handcuffs	50 00
1 Reising Machine Gun	50 00
1 Riot Shot Gun	50 00
6 Colt Police Service Revolvers	120 00
2 1965 Ford Sedan Cruisers	3 400 00
1 Royal Typewriter	80 00
2 Gas Lanterns	5 00
1 General Electric Base Radio Receiver and Transmitter	600 00
2 Motorola Mobile Two-Way Radios	1 000 00
1 Motorola Receiver	25 00
1 Aerotron Portable Two Way Radio	150 00
1 Motorola Portable Handi-Talkie Radio	25 00
1 Motorola Monitor Radio	25 00
1 Camera	75 00
1 Pair Binoculars	20 00
1 Speed Timing Meter	200 00
Uniforms	1 000 00
	6 885 00

SCHEDULE F
Sewer Department Equipment

	Depreciated Value
1964 Ford Truck	3 020 00
1958 International Pickup	740 00
Mid-Land Mid Whirl Pump and Trailer	1 550 00
Auxiliary Generator	5 430 00
P. H. Meter	330 00
Small Tools and Equipment	3 640 00
	14 710 00

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Land and Buildings	
Municipal Building	62 000 00
Sand Shed and Land	7 500 00
Gould Farm	4 000 00
Gravel Bank, Reed	1 000 00
Sand Bank, Record Farm	2 700 00
Gile Land	3 300 00
Pine Knolls Cemetery	14 000 00
Storehouse	5 000 00
Other Cemeteries	2 000 00
Tool Shed, Dartmouth Cemetery	5 000 00
Library Building, Etna	5 000 00
Books and Equipment	4 000 00
Land, Etna	5 000 00
Adams Farm	500 00
Old Etna Fire Station	750 00
New Etna Fire Station	15 800 00
Town Garage #1	50 000 00
Town Garage #2	14 000 00
Parking Meters	6 109 00
Municipal Parking Lots	
#1	47 855 00
#2	26 000 00
#4	14 428 00
#5	4 323 00
Fairfield Garages	30 000 00
Materials and Supplies (Schedule A)	7 918 42
Furniture and Equipment	
Municipal Building Equipment	2 500 00
Fire Department (Schedule C)	99 420 00
Highway Department (Schedule D)	100 055 00
Police Department (Schedule E)	6 885 00
Sewer Department (Schedule F)	14 710 00
Sewage System	
Interceptor and Service Lines	223 688 07
Treatment Facilities	750 000 00
Hanover Water Works Company Stock	73 200 00
Mink Brook Park	1 500 00
Maude French Land	2 000 00
	1 612 141 49

SUMMARY OF TOWN CLERK'S ACCOUNT
Year Ending December 31, 1965

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:

1964-1965	200085-200215	908 78
1965-1966	445846-449338	47 846 43
1966-1967	445801-445845	758 50

49 513 71

Dog Licenses Issued:

1964-1965	9 Licenses	6 15
1965-1966	591 Licenses	1 400 80
1965-1966	3 Kennel Licenses	49 50

1 456 45

Fees to Town:

Town Clerk's Fees	2 456 50
Vital Statistics	492 25
Filing Fees	6 00
Tax Fees—1964 Levy	83 80
Parking Fines	3 919 78
Liquor Majority Cards	2 00
	<u>6 960 33</u>

OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR

December 31, 1965

DEBIT

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Total
Property Tax					9 771 10	1 190 850 81	1 200 621 91
Poll Tax		2 00	2 00	2 00	380 00	4 452 00	4 838 00
Bank Stock						1 080 20	1 080 20
Yield Tax	106 37	190 65	214 29	8 25	91 84	347 79	959 19
Additions:							
Property Tax						114 36	114 36
Poll Tax			3 47	10 00	102 00	70 00	182 00
Interest				2 45	95 15	50 63	151 70
	106 37	192 65	219 76	22 70	10 440 09	1 196 965 79	1 207 947 36

CREDIT

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Total
Property Tax Pd. Treas.					9 771 10	1 180 209 13	1 189 980 23
Poll Tax Paid Treasurer				10 00	370 00	3 926 00	4 306 00
Bank Stock Paid Treasurer						1 080 20	1 080 20
Yield Tax Paid Treasurer			80 65	8 25	91 84	347 79	528 53
Interest Paid Treasurer			3 47	2 45	95 15	50 63	151 70
Abatements:							
Poll Tax					110 00	158 00	268 00
Property Tax						648 02	648 02
Yield Tax	106 37	190 65	133 64				430 66
Uncollected:							
Property Tax		2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	10 108 02	10 108 02
Poll Tax						438 00	446 00
	106 37	192 65	219 76	22 70	10 440 09	1 196 965 79	1 207 947 36

OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR

December 31, 1965

SUMMARY OF WARRANT—STATE HEAD TAX

—DR.—

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Total
Original Warrant						13 280 00	13 280 00
Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1965	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	1 010 00		1 030 00
Added Taxes				25 00	225 00	165 00	415 00
Penalties				2 50	96 50	62 00	161 00
Totals	5 00	5 00	5 00	32 50	1 331 50	13 507 00	14 886 00

—CR.—

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	Total
<i>Remittances to Treasurer:</i>							
Head Taxes				25 00	965 00	11 820 00	12 810 00
Penalties				2 50	96 50	62 00	161 00
Abatements during 1965					260 00	440 00	700 00
Uncollected Head Taxes	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	1 185 00	1 215 00
Totals	5 00	5 00	5 00	32 50	1 331 50	13 507 00	14 886 00

OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS—AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1965

—DR.—

	<i>Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:</i>		
	1964	1963	Previous Years
(a) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	1 098 23		
(b) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes—January 1, 1965		299 88	215 88
Interest Collected After Sale	20 36	24 40	34 01
Redemption Costs	18 70	7 48	7 48
 TOTAL DEBITS	 <u>1 137 29</u>	 <u>331 76</u>	 <u>257 37</u>

—CR.—

Remittances to Treasurer During Year	1 009 19	223 75	257 37
Abatements—During Year Deeded to Town—During Year Unredeemed Taxes—At Close of Year	 128 10	 108 01	 <u>257 37</u>
 TOTAL CREDITS	 <u>1 137 29</u>	 <u>331 76</u>	 <u>257 37</u>

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

COMMON TRUST FUND

PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT

	January 1, 1965	Additions During Year	Decrease During Year	December 31, 1965
For Support of Schools	6 522 58	130 00		6 652 58
For Support of Poor	200 00			200 00
For Care of Cemetery Lots	42 002 33	2 894 79		44 897 12
For Library	1 300 00			1 300 00
	<u>50 024 91</u>	<u>3 024 79</u>		<u>53 049 70</u>

INVESTED AS FOLLOWS

Dartmouth Savings Bank, Hanover, N. H. Account No. 14266	33 049 70
U. S. Treasury Bonds 2½% 1967-72, at face value	20 000 00
	<u>53 049 70</u>

INCOME ACCOUNT

	January 1, 1965	Income	Paid Town Treasurer	December 31, 1965
For Support of Schools		239 94	239 94	
For Support of Poor		7 22	7 22	
For Care of Cemetery Lots	168 29	1 547 17	1 547 17	168 29
For Library Adelaide S. Hardy Est.		46 88 110 00	156 88	
	<u>168 29</u>	<u>1 951 21</u>	<u>1 951 21</u>	<u>168 29</u>

Balance of Income on hand \$168.29 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 14266, making total of that amount \$33 217 99.

TOWN OF HANOVER

TOWN FOREST, PARK AND RECREATIONAL RESERVE FUND

	January 1, 1965	Additions During Year	Decrease During Year	December 31, 1965
Principal	363 00			363 00
Interest added to Principal	75 18	18 79		93 97
	<u>438 18</u>	<u>18 79</u>		<u>456 97</u>

Balance of \$456.97 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 43283

CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNTS

HIGHWAY DEPT.

	1, 1965	Year	Year	31, 1965
Principal	6 000 00	23 992 05	12 718 40	17 273 65
Interest added to Principal	214 30	1 123 79		1 338 09
	<u>6 214 30</u>	<u>25 115 84</u>	<u>12 718 40</u>	<u>18 611 74</u>

Balance of \$18,611.74 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 38421

VILLAGE HIGHWAY DEPT.

Principal	11 567 57	12 000 00	23 567 57
Interest added to Principal	424 48		424 48
	<u>11 992 05</u>	<u>12 000 00</u>	<u>23 992 05</u>

POLICE DEPT.

Principal	1 410 76	1 500 00	2 910 76
Interest added to Principal	119 33	108 43	227 76
	<u>1 530 09</u>	<u>1 608 43</u>	<u>3 138 52</u>

Balance of \$3,138.52 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49464

FIRE DEPT.

	January 1, 1965	Additions During Year	Decrease During Year	December 31, 1965
Principal	11 369 57	4 000 00		15 369 57
Interest added to Principal	384 45	618 78		1 003 23
	<u>11 754 02</u>	<u>4 618 78</u>		<u>16 372 80</u>

Balance of \$16,372.80 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49465

CEMETERY EXPANSION FUND

Principal	4 770 25	2 000 00	3 723 26	3 046 99
Interest added to Principal	187 43	269 88		457 31
	<u>4 957 68</u>	<u>2 269 88</u>	<u>3 723 26</u>	<u>3 504 30</u>

Balance of \$3,504.30 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49491

SEWERAGE TREATMENT FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT

Principal	10 490 88	7 596 07	2 894 81
Interest added to Principal	298 80		298 80
	<u>10 789 68</u>	<u>7 596 07</u>	<u>3 193 61</u>

Balance of \$3,193.61 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 50889

SEWER SYSTEM ADVANCE

Principal	19 697 00		19 697 00
Interest added to Principal	561 03		561 03
	<u>20 258 03</u>		<u>20 258 03</u>

Balance of \$20,258.03 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 50890

SIDEWALKS

Principal	3 387 54		3 387 54
Interest added to Principal	96 47		96 47
	<u>3 484 01</u>		<u>3 484 01</u>

Balance of \$3,484.01 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 50891

ETNA GARAGE FIRE LOSS

	January 1, 1965	Additions During Year	Decrease During Year	December 31, 1965
Principal		8 095 82	4 441 06	3 654 76
Interest added to Principal		230 59		230 59
		<u>8 326 41</u>	<u>4 441 06</u>	<u>3 885 35</u>

Balance of \$3,885.35 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 50892

REAPPRAISAL ACCOUNT

Principal		<u>10 000 00</u>		<u>10 000 00</u>
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Balance of \$10,000.00 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 51873

RICHARD WARREN SAWYER TRUST

Principal	8 238 41			8 238 41
Interest added to Principal	<u>1 346 67</u>	411 67		<u>1 758 34</u>
	<u>9 585 08</u>	<u>411 67</u>		<u>9 996 75</u>

Balance of \$9,996.75 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 43947

HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT

Principal	3 000 00			3 000 00
Interest added to Principal	<u>60 94</u>	127 82		<u>188 76</u>
	<u>3 060 94</u>	<u>127 82</u>		<u>3 188 76</u>

Balance of \$3,188.76 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 48741

Respectfully submitted

CHARLOTTE M. BIELANOWSKI

PETER LIHATSH

MAX A. NORTON

Trustees of Trust Funds

PARKING METER ACCOUNT

Cash on hand, January 1, 1965		376 92
<i>Receipts</i>		
Parking Lot #1—Nugget Theatre	1 552 50	
Parking Lot #2—Municipal Building	2 282 00	
Parking Lot #4—Blizard Lot	548 00	
Parking Lot #5—So. College St.	1 017 50	
Parking Lot #1 Meters	1 297 67	
Parking Lot #2 Meters	1 474 71	
Parking Meters	16 133 18	
Fairfield Garages	434 00	
		24 739 56
		25 116 48
 <i>Disbursements</i>		
Meter Maid, Parts & Maintenance	5 923 04	
Off-Street Parking Facilities		
Notes—Dartmouth National Bank	12 896 80	
Interest—Dartmouth National Bank	806 85	
Hanover Improvement Society	5 400 00	
		25 026 69
		89 79
Cash on hand, December 31, 1965		

**OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES
FOR YEAR 1965**

Expenditures:

Purchase of Fairfield Garages	30 000 00
Land and Building	559 73
Miscellaneous	_____
	<u>30 559 73</u>

**OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES
1957 thru 1965**

Authorization	175 000 00
Borrowed—1957-1959	65 000 00
Borrowed—Nov. 1, 1960	18 300 00
Borrowed—Dec. 30, 1960	11 559 49
Borrowed—Dec. 19, 1961	19 831 57
Borrowed—Dec. 31, 1962	8 013 46
Borrowed—Dec. 31, 1965	30 559 73

	153 264 25
Balance of Authorization	_____
	21 735 75
Borrowings to Date:	153 264 25
Notes Paid to December 31, 1965	107 691 06

Balance of Notes Outstanding, December 31, 1965	<u>45 573 19</u>

HANOVER DISTRICT COURT
Year Ending December 31, 1965

Receipts

Cash on hand January 1, 1965	100 00	
Regular Court Fines	5 540 00	
Parking Ticket Fines (Letters)	1 020 00	
Small Claims	49 35	
		6 709 35

Disbursements

Fines paid to State	1 480 40	
Fines paid to Treasurer	4 481 49	
Witness Fees	105 60	
Court Expenses	541 86	
Cash on Hand December 31, 1965	100 00	
		6 709 35

MARION E. GUYER,
Clerk

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

The Treasurer of the Town of Hanover for the year ending December 31, 1965 submits the following condensed report, the itemization of all receipts and expenditures being the same as set forth in detail in the report of the Selectmen.

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1965	87 556 86	
Receipts From All Sources During 1965	3 301 224 69	
Total Receipts	3 388 781 55	
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid	3 273 073 68	
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1965	115 707 87	

LEROY G. PORTER
Treasurer

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

We have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Hanover District Court, and Trustees of Trust Funds, for the year ending December 31, 1965, and find them correct with disbursements supported by appropriate vouchers.

Respectfully submitted,
 BRUCE D. McALLISTER
 DOUGLAS D. PERKINS

CEMETERY REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1965

I am glad to report that the addition to the Pine Knolls Cemetery is progressing as planned.

There are about three acres of land that have been cleared of lumber and stumps and then filled in, ready for top soil and seeding. Approximately two more acres are now being cleared to complete the original five acres to be developed. There will be better than 90,000 feet of lumber cut, and sold for well over three thousand dollars.

I hope to complete grading and seeding, placing new roads and water pipes during the summer of 1966. After completion, the land should set for at least one to two years before use, to allow the soil to settle so that lawn mowers, etc. will not cut into it.

This development should provide sufficient space for at least fifteen years.

PERCY E. CONNER

Superintendent of Cemeteries

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1965

Fire Losses

Our fire loss increased over that of 1964. The Dartmouth Ski fire being our most serious in commercial property and the home of Dr. Naitove for a family residence.

SUMMARY OF CALLS RESPONDED TO

	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965
	120	129	145	154	233
Bell Alarms	1	8	13	11	10
Still Alarms	75	97	103	107	103
Accidental Alarms	8	2	9	7	8
False Alarms	4	2	3	7	4
Special Service	22	14	4	10	21
Rescue and River Calls	7	3	6	7	6
Stray Blows	—	1	2	—	1
Out of Town	3	2	5	5	5
Smoke Investigations					47
Forest and Grass					28

TYPES OF FIRES

Structural	80
Automobile Fires and Accidents	33
Rescue and River Calls	6
Forest and Grass	28
Smoke Investigations	47
Out of Town	5
Special Service	21
Accidental Alarms	8
Stray Blows	1
False Alarms	4

Training and Drills

The men of this department spent a total of 3600 man-hours in various planned and organized training sessions. In addition to the regular drill night of one night a month, special classes in advanced pumping were conducted for both the Hanover and Etna Divisions. A delegation from both divisions attended the State Drill Schools at Meadowood and Laconia with the climax to our training being our attendance at the Lebanon College Fire Institute. The members of both the Volunteer

and Permanent Firemen will continue their education of firematics to insure the citizens of Hanover the finest fire protection possible.

Fire Prevention

The Hanover Fire Department's Inspection Bureau has had another active and accelerated year. It is interesting to note that this department is the *only* fire department in New Hampshire issuing permits and conducting inspections for L.P. Gas installations and equipment. It is our desire to aid all citizens of Hanover by the continuation of this vital program.

General

Hanover is a growing community. With this growth are new and varied problems. The fire department is manned 24 hours a day to serve you. Any problem, whether an emergency, a fire, or just a question, should be referred to us.

At the time of an emergency call 643-3610. If other than an emergency call 643-3424.

By the Board of Fire Engineers
RAYMOND L. WOOD
Chief of Department

FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

December 31, 1965

Throughout 1965, the Town of Hanover, its Selectmen and your fire department worked diligently to prevent a serious forest fire. Rainfall deficiency in our area created conditions conducive to a major forest or field fire. The number of fire calls, for all varieties of forest fire reports, totalled only 28, resulting in only three actual fires requiring the use of manpower and equipment in any degree of apprehension.

The "DO" in Regard to Prevention

1. Take your rubbish to the Town dump. If you must burn, obtain a permit and attend your fire until it is dead out.
2. Instruct your children in fire safety. Keep matches away from young children. Explain to them the dangers of lighting matches and making outdoor fires.

3. Be sure discarded smoking material and matches are out.

Again this year, a major portion of our preventable fires were the direct result of four causes: (1) permit fires unattended, (2) children playing with matches, (3) smokers carelessly discarding smoking materials and matches, (4) attempting to burn on windy days.

If you have a question in regard to any outside fire, please call your fire department.

RAYMOND L. WOOD
Forest Fire Warden

HANOVER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Board of Fire Engineers

Raymond L. Wood, *Fire Chief*
Myron L. Cummings, *Asst. Chief*
Donald deJ. Cutter, *Asst. Chief*
Clifford R. Elder, *Asst. Chief*
Walter Coutermarsh, *Asst. Chief*

<i>Permanent Division</i>	<i>Hanover Volunteer Division</i>	<i>Etna Volunteer Division</i>
Robert H. Hawes	Arthur W. Thompson, <i>Captain</i>	Howard Reed, <i>Captain</i>
G. Dana Bean	John A. Rand, <i>1st Lieut.</i>	Kenneth M. Pelton, <i>1st Lieut.</i>
Ronald F. Edson	Daniel E. Lahaye, <i>2nd Lieut.</i>	Frank Hayes, <i>2nd Lieut.</i>
Paul B. Messer	Philip O'Quinn, <i>3rd Lieut.</i>	Stanley Elder, <i>3rd Lieut.</i>

Forest Fire Warden and Deputies

Raymond L. Wood, *Warden*
Myron L. Cummings, *Deputy*
Donald deJ. Cutter, *Deputy*
Walter Coutermarsh, *Deputy*
Clifford R. Elder, *Deputy*
Howard Young, *Deputy*
Allan Gardner, *Deputy*
Arthur Thompson, *Deputy*
Howard Reed, *Deputy*
Albert Stewart, *Deputy*

REPORT OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1965

The following report of contagious diseases and animal bites for the year 1965 has been reported to the Town Health Department through the office of Philip O. Nice, M.D.:

Measles	3
Gonorrhea	1
Streptococcal Infections	61
	—
Total	65
Animal Bites:	
Dog	20
Cat	1
Chipmunk	1
	—
Total	22

Inspections were made and advice given, where needed, for problems involving public and private water supplies, disposal of wastes, swimming pools, foster homes, and public food-handling establishments.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD S. BROWN
Health Officer

PHILIP O. NICE, M.D.
Deputy Health Officer

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT
DECEMBER 31, 1965**

Roster of the Department

Dennis J. Cooney, Chief
 Roland M. Lee, Captain
 James H. Collins, Patrolman
 Henry J. Leavitt, Patrolman
 William A. Moore, Patrolman
 George E. Price, Patrolman
 Alberta J. Leavitt, Metermaid
 Elizabeth L. Hewitt, School Patrolwoman

MOTOR VEHICLE ACTIVITIES

Analysis of Accidents

Fatalities	1
Pedestrians Injured	3
Personal Injury and Property Damage	31
Property Damage Only	63
	—
Total	98

Analysis of Motor Vehicle Offenses

Moving Violations

Accident, Leaving the Scene of	1
Allowing Unlicensed Person to Operate	3
Defective Equipment	1
Directional Signal Violation	1
Failed to Display Registration Plates	6
Failed to Keep Right	1
Failed to Keep Right of Yellow Line	6
Failed to Observe Stop Sign	7
Failed to Observe Traffic Signal Light	7
Failed to Wear Corrective Lenses	2
Failed to Yield	1
Following Too Closely	2
Four in Front Seat	3
Misuse of Plates	1
Obstruction of Windshield	3
Operating to Endanger	6
Operating Uninspected Vehicle	27
Operating Unregistered Vehicle	47
Operating Without License	11
Operating Without Lights	2

Parking Violation	1
Reckless Operating	1
Speeding	54
U-Turns	2
Taking Without Consent	2
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Total	198

Parking Violations

Waiver of Formal Hearing	
Guilty Plea Entered by Mail	336
Tickets Issued for Parking Violations	5991

Automobiles

Number of Motor Vehicles Reported Stolen in Hanover	4
Number of Motor Vehicles Recovered in Hanover	1
Number of Motor Vehicles Recovered by Other Agencies	4
Number of Motor Vehicles Recovered for Other Agencies	2

CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES

Analysis of Crime Offenses

Assault	6
Burglary	1
Defrauding an Inn Keeper	1
Derisive Words	2
Disorderly Conduct	2
Driving While Intoxicated	8
Drunkenness	18
Failure to Comply With Restraining Order	1
Forgery	1
Fugitive From Justice	2
Larceny Over \$50.00	13
Larceny Under \$50.00	6
Liquor Laws	24
Malicious Injury to Property	2
Throwing Refuse on Highway	1
Vandalism	4
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Sub-Total	92
Juvenile Offenders	11
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Total	103

Lost and Stolen Property Recovered By This Department \$6,637.13.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Commitment Cases

To New Hampshire State Hospital at Concord, N. H.	8
To New Hampshire Industrial School at Manchester, N. H.	2
To Grafton County Jail at Haverhill, N. H.	1
To Grafton County House of Correction at Haverhill, N. H.	3

Total	14
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First Aid Rendered	51
Business Establishments, Doors and Windows Found Unlocked	136
Cruiser Mileage	57,178
Dog Complaints	129
Escorts, Ambulance	59
Escorts, Money and Payrolls	69
Escorts, Road	16
Emergency Transportation	18
Fire Alarms Answered	70
Funeral Details	26
Injured and Stray Animals	50
Messages Delivered or Relayed	16
Missing Persons Reported	2
Missing Persons Located	2
Prisoners Detained for Other Agencies	40
Relays, Blood	4
Road and Sidewalk Defects Reported	26
Runaways Reported	2
Runaways Located	2
Street Lights Reported Out	315
Suicides	2
Towed Vehicles	32
Try and Locate Requests	18
Unattended Deaths	3
Vacant Residences Checked	43

Respectfully submitted
Dennis J. Cooney
Chief of Police

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Department of Public Works, new in this Town Report, is an amalgamation of the Highway and Sewer Departments. Working with a tight budget, efforts are directed toward ferreting out hidden costs and looking for new economies. Records show that the Highway Division has fewer men and fewer trucks than it had in 1950. Yet automobile registrations for the town are up from 1900 to 3600 in the same period.* Loaders, snow blowers, and other labor saving equipment now do the work in minutes that required hours of hand-work in 1950. Paved roads, another part of the story, have been extended, cutting back manhours needed to keep all roads in good repair. An unpaved road requires upwards of four times the attention of a paved road with equal traffic. While more time is being spent on dirt roads than ever before, the traffic has increased faster than the Division's maintenance capability. New roads and sidewalks, added yearly to the already heavy workload, lend grimness to the future.

The Department needs new trucks for old, an enlightened equipment turnover program, tighter scheduling of work, and cost accounting. These are among the modern management techniques that will, hopefully, assist in charting a smoother course in the coming year. The goal: more service for your tax dollar.

JOHN C. McINTYRE
Superintendent

*Fees from registrations were \$17,000 in 1950, \$49,000 in 1964. The Highway Division budget was \$68,000 in 1950, \$157,500 in 1965. A budget figure proportionate to the increase in fees would be \$196,000.

HANOVER TOWN LIBRARY

1965

The library in Etna continues to be effective in serving young and old in and around the village. The sum of \$127.30 was spent in acquiring a new set of World Book Encyclopedia to replace an outdated set. The use of this set by the school children in the area seems to justify the expense. The death of "Aunt" Pat Spencer, former librarian and teacher in the community, brought the sum of \$82.00 to the library. This money was given by friends in lieu of flowers, and was designated as a fund for children's books. Part of this sum has already been used to buy some attractive and popular books. The sum of \$1000.00 was a bequest to the Etna Library, to be used as an endowment fund. The interest from this sum is to be used for general purposes. From this same estate, the gifts of a sampler, worsted flowers, a small print picture and a flax wheel are now enhancing the interior.

At the meeting of the trustees in May, we reviewed our budget and discussed the general welfare of the library with our librarian, Mrs. Monas Abbas. The library is kept open four hours a week; from 3 to 5 on Wednesday afternoons and from 2 to 4 on Saturday afternoons. A number of current fiction books were given to the library by friends around the community. With their bright new jackets, the new encyclopedia and the new children's books, the atmosphere is definitely livelier inside the library. Mrs. Abbas has a lively interest in the library, makes good selections from the Bookmobile and performs many little "extras" around the library as she sees fit.

In the December meeting, the trustees agreed that we should affiliate with the New Hampshire State Library Development Program.

Respectfully submitted,
ELSIE WENDLANDT
JEAN STORRS
Library Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

January 1, 1965—December 31, 1965

Total Volumes	4 123
Total Listed	3 778
Total Unlisted	345
Magazine Subscriptions	21
Loose Records	63
Record Albums	68
New Books (Encyclopedia)	20 vols.
Katherina Spencer Fund	53
Gift of Books	325
Books Borrowed from Bookmobile	562
State Library Books Borrowed	27
Books Loaned	1779
Books Lost or Discarded	100
Daily Loans (average)	18

Respectfully submitted,
MONA T. ABBAS
Librarian

**REPORT OF THE
HANOVER TOWN PLANNING BOARD**

For the Year Ending December 31, 1965

The efforts of the Hanover Town Planning Board, during 1965, were devoted to two major, inter-related topics. Following completion of the Central Area Study by Hans Klunder Associates a public informational meeting was held early in the year to discuss this report. At the request of many of the Central Area business men a second meeting was held to obtain reactions of those people who might be most immediately affected by implementation of the Plan.

As a result of these two meetings, and other discussions, it became apparent that prior to any formal ruling by the Board with regard to adoption of the Central Area Study an evaluation of the Town Zoning Ordinance with respect to use of the Central Area was necessary. This led the Board to undertake an updating of the entire Ordinance, and it was with this work that the Board concerned itself for most of the past year. The recommendations of the Board in the form of a series of proposed amendments were made available to the Town in late December, to be followed by Hearings and a vote early in 1966.

In the course of this work the Board was aided by the advice and abilities of many people within the Town who gave freely of their time and effort. To these public spirited people, too numerous to mention, the Board would like to express its thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL F. LONG, *Chairman*

JAMES CAMPION, JR., *Vice-Chairman*

MRS. JOHN W. HENNESSEY, JR., *Secretary*

DONALD W. CAMERON

WILLIAM A. CARTER

EDGAR H. HUNTER

WILLIAM P. KIMBALL

The Hanover Town Planning Board

Consultants

C. COLBY BENT

EDWARD M. CAVANEY

PAUL F. YOUNG

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF WELFARE

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Hanover's contribution to OAA (Old Age Assistance), and APTD (Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled), is determined by the State Department of Public Welfare, and Hanover's contribution represents one-fourth of the total support granted to recipients of this assistance.

During 1965 there was considerable fluctuation in the number of individuals receiving assistance. The total Town expenditure for the year—\$4,688.54, covers expenses only through October, and does not reflect the cost for several cases added during the remainder of the year, which will continue into 1966. The total number of individuals covered as of December 31, 1965, was nineteen (19).

TOWN WELFARE

During 1965, twelve (12) Hanover families received assistance, ranging from aid during periods of brief emergencies, to sustained support continued through the entire year.

HOSPITALIZATION

For the second year in a row, requests for hospitalization support fell below requests received during the years 1962, and 1963. Six (6) requests were approved during the year 1965.

The load and subsequent expenditure to the Town of Hanover would have been a considerably greater saving for the Hanover Free Bed Funds. These funds, representing income from Endowed Bed Funds administered by the Mary Hitchcock Hospital, and supplemented by a direct grant from the Hospital, rendered twenty-eight (28) days of service to four (4) residents, for a total of \$1,115.00.

TOWN NURSING SERVICE

Total Visits for the Year

Ante Partum	1
Post Partum	68
New Born	70
Pre School	16
School	7
Adult	936
Health Supervision	377
Communicable Disease	1
Not Home	42
Free Visits	152
Mileage	5548

In addition to her regular duties summarized above, Mrs. Frances Connor, R.N., Visiting Nurse, assisted the Red Cross with local blood drawings, and made available to Town employees Flu vaccine, and Tetanus toxoid.

Medicare will become effective on July 1, 1966. During the coming spring procedures concerning the workings of Medicare will be announced. It is possible that Hanover's Town Nursing Service, already furnishing outstanding service to the community, may be selected to provide some portion of the home nursing service to be made available under Medicare to Town residents.

Respectfully submitted,
DONALD W. CAMERON
Overseer of Welfare

Appendix A
REPORT OF TOWN MEETING—1965

A legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Hanover, N. H., was called to order by Herbert W. Hill, Moderator, on March 9, 1965 at 7:30 P.M. in the Auditorium of the High School Building.

The Warrant on which the meeting was called was read by the Town Clerk, Marion E. Guyer.

Article I: The following Town Officers were elected by non-partisan ballot:

Selectman—Three years—David J. Bradley
Town Clerk—One year—Marion E. Guyer
Treasurer—One year—LeRoy G. Porter
Library Trustee—Three years—Elsie M. Wendlandt
Trustee of Trust Funds—Three years—Max A. Norton

Article II: On motion of Lewis Bressett, duly seconded, it was voted that the reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Auditors and other Town Officers, as printed in the Town Report, be accepted.

Article III: The following Town Officers were elected by majority vote:

Auditors for a term of one year—Bruce D. McAllister
Douglas D. Perkins
Member of the Advisory Assessors Board for three years—
Nathaniel G. Burleigh
Fence Viewers for a term of one year—
Clifford R. Elder
G. Wesley LaBombard
Edward C. Lathem
Surveyors of Wood and Lumber—Morris Hayes
Niles A. Lacoss
Park Commissioner—Caroline C. Tenney

Article IV: On motion of Lewis Bressett, duly seconded, it was voted that the sum of \$298,220 be raised and appropriated to defray town charges for the year 1965.

Article V: On motion of George Wrightson, duly seconded, it was voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Hanover Information Booth for the summer of 1965.

Article VI: On motion of S. Russell Stearns, duly seconded, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2500.00 for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Lebanon Regional Airport Authority.

Article VII: On motion of James Campion, duly seconded, it was voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2300.00 for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Upper Valley Development Council.

Article VIII: On motion of E. Ronan Campion, duly seconded, it was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Association.

Article IX: On motion of William P. Kimball, duly seconded, it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2500.00 for a comprehensive transportation study of the town.

Article X: On motion of David Nutt, duly seconded, it was voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for a re-appraisal of taxable property in the Town with the assistance of the New Hampshire State Tax Commission, \$10,000 of such amount to be raised during 1965 and the remaining \$10,000 to be raised during 1966.

Article XI: On motion of Donald Cameron, duly seconded, it was voted that the town rescind the vote adopted on March 8, 1932, requiring the publication every three years of a pamphlet listing the assessed valuation of real property and to issue the next listing of assessed valuation of real property upon completion of the complete reappraisal approved in Article 10 and thereafter as the town may direct.

Article XII: On motion of Kenneth LeClair, duly seconded, it was voted that the town appropriate the sum of \$19,697.00 received from the State of New Hampshire and place it in a capital reserve fund pursuant to RSA 35, for the improvement of sewage facilities.

Article XIII: On motion of Kenneth LeClair, duly seconded, it was voted to authorize the Selectmen to borrow in anticipation of taxes, an aggregate principal amount, not exceeding the total tax levy during the preceding financial year and to

authorize the Selectmen to issue the notes of the Town as evidence of such indebtedness.

Article XIV: On motion of George Wrightson, duly seconded, it was voted to abandon as a public highway and convey to George D. and Harriet Wrightson, as abutting land owners, that portion of Highway No. 22, sometimes known as Goodfellow Road, which is no longer in use, in exchange for a deed from the Wrightsons to the Town of that portion of their land now used for highway purposes.

Article XV: On motion of S. John Stebbins, duly seconded, it was voted to request the Selectmen to seek legislation substantially in the form of the bill on file with the Town Clerk, amending Chapter 374, Laws of 1963 (commonly known as the Hanover Merger Legislation) in order to:

1. Provide for the assessment of sewer and sidewalk taxes on real property only.
2. Authorize the Selectmen to apply any unexpended appropriation for a special service either (a) by transferring to a capital reserve fund for such service, or (b) by application to the next year's appropriation for such service.

Article XVI: The following resolutions were read and adopted by vote of the town:

ROBERT McLAUGHRY

In paying tribute to one with whom we have been closely associated for many years, one might reason it would be proper and gratifying to the individual concerned if a few pertinent remarks relative to his deeds and accomplishments were made and recorded in the records of this meeting. But to Bob McLaughry this would only be a superfluous action that was prompted by precedent, and if you know Bob McLaughry, precedent is not much of a reason for doing things.

So tonight we have written Bob a letter, simply a gesture of appreciation from the Town of Hanover. And to read this letter I have asked Hanover's most renowned speaker, Mr. John Dickey.

(LEWIS J. BRESSETT)

Mr. Robert D. McLaughry
Hanover
New Hampshire

Dear Bob:

While you are enduring the misfortune you have suffered at a time of year when you always enjoyed skiing, helping the children in the Ford Sayre Program, Finance, School, and Town Meetings, wondering and worrying if you had performed your job to everyone's satisfaction, you will undoubtedly recall many events which occurred while you were a member of the Board of Precinct Commissioners and subsequently the Board of Selectmen; all the late meetings, the arguments, the countless decisions and sleepless nights.

You will recall seven years ago when with some of your other friends we urged you to become a commissioner, and although it meant a great personal sacrifice to you, Joan and the children, you accepted the challenge of serving the public.

Your first year was a period of indoctrination, studying and learning. The following year progress became the byword. Business office procedures were initiated, we were able to hire a part time secretary and typing our own correspondence was no longer necessary. Meetings were opened to the public (the first one was a real vaudeville production wasn't it?) Shortly thereafter it was decided to hold meetings more often than once a month, so much had to be done.

Your first few months were spent reorganizing the Fire Department. You separated the unnecessary, got rid of the checkerboards and easy chairs and set the stage for later combining two units into one of the best fire departments in the State.

The adoption of Subdivision Regulations and establishing the Precinct Planning Board followed. New zoning regulations were adopted because Hanover was growing more rapidly than we realized. One had to practically live in the Municipal Building.

Ken LeClair soon came along and although he was an old army man, the marines, with tongue in cheek, accepted his presence. Lessons followed in budget reforms, sound engineer-

ing procedures and that word you refused to discuss (sewers) became our favorite topic. After three years of indoctrination we felt you were qualified to represent the Selectmen on the Board of Directors of the Water Company and have your name on a bronze plaque at the Sewage Treatment Plant.

The Town voted to have the Selectmen and Commissioners unite and attempt to merge the two forms of government, and after many meetings and hearings the task, with your help, was completed.

As one scans through the volumes of the minutes of various meetings you so diligently kept, I wonder how we could tell the people you served of the honesty, integrity and personal sacrifice that you gave in the performance of your duties. We have all benefited from your presence, an honor for us who have served with you.

Please thank Joan for sharing your time with us and from all of us in Hanover many thanks for a job well done.

Sincerely,
s/ Lewis J. Bressett
for
The Board of Selectmen
on behalf of
The Town of Hanover

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Mr. Moderator:

Since March 1937, Professor Donald L. Stone has served as Park Commissioner for the Precinct and more recently for the Town. During these years he has constantly endeavored to make Pine Park an increasingly valuable asset to the people of Hanover.

I move that we, the voters of Hanover, extend our sincere thanks to Professor Stone for his long and valuable service as Park Commissioner and that a copy of this resolution be sent to him.

(Read by Mr. Frederick Page)

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The Hanover Town Planning Board moves the adoption of the following resolution:

Following the merger of the Town and Precinct the Selectmen of Hanover on January 2, 1964 appointed a Town Planning Board.

The first officers of this Board were Mr. John P. Amsden, chairman, and Mr. Earl C. Ward, vice-chairman. On December 31, 1964 these two men completed their terms as members of the Board. The initial steps of the Planning Board to define the most critical of the problems facing Hanover and to establish means by which these problems can be resolved is in no small measure due to the abilities and dedication of these two men who gave so generously of their time. Hanover is indeed fortunate to have had the services of these two public-minded men.

Be it resolved that the Town of Hanover express its appreciation to Messrs. Amsden and Ward by adopting this resolution and having it appear in the records of this meeting with copies sent to each.

(Read by Carl Long)

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For over seven years, MARY SCOTT CRAIG has worked quietly but with devotion and responsibility as a Supervisor of the Check List. Schooled by those two stalwarts of the Check List, Harley Camp and Fred Page, she not only learned well but took her place with them giving freely of her time and thought to new residents and new voters of the Town of Hanover.

Now, she leaves the Check List because of her greater responsibilities as one of Hanover's Representatives to the General Court of the State of New Hampshire. We shall miss her support here but gain the more by her presence in Concord.

(Read by Donald Cameron)

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Mr. Harley Camp
Etna, New Hampshire

Dear Harley:

Humbly and faithfully for many years, you have given your services, knowledge and time to various community af-

fairs; and by so doing, you have given many of us the true and right guide line to follow in our daily endeavors, enriching those with whom you came to know.

For the past forty-two years, your friendly and kindly role in helping people has played a very important part in the success of the duties carried on by the Supervisors of the Check List of our town.

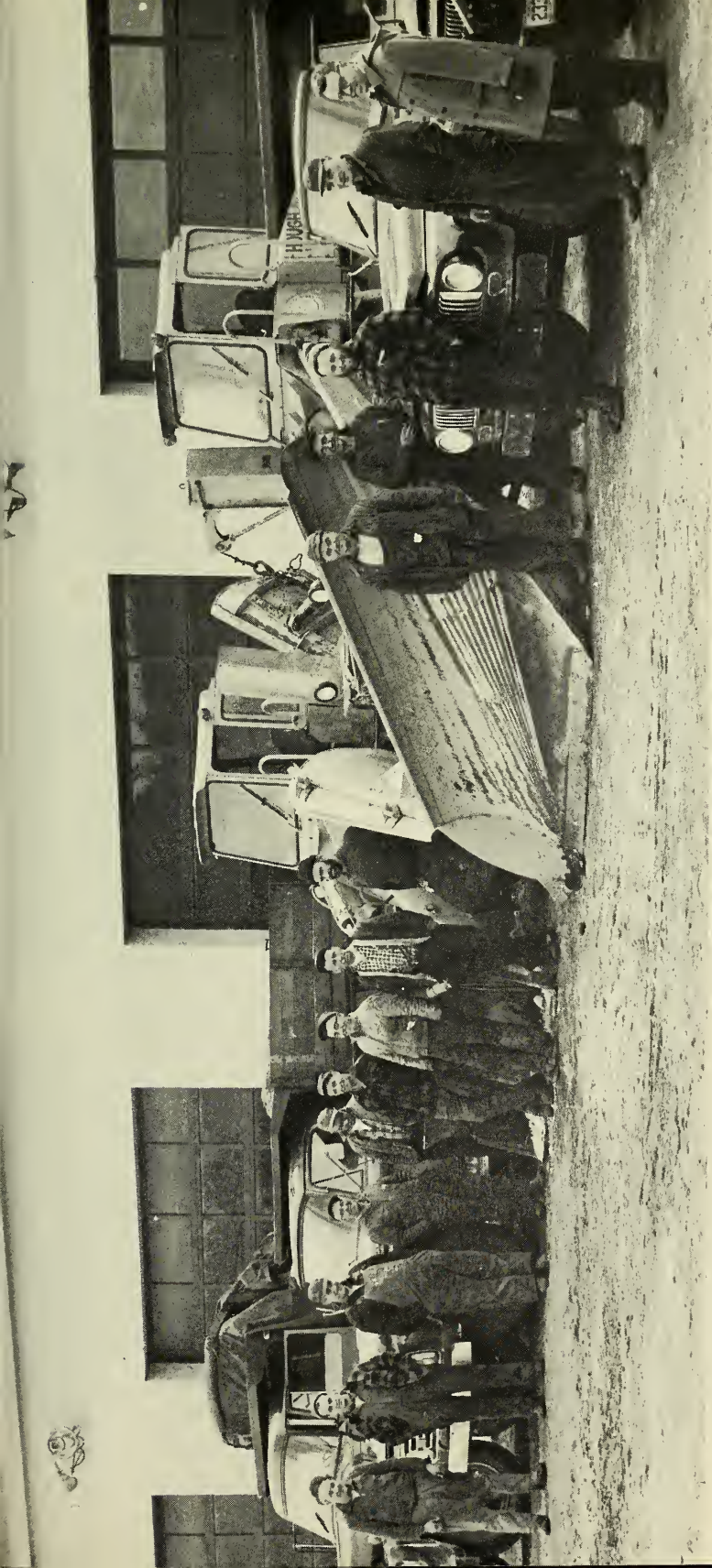
We, the Board of Selectmen, wish to take this moment to thank you for the many hours you have given to the citizens of Hanover.

Sincerely yours,
Lewis J. Bressett
Donald W. Cameron
Kenneth A. LeClair
Robert D. McLaughry
David C. Nutt
Selectmen of Hanover, N. H.

(Read by John Neale)

Respectfully submitted,
MARION E. GUYER
Town Clerk

A True Copy—Attest:
MARION E. GUYER
Town Clerk
Hanover, N. H.



HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Richard N. LaBombard; Bernard A. Huckins; Harold C. Wing; Alvin A. Evans; Joseph C. Fogg; Harry E. May; Arnold J. Abbas, Sr.; George B. Coates; Allan C. Gardner; Elbridge E. Jenks; Harold A. McAdams; Daniel E. Lahaye, Jr.; Chester A. Stark, Supt. of Highways; John C. McIntyre, Supt. of Public Works. Eugene J. Chabot and Paul H. Stearns were not present when photograph was taken.

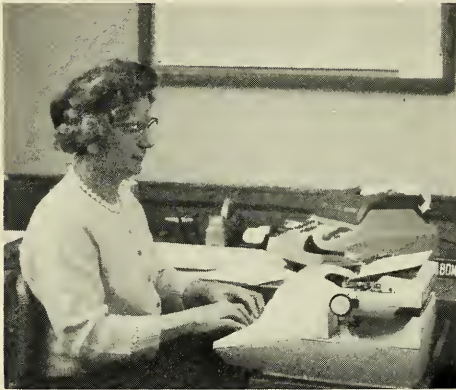
TOWN OFFICE PERSONNEL



Mrs. Marion E. Guyer
Town Clerk-Tax Collector



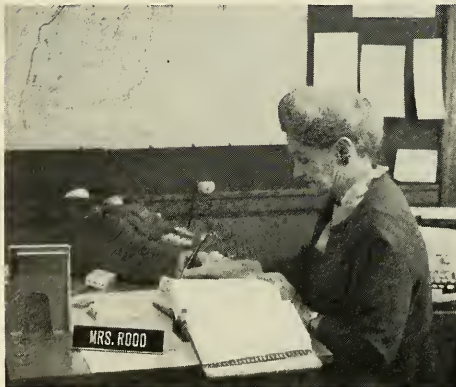
Mrs. Jane I. Gosselin
Selectmen's Secretary
Mr. LeRoy G. Porter
Treasurer



Mrs. Lillian F. LaBombard
Deputy Town Clerk



Mrs. Joyce S. Bonnett
Bookkeeper



Mrs. Pauline W. Rood
Secretary



Mrs. Flora R. Young
Receptionist



FIRE DEPARTMENT

G. Dana Bean; Ronald F. Edson; Myron L. Cummings, Deputy Chief;
Raymond L. Wood, Chief; Paul B. Messer; Robert H. Hawes



POLICE DEPARTMENT

George E. Price; Henry J. Leavitt; Roland M. Lee, Captain;
Dennis J. Cooney, Chief; Alberta J. Leavitt; James H. Collins;
William A. Moore

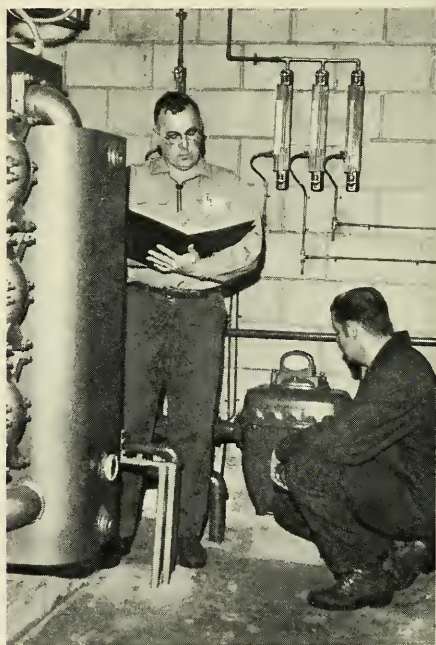


CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

Edward H. Dutile, Jr.; Peter C. Lihatsch; Harold D. Tibbetts;
Percy E. Conner, Superintendent



Frances J. Connor, R.N.
Visiting Nurse

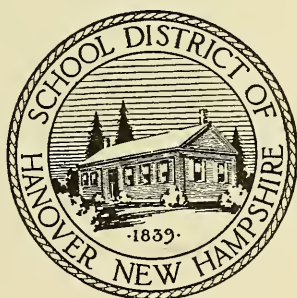


Sewer Department

Donald W. Chamberlain
Chief Operator
Rodney O. Chayer, Assistant

ANNUAL REPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

HANOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE



1966

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS
HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT**

School Board

Elisabeth M. Bradley, <i>Chairman</i>	Term expires 1966
Dr. Frederic Rueckert, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term expires 1967
Raymond W. Barratt, <i>Secretary</i>	Term expires 1968
John W. Finch	Term expires 1968
Dr. John W. Schleicher	Term expires 1966
John G. Skewes	Term expires 1967

Dr. Stuart W. Russell, *Moderator*

Shirley C. Clogston, *Clerk*

Marjorie T. Scott, *Treasurer*

Edgar F. Costello, *Auditor*

Dr. William G. Zimmerman, Jr., *Superintendent of Schools*

Stewart G. Davis, *Assistant Superintendent*

Bernice A. Ray, *Principal*

J. William Ellis, *Assistant Principal*

Dr. Seymour E. Wheelock, *School Physician*

Irma J. Simeneau, *School Nurse*

Sten Olson, *Truant Officer*

SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Grafton, S.S.

School District of Hanover

To the inhabitants of the School District of Hanover, in the County of Grafton, and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in District affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Auditorium of the High School in Hanover, New Hampshire, on Tuesday, March 1, 1966, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, to act on the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose by ballot a Moderator, a Clerk, and a Treasurer, each to serve one year, and two members of the School Board, each to serve three years.

Article 2. To choose an Auditor to serve one year.

Article 3. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or other officers heretofore chosen and to pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 4. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be paid to the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a school bus, in accordance with R.S.A., Chapter 35.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, including its obligations to the Dresden School District.

Article 6. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to make application for and to accept on behalf of the District, any and all grants or offers for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the State of New Hampshire and/or other states and/or United States.

Article 7. To see if the District will create a cooperative school district planning committee and to elect the members thereof or determine that they shall be appointed by the Moderator.

Article 8. To see if the District will construct an Elementary School Building on the Reservoir Road School Site, including the purchase of equipment of lasting character, the payment of legal fees, and the grading, filling, and draining of land as necessary and appropriate money therefore and raise the same by the issue of bonds or otherwise and authorize the School Board to execute any and all contracts relating thereto, including the employment of an architect, and to take such other action with respect thereto as may be necessary or advisable.

(It is expected that a motion will be made to consider Article 8 at an adjourned session of the meeting.)

Article 9. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

The polls will open at 7:30 P.M. and will not close before 8:30 P.M.

Given under our hands and seals at Hanover, New Hampshire this first day of February, 1966.

ELISABETH M. BRADLEY
FREDERIC RUECKERT
RAYMOND W. BARRATT

JOHN W. FINCH
JOHN W. SCHLEICHER
JOHN G. SKEWES

School Board, School District of Hanover

A True Copy of Warrant—Attest:

ELISABETH M. BRADLEY
FREDERIC RUECKERT
RAYMOND W. BARRATT

JOHN W. FINCH
JOHN W. SCHLEICHER
JOHN G. SKEWES

School Board, School District of Hanover

HANOVER, N. H. SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING, MARCH 4, 1965

A legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Hanover School District was called to order by the Moderator, Stuart W. Russell, at 8:00 P.M., March 4, 1965. The Warrant on which the meeting was called and the Return of Posting were read by the Clerk, Shirley C. Clogston.

Article I. The following officers were elected by ballot vote:

Moderator for one year:	
Stuart W. Russell	222 votes
Clerk for one year:	
Shirley C. Clogston	219 votes
Treasurer for one year:	
Marjorie T. Scott	221 votes
School Board for three years:	
John W. Finch	151 votes
Raymond W. Barratt	142 votes

Article II. Edgar F. Costello was nominated, duly seconded, and elected Auditor for one year.

Article III. On motion of Elisabeth M. Bradley, duly seconded, it was voted that the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and other officers heretofore chosen be accepted as printed in the Annual Report.

Article IV. On motion of John W. Schleicher, duly seconded, it was voted that the District raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be paid to the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a school bus, in accordance with R.S.A., Chapter 35.

Article V. On motion of John G. Skewes, duly seconded, it was voted that the District raise and appropriate the sum of Nine Hundred Forty-four Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-five and Fifty One-hundredths Dollars (\$944,945.50) for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District, including its obligations to the Dresden School District.

Article VI. On motion of Almon B. Ives, duly seconded, it was voted that the District raise and appropriate, in addition to the original appropriation for 1964-65, a sum of money in the amount of One Thousand Seventeen Dollars and Twenty-seven Cents (\$1,017.27) to be made available to the School District prior to July 1, 1965, such funds to be used to reimburse Dartmouth College for property taxes levied against the Reservoir Road property to be purchased by the School District.

Article VII. On motion of Frederic Rueckert, duly seconded, it was voted that the District authorize the School Board to make application for and to accept on behalf of the District, any and all grants or offers for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the State of New Hampshire and/or other states and/or United States.

Article VIII. On motion of John W. Finch, duly seconded, it was voted to adopt the following resolution and that it be spread upon the record of this meeting, and that a copy be sent to Prof. Ives.

Resolution on the Retirement of Professor Almon B. Ives

Tonight Professor Almon B. Ives completes his second three-year term on the Hanover School Board and retires from both the Hanover Board and the Dresden Board of School Directors. It is an occasion for satisfaction and relief on his part, and for admiration and regret on ours.

To list the committees of every hue and humor on which he has served, standing committees and sitting committees, ad hoc committees and emergency committees, committees short-lived and committees interminable, would be to assemble an impressive list, but might have the deplorable effect of scaring off future candidates for service. Perhaps it is enough to note that Professor Ives has tackled all committee assignments with spirited devotion and with tough-minded determination and, so doing, has shed the light of common sense into the murkiest corners of school district operation.

It may be that Professor Ives' most valuable contributions have come from his work on the Building Committee, which conceived and carried out the programs that led to the addition to the primary school and, more recently, to the addition to the high school. Yet Professor Ives has a way of transforming any committee he serves on into a building committee,

whether the aim be building a more distinguished curriculum, a stronger faculty, or a viable union of school districts.

Professor Ives' achievements remain behind him, however far across the Pacific he may travel. So, too, does his example, of use to us all, that dedication need not be solemn, that idealism need not be impractical, and that the rigorous demands of public service can be met with high spirits, carried out with style, and laced with joy . . .

I move, Mr. Moderator, that the Hanover School District express its gratitude and esteem to Professor Ives, that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the records of this meeting, and that a copy be sent to Professor Ives.

It was announced that the polls would remain open until 9:30 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:29 P.M., E.S.T.

Respectfully submitted,
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
School District Clerk
Hanover, N. H.

A True Copy—Attest:
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
School District Clerk
Hanover, New Hampshire

**SPECIAL HANOVER, N. H. SCHOOL DISTRICT
MEETING
DECEMBER 14, 1965**

A Special Meeting of the inhabitants of the Hanover School District was called to order by the Moderator, Stuart W. Russell, at 7:45 P.M., E.S.T., December 14, 1965.

Certified copy of the Superior Court Decree and Attest read by the Moderator.

Warrant and Return of Posting read by the Moderator.

Article I.

Motion made by John W. Schleicher that the District vote to accept the provisions of Public Law 89-10, designed to improve educational opportunities, with particular reference to children of low-income families, and to appropriate such funds as may be made available to the District under said federal act for such particular projects as may be determined by the School Board. Further moved that the District vote to authorize the School Board to make application for such funds and to expend the same for such projects as it may designate. Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 P.M., E.S.T.

Respectfully submitted,
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
School District Clerk
Hanover, New Hampshire

A True Copy—Attest:
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
School District Clerk
Hanover, New Hampshire

**FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT
For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1964
and Ending June 30, 1965**

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

JOHN W. SCHLEICHER

JOHN G. SKEWES

School Board

WILLIAM G. ZIMMERMAN, JR.

Superintendent

**EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NET
(ACTUAL) EXPENDITURES AND GROSS
TRANSACTIONS**

A. Receipts

Total Net Receipts Plus Cash on Hand July 1, 1964. (Agrees with "Grand Total Net Receipts")	916 281 75
Receipts Recorded under Item 60. Reimbursement from Dresden Building Fund)	28 735 58
Receipts Reduced by Expenditures Recorded in the 1900 Series (Norwich "Buying In" Payment)	84 700 00
	1 029 717 33
Total Gross Receipts	1 029 717 33

B. Expenditures

Total Net Expenditures Plus Cash on Hand June 30, 1965. (Agrees with "Grand Total Net Ex- penditures")	916 281 75
Expenditures Reduced by Receipts Recorded in Item 60.	28 735 58
Expenditures Recorded in the 1900 Series. (Dartmouth National Bank Special Reserve Account)	84 700 00
	1 029 717 33
Total Gross Expenditures	1 029 717 33

Receipts

	<i>Budget</i> 1964-65	<i>Actual</i> 1964-65
10. Revenue from Local Sources		
11.11 Current Appropriation	734 206 00	737 432 00
11.12 Deficit Appropriation		1 017 27
19.10 Trust Funds	10 000 00	10 234 74
19.20 Earnings from Temp. Inv.	28 053 00	22 110 37
19.30 Rent	25 00	300 00
19.90 Other Local Receipts		6 00
Total Local Revenue	772 284 00	771 100 38
30. Revenue from State Sources		
32. School Building Aid	23 415 00	23 415 00
34. Driver Education		1 440 00
35. Intellectually Retarded	1 000 00	744 53
36. Sweepstakes	18 660 00	27 488 47
Total State Revenue	43 075 00	53 088 00
40. Revenue from Federal Sources		
45. School Lunch and Milk	3 879 00	952 96
47. Public Law 874	10 000 00	11 574 00
Total Federal Revenue	13 879 00	12 526 96
50. Received from Bonds and Notes		
52. Principal of Notes		35 000 00
53. Premiums and Interest		4 180 33
Total from Bonds and Notes		39 180 33
80. Received from Other Districts		
89. Dresden Bond Payments	32 117 00	32 117 00
Total Net Receipts	861 355 00	908 012 67
Cash on Hand July 1, 1964	6 000 00	5 821 26
Capital Outlay Fund		2 447 82
Grand Total Net Receipts	867 355 00	916 281 75

Distribution of Expenditures

	<i>Budget</i> 1964-65	<i>Actual</i> 1964-65
100. Administration		
110. Salaries, District Officers	850 00	850 00
135. Contracted Services	950 00	1 120 00
190. Other Expenses	3 080 00	2 447 61
	4 880 00	4 417 61
100 Series Total		
200. Instruction		
210. Salaries	219 905 00	219 640 04
215. Textbooks	3 949 00	4 370 97
220. Library and Audio-Visual	3 974 00	3 032 85
230. Teaching Supplies	8 560 00	10 286 24
235. Contracted Services	900 00	912 00
290. Other Expenses	3 630 00	2 045 34
	240 918 00	240 287 44
200 Series Total		
300. Attendance—Series Total	25 00	25 00
400. Health Services		
410. Salaries	2 791 00	3 336 53
490. Other Expenses	1 224 00	779 64
	4 015 00	4 116 17
400 Series Total		
500. Pupil Transportation		
510. Salaries	1 100 00	1 100 00
535. Contracted Services	13 662 00	13 569 60
555. Insurance	375 00	339 13
590. Other Expenses	1 660 00	1 778 29
	16 797 00	16 787 02
500 Series Total		
600. Operation of Plant		
610. Salaries	10 355 00	11 108 83
630. Supplies	1 980 00	3 377 86
635. Contracted Services	1 126 00	1 249 40
640. Heat	9 000 00	8 025 62
645. Utilities	4 628 00	4 392 92
690. Other Expenses	185 00	65 69
	27 274 00	28 220 32
600 Series Total		
700. Maintenance of Plant		
725. Replacement of Equipment	(Not	436 59
726. Repairs to Equipment	Allocated	304 93
735. Contracted Services		8 847 94
766. Repairs to Buildings	in	579 29
790. Other Expenses	Budget)	13 16
	9 443 00	10 181 91
700 Series Total		

	<i>Budget</i> 1964-65	<i>Actual</i> 1964-65
800. Fixed Charges		
850. Retirement and Social Security	16 801 00	17 037 30
855. Insurance	2 778 50	705 95
860. Rental, H. S. Facilities	1 540 00	1 040 00
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800 Series Total	21 119 50	18 783 25
900. School Lunch and Milk		
975.1 Federal Monies	3 879 00	952 96
975.2 District Monies	1 212 00	1 212 00
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900 Series Total	5 091 00	2 164 96
1200. Capital Outlay		
1265. Sites	(Not	36 031 77
1266. Buildings	Allocated	4 700 00
1267. Equipment	in Budget)	11 281 75
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1200 Series Total	7 554 00	52 013 52
1300. Debt Service		
1370. Principal of Debt	77 000 00	77 000 00
1371. Interest on Debt	39 194 50	32 972 15
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1300 Series Total	116 194 50	109 972 15
1400. Outgoing Transfer Accounts		
1477.10 Tuition in State		989 00
1477.30 Share of Supervisory Union	13 255 00	13 255 00
1477.50 Payments into Capital Reserve	1 000 00	2 000 00
1477.90 Share of Dresden	399 510 00	399 510 00
1478.10 Tuition out of State	279 00	
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1400 Series Total	414 044 00	415 754 00
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Total Net Expenditures	867 355 00	902 723 35
Cash on Hand June 30, 1965		13 317 60
Capital Outlay Fund		240 80
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Grand Total Net Expenditures		916 281 75

ANNUAL CAPITAL OUTLAY SUMMARY

Covering Receipts and Expenditures for the Period
July 1, 1964 to June 30, 1965

Receipts

Notes or Bonds	584 000 00
Dividends and Interest	4 180 33
District Appropriation (Special)	1 017 27
Other Receipts	534 17
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Total Receipts During Year	589 731 77
Cash on Hand July 1, 1964	2 447 82
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Grand Total Receipts	592 179 59

Expenditures

Purchase of Site (Elem.)	36 031 77
General Contract (Hanover Share of Dresden Bldg. Acct.)	549 000 00
Other Expenditures: Bank Fees—Site Acq.	4 700 00
Furniture and Equipment	2 207 02
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Total Expenditures During Year	591 938 79
Cash on Hand June 30, 1965	240 80
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Grand Total Expenditures	592 179 59

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS SUMMARY

(BUS)

Capital Reserve Funds Held by Trustees as of July 1, 1964	1 028 47
Plus Amount Paid into Capital Reserve Funds During Year	2 000 00
Plus Amount of Interest Earned on Capital Reserve Funds During Year	93 95
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Capital Reserve Funds Held by Trustees as of June 30, 1965	3 122 42

BALANCE SHEET—JUNE 30, 1965

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1965:	
General Fund	13 317 60
Building Fund	240 80
Accounts Due to District:	
From Town or City	9 128 34
From Others:	
Dresden School District (Refund for pre-existing indebtedness for July-August 1964 teachers' salaries)	28 917 42
Norwich (Vt.) School District (Refund—tuition—1966 Vt. Legislature)	7 639 00
Capital Reserves: (Held by Trustees)	3 122 42
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Total Assets	62 365 58
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities Over Assets)	1 218 579 64
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GRAND TOTAL	1 280 945 22

Liabilities

Amounts Reserved for Special Purposes:	
Building Fund	240 80
Accounts Owed by District:	
Dresden School District (To correct pre-existing indebtedness for July-Aug. 1964 teacher salaries)	39 582 00
Capital Reserves: (Offsets Similar Asset Account)	3 122 42
Notes and Bonds Outstanding	1 238 000 00
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Total Liabilities	1 280 945 22
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GRAND TOTAL	1 280 945 22

STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

	<i>Elemen- tary Addition 1950</i>	<i>High School Heating Plant</i>	<i>H. S. & Elem. Additions 1956</i>	<i>Elemen- tary Addition 1959</i>	<i>Elemen- tary Site 1965</i>	<i>High School Addition 1964</i>	<i>Total</i>
Outstanding at Beginning of Year	86 000 00	8 000 00	477 000 00	160 000 00			731 000 00
Issued During Year					35 000 00	549 000 00	584 000 00
Principal Payments	13 000 00	4 000 00	30 000 00	10 000 00		20 000 00	77 000 00
Outstanding at End of Year	73 000 00	4 000 00	447 000 00	150 000 00	35 000 00	529 000 00	1 238 000 00

SUMMARY
REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
for the
Fiscal Year July 1, 1964 to June 30, 1965

Cash on Hand July 1, 1964 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		5 821 26
Current Appropriation	737 432 00	
Deficit Appropriation	1 017 27	
Revenue from State Sources	53 088 00	
Revenue from Federal Sources	12 526 96	
Received from Notes and Bonds	39 180 33	
Received from Trust Funds	10 234 74	
Received from all Other Sources	139 233 37	
Total Receipts		992 712 67
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)		998 533 93
Less School Board Orders Paid		985 216 33
Balance on Hand June 30, 1965 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		13 317 60
July 15, 1965	MARJORIE T. SCOTT <i>District Treasurer</i>	

HANOVER BUILDING ACCOUNT

Cash on Hand July 1, 1964 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		2 447 82
Less School Board Orders Paid		2 207 02
Balance on Hand June 30, 1965 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		240 80
July 15, 1965	MARJORIE T. SCOTT <i>District Treasurer</i>	

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hanover, N. H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965 and find them correct in all respects.

July 27, 1965 **EDGAR F. COSTELLO**
Auditor

**HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET 1966-1967**

Expenditures

<i>Account</i>	<i>Budget 1965-66</i>	<i>Budget 1966-67</i>	<i>Increase or Decrease</i>
Administration	4 684 00	3 585 00	—1 099 00
Instruction	271 512 00	310 193 00	38 681 00
(Teachers' Salaries)	(217 156 00)	(247 350 00)	(30 194 00)
Attendance	25 00	25 00	0
Health	4 815 00	5 564 00	749 00
Transportation	21 455 00	22 231 00	776 00
Plant Operation	29 155 00	32 890 00	3 735 00
Plant Maintenance	8 562 00	5 642 00	—2 920 00
Fixed Charges	22 464 00	28 166 00	5 702 00
School Lunch	6 194 00	2 400 00	—3 794 00
Capital Outlay	6 683 00	5 459 00	—1 224 00
Debt Service	125 126 00	117 252 00	—7 874 00
Transfer Accounts	445 271 00	514 570 00	69 299 00
(Share of Dresden)	(428 342 00)	(494 670 00)	(66 328 00)
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Total Expenditures	945 946 00	1 047 977 00	102 031 00
Title I, P.L. 89-10, Incentive Grant*		3 330 00*	3 330 00*
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GRAND TOTAL			
EXPENDITURES	945 946 00	1 051 307 00	105 361 00

*Offset by Equal Amount in Receipts

Receipts

<i>Source</i>	<i>Item</i>	<i>Anticipated 1966-67</i>
Local	Balance July 1	3 500 00
	Trust Funds	10 000 00
	Special Reserve	25 500 00
	Other (Rent, etc.)	150 00
State	Building Aid	24 915 00
	Special Education	1 300 00
	Sweepstakes	25 000 00
Federal	Title III, N.D.E.A.	2 000 00
	P.L. 874 (Federal Impact)	6 350 00
	Title I, P.L. 89-10	5 000 00
Other Districts	Tuition	2 388 00
	Rent (H.S. and Supt. off.)	2 300 00
	Dresden Bond Payment	30 543 00
Total Receipts Other Than Taxes		138 946 00
Capital Reserve for Bus		1 000 00
Total Expenditures		1 047 977 00
		—139 946 00
To be Raised by Taxes		908 031 00
Total Anticipated Receipts		1 047 977 00
Supplementary Receipt:		
Title I, P.L. 89-10 Incentive Grant		3 330 00
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS		1 051 307 00

REPORT OF THE HANOVER SCHOOL BOARD

A year ago the School Board reported that the most crucial problem facing the Elementary School was the overcrowded conditions in the building and on the playground. Since that time, our major concern has been to find the best and most economical long range solution to this problem, which is even more acute today. Not only must we house the sixth grade in four rooms in the High School but next year we need two additional rooms outside the schools to accommodate the rapidly expanding number of pupils. It is hoped that arrangements can be made with one of the local churches, probably St. Denis, to rent two rooms until we can build adequate space. Recently revised school population estimates indicate that we must build a new school as soon as possible.

To help us in this gigantic task of planning for the future, the Chairman appointed a Building Advisory Committee which includes members of the Board and the following citizens in the community: Mr. Charles F. Dey, Mr. Richard Fowler, Mr. Seaver Peters, Mrs. Richard W. Sterling, and Mr. Henry L. Terrie. Mr. John G. Skewes is Chairman of the Committee. This Committee has been charged with the responsibility of making recommendations to the Board for the selection of the architects, the review of educational specifications, the planning for the optimum use of the present school, and the building of a new school on Reservoir Road. At the same time a Committee of teachers under the leadership of Superintendent William G. Zimmerman, Jr., Principal Bernice A. Ray, and our new Assistant Principal, J. William Ellis, has been meeting throughout the year to develop a set of educational specifications for the elementary school program. This is being reviewed by the Advisory Committee and the Board and will be presented to the architects.

The School District owns an unusual and beautiful site of 35 acres on Reservoir Road. In order to make the wisest use of this site, the School Board applied to the Harriet M. Spaulding Trust and received a grant of \$3,000.00 for a pilot project to demonstrate the value of planning the use of the whole school site before planning any buildings. The firm of E. H. and M. K. Hunter was retained to prepare a site plan and this will be used by the architects as a guideline in designing facilities for the new school. It is a very imaginative and thoughtful plan.

There is an article in the Warrant for an adjourned School

District Meeting so that the voters may have the opportunity to vote on a proposed bond issue before the next regular March meeting.

The School Board would like to express its great appreciation to the administration and the teachers and the non-Board members of the Building Advisory Committee for the extraordinary number of hours that have gone into planning for the new school. With this kind of careful thought, Hanover should have a new school based on wise economy and a fine educational program.

In addition to planning the new school, the School Board has carried on its usual policy making functions in the operation of the school. The Superintendent's report covers many details of the past year in the school. A special word of thanks goes to the Friends of the Hanover Schools and Mrs. Jean Kemeny, the fund-raising Chairman, for the Arthur E. Pierce Memorial Fund which will provide special books for the elementary and high school libraries.

There is an article in the Warrant asking for authorization to select representatives—two Board members and one district representative—to serve on a cooperative school district planning committee. This committee would explore the pros and cons of a cooperative to include the present Hanover Elementary, Norwich Elementary, Dresden, and Lyme School Districts. It is a study committee with no financial commitment. The Board requests favorable action on this article.

The past year has seen substantial improvements in the quality of Hanover's elementary education and the School Board looks forward to even greater advances with a new elementary school.

Respectfully submitted,

ELISABETH M. BRADLEY

Chairman

FREDERIC RUECKERT

Vice Chairman

RAYMOND W. BARRATT

JOHN W. FINCH

JOHN W. SCHLEICHER

JOHN G. SKEWES

Hanover School Board

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hanover:

I submit, herewith, my annual report for the Hanover School District and the Hanover Elementary School. It may prove helpful to the reader to refer to my annual report for the Dresden School District (located further on in this booklet) inasmuch as many of the points mentioned therein relate to the elementary school and the Hanover District.

STAFF

Mr. J. William Ellis has been serving as Assistant Principal for Curriculum in the Hanover Elementary School since September. He has made several significant contributions to the Elementary School program and has devoted a large portion of his time to assisting the staff in developing the educational specifications for the proposed new elementary school.

The only new position in this system during the current academic year has been that of teacher-librarian. Mrs. Frances C. Richmond, who has been a sixth grade teacher in our system for several years and who has had substantial preparation in the field of library science, was appointed to the Elementary School librarianship. She has done some excellent work in this program, particularly in organizing the library, cataloguing the books, and programing an instructional program for grades K-6 in library usage and training; she has also set up an administrative organization for processing and ordering books as well as using lay people in the community who have been of tremendous assistance to us as library aides.

ENROLLMENTS

The enrollments in the Hanover Elementary School continue to rise. There have been frequent attempts in the past to predict school enrollment, many of which indicated future "leveling off" periods. These never did materialize, and the growth pattern in the Hanover School System has been relatively constant, although the school population has stabilized for one or two year periods from time to time. It should be pointed out

that attempts to predict school enrollments are fraught with pitfalls, and there are many variables which could throw off any predictions to a considerable extent. The following listing shows the rise in school population in the Hanover Elementary School, grades K-6, during the past decade:

<i>Year</i>	<i>Enrollment as of November 1</i>
1955-56	514
1956-57	541
1957-58	577
1958-59	626
1959-60	620
1960-61	642
1961-62	659
1962-63	710
1963-64	699
1964-65	705
1965-66	749
Enrollment as of Jan. 30, 1965	759
Anticipated for 1966-67	795-800

PRESENT OVERCROWDED CONDITIONS

The present Elementary School has sufficient space for housing 560 students exclusive of the double session of kindergarten which bring the maximum capacity to 600 students. We have an enrollment at the present time of 759 students. One hundred students in grade six are presently housed in the Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School in four rooms rented from the Dresden School District. Next year we anticipate an enrollment of close to 800 students and we simply do not have a place in the school to put them.

The arrangement for housing the sixth grades in the Jr.-Sr. High School is temporary, inasmuch as the High School could use the space in 1966-67 and will absolutely require it in 1967-68. Nearby church facilities have been rented for housing two of the kindergarten classes, a not entirely satisfactory arrangement which should be for as short a term as possible.

In addition to the acute problems raised by the overcrowded conditions in the school and the necessity for sub-standard schoolhousing on a borrowed basis, there are other inadequa-

cies in the present schoolhousing for the elementary program. I will list these below:

1. Some of our classes are now in excess of the recognized maximum elementary school class size of 25 students. The overcrowding in individual classrooms will be even greater next year. This means simply that the teacher's span of control is extended beyond reasonable limits, and the teacher cannot be expected to give the needed individual attention to each student.
2. The classrooms in the 1923 building are now obsolete. They are far too small, far below the standard size of the modern elementary school classroom, and they have little or no storage space. They are not satisfactory for the modern day curriculum of an updated elementary school.
3. The placement of the gymnasium in the middle of the 1923 building interferes with the regular academic program of the school because of the noise transmitted from this area to the surrounding classrooms.
4. Our art and music classrooms are approximately one-third the size required by the State Department of Education for these subjects.
5. Our play areas and physical education outdoor teaching stations are extremely crowded. We simply do not have sufficient outdoor stations for a school of this size. We have approximately six and one-half acres assigned to the Elementary School, of which a substantial portion contains the school building.

A school of this size should have a minimum of twenty acres. We do not have adequate indoor physical education teaching stations and must rent part of the High School facilities for this purpose. Several of our elementary physical education classes must be scheduled in the old gymnasium in the High School.

6. Our administrative and health suite has become overcrowded and obsolete.
7. We do not have a single large group instruction area, nor any flexibility within the school plant to provide for various sized groups for instructional purposes. School assemblies have to be limited to one or two a year because of the inaccessibility of the gymnasium for these assemblies.

I do not intend that the above items be taken in the wrong

light. We do have some very fine new classrooms in some of the more recent additions to the Elementary School but the excessive population of the school has presented us with near impossible physical conditions for housing a school program of the quality expected and desired in this community. I am confident that the staff, the School Board, the lay Building Advisory Committee, and the community will respond to this need for additional school facilities in the very near future and will make them available to the school.

ADDED STAFF

The Hanover Elementary School will add three additional staff members for the 1966-67 school year:

1. Kindergarten teacher.—We anticipate from 128 to 140 kindergarten students for the 1966-67 school year. If we were to attempt to continue with only two kindergarten teachers, this would mean classes of approximately 40 students. The recommended number of students for kindergarten classes is between 15 and 20. Because a kindergarten class load of 40 students is an indefensible and impossible class load, it is essential to add a kindergarten teacher to alleviate this situation.
2. Fourth grade teacher.—Our enrollments in grade four for next year without an added teacher would go well above 30 in all sections. We feel it absolutely necessary to add a fourth grade teacher to alleviate this condition.
3. French teacher.—We will add a French teacher and initiate an elementary school foreign language program in grades four through six during the 1966-67 school year. This teacher will meet with each class each day for a brief session of 15 to 20 minutes as recommended by the Modern Language Association and it will not be necessary to provide a separate classroom for this program. The teacher will travel from one class to another throughout the upper elementary grades.

If we had the space, we would be asking the community to add two more teachers, one in grade five and one in grade six. We do not have room to do so. Classes at these grade levels will exceed a desirable maximum of 25, but with the present shortage of classrooms we are powerless to do anything to alleviate this situation. It is my hope that the community and the parents will bear with us during the next year and will realize that we will do the best we can under the present over-

crowded conditions to see that each child is properly provided for.

PLANNING FOR THE NEW SCHOOL

In the early spring of 1965, I appointed a Staff Building Advisory Committee to assist me in the planning and development of the educational program for a new elementary school.

This Advisory Committee worked throughout the remainder of the school year in reviewing the literature and research on elementary programs and schoolhousing. They surveyed the site, reviewed the present status of our program, and assisted with the development of the Site Plan.

In September, 1965, the Committee began the task of writing educational specifications for the new Hanover Elementary School to be built on the Reservoir Road site. This feat involved many evening meetings, weekend writing sessions, and numerous review and discussion sessions after school. From the beginning, the Committee has worked as individuals and in small groups to do the initial research and rough drafts. Suggestions were made, editing done, and the results discussed by the entire committee. This first draft was presented to the entire teaching staff and to various elementary school educational consultants for comments and suggestions. Many of these comments were incorporated in the second draft which was presented to the School Board and its Advisory Committee for review and revision.

Thousands of man-hours have already gone into the planning and preparation for the new elementary building program. I am convinced that these efforts will lead to the building of an excellent and forward-looking school plant.

CURRICULUM

I am not going to go into great detail on curriculum matters in this year's report, inasmuch as I did so last year. Our test scores continue to be exceedingly high on nationally standardized achievement tests and range between 20-30% above the national norms.

We have had excellent results with our Departmentalized Intermediate Unit (grades 4-6) which allows the teacher to concentrate in one or two subject areas.

The Library.—The most significant single improvement in the elementary program during the year has been the provision for a library room (one of the few elementary school libraries

in New Hampshire) and the staffing of the library by a full time teacher-librarian.

In January of 1965 the Hanover Elementary School Library consisted of about 700 books placed on book trucks, labeled "Grades 4-6" and "Kindergarten-Grade 3." These traveled from one room to another. Books were returned to Room 7, the library headquarters, where the teacher and sixth grade helpers took care of the books and the records. Four high school Girl Scouts each spent several hours a week keeping the books in order and assisting in cataloguing.

The doors of our new library opened on September 9 with an inventory of 960 books. These were housed in four large bookcases and a reference book shelf on loan from Dartmouth College. Many community groups have contributed time and financial resources to aid the development of the Library, including the Friends of the Hanover Schools, the P.T.A., the Hanover Conservation Council, the Girl Scouts, and several parents who have volunteered their services. This assistance, together with the amount of money for library books in the school budget, has made it possible for us to have, at this writing, a collection of nearly 1,500 volumes.

From the very beginning, volunteers have given countless hours. The fact that the library could be opened the first week of school and new books made available so quickly was due to the devoted effort of three volunteers. Since October, a volunteer staff of twelve mothers has been set up to help during school hours each day. Their aid is indispensable to free the librarian for teaching, story-telling, book selection, committee work, and coordinating with classroom teachers. They also assist with the time-consuming but necessary mechanics of running the library. In addition to this staff of mothers, we also have a staff of nine senior Girl Scouts who spend two hours a week after school, helping with library routines, typing, and arranging exhibits.

In order to allow maximum use of the library by all the children, a schedule has been set up so that each reading group in grades 4-6 is assigned a half-hour library period a week. This time is used in various ways. By prearrangement, there may be book talks or stories by the librarian. Otherwise, the children come to the library as an entire class, in small groups, or even singly to exchange books, to browse through books and magazines, or to use some of the library reference materials. There is a similar schedule for grades 2-3 during the afternoons.

With grades 2-3 there is not only story-telling, but some teaching of library skills. For instance, during the latter part of the year the use of the card catalogue will be started with Grade 3. The first grades come once a week for a story hour and to choose books to take back to their rooms. When the teachers feel the children are ready, these first graders will also spend a part of their assigned time choosing books for individual reading. The kindergarten groups come to the library every other week for a story hour.

We are teaching reference and library skills to the upper grades (4-6) through their language classes. One sixth grade group and one fourth grade group have each been through this unit. The sixth grade instruction included the use of the Howe Library as well as our own school library.

The library is open every day from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. No attempt is made to count the numbers of children who use the library during their free time. Many children make the library a stopping place in the morning before school begins and some visit regularly after classes are over in the afternoon.

A few statistics from the month of October might be of value to show how the library is used. During these four weeks the teacher-librarian taught library skills or told stories or gave book talks to 1810 students during 40 hours assigned as class time. The total circulation was 2117 volumes (of which 772 were non-fiction).

Our aims for the students are first of all that they may find warmth and friendliness in the library; next, that they may thrill to the discovery of good books; and finally, that they will think of the library *first* when they need answers to unsolved questions or when research on any topic is indicated. With increased independent reading, skill and enjoyment of reading should increase. By learning to use the library as another reference tool, the students should increase their ability to choose and to evaluate sources of information.

Student pride in their library and pleasure in using it has had its beginning in the elementary school this year. Hopefully, this pride and pleasure will continue as lifelong habits. We now have an increased awareness of the value of a library-centered school. I feel this has been a significant advance in the upgrading of our elementary program and I wish to commend the School Board and the community for their farsightedness in making this program a reality.

Reading.—Our Elementary School special reading program

is primarily corrective or remedial. It is an extremely flexible program and seeks to identify reading difficulties as soon as possible. When these have been diagnosed, they are referred to our specialist in corrective reading who works with small groups of children to correct the difficulties and return the students to their regular reading classes as soon as possible. A number of students who spend considerable time in corrective or remedial reading in the elementary school attain the Honor Roll at the high school level during their secondary school years. Few schools in this section of the country have such a program and, consequently, many students develop reading problems in the elementary grades which seriously affect their educational achievements in later years. We give individual tests of reading capacity and achievement to well over 200 students each year who have potential reading problems. The students are assigned to the corrective reading teacher in groups of four to eleven. They are kept for indefinite periods of time. Some students remain in corrective reading for only a few weeks, whereas other students may remain in corrective reading for two or three years. As soon as the difficulties have been overcome, the students are returned to the normal reading classes. I would like to take this opportunity to emphasize that many students who are assigned to corrective reading are not serious reading disability cases. Many of them are reading at grade level but below their individual capacity. We attempt to develop the necessary skills and rate of comprehension factors to the point where these students read up to their individual capabilities. This is a highly individualized approach to the teaching of reading and it is one of the very strong factors in our reading specialist program. In grades two and three, students assigned to these classes meet for a total of one hour and forty minutes per week, and in grades four through six they meet for a total of two hours and fifteen minutes per week. At the present time there are 73 children in grades two through six who are receiving special reading instruction. The highest percentage of these children are at the second and third grade levels. It is during these years that we have a good, clear picture of what the reading problems are and how to correct them, and for most children we can do this corrective work before they reach grade five. For example, 24 children from last year's special reading classes are at or above grade level in regular classes in reading this year. This is an excellent program although at present it is overcrowded. We hope to

alleviate this by adding additional part-time reading assistance with Title I funds of the Elementary-Secondary Act of 1965.

Social Studies.—Teachers and pupils continue to show enthusiasm for our new social studies program. This program was so well received throughout the state that the Hanover School District was given an award for major achievement for “a coordinated social studies program” by the New Hampshire Council for Better Schools.

Mathematics.—The Greater Cleveland Mathematics Program (“modern mathematics”) was extended this year to include grade six. This includes the phasing out of the SMSG “new math” program. At the intermediate level, it has been necessary to adjust this program for the children in the low sections who have trouble working with abstract concepts. A study is being made to provide additional modern mathematics enrichment materials for use next year.

Science.—We are in the process of setting up a science program that will incorporate the most recent trends in the teaching of elementary school science. We are working with the Norwich School District on a special grant from the U. S. Office of Education to study such experimental programs as: E.S.I., E.S.S., and the Illinois University Program. This project will include teacher workshops, in-service training, and extension courses which will better prepare our staff for teaching the modern concepts of science.

Reading.—This year we updated our basal reading program by purchasing the Multi-Ethnic edition of the Curriculum Foundation Series (1965) published by Scott Foresman. Our independent reading program has been reinforced by the most recent editions of Science Research Associates’ Reading Laboratories in grades one through six and an added Controlled Reader.

SCHOOL HEALTH

A general appraisal which included height, weight, check of teeth and hair was done on each child in the Elementary School. Eye examinations were performed on each child in the school, and hearing tests for those in kindergarten, first, second, fourth, and sixth grades. The school physician examined 515 pupils in grades kindergarten, four, seven, ten, in addition to the athletic groups. The Dental Clinic was held each week with five of the local dentists participating; 34 pupils were treated. Immunization clinics were held in May and June,

128 smallpox vaccinations, 167 diphtheria-tetanus-toxoid boosters, and 112 tuberculin tests were performed in kindergarten, fourth, seventh, and tenth grades. Dr. John Schleicher gave a series of lectures on human reproduction to the girls in grades five through ten and the boys in grades six through ten. We have had extremely favorable comments from many of the parents on this program and are indebted to Dr. Schleicher for his assistance. Dr. Anthonisen and her staff held conferences throughout the year in the Elementary School; these conferences have proven once again to be of great value to the school in mental health problems. Five of our students received speech therapy this year. The school nurse, in addition to administering first aid and attending to the many children who are referred to her office each day, also assisted the principal with the registration of new pupils in May and August, distributed gifts donated by the various community groups to needy children, and performed the other public health duties which are required of a school nurse.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

During the 1965-66 school year we are operating under an experimental academic year calendar. We have a one-week vacation which coincides with the Dartmouth College Spring Recess in March, and 2 long weekends (Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday), one in late January and one in early May. The decision to adopt this type of calendar for a trial period of one year was made after several months of study precipitated by strong community feelings that such a calendar would be desirable. The effects of this calendar on the students, the program, and the staff will be evaluated at the close of the academic year. Hence, the school calendar for 1966-67 will not be prepared until this summer.

CONCLUSION

I wish to pay tribute to Principal Bernice Ray, Assistant Principal J. William Ellis, and the entire elementary staff for their intense dedication to the best education possible for our students. Hanover is most fortunate to have these skilled professionals in its school. The elementary custodial and clerical staffs have also given loyal and excellent service. I wish to express my appreciation for the cooperation and support accorded me and our staff by the School Board, the P.T.A., and

by the many friends of the Hanover Elementary School. It has been a privilege to serve this community during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. ZIMMERMAN, JR.
Superintendent of Schools

TEACHERS—1965-66*

Elementary School

- BERNICE A. RAY, Principal (1929); Boston Univ., B.S. in Ed., + 10 crs.
- J. WILLIAM ELLIS, JR., Assistant Principal (1965); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 20 crs.
- ANN G. ATWOOD, Math., Grade 5 (1963); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 6 crs.
- LILLIAN K. BAILEY, Grade 3 (1948); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed., + M.Ed., + 19 crs.
- GAIL A. BELANGER, Math, English, Reading, Science, Grade 4 (1964); Green Mountain Col., A.A., Univ. of Wisconsin, B.S.
- MARCIA L. BOHAN, Grade 3 (1964); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.A.
- RUTH C. BROWN, Grade 2 (1951); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 30 crs.
- RUTH L. BROWN, Grade 2 (1955); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 27 crs.
- MARJORIE Y. BUTLER, Reading, Math., English, Social Studies, Grade 4 (1952); Douglass Col., Rutgers Univ., Litt. B., + 39 crs.
- ELEANOR CADBURY, Kindergarten (1954); Hollins Col., B. of Music, Teachers' Col., Columbia Univ., M.A., + 19 crs.
- THETA C. CLAFLIN, Science, Grade 5 (1958); Middlebury Col., B.S. + 38 crs.
- RUTH E. DENNIS, Grade 2 (1947); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed., + 31 crs.

*Position follows name; year in parenthesis is first year employed in Hanover Schools.

- MAURA E. DONAHUE, Art (1965); Rhode Island School of Design, B.S. in Art. Ed., + 25 crs.
- JUDITH A. DYKE, English, Grade 6 (1965); Keuka Col., B.S.
- RUTH F. EATON, English, Grade 5 (1950); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 25 crs.
- GAIL L. ENSHER, Special Class (1965); Denison Univ., B.A., Boston Univ., M.Ed.
- KAREN R. GENTZLER, Grade 1 (1965); Shippensburg State Col., B.S. in Ed.
- ELIZABETH L. GILLESPIE, Social Studies, Grade 6 (1965); Northeastern Univ., B.S., Harvard Univ., Ed.M., + 12 crs.
- MARY V. GOLDING, Remedial Reading (1947); Teachers' Col., Columbia Univ., B.S. Elem. Ed., + 46 crs.
- ESTHER C. GROVER, Grade 3 (1954); Lowell Teachers' Col., 54 crs.
- MARSHA HAARTZ, Physical Ed. (1965); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.S. in Phys. Educ.
- ELAINE K. HAWTHORNE, Grade 3 (1965); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 6 crs.
- DOROTHY C. HEEREMANS, Grade 3 (1963); Buffalo State Teachers' Col., B.S. in Ed. + 9 crs.
- JOHN J. JABLONSKI, Physical Ed. (1964); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed.
- RICHARD T. LATHROP, JR., Science, Grade 6 (1963); Boston Univ., B.S. in Business Admin., + 30 crs.
- ETHEL S. LOOMIS, Math, English, Reading, Science, Grade 4 (1954); Boston Univ., B. Religious Ed., + 39 crs.
- L. LOIS MARLER, Grade 2 (1959); Friends Univ., B.A., Philadelphia School of Occupational Therapy, O.T.R., Wheelock Col., M.S. in Ed., + 22 crs.
- ELIZABETH L. ORCUTT, Grade 1 (1951); Keene State Col., 25 crs.

DEANNA T. PORTER, Grade 1 (1964); Univ. of Pittsburgh, B.S., M.Ed.

TERESA F. RAPLEY, Math, Grade 6 (1964); Univ. of Miami, B.Ed.

SARAH O. REID, Kindergarten (1959); Colby Jr. Col., A.A., Lesley Col., B.S. in Ed., + 18 crs.

FRANCES C. RICHMOND, Librarian (1954); Middlebury Col., A.B., + 61 crs.

NATALIE SMITH, Grade 1 (1959); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed., + 9 crs.

IONA S. STIMSON, Social Studies, Grade 5 (1952); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.Ed., + 21 crs.

PATRICIA R. TALBOT, Music (1964); Bryn Mawr, B.A., Harvard Univ., M.A., + 3 crs.

MARTHA J. WINN, Reading, Math, English, Social Studies, Grade 4 (1965); Olivet Col., B.A., Boston Univ., M.Ed.

BERTHA L. WOODWARD, Grade 1 (1959); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 21 crs.

Medical

IRMA J. SIMENEAU, School Nurse (1955); Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, R.N., + 16 crs.

SEYMOUR E. WHEELOCK, School Doctor (1963); Dartmouth, A.B., Northwestern Univ. Med. School, M.D.

Superintendent of Schools

WILLIAM G. ZIMMERMAN, JR., Superintendent of Schools (1963 in Hanover, 1964 in present position), Univ. of New Hampshire, B.S., Univ. of Miami, M.Ed., Ed.D.

STEWART G. DAVIS, Assistant Superintendent of Schools (1957 in Hanover, 1964 in present position), Westminster Col., B.A., New York State Col. for Teachers, M.A., Teachers Col., Columbia Univ., 69 crs.

**COMPARATIVE YEARLY ENROLLMENTS
AS OF JUNE OF THE YEAR GIVEN**

Year	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Spec.	Total
1951-52	64	78	61	85	65	68	58		479
1952-53	77	75	70	62	79	64	66		493
1953-54	67	84	69	64	63	80	69		496
1954-55	73	75	84	70	65	66	77		510
1955-56	82	84	77	81	68	58	69		519
1956-57	79	93	88	80	80	64	56		540
1957-58	90	85	94	90	81	78	61		579
1958-59	101	94	81	89	91	73	86		615
1959-60	89	107	83	80	90	92	78		619
1960-61	97	90	103	87	81	90	84	15	647
1961-62	96	95	85	96	90	88	92	13	655
1962-63	102	117	91	98	97	100	93	12	710
1963-64	84	112	110	95	95	95	106	10	707
1964-65	103	91	110	108	98	92	100	9	711
First Semester,									
1965-66	104	117	100	116	105	108	98	10	758

ANNUAL REPORT

DRESDEN

SCHOOL DISTRICT

1966

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS
DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

John W. Schleicher, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1966
Robert E. Nye, Jr., <i>Vice-Chairman</i>	Term expires 1967
Donald L. Kreider, <i>Secretary</i>	Term expires 1968
Raymond W. Barratt	Term expires 1968
Elisabeth M. Bradley	Term expires 1966
John W. Finch	Term expires 1968
Cecilia B. Lewis	Term expires 1966
Frederic Rueckert	Term expires 1967
John G. Skewes	Term expires 1967

Allen R. Foley, *Moderator*

Shirley C. Clogston, *Clerk*

Marjorie T. Scott, *Treasurer*

Edgar H. Costello, *Auditor*

John M. Van Horn, *Auditor*

Stephen T. Welch, *Auditor*

Dr. William G. Zimmerman, Jr., *Superintendent of Schools*

Stewart G. Davis, *Assistant Superintendent*

Elson S. Herrick, *Principal*

Paul K. Stimson, *Director of Guidance*

Dr. Seymour E. Wheelock, *School Physician*

Irma J. Simeneau, *School Nurse*

WARNING FOR ANNUAL MEETING
of the
DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hanover, New Hampshire — Norwich, Vermont

The legal voters of the Norwich (Vermont) Town School District and the legal voters of the Hanover (New Hampshire) School District are hereby notified and warned to meet at the Auditorium of the High School in Hanover, New Hampshire, on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of February, 1966, at 7:30 in the evening, for the purpose of holding the Annual Meeting of the Dresden School District and for the purpose of transacting the following business:

Article 1. To elect a moderator, a clerk, and a treasurer each to serve for a term of one year, and one auditor to serve for a term of three years.

Article 2. To hear the reports of the officers and agents of the District and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 3. To see what sum of money the District will appropriate for the support of its schools and for other lawful expenses for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1966, and to authorize the application against such appropriation of the estimated income of the District, the balance to be apportioned between and raised by the Hanover School District and the Norwich Town School District, in accordance with the legislation authorizing the District and with the Articles of Agreement.

Article 4. To see if the District will vote to appropriate, in addition to the original appropriation for 1965-66, a sum of money in the amount of Two Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Nine Dollars (\$2,999.00) in order to meet obligations due primarily to an unexpected need for an additional teacher. Said deficit will not necessitate additional raising of money inasmuch as there is an offsetting cash balance in receipts.

Article 5. To see if the District will authorize the Board of School Directors to apply for and accept grants and aid from

the United States, the State of New Hampshire, the State of Vermont, and any agency or municipality thereof, or from private corporations and individuals for the construction, maintenance, reconstruction, operation, and financing of its schools, and to do any and all things necessary in order to avail the District of such aid and cooperation, or to take any other action relative thereto.

Article 6. To see if the District will create a cooperative school district planning committee and to elect the members thereof or determine that they shall be appointed by the Moderator.

Article 7. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the District this first day of February, 1966.

JOHN W. SCHLEICHER
ROBERT E. NYE, JR.
DONALD L. KREIDER
ELISABETH M. BRADLEY
JOHN W. FINCH
RAYMOND W. BARRATT
FREDERIC RUECKERT
JOHN G. SKEWES
CECILIA B. LEWIS
*Board of Directors,
Dresden School District*
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
*Clerk,
Dresden School District*

A True Copy, Attest:

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
*Clerk,
Dresden School District*

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hanover, N. H.

Norwich, Vt.

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

MARCH 1, 1965

The Annual Meeting of the Dresden School District was called to order by the Moderator, Allen R. Foley, at 7:40 P.M., E.S.T., March 1, 1965. The Warrant was read by the Moderator and the returns of posting and publication noted.

Article 1.

The following were elected to the offices and for the terms listed:

- Mr. Allen R. Foley, Moderator, 1 year.
- Mrs. Shirley C. Clogston, Clerk, 1 year.
- Mrs. Marjorie T. Scott, Treasurer, 1 year.
- Mr. Stephen T. Welch, Auditor, 3 years.

Article 2.

Motion made by Almon B. Ives that the reports of the officers and agents of the District be accepted as printed in the Report of the Dresden School District. Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

Article 3.

Motion made by John W. Schleicher that the District appropriate the sum of \$627,529.00 for the support of its schools and for other lawful expenses for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1965, and to authorize the application against such appropriation of the estimated income of the District, the balance to be apportioned between and raised by the Hanover School District and the Norwich Town School District, in accordance with the legislation authorizing the District and with the Articles of Agreement. Seconded.

Motion made that Article 3 be voted by written ballot.

Motion NOT seconded.

After discussion, Article 3 voted in the affirmative.

Article 4.

Motion made by Robert Nye that the District authorize the Board of School Directors to apply for and accept grants and aid from the United States, the State of New Hampshire, the State of Vermont, and any agency or municipality thereof, or from private corporations and individuals for the construction, maintenance, reconstruction, operation, and financing of its schools, and to do any and all things necessary in order to avail the District of such aid and cooperation, or to take any other action relative thereto. Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

Article 5.

There being no further business, motion made that the Meeting be adjourned. Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

Adjourned at 8:07 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
Clerk of Dresden School District

A True Copy, Attest:

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON
Clerk of Dresden School District

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hanover, N. H.

Norwich, Vt.

MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING

December 14, 1965

A special meeting of the Dresden School District was called to order by the Chairman of the Dresden School Board, John W. Schleicher, in the auditorium of the Hanover High School, Hanover, New Hampshire, at 7:30 P.M., E.S.T., on Tuesday, December 14, 1965.

Elected Stuart W. Russell as temporary Moderator.

Certified copy of the Superior Court Decree and Attest read by the Moderator.

Warrant read by the Moderator.

Return of Postings at Hanover, N. H. and Norwich, Vt. read by the Moderator.

Article 1.

Motion made by Frederic Rueckert that the District vote to accept the provisions of Public Law 89-10, designed to improve educational opportunities, with particular reference to children of low-income families, and to appropriate such funds as may be made available to the District under said federal act for such particular projects as may be determined by the School Board. Further moved that the District vote to authorize the School Board to make application for such funds and to expend the same for such projects as it may designate. Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

There being no further business, motion made that the Meeting be adjourned. Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

Adjourned at 7:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON

Clerk of Dresden School District

A True Copy, Attest:

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON

Clerk of Dresden School District

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DRESDEN BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

The most tangible accomplishment of the Dresden School District during the past year was the completion of the addition to the school plant. This has provided the district with essential physical space for added enrollment. A functional addition has been made for the educational opportunities of our students.

The patience, understanding, and cooperation of the architect, W. Brooke Fleck; the personal interest of the contractors, Trumbull-Nelson, Inc.; and the prudent supervision of the bond issue funds by the Dartmouth National Bank, have afforded us the opportunity of receiving more for our money than had originally been anticipated.

The parents of Dresden students were given an opportunity to tour the new addition in conjunction with parent-teacher evenings; and other interested school district residents were given a chance to inspect the new facilities on November 19, 1965.

A focal point of public interest and student activity is the new library. It is the intent of the Administration and the Board to develop this library to its fullest capacity. Budgetary allocations will be made to ensure fulfillment of this pledge.

No matter how many basic additions are made to any library, there is always room for additional books—those with special enrichment value. It is with thanks and appreciation that the Board acknowledges the gift of a permanent endowment for the purchase of such books. This will be provided by a fund raised and invested by the Friends of the Hanover Schools in memory of our late superintendent, Arthur E. Pierce.

In the Annual Report of the Dresden School District there appeared a joint report, issued by the Dresden Board of School Directors and the elected Auditors of the Dresden School District. In this report, the Auditors pointed out an error on the part of the Directors, which involved the payment of teachers' salaries during July and August of 1964. It was their opinion, and rightly so, that these were not legally permissible expenses of the Dresden School District; and it was requested that an equitable solution of this problem be reached prior to the end of the fiscal year on June 30, 1965.

The Board appreciated this finding, and entered into a series of computations which resulted in a revision of the budget and correction of this financial error. This recomputation and solution of this problem has been reviewed and approved by the New Hampshire State Department of Education.

Other suggestions made by the Auditors of the District with respect to accounting methods were received by the Board, and action on them is under consideration. Although the Board agrees in principle with them, present financial considerations preclude them, and the New Hampshire State Department of Education supports the Board in its decision that they are neither required nor at the moment practical.

As a direct result of this problem, and in view of the sums now involved in the annual Dresden School District budget, the Board of Directors has proposed that the District retain a firm of Certified Public Accountants to perform the necessary audits and prepare the required financial statements.

In the area of administration, it was obvious to the Board of Directors that the size of the student body leaves no doubt of the necessity for an Assistant Principal. We have far too many pupils, teachers, and staff for one individual to supervise in all spheres—attendance, discipline, curricular and extra-curricular activities, financial accounts of all student activities, etc.

The Board has received, examined, and forwarded to the N. H. State Department of Education for approval, a student handbook which the principal has compiled and which will be given to each entering Freshman. This explains standards of conduct expected of each student, describes school traditions, and announces school regulations.

You are referred hereby to the report of the Superintendent of Schools concerning the necessity of the addition of English and Social Studies teachers. These teachers are needed because of major curriculum revisions and increasing enrollment. In addition, our extra-curricular activities, particularly in the field of athletics, have become so complex that the Board has seen fit to appoint a Director of Athletics.

In a school district which continually demands quality education and which annually sends 85% of its students on to post-secondary education, an increasing enrollment would seem to make it obvious that personal attention in the area of guidance must of necessity increase. While the Board, for purely

economic reasons, has not recommended another guidance counselor this year, it seems obvious that failure to increase our strength in this area in the very near future is indeed false economy. We must not short-change our children at the very end of the "quality education" we have provided them.

An article in the warrant for the Dresden School District Meeting for a deficiency appropriation of \$2999.00 was necessitated by the hiring of an additional science teacher during the past year, and was approved by the Board at its meeting on May 11, 1965. Class enrollments dictated this vote.

Another special article in the warrant asks for authorization to select representatives—one board member, two district representatives—to serve on a cooperative school district planning committee. Inasmuch as the Dresden School District now includes only grades 7-12 in Hanover and Norwich, long range plans must include consideration of inclusion of Hanover-Norwich K-12, not only for curriculum considerations, but also for budgetary reasons. If Lyme were also considered as a potential cooperative school district member, many duplications in all areas would be eliminated, increased State aid would be received for total building costs, and further savings would be realized in all areas. Favorable action on this article is requested and advised by the Board. No financial commitment is involved.

Of major significance to our school system was the establishment of a special education program for grades 7-12. A maximum of 15 students will receive the attention necessary to develop the potential of each individual involved. Such classes are appearing in more and more school districts, for their importance becomes more obvious each day.

In a similar vein, application has been made for Federal funds under PL 89-10 in order that the District may add to the existing remedial and developmental reading program. Such funds will permit expansion of a successful program by including a larger number of students and hiring an additional part-time teacher in this special area.

The Budget Committee has carefully examined the proposed expenses for 1966-67 and reduced it to a minimum compatible with our educational requirements. The major increases in expense lie in the obvious area of salaries for all personnel. The continued increase in cost of living makes a rise in the base salary rate necessary in order that we may compete

successfully with other school districts in the area of teacher recruitment. Increased student enrollment and improvements in curriculum also require an increased number of teachers.

BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Hanover and Norwich:

THE DRESDEN DISTRICT

This is the second Annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools of the Dresden School District. After the frustrating and difficult year of 1964-65 spent trying to convince all agencies of government with which this office interacts that an interstate school district actually exists, it is a pleasure to report that the phenomenon of Dresden is now accepted and the administrative process is functioning quite smoothly.

ENROLLMENTS

Although the enrollments in grades 7-12 have risen steadily during the past several years, there seems to be no leveling off period in sight. Our enrollment projections for the next several years indicate a continual growth pattern.

1962-63	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	Anticipated 1966-67
575	623	764	806	851

Enrollments, September, 1965

Grade 7	135
8	155
9	142
10	137
11	125
12	102
Special Educ.	10
Total	806

Anticipated Enrollments, September, 1966

Grade 7	136
8	135
9	165
10	143
11	137
12	125
Special Educ.	10
Total	851

We anticipate an enrollment of 851 students in September of 1966. Our projections are relatively conservative and do not take into consideration unanticipated community growth or tuition factors. It should be pointed out that as enrollments continue to rise, it will be necessary to increase the size of the staff, the quantity of equipment and supplies, and the number of teaching stations.

SCHOOL FACILITIES

The Dresden Board of School Directors officially accepted the additions to the junior-senior high school at the "substantial completion" stage in October, 1965. The school year 1964-65 was an exceptionally difficult one for both the staff and the students because of the necessity for construction and renovation work concurrent with the school operation. Despite these difficulties, we were able to conduct our school program without the loss of a single instructional day and with a minimum of interference with the school program.

I wish to commend the staff and student body for their fine cooperation during the construction period.

By late summer, it became apparent that adjustments would have to be made in the construction schedule if the building were to be ready for occupancy by the opening of school. The alternative would have been to delay school opening and extend the school year to July or to conduct Saturday classes. The architect, W. Brooke Fleck, and the contractor, Trumbull-Nelson Company, worked very closely with the administration and custodial staff during the few weeks preceding the opening of school with the result that we had the building ready by midnight of the evening before school opened. Because of this construction schedule change, many of the finishing touches had to be deferred for completion during the 1965-66 academic year and some of this work is yet to be completed.

Following are the major aspects of the 1964-65 building program:

Library Wing

- a) *Basement floor.*—Book storage and supplementary stack area; four teacher preparation areas; scholar supply area; custodial station; boiler room.
- b) *Main floor.*—Main library; librarian's office; check-out counter and librarian's work area; large library reading-study area; audio-visual center; individual

research center; library classroom; teachers' lounge; small seminar-conference room; toilet facilities.

- c) *Second floor.*—Six electronic classrooms for foreign languages; large study hall.

Science (Junior High) Wing

- a) *Main floor.*—Reading laboratory; geography classroom.
b) *Second floor.*—Additional biology laboratory; chemistry laboratory; biological science lecture-demonstration room; physical science lecture-demonstration room (this room and the chemistry laboratory were converted from the old library area); science preparation areas.

Cafeteria Area

- a) *Cafeteria.*—Complete renovation of kitchen and addition of equipment for food preparation and service; enlargement of seating area; new teachers' dining room; conversion of one-half of old teachers' dining room to expanded area for food storage and the second one-half to a student activities conference room.
b) *Music.*—Addition of a large instrumental-choral practice room; toilet facilities.

Other Renovations

- a) *Athletics.*—Conversion of a lower hall area into a team room with lockers for athletic teams.
b) *Heating system.*—Complete restructuring of the heating system and its control mechanism in an attempt to alleviate the overheating problems.
c) *Auditorium.*—Refinishing of the main floor and re-decorating of the auditorium.
d) *Business Education.*—Installation of a movable partition to provide one additional small teaching station.
e) *Grounds.*—Provision for additional staff and student parking behind the school.

With the completion of this work, the junior-senior high school has a fine physical plant which should be a source of pride to the students, staff and people of Hanover and Norwich. The present physical plant has a maximum capacity for 950 students and we anticipate 851 students next fall.

CURRICULUM

During the school year 1964-65 a complete review of the instructional program in each subject area was undertaken by members of the teaching staff. This study is still in progress, some changes have been made in the curriculum, and several excellent recommendations are being investigated further. The administration, curriculum coordinators, and staff are well along in their work in the preparation of revised curriculum guides. It is hoped that the first of these guides will be finished by next fall.

Although our basic curriculum is the same as it was a year ago, several changes and improvements are noteworthy.

Foreign Languages.—Our first year enrollment in German I resulted in student selection approximately three times greater than we had recorded previously in Russian I and we are phasing out the Russian offering. We re-scheduled the junior high French program so that it is now possible for 7th and 8th grade French classes to meet every day of the week for a part of a period instead of every other day for a whole period. New approaches to the teaching of foreign languages are now possible as a result of the new facilities, excellent acoustical control, and electronic aids.

Music.—The new music facilities, the more favorable scheduling, and the increased budgetary allocations for musical instruments have assisted the staff in making extraordinary improvements in the quality of the music program. Instrumental and choral groups have been scheduled into the school day where previously they were forced to depend entirely upon after school or evening rehearsals.

Science.—Perhaps the most significant improvement during 1965-66 in the science field was the scheduling of double laboratory periods for Biology, Chemistry, and Physics. The "new curricula" in these areas are predicated on extended laboratory periods but we had been unable to schedule them because of lack of physical facilities and the relatively small school enrollments. We have been able to schedule these double periods because the added space has allowed us to schedule a nine-period school day. Because of unanticipated enrollments in science, we had to add an additional science teacher to the staff after the budget for 1965-66 had been voted. Fortunately, we had sufficient savings in expenditures

and a sufficient surplus in receipts to offset the added expense. A new course, Science Issues and Research, has offered a new opportunity and challenge for some of our advanced science students.

Reading.—Developmental Reading is offered at all grade levels as an elective for those students who wish to improve their reading skills. This course has proven to be extremely beneficial and the response to the offering from the students has been excellent. Many of our good readers have enrolled in the program in an effort to become even better readers. Our reading program as part of the 7th and 8th grade Humanities Program continues to demonstrate its value and we are doing all we can in remedial reading although our program is limited because of staff time (one teacher who presently meets 500 students in the reading program during the course of a year).

Special Education.—The opening of a Special Education Class for grades 7-12 has provided good learning experiences for those pupils who find it difficult to keep pace in the regular classes. A number of these pupils have been able to transfer to regular classes in some subjects during the year.

English-Social Sciences.—We have developed a team-teaching approach in the senior year in the English and Social Science offerings.

Teacher Aides.—The addition of a clerical aide for the staff has lifted much of the burden in typing, duplicating, collating, and counting of materials from the staff. A teacher aide now manages one of the large study halls. The addition of these aides has resulted in much better staff utilization and has allowed the staff to concentrate more on preparation for teaching, curriculum development, and assisting individual students.

Several major changes in the curriculum are planned for the school year 1966-67 and I will comment briefly on them.

Mathematics.—A new course, "Statistics and Probability," will be offered for the first time for students in grade 12. Everyone is probably well acquainted with the fact that our high school is one of the few in the nation to have a high speed digital computer available to students and staff. Dartmouth College has made it possible for us to have a teletype station connected directly with their computation center at

minimal cost to the school. Familiarity with the computer and computer program will be increasingly important to the college-bound high school student, not only in mathematics and science but also in the social sciences. Our new course, which adds to the necessary background for computer study, should prove most helpful to these students.

English.—We will reduce the teaching load of our English staff from 5 sections and 125-135 students daily to 4 sections and 100 students daily. We are dropping our Lay Reader Program and will substitute in its place more concentrated emphasis on composition and regularly scheduled conferences with the teacher, made possible by the decreased teaching load. We will adopt many of the other suggestions made by the Commission on English in its newly-published report, "Freedom and Discipline in English."

Social Sciences.—During the past several years, we have been studying several different means for offering a coherent and sensible program of studies in the social sciences. Starting next year we will initiate the new program which we have developed. Basically, this will involve the study of old world backgrounds in grade 9, our western heritage in grades 10 and 11, and a series of electives in the disciplines of the social sciences in grade 12.

With respect to curriculum, I wish to point out that sound curriculum development is an ongoing process, one that is evolutionary and not revolutionary. Constant surveillance of the changes in the disciplines and the needs of the students as they go on to further education or take their place in society should lead to a continual process of revising and upgrading of the curriculum. I am grateful that we have a staff that is sensitive to this concept and most thankful that we have so many people in the community who are ever ready to assist the staff and School Directors with curriculum development.

GUIDANCE AND TESTING

The School and College Ability Tests (SCAT) and the Sequential Tests of Educational Progress (STEP) were administered to all 7th and 8th grade students during the 1964-65 school year. The National Educational Development Test was administered to all 9th and 10th grade students. The National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Examination was administered to

the 11th grade students and our 10th grade students participated in the statewide testing program. In addition, 90% of our juniors and seniors took the College Board Examinations.

Our test results continue to be very high when compared with national norms. In general, our top quarter is around the 92nd or 93rd percentile (national norm of 75th percentile), our median is close to the 80th percentile (national norm of 50th percentile), and our bottom quarter ranges between the 55th and 60th percentile (national norm of 25th percentile). These are indications of a quality school program, and it is gratifying for us to be able to maintain this high level of performance.

The guidance staff is working under an overload of students which I hope can be corrected in another year. The guidance counselor at the 7th-8th-9th grade levels has the responsibility for orienting the 7th grade and all new students to the school, testing all students at these levels, placing them in appropriate classes and ability sections, counseling individual students, and meeting with groups of students and with parents. The guidance director works with the 10th-11th-12th grade levels and must attend to all of the duties mentioned above in addition to scheduling the curriculum and college and vocational placement. It is apparent from the achievements of the student body that the guidance function in the junior-senior high school is quite effective.

STUDENT BODY

In my Annual Report for last year, I reviewed the method of sectioning students in the subjects according to their ability levels and summarized the post-secondary educational expectations of the students in the various sections. I do not want to repeat these this year, but I do want to take the opportunity to point out some of the accomplishments of our students.

1. Our students make exceptionally high scores on both aptitude and achievement tests.
2. We continue to be the top school in the state in the Sophomore Statewide Testing Program and there is quite a gap between this school and the one in second place.
3. Eighty-five percent (85%) of the class of 1965 went on to post-secondary education. We have the highest percentage of graduates in New Hampshire who go on to further education and there is, again, a significant gap between this school and the second place school.

4. Our drop-out rate is less than one percent (.01) and this is the lowest in this section of the country.
5. The class of 1965 won \$43,000.00 in post-secondary scholarship aid of which \$5,150.00 was granted by local organizations. Much of this aid was granted on the basis of academic qualifications including both test results and the recognized high quality of the school.

The following table contains the percentages of students enrolled in the various subject fields. It is most unusual in secondary schools to find this high percentage of students enrolled in mathematics, foreign languages, science, and social science.

Enrollment in Courses 1965-66
Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School

English	100%	Business Education	48%
Languages	75%	Home Economics	17%
Mathematics	95%	Vocational Education	19%
Science	88%	Art	40%
Social Science	92%	Music	61%
Reading	47%	Physical Education	71%

The average number of courses per student is 6.35, with 4.75 courses per student in the academic subjects. Not only is this a comparatively heavy course load per student, but the Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School co-curricular program boasts one of the largest student participation levels in the northeast. There are relatively few schools of our size which attempt to offer several major activities concurrently in the same season. We do so in order that as many of our students as wish to participate in co-curricular activities can do so without being "cut." This means that we spread ourselves rather thin at times. For most of our youngsters this will be their only opportunity to participate and we feel that there are extremely valuable concomitant learning experiences inherent in these activities that can never be duplicated in the classroom or anywhere else. I wish to commend this Hanover-Norwich community for its apparent understanding of this situation and for the very healthy absence of community pressure for a "winning season" or a "state championship" or a "professional performance."

FEDERAL PROGRAMS

During the past few years there has been a heavy influx of federal programs having a bearing on public education. Of the

several recent bills enacted into law by Congress, two have concerned us directly. The Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 provided us with the funds to operate a public kindergarten summer program in Norwich, Lyme, and Orford during the summer of 1965. The Elementary-Secondary Act of 1965 (P.L. 89-10) contains five titles:

- Title I Aid to Educationally Disadvantaged Pupils—The Dresden District is entitled to approximately \$3,000.00 (based on resident Hanover pupils) based on a formula involving the number of children whose parents' total income is less than \$2,800.00 annually. We are going to hire a part-time Reading or English teacher to work in the area of corrective and developmental communications (writing, speaking, grammar, etc.).
- Title II Library—The Dresden District is entitled to receive \$1,403.00 worth of library books which must be purchased by the Supervisory Union and then allocated to the several school districts.
- Title III Supplementary Centers and Services—An application for a planning grant has been submitted to the U. S. Office of Education by the Southwestern New Hampshire Superintendents' Association for all school districts in their area, including the Norwich District. This money is not available to a single school district but must be used jointly by 15 or 20 districts in a large area of the state.
- Title IV Educational Research and Training—does not concern local districts directly.
- Title V State Departments of Education—does not concern local districts directly.

There are approximately 14 major federal laws which have a direct bearing on these districts and this office. All of them require many hours of work in filling in hundreds of items on many pages of forms. Special accounts have to be kept and special final accounting and follow-up reports must be filled out. If this trend continues, it is inevitable that special professional and clerical personnel be hired to handle the organization and paper work involved.

ADDED STAFF

We will be adding 6 $\frac{2}{5}$ ths members to the staff for the academic year 1966-67. While the junior-senior high school exceeds the minimum standards comfortably in nearly all areas, it meets them only marginally in administrative and guidance services. For example, the N. H. Minimum Standards for Secondary Schools requires a full-time principal when the “. . . number of pupils enrolled in all grades supervised by the principal exceeds 250 . . .” or “. . . a full-time principal should be assigned when the staff size approaches twelve.” Next year we will have 850 students and 60 staff members and will add one assistant principal.

Other staff members who will be added next year include two English teachers, two Social Science teachers, one French teacher, and an addition of $\frac{2}{5}$ ths more time to the schedule of the German teacher.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

During the 1965-66 school year we are operating under an experimental academic year calendar. We have a one-week vacation which coincides with the Dartmouth College Spring Recess in March and 2 long weekends (Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday), one in late January and one in early May. The decision to try this for a period of one year was made after several months of study precipitated by strong community feelings that such a calendar would be desirable. The effects of this on the students, the program, and the staff will be evaluated thoroughly at the close of the academic year. Hence, the school calendar for 1966-67 will not be prepared until this summer.

QUALITY SCHOOLS

I have alluded to the high quality of the junior-senior high school in previous sections of this report. These and following remarks are similarly pertinent to the two elementary school districts operating the Hanover and Norwich Elementary Schools.

Hanover Junior-Senior High School is regarded as an outstanding secondary school by many of the leading colleges in the country whose representatives come here to interview prospective candidates. In many instances these colleges are willing to accept our graduates on the basis of the excellent program

which they can observe in operation, the exceptionally high test results of our school, and the fine performance records of our recent graduates in their institutions. On several recent occasions, representatives of some of the outstanding colleges have told us that Hanover Junior-Senior High School is the only public secondary school that they visit in New Hampshire and Vermont. Our follow-up studies of first year college achievement by our graduates during the past few years show a 4-5% failure rate as contrasted to the national norm of approximately 33-35% failures. This record is all the more impressive when one considers that we send 85% of our students on to post-secondary education and our drop-out rate is less than one percent (.01). It should be pointed out, also, that many of our lower ranking graduates are placed in trade and vocational schools almost entirely on the basis of the high quality secondary schooling which they have received here.

Our high school is invited to participate in many outstanding pilot projects and experimental programs. For example, we were the only system in Northern New England invited by the New England School Development Council to participate in the Secondary School Reading Study and one of the two schools from the same area to be invited to participate in the English Curriculum Study.

Whereas the per pupil expenditure for the school is relatively high, it must be borne in mind that the overwhelming evidence manifested by standardized test results, post-secondary placement and high degrees of success therein, and the lowest drop-out rate in the tri-state area supports the conviction held by objective and knowledgeable high education officials that this is one of the highest quality public secondary schools in New England.

Credit for this high level educational program can be attributed to the caliber and dedication of the administrative and teaching staff, a fine curriculum, the quantity and quality of materials and equipment, and the quality of the physical plant. This desirable position is made possible by the interest and careful study of the elected school directors, who have a community behind them which desires and is willing to support a high quality educational system for its children. In the final analysis, the proven accomplishments and general excellence of the school program is a tribute to the people of Hanover and Norwich.

THE FUTURE

A quality school must continue those programs and practices which have proven successful and which have helped it attain its present standing. Mere maintenance of the status quo is not sufficient, however. Revisions and improvements must, and will, be made in those programs which are in need of improvement and new programs must be added as they are needed.

Projected enrollments indicate the inevitability of added staff and added teaching stations. The most pressing staff need for the 1967-68 school year will be for an added guidance counselor. It is imperative that the salary schedule for administrative and staff personnel be competitive for recruitment and retention purposes. The salary schedule must be reviewed continually because this is the key to a quality program; we can slip behind rapidly and dangerously if we relax our vigilance in this critical area.

We have a good school library in excellent physical surroundings but the basic book collection is below the minimum recommended by the American Library Association and the State Department of Education and requires further strengthening.

Within the next few years we must provide adequate space for the administrative and guidance services, probably by remodeling and expanding existing space. An additional major housing problem which should be alleviated as soon as possible is the inadequacy of our locker room facilities for physical education and athletics. This area was not expanded during the recent building program and only minor renovations were made to accommodate a large influx of students.

Perhaps the most significant problem to be faced in the near future is that of school district reorganization. The New England states are the last in the nation to reorganize school districts. This movement has picked up momentum during the last few years in both New Hampshire and Vermont with the rapid rate of formation of cooperative school districts. It is inevitable that reorganization will come to these districts and it seems advisable for us to study this problem while we have alternatives rather than to wait until reorganization is prescribed.

CONCLUSION

I wish to express my appreciation for the fine work and the exemplary professional performance of the high school

principal, the guidance department, and the teaching staff. The clerical and custodial staffs of the junior-senior high school have acquitted themselves well and the recent improvements in the cleanliness and maintenance of the buildings should not go unnoticed. I am grateful, indeed, and wish to commend publicly my own staff in the Superintendent's office for their loyalty and support given me in meeting the heavy demands placed upon this office by local, state, and federal agencies.

I am sure that the people of these communities are aware of the demanding and time-consuming work done by the Dresden Board of School Directors. I certainly appreciate their understanding and support.

Special gratitude is extended to the health services of the Hospital and Clinic, the P.T.A., Dartmouth College, and the Friends of the Hanover Schools.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation to the people of Hanover and Norwich for their support, assistance, and the wonderful ways in which they work together with me and the schools to provide the best possible educational opportunities for all of our children.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. ZIMMERMAN, JR.
Superintendent of Schools

**SUMMARY REPORT OF
DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
Fiscal Year July 1, 1964 to June 30, 1965**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1964 (Treasurer's bank balance)		_____
Current appropriations	546 847 00	
Revenue from Federal Sources	13 989 34	
Received from Tuitions	19 168 91	
Received from all Other Sources	1 076 00	

Total Receipts		581 081 25
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)		581 081 25
Less School Board Orders Paid		565 710 43
Balance on Hand June 30, 1965 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)		15 370 82
July 15, 1966	MARJORIE T. SCOTT <i>District Treasurer</i>	

DRESDEN BUILDING FUND

Cash on Hand July 1, 1964 (Treasurer's bank balance)		_____
Received from Sale of Notes and Bonds (Principal only)	738 500 00	
Received from all Other Sources	6 007 34	

Total Receipts		744 507 34
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)		744 507 34
Less School Board Orders Paid		465 296 20
(Invested in short-term notes) 272 875 09	}	
Balance on Hand June 30, 1965		
(Treasurer's Bank Balance) 6 336 05		279 211 14

REPORT OF THE DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT AUDITORS

We have examined the books, vouchers, and other financial records of the Dresden School District and found the Report of the School District Treasurer to be a true summary of cash receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965. We also found the Statements of Receipts and Expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965, to be correct except for the inclusion of payments made in July and August, 1964, for contracted services of the Hanover School District related to teachers' salaries and expenses. This question was raised in the Joint Report of the Auditors and School Board last year. Since June 30, 1965, this problem has been resolved by the full payment of these expenses by the Hanover School District to Dresden.

We recommend, however, that the School Board proceed as rapidly as possible toward including the full contracted salaries and related expenses of teachers in the appropriate fiscal year.

We further question the allocation of certain expenses for operation of the school cafeteria, gymnasium, and grounds (shared facilities) as not being in complete adherence with the Articles of Agreement. In place of these allocations there has been substituted an arbitrary transfer of funds from the Hanover District to Dresden and is described as rent on the appropriate Income Statement. This amount may prove inequitable to either Hanover or Dresden.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR F. COSTELLO, *Auditor*
JOHN M. VAN HORN, *Auditor*
STEPHEN T. WELCH, *Auditor*

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1964 and
Ending June 30, 1965**

<i>Receipts</i>	<i>Budget 1964-65</i>	<i>Actual 1964-65</i>
10. Revenue from Local Sources:		
11.11 Current Appropriation		
Hanover District	399 510 00	399 510 00
Norwich District	147 337 00	147 337 00
12.10 Tuition from Patrons	6 800 00	7 960 91
19.30 Rent	1 615 00	1 076 00
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Total Local Revenue	555 262 00	555 883 91
30. Revenue from State Sources		
34. Driver Education	1 200 00	
40. Revenue from Federal Sources		
41.20 Title V, NDEA	1 000 00	1 000 00
45. School Lunch and Milk	4 121 00	5 552 34
47. Public Law 874		7 437 00
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Total Federal Revenue	5 121 00	13 989 34
50. Bonds and Notes		
51. Principal of Bonds		738 500 00
53. Premiums and Interest		6 007 34
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Total from Bonds		744 507 34
80. Received from Other Districts		
81. Tuition from Lyme	10 000 00	11 208 00
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Total Net Receipts	571 583 00	1 325 588 59

Distribution of Expenditures

100. Administration		
110. Salaries, District Officers	900 00	900 00
135. Contracted Services	650 00	990 00
190. Other Expenses for Admin.	2 680 00	2 683 65
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100 Series Total	4 230 00	4 573 65

<i>Expenditures</i>		<i>Budget</i> <i>1964-65</i>	<i>Actual</i> <i>1964-65</i>
200.	Instruction		
210.	Salaries	325 678 00	314 671 41
215.	Textbooks	14 050 00	14 837 90
220.	School Libraries & Audio Visual	9 450 00	8 638 74
230.	Teaching Supplies	12 350 00	11 717 67
290.	Other Expenses	6 720 00	5 073 93
	200 Series Total	368 248 00	354 939 65
300.	Attendance—Series Total	25 00	25 00
400.	Health		
410.	Salaries	2 966 00	2 679 83
490.	Other Expenses for Health	1 301 00	974 83
	400 Series Total	4 267 00	3 654 66
500.	Transportation— Academic Trips— Series Total		358 75
600.	Operation of Plant		
610.	Salaries	25 955 00	21 591 96
630.	Supplies	2 070 00	4 439 81
635.	Contracted Services	1 895 00	2 765 27
640.	Heat	9 340 00	11 769 33
645.	Utilities	10 990 00	8 215 24
690.	Miscellaneous	190 00	88 91
	600 Series Total	50 440 00	48 870 52
700.	Maintenance of Plant		
725.	Replacement of Equipment	(Not	8 063 52
726.	Repairs to Equipment	Allocated	1 147 71
735.	Contracted Services		7 441 77
766.	Repairs to Buildings	in	483 12
790.	Other Expenses	Budget)	441 91
	700 Series Total	14 298 00	17 578 03
800.	Fixed Charges		
850.	Retirement & Social Security	24 525 00	22 839 56
855.	Insurance	7 378 00	8 679 19
	800 Series Total	31 903 00	31 518 75

<i>Expenditures</i>		<i>Budget</i> 1964-65	<i>Actual</i> 1964-65
900.	School Lunch and Milk		
975.1	Federal Monies	4 121 00	5 552 34
975.2	District Monies	1 288 00	1 288 00
	900 Series Total	<u>5 409 00</u>	<u>6 840 34</u>
1000.	Student Body Activities		
1010.	Salaries	5 200 00	5 200 00
1075.	Expenditures and transfer of monies	15 420 00	15 447 00
	1000 Series Total	<u>20 620 00</u>	<u>20 647 00</u>
1200.	Capital Outlay	(Not	
1265.	Sites	Allocated	96 41
1266.	Buildings	in	464 363 06
1267.	Equipment	Budget)	16 836 31
	1200 Series Total	<u>11 439 00</u>	<u>481 295 78</u>
1300.	Debt Service		
1370.	Principal of Debt	24 000 00	24 000 00
1371.	Interest on Debt	22 605 00	22 605 00
	1300 Series Total	<u>46 605 00</u>	<u>46 605 00</u>
1400.	Outgoing Transfer Accounts		
	Series total	<u>14 099 00</u>	<u>14 099 50</u>
	Total Net Expenditures	571 583 00	1 031 006 63
	Cash on Hand June 30, 1965		15 370 82
	Capital Outlay Fund		279 211 14
	Grand Total Net Expenditures		<u>1 325 588 59</u>

ANNUAL CAPITAL OUTLAY SUMMARY
Covering Receipts and Expenditures for the Period
July 1, 1964 to June 30, 1965

Receipts

Notes or Bonds:		
Norwich School District Bonds	189 500 00	
Hanover School District Bonds	549 000 00	
		738 500 00
Dividends and Interest:		6 007 34
		744 507 34
Grand Total Receipts		744 507 34

Expenditures

General Contract	392 455 58	
Architect's Fees and Expenses	4 611 17	
Legal Fees	5 785 53	
Insurance	2 040 00	
Other Expenditures	54 126 92	
		459 019 20
Total		459 019 20
Furniture and Equipment		6 277 00
		465 296 20
Total Expenditures during Year		465 296 20
Cash on Hand June 30, 1965		279 211 14
		744 507 34
Grand Total Expenditures		744 507 34

BALANCE SHEET—JUNE 30, 1965

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1965:		
General Fund	15 370 82	
Building Fund	279 211 14	
Accounts Due to District:		
From Hanover School District (To correct pre-existing indebtedness for July-Aug. 1964 Teacher salaries)	39 582 00	
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Total Assets		334 163 96

Liabilities

Amounts Reserved for Special Purposes:		
Building Fund	279 211 14	
Accounts Owed by District:		
Hanover School District (Proportion- ate refund of pre-existing indebted- ness)	28 917 42	
Norwich School District (Proportion- ate refund of pre-existing indebted- ness)	10 664 58	
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Total Liabilities		318 793 14
Surplus (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)		15 370 82
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Grand Total		334 163 96

**DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
BUDGET 1966-1967**

Summary of Expenditures

<i>Account</i>	<i>Budget 1965-66</i>	<i>Budget 1966-67</i>	<i>Increase or Decrease</i>
Administration	4 345 00	3 068 00	—1 277 00
Instruction	409 908 00	477 614 00	67 706 00
(Teachers'			
Salaries)	(295 117 00)	(346 866 00)	(51 749 00)
Attendance	25 00	25 00	0
Health	4 482 00	5 430 00	948 00
Transportation	500 00	500 00	0
Operation of Plant	50 575 00	50 369 00	—206 00
Maintenance of Plant	16 075 00	15 346 00	—729 00
Fixed Charges	37 627 00	42 858 00	5 231 00
Lunch & Milk	5 625 00	11 890 00	6 265 00
Activities	21 722 00	21 330 00	—392 00
Capital Outlay	17 770 00	14 275 00	—3 495 00
Debt Service	42 868 00	41 974 00	—894 00
Outgoing Transfer			
Accounts	16 007 00	19 679 00	3 672 00
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Total Expenditures	627 529 00	704 358 00	76 829 00
Total I, P.L. 89-10 Incentive Grant*		25 515 00*	25 515 00*
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Expenditures	627 529 00	729 873 00	102 344 00

*Offset by Equal Amount in Receipts

Receipts

<i>Source</i>	<i>Item</i>	<i>Anticipated 1966-67</i>
Local	Tuition	6 200 00
	Rent	50 00
State	Driver Education	2 000 00
	Special Education	1 200 00
Federal	Title III, N.D.E.A.	1 700 00
	Title V, N.D.E.A.	562 00
	School Lunch	8 485 00
	P.L. 89-10 (Federal Impact)	6 000 00
	Title I, P.L. 89-10	3 000 00
Other Districts	Tuition	13 000 00
	Rent (Hanover Elementary)	3 040 00
Total Receipts Other Than Taxes		45 237 00
Total Expenditures		704 358 00
		—45 237 00
To Be Raised by Taxes		659 121 00
Total Anticipated Receipts		704 358 00
Supplementary Receipt:		
Title I, P.L. 89-10 Incentive Grant		25 515 00
GRAND TOTAL		
RECEIPTS		729 873 00

DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Teachers—1965-66*

Hanover Jr.—Sr. High School

- ELSON S. HERRICK, PRINCIPAL, (1964); Keene State Col., B.Ed., Colorado State Col., M.A., + 32 crs.
- PAUL K. STIMSON, Guidance Director, (1936); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 37 crs.
- CLARKE P. DUSTIN, Guidance Counselor, (1964); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.A., + 9 crs.
- THEODORE S. ALLEN, English, (1965); Brandeis Univ., B.A., Wesleyan Univ., M.A.T. + 6 crs.
- CARLTON E. BECKETT, Science, (1965); Gorham State Teachers' Col., B.S. in Ed., Michigan State Univ., M.A.T.
- HARRY H. BRAEULER, German, (1965); Univ of Heidelberg, B.A. Equiv., + 18 crs.
- FORREST P. BRANCH, Social Studies, Coach of Football & Hockey, Director of Athletics, (1937); Dartmouth Col., A.B., Boston Univ., Ed.M. + 19 crs.
- ROY G. BRODSKY, Art & Humanities, (1961); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 9 crs.
- ELIZABETH C. CAMERON, French, (1963); Smith Col., A.B., Boston Univ., M.Ed., + 6 crs.
- GLADYS G. CHURCHILL, French, Foreign Lang. Coordinator, Advisor to Student Council, (1941); Bates Col., A.B., Radcliffe Col., A.M.T., + 47 crs.
- LESTER W. CLAFLIN, Latin & English, (1945); Middlebury Col., A.B., Plymouth State Col., M.Ed., + 36 crs.
- WILLIAM R. COGSWELL, Mathematics Coordinator, (1963); Dartmouth Col., A.B., Brown Univ., M.A.T.
- NORMAN S. COOK, Mathematics, (1955); Bowdoin Col., B.S., Tufts Univ., M.Ed., + 37 crs.
- FORD A. DALEY, Science, (1964); Dartmouth Col., B.A., Tufts Univ., M.Ed., + 15 crs.
- JOEL B. DALTON, Mathematics, Assist. Coach of Soccer, (1965); Northwestern Univ., B.S.B.A., Rhode Island Col., M.A.T.

*Position follows name; year in parenthesis is first year employed in Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School.

- KATHRYN C. DUPELL, Home Economics & Manager of Cafeteria, (1946); Keene State Col., B.Ed., +24 crs.
- PEARL A. FELDMESSER, Commercial, (1964); Teachers' Col. of Boston, B.S. in Ed., Boston Univ., M. in Common Sci., + 3 crs.
- DAVID W. FORD, Social Studies, Coach of Soccer, (1964); Amherst Col., B.A., Harvard Univ., M.A.T., + 6 crs.
- ELMER B. FULTON, Librarian, Coach of Girls' Skiing, (1958); Dartmouth Col., A.B., Simmons Col., M.S. + 30 crs.
- DELMAR W. GOODWIN, Social Studies Coordinator, (1955); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.A., Harvard Univ., Ed.M., + 53 crs.
- HELEN E. GOODWIN, Music, (1952); Eastman School of Music., B. Music Ed., Boston Univ., M. Music Ed., + 16 crs.
- FRANK L. HANNAH, Mathematics, Coach of Boys' Skiing, (1964); Dartmouth Col., B.A.
- DONALD W. HAWTHORNE, Industrial Arts, Coach of Intramurals, Jr. High Baseball, Audio-Visual, (1964); Keene State Col., B. Ed., + 6 crs.
- MILDRED J. HAYES, English, Director of Junior Dramatics, (1951); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.A., + 23 crs.
- AMOS D. HOYT, Industrial Arts, (1958); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 6 crs.
- CALVIN H. HUCKINS, JR., French, (1965); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed., + 24 crs.
- CHARLES O. HUNNEWELL, III, Physical Education, Coach of Baseball, Assist. Coach of Football & Basketball, (1965); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed., Michigan State Univ., M.A.
- JOHN J. JABLONSKI, Coach of Track, Gymnastics, Assistant Coach of Football, (1964); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed.
- PETER JAROTSKI, Russian, (1962); Mikhailowsk Artillery School, B.S.
- MARGARET E. KLAYBOR, Commercial, (1952); Plymouth State Col., B.Ed., + 9 crs.
- VERA S. LACLAIR, Home Economics, (1963); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 6 crs.
- HAROLD H. LARY, English, Director of "Inde", (1956); Middlebury Col., B.A., M.A., + 28 crs.

- JOHN R. LOUGHLIN, Science, Assist. Coach of Football, Coach of Jr. High Basketball, (1958); Keene State Col., B.Ed., + 39 crs.
- MICHELINE J. LYONS, French, (1964); Mount Holyoke Col., A.B.
- ERNEST L. MANDERSON, English, (1964); Univ. of Maine, B.A., M.A., + 9 crs.
- WALTER MARCUSE, Music, (1958); New England Cons. of Music, B. Music, M. Music, + 36 crs.
- DONALD R. MERCHANT, Mathematics, (1956); St. Lawrence Univ., B.S., + 24 crs.
- DOROTHY E. MERRIMAN, Physical Education, Coach of Girls' Field Hockey, Softball, & Basketball, (1955); Sargent Col., Boston Univ., B.S. in P.E., + 38 crs.
- JAMES E. METCALF, Special Education, (1965); Worcester State Col., B. S., + 6 crs.
- ERIC B. MOORE, Science, (1964); Yale Univ., B.A., Harvard Univ., M.A.T., + 15 crs.
- HARRY W. MOORE, Mathematics, (1963); Fitchburg Teachers' Col., B.S. in Ed., Teachers' Col., Columbia, M.A., + 43 crs.
- WILLIAM N. MURPHY, Social Studies, Coach of Basketball, Assist. Coach of Baseball, (1961); Wesleyan Univ., B.A., Harvard Univ., M.A.T., + 34 crs.
- BARBARA L. NELSON, Science, (1964); Syracuse Univ., A.B., + 9 crs.
- JOANNA B. NOYES, English, Advisor to "Penofron," (1962), Skidmore Col., A.B., + 4 crs.
- SUSAN E. NYE, French, Advisor to Cheerleaders, (1964); Jackson Col., B.A., + 6 crs.
- TERRENCE A. ORTWEIN, English Coordinator, Advisor to Footlights, (1963); Dartmouth Col., B.A., Wesleyan Univ., M.A.T.
- JAMES D. OSGOOD, Mathematics, Director of Activities, Activities Treasurer, "Inde" Business Manager, (1955); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.S., M.Ed., + 23 crs.
- DALE F. ROWE, Science Coordinator, Hunter Safety, (1961); Goddard Col., B.A., Putney Grad. School of Teacher Ed., M.A., Harvard Univ., Ed.M., + 8 crs.
- JACQUELINE B. SICES, French, (1964); Universite de Caen, License es Lettres, Universite de Paris, Agregation d'Anglais

FRANK R. THOMS, III, Social Studies, (1962); Williams Col., B.A., Wesleyan Univ., M.A.T., + 14 crs.

HAROLD M. VAN SCHAIK, Science, (1965); Lehigh Univ., B.S., + 21 crs.

FRANK J. VARA, Developmental Reading, Director of "Harpoon," Debate, (1964); Castleton Teachers' Col., B.S., + 27 crs.

JOYCE A. WILKES, English, (1964); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.A., + 18 crs.

ROGER F. WILSON, Social Studies, Driver Training, (1959); Keene State Col., B.Ed., M.Ed.

Medical

IRMA J. SIMENEAU, School Nurse (1955); Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital, R.N., + 16 crs.

SEYMOUR E. WHEELOCK, School Doctor (1963); Dartmouth, A.B., Northwestern Univ. Med. School, M.D.

Superintendent of Schools

WILLIAM G. ZIMMERMAN, JR., Superintendent of Schools (1963 in Hanover, 1964 in present position); Univ. of New Hampshire, B.S., Univ. of Miami, M.Ed., Ed.D.

STEWART G. DAVIS, Assistant Superintendent of Schools (1957 in Hanover, 1964 in present position); Westminster Col., B.A., New York State Col. for Teachers, M.A., Teachers Col., Columbia Univ., + 69 crs.

**HANOVER JR.-SR. HIGH SCHOOL
ENROLLMENT, JUNE 1, 1965**

	<i>Total Enrollment</i>	<i>Number of Non-Resident Pupils</i>
Grade VII	153	
Grade VIII	144	
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TOTAL JUNIOR HIGH	297	
Grade IX	141	12
Grade X	128	5
Grade XI	106	5
Grade XII	94	5
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TOTAL SENIOR HIGH	469	27
TOTAL JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH	766	27

**COMPARATIVE YEARLY ENROLLMENTS
AS OF JUNE 1 OF THE GIVEN YEAR**

<i>Year</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	<i>Spec.</i>	<i>Total</i>
	7	8	9	10	11	12		
1951-52	50	53	74	67	52	61		357
1952-53	57	50	85	68	59	50		369
1953-54	62	54	78	80	56	56		386
1954-55	63	50	74	66	67	45		365
1955-56	71	62	75	70	68	61		407
1956-57	67	71	86	64	58	63		409
1957-58	66	59	95	89	57	53		419
1958-59	63	62	87	92	81	56		441
1959-60	79	66	86	83	86	75		475
1960-61	80	79	86	70	79	86		480
1961-62	96	80	105	97	70	75		523
1962-63	102	102	109	97	93	70		573
1963-64	99	102	132	104	91	83		611
1964-65	153	144	141	128	106	94		766
First Semester,								
1965-66	135	155	142	137	125	102	10	806

**DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT
HANOVER HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES
CLASS OF 1965**

Richard Alan Ackerson	Sue Ann Hamilton
David T. Ahern	Cheryl Ann Hawes
Tina Marie Aja	Sara Diane Hawthorne
Kenneth Gordon Aldrich	Edith Campbell Hazard
Ruth Ann Ballam	Dona Lizbeth Heller
William H. Barrett	Anne-Hart Herrick
Cheryl Ann Bianchi	Charles G. Hicks
Katherine Ewart Bond	Pauline Sue Hickson
Jane E. Bowden	Sally Wilkinson Hunter
David Robert Broehl	Susan Joiner
Janice L. Buck	Wayne Roy Laber
Marianne Budzian	Sharon Marie LaBombard
Margaret Burdick	Nancy Alberta Lacoss
Stephen D. Buskey	Nelson Edward Lamott
Warren Herbert Carlson	Albert John Lauziere
Gerald Everett Cate	Carol Frances Lupien
Kevin Willis Church	Mary Elizabeth Marsh
Judith Joanne Clogston	Nancy Wallace Marx
Connie Jean Cloud	William Roper McDowell
Margaret Anne Colton	Pamela Joan Merrill
Daniel Grover Cook	William Michael Miller
John H. Copenhaver III	Nancy Joyce Minard
Stephen James Dalphin	Elizabeth Ann Minichiello
L. Daniel Danetra	Lawrence Porter Morin
Lawrence Stewart Davis	Bruce Russell Muller
John Richard Donaldson	Mary Margaret Murtagh
Alan Lee Dow	Kathleen H. Neary
Susan Ely	Patricia Anne Nice
Victoria Edith Englund	Margaret Frances Nutt
John Francis Fitzgerald	Alexandra Lyman Olson
Charles Wesley Floyd	David Leonard Pease
Carol Ann Fogg	Carl William Plant, Jr.
Mary Helen Fraser	Janis Margaret Powers
Ingrid Erika Fueloep-Miller	David Miles Pushee
Margaret Anne Gault	John Howland Rand
Jeanne Adelle Grant	Michael George Rapley
Barry Gray	Peter David Remington
Eileen Gray	Karin Leslie Robbins
Russell Guyer	Ann Elizabeth Sachs

Gail Starr Sanborn	Clyde Harrison Trumbull, Jr.
Mark Christopher Schleicher	Katherine Mosenthal Ufford
Wilfred Smith	Daniel Barrows Ware
David Frederick Stebbins	Joan Lansing Weed
Laura Mable Stevens	Lillian Elizabeth White
Susan Marshall Taylor	Richard Potts Whittall
Conrad Philip Tebbetts	Stuart Milton Wilmott
Catherine M. Truman	Alison Genevieve Anne Wright
Mary Windsor Wrightson	

SCHOLASTIC RECOGNITION

FIRST HONOR

Stephen James Dalphin

SECOND HONOR

Margaret Burdick

HIGH HONORS

Margaret Anne Colton
 Alan Lee Dow
 Dona Lizbeth Heller
 Susan Marshall Taylor
 Clyde Harrison Trumbull, Jr.

HONORS

Katherine Ewart Bond
 Eileen Gray
 Mary Margaret Murtagh
 Kathleen H. Neary
 Patricia Anne Nice
 Alexandra Lyman Olson
 David Miles Pushee
 Mark Christopher Schleicher

CLASS OFFICERS

<i>Vice-President</i>	<i>Secretary-Treasurer</i>
David Leonard Pease	Margaret Anne Colton
<i>Class Committee Chairman</i>	<i>Student Council President</i>
John Howland Rand	Lawrence Stewart Davis
<i>Class Marshal</i>	<i>Inde Editor</i>
Peter David Remington	Margaret Anne Colton
<i>Footlighters President</i>	
Susan Marshall Taylor	

JUNIOR CLASS USHERS

Kirk Scott-Craig (*Head Usher*)

Frances Burnett	Daniel Chaffee
Lucinda Langlois	Donald Morrison
Janet Morgan	James Morrissey
Susan Yeomans	William Wilson

