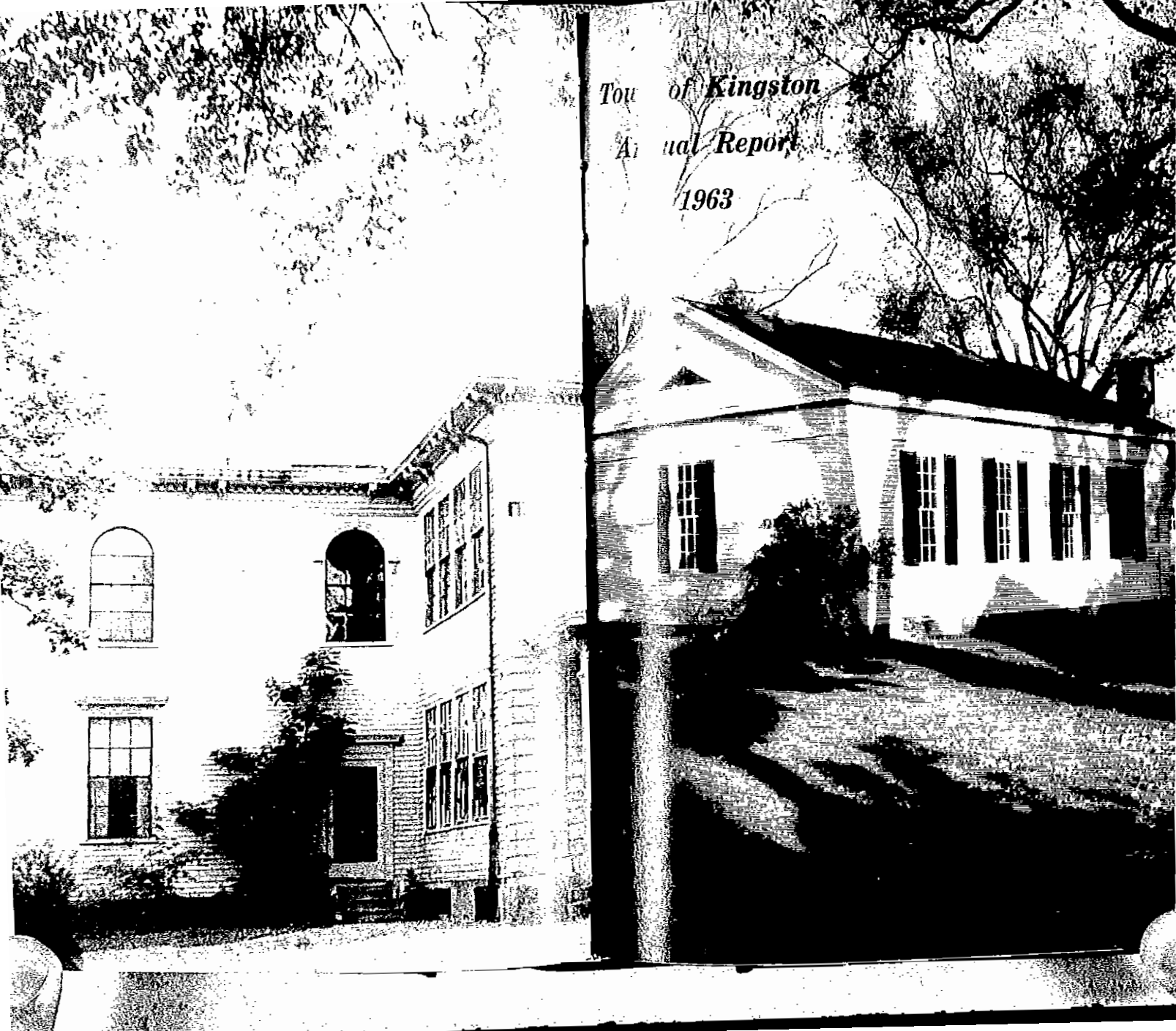


Town of Kingston
Annual Report
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TOWN of KINGSTON
MASSACHUSETTS

1963



COVER

FAUNCE SCHOOL, GREEN STREET

Photo by Theodore S. Avery — The Dickson's, Plymouth, Mass.

In 1884 the construction of this building was made possible by the town receiving its proportion of Surplus Revenue from the U. S. Government in the amount of \$3,485.85. It was voted to divide this amount among the school district to be used for schools or schoolhouses and for no other purpose. The school, when constructed, was known as the Lower Center Primary and consisted of one room; some years later an additional room was placed at the rear of the building. In September of 1924 the school was named the "Faunce School" in honor of Walter H. Faunce, who was a schoolmaster there for a number of years. This little schoolhouse was continuously used through the school year of 1926, after which it was temporarily abandoned by the School Committee and officially turned back to the town on May 2, 1932. In March, 1934 the town voted to sell the building and property to the Kingston Grange, No. 323, Patrons of Husbandry, for the sum of \$400.00. In March, 1959 the voters of the town voted to purchase the building from the Grange, who no longer had any use for it, at a price of \$4,000.00.

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In Memoriam

J. OSCAR PELLETIER

Born: July 23, 1902
Canada

Died: March 14, 1963
Plymouth, Mass.

Beginning August, 1942 Mr. Pelletier served the town as full-time Caretaker at the Kingston Fire Station, which duties he fulfilled with pride and diligence. At the time of his death he had been a resident of this town for twenty-five years. By his passing the community has lost one of its most loyal and dedicated citizens.

LINCOLN C. BARTLETT

Born: September 2, 1899
Medfield, Mass.

Died: March 16, 1963
Plymouth, Mass.

Mr. Bartlett was a citizen of the town for forty-two years, during which time he showed great interest in municipal affairs. In 1930 he was elected as a Playground Commissioner and served until March, 1932. In March, 1937 he was elected to the Board of Water Commissioners, which position he held until June, 1944. At that time he was appointed Superintendent of the Water Department and remained in that capacity up to the time of his death. A faithful and dependable friend has been lost to the town. His cheerful manner is sadly missed.

JOHN T. CUSHMAN

Born: May 19, 1889
Kingston, Mass.

Died: December 21, 1963
Brockton, Mass.

A life-long resident of the town, Mr. Cushman was first appointed to public office when he became a Trustee of the Ichabod Washburn Benevolent Fund in April, 1929. He continued as a Trustee until April, 1956. He was first elected to the combined offices of the Board of Selectmen, Public Welfare and Health in 1927. He served as chairman of the Board of Health for the next three years. In 1930 he was designated as Chairman of the Board of Selectmen and served in this capacity to March, 1935. Even though he retired from these active offices, Mr. Cushman was ever willing to offer assistance when needed.

**Town of Kingston
REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK**

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

John J. Moore, *Chairman*
Harley S. Cadenhead
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
Joseph F. Glass

Board of Public Welfare

William A. MacPhail, *Chairman*
Harley S. Cadenhead
John J. Moore

School Committee

John Harold Durgin, Jr.
Chairman

Edith S. Cobb, *Secretary*

Robert R. Barbieri

Lilias F. Cingolani

Orfeo H. Sgarzi, served to
June 18, 1963

Lawrence P. Westgate, appointed
July 16, 1963

Board of Health

Harley S. Cadenhead, *Chairman*
William A. MacPhail
John J. Moore

Constables

James R. Goonan
Donald H. Elwell

Water Commissioners

Richard W. Loring, *Chairman*
Richard W. O'Brien, served to
March 31, 1963
James A. Robare, appointed
April 30, 1963
Earl S. Sampson

Moderator

Horace C. Weston

Tree Warden

Earl C. Paulding

Library Trustees

Robert A. Jones, *Chairman*
Janet C. Giammarco, *Secretary*
Roland S. Bailey, *Treasurer*
Alfred W. Bruneau, served to
June 30, 1963
Theodore J. Mitchell, appointed
November 19, 1963
Carl W. Stegmaier
Doris M. Wyman

Playground Commission

George A. Candini, Jr.,
Chairman
Joseph A. Govoni, *Secretary*
William F. Carey
George E. Cobb
Alf C. Lootz

Board of Park Commissioners

Francis V. Tura, *Chairman*
Alfred Maloni
Earl C. Paulding

Planning Board

Mitchell Toabe, *Chairman*
 Horace C. Weston, *Clerk*
 Arthur E. Beane, Jr.
 Parker A. Glass, served to
 Sept. 24, 1963
 Harvey E. LeSueur, appointed
 Dec. 20, 1963
 Clinton T. Keith

Measurers of Wood and Bark

Charles L. Cherry
 Robert Davison

**Director of Plymouth County
 Extension Service**

Florence M. Cavallini

Clerk of the Selectmen

Irma A. Ruffini

Town Accountant

Irma A. Ruffini

Liaison Officer

Irma A. Ruffini

Civil Service*

Chief of Police

James R. Goonan*

Police Officers

Kenneth J. Cram*
 John F. Cushman*
 Alfred D. Darsch*
 Donald H. Elwell*
 Dennis P. O'Brien*

Police Sergeant

Alfred D. Darsch*

**Patrolmen (Permanent
 Intermittent)**

John L. Cram*
 Gerald G. Ferreira*

Patrolmen (Provisional)

Dennis R. Facchini*
 George P. Malone*

Police Officers for Special Duty

James Anderson
 Hubert Angus
 David Badore
 Richard Bell
 Edward Borgatti
 Francis W. Brown
 William E. Cadwell
 Edwin J. Carruthers
 Antone J. Cazale
 Worth B. Crothers
 Peter J. Dries
 Raymond Forstom
 Asa W. Glass, Jr.
 John L. Goduti
 Alfred P. Lanzillotta
 Ralph Martin
 Eugene C. Merry
 William Morris
 William Morrison
 Leo W. Murphy
 Alfred Norton
 Richard W. O'Brien
 Robert F. Perkins
 Sydney Pimental
 Chester Rogers
 Charles L. Tirell
 Howard Waterman

Auxiliary Police

John Basler
 Richard Benassi
 Frank J. Bobblis, Jr.
 Karl I. Braun
 Robert H. Bunce, Sr.
 Raymond R. Chaves
 Paul Z. Cushman
 Warren R. Dean

Harbor Master

Asa W. Glass
 Antone J. Cazale, *Assistant*

Shellfish Constable

Antone J. Cazale
 Asa Weston Glass, *Assistant*

Registrars of Voters

Louis H. Glass, *Chairman*
 Ernest H. Cote
 Paul E. Tobin
 George W. Cushman, *Clerk*

Superintendent of Old

Burying Ground
 Albion H. Holmes

Pound Keeper

Samuel Dickson

Field Driver

William R. MacKenzie

Fence Viewers

Ralph W. Cox
 John Charles McCann

Trustees Under the Will of

Ichabod Washburn
 William H. Brown
 Russell B. Prouty
 George W. Schilling

Sworn Weighers

Laurence H. Burnham
 Philip R. Burnham
 George Damon
 Richard W. Loring
 Russell C. Loring
 Kenneth Ludlow
 Clifton B. McLean
 Angelo Nava
 James Nava

William Drew

Philip Drosdik
 John R. Edwards
 Richard Eldridge
 Daniel E. Ellis, Jr.
 Robert M. Gibbs
 Richard W. Malone
 Elmir C. Margeson
 Charles McAndrews
 John H. McCarthy
 Robert Randall
 William Ruffini, Jr.
 John Ruprecht
 Leon Scott
 William C. Strojny
 George H. Valler
 Angelo Verdelli

Fish Committee

Francis H. White, *Chairman*
 Albert H. Holmes
 Oswald W. Stewart

Superintendent of Streets

George Palmer Holmes

Forest Fire Warden

George Palmer Holmes

Fire Engineers

George Palmer Holmes,
Chairman and Chief Engineer
 William A. MacPhail, *Clerk*
 Clarence R. Drew

Superintendent of Moth Work

Earl C. Paulding

Sealer of Weights & Measures

George T. Pratt, Jr.

Dog Officer

James R. Goonan

Director of Civil Defense
Laurence P. Mooney

Veterans' Services
Laurence P. Reid

Veterans' Graves Officer
Laurence P. Reid

Town Counsel
Phillip S. Cronin

Zoning Appeal Board
Francis E. Felt, *Chairman*
Roscoe A. Cole, Jr.
Norman C. Steere

Alternate Members
Robert R. Barbieri
Walter R. Cain

Industrial Commission
Norman E. Thomas, *Chairman*
Mando J. Aldrovandi
Alvin L. Gould
Robert A. Jones
Harold L. Nathanson

Director of Public Assistance
Edna L. Holmes*

Social Worker
Lidwina Harrington*

Typist and Clerk
Diamantina M. Chandler*

Burial Agent
George W. Cushman

Inspector of Animals
Dr. Raymond Russo

Inspector of Slaughtering
Dr. Raymond Russo

Caretaker at Town Dump
Francis W. Brown

Superintendent of Schools
Francis M. Moran

Superintendent Water Dept.
Richard W. O'Brien

Finance Committee
Theodore J. Mitchell,
Co-chairman
Fred C. Newhall, *Co-chairman*
Dr. Samuel Swartz, *Secretary*

Mando A. Aldrovandi
Warren M. Axford
Leon H. Balboni
Wilbert P. Cingolani
William R. Fairweather
Walter M. O'Neal

Educational Trust Fund
George W. Cushman, *Chairman*
Phillip S. Cronin, *Secretary*
Lucy M. Stein
Mitchell Toabe
Horace C. Weston

**Silver Lake Regional School
District Committee from
Kingston**
George W. Cushman, *Secretary-
Treasurer*

Robert Ray Barbieri
Lilias F. Cingolani

**Elizabeth B. Sampson
Memorial Fund**
John J. Moore, *Chairman*
George W. Cushman, *Secretary*
Horace C. Weston

**Waterfront Improvement
Committee**
Clarence R. Drew
George B. Drew
Clinton T. Keith

Building Inspector
George Andrew Walsh

Wire Inspector
Arthur Robert Davis
Maurice Fernez (Alternate)

Plumbing Inspector
Robert Henry Riedel, Sr.
James A. Robare (Alternate)

Firefighters
George Palmer Holmes, *Chief*
John B. West, *Deputy Chief*
Abraham A. Ruffini, *Captain*
A. Weston Glass, Jr., *1st Lieut.*
Wallace C. Holmes, *2nd Lieut.*
Albert F. Alberghini
George T. Chandler
Robert E. Cherry
Robert R. Cushman
Donald E. Drew
Edmond C. Dube
Louis J. Dube
Roland Duperre
Louis H. Glass
Henry F. Herget, *Retired*
Nov. 30, 1963

Arsene Joubert
Warren H. Kriegel
Arthur A. Leonardi, Jr.
Richard W. Loring
Howard B. MacFarlane
Charles G. McCarthy
Robert L. Merry
Richard W. O'Brien
Earl C. Paulding
George T. Pratt, Jr.
James A. Robare
Amelio E. Ruffini
Henry C. Sturtevant
David Valler
Lino G. Zaniboni

Town Forest Committee
Kenneth E. Packard, *Chairman*
Lawrence P. Mooney
Richard J. Thomas

**Committee to Study the Zoning
By-Laws in Accordance with
Article 26 of the Annual Town
Meeting, March 1962**
Phillip S. Cronin
Primo Garuti, Jr.
Harold S. Nathanson

Conservation Commission
P. Cabot Rushton, *Chairman*
Frank J. Bobblis, Jr.
Richard W. Loring
Robert A. Mulliken
Richard J. Thomas

**Committee to Study the Matter
of Re-allocation of Space for
Various Town Departments**
Edward J. Lydon, *Chairman*
Harley S. Cadenhead
Ernest H. Cote
Arthur E. Beane
Walter M. O'Neal

FEDERAL AND STATE OFFICERS

United States Senators
Leverett Saltonstall — Dover
Edward M. Kennedy — Boston

Representative in Congress
Hastings Keith
91 River Street
West Bridgewater, Mass.

Governor

Endicott Peabody — Cambridge

Lieutenant Governor

Francis X. Bellotti — Quincy

Councilor (First District)

Ernest C. Stasium

52 Center St., Fairhaven, Mass.

State Senator (Norfolk and Plymouth District)

Newland H. Holmes

83 Webb St., Weymouth, Mass.

Representative in General Court

John A. Armstrong

14 Nelson St., Plymouth, Mass.

Plymouth County

Commissioners

Norman G. MacDonald,

Chairman, Hanson, Mass.

Mrs. Elva Swartz — Brockton

George A. Ridder —

East Bridgewater, Mass.

Election Officers Section 12 of

Chapter 54 amended by Chapter 431 of the Acts of 1960

Eva L. Rossi (R), Clerk

Lois Lawrance (R), Deputy Clerk

Marjorie S. Loring (R),

Inspector

Catherine J. Bartlett (R),

Inspector

George A. Walsh (D), Warden

Francis P. McManus (D),

Deputy Warden

William H. Paul (D),

Inspector

Joseph F. Glass (D), Deputy

Inspector

Tellers (R)

Mary J. Antoniotto

Helen A. Ayer

Roland S. Bailey

Harold F. Battles

Dorothy H. Bearce

Marion W. Beytes

Florence A. Blanchard

Newell O. Blanchard

Barbara M. Borghesani

Grace B. Buhl

Florence M. Cavallini

Mildred E. Cox

Gladys R. Crothers

Charlotte M. Davis

Nancy B. Delaney

Ellen B. Drew

Angele D. Gilman

Helen Howe

Ruth P. Jones

Dorothy D. Lane

Roy L. McLean

Ann H. Miller

Robert A. Mulliken

LeRoy G. Peck

Phyllis P. Ponte

Emily B. Prouty

Enis A. Randall

Ethel J. Shiverick

Dorothy E. Smith

Louise E. Zahn

Enis Zoccolante

Tellers (D)

Barbara L. Batchelor

Josephine M. Gaffney

Annie M. Gallerani

Mary J. Gauquier

Verna M. Glass

Mildred Harkins

Dorothy W. Kirkland

Angie R. Manfredi

John Charles McCann

Flora McGrath

Anna K. Ruprecht

Caesar J. Tarantino

Paul E. Tobin

Elizabeth C. Vantangoli

Paul Vantangoli

Joan M. Wager

Mary A. Walsh

*Civil Service

STATISTICS

Population, January 1, 1960 — 4,302

Legal Voters, January 1, 1964 — 2,342

Democrats — 269

Republicans — 830

Unenrolled Voters — 1,243

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March, 1963

March 16, 1963

The adjourned meeting was called to order at 1:12 P.M. by the Moderator, Horace C. Weston. The Constable's Certificate on the Warrant was read by the Town Clerk.

The Moderator appointed the following persons as tellers and administered the oath of office to them:

Laurence P. Reid	Edgar W. Loring 2nd
Francis M. Moran	Earle M. Zahn

Mr. Weston asked the voters to stand for a moment of silence out of respect for Mr. John T. Randall who served as a town official for many years and Mr. Oscar J. Pelletier who served as caretaker for the Fire Department for approximately twenty years.

Article 2. The following officers were chosen:
Measurers of Wood and Bark — Charles L. Cherry and Robert L. Davison (nominations made by Harley S. Cadenhead).

Director of Plymouth County Extension Service — Florence M. Cavallini (nomination made by William A. MacPhail).

Article 3. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted Unanimously: That the reports of the Town Officers as printed in the 1962 Town Report be accepted.

Article 4. On the motion of Ernest H. Cote, Voted Unanimously: That the salaries of the several elected officers of the town be retroactive to January 1, 1963 and be fixed as follows:

Moderator	\$25.00
Treasurer	1,320.00
Collector	2,640.00
Town Clerk	726.00
Chairman of Selectmen	475.00
Other Selectmen, each	150.00
Chairman Board of Health	400.00
Other members of Board of Health, each	75.00
Chairman Board of Public Welfare	400.00
Other members of Board of Public Welfare, each	75.00
Chairman Board of Assessors and Clerk	3,000.00
Other Assessors, each	450.00

Water Commissioners, Chairman	100.00
Other Water Commissioners, each	75.00
Tree Warden	1,895.00

Before a motion was made under Article 5, remarks were made by Mr. Moore, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen and Mr. Cote, Chairman of the Finance Committee in reference to town finances and other pertinent facts.

Article 5. On the motion of Ernest H. Cote, Voted: That budget items 1-76 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, and those items not questioned be voted upon as one group and one vote.

The following items were tabled and discussed separately:

- Item 15. Police — Uniforms
- Item 18. Fire — Maintenance
- Item 29. Insurance — Workmen's Compensation
- Item 43. Snow Removal, Including Sanding Roads and Incidentals
- Item 55. Soldiers' & Sailors' Benefits
- Item 61. Playground — Maintenance
- Item 66. Preparing, Printing and Distributing Town Reports

General Government:

1. Moderator	\$25.00
2. Selectmen, Salaries and Expenses	3,491.00
3. Accountant, Salaries and Expenses	7,596.00
4. Treasurer and Collector, Salaries and Expenses	9,524.95
5. Town Clerk, Salaries and Expenses	2,425.50
6. Assessors, Salaries and Expenses	5,583.00
7. Election and Registration, Salaries and Expenses	2,875.00
8. Board of Appeals	250.00
9. Planning Board	150.00
10. Industrial Development Commission	500.00
11. Finance Committee	100.00
12. Town House — Maintenance	6,911.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

13. Police — Maintenance	43,093.08
14. Police — Out-of-State Travel	125.00
15. Police — Uniforms — A question was asked regarding the increase in this appropriation over last year's amount. The question was satisfactorily answered by Chief Goonan.	2,025.00
16. Shellfish, Salaries and Expenses	700.00
17. Harbormaster, Salaries and Expenses	1,200.00
18. Fire — Maintenance — (Mr. MacPhail explained the increase in this appropriation)	26,610.00
19. Fire — Out-of-State Travel	100.00
20. Forest Fires, Prevention and Extinguishment	3,710.00
21. Sealer of Weights and Measures	577.00
22. Moths — Insect Pest Control	5,984.00
23. Suppression of Moths — Dutch Elm	8,419.00
24. Trimming Shade Trees	5,687.00
25. Dog Officer, Salary and Expenses	400.00
26. Bounties on Seals	11.00
27. Civil Defense, Salary and Expenses	900.00
28. Insurance — Municipal Buildings and Property, Including Indemnity under Class 1, Section 5, Chapter 40, G.L.	9,100.00
29. Insurance — Workmen's Compensation — (Ernest H. Cote, moved an amendment that the amount of \$4,500.00 be increased to \$5,000.00 <i>Amendment was Carried</i>	5,000.00
30. Insurance — Group Life — Employees, Chapter 32-B, G.L.	7,750.00
31. Care of Other Municipal Property	100.00

Health and Sanitation:

32. Health, Salaries and Expenses	9,174.00
33. Health — Insect Control	3,785.00
34. Inspector of Animals, Salary and Expenses	270.00
35. Inspector of Slaughtering	60.00
36. Mosquito Control Maintenance, Chapter 112, Acts of 1931	400.00
37. Greenhead Fly Control	500.00

Highways:

38. General Highways, Including Ordinary Repairs, Salary of Supt., and Care of Bldgs., and Lot for Equipment	41,365.00
39. Road Machinery, Operation, Equipment and Repairs — From Tax Levy	4,700.00
40. Street, Direction and Danger Signs	200.00
41. Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	1,500.00
42. Guard Fences	200.00
43. Snow Removal, Including Sanding Roads and Incidentals — (Ernest H. Cote, moved an amendment that the amount of \$10,000 be increased to \$12,000.)— <i>Amendment was Carried</i>	12,000.00
44. Street Lighting	13,300.00

Charities:

45. Public Welfare — Administration	550.00
46. Public Welfare — General Relief	5,000.00
47. Disability Assistance — Administration	1,000.00
48. Disability Assistance — Assistance	7,000.00
49. Aid to Dependent Children — Administration	1,000.00
50. Aid to Dependent Children — Aid	6,000.00
51. Old Age Assistance — Administration	3,000.00
52. Old Age Assistance — Assistance	15,000.00
53. Medical Assistance for the Aged — Administration	2,000.00
54. Medical Assistance for the Aged — Assistance	10,000.00

Veterans' Benefits:

55. Soldiers' & Sailors' Benefits — Ernest H. Cote, moved an amendment that the amount of \$12,457.00 be increased to \$12,757.00. <i>Amendment was Carried.</i>	12,757.00
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Schools:

56. Schools — Including Salaries, Maintenance and Ordinary Repairs	212,461.00
57. Vocational Education	200.00
58. Silver Lake Regional School District	240,819.81
59. School Lunch Program	50.00

60. Library — From Tax Levy	6,184.33
From Dog Fund	828.67
Total	\$7,013.00

Recreation:

61. Playground — Maintenance — George A. Candini, Jr., Chairman of the Playground Commission spoke briefly on this item	9,444.00
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Parks:

62. Park Commission	5,595.00
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Pensions:

63. Retirement	11,113.03
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Unclassified:

64. Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days	1,000.00
65. County Aid to Agriculture	100.00
66. Preparing, Printing and Distributing Town Reports — Ernest H. Cote, moved an amendment that the amount of \$3,875.00 be decreased to \$3,350.00. Amendment was Carried	3,350.00
67. Building, Wiring and Plumbing Codes	1,700.00
68. Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	2,000.00
69. Waterfront Committee	729.00
70. Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund — Trustees Expense Fund.	25.00
71. Reserve, from Overlay Surplus	10,000.00

Public Service Enterprises:

72. Water — Maintenance	32,573.00
73. Water — Equipment	500.00
74. Water — Replacement and Extension of the Water System	3,000.00
75. Water — Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	250.00
76. Fish Committee	500.00
Total Budget Items, Voted	\$854,106.37

Less Amount to be Transferred:

Item 60 — From Dog Fund	828.67
Item 71 — From Overlay Surplus	10,000.00
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	10,828.67

Total Amount to be Raised by Taxation \$843,277.70

Article 6. Under the motion of George W. Cushman, Voted Unanimously: 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, 1963 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year and 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 \$4,500.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the share of the costs of Chapter 90 Highway Construction and that in addition, the sum of \$13,500.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's and County's shares of the cost of the work, the reimbursement 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 William A. MacPhail, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of \$2,000.00 be raised and appropriated to meet the Town's share of Chapter 90 Maintenance, and that in addition, the sum of \$4,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury to meet the State's and County's shares 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. William A. MacPhail, Moved: That the sum of \$14,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a bucket-loader for the Highway Department and that the Selectmen be authorized to turn in the 1956 Oliver ½-yard bucket-loader now owned by the Highway Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new equipment.

Motion was defeated.

Article 10. On the motion of Harley S. Cadenhead, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of \$2,750.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a vehicle to be used as a cruiser-

ambulance by the Police Department and that the Selectmen be authorized to turn in the present 1961 Ford cruiser-ambulance now owned by the Police Department and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new vehicle.

Article 11. On the motion of Irma A. Ruffini, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of \$301.00 be raised and appropriated for the payment of certain unpaid bills of 1962 for the following departments:

Health — Maintenance	\$58.25
Welfare — General Relief	180.40
Library	62.35

Article 12. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of \$9,464.38 be appropriated for the permanent construction of Grove Street, and to meet said appropriation the sum of \$9,464.38 be transferred from the proceeds received from the State under the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Acts of 1962.

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

Article 13. On the motion of Richard W. Loring, Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$54,390.59 for the purpose of installing a gravel-packed well on a parcel of land purchased from George Havey and for installing and housing the necessary pump, equipment, pipe, fittings and appurtenances and to connect the pipe lines to the main on Summer Street for the new gravel-packed well on the Havey property, so called, off Winthrop Street, and to meet said appropriation that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow an amount not to exceed \$50,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town of Kingston, payable in not more than 10 years under the authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and to transfer an unexpended balance of \$1,297.06 from the "Water Main on Braunecker Avenue" appropriation and to transfer an unexpended balance of \$3,093.53 from the "Replacement of Main on River Street" appropriation and that the Board of Water Commissioners of the Town of Kingston be authorized to act for the Town in making application to the Housing and Home Finance Agency under the Accelerated Public Works Program, Public Law 87-658, for

Federal assistance in the form of a grant to aid in construction of additions to the water system and to act as the responsible agent of the Town in all matters concerned with the application and with subsequent responsibilities in this matter. The amount authorized to be borrowed on serial bonds or notes under this vote shall be reduced by any amount received as a Federal Grant towards the cost of the project. However if the application for Federal Funds is denied, the vote under this article shall be in full force and effective in reference to the appropriation made:

YES, 130; NO, 45

Article 14. On the motion of Richard W. Loring, Voted: That the sum of \$6,000.00 be raised and appropriated and added to the vote under Article 32 of the 1962 annual town meeting, for the purpose of continuing the water main on School Street or for a distance of approximately 600 feet with an 8-inch water main; and on Chapel Street for a distance of approximately 810 feet with a main not less than 6 inches in diameter.

Article 15. Richard W. O'Brien, Moved: That the sum of \$2,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a compressor and attachments for the Water Department.

Motion was defeated.

Article 16. Harley S. Cadenhead moved: That the Selectmen be authorized to dispose of at public sale the property (land and building thereon) known as the Patuxet School located on Green Street.

Ernest H. Cote moved to amend that the words "public sale" be changed to read "public auction."

Amendment was carried.

A vote was taken on the motion as amended and it was voted unanimously that the Selectmen be authorized to dispose of at public auction the property (land and building thereon) known as the Patuxet School located on Green Street.

Article 17. William A. MacPhail Moved: That the sum of \$5,000.00 be raised and appropriated and added to the balance in the account Repairs to Former Grange Hall, Article 16 of the 1961 Annual Town Meeting, and be used in conjunction with the money provided for under Article 21 of this meeting, for the purpose of providing suitable quarters for the Police Department.

Ernest H. Cote moved an amendment as a substitute motion: That a Committee of five, consisting of one member of the Board of Selectmen, one member of the Planning Board, one member of the Finance Committee and two members chosen by the Moderator, be appointed to study the re-allocation of space for various Town Departments including the Police Department, and to report their findings and recommendations at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Chief James R. Goonan moved an amendment to read "and to report their findings and recommendations at a Special Town Meeting to be held within six months."

This amendment was defeated.

A vote was then taken on the substitute motion and it was voted that a Committee of five, consisting of one member of the Board of Selectmen, one member of the Planning Board, one member of the Finance Committee and two members chosen by the Moderator, be appointed to study the re-allocation of space for various Town Departments including the Police Department, and to report their findings and recommendations at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Harley S. Cadenhead moved: That the sum of \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the use of the committee appointed under this article.

This motion was defeated.

Following action on Article 21 Chief James R. Goonan moved for re-consideration under Article 17.

This motion was defeated.

Article 18. On the motion of Harley S. Cadenhead Voted: That the sum of \$500.00 be raised and appropriated and be used in conjunction with any funds that may be allocated from the income of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund, for the purpose of rehabilitating the Old Burial Ground.

Article 19. On the motion of Kenneth E. Packard Voted: That the sum of \$750.00 be raised and appropriated and be used in conjunction with any funds that may be allocated from the income of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund, for the purpose of improving the Town Forest.

Article 20. On the motion of Ernest H. Cote, Voted: That the sum of \$1.00 be raised and appropriated to be used in conjunction with a Federal Grant of money under the Accelerated Public Works Program of the Housing and Home Finance Agency, Community Facilities Administration; the sum total of appropriation and grant to be used for constructing and equipping an addition to the Frederic C. Adams Public Library and for the permanent alteration and improvement of the present building and grounds, including replacement where necessary, of the heating, lighting, plumbing, and other furniture and fixtures of the Frederic C. Adams Public Library.

Article 21. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted: That the Town accept the recommendations made by the Trustees of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund, that the following sums of money be allocated from the income account of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund, the expenditure to be under the supervision of the respective departments:

1. Improvement of Town Forest	\$750.00
2. Rehabilitating Old Burial Ground	500.00
3. Park Commission plans adjoining former railroad property	1,000.00
4. Reed Community Building — Public Address System	500.00
5. Equipment for Frederic C. Adams Public Library	5,000.00

The recommendations of the items in reference to the improvement of the Town Forest and rehabilitating the Old Burial Ground, shall be contingent on appropriations of like amounts by the Town from tax levy under Articles 18 and 19.

The item in reference to Equipment for Frederic C. Adams Public Library shall be made available at such time as the projected renovations and additions are substantially complete, and to be expended under authority of the Library Trustees.

Article 22. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted: That the action taken at the Annual Town Meeting in March, 1950 whereby the Moderator was instructed to appoint the members of the permanent Water Front Committee be revised and the Selectmen hereby be authorized to appoint said members.

Article 23. On the motion of Kenneth E. Packard, Voted: That the sum of \$50.00 be raised and appropriated for administration expenses of the Town Forest Committee.

Article 24. On the motion of Clarence R. Drew, Voted: That the Selectmen be authorized to renew the lease to the Kingston Yacht Club, for the sum of one dollar for a period of 5 years or the active existence of said club, whichever is the lesser, the plot of land adjoining the Town Landing designated as Lot 100, Plat G, Block 7 as shown on the Assessors' Plan, and that the Selectmen be empowered to place in said lease such restrictions as they deem necessary and define therein the term "active existence."

Article 25. On the motion of John J. Moore, Voted unanimously: That the sum of \$2,500.00 be raised and appropriated and paid to Rebecca Preston and Robert A. Preston in full settlement of their personal injury claim now pending against the Town of Kingston.

Article 26. On the motion of George A. Candini, Jr., Voted: That the sum of \$98.75 be raised and appropriated and added to the balance in the account Playground — Replacement of Heating and Hot Water Systems, for the completion of said project.

Article 27. On the motion of Harley S. Cadenhead, Voted Unanimously: That the Town accept the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 8C of the General Laws, which establishes a Conservation Commission for the promotion and development of the natural resources and for the protection of watershed resources of the Town, and that the sum of \$50.00 be raised and appropriated for the use of said Commission, and the Selectmen are hereby authorized to appoint a committee of five members to said Commission.

Article 28. On the motion of William A. MacPhail, Voted Unanimously: That the action taken at the Annual Town Meeting in March, 1934 under Article 3, instructing the Selectmen to issue licenses for shellfish grants be rescinded.

Article 29. Evette L. Nathan Moved: That the Town accept the way known as Mazzilli Avenue, beginning on the southwesterly side of Crescent Street and continuing in a westerly direction to Braunecker Avenue, a distance of 1,101 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 \$4,300.00 for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles.

Motion was defeated. YES, 10; NO, 164.

Article 30. On the motion of Stanley J. Kuzborski, Voted Unanimously: That the Town vote to accept the way known as Westerly Avenue, and a portion of the way known as Country Way, beginning on the northeasterly side of Pembroke Street and continuing in an easterly direction to Station Street, a distance of 1,360 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 \$6,300.00 for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles.

Article 31. On the motion of Frederick S. H. Gebhard, Voted: To accept the way known as Sunset Road, beginning on the easterly side of Howland's Lane and continuing in an easterly direction to Wharf Lane, a distance of 700 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 \$4,100.00 for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles.

YES, 116; NO, 4.

(Mr. Joseph J. Govoni took the place of Mr. Reid as Teller for this article.)

Article 32. On the motion of Orfeo H. Sgarzi, Voted Unanimously: That the Town vote to accept the way commonly known as Second Brook beginning at the end of the 1945 layout southerly along the Old Smelt Pond Road to land of George Cretinon then leaving the Old Smelt Pond Road and running southeasterly along the northeasterly line of said Cretinon to the Elementary School lot, a distance of approximately 800 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 \$4,100.00 for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles.

Article 33. On the motion of Lawrence B. Westgate, Voted Unanimously: That the Town vote to accept the way known as

Pearl Street, beginning on the northwesterly side of Center Hill Road and continuing in a westerly direction to Riverside Drive, a distance of 430 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 \$2,800.00 for the construction thereof and for acquiring titles.

Article 34. Ruth A. Hunt moved: That the Town amend the present Zoning By-Law of the Town of Kingston by changing Lot 179-2, Block 6, as shown on the Assessors' Plans, from its present business use classification to residential use classification.

Motion was defeated. YES, 18; NO, 75.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to amend the present Zoning By-Law of the Town of Kingston by changing a portion of Lot 5B, Block 12 of the Town of Kingston Assessors' Plans from its present residential use classification to business use classification.

No motion was made under this article.

Article 36. On the motion of Irma A. Ruffini, Voted Unanimously: That the following appropriation balances be closed to Surplus Revenue:

Repairs to Former Grange Hall (1961 Account)	\$57.90
Highway — Pick-up Truck	32.90
Land Damages — Parting Ways, Decree #1148	74.00
Land Damages — Lake Street, Decree #1161	76.00
Reconstruction of Howland's Lane	4.80
Razing Former High School	2,409.20
Water — New Truck	1.85

Article 37. On the motion of Ernest H. Cote, Voted Unanimously: That the sum of \$40,000.00 now available in free cash be appropriated for the use of the Assessors in the reduction of the tax levy.

On the motion of Earl C. Paulding, Voted to Adjourn (5:17 p.m.).

Number of voters present (Men, 154; Women, 65; Total 219).
Vote checkers were: Grace Buhl and William H. Paul.

RECAPITULATION OF THE TOWN MEETING

Budget Items, Voted	\$854,106.37
Less Amounts to be Transferred	10,828.67
Total Amount to be Raised by Taxation	\$843,277.70

Articles

7. Chapter 90 Construction Appropriated Available Funds	\$4,500 00
Reimbursed Ch. 90	13,500.00
	\$18,000.00
8. Chapter 90 Maintenance Appropriated Available Funds	\$2,000.00
Reimbursed Chapter 90	4,000.00
	6,000.00
10. Police — Cruiser-Ambulance	2,750.00
11. Unpaid Bills	301.00
12. Grove Street — Transfer under the provisions of Ch. 782 of the Acts of 1962	9,464.38
13. Water — Gravel-packed well, etc. Bonds or Notes	\$50,000.00
To be transferred from unexpended balances	4,390.59
	54,390.59
14. Water — School & Chapel Streets	6,000.00
18. Rehabilitating the Old Burial Ground	500.00
19. Improving the Town Forest	750.00
20. Library	1.00
23. Town Forest Committee	50.00
25. Law Suit	2,500.00
26. Playground — Heating System	98.75
27. Conservation Commission	50.00
30. Westerly Ave. Construction	6,300.00
31. Sunset Road Construction	4,100.00

32. Second Brook Construction	4,100.00	
33. Pearl Street Construction	2,800.00	
Total Amount for the Warrant Articles, Voted		\$118,155.72
Total Budget Items, Voted		854,106.37
Total Amount of Money Spent		\$972,262.09
Less Amounts to be Transferred or Available from		
Other Sources:		
Dog Fund	\$828.67	
Overlay Surplus	10,000.00	
Available Funds Reimbursed	17,500.00	
Chapter 782 of the Acts of 1962	9,464.38	
Bond Issue	50,000.00	
Unexpended Balances (Article 13)	4,390.59	
Free Cash — Article 37	40,000.00	
Total Funds used in Reducing the Current		
Tax Rate		132,183.64
Grand Total to be Raised by Taxation for 1963		
Due to Annual Town Meeting, 1963		\$840,078.45

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

November 7, 1963

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:40 p.m. by the Moderator, Horace C. Weston. By unanimous approval of the meeting, the Warrant was not read.

The Moderator appointed the following persons as tellers and administered the oath of office to them:

John Charles McCann	Joseph F. Glass
Paul Cabot Rushton	Arthur T. Hand

The vote checkers were:

Catherine J. Bartlett	William H. Paul
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Article 1. On the motion of Richard Wilson Loring Voted Unanimously that the sum of \$4,609.41 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury for the purpose of adding to the appropriation made under Article 13 of the Annual Town Meeting held March 16, 1963, which was for the installation of a gravel-packed well and for installing and housing the necessary pump, equipment, pipe and appurtenances and to connect the pipe lines to the main on Summer Street.

Mr. Newhall, co-chairman of the Finance Committee stated that the Finance Committee recommends this article and approves the use of available funds.

Article 2. On the motion of John J. Moore Voted Unanimously that the sum of \$1,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, to be added to the Welfare-General Relief account to defray expenses for the balance of the current year.

Mr. Newhall, co-chairman of the Finance Committee stated that the Finance Committee recommends this article and approves the use of available funds.

Article 3. On the motion of John J. Moore Voted Unanimously that the sum of \$2,500.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, to be added to the Disability Assistance-Assistance account to defray expenses for the balance of the current year.

Mr. Newhall, co-chairman of the Finance Committee stated that the Finance Committee recommends this article and approves the use of available funds.

Article 4. On the motion of Harley S. Cadenhead Voted: That the Selectmen be authorized to acquire by purchase or otherwise, a certain parcel of land designated as Lot 34, Block 13 and shown on the Assessor's Plan on file in the Town House, said property to be used as a sewerage disposal area and be under the supervision of the Board of Health, and transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$3,900.00 for the necessary expenses involved in acquiring title and developing said parcel.

YES, 125; NO, 6.

Mr. Newhall, co-chairman of the Finance Committee stated that the Finance Committee recommends this article and approves the use of available funds.

Before a vote was taken on Article 4, the following motions were offered and defeated:

Mr. John C. McCann moved that Article 4 be indefinitely postponed. Mr. Louis V. Lapinski moved to discuss Articles 4 and 5 as one article.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to lease, for not more than five years, a certain portion of lots designated as Lots 21A, 22A, 23A, Block 14 and shown on the Assessor's plan on file in the Town House, said property to be used as a sewerage disposal area and to be under the supervision of the Board of Health, and raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for the necessary expenses involved in leasing said parcel.

No action was taken under this article.

On the motion of John J. Moore Voted to adjourn, 8:35 p.m.

Number of voters present (Men 112; Women 50; Total 162).

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, *Town Clerk*

PARTIAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE ZONING BY-LAWS

Pursuant to Article 26 of the annual town meeting in 1962, this Committee respectfully submits a partial report of their activities to date. The Committee has need for several weeks of more study to present a revised set of zoning by-laws for the town. After holding one or more public hearings we expect to present this at a special town meeting to be held in the near future.

Respectfully submitted,
HAROLD L. NATHANSON, *Chairman*
PRIMO S. GARUTI, JR.
PHILLIP S. CRONIN

BIRTHS RECORDED FOR THE YEAR 1963

Date	Name	Name of Parents
Jan. 2	Jacqueline Rene Ruprecht	John E. Ruprecht, Jr. and Judith A. LaGreca
Jan. 7	Tia Marie Rock	Richard F. Rock and Bessie M. Maicellano
Jan. 10	Kevin Joseph Benassi	Howard F. Benassi and Virginia MacKenzie
Jan. 16	Susan Burris Edwards	William D. Edwards and Ann F. Stoddard
Jan. 20	Kelli Anne Comerford	George W. Comerford and Sandra M. Monis
Jan. 23	Mary Margaret Sampson	Earl S. Sampson and Anne T. Healy
Jan. 24	Donna Lee Butters	James Butters and Sylvia M. Loring
Jan. 24	Yvette Teresa Fandel	Theodore W. Fandel and Beverly Y. DeLorenzo
Jan. 29	David Joseph Heath	Albert S. Heath and Carole A. Petocchi
Jan. 30	Daniel Russell Tura	John F. Tura and Mary D. Corsini
Feb. 4	Richard Henry Antoniotti, II	Richard H. Antoniotti and Lorraine Surrey
Feb. 9	Marie Lynn Wood	Clyde D. Wood and Ethelyn M. Jones
Feb. 10	Joyce Patricia Lydon	Edward J. Lydon and Jean T. Brogan
Feb. 10	Maurice Joseph Splaine, III	Maurice Joseph Splaine, Jr. and Joan Ruth Salmonsens
Feb. 16	Karen Marie Palsson	Eugene E. Palsson and Kathryn E. Chase
Feb. 19	Eugene Henry Wood, Jr.	Eugene H. Wood and Shirley A. Ruprecht
Feb. 24	Michael Glenn Valier	David A. Valler and Beverly J. Freeman
Feb. 26	Denise Marie Bouchard	Norman E. Bouchard and Ruth E. Washburn
Feb. 28	Lizette Marie Balboni	Richard L. Balboni and Delizette C. Neves
Mar. 1	Lecann Dorothy Nelson	Oliver R. Nelson and Joan B. Wray
Mar. 1	Nathaniel Sabin Gove	George E. Gove, Jr. and Ruth Haselton
Mar. 2	David Brian Minelli	John L. Minelli and Lois C. Govoni
Mar. 2	Michael Joseph Coombs	Alexander J. Coombs and Lana L. Nogueira
Mar. 4	Margurite Elizabeth Marks	Roger W. Marks and Shirley M. Keith
Mar. 5	Lisa Ann Gomes	Ronald R. Gomes and Beatrice P. Andrews
Mar. 10	Cynthia Cadman Atrock	John L. Atrock, Jr. and Sharon L. Cadman
Mar. 12	Deborah Lyn Moody	Richard Allen Moody and Bonnie May Doane

Date	Name	Name of Parents
Mar. 14	Tracy Lee Borghesani	Richard E. Borghesani and Lorraine M. Caranci
Mar. 16	Edwin Frank Fraser	George E. Fraser, II and Nina E. Bridges
Mar. 21	Edward John Ledo	John J. Ledo and Kathleen M. Shea
Mar. 31	Janine Ellen Melisse	James E. Melisse and Joyce E. Laine
Apr. 4	Arleen Ann Richard	Thomas Alfred Richard and Ann Arleen Kailher
Apr. 18	Claggett Wilson Read, Jr.	Claggett Wilson Read and Barbara Jane Spencer
Apr. 19	Gina Therese Stanghellini	Edward A. Stanghellini and Winifred A. Paul
May 9	Carol Ellis Rogers	Stanley E. Rogers and Diantha W. Gould
May 11	Marie Anita Fafard	Donald P. Fafard and Gertrude B. Desorey
May 16	Rhonda Dale Caldwell	George W. Caldwell and Joan P. Whalen
May 12	Paula Ann Pearson	Richard A. Pearson and Shirley M. Wilde
May 18	Jennifer Lee Boutin	Robert W. Boutin and Janice M. Roy
May 18	Manuel Fernandez	Manuel Fernandez and Mary A. Martin
May 19	Debra Hope Bunce	Robert H. Bunce, Jr. and Judith A. Peterson
May 21	James Anthony Jasmin	Roland H. Jasmin and Jean M. Cullivan
May 21	Lisa Grace Pratt	James W. Pratt and Anna C. Soares
May 24	Ann Marie Spalluzzi	Frank J. Spalluzzi and Gloria A. Balboni
May 25	Brian Donald Gordon	Donald E. Gordon and Barbara M. Kaiser
May 26	Dale William Drew	William H. Drew and Janice M. Grennell
May 27	Todd Chester Elwell	Frederick C. Elwell and Dolores M. Pederzani
June 10	Roy Lee Vaughn, Jr.	Roy L. Vaughn and Sally A. Figlioli
June 12	Anne Marie Brown	Kenneth W. Brown and Gloria J. Correa
June 17	Jennifer Cronin	Phillip S. Cronin and Marjorie L. Knight
June 20	Stephanie Ann Curt	William P. Curt and Josephine L. Silva
June 20	Kristine Knapp	Richard G. Knapp and Jean M. Pearce
June 22	Marc Edward Cram	Kenneth J. Cram and Constance M. Armstrong
June 25	Lauren Daryll Kemp	Carleton A. Kemp and Iva Daryll Banks
June 27	Brenda Lynn Dryden	Gerald L. Dryden and Sandra H. Dabrowski

Date	Name	Name of Parents
June 30	Annie Mary Perkins	Everett Perkins and Patricia Coombs
July 1	Brian Scott Lord	Allen W. Lord and Judith A. Ellis
July 8	Glenn Louis Pellegrini	Bruno J. Pellegrini and Irene A. Spalluzzi
July 10	Lisa Ann McLaughlin	Bernard L. McLaughlin, Jr. and Lynda A. Govoni
July 12	Kevin Paul Berry	Thomas R. Berry, Jr. and Theresa MacDonald
July 12	David Arthur Carr	Bernard G. Carr, Jr. and Winifred A. O'Keeffe
July 15	Starr Leigh Ferreira	Gerald G. Ferreira and Patricia M. Books
July 15	Patricia Rafferty	Patrick Joseph Rafferty and Dorothy Agnes Brennan
July 18	Shari Louise Hirst	Warren B. Hirst and Grace L. Lantz
July 19	Thomas James Nava	George R. Nava and Josephine C. Peterson
July 20	Beth Anne Ackerman	Frederick Ackerman and Mary L. Dole
July 24	James William Northrup, III	James W. Northrup, Jr. and Barbara L. Fuller
July 24	Arthur Francis Turner, III	Arthur F. Turner, Jr. and Joyce M. Trimmer
July 25	Mark Jeffrey Eufrazio	Joseph A. Eufrazio and Sheila D. Krueger
July 27	Caryn Lisa Loring	James B. Loring and Sandra Nickerson
July 29	Douglas Jay Peck	Ronald R. Peck and Alice L. Hardy
Aug. 2	Mark Wesley MacFarlane	Raymond W. MacFarlane and Susan E. Torrey
Aug. 12	George Francis Freeman, III	George F. Freeman, Jr. and Gail C. Anderson
Aug. 12	William Leland Waitt, Jr.	William L. Waitt and Cheryl Ann Govoni
Aug. 27	Matthew Richard Garuti	Warren A. Garuti and June L. Bettini
Aug. 27	Maria Sylvia Vaz	John C. Vaz and Sylvia F. Wheelock
Sept. 2	Belinda Lee Cazale	Antone J. Cazale and Belinda Jesse
Sept. 12	Paul Robert Barton	Everett W. Barton, Jr. and Jacqueline H. Barter
Sept. 17	Michele Ann St. Onge	Loren H. St. Onge and Barbara A. Tarantino
Sept. 19	Robert Michael Correa	Paul J. Correa and Loretta C. Borgatti
Sept. 24	Deborah May McSherry	John A. McSherry and Jean M. O'Brien
Sept. 26	Michelle Marie Matinzi	Alton J. Matinzi, Jr. and June E. McCombs
Sept. 28	Michael Anthony Gomes	James J. Gomes, Jr. and Rita Mendes

Date	Name	Name of Parents
Sept. 30	Joseph Paul Balboni	Leon H. Balboni and Nancy A. Grandinetta
Oct. 2	Barbara Jo Borghesani	Alton Borghesani and Barbara M. Reidenbach
Oct. 6	Neil Talbot Tewksbury	Emerson S. Tewksbury and Nancy B. O'Neil
Oct. 12	Dolores Christine Anderson	Dorando W. Anderson and Christine D. Curtis
Oct. 12	Julie Holmes	Wallace C. Holmes and Barbara M. Gunther
Oct. 22	Robert Francesco Boyd	Robert Thomas Boyd and Philomena Theresa Mercanti
Nov. 1	Dale Gordon Loring	Edgar W. Loring, II and Lillian M. Maglathlin
Nov. 6	Peter William Drosdik	Philip J. Drosdik and Janet M. Rogers
Nov. 7	Scott William Cerceillo	Robert P. Cerceillo and Beverly A. Ruffini
Nov. 12	Brian Joseph Iandoli	Louis A. Iandoli and Elizabeth A. Lambert
Nov. 13	Linda Ann Donovan	Cornelius J. Donovan, Jr. and Florence T. Giabbai
Nov. 29	Kathryn Howland Doyon	Wilfred A. Doyon, Jr. and Marie T. Martin
Nov. 30	Michael Wayne Mullin	William M. Mullin, Jr. and Beverly Marie Newcomb
Dec. 9	Joel Matthew Fanton	John Theodore Fanton and Mary Elizabeth Mullen

OMISSIONS AND CORRECTIONS OF BIRTHS FOR OTHER YEARS

Date	Name	Name of Parents
May 30, 1962	Laurie Anne McLean	Clifton B. McLean, Jr. and Judy A. Owen
Nov. 27, 1962	Susan Marie Fonseca	Joseph R. Fonseca and Eleanor M. McSherry
Dec. 7, 1962	Richard James Burgess	Richard James Burgess and Marjorie Anne Love
Dec. 15, 1962	Holly Lynne Simoes	John Simoes and Ann M. Ahlquist
Dec. 17, 1962	Martha Julia Holmes	Donald Russell Holmes and Rachel Mae Cavanaugh
Dec. 30, 1962	Chris Spencer	Ralph William Spencer and Marion Prue Louise Thomas
Jan. 17, 1967	Margaret Mary Seaver	Michael Seaver and Madeline Casper
Jan. 8, 1964	Mary Louise Emond	Mitchell Emond and Pauline Cote

Respectfully submitted,
 GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
 Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR THE YEAR 1963

Date	Names	Residence	Married At
Jan. 5	Michael Clay Broadbent Eleanor Marie Gallivan	Pembroke Kingston	Hanson
Jan. 19	George Christian Lootz Sandra Ann Silva	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Jan. 19	Charles Frank Wilburn Arlene Brewster Blizzard (Leonardi)	Kingston Kingston	Plymouth
Jan. 20	Allan Earl Vantangoli Elaine Marylyn Swanson	Kingston East Bridgewater	E. Bridgewater
Feb. 3	Richard Lee Caron Sandra Elaine (Fish) Lindsay	Duxbury Duxbury	Kingston
Feb. 17	Walter Frank Juszyński, Jr. Lee Jane Cavi	Lancaster Kingston	Plymouth
Feb. 22	Antone Wayne Dupuis Nola Lee Benson	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Mar. 9	John Warren Merry Denise Rae Doyle	Kingston Duxbury	Duxbury
Mar. 16	James Albert Fontaine Sandra Jean Howe	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Apr. 5	Stanley Daniel Everson Bertha Sadie Cash	Kingston Kennebunkport, Me.	Kingston
Apr. 6	Richard Paul Dekofski Lorna Lee Waitt	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Apr. 7	Alton Joseph Matinzi, Jr. June Elizabeth McCombs	Kingston Pembroke	Kingston
Apr. 15	Robert Bernard Anderson Fonda Carol Malone	Franklin Kingston	Plymouth
Apr. 27	John Edward Gorman Phyllis Reinhardt	Kingston Plymouth	Kingston
Apr. 29	H. John Roche Dolores A. Croke (Heussler)	Plymouth Plymouth	Kingston
May 4	Frank Lewis Weinand, Jr. Frances Joanne Clark	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
May 4	James Joseph Gomes, Jr. Rita Mendes	Kingston Hanson	Halifax
May 11	Russell Whitman Edwards Florence B. Gaspar (Grozinger)	Duxbury Kingston	Plymouth
June 2	Alfred Joseph Cannucci Marie Ann Govoni	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
June 9	Warren Ralph Dean Judith Ann Guidetti	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
June 15	David Dean Swenson Janice Bradley	Bismarck, N.D. Kingston	Plymouth
June 23	Harry Wellington Nichols, Jr. Constance Elaine Doane	Rockland Kingston	Kingston
June 25	Paul Nichols Sampson Aravesta Eugenia Griffith	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
June 28	Vernon Melville Waitt Evelyn (Carvalho) Pearce	Kingston Plymouth	Kingston

Date	Names	Residence	Married At
July 12	Thomas Meagher Mildred Farragher (Anastasia)	Plymouth Plymouth	Kingston
July 21	Otis M. Bilby Ruth C. Gale	Boston Boston	Kingston
July 24	Ronald Lee Wilcox Lorraine Bernice Gomes	Middleboro Middleboro	Kingston
July 27	James Joseph Gomes Arlene Helen Gomes (Fernandes)	Kingston Kingston	Carver
July 27	Robert Melvin Bousquet Jeannette Lee Billings	Pembroke Plymouth	Kingston
Aug. 16	Joseph Ferdinand Grandi, Jr. Mary Ann Bates (Randall)	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Aug. 17	Frank Paul Sisto Hilda Saladino (Sisco)	Kingston Everett	Revere
Aug. 17	Robert C. McCosh Lois M. Bianchi (Palavanchi)	Plymouth Plymouth	Kingston
Aug. 18	Robert Henry Riedel, Jr. Teresa Ann Minerea	Kingston Brockton	Brockton
Aug. 25	Emile Lucien Vernazzaro Caroline Lillian Cavacco	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Aug. 31	David Souza Geraldine Beatrice Scott (Lyon)	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
Sept. 14	Donald Eliot Baker Meredith Bearce	Plymouth Kingston	Kingston
Sept. 18	Alvin Lester Partin Flora Irene Cole	Hillsboro, Tenn. Kingston	Kingston
Sept. 21	Asa Weston Glass 3rd Geraldine Florence Angley	Kingston Pembroke	Hanson
Sept. 21	John Gomes, Jr. Janice Anna Silva	Kingston N. Carver	N. Carver
Sept. 25	Wayne G. Wines Marlene J. Martel	Wyandotte, Mich. Boston	Kingston
Sept. 27	Leonard Albert Pierce Ruth (Moncairs) Houser	Carver Kingston	Kingston
Oct. 6	Edward Walter Bonanno Barbara Louise Govoni	Hanover Kingston	Plymouth
Oct. 9	Bradford Youngman Linda L. Beaton	Kingston Duxbury	Biddeford, Me.
Oct. 12	Richard Edgar Smith Joan Crawford Bartlett	Brockton Kingston	Kingston
Oct. 20	Patrick Norris Rinne Veronica Louise Quintal	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Oct. 25	William Jay Harriman Nancy Ann King	Carver Kingston	Carver
Oct. 26	George Warren Maglathlin Dorothy Ann DeSisto	Kingston Randolph	Randolph
Oct. 26	John Oscar Silva Blanche Beverly Bryson	Kingston Whitman	Rockland
Oct. 26	Michael Terry Guidaboni Mary Theresa Sampson	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Oct. 27	Harold James Fratus Karen Elaine Everson	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth

Date	Names	Residence	Married At
Oct. 31	James Albert Proctor Marian Laura Bailey	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Nov. 1	Rene Jean LaForest Marjorie Jane Judge	Brockton Middleboro	Kingston
Nov. 4	Joseph Domingo Andrade Cheryl Barrows	Marshfield Carver	Kingston
Nov. 9	Richard Anthony Malone Joanna Jeanette Carreau	Kingston Plymouth	Plymouth
Nov. 10	William John O'Brien Mary Cheryl Benea	Kingston Kingston	Plymouth
Nov. 16	Joseph John Forni Mary Mamie Sutkus	Kingston Middleboro	Plymouth
Nov. 16	Peter Leslie Wood Linda Jean Persons	Plymouth Kingston	Plymouth
Nov. 16	Vincent Anthony Socci Susan Marie Candini	New Canaan, Conn. Kingston	Kingston
Dec. 4	Manuel Joseph Barros Minnie Elmira Robinson	Plympton Plympton	Kingston
Dec. 7	Alfred Joseph Souza Barbara Lucy Keough	Kingston Millis	Millis
Dec. 10	Robert Haines Werner, Jr. Pauline Teresa Giaccaglia	Kingston Plymouth	Kingston
Dec. 15	James Charles Hayward Margaret Louise Ellis	Kingston Kingston	Kingston
Dec. 21	Robert Arthur Wade Patricia Ann Gould	Kingston Kingston	Plymouth
Dec. 28	Joseph Edward Christy, Jr. Carole Ann Gallerani	Plymouth Kingston	Kingston
Dec. 28	Jonathon Gudmundur Palsson Joan Elizabeth Harron	Kingston Groton, Conn.	Kingston

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,

Town Clerk.

DEATHS RECORDED IN KINGSTON FOR THE YEAR 1963

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Parent's Name
Jan. 4	Ricardi Caviechi	61	—	—	Vincent Caviechi and Elisa Balboni
Jan. 5	Charles H. Cole	89	11	—	Horace Cole and Lydia Raymond
Jan. 22	Alberta Forni	54	5	24	Alfred C. Nickerson and Delia A. Nickeson
Jan. 30	Hector Munro	81	8	22	Hector Munro and Isabell Smith
Feb. 16	Clarence S. Ertman	70	2	17	William Ertman and Minnie Meyers
Feb. 16	Edna Maglathlin	91	—	9	Onslow W. Maglathlin and Harriett J. Bradford
Feb. 18	Alfred T. Grazioli	39	3	24	Leander Grazioli and Adele Borsari
Feb. 19	Charlena Elwell (Hoyt)	87	6	13	Gustave Hoyt and ——— Whittle
Feb. 19	Annette M. Kelly	74	—	3	Thomas Kelly and Sarah Thorburn
Feb. 19	Minnie Aldrovandi (Malaguti)	76	9	3	Resmo Malaguti and Bridget Lodi
Feb. 24	Annie E. West (Washburn)	88	1	6	Martin P. Washburn and Juliette M. Drew
Feb. 27	Elizabeth M. Sisto (Magee)	65	—	—	John Magee and Mary Barry
Mar. 14	Josephine Gilli (Zandi)	91	2	18	Alfonso Zandi and Enrica Ottani
Mar. 14	Oscar J. Pelletier	60	7	19	Jerome Pelletier and Agatha Massie
Mar. 15	E. George Forcier	35	5	12	Wilfred S. Forcier and Mary Dube
Mar. 16	Lincoln C. Bartlett	63	6	14	Joseph L. Bartlett and Martha A. Crawford
Mar. 22	Manuel V. Ribeiro	61	10	4	Cannot be Learned and Cannot be Learned
Mar. 22	Frances D. Houghton (Drake)	75	1	6	Charles Drake and Hattie Johnston
Mar. 27	Phosie P. Sollis (Peterson)	91	1	7	James H. Peterson and Josephine Chandler
Mar. 28	Mary L. Bettencourt (Salgado)	57	0	9	Antone S. Salgado and Mary Cavalho
Apr. 3	Freddie Corrow	82	3	13	Joseph Corrow and Louise Gerrior
Apr. 9	Maude B. Fairweather	79	—	—	John Silas Keller and Helena Pierce
Apr. 16	Sister Armella (Sammer)	72	2	23	George Sammer and Caroline Wihlt
Apr. 18	Manette P. Wilcox (Pope)	86	1	19	George H. Pope and Catherine M. Bailey
May 4	John King	52	10	24	Joseph A. King and Delvina Barriault
May 5	Fred H. Drake	65	9	20	Whitney Drake and Effie Sargent
May 11	Mary A. Heath (St. Peter)	72	11	27	Joseph St. Peter and Aurore Emond

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Parent's Name
May 13	Margaret Bosworth	92	—	—	Maurice Sheehan and Ellen Ahearn
May 15	George Gauquier	56	2	23	Victor Gauquier and Mary Missler
May 20	Manuel P. Araujo, a/k/a Pena, a/k/a Pina	96	—	5	Anthony Pena and Antonia —
May 26	Edward Paul	68	3	21	Arthur Paul and Mary Mari
May 26	G. Edgar Bailey	88	2	18	Caleb E. Bailey and Catherine McClellan
May 28	Paul Noyes Govoni	21	7	3	John J. Govoni and H. Barbara Noyes
May 29	Dekla A. Mistler (Herget)	70	4	10	Fredric Mistler and Maria Brenner
June 3	Zaira Valeriani	75	—	—	Ralph Minarelli and Rita Dondi
June 11	Mary Cabrahal Nogueira	79	0	16	Louis Cabrahal and Maria DeJesus
June 14	Barbara Faraguti Govoni	87	1	4	John Faraguti and Cannot be Learned
June 14	Mary M. Walker (Macdougall)	83	6	3	Joseph Macdougall and Esther A. Rogerson
June 26	Mary R. Gavoni (Caton)	46	11	23	Manuel Caton and Jacintha Correa
June 27	John B. Santerre	82	1	4	Francis Santerre and Philomena Gaudreau
June 28	Caton Santos	67	4	19	Caton Santos and Gloria —
July 18	Flora A. McGrath (Gillis)	93	9	8	Peter Gillis and Margaret MacGillvray
July 18	Adelaide F. Lane (Gibson)	78	2	28	Frank E. Gibson and Alice Brown
July 25	Warren E. Weeks	89	1	5	Thomas Weeks and Hattie G. Mayo
July 31	Elizabeth A. Drake (Cross)	65	8	24	William Cross and Mary McAuley
Aug. 3	Judith A. Comerford	19	10	1	George W. Comerford and Beatrice J. Kelly
Aug. 20	Bedford R. Snowden	76	2	27	David Snowden and Julia Maxwell
Aug. 24	Bertha C. Kriegel (Wetzel)	74	10	6	William J. Wetzel and Catharina Beetal
Sept. 3	Virginia Michellini (Diozzi)	84	2	5	Antonio Diozzi and Mary —
Sept. 10	Ada M. Looz	86	6	9	William Brown and Mildred Morgan
Sept. 16	Maurice J. Malone	76	9	—	James T. Malone and Katie E. Smith
Sept. 30	Thalia M. Ertman (Marion)	72	7	12	Otis H. Marion and Carrie E. Johnson
Oct. 1	Bernard Kusmin	52	—	—	Saul Kusmin and Pauline Averbach
Oct. 1	Arthur H. Keefe	63	7	23	Dennis Keefe and Ellen Hickson
Oct. 29	Annie D. Dunham	89	3	9	William J. Dunham and Martha D. Lowden

Date	Name	Y	M	D	Parent's Name
Oct. 31	Lena M. Geilfuss	73	—	—	William Bradley and Hannah Hennessy
Oct. 31	Florence Griffith (St. Pierre)	53	3	7	Joseph St. Pierre and Azilda Bouchman
Nov. 12	Agostino Montanari	74	4	22	John Montanari and Daria Caviechi
Nov. 26	Edna Louise Paine (Palmer)	89	6	24	Orlando M. Palmer and Josephine Ryder
Nov. 27	Alice L. Smith (Saxton)	33	6	18	Frederick Saxton and Harriet Hill
Dec. 1	Delia G. McCarthy (Glynn)	37	—	2	Dennis Glynn and Margaret Kelley
Dec. 1	Ruth R. Mitchell (Golder)	48	7	24	Charles M. Golder and Eliza Shenstone
Dec. 17	Nicholas Zinsius	69	10	15	Nicholas Zinsius and Marie E. Linain
Dec. 19	Ida M. Lowe (Kierstead)	39	5	2	Andrew Kierstead and Mary A. Scott
Dec. 20	Harry L. Tilton	98	8	26	Harrison H. Tilton and Arabella Billings
Dec. 21	John T. Cushman	74	7	2	Fred L. Cushman and Lizzie M. Bagnell
Dec. 23	Mary A. Carey (Smith)	34	7	2	Richard Smith and Mary E. Driscoll
Dec. 31	Nettie M. Heald	96	6	24	Benjamin F. Heald and Jennie M. Coombs

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

On all fronts it is becoming increasingly difficult to curb rising governmental expenditures. As individuals, we have very little control on State and Federal levels. However, on our Town level the voters have complete control over most appropriations. It behooves all of our voters to make every effort to attend Town Meetings, that they may register, either pro or con, on requests of various departments and petitioners.

The municipal radio network, voted at the 1962 Annual Meeting, has been installed and placed in operation, resulting in added efficiency of the departments involved.

The Chapter 90 Construction program on Station Street was delayed because of necessary changes in the drainage plans and shortage of engineers. Both these situations have since been remedied and construction should proceed apace in 1964. However, the Chapter 90 Maintenance program for the year was completed by resurfacing a portion of the macadam on Pembroke Street.

Notification has been received from the Commonwealth that Kingston's share of an allotment, from the State's most recent bond issue, amounts to \$9,464.38. This money should be available for appropriation at the 1964 Annual Meeting.

Increasing activity in our legal department has resulted in added expenses. Some of the litigation is of long standing, and while in every instance the Town's position has been upheld by the judiciary, final determinations have been delayed by further appeals of the opposition.

A major responsibility fell upon our Chairman during the year, as a consequence of being appointed by the Legislature to membership of the Special Commission relative to the City of Brockton's desire for legislation permitting them to extend their water supply. This legislation would permit Brockton to use the so-called surplus waters from Oldham and Furnace Ponds in Pembroke; Monponsett Ponds in Halifax and Hanson; and Pine and Howard Brooks in Kingston. We are of the unanimous opinion that Brockton's proposed encroachment on Kingston would be economically disadvantageous to our community. Therefore, Mr. Moore continues his efforts to protect Kingston's

welfare in this matter, and at present it is felt that progress has been made toward this end.

A Special Town Meeting was called in November for the primary purpose of enabling the Board of Water Commissioners to complete the action necessary to assure a grant of \$29,000.00 from the Federal Area Redevelopment Administration for the construction of a well, pumping station and appurtenances, off Winthrop Street.

The Bureau of Accounts, Department of Corporation and Taxation, completed a two-year audit of the books and accounts of the Town during November and December.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MOORE, *Chairman*
WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL
HARLEY S. CADENHEAD

Board of Selectmen

1963 JURY LIST — TOWN OF KINGSTON

Name	Age	Residence	Business or Occupation or Previous Employer of Business
Anderson, Walter A.	63	46 Evergreen Street	Billing Supervisor, Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth, Mass.
Anzuoni, Albert A.	41	17 Evergreen Street	Transportation Executive, Plymouth & Brockton Street Railway Co., 112 Sandwich St., Plymouth, Mass.
Backus, Edward L.	40	4 Cross Street	New England Tel. & Tel. Co., 33 Court St., Plymouth, Mass.
Bailey, Roland S.	67	4 Linden Street	Self-employed. Insurance agent, Kingston, Mass.
Books, Evelyn B.	51	Wapping Road	At home. Husband, machinist. C. Drew & Co., Kingston, Mass.
Cain, Walter R.	57	Tarkiln Road	Design Engineer, W. H. Nichols Co., 48 Woerd Ave., Waltham, Mass.
Capella, Francis J.	48	17 Pembroke Street	Percher. George Mabbett Co., Plymouth, Mass.
Cavallini, William C.	59	Tarkiln Road	Employee of Cobb & Drew, Inc., Kingston, Mass.
Costa, Antone M.	39	29 Pembroke Street	Cabinet Maker. Wes Pine, King Street, Hanover, Mass.
Delano, Evelyn J.	48	Blair Drive	Owner land-surveying business, Plymouth, Mass. Husband deceased.
Drew, John B.	38	63 Evergreen Street	Employee of Thayer Scale Corp., Pembroke, Mass.
Felt, Francis E.	51	34 Tremont Street	Research & Development Plastics, 1308 Soldier's Field Road, Boston, Mass.
Garuti, Henry C.	40	Off Gray Avenue	Self-employed. Garuti's' Service Station, Plymouth, Mass.
Gaspar, Dexter L.	33	260 Main Street	Civil Service Employee, Maint. Dept., Otis Air Force Base, Falmouth, Mass.
Gebhard, Frederick S. H.	65	6 Sunset Road	Retired. Boston Edison Co., Public Utilities, Boston, Mass.
Gibbs, Robert M.	32	Grove St.	Foreman, Vulplex, Inc., Bates St., No. Abington, Mass.
Goff, Arthur D.	38	RFD Wapping Road	Machine Operator, Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth, Mass.
Halunen, William O.	44	Briarwood Court	Employee Whiting Milk Co., Summer St., Duxbury, Mass.
Haverstock, Ralph A.	35	Elm Street	Employee New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Plymouth, Mass.
Howe, Helen	52	Lantern Lane	At home. Husband, worker at Fore River, 97 East Howard St., Quincy, Mass.
Hirst, Harry	61	3 Center Street	Employee Revere Copper & Brass Inc., Edes Mfg. Division, Plymouth, Mass.

Name	Age	Residence	Business or Occupation or Previous Employer of Business
Hunt, Ruth A.	51	278 Main Street	At home. Husband, orchestra leader.
Krueger, Alfred H.	64	5 Howland's Lane	Employee Plymouth Cordage Co., Plymouth, Mass.
Lane, Roger L.	47	West Street	Employee of N.Y., N.H. & H. Railroad Co.
Loring, Irene M.	55	64 Evergreen Street	At home. Husband, cranberry grower.
Loring, Marjorie S.	50	Winthrop Street	At home. Husband, mason, self-employed.
Maurer, W. Chadwick	47	Wapping Road	Employee of Brookdale Nursery, Kingston, Mass.
Moody, Dorothy E.	51	Wapping Road	At home. Husband, Supt. Finishing, C. Drew & Co., Kingston, Mass.
Moore, Thomas E. A.	48	2 Riverside Drive	First National Stores, Inc., 5 Middlesex Ave., Somerville, Mass.
McCann, John Charles	50	16 Home Park Court	Employee Mass. Dept. of Public Works, Obery St., Plymouth, Mass.
McGoff, John J.	59	7 Foster Lane	Employee First National Stores, 179 Court St., Plymouth, Mass.
McGrath, Ernest A.	49	54 Pembroke Street	Part-owner of restaurant, Dearn & McGrath Inc., Water Street, Plymouth, Mass.
Packard, Kenneth E.	39	41 Pembroke Street	Employee New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Plymouth, Mass.
Paul, Elizabeth V.	49	12 Smith's Lane	At home. Husband self-employed. Sea-moss dealer.
Pease, Hazel M.	60	Wapping Road	Bookkeeper, Shiretown Transp. Co., Inc., Kingston, Mass.
Peavey, Howard Keith	31	7 Maple Avenue	Husband, employee Dept. of Public Works, Plymouth, Mass.
Pickett, Charles W.	38	Lake Street	Office Manager, C. Drew & Co., Kingston, Mass.
Pope, Ethel H.	49	256 Main Street	Employee of Trane Co., Boston, Mass.
Randall, Robert A.	30	129 Summer Street	Clerk. Husband, self-employed, fisherman, Plymouth, Mass.
Rushton, P. Cabot	60	227 Main Street	Employee Retail Credit Co., 47 W. Elm Street, Brockton, Mass.
Ryll, Gottfried	68	69 Main Street	Employee of Westerville Creamery Co., Westerville, Ohio, L. W. Johnston.
Sampson, Earl S.	45	98 Elm Street	Retired. Guard at Plymouth County Jail, Plymouth, Mass.
Sassi, Beatrice A.	44	76 Elm Street	Mechanical Designer. Kennedy Antenna Div. Electronic Specialty Co., 155 King Street, Cohasset, Mass.
Schott, Edward H., Jr.	47	Lake Street	Chief Operator, New England Tel. & Tel. Co., 141 Union Avenue, Framingham, Mass.
			Employee Garey Corp., 2475 Elston Ave., Chicago, Illinois.

Name	Age	Residence	Business or Occupation or Previous Employer of Business
Thibodeau, Irenee	55	15 Maple Avenue	Retired, U.S. Coast Guard, Washington, D.C.
Traynor, Meta	51	17 Jones River Drive	Advertising saleswoman, Silver Lake News, Pembroke, Mass. Husband, car salesman, Standish Chevrolet, Plymouth, Mass.
Tura, James Joseph	34	4 Basler's Lane	Route Salesman, Hendrie's Ice Cream, 131 Eliot St., Milton, Mass.
Twofoot, Sydney E.	39	74 Pembroke Street	Employee, B. F. Goodrich Co., St. George St., Millbrook, Duxbury, Mass.
Wager, Frank E.	58	55 Pembroke Street	Employee of Sweetser's General Store, Duxbury, Mass.
Warnsman, Margaret J.	52	100 Summer Street	Insurance Agent. Husband, insurance agent, self-employed, Warnsman Insurance Agency, Kingston, Mass.

ELIZABETH B. SAMPSON MEMORIAL FUND

From the projects submitted by the various departments for consideration, the trustees have experienced no difficulty in selecting three for definite favorable action. It is hoped that prior to the Annual Town Meeting information and specifications will be made available permitting at least one additional recommendation. Nevertheless the trustees must report, in all frankness, that considering the blanket invitation extended to all departments, and the fact that substantial amounts are available on an annual basis the number of suggested projects received is disappointingly small. It is the intention of the trustees to remedy this defect and to stimulate the submission of additional undertakings through correspondence and conference with department heads.

This year the trustees have determined to alter the policy of past years by making the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund responsible for the entire amount involved in each instance. It is hoped that this course will prove less confusing to the town meeting and the trustees intend to continue to recommend that relatively modest requests be handled in this fashion in the future. This is not to be construed as an unalterable rule as it may well prove desirable and even essential to revert to the former method of joining town appropriations with monies made available from the Memorial Fund when major expenditures are contemplated.

There follows a list of recommendations the trustees presently intend to offer for action at the Annual Town Meeting. It must be understood that events occurring prior to that meeting may make some modifications necessary or desirable.

(1) The sum of \$1,000.00 to continue the program of repair to the vaults, gravestones, monuments, and lot dividers in the Old Burial Ground under jurisdiction of the Selectmen.

(2) The sum of \$500.00 for securing two new penetrator type sirens with amplifying system for their two cruiser ambulances, for the police department expenditure to be under the jurisdiction of the Chief of Police.

(3) The sum of \$2600.00 for extending the water main from Prospect St. to the Town Dump. This expenditure to be under the authority of the Board of Water Commissioners.

At the request of the trustees of the F. C. Adams Public Library, action on the \$25,000.00 memorial bequest has been deferred until the outcome of application for Federal funds for the proposed library addition is known. However, it is still the desire of the trustees to move definitely on this part of the program as promptly as possible. Also by agreement with the Library Trustees no further recommendations for equipment have been made with the continued understanding that there will be further favorable action in this direction as soon as the addition is erected and their requirements substantiated.

Respectfully submitted,

Trustees of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund

JOHN J. MOORE, *Chairman*

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, *Secretary*

HORACE C. WESTON

TRUSTEES ELIZABETH B. SAMPSON MEMORIAL FUND

Income Account as of December 31, 1963

Balance, January 1, 1963		\$17,679.53
Receipts:		
Income from Securities	\$8,210.82	
Income from Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	2,600.00	
Income from Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co. Final Distribution	498.89	
Dividends—Income Account	777.59	
		<hr/> 12,087.30
Total		<hr/> \$29,766.83

Payments:

Cape Insurance Agency ('Trustees' Bond) \$300.00

Plymouth National Bank:

Fees	\$629.04
Amortization	149.52
Postage	4.00
	<hr/> 782.56

Town of Kingston for the following

Appropriation Payments:

F. C. Adams Public

Library \$281.25

Old Burial Grounds 500.00

Municipal Radio Band 2,491.70

Repairs to former Grange

Hall 247.65

Town Forest 375.00

3,895.60

Total Payments

4,978.16

Balance, December 31, 1963

\$24,788.67

Amounts to be Encumbered:

Voted 1961, 1962, 1963

Grange Building \$1,146.95

Municipal Radio 8.30

Improvements and Repairs to the Library 2,090.50

Improvement of Town Forest	375.00
Park Commission Plans	1,000.00
Public Address System—Reed Community Building	500.00
Equipment for Frederic C. Adams Public Library	5,000.00
Total to be Encumbered	10,120.75
Balance Unencumbered	\$14,667.92
Securities	
Balance, January 1, 1963	\$179,748.48
Received from Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co— Final Distribution	4,375.06
Total	184,123.54

TRUSTEES ELIZABETH B. SAMPSON MEMORIAL FUND

Securities as of December 31, 1963

	BOOK VALUE		MARKET VALUE
10,000 Aluminum Co. of America 4¼—1/1/82	\$9,789.05	99	\$9,900.00
10,000 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 4¾—4/1/85	9,729.05	100	10,000.00
10,000 Niagara Mohawk Power Co. 4¾—9/1/87	10,179.52	104	10,400.00
9,000 Northern Pacific RR Equip. Trust 4¼—4/28/71	8,811.32	99½	8,955.00
10,000 Pacific Gas & Electric Co. 4½—6/1/90	9,816.55	102	10,200.00
10,000 Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 4¾—11/1/90	9,879.05	102	10,200.00
10,000 Sears Roebuck Co. 4¾—8/1/83	10,111.43	103¾	10,387.50
10,000 Southern California Edison Co. 4¾—9/1/83	9,966.55	101½	10,150.00
1,000 Southern Pacific RR Equipment Trust 4¼—3/1/74	970.01	99¼	992.50
20,000 International Bank for Reconstruction and Development 4½—12/1/73	20,037.00	100	20,000.00
20,000 U. S. Treasury Notes 4¾—5/15/64	20,030.55	100.14	20,087.50
20,000 U. S. Treasury Notes 4¾—5/15/65	19,993.75	100.29	20,181.25
20,000 U. S. Treasury Bonds 4—10/1/69	19,737.50	99.28	19,975.00
Deposit—Abington Savings Bank	10,000.00		10,000.00
Deposit—Charlestown Savings Bank	4,449.81		4,449.81
Deposit—Home Savings Bank	10,000.00		10,000.00
Deposit—Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank	622.40		622.40
Uninvested Cash	None		None
	\$184,123.54		\$186,500.96

REPORT OF THE TOWN COLLECTOR

	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1963	Committed	Refunds	Payments to Treasurer	Adjustments Abatements Exemptions	Transfers to Tax Titles	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1963
<i>Taxes of 1962</i>							
Personal	\$3,287.86	.....	.....	\$3,219.04	\$68.82	.....	None
Real Estate	28,196.26	.....	.....	28,177.66	18.60	.....	None
Excise	7,018.06	\$1,405.29	\$619.59	7,485.10	1,495.41	.....	\$62.43
<i>Taxes of 1963</i>							
Poll	.....	2,852.00	2.00	2,268.00	586.00	.....	None
Personal	.....	65,504.86	.....	61,350.28	71.30	.....	4,083.28
Real Estate	.....	604,429.94	1,301.74	563,387.37	11,628.50	\$313.10	30,315.91
Excise	.....	91,688.60	2,033.72	69,164.38	9,370.62	*86.80	15,187.32
Water	.....	40,344.05	.....	40,344.05	.....	.....	.....
Departmental Accounts	1,123.06	45,419.64	.....	43,842.01	5.00	.....	2,695.69
Totals	\$39,625.24	\$851,644.38	\$3,957.05	\$819,237.89	\$23,244.25	\$399.90	\$52,344.63

*Transferred to Taxes in Litigation — Chapter 60 — Section 37A

Respectfully submitted,
 GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
 Town Collector.

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 1, 1963	\$314,304.89
Receipts	1,326,113.90
Total	<u>\$1,640,418.79</u>

PAYMENTS

Payments	\$1,308,044.30
Balance, December 31, 1963	332,374.49
Total	<u>\$1,640,418.79</u>

TAX TITLES

Balance, January 1, 1963	\$1,269.14
Transfer to Tax Titles	
Taxes 1963	\$313.10
Interest	3.14
	<u>316.24</u>
Total	\$1,585.38
Payments to Treasurer	\$164.04
Transferred to Taxes in Litigation	
(Section 37A, Chapter 60)	222.16
	<u>386.20</u>
Balance, December 31, 1963	
(5 Tax Titles)	\$1,199.18
Income Received from the Investment of	
Part of the General Funds	\$2,216.69
Income Received from the Collection	
of State Income Tax	38.64
	<u>\$2,255.33</u>
Total Income	\$2,255.33

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
Town Treasurer

TRUST FUNDS
In Custody of Town Treasurer

Name of Fund	On Hand Jan. 1, 1963	Income	Transferred to Town	On Hand Dec. 31, 1963
Thomas Prince Benevolent	\$40,035.44	\$1,607.19	\$3,500.00	\$38,142.63
Arthur P. Wadsworth	4,523.36	172.01	.....	4,695.37
Frederic C. Adams School	5,000.00	207.06	207.06	5,000.00
Rosa A. Cole	1,000.00	38.03	38.03	1,000.00
Annie C. Thomas	5,000.00	194.95	194.95	5,000.00
Elizabeth F. Glover Drinking Fountain	804.24	30.57	.....	834.81
Flag Fund	107.79	4.06	.....	111.85
Lucy P. Ames Fund	20,000.00	803.78	803.78	20,000.00
St. Joseph Cemetery Perpetual Fund	89.42	3.37	.....	92.79
Evergreen Cemetery Perpetual Fund	121.85	4.60	4.00	122.45
Municipal Building Insurance	5,129.19	195.05	.....	5,324.24
Workman's Compensation	964.70	36.67	.....	1,001.37
Post War Rehabilitation	538.06	20.45	.....	558.51
William H. Willis Charity Fund	16,128.45	*945.39	308.05	16,765.79
Town of Kingston Educational Fund	1,753.91	66.68	.....	1,820.59
TOTALS	\$101,196.41	\$4,329.86	\$5,055.87	\$100,470.40

*Including \$45.15 (Principal) from the sale of Scrip of the Plymouth-Home National Bank.

Due to the merger of the Plymouth National Bank and the Home National Bank of Brockton we received the following:

1. Received from the Plymouth-Home National Bank 160 Shares (Certificate #A134), dated May 10, 1963 in place of the 65 shares of the Plymouth National Bank.
2. Received from the Plymouth-Home National Bank 4 shares Certificate #A425 in place of the two shares of the Plymouth National Bank. Also Scrip Certificate #511 for 1846/2000 share. Total shares now 164 instead of 67 formerly owned.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE W. CUSHMAN,
Town Treasurer.

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

	1953	1958	1962	1963
1. TOWN CLERK				
Births	66	83	81	97
Marriages	36	47	57	65
Deaths	42	39	54	71
Registered Voters	1906	2206	2364	2342
Sporting Licenses Issued	\$1,098.25	\$1,287.25	\$1,740.20	\$1,833.40
Dog Licenses Issued	1,052.00	1,287.00	1,246.00	1,328.00
Appropriations:				
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING	438,091.23	987,883.07	892,764.87	972,262.09
2. TREASURER				
Receipts	576,143.00	1,185,490.06	1,127,757.17	1,326,113.90
Disbursements	594,879.12	1,019,619.63	1,119,309.50	1,308,044.30
Salaries and Wages Paid	181,539.63	230,751.99	306,893.82	332,690.87
Federal Taxes Withheld	21,497.58	27,148.42	39,063.23	44,006.26
State Taxes Withheld			3,323.17	3,729.43
County Retirement Withheld	4,482.18	5,879.08	7,231.68	8,365.15
Tax Titles	125.94	466.32	1,269.14	1,199.18
Free Cash, December 31st	87,490.98	131,093.01	126,562.52	127,570.55
3. TAX COLLECTOR				
Personal Taxes (Committed)	32,476.50	54,362.10	63,519.00	65,504.86
Real Estate Taxes (Committed)	256,845.75	463,818.90	583,283.60	604,429.94
Excise Taxes (Committed)	27,509.57	57,186.33	87,028.48	93,093.89
Water. (Collections)	24,484.81	31,531.89	38,032.01	40,344.05
Outstanding Accounts at the End of the Year (Current Year Only)	16,704.21	37,922.46	38,502.18	49,586.51
Accounts Outstanding in Percentage	4.89%	6.5%	5.3%	6.04%
4. OTHER INTERESTING FACTS				
Valuation	8,265,700.00	9,777,000.00	10,432,300.00	10,805,400.00
Population	3,461	4,089	(1960) 4,302	(1960) 4,302
Water Takers	1,490	1,671	1,763	1,811
School Enrollment, Oct. 1st				
Elementary	(1) 703	493	490	518
Silver Lake Regional High		363	444	464
TOTALS		856	934	982

(1) Including the Elementary and the Kingston High School.

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 to 9:00 p.m.

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

REPORT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Twenty petitions filed with the Zoning Board of Appeals during 1963 received the following disposition:

	Variances	Appeals	Permits for Specific Use
Granted	1		3
Denied	8	1	1
Withdrawn	4		
Pending	2		

Two decisions of the Board to deny requests for variances were appealed to the Superior Court where the action of the Board was upheld.

On August 27, 1963 the Board of Selectmen designated the Zoning Board of Appeals as the Board of Appeals under the Town's Building, Plumbing and Wiring Codes. In the absence of any specific instructions, appeals under these codes will be considered, in so far as practical, in accordance with the Zoning Board of Appeals Rules and Regulations.

During the year, Francis E. Felt was reappointed to membership on the Board for a three-year term to expire June 1966. Walter B. Cain and Robert R. Barbieri were reappointed to alternate membership with terms to expire June 1966 and June 1964, respectively.

Members and alternate members have reviewed proposed Zoning By-Law amendments and participated in the Study Committee's discussion of these amendments with members of the Planning Board, Finance Committee and Board of Selectmen.

The Board expresses its appreciation to Building Inspector George A. Walsh, Town Clerk George W. Cushman and Town Counsel Phillip S. Cronin for their assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

	Term Expires
FRANCIS E. FELT, <i>Chairman</i>	1966
NORMAN C. STEERE	1965
ROSCOE A. COLE, JR., <i>Clerk</i>	1964

Zoning Board of Appeals

ASSESSORS' REPORT — 1963

1963 Tax Rate \$62.00 per thousand
Valuation of Real Estate as of January 1, 1963 . . . \$9,748,870.00
Valuation of Personal Property as of January 1, 1963 . 1,056,530.00

Total valuation as of January 1, 1963 \$10,805,400.00
Increase in valuation over January 1, 1962 \$373,100.00

APPROPRIATIONS AND ASSESSMENTS

Town Appropriations:

September 24, 1962	\$3,500.00
December 3, 1962	4,200.00
March 16, 1963	922,262.09
Debt and Interest	75,463.75
Overlay 1963	22,562.64
	<hr/> \$1,027,988.48

State Assessments:

State Parks and Reservations	\$2,565.79
State Audit	135.14
Mosquito Control	2,983.93
	<hr/> 5,684.86

County Assessments:

County Tax	\$34,799.55
County Hospital	11,533.91
	<hr/> 46,333.46

Total of all assessments and appropriations	\$1,080,006.80
Total deductions (estimated receipts and transfers)	407,220.00

Total amount to be raised by Local Taxation	\$672,786.80
Raised as follows:	
Real Estate (\$9,748,870.00 at \$62.00 per thousand)	\$604,429.94
Personal Property (\$1,056,530.00 at \$62.00 per thousand)	65,504.86
Polls (1,426 at \$2.00 each)	2,852.00

TOTAL RAISED BY LOCAL TAXATION	\$672,786.80
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Respectfully submitted,
FRANCIS P. McMANUS, *Chairman*
RALPH F. SANTORO
JOSEPH F. GLASS
Board of Assessors

REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

During the year our major program efforts included the distribution of our brochure to all parts of the country, and the erection of our advertising sign on the Industrial zoned area located on the Kingston By-Pass. We now await what we anticipate will be satisfactory results from these efforts.

We have now been a member of the Plymouth Industrial Development Corporation for over a year, and with each passing day we believe that this will be the ultimate solution to the problems of industrial development in Kingston and the entire southeastern area of the State.

Due to the difficulty of securing a full commission at all monthly Thursday meetings, we are changing our meeting date, starting January 1964, from the third Thursday of every month to the THIRD WEDNESDAY at 7:30 P.M. at the Town House and of course visitors are indeed welcome.

In conclusion we wish to thank the Selectmen, Finance Committee, Town Accountant, Town Treasurer and all departments for their sincere co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN E. THOMAS, *Chairman*

ROBERT A. JONES

MANDO J. ALDROVANDI

ALVIN L. GOULD

HAROLD S. NATHANSON

Industrial Development Commission

REPORT OF PLYMOUTH INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

In order to acquaint the citizens of Kingston with some of the background of this Corporation and why it was formed we felt that this short report would be in order. Early in 1962 Plymouth felt, as we have for years, that the answer was in Area Development. After various meetings, in August 1962 we were informed that the Plymouth Area Economic Development Plan (Kingston, Plymouth, Plympton) had been approved and had been signed into law by Governor John A. Volpe.

Inasmuch as we were in full accord with this movement, Plymouth officially invited us to take an active part in this Corporation. Also, it did not seem to make much sense to ignore this Development as it was going to vitally effect our town, whether or not we were included. therefore we decided to become active members.

The Area Re-Development Act or "A.R.A." was made possible by the enactment of one of the first bills of the late President John F. Kennedy.

In June of 1962 the Corporation prepared an "Overall Economic Development Program, Plymouth, Massachusetts Area" which was submitted to the "A.R.A." and thus qualified the area for Federal assistance. Qualified industry wishing to locate in the area could then receive the various aids available. This effort was prepared by local voluntary help and it soon became apparent that a professional job was required. In May of 1963 the American Institute for Business Research was retained by the I.D.C. of Plymouth to do a second survey on the area. This second survey was mandatory under A.R.A. regulations in order to qualify for further aid and to try to define in a further economic study definite causes of unemployment, suggest remedies, and set a program for the future. This has to be a continually up-dated study.

On September 18, 1963 this report was submitted by the American Institute, on our behalf, to the A.R.A. in Washington.

We are at this time awaiting further instructions. The initial cost of this second report was as follows:

Kingston 15%
Plymouth 80%
Plympton 5%

It is our understanding all further studies, reports and so forth will be paid by A.R.A. Federal funds.

There are many more aspects and facets to this highly important subject and if any individual or group cares to hear and learn more about these we shall be more than delighted to make arrangements for them to do so.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMAN E. THOMAS

*Plymouth Industrial Development
Corporation, Vice President*

*Kingston Industrial Development
Commission, Chairman*

REPORT OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Regarding the newly formed Commission as to its activities and accomplishments in 1963, we are pleased to report that there have been successful advances made toward its main objectives pertaining to the conservation of the Town's natural resources.

A thorough study of areas we believe vital for Kingston's future is being undertaken. This is for forest preservation, pond, stream and wet land control as well as possible future recreational improvements.

We can further be aided greatly in our program by the availability of a State matching fund enacted for the above purpose of land acquisition and improvements.

At present we are working with three different taxpayers who have expressed their desire to donate land to the town of Kingston. Their interest is to have it preserved as a memorial to former well known person or persons of Kingston.

Your Conservation Commission should be contacted by anyone having property they wish to donate to the Town which they would like preserved and maintained in its natural condition. Incidentally all such properties are tax exempt and the donor receives a charitable deduction on their income tax.

Our scope of achievements to keep our Town rich in natural resources can further be aided by your ardent support of this necessary program. We will welcome any ideas, help or suggestions you might have to aid this very worthy cause.

Respectfully submitted,

P. CABOT RUSHTON, *Chairman*

ROBERT A. MULLIKEN, *Secretary*

RICHARD W. LORING

FRANK J. BOBBLIS

RICHARD J. THOMAS

Conservation Commission

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Kingston:

During the fiscal year 1963, the following amounts were approved for transfer from the Reserve Fund:

Industrial Development Commission	\$480.00
Harbor Master	200.00
Shellfish	150.00
Town Treasurer — Interest on loan in anticipation of revenue	357.78
Sealer of Weights and Measures	48.00
Public Welfare — General Relief	648.05
Road Machinery — Operation, Equipment and Repairs	312.60
Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	1,983.56
Snow Removal	5,483.87
Medical Coverage — Town Share	326.51

On May 28, the Committee appointed Mr. Walter M. O'Neal to the special study group authorized under Article 17 of the Annual Town Meeting held in March, 1963.

On October 29, the Committee met with the Board of Selectmen to discuss the five warrant articles to be presented by the Selectmen to the voters at a Special Town Meeting November 7, 1963. These articles included two alternatives for establishing a sewage disposal area to be operated by the Town, whether by outright ownership or on a rental basis. The Committee voted to recommend approval of Article 4 (purchase) with expenditure of a sum not to exceed \$3,900.00 to be transferred from unappropriated available funds.

Representatives of the Committee attended a joint session with the Silver Lake Regional School Committee, together with members of the Finance Committees and Selectmen from the four regional towns.

The Committee was also represented at a meeting with the committee appointed to study proposed amendments to the zoning laws. Also present were members of the Planning Board and Board of Appeals and Board of Selectmen.

The Committee met with all Town officers, committees, commissions and department heads during the year. We wish to thank all town officials for their excellent co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

Term Expires

Fred C. Newhall, Co-chairman	1965
Theodore J. Mitchell, Co-chairman	1965
Samuel Swartz, Clerk	1964
Mando J. Aldrovandi	1966
Warren M. Axford	1966
Leon H. Balboni	1965
Wilbert P. Cingolani	1964
William R. Fairweather	1966
Walter M. O'Neal	1964

FINANCE COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SHELLFISH CONSTABLE

Considerable time and money were expended on our flats this year for the purpose of removing horse-shoe crabs and also experimentation of clam seed planting on our shores. These seed clams were recovered from the Jones River Basin. Both projects were financed by the Division of Marine Fisheries. It is expected that a great deal more work on seed planting will be undertaken next year.

There were no quahogs planted this year, however, it is our belief that seed will be obtainable from the Department of Marine Fisheries next year.

During September the shore line from Delano's Wharf north to Holmes Avenue, was opened to the digging of clams on Saturdays and Sundays only. Good results were reported by persons digging for clams, providing proof that the cultivation of the ground is beginning to produce satisfactory results.

Sincere thanks and appreciation are extended to my Assistant, Asa W. Glass, Jr., and to all persons who have so willingly given their time.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTONE J. CAZALE,

Shellfish Constable

REPORT OF THE HARBOR MASTER

The shore line from the Jones River Basin to the Plymouth line had a recorded number of 160 boats moored, which contributed to the extremely busy 1963 season.

The State Inspectors from the Division of Motor Boats were of great assistance in enforcing the rules and regulations for the safety of boaters, for which the town is grateful.

In addition to emergency calls and complaints recorded, there was one drowning.

The United States Coast Guard is to be commended for their quick response whenever assistance was needed.

Appreciation is extended to my Assistant, Antone J. Cazale, and all town departments for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ASA WESTON GLASS, JR.

Harbor Master

REPORT OF THE TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

The fire lanes were unable to be bulldozed this year due to the indefinite establishment of a right of way. A survey of the Town Forest was completed during the latter part of this year, and bounds were placed. Now that the first step of designating the area of the Town Forest has been completed your committee recommends that the following work be undertaken next year:

1. Establish right of way.
2. Bulldoze fire lanes and rough grade access roads.
3. Remove unsightly and hazardous areas used as unauthorized dumping areas.
4. Erect signs at the entrance to the Town Forest.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH E. PACKARD, *Chairman*

RICHARD J. THOMAS

LAURENCE P. MOONEY

Town Forest Committee

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 1963:

	Adjusted	Sealed
Scales over 10,000		2
Scales 100 to 5,000	9	37
Scales under 100	1	41
Weights:		
Avoirdupois	2	111
Metric		17
Troy		13
Liquid Measure:		
1 Gal & Under		4
Over 1 Gal.		2
Gasoline Pumps	2	32
Vehicle Tank Meter		1
Kerosene, Oil, Grease, Pumps		12
Cloth Measuring Device		1
Yard Sticks		4

Adjusting fees collected to the amount of \$1.50 and sealing fees of \$126.90 totaling \$128.40.

Office Hours: Tuesday 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE T. PRATT, JR.
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health completed in April of this year the third and last clinic in the current series of the Salk Oral Vaccine program started in 1962.

A program of DPT clinics was inaugurated this year for pre-school children and took place during the months of April, May and June. Small Pox vaccine was also administered on request. This program which was under the supervision of Doctor W. Vernon Mayo, met with favorable results.

The Board instituted disposal stickers this year for better control of the dump.

At the Special Town Meeting on November 7 an appropriation was voted for the purchase and development of a sewerage disposal area, specifically Lot 34, Block 13, as shown on the Assessor's map. This site is off Indian Pond Road in the Smelt Pond area. Several legal steps are still necessary before actual construction can take place. We feel that this is a big step forward and one which will be beneficial to the entire community. It is our hope that with the assistance of the townspeople it will be completed in the Spring.

It is of passing interest to note that on a national average a ton and a half of refuse per family is disposed of each year. Therefore, with 1,500 or more homes and businesses in our town, a great deal of rubbish must be handled at the dump annually. As the population increases, so increases the disposal of rubbish at the dump.

In cooperation with the Plymouth County Health Association your Board held a Mobile X-ray Clinic at the Town House on November 22. We were pleased to have 437 people avail themselves of the opportunity to receive free chest x-rays.

Respectfully submitted,

HARLEY S. CADENHEAD, *Chairman*

JOHN J. MOORE

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL

Board of Health

REPORT OF THE PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY NURSE ASSOCIATION

We are submitting the following Annual Nursing Service Report for the year, 1963.

During the twelve month period, January 1, through December 31, 1963, a total of 932 visits were made by the nurses to patients in Kingston. Of this number, 214 visits were made on behalf of the Kingston Board of Health. The nursing service breakdown is as follows:

690—General Nursing Care	32—Tuberculosis Follow-up
166—Maternity	21—Health Guidance
(84—Post-partum)	23—Not at Home
(81—Newborn)	
(1—Antepartum)	

Three Immunization Clinics, for infants and pre-school children, were held at the Kingston Town House during April, May and June of 1963. A total of 135 DPT injections and vaccinations were given by Dr. W. Vernon Mayo, assisted by a nurse from the P.C.N.A.

Three Oral Polio Clinics were held during the months of January, February and May of 1963. Types I, II and III of the Sabin oral vaccine were given to 1,333 adults, infants and pre-school children. Assistance was given at these clinics by the P.C.N.A. nurses.

Twenty-three Well Child Conferences were held during the past year. Many infants and pre-school children from the Town of Kingston continue to attend these conferences as they have for a number of years.

Sixteen per cent (16%) of all the visits made this past year were to patients in Kingston. We would like to expand our services in Kingston and would like people in that community to know that our services are available to all — regardless of social or economic status.

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the Kingston Health Department for the fine cooperation given us during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

(MRS.) MARION A. HEDGE, R.N.

Supervisor

PLYMOUTH COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

In reporting on the project's activities and accomplishments in 1963, there have been several advances made toward the project's number one objective: Namely, the drainage of infected wetlands known to contain species capable of transmitting encephalitis or other virus.

The Eastern equine encephalitis continues to be vital to southeastern Massachusetts, as research in this area shows virus activity is yet present in wild birdlife. We hope we have been instrumental in the fact that there have been no human cases of this virus reported during the last six years. We will continue to emphasize the locating and treating of breeding sites of the vector species of mosquitoes.

The ditch reclaiming phase of control continues to be the best investment in a long range control program. It not only eliminates sources of breeding, but gradually reduces the repeated costly applications of insecticides. Our power-trencher has been concentrating on inland town problems during the warm weather months. I feel we can accomplish more in our coastal salt marshes during the cold weather periods, utilizing the frost in the ground for greater buoyancy in these areas. Weather permitting, our power unit will be operating the year round.

Aerial spraying for adult mosquitoes is important where a serious nuisance develops and immediate results are necessary. Control of this type is temporary and costly. The project was not designed to expend large sums on this type of control, yet we find it a valuable supplement to our long-range efforts. The increasing trend toward outdoor living during the vacation season has added tremendous pressure on the project for temporary control with our five truck-mounted units. We are finding it impossible to satisfy each individual property owner, as we are not set up financially for this type of operation. Our weekly larval inspections and treatment of filter systems, sewage areas, dumps, public parks, ball fields and public gatherings were seriously hampered by increased requests for back yard spraying this past season.

We are cooperating with the newly organized Pesticide Board, and adhere to all State and Federal rules and recommendations as regards pesticides.

Our sincere thanks to your town officials, and your Tree, Health and Highway Departments for their splendid cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

M. CURRIE BEATON, JR.

*Superintendent
Mosquito Control Project*

TOWN OF KINGSTON EDUCATIONAL FUND Report of the Trustees

The Trustees of the Kingston Educational Fund submit the seventh Annual Report covering the calendar year 1963:

INCOME	
Balance, January 1, 1963	\$1,753.91
Receipts:	
Dividends	66.68
Balance, December 31, 1963	\$1,820.59

(Deposited in Plymouth Five Cents Savings Bank)

Mrs. Lucy M. Stein's term expired in 1963 and on March 26, 1963 Mrs. Stein was reappointed by the Board of Selectmen for a term of five years.

Please remember the fund in your will and donations to the fund will be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

At the last annual town meeting the voters accepted four streets as town ways. These four streets together with those accepted the previous year, have all been gravelled and with two exceptions have received asphalt treatment.

The Chapter 90 program for 1963 and 1964 consists of the rebuilding of Station Street to the Pembroke line.

The Chapter 90 Maintenance work was divided between Elm Street where a section received a sand-seal, and Pembroke Street which received an application of Type I asphalt.

Center Street, Cross Street and a portion of Second Brook were resurfaced with a Type I asphalt application.

The sidewalk program consisted of the construction of two sections of sidewalk on Crescent Street, and the resurfacing of the walk on the south side of Main Street from Route 3A to Elm Street.

The citizens of the town will be asked to purchase two pieces of equipment in 1964; namely, the much needed replacement of the 1956 Oliver bucket-loader and the purchase of an additional automatic sander.

The present bucket-loader is not of the size capable of doing the work required on the necessary road construction. It has also seen its best days and is now ready to be disposed of.

The additional sand-spreader is desperately needed in order to eliminate the danger for the men who work in the rear of the old type sanders.

Respectfully submitted,

G. PALMER HOLMES,
Superintendent of Streets

WATER COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Lincoln Crawford Bartlett

On March 16, 1963 we were saddened by the untimely passing of our Superintendent which ended a career that had been devoted to service to his fellow man. His diversified service took many forms and many fields as a water man, as a church man, a man interested in Town Government and an individual always anxious to assist with the problems of others. The Town of Kingston and its people have lost a valued employee, leader and friend. He will be missed by all who knew him for his friendship and gracious manner.

This year again saw a great deal of progress by the many activities of your Water Department.

The Water Commissioners were notified on September 19, 1963 that the Housing and Home Finance Agency had approved a \$29,500.00 grant to the Town of Kingston for the construction of a gravel-packed well and pipe lines under the Accelerated Public Works Program. This approval was brought about by your vote at the Annual Town Meeting and our application for this grant.

It is estimated that the total project will be \$59,000.00 and the cost to the Town will be \$29,500.00. This project, when completed, will give us another excellent well and make it possible to have an additional supply of water pumped into your water system.

As this report goes to print we expect to open bids on February 6, 1964 for the development of this well and we are hopeful that this well will be in operation the early part of the Summer of 1964.

Highlights for the Kingston Water Department

	1963	1962	1961
Revenue from Operations	\$42,178.58	\$38,607.01	\$35,405.12
Appropriated for Maintenance	32,573.00	27,598.00	24,631.40
Water Pumped	188,539,948 gals.	216,970,590 gals.	149,084,837 gals.
Greatest Amount Pumped in Any One Day	1,560,700 gals. (6/26/63)	1,239,500 gals. (8/5/62)	1,383,000 gals. (8/2/61)

NEW WATER MAINS

School St.—Chapel St.	1450 ft.			
Station St.	1000 ft.	3150 ft.	2700 ft.	None
Prospect St.	700 ft.		(various streets)	

REPLACING MAINS	200 ft.	1105 ft.	3110 ft.
New Services Installed	53	23	25

As of January 1, 1964 there were 1811 services in use.

Maintenance

1. Smith's Lane tank was painted outside and cleaned inside.
2. Seven new hydrants were installed.
3. All hydrants were painted.
4. Eleven services were replaced.
5. Diesel pumping station was painted.
6. Raised gate and curb boxes.

Organizational Changes

Richard W. O'Brien resigned from the Board of Water Commissioners following his appointment as Superintendent to replace the late Mr. Bartlett.

At a joint meeting with the Board of Selectmen, James A. Robare was elected Water Commissioner to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. O'Brien.

Chapter 33 of the Acts of 1963

Resolve providing for an investigation and study by a special commission relative to authorizing the City of Brockton to extend its source of water supply. (By this Act the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of Kingston, Mr. John J. Moore, is a member of this Commission.)

We are happy to inform you that with the cooperation of Mr. John J. Moore, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, and Whitman and Howard, our engineers, we have attended many meetings in connection with the Brockton water problems in order to protect our water supply. We would like to quote to you from a letter dated October 1, 1963 from Whitman and Howard, Inc.

"In relation to the matter of diverting the "so-called surplus water" from areas within the Town of Kingston for the benefit of the Brockton water supply, we feel that the Town of Kingston should do everything to protect their rights, interests and valuable property in this matter.

"Having aided the Town of Kingston Water Department in exploration for additional water supplies within the Town of Kingston over the past eight to ten years, we have found certain areas eliminated from potential water supplies. Also, we have found areas that could be developed as an additional water supply for the Town. Therefore, it is our opinion that water should not be diverted from watershed areas where you have potential water supplies. Water diverted from these areas would be needed to supply these developed areas so that there would not be any surplus water to divert for other uses.

"Therefore we believe you should take every step possible to protect any encroachment on Kingston's potential water supply."

We would also like to quote from a report made by Mr. Moore to the Commission established by Chapter 33, the Resolves of 1963.

"On behalf of the Town of Kingston I wish to submit the following information for consideration by the members of this Commission.

"Our town is definitely not blessed with surplus water. Neither do we have the alternatives available to Brockton. What we need is more water, not less.

"Kingston has invested thousands of dollars exploring for acceptable sources of supply and it so happens that test drillings have shown definite potential in the areas of said Pine and Howard Brooks."

We will continue to give this matter our fullest attention on any future problems that may develop in this Brockton water situation.

Recommended Projects

1. To purchase a heavy duty compressor.
2. To ask for additional funds to continue the study of well sites.
3. Consideration to purchase a truck with attachments to be used in addition to the present water truck.

Effective January 1, 1964 the Board of Water Commissioners voted to increase the service charge for a new service from \$25.00 to \$50.00.

Conclusion

To our employees, several Town Officials and citizens of Kingston goes our appreciation for their continued assistance in helping to maintain the various services of your Water Department. Our special thanks to our water takers for the fine cooperation during the extreme dry period last summer.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD W. LORING, *Chairman*

EARL S. SAMPSON

JAMES A. ROBARE

REPORT OF THE WATERFRONT COMMITTEE

The floats remain in fairly good condition. with the exception of the oldest one which should be replaced in the very near future. It is our intention to paint all the floats next year. and replace the chains and anchors.

Several loads of fine sand were placed on the south beach. which were greatly appreciated by the children.

Your committee believes that next year gravel should be placed on the bank where the parking lot is located.

The piles around the stone wharf are in bad condition and should be replaced also.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE R. DREW, *Chairman*

GEORGE B. DREW

CLINTON T. KEITH

Waterfront Committee

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES

I hereby submit the Annual Report of the Office of Veterans' Services for the year ending December 31, 1963.

Active Cases, January 11, 1963	10
New Cases	10
Cases Closed During the Year	4
Cases Denied	4
Out of Town Cases Processed	3
Disability Pensions Processed	3
Veterans Hospitalized	5
Miscellaneous Contacts (Legal, Insurance, Education, G.I. Bill, Etc.)	52
Active Cases December 31, 1963	16

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 and their dependents who desire counselling on Veterans affairs, or who are in need of assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURENCE P. REID,

Director

REPORT OF THE PLUMBING INSPECTOR

I herewith submit my report on Plumbing Inspections for the year 1963.

Number of Inspections	46
A minimum of two inspections has been made for each permit issued.	
Personal calls to give information	6
Correction of Installations	3
Gas Inspections	3
Mileage	408 miles

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT H. RIEDEL, SR.

Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

During the past year approximately 150 cattle were shipped into Kingston from Vermont, New York State, and Canada. These cattle were inspected and found free of disease. Reports of these inspections were made and forwarded to the State Division of Livestock Disease Control in accordance with the General Laws.

This year 14 dogs were quarantined on suspicion of rabies because of bites imposed. However, all of these dogs were released after the customary 14-day 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 cooperation in organizing these inspections.

Respectfully submitted,

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

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF WIRES

I hereby submit my report for the year ending 1963.

Total Inspections	66
Plymouth County Electric Company permits	53
New Dwellings	50
Rest Homes	1
Water Heaters	7
Nursing Homes	1
Oil Storage Plants	1
Drug Stores	1
Foundries	1
Stone Unloading Operations	1
Scale House	1

All inspections were based on the 1959 National Electric Code as adopted by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, with no special rules. This is the first full year of operations for this department, inspecting new buildings only.

Alternate Inspector, Maurice Fernez, made two inspections of new dwellings.

I wish to express my appreciation to the Town Accountant, Town Clerk and Building Inspector for assistance in issuing permits and aid to this department.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR R. DAVIS
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF THE FISH COMMITTEE

If the fine run of Herring (Alewives) up the Jones River during the Spring of 1963 may be taken as an indication that when the small fry resulting from the breeding beds at Russell and Sylvia Place Ponds have been out to sea and come back up the Jones River three years later as fine big herring, our efforts to increase this industry will have paid off.

We are again indebted to Arthur J. Dupuis, Maintenance Foreman, Department of Natural Resources, Division of Marine Fisheries, for hauling in from the Cape Cod Canal to our Russell's Pond, about 8,000 herring for interbreeding with Jones River fish.

In 1962 we reported that 120 trays of smelt eggs, furnished by the State, were placed on the bed of Jones River below the Pumping Station; these produced very well.

For about a week in April the Jones River near the Pumping Station was alive with smelt coming up to fresh water to spawn. This is about a one day process which, when completed, left the river bottom, the stone walls along the stream and the lower section of the Herring Run, a mass of yellow eggs.

The Commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources, who has been greatly interested in this project, came to Kingston at our request to observe the results of the experiment at first hand. He felt that much of the success of our project could be attributed to the 120 trays of eggs which hatched on the Jones River bottom, as described previously.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS H. WHITE, *Chairman*

ALBERT H. HOLMES

O. WELLINGTON STEWART

Fish Committee

REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Citizens of Kingston:

It is with pleasure that I present to you the second annual report of the Building Inspector for the year ending December 31, 1963. The activities of the department is as follows:

Types of Permits	Estimated Costs	No. of Permits
New dwellings	\$381,509.00	44
New dwellings, amended	5,900.00	3
Additions and Renovations	57,890.00	39
Commercial	19,225.00	5
Fall-Out Shelter	700.00	1
Garages (Private)	7,819.00	5
Patio	96.00	1
Tool Sheds	400.00	3
Walk-in Refrigerator	300.00	1
Storage Buildings	2,450.00	5
Cellar under a dwelling	1,500.00	1
Utility Sheds	1,700.00	2
Well House	50.00	1
Entry of Porches	250.00	3
Shelter	50.00	1
Greenhouse Addition	100.00	1
Demolish .....	.....	4
Totals	\$479,939.00	120

Plumbing Permits Issued	50
Electrical Permits Issued	33
Septic Tanks, leach beds, etc., permits issued	98

INCOME

Building Permits	\$920.00
Septic Tanks, leach beds, etc.	194.00
Totals	\$1,114.00
Inspections Made	685
Miles Traveled	2189

Building applications may be made at the office of the Town Clerk daily and I will be available at the Town House every Tuesday evening and Saturday morning and will be of service at other times if the duties of my office require it.

I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, Department heads and personnel for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE ANDREW WALSH,
Building Inspector.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE KINGSTON PARK COMMISSION

Again this year, as last, the Commission employed Edwin J. Carruthers as a full time attendant at Gray's Beach Park during the summer season. In addition to his various duties, Mr. Carruthers undertook the painting of the concession building at Gray's Beach. Parking fees collected at Gray's Beach Park this season amounted to \$1,881.00.

It was necessary on two occasions to prohibit swimming at Gray's Beach because of reported shark sightings. Although these reports were never verified the commission felt that closing of the waters to bathers was a necessary precaution for public safety.

A series of four band concerts, free to the public, were held at Gray's Beach Park through the cooperation of the American Federation of Musicians. It is hoped that these concerts can be continued next season.

The granite at the World War II Memorial was cleaned and the Bronze Plaque refinished prior to Memorial Day Services. This work was necessary because of corrosion of the bronze and subsequent staining of the granite. The World War II Memorial flagpole was also painted, and a three-year rotation program of painting the three flagpoles under the jurisdiction of the Commission was initiated.

It was decided in a joint meeting with the Boards of Selectmen and Health to have a residential automobile sticker for the coming year which would serve a two-fold purpose entitling the bearer privileges to Gray's Beach Park and as a disposal permit at the Town Dump, thereby eliminating the need of two automobile stickers.

Ten new picnic tables were made this year, some of which were replacements.

The Commission wishes to express its appreciation to its Clerk, Mrs. Irma A. Ruffini; Lifeguard, Daniel Hogan; Park Attendant, E. J. Carruthers; Caretakers of Memorial Plots and

Town Green, Charles G. McCarthy and Warren H. Kriegel; and Flag Custodians, A. Lewis Keene, and John C. McCann and Eugene C. Merry.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS V. TURA, *Chairman*

ALFRED P. MALONI

EARL C. PAULDING

Park Commission

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRES DEPARTMENT

The Forest Fires activities in 1963 proved average, as our records indicate.

Woods and Brush Fires	36
Grass Fires	10
Trips to Town Dump	145
Burning without a permit	31
Permit Fires left burning	8
Needless calls	4
Checking smoke	5
Checking previous fires	15
Mutual aid to other towns	5
Checking permit fires	5
Water for a locomotive	1
Assist to Harbor Master	1
Stand-by for a welder	2
Pile of slabs	1

TOTAL CALLS 269

Fire permits issued 3,720

With the help of the new permanent firemen in the Fire Department, the response to woods fires have also been considerably improved. The first few minutes at any fire means a great savings in loss of property as well as keeping expenses to a minimum.

Respectfully submitted,

G. PALMER HOLMES,

Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF THE PLAYGROUND COMMISSION

The Community Building and Captain Fred L. Bailey Memorial Field, the center of the town's social, civic and sport activities, added organized night basketball on the outdoor court to its program this summer. The constant use of the Community Building is shown by the report that there were 319 free rentals and 50 paid rentals with a total income of \$714.00. Organizations using the building under the free rentals included Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts, church organizations, P.T.A., Hilltop Basketball League, Kingston Civic Association, Reed Community Club and Kingston Improvement Association.

The summer playground program was carried out under the supervision of Miss Dolly McAdams for the girls and Antone J. Spath for the boys. Girls' activities included arts and crafts and outdoor sports. The boys' program included baseball, basketball, tennis, whiffleball, horseshoes, shuffleboard, ping-pong and checkers. The 1,000-point contest and junior olympics were again used. Special events included weekly cook-outs and a baseball trip to Fenway Park. The program concluded with a field day and awarding of prizes.

A new public address system, authorized at the last annual town meeting, has been installed in the Community Building. A program of weatherproofing and painting the Reed Community Building is contemplated for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A. CANDINI, JR., *Chairman*

GEORGE E. COBB, *Vice Chairman*

JOSEPH A. GOVONI, *Secretary*

WILLIAM F. CAREY

ALF C. LOOTZ

Playground Commission

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

This past year has seen a continuance of the moderate number of requests for approval of subdivisions in Kingston. Our town continues to have an increase in the number of lots available for building, but most of these are on existing ways and require no approval by the Planning Board.

The Board has changed their regulations to allow a single driveway across an existing lot to serve two additional lots and has simplified procedures of such a situation by not requiring the usual notices and public hearings.

It is the intent of the Planning Board to set higher standards for approval of future subdivisions. Roads will need to be topped with Type I Bituminous material as required by the Highway Department; the planting of trees and some open space to beautify the area will be considered desirable.

The Planning Board made a careful study of the sewage disposal problem that has been so troublesome and persistent and recommended a disposal area, under the direct control of the Board of Health. That Board is proceeding to carry out the instructions, voted at a special town meeting, to establish such a sewage dumping area.

The Planning Board conferred by invitation with the committee to study Zoning By-laws and made recommendations in an advisory capacity.

Town Clerk George W. Cushman continues as agent for the Planning Board and is available, between meetings, to help those who have business with the Board.

We regretfully report that we have lost the able services of Mr. Parker A. Glass who has moved to Watertown. Mr. Glass was the first chairman of the Planning Board and a member since its inception, his counsel and good judgment has been invaluable.

At a joint meeting of the Board of Selectmen and the Planning Board, Mr. Harvey C. LeSueur was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy.

Respectfully submitted,

MITCHELL TOABE, *Chairman*

ARTHUR E. BEANE

CLINTON T. KEITH

HARVEY C. LeSUEUR

HORACE C. WESTON, *Clerk*

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Kingston, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The report of the activities of the Police Department is herewith respectfully submitted for the year ending December 31, 1963.

I am happy to point out that the Auxiliary Police have been of tremendous assistance during their first year of organization. They have unselfishly given of their time to attend training meetings in this town and in others. They have, as part of their training program, taken traffic duties at the various churches in town on Sundays, and have worked at the "desk" at our office from 7 P.M. to 12 Midnight, which has in my opinion been of great value to the citizens of our community in getting response to their calls when in many instances time is most important. Other than the purchase of the uniform worn by these men, this training did not incur any financial expenditures to the town. My thanks to these civic-minded men.

It should be noted in the report that follows that 92 motor vehicle accidents were investigated by this department in 1963 as compared to 70 accidents investigated in 1962. In many cases we have found that the cause of these accidents were due to inattention, excess speed, liquor and defective equipment. It is expected that with the completion of the southeast expressway, our accident total in 1964 should be reduced considerably.

I would like at this time to thank the Board of Selectmen for their cooperation, and understanding of our problems during the past year, and look forward to a similar cooperative effort in the year ahead.

My thanks to the citizens of our town for their cooperation and assistance during the year passed, and hope that we can aid and assist them in a speedy and efficient manner in the coming year.

Arrests

Resident Males	27	Non-Resident Males	106
Resident Females	1	Non-Resident Females	15
Total	28	Total	121

Grand Totals — 149

List of Offenses

Arrested for other departments	15
Assault and Battery with dangerous weapon	1
Assault and Battery	4
Breaking and Entering and Larceny	4
Delinquency	9
Disturbing the peace	5
Drunkenness	24
Delivering liquor to minors	4
Falsifying age to procure liquor	1
Fraudulent checks	28
Habitual School offender	1
Larceny, Attempted	1
Larceny, less than \$100.00	1
Leaving scene of accident after property damage	1
Lewdness	3
Malicious injury to property	3
Non-Support	2
Operating MV after revocation of license	4
Operating MV so as might endanger lives or safety of public	17
Operating MV under influence of liquor	13
Operating uninsured motor vehicle	1
Operating unregistered motor vehicle	1
Operating MV without license	6
Operating MV without inspection sticker	5
Rape of Child	1
Runaways	3
Refusing to stop for Police Officers	1
Speeding	38
Using MV without authority	6
Violation of Probation	10
Violation of school bus law	1

Violation of Fish and Game Laws	6
Weapons, Illegal possession of switch knife	1
Using MV w/o authority after license suspended (felony)	3
Failure to stop for isolated stop sign	1
Failure to keep MV to right of road	4
AWOL Military Personnel	1
TOTAL OFFENSES	230

Disposition of Cases in Court

Amounts of fines imposed	\$2,035.00
Amounts of fines returned to the Town	\$502.20
Cases continued for finding and disposition	10
Cases filed	25
Cases fined	84
Cases dismissed	3
Cases appealed	7
Cases bound over to Grand Jury	6
Cases found Not Guilty	12
County Training School	1
House of Correction	16
MCI — Concord	1
State Farm — Bridgewater	1
Suspended Sentences	14
Taunton State Hospital	3
Turned over to Military Authorities	1
Placed on Probation	20
Released	7
Youth Service Board	4
Turned over to other police departments	15
TOTAL	230

Miscellaneous

Alarms, banks and buildings	17
Ambulance trips	186
Autos tagged for violation of Town parking laws	40
Complaints investigated	739
Defective equipment tags passed out	68
Doors and windows found unlocked and/or opened	23

Inhalator calls	6
Messages delivered	73
Missing persons	1
Mileage — "62" Dodge, 80,141; "63" Ford, 13,867	
Motor vehicle accidents investigated	92
Stolen cars reported to this department	3
Stolen cars recovered by this department	11
Street lights reported out	49
Store lights reported out	6
Summonses served for other departments	73
Summonses (no-fix) issued	78
Licenses suspended or revoked (Kingston residents)	41
Licenses suspended or revoked on complaint of police	34
Response to fires	22
Operators Booked and Warned	127
Value of property recovered by police	\$13,615.00

Arrests by Months

January	8	July	15
February	9	August	15
March	5	September	21
April	7	October	22
May	13	November	14
June	15	December	5
TOTAL		TOTAL	149

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES R. GOONAN,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF STUDY COMMITTEE OF DEPARTMENTAL OFFICE SPACE

An expanding population and the ever-increasing complexities of Government have resulted in the need for more administrative facilities for the Town of Kingston. Article 17 of the 1963 Annual Town Meeting provided for the appointment of a Special Committee to examine this problem and to make specific reports and recommendations for the needs of the Town of Kingston.

The Committee as appointed consisted of a member of the Board of Selectmen, Harley S. Cadenhead, a member of the Planning Board, Arthur E. Beane, a member of the Finance Committee, Walter M. O'Neal, and two members appointed by the Moderator, Ernest H. Cote and Edward J. Lydon, Chairman.

The Committee held many meetings and evaluated the various facilities and buildings owned by the Town of Kingston.

Being mindful of the rising tax rate, it was the unanimous opinion of the Committee that existing facilities, wherever possible, would be utilized to their fullest extent rather than new construction.

The Faunce school building on Green Street, also known as the Grange Hall, offered excellent floor space and should be utilized to its fullest extent. By making this building available to the Welfare Department and Veterans' Agent, 75 per cent of the annual upkeep and maintenance cost may be reimbursed by the State and Federal Government, and it would leave available substantial useable office space within the Town House. This recommendation was made and incorporated into an article to appear in the Town Warrant.

The needs for a more adequate and modern facility for an ever-expanding Police Department, augmented by an auxiliary force of twenty men, were considered a paramount issue to be resolved by the Committee.

An apartment formerly used by the caretaker at the Fire Department headquarters consisting of three rooms and a kitchen were found to be not in use at the present time. This space would make, in the opinion of the Committee, an excellent Police Headquarters, and would be no additional cost for maintenance because it is already in existence. It was therefore recommended and incorporated into an article that the Police Department be located in this building. The kitchen facilities now

available could be used jointly by both the Police and Fire Departments. The close proximity of the communication facilities of the Fire and Police Departments would seem that these could be eventually co-ordinated into an integrated communications center. An article has also been drawn with regard to garage facilities for the police cruiser.

With the relocation of the aforementioned departments, substantial space in the Town House would be available. Being mindful of the population increase and anticipated new construction of homes and business in the area, it is recommended that the Building Department, consisting of the Building Inspector, Plumbing Inspector, and Wiring Inspector, be located in the downstairs room of the Town House now occupied by the Police Department.

It is recommended that the Highway Surveyor's office be located in the Highway Department building on Evergreen Street in the office within that building from his present location in the Town House.

A serious over-crowded condition exists in the Assessor's room, and it is recommended that this department be moved to the area now occupied by the Welfare Department. It would make available adequate room and a private office for the Assessor to hold hearings with regard to abatements and other vital matters concerning the welfare of the Town.

The office of the Town Clerk could be relocated to the space now occupied by the Assessor, alleviating a seriously crowded condition which exists in the jointly used facilities of Town Treasurer, Collector, and Clerk.

All of our recommendations have been made after careful study, keeping always in mind expenses involved and efficient Government for the Town of Kingston.

Respectfully submitted,

HARLEY S. CADENHEAD
ARTHUR E. BEANE
ERNEST H. COTE
WALTER M. O'NEAL
EDWARD J. LYDON

Study Committee of Departmental Office Space

REPORT OF THE PLYMOUTH COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

The primary responsibility of the Extension Service is as the 1914 law states "to aid in diffusing among the *people* of the United States useful and practical information on the subjects relating to Agriculture and Home Economics and to encourage the application of same."

Resources of the University of Massachusetts and the United States Department of Agriculture are available to the Staff of the Plymouth County Extension Service because of a mutual assistance agreement.

To make this service available to you funds are provided by the Federal, State and County governments. Thus the name—Cooperative Extension Service.

Since 1915, when the Plymouth County Extension Service was organized and established, educational information pertaining to Agriculture, Home Economics and 4-H Club Work has been given free to citizens of Plymouth County.

The Extension Service office is located in the Court House, Brockton, Mass., and is staffed by agents who conduct programs in Agriculture, Home Economics and 4-H Club Work by furnishing educational information through farm and home visits, letters, newspaper articles, radio talks, meetings, office visits and telephone calls.

You are invited to make full use of the services provided by the Extension Service but should remember that although the Extension Service furnishes the information, it is you who makes the decision as to how the information may be used to best advantage.

Requests for information can be directed to your local Director, Florence M. Cavallini, or the Plymouth County Extension Service, Court House, Brockton, Massachusetts.

The Board of Trustees, appointed by the Plymouth County Commissioners, administer the Plymouth County Extension Service program and is composed of the following members:

MR. JOHN PRENTICE, Plymouth—*Chairman*

MRS. ELVA BENT SWARTZ, Brockton

MR. LEWIS BILLINGS, Plympton

MRS. MABEL CHANDLER, Duxbury

MR. JOHN DUFFY, Halifax

MRS. GLADYS GIBBS, Hanover

MR. ROBERT HAMMOND, Wareham

MR. JOHN HOWE, West Bridgewater

MR. GILBERT BLACKLEDGE, Whitman

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE M. CAVALLINI,

Director

REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS

With the passing away of J. Oscar Pelletier on March 14th, this department suffered the loss of a faithful and loyal servant. Mr. Pelletier had served as Caretaker at the Fire Station for twenty-one years, during which time he unselfishly and willingly cooperated with the department and all citizens. His devotion to his duties and his happy and gracious manner will long be remembered.

During 1963 the Fire Department received 113 emergency calls of which 19 were for building fires. A total of 263 fire prevention inspections were made at town-owned buildings, schools, kindergartens, nursing and rest homes, restaurants, clubs, churches, manufacturing plants, oil burner and gas installations, bulk fuel storage and gasoline stations. The number of fire extinguishers checked and re-charged totaled 220; fire alarms checked — 96; Christmas trees sprayed — 65; fire drills held by Fire Department personnel — 6; fire drills held by school personnel — 40.

This past year the Fire Station was covered twenty-four hours per day by a rotating team of three regular firemen as authorized by the Special Town Meeting in December, 1962.

We again express our deep appreciation for the continued support of the members of the Fire Company.

Respectfully submitted,

G. PALMER HOLMES, *Chief Engineer*

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL, *Clerk*

CLARENCE R. DREW

Fire Engineers

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

A total of twenty-two trees were planted along the roadsides this year, some of which were replacements. The dense growth of bushes along the roads, is still a problem and because of the early snow, it was impossible to spray them so that growth would not commence in the Spring. It is expected that, weather permitting, this work will be done as early as possible next Spring, as the material used is of an oil base and for the sake of safety should not be applied during extremely dry weather.

Once again this department will request the voters at the next annual town meeting to consider the purchase of a platform truck for the use of the Tree and Insect Pest Departments. The town has never owned their own truck and with the enactment of the new Conflict of Interest statute it now becomes advisable for the town to acquire their own equipment.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL C. PAULDING

Tree Warden

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

The Dutch Elm disease continues to be a major problem. This year twenty-one roadside trees were found to be infected, these were removed and burned. At least an additional seventy-five diseased trees were found on private property, these also were removed and burned. The figures therefore indicate the effectiveness of spraying and sanitation in attempting to keep this disease in control, as the roadsides were thus treated.

This department will have an article in the warrant for the next annual town meeting for a new mist blower to replace the 1953 Campbell machine. This type of equipment receives the maximum amount of use and is one of the more important items of equipment for the control of Dutch Elm. The co-operation of the voters in purchasing this equipment will be to their advantage.

Respectfully submitted,

EARL C. PAULDING

Moth Superintendent

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Report of the Welfare Department

Active Cases, January 1, 1963	7
Cases Opened During the Year	26
Cases Closed During the Year	28
Active Cases, December 31, 1963	5

Expenditures

Other Cities and Towns ..	\$1,461.05	
Groceries	2,767.50	
Fuel and Electricity	639.07	
Rent	173.90	
Clothing	64.10	
Medical	1,482.24	
Milk	60.16	
		\$6,648.02

Administration

Board Salaries	\$550.00	
		\$550.00

Report of Disability Assistance

Active Cases, January 1, 1963	6
Cases Opened During the Year	5
Cases Closed During the Year	0
Active Cases, December 31, 1963	11

Expenditures

Regular Grants	\$8,258.50	
Medical	7,187.89	
		\$15,446.39
Federal Share	\$4,650.00	
State Share	6,934.81	
Town Share	3,861.58	
		\$15,446.39

Administration

Director of Public Assistance—	
Salary	\$869.94
Social Worker — Salary ..	803.23
Jr. Clerk Stenographer —	
Salary	333.24

Travel	10.74	
Office Supplies	24.00	
DA Medical Exam.	5.00	
Association Dues	10.00	
		\$2,056.15

Report of Aid to Families with Dependent Children

Active Cases, January 1, 1963 ..	4
Cases Opened During the Year ..	9
Cases Closed During the Year ..	5
Active Cases, December 31, 1963 ..	8

Expenditures

Regular Grants	\$9,817.10	
Medical	2,500.35	
		\$12,317.45
Federal Share	\$5,678.50	
State Share	4,105.80	
Town Share	2,533.15	
		\$12,317.45

Administration

Director of Public Assistance—

Salary	\$1,701.98	
Social Worker — Salary ..	1,285.34	
Jr. Clerk Stenographer —		
Salary	966.00	
		\$3,953.32

Report of Bureau of Old Age Assistance

Active Cases, January 1, 1963 ..	51
Cases Opened During the Year ..	8
Cases Closed During the Year ..	13
Active Cases, December 31, 1963 ..	46

Expenditures

Other Towns	\$726.26	
Regular Grants	\$43,595.89	
Medical	10,018.25	
		\$53,614.14

Federal Share	\$32,022.00	
State Share	15,664.71	
Town Share	5,927.43	
		<u>\$53,614.14</u>

Administration

Director of Public Assistance —		
Salary	\$1,713.56	
Social Worker — Salary ..	2,012.30	
Jr. Clerk Stenographer ..	717.98	
Legal Fees	50.00	
Telephone	268.98	
Travel	255.74	
Office Supplies	163.05	
Office Equipment	80.00	
Envelopes, Stationery,		
Postage	224.10	
Misc.	23.25	
		<u>\$5,518.96</u>

Report of Medical Assistance for the Aged

Active Cases, January 1, 1963	18
Cases Opened During the Year	21
Cases Closed During the Year	15
Active Cases, December 31, 1963	24

Expenditures

Regular Grants	\$1,222.88	
Medical	39,039.01	
		<u>\$40,261.89</u>
Federal Share	\$19,519.49	
State Share	13,828.30	
Local Share	6,914.10	
		<u>\$40,261.89</u>

Administration

Director of Public Assistance —		
Salary	\$1,594.52	
Social Worker — Salary ..	1,377.62	

Jr. Clerk Stenographer —		
Salary	882.78	
Travel	27.02	
		<u>\$3,882.84</u>

Total Administration —

All Categories	\$15,961.27
Federal Share Adm. —	
All Categories	10,375.30
State Share Adm. —	
All Categories	3,152.63
Town Share Adm. —	
All Categories	2,433.34
	<u>\$15,961.27</u>

Legislation was passed during the year eliminating settlements under the programs of Old Age Assistance and General Relief to be effective as of January 1, 1964. This has done away with an archaic law which has required a great deal of work administratively without any ultimate financial gain. Under this law we will now receive at least 20% reimbursement from the State Government for all expenditures under the General Relief Assistance program.

The costs of medical care are a severe drain upon our Public Assistance funds and are continuing to increase which will reflect in our expenditures in the ensuing year. Hospital per diem rates alone have increased, effective January 1, 1964, an average of 13% which in comparison to our 1963 expenditures of \$11,542.80 could mean an increase of approximately \$1,500.00.

We are now in our second year for providing social services to our families on Public Assistance. It is the responsibility of our department to make a social study of each family with an evaluation of services required and a plan for treatment. This regulation was promulgated by the Federal and State Government to insure that both parents and children would be assisted in such areas as health, education and training to help return them to independent living and self-support.

This department meets on the first Wednesday of each month at 7 P.M. with additional meetings called when necessary.

We wish to thank the other town departments, the State Department of Public Welfare and citizens of the Town for their continued support to this department.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL, *Chairman*

JOHN J. MOORE

HARLEY S. CADENHEAD

Board of Public Welfare

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE FREDERIC C. ADAMS PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Kingston:

Presented first in this report is a summary of our finances for the year, followed by the report of our Librarian, Mrs. Lenari, on the activities at the Library.

From Dog Fund and Tax Levy

1963	Receipts	Payments
March 16, Appropriation	\$7,013.00	
Librarians' Salaries		\$2,535.72
Janitor Salary		810.00
Fuel Oil		411.20
Electricity		212.39
Telephone		118.62
Books and Periodicals		1,495.31
Supplies		207.54
Repairs		125.33
December 31, Unexpended		1,096.89
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	\$7,013.00	\$7,013.00

The net cost to the Taxpayers was reduced by receipts of \$115.23 from book fines and of \$1,075.50 from "... state aid to the public libraries of the Commonwealth, ..." under Chapter 760 of the Acts of 1960.

From Endowed Library Funds

1963	Receipts	Payments
Jan. 1, Income Balance from 1962 ..	\$3,627.37	
American Tel. & Tel. Div.	43.20	
Plymouth Cordage Div.	358.40	
Plymouth National Bank Div.	202.91	
Atcheson, Topeka & Santa Fe	20.00	
Denver & Rio Grande Western ..	49.50	
Savings Bank Interest	1,056.64	
Principal Transfers	953.38	\$387.22
Alterations Project 85G	100.00	2,073.89
Books and Periodicals		652.24

Repairs and Misc.	48.38	
Supplies and Postage	98.05	
Safe Deposit and Bank Service	8.36	
Treasurer's Salary and Bond	110.62	
December 31, Income Balance	3,032.64	
	\$6,411.40	\$6,411.40

The past year has been especially busy and very active with a great increase in both children and adults using the Library.

In observance of National Library Week scores of new books were on display. This brought in many new borrowers and increased our circulation.

The Friends of the Frederic C. Adams Library group to whom we are very grateful have been giving their time throughout the year, helping in the numerous chores of Library work. In the summer the Story Hours were greatly enjoyed by the children. At Christmas the Friends made our Library very festive with their beautiful decorations.

The Library has been fortunate in purchasing a great many of the popular and worthwhile books, which has kept our reading public both happy and satisfied. We have an excellent collection of periodicals. It is interesting to note the increase in circulation of the back issues, which may be borrowed for two weeks.

Our thanks go to the Friends of the Library, and to our many devoted patrons of the Library who have so generously contributed books, magazines and flowers.

1963 Statistics

Number of Books in Library	19,087
Circulation	30,486
Attendance	11,699
Registration	3,034
Discarded Books	231

From the figures in Mrs. Lenari's report, the increased use of the library is again evident and emphasizes the need for additional facilities which has been apparent for several years.

Early in 1963, we made application to the Federal Housing and Home Administration for a grant of \$32,000 which would be matched with ours or other funds of equal amount for the purpose of remodeling the present building and erection of a one-story, 1,600 square foot addition. Trusting that this project would be successful, no improvements or repairs were undertaken this year except for those considered essential.

At the time of preparing this report in January of 1964, we are most grateful that our grant application has been approved, and we look forward to the pleasant task of proceeding with the plans to improve and enlarge your library which has not been altered since 1898. With completion expected late in 1964, we look forward to the opening of these new quarters and the opportunity to provide a greater range of interest for our patrons of all ages.

We sincerely appreciate the interest and co-operation which has been shown by so many citizens and other town officials in our efforts to improve our facilities.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT A. JONES, *Chairman*
 JANET A. GIAMMARCO, *Secretary*
 ROLAND S. BAILEY, *Treasurer*
 THEODORE J. MITCHELL
 CARL W. STEGMAIER
 DORIS M. WYMAN

Library Trustees

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
Bureau of Accounts
80 Mason Street, Boston 11

January 21, 1964

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. John J. Moore, Chairman
Kingston, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Kingston for the period from November 21, 1961 to November 11, 1963, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. William Schwartz, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR H. MacKINNON

Director of Accounts

Mr. Arthur H. MacKinnon
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
Boston, Massachusetts

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Kingston for the period from November 21, 1961, the date of the previous audit, to November 11, 1963, the following report being submitted thereon:

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined, checked, and verified by comparison with the books of the town accountant and the treasurer.

The books and accounts in the office of the town accountant were examined and checked. The receipts, as recorded, were checked with the records of the departments making payments to the treasurer and with the treasurer's books, while the payments were checked with the treasury warrants approved by the selectmen and with the treasurer's cash book. The appropriations and transfers were checked with the town clerk's records of town meetings and with the authorizations of the finance committee for transfers from the reserve fund.

The town accountant's ledgers were analyzed, the necessary adjusting entries resulting from the audit were made, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on November 11, 1963.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were compared with the several departmental records of payments to the treasurer, with other sources from which the town received money, and with the town accountant's books. The payments, as recorded, were compared with the treasury warrants and with the accountant's books.

The cash balance on November 11, 1963 was proved by actual count of the cash in the office, by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements received from the banks in which town funds are deposited, and by verification of the savings bank deposits.

The payments made on account of maturing debt and interest were compared with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file. The bond and coupon account was reconciled, and the outstanding coupons were listed.

The transactions of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer and the trustees were verified, and the savings bank books and securities representing the investments of these funds were examined and listed.

It is recommended that withdrawals from the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund be made prior to the payment of bills chargeable to the authorized expenditure accounts.

The records of tax titles and tax possessions held by the town were examined. The taxes transferred to the tax title account were compared with the collector's records, the reported redemptions were checked with the treasurer's cash book, and the tax titles and tax possessions on hand were listed and reconciled with the accountant's ledger and compared with the records at the Registry of Deeds.

The records of employees' payroll deductions on account of Federal and State taxes, the county retirement system, Blue Cross and Blue Shield, and group insurance were examined and checked, the payments to the proper agencies being verified.

The books and accounts of the town collector were examined and checked. The tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts outstanding according to the previous examination, as well as all subsequent commitments, were audited and proved. The collections, as posted to the commitments, were compared with the cash book entries and with the payments to the treasurer as shown by the treasurer's cash book. The abatements as entered were checked with the records in the departments authorized to grant such credits, the transfers to the tax title account were checked with the records of tax titles held by the town, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the controlling ledger accounts.

Verification of the correctness of the outstanding accounts was obtained by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The surety bonds on file for the several town officials required by law to furnish such surety were examined and found to be in proper form.

The town clerk's records of dog and sporting licenses issued and of miscellaneous receipts were examined and checked, the payments to the State being verified by comparison with the receipts on file and the payments to the town being checked with the treasurer's cash book.

The records of all other departments collecting money for the town or committing bills for collection were examined and reconciled with the town treasurer's receipts and with the accountant's records.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, excise, tax title, tax possession, departmental, and water accounts, together with schedules showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

During the progress of the audit cooperation was extended by all town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SCHWARTZ
Assistant Director of Accounts

TOWN OF KINGSTON

Balance Sheet — November 11, 1963

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash:	\$381,208.57	State Assessments 1963:	
Accounts Receivable:		Recreational Areas	\$2,565.79
Taxes:		Audit of Municipal Accounts	135.14
Levy of 1962:		Mosquito Control	2,929.39
Personal Property	\$70.40		\$5,630.32
Real Estate	162.39	Employees' Payroll Deductions:	
Levy of 1963:		Federal Taxes	\$1,331.82
Poll	8.00	State Taxes	342.72
Personal Property	5,111.28	County Retirement	
Real Estate	48,862.64	System	126.37
	54,214.71	Blue Cross and Blue	
Motor Vehicle and		Shield	268.06
Trailer Excise:		Group Insurance	39.80
Levy of 1962	\$613.99		2,108.77
Levy of 1963	24,114.86	Payment in Advance:	
	24,728.85	Water Rates and Charges	4.50
Tax Titles and Possessions:		Guarantee Deposits:	
Tax Titles	\$1,105.10	Planning Board	\$10.00
Tax Possessions	661.09	Playground Commission —	
	1,766.19	Plans	10.00
			20.00
Departmental:		Agency:	
Selectmen	\$5.00	County:	
General Relief	752.75	Dog Licenses	\$528.75
Disability		Sale of Dogs	12.00
Assistance	611.49	Excess — Sale of Lands of	
Aid to Dependent		Low Value	170.01
Children	1,030.97		710.76
Old Age Assistance	1,425.42	Tailings — Unclaimed Checks	224.80
Medical Assistance		Trust Fund Income:	
for the Aged	1,000.83	William H. Willis Charity	\$2,841.18
Veterans' Services	3,639.01	Thomas Prince Benevolent	1,494.28
	8,465.47	Arthur F. Wadsworth Welfare	76.72
Aid to Highways:		School	1,584.98
State	\$11,000.00	Lucy P. Ames Cemetery	840.65
County	6,500.00		6,837.81
	17,500.00	Recoveries:	
Estimated Receipts		Disability Assistance	\$265.27
to be Collected	81,318.17	Old Age Assistance	50.00
Loan Authorized:			315.27
Additional Water Supply	50,000.00	Federal Grants:	
Transfers of Income		Disability Assistance:	
Authorized from		Administration	\$51.04
Elizabeth B. Sampson		Assistance	1,162.44
Memorial Fund	14,016.35	Aid to Dependent Children:	
Income to be Withdrawn from		Administration	509.39
Elizabeth B. Sampson		Aid	5,998.46
Memorial Fund:		Old Age Assistance:	
Trustees' Surety Bonds		Administration	1,282.97
Premium	\$300.00	Assistance	17,566.91

Expenditures for	
Municipal Purposes:	
Renovation — Former	
Grange Hall	247.65
Municipal Radio Band	2,491.70
Improvement and	
Repairs of the Library ..	281.25
Rehabilitate Old	
Burial Ground	500.00
	<u>3,820.60</u>
Overdrawn Appropriation:	
Legal Expenses and	
Other Contingencies	145.21

Medical Assistance for the Aged:	
Administration	902.17
Assistance	7,099.48
School:	
Public Law #85-864	308.56
Public Law #81-874	9,934.34
	<u>44,815.76</u>
School Lunch Fund	4,278.37
Appropriation Balances:	
Revenue:	
General	\$252,615.65
Water	30,672.64
Non-Revenue:	
School	26,677.41
Water	4,144.47
	<u>314,110.17</u>
Loan Authorized and Unissued	50,000.00
Expenditures Authorized from	
Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial	
Fund Income:	
Renovation Former	
Grange Hall	\$1,394.60
Municipal Radio Band	2,500.00
Improvement and Repairs of	
the Library	2,371.75
Improvement of Town	
Forest	750.00
Rehabilitate Old Burial	
Ground	500.00

Park Commission Plans —	
Adjoining Former	
Railroad Property	1,000.00
Reed Community Building —	
Public Address System	500.00
Equipment for Frederic C.	
Adams Public Library	5,000.00
	<u>14,016.35</u>
Overestimate 1963:	
County Tax	3,019.94
Receipts Reserved for Appropriation:	
Road Machinery	1,553.83
Overlay Surplus	12,627.05
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:	
Levy of 1962	\$232.79
Levy of 1963	10,281.04
	<u>10,513.83</u>
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	
Motor Vehicle and	
Trailer Excise	\$24,728.85
Tax Title and Possession	1,766.19
Departmental	8,465.47
Aid to Highway	17,500.00
	<u>52,460.51</u>
Surplus Revenue	113,936.08
	<u>\$637,184.12</u>

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DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt Limit:

General \$63,000.00

Outside Debt Limit:

General \$111,000.00

Public Service Enterprise 45,000.00

156,000.00

\$219,000.00

Serial Loans:

Inside Debt Limit:

School \$63,000.00

Outside Debt Limit:

School \$111,000.00

Water 45,000.00

156,000.00

\$219,000.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:

Cash and Securities:

In Custody of:

Town Treasurer \$100,470.40

Trustees 255,018.47

In Custody of Town Treasurer:

Welfare and Benevolent Funds:

William H. Willis \$16,765.79

Thomas Prince 38,142.63

Arthur F. Wadsworth 4,695.37

School Funds:

Frederic C. Adams 5,000.00

Rosa A. Cole 1,000.00

Annie C. Thomas 5,000.00

Educational 1,820.59

Elizabeth F. Glover Drinking

Fountain Fund 834.81

Flag Fund 111.85

Cemetery Funds:

Lucy P. Ames 20,000.00

St. Joseph Perpetual Care 92.79

Evergreen Perpetual Care 122.45

Investment Funds:

Municipal Building

Insurance 5,324.24

Workmen's Compensation

Insurance 1,001.37

Post-War Rehabilitation 558.51

\$100,470.40

In Custody of Trustees:

Ichabod Washburn Benevolent

Fund \$10,967.36

Library Funds:

Frederic C. Adams 23,430.38

Rosa A. Cole 5,293.72

Annie C. Thomas 1,399.59

Byron C. Quinby 683.84

Elizabeth B. Sampson 2,289.95

Elizabeth B. Sampson

Memorial Fund 210,953.63

255,018.47

\$355,488.87

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REPORT OF THE 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 ending December 31, 1963.

IRMA A. RUFFINI,
Town Accountant

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

TAXES — CURRENT YEAR:

Personal	\$61,350.28	
Polls	2,268.00	
Real	563,387.37	
Pro Forma Tax	28.31	
		\$627,033.96
TOTAL TAXES CURRENT YEAR		\$627,033.96
Dog Licenses	\$1,174.25	
Sale of Dogs	21.00	
		\$1,195.25
		1,195.25

TAXES — PREVIOUS YEARS:

Personal	\$3,219.04	
Real	28,177.66	
		\$31,396.70

TOTAL TAXES — PREVIOUS YEARS 31,396.70

TOTAL TAXES AND DOG LICENSES \$659,625.91

FROM STATE:

Corporation Tax	\$32,189.63	
Income Tax	18,574.00	
Meal Tax	2,682.84	
		\$53,446.47

FINES:

Court Fines	\$502.20	
		502.20

GRANTS AND GIFTS:

Dog Licenses Returned by County	\$828.67	
Reimbursement for Loss of Taxes	1,816.55	
Hawkers and Peddlers License	11.00	
		2,656.22
		\$56,604.89

TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE \$716,230.89

COMMERCIAL REVENUE DEPARTMENTAL

PRIVILEGES:

Motor Vehicle Excise, 1963	\$69,164.38	
Motor Vehicle Excise, 1962	7,485.10	
		\$76,649.48

TOTAL PRIVILEGES \$76,649.48

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Advertising Notices of Applications for Liquor Licenses	\$61.00	
Advertising Notices for Gas Tank Hearings	27.50	
Telephone Tolls	49.95	
Appeal Board Fees	100.00	
Propagation of Shellfish	500.00	
Building Code Fees	920.00	
Sale of Patuxet School	2,000.00	
Settlement — Asphalt Oil Cases	86.97	
		\$3,745.42

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Alcoholic	\$5,130.00	
Auctioneer	8.00	
Automatic Amusement	13.33	
Bus	5.00	
Bowling	48.00	
Common Victualler	110.00	
Golf	18.00	
Lodging House	4.00	
Lord's Day	38.00	
Lord's Day Amusement	254.00	
Lord's' Day Dancing	86.00	
Motor Vehicle	95.00	
Open Air Theatre	200.00	
Taxi	2.00	
Taxi Operator	6.00	
Shellfish — Commercial	10.00	

Shellfish — Property Owners and Residents	88.00	
Shellfish — Non-Property Owners and Non-Residents	38.00	
Week-day Amusements	75.00	
		\$6,228.33
TREASURER:		
Tax Titles	\$164.04	
		\$164.04
COLLECTOR:		
Advertising Costs	\$12.00	
Bank Dividends	2,216.69	
Deed and Release	3.00	
Demands and Charges	37.65	
Municipal Liens	117.00	
Photostatic Copy	1.00	
Postage	10.00	
Return Premium — Collector's Bond	101.10	
Trailer Excise Fees	76.00	
Unclaimed Checks	10.40	
		\$2,574.94
TOWN CLERK:		
Certificates of Registration	\$2.00	
Oleo Permits	1.00	
Junk Collector's License	5.00	
		\$8.00
PLANNING BOARD:		
Advertising Hearing	\$26.30	
		\$26.30
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT		\$12,747.03

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Gun Dealer's Permit	\$10.00	
Permits to Carry Revolver	68.00	
Police Reports	96.00	
Reimbursements on Dogs	135.00	
Sealer's Fees	128.40	
Insurance Settlement — Police Cruiser	59.30	
		\$496.70
TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY		\$496.70

HEALTH AND SANITATION

LICENSES AND PERMITS:		
Collection of Cesspool Waste	\$6.00	
Collection of Garbage and/or Rubbish	5.00	
Manufacture of Frozen Desserts	10.00	
Overnight Camps and Cabins	3.50	
Poultry Slaughtering	10.00	
Sale of Milk and Cream	12.50	
Sewage	194.00	
Trailer Parks	20.00	
Reimbursement — State Subsidy	65.71	
		\$326.71
TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION		\$326.71

HIGHWAYS

Road Machinery Rental	\$275.40	
Proceeds, Chapter 782, Acts of 1962	9,464.38	
		\$9,739.78

OFFSET TO OUTLAY:

Chapter 90:		
State:		
Construction	\$9,998.38	
Maintenance	4,000.00	
County:		
Construction	4,999.19	
Maintenance	4,000.00	
		\$22,997.57

TOTAL HIGHWAYS		\$32,737.35
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CHARITIES

REIMBURSEMENTS AND GRANTS:

WELFARE:		
From State	\$788.05	
From Town	346.95	
Recovery	532.87	
		\$1,667.87

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE:

From State	\$5,953.63	
From Federal Grant —		
Administration	974.25	
From Federal Grant — Assistance	4,579.50	
Recoveries	265.27	
		\$11,772.65

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN:

From State	\$3,613.86	
From Federal Grant —		
Administration	3,897.71	
From Federal Grant —		
Aid	5,360.00	
Recoveries	219.35	
		\$13,090.92

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:

From State	\$12,086.73	
From Towns	659.32	
From Federal Grant —		
Administration	\$3,248.13	
From Federal Grant —		
Assistance	26,324.23	
Recoveries	6,231.78	
		\$48,550.19

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE AGED:

From State	\$13,380.51	
From Federal Grant —		
Administration	2,255.21	
From Federal Grant —		
Assistance	19,989.88	
Recovery	120.00	
		\$35,745.60

TOTAL CHARITIES \$110,827.23

VETERANS' BENEFITS

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' BENEFITS:

From State	\$4,887.59	
		\$4,887.59

TOTAL VETERANS' BENEFITS \$4,887.59

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY

SCHOOLS:

Telephone and Supplies:		
From Union	\$790.00	
From Silver Lake Regional		
School District	140.10	
		\$930.10
From State:		
Aid, Chapter 70, G. L.	\$54,035.82	
Vocational Education	27.90	
Transportation of Pupils	27,684.26	

Reimbursement and Aid —

Construction	8,495.71
Addition	5,874.63
Public Law #81-874	3,607.00
Public Law #85-864	264.89
School Lunch Program	21,224.63
1962 Rent of Former High School ...	1,200.00

TOTAL SCHOOLS \$122,414.84

LIBRARY

LIBRARY:

Book Fines	\$115.23
From State:	
Aid — Chapter 78, G. L.	1,075.50

TOTAL LIBRARY \$1,190.73

TOTAL SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY \$124,535.67

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

PLAYGROUND:

Rental — Reed Community Building ..	\$714.00
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TOTAL PLAYGROUND \$714.00

PARKS:

Gray's Beach Concession	\$60.00
Gray's Beach Parking Fees	1,881.00
From Individual	6.00

TOTAL PARKS 1,947.00

ELIZABETH B. SAMPSON FUND:

Income:

Trustee Surety Bond	\$300.00
Rehabilitation — Old Burial	
Ground	500.00
Municipal Radio Band	2,491.70
Repairs to former Grange Hall ..	247.65
Improvement to F. C. Adams	
Library	281.25
Surveying Town Forest	375.00
Final Distribution from Executors:	
Principal	4,375.06
Income	498.89

TOTAL INCOME —

ELIZABETH B. SAMPSON FUND	9,069.55
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TOTAL RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED \$11,730.55

ENTERPRISES

Water Rates	\$40,344.05	
Water Rate — 1964	4.50	
Service Charges	1,225.00	
Damage to Hydrant	270.23	
Special Service Installations	624.53	
Sale of Junk	10.00	
		<u>\$42,478.31</u>

WATER:

Gravel-Packed Well	\$20,500.00	
		<u>20,500.00</u>

TOTAL ENTERPRISES	\$62,978.31
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INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

INTEREST:

On Taxes	\$1,250.33	
On Tax Titles	1.16	
On Trust Funds	5,055.87	
		<u>\$6,307.36</u>

TOTAL INTEREST	\$6,307.36
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Federal Withholding Taxes	\$44,006.26	
State Withholding Taxes	3,729.43	
		<u>\$47,735.69</u>

		<u>\$47,735.69</u>
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County Retirement	\$8,365.15	
		<u>\$8,365.15</u>

Group Insurance and Medical Coverage	\$9,126.46	
		<u>\$9,126.46</u>

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Loan in Anticipation of Revenue	\$100,000.00	
		<u>\$100,000.00</u>
		<u>\$100,000.00</u>

REFUNDS

Treasurer and Collector	\$3.54
Industrial Development Commission	3.00
Fire — Maintenance	50.51
Health — Maintenance .....	.33
Pilgrim Street Construction	15.08
Aid to Families with Dependent Children — Aid	93.15

Old Age Assistance — Assistance	14.65
Old Age Assistance — Assistance — Federal Grant	65.20
Medical Assistance for the Aged — Assistance — Federal Grant	8.50
Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits	174.10
Water — Maintenance	3.76

\$431.82

TOTAL REFUNDS	\$431.82
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TOTAL COMMERCIAL REVENUE	\$609,451.28
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$1,326,113.90
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CASH, JANUARY 1, 1963	314,304.89
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\$1,640,418.79

PAYMENTS
DEPARTMENTAL
GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator	\$25.00	
		\$25.00

SELECTMEN:

Selectmen — Chairman	\$475.00	
Selectmen — 2 Members	300.00	
Clerical	1,196.00	
Travel Expense	440.80	
Association Dues	41.00	
Equipment and Supplies	46.55	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	102.74	
Laying Out Ways	688.25	
Advertising Liquor Licenses	66.00	
Advertising Hearings and Bids	70.55	
		3,426.89

ACCOUNTING:

Accountant — Salary	\$4,406.00	
Clerical	2,492.78	
Travel Expense	85.00	
Association Dues	45.00	
Equipment and Supplies	340.71	
Machine Service	105.09	
Binding Books	46.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	67.60	
		7,588.18

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR:

Treasurer — Salary	\$1,320.00	
Collector — Salary	2,640.00	
Clerical	2,498.50	
Travel Expense	180.00	
Association Dues	11.00	
Equipment and Supplies	792.54	
Machine Service	61.50	
Binding Books	21.50	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	1,296.65	
Surety Bond	536.40	
Burglary Insurance	38.50	
Post Office and Safety Deposit Boxes	21.50	
Recording Fees	64.00	

Advertising Land Taxes	11.90	
Certifying Notes	12.00	
Service Charge	3.54	
Notarizing Fees	10.00	
		9,519.53

TOWN CLERK:

Town Clerk — Salary	\$726.00	
Clerical	1,018.59	
Travel Expense	67.00	
Association Dues	19.50	
Equipment and Supplies	164.57	
Recording Fees	150.00	
Machine Service	44.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	153.35	
Surety Bond	10.00	
Binding Books	32.50	
		2,390.51

ASSESSORS:

Assessors — Chairman — Clerk	\$3,000.00	
Assessors — 2 Members	815.32	
Clerical	259.00	
Travel Expense	170.00	
Association Dues	15.00	
Equipment and Supplies	421.49	
Recording Fees	110.75	
Binding Books	65.00	
Maps	350.00	
Magazine Subscription	28.00	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	61.10	
		5,295.66

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION:

Registrars — Salaries	\$300.00	
Election Officers	394.99	
Clerical	862.30	
Travel Expense	25.00	
Equipment and Supplies	146.88	
Machine Service	15.00	
Binding Books	8.13	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	155.30	
Listing — (Street List)	901.16	
		2,808.76

APPEAL BOARD:

Equipment and Supplies	\$15.00	
Advertising	112.50	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	61.00	
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		188.50

PLANNING BOARD:

Clerical	\$50.00	
Association Dues	30.00	
Advertising	32.65	
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		112.65

BUILDING, WIRING AND PLUMBING CODES:

Building Inspector — Salary	\$720.00	
Wiring Inspector — Salary	240.00	
Plumbing Inspector — Salary	240.00	
Travel Expense	234.92	
Office Supplies	33.25	
Wiring Inspector Dues	4.00	
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		1,472.17

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION:

Brochures	\$1,489.00	
Sign on By-Pass	485.00	
Permit for Sign	3.00	
Surveying	60.00	
Office Supplies	53.45	
A.R.A. Brochure (Kingston's Share)	202.64	
Postage and Telephone Tolls	48.10	
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		2,341.19

FINANCE COMMITTEE:

Clerical	\$25.00	
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		25.00

COMMITTEE TO STUDY ZONING By-LAWS:

Clerical	\$24.00	
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		24.00

TOWN HOUSE:

Janitor — Salary	\$2,236.00	
Electricity	549.91	
Electricity for Annex (Former Grange Hall)	22.56	
Fuel	1,012.36	

Fuel for Annex (Former Grange Hall)	61.90	
Telephones	766.29	
Equipment and Supplies	456.10	
Municipal Radio Operation	134.93	
Building Repairs	1,705.32	
Oil Burner Repairs	32.90	
Maintenance	20.00	
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		6,998.27

TOWN HOUSE — Alterations	\$249.11	
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		249.11

TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT	\$42,465.42
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE:

Chief — Salary	\$6,074.80	
Sergeant — Salary	5,334.89	
Officers — Salaries, 4 Men	17,663.76	
Special Officers — Wages	4,692.60	
Travel Expense	113.72	
Association Dues	35.00	
Ambulance Trips	306.60	
Cruiser Ambulance — Operation	3,172.33	
Cruiser Ambulance — Repairs	1,074.68	
Radio and Teletype Service	164.84	
Lock-up Fees	49.30	
Station and Office Supplies	306.89	
Laundry (Blankets for Ambulance)	20.00	
Insurance	414.10	
Equipment	128.62	
Auxiliary Police — Equipment	366.85	
State Police School	300.00	
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		\$40,218.98
Police — Out-of-State Travel	\$125.00	
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		125.00
Police — Uniforms — Regular Police	\$973.99	
Police — Uniforms — Auxiliary Police	1,269.80	
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		2,183.79
Police — New Cruiser Ambulance	\$2,324.50	
Advertising Bids	7.00	
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		2,331.50

SHELLFISH:

Warden — Salary	\$484.00	
Assistant Warden — Salary	242.00	
Extra Labor	49.90	
Supplies	25.10	
Gas and Oil	37.18	
		838.18

PROPAGATION OF SHELLFISH:

Labor	\$151.50	
Travel Expense	25.00	
Repairs for Boat	19.08	
		195.58

HARBOR MASTER:

Harbor Master — Salary	\$660.00	
Assistant Harbor Master — Salary	242.00	
Extra Labor	25.00	
Travel Expense	7.00	
Gas and Oil	65.90	
Repairs	299.34	
Equipment and Supplies	52.76	
		1,352.00

FIRE:

Chief Engineer — Salary	\$550.00	
Captain — Salary	55.00	
Steward — Salary	33.00	
Firemen — Salaries	1,435.00	
Firemen — Wages Fighting Fires	1,311.62	
Caretaker — Salary (2½ Months)	682.00	
Permanent Firemen — Salaries	16,901.43	
Medical Examination	5.00	
Travel Expense	15.00	
Association Dues	26.00	
Fuel	891.25	
Electricity	276.82	
Telephones	654.16	
Equipment and Supplies	1,022.58	
Truck Operation and Repairs	476.03	
Radio Service	358.57	
Station Repairs	638.19	
Repairs to Boat	15.10	
Insurance	441.10	
Hose	450.00	
		\$26,237.85
Fire — Out-of-State Travel	\$70.00	
		\$70.00

FOREST FIRES — PREVENTION AND EXTINGUISHMENT:

Warden — Salary	\$440.00	
Wages — Fighting Fires	2,289.40	
Travel Expense	3.50	
Truck Operation and Repairs	271.08	
Supplies	387.91	
Radio Service	95.25	
Repairs	4.70	
Hose	100.00	
		\$3,591.84

MOTHS — INSECT PEST CONTROL:

Superintendent — Wages	\$653.00	
Labor	3,297.60	
Clerical	106.40	
Truck and Equipment Rental	912.00	
Equipment and Supplies	63.24	
Gas and Oil	19.64	
Insecticides	559.61	
		5,611.49

SUPPRESSION OF MOTHS — DUTCH ELM:

Superintendent — Wages	\$1,322.50	
Labor	4,813.20	
Clerical	107.60	
Truck and Equipment Rental	766.00	
Gas and Oil	25.75	
Removal of Diseased Trees	50.00	
Repairs	1.50	
Insecticides	814.75	
		7,901.30

TRIMMING SHADE TREES:

Tree Warden — Salary	\$1,895.00	
Labor	1,641.40	
Clerical	84.80	
Truck Rental	112.00	
Equipment and Supplies	418.92	
Gas and Oil	35.06	
Repairs	128.74	
Removal of Diseased Trees	75.00	
Trees	115.77	
Insecticides	385.11	
		4,891.80

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES:

Sealer — Salary	\$360.00	
Travel Expense	140.00	
Equipment and Supplies	114.90	
Postage	3.00	
		617.90

CIVIL DEFENSE:

Director — Salary	\$150.00	
Travel Expense	42.72	
Telephone	86.20	
Equipment and Supplies	12.20	
Surplus Property — Police Dept.	112.50	
		403.62

CONSERVATION COMMISSION:

Association Dues	\$15.00	
Supplies	1.70	
		16.70

OTHER PROTECTION:

Dog Officer — Salary	\$220.00	
Disposal of Dogs	150.00	
		370.00
Insurance — Workmens' Compensation ..	\$4,950.12	
		4,950.12
Insurance — Municipal Buildings and Property	\$8,352.07	
		8,352.07
Care of Other Municipal Property	\$7.50	
		7.50

TOTAL PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND

PROPERTY \$110,267.22

HEALTH AND SANITATION

HEALTH:

Health — Chairman	\$400.00	
Health — 2 Members	150.00	
Clerical	86.80	
Travel Expense	155.41	
Association Dues	2.00	
Office Supplies	81.20	
Caretaker of Dump — Salary	2,296.00	
Maintenance of Dump	2,107.04	

Plymouth Community Nurse Association:

Contract 800.00

Plymouth Community Nurse Association:

Extra 168.25

Clinics:

Dental	125.00
Diphtheria, Pertussis and Tetanus ...	93.88
Polio	160.28
Tuberculosis	120.45
Medical and Medication	33.25
Equipment	64.66
Percolation Test	30.00
Removal of Dead Animals	4.50

6,878.72

Health — Unpaid Bill \$58.25

58.25

INSPECTION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN:

Physician	\$476.00
Nurse — Salary and Travel Expense	2,500.00
Nurse — Insurance	28.21
Health Supplies	105.77

3,109.98

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS:

Inspector — Salary	\$215.00
Travel and Expenses	55.00

270.00

INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING:

Salary \$60.00

60.00

HEALTH — INSECT CONTROL:

Superintendent — Wages	\$37.50
Labor	1,056.40
Trucks and Equipment Rental	520.00
Kerosene	359.45
Repairs	5.22
Gas and Oil	49.29
Equipment	2.67
Insecticides	1,065.11
Spraying	200.00

3,295.64

Mosquito Control Maintenance \$400.00

400.00

Greenhead Fly Control \$500.00

500.00

TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION \$14,372.59

HIGHWAYS

GENERAL HIGHWAYS:

Superintendent of Streets — Salary	\$5,460.00	
Labor	19,984.70	
Clerical	648.30	
Association Dues	10.00	
Travel Expense	44.00	
Office Supplies	29.84	
Electricity	179.73	
Telephone	243.83	
Fuel	813.43	
Equipment and Supplies	959.64	
Equipment Rental	2,503.15	
Asphalt and Patch	6,679.67	
Sand, Stone and Gravel	950.65	
Repairs	98.92	
Drainage	854.05	
Engineering Fees	65.00	
Cleaning Catch Basins	416.00	
Building Repairs	50.85	
Paint for Traffic Lines	710.00	
Radio Repairs	44.45	
Drainage Pipe	480.10	
		41,226.31

ROAD MACHINERY:

Operation	\$2,825.99	
Equipment	101.28	
Repairs	2,085.33	
		5,012.60

SNOW REMOVAL:

Wages	\$5,222.80	
Plowing and Sanding	5,334.00	
Salt and Sand	6,357.34	
Truck and Equipment Rental	282.50	
Equipment and Supplies	287.23	
		17,483.87

TOTAL GENERAL HIGHWAYS, ROAD MACHINERY
AND SNOW REMOVAL \$63,722.78

SPECIAL HIGHWAYS

CHAPTER 90:

Construction — 1963	\$4,526.25	
		\$4,526.25
Maintenance — 1963	\$6,000.00	
		6,000.00

Construction — 1962	\$275.40	
		275.40
Maintenance — 1962	\$1,704.23	
		1,704.23
TOTAL CHAPTER 90		\$12,505.88

OTHER SPECIAL HIGHWAYS

Alden and Spruce Street —		
Construction	\$2,325.48	
		\$2,325.48
Basler's Lane —		
Construction	\$49.00	
		49.00
Hillcrest Road —		
Construction	\$1,299.50	
		1,299.50
Pearl Street —		
Construction	\$1,988.35	
		1,988.35
Pilgrim Street —		
Construction	\$396.30	
		396.30
Smelt Pond Road —		
Construction	\$3,291.15	
		3,291.15
Sunset Road —		
Construction	\$1,465.77	
		1,465.77
Westerly Avenue —		
Construction	\$911.65	
		911.65
Washburn Avenue —		
Construction	1,487.74	
		1,487.74
TOTAL OTHER SPECIAL HIGHWAYS		\$13,214.94

OTHER HIGHWAYS

Guard Fences	\$196.95	
		\$196.95
Street, Direction and Danger Signs	\$172.39	
		172.39
Street Lights	\$13,114.47	
		13,114.47

Following and Maintaining Permanent		
Signatures	\$11,504.00	
		1,500.00
TRUCK PURCHASE - BUCKY BUCK LORRAINE	\$432.49	
		432.49
TOTAL OTHER HIGHWAYS		\$15,434.49
TOTAL ALL HIGHWAYS		\$104,580.90

CHARITIES

PUBLIC WELFARE:		
Administration:		
Welfare - Chairman	\$400.00	
Welfare - 2 Members	150.00	
		\$550.00
General Relief:		
Groceries and Provisions	\$2,327.52	
Fuel	471.83	
Gas	52.62	
Rent	171.90	
Clothing	64.19	
Electricity	51.15	
Medicine and Medical	1,471.24	
Transportation of Patients	1.00	
Other Cities and Towns	1,451.66	
		\$4,950.02
General Relief - Unpaid Bill	\$180.40	
		180.40
TOTAL PUBLIC WELFARE		\$7,375.42

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Administration:		
Director - Salary	\$1,701.82	
Social Worker - Salary	1,285.34	
Jr. Clerk Stenographer - Salary	966.00	
		\$3,953.16
Assistance:		
Cash Grants	\$9,510.25	
All Extra	1,500.35	
		12,410.60
TOTAL AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN		\$16,363.82

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

Administration:		
Director - Salary	\$689.24	
Social Worker - Salary	803.25	
Jr. Clerk Stenographer - Salary	833.24	

Travel Expense	10.74	
Association Dues	10.00	
Office Supplies	29.00	
		\$2,056.15
Assistance:		
Cash Grants	\$8,258.50	
All Extra	7,187.89	
		15,446.39

TOTAL DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:

Administration:		
Director - Salary	\$1,713.56	
Social Worker - Salary	2,012.30	
Jr. Clerk Stenographer	717.93	
Travel Expense	254.74	
Association Dues	1.00	
Telephone	268.98	
Legal Expense	50.00	
Office Supplies	314.42	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	155.98	
Appraisal Fee	20.00	
		\$5,508.96
Assistance:		
Cash Grants	\$43,095.59	
Other Cities and Towns	726.26	
All Extra	10,573.20	
		\$4,395.05

TOTAL OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE AGED:

Administration:		
Director - Salary	\$1,594.52	
Social Worker - Salary	1,377.62	
Jr. Clerk Stenographer - Salary	882.78	
Travel Expense	27.12	
Postage	.80	
		\$3,882.84
Assistance:		
Cash Grants	\$1,010.88	
All Other	39,051.01	
Funeral Expense	200.00	
		40,261.89

TOTAL MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE AGED

TOTAL CHARITIES

VETERANS' BENEFITS

Veterans' Agent — Salary	\$990.00
Association Dues	25.00
Travel Expense	9.08
Office Supplies	20.25
Ordinary Benefits	8,666.94
Medicine and Medical	1,168.45
Fuel	944.80
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	\$11,824.52

TOTAL VETERANS' BENEFITS \$11,824.52

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY

Superintendent — Salary and Travel	\$2,089.97
Committee Expense	144.31
Clerks	1,972.50
Telephones	651.31
Superintendent Office Expense	929.51
School Census	200.00
Attendance Officer	165.00
Teachers — Salaries	111,599.73
Supervisors — Salaries	11,746.54
Principal's Expense	200.00
Books	2,360.44
Supplies	3,516.19
Janitors — Salaries	12,506.00
Janitor Supplies	695.24
Light and Gas	3,092.46
Fuel	3,735.11
Repairs, Maintenance and Replacements	8,363.70
Transportation	35,001.56
Tuition	295.48
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	\$199,265.05
Vocational Education	\$66.40
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	66.40

School Lunch Program:

Supervisor — Salary	\$2,280.00
Bookkeeper — Salary	912.00
Lunch Room Personnel	4,377.90
Provisions	13,175.31
Equipment and Supplies	329.53
Repairs	193.67
Rubbish Removal	120.00
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	21,388.41
Silver Lake Regional School District ...	\$240,819.81
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Public Law #81-874	\$1,495.37
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	1,495.37

Public Law #81-864	\$429.30
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	429.30

TOTAL ALL SCHOOLS \$463,464.34

LIBRARY:

Librarian — Salary	\$2,352.91
Assistant in Library	182.81
Janitor — Salary	810.00
Fuel	411.20
Electricity	212.39
Telephone	118.62
Books	1,490.31
Supplies	212.54
Repairs	125.33
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	\$5,916.11
Library — Unpaid Bill	\$62.35
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	62.35
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	\$5,978.46

TOTAL ALL SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY \$469,442.80

RECREATION

PLAYGROUND MAINTENANCE:

Janitor — Salary	\$3,952.00
Boys' Supervisor — Salary	510.00
Girls' Supervisor — Salary	240.00
Extra Labor	236.60
Fuel	1,776.27
Electricity	126.54
Telephone	23.10
Gas	18.69
Decorating Christmas Tree	17.64
Repairs	1,015.23
Equipment and Supplies	1,100.01
Sand, Stone, Loam, Etc.	58.92
Repairs and Gas for Mower	42.85
State Building Licenses	50.00
Insurance (Recreational Program)	100.00
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	\$9,267.85

PLAYGROUND — Replacement of Heating
and Hot Water System \$2,366.60

\$2,366.60

TOTAL RECREATION \$11,634.45

PARKS

Clerical	\$50.00	
Labor	787.80	
Park Attendant — Wages	1,151.55	
Lifeguard at Gray's Beach	1,208.50	
Insurance at Gray's Beach	150.00	
Advertising	24.95	
Telephone and Electricity	49.07	
Rubbish Removal at Gray's Beach	251.50	
Sand, Loam and Fill	312.00	
Equipment and Supplies	613.63	
Equipment Rental	130.25	
Maintenance and Repairs	204.21	
Building Maintenance	105.73	
Trees, Plants and Flowers	81.25	
		\$5,120.44
TOTAL PARKS		\$5,120.44

WATERFRONT COMMITTEE:

Labor	\$60.00
Equipment Rental	41.00
Equipment and Supplies	158.82
Repairs	323.79
Stone	96.25
	<u>\$679.86</u>

TOTAL WATERFRONT COMMITTEE **\$679.86**

UNCLASSIFIED:

County Aid to Agriculture	\$100.00
County Retirement System	11,113.03
Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days	948.98
Preparing, Printing and Distributing Town Reports	3,236.43
Income — Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund (Trustees' Bond)	300.00
Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund Trustees' Expense	15.00
Repairs to former Grange Hall — (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	247.65
Improvement, Repairs, Etc. to F. C. Adams Public Library (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	281.25
Improvement, Repairs, Etc. to F. C. Adams Public Library (Town Appropriation)	843.75

Municipal Radio Band (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	2,491.70
Municipal Radio Band (Town Appropriation)	2,491.70
Rehabilitating Old Burial Ground (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	500.00
Rehabilitating Old Burial Ground (Town Appropriation)	500.00
Improvement of Town Forest (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	375.00
Improvement of Town Forest (Town Appropriation)	375.00
	<u>\$23,819.49</u>

TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED **\$23,819.49**

LEGAL EXPENSES AND OTHER CONTINGENCIES:

Legal Expense — Various Cases	\$3,950.56
Lawsuit — Rebecca Preston and Robert A. Preston	2,500.00
Other Contingencies	33.00
	<u>\$6,483.56</u>

TOTAL LEGAL EXPENSES AND OTHER CONTINGENCIES .. **\$6,483.56**

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

WATER:

Administration:	
Commissioners — Salaries	\$243.75
Commitment Clerk — Salary	660.00
Superintendent — Salary	4,949.50
Labor	9,032.00
Office and Travel Expense	285.07
Association Dues	19.00
Telephone	341.49
Magazine Subscription	5.00
	<u>\$15,535.81</u>

Operating Expenses:

Truck	\$830.61
Equipment, Department and Station Supplies, Pipe and Fittings	5,690.69
Equipment Rental	2,114.60
Fuel	232.43
Light and Power	4,061.27

General Repairs and Maintenance	3,219.31	
Repairs to Pump	716.81	
Engineering Fees	41.00	
	<u>16,906.72</u>	
TOTAL WATER		\$32,442.53
Water — Equipment	\$188.45	
	<u>188.45</u>	
Water — Acquiring Land off Elm Street	\$2,155.00	
	<u>2,155.00</u>	
Water — South Street Takings	\$2,028.00	
	<u>2,028.00</u>	
Water — Extension and Replacement of the Water System	\$2,677.94	
	<u>2,677.94</u>	
Water — School and Chapel Streets	4,587.57	
	<u>4,587.57</u>	
Water — Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	\$51.88	
	<u>51.88</u>	
TOTAL SPECIAL WATER		\$11,688.84
TOTAL ALL WATER		<u>\$44,131.37</u>
FISH COMMITTEE:		
Labor	\$125.00	
Police Detail	77.00	
Repairs	19.95	
	<u>\$221.95</u>	
TOTAL FISH COMMITTEE		\$221.95

INTEREST AND DEBT

INTEREST:

Elementary School Loan	\$720.00	
Elementary School Addition	4,675.00	
Water Improvement Loan	900.00	
Water — Howland's Lane	168.75	
Temporary Loan	357.78	
	<u>\$6,821.53</u>	

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Water — Howland's Lane	\$5,000.00
Improvement of Water System	20,000.00
Elementary School	24,000.00

Elementary School Addition	20,000.00	
Temporary Loan	100,000.00	
	<u>169,000.00</u>	
TOTAL INTEREST AND DEBT		\$175,821.53

AGENCY AND INVESTMENT

County Tax	\$31,779.61	
State Parks and Reservations	2,881.90	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	135.14	
Dog Licenses	1,200.50	
Plymouth County Hospital	11,533.91	
Plymouth County Mosquito Control	2,805.06	
Federal Withholding Taxes	47,164.69	
State Withholding Taxes	4,582.70	
Retirement Fund	9,063.15	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield (Town Share)	6,979.82	
Blue Cross-Blue Shield (Employees' Share)	7,824.17	
Group Insurance (Town Share)	1,096.69	
Group Insurance (Employees' Share)	1,155.73	
	<u>\$128,203.07</u>	
TOTAL AGENCY		\$128,203.07

PUBLIC TRUST:

Income — Lucy P. Ames Memorial Fund	\$793.00	
Income — Thomas Prince Benevolent Fund	3,272.14	
Income — Madella E. Witherell Fund	4.00	
Income — School Fund for Lectures	225.00	
Estate Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund Principal and Income	4,873.95	
	<u>\$9,168.09</u>	
TOTAL PUBLIC TRUST		\$9,168.09
TOTAL AGENCY AND TRUST		<u>\$137,371.16</u>

REFUNDS

Real Estate Tax — 1963	\$1,301.74	
Poll Tax — 1963	2.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax — 1962	619.59	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax — 1963	2,033.72	
Dog Fund .....	.50	
Playground — Return Deposit	10.00	
Tailings	46.87	
Estimated Receipts	19.00	
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		\$4,033.42
 TOTAL REFUNDS		<hr/>
		\$4,033.42
 TOTAL PAYMENTS		<hr/>
		\$1,308,044.30
 CASH, DECEMBER 31, 1963		<hr/>
		332,374.49
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		\$1,640,418.79

**APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
LEDGER ACCOUNTS**

	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
General Government:									
Moderator	.....	\$25.00	.....	.....	.....	\$25.00	\$25.00	.....	.....
Selectmen	.....	3,491.00	.....	.....	.....	3,491.00	3,426.89	\$64.11	.....
Accountant	\$30.25	7,596.00	.....	.....	.....	7,626.25	7,588.18	38.07	.....
Treasurer and Collector	.....	9,524.95	.....	.....	\$3.54	9,528.49	9,519.53	8.96	.....
Tax Title Foreclosures	80.11	.....	.....	.....	.....	80.11	.....	.....	\$80.11
Town Clerk	.....	2,425.50	.....	.....	.....	2,425.50	2,390.51	34.99	.....
Assessors	.....	5,583.00	.....	.....	.....	5,583.00	5,295.66	287.34	.....
Election and Registration	.....	2,875.00	.....	.....	.....	2,875.00	2,808.76	66.24	.....
Appeal Board	.....	250.00	.....	.....	.....	250.00	188.50	61.50	.....
Appeal Board Fees	.....	.....	\$100.00	.....	.....	100.00	.....	95.00	5.00
Planning Board	.....	150.00	.....	.....	.....	150.00	112.65	37.35	.....
Guarantee Deposits—Planning Board	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	10.00
Industrial Development Commission	2,244.22	500.00	.....	\$480.00	3.00	3,227.22	2,341.19	480.00+	.....
Building, Wiring and Plumbing Codes	.....	1,700.00	.....	.....	.....	1,700.00	1,472.17	227.83	.....
Finance Committee	.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....	100.00	25.00	75.00	.....
Town House:									
Maintenance	205.09	6,911.00	.....	.....	.....	7,116.09	6,998.27	117.82	.....
Alterations	249.11	.....	.....	.....	.....	249.11	249.11	.....	.....
Protection of Persons and Property:									
Police:									
Maintenance	8.75	43,093.08	.....	.....	.....	43,101.83	40,218.98	2,874.10	8.75
Out-of-State Travel	.....	125.00	.....	.....	.....	125.00	125.00	.....	.....

	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Uniforms	316.40	2,025.00				2,341.40	2,183.79	157.61	
Cruiser-Ambulance		2,750.00				2,750.00	2,331.50	418.50	
Shellfish		700.00		150.00		850.00	838.18	11.82+	
Propagation of Shellfish	612.69		500.00			1,112.69	105.58		917.11
Harbor Master		1,200.00		200.00		1,400.00	1,352.00	48.00+	
Fire:									
Maintenance		26,610.00			50.51	26,660.51	26,237.85	422.66	
Out-of-State Travel		100.00				100.00	70.00	30.00	
Purchase of Fire Engine — 1954	5.35					5.35			5.35
Forest Fires:									
Prevention and Extinguishment		3,710.00				3,710.00	3,591.84	118.16	
Moths:									
Insect Pest Control		5,984.00				5,984.00	5,611.49	372.51	
Dutch Elm		8,419.00				8,419.00	7,901.30	517.70	
Trimming Shade Trees		5,687.00				5,687.00	4,891.80	795.20	
Sealer of Weights and Measures		577.00		48.00		625.00	617.00	7.10+	
Civil Defense	2,238.01	900.00				3,138.01	403.62		2,734.39
Dog Officer		400.00				400.00	370.00	30.00	
Bounties on Seals		11.00				11.00		11.00	
Repairs to Former Grange Hall	57.90					57.90		57.90+	
Care of Other Municipal Property		100.00				100.00	7.50	92.50	
Insurance:									
Municipal Buildings and Property		9,100.00				9,100.00	8,352.07	747.93	
Workmen's Compensation		5,000.00				5,000.00	4,950.12	49.88	

Group Life and Medical Coverage (Town Share)		7,750.00		326.51		8,076.51	8,076.51		
Group Life and Medical Coverage (Employees' Share)	8.18		9,126.46			9,134.64	8,988.08		146.56

Health and Sanitation:

Health:

Maintenance		9,174.00			.33	9,174.33	6,878.72	2,295.61	
Maintenance—Unpaid Bill— 1962		58.25				58.25	58.25		
Insect Control		3,785.00				3,785.00	3,295.64	489.36	
Inspector of Animals		270.00				270.00	270.00		
Inspector of Slaughtering		60.00				60.00	60.00		
Sewerage Disposal Area		3,900.00				3,900.00			3,900.00
Mosquito Control									
Maintenance		400.00				400.00	400.00		
Greenhead Fly Control		500.00				500.00	500.00		

Highways:

General Highways		41,365.00				41,365.00	41,226.31	138.69	
Road Machinery, Operation, Equipment and Repairs		4,700.00		312.60		5,012.60	5,012.60		
Pick-up Truck	32.90					32.90		32.90+	
Chapter 90:									
Construction — 1963		18,000.00				18,000.00	4,526.25		13,473.75
Construction — 1962	278.65					278.65	275.40	3.25+	
Construction — 1961	9.62					9.62		9.62+	
Maintenance — 1963		6,000.00				6,000.00	6,000.00		
Maintenance — 1962	1,704.23					1,704.23	1,704.23		
Construction:									
Alden and Spruce Streets	4,092.60					4,092.60	2,325.48		1,767.12
Basler's Lane	374.40					374.40	49.00		325.40

	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Grove Street			9,464.38			9,464.38			9,464.38*
Hillcrest Road	1,378.30					1,378.30	1,299.50		78.80
Pearl Street		2,800.00				2,800.00	1,988.35		811.65
Pilgrim Street	410.66				15.08	425.74	396.30		29.44
Smelt Pond Road		4,100.00				4,100.00	3,291.15		808.85
Sunset Road		4,100.00				4,100.00	1,465.77		2,634.23
Washburn Avenue	2,805.30					2,805.30	1,487.74		1,317.56
Westerly Avenue		6,300.00				6,300.00	911.65		5,388.35
Reconstruction:									
Howland's Lane	4.80					4.80		4.80+	
Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks		1,500.00				1,500.00	1,500.00		
Shore Protection — Rocky Nook Avenue	1,829.06					1,829.06	433.49		1,395.57
Street Lighting		13,300.00				13,300.00	13,114.47	185.53	
Snow Removal		12,000.00		5,483.87		17,483.87	17,483.87		
Street, Direction and Danger Signs		200.00				200.00	172.39	27.61	
Guard Fences		200.00				200.00	196.95	3.05	
Land Damages:									
Grove Street, Decree #1194	125.50					125.50			125.50
Howland's Lane, Decree #1181	174.50					174.50			174.50
Lake Street, Decree #1161	76.00					76.00		76.00+	
Parting Ways, Decree #1148	74.00					74.00		74.00+	
Charities:									
Public Welfare:									
Administration		550.00				550.00	550.00		
General Relief		6,000.00		648.05		6,648.05	6,648.02	.03+	

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General Relief — Unpaid Bill — 1962		180.40				180.40	180.40		
Aid to Families with Dependent Children:									
Administration	670.46fg	1,000.00	3,897.71fg			5,568.17	3,953.32	14.16	1,600.69fg
Aid	6,898.26fg	6,000.00	5,550.00fg		93.15	18,541.41	13,910.60	103.10	4,527.71fg
Disability Assistance:									
Administration	201.75fg	1,000.00	974.25fg			2,176.00	2,056.15	4.09	115.76fg
Assistance	651.74fg	9,500.00	6,122.20fg			16,273.94	15,446.39	84.33	743.22fg
Old Age Assistance:									
Administration	300.38fg	3,000.00	3,248.13fg			6,548.51	5,518.96	398.95	630.60fg
Assistance	28,355.76fg	15,000.00	32,099.45fg		79.85	75,535.06	62,395.05	145.90	12,994.11fg
Medical Assistance for the Aged:									
Administration	162.91fg	2,000.00	2,255.21fg			4,418.12	3,882.84	170.52	364.76fg
Assistance	5,163.61fg	10,000.00	28,109.88fg		8.50	43,281.99	40,261.89		3,020.10fg
Veterans' Benefits:									
Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits		12,757.00			174.10	12,931.10	11,824.52	1,046.58	60.00
Schools and Library:									
Schools—Including Salaries, Maintenance and Ordinary Repairs		212,461.00				212,461.00	202,375.03	9,835.97	250.00
Public Law #81-874	7,853.71		3,607.00			11,460.71	1,495.37		9,965.34
Public Law #85-864	472.97		264.89			737.86	429.30		308.56
Razing Former High School	2,409.20					2,409.20		2,409.20+	
Vocational Education		200.00				200.00	66.40	133.60	
School Lunch Program	3,022.66	50.00	21,224.63			24,297.29	21,388.41	50.00	2,858.88
Elementary School Construc- tion, etc.	5,414.79					5,414.79			5,414.79
Elementary School Building Addition	21,262.62					21,262.62			21,262.62

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	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Silver Lake Regional School District	240,819.81					240,819.81	240,819.81		
Library	6,184.33		828.67			7,013.00	5,916.11	1,096.89	
Library—Unpaid Bill—1962		62.35				62.35	62.35		
Library—Construction, Equipment and Addition		1.00				1.00			1.00
Recreation:									
Playground:									
Maintenance		9,444.00				9,444.00	9,267.85	176.15	
Replacement of Heating and Hot Water Systems	2,267.85	98.75				2,366.60	2,366.60		
Guarantee Deposit	15.00					15.00	10.00		5.00
Parks:									
Parks		5,595.00				5,595.00	5,120.44	474.56	
Pensions:									
Retirement Fund		11,113.03				11,113.03	11,113.03		
County Retirement System — Employees	698.00		8,365.15			9,063.15	9,063.15		
Unclassified:									
Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days		1,000.00				1,000.00	948.98	51.02	
Preparing, Printing and Dis- tributing Town Reports		3,350.00				3,350.00	3,236.43	113.57	
Conservation Commission		50.00				50.00	16.70	33.30	
Town Forest Committee		50.00				50.00		50.00	
Zoning Committee	100.00					100.00	24.00		76.00
County Aid to Agriculture		100.00				100.00	100.00		
Waterfront Committee		729.00				729.00	679.86		49.14

Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund — Trustees' Expense		25.00				25.00	15.00	10.00	
Legal:									
Expenses and Other Contingencies		2,000.00		1,983.56		3,983.56	3,983.56		
Lawsuit — Rebecca and Robert A. Preston		2,500.00				2,500.00	2,500.00		
From Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund in Conjunction with Town Funds:									
Rehabilitating Old Burial Ground (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)		500.00				500.00	500.00		
Rehabilitating Old Burial Ground (Town Approp- riation)		500.00				500.00	500.00		
Improvement of Town For- est (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)		750.00				750.00	375.00		375.00
Improvement of Town For- est (Town Appropriation)		750.00				750.00	375.00		375.00
Municipal Radio Band (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	2,500.00					2,500.00	2,491.70		8.30
Municipal Radio Band (Town Appropriation)	2,500.00					2,500.00	2,491.70		8.30
Repairs to Former Grange Hall (Elizabeth B. Samp- son Fund)	1,394.60					1,394.60	247.65		1,146.95
Repairs to Former Grange Hall (Town Appropria- tion)	1,020.01					1,020.01			1,020.01
Library Renovations (Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund)	2,371.75					2,371.75	281.25		2,090.50

	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Library Renovations (Town Appropriation)	4,706.25					4,706.25	843.75		3,862.50
From Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund:									
Equipment for F. C. Adams Library		5,000.00				5,000.00			5,000.00
Public Address System — Reed Community Building		500.00				500.00			500.00
Park Commission Plans Ad- joining Former Railroad Property		1,000.00				1,000.00			1,000.00
Reserve Fund		10,000.00				10,000.00	9,990.37	9.63 +	
Withholding Taxes (Federal)	4,058.63		44,006.26			48,064.89	47,164.69		900.20
Withholding Taxes (State)	901.41		3,729.43			4,630.84	4,630.84		
Enterprises:									
Water:									
Maintenance		32,573.00			3.76	32,576.76	32,442.53	134.23	
New Truck	1.85					1.85		1.85 +	
Additional Wells	623.87					623.87			623.87
Gravel Packed Well		9,000.00	20,500.00			29,500.00			29,500.00
Equipment	5.82	500.00				505.82	188.45		317.37
Replacement and Extension of the Water System	34.29	3,000.00				3,034.29	2,677.94		356.35
Survey of Property Adjacent to South Street Wells	180.50					180.50			180.50
South Street Takings	2,063.10					2,063.10	2,028.00		35.10
Acquiring Land Off Elm Street	10,200.00					10,200.00	2,155.00		8,045.00
Replacement of Main on Howland's Lane	4,144.47					4,144.47			4,144.47

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Replacement of Main on River Street	3,093.53					3,093.53		3,093.53	
Water Mains:									
Braunecker Avenue	1,297.06					1,297.06		1,297.06	
Jones River Drive	3,500.00					3,500.00			3,500.00
School and Chapel Streets	11.88	6,000.00				6,011.88	4,587.57		1,424.31
Washburn Avenue	806.16					806.16			806.16
Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	442.34	250.00				692.34	51.88		640.46
Fish Committee		500.00				500.00	221.95	278.05	
Interest and Maturing Debt:									
Interest:									
Elementary School		720.00				720.00	720.00		
Elementary School Addition		4,675.00				4,675.00	4,675.00		
Public Service:									
Water Improvement		900.00				900.00	900.00		
Howland's Lane		168.75				168.75	168.75		
Interest in Anticipation of Revenue		357.78				357.78	357.78		
Municipal Indebtedness:									
Maturing Debt		69,000.00				69,000.00	69,000.00		
In Anticipation of Revenue			100,000.00			100,000.00	100,000.00		
Income from Trust Funds:									
William H. Willis Charity	2,533.13		308.05			2,841.18			2,841.18
Thomas Prince Benevolent	581.02		3,500.00			4,081.02	3,272.14		808.88
Arthur F. Wadsworth Welfare	76.72					76.72			76.72
Madella E. Witherell			4.00			4.00	4.00		
School Funds:									
Lectures	687.56		357.22			1,044.78	225.00		819.78
Books	360.91		41.41			402.32			402.32
Cash Prizes	271.47		41.41			312.88			312.88

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	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Refunds	Total Available	Amount Expended	Closed to Revenue, etc.	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Lucy P. Ames Cemetery	829.87	.....	803.78	.....	.....	1,633.65	793.00	.....	840.65
Elizabeth B. Sampson Memo- rial Fund (Bond)	.....	.....	300.00	.....	.....	300.00	300.00	.....	.....
Elizabeth B. Sampson Memo- rial Fund:									
Principal	179,748.48	.....	4,375.06	.....	.....	184,123.54	.....	.....	184,123.54
Income	17,679.53	.....	11,304.74	.....	.....	28,984.27	4,195.60	.....	24,788.67
Assessments:									
County Tax	1,894.79cr	34,799.55	.....	.....	.....	36,694.34	31,779.61	1,894.79	3,019.94cr
State Parks and Reservations	249.01cr	2,565.79	.....	.....	.....	2,814.80	2,881.90	249.01	316.11dr
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	.....	135.14	.....	.....	.....	135.14	135.14	.....	.....
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance	.....	11,533.91	.....	.....	.....	11,533.91	11,533.91	.....	.....
Plymouth County Mosquito Control	54.54dr	2,929.39	.....	.....	.....	2,983.93	2,805.06	54.54	124.33cr

* —Proceeds Chapter 782, Acts of 1962

+ —Surplus Revenue

fg —Federal Grant

cr —Credit Balance

dr —Debit Balance

Closed:

Sundry Appropriations to Revenue \$25,607.81

Estimated Receipts to Revenue 18,825.75

Revenue to Excess and Deficiency 44,433.56

DEBT STATEMENT

Name of Loan	Issued	Amount	Rate	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1963	Paid	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1963	Due 1964
Water—Improvement of System	June 1, 1955	\$200,000.00	1.80%	\$60,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$40,000.00	\$20,000.00
Water—Howland's Lane	May 1, 1961	15,000.00	2.25%	10,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Water—Gravel Packed Well—1963	Dec. 2, 1963	20,500.00	1.55%	20,500.00	None	20,500.00	4,500.00
Elementary School Construction	Oct. 1, 1949	380,000.00	1.50%	48,000.00	24,000.00	24,000.00	24,000.00
Elementary School Addition	Aug. 1, 1958	260,000.00	2.75%	170,000.00	20,000.00	150,000.00	15,000.00

TOWN OF KINGSTON
BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1963
GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities	
Cash	\$332,374.49	Employees' Payroll Deductions:	
Accounts Receivable:		Federal Taxes	\$900.20
Taxes:		Group Life and Medical	
Levy of 1963:		Coverage	146.56
Personal Property	\$4,083.28		
Real Estate	30,315.91		\$1,046.76
	34,399.19	Payment in Advance:	
Taxes in Litigation	260.40	Water Rates and Charges	4.50
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise:		Guarantee Deposits:	
Levy of 1963	\$15,187.32	Appeal Board	\$5.00
Levy of 1962	62.43	Planning Board	10.00
	15,249.75	Playground Commission	5.00
Water Revenue	4.50		20.00
Tax Titles and Possessions:		Agency:	
Tax Titles	\$1,199.18	County:	
Tax Possessions	661.09	Dog Licenses	\$7.00
	1,860.27	Sale of Dog	3.00
Departmental:		Excess — Sale of Lands of Low	
Selectmen	\$5.00	Value	170.01
Police	15.00		180.01
		Tailings — Unclaimed Checks	235.20

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Aid to Families with Dependent Children	1,030.97	Trust Fund Income:	
Veterans' Services	1,644.72	William H. Willis Charity	\$2,841.18
	2,695.69	Thomas Prince Benevolent	808.88
Aid to Highways:		Arthur F. Wadsworth Welfare	76.72
State	\$9,000.00	Schools:	
County	4,500.00	Lectures	819.78
	13,500.00	Books	402.32
Transfer of Income Authorized From Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund	10,120.75	Cash Prizes	312.88
Underestimate:		Lucy P. Ames Cemetery	840.65
State Parks and Reservations	316.11		6,102.41
		Recoveries:	
		Disability Assistance	\$265.27
		Old Age Assistance	2,355.35
			2,620.62
		Federal Grants:	
		Disability Assistance:	
		Administration	\$115.76
		Assistance	743.22
		Aid to Families with Dependent Children:	
		Administration	1,600.69
		Aid	4,527.71
		Old Age Assistance:	
		Administration	630.60
		Assistance	12,994.11

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Medical Assistance for the Aged:		
Administration	364.76	
Assistance	3,020.10	
School:		
Public Law #85-864	308.56	
Public Law #81-874	9,965.34	
		34,270.85
School Lunch Revolving Fund		2,858.88
Appropriation Balances:		
Tax Title Foreclosures	\$80.11	
Police — Maintenance	8.75	
Propagation of Shellfish	917.11	
Fire:		
Purchase of Fire Truck	5.35	
Civil Defense	2,734.39	
Sewage Disposal Area	3,900.00	
Highways:		
Chapter 90 Construction —		
1963	13,473.75	
New Construction:		
Alden and Spruce Streets	1,767.12	
Basler's Lane	325.40	
Grove Street	9,464.38	
Hillcrest Road	78.80	
Pearl Street	811.65	
Pilgrim Street	29.44	
Smelt Pond Road	808.85	
Sunset Road	2,634.23	
Washburn Avenue	1,317.56	
Westerly Avenue	5,388.35	
Shore Protection — Rocky Nook		
Avenue	1,395.57	
Land Damage:		
Grove Street, Decree #1194 ..	125.50	
Howland's Lane, Decree #1181	174.50	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Benefits ...	60.00	
Schools:		
Schools — Salaries, Main., etc.	250.00	
Elementary School Construction,		
etc.	5,414.79	
Elementary School Addition ..	21,262.62	
Library:		
Construction, Equipment and		
Addition	1.00	
Zoning Committee	76.00	
Waterfront Committee	49.14	
Expenditures Authorized from		
Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund:		
Improvement of Town		
Forest	375.00	
Municipal Radio Band	8.30	
Repairs to Former Grange		
Hall	1,146.95	

Improvement, Repairs, etc. to Frederic C. Adams Library	2,090.50
Equipment for Frederic C. Adams Library	5,000.00
Public Address System in Reed Community Building	500.00
Park Commission Plans Adjacent to Former Railroad Station	1,000.00
Improvement of Town Forest (Town)	375.00
Municipal Radio Band (Town)	2.30
Repairs to Former Grange Hall (Town)	1,020.01
Improvement, Repairs, etc., to Frederic C. Adams Library (Town)	3,862.50
Water:	
Additional Wells	623.87
Gravel-Packed Well	29,500.00
Equipment	317.37
Replacement and Extension of the Water System	356.35
Survey of Property Adjacent to South Street Wells	180.50
South Street Takings	35.10
Acquiring Land off Elm Street	8,045.00
Replacement of Main on Howland's Lane	4,144.47
Water Main on School and Chapel Streets	1,424.31

Water Main on Washburn Avenue	806.16
Water Main on Jones River Drive	3,500.00
Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	640.46
	<hr/> 137,514.51

Receipts Reserved for Appropriation:	
Sale of Real Estate Fund	\$2,000.00
Road Machinery Fund	1,553.83
Reserve Fund — Overlay Surplus	13,416.42
	<hr/> 16,970.25

Overlay Reserved for Abatements:	
Levy of 1963	10,277.04

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	
Motor Vehicle Excise	\$15,249.75
Tax Titles	1,199.18
Tax Possessions	661.09
Departmental	2,695.69
Aid to Highways	13,500.00
	<hr/> 33,305.71

Overestimates:	
County Tax	\$3,019.94
Plymouth County Mosquito Control	124.33
	<hr/> 3,144.27

Surplus Revenue (E. & D.)	162,230.14
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410,781.15

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DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:

Inside Debt Limit:

General \$63,000.00

Outside Debt Limit:

General \$111,000.00

Enterprises 65,500.00

176,500.00

\$239,500.00

Serial Loans:

Inside Debt Limit:

School \$63,000.00

Outside Debt Limit:

School \$111,000.00

Water 65,500.00

176,500.00

\$239,500.00

TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds:

Cash and Securities:

In Custody of:

Town Treasurer \$100,470.40

Ichabod Washburn Trustees.. 10,967.36

Library Trustees 33,097.48

Elizabeth B. Sampson

Memorial Trustees 208,912.21

\$353,447.45

In Custody of Town Treasurer:

Welfare and Benevolent Funds:

William H. Willis \$16,765.79

Thomas Prince 38,142.63

Arthur F. Wadsworth 4,695.37

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 834.81

Flag Fund 111.85

Educational Fund 1,820.59

Cemetery Funds:

Lucy P. Ames 20,000.00

St. Joseph Perpetual Care 92.79

Evergreen Perpetual Care 122.45

Investment Funds:

Municipal Buildings Insurance 5,324.24

Workmens' Compensation

Insurance 1,001.37

Post-War Rehabilitation 558.51

\$100,470.40

In Custody of Trustees:

Ichabod Washburn Benevolent Fund 10,967.36

Library Funds:

Frederic C. Adams \$23,430.38

Rosa A. Cole 5,293.72

Annie C. Thomas 1,399.59

Byron C. Quinby 683.84

Elizabeth B. Sampson 2,289.95

33,097.48

Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund:

Principal \$184,123.54

Income 24,788.67

208,912.21

\$353,447.45

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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
1963

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mr. John H. Durgin, Jr., *Chairman* . . . Term Expires 1965
Mrs. Edith S. Cobb, *Secretary* . . . Term Expires 1964
Mr. Robert R. Barbieri . . . Term Expires 1966
Mrs. Liliias F. Cingolani . . . Term Expires 1966
Mr. Lawrence B. Westgate . . . Term Expires 1965
Mr. Orfeo H. Sgarzi . . . Resigned June, 1963

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 (through July)

Francis M. Moran (from August)

Office Telephone JUstice 5-2333 Home Telephone JUstice 5-4563

CLERK

Mrs. Mildred M. Ford

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Winter Term . . . January 6 to February 21, 1964
Second Winter Term . . . March 2 to April 17, 1964
Spring Term . . . April 27 to June 19, 1964
Fall Term . . . September 9 to December 23, 1964

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

"NO SCHOOL" announcements will be given by radio on stations WBZ, WBET, and WPLM, between 6:00 and 8:00 a.m. In addition, the fire alarm signals will indicate no-school as follows:

6:30 a.m., no-school all schools, including high school.

7:00 a.m., no-school elementary only.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The twelve months of 1963 were as eventful as any within memory. It was a period which saw two seats changed on the committee and the coming of a new superintendent as well. Yet, because of procedures previously established and tested, these personnel changes were effected with a minimum of difficulty.

In March, with the expiration of his term of office as a school committeeman, Howard B. MacFarlane declined to seek re-election. Mr. MacFarlane had served with this committee since 1952. In addition, he was a member of the Elementary School Survey Committee, Finance Officer of the Elementary School Building Committee and had completed three years as a member of the Silver Lake Regional School Committee.

Then in June, Orfeo H. Sgarzi announced his resignation as a member of the school committee. Mr. Sgarzi served a year as early as 1945 and was elected again in 1953, continuing service to the present, including six years as chairman. Collateral duties included membership on the Regional School Study Committee followed by three years as a member of the Silver Lake Regional High School Committee as well as service with the Elementary School Building Committee.

Both of these men deserve the thanks of their fellow townspeople for the long periods of public good they so generously made possible. Kingston is all the stronger for the competent work they both did over the years.

Superintendent Chester T. Ray notified us early of his intention to resign in July. Mr. Ray ably filled his post for fourteen years. He was a mobilizer of competence, in that with other good men and women on committees and school staffs there was a virtual rebuilding of the school plant and an updating of curriculum. His influence will be with us for many years to come.

We immediately joined with the other school committees involved and carried out an extensive search for a successor. Of several dozen very excellent applications ranging in some cases hundreds of miles away, eight were considered superior and these individuals were interviewed at considerable length. It was then the consensus in each of the four towns deliberating

that the only person within our system to have offered himself as a candidate for the position was indeed the best qualified to advance to it. Therefore, Mr. Francis M. Moran, formerly Assistant Superintendent, was elected Superintendent and commenced his new duties in August.

During the year, we named recipients of three sizeable sums of money, two under the Sewall Allen Faunce Scholarship in amounts of \$766.64 each and one of \$210.16 as the Sarah H. and Thomas O. Jackson Scholarship.

Committee members, in addition to local and regional obligations, were in attendance at the Massachusetts Association of School Committees' conference at Chicopee and at an education seminar arranged by the Governor at Boston College.

Two significant legal aspects of school operation came into being in 1963. One was the so-called Conflict of Interest Statute, the other a decision by the U.S. Supreme Court as a result of which the Lord's Prayer may not be recited nor may there be a reading of the Bible for devotional or religious purposes in the public schools.

We continue to regard our professional teaching staff as a select group, carefully applying as they do well-tested teaching methods and, yet, putting new, promising concepts into use as well. Support personnel in the administrative, cafeteria, custodial, health, and transportation groups are likewise alert to make it an altogether successful school operation.

The building is now, of course, receiving scheduled maintenance for its effective continued use for many years hence. The Town's investment stands near the three-quarter million dollar mark and the design, by its very nature, holds repair and replacement problems at a minimum. However, there is upkeep nonetheless, and it is our policy to keep the building at a high state of readiness.

Pupil load continues to climb. The school has a 600 student capacity and we are now enrolled to the 86 per cent level compared with 81 per cent last year and 77 per cent the year before that. We are keeping a good eye on these figures and may, in another year or two, be recommending a course of action.

This is an uncommonly long report — but for us it has been an uncommonly long year. However, the duty of our youngsters is to become educated; ours is simply to help them in this objective.

Respectfully submitted,

MR. JOHN H. DURGIN, JR., *Chairman*

MRS. EDITH COBB, *Secretary*

MR. ROBERT R. BARBIERI

MRS. LILIAS F. CINGOLANI

MR. LAWRENCE B. WESTGATE

Kingston School Committee

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS — 1963

The close of the year 1963 shows almost unprecedented activity in practically all of our district communities as building study committees are reporting or building study committees are being recommended at the March town meetings. The population wave has reached our South Shore towns bringing with it the need for expanded facilities of all types but most immediately effected are our schools. Children can't wait for schools to be built. They arrive unannounced and expect to be served and, needless to say, they are served, though sometimes at the expense of good school program. In every town but one the first order of business is studying the need, or planning the building, of additional school facilities.

In October the Study Committee for Future Needs of Silver Lake Regional High School made its report to the Regional School Committee recommending the building of a total junior high school facility — now — not piecemeal. Such a report took courage and strong conviction in the light of the impact such a recommendation would have on our communities. Try as they might, they were unable to deny the existence now, and in the next six years, of pupils in sufficient numbers to make this the only reasonable recommendation that could be made. Later in this report you will read of Mr. Silvester's concern with the quality of program that will be able to be offered in this interim

period before any new building can be provided. Silver Lake is already beyond capacity. Next year plans call for reopening the Maple Avenue School in Kingston for at least three rooms for the junior high. Enrollment figures show that these arrangements will do nothing more than absorb the expected increases next September and offer no relief to the following year or to the high school program which must absorb at least 75 more pupils in the same space that was available this year.

An even more critical consideration which should be developed at this time is the junior high school as a needed separate facility — apart from the high school. The six-year high school concept has been outmoded at Silver Lake for the past four years. As a result grades 7 and 8 have felt the population squeeze much more intimately than the high school grades. Class size, pupil services, extra-curricula activities — all have suffered as our numbers increased. Providing complete junior high school facilities at this time is the only way the true junior high school program will be restored.

Before leaving the Silver Lake aspect of our school district I would urge serious consideration of that part of the Study Committee's recommendations which called for expansion of vocational facilities. More, rather than less, of this type of education needs to be provided if our pupils are to be properly served. Forty to fifty per cent of our graduates go directly from high school to work. Less than 15 per cent of these are prepared vocationally in our present high school program for the world of work.

The regional school district high school should be the culmination of the educational experience which our youngsters are receiving in the elementary schools of our school union. Population problems, subject programs, supervisory programs — all are telescoped toward the central secondary school. The co-ordination of these problems, programs, and services is the concern of all local committees and the Superintendent. Provisions have been made in next year's budget for the expansion of these co-ordinating services toward the end that our four towns and district can function as one community. The areas in which our four towns are now functioning as one are music, art, physical education, penmanship, mental health, and speech therapy —

all made possible by sharing specialist services. But the problems of these supervisors are the same as those of the principals. How can we spread our services over so many children without increasing staff numbers? In the past year some advances have been made in staff provision, namely in music, art, and physical education, but much more needs to be done if we are to keep our elementary program in proper balance.

In line with recommendations made by a curriculum revisions committee, provision has been also made in next year's budget for remedial assistance in each of the elementary schools. Some have had this assistance but next year should see all schools making use of such services.

Our special education classes moved to Pembroke this year to be more geographically centered with the pupils being served. Special education in our union is becoming more of a problem as our total population increases. Statistics show that three per cent of our pupils will need such special training. Such a figure would more than double our present enrollment and this should give us concern as we plan our expanded elementary and secondary classroom facilities.

Much interest has been shown this fall in a request for central facilities for the Superintendent and staff. Located at Silver Lake such an office could better serve the needs of all our towns and the district. I am most appreciative of the interest and support given this project and hope that next year will see its fruition.

I am indebted to the various principals and supervisors whose reports, whole or in part, make up the balance of this report.

HIGH SCHOOL

Arthur P. Silvester, *Principal*

Because of our rapidly expanding student population we should review this year the implications of this increased enrollment upon the academic program. Further, we must consider the impact of this increased enrollment upon the educational program as we operate within the confines of a given amount of space. We have now reached a point of size in enrollment where

the character of the academic program is being increasingly shaped and determined by the limitations of space. The uninitiated patron of the school may be quick to point out that it was only in September 1962 we moved into a new fourteen room addition to the school plant. This addition contains ten conventional classrooms and four specialized rooms including a shop area. What may be forgotten is the fact that in acquiring these fourteen rooms we surrendered nine rooms—eight of which were located in Kingston. Thus the net gain of rooms acquired in September 1962 amounted to five units. Our October 1st enrollment in 1961 was 1214 pupils. Today it is 1424 individuals. In effect during the past two years while we have added 210 pupils we have had the leeway afforded us by only five rooms. The immediate consequence of this has been a marked increase in class size in grades seven and eight. The theoretical average class size in the junior high school is thirty-five students, but some sections are as large as forty students while a few would average out with less pupils. These differences in size are due to the efforts of the administration and guidance department to place students in homogeneous groups so as to facilitate the learning process.

Senior high school enrollment in September 1961 was 767 pupils. On October 1st of this year it was 893 pupils. Next year it is conservatively estimated to be 970 pupils. The senior high school currently has the same number of rooms as it had last year. No more space will be available for senior high use this coming year. This means that all classes will be larger and some rooms will be utilized beyond the capacity for which they were intended. Specifically, biology, general chemistry, and general science are already being taught under conditions which are educationally far from ideal. College biology sections are too large for the work stations available. Students in general biology have no opportunity, because of a lack of facilities, to conduct individual laboratory work which is so important in any science on the secondary level. We need a third room for typing classes, not only to relieve the crowded conditions that exist in our present two rooms, but also to afford to general course students the opportunity of electing a most practical and useful subject. The cafeteria is in use all day either as a study hall or as an eating area. Where the two functions tend to coincide in

time its educational value as a constructive study area drops off sharply. For some three years the state supervisor for special class instruction has criticized the inadequate space available for this group of students. This class enrollment already exceeds the number allowed by the Commonwealth.

This year for the first time we introduced a core program into grade nine. It represents a program within a program or a school within a school. Specifically, it is intended to help bring self-confidence to fifty students in the general course on the ninth grade level.

Those students participating in the program are divided into two groups which have no qualitative difference. The teachers involved in the program include a co-ordinator (four periods) and three instructors (at three periods each). The daily schedule of these teachers provides for a common period when all four teachers are available for co-ordinated planning. The techniques of instruction are flexible and incorporate imaginative planning and implementation. The technical jargon for such procedure is team teaching. Besides the use of conventional classrooms and laboratories such facilities as the auditorium and the lecture hall are also being utilized. All students involved in the program participate in physical education. Art and music are available as electives. Some students are participants in vocational agriculture and homemaking. The program does not involve the extravagant use of space or personnel. It represents an honest attempt to improve and refine our instruction for a particular group of needy students.

There is need to continue this program next year as well as to advance the present group into the tenth grade. The problem of scheduling the space for the core in grade ten, so as to make the program viable, cannot be guaranteed at this time. Currently the extent of space utilization in the senior high school is ninety-six per cent—in the junior high school ninety-two per cent. Management engineers with whom the problem has been discussed indicate that the electronic wizardry of the digital computer cannot wring any higher efficiency or utilization from our daily schedule.

For three years Silver Lake has been adhering to the policy of the travelling teacher. With a six-period school day in the

senior high and teaching assignments varying from three to five periods this means that the particular classroom must be used by another teacher in order to achieve complete utilization of space. Sometimes even a third teacher may use a particular classroom during any given school day. The fact that a given teacher may only have three or four instructional periods would be due to the character of the position. Such teachers would be heads of departments or exercise some other dual role in the organization. Such teachers are also assigned to supervise study halls in addition to their teaching assignments. This same practice has been in use in the junior high school where a seven-period day is operative.

However, the significant aspect of the policy of the travelling teacher is that it is not in the best educational interests of the school. Where several teachers share the responsibility for a particular room there is an absence of concern for the welfare of that room. Frankly, the room is not only subjected to greater usage, but there is less personal pride on the part of any teacher in that room since it is not his alone. Also, the travelling teacher generally has no home station, only a file drawer in the teacher's room. Certainly this is not conducive to good organization of teaching materials. Further, some social studies classes must be scheduled in rooms used for English. Economically it would be unwise to furnish wall maps for all these rooms that must be used for such instruction. Yet it is impossible not to engage in this policy of usage since there are not enough rooms available within the school to assign a block of an indefinite number exclusively for the purpose of teaching social studies. It is impossible to calculate the extent of the detrimental effects of this policy, but suffice it to say that the school plant suffers and the instruction offered by those teachers who travel is not as effective as it might be if they had a home station. And finally, and most important, the students are the innocent victims of a poor procedure born of a need to solve a problem caused by the inadequacies of space.

It would be an oversight not to include some mention of our personnel problems. In the academic high school our full complement of professional staff includes seventy-eight persons. In the past twelve months we have had seventeen teacher resignations. There are also seven new teaching positions that did not

exist at this time last year. We have twenty-three new faces on our staff. This constitutes approximately thirty per cent of our total faculty. An educational institution cannot hope to remain effective if this disastrous rate of turnover were to continue into the future. Regardless of the extent of administrative effort toward teacher orientation it is a slow and costly process and tragic mistakes have been made in the area of human relations as new staff members learn school procedures and philosophy through the hard road of experience.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Ralph H. Binns, *Acting Director*

The year 1963 saw the vocational school once again operating at (or slightly above) its legal capacity -- all departments being at or above the maximum membership. The total enrollment on December 1, 1963 of 134 is the greatest the school has ever had. The Agriculture Department's enrollment of 32 includes the first girl in the nine year history of vocational training at Silver Lake. Lack of space and of teaching personnel prevents the larger enrollment which spring placement requests with the Guidance Department indicate would occur. Nearly as many students must be refused admittance each year as are accepted.

Agriculture — The Agriculture Department has in the past few years given increasing attention to the offering of more diverse courses which are non-farm based, recognizing more and more, that its placement has been in allied agricultural areas, not centered on the farm. 1963 sees this broadening of course offerings continued.

Automotive — This department with a membership of 33 also operates at maximum enrollment level and can boast a shop productivity of close to \$14,000 at commercial standards. The automotive course in the past year has been expanded to include automatic transmissions, power steering and brakes and has added a unit in welding as applied to the operation of an auto shop. The instructional method in the classroom is being modified in keeping with changes in shop instruction.

Carpentry — With 34 students, the Carpentry Department has the largest Trade and Industrial enrollment. It has in the

year 1963 completed a major renovation job, converting a former barn into a most modern 4-bedroom home, and in the fall of the year started on a three bedroom tri-level house, the plans for which were, for the most part, developed in the classroom. Close co-ordination of classroom study of work to occur on the job away from school has continued to be satisfactory to all concerned.

Homemaking — With an enrollment of 35 girls, our vocational Homemaking Department continues to offer further training in the home arts field as observed and screened from the junior high school program. Considerably more ninth grade girls requested admission in the fall than could be accommodated. A few of these were placed in the tenth grade group.

The vocational school must expand in areas other than those now offered if we are as a community to fulfill our obligations to our youth of "education for all." Though our total high school enrollment has increased nearly 600 in 9 years, our vocational enrollment is approximately the same and the department offerings are exactly the same. We have as yet made no contributions to modern industrial and technical job demands. We reach far too few girls with far too little concrete vocational training.

Much thought of the staff and administration of this school has been turned upon this problem. Several possible solutions have been examined. It is the hope of all the vocational staff that 1964 will see this community much nearer a needed vocational school expansion than has 1963.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Esther DiMarzio, *Principal*

When Sputnik was launched a few years ago, there was great concern about the science programs. Teaching methods were improved in this subject and all kinds of audio-visual material, as well as new textbooks, were purchased. Elementary teachers took a science course at Silver Lake sponsored by Boston University.

Now the emphasis is being placed on arithmetic and once again elementary teachers are taking a course, this time in modern mathematics. Gradually this new form of arithmetic

is being introduced into the curriculum, not with the idea of discarding the old math entirely, but using the modern approach where it will promote better understanding and when it will enrich the pupils' background.

A school administrator's chief duty is to provide a balanced curriculum to meet the present needs of the pupils and to help them to meet the problems they will encounter in life.

Some of the modern curriculum and instructional practices that have been introduced in the Kingston Elementary School in the past few years have been educational television, the foreign language program via TV, interclass grouping, departmental work in grade six with grades arranged heterogeneously in the classroom and homogeneously in subject matter and, to a minor degree, individualized reading instruction and team teaching.

There is a strong and growing trend to place more emphasis on the social studies curriculum in order to develop an understanding of other people and cultures of the world.

But, needless to say, never at any time can the "3 R's" be neglected. Modern education makes them more important than ever.

A prime responsibility is to relate the school to the community. In order to make it possible for parents to be aware of what is going on, bulletins are sent home giving them needed information. Each classroom is responsible for one assembly during the year. Most often this program is a culminating activity correlated with reading, English, social studies or science. Parents and pupils of other grades are invited to be members of the audience.

Last year, the whole school participated in a literature fair entitled "Folklore of the World." The purpose of this activity was to develop a love for reading and an appreciation of the customs, myths, and legends of the world. There is great value for all in the printed word and when it is combined with all kinds of research there is an impact of knowledge which cannot be surpassed.

The sixth grade final assembly followed the theme set forth in the literature fair by presenting folk songs, historical facts and customs of the world.

Also, during the year, there was a demonstration of physical education activities, a concert of vocal music in which every child in school participated and a concert of instrumental music. Special programs were presented at Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Something new was tried during American Education Week that proved to be quite successful. School was closed at 12:45 on a specified day and parents came by appointment during the afternoon and evening to confer with the teachers. Privacy was assured by this method and better understanding of how to help the pupils resulted.

This year patriotism and love of country are being stressed. This will be followed by an exhibit of all kinds of projects and activities carried on in connection with this theme.

Three students from the State College at Bridgewater have taken their senior training here. Miss Joan Santos and Miss Linda Estes taught in Mrs. Tuttle's third grade and Mrs. Shea's second grade during the fall period.

Mr. Edwin Borsari, who trained last spring in Mrs. Jenkins' fifth grade, is now teaching grade five in place of Mrs. Dorothy Barry who is on leave of absence. Mrs. Rosamond Field replaced Mrs. Bertha Tangen who left grade two to teach in the Virgin Islands. Mrs. Beatrice Adams is now teaching the third grade left vacant by Mrs. Anne Preston who now teaches in Hanson. Mrs. Alyce Boyle, a former Kingston teacher, returned to take Miss Mary Silva's fourth grade. Miss Silva was married and is now teaching in California.

Mrs. Claire Goodwin replaced Mrs. Roberta Timpany who became a part-time art supervisor in the elementary schools of this union. Mrs. Rita Cain filled the vacancy caused by the resignation of music supervisor Miss Barbara MacDonnell who left to return to school for further study.

The expansion of knowledge today makes it impossible for pupils to learn everything or for schools to teach everything. Therefore, it is necessary that the schools must focus their energies on the essential tasks. Quality teaching must make us flexible and adaptable, reading to investigate any promising new idea that comes to our attention and adapt every useful idea to

the school's needs. We must strive to find some combination of new and old practices that will be just right for our pupils.

Each teacher in the classroom is responsible for the progress a school makes. Much appreciation is given them for their patience, understanding, willingness to experiment and their ability to choose the method that works best for each child.

ART

Stanley N. Folsom, *Supervisor*

The Art Department is continuing to increase its effectiveness with the addition of a part-time teacher at the elementary level. With the elementary classrooms over the seventy mark for the region, it becomes apparent that soon the part-time position will have to become a full-time position if the children are going to receive the proper supervision.

The continued growth of the Art Department will insure your children receiving the creative activities that will help mold them into the fine, independent thinkers that our society needs. The art program helps your children form concepts, visualize them and express them at their own level. This is accomplished by giving them the freedom to choose the best answers to the specific problems created within the lesson structure, tempered by the materials involved. The children then employ the best method they know to arrive at a satisfying and highly personal answer.

The freedom to be independent while answering definite needs is most valuable since it prepares your children to be able to approach problems from many sides before arriving at their own solution. Not many areas in the curriculum allow your children to develop their personal symbols or answers to a problem. Yet, in later life, your more effective adults are called upon to do this in most situations. By being able to arrive at their own personal solution easily and adequately they make their lives successful, thereby achieving much in the art of living.

With your continued support, the Art Department can keep developing your children to assume their adult responsibilities more easily. It is hoped this training will make the future better for our young people.

MUSIC

Ralph B. Chouinard, *Supervisor*

This past year the Music Department added Mr. Charles H. Lincoln as an additional part-time teacher in the elementary schools to help with the expanding instrumental program. The remainder of his time is spent at Silver Lake Regional High School teaching junior high music. Mr. Lincoln holds a degree in Music Education from Boston University.

Mrs. Rita Cain of Duxbury replaced Miss Barbara MacDonnell who taught elementary vocal music. Mrs. Cain is a graduate of Boston University College of Music with a degree in Music Education.

The elementary vocal program has been strengthened with added stress placed on the aesthetic aspect of music and the establishment of a criteria in the first six grades. It may be necessary to add an additional part-time teacher in the elementary vocal program. This will be determined by the enrollment figures for the coming year 1964-65.

The elementary instrumental program continues to maintain its activity with the added co-ordination of combining the four towns at the end of the year in order to produce a joint concert.

The Silver Lake Regional High School had a joint concert and return concert with Apponequet Regional High School in Lakeville and also Middleboro High School. This year's combined joint concert will be played at Lebanon, New Hampshire, in March and in April at Silver Lake.

It is hoped that with additional help in the coming year a full rounded program of music education will be available to all students, both junior and senior high, in school and during school time.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Hardie W. Pierce, *Supervisor*

There are five objectives which we try to accomplish in the elementary schools as follows: 1. Improve skills, 2. Improve and motivate physical fitness, 3. Increase interests in activities, 4. Improve social grace, 5. To have fun.

Last spring a Physical Education Exhibition was held at the Kingston Elementary School. Last June, 500 fifth and sixth grade boys and girls participated in the Sixth Annual Field Day which took place at the high school field.

The elementary boys and girls of Plympton and Halifax are having Physical Education once a week this school year under the direction of a person trained in this field. Previously, they met every other week with the classroom teacher carrying on the program the alternate week. At last, we are all in step and heading in the right direction.

More activities could be taught and a better job could be done with the activities that are now being taught if there were more teaching time. Over the past nine years we have made steady progress within this area, but now we have gone as far as we can within the existing structure.

SPEECH THERAPY

Henry C. Britton, *Speech Therapist*

The number of children with a true speech defect seen through December 1 in the union has been 86. This does not indicate that there are only this number with a speech defect. If the past two years are a criterion, by June the number seen will approximate 150. This year this region has an unusually high percentage of children in the first grade with a speech defect. The reason for this is unknown. Referrals from the higher grades have not been encouraged this year. It is likely that a survey would indicate that about 7 per cent of the elementary school population has a speech defect.

Referrals will continue through the school year, several of these being children with a relatively severe speech defect. Until teachers are trained to recognize these defects the extended period for referrals will continue.

There is an ever present problem of which children to select for therapy. The tentative policy has been to concentrate upon those:

- most in need.
- most likely to profit from therapy, whether short or long-term.

c. whose parents are willing and able to assist with regular practice.

	Seen	Number Accepted for Therapy, Per State Limitation
Plympton	10	5
Halifax	20	7
Kingston	18	15
Pembroke	38	23
	—	—
TOTALS	86	50

With few exceptions, the speech therapy program has been on an individual basis. Since there are so many possible causes of a speech defect, there is the need for a correspondingly varied program of therapy. Therapists throughout the country are more and more turning to individual therapy as being the most efficient in terms of total pupil-load improvement.

THE JUDGE HARRY K. STONE CLINIC

Nicholas Vardak, *Psychologist*

The services of the Judge Stone Clinic are of two types: consultant service one-half day per month per town, and clinic service in Brockton for parents and their children. In the consultation service pupil problems are discussed with their teachers at the school. In the clinical service the parents and the child are assisted by the clinic staff in Brockton.

Summary of Services September, 1962 — June, 1963

	Consultation			Clinic Treatment	
	Teacher Interviews	Children Discussed	Cases Referred	Parents	Children
Halifax	64*	13	5	8	4
Kingston	63	16	9	17	9
Pembroke	67	17	12	20	10
Silver Lake	47	11	6	19	11
Plympton	4	4	2	3	1

(April-June 1963)

*This includes series of group meetings.

HEALTH

Dorothy L. Felt, School Nurse

The school health department continuously strives to understand the individual situations of students and help to overcome physical and emotional problems, defects or deficiencies that relate to the child's academic achievement.

Through daily observations, routine examinations, home visits, teacher conferences, and student instruction, we try to instill an understanding of good health habits that will serve as a guide for students long after their school days are behind them.

All of our examinations, instructions, and safety rules are geared to train the pupil in an awareness of his or her body, its functions, growth and development. We try to create a desire for personal hygiene, prevention of injuries, avoidance of abuse and a high degree of resistance to infection.

Through instruction, understanding, diet, exercise, and precaution, we engage in a constant struggle to produce a healthy, happy individual.

MEMBERSHIP — OCTOBER 1st

Grade	1963	1962	1961	1960	1959	1958	1957	1956	1955	1954	1953
1	102	90	83	94	73	85	77	69	83	80	100
2	88	83	89	72	80	72	71	84	78	97	75
3	81	88	68	77	76	78	78	83	97	73	68
4	87	70	77	74	73	75	75	97	74	67	78
5	76	83	75	69	74	81	99	66	64	76	63
6	83	74	68	76	75	102	66	58	80	68	59
7	76	74	72	71	100	70	55	76	69	64	52
8	77	83	70	100	67	61	80	66	64	52	53
9	79	80	95	68	68	69	64	67	57	49	48
10	77	89	64	50	61	59	53	46	45	49	47
11	84	61	49	56	54	45	44	35	41	42	30
12	59	42	52	54	42	40	31	42	35	28	30
PG	1		1					1	4		
sp	1	2	2	3			1	2	5		
Totals	971	919	865	864	843	837	794	792	796	745	703
Voc.	11	15	19	17	17	19	17	13	17		

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1963

Age

Grade	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
1	17	77	7	1												102
2		19	63	6												88
3			15	57	8	1										81
4				25	57	5										87
5					8	60	8									76
6						11	63	9								83
7							18	50	8							76
8								15	52	7	3					77
9									17	51	8	2	1			79
10										13	50	11	3			77
11											13	60	10	1		84
12												14	42	3		59
PG															1	1
sp								1								1
Totals	17	96	85	89	73	76	90	75	77	71	74	87	56	5		971
Voc.										3	3	4	1			11

CENSUS — OCTOBER 1, 1963

Boys Girls Totals

Persons 5 years of age and under 7 years	117	86	203
Persons 7 years of age and under 14 years	296	303	599
Persons 14 years of age and under 16 years	79	80	159

KINGSTON SCHOOL DEPARTMENT BUDGET ESTIMATES, EXPENDITURES AND REIMBURSEMENTS

	1963 Budget	1963 Expended	1961 Estimate
GENERAL CONTROL			
Superintendent Salary and Travel	\$2,500.00	\$2,089.97	\$2,450.00
Committee Expense	150.00	144.31	150.00
Clerks	2,500.00	1,972.50	3,000.00
Telephones	750.00	651.31	750.00
Superintendent Union Expense	800.00	929.51	2,050.00
School Census	225.00	200.00	225.00
Attendance	165.00	165.00	165.00
EXPENSE OF INSTRUCTION			
Teacher Salaries	114,654.00	111,599.73	126,300.00
Principals Expense	250.00	200.00	1,250.00
Supervisor Salaries	13,845.00	11,746.54	14,262.00
Books	2,500.00	2,360.44	2,500.00
Supplies	3,500.00	3,516.19	3,500.00
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE			
Janitor Wages	12,772.00	12,506.00	13,240.00
Janitor Supplies	900.00	695.24	900.00
Light and Gas	3,050.00	3,092.46	3,050.00
Fuel	3,850.00	3,735.11	3,850.00
Maintenance, Repairs, Replacements	9,850.00	8,363.70*	8,900.00
AUXILIARY AGENCIES			
Health	3,500.00	3,109.98	3,818.00
Transportation	36,000.00	35,091.56	37,330.00
Tuition	600.00	295.48	600.00
New Equipment			1,200.00
	\$212,461.00	\$202,375.03	\$229,490.00
		\$250.00*	
*Plus \$250 encumbered 1963 money			
SCHOOL OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL			\$125.00
SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM	\$50.00		\$50.00
VOCATIONAL EDUCATION	\$200.00	\$66.40	\$200.00

REGIONAL SCHOOL — See report following

REIMBURSEMENTS

	Claimed	Estimate
Mass. School Fund — Chapter 70	\$45,217.32	\$46,493.14
On account of Regional School	6,782.60	6,974.72
Special Class	2,035.90	900.00
Wards	352.60	350.00
Transportation	27,684.26	27,800.00
Vocational Education	31.20	31.00
Superintendent Union Expense	978.26	1,200.00
Total Reimbursements	\$83,082.14	\$83,753.86

STAFF

Elementary School

Esther DiMarzio, Principal

Margaret Chittenden	Grade 1
Alice M. Peck	Grade 1
Louise Raymond	Grade 1
Olga D. Anderson	Grade 2
Rosamond I. Field*	Grade 2
Edith G. Shea	Grade 2
Bertha Tangen**	Grade 2
Beatrice I. Adams*	Grade 3
Virginia P. Mercer	Grade 3
Betty L. Tuttle	Grade 3
Anne P. Preston**	Grade 3
Jean L. Blessington	Grade 4
Alyce G. Boyle*	Grade 4
Susan C. Goodwin*	Grade 4
Mary C. Silva**	Grade 4
Roberta A. Timpany**	Grade 4
Dorothy Barry** (on leave)	Grade 5
Edwin L. Borsari*	Grade 5
Margaret M. Jenkins	Grade 5
Anne J. Trim	Grade 5
Barbara B. Cain	Grade 6
Edwin Carruthers, Ass't. Principal	Grade 6
Phillip L. Rouvales	Grade 6

Supervisors and Special Teachers

Robert J. Andrews** (thru April)	Art
Stanley N. Folsom	Art
Roberta A. Timpany** (thru Dec.)	Art
Rita G. Cain*	Music
Ralph B. Chouinard	Music
Charles H. Lincoln*	Music
Barbara A. MacDonnell**	Music
Jean Nummi	Physical Education
Hardie W. Pierce	Physical Education
Olga F. Alfonso** (thru Dec., '62)	Special Education
Carol G. Lee** (thru Dec., '63)	Special Education

Helen R. Sousa* (from Dec.)	Special Education
Henry C. Britton	Speech Therapist
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

Arthur P. Silvester, Principal

Thomas C. Barham** (thru Sept.)	Assistant Principal
Arthur T. Hand* (from Oct.)	Assistant Principal
Barbara E. Cote	School Secretary
Carol Bersani	Guidance Secretary
Mary A. Post	Register Clerk
Donald D. Atwood	Science
Kathryn Bamber*	English
Gerald S. Barclay	Social Studies
Richard N. Bergeron*	Social Studies
Leonello J. Bertocchi	Industrial Arts
Ruth W. Bill** (thru Jan.)	Reading
Sylvia Bjornholm**	Mathematics
Patricia A. Brady	Science
Catherine P. Breen	Commercial
Alfred W. Bruneau**	Social Studies
Donald O. Burling*	Mathematics
Alexander W. Carnathan	Mathematics
Mary C. Cherry	Co-Chm. English Dept.
Anna E. Chiros	Commercial
Elinor Churchill	Dean of Girls, Commercial
Raymond E. Clarke*	Social Studies
William P. Clougherty	Science
Robert J. Coakley	Science
Rosanna L. Coleman* (from Feb.)	French
David F. Cronin	Dept. Chm. Commercial

Paul E. Curran	Special Class
Edward J. Daunheimer*	Science
Jean E. Daylor*	Mathematics
Carol Davis** (thru Oct.)	Physical Education
Helen A. DeGere**	Dept. Chm. French
Mildred Delapa	Latin
Phyllis A. Dennett	Science, Mathematics
Ronald N. Fallon	Mathematics
Maryhelen Feeley**	Bookkeeping
Robert Fittante*	Reading
David W. Gavigan*	Mathematics
Hildegard A. Gillis	Spanish
James E. Girouard	Boys' Physical Education
Patricia L. Goldmann	English
Arthur T. Hand** (thru Dec.)	Guidance Director
Olive M. Hasson	French
Clarence R. Heufelder	Dept. Chm. Science
Anna H. Hill	Co-Chm. English Dept.
Alfred Horn	Mathematics
Jane Johnston*	Art
Samuel M. Keith	English
Olive D. Lemerise	English
Elizabeth Longhi**	Girls' Physical Education
Elsie Lootz	Guidance Counselor
Daniel L. Lowe*	Social Studies
Waine MacAllister* (from Nov.)	Physical Education
Janice Margeson	English
William J. Markee	Science
A. Donald McAleer	Mechanical Drawing
John H. McCormick	English
Jean H. McCulloch	Science
Alice D. Merz** (thru Dec.)	Guidance Counselor
Ernest J. Miller	English
John Montosi	Boys' Physical Education
Lois Mulliken	English
Mary Ann Nappi	Librarian
Harriet A. Nathanson	Guidance Counselor
Emily Nickerson	Commercial
Helen O'Brien*	Science
Kathleen A. O'Donnell**	General Science
Marolyn A. Olson*	Jr. High Home Economics

Sara O'Neil*	English
Mary J. Packard	Social Studies
Edward F. Parks, Jr.	History
Genevieve Pratt	Household Arts
Donald H. Randall	Mathematics
John J. Rock	English
Marjorie L. Rounds	Dept. Chm. Mathematics
John P. Semple	Art
James F. Shaw**	Social Studies
Barbara Shefftz	English
Anthony F. Sirrico	Social Studies
John A. Smith, Jr.	English
Michael Spinelli*	Commercial
Maurice J. Splaine, Jr.	Social Studies
Beatrice K. Sprague	Reading
Daphna Stratton	Girls' Physical Education
Lynwood W. Sutcliffe**	Science, Mathematics
Charles Sweeney*	Social Studies
Anne L. Tulimieri	Social Studies
Robert A. Wade**	History
Wallace A. Weeks*	English
Winslow N. Weeks*	Dept. Chm. French
Henrietta E. Wheeler**	Home Economics
Louis F. Yager	French, Spanish

Vocational High School

Francis M. Moran** (thru Aug.)	Vocational Director
Ralph H. Binns* (from Sept.)	Acting Vocational Director
	Related Carpentry
Frances J. Woodworth	School Secretary
Dale A. Deam	Automotive Instructor
George E. Fraser	Agriculture
Olive D. Lemerise	English
Genevieve Pratt	Household Arts
Richard D. St. Onge	Carpentry
Richard J. Thomas	Automotive Instructor
Daniel L. Lowe*	Social Studies
Robert Wade**	Social Studies

Business Office

Jacqueline N. Deam

*From September 1963 **Thru June 1963

KINGSTON GRADUATES FROM SILVER LAKE

June 9, 1963

Paula Lee Alfieri	Joseph Jeffrey Hebert
Alma Anna Antonioti	Robert Frederick Hird
William Richard Arruda	Sandra June Joubert
Edward Leo Backus	Nancy Ann King
Nancy Jean Bartlett	Donna Louise Klimas
Mary Cheryl Benea	Charles Westcott Lantz
James Douglas Bill	Janet Marie Maloni
Vanessa Baker Bradford	Robert Leslie Merry
Richard John Buhl	Diane Marie Nava
Doris Deika Burgholzer	John Thomas Neal
Webster Burr Cain	Ann Elizabeth O'Brien
Janet Elizabeth Clark	Nancy Ann Peck
Flora Irene Cole	Dwight Elmer Pierce
Marianne Cote	Judith Mae Pope
Edmond Albert Dandeneau	Marsha Edith Randall
Cheryl Ann Davis	Linda Marie Ruprecht
Robert Stephen Ellis, Jr.	Peter Joseph Sgarzi
Karen Elaine Everson	Diane Elaine Sousa
Terry Sandra Field	Phillip James Tarantino
Darryl Edward Galletti	Rosalind Edith Tison
Diane Marie Garuti	Richard George Ward
Roxanne Lizbeth Gile	Barbara Kathleen Welch
Joann Frances Govoni	Phoebe Jan Woodward
James Charles Hayward	

ANNUAL REPORT

SILVER LAKE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

To the citizens of the Silver Lake Regional School District:

Last year we stressed the fact that we were operating at peak capacity and a Study Committee was appointed "To analyze and evaluate our space needs in order that no untimely delay will be encountered in providing the class rooms that will be required to house our rapidly increasing school enrollment."

The Study Committee filed a comprehensive report calling for the building of a total junior high school facility NOW. We are indebted to the men and women who served on the committee and who gave so unselfishly of their time and talents in the development of the report.

Your committee and school administrators unanimously accepted the report and recommendation.

We now take the next step in seeking your approval at town meeting of our article to provide funds to employ an architect to draft plans and specifications for your subsequent approval.

When our superintendent, Chester T. Ray, retired in June, we lost the service of a capable and dedicated educator and his contribution to our district will be long remembered.

The selection and appointment of Francis M. Moran, as our new superintendent, met with universal approval in the district. Mr. Moran has served the district as assistant superintendent and director of our vocational school. Chosen from a large field of highly qualified candidates, Mr. Moran commenced his new duties in August.

In order that you may have a better understanding of our progress and problems, we urge your careful study of the very complete and thorough reports of our school administrators.

We know, and we must remind our citizens, that some school needs cannot be postponed and that educational losses in one year cannot be regained.

Our sincere thanks to all for the splendid cooperation and understanding shown to us during the past year.

We believe this is the year and now is the time, to recall the words of our late beloved President John F. Kennedy, a champion of education throughout his Presidency, "The human mind is our fundamental resource."

Silver Lake Regional School District Committee

BRENDAN I. DALTON, *Chairman*

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, *Secretary*

ROBERT R. BARBIERI

LILIAS F. CINGOLANI

BENJAMIN CONANT

VIRGINIA M. CROSBY

FRANCIS C. DOWNING

HENRY D. HAMMOND, JR.

PRISCILLA R. HOLZWORTH

RALPH B. MENDALI

HENRY G. TRIMBLE

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, 1963, and the method by which the annual charges assessed each town for 1964 were computed.

GEORGE W. CUSHMAN, *Treasurer*

FRANCIS M. MORAN, *Accounting Officer*

RECEIPTS

General Revenue

Town of Halifax	\$118,252.01
Town of Kingston	240,819.81
Town of Pembroke	305,331.21
Town of Plympton	55,017.71
Total General Revenue	\$719,420.74

General Government

School Building Assistance:

Original School	\$41,308.38
Addition	24,867.20
	\$66,175.58
Income Tax	3,209.00

Tuition:

Town of Whitman	\$210.00
Town of Plymouth	350.00
Town of Duxbury	840.00
Town of Hanson	490.00
Town of Norwell	350.00
Town of Marshfield	350.00
Town of Carver	350.00
	2,940.00
Rentals of Building	220.00
Telephone Commissions	76.03
Sale of Books and Supplies	61.10

Blue Cross Dividends	1,023.00
Driver Training	3,140.00
Miscellaneous Dividends	5.12
Sale of Dental Chair	350.00
Lost Books and Supplies	237.60
Sale of Dryer	25.00
Sale of Ford Truck	10.00

Total General Government 77,472.43

Agency

Federal Withholding Taxes	\$77,724.42
State Withholding Taxes	6,389.95
County Retirement	3,507.43
Blue Cross-Blue Shield	7,349.49
Group Life Insurance	713.55

Total Agency 95,684.84

Revolving Funds

School Lunches:	
Daily Receipts	\$46,696.05
Commonwealth of Mass.	15,365.91
	\$62,061.96
Athletics:	
Games	\$9,058.95
Band	175.00
Petty Cash Returned	100.00
Miscellaneous:	
(Sale of towels, lockers, etc.)	885.58
	10,219.53
Vocational	2,430.91
Total Revolving Funds	74,712.40

Grants and Disbursements

Treasurer of the U.S. —	
Federal Funds No. 874	\$9,607.00
National Defense Education —	
Title No. 5	791.40

National Defense Education —	
Title No. 3	571.54
Smith-Hughes	516.00
George-Barden	4,925.00
Practical Nurses Course	11,692.00
Vocational Reimbursement —	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	31,904.35
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Total Grants and Reimbursements	60,007.29
Summer School	410.00
Adult Education	241.00

Refunds

Vocational	\$9.15	
Insurance	501.01	
	<hr/>	510.16

Deposits

Locker Key Deposit Fund	419.27
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	100,000.00
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TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$1,128,878.13
CASH, January 1, 1963	90,455.64
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	\$1,219,333.77

PAYMENTS

General Government

General Control:

Superintendent:

Salary	\$4,926.88	
Travel	256.65	
	<hr/>	\$5,183.53

Assistant Superintendent
and Accounting Officer:

Salary	\$2,659.66	
Travel	128.26	
	<hr/>	2,787.92

School Committee Expense:

Printing	\$79.60	
Supples	16.50	
Conventions	69.00	
Advertising	86.68	
Interviewing Applicants for Superintendent	65.46	
Clerk	46.20	
Association Dues	75.00	
Medical	5.00	
	<hr/>	443.44

Secretary and Treasurer:

Salary	\$2,199.98	
Supplies	30.78	
Postage	270.30	
Certifying Notes	4.00	
Clerical	248.70	
Printing	220.93	
Binding Books	49.50	
Repairs to Equipment	9.00	
	<hr/>	3,033.24

Superintendent's Office Expense:

Association Dues	\$37.50	
Telephone	155.42	
Printing	65.00	
Supplies	17.89	
	<hr/>	275.81

Clerks:

Superintendent's Clerk	\$1,000.00	
Clerk's Business Office	3,697.67	
Clerical	732.47	
	<hr/>	5,430.14

Total General Control

\$17,154.08

Expense for Instruction:

Principal, Asst. Principal		
Teachers, Substitute Teachers,		
Coaches		\$416,755.86

Principal Expense:

Clerks	\$10,237.77	
Teachers' Seminars, Travel, Supplies and Printing, Conventions and Association Dues	986.08	
Supervisors' Salaries		11,223.85
Books		10,400.36
Supplies — General		8,515.82
Supplies — Laboratory, Driver Training, Home Economics and Industrial Arts		13,278.98
Supplies — Athletic and Physical Education		7,225.41
		4,979.86
Total for Instruction		472,380.14

Expense for Maintenance:

Janitors' Wages, Including Matron, Special Police Officers, and Additional Labor	\$37,236.61	
Janitor Supplies	2,498.59	
Light and Gas	\$11,576.01	
Water	288.20	
Telephones		11,864.21
Fuel		2,304.98
Repairs, Replacements and Maintenance		7,852.55
Insurance		12,422.02
		8,551.67
Total for Expense of Maintenance		\$82,730.63

Auxiliary Agencies:

Health:		
Nurse	\$3,596.16	
Physician	1,426.00	
Supplies	33.75	
		\$5,055.91
Libraries:		
Books and Supplies		3,499.96
Blue Cross-Blue Shield and Insurance		7,996.54

Blue Cross-Blue Shield Employees Share		7,318.37
Group Life Insurance Employees Share		720.50
Transportation:		
Bus Hire for Transportation for Athletic and Educational Trips		2,136.83
Graduation		644.92
Total Auxiliary Agencies		\$27,373.03
Carryall — (Station Wagon)		1,996.03
New Equipment		4,154.74
Science Equipment (Purchased with Matching Funds — PL 864)		3,000.00
Adult Education and Summer School		2,565.77
Evening Adult Education — George-Barden		455.00
Vocational:		
Appropriated by the Towns	\$56,665.83	
George-Barden	3,706.04	
Smith-Hughes	250.00	
		60,621.87
Revolving Funds:		
School Lunches (Cafeteria)		
Salaries	\$16,065.92	
Food, Supplies	42,690.51	
		58,756.43
Athletics		7,456.86
Vocational		2,646.42
Public Law 85-864 National Defense: Education Act — Equipment		383.00
Public Law 874 Funds: Clerical		300.00
Legal Expenses and Contingencies: Attorney Fees		250.00
Interest and Debt:		
Bonds	\$130,000.00	
Interest	34,260.00	
		164,260.00

School Addition:

Construction (Not Included in General Contract)	\$219.47
Equipment	2,590.67
Grounds	408.00
Miscellaneous	24.00

3,242.14

M.D.T.A. Project #210, Licensed Practical
Nursing Program — Federal Funds

Returned to Commonwealth of Massachusetts 11,692.00

Agency:

Federal Withholding Taxes	\$77,724.42
State Withholding Taxes	6,338.00
County Retirement Fund	3,507.43
County Retirement Assessments	4,450.00
Locker Keys Fund	265.00

Total Agency 92,284.85

Interest in Anticipation of Revenue 1,193.03

Loan in Anticipation of Revenue 100,000.00

Total Payments \$1,115,396.02

Cash, December 31, 1963 103,937.75

\$1,219,333.77

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Ledger Accounts

	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Total Available	Amount Expended	Transferred or Closed to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Superintendent	\$6,225.00	.....	.....	\$6,225.00	\$5,183.53	\$1,041.47	.....
Assistant Superintendent	3,950.00	.....	.....	3,950.00	2,787.92	1,162.08	.....
Committee Expense	250.00	.....	\$200.00	450.00	443.44	6.56	.....
Secretary and Treasurer	3,085.00	.....	.....	3,085.00	3,033.24	51.76	.....
Supt. Office Expense	287.50	.....	.....	287.50	275.81	11.69	.....
Clerks	4,600.00	.....	830.14	5,430.14	5,430.14	.....	.....
Teachers' Salaries	406,687.00	.....	*10,000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
				68.86	416,755.86	416,755.86	.....	.....
Principal's Expense	11,200.00	.....	23.85	11,223.85	11,223.85	.....	.....
Supervisors' Salaries	17,412.00	.....	.....	17,412.00	10,400.36	7,011.64	.....
Books -- High School	9,000.00	.....	.....	9,000.00	8,515.82	484.18	.....
Supplies -- High School	12,500.00	.....	778.98	13,278.98	13,278.98	.....	.....
Supplies -- Laboratory, Driver Training, Home Econ. and Industrial Arts	6,900.00	.....	325.41	7,225.41	7,225.41	.....	.....
Supplies -- Athletic, and Physical Education	5,000.00	.....	.....	5,000.00	4,979.86	20.14	.....
Janitors' Wages	37,275.00	.....	.....	37,275.00	37,236.61	38.39	.....
Janitors' Supplies	3,600.00	.....	.....	3,600.00	2,498.59	1,101.41	.....
Light, Gas and Water	11,990.00	.....	.....	11,990.00	11,864.21	125.79	.....
Telephones	2,759.00	.....	.....	2,750.00	2,304.98	445.02	.....
Fuel	9,350.00	.....	.....	9,350.00	7,852.55	1,497.45	.....
Repairs, Replacement and Maintenance	8,700.00	.....	3,722.02	12,422.02	12,422.02	.....	.....
Health	5,000.00	.....	55.91	5,055.91	5,055.91	.....	.....
Libraries	3,500.00	.....	.....	3,500.00	3,499.96	.04	.....

	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Total Available	Amount Expended	Transferred or Closed to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Group Life and Medical Coverage (Districts Share)	.....	8,250.00	.....	.....	8,250.00	7,996.54	253.46	.....
Group Life and Medical Coverage (Employees' Share)	\$677.81	.....	\$8,063.04	.....	8,740.85	8,038.87	.....	\$701.98
Transportation	.....	2,700.00	.....	.....	2,700.00	2,136.83	563.17	.....
Graduation	.....	650.00	.....	.....	650.00	644.92	5.08	.....
New Equipment	.....	5,000.00	.....	.....	5,000.00	4,151.74	848.26	.....
Insurance	.....	8,800.00	501.01	.....	9,301.01	8,551.67	749.34	.....
Adult Education and Summer School	.....	2,500.00	.....	65.77	2,565.77	2,565.77	.....	.....
Evening Adult Education — George-Barden Funds	455.50	.....	.....	.....	455.50	455.00	.....	.50
Day Vocational	.....	58,000.00	9.15	.....	58,009.15	56,665.83	1,343.32	.....
Day Vocational — George-Barden Funds	1,249.14	.....	4,925.00	.....	6,174.14	3,706.04	.....	2,468.10
Day Vocational — Smith-Hughes Funds	420.58	.....	516.00	.....	936.58	250.00	.....	686.58
Legal Expenses and Contingencies	.....	2,038.50	.....	.....	2,038.50	250.00	1,788.50	.....
School Lunches	473.03	.....	60,497.90	.....	60,970.93	58,756.43	.....	2,214.50
Carryall Vehicle	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	2,500.00	1,996.03	503.97	.....
Athletic Rotating Fund	1,385.05	.....	10,219.53	.....	11,604.58	7,456.86	.....	4,147.72
Vocational Rotating Fund	331.47	.....	2,430.91	.....	2,762.38	2,646.42	.....	115.96
Public Law #85-864 — National Defense Education Act	241.50	.....	1,362.94	.....	1,604.44	883.00	.....	721.44
Public Law #874 Funds	16,099.30	.....	9,607.00	.....	25,706.30	300.00	10,000.00	15,406.30
Repairs and Replacement to Rented Property	491.53	.....	.....	.....	491.53	.....	.....	491.53
Construction (Including Land Costs, Equipment, S.L.R.H.S.)	59.04	59.04	59.04
Bonds	130,000.00	130,000.00	130,000.00

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	Balance Jan. 1, 1963	Appro- priations	Receipts	Transfers	Total Available	Amount Expended	Transferred or Closed to Revenue	Balance Dec. 31, 1963
Interest (Debt)	.....	34,260.00	.....	.....	34,260.00	34,260.00	.....	.....
Federal Withholding Taxes	.....	.....	77,724.42	.....	77,724.42	77,724.42	.....	.....
State Withholding Taxes	.....	.....	6,389.95	.....	6,389.95	6,338.00	51.95	.....
County Retirement — Deductions	.....	.....	3,507.43	.....	3,507.43	3,507.43	.....	.....
County Retirement	.....	4,300.00	.....	150.00	4,450.00	4,450.00	.....	.....
Loan in Anticipation of Revenue E. and D.	37,312.97	.....	.....	36,667.52	73,980.49	.....	26,791.30	47,189.19
Tallings	187.04	.....	.....	.....	187.04	.....	.....	187.04
School Addition	32,262.59	.....	.....	.....	32,262.59	3,242.14	.....	29,020.45
Locker Key Deposit Fund	373.15	.....	419.27	.....	792.42	265.00	.....	527.42
Interest in Anticipation of Revenue	.....	2,500.00	.....	.....	2,500.00	1,193.03	1,306.97	.....
School Lunch — Due from the Commonwealth of Mass.	†1,564.06	.....	†1,564.06	.....	None	.....	.....	.....
M.D.T.A. Project No. 210, Licensed Practical Nursing Program	.....	.....	11,692.00	.....	11,692.00	11,692.00	.....	.....
Science Equipment — Matching P. L. 864	.....	3,000.00	.....	.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	.....	.....
Totals	\$93,583.76 †\$92,019.70	\$833,760.00 *\$10,000.00	\$299,429.61 †\$297,865.55	\$52,888.46	\$1,276,533.71	\$1,115,396.02	†\$57,199.94	\$103,937.75

NOTES:

†Asset Account Only

*Transferred \$10,000 from the #874 monies to the
Teachers' Appropriation

†Closed out to E. & D.

(Unexpended appropriations)

State Income Fees — closed out to E. & D.

Transferred from 874 monies to the Teachers'
Appropriation

Transferred from E. & D. to reduce cost

Transferred from E. & D. to other appropriations

TOTALS

†\$57,199.94

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DEBT STATEMENT

Name	Issued	Amount	Rate	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1963	Paid 1963	Outstanding Dec. 31, 1963	Due 1964
High School Loan	June 1, 1953	\$1,500,000.00	2.80%	\$825,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$75,000.00
High School Loan	July 1, 1955	160,000.00	2.40%	90,000.00	10,000.00	80,000.00	10,000.00
High School Addition	Dec. 15, 1960	425,000.00	3%	335,000.00	45,000.00	290,000.00	45,000.00

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Silver Lake Regional School District BALANCE SHEET — December 31, 1963 GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserve	
Cash:		Tailings — Unclaimed Checks	\$187.04
General	\$103,937.75	Locker Key Deposit	527.42
Petty:		Revolving Funds:	
Offices	\$60.00	School Lunch	\$2,214.50
School Lunch	50.00	Athletic	4,147.72
Athletic	100.00	Vocational	115.96
	210.00		6,478.18
		Payroll Deductions:	
		Blue Cross-Blue Shield	647.96
		Group Insurance	54.02
			701.98
		Federal Grants:	
		George-Barden	\$2,468.10
		Smith-Hughes	686.58
		Public Law — 85-864	721.44
		Public Law — 81-874	15,406.30
			19,282.42
		Appropriation Balances:	
		Revenue — General	492.03
		Non-Revenue — Construction	29,079.49
			29,571.52
		Reserve for Petty Cash Advances	210.00
		Surplus Revenue	47,189.19
	<u>\$104,147.75</u>		<u>\$104,147.75</u>

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DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt

\$1,120,000.00

School Construction Loan 1953
School Construction Loan 1955
School Construction Loan 1960

\$750,000.00
80,000.00
290,000.00

\$1,120,000.00

\$1,120,000.00

Silver Lake Regional School District

BUDGET FOR 1964

Bonds and Interest: (Based on Equalized Valuation)

Interest due January 1, 1964	\$960.00
Bonds due June 1, 1964	75,000.00
Interest due June 1, 1964	10,500.00
Bonds due July 1, 1964	10,000.00
Interest due July 1, 1964	960.00
Interest due December 1, 1964	9,450.00

Total Construction Cost	\$106,870.00
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Less Estimated Income:

Reimbursement from the School Building Assistance Commission	41,308.38
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Estimated Amount to be Raised:	\$65,561.62
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Town	Share Percentage	Amount
Kingston	45.95	\$30,125.57
Pembroke	31.10	20,389.66
Halifax	14.93	9,788.35
Plympton	8.02	5,258.04

\$65,561.62

Construction Budget: (Based on Per Pupil)

Interest due June 15, 1964	\$4,350.00
Interest due December 15, 1964	4,350.00
Bonds due December 15, 1964	45,000.00

Totals	\$53,700.00
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Less Estimated Income:

School Building Assistance Commission:	
Annual Estimated Reimbursement	24,460.52

Estimated Amount to be Raised	\$29,239.48
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Town	Pupils	Cost Per Pupil	Amount
Halifax	245	\$19.61 +	\$4,804.63
Kingston	464	19.61 +	9,099.34
Pembroke	666	19.61 +	13,060.67
Plympton	116	19.61 +	2,274.84

1,491	\$29,239.48
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OPERATING BUDGET

General Control:

Superintendent Salary and Travel	\$6,400.00
Assistant Superintendent Salary and Travel	4,500.00
Committee Expense	275.00
Secretary-Treasurer — Salary, Bond and Supplies	3,085.00
Superintendent's Office Expense	287.50
Clerks	5,425.00

\$19,972.50

Expense of Instruction:

Teachers' Salaries including Principal	\$466,800.00
Principal Expenses and Clerks	11,725.00
Supervisors' Salaries	9,150.00
Books	10,500.00
Supplies	14,000.00
Supplies — Laboratory, Driver Training	7,500.00
Supplies — Physical Education & Athletics	6,500.00

526,175.00

Expense of Operation:

Janitors' Wages	\$39,500.00
Janitors' Supplies	3,800.00
Light, Gas and Water	12,500.00
Telephone	2,800.00
Fuel	9,850.00

Repairs, Replacement & Maintenance:

1. Painting	\$1,000.00
2. Replacement of Typewriters and Other Equipment	2,000.00
3. Grounds	400.00
4. Snow Removal	300.00
5. Repairs to Equipment	600.00

6. Repairs, General Maintenance and Other Replacements	5,700.00
7. Repairs to Maple Avenue School	500.00
8. Blacktop and Sealing Tennis Courts and Driveways	1,500.00
9. Bleachers	500.00
10. Dry Wells	400.00
	12,900.00

81,350.00

Auxiliary Agencies:

Health	\$5,425.00
Libraries	3,500.00
Blue Cross-Blue Shield and Insurance	8,250.00
Transportation	3,400.00
Graduation	800.00
New Equipment	10,225.00
Science-Language Library Equipment	700.00
Insurance	9,500.00
Adult Education and Summer School	2,800.00

44,600.00

Interest in Anticipation of Revenue	1,000.00
County Retirement System	4,750.00
Legal Expenses and Contingencies	1,949.50
Vocational	65,000.00
Lease — Maple Avenue School	500.00

Total Operating Budget for the Academic and Vocational School

\$745,297.00

Less Estimated Income:

Vocational Education	\$29,000.00
E. & D.	5,000.00
Federal Money #874	15,000.00

49,000.00

Total Amount to be Raised

\$696,297.00

**COST OF OPERATING BUDGET TO TOWNS ON PER PUPIL
BASIS AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1963**

Town	Pupils Oct. 1, 1963	Cost Per Pupil	Total
Halifax	245	\$467.00	\$114,415.00
Kingston	464	467.00	216,688.00
Pembroke	666	467.00	311,022.00
Plympton	116	467.00	54,172.00
	1,491		\$696,297.00

TOTAL ASSESSMENT FOR EACH TOWN

Town	Operating Costs	Construction Costs		Totals
		Equalized Valuation	Per Pupil	
Halifax	\$114,415.00	\$9,788.35	\$4,804.63	\$129,007.98
Kingston	216,688.00	30,125.57	9,099.34	255,912.91
Pembroke	311,022.00	20,389.66	13,060.67	344,472.33
Plympton	54,172.00	5,258.04	2,274.84	61,704.88
Totals	\$696,297.00	\$65,561.62	\$29,239.48	\$791,098.10

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

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
 Department of Corporations and Taxation
 Bureau of Accounts
 80 Mason Street, Boston 11

January 2, 1964

Silver Lake Regional District School Committee
 Kingston, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the Silver Lake Regional School District for the period from November 21, 1961 to November 11, 1963, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. William Schwartz, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

ARTHUR H. MacKINNON,
Director of Accounts

Mr. Arthur H. MacKinnon
 Director of Accounts
 Department of Corporations and Taxation
 Boston, Massachusetts

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Silver Lake Regional School District for the period from November 21, 1961, the date of the previous audit, to November 11, 1963, and report thereon as follows:

An examination and verification was made of the recorded financial transactions of the district, as shown on the books of the departments receiving or disbursing money or committing bills for collection.

The books and accounts of the accounting officer were examined and checked in detail. The receipts, as recorded, were checked with the treasurer's books and with the departmental records of payments to the treasurer, while the recorded payments were compared with the treasury warrants and with the records of disbursements by the treasurer. The appropriations

as entered on the ledgers were checked with the district clerk's records of financial votes passed by the district committee meetings.

An analysis was made of the general and appropriation ledger accounts, a trial balance was taken off proving the accounts to be in balance, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the district on November 11, 1963.

The books and accounts of the district treasurer were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with records in the departments making payments to the treasurer and with other sources from which the district received money, while the payments, as recorded, were compared with the treasury warrants and the accounting officer's books.

The cash balance on November 11, 1963, was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements received from the banks of deposit.

The records of payroll deductions for Federal and State taxes, the county retirement system, Blue Cross and Blue Shield, and group insurance were examined and checked. The deductions were compared with the treasurer's receipts, and the payments to the proper agencies were verified.

The recorded payments on account of maturing debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file. The outstanding coupons were listed and reconciled with the balance as shown by a statement received from the bank of deposit.

The records of assessments against the member towns to provide funds for operating and construction expenses of the district were checked. The payments to the treasurer were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed.

The charges for tuition and rentals, as well as other miscellaneous charges, were examined and checked, the payments to the treasurer being compared with the treasurer's cash book.

The records of receipts for school lunches, athletic activities, vocational education, and driver training programs were exam-

ined and checked, the payments to the treasurer and the cash on hand being verified.

The surety bond filed by the district treasurer was examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash and summaries of the assessment and departmental accounts.

On behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation for the cooperation received from the district officials while engaged in making the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SCHWARTZ
Assistant Director of Accounts

**The Silver Lake Regional School District
BALANCE SHEET — November 11, 1963**

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash:		Temporary Loans:	
General	\$120,050.70	In Anticipation of Revenue 1963	\$50,000.00
Advances for Petty	210.00	Payroll Deductions:	
Accounts Receivable:		Federal Taxes	\$6,417.42
District Assessments:		State Taxes	526.24
Halifax	\$29,563.01	County Retirement System	317.71
Kingston	60,204.96	Blue Cross and Blue Shield	650.91
Pembroke	76,332.81	Group Insurance	54.69
Plympton	13,754.42		<u>7,966.97</u>
	179,855.20	Guarantee Deposits:	
Estimated Receipts —		Locker Keys	497.60
to be Collected	223,239.80	Tailings	187.01
Overdrawn Appropriation:		Federal Grants:	
Supplies — High School	30.84	Smith-Hughes Fund	\$686.58
		George-Barden Fund	2,724.81
		Public Law #85-864	1,087.38
		Public Law #81-874	15,490.30
		Manpower Training Development Act,	
		Licensed Practical Nurse Course,	
		Project #210	11,692.00
			<u>31,681.07</u>
		Revolving Funds:	
		Lunch	\$7,186.95
		Athletics	3,068.51
		Vocational Education	790.51
			<u>11,045.97</u>

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Appropriation Balances:

Revenue:	
General	\$195,307.59
Non-Revenue:	
Construction	31,142.49
	<u>226,450.08</u>

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	
District Assessments	179,855.20
Reserve for Petty Cash Advances	210.00
Surplus Revenue	15,492.61
	<u>\$523,386.54</u>

\$523,386.54

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	<u>\$1,165,000.00</u>	School Construction Loans	<u>\$1,165,000.00</u>
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TOWN WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Plymouth, ss.

Greeting:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Kingston in the County of Plymouth:

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

SATURDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF MARCH NEXT, 1964 for the following purposes:

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, a Tree Warden, a Park Commissioner, one member of the School Committee, one Water Commissioner all for one year. One Trustee of the Frederic C. Adams Public Library and one member of the Planning Board, both for two years. One member of the Board of Selectmen, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, one member of the Board of Assessors, one member of the Park Commission, one member of the School Committee, one member of the Water Commission, two Trustees of the Frederic C. Adams Public Library, two members of the Playground Commission, all for three years. One member of the Planning Board for five years.

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 fourteenth 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, 1964, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of not more 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 received or to be received from the State for the permanent construction of Grove Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the intersections of the corners of Smith's Lane and Crescent Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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 of the road and sidewalk and for acquiring titles.

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 bucket-loader for the Highway Department, and authorize the Selectmen to turn in the 1956 Oliver ½-yard bucket-loader now owned by the Highway Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new equipment.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section III, Sub-section I of the Zoning By-Laws so as to include "Municipal use."

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a compressor and attachments for the Water Department.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a truck with attachments to be used by the Water Department in addition to the present water truck, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to be added to the present appropriation for "Water — Additional Wells" for the purpose of making a further study of additional wells, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to amend the action taken under Article 17 of the annual town meeting held in March, 1962 by adding the word "addition" so as to read "Improvement, Repairs and Addition to the Library."

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to amend the action taken under Article 19 of the annual town meeting held in March, 1962 by adding the words "to make any additions," so as to read "for the repair and replacement where necessary of the heating, lighting, plumbing and other fixtures and to make any additions in or to the Frederic C. Adams Public Library Building."

ARTICLE 18. 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 1962 Dodge cruiser-ambulance now owned by the Police Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new vehicle.

ARTICLE 19. 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 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 purchase of a mist blower for the Moth Department, and authorize the Selectmen to turn in the present 1953 Campbell Mist Blower now owned by the Moth Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new equipment.

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 purchase of a platform dump truck and attachments for the Tree Department and for use in insect pest control.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, the sum of \$160.00 being the amount ordered by the County Commissioners at their regular meeting holden at Plymouth on the twenty-first day of December, 1963 to be paid from the treasury of the town of Kingston to sundry persons on the application therefor; the amounts named as awards for damage caused by the taking of land on Station Street under the provisions of Decree No. 1319.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1963 which authorizes cities and towns to purchase stormy weather work clothes and rubber boots for certain employees.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept recommendations for the purpose of appropriating from the income of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund for various purposes.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the bequest made to the town by the late Luthera M. Leach for a trust fund to be known as the Frances Leach Bagnell Fund establishing a scholarship for Kingston students, and authorize the Trustees of the Kingston Educational Fund to supervise the Frances Leach Bagnell Fund.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote that the following appropriation balances be closed to Surplus Revenue:

Basler's Lane	\$325.40
Hillcrest Road	78.80
Pearl Street	811.65
Pilgrim Street	29.44
Howland's Lane, Decree #1181	174.50
Municipal Radio Band	8.30
Water—South Street Takings	35.10
Water—Main on Washburn Avenue	806.16

and that the following appropriation balance be returned to the Income Account of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund:

Municipal Radio Band \$8.30

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 478 of the Acts of 1963 which will increase pensions and retirement allowances of certain former employees who at the time of retirement had attained age sixty and had completed at least fifteen years of creditable service.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town is in favor of an expenditure of \$20,000.00 by the Silver Lake Regional School District Committee for the purpose of constructing and equipping a building to be used for administrative purposes, the said money to be taken by the District Committee from surplus funds which the Regional School District has on hand.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Joseph A. Holmes and Frank Holmes, in memory of their father, the late Dr. Arthur B. Holmes, a portion of the area known as Fishing Rocks consisting of 9,000 square feet, more or less, Block 7, Plat H, as shown on the Assessors' map on file in the Town House.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept the gift of a parcel of land from Leola Hamilton designated as Lot 72, Block 7, Plat C, as shown on the Assessors' plan on file in the Town House.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 401 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, which authorizes the purchase of insurance coverage for Civilian Defense personnel.

ARTICLE 32. 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 relocation and equipping of the Police Department to the former caretaker's apartment consisting of four rooms located at the southwest portion of the Fire Station on Maple Street.

ARTICLE 33. 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 and operation

of a multiple car garage for the use of the Police Department, on town-owned property on Maple Street adjacent to the Fire Station.

ARTICLE 34. 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 architectural services and remodeling to the former Faunce School on Green Street, for the purpose of relocating and equipping the offices of the Veterans' Benefits and Welfare Department; and authorize the Selectmen to petition the appropriate State and Federal authorities for their participation in said project.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of Smelt Pond Road to Second Brook. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 19 of the Acts of 1963 which reads as follows: "An act establishing an alternate schedule of minimum annual compensation for police officers in certain cities and towns. Be it enacted, etc. as follows: Chapter 41 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 108F, inserted by Chapter 520 of the Acts of 1962, the following section: — Section 108G. Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the minimum annual compensation of each regular police officer of the police department of any city or town which accepts the provisions of this section shall be not less than the following: For the first year of service fifty-five hundred dollars. For the second year of service six thousand dollars. For the third and each succeeding year of service sixty-three hundred dollars. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to amend Item C, Section 4A, Zoning By-Laws, as amended under Article 29 of the annual town meeting held in March, 1961, by deleting the word "sewage" as it pertains to Lot 22A, Block 14, as shown on the Kingston Assessors' plan on file in the Town House. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by amending the "Map of the Town of Kingston, Mass." being the official zoning map of the town so as to change the following described land from a residence district to a busi-

ness district: A certain parcel of land situated on the North-easterly side of Pembroke Street in said Kingston, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone bound in the North-easterly line of said Pembroke Street on a curve of said street at the Westerly corner of the premises; thence running South-easterly by said Northeasterly street line by a curve having a radius of 443.0 feet to a stone bound, 100.2 feet, more or less; thence running Southeasterly still by said street line 108.83 feet to a point marking the Easterly corner of the premises, said corner being 127.00 feet Northwesterly from the Westerly corner of land now or formerly of Walter C. Hammond; thence turning and running by a line perpendicular to said street line 250.00 feet to the Northerly corner of the premises; thence turning at a right angle and running Northwesterly a distance of 155.00 feet; thence turning and running Southwesterly by a straight line by land now or formerly of Wright 235.25 feet to a stone bound in the Northeasterly line of Pembroke Street marking the point of beginning. This parcel of land is shown as Lots 19-2, 19-4 and 19-5, Block 6 on the Assessors' map. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to install a water main of not less than six inches in diameter for a distance of 540 feet, more or less, on Curtis Avenue in the Rocky Nook section of Kingston and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation thereof. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way known as Curtis Avenue in the Rocky Nook section of Kingston, beginning on the northerly side of Leigh Road and continuing in a northeasterly direction to Cedar Lane, a distance of approximately 540 feet, more or less, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way on the northerly side of Winthrop Street now known as Keith Avenue and running in a northerly direction and the way now known as Lawrence Street running in an easterly direction to Summer Street, a total distance of 615 feet, more or less, and

all to be known as Keith Avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way now known as Off Kennedy Road, beginning at the southerly side of Kennedy Road and continuing in a southerly direction to Braunecker Avenue, a distance of 850 feet, more or less, and to be known as Union Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to accept the ways now known as Landing Road and Grandview Avenue in the Rocky Nook Point section, starting at Atwood Street and continuing to Delano Avenue, all to be known as Grandview Avenue, a distance of 1,100 feet, more or less, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to lease to the Jones River Village Club, Inc. the former railroad station to be known as the Kingston Historical Museum; said lease to be for a period not to exceed five years, or the active existence of the Museum, whichever is the lesser. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote that a sum of money now available in Free Cash be appropriated for the use of the Assessors in the reduction of the tax levy

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

The polls will be opened at seven o'clock a.m. on Saturday the seventh day of March, and may be closed at seven o'clock p.m. on Saturday the seventh day of March, 1964.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the main entrance to the Town House and at the Post Office in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this Fourth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

JOHN J. MOORE

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL

HARLEY S. CADENHEAD

Selectmen of Kingston

A true Copy, Attest:

....., Constable

Date

TOWN OF KINGSTON
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Plymouth, ss.

GREETING:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Kingston in the County of Plymouth:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in elections and in Town affairs to meet at the

**REED COMMUNITY BUILDING ON SATURDAY, THE
FOURTEENTH DAY OF MARCH NEXT, 1964,
AT 3 O'CLOCK P.M.**

for the following purposes:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will approve the authorization of \$35,000.00 bonds or notes of the Silver Lake Regional School District by the Regional School District Committee on February 13, 1964 for paying architect's fees and other preliminary expenses in connection with an addition to the Silver Lake Regional High School.

ARTICLE 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section III, Sub-section C of the Zoning By-Laws so as to include "and Municipal Use."

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the main entrance to the Town House and at the Post Office in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

HEREOF FAIL NOT and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eighteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.
A true Copy. Attest:

JOHN J. MOORE,

WILLIAM A. MacPHAIL,

HARLEY S. CADENHEAD,

Selectmen of Kingston

....., Constable

Date

TOWN OF KINGSTON

MASSACHUSETTS



REPORT and RECOMMENDATIONS

OF THE

FINANCE COMMITTEE

TO THE

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

1964

Together with a Copy of the Warrant Articles
and Accompanying Recommendations

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

To the Voters of Kingston:

As in previous years all Departments were invited to present and explain their budgets for 1964, and all were notified of Finance Committee recommendations.

Although for 1963 a rise in the tax rate was averted, an increase for this year seems unavoidable. Generally, costs of operating nearly all Departments have increased. The Finance Committee carefully considered all requested wage adjustments, and though most requests were in the area of 10%, the Committee's recommendations were for approximately half, or in some cases, amounts which seemed equitable.

The Finance Committee recommends a total budget figure of \$918,873.56. This budget shows an increase over 1963 appropriations of \$64,767.19. We further recommend \$38,360.00 for Warrant articles attached to this report. We earnestly request that careful consideration be given the Warrant articles and that the recommendations of the Finance Committee be approved.

For consideration in another year, the Finance Committee recommends the following:

1. A review and updating of existing property assessments.
2. In view of the ever-increasing costs of all operations, we encourage the practice of watchful economy on the part of all town officers and personnel.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED C. NEWHALL, *Co-Chairman*

THEODORE J. MITCHELL, *Co-Chairman*

SAMUEL SWARTZ, *Clerk*

MANDO ALDROVANDI

WARREN M. AXFORD

LEON H. BALBONI

WILBERT CINGOLANI

WILLIAM R. FAIRWEATHER

WALTER M. O'NEAL

BUDGET 1964

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

	*Appropriated	**Expended	Requested	Recommended
1. Moderator	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
2. Selectmen, Salaries and Expenses	3,491.00	3,426.89	4,526.00	4,116.00
3. Accountant, Salaries and Expenses	7,596.00	7,538.18	8,464.00	9,464.00
4. Treasurer and Collector, Salaries and Expenses	9,528.49	9,519.53	9,961.80	9,989.70
5. Tax Title Foreclosures	80.11	None	300.00	300.00
6. Town Clerk, Salaries and Expenses	2,425.50	2,390.51	2,761.10	2,724.95
7. Assessors, Salaries and Expenses	5,533.00	5,295.66	6,203.00	5,178.00
8. Election and Registration, Salaries and Expenses	2,875.00	2,808.76	5,234.60	5,209.79
9. Board of Appeals	250.00	188.50	250.00	250.00
10. Planning Board	150.00	112.65	150.00	150.00
11. Industrial Development Commission	3,227.22	2,341.19	150.00	150.00
12. Finance Committee	100.00	25.00	100.00	100.00
13. Town House Maintenance	7,116.09	6,998.27	7,436.00	7,436.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

14. Police — Maintenance	43,101.83	40,218.98	46,129.82	45,024.00
15. Police — Out-of-State Travel	125.00	125.00	525.00	125.00
16. Police — Uniforms	2,341.40	2,183.79	1,215.00	750.00
17. Shellfish, Salaries and Expenses	850.00	838.18	1,200.00	964.28
18. Harbor Master, Salaries and Expenses	1,400.00	1,352.00	1,602.00	1,542.00
19. Fire — Maintenance	26,660.51	26,237.85	30,210.00	27,848.36
20. Fire — Out-of-State Travel	100.00	70.00	100.00	100.00
21. Forest Fires, Prevention and Extinguishment	3,710.00	3,591.84	4,109.00	3,782.36
22. Sealer of Weights and Measures	626.00	617.90	579.00	619.00
23. Trimming Shade Trees	5,687.00	4,891.80	5,752.00	4,891.90
24. Moths — Insect Pest Control	5,934.00	5,611.49	6,004.00	5,400.00
25. Suppression of Moths — Dutch Elm	8,419.00	7,901.30	7,354.40	6,622.80

	*Appropriated	**Expended	Requested	Recommended
26. Dog Officer, Salaries and Expenses	400.00	370.00	400.00	400.00
27. Bounties on Seals	11.00	None	None	None
28. Civil Defense, Salary and Expenses	3,138.01	835.00	None	None
29. Insurance — Municipal Buildings and Property, including Indemnity under Clause 1, Section 5, Chapter 40, G.L.	9,100.00	8,352.07	9,100.00	8,750.00
30. Insurance — Workmens' Compensation	5,000.00	4,956.12	5,000.00	5,000.00
31. Insurance — Group Life — Employees, Chapter 32-B, G. L.	8,076.51	8,076.51	9,500.00	9,000.00
32. Care of Other Municipal Property	100.00	7.50	100.00	100.00

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

33. Health, Salaries and Expenses	9,174.33	6,878.72	8,867.00	8,163.00
34. Health — Insect Control	3,785.00	3,295.64	3,680.00	3,680.00
35. Inspector of Animals, Salary and Expenses	270.00	270.00	270.00	270.00
36. Inspector of Slaughtering	60.00	60.00	60.00	60.00
37. Mosquito Control Maintenance, Chap. 112, Acts of 1931	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00
38. Greenhead Fly Control	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00

HIGHWAYS:

39. General Highways, Including Ordinary Repairs, Salary of Supt., and care of Bldgs., and Lot for Equipment	41,365.00	41,226.31	44,066.00	40,450.00
40. Road Machinery, Operation, Equipment and Repairs — From Tax Levy	5,012.60	5,012.60	5,300.00	5,300.00
41. Street, Direction and Danger Signs	200.00	172.39	200.00	200.00
42. Building and Maintaining Permanent Sidewalks	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
43. Guard Fences	200.00	196.95	200.00	200.00
44. Snow Removal, Including Sanding Roads and Incidentals	17,483.87	17,483.87	15,000.00	15,000.00
45. Street Lighting	13,300.00	13,114.47	13,750.00	13,750.00

CHARITIES:

46. Public Welfare — Administration	550.00	550.00	1,200.00	625.00
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47. Public Welfare — General Relief	6,648.05	6,648.02	5,500.00	5,500.00
48. Disability Assistance — Administration	1,000.00	995.91	1,000.00	1,000.00
49. Disability Assistance — Assistance	9,500.00	9,415.67	12,000.00	10,000.00
50. Aid to Families with Dependent Children — Administration	1,000.00	985.84	1,000.00	1,000.00
51. Aid to Families with Dependent Children — Aid	6,093.15	5,990.05	6,000.00	6,000.00
52. Old Age Assistance — Administration	3,000.00	2,601.05	2,000.00	2,000.00
53. Old Age Assistance — Assistance	15,014.65	14,868.75	20,000.00	10,000.00
54. Medical Assistance for the Aged — Administration	2,000.00	1,829.48	2,000.00	2,000.00
55. Medical Assistance for the Aged — Assistance	10,000.00	10,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00

VETERANS' BENEFITS:

56. Soldiers' & Sailors' Benefits	12,931.10	11,824.52	13,032.00	13,032.00
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SCHOOLS:

57. Schools — Including Salaries, Maintenance and Ordinary Repairs	212,461.00	202,375.03	229,490.00	229,490.00
58. Schools — Out-of-State Travel	None	None	125.00	125.00
59. Vocational Education	200.00	66.40	200.00	200.00
60. School Lunch Program	50.00	None	50.00	50.00
61. Silver Lake Regional School District	240,819.81	240,819.81	255,912.91	255,912.91

LIBRARY:

62. Library — From Tax Levy	6,184.33			6,657.36
From Dog Fund	828.67			842.64

Total	7,013.09	5,916.11	7,500.00	7,500.00
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RECREATION:

63. Playground — Maintenance	9,444.00	9,267.85	11,238.00	11,133.80
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PARKS:

64. Parks	5,595.00	5,120.44	5,910.00	5,200.00
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PENSIONS:

65. Retirement	11,113.03	11,113.03	13,327.79	13,327.79
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	*Appropriated	**Expended	Requested	Recom- mended
UNCLASSIFIED:				
66. Interest in Anticipation of Revenue	None	None	None	750.00
67. Observance of Memorial and Armistice Days	1,000.00	948.98	1,000.00	1,000.00
68. County Aid to Agriculture	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
69. Preparing, Printing and Distributing Town Reports	3,350.00	3,236.43	2,700.00	2,700.00
70. Building, Wiring and Plumbing Codes	1,700.00	1,472.17	1,700.00	1,500.00
71. Legal Expenses and Other Contingencies	3,983.56	3,983.56	3,000.00	3,000.00
72. Waterfront Committee	729.00	679.86	685.00	685.00
73. Conservation Commission	50.00	16.70	250.00	250.00
74. Town Forest Committee	50.00	None	50.00	50.00
75. Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund — Trustees Expense Fund	25.00	15.00	50.00	50.00
76. Fish Committee	500.00	221.95	500.00	250.00
77. Reserve, From Overlay Surplus	10,000.00	9,990.37	10,000.00	10,000.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:				
78. Water — Maintenance	32,576.76	32,442.53	38,171.20	36,591.50
79. Water — Equipment	505.82	188.45	200.00	200.00
80. Water — Replacement and Extension of the Water System	3,034.29	2,677.94	3,000.00	3,000.00
81. Water — Replacement of Hard Surface Roads	692.34	51.88	200.00	200.00
82. Water — Out-of-State Travel	None	None	150.00	150.00

The following items are to be raised by the Assessors in addition to those appropriated:

State Parks and Reservations
County Tax
State Audit of Municipal Accounts
Plymouth County Hospital Maintenance
Plymouth County Mosquito Control Project

(Amounts on above not given as Cherry Sheet was not received at time of printing.)

MATURING DEBT:		
Water — Gravel-Packed Well — 1963	\$4,500.00	
Water — Howland's Lane — 1961	5,000.00	
Water — Improvement of System — 1955	20,000.00	
Elementary School — 1949	24,000.00	
Elementary School — 1958	15,000.00	
TOTAL MATURING DEBT		\$68,500.00
Interest — P. S. Loan		\$596.25
Interest — Gravel-Packed Well		317.75
Interest — School Loan		360.00
Interest — Elementary School Addition Loan		4,125.00
TOTAL INTEREST		\$5,399.00

*Includes Balance January 1, 1963, plus refunds transfers.

**Includes payments from balance carried forward.

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, 1964, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of not more 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 \$5,000.00 from 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 from 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 received or to be received from the State for the permanent construction of Grove Street, or take any action in relation thereto.
Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$9,461.38 from available funds.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the intersections of the corners of Smith's Lane and Crescent Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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 of the road and sidewalk and for acquiring titles.
Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$1,000.00 from 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 bucket-loader for the Highway Department, and authorize the Selectmen to turn in the 1956 Oliver ½-yard bucket-loader now owned by the Highway Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new equipment.
Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$14,000.00 from tax levy.

ARTICLE 12. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section III, Sub-section I of the Zoning By-Laws so as to include "Municipal use."
Comment to be made at town meeting.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a compressor and attachments for the Water Department.
Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a truck with attachments to be used by the Water Department in addition to the present water truck, or take any other action relative thereto.
Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to be added to the present appropriation for "Water — Additional Wells" for the purpose of making a further study of additional wells, or take any action relative thereto.
Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$2,500.00 from tax levy.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to amend the action taken under Article 17 of the annual town meeting held in March, 1962 by adding the word "addition" so as to read "Improvement, Repairs and Addition to the Library."
Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to amend the action taken under Article 19 of the annual town meeting held in March, 1962 by adding the words "to make any additions," so as to read "for the repair and replacement where necessary of the heating, lighting, plumbing and other fixtures and to make any additions in or to the Frederic C. Adams Public Library Building."
Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 18. 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 1962 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 \$2,500.00 from tax levy.

ARTICLE 19. 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 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 purchase of a mist blower for the Moth Department, and authorize the Selectmen to turn in the present 1953 Campbell Mist Blower now owned by the Moth Department, and apply the allowance thereof to the purchase price of the new equipment.

Comment to be made at town meeting.

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 purchase of a platform dump truck and attachments for the Tree Department and for use in insect pest control.

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

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, the sum of \$160.00 being the amount ordered by the County Commissioners at their regular meeting holden at Plymouth on the twenty-first day of December, 1963 to be paid from the treasury of the town of Kingston to sundry persons on the application therefor; the amounts named as awards for damage caused by the taking of land on Station Street under the provisions of Decree No. 1319.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$160.00 from tax levy.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1963 which authorizes cities and towns to purchase stormy weather work clothes and rubber boots for certain employees.

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept recommendations for the purpose of appropriating from the income

of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Memorial Fund for various purposes.

Recommend favorable action to include: Old Burial Ground, \$1,000.00; two sirens for Police Cruisers, \$500.00; Extension of Water Main from Prospect Street to Town Dump, \$2,600.00; Mist Blower, \$3,800.00; Purchase of Land-Conservation Commission, \$150.00.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept the bequest made to the town by the late Luther M. Leach for a trust fund to be known as the Frances Leach Bagnell Fund establishing a scholarship for Kingston students, and authorize the Trustees of the Kingston Educational Fund to supervise the Frances Leach Bagnell Fund.

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote that the following appropriation balances be closed to Surplus Revenue:

Basler's Lane	\$325.40
Hillcrest Road	78.80
Pearl Street	811.65
Pilgrim Street	29.44
Howland's Lane, Decree 1181	174.50
Municipal Radio Band	8.30
Water—South Street Takings	35.10
Water—Main on Washburn Avenue	806.16

and that the following appropriation balance be returned to the Income Account of the Elizabeth B. Sampson Fund:

Municipal Radio Band	\$8.30
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Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 478 of the Acts of 1963 which will increase pensions and retirement allowances of certain former employees who at the time of retirement had attained age sixty and had completed at least fifteen years of creditable service.

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town is in favor of an expenditure of \$20,000.00 by the Silver Lake Regional School District Committee for the purpose of constructing and equipping a building to be used for administrative purposes, the said money to be taken by the District Committee from surplus funds which the Regional School District has on hand.

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift from Joseph A. Holmes and Frank Holmes, in memory of their father, the late Dr. Arthur B. Holmes, a portion of the area known as Fishing Rocks consisting of 9,000 square feet, more or less, Block 7, Plat H, as shown on the Assessors' map on file in the Town House.

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept the gift of a parcel of land from Leola Hamilton designated as Lot 72, Block 7, Plat C, as shown on the Assessors' plan on file in the Town House.

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 401 of the Acts of 1956, as amended, which authorizes the purchase of insurance coverage for Civilian Defense personnel.

Comment to be made at town meeting.

ARTICLE 32. 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 relocation and equipping of the Police Department to the former caretaker's apartment consisting of four rooms located at the southwest portion of the Fire Station on Maple Street.

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

ARTICLE 33. 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 and operation of a multiple car garage for the use of the Police Department on town-owned property on Maple Street adjacent to the Fire Station.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$1,500.00 from tax levy.

ARTICLE 34. 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 architectural services and remodeling to the former Faunce School on Green Street, for the purpose of relocating and equipping the offices of the Veterans'

Benefits and Welfare Department; and authorize the Selectmen to petition the appropriate State and Federal authorities for their participation in said project.

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$2,500.00 from available funds.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to change the name of Smelt Pond Road to Second Brook. (By Petition)
Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 19 of the Acts of 1963 which reads as follows: "An act establishing an alternate schedule of minimum annual compensation for police officers in certain cities and towns. Be it enacted, etc. as follows: Chapter 41 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 108F, inserted by Chapter 520 of the Acts of 1962, the following section: — Section 108G. Notwithstanding the provisions of any general or special law to the contrary, the minimum annual compensation of each regular police officer of the police department of any city or town which accepts the provisions of this section shall be not less than the following: For the first year of service fifty-five hundred dollars. For the second year of service six thousand dollars. For the third and each succeeding year of service sixty-three hundred dollars. (By Petition)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to amend Item C. Section 4A. Zoning By-Laws, as amended under Article 20 of the annual town meeting held in March, 1961, by deleting the word "sewage" as it pertains to Lot 22A, Block 14, as shown on the Kingston Assessors' plan on file in the Town House.

(By Petition)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by amending the "Map of the Town of Kingston, Mass." being the official zoning map of the town so as to change the following described land from a residence district to a business district: A certain parcel of land situated on the North-easterly side of Pembroke Street in said Kingston, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone bound in the North-easterly line of said Pembroke Street on a curve of said street at the Westerly corner of the premises; thence running South-

easterly by said Northeasterly street line by a curve having a radius of 443.0 feet to a stone bound, 100.2 feet, more or less; thence running Southeasterly still by said street line 108.83 feet to a point marking the Easterly corner of the premises, said corner being 127.00 feet Northwesterly from the Westerly corner of land now or formerly of Walter C. Hammond; thence turning and running by a line perpendicular to said street line 250.00 feet to the Northerly corner of the premises; thence turning at a right angle and running Northwesterly a distance of 155.00 feet; thence turning and running Southwesterly by a straight line by land now or formerly of Wright 235.25 feet to a stone bound in the Northeasterly line of Pembroke Street marking the point of beginning. This parcel of land is shown as Lots 19-2, 19-4 and 19-5, Block 6 on the Assessors' map. (By Petition)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to install a water main of not less than six inches in diameter for a distance of 540 feet, more or less, on Curtis Avenue in the Rocky Nook section of Kingston and raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation thereof. (By Petition)

Recommend favorable action — not to exceed \$2,700.00 from tax levy.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way now known as Curtis Avenue in the Rocky Nook section of Kingston, beginning on the northerly side of Leigh Road and continuing in a northeasterly direction to Cedar Lane, a distance of approximately 540 feet, more or less, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way on the northerly side of Winthrop Street now known as Keith Avenue and running in a northerly direction and the way now known as Lawrence Street running in an easterly direction to Summer Street, a total distance of 615 feet, more or less, and all to be known as Keith Avenue, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans thereof having been filed with the Town Clerk in accord-

ance 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)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to accept the way now known as Off Kennedy Road, beginning at the southerly side of Kennedy Road and continuing in a southerly direction, to Braunecker Avenue, a distance of 850 feet, more or less, and to be known as Union Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to accept the ways now known as Landing Road and Grandview Avenue in the Rocky Nook Point section, starting at Atwood Street and continuing to Delano Avenue, all to be known as Grandview Avenue, a distance of 1,100 feet, more or less, as laid out by the Selectmen, plans 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)

Recommend unfavorable action.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to lease to the Jones River Village Club, Inc. the former railroad station to be known as the Kingston Historical Museum; said lease to be for a period not to exceed five years, or the active existence of the Museum, whichever is the lesser. (By Petition)

Recommend favorable action.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will vote that a sum of money now available in Free Cash be appropriated for the use of the Assessors in the reduction of the tax levy.

Recommendation to be made at town meeting.

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