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*Hanover, New Hampshire 1964*



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**Hanover Center Church Built in 1840**

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**For The Year Ending December 31, 1964**

**TOWN OF HANOVER**

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**THIRTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT**  
**of the**  
**HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE**  
**February 22, 1965**

**Total Budgets and Taxes**

The 1965 Town Expense Budget including special articles totals \$596,300, an increase over the 1964 budget of \$81,500. However, because the Selectmen were able to effect considerable savings over budgeted expense in 1964 and because income is estimated to increase considerably in 1965 the additional dollars requested of the taxpayers is \$18,000. It is well to note that the total tax dollar increase for the *regular* Town budget is only \$4,000. The additional \$14,000 is as a result of the special articles appearing in the warrant.

The 1965-66 School Budget as presented by the respective School Boards totals \$983,700 and represents a total expense increase to Hanover of \$94,500. Again, an increase in budgeted income partially offsets this expense increase resulting in an additional tax need of \$58,900. The primary reason for the difference in these figures is the increase in budgeted sweepstakes income.

In total, gross expense to Hanover increases by \$176,000 while additional revenue to be raised by taxation is \$76,900. These figures are better outlined in the Financial Summary, Table A, which follows on succeeding pages.

The maximum tax rate for Hanover residents in 1964 (see Table B) was \$32.94 per \$1000 of assessed valuation. In 1965 it is estimated that the maximum tax rate will be \$34.09 or an increase of \$1.15 per \$1000 of assessed valuation.

The minimum tax rate (for residents in the outlying areas of Hanover) was \$30.15 in 1964 and is estimated to be \$30.73, an increase of \$.58 per \$1000 of assessed valuation.

The 1965 tax rate estimates include provision for an estimated increase in assessed valuation of over \$1,000,000.

While the estimated increase of the tax rate is relatively small it is important to reemphasize that gross expense for all agencies of the Town is budgeted to increase better than \$175,000 and only because of increased income in 1965 as well as judicial management in the previous year is the tax increase relatively small.

## HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE

### Agency

- I. Town—Regular
- II. Town—Special Articles
  - A. Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee
  - B. Information Booth
  - C. Lebanon Regional Airport
  - D. Tax Survey
  - E. Transportation Study
  - F. Upper Valley Development Council
- III. Town—Total
- IV. School—Regular
- V. School—Special Articles
  - A. School Bus
  - B. Land Purchase
- VI. School—Total
- VII. GRAND TOTAL

\*Hanover's total contribution to the Upper Valley Development Council is \$3500. but a \$1200. contribution from the Dartmouth National Bank results in net expense of \$2300.

Note: County Tax Figures are excluded from this presentation.

## SUMMARY ALL BUDGETS

1964 Budget	Proposed 1965 Budget	1964 Tax	Proposed 1965 Tax
\$ 510 400	\$ 577 900	\$ 294 200	\$ 298 200
500	500	500	500
600	600	600	600
1 000	2 500	1 000	2 500
	10 000		10 000
	2 500		2 500
2 300*	2 300*	2 300*	2 300*
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\$ 514 800	\$ 596 300	\$ 298 600	\$ 316 600
885 000	982 700	733 600	795 700
1 000	1 000	1 000	1 000
3 200		3 200	
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\$ 889 200	\$ 983 700	\$ 737 800	\$ 796 700
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\$1 404 000	\$1 580 000	\$1 036 400	\$1 113 300

## HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE

Unit of Government	1964 Net Appropriation
Town	\$ 205 900
County	55 000**
School	738 000
Fire Area #1	1 000
Fire Area #2	1 700
Fire Area #3	800
Fire Area #4	68 600
Sidewalk Area	6 000
Sewer Area #1	1 400
Sewer Area #2	15 900

\*1965 Tax Figures include an estimated \$1,000,000 increase in Assessed Valuation.

\*\*1965 County figures are not yet finalized and, therefore, are presented as the same amount as 1964.

### Maximum Tax

	1964	1965	Difference	
Town	\$ 6 06	\$ 5 85	\$ (21)	
County	1 62	1 62	—	
School	22 01	22 76	75	
Fire Area #4	2 33	2 44	11	
Sidewalk Area	25	59	34	
Sewer Area #2	67	83	16	
Total	\$ 32 94	\$ 34 09	\$ 1 15	(3½%)



# TOWN OF HANOVER—TAX SUMMARY

1965 Net Appropriation	1964 Tax Rate	Estimated 1965 Tax Rate*
\$ 204 800	\$ 6 06	\$ 5 85
55 000**	1 62	1 62**
796 700	22 01	22 76
1 200	46	50
1 900	94	97
1 000	1 80	2 02
73 300	2 33	2 44
15 000	25	59
1 600	29	33
20 300	67	83

## Minimum Tax

	1964	1965	Difference	
Town	\$ 6 06	\$ 5 85	\$ (21)	
County	1 62	1 62	—	
School	22 01	22 76	75	
Fire Area #1	46	50	04	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 30 15</b>	<b>\$ 30 73</b>	<b>\$ 58</b>	<b>(2%)</b>

The trend of increased expense in the Town of Hanover will certainly continue. The Selectmen and the School Boards have indicated to the Finance Committee that the following areas are among those that will demand increased expense over the next five years.

**Town:**

1. Expansion of Municipal Building.
2. Highway and Fire Department equipment.
3. Additional personnel for Police and Fire departments.
4. Sidewalk program.
5. Road, traffic, and parking programs.
6. Howe Library expense.
7. Incinerator or dump improvement.

**School:**

1. Teachers salaries re: new schedule.
2. Additional teachers and teaching supplies due to increased enrollment and expanded programs.
3. New grade school.

The above items are emphasized to all residents of the Town to illustrate that our expenses will continue on the increase. While the Sweepstakes have certainly been an aid to New Hampshire communities it does not appear to be, in the opinion of the Hanover Finance Committee, the long range answer to our financial requirements.

The Hanover Finance Committee would like to publicly express its thanks to Hanover and Dresden School Boards and to the Hanover Selectmen for their excellent cooperation and dedication through the past year. In working with these Boards the Finance Committee has been aware of their continued contributions on behalf of the Hanover Community. They deserve the thanks of all of us.

**Town**

**1964**

1964 was a good financial year for the Town of Hanover. Its cash balance at the end of the year increased from \$9,707 to \$87,556. It was good because the operating costs were in the main, kept in line with the budget. Other considerations added to the balance. On the income side three items were primarily involved: \$12,107 from previous years' taxes, an increase of

\$8,048 in the interest and dividends tax and a payment by the State to the Town of \$19,697 for the sewers over and above the State's share of 1964 principal and interest requirements for this item. Major expense items accounting for the surplus were an unexpended sum of \$11,250 for the Superintendent of Public Works and the unexpended portion of the appropriation for sewers (primarily in the area of construction) of \$11,370.

It is our Selectmen's recommendation that \$41,669 of the current Cash balance be transferred to reserves and the Finance Committee concurs with their recommendation. The balance will reduce 1965 taxes by a commensurate amount. Their recommendation concerns four separate items, two involving the sewers totaling \$10,490 and \$19,697, an item for sidewalks totaling \$3,338 and an item involving the Etna garage fire loss totaling \$8,095.

#### *Sewers*

The great bulk of the \$10,490 was designated for new construction. It was not spent and it is proposed that it be allocated to a reserve for future expenditures in this area. The Finance Committee concurs.

The grant of \$19,697 from the State was given to help defray the construction costs of the treatment plant. This is not presently required for interest or principal payments and with the State's approval it is recommended that this be set up in a reserve for future use.

#### *Sidewalks*

The 1964 budget included \$6,000 for sidewalks of which \$2,612 was spent. Because of pressing sidewalk needs, it is recommended that the unexpended balance, \$3,338, be set aside for this purpose.

#### *Etna Garage*

During 1964 the Etna garage and equipment stored there was lost by fire. Of the insurance receipts, \$8,095 have not been spent and it is recommended that they be set aside to complete the replacement program.

## **1965 Budget**

### *Income*

The 1965 budget calls for income other than taxes of \$234,445, up \$33,066 from last year. Interest and Dividend tax receipts are up \$10,000 to \$70,000 and the sewer account shows an increase from sewer rentals, up \$6,100 to \$50,300 and a receipt from the State of \$16,500 for interest and principal

payments which was not budgeted last year. One new item not appearing last year is a budgeted figure of \$1,000 representing charges for building permits.

### *Expense*

Budgeted expenditures for 1965 total \$550,870, up \$70,806 from 1964. Modest salary increases account for a portion of this increase. Items deserving special attention are as follows:

#### *Libraries*

The Howe Library has asked for a further increase in support which if approved will bring the Town's share of a \$29,086 library budget to \$8,200. Included in the Library budget for the first time is a plan to provide Blue Cross, Blue Shield, major medical and pension benefits.

While the Finance Committee approves the increase, it is concerned about possible overlapping of services as between the Howe Library and the Grade School and High School Libraries and understands that steps are being taken to avoid unnecessary duplication.

#### *Police Department*

Its 1965 budget totals \$48,020, up \$6,890 from 1964. It includes the addition of a policeman, up from 5 to 6, plus a second cruiser. Not included in the Police Department budget this year is the salary of the Meter Maid which has been transferred to the Parking Meter account. The need for additional coverage both within the area formerly known as the Precinct as well as in the outlying areas make this desirable and the Finance Committee concurs.

#### *Fire Department*

This item totals \$54,200, up \$4,400. In addition to an increase in the salaries of the full-time firemen, the bulk of the increase represents an increase in the cost the services performed by the members of the volunteer companies. In this connection it might be helpful to point out that in response to the merger the Hanover and Etna companies are now managed by a five-man board of fire engineers of which Chief Woods is the chairman and Howard Randall is the vice chairman. This arrangement makes possible the overall administration of the Town's fire protection.

#### *Highways*

This item at \$157,500 is up \$14,100 from last year.

\$10,100 of this represents a new item for bridges which will be matched by another \$10,000 from the State. As those living in the outlying areas of the Town are aware our bridges are in need of major attention. The Finance Committee supports this program and hopes that the amount requested will be sufficient to move forward with this program.

The Finance Committee is pleased to note that here again two separate departments, the precinct and town highway departments, have been placed under the operation of one head, Chester Stark.

#### *Sewer System*

The total proposed 1965 budget for this item is \$79,830. up \$27,356 from 1964. \$16,500 of this represents the State grant which shall be used for principal and interest payments. Another \$9,356 represents an increase in the cost of operating the disposal plant. This is based on operating experience plus the cost of a full year's operation.

#### *Sidewalks*

This budget has been increased by \$9,000 and totals \$15,000. The Finance Committee concurs with the Selectmen that sidewalk construction should be expanded in 1965.

#### *Special Articles*

The Town Warrant is expected to contain six special articles calling for financing. Three of these, Information Booth, Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee and Upper Valley Development Council, have been approved by the Town in the past and the Finance Committee has no special comments to make. It would, however, like to comment on the Lebanon Regional Airport Authority, the request for funds to undertake a Tax Survey, and the request for approval of a Transportation Study.

#### *Lebanon Regional Airport Authority*

In addition to its share of principal and interest payments totaling \$3,414 last year the Town of Hanover contributed \$1,000 toward operating expenses. This year Hanover is being asked to contribute \$2,500, an increase of \$1,500. Other communities, institutions, and corporations are also being asked to increase their contributions and because of the importance of the airport to the Town of Hanover and because it is believed that the LRAA is doing its best to get on top of its financial difficulties, the



**TOWN OF HANOVER  
CURRENT INCOME**

Item	1964 Actual Income	1964 Budget	1965 Budget	1964 vs. 1965
Taxes Other Years	\$ 12 106			
Interest	339	\$ 100	\$ 100	—
Poll Tax	3 768	4 300	4 300	—
Nat'l. Bank Stock	1 074	1 100	1 100	—
Bond & Retirement Tax	263	300	150	(\$ 150)
Head Tax	11 380	1 000	1 000	—
Interest & Dividend Tax	68 047	60 000	70 000	10 000
Town Road Aid	3 460	8 657	8 600	( 57)
Bounties		7		( 7)
Precinct Road Aid	3 010	3 010	3 010	—
Railroad Tax	170	200	175	( 25)
Savings Bank Tax	3 948	3 200	4 000	800
Motor Vehicle Permits	45 283	46 000	45 000	( 1 000)
Town Clerk's Fees	2 972	3 000	3 000	—
Business Licenses	834	810	800	( 10)
Tax Sales Redeemed	1 285			
Bicycle Registrations	85	100	100	—
Trust Funds	2 320	1 400	2 000	600
Scrap, Maps, Misc.	761			
Hanover Water Works Co. (Div.)	4 392	4 400	4 400	—
College Hydrant Rental	3 060	3 100	3 100	—
Hospital Hydrant Rental	322	300	300	—
Municipal Bldg. (Rental Income)	660	660	660	—
Gould Farm	600	600	600	—
Building Inspector	1 232	—	1 000	1 000
Parking Fines	2 907	3 500	3 000	( 500)
Other Fines	3 461	4 000	3 500	( 500)
Dog Licenses	1 286	1 250	1 250	—
Town Nurse	1 863	1 500	1 500	—
Town Welfare	1 276			
Cemetery Income	5 481	4 685	5 000	315
Moose Mt. Road	500			
Sewer Rentals	43 315	44 200	50 300	6 100
Sewer—State Grant	20 066		16 500	16 500
<b>Total Current Income</b>	<b>\$251 526</b>	<b>\$201 379</b>	<b>\$234 445</b>	<b>\$33 066</b>

## TOWN OF HANOVER CURRENT EXPENSE

Item	1964 Actual Expense	1964 Budget	1965 Budget	1964 vs. 1965
Bond & Retirement Tax	\$ 109			
Head Taxes	10 851			
Town Road Aid	4 758	\$ 10 000	\$ 10 000	—
Bounties	7			
Tax Sales	1 098			
Bicycle Registrations	166	50		(\$ 50)
Maps, Reports & Abatements	210			
Hydrant Rental	24 205	25 000	25 000	—
Municipal Building	11 420	10 850	11 100	250
Town Garage #1	1 870	2 250	2 350	100
Town Garage #2	1 047	1 625	1 250	( —375)
Etna Fire Station			1 050	1 050
Gould Farm	343	600	600	—
Libraries				
Etna	964	790	1 000	210
Howe	7 500	7 500	8 200	700
Superintendent Public Works		11 250	11 250	—
General Government	36 868	37 850	40 200	2 350
Social Security	4 858	5 300	5 500	200
Health Insurance	4 586	6 000	7 500	1 500
Municipal Court	1 900	1 900	2 400	500
Dogs	177	500	250	( —250)
Police Department	41 473	41 130	48 020	6 890
Fire Department	54 328	49 800	54 200	4 400
Forest Fire Warden	626	650	650	—
Health & Sanitation	4 870	3 900	3 900	—
Town Nurse	5 378	5 520	6 070	550
Welfare	13 087	13 000	15 000	2 000
Cemeteries	14 997	14 625	15 700	1 075
Highways	137 751	143 400	157 500	14 100
Sewerage System	61 170	52 474	79 830	27 356
Sidewalks	2 612	6 000	15 000	9 000
Street Lighting	13 269	13 000	13 500	500
Interest	11 363	6 300	3 250	(—3 050)
Civil Defense	1 166	500	1 500	1 000
Care of Trees	6 483	8 300	9 100	800
<b>Total Current Expenses</b>	<b>\$481 509</b>	<b>\$480 064</b>	<b>\$550 870</b>	<b>\$70 806</b>

Finance Committee recommends that the grant be made. It might be of interest to point out that \$9,000 out of a \$21,000 budget is being earmarked for maintenance and improvements. State aid will increase this amount by matching the sum and Federal aid will double it bringing the total of this item to \$36,000.

#### *Tax Survey*

Because of changing property values our Selectmen recommend that a professional Tax Survey be undertaken of the entire community at a cost of \$20,000 to be spread over a 2-yr. period. Its purpose is not to increase total taxes but to equalize them. A careful study of transfers made over the past three years has brought to light the rapidly changing values of property. This study tends to substantiate the Selectmen's experience and has caused them to feel that a Tax Survey is needed. The Finance Committee concurs.

#### *Transportation Study*

In response to a need to deal with Hanover's growing traffic problem and based on a recommendation of the Planning Board, the Selectmen propose that the State be asked to make an overall survey of the Town's traffic situation. Hanover's portion of this will cost \$2,500. It should be noted that such a survey is necessary before the Town can qualify for State or Federal aid. The Finance Committee concurs with the recommendation.

If the Town approves all of these special articles, \$18,400 will be added to the budget bringing the total of \$566,770.

### **SCHOOL BUDGET**

The Hanover School budget (Dresden District, Kindergarten through Sixth Grade, and Grades 7 through 12 not shared with Norwich) was thoughtfully prepared and presented by the Hanover School Board to the Hanover Finance Committee for study and recommendations. The Finance Committee met several times with the School Board budget chairmen, superintendent and assistant superintendent of schools, and at each of these sessions the school representatives offered well-founded explanations to any questions posed by the Finance Committee. The Committee was furnished with information it requested during the two-month period of review, and this cooperation

on the part of school officers helped immeasurably in our understanding of their fiscal needs.

The 1965-1966 Hanover School budget reflects a net increase in taxation of \$58,900 (8%) over the 1964-1965 budget. Of this increase \$16,100 is attributable to Grades Kindergarten through Six; \$28,900 to the Dresden District (Grades 7-12); the balance to items for Grades 7 through 12 not shared by Norwich (bus transportation, debt service, etc.).

Major areas of increase are in the expenses for teachers' salaries. With increased enrollment and new class offerings, five new teachers have been added at a cost approximating \$22,000. Normal salary increments resulting from the present salary schedule amount to \$12,000. A newly proposed salary schedule to be effective September 1, 1965, for the part year amounts to \$13,000.

The Finance Committee has had an opportunity to review these increased salary expense needs and with a new salary schedule feels that the School Board has taken the proper step to maintain the quality of education evidently demanded for the children of our community.

The total increased cost of operating all elements of the Hanover School systems is significantly more than the \$58,900 increase being requested from taxation. The local taxation need is lowered particularly by the income from New Hampshire Sweepstakes. Budgeted sweepstakes income is to be increased by \$20,000 for 1965-1966, to \$38,900 in total, which is estimated at \$32.00 per Hanover resident student.

The Hanover School Board is definitely using the sweepstakes income for the purpose for which it was intended; i.e., to improve the quality of education. We pause to ponder, however, of the impact on local taxes were the sweepstakes income suddenly cut off. The Finance Committee feels that citizens should strive to support other more broad and guaranteed forms of State income for support of the education. In short, we are guaranteed the costs of education, but we are not so sure we are guaranteed the financial support through a sweepstakes.

Respectfully submitted,

HANOVER FINANCE COMMITTEE

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*Hanover Finance Committee*

**HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**(Net Costs for**

Grades K-6 (Elementary)—Exhibit B  
Grades 7-12 (Dresden)—Exhibit C

Totals

Grades 7-12 (Items not Shared)—Add Debt Service—  
Principal & Interest  
Construction, etc.—Prior Years  
Construction, 1964 Addition  
Lyme Road Property  
Transportation & Miscellaneous

Sub-Total

Grades 7-12 (Items not Shared)—Deduct Receipts from—  
State and Federal Sources  
State Aid for 1964 Construction  
Special Reserve—Principal payment and income derived from  
Norwich “buying in” (\$312,000)  
From Dresden District for Debt Service on 1964 Construction  
Earnings of Permanent Funds  
Cash on Hand

Sub-Total

Special Article—  
Bus  
Land Purchase (Lyme Road Property)

**TO BE RAISED BY HANOVER TAXATION**

\* Incr. over 1963-1964, \$62,000—9.2%

\*\* Incr. over 1964-1965, \$58,900—8.0%

NOTE 1: Receipts from sweepstakes included above.



**1965-1966 SUMMARY ALL BUDGETS  
Hanover Taxation)**

Actual Expenditures 1963-1964	Budget 1964-1965	Budget 1965-1966
\$308 900	\$338 700	\$354 800
340 100	399 400	428 300
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649 000	738 100	783 100
49 500	48 500	52 400
—	38 100	37 200
—	—	6 500
7 800	7 800	9 400
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706 300	832 500	888 600
12 900	23 200	29 500
—	6 200	6 000
—	28 100	26 000
—	32 200	31 200
4 600	4 200	4 200
14 000	5 000	( 4 000)
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31 500	98 900	92 900
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674 800	733 600	795 700
1 000	1 000	1 000
—	3 200	—
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<u>\$675 800</u>	<u>\$737 800*</u>	<u>\$796 700**</u>
—	18 700	38 900

**HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SUMMARY PROPOSED**

	Actual Expenditures 1963-64
Administration	\$ 3 500
Instruction—	
Salaries (incl. Principal)	199 000
Text Books, Libraries, Teaching Supplies, etc.	10 600
Health	3 600
Transportation	8 900
Operation of School Plant	27 700
Maintenance of Plant	7 500
Fixed Charges	15 300
School Lunch and Special Milk	4 500
	280 600
Capital Outlay	6 700
Outgoing Transfer Accounts	16 100
	303 400
Debt Service	30 200
	333 600
Total Expense	333 600
Less Receipts	24 700
	\$308 900
NET EXPENSE	\$308 900
Enrollment Anticipated	707

**ELEMENTARY (GRADES K-6)**  
**BUDGET 1965-1966**

Budget 1964-65	Budget 1965-66	Budget 1965-1966 Increase or (Decrease) vs. Budget 1964-65	
		(\$ 100)	( 2.2) %
\$ 4 400	\$ 4 300		
219 700	244 800	25 100	11.4
21 000	26 700	5 700	27.1
4 000	4 800	800	20.0
9 700	12 800	3 100	32.0
27 300	29 200	1 900	7.0
9 400	8 600	( 800)	( 8.5)
21 300	22 500	1 200	5.6
5 100	6 200	1 100	21.6
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321 900	359 900	38 000	11 8
8 200	6 700	( 1 500)	(18.3)
13 500	15 400	1 900	14.1
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343 600	382 000	38 400	11.2
29 600	29 000	( 600)	( 2.0)
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373 200	411 000	37 800	10.1
34 500	56 200	21 700	63.0
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\$338 700	\$354 800	\$16 100	4.8 %
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703	738	35	4.9 %

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

Administration

Instruction—

Salaries (incl. Principal

Text Books, Libraries, Teaching Supplies, etc.

Health, etc.

Operation of Plant

Maintenance of Plant

Fixed Charges

School Lunch and Special Milk

Student Activities

Capital Outlay

Outgoing Transfer Accounts

Debt Service—1964 High School Addition

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 (Forward)

**SUMMARY PROPOSED BUDGET 1965-1966  
to Norwich School District)**

Budget 1964-65	Budget 1965-66	Budget 1965-1966 Increase or (Decrease) vs. Budget 1964-1965	
\$ 4 200	\$ 4 300	\$ 100	2.4 %
325 700	364 400	38 700	11.9
42 500	45 400	2 900	6.8
4 300	5 000	700	16.3
50 400	50 600	200	—
14 300	16 100	1 800	12.6
31 900	37 600	5 700	17.9
5 400	5 600	200	3.7
20 600	21 700	1 100	5.3
499 300	550 700	51 400	10.3
11 400	17 800	6 400	56.1
14 100	16 000	1 900	13.5
524 800	584 500	59 700	11.4
46 600	43 000	( 3 600)	(7.7)
571 400	627 500	56 100	9.8
24 700	49 700	25 000	101.2
\$546 700	\$577 800	\$31 100	5.7 %
73.05%	74.13%		
<u>\$399 400</u>	<u>\$428 300</u>	<u>\$28 900</u>	<u>7.2 %</u>



## OFFICERS FOR THE TOWN OF HANOVER

### Board of Selectmen\*

Lewis J. Bressett, *Chairman*  
Donald W. Cameron  
Kenneth A. LeClair  
Robert D. McLaughry†  
David C. Nutt

### Moderator

Herbert W. Hill

### Treasurer

LeRoy G. Porter

### Auditors

Leonard E. Morrissey  
George I. Prater

### Town Clerk-Tax Collector

Marion E. Guyer

### Board of Health

Edward S. Brown, Jr.  
Philip O. Nice, M.D.

### Supervisors of Check-List

Niles A. Lacoss  
John V. Neale  
Frederick S. Page

### Library Trustees

Julius S. Mason  
Phoebe S. Stebbins†  
Jean H. Storrs

### Trustees of Trust Funds

Charlotte M. Bielanowski  
Peter Lihatsch  
Max A. Norton†

### Advisory Assessors

Nathaniel G. Burleigh†  
LeRoy G. Porter  
Walter H. Trumbull

### Park Commissioner

Donald L. Stone

## OTHER BOARD MEMBERS

### Zoning Board of Adjustment

Edward S. Brown, Jr.  
Raymond P. Busky  
Kenneth C. Dimick  
Aletha P. Whittall  
James D. Wilson

### Building Inspector

Frank T. Cody, Sr.

### Fence Viewers

Clifford R. Elder  
G. Wesley LaBombard  
Edward C. Lathem

### Surveyors of Wood & Lumber

Morris H. Hayes  
John H. Minnich

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\*Also Members of the Board of Health

†Term expires 1965

**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 said Hanover, the ninth of March next, at 7:30 in the evening, to act upon the following subjects. (The polls will open at 7:30 p.m. and close not earlier than 10:30 p.m. unless otherwise voted.)

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

- One Selectman, 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

SECOND: To hear the reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Auditor, and other Town Officers and to pass any vote relating thereto.

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

- One Auditor
- 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 1965.

**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 what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for a comprehensive transportation study of the Town.

**TENTH:** To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for a reappraisal 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.

**ELEVENTH:** To see if the Town will vote to 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 determine in what way and at what times such information shall henceforth be made available.

**TWELFTH:** To see if the Town will vote to 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.

THIRTEENTH: 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.

FOURTEENTH: To see if the Town will vote 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.

FIFTEENTH: To see if the Town will vote 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.

SIXTEENTH: 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 15th day of February, 1965.

LEWIS J. BRESSETT  
DONALD W. CAMERON  
KENNETH A. LECLAIR  
ROBERT D. McLAUGHRY  
DAVID C. NUTT  
*Selectmen*

A true copy of Warrant, Attest:

LEWIS J. BRESSETT  
DONALD W. CAMERON  
KENNETH A. LECLAIR  
ROBERT D. McLAUGHRY  
DAVID C. NUTT  
*Selectmen*

## SUMMARY OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

Revenue	1964
Non-Real Estate Taxes	27 276 71
State	101 882 51
Local Sources:	
Motor Vehicle Permits	45 283 84
Dividends & Hydrant Rents	7 774 68
District Court	3 461 38
Nursing Service	1 863 45
Cemeteries	5 481 21
Sewer Rents	43 315 60
Sub-Total	236 339 38
Real Estate Taxes	
School	737 432 00
County	54 864 29
Town	314 510 56
	1 106 806 85
Tax Anticipation Notes & Treasury Bills	1 316 492 35
Other	117 124 37
Total Receipts	2 776 762 95
Cash Balance, January 1, 1964	132 874 08
	2 909 637 03



## SUMMARY OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES

Expenditures	1964
Current Operating Expense	
General Government	38 539 12
Police Department	41 473 34
Village & Etna Fire Departments	78 378 08
Town Buildings	15 465 75
Health & Sanitation	10 249 54
Sewer Maintenance—Sewage Disposal Plant	29 860 64
Highways & Bridges—Village & Town	144 212 40
Street Lighting	13 269 72
Care of Trees	6 483 05
Sidewalk Maintenance	2 612 46
Libraries	8 464 16
Public Welfare	13 087 70
Cemeteries	14 997 19
Social Security	4 858 64
Health Insurance	4 586 86
Interest Paid	22 673 38
	449 212 03
Other Expenditures	
Principal Payments on Indebtedness	665 252 33
Service Accounts	19 718 65
Unclassified	7 522 24
U. S. Treasury Bills	825 763 54
Sewer Construction	31 248 53
Advertising & Regional Associations	5 796 00
Payments to Other Government Divisions	804 012 24
Town Garage #2	13 554 61
	2 822 080 17
Cash Balance, December 31, 1964	87 556 86
	2 909 637 03

## COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

	REVENUE	
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964
<i>Other Taxes</i>		
Previous Years		12 106 68
Interest	100	339 67
Poll Taxes	4 300	3 768 00
National Bank Stock	1 100	1 074 80
Bond & Retirement Tax (Yield Tax)	300	263 48
Head Taxes	1 000	11 380 00
<i>From State</i>		
Interest & Dividends Tax	60 000	68 047 69
Town Road Aid	8 657	3 460 01
Precinct Road Aid	3 010	3 010 00
Bounties		7 50
Railroad Tax	200	170 26
Savings Bank Tax	3 200	3 948 87
<i>Local Sources</i>		
Motor Vehicle Permits	46 000	45 283 84
Town Clerk's Fees	3 000	2 972 00
Business Licenses	810	834 00
Tax Sales		
Tax Sales Redeemed		1 285 21
Bicycle Registrations	100	85 75
Trust Funds	1 400	2 320 17
Sale of Scrap and Old Equipment		337 98
Miscellaneous		291 05
Maps		133 00
Refunds & Abatements		
<i>Dividends and Hydrant Rental</i>		
Hanover Water Works Co. (Dividend)	4 400	4 392 00
College Hydrant Rental	3 100	3 060 52
Hospital Hydrant Rental	300	322 16
<i>Hydrant Rental—Hanover Water Works Co.</i>		
<i>Rentals and Expenditures—Town Buildings</i>		
Municipal Building (Rental Income)	660	660 00
Services and Supplies		
Repairs & Improvements		
Fuel and Electricity		
Insurance		

# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1965
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	
100			
4 300			
1 100			
150		109 07	
1 000		10 851 50	
70 000			
8 600	10 000	4 758 50	10 000
3 010			
		7 00	
175			
4 000			
45 000			
3 000			
800		1 098 78	
100	50	166 18	
2 000			
		133 00	
		77 80	
4 400			
3 100			
300			
	25 000	24 205 77	25 000
660			
	6 300	6 022 43	6 500
	2 200	3 172 37	2 000
	2 000	1 928 34	2 000
	350	297 61	600
	<hr/> 10 850	<hr/> 11 420 75	<hr/> 11 100

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

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	Budget 1964	REVENUE Actual 1964
Town Garage #1		
Insurance		
Repairs		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
 Town Garage #2		
Insurance		
Fuel		
Telephone, Electricity & Repairs		
 Etna Fire Station		
Insurance		
Repairs & Improvements		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
 Libraries		
Etna		
Howe		
 Gould Farm (Rental Income)	600	600 00
Expenses		
 <i>Superintendent of Public Works</i>		
Salary ( $\frac{3}{4}$ Year)		
Office Expense		
Transportation		
 <i>General Government</i>		
Administration—Salaries & Expenses		
Office Expense		
Bonds & Insurance		
Building Inspector		1 232 91
Zoning Board		
Planning Board		
Finance Committee		
Merger		

# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	Proposed Budget 1965
	350	72 58	450
	100	17 48	100
	1 800	1 780 39	1 800
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	2 250	1 870 45	2 350
	200	126 74	250
	875	766 00	700
	550	154 85	300
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	1 625	1 047 59	1 250
			150
			300
			600
			<hr/>
			1 050
	790	964 16	1 000
	7 500	7 500 00	8 200
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	8 290	8 464 16	9 200
600	600	343 30	600
	7 500		7 500
	3 000		3 000
	750		750
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	11 250		11 250
	27 300	25 214 00	28 100
	5 100	6 226 66	6 800
	500	558 68	600
1 000	1 000	260 80	1 000
	200	976 92	500
	800	791 22	1 000
	250	64 00	250
	500	396 57	

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

(Continued)

	Budget 1964	REVENUE Actual 1964
Legal		
Election Expense		
Patriotic Purposes		
Miscellaneous		
New Hampshire Municipal Association		
<i>Social Security</i>		
<i>Health Insurance</i>		
<i>Municipal Court</i>		
Parking Fines—Income	3 500	2 907 31
Other Fines	4 000	3 461 38
Salaries		
<i>Dogs</i>		
Licenses	1 250	1 286 15
Constable Expenses		
<i>Police Department</i>		
Regular Services		
Special Services		
Insurance		
Transportation		
Office Expense		
Uniforms		
Training Schools & Meetings		
Miscellaneous		
Capital Reserve		
New Equipment		
<i>Village Fire Department</i>		
Services		
Secretarial Service		



# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

## EXPENDITURES

Proposed Budget 1965	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	Proposed Budget 1965
	800	846 00	800
	750	846 67	500
	150	166 28	150
	300	324 60	300
	200	196 00	200
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	37 850	36 868 40	40 200
	5 300	4 858 64	5 500
	6 000	4 586 86	7 500
3 000			
3 500			
	1 900	1 900 00	2 400
1 250			
	50	50 00	50
	450	127 63	200
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	500	177 63	250
32 080		31 655 05	33 620
2 500		2 174 40	2 500
750		1 367 48	1 500
1 000		1 166 83	2 000
1 000		1 536 13	1 000
1 400		1 347 78	1 800
300		94 60	400
400		459 67	400
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39 430		39 801 94	43 220
1 500		1 500 00	1 500
200		171 40	3 300
	<hr/>	<hr/>	<hr/>
41 130		41 473 34	48 020
			Combined
			Budget
29 750		30 674 14	36 300
200		77 85	200

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

(Continued)

	REVENUE	
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964
Equipment Maintenance		
Alarm System Maintenance		
Supplies		
Insurance & Telephone		
Training Schools & Meetings		
Miscellaneous		
New Equipment		
Capital Reserve		
<i>Etna Fire Department</i>		
Services		
Fuel & Electricity		
Insurance		
Equipment—Repairs & Maintenance		
Equipment & Supplies		
Miscellaneous		
New Construction		
<i>Forest Fire Warden</i>		
<i>Health &amp; Sanitation</i>		
Services		
Dump		
Vital Statistics		
Town Nurse		
Nursing Services—Income	1 500	1 863 45
Salary		
Supplies & Equipment		
Transportation		
Other		
Telephone		
Uniforms		

# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	Proposed Budget 1965
	2 100	4 543 13	2 600
	500	250 78	300
	300	953 56	650
	2 300	2 766 88	3 750
	700	420 39	1 000
	400	459 03	400
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	36 250	40 145 76	45 200
	4 500	2 402 12	5 000
	3 000	3 000 00	4 000
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	43 750	45 547 88	54 200
	2 100	3 097 50	
	550	671 31	
	950	1 561 06	
	500	781 25	
	1 500	2 117 27	
	450	252 71	
		300 00	
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	6 050	8 781 10	
	650	626 99	650
	300	300 00	300
	3 000	4 066 93	3 000
	600	504 00	600
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	3 900	4 870 93	3 900
1 500	4 200	4 473 19	4 750
	125	109 89	125
	700	498 10	700
	360	189 82	360
	60	56 16	60
	75	51 45	75
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	5 520	5 378 61	6 070

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

(Continued)

	Budget	Actual
	1964	1964
<b>REVENUE</b>		
<i>Welfare</i>		
Old Age Assistance		
State Refund		1 276 46
Town Welfare		
Hospitalization		
Medical Expense		
 <i>Cemeteries</i>		
Income	4 685	5 481 21
Salaries & Retirement		
General Maintenance		
Supplies		
Truck Expense		
Mowers & Small Equipment Expense		
Insurance		
 Capital Reserve		
  <i>Village Highway Department</i>		
Ordinary Maintenance		
New Streets & Drains		
Bridges		
Oiling & Hot Mix Materials		
Snow Removal		
Equipment Maintenance		
Supplies		
Insurance		
Traffic Signs & Street Markings		
 Capital Reserve		

# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1965
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	
	5 000	4 949 75	5 500
	5 000	7 077 05	6 500
	2 500	955 90	2 500
	500	105 00	500
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	13 000	13 087 70	15 000
5 000	10 000	10 347 19	11 000
	950	952 18	800
	500	220 95	600
	400	731 70	400
	425	417 21	500
	350	327 96	400
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	12 625	12 997 19	13 700
	2 000	2 000 00	2 000
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	14 625	14 997 19	15 700
			Combined Budget
	32 000	37 715 65	59 000
	6 000	1 994 44	6 000
			10 000
	15 000	10 668 95	15 000
	12 000	11 473 51	27 000
	4 000	5 606 68	10 000
	5 000	6 337 95	10 000
	3 500	4 816 82	7 500
	1 000	1 109 46	1 000
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	78 500	79 723 46	145 500
	5 000	5 000 00	12 000
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	83 500	84 723 46	157 500

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

(Continued)

	REVENUE	
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964
<i>Town Highway Department</i>		
Ordinary Maintenance		
Bridges & Drains		
Gravel		
Snow Removal		
Equipment Maintenance		
Supplies		
Insurance		
Moose Mountain Road		500 00
New Equipment		
Capital Reserve		
<i>Sewerage System</i>		
Treatment Plant		
Principal & Interest		
Operators		
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		
Chemicals		
Supplies		
Transportation		
Insurance		
New Equipment		
Interceptor & Service Lines		
Maintenance		
New Construction		
Reimbursements		
Sewer Rentals	44 200	43 315 60
State Grant		20 066 00



**ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964**

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1965
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	
	24 500	24 708 77	
	2 000	1 045 36	
	1 000	921 70	
	12 200	11 431 46	
	7 500	6 735 28	
	4 300	6 072 39	
	2 100	2 113 97	
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	53 600	53 028 93	
	3 300		
	3 000	3 000 00	
	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	59 900	56 028 93	
	12 524	11 244 00	14 230
	9 000	6 808 66	10 700
	5 000	4 037 75	6 000
	4 000	1 778 00	4 000
			2 500
	3 500	4 616 82	2 500
	450	438 66	1 400
		2 346 38	2 500
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	34 474	31 270 27	43 830
	5 000	7 985 62	7 500
	10 000	48 75	10 000
	3 000	1 800 00	2 000
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	18 000	9 834 37	19 500
50 300			
16 500		20 066 00	16 500
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	52 474	61 170 64	79 830

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

(Continued)

	REVENUE	
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964
<i>Sidewalks</i>		
<i>Street Lighting</i>		
<i>Interest</i>		
Temporary Notes		
Bonds & Notes		
<i>Civil Defense</i>		
<i>Care of Trees</i>		
Pine Blister Rust		
<i>Total Current Revenue and Expenditures</i>	201 372	251 545 11
<i>Reimbursable Services &amp; Expenses of Town</i>		
Accounts Receivable—1964		18 453 62
1963	5 000	4 888 46
Balance to be Collected		
<i>Information Booth</i>		
<i>Lebanon Regional Airport Authority</i>		
<i>Upper Valley Development Council</i>		1 200 00
<i>Dartmouth Lake Sunapee Region Association</i>		
<i>Parking Meter Account</i>		2 160 16
<i>Sewer Construction Account</i>		31 183 03
<i>N. H. Water Pollution Commission</i>		19 697 00
<i>Indebtedness</i>		
Temporary Notes		615 000 00
Bonds & Notes		

# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1965
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	
	6 000	2 612 46	15 000
	13 000	13 269 72	13 500
	3 000	8 377 25	1 000
	3 300	2 986 13	2 250
	<u>6 300</u>	<u>11 363 38</u>	<u>3 250</u>
	500	1 166 16	1 500
	8 000	6 183 30	8 800
	300	299 75	300
	<u>8 300</u>	<u>6 483 05</u>	<u>9 100</u>
234 445	480 064	484 526 92	550 870
1 265		18 453 62	
		<u>1 265 03</u>	
		19 718 65	
	600	600 00	
	1 000	1 000 00	
	2 300	3 500 00	
	500	500 00	
		2 160 16	
		31 248 53	
		615 000 00	
	30 260	30 252 33	27 260
		<u>645 252 33</u>	

# COMPARATIVE REPORT OF ESTIMATED AND

(Continued)

		REVENUE
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964
<i>U. S. Treasury Bills</i>		701 492 35
Interest		8 507 65
		710 000 00
 <i>Capital Reserve</i>		
Police Department		2 234 25
Cemetery Department		268 00
		2 502 25
 <i>Property Taxes</i>		
School—1964	737 432	737 432 00
School—1963		
County	54 000	54 864 29
Town	298 645	304 403 97
	1 090 077	1 096 700 26
 <i>Cash Surplus Received from Precinct</i>		1 837 24
<i>Town Highway Sheds—Fire Loss</i>		13 500 00
<i>Town Highway Equip.—Fire Loss</i>		8 095 82
<i>Cash Balance</i>	9 707	132 874 08
	1 306 156	2 909 637 03

# ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES—1964

Proposed Budget 1965	EXPENDITURES		Proposed Budget 1965
	Budget 1964	Actual 1964	
		825 763 54	
		2 234 25	
		268 00	
		<hr/>	
		2 502 25	
	737 432	415 000 00	
		321 888 89	
	54 000	54 864 29	
298 220	<hr/>	<hr/>	
	791 432	791 753 18	
		13 554 61	
44 200		87 556 86	
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578 130	1 306 156	2 909 637 03	578 130

## SURPLUS ACCOUNT

Bank Balance, December 31, 1964	87 556 86	
Invested in Treasury Bills	321 995 43	
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	409 552 29	
1964 Appropriation Due School	322 432 00	
1964 Taxes due State:		
Head Tax	1 143 00	
Bond & Debt Retirement		
Tax (yield tax)	106 02	
Unexpended special area appropriations:		
Sidewalk	3 387 54	
Sewage System	10 490 88	
State Grant—Sewage System (1963 payment)	19 697 00	
Insurance payment—Fire loss on Highway equipment	8 095 82	
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		365 352 26
		<hr style="width: 100%;"/>
Cash Surplus		<u>44 200 03</u>



## PROPOSED SEWER BUDGET FOR 1965

To be raised by Sewer Area		
Treatment Plant		
Principal and Interest on bonds		14 230 00
Operators		10 700 00
Fuel, Electricity & Telephone		6 000 00
Chemicals		4 000 00
Supplies		2 500 00
Transportation		2 500 00
Insurance		1 400 00
New Equipment		2 500 00
		43 830 00
50% of 43 830 00 =		21 915 00
To be raised by Sewer Rentals		
50% (43 830)		21 915 00
Interceptor & Service Lines		
Maintenance	7 500 00	
New Construction	10 000 00	
Reimbursements	2 000 00	
	19 500 00	
Existing Sewer Debt		8 850 00
		50 265 00
Income from Sewer Rentals		50 300 00

### SEWER PROJECT COST ESTIMATE SUMMARY

Construction		
Contract No. I Sewers and Force Mains		235 098 66
Contract No. II Treatment Plant & Pumping Stations		443 764 32
Contract No. III Degritting System		26 471 00
Equipment and Materials		12 071 19
		717 405 17
Sub-Total		
Technical Services		
Preliminary Planning and Final Design		30 000 00
General Supervision of Construction		27 000 00
Legal and Fiscal		5 358 70
Administrative		35 26
Contingency		5 000 00
Water Service		4 475 36
Site		1 409 50
		790 683 99
Total		

## 1964 TAX RATES

Unit of Government	Net Appropriations	Overlay
Town	203 554 18	
County	54 864 29	
Hanover School District	347 050 34	
Dresden School District	399 510 00	
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Sub-Total	1 004 978 81	2 593 17
Fire Area #1	1 008 70	3 51
Fire Area #2	1 657 15	3 92
Fire Area #3	792 55	3 70
Fire Area #4	68 591 60	205 14
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Sub-Total	72 050 00	216 27
Sidewalk Area	6 000 00	188 21
Sewer Area #1	1 378 96	30 00
Sewer Area #2	15 858 04	41 59
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Sub-Total	17 237 00	71 59
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GRAND TOTAL	<u>1 100 265 81</u>	<u>3 069 24</u>

Taxes Raised	Net Valuation	Tax Rates (Per \$1000)
		6 06
		1 62
		10 23
		11 78
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1 007 571 98	33 936 409	29 69
1 012 21	2 200 451	46
1 661 07	1 767 100	94
796 25	442 360	1 80
68 796 74	29 526 498	2 33
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72 266 27		
6 188 21	24 752 859	25
1 408 96	4 858 471	29
15 899 63	23 730 790	67
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17 308 59		
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<u>1 103 335 05</u>		

## ASSESSMENT STATISTICS

1964

Land and Buildings		32 122 023 00
Factory Buildings and Land		90 000 00
Factory Machinery		23 500 00
Electric Company		857 825 00
Stock-in-Trade of Merchants		868 220 00
Stock-in-Trade of Manufacturers		34 970 00
Boats and Launches		12 610 00
Cows (144)		15 030 00
Other Cattle (61)		3 425 00
Poultry (2582)		1 291 50
Gas Pumps and Tanks		16 650 00
Road Building & Construction Machinery		103 811 00
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Total Valuation		34 149 355 50
Veterans' Exemptions	203 000 00	
Neat Stock Exemptions	9 330 00	
Poultry Exemptions	616 50	212 946 50
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Net Valuation		33 936 409 00
Total Number of Polls listed at \$2.00		2 150

## BALANCE SHEET

### Assets

Cash Balance, December 31, 1964	87 556 86
Materials & Supplies (Schedule A)	5 471 31
Uncollected Taxes	
Prior Years	525 56
1964	10 242 94
Head Taxes	
1963	5 00
1964	1 010 00
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	11 783 50
Unredeemed Taxes	515 76
Accounts Receivable—1964	1 265 00
Sewer Rentals due	4 672 26
Capital Reserve	36 448 14
U. S. Treasury Obligations	321 995 43
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	469 708 26
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	117 428 47
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	<u>587 136 73</u>

### Liabilities

1964 Taxes due State	
Head Taxes	1 143 00
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax (yield tax)	106 02
Uncollected Head Taxes	1 015 00
Yield Tax	611 40
Balance Due Schools	322 432 00
Bonds & Notes Outstanding (Schedule B)	261 829 31
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	<u>587 136 73</u>

**SCHEDULE A**  
**Materials and Supplies**

Salt	320 00
Sewer and Storm Drain Materials	1 047 78
Gasoline	1 206 72
Lubricants	258 60
Miscellaneous Supplies	2 638 21
	5 471 31

**SCHEDULE B**  
**Bonds and Notes Outstanding**

F. W. Horne Company		
Highway Construction Bonds—		
Lebanon Street		12 000 00
First National Bank of Boston		
Sewage Treatment Facilities	370 000 00	
State Grant	210 000 00	
	580 000 00	
		160 000 00
Dartmouth National Bank		
Fire Alarm Rehabilitation & Water		
Co. Stock		20 800 00
Sewer Purchases		16 588 00
Lebanon Regional Airport		24 458 35
Off-Street Parking Facilities		27 982 96
		261 829 31

**SCHEDULE C**  
**Fire Department Equipment**

	Depreciated Value
Engine #1—1948 Maxim Pumper	3 000 00
Engine #2—1951 Maxim Pumper	4 950 00
Pump #1—1956 International Maxim Pumper	7 410 00
Pump #2—1956 International Maxim Pumper	7 410 00
Ladder #1—1952 Maxim Aerial Ladder	10 400 00
Chief Car—1963 Chevrolet Station Wagon	2 070 00
Rescue #1—1949 Chevrolet Combination	900 00
Rescue #2—1942 Panel 4-Wheel Drive	600 00
Tanker—1930 Ford	10 00
Willys Pump, No. 3	3 900 00
Equipment (Hose, Tools, Air Paks and Small Appliances)	35 028 00
Fire Alarm System, Controls and Related Equipment	17 056 43
Boat, Trailer, Motor	321 00
Base Radio and Alerting Units	10 500 00
	555 430 00
Total	103 555 43



**SCHEDULE D**  
**Highway Department Equipment**

	Depreciated Value
1961 Bobcat Sidewalk Plow	2 010 00
1952 Elgin Sweeper	2 925 00
1964 Hough Payloader with Plow	19 750 00
1955 Hough Payloader	5 150 00
1961 Wainroy Backhoe	3 270 00
1957 P & H Shovel with Backhoe	12 900 00
1952 Austin Western Grader	4 400 00
1947 Austin Western Grader with Plow	3 150 00
1952 Sicard Snow Loader	4 400 00
1950 Willys Pickup	360 00
1957 International Truck No. 1	1 650 00
1955 GMC Truck No. 2	1 320 00
1941 GMC Truck No. 3	100 00
1947 Chevrolet Truck No. 4	140 00
1962 International Truck No. 5	3 270 00
1936 Chevrolet Truck No. 6	50 00
1958 International Truck No. 9	1 650 00
1958 International Pickup No. 10	800 00
1964 Ford Truck No. 11	2 660 00
1954 International Truck No. 14	710 00
1956 International Truck No. 15	1 380 00
1958 International Truck No. 16	1 840 00
5 Truck Plows	2 060 00
4 Sidewalk Plows	550 00
1 Road Rake	280 00
1 Pump	170 00
1 Conant Loader	80 00
Sewer Rods, Power Rodder and Trailer	680 00
1 Ford Mowing Machine	50 00
1 Air Compressor	300 00
1 Paint Marking Machine	460 00
Small Equipment and Shop Tools	2 580 00
	81 095 00

**SCHEDULE E**  
**Police Department**

	Depreciated Value
5 Pair Peerless Handcuffs	50 00
1 Reising Machine Gun	50 00
6 Colt Police Service Revolvers	120 00
1 1965 Ford Sedan	2 200 00
1 Royal Typewriter	100 00
2 Gas Lanterns	5 00
1 General Electric Base Radio Receiver and Transmitter	800 00
1 Motorola Mobile Two-way Radio	600 00
1 Motorola Receiver	25 00
1 Aerotron Portable Two-way Radio	250 00
1 Motorola Portable Handi-Talkie Radio	25 00
1 Motorola Monitor Radio	40 00
1 Camera	100 00
1 Pair Binoculars	20 00
1 Speed Timing Meter	500 00
Uniforms	1 000 00
	5 885 00

**SCHEDULE F**  
**Sewer Department Equipment**

	Depreciated Value
1964 Ford Truck	3 280 00
Mid-land Mid Whirl Pump and Trailer	1 680 00
Auxiliary Generator	5 900 00
P. H. Meter	360 00
Small Tools and Equipment	1 430 00
	12 650 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
Fire Station, Etna Old	750 00
Fire Station, Etna New	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

### Furniture and Equipment

Municipal Building Equipment	2 500 00
Fire Department (Schedule C)	103 555 00
Highway Department (Schedule D)	81 095 00
Police Department (Schedule E)	5 885 00
Sewer Department (Schedule F)	12 030 00

### Sewage System

Interceptor and Service Lines	204 392 00
Treatment Facilities	697 414 00

Hanover Water Works Company Stock	73 200 00
Mink Brook Park	1 500 00
Maude French Land	2 000 00

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1 483 836 00

**OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR  
HANOVER, N. H.**

December 31, 1964

	DEBIT				Total	
	1960	1961	1962	1963		1964
Property Tax			10	239 27	1 103 335 55	1 113 574 82
Poll Tax		2 00	2 00	382 00	4 208 00	4 594 00
Bank Stock					1 107 70	1 107 70
Yield Tax	271 00	207 31	223 28	190 56	355 32	1 247 47
Additions:						
Poll Tax				78 00	134 00	212 00
Property					4 876 99	4 876 99
Interest	57 05	3 02	10 53	96 49	76 47	243 56
	<u>328 05</u>	<u>212 33</u>	<u>235 81</u>	<u>10 986 32</u>	<u>1 114 094 03</u>	<u>1 125 856 54</u>

**CREDIT**

	CREDIT				Total	
	1960	1961	1962	1963		1964
Property Taxes Pd. Treas.			10	106 59	1 096 700 26	1 106 806 85
Poll Tax Paid Treasurer				378 00	3 768 00	4 146 00
Bank Stock Paid Treasurer					1 105 20	1 105 20
Yield Tax Paid Treasurer	164 63	16 66	8 99	182 31	263 48	636 07
Interest Paid Treasurer	57 05	3 02	10 53	96 49	76 47	243 56
Abatements:						
Bank Stock					2 50	2 50
Poll Tax				80 00	194 00	274 00
Property Tax					1 741 18	1 873 86
Uncollected:						
Property		2 00	2 00		9 771 10	9 771 10
Poll	106 37	190 65	214 29	8 25	380 00	386 00
Yield					91 84	611 40
	<u>328 05</u>	<u>212 33</u>	<u>235 81</u>	<u>10 986 32</u>	<u>1 114 094 03</u>	<u>1 125 856 54</u>

**OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR  
HANOVER, N. H.**

December 31, 1964

SUMMARY OF WARRANT—STATE HEAD TAX

	—DR.—		
	1963	1964	Total
Original Warrant		12 585 00	12 585 00
Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1964	1 040 00		1 040 00
Added Taxes	185 00	315 00	500 00
Penalties	99 50	62 50	162 00
	<u>1 324 50</u>	<u>12 962 50</u>	<u>14 287 00</u>

	—CR.—		
<i>Remittances to Treasurer:</i>			
Head Taxes	995 00	11 380 00	12 375 00
Penalties	99 50	62 50	162 00
Abatements During 1964	225 00	510 00	735 00
Uncollected Head Taxes	5 00	1 010 00	1 015 00
	<u>1 324 50</u>	<u>12 962 50</u>	<u>14 287 00</u>

**OFFICE OF TAX COLLECTOR  
HANOVER, N. H.**

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS—AS OF  
DECEMBER 31, 1964

—DR.—

	<i>Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:</i>	
	1963	1962
(a) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	1 098 78	
(b) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes— January 1, 1964		703 84
Interest Collected After Sale	39 28	43 70
Redemption Costs	7 61	3 87
TOTAL DEBITS	1 145 67	751 41

—CR.—

Remittances to Treasurer During Year	845 79	535 53
Abatements—During Year		
Deeded to Town—During Year		
Unredeemed Taxes—At close of year	299 88	215 88
TOTAL CREDITS	1 145 67	751 41

# REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

## COMMON TRUST FUND

### PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT

	January 1, 1964	Decrease During Year	Additions During Year	December 31, 1964
For Support of Schools	6 522 58			6 522 58
For Support of Poor	200 00			200 00
For Care of Cemetery Lots	44 002 33	2 000 00		42 002 33
For Library	1 300 00			1 300 00
	<u>52 024 91</u>			<u>50 024 91</u>

### INVESTED AS FOLLOWS

Dartmouth Savings Bank, Hanover, N. H. Account No. 14266	30 024 91
U. S. Treasury Bonds 2½% 1967-72, at face value	20 000 00
	<u>50 024 91</u>

### INCOME ACCOUNT

	January 1, 1964	Income	Paid Town Treasurer	December 31, 1964
For Support of Schools		234 74	234 74	
For Support of Poor		7 20	7 20	
For Care of Cemetery Lots	168 29	1 511 63	1 511 63	168 29
For Library		46 78	46 78	
	<u>168 29</u>	<u>1 800 35</u>	<u>1 800 35</u>	<u>168 29</u>

Balance of Income on hand \$168.29 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 14266, making total of that account \$30,193.20.

### TOWN FOREST, PARK AND RECREATIONAL RESERVE FUND

	January 1, 1964	Decrease During Year	Additions During Year	December 31, 1964
Principal	363 00			363 00
Interest added to Principal	57 15		18 03	75 18
	<u>420 15</u>		<u>18 03</u>	<u>438 18</u>

Balance of \$438.18 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 43283



**TOWN OF HANOVER**  
CAPITAL RESERVES ACCOUNT

TOWN HIGHWAY DEPT.

	January 1, 1964	Decrease During Year	Additions During Year	December 31, 1964
Principal	4 000 00	1 000 00	3 000 00	6 000 00
Interest added to Principal	38 25	38 25	214 30	214 30
	<u>4 038 25</u>	<u>1 038 25</u>	<u>3 214 30</u>	<u>6 214 30</u>

Balance of \$6,214.30 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 38421

VILLAGE HIGHWAY DEPT.

Principal	11 567 57	11 567 57
Interest added to Principal	424 48	424 48
	<u>11 992 05</u>	<u>11 992 05</u>

Balance of \$11,992.05 on deposit in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49463

POLICE DEPT.

Principal	3 645 01	3 645 01
Interest added to Principal	119 33	
	<u>2 234 25</u>	-2 114 92
	<u>2 234 25</u>	<u>3 764 34</u>
		<u>1 530 09</u>

Balance of \$1,530.09 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49464

FIRE DEPT.

Principal	11 369 57	11 369 57
Interest added to Principal	384 45	384 45
	<u>11 754 02</u>	<u>11 754 02</u>

Balance of \$11,754.02 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49465

CEMETERY EXPANSION FUND

	January 1, 1964	Decrease During Year	Additions During Year	December 31, 1964
Principal			5 038 25	5 038 25
Interest added to Principal			187 43	
		268 00		-80 57
		<u>268 00</u>	<u>5 225 68</u>	<u>4 957 68</u>
Balance of \$4,957.68 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 49491				

RICHARD WARREN SAWYER TRUST

Principal	8 238 41			8 238 41
Interest added to Principal	1 357 63	423 10	412 14	1 346 67
	<u>9 596 04</u>	<u>423 10</u>	<u>412 14</u>	<u>9 585 08</u>
Balance of \$9,585.08 deposited in Dartmouth Savings Bank Account No. 43947				

HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT

Principal	1 000 00		2 000 00	3 000 00
Interest added to Principal	7 08		53 86	60 94
	<u>1 007 08</u>		<u>2 053 86</u>	<u>3 060 94</u>
Balance of \$3,060.94 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**  
**December 31, 1964**

Balance, Dartmouth National Bank, January 1, 1964		156 59
<i>Receipts:</i>		
Parking Lot #1—Nugget Theatre	1 525 00	
Parking Lot #2—Municipal Building	1 932 25	
Parking Lot #4—Blizard Lot	507 50	
Parking Lot #5—South College Street	1 119 25	
Parking Lot #1—Meters	1 307 20	
Parking Lot #2—Meters	1 154 34	
Parking Meters	17 788 91	
		25 334 45
		25 491 04
 <i>Disbursements:</i>		
Parking Meters, Parts & Maintenance	2 636 55	
<i>Off-Street Parking Facilities:</i>		
Notes—Dartmouth National Bank	15 842 82	
Interest—Dartmouth National Bank	1 234 75	
Hanover Improvement Society	5 400 00	
		25 114 12
		376 92
Cash on Hand, Dartmouth National Bank, December 31, 1964		

**OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES**  
**1957 thru 1964**

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	
		122 704 52
		52 295 48
Balance of Authorization		
Borrowings to Date:	122 704 52	
Notes Paid to December 31, 1964	94 794 26	
Balance of Notes Outstanding, December 31, 1964		27 910 26
		27 910 26

**HANOVER DISTRICT COURT**  
**Year Ending December 31, 1964**

*Receipts*

Regular Court Fines	5 023 40	
Parking Ticket Fines (Letters)	820 00	
Small Claims	97 35	
Total Receipts		5 940 75

*Disbursements*

Fines Paid to State	1 721 78	
Fines Paid to Town	3 461 38	
Witness Fees	196 82	
Court Expenses	460 77	
Cash on Hand	100 00	
Total Disbursements		5 940 75

MARION E. GUYER,  
*Clerk*

**REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER**

The Treasurer of the Town of Hanover for the year ending December 31, 1964 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, 1964	132 874 08	
Receipts from all sources during 1964	2 776 762 95	
Total Receipts	2 909 637 03	
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid	2 822 080 17	
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1964 —		87 556 86

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, 1964, and find them correct with disbursements supported by appropriate vouchers.

Respectfully submitted,  
 LEONARD E. MORRISSEY  
 GEORGE I. PRATER

## CEMETERY REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1964

This department maintains ten cemeteries which are as follows:

Pine Knolls  
Dartmouth  
Etna  
Hanover Center  
Greensboro  
Rudsboro  
Smith  
Fowler  
Goose Pond  
Tunis

All cemeteries are lawn mowed and clipped except Tunis which is mowed by scythe in order to keep brush from growing.

Cemetery lots are still available for sale in Pine Knolls. There are about twenty-five lots at this time. There are six lots left for sale in the Dartmouth Cemetery and many new lots in the Hanover Center Cemetery.

All cemeteries are supported by tax money appropriated at Town Meeting. In order to purchase a lot in Hanover you must either have been born and raised in Hanover or have been a resident and paid taxes.

When the Pine Knolls Cemetery was developed in 1932 the Board of Selectmen established a set of rules including the provision that no work be allowed to be done on any lot unless under the direction of the Superintendent. Since this ruling has been in effect all cemeteries have been maintained the same way.

The rules also state there shall be no shrubbery or flower beds allowed on lots. Also no monument shall be placed on any lot until the lot has been paid for in full. All monuments must have the approval of the Board of Selectmen before being lettered.

When lots are sold and have been paid for in full the Board of Selectmen will issue a deed.

Pine Knolls Cemetery is currently being expanded by clearing four or five additional acres. This work will take several years to complete, and will be paid for from Capital Reserve Funds.

PERCY E. CONNER  
*Superintendent of Cemeteries*

## REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1964

### *Fire Losses*

The reported fire loss in the Township increased during 1964. Destruction of the Etna Town Shed contributed a large portion of this increase.

#### SUMMARY OF CALLS RESPONDED TO

	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964
Total Calls	106	120	129	145	154
Bell Alarms	3	1	8	13	11
Still Alarms	69	75	97	103	107
Accidental Alarms	2	8	2	9	7
False Alarms	2	4	2	3	7
Special Service	11	22	14	4	10
Rescue	8	7	3	6	7
Stray Blows	7	—	1	2	—
Out of Town	4	3	2	5	5

#### TYPES OF FIRES

Building Fires or Fires within a Building	18
Automobile or Truck	23
Chimney	9
Heating Plants (Boilers or Furnaces)	8
Brush	6
Rubbish	7
Electrical	16
Forest Fires	7

### *Training and Drills*

The men of this department spent a total of 2800 man-hours in various planned and organized training sessions. Firemen from the Etna and Village divisions attended fire programs throughout the State of New Hampshire and will continue their endeavor to furnish the Town of Hanover with a modern fire organization.

### *Fire Prevention*

The inspection program carried on by this department has doubled in the number of permits issued and inspections made. Our program to prevent fire and insure public safety will continue. It is a known fact that planned and executed inspections reduce the number of hazards within a community thus limiting the number of fires.

*General*

Your fire department is manned 24 hours a day to serve you. At the time of an emergency call 643-3610. If other than an emergency, please dial 643-3424.

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

**FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT**

**December 31, 1964**

The 1964 forest fire season surpassed the record year of 1963 in both length and severity. For the second successive year, we experienced a rainfall deficiency of more than ten inches and the compounding of such drought conditions, together with the many days of strong, dry winds, characterized 1964 as one of the most hazardous years in the past half century. Early detection and rapid response kept many potential fire disasters from becoming reality. We all owe a debt of gratitude to the men in this community who responded and fought our fires so effeciently.

Prevention is good common sense.

1. Take your rubbish to the town dump. If you must burn, obtain a permit and watch your fire until it is dead out.
2. Instruct your children in fire safety. Keep matches 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.

A major portion of our preventable fires this year are chargeable to three causes: (1) permit fires allowed to escape; (2) children playing with matches; (3) smokers. (Let's be mindful of the fact that all such fires endanger property and lives.)

**NUMBER OF FIRES AND BURNED AREA IN 1964**

	<i>Fires</i>	<i>Area-Acres</i>
State	886	875
District	78	112
Town	7	13.4

HOWARD J. RANDALL  
*Forest Fire Warden*



# CONSOLIDATED FIRE SERVICE

Effective

January 1, 1965

## *Board of Engineers*

Raymond L. Wood, *Fire Chief*  
Myron L. Cummings, *Asst. Chief*  
Howard J. Randall, *Asst. Chief*  
Donald deJ. Cutter, *Asst. Chief*  
Clifford R. Elder, *Asst. Chief*

## *Permanent Division*

Robert H. Hawes  
Eaton L. Bean  
G. Dana Bean  
Ronald F. Edson

## *Village Volunteer Division*

Arthur W. Thompson, *Captain*  
Julian C. Aja, *1st Lieut.*  
Richard L. Bean, *2nd Lieut.*  
John A. Rand, *3rd Lieut.*

## *Etna Volunteer Division*

Howard Reed, *Captain*  
Allan Gardner, *1st Lieut.*  
Frank Hayes, *2nd Lieut.*  
Kenneth M. Pelton, *3rd Lieut.*

## *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

The following communicable diseases have been reported for the year 1964 to the Town Health Department through the office of Philip O. Nice, M.D.:

Salmonella	10
B. Hemolytic Streptococci	1
Bites:	
Dog	13
Cat	1
Rat	1
Hamster	1

Inspections were made and orders for remedial action issued, where needed, for problems involving private sewerage problems, public swimming areas, stream pollution, public and private water supplies, foster homes, vermin infestation and public eating establishments.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD S. BROWN

*Health Officer*

PHILIP O. NICE, M.D.

*Deputy Health Officer*

# REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR 1964

## *Roster of the Department*

Dennis J. Cooney, Chief  
 Roland M. Lee, Captain  
 William F. Carlson, Patrolman  
 James H. Collins, Patrolman  
 Henry J. Leavitt, Patrolman  
 Alberta J. Leavitt, Metermaid  
 Sten Olsen, School Patrolman  
 Mary E. Ives, School Patrolman

## MOTOR VEHICLE ACTIVITIES

### *Analysis of Accidents*

Fatalities	2
Pedestrians Injured	2
Personal Injury and Property Damage	30
Property Damage Only	51
	85
Total	85

### *Analysis of Motor Vehicle Offenses*

#### *Moving Violations*

Accident, Leaving the Scene of	1
Allowing Unlicensed Person to Operate	1
Defective Equipment	1
Failed to Display Registration Plates	3
Failed to Furnish Financial Responsibility	1
Failed to Give Directional Signal	2
Failed to Keep Right	1
Failed to Keep Right of Yellow Line	6
Failed to Observe Stop Sign	4
Failed to Observe Signal Light	2
Failed to Report an Accident	1
Failed to Stop for an Officer	1
Four in Front Seat	1
Misuse of Plates	4
Operating to Endanger	5
Operating after Revocation or Suspension	3
Operating on Sidewalk	2
Operating Uninspected Vehicle	13
Operating Unregistered Vehicle	43
Operating Without License	13
Operating Without Lights	1

Parking Violation	2
Reckless Operation	5
Speeding	37
U-Turns	2
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Total	155

*Parking Violations*

Waiver of Formal Hearing	
Guilty Plea Entered by Mail	294
Tickets Issued for Parking Violations	5280

*Automobiles*

Number of Motor Vehicles Reported Stolen in Hanover	7
Number of Motor Vehicles Recovered in Hanover	4
Number of Motor Vehicles Recovered by Other Agencies	2

## CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES

*Analysis of Crime Offenses*

Burglary, Unlawful Entry, No Force	1
Larceny, Over \$50.00	3
Larceny, Under \$50.00	1
Auto Theft	1
Assault	1
Fraudulent Check	4
Weapons	2
Sex Offenses	1
Offenses Against the Family	1
Liquor Laws	2
Drunkenness	10
Disorderly Conduct	1
Defrauding an Inn Keeper	1
False Fire Alarm	1
Malicious Injury to Property	2
Offense against Library	1
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Sub Total	33
Juvenile Offenders	5
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Total	38

Lost and Stolen Property Recovered By This Department \$8,412.72

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

### *Commitment Cases*

To New Hampshire State Hospital at Concord, N. H.	5
To Grafton County Jail at Haverhill, N. H.	5
To Grafton County House of Correction at Haverhill, N. H.	6
To Hillsboro County Jail at Manchester, N. H.	1
Total	17
First Aid Rendered	39
Business Establishments, Doors and Windows Found Un- locked	136
Cruiser Mileage	30,759
Dog Complaints	127
Ambulance Escorts	41
Money and Payroll Escorts	86
Road Escorts	9
Emergency Transportation	15
Fire Alarms Answered	48
Funeral Details	25
Injured and Stray Animals	21
Messages Delivered or Relayed	36
Missing Persons Reported	18
Missing Persons Located	13
Prisoners Detained for Other Agencies	44
Road and Sidewalk Defects Reported	5
Escapees Apprehended	2
Street Lights Reported Out	264
Towed Vehicles	92
Try and Locate Requests	9
Unattended Deaths	1
Vacant Residences Checked	66
Gunshot Wounds Investigated	1
Personnel Assigned to Assist Other Agencies	11

Respectfully submitted,  
 DENNIS J. COONEY  
*Chief of Police*

## HANOVER TOWN LIBRARY REPORT

### 1964

The operation of the library in Etna continues as it has in previous years. It seems to be used enough to justify keeping it open the extra two hours on Wednesday evenings. The magazines circulate well. Few books have been bought as the Bookmobile has brought new books periodically. But a need is felt for an up-to-date encyclopedia for school children. The building appears to be in good condition. Perhaps some new window shades would brighten the aspect.

Respectfully submitted,  
JEAN H. STORRS  
JULIUS MASON  
PHOEBE S. STEBBINS  
*Library Trustees*

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

January 1, 1964-December 31, 1964

Total Volumes	3 825
Total Listed	3 032
Total Unlisted	326
Magazine Subscriptions	27
Loose Records	68
Record Albums	68
New Books	4
Gifts of Books	10
Books Borrowed from Bookmobile	467
State Library Books Borrowed	15
Books Loaned	1 752
Books Lost or Discarded	38
Daily Loans (average)	18

Respectfully submitted,  
MONA T. ABBAS  
*Librarian*

## REPORT OF THE HANOVER TOWN PLANNING BOARD

**For the year ending December 31, 1964**

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

In the discharge of its routine duties the Planning Board has reviewed preliminary layouts and/or final plats for proposed subdivisions submitted by Alfred T. Granger for Thompson Terrace, by the Trustees of Dartmouth College for additional lots west of the Lyme Road West development, and by John M. Piane, Jr., for a development on Balch Hill east of Rip Road. The Planning Board has also been represented at hearings held by the Zoning Board of Adjustment on appeals for Variances from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance.

Much of the time of the Planning Board has been devoted to working with the Hans Klunder Associates and the Central Area Task Force in the preparation of a Central Area Plan for the future development of the central portion of the community. The Hanover League of Women Voters has assumed responsibility for the distribution to groups of voters of copies of the Summary Report of the Central Area Study. For this assistance the Planning Board here expresses its grateful appreciation. Copies of the comprehensive report, on which the summary report is based, may be examined at the Howe Library, Baker Library, the High School Library, and the Town Clerk's office.

Two other principal items have engaged the Planning Board's attention. The first arises from what the Board considers is the desirability of introducing some flexibility into the Zoning Ordinance to meet the needs of a growing Hanover while still protecting its amenities. The second is the need to reach the proper solution to the traffic problems which already exist and which will probably be aggravated by the completion of two



interstate routes in the vicinity of the town. The Board hopes to be able to present recommendations on these items to the voters at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. AMSDEN, *Chairman*

EARL C. WARD, *Vice Chairman*

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

DONALD W. CAMERON

JAMES CAMPION

EDGAR H. HUNTER

CARL F. LONG

*The Hanover Town Planning Board*

*Consultants*

C. COLBY BENT

EDWARD M. CAVANEY

PAUL F. YOUNG

**TOWN OF HANOVER**  
**REPORT OF OVERSEER OF WELFARE**

**OLD AGE ASSISTANCE**

a) Individuals receiving OAA throughout 1964 varied, only from twelve (12) to thirteen (13), or noticeably less than the number in 1963.

b) Two (2) additional cases were supported by APTD (Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled). Hanover contributes twenty-five per cent (25%) of the total cost of this program, which is expected to increase in 1965, because of an additional case load.

**TOWN WELFARE**

During 1964, nine (9) family cases, representing twenty-nine (29) individuals, and nine (9) additional individual cases received assistance from the Town. This ranged from brief coverage, because of temporary severe hardship and/or illness and disability, to sustained support throughout the year. The increase anticipated in 1965 is a realistic minimum estimate of support that will be required, since two (2) continuing cases only, one a child, the other an adult, will require \$4,000 of the \$6,500 total budgeted for Town Welfare.

**HOSPITALIZATION**

By good fortune, only six (6) individuals required hospitalization support during 1964, a substantial drop in numbers from the average of the past four years. The Hanover Free Bed Trust Funds, consisting of income received from Endowed Bed Funds administered by Mary Hitchcock Hospital and supplemented by a direct grant by the Hospital, supported four (4) of these cases, having a total expense of \$1,540.70. As a result of this favorable experience, as well as the generous support of the Free Bed Trust Funds, the Town's direct expense for hospitalization was not only well below normal budgeted estimates, but made possible an unused balance of \$450.40, to be carried into 1965.

**MEDICAL EXPENSE**

Here, too, by good fortune, only one (1) case required Town support in this area, designed to provide psychiatric assistance for children and adults.

## TOWN NURSING SERVICE

### *Total Visits for the Year*

Pre Natal	3
Post Natal	96
New Born	93
Pre School	20
School	14
Adult	1,171
Health Supervision	426
Communicable Disease	2
Not Home	40
Free Nursing Care Visits	314
Full Paid Visits	857
Total Mileage	5,071
Assisted at all Red Cross Blood Drawings	
Completed Oral Vaccine Clinics	
Immunized Fire Department with influenza vaccine	
Arranged for Free Chest X-ray Clinic	

The mere factual summary of the work of Mrs. Frances Connor, Visiting Nurse, cannot reflect the unique contribution she has made to residents of the Town, save those who have benefited directly from her thoughtful and efficient personal interest.

## PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Because of the Town Nursing Service, the activity of the New Hampshire Division of Public Health, Public Health Nursing Service, Lois B. Reed, R.N., Public Health Nurse in charge, was largely one of making available to the Town the following State supported programs—

Tuberculosis Testing equipment loaned to local schools  
Free X-Ray Clinic  
Immunization Survey  
Communicable Disease visits and investigation  
Tuberculosis Program follow-up

Respectfully submitted,  
DONALD W. CAMERON  
*Overseer of Welfare*

**APPENDIX A**  
**Report of Town Meeting—1964**

The following Town Officers were elected by non-partisan ballot.

Town Clerk for 1 year—Marion E. Guyer  
Treasurer for 1 year—LeRoy G. Porter  
Trustee of Trust funds for 3 years—  
Charlotte M. Bielanowski  
Library Trustee for 3 years—Julius S. Mason  
Selectman for 3 years—David C. Nutt

It was voted that the reports of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Auditor and other Town Officers, as printed in the Town Report, be accepted.

The following officers were elected:

Auditors for 1 year: Leonard E. Morrissey & George I. Prater

Member of the Advisory Assessors Board for three years:  
Walter H. Trumbull

Fence Viewers for a term of 1 year: Clifford R. Elder  
Edward C. Lathem  
G. Wesley LaBombard  
Surveyors of wood and lumber: Morris Hayes  
John Minnich

Park Commissioner: Donald L. Stone

It was voted that the sum of \$286,745 be raised and appropriated to defray town charges for the year 1964.

It was voted that the following salaries be established for the Hanover District Court:

Justice	\$1,500.00
Associate Justice	450.00
Clerk	450.00

It was voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) to assist in the operation of the Howe Library.

It was voted that the town raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600.00) for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Hanover Information Booth for the summer of 1964.

It was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Lebanon Regional Airport Authority.

It was voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of twenty-three hundred dollars (\$2,300) for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Upper Valley Development Council.

It was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) for the Town's share of the operational cost of the Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region.

It was voted to appropriate and place in capital reserve funds, pursuant to RSA 35, the total sum of \$17,082.15 (which was the balance remaining in the Precinct Capital Reserve Fund and transferred to the Town on December 31, 1963) for the following purposes: (1) \$6,567.57 for the future purchase of highway construction and maintenance equipment; (2) \$2,145.01 for the future purchase of police vehicles and equipment and (3) \$8,369.57 for the future purchase of fire vehicles and equipment.

It was voted that the Town grant to the Selectmen the same authority as previously held by the Precinct Commissioners with regard to the development of sites for off-street parking and in furtherance thereof:

1. To authorize the Selectmen to acquire and improve sites for off-street parking facilities.

2. To raise and appropriate the sum of \$52,295.48 (being the unexpended balance as of December 31, 1963 of the total sum of \$175,000.00 authorized by vote of the precinct on May 28, 1957) to finance the acquisition and improvement of sites for off-street parking facilities and for this purpose, to authorize the selectmen to borrow some part or all of such sum and issue notes or bonds of the Town in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 374 of the Laws of 1963 and the Municipal Finance Act, so-called as amended, to delegate to the Selectmen the discretion of fixing the date, maturities, denominations, the interest rate or discount rate in the case of notes, the place of payment, the form and other details of said bonds and notes, and of providing for the sale thereof.

3. To record the sense of this meeting that the selectmen ought to the extent feasible set parking meter rates in Hanover at such levels that revenue from meters will cover capital and operating costs in connection with the operation of Town parking lots.

It was voted to delegate to the Selectmen and authorize them to exercise all of the powers now or hereafter conferred upon the mayor and alderman of cities respecting highways, sidewalks and sewers and all the powers now or hereafter conferred on city councils by RSA 47:17 through 26 and RSA 249:1; provided, however, that the selectmen shall not have the power to enact or amend any zoning ordinance or to abandon any public highway.

It was voted 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.

It was voted that the Town remove the gates and bars and restore to active use, 400 feet of highway number 21 (commonly called Lovers Lane) laid out February 14, 1794, which lies westerly of the residence of Allen C. Piper.

It was voted that the Town remove the gates and bars and restore to active use 750 feet of highway #50 laid out May 4, 1817. Said road lies northwesterly of the so-called George Adams house.

It was voted to adopt the following resolution and that it be written into the records of the meeting, with a copy sent to Mr. Low.

On December 31, 1963, Mr. Fletcher Low completed, with high honor, his 13th consecutive year as First Selectman of the Town of Hanover. He has many qualities which fitted him admirably for this difficult job; intelligence, integrity, fairness, indefatigable energy, and unswerving devotion to duty. These characteristics made his efforts to protect and promote the welfare of the community highly effective.

Be it resolved that the Town of Hanover express its appreciation to Mr. Low for his leadership and loyal service during a long period fraught with unusually difficult problems.

It was voted to adopt the following resolution in two ways: by a rising vote of thanks to Niles for his unstinting service to his town and ours; and by incorporation of these remarks in the appropriate town records and in a letter of appreciation to go to his fine family in Etna.

Friends, more than twenty years ago the citizens of the Town of Hanover elected a young man from Etna to serve on the Board of Selectmen with two of Hanover's most



respected citizens, Horace Hurlbutt and Andrew Truxall. Under the guidance of his seniors, Niles A. Lacoss learned well the duties and the responsibilities of a Town Father. In recognition of his fine service the voters of the Town returned him to office periodically for more than a score of years. Few men have served Hanover longer as a Town father. None has served better or more faithfully.

Formally educated in mechanical engineering at the University of New Hampshire, educated practically as a dairy farmer, the lumberman, and an operator of a saw-mill, skilled in the use of the forge, the anvil, and the hammer, Niles brought to the administration of Town Government a rare combination of experience, judgment, and understanding so useful in welding together the varied interests to be found in an urban-rural community such as ours. Now this warm-hearted, genial, and approachable gentleman has chosen to take a well deserved rest from civic duties, we wish him joy in his emancipation from office but we would be remiss if we did not take advantage of this opportunity, Mr. Moderator, to express our gratitude to Niles and our deep appreciation for the services he has rendered so well for so long a time.

It was voted to adopt the following resolution:

The Board of Selectmen wish, at this time, to inscribe into the records of this meeting in appreciation for the fine service they have given to the community in the past years, the names of Dr. John Milne, Jack Manchester, Herbert Kuehn, Wesley LaBombard, Harry Trumbull and Harley Camp, who for many years have served on the Precinct and Town Zoning Boards. Also, Charlotte Morrison, Linwood Bean and Peter Cavaney for their excellent work on the Town and Precinct Planning Boards. To Seaver Peters and Joseph McDonald who devoted many hours in performing their task as Auditors. To Mr. Robert Keene for his helpful contributions to the Board of Selectmen during his short stay.

It was voted to adopt the following resolution:

Whereas it has long been Hanover's tradition to support and uphold the Constitutional guarantees of the citizens of this nation and the rights of all citizens to participate in American economic, political, and social life, be it resolved that this town give all encouragement and support to the Dartmouth ABC program. The ABC program is

dedicated to enabling socially and economically deprived students, many of whom are Negroes, through a better education to integrate fully in American life. Be it further resolved that the citizens of the town will make every effort to welcome these students into the community.

It was voted that the following resolution be adopted:

Resolved, that it is the sense of the voters of the Town of Hanover that the phrase 'neighborhood business district' in the Town Zoning Ordinance shall be construed by officers and boards of the Town of Hanover to mean a local convenience business center serving the several hundred families in the vicinity, in accordance with *HANOVER PLANS AHEAD*, and as contrasted in meaning with the phrase 'central business district as employed in said report,' and that if the Town Clerk shall cause a certified copy of this resolution, if it is adopted, to be transmitted to all agencies and boards of the Town of Hanover charged with responsibility in the administration of zoning matters or otherwise interested or concerned therewith.

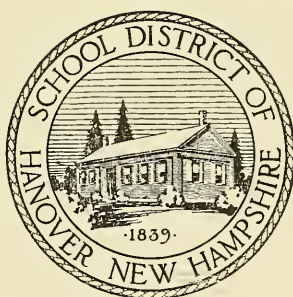
The polls were kept open until 6:00 P.M. Counting of ballots began at 7:00 P.M. and continued until 11:00 P.M. at which time the results were announced and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,  
MARION E. GUYER  
*Town Clerk*





**ANNUAL REPORT  
SCHOOL DISTRICT  
HANOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE**



**1965**



**SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS  
HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**School Board**

Elisabeth M. Bradley, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1966
Dr. John W. Schleicher, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1966
John G. Skewes, <i>Secretary</i>	Term Expires 1967
Almon B. Ives	Term Expires 1965
Dr. Frederic Rueckert	Term Expires 1967
John W. Finch	Term Expires 1965

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*

Charles H. Saben, *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 Thursday, March 4, 1965 at 8:00 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 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 7. 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 8. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at Hanover, New Hampshire this day of February, 1965.

ELISABETH M. BRADLEY  
JOHN W. FINCH  
ALMON B. IVES

FREDERIC RUECKERT  
JOHN W. SCHLEICHER  
JOHN G. SKEWES

*School Board, School District of Hanover*

A True copy of Warrant—Attest:

ELISABETH M. BRADLEY  
JOHN W. FINCH  
ALMON B. IVES

FREDERIC RUECKERT  
JOHN W. SCHLEICHER  
JOHN G. SKEWES

*School Board, School District of Hanover*

## HANOVER, N. H. SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

MARCH 2, 1964

A legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Hanover School District was called to order by the Moderator, Stuart W. Russell, at 8:30 P.M., March 2, 1964 in the evening. The warrant on which the meeting was called was read by the Clerk, Patricia A. Kurtz.

Article I: The following officers were elected:

Moderator for one year: Stuart W. Russell

Clerk for one year: Shirley C. Clogston

Treasurer for one year: Marjorie T. Scott

School Board for three years: Frederic Rueckert

John G. Skewes

Article II: Edgar F. Costello was elected auditor for one year.

Article III: On motion of William Wilson, duly seconded, it was voted that the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and other officers heretofore chosen be accepted as set forth in the printed report.

On motion of William Wilson, 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 Mrs. Pierce.

TO: Members of the Hanover School District

FROM: Members of the School Board

SUBJECT: Retirement of Superintendent Arthur E. Pierce

For the past ten years the Hanover School District has shared with our neighboring towns of Lyme, Orford, and Enfield the services of a man who is certified by the New Hampshire Department of Education as one of the four dozen District Superintendents of Schools in the State. Superintendent Arthur E. Pierce retires as the Executive Officer of our Supervisory Union number 22 on June 30, 1964. The fact that he has twice been asked to continue in his position instead of enjoying his fully-earned retirement, testifies to the value that the District and the Union have set upon his services and leadership.

Those who have not had occasion to look closely at the kind of job expected of our Superintendents in New Hampshire may well review briefly some of the many duties of these officers. These men are responsible to the New Hampshire Department of Education for seeing to it that the New Hampshire statutes for Education are carried out. Within the framework of the law, Superintendent Pierce is the Chief Executive Officer of four school districts. (Since Enfield joined the Mascoma Valley Cooperative he has acquired new duties in helping form the Dresden School District.)

Mr. Pierce has had to deal directly with the full membership of the Districts of the Union only once or twice a year. However, his contacts with school board members—fifteen to eighteen of them most of the time—have been more frequent and time consuming. It has been noted by his secretary that there have been many weeks in which he had a meeting scheduled with one of his four school boards or a subcommittee thereof every night in the week. In addition, there have been many weeks during the formation of the Dresden District when he ate lunch with a board committee, prepared for a four o'clock session with the Board in Orford, and then returned to Hanover to spend from eight o'clock until midnight with the Dresden District Directors. Mr. Pierce has had supervisory responsibility for about 100 teachers as well as for two dozen custodians and secretaries. Working with the principals in each school, he has been required to oversee the day to day job of educating almost 1700 of our area's children. Perhaps one of the more ironical passages in New Hampshire statutes deals with the obligation of the Superintendent, *in addition to his other duties*, to make speeches and hold meetings, and in other ways to promote the cause of education in his part of the State. Such extra claims on his time might seem unreasonable, yet Mr. Pierce has indeed discharged this obligation, and in addition has found time to serve and counsel professional organizations in New Hampshire, New England, and nationally. He has also been active in a variety of civic activities.

If it be true, as has been suggested, that a prime mark of an educated man is his ability to sustain his attention to an idea, then Mr. Pierce has exhibited truly remarkable learning. On a typical day after a morning of dealing with the routine of a busy office, seeing all visitors, salesmen, teachers, and administrative heads who required an audience with him, Mr. Pierce has been known to speak at the Rotary Club at noon,



lend a sympathetic ear to representatives from the Parent-Teacher Association in early afternoon, shrug off a verbal brickbat or two in the evening newspaper, sneak in a late round of golf before (or instead of) dinner, and then guide a school board through a long agenda of complicated and detailed business to round out his day. Such powers of concentration are remarkable except in school superintendents where they are merely expected.

Mr. Pierce received his undergraduate education at Dartmouth and the University of Massachusetts. He then served as teacher and principal in Massachusetts and Connecticut from 1924 to 1931, during which period he earned his Master's Degree in Education at Harvard. Then came sixteen years of superintendency in Reading, Bangor, and Wellesley, and two years as an administrator for the Air Force. With this training and service, Mr. Pierce developed his skill and acquired the experience which he brought to us in Hanover. We have been fortunate to have the benefit of his guidance, his patience, courtesy, commitment to excellence, and above all his devotion to the community which, as a student at Dartmouth, he came to love.

Those of us who have worked with him most closely wish to acknowledge our admiration for the job he has done, and make public our thanks and best wishes to Arthur E. Pierce, Superintendent of Schools.

ELISABETH M. BRADLEY  
ALMON B. IVES  
JOHN G. KEMENY  
CAROL E. McLANE  
JOHN W. SCHLEICHER, M.D.  
WILLIAM L. WILSON  
*Hanover School Board*  
March 2, 1964

The moderator declared the motion passed by unanimous acclaim.

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) for the establishment of a capital reserve fund for the purchase of a school bus, said sum to be placed in the custody of the trustees of trust funds for the purchase of said bus, in accordance with RSA, Chapter 35.

Article V: On motion of Almon B. Ives, duly seconded, it was voted that the District raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,000.00 for the acquisition as a school site from Dartmouth College of a tract of land Northerly of Reservoir Road, containing approximately 35 acres as shown on a sketch dated November 1, 1963, prepared by George Clendaniel and that to raise this amount the school board is authorized to issue \$35,000.00 bonds or notes of the District under the Municipal Finance Act. This motion was passed by a vote of not less than 100 in favor and not more than 3 against.

Jean L. Hennessey asked to introduce a motion under this Article. The Moderator ruled that as this motion was not a money motion it would properly come under Article IX.

Article VI: On motion of John G. Kemeny, duly seconded, it was voted that the District raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Sixty-nine Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-One Dollars (\$869,581.00), for the support of the schools, for the salaries of School District officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the District, including its obligations to the Dresden School District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund, together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxation by the Town.

Article VII: On motion of S. John Stebbins, duly seconded, it was voted to delay action under Article VII until after the consideration of Article IX.

Article VIII: On motion of Carol E. McLane, 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 XI: Jean L. Hennessey moved that the voters of the Hanover School District recommend that the Hanover School Board join in the appeal proceedings concerning the grant of a building permit for a shopping center to the Hanover

Development Corporation on land in the immediate vicinity of the new school site. Discussion followed and Richard Putnam moved that this item be tabled. A standing vote was taken and the Moderator declared the motion lost. A ballot vote was requested and the vote was taken by ballot using the official check list.

Results of voting on motion by Jean L. Hennessey:

YES 103                      NO 52

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On motion of John W. Schleicher, duly seconded, the following resolution was accepted:

Tonight Mr. William L. Wilson retires from the Hanover School Board after three years of service; and also retires from the first Dresden Board of School Directors after a scant three months of service—the total of its existence.

The years he has spent on the Hanover School Board, the last of which was as its chairman, were years of constant turmoil and almost weekly crises. These were chiefly directed toward and culminated in the sound establishment and organization of the Dresden Board of School Directors, on which he served his shorter “sentence.”

His experience as an administrator has tempered his judgment and given him patience; and he has constantly been able to demonstrate to his colleagues how to cope with Parkinson’s second law without sinking in the sea of paperwork involved.

In addition to his ability to assimilate and digest the multiplicity of facts involved in current school operations in the budgetary, personnel, and curricular fields, he has had to correlate a compilation of a parallel series of facts concerning the newly formed union. As you know, actual physical plant construction now awaits only legal technicalities.

Despite the credits mentioned, which seem to concern minutiae in school plant organization, operation, and construction, Bill Wilson has never let the trees obscure the woods. He has always been able to take a long look at the overall educational aims of the community schools.

Your thoughtful attention is called to the paragraphs under the subtitle “The Future” in the annual report of the Hanover School Board. This is the chairman’s report, concurred in by the board members, and contains his fitting and constant reminder to those who follow him that excellence in the com-

munity school system is never easy or automatic. Its price is constant vigilance, sympathetic understanding, and person sacrifice on the part of community members willing to accept and discharge this responsibility in addition to their normally overcrowded schedules.

William L. Wilson is an outstanding example of such a community member. It is with sincere regret that we see him leave the school board. It is with profound thanks for his devoted service that we ask that this resolution be spread on the records of this school district meeting and that a copy be sent to Mr. Wilson.

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On motion of Carol E. McLane, duly seconded, the following resolution was accepted:

John G. Kemeny tonight completes his three year term on the Hanover School Board. Throughout this time he has been engaged in every aspect of the work of the Board and his colleagues have counted heavily on the extraordinary mental organization, tact, finesse, financial wizardry, educational concern, humor and humanity he has consistently brought to varied problems; not even Mr. Kemeny, however, can have computed the hours of work his particular abilities and general sense of responsibility have cost him.

He has served as chairman of the Curriculum and Salary Committee for two years, chairman of the ad hoc Superintendency Committee, member—and for the past year chairman—of the Budget Committee. The new mathematics program in the Schools and the realistic revision of salary schedules have had his leadership and constant attention, as have other curricular and budgetary improvements; without his efforts the success of the task of taking apart the Hanover School's budget and putting it together again for the separate benefit of Hanover and Dresden Districts would have been only a probability.

The School Board would regard Mr. Kemeny's retirement with more equanimity had he had the foresight, as chief architect of the 1964-65 budget, to provide for regular telephone communication with the various capitals of the world in which he will spend his forthcoming sabbatical leave year. We can only hope that his return to the country will mean a return to the same active and creative struggle for the Hanover Schools.

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

Article VII: On motion of S. John Stebbins, duly seconded, it was voted that after the polls close the meeting stand adjourned until 8 P.M. on Tuesday April 14, 1964 in the auditorium of the Hanover High School for the consideration of further business under Article VII.

The polls closed at 11:20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted:

PATRICIA A. KURTZ

*School District Clerk*

*Hanover, N. H.*

A true copy attest:  
PATRICIA A. KURTZ  
School District Clerk  
Hanover, N. H.

## **ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**April 14, 1964**

The annual meeting of the Hanover School District, adjourned from March 2, 1964 pursuant to a vote passed at that time, was called to order at 7:35 P. M., April 14, 1964, in the auditorium of the Hanover High School by the Moderator, Dr. Stuart Russell, to consider business under Article 7 of the Warrant.

Motion made by Almon B. Ives that there being no business under this Article, the meeting be adjourned.

Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

Adjourned at 7:40 P. M.

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON

*Clerk of Hanover School District*

A true copy, attest:  
SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON  
*Clerk of Hanover School District*



**FINANCIAL REPORT  
OF THE HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1963  
and Ending June 30, 1964**

**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.

DR. 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, 1963 (Agrees with "Grand Total Net Receipts")	828 225 97
Receipts Reduced by Expenditures Recorded in the 1900. Series	10 961 84
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Total Gross Receipts	839 187 81

**B. Expenditures**

Total Net Expenditures Plus Cash on Hand June 30, 1964 (Agrees with "Grand Total Net Ex- penditures")	828 225 97
Expenditures Recorded in the 1900. Series	10 961 84
	<hr/>
Total Gross Expenditures	839 187 81

## Receipts

- 10. Revenue from Local Sources
  - 11. Taxation and Appropriations Received
    - 11.1 Taxes Received from School District Levies
    - 11.11 Current Appropriation

Total

- 12. Tuition from Patrons
  - 12.1 Tuition from Patrons

Total

- 13. Transportation Fees from Patrons

Total

- 19. Other Revenue from Local Sources
  - 19.1 Earnings from Permanent Funds and Endowments
  - 19.2 Earnings from Temp. Dep. and Inv.
  - 19.3 Rent
  - 19.9 Refunds

Total

- 30. Revenue from State Sources
  - 32. School Building Aid
  - 34. Driver Education
  - 35. Intellectually Retarded

Total

- 40. Revenue from Federal Sources
  - 41. National Defense Education Act
    - 41.1 Title III
  - 45. School Lunch and Spec. Milk
  - 47. Public Law 874

Total

- 80. Amounts Received from Other School Districts in State and Amounts Received from Capital Reserve Funds
  - 81. Tuition

Total

- 90. Amounts Received from School Districts in Another State
  - 91. Tuition

Total

Total Net Receipts from All Sources

Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year, July 1, 1963

- 2001. General Fund
- 2002. Capital Outlay Fund (from capital outlay summary)

Total

Grand Total Net Receipts

*Budget*  
1963-64

*Actual*

81 850 00		681 888 89	
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	681 850 00		681 888 89
4 368 00		5 205 00	
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	4 368 00		5 205 00
		75	
			<hr/>
			75
9 000 00		10 220 47	
		240 00	
100 00		32 00	
2 679 00			
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	11 779 00		10 492 47
17 498 00		17 415 00	
1 720 00		1 750 00	
500 00		794 16	
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	19 718 00		19 959 16
3 150 00		3 816 06	
6 500 00		5 922 12	
10 000 00		12 699 00	
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	19 650 00		22 437 18
7 184 00		8 513 00	
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	7 184 00		8 513 00
60 648 00		61 898 01	
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	60 648 00		61 898 01
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	805 197 00		810 394 46
11 500 00		13 956 70	
		3 874 81	
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	11 500 00		17 831 51
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	816 697 00		828 225 97



## Distribution of Expenditures

### *Expenditures*

- 100. Administration
  - 110. Salaries for Administration
    - 110.1 District Officers
  - 135. Contracted Services
  - 190. Other Expenses
    - 190.2 Superintendent's Office

100. Series Total
- 200. Instruction
  - 210. Salaries
    - 210.1 Principals
    - 210.2 Teacher Consultants and Supervisors
    - 210.3 Teachers
    - 210.4 Other Instructional Staff
    - 210.5 Secretarial and Clerical Assistants
    - 210.9 Other Salaries
  - 215. Textbooks
  - 220. School Libraries and Audiovisual Materials
  - 230. Teaching Supplies
  - 235. Contracted Services
  - 290. Other Expenses

200. Series Total
- 300. Attendance Services
  - 310. Salaries

300. Series Total
- 400. Health Services
  - 410. Salaries
  - 490. Other Expenses

400. Series Total
- 500. Pupil Transportation
  - 510. Salaries
  - 535. Contracted Services
  - 555. Insurance
  - 590. Other Expenses

500. Series Total
- 600. Operation of Plant
  - 610. Salaries
  - 630. Supplies, Except Utilities
  - 635. Contracted Services
  - 640. Heat for Buildings

*Budget*  
1963-64

*Actual*  
1963-64

850 00  
950 00

850 00  
796 40

4 456 00

4 922 16

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6 256 00

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6 568 56

28 500 00  
4 900 00  
406 070 00  
17 358 00  
10 626 00  
3 980 00  
10 485 00  
9 980 00  
17 814 00  
900 00  
7 735 00

20 436 00  
5 050 04  
413 558 13  
15 796 03  
11 725 77  
2 245 65  
11 624 41  
9 495 19  
13 041 05  
900 00  
5 230 28

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518 348 00

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509 102 55

50 00

50 00

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50 00

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50 00

4 892 00  
2 045 00

4 866 64  
1 958 50

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6 937 00

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6 825 14

1 100 00  
14 577 00  
375 00  
1 660 00

1 100 00  
13 500 64  
302 82  
1 701 81

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17 712 00

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16 605 27

27 175 00  
3 370 00  
2 515 00  
16 000 00

25 617 43  
2 898 41  
2 447 84  
13 954 61

*Expenditures*

645.	Utilities, except Heat	
690.	Other Expenses	
	600.	Series Total
700.	Maintenance of Plant	
725.	Replacement of Equipment	}
726.	Repairs to Equipment	
735.	Contracted Services	
766.	Repairs to Buildings	
790.	Other Expenses	
	700.	Series Total
800.	Fixed Charges	
850.1	State Employee's Retirement System	}
850.2	Teachers' Retirement System	
850.3	Fed. Insurance Contribution Act (F.I.C.A.)	
855.	Insurance	
	800.	Series Total
900.	School Lunch and Special Milk Program	
975.1	Federal Monies	
975.2	District Monies	
	900.	Series Total
1000.	Student-Body Activities	
1010.	Salaries	
1075.	Expenditures and Transfers of Monies	
	1000.	Series Total
1200.	Capital Outlay	
1265.	Sites	}
1266.	Buildings	
1267.	Equipment	
	Included in 1200. Acct.—Hanover-Norwich—71 13	
	Sachem—59 00—Building Account 1 426 99	
	1200.	Series Total
1300.	Debt Service from Current Monies	
1370.	Principal of Debt	
1371.	Interest on Debt	
	1300.	Series Total

<i>Budget</i> 1963-64	<i>Actual</i> 1963-64
11 366 00	12 303 59
345 00	12 68
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60 771 00	57 234 56
	3 730 79
	151 75
19 597 00	13 156 15
	640 68
	804 27
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19 597 00	18 483 64
	1 127 01
34 955 00	24 569 38
	9 975 87
6 211 00	1 355 09
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41 166 00	37 027 35
	6 435 48
6 500 00	2 000 00
2 000 00	
<hr/>	<hr/>
8 500 00	8 435 48
	4 275 00
4 275 00	9 591 50
5 470 00	
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9 745 00	13 866 50
	23 687 77
	975 97
14 978 00	10 633 94
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14 978 00	35 297 68
	57 000 00
57 000 00	22 644 50
22 645 00	
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79 645 00	79 644 50

*Expenditures*

- 1400. Outgoing Transfer Accounts
  - 1477. Expenditures to Other School Dist. Public Academies or Administrative Units in the State
    - 1477.1 Tuition
    - 1477.3 District Share of Supervisory Union Exp
    - 1477.4 Tax for State-Wide Supervision
    - 1477.5 Payments into Capital Reserve Funds
  - 1478. Expenditures to School Dist. or Administrative Units in Another State
    - 1478.1 Tuition

1400. Series Total

Total Net Expenditures for All Purposes

Cash on Hand at End of Year, June 30, 1964

3001. General Fund

3002. Capital Outlay Fund (from Capital Outlay Summary)

Grand Total Net Expenditures

*Budget*  
1963-64

*Actual*  
1963-64

		279 00	
<hr/>		27 032 66	
29 748 00		2 234 00	
2 244 00		1 000 00	
1 000 00			
		270 00	
	<hr/>		<hr/>
	32 992 00		30 815 66
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	816 697 00		819 956 89
		5 821 26	
		2 447 82	
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			828 225 97

## ANNUAL CAPITAL OUTLAY SUMMARY

Covering Receipts and Expenditures for the Period  
July 1, 1963 to June 30, 1964

### Receipts

Total Receipts During Year	
Cash on Hand July 1, 1963	3 874 81
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Grand Total Receipts	3 874 81

### Expenditures

Furniture and Equipment	1 426 99
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Total Expenditures During Year	1 426 99
Cash on Hand June 30, 1964	2 447 82
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Grand Total Expenditures	3 874 81

## CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS SUMMARY

Amount Paid into Capital Reserve Funds During Year	1 000 00
Plus Amount of Interest Earned on Capital Reserve Funds During Year	28 47
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Capital Reserve Funds Held by Trustees as of June 30, 1964	1 028 47

## BALANCE SHEET—JUNE 30, 1964

### Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1964	
General Fund	5 821 26
Building Fund	2 447 82
Accounts Due to District	
From Building Fund	26 376 00
Capital Reserves: (Held by Trustees)	1 028 47
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Total Assets	35 673 55
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities Over Assets)	727 461 30
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GRAND TOTAL	763 134 85

### Liabilities

Amounts Reserved for Special Purposes	
Cash on Hand June 30, 1964	
Building Fund	2 447 82
Hanover-Norwich	679 61
Sachem Village	1 602 95
Accounts Owed by District	
Advanced on 64-65 Appropriation	
Bills Owed by District	26 376 00
Capital Reserves: (Offsets Similar Asset Account)	1 028 47
Notes and Bonds Outstanding	731 000 00
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Total Liabilities	763 134 85
Surplus (Excess of Assets Over Liabilities)	
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GRAND TOTAL	763 134 85



### STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

	<i>Elem. Add.</i>	<i>H.S. Heat. Plt.</i>	<i>Add. &amp; Imp. to H.S.-E.S.</i>	<i>Elem. Sch.</i>	<i>Total</i>
Outstanding at Beginning of Year	99 000 00	12 000 00	507 000 00	170 000 00	788 000 00
Issued During Year	( NONE )				
Principal Payments During Year	13 000 00	4 000 00	30 000 00	10 000 00	57 000 00
Outstanding at End of Year	86 000 00	8 000 00	477 000 00	160 000 00	731 000 00

**SUMMARY**  
**REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER**  
**for the**  
**Fiscal Year July 1, 1963 to June 30, 1964**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1963		
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)		13 956 70
Received from Selectmen	681 888 89	
Revenue from State Sources	19 959 16	
Revenue from Federal Sources	22 437 18	
Received from Tuitions	75 800 62	
Received as Income from Trust Funds	10 220 47	
Received from all Other Sources	272 75	
Total Receipts		810 579 07
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		
(Balance and Receipts)		824 535 77
Less School Board Orders Paid		818 714 51
Balance on Hand June 30, 1964		
(Treasurer's Bank Balance)		5 821 26

July 21, 1964

MARJORIE T. SCOTT  
*District Treasurer*

**HANOVER BUILDING ACCOUNT  
BUILDING ACCOUNTS  
REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER  
for the  
Fiscal Year July 1, 1963 to June 30, 1964**

Cash on Hand July 1, 1963 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	3 874 81
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)	3 874 81
Less School Board Orders Paid	1 426 99
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Balance on Hand June 30, 1960 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	2 447 82

MARJORIE T. SCOTT  
*District Treasurer*

July 21, 1964

**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, 1964 and find them correct in all respects.

July 20, 1964

EDGAR F. COSTELLO  
*Auditor*

**HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES**

**Hanover Elementary Budget 1965-66**

<i>Account</i>	<i>1964-65</i>	<i>1965-66</i>	<i>Increase or Decrease</i>
Administration	4 400 00	4 275 00	—125 00
Instruction	240 918 00	271 497 00	30 579 00
(Teachers' Salaries)	(196 205 00)	(217 156 00)	(30 951 00)
Attendance	25 00	25 00	—
Health	4 015 00	4 815 00	800 00
Transportation	9 726 00	12 847 00	3 121 00
Operation of School Plant	27 274 00	29 155 00	1 881 00
Maintenance of Plant	9 443 00	8 562 00	—881 00
Fixed Charges	21 119 50	22 464 00	1 344 50
School Lunch & Special Milk	5 091 00	6 194 00	1 103 00
Capital Outlay	7 554 00	6 683 00	—871 00
Debt Service	29 617 50	29 072 50	—545 00
Outgoing Transfer Accounts	14 113 00	16 018 00	1 905 00
<b>Total Hanover Elementary Budget</b>	<b>373 296 00</b>	<b>411 607 50</b>	<b>38 311 50</b>

**Hanover School District Grades 7-12 Budget 1965-66  
(Not Included in Dresden Budget)**

Administration	480 00	424 00	—56 00
Transportation	7 071 00	8 608 00	1 537 00
Debt Service	86 577 00	96 053 00	9 476 00
Outgoing Transfer Accounts	421 00	911 00	490 00
<b>Total Hanover Grades 7-12 Budget</b>	<b>94 549 00</b>	<b>105 996 00</b>	<b>11 447 00</b>

**Total Hanover School District Budget Expenditures  
1965-66**

Hanover Elementary Budget	373 296 00	411 607 50	38 311 50
Hanover Grades 7-12 Budget	94 549 00	105 996 00	11 447 00
Hanover's Share of Dresden	399 510 00	428 342 00	28 832 00
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>867 355 00</b>	<b>945 945 50</b>	<b>78 590 50</b>

**HANOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS**

**Hanover Elementary Budget 1965-66**

Balance, July 1	8 631 00
State Aid—Building Aid	6 900 00
State Aid—Special Class	1 312 00
State Aid—Sweepstakes	21 088 00
Federal Aid—Federal Impact	6 327 00
Federal Aid—School Lunch and Special Milk	4 034 00
Federal Aid—Title III, N.D.E.A.	2 000 00
Local Sources—Trust Funds	5 783 00
Local Sources—Rent	150 00
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Total Receipts Other than Taxes	56 225 00
Total Expenditures	411 607 50
Total Receipts Other Than Taxes	56 225 00
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To be Raised by Taxes, Hanover Elementary	355 382 50

**Hanover School District Grades 7-12 Budget 1965-66**

Balance, July 1 (deficit)	—3 919 16
State Aid—Building Aid	11 700 00
State Aid—Sweepstakes	17 760 00
State Aid—For 1964 State Aid	6 000 00
Local Sources—Trust Funds	4 217 00
Local Sources—Special Reserve	16 000 00
Local Sources—Interest, Special Reserve	10 000 00
Reimbursement from Dresden	31 193 00
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Total Receipts Other Than Taxes	92 950 84
Total Expenditures	105 996 00
Total Receipts Other Than Taxes	92 950 84
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To be Raised by Taxes, Hanover Grades 7-12	13 045 16

**HANOVER TAXES**

	<i>1964-65</i>	<i>1965-66</i>	<i>Increase</i>
Hanover School District	337 922 00	368 427 66	30 505 66
Hanover's Share of Dresden	399 510 00	428 342 00	28 832 00
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Grand Total	737 432 00	796 769 66	59 337 66

## REPORT OF THE HANOVER SCHOOL BOARD

On July 1, 1964 Superintendent Arthur E. Pierce retired after ten years of loyal service to our schools and William G. Zimmerman, Jr. became the new Superintendent of Schools. The School Board feels confident that Dr. Zimmerman will give strong and imaginative leadership to our school system. We urge all Hanover citizens to read his annual report on the operation of the schools.

There are two major changes in the Elementary School this year: first, the departmentalized intermediate unit which allows our elementary teachers to concentrate in one subject area in grades four to six, and second, the new Social Studies curriculum in grades kindergarten to six under the leadership of Mr. Delmar W. Goodwin, the Social Studies Curriculum Coordinator. Both of these programs were inaugurated in September, 1964 after careful study by the teaching staff and the administration. Early reports indicate that these are successful innovations. At the end of the year there will be an evaluation of both programs.

The most crucial problem that the Elementary School faces is the overcrowded condition in the building and on the playgrounds. There will be temporary and partial relief next year when we will rent four rooms from the High School to house the four sections of grade six. This will mean that we will have space for one added third grade classroom, a music room, an art room, and, for the first time, a room for the Elementary School library. The latter has been developing over the past few years thanks to the generosity of the Friends of the Hanover Schools and the P.T.A., and the prodigious work of Mrs. Richmond and her library aides.

It is clear that we must have additional space for our Elementary School. Fortunately, the School District voted in March, 1964 to purchase thirty-five acres of land off Reservoir Road. Professor S. Russell Sterns has agreed to bring up to date his study of the student population with a projection for

the next twelve years. This study will be helpful to us in developing our plans for the future. We believe that we must not only plan for the immediate and obvious needs of the Elementary School but also for the long range development of our educational system.

MRS. ELISABETH M. BRADLEY  
*Chairman*

MR. JOHN W. FINCH  
MR. ALMON B. IVES  
DR. FREDERIC RUECKERT  
DR. JOHN W. SCHLEICHER  
MR. JOHN G. SKEWES  
*The Hanover School Board*



# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hanover:

This is the first annual report of the Superintendent of Schools directed entirely to the Hanover Elementary School. The Superintendent's report relating to the Junior-Senior high school program is in the Dresden Annual Report.

## STAFF

The addition of the assistant principal's position in the Hanover Elementary School was a significant step toward providing the necessary administrative and supervisory services for a school of this size. In this position, Mr. Charles Saben, Assistant Principal for Curriculum, has contributed a great deal in his very brief tenure with our system by working with teachers on curriculum development, providing curriculum resources and materials, and assisting with the program of studies.

Another important addition to our staff this year was a curriculum clerk, whose primary function is to type, duplicate, and prepare curriculum materials such as worksheets, review sheets, tests, and curriculum guides for the teaching staff. This has freed our teachers from at least a portion of the clerical work they are called on to do, and permitted them to concentrate more of their efforts on the essential job of teaching. The addition of this clerk has been deeply appreciated by the teaching staff.

## PRIMARY GRADES

A great amount of administrative and staff time is spent each year in the assignment of students to particular classes in the primary grades. We are operating over maximum capacity in the kindergarten sections, and assignments must be made on the basis of maturity levels and transportation problems. All students are assigned to carefully planned, heterogeneously grouped classes in the primary grades, so that each class will have a slow, average, and fast group. We attempt to maintain classes of equal size in each room at a given grade level. Requests from parents for particular class assignments for their children complicate our grouping program and may adversely affect the instructional program.

## INTERMEDIATE GRADES

This year at the intermediate level we are operating under a new organizational plan. The children of Grades 4, 5, and 6 are alphabetically assigned to a homeroom. The Homeroom Teacher is responsible for academic guidance functions (such as reporting to parents, report cards, standardized testing, etc.) and for coordination with all subject teachers at his grade level.

At the fourth grade level, the program is a combination semi-departmentalized plan and team teaching. Students are grouped according to ability in Reading (including Spelling), Mathematics, and English, but are heterogeneously grouped in Science, Social Studies, and special subjects (Art, Music, and Physical Education). Each fourth grade teacher teaches one group in Reading, Mathematics, and English. In Grades 5 and 6, all students are grouped according to ability in Mathematics, Reading, and English. In Social Studies and Science they are grouped by ability as far as scheduling permits. Students are heterogeneously grouped by Homeroom sections for special subjects (Art, Music and Physical Education). This plan allows each child to be placed in each subject at the level where he can best profit from instruction.

The teachers' reactions to this program have been favorable. Teachers' preparation loads have been considerably lightened, giving them more time for both general instruction and individual student learning problems. The administration and staff will complete their evaluation of this program at the end of the school year.

## CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

*Reading:* The emphasis in this program is on a balanced basal reader approach to reading, involving both phonics and visual materials. Reading laboratories published by Science Research Associates and a "Controlled Reader" or filmstrip projector have been used to provide us with the important elements in the individualized portion of our reading program. We have a good sequential and challenging program of studies in reading and we will update our basal reading books next year.

*English:* The entire English program is being restudied in cooperation with the Norwich Elementary School. Our goal is a proper balance between the necessary grammar skills, composition, and literature.

*Social Studies:* The major achievement this year in curricular

development has been in this field. The Elementary staff and administration in cooperation with Mr. Delmar Goodwin, the Dresden Social Studies Coordinator, did an intensive study of our Social Studies Curriculum last year. Countless hours were spent reading reports and syllabi, discussing possible revisions, and evaluating textbooks and maps. This study resulted in a completely new Social Studies program for Kindergarten through Grade 6. Early in the spring of 1964, the School Board voted to adopt this program to become effective September 1964.

Five major guidelines governed decisions about the new Social Studies program:

1. All school children, of all ages and abilities, should be presented with intellectually challenging material;
2. Material from all the social sciences, not alone from history and geography, should be incorporated into the program, as early as possible and continuously;
3. The children need to know much more about the peoples and cultures all over the world;
4. The children deserve to be given practice in critical and objective thinking, and taught how to find the ideas and data on which to base their thinking;
5. The social studies material presented, not only in the elementary school but from kindergarten through grade 12, should follow a logical sequence, avoid useless repetition, and incorporate the essential.

Following these guidelines, a program has been developed moving from an emphasis in kindergarten on the Role and Responsibilities of the child in the family and the school, through the smaller community in grade one and the larger community in grade two. In grade three, concepts from geography, economics, sociology, and history are introduced. These concepts are reinforced in grade four by applying them in depth studies of four dissimilar cultures. In grades five and six, the subject matter is the development of the American way of life from earliest river-valley beginnings to the present. Grade 5 traces the Western Heritage in the Near East and in Europe to the 17th century, then jumps the Atlantic to concentrate on American Colonial history. Grade 6, picking up the record at the time of the American Revolution, is a course in United States History. The basic discipline of the two years is history—but a humanistic history that includes

much biography, literature, art, music, and ethical and political philosophy.

This is a year of experimentation and we are still searching for ideas and better materials. There is great enthusiasm from teachers and students. We believe that the students are learning much more about the world in which we live than has been true in the past. A preliminary evaluation of this program will be made in the Spring:

*Mathematics:* The Greater Cleveland Mathematics Program was extended this year to include Grade 5. Next year this program will be taught in Grade 6 in place of the School Mathematics Study Group (SMSG) program presently used in Grade 6. At the intermediate level, it has been necessary to adjust the program for the children in low sections who have trouble working in abstract areas. For these children, some work in the traditional mathematics has been included in their daily class work. The two programs are very similar in content (both "New Math") but the Cleveland materials are more refined and more realistic in terms of methods and techniques.

*Science:* We strengthened our science program greatly by the departmentalization structure of grades 4-6. Next year we hope to be able to place substantial emphasis on the study and incorporation of new approaches to teaching science in the elementary school.

*Special Subjects:* Our programs in art, music, and physical education are functioning nicely and have incorporated many of the more recent developments in the respective fields. In physical education, all but a small handful of our students are able to score well above the national norm on physical fitness tests. We have a balanced music program offering both an academic study of music and work in the performing arts—chorus, band, orchestra. In the academic area, music analysis, on the motif and phrase level, starts with simple observations in the first grade and progresses to more sophisticated studies in the upper grades. The study of notation is begun in second grade. Dealing at first with the general shape of melodic lines, and the rhythmic values, this study becomes more refined so that, for example, by the sixth grade the student names intervals and notices that six-eight time is essentially two-four time with triplets. Fourth, fifth, and sixth grades work with form based on phrases, and work creatively within forms, such as the rondo. Contrapuntal concepts are articulated in the



upper grades, and creativity is exercised in the invention of rhythmic patterns which will “work” as canons. Contrapuntal experiences are provided as early as first grade in the singing of rounds and the playing of accompaniments which are actually independent counter-melodies.

Our art program is a well-developed sequential program which includes drawing and painting, color study, lettering and poster work, design and industrial arts, art appreciation, art history, and “everyday art”—all appropriate to the given grade level.

*Remedial Reading and Special Class:* Two of the strongest aspects of the elementary program are remedial reading and the special class for slow learners. The remedial reading teacher instructs groups from three to seven students who are having difficulty in reading. It is impossible to describe in detail the excellent results we realize in this program, but one noteworthy fact, for example, is that twelve students who have had extensive remedial reading work in our elementary school were on the honor roll in the Junior-Senior High School for the first marking period. The value of the special class needs no elaboration. Several of the special class students (ranging in age from 8 to 15 years) have been able to work at a reduced pace in a few of the low sections of some subjects at the fourth and fifth grade levels. Other students are now to do some basic reading readiness and primer work.

*Test Results:* The Hanover Elementary School has one of the most thorough and one of the best utilized testing programs I have observed. Test results for our students continue to be very high. As a case in point, Stanford Achievement tests were given in Grades 2-6 during the week of October 26 with excellent results as indicated in the following table.

#### STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST RESULTS

(Battery Median Scores—All Subjects)

<i>Grade</i>	<i>Bottom of Top Quarter</i>	<i>Bottom of Second Quarter</i>	<i>Bottom of Third Quarter</i>
2	95%ile	75%ile	40%ile
3	97%ile	83%ile	53%ile
4	93%ile	69%ile	40%ile
5	96%ile	72%ile	49%ile
6	90%ile	74%ile	42%ile

The Stanford Achievement Test (1964 ed.) is a high-powered achievement examination battery. Test norms are

based on a stratified national sampling and, for comparison purposes, the national standards (performance by elementary students throughout the country) are:

Bottom of Top Quarter	75th percentile (%ile)
Bottom of Second Quarter	50th percentile (%ile)
Bottom of Third Quarter	25th percentile (%ile)

A percentile is a score below which a given percentage of the scores of the total population fall. For example, if a student scores at the 80th percentile (%ile), he has exceeded 79% of the students taking the exam.

The 50th percentile is the grade norm, and although it is somewhat dangerous to generalize about test scores of this nature it seems apparent that for the most part each class taken as a whole is significantly above grade level achievement in most subject areas.

### GENERAL COMMENTS

Hanover has, in my opinion, an excellent elementary school. Curricular patterns, methods, techniques, equipment, and materials must undergo continued study and revision. Curriculum can never become a static element in a good school and there is no room for complacency. We are faced with immediate and critical problems due to overcrowding in the elementary school. If these problems are not alleviated in the near future, this school may retrogress considerably.

The projected enrollment for the Elementary School for the year 1965-1966 shows that we can expect between 719 and 737 pupils. In order that the primary classes do not exceed 25 pupils per room, it is evident that added classrooms, and room for Music, Art, Library, and one Physical Education teaching station are needed.

The census cards show that there are 106 known children eligible for kindergarten for 1965-1966. It is probable that this number may increase by September 1965, due to new personnel in the college and hospital. The Association for Childhood Education recommends that the enrollment in kindergarten classes should not exceed 20 pupils per room. All children transported by bus and those children whose birthdays fall after November 1 attend the morning session. All others attend the afternoon sessions. Under this policy there will be 59 children attending the two morning sessions and 47 children attending the afternoon sessions. An added Kindergarten classroom would alleviate our existing overcrowded condition and

enable the teachers to give more individual attention and help to these, your children.

To meet the present need and to allow for expansion it is inevitable that added classrooms will be needed for Grades 1, 2, and 3. Additional rooms are needed now for Art, Music, Library, as well as a Physical Education teaching station.

For the past two years our music storage closet has served as a dual teacher station for Art and Music with the teachers "travelling" to the individual classrooms in order to conduct their classes. This has meant a curtailment in several curricular areas of these teachers' programs as well as a loss of their effectiveness.

It is essential that these teachers have more adequate facilities in order to provide a better program for both large group and small group instruction.

Based on the recommendations set up in *Standards for School Library Programs*, published by the American Library Association in 1960, it is evident that we are not providing even minimal library service to our elementary school children. Guidance in using the library should provide for a transfer of skills from the elementary library to other school and adult libraries, and the librarian should be well trained in library science, the elementary school curriculum, and child psychology. The functions of the elementary school library include (1) enrichment of the school curriculum and objectives; (2) improvement of reading skills; (3) development of literary appreciations; and (4) the development of skills in the use of library materials. In order to provide better educational services for our elementary school children, adequate library facilities are absolutely necessary.

An added physical education teaching station is another necessity. Our present auditorium is used from 8:40-3:00 every day for physical education classes, and this prohibits the use of this room for other activities. Six elementary physical education classes are also held in the old gymnasium in the high school.

Since it is necessary that we share the high school gymnasium, small children are often caught in the hectic interchange of secondary classes. If children did not have to travel from the elementary school to the secondary school, more time could be given to class instruction. Instruction would be improved by centralizing the physical education teaching station.



One of our second grade classrooms now serves as audio-visual headquarters. All equipment is stored and circulated from this room, thereby causing frequent interruptions during the school day. All previewing of films must be done after school. If space, other than a classroom, were available this could be done during teachers' planning periods.

Outdoor play is an integral part of school life, and play needs of pupils differ greatly. Lower primary, upper primary, and intermediate grade children have different games and activities. Following are some of the existing inadequacies:

1. Secondary athletic fields and elementary play areas overlap. Secondary physical education activities require much space and often infringe on the elementary school play area.

2. Our large enrollment necessitates the use of the area immediately adjacent to classrooms. This creates noise and is distracting to those inside.

3. A play area which is also used for secondary school physical education classes limits the amount of permanently placed playground equipment that should be provided for elementary school children.

If we wish to maintain the existing high standards in our elementary school program, the physical plant for housing a high quality program must be provided in the immediate future. Next year we will be housing four sections of the sixth grade in the high school building (through a rental arrangement with the Dresden District) as a temporary emergency solution. This will create further problems. I hope we will have continued forbearance from parents, teachers, and students.

#### CONCLUSION

I wish to pay tribute to Principal Bernice Ray, Assistant Principal Charles Saben 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, and by 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—1964-65\*

### Elementary School

**Bernice A. Ray, Principal (1929)**, Keene, '29; B.U., B.S., in Ed., '50; Univ. of Michigan, S.S., '52; B.U., S.S., '53, '59; Plymouth, Ext., '58

**Charles H. Saben, Ass't. Principal (1964)**, Salem State, B.S., '58; Boston State, M.Ed., '60; Boston University, C.A.G.S., '62; Salem State, Ext., '61, S.S., '64; Boston University, Ext., '63

**Ann. G. Atwood, Math., Gr. 5 (1963)**, Keene, B.Ed., '63

**Lillian K. Bailey, Grade 3 (1948)**, Plymouth, B.Ed., '37; B.U., Ext., '47; U.N.H., S.S., '50; Plymouth, Ext., '51, '59; Keene, Ext., '52; U.V.M., Ext., '54; Plymouth, 3 exts., '58, S.S.; Plymouth, M.Ed., '59; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; Keene, S.S., '62

**Gail A. Belanger, Science, Grade 4 (1964)**, Green Mountain College, A.A., '60; Nasson College; Univ. of Wisconsin, B.S., '64

**Marcia L. Bohan, Grade 3 (1964)**, U.N.H., B.A., '64

**Violet H. Broughall, Art (1963)**, Univ. of South Dakota, B.F.A., '39; Chicago Art Institute, '43; Chicago Academy, '44; American Academy, '45; N.Y.U., '50

**Ruth C. Brown, Grade 2 (1951)**, Keene, B.Ed., '51; U.V.M., S.S., '39, '40, '41; Plymouth, S.S., '50; Keene, S.S., '51, '57; Keene, Ext., '56; Keene, Workshop, '58; Keene, Workshop, S.S., '59; U.N.H., Ext., '61; U.N.H., Ext., '61-'62; Plymouth, S.S., '62; Plymouth, S.S., '63

**Ruth L. Brown, Grade 2 (1955)**, Keene, B.Ed., '42; Harvard-B.U., Ext., '44, '45; U.V.M., S.S., '48, Ext., '56; Plymouth, Ext., '58; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '63

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

- Marjorie B. Butler, Grade 4 (1952)**, Douglass, Litt. B., '23; Montclair, '31-'32; B.U., S.S., '48, '49, '59; Lyndon, Ext., '50; U.V.M., Ext., '52; Univ. of Maine, S.S., '52; U.N.H., Ext., '54, '56; Plymouth, Ext., '58-'59; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '62
- Eleanor Cadbury, Kindergarten (1954)**, Hollins, B. of Mus., '34; Temple, Ext., '46; T.C. Columbia, M.A., '51, S.S., '52; Colby College, Ext., '59; Keene, Ext., '59; U.N.H., Ext., '62; U.N.H., Ext., '63
- Theta F. Claffin, Grade 5, Science (1958)**, Middlebury, B.S., '31; Keene, S.S., '57; Plymouth, Ext., '57; Plymouth, S.S., '58; Keene, '58, S.S., '59; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; Tufts Univ., Workshop S., '64
- C. Drussel Coffin, Grade 6, English (1964)**, Johnson State College, B.S., '63
- Ruth E. Dennis, Grade 2 (1947)**, Plymouth, B.Ed., '42; B.U., Ext., '47; Plymouth, Ext., '51; Univ. of Maine, S.S., '54; U.N.H., S.S., '49; Plymouth, Ext., '58; U.N.H., Ext., '61; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; Appalachian State T.C., S.S., '62
- Ruth F. Eaton, Grade 5 (1950)**, Keene, B.Ed., '43; Harvard-B.U., Ext., '50; Plymouth, Ext., '51, '54, '58; Keene, Ext., '51; Castleton, Ext., '52, '53; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '55-'56
- Linda I. Flint, Physical Ed. (1964)**, U.N.H., B.S., '64
- Mary V. Golding, Remedial Reading (1947)**, Plymouth, '31; T.C. Columbia, B.S.Ed., '48; Plymouth, S.S., '52, '54; Keene, S.S., '53, '54; U.V.M., Ext., '54; Plymouth, Ext., '58; U.V.M., S.S., '62
- Lynda B. Goldstein, Grade 1 (1964)**, Eliot-Pearson of Tufts Univ., B.S., '64
- Esther C. Grover, Grade 3 (1954)**, Lowell T.C., '24; Plymouth, S.S., '54; Keene, S.S., '55, '57, '59; Plymouth, Ext., '58, '60; Keene, Ext., '60; Keene, S.S., '61, '63; U.N.H., Ext., '61, '63; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; Appalachian State T.C., S.S., '62
- Dorothy C. Heeremans, Grade 3 (1963)**, Fredonia Normal School; Brockport Normal School, '33; Buffalo State T.C., B.S.Ed., '38; Plymouth State College, Ext., '63-'64; Keene, Ext., '64

- John J. Jablonski, Physical Ed. (1964)**, Plymouth State College, '64, B.Ed.
- Richard T. Lathrop, Jr., Grade 6, Science (1963)**, B.U., B.S. in B.A.; U.N.H., S.S., '63; Plymouth, Ext., '64; U.N.H., Ext., '64
- Ethel S. Loomis, Grade 4, Science (1954)**, B.U., B.R.E., '28; Plymouth, S.S., '50, '52; Keene, S.S., '53; B.U., Ext., '50; U.N.H., Ext., '51; Plymouth, Ext., '57, '58, '60; U.N.H., Workshop, '61
- Jayne C. Makowski, Grade 4 (1963)**, Russell Sage College, B.S., '61
- L. Lois Marler, Grade 2 (1959)**, Friends Univ., A.B., '47; Univ. of Penn., OTR, '51; Wheelock College, M.S., Ed., '59; Keene, Ext., '60; Plymouth, Ext., '60; U.N.H., Ext., '60, '61; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '62; U.N.H., Ext., '63
- Elizabeth L. Orcutt, Grade 1 (1951)**, Keene, '30; Dartmouth-B.U., Ext., '34; U.V.M., S.S., '35; Mass. Dept. of Educ., Ext., (2 years); Keene, Ext., '56; Plymouth, Ext., '58; U.N.H., Ext., '62; U.N.H., Ext., '63
- Deanna T. Porter, Special Class (1964)**, Univ. of Pittsburgh, '58, B.S.; Univ. of Pittsburgh, '61, M.Ed.
- Teresa F. Rapley, Grade 6, Math. (1964)**, Univ. of Miami, '64, B.Ed.
- Sarah O. Reid, Kindergarten (1959)**, Colby Jr. College, A.A., '41; Eliot Pearson School, '43; U.N.H., S.S., '47; Univ. of Akron, '53-'55; Lesley College, B.S., Ed., '57-'58; Keene, Ext., '60; U.N.H., Ext., '60, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '62; Plymouth T.C., Ext., '61; Keene, Ext., '62; Eliot Pearson, S.S., '64
- Frances C. Richmond, Grade 6 (1954)**, Middlebury, A.B., '35; N.Y.C., for T., S.S., '35-'36; N.Y.U., Ext., '40-'41; Plymouth, S.S., '54, '55; Keene, S.S., '57; B.U., Workshop, '59; Keene, Ext., '60; U.N.H., Ext., '61; U.N.H., Workshop, '61
- Sarah D. Sansbury, Grade 1 (1964)** Tufts Univ.-Eliot Pearson, B.S.Ed., '64
- Natalie Smith, Grade 1 (1959)**, Plymouth, '25, Plymouth, B.E., '57; Keene, Ext., '60; U.N.H., Workshop, '61

**Iona S. Stimson, Grade 5 (1952)**, Keene, '33, '36; Keene, S.S., '37; U.N.H., S.S., '38, '53, '54, B.Ed.; B.U., Ext., '39; T.C. Columbia, S.S., '52; U.N.H., Ext., '53; Plymouth, Ext., '57; Colby, Ext., '60; B.U., S.S., '59; U.N.H., Ext., '61; U.N.H., Workshop, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '62

**Patricia Talbot, Music (1964)**, Bryn Mawr College, '61, B.A.; Bryn Mawr College, '62; Univ. of Minnesota, S.S., '60; The Dana Hall School, The Carl Orff Method of teaching Music, S.S., '64; Yale Univ. School of Music, '62-'63; Harvard Univ., '63-'64

**Bertha L. Woodward, Grade 1 (1959)**, Keene, B.E., '47; Plymouth, '58; Plymouth, Ext., '59; Keene, S.S., '60; U.N.H., Ext., '61, '62; U.N.H., Workshop, '61

### **Medical**

**Irma J. Simeneau, School Nurse (1955)**, M.H.M.H., R.N., '34; Keene, S.S., '53, '59; Plymouth, S.S., '56, '58, '60; Plymouth, Ext., '58; Keene State College, July '64

**Dr. Seymour E. Wheelock, School Doctor (1963)**, Dartmouth, '40; Northwestern Univ., Med. School, M.D., '44; U. of Colorado Med. Cen.; Ass't. Clin. Prof. of Ped., '57; Dakota

### **Superintendent of Schools**

**William G. Zimmerman, Jr., Superintendent of Schools (1963 in Hanover, 1964 in present position)**, U.N.H., B.S., '57; U. of Miami, M.Ed., '61; U. of Tennessee, '62; U. of Miami, Ed.D., '63

**Stewart G. Davis, Ass't. Superintendent of Schools (1957 in Hanover, 1964 in present position)**, Westminster College, B.A., '42; N.Y.S.C. for Teachers, M.A., '47; T.C., Columbia Univ., '48-'51; Plymouth, Ext., '60; S.R.A. Reading Institute, '62

**HANOVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
**SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE**

**Year Ending June 30, 1964**

	<i>Total Enrollment</i>	<i>Number of Non-Resident Pupils</i>
Kindergarten	84	
Grade I	112	
Grade II	110	
Grade III	95	
Grade IV	95	
Grade V	95	
Grade VI	106	
Special Class	10	
<b>TOTAL ELEMENTARY</b>	<b>707</b>	

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

Year	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Spec.	Total K-Sp.
1950-51	60	74	90	71	60	53	53		461
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
<b>First Semester,</b>									
1964-65	103	90	110	107	98	90	101	9	708







**ANNUAL REPORT**  
**DRESDEN**  
**SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**1965**

**SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS  
DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT**

William W. Ballard, <i>Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1965
Almon B. Ives, <i>Vice Chairman</i>	Term Expires 1965
Cecilia B. Lewis, <i>Secretary</i>	Term Expires 1966
Elisabeth M. Bradley	Term Expires 1966
Dr. John W. Schleicher	Term Expires 1966
John G. Skewes	Term Expires 1967
Dr. Frederic Rueckert	Term Expires 1967
Dr. Robert Nye	Term Expires 1967
John W. Finch	Term Expires 1965

Allen R. Foley, *Moderator*  
 Shirley C. Clogston, *Clerk*  
 Marjorie T. Scott, *Treasurer*  
 Stephen T. Welch, *Auditor*  
 Edgar H. Costello, *Auditor*  
 John M. Van Horn, *Auditor*  
 Dr. William G. Zimmerman, Jr., *Superintendent of Schools*  
 Stewart G. Davis, *Assistant Superintendent*  
 Elson S. Herrick, *Principal*  
 Paul K. Stimson, *Assistant Principal & Director of Guidance*  
 Dr. Seymour E. Wheelock, *School Physician*  
 Irma J. Simeneau, *School Nurse*

**WARRANT 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 Norwich Town Hall (Tracy Hall), Norwich, Vermont, on Monday, the first day of March, 1965, 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, 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.

Article 4. 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 5. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and the seal of the District this eleventh day of February, 1965.

WILLIAM W. BALLARD  
ELISABETH M. BRADLEY  
JOHN W. FINCH  
ALMON B. IVES  
CECILIA B. LEWIS  
ROBERT E. NYE  
FREDERIC RUECKERT  
JOHN W. SCHLEICHER  
JOHN G. SKEWES  
*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 2, 1964

The Annual Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m., March 2, 1964, by the moderator, Mr. Allen R. Foley. Mr. Foley read the warrant and the returns of posting and publication.

#### *Article 1.*

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

- Mr. Allen R. Foley; Moderator, 1 year
- Mrs. Shirley Clogston; Clerk, 1 year
- Mr. Francis E. Derrick; Treasurer, 1 year
- Mr. Stephen T. Welch; Auditor, 1 year
- Mr. Edgar F. Costello; Auditor, 2 years
- Mr. John M. Van Horn; Auditor, 3 years

#### *Article 2.*

The following motion of Mr. William L. Wilson's was voted unanimously: "I move that the reports of the officers and agents of the District be accepted as printed in the Report of the Dresden School District; with the following amendment: that in the minutes of the meeting of December 10, 1963 under Article 2, the place of residence of the Moderator, Allen R. Foley be changed from Hanover, N. H. to Norwich, Vt."

#### *Article 3.*

Mr. John G. Kemeny submitted the following motion, which was discussed and favorably voted:

"I move that the District appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Seventy-One Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Three Dollars (\$571,583.00) for the support of its schools and for other lawful expenses for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1964, 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 and with the Articles of Agreement."

*Article 4.*

It was moved and voted favorably to delay action on Article 4 until we had proceeded with Article 5.

*Article 5.*

Under this article "of other business" Mr. Stebbins, the attorney for the Dresden District, described the bond issue, its legal questions and the legislation which Vermont had just passed. He pointed out that the Dresden District, as the first interstate school district, did not have precedents to follow. It therefore needed to be able to take prompt new actions. Article 4, with its latitude for action was placed in the warrant in order that we might take up and act on the results of the court's and the legislature's decisions. The legal questions not having been decided at this time, it was moved by Mr. Stebbins to delay action on Article 4 to an adjourned date of this meeting. This motion was voted unanimously.

It was moved and voted affirmatively to adjourn this meeting to April 14, 1964 at 7:30 p.m. in the Hanover High School. Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

DEANE M. FREEMAN, JR.

*Clerk*

**DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Hanover, N. H.**

**Norwich, Vt.**

**MINUTES OF ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING**

**April 14, 1964**

The adjourned meeting of the Dresden School District was called to order by the Moderator, Allen R. Foley, at 7:30 P. M., April 14, 1964, in the auditorium of the Hanover High School, Hanover, New Hampshire.

Motion made by William W. Ballard that since there was no business to come before this meeting the meeting be adjourned.

Seconded. Voted in the affirmative.

Adjourned at 7.32 P. M.

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON

*Clerk of Dresden School District*

A true copy, attest:

SHIRLEY C. CLOGSTON

*Clerk of Dresden School District*

## ANNUAL REPORT OF DRESDEN BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

This report marks completion of the first full year of operation of the new interstate school district, though grades 7 and 8 from Norwich did not join the Junior High until September of 1964. The lengthy and at times dramatic steps in organization have been completed. Nevertheless, the Board, the administration, and the teachers have all found this a year of unprecedented problems and challenges.

June 1964 brought the twice-postponed retirement of Mr. Arthur Pierce as Superintendent, and his replacement by Dr. William Zimmerman. In cooperation with the other member districts of N. H. Supervisory Union #22, the Dresden District and the Norwich Town School District also appointed Mr. Stewart Davis as Assistant Superintendent in charge of business management. This new office was made necessary by the growth in size and complexity of the school operation, and the tendency of roofs, boilers, and purchases to distract the overworked Superintendent from the primary business of education. The full benefit of this division of labors should be felt after the shakedown year.

Resignation of the high school Principal, Mr. Petrich, in the late spring touched off a wide search for a successor, in which the Superintendent and the Board were aided by numerous friends of the school. Mr. Elson Herrick was elected in July, and since he was able to take over the office a month before classes started, the inevitable confusions of readjustment were greatly reduced. The Board is also pleased to recognize new strengths in the teaching staff this year.

Drawings for the desperately needed enlargement of the high school which were practically completed in 1963 sat for most of this year on a shelf in the office of the architect, Mr. Brooke Fleck, to our dismay and his. The appropriation had been voted at the Dresden District's organization meeting December 10, 1963, and shares for this, together with Norwich's "buying in" fund, were to be raised by bonds of the two districts. This arrangement had received the consent of large majorities in both towns, duly warned and recorded by ballot, under authority granted by the two state legislatures and the United States Congress, but all this left a Boston bonding attorney chiefly impressed by the novelty of our interstate school district. He therefore required the approval of the



Supreme Courts of both states before he would certify to the First National Bank of Boston that it was safe to lend us the money. The delay that this caused not only brought the Board and others closely concerned chronically close to apoplexy, it put our 764 pupils and their teachers for this whole school year into a building designed for a maximum of 600. When the legal roadblock was finally blown aside in October 1964, not a minute was wasted in getting out the bonds and reviewing bids. The Trumbull-Nelson Co. of Hanover went on the job the day they got the contract. In September 1965 we are expecting more than 800 students, but they will be able to spill out into new study halls, a new library, new science labs and language and music classrooms, and even spread their elbows slightly in the enlarged cafeteria.

The newness of some members of the Board and the Administration to the details of operating the Hanover High School made this first year of union a logical time to start a new study of the institution from top to bottom. There is more under review now than at any time since 1950, when the Cusick Report was issued. The Board has rearranged and broadened its committee structure for this, and has started a series of forward-looking conversations with the various departments of the instructional staff. The Principal and Superintendent have restudied the arrangements for practice teaching by Dartmouth students in consultation with College officers, and we expect a substantial improvement in the efficiency of the operation.

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Lewis, the Education Committee has reviewed the long-felt need to provide special class work for the slowest students in the high school grades. This is a problem which grows with the school, and it has reached the point where its neglect is no longer even economically defensible. The recommendation to add a specially trained teacher for this work has been approved by the Board. The system of Curriculum Coordinators for the various departments of instruction has been reexamined, and new guidelines have been established for it. Conversations are proceeding with the coordinators and their colleagues on the present status of the curriculum, both for the students who are college-bound and for those who are not. Curricular adjustments are being actively developed to take advantage of opportunities which will come with the new facilities for language, music, and the laboratory sciences next fall. The present methods—and possible alternatives—of improving the writing skills of all students

are being reviewed with a sense of urgency. The school's library resources are also under study, with a view to establishing realistic policies for future school library development.

The Buildings and Grounds Committee, under Professor Ives, is meeting the immediate problems of the new construction but has also begun study of adjustments which school growth will require in the auditorium, the administrative offices, the shop area, the gymnasium and its related facilities, and the playgrounds. It also will review the development of a long-range maintenance program for the whole plant.

The Budget and Finance Committee, under Dr. Schleicher, worked with the Superintendent as usual in preparing a new annual budget and checking upon the flow of appropriated moneys through the current one. It has done most of the work on preparation of a new salary schedule which Board, administration, and faculty were all agreed was overdue, and which is intended not only to be competitive for recruitment purposes but also to encourage continued professional advancement of teachers who stay with us. This committee is also charged with the responsibility of working with the business manager in development of improved office and accounting practices. After the books are closed on the first full year of operation of grades 7-12 under one roof, a comparative cost analysis of this and other similar high schools will be in order. We also plan a fresh look at the school's extracurricular activities.

Mrs. Bradley has been chairman of a new Long Range Plans Committee, which is not only keeping in touch with wider town planning but is charged with looking ahead in matters of enrollment, recruitment, and general educational trends. It has also focused on certain policy matters that have been set aside during the emergencies of recent years. It will oversee the efforts of all school personnel to respond to the recommendations of an Evaluation Committee which came and studied the Hanover High School in 1963 under the auspices of the Standing Committee on Public Secondary Schools of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. While this evaluation was in many respects a complimentary one it contained a number of valuable suggestions for improvement which are being taken to heart. The report of progress which is due the Association from the Hanover High School in 1965 will show substantial gains.

The Long Range Plans Committee is also gathering together

previous policy statements of the Hanover and Norwich School Boards, comparing them with those of similar Boards, and compiling a policy book for the Dresden District, which will be mimeographed for convenient reference.

It is a satisfaction to report that the process of forming the first interstate school district has not sapped the energies of the school personnel so much as released new efforts for improvement. Certain aspects of the history of how the Dresden District came about are already being assembled for a doctoral thesis, and conversations are being held between communities along the Connecticut that may lead to more such unions on the Dresden model.

### **Board of Directors, Dresden District**

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## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Hanover and Norwich:

### THE DRESDEN DISTRICT

This is the First Annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools of the Dresden School District.

The past several months have proved to be both exciting and exhausting from an administrative standpoint. It has been most rewarding to realize that this is the first functional interstate school district in the nation; it has been most exhausting to implement the formation of the district administratively in the face of continued disbelief and confusion on the part of the many local, state, and national agencies with which this office interacts. Nearly all of these problems have been overcome and the district is functioning satisfactorily insofar as the administrative section is concerned. It should be pointed out, however, that the burdens on the Superintendent's office have been increased significantly with an expansion of one school district, Hanover, into three, Hanover, Dresden, and Norwich. Future consideration should be given to consolidation of districts as well as the perennial problem of an absurdly overcrowded administrative office for the Superintendent of Schools.

### THE PRINCIPALSHIP

We were most fortunate indeed to have secured the services of Mr. Elson Herrick as principal of the Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School. Mr. Herrick has served as a high school principal for seventeen years and came to us from Portland, Connecticut, terminating six years as principal of the Portland Senior High School. I feel that the school has profited this year from Mr. Herrick's able educational and professional leadership. Mr. Herrick's experience and his understanding of general school problems have been valuable to us in assuring that our school's program would continue to function as smoothly as possible without detriment to the educational welfare of the students.

### SCHOOL FACILITIES

Our studies of existing and anticipated Jr.-Sr. High School enrollment shows a continued growth pattern.

*Enrollments, September 1964*

Grade	7	150
	8	145
	9	140
	10	128
	11	105
	12	96
		—
Total		764

*Anticipated Enrollment, September 1965*

Grade	7	138
	8	150
	9	150
	10	140
	11	128
	12	105
		—
Total		811

We anticipate a minimum enrollment of 842 students in September of 1966. All projections are conservative straight-line projections which do not take into consideration community growth factors or an unanticipated influx of tuition students.

We are operating the school this year under conditions which are extremely crowded. We are operating in a building which was designed originally for 550 students and are operating with divided classrooms and several substandard teaching stations never designed for normal classroom use. Students are forced to share lockers with other students; we have insufficient seating space in several classes; and, the traffic flow and traffic patterns in the corridors present daily problems. Despite these inconveniences, we feel that the program is operating in a relatively smooth manner. A great deal of credit for this is directly attributable to the understanding and cooperation of the staff and the student body. We look forward to next year and the completion of the building program when we hope to be housed in comfortable and adequate facilities.

### CURRICULUM

For several years the Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School has studied, adopted, and implemented many of the new curriculum programs. These include the following:



- A. *Humanities*.—We were one of the first four high schools in the United States to develop and offer a course of studies in the Humanities. This is, essentially, a course based on inter-disciplinary content in the major areas of philosophy, music, art, and literature and is taught by a team of four teachers. It has proved to be a most successful course.
- B. *Science*.—We were among the leaders in the State of New Hampshire and, indeed, in northern New England to adopt the new Science curricula; The B.S.C.S. Biology program (Biological Sciences Curriculum Study); the P.S.S.C. Physics program (Physical Science Study Committee); the C.H.E.M. Chemistry (Chemical Educational Materials) material. We do not use all of these materials in all sections; in some of our sections we have found it more valuable to use the traditional textbook approaches.
- C. *Mathematics*.—We were one of the first schools in the northeast to introduce the School Mathematics Study Group (SMSG) materials. While this program is progressing well, we have not seen fit to use the SMSG materials in all sections but guide our use of these materials in terms of the appropriateness to the given level of instruction.
- D. *English*.—Our Lay Reader Program for student composition is in its fourth year and, although it appears to be working moderately well, we have continued each year to make major revisions in this program. We anticipate future revisions to allow for more intimate contact between the lay reader and the student. The balance of our secondary English program has undergone an extensive study by our English Department, supported by funds from The Friends of The Hanover Schools, and we are in the process of reviewing and revising the initial study so that it may be fully implemented beginning next fall.
- E. *Foreign Languages*.—Our Foreign Language Department has given considerable consideration to the entire program in Foreign Languages, particularly in relation to two major problem areas: the upward extension of the elementary school program for Nor-

wich students who have had three years of French, and the necessary preparations and program changes occasioned by the addition of the audio-active (language laboratory) classrooms in the new building addition. We have been quite successful in the change-over from the A-LM (Audio-Lingual Method) materials used in the elementary and junior high levels to the several other components of the foreign language program offered in the upper grades including: reading, writing, and cultural studies. One of the major problems we have encountered this year was the undesirability and impracticality of teaching seventh and eighth grade French classes twice a week. We feel it is important that the students have shorter periods of daily work in foreign languages. This is a major scheduling problem but we hope to arrive at a workable solution in time for the opening of school next year.

- F. *Vocational Education*.—We offer three majors in the general curriculum, Home Economics, Business Education, and Machine and Woodworking. Although we have upgraded several course content areas in these departments, we will be giving continued study to these areas.
- G. *Art, Music, and Physical Education*.—These areas appear to be functioning quite well and the correlation with other subject areas is extremely fine. We do, however, have several problems in these areas, the most acute being lack of sufficient teaching space for physical education, and the inability of our present schedule to support the music program in the regular school day. This eliminates many students from band, orchestra, and chorus. We are working on next year's schedule and hope to be able to offer music during the school day.

Early in the school year I asked Principal Herrick and his staff to concentrate on the development of curriculum guides in all subject fields. It was my feeling that this should be a year for consolidating our recent gains in curriculum, for taking stock of what we are presently doing, and for developing curriculum guides to be used both as evaluative instruments in curriculum studies and to aid in the future direction of



curriculum development in the school. It is too easy to go off in all directions at once and to allow the curriculum to grow, like Topsy, by accretion rather than by design. I am most pleased, indeed, at the splendid progress made by the High School staff in developing the first drafts of these curriculum guides and I am confident that when these guides are fully developed they will constitute the single most significant curriculum development that we have had to date in the High School.

### GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

A second person has been added to the guidance staff this year, Mr. Clarke Dustin. Mr. Dustin's experience and depth of understanding in dealing with the many guidance problems of the school has been most helpful. His major responsibility this year has been with the children and teachers of grades 7-8-9 in terms of counseling students and supervising the testing program at that level. He has been responsible for 435 pupils in these three grades. Mr. Stimson, Director of Guidance, has continued to work with the pupils in grades 10-11-12, giving supervision to the overall program, counseling with the pupils and parents (especially in the area of college placement), and arranging the class schedule. As the size of the senior class and the complexities of college admissions increase, this part of the work becomes almost overwhelming. When the enrollment of Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School approaches the 900 level, we should be aware of the need of still another person on the guidance staff. The Minimum Standards of the State Board of Education call for one guidance counselor for every 300 students and we are nearly to the point of having 300 pupils in each two grades.

The Guidance Department attempts to hold individual conferences with each pupil, especially the new ones, as well as group meetings with various grade levels. Many conferences with parents and teachers are held throughout the school year. Some of the students present simple academic adjustment problems whereas others need more constant and careful attention. In the latter case, we are very fortunate to have the service and advice of the professional staff of the Psychiatry Department of the Hitchcock Clinic.

### TESTING PROGRAM

We have developed a very adequate and continuing testing program within our own school as well as in our feeder schools,

Hanover, Norwich, and Lyme Elementary Schools. The program is designed to give the best information possible with a nominal expenditure of both time and money.

The students in our school continue to score well on all tests; their performance is high compared to any national norms and we invariably place the top-quarter of any class at or above the 90th %ile (percentile) level, the median or middle of the group at or above the 75th %ile (which means that the top half of our classes are as strong as the top quarter by national standards), and the bottom of the third quarter at or above the 50th %ile.

The mathematics scores at the 11th and 12th grade level are higher than ever, with the math scores higher than the verbal scores. At the junior high level, the quantitative math scores are not as high, in fact, they are slightly below what we would expect, but there is a significant increase gradewise so that by grade ten these same scores are well above our own expectations and high standards. The "new approach" to the teaching of mathematics appears to stimulate reasoning ability so that eventually there is a greater depth of understanding of the material with higher test scores resulting.

#### STUDENT BODY

Approximately 150 new pupils were assimilated into grades 7-8-9 this year with a minimum of confusion. We tested all these students using the same battery of tests from Educational Testing Service, namely the SCAT test of aptitude and the STEP test of achievement. Working with the teachers we developed a system of weighting marks and recommendations which, together with the test scores, gave us adequate information for making sectioning assignments of individual pupils in each grade and subject. We attempt to place each student in that section which will challenge his intellectual ability but at the same time will provide an opportunity to succeed in his class work. We also make every effort to keep the individual sectioning as flexible as possible and to inter-change sections when the level of motivation or performance warrants a change either up or down.

Hanover High School again has the honor of being the top school in New Hampshire in its college placement record. Eighty-three percent of the graduating class continued on to post-secondary education. Our school has a very favorable reputation with many of the leading colleges. Our graduates

in past years have made successful records in the various colleges so that these same schools are ready to accept our qualified graduates who wish to attend in the future. The students who qualify for our top-quarter sections at Hanover High School usually qualify for acceptance at any competitive college in the country and usually maintain a highly successful college record. The students who are competing in our second section classes are usually able to qualify for admission to competitive, but not highly competitive, colleges and usually maintain successful academic records. The pupils who are competing in our third section classes, basic college prep classes, may find that some of them will qualify for a four year college of a less competitive level or they may wish to enroll in either a junior college or less than a four year program. While some colleges will refuse admission to fully qualified students merely because there is not room on campus, other schools of a less competitive level will admit people on occasion who are not qualified and consequently come up with very poor academic records. More of our failures are made in non-competitive schools by people who were accepted on a very marginal basis. We continue to have a very good placement record in two and three year non-degree granting institutions at the post-secondary level.

The following table contains the percentages of students enrolled in the various subject fields. It is most gratifying to note the high participation levels in certain areas of the curriculum, such as mathematics, foreign languages, and the social sciences which tend to be substantially lower in most other schools.

*Enrollment in Courses 1964-65*

*Hanover Jr.-Sr. High School*

English	100%	Business Education	55%
Languages	77%	Home Economics	17%
Mathematics	96%	Vocational Education	22%
Science	85%	Art	41%
Social Science	93%	Music	55%
Reading	41%	Physical Education	73%

The average number of courses per student is 4.70 academic courses and 5.71 courses per student in all subject areas. 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.

For example, this past fall we had seventy boys out for football and over sixty boys out for soccer while many schools much larger than ours have had difficulty in fielding two complete teams during the past few years. Our program offers the student a good balance between academic work and the co-curricular program and attempts to prepare the student for further study at the post-secondary level or for success in vocational employment if he is a twelfth grade terminal student.

### CONCLUSION

I wish to express my appreciation for the excellent cooperation of the high school principal, the guidance department, and all members of the high school teaching staff for the manner and spirit in which they have met a difficult and unsettled school year. I wish to take this opportunity to thank, in addition, the clerical and custodial staff for their very fine work. Of special note is the loyalty and support given by my own staff in the Superintendent's office who have worked many, many hours overtime without compensation in dealing with the many difficult and technical problems of the new district. The School Board, the health services of the Hospital and Clinic, and the P.T.A. are also deserving of special thanks.

Lastly, I wish to thank the many townspeople of Hanover and Norwich for their very fine cooperation and support during this first year of the Dresden School District.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. ZIMMERMAN, JR.

*Superintendent of Schools*



**REPORT OF  
DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER  
For the Period February 3, 1964 to June 30, 1964**

There were no Receipts and no Disbursements by the Dresden School District during this period.

Respectfully submitted,  
FRANCIS E. DERRICK  
*Treasurer*

**DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Joint Report**

**Dresden Auditors—Dresden Board of School Directors**

As Auditors and Directors we have made a joint review of the financial status of the Dresden School District.

We have recognized a problem concerning teachers' salaries and associated payroll expenses paid by the District during July and August 1964.

We have noted that the teachers of the Hanover Junior-Senior High School (grades 7-12) were employed under contract with the Hanover School District for services rendered during the school year beginning September 1, 1963 and ending June 30, 1964. Salaries were paid in twelve monthly installments commencing September 15, 1963 and ending August 14, 1964. Payments for July and August were made from funds of the Dresden School District rather than the Hanover School District.

It is the opinion of the auditors that the July and August salary payments were costs attributable to the operation of the Hanover School District prior to July 1, 1964. On the other hand, the District's attorneys are not able to express a definitive opinion at this time as to whether these payments are the legal obligation of Hanover or Dresden.

We expect that an equitable resolution of this problem will be reached prior to the end of the fiscal year, June 30, 1965.

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

WILLIAM W. BALLARD, *Chairman*, ALMON B. IVES, CECILIA B. LEWIS, ELISABETH M. BRADLEY, DR. JOHN W. SCHLEICHER, JOHN G. SKEWES, DR. FREDERIC RUECKERT, DR. ROBERT NYE, JOHN W. FINCH, *Dresden Board of School Directors*

## DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET SUMMARY

### Expenditures

	<i>Budget</i>	<i>Proposed</i>	
	<i>1964-65</i>	<i>Budget</i>	<i>1965-66</i>
			<i>Increase or</i>
			<i>Decrease</i>
Administration	4 230 00	4 345 00	+ 115 00
Instruction	368 248 00	409 908 00	+41 660 00
(Salaries)	(283 488 00)	(313 502 00)	(+30 014 00)
Attendance	25 00	25 00	
Health	4 267 00	4 482 00	+ 215 00
Field Trips		500 00	+ 500 00
Operation of Plant	50 440 00	50 575 00	+ 135 00
Maintenance of Plant	14 298 00	16 075 00	+ 1 777 00
Fixed Charges	31 903 00	37 627 00	+ 5 724 00
School Lunch & Spec.			
Milk	5 409 00	5 625 00	+ 216 00
Student Body			
Activities	20 620 00	21 722 00	+ 1 102 00
Capital Outlay	11 439 00	17 770 00	+ 6 331 00
Debt Service	46 605 00	42 868 00	- 3 737 00
Outgoing Transfer			
Accounts	14 099 00	16 007 00	+ 1 908 00
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>571 583 00</b>	<b>627 529 00</b>	<b>+55 946 00</b>

## DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET SUMMARY

### Anticipated Receipts 1965-66

Balance July 1	9 422 00
State Aid—Special Class	1 200 00
State Aid—Driver Education	2 000 00
Federal Aid—School Lunch & Special Milk Program	4 285 00
Federal Aid—N.D.E.A., Title 111	4 000 00
Federal Aid—Federal Impact	6 000 00
Tuition	19 656 00
Local Sources—Rent	3 140 00
<b>Total Receipts Other Than Taxes</b>	<b>49 703 00</b>
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>627 529 00</b>
<b>Total Receipts Other Than Taxes</b>	<b>49 703 00</b>
<b>To Be Raised By Two Towns</b>	<b>577 826 00</b>
Of the total amount to be raised by the two towns; namely \$577,826.00, Hanover's share is 74.13% or \$428,342.00 and Norwich's share is 25.87% or \$149,484.00.	

## DRESDEN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Teachers, 1964-65\*

### Hanover Jr.—Sr. High School

**Elson S. Herrick, Principal, (1964)**, Keene Teachers' College, '36-'46, B.E.; University of Vermont, S.S., '49, '50, '51, '52; University of New Hampshire, Ext., '57; Colorado State College, '58-'59, M.A.; University of Hartford, 1/'64-6/'64

**Paul K. Stimson, Asst. Prin. & Guidance Director, (1936)**, Keene, B.Ed., '36; Harvard, S.S., '37; U.N.H., '38, '48, '49, '53, '54, '59, S.S.; Columbia, S.S., '52; B.U., S.S., '55; Plymouth, '58; U.N.H., Ext., '56; U.N.H., S.S., '62

**Clarke P. Dustin, Guidance Counselor, (1964)**, University of N. H., '57, B.A.; University of Maine, S.S., '60; University of N. H., S.S., '59, '61, '62, '64

**Forrest P. Branch, Social Studies, Coach of Football & Baseball, J.V. Basketball, Director of Athletics, (1937)**, Dartmouth College, A.B., '33; B.U., Ed.M., '53; Keene, Ext., '56; Plymouth, Ext., '55; Keene, Ext., '57; B.U., Ext., '61; U. of Rochester, S.S., '62

**Roy G. Brodsky, Art, Ass't Football Coach, (1961)**, College of Fine Arts, Carnegie Institute of Tech., '59; St. Anselm's College, Ext., '61; U.N.H., S.S., '60; Keene, B.Ed., '61

**Elizabeth C. Cameron, French, (1963)**, Smith College, A.B., '28; Jr. Year at Sorbonne '27 (Certificats Superieurs); B.U., M.E., '29

**Gladys C. Churchill, French, Student Council, (1941)**, Bates, A.B., '32; Harvard & Radcliffe, A.M., '42; Univ. of Wisconsin, S.S., '47; Laval Univ., S.S., '48; European Travel & Teaching, '48, '50; Travel in France, Gilley Scholarship, '54, '56; Plymouth, Ext., '58; Laval Univ., S.S., '59; Alliance Francaise, '60; Univ. of Paris, S.S., '60; Univ. of Colorado, S.S., '61

**Lester W. Claffin, Latin, English, (1945)**, Middlebury, A.B., '32; B.U., S.S., '34; Keene, S.S., '43, '57, '60; Gorham, S.S., '44; Univ. of Mexico, S.S., '52; U.N.H., Ext., '56; Plymouth, Ext., '57; Plymouth, S.S., '58; Plymouth, M.Ed., '59; Keene, Ext., '60; Tufts University, S.S., '64.

\* Position follows name; year in parenthesis is first year employed in Hanover (or Dresden) schools.



- William R. Cogswell, Mathematics, Math. Coordinator, Computer Club, (1963)**, Dartmouth College, A.B., '61; Brown University, M.A.T., '63.
- Norman S. Cook, Mathematics, Computer Club, (1955)**, Bowdoin, B.S., '43; Tufts, Ed.M., '48; Northwestern, S.S., '50; R.P.I., S.S., '52 (GEF); Plymouth, Ext., '55; Math. Inst., Williams, '56 (NSF); Univ. of Colorado, S.S., '51 (STF); Oberlin College, S.S., '59; Dartmouth (SMSC), '60-'61
- Ford A. Daley, Science, (1964)**, Dartmouth College, B.A., '61; Tufts Univ., M.Ed., '62; Fresno State, Ext., '64
- Kathryn C. Dupell, Home Economics, Manager of Cafeteria, (1946)**, Keene, B.Ed., '29; U.N.H., S.S., '46, '50; Keene, S.S., '55; Keene, S.S., '61
- Pearl A. Feldmesser, Commercial, (1964)**, Boston Teachers' College, '41, B.S., in Ed.; Boston University, '44 M. in Comm. Sci.; Harvard, S.S., '62
- David W. Ford, History, Coach of Soccer, Ass't Track Coach, (1964)**, Amherst, '58, B.A.; Harvard, '64, M.A.T.
- Elmer B. Fulton, Librarian, (1958)**, Dartmouth, A.B., '34; '36-'42 Travel in Europe and Tutoring; University of Chicago, S.S., '38, '39; U.N.H., S.S., '46, '47; Dartmouth College, S.S., '46; Plymouth, S.S., '59, '60; Simmons, S.S., '62; Simmons, S.S., '63, '64
- Delmar W. Goodwin, Coordinator, Social Studies, (1955)**, U.N.H., B.A., '36; Harvard (GSED), Ed.M., '55; Colby College, S.S., '58; Univ. of Wyoming, S.S., '60; Harvard (GSED), '61
- Helen E. Goodwin, Music, (1952)**, Eastman School of Music, Music B.M., '47; B.U., M. Mus. Ed., '53; Northwestern Univ., S.S., '57; Appalachian State T.C., S.S., '61, '62; Gove City Central College, S.S., '64
- Frank L. Hannah, Mathematics, Ski Coach, (1964)**, Dartmouth College, '64, B.A.
- Donald W. Hawthorne, Industrial Arts, Ass't Ski Coach, 7-8 Gr. Basketball, Audio-Visual, (1964)**, Keene State College, '59, B.E.; U.N.H., Ext., '64; B.U., Ext., '64
- Mildred J. Hayes, English, Jr. Dramatics, (1951)**, U.N.H., A.B., '49; U.N.H., Ext., '51; Univ. of Maine, S.S., '54; Colby, Ext., '57; B.U., Ext., '61; Plymouth, Ext., '59

- Amos D. Hoyt, Industrial Arts, (1958)**, Keene, B.Ed., '58; Industrial Arts Trip, '62; K.T.C., Ext., '64
- Peter Jarotski, Russian, (1962)**, Gymnasium, St. Petersburg, Russia; Mikhailovsk Artillery School, St. Petersburg, Russia, '17; Institute of Civil Engineers, St. Petersburg, Russia, '19
- Margaret E. Klaybor, Business, Geography, (1952)**, Plymouth, B.Ed., '54; St. Lawrence Seaway Story Research & Field Trip, '58; Lebanon College, '61, Ext.
- Vera S. LaClair, Home Economics, (1963)**, K.T.C., B.E., '39; K.T.C., S.S., '63
- Harold H. Lary, English, "Inde," (1956)**, Middlebury, A.B., '44; Middlebury, M.A., '54; Colum. Univ., S.S., '57, '58, '59; U.N.H., S.S., '62
- John R. Loughlin, Science, Ass't Football, (1958)**, Keene, B.Ed., '58; Plymouth, S.S., '58, '60; Alfred Univ., S.S., '61, '62, '63
- Micheline Lyons, French, (1964)**, Mount Holyoke College, '45, B.A.; Universite de Clemont-Ferrand, France, '41; Study in France, Apr.-June, '64
- Ernest L. Manderson, English, (1964)**, University of Maine, B.A., '63; University of Maine, S.S., '64
- Walter Marcuse, Music, (1958)**, Bismark Gymnasium, Abitur, '33; Cons. of Music, Florence, Diploma, '38; N. E. Cons. of Music, A.B., '49; N. E. Cons. of Music, M.A., '51; U. of Maine, S.S., '55; B.U., S.S., '58, '59, '60, '61, '62, '63
- Donald R. Merchant, Mathematics, (1956)**, St. Lawrence Univ. B.S., '49; Univ. of Rochester, '43, '44; U.V.M., S.S., '58, '64; Dartmouth (SMSG), '61; Keene State College, Ext., '64
- Dorothy E. Merriman, Phys. Ed., Girls Field Hockey, Girls Softball & Girls Basketball Coach, (1955)**, Sargent, B.S., '35; T. C. Columbia, '35, '36; Plymouth, Ext., '56; Springfield, Workshop, '58; B.U., S.S., '60; Ithaca College, S.S., '62
- Eric B. Moore, Chemistry & Physical Science, (1964)**, Yale University, B.A., '56; Harvard University, M.A.T., '64; Columbia University, S.S., '55; Keene State College, Ext., '63
- Harry W. Moore, Mathematics, (1963)**, Fitchburg T. C., B.S.Ed., '39; Colum. Univ. T.C., M.A., '45; U.N.H., Ext., '63, '64; U.N.H., S.S., '63

- William N. Murphy, History, Basketball Coach, Ass't Baseball Coach, (1961)**, Wesleyan Univ., B.A., '60; Harvard Grad. School of Ed., M.A.T., '61; Harvard Univ., S.S., '62; American Univ., S.S., '63; Harvard Univ., S.S., '64
- Barbara L. Nelson, Biology, (1964)**, Syracuse University, A.B., '59
- Joanna B. Noyes, English, Penofiron, (1962)**, Skidmore College, B.A., '62; Harvard Univ., S.S., '64
- Susan E. Nye, French, (1964)**, Jackson College-Tufts Univ., B.A., '64
- Terrence A. Ortwein, English, Footlighters, (1963)**, Dartmouth, B.A., '61; Wesleyan, M.A.T., '63
- James D. Osgood, Mathematics, Director of Activities, Activities Treasurer, "Inde" Business, (1955)**, U.N.H. B.S., '29; U.N.H., Ed.M., '32; U.N.H., S.S., '39; Keene, Ext., '48; U.N.H., Ext., '50, '51, '56; Travel Europe, '57; Dartmouth College, S.S., '59, '60, '61; U.N.H., Ext., '61; Plymouth, State Workshop, '61; Dartmouth (SMSC), '62; SRA Institute, Nov., '63
- Dale F. Rowe, Science, Hunter Safety, (1961)**, Goddard College, A.B., '50; Putney Grad. School of Teach. Ed., M.A., '53; St. Paul's School (ASP)—Teaching Ass't, S.S., '61; Dartmouth, '61, '62, '63, Ext.
- Jacqueline B. Sices, French, (1964)**, Universite de Caen, '54, Licence es Lettres; Universite de Paris, '57, Agregation d'Anglais
- Frank R. Thoms III, Social Studies, Ass't Soccer Coach & Hockey Coach, (1962)**, Williams College, B.A., '60; Wesleyan University, M.A.T., '62; Dartmouth College, S.S., '64
- Frank J. Vara, Reading & English, Harpoon, Debate, (1964)**, Castleton State, B.S.Ed., '60; Bridgewater State, S.S., '59, '61, '64; Plymouth, S.S., '62
- Lawrence P. West, Jr., Physical Ed., Intramurals, (1962)**, Plymouth T.C., B.Ed., '62
- Joyce L. Wilkes, English, (1964)**, U.N.H., B.A., '47; Columbia U., '47-'49; U.N.H., S.S., '63, '64
- Roger F. Wilson, Geography, Driver Training, (1959)**, Keene, B.Ed., '59; Keene, S.S., '59; Plymouth, S.S., '60; B.U., Ext., '61; Dartmouth, Geographic Study, '62-'63 Ford Grant, A.A.G. & N.C.C.E.
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## HANOVER PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE

Year Ending June 30, 1964

	<i>Total Enrollment</i>	<i>Number of Non-Resident Pupils</i>
Grade VII	99	
Grade VIII	102	
TOTAL JUNIOR HIGH	201	
Grade IX	132	37
Grade X	104	25
Grade XI	91	25
Grade XII	83	15
TOTAL SENIOR HIGH	410	102
TOTAL SENIOR AND JUNIOR HIGH	611	

## DRESDEN COMPARATIVE YEARLY ENROLLMENTS AS OF JUNE OF THE YEAR GIVEN

<i>Year</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>Total</i>
1950-51	56	58	75	66	62	52	369
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
First Semester,							
1964-65	150	144	141	128	105	96	764

**HANOVER HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES  
CLASS OF 1964**

Gloria Jean Ackerson	Eric Wilho Kyllonen
Robert Lawrence Andrews	Donald Armond Laramie
Richard Lee Austin	Lorraine Antoinette Laramie
Cheryl Ann Barchard	Roland W. Laramie
Linda Louise Bent	Thomas Andrew Linell
Karl Tardif Bergeron	James Albert Major
Gary Taylor Blackman	Jane Anne McAlea
Douglas Malcomson Bowen, Jr.	Peter H. McNair
Richard William Bradley	Linda Vail Monahan
Lee Thomas Bridges	Andrew Arlo Morse
Molly Flagg Brittan	Jonathan Newcomb
Walter Stanley Budzian, Jr.	William R. Nichols
Linda Seaver Burnett	Martha Trafford Nitschelm
Wade Lewis Campbell	David Jennings Norris
Nancy Anne Canavan	James Elliot Noyes
Anne McKay Chamberlain	William Lynn Nungesser
Emmy Parsell Chamberlain	Robert Edward Perrier
Donald James Clausing	Linda Marie Provencher
Jon R. Cloud	Perley George Rich
Corinne Patterson Colt	Karen Lea Schleipman
Kenneth Charles Conrad	Mary Ermina Schultz
Van Wesley Cook	John Stewart Scott-Craig
Elizabeth Bain Crandell	Craig L. Sears
Shirley Ann Cunningham	Robin John Shirley
Antoinette A. Curtis	Deborah Small
Patricia Ann Dalphin	Stephen A. Stark
Doreen Alma Day	Janet Frances Stewart
Richard McIlree Doyle	Leslie Cythera Stewart
Linda Carol Dyke	Grace Ella Stiles
Sandra Dorothy Ebaugh	Robert Jay Stimson
Edward Peter Fabian	Margaret Eva Tanis
Anne Elizabeth Fuller	Beverly Elaine Tebbetts
Gordon Daniel Garipay	Susan Elizabeth Thorburn
Carol Lee Graham	Carol Jean Trachier
Joyce Christine Grant	Mark Wesley Triller
Bernard Charles Hansen	Norah May Tweit
Judith Lee Hicks	Drew Edward Volz
Susan Helen Ingram	James Prather Weigle
Christopher Jackson	Donna Lynn Wilson
Wesley Erwin Jerome	James Curtis Wilson
Michael Wayne Jewett	Sarah Winship
Richard Allen Jordan	Laura Day Yeomans



## SCHOLASTIC RECOGNITION

### First Honor

Linda Seaver Burnett

### Second Honor

Emmy Parsell Chamberlain

### Honorable Mention

Lee Bridges

Anne Chamberlain

Shirley Cunningham

Christopher Jackson

Eric Kyllonen

Jane McAlea

Linda Monahan

Jonathan Newcomb

James Noyes

Mary Schultz

John Scott-Craig

Laura Day Yeomans

### Class Officers

#### *President*

John Stewart Scott-Craig

#### *Secretary*

Anne McKay Chamberlain

#### *Class Marshall*

William R. Nichols

#### *Musical Club President*

Anne McKay Chamberlain

#### *Vice-President*

Jonathan Newcomb

#### *Treasurer*

Elizabeth Bain Crandell

#### *"Inde" (Editor)*

Janet Frances Stewart

#### *Footlighters President*

Shirley Ann Cunningham

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*Head Usher*—Alan Dow

Stephen Dalphin

Lawrence Davis

Lawrence Morin

John Rand

Margaret Colton

Sara Hawthorne

Edith Hazard

Katherine Mosenthall







