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REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

Elective Officers

Selectmen — John J. Moore, Chairman; John Charles McCann, and William A. MacPhail.

Town Clerk — George W. Cushman.

Town Treasurer — George W. Cushman.

Town Collector — George W. Cushman.

Assessors — Francis P. McManus, Chairman and Clerk; Ralph F. Santoro, and John T. Randall.

Board of Public Welfare — John Charles McCann, Chairman; John J. Moore and William A. MacPhail.

School Committee — Orfeo H. Sgarzi, Chairman; Jeanette Dickson, Secretary; Robert R. Barbieri, John Harold Durgin, Jr., and Howard B. MacFarlane.

Board of Health — William A. MacPhail, Chairman; John C. McCann and John J. Moore.

Constables — James R. Goonan and Donald H. Elwell.

Water Commissioners — Earl S. Sampson, Chairman; Richard W. Loring and Ralph F. Santoro.

Moderator — Horace C. Weston.

Tree Warden — Earl C. Paulding.

Library Trustees — Henry J. Peck, Chairman; Janet C. Giammarco, Secretary; Roland S. Bailey, Treasurer; Robert A. Jones, Katharine B. Mann and Carl W. Stegmaier.

Playground Commission — Lester F. Zahn, Chairman; Antone J. Spath, Secretary; George A. Candini, Jr., Joseph A. Govoni and George J. Turn.

Board of Park Commissioners — Herbert W. Weber, Chairman; Howard M. Hanelt, and Earl C. Paulding.

Planning Board — Parker A. Glass, Chairman; Horace C. Weston, Clerk; Arthur E. Beane, Jr., Clinton T. Keith and Mitchell Toabe.

Fish Committee — Asa Weston Glass, Chairman; Emmett B. Baker, Secretary; Oswald W. Stewart, Arthur W. Robate, Jr., and Francis H. White.

Measurers of Wood and Bark — Charles L. Cherry and Robert Davison.

Director of Plymouth County Extension Service — Eugenia B. Trow.

Appointed Officials

By the Selectmen:

Clerk of the Selectmen — Irma A. Ruffini.

Town Accountant — Irma A. Ruffini.

Liaison Officer — Hurricane Relief — Irma A. Ruffini.

Chief of Police — James R. Goonan.

Police Officers — Kenneth J. Cram, Donald H. Elwell and Arthur P. Moskos.

Police Officers for Special Duty — Francis W. Brown, Edward Borgatti, William E. Cadwell, Ernest Christie, Worth B. Crothers, Alfred D. Darsch, Russell P. Dearborn, Charles DeSimone, Peter J. Dries, Henry F. Kritzmacher, Alfred P. Lanzillotta, George P. Malone, Eugene C. Merry, William Morris, Colice C. Tison, Irenee Thibodeau, Hubert Angus, Richard Bell, Raymond Forsstrom, Sydney Pimental, Chester Rogers, Howard Waterman and Lincoln C. Bartlett.

Superintendent of Streets — George Palmer Holmes.

Forest Fire Warden — George Palmer Holmes.

Fire Engineers — George Palmer Holmes, Chairman and Chief Engineer; Clarence R. Drew and William A. MacPhail, Clerk.

Superintendent of Moth Work — Earl C. Paulding.

Sealer of Weights and Measurers — George T. Pratt.

Dog Officer — James R. Goonan.

Harbor Master — Irenee Thibodeau, to September 11, 1957, George B. Drew.

Shellfish Constables — Antone J. Cazale and Donald L. Sauer.

Registrars of Voters — Louis H. Glass, Chairman; Harold F. Battles and Paul E. Tobin and George W. Cushman, Clerk.

Superintendent of Old Burying Ground — Albion H. Holmes.

Pound Keeper — Samuel Dickson.

Field Driver — Francis W. Murphy.

Fence Viewers — William H. Paul and Paul Vantangoli.

Trustees under the will of Ichabod Washburn — William H. Brown, Albert H. Holmes and George W. Schilling.

Sworn Weighers — Fayette Burgess, Richard W. Loring, Russell C. Loring, and Clifton B. MacLean.

Director of Local Organization for Civil Defense — Charles W. Lawrance.

Veteran's Services — Laurence P. Reid.

Forest Committee — Robert L. Merry, Chairman; Joseph F. Glass, Secretary; and Henry J. Walsh.

Town Counsel — Phillip S. Cronin.

Zoning Appeal Board — Frank A. Randall, Chairman; George A. Walsh, Clerk and Thomas E. Daly and Francis E. Felt, alternate member.

Industrial Commission — Norman E. Thomas, Chairman; Frederick E. S. Woodworth, Mando J. Aldrovandi, Jackson J. Golden and Robert A. Jones.

By the Board of Public Welfare:

Welfare Agent — Harriet W. Royal.

Social Worker — Edna L. Holmes.

Typist and Clerk — Gladys L. Drew.

By the Board of Health:

Burial Agent — George W. Cushman.

Inspector of Animals — Dr. Raymond Russo.

Inspector of Slaughtering — Dr. Raymond Russo.

Caretaker at Town Dump — Francis W. Brown.

Other Appointments:

Superintendent of Schools — Chester T. Ray, appointed by the Union Committee of Kingston, Halifax, Plympton and Pembroke.

Superintendent of the Water Department — Lincoln C. Bartlett, appointed by the Water Commissioners.

Assistant Superintendent of the Water Department — Paul Vetdelli, appointed by the Water Commissioners.

Finance Committee — Lawrence B. Westgate, Chairman; John R Hamilton, Jr., Vice-Chairman; Matthew C. Walsh, Secretary, Henry Lemieux, Marshall W. Joyce, Harold S. Nathanson, Alf C. Lootz, Nicholas E. Zinsius and Mando J. Aldrovandi.

COMMITTEES

Elementary School Building Committee — Paul H. Armor, Chairman; Prescott K. Bearce, Christopher J. Joyce, John Ventura, Jeanette Dickson, Howard B. MacFarlane, Nicholas E. Zinsius. Jeanette Dickson resigned on October 29, 1957 and the vacancy was filled by Dr. Samuel Swartz.

Town of Kingston Educational Trust Fund — George W. Cushman, Chairman; Phillip S. Cronin, Secretary; Mitchell Toabe, Lucy M. Stein, and Horace C. Weston.

Silver Lake Regional School District Committee from Kingston — George W. Cushman, Secretary-Treasurer; John Harold Durgin, Jr., and Mitchell Toabe.

Committee on Ways and Means of Improving Kingston's Water Front and Water Ways — John L. Bailey, Clarence R. Drew, Franklin W. Zwicker.

Committee for the purpose of making a long range plan for the improvement of the Town House — Herbert L. Beckwith, Samuel C. Bonney and Albion C. Davis.

Firemen — Chief G. Palmer Holmes, Deputy Chief John B. West, Captain Edmund C. Dube, First Lieutenant Abraham A. Ruffini, Second Lieutenant Richard W. O'Brien and Louis H. Glass, Clerk — Other Firemen — Albert F. Albertghini, George T. Chandler, Robert E. Cherry, Robert B. Cushman, Donald E. Drew, Louis J. Dube, A. Weston Glass, Jr., Henry F. Herget, Wallace C. Holmes, Arsene Joubert, A. Lewis Keene, Warren H. Kriegel, Arthur A. Leonardi, Jr., Howard B. MacFarlane, Charles G. McCarthy, Robert L. Merry, Earl C. Paulding, George T. Pratt, Jr., James A. Robare, Anselm E. Ruffini, Henry C. Sturtevant and Lino G. Zamboni.

Caretaker at Fire Station — Oscar J. Pelletier

Your State and Federal Officers who represent Kingston — Senator in Congress, Leverett Saltonstall, 210 Chestnut Hill Road, Newton, Massachusetts and John F. Kennedy, 122 Bowdoin Street, Boston, Massachusetts — Congressman — Ninth Congressional District, Donald W. Nicholson, 12 Highland Road, Wareham, Massachusetts — Counsellor, First District — Joseph P. Dupont, 398 County Street, New Bedford, Massachusetts — Senator, Cape and Plymouth District, Edward C. Stone, P.O. Box 158, Osterville, Barnstable, Massachusetts — Representative in General Court, First Plymouth District, John A. Armstrong, 14 Nelson Street, Plymouth, Massachusetts.

STATISTICS

Population, January 1, 1955 — 4,089

Legal Voters, January 1, 1958 — 2,160

Enrolled Voters

Democrats — 177 Republicans — 775

Unenrolled Voters — 1208

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 16, 1957

The adjourned meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by the Moderator, Horace C. Weston. By unanimous approval of the meeting, the warrant was not read.

Article 2. The following officers were chosen: The nominations were made by members of the Board of Selectmen.

Measurers of Wood and Bark — Charles L. Cherry and Robert Davison.

Director of Plymouth County Extension Service — Eugenia B. Trow.

Fish Committee — Emmett B. Baker, Oswald W. Stewart, Asa Weston Glass, Arthur W. Robare, Jr., and Francis H. White.

Article 3. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted Unanimously: That the reports of the Town Officers as printed in the 1956 annual report be accepted.

Article 4. On the motion of Lawrence B. Westgate and as amended by Harold F. Battles, Voted Unanimously: That the salaries of the several elective officers of the town be retroactive to January 1, 1957 and be fixed as follows:

Moderator	$25.00
Treasurer	1,100.00
Collector	2,200.00
Town Clerk	600.00
Chairman of Selectmen	475.00
Other Selectmen, each	150.00
Chairman of Board of Health	400.00
Other Members of Board of Health, each	75.00
Chairman of Board of Public Welfare	400.00
Other Members of Board of Public Welfare	75.00
Chairman of Board of Assessors and Clerk	2,500.00

Harold F. Battles offered an amendment that the salary of the Chairman of the Board of Assessors and Clerk be fixed at $2,500.00. *Amendment was carried.*

Other Assessors, each	$100.00
Water Commissioners, Chairman	75.00
Other Water Commissioners, each	50.00
Tree Warden	900.00

Article 5. On the motion of Lawrence B. Westgate, Voted: That Budget Items 1-67 inclusive be raised and appropriated as recommended by the Finance Committee and be recited individually and those items questioned, if any, be tabled and discussed separately from the floor after the entire budget has been read, all those items not questioned be voted upon as one group and one vote.

The following items were tabled and discussed separately:

Item No. 5. Assessors, Salaries and Expenses.

Item No. 14. Shellfish, Salaries and Expenses.

Item No. 24. Civil Defense.

Item No. 40. Snow Removal, Including Sanding Roads and Incidentals.

Item No. 53. Silver Lake Regional School District.

Item No. 61. Preparation, Printing and Distributing Town Reports.

General Government:

1. Moderator	$25.00
2. Selectmen, Salaries and Expenses	3,336.00
3. Accountant, Salaries and Expenses	5,113.50
4. Treasurer and Collector, Salaries and Expenses	7,928.00
5. Assessors, Salaries and Expenses On Item No. 5 Harold F. Battles offered an amendment that the amount be changed from $3,958 to $4,358. *Amendment was carried.*	4,358.00
6. Town Clerk, Salaries and Expenses	1,536.50
7. Election and Registration, Salaries and Expenses	1,845.00
8. Board of Appeals	100.00
9. Planning Board	200.00
10. Finance Committee	25.00
11. Town House — Maintenance	6,167.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

12.	Police — Maintenance	20,650.00
13.	Police — Uniforms	650.00
14.	Shellfish, Salaries and Expenses	900.00
	Item No. 14 required a ⅔ vote and therefore this item was unanimously voted.	
15.	Harbor Master, Salary and Expenses	600.00
16.	Fire — Maintenance	13,922.00
17.	Forest Fires, Prevention and Extinguishment	2,275.00
18.	Sealer of Weights and Measures	435.00
19.	Moth — Insect Pest Control	4,156.40
20.	Suppression of Moths — Dutch Elm	4,708.40
21.	Trimming Shade Trees	4,132.60
22.	Dog Officer	325.00
23.	Bounties on Seals	22.00
24.	Civil Defense	2,000.00
	Charles W. Lawrance offered an amendment that the amount be changed from $1,000 to $2,000. *Amendment was carried.*	
25.	Insurance — Municipal Buildings and Property, including Indemnity under Clause 1, Section 5, Chapter 40	6,000.00
26.	Insurance — Workmen's Compensation	3,400.00
27.	Insurance—Group Life-Employees, Chapter 32-B G. L.	6,500.00
28.	Care of Other Municipal Property	10.00

Health and Sanitation:

29.	Health, Salaries and Expenses	4,796.00
30.	Health — Insect Control	3,000.00
31.	Inspector of Animals, Salary and Expenses	250.00
32.	Inspector of Slaughtering, Salary	55.00
33.	Mosquito Control Maintenance, Chap. 112, Acts of 1931	400.00
34.	Greenhead Fly Control	500.00

Highways:

35.	General Highways, Including Ordinary Repairs, Salary of Supt. and care of Bldgs. and Lot for Equipment	32,426.00

36.	Road Machinery, Operation, Equipment and Repairs — From Tax Levy	4,500.00
37.	Street, Direction and Danger Signs	125.00
38.	Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	1,000.00
39.	Guard Fences	500.00
40.	Snow Removal, Including Sanding Roads and Incidentals	15,000.00
	On Item No. 40 John J. Moore offered a motion that the sum of $15,000.00 be inserted. *Motion was carried.*	
41.	Street Lighting	12,000.00

Charities:

42.	Public Welfare — Administration	1,300.00
43.	Public Welfare — General Relief	10,000.00
44.	Disability Assistance — Administration	100.00
45.	Disability Assistance — Assistance	3,000.00
46.	Aid to Dependent Children — Administration	50.00
47.	Aid to Dependent Children — Aid	8,000.00
48.	Old Age Assistance — Administration	5,000.00
49.	Old Age Assistance — Assistance	60,000.00

Veterans' Benefits:

50.	Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits	11,000.00

Schools:

51.	Schools — Including Salaries, Maintenance and Ordinary Repairs	131,500.00
52.	Vocational Education	150.00
53.	Silver Lake Regional School District	145,989.72
	Ruth F. Ward offered an amendment that the amount be changed from $145,989.72 to $142,989.72. *Amendment was defeated.* Then a vote was taken on the original amount and it was *Unanimously passed.*	

Library:

54.	Library — From Tax Levy	2,636.94
	From Dog Fund	813.06

Recreation:

55.	Playground — Maintenance	5,813.00
56.	Playground — Recreational Equipment and Repairs	900.00

Parks:

57.	Park Commission	4,850.00

Pensions:

58.	Retirement System	5,898.00

Unclassified:

59.	Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days	500.00
60.	County Aid to Agriculture	100.00
61.	Preparation, Printing and Distributing Town Reports	2,830.00
	John J. Moore offered an amendment that Item No. 61 be changed from $3,200 to $2,830. *Amendment was carried.*	
62.	Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	2,000.00
63.	Reserve — From Overlay Surplus	7,000.00

Public Service Enterprises:

64.	Water Maintenance	20,791.00
65.	Water — Equipment	100.00
66.	Water — Replacement and Extension of the Water System	2,000.00
67.	Alewife	100.00

Total Budget Items, Voted		$611,675.32
Less Amounts to be Transferred:		
Item 54. Dog Fund	$813.06	
Item 63. Reserve — Overlay Surplus	7,000.00	
		7,813.06
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxation		$ 603,862.26

Article 6. On the motion of George W. Cushman, Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue for the financial year beginning January 1, 1957, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of $9,000.00 be appropriated to meet the town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Highway Construction, and to meet said appropriation the sum of $9,000.00 be transferred from the proceeds received from the State under the provisions of Chapter 718 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, and that, in addition, the sum of $34,200.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's and County's shares of the rest of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to the excess and deficiency account in the treasury.

The use of available funds under this Article was approved by the Finance Committee.

Article 8. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of $1,000.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance, and that, in addition, the sum of $3,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to the excess and deficiency account in the treasury.

The use of available funds under this Article was approved by the Finance Committee.

Article 9. On the motion of John C. McCann, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of $2,890.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a so-called station-wagon type vehicle to be used as a cruiser-ambulance by the Police Department, and that the Selectmen be authorized to turn in the present 1955 Plymouth Cruiser, now used by the Police Department, and

apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new vehicle.

Joseph E. Duhamel offered an amendment that the word station-wagon be stricken out and sedan type be inserted in its place. *Amendment was defeated.*

Article 10. On the motion of John C. McCann, Voted: That the sum of $590.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase and installation of a two-way radio for the new cruiser-ambulance to be used by the Police Department.

Article 11. On the motion of William A. MacPhail, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of $1,610.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a pick-up truck for the Highway Department, and that the Selectmen be authorized to turn in the present 1952 Chevrolet pick-up truck, now used by the Highway Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new vehicle.

Article 12. On the motion of William A. MacPhail, Voted: That the sum of $590.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase and installation of a two-way radio for the new pick-up truck to be used by the Highway Department.

Article 13. On the motion of Earl S. Sampson, Voted: That the sum of $6,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of replacing the present water main on Maple Street from C. Drew and Company to Landing Road with an eight-inch main for a distance of approximately 1,300 feet, more or less.

Article 14. On the motion of Richard W. Loring, Voted: That the sum of $2,500 be raised and appropriated and added to the present appropriation entitled "Water-Additional Wells."

Article 15. Earl S. Sampson, Moved: That the sum of $2,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a truck for the Water Department and authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to turn in the present 1954 International truck now owned by the Water Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new truck. *Motion was defeated.*

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to rescind its action taken at the annual town election held on March 1, 1941, whereby the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Public Welfare are

elected for a term of three years, and to elect three members of the Board of Selectmen and three members of the Board of Public Welfare, as provided for in Chapter 41, Section 1, of the General Laws, all to serve for one year, after the completion of their present term of office. (By Petition) *No motion was made under this article.*

Article 17. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted: That the town amend Article XVI Section 10, of the town by-laws, so as to read "Limitation of Residence. It shall be unlawful to remain or live in any tourist camp for more than ninety days in any six month period, or in any other tourist camp in the town within the six month period, excepting, of course, bona fide employees."

Mrs. Eleanor Cole offered the following amendment: Add to the original motion: that an extension of residence time may be permitted any trailer that is in a trailer park by reason of construction work in Kingston or the vicinity. *This amendment was defeated.*

John R. Hamilton offered the following amendment: Occupants of tourist camps and park sites shall be allowed to remain or live continuously in said locations in this town during the period May 30 to Labor Day inclusive during each year, excepting the period from Labor Day to May 30th of the succeeding year when it shall be unlawful to remain or live in any tourist camp or park site for more than 30 days, excepting of course bona fide employees. *This amendment was also defeated.*

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to repeal Section 10 of Article XVI of the by-laws of the Town of Kingston which reads: "Limitation of Residence. It shall be unlawful to remain or live in any tourist camp for more than ninety days in any six month period, excepting, of course, bona fide employees." (By Petition) *No motion was made under this article.*

Article 19. On the motion of William A. MacPhail, Voted Unanimously: That the town accept that portion of way known as Arrow Street, beginning at the southerly end of Marsh Road and continuing to Jones River Drive, a distance of approximately 300 feet, more or less, as laid out by the Selectmen, a plan thereof having been filed with the Town Clerk in accordance with the General Laws, and raise and appropriate the sum of $300.00 for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles.

Article 20. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted Unanimously: That the town accept the way known as Brewster Road beginning at a point on the easterly side of Summer Street between the properties of Bruno J. and Irene A. Pellegrini and Richard L. and Thelma M. Schneider, a distance of approximately 912 feet, more or less, to a hydrant in front of the property of Charlotte N. Cutts as laid out by the Selectmen and reported to the town at the annual town meeting in March, 1951 a plan thereof having been filed with the Town Clerk in accordance with the General Laws; and transfer the appropriation made for Brewster Road on said date for the construction of the road, land and property damages and expenses for acquiring titles of the foregoing article.

The use of available funds under this Article was approved by the Finance Committee.

Article 21. John J. Moore, Moved: That the sum of $1,500.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the town's share of the cost for protecting the shorefront along Gray's Beach, in accordance with Chapter 91, General Laws. *Motion was defeated.*

Article 22. To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 516 and 524, Acts of 1950, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidewaters, foreshores and shores along a public beach outside of Boston Harbor, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of idemnity therefor to the Commonwealth. *No motion was made under this article.*

Article 23. John J. Moore, Moved: That the sum of $6,000.00 be appropriated to be used in conjunction with matching funds to be contributed by the County, and/or whatever funds may be contributed by the State, for protecting the shorefront along the east side of Rocky Nook Avenue.

Lawrence B. Westgate offered the following amendment which was *unanimously voted:* That the sum of $15,000.00 be appropriated to be used in conjunction with whatever money may

be contributed by the County and State for protecting the shorefront along the east side of Rocky Nook Avenue in accordance with Chapter 91, General Laws, with the provision that the Rocky Nook Beach Improvement Association, Inc. convey the shorefront in question to the town for the sum of $1.00.

Article 24. On the motion of John C. McCann, Voted: That the town assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 516 and 524, Acts of 1950, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidewaters, foreshores and shores along a public beach outside of Boston Harbor, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth

Article 25. John C. McCann, Moved: That the town amend Regulation 3 of the Regulations on Costal Fisheries so as to read: "There shall be a twenty-five cent fee for each permit; and there shall be a $1.00 fee for all permits issued to non-residents, who are not property owners, and who are temporarily residing in the Town." Lawrence B. Westgate moved an amendment which was Voted: That the town amend Regulation 3 of the Regulations on Costal Fisheries so as to read: "There shall be a $1.00 fee for each permit; and there shall be a $2.00 fee for all permits issued to non-residents, who are not property owners, and who are temporarily residing in the town."

Article 26. On the motion of Frederick E. S. Woodworth, Voted: that the sum of $500.00 be raised and appropriated for the expenses of the industrial commission as provided by Section 4A, Chapter 40, General Laws.

Article 27. On the motion of Irma A. Ruffini, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of $325.51 be raised and appropriated for the payment of certain unpaid bills of prior years for the following departments:

Police — Maintenance	$54.56
Road Machinery	170.46
Playground — Maintenance	100.49

Article 28. On the motion of Irma A. Ruffini, Voted Unanimously: That the following appropriation balances be closed to Surplus Revenue:

Highways — New Dump Truck	$8.40
Street Lights — Additional	1,711.94
Schools — Elementary School Survey	679.25
Playground — Memorial Plaque	43.90

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to institute a program whereby the entire town, or part thereof, be re-assessed and re-evaluated by professional appraisers. (By Petition) *No motion was made under this article.*

Article 30. On the motion of John H. Durgin, Voted: That an Elementary School Building Committee be created consisting of seven persons, three members to be appointed by the Moderator, two members to be appointed by the School Committee, one member to be appointed by the Finance Committee and one member to be appointed by the Selectmen, for the purpose of employing an architect to draw plans and specifications for an addition to the present Elementary School consisting of eight classrooms with necessary sanitary facilities and general purpose area and raise and appropriate $10,000.00 therefor.

Paul H. Armor offered an amendment that the motion be amended by adding and eliminating the words "consisting of eight classrooms" this committee and its architect shall plan the eight or more classroom addition so that the proposed total cost of the entire project shall not exceed $340,000.00. *Amendment was defeated.*

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of extending a water main not less than 6 inches in diameter on Sunset Road, for a distance of approximately 740 feet, more or less. (By Petition) *No motion was made under this article.*

Article 32. Albert M. Andrew, Moved: That the sum of $6,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of installing a water main not less than 6 inches in diameter, for a distance of approximatley 1300 feet, more or less, on Cedar Lane, replacing the present 2-inch summer service main. *Motion was defeated.*

Article 33. Laurence P. Reid, Moved: That the sum of $3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of installing a water main not less than 6 inches in diameter for a distance of approximately 2,700 feet, more or less, on School Street, beginning at a point on the northerly side of Pembroke Street and continuing on Chapel Street for a distance of approximately 50 feet, more or less. *Motion was defeated.*

Mr. Reid's original motion was to be transferred from unappropriated available funds. However, as the Finance Committee did not approve of the transfer, Mr. Reid changed his motion to read to be "raised and appropriated."

Article 34. John C. McCann, Moved: That the sum of $5,300.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of installing a water main not less than 6 inches in diameter for a distance of approximately 1,500 feet, more or less, on Kennedy Road beginning at the westerly boundary line of the property of John C. Santos and continuing to Braunecker Avenue, thence running in a northerly direction and connecting with Smith's Lane. *Motion was defeated.*

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way known as Kennedy Road, beginning at the westerly boundary line of the property of John C. Santos and running in a westerly direction for a distance of approximately 650 feet, more or less, and continuing to Braunecker Avenue, and running in a northerly direction for a distance of approximately 850 feet, more or less, to connect with Smith's Lane as laid out by the Selectmen, a plan thereof having been filed with the Town Clerk in accordance with the General Laws; and raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles. (By Petition.) *No motion was made under this article.*

Article 36. On the motion of James R. Goonan, Voted Unanimously: That the town accept with thanks and appreciation the gift of an inhalator from the Kingston Lions Club to the Kingston Police Department.

Article 37. On the motion of George W. Cushman, Voted Unanimously: That the Town vote to establish an educational fund as provided under Chapter 40, Section 3 of the General Laws

and to receive, hold and manage any devise, bequests, or gifts for the establishment and enlargements of said fund.

Article 38. On the motion of Margaret J. Warnsman, Voted Unanimously: That the Board of Selectmen be authorized to appoint five trustees, one for five years, one for four years; one for three years; one for two years; and one for one year; and that hereafter during the month of March the board of Selectmen shall appoint one person for trustee for a term of five years for the purpose of administering the town's educational fund and to empower the trustees with full authority to make rules and regulations in order to provide eligible students of the town financial assistance in furthering their education.

Article 39. On the motion of Clarence R. Drew, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of $500.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase and installation of an additional fire alarm for the Fire Department and that said appropriation be added to the present "Additional Fire Alarm" account.

Article 40. On the motion of Lawrence B. Westgate, Voted: That the sum of $15,000.00 now available in Free Cash, be appropriated for the use of the Assessors in the reduction of the tax levy.

On the motion of Francis M. Moran, Voted to Adjourn (4:35 p.m.)

Number of voters present 299 (Men — 187; Women — 112)

Vote checkers were Catherine J. Bartlett and William H. Paul.

RECAPITULATION OF THE TOWN MEETING

Budget Items, Voted		$611,675.32
Less Amounts to be Transferred		7,813.06
Total Amount of Budget to be raised by Taxation		$603,862.26
Article		
7. Chapter 90—Construction		
Chapter 718	$9,800.00	
Available funds	34,200.00	
(Reimbursed Chapter 90)		$44,000.00

8. Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance:		
Appropriated	$1,000.00	
Available Funds	2,000.00	
(Reimbursed Chapter 90)		3,000.00
9. Police-Cruiser-Ambulance		2,890.00
10. Police-Radio		590.00
11. Highway-Truck		1,610.00
12. Highway-Radio		590.00
13. Water-Maple Street		6,000.00
14. Water-Additional Wells		2,500.00
19. Highway-Arrow Street		300.00
24. Shorefront-Rocky Nook Ave.		15,000.00
26. Industrial Commission		500.00
27. Unpaid Bills for prior years		325.51
30. Elementary School Building Committee		10,000.00
39. Fire Alarm		500.00
Total Amount for the Warrant Articles, Voted		$87,805.51
Total Budget Items Appropriated		611,675.32
Total Amount of Money Spent		$699,480.83
Less Amounts to be Transferred or Available from Other Sources:		
Dog Fund	$813.06	
Reserve-Overlay Surplus	7,000.00	
Available Funds—Reimbursed Chapter 90	36,200.00	
Chapter 718	9,800.00	
Article 40—Free Cash	15,000.00	
Total Funds Used in Reducing the Tax Rate		$68,813.06
Grand Total to be raised by Taxation for 1957 due to the Annual Town Meeting		$630,667.77

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, Town Clerk.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR THE YEAR 1957

Date	Name	Names of Parents
Jan. 4	Roxann Gates	Richard Eldon Gates and Hazel Mae Newcomb
Jan. 6	William Pierce Cahill, III	William P. Cahill, Jr., and Joyce M. Barlow
Jan. 9	Barry Paul Figlioli	Dante S. Figlioli and Muriel E. Libby
Jan. 14	Joseph Mark McDonald	William H. McDonald and Ann R. DeSimone
Jan. 18	Marie Lynn Fitts	Peter Fitts and Marjorie Short
Jan. 24	Deborah Lee Thissell	Donald Arthur Thissell and Barbara Jean Whiting
Jan. 26	Philip Roy McLean	Roy L. McLean and Jane L. Chandler
Feb. 5	Suzanne Louise Emond	Wilfred C. Emond and Louise E. Perrault
Feb. 6	Debra Mae Cram	Kenneth J. Cram and Constance M. Armstrong
Feb. 8	Stephanie Bluhm	Seymour Bluhm and Freddie Silverman
Feb. 11	Antoinette Marie Chasse	Arthur J. Chasse and Antoinette St. Pierre
Feb. 12	Cindy Ann Pratt	Frederick E. Pratt and Sarah E. Schubert
Feb. 19	Richard Paul Barufaldi	Richard H. Barufaldi and Claire A. Govoni
Feb. 24	Debra Lynn Drie-	Theodore A. Dries and Doris M. Clemonds
Mar. 1	Michael Alan Ruprecht	David E. Ruprecht and Sarah M. Holmes
Mar. 1	Debra Elizabeth Wyner	John David Wyner and Tonia Ann Walsh
Mar. 2	Thomas Steven Cadenhead	Harley S. Cadenhead and Marjorie F. Cannon
Mar. 4	Kenneth George Evans, III	Kenneth G. Evans, Jr., and Annie B. Harlow
Mar. 10	James Howard Drew	William H. Drew and Janice M. Grennell
Mar. 11	Julie Ann Ventura	John Ventura and Ann E. Bloomfield
Mar. 15	Laurel Ann Mansfield	Lawrence J. Mansfield and Edith R. Wall
Mar. 24	Timothy Edward Malone	Edward F. Malone and Rita M. Lussier
April 6	Edward Wilton Doane	Wilton E. Doane and Aurilla M. Caines
April 6	Paul Ronald White	Jack R. White and Joyce A. Landry

April 8	John Arthur Bryant	George C. Bryant and Joan W. Morin
April 8	Catharine Ray Carey	William F. Carey and Anita C. Stegmaier
April 11	Joyce Diane Pooler	Robert L. Pooler and Mary D. White
April 14	Paula DePinho	Manuel R. DePinho and Shirley P. Garnett
April 18	Sharon Ann Gibbs	Warren T. Gibbs and Audrey H. Keenan
April 18	Joseph Francis Lumpkins	George W. Lumpkins and Celeste E. Shearer
April 22	Mary Ann Pina	Domingo Pina and Natalie Silva
April 29	Terry Lynn Taylor	William E. Taylor and Beverly A. Flett
May 7	Doris Louise Nichols	Robert E. Nichols, Jr., and Marie E. Vezina
May 8	Steven Albert Vernazzaro	Bartholomew A. Vernazzaro and Dolores L. Cravalho
May 15	Max Anthony Paronich	John C. Paronich and Katherine F. Poch
May 18	Brian Burke Finnegan, Jr.	Brian Burke Finnegan and Joanne Thorup
May 19	Philip Anderson Holmes	Walter Holmes and Jean A. St. Amant
May 23	Susan Marie Chaves	Raymond Richard Chaves and Helen Ann Daniels
May 25	Lynne Anne Chandler	Robert V. Chandler and Patricia A. Gadaleni
May 29	Michael Paul Burnett	William D. Burnett and Irene J. Cordello
June 11	Sarah Paty Scheid	Francis James Scheid and Barbara Paty
June 21	Carol Joyce Matinzi	Alton J. Matinzi and Bertha M. Hanett
July 2	Kathleen Ann Cazale	Antone J. Cazale and Belinda Jesse
July 3	Cynthia Lee Sherman	Clifford D. Sherman and Barbara A. Howe
July 5	Kenneth Bruce Forcier	Ernest G. Forcier and Dorothy M. Walsh
July 12	Lauren Ann Kuzbarski	Stanley John Kuzbarski and Barbara Louise Richardson
July 15	Viki Elaine Ferreira	Gerald Gilmore Ferreira and Patricia Madeline Becks
July 15	James Matthew Post	James R. Post and Mary A. Janetto
July 16	Steven Leo Vantangoli	Leo Vantangoli and Phyllis C. Black
July 17	Thomas Martin Doyon	Wilfred Anne Doyon, Jr., and Marie Therese Martin
Aug. 1	Richard Ricardo	Joseph John Ricardo and Elizabeth M. Seiver

Date	Name	Names of Parents
Aug. 7	Patricia Marie Tura	John F. Tura and Mary D. Corsini
Aug. 10	William Holmes Stevens	Robert Lincoln Stevens and Ruby Odendhal
Aug. 22	Steven Scott Monteiro	Nicholas Monteiro, Jr., and Eunice M. Tryggestad
Aug. 26	James Myron Wheble	John Ewell Wheble and Gloria Wotton
Aug. 28	Mary Gertrude LaCroix	Emile G. LaCroix and Mary M. O'Riley
Aug. 31	Douglas Cushman Holmes	Wendell Holmes and Thelma Cushman
Sept. 2	Robert Tom Heath	Albert S. Heath and Carole A. Petocchi
Sept. 5	Albert Rudolph Caron, Jr.	Albert R. Caron and Janice M. Borghesani
Sept. 7	Michael Jeffrey Callahan	Richard William Callahan and Barbara Bence Harper
Sept. 29	Elizabeth Ann Chandler	Frank E. Chandler and Diamantina M. Rego
Oct. 2	Leslie Allen Dearth	Robert Hall Dearth and Edith Edna Pelletier
Oct. 8	Michele Estes	Alan S. Estes and Marjorie P. Smallwood
Oct. 17	Richard Alan Hill	Wilfred E. Hill, Jr., and Dorothy C. Smith
Oct. 23	David Vernon Mitchell	Warren Herbert Mitchell, Jr., and Anne Miller
Oct. 25	Ralph Louis Goduti	John J. Goduti and Jean A. Torrance
Nov. 1	Philip Trifletti	Frank Trifletti and Barbara E. Ruiz
Nov. 2	Cynthia Louise Hobbs	Forest L. Hobbs and Eleanor A. Mackie
Nov. 12	Andrea Mary Pires	Manuel Pires, Jr., and Diane P. Brenner
Nov. 15	Scott David Jacobs	Donald T. Jacobs and Gladys I. Merada
Nov. 16	Joanne Elizabeth Reynolds	James J. Reynolds and Barbara A. Pepper
Nov. 22	Patricia Lynn Butterfield	Wayne M. Butterfield and Cecelia M. Bouchard
Nov. 22	Michael Alan Carvalho	Abel L. Carvalho and Mary D. Bouchard
Nov. 22	Cheryl Ann Gallerani	Francis L. Gallerani and Claudette C. DiStaula
Nov. 22	Sharon Marie Gallerani	Francis L. Gallerani and Claudette C. DiStaula
Nov. 24	Sharon Ann Anctil	Ronald J. Anctil and Sally M. Laurent

Dec. 1	Judith Ann Sevin	Henry Saxton Sevin and Nancy Sybil Williams
Dec. 2	Mary Ann Harmon	Robert Leo Harmon and Leona Elaine Martin
Dec. 4	Donna Marie Harvey	Kenneth Dean Harvey and Helen Marie Cabral
Dec. 7	Paul Christopher Sampson	Earl S. Sampson and Anne T. Healy
Dec. 9	Holly Jane Bevis	Alfred J. Bevis and Stacia A. Dubrowski
Dec. 10	Peter John Souza	Manuel P. Souza and Madeline M. Munch
Dec. 12	Jean Catherine Searle	William L. Searle and Sarah M. Easley
Dec. 20	Linda Agnes Borgatti	Leonard H. Borgatti and Jean L. Chandler
Dec. 22	Joyce Ann Sprague	Lewis A. Sprague and Lillian F. Randall
Dec. 24	Mary Ann Sibilia	Philip B. Sibilia and Pauline M. Krawczun

OMMISSIONS AND CORRECTIONS OF BIRTHS FOR OTHER YEARS

Date	Name	Names of Parents
Sept. 2, 1911	John Manfredi	Micheal Manfredi and Ida Pruni
Nov. 5, 1948	Kathleen Loretta Gilli	Elio Ernest Gilli and Mary Foley
Oct. 23, 1956	Stephen Petrycki	Edward T. Petrycki and Helen L. Shea

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,

Town Clerk

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN KINGSTON
FOR THE YEAR 1957

Date	Name	Residence	Married At
Jan. 13	Morton Francis Sherman Virginia Arthur Bradlee	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
Jan. 18	James Arthur Quinn Eleanor Howe (Lang)	Kingston Kingston	Whitman
Jan. 25	William Chapman Ferguson Carol Ann LaCroix	North Pembroke Quincy	Kingston
Jan. 26	Richard Ronald Ragazzini Janice Ann Nava	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Feb. 8	David E. Setterlund Rose (Tassinari) Qualls	East Bridgewater Plymouth	Kingston
Feb. 16	Manuel Pires, Jr. Dianne Patrice Brenner	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Feb. 23	Cornelius Joseph Donovan, Jr. Florence Theresa Giabbai	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Mar. 2	Howard Keith Peavey Mary Mesegines	Kingston Brooklyn, New York	Kingston
Mar. 4	Earl Seavey Sampson Anne Therese Healey	Kingston Manomet	Manomet
Mar. 23	Louis Joseph Izzo, Jr. Marjorie Ann Miller	Plymouth Kingston	Kingston
Mar. 24	Lloyd Bernard Hayden, Jr. Barbara Louise Van	Fredericksburg, Va. Kingston	Kingston
Apr. 17	Arthur Parker Teulon Esther Forbes-Leith	Duxbury Orange, N. J.	Kingston
Apr. 26	Francis Joseph Murray, Jr. T. Jean Sargent	Middleboro Kingston	Kingston
Apr. 28	Albert Francis Moore, Jr. Alice Almeida	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Apr. 30	George William Stockman Dorothy Ann Malone	Plympton Pensacola, Fla.	Kingston
May 1	Warrick W. Brown Jacqueline L. Taylor	Plainfield, N. J. Plymouth, Mass.	Kingston
May 4	Roy Lee Vaughn Sally Ann Figlioli	Decatur, Tenn. Kingston	Kingston
May 11	Albert James Pulsifer Silvia Ann Holbrook	Kingston Rockland	Rockland
May 12	Bernard Gilman Carr Virginia Ann Lovejoy	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
May 17	Onifrio DiSalvatore Leonie Diodato (St. Lawrence)	Plymouth Plymouth	Kingston

Date	Name	Residence	Married at
June 11	Marshall E. Grant Jeannette R. Garnett	Las Vegas, Nevada Plymouth	Kingston
June 15	Edward Albert Stanghellini Winifred Ann Paul	Kingston Kingston	Plymouth
June 16	Manuel J. Grace Bernice L. Richards	Duxbury Duxbury	Kingston
June 16	Alan Saftel Jean Wishnefsky	New Bedford New Bedford	Kingston
June 16	Lewis Allan Sprague Lillian Frances Randall	West Hanover Kingston	Kingston
June 18	Daniel William Gurnett Corshia Shirley Rose Hutchinson	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
June 29	John R. Perry Mabel Gottlich (Diaz)	Plymouth Plymouth	Kingston
June 30	Donald Allen Brown Barbara Ann Furtado	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
July 7	David Harry Elwell Gloria Ann Santos	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
July 25	Rodney Clifford Nelson Carol Ann Paulding	Marshfield Kingston	Kingston
Aug. 4	George Francis Joseph McCaffrey, Jr. Rita Frances England	Kingston Foxboro	Foxborough
Aug. 8	Stanley Richard Everson Barbara Eleanor Young	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
Aug. 16	Francis Stephen Mahoney Geraldine (Allen) Hanley	Newton Quincy	Kingston
Aug. 25	Stephen Wiggins Bennett, Jr. Arline Marie Silva	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Sept. 1	Warren Percy Bailey Marjorie May Stevens	Kingston Plympton	Boston
Sept. 7	Philip Roberts Pasteris Joann Overton	Plymouth Kingston	Kingston
Sept. 7	Manuel J. Britto, Jr. Dominga Andrews	Plymouth Plymouth	Kingston
Sept. 7	Melvin Allen Sampson Elaine Louise Cox	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Sept. 15	Ronald John Kaiser Janice Ann Pavesi	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Sept. 20	John Francis Cushman Althea Carolyn Shay (Hinchey)	Kingston Halifax	Nashua, N. H.
Sept. 22	Howard Francis Benassi Virginia MacKenzie	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth

Date	Name	Residence	Married at
Sept. 26	Charles Frederick Nord Sallie Victoria O'Brien (Hagstrom)	Weymouth Weymouth	Kingston
Sept. 28	Donald Monroe Murphy Jeceille Stevens Ayer	Haverhill Kingston	Kingston
Oct. 5	Robert Allen Beregal Patricia Chapman Hunt	Kingston Marshfield Hills	Marshfield
Oct. 29	Archie Myron Hathaway Fannie Emerline Holman	Plymouth Kingston	Groton
Nov. 16	Raymond Joseph Brock, Jr. Lorence Ann Perry	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
Nov. 17	James Roland Burford Mary Viola Harmon (Martin)	Kingston Duxbury	Kingston
Nov. 23	Richard F. Rock Bessie M. Maciliano	Kingston Pembroke	Hampton, N. H.
Nov. 26	Charles Melvin Smith Eleanor Louise Andre (Glass)	So. Braintree Kingston	Rockland
Nov. 29	Richard James Duffy Nancy Ann Ward	Lakeville, Conn. Kingston	Kingston

OMMISSIONS AND CORRECTIONS OF MARRIAGES FOR OTHER YEARS

Date	Name	Residence	Married At
Dec. 12, 1912	James Earl Ballinger June Agnes Cram	Morristown, Tenn. Kingston	Kingston

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
Town Clerk.

DEATHS RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR THE YEAR 1957

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Parents' Names
Jan. 1	Kim Kathleen Maravek		3	29	Michael Maravek and Florence Hutchinson
Jan. 11	Charles A. Forrest	69	5	1	Arthur Forrest and Harriet Picard
Jan. 24	Charles F. Howe	74	1	12	Lewis B. Howe and Mary S. Perry
Jan. 26	Olieve Dean Williams (Dennis)	57	11	1	Claude Duval Dennis and Daisy Allen
Jan. 28	Sarah A. Chandler (Ford)	90	7	4	Kenelm Ford and Mary A. Sampson
Jan. 30	Lulu Heinonen (Anderson)	41	5	3	Mike Anderson and Amelia Hautala
Jan. 31	John Frederick Price	77	2	11	William P. Price and Margaret Cuddy
Feb. 2	Helen T. Woods (Tyson)	80	7	19	Samuel Tyson and Jane Janney
Feb. 10	Oscar H. Lapham	87	6	4	Charles Lapham and Hannah Witherell
Feb. 17	Anna E. Sherwood (Tabor)	84	11	1	James E. Tabor and Hulda D. DeBow
Mar. 6	Leona P. McLauthlen (Shaw)	85	7	18	Arthur P. Shaw and Helen L. Blanchard
Mar. 7	Carl Russell Beytes	65	4	6	Henry J. Beytes and Ida C. Lent
Mar. 7	Jesse M. Gathany	78	6	5	John Gathany and Fannie Ostenhaut
Mar. 28	Frank Elmer Phillips	55	8	11	Frank E. Phillips and Elizabeth Nelson
Mar. 31	John H. Geilfuss	66	11	29	Can not be learned
April 6	Ernest P. Valcourt	64	5	9	Etienne Valcourt and Frances Belanger
April 23	Paul W. Steindler	67	1	19	Julius Steindler and Rosa ------
May 7	Minna Trabandt	88	3	6	Frederick Trabandt and Mary Ahearn
May 10	Ralph I. Randall	64	5	27	Robert Franklin Randall and Caroline F. Grover
May 20	Edward Diaz	59	9	8	Andrew Diaz and Emma Silva
May 22	Alfred J. Gilli	49	9	11	Vincent Gili and Laura Scatti

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Parents' Names
May 23	Russell Hallett	82	—	—	Can not be learned
May 31	Elio R. Taddia	70	1	3	Algelo Taddia and Elizabeth Lamborghini
June 2	John J. Metz	46	7	2	John Metz and Ellen Wilson
June 4	Rose P. Muzzioli	50	7	22	Joseph Muzzioli and Josephine Tangerini
June 23	Christine Francis Thrasher	11	2	26	Leslie A. Thrasher and Margaret E. Shultz
June 26	Thomas G. Breen, Jr.	55	2	3	Thomas G. Breen and Can not be obtained
July 24	Gertrude Austin (Horning)	74	4	23	Washburn L. Horning and Eliza J. Stevens
Aug. 24	Carl Reidenbach	88	1	5	Carl Reidenbach and Katherine Geres
Aug. 30	John P. Hasson	79	9	29	Michael Hasson and Harriet M. Bryanton
Oct. 26	Frances H. Pinney (Hale)	85	11	23	Wellington Hale and Georgianna Marshall
Oct. 28	John D. Massani	71	9	3	——— Massani and can not be learned
Nov. 20	Hattie T. Foster (Cook)	89	—	28	Henry T. Cook and Harriet Clark
Dec. 1	Simonetta Williams (Allen)	57	1	2	George B. Allen and Jennie Damon
Dec. 18	Henry N. Hill	82	4	29	Joseph Hill and Sarah J. Coverly
Dec. 21	Mary Jane Scanlon (Connolly)	80	—	26	Edward Connolly and Alice Fahy
Dec. 22	Rebecca C. Holmes	95	2	6	Joseph Holmes and Rebekah D. Chandler
Dec. 29	Nellie F. Howe (Carver)	85	10	21	Could not be obtained

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,

Town Clerk.

1957 JURY LIST — TOWN OF KINGSTON

Name	Age	Residence	Business or Occupation or Previous Employer or Employers
Aldrovandi, Mando J.	47	212 Main Street	Self employed, Furniture business
Bailey, Percy W.	56	101 Summer Street	Painter, Sidney R. Ferrell, 13 Evergreen St., Kingston
Bennett, Elizabeth M.	41	Paradise Lane	Mender or Warp Winder, Rockland Webbing Co., Rockland
Beyles, Marion W.	65	3 Wadsworth Place	Housekeeper
Brown, William H.	63	89 Summer Street	Retired, Chief of Police, Kingston
Cabalanc, Francis N.	67	Brook Street	Retired, Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth
Campana, Lucide	46	159 Main Street	Winder, Mayflower Worsted Co., Kingston
Carey, William F.	39	86 Summer Street	Truck Driver, E. J. Scannell, Somerville
Cobb, George E.	40	265 Main Street	Millworker, Geo. E. Mabbett & Sons, Plymouth
Cramer, Edward T.	51	25 Jones River Drive	Bank Clerk, Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank
Daly, Thomas E.	57	Shore Drive	Tel. Sales Manager, S. S. Pierce Co., Boston
Eldridge, Alonzo C.	66	161 Summer Street	Watchmaker, Lerings Jewelry Co., Plymouth
Elwell, Roland D.	57	101 Main Street	Gen. Contractor, Wm. McNeil, Duxbury
Everett, James O.	55	83 Main Street	Salesman, Arabian Coffee Co., Inc., Boston
Farrington, Ruth E.	60	21 Pembroke Street	At Home. Husband, self-employed, Steele & Farrington, Kingston
Gilman, William A.	61	9 Bay Path Road	Foreman, Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth
Glass, Joseph F.	40	R-35 Summer Street	Cook, Winslow House, Duxbury
Glass, Margaret D.	46	11 Maple Street	Sales Clerk, Kingston News Store, Kingston
Griffith, Charles Elmer	47	Pembroke Street	Shoeworker, Commonwealth Shoe, Whitman
Hathaway, Isaac	65	210 Main Street	Unemployed, Willis House, Kingston
Henry, Charles A.	57	4 Bay Path	Welder, Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth
Howe, Winston A.	48	Lantern Lane	Clerk, Bethlehem Steel Co., Quincy
Kennefick, Francis G.	39	91 Summer Street	Self-employed, Auto Parts and Repairs

Name	Age	Residence	Business or Occupation or Previous Employer or Business
Lawrance, Charles W.	61	91 Summer Street	Retired, Superintendent of Schools, Mass. School Union #42, Kingston and Pembroke
Lee, George H.	66	2A Riverside Drive	Accountant, Nook Farm Corp.
Loring, Richard W.	45	51 Evergreen Street	Corporation Executive, Edgar W. Loring, Inc.
Mellor, Marion M.	69	42 Tremont Street	At Home. Husband deceased.
Minelli, John L.	27	R-105 Main Street	Bookkeeper, Cahill Motor Co., Brockton
Mitchell, Theodore J.	42	Indian Pond Road	Ass't Div. Mgr., John Hancock Mutual Life Ins. Co.
Morton, Lawrence S.	47	9 Prospect Court	Machinist, Cobb & Drew, Inc., Kingston
McDermott, Joseph E.	68	Wapping Road	Retired, Fireman, Boston Fire Dept., Boston
Peck, LeRoy G.	56	Reed Street	Car man, New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railroad Co., Readville
Powell, William	41	135 Summer Street	Supervisor, R. H. Whites, Boston
Pratt, George T., Sr.	67	102 Summer Street	Carpenter, Denman G. Baker
Rossi, Santa G.	48	101 Summer Street	Jr. Custodian, Silver Lake Regional School, Kingston
Ruffini, Abraham A.	45	16 Foster Lane	Highway Foreman, Town of Kingston
Sampson, Wilhelmina M.	61	Elm Street	At Home. Husband, Weaver, Mayflower Worsted Co., Kingston
Schilling, Edward S.	47	65 Pembroke Street	Traffic Manager, National Cranberry Asso., Hanson
Sgarzi, Enzo V.	46	7 Mayflower Street	Garage Proprietor, Puritan Garage
Smith, Bertram F.	48	2 Evergreen Street	Supt. Branch Post Office, Kingston
Souza, Joseph A.	40	1 Peck Street	Carpenter, Shipyard, Bethlehem Steel Co., Quincy
Sweeney, Roger A.	60	77 Main Street	Weaver, Mayflower Worsted Co.
Tache, Oscar J.	47	Grove Street	Mason & Plasterer, Adrian G. Roy, Plymouth
Tangley, Roland E.	38	204 Pembroke Street	Mill worker, Mayflower Worsted Co., Kingston
VanAmburgh, Charles P.	50	20 Summer Street	Retired, Comm. of Mass. Dept. of Public Safety
Ward, Ruth F.	48	Center Hill Road	Clerk-typist, Price & Daniels, Jamaica Plain
Young, Herman L.	49	43 Summer Street	Forest Fire Patrolman, Commonwealth of Mass.

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REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

Due to the good management and co-operation of the various departments it was not necessary to call a special town meeting during the year. All departments and committees are to be commended for making this possible.

The completion of our Chapter 90 construction on Wapping Road was accomplished, and we were also able to re-build, under this same program, a portion of Lake Street near the Silver Lake Regional School.

Under our co-operative sidewalk project with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works a bituminous surface was installed on the westerly side of Main Street from Prospect Street to a point near the residence of Nemis Benea, a distance of approximately 2,600 feet.

Preliminary plans which have been submitted to us, by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, provide for an entirely new bridge to replace the present railroad overpass bridge on Pembroke Street.

A new layout of Grove Street, made by the County Commissioners, was completed and accepted. We have now requested that the Commissioners make a new layout of South Street.

Upon the motion of the Finance Committee at the annual town meeting $15,000.00 was voted for protecting the shore front on the east side of Rocky Nook Avenue. We were not able to proceed with this vital project due to a provision in said motion that the land in question be conveyed to the town for one dollar. The owners of the land were unwilling to make such conveyance, but are perfectly agreeable to grant the town the right to build and maintain shore protecting facilities on their property.

Building permits, for new construction, in the stated amount of $215,033.00 were issued by this department during the year.

Our sincere thanks to all Town Officers, Committees and Employees for their co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MOORE, *Chairman,*
JOHN C. McCANN,
WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL,
Board of Selectmen.

REPORT OF THE TOWN COLLECTOR

	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1957	Committed	Refunds	Payments to Treasurer	Abatements	Transfers to Tax Title	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1957
Taxes of 1956 —							
Personal	$1,468.33			$1,412.68	$55.65		none
Real Estate	27,882.89		$355.10	27,775.30	355.10	$107.59	none
Excise	5,324.34	$5,421.56	249.25	9,923.07	1,072.08		none
Taxes of 1957 —							
Poll		2,656.00	4.00	2,152.00	508.00		none
Personal		54,319.70	71.55	51,989.65	210.41		2,191.19
Real Estate		453,502.45	911.60	418,022.97	8,954.35	155.29	27,281.44
Excise		45,602.12	1,139.45	36,968.58	3,496.01		6,276.98
Water		30,953.78	2.00	30,944.78	11.00		none
Departmental Accounts	5,131.23	61,395.17		60,008.25	754.25		5,763.90
	$39,806.79	$653,850.78	$2,732.95	$639,197.28	$15,416.85	$262.88	$41,513.51

$113.25 refund due on the 1956 Collector's Bond (Efficient Collections)

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
Town Collector.

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

Balance, January 1, 1957	$237,415.47
Receipts	903,661.24
Total	$1,141,076.71

PAYMENTS

Payments	$876,537.04
Balance, December 31, 1957	264,539.67
Total	$1,141,076.71

TAX TITLES

Balance, January 1, 1957		$134.07	
Transfer to Tax Titles:			
Taxes 1956	$107.59		
Taxes 1957	155.29		
Costs and Interest	45.33		
		308.21	
			$442.28
Payments to Treasurer			149.27
Balance, December 31, 1957 (Five Tax Titles)			$293.01

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, *Town Treasurer.*

TRUST FUNDS

In Custody of Town Treasurer

Name of Fund	On Hand Jan. 1, 1957	Income	Transferred To Town	On Hand Dec. 31, 1957
Thomas Prince Benevolent	$34,512.47	$1,118.77	$400.00	$35,231.24
Arthur F. Wadsworth	3,727.93	112.66	...	3,840.59
Frederic C. Adams School	5,000.03	158.74	158.77	5,000.00
Rosa A. Cole	1,000.00	30.23	30.23	1,000.00
Annie C. Thomas	5,000.00	156.20	156.20	5,000.00
Elizabeth F. Glover Drinking Fountain	662.90	20.01		682.91
Flag Fund	94.07	2.84		96.91
Lucy P. Ames Fund	20,000.00	634.97	634.97	20,000.00
St. Joseph Cemetery Perpetual Fund	73.78	2.21		75.99
Evergreen Cemetery Perpetual Fund	111.73	3.37		115.10
Municipal Building Insurance	4,227.21	127.76		4,354.97
Workmen's Compensation	795.10	24.04		819.14
Post War Rehabilitation	443.52	13.40		456.92
William H. Willis Charity Fund	13,326.41	561.86	150.75	13,737.52
Town of Kingston Educational Fund	none	1,325.55		1,325.55
TOTALS	$88,975.15	$4,292.61	$1,530.92	$91,736.84

January 7, 1958

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
Treasurer.

SOME FACTS AND FIGURES FROM THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR

	1947	1952	1956	1957
1. TOWN CLERK				
Births	74	84	74	86
Marriages	58	45	71	50
Deaths	46	40	30	39
Registered Voters	1,523	1,966	2,253	2,160
Sporting Licenses Issued	$616.00	$1,144.25	$1,219.00	$1,223.75
Dog Licenses Issued	$764.00	$991.00	$1,148.00	$1,277.00
Appropriations:				
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING	$236,992.85	$375,439.10	$619,823.72	$699,489.83
2. TREASURER				
Receipts	$325,119.77	$560,344.68	$889,975.10	$903,661.24
Disbursements	318,997.53	539,352.78	851,548.98	876,537.04
Salaries and Wages Paid	106,408.16	164,278.95	183,866.16	214,586.45
Federal Taxes Withheld	9,946.16	19,187.06	21,530.35	26,276.75
County Retirement Withheld	1,661.46	3,621.03	4,715.11	5,611.20
Tax Titles	976.70	194.85	134.97	793.01
Free Cash, December 31st	15,896.73	111,850.17	107,936.97	134,663.02

3. TAX COLLECTOR	1947	1952	1956	1957
Personal Taxes (Committed)	$10,606.40	$24,204.25	$35,615.90	$51,319.70
Real Estate Taxes (Committed)	151,118.40	214,027.00	439,473.35	453,502.45
Excise Taxes (Committed)	6,952.90	22,018.22	39,650.29	51,023.63
Water (Collections)	19,074.18	23,174.84	28,193.77	30,944.78
Outstanding Accounts at the End of the Year (Current Year only)	11,121.23	18,832.17	34,675.56	35,749.61
Accounts Outstanding in Percentage	6.1%	6.5%	6.5%	6.4%
4. OTHER INTERESTING FACTS				
Valuation	$5,053,900.00	$7,663,750.00	$9,202,250.00	$9,581,550.00
Population	2,922	3,461	4,089	4,089
Water Takers	1,173	1,420	1,638	1,662
School Enrollment Oct. 1st				
Elementary and High School	504	639	446	467
Silver Lake Regional			346	343
			792	810

The office of the Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector is open daily, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, and Tuesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector.

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ASSESSORS' REPORT — 1957

1957 Tax Rate	$53.00 per thousand	
Valuation of Real Estate as of January 1, 1957		$8,556,650.00
Valuation of Personal Property as of January 1, 1957		1,024,900.00
Total valuation as of January 1, 1957		9,581,550.00
Increase in valuation over January 1, 1956		289,300.00

APPROPRIATIONS AND ASSESSMENTS

Town Appropriations:		
March 16, 1957	$699,480.83	
October 15, 1956	22,465.00	
Debt and Interest	54,051.00	
Overlay 1957	15,079.35	
		$791,076.18
State Assessments:		
State Parks and Reservations	$1,774.12	
State Audit	1,090.76	
		2,864.88
County Assessments:		
County Tax 1957	$21,485.05	
County Tax Balance 1956	164.54	
County Hospital 1957	6,760.10	
		28,409.69
Total of all appropriations and assessments		$822,350.75
Total deductions (estimated receipts and transfers)		311,872.60
Total amount to be raised by Local Taxation		$510,478.15
Raised as follows:		
Real Estate ($8,556,650.00 at $53.00 per thousand)		$453,502.45
Personal Property ($1,024,900.00 at $53.00 per thousand)		54,319.70
Polls (1,328 at $2.00 each)		2,656.00
TOTAL RAISED BY LOCAL TAXATION		$510,478.15

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS P. McMANUS, *Chairman.*
RALPH F. SANTORO,
JOHN T. RANDALL,

Assessors.

REPORT OF ZONING APPEAL BOARD

To the Citizens of Kingston:

The following changes in the membership of the Zoning Appeal Board occurred during the year:

William C. Budlong, who served as Chairman, resigned.

Frank A. Randall was elected Chairman.

George A. Walsh was appointed to the Board and also elected Clerk.

Frank E. Felt was appointed an Alternate Member, replacing Mr. Walsh.

There were fourteen petitions received by the Board and disposed of as follows:

11 Petitions Granted
1 Petition Denied
2 Petitions Withdrawn

The Board of Appeals believe it is essential for the proper administration of the Zoning By-Law that the Planning Board, or some other committee, be authorized to study the present method of enforcement, and make recommendations for such other changes in the By-Law as they may find desirable.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK A. RANDALL, *Chairman,*
GEORGE A. WALSH,
THOMAS E. DALY,
Zoning Board of Appeals.

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The creation of a Planning Board and the consequent control of the subdivision of land within the town necessarily imposes some inconvenience on those who buy, sell or develop real estate. While maintaining reasonable standards through regulation we are constantly trying to hold this inconvenience to a minimum. Formerly, any exchange of property, even though it required only routine endorsement, was forced to await the regular monthly meeting of the Board. The procedure has now been simplified for many transfers of property located on established ways so that these may now be approved by the clerk whenever submitted. For those transactions requiring more formal action we have, by welcoming preliminary consultation, reduced the difficulties involved in obtaining final approval. During the year one subdivision in Rocky Nook received complete release from restrictions for building and several development plans are presently under consideration by the Board.

Before our last annual report a tentative plan had been developed for the improvement of parking facilities in the center of the town. This plan, which would involve the use of land already town-owned, the acquiring of some additional property and finally an exchange of some of the public parking area thus created for some that is now privately owned, has unfortunately been halted. The stumbling block now lies in our inability to obtain a sales agreement for the land in question at a figure we can conscientiously recommend to the town. Until a satisfactory price can be negotiated we cannot test the feasability of the remaining steps essential to the submission of a completed parking improvement plan on which the town could take action.

Like other growing communities Kingston is faced with the constantly increasing complexity of municipal government. Aware of this condition the Planning Board, at the suggestion of the Selectmen, have commenced a study of the organization of our town government with a view toward making such revisions as might serve to better meet this problem. It is our position that any such proposals should come, not from this Board alone, but from all the active officials of the town and we have accordingly consulted with many of them on this matter

during the past year. It is our intention, working closely with the Selectmen, to ready some constructive plan for submission to the annual Town meeting in 1959 but only if and when it has received the general endorsement of those currently active in the town's affairs.

It is customary at the conclusion of annual reports to mention the cooperation received from other departments. This year ours must be more than the customary gesture for we have enjoyed unusually pleasant relations with all of the town's officials, many of whom must of necessity face added duties as a result of our work. It is pleasant, too, to record the attitude of such bodies as the Selectmen and the Industrial Commission who have consulted with us on problems of common concern. It is our hope that we may continue to conduct our office in a manner that will merit this confidence and the continuation of a practice that must prove beneficial to the town.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKER A. GLASS, *Chairman*,
HORACE C. WESTON, *Clerk*,
ARTHUR E. BEANE,
CLINTON T. KEITH,
MITCHELL TOABE,
Kingston Planning Board.

REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

To the Citizens of Kingston:

Your commission met at least once a month during the last year for regular business and also met with the Selectmen, Planning Board, Water Department, Highway Department and Fire Engineers. Meetings are still to be held with the Assessors, Finance Committee, School Department and Police Department. The purpose of these meetings with the various officials and departments of the town is first, to advise everyone of our general goal and secondly to seek their aid in the preparation of what will finally be a printed brochure outlining Kingston, its history, its services of all kinds, its labor pool, its buying power as a market and the availability of industrial sites, on both buildings and land. This is a big task but should be well worthwhile as the first thing each individual or concern asks for is a copy of your brochure. It is just about impossible to operate without one. When completed we shall be pleased to furnish each household in the town with a copy.

We find that one of our major problems is the lack of available factory space; because of this we are primarily concerned with the prospect of attracting light industry, such as electronics, where there is generally a willingness and desire to build new plants. We have investigated several leads, two of which are still future prospects and have to advise, of course, that all leads and inquiries are confidential. We have advertised in one of the country's largest magazines devoted to industrial sites, which reaches some 10,000 of the nation's industrialists. We are awaiting eagerly the possible results of this effort.

A year ago we joined as an active working member the Southeastern Massachusetts Economic Council known as "Semeco" comprising some 57 cities and towns in the counties of Plymouth, Barnstable, Dukes, Nantucket, Bristol and Martha's Vineyard. We are banded together in a common cause.—the improving in every way of the entire areas economic welfare. The steering committee of the Council, of which your chairman is a member, met once a month and also held four general conferences during the year at Taunton, Bourne, Bridgewater and Kingston. At the last conference held in November at our own

Reed Community Building Norman E. Thomas was elected chairman of "Semeco" for 1958 and accepted this honor in behalf of our commission and the town.

One of "Semecos" major projects for next year is to occupy an entire building at the 1958 Brockton Fair for the purpose of exhibiting the products of their town or city; and to show everyone what our area has to offer for living, working and playing. Kingston will be represented and it is our hope that our manufacturers will be represented either individually or as a group as well as any other group in the town that would like to show. We are asking the aid of individuals, clubs, fraternal organizations, societies, etc., and will appreciate anyone interested contacting any member of this commission for further details.

On the whole we feel that we are off to a good start, however, attracting industry is a difficult job and many things need to be done before we can really tell and sell the Kingston story. We shall be pleased to hear from any of you either as individuals or organizations as there are many ways in which you can help us to help Kingston.

In conclusion we wish to offer all departments and individuals our sincerest thanks for their excellent cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN E. THOMAS, *Chairman.*
JACKSON J. GOLDEN,
ROBERT A. JONES,
FREDERICK E. S. WOODWORTH.
MANDO J. ALDROVANDI,
Industrial Development Commission.

REPORT OF THE TOWN HOUSE SURVEY COMMITTEE

We wish to report that this committee, which was appointed by vote of the town at the annual town meeting March 13, 1954, has devoted considerable time and study to this vital matter. The services of Architect Walter N. Gaffney were obtained and several preliminary plans were drawn up and submitted to us. However, this committee has not been able to agree on any proposed plan which we are willing to submit to the voters.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL C. BONNEY,
ALBION C. DAVIS,
HERBERT L. BECKWITH,
Town House Survey Committee.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee hereby submits its report of all activities for the year 1957.

Regular meetings were held on the first Tuesday of each month, with the exception of July and August. In addition, special meetings were held when deemed necessary.

The following transfers were approved from the Reserve Fund to the respective accounts:

Police — Maintenance	$266.51
Forest Fires — Prevention and Extinguishment	650.79
Civil Defense	2,073.40
Health — Maintenance	650.00
Veterans' Benefits	1,800.00
Parks	20.24
Playground — Recreational Equipment and Repairs	49.07
Water — Maintenance	606.00
Water — Extension and Replacement of Mains	500.00
TOTAL TRANSFERS	$6,625.01

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE B. WESTGATE, *Chairman*,
JOHN R. HAMILTON, *Vice Chairman*,
MATTHEW C. WALSH, JR., *Secretary*,
ALF C. LOOTZ,
MARSHALL W. JOYCE,
HAROLD S. NATHANSON,
HENRY LEMIEUX
NICHOLAS E. ZINSIUS,
MANDO J. ALDROVANDI,
Finance Committee.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Kingston, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The report of the Police Department is herewith respectfully submitted for the year ended December 31, 1957.

Arrests

Resident Males	31	Non-Resident Males	69
Resident Females	3	Non-Resident Females	5
TOTAL	34	TOTAL	74

Grand Total — 108

List of Offenses

Arrested for Outside Police Departments	2
Assault and Battery	7
Attaching Number Plates	1
Breaking and Entering and Larceny in Night-time	4
Carrying Concealed Weapon without Permit	1
Delinquency	9
Deserters of Armed Services	1
Desertion of Minor Children	1
Disturbing the Peace	2
Driving M. V. under Influence of Liquor	11
Driving M. V. so as Might Endanger	15
Driving Un-Registered Motor Vehicle	1
Drunkenness	27
Escapee from Penal Institution	1
Fraudulent Checks	1
Failure to Slow for Railroad Crossing	1
Habitual School Offender	1
Illegitimacy	1
Larceny (Less than $100.00)	7
Larceny in a building	1
Larceny (by Means of False Pretenses)	1
Leaving Scene of Accident	4
Making False Statement to Procure Liquor	1
Malicious Injury to Property	1
Non-Payment of Wages	1
Non-Support	5

Operating Motor Vehicle without License	2
Operating M. V. After Right to Operate Had Been Suspended	2
Operating M. V. After License Had Been Suspended or Revoked	2
Profane Language	2
Runaways	1
Speeding	23
Stubborn Child	3
Unnatural Acts	3
Using Motor Vehicle without Authority	1
Violation of Probation	3
TOTAL	150

Miscellaneous

Ambulance Trips	113
Automobiles Tagged for Vio. of Town Traffic Laws	12
Complaints Received	1,076
Drivers License Suspended or Revoked	32
Drivers Licenses Suspended or Revoked on Complaint of Police	13
Inhalator Calls	5
Missing Persons	1
Motor Vehicle Accidents Investigated	65
Motor Vehicle Accident (Fatal—By-Pass at Landing Road Bridge)	1
Messages Delivered	30
Mileage (1956 Dodge)	53,306
Mileage (1957 Plymouth)	9,258
Notices of Intended Sale or Transfer of Motor Vehicle	95
No-fix Violations Sent to Registry	41
Operators Booked and Warned	66
Permits to Purchase Firearms Issued	1
Pistol Permits Issued	27
Registrations Revoked	8
Stolen Motor Vehicle	1
Stolen Motor Vehicles Recovered	2
Stray Dogs Destroyed	9
Summonses Served for Outside Police	19
Vacant Cottages Inspected	436
Value of Property Recovered by Police	$7,233.00

Disposition of Cases in Court

Amount of Fines Imposed	$1,125.00
Amount of Fines Returned to Town	$354.00
Cases Filed	15
Cases Fined	32
Cases Dismissed by Order of the Court	6
Cases Dismissed at Request of Complainant	2
Cases Found Not Guilty	1
Cases Continued for Finding and Disposition	2
County Training School	2
Placed on Probation	12
Released	2
Sentenced to House of Correction	2
Suspended Sentence to House of Correction	9
Suspended Sentence to Reformatory for Women	1
Sent to Youth Service Board	4
Suspended Sentence to Youth Service Board	4
State Hospital at Taunton (Committed)	2
Mass. Correction Institution at Bridgewater	3
Metropolitan State Hospital for Observation	2
Turned over to Military Authorities	1

Arrests by Month

January	7	August	10
February	9	September	7
March	9	October	4
April	6	November	9
May	12	December	5
June	24		
July	6	Total	108

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES R. GOONAN,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE SHELLFISH CONSTABLE

A great deal of work and time were given with the hope of restoring clams to the local flats. Clam seed is evident on Fishing Rocks Flat, and it is my hope that it will move onto Gray's Flat and Ichabod's Flat. Definite evidence of clams have been found at the mouth of the Jones River and at the tip of Rocky Nook Point. The shore areas have been closed, with the hope that the clam seed will move onto the flats.

It is a pleasure and satisfaction to report that with the completion of the burning of mussels and the area seeded, next season should prove a successful one with regard to quahogs.

I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to my assistant, Donald L. Sauer, who so diligently gave his time to successfully complete the work during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTONE J. CAZALE,
Constable.

REPORT OF THE HARBOR MASTERS

A new system of channel marking was put into effect this year in an effort to assist those persons who use the channel at night. One side only of the channel was marked, with reflectors being placed on both sides of the marker.

A very definite increase has been noted this year over the past three years, in the number of boats moored in the basin. Up to the time of my resignation on September 15th a total of 83 boats were moored in the basin.

I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to all those persons who so generously aided me and endeavored to make the work less arduous.

Following is the report of my successor, George B. Drew.

Respectfully submitted,

IRENEE THIBODEAU,
Harbor Master.

Board of Selectmen
Kingston, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Harbor Master for 1957.

In 1947 there were 15 boats at the mouth of Jones River. In 1954 there were 35 boats. In 1957 there were 87 boats and about 60 tenders. This increase has taxed our present facilities so that an addition should be made to take care of our future growth.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE B. DREW,
Harbor Master.

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

During 1957, the Fire Department responded to 94 calls of varying nature, namely: — house fires 13; chimney fires 3; car fires 18; trailer fire 1; electric motor fires 4; oxygen calls 10; ambulance calls 4; pumping cellars 6; clearing hydrants 3; rescuing animals 4; flooded oil burners 8; sprinkler alarms 2; washing gasoline from street 2; automobile accidents 2; fatal automobile accident and fire 1; car and train collision 1; stand by at train break-down 1; drowning 1; radio fire 1; out-of-town calls 6; station stand by 4; false alarms 2.

A new 2-inch water service was installed at the station to provide better facilities for prompt refilling of all tank trucks upon return from a fire. The lower panels of three overhead doors were replaced and similar work on the remaining door will be continued in 1958. Two windows and one door were replaced in the caretaker's apartment; and the doors, windows and trim of the building were painted.

The roof of the tower at the Hose House on Main Street was patched, following storm damage. The building now serves for general storage purposes.

We express our thanks again to all officers and men of the company for their continued co-operation and service.

Respectfully submitted,

G. PALMER HOLMES, *Chief*
CLARENCE R. DREW
WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL
Fire Engineers.

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRES DEPARTMENT

The past year was the busiest in the history of this department as a result of the extremely dry season. A total of 218 runs were made, notwithstanding the big Plymouth fire in May, at which the Kingston department gave all possible assistance. This type of mutual aid proved its value at the Plymouth fire, as no town or city can afford to maintain the necessary equipment and manpower for any such emergency. The Governor declared a state of emergency for the Plymouth fire and, as a result, the Commonwealth made reimbursement for aid rendered.

The town dump continues to be a problem and accounted for 54 of the forest fire calls. A great deal of this expense and hazard could be eliminated if the proposed water line was laid to the dump.

During 1957 4,536 permits were granted for permission to burn in the open, which shows the fine cooperation by most of the townspeople.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the men of the fire department who so generously gave of their time and efforts in this busy year; and the State Department of Natural Resources for the fine work rendered by the fire tower men, and to the Plymouth County Commissioners for supplying such fine assistance through the work accomplished by the Plymouth County aeroplane.

Respectfully submitted,

G. PALMER HOLMES,
Forest Warden.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

Seven roadside elms were found to have Dutch Elm disease. These trees were removed and destroyed. There were several trees on privately owned land that were diseased and these, too, were removed and destroyed. Continued and periodic spraying combined with sanitation is the only effective and successful method to control Dutch Elm disease.

It is gratifying to report that the Poison Ivy situation is under control along the roadsides and many of the private ways.

The problem of the Japanese Beetle was very light this year which was due to the cold and freezing weather of the previous winter months. It may easily be that the new year will find these insects more prevalent.

Oftentimes it has been found that various sections of the Town are more infested with insects than others, which also applies to the Poison Ivy situation. If this is the case in your area, please notify this department in order that the proper spraying applications can be made.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL C. PAULDING.

Moth Superintendent.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

This year your department again planted trees along various streets in the Town. Some of the trees were placed along newly accepted streets, and others were planted to replace the diseased elms that had been removed.

It is satisfactory to report that Dutch Elm Minor is under control.

The roadsides have been trimmed of the brush together with the removal or trimming of overhanging limbs. As a result of the good weather we had in the latter part of 1957, trimming of the roadsides was started for the second time. The new growth is considerably more dense as a result of the exclusion of the Gypsy Moth.

This department is well equipped for any emergency which might occur, and an invitation is extended to all to inspect our equipment and quarters.

My appreciation and thanks is extended to the employees of my department and to all those persons who have contributed their support and help to me during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL C. PAULDING.

Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The annual report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures is hereby submitted for the year 1957.

	Adjusted	Sealed	Condemned
Scales over 10,000		3	
Scales 100 to 5,000	10	29	2
Scales under 100	10	53	4
Weights		112	
Liquid 1 gal. or under		16	
Over 1 gal.		3	
Gasoline Pumps	8	37	
Vehicle Tank Meter		3	
Bulk Storage Meters		2	
Kerosene and Grease Pumps	2	20	
Yard Sticks		4	

A re-check has been made of merchandise in stores as required by law, with sealing fees collected to the amount of $154.20 and adjusting fees of $2.20.

Office Hours: Tuesday Nights 7-9 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE T. PRATT,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

To the Selectmen:

Civil Defense had its first severe test locally in the Plymouth Fire during the month of May. Many lessons are to be learned from this experience.

The first point is that Civil Defense plans for coping with natural disasters are easily understood, flexible and adequate for all such situations. When people understand the Civil Defense plans, and when the field service units carry out their jobs with other units, the work goes forward more smoothly, with much less confusion, and fewer losses.

The second point is that the *local responsible officials* are *in charge of operations in the field*, whether for fire, flood, police or other emergency. Even after the Governor declares a "state of emergency" in an area, the *local officials remain in charge* of field operations, until the emergency is over. *Civil Defense*, at all levels, is primarily charged with *coordinating* the field work of all units, and persons working in the disaster area, placing them under the immediate control of proper responsible chiefs, as fire chief, police chief, medical chief, Red Cross and Welfare chief, etc.

The third point: *on the request of the local chief*, in a declared disaster area, Civil Defense can bring in, on their orders from any part of the state, additional units and personnel, and place them under the appropriate department chief for relief services. Other field service units which respond under "*mutual aid agreements*" remain under the direction of the local department chiefs, according to their agreements.

The fourth point is that only *when the local responsible chiefs* are unable to cope with the disaster situation, using all of the resources available to them, *can the officials of a town* or city make proper *appeal to the State*. The State, after proclamation by the Governor, can bring in the Civil Defense Administration, with its state-wide powers to aid in overcoming the disaster situation. Here the local Civil Defense units continue their coordinating functions.

The Kingston Fire Department and the Kingston Police Department gave invaluable aid during the three day Plymouth fire disaster. Members of the Kingston C.D. Communications Unit gave many hours of valuable service at critical times. The Women's Activities Field Service Unit, which had just been

formed, was suddenly called into service, and did outstanding work in collecting food and beverages which they transported to the fire lines, thus winning themselves nation-wide commendation.

COMMUNICATIONS: During the year, five additional radio transceivers were bought with Federal Matching Funds and put into service. Several antennae were installed in the Town House, and the leads brought to the radio room. These have already served well in two state-wide practice alerts, and several local tests. In December a small sedan, in excellent mechanical condition, was secured from Federal Surplus Property Disposal, and should now be fitted to serve as a communications car and personnel car for radiac and other uses.

CONTROL CENTER: Equipment and preparations for the Kingston Disaster Control Center have been made as follows: 24 "station boxes" with the most important papers, data, information and directions have been prepared; 10 folding tables, sturdy, but light to handle and properly marked, prepared for 13 to 20 stations in the control center room. An immense amount of detail work was done to prepare these boxes and the equipment. More work and more equipment is needed before the Control Center is ready to function properly.

ATTACK WARNING SIGNAL: Some progress has been made to secure an adequate siren for warning purposes.

G.O.C. WATCH TOWER: As of December 31, 1957, the Ground Observer Corps watch tower has changed to "ready reserve" status, but with insistent warning that it be kept ready for instant use for continuous service on not over a half-hour notice. This means that recruiting and training of observers is to be continued, the building to be kept in repair and warm, and the instruments ready.

RADIAC: Several groups were interested and heard talks on radiac and "fall-out," and the safety and health problems that could be involved. Instruments are available to train personnel, and aid in preparing people to understand and deal with this interesting and potentially dangerous material. It is hoped that classes can be started in 1958 in radiac detection, decontamination and control.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. LAWRANCE,
Director of Civil Defense.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

During 1957, one case of chicken pox, 4 cases of mumps, 18 dog bites and one raccoon bite were reported. Diseases and accidents, as above, must be reported in accordance with State Law.

Three public clinics were held for administering Polio Vaccine, and one clinic for administering Asian Flu Vaccine to town employees. After December 31, 1957, polio vaccine will continue to be available for infants and pregnant women.

During 1957, thirty-seven permits were issued for construction of cesspools and septic tanks, etc. The citizens of the Town are reminded that as of January 1, 1957, permits are required for any sewage work.

Included in the Rules and Regulations of the Board of Health is the amended Town By-Law relating to limited residence by trailers in the Town as voted at the 1957 Town Meeting.

We have continued to fill and grade at the Town Dump and again commend the work of the caretaker, Mr. Francis W. Brown.

Kingston is now a member of the newly-formed Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project and 1958 should be the start of an organized effort by the towns in the area to control the mosquito problem. Included in this report is that of the Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project.

Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project

Commissioners of this project as appointed by the State Reclamation Board are as follows: Chairman, Herbert H. Lanman, Plymouth; Vice-Chairman and Secretary, Frank E. Parris, Pembroke; H. Roy Hartshorn, West Bridgewater; Phillip L. Jenkins, Brockton, and G. Ward Stetson of Middleboro.

Headquarters was established in Pembroke Center in mid October with an office and a service building leased. Warren G. Harding has been appointed as superintendent with Norman S. Kent as assistant superintendent. Initial tentative plans and early objectives of the program have been formulated.

Trucks, spraying equipment and drainage tools have been requisitioned or already delivered. A winter dusting program was started early in January in various parts of the county, and we will be in a position to start on an effective mosquito control program as soon as the spring broods are in evidence.

A limited number of personnel have been employed and as seasonal activities increase, additional qualified personnel will be needed.

During the first year an extensive survey will be made to determine the exact species of mosquito breeding at specific locations, this is necessary in order to use approved control measures at the proper time. During the coming summer season the breeding problems will be corrected whenever time and facilities permit. This will include hand spraying, dusting, power dusting, hydraulic and mist blower spraying, fogging and aerial spraying.

Until the census of species has been completed, we will appreciate the cooperation of each municipal official who has handled the control work on the local level with valuable information as to local breeding areas.

A comprehensive study will be started the first year to determine the drainage potentials of the salt marsh and fresh water breeding areas, as drainage of such areas is the semi-permanent solution to mosquito control.

It will be the ultimate goal of this project to advance the drainage of the salt marsh and fresh water breeding areas each reason. As these breeding points are eliminated by proper and adequate drainage ditches, the control by use of insecticides will be reduced.

A major problem in this county is the "Hockomock Swamp" which has proved to be the focal point for the bird life showing the virus of the eastern equine encephalitus, and with mosquitos the known vector of this virus, we will have to control mosquitos in this vital area for the health protection of the entire county.

With the household mosquito (Culex. pipiens) as a major nuisance in the residential areas, we will conduct a program to eliminate their breeding in storm sewers and catch basins. These points proved to be the paramount breeding places for this species.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL, *Chairman,*
JOHN J. MOORE,
JOHN C. McCANN,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

During the past year approximately 350 cattle were shipped into Kingston from Vermont, New York State and Canada. These cattle were inspected and found free from disease. Reports of these inspections were made and forwarded to the State Division of Livestock Disease Control.

This year 16 dogs were quarantined on suspicion of rabies on account of bites imposed. However, all of these dogs were released after the customary 14 days observation period inasmuch as no signs of rabies appeared. Reports of the foregoing cases were forwarded to the proper State authorities.

There have been no cases of slaughtering in Kingston during the past year.

The annual inspection of animals and the premises in which they were kept was made and the report forwarded to the Division of Livestock Disease Control.

I wish to thank Mrs. Irma A. Ruffini and the members of the Board of Health for their co-operation in organizing these inspections.

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND RUSSO, D.V.M.,
Inspector of Animals and Slaughtering.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

During 1957 two streets were accepted at the annual town meeting, namely, Brewster Road and a portion of Arrow Street, which were rebuilt within the accepted lay-outs. A portion of Brookdale Street was regraded and new gravel and asphalt was applied. It is the intention of this department to continue work on this street during 1958.

The unpaved sections of Winthrop Street and Indian Pond Road were regraveled and an asphalt penetration applied. A balance of less than four miles of unpaved accepted roads remains to be rebuilt and paved.

Work has commenced on Winter Street which was laid out by the County in 1940 but had never been rebuilt. Among the accomplishments was the installation of a new culvert at the brook, trees were removed and excavations made to conform to the new lay-out. Work will continue on this street as funds will allow.

Chapter 90 construction work included the completion of Wapping Road, Route 106, to the Plympton line; also a portion of Lake Street which eliminated the dangerous curve by Forge Pond. The Chapter 90 maintenance funds constructed a much needed drainage system on Main Street.

The maintenance and clean-up work of the highway department is ever increasing thereby using a considerable amount of the general appropriation. For example, the number of catch basins to be maintained has more than doubled in fifteen years; and the amount of sand used for ice control increases as new roads are built, which also adds to the problem of the spring clean-up work.

Respectfully submitted,

G. PALMER HOLMES,

Superintendent of Streets.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Report of Welfare Department

Active Cases, January 1, 1957	11
Cases Opened During the Year	15
Cases Closed During the Year	19
Active Cases, December 31, 1957	7

Expenditures
$10,753.16

Administration
$1,270.25

Report of Disability Assistance

Active Cases, January 1, 1957	9
Cases Opened During the Year	1
Cases Closed During the Year	4
Active Cases, December 31, 1957	6

Expenditures

Federal Share	$3,548.63
State Share	2,060.47
Town Share	1,872.40
Total	$7,481.50

Administration
$155.00

Report of Aid to Dependent Children

Active Cases, January 1, 1957	10
Cases Opened During the Year	7
Cases Closed During the Year	5
Active Cases, December 31, 1957	12

Expenditures

Federal Share	$6,750.02
State Share	5,251.76
Town Share	3,753.52
Total	$15,755.30

Administration
$2,449.35

Report of Bureau of Old Age Assistance

Active Cases, January 1, 1957	85
Cases Opened During the Year	16
Cases Closed During the Year	15
Active Cases, December 31, 1957	86

Expenditures

Federal Share	$37,255.06
State Share	43,268.27
Town Share	15,947.62
Total	$96,470.95
Other Towns	1,925.77
	$98,396.72

Administration

$7,530.15

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. McCANN, *Chairman*

JOHN J. MOORE

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES

The annual report of the Office of Veterans' Services for the year ended December 31, 1957, is hereby submitted.

Active Cases, January 1, 1957	9
New Cases	10
Cases Closed During the Year	10
Cases Denied	5
Out-of-Town Cases Processed	3
Disability Pensions Processed	6
Veterans Hospitalized	5
Active Cases, December 31, 1957	9

Our case load increased over 100% again this year and we encountered some extremely expensive medical bills. It became necessary to request additional funds during the year in order to meet these unforseen expenditures.

May we caution all Veterans of World War II and the Korean War that certain benefits contained in the G. I. Bill are approaching their termination dates, and if any veterans intend to take advantage of these benefits they should do so immediately. The purchase of homes by World War II Veterans under the G. I. Bill expires in July 1958.

The facilities of this office are available each Tuesday evening at the Kingston Town House between the hours of 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. to all veterans who desire counselling or assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURENCE P. REID,

Director.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

To the Citizens of Kingston:

Your library trustees present the following report of the 1957 operation of the Frederic C. Adams Public Library.

Town Appropriation from Dog Fund and Tax Levy

1957		Receipts	Payments
March 16	Town appropriation	$3,500.00	
	Librarian salaries		$1,638.47
	Janitor salary		720.00
	Fuel oil		295.02
	Electricity		119.83
	Telephone		116.95
	Books		606.00
	Repairs		0.00
Dec. 31	Balance unexpended		3.68
		$3,500.00	$3,500.00

Income from Endowed Funds and Book Fines

1957		Receipts	Payments
Jan. 1	Balance of "income" from 1956	$8,270.34	
	Am. Tel. & Tel. dividends & rights	36.00	
	Plymouth Cordage dividends	336.00	
	Plymouth National Bank dividends	99.00	
	Atcheson, Topeka & Santa Fe interest	20.00	
	Denver & Rio Grande Western interest	49.50	
	Savings Bank deposits interest	615.69	
	Book fines, paid to Town	96.16	$96.16
	Books and periodicals		384.38
	Repairs		0.00
	Supplies and postage		50.78
	Bank service and safe deposit		5.00
	Treasurer's salary and bond premium		60.62
Dec. 31	Balance of "income" unexpended		8,925.75
		$9,522.69	$9,522.69

Of the unexpended income on December 31, $6,717.88 was in Massachusetts Savings Banks, and $2,207.87 was in cash and in the Merchants National Bank of Boston.

We include the following report from Mrs. Marion Lenart, our Librarian.

With the steady growth of the community the library is gaining many new borrowers.

The circulation statistics show a rapid increase in periodicals, fiction and non-fiction both adult and juvenile.

The students use the library daily for reference work and book reviewing. More readers are spending time in the reading room enjoying the fine collection of worthwhile magazines.

The Trustees and the Librarian wish to extend their sincere appreciation to the following donors for their gifts of flowers, periodicals and books: Miss Ethel M. Turner, Miss Ethel Grimes, Miss Julia J. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Ward C. Lovell, Mr. and Mrs. Orfeo H. Sgarzi, Mr. E. C. Howe, Mrs. Julian S. Bradford, Mrs. Albert W. Douglas, Mrs. S. B. Babbitt, Mrs. Paul H. Armer, Mr. Frank S. Blodgett, the Kingston Reading Club and Plymouth Garden Club.

Statistical Report for 1957

Number of books in the library	16,346
Magazines, weeklies and dailies	38
Total attendance in reading room	7,363
Total circulation	25,008
Non-fiction circulation	7,992
Juvenile circulation	7,108
Circulation of periodicals	2,993
Circulation per capita	5
Total registration	1,948

Respectfully submitted,

KATHARINE B. MANN,
ROBERT A. JONES,
CARL W. STEGMAIER,
JANET C. GIAMMARCO, *Secretary*,
ROLAND S. BAILEY, *Treasurer*,
HENRY J. PECK, *Chairman*,
Library Trustees.

REPORT OF THE PLAYGROUND COMMISSION

To the Citizens of Kingston:

On June 2, 1957, the Kingston Playground was officially dedicated as the Captain Fred L. Bailey Memorial Field in memory of the man who foresaw the need of a playground for the town of Kingston.

The supervised Summer Program proved a success again during the year. There were 101 boys and 50 girls enrolled with a total attendance of 1956. Of the many activities the following were very popular: fishing trips, arts and craft, dances, baseball, shuffle board and a girls drill team. The highlight of the season was the family night with 105 in attendance.

The Little League Baseball field has been completed and in use for one year. Bleachers have been installed on both Little League and Softball fields.

A new catch basin has been built at the lower end of the playground.

Additional fill has been added to the tennis court banking and a drain was installed to insure against any future washouts.

New automatic battery-type emergency lights have been installed.

The exterior and interior of the Community Building is in good condition with the exception of a few minor repairs.

Due to the increased attendance of the Summer Playground Program, the Commission feels that there should be insurance coverage for those participating in this program. Accordingly, an amount has been included in the budget for 1958 for this purpose.

Rentals for 1957:

1.	Entire Building	$25.00
2.	Main Auditorium	15.00
3.	Basement with kitchen	15.00
4.	Basement without kitchen	8.00
5.	Siderooms, afternoons 2-5 p.m.	3.00
6.	Siderooms, evenings	5.00
7.	Rehearsals	3.00

Regular meetings of the Playground Commission are held every third Monday of each month at 8 p.m. in the Reed Community Building.

Respectfully submitted,

LESTER F. ZAHN, *Chairman.*
ANTONE J. SPATH, *Secretary.*
GEORGE A. CANDINI, JR.
GEORGE J. TURA.
JOSEPH A. GOVONI.
Playground Commission.

REPORT OF THE PARK COMMISSIONERS

The repainting of the Bath House and Concession Stand, and the installation of the new sewage disposal system at Gray's Beach were completed early in the year within the budgets of 1956 and 1957.

Due to the forest fire south and west of Plymouth destroying many recreational areas, and due also to the long hot and dry weather during most of the summer, the bathing and park facilities at Gray's Beach were overcrowded by those people from a wide area seeking such facilities, which demanded restrictions on the total number of out-of-town cars that could be permitted to park so that space could be retained for the residents of our Town. The total of the parking fees collected was $2,759.00, somewhat less than in 1956, however this required increased attendance of our Special Police to control the situation. The concession stand was leased for $250.00 for the season, making the total income from Gray's Beach $3,009.00, a decrease of $331.00 from the 1956 total income.

Memorial plots and the Town Green received a minimum of care because of the drought and the restrictions on the use of Town water. A limited development and improvement of these properties will be continued during 1958.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT W. WEBER, *Chairman.*
EARL C. PAULDING,
HOWARD M. HANELT,
Board of Park Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE WATERFRONT COMMITTEE

During the year one additional float was constructed and placed in operation at the Jones River Basin. In place of the pontoons, a material called Stero-Foam was installed, which eliminates caulking and painting of the pontoons.

Further expansion of the number of floats is planned for the increased number of tenders.

The day is fast coming when it will become necessary to limit the use of the Jones River Basin to Kingston residents only. There are many problems to eliminate however, and with the co-operation of the boat owners, we will continue to advance.

This committee wishes to give recognition to the new Harbor Master, George B. Drew, who we believe will carry on as well as his predecessor.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. DREW, *Chairman*.
FRANKLIN W. ZWICKER,
JOHN L. BAILEY,
Permanent Waterfront Committee

REPORT OF THE TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

Due to the forests being closed in the spring and again in the fall because of fire hazard there has been little work done in the Town Forest.

The Kingston Boy Scouts devoted one day cleaning the roadways in the forest. Plans are being made to remove trees of no value in the forest to give our white pine a better opportunity to grow.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. MERRY, *Chairman*
JOSEPH F. GLASS, *Secretary*
HENRY J. WALSH

REPORT OF THE FISH COMMITTEE

The year 1957 has been one of the most satisfying and one of the most disappointing in the history of the Town.

This report will outline our accomplishments, our disappointments and our recommendations.

The first meeting of this committee was held on April 2nd. There followed six other committee meetings between then and October 30th.

On May 8th, Frederick C. Wilbour, Jr., Director, Division of Marine Fisheries, came to Kingston at the request of this committee. He along with committee members, toured the Town surveying the streams and ponds. As a result of this and subsequent visits by Mr. Wilbour and Mr. John Burns, Fishway Supervisor, Division of Marine Fisheries, we have made the following decisions:

1. No possibility of an Alewife fishery exists in Smelt Pond.
2. Little possibility of a fishery in Blackwater or Crossman's ponds. We feel that no serious consideration should be given to the establishment of said fishery.
3. Alewife fisheries are not recommended in a public water supply, thereby eliminating any possibility of establishing a fishery at Silver Lake.
4. Full and immediate attention should be given to our present fishery in the Jones River, Furnace Brook, and the spawning areas at Sylvia Place.

Early in May it was decided to enlist the help of local groups for the purpose of removing obstructions in and along Furnace Brook. This would insure passage for the 1958 run of Alewives. The response was disappointing to say the least. No one, aside from committee members, indicated any desire to assist in this project. The proposed voluntary clean-up program has been abandoned; however, the need to remove obstructions is imperative if we are to maintain or increase our Alewife fishery.

During the year we observed an unknown black deposit coating the Elm Street dam and upon rocks in Jones River. We are indeed grateful to Mr. Horace C. Weston of the Mayflower

Worsted Co. for the time he has spent attempting to learn if it was caused by any material in the processing procedure at his plant. This does not appear to be the case. However, samples are being taken and submitted to the Division of Marine Fisheries for chemical analysis.

During July the fish ladder at the Elm Street dam was partially repaired. The work was done by Joseph Forni of Kingston. We are indebted to Mr. Forni for his generosity.

On October 3rd Director Wilbour presented a fine, illustrated program at the Reed Community Building. The public was invited. No admission was charged. Plans for the meeting had begun in May and much work had been done to insure an informative program. We felt that this would be an opportunity for our citizens to learn about the Alewife, our problems and our plans. Aside from the Board of Selectmen and the Fish Committee, only eleven Kingston residents took advantage of this opportunity. No future plans of this nature are contemplated

In a letter dated October 4th, Director Wilbour stated that in his opinion the Town of Kingston did not have the authority to control its Alewife fishery under the Act of March 3, 1802. It appeared that the Town had not complied with the provisions of Chapter 130 (Sec. 94) of the General Laws. Upon confirmation of this, the funds remaining under the control of this committee were frozen and no subsequent expenditures made.

Upon recommendation of the Board of Selectmen we continued as a committee preparing a 1958 budget for presentation to the Town Meeting in March, 1958.

John Burns, Fishway Supervisor, Division of Marine Fisheries, was invited to come to Kingston. On October 21st Mr. Burns, along with committee members, surveyed our fishways. They were found to be in a poor state of repair. The fish ladder at Sylvia Place pond is in need of major repairs. Work on all fish ladders must be completed in 1958 if we are to protect the investment made since 1938.

The Division of Marine Fisheries assures us that if the Town complies with Chapter 130 (Sec. 94), they will complete all necessary repair work during 1958. The Town would supply the materials and the State would supply the labor. Under this ar-

rangement our cost would approximate 25% of the cost if we had the work done privately.

Economically, our fishery affects the entire community. The effect on the community is simply this:

1. Increased number of Alewives spawning in our ponds.
2. Increased number of game fish in local waters.
3. Better sport fishing.
4. More fishermen coming to the area.
5. More money spent locally.

If our fishery was allowed to become extinct, the economy of the area would be adversely affected.

Your Fish Committee presents the following recommendations:

1. Continued control and regulation of our Alewife fishery.
2. Enter co-operative arrangement with the State to complete necessary repairs to our fish ladders.
3. Establish a program to insure free, unobstructed passage of fish from the ocean to the spawning areas.
4. Request Division of Marine Fisheries to make biological survey of spawning areas to determine predator conditions.
5. Request Division of Marine Fisheries to make a "fish count" during the 1958 run to determine exact condition of our fishery.
6. Study pollution conditions in Jones River and Furnace Brook to determine what, if any, action need be taken.
7. Continued close cooperation between Town and State to insure proper operation of our fishery.

Respectfully submitted,

ASA W. GLASS, *Chairman.*
EMMETT B. BAKER, *Secretary.*
FRANCIS H. WHITE.
OSWALD W. STEWART.
ARTHUR W. ROBARE, JR.,
Kingston Fish Committee.

WATER DEPARTMENT

To the Citizens of Kingston:

The accomplishments and continued progress of your Water Department during the fiscal year ending December 31st are most gratifying.

The total active water services now connected to the water system is 1,662; 28 new services were installed this past year.

The income received amounted to $31,911.78 as compared to $29,914.80 from the previous year, a gain of $1,996.98. This increase of income was primarily due to the "House to House" "Survey of Fixtures" conducted by the Water Department in 1956.

Maintenance Projects Completed During the Year

1. The Worthington Pump-installed in 1922. Only minor repairs made during all these years until 1957 when the pump was completely overhauled at a cost of approximately $5,000. This pump has been very efficient and has saved the town many thousands of dollars in pumping costs.

2. The main on Maple Street was replaced by an 8 inch main for a distance of 1,300 feet in accordance with the vote of the Town.

3. A 6 inch main was installed on Mayflower Street from Main Street to Brightside Avenue or approximately 300 feet.

4. A 12 inch main was installed from the Summer Street Railroad crossing to Green Street.

5. An 8 inch main was installed from Main Street to Cobb & Drews.

6. A 6 inch main was installed on Marsh Road tying in with the main on Jones River Drive.

Recommended Projects for 1958

Your department continues to look beyond its immediate horizons by carefully adjudging the town's progress and needs for additional supplies of water, particularly after the long dry season as experienced during the past summer months.

With this philosophy in mind the Water Commissioners contracted during the past year to have test well borings made, in various sections and areas within the town. There were 27 tests made under this program, and of this number only one location has shown any suitable results. This well site is located on the George W. Havey property off Winthrop Street, which

has the necessary depth and quality and meets requirements of the State Department of Public Health as well as being near our existing pipe line.

The Water Commissioners deem it advisable to immediately purchase the required land, to develop a gravel-packed well and to purchase the necessary equipment, to provide a building, and to install a pipe line to the main on Summer Street for an additional water supply. Therefore articles will appear in the 1958 Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

It appears to the Water Commissioners that future wells may become an acute problem in Kingston and therefore the Board of Water Commissioners should continue their study for future well sites and to recommend the purchase of land for future wells, wherever good wells may be found. An article is in the Warrant for this purpose.

Other Recommended Projects for 1958

The Water Turbine which was installed in 1920, with only minor repairs being made in 1933 and 1941 now needs a major overhauling and new parts installed. There will be an article in the 1958 Warrant for this purpose.

An article will also appear in the Warrant for a new truck replacing the present 1953 International Truck.

The progress of your Water Department is necessarily influenced by economic developments and the amount of water used by the water takers. Our expectations for 1958 and for the years to follow with respect to the volume of water that will be needed, based upon past experience, requires the Water Commissioners to recognize to the extent and severity for a larger water supply. Our objectives: To keep the Water Department sound for the safety of the water takers; to keep abreast of the Town's future growth and to keep it progressive and efficient for the benefit of the citizens to maintain the Department with great wisdom and counsel by the help and cooperation of the voters of the Town of Kingston, which is deeply appreciated by the Water Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL S. SAMPSON, *Chairman,*
RICHARD W. LORING,
RALPH F. SANTORO,
Board of Water Commissioners.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE PLYMOUTH COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

In cooperation with the University of Massachusetts and the United States Department of Agriculture, the Plymouth County Extension Service provides information to the citizens of Plymouth County relative to matters of the Home, Agriculture and 4-H Club work.

The passing years have brought numerous changes in the problems facing the farmer, among which are the new methods to be learned and placed in operation. This information has been provided through news releases, bulletins, public meetings and letters, to mention a few. Information is available also on poultry, cranberry, dairy; also data on Federal orders, government regulations, prices and tax information. The latest news on selective breeding, animal diseases and how to cut feed wastage may be obtained upon request. Individual assistance is rendered by specialists when requested. Thus the farmer, without leaving his home, may keep abreast of the latest methods.

In the home, much the same procedure is followed. Meetings have been held in neighboring centers for cooking, cake decorating, canning and freezing.

A card sent to the Plymouth County Extension Service, Court House, Brockton, will place your name on the mailing list and will result in bringing many interesting bulletins to your door.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENIA B. TROW, *Director.*

TOWN OF KINGSTON EDUCATIONAL FUND

Report of the Trustees

At the Annual Town Meeting on March 16, 1957, the Town voted unanimously to establish an Educational Fund as provided under Chapter 40, Section 3 of the General Laws and to receive, hold and manage any devise, bequests, or gifts for the establishment and enlargement of said Fund. The Town further voted to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint five trustees for the purpose of administering the funds and the Trustees were empowered with full authority to make rules and regulations in order to provide eligible students of the Town with financial assistance for furthering their education.

On March 26, 1957 the Board of Selectmen appointed the following persons to serve as Trustees:

George W. Cushman	For a term of 5 years
Horace C. Weston	For a term of 4 years
Mitchell Toabe	For a term of 3 years
Phillip S. Cronin	For a term of 2 years
Lucy M. Stein	For a term of 1 year

The committee organized with George W. Cushman as Chairman and Phillip S. Cronin as Secretary.

During the year the Trustees received the following gifts to the fund:

Kingston High School Class of 1929	$110.00
Mr. John L. Carrier, a member of the Class of 1929	10.00
Kingston High School Alumni Association	
Annie C. Woodward, Trustee	1,184.53
Mr. Carl Repucci	1.48
Dividends — Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank	19.54
Total of the Fund — December 31, 1957	$1,325.55
Deposited in Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank	

The Trustees gratefully acknowledge these gifts with sincere thanks. The Trustees hope that individuals and organizations will add to the fund so that local young people with financial problems will be able to complete their education. The Trustees are hopeful that persons will remember the Educational Fund in their wills. This may be done most easily by using the form of

bequest prepared by the Trustees in which case the money will become an addition to the general educational fund. However, the Trustees are prepared to accept the administration of any funds restricted in any way the donor may wish providing, of course, that its principal purpose is to provide financial aid in post secondary education.

During the year the Trustees spent a great deal of time formulating rules and regulations and the forms for the control and handling of the funds.

The following rules and regulations were unanimously adopted by the Trustees for administering unrestricted funds.

TOWN OF KINGSTON
EDUCATIONAL FUND

Administered by the Trustees and Appointed by the Selectmen of the Town of Kingston

Office of the Trustees, Treasurer's Office — 23 Green Street
Kingston, Massachusetts.

Information Regarding the Fund and Method of Making Loans

To be read carefully by each applicant

January 1, 1958

Purpose

The Educational Fund was established at the Annual Town Meeting on March 16, 1957 as provided under Chapter 40, Section 3 of the General Laws for the avowed purpose "of providing educational advantages for the youth of our beloved town thereby enabling them to become more useful members of society and better citizens of this country."

Source

The original capital of the fund was created during 1957 by a donation from the Kingston High School Class of 1929 and from the Kingston High School Alumni Association. The Trustees hope that individuals and organizations will add to the fund. The Trustees are hopeful that persons will remember the Educational Fund in their wills. A form for such a bequest is inserted at the end of these rules.

A Co-Operative Plan

This Fund is established as a Revolving Fund. Each applicant for assistance must understand and agree to the terms of the agreement "that any sum borrowed is to be repaid promptly according to the terms of that agreement" in order that others may be assisted. Each student thus aided renders service to another and becomes a part of the Co-Operative Plan.

Eligibility

The applicant must be a legal resident of Kingston for at least four years prior to the date of the application for loan, and have satisfactorily completed the requirements of the first academic year of his program of higher education.

Selection of Students

The selection of students, to whom loans may be made and approval of the educational institutions to be attended, shall rest with the Trustees of the Fund.

The Trustees must of necessity limit the amounts loaned to any individual as the number of qualified applicants and funds available require. However, the maximum loaned in any one year to any individual shall in no case exceed the tuition fee established by the institution the applicant is attending.

Application

All applications for loans should be made through the office of the Trustees on Trustees Forms. The applicant should also furnish the following:

A personal interview may be required.
Two personal references.
Two instructor references.
A personal statement.

To secure application blanks, the student must apply in person or by mail to the office of the Trustees.

Registration Fee

A registration fee of one dollar ($1.00) to cover the expenses involved must accompany each application.

Loans

Loans shall be evidenced by a negotiable note and agreement for the amount loaned, bearing interest at the minimum rate of

4% per annum from the time not later than the date of graduation or leaving college.

If the student is under 21 years of age, a co-maker of the note will be required.

Students may obtain loans only while pursuing their regular courses at the institution named in the application.

Each application covers but one year. No loans granted are continuous.

The Trustees will purchase insurance on the life of the applicant for the term of the loan, the cost of which will be added to the face of the promissory note.

Requirements

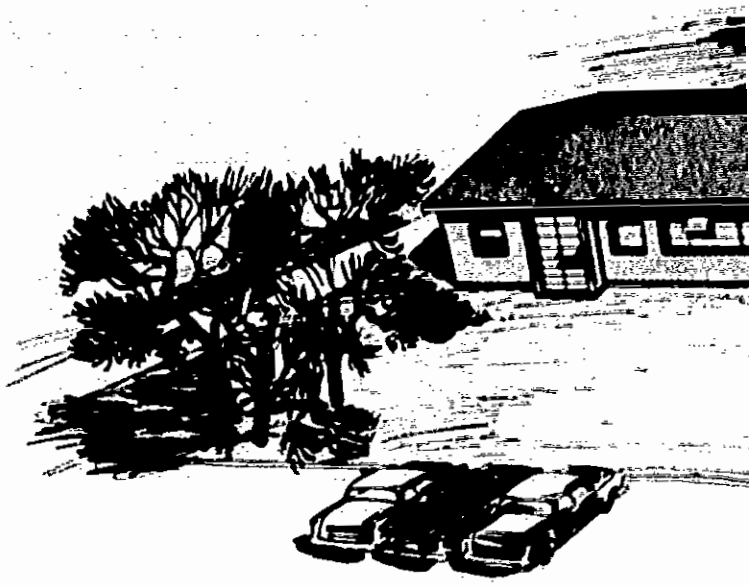
As this Fund is established for the educational improvement of youth, it is required that each student shall maintain the scholastic and disciplinary standards of the institution and arrange that a transcript of his record shall be forwarded to the Trustees at the end of each semester.

Methods of Payment of Loan

When loans are approved a promissory note for the full amount borrowed is sent to the student for his signature. This must be properly signed with the full names of the applicant, the signature witnessed. If the applicant is under 21, a co-maker will be required. Payments on loans are forwarded twice a year, one half of the amount for the first semester, the remaining amount is sent in time for the second semester unless other arrangements have been made.

Repayment

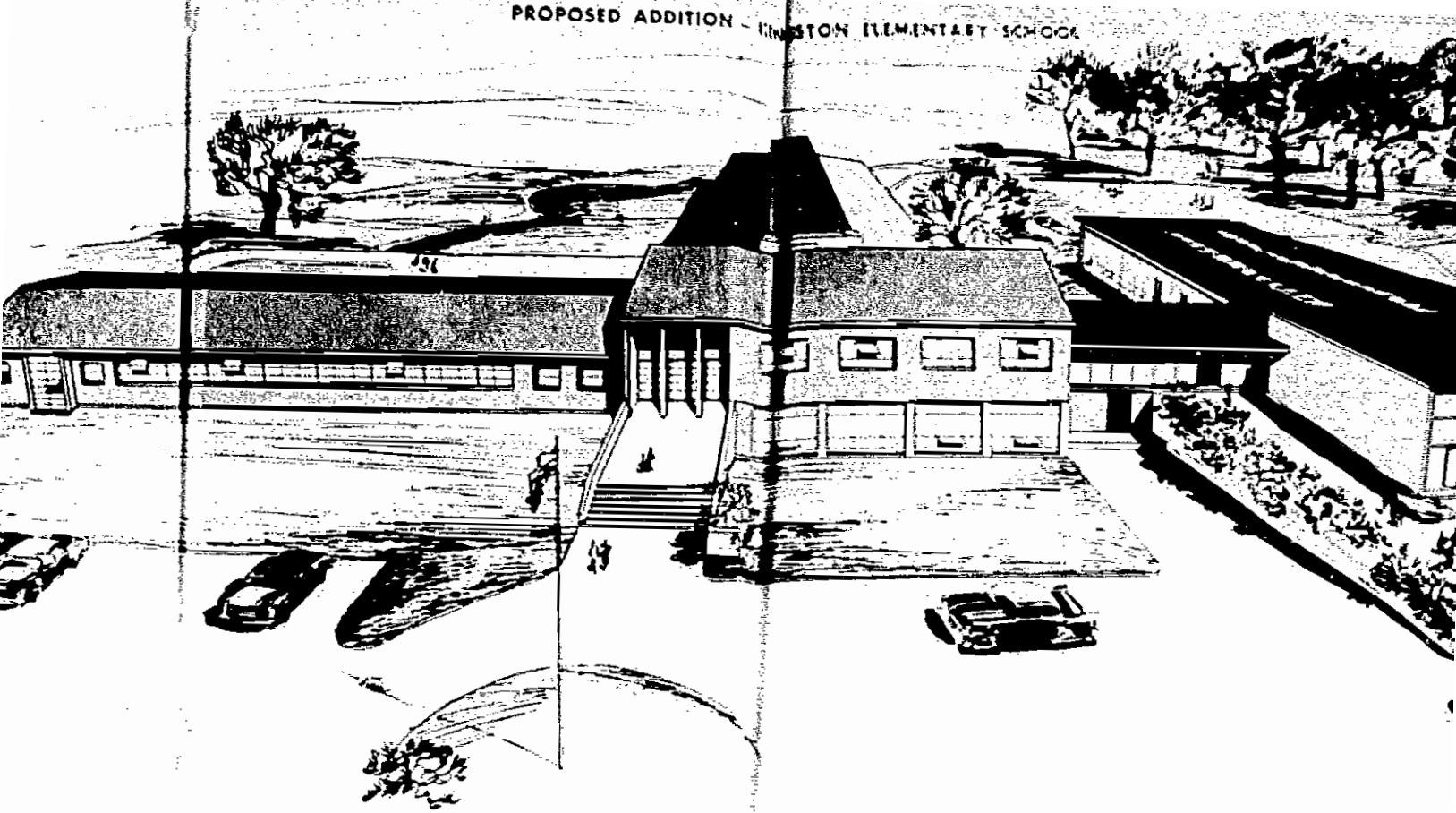
A student who receives a loan will sign an original note due for payment six months after the date of his anticipated graduation from the educational institution in which he is enrolled at the time of the loan. With his loan the student will receive from the Trustees an agreement to extend his original note for up to 3 years whenever it comes due. To extend his original note the student will sign a renewal note providing for repayment of his loan in up to 36 equal monthly installments. The loan may be repayed in full or in part at any time before it comes due without any penalty.



DESCRIPTION OF ADDITION

1. Eight classrooms of approximately 800 square feet e[illegible] grouped on both [illegible]

PROPOSED ADDITION - LINGSTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



PRESENT BUILDING

PROPOSED ADDITION

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...00 square feet each - economically

...window wall plus

ESTIMATE OF COST

$229,500

4. The addition will ...
existing ...
at the lower lev...
by a service ...

6. Exterior play ...
posed classroom ...

...ms will be by a full width window wall plus
...viding an equivalent daylight distribution in
...lassrooms.

...square feet - to double as preparation room and
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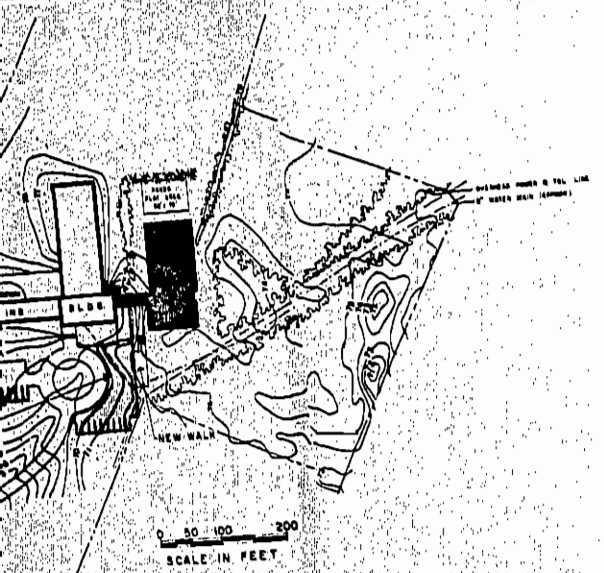
...and music practice.



ESTIMATE OF COST

General Contract	$229,500
Architect's Fees	19,000
Equipment	20,000
Clerk of the Works	6,000
Fire Insurance	500
Blueprints, Advertising, Legal	1,700
Miscellaneous	300
Total	$277,000

General Contract Bate — Ernest L. Vallee

Equipment Prices, Grooms — Charlbet's

Architects — The Architects Collaborative

Elementary School Building Committee:

Paul H. M. Prescott K. Bearce, Christopher J. ..., Howard B. MacFarlane, Samuel Sm... John Ventura, Nicholas E. Zinnius.

PROPOSED ADDITION

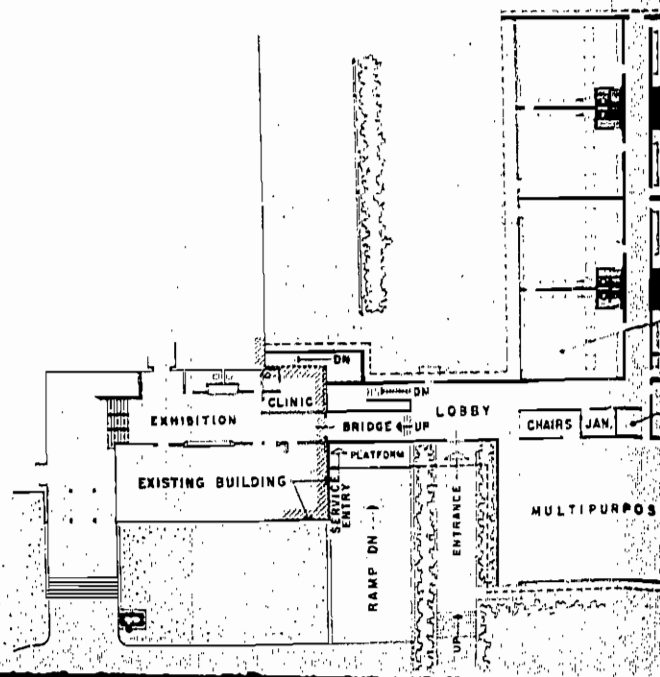
5. The addition will provide convenient entrance existing administration facilities on the mai... at the lower level. Supply for the entire bu... by a service platform at a central point.

6. Exterior play space is provided on the protect... posed classroom block.

7. Parking is provided for additional cars. A bu... adjoining the drive circle.

8. Construction of the building is light steel ro... brick exterior facing, matching present buildi... Heating by added boiler in present space.

9. Protecting overhangs enhance the entrance. A... proposed, leaving as many of the protective tr... sible.



Make all checks, money orders or drafts payable to the Town of Kingston Educational Fund and send to Office of the Town Treasurer, 26 Green Street, Kingston, Mass. The Trustees have full powers to alter or modify these rules at any time.

Form of Bequest

I give (and bequeath) to the Educational Fund of the Town of Kingston, a municipal corporation established under the laws of Massachusetts, located in the Town of Kingston, Massachusetts the sum of . . . . . dollars to be applied to the uses and purposes for which the Trustees are empowered under Chapter 40, Section 3 of the General Laws and under regulations made by the Trustees.

The success of the fund now lies with the generosity of the townspeople and friends of the Town of Kingston. The aim of the Trustees will be to help worthy Kingston students to meet costs for higher education. The interest and enthusiasm shown in the fund has been impressive and the Trustees will be pleased to talk over the matter of the Educational Fund with you at any time. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

The Trustees are also now prepared to consider applications for aid from eligible students within the rather restricted limits imposed by the funds now available for the purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, *Chairman.*
PHILLIP S. CRONIN, *Secretary,*
HORACE C. WESTON,
MITCHELL TOABE,
LUCY M. STEIN,
Trustees
Town of Kingston Educational Fund.

REPORT OF THE

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The Elementary School Building Committee was authorized by Town Meeting on March 16, 1957, and was organized on May 24. The Committee's authority was defined as "employing an architect to draw plans and specifications for an addition to the present Elementary School consisting of eight classrooms with necessary sanitary facilities and general purpose area."

We began by reviewing reports of previous committees and by conferring with the Board of Education, with Chester T. Ray, Superintendent of Schools, and Miss Esther DiMarzio, Principal of the Elementary School. Then we started to interview architects, of whom we were originally in touch with nine. Five of these became active candidates and all five were interviewed twice. We narrowed this group to three. One committee member visited a school designed by each of the three, and other members consulted persons who could serve as references for the same three. As a result of this careful survey, we selected The Architects Collaborative of Cambridge, Mass. This group had previously been concerned with the design of twenty-eight school buildings.

Our contract with the architects provided that they would for a very limited fee, draw up preliminary plans and specifications. From these an estimated cost would be prepared by a professional estimator. The architect's initial fee will apply against any future total fee.

Meantime Mr. Ray had prepared educational specifications for the addition — a statement of the administration's wishes as to rooms. This statement was revised by our committee and again revised by the State School Building Assistance Commission. Also our committee concurred in an administration decision to use the addition for the lower grades. All of this information was given to the architects, who developed three possible ideas for the floor plan of the addition and of its link to the present building. From these three the committee chose one, which was presented in preliminary drawing form to the School Building Assistance Commission on December 16 and approved by their letter of December 23.

Total cost of our proposed plan at projected bid prices is estimated to be $277,000.00, construction cost having been estimated by the firm of Ernest L. Vallee of Boston.

After consultation with George W. Cushman, Town Treasurer, and Herman B. Dine, State Director of Accounts, we are suggesting that our estimated $277,000.00 cost be raised by a $60,000.00 bond issue, and by $17,000.00 in the current year with about $6,500.00 coming from the unexpended balance of our 1957 appropriation and the remainder from tax levy. Also we should note that the present figure for State reimbursement to Kingston is 26.38 . . . however, this is subject to change, and will be slightly different by the time any contract could be let under this proposal.

We hope to present to the voters along with this Town Report an illustrated folder which will give an adequate description of the proposed addition together with appropriate drawings.

We gratefully acknowledge expert advice received from many persons as well as stenographic and other assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL H. ARMOR, *Chairman,*
CHRISTOPHER J. JOYCE, *Vice-Chairman,*
JOHN VENTURA, *Secretary,*
HOWARD B. MacFARLANE, *Finance Officer,*
PRESCOTT K. BEARCE,
SAMUEL SWARTZ,
NICHOLAS E. ZINSIUS,
Elementary School Building Committee.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF KINGSTON

MASSACHUSETTS

Including a Report of the

SILVER LAKE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31

1957

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mr. Orfeo H. Sgarzi, Chairman	Term expires 1959
Mrs. Jeanette Dickson, Secretary	Term expires 1958
Mr. Robert R. Barbieri	Term expires 1960
Mr. Howard B. MacFarlane	Term expires 1960
Mr. John H. Durgin, Jr.	Term expires 1959

The School Committee meets at 7:30 p.m., on the second Monday of each month, at the Superintendent's office.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Chester T. Ray

Office telephone Kingston 2333 Home telephone Cypress 3-2731

CLERK

Mrs. Mildred M. Ford

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL

Miss Esther DiMarzio Office telephone Kingston 500

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term	January 6 to February 22, 1958
Second Winter Term	March 3 to April 19, 1958
Spring Term	April 28 to June 21, 1958
Fall Term	September 3 to December 20, 1958

In addition to all Legal Holidays, schools will be closed on one day in October for Teachers' Convention, and on the Friday following Thanksgiving.

"NO SCHOOL" announcements will be given by radio on stations WNAC, WBZ, WEEI, WBET and WPLM, between 6:45 and 8:00 a.m., in addition to the fire alarm signals.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Elementary School program for 1957 was completed in three school buildings as follows — twelve classrooms in the new elementary school, three classrooms in the old high school and two classrooms in the Maple Avenue School. The latter school was opened in September after being closed for three years. The exterior was completely painted and repaired making this building satisfactory for future school use. The 1958 budget includes a sum of money to replace the roof surface which is in poor condition.

The continued use of the old high school was accomplished with a minimum expenditure of funds. As previously reported, we feel that a large appropriation would be required to make this building satisfactory. We are awaiting the report of the elementary school building committee at the 1958 Town Meeting before further recommendations are made concerning the old high school.

The transportation of pupils was satisfactory in 1957 with only minor changes made in routes travelled. No additional buses were required and we are happy to report that no material changes should be necessary in 1958.

We were compelled to adjust teachers salaries in September of 1957 as a result of a new statute enacted by the legislature increasing minimum annual salaries for towns of our size. This was accomplished without requesting a transfer from the finance committee by a strict budget reappraisal.

Our teaching and administrative staff again operated the schools in a most efficient and effective manner. We can only hope that the acute teacher situation will not severely affect us in 1958.

The 1958 budget together with 1957 expenditures plus the reports of our educational staff will be found on the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,

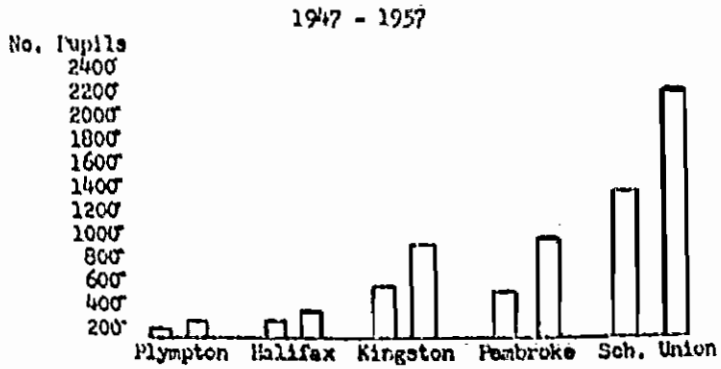
ORFEO H. SGARZI, Chairman,
MRS. JEANETTE DICKSON, Secretary,
ROBERT R. BARBIERI,
JOHN H. DURGIN, JR.,
HOWARD B. MacFARLANE,
Kingston School Committee.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS — 1957

To the School Committee and Citizens of the Town of Kingston:

It is with great pleasure that I submit my tenth annual report for your consideration. Probably the most serious problem during the past nine and one-half years has been that of rapid school growth. To keep pace with our ever-increasing school population, to provide the necessary space and instructors has indeed been no small task.

In order that your understanding of this problem may be readily appreciated, I am including a picture of our growth pattern:



It is interesting to note what changes have taken place in the last decade. Compare your town with the over-all growth of the school union. Rather consistent growth over the years by all towns is self-evident. Perhaps it is fair now to consider how this continued growth over the next ten years will affect your schools.

Naturally, those school committeemen and school administrators charged with the responsibility of the schools are deeply concerned. Ten years represents a good span to consider. It is long enough to provide a good index and yet short enough a time to be realistic. Our yearly figures vary considerably but over the next ten years a similar picture of growth can easily develop.

During the past ten years we have seen a much stronger school system emerge. Our joint or regional high school with its comprehensive program including the vocational school is new

not only to our area but to the state as well. It has been backed up by a uniform supervisory program in music, art, physical education, special education and administration. A greater concern for articulation between all schools is also evident. The full evaluation of today's schools will not be possible until our present pupils have gone forward to advanced schooling and to their places in business.

With this as a background, however, the next ten years should bring about a maturity to our present basic program. In considering basic policy for the immediate future we must ask what our schools will be like ten years from now. The body of this report will deal with this problem as it affects our various school operations. Even if we are most conservative, ten years from now we will probably have at least 3300 pupils in the area. This means that in only ten more years our school system will be three times as large as it was in 1947. Please consider the implications of this statement and also the effect of providing for this kind of school growth.

Silver Lake Regional High School

In June 1958 one hundred (academic) seniors will graduate. An entering class of 200 seventh graders will begin classes the following September. This represents an increase of one hundred pupils and will bring the enrollment to a figure (1140) approximately the rated capacity. There will be a net school population gain of one hundred thirty-one students the following school year (1959-60). School population figures indicate that there will not be an increase in total high school enrollment during the school years 1960-61 and 1961-62. There will be an increase in total school enrollment of approximately thirty pupils per year for the next two (1962-63, 1963-64) school years. These enrollment figures translated in terms of classrooms represents a need of seven additional classrooms in the next six years; four classrooms should be made available within two years.

Curriculum vs. Space vs. Personnel: The advent of "Sputnik" has created much concern about Science in the present day high school curriculum. The standard science courses followed by college bound students at Silver Lake Regional High School provide good preparation. There are students who can benefit by an advanced science program. Currently (effective with the class

of 1961) such students at Silver Lake Regional High School are being given an accelerated science offering which will enable them to enroll in a science "Honors Course" in the senior year. These students will have had all the usual basic science course work by the end of the junior year. Eventually, a fused or combination science course of an advanced nature will be offered to capable students each year as these students progress through high school. Such planning at Silver Lake was accomplished long before the advent of "Sputnik."

A superior scientific knowledge could be most dangerous unless concurrently there is developed a good background in and appreciation for the humanities. Social Studies will continue as required for all students each year at Silver Lake. Basic English is and will continue to be required each year by all students. Every student must pass one basic math course to qualify for graduation. Three foreign language courses are offered at Silver Lake. The commercial course offerings are equal to or superior to similar course offerings in comparative high schools.

There are, however, definite inadequacies in the present organization and curriculum offerings at Silver Lake. Some of these may be easily remedied — others may not be quite as easy to remedy. A two year mechanical drawing course should be offered at Silver Lake. Personnel and space are lacking. An additional teacher is required to accommodate increased enrollment and demand for further work in Art; another teacher in Music; another teacher in Physical Education. In each case space must be provided. A summer school program should be inaugurated to utilize the physical facilities of the school to maximum capacity. This summer school program could be recreational as well as academic. There is a definite need for a trained person at Silver Lake to work with boys and girls who are academically well below the average. Personnel and space are limiting factors. A specialist to work in the field of reading is essential if Silver Lake students are to compete on an average or above average level in New England. Reading is basic to all subject matter courses. Personnel and space are limiting factors. Additional clerical help is an immediate necessity if proper care is to be given to school forms and record keeping.

School Classification vs. Graduate Opportunities: The Silver Lake Regional High School is rated as a Class "A" academic high

school by the Department of Education of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The school currently enjoys membership in good standing in the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. Silver Lake graduates have preferred standing because of this membership status. Continued membership in this organization will depend in large measure on the continuous growth of the school in providing adequate services to its students. A committee of 19 selected professional educators will spend three days in March or April of the coming school year evaluating the school in its entirety to determine whether or not Silver Lake meets the standards of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Colleges and universities are becoming most selective in their admissions procedures. Community two-year colleges are common in the western part of the country. It is not too soon for consideration of such an educational venture on a cooperative basis in our South Shore area. The Silver Lake Region should be represented in any planning or study committee concerning this possibility.

Education vs. Support: This report has primarily indicated needs which should be fulfilled within the next few years. The Silver Lake Regional High School has shown significant progress in the past three years with an almost minimum per pupil cost. With further and proper support of the townspeople Silver Lake will continue its evolution toward better educational opportunities for all youth in the four townships.

Vocational School

The place of vocational training in the school of the future is being more widely recognized as each new study of school needs is made. This recognition has even more enlarged concepts than were incorporated in our own plant. They include a closer integration of the shop areas with the other "lab" areas of the comprehensive high school. They include a positive program of raising the level of the vocations, formerly called the trade school, and giving it the dignity and prestige which industry receives in everyday life. No longer is the "trade school" in the rear of the building, physically and academically, it is now an acknowledged part of the educational future, one of the 10 imperative needs of youth.

Silver Lake has established a sound basic vocational program, predicated on a careful survey of the needs of the youth to be served in the district. However, even the most carefully planned program is in constant need of critical evaluation. Changes in emphasis, physical needs, not envisioned in the original plan keep appearing as we "live" with our school. Few of these need action immediately but should be kept in mind so that when additions to our physical plant are made, as they most probably will, they will provide an opportunity to restudy these physical changes in the light of vocational needs, as well as academic needs.

What are some of these considerations? To simply list them would imply that they are simple and all of equal importance. To describe each in detail would take too much space and would also presuppose that the problem has been resolved and merely awaits action. At the risk of being accused of straddling I will do a little of both.

When our school was planned it included much more space in the vocational related areas than we now have. In the interest of bringing in a building within the budget set by the planning committee a sizable cut was made in the cubage of the building. Much of this was in the vocational classrooms. This cut is being felt now and as our population increases will be even more critical. Both carpentry and automotive need teaching space for related and drawing, and this should be in the shop wing.

Agriculture survived the cut and is in a relatively steady position in regard to its physical needs. Provision might be made for a greenhouse or growing areas but this is something which can be handled by the department itself with very little expense to the district. The future of this program is bound very definitely to needs of the district and the direction it will follow in the next ten years will depend on the farm economy of the area. I feel that our program, based as it is on on-the-farm-projects, is flexible and able to be adjusted to any such changes.

Our vocational household arts program presents our most urgent physical problem. Here we find a minimum amount of space, too small for needs of a modern household arts department and located in the center of that part of the building where classroom space will soon be at a premium. Consideration should be given, and soon, to the thought that this present area be converted into two much-needed classrooms and the household arts

areas to be relocated, probably in a building adjacent to the [illegible] wing. This could take the form of a home economics area, plus clothing and food laboratories and home nursing areas. Some thought has already been given to this project and it is hoped that further study will show the relative merits of this proposal.

A further development of this idea might solve some of the vocational space shortages mentioned earlier in this report. Provision might be made in this building for 7th and 8th grade home economics. Now housed in a single classroom with no [illegible] facilities, another victim of our space cut from the original plans. This would release another classroom and yet provide some of the needed vocational related space. A further consideration might include the 7th and 8th grade home economics. In every case we would be substituting economical space for expensive [illegible] construction. In effect we would be providing additional [illegible] without the necessity of providing for a major addition to the original plant.

As stated in the opening sentences of this report the [illegible] of vocational education is tied to plant expansion and development. I have probably carried this point to some extremes but the projection of our vocational future calls for such planning. The future at Silver Lake includes larger enrollments. I may [illegible] was wise or economical to build for in the original plant. With this increase in pupils inevitably comes new space needs. Mere housing is not enough. We must take this opportunity to adjust our total program so that Silver Lake will do an even better job of providing for its students the educational opportunities geared to the age in which they must compete with their counterparts from other educational institutions.

Elementary School

The trend in elementary education is to have the quality of past teaching maintained but with even greater emphasis placed upon the three "R's." Reading remains the tool subject and must be accelerated to a greater extent in the future. A Workshop for reading improvement was held in Kingston, this fall, for elementary teachers of the district. Arithmetic continues to offer new challenges.

Here are a few changes that will take place in the next few years:

1. More time will be devoted to the study of science, begin-

ning with the first grade and continuing through high school. It may even be advisable to draw the children with very marked scientific interests out of the regular classroom and place them in a class of potential scientists with a specially trained teacher.

2. Improved provision for talented young people will be made. Classes for the gifted will be established.

3. The slow learning child will continue to receive the attention he needs to develop his abilities.

4. Communities will have to make every effort to hire and keep competent teachers. Capable young people should be encouraged to enter the teaching profession to help alleviate the critical teacher shortage.

5. As new teaching aids are developed they should be placed in the schools with teachers trained to use them effectively. Television, films, filmstrips, tapes, records and field trips used in conjunction with books, pencils, paper and chalk are dynamic tools.

What is Kingston doing to prepare for these changes?

1. The principals of the union are meeting to re-evaluate time allotment schedules in order to provide more time for subjects which need greater emphasis.

2. A Science Workshop is being conducted under the direction of Dr. Read from Boston University with teachers of the elementary school participating. Each teacher is trying out experiments, evaluating science books and writing units which will eventually be included in a new science course of study.

3. New books and materials are constantly being added to the system to keep teacher and pupils abreast of the times.

4. Experiments and research in education are being closely studied to decide which of the new methods can be adopted to help improve the quality of teaching in our town.

Physical Education

There is a marked difference in the interest and abilities in the age group 9-12 years. In grade 4, 5 and 6 the program for the girls and the boys is planned differently. This year we have tailored the program to fit the needs of this particular age group. The games require more skill, faster movements and more complex rules. For example, simple contact sports such as touch football. Also there is track and baseball for the boys. Softball, some track and field games and soccer for the girls.

Because of the great number of students included in our program, the supervisor needs with each child once every two weeks. Looking toward the future — as the program expands and more children come into school there will be a definite need for another teacher to meet the needs of the children. It will be necessary to have a teacher to supervise grades 1, 2 and 3 and one teacher to manage the program through grades 4, 5 and 6. Two instructors would allow each child more individual attention. In more frequent instructional class time, each child will be given more opportunity to practice, to repeat the fundamental skills and to develop towards a specific goal. An adequate program provides a variety of activities but repetition is essential to achieve the desired results. Time and supervision are necessary. Errors of each child must be noted, easily corrected and the teacher would have the time to develop and guide each child.

Music

Over the past ten years in the Music program of the Schools, many changes have taken place, new programs, new schools, new teachers and most of all new students have been added to the overburdened schools of the public. All are important, but the last, the increase in pupils, is the most important.

In the music courses, we are constantly trying to improve, to secure the best in music programs and great skill and [illegible] lessons which directly affect not only the students particularly interested in music but every student in the entire school system. Pride in our schools by all the students can be helped by a music program second to none in this area.

Only through cooperation by everyone concerned can this goal be achieved. Perhaps in the years to come we can shine as do other schools in other parts of the country. One has only to look at television to understand what is meant. One method, with others, to expedite this goal would be to go along with the recommendation of the State Department of Education in the immediate employment of one additional, full-time teacher of music.

Art

Students and parents who are afraid of art and believe they do not understand it, think in terms of the major arts such as sculpture and painting, which as far as they can see have no rela-

tionship to their lives. It is of the utmost importance that these individuals discover all the arts in relation to their total existence. The arrangement of a home, the landscaping of a yard, appropriate jewelry and clothing, and the meaning of aesthetically beautiful utilitarian objects such as pottery may become a creative experience and have much significance to a well-rounded citizen.

The awareness of these facts by many students is a major cause for concern — the look to the future is bright, but we must confront ourselves with the fact that our reach must be lengthened if we are to meet these needs.

In Conclusion

In addition to reporting all suggestions and recommendations of the supervisory and administrative staff, may I add the following comments. Your schools have employed our regular school physicians and nurses. Spaced physical examinations, eye and ear testing, as well as athletic check-ups have been made as required by law. Special class work and remedial work have been going on. These facts all go to show that 1957 represents a rather satisfactory year in the operation of our schools.

One last word on costs — your schools have averaged slightly below the State average in per pupil costs. Our salary averages have been slightly below those of our neighbors in Plymouth County. Certainly, if we are to maintain average or better than average schools our cost should tend to be average or better than average. Good schools cost money but poor schools are even a waste of both time and money. As you can all determine by this report our aim is for better and improved schools at the lowest possible cost to our taxpayers.

May I express my thanks to Mr. Moran, Mr. Creighton, Miss DiMarzio, Mr. Pierce, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Chouinard, and to the School Physicians and Nurses who have helped make this report possible.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER T. RAY,

Superintendent of Schools.

MEMBERSHIP — OCTOBER 1st

Grade	1957	1956	1955	1954	1953	1952	1951	1950	1949	1948	1947
1	77	69	83	80	100	78	53	71	73	72	65
2	71	84	78	97	75	57	85	71	67	60	41
3	78	83	97	73	68	77	71	61	56	43	42
4	75	97	74	67	76	66	53	55	43	48	58
5	99	66	64	76	63	54	51	44	48	55	47
6	66	58	80	68	59	53	43	47	55	43	37
7	55	76	69	64	52	49	51	47	40	37	50
8	80	66	64	52	53	56	46	40	32	49	37
9	64	67	57	49	48	45	41	31	52	33	41
10	53	46	45	49	47	33	31	44	39	30	32
11	44	35	41	42	30	31	42	30	34	25	35
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PG	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Sp	1	2	5								
	794	792	796	745	703	639	594	575	553	542	504
Voc.	17	13	17								

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1957

Grade	Age 5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
1	16	57	4													77
2		14	49	7	1											71
3			9	59	10											78
4				5	56	11	3									75
5					11	71	16	1								99
6						13	47	4	2							66
7							10	30	10	5						55
8							1	14	47	13	5					80
9									9	41	9	3	2			64
10										13	36	3	1			53
11											7	34	2	1		44
12												9	18	3	1	31
PG																
Sp								1								1
	16	71	62	71	78	95	77	50	68	72	57	49	23	4	1	794
Vocational										6	7	3	1			17

CENSUS — October 1, 1957

	Boys	Girls	Totals
Persons 5 years of age and under 7 years	87	97	184
Persons 7 years of age and under 14 years	261	255	516
Persons 14 years of age and under 16 years	77	81	158

KINGSTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

BUDGET ESTIMATES, EXPENDITURES AND REIMBURSEMENTS

	1957 Budget	1957 Expended	1958 Estimate
General Control			
Superintendent Salary and Travel	$2,055.00	$1,991.15	$2,055.00
Committee Expense	100.00	99.92	100.00
Clerks	1,025.00	1,055.02	1,065.00
Supt. Office Expense	375.00	400.87	425.00
Telephones	725.00	611.08	725.00
School Census	150.00	150.00	150.00
Attendance	100.00	100.00	100.00
Expense of Instruction			
Teacher Salaries	68,333.00	69,388.33	78,934.00
Principal Expense	200.00	120.00	200.00
Supervisor Salaries	5,575.00	5,942.16	6,490.00
Texts	2,000.00	1,556.89	2,300.00
Supplies	2,800.00	3,120.45	3,000.00
Operation and Maintenance			
Janitor Wages	9,760.00	9,628.50	10,228.00
Janitor Supplies	650.00	879.62	900.00
Light and Gas	2,100.00	1,785.85	2,100.00
Fuel	3,500.00	3,397.05	3,500.00
Repair, Replacement, Maintenance	7,500.00	6,955.75	5,800.00
Auxiliary Agencies			
Health	2,225.00	2,187.51	2,475.00
Transportation	21,980.00	21,320.57	21,900.00
Tuition	150.00	41.72	150.00
New Equipment	500.00	587.44	1,005.00
	$131,803.00	$131,319.90	$143,602.00

Regional School—see report following

Vocational Education	$150.00	$66.60	$100.00
Reimbursements		Received	Estimate
Mass. School Fund, Chapter 70		$30,277.11	$34,014.59
On account of Regional School		4,541.56	5,102.19
Special Classes		1,208.23	1,200.00
Transportation		16,426.07	16,600.00
Vocational Education		11.70	30.00
Supt. Office Expense		491.35	500.00
Total Reimbursements		$52,956.02	$57,446.78

STAFF

Elementary School

Esther DiMarzio	Principal
Dorothy Hall	Grade 1
Elspeth Hardy	Grade 1
Alice Peck	Grade 1
Lena Carnicelli*	Grade 2
Margaret Chittenden*	Grade 2
Edith Shea	Grade 2
Jean Blessington	Grade 3
Sylvia Corsini	Grade 3
Andrea Hofer	Grade 3
Florence Blume	Grade 4
Ruth Chandler*	Grade 4
Dorothy Poland	Grade 4
Ann Borsari	Grade 5
Barbara Cain**	Grade 5
Barbara Field*	Grade 5
Margaret Jenkins	Grade 5
Joseph Abbott**	Grade 6
Constance Barry**	Grade 6
Wayne Laitinen*	Grade 6
Mary Venti	Grade 6

Supervisors and Special Teachers

Robert Andrews	Art
Stanley Folsom	Art
Ralph Chouinard	Music
Olive Hasson	Music
Justin Cobb**	Physical Education
Hardie Pierce*	Physical Education
Carol Stone	Special Education
W. L. Rinehart	Writing

Health

Elementary:

Dr. W. Vernon Mayo	School Physician
Dorothy L. Felt, R.N.	School Nurse

Regional High:

Dr. W. Vernon Mayo	School Physician
Helen L. Peterson, R.N.	School Nurse

Silver Lake Regional High School

Francis M. Moran	Assistant Superintendent and Director of Vocational School
Lloyd M. Creighton	Principal
Barbara E. Cote	School Secretary
Mae Svirsky	School Secretary
Thomas C. Barham	Assistant Principal, Soc. Studies
Alice B. Baker*	Commercial, Soc. Studies
Evelyn Banta	Commercial
Mary L. Belcher	Home Economics
Sarah Bennett**	English
Leonello Bertocchi	Driver Training
Sallee Bielski (thru Sept.)	Physical Education
Sylvia Bjornholm	Mathematics
Margaret Boornazian (thru April)	Commercial
Mary Cherry	English
Anna E. Chiros*	Commercial
Elinor Churchill	Dean of Girls
Mary Ciannavei*	Spanish, French
Lilias F. Cingolani	Chemistry, Science
Walter E. Crossley	Industrial Arts
Richard M. Deasy	English
Helen A. DeGere*	French
Mildred C. Delapa	Latin
Eva V. Ellis**	English, Social Studies
Ronald N. Fallon*	Mathematics
Freeman Frank*	Social Studies
Joseph P. Freitas	Science
Paula D. Fuller*	Science, Math
Patricia L. Goldman	Social Studies, English
Lloyd V. Gress*	Social Studies, Science, Math
Arthur T. Hand	Director of Guidance
Clarence R. Heufelder	General Science

Anna Hill	English
Elizabeth Jones*	Girls' Physical Education (sub)
John Killilea*	Boys' Physical Education
Roland C. Kimball**	English
Olive Lemerise*	English
Elsie Leotz*	Hygiene, Health
Ernest N. MacFadgen (to May 15)	Physical Education
Stanley Mackun**	World History, Civics
John McCormick	English
Jean H. McCulloch*	General Science, Biology
Emily K. Nickerson	Commercial
Thomas E. O'Connor*	Social Studies
Dorothy W. Oliver	Commercial
George C. O'Neil	Science, Math
Marion Opachinski	Mathematics
Mary J. Packard*	Social Studies, English
Edward Parks, Jr.	Social Studies
Robert L. Pooler	Biology
Donald Randall	Mathematics
Robert R. Ringer*	English
Richard C. Roche	Social Studies, English
Marjorie L. Rounds	Mathematics
Mary W. Sinnott*	English
Anthony F. Sirrico	Social Studies
John A. Smith, Jr.	English
Doris E. Taber	Librarian
Francis Valois**	French
Mary-Elizabeth Weber**	Languages
Leonello Bertocchi	Vocational Academic
Ralph H. Binns, III	Vocational Academic
Robert M. Boardman**	Vocational Carpentry
Richard D. St. Onge*	Vocational Carpentry
Karl H. Erickson	Vocational Agriculture
Maurice M. Moran	Vocational Automotive
Genevieve M. Pratt	Vocational Household Arts
Richard J. Thomas	Vocational Automotive

*From September, 1957 **Thru June, 1957

KINGSTON GRADUATES FROM SILVER LAKE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL — June 9, 1957

Jon Hurle Alberghini
*Richard Henry Antoniotti
Bruce Elwyn Beane
Stephen Wiggins Bennett
*Melissa Ann Benson
Anthony Arnold Caldera
*Rachel Mae Cavanaugh
*Lee Jane Cavi
*James Adolph Corsi
Delores Jeannette Dean
William Louis Fornaciari
*Patricia Anne Garuti
*Shirley Ann Govoni
*Nancy Ellen Hamilton
Judith Anne Hird
*Marsha Lee Joyce
Joyce Elizabeth Laine
Beverly Mae Lee
*Brenda Loring
Sylvia May Loring
Virginia MacKenzie
Patricia McManus
Roberta Elizabeth Merry
Joann Overton
*Leonice Ann Perry
Merrilyn Viola Pierce
Margaret Anne Ruprecht
Thomas Martin Roache
Daniel Joseph Santos
Arline Marie Silva
*Alfred Joseph Souza
Robert Charles Stanghellini
Gail Patricia Tassinari
Norman Llewellyn Thomas
John Albert Traynor
Carole Anne Zaniboni

GRADUATES OF VOCATIONAL AND HIGH SCHOOL

Robert Rogers Cushman
Eugene Henry Wood

*Honor Graduates

ANNUAL REPORT
Silver Lake Regional School District Committee

Your Regional School Committee is pleased to report to the citizens of the participating towns a good year in the operation of our new Silver Lake School.

Educational and financial details are included in the finance report and that of the School Superintendent. However, we would like to give you some of the highlights of the year as they appear to the Committee.

Of major importance is the growing spirit of unity that is sensed among both students and faculty. This improving morale is evident in school functions as well as in the everyday life of the school.

On the physical side, 1957 marks the acceptance of our fine building from the builders, and the development of our athletic

fields, so that our first full football season included a majority of home games. In this connection, we look forward to an expanded athletic program which will provide athletic opportunities for more and more students, both inter-scholastic and intra-mural.

Structurally it is evident that our original planning committee did a remarkable job in planning for the forseeable needs in our new building. It is now equally evident from Mr. Ray's report that the Silver Lake Regional District Committee must again concern itself with the future needs of our four towns.

The cultural side of our school life is being enriched this year by the enrollment of Miss Barbara Heider of Schueningen, Germany, as an exchange student. A senior, Miss Heider is sponsored by the school's Student Council and her year's study is made possible by the International Christian Youth Exchange.

We are pleased with our teachers, but the stability of our teaching staff will increasingly depend on an adequate salary scale in competition with other school systems.

In closing, the members of the Committee would express their sense of pride and pleasure in being entrusted by their fellow-citizens with the satisfaction of making so important a contribution to their respective towns and to our future citizens.

RICHARD C. STURTEVANT, Chairman.
GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, Secretary-Treasurer.
RICHARD K. BALTZER
HENRY E. BRYANT,
JOHN H. DURGIN, JR.,
JOHN R. FARMER,
RICHARD C. HAMMOND,
ROBERT J. SPRINGER,
MITCHELL TOABE,
MARCUS M. URANN,
Silver Lake Regional School District Committee.

Silver Lake Regional School District

REPORT OF THE TREASURER AND ACCOUNTING OFFICER

In accordance with Section 4 of Article 4, Regional School District Finances, we present herewith a detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Silver Lake Regional School District for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1957, and the methods by which the annual charges assessed each town for 1958 were computed.

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, Treasurer
FRANCIS M. MORAN, Accounting Officer

RECEIPTS

General Revenue		
Town of Halifax	$52,310.75	
Town of Kingston	145,989.72	
Town of Pembroke	136,625.61	
Town of Plympton	32,870.62	
Total General Revenue		$367,796.70
General Government		
School Building Assistance (Estimated Annual Reimbursement)	$41,222.32	
Town of Carver—Tuition	24,192.28	
Town of Hanson—Tuition	1,397.68	
Town of Marshfield—Tuition	80.00	
Town of Plymouth—Tuition	339.40	
Town of Hanover—Tuition	95.68	
Town of Whitman—Tuition	191.36	
Cynthia Colby—Tuition	46.00	
Rent	20.00	
Telephone Tolls and Commissions	34.17	
Rentals	15.00	
Sale of Books and Pencils	16.79	
Discounts Refunded	5.00	
Insurance Claim	50.00	
Total General Government		67,705.68
Agency		
Withholding Taxes	$33,959.76	
County Retirement	2,253.46	
Total Agency		36,213.22

Indebtedness		
Loan—In Anticipation of Revenue		100,000.00
Revolving Funds		
School Lunches	$37,636.55	
Athletics	5,111.13	
Total Revolving Funds		42,747.68
Grants		
Federal Grant—George-Barden	$18,700.00	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts—(Vocational)	6,202.78	
Total Grants		24,902.78
Adult Education		
Registration		372.00
Refunds		
Repairs, Replacements and Maintenance	$42.10	
Supplies—Physical Education and Athletics	2.37	
School Lunches	24.02	
Books—High School	29.25	
Total Refunds		98.54
Petty Cash Returned		50.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Reimbursement for Special Class		3,262.56
Tailings (Check Not Cashed)		144.29
Total Receipts		$643,293.47
Cash, January 1, 1957		28,207.05
		$671,500.52

PAYMENTS

General Government		
General Control:		
Superintendent		
Salary	$3,749.86	
Travel	300.00	$4,049.86
Superintendent Office Expense		
Supplies	$181.69	
Clerical	45.00	
Summer School Conference	14.50	241.19

Assistant Superintendent and Accounting Officer			
Salary	$2,550.00		
Travel	9.80		
		2,559.80	
Committee Expense			
Association Dues	$55.00		
Tuition Fee—Harvard-BU Custodian Workshop	30.00		
Seminar—School Committeemen	30.00		
Supplies	136.96		
		251.96	
Secretary and Treasurer			
Salary	$1,500.00		
Certifying Notes	4.00		
Bookbinding	49.00		
Bank Service Charges	6.92		
Clerical	66.25		
Preparing Reports			
Construction Costs for the School Building Assistance Commission	167.50		
Accounting Forms and Books	327.76		
		2,121.43	
Clerks			
Superintendent's Clerk	$1,000.00		
Asst. Supt.'s Clerk	1,165.27		
		2,165.27	
Total General Control			$11,389.51
Expense for Instruction:			
Salaries			
Principal	$6,760.00		
Teachers, Substitute Teachers, Coaches and Driver Training	169,786.29		
		$176,546.29	
Principal Expense			
Clerk	$2,675.00		
Convention	99.65		
Association Dues	25.00		

Chemistry Seminar—Teacher	39.35			
Science Seminar—Teacher	55.40			
Supplies and Printing	238.80		3,133.20	
Supervisors' Salaries			9,588.36	
Books—High School			6,158.70	
Supplies—(general)			7,985.89	
Supplies—Laboratory and Driver Training			2,225.63	
Supplies—Athletics and Physical Education			4,679.09	
Total for Instruction				210,317.16
Expense for Maintenance:				
Janitor Wages including Matron			$24,118.35	
Janitor Supplies			2,182.07	
Light	$6,334.51			
Gas	451.00			
Water	200.00		6,985.51	
Telephones			1,308.93	
Fuel			6,177.64	
Repairs, Replacements and Maintenance—				
General Repairs to Building and Equipment	$3,823.80			
Equipment Replacements	1,496.17			
Trucking	89.10			
Grounds	600.08			
Painting Signs	50.25			
Tile	425.00		6,484.40	
Insurance			5,624.10	
Total for Expense of Maintenance				52,881.00
Auxiliary Agencies:				
Health				
Nurse	$2,340.00			
Physician	940.50			
Travel (Nurse)	240.00			
Supplies	56.57		$3,577.07	

Libraries			
Books and Supplies		$999.72	
Transportation			
Bus Hire for Students for Athletics and Educational Trips		1,933.71	
Graduation			
Chairs	$162.00		
Music, Supplies, Flowers	237.36		
Police	18.00		
		417.36	
Total Auxiliary Agencies			6,927.86
New Equipment			3,567.19
Adult Education—Non Vocational			1,559.42
Adult Education—And George-Barden Fund			1,953.69
Vocational:			
Appropriations by the Towns and State Reimbursements		$14,313.92	
George-Barden Funds		28,442.99	
Total Vocational			42,756.91
Cafeteria (Revolving Fund)			
Salaries		$12,539.45	
Supplies		26,119.88	
			38,659.33
Athletics (Revolving Fund)			3,827.49
Legal Expenses and Contingencies:			
Land Court Fees		$95.75	
Audit—(Commonwealth of Massachusetts)		212.28	
Town of Kingston—Real Estate Taxes		143.10	
Attorney Fees		35.00	
Rental Expenses		27.00	
Total Legal Expenses and Contingencies			513.13
Reimbursement to Towns—			
On Account of Special Class:			
Halifax		$477.23	
Kingston		1,208.23	
Pembroke		1,244.17	
Plympton		332.95	
			3,262.58

Interest and Debt:			
Bonds		$85,000.00	
Interest (Debt)		38,250.00	
Interest (In Anticipation of Revenue)		1,758.58	
Total Interest and Debt			125,008.58
Loan in Anticipation of Revenue			100,000.00
Agency:			
Withholding Taxes		$36,747.30	
County Retirement Fund and Assessments		4,868.41	
Total Agency			41,615.71
Total Payments			$643,238.37
Cash—December 31, 1957			28,261.65
			$671,500.52

Silver Lake Regional School District

Project Number 3 — CONSTRUCTION COSTS — Final Report

CONSTRUCTION INCOME

June 1, 1953	Sale of Bonds	$1,500,000.00
July 1, 1955	Sale of Bonds	160,000.00
November 30, 1955	Transferred from Estimated Receipts—(a portion of amount received from School Building Assistance Commission for planning costs)	55,000.00
March 31, 1956	Transferred from Estimated Receipts—(a portion of amount received from School Building Assistance Commission for planning costs)	10,778.00
September 30, 1956	Commonwealth of Massachusetts Flood Relief Board—for Flood Damages	1,600.00
	Total Construction Costs Authorized	$1,727,378.00

PAYMENTS

Land	$36,700.00
Recordings and Taxes	219.34
Test Borings	935.25
Surveying	3,467.43
Architect Fee	93,817.23
Estimator	250.00
Advertising and Financial Reports	165.87
Equipment	119,742.41
Clearing Land	4,075.00
Insurance	5,424.32
Clerk of the Works	12,600.00
Contractor	1,358,757.42
Construction Costs (Hardware)	25,265.00
Equipment Transportation	960.24
Concrete Tests	273.00
Other Costs	27.42
Other Construction Costs	4,353.94
*Landscaping	41,376.50
Construction Costs—Kitchen	17,697.00
TOTAL	$1,726,726.46
BALANCE—December 31, 1957, in Construction Account	651.54
	$1,727,378.00

*There is outstanding a bill of $250 due the Landscape contractor

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, Treasurer

FRANCIS M. MORAN, Accounting Officer

	$36,700.00
	219.34
	935.20
	3,467.46
	93,817.25
	260.60
	166.27
	119,775.43
	4,075.01
	5,484.32
	12,690.00
	1,358,757.51
	25,265.00
	969.24
	273.09
	27.41
	4,651.94
	41,376.50
	17,697.00
	$1,726,726.46
	651.54
	$1,727,378.00

Treasurer

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
LEDGER ACCOUNTS

	Balance Jan. 1, 1957	Appropriations	Receipts	Refunds	Transfers	Total Available	Amount Expended	Transferred or Closed To Revenue	Balance Dec. 31, 1957
Superintendent	.....	$4,200.00	.....			$4,200.00	$4,049.86	$150.14*	.....
								300.00T	
Assistant Superintendent	.....	2,900.00	.....	.....	.....	2,900.00	2,559.80	40.20*	.....
Supt. Office Expense	.....	150.00	.....		$100.00T	250.00	241.19	8.81*	.....
Committee Expense	.....	300.00	.....		.....	300.00	251.96	48.04*	.....
Secretary-Treasurer	.....	2,300.00	.....			2,300.00	2,121.43	178.57*	.....
Clerks	.....	2,150.00	.....		15.27T	2,165.27	2,165.27		.....
Teachers	.....	173,000.00	.....		4,100.00T	177,100.00	176,546.29	553.71*	.....
Principal's Expense	.....	2,975.00	.....		300.00T	3,275.00	3,133.20	141.80*	.....
Supervisors' Salaries	.....	9,500.00	.....		200.00T	9,700.00	9,588.36	111.64*	.....
Books—High School	.....	5,500.00		$29.25	750.00T	6,279.25	6,158.70	120.55*	.....
Supplies—High School	.....	8,500.00	.....			8,500.00	7,985.89	514.11*	.....
Supplies—Lab. & Driver Training	.....	2,500.00	.....			2,500.00	2,225.63	274.37*	
								500.00T	
Supplies—Athletics & Phys. Ed.	.....	5,500.00		2.27		5,502.27	4,679.09	323.18*	
Janitor Wages	.....	24,000.00			200.00T	24,200.00	24,118.35	81.65*	
Janitor Supplies	.....	2,500.00				2,500.00	2,182.07	317.93*	
								1,500.00T	
Light, Gas, Water	.....	8,500.00				8,500.00	6,985.51	14.49*	
Telephones	.....	1,500.00				1,500.00	1,308.93	191.07*	

Fuel	.....	8,000.00	.....	.....	.....	8,000.00	6,177.64	1,800.00T 22.36*	.....
Repairs, Replacements, Maintenance	.....	4,000.00	.....	42.10	2,500.00T	6,542.10	6,484.40	57.70*	.....
Health	.....	3,500.00	.....	.....	100.00T	3,600.00	3,577.07	22.93*	.....
Libraries	.....	1,000.00	.....	.....	.....	1,000.00	999.72	.28*	.....
Transportation	.....	1,000.00	.....	.....	1,650.00T	2,650.00	1,933.71	716.29T	.....
Graduation	.....	500.00	.....	.....	.....	500.00	417.36	82.64T	.....
New Equipment	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	67.16T	2,567.16	2,567.16	.....	.....
Insurance	.....	6,200.00	.....	.....	.....	6,200.00	5,624.10	451.14T 124.76*	.....
Adult Education:									
Non-Vocational	.....	2,000.00	$372.00	.....	.....	2,372.00	1,559.42	235.43Y	$577.15
George-Barden Fund	$717.57	.....	1,000.00	.....	235.43Y	1,953.00	1,953.00	.....	.....
Vocational	637.30	18,000.00	6,202.78	.....	.....	24,840.08	14,313.92	.....	10,526.16
George-Barden Fund	14,228.83	.....	17,700.00	.....	.....	31,928.83	28,442.90	.....	3,485.81
Cafeteria	1,026.98	.....	37,636.55	24.92	.....	38,688.45	38,659.33	.....	29.12
School Athletics	904.37	.....	5,111.13	50.00	.....	6,065.50	3,827.49	.....	2,238.01
Repairs and Replacement to Rented Property	820.53	.....	.....	.....	.....	820.53	.....	.....	820.53
Legal Expenses and Contingencies	.....	1,000.00	.....			1,000.00	513.13	486.87*	.....
Reserve									
On account Special Class	.....	4,681.00				4,681.00		4,632.36T 48.64*	
Construction	651.51		3,262.58			3,262.58	3,262.58		
Bonds		85,000.00				651.51 85,000.00	85,000.00		651.51

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	Balance Jan. 1, 1957	Appropriations	Receipts	Refunds	Transfers	Total Available	Amount Expended	Transferred or Closed To Revenue	Balance Dec. 31, 1957
Interest (Debt)	.....	38,250.00	.....	.....	.....	38,250.00	38,250.00	.....	.....
Interest for Current Revenue	.....	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....	2,000.00	1,758.58	241.42*	.....
E and D	6,200.41	.....	.....	.....	1,483.38A 30.00B 1,075.22*	11,789.01	.....	2,000.00C	9,789.01
Withholding Taxes	2,787.54	.....	33,959.76	.....	.....	36,747.30	36,747.30	.....	.....
County Retirement	201.98	2,113.00	2,253.46	.....	.....	4,568.44	4,568.44	.....	.....
Guarantee Fund	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	.....	30.00B	.....
Loan in Anticipation of Revenue	.....	.....	100,000.00	.....	.....	100,000.00	100,000.00	.....	.....
Tailings	.....	.....	144.29	.....	.....	144.29	.....	.....	144.29
TOTALS	$28,207.05	$136,019.00	$207,642.55	$118.54	$15,895.16	$587,823.60	$543,238.87	$16,323.08	$28,261.65

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"T"—Transferred to Other Appropriations 9,982.43T 4,075.22*
"*"—Transferred to E & D 4,075.22* 9,982.43T
"C"—Used to reduce the assessment for 1957 235.43Y 235.43Y
"Y"—Transferred from Adult Education-Non Vocational to Adult Education, George-Barden Fund 30.00B 2,000.00C
"B"—Transferred from Guarantee Fund to E & D 1,483.38A 30.00B
"A"—Transferred from Estimated Receipts to E & D

Silver Lake Regional School District

DEBT STATEMENT

Name	Issued	Amount	Rate	Outstanding January 1, 1957	Paid 1957	Outstanding December 31, 1957	Due 1958
High School Loan	June 1, 1953	$1,500,000.00	2.80%	$1,275,000.00	$75,000.00	$1,200,000.00	$75,000.00
High School Loan	July 1, 1955	160,000.00	2.40%	150,000.00	10,000.00	140,000.00	10,000.00

Silver Lake Regional School District

BALANCE SHEET — December 31, 1957

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS			LIABILITIES AND RESERVE			
			Tailings — Unclaimed Check			$144.79
Cash:						
General	$28,261.65		Federal Grant			3,485.84
Petty — School Lunch	50.00					
		$28,311.65	Revolving Funds:			
Accounts Receivable:			School Lunch	$29.12		
Rental	$30.00		School Athletics	2,238.01		
Tuition	6.00					2,267.13
		36.00	Appropriation Balances:			
			Revenue:			
			General	$11,923.84		
			Non Revenue — Construction	651.54		
						12,575.38
			Reserve for Petty Cash Advance			50.00
			Revenue Reserved Until Collected:			
			Departmental			36.00
			SURPLUS REVENUE			9,759.01
		$28,347.65				$28,347.65

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$1,340,000.00	School Construction Loan	$1,340,000.00

Silver Lake Regional School District
BUDGET FOR 1958

Bonds and Interest		
Interest due January 1, 1958	$1,680.00	
Bonds due June 1, 1958	75,000.00	
Interest due June 1, 1958	16,800.00	
Bonds due July 1, 1958	10,000.00	
Interest due July 1, 1958	1,680.00	
Interest due December 1, 1958	15,750.00	
Total Construction Costs		$120,910.00
Less Estimated Income		
Reimbursement from the School Building Assistance Commission for 1958		40,000.00
Estimated Amount to be Raised		$80,910.00

Town	Share Percentage	Amount
Kingston	45.95	$37,178.15
Pembroke	31.10	25,163.01
Halifax	14.93	12,079.86
Plympton	8.02	6,488.98
		$80,910.00

OPERATING BUDGET

General Control:			
Superintendent Salary and Travel		$4,200.00	
Assistant Superintendent Salary and Travel		3,275.00	
Committee Expense		300.00	
Secretary-Treasurer Salary, Bond, Expenses		2,200.00	
Superintendent Office Expense		250.00	
Clerks		2,500.00	$12,725.00
Expense of Instruction:			
Teachers, including Principal, Salaries		$212,649.00	
Principal, Expenses and Clerks		4,200.00	
Supervisors Salaries		10,500.00	
Books		5,500.00	

Supplies — General		8,500.00	
Supplies — Laboratory and Driver Training Expenses		2,500.00	
Supplies — Athletics and Physical Education		5,000.00	248,849.00
Expense of Operation:			
Janitor Wages		$24,812.00	
Janitor Supplies		2,200.00	
Light, Gas, Water		7,500.00	
Telephones		1,500.00	
Fuel		7,000.00	
Repairs, Replacements, Maintenance			
1. General Repairs, Building and Equipment	$3,500.00		
2. Grounds	1,000.00		
3. Replacement of Equipment	1,000.00	5,500.00	46,512.00
Auxiliary Agencies:			
Health		$3,900.00	
Libraries		1,200.00	
Transportation		1,800.00	
Graduation		500.00	
New Equipment		3,300.00	
Insurance		5,500.00	
Adult Education		2,000.00	
Band Uniforms		2,000.00	20,200.00
Interest in Anticipation of Revenue			2,200.00
County Retirement System			2,800.00
Legal Contingencies and Legal Expenses			500.00
Reserve			5,218.00
Vocational			18,000.00
Total Operating Budget for the Academic and Vocational School			$359,904.00
Less Estimated Income:			
Town of Carver		$30,000.00	
Available Unappropriated Cash		1,924.00	31,924.00
			$327,030.00

Silver Lake Regional School District

COST OF OPERATING BUDGET TO TOWNS ON PER PUPIL BASIS AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1957

Towns	Pupils Oct. 1, 1957	Cost Per Pupil	Total
Pembroke	387	$340.00	$131,580.00
Kingston	343	340.00	116,620.00
Halifax	149	340.00	50,660.00
Plympton	83	340.00	28,220.00
Totals	962		$327,080.00

TOTAL ASSESSMENT FOR EACH TOWN

Town	Operating Costs	Construction Costs	Total
Halifax	$50,660.00	$12,079.86	$62,739.86
Kingston	116,620.00	37,178.15	153,798.15
Pembroke	131,580.00	25,163.01	156,743.01
Plympton	28,220.00	6,488.98	34,708.98
Totals	$327,080.00	$80,910.00	$407,990.00

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, Treasurer

FRANCIS M. MORAN, Accounting Officer

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Kingston, Massachusetts.
Gentlemen:

In accordance with Section 61, Chapter 41 of the General Laws, I present herewith detailed statements of the receipts and expenditures of the Town for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1957.

IRMA A. RUFFINI,
Town Accountant.

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

TAXES—Current Year:			
Personal	$51,959.65		
Polls	2,152.00		
Real Estate	418,022.97		
		$472,164.62	
TOTAL TAXES—CURRENT YEAR			$472,164.62
Dog Licenses			1,164.25
TAXES—Previous Years:			
Personal	$1,412.63		
Real Estate	27,775.39		
Tax Title Redemption	149.27		
		$29,337.25	
TOTAL TAXES—PREVIOUS YEARS			29,337.25
TOTAL TAXES AND DOG LICENSES			$502,666.12
FROM STATE:			
Corporation Tax	$24,859.93		
Income Tax	8,118.64		
Meal Tax	2,158.52		
		$35,137.09	
LICENSES AND FINES:			
Licenses—Peddlers	$11.00		
Court Fines	354.90		
		365.90	
GRANTS AND GIFTS:			
Dog Licenses Returned by County	$813.06		
Reimbursement for Loss of Taxes	79.94		
		893.00	
			36,395.99
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE			$539,062.11

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

DEPARTMENTAL

PRIVILEGES:

Motor Vehicle Excise, 1957	$36,968.58		
Motor Vehicle Excise, 1956	9,923 07		
		$46,891 65	
TOTAL PRIVILEGES			46,891 65

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advertising Notices of Applications for Liquor Licenses	$69 15		
Advertising Gas Tank Hearings	12.66		
Telephone Tolls	36.60		
Deposits—Appeal Board	75 00		
Sale of Land	175.00		
		368.41	

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Alcoholic	$1,680.00		
Auctioneer	2 00		
Automatic Amusement Devices	80.00		
Common Victualler	80.00		
Intelligence	2.50		
Junk Collector	5.00		
Lodging House	16.00		
Lord's Day	45.00		
Lord's Day Amusement	140.00		
Motor Vehicle	160.00		
Open Air Theatre	200.00		
Propagation of Shellfish	800.00		
Sale, Rent or Lease of Fire Arms	11.00		
Shellfish—Commercial	20.00		
Shellfish—Property Owners and Residents	69.25		
Shellfish—Non-Property Owners or Residents	55.00		
Shellfish Fees on Granted Areas	10.00		
Taxi	1.00		
Taxi Operators	4.00		
Torching	1.00		
Week-Day Amusement	60.00		
		6,415.75	

ACCOUNTANT:

Refund—Accounting Department	$1.50		
		1.50	

COLLECTOR:

Abatement to Paraplegic Veterans	$212.00		
Advertising Costs	9 91		
Bank Dividends	39.50		
Deeds and Releases	8 00		
Dividends—Group Insurance	262 26		
Letters	1.00		
Maps	1.50		
Mortgagee's Receipt	1 00		
Municipal Liens	20.00		
Return Premium—Collector's Bond	110.75		
Trailer Excise Fees	61.00		
		721 91	

TOWN CLERK:

Certificates of Registration	$2.50		
Registration of Dealers in Oleomargarine	4.50		
		7.00	
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT			7,547 57

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Permits to Carry Revolver	$15.00		
Reimbursement on Dogs	81.50		
Reimbursement—Forest Fires	1,801.50		
Return Premium—Insurance Policy	288 00		
Sealer's Fees	155.75		
		$2,341.75	
TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY			2,341.75

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Licenses to Collect Cesspool Waste	$8.00		
Licenses to Collect Garbage and Rubbish	5.00		
Licenses to Conduct Kindergarten	3.00		
License to Manufacture Frozen Desserts	10.00		
Licenses for Overnight Camps and Cabins	1.50		
Licenses for Trailer Parks	20.00		
License for Poultry Slaughtering	10.00		
Licenses for Sale of Milk and Cream	13.50		
Refund—Health Department	5.16		
Reimbursement—State Subsidy	85.00		
		$161.16	
TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION			161.16

HIGHWAYS

Reimbursement for Cement Posts	$15.00		
Road Machinery Rental	346.40		
Proceeds—Chapter 718, Acts of 1956	9,800.00		
		$10,161.40	

Offset to Outlay:			
Chapter 90:			
State	$19,572.68		
County	7,841.55		
		27,414.23	
TOTAL HIGHWAYS			37,373.63

CHARITIES

REIMBURSEMENTS AND GRANTS:			
WELFARE:			
From State	33,131.41		
From Other Cities and Towns	1,670.06		
		$4,801.47	
DISABILITY ASSISTANCE:			
From State	$2,231.28		
From Federal Grant—Administration	489.72		
From Federal Grant—Assistance	2,850.16		
From Individual	1,200.00		
		6,771.16	
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN:			
From State	$5,224.86		
From Federal Grant—Administration	1,342.29		
From Federal Grant—Aid	6,577.11		
From Individual	142.70		
		13,286.99	
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:			
From State	$38,271.89		
From Other Cities and Towns	2,100.04		
From Federal Grant—Administration	2,369.53		
From Federal Grant—Assistance	33,216.09		
From Individuals	5,163.03		
		81,150.58	
TOTAL CHARITIES			106,010.29

VETERANS' BENEFITS

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' BENEFITS:			
From State	$6,245.90		
From Other Town	49.98		
		$6,295.88	
TOTAL VETERANS' BENEFITS			6,295.88

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

SCHOOLS:			
Telephone and Supplies	$593.61		
From State—Aid	34,818.67		
From State—Vocational Education	11.70		
From State—Transportation	16,426.07		

From State—Reimbursement on Special Cars	1,208.23		
From State—Reimbursement and Aid—Construction	8,495.71		
School Lunch Program	18,840.66		
		$80,100.65	
LIBRARY:			
Book Fines	$96.16		
		96.16	
TOTAL SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY			80,196.81

RECREATION

PLAYGROUND:			
Rental—Community Building	$402.00		
		$402.00	
TOTAL RECREATION			402.00
PARKS:			
Gray's Beach Concession	$250.00		
Gray's Beach Parking Fees	2,759.00		
		3,009.00	
TOTAL PARKS			3,009.00

ENTERPRISES

Water Rates	$30,944.78		
Service Charges	700.00		
From Individual on Account of Damages	267.00		
		$31,911.78	
TOTAL ENTERPRISES			31,911.78

INTEREST

INTEREST:			
On Taxes	$1,012.16		
Tax Title Interest	8.76		
On Trust Funds	1,530.92		
		$2,551.84	
TOTAL INTEREST			2,551.84
Federal Taxes	$26,534.84		
		$26,534.84	26,534.84
County Retirement System	$5,702.97		
		5,702.97	5,702.97
Group Insurance and Medical Coverage	$6,137.33		
		$6,137.33	6,137.33

REFUNDS

Group Insurance and Medical Coverage	$1.00	
Civil Defense	12.72	
Chapter 90—Maintenance—1957	451.00	
Disability Assistance—Assistance	68.80	
Aid to Dependent Children—Aid	272.95	
Old Age Assistance—Assistance	143.25	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits	73.00	
		$1,028.72

TOTAL REFUNDS	1,028.72
TOTAL COMMERCIAL REVENUE	301,520.13
TOTAL RECEIPTS	903,091.21
CASH, JANUARY 1, 1957	237,915.67
	$1,141,006.71

PAYMENTS

DEPARTMENTAL

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator	$25.00	
		$25.00
SELECTMEN:		
Selectmen—Chairman	$475.00	
Selectmen—2 Members	300.00	
Clerical	909.50	
Association Dues	31.00	
Travel Expense	200.98	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	126.10	
Supplies	58.08	
Advertising Liquor Licenses	59.49	
Advertising Hearings and Bids	38.93	
Laying Out Ways	627.00	
		2,826.08
ACCOUNTING:		
Accountant—Salary	$2,981.50	
Clerical	1,631.00	
Association Dues	43.00	
Travel Expense	59.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	40.51	
Supplies and Equipment	126.79	
Machine Service	45.00	
Binding Books	49.50	
		4,976.30
TREASURER AND COLLECTOR:		
Treasurer—Salary	$1,100.00	
Collector—Salary	2,200.00	
Clerical	1,246.10	

Association Dues	6.00	
Travel Expense	180.90	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	605.34	
Supplies and Equipment	898.50	
Burglary Insurance	30.00	
Surety Bonds	590.00	
Safety Deposit and Post Office Boxes	11.00	
Machine Service	62.75	
Binding Books	17.00	
Notarizing Fees	10.00	
Tax Title Costs	48.10	
		7,011.00
TOWN CLERK:		
Town Clerk—Salary	$600.06	
Clerical	508.00	
Association Dues	9.50	
Travel Expense	60.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	5.06	
Supplies and Equipment	120.10	
Recording Fees	142.00	
Surety Bond	7.50	
Binding Books	12.50	
Advertising	12.00	
		1,507.26
ASSESSORS:		
Assessors—Chairman—Clerk	$2,500.00	
Assessors—2 Members	800.00	
Clerical	192.50	
Association Dues	9.00	
Travel Expense	163.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	37.64	
Supplies	120.75	
Recording Fees and Tracing Charges	99.45	
Magazine Subscription	21.00	
Binding Books	53.50	
Revising Maps	350.00	
		4,349.84
ELECTION AND REGISTRATION:		
Registrars—Salaries	$483.75	
Clerical	473.00	
Election Officers	190.15	
Travel Expense	100.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	356.25	
Supplies and Equipment	136.35	
Machine Service	11.25	
		1,750.75
FINANCE COMMITTEE:		
Association Dues	$15.00	
		15.00

PLANNING BOARD:			
Association Dues	$20.00		
		20.00	
APPEAL BOARD:			
Equipment	$46.50		
Printing, Postage and Stationery	15.70		
Advertising	37.80		
		100.00	
APPEAL BOARD:			
Return Deposits	$10.00		
		10.00	
INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION:			
Printing, Postage and Stationery	$30.23		
Advertising and Maps	83.00		
Supplies and Equipment	91.73		
Magazine Subscription	9.75		
Travel Expense and Telephone	34.42		
Association Dues	15.00		
Janitor Expense	5.00		
		269.78	
TOWN HOUSE:			
Janitor—Salary	$1,787.00		
Telephone	698.88		
Electricity	209.79		
Fuel	965.50		
Supplies	17.83		
Equipment	252.98		
Building Repairs	1,400.68		
Repairs to Burner	124.06		
		5,456.72	
TOWN HOUSE—SURVEY:			
Architect—Fee	$250.00		
		250.00	
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT			$28,567.82

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE:			
Chief—Salary	$4,693.00		
Officers—Salaries	10,720.00		
Special Officers—Wages	907.00		
Association Dues	27.00		
Travel Expense	194.17		
Office Expense	74.35		
Insurance	330.00		
Cruiser-Ambulance—Operation	1,897.50		
Cruiser-Ambulance—Repairs	862.15		
Radio and Teletype Service	197.83		

Lockup Fees	$1.80		
Laundry	20.20		
Equipment and Station Supplies	300.51		
		$20,303.51	
Police 1956	$100.53		
		100.53	
Police—Unpaid Bill—1956	$54.56		
		54.56	
Police—Uniforms	$196.90		
		196.90	
Police—Cruiser-Ambulance	$2,331.57		
Advertising and Equipment	144.70		
		2,476.27	
Police—Radio	$115.00		
		115.00	
SHELLFISH:			
Warden—Salary	$100.00		
Assistant Warden—Salary	200.00		
Equipment and Supplies	176.07		
Equipment Rental	15.00		
Labor	30.00		
Shellfish Seed	49.50		
		870.57	
PROPAGATION OF SHELLFISH NO. 4745			
Shellfish Seed	$359.25		
		359.25	
HARBOR MASTER:			
Harbor Master—Salary	$300.00		
Equipment and Supplies	207.96		
Extra Labor	24.00		
		531.96	
Harbor Master—1956	$23.32		
		23.32	
FIRE:			
Chief Engineer—Salary	$275.00		
Captain—Salary	25.00		
Steward—Salary	15.00		
Firemen—Salaries	1,300.00		
Firemen—Wages Fighting Fires	1,689.10		
Caretaker—Salary	2,597.00		
Caretaker and Fireman—Salary	3,210.00		
Association Dues	10.00		
Fuel	545.10		
Electricity	210.15		
Telephone	451.00		
Station Repairs	407.82		
Station Supplies	143.14		
Insurance	380.00		

Truck Operation and Repairs	711.29	
Supplies and Equipment	146.90	
Radio Service	76.31	
Repairs to Hose House	412.13	
Hose	460.00	
Travel Expense	11.00	
		13,012.94

FOREST FIRES—PREVENTION AND EXTINGUISHMENT:

Warden—Salary	$275.00	
Wages—Fighting Fires	2,223.00	
Truck Repairs	61.01	
Truck Operation	167.36	
Radio Service	22.06	
Equipment	122.96	
Equipment Rental	21.50	
Supplies	35.27	
		2,934.79

MOTHS—INSECT PEST CONTROL:

Superintendent—Wages	$319.50	
Labor	2,030.20	
Clerical	45.00	
Equipment Rental	740.50	
Gas and Oil	6.94	
Repairs	3.50	
Supplies	13.30	
Insecticides	927.29	
		4,086.23

SUPPRESSION OF MOTHS—DUTCH ELM:

Superintendent—Wages	$311.80	
Labor	1,937.30	
Clerical	50.00	
Equipment Rental	72.00	
Truck Rental	714.00	
Supplies	6.52	
Gas and Oil	8.05	
Insecticides	569.94	
Spraying	132.00	
Removal of Diseased Trees	854.63	
		4,656.24

TRIMMING SHADE TREES:

Tree Warden—Salary	$990.00	
Labor	1,917.90	
Clerical	50.00	
Association Dues	3.00	
Supplies	12.41	
Equipment	113.49	
Gas and Oil	21.93	
Repairs	206.50	

	172.00	
Truck Rental	66.00	
Equipment Rental	265.00	
Trees		4,118.32

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES:

Sealer—Salary	$286.00	
Travel Expense	127.09	
Supplies	21.91	
		435.00

CIVIL DEFENSE:

Travel Expense	$91.43	
Clerical	293.83	
Supplies and Equipment	1,567.51	
Radio Repairs	31.04	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	15.80	
Telephone	79.40	
Electricity	181.42	
Fuel	23.49	
Advertising Bids	3.00	
Repairs to Tower	42.64	
Labor	10.00	
Forest Fires—Aid to Plymouth, May 1957	1,952.40	
Police—Aid to Plymouth, May 1957	21.00	
		4,318.96

OTHER PROTECTION:

Dog Officer—Salary	$200.00	
Disposal of Dogs	87.00	
		287.00
Insurance—Workmen's Compensation	$2,881.98	
		2,881.98
Insurance—Municipal Buildings and Property	$4,877.20	
		4,877.20

TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY .. 67,341.53

HEALTH AND SANITATION

HEALTH:

Health—Chairman	$400.00
Health—2 Members	150.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	10.82
Travel Expense	129.53
Supplies	2.00
Plymouth Community Nurse	254.25
Plymouth County Hospital	157.50
School Dental Clinic	159.07
Caretaker of Dump	1,560.00
Maintenance of Dump	664.17

Office Supplies	22.43	
Advertising	13.80	
Flu Vaccine	37.10	
Medical Expense	90.00	
Polio	161.31	
Premature Infants	651.50	
		$1,166.57
INSPECTION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN:		
Physician—Salary	$100.00	
Nurse—Salary	1,733.28	
Health Supplies	54.23	
		2,187.51
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS:		
Salary	$195.00	
Travel Expense	55.00	
		250.00
INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING:		
Salary	$55.00	
		55.00
HEALTH—INSECT CONTROL:		
Labor	$73.05	
Advertising	3.60	
Equipment Rental	40.00	
Kerosene	24.00	
Spraying	915.80	
Insecticide	1,615.50	
		2,671.95
Mosquito Control Maintenance	$100.00	
		100.00
Greenhead Fly Control	$500.00	
		500.00
TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION		10,531.63

HIGHWAYS

GENERAL HIGHWAYS:		
Superintendent of Streets—Salary	$3,927.00	
Labor	16,878.38	
Clerical	405.00	
Association Dues	5.00	
Office and Travel Expense	19.90	
Electricity	98.91	
Telephone	236.98	
Fuel	583.77	
Supplies	673.18	
Equipment	362.68	
Equipment Rental	1,702.40	
Repairs	687.39	
Building Repairs	14.12	

Asphalt and Patching Material	2,972.57	
Sand, Stone and Gravel	1,006.00	
Drainage	1,012.81	
		$30,586.12
ROAD MACHINERY:		
Operation	$1,926.43	
Equipment	942.84	
Repairs	1,192.28	
		4,061.55
Road Machinery—1956	$132.64	
		132.64
Road Machinery—Unpaid Bill—1956	$170.46	
		170.46
PICK-UP TRUCK:		
Truck	$1,175.00	
Equipment	412.72	
Advertising	2.70	
		1,590.42
Pick-up Truck—Radio	$115.00	
		115.00
SNOW REMOVAL:		
Wages	$3,375.47	
Equipment Rental	4,810.50	
Equipment	1,453.13	
Repairs	62.22	
Salt and Sand	4,464.30	
		14,195.62
TOTAL GENERAL HIGHWAYS, ROAD MACHINERY AND SNOW REMOVAL		$51,181.81

SPECIAL HIGHWAYS

CHAPTER 90:			
Main Street—Maintenance—1957	$3,153.98	$3,153.98	
Wapping Road—Construction—1957	$17,687.80	17,687.80	
Lake Street—Construction—1957	$15,988.47	15,988.47	
TOTAL CHAPTER 90			37,130.25

OTHER SPECIAL HIGHWAYS

CONSTRUCTION:			
Arrow Street	$278.26	$278.26	
Brewster Road	$2,347.37	2,347.37	
Wharf Lane	$111.10	111.10	
TOTAL OTHER SPECIAL HIGHWAYS			2,736.73

OTHER HIGHWAYS

Guard Fences	$195.55	$195.55	
Street, Direction and Danger Signs	$85.59	85.59	
Street Lights	$11,268.03	11,268.03	
Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	$1,412.04	1,412.04	
Land Damage—Lake Street Decree No. 1161	$1.00	1.00	
TOTAL OTHER HIGHWAYS			13,292.21
TOTAL ALL HIGHWAYS			$101,341.06

CHARITIES

PUBLIC WELFARE:

Administration:			
Welfare—Chairman	$100.00		
Welfare—2 Members	150.00		
Agent's Salary	416.00		
Association Dues	3.00		
Travel Expense	104.21		
Printing, Postage and Stationery	62.31		
Supplies	132.67		
Legal Fees	2.06	$1,270.25	
General Relief:			
Groceries and Provisions	$2,806.55		
Fuel	127.51		
Gas and Electricity	171.13		
Rent	562.18		
Board and Care	343.23		
Clothing	202.08		
Medicine and Medical Attention	1,103.68		
Transportation of Patients	48.95		
Plymouth Community Nurse Association	8.90		
Real Estate Taxes	119.09		
Other Cities and Towns	1,592.20		
Cash Grants	3,667.66	10,753.16	
TOTAL PUBLIC WELFARE			$12,023.41

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN:

Administration:			
Agent—Salary	$2,449.35	$2,449.35	
Aid:			
Cash Grants	$14,241.20		
All Extra	1,651.15	15,892.35	
TOTAL AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN			18,341.70

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE:

Administration:			
Equipment	$155.00	$155.00	
Assistance:			
Cash Grants	$6,284.05		
All Extra	1,241.65	7,525.70	
TOTAL DISABILITY ASSISTANCE			7,680.70

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:

Administration:			
Agent—Salary	$1,251.65		
Clerical	2,700.00		
Social Worker	2,970.00		
Supplies	470.93		
Machine Service	68.00		
Printing, Postage and Stationery	62.04		
Travel	76.55		
Telephone	188.75		
Association Dues	3.75		
Appraisals	20.00		
Legal Fees	6.43	$7,530.15	
Assistance:			
Cash Grants	$68,890.68		
Other Cities and Towns	1,925.77		
All Extra	27,681.47	98,498.12	
TOTAL OLD AGE ASSISTANCE			106,028.27
TOTAL CHARITIES			$141,074.08

VETERANS' BENEFITS

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' BENEFITS:

Veterans' Agent—Salary	$750.00		
Travel Expense	56.55		
Association Dues	10.00		
Ordinary Benefits	8,397.13		
Medicine and Medical Attention	1,587.29		
Fuel	1,251.86		
Transportation of Patients	7.00		
Office Supplies	6.43		
		$12,066.26	
TOTAL VETERANS' BENEFITS			$12,066.26

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY

SCHOOLS:

Superintendent—Salary	$1,750.00		
Superintendent—Travel	226.63		
Committee Expense	99.92		
Clerical	1,055.02		
Superintendent's Office Expense	465.18		
Telephone	608.10		
School Census	150.00		
Attendance Officer	100.00		
Teachers—Salaries	69,412.08		
Supervisors—Salaries	5,918.43		
Principal's Expense	120.00		
Books	2,262.02		
Supplies	2,405.76		
Janitors—Salaries	9,201.00		
Janitor Supplies	1,314.30		
Light and Gas	1,823.35		
Fuel	3,356.67		
Repairs, Maintenance and Replacements	6,804.25		
New Equipment	548.21		
Transportation	21,299.19		
Tuition	41.72		
Maintenance of Grounds	17.80		
Advertising Bids	5.28		
Insurance	21.38		
Supplies—Special Class	1.98		
Repairs to Maple Avenue School	121.12		
		$129,132.39	
TOTAL SCHOOLS			$129,132.39

Vocational Education	$66.60		
		$66.60	
Special School Lunches	$19,791.08		
		19,791.08	
Elementary School Building Committee	$487.41		
		487.41	
Silver Lake Regional School District	$145,989.72		
		145,989.72	
			166,337.81
TOTAL ALL SCHOOLS			$295,470.20

LIBRARY:

Librarian—Salary	$1,538.47		
Assistant in Library	100.00		
Janitor—Salary	720.00		
Fuel	295.02		
Electricity	119.88		
Telephone	116.95		
Books	606.00		
		$3,496.32	
TOTAL LIBRARY			3,496.32
TOTAL ALL SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY			$298,966.52

RECREATION

PLAYGROUND:

Janitor—Salary	$3,282.00		
Extra Labor	30.00		
Supplies	274.01		
Fuel	1,313.65		
Electricity	173.97		
Telephone	69.10		
Repairs	293.01		
Gas	25.16		
Removal of Ashes	62.00		
Equipment	72.43		
Equipment Rental	78.00		
Repairs and Gas for Mower	35.75		
Gravel	35.99		
State Building License	25.00		
		$5,800.10	
Playground—Unpaid Bills—1956	$100.49		
		100.49	
Recreational Equipment and Repairs	$979.65		
		979.65	
TOTAL RECREATION			$6,880.24

PARKS

PARKS:

Labor—All Park Depts. including life guard at Gray's Beach and Caretaker of all properties	$2,187.80		
Building Supplies, Gas, Oil and Grease for equipment	48.57		
Sand, fill, loam and asphalt patch	556.75		
Building repairs, maintenance and painting	231.58		
Supplies, New Equipment—Maintenance and Repairs	112.02		
Equipment Rental	1,375.00		
Rubbish Removal at Gray's Beach	150.00		
Special Police at Gray's Beach	525.75		
Telephone at Gray's Beach	56.46		
Advertising for Concession	12.45		
Sewerage at Gray's Beach	752.96		
Flags	65.83		
Landscaping	125.00		
		$6,230.17	
TOTAL PARKS			6,230.17

UNCLASSIFIED:

County Aid to Agriculture	$100.00		
County Retirement System	5,898.00		
Observance of Armistice Day and Memorial Day	500.00		
Jones River Basin	972.19		
Preparing, Printing and Distributing Town Reports	2,750.58		
		$10,220.77	
TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED			10,220.77

LEGAL EXPENSES AND OTHER CONTINGENCIES:

Legal Expenses	$1,600.00		
Other Contingencies	67.98		
		$1,667.98	
TOTAL LEGAL EXPENSES AND OTHER CONTINGENCIES			1,667.98

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

WATER:

Administration:

Commissioners—Salaries	$175.00		
Commitment Clerk	539.56		
Superintendent—Salary	3,927.00		
Superintendent's Assistants	6,420.00		
Office and Travel Expense	93.33		
Telephone	299.50		
Association Dues	15.00		
Magazine Subscription	7.00		
		$11,476.39	

Operating Expenses:

Labor	$327.00		
Truck Operation and Repair	525.40		
Equipment, Department and Station Supplies, Pipe and Fittings	2,191.23		
Fuel	813.00		
Electricity	3,360.22		
General Repairs	352.13		
Analysis of Water	3.21		
Repairs to Pump	2,335.68		
Equipment Rental	259.00		
Engineering Services	55.00		
Gravel	25.00		
Recording Fees	19.12		
		10,296.02	
TOTAL WATER			$21,772.41

IMPROVEMENT OF THE WATER SYSTEM—1955:

Engineering Services	$100.64		
Equipment and Supplies	1,636.33		
Equipment Rental	1,732.00		
Advertising Bids	7.20		
Sidewalk—Summer Street	624.75		
Patch Material	216.00		
Labor	1,095.75		
		$5,412.67	
TOTAL IMPROVEMENT OF THE WATER SYSTEM			5,412.67
Water—Additional Wells	$6,584.86		
		$6,584.86	
Water—Equipment	$23.56		
		23.56	

Water—Replacement and Extension of the Main on Maple Street to Landing Road	$5,681.11	5,681.11	
Water—Replacement and Extension of the Water System	$2,360.61	2,360.61	
Water—Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	$146.39	146.39	
TOTAL SPECIAL WATER			11,720.92
TOTAL ALL WATER			$11,981.21
ALEWIFE COMMITTEE:			
Committee Expense	$13.94		
Labor	60.00		
		$73.94	
TOTAL ALEWIFE COMMITTEE			$73.94

INTEREST AND DEBT

INTEREST:			
Elementary School	$2,970.00		
Fire Equipment	105.00		
Water Improvement	3,060.00		
		$6,135.00	
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:			
Public Service Loan—Water	$20,000.00		
Elementary School	26,000.00		
Fire Equipment	2,000.00		
		48,000.00	
TOTAL INTEREST AND DEBT			$54,135.00

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT

AGENCY:			
County Tax	$25,671.21		
State Parks and Reservations	1,409.38		
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	1,090.76		
Plymouth County Hospital	7,376.85		
Dog Licenses Due County	1,160.75		
Plymouth County Mosquito Control	2,286.31		
Withholding Taxes	28,701.64		
Retirement Fund	6,077.54		
Blue Cross-Blue Shield (Town Share)	4,432.69		
Blue Cross-Blue Shield (Employees' Share)	4,917.26		

Group Insurance (Town Share)	1,197.10		
Group Insurance (Employees' Share)	1,243.12		
		$83,561.61	
TOTAL AGENCY			$83,561.61
PUBLIC TRUST:			
Income—Lucy P. Ames Memorial Fund	$149.25		
Income—Thomas Prince Benevolent Fund	479.69		
Income—School Funds for Lectures	230.00		
		$1,149.94	
TOTAL PUBLIC TRUST			1,149.94
TOTAL AGENCY AND TRUST			$86,711.55

REFUNDS

Personal Property Taxes—1957	$71.55		
Real Estate Taxes—1957	911.60		
Real Estate Taxes—1956	355.10		
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes—1957	1,139.15		
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes—1956	219.25		
Poll Taxes—1957	4.00		
Group Insurance—Employees' Share	8.26		
Water Bill—January—1957	2.00		
		$2,741.21	
TOTAL REFUNDS			2,741.21
TOTAL PAYMENTS			$876,537.04
CASH, DECEMBER 31, 1957			264,539.67
			$1,141,076.71

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

LEDGER ACCOUNTS

	Balance Jan. 1, '57	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, '57
General Government:									
Moderator	.....	$25.00	.....	.....	.....	$25.00	$25.00	.....	.....
Selectmen	.....	3,336.00	.....	.....	.....	3,336.00	2,826.08	$509.92	.....
Accountant	.....	5,113.50	.....	.....	.....	5,113.50	4,976.30	137.20	.....
Treasurer and Collector	.....	7,028.00	.....	.....	.....	7,028.00	7,011.09	16.91	.....
Tax Title Foreclosures	$80.11	.....	.....	.....	.....	80.11	.....	.....	$80.11
Town Clerk	.....	1,536.50	.....	.....	.....	1,536.50	1,507.26	29.24	.....
Assessors	.....	4,358.00	.....	.....	.....	4,358.00	4,349.84	8.16	.....
Election and Registration	.....	1,815.00	.....	.....	.....	1,815.00	1,750.75	94.25	.....
Planning Board	.....	200.00	.....	.....	.....	200.00	20.00	180.00	.....
Appeal Board	.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....
Industrial Development Commission	.....	500.00	.....	.....	.....	500.00	269.78	230.22	.....
Finance Committee	.....	25.00	.....	.....	.....	25.00	15.00	10.00	.....
Town House:									
Maintenance	.....	6,167.00	.....	.....	.....	6,167.00	5,456.72	110.96	599.32
Survey	600.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	600.00	250.00	.....	350.00
Protection of Persons and Property:									
Police:									
Maintenance	100.53	20,039.00	.....	$266.51	.....	20,406.04	20,406.04		
Uniforms	.....	650.00	.....	.....	.....	650.00	496.90	153.10	
Cruiser-Ambulance—1957		2,890.00	.....	.....	.....	2,890.00	2,476.27		413.73
Radio		590.00				590.00	445.00		145.00
Unpaid Bill		54.56				54.56	54.56		

	Balance Jan. 1, '57	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, '57
Shellfish		900.00				900.00	870.57	29.43	
Propagation of Shellfish #4715	111.39		$800.00	.....	.....	911.39	389.25	.....	522.14
Harbor Master	23.32	600.00	.....	.....	.....	623.32	555.28	68.04	.....
Fire:									
Maintenance	.....	13,022.00	.....	.....	.....	13,022.00	13,018.94	3.06	.....
Additional Fire Alarm	500.00	500.00	.....	.....	.....	1,000.00			1,000.00
Purchase of Fire Truck (1951)	5.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.35	.....	.....	5.35
Forest Fires:									
Prevention and Extinguishment	.....	2,275.00	.....	659.79	.....	2,934.79	2,934.79	.....	.....
Moths—Insect Pest Control	.....	4,156.40	.....	.....	.....	4,156.40	4,086.23	70.17	.....
Suppression of Moths—Dutch Elm	.....	4,708.40	.....	.....	.....	4,708.40	4,686.24	22.16	.....
Trimming Shade Trees	.....	4,139.80	.....	.....	.....	4,139.80	4,118.32	21.48	.....
Sealer of Weights and Measures	.....	435.00	.....	.....	.....	435.00	435.00	.....	.....
Civil Defense	244.46	2,000.00	.....	2,073.40	$12.72	4,330.58	4,318.96	.....	11.62
Dog Officer	.....	325.00	.....	.....	.....	325.00	287.00	38.00	.....
Bounties on Seals	.....	22.00	.....	.....	.....	22.00	.....	22.00	.....
Care of Other Municipal Property	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	10.00	.....
Insurance:									
Municipal Buildings and Property	.....	6,000.00	.....	.....	.....	6,000.00	4,877.20	1,122.80	.....
Workmen's Compensation	.....	3,400.00	.....	.....	.....	3,400.00	2,884.98	515.02	.....
Group Life and Medical Coverage	91.40	6,500.00	6,150.13		4.00	12,745.53	11,891.41	853.26	71.92
Health and Sanitation:									
Health:									
Maintenance		4,796.00	.....	650.00		5,446.00	4,496.57	951.43	18.00
Insect Control		3,000.00	.....		.....	3,000.00	2,671.95	328.05	.....

	Balance Jan. 1, '57	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, '57
Inspector of Animals	.....	250.00	.....	.....	.....	250.00	250.00	.....	.....
Inspector of Slaughtering	.....	55.00	.....	.....	.....	55.00	55.00	.....	.....
Mosquito Control Maintenance	.....	400.00	.....	.....	.....	400.00	400.00	.....	.....
Greenhead Fly Control	.....	500.00	.....	.....	.....	500.00	500.00	.....	.....
Highways:									
General Highways	.....	32,426.00	.....	.....	.....	32,426.00	30,586.12	1,839.88	.....
Road Machinery, Operation Equipment and Repairs	132.56	4,300.00	.....	.....	.....	4,432.56	4,194.19	238.37	.....
Road Machinery, etc.— Unpaid Bills	.....	170.46	.....	.....	.....	170.46	170.46	.....	.....
Chapter 90:									
Construction 1957	.....	34,200.00	9,800.00*	.....	.....	44,000.00	33,676.27	.....	10,323.73
Maintenance 1957	.....	3,000.00	.....	.....	454.00	3,454.00	3,453.98	.....	.02
Construction 1956	2,652.51	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,652.51	.....	.....	2,652.51
New Pick-up Truck	.....	1,610.00	.....	.....	.....	1,610.00	1,590.42	.....	19.58
Radio	.....	590.00	.....	.....	.....	590.00	445.00	.....	145.00
Dump Truck	8.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.40	.....	8.40†	.....
Construction:									
Arrow Street	.....	300.00	.....	.....	.....	300.00	278.26	.....	21.74
Brewster Road	.....	2,850.00	.....	.....	.....	2,850.00	2,347.37		502.63
Jones River Drive	275.32	.....	.....	.....	.....	275.32	.....		275.32
Page Avenue	152.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	152.80			152.80
Wharf Lane	363.91	.....	.....	.....	.....	363.91	111.10		252.81
Smith's Lane Reconstruction	337.34	.....	.....	.....	.....	337.34			337.34
Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	1,600.00	1,600.00				3,200.00	1,412.04	157.96	1,630.00

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Shore Protection—Rocky Nook Avenue	.....	15,000.00	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00		.....	15,000.00
Guard Fences	.....	500.00	.....	.....	.....	500.00	495.55	4.45	
Snow Removal	.....	15,000.00	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00	14,195.62	804.38	
Street, Direction and Danger Signs	21.20	125.00	.....	.....	.....	146.20	85.59	60.61	.....
Street Lighting (Reg.)	.....	12,000.00	.....	.....	.....	12,000.00	11,268.03	731.97	.....
Street Lighting (Add'l)	1,711.94	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,711.94	.....	1,711.94†	.....
Land Damage:									
Lake Street, Decree #1161	112.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	112.00	1.00	.....	111.00
Howland's Lane, Decree #1181	231.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	231.50	.....	.....	231.50
Parting Ways, Decree #1148	74.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	74.00	.....	.....	74.00
Wapping Road, Decree #1134	16.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	16.00	.....	.....	16.00
Charities:									
Public Welfare:									
Administration	.....	1,300.00			.....	1,300.00	1,270.25	29.75	.....
General Relief	.....	15,000.00	.....	.....		15,000.00	10,753.16	4,246.84	.....
Disability Assistance:									
Administration	965.69fg	100.00	489.72fg			1,555.41	155.00	100.00	1,300.41fg
Assistance	10,287.30fg	3,000.00	13,597.92fg		68.80	16,929.42	7,525.70		9,403.72fg
Aid to Dependent Children:									
Administration	3,411.55fg	50.00	1,342.29fg			4,803.84	2,449.35	22.75	2,331.74fg
Aid	5,615.62fg	8,000.00	6,377.14fg		272.95	20,265.71	15,592.15		4,673.56fg
Old Age Assistance:									
Administration	1,617.55fg	5,000.00	2,329.53fg			8,947.08	7,539.15	4.94	1,451.99fg
Assistance	7,087.38fg	60,000.00	37,139.85fg		113.25	105,281.18	98,518.12		6,763.06fg
Veterans' Benefits:									
Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits		11,600.00		1,500.00	73.00	12,873.00	12,066.26	521.69	285.05

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	Balance Jan. 1, '57	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, '57
Schools and Library:									
Schools—Including Salaries, Maintenance and Ordinary Repairs	.....	131,803.00	.....	.....	.....	131,803.00	131,319.90	483.10	.....
Elementary School Building Committee	.....	10,000.00	.....	.....	.....	10,000.00	487.41	9,512.59	.....
Survey—Elementary School Needs and Committee Expenses	679.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	679.25	.....	679.25†	.....
Special School Lunches	990.64	.....	18,846.66	.....	.....	19,837.30	19,791.08	.....	43.22
Vocational Education	.....	150.00	.....	.....	.....	150.00	66.60	83.40	.....
Silver Lake Regional School District	.....	145,989.72	.....	.....	.....	145,989.72	145,989.72	.....	.....
Elementary School—Construction, etc.	5,414.79	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,414.79	.....	.....	5,414.79
Library	.....	3,500.00	.....	.....	.....	3,500.00	3,496.32	3.68	.....
Recreation:									
Playground:									
Maintenance	.....	5,842.00	.....	.....	.....	5,842.00	5,800.10	41.90	.....
Maintenance—Unpaid Bills	.....	100.49	.....	.....	.....	100.49	100.49	.....	.....
Recreational Equip. and Repairs	30.58	900.00	.....	49.07	.....	979.65	979.65		
Memorial Plaque	43.90	.....	.....	.....	.....	43.90		43.90†	.....
Parks:									
Parks	1,359.93	4,850.00		20.24	.....	6,230.17	6,230.17		
Pensions:									
Retirement Fund		5,898.00				5,898.00	5,898.00		

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	Balance Jan. 1, '57	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, '57
Unclassified:									
Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days	.....	500.00	.....	.....		500.00	500.00		.....
Preparation, Printing and Distributing Town Reports	.....	2,830.00	.....	.....	.....	2,830.00	2,750.58	79.42	.....
County Aid to Agriculture	.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....	100.00	100.00	.....	.....
Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	750.00	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....	2,750.00	1,667.98	.....	1,082.02
Jones River Basin	3,948.87	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,948.87	972.19	.....	2,976.68
Reserve	.....	7,000.00	.....	.....	.....	7,000.00	6,625.01	374.99†	.....
Enterprises:									
Water:									
Maintenance	750.00	20,794.00	.....	606.00	.....	22,150.00	21,772.41	377.59	.....
Additional Wells	4,223.63	2,500.00	.....	.....	.....	6,723.63	6,584.86	.....	138.77
Equipment	101.50	100.00	.....	.....	.....	201.50	23.56	.....	177.94
Replacement and Extension of the Water System	481.60	2,000.00	.....	500.00	.....	2,981.60	2,360.61	.....	620.99
Improvement of the Water System	32,515.30		.....	.....	.....	32,515.30	5,412.67		27,102.63
Forest and Improvement Work on Walter H. Faunce Memorial Grant	80.49		.....	.....	.....	80.49	.....	.....	80.49
Replacement of Main on Maple St. to Landing Rd.	.....	6,000.00			.....	6,000.00	5,684.44	.....	315.56
Water Main on Jones River Drive	3,500.00		.....	.....		3,500.00	.....	.....	3,500.00
Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	530.39		.....	.....	.....	530.39	146.39	.....	383.91
Alewife Committee	.....	100.00				100.00	73.94	26.06	.....

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	Balance Jan. 1, '57	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, '57
Interest and Maturing Debt:									
Interest:									
Elementary School Loan		2,970.00				2,970.00	2,970.00		
Public Service Loan		3,000.00				3,000.00	3,000.00		
Fire Equipment Loan		105.00				105.00	105.00		
Municipal Indebtedness:									
Maturing Debt	84.00	47,916.00				48,000.00	48,000.00		
Income from Trust Funds:									
William H. Willis Charity	1,581.48		150.75			1,682.23			1,682.23
Thomas Prince Benevolent	336.73		400.00			736.73	479.69		257.04
Arthur F. Wadsworth Welfare	76.72					76.72			76.72
Lucy P. Ames Memorial	564.28		634.97			1,199.25	440.25		759.00
Madella E. Witherell	6.00					6.00			6.00
School Funds:									
Lectures	559.11		281.69			840.80	230.00		610.80
Books	149.90		31.75			181.65			181.65
Cash Prizes	60.45		31.76			92.21			92.21
Withholding Taxes	2,166.80		26,534.84			28,701.64	28,701.64		
Retirement System	387.37		5,702.97			6,090.34	6,090.34		
Assessments:									
County Tax	164.51dr	21,649.59				21,649.59	25,835.75		4,186.16dr
State Parks and Reservations	429.51dr	1,774.12				1,774.12	1,838.89		64.77dr
State Audit of Municipal Accounts		1,090.76				1,090.76	1,090.76		
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	371.60cr					371.60		371.60	
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance	1,751.18cr	6,760.40				8,511.58	9,128.03		616.45dr
Plymouth County Mosquito Control							2,286.31		2,286.31dr

* — Highway Proceeds — Chapter 718 Acts of 1956
† — Surplus Revenue
fg — Federal Grant
cr — Credit Balance
dr — Debit Balance

Closed:

Sundry Appropriations to Revenue	$13,804.32
Estimated Receipts to Revenue	33,999.63
Sundry Appropriations to Overlay Surplus	1,921.27
Revenue to Excess and Deficiency	17,803.35
Total Transfers from Reserve	6,625.01

DEBT STATEMENT

Name of Loan	Issued	Amount	Rate	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1957	Paid	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1957	Due 1958
Water—Improvement of System	June 1, 1955	$200,000.00	1.89%	$180,000.00	$20,000.00	$160,000.00	$20,000.00
Fire—Equipment	Dec. 31, 1954	10,000.00	1½%	6,000.00	2,000.00	4,000.00	2,000.00
Elementary School	Oct. 1, 1949	380,000.00	1½%	198,000.00	26,000.00	172,000.00	26,000.00

TOWN OF KINGSTON

BALANCE SHEET — December 31, 1957

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash:		
General		$264,539.67
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1957:		
Personal	$2,191.19	
Real Estate	27,281.44	
		29,472.63
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise Tax:		
Levy of 1957		6,276.93
Tax Titles and Possessions:		
Tax Titles	$293.01	
Tax Possessions	486.76	
		779.77
Departmental:		
Police	$12.00	
Welfare	75.00	
Old Age Assistance	4,848.36	
Schools	325.04	
Water	503.50	
		5,763.90
Aid to Highways:		
State	$11,045.67	
County	5,135.23	
		16,180.90
Underestimates:		
County Tax	$4,186.16	
State Parks and Reservations	64.77	
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance	616.75	
Plymouth County Mosquito Control	2,286.31	
		7,153.99

Liabilities and Reserves

Employees' Payroll Deductions:		
Group Life and Medical Coverage (Town Share)	$71.92	
Group Life and Medical Coverage (Employees' Share)	71.92	
		$143.84
Guarantee Deposits:		
Selectmen	$30.00	
Planning Board	38.16	
Appeal Board	95.00	
		163.16
Tailings—Unclaimed Checks		155.88
Dog Licenses Due County		3.50
Excess—Sale of Lands of Low Value		498.45
Trust Funds Income:		
William H. Willis Charity	$1,682.23	
Thomas Prince Benevolent	257.01	
Arthur F. Wadsworth Welfare	76.72	
Schools Funds:		
Lectures	610.80	
Books	181.65	
Cash Prizes	92.21	
Lucy P. Ames Cemetery	759.09	
Mabelle E. Witherell	6.00	
		3,665.65
Recoveries:		
Aid to Dependent Children	$142.70	
Old Age Assistance	3,025.03	
		3,167.73
Federal Grants:		
Disability Assistance:		
Administration	$1,300.41	
Assistance	9,403.72	
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Administration	2,331.71	
Aid	4,573.36	
Old Age Assistance:		
Administration	1,451.99	
Assistance	6,763.36	
		25,824.58
School Lunch Program		43.22
Appropriation Balances:		
Tax Title Foreclosures	$80.11	
Town House:		
Maintenance	509.32	
Survey	350.00	
Police:		
New Cruiser-Ambulance	413.73	
Radio	115.00	
Propagation of Shellfish	522.14	
Fire:		
Additional Fire Alarm	1,000.00	
Purchase of Fire Truck	5.35	
Civil Defense	11.62	
Health—Maintenance	15.00	

Chapter 90:		
Construction—1957	10,323.73	
Maintenance—1957	.02	
Construction—1956	2,652.51	
Highways:		
Pick-up Truck	19.58	
Radio	145.00	
Construction:		
Arrow Street	21.74	
Brewster Road	502.63	
Jones River Drive	275.32	
Page Avenue	152.80	
Wharf Lane	252.81	
Smith's Lane Reconstruction	337.34	
Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	1,600.00	
Shore Protection—Rocky Nook Avenue	15,000.00	
Land Damage:		
Lake Street, Decree #1161	111.00	
Howland's Lane, Decree #1181	231.50	
Patting Ways, Decree #1148	74.00	
Wapping Road, Decree #1131	16.00	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits	285.65	
Schools:		
Elementary School Building Committee	9,512.59	
Elementary School Construction, etc.	5,117.19	
Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	1,095.02	
Jones River Basin	2,916.68	
Water:		
Additional Wells	138.77	
Equipment	177.91	
Replacement and Extension of Water System	620.99	
Improvement of Water System	27,102.63	
Forest and Improvement Work on Walter H. Faunce Memorial Grant	80.40	
Replacement of Main on Maple Street to Landing Road	315.56	
Jones River Drive	3,500.00	
Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	383.91	
		86,455.58
Receipts Reserved for Appropriation:		
Road Machinery Fund		1,483.68
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		10,619.38
Overlay Reserved for Abatements Levy of 1957		5,166.59
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise	36,276.98	
Tax Title	293.01	
Tax Possession	486.76	
Departmental	5,763.99	
Aid to Highways	16,180.97	
		29,001.44
Surplus Revenue (E & D)		163,535.63
$333,167.84		$333,167.84

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:		
Inside Debt Limit:		
General		$97,000.00
Outside Debt Limit:		
General	$79,000.00	
Public Service Enterprise	160,000.00	
		239,000.00
		$336,000.00

Serial Loans:		
Inside Debt Limit:		
School	$93,000.00	
Fire Equipment	4,000.00	
		$97,000.00
Outside Debt Limit:		
School	$79,000.00	
Water	160,000.00	
		239,000.00
		$336,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:		
Cash and Securities:		
In Custody of:		
Town Treasurer	$91,736.81	
Ichabod Washburn Trustees	10,513.36	
Library Trustees	27,357.73	
		$129,607.93

In Custody of Town Treasurer:		
Welfare and Benevolent Funds:		
William H. Willis	$13,737.52	
Thomas Prince Benevolent	35,231.24	
Arthur F. Wadsworth	3,810.50	
School Funds:		
Frederic C. Adams	5,000.00	
Rosa A. Cole	1,000.00	
Annie C. Thomas	5,000.00	
Elizabeth F. Glover Drinking Fountain Fund	682.91	
Flag Fund	96.91	
Educational Fund	1,325.55	
Cemetery Funds:		
Lucy P. Ames	20,000.00	
St. Joseph Perpetual Care	75.99	
Evergreen Perpetual Care	115.10	
Investment Funds:		
Municipal Buildings Insurance	1,354.97	
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	819.11	
Post-War Rehabilitation	456.92	
		$91,736.81
In Custody of Trustees:		
Ichabod Washburn Benevolent Fund		10,513.36
Library Funds:		
Frederic C. Adams	$20,196.81	
Rosa A. Cole	5,496.89	
Annie C. Thomas	1,143.31	
Byron C. Quimby	610.69	
		27,357.73
		$129,607.93

TOWN OF KINGSTON

MASSACHUSETTS

Report and Recommendations

OF THE

FINANCE COMMITTEE

TO THE

Annual Town Meeting, 1958

Together with a Copy of the Warrant Articles
and Accompanying Recommendations

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Kingston:

After much serious consideration and debate your Finance Committee presents the following report with recommendations for action at the annual town meeting.

We have met regularly the first Tuesday of each month with the exception of July and August. Many other meetings were held during the year. With the increased demands for town services and the inevitable increased costs of those services, comes a need for deeper thought and consideration to decide on a fair recommendation by your Finance Committee.

We wish to thank all departments and committees for the splendid cooperation and detailed information given us throughout the year. Without this help we could have accomplished little.

It is our opinion that the townspeople should be more conscious of the costs of our school operations. Especially to be considered is the rising salary schedule of our school administrators and teachers. We must always be aware of our ability to meet these rising costs.

At the present time our cash position is good. However, the economic climate is changing and we must adjust our thinking with this changing climate. Our Free Cash is at an all-time high. We recommend that a high level of Free Cash be maintained as a cushion to meet any emergency. Tax collections have been good thus adding considerably to our cash position.

We would like to suggest that all capital outlays be given careful thought before they are undertaken. Timing and need of this type of project is very important from a cost standpoint.

Your Finance Committee has recommended an increase in water rates to the Board of Water Commissioners. We made this suggestion because we felt that added income is necessary to meet the growing costs of this most essential service to the townspeople. There has been no increase in water rates since 1935.

Our opinion is that now is the time to hold the line on any increases in the salaries of town employees. Therefore, we have recommended no increases this year. We feel that economic conditions warrant this action.

Budget requests to operate town government have increased by $26,000.00 for 1958 over 1957. Our recommendations on warrant articles will cost the taxpayer approximately $47,000.00. In order to hold the tax rate at the 1957 level, we are recommending the use of Free Cash.

We hope the tax payers will exercise their privilege of expressing their opinions and attend town meeting to do so.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE B. WESTGATE, *Chairman,*
JOHN R. HAMILTON, *Vice Chairman,*
MATTHEW C. WALSH, JR., *Secretary,*
ALF C. LOOTZ,
MARSHALL W. JOYCE,
HAROLD S. NATHANSON,
HENRY LEMIEUX,
NICHOLAS ZINSIUS,
MANDO J. ALDROVANDI,
Finance Committee.

BUDGET 1958

	*Appropriated	Expended	Requested	Recommended
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:				
1. Moderator	$25.00	$25.00	$25.00	$25.00
2. Selectmen, Salaries and Equipment	3,336.00	2,876.68	3,706.00	3,081.00
3. Accountant, Salaries and Expenses	5,113.50	4,976.50	5,736.00	5,736.00
4. Treasurer and Collector, Salaries and Expenses	7,028.00	7,011.00	7,028.00	7,028.00
5. Town Clerk, Salaries and Expenses	1,536.50	1,507.26	1,636.50	1,636.50
6. Assessors, Salaries and Expenses	4,358.00	4,349.84	4,358.00	4,358.00
7. Election and Registration, Salaries and Expenses	1,845.00	1,750.75	2,640.00	2,640.00
8. Board of Appeals	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
9. Planning Board	200.00	20.00	100.00	100.00
10. Industrial Development Commission	500.00	269.78	500.00	500.00
11. Finance Committee	25.00	15.00	20.00	20.00
12. Town House—Maintenance	6,167.00	5,456.72	6,002.00	5,902.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:				
13. Police—Maintenance	20,406.04	20,406.04	25,689.00	22,614.00
13a. Police—Out-of-State Travel	....	....	100.00	100.00
14. Police—Uniforms	650.00	496.90	650.00	650.00
15. Shellfish, Salaries and Expenses	900.00	870.57	900.00	900.00
16. Harbor Master, Salary and Expenses	623.32	555.28	600.00	600.00
17. Fire—Maintenance	13,072.00	13,018.91	13,437.00	13,387.00
17a. Fire—Out-of-State Travel			100.00	100.00
18. Forest Fires, Prevention and Extinguishment	2,934.79	2,934.79	2,7[illegible]0.00	2,750.00
19. Sealer of Weights and Measures	435.00	435.00	435.00	435.00
20. Moth-Insect Pest Control	1,156.49	1,000.23	3,028.20	3,028.20
21. Suppression of Moths—Dutch Elm	1,708.49	1,696.24	5,100.00	5,100.00
22. Trimming Shade Trees	1,119.84	1,118.32	1,329.80	1,329.80
23. Dog Officer	335.00	287.00	335.00	335.00
24. Bounties on Seals	22.00	None	22.00	22.00

25. Civil Defense	1,330.58	1,318.95	2,608.00	2,200.00
26. Insurance—Municipal Buildings and Property, including Indemnity under Clause 1, Section 5, Chapter 40	6,000.00	4,877.79	6,000.00	6,000.00
27. Insurance—Workmen's Compensation	3,100.00	2,884.98	3,100.00	3,100.00
28. Insurance—Group Life-Employees, Chapter 32-B G L	6,500.00	5,629.79	6,500.00	6,500.00
29. Care of Other Municipal Property	10.00	None	10.00	10.00
HEALTH AND SANITATION:				
30. Health, Salaries and Expenses	5,146.00	4,166.57	5,335.00	5,335.00
31. Health—Insect Control	3,000.00	2,671.95	2,125.00	2,125.00
32. Inspector of Animals, Salary and Expenses	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00
33. Inspector of Slaughtering, Salary	55.00	55.00	55.00	55.00
34. Mosquito Control Maintenance, Chap. 112, Acts of 1931	400.00	400.00	600.00	500.00
35. Greenhead Fly Control	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
HIGHWAYS:				
36. General Highways, Including Ordinary Repairs, Salary of Supt and Care of Bldgs., and Lot for Equipment	32,426.00	30,586.12	32,930.00	32,930.00
37. Road Machinery, Operation, Equipment and Repairs—From Tax Levy	4,432.56	4,194.19	4,500.00	4,300.00
38. Street, Direction and Danger Signs	146.20	85.59	200.00	200.00
39. Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	3,200.00	1,412.04	1,000.00	1,000.00
40. Guard Fences	500.00	495.55	500.00	500.00
41. Snow Removal, Including Sanding Roads and Incidentals	15,000.00	14,195.62		
42. Street Lighting	12,000.00	11,268.63	17,000.00	12,000.00
CHARITIES:				
43. Public Welfare—Administration	1,300.00	1,278.25	1,300.00	1,300.00
44. Public Welfare—General Relief	15,000.00	10,753.16	12,000.00	12,000.00
45. Disability Assistance—Administration	100.00	None	50.00	50.00
46. Disability Assistance—Assistance	3,044.20	3,044.20	1,000.00	1,000.00

	*Appropriated	†Expended	Requested	Recommended
47. Aid to Dependent Children—Administration	50.00	27.25	50.00	50.00
48. Aid to Dependent Children—Aid	8,137.05	8,137.05	8,000.00	8,000.00
49. Old Age Assistance—Administration	5,600.00	4,995.06	3,500.00	3,500.00
50. Old Age Assistance—Assistance	60,088.40	60,088.40	64,000.00	64,000.00
VETERANS' BENEFITS:				
51. Soldier' and Sailors' Benefits	12,873.00	12,066.26	12,512.00	12,412.00
SCHOOLS:				
52. Schools—Including Salaries, Maintenance and Ordinary Repairs	131,803.00	131,319.90	143,302.00	143,302.00
53. Vocational Education	150.00	66.60	100.00	100.00
54. Silver Lake Regional School District	145,989.72	145,959.72	153,798.15	153,798.15
LIBRARY:				
55. Library—From Tax Levy	$2,686.94	....	$3,172.13	$3,172.13
From Dog Fund	813.06	....	827.87	827.87
TOTAL	$3,500.00	$3,496.32	$4,000.00	$4,000.00
RECREATION:				
56. Playground—Maintenance	$5,842.00	$5,800.10	$5,879.00	$5,798.00
57. Playground—Recreational Equipment and Repairs	979.65	979.65	1,197.00	1,197.00
PARKS:				
58. Park Commission	6,230.17	6,230.17	5,360.00	5,360.00
PENSIONS:				
59. Retirement	5,898.00	5,898.00	6,644.60	6,644.60
UNCLASSIFIED:				
60. Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days	500.00	500.00	750.00	750.00
61. County Aid to Agriculture	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

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62. Preparation, Printing and Distributing Town Reports	2,850.00	2,750.58	....	....
63. Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	2,750.00	1,097.98	1,500.00	1,500.00
64. Reserve—From Overlay Surplus	7,000.00	6,625.01	7,000.00	7,000.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:				
65. Water—Maintenance	22,150.00	21,772.41	23,067.00	22,626.00
66. Water—Equipment	261.50	23.56	250.00	250.00
67. Water—Replacement and Extension of the Water System	2,081.00	2,360.61	2,000.00	2,000.00
68. Water—Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	530.30	146.33	200.00	200.00
The following items are to be raised by the Assessors in addition to those appropriated:				
State Parks and Reservation ($2,351.82 plus underestimate of $64.77)			2,416.59	2,416.59
State Audit of Municipal Accounts			773.56	773.56
County Tax ($26,970.00 plus underestimate of $4,186.16)			31,156.16	31,156.16
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance ($7,526.36 plus underestimate of $616.75)			8,143.11	8,143.11
Plymouth County Mosquito Project ($2,383.90 plus underestimate of $2,286.31)			4,670.21	4,670.21
MATURING DEBT:				
Water—Improvement of System—1955			$20,000.00	
Fire—Equipment Loan—1951			2,000.00	
Elementary School—1949			26,000.00	
TOTAL MATURING DEBT				$48,000.00
Interest—P. S. Loan			$2,700.83	
Interest—Fire Equipment Loan			70.00	
Interest—School Loan			2,550.00	
TOTAL INTEREST				$5,320.83

*Includes Balance January 1, 1957, plus transfers from Reserve and refunds.

†Includes payments from balance carried forward.

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Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the town treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Construction, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $9,000.00 by tax levy.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Maintenance or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $1,000.00 by tax levy.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a dump truck for the Highway Department.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $3,600.00 by tax levy.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of an automatic sander for the use of the Highway Department.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $2,500.00 by tax levy.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a traffic line marker for the Highway Department.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $1,000.00 by tax levy.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a vehicle to be used as a cruiser-ambulance by the Police Department, and authorize the Selectmen to turn in the present 1956 Dodge cruiser-ambulance now owned by the Police Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new vehicle.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $2,100.00 by tax levy.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for relocating the water main at the Pembroke Street bridge.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $663.50, being the amount ordered by the Plymouth County Commissioners at their regular meeting holden at Plymouth on the twenty-ninth day of October, 1957, to be paid from the treasury of the Town of Kingston to sundry persons on application therefor; the amounts named as awards for damage caused by the taking of land on part of Grove Street, under the provisions of Decree No. 1194.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $663.50 by tax levy.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $277,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of constructing on land owned by the Town an addition to the elementary school building, and for originally equipping and furnishing said addition, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, including the balance remaining in the appropriation voted by the Town under Article 30 of the warrant for the annual town meeting of 1957, and by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, or take any action in relation thereto.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $10,083.16 by tax levy.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote that the Elementary School Building Committee, established under Article 30 of

the warrant for the annual town meeting of 1957, be authorized to enter into all contracts and agreements necessary to construct, equip and furnish the addition to the elementary school building.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the payment of certain unpaid bills of prior years.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 427 of the Acts of 1957, which will increase the amount of pension of certain retired police officers and fire fighters.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 32, Section 56 to 59, inclusive, as amended, of the General Laws, which will increase the amount of pension of certain retired veterans of the Spanish and World Wars.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing land, to lease, to make necessary restrictions, to take land by eminent domain or to take any other action that deems to be to the best interest of the Kingston Water Department as provided in the enabling act, Chapter 239 of the Acts of 1885, as amended, a portion of parcels of land now owned by George Havey and being Lot 28, Block 3; a portion of land now owned by Thomas Havey and being Lots 28A, 29A and 29C, Block 3; and a portion of land now owned by the L & L Kingston Drive-In Theatre, Inc. and being Lot 31, Block 3, all as shown on the Assessors plan on file in the Town House, and being for the purpose of improving the water system.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $4,750.00 by tax levy.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of installing a gravel-

packed well on a parcel of land purchased from George Havey.

Recommend no action.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of installing and housing the necessary pump, equipment, pipe, fittings and appurtenances and to connect the pipe-line to the main on Summer Street, for the new gravel-packed well on the Havey property, so-called, off Winthrop Street; and to transfer the sum of the unexpended balance of $27,102.63 now in the appropriation made under Article 34 of the annual town meeting in March 1955 for the Improvement of the Water System and to determine whether the balance of the money needed should be raised by taxation or transferred from other available funds in the treasury, by appropriation or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend no action.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 94 of Chapter 130 of the General Laws, which section will permit the Town to control and regulate a public fishery in the Town.

Recommend favorable action.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be expended by the Fish Committee in participating in an alewife project in accordance with the provisions of Section 94 of Chapter 130 of the General Laws.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $500.00 by tax levy.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a truck and attachments for the Water Department, and authorize the Board of Water Commissioners to turn in the present 1954 International truck and attachments now owned by the Water Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new truck.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $2,500.00 by tax levy.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of re-conditioning the hydro-turbine of the Kingston Water Department, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $7,000.00 by tax levy.

Article 27. To see if the Town will transfer the sum of $34.40 now in the appropriation "Walter H. Faunce Memorial Grant" and the unexpended balance of $315.56 now in the appropriation "Water—Maple Street" to the appropriation for the "Extension and Replacement of the Water System."

Recommend no action.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to be added to the present appropriation for "Additional Wells" for the purpose of making a further study of additional wells, or take any action relative thereto.

Comment to be made at Town Meeting.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the construction of an addition to the Fire Station on Maple Street.

Recommend no action.

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Recommend favorable action — not to exceed $2,500.00 by tax levy.

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Recommend no action.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way known as Cedar Lane beginning on the southerly side of Shore Drive and continuing to Leigh Road, a distance of approximately 1,300 feet, more or less, as laid out by the Selectmen, a plan thereof having been filed with the Town Clerk in accordance with the General Laws; and raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the construction thereof and for acquiring title. (By Petition)

Recommend no action.

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Recommend no action.

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Comment to be made at Town Meeting.

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Recommend no action.

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Recommend no action.

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Recommend favorable action.

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Recommend favorable action.

TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Plymouth, ss. Greeting:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Kingston:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Town House on

SATURDAY, the EIGHTH DAY OF MARCH NEXT, 1958

for the following purposes, viz:

Article 1. To choose all necessary Town officials, the following officers are to be chosen on one ballot—viz: A Moderator, a Town Clerk, a Treasurer, Two Constables, a Tree Warden, all for one year. One Selectman, one Assessor, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, one member of the School Committee, two Trustees of the Frederic C. Adams Public Library, one member of the Park Commission, two members of the Playground Commission, one Water Commissioner, all for three years. One member of the Planning Board for five years. To vote on the following question:

Shall the Town vote to accept the provisions of Section 48 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws, thereby placing under Civil Service the regular or permanent members of the police force?

Article 2. At the close of the Election and after the announcement of the results of the election, the meeting will stand adjourned until the fifteenth day of March following, at one o'clock p.m. in the Reed Community Building, when such officers as are to be nominated from the floor will be chosen.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of the Town Officers.

Article 4. To fix the salaries of elected officers.

Article 5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the town treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from

time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Construction, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Maintenance, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a dump truck for the Highway Department.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of an automatic sander for the use of the Highway Department.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a traffic line marker for the Highway Department.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of a vehicle to be used as a cruiser-ambulance by the Police Department, and authorize the Selectmen to turn in the present 1956 Dodge cruiser-ambulance now owned by the Police Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new vehicle.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for relocating the water main at the Pembroke Street bridge.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $663.50, being the amount ordered by the Plymouth County Commissioners at their regular meeting holden

at Plymouth on the twenty-ninth day of October, 1957, to be paid from the treasury of the Town of Kingston to sundry persons on application therefor; the amounts named as awards for damage caused by the taking of land on part of Grove Street, under the provisions of Decree No. 1194.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $277,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of constructing on land owned by the Town an addition to the elementary school building, and for originally equipping and furnishing said addition, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, including the balance remaining in the appropriation voted by the Town under Article 30 of the warrant for the annual town meeting of 1957, and by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote that the Elementary School Building Committee, established under Article 30 of the warrant for the annual town meeting of 1957, be authorized to enter into all contracts and agreements necessary to construct, equip and furnish the addition to the elementary school building.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the payment of certain unpaid bills of prior years.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 427 of the Acts of 1957, which will increase the amount of pension of certain retired police officers and fire fighters.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 32, Section 56 to 59, inclusive, as amended, of the General Laws, which will increase the amount of pension of certain retired veterans of the Spanish and World Wars.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing land, to lease, to make necessary restrictions, to take land by eminent domain or to take any other action that deems to be to the best interest of the Kingston Water Department as provided in the

enabling act, Chapter 239 of the Acts of 1885, as amended, a portion of parcels of land now owned by George Havey and being Lot 28, Block 3; a portion of land now owned by Thomas Havey and being Lots 28A, 29A and 29C, Block 3; and a portion of land now owned by the L & L Kingston Drive-In Theatre, Inc. and being Lot 31, Block 3, all as shown on the Assessors plan on file in the Town House, and being for the purpose of improving the water system.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of installing a gravel-packed well on a parcel of land purchased from George Havey.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of installing and housing the necessary pump, equipment, pipe, fittings and appurtenances and to connect the pipe-line to the main on Summer Street, for the new gravel-packed well on the Havey property, so-called, off Winthrop Street; and to transfer the sum of the unexpended balance of $27,102.63 now in the appropriation made under Article 25 of the annual town meeting in March 1955 for the Improvement of the Water System and to determine whether the balance of the money needed should be raised by taxation or transferred from other available funds in the treasury, by appropriation or by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws or take any action relative thereto.

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And you are required to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doing thereon at time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of February, 1958.

JOHN J. MOORE,
JOHN C. McCANN,
WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL,
Selectmen of Kingston.

A true copy. Attest:

_____, *Constable.*

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FIRE ALARM SIGNALS

3 Out-of-town

4 Jones River Bridge to Plymouth Line

5 Woods fire

7 Center of town

12 West of Tura's Corner

23 Rocky Nook Park

NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

22 { All Schools at 7:15 A. M.
Elementary Schools at 7:30 A. M.

EMERGENCY TELEPHONES

In case of fire call — KINGSTON 2521

Other phone at Fire Station—KINGSTON 2461

POLICE phone—KINGSTON 524 or 445 or 2180. TO RADIO POLICE call PLYMOUTH 132 and GIVE MESSAGE.