

Town Report

SUDBURY TOWN REPORT ☆ 1957



MARY LAMB SCHOOL HOUSE

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MASSACHUSETTS

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## MARY LAMB SCHOOL HOUSE

Close by famed Longfellow's Wayside Inn and the lovely jewell-like Martha-Mary Chapel sets this little red school house, known to the world through the beloved, old-time children's classic, "Mary's Lamb." It was into this school house that Mary and her little lamb walked, to become the immortal characters in an immortal American rhyme.

Originally this building stood in Sterling, Massachusetts. Mr. Henry Ford purchased it in 1926 and moved it to its present location on the Wayside Inn estate. On restoration and repair, he operated it at personal expense along the lines of an old-time district school. A dozen or fifteen young students were its capacity, and these were drawn from the community.

At its Sterling location, the little red building served as a school from 1798, the year it was built, until about 1856. From then on the building saw various uses. When Mr. Ford discovered it, it was in use as a sort of barn-garage by a church society.

The real Mary in the poetic story was Mary Elizabeth Sawyer, who lived for eighty-three years after her birth in 1806. That would place the lamb incident as occurring in about 1816 or 1817, as she is supposed to have been about ten years old when the invasion happened. The author of the poem's original first twelve lines is John Roulstone. John witnessed the episode of Mary's difficulty with her affectionate playmate. Impressed by the pathos of the situation, he put it to verse. He was twelve at the time, living temporarily in Sterling while studying for college entrance with his uncle, the Rev. Lemuel Capon, the parish minister. A brilliant student, he died in 1822 at the age of seventeen.

The delightful drawing of the Mary Lamb school house was done by Sudbury's Grace Godwin Way, who again with this portrayal has distinguished herself as an artist of particular worth.

by Les Hall

*"He followed her to school one day;  
That was against the rule;  
It made the children laugh and play,  
To see a lamb at school."*

# THE THREE HUNDRED EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE  
SEVERAL OFFICIAL BOARDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER THIRTY-FIRST

1957



*Town of Sudbury*

MASSACHUSETTS

President  
of the  
United States of America  
DWIGHT DAVID EISENHOWER  
of  
Abilene, Kansas

Vice President  
RICHARD M. NIXON  
of  
Whittier, California

Governor  
of the  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
FOSTER FURCOLO  
of Longmeadow

Lieutenant Governor . . . . . Robert F. Murphy of Malden  
Secretary of the Commonwealth . . . Edward J. Cronin, Chelsea  
Treasurer and Receiver-General . . . John F. Kennedy, Canton  
Auditor of the Commonwealth . . . . Thomas J. Buckley, Boston  
Attorney General . . . . . George Fingold, Concord  
Senators in Congress . . . . . Leverett Saltonstall, Newton  
John F. Kennedy, Boston  
Representative in Congress  
4th Congressional District . . . . Harold D. Donahue, Worcester  
Councillor, 3rd Councillor District . . . Christian Herter, Jr., Newton  
Senator, 5th Middlesex  
Senatorial District . . . . . William E. Hays, Waltham  
Representative in General Court  
10th Middlesex Representative Dist. James DeNormandie, Lincoln  
County Commissioners . . . . . Thomas B. Brennan, Medford  
William G. Andrew, Cambridge  
Edward L. Buckley, Somerville  
Clerk of Courts, Middlesex County . . Charles T. Hughes, Medford  
Register of Deeds,  
Middlesex South District . . . . William B. Bailey, Somerville  
County Treasurer . . . . . Timothy J. Cronin, Somerville  
Register of Probate and Insolvency . . John Foley, Cambridge  
District Attorney . . . . . James L. O'Dea, Lowell  
County Sheriff . . . . . Howard W. Fitzpatrick, Malden

## TOWN OFFICERS

With Date when Terms Expire

### MODERATOR

L. Roy Hawes .....Term expires 1958

### TOWN CLERK

Lawrence B. Tighe .....Term expires 1959

### SELECTMEN

Arthur E. Fay, Sr. ....Term expires 1958

Harvey N. Fairbank .....Term expires 1959

Lawrence B. Tighe .....Term expires 1960

### ASSESSORS

Ralph E. Hawes .....Term expires 1958

Paul H. C. Ecke .....Term expires 1959

Alton F. Clark .....Term expires 1960

### TREASURER

William E. Downing .....Term expires 1960

### COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Louise E. Atkinson .....Term expires 1958

### HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

W. Gordon Hunter .....Term expires 1958

### TREE WARDEN

Michael Hriniak .....Resigned October 16, 1957

Ernest T. Ferguson .....Term expires 1958

### BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Roland R. Cutler .....Term expires 1958

Richard C. Hill .....Term expires 1958

Alfred F. Bonazzoli .....Term expires 1959

Beulah A. Stone .....Term expires 1960

Louise F. Wynne .....Term expires 1960

### CONSTABLES

Augustus V. E. Sharkey .....Term expires 1958

John H. Whitworth .....Term expires 1958

Douglas R. Lewis .....Term expires 1958

## GOODNOW LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Dene S. Howe .....Term expires 1958  
 Luther M. Child, Jr. ....Term expires 1959  
 Bertha W. Smith .....Term expires 1960

## BOARD OF HEALTH

Frank A. Bautze .....Resigned as of June 3, 1957  
 William F. McLaughlin (to fill vacancy) ..Term expires 1958  
 F. Daniel Buttner .....Term expires 1960  
 Richard A. Maker .....Resigned

## PLANNING BOARD

David G. Chase .....Term expires 1958  
 Abel Cutting .....Term expires 1959  
 Arthur H. White .....Term expires 1960  
 Theodore R. Harding .....Term expires 1961  
 Trueman C. Jackson .....Term expires 1962

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Robert P. Bowen .....Term expires 1958  
 Ellen Jane Siegars .....Term expires 1958  
 Walter M. Taylor .....Term expires 1959  
 Lawrence W. Tighe .....Term expires 1960  
 John A. Anderson, Jr. ....Term expires 1960

## LINCOLN - SUDBURY

## REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

Howard W. Emmons .....Term expires 1958  
 Elizabeth B. Harding .....Term expires 1959  
 Donald J. MacRae .....Term expires 1960

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

Carlton W. Ellms, Sr. ....Term expires 1958  
 Arthur A. Smith .....Term expires 1958  
 Edward F. Moynihan .....Term expires 1958  
 Bernard T. McGuire .....Term expires 1959  
 Robert E. Nims .....Term expires 1959

## POLICE OFFICERS

(Under Civil Service)

John F. McGovern .....Chief of Police  
 Ernest A. Ryan .....Sergeant  
     Augustus V. E. Sharkey      Richard R. Hawes  
     Leonard E. Pike             Harry C. Shaw  
                                   Wesley M. Woodward

## Appointments by Selectmen

### CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Albert St. Germain

### BUILDING INSPECTOR

Albert St. Germain

### WIRE INSPECTOR

Albert St. Germain

### FOREST WARDEN

Albert St. Germain

### PUBLIC WEIGHER

Harvey N. Fairbank

### POUND KEEPER

Richard C. Hill

### SURVEYOR OF LUMBER AND MEASURER OF WOOD

Ralph H. Barton

Patrick Cotter

### INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Harry C. Rice

### FENCE VIEWERS

Board of Selectmen

### MEMBER OF SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

Lawrence B. Tighe

### SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Ernest A. Ryan

### TOWN AGENT FOR INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT BOARD

Harvey N. Fairbank

### SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERIES

F. Alvin Noyes

### GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTH WORK SUPERINTENDENT

Ernest T. Ferguson

### VETERANS' AGENT AND DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES

Mary E. Quinn

MEMBER SUDBURY PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING  
ASSOCIATION

Arthur E. Fay, Sr.

CHIEF CLERK

Mary E. Quinn

CUSTODIAN OF TOWN PROPERTY

Harvey N. Fairbank

DOG OFFICER

Harry C. Rice

DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

Lawrence Leone

DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

Albert S. Kennedy

SUPERVISOR GROUND OBSERVER CORPS

Stanley R. Colantuono

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER, CIVIL DEFENSE

F. William Graham

RADIO OFFICER, CIVIL DEFENSE

Eric Stromsted

POLICE OFFICERS

Arthur C. Morgello  
Waldo R. Logan  
James L. Devoll  
John R. MacLean, Jr.  
John W. Hutchby  
Everett W. Bowker  
Malcas Skog  
Armando S. Troisi  
Gordon C. Petersen  
Francis S. Farrell  
Michael Hriniaik

Joseph Paolini  
William W. MacCulloch  
Harry C. Rice  
Newton J. Taylor  
Chester M. Purdy  
George W. Taylor  
Douglas R. Lewis  
George J. Mailly  
Rodney C. Hadley  
Albert St. Germain  
Frank Kalland

Frederick K. Craig — Boy Scout Reservation

Ralph Yetton — Town Dump Only



## AUXILIARY POLICE

Basil E. C. Clair .....	Captain
Vincent Franco .....	Sergeant
Richard C. Jones .....	Lieutenant
H. David Macdonald	M. Granville Haley
Arthur W. Clark	Shirley F. Smith
Lewis A. Greenwood	Clarence F. Ames
Allan G. Bowry	Parker B. Albee
Richard T. Cutler	Robert E. Wickson
Clifford A. Nelson	Luther A. Harben
Richard P. Maurer	Patrick A. Requa
Raymond J. Spinelli	William E. Darling
Tadeus W. Nurczynski	

## TOWN ACCOUNTANT (Term expires 1958)

Clifton F. Giles

## TOWN ENGINEER

George D. White

## BOARD OF REGISTRARS

- (D) J. Leo Quinn — (To fill Vacancy) ..Term expires 1958  
 (D) Mary K. Howe — (To fill Vacancy) Term expires 1960  
 (R) John A. Raynor, Jr. ....Term expires 1959  
 (R) Lawrence B. Tighe .....Term expires 1959

## ELECTION OFFICERS

## Tellers

J. Leo Quinn  
 David S. Baldwin  
 Ralph H. Barton  
 Mary S. Maily  
 F. Alvin Noyes  
 Ann B. Maker  
 Barbara N. Blanchard  
 Teresa Pirrello  
 Dorothy R. McCarthy  
 George A. Brown

## Ballot Clerks

William W. MacCulloch  
 Frederick R. Stone  
 Herman H. Austin  
 Miriam F. Marquis  
 Lillie W. Nelson  
 Ann M. Moynihan  
 Jean A. Ferolito  
 Bernice H. Farrow  
 Jane D. Bennett

## PUBLIC WORKS ADVISORY BOARD

- Francis W. Trussell — (to fill vacancy) ..Term expires 1958  
 Richard P. Clark .....
 Term expires 1959 || John G. Woods ..... | Term expires 1960 |

## BOARD OF APPEALS

F. Alvin Noyes .....	Term expires	1958
Calvin B. Smith .....	Term expires	1959
Walter R. Hickler .....	Term expires	1960
Alton F. Clark .....	Term expires	1961
Stephen M. W. Gray .....	Term expires	1962
John Mercury — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Francis W. Trussell — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Milton F. Marsh — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Edward E. Kreitsek — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Albert J. Colacey — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Arthur L. Singer, Jr. — Associate .....	Term expires	1958

BOARD OF APPEALS  
(For Subdivision)

Edward A. Plumley .....	Term expires	1958
David S. Baldwin .....	Term expires	1959
Clarence E. Wormwood .....	Term expires	1960
Newton J. Taylor — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Robert Stevens — Associate .....	Term expires	1958
Leonard F. Smith — Associate .....	Term expires	1958

## INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Ralph E. Hawes .....	Term expires	1958
Kenneth L. Ritchie .....	Term expires	1958
Harvey N. Fairbank .....	Term expires	1958
Abel Cutting .....	Term expires	1959
Bernard T. McGuire .....	Term expires	1959
Aubrey W. Borden .....	Term expires	1960
Leslie C. Hall .....	Term expires	1960
Charles D. Preble .....	Term expires	1961
Donald J. MacRae .....	Term expires	1961
John T. Griffin .....	Term expires	1961
Freeman E. Patterson .....	Term expires	1962
Kenneth C. Hanna .....	Term expires	1962

## MEMBERS SUASCO WATER SHED ASSOCIATION

Harry C. Rice .....	Term expires	1958
Lorraine Y. Pooler — Alternate .....	Term expires	1958
Irving W. Pooler — Alternate .....	Term expires	1958

## LICENSES GRANTED

- All Alcoholic Package Goods Store:  
 Wayside Package Store Inc.  
 Forrest D. Bradshaw
- All Alcoholic as Innholder:  
 Sudbury Manor Inc.  
 The Wayside Inn
- Beer and Wine Package Goods Store:  
 Sudbury Super Market  
 Tracy's Package Store
- Beer and Wine Restaurant:  
 Svensk Kaffee Stuga  
 Ye Olde 117 House  
 Tucker's Inc.
- Special One Day Beer and Wine Permit:  
 Maria S.S. Indulgence Society  
 Society St. John The Baptiste  
 Saint Elia Society
- Common Victualler:
- |                        |                     |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| Twin Maples            | Ye Olde 117 House   |
| Tucker's Inc.          |                     |
| Town Line Delicatessen | Svensk Kaffee Stuga |
| Sudbury Drug           | Young's Store       |
| Louise's Dairy         |                     |
- Innholder:
- |                 |                    |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| The Wayside Inn | Sudbury Manor Inc. |
|-----------------|--------------------|
- Lord's Day Entertainment:
- |                    |               |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Twin Maples        | Tucker's Inc. |
| Sudbury Manor Inc. |               |
- Entertainment:
- |                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Sudbury Manor Inc.  | Ye Olde 117 House  |
| Twin Maples         | Tucker's Inc.      |
| Svensk Kaffee Stuga | Louise's Dairy Bar |
- Lord's Day Permits:
- |                        |                           |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Bowker's Store         | Peter George              |
| Kelton Wagner          | Mercury's Filling Station |
| Young's Store          | Allen's Country Store     |
| Johnson's Esso Station | Dudley's Store            |
| Kenneth Hooper         | Malgers Amoco Station     |
| Sudbury Rod & Gun Club | William B. Peterson       |
| Joseph H. Nugent       |                           |

Maria S.S. Indulgence Society — One Day Only  
St. John The Baptiste Society — One Day Only  
Saint Elia Society — One Day Only

Pin Ball Machine:

Armando S. Troisi (1)  
David T. Smith (Sudbury Manor Inc.) (4)

Sell, Rent or Lease Firearms:

Reed B. Parks  
Harry Poe  
Luther Harben

Gasoline Storage:

Robert Hooper	Gaetano Cavicchio
Linde Air Products	Stella Mulledy
John Flannigan	Joseph Nugent
Louise F. Cassella Inc.	

Loam Removal:

Stella B. Meachem  
Philip H. Johnson  
Robert D. and Norma L. Quirk  
Boston Edison Company

Used Car Dealer:

Arthur E. Fay, Sr.

Move Building through Sudbury:

Ernest Barilone

## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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In submitting this report, there is the feeling that the work of this board has been more effective and the public has been better served than in former years because, in addition to our most efficient Chief Clerk, there has been a member of the Selectmen in the office most of the time to handle routine matters. The appointment of a Town Engineer has also made the work of this board more efficient.

It has been apparent that the work of several Town departments has been facilitated and made more effective by this engineer. We were very fortunate to obtain the services of such an able and experienced man. Similar work with an adjoining city makes him especially valuable in setting up this department.

The purpose for which the so-called "Haynes" house is to be used has been debated with a committee appointed by the Town to consider the feasibility of using it as a health center. The Selectmen feel that it is more adaptable for use by departments located in the Town Hall. At the present time, it is being occupied by the Town Engineer and the Sudbury Historical Society and will be further occupied by a permanent fireman who will also serve as janitor of the Town hall as soon as adequate heating facilities are installed. If this house is not to be used as outlined above, it would be necessary to find space somewhere for the engineer and employ more permanent firemen. It is the opinion of the Selectmen that quarters for the Health Center should be located in the Center School when space is available. This would save the Town money in the long run and make possible more adequate facilities for medical purposes.

Relative to the estimate of the cost of putting the Haynes house into proper shape as requested at a previous Town Meeting, this board has no way of knowing what is meant by "proper shape." Much money could be spent to replaster, retimber and redecorate this structure. However, for all practical purposes for present requirements, the appropriation of \$500.00 as requested will put it into satisfactory shape and can be maintained for some time without any major expense.

It has been impossible to consummate the purchase of part of the Hunt land for cemetery purposes. The owner wishes to dispose of the entire property at this time, and therefore, it is recommended that the Town vote an additional amount to complete the deal. Later, if it is so desired, the Town can sell a portion of the lot to accommodate an abutter.

It is planned, at the time Old Sudbury Road is relocated between the Center and Davison corner, to provide a parking strip along the south side of the road beside the Town Hall. Angle parking here will provide much needed parking area.

Complaints have been received regarding unsightly sections along the Post Road. The Selectmen have been much concerned about the situation and are proposing a by-law change that will put a time limit for the completion of details and requirements as imposed by the Planning Board in its sight plan approval. Unfortunately, the statutes only give local authorities the power to force owners to maintain property in a way to guaranty the health and safety of the public. A program of education might improve the situation. Possibly the Chamber of Commerce might assist.

The dump problem has not been resolved permanently as everyone should know. There is little room left at the present sight. This makes it imperative that a new area be obtained by purchase, lease or eminent domain proceeding. Areas reported a year ago as suitable are available, together with a couple of others being considered by the Dump Committee. If a new location is to be designated, it is hoped that it will be chosen on its merits and not because of the voting strength of the particular area to be involved.

By-law changes are being offered in the warrant by the Selectmen to move forward that date for all Town departments to present their budgets and special articles for appropriations to the Finance Committee. This will give more time for public hearings and consideration by this committee and thus make it possible for Town Reports to be distributed at an earlier date than has been the case in the past.

The program of building private roads under the betterment act continues to grant relief and better accommodations to residents on such streets. It is hoped this method of improving private ways will continue.

With the retirement of our most efficient Highway Surveyor, it would appear to be the proper time to seriously consider the establishment of a Public Works Department. With the continued extension of water mains throughout the Town by the Water District, it appears that serious consideration should be given to the acquisition of this system by the Town and including it in a public works department to be administered by an engineer suitably qualified and compensated.

The Selectmen recommend that the Planning Board and Board of Appeals, together with Town Counsel and the Selectmen, make a study of the Town by-laws and zoning

laws in an effort to eliminate duplications, ambiguities and awkward phraseology. The matter of codifying should be given consideration.

Many other phases of this department could be discussed at this time if space would permit. Public mention should however be made of the retirement of Leo Quinn as janitor of the Town Hall before this report is ended.

At the time of his retirement, public appreciation for the long and faithful services of Leo were expressed in the form of a banquet in the Regional High School. The enthusiasm of the many people who made this celebration possible, indicated the feelings of regard and respect held by the people of Sudbury. Those of us who have worked with him for many years fully realize and appreciate his untiring services to the Town.

In closing this report the Selectmen wish to thank the Town officials and others who have worked with us in carrying out our duties. Special mention should be made of the police and fire department for their efforts and success in giving adequate protection to persons and property within the Town.

Respectfully submitted for the Selectmen,

HARVEY N. FAIRBANK.

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

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### PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

MARCH 4, 1957

Pursuant to law and the foregoing warrant, the Town Clerk attended at the Town Hall on Monday, March 4, 1957, and before the time appointed for the opening of the polls, delivered the ballots, the state ballot box with the keys thereto, specimen ballots, cards, tally sheets, and total vote sheet, all prepared, for the Annual Town Election to the Moderator, taking the required receipts therefor. At the hour named in said warrant, the Moderator examined the warrant and the return thereon and declared them in proper order.

He then opened the election with the reading of the warrant.

*VOTED: That the reading of the several articles of the Warrant be dispensed with at this time.*

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was:

*VOTED: That the choice of Field Drivers, Fence Viewers, a Pound Keeper and other officers not voted on the official ballot be delegated to the Selectmen.*

The Tellers attending, the ballot box was opened, found to be empty, and immediately closed, with the register set at 0000.

Assisting in the election were J. Leo Quinn, George W. Adams, F. Alvin Noyes, Ralph H. Barton, William MacCulloch, Herman H. Austin, Mary E. Gale, Jane D. Bennett, Marion Hriniak, Anne Buxton, Hazel Hamilton, Miriam F. Marquis, Lillie M. Nelson, David S. Baldwin, George A. Brown, Salvatore Floridaia, Ann B. Maker, Armando S. Troisi, Frederick R. Stone and Mary A. Willett, all duly sworn.

The polls opened at 10:00 A.M. and pursuant to law were closed at 8:00 P.M. The ballot box register showed the number of votes cast as 1163. The absentee ballots were then opened and cast. The ballot box register then showed the total number of ballots cast as 1172, which was the number of names checked on the four check lists kept by the Ballot Clerks and Tellers, all duly sworn.



The result of the voting as canvassed and counted by the election officers was completed at 11:30 P.M. and the results as publicly announced at that time were as follows:

Moderator, for One Year

L. Roy Hawes .....	1052
J. Carrell Morris .....	2
Blanks .....	118
Total .....	1172

Selectman, for Three Years

Lawrence B. Tighe .....	642
Francis W. Trussell .....	363
Frank W. Trussell .....	10
Frank Trussell .....	33
Trussell .....	27
Frances W. Trussell .....	2
Frances Trussell .....	2
Francis C. Trussell .....	1
F. W. Trussell .....	3
Francis Trussell .....	24
Donald J. MacRae .....	1
Lawrence Trussell .....	1
Blanks .....	62
Total .....	1172

Assessor, for Three Years

Alton F. Clark .....	679
Francis E. White .....	419
Scattering .....	1
Blanks .....	73
Total .....	1172

Treasurer, for Three Years

William E. Downing .....	1003
Scattering .....	5
Blanks .....	164
Total .....	1172

Member Board of Public Welfare, for Three Years

Beulah A. Stone .....	983
Louise F. Wynne .....	980
Scattering .....	1
Blanks .....	380
Total .....	2344

## Member School Committee, for Three Years

John A. Anderson, Jr. ....	734
Lawrence W. Tighe .....	585
Jack F. McGlynn .....	259
Robert E. Nims .....	510
Richard W. Senseman .....	88
Blanks .....	168
Total .....	2344

## Member Lincoln-Sudbury School Committee, for Three Years

Donald J. MacRae .....	925
Scattering .....	8
Blanks .....	239
Total .....	1172

## Highway Surveyor, for One Year

W. Gordon Hunter .....	965
Scattering .....	15
Blanks .....	192
Total .....	1172

## Three Constables, for One Year

Douglas R. Lewis, Jr. ....	711
Augustus V. E. Sharkey .....	923
John F. McGovern .....	875
Ernest A. Ryan .....	638
Scattering .....	5
Blanks .....	364
Total .....	3516

## Goodnow Library Committee, for Three Years

Bertha W. Smith .....	1081
Scattering .....	2
Blanks .....	139
Total .....	1172

## Member Board of Health, for Three Years

F. Daniel Buttner .....	998
Scattering .....	5
Blanks .....	169
Total .....	1172

## Tree Warden

Michael Hriniak .....	1041
Scattering .....	7
Blanks .....	124
Total .....	1172

## Member Planning Board, for Five Years

William L. Hall .....	528
Trueman C. Jackson .....	578
Scattering .....	2
Blanks .....	64
Total .....	1172

The Moderator thereupon declared the election dissolved.

A True Record, Attest:

LAWRENCE B. TIGHE,  
Town Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING  
MARCH 6, 1957

Pursuant to law and the foregoing warrant dated February 8, 1957 and signed by Arthur E. Fay, Sr., Allan G. Bowry and Harvey N. Fairbank, Selectmen, and the return of service by Augustus V. E. Sharkey, Constable, the Moderator presided, called the meeting to order at 7:30 P. M. and declared there was a quorum present. The Moderator examined the warrant and the return thereon and declared them in proper order. The Moderator then proceeded to read aloud the warrant.

VOTED: *To dispense with the reading of the separate articles in the Warrant at this time.*

The Moderator stated that the amount of "Free Cash" available as of January 1, 1957 was \$24,516.24.

Article 1. To hear the reports of the Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

VOTED: *That the report be accepted as printed subject to typographical errors when and if found.*

Article 2. To see if the Town will grant and appropriate or transfer from available funds the following sums or any other sums of money for any and all necessary town purposes for the ensuing year, and to fix the salaries of all elected officials for the year 1957 in accordance with the following schedule. Pass any votes or take any action relative thereto.

Section A was then read:

## A. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

		1956		1957	
		Appro- priations and Transfers	Charges	Requested	Recom- mended
1.	Assessors, Salaries ....	\$1,600.00	\$1,600.00	\$3,200.00	\$3,200.00
2.	Assessors, Expense ....	1,200.00	1,124.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
3.	Moderator .....	70.00	70.00	50.00	100.00
4.	Selectmen, Salaries ...	600.00	600.00	600.00	1,200.00
5.	Selectmen, Expense ..	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
6.	Treasurer, Salary .....	1,300.00	1,299.96	2,000.00	1,500.00
7.	Treasurer, Expense ..	350.00	350.00	350.00	350.00
7-A.	Treasurer, Tax Title Expense .....	130.71	130.71	125.00	125.00
8.	Town Clerk, Salary ..	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
9.	Town Clerk, Expense	1,010.00	871.49	850.00	850.00
10.	Registrars, Expense ..	1,341.58	1,341.58	925.00	925.00
10-A.	Registrars, Salary ....	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
11.	Registrars — Clerk's Salary .....	350.00	350.00	350.00	350.00
12.	Tax Collector, Salary	2,800.00	2,800.00	2,800.00	2,800.00
13.	Tax Collector, Expense	679.98	679.98	1,283.00	1,133.00
14.	Clerk Hire .....	8,978.97	8,978.97	11,000.00	11,000.00
15.	Town Accountant Sal- ary .....	1,100.00	1,100.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
16.	Town Accountant, Ex- pense .....	150.00	134.55	150.00	150.00
17.	Election and Town Meeting Expense ....	1,254.97	1,254.97	800.00	800.00
18.	Board of Appeals .....	275.00	138.53	275.00	275.00
19.	Board of Appeals — Subdivision .....	50.00	2.00	25.00	25.00
20.	Legal Expense .....	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
21.	Office Supplies .....	350.00	349.63	350.00	1,350.00
22.	Planning Board Ex- pense .....	750.00	722.44	750.00	750.00
23.	Custodian Town Prop- erty .....	50.00	35.90	50.00	50.00
24.	Town Hall Expense ..	4,322.17	4,322.17	4,000.00	4,000.00
25.	Finance Committee Expense .....	100.00	15.00	100.00	100.00
26.	Town Hall Office Equip. Maint. ....	350.00	347.00	430.00	430.00
26-A.	Town Hall Office Equip. Purchase .....			1,345.00	1,405.00
27.	Town Hall Repairs ....	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,025.00	2,025.00
27-A.	Town Property Re- pairs—Haynes House			1,000.00	1,000.00
28.	Telephone Account ...	2,300.00	2,063.59	2,000.00	2,000.00
29.	Town Surveyor, Salary and Expense .....			5,000.00	5,000.00
		\$37,263.38	\$36,482.52	\$49,333.00	\$50,393.00

Salary of Tree Warden — \$10.00 per day plus \$2.00 per day transportation.

Salary of Highway Surveyor — \$3,300.00 per annum.

## Assessors, Salaries

Chairman	\$900.00
Secretary	750.00
Third Member	750.00

## Selectmen, Salaries

Chairman	375.00
Secretary	300.00
Third Member	225.00

Finance Committee Report: "Under this section the Finance Committee wishes to reiterate that the increases recommended in the salaries of elected officials and others is of a temporary nature pending the report of the Committee on Administration and Finance.

Under item 26A — Purchase of Office Equipment for the Town Hall — the following items are contemplated —

Adding Machine	\$275.00
File — Planning Board	450.00
Check Writing Machine	560.00
Cabinet — Plates	120.00

Item 27A—has been segregated from Town Hall Repairs — this item contemplates the painting of the Haynes House.

Item 29 — Town Surveyor Salary and Expense in the amount of \$5,000.00 is to provide a salary for the position set up at a special town meeting during 1956.

While each item will be taken up separately by the Moderator in considering this section of the budget appropriations — for record purposes we will present a motion on the total items hereunder — also, further motions will be made to set salaries."

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was:

VOTED: *To Change Item 29 to read "Town Engineer."*

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was:

VOTED: *To amend Section A, Item 1, Assessors' Salaries from \$3,200.00 to \$2,400.00.*

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was:

VOTED: *To amend Section A, Item 4, Selectmen's Salaries from \$1,200.00 to \$900.00.*

Upon motion duly made and seconded; it was:

VOTED: *To amend Section A, Item 6, Treasurer's Salary from \$1,500.00 to \$1,400.00.*

VOTED: That the sum of \$49,193.00 be appropriated for the various accounts as listed under Section A. General Government.

VOTED: That the salary of the Tree Warden shall be \$10.00 per day plus \$2.00 per day transportation to be charged to the various departmental budgets under his jurisdiction, and that the salary of the Highway Surveyor shall be \$3,300.00 per annum to be charged to the various departmental budgets under his jurisdiction. In the matter of salaries, it shall be understood under this article that all salaries shall be retroactive to January 1, 1957.

VOTED: That the town authorize the Board of Registrars to appoint one of their own members to have charge of the listing of residents and that the compensation for this work shall be \$350.00 per year. The compensation for the year 1957 shall be charged against the Registrars' Clerk Salary Account.

Section B was then read:

#### B. PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

1.	Dog Officer, Salary and Expense .....	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$500.00	\$500.00
2.	Fire Dept., Salaries ..	13,729.50	13,729.50	17,640.00	17,640.00
2-A.	Fire Dept., Expense ..	1,100.00	1,075.66	1,100.00	1,100.00
2-B.	Fire Dept., New Equipment .....	3,400.00	3,368.28	3,150.00	3,150.00
3.	Police Dept., Salaries	17,400.00	17,266.62	22,232.00	22,232.00
3-A.	Police Dept., Expense	3,544.34	3,524.39	4,605.00	4,605.00
3-B.	Police Dept., Uniforms	274.00	124.00	120.00	120.00
4.	Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00
5.	Hydrant Rental .....	3,360.00	3,360.00	4,130.00	4,130.00
6.	Tree Department .....	1,500.00	1,499.92	2,000.00	2,000.00
7.	Moth Dept. Salary and Expense .....	500.00	494.36	500.00	500.00
8.	Elm Leaf Spray and Dutch Elm .....	1,000.00	996.03	2,000.00	2,000.00
9.	Radio Account .....	1,328.02	1,328.02	1,330.00	1,330.00
10.	Civil Defense .....	1,015.58	743.96		
11.	Building Inspector Expense .....	125.00	111.73	125.00	125.00
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		\$48,701.44	\$48,047.47	\$59,557.00	\$59,557.00

Finance Committee Report: "Item 2— Fire Department Salaries. The principal increases in this item are represented by the following—

\$800.00 increase in the salary of Chief

\$3,700.00 to provide for two full time firemen rather than one man to partially cover during the day.

A decrease of \$500.00 in so-called "fire time."

Item 2-B Fire Department New Equipment— This item is principally for the purchase of new hose in the amount of \$2,000.00. The balance is for the purchase of oxygen equipment, radio for truck and hose nozzles.

Item 3—Police Department Expense. The increases in this account are represented by the following—

Increase in salary of chief	\$700.00
Increase in salary of sergeant	700.00
Increase in 3 patrolmen	700.00
Increase provision for special police	1200.00

Item 5—Hydrant Rental— This item is based on the installation of 95 hydrants as at December 31, 1956. In the report of the Finance Committee for 1956, it was recommended that this appropriation be based on \$36.00 per hydrant installed as of the end of the year. Inasmuch as each year it was difficult to determine the amount which should be appropriated for this account, the amount of \$36.00 was arrived at as a base figure to be multiplied by the number of hydrants installed as an indication of the facilities maintained by the Water District to supply water for these hydrants.

Tree Department appropriations— In each instance the Finance Committee has recommended the amount requested by the Tree Warden. It was apparent at the hearings conducted by this committee that it was the general concensus that these funds should be provided for these purposes.

Item 10— No funds have been provided for Civil Defense as there is a balance remaining in the budget of \$271.00."

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was:

VOTED: *To amend Section B. Item 3, Police Officers' salaries from \$22,232.00 to \$22,850.00.*

VOTED: *That the amount of \$60,175.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section C was then read:

### C. HEALTH AND SANITATION

1. Animal Inspector Salary .....	\$225.00	\$225.00	\$225.00	\$225.00
2. Board of Health, Expense .....	2,000.00	1,272.37	2,000.00	2,000.00
3. Dental Clinic .....	900.00	583.90	2,100.00	2,100.00
4. Public Health Nurse Salary .....	1,700.00	1,700.00	2,100.00	2,100.00
5. Mosquito Control .....	2,500.00	2,285.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
	\$7,325.00	\$6,066.27	\$8,925.00	\$8,925.00

Finance Committee Report: "The major increase under this category is in item 3 — Dental Clinic. This increase contemplates the purchase of a new dental chair in the amount of \$1,200.00."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$8,925.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section D was then read:

#### D. HIGHWAYS

1.	Bridge Repair .....	\$200.00		\$500.00	\$500.00
2.	Chapter 81 .....	29,325.00	29,324.82	8,875.00	8,875.00
3.	Chapter 90—Construction .....	17,000.00	17,000.00*	4,250.00	4,250.00
4.	Chapter 90 — Maintenance .....	4,500.00	4,498.26	1,500.00	1,500.00
5.	General Highway .....	14,000.00	13,997.54	15,500.00	15,500.00
6.	Snow and Ice Account .....	24,364.75	24,364.75	20,000.00	20,000.00
7.	Street and Traffic Lights .....	7,000.00	6,416.83	7,500.00	7,000.00
8.	Town Dump .....	1,500.00	1,458.56	5,000.00	5,000.00
9.	Road Machinery .....	6,500.00	6,497.23	6,500.00	6,500.00
		\$104,389.75	\$103,557.99	\$69,625.00	\$69,125.00

\* \$7,990.90 Expended — Balance Forward.

Finance Committee Report: "Under this category, we wish to point out that under the various Chapter 81 and 90 accounts the charges for 1956 do not represent funds provided by the town totally. These accounts are composed of funds provided by the Town, State and County — so called "matching funds."

The requested funds under this category are similar to the 1956 funds with the exception of the Dump account, item 8. This amount \$5,000.00 appears to be the minimum amount necessary for the operation of the Dump."

VOTED: *To table Section D, item 8, Town Dump.*

VOTED: *That the amount of \$64,125.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

(After Article 69, Item 8, Section D, Highways, was taken from the table and \$5,000.00 was voted under Section D, Item 8, for the Town Dump. The total is now \$69,125.00)

Section E was then read:

#### E. CHARITIES

1.	Aid to Dependent Children .....	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
2.	Public Welfare Adm. ....	1,800.00	1,800.00	2,000.00	2,000.00



3.	General Relief .....	3,000.00	967.25	2,000.00	2,000.00
4.	Old Age Assistance ..	26,000.00	26,000.00	22,000.00	22,000.00
5.	Disability Assistance	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
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		\$34,800.00	\$32,767.25	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00

Finance Committee Report: "It is the opinion of this committee that the Board of Public Welfare operates at a minimum expense."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$30,000.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section F was then read:

#### F. VETERANS' BENEFITS

1.	Veterans' Services ..	\$2,000.00	\$1,089.35	\$2,000.00	\$3,000.00
2.	Veterans' Agent and Director — Salary and Expense .....	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00
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		\$2,250.00	\$1,339.35	\$2,250.00	\$3,250.00

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee has recommended the amount of \$3,250.00 based on the case load of this Department."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$3,250.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section G was then read:

#### G. SCHOOLS

1.	Schools, Salaries and Expense .....	\$236,162.00	\$235,390.23	\$286,296.00	\$286,296.00
1-A.	School Outlays .....	2,380.00	2,372.31	1,710.00	1,710.00
2.	Vocational Tuition ....	2,376.00	1,255.78	.00	.00
3.	School Rental .....	400.00	292.11	400.00	400.00
4.	Out of State Travel ..	350.00	343.37	300.00	300.00
5.	Regional School .....	87,647.00	87,647.00	196,661.12	196,661.12
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		\$329,315.00	\$327,300.80	\$485,367.12	\$485,367.12

Finance Committee Report: "We have reviewed the original budget of the School Committee in detail and have also reviewed a revised budget of this Committee. The principal increases in this account is represented by increases in the basic salary scale and increased staffing for the 1957 school year. This committee is satisfied that the amount requested is fair and sufficient for the efficient operation of the schools.

The Regional School budget in the amount of \$196,661.12 has also been reviewed by the Finance Committee in detail. This budget provides for the operation of the Regional

School, i.e. the allocable portion of this Town for the full year of 1957, also, it provides for the amortization of the bonded indebtedness of the Region.

VOTED: *That the amount of \$485,367.12 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section H was then read:

#### H. LIBRARIES

1. Goodnow Library ..... \$4,125.00 \$4,125.00 \$5,670.00 \$5,670.00

Finance Committee Report: "The increase in the account is represented principally in increased salaries in the amount of \$900.00.

VOTED: *That the amount of \$5,670.00 be appropriated for the Goodnow Library Account.*

Section I was then read:

#### I. PARKS AND RECREATION

1.	Parks and Cemeteries	\$1,000.00	\$656.34	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
2.	Soldiers' Lots and Monuments .....	200.00	102.60	200.00	200.00
3.	Cemeteries, Expense	700.00	561.25	700.00	700.00
4.	Fourth of July Exp.	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00
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		\$2,500.00	\$1,920.19	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00

Finance Committee Report: "The various amounts requested under this section are similar to 1956."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$3,000.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section J was then read:

#### J. UNCLASSIFIED

1.	Incidentals .....	\$600.00	\$477.06	\$600.00	\$600.00
2.	Print Town Report ..	2,000.00	1,869.01	2,000.00	2,500.00
3.	Reserve Fund .....	6,000.00	3,923.29	6,000.00	6,000.00
4.	Town Clock Care .....	65.00	65.00	65.00	65.00
5.	Memorial Day Expense .....	500.00	410.93	500.00	500.00
6.	Insurance .....	9,000.00	8,571.68	12,300.00	12,300.00
7.	Bonding Expense .....	611.00	606.00	775.00	775.00
8.	Legion Hall Expense	816.97	816.97	1,000.00	1,000.00
9.	Industrial Commission	1,000.00	9.09	1,000.00	1,000.00
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		\$20,592.97	\$16,749.03	\$24,240.00	\$24,740.00

Finance Committee Report: "The various amounts requested under this section are similar to 1956 with the

exception of Insurance. The amount of \$12,300.00 for this account has been determined by the insurance agents and provides similar coverage as in prior years. It is our understanding that it also provides for the conversion of one year policies to three year policies."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$24,740.00 be appropriated for the various accounts named in the article.*

Section K was then read:

### K. INTEREST

1. Interest on Bonds and Notes .....	\$6,727.95	\$6,727.95	\$9,050.00	\$9,050.00
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Finance Committee Report: "This amount has been determined on the basis of the outstanding indebtedness of the town."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$9,050.00 be appropriated for interest on bonds and notes.*

VOTED: *Under Article 2, that the appropriated accounts aggregating \$748,495.12 be raised as follows:*

That the following accounts be closed and transferred:

Survey and Prepare Assessors Maps	\$81.55
Prepare and Publish Town By-Laws	585.25
Shingling and Painting Horse Sheds	513.30
Signs relative to No Hunting By-Law	62.50
Enforcement of No Hunting By-Law	50.00
Surveying, Engineering or Drafting	3,199.71
Painting Town Hall Exterior	720.50
Traffic Island Concord Rd.	127.52
Original Const. Autumn and Pine	454.41
Original Const. Pokonoket Ave.	201.82
Lillian Road Construction	193.21
Expense School Bldg. Com.	1,596.74

	\$7,786.51
Raised by Taxes	740,708.61
Total	\$748,495.12

Finance Committee Report: "In explanation of the accounts to be closed. These accounts are dormant and after consultation with the Selectmen it appears that the purpose of the original appropriation has been accomplished."

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the 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, 1957, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Treasurer.

Upon motion of the Finance Committee, duly made and seconded, it was:

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$19,525.00, or any other sum, for Chapter 81 Highways from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the state's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the state to be restored, upon their receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Treasurer.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$12,750.00, or any other sum, for Chapter 90 Construction from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the state and county share of the costs of the work, the reimbursements from the state and county to be restored, upon their receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Treasurer.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$3,000.00, or any other sum, for Chapter 90 Maintenance from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the state and county share of the costs of the work, the reimbursements from the state and county to be restored, upon their receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Treasurer.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$1000.00,

or any other sum, for the purpose of replacing highway trees destroyed by storm or disease; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Tree Warden.

Not recommended by Finance Committee.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$2000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of closing in and repairing the abandoned town sand bins to garage tree and moth department equipment; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Tree Warden.

Approved by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "It is the opinion of this committee that there is available an excellent structure which should be retained, improved and made available for the Cemetery and Tree Department. We feel that the \$2,000.00 requested under this article will be well expended."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$2,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$500.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of dismantling and removing the old town barn; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Finance Committee.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$800.00, or any other sum, for extending the water line a distance of approximately 800 feet in back of the Goodnow Library; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Mrs. George Maily.

Approved by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "This committee has approved the purpose of this article based on the improvements and facilities constructed in the vicinity of the Goodnow Library. It is our understanding that the contemplated

water line will supply the basketball court, Boy Scout Cabin and Girl Scout Cabin."

*VOTED: That the amount of \$800.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$5,000, or any other sum, for the purpose of locating and surveying a route for a main North-South Highway; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Not recommended by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee feels that this project is definitely a State or County problem—That these monies should not be expended by the Town. It does not necessarily hold that if a highway was located and surveyed by the Town that such location would be approved by the State or County; also it does not appear to this committee that such a highway which might cost in excess of one million dollars would be built by the Town."

A motion presented by David G. Chase calling for \$1,000 was lost.

Article 12. To see what disposition will be made of the dog tax money for the year 1957; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

Finance Committee recommends transfer to Goodnow Library account.

Finance Committee Report: "The estimated dog tax money for the year 1957 has been taken into account in preparing the Library budget."

*VOTED: That the Town transfer from the Dog Tax Refund Account the sum of \$1,246.99, the same being transferred to the Goodnow Library Account.*

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to have the Committee, appointed by the Moderator in accordance with Article 36 of the adjourned special town meeting of October 26, 1956, be continued, and grant or appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00, or any other sum, for the Committee's purposes; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Committee for Preservation of Ancient Records.

Approved by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "This committee heartily approves the purpose of this article."

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Permanent Building Committee composed of five members as follows: Three for terms of 3 years, one to be the Chairman of the present School Building Committee, one appointed by the Selectmen, one appointed by the Planning Board, and two for terms of 2 years, one appointed by the School Committee, one appointed by the Finance Committee. All subsequent appointments to be for terms of two years. At the expiration of the term of the present School Building Committee Chairman, his place shall be filled by an additional appointee of the Finance Committee. Vacancies on this committee shall be filled by the proper appointing board.

The duty of this committee shall be to have general supervision over the design and construction of all public buildings, including the authority to employ professional assistance and, subject to specific authorization by the Town, to enter into contracts on behalf of the Town for the preparation of construction plans and specifications and for the construction of buildings and other structures; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "At the Finance Committee hearings it was brought out that it was the intention of both the Planning Board and the School Committee to have a building committee appointed. In general it was the consensus of opinion that a committee entitled a Permanent Building Committee to survey, recommend and supervise all public buildings to be constructed should be appointed; inasmuch as two articles were submitted, these articles have been included in the warrant. However, it was the understanding of this committee that action on both of these articles could be considered as one by the proponents of both articles; and that the general theme of a motion to be presented would concern a committee entitled Permanent Building Committee. Therefore, to expedite the business of this meeting—

Move: Indefinite postponement of Article 14.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$3,000.00, or any other sum, for the purchase of a plot of land containing approximately two acres more or less situated on Horse Pond Road, Sudbury, from Albert R. Eaton for school site purposes, and that the School Building Committee be authorized to purchase said plot of land; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the School Building Committee.

Approved by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "We have been informed by the School Building Committee that it is advisable to purchase a certain plot of land containing approximately two acres situated on Horse Pond Road adjacent to the school site. It is the opinion of this committee that the request for \$3,000.00 can be saved in the general appropriation of \$450,000.00 for the construction of the school. If this is correct, then in the appropriation of this \$3,000.00 we are in effect advancing this sum for the purchase of land which will ultimately be refunded when the school construction is completed. The Finance Committee recommends this article."

VOTED: *That the sum of \$3,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article to be expended under the jurisdiction of the School Building Committee with the approval of the Board of Selectmen.*

(Following Article 34, a motion to rescind Article 15 was lost).

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to create a Permanent Building Committee, the first work of said Committee being to make site surveys of the Haynes Road, Woodside Road, and other sites acquired for school purposes, and to develop plans for an elementary school to be located on one of these sites for occupancy by September 1958, and to appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the use of the Committee. All plans for school buildings shall be subject to the approval of the School Committee. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by School Committee.

Finance Committee recommends sum of \$4,000.00.



Finance Committee report: "At the Finance Committee hearings various estimates were made of the amounts required to formulate information to be presented to the townspeople relative to schools and school plans. These estimates varied from \$10,000.00 down to \$1,400.00. It is the recommendation of the Finance Committee that \$4,000.00 be appropriated to make site surveys for school purposes so that the general features of the land can be determined in a number of sites. This is information which is necessary no matter in what order the sites will be used for school construction. We feel that the next site to be developed should be decided upon by the townspeople and at that time further sums should be appropriated for construction plans, but not before the site is chosen."

A motion calling for \$10,000.00 was presented by the School Committee.

AMENDMENT VOTED: *To change "Finance Committee" to "Moderator" to make appointments.*

AMENDMENT VOTED: *To add the words "developed in conjunction with."*

VOTED: *That the Town establish a Permanent Building Committee composed of five members as follows: Three for 3 years, one to be the chairman of the present School Building Committee, one appointed by the Selectmen, one appointed by the Planning Board, and two for terms of 2 years, one appointed by the Moderator, and one appointed by the School Committee. At the expiration of the term of the present School Building Committee Chairman, his place shall be filled by an additional appointee of the Moderator. All subsequent appointments to be for terms of two years. Vacancies on this committee shall be filled by the proper appointing board.*

*The duty of this committee shall be to have general supervision over the design and construction of all public buildings, including the authority to employ professional assistance and, subject to specific authorization by the Town, to enter into contracts on behalf of the Town for the preparation of construction plans and specifications and for the construction of buildings and other structures. All such plans and specifications shall be developed in conjunction with and subject to the approval of the appropriate committee, board, or department head concerned.*

*The first work of said committee shall be to make site surveys of the Haynes Road, Woodside Road, and other sites acquired for school purposes and to develop plans for an elementary school to be located on one of these sites for occupancy by September 1958. The sum of \$10,000 shall*

*be appropriated for the use of the committee for this purpose.*

The following resolution was submitted by Richard A. Maker and was adopted by acclamation:

*Be it resolved that the citizens of the Town of Sudbury express their deep appreciation to Kate-Alden G. Hough for her 6 years of earnest and faithful service to the Town of Sudbury as Clerk of the Board of Health.*

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to hear and act on the report and recommendations of the so-called "Dump Committee;" take action or pass any votes relative thereto. Submitted by the Dump Committee.

### REPORT OF THE DUMP COMMITTEE

In carrying out the wishes of the Town relative to the problem of waste disposal, this committee has had valued advice from the State Department of Public Health and three competent sanitary engineers. All of these agencies have viewed sites being considered with members of the committee, and their reports and observations have been of much assistance in finding a solution to this problem.

It would appear from avenues explored by the committee that, whereas the dump situation is critical at the present time it need not throw us into a panic. From observations, some of our citizens have become a bit panicky at the thought of the Town designating certain areas within their midst for the establishment of a dump.

As a result of sentiment expressed at two public hearings and a canvass of the feelings of many people, the committee places the open type of dump in the category of "remote" possibility in Sudbury, and then only if sufficient amount of money is made available to do a better job of operating than has been done in the past.

Three types of disposal were explored as follows: Incineration, Sanitary Land Fill and the open face variety.

Incineration has two types, the permanent and the mobile. The latter type was found to be in the experimental stage and little time was spent with it because none was available.

The permanent type incinerator, which appears to be the most logical and satisfactory method for the future in congested areas, consists of a building—large or small depend-

ing on the capacity desired — so designed to withstand tremendous heat, and a furnace capable of generating heat up to seventeen or eighteen thousand degrees. Materials are dumped into this furnace, burned, and then the remains hauled to an area set aside for this type of material. This presents no sanitary problem.

This type of disposal is available in the town of Framingham. The committee met with the Public Works Dept. and were given assurance that they had sufficient capacity to accommodate Sudbury for several years at a price estimated to be about \$6,500.00 per year based on a per ton price of \$9.00. While this cost appears to be attractive on the face of it, there are other costs entering into this particular possibility that make it prohibitive, such as collecting the material and depositing it in the incinerator in a suitable manner. Since the cost is based on the tonnage delivered, individuals would thus be denied the privilege of using the facility and those who are now in the business of collecting waste material would be required to purchase dump trucks or especially designed vehicles and collect from practically all in town; or the Town could purchase and operate a suitable truck to haul material from a central station to Framingham. This method of solution appeared too expensive and complicated to recommend further consideration by the town at this time.

The type of disposal given the most consideration by the committee was the so called Sanitary Land Fill. This method consists of taking certain designated areas adaptable to the process, such as areas having a depression or hollow place, or more or less level land where trenches can be dug and filled according to accepted practice. This type of operation was depicted on screen at one of the hearings held by the committee to show the townspeople as well as the committee the details of such an operation. The film showed loads of rubbish being dumped in hollow places or trenches, this material compacted with machines and then covered with earth. To properly operate a Land Fill Dump, proper machinery must be available to compact the rubbish and cover it with a proper amount of gravel or fill every day. In this way, garbage and rubbish could be disposed of together without violating the laws of sanitation.

To carry on this type of disposal successfully, land must be made available; proper machinery must be bought or rented; a capable man must be in attendance at prescribed times to operate and supervise the project; material must be made available to cover as needed; the area must be properly fenced; a sufficient amount of water should be

available to put out fires which might start accidentally and wet down papers and dust, and above all, rules and regulations to control the operation adequately drawn and rigidly enforced.

Four locations as possible sites for this type of dump were considered. Each had different characteristics which will be briefly outlined.

The first was a swampy area to the north of the center elementary school of about 15 acres and owned by the Town as a part of the school property. This area could be operated as an enlargement of the process already in existence. The sewerage disposal area of the school would have to be protected and the stream of water running thru the property would have to be piped or relocated to prevent contamination. If this area were to be designated, engineering services would be needed to properly lay out the project. This area would not have sufficient amount of material to properly cover refuse. It would be an added expense of the operation to haul it to the site.

At one of the hearings, much opposition to this site was presented. A film was shown and a representative of the Dept. of Public Health described the method of operating a land fill dump. Yet objections persisted and they were duly recorded by the committee.

The committee points out the advantages of this site and the value that could accrue to the Town with its selection. It is centrally located; sufficient buildings are present to house equipment; valuable play area could be developed for the school; its operation could be easily supervised and regulations enforced. Detriment to the neighborhood is claimed by near residents.

The second site suitable and available in this category, is an area adjacent to the Maynard town dump but within the Town of Sudbury. This area is available on a rental basis, while further area could be made available by gift. Plenty of material is available for coverage at this site with the possibility of extra material available for other Town purposes. Disadvantages would be its remoteness from the center of population and nearness to homes.

The present town dump site could be very easily adapted to a Land Fill type dump which would serve for many years by the acquisition of more acreage either by purchase or eminent domain. There is a small brook, the course of which might have to be changed at some future date to eliminate the danger of contamination. This should not present a serious problem if the Town owns the land. This area is

on the side of a gravelly slope which could be used for fill and other purposes.

The Anderson property, previously considered, is still available by purchase. This is a tract of land of 48 acres composed of gravel to a considerable depth very adaptable to the operation of a land fill type of dump. Incidentally, it is adjacent to the area that would be needed to enlarge the present dump site. It is a long narrow strip of land which, if operated in the extreme north end would present a problem to prevent illegal dumping along the road leading to the designated dumping area. To fence the entire length would be prohibitive. The area is isolated and would be hard to regulate. Probably the most serious obstacle to the use of this area is the threat of litigation. Advantages of this area are the size of the lot, the type of material in the land and a piece of saleable land when the area is fully developed. According to statistics it is estimated that one acre of land is required for every 10,000 population. Thus this area would last for 96 years on this basis.

In the open dump category we place the area of land adjoining the Maynard dump. This could be operated on a basis similar to that of Maynard. For \$1200.00 the owner of the land would excavate continually, an area into which the people of Sudbury could deposit their rubbish as they do at present. Burning could be permitted similar to Maynard. Sudbury would have to fence the frontage and furnish a caretaker. The committee feels that this type of operation cannot long endure where houses are so near. This cost would be about \$5,000.00 per year to operate.

Lastly, we present the open type dump being used by Wayland which may be available as a solution to our problem. The committee has met with the Wayland Selectmen and a tentative agreement has been made which would allow Sudbury residents the privilege of using this dump on the Post Road in a manner similar to that of the Wayland residents. A by-law change by Wayland is needed to allow for this arrangement. This is to be acted on at their annual meeting. The cost of this arrangement, as agreed, would be \$5,000.00 per year. The Board of Public Works is responsible for the operation of dumps in Wayland subject to the regulations of the Board of Health. It is anticipated that these regulations will not be more restrictive than those in effect in Sudbury. We believe that the Selectmen of Sudbury and Wayland would be able to establish an agreement that will work out to the benefit of both towns.

We believe this to be the best solution to our problem as it does not establish any new area as a dump and the

cost is as low as any solution that could be found within Sudbury. There would be little supervision by us.

To summarize estimated costs which enter into the proposals mentioned, the following figures are presented. The open type dumps would cost about \$5,000.00 per year with few capital expenditures; to operate the land fill type, it would cost \$7,000.00 to \$8,000.00 with capital expenditures for equipment and land. Capital expenditures on the Anderson property would be around \$36,000.00; on the present dump site \$25,000.00; on the Maynard Line site \$16,000.00 and the center school site \$18,000.00.

To operate a dump satisfactorily in Sudbury, the committee recommends the purchase of a machine suitable to compact and cover the refuse; a fence to protect the area and a man to operate under rigid regulations by the Selectmen.

After due consideration for the feelings of the citizens of Sudbury and the cost involved, the committee unanimously recommends that the Town authorize the Selectmen to enter into such an agreement with the town of Wayland as will afford a satisfactory area to dispose of its waste material.

Recognizing the possibility that the agreement with Wayland might be of short duration, this committee recommends that it be continued to keep abreast of the situation and be ready to present a solution when the occasion arises. Many places in Sudbury are adaptable to the land fill type of dump.

We believe that our citizens do not care for the *open* type dump in Sudbury. Therefore, if Wayland turns us down, it is our belief that the Sanitary Land Fill dump must be the solution until such time as incineration becomes economically feasible, bearing in mind that regional incinerators may be practical earlier than we now believe possible. A continuation of this committee could be the means of working out such a deal.

The committee appreciates the cooperation of the chairman of the Board of Health, also, Mr. Merrill who assisted while Mr. Johnson was in Florida, and the engineers who met with us.

HARVEY N. FAIRBANK

*VOTED: That the Town accept the report of the Dump Committee and take action relative to its recommendations under articles either 18 or 19 depending on certain action taken by the Town of Wayland.*

The meeting adjourned to 7:30 P. M., Thursday, March 7, 1957.

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Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to enter into such contracts or agreements as they may deem necessary to furnish a suitable and sufficient repository for rubbish and waste material of the Town; take action or pass any votes relative thereto.

Submitted by the Dump Committee.

VOTED: *That the Town authorize the Selectmen to enter into such contracts or agreements as they may deem necessary to furnish a sufficient and suitable dumping area for rubbish and waste material of the citizens of Sudbury, and continue the Dump Committee to carry on further studies relating to refuse disposal. It is to be understood that this contract or agreement is contingent upon passage of an enabling act by the Town of Wayland.*

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money to be used to purchase land and equipment necessary to operate a so-called "Land Fill" type of dump; or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Dump Committee.

Finance Committee to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *To lay on the table.* (After Article 69 it was removed from the table and voted indefinite postponement.)

VOTED: *To take up Article 70.*

VOTED: *To lay on the table.*

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$1,982.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of extending the fire alarm system along Concord Road from Sudbury Center to the Boston Post Road at South Sudbury; said funds to be used to defray the cost of the wire, alarm boxes, and pole hardware; the installation to be made by the Fire Department at no cost to the Town; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department.

Approved by Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "As explained in the article the sum of \$1,982.00 has been requested to extend the fire alarm system along Concord Road. This is the start of a fire alarm system which the Fire Department considers necessary for fire protection, which we understand will be extended annually until the Town is completely zoned by fire call stations. The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$1,982.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$2,400.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of purchasing a site for a fire station on the east side of the corner of Boston Post Road and Massasoit Avenue; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by Chief of Fire Department—The Planning Board.

Approved by Finance Committee.

Approved by Planning Board.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article, and recommends its adoption. The article calls for the purchase of a fire station site and the retention of land until the necessity for the construction of a fire station is definitely established."

AMENDMENT VOTED: *To insert the words "and/or Police" between the words "Fire" and "Station."*

AMENDMENT VOTED: *That the Town enter into a purchase and sales agreement which shall clearly define the bounds of this property. Said agreement to be signed in behalf of the Town by the Selectmen; that the seller furnish the Town with an accurate description of the lot.*

VOTED: *That the amount of \$2,400.00 be appropriated for the purpose of purchasing a site for a Fire and/or Police Station on the east side of the corner of Boston Post Road and Massasoit Avenue; that the Town enter into a purchase and sales agreement which shall clearly define the bounds of this property. Said agreement to be signed in behalf of the Town by the Selectmen; and that the seller furnish the Town with an accurate description of the lot.*

The following resolution was submitted by Lawrence B. Tighe and was adopted by acclamation:



*Resolved that the citizens of Sudbury hereby acknowledge with deep and sincere appreciation the 27 consecutive years of faithful service rendered by Webster Cutting as a member, and chairman, for many years, of the Sudbury Board of Assessors.*

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$6,500.00, or any other sum, from the Road Machinery Fund to the Road Machinery Account; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Highway Surveyor.

Not recommended by Finance Committee.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 23. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of renovating and enlarging the children's facilities of the Goodnow Library and for furnishing the same, and to determine whether the money shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Library Committee.

Approved by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article. We understand that the renovation contemplated in this article includes the modernization of the lavatory facilities and provision for stack space for books. With the present use of the library some provision must be made for expansion. As far as we can determine this expansion in no way conflicts with the school library facilities; as the major development in the school library is evident in the Regional School and will be available generally to high school students.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *That the amount of \$15,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article and that \$2,000.00 be raised by taxation and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen issue bonds or notes in the amount of \$13,000.00 to be repaid in not more than ten years.*

The following resolution was submitted by Arthur E. Fay, Sr. and was adopted by acclamation:

*Resolved that the Town does hereby express its appreciation of the generous services rendered to the Town by*

*Allan G. Bowry as a Selectman during the past three years. The Town has benefited by his experience as a successful business man, and his wisdom in dealing with the many problems with which the Board of Selectmen must deal, as the Executive Officers of the Town.*

Article 24. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00, or any other sum for the purpose of pointing up and repairing the exterior of the Goodnow Library; and to determine whether the money shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Library Committee.

Approved by Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "This committee has been advised that the exterior of the library is in need of repairs and that considerable damage resulted from the deterioration of the masonry. This request is for maintenance and should be approved."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$3,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to grant and appropriate, or otherwise provide, the sum of \$10,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of widening and reconstruction of Codjer Lane, beginning at Horse Pond Road and running easterly a distance of approximately 2,000 feet, or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Industrial Development Board.

Finance Committee Recommends sum of \$2,000.00.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to grant or appropriate, or otherwise provide the sum of \$6,000.00, or any other sum, to regrade, build gutters and install catch basins on Winsor Road; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by Ernest Schofield.

Not approved by Finance Committee.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

VOTED: *That a study be made by a competent engineer of surface water drainage conditions on Winsor Road and*

*Singletary Lane and that a report be submitted at the next annual meeting together with estimates of cost of any construction work involved.*

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$1,176.00, or any other sum, for the purchase of a multigraph machine for the Town offices; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Mary Quinn, Chief Clerk.

Approved by the Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee wishes to put itself on record to approve the purchase of equipment which will expedite the functions of Town business. As far as we can determine, the purchase of the machine requested in this article will save within a short period, printing bills in excess of the amount requested."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$1,176.00 be appropriated for the purchase of an offset duplicating machine for the Town offices.*

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Committee on Town Administration, voted by the Town under Article 49 and 80 of the Town Warrant, of March 9, 1955, for an additional year for the continuance of its studies, the results of which shall be reported back to the Town by the Committee at the next annual Town Meeting. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Committee on Town Administration.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 29. To see if the Town, under the Provisions of Chapter 145 of the Acts and Resolves of 1956, will by vote or by-law authorize and empower the Selectmen to appoint an Executive Secretary, who may be appointed by them for a term of one or three years, and who may be removed by them at their discretion, and who shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duties, and who shall hold no elective Town office during his term of office, except that he may be appointed by the Selectmen, or with their approval, by any other Town officer, board, committee or commission, to any other Town office or position consistent with his office, and who shall act by and for the Selectmen in any matter which they may assign to him relating to the administration of the affairs of the Town

or of any Town office or department under their supervision and control, or, with the approval of the Selectmen, may perform such other duties as may be requested of him by any other Town officer, board, committee, or commission, and who shall receive such aggregate compensation, not exceeding the amount appropriated therefor, as the Selectmen may determine. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Committee on Town Administration.

A motion in the words of the article was lost; in favor — 165, opposed — 195.

VOTED: *To take up Article 47.*

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto, by establishing a new Limited Business District and directing that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain parcel of land in Sudbury Center, situated on the Easterly side of Concord Road, where the Sudbury Center Post Office now stands and commonly known as the Hosmer Swamp, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the Southwesterly corner of the premises at a point on the Easterly side of the county road leading from Sudbury Center to Framingham, now or formerly called Concord Road and at land of Sherrold Garfield, formerly Ella F. Rockwell and running thence by said county road Northerly along a stone wall 375 feet more or less to land now or formerly of Hadley; thence turning and running Easterly along a stone wall by said land of Hadley 390 feet more or less to a point in a stone wall at land of G. F. Haynes and land now or formerly of Whittlesey; thence Southerly along a stone wall 367 feet by land now or formerly of Whittlesey to a corner of land of Sherrold Garfield; thence turning and running Westerly along a stone wall 407 feet more or less to the point of beginning; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Donald W. Neelon.

Planning Board to report at Meeting.

A motion in the words of the article was lost; in favor — 25, opposed — 275.

The meeting recessed till 7:30 P. M., Thursday, March 14th, in this same meeting place.

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Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to grant and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00, or any other sum for the use of the Committee on Town Administration in defraying the expenses of its work; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Committee on Town Administration.

Finance Committee recommends sum of \$1,000.00.

Finance Committee Report: "The work of the Committee on Town Administration embraces a wide field and during the past year the committee expended personal funds for its operations. The Finance Committee is sure that a committee of this type cannot operate without funds.

VOTED: *That the sum of \$1,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to grant and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00, or any other sum, for the annual salary of an Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Committee on Town Administration.

Finance Committee to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to grant and appropriate the sum of \$600.00, or any other sum, for the expense account of the Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Committee on Town Administration.

Finance Committee to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 33. To see if the Town will grant and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of an expert appraisal of taxable real estate in the Town of Sudbury, in accordance with provisions of G. L. (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 40, Section 4, as amended by Chapter 33 of the

Acts of 1954; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by William H. McSheehy.

Not approved by Finance Committee.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee is not averse to providing assistance to Town departments. However, again in this instance the committee is asked to consider the expenditure of funds for the purpose of the Assessing Department when this Department has not directly requested funds. It is asked in this instance to disregard the methods and needs as determined by this elected board and to state whether or not these elected officials should or should not expend \$15,000.00 to do the work that they have taken an oath to undertake fairly and impartially.

The Finance Committee does not wish to recommend the expenditure of funds when it can not see a direct return therefor; and in this instance no direct return is evident. The only result from the expenditure of \$15,000.00 at this time (which by the way is the maximum amount which may be appropriated this year) would be the appraisal of each and every property in the Town. There is nothing in the law which states that the Assessors *must* accept these appraisals; it is possible therefore to expend \$15,000.00 to no avail.

The Committee suggests, that if the proponents of this article feel that there are inequities in the assessing of properties, that a committee be formed to review with the assessors the methods and principles of assessing with the view of correcting any inequities which may exist."

A motion in the words of the article was lost.

*VOTED: That a committee of 3 members be appointed by the Moderator to study possible tax inequities. That the Chairman of the Board of Assessors be an ex-officio member of this committee. That the committee report its findings and proposed solution at the next annual Town Meeting, or an earlier special Town Meeting if the committee so desires. And, that \$200 be appropriated for the expenses of this committee.*

Article 34. To see if the Town will grant and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00, or any other sum, to publish an Official List of Taxpayers in the Town with the assessed valuation of each; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Marvis M. Fickett.

Finance Committee recommends sum of \$800.00, and that 50 cents per copy be charged for each copy issued.

Finance Committee Report: "This committee has an estimate of \$1,300.00 for the printing of 1000 copies of an Official Tax List. To supply a copy for each household and to deliver the same \$1,600.00 should be appropriated to print 1,400 copies. The Finance Committee is not certain that each household desires to have a copy of this list and that they wish to expend \$1,600.00 for such a purpose. It is for this reason that the Finance Committee has recommended the sum of \$800.00 for the printing of approximately 500 lists to be purchased by the citizens desiring a copy of such a list at 50¢ each. The committee does not wish to unduly hamper this article and therefore will present its motion in two parts so that the specific desires of the citizens will be known."

Move—That the sum of \$1,600.00 be appropriated for the purpose of this article.

Amendment—That the Official Tax Lists contemplated under this article shall not be delivered by mail but shall be held in the office of the Town Clerk and he shall cause fifty-cents to be paid for each copy of the list issued.

The amendment was lost.

AMENDMENT VOTED: *To insert the words "and deliver."*

VOTED: *That the Town grant and appropriate the sum of \$1,600.00 to publish and deliver an Official List of the Taxpayers in the Town with the assessed valuation of each.*

VOTED: *To reconsider Article 15.*

A motion to rescind Article 15 was lost.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *That we accept with thanks from George Wilson the land on Peckham Road for future school and other municipal purposes if he is still agreeable, and in any case, we thank him for this generous offer.*

The following resolution was submitted by Mr. John P. Bartlett and accepted by the meeting:

*Be it resolved that whereas it appears that the rapid growth of the Town will continue for some time to come, undoubtedly necessitating additional area in the center of*

*Town for municipal buildings or activities, it is the desire of this meeting that the Selectmen should investigate the possibility of acquiring additional area in the center of Town with prime interest in the southeast corner of the Town center.*

VOTED: *To take up Article 36.*

Article 36. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Lincoln Lane from Lincoln Road to property lines of land now or formerly of Entwisle and Marguerite P. VanGeenhoven, a distance of approximately 1,500 feet as shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk entitled "Layout of Lincoln Lane For Acceptance By The Town of Sudbury" prepared by E. W. Pettigrew, Surveyor, December 9, 1950; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 80 and c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised; pass any vote or take any action thereon.

Submitted by Abel Cutting.

Approved by the Finance Committee Subject to Final Report.

VOTED: *That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the laying out as a Town way Lincoln Lane as described in said report and shown on a plan entitled "Layout of Lincoln Lane for acceptance by the Town of Sudbury, scale 1" = 50', December 9, 1950, E. W. Pettigrew, surveyor, sheet 2 of 2" on file in the office of the Town Clerk be and the same is hereby accepted; and the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to acquire in behalf of the Town for street purposes the land described in said report by eminent domain or otherwise; that the sum of \$4,470.00 be and is hereby transferred from Excess and Deficiency Account to defray the cost of acquiring said land and for the construction of said Lincoln Lane; and the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to assess as betterments under the provisions of General Laws (Ter.Ed.) Chapter 80, the cost of said taking and construction of said way as follows: ninety percent (90%) of such cost on the abutters on said Lincoln Lane and ten percent (10%) upon the Town.*



Article 35. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Lincoln Lane from Lincoln Road a distance of approximately twenty-two hundred (2,200) feet as shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk entitled "Layout of Lincoln Lane" prepared by E. W. Pettigrew, Surveyor, December 9, 1950; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 80 and c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by William F. Hellmann.

Approved by Finance Committee Subject to Final Report.

VOTED: *That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the laying out as a Town way Lincoln Lane, the end of layout of another section of said lane laid out on January 29, 1957, as described in said report and shown on a plan entitled "Layout of Lincoln Lane for Acceptance by the Town of Sudbury, scale 1" = 50', December 9, 1950, E. W. Pettigrew, Surveyor, sheet 1 of 2" on file in the office of the Town Clerk be and the same is hereby accepted; and the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to acquire in behalf of the Town for street purposes the land described in said report by eminent domain or otherwise; that the sum of \$2,760.00 be and is hereby transferred from Excess and Deficiency Account to defray the cost of acquiring said land and for the construction of said Lincoln Lane; and the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to assess as betterments under the provisions of General Laws (Ter.Ed.) Chapter 80, the cost of said taking and construction of said way as follows: Ninety percent (90%) of such cost on the abutters on said Lincoln Lane and ten percent (10%) upon the Town.*

Article 37. To see if the Town will appoint a committee to study the feasibility of creating a Health Center in the Town-owned building known as the "Haynes House;" pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Board of Health.

VOTED: *That the Town appoint a committee of seven, to be members of, or appointed by the following boards: The Board of Health, Public Health Nursing Association, Board of Public Welfare, Board of Selectmen, School Com-*

*mittee, Civil Defense Agency and Planning Board, to investigate the feasibility, proposed costs, and benefits of creating a Health Center in the Town-owned building known as the "Haynes House," and to report to the Town on or before the next Annual Town Meeting.*

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to extend its street lighting system by installing street lights on the following poles; pass any vote or take action relative thereto:

1. Pole No. 3 on Lillian Avenue.  
Submitted by Mr. and Mrs. A. V. E. Sharkey.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
2. Pole No. 61/16 at end of Lakewood Drive.  
Submitted by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Brown.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
3. Poles Nos. 10, 7, 159/5 and 3 on Singletary Lane.  
Submitted by George A. Brown.  
Public Works Advisory Board recommends lights on poles 3 and 10 only.
4. Poles Nos. 175/6 at end of Willow Road, 175/10 at intersection of Willow and Hemlock Roads, and 164/7 at intersection of Poplar and Hemlock Roads.  
Submitted by Arthur Smith.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
5. Pole No. 8/85 or any other pole on Fairbank Road.  
Submitted by Henry G. Garfield.  
Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
6. Pole No. 108 on Dutton Road at Magnolia Road.  
Pole No. 162 on Magnolia Road at Sycamore Road.  
Pole No. 163/1 on Magnolia Road at Linden Road.  
Unnumbered pole on Sycamore Road at end of Poplar Street.  
Unnumbered pole on Poplar Street at end of Linden Road  
Pole No. 164/9 on Hemlock Road north at dead end.  
Submitted by Denn A. Crary.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.

VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing street lights on the following poles:*

*Pole No. 3 on Lillian Avenue  
Pole No. 61/16 at end of Lakewood Drive  
Poles Nos. 3 and 10 on Singletary Lane*

*Poles Nos. 175/6 at end of Willow Road, 175/10 at intersection of Willow and Hemlock Roads, and 164/7 at intersection of Poplar and Hemlock Roads.*

*Pole No. 108 on Dutton Road at Magnolia Road*

*Pole No. 162 on Magnolia Road at Sycamore Road*

*Pole No. 163/1 on Magnolia Road at Linden Road*

*Unnumbered pole on Sycamore Road at end of Poplar Street*

*Pole No. 164/9 on Hemlock Road north at dead end.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement — Pole No. 8/85 or any other pole on Fairbank Road.*

Unnumbered pole on Poplar Street at end of Linden Road was eliminated from motion.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Horatio Whitney the sum of \$150.00, the income to be used for the perpetual care of lot no. 100 Sunnyside Mount Pleasant Cemetery, any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by F. Alvin Noyes.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Judson Grant Boughton the sum of \$150.00, the income to be used for the perpetual care of lot no. 145 Town Cemetery, any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by F. Alvin Noyes.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Irving H. Seymour the sum of \$150.00, the income to be used for the perpetual care of the Horace C. Seymour lot no. 91 in the Town Cemetery; any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by F. Alvin Noyes.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to change the term of office of the three Constables from one year to three years in accordance with Section 1 of Chapter 41, as amended, of the General Laws, to be effective in 1958 by electing one

Constable for one year, one Constable for two years and one Constable for three years; or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Lawrence B. Tighe.

VOTED: *That the Town change the term of office of the three Constables from one year to three years in accordance with Section 1 of Chapter 41, as amended, of the General Laws, to be effective in 1958, by electing one Constable for one year, one Constable for two years and one Constable for three years and thereafter one Constable each year for three years.*

Article 43. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Hemlock Road, starting at the southwesterly and thereof at a dead end, thence running northeasterly across Willow Road, and thence northeasterly again to a dead end, a distance of approximately 1,200 feet, as shown in part on each of the three plans on file in the office of the Town Clerk, prepared by William J. Ford, Jr., dated September 28, 1955, March 26, 1956, and August 22, 1954; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take any action thereon.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 44. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Willow Road, starting at the easterly end thereof at Pratt Mill Road, thence running westerly to a dead end, a distance of approximately 2,100 feet, as shown in part on each of the two plans on file in the office of the Town Clerk, prepared by William J. Ford, Jr., dated February 24, 1956 and September 28, 1955; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct

how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 45. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Poplar Street, beginning at the westerly end thereof at Dutton Road, thence running easterly to Hemlock Road, a distance of approximately 1,000 feet, as shown in part on each of the two plans on file in the office of the Town Clerk, prepared by William J. Ford, Jr., dated August 22, 1954 and December 28, 1956; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take any action thereon.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article IV of the by-laws by striking out Sections 1, 2 and 3, and inserting in place thereof three new sections as follows:

Section 1. There shall be a finance committee consisting of five legal voters of the Town who shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen as provided in Section 2, and shall serve without pay. No elective or appointive Town officer or Town employee shall be eligible to serve on said committee.

Section 2. The Board of Selectmen shall within thirty days of the effective date of this by-law appoint the members of said Finance Committee as follows: two members to serve for terms of three years, two members to serve for terms of two years and one member to serve for the term of one year; and annually thereafter and within thirty days of its organization the said Board of Selectmen as the term of said members shall expire, shall appoint said members for terms of three years. If a vacancy shall occur in the membership of said committee it shall be filled in the manner of an original appointment. Said committee shall choose its

own officers and shall cause to be kept true records of all its proceedings.

Section 3. If any member of the Finance Committee shall be absent from five consecutive meetings he shall cease to be a member and his office shall thereupon become vacant, and notice thereof given to the Board of Selectmen, who shall fill the vacancy in the membership as provided in Section 2. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by Lawrence J. Leone.

A motion under the article was lost.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article IX, Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws under Business Districts which now reads:

“Business District No. 6 is bounded by a line starting at a point at the junction of an unnamed road or right of way just east of Halfway Garage on the Post Road, thence Northerly 150 feet along said unnamed road, thence from that point Westerly parallel to Post Road to the west property line of the Davis Turkey Farm Inn, thence Southerly to Post Road, thence Easterly along Post Road to point of beginning,” to read as follows:

“Business District No. 6 is bounded by a line starting at a point at the junction of an unnamed road or right of way just East of Halfway Garage on the Post Road; thence Northerly 300 feet along said unnamed road thence from that point Westerly parallel to Post Road to the west property line of the property formerly known as the Davis Turkey Farm Inn, now of one Ecker's X Motel, thence Southerly to Post Road; thence Easterly along Post Road to point of beginning.”

Submitted by Aubrey B. Dingley and others.

Planning Board to report at Meeting.

A motion in the words of the article was lost.

The meeting recessed to 7:30 P. M., Monday, March 18, 1957 in this same meeting place.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADJOURNED  
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING  
MARCH 18, 1957

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 P. M. by Lawrence B. Tighe, Town Clerk, who declared there was a quorum present. Richard R. Hawes was nominated Temporary Moderator.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: *That the nominations be closed and that the Clerk cast one ballot for Richard R. Hawes for Temporary Moderator.*

The ballot was cast and Mr. Hawes was duly elected Temporary Moderator for this meeting. Mr. Hawes was sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1 to read as follows:

Section 1. The Town of Sudbury is hereby divided into 6 types of districts as follows: Residence District, Business District, Limited Business District, Shopping Center District, Industrial District, and Limited Industrial District, and the boundaries and designations of which are shown on a map entitled "Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, Mass. prepared by E. N. Montague C. E. dated December 1938," signed by the Planning Board and on file with the Town Clerk. Said Map and all explanatory matter thereon made a part of this by-law, and by adding the following after the paragraph entitled "Limited Business District."

SHOPPING CENTER DISTRICT

Shopping Center Districts are hereby established, and the provisions of this by-law applicable to Shopping Center Districts shall apply to districts so designated on the Zoning Map; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "Articles 49 through 53 — These articles authorize and set up a new type district, a shopping center district. This Planning Board as well as a great many others are very dissatisfied with the so-called ribbon shopping district, with its attendant parking problems, well exemplified at South Sudbury. Further, we believe it ex-

tremely difficult to make a ribbon shopping area attractive, and not a detriment.

We suggest this new type area, a shopping center area, be set up, and believe that if the Town establishes three such districts, one in the North, one in the West and one in the Southerly part of the Town, adequate shopping facilities will be available for all, and parking problems will be eliminated.

The Planning Board favors this article."

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

In favor — 92, opposed — 20.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1B to read as follows:

Section 1B. The following uses shall be allowed in Limited Business, Business and Shopping Center Districts; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "This is the article dealing with uses adding words necessary to set up the new area. This permits in Shopping Center Districts only those uses permitted in a Limited Business District. The Planning Board favors this article."

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *That the Town amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1B by adding the words "and Shopping Center Districts" to the first paragraph of said Section 1B.*

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1 by striking out the present Section 1D and by inserting a new Section 1D to read as follows:

Section 1D. The following special provisions shall apply to Shopping Center Districts:

(1) All parking areas shall be to the rear or off street side of the buildings and shall be adequately screened. The space between the street and the buildings, which would normally be the front yard, shall be clear of all parking, signs, displays and similar materials other than landscape features.

(2) All buildings shall be developed as a single architectural unit with appropriate landscaping features.



(3) No Shopping Center District shall be divided by public streets or ways.

(4) All parking areas having a capacity of over 100 cars shall allow 5% of the area of the parking lot for tree belts.

Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "These restrictions are aimed to make each Shopping Center District as attractive as possible. The Planning Board favors this article."

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

In favor — 82, opposed — 22.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1E to read as follows:

Section 1E. The following special provisions shall apply in Limited Business, Business, Shopping Center, Limited Industrial and Industrial Districts. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "This includes the Shopping Center area in those groups covered by certain restrictions on lighting, signs, screening, parking site plans, etc. The Planning Board favors this article."

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *That the Town amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1E by adding the words "Shopping Center, Limited Industrial" to the first paragraph of said Section 1E.*

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 14 by adding the following yard and setback requirements for a Shopping Center District to the chart in said Section 14.

Shopping Center District. (a) Required Set-Back Distance From Street 125 ft., (b) Required Front Yard 100 ft., (c) Required Side Yard 75 ft., (d) Required Clear Distance From Zone Boundary 100 ft., (e) Required Rear Yard 75 ft. unless abutting railroad right-of-way. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "This article includes the set-backs and sideline restrictions in the chart in Section 14. The Planning Board favors this article."

AMENDMENT VOTED: *To insert the words "In Addition To Parking Area" after the words "Required Rear Yard 75 ft."*

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *That the Town amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 14 by adding the following yard and set-back requirements for a Shopping Center District to the chart in said Section 14.*

*Shopping Center District. (a) Required Set-Back Distance From Street 125 ft., (b) Required Front Yard 100 ft., (c) Required Side Yard 75 ft., (d) Required Clear Distance From Residence Zone Boundary 100 ft., (e) Required Rear Yard 75 ft. In Addition to Parking Area Unless Abutting Railroad Right-of-Way.*

Article 54. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 16 so that the second paragraph of Section 16 shall read as follows:

The limit of height in Limited Business Districts shall be the same as in a Single Residence District. The limit of height in Business, Shopping Center, Limited Industrial and Industrial Districts shall be two stories, not to exceed 25 ft. at the highest point of the roof. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "When the Limited Industrial area was set up, the height limitation was inadvertently overlooked. This article corrects this omission and applies the 25' height limitation to the Shopping Center District. The Planning Board favors this article."

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1B by adding the following paragraph to be designated Section 1B (19) that will read as follows:

Section 1B (19). Garages for the sale and repair of new and used automobiles if a permit therefor is granted by the Board of Appeals. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "At present there is no provision permitting garages for the repair and sale of new and used cars anywhere in Sudbury, nor does there appear to be ample authority for the Board of Appeals to grant such permits. The Planning Board does not believe that every business or industrial area is suitable for garages, but that the Board of Appeals, which recognizes the need for such garages, should have authority to grant permits for this purpose in either of the above mentioned districts. Article 55 authorizes this use in a business district; Article 56, in an industrial district. The Planning Board favors this article."

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*  
In favor — 101, opposed — 25.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 1C 2 by adding a new paragraph to be designated Section 1C 2(d) that will read as follows:

Section 1C 2(d). Garages for the sale and repair of new and used automobiles if a permit therefor is granted by the Board of Appeals. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "At present there is no provision permitting garages for the repair and sale of new and used cars anywhere in Sudbury, nor does there appear to be ample authority for the Board of Appeals to grant such permits. The Planning Board does not believe that every business or industrial area is suitable for garages, but that the Board of Appeals, which recognizes the need for such garages, should have authority to grant permits for this purpose in either of the above mentioned districts. Article 55 authorizes this use in a business district; Article 56, in an industrial district. The Planning Board favors this article.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*  
In favor — 99, opposed — 5.

VOTED: *To take up Article 66.*

Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article IX of the By-laws (Zoning) Section 8, by striking out the words: "The removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel and ledge

for sale, except when incidental to and in connection with the construction of a building for which a permit has been issued by the Selectmen; or," and adding at the end thereof a new sentence as follows: The provisions of this section shall not apply to the use of land by the Town for any municipal purposes, and as amended said section shall read as follows:

Section 8. The use of land for a cemetery, playground, picnic ground, for educational purposes or recreation field, shall be allowed only if the Board of Appeals shall rule that such removal or use is not detrimental to the neighborhood. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the use of land by the Town for any municipal purposes. Pass any vote or take action thereon.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

The meeting then returned to Article 57.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article IX, Section 8 by striking out said Section 8 and inserting a new Section 8 to read as follows:

Section 8. The use of land for any municipal or educational purpose will be allowed in any section of the Town by a vote at a Town Meeting and for any other non-municipal use such as a cemetery, church, playground, school, recreation field or similar use shall be allowed only if the Board of Appeals shall grant a permit therefor; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws, Article X, Section 1 so that it will read as follows:

#### Article X AMENDMENTS

Section 1. These by-laws may be amended at any annual or special Town Meeting. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

VOTED UNANIMOUSLY: *In the words of the article.*

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto, by establishing a New Shopping Center District and directing that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain area of land situated in the Westerly part of Sudbury, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the junction of Marlboro Road and Hudson Road and extending Easterly along said Hudson Road 1,500 ft.; thence turning at right angles and extending 1,500 ft. distance from said Marlboro Road and parallel thereto 1,200 ft.; thence turning Westerly and running 1,200 ft. from Hudson Road and parallel thereto to Marlboro Road; thence extending northerly along said Marlboro Road to the point first mentioned; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto, by establishing a new Shopping Center District and directing that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain area of land situated in the Northerly part of Sudbury, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and Haynes Road and extending Easterly and Southerly along Haynes Road, Pantry Road and Concord Road; then extending Westerly along said Pantry Brook to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and Northerly along said New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to the point first mentioned; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

A motion in the words of the article was lost, in favor — 24, opposed — 110.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto, by establishing a new Industrial District and direct that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the

existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain area of land situated in the Southerly part of Sudbury bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on Codjer Lane at a point where the Westerly boundary of the present No. 9 Industrial area touches Codjer Lane and extending at right angles to said Codjer Lane to Dudley Brook; thence running Easterly along said brook, and the center line of any ponds in its course to Wash Brook; thence along said Wash Brook to Codjer Lane as said brooks are named on the Assessors' plans; thence West-erly along Codjer Lane to the point first mentioned; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

A motion under this article was lost, in favor --- 64, opposed — 53.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto by establishing a new industrial district and direct that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of North Road and the Maynard Town Line, thence extending Northward along said Town line to the common corner of the towns of Maynard, Acton, Concord and Sudbury; thence running Easterly 4,000 feet along the Concord Town Line to a point; thence extending Westerly in a straight line to the point first mentioned; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board and the Industrial Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto, by establishing a new Limited Industrial District and directing that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain area of land situated in the southeasterly part of Sudbury, bounded and described as follows: beginning at the northwest corner of Industrial District No. 11, and continuing in a straight line the westerly boundary of said district 250 feet; thence turning Northeasterly at an angle of 130 degrees, 1,200 feet; thence turning more Easterly at an angle of 145 degrees and extending to the Wayland Town Line; then South along the Wayland Town Line to Old County Road and along said Old County Road to Industrial District No. 11; thence Northerly and Westerly along the borders of said Industrial District No. 11 to the point first mentioned; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

A motion in the words of the article was lost; in favor — 62, opposed — 42.

Article 64. To see if the Town will amend the Town By-laws by striking out the present Article VA and inserting a new Article VA as follows:

#### ARTICLE V A EARTH REMOVAL

Section 1. The removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel, or other earth products from any land not in public use in the Town of Sudbury, except as hereinafter provided, shall be allowed only after a written permit therefor is obtained from the Board of Appeals after a public hearing of which due notice is given.

Section 2. A permit shall not be required under this by-law for the removal of sod, loam, sand, and gravel in the course of excavation incidental to the construction of a building for which a permit has been issued and the installation of walks, driveways and parking areas appurtenant to said building, for the construction of new streets in approved subdivisions, or in the course of the customary use of land for a farm, garden or nursery and purposes incidental thereto. The Board may issue a permit without a hearing for the removal of small quantities of sod, loam, sand, or gravel for any other purpose which is not commercial.

Section 3. No permit shall be required for the continuous operation on any parcel of land of a sand or gravel pit in operation at the time this by-law is adopted, provided such

operation is not thereafter discontinued for more than one year.

Section 4. In issuing a permit the Board may impose such reasonable conditions as it may deem necessary, which shall be written upon and shall constitute part of the permit, requiring the restoration of the land within a designated period by grading, levelling or filling and by replacing a cover of topsoil of not less than six inches in depth and the re-establishment of ground levels and grades. The Board may at its discretion require a bond, certified check, or other security for compliance with said conditions and may, after a public hearing on proof of violation of any condition, revoke any permits so issued. No permit shall be issued under the provisions of this by-law for a period of more than three years.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Voted: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article V(A) of the By-laws by striking out Section 1 thereof and inserting in its place the following new section:

Section 1. No person, firm or corporation shall remove any sod, loam, sand, gravel and ledge from any land in the Town not in public use, except on that portion of the land on which a building or other structure is to be erected in accordance with a building permit previously issued to the owner of such land, and the installation of walks and drive-ways appurtenant to said building or structure, without first obtaining a permit therefor from the Board of Selectmen as provided in the following sections. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 67. To see if the Town will accept from Halper Homes Inc. a certain parcel of land in Sudbury containing 48,758 square feet more or less and being shown as a lot marked "Playground" on a certain plan entitled "Sub-division of land in Sudbury belonging to Halper Homes Inc." the deed for which has been filed with the Town Clerk of Sudbury. The said lot is conveyed with the expressed condition that no use shall be made thereafter except for a



public park or playground; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Park and Playground Investigating Committee.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *To accept with thanks from Alfred Halper the playground described in this article.*

Article 68. To see if the Town will vote to establish a committee to make plans for the proper centennial observation of the establishment of the Goodnow Library, said committee to consist of seven members made up of the membership of the Library Committee, a descendant of the Goodnow family to be designated by Mrs. Roland Cutler, Sr. and three other members appointed by the Moderator; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

UNANIMOUSLY VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 69. To see if the Town will accept a certain parcel of land from Halper Homes, Inc., said land being bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land in said Sudbury containing 4,985 square feet of land more or less, and being shown on a certain plan entitled "Subdivision of Land in Sudbury, Mass. belonging to Halper Homes, Inc." by A. Coletti, Engineer, dated June 25, 1956, and recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 1179 of 1956; said land being located at the junction between Pratt's Mill Road and Willow Road, and being bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Pratt's Mill Road by a line in two courses measuring 8.02 feet and 157.15 feet respectively;

Northwesterly and Westerly by the curved line shown on said plan as having a radius of 53.32 and an arc of 133.21 feet; and Southerly by Willow Road, 165.56 feet.

Said parcel of land to be conveyed upon the express condition that said parcel shall not be used except for such purposes for which a road or street may be used in the Town of Sudbury.

This conveyance to be made subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any there be in force and applicable, and also subject to municipal betterments and municipal taxes, if any there be.

Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Selectmen.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 2, Section D, Highways, Item 8, Town Dump, was taken from the table and it was,

VOTED: \$5,000.00 for Section D, Item 8.

Article 19 was removed from the table and it was,

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

The meeting dissolved at 10:52 P. M.

A True Record, Attest:

LAWRENCE B. TIGHE,  
Town Clerk.

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**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING  
APRIL 22, 1957**

Pursuant to law and the foregoing warrant, dated April 9, 1957 and signed by Harvey N. Fairbank, Arthur E. Fay, Sr. and Lawrence B. Tighe, Selectmen, and the return of service by Augustus V. E. Sharkey, Constable, the Moderator presided, called the meeting to order at 8:00 P. M. and declared there was a quorum present. The Moderator examined the warrant and the return thereon and declared them in proper order. The Moderator then proceeded to read aloud the warrant. The Moderator announced that the amount of "Free Cash" was \$17,286.24.

VOTED: *To dispense with the reading of the separate articles in the Warrant at this time.*

Article 1. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of renovating and enlarging the children's facilities of the Goodnow Library and to determine whether the money shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Library Committee.

Finance Committee to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "At the annual Town Meeting it was voted to appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for the purpose of renovating, enlarging and furnishing the Goodnow Library. At that time it was voted to raise these funds by issuing bonds or notes for \$13,000.00 and to raise the balance of \$2,000.00 by taxation. Unfortunately, the Division of Accounts has not approved the method of issuing notes as voted at the Town Meeting, and informs the Town Clerk that the statute dealing with borrowing for reconstructing or remodeling public buildings requires a sum equivalent to \$1.00 on the tax rate as a condition precedent to the authorization of borrowing."

A motion following the suggestion of the Division of Accounts was presented by the Finance Committee.

VOTED: *That the sum of \$15,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of renovating and enlarging the children's facilities of the Goodnow Library, and that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated from the overlay reserve, the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised by taxation, and by transfer of the sum of \$2,000.00 previously appropriated for the same purpose under Article 23 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held March 6, 1957.*

Article 2. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00, or any other sum, to furnish the addition and enlargement of the children's facilities at the Goodnow Library; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Library Committee.

Finance Committee to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "The purpose of this article has been taken care of under Article 1."

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase equipment to be used in maintaining a town dump and elsewhere as the Board may direct, and to provide sufficient funds to cover the cost of said equipment; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Dump Committee.

Finance Committee to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article."

VOTED: *That the Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to purchase for use in connection with*

*the maintenance of a town dump or for any other town work as said board may direct a machine which shall be equal to or exceed the specifications which shall be provided by said board: and that the sum of \$12,000.00 be appropriated therefor of which \$2,000.00 shall be transferred from the Excess and Deficiency Account, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, borrow for a term not to exceed five years the sum of \$10,000.00, under the provisions of G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 44, §7, Clause 9.*

In favor — 203, opposed — 18.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or otherwise acquire land to be used as a public dump and to provide sufficient funds to cover the cost of same; or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Dump Committee.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Board of Selectmen to fill the position of Town Engineer with a civil engineer that may not be "registered," as voted under Article 34 of Special Town Meeting of October 26, 1956; all other provision of vote taken under this article to remain in effect; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen.

VOTED: *That the Town will allow the Board of Selectmen to fill the position of Town Engineer with a civil engineer that may not be "registered," as voted under Article 34 of Special Town Meeting of October 26, 1956; all other provision of vote taken under this article to remain in effect.*

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to grant or appropriate the sum of \$600.00, or any other sum, for the Town By-law Legal Notice Account; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by Lawrence B. Tighe.

Finance Committee to report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "In the compilation of budgets for the year 1957 this account was overlooked. The purpose of this account is to provide funds for publication of voted changes in the by-laws as a condition of approval by the Attorney General."

VOTED: *That the sum of \$600.00 be raised in the 1957 tax levy and appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to extend its street lighting system by installing street lights on the following poles; pass any vote or take action relative thereto:

- 1) Pole No. 1 at corner of Great Road and Maybury Road.  
Submitted by Richard C. Venne and others.  
Public Works Advisory Board to report at the Meeting.
- 2) Pole No. 3 at the bend on Maybury Road.  
Submitted by Richard C. Venne and others.  
Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
- 3) Pole No. 4 on Winsor Road.  
Submitted by J. McLaughlin.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
- 4) Pole 166 corner of Uplook Drive and Boston Post Road.  
Submitted by Mrs. Margaret M. Melanson.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
- 5) Pole 191/30 on Fairbank Road.  
Submitted by Henry G. Garfield.  
Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.
- 6) Poles Nos. 24 and 191/13 on Fairbank Road.  
Submitted by Henry G. Garfield.  
Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.

VOTED: *To lay on the table.*

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$3,000.00, or any other sum, for the purchase of one all emergency rescue truck fully equipped; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by Lawrence J. Leone, Director of Civil Defense.

Finance Committee to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee has been informed by the Director of Civil Defense, that the equipment contained in the emergency rescue truck requested under this article is of a type that is extremely desirable as an adjunct to the Fire and Police Departments. We have also been informed that the Director has conferred with the Fire Chief who assures him that much of this equipment would eventually be requested by the Fire Department. The principal reason that the Finance Committee has considered this request at this time is that the fully equipped emergency rescue truck which will cost approximately \$6,000.00 can be purchased under the so-called matching funds program whereby the Town may appropriate

\$3,000.00 which will be matched by the Civil Defense. While this piece of equipment may not be absolutely necessary at this time, the Finance Committee feels that complete use should be made of matching fund programs where it appears advantageous to the Town."

VOTED: *That the amount of \$3,000.00 be raised in the 1957 tax levy and appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

In favor — 118, opposed — 100.

Article 9. To see if the Town will grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$500.00, or any other sum, for the purchase of a used truck for the Tree Department; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Tree Warden.

Finance Committee to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "At a Special Town Meeting in 1956 it was voted to purchase a sprayer for the Tree Department. The truck now used by the Tree Department was purchased as a used unit some years ago and is satisfactory for its purpose. However, to use the new sprayer, it would be necessary to shift this unit on and off the truck which is not a very satisfactory method of operation. It is proposed under this article to purchase a used unit and to permanently mount the sprayer. The Finance Committee approves this article."

VOTED: *That the sum of \$500.00 be raised in the 1957 tax levy and appropriated for the purpose of this article.*

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$450.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of purchasing an electric photographic copying machine; or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Committee for the Preservation of Ancient Documents.

Finance Committee to Report at the Meeting.

Finance Committee Report: "At the Annual Town Meeting the amount of \$1,000.00 was appropriated for the use of the Committee for the Preservation of Ancient Documents. These funds have been allocated by the committee for specific purposes; however, they have found it expedient to request funds for the purchase of an electric photographic copying machine. This is not a one purpose machine

as the Finance Committee has been informed that the machine will be used for photographic copying of various documents."

It was stated that the Committee for the Preservation of Ancient Documents had allocated \$200.00 of the amount appropriated for their expenses, toward the \$450.00 required for the purchase of the photographic copying machine.

VOTED: *That the amount of \$250.00 be raised in the 1957 tax levy and appropriated to the account of the Committee for the Preservation of Ancient Documents.*

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the feasibility of an acquisition by the Town by purchase or otherwise of a piece of property in Sudbury Center known as the Hosmer property, and of a piece of property in Sudbury Center formerly known as the Hosmer swamp; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by The Goodman Society.

VOTED. *That the Moderator appoint a committee of three for the purpose named in the article.*

VOTED: *To take Article 7 from the table.*

Upon motion of the Public Works Advisory Board, it was

1) Voted: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing a 1000 lumen light on a standard bracket on pole #1 on Maybury Road.*

2) VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

3) VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing a 1000 lumen light on a standard bracket on pole #4 on Winsor Road.*

4) VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing a 1000 lumen light on a standard bracket on pole #166 on Uplook Drive at its intersection with the Boston Post Road.*

5) VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

6) VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing a 1000 lumen light on a standard bracket on poles #24 and 191/13 on Fairbank Road.*

Article 12. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit:

Willow Road, starting at the easterly end thereof at Pratt Mill Road, thence running westerly to a dead end, a distance of approximately 2,100 feet, as shown in part on each of the two plans on file in the office of the Town Clerk, prepared by William J. Ford, Jr., dated February 24, 1956 and September 28, 1955; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen.

*VOTED: That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the laying out as a Town way Willow Road from Pratt Mill Road as described in said report, and shown on a plan entitled "Subdivision of Wayside Acres, in Sudbury, Mass. belonging to Halper Homes, Inc." prepared by William J. Ford, C. E. February 24, 1956, is hereby accepted; and the said Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to acquire in behalf of the Town for street purposes the land described in said report by deed or otherwise, but without cost to the Town in any event.*

Article 13. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Hemlock Road, starting at the southwesterly end thereof at a dead end, thence running northeasterly across Willow Road, thence northeasterly again to a dead end, a distance of approximately 1,200 feet, as shown in part on each of the three plans on file in the office of the Town Clerk, prepared by William J. Ford, Jr., dated September 28, 1955, March 26, 1956, and August 22, 1954; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised; pass any vote or take any action thereon.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen.

*VOTED: That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the laying out as a Town way Hemlock Road from Willow Road as described in said report, and shown on a plan en-*



*titled "Plan and Profile of Hemlock Road in Sudbury, Mass. Owned and Developed by Hellen E. Broms" prepared by William J. Ford, C. E. August 22, 1954, is hereby accepted: and the said Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to acquire in behalf of the Town for street purposes the land described in said report by deed or otherwise, but without cost to the Town in any event.*

Article 14. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Poplar Street, beginning at the westerly end thereof at Dutton Road, thence running easterly to Hemlock Road, a distance of approximately 1,000 feet, as shown in part on each of the two plans on file in the office of the Town Clerk, prepared by William J. Ford, Jr., dated August 22, 1954 and December 28, 1956; and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a Town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire, any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take any action thereon.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen.

*VOTED: That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the layout as a Town way Poplar Street from Hemlock Road as described in said report and shown on a plan entitled "Plan and Profile of Poplar Street in Sudbury, Mass. Owned and Developed by Hellen E. Broms" prepared by William J. Ford, C. E. August 22, 1954, is hereby accepted; and the said Board of Selectmen be and they hereby are authorized to acquire in behalf of the Town for street purposes the land described in said report by deed or otherwise, but without cost to the Town in any event.*

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to establish a committee to make such arrangements that are necessary to start a system of numbering the buildings in this town. This committee shall consist of a member of the Planning Board, a member of the Board of Registrars and a member of the Board of Assessors. The various boards shall choose their own representatives to serve on this committee; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by Lawrence B. Tighe.

*AMENDMENT VOTED: To add the words "Or Appointee of Said Board."*

VOTED: *That the Town establish a committee to make such arrangements that are necessary to start a system of numbering the buildings in this town. This committee shall consist of a member of the Planning Board or appointee of the Planning Board, a member of the Board of Registrars or appointee of the Board of Registrars and a member of the Board of Assessors or appointee of the Board of Assessors. The various boards shall choose their own representatives to serve on this committee.*

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article X of the By-laws by adding thereto a new section as follows:

Section 3. The Board of Selectmen, upon the submission to them for insertion in the warrant for any annual or special town meeting of all articles relating to the adoption of any by-law or amendment to any by-law, shall refer such articles to the Town Counsel who shall submit in writing to the town meeting, at which action is to be taken, his opinion as to the legality thereof, together with a statement containing such information as he shall deem will be of assistance to the voters in passing thereon. Each voter, Board, Committee and Commission submitting such articles shall co-operate with the Town Counsel by furnishing all information which he or they may have on the subject matter of the proposed by-law or amendment to a by-law; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article IX, Section 1A, Subsection (1) of its zoning by-laws by striking out the words "or the conducting of boarding or lodging houses" so that the above mentioned Article IX, Section 1A, Subsection (1) shall read: Agriculture, truck gardening and the raising of nursery stock and plants. (This relates to part of the uses permitted in single residence areas). Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Board of Selectmen.

Planning Board to Report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "The Planning Board unanimously disapproves this article as it stands. This article, if passed, would prevent many people from taking even one or several boarders which might be enough to keep them off relief rolls or in fact to retain ownership of their homes. The Planning Board would be inclined to favor an article limiting the number of boarders or roomers that

the owner of a private residence located in a residential district could take to perhaps four or a certain number per room in each house; permits to take more than this number of boarders could be granted by a majority vote of the Board of Appeals."

VOTED: *To lay on the table.*

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-laws Article IX, Section 12 by striking out said Section 12 and inserting a new Section 12 to read as follows:

Section 12. The use of land for any municipal or educational purpose will be allowed in any section of the Town by a vote at a Town Meeting and for any other non-municipal use such as a cemetery, playground, school, recreation field or similar use shall be allowed only if the Board of Appeals shall grant a permit therefor; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to Report at the Meeting.

The Town Counsel stated that a motion under this article would not be in accord with the statute regarding the use of land for school purposes, therefore it would not be a legal motion.

A motion in the words of the article was defeated, in favor — 32, opposed — 94.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article IX of the by-laws (zoning) Section 8 by striking out the present section and inserting the following sections.

Section 8A. The removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel or other types of earth from any land not in public use in the Town of Sudbury, except as hereinafter provided, shall be allowed only after written permit, therefor, is obtained from the Board of Appeals after a public hearing of which due notice has been given.

Section 8B. A permit shall not be required under this by-law for the removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel and other types of earth in the course of excavation incidental to the construction of a building for which a permit has been issued and the installation of walks, driveways and parking areas appurtenant to said building, for the construction of new streets and approved subdivisions, or in the course of the customary use of land for a farm, garden or nursery and purposes incidental thereto.

Section 8C. No permit shall be required for the continuous operation on any parcel of land of a sand or gravel pit in operation at the time this by-law is adopted, provided such operation is not, thereafter, discontinued for more than one year.

Section 8D. In issuing a permit the Board may impose such reasonable conditions as it may deem necessary, which shall be written upon and shall constitute part of the permit, requiring the restoration of the land within a designated period by grading, leveling or filling and by replacing a cover of top soil of not less than 6 inches in depth and the re-establishment of ground levels and grades. The Board at its discretion may require a bond, certified check, or other security for compliance with said conditions and may, after a public hearing on proof of violation of any condition, revoke any permit so issued. No permit shall be issued under the provisions of this by-law for a period of more than 3 years.

Section 8E. In cases in which the proposed removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel or other types of earth is incidental to subdivision development, application shall first be made to the Planning Board for a preliminary report. The Planning Board shall make a complete investigation relative to the proposed topographical alterations in said subdivision and file a report with such recommendations as in its opinion are proper with the Board of Appeals within 21 days of said application. Upon receipt of said report or upon notice of the expiration of the 21-day period herein provided for, action by the Planning Board, the Board of Appeals shall call for a public hearing upon said application.

Section 8F. Permits for the removal of sod, loam, sand, gravel or other earth under Sections 8A, 8B, 8C, 8D, 8E, and 8F, may be granted upon a finding of the Board of Appeals that such removal is consistent with the orderly development of the neighborhood. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to Report at the Meeting.

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

VOTED: *To take Article 17 from the table.*

VOTED: *That Article IX, Section 1A (1) be amended by inserting at the end thereof the following: Where board is furnished and lodgings are let to five or more persons*

*not members of the householder's family conducting them, and as amended it shall read as follows:*

- (1) *Agriculture, truckgardening, the raising of nursery stock or plants, or the conducting of boarding or lodging houses where board is furnished and lodgings are let to not more than five persons not members of the householder's family conducting them.*

In favor — 142, opposed — 5.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments thereto, by establishing a new Shopping Center District and directing that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain area of land situated in the Westerly part of Sudbury, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the junction of Dutton Road and Hudson Road and extending Easterly along said Hudson Road 1000 feet; thence turning at right angles and extending 1000 feet distance from said Dutton Road and parallel thereto, 800 feet; thence turning Westerly and running 800 feet from Hudson Road and parallel thereto to Dutton Road; thence extending northerly along said Dutton Road to the point first mentioned; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

Submitted by the Planning Board.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

A motion in the words of the article was lost; in favor — 24, opposed — 107.

The following resolution was presented by Edward E. Kreitsek and adopted by the meeting:

*As expressed by the vote at this Town Meeting, be it resolved:*

*At any Annual or Special Town Meeting for which copies of the Warrant have not been delivered to each registered voter, the Selectmen shall direct the Town Clerk to have prepared copies of the Warrant (the quantity being not less than 150% of a quorum) to be distributed at the appointed meeting place at the time of the Town Meeting.*

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of the Zoning By-laws of the Town and amendments

thereto, by establishing a new Limited Business District #1 and directing that the boundaries of the same be incorporated into the existing Zoning Map of the Town of Sudbury, under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows:

A certain parcel of land beginning at the southwesterly corner of land of Wilfred Allen on the State Road at a stake and stone; thence running easterly by the State Road so called, 550 feet more or less to a stake and stones at Horse Pond Road; thence northerly by said Horse Pond Road on the westerly side thereof about 610 feet more or less to a pipe and stones at Old Farm Road, so called, now owned by Lavoli; thence by said road westerly 629.91 feet more or less; thence turning and running southerly 9.01 feet; thence turning and running westerly 100 feet more or less to land of Arthur Lewis; thence turning and running southerly by land of Lewis and Aiken 510 feet more or less to the point of beginning at the State Road.

Submitted by Wilfred J. Allen.

Planning Board to report at the Meeting.

Planning Board Report: "The Planning Board has always felt that most of the land around the Post Road was either industrial, commercial or business and favors zoning this corner lot as proposed in the article."

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

In favor — 119, opposed — 3.

The meeting dissolved at 12:04 A. M.

A True Record, Attest:

LAWRENCE B. TIGHE,  
Town Clerk.

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**PROCEEDINGS OF THE  
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING**

October 28, 1957

Pursuant to law and the foregoing warrant, dated October 14, 1957 and signed by Harvey N. Fairbank, Arthur E. Fay, Sr. and Lawrence B. Tighe, Selectmen, and the return of service by Augustus V. E. Sharkey, Constable, the Moderator presided, called the meeting to order at 8:00 P. M. and declared there was a quorum present. The Moderator examined the warrant and the return thereon and declared them in proper order. The Moderator announced that the amount

of "Free Cash" was \$15,286.24, and then proceeded to read aloud the warrant.

*VOTED: To dispense with the reading of the separate articles in the warrant at this time.*

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from Excess and Deficiency the sum of \$900.00, or any other sum, to the Repair to Haynes House Account. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

Finance Committee Report: "From the explanation of the Selectmen given at the hearing of the Finance Committee on this article this request embraces two purposes:

1. Provision of suitable quarters for the combined position of Town janitor and fireman; thereby having available at substantially a twenty-four hour period two firemen to immediately man the fire trucks when necessary.

2. Provision of heated quarters for the office of the Town Engineer.

At the present time there is approximately \$1,600.00 in the account named "Repair to Haynes House." The best estimate of the Selectmen, before final bids are received, is that it will cost approximately \$2,500.00 to install a heating system in this house. The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article and wishes to present two motions under this article."

*VOTED: That the amount of \$900.00 be transferred from Excess and Deficiency for the purpose of this article.*

*VOTED: That the Selectmen have a complete survey made of this structure and that a report thereof be made at the next annual Town Meeting together with an article inserted in the warrant calling for sufficient funds to place the Haynes House in good structural condition.*

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$500.00, or any other sum, from the Excess and Deficiency Account to the Registrars' Expense Account. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Town Clerk.*

Finance Committee Report: "This request is made because of an underestimate of the amount required to complete the census. Immediately before the last Town Meeting the Finance Committee was advised of this deficiency. How-

ever, because there was insufficient time to consider the increased amount, it was requested that the additional sum be put over to a subsequent Town Meeting. The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article.

VOTED: *That the amount of \$500.00 be transferred from Excess and Deficiency for the purpose of this article.*

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 of the \$3,000.00 voted under Article 24 at the Town Meeting, March 7, 1957, to the account of "Renovating and Enlarging the Children's Facilities of the Goodnow Library." Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

*Submitted by Luther M. Child, Jr.*

Finance Committee Report: "At the last Town Meeting the following sums were appropriated —

\$3,000.00 to repair and point up the outside brick work of the Library.

\$15,000.00 to Renovate and Enlarge the Children's Facilities at the Library.

These requests were made on the best estimates available at that time. Following the receipt of bids on this work the following bids were awarded —

Outside work, pointing up, etc. — bids ranging from \$945.00 to \$2500.00 were received and the work was awarded to the lowest bidder for \$945.00. This figure together with architects fee amounted to \$1,000.00 leaving a surplus of \$2,000.00 in this account.  
Renovating of facilities —

The first bid considered together with the architects fee amounted to \$16,562.00; and on a second bidding of the project the amount was \$15,463.00. However, the furnishing of the new facilities was not considered and no contingency was considered in the second bid. The Library Board therefore finds itself approximately \$1,850.00 short on this account to complete fully the projected renovations. Therefore, the request of a transfer from one account to another is made at this time.

Under the General Laws, the approval of the Finance Committee is required before such a transfer may be considered by the Town Meeting. The Finance Committee recognizes the particular problem of the Library Board and approves the purpose of this article."



VOTED: *That the amount of \$2,000.00 of the \$3,000.00 voted under Article 2A of the March 7, 1957 Town Meeting be transferred to the account named "Renovating and Enlarging the Children's Facilities of the Goodnow Library."*

Article 4. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the laying out of the following named street, to wit: Tippling Rock Road from Dudley Road westerly a distance of approximately 600 feet as shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk entitled, "Layout of Tippling Rock Road for acceptance by the Town of Sudbury," prepared by George White, Town Engineer, October 1, 1957, and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as and for a town way under the provisions of G.L. c. 80 and c. 82; and will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase, or otherwise acquire any land necessary for the layout and construction of said street, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor and the cost of construction, direct how said money shall be raised; pass any vote or take any action thereon.

*Submitted by Edward E. Kreitsek and others.*

Finance Committee Report: "Inasmuch as 10% or approximately \$150.00 of this project is borne by the Town and the remaining \$1,350.00 is paid by abutters under the betterment act the Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article."

VOTED: *That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the laying out as a Town way Tippling Rock Road from Dudley Road as described in said report and shown on a plan entitled "Layout of Tippling Rock Road by the Town of Sudbury Scale: 1 in. = 20 ft. October 1, 1957 George D. White, Town Engineer" on file in the office of the Town Clerk be and the same is hereby accepted; that the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to acquire in behalf of the Town for street purposes the land described in said report by eminent domain or otherwise; that the sum of \$1,500.00 be and is hereby transferred from Excess and Deficiency Account to defray the cost of acquiring said land and for the construction of said Tippling Rock Road; and that the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to assess as betterments under the provisions of General Laws (Ter.Ed.) Chapter 80, the cost of said taking and construction of said road as follows: ninety percent (90%) of such cost on the abutters on said Tippling Rock Road and ten percent (10%) upon the Town.*

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$490.00

or any other sum, for the purpose of extending the fire alarm system along Horse Pond Road from the Boston Post Road to the new Elementary School, a distance of about 1500 feet; said funds to be used to defray the cost of the wire, pole hardware, master alarm box and labor; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by Chief of Fire Department.*

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee is advised of the following facts —

1. The construction of the school on Horse Pond Road calls for the wiring and equipping of the school with fire alarm facilities.
2. There will be available on the Boston Post Road from the Wayside Inn a wiring system which will connect with the Town installed fire alarm system.
3. To make the school fire alarm system complete and therefore provide greater protection and reduce insurance rates it is advisable to connect this system with the so-called Wayside Inn line.

The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article."

Mr. Albert St. Germain, the Fire Chief, stated that the price would be lowered \$250.00 because the fire alarm box is to be purchased by the School Building Committee.

VOTED: *That the amount of \$240.00 be appropriated from Excess and Deficiency for the purpose of this article.*

Article 6. To see if the Town will grant, appropriate, or transfer from the Road Machinery Fund the sum of \$5,000.00, or any other sum, to purchase a four-wheel-drive truck for the Highway Department. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Public Works Advisory Board and the Highway Surveyor.*

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article.

At present the Highway Department truck equipment consists of one heavy dump truck approximately two years old and two very old trucks which are used for sanding and plowing. We understand that this article contemplates —

1. The purchase of a 1½ ton chassis only on which a sanding unit is to be mounted.
2. The loaded weight of the sanding unit will be approximately eight tons.

3. Next Spring it is anticipated that a dump body will be made available to put on this same chassis.
4. The un-bid approximate cost of a four-wheel-drive unit of 1½ tons is \$4,800.00.

The Finance Committee has consulted with truck companies and various contractors and the best information available to the committee indicates that the requested chassis is insufficient to carry the weight anticipated; rather a 2 or 2½ ton chassis is desirable. In addition it appears sensible to this Committee to purchase a complete unit at this time — namely a chassis and dump body — we recommend this procedure.

Before submitting a motion on this article, we wish to inform this meeting that we talked with the Civilian Defense Director Mr. Leone. We were informed that there have been recently available in the Taunton Depot 2 or 2½ ton dump trucks which are available to certain towns and may be purchased merely for the cost of transportation. At the moment none of these trucks is available — however, such trucks may be available within thirty days — therefore, we shall present our motion together with an amendment thereto —”

*AMENDMENT VOTED: That no bids as submitted shall be awarded by the Selectmen prior to November 28, 1957 so that the Civil Defense Director shall have an opportunity to determine if equipment acceptable to the Highway Surveyor and the Public Works Advisory Board is available which may be used in plowing and other highway purposes.*

*VOTED: That the amount of \$9,000.00 be appropriated and transferred from the Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of this article, and that the specifications as written for the purpose of bidding shall be approved both by the Highway Surveyor and the Public Works Advisory Board before publication.*

Article 7. To see if the Town will grant, appropriate or transfer from the Road Machinery Fund the sum of \$1,000.00, or any other sum, to purchase a snow plow for the Highway Department. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Public Works Advisory Board and the Highway Surveyor.*

Finance Committee Report: “The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article.”

*VOTED: That the amount of \$1,000.00 be transferred from the Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of this*

*article and that the specifications as written for the purpose of bidding shall be approved both by the Highway Surveyor and the Public Works Advisory Board before publication.*

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise or appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$7,000.00 (seven thousand dollars) or any other sum, for the purpose of making necessary emergency repairs as directed by the State Department of Public Safety, on the South and Center Schools.

*Submitted by the School Committee.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Article 9. To see whether the Town will vote the sum of \$14,000, or any other sum, for the purchase of a certain parcel of land situated on the northerly side of Hudson Road and the southeasterly side of Fairbank Road bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner on the northerly side of Hudson Road at land of Concetta LaGrassa; thence northwesterly by the northerly side of Hudson Road 657.24 feet to Fairbank Road; thence by Fairbank Road northerly 42 feet more or less and northeasterly 1238 feet more or less to land of Gertrude Cutting; thence by land of said Cutting S. 60° 23' 30" E. 603.5 feet more or less to a ditch; thence by land of said Cutting and center line of said ditch 50 feet more or less to other land of Concetta LaGrassa; thence by said Concetta LaGrassa southwesterly 730 feet more or less to land of Nicholas and Margaret LaGrassa; thence by land of said Nicholas and Margaret LaGrassa N. 63° 01' 31" W. 169.07 feet to an angle point at other land of said LaGrassa; then by land of said LaGrassa S. 24° 59' 17" W. 75.47 feet to land of Concetta LaGrassa; thence by land of said LaGrassa N. 63° 01' 31" W. 150.00 feet to an angle point at other land of said LaGrassa; thence by said other land of LaGrassa S. 24° 59' 17" W. 210 feet more or less to the point of beginning; containing 13.73 acres more or less; being part of lot A on Plan 1763 of 1955 recorded Middlesex Registry of Deeds So. Dist.;

\$2,000 of said funds to be transferred from Excess and Deficiency, the balance to be borrowed by the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen under the provisions of Sec. 7, Chapter 44 of the Laws of the General Court. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the School Housing Committee.*

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee approves the purpose of this article and the amount of \$14,000.00 requested thereunder. This approval is based on the following:

1. That the site has the approval of the School Housing Committee, the Permanent Building Committee, and the School Committee.
2. That there is approximately 13½ acres in the lot.
3. That there is a clear title to the property.
4. That the amount of \$14,000.00 is a firm figure to purchase. It is however, necessary that we appropriate from available funds more than \$2,000 based on the 1957 valuations. The minimum amount is \$2,050.00."

After some discussion it was decided that the 1956 valuation was the correct figure to use, therefore an appropriation of \$2,000.00 would be sufficient.

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*  
In favor — 148, opposed — 52.

Article 10. To see whether the Town will vote to designate the newly-acquired school site at the corner of Hudson and Fairbank Roads as the Site for the next elementary school or designate some other site on land already owned by the Town. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the School Committee.*

VOTED: *To designate the newly-acquired school site at the corner of Hudson and Fairbank Roads as the site for the next elementary school.*

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to amend Article I, Section 1 of the Town By-laws by deleting therefrom the words "Wednesday at such time in the evening" and substituting therefor the words "Saturday at such time during the day," so that Article I, Section 1 of the Town By-laws will read as follows:

"Article I, Section 1. The annual Town Election shall be held the first Monday in March at the Town Hall at such time as the Selectmen shall determine, and the annual Business Meeting shall be held the following Saturday at such time during the day as the Selectmen may appoint."

Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by The Committee on Town Administration.*  
*John C. Powers, Chairman.*  
*J. Fleet Cowden, Secretary.*

A motion in the words of the article was lost.

RESOLVED: *That the Selectmen at some future time when a Special Town Meeting is in the offing, select a Saturday afternoon for that purpose.*

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to establish a committee of three, to be appointed by the Moderator, whose sole purpose shall be the expediting of the installation of suitable protective equipment at the Horse Pond Road Railway Crossing. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Planning Board.*

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 13. To see if the Town will accept from Mrs. Ruth Perkins and George A. Haynes the sum of \$150.00; the income to be used for the perpetual care of Lot No. 54 North Ave. in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes. Pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

*Submitted by Supt. of Cemeteries.*

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 14. To see if the Town will accept from Eva F. Weeks the sum of \$150.00 the income to be used for the perpetual care of Lot No. 115 Hillside Ave. in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by Supt. of Cemeteries.*

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 15. To see if the Town will accept from Florence C. Salih the sum of \$150.00 the income to be used for the perpetual care of Lots No. 136A and 138B in the Town Cemetery, any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Supt. of Cemeteries.*

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 16. To see if the Town will accept from Bernice G. Hapgood the sum of \$75.00; the income to be used for the perpetual care of Lot No. 138A in the Town Cemetery,

any balance of income to be used for general cemetery purposes. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Supt. of Cemeteries.*

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to extend its street lighting system by installing a street light on Pole 1-139 near the intersection of Peakham Road and Boston Post Road; pass any vote or take action relative thereto.

*Submitted by Robert J. Caldwell.*

*Recommended by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing one (1) one thousand (1000) lumen light on a six (6) ft. bracket on Pole #1-139 on Peakham Road.*

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to extend its street lighting system by installing street lights on the following poles; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto:

Pole No. 8 on Willow Road: Near residence of William B. O'Brien.

*Submitted by William B. O'Brien.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 92 on Dutton Road. Near residence of J. Leo Quinn.

*Submitted by J. Leo Quinn.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 78 on corner of North and Great Roads. Near residence of James J. Cannella.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 256 on corner of North and Great Roads. Near residence of James J. Cannella.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing one (1) one thousand (1000) lumen light on a six (6) ft. bracket on pole #256 on North Road.*

Pole No. 258 on the North Road. Near residence of Hilbert A. Olson.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 259 on North Road. Near residence of Ernest Butler.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 260. on the North Road. Near residence of A. W. Hildreth.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 261 on the North Road. Near residence of A. W. Hildreth and Patrick Finelli.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 262 on the North Road. Near residence of Patrick Finelli.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 263 on the North Road. Near residence of Robert R. Stevens.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*

*Not approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *Indefinite postponement.*

Pole No. 264 on North Road. Near residence of Warren B. Dodge.

*Submitted by A. W. Hildreth and others.*



*Approved by the Public Works Advisory Board.*

VOTED: *That the Town extend its street lighting system by installing one (1) one thousand (1000) lumen light on a six (6) ft. bracket on pole #264 on North Road.*

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the desirability of establishing a municipal power plant for the Town. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Sudbury Citizens Committee for Investigating Boston Edison Charges, John C. Powers, Chairman.*

VOTED: *That a committee of three shall be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the desirability of establishing a municipal power plant for the Town of Sudbury and report thereon at the next Annual Town Meeting.*

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Selectmen to request the department of Public Utilities to hold a public hearing in the Town of Sudbury on the pending request of the Boston Edison Company for a rate increase. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Sudbury Citizens Committee for Investigating Boston Edison Charges, John C. Powers, Chairman.*

VOTED: *That the Selectmen are instructed to request the Department of Public Utilities to hold a public hearing in the Town of Sudbury on the pending request of the Boston Edison Company for a general rate increase.*

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to direct the Selectmen to investigate the charges made to the various departments of the Town of Sudbury by the Boston Edison Company under the fuel adjustment clause and to report thereon at the next annual town meeting. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Sudbury Citizens Committee for Investigating Boston Edison Charges, John C. Powers, Chairman.*

VOTED: *That the Selectmen be directed to investigate the charges made to the various departments of the Town government by the Boston Edison Company under its fuel adjustment clause and report thereon at the next Annual Town Meeting.*

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend the by-laws of the Town by adding at the end of Article V the following new sections:

Section 11. No person, unless he be a legal resident of Sudbury, shall deposit garbage, offal, waste vegetable or animal matter, or any trash refuse, rubbish or other waste material in any dump maintained by the Town.

Section 12. The Board of Selectmen may issue identification cards or slips to residents of Sudbury which shall be displayed on all vehicles used to transport material to a legally designated Town dump.

Section 13. Any non resident having a permit to collect waste material as outlined in Section 11 may be exempted from the provisions of Sections 11 and 12.

Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

Report of the Town Counsel:

Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts  
Office of Town Counsel  
211 Main Street  
Marlborough, Massachusetts

October 28, 1957

To the Voters of the Town of Sudbury:

In accordance with the provisions of Article X, Section 3 of the by-laws of the Town, the Board of Selectmen have referred to me an article submitted and inserted by them in the warrant for a Special Town Meeting to be held on this date which reads as follows:

"Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend the by-laws of the Town by adding at the end of Article V the following new sections:

Section 11. No person, unless he be a legal resident of Sudbury, shall deposit garbage, offal, waste vegetable or animal matter, or any trash refuse, rubbish or other waste material in any dump maintained by the Town.

Section 12. The Board of Selectmen may issue identification cards or slips to residents of Sudbury which shall be displayed on all vehicles used to transport material to a legally designated Town dump.

Section 13. Any non-resident person having a permit to collect waste material as outlined in Section 11 may be exempted from the provisions of Sections 11 and 12. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto."

No provision has been made in the proposed amendment for the regulation of and the granting of permits for the collection of "waste material as outlined in Section 11;" and if the proposed Section 13 is adopted in the form as submitted it would have no legal effect. An applicant "for a permit to collect waste material" as described in the proposed Section 11 is entitled to know what qualifications he must meet in order to entitle himself to a permit.

My understanding of what it is sought to be accomplished by said Section 13 is to exempt a non-resident who collects "waste material" within the Town from the prohibition of Section 11, if such non-resident obtains a permit to deposit the material which he collects in a public dump within the Town. I respectfully suggest that Section 13 be changed to read substantially as follows:

Section 13. Any non-resident person collecting waste material as described in Section 11 within the Town shall be exempt from the provisions thereof; provided, that the Board of Selectmen shall grant him a permit to deposit such material in any public dump maintained by the Town.

The proposed by-law, if adopted with the changes which I have suggested above, will limit the use of any public dump in the Town to residents of the Town except that a non-resident person may do so if a permit is granted by the Board of Selectmen.

The making of such a by-law is authorized by G.L. c. 40, Section 21 (1) which reads: "For directing and managing their prudential affairs, preserving peace and good order, and maintaining their internal police.;" and, if the proposed amendment is adopted, it will be a valid by-law of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ EDWARD T. SIMONEAU,  
Town Counsel.

VOTED: *To amend the by-laws of the Town by adding at the end of Article V the following new sections:*

*Section 11. No person, unless he be a legal resident of Sudbury, shall deposit garbage, offal, waste vegetable or animal matter, or any trash refuse, rubbish or other waste material in any dump maintained by the Town.*

*Section 12. The Board of Selectmen may issue identification cards or slips to residents of Sudbury which shall be displayed on all vehicles used to transport material to a legally designated Town dump.*

*Section 13. Any non-resident person collecting waste material as described in Section 11 within the Town shall be*

*exempt from the provisions thereof; provided, that the Board of Selectmen shall grant him a permit to deposit such material in any public dump maintained by the Town.*

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to grant, appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$2000.00 or any other sum, to cover the balance of insurance for 1957; pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

*Recommended by the Finance Committee.*

Finance Committee Report: "This request is made because of underestimates in the cost of insurance for the year 1957. At the present moment it appears that \$1800.00 is necessary to pay for premiums which will come due during this year.

VOTED: *That the amount of \$1,800.00 be appropriated and transferred from Excess and Deficiency for the purpose of this article.*

Article 24. To hear the report of the Selectmen relative to the relocation of Horse Pond Road beginning at its southerly terminus at the Boston Post Road and extending therefrom to the railroad crossing at the location of Boston and Maine Railroad, a distance of about 2137 feet as shown on a plan on file in the office of the Town Clerk entitled: Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts Relocation of a Part of Horse Pond Scale: 1 in. = 40 Ft. July 29, 1957 George D. White, Town Engineer;" and to see if the Town will vote to accept said street as relocated under the provisions of G. L. (Ter.Ed.) c. 82; and will authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain or acquire by purchase or otherwise any land necessary for the relocation of said Horse Pond Road, provide the sum or sums of money necessary to pay the cost of damages therefor, and the cost of construction, and direct how said money shall be raised. Pass any vote or take any action thereon.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

VOTED: *That the report of the Board of Selectmen of the relocation of Horse Pond Road beginning at its Southerly terminus at Boston Post Road and extending therefrom to the railroad crossing at the location of Boston and Maine Railroad as described in said report and shown on a plan entitled "Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts relocation of a part of Horse Pond Road Scale: 1 in. = 40 ft. July 29, 1957 George D. White Town Engineer" on file in the office of the Town Clerk be and the same is hereby accepted; and*

*the Board of Selectmen are hereby authorized to take by eminent domain or otherwise acquire the land described in said report, and that the payment of damages, if any there be, shall be paid from the appropriation made in the vote adopted under Article 12 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1956.*

Article 25. To see if the Town will amend the vote adopted under Article 12 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1956 as appearing on page 41 of the "Town Report" for 1956, by striking out in line 2 thereof the word "widening" and inserting in place thereof the word: —relocating; by adding after the word Road appearing in line 3 thereof the words:— and the payment of damages which may be sustained by property owners along said road as relocated; and, by striking out in lines three, four, five, six and seven the words "or if there is any legal detriment to the Town in widening and/or reconstructing Horse Pond Road then any other Town road or roads designated by the Selectmen shall be substituted for Horse Pond Road in the expenditure of these funds;" and by inserting in place thereof the word:—and, and as amended said vote shall read as follows:

That the amount of \$10,000.00 be appropriated for the purpose of the relocating and reconstructing of Horse Pond Road and the payment of damages which may be sustained by property owners along said road as relocated; and that the amount of \$1500.00 shall be transferred from Excess and Deficiency and the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen shall borrow for a term not exceeding 10 years the amount of \$8500.00 under the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. Pass any vote or take any action thereon.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

Finance Committee Report: "The Finance Committee approves this article."

VOTED: *In the words of the article.*

In favor — 118, Opposed — 1.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to transfer to the Highway Department the care, custody, management and control of two certain portions of the land situated on the westerly side of Horse Pond Road acquired by the Town for school purposes and which are shown as Parcel No. 6, containing 16,524 square feet, and Parcel No. 8, containing 9,336 square feet on a plan entitled: "Town of

Sudbury, Massachusetts Relocation of a Part of Horse Pond Road Scale 1 in. = 40 Ft. July 29, 1957, George D. White, Town Engineer," a copy of which is on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and which said portions the School Committee by vote has determined are no longer needed for school purposes, notice of which has been given to the Board of Selectmen as required by law. Pass any vote or take any action thereon.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

VOTED: *That the Town transfer to the Highway Department the care, custody, management and control of two certain portions of the land situated on the Westerly side of Horse Pond Road acquired by the Town for school purposes and which are shown as Parcel No. 6, containing 16,524 square feet, and Parcel No. 8, containing 9,336 square feet on a plan entitled: "Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts relocation of a Part of Horse Pond Road Scale 1 in. = 40 ft. July 29, 1957 George D. White Town Engineer," a copy of which is on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and which said portions the School Committee by vote has determined are no longer needed for school purposes, notice of which has been given to the Board of Selectmen as required by law.*

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to purchase land now or formerly of Interstate Gas & Oil Corp., and situated on the easterly side of Nobscot Road as a site for a fire and/or police station, and that the sum of \$2000.00 be transferred from the appropriation made under Article 21 of the Warrant for the 1957 Annual Town Meeting to pay the purchase price thereto; and that the vote adopted under said Article 21 to purchase land at the corner of Boston Post Road and Massasoit Avenue, except as to that part of the appropriation contained in said article and which is to be transferred for the purchase of the land on Nobscot Road, be and the same is hereby rescinded. Pass any vote or take any action relative thereto.

*Submitted by the Selectmen.*

Report of the Town Engineer:

Town of Sudbury  
Office of Town Engineer  
Sudbury, Mass.,

October 25, 1957  
Sudbury, Mass.,

Mr. Lawrence B. Tighe, Secretary to Selectmen

Town Hall  
Sudbury, Mass.

Dear Sir:

As per your request that I check the land on Nobscot

Road owned by the Interstate Gas and Oil Corp. as to it being used for a Fire Station site, I submit the following report.

- (1) Location and area: East side of Nobscot Road, containing approximately 2 acres of land.
- (2) Shape and frontage: Triangular shape; approximately 850 foot frontage and 280 foot depth.

It is my opinion that this land would be very advantageous for use as a Fire Station site because of its quick protection that it will assure to the new school on Horse Pond Road as well as the shopping center in South Sudbury and the proposed new housing developments in this area.

Very truly yours,

/s/ GEORGE D. WHITE,  
Town Engineer.

Finance Committee Report: "Where there is a transfer of funds from one appropriation to another, the approval of the Finance Committee is required before action thereon may be taken by the Town Meeting. The Finance Committee does approve the purpose of this article.

The present desired property has many more advantages as to size and location than the considered land at the corner of the Boston Post Road and Massasoit Avenue. The Finance Committee has requested only that this location be approved by the Permanent Building Committee. It already has the approval of the Fire and Police Departments and the Selectmen.

Move — in the words of the article, except that the words and/or Civil Defense quarters shall be inserted immediately after "fire and/or police station."

This insertion is requested so that Civil Defense Funds may be requested to share in the building of this structure if such funds are available when this building is constructed."

**UNANIMOUSLY VOTED:** *That the Town will purchase land now or formerly of Interstate Gas & Oil Corp., and situated on the Easterly side of Nobscot Road as a site for a fire and/or police station and/or Civil Defense quarters, and that the sum of \$2,000.00 be transferred from the appropriation made under Article 21 of the warrant for the 1957 Annual Town Meeting to pay the purchase price thereto; and that the vote adopted under said Article 21 to purchase land at the corner of Boston Post Road and Massasoit Avenue, except as to that part of the appropriation*

*contained in said article and which is to be transferred for the purchase of the land on Nobscot Road, be and the same is hereby rescinded.*

The meeting dissolved at 11:02 P. M.

A True Record: Attest:

LAWRENCE B. TIGHE,  
Town Clerk.



## CHAPTER 50

AN ACT TO FURTHER CLARIFY AND AMEND THE LAW PROVIDING  
AN IMPROVED METHOD OF MUNICIPAL PLANNING.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Section 81L of chapter 41 of the General Laws, inserted by section 4 of chapter 340 of the acts of 1947, is hereby amended by inserting after the first sentence the following sentence:— Every such person so submitting a plat to the planning board of a city or town shall send notice to the clerk of such city or town by registered mail, postage pre-paid, that he has submitted such a plat, and such notice shall describe the land to which the plat relates sufficiently for identification and shall state the date when such plat was submitted; and the facts stated in such notice shall be taken by such city or town clerk as true, unless the contrary is made to appear. *Approved February 3, 1950.*

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I am taking this opportunity to correct the misunderstanding of many people about licensing dogs. Chapter 140, Acts of 1945 reads in part as follows: "The owner or keeper of a dog when it becomes three months old during a license period, shall cause it to be registered, numbered, described and licensed in the office of the clerk thereof." If your dog is killed or otherwise disposed of during the year, please notify the Town Clerk so that it can be removed from the active list.

## CHAPTER 46

SECTION 4. A member or servant of a family in which a child is born, having knowledge of the facts required for a record relative to such birth, shall furnish the same upon request of the Clerk of the Town where — its parents reside —. Such member or servant refusing to furnish such facts shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars.

SECTION 15. The Town Clerk will furnish blanks for returns of births to parents, householders, physicians and registered hospital medical officers applying therefor.



## IMPORTANT REQUEST

Please notify the Town Clerk immediately of any error or omission in the following List of Births.

Errors not reported at once can be corrected only by sworn affidavit, as prescribed by the General Laws, and may cause you inconvenience which can be avoided by prompt attention.

**BIRTHS**  
**CORRECTIONS — 1956**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Name of Parents</i>
Dec. 15	Nancy Elizabeth Lochiatto .....	Joseph and Dolorita (Leone) Lochiatto
Dec. 26	Joanne Margaret Lewis .....	Douglas R., Jr. and Adelaide A. (Wilson) Lewis
Dec. 28	Heather Murray Goode .....	Frederick D., Jr. and Jane (Rossley) Goode

**DELAYED RETURNS — 1956**

Sept. 22	Steven Joseph Whalen .....	Malcolm J. and Dorothy A. (Goodrich) Whalen
Sept. 29	Arthur Louis Singer, III .....	Arthur L., Jr. and Joan (Cristal) Singer
Oct. 4	Marie Bisson .....	Joseph J. and Eleanor (Porter) Bisson
Oct. 19	Maureen Frances Hart .....	John P. and Barbara A. (Burm) Hart
Nov. 21	Susan Charlotte St. Croix .....	James W. and Thelma E. (Pedersen) St. Croix
Nov. 30	William Paul Davin .....	James M. and Marjorie A. (Geran) Davin
Dec. 3	David Byram Shirley .....	John B. and Harriet H. (Laird) Shirley
Dec. 6	Robert Stanley Nichols, Jr. ....	Robert Stanley and Corinne Ruth (Cutting) Nichols
Dec. 9	Stephen Walter Higgins .....	Walter Carleton and Elizabeth May (McCree) Higgins
Dec. 25	Scott Carleton Corey .....	Constantine Charles and Norma Lee (Garretson) Corey
Dec. 27	Bruce Martin Shaw .....	Harry C. and Dorothy M. (Martin) Shaw

**BIRTHS — 1957**

Jan. 13	Peter Eugene Whiting .....	William R. and Margaret R. (Whalen) Whiting
Jan. 13	Katherine Marie Wilkins .....	Paul G., Jr. and Roberta E. (Dixon) Wilkins
Jan. 15	Stephen Alfred Dowling .....	Peter J., Jr. and Ann Elizabeth (Felch) Dowling
Jan. 15	Karen Leslie Porter .....	Stanley D., Jr. and Janet M. (Pye) Porter

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Name of Parents</i>
Jan. 16	Stacie Merle Sandler .....	Stuart and Bernice H. (Wilson) Sandler
Jan. 16	Mark Clayton Brown .....	Edmund Robert and Mary Gertrude (Publicover) Brown
Jan. 20	Hugh Lorimer Andes .....	Hugh W., Jr. and Ann (Lorimer) Andes
Jan. 26	Mary Virginia Hildreth .....	Arthur Westerly and Jean Cameron (MacDonnell) Hildreth
Jan. 30	Betsy Ruth Cohen .....	Howard I. and Anita S. (Ettenberg) Cohen
Feb. 1	Brian Patrick Haverty .....	John Patrick and Nancy Jane (Pearce) Haverty
Feb. 2	Scott Holtby Edwards .....	John Springstead and Lois Margaret (Holtby) Edwards
Feb. 9	Jeffrey Alton Black .....	John Weston, III and Star Minerva (Robinson) Black
Feb. 10	Bruce Alan Maiuri .....	Anthony George and Marguerita L. (Parlee) Maiuri
Feb. 15	———— Koehler .....	Edward Franklin and Margaret Mary (Bryson) Koehler
Feb. 18	Ann Terese Doherty .....	Robert E., Jr. and Jean C. (Darling) Doherty
Feb. 23	Anne Virginia Stenzel .....	William Alexander and Pallie Jean (Bottorff) Stenzel
Feb. 25	Jane Elizabeth Maher .....	Robert Joseph and Harriet Jane (Griswold) Maher
March 2	Meryl Beth Rachlin .....	Yale Mitchell and Bette Arlene (Bortman) Rachlin
March 5	Richard Mark Hudson .....	Richard Elvey and Dorothy Marie (Chisari) Hudson
March 13	Sarah Ann Fay .....	Irving William and Shirley Laurretta (Cutting) Fay
March 13	Sarah Cambern Morrison .....	Robert Kariher and Gretchen Cambern (Irmiger) Morrison
March 14	Joan Dorothy McLaughlin .....	William F. and Ena M. (Winsor) McLaughlin
March 15	Shawn Peter Corr .....	James F. and Mary E. (Kelley) Corr
March 18	Tina Elizabeth Wood .....	Russell Jerome and Elizabeth Arnold (Little) Wood
March 21	Diane Christine Connolly .....	William H. and Gloria (Caldwell) Connolly
March 25	Lisa Ann Leone .....	Lawrence James and Viola Caroline (Paolini) Leone
March 25	Robert Eugene Nilo .....	Salvatore Charles and Doris Grey (Smith) Nilo
March 27	Melissa Brooks Pratt .....	Stowell and Marilyn (Stimson) Pratt
April 1	Virginia Marie Longland .....	Donald Tyler and Theresa F. (Trudeau) Longland
April 13	Christopher James Mele .....	John P. and Irene (McCarthy) Mele

April	18	Steven Douglas Mahar .....	Norman and Constance (Woodard) Mahar
April	13	Jeanne Elisabeth Dudley .....	Kenneth Whiting and Ruth Elizabeth (Bowie) Dudley
April	19	Gerald Lee Brothers .....	Earl Howard and Elsie Janis (Anderson) Brothers
April	20	Donald Earl Porter, Jr. ....	Donald Earl and Ellen Evelyn (Fahey) Porter
April	21	Joanne Marie Hollis .....	Wilmon Thomas and Elizabeth Lou (Davis) Hollis
April	21	Tracy Moorefield .....	Jimmy and Charlene (Mesles) Moorefield
April	22	Michelle Anne Trainor .....	William J., Jr. and Jeanine Hanna (Degen) Trainor
April	23	Nancy Ellen Neumeier .....	Victor L. and Crystal G. (Mueller) Neumeier
April	26	David Charles Cannella .....	James John and Margaret Gordon (Imrie) Cannella
April	28	Edward James O'Neil, III .....	Edward James, Jr. and Betty Lee (Ganoe) O'Neill
April	28	James Eric O'Malley .....	Richard F. and Doris Mildred (Erickson) O'Malley
April	30	Elizabeth Jan Warren .....	William Spickers, Jr. and Elizabeth (Lee) Warren
May	3	Patience Crook .....	Harry J. and Theresa L. (DaCosta) Crook
May	4	Brian Willis Pendleton, Jr. ....	Brian W. and Nancy (Willis) Pendleton
May	6	Cheryl Anne Powell .....	Stanley Richard and Doris Anne (Mills) Powell
May	6	Dana Marie Mulholland .....	Roger Grant and Barbara Shirley (Kaulbeck) Mulholland
May	9	Sally Ann Mahoney .....	Edward Joseph and Barbara Marie (Hapenny) Mahoney
May	10	Michael Chartier .....	Clifford Edmond and Marion (Quinn) Chartier
May	13	Gregory Joseph Cannon .....	Earl Roy and Elaine (Boudreau) Cannon
May	15	Stephen Robert Tichnor .....	Robert Morris and Sarah (Lentz) Tichnor
May	19	Margaret Ellen Burke .....	Edward James, Jr. and Margaret (Nettleton) Burke
May	25	Jay Papadinis .....	James George and Pamela (Pamplin) Papadinis
June	4	Susan Leigh Huneck .....	Lawrence S., Jr. and Barbara Jean (Eitle) Huneck
June	5	Lorraine Anne Shay .....	Donald Elliott and Mary-Effie (MacDonald) Shay
June	10	Donald Fisher Stuart .....	Edward M. and Barbara (Hills) Stuart
June	13	Cynthia Quirk .....	Gerald Thomas and Betty Jeannette (Phinney) Quirk
June	14	Timothy Alfred Cole .....	Sandford S., Jr. and Joy (Miars) Cole
June	15	Deborah Ann Doherty .....	James J. and Eleanor (Bassett) Doherty

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Name of Parents</i>
June 18	Leslie Sharon Raynor .....	John Shaw and Lois Elaine (Andres) Raynor
June 19	William Joseph Scott, Jr. ....	William J. and Virginia (McCauley) Scott
June 21	Anne-Elizabeth Raleigh Amesbury ....	Ira Raleigh, Jr. and Priscilla Marion (Gray) Amesbury
June 22	Carolyn Fish .....	William Hubert, Jr. and Mary Katherine (Hayes) Fish
June 25	Keith Eugene Ticknor .....	Robert Lewis and Ruth Doreen (Englehart) Ticknor
June 29	Mary Elizabeth Holloway .....	Charles Thomas and Phyllis Fay (Hamilton) Holloway
July 1	Peter Joseph King .....	James Leonard and Emily (St. John) King
July 6	Louis Michael Giannetti, Jr. ....	Louis M. and Eleanor (Antonellis) Giannetti
July 12	Lauren Patricia Raeke .....	Henry F. and Anne (Ward) Raeke
July 13	Dana Gilardi .....	Americo R. and Marie (DiPrisco) Gilardi
July 15	Cynthia Grace Mills .....	Allen William and Jacqueline Elizabeth (Doherty) Mills
July 15	Joel Alden Fickett .....	Marvis M. and Marcia A. (Douillette) Fickett
July 16	Diana Cameron Newton .....	Robert Augustine and Marian R. (Wheet) Newton
July 17	James Harold Boyd, III .....	James Harold, Jr. and Barbara Ann (Boyd) Boyd
July 20	Carolyn Way .....	Kendall Sherman and Nancy Lou (Nattermer) Way
July 20	Shayne Lois Stern .....	Samuel Lewis and Sadie Muriel (Benjamin) Stern
July 20	Sylvia Louise Stern .....	Samuel Lewis and Sadie Muriel (Benjamin) Stern
July 24	Jennifer Stone .....	Ralph Waldo, Jr. and Marion Boyington (Merritt) Stone
July 27	Joan Marie Publicover .....	Francis Gerald and Veronica Ann (Herman) Publicover
July 27	David Harry Bentley, Jr. ....	David Harry and Beverly Doris (Peterson) Bentley
July 29	David Elliot Stott .....	Alan B. and Margaret (Sim) Stott
July 31	Barbara Ann Stearns .....	Lawrence Oren and Judith Kay (Hoyt) Stearns
Aug. 1	Patricia Anne Genna .....	William George and Mary Alice (Mobilia) Genna
Aug. 2	Ronald James Flener .....	Lendon Elmer and Alma M. (Levasseur) Flener
Aug. 6	Sheila Lee Wesinger .....	Albert James and Ruth Marion (Willis) Wesinger

Aug.	7	Deborah Jean Ward .....	Richard E. and Jean C. (Valentino) Ward
Aug.	8	Imre Stanley Tary .....	Imre and Ilona (Rozsnyoi) Tary
Aug.	8	Laurie Ann Weise .....	Douglas R. and Dianne (Diettrich) Weise
Aug.	9	Elizabeth Ann Wentworth .....	Ivan W. and Elizabeth A. (Pineo) Wentworth
Aug.	9	Susan Marie Wentworth .....	Ivan W. and Elizabeth A. (Pineo) Wentworth
Aug.	10	Barbara Tenney .....	Richard Daniel and Catharine Yasuko (Oshima) Tenney
Aug.	21	Robin Mary Rhodes .....	Robert Steven and Marie E. (True) Rhodes
Aug.	25	Brian Joseph Collins .....	Arthur J. and Mary E. (Desmond) Collins
Aug.	26	Corina Codman Guild .....	Edward Motley and Virginia Gay (Cross) Guild
Aug.	27	Cynthia Jackson Doty .....	Augustus Flagg, Jr. and Jane Brewster (Gray) Doty
Sept.	3	Edward Calvin Staal .....	Edward James and Sylvia Lorraine (Mills) Staal
Sept.	5	Shirleen Elise Smith .....	Shirley Farwell and Phyllis Elizabeth (Mennela) Smith
Sept.	6	Cynthia Ellen Hall .....	William Leslie and Loraine (Waters) Hall
Sept.	7	Kathleen Claire Buttner .....	Frederic D. and Sheila (McCabe) Buttner
Sept.	7	Richard James Petrie .....	Richard James and Alice Constance (Dexter) Petrie
Sept.	7	Adrienne Marie Chandonait .....	Henry and Barbara (Hayden) Chandonait
Sept.	10	Scott Thomas Adamson .....	Robert and Janet (Hennessy) Adamson
Sept.	10	Kevin John O'Brien .....	William and Jean (Gardner) O'Brien
Sept.	13	Barbara Ann Lind .....	Robert Godfrey and Monica Virginia (O'Laughlin) Lind
Sept.	16	David Michael Carney .....	George W. and Dorothy L. (Boudreau) Carney
Sept.	21	Katherine Ann Bleakney .....	Robert Gordon, Jr. and Karin Louise (Kavanagh) Bleakney
Sept.	29	Andrew Carl Marsh .....	Milton Faulkner and Carol Louise (Moffitt) Marsh
Sept.	30	Jeffrey Adams Howe .....	Robert Adams, Jr. and Virginia (Mayo) Howe
Oct.	1	Edward George Nashawaty, Jr.	Edward George and Dorothy (Selter) Nashawaty
Oct.	3	Gerald Paul Doucette .....	Lubin Charles and Alice Marie (Moniz) Doucette
Oct.	4	Mark Stitler From .....	William H. and Mary P. (Vipond) From
Oct.	7	Alyson Jean Manuel .....	Warren Everett and Doris Ann (Wiesner) Manuel
Oct.	8	Carolyn Starr .....	Donald MacLean and Greta Charlotte (Smith) Starr

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Name of Parents</i>
Oct. 8	David Tibbert .....	Francis X. and Marguerite E. (Mercury) Tibbert
Oct. 13	Steven Wayne Morrison .....	William DeForrest and Margaret (Smith) Morrison
Oct. 14	Nancy Elizabeth Gale .....	Albert Andrew and Mary Ellen (Fitzgerald) Gale
Oct. 16	Robert James Throckmorton .....	Kenneth Lawrence and Sylvia Kate (Meier) Throckmorton
Oct. 17	Deborah Lee Stone .....	Richard Carlton and Lola Mae (Butler) Stone
Oct. 18	Douglas Frederick Haartz .....	Frederick Hermann and Alice Gertrude (Daniels) Haartz
Oct. 19	Richard Frothingham Whelpley, Jr. ....	Richard Frothingham and Ilene (Derick) Whelpley
Oct. 20	Laureen Ann Ahern .....	Daniel and Dorothy (Grinnell) Ahern
Oct. 20	Erin Eileen Egan .....	Thomas H. and Lois (Kenney) Egan
Oct. 20	Judith Marie Jameson .....	Daniel Parker and Shirley (Kendall) Jameson
Oct. 21	Bonnie Jay Martin .....	Ronald William and Betty Ann (Dorval) Martin
Oct. 22	Melissa Jo Smith .....	Robert Perry and Evelyn Irene (Simkins) Smith
Oct. 25	Mary Jane Allen .....	Dexter George and Marcia (Kesseli) Allen
Nov. 8	Lisa Ann Kojabashian .....	Charles and Shirley A. (Rothwell) Kojabashian
Nov. 8	Stephen Martin Thomas .....	Hubert Henry and Mary (Wood) Thomas
Nov. 19	Katherine Covelle Wickson .....	Robert E. and Alice (Kirby) Wickson
Nov. 28	Richard Joseph Blanchette .....	John M. and Margaret (McDonnell) Blanchette
Nov. 20	Kyle Scott Petersen .....	Gordon Curtis and Gloria (Moore) Petersen
Nov. 23	Karen Ann Vanaria .....	Francis Joseph and Mary Carolyn (Perna) Vanaria
Nov. 29	Cathy Lee Cunningham .....	Warren Dwight and Eleanor Marie (Cleary) Cunningham
Dec. 1	Erik Kristian Stromsted .....	Erik Arnold and Julia Jay (Pierrepont) Stromsted
Dec. 1	Michael David Hamill .....	Arthur Ray and Theresa Veronica (O'Neill) Hamill
Dec. 2	Richard Roy Hawes, Jr. ....	Richard R. and Alice E. (McGovern) Hawes
Dec. 4	Joanne Marcella Urgotis .....	Anthony P. and Marguerite M. (Burke) Urgotis
Dec. 4	_____ Lewis .....	Arthur K. and Mary (Hough) Lewis
Dec. 10	Nancy Joy Fullerton .....	George and Jeannette (Barber) Fullerton



Dec.	11	Matthew James Finch .....	Lawrence G. and Virginia (Martin) Finch
Dec.	11	Kenneth Nils Goranson .....	Nils Albert and Dorothy Young (Sharp) Goranson
Dec.	12	Stewart Jeffrey Wiley .....	Nathaniel Chester, Jr. and Judith Davis (Brooks) Wiley
Dec.	14	Frederick Randall Bigony .....	Frederick and Katherine (Meinig) Bigony
Dec.	14	Pamela Mae Dahlstrom .....	Raymond D. and Doris (Jacobsen) Dahlstrom
Dec.	16	Richard Edward Harding .....	Curtis Eaton and Jeanne Carole (Fredey) Harding
Dec.	17	Donald Allen Ross .....	Richard W. and Ruth Elizabeth (MacFaun) Ross
Dec.	18	Joshua James Powers .....	John C. and Betsey A. (Martin) Powers
Dec.	22	Larry Keith Manuel .....	Robert Ralph and Isobel Christine (Walton) Manuel
Dec.	22	Carol Ann Fox .....	Daniel M. and Harriet V. (Marshall) Fox
Dec.	31	———— Nichols .....	Robert Stanley and Corinne Ruth (Cutting) Nichols

## MARRIAGES

1957

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Feb. 19	Richard T. Gohlke, Jr. .... Edith D. Eldridge .....	Sudbury, Mass. Ossipee, N. H.
March 3	Gary Joseph Mosca .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Brenda Vera Fletcher .....	Sudbury, Mass.
March 7	Richard G. Howell .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Gertrude E. Maney .....	Peabody, Mass.
March 9	William S. Braunig .....	Newton, Mass.
	June E. Lord .....	Boston, Mass.
March 31	Carleton LeRoy Krebs .....	New Haven, Conn.
	Marcia Janice Sumner .....	Stonham, Mass.
April 27	Robert Vroom Spike .....	Arlington, Mass.
	Nelly Josephine Helgaard (Johnsen) Arlington, Mass.	
April 28	Henry Kevin Fairbanks .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Margaret Isabel Donaldson .....	Southboro, Mass.
May 4	William K. Relf .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Doris L. Brown .....	Arlington, Mass.
May 4	Edward C. Carmichael .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Marjorie Clayton .....	Watertown, Mass.
May 11	Curtis Dean MacLauchlan .....	Wellesley, Mass.
	Carolyn Ada Fox .....	Framingham Centre, Mass.
May 18	Theodore W. McElwain .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Marie E. Grout .....	Worcester, Mass.
May 19	Robert Buonato .....	West Newton, Mass.
	Barbara Valletta .....	Sudbury, Mass.
May 19	Kenneth Alan Green .....	Dedham, Mass.
	Alice May Corey .....	Dedham, Mass.
May 25	Peter Candage Raymond .....	Wilton, N. H.
	Dorothy Grannis .....	Sudbury, Mass.
May 26	James O. Kopp .....	Maynard, Mass.
	Elizabeth A. Anello .....	Sudbury, Mass.
May 31	David W. Bell .....	Bath, Maine
	Elizabeth Anne Terp .....	Springfield, Vt.
June 2	Donald G. Hunson, Jr. ....	Gloucester, Mass.
	Mary Ellen Earley .....	Brookline, Mass.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
June 7	Norman Walter Bemis .....	Maynard, Mass.
	Elizabeth Mae Murray .....	So. Acton, Mass.
June 9	Robert Francis Mercier .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Elaine M. Pitman .....	Marlboro, Mass.
June 14	John Philip Hansen .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Frances V. Spencer .....	Hudson, Mass.
June 15	Warner Mercer .....	Marlboro, Mass.
	Patricia A. Sestito .....	Sudbury, Mass.
June 21	Samuel B. Bartlett .....	Dedham, Mass.
	Joan M. Harding .....	Sudbury, Mass.
June 22	Bradford Whitney .....	Wayland, Mass.
	Carol Ann Deane .....	Wayland, Mass.
June 22	Arthur David Blanchette .....	Maynard, Mass.
	Mary Della Russo (Bastinelli) ..	Sudbury, Mass.
June 23	Rosario Ortisi .....	Detroit, Mich.
	Carmelina Florida .....	Sudbury, Mass.
June 29	Allen Crockett Brown .....	Newton, Mass.
	Virginia Evelyn Steeves .....	Waltham, Mass.
June 29	Robert Forbes Birkenstock .....	Wellesley Hills, Mass.
	Mildred Conklin (Beattie) .....	Sudbury, Mass.
June 29	Paul F. Cleveland .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Elizabeth A. Imrie .....	Needham, Mass.
July 3	Robert K. Steiger .....	Holyoke, Mass.
	Nancy (Harrington) Tighe .....	Holyoke, Mass.
July 6	William B. Feindel, 3rd .....	Wakefield, Mass.
	Jean Anne Murphy .....	Medford, Mass.
July 7	Paul Bradford MacDonald .....	Lexington, Mass.
	Joan Beverly Mulock .....	Newton, Mass.
July 19	David H. Lawson .....	Acton, Mass.
	Betsy Davis .....	Sudbury, Mass.
July 20	Richard Thomas Buckley .....	Concord, Mass.
	Beatrice Marie Cabot .....	Sudbury, Mass.
July 21	Thomas J. Holland .....	Boston, Mass.
	Catherine E. Broughton .....	Hopkinton, N. H.
Aug. 2	Thomas E. Ellis, Jr. .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Thelma Ellen Cole .....	Sudbury, Mass.
Aug. 3	Winfred E. Robb, Jr. .....	West Swanzey, N. H.
	Joanna Olson .....	Sudbury, Mass.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Aug. 10	Frank Anthony Carlman .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Darryl Lea Hinds .....	Sudbury, Mass.
Aug. 10	Charles Enos Downs Margeson ..	Melrose, Mass.
	Joanne Ruth Maloney .....	Melrose, Mass.
Aug. 21	Harlan William Long .....	Watseka, Illinois
	Helen Reed Kane (Trask) .....	Brunswick, Maine
Aug. 24	James Warren Hammond .....	Wellesley, Mass.
	Marlise Dolores Fornos .....	Newton, Mass.
Aug. 24	Richard Frank Nicolari .....	Ansonia, Conn.
	Judith Ann Larkin .....	Sudbury, Mass.
Aug. 31	Robert Atherton Thayer .....	Newark, Delaware
	Pamela Jane Thayer .....	Lexington, Mass.
Aug. 31	David Lee Winterhalter .....	Ashland, Mass.
	Suzanne Bradstreet .....	Ashland, Mass.
Sept. 14	Richard Samuel Young .....	Watertown, Mass.
	Elizabeth Ann Linden .....	Stow, Mass.
Sept. 14	Robert Ford Kelley .....	Newton, Mass.
	Penelope Constance Butcher .....	Newton, Mass.
Sept. 21	Stanley Peter Ziomek .....	Amherst, Mass.
	Beverly Ann Giles .....	Sudbury, Mass.
Sept. 21	Lawrence Ambrose Dee, Jr. ....	Concord, Mass.
	Carole Louise Olson .....	Arlington, Mass.
Oct. 9	Robert Kenneth Pedersen .....	Waltham, Mass.
	Elizabeth Ann Hartman .....	Waltham, Mass.
Oct. 26	Warren E. Boyce .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Sheila J. Lewis .....	Sudbury, Mass.
Oct. 26	Smith W. Harsell .....	Los Angeles, Calif.
	Barbara Goode .....	Hollywood, Calif.
Oct. 26	Einar A. Johnson, Jr. ....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Ruth G. Potvin .....	Cochituate, Mass.
Oct. 26	Edward K. Bickford .....	Boston, Mass.
	Helen G. Cusano .....	Waltham, Mass.
Nov. 8	Daniel Norman Place .....	Sudbury, Mass.
	Elizabeth Louise Arsenault .....	Waltham, Mass.
Nov. 8	Howard Pierce Trefrey .....	Stamford, Conn.
	Cynthia Wheeler Johnson .....	Newton, Mass.
Dec. 8	Charles Emerson Lynch .....	Leominster, Mass.
	Elizabeth Anne Duckworth .....	Maynard, Mass.
Dec. 21	Caleb W. Wolfe .....	Boston, Mass.
	Alice P. Caras .....	Auburndale, Mass.

**DEATHS**  
**1957**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>		
		<i>Yr.</i>	<i>Mo.</i>	<i>Day</i>
<b>CORRECTIONS</b>				
1956				
Nov. 14	Blanche Ellen Heard .....	90	11	13
<b>DEATHS — 1957</b>				
Jan. 1	Baby Girl Bigony .....	—	—	2
Jan. 3	Lizzie E. Thompson .....	86	11	18
Jan. 6	Alberta V. (Littlefield) Tuttle ....	84	10	11
Jan. 8	Otis Bailey Mott .....	101	0	15
Jan. 25	Emma J. Stevens .....	88	3	22
Jan. 29	Charles E. Wallis .....	64	2	9
Feb. 2	James William Shea .....	89	7	8
Feb. 15	Baby Girl Koehler .....	2 hrs. 20 min.		
Feb. 15	Olaf Nielsen .....	73	—	—
Feb. 17	Joseph Cyr Levesque .....	58	3	26
Feb. 26	John B. Kalland .....	61	0	11
April 3	William A. Stearns .....	88	11	19
April 13	Llewellyn C. Richardson .....	78	11	1
April 14	Herman H. Sprague .....	82	8	16
April 23	Frances (Richter) Borden .....	65	—	—
April 27	Seneca W. Hall .....	82	7	11
May 2	Thomas F. Curran .....	38	7	6
May 12	Edna Mabel Viles .....	68	7	14
May 22	Emma Spencer Danforth .....	83	—	—
June 10	William W. Dudley .....	77	4	28
June 14	Clara Blattner .....	79	6	30
June 30	Calvin Chambers Mills .....	52	10	22
July 6	Nazir Chikri Salih .....	45	8	16
July 9	Helen H. Hodge .....	79	8	17
July 29	Alan Morine .....	5	2	19

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Yr.</i>	<i>Age</i>	
			<i>Mo.</i>	<i>Day</i>
Aug. 2	Maxine A. Place .....	29	1	24
Aug. 5	David H. Bentley, Jr. ....	—	—	8
Aug. 8	Wayne Hanson Dingee .....	45	10	16
Aug. 14	Mary Myrtle Flowers .....	77	0	22
Sept. 13	Susan M. (James) Day .....	69	11	2
Sept. 16	Harriette Young .....	77	5	26
Oct. 3	Daniel Alex Blue .....	57	7	20
Oct. 6	Frederick J. Smith .....	76	11	—
Oct. 9	Stuart Edgerly .....	53	10	14
Oct. 16	Ida (Hidman) Johnson .....	85	11	27
Oct. 16	Myra Louise (Fairbank) Baldwin	59	9	12
Oct. 18	Catherine Bridget Reilly .....	80	6	20
Oct. 31	William James Brennan .....	67	3	5
Nov. 2	Linda Lindquist .....	66	9	28
Nov. 4	Fred Albert Noyes .....	85	0	14
Nov. 12	Anselm J. Tervo .....	80	1	27
Nov. 21	Raymond E. Hartwell .....	56	8	30
Nov. 22	Frank M. Head .....	66	0	10
Nov. 25	Marion Louise Webster .....	66	0	15
Dec. 1	Nettie Carley .....	90	3	14
Dec. 9	Henry T. McSweeney .....	76	11	—
Dec. 11	Emelia (DeLemos) Machado .....	93	4	26
Dec. 21	Robert W. Hayes .....	48	9	23

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**Brought to Sudbury for Burial**

Feb. 22	Edith A. Austin .....	77	5	1
Apr. 28	Grace P. Reed .....	77	6	0
May 28	Edith M. Weeks .....	76	4	11
July 4	Pauline Hanson .....	37	7	3
Aug. 23	Michael Tulis .....	85	8	11
Oct. 26	Joan Frances Steeves .....	22	5	1

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Age</i>		
		<i>Yr.</i>	<i>Mo.</i>	<i>Day</i>
Nov. 16	Thomas B. Taber .....	69	9	3
Nov. 28	Louise (Lovell) Norton .....	83	—	—
Dec. 2	Henry M. Hall .....	92	9	0

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The causes of death were as follows: Myocardial Failure (1), Fever of Unknown Origin (1), Cardiac Failure (1), Bronchopneumonia (3), Arteriosclerosis (3), Prematurity (2), Coronary Occlusion (7), Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease (3), Infection (1), Carcinoma (7), Virus pneumonia (3), Cachexia (1), Coronary Sclerosis (1), Hypertensive Cardiovascular Disease (1), Coronary Artery Disease (1), Wilm's Tumor (1), Cerebral Hemorrhage (1), Patent Ductus Arteriosus (1), Gastric Hemorrhage (1), Hypostatic Pneumonia (1), Hodgkin's Disease (1), Myocardial Infarct. (2), Acute L. Ventricular Failure (1), Uremia (1), Hypertensive Heart Disease (2).

The following report of activities and commentary on the objectives of the Sudbury Foundation has been submitted by the Individual Trustees and is hereby made public for informative purposes.

December 31, 1957

### SUDBURY FOUNDATION

The Sudbury Foundation was founded on December 30, 1952 and has served the purposes for which it was created in most every respect.

The first charitable purpose set forth in the Trust Indenture is:

1. Payments to educational institutions for worthy and needy students, particularly students resident in Sudbury, for the purposes of furthering their educations and increasing their capacity for usefulness, through loans granted on very liberal terms, or through outright grants if, in the discretion of the Trustees the applicant seems worthy.

The Foundation's record to date is nineteen loans to thirteen boys and girls from Sudbury, totalling \$10,332.00 to assist them in financing their college tuition and board. Of the above, one has repaid the Foundation for money so loaned.

2. Payments to churches in Sudbury for capital improvements, repairs, current operations and other church purposes.

\$7,422.61 has been paid to the churches of Sudbury for capital improvements, repairs, church schools, etc.

3. Payments to the Welfare Department of the Town of Sudbury, or to institutions, to provide extras such as flowers, personal radios, etc., to worthy and needy persons who, by reason of age, sickness or other infirmities, are in need of comfort and assistance to ease their plight and increase their joys. This particularly applies to persons resident in Sudbury.

This category has been the exception. Practically no request has been made on the Foundation for the purposes set forth except the small amount of \$100.00 during the first year of the Trust. We can only conclude that either the worthy and needy persons of Sudbury do not exist, or that they are being amply taken care of from other sources.

4. The Sudbury Foundation, organized exclusively for charitable purposes and supported primarily by the



contributions from the general public, is exempt under Section 501(2) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to it are a proper deduction in a contributor's income tax, as a charitable contribution. This fund should be of particular interest to the citizens of Sudbury when they consider their charitable donations, as it is operated almost exclusively for the citizens of Sudbury.

Contributions to the fund this past year have been disappointing, but it is our hope that as the Foundation continues to prove its worth to Sudbury, more interest from the contributors' viewpoint will follow.

If you know of anyone who would like to make a gift to this fund, or leave a bequest to it under their will, we suggest that they write to the Trust Department of The Mechanics National Bank of Worcester, Worcester, Massachusetts.

Report of the Operations and Financial Condition of The Sudbury Foundation for the year ending December 31, 1957.  
Book value of Sudbury Foundation

January 1, 1957 .....		\$43,576.34	
Proceeds from sale of rights .....		4.60	
Plus interest and dividends .....		651.76	
<i>Less:</i> the following contributions and loans made during the year in conformity with the purposes of the Foundation:			
Amount to educational institutions for payment of tuition, room, board and other expenses for two girls and four boys .....	\$4,085.00		
Sudbury American Legion Auxiliary toward their project "Girls' State" .....	35.00		
Sudbury Methodist Church --- Building Fund .....	1,000.00		
Sudbury Council of Churches to assist in Vacation Church School .....	75.00	5,195.00	
			\$39,037.70
Less administrative expenses: .....			188.40
			\$38,849.30
Plus additional "Notes Receivable" .....			4,347.00
			\$43,196.30

## FUNDS COLLECTED BY THE TOWN CLERK IN '1957

*Dog Licenses*

134	Female	@	\$5.00	670.00	
378	Male	@	\$2.00	\$756.00	
237	Spayed	@	\$2.00	474.00	
7	Kennel	@	\$10.00	70.00	
3	Kennel	@	\$25.00	75.00	
4	Kennel	@	\$50.00	200.00	
					\$2,245.00

*Fees*

483		@	\$.20	\$96.60	
280		@	\$.25	70.00	
					166.60

Paid Town Treasurer

\$2,078.40

*Certificates of Registration*

16		@	\$2.50	\$40.00	
1		@	\$3.00	3.00	
4		@	\$1.00	4.00	
					47.00

*Junk Licenses*

5		@	\$10.00	\$50.00	
Fees 5		@	\$2.00	10.00	
					40.00

*Sale of Publications*

Maps, etc.					134.75
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*Taxi License*

1		@	\$3.00		3.00
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Total Funds Paid Treasurer

\$2,303.15

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## TOWN ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the report of the Town Accountant for the year ending December 31, 1957, arranged as follows:

1. Detailed accounts of all money received by the Town classified in accordance with the requirements of the Division of Accounts of the Commonwealth.
  - a. Summary of Cash Receipts
  - b. Summary of Income Accounts
  - c. Recapitulation of Estimated Receipts
  - d Recapitulation of Excess and Deficiency
2. Details of all Departmental Accounts showing the appropriations, credits, expenditures, and balances.
3. Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1957, showing all debit and credit balances on all open ledger accounts.

All bills and vouchers on which moneys have been paid from the treasury during the year ending December 31, 1957 have been examined and found correct.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFTON F. GILES, SR.,  
Town Accountant.

## SUMMARY OF CASH RECEIPTS

1. Real Estate Taxes of 1957 .....	\$566,463.20	
Real Estate Taxes of 1956 .....	19,613.90	
Real Estate Taxes of 1955 .....	1,574.71	
		<u>\$587,651.81</u>
2. Personal Property Taxes of 1957 .....	\$45,999.86	
Personal Property Taxes of 1956 .....	626.49	
Personal Property Taxes of 1955 .....	161.00	
		<u>\$46,787.35</u>
3. Poll Taxes of 1957 .....	\$2,608.00	
Poll Taxes of 1956 .....	14.00	
Poll Taxes of 1955 .....	2.00	
		<u>\$2,624.00</u>
4. Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes of 1957 .....	\$64,834.65	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes of 1956 .....	19,482.14	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes of 1955 .....	133.51	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes of 1954 .....	23.34	
		<u>84,473.64</u>
5. Farm Animal Excise 1957 .....	92.84	
		<u>92.84</u>
6. Street Betterment Assessments .....		3,147.90
7. Drainage Assessments .....		153.59
8. Road Guarantee Deposit .....		3,900.00
9. Tax Titles (including costs) .....		111.57
10. State and County Aid to Highways .....		80,325.38
11. Accounts Receivable — Cities and Towns .....		1,699.29
12. Accounts Receivable Sudbury Water Dis- trict .....		220.57
13. Welfare Dept. Recovery .....		50.00
14. Commonwealth of Massachusetts .....		163,406.21
15. Dog Licenses sold and sale of dogs .....		2,110.55
16. Dog Tax money from county .....		1,246.99
17. Road Machinery Fund .....		6,627.70
18. Trust Funds Principal (inc. change in se- curities) .....		11,316.08
19. Trust Funds Income .....		4,246.37
20. Sale of Cemetery Lots .....		81.00
21. Loan — Horse Pond Road School .....		440,000.00
22. Loan — Town Dump Machine .....		7,400.00
23. Loan — Horse Pond Road Rebuilding .....		8,500.00

24. Loan — Fairbank Road School Site .....		12,000.00
25. Temporary Loans .....		461,140.30
26. Profit on Sale of U. S. Treas. Bills and Accrued Interest .....		5,161.30
27. Premiums .....		2,230.96
28. Special School Lunch Account .....		27,739.49
29. Refunds and Dup. payments .....		106.96
30. Licenses Collected for State .....		50.00
31. Federal Grants:		
Old Age Assistance .....	\$16,724.73	
Aid to Dependent Children .....	953.60	
Disability Assistance .....	1,232.99	
Welfare Administration .....	2,345.73	
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		21,256.95
32. Middlesex County Retirement .....		2,350.08
33. Teachers' Retirement .....		3,456.08
34. Blue Cross — Blue Shield .....		1,156.45
35. Withholding Tax .....		16,608.86
36. Collected on Trusteed Account .....		120.00
37. Miscellaneous General Government .....		11,007.28
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		\$2,020,557.55

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS REPORTED AS "MISCELLANEOUS  
GENERAL GOVERNMENT"

1. Liquor Licenses .....	\$2,653.00
2. Common Victuallers and Innholders Licenses .....	45.00
3. Lord's Day and Entertainment License .....	116.00
4. Pin Ball Machine Licenses .....	100.00
5. Junk License and Certificates of Registration .....	89.50
6. Building Permits .....	2,242.00
7. Wiring Permits .....	809.00
8. Pistol, Firearms and Gas Storage Permits .....	85.00
9. Court Fines .....	145.00
10. Library Fines .....	185.24
11. Dental Clinic .....	43.50
12. Town Hall Rental .....	661.00
13. School Hall Rental .....	31.00
14. Legion Hall Rental .....	5.00
15. Fees — Tax Collector .....	340.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures .....	65.15
Board of Appeals .....	230.00
Planning Board .....	158.00
Board of Appeals for Building Code .....	4.00
16. Cemetery Expense .....	594.86
17. Interest on Taxes .....	663.19
18. Demands .....	61.20
19. Tuition .....	537.50
20. Beer and Wine Licenses .....	372.00
21. Sale of Maps and Publications .....	128.25
22. Loam Removal Permits .....	25.00
23. Sale of Old Desks .....	87.00
24. Reimbursement for Cost of Putting Out Fires .....	50.50
25. Insurance Claims and Rebates .....	128.49
26. Sudbury P. T. A. Use of Addressograph .....	16.90
27. Office Rent — Water District .....	225.00
28. Fine Imposed by Court Order .....	100.00
29. Salvage Sale .....	10.00
	\$11,007.28

## SUMMARY OF INCOME ACCOUNTS

	<i>Balance Jan. 1, 1957</i>	<i>Income</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance Dec. 31 1957</i>
Charity Funds .....	\$2,619.92	\$1,126.82	\$150.00	\$3,596.74
Raymond Scholarship Funds	106.11	267.22	238.71	134.62
Goodnow Library Funds .....	41.55	1,294.64	1,279.47	56.72
Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Funds	661.67	526.07	314.90	872.84
Mt. Wadsworth Cemetery Funds	563.17	395.76	355.10	603.83
No. Sudbury Cemetery Funds	484.59	237.14	231.20	490.53
Old Cemetery Funds .....	77.92	27.93	32.00	73.85
Town Cemetery Funds .....	450.60	331.44	300.10	481.94
School Fund .....	102.52	39.35	.00	141.87
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	\$5,108.05			\$6,452.94

## RECAPITULATION OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	<i>Assessors' Estimate</i>	<i>Actual</i>
1. Income Tax .....	\$58,895.42	\$6,905.89
2. Corporation Taxes .....	15,331.87	20,630.51
3. Old Age Tax (Meals) .....	1,016.40	1,016.55
4. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise .....	56,152.81	80,459.70
5. Licenses .....	2,939.00	3,286.00
6. Fines .....	245.00	245.00
7. Special Assessments .....	4,405.00	3,301.49
8. General Government .....	7,943.00	6,859.14
9. Old Age Assistance (Other than Federal Grants) .....	19,173.00	17,808.44
10. Veterans' Services .....	517.00	743.63
11. Schools — Chapter 70 .....	4,054.84	55,617.18
12. Libraries .....	143.00	185.24
13. School Transportation .....	18,555.64	39,652.99
14. Interest on Taxes .....	353.00	663.19
15. State Assistance for School Construction	7,885.51	7,885.51
16. Aid to Dependent Children .....	846.00	1,014.79
17. Disability Assistance .....	2,770.00	1,492.70
18. General Relief .....	1,438.00	1,699.29
19. Farm Animal Excise .....	133.30	92.84
20. Cooperative Plowing .....	107.50	107.50
21. Vocational Education .....		2,080.39
22. Civil Defense Reimbursement (Comm. of Mass.) .....		571.31
23. Reimbursement for los of taxes (Comm. of Mass.) .....		243.82
24. Hawker — Pedlar's License .....		10.00
25. Auditor Adjustment .....		8.44
	\$202,905.29	\$252,581.54



RECAPITULATION OF EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

DEBITS		CREDITS	
Transferred by vote of Town Meeting — March, 1957 .....	\$7,230.00	Balance January 1, 1957 .....	\$49,431.79
Transferred by vote of Town Meeting — April 22, 1957 .....	4,000.00	Transfer April 22 voided by Commissioner	2,000.00
Transferred by vote of Town Meeting — October 23, 1957 .....	6,940.00	Received from State Aid to Highways ....	13,454.97
Tax Titles Taken By Town .....	42.80	Recoveries on Welfare .....	589.33
Tax Titles From Previous Year .....	418.50	Tax Titles Redeemed .....	100.85
To set up Petty Cash Reserve .....	35.00	Personal Property Tax—1956 Committed in 1957 .....	90.00
Audit Adjustments .....	6.79	Audit Adjustments .....	2.15
Balance Remaining December 31, 1957.....	123,169.11	Balance of Revenue Account Including Estimated Receipts .....	76,173.11
	\$141,842.20		\$141,842.20

SCHEDULE OF APPROPRIATIONS, TRANSFERS  
EXPENDITURES AND UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCES

A. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

	<i>Approp.</i>	<i>Transfers Etc.</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance</i>
1. Assessors, Salaries .....	\$2,400.00	.....	\$2,400.00	.00
2. Assessors, Expense .....	1,200.00	.....	1,121.70	78.30
3. Survey and Prepare Assessors' Maps .....	.00	81.55P	81.55G	.00
4. Moderator .....	100.00	.....	70.00	30.00
5. Selectmen, Salaries .....	900.00	.....	900.00	.00
6. Selectmen, Expense .....	200.00	.....	200.00	.00
7. Treasurer, Salary .....	1,400.00	.....	1,400.00	.00
8. Treasurer, Expense .....	350.00	50.00R	389.55	10.45
9. Treasurer, Tax Title Expense .....	125.00	.....	95.53	29.47
10. Town Clerk, Salary .....	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	.00
11. Town Clerk, Expense .....	850.00	.....	703.95	146.05
12. Town Clerk, Office Equipment .....	.00	85.00P	.00	85.00
13. Registrars, Expense .....	925.00	500.00A	1,373.38	51.62
14. Registrars, Salary .....	100.00	.....	100.00	.00
15. Registrars, Clerk's Salary ..	350.00	.....	350.00	.00
16. Tax Collector, Salary .....	2,800.00	.....	2,800.00	.00
17. Tax Collector, Expense .....	1,133.00	.....	1,099.91	33.09
18. Clerk Hire .....	11,000.00	100.00R	11,096.80	3.20
19. Town Accountant, Salary ...	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	.00
20. Town Accountant, Expense..	150.00	.....	99.00	51.00
21. Election and Town Meeting Expense .....	800.00	30.66R	830.66	.00
22. Board of Appeals .....	275.00	.....	122.64	152.36
23. Board of Appeals, Subdivision .....	25.00	.....	9.78	15.22
24. Legal Expense .....	3,000.00	.....	2,999.92	.08
25. Office Supplies .....	1,350.00	.....	1,275.10	74.90
26. Planning Board Expense .....	750.00	.....	520.63	229.37
27. Custodian Town Property Expense .....	50.00	.....	35.00	15.00
28. Town Hall Expense .....	4,000.00	13.83R	4,013.83	.00
29. Finance Committee Expense	100.00	.....	20.65	79.35
30. Town Hall Office Equipment — Maint. ....	430.00	.....	335.36	94.64
31. Town Hall Office Equipment — Purchase .....	1,405.00	521.25R	1,889.34	36.91
32. Town Hall Repairs .....	2,025.00	.....	1,103.77	921.23
33. Town Property Repairs — Haynes House .....	1,000.00	631.00P 900.00A	35.35	2,495.65*
34. Telephone Account .....	2,000.00	.....	1,907.38	92.62
35. Town Engineer—Salary and Expense .....	5,000.00	.....	4,996.15	3.85

B. PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

1. Dog Officer, Salary and Expense .....	500.00	.....	500.00	.00
2. Fire Dept., Salaries .....	17,640.00	379.50R	18,019.50	.00
3. Fire Dept., Expense .....	1,100.00	.....	1,098.72	1.28
4. Fire Dept., New Equipment..	3,150.00	.....	3,147.60	2.40
5. Police Dept., Salaries .....	22,850.00	1,200.00R	23,930.54	119.46

	<i>Approp.</i>	<i>Transfers Etc.</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance</i>
6. Police Dept., Expenses .....	4,605.00	.....	4,173.80	431.20
7. Police Dept., Uniforms .....	120.00	150.00P	224.95	45.05*
8. Sealer of Weights and Meas- ures .....	125.00	.....	125.00	.00
9. Hydrant Rental .....	4,130.00	.....	4,130.00	.00
10. Tree Department .....	2,000.00	.....	1,986.84	13.16
11. Moth Department .....	500.00	.....	265.59	234.41
12. Elm Leaf Spray .....	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	.00
13. Radio Account .....	1,330.00	.....	1,327.99	2.01
14. Civil Defense .....	.00	271.62P	230.60	41.02*
15. Building Inspector Expense..	125.00	.....	121.89	3.11

## C. HEALTH AND SANITATION

1. Animal Inspector Salary .....	225.00	.....	225.00	.00
2. Board of Health Expense ....	2,000.00	.....	580.76	1,419.24
3. Dental Clinic .....	2,100.00	285.00R	2,233.93	151.07
4. Public Health Nurse Salary	2,100.00	.....	2,100.00	.00
5. Mosquito Control .....	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00	.00
6. Town Dump (A) .....	5,000.00	{ 55.45P 978.43R	6,033.88	.00

(A) Town Dump has been included in "Highways" for some years but this item is really classified as "Health and Sanitation."

## D. HIGHWAYS

1. Bridge Repair .....	500.00	.00	497.00	3.00
2. Chapter 81 .....	8,875.00	{ 129.79R 19,800.00T	28,804.79	.00
3. Chapter 90 — Construction 1955 .....	.00	6,088.61P	6,085.65	2.96
4. Chapter 90 — Construction 1956 .....	.00	9,009.10P	9,006.13	2.97
5. Chapter 90 — Construction 1957 .....	4,250.00	12,750.00T	7,329.65	9,670.35*
6. Chapter 90 — Maintenance....	1,500.00	3,000.00T	4,498.86	1.14
7. General Highway .....	15,500.00	.....	15,289.41	210.59
8. Snow and Ice .....	20,000.00	.....	14,085.48	5,914.52
9. Street and Traffic Lights .....	7,000.00	.....	6,642.21	357.79
10. Road Machinery .....	6,500.00	.....	6,498.29	1.71

## E. CHARITIES (WELFARE)

1. Aid to Dependent Children....	1,000.00	{ 610.75P 953.50F	2,545.91	18.34*
2. Public Welfare Administra- tion .....	2,000.00	{ 332.44P 2,345.73F	4,510.66	167.51*
3. General Relief .....	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	.00
4. Old Age Assistance .....	22,000.00	{ 4,898.57P 16,724.73F	40,334.80	3,288.50*
5. Disability Assistance .....	3,000.00	{ 356.78P 1,232.99F	3,907.45	{ 670.55* 11.77

## F. VETERANS' SERVICES

1. Veterans' Services .....	3,000.00	.....	2,228.62	781.38
2. Veterans' Agent and Direc- tor — Salary and Expense	250.00	.....	250.00	.00

	<i>Approp.</i>	<i>Transfers Etc.</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance</i>
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## G. SCHOOLS

1. Schools, Salary and Expense	\$286,296.00	.....	279,251.70	7,044.30
2. School Outlays .....	1,710.00	.....	454.73	1,255.27
3. School Rental .....	400.00	.....	352.24	47.76
4. Out of State Travel .....	300.00	.....	129.20	170.80
5. Regional School .....	196,661.12	.....	196,661.12	.00

## H. LIBRARY

1. Goodnow Library .....	\$5,670.00	{1,246.99D 1,279.47I	8,196.46	.00
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## I. PARKS AND RECREATION

1. Parks and Cemeteries .....	\$1,500.00	.....	866.90	633.10
2. Soldiers Lots and Monu- ments .....	200.00	.....	140.80	59.20
3. Cemeteries Expense .....	700.00	.....	587.30	112.70
4. Fouth of July Expense .....	600.00	.....	600.00	.00

## J. UNCLASSIFIED

1. Incidentals .....	\$600.00	.....	310.98	289.02
2. Printing Town Report .....	2,500.00	\$258.46R	2,758.46	.00
3. Reserve Fund .....	6,000.00	.....	3,946.92	2,053.08
4. Town Clock Care .....	65.00	.....	65.00	.00
5. Memorial Day Observance ...	500.00	.....	427.05	72.95
6. Insurance .....	12,300.00	1,800.00A	13,791.70	308.30
7. Bonding Expense .....	775.00	.....	659.75	115.25
8. Legion Hall Expense .....	1,000.00	.....	589.62	410.38
9. Industrial Commission .....	1,000.00	.....	9.00	991.00

## K. INTEREST

1. Interest on Notes and Bonds	\$9,050.00	\$4,229.07E	15,383.20	2,104.13B
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## SPECIAL ARTICLES, ETC.

1. Printing Town By-Laws — Zoning Laws .....	.00	585.25P	585.25G	.....
2. Town By-Law — Legal No- tice Account .....	600.00	40.75P	446.20	194.55*
3. Surveying Engineering and Drafting Exp. ....	.00	3,199.71P	3,199.71G	.....
4. Planning Board — Investi- gation Old Roads .....	.00	400.00P	.00	400.00*
5. Surveying and Relocating Town Roads .....	.00	50.00P	.00	50.00*
6. Purchase Land for Cemetery	.00	5,000.00P	.00	5,000.00*
7. Comm. Preservation Ancient Records .....	1,000.00	.00	465.20	534.80*
8. Public Building Committee..	10,000.00	.00	1.92	9,998.08*
9. Comm. of Town Administra- tion .....	1,000.00	.00	106.00	894.00*
10. Comm. on Possible Tax In- equities .....	200.00	.00	.00	200.00*
11. Prepare List of Taxpayers ..	1,600.00	.00	1,576.78	23.22
12. Painting Town Hall Exterior	.00	720.50P	720.50G	.00

	<i>Approp.</i>	<i>Transfers Etc.</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance</i>
13. Furn. & Fixtrs. New Town Offices .....	.00	193.09P	39.80	153.29
14. Shingling and Painting Horsesheds .....	.00	513.30P	513.30G	.00
15. Purchase Multigraph Ma- chine .....	1,176.00	.....	1,176.00	.00
16. Photographic Copying Ma- chine .....	250.00	.....	250.00	.00
17. Police Cruiser Radio .....	.00	155.00P	155.00	.00
18. New Fire Engine .....	.00	18,000.00P	18,000.00	.00
19. Fire Alarm Signal .....	.00	58.00P	.00	58.00
20. Fire Alarm System on Con- cord Rd. ....	1,982.00	.00	1,978.47	3.53
21. Fire Alarm System — Horse Pond Road .....	240.00	.00	201.14	38.86*
22. Fire Station Site — Massa- soit Ave. ....	2,400.00	.....	2,000.00H	400.00*
23. Fire Station Site — Nobscot Rd. ....	.00	2,000.00H	.00	2,000.00*
24. Sprayer for Moth Dept. ....	.00	3,850.00P	3,543.00	307.00
25. Purchase Truck for Tree Dept. ....	500.00	.00	.00	500.00*
26. Repairing Town Sand Bin ..	2,000.00	.00	1,441.80	558.20*
27. Purchase Rescue Truck .....	3,000.00	.00	2,678.43	321.57
28. Signs Relative to No Hunt- ing By-Law .....	.00	62.50P	62.50G	.00
29. Enforcement of No Hunting By-Law .....	.00	50.00P	50.00G	.00
30. Purchase Machine for Dump	2,000.00	7,400.00L	9,400.00	.00
31. Exp. Committee on New Town Dump .....	.00	2,000.00P	.00	2,000.00*
32. Purchase of Land for New Town Dump .....	.00	1,300.00P	.00	1,300.00*
33. Town Dump Fence .....	.00	55.45P	55.45	.00
34. Purchase 4 Wheel Drive Truck — Highway .....	.00	9,000.00M	.00	9,000.00*
35. Purchase Snow Plow .....	.00	1,000.00M	890.00	110.00
36. Traffic Island on Concord Road .....	.00	127.52P	127.52G	.00
37. Operation "Canal Bridge" ..	.00	43,135.88P	41,132.20	2,003.68*
38. Original Construction Au- tumn and Pine Sts. ....	.00	454.41P	454.41G	.00
39. Original Construction Lin- coln Lane .....	7,230.00	.00	4,826.98	2,403.02*
40. Original Construction Poko- nocket Ave. ....	.00	201.82P	201.82G	.00
41. Original Construction Stone-Howell Rds. ....	.00	2,448.00P	793.08	1,649.92*
42. Original Construction Tip- pling Rock Rd. ....	1,500.00	.00	934.25	565.75*
43. Repair and Rebuild Horse Pond Rd. ....	.00	1,500.00P 8,500.00L	6,044.17	3,955.83*
44. Construct Lillian Rd. ....	.00	193.21P	193.21G	.00
45. New Highway Dept. Garage	.00	17,333.38P	15,962.34	1,371.04*
46. Sewage Disposal System Center School .....	.00	191.25P	191.25	.00
47. Exp. of 1st School Bldg. Committee .....	.00	1,596.74P	1,596.74G	.00

	<i>Approp.</i>	<i>Transfers Etc.</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Balance</i>
48. Purchase Horse Pond Rd. School Site .....	3,000.00	.00	3,000.00	.00
49. Repair and Renovate Tennis Courts .....	.00	328.52P	328.52	.00
50. New Elementary School .....	.00	{ 10,000.00P 440,000.00L	279,264.28	170,735.72*
51. School Site on Hudson Rd. ..	2,000.00	12,000.00L	14,000.00	.00
52. Addition to Goodnow Library	15,000.00	2,000.00Q	13,902.59	3,097.41*
53. Pointing up Ext. of Library..	3,000.00	.00	{ 2,000.00Q 998.00	2.00
54. Water Extension Rear of Li- brary .....	800.00	.00	680.45	119.55
55. Pension S. W. Hall .....	500.00	.00	500.00	.00
56. State Parks and Reserva- tions .....	.00	.00	1,206.13	.00
57. Middlesex County T. B. Hos- pital Assessment .....			2,343.09	
58. Middlesex County Retire- ment System .....			4,374.61	
59. Middlesex County Tax .....			14,013.11	

## EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- P — Balance brought forward from previous year.
- A — Appropriated at a Special Town Meeting.
- R — Transferred to this account from Reserve Fund by action of the Finance Committee.
- G — Applied against amount appropriated under Article 2, Town Meeting of March 6, 1957.
- \* — Balances starred will be carried forward to 1958.
- T — Raised by Temporary Loan.
- F — Income from Federal Allotments.
- D — Dog Tax refund from Middlesex County.
- I — Transferred from Income Account.
- B — Deficit.
- E — Interest Accrued.
- H — Transferred from Massasoit Avenue to Nobscot Road by vote of the Town.
- Q — Transferred from pointing up exterior to "Addition to the Library by vote of the Town.
- M — Transferred from Road Machinery Fund.
- L — Raised by Loan.

## BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1957

## ASSETS

## GENERAL ACCOUNTS

## Cash:

General .....		\$325,413.98	
Petty Cash Advances:			
Goodnow Library .....	\$20.00		
Tax Collector .....	15.00	35.00	\$325,448.98
		<u>          </u>	

## Accounts Receivable:

## Taxes:

Levy of 1955			
Real Estate .....	91.00	91.00	
Levy of 1956			
Real Estate .....	2,182.49		
Personal Property .....	195.12		
Poll .....	10.00	2,387.61	
		<u>          </u>	
Levy of 1957			
Real Estate .....	43,958.81		
Personal Property .....	2,033.99		
Poll .....	54.00	46,046.80	48,525.41
		<u>          </u>	

## Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise:

Levy of 1956 .....	2,226.21		
Levy of 1957 .....	18,760.91		
		<u>          </u>	20,987.12

## Special Assessments:

## Street:

Added to Taxes			
1956 .....	47.37		
1957 .....	315.86	363.23	
		<u>          </u>	

## Committed Interest

1956 .....	11.85		
1957 .....	79.88	91.73	
		<u>          </u>	

Unapportioned .....	43.75	43.75	
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## Drainage:

Added to Taxes — 1957 .....	15.00	15.00	
Committed Interest — 1957 .....	4.20	4.20	
		<u>          </u>	517.91

## Farm Animal Excise:

Levy of 1957 .....			40.46
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## Tax Titles and Possessions:

Tax Titles .....		4,575.98	
Tax Title Possessions .....		2,130.30	
Water District .....		6.75	
		<u>          </u>	6,713.03



**LIABILITIES**  
**GENERAL ACCOUNTS**

Tailings .....		\$126.88	
Advance payment on Special Assessment .....		121.05	
Guarantee Deposit:—Street .....		5,300.00	
Sale of Portion of Secatore Lot .....		8,231.85	
Dog Licenses due Middlesex County .....		8.75	
Trust Funds Income .....		6,452.94	
Loans Authorized and Unissued— Canal Bridge .....		2,000.00	
Sale of Cemetery Lots Fund .....		141.00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests .....		2,128.62	
Road Machinery Fund .....		4,031.14	
Federal Grants:			
Disability Assistance .....	\$670.55		
Aid to Dependent Children .....	18.34		
Old Age Assistance .....	3,288.50		
Welfare Administration .....	167.51		
Federal Aid to Schools .....	7,625.00	11,769.90	
Revolving Funds:			
Special School Lunch .....	\$2,030.89		
School Athletics .....	236.08	2,266.97	
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus ...		6,805.41	
Overlays Reserved for abatements:			
Levy of 1955 .....	\$91.00		
1956 .....	2,387.61		
1957 .....	6,497.97	8,976.58	
Revenue reserved until collected:			
Motor Vehicle Excise .....	\$20,987.12		
Farm Animal Excise .....	40.46		
Petty Cash Advances .....	35.00		
Special Assessments .....	396.86		
Departmental .....	492.49		
Aid to Highways .....	14,994.09		
Tax Titles .....	4,575.98		
Tax Title Possessions .....	2,130.30		
Water District .....	6.75	43,659.05	
Interest accrued Fairbank Road Loan .....		30.33	
Treasurer Premium Account .....		926.23	
Unexpended Appropriation Balances:			
Town Property Repairs, Haynes House .....	\$2,495.65		

## Departmental:

Old Age Assistance — Cities and Towns .....	20.54	
Temporary Aid .....	163.50	
Aid to Dependent Children (State) .....	308.45	
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492.49

## Aid to Highways:

Chapter 81 — State .....	16,551.84	
Chapter 90 — Construction — State .....	9,932.84	
Chapter 90 — Maint. State .....	1,500.00	
Middlesex County .....	21,158.83	
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49,143.01

## Loans Authorized:

Canal Bridge Sudbury River ....	2,000.00	2,000.00
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## Underestimates of 1957:

Interest payable on notes and bonds .....	2,104.13	
State Parks and Reservations	55.43	
County Tax .....	1,220.77	
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3,380.33

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\$457,248.74

Police Dept. Uniforms .....	45.05	
Civil Defense .....	41.02	
Chap. 90 — Constr. 1957 Work ....	9,670.35	
Town By-Law — Legal Notice Account .....	194.55	
Planning Board — Inv. of Old Roads .....	400.00	
Surveying and Relocate Town Roads .....	50.00	
Purchase of Land for Cemetery ..	5,000.00	
Comm. Preservation Ancient Rec- ords .....	534.80	
Public Building Committee .....	9,998.08	
Committee on Town Administra- tion .....	894.00	
Committee on Possible Tax In- equities .....	200.00	
Fire Alarm system — Horse Pond Road .....	38.86	
Fire Station Site—Massasoit Ave.	400.00	
Fire Station Site — Nobscoot Road	2,000.00	
Purchase Truck for Tree Dept. ....	500.00	
Repairing Town Sand Bin .....	558.20	
Expense Committee on New Town Dump .....	2,000.00	
Purchase Land for New Town Dump .....	1,300.00	
Purchase 4 Wheel Drive Truck — Highway .....	9,000.00	
Operation Canal Bridge .....	2,003.68	
Orig. Constr. of Lincoln Lane .....	2,403.02	
Orig. Constr. Stone-Howell Roads	1,649.92	
Orig. Constr. Tippling Rock Road	565.75	
Repair and Rebuild Horse Pond Rd. ....	3,955.83	
New Highway Dept. Garage .....	1,371.04	
New Elementary School .....	170,735.72	
Addition to Goodnow Library ....	3,097.41	
		<u>231,102.93</u>
Surplus — Excess and Deficiency....		<u>123,169.11</u>
		\$457,248.74

## DEBT ACCOUNTS

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Funded Debt .....	\$750,550.00	First School Construction Loan .....	\$115,000.00
		Second School Construction Loan .....	70,000.00
		Fire Station Addition .....	6,000.00
		Sewage Disposal System—Center School..	16,000.00
		Addition to Town Hall Offices .....	13,000.00
		School Site—Horse Pond Road .....	1,500.00
		School Site—Haynes Road .....	4,000.00
		School Site — Woodside Road .....	5,000.00
		Canal Bridge Loan .....	4,000.00
		New Fire Engine .....	12,750.00
		Highway Garage .....	35,400.00
		Horse Pond Road School .....	440,000.00
		Town Dump Machine .....	7,400.00
		Rebuild Horse Pond Road .....	8,500.00
		School Site on Fairbank Road .....	12,000.00
			\$750,550.00

## DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Street Assessments		Apportioned Street Assessment Revenue	
— not due .....	\$10,294.83	due in 1958 .....	1,867.26
		1959 .....	1,727.58
		1960 .....	1,717.58
		1961 .....	1,641.93
		1962 .....	1,261.43
		1963 .....	804.70
		1964 .....	518.47
		1965 .....	383.23
		1966 .....	53.65
		1967 .....	34.45
		1968 .....	34.45
		1969 .....	34.45

1970 .....	34.45
1971 .....	34.45
1972 .....	34.45
1973 .....	28.45
1974 .....	28.45
1975 .....	28.45
1976 .....	26.95

\$10,294.83

Apportioned Drainage Assessments  
 — not due ..... \$732.00

Apportioned Drainage Assessments due in 1958 .....	122.00
1959 .....	122.00
1960 .....	122.00
1961 .....	122.00
1962 .....	122.00
1963 .....	122.00

\$732.00

## TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

## ASSETS

Trust and Investment Funds (Cash and Securities) .....	\$75,168.85
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## LIABILITIES

George Goodnow Charity Fund .....	\$10,000.00
M. L. Parmenter Charity Fund .....	1,000.00
Johanna Gleason Charity Fund .....	1,192.27
Elisha Goodnow Charity Fund .....	3,000.00
Jerusha Howe Charity Fund .....	1,000.00
Samuel D. Hunt Charity Fund .....	1,000.00
Ancient Donation Charity Fund .....	302.00
Charity Funds Income .....	2,823.53
Elisha Goodnow School Fund .....	1,119.20
Ancient Donation School Fund .....	151.00
Geo. J. Raymond Scholarship Fund .....	4,561.85
Raymond Scholarship Fund — Invested Income	256.60
Goodnow Library Funds .....	20,077.65
Town Cemetery — Flowers for lot 74 .....	150.00
Town Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds .....	6,389.00
Mt. Wadsworth Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds .....	11,580.00
Mt. Wadsworth Cemetery Sale of Lots and Graves .....	865.75
Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	6,500.00
No. Sudbury Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	2,950.00
Old Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds .....	250.00
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	\$75,168.85

## ASSESSORS' REPORT

We hereby submit our annual report.

Table of Aggregates, Polls, etc., assessed in the Town of Sudbury, January 1, 1957.

	1956	1957
Number of persons, partnerships and corporations assessed on property .....	2,446	2,737
Number of Male polls assessed ..	1,230	1,461
Value of Assessed Personal Estate:		
Stock in Trade .....	\$29,300.00	\$35,900.00
Machinery .....	396,600.00	446,200.00
Live Stock .....	39,785.00	18,610.00
All Other Tangible Personal Property .....	87,050.00	89,050.00
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Total Value of Assessed Personal Estate .....	\$552,735.00	\$589,760.00
Value of Assessed Real Estate:		
Land Exclusive of Buildings	\$1,069,295.00	\$1,313,620.00
Buildings Exclusive of Land	4,622,370.00	6,292,400.00
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Total Value of Assessed Real Estate .....	\$5,691,665.00	\$7,606,020.00
Total Value of Assessed Estate ..	\$6,244,400.00	\$8,195,780.00
Tax Rate per \$1,000.00 .....	\$72.00	\$81.50
Taxes for State, County or Town Purposes, Including Overlay:		
On Personal Estate .....	\$39,796.92	\$48,065.44
On Real Estate .....	409,799.88	619,890.63
On Polls .....	2,460.00	2,922.00
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Total Taxes Assessed .....	\$452,056.80	\$670,878.07
Number of Live Stock Assessed:		
Horses (1 year old or over)	55	43
Cows .....	190	11
Neat Cattle other than Cows	74	4
Swine (6 months or over) ..	146	Farm Excise
Sheep (6 months or over) ....	62	80
Fowl .....	3,995	1,075
All Other .....	1,260	1,202



Number of Acres of Land Assessed	12,642	12,825
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed .....	1,418	1,533

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RECAPITULATION 1957

Town Grants .....	\$848,114.62	
Maturing Debts .....	53,422.21	
Pension .....	500.00	
Middlesex County Retirement System .....	4,374.61	
State Parks and Reservations ....	1,150.70	
State Parks and Reservations— Under estimate 1956 .....	367.92	
County Tax .....	12,792.34	
County Tax — Under estimate 1956 .....	519.28	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	2,343.09	
Overlay of Current Year .....	20,096.60	
Gross Amount to be Raised .....		\$943,681.37

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ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax .....	\$58,895.42
Corporation Taxes .....	15,331.87
Old Age Tax (Meals) .....	1,016.40
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	56,152.81
Licenses .....	2,939.00
Fines .....	245.00
Special Assessments .....	4,405.00
General Government .....	7,943.00
Old Age Assistance (other than Federal Grants) .....	19,173.00
Veterans' Services .....	517.00
Schools (Funds from Income Tax not to be included) .....	4,054.84
Libraries .....	143.00
School Transportation .....	18,555.64
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	353.00
State Assistance for School Con- struction .....	7,885.51
Aid to Dependent Children .....	846.00
Disability Assistance .....	2,770.00
General Relief .....	1,438.00
Farm Excise .....	133.30
Cooperative Plowing .....	107.50

Amounts voted to be taken from Available Funds .....	69,898.01	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds .....		<u>\$272,803.30</u>
Net Amount To Be Raised By Taxation on Polls and Property		\$670,878.07
Total Valuation:		
Real and Personal Property —	\$8,195,780.00	
Tax Rate .....	81.50	
Taxes Levied on Property .....	\$667,956.07	
Taxes Levied on Polls		
1461 at \$2.00 each .....	2,922.00	
Total Taxes Levied on Polls and Property .....		<u>\$670,878.07</u>
Omitted Assessments:		
Real Estate — \$500.00 Valuation;		
\$31.50 Tax Rate .....		\$40.75
Polls — 3 at \$2.00 .....		\$6.00
Street Assessments:		
Apportioned .....	\$2,029.09	
Committed Interest .....	507.30	
		<u>\$2,536.39</u>
Drainage Assessments:		
Apportioned .....	\$122.00	
Committed Interest .....	34.16	
		<u>\$156.16</u>
Farm Excise — Chapter 400 of Acts of 1956:		
Valuation .....	\$26,661.15	
Tax Rate — per \$1,000 .....	5.00	
		<u>\$133.30</u>

School Tax Rate Recapitulation 1957. (Chapter 59, Section 23C, G.L., as amended by Chapter 460, Acts of 1954.

A. SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS:

General Appropriations for Support and Maintenance of Public Schools .....	\$288,706.00
Principal and Interest on School Debt .....	43,586.20
Regional School Apportionment .....	196,661.12
Appropriations Voted For School Construction from Tax Levy .....	13,000.00
Appropriations Voted From Available Funds for Any School Purposes .....	11,000.00

B. TOTAL SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS ..... \$552,953.32

C. SCHOOL PERCENTAGE — .598 — (see M) of Overlay \$20,076.22 ..... 12,055.58

D. TOTAL B AND C ..... \$564,958.90

E. ESTIMATED SCHOOL INCOME:

School Department Income ..	\$4,054.84
Income Tax Distribution for School Purposes .....	51,700.46
State Assistance for School Construction .....	7,885.51
Amounts Voted from Available Funds for School Purposes .....	11,000.00
Transportation .....	18,555.64

F. TOTAL ESTIMATED SCHOOL INCOME ..... \$93,196.45

G. ESTIMATED GENERAL RECEIPTS:

Income Tax .....	\$7,194.96
Corporations Taxes .....	15,331.87
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise .....	56,152.81
Licenses .....	2,939.00
Fines .....	245.00
Interest on Taxes and Assessments .....	353.00

H. TOTAL ESTIMATED RECEIPTS ..... \$82,216.64

I. SCHOOL PERCENTAGE — .598 of Estimated General Receipts ..... \$49,165.55

J. TOTAL DEDUCTIONS, F Plus I ..... \$142,362.00

K. SCHOOL ASSESSMENT ..		\$422,596.90
L. COMPUTATION OF SCHOOL PERCENTAGE:		
Gross Amount to be Raised		
(Town) .....	\$943,660.99	
Overlays .....	20,076.22	
Net Amount to be Raised ....	\$923,584.77	
M. SCHOOL PERCENTAGE ==		
Total School Appropriations (B)	\$552,953.32	= .598%
Net Amount to be Raised (L)	\$923,584.77	
N. COMPUTATION OF RATES:		
School Tax Rate ==		
School Assessment (K) ==	\$422,596.90	
Valuation (in thousands)	\$8,195,630.00	= \$51.56
GENERAL TAX RATE ==		
Total Tax Rate	\$81.50	
Less School Tax Rate of	\$51.56	.....
		\$29.94

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH E. HAWES,  
 PAUL H. C. ECKE,  
 ALTON F. CLARK,  
 Board of Assessors.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS

The Board held 45 hearings in 1957 as follows: —

- |    |  |         |
|----|--|---------|
| 1  | Park and Playground Investigating Committee — Outdoor Basketball Court | Granted |
| 2  | E. A. Veno — Short frontage  | Granted |
| 3  | Frank Lettery — Breezeway and Garage too near street                   | Granted |
| 4. | Aubrey B. Dingley — Storage garage in single Residential area          | Denied  |
| 5  | New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. — Addition to Dial Exchange                   | Granted |
| 6  | Woodland Homes, Inc. — Remove sand and gravel                          | Denied  |
| 7  | Andrew Anello — Rent furnished apartment                               | Denied  |
| 8  | Sebastiano Floridaia — Rent apartment                                  | Denied  |
| 9  | G. Fuller & Son Lumber Co. — Signs near street                         | Granted |

10	Victoria Miceli — Enlarge Non-conforming bldg.	Granted
11	Marjorie B. Piggott — Kennel of Toy Pekingese	Granted
12	Mrs. John Mercury — Beauty Shop	Granted
13	J. Edward Hunter — Garage near line	Granted
14	Lyle R. Ring — To kennel golden retrievers	Granted
15	G. Fuller & Son Lumber Co. — Sell 300 yds. loam	Denied
16	Murray Homes, Inc. — Short frontage	Granted
17	Alice M. Brown and Will S. Brown, II — Rest Home	No jurisdiction
18	Anthony G. and Marguerite L. Maiuri — Enlarging Filling Station	Granted
19	Emery D. and Irene C. Warren — Short frontage	Withdrawn
20	Wilbur L. Frank (not a subdivision) — Subdivide 3 lots	Granted
21	Josephine S. Anderson — Rent apartment	Denied
22	Shebna Corporation — Short front and yards	Granted
23	G. Fuller and Son Lumber Co. — Sell 300 yds. loam	Granted
24	Eileen Whitworth — Sheet metal shop	Denied
25	Cooper B. and Alice C. Harper — Enlarge garage	Granted
26	Jack T. Cline — Garage and breezeway	Granted
27	Peter George — Increase gasoline capacity	No jurisdiction
28	John W. Sheridan — Remove Loam from pond	Granted
29	Edward W. and Evalyn E. Hill — Store material in residential area	Granted
30	Halper Homes, Inc. — Short frontage	Granted
31	Halper Homes, Inc. — Short frontage	Granted
32	Halper Homes, Inc. — Short frontage	No action needed

33	Halper Homes, Inc. — Short frontage	Granted
34	Edward H. Boudrot, Jr. — Enlarge house	Granted
35	Claire L. Wilson — Short frontage	Granted
36	John W. and Edythe A. Hutchby — Apartment	Granted
37	Winslow W. and Nancy B. Reed — En- large non-conforming bldg.	Granted
38	Thomas E. Newton — Increase enrollment in school	Granted
39	Francis S. and Gertrude M. Farrell — Car repair	Denied
40	Joy M. Cole — Piano lessons	Granted
41	Dr. Maurice J. Fitzgerald — Dental office	Granted
42	Stella M. Mulledy — Apartment in busi- ness area	No jurisdiction
43	Mrs. Edith Eaton — Funeral home	Denied
44	Robert J. and Sara C. Caldwell — Re- move surplus fill	Granted
45	Henry Cavooto — To remove loam	No action

Most of the above that were granted had limiting provisions to safeguard the Town's interest. Not all were unanimous. Application blanks are available at the Town Hall, from the chief clerk or the Town Clerk's office, for those desiring a hearing before the Board of Appeals.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN M. W. GRAY, Clerk,  
ALTON F. CLARK,  
WALTER R. HICKLER,  
CALVIN B. SMITH,  
F. ALVIN NOYES,

Board of Appeals.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT

Appropriation .....	\$275.00
Expenses .....	122.64
Balance .....	\$152.36
Fees Collected .....	\$230.00

Approved, CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEALS FOR BUILDING CODE

The Board held one hearing during 1957: that of Edward A. Sherman to remodel the shed on the rear of his house on Peakham Road for use as a guest house. Appeal granted.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID S. BALDWIN, Chairman  
EDWARD A. PLUMLEY, Clerk

### FINANCIAL REPORT

Appropriations .....	\$25.00
Expenditures .....	9.78
	15.22
Balance .....	15.22
1 Fee Collected .....	\$4.00

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Six regular meetings of the Board of Health were held during 1957. Licenses and permits were issued as follows:

Carbonated Beverages .....	1
Day Camps .....	1
Milk .....	13
Mink Ranch .....	3
Motel .....	1
Piggeries .....	2
Rubbish Removal .....	3
Sewage Disposal .....	146
Day Nursery .....	1

The following contagious diseases were reported and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health was notified:

Chicken Pox .....	17
Dog Bite .....	4
German Measles .....	36
Measles .....	0
Mumps .....	7
Scarlet Fever .....	1

The figures are incomplete as too often parents fail to notify their physician, the Board of Health, or the school nurse of cases of communicable diseases. We strongly urge parents to promptly report contagious diseases to the Board

of Health or to Miss Whitney (who as well as being the Public Health Nurse, is an agent of the Board of Health), at Hilltop 3-2545.

The Dental Clinic was under the direction of Joseph P. Fornier, D.M.D., until he found it necessary to resign in September 1957. Albert M. Belton, D.D.S., was appointed to replace him. A Dental Hygienist and an Orthodontist provided by the State Department of Health performed a screening examination of the teeth of school children in 1957. New dental unit, chair and operating light were purchased to replace the antiquated equipment in use heretofore.

The Well Child Clinic is under the direction of John J. Ryan, M.D. It is held each month under the joint auspices of the Board of Health and the Sudbury Public Health Nursing Association. Dr. Ryan is assisted by the Public Health Nurse.

The Salk Polio vaccine program was terminated. Asian Flu vaccine was purchased and made available to the Town employees with particular emphasis on the Police, Fire, Highway and School Departments.

Mr. Albert St. Germain has been serving as our agent accepting applications and inspecting sewage disposal.

Mr. Harry C. Rice serves as Inspector of Slaughtering.

Since the duties of the School Nurse and Public Health Nurse frequently overlapped the Board of Health functions, Mrs. Rosenbaum and Miss Whitney, were appointed agents of the Board of Health. May we add that they have been of invaluable help in the past year. The Board has been handicapped in the past year by the retirement of one of the previous years' members and the departure from Sudbury of the two others, resulting a complete new Board within the year.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. McLAUGHLIN, M.D.  
F. DANIEL BUTTNER, D.M.D.



## REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

December 31, 1957

Board of Selectmen  
Sudbury, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

There were two hundred twenty-three building permits issued during the year 1957. Of these, one hundred forty-six were for single family dwellings. This was a decrease of 35% from the year 1956.

Four hundred twenty-six inspections were made. Under a new law, several buildings were condemned and the owners ordered to make repairs or demolish them. Several defects were found in the school buildings and repairs were promptly made.

Sudbury still does not have a Plumbing Code, this means that any and all plumbing may be installed and concealed in the walls and floors without being inspected.

The following is a breakdown of the building permits issued and the building costs represented.

146	Dwellings .....	\$1,756,800.00
1	Industrial .....	8,000.00
14	Additions (Business and Industrial) .....	68,400.00
40	Additions and Alterations (Residential) ..	84,000.00
15	Private Garages .....	12,850.00
2	Schools .....	336,800.00
3	Reconstruction after fire .....	137,000.00
2	Renewals .....	
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223	Permits .....	\$2,403,850.00

At this time I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Engineer, Planning Board, Board of Appeals and all others for their co-operation and assistance during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ST. GERMAIN,  
Building Inspector.

## BUILDING PERMITS FOR 1957

Otto Wallace .....	\$19.00	George Ayres .....	4.00
Otto Wallace .....	19.00	Fuller Lumber Co. ....	2.00
Richard Hudson .....	13.00	Bradford Gray .....	2.00
Herbert James .....	5.00	James Babcock .....	13.00
Elizabeth Felch .....	6.00	Ettreck Lacey .....	13.00
John Edwards .....	4.00	Edward Plumley .....	4.00
Michael Moore .....	17.00	Camille Richards .....	11.00
Walter Dyson .....	3.00	Mark Brook .....	15.00
Stella Mulledy .....	2.00	Elpete Company .....	9.00
Howard Hollis .....	2.00	Edward Stuart .....	2.00
Clifford Chartier .....	Free	Neil Damon .....	2.00
Frank Lettery .....	2.00	Philip Johnson .....	13.00
Patrick Requa .....	5.00	Richard Hudson .....	13.00
Herbert Esterbrook .....	13.00	Richard Hudson .....	13.00
Michael Moore .....	15.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Mark Brook .....	14.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Walter Beckett .....	12.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Walter Beckett .....	12.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
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Walter Beckett .....	10.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Walter Beckett .....	10.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
DeMarco Bros. ....	11.00	Arthur E. Fay, Sr. ....	18.00
Modular Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Jabez Whelpton .....	18.00
Gerardo Vitti .....	Free	Eric Peterson .....	16.00
Ernest Butler .....	2.00	New England Tel. & Tel.	17.00
Michael Moore .....	15.00	Murray Homes Inc. ....	14.00
Michael Moore .....	15.00	Murray Homes Inc. ....	14.00
Michael Moore .....	15.00	Helen Campbell .....	14.00
Richard Malone .....	9.00	Bernard Schofield .....	2.00
R. Steven Kleinschmidt	2.00	Norumbega Council Inc.	2.00
Mary Richard .....	17.00	A. Stevens Kleinschmidt	21.00
Wayside Inn Corp. ....	13.00	Town of Sudbury .....	Free
Custom Constr. Corp. ..	21.00	Ralph Webber .....	16.00
Custom Constr. Corp. ..	21.00	Otto Wallace .....	17.00
George Tomalty .....	10.00	David Weir, Jr. ....	Free
Philip Johnson .....	11.00	George Bell .....	13.00
Philip Johnson .....	11.00	James Gill .....	2.00
E. W. Stevens .....	12.00	James Green .....	7.00
Edward Veno .....	16.00	Sharpe Plastics Inc. ....	8.00
Edward Veno .....	16.00	Philip Pagliazzo .....	16.00
Edward Veno .....	16.00	Allan Cameron .....	2.00
Edward Veno .....	16.00	Joseph Burgarella .....	11.00
Otto Wallace .....	17.00	Walter Beckett .....	11.00
Stephen Grande, Jr. ....	13.00	Henry Fairbanks .....	10.00
John Burgarella .....	13.00	Ricardo & Julio Constr.	
Ione Dana .....	11.00	Co. ....	14.00
Roy Phelps .....	2.00	Ricardo & Julio Constr.	
Barbara Coburn .....	2.00	Co. ....	14.00

Ricardo & Julio Constr. Co. ....	14.00	Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00
Sudbury Methodist Church .....	Free	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Precision Chemical Pump Co. ....	8.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Lloyd Parker .....	2.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Lloyd Forsyth .....	3.00	Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00
Victoria Miceli .....	3.00	Joseph Garland .....	2.00
James Doherty .....	4.00	Curtis Harding .....	13.00
Leroy Hall .....	12.00	Oral Boudreau .....	16.00
Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Wayside Inn Corp. ....	61.00
Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Wayside Inn Corp. ....	66.00
Nils Goranson .....	2.00	Harold Lundy .....	3.00
Clifford Chartier .....	6.00	Philip Pagliazzo .....	16.00
Harry Carey .....	18.00	William Gedrim .....	13.00
William Thomas .....	2.00	William Plouffe .....	2.00
Murray Homes Inc. ....	16.00	Murray Homes Inc. ....	13.00
Murray Homes Inc. ....	16.00	Murray Homes Inc. ....	14.00
Mary Helms .....	6.00	Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00
Anthony Maiuri .....	2.00	Stella Mulledy .....	6.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Nickolas Sottile .....	11.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Albert Tallant .....	2.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Alexander Bishop .....	2.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Philip Pagliazzo .....	16.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Cooper Harpin .....	2.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Edgar Lirette .....	2.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Goodnow Library .....	Free
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Marie Knudson .....	2.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Inc. ....	13.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00
John Mercury .....	6.00	Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00
William Mahoney .....	2.00	John Kelly .....	2.00
St. Hubert's School .....	2.00	John Hatch .....	2.00
Guy D'Amore .....	13.00	Murray Homes Inc. ....	13.00
Warren Boyce .....	9.00	Thomas Goethel .....	2.00
Stella Mulledy .....	2.00	Edward Boudrot, Jr. ..	2.00
Sarah Thompson .....	2.00	Dr. Daniel Butner .....	6.00
Atkins & Merrill .....	10.00	Maurice Fitzgerald .....	27.00
Edward Sherman .....	2.00	Edwin Johnson .....	3.00
Norman McKinnon .....	13.00	Winthrop Shepard .....	16.00
James Waters .....	2.00	George Hackman .....	13.00
Edmund Stevens .....	2.00	Philip Johnson .....	11.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00	Philip Johnson .....	11.00
Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Stella Mulledy .....	6.00
Town & Country Homes Inc. ....	13.00	Claire Wilson .....	9.00

Frederick Morrison ....	2.00	Town & Country Homes	
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Inc. ....	13.00
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Town & Country Homes	
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Inc. ....	13.00
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Murray Homes Inc. ....	13.00
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Thomas Widdows .....	8.00
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Alberta Bent .....	6.00
Brookdale Homes Inc.	11.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
Murray Homes Inc. ....	14.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
DeMarco Brothers .....	11.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
DeMarco Brothers .....	11.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
Winslow Reed .....	2.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
Yale Rachlin .....	2.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
Halper Homes Inc. ....	11.00	Paul Livoli Inc. ....	9.00
Town & Country Homes		Roy Reach .....	4.00
Inc. ....	13.00	William Stone .....	5.00
Town & Country Homes		Henley Brothers .....	13.00
Inc. ....	13.00	Naden DeLpapa .....	6.00
Town & Country Homes		Lawrence Tighe .....	3.00
Inc. ....	13.00	John Flanigan Co. ....	2.00
Town & Country Homes		George Fullerton .....	2.00
Inc. ....	13.00	Edward Sherman .....	17.00
		Eldridge Crowe .....	10.00
223 Building Permits .....			\$2,242.00
Paid Town Treasurer .....			\$2,242.00



## REPORT OF SUDBURY CIVIL DEFENSE AGENCY

Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sudbury  
Gentlemen:

This is the eighth annual report of the Civil Defense of Sudbury and my first. Before going into details in this report, I would very much like to express my deepest gratitude to the past Director, James Devoll, for having the fortitude, insight, and seriousness towards his post during his seven-year tenure. The Town owes him a vote of thanks and I would like to thank him now for making my first year as Director a comparable easy one.

My first project was to ask the Town for three thousand dollars to purchase a Rescue Vehicle. The money was voted and the vehicle purchased from the lowest bidder at a cost of less than twenty-seven hundred dollars to the Town. I had a four-fold reason for wanting this truck for the Town.

1. Sudbury was not eligible for surplus equipment from the Federal Government because it had not supported Civil Defense financially sufficient. The expenditure of this amount would make us eligible for surplus.

2. The vehicle has 157 pieces of equipment that every fire department should have and ours' didn't. The cost of the equipment alone is valued at twenty-five hundred dollars.

3. The Town is going to need a new Fire and Police Station in the near future and by housing the truck and control center there, we could possibly save one half the cost of it.

4. The equipment contained in this vehicle is vital to light rescue work such as fires, automobile accidents, explosions, etc. The Town will be asked to appropriate a sum of money to buy a plow for the Rescue Truck. Being equipped with a four wheel drive, it will be very suitable to break open any road in the event of an emergency and keep the area in front of the Police and Fire Stations free of snow at all times.

The Ground Observer Corps has seen a few changes during the year. My thanks for a fine job to Mr. George Walker and my full cooperation to the new Supervisor, Mr. Stanley Colantuono. The Post will not be manned on a twenty-four hour basis but only on test drills. We now have a direct phone to the Air Corps filter center in Manchester, N. H. Work has been started to bring in electric power to the Post.

The new Radio Officer, Mr. Erik Stromstead, I'm sure will ably fill the position that Mr. Robert Ling has held and performed so well for so many years.

The Rescue Team, comprised of Joseph Frost, Bernard Darby, Howard Kelley, and James Greenawalt, have attended the Rescue Course at the Bradley Palmer State Park in Topsfield. These gentlemen plan to attend again this summer for an advance training session.

The Radiac and Medical Divisions should be activated within six months. Volunteers for both these divisions are urgently needed.

For the first time since the inception of Civil Defense, a state of emergency was declared by the Governor last summer during the Plymouth Fires. The control center was activated and communications established to Sector Headquarters within 10 minutes. We reported every 15 minutes to Sector on fire conditions in this area and stood by to send apparatus to where it might be needed.

Negotiations are now under way to get a 2½ ton dump truck for the Highway Department through C. D. surplus for approximately \$150.00. We have received our first shipment of surplus materials valued at \$700.00 for a cost of about \$35.00. This equipment went to the Fire and Highway Departments.

It is my earnest desire to work with any department head to purchase equipment through Matching Funds or through the Federal Surplus System whenever it is possible to save the Town money.

I wish to thank those who gave so graciously of their time and effort during the past year. We need more people like them to make Sudbury's Civil Defense one of the best in the state.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE J. LEONE,  
Director.



## REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

To the Board of Selectmen:

Dogs licensed for the year 1957 .....	754
Dogs picked up and disposed of .....	30
Dogs placed in homes .....	8
Dogs confined for 10 days .....	53
Dogs killed by motor vehicles .....	10
Miscellaneous complaints relative to dogs .....	480

There were a number of sheep killed by dogs and four complaints of dogs killing hens. These dogs are now confined by their owners.

Stray dogs without license tags present another problem. The law requires that stray dogs be kept 10 days before being disposed of, either by killing or selling. Quite frequently, after a dog has been disposed of, or sold, the owner appears to claim the dog. This could have been avoided if the dog had been wearing the license tag.

All dog licenses expire March 31st of each year. All dogs must be licensed on or before April 1st, or the owners or keepers thereof are liable to a fine. The law applies to all dogs three months old or over, regardless of time of year ownership is acquired. All dogs should have a collar or harness with the license tag attached to it. When the owner

or keeper of a dog sells or ceases to own or keep a dog, or when the dog is killed or dies, said owner or keeper should notify the Dog Officer or Town Clerk.

No tax bills are sent to dog owners.

At this time I wish to thank the Police Department for their fine co-operation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. RICE,  
Dog Officer.



## REPORT ON ELM LEAF AND DUTCH ELM DISEASE CONTROL

To the Board of Selectmen:  
Town of Sudbury.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my financial report for 1957.

### Salaries:

M. Hriniak .....	\$402.00
W. Lockhart .....	541.60
E. Lockhart .....	471.00
B. Darby .....	15.00
E. Clark .....	12.00
E. Ferguson .....	9.00

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### Expenses:

Robinson Farm Machinery .....	\$42.55
Lombard Governor .....	70.50
M. Hriniak .....	78.00
L. Pike .....	11.25
Hall's Insurance .....	3.00
J. Mercury .....	93.64
Esso Servicenter .....	49.88
Bird & McGuire, Inc. ....	63.25
Farm Bureau Assoc. ....	121.92
W. Lockhart .....	81.00
A. DiBiase .....	82.50

Young Ladder Co. ....	75.50	
E. T. Ferguson .....	42.00	
		814.99
Balance .....		\$234.41
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Town Grant .....		\$2,500.00

Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST T. FERGUSON,  
Moth Superintendent.

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.



## REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

December 31, 1957

Board of Selectmen  
Sudbury, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The following is my annual report on the activities and condition of the Fire Department for the year 1957.

Two hundred seventeen calls for emergency service were received at headquarters, an increase of 27% over the year 1956. The following is a breakdown of the calls received.

- 23 for fires involving buildings
- 76 for grass and brush fires
- 11 for motor vehicle fires
- 1 chimney fire
- 23 for fires at the Town Dump
- 5 calls for the resuscitator
- 10 false alarms
- 3 calls for mutual aid
- 5 oil burner fires
- 6 accidents
- 40 calls for water because of dry wells
- 4 calls for rescue work
- 1 trip to hospital with accident victim
- 9 miscellaneous calls



The department was called to the Town Dump twenty-three times to extinguish uncontrolled fires. The number of fires involving buildings was about the same as in the year 1956. Most all of the fires were due to carelessness or faulty wiring and arson. Eighteen fires were set by children.

The number of grass and brush fires increased by 32%. Most of this was due to people burning brush, rubbish, etc. when conditions were not proper. All fires in the open air are illegal in the State of Massachusetts unless a permit is obtained from the fire department. Permits can be issued for one day only, and all fires must be totally extinguished before being left unattended. Several contractors paid the cost of extinguishing fires which they had started without a permit.

Many thanks must go to our neighboring fire departments for their help when it was needed.

Regular meetings and drills were held on the first and third Monday evenings of each month. I urge everyone to be extremely careful in the daytime as there are only about eight firemen available on weekdays. When reporting a fire be sure and dial 2323, **do not dial operator** as this sometimes means a delay of five to ten minutes. For business calls be sure and dial 2239.

The 1930 Model A Ford and the 1930 International trucks are now housed in North Sudbury at Briardale Farm. In the summer they are in full service but during the winter months the water tanks must be drained because the garage is unheated.

The people in the North Sudbury area are badly in need of fire protection. They are paying the maximum insurance rate because they are over 3 miles from the fire station. I believe land is available for a small fire station in North Sudbury and I will request that a station be built there when the majority of the property owners demand it.

A rebuilt motor was installed in the 1942 Ford --- Engine 3. A valve job was done on the 1947 International tank truck. All repairs to the Fire Department equipment is done in the shop at the fire station at no cost to the Town for labor.

More hose will be purchased in 1958 to replace over-aged hose which is still in use.

The box fire alarm system has been extended along Concord Road from Sudbury Center to the Post Road. Fire alarm lines have been installed on Horse Pond Road from the new elementary school to the Post Road. Fire alarm lines are being installed by the fire department along the

Boston Post Road from the Wayside Inn to Concord Road, a distance of 2.8 miles. The total cost of labor and materials is being paid for by the Wayside Inn. I am requesting funds at the 1958 Annual Town Meeting to purchase fire alarm boxes to be installed on this line. I am also requesting funds to extend the fire alarm system on the Boston Post Road from Concord Road to the Wayland town line.

The Town of Sudbury is in the same insurance classification as it was in the year 1931. In 1950 the Board of Selectmen sent a request to the New England Fire Insurance Rating Association to have the Town re-classified. A survey was made and the result was that several improvements had to be made in the fire department to change the classification. One important requirement was that a box fire alarm system installation be started, and that boxes be added from time to time. Most of the improvements have been carried out and I intend to request another survey be made in the near future to see if the classification can be improved.

As Chief of the Department, I wish to take this opportunity to thank the Police Department, Town Officials and all the Townspeople for their co-operation during the year.

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## FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

### Salaries:

Town Grant .....	\$17,640.00
From Reserve .....	379.50
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	\$18,019.50
A. St. Germain, (Fire Chief, Wire Inspector and Building Inspector)	\$5,000.00
J. L. Quinn (Fireman and Custodian) Jan. to Oct. ....	3,300.00
Bernard Darby (Fireman, May 1st to Dec. 31st) .....	2,500.00
Josiah Frost (Fireman, Oct. 1st to Dec. 31st) .....	937.50
Part time Firemen, (Jan. 1st to Dec. 31st) .....	2,840.00
Deputy Chief and Captain .....	650.00
Fire time to Call Firemen .....	2,592.00
Yearly pay of Call Firemen .....	200.00
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	\$18,019.50

**Expense:**

Town Grant .....		\$1,100.00
Equipment .....	\$358.30	
Supplies .....	338.85	
Gasoline and Oil .....	401.57	
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		\$1,098.72
Balance .....		<hr/>
		\$1.28

**New Equipment:**

Town Grant .....		\$3,150.00
Oxygen Mask and spare tank .....	\$249.40	
New Hose .....	1,999.20	
Deluge Gun .....	300.00	
Two Way Radio for new truck .....	499.00	
Hose Bridges .....	100.00	
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		\$3,147.60
Balance .....		<hr/>
		\$2.40

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ST. GERMAIN,  
Fire Chief.Approved,  
CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE RADIO ACCOUNT  
FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS**

Sudbury, Mass., December 31, 1957

Town Grant .....		\$1,330.00
Service Contract .....	\$780.00	
Replacement Parts .....	367.99	
Electric Power for House Radios .....	180.00	
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		\$1,327.99
Balance .....		<hr/>
		\$2.01

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ST. GERMAIN,  
Fire Chief.Approved,  
CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## REPORT OF THE GOODNOW LIBRARY 1957

The year 1957 has been a year of continuous growth in the library. The Trustees, realizing that the large number of children in the Town made the children's room most inadequate, took steps to alleviate the situation. Mr. Russell Wood, a well known young architect of Sudbury, was engaged. Attractive plans were drawn up for a children's room in the basement of the Library. At a Town Meeting the sum of \$15,000 was requested and granted for the building of the children's room. Bids were submitted for the project and Mr. Bonavire of Natick was awarded the contract. Work has gone on very satisfactorily and a basement of 1800 vintage has been transformed into a very modern and attractive room. The Trustees feel Mr. Wood has done an excellent job. We are very grateful to the Sudbury Players Group who presented the library with a fifty dollar check for purchase of children's books for this new room. Two new sets of encyclopedias have also been purchased as well as many new books. The Trustees feel we are fortunate to obtain the services of Mary Mackin as children's librarian. Mrs. Price will assist upstairs.

The former children's room will be used for history and travel books. The space is badly needed to overcome a very crowded condition.

In the reading room, it was necessary to reinforce the shelves which were sagging from the weight of the books. We wish to thank our customers for being so patient, while we have been in this state of disarray.

The Brownie Scouts exhibited their bird notebooks, bird feeders and houses, etc., for a week at the library. The public was very interested in the fine work that is being done. Also an interesting display of mercury glass and a collection of rare Japanese prints were loaned to us by Mr. G. Hamilton Martin.

The Sudbury Garden Club has continued their project of supplying the library with attractive floral arrangements each week. We do appreciate this gesture. The Thursday Garden Club will do the same for the children's room.

Story hour was held during the month of August and was exceptionally well attended. We found it necessary to issue tickets. Mrs. Arthur Howard did the story telling and we wish to thank her for giving so generously of her time.

Outside work this year consisted of pointing up the building and cutting brush at the back of the library. Landscaping will be done in the future.

One of the nicest things that has happened at the library this year, is the work being done by Mrs. William Dickey. Mrs. William Dicky of Water Row, who formerly worked at the Wellesley library very kindly offered to do all the mending of library books at her home. She is an expert at the job and has been a tremendous help to us. We just can't thank her enough for this service.

Gifts to the library this year, included various books and a picture for the children's room by Mrs. Wolbach, a most attractive collage of Fanny Goodnow Parmenter, now displayed in the reading room, presented to us by Frances Goodnow Parmenter Miller and Hattie A. Parmenter Allen. Also Mr. Abel Cutting kindly donated a cord of fireplace wood. Our sincere thanks to all these people.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH ATKINSON, Librarian	} Trustees
DENE HOWE, Chairman	
BERTHA SMITH	
LUTHER CHILD, JR.	

### GOODNOW LIBRARY CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

On Dec. 5, 1957 a committee appointed "to make plans for the proper centennial observation of the establishment of the Goodnow Library" met at the Library. Mr. Abel Cutting of the Town Planning Board called the meeting to order. The committee is made up of the members of the Board of Trustees of the Goodnow Library, Mr. Luther M. Child, Jr., Mrs. Bevan Howe, chairman, and Mrs. Calvin Smith, and in addition to these the following persons: Mr. Forrest D. Bradshaw, Mrs. Frank Cawley, Mrs. Theodore Harding and Mrs. George Twombly. Mrs. Harding was chosen chairman of the committee and Mrs. Twombly, secretary. The committee discussed general plans for the observance of the centennial in 1962. It was decided that members of the committee should look up old records and interview several of the older Townspeople who might have personal memories of the early days of the Library. It was felt that more definite plans could not well be made until nearer the date of the centennial.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH B. HARDING, Chairman  
BARBARA TWOMBLY, Secretary  
FORREST D. BRADSHAW  
BERTHA SMITH  
DENE S. HOWE  
JANET CAWLEY  
LUTHER CHILD, JR.

## REPORT OF THE HAYNES HOUSE COMMITTEE

The Haynes House Committee was established by action taken under Article 37 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1957.

The Committee has considered the feasibility, costs and benefits of creating a Health Center in the Haynes House. There is a need for such a center to be used by the Board of Health, by the Schools and by the Sudbury Public Health Nursing Association. The Committee has concluded that the Haynes House is not suited to the purposes of a Health Center, and it is recommended that a more compact unit be incorporated in any future expansion of the Sudbury Center Elementary School Building. In particular, the attention of the School Committee and the Permanent Building Committee is directed to this recommendation.

ROLAND R. CUTLER, Chairman  
 F. DANIEL BUTTNER, D.M.D.  
 GEORGE BROWN  
 LAWRENCE J. LEONE  
 ROBERT P. BOWEN  
 KATHERINE G. OSGOOD  
 TRUEMAN C. JACKSON



## REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

### ROAD MACHINERY ACCOUNT

Funds Available .....	\$6,500.00
A. & J. Auto Ignition Co. ....	11.65
Ace Auto Radiator, Inc. ....	5.00
Acton Supply, Inc. ....	26.80
Walter Adams .....	.50
Alexander Automotive Service .....	64.39
Alexander's Cities Service .....	93.15
American Airlines Inc. ....	6.85
Anderson Engineering Co. ....	418.33
Babcock Equipment Co., Inc. ....	122.01
Barr's Auto Electric Service .....	15.60
John P. Bartlett .....	33.00
Bentley's .....	14.47
A. E. Borden Co. ....	2.59
Boston Edison Co. ....	133.21
Boston Supply, Inc. ....	15.00
Builders Equipment & Supplies .....	108.00

Robert M. Carson .....	50.00
Central Auto Parts .....	1.80
Central Supply Co. ....	1.35
Christie & Thomson, Inc. ....	249.52
Clyde-Everett Equipment Co. ....	77.04
Collette Battery Co. ....	26.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts .....	.87
Conant Machine & Steel Co. ....	8.00
W. J. Connell Co. ....	39.34
Dave's Motor Transportation .....	3.40
Ray Deneault .....	16.00
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co. ....	758.73
The Equipment Co. ....	8.04
Everett Auto Parts .....	8.25
Files Equipment Co. ....	271.34
Framingham Motor Parts, Inc. ....	5.95
Franklin Paint Co., Inc. ....	16.20
Ghetti Carburetor & Electric Service	19.46
A. J. Halloran & Co. ....	41.33
Hodson Fire Equipment Co. ....	57.30
Hooper's Hardware .....	92.05
Hooper's Service Station .....	4.75
Interstate Gas & Oil Corp. ....	1,761.70
Johnsons' Esso Servicenter .....	65.19
Kinney Spring Steel Broom Co. ....	84.00
Otto Kunelius .....	196.00
Laffin's Express .....	2.06
R. H. Long Motor Sales Co. ....	36.22
Mack Trucks, Inc. ....	141.24
Marlborough Coal Co. ....	6.55
Marlboro Transportation .....	3.60
Maynard Automotive Inc. ....	12.80
Morrissey Bros. Tractor Co. ....	27.00
Nobscot Garage .....	6.50
Parker Hardware Co. ....	3.00
Perkins-Milton Co., Inc. ....	23.56
Post Road Auto Parts, Inc. ....	10.00
The Edward S. Quirk Co. ....	288.48
Robinson Farm Machinery Co. ....	45.81
Mel Rosendale .....	16.00
Harrie J. Rowe .....	48.92
The Sherwin-Williams Co. ....	5.50
Sudbury Drug .....	1.88
Sudbury Water District .....	23.40
Torrey's Garage & Welding Service	636.91
Town Line Hardware, Inc. ....	64.90
Wallace Automotive Service .....	40.56
White Hardware Co., Inc. ....	18.33

The White Motor Co. ....	95.86	
Young's Store .....	5.05	
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Total .....		\$6,498.29
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Balance .....		\$1.71

Approved,  
 CLIFTON F. GILES,  
 Town Accountant.

#### CHAPTER NO 90 CONSTRUCTION — 1955 ACCOUNT

##### Funds Available:

Town .....	\$4,750.00
County .....	4,750.00
State .....	9,500.00
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Total Spent 1956 .....	\$19,000.00
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Balance — January 1, 1957 .....	16,317.24
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	\$2,682.76

##### Labor:

Walter Adams .....	\$140.00
Americo Brigandi .....	108.80
William Davison .....	66.00
George Haynes .....	140.80
Joseph Sabanski .....	65.00
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	\$520.60

##### Material and Equipment:

W. Gordon Hunter .....	\$291.00
C. E. Simpson & Son .....	871.00
Herbert E. Snow .....	600.00
Town of Sudbury .....	397.20
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	\$2,159.20
Total .....	\$2,679.80
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Balance .....	\$2.96

#### GENERAL HIGHWAY

Funds Available ..... \$15,500.00

##### Labor:

Walter E. Adams .....	\$505.60
Americo Brigandi .....	506.30
William E. Davison .....	276.00



John Dowse .....	3.75
Albert R. Eaton .....	14.00
Ernest T. Ferguson .....	49.00
Clifton F. Giles, Jr. ....	55.00
George Haynes .....	547.50
W. Gordon Hunter .....	3,300.00
Earl Lockhart .....	24.00
William Lockhart .....	24.00
Harriet A. Mattsen .....	418.80
F. Alvin Noyes .....	438.40
William Pride .....	215.00
Joseph Sabanski .....	415.00
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	\$6,792.35

## Material and Equipment:

Acton Supply, Inc. ....	\$66.14
Walter E. Adams .....	1.90
Alexander Automotive Service .....	17.12
Anderson Engineering Co. ....	37.80
Arrow Electric Supply Co., Inc. ....	43.56
Assabet Sand & Gravel Co. ....	733.53
Barclay Explosives, Inc. ....	75.00
Warren E. Bemis .....	19.31
Bentley's .....	8.94
Brass Co. of America .....	189.85
The Chemical Corp. ....	66.60
Christie & Thomson .....	19.94
City Grain Co. ....	88.80
Augustus DiBiase .....	68.25
Files Equipment Co. ....	857.75
Franklin Paint Co., Inc. ....	146.95
G. Fuller & Son Lumber Co. ....	156.11
Greenough Bros., Inc. ....	272.00
Ray E. Harbarger .....	33.60
Hooper's Hardware .....	111.23
Hooper's Service Station .....	4.75
Michael Hriniaik .....	28.50
W. Gordon Hunter .....	764.00
James L. Hurton .....	336.00
Interstate Gas & Oil Corp. ....	541.48
Johnson's Esso Servicenter .....	10.00
Laffin's Express, Inc. ....	2.30
Lexington Sand & Gravel Co. ....	5.40
Lombard Governor Corp. ....	70.50
R. H. Long Motor Sales Co. ....	6.18
Mack Trucks, Inc. ....	4.38
B. L. Makepeace, Inc. ....	23.93
Massachusetts Broken Stone Co. ....	782.42
Maynard Automotive Inc. ....	15.47

Maynard Supply Co. ....	31.34
John F. McGovern .....	14.00
Mercury's Service Station .....	2.13
Morley Equipment Co., Inc. ....	26.00
Mullen Lumber Co. ....	331.81
Nashoba Associates Blueprint .....	6.00
N. E. Fence Co. ....	101.60
N. E. Sand & Gravel Co. ....	174.87
Normand's-City Truck .....	2.20
B. L. Ogilvie & Sons, Inc. ....	14.77
Parker Hardware Co. ....	10.25
Penn Culvert Co. ....	254.64
Perkins-Milton Co. ....	3.09
Leonard E. Pike .....	603.00
Robinson Farm Machinery Co. ....	6.40
Seder & Richmond .....	12.40
Stiles Sand & Gravel Co. ....	780.20
Sudbury Sign Service .....	52.00
Torrey's Garage & Welding Service	7.56
Town Line Hardware, Inc. ....	32.36
Trimount Bituminous Products Co. ..	241.09
Vandewater & Brown .....	38.00
Wallace Automotive Service, Inc. ....	13.85
White Hardware Co., Inc. ....	46.38
The White Motor Co. ....	70.69

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\$8,486.32

Total ..... \$15,278.67

Balance ..... \$221.33

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

#### CHAPTER NO. 90 CONSTRUCTION — 1956 ACCOUNT

##### Funds Available:

Town .....	\$4,250.00
County .....	4,250.00
State .....	8,500.00

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Total ..... \$17,000.00

Total Spent 1956 ..... 7,990.90

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Balance — January 1, 1957 ..... \$9,009.10

##### Labor:

Walter Adams .....	\$477.75
Americo Brigandi .....	313.60

William Davison .....	54.00
George Haynes .....	488.40
F. Alvin Noyes .....	192.00
Joseph Paolini .....	48.00
Joseph Sabanski .....	245.00

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\$1,818.75

Material and Equipment:

Assabet Sand & Gravel Co. ....	\$127.70
H. E. Fletcher Co. ....	92.70
Michael Hrimiak .....	19.00
W. Gordon Hunter .....	908.00
Toivo Kalilainen .....	323.00
Mass. Correctional Institution .....	400.00
New England Sand & Gravel Co. ....	49.50
Leonard E. Pike .....	1,556.60
Seder & Richmond .....	48.00
Herbert E. Snow .....	2,172.00
Town of Sudbury .....	1,061.60
Trimount Bituminous Products Co. ..	429.28

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\$7,187.38

Total ..... \$9,006.13

Balance ..... \$2.97

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

CHAPTER NO. 90 CONSTRUCTION — 1957 ACCOUNT

Funds Available:

Town .....	\$4,250.00
County .....	4,250.00
State .....	8,500.00

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Total ..... \$17,000.00

Labor:

Walter Adams .....	\$231.00
Americo Brigandi .....	121.60
George Haynes .....	268.80
Anthony Maiuri .....	140.80
F. Alvin Noyes .....	121.60
Joseph Paolini .....	12.00
Joseph Sabanski .....	162.00

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\$1,057.80

## Material and Equipment:

Assabet Sand & Gravel Co. ....	\$675.64	
W. Gordon Hunter .....	736.00	
Toivo Kalilainen .....	76.00	
Massachusetts Broken Stone Co. ....	163.54	
N. E. Fence Co. ....	1,772.00	
Penn Culvert Co. ....	469.77	
Leonard E. Pike .....	468.00	
C. E. Simpson & Son .....	312.00	
Herbert E. Snow .....	409.50	
Town of Sudbury .....	530.40	
Trimount Bituminous Products Co. ..	583.00	
Dennis Whitworth .....	76.00	
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Total .....	\$6,271.85	\$7,329.65
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Balance .....		\$9,670.35

## BRIDGE REPAIR

Funds Available .....	\$500.00
Material and Equipment:	
New England Fence Co. ....	497.00
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Balance .....	\$3.00

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## SNOW AND ICE

Funds Available .....	\$20,000.00
Labor:	
Walter E. Adams .....	\$632.90
Americo Brigandi .....	591.30
Dean Burland .....	42.50
William E. Davison .....	345.00
Albert R. Eaton .....	35.00
Royce Greenwood .....	40.00
George Haynes .....	522.60
David Lloyd .....	22.50
Earl Lockhart .....	12.00
William Lockhart .....	6.00
Anthony Maiuri .....	124.00
William J. Morrow .....	11.25
F. Alvin Noyes .....	505.70

Fred Peterson .....	37.50
William Pride .....	138.75
Joseph Sabanski .....	379.20
Ralph W. Stone, Jr. ....	9.00
Michael Hriniak .....	61.50
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	\$3,516.70

## Material and Equipment:

Acton Supply, Inc. ....	\$182.25
Anderson Engineering .....	253.55
Assabet Sand & Gravel Co. ....	15.20
B. W. Brown Grain Co. ....	203.20
Concord Woodworking Co. ....	430.65
Ray Deneault .....	414.75
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co. ....	111.30
Files Equipment Co. ....	10.50
William Foster .....	112.75
L. Roy Hawes .....	339.25
W. Gordon Hunter .....	598.00
International Salt Co. ....	3,947.80
Fred Maurer .....	53.25
Fred Morrison .....	288.75
Leonard E. Pike .....	704.00
Stiles Sand & Gravel Co. ....	1,152.90
Torrey's Garage & Welding Service	83.08
Town of Sudbury .....	1,288.10
John Whitworth & Son .....	379.50
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	\$10,568.78

Total .....		\$14,085.48
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Balance .....		\$5,914.52

Approved,  
CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## CHAPTER NO. 81

## Funds Available:

State .....	\$19,800.00
Town .....	9,000.00
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Total .....	\$28,800.00

## Labor:

Walter Adams .....	\$1,585.50
Americo Brigandi .....	1,193.20
William Davison .....	253.00

Clifton F. Giles, Jr. ....	185.00
George Haynes .....	1,442.00
Leslie Holmes .....	441.00
Anthony Maiuri .....	186.00
Donald E. Marquis .....	305.00
F. Alvin Noyes .....	772.40
Joseph Paolini .....	60.00
Joseph Sabanski .....	1,007.00
John S. Taylor .....	150.00
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	\$7,585.10

## Material and Equipment:

Assabet Sand & Gravel Co. ....	\$217.04
Albert L. Bent .....	324.00
W. A. Davis .....	126.00
Ernest T. Ferguson .....	27.50
L. Roy Hawes .....	327.75
W. Gordon Hunter .....	3,260.00
Massachusetts Broken Stone Co. ....	3,210.09
Mass. Correctional Institution .....	200.00
Mass. Tree Expert Co. ....	324.50
N. E. Fence Co. ....	988.00
N. E. Sand & Gravel Co. ....	39.94
L. E. Pike .....	1,759.80
Stiles Sand & Gravel Co. ....	833.40
Town of Sudbury .....	2,268.40
Trimount Bituminous Products Co. ..	7,307.77
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	\$21,214.19

Total .....	\$28,799.29
Balance .....	<hr/>
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## CHAPTER NO. 90 MAINTENANCE

## Funds Available:

Town .....	\$1,500.00
County .....	1,500.00
State .....	1,500.00
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	\$4,500.00

## Labor:

Walter Adams .....	\$56.00
Americo Brigandi .....	51.20
Clifton Giles, Jr. ....	40.00
George Haynes .....	51.20
Donald Marquis .....	40.00
F. Alvin Noyes .....	51.20

Joseph Paolini .....	48.00
Joseph Sabanski .....	40.00
	\$377.60

## Material and Equipment:

W. Gordon Hunter .....	\$64.00
Mass. Broken Stone Co. ....	2,486.30
Town of Sudbury .....	88.00
Trimount Bituminous Products Co. ..	1,482.96
	\$4,121.26

Total .....		\$4,498.86
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Balance .....		\$1.14
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/s/ W. GORDON HUNTER,  
Highway Surveyor.

Approved,  
CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.



## REPORT OF THE HORSE POND ROAD SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

At the Special Town Meeting on November 27, 1956, the Town voted an appropriation of \$450,000 to fully construct and equip a 14-room elementary school to be built on the Town owned site on Horse Pond Road.

A new building committee was formed, composed of five members, two appointed by the Board of Selectmen, two by the School Committee, and one by the Planning Board.

The committee visited many new schools including the schools mentioned in the Town vote and interviewed numerous architects. It was decided to employ the S. W. Hayes Co., as this was the firm that had designed the Northboro School and because of their experience in the field of Low Cost School Buildings the Committee felt they were best qualified to design the new Sudbury School.

The Committee felt that the greatest economy could be effected by a compact floor plan with non-educational floor space kept to a minimum. This with the use of economical building materials make substantial savings possible.

In the planning of this school a great deal of consideration was given to the use of low maintenance materials and wherever the increased cost of a material could be justified by the reduced maintenance cost then this material was used.

We feel that throughout the life of this building the costs of heating, maintenance and insurance will be substantially lower than average.

Bids for the general contract were received in April 1957 and came within the budgeted figure and the award was made to the Mozzicato Construction Co., of Medford.

Work has been in progress since and at present the school is 90% complete. All bids for furnishings and supplies have been awarded and it is expected that early in 1958 the school will commence to function.

The School will be completed within the appropriation voted by the Town but because there are still expenses to be incurred it is not possible at this time to give a final cost figure.

DONALD W. NEELON, Chairman  
FRANK PUBLICOVER, Clerk  
ELLEN JANE SIEGARS  
ROBERT CALDWELL  
ABEL CUTTING



## REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE ACQUISITION OF HOSMER PROPERTY

It is regrettable that this committee did not realize or understand at a sufficiently early date the nature and extent of the work outlined for consideration. For this reason, the members did not meet and organize until late in the season, thereby not permitting sufficient time to consider fully all possibilities of the problem involved. At the same time however, consideration was given to open land adjacent to Hosmer land which consideration had been requested of the Selectmen by a separate resolution. We shall therefore break this report in two parts.

### 1. ACQUISITION OF HOSMER HOUSE

The Hosmer house has a certain value to the Town. The extent of this value is difficult to determine at this time due to many unknowns of the future, however, acquisition of this property at this time may be easily justified if the



cost to the Town is reasonable and if the terms and conditions of sale are acceptable.

This building is located at a prime intersection and in the heart of the Town center. It is a reasonably sturdy structure in consideration of its age. It has considerable historical value and desirable appearance to the center of an historical Town.

The present owner, Florence Hosmer, has indicated her desires for the Town to own this building along with some of the furnishing. It is her feeling and desire however that

1. She be granted life tenure
2. that limited access be permitted by the Town for historical purposes, and
3. building be maintained for historical purposes.

If these outlined proposals are acceptable to the Town, she has indicated what appears to be a very reasonable price for the sale of this property. This price would be spread out over a period of years.

It is for this reason that this committee recommends a further committee to continue negotiations and report back to the Town at the earliest possible time.

## 2. ACQUISITION OF OPEN LAND ADJACENT TO HOSMER HOUSE

There are several acres of land in the southeast corner of the Town center that the Town should acquire for necessity in the future. Without much question, as the Town grows, additional parking area at least would be desirable. This area has other possible uses, such as, office building, Town park, future schools, playground area, etc. This committee feels that a block of approximately 8 acres should be available for acquisition without too major an outlay of cash by the Town. The value established for this land by this committee is approximately \$12,500. Four land owners are involved and at the time of writing this report, two of these have agreed to sell to the Town their parcels at the prices established by this committee. By the time of the Annual Town Meeting, negotiations may be completed on the other two parcels. At that time a full report will be given.

It is the feeling of this committee that at this price, this property should be acquired, or any portion thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. BARTLETT, Chairman  
 HARVEY N. FAIRBANK  
 PHILLIP M. WAY

## REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Although many of its members were quite active in the pursuit of good industrial prospects during the past year the results were not good. We spent much time with a large printing and publishing concern, even reaching the point where the membership of the board of directors came to Sudbury; they finally decided to stay in Boston and Cambridge, and buy as a package a \$750,000 warehouse in Burlington.

We again followed up to our limit a concern considering a research centre here, finding suitable isolated land for them which might be rezoned, and touring sites with officials. While moderately enthused about what we had to offer it is probable no action will be taken on this project for some time.

We are currently seeking someone to build a \$200,000 industrial building for a potential buyer, but negotiations between these parties will require time and patience. The Commission has met a number of times and discussed possible means of attracting industry here. We have had many guests to our meetings, and welcome anyone who would care to sit in with us, and offer help.

During the year two resignations from the board were accepted with genuine regret; one from the secretary, Les Hall, because of poor health, the other from Bernard McGuire, who resigned to accept a position on the Finance Board.

Although the outlook for industrial construction during 1958 is bleak, it must be remembered that there are always some concerns doing a good business, and needing new and larger quarters;—during the depression of the thirties we have been told that the companies manufacturing red ink ran three shifts. We expect to continue looking for leads and following all we receive all the way. No matter how remote a scrap of information about an industrial prospect may seem please don't hesitate to relay it to a member of this commission, who will respect any degree of confidence you or the prospect may wish.

ABEL CUTTING, Chairman,  
Sudbury Industrial Commission.

## REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Board of Selectmen:  
Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Animal Inspector for the year 1957.

I have inspected all neat cattle, sheep, swine and horses as ordered by the Massachusetts State Division of Livestock Disease Control; 119 head of cattle, 60 horses, 1500 swine and 102 sheep were inspected and a certificate of health was given to owners. 30 dogs were held for observation for 14 days for biting, but all were released at the end of quarantine.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. RICE,  
Inspector of Animals.



## REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF WIRES

To the Board of Selectmen  
Sudbury, Massachusetts  
Gentlemen:

During the year 1957 I issued 311 wiring permits. 531 inspections were made during the year.

The wiring in three dwellings was condemned and the power shut off until corrections were made. One dwelling was found to be wired with telephone wire.

Ten persons were apprehended doing wiring without a permit.

193 Permits @ \$3.00 .....	\$579.00
115 Permits @ 2.00 .....	230.00
3 Permits Free .....	000.00
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311 Permits .....	\$809.00
Paid Town Treasurer .....	\$809.00

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT ST. GERMAIN,  
Inspector of Wires.

Approved,  
CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## TOWN OF SUDBURY — JURY LIST

Ames, Clarence F.	Fillmore, Millard A.
Bartlett, Philena A.	Frost, Charles Addison
Beazley, Margaret A.	Garfield, Philip C.
Bennett, Betty P.	Genna, Felice
Bianchi, Daniel C.	Gohlke, Richard T.
Blake, Arthur G.	Guild, Everett J.
Blanchard, Barbara N.	Hamilton, Hazel D.
Brown, George A.	Hartwell, Russell G.
Burckes, Richard	Hawes, Richard R.
Carson, Alice O.	Hill, Frances M.
Carson, Walter A.	Hodder, Ronald J.
Childs, John E.	Hodson, Alwin E., Jr.
Clair, Basil E. C.	MacCulloch, Arline G.
Crary, Denn A.	MacDonald, Gwendolyn E.
Cullinane, Margaret	McElwain, George Samuel
Dermott, Henry W.	Noyes, F. Alvin
Dickey, Matthew B.	Pike, Vera L.
Downing, William E.	Poole, Dorothy W.
Ecke, Mildred M.	Vana, Frank
Farrell, Francis S.	Whitworth, Eileen



REPORT OF THE  
LINCOLN-SUDBURY REGIONAL DISTRICT  
SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School, in only the second year of its operation, already is widely recognized in both public and private school circles as a school of unusually high caliber.

The desire of both towns for a challenging curriculum has been fulfilled with courses geared to meet the needs and abilities of all students. Additional courses have been introduced in Mathematics, the Sciences, History, English and French. These are designed to encourage students of high academic potential to meet admission requirements at liberal arts and technical colleges of highest standards and more importantly, to achieve maximum performance in their own particular area of proficiency.

Although a majority of our students are entered in a college-oriented program, the content of courses for the non-college student is receiving constant attention. The Committee realizes its responsibility in preparing young people for a successful life in our American democracy where their formal education may terminate at the High School level.

Courses have been prepared specifically for the non-college students in Mathematics, Science and English, which are oriented to their specific needs without reduction in cultural content.

The school staff was quick to recognize the variations in the needs of the student body and brought forth the aforementioned highly refined program. By reason of their interest, as well as their training and experience, the Committee believes the school staff is well qualified to carry out this program.

The Committee is constantly aware of the mounting tax burden that education is placing on the residents of Lincoln and Sudbury. Every item in the budget is carefully scrutinized to obtain full educational value from each tax dollar. Until the capacity of the building is more nearly reached, it will not be possible to make meaningful cost comparisons. However, it is our constant aim to provide an educational program second to none at a cost comparable to other good schools of similar size.

During the summer the Committee most regretfully accepted the resignation of Dr. Rexford Souder who had been associated with the Region since the early planning stages and was chosen its first superintendent. The Committee was exceedingly fortunate to find Mr. C. Newton Heath to carry on the administration. Mr. Heath's wide experience includes service as a teacher, guidance director, principal and several superintendencies. He has been connected with the New Hampshire State Department of Education and has been associated in the planning and construction of eleven school buildings in addition to serving as educational consultant for school buildings in Lowell, Lynn, Upton and the Regional School in Topsfield, Massachusetts.

The Regional Committee and the two Towns suffered the loss of one of our most capable and devoted educational leaders on the death of William A. Wilson late in the year. "Tinker," as he was known to all his associates, served on the Committee since its inception. His contribution in foresighted planning and in the establishment of high educational standards is indelibly impressed on the school. He will long be remembered by all who worked with him.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOWARD W. EMMONS, Chairman  
 JOHN W. CARMAN  
 ELLEN DEN. CANNON  
 ELIZABETH B. HARDING  
 VICTOR A. LUTNICKI  
 DONALD J. MACRAE

# THE LINCOLN-SUDBURY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

## Treasurer's Report

Total cash balance, January 1, 1957 .....	\$141,271.27
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### District Fund

Cash balance, January 1, 1957 ....	141,007.31
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Receipts:

Lincoln assessment .....	\$121,235.80	
Sudbury assessment .....	196,661.12	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts		
Building construction .....	31,881.42	
Transportation .....	22,151.58	
Miscellaneous Income .....	9,304.88	
Fire insurance settlement .....	5,731.86	386,966.66
		\$527,973.97

Disbursements:

District operating expenses .....	\$231,465.88	
Debt Service		
Principal .....	80,000.00	
Interest .....	33,835.00	
School construction .....	67,399.95	
Fire insurance settlement .....	5,731.86	418,432.69
		\$109,541.28

Cash balance, District Fund, December 31, 1957 .....	\$109,541.28
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### Federal Reimbursement Fund

Cash balance, January 1, 1957 ....	\$00.00
Receipts .....	3,551.00
	\$3,551.00
Disbursements .....	850.00
	\$2,701.00

Cash balance, Federal Reimburse- ment Fund, December 31, 1957	\$2,701.00
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**Cafeteria Fund**

Cash balance, January 1, 1957 ....	\$216.96
Receipts .....	20,713.34
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	\$20,930.30
Disbursements .....	20,370.42
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Cash balance, Cafeteria Fund, December 31, 1957 .....	\$559.88

**Athletic Fund**

Cash balance, January 1, 1957 ....	\$47.00
Receipts .....	598.85
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	\$645.85
Disbursements .....	396.55
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Cash balance, Athletic Fund, December 31, 1957 .....	\$249.30
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Total cash balance, December 31, 1957 .....	\$113,051.46

**BALANCE SHEET**

December 31, 1957

**Assets**

Cash .....	\$113,051.46
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Total Assets .....	\$113,051.46

**Liabilities and Reserves**

## Appropriation balances:

## Non-Revenue:

Construction .....	\$14,238.20
Commonwealth of Massachusetts State Grant: Construction Costs .....	31,881.42
Transportation .....	22,151.58
Federal Reimbursement .....	2,701.00
Revolving Funds:	
Cafeteria .....	559.88
Athletic .....	249.30
Surplus Revenue .....	41,270.08
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Total Liabilities and Reserves .....	\$113,051.46
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### Outstanding Debt

\$ 80,000	2.20%	School Bonds payable \$5,000 May 1, 1958/1975 inclusive.
350,000	2.40%	School Bonds payable \$25,000 Nov. 1, 1958/1959; \$20,000 Nov. 1, 1960/1974 inclusive.
900,000	2.40%	School Bonds payable \$50,000 Nov. 1, 1958/1975 inclusive.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE B. FLINT,  
Treasurer.

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### REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee:

The second Annual Report of the Superintendent of Schools summarizes the educational outcomes of our first full year of operation, and provides some insights to the future.

The organizational structure, coupled with well guided curriculum selections for the student body, has substantiated the philosophy upon which the school was founded. We cannot, nor do we, claim that the success of our first graduating class depended solely on our one year of operation. It will require a four-year period before we can claim full success of our students, and then credit for their achievements, which we hope will be many, must be shared with those responsible for their preparation in the elementary grades. However, we can be justly proud of the fall follow-up of our 1957 graduates.

Students were enrolled in the University of Michigan, Beaver College, Boston University, University of Massachusetts, Bridgewater State Teachers College, Northeastern University, Boston College, Pennsylvania State College, Vermont Junior College, Chandler School for Women and Chamberlain Junior College. With but one exception, all students who applied for college were admitted to the institution of their first choice.

The placement of our first graduates follows:

Admitted to nursing schools .....	2	6.3%
Admitted to 4-year colleges .....	10	31.2%
Admitted to 2-year colleges .....	4	12.7%
Short term post-secondary training ....	1	3.0%



Post graduate work .....	1	3.0%
Married .....	5	15.7%
Working .....	9	28.1%

There were thirty-two members in the class and thirty-one were graduated.

Providing for a superior quality of education for the college bound student, as well as the best opportunities for the youth whose formal training may end with graduation from high school, necessitates continuous survey and study of our curriculum. Currently, our Regional School staff is evaluating the course offerings preparatory to completing a revised brochure of subjects to be offered in the school year 1958 - 1959. This study is one phase of a more comprehensive evaluation of our total school. The larger study, known as an Evaluative Study, will encompass such major areas as Program of Studies, Administration, Guidance, Building, Library, and Activities. Citizens of Lincoln and Sudbury are working with the professional staff on this study. The evaluation will end in June, 1958 with a second study being made by a visiting team from the New England Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges.

The senior class to graduate in June 1958 has a membership of 37 students. In September 1958 we can expect a freshman class of about 147. Our 1958 budget reflects this increase in instructional expense by the addition of nine new staff positions. These positions are being created for the expansion of our present curriculum offerings as well as for the additional freshman groups to be taught.

The seven Sudbury junior high school classes will move from the Regional High School in the fall. This will provide the space necessary for the increased high school fall enrollment.

The Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School is fortunate to be staffed by a superior and dedicated corps of educators. Their attention to the individual pupil's needs is foremost at all times in their teaching. The long range goal of the entire program is to equip our youth with maximum background in skills so they may most effectively develop their maximum potential. Just so long as we are able to secure the services of well qualified staff members, we shall be able to accomplish such a goal. Our salary policy continues to make the best faculty selection possible.

The success of our high school program depends to a substantial degree, on the previous training of the students who enroll as freshmen. It is our policy to serve both the Lincoln and Sudbury elementary school programs with consultant services relative to desired educational attainments

prior to high school entrance. During the past year our staff has met with the mathematics and science teachers in the elementary schools of both towns to assist in correlation of subject matter being taught. In 1958 we plan to extend this service to more closely correlate our activities in other subject areas.

Two school publications, the Ninth Notes and The Tom-Tom, have been launched. They cover all current affairs of the student body. A house organ, or publication, is being organized by the administration and teaching staff to inform our parents and citizens about our educational activities. The first issue will be ready early in 1958.

Some matters requiring early consideration to improve and further our program will include the expansion of our academic offerings in developmental reading, foreign language and the sciences. A "work experience" program, and provision for salable skills subjects, are being considered for our vocationally minded youth. Our effectiveness cannot be determined only by the admission of our graduates to college or successful job placement. The degree to which they succeed after high school graduation is also important to us. A continuous "follow-up" of graduates by the guidance staff, on a one, three or five year basis is necessary. A system of pupil accounting procedures and personal anecdotal records will be developed. Such background data is vital to student adjustment and sound college placement.

The school, through its faculty, curriculum, and physical environment, influences and directs the educational growth of our youth. However, these influences can be effective only to the degree the parents understand and support the educational objectives of the school. Parent-teacher conferences, and visits with guidance staff and principal of the school, are solicited.

Serving as Superintendent of Schools for the Regional High School for these past five months has been a gratifying experience. To be associated with the development of an outstanding high school program, in which the Citizens, School Committee and Faculty have demonstrated complete support, provides the highest professional incentive for any administrator.

Respectfully submitted,

C. NEWTON HEATH,  
Superintendent of Schools.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**  
**Regional District Operating Expenses**

	Funds Available 1957	Budget 1958
Appropriation, Salaries and Ex- pense .....	\$243,635.00	\$305,635.00
Expenditures		
General Control		
Superintendent's salary .....	\$7,862.37	\$8,750.00
Other expenses .....	5,003.64	7,190.00
Expense of Instruction		
Teachers' salaries .....	113,985.38	163,560.00
Expense of school office .....	3,911.15	4,200.00
Textbooks .....	5,187.68	4,000.00
Supplies .....	6,273.00	7,015.00
Expense of Operating School Plants		
Custodians' salaries .....	5,596.57	12,435.00
Fuel .....	5,812.38	10,100.00
Miscellaneous of operation .....	11,860.08	13,930.00
Maintenance		
Maintenance and repairs .....	6,478.41	9,400.00
Auxiliary Agencies		
Transportation .....	26,143.63	36,460.00
Libraries .....	3,054.70	2,500.00
Health and physical education ..	5,764.56	4,715.00
Miscellaneous .....	3,253.05	5,035.00
Tuition .....	15,591.16	7,095.00
Other Expense		
Out of state travel .....	814.82	750.00
Evening use of school buildings	300.56	500.00
Vocational tuition .....	4,572.74	8,000.00
Total Expenditures .....	\$231,465.88	\$305,635.00
Unexpended Balance .....	\$12,169.12	
Apportionments		
Total Budget .....	\$243,635.00	\$305,635.00
Less: Available Funds in District Treasury .....	1,764.83	38,874.75
Balance to be apportioned .....	\$241,870.17	\$266,760.25
Lincoln Apportionment .....	\$92,716.50	\$93,894.87
Sudbury Apportionment .....	\$149,153.67	\$172,865.38

**LINCOLN-SUDBURY  
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
SCHOOL ORGANIZATION AND STAFF**

January 1, 1958

**School Committee**

Howard W. Emmons, Chairman .....	Term expires 1958
Victor A. Lutnicki .....	Term expires 1958
John W. Carman .....	Term expires 1959
Elizabeth B. Harding .....	Term expires 1959
Ellen DeN. Cannon .....	Term expires 1958
Donald J. MacRae .....	Term expires 1960

**Superintendent of Schools**

C. Newton Heath,  
Office, Concord and Lincoln Roads, Sudbury  
Hilltop 3-2662

**Secretary to School Committee**

Lily T. Spooner Hilltop 3-2662

**District Treasurer**

George B. Flint Clearwater 9-8611

**Teaching Personnel**

Appointed

Leslie M. Tourville	1956	Principal
James A. Doucette	1956	Director of Guidance
Bramwell B. Arnold	1956	Mathematics
*Jean M. Arra	1957	Homemaking
Katherine D. Barton	1956	Homemaking
John W. Black	1956	Art
*Curtis C. Brooks, Jr.	1957	Industrial Arts
Ruth M. Buxton	1956	Latin - French
Miriam S. Coombs	1956	English
Joan Driscoll	1957	English - Dramatics
Marion F. Edwards	1956	Science - Counselor
*Alan F. Flynn	1956	Mathematics
*Anne T. Gombosi	1956	Music
Mabel Greber	1957	Mathematics
Frank Heys, Jr.	1957	English
*William F. Keough, Jr.	1956	Driver Education
Helen D. Lelecas	1956	Business
Alexander G. Marshall, Jr.	1956	Mathematics - Counselor
Katherine R. McKenna	1956	French

Paul B. Mitchell	1957	Social Studies - English
*Malcolm C. Oliver	1957	Industrial Arts
*Elwood C. Philbrick	1956	Librarian
Norman W. Platine	1956	Social Studies
Laura S. Pollock	1957	Social Studies - Counselor
*Mary L. Roberts	1956	Physical Education
*Freda Serkin	1957	Reading
*Olive Smith	1957	Music
Roger T. Thurston	1956	Science - Counselor
Irene R. Tutuny	1956	Business
*Paul Volk	1956	Physical Education
Loretta Wertheimer	1957	Science

\* Serve as teachers of Sudbury Junior High School as well as the Regional High School.

### Health Personnel

Gordon D. Winchell, M.D. — School Physician	CLearwater 9-8618
Virginia Whitney — School Nurse	Hilltop 3-2662

### School Secretaries

Hope Baldwin — High School	Hilltop 3-2662
Maria B. Campbell — Superintendent's Office	Hilltop 3-2662
Marilyn A. Batchelder — Superintendent's Office	Hilltop 3-2662
Lily T. Spooner — Superintendent's Office	Hilltop 3-2662

### Custodians and Maintenance

William L. Long, Head Custodian and Maintenance	
George Pereira	Charles Vieira
Harold Dowd	Oliver Wainio
Eleanor E. Macdonald, Matron	

### Bus Operators

Kenneth R. Hooper (2 buses)	Contractor
Eric Johnson	Contractor
Lincoln Auto Service (2 buses)	Contractor
George Pereira	Leased Bus
Oliver Waino	Leased Bus

### Cafeteria Personnel

Helen L. Wheeler, Manager	
Rachel Adams, Cook	Jane L. Parks
Eleanor A. Darby	Robertta F. Podgurski

## NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

In the event of exceptionally severe weather conditions or when the transportation system is disrupted, WBZ, WEEL, WNAC, WKOX and WHDH will broadcast the no-school announcement between 7:00 and 8:00 A. M.

Whenever school is not held at the High School bus service will not be provided for tuition students attending Weston High Schools.

Since weather reports are not always reliable, and since the School District desires to render maximum educational service, the schools will remain open except in very severe weather.

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## SCHOOL CALENDAR

1958

School reopens .....	January 2
Winter Vacation .....	February 17-21
Spring Vacation .....	April 14-18
Memorial Day .....	May 30
School Closes .....	June 20
Last day for Teachers .....	June 30
School opens .....	September 8
Columbus Day .....	October 13
Veterans' Day .....	November 11
Thanksgiving Vacation .....	November 27-28
(minimum day on November 26)	
Christmas Vacation .....	December 24 - January 2
(minimum day on December 23)	

LINCOLN-SUDBURY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL  
MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE  
October 1, 1957

## BOYS

Age	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade								
9	12	32	11	1	1			57
10		6	28	6				40
11			9	28	2			39
12				4	6	2	2	14
Total	12	38	48	39	9	2	2	150

## GIRLS

Age	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Totals
Grade								
9	15	55	5	2				77
10		15	35	8				58
11			5	22	1			28
12				9	11	2		22
Total	15	70	45	41	12	2		185
Grand Total								335

TUITION PUPILS ATTENDING OTHER SCHOOLS  
October 1, 1957

Weston	21	21
Newton Technical High School		7
Norfolk Agricultural School		1
Waltham Vocational High		1
Worcester Boys' Trade High School		2
Total Other Schools		32

Distribution of Students Between Lincoln and Sudbury

	Lincoln	Sudbury	Tuition	Total
Regional High	108	222	5	335
Other schools	26	6	—	32
Total	134	228	5	367

## REPORT OF PARK AND PLAYGROUND INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE

This committee continues to work towards its announced goal of "a place to play within five or ten minutes walk of every potential house in Town." This means about forty-five play areas, of which close to half have been acquired or are in the talking stage.

During the past year an outdoor basketball court at Pine Lakes has been finished and placed in operation. Little work has been done near the basketball court back of the Library, it being advisable to wait until construction of the new children's reading room was completed. This court has been used heavily; obviously an additional playground site should be found in South Sudbury.

The playground given by Al Halper has been cleared of brush and harrowed many times. The dry Fall prevented seeding, but some equipment has been installed by Mr. Halper. At the Town and Country Playground, the pond has been excavated. Further work is planned here next year. Two expensive false starts have been made on the Vassalotti Pool. We have one more alternative here, but this pool may not be as deep as originally hoped.

The Barton Pool was additionally improved, and under the superlative supervision of Miss Johnson, Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Johnson a carefree year for the pool committee followed. Sometimes we had ninety children at the pool at once, and even in the drought the spring kept running.

Members of the Park and Playground Committee feel that the Town will be far more beautiful if all possible streets are looked upon as parkways. For the past four years members of the committee have toured the Town each Fall and offered one or more shade or flowering trees to the owners of all new houses in town that were bare of shade trees, and planted these trees back of the street line where the owner wished. Red bud has been planted where many brooks cross roads, and a relatively new native appearing aronia, which keeps its bright red berries nearly all year is presently being grown for roadside planting.

Not including the value of any land acquired, we believe contributions perhaps exceeding \$10,000 in value have been made to the pool and park and playground program during the past four years. Since this committee did and does think the acquisition of sites their most important work, many



people are unaware of the work that has been done on the sites acquired.

The starting of a permanent, official Park and Playground and perhaps Recreation and Cemetery Board should not be hurried. If carefully planned ahead with a promise of success, success will be hard to achieve. Our illuminated plan has been before groups of Townspeople several times, and our program described in several Town reports.

By more than 3 to 1, those who answered the recent Planning Board questionnaire considered our program adequate, but the vote on whether we should have a supervised program during the summer months was almost neck and neck.

However, we think we have reached the point where at the 1959 Annual Town meeting we should insert an article calling for the establishment of a Park, Playground, Recreation and Cemetery Committee. It should be an unpaid Board. It must of course be set up within the limits of State laws.

Each new board and department costs money, obtainable only from taxes. It will be our intention to propose limiting by law that proportion of the tax dollar which may be used for the purposes of this department, perhaps five mills in this case.

We have had excellent supervision at the Barton Pool. It is our plan during the coming summer to experiment with one or two supervisors of play on other areas, at least for a few hours a day. We have in mind an excellent person to head up this program, and have set aside money to carry it out.

In conclusion, we believe that work on a program for outdoor recreation in Sudbury is much further along than generally thought. If this program is not rushed or led widely astray we believe that Sudbury will have in a few years a park and playground facility second to none. If the cost is kept down jobs in the department will not attract the eager-beaver type of young man, anxious to capitalize each small event into a headline or a subject for other means of publicity, urging greater expense on an overloaded people for a service which should only fulfill a reasonable requirement in relation to other Town activities.

ELIZABETH ATKINSON  
ABEL CUTTING  
PAUL ECKE

## PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The sharp change in the present and future rate of growth of the Town is the paramount factor in our planning. With permits for new houses down about 35%, value of new industrial or commercial construction down about 85%, the number of lots in subdivisions approved this year down 46%, and down 76% from 1955, we can expect a little more time to prepare for the future, and, sadly, not much financial help from commercial ventures.

Early in the Fall the Planning Board brought the above figures to the attention of the Town in a questionnaire made up of sixty questions with many sub-headings, covering in our opinion the most important and most expensive items before the Town. We had thought that if only 10 per cent of these came back the results would be some help; when about 25% of the people took time to answer this questionnaire; some in the greatest detail, we were more than pleased with the interest shown. We believe the results important enough and of sufficient general interest to publish a resume of them here.

We are proposing no zoning changes this year. We still believe the areas zoned for business and industry inadequate, and the figures proposed in our last annual report a minimum. It is expensive to prepare, advertise and act on zoning articles, both in time and money.

We hope in another year or two to bring up areas for commercial zoning again.

Although our taxes are high both the questionnaire and remarks at Finance Committee hearings show little sentiment for economy, and this sentiment is often limited to one department and quickly offset elsewhere. Apparently few of our people are hurting.

We believe the acquisition of at least a fifty acre site for a dump imperative.

Summary of Replies to Questionnaire:

### **Answers To Planning Board Questionnaire Show Unanimity Of Opinion On Many Subjects**

Two hundred and fifty-eight citizens, for example, believe that all disbursements should be listed in detail in the Town Report, showing how much was paid to each person or firm, as the Highway Department does at present. Only sixty-seven do not favor listing this detailed information, and even fewer have no opinion on the subject.

Another project which has received overwhelming support is the lunch program in the schools which is approved by three hundred and fifteen people, while drawing the opposition of but twelve. A few have no opinion on this matter.

Two hundred and twenty-one people are satisfied with the reports of the finance committee, while only forty-five are not. Quite a few here offer no opinion.

The fire protection offered satisfies two hundred and seventy-five of those who sent in their questionnaires, while fifty-nine are not content. Almost everybody voted on this question.

Only nine people did not care to have the results of this polling published. Three hundred and thirty-six people, the largest single vote, think the questionnaire is worthwhile, while only four disagree. Twenty-eight thought the questionnaire too long, and three hundred and fourteen did not.

Only 31 people are not satisfied with the work of the police department, while 306 are well pleased. 51 would increase this department, 181 leave it the same size, and 35 would decrease it. Of the 176 people who have been stopped by the police, only 21 think the police have not been courteous and polite.

The Planning Board does not fare so well, one hundred and seventy-six people approving their work, eighty-three not liking it. Their overall proposals for ultimate business and industrial zoning are even less popular, with 134 in favor and 96 against.

Getting to that important matter, taxes and valuations, 184 people feel their taxes are fair, 174 think theirs too high. How many think their taxes too low? Nobody. But many people obviously feel their taxes are too high because of heavy municipal expenses, because 244 are satisfied with the assessment on their property, while 107 are not. Quite a few more don't like their neighbor's assessment, 192 believing assessments generally fair and 159 having contrary opinions. But only 117 favor an assessment by outside agencies, costing \$15,000.00 or more, which is opposed by 233.

If so many people feel both taxes and assessments too high, how many do you think would be willing to cut down or eliminate some services to save money? Only 99, while 104 definitely say they would not want cuts. A lot of blanks here. Where would people suggest making cuts? The three largest categories, and they are not very large, are schools, 21; fire department, 12; and police department, 11. Even fewer people would cut all departments.

And yet 85 people think there is waste in some departments, while 107 do not; waste is seen by 20 in the schools, 12 each in the police and fire departments, and by 11 in the highway department. One guy thinks there is waste in the library department, but somehow he has the idea we spend \$25,000.00 a year in the library.

188 people would like to see more land in Town zoned industrially, 133 think we have enough. Those who indicate where the additional industrial zones should be strongly favor the Post Road proximity.

207 people are satisfied with our present residential zoning, 123 are not. There are a great many different opinions on lot and frontage dimensions, a larger percentage favoring longer frontages, a smaller for larger areas. Overall 108 would increase lot sizes, 20 would decrease them; more than 200 make no suggestion.

262 people would like one or more shopping centre districts, as opposed to 76; 93 want one district, 70 favor two districts, and only 33 suggest that we have three. Locations are favored as follows: Post Road, 146; Route 117, 70; Hudson Road, 88; Concord Road, 45; and on the Maynard Road, 27.

It's just about a dead heat between those who would like such recreational facilities here as a skating rink or a bowling alley in commercial areas, and those who would not, 176 to 168.

Just 98 people think sub-division requirements are adequate, while 63 do not choose to go along.

High priced residences should be encouraged, say 193; no, say 109. Quite a heavy vote here. Suggestions would be welcomed by the Planning Board.

2 people think the cost of the schools is not high enough; 164 think this cost is fair; and 148 think the schools are too expensive. But only 73 want double sessions, vs. 260; 66 would operate the schools twelve months a year, not well thought of by 255.

The location of the next elementary school has been chosen by the town; twenty-two different locations were proposed in the questionnaire.

170 people think the next elementary school should cost just about the same as the Horse Pond Road School; 8 would like a more expensive school; while 114 think the next school should be less expensive.

Not too much opinion about making the Centre Elementary School into a junior high; 93 yes, 70 no.

124 favor a regional junior high school, 149 do not. 72 would like more towns in the present region, while 201 do not like this proposal.

While 181 people would like to see a football team at the regional high school, and 154 would not, if the cost would be \$50,000.00 the first five years only 100 would still be in favor.

Very close on the type of secondary education preferred; 110 like eight years elementary, four years in high; another 110 like a two year junior high, with a four year high, and 87 like three years in junior and senior high.

The quality of education offered by the schools satisfies 195, and does not satisfy 69. Twenty-three different things could be improved, but there is no agreement on what things. Fifteen things are very satisfactory, but again there is no agreement, nor is there any united opinion as to the reason many children are sent out of Town to school.

The Planning Board feels their question about the establishment of a junior college here was misunderstood. This was intended to be more of a zoning question, to see if the Town would favor a group of individuals, e.g., establishing a private junior college here.

Only 44 people favor the Town buying and fixing up the Hosmer House and meadow, for a suggested \$50,000.00, while 149 are in opposition.

There was a low vote on the advisability of having a Town Manager, yes 29, no 53. It would be a good job; several people would pay him over \$10,000 per year. 25 people would like an executive secretary for the selectmen, 41 would not. One fellow would pay this official \$12,000 per year.

A box fire alarm system all over Town is not favored, by 172 to 136, while 156 think we should buy at once a site for a fire station in North Sudbury; 85 do not.

181 people are not familiar with the decisions of the Board of Appeals; 73 are well satisfied with decisions, and 67 are not.

The work of the Town Counsel is approved by a vote of 112 to 92, while 114 would prefer a resident Town Counsel and 76 would not.

Replies were about two to one against enlarging the library and four to one against buying a bookmobile.

Although 149 people would like to see garbage collected all over Town, 173 do not care about this service. A few less want rubbish collected.

170 people want the Town to take over the Water District, 123 do not. 59 people had dug wells go dry this summer, 137 made out all right with their wells.

In order to get a good industrial plant in Town, 67 people would extend Town water to them if the cost was recovered in one year; 39 would go along with this expense if the cost was recovered in two years, and 95 would wait three years.

A very closely divided opinion on the desirability of having a supervised play program during the summer months, 159 in favor, 151 against . . . But more than four to one believe the outside facilities of the school department should be available for recreational purposes at all times, and three to one think the program proposed by the Park and Playground Committee adequate. There were many blanks on the last question.

Representative type of Town Meeting is not preferred, nor are Saturday afternoon meetings. However, by 239 to 86, two meetings are preferred, one dealing only with appropriations, the other with zoning and by-law changes.

172 do not want to relocate the Post Road, 145 do, while 99 want to work toward a North-South arterial road and 186 do not.

Only about one in four want more services from the highway department. 175 would favor a strictly enforced thirty-five mile per hour speed limit, and 113 would not like this.

170 think we should take drastic steps to acquire a Town dump, 34 do not. Fifty acres is quite generally satisfactory. Nobody wants the dump very near him, although a sanitary fill is preferred.

This summarizes the information received by the Planning Board. Information important to each department, and the comment pertinent to each department will also be given to the government body concerned. The Planning Board hopes to make good use of the information received, and knows all other boards will consider the information obtained by this questionnaire carefully.

DAVID G. CHASE  
 ABEL CUTTING  
 ARTHUR WHITE  
 THEODORE HARDING  
 TRUEMAN C. JACKSON

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE FOR PRESERVATION OF ANCIENT RECORDS

The seven-man committee established by vote of the Special Town Meeting of October 25, 1956, has initiated a long range program of record preservation. As has been indicated in our Annual Report for 1956, there is a great wealth of ancient documents both public and private in Town custody.

The first action of the committee was to initiate a survey of the material in Town custody with a view toward establishing priorities in the preservation program. The survey was extended to include an investigation of the valuable semi-public records located in the Goodnow Library and in the hands of the Trustees of the First Parish Church.

Through the courtesy of Congressman Harold Donohue, the National Archives and Secretary of State Edward Cronin, the committee has been able to educate itself on the many detailed phases of preservation of records and record retirement programs.

The committee has obtained from the State Archives Division an index of all ancient documents in the Archives which refer to the early history of the Town of Sudbury and has initiated a procurement policy aimed at obtaining copies of all such documents for the Town. This is to be a long range program.

The most pressing problem is of centralization of the valuable ancient documents of the Town and immediate protection against their destruction by fire. As the Town Clerk has indicated that the Town vault is reaching its capacity, the committee has investigated the possible use of the old Town vault which is now located in the Fire Station. The old vault is identical in capacity and fire protective qualities with the present Town vault and wants only a new combination lock and steel shelving to meet the requirements of the committee. It's expected that the vault will be ready for use in the immediate future and it should be noted that the use of the vault compliments the Town Clerk's record retirement policy and relieves a space problem which would otherwise have led to the requirement of a new vault for the Town.

In line with well established record preservation programs your committee feels that it is imperative that the ancient records of the Town be microfilmed copies of such film to be stored with other Towns to insure against the

obliteration of valuable records by fire or other disaster. We are pleased to report that the Genealogical Society of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints of the Mormon Church in Salt Lake City has agreed to come to Sudbury at their own expense and microfilm our records supplying the Town with copies of the film for the cost of the film alone. As this represents a saving to the Town of approximately \$1,000.00, your committee was most happy to accept this kind offer.

Through the courtesy of Dr. Sumner Powell of the Choate School arrangements have been made for Book 1 and Book 2 of the Sudbury records to be printed by the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, the only cost to the Town being that of preparing a clean copy of the records. We are happy to report that as of this date the copy for Book 1 is complete and a substantial portion of Book 2 has been prepared. The Town Clerk's assistant in co-operation with Dr. Powell has performed this service for a nominal sum.

As an immediate need for preservation of certain documents exist due to the problems of fading ink and poor condition, your committee has authorized the Town Clerk to make photostat copies of such documents while they are still capable of being reproduced. For this purpose the committee in co-operation with the Town Clerk has purchased a photostat copying machine and equipment. This machine is also used for regular Town work and is expected to pay for itself before the year is over.

The committee was also happy to co-operate with the Board of Selectmen in preserving by framing a gift of valuable documents made to the Town through the generosity of Mrs. Marion Eaton and Mrs. Grace Hunt.

In conclusion it should be emphasized that the ultimate objectives of the committee can only be reached through a long and careful program. It is our experience from our first year of existence that cost to the Town can be kept at a minimum by virtue of a value of the documents and the keen interest by historical societies, scholars and public officials.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. POWERS, Chairman,  
 MAUDE M. CLARK,  
 ELIZABETH ATKINSON,  
 FORREST BRADSHAW,  
 RICHARD C. HILL,  
 LESLIE C. HALL,

The Committee for Preservation  
 of Ancient Records.



## REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

December 31, 1957.

To the Board of Selectmen  
Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is my Annual Report of the Activities of the Police Department. The following is a detailed report of the Department for the year ending December 31, 1957.

Arrests made by our department .....	122
Arrests made by Mass. State Police .....	4
Arrests made by other State Agencies .....	3
Violators booked as warnings .....	196
Violators booked and sent to Registry for action .....	198
Auto accidents investigated involving personal injury .....	20
Auto accidents investigated, property damage only .....	70
Auto accidents involving pedestrians .....	3
Fatal automobile accidents .....	1
Defective Equipment tags issued to motor vehicle operators .....	200
Deer killed by autos .....	2
Motor Vehicle transfers handled .....	162

### FOR OTHER DEPARTMENTS

Summons served, includes persons ar- rested for other depts. ....	151
Investigations .....	78

### MISCELLANEOUS OTHER ACTIVITIES

Fires attended by police .....	46
Miscellaneous complaints received .....	868
Investigations resulting from above com- plaints .....	816
Escapees and Runaways apprehended .....	4
Suspicious motor vehicles checked .....	605
Suspicious persons checked while on patrol .....	226
Licenses issued to carry firearms .....	40
Doors and windows found open on places of business .....	80
Emergency trips to Hospitals by our Po- lice Cruiser .....	37
Homes checked during owner's absence at their request .....	247

Appearances in Framingham District Court .....	56
Appearances in Superior Court .....	4
Radio calls received in Cruiser .....	1157
Radio calls transmitted from Cruiser .....	850
Messages delivered .....	46
Breaks reported in local business establishments .....	1
Summer camps broken into .....	5
Permits issued to perform necessary work on the Lord's Day .....	20
Missing persons located .....	14
Emergency calls for Resuscitator .....	13

### STOLEN OR LOST PROPERTY RECOVERED

Articles stolen from a summer camp break .....	\$360.00
One English type bike .....	65.00
One Buick convertible automobile .....	750.00
One Ford automobile .....	500.00
One typewriter .....	75.00
Total Value of articles .....	\$1,750.00

### EXPENSES OF THE DEPARTMENT

Chief's Salary .....	\$5,000.00
Sergeant's Salary .....	4,500.00
Ernest A. Ryan, working on day off .....	464.91
Arthur C. Morgello .....	2,986.63
Wesley M. Woodward .....	3,790.66
John E. Hughes .....	277.92
Harry C. Shaw .....	3,090.81
Leonard E. Pike .....	99.75
Augustus Sharkey .....	539.25
John R. MacLean, Jr. ....	2,020.13
Waldo Logan .....	27.00
James L. Devoll .....	43.75
Everett Bowker .....	21.00
Frank Kalland .....	12.00
George Taylor .....	13.50
Chester M. Purdy .....	21.00
Joseph Paollini .....	36.00
Malcus Skog .....	39.00
John Hutchby .....	4.50
David MacDonald .....	6.00
Gordon Petersen .....	12.00
Richard E. Hawes .....	877.00
Total Amount Salaries .....	\$23,882.87

## OPERATING EXPENSES OTHER THAN SALARIES

State Prison, Signs .....	\$176.30
Sudbury Sign Service .....	5.00
Mass. Dept. of Public Safety .....	20.00
City Truck Company .....	4.79
Hooper's Service Station .....	38.04
Johnson's Esso Station .....	268.07
Hodson Fire Equipment Co. ....	341.55
Dupree Brothers, Locksmith .....	.75
Concannon News Shop .....	4.85
Alexander Auto Service .....	322.32
James Mercury Gas Station .....	993.82
Malger's Amoco Station .....	1,646.73
Bentley's Mimeo Service .....	22.23
Murphy & Snyder, Printers .....	156.45
John B. Merryman, one revolver .....	44.75
Ellis Motors Co. ....	44.00
Town Line Hardware Store .....	41.98
Whittemore & Coughlin Garage .....	66.40
Coombs Motor Co. ....	20.68
Chief's Police Ass'n. dues .....	5.00
Bob Smith's Sporting Goods Co. one re- volver .....	46.31
Sudbury Cleaners .....	8.75
New England Gas Products Co. Oxygen	7.80
V. H. Blackinton Co. ....	47.35
Lawyers Coop Publishing Co. ....	4.00
Gorham Fire Equipment Co. ....	13.36
George Brown, Traffic count, Goodman Hill Road .....	12.00
James L. Devoll, Traffic count, Goodman Hill Road .....	12.00
Walter Burke, Traffic count, Goodman Hill Road .....	12.00
Young's Store .....	4.28
Concord Filling Station .....	5.00
Irving Weisenfeld, M.D. ....	5.00
Laffin's Express .....	2.30
Total Other Expenses .....	<u>\$4,403.86</u>

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

To sum up briefly, I wish to thank all Town Departments and Boards for their usual fine cooperation during the year. I did not make an attempt to list all the telephone calls received by the department during the year. Expenditures and activities are listed in detail. In addition to the listed

activities we carried on many more which we do not have the room to list here. Although I might list a few to give the taxpayer an idea what they are, we fingerprint all employees of local businesses when requested to do so, all pistol permit applicants must be fingerprinted since Nov. 19, 1957. We assist where requested in doing traffic duty, such as funerals, weddings or any place where there is traffic difficulty. All private traffic details are paid for by the persons requesting the officer. As a preventative measure we check the local bank during banking hours, escort any local merchant to the bank to make deposits, when he requests said escort, escort the Town Tax Collector to the bank with Town Funds. Our men check all businesses after closing time during the night, and these checks and escorts evidently have paid off during the year, as we have had a negligible amount of breaks and thefts. Our men assist motorists in trouble, answer calls for assistance in any home or Rest Home where needed. All Town property, both completed and under construction, is checked carefully to prevent injury to said property, or thefts during construction. At this writing our department has not succeeded in filling the three vacancies for patrolman; we are covering the positions with available men. I feel that my report covers the activities of the department, however, any unanswered questions will be explained at the Annual Town Meeting.

Very truly yours,

JOHN F. MCGOVERN, Chief,  
Sudbury Police Dept.

**REPORT OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE BOARD**

Year Ending December 31, 1957

To the Citizens of Sudbury:

Herewith is submitted the report of the Agent of the Board of Public Welfare.

ROLAND R. CUTLER, Chairman  
LOUISE F. WYNNE  
BEULAH F. STONE  
ALFRED R. BONAZZOLI  
RICHARD C. HILL

Board of Public Welfare  
Sudbury, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

During the year of 1957, a total of forty-three cases were aided under Old Age Assistance. At the beginning of the year, the case load was thirty-eight and at the end thirty-seven cases remained active. During the entire year, five new cases were added while six cases were closed. Four of these were closed because of death, and two were closed because need no longer existed. Another cost of living increase became effective in all categories on September 1, 1957, and at the present time, the budgets of all recipients are increased 25.7 per cent. However, on July 1, 1957, Public Law 85-110 was passed, and under this law, additional Federal reimbursement became available for medical care. In order to avail ourselves of this increase it became necessary to make several changes in our vendor payment system, thus causing much confusion and dissatisfaction both to us and our professional friends and agencies which provide medical services to sick and needy assistance recipients. However, at this point, it appears that all concerned are fairly well oriented, and the system is operating in a satisfactory manner. Nursing Homes rates were increased seventy-five cents per day, the fuel allowance for recipients was advanced \$4.50 a month, the allowance for clothing and personal care for those in licensed boarding and nursing was increased and the legal exemption of children of recipients was increased. The general increase in living costs has been reflected in this department as well as in your homes, but as the case load has dropped slightly, we are requesting \$22,000.00 for 1958 which is the same amount as appropriated for 1957.

Two cases with a total of five children received Aid to Dependent Children during 1957. These two cases remained

active at the end of the year, and \$2,500.00 is being requested for the coming year. Increased costs and the possibility of a new case make this necessary.

Four cases were aided during the past year as recipients of Disability Assistance. At the end of the year, two cases remain active and \$3,000.00 has been requested for the coming year.

During 1957, five cases in Sudbury, received Temporary Aid from this department. Also two cases, living out of Sudbury, but with settlements in this Town, were aided. The need in this type of assistance is very unpredictable, and is usually temporary, and we are requesting \$2,000.00 for this aid.

The Welfare Office is staffed four days each week, Monday through Thursday, but in cases of emergency, any board member may be contacted.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY M. LAFFIN, Agent.

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
FOR OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation .....	\$22,000.00
United States Grant and Refunds .....	16,783.68
Balance from 1956 .....	4,898.57
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Total .....	\$43,682.25
Expenditures .....	40,393.75
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Balance .....	\$3,288.50

NET COST OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE  
TO TOWN OF SUDBURY

Total Cost .....	\$40,393.75
Less Reimbursements:	
United States Grant .....	\$16,783.68
Commonwealth of Massachusetts ..	17,808.44
Receipts from Town and Cities ...	1,141.06
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	\$35,733.18
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Net Cost to Sudbury .....	\$4,660.57

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
FOR AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Appropriation .....		\$1,000.00
United States Grant .....		953.50
Balance from 1956 .....		610.75
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Total .....		\$2,564.25
Expenditures .....		2,545.91
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Balance .....		\$18.34

NET COST OF AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN  
TO TOWN OF SUDBURY

Total Cost .....		\$2,545.91
Less Reimbursements:		
United States Grant .....	\$953.50	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts ..	837.10	
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Total .....	\$1,790.60	1,790.60
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Net Cost to Sudbury .....		\$755.31

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
FOR DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

Appropriation .....		\$3,000.00
United States Grant .....		1,233.19
Balance from 1956 .....		356.78
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Total .....		\$4,589.97
Expenditures .....		3,562.85
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Balance .....		\$1,027.12

NET COST OF DISABILITY ASSISTANCE  
TO TOWN OF SUDBURY

Total Cost .....		\$3,562.85
Less Reimbursements:		
United States Grant .....	\$1,233.19	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,421.55	
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Total .....	\$2,654.74	2,654.74
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Net Cost to Sudbury .....		\$908.11

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES  
FOR GENERAL RELIEF

Appropriation .....		\$2,000.00
Expenditures:		
Fuel .....	\$27.75	
Cash grants .....	334.65	
Provisions .....	78.15	
Medical Care .....	614.41	
Dental Care .....	97.00	
For Sudbury settled cases in other towns .....	745.72	
Total .....	\$1,897.68	1,897.68
Balance .....		\$102.32

NET COST OF GENERAL RELIEF  
TO TOWN OF SUDBURY

Total Cost .....		\$1,897.68
Receipts:		
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$449.74	
City of Framingham .....	105.90	
City of Waltham .....	163.50	
Total .....	\$719.14	719.14
Net Cost to Sudbury .....		\$1,178.54



REPORT OF  
THE PUBLIC WORKS ADVISORY BOARD

The Public Works Advisory Board herewith submits its Annual Report for 1957. One change was made in the membership of the Board. Francis W. Trussell was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of J. Carrell Morris.

The Highway Department has completed the reconstruction of Concord Road to eliminate the dangerous curve at Pantry Brook. The authorization for the reconstruction of Horse Pond Road, from the railroad tracks to the Boston Post Road, Lincoln Lane, and Tippling Rock Road was granted too late to permit finishing these projects before unfavorable weather set in. Construction has progressed



to the point where these roads are now ready for the hard surface and will be completed as soon in the Spring as weather permits. The major project for next year will be the widening and straightening of Old Sudbury Road from Concord Road to the sharp curve beyond the new Methodist Church. The road will be widened sufficiently to permit angle parking opposite the Fire Station.

A complete accounting of the cost of materials, labor, rented equipment, and maintenance for 1957 is available in the Highway Surveyor's Report. Notice should be taken of the fact that while the number of miles of Town Roads has increased, the Highway budget has remained substantially the same and the condition of our roads is comparable, if not better than surrounding towns.

A coat of stucco has been applied to the exterior of the Town Barn and with the installation of the fire alarm system, as recommended by the Fire Chief, can be considered completed. There is an article in the Annual Town Warrant for the cost of this alarm system.

The Major Equipment Inventory of the Highway Department is the same as recorded in last year's report with the addition of one new snow plow and one new four-wheel drive truck, on which one of our present sand spreaders will be installed. There are two articles in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting for additional equipment. They are for one 3 yard dump body to be installed on the four-wheel drive truck and one new 2½ yard capacity dump truck. It is also planned in the future to add a tractor with a front-end loader, thus giving the Town sufficient Town-owned equipment so that additional equipment will be rented only for construction work, snow removal, and catch-basin cleaning.

The Dutch Elm disease has killed many Elm trees along the roads. This now presents a serious hazard to the safety of motorists and pedestrians. A definite program must be provided, together with adequate funds, to remove these trees. Diseased trees must also be removed in order to protect the healthy Elm trees still remaining on public and private property in the Town.

The Public Works Advisory Board has cooperated with the Selectmen in granting permits for electric lights and has formulated a policy, which we feel is economical to the Town and just to the applicants, on which to base recommendations of acceptance or rejection.

At the request of many citizens a study will be made, in cooperation with other Town Committees, to determine if

a Public Works Department should be created and what its functions would be.

FRANCIS W. TRUSSELL, Chairman  
JOHN G. WOODS  
RICHARD P. CLARK



## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REASSESSMENT

### 1. INTRODUCTION

At the Annual Town Meeting of 1957, an article was presented in the warrant which called for a professional revaluation of the Town assessments. The Town Meeting decided not to appropriate money for this purpose at the time but established a committee to determine if tax inequalities do exist and to make a report with recommendations.

### 2. APPROACH OF THE COMMITTEE

One of the first things the committee did was to examine properties in several areas in Town and estimate the value of these properties. In several instances, the estimate of the committee differed from the estimate of the Board of Assessors. The committee then met with the Assessors and jointly re-examined these properties. During the re-examination, the Assessors explained the basis for their assessment. In most cases where there was a difference between the assessment and the committee's estimate, the Assessors brought out unusual factors which the committee had not taken into account. At this point it became clear to the committee that rather than trying to "second guess" the assessors they should concentrate their efforts on more long-range goals. First, we wanted to find some methods of appraisal which would reduce the amount of judgement used in estimating the value of property. Second, we wanted to find some procedures which would insure that the same criteria are used in evaluating different properties. Third, we wanted to find a means of objectively measuring the performance of the Board of Assessors so that we could tell how well the Board was doing on a sounder basis than one individual's opinion versus another's. Fourth, we wanted to accomplish our goals in a way that would help the Assessors because it was clear to the committee that the Board of Assessors is as anxious to improve their own operations as anyone in Town and welcomes constructive suggestions.

### 3. EXPERIENCE OF OTHER TOWNS

Before discussing how this committee suggests meeting these goals, we would like to note some background information which may not be generally known.

The problem of tax inequality is not unique to Sudbury. Many other towns have been faced with the same problem. In the last ten years, over 70 towns of the 351 cities and towns in the Commonwealth have been revaluated. Because this problem is widespread, the legislature, under Chapter 649 of the Acts of 1955, prescribed as a duty of the Department of Corporation and Taxation the establishment of a uniform system for the assessment of property on the local level. The State Tax Commission feels that the Assessors' most important concern should be that property subject to tax should bear its fair share of the tax burden, and that this important function of municipal government can no longer be placed in the hands of those who, though well intended, lack understanding of the basic principles of appraisal and equalization of real estate. To aid local Assessors, the State Tax Commission has prepared a manual and established a school for Assessors. Sudbury Assessors have availed themselves of this state help, and our Chairman of the Board of Assessors has attended the state school. This investigating committee also has been assisted by the state group.

### 4. METHODS OF APPRAISAL

The committee wanted to find some methods of appraisal which provide more than the unsupported judgement of an Assessor in establishing the value of property. We found there are three such methods. The first is called the comparison method. In this method information on the sales of comparable or nearly comparable properties is used in determining the value of an individual property. The second is called the capitalization method. This method is useful for rental and commercial properties, but is not readily applicable to private homes. The third method is called reproduction costs less accrued depreciation. This method is the one recommended for mass appraisal problems. In this method an estimate is made of the cost of building an identical house using the same materials and with the same quality of workmanship. The estimate is based on unit costs developed for the specific "classes" of structures. Next the amount of "wearing out" or depreciating of the building is estimated and subtracted from the reproduction cost. This leaves the estimated current market value of the building.

It can be plainly seen that each method has some application in the Town of Sudbury and familiarity with all the methods is recommended for a member of the Board of

Assessors. The advantage of the third method, that is replacement costs less an allowance for depreciation, is that specific rules are used, and the amount of judgement necessary for an appraiser is reduced. No system eliminates the need for judgement. The third method is the one frequently used wherever estimating is done whether it is for estimating property or in determining the price of a new product, etc. That is, the property is reduced to the elements of costs, such as the foundation, the type of construction, number of baths, fireplaces, etc., and each of these items is estimated separately and then the value of the property is determined by adding up all of these individual items. It is still true, however, that judgement must be used to determine the amount of depreciation.

## 5. RECORDS

Another goal of the committee was to find a way of insuring that all property is judged on the same basis. This can be done by maintaining a good record system. Under all of the objective appraisal methods, and particularly under the replacement less depreciation method, the Board must keep certain records. As a minimum, these records consist of — first, two card indices, one index which is alphabetical by owner's name, and the other a card index which is alphabetical by street and which includes a description of the property; and second, assessors' maps which show the shape, size, frontage, terrain, and other key features of the property. In particular, the property description should be quite a complete form. It should include a plot plan, the number of floors, the number of rooms, the type of roofing, the type of exterior walls, etc. For all new building in the Town of Sudbury, such information has been required for the last two years as part of the building permit. The Board of Assessors have these building permits on file.

## 6. PERFORMANCE OF THE SUDBURY BOARD OF ASSESSORS

It was somewhat difficult to meet our third goal which was to find an objective measure of performance for the Assessors. Assessing is not like a business where performance is measured by the amount of profit. However, there are two things which can be examined objectively. First, the adequacy of the records which the Board maintains. Compared to other towns and cities in the Commonwealth, the Sudbury Board of Assessors can be proud of their records. This is not to say that more work is not needed to improve the records and to make better use of them. Nevertheless, most towns have almost no records, whereas Sudbury has a fairly good set of Assessors' maps for seven-eighths of the Town and the one-eighth that is not yet mapped is

the swamp land near the Sudbury River. Also, the building permits which have been in use for several years have resulted in detailed information on about one-half of the houses in Town.

The second measure of performance is perhaps even more important. In this method, a comparison is made between the assessed value and the safe value of properties which have changed hands in the last few years to find the amount of variation between different properties. The State Department of Corporation and Taxation took a random sample of 25 old properties and 25 new properties which were sold during the years 1955, 1956, and 1957. Using the assessment-sales ratio, they determined that the average ratio for these properties was 31.6 percent. They then examined the sample to determine the amount of differences in evaluation between different properties. In comparing differences in evaluation, any variation within  $\pm 5$  of the average is considered good. Over 75 percent of the sample properties fell within this  $\pm 5$  good practice criteria. No property varied by over  $\pm 10$ . If we assume that all remaining assessments during these periods are as good as the sample, then the record of the Sudbury Board of Assessors is much better than the average towns which have not had a revaluation program, and with which the State board is familiar.

## 7. METHODS OF IMPROVING SUDBURY ASSESSMENTS

Even though the performance of the Sudbury Board of Assessors is quite good compared to most other towns, there are several improvements which can be made. These improvements can be accomplished by making more use of the objective methods of appraisal discussed above, by completing the records, and by making more use of the information in the records.

These steps are equivalent to a revaluation. This revaluation can be done by our own Assessors or by calling in an outside re-appraisal organization. The advantage of having an outside re-appraisal group is that they are unbiased. The disadvantage is the high cost of such services. The advantage of having an inside appraisal, that is, an appraisal by the present Board, is that it would be considerably less expensive. The disadvantage is that those individuals who may feel that the present Board is in any way biased or prejudiced, would not be reassured.

## 8. RECOMMENDATIONS OF THIS COMMITTEE

Based on the findings of its investigations, the committee makes the following recommendations:

1. We recommend that the Board of Assessors continue to improve their methods of appraisal and records by adopting the objective procedures discussed above.

2. The committee found a few instances of property in Town which clearly have an unequal assessment. We recommend that these properties be reviewed by the Board of Assessors.

3. We recommend against having a re-appraisal by an outside firm. We feel that a reasonable sum of money for such improvements is a worthwhile expenditure, but that a large expenditure which does not lead to significant improvements is not good financial practice.

4. We recommend that the Board of Assessors perform a revaluation within this calendar year. We recommend that they be given a sum of money to expedite this revaluation by using the services of an individual or individuals to inspect those properties for which complete records are not available in order that all property in Town will be completely described in their records.

## 9. FUTURE PROGRAM

During this year, the committee has concentrated its efforts on buildings since these provide the largest part of the Town valuations. The committee did not have time to fully investigate the problems connected with the assessment of land. Therefore, we recommend that this committee be continued for one year to complete its work and to aid the Board of Assessors in carrying out the recommendations, and that the committee report to the Town on the progress that has been made and make those improvements in assessing practice which are possible.

PARKER B. ALBEE  
BERTRAM S. WEINSTEIN  
FRANCIS E. WHITE

# REPORT OF THE RED CROSS CHAPTER 1957

## TREASURER'S REPORT

July 1, 1956 Balance on hand .....	\$2,507.97	
Receipts:		
Chapter's portion of Fund Drive ..	1,309.08	
		\$3,817.05
Net Expenditures:		
Home Service .....	\$70.44	
Motor Corps and Canteen .....	71.75	
First Aid and Water Safety .....	538.80	
Blood Program .....	88.75	
Junior Red Cross .....	19.77	
Chapter's Contribution to Hungarian Relief Drive .....	79.00	
TOTAL .....		\$868.51
July 1, 1957 Balance on hand .....		\$2,948.54

### 1957 FUND DRIVE

Total Collected .....	\$2,085.13	
Sudbury Chapter's portion .....	1,309.08	
National Red Cross portion .....	776.05	
Number of Contributors .....	918	

### SPECIAL HUNGARIAN RELIEF DRIVE

Total Collected .....	\$105.00	
Sudbury Chapter's Contribution .....	79.00	
Total Contribution to Hungarian Relief		\$184.00

### Home Service Committee

The Home Service Committee handled ten cases involving problems of servicemen in 1957. Although the work of this committee and of the transportation committee receive very little public attention, each is an indispensable part of Red Cross activities.

### Transportation Committee

During 1957, the volunteer drivers of the Transportation made 43 trips, as follows:

- 33 to Framingham Union Hospital
- 4 to Middlesex Sanitorium
- 1 to Murphy General Hospital
- 5 to Parmenter Health Center

### Water Safety Committee

Swimming lessons were given to 200 Sudbury children by a staff of eight instructors ably supervised by Coach Paul Volk. Under the auspices of the Sudbury Red Cross Chapter, Paul McGovern attended the Red Cross Aquatic School in Norwich, Connecticut and earned his instructor's certificate. He conducted a junior lifesaving class as a part of the summer Water Safety Program; seven members of this class successfully completed the course and will be awarded junior lifesaving certificates.

The Red Cross greatly appreciates the help of the twelve mothers who served as chaperones on the buses, and of the Public Health Nursing Association, who provided for a nurse to be present at White's Pond each morning that classes were given. We are grateful for the continued generosity of the Frost family in making the beach facilities at White's Pond available for this program.

This year, we purchased two life preservers and a first aid kit, to be available at the beach during all classes.

### Blood Program Committee

The Red Cross bloodmobile visited the Parmenter Health Center in Wayland on June 7, 1957. Statistics for both 1956 and 1957 are given below:

	1956	1957
Total number of pints donated	85	77
Number of Sudbury donors	27	40
Number of calls to Sudbury Chapter for blood during year	15	19

It is noteworthy that Sudbury residents accounted for more than half of the total number of donors in 1957, as compared to less than one-third of the total of 1956, and that in Sudbury alone there was an increase of about fifty percent in the number of donors. This is encouraging evidence of an increasing recognition in Sudbury of the value of this program—first as a means of helping those whose health, or whose very life, may be at stake, and second as a sort of personal insurance, since under the Massachusetts Blood Program blood will be made available without charge to any member of the immediate family of a donor who has given blood through the Red Cross during the year preceding the request.



### Junior Red Cross

A very fine program was carried out by the Junior Red Cross in 1957. There was 100% enrollment in grades 4, 5, and 6 and in grades 7 and 8. Each of these groups had an assembly program, in the center and regional schools respectively. \$64.00 was collected, of which \$25 was donated to the National Junior Red Cross Children's Fund. One hundred gift boxes were made up and sent to the International Red Cross, which conducts an exchange of gift boxes among children of different countries. The Sudbury Junior Red Cross received from the children of Samoa boxes containing shell necklaces, fans, woven straw mats, and other interesting gifts.

Toys and books were donated and sent to the Children's Unit of the Metropolitan State Hospital in Waltham.

Under the direction of Mrs. Pollock, who was teacher-sponsor of a student council of Junior Red Cross, several dozen fun and activity books were made up for the children at the Fernald State Hospital in Waverley.

### 1958 Fund Drive

There will be no separate regular fund drive for the Red Cross in 1958. Our funds for 1958 were provided by the October 1957 United Fund drive. Each individual who contributed five dollars or more to the United Fund is considered to be a member of the Red Cross for 1958, and is entitled to vote at the annual meeting, to be announced. We wish to express our appreciation to all of those whose generous support through the United Fund enables us to continue our service to the community.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID G. ARMSTRONG, Acting Chairman  
 ROBERT BAREISS, Acting Vice Chairman  
 ARTHUR GRANNIS, Treasurer  
 MRS. ROBERT LING, Secretary  
 KENNETH RITCHIE, Director  
 LAWRENCE W. TIGHE, Director

## REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Anthony Maiuri .....	\$1.00
James Brown .....	.50
Town Line Hardware .....	1.20
Myron Siegars .....	.50
James Mercury .....	2.75
Peter George .....	1.50
Algie Alexander .....	2.50
F. D. Bradshaw .....	.50
Elwin Foss .....	1.00
Sudbury Super Market .....	2.50
Kenneth Hooper .....	3.25
Robert Hooper .....	1.30
James Malger .....	2.50
Eric Johnson .....	2.75
Lawn & Garden .....	.50
Nan Fabrics .....	.50
Allen's Country Store .....	1.50
William Peterson .....	.50
Young's Store .....	2.50
Ronald Hodder .....	1.50
Joseph Nugent .....	.50
Kelton Wagner .....	.50
Hilltop View .....	.50
Robert Walker .....	.50
John Corcoran .....	.50
Sudbury Drug .....	3.20
Bay State Mushroom .....	.90
Everett Bowker .....	2.40
Frederick Nelson .....	1.60
Interstate Gas & Oil .....	9.00
Suburban Propane Gas .....	10.90
Linde Air .....	3.50
Total .....	\$64.65

Respectfully Submitted,

ERNEST A. RYAN,  
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Approved,

CLIFTON GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## STATE AUDIT

An Audit of the books and accounts of the Town was made in 1957 and the following report was received from Mr. Herman B. Dine, Director of Accounts. The complete, itemized report is on file in the Town Clerk's office and may be seen there at any time, upon request.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
DEPARTMENT OF CORPORATIONS AND TAXATION  
BUREAU OF ACCOUNTS  
State House, Boston 33

August 1, 1957

To the Board of Selectmen  
Mr. Harvey N. Fairbank, Chairman  
Sudbury, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Sudbury for the period from May 22, 1955 to March 19, 1957, 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,

/s/ HERMAN B. DINE,  
Director of Accounts.

HBD:EG

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Mr. Herman B. Dine  
Director of Accounts  
Department of Corporations and Taxation  
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Sudbury for the period from May 22, 1955, the date of the previous examination, to March 19, 1957, and report thereon as follows:

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 and reconciled with the books and reports in the Town Accountant's office and with the records of the Town Treasurer.

The Town Accountant's ledger was analyzed, the receipts being checked with the Treasurer's books and the payments being compared with the warrants authorizing them and with the Treasurer's record of payments. The appropriation accounts were checked with the Town Clerk's records of Town Meeting proceedings, and the recorded transfers from the reserve fund were verified by comparison with the records of the Finance Committee. A trial balance was taken off, the necessary adjusting entries resulting from the audit were made, and a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the Town on March 19, 1957 was prepared and is appended to this report.

The books and accounts of the Town Treasurer were examined and checked. The receipts, as recorded, were analyzed and checked with the records of the several departments collecting money for the Town and with other sources from which money was paid into the Town Treasury, while the payments were compared with the Selectmen's warrants authorizing the Treasurer to disburse Town funds. The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on March 19, 1957 was proved by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks of deposit and by verification of the cash memoranda.

The payments made for maturing debt and interest were compared with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file. The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the Town Treasurer were examined and listed. The income was proved and the withdrawals were checked with the Treasurer's recorded receipts.

The records of tax titles held by the Town were examined, listed, and reconciled with the tax books and with the Accountant's ledger, while the redemptions were checked with the Treasurer's cash book. The records of tax possessions were examined and the additions as a result of tax title foreclosures were proved. The tax title and tax possession transactions were further verified by comparison with the records at the Registry of Deeds.

The records of payroll deductions on account of Federal taxes and the county retirement system were examined and proved, and the payments to the Director of Internal Revenue and the County Treasurer were verified.

It is recommended that all payroll deductions be entered as a receipt in the Treasurer's cash book and that the payments to the proper agencies be placed on the Treasury warrants.

The books and accounts of the Town Collector were examined and checked. The taxes, motor vehicle and trailer ex-

cise, and assessments outstanding according to the previous examination, as well as all subsequent commitments, were audited and compared with the Assessors' warrants issued for their collection. The payments to the Town and District Treasurers were verified, the abatements were checked with the Assessors' records of abatements granted, the amounts transferred to the tax title account were proved, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the Accountant's ledger. The cash balance on March 19, 1957 was proved by listing the cash and memoranda in the office.

The records of departmental accounts receivable were examined and checked. The commitments were proved, the collections were compared with the Treasurer's recorded receipts, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the Accountant's ledger.

Verification 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 and District, and from the replies received it appears that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The records of receipts from licenses and permits issued by the Selectmen, the Town Clerk, the Building and Wire Inspectors, and the Health Department were examined and checked, and the payments to the Division of Fisheries and Game and to the Town Treasurer were verified.

The surety bonds of the Town officials required to file them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

In addition to the departments mentioned, the books and accounts of the Board of Appeals and the Scaler of Weights and Measures, as well as of the Police, School, Library, and Cemetery Departments, and of all other departments collecting money for the Town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked, the recorded collections being compared with the Treasurer's recorded receipts and the cash on hand in the various departments being proved by actual count.

It is recommended that cash books be installed in all departments wherein money is collected for the Town, which would show the date of receipt, from whom received, the type and amount of receipt, together with the date and amount of payment to the Treasurer.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing reconciliations of the Treasurer's and the Town Collector's cash, summaries of the tax, motor vehicle and trailer excise, assessment, tax title, and depart-

mental 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,

/s/ WILLIAM SCHWARTZ,  
Assistant Director of Accounts.

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## REPORT OF THE SUDBURY PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING ASSOCIATION, INC.

To the Selectmen and Citizens of Sudbury:

The Sudbury Public Health Nursing Association takes pleasure in submitting its report to you for the year 1957.

The following are the total calls made by the nurses during the year.

Non-Communicable Disease .....	1,015
Acute Communicable .....	9
Antepartum .....	1
Post Partum .....	3
Infant .....	10
Pre-school .....	49
School Health .....	37
Adult Health .....	9
Not at Home .....	26
Not taken under care .....	24
Office visits .....	18
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	1,201

A description of the above table of figures is enclosed in the report which is herewith submitted.

The year 1957 has been one of change and gratifying growth for the Sudbury Public Health Nursing Association. These have come about by community interest, citizen participation, and by the employment of a second nurse. With two nurses employed in Sudbury, more time and effort can be given not only to building the school health program, but to improving the health standards in the Town of Sudbury as well.

In November 1957, grades 1 - 6 were screened for dental caries by the State Dental Hygienist who screened the teeth and also provided literature and visual aids for classroom teaching and follow-up work. Dr. Albert Beeton, our new school dentist, and the dental assistant, Mrs. Allan Bowry, are now giving the necessary care to those children whose teeth were found to need attention.

With preventative medicine as our goal, a tuberculin testing program was initiated in December. Because of the rising incidence of Tuberculosis in Massachusetts, it seemed both wise and timeworthy to begin such a program. To date over 200 children have been tested by our school physicians, Dr. Gordon Winchell and Dr. James Burke. Another program in preventive medicine has been the completion of the three polio inoculations, for not only the students who wished to take advantage of this, but also for the entire staff of both the Elementary and the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional School.

The annual testing programs for vision and hearing were successfully completed with the help of several cooperative mothers. 1,345 students were tested for vision with 10% of the group found to need medical attention and 1,336 were tested for hearing with approximately 2% found not meeting minimum standards. All students not passing the screening tests have been referred for further treatment.

As one of the duties of a school nurse is to consider the total health picture, this year the cafeteria staff were included in our examination program by being given a complete physical by our school doctors and by being required to have chest X-rays.

Courses in Home Nursing and Child Care are now being offered in the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional School with the nursing and the Home Economics Departments working together. Other classroom teaching has been given in the form of demonstrations, discussions, and uses of visual aids in dental care, posture and personal hygiene.

In a generalized health program such as we have in Sudbury, the nursing and health needs of the community must also be met. Beside regular bedside nursing, stress is placed upon the importance of health teaching in the care of the sick and the well.

The well-child conferences continue to be conducted monthly at the nursing office. Several conferences have been held this year with Dr. John Ryan as attending physician with a total of 142 preschool children constituting the clinic. During the course of these conferences, 50 physical examina-

tions and 103 inoculations were given. Three polio clinics were also held with 340 preschool children inoculated.

A course for expectant mothers has been made an addition to the nursing program. The objectives of such a course are to instruct mothers in the care of the newborn and to attempt, through instruction and guidance, to make motherhood a gratifying and happy experience.

With the aid of the American Cancer Society, an education program in cancer prevention, was held for the women of the community. The film Self Breast Examination was shown in the Little Theater at the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional School followed by a question and answer period led by Dr. Donald Love of Framingham, on the general subject of cancer, importance of annual physical check ups, cancer in relation to smoking, and other allied subjects.

In conclusion, we would like to thank all those who have assisted in so many ways to make the health program a helpful and a profitable one for the entire community. With the high degree of interest and help from the people of the Town the program will continue to grow and to provide meaningful experiences in health education for our community.

Respectfully submitted,

ELAINE ROSENBAUM, R.N.  
VIRGINIA WHITNEY, R.N.



## REPORT OF THE SUDBURY SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The School Committee herewith submits its Annual Report for 1957.

Mr. John A. Anderson and Mr. Lawrence W. Tighe were re-elected for terms of three years.

The major consideration of the School Committee continues to be the education and welfare of the children of Sudbury. To that end many decisions of the Committee are worthy of mention.

Polio and Asian Flu shots were provided for the entire school staff.

The Committee took the leadership in getting a Permanent Building Committee established so that work could begin



on a new elementary school to provide for our expanding school population.

It supported the Site Committee in the purchase of land at Fairbank and Hudson Roads. The acquisition of this site in October of 1957 provided the Permanent Building Committee with land for a new school. Mr. Robert J. Caldwell was appointed to represent the School Committee for this building. It is evident to the Committee from the enrollment projections available, that this fourteen-room building will be fully occupied by September, 1959. It seems reasonable that by 1961 the old Center School will no longer be large enough to serve the junior high school grades.

The School Committee adopted a policy of released time, two afternoons a month, for teachers to arrange parent conferences and to participate in professional workshops.

Through the efforts of the Committee and the Framingham Mental Health Association, services are now available to parents and children of Sudbury to have professional assistance in dealing with emotionally disturbed children.

The Sudbury Schools will be participants in the proposed Educational Television program which is being sponsored by the State Department of Education.

During the past year work has been started on the writing of school policies and job classifications within the school system.

A Guidance Program to serve our Junior High School students has been started by the appointment of a guidance counsellor who will assist pupils in course selections and test interpretations.

Educational specifications have been established for the proposed new school at Fairbank and Hudson Roads.

A Thrift Program for children has been authorized. This program operates in cooperation with a nearby savings bank.

During the current year sections of grades seven and eight have been housed in the Regional High School. Five elementary grades have been located in temporary quarters in the Center School gymnasium and four more classes at the Edison building on the Post Road. The opening of the new school on Horse Pond Road will see these children transferred to that building.

In September 1958 the Regional High School expects an enrollment increase of 110 pupils and therefore, cannot accommodate our seventh and eighth grades. However, it is expected that we may have space there for two self-contained classes.

The Committee recognizes that the level of education available is directly proportionate to the quality of the teaching. Sudbury has maintained a competitive position with the better school systems in the area. This, it must continue to do. A careful study of salary policy trends has been made by the Committee and the Teachers' Club. This has resulted in the adoption of a revised schedule starting with salaries of \$3,800 and \$4,000 for Bachelors and Masters Degrees respectively. The current \$200 increment has not been altered.

This past year saw the resignation of Dr. Rexford S. Souder who served us ably as Superintendent. He was replaced by Mr. C. Newton Heath from Stoneham, Massachusetts. We feel Mr. Heath will serve us ably as a strong educational leader, and under his administration expect our schools to continue to make educational progress.

This year saw also the completion of the first phase of the Evaluative Criteria Report. This is an objective study of our schools by our own teachers and citizens of the Town. We pay tribute to all of those who participated for their prodigious effort and devotion to the completion of the study.

Major repairs were started at the old Center School by replacement of floors and repairing of beams. At the South School the front walls of the building were reinforced to insure continued safety of the building for school purposes. Both rooms in this school were redecorated.

The School Committee again wishes to state that it believes the financial interest of the Town will be best served with a low maintenance, insurance, and operating cost, even though such a building may cost more initially. Recent experience in repairs and maintenance of our present buildings only serves to emphasize the soundness of this policy. Moreover, a study of the School Committee budgets over the years proves that building costs themselves are not the major consideration.

A School Committee alone cannot create a superior school system; it needs the assistance of all citizens. Active participation in the Parent-Teacher Association, serving on special Study Committees and on School Building Committees are means by which citizens can give special help.

Information concerning any of the phases of the schools may be obtained from the Principals, or from the Central Office at the intersection of Concord and Lincoln Roads.

Citizens desiring to meet with the School Committee are welcome. The Committee members appreciate the support of the citizens and find gratification in serving the schools

in a community where people expect and support excellence in the education of their children.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. ANDERSON, Chairman  
 LAWRENCE W. TIGHE, Vice-Chairman  
 ELLEN JANE SIEGARS  
 ROBERT P. BOWEN  
 WALTER M. TAYLOR

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## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee:

This, my first, annual report, and the sixtieth in the series of reports of the Superintendent of Schools, finds our Sudbury educational system having to cope realistically with additional building needs, administrative reorganization and curriculum improvement.

### New Building at Horse Pond Road

The appropriation of \$450,000 for a new elementary school of fourteen rooms on Horse Pond Road was the first step taken to cope with our expanding population. With the opening of school in September five classes were in temporary locations in the Center School gymnasium in addition to four groups in the Edison building on the Post Road. Educationally this make-shift condition has meant the loss of the space for physical education and school assemblies for grades 1 through 6 as well as limitations on regular class work for the groups housed in the gymnasium.

### Additional Classroom Needs

In the 1956 Annual Report, Dr. Souder indicated the need for classroom space through 1961-62. Present enrollment and pre-school census figures substantiate this need. In September 1958 we shall need four rooms for regular classes plus space for the special class. By September 1959 we would have an enrollment of approximately 1427 pupils and therefore would need fourteen additional classrooms plus space for special class.

To further substantiate the above, Table I below was used to forecast enrollments. Table II shows actual pre-school census one year later.

Table I

Pre-School Census January 1, 1956	
5 years .....	114
4 years .....	120
3 years .....	129
2 years .....	119
1 year .....	102
Total .....	584

Table II

Pre-School Census January 1, 1957	
.....	172
.....	163
.....	175
.....	139
.....	172
Total .....	821

In one year we have had an increase of 237 children of pre-school age.

### Administrative Reorganization

The centralized school organization is being replaced in Sudbury by a pattern of decentralization. The opening of the new elementary school at Horse Pond Road begins the process of creating school districts each with its separate school and building principal.

The proposed school at Fairbank and Hudson Roads will create another such district.

The study of our total organizational structure, as proposed by Mr. Leslie Tourville, Principal of the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School, will provide us the organizational alternatives for future development. It is expected this will be useful especially for grades 7 and 8. This professional survey, which is part of a doctoral study, will be completed at no cost to the Town.

### Curriculum Improvement

During the past two years the Sudbury school staff conducted an evaluation of its elementary schools. Under the direction of Dr. James Baker of Boston University and Dr. Rexford Souder, Superintendent of Schools, this study represented one of the first of its kind at the elementary school level. The final report, which has been distributed throughout the Town, indicates our weaknesses as well as our strengths.

The recommendations of this evaluation are being fulfilled.

A survey of textbooks revealed a need for increased materials. This has been met in part from our 1957 budget and the 1958 budget provides for continued improvement.

One afternoon each month children have been dismissed at noon to provide added time for teachers to consider curriculum needs. The result of these studies will be re-

flected in improved teaching and greater achievement for our children.

As a means of keeping parents more adequately informed of their children's progress, parent conferences have been scheduled on a regular basis one afternoon a month. This is in addition to conferences scheduled after regular school hours throughout the year.

### **Staff**

This year our professional staff has consisted of one principal, 39 regular classroom teachers, 4 full-time teachers of special subjects, and 2 part-time teachers. In addition, 12 Regional staff members have been shared by Sudbury.

Budget plans for 1958 include the further expansion of staff to include one more principal, 5 junior high teachers, 4 elementary teachers, and a supervisor of elementary education.

Two custodians are being added for the Horse Pond Road School and also a school secretary.

### **Evaluation**

Certainly, needed school buildings are important but we cannot allow our need for physical facilities to overshadow our pupils' achievements. A full scale achievement testing program will be one of our 1958 goals. The first of these will be given early in May and will serve as the basis for our close-of-school teachers' workshop.

### **Recommendations**

It appears that Sudbury is one of the most rapidly growing residential towns in the Commonwealth. To keep pace with the resulting school population growth a continuous review of our organization and curriculum is essential. The following matters need our study:

1. Location and type of organization of our 7th and 8th grades.
2. Continuity of subject-matter courses for varying ability groups.
3. Development of a long-range plan for building maintenance.
4. Establishment of guidance services for the elementary grades.
5. Expansion of our program in music education.
6. Public school kindergartens.
7. Provision for courses in adult education.

## Conclusion

The first five months of my service in the Sudbury schools have been a rewarding experience. It is gratifying to work with such a capable and professionally-minded staff and School Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

C. NEWTON HEATH,  
Superintendent of Schools.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT of the Sudbury Public Schools for 1957

### FUNDS AVAILABLE

#### Regular Appropriation

Salaries and expense .....	\$286,296.00	
Outlays .....	1,710.00	
		\$288,006.00

### EXPENDITURES

#### General Control

Superintendent's salary .....	\$3,369.62
Other expenses .....	4,928.27

#### Expense of Instruction

Teachers' salaries .....	171,672.10
Expense of principals .....	3,005.41
Textbooks .....	6,382.27
Supplies .....	8,972.68

#### Operation of School Plants

Custodians' Salaries .....	10,158.17
Fuel .....	5,724.01
Miscellaneous of operation .....	7,638.02

#### Maintenance

Maintenance and repairs .....	14,985.01
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#### Auxiliary Agencies

Transportation .....	22,536.11
Libraries .....	1,034.16
Health and physical education .....	3,448.05
Miscellaneous .....	15,328.02
Tuition .....	69.80

Total Salaries and Expense .....	\$279,251.70
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**Custodians and Maintenance**

Clarence E. Baldwin	Custodian, Center School
William Baldwin	Custodian, Center School
Lynn D. B. Spencer	Custodian, Junior High School
Augustus V. Sharkey	Maintenance
Roy Kimball	Custodian, Edison and South Schools

**Bus Operators**

Clarence E. Baldwin (2 busses)	Contractor
William Baldwin	Contractor
Eric Johnson	Contractor
James Mercury	Contractor
Augustus V. Sharkey	Municipally-owned
Roy Kimball	Municipally-owned

**School Secretary**

Barbara Allen	Hilltop 3-2550
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**Cafeteria Personnel**

Nancy Long, Manager	Lillian Pizza
Catherine Morse	Ann Spinelli
Ida Manning	

**ORGANIZATION OF TEACHING STAFF**

January 1, 1958

William E. Mayer	Principal	1956
Mary E. Adams	Grade 3	1944
Geraldine S. Preston	Grade 3	1947
Elizabeth E. Paradis	Grade 5	1950
Gertrude L. Hirsch	Grade 1	1952
Nancy B. Allen	Grade 3	1953
Beatrice M. Martin	Grade 5	1953
Robert J. Myers, Jr.	Grade 4	1953
Mary R. Holmes	Reading, Speech	1954
Anne B. MacRae	Language Arts, Social Studies	1954
Shirley E. Burgess	Grade 1	1955
Ramona I. Davis	Grade 4	1955
Helen B. Flynn	Art	1955
Rosemary F. Bowler	Grade 6	1956
Patricia Cotter	Grade 1	1956
Carl E. Ellery	Language Arts, Social Studies	1956
Robert F. Gorman	Grade 5	1956
T. Mary Haskell	Grade 6	1956
Mary C. O'Connor	Grade 2	1956
Katherine H. Shea	Grade 4	1956
Clifford P. Walcott	Grade 6	1956



Carol T. Devine	Grade 3	1956
Shirley T. Alexander	Grade 2	1957
Barbara E. Bell	Grade 3	1957
Margaret C. Donovan	Grade 1	1957
Lois B. Elion	Grade 2	1957
Nancy R. Ford	Grade 2	1957
Gertrude F. Kontoff	Grade 4	1957
Miriam G. Kranser	Special Class	1957
Beatrice M. Mann	Grade 3	1957
Jacqueline E. Mills	Grade 4	1957
Jacqueline G. Muse	Grade 2	1957
Frank Pirrello	Grade 5	1957
Priscilla A. Pittman	Grade 3	1957
Barbara Pontecorvo	Reading	1957
Linda S. Siegal	Music	1957
Katherine W. Stanley	Grade 1	1957
Judith R. Stavis	Grade 1	1957
Dawna L. Wight	Grade 2	1957
Robert E. Wilson	Grade 5	1957
Sonia Antis	Art	1957
Stephen Humphrey, Jr.	Science	1957
Thomas Joyce	Mathematics	1957

#### Teaching Staff Shared with Regional High School

Leslie M. Tourville	Principal	1956
Alan F. Flynn	Mathematics	1927
Paul Volk	Physical Education	1953
William F. Keough, Jr.	English	1955
Anne Gombosi	Music	1955
Mary L. Roberts	Physical Education	1955
John W. Black	Art	1956
Elwood C. Philbrick	Librarian	1956
Olive L. Smith	Music	1956
Jean M. Arra	Home Economics	1957
Curtis C. Brooks, Jr.	Industrial Arts	1957
Malcolm Oliver	Industrial Arts	1957

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#### SCHOOL ENTRANCE

Any child who is five years and six months of age on September first of the current school year may be admitted to the first grade, but in every case admission of a child under six shall be dependent upon the fitness of the child terminated by the Superintendent. A child who is five years six months or five years seven months shall be eligible for admission only if he has a mental age of six as established through an individual test of mental ability, and who is physically fit and socially mature.

**NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL**

In the event of severe weather (storms or sub-zero temperatures) or when the transportation system is disrupted, WBZ, WEEI, WNAC, WHDH, and WKOX will broadcast the no-school announcement between 7:00 and 8:00 A.M. In addition, blasts 2-2-2 will be sounded on the fire alarm at 7:30 A.M. This audible alarm is for the elementary school only. The Regional High School will be announced on the above radio stations.

We feel these signals are clear, and therefore urge parents to refrain from flooding the homes of School Department personnel with telephone calls.

On days when the signal is not used, weather conditions may warrant the non-attendance of certain children. Lack of normal health would tend to make it advisable for parents to keep a child at home. Since weather reports are not always reliable, and since the School Department desires to render maximum education service by having the schools open on the greatest number of days, storm signals will not be used on ordinary rainy or snowy days.

**MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE****October 1, 1957****BOYS**

Age Grade	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Totals
1	27	62	3										92
2		26	49	9									84
3			10	44	7	1							62
4				18	53	5	2						78
5					11	45	5	2					63
6						10	28	7	1	1			47
7							13	26	13	5	2	1	60
8								7	29	8	3		47
Special										1			1
Total	27	88	62	71	71	61	48	42	43	15	5	1	534

**GIRLS**

Age Grade	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Totals
1	13	64	3			1							81
2		13	46										59
3			20	41	5								66
4				20	48	4							72
5					13	48	8	1	1				71
6						14	34		1				49
7							10	31	1				42
8								9	29	1	1		40
Special							1						1
Total	13	77	69	61	67	66	53	41	32	1	1		481

Grand Total 1015

## 1957 TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

<i>Year</i>	<i>Levy</i>	<i>Collected</i>	<i>Uncollected</i>	<i>AB. &amp; Ref.</i>	<i>Tax Title</i>	<i>Demands</i>	<i>Interest</i>
1952	Street .....	\$216.84	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ .15
1953	Real Estate .....	.....	.....	\$32.00	.....	.....	.....
1953	Appor. Street .....	.....	.....	12.00	.....	.....	.....
				4.80			
1954	Excise .....	23.34	.....	383.37	.....	.....	.32
1955	Poll .....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.35	.08
1955	Excise .....	133.51	.....	20.02	.....	.....	1.88
1955	Real Estate .....	1,644.71	.....	134.75	14.00	.....	42.18
1955	Personal .....	161.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.14
1955	Apportioned Street and Drainage .....	58.69	.....	.....	5.33	.....	.....
					.64		
1955	Advance Payment Street .....	121.05	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1956	Poll .....	14.00	10.00	.....	.....	2.45	.22
1956	Excise .....	19,482.14	2,347.64	1,618.06	.....	.....	101.21
1956	Real Estate .....	19,543.90	2,269.66	345.60	28.80	.....	320.38
1956	Personal .....	626.49	195.12	.....	.....	.....	11.04
1956	Apportioned Street and Interest .....	410.75	6.15	.....	5.33	.....	.....
					.43		
1956	Street .....	342.24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

<i>Year</i>	<i>Levy</i>	<i>Collected</i>	<i>Uncollected</i>	<i>A.B. &amp; Ref.</i>	<i>Tax Title</i>	<i>Demands</i>	<i>Interest</i>
1957	Poll .....	2,600.00	62.00	278.00	.....	58.40	2.17
1957	Excise .....	64,834.65	18,624.65	5,249.50	.....	.....	59.22
1957	Real Estate .....	566,463.20	38,815.78	17,508.96	929.11	.....	118.70
1957	Personal .....	45,999.86	2,025.84	39.74	.....	.....	5.15
1957	Apportioned Street and Interest .....	1,613.18	395.77	100.02	.....	.....	.....
		407.84	.....	19.58	.....	.....	.....
1957	Apportioned Drainage and Interest .....	107.00	19.20	.....	.....	.....	.....
		29.96	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1957	Animal Excise .....	92.84	40.46	.....	.....	.....	.....
1957	Municipal Liens .....	340.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1957	Welfare .....	939.38	112.10	.....	.....	.....	.....
1957	Welfare Credit by Tr. ....	757.32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
		<u>\$726,965.79</u>	<u>\$64,918.37</u>	<u>\$25,626.80</u>	<u>\$1,103.24</u>	<u>\$61.20</u>	<u>\$665.03</u>
	Collected .....	726,208.57					
	Demands .....	61.20					
	Interest .....	665.03					
	Checks to Treasurer .....	\$726,934.80					

Respectfully submitted,  
 LOUISE E. ATKINSON,  
 Tax Collector and  
 Collector of Accounts

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON TOWN ADMINISTRATION

During the year 1957, the Committee has been slightly hampered by staffing problems caused by the many demands made on its members by related activities, but the process of reorganization has been completed and we face the new year with a strong increase of well-informed volunteers. At the outset, we would like to urge any person in the Town that is interested in helping with some of the many complex administrative problems that face our Town government, to contact the Committee and offer their services. With a budget of approximately one million dollars facing the Annual Town Meeting in March, the seriousness of Sudbury's plight cannot be overemphasized. The solution lies in the hands of the citizens.

The Committee would like to express its thanks to all of the officials and boards of the Town who so frankly and openly discussed with us their problems and have offered so many constructive suggestions for solution.

### **Personnel**

The Personnel Sub-Committee has completed the first phase of its work after over a year and a half of study. A proposed Personnel Administration plan for Town employees in the form of a by-law is being presented to the Annual Town Meeting for consideration. The plan contains two basic features which it is felt will be of great benefit to the Town; namely, the establishment of a Personnel Board with responsibility to administer the plan and the provision of salary schedules for all Town employees other than elected officials and employees of the School Department, who must by law be excluded.

The Committee feels that the adoption of this by-law will better enable the Town to assure the payment of equitable salaries to employees by making a specific group responsible for keeping abreast of changes in this area.

A few recommendations with respect to fringe benefits are being made at this time also, although the Committee found that considerably more study would be required before sound recommendations could be placed before the Town Meeting on a number of controversial and highly complex fringe benefit areas. For this reason, another article is currently being offered requiring the Personnel Board to review the entire area of fringe benefits and to make appropriate recommendations to the 1959 Annual Town Meeting.

The adoption of a Personnel by-law similar to the one currently proposed for Sudbury has already taken place in a number of forward looking towns in the Commonwealth. Results have, in the great majority of cases, been very favorable and constructive. We believe that the adoption of such a by-law in Sudbury would provide a long step forward in achieving greater efficiency in Town government.

The Committee would like, at this time, to express its thanks and appreciation to Mr. Ralph Robbins, Mr. Donald Marshall, Mr. Richard Schmalz, Mr. Roy Reach and Mr. Robert Smith for the dedicated service which has been rendered in connection with this study.

### **Town Meeting Procedure**

The Committee has been concerned this year with the increasing pressures which are being placed upon our Town meeting form of government. The lengthy meetings, adjourned sessions and an increasing number of special meetings have resulted from the impact of increasingly intricate problems upon our ancient governmental process. The Town has increased its population almost threefold in a decade and the process of political osmosis has understandably been retarded. Public education in matters of Town government has begun through the splendid efforts of the League of Women Voters, Town officials and others, but the question still remains whether or not our old system will stand the strain.

After making a careful survey of the effectiveness of Saturday Town Meetings in obtaining better attendance and shorter meetings, your Committee recommended a by-law change to have our Annual Town Meeting held on Saturdays. While that recommendation was not adopted, the Selectmen have indicated their willingness to experiment with Saturday afternoon as a date for an adjourned meeting. If the experience of twenty-three other towns is of any value, we are hopeful that better attendance will result in Sudbury.

Initial meetings have been held with the Board of Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Counsel, Finance Committee and the Moderator to explore ways and means of streamlining town meeting procedure. The possible value of altering the reconsideration procedure and the procedure for considering articles out of order, is being closely studied. We are exploring the avenues of public education on town meeting decorum. Finally, the establishment of a system of cut-off dates for the submission of reports and articles and a process of preliminary screening of submitted articles for the Town Warrant, is being considered. The Board of Selectmen this year has taken the initial steps to experiment

with this process. Your Committee is convinced that with an emphasis on preparation, the Town Meetings can become more incisive in their operation. The Committee is indebted to Town Counsel for his cooperation and suggestions in this field.

### **Finance**

The intricate problems of finance and capital outlay have been the concern of the Sub-Committee on Finance which has devoted the bulk of the year to individual study of the complexities involved. We would like to express our thanks to the Town Treasurer for his assistance in enrolling the members of the Committee in the seminars on municipal government given by the Municipal Division of the First National Bank of Boston.

In the year to come, a completed report on capital outlay will be presented to the Town and it is expected that the Sub-Committee will make an oral report at the Annual Town Meeting on one phase of this problem. It is the Committee's firm opinion that Sudbury must have a long range capital expenditure program to avoid the pitfalls of unbalanced municipal expenditure under which one department suffers from another's emergency gains.

### **Public Works**

It is the intention of the Committee in the year 1958 to complete its studies in the field of Public Works. The addition of the Town Engineer has added a valuable new factor to the picture and his relation to the Sudbury Water District and the Highway Surveyor's office will be studied with care. A previous committee which had studied the possibility of a consolidated public works department, reported at that time that the Town had not reached the point where a consolidated public works department would be feasible. The Committee is not sure that the same holds true for 1958 and is attempting to reappraise the situation. It is obvious that the increased population and location of new industry in Town is placing an increasing strain on our present highway system which will inevitably result in an expanded work program for the Highway Surveyor's Department. This department must have the equipment and organization necessary to perform its new tasks efficiently.

### **Executive Secretary**

While the Committee's report and recommendation of 1957 that the Town adopt an Executive Secretary form of government was defeated, it is still felt that the suggestion warrants further study. Examination of the problem was de-

ferred during 1957 to allow the Town Clerk, who is also a member of the Board of Selectmen, to integrate his two offices. The Committee is of the opinion that by 1958 the Committee should be ready to study the results with the Town Clerk and determine whether or not they are obtaining for the Town the results in efficiency which were contemplated in the Executive Secretary recommendation. We should also have available the experience of Wayland's new Executive Secretary to guide us.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. POWERS, Chairman  
J. FLEET COWDEN, Secretary  
ALBERT O. MERRILL



## REPORT OF TOWN ENGINEER

To The Board of Selectmen,  
Sudbury, Massachusetts,  
Gentlemen:

I hereby submit the following report of the Engineering Department, from June 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957.

### ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT:

During the year several requests were made by this department of a minor nature that have been completed; such as checking deeds, plans, and areas.

The most important work at this time is to work toward the completion of the Assessors' plans that have not been completed in the north east section of the Town. This work has been carried on at a small scale during 1957, but should be completed during the coming year. Questionnaires were sent to property owners in this section in regards to dates of property purchases. The response to this questionnaire has been very gratifying, as it will save an untold amount of time and money in trying to trace down old property deeds.

The present Assessors' maps have not been kept up to date as to present ownership of land and every effort will be made to remedy this situation.

During the year several trips were made to the Registry of Deeds at Cambridge, Mass. in connection with work for this department.

### PLANNING BOARD:

Information has been furnished to this department upon request. A new card index system has been set up to help



simplify the relation between the Owner and the name of the development.

#### BOARD OF APPEALS:

Grade elevations were checked at Lundy's on the Boston Post Road. Several conferences were held with reference to the property of Woodlawn Homes Inc. on North Road.

#### HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Road relocations were staked out for construction on the following locations: Horse Pond Road from the Boston Post Road to the Boston and Maine Railroad, Lincoln Lane from Lincoln Road for 2000 feet, Tippling Rock Road from Dudley Road for 600 feet.

Grade elevations were furnished when requested.

#### SCHOOL SITE COMMITTEE:

This committee selected two sites that they wished to have contour study plans prepared. The Lagrassa property at the corner of Hudson Road and Fairbank Road, and the other site being owned by Esther Atkinson and opposite the Lagrassa property on Hudson Road and 2000 feet south of Hudson Road.

Other sites that were inspected with the committee were on Woodside Road and Haynes Road.

#### STREET NUMBERING COMMITTEE:

The most important project of the year was that of spotting the buildings for numbering. This meant that every building on the street had to be measured in order that a number could be assigned to it. The measuring and spotting of all the buildings has been completed. Several meetings were held so as to arrive at the best method of numbering the buildings. During the coming year every building in the Town should be allotted a number.

#### MISCELLANEOUS REQUEST:

Property lines were checked at the Town Dump. Plans were prepared for proposed fire station lot on Nobscot Road, Hunt property on Concord Road for addition to Cemetery.

New zoning map was prepared.

I wish at this time to thank the Selectmen, Town Departments and Committees for the co-operation extended to me during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE D. WHITE,  
Town Engineer.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

As we all well know, the Town of Sudbury is rapidly growing in population and it is also rapidly growing financially, as the figures below show very clearly.

### TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS

1945 .....		\$169,053.14
1950 .....		372,326.34
1956 .....		1,020,721.66
1957 .....		2,020,995.03

In 1958 in order to meet our debt requirements, the following sums are payable:

Principal .....	\$75,000.00
Interest — (estimate) .....	35,000.00

### CASH

Balance January 1, 1957 .....	\$257,320.92	
Receipts .....	2,020,995.03	\$2,278,315.95
Payments .....	1,952,928.77	
Balance December 31, 1957 .....	325,387.18	2,278,315.95

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### 2ND STREET CONSTRUCTION LOAN

1 $\frac{3}{4}$  Per Cent

Four notes at \$3,000.00 to Day Trust Co. Payable Nov. 1, 1953 to 1956 inclusive .....	\$12,000.00	
One note at \$1,000.00 to Day Trust Co. Payable Nov. 1, 1957 .....	1,000.00	\$13,000.00
Paid and Canceled — Nov. 1, 1957 .....		13,000.00
Outstanding .....		None

### FIRE STATION ADDITION LOAN

1.80 Per Cent

Twelve notes at \$1,000.00 to First National Bank of Marlboro, Pay- able \$2,000.00 annually May 1, 1955 thru 1960 .....	\$12,000.00	
Paid and Canceled — May 1, 1957 .....	6,000.00	
Outstanding .....		\$6,000.00

## TOWN HALL ADDITIONAL OFFICE SPACE

## 2.40% — Coupons

Fifteen notes at \$1,000.00 each to First National Bank of Boston Payable annually Dec. 1, 1956 thru Dec. 1, 1970 .....	\$15,000.00	
Paid and Cancelled — Dec. 1, 1957 .....	2,000.00	
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Outstanding .....		\$13,000.00

## SCHOOL SEWAGE DISPOSAL

## 2.40% — Coupons

Three notes at \$1,000.00 each to First National Bank of Boston Payable Dec. 1, 1956 .....	\$3,000.00	
Two notes at \$1,000.00 each and one note at \$800.00 to First National Bank of Boston Payable Dec. 1, 1957 .....	2,800.00	
Sixteen notes at \$1,000.00 each to First National Bank of Boston Payable \$2,000.00 annually Dec. 1, 1958 thru Dec. 1, 1965 .....	16,000.00	\$21,800.00
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Paid and Cancelled — Dec. 1, 1957 ....	5,800.00	
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Outstanding .....		\$16,000.00

## SCHOOL LAND (HORSE POND ROAD)

## 2.40% — Coupons

Three notes at \$1,000.00 each to First National Bank of Boston Payable annually Dec. 1, 1956 through Dec. 1, 1958 .....	\$3,000.00	
One note at \$500.00 to First National Bank of Boston Payable Dec. 1, 1959 .....	500.00	\$3,500.00
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Paid and Cancelled Dec. 1, 1957 .....	2,000.00	
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Outstanding .....		\$1,500.00

## SCHOOL LAND (HAYNES ROAD)

2.25 Per Cent

One note at \$7,750.00 and one note at \$250.00 to Framingham Trust Co. Payable April 20, 1957 .....	\$8,000.00	
Four notes at \$1,000.00 each to Framingham Trust Co. Payable annually April 20, 1958, thru April 20, 1961 .....	4,000.00	\$12,000.00
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Paid and Cancelled April 20, 1957 .....		8,000.00
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Outstanding .....		\$4,000.00

## SCHOOL LAND (WOODSIDE ROAD)

2.50 Per Cent

Three notes at \$2,000.00 each to First National Bank of Marlboro Payable Annually Aug. 20, 1957 thru Aug. 20, 1959 .....	\$6,000.00	
One note at \$1,000.00 to First National Bank of Marlboro Payable Aug. 20, 1960 .....	1,000.00	\$7,000.00
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Paid and Cancelled Aug. 20, 1957 .....		2,000.00
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Outstanding .....		\$5,000.00

## SCHOOL LAND (FAIRBANK ROAD)

3½% — Coupons

Twelve notes at \$1,000.00 each — Payable to First National Bank of Boston Payable \$3,000.00 annually Dec. 1, 1958 thru Dec. 1, 1961 .....	\$12,000.00	
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Outstanding .....		\$12,000.00

## CANAL BRIDGE LOAN

3 Per Cent

One note at \$2,500.00 to Framingham Trust Co. Payable Oct. 1, 1957 ..	\$2,500.00
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Two notes at \$2,000.00 each to the Framingham Trust Co.— Payable Oct. 1, 1958 and 1959 .....	4,000.00	\$6,500.00
Paid and Cancelled Oct. 1, 1957 .....		2,500.00
Outstanding .....		\$4,000.00

## FIRE DEPARTMENT EQUIPMENT

3 Per Cent

Four notes at \$4,000.00 each, to the Framingham Trust Co. — Payable Annually Oct. 1, 1957 thru Oct. 1, 1960 .....	\$16,000.00	
One note to Framingham Trust Co. for \$750.00 — Payable Oct. 1, 1961 ..	750.00	\$16,750.00
Paid and Cancelled Oct. 1, 1957 .....		4,000.00
Outstanding .....		\$12,750.00

## HIGHWAY GARAGE

3½% — Coupons

Thirty-six notes at \$1,000.00 each to the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. — Payable \$2,000.00 annually Oct. 1, 1957 thru Oct. 1, 1974 .....	\$36,000.00	
One note at \$1,000.00 and one note at \$400.00 to the Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. — Payable Oct. 1, 1975 .....	1,400.00	\$37,400.00
Paid and Cancelled Oct. 1, 1957 .....		2,000.00
Outstanding .....		\$35,400.00

## (Ctr.) ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BONDS

2 Per Cent

One Hundred Fifty Bonds at \$1,000.00 each to the First National Bank of Boston — Payable \$15,000.00 annually Aug. 1, 1949 thru Aug. 1, 1958 .....	\$150,000.00	
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One Hundred Bonds at \$1,000.00 each to the First National Bank of Boston — Payable \$10,000.00 an- nually Aug. 1, 1959 thru Aug. 1, 1968 .....	100,000.00	\$250,000.00
Paid and Cancelled as of Aug. 1, 1957		<u>135,000.00</u>
Outstanding .....		\$115,000.00

## (Ctr.) ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BONDS

1¾ Per Cent

One Hundred and Fifty Bonds at \$1,000.00 each to the First National Bank of Boston — Payable \$10,000.00 annually Sept. 1, 1950 thru Sept. 1, 1964 .....	\$150,000.00	
Paid and Cancelled as of Sept. 1, 1957	80,000.00	
Outstanding .....		<u>\$70,000.00</u>

## HORSE POND ROAD SCHOOL BONDS

3.60 Per Cent

Four Hundred and Forty Bonds at \$1,000.00 each — Payable to Bos- ton Safe Deposit & Trust Co. — Payable \$25,000.00 annually May 1, 1958 thru May 1, 1965 — \$20,000.00 annually May 1, 1966 thru May 1, 1977 .....	\$440,000.00	
Outstanding .....		\$440,000.00

## TOWN DUMP MACHINE

3.00 Per Cent

Three notes at \$2,000.00 each Payable to First National Bank of Marl- boro — Payable annually June 25, 1958 thru June 25, 1960 .....	\$6,000.00	
One note at \$1,400.00 payable to First National Bank of Marlboro — Payable June 25, 1961 .....	1,400.00	\$7,400.00
Outstanding .....		<u>\$7,400.00</u>

## RECONSTRUCTION HORSE POND ROAD

3½ Per Cent

Two notes at \$3,000.00 each — Payable to Framingham Trust Co. — Payable Nov. 1, 1958 thru Nov. 1, 1959 .....	\$6,000.00	
One note at \$2,500.00 — Payable to Framingham Trust Co. — Payable Nov. 1, 1960 .....	2,500.00	\$8,500.00
Outstanding .....		\$8,500.00

ANTICIPATION HIGHWAY FUNDS FROM  
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
AND MIDDLESEX COUNTY

1.75 Per Cent

One note to First National Bank of Marlboro Due March 15, 1957 ...	\$14,250.00	
Paid and Cancelled March 15, 1957 ...	\$14,250.00	
Outstanding .....		None

2.25 Per Cent

One note to Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. Due April 1, 1957 .....	\$12,750.00	
Paid and Cancelled April 1, 1957 .....	\$12,750.00	
Outstanding .....		None

2.25 Per Cent

One note to Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co. Due July 1, 1957 .....	\$90,000.00	
Paid and Cancelled July 1, 1957 .....	\$90,000.00	
Outstanding .....		None

## ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

2.00 Discount

One note to Framingham Trust Co. Payable Nov. 15, 1957 .....	\$100,000.00	
Paid and Cancelled Nov. 15, 1957 .....	\$100,000.00	
Outstanding .....		None

## TRUST FUNDS

## GOODNOW LIBRARY FUND

New England Tel. & Tel. 1st Mortgage Series B — 4½% May 1, 1961 ....	\$1,023.75	
National Shawmut Bank — 300 shares	12,300.00	
Puget Sound Power & Light — 6¼% 1st Mortgage Nov. 1987 .....	2,279.29	
First National Bank of Boston — 160 shares .....	10,400.00	
Savings Bank Account .....	41.85	
	<hr/>	\$26,044.89

## SCHOOL FUND

\$1,000 Erie Railroad Series G 1st Con- solidated Mortgage 3¼% — Jan- uary 1, 2000 .....	\$750.00	
Savings Bank Account .....	270.20	
	<hr/>	\$1,020.20

## CHARITY FUNDS

Framingham Co-operative Bank — 15 Paid-up shares .....	\$3,000.00	
\$900.00 Delaware & Hudson R.R. 4% — May 1, 1963 — First and Re- funding .....	965.00	
\$1,000.00 U. S. Savings Bonds Series G — December, 1961 .....	970.00	
National Shawmut Bank — 211 shares	9,061.00	
First National Bank of Boston — 112 Shares .....	7,930.00	
Savings Bank Accounts .....	38.36	
Cash on Hand .....	1,000.00	
Merrimack Essex Elec. 5½% 1st Mort- gage — Nov. 1987 .....	2,149.06	
	<hr/>	\$25,113.42

## GEORGE J. RAYMOND SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Invested Income \$256.60

First National Bank of Boston — 66 Shares .....	\$4,290.00	
Savings Bank Account .....	548.80	
Puget Sound Power & Light — 6¼% — 1st Mortgage — Nov. 1987 .....	1,138.65	
	<hr/>	\$5,977.45



## CEMETERY FUNDS

National Shawmut Bank — 225 Shares	\$9,225.00	
First National Bank of Boston — 134 Shares .....	8,710.00	
Savings Bank Accounts .....	14,227.67	
Pacific Power & Light — 5¾% — 1st Mortgage — 1987 .....	4,407.08	
Cash on Hand .....	575.00	
	<hr/>	\$37,144.75

## ROAD GUARANTEE

Trustee, Michael C. Moore for comple- tion Hillside Road and Austin Drive .....	\$3,625.00
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## TAX TITLES

Balance January 1, 1957 .....	\$3,510.62
Balance December 31, 1957 .....	4,571.47

## TAX TITLE POSSESSIONS

Balance January 1, 1957 .....	\$2,088.32
Balance December 31, 1957 .....	2,088.32

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. DOWNING,  
Treasurer.

Approved,  
CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

## REPORT OF THE TREE DEPARTMENT

To the Citizens of Sudbury:

Following is a financial report for the year 1957

Town Grant .....	\$2,000.00
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**Salaries:**

M. Hriniak .....	\$391.75
W. Lockhart .....	313.50
E. Lockhart .....	339.00
E. Ferguson .....	140.00
W. Spiller .....	3.75
E. Clark .....	3.75
F. Morrison .....	3.75
A. DiBiase .....	87.00
C. Hughes .....	129.00
J. Dowse .....	46.75
R. Boyd .....	42.00

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\$1,500.25

**Expenses:**

M. Hriniak .....	\$51.00
Mass. Tree Warden Assoc. ....	3.00
Files Equip. Co. ....	38.95
Lombard Governor .....	176.73
Esso Servicenter .....	63.40
James H. Cookman Co. ....	76.51
A. DiBiase .....	24.50
E. T. Ferguson .....	52.50

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\$486.59    \$1,986.84

Balance .....	\$13.16
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Respectfully submitted,

ERNEST T. FERGUSON,  
Tree Warden.

Approved,

CLIFTON F. GILES,  
Town Accountant.

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PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE HI 3-2545  
Monday through Friday — 8:30-9 A. M. 1:30-2 P. M.

SELECTMEN'S CLERK HI 3-6314  
Monday through Friday — 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

TAX COLLECTOR HI 3-6629  
Monday through Friday — 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

TOWN CLERK HI 3-2091  
Monday through Friday — 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

TOWN ENGINEER HI 3-6062  
Monday through Friday — 9 A. M.-10 A. M.

VETERANS' AGENT AND DIRECTOR HI 3-6314  
Selectmen's Office — 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

WELFARE AGENT HI 3-2588  
Monday through Wednesday — 9 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

WELFARE OFFICE HI 3-2588  
Monday through Friday — 9 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.

WIRE INSPECTOR HI 3-2239  
Monday through Friday — 8:30-9 A. M. 4-5 P. M.

TREASURER (May be called at home) HI 3-6345

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GOODNOW LIBRARY

Monday and Thursday — 10 A. M.-12 M 2-6 P. M.

Closed Tuesday

Wed., Fri. and Sat. — 2-6 P. M. 7-8 P. M.

CHILDREN'S ROOM

Mon., Wed., Fri. — 2-5 P. M.