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ANNUAL REPORTS

of the Town of

EPSOM

New Hampshire

1972

**For the Year Ending
December 31, 1972**




GROVER T. STEVENS

Grover T. Stevens was born in Epsom, January 29th, 1889, the son of Charles and Alma Worth Stevens.

Grover a life long resident of Epsom was married to Hilda Maloon and they had a son Ivan and a daughter Irma.

He was a farmer and lumberman and was a member of the Park commission from 1930 until his death.

Records show he joined the I.O.O.F. on April 15, 1911 and last held the office of Financial Secretary. Mr. Stevens was a former member of McClary Grange. He passed away May 22nd 1972.



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MARJORIE A. YEATON

Miss Marjorie A. Yeaton was the daughter of the late George H. Yeaton and Ada (Brown) Yeaton.

She died October 12, 1972. She was born in Epsom July 18, 1915.

Miss Yeaton attended Epsom schools, was graduated from the Concord High School, Gordon College, Boston, Mass., and the Gordon Divinity School, Boston.

She received her Master's Degree in Library Science from Simmons College, Boston and had been librarian at the Gordon Divinity School for 13 years.

Miss Yeaton had worked as a clerk at the Gossville Post Office and had been the Epsom town librarian. She also had been employed at the State Library, Concord, and was currently employed at the Raymond Consolidated School where she had been librarian for more than seven years.

She was an active member of the Epsom Baptist Church and had served as the Sunday School teacher for more than 30 years. She also had been Sunday School superintendent, a Pioneer Girl Guide and committee chairman, and a member of the church choir.

She was also a member of the McClary Grange, Epsom, and a member of the Epsom Band.

Annual Report

of the

Town Officers

Town of Epsom New Hampshire

Year Ended December 31, 1972

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

NEIL A. WAITE

Selectmen

JOHN B. YEATON	Term Expires 1973
ROBERT F. DEMERS	Term Expires 1974
GEORGE F. DOWST	Term Expires 1975
LORNE SKINNER	(Appointed)

Town Clerk

HAZEL P. STEELE

Treasurer

CIARENCE E. BARTLETT

Representative to General Court

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT

Collector of Taxes

RACHEL B. REID

Highway Agent

ROBERT E. CUTTER

Appointment Expires April 1, 1973

Supervisor of Checklist

ROBERT S. YEATON	JAMES M. STEELE
PRISCILLA THOMPSON	

Ballot Inspectors

FRED W. YEATON	BERTHA MOSHER
ROSCOE G. WARREN	MAURICE YEATON

Auditors

MAURICE YEATON

SUE V. BICKFORD

Library Trustees

CHARLES YEATON

Term Expires 1973

MARY FRAMBACH

Term Expires 1974

DOROTHY HARRISON

Term Expires 1975

Librarian

PHYLIS H. LECLAIR

Cemetery Trustees

ROSCOE G. WARREN

Term Expires 1973

JAMES M. STEELE

Term Expires 1974

GILBERT H. KNOWLES

Term Expires 1975

Trustees of Trust Funds

MARGERY C. YEATON

Term Expires 1973

JAMES M. STEELE

Term Expires 1974

GILBERT H. KNOWLES

Term Expires 1975

FIRE DEPARTMENT OFFICERS

For 1973

Chief

JOHN W. SAWYER

Deputy Chief & Treasurer

R. G. WARREN

Assistant Chiefs

LEE CUSHING

ALBERT J. YEATON, JR.

Captains

ELMER H. PALMER, JR. JOHN R. BROWN, JR.
JOHN D. DAVIS

Lieutenants

PAUL D. DAVIS FRANK A. QUIMBY
MEL GENDRON

Clerk

JOHN D. DAVIS

Treasurer

FRANK A. QUIMBY

Trustees

Board of Selectmen

Forest Fire Warden

ROSCOE G. WARREN

Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

JOHN W. SAWYER LEE CUSHING
JOHN D. DAVIS ROLAND R. LAFLEUR
KENNETH WALKER KENNETH STOCKMAN
FRED W. YEATON

HEALTH OFFICER

CLARENCE BARTLETT

Overseer of Public Welfare

ALBERT J. YEATON
SHIRLEY PARKER (Appointed)

Police Chief

EUGENE PARKER

Deputy Police Officers

LELAND BRIGGS
LAWRENCE WARD

RONALD BRIGGS
JOHN BROWN JR.

PARK COMMISSIONERS

RAYMOND FIFE
ROBERT MINER

GROVER STEVENS
KENNETH WALKER

Planning Board

RICHARD THOMPSON	Term Expires 1973
ALFRED BICKFORD	Term Expires 1974
FRED W. YEATON	Term Expires 1975
RICHARD TODD (Appointed)	Term Expires 1975
HANS WENDLER	Term Expires 1976
RAYMOND FIFE	Term Expires 1977
RICHARD FOWLER	Term Expires 1978
JOHN B. YEATON	Board of Selectmen

TOWN BUDGET COMMITTEE

MELVIN SEVERENCE	Term Expires 1973
JOHN D. DAVIS	Term Expires 1973
CLARENCE E. BARTLETT	Term Expires 1973
CLIFFORD OSBORNE	Term Expires 1974
JAMES M. STEELE	Term Expires 1974
LEWIS BARTON	Term Expires 1974
WILLIAM E. CLARK	Term Expires 1975
WENDELL BASSETT	Term Expires 1975
JOHN FULTON	Term Expires 1975
JOHN B. YEATON	Board of Selectmen
ALBERT J. YEATON	Water Commission
THOMAS A. SINCLAIR	Member of School Board

Members of Conservation Commission

CLAYTON N. HEATH	Term Expires 1973
HAZEL P. STEELE	Term Expires 1974
KEITH ELDRIDGE	Term Expires 1975

RAYMOND RING	Term Expires 1976
HENRY L. STEVENS	Term Expires 1977

Zoning Inspector

RICHARD HARKNESS

Board of Adjustment

GEORGE S. YEATON	Term Expires 1972
IVAN RUTHERFORD	Term Expires 1973
CLIFFORD OSBORNE	Term Expires 1974
DANIEL NOYES	Term Expires 1975
DONALD PERRY	Term Expires 1976
ROBERT DEMERS (Appointed)	Term Expires 1977

TOWN WARRANT
The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Epsom in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Epsom on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To see what action the Town will take upon the Budget submitted by the Budget Committee.

3. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$902.15 for the maintenance, construction, or reconstruction of Class V Highways, the State to contribute \$6,014.34 as provided in Chapter 83 Laws of 1953.

4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary in anticipation of taxes.

5. Pursuant to the Provisions of the Laws as revised, Chapter 292, Section 7, 1949. The following Article is submitted: Shall the Provisions of Chapter 171-A of the revised Laws relative to playing games of Beano be adopted in this Town?

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$585.00 for the Concord Hospital to help offset the estimated deficit for the year 1971. (Recommended in the Budget)

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,300.00 for the Barnstead Ambulance Fund. (Recommended in the Budget)

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 to be put in a Capital Reserve Fund in anticipation of improvements to Knowles' Bridge.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to be put in the Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of a Town Dump (Sanitary Land Fill Project, or an incinerator.) (Recommended in the Budget)

10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Trust Funds, the interest only to be used for the care of family lots in Epsom Cemeteries:

Edward B. Demers Fund	\$200.00
Ethel I. Warren Fund	200.00
James & Aaron Osborne Fund	200.00
Fred W. Yeaton Fund	200.00
True & Ethel Kelley Fund	200.00
Elmore & Orville Bickford Fund	200.00

11. To see if the Town will vote to reopen that portion of the Mt. Road from the residence of Edwin Martell to the residence of Garfield Hyde. (approximately 1/10 of a mile)

12. To appropriate a sum for the Town's share of operation of the Central N. H. Regional Planning Commission.

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$974.00 as the Town's share for the studies and operation of the Central N. H. Regional Planning Commission. These funds will be used for financing the staff, operation expenses, planning studies, technical assistance and

other programs of the Commission. These funds may be used in conjunction with other State and Federal funds available for planning purposes.

13. That the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Committee, in Conjunction with other Towns represented on the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board, work out a detailed proposal to resolve the Town's Solid Waste Management problems and to undertake such analysis, negotiations, and determination of costs, as may be necessary to implement the proposed solution and to present these to the Selectmen for action at a Town Meeting, and to appropriate \$440.00 at a rate of 30¢ per capita as the Town's share of costs of the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board, conditional upon the terms set forth in the Board's proposed bylaws.

14. To see what salaries the Town will vote to pay the Town Officers: (\$3,500.00 recommended in the Budget)

15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and empower the Planning Board to approve or disapprove, in its discretion, plats showing streets, or the widening thereof, or parks and to regulate subdivisions of land within the Town in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36, N. H. Revised Statutes Annotated, 1955, as amended.

16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Funds established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as set-offs against budgeted appropriations for the following priority purposes and in amounts indicated or take any other action hereon:

Appropriation	Amount
Town Hall & Other Buildings	\$ 1,500.00
Police Department	4,000.00

Fire Department	12,000.00
Concord Hospital	585.00
Town Dump Maintenance	1,500.00
Library	3,000.00

Total	\$22,585.00
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17. To see if the town will vote to amend the zoning regulations (article III F 1) to meet the following problem:

When and if an Epsom resident or couple reach retirement age and have been a substantial taxpayer and long term resident (10 years or more), find themselves unable or it is unwise to continue their present responsibilities because of health or financial reasons, they may set aside a small tract of land, one acre or more, on which a mobile home can be placed for dwelling purposes. When it is no longer needed by the requesting individuals, it must be removed to be replaced by a conventional structure or remain an open lot. (By Petition)

18. To transact any other business that may legally be brought before this meeting. (Polls will not close until after the the Business Meeting.)

(Business Meeting 7:30 P. M.)

Given under our hands and seal, this 12th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-three.

JOHN B. YEATON
LORNE SKINNER
GEORGE F. DOWST
Selectmen of Epsom

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN B. YEATON
LORNE SKINNER
GEORGE F. DOWST
Selectmen of Epsom

**Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the
Compared
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures**

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1973 (1973-74)
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$9,000.00	\$11,337.28	\$11,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,500.00	1,859.69	1,800.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	6,700.00	7,742.09	8,000.00
Highway Subsidy	14,222.86	14,222.86	14,157.49
Reimbursement a-c Old Age Assistance	2,600.00	2,541.41	380.50
Reim. a-c Business Profits Tax ...	7,602.00	7,602.52	1,298.00
Reim. Crime Commission, Police Radio	790.00	790.00	833.85
Reim. State Treas., Police Radio .....	.....	.....	69.48
From Local Sources:			
Dog Licenses	500.00	539.80	500.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	60.00	75.00	60.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	18,000.00	27,468.39	25,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits ...	1,000.00	1,166.01	1,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	13.80	13.80	13.80
Resident Taxes Retained	2,100.00	4,645.00	4,500.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed ...	600.00	990.75	1,000.00
Tarring Driveways	970.00	325.00	645.00
Grange Ins. Co. (Town Hall Police Sta. Damage) .....	.....	.....	5,700.00
From Federal Sources:			
Revenue Sharing .....	.....	11,524.00	22,582.00
Total Revenues from all sources ... (Except property taxes)	\$65,658.66	\$92,843.60	\$98,540.12
Total Revenues .....	.....	.....	\$98,540.12

Ensuing Year January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973
with
of the Previous Year January 1, 1972 to December 31, 1972

Appropriations	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Recommended 1973 (1973-74)
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	3,000.00	3,500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	3,700.00	4,000.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	5,000.00	1,500.00
Repair of Town Hall Police Station Damage .....	.....	5,700.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Radio .....	.....	1,111.80
Police Department	4,000.00	4,000.00
Fire Department	12,000.00	12,000.00
White Pine Blister Rust	300.00	.....
Insurance	2,000.00	2,200.00
Damages & Legal Expense	500.00	1,500.00
Civil Defense	100.00	100.00
Health Dept.		
Ambulance	2,300.00	2,300.00
Vital Statistics	50.00	80.00
Concord Hospital	516.00	585.00
Town Dump	1,500.00	1,500.00
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Maintenance —		
Summer	10,000.00	10,000.00
Winter	15,000.00	15,000.00
Tarring	6,000.00	6,000.00
Bush cutting	1,200.00	1,200.00
Town Road Aid	911.56	906.15
Libraries	2,000.00	3,000.00
Public Welfare:		
Aid to Soldiers:	2,500.00	1,500.00
Town Poor	2,500.00	1,500.00
Old Age Assistance	300.00	2,500.00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	1,500.00	2,500.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day, Etc.	150.00	200.00
Recreation:	800.00	800.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	200.00	200.00
Central N. H. Reg. Plan. Comm.	.....	974.00
Reg. Refuse Dis. Plan. Board ....	.....	440.00
Debt Service:		
Interest on Temporary Loans	600.00	500.00
Capital Outlay:		
Bridges (Griffin Rd.)	10,000.00	1,000.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds		
Library	1,000.00	.....
Town Dump or Incinerator	5,000.00	5,000.00
Knowles Bridge (Ctr. Hill Rd.)	.....	4,000.00
Total Appropriations	\$94,627.56	\$97,292.95

CLIFFORD M. OSBORNE
CLARENCE E. BARTLETT
WENDELL P. BASSETT
WILLIAM E. CLARK
JAMES M. STEELE
LEWIS P. BARTON

JOHN B. YEATON
ALBERT J. YEATON
JOHN D. DAVIS
THOMAS A. SINCLAIR
JOHN M. FULTON

Budget Committee

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

For Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31, 1972

	1972 Approp- riations	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amt. Available	1972 Ex- penditures	Unexpended Balance	Over- draft
Town Officers Salaries	\$ 3,000.00	.....	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,010.00	.....	\$ 10.00
Town Officers Expenses	3,700.00	.....	3,700.00	4,089.26	.....	389.26
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	5,000.00	15.00	5,015.00	3,680.23	1,334.77	.....
Police Dept.	4,000.00	.....	4,000.00	4,392.56	.....	392.56
Fire Dept.	12,000.00	44.44	12,044.44	12,066.06	.....	21.62
Blister Rust	300.00	.....	300.00	.....	300.00	.....
Insurance	2,000.00	12.00	2,012.00	1,938.20	73.80	.....
Damages & Legal Expenses	500.00	.....	500.00	1,569.37	.....	1,069.37
Civil Defense	100.00	.....	100.00	.....	100.00	.....
Ambulance Service	2,300.00	.....	2,300.00	2,300.00	.....	.....
Hospital	516.00	.....	516.0	516.00	.....	.....
Vital Statistics	50.00	.....	50.00	84.00	.....	34.00
Town Dump	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	1,578.75	.....	78.75
Bush Cutting	1,200.00	.....	1,200	1,199.00	1.00	.....
Town Maint. Summer	10,000.00	.....	10,000.00	10,414.64	.....	414.64
Town Maint. Winter	15,000.00	.....	15,000.00	15,017.44	.....	17.44
Tarring	6,000.00	.....	6,000.00	6,230.30	.....	230.30
Town Road Aid	911.56	.....	911.56	911.56	.....	.....
Libraries	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	2,000.00	.....	.....
Town Poor	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00	509.82	1,990.18	.....
Old Age Assistance	3,000.00	.....	300.00	550.00	.....	250.00
Aid to disabled	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00	1,387.80	112.20	.....
Memorial Day	150.00	.....	150.00	150.00	.....	.....
Aid to Soldiers and Sailors	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00	668.86	1,831.14	.....
Parks and Playgrounds	800.00	.....	800.00	682.45	117.55	.....
Cemeteries	200.00	.....	200.00	200.00	.....	.....
Interest (Temporary Loans)	600.00	.....	600.00	232.56	367.44	.....
Capital Reserve (Library)	1,000.00	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
Town Dump	5,000.00	.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	.....	.....
Bridges	10,000.00	.....	10,000.00	5,289.78	4,710.22	.....
Total	\$94,627.56	\$71.44	\$94,699.00	\$86,668.64	\$10,938.30	\$2,907.94
Total Overdraft					2,907.94	
Total Unexpended					\$ 8,030.36	

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer \$176,874.29
Revenue Sharing 22,582.00

Total \$199,456.29

Capital Reserve Funds:

Library 3,061.14
Town Dump 10,262.32

Total 13,323.46

Accounts Due to the Town:

Tarring Driveways 645.00

Total 645.00

Unredeemed Taxes:

Levy of 1971 1,639.39
Levy of 1970 115.66
Previous Years 338.12

Total 2,093.17

Uncollected Taxes:

Levy of 1972, including
Resident Taxes 43,414.67
Levy of 1971 495.20
Levy of 1970 131.48

Total 44,041.35

Total Assets 259,559.27

Grand Total \$259,559.27

Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1971 24,168.12
Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1972 30,349.74
Increase of Surplus 6,181.62

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Unexpended Revenue Sharing
Funds 22,582.00

Due to State:

Resident Taxes Uncollected 882.00
Precincts Taxes Payable 1,000.00
School Dist. Taxes Payable 190,125.00

Total Accts. Owed by the Town \$214,589.00

State and Town Joint Highway
Construction Accounts:

Duncan Fund 1,297.07

Total 1,297.07

Capital Reserve Funds 13,323.46

Total Liabilities 229,209.53

Current Surplus 30,349.74

Grand Total \$259,559.27

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

Property Taxes,	
Current Year, 1972	\$279,404.15
Resident Taxes,	
Current Year, 1972	6,560.00
National Bank Stock	
Taxes, 1972	13.80
Yield Taxes, 1972	1,198.89

Total Current Year's Taxes

Collected and Remitted \$287,176.84

Property Taxes and Yield

Taxes, Previous Years 62,238.51

Resident Taxes, Previous Years 1,940.00

Interest received on Delinquent Taxes 1,166.01

Penalties:

 Resident Taxes, State Head Taxes 353.00

 Tax sales redeemed 10,945.77

From State:

For Class V Highway maintenance	1,297.05
Highway Subsidy	14,222.86
Interest and dividends tax	11,337.28
Savings Bank Tax	1,859.69
Fighting forest fires	44.44
Reimbursement a-c Old Age Assistance	2,541.41
Meals and Rooms Tax	7,742.09
Reimbursements a-c Business Profits Tax	7,602.52

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 3,010.00
Town officers' expenses	4,089.26
Expenses town hall and other	
town buildings	3,680.23

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	4,392.56
Fire department,	
including forest fires	12,066.06
Damage by dogs	34.00
Insurance	1,938.20

Health:

Health department, including	
hospitals & ambulance	2,816.00
Vital statistics	84.00
Town dumps and garbage	
removal	1,578.75

Highways and Bridges:

Duncan Fund	620.00
Town Road Aid	911.56
Town Maintenance:	
(Summer, \$10,414.64)	
(Winter, \$15,017.44)	25,432.08
Tarring	6,230.30
Bush Cutting	1,199.00

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	539.80	
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	75.00	
Rent of town property	15.00	
Income from departments	325.00	
Motor vehicle permits	27,468.39	
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Proceeds of Tax		
Anticipation Notes	50,000.00	
Insurance adjustments	12.00	
Refunds	181.63	
Sale of town property	334.00	
Grants from U. S. A.		
Revenue Sharing	22,582.00	
Law Enforcement		
Assistance Act	790.00	
Total Receipts Other than		
Current Revenue	\$ 73,899.63	
Total Receipts from All Sources	\$512,790.29	
Cash on hand January 1, 1972	\$111,170.06	
Grand Total	\$623,960.35	
Libraries:		
Libraries	2,000.00	
Public Welfare:		
Ald age assistance	550.00	
Town poor	509.82	
Aid to Permanently and		
Totally Disabled	1,387.80	
Patriotic Purposes:		
Soldier's Aid	668.86	
Memorial Day, Veteran's		
Associations and Old		
Home Day	150.00	
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds,		
including band concerts	682.45	
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries, including		
hearse hire	200.00	
Unclassified:		
Damages and legal expenses	1,535.37	
Taxes bought by town	10,741.91	
Discounts, Abatements and		
refunds	1,626.97	
Payments to trustees of		
trust funds	6,000.00	
Total Current Maintenance		
Expenses	\$ 18,368.88	

Interest on Debt:	
Paid on tax anticipation notes	232.56
Total Int. Payments ...	232.56
Principal of Debt:	
Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	50,000.00
Deposited Revenue Sharing Savings Bank	22,582.00
Total Principal Payments	72,582.00
Capital Outlay:	
Highways and Bridges, Town construction	5,289.78
Total Outlay Payments	5,289.78
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:	
Resident Taxes Paid State Treasurer (1972, \$2,953.35) (1971, \$915.65)	3,969.00
Payments to State a-c 2% Bond & Debt Retirement Taxes	199.82
Taxes paid to County	16,392.90
Payments to Precincts	10,967.30
Payments to School Dist. ... (1971, \$153,317.52) (1972, \$90,000.00)	243,317.52
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	274,861.39
Total Payments for all Purposes	447,086.06
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1972	176,874.29
Grand Total	623,960.35

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1972

Town Officers Salaries	\$3,000.00
Town Officers Expenses	3,700.00
Expenses Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	5,000.00
Police Department	4,000.00
Fire Department	12,000.00
Blister Rust	300.00
Insurance	2,000.00
Damages & Legal Expenses	500.00
Civil Defense	100.00
Ambulance Service	2,300.00
Hospital	516.00
Vital Statistics	50.00
Town Dump	1,500.00
Bush Cutting	1,200.00
Town Maintenance — Summer	10,000.00
Town Maintenance — Winter	15,000.00
Tarring	6,000.00
Town Road Aid	911.56
Libraries	2,000.00
Town Poor	2,500.00
Old Age Assistance	300.00
Aid to Permanently & Totally Disabled	1,500.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Aid to Soldiers & their families	2,500.00
Parks & Band Concerts & Swimming	800.00
Cemeteries	200.00
Temporary Loan Interest	600.00
Bridge Construction	10,000.00
Capital Reserve — Library	1,000.00
Capital Reserve — Town Dump	5,000.00
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	\$94,627.56

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Land	\$1,962,580.00
Buildings	6,388,880.00
Factory Buildings	13,500.00
Electric Lines	221,670.00
Mobile Homes	535,750.00
Boats & Launches	12,640.00
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Gross Valuation	\$9,135,020.00
Less Blind & Elderly Ex.	152,330.00
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Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is computed	\$8,982,690.00
Resident Taxes @ \$10.00	8,410.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	13.80
Property & Precinct	326,824.04
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Total Taxes Committed	\$335,247.84
Less Veterans Exemptions	8,692.00
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Net Taxes Committed	\$326,555.84
Property Tax Rate 3.50 per \$100.00	
Precinct Tax Rate .52 per \$100.00	
Yield Taxes	\$1,198.89

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Libraries, Land and Buildings	4,500.00
Furniture and Equipment	3,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	None
Equipment	2,200.00
Parking Meters	None
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	20,000.00
Equipment	25,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	1,000.00
Equipment	2,500.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
Town Dump	500.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	200,000.00
Equipment	10,000.00
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Total	\$289,700.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1972

Receipts

Auto Registration Permits, Bal. of 1971	\$ 349.65
Auto Registration Permits, 1972	27,118.74
Candidate Fees, March Election	8.00
Candidate Fees, September Primary	5.00
Dog Tax for 1971 and 1972	539.80
	<hr/>
	\$28,021.19

Total Amount Paid to Treasurer

Auto Registration Permits, Bal. of 1971	\$ 349.65
Auto Registration Permits, 1972	27,118.74
Candidate Fees, March Election	8.00
Candidate Fees, September Primary	5.00
Dog Tax for 1971 and 1972	539.80
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Total	\$28,021.19

Respectfully submitted,

HAZEL P. STEELE
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Property, Poll & Yield Taxes Levy for 1970

Debits

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1972

Property Taxes	\$115.10
Interest	16.39

\$131.49

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal Year

Property Taxes	\$115.10
Interest	16.39

\$131.49

Respectfully submitted,

RACHEL B. REID
Tax Collector

Property and Resident Taxes Levy for 1971

Debits

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1972

Property Tax	\$62,256.48
Resident Tax	1,820.00

\$64,076.48

Resident Penalties	210.00	
Interest	1,052.86	
Added Resident Taxes	560.00	
Over payments on Property	25.65	
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		1,848.51
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		\$65,924.99
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Credits

Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal Year		
Property & Precinct Taxes	\$62,086.93	
Resident Taxes	2,080.00	
Resident Penalties	210.00	
Interest	1,052.86	
		<hr/>
		\$65,429.79
Abatements		
Property Taxes	195.20	
Resident Taxes	300.00	
		495.20
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		\$65,924.99
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Respectfully submitted,

RACHEL B. REID
Tax Collector

Summary of Warrant 1972 Taxes
Property, Precinct, Resident, Bank Stock
Timber Yield Taxes

Debit

Taxes Committed to Collector	
Property & Precinct Taxes	\$318,132.04
Resident Taxes	8,410.00
National Bank Stock	13.80
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	\$326,555.84
Yield Taxes	1,198.89
Added Taxes	
Property & Precinct	2,279.40
Property & Precinct	4,397.59
Resident Taxes	260.00
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	6,936.99
Resident Tax Penalties	33.00
Interest Collected	57.75
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	90.75
Over payments on Property Taxes	101.34
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	<u>\$334,883.81</u>

Credit

Remittances to Treasurer	
Resident Taxes	\$ 6,530.00
Resident Tax Penalties	33.00
Property & Precinct Taxes	279,404.15
Yield Taxes	1,198.89

Bank Stock Tax	13.80	
Interest	57.75	
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		\$287,237.59
Abatements		
Property Tax	4,051.55	
Resident Tax	180.00	
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		4,231.55
Uncollected Taxes per		
Collectors List		
Property Taxes	41,454.67	
Resident Taxes	1,960.00	
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		43,414.67
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		\$334,883.81
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Respectfully submitted,

RACHEL B. REID
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of December 31, 1972

Debit

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:			
	1971	1970	1969	1968
Taxes Sold to Town During				
Current Fiscal Year	\$10,214.55	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes				
January 1, 1972		882.70	895.19	25.13
Interest Collected after Sale	473.01	160.75	161.09	
	<u>\$10,687.56</u>	<u>\$1,043.45</u>	<u>\$1,056.28</u>	<u>\$ 25.13</u>

Credit

Remittances to Treasurer				
During Year	\$9,048.17	\$ 927.79	\$ 743.29	
Unredeemed Taxes at close				
of December 31, 1972	1,639.39	115.66	312.99	25.13
	<u>\$10,687.56</u>	<u>\$ 1,043.45</u>	<u>\$ 1,056.28</u>	<u>\$ 25.13</u>

Unredeemed Taxes from Tax Sales

On Account of Levies of:

	1971	1970	1969	1968
William Blanchard	175.02			
Alan Cosseboom	325.54		181.23	
Clyde Joy	166.79			
Clyde Joy	130.82			
Wayne & April Lane	200.93			
Hrs. Wm. MacKenzie	82.83	115.66	131.76	
Stephen McCormack	460.84			
Est. Guy Wardwell	73.27			
E. Charest	23.35			
C. Belanger				25.13
	<u>\$1,639.39</u>	<u>\$115.66</u>	<u>\$312.99</u>	<u>\$25.13</u>

Respectfully submitted,

RACHEL B. REID
Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

Town of Epsom, N. H.

Year January 1, 1972 — Dacember 31, 1972

Balance brought forward	\$111,170.06
Suncook Bank, temporary loan	50,000.00
Pistol permits	62.00
Tarring driveways	325.00
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	\$161,577.06

Robert Flanders, State Treasurer:

Savings Banks	\$ 1,859.69	
Interest & Dividends	11,337.28	
Rooms & Meals	7,742.09	
Profits Tax	7,602.52	
Class 5 Maintenance	1,297.05	
Forest Fire Training	44.44	
Refund on Gas Tax	14,222.86	
Old Age — Kelley Account	2,541.41	
Police Radio Refund	790.00	
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		\$ 47,437.34

Hazel P. Steele, Town Clerk

1971 Auto permits	\$ 349.65	
1972 Auto permits	27,118.74	
Candidate fees	13.00	
1972 Dog Tax	539.80	
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		\$ 28,021.19

Miscellaneous Receipts:

Insurance adjustment & refund	\$ 15.20
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Brown & Saltmarsh	5.26	
Reimbursement on culvert	173.17	
Use of Town Hall and Park	15.00	
Sale of Tractor and Dozer blade	325.00	
Sale of Check lists	9.00	
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	\$	542.63

Rachel B. Reid, Tax Collector

1972 Property Tax	\$279,404.14	
1972 Interest	57.75	
1972 Resident Tax	6,530.00	
1972 Penalties	33.00	
1972 Yield Tax	1,198.89	
1972 National Bank Tax	13.80	
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		\$287,237.59

Rachel B. Reid, Tax Collector:

1971 Property Tax	\$ 62,086.93	
1971 Interest & Costs	1,052.86	
1971 Resident Tax	2,080.00	
1971 Penalties	210.00	
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	\$	65,429.79

Rachel B. Reid, Tax Collector:

1970 Property Tax	\$ 115.10	
1970 Interest	16.39	
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	\$	131.49

Rachel B. Reid, Tax Collector:

1969, 1970, 1971 Redeemed Property Tax	\$ 10,203.43
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1969, 1970, 1971 Interest & Costs	817.83	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,021.26
Total receipts during 1972		\$490,208.29
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Total Cash		\$601,378.35
Less Selectmen's Orders Nos. 3803-3999 & 1-153		\$424,504.06
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Cash on hand December 31, 1972		\$176,874.29
Dec. 13, 1972 Revenue Sharing, Deposited in The Suncook Bank, Book No. 25133	\$ 11,524.00	
Jan. 8, 1973 Revenue Sharing, Deposited in The Suncook Bank, Book No. 25133	\$ 11,058.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 22,582.00

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand, Jan. 1, 1972	\$111,170.06
Property Tax Current Year	279,404.15
Property Tax Previous Years	62,238.51
Resident Tax	6,560.00
Resident Tax Penalties	353.00
National Bank Stock Tax	13.80
Yield	1,198.89
Resident Tax Previous Year	1,940.00
Interest	1,166.01
Tax Sales Redeemed	10,945.77
Received From State	46,602.90
Dog Licenses	539.80
Business Licenses Permits & Filing Fees	75.00
Rent of Town Property	15.00
Tarring Driveways	325.00
Registration Motor Vehicles	27,468.39
Temporary Loan	50,000.00
Insurance Adjustment	12.00
Refunds	1,016.07
Sale of Town Property	334.00
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	\$601,378.35

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 3,010.00
Town Officers Expenses	4,089.26
Town Hall & Other Bldgs.	1,427.22
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	\$ 8,526.48

Protection of Persons & Property

Police Department	\$ 4,392.56
Fire Department	12,066.06
Insurance	1,938.20
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	\$18,396.82

Health & Sanitation

Concord Hospital	\$ 516.00
Center Barnstead Ambulance Fund	2,300.00
Vital Statistics	84.00
Town Dump	1,578.75
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	\$4,478.75

Highways & Bridges

Summer Maintenance	\$10,414.64
Winter Maintenance	15,017.44
Town Road Aid	911.56
Bridges	5,289.78
Tarring	6,230.30
Brush Cutting	1,199.00
Duncan Fund	620.00
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	\$39,682.72

Libraries

Epsom Public Library	\$ 2,000.00
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Public Welfare

Old Age Assistance	\$ 550.00
Aid to Disabled	1,378.80
Town Poor	509.82
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	\$2,447.62

Patriotic Purposes

Memorial Day	\$ 150.00
Soldiers Aid	668.86
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	\$ 818.86

Recreation

Epsom Band	\$ 375.00
Swimming Lessons	100.00
Park	207.45
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	\$682.45

Public Enterprises

Cemeteries	\$ 200.00
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Unclassified

Damages and Legal Expenses	\$1,569.37
Taxes Bought By Town	10,741.91
Abatements & Refunds	1,626.97
Police Station Before Fire	2,253.01
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	\$16,191.26

Interest

Temporary Loan	\$ 232.56
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Indebtedness Payments

Temporary Loan	\$50,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund	6,000.00
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	\$56,000.00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

Payments to State & County		\$20,561.72
Epsom Village District		10,967.30
Epsom School District		
1971-1972	153,317.52	
1972-1973	90,000.00	
	<hr/>	243,317.52
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		274,846.54
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Total		424,504.06

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand, Jan. 1, 1972	\$111,170.06
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Detail 1

Property Tax Current Year	279,404.15
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Detail 2

Property Tax Previous Year	62,238.51
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Detail 3

Resident Tax Current Year	6,560.00
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Detail 4

Resident Tax Previous Years	1,940.00
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Detail 5

Resident Tax Penalties	353.00
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Detail 6

National Bank Stock Tax	13.80
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Detail 7

Yield Tax	1,198.89
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Detail 8

Interest	1,166.01
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Detail 9

Tax Sales Redeemed	10,945.77
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Detail 10

Received From State	
Gas Tax	14,222.86
Business Profits Tax	7,602.52
Savings Bank Tax	1,859.69
Duncan Fund	1,297.05
Interest & Dividend Tax	11,337.28
Meals & Room Tax	7,742.09
Old Age Refund Kelley Place	2,541.41
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	46,602.90

Detail 11

Dog Licenses	539.80
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Detail 12

Business Licenses & Filing Fees	75.00
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Detail 13

Rent of Town Property	
Profile Auto League	10.00
Helen Armstrong	5.00
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	15.00

Detail 14

Tarring Driveways	
Charles N. Huckins	100.00
J. S. MacGregor	75.00
Robert Yeaton	25.00
Winthrop Fife	25.00
Emmett Russell	25.00
Rita Levasseur	25.00
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	325.00

Detail 15

Registration of Motor Vehicles	\$27,468.39
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Detail 16

Temporary Loan	
Suncook Bank	50,000.00

Detail 17

Insurance adjustment	12.00
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Detail 18**Refunds**

Refund on Police Radio	790.00
Refund on Culvert — Richard Thompson	173.17
State Treasurer — Forest Fire Training	33.53
State Treasurer — Refund Forest Fire	10.91
Brown Saltmarsh Credit by Check	5.26
Refund on Kelley Insurance	3.20
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	\$ 1,016.07

Detail 19

Sale of Town Property	
Roland LaFleur, Tractor	275.00
George Wiggin, Dozer Blade	50.00
James Steele, Checklists	9.00
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	\$ 334.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1

Town Officers Salaries

Neil Waite, Moderator	\$ 30.00
John B. Yeaton, Selectman	600.00
Robert F. Demers, Selectman	400.00
George F. Dowst, Selectman	600.00
Clarence E. Bartlett, Treas. & Health Officer	300.00
Hazel P. Steele, Town Clerk	75.00
Rachel B. Reid, Tax Collector	700.00
Sue Bickford, Auditor	30.00
Gilbert Knowles, Trustee Trust Funds	50.00
James M. Steele, Supervisor	45.00
Priscilla Thompson, Supervisor	45.00
Robert Yeaton, Supervisor	45.00
Maurice A. Yeaton, Auditor & Ballot Clerk	45.00
Roscoe G. Warren, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Bertha Mosher, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Russell S. Yeaton, Ballot Clerk	15.00
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	\$3,010.00

Detail 2

Town Officers Expenses

John B. Yeaton, Selectman	
Running Town Lines	\$ 20.00
Robert F. Demers	
Running Town Lines	\$ 10.00
Supplies	4.78
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	14.78

Hazel P. Steele		
Town Clerk Expenses		\$ 1,178.00
Shirley Parker		
Overseer's Expenses		77.00
Albert J. Yeaton		
Overseer's Expenses		35.00
Clarence Barlett		
Treasurer's Expenses		86.00
Rachel Reid		
Tax Collector's Expenses		193.34
Sue Bickford		
Auditor 1971	30.00	
Postage 1972	2.00	
		32.00
Elmore Bickford		
Moderator, Village Dist.		5.00
Mrs. Elmore Bickford		
Officers Dinners		27.00
Gossville Post Office		
Envelopes		20.00
Epsom Post Office		
Stamped Envelopes		\$ 276.40
George Walsh		
Typewriter	\$ 145.50	
Repair Typewriters	23.35	
		168.85
W. A. Mahoney		
Adding Machine Tapes	4.20	
Brown & Saltmarsh	159.18	
Ivy Green Lodge		
Officers Suppers	54.00	
Evans Printing	223.00	
Concord Monitor (Notices)	4.50	

Homestead Press	21.75
Personal Business (Zoning Ord.)	23.81
Bridge & Byron, Town Reports	1,295.00
N. H. Town Clerks (Dues)	8.00
Wheeler & Clark (Dog Tags)	20.20
N. H. Bindery, Town Reports	10.00
Tax Collectors (Dues)	5.00
Village Press	
(Board of Adjustment)	65.00
State of N. H. (Boat Reports)	8.40
N. H. Assoc. of Assessors	10.00
Branham Pub. Co., Supplies	8.85
N. H. Assoc. Conservation Com.	35.00
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	\$4,089.26

Detail 3

Town Hall & Other Buildings

Huckins Oil Co.	\$ 698.81
Concord Electric Co.	127.09
N. E. Telephone Co.	221.70
Water bill	22.00
Knowles Store	6.55
Howard Finan (Service Call)	8.00
A. J. Leblanc (Furnace Repair)	89.94
Charles Brock	
(Cleaning Fire Damage)	36.00
Roofing Old Fire Station	
Albert Stevens	26.25
William Stevens	14.00
Carroll Stevens	98.18
A. R. Sanborn	78.70
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	\$ 1,427.22

Detail 4

Police Station	\$ 2,253.01
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Detail 5

Police Department

Eugene Parker	\$ 1,818.50
Lawrence Ward	778.75
John Brown Jr.	496.00
Ronald Briggs	231.40
Leland Briggs	118.45
New England Telephone	118.16
State of N. H.	7.00
W. S. Darley Co.	286.08
Auclair Transportation Co.	12.98
Evans Radio	128.64
Wright Communications	396.60
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	\$ 6,445.57

Detail 6

Fire Department

Epsom Village Dist.	\$ 778.00
Concord Electric Co.	119.16
Roscoe G. Warren, Warden	67.06
Telephone	43.09
Appropriation	11,058.75
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	\$12,066.06

Detail 7

Insurance

Rowley Agency	\$ 1,127.00
Concord General Mutual	583.00
Paige Agency	19.00

James M. Steele	209.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,938.20

Detail 8

Health Department

Center Barnstead Ambulance	\$ 2,300.00	
Concord Hospital	516.00	
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Detail 9

Vital Statistics

Hazel P. Steele	\$ 84.00
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Detail 10

Town Dump

William McClintock	\$ 795.00	
Robert Cutter	783.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,578.75

Detail 11

Town Maintenance (Summer)

Robert E. Cutter	\$10,239.99	
Sanel Inc.	144.90	
Epsom Garage	29.75	
	<hr/>	\$10,414.64

Detail 12

Town Maintenance (Winter)

Robert E. Cutter	\$14,055.21
International Salt Co.	944.02

Epsom Garage	18.21	
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Detail 13
Town Road Aid

Treasurer, State of N. H.		\$ 911.56
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Detail 14
Tarring

Robert E. Cutter		\$ 6,230.30
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Detail 15
Brush Cutting

Robert E. Cutter		\$ 1,199.00
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Detail 16
Duncan Fund

Robert E. Cutter		\$ 620.00
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Detail 17
Bridges

Robert E. Cutter	\$ 4,463.02	
Farin & Son, Culvert	118.90	
N. E. Culvert Corp.	534.69	
William K. Morrison, Culvert	173.17	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,289.78

Detail 18
Libraries

Charles A. Yeaton, Trustee		\$ 2,000.00
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Detail 19

Old Age Assistance

Shirley Parker, Overseer	\$ 550.00
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Detail 20

Aid to Disabled

Shirley Parker, Overseer	\$ 1,387.80
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Detail 21

Town Poor

Shirley Parker, Overseer	\$ 509.82
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Detail 22

Aid to Soldiers

Shirley Parker, Overseer	\$ 668.86
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Detail 23

Memorial Day

Robert F. Demers, Treasurer	\$ 150.00
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Detail 24

Parks & Playgrounds

Concord Electric Co.	\$ 19.65
John B. Leaton, Band Approp.	375.00
Mary Frambach, Swimming lessons	100.00
Charles Johnson, Electrical Work	26.80
Thomas Yeaton, Cleaning Park	88.00
Maurice Yeaton, Cleaning Park	73.00
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	\$ 682.45

Detail 25
Cemeteries

Gilbert H. Knowles	\$ 200.00
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Details 26
Damages & Legal Expenses

Kathleen M. Roy	
Conveyances & Mortgages	\$ 215.00
Lelia Bartlett, Listing Estates	.90
Rachel Reid, Town Deed	2.00
Stevens Agency (Bond)	261.00
Monitor Publishing Co., Notices	60.21
Upton, Sanders, Upton, Lawyers	992.68
Vicky Champney, Dog Damage	34.00
Rachel Reid, Collector's Expenses	3.08
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	\$ 1,569.37

Detail 27
Taxes Bought By Town

Rachel Reid	
Taxes Bought by Town	\$10,214.55
Cost of Advertising	402.00
Cost of Selling	117.10
Collector's Expenses	8.26
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	\$10,741.91

Detail 28
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds

Hazel P. Steele	\$ 873.00
Property Tax Refunds	666.77

Resident Tax Refunds	65.00	
Interest Refund	22.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,626.97

Detail 29

Interest

Suncook Bank		
Temporary Loan		\$ 232.56

Detail 30

Temporary Loan

Suncook Bank		\$50,000.00
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Detail 31

Capital Reserve

Gilbert Knowles, Trustee		
Capital Reserve Fund:		
Town Dump	\$ 5,000.00	
Library	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,000.00

Detail 32

State & County

County Tax	\$16,392.90	
State Treasurer		
Resident Tax	3,969.00	
Bond & Debt Tax	199.82	
	<hr/>	\$20,561.72

Detail 33

Precinct

Epsom Village District	\$10,967.30
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Detail 34

School District

Amy K. Bartlett, Treasurer

Balance of 1971-1972

Appropriation	\$153,317.52
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Payments on 1972-1973

Appropriation	90,000.00
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Total	<hr/> \$243,317.52
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Total Payments	\$424,504.06
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REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

Jan. 1, thru Dec. 31, 1972

Summer Work

Roscoe G. Warren, Labor	\$ 1,900.25
Orrin Merrill, Labor	5.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Supplies	45.69
John Hoogeveen, Services	150.00
N. H. Bituminus, Asphalt	233.65
Bartlett Construction, Crushing Gravel	2,000.00
Cutter Enterprises, Labor; Equipment	6,055.40
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Total	\$10,389.99

Winter Work

Roscoe G. Warren, Labor	\$ 112.00
Watson Ambrose, Labor	28.00
Charles Brock, Labor	16.00
Thomas R. Yeaton, Labor	30.00
Bill Clark, Labor	52.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, Supplies	74.50
Northeast Culvert Company, Culvert	98.86
Don Wheeler, Labor	55.85
Avery Munn, Plowing	160.00
John R. Brown, Sr., Plowing	50.00
Philip Dail, Plowing	55.00
Cutter Enterprises, Labor; Equipment	13,367.50
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Total	\$14,100.21

Tarring

N. H. Bituminus Company, Asphalt	\$ 4,437.30
Ben Daroska, Broom rental	110.00
Cutter Enterprises, Labor; Equipment	1,683.00
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Total	\$ 6,230.30

Brush Cutting

Thomas R. Yeaton, Labor; Equipment	\$ 289.00
Watson Ambrose, Labor	24.00
M. A. Yeaton, Labor	32.00
Herbert D. Yeaton, Labor	16.00
Harold Miner, Labor	250.00
Cutter Enterprises, Labor; Equipment	588.00
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Total	\$ 1,199.00

Bridges

Barton Bros. Lumber Co., Bridge Plank	\$ 66.33
Cutter Enterprises, Labor; Equipment	1,891.25
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Total	\$ 1,957.58

Duncan Fund

Cutter Enterprises	\$ 620.00
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Town Dump

Cutter Enterprises, Bulldozer; Sand, Fill	\$ 738.75
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Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT E. CUTTER
Road Agent

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Cemetery Trustees, Treasurer of Trust Funds, Treasurer of Library Trustees, Overseer of the Poor, Fire Chief and Fire Wardens and Road Agent of the Town of Epsom; also the accounts of the Commissioner and Treasurer of the Epsom Village District and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

SUE V. BICKFORD
MAURICE A. YEATON
Auditors

**Report of the Cemetery Trustees
For the Year Ending December 31, 1972**

Receipts

Cash on Hand January 1, 1972		\$1,139.88
Town Appropriation	\$200.00	
Trustees of Trust Funds	613.63	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	120.00	
Interest	56.68	
		990.31
Total Receipts		\$2,130.19

Expenditures

Short Falls Cemetery		
General Care, Mowing & Upkeep	\$142.00	
Complete Re-topping, Warren Tripp Lot	100.93	
McClary Cemetery		
General Care, Mowing & Upkeep	175.00	
Electricity, Care & Maintenance; Memorial Water System	47.20	
Care of Epsom Trust Fund Lots	465.50	
		\$930.63
Total Expenditures		\$930.63
Balance on Hand January 1, 1973		\$1,199.56

Respectfully submitted,

ROSCOE G. WARREN
JAMES M. STEELE
GILBERT H. KNOWLES
Cemetery Trustees

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EPSOM, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1972

Date of Creation	Name of Fund — Purpose of Creation For Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lots	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance End Year	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of Year	Rate of Interest	Income Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at end of Year
1903	J. A. Clough, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$.59	5	\$2.57	\$2.50	\$.66
1903	S. M. Chesley, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	1.08	5	2.62	3.00	.70
1903	John L. Brackett, Mountain	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	.30	5	2.54	2.50	.34
1907	Mary A. Swain, Gossville	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	2.61	5	2.63	2.61	2.63
1912	Susan E. P. Forbes McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	51.37	5	1296	12.00	52.33
1915	Abbie Hopkinson, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	1,000.00	1,000.00	52.73	5	53.30	52.73	53.30
1915	C. F. Griffin, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	.67	5	2.58	3.00	.25
1915	Mary B. Dowst, Mountain	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	30.17	5	6.69	7.00	29.86
1915	Gen. B. L. Locke, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	.52	5	2.56	2.50	.58
1915	Morrill Hoyt, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	.87	5	2.60	3.00	.47
1915	William McMurphy, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	2.35	5	2.67	4.00	1.02
1917	Flora E. Burnham, Short Falls	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	50.00	50.00	.71	5	2.58	3.00	.29
1917	Henry Knox, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	3.56	5	5.33	0.00	8.89
1917	Hiram Holmes, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	44.20	5	7.42	7.00	44.62
1917	Horace Bickford, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	3.52	5	5.33	3.00	5.85
1917	Sarah N. Holmes, 2 lots, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	.72	5	5.18	5.00	.90
1917	Mary A. Evans, 1 lot McClary, 1 lot Brown	N. H. Savings Bank	400.00	400.00	181.49	5	30.01	15.00	196.50
1917	Walter Chesley, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	.53	5	2.59	2.50	.62
1918	William Sanders, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	2.60	5	2.62	2.60	2.62
1918	John T. Cotterall, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	5.25	5	5.30	5.25	5.30
1920	Eliza J. Bickford, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	4.18	5	5.35	5.00	4.53
1921	John M. Moses, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	5.25	5	5.30	5.25	5.30
1921	Sophila Bulfinch, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	.76	5	2.61	3.00	.37
1922	Daniel T. Cilley, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	.55	5	2.59	2.50	.64
1922	John & Salome Babb, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	4.39	5	2.79	4.00	3.18
1924	Hilton Goodhue, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	75.00	75.00	24.39	5	5.10	6.00	23.49
1926	John C. & Martha Hall, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	166.94	5	18.92	9.00	176.86
1926	Daniel & Andrew Hall, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	32.51	5	6.82	7.00	32.33
1927	Dr. Roscoe Hill, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	9.83	5	5.63	6.00	9.46

1929	Ayer & Holmes, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	200.00	200.00	126.86	5	16.81	8.00	135.67
1929	Warren Tripp, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	136.80	5	16.20	100.93	52.07
1929	Katherine C. Cook, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	26.44	5	6.52	6.00	26.96
1931	Lawrence & Cox, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	23.64	5	11.53	7.00	28.17
1933	Joseph Lawrence, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	58.56	5	8.15	6.00	60.71
1934	William Babb, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	15.79	5	5.96	6.00	15.75
1935	Augusta A. Fisk, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	10.55	5	10.64	10.55	10.64
1936	Daniel S. Jones, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	21.23	5	6.22	10.00	17.45
1937	E. R. & A. J. Yeaton, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	3.00	5	5.27	6.00	2.27
1938	J. B. Cass & Geo. S. Bixby, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	17.11	5	6.02	4.00	19.13
1938	*Unknown Soldier, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	1.66	5	4.09	4.00	1.75
1941	Mary J. V. Tovle, (Locke Lot), McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	200.00	200.00	72.68	5	14.00	9.00	77.68
1942	Oscar A. Hiliard, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	200.00	200.00	101.91	5	15.52	7.00	110.43
1943	Frank L. Rand, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	400.00	400.00	21.07	5	21.30	21.07	21.30
1944	Clarence H. Sanborn, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	8.20	5	5.58	5.00	8.78
1944	Walter J. & Mary E. Q. Philbrick, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	101.70	5	15.55	8.00	109.25
1944	Chas. M. & James F. Steele, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	1.15	5	5.20	5.00	1.35
1945	George A. Long, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	10.53	5	5.70	5.00	11.23
1945	Ella Sanders, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	18.08	5	6.09	5.00	19.17
1946	Frank C. Knowles, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	1.46	5	5.22	6.00	.68
1948	Ernest L. Heath, Short Falls	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	200.00	200.00	78.99	5	14.34	9.00	84.33
1948	Charles W. Leighton, Gossville	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	5.26	5	5.30	5.26	5.30
1948	Nathan J. Goss, Gossville	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	5.26	5	5.30	5.26	5.30
1951	Timothy B. Langley, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	55.18	5	13.16	9.00	59.34
1952	Daniel G. Chesley, 2 lots, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	41.94	5	12.47	9.00	45.41
1952	George K. Sanborn, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	15.57	5	5.96	5.00	16.53
1952	Capt Samuel P. Gilley & Hannah P. Steele, Gossville	Suncook Bank	100.00	100.00	5.72	5	5.27	5.72	5.27
1953	Warren Foss, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	130.98	5	17.06	10.00	138.04
1953	E. B. Hoyt, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	.65	5	2.60	3.00	.25
1953	Annie M. Marden, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	4.54	5	2.79	6.00	1.33
1954	Alice Cass Philbrick, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	118.05	118.05	33.39	5	7.82	6.00	35.21
1955	Hall & Piper, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	22.52	5	11.47	7.00	26.99
1955	James H. & Walter H. Tripp, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	46.32	5	12.68	8.00	51.00
1955	Perley Trickey, Bickford	Suncook Bank	100.00	100.00	4.68	5	5.34	5.00	5.02
1956	James L. Bickford, Bickford	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	100.00	100.00	25.42	5	6.41	6.00	25.83
1956	William Fowler, Short Falls	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	100.00	100.00	29.56	5	6.63	7.00	29.19
1956	Tripp & Prescott, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	300.00	300.00	101.26	5	20.71	9.00	112.97
1956	Joseph A. Warren, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	150.00	150.00	137.69	5	14.82	0.00	152.51
1957	Frederick & Henry F. Sanborn, McClary	Suncook Bank	300.00	300.00	100.14	5	20.42	9.00	111.56

* \$50.00 New Fund Created.

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1958	Augustus Palmer, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	5.25	5	5.30	5.25	5.30
1959	Robert A. Smith, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	165.00	165.00	14.89	5	9.27	4.00	20.16
1959	George H. Yeaton, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	10.47	5	5.70	5.00	11.17
1959	James Yeaton, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	12.94	5	5.81	5.00	13.75
1960	William H. Critcherson, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	10.55	5	10.64	10.55	10.64
1960	John W. Hart, McClary	Suncook Bank	100.00	100.00	2.14	5	5.21	5.00	2.35
1961	Arthur E. Roby, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	1.82	5	5.23	5.00	2.05
1961	John C. Brown, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	300.00	300.00	191.68	5	25.36	0.00	217.04
1961	Lula E. & Frank E. Brown, Gen. Care	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	54.24	5	13.06	13.50	53.80
1962	Thomas R. & Herbert J. Yeaton, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	6.45	5	5.48	3.00	8.93
1962	Irving Kinton, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	50.00	50.00	14.40	5	3.31	6.00	11.71
1962	William H. & Albert O. Knowles, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	300.00	300.00	52.38	5	18.19	17.00	53.57
1963	Earl O. Anderson, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	88.31	5	14.86	0.00	103.17
1964	James H. Yeaton, Yeaton	N. H. Savings Bank	25.00	25.00	10.36	5	1.81	0.00	12.17
1964	Walter H. Quimby, Gossville	N. H. Savings Bank	10.00	10.00	1.08	5	.52	1.08	.52
1964	James W. Briggs, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	10.00	10.00	2.08	5	.64	0.00	2.72
1965	Lukenbach Fund, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	100.00	100.00	27.21	5	6.51	6.00	27.72
1966	George E. Huckins, Short Falls	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	26.24	5	11.67	8.00	29.91
1966	Trebeck Fund, Short Falls	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	80.00	80.00	3.10	5	4.26	5.00	2.36
1967	Everett B. Mosher, McClary	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	100.00	100.00	25.96	5	6.43	3.00	29.39
1967	Julia Riley, McClary	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	90.00	90.00	4.09	5	4.80	4.00	4.89
1967	Catherine L. Berry, McClary	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	100.00	100.00	1.85	5	5.21	5.00	2.06
1967	Flora Hall Sullivan, 2 lots, McClary	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	150.00	150.00	10.18	5	8.21	7.50	10.89
1968	Alfred G. Bickford, Jr., McClary	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	100.00	100.00	6.58	5	5.44	5.00	7.02
1969	Edna C. Cox, 2 lots, McClary	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	150.00	150.00	9.79	5	8.15	6.00	11.94
1969	Howard & Kelley Fund, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	75.00	75.00	9.93	5	4.36	0.00	14.29
1969	Maurice C. Philbrick, McClary	Man. Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc.	200.00	200.00	15.57	5	11.01	5.00	21.58
1969	Rena M. Rogers, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	100.00	1.64	5	5.22	5.00	1.86
1970	Vera D. Summerfield, Short Falls	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	7.77	5	10.58	6.00	12.35

1970	Wallace & Boland Fund, McClary	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	5.02	5	10.46	5.00	10.48
1971	Hester E. Pickard, McClary	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	5.02	5	10.41	4.00	11.43
1971	Clifton L. Spurlin Fund, Short Falls	Suncook Bank	100.00	100.00	1.25	5	5.12	5.00	1.37
1972	Edward B. Demers, McClary	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	6.72	0.00	6.72
1972	James and Aaron Osborne, McClary	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	.83	0.00	.83
1972	True and Ethel Kelley, McClary	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	0.00	0.00	0.00
1972	Elmore and Orville Bickford, McClary	Suncook Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	0.00	0.00	0.00
1972	Fred W. Yeaton, Short Falls	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	1.34	0.00	1.34
1972	Ethel I. Warren, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	3.43	0.00	3.43
Fence Fund									
1924	Mary A. Evans, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	229.66	229.66	67.14	5	15.29	0.00	82.43
Memorial Water Supply Units									
1960	Lawrence & Cox, McClary	N. H. Savings Bank	2,500.00	2,500.00	1,414.37	5	202.09	47.20	1,569.26
Epsom Public Library									
1907	Benjamin F. Webster, non-fiction books	Atch. Topeka & Santa Fe Bond	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00	4	40.00	40.00	0.00
1916	Susan E. P. Forbes, standard books	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	2,000.00	2,000.00	0.00	5	102.95	102.95	0.00
1917	Mary A. Evans, Books	N. H. Savings Bank	500.00	500.00	0.00	5	25.80	25.80	0.00
1926	Charles S. Hall, Benefit of Library	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	10.30	10.30	0.00
1929	Warren Tripp, Benefit of Library	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	200.00	0.00	5	10.30	10.30	0.00
1961	Mary S. Brown, Books	N. H. Savings Bank	500.00	500.00	0.00	5	25.80	25.80	0.00
Capital Reserve Funds									
1966	Epsom Village Dist., Water System	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	3,000.00	3,000.00	712.34	5	190.98	0.00	903.32
1968	Town of Epsom, Library Improvements	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	1,810.00	2,810.00	149.34	5	101.89	0.00	251.14
1971	Town of Epsom Town Dump Project	Merrimack Co. Sav. Bk.	10,000.00	10,000.00	0.00	5	262.32	0.00	262.32
1971& 1972	Epsom School District, additions or alterations	N. H. Savings Bank	5,000.00	5,000.00	0.00	5	117.47	0.00	117.47
			\$42,787.71	\$42,787.71	\$5,241.56		\$1,962.96	\$971.96	\$6,232.56

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

MARGERY C. YEATON
JAMES M. STEELE
GILBERT H. KNOWLES

Trustees

LIBRARIAN REPORT

Another year has passed with usage of the library increasing. Many persons are using the library for reference and research for family histories, genealogies and school work.

A new bookcart has been purchased with funds from the Friends of the Library and a generous gift of a friend. This has come in handy and is a much added asset to the working conditions for book returns.

The school children from some of the lower grades have visited the library during the past year.

The Epsom Women's Club have donated a book in memory of Mrs. Madeline Yeaton; Christmas in New England by Taylor Lewis Jr. and Joanne Young. The Epsom Historical Association voted some money toward historical reference books for the library at their Christmas get together.

Mr. Norris has been working with some of the school children who are interested in the history of Epsom and they have been using the library for research. Many articles of interest of Epsom have been photostated and placed in plastic folders for use at the library.

Mrs. Hester Pickard donated a beautiful book on the Bickford Family to the library.

The shut in service has continued throughout the year with Mrs. Ellen Eppelsheimer distributing books to some of the elderly that are unable to get to the library. If there are any in town that wish this service, they may call the librarian for arrangements.

The librarian also has arranged for some persons to use the Services of the Handicapped. If there is anyone with impaired vision they may contact the librarian for further information on this service.

Because of the demand and increased circulation, it is hoped that arrangements may be worked out for more hours. This is your library and it is hoped that additional hours might give you the opportunity to browse around and see the collection available to you.

Respectfully submitted,

PHYLIS M. LACLAIR
Librarian

LIBRARIAN'S STATISTICAL REPORT

	Audit	Juvenile	Total
Book collection, Jan. 1, 1972	3,673	1,731	5,404
Accessions: By Purchase	198	158	356
By Gift	22	11	33
	<hr/> 3,893	<hr/> 1,900	<hr/> 5,793
Discards — Fiction	26	15	41
Non fiction	0	3	3
	<hr/> 3,817	<hr/> 1,882	<hr/> 5,699
Phonograph records			504
Borrowed from State Library and Bookmobile:			
Adult non fiction			598
Adult fiction			631
Juvenile			577
Youth			459
Easy			521
			<hr/> 2,786

Circulation figures for 1972:

Adult non fiction	1,219
Adult fiction	1,943
Juvenile non fiction	557
Juvenile fiction	3,271
Periodicals	522
Records	1
Paper backs	273
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	7,786
Story hours	6
State Wide library cards issued	1
Film borrowed by organizations	69
Film programs	6

Cash and Accounts

Receipts:

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1972	2.07	
Fines	25.08	
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		27.15

Payments:

Supplies	15.20	
Books	9.75	
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		\$24.95

Cash on hand December 31, 1972	<hr/>	\$ 2.20
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Respectfully submitted,

PHYLIS M. LACLAIR
Librarian

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Epsom Public Library 1972

Receipts

Balance January 1, 1972	\$ 418.54
Trustees of Trust Funds	213.98
Town of Epsom	2,000.00
Returned Checks	16.45
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	\$2,648.97

Expenditures

Salaries of Librarian & Assistant	596.00
Custodial Service	60.00
Books	1,023.56
Periodicals	169.56
Library Supplies	82.40
Fuel	208.85
Utilities	76.49
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	\$2,216.86

Balance December 31, 1972	\$ 432.11
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PARK COMMISSION REPORT

For the past two years we have had a weekly clean-up plan where two of our senior citizens pick up the rubbish and take care of fallen trees, dead trees, and other repairs and maintenance.

Thanks to Tom Yeaton and Pete Yeaton for putting in a lot of time and effort in trying to keep our park attractive at a very low cost.

Appreciation is also extended to the Boy Scouts and their leaders, and the students from the Epsom Central School for assisting in the spring clean up.

We also wish to thank William Beaucher for water privileges. We plan to help him this year on some repairs to keep up this service.

The Rest Room Fund has reached an amount where we can hope to see these facilities in the near future.

Rest Room Fund Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1972	\$679.10
Interest 1972	34.08
Balance on hand Dec. 1, 1972	\$713.18

ROBERT MINER
RAYMOND FIFE
KENNETH WALKER

REPORT OF EPSOM POLICE DEPARTMENT

January 1, 1972 thru December 31, 1972

Your police department has had a very busy year with 92 more calls than last year for a total of 724.

This department ordered a siren system offered by the State Police which will be delivered shortly.

We have acquired a camera, a finger printing kit and other equipment.

Many hours were spent by this department toward the completion of the Police Station and Selectmens Office. At the time of the fire bombing these rooms were about $\frac{3}{4}$ done. At which time we lost everything including some tools. All hours were given voluntarily by the men of this department.

Your police department would like to thank you for your cooperation for this past year.

Please report all suspicious people, motor vehicles, or suspicious happenings. Residents of Epsom are urged to call the Blue Phone, 736-4445.

CHIEF OF POLICE

Eugene Parker

PATROLMEN

Ronald Briggs

Leland Briggs

Lawrence Ward

John Brown, Jr.

ANALYSIS OF COMPLAINTS

Accidents	34
Animals (dogs, cats, etc.)	106
Assault	3
Breaking and Entering Larceny	30
Calls for Town Officials	41
Crank Calls	9
Checking Houses (vacations, etc.)	29
Delivering Messages	4
Drunks, Domestic Quarrels	30
Fire Assistance	4
Juveniles	36
Inquiries (Insurance Co., Loan Co., etc.)	109
Malicious Damage and Vandalism	22
Miscellaneous	117
Missing Persons	3
Motor Vehicle Complaints	19
Motor Vehicles Parked and Abandoned	21
Prowlers, Suspicious Persons	24
Shooting Near a Residence	8
Snow Vehicle Complaints	15
Stolen Property	33
Recovery of Stolen Cars	4
Warrants Served	5

The police department received a total of 724 calls and worked a total of 1078 hours; 5,000 miles traveled.

Respectfully submitted,

EUGENE F. PARKER

Chief of Police

REPORT OF EPSOM FIRE DEPARTMENT 1972

Total Number of Calls	38
Number Fires	20
Number Truck Runs	27
Number Runs Each Truck	
Engine No. 1	14
Engine No. 2	8
Forestry Truck	5

Listing of Fires

Building — 6. Two out of Town. Chimney — 4. Brush — 3. Rubbish — 3. Oil Burner — 1. Electric — 1. Smokes — 3. Car — 1. Gas — 1. Investigation — 1.

There were 14 — Calls for help other then Fires — For Cellars — Chimneys — Cats in Tree, etc.

There were — 476 Telephone calls answered and taken care of 205 — Black Phone Home & Station. Warden — 95. Red Phone — 75. Wrong Number — 66. False Alarms — 5. Information — 30.

Which included — 12 for Police, 8 for Selectmen, 6 for Tax Collector, 7 for Town Clerk.

The Epsom Fire Department's MOTTO since 1952 has been THINK — We in the Department have done that and have encouraged the Citizens of Epsom to do that.

The best and cheapest Insurance against Fires is — THINK.

I wish to THANK all the men of the Department and the Citizens of the Town for their Efforts and Support with their Thinking for the last 20 years. 1952 - 1972.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSCOE G. WARREN, Chief
Epsom Fire Department

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Epsom Fire Department 1972

Receipts

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1972	\$ 1,355.41
Received from Town	11,058.75
Other sources	1,644.00
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Total	\$14,058.16

Expenditures

General Maintenance & Running of Dept.	\$ 1,456.56
Building & Grounds	1,003.75
Chiefs Pay	2,200.00
Firemen's Pay — Time on Duty & Fires	934.36
Training	356.30
Heat	494.65
Telephone — Red Phones (6) & Station	608.30
New Equipment	1,078.36
Insurance	142.50
Addition — Contractor & Heat	659.75
Material — Including Electricity	1,047.16
Material — Wall & Lean-to;	
For Town Equipment	1,347.51
Labor — Plumbing in Station;	
Addition & Lean-to	2,019.92
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Total	\$13,349.12
Cash on hand — Dec. 31, 1972	709.04
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	\$14,058.16

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND DISTRICT CHIEF

In New Hampshire, forest fire control is a cooperative State-town program. The Town Forest Fire Warden, appointed by the Director, Division of Resources Development upon recommendation of the Selectmen and the State's District Forest Fire Chief is responsible for fire suppression and other related duties. The State shares equally with the town in the cost of most forest fires, except illegal and careless fires, which are charged to the responsible party. The State further provides fire detection services, prevention programs, fire training for town wardens and crews, and back-up equipment for fire suppression.

By authority of the State, the Town Forest Fire Warden controls all outside burning in his town except backyard cooking fires. Any person wishing to kindle a fire when the ground is not covered with snow must obtain a fire permit, free of cost, from the Town Forest Fire Warden. No permits will be issued for fires between 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. unless it is raining, except for commercial purposes.

Please be careful when using fire, remember it can be an extremely useful tool when under control but once allowed to run wild it can become a disastrous and devastating force. Only you can prevent a forest fire.

Number of fires reported and acres burned — 1972 season:

STATE	410 fires	361	acres
DISTRICT	90 fires	135½	acres
TOWN	13 fires	9	acres

District Chief
ROBERT J. BURTON

Forest Fire Warden
ROSCOE G. WARREN

CENTER BARNSTEAD FIRE DEPARTMENT

Ambulance Service

Annual Cost Per Man

Salary	\$ 6,500.00
Blue Cross Insurance	309.44
Social Security	380.25
Workmen's Compensation Ins.	141.00
State of N. H. Unemployment Ins.	130.00
Vacation	125.00

Total	\$ 7,585.69
Second Man	7,585.69

Total	\$15,171.38
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	Ambulance Calls 1971	Ambulance Calls 1972
Pittsfield	68	74
Barnstead	50	48
Epsom	46	66
Northwood	48	36
Strafford	7	13
Chichester	18	25
Gilmanton	24	28
Total	261	290

Report of Health Officer for Year 1972

The Health Officer has made the usual inspections on complaints and nuisances, as reported by individuals.

I am willing to cooperate in any way possible for the best interest of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT
Health Officer

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Jan. 1, 1972 to April 10, 1972

Town Poor:

Bi-Go Markets	\$300.00
Joe Kings Shoe Store	20.95
Charles W. Sweeney O.D.	40.00

\$360.95

Received from Town of Epsom \$360.95

Aid to Soldiers & Sailors & Families:

Bi-Go- Markets	\$235.00
Donald Colby	90.00
Gosselin Pharmacy	7.95
Huckin Oil Co.	41.00
Kings Dept. Store	19.97
Concord Gas Service Corp.	14.50
Concord Electric Co.	50.88

\$459.30

Received from Town of Epsom \$459.30

Old Age Assistance

	No. of Cases	Grant	Medical Per Case	Town Share
Dec. 1971	1	\$42.00	6.00	\$16.50
Jan. 1972	1	300.00	6.00	81.00
Feb. 1972	None			

\$97.50

Received from Town of Epsom \$97.50

Aid to the P. T. Disabled — 2 Cases:	
Three payments to State of N. H.	\$346.95
Received from Town of Epsom	346.95

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT J. YEATON
Overseer of Public Welfare

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE Epsom, N. H. 1972

Town Poor:	
John Wooten "Rent"	\$34.000
Gossville General Store	73.02
Gilbert Marston "Gas"	6.50
Merrimack County Commissions (Food)	36.00
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	\$149.52
Received from Town of Epsom	149.52
Balance in my hands, December 31, 1972	none
Aid to Soldiers and Sailors and Families:	
Paid to Wayne Graffam "Bus Fare"	34.20
Paid to Gossville General Store	172.29
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	206.49
Received from Town of Epsom	209.56
Balance in my hands, December 31, 1972	3.07
Aid to the Disabled — 2 Cases:	
Nine payments to the State of N. H.	1,039.85
Received from Town of Epsom, N. H.	1,039.85

Old Age Assistance

	No. of Cases	Grant	Medical Per Case	Town Share
April 1972	1	\$370.00	\$6.00	\$98.50
May 1972	1	288.00	6.00	78.00
June 1972	1	288.00	6.00	78.00
July 1972	1	288.00	6.00	78.00
Aug. 1972	1	288.00	6.00	78.00
Sept. 1972	1	144.00	6.00	42.00
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Paid State of New Hampshire				\$452.50
Received from Town of Epsom N. H.				\$452.50

Respectfully submitted,

SHIRLEY PARKER
Overseer of Public Welfare

DISPOSAL PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Advisory Committee authorized at the last Town Meeting and appointed by the Moderator has met with the Central N. H. Regional Planning Commission through the summer and fall, reviewed technical studies on various means of waste disposal; reviewed State air pollution control requirements; and evaluated alternate plans to help Epsom upgrade our solid waste disposal practices.

We have concluded that:

- A. our present dump operation must be upgraded to meet State requirements by July 1, 1975;
- B. that a sanitary landfill procedure offers the best method of disposal at least cost for the foreseeable future; that the number of potential sites, however, is limited and require detailed analysis and community discussion before they can be recommended as acceptable;
- C. that there appears to be significant savings if towns can work toward a joint solution, but that exact costs cannot be determined until further studies are completed;
- D. that there is significant interest in at least eleven other municipalities in working toward joint resolution of the problem. This is evidenced by the agreement and action of the towns to form a Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board as provided under State law.

It is recommended that the Town take the following action at the 1973 Town Meeting:

1. Direct the Committee in conjunction with other towns represented on the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board to —

- A. work out a detailed proposal to resolve the Town's solid waste management problems or to report why such a joint action is not advisable, and
 - B. Undertake such analysis, negotiations, and determination of costs for initial and continuing operations, and to draft the proper legal documents and organization procedures necessary to implement the proposed solution and to present these to the Selectmen for action at a Town Meeting.
2. Appropriate \$440.00 at a rate of thirty cents per capita as the Town's share of costs of the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Board to undertake its work, conditional upon the terms set forth in the Board's proposed by-laws.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE CARLSON
JOHN B. YEATON
SHIRLEY B. HOWARD
Planning Committee

APPROPRIATIONS FOR CONCORD HOSPITAL

January 4, 1973

Chairman
Board of Selectmen
Epsom, New Hampshire 03239

Dear Mr. Yeaton:

The Trustees of Concord Hospital are again requesting appropriations from the City of Concord and the towns served by the Hospital.

As in the past, our appropriation request is based upon net unpaid services (Charity Care) given to patients during the year just ended. 2.6% of the patients treated at Concord Hospital last year were residents of Epsom. Using this percentage figure, your town's share of the net unpaid charity services is \$585.00. We respectfully request favorable action on this appropriation.

A Hospital representative would appreciate the opportunity to appear before your Budget Committee to discuss and explain this request. If you will give us a convenient date and time, we will arrange to have a representative meet with you.

Health services at Concord Hospital are available to all residents of Epsom regardless of ability to pay.

The financial support of your community is needed and appreciated to help pay for services which are provided but not paid for.

Sincerely yours,

J. RICHARD JACKMAN
President
Concord Hospital Board of Trustees

MEMORIAL DAY REPORT

Elwood D. Wells Post No. 112 American Legion

Rec'd Town of Epsom		\$150.00
Expenses:		
Flags & Markers	43.20	
Wreaths		9.39
R. A. Briggs repairing marker		5.00
Epsom Band		92.41
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		\$150.00

Respectfully submitted

ROBERT F. DEMERS
Finance Officer

OFFICERS OF EPSOM VILLAGE DISTRICT

Moderator

ELMORE A. BICKFORD

Commissioners

ALBERT J. YEATON	Expires 1973
ROBERT E. CUTTER	Expires 1974
JAMES M. STEELE	Expires 1975

Treasurer

LOUIS A. DEMERS

Clerk

JOHN DAVIS

Superintendent

KENNETH E. STOCKMAN

WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Epsom Village District in the Town of Epsom County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Epsom Town Hall in said Epsom on Saturday, the 10th day of March, next at two of the clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a Commissioner for a term of three years.
5. To see what action the District will take upon the budget submitted by the Budget Committee.
6. To see if the District will authorize the Commissioners to borrow a sum not to exceed \$5,000.00 on long term note; money to be used on new well project.
7. To see if the District will authorize the Commissioners to withdraw the capital reserve fund of the District plus interest; the money to be used for the new well project.
8. To see if the District will authorize the Commissioners to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary in anticipation of taxes.

9. To see if the District will authorize the same salaries for the district officers as last year.

10. To transact any other business that may legally be brought before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 10th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-three.

ALBERT J. YEATON
ROBERT E. CUTTER
JAMES M. STEELE
Commissioners of
Epsom Village District

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ALBERT J. YEATON
ROBERT E. CUTTER
JAMES M. STEELE
Commissioners of
Epsom Village District

**TREASURER'S FINANCIAL REPORT
EPSOM VILLAGE DISTRICT**

For Year Ending December 30, 1972

Receipts

Cash on hand January 1, 1972		\$ 8,188.60
Town of Epsom, Precinct Tax	\$ 5,967.30	
State of N. H. Bus. Profits Tax	413.41	
Town of Epsom, Appropriation	5,000.00	
Suncook Bank, Loan 1 Mo.	4,000.00	
Suncook Bank, Temp. Loan	15,000.00	
Water Accounts, Service Charges	6,968.83	
Service Connection Charges	300.00	
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		37,649.34
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Total Receipts		\$45,837.94

Payments

Suncook Bank		
Bonds & Interest	\$ 6,625.00	
Commissioners Orders		
Nos. 330-381	31,916.83	
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Total Payments		\$38,541.83
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Cash on hand		\$ 7,296.11

LOUIS A. DEMERS
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE EPSOM VILLAGE DISTRICT

Payments in Detail

Operating Expenses:

Concord Electric Co.	\$1,021.24	
Pittsfield Bottled Gas Co.	111.74	
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		\$1,132.98

Maintenance and Repairs:

Manchester Water works	\$292.97	
Aetna Engineering Co. Inc.	550.33	
Cutter Enterprises	2,073.50	
Chas. Brock	58.00	
S. W. Bickford	88.00	
Everett J. Prescott	152.34	
A. J. Yeaton	18.59	
Kenneth E. Stockman	41.00	
General Electric Supply Co.	224.18	
H. R. Prescott & Sons	491.32	
Johns Manville	608.00	
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		\$4,598.23

Officers Expenses:

Louis Demers	\$29.30	
Brown & Saltmarsh	2.60	
The Paige Agency	20.00	
A. J. Yeaton	2.65	
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		\$54.55

Insurance:

James M. Steele	\$44.20
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New Services:

Cutter Enterprises	\$396.00
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Temporary Loans:		
The Suncook Bank		\$4,000.00

Interest:		
The Suncook Bank		\$14.25

Officers Salaries:		
Elmore A. Bickford	\$10.00	
John Davis	15.00	
Albert J. Yeaton	100.00	
Carleton T. Rand	8.34	
James M. Steele	41.70	
Robert E. Cutter	50.00	
Louis A. Demers	260.00	
Kenneth E. Stockman	100.00	
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		\$585.04

New Construction:		
Robert E. Cutter	\$14,400.00	
R. E. Chapman Co.	6,208.00	
Environmental Engineers Inc.	400.00	
Kathleen M. Roy	8.58	
Perkins & Dowst	75.00	
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		\$21,091.58

Payment to Johns Manville of \$608.00 under Maintenance and repairs was for pipe for Robert E. Cutter. Mr. Cutter has paid the Water District.

ALBERT J. YEATON
 ROBERT E. CUTTER
 JAMES M. STEELE
 Commissioners

FINANCIAL REPORT — EPSOM VILLAGE DISTRICT
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1972

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash on hand	
General Fund	\$ 7,296.11
Bond and Note Fund Cash	1,519.52
Capital Reserve Funds	3,903.32
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Total Assets	\$12,718.95
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	55,703.89
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Grand Total	\$68,422.84

Liabilities

Unexpended Balance of Bond and	
Long Term Note Issues	\$ 1,519.52
Capital Reserve Funds	3,903.32
Bonds outstanding	63,000.00
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Total Liabilities	\$68,422.84
Grand Total	\$68,422.84

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

Lands and Buildings:	
Lands & Pump House	\$ 18,900.00
Furniture and Apparatus:	
Pump, Controls, 250,000 gal. storage tank	18,000.00
Mains, Hydrants, Service Connections	135,000.00
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Total Valuation	\$171,900.00

FINANCIAL REPORT — EPSOM VILLAGE DISTRICT

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1972

Current Revenue:

Appropriation	\$ 5,000.00
Precinct Tax	5,967.30
Business Profits Tax	413.41

From Other Sources:

Water Rents	6,968.63
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Other:

Service Connection Charges	300.00
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Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Notes issued during year	19,000.00
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$37,649.34
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Cash on hand at beginning of year	8,188.60
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Grand Total	\$45,837.94
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Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

Officers' Salaries	\$ 585.04
Officers' Expenses	54.55
Maintenance	4,598.23
Operating Expenses	1,132.98
Insurance	44.20
Interest on Note	14.25

Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$ 6,415.00
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Interest Paid	2,639.25
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Outlay, New Construction & Equip.:

Materials	\$21,091.58
New Services	396.00
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Total Outlay Payments	\$21,487.58
Total Indebtedness Payments	8,000.00
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Total Payments for All Purposes	\$38,541.83
Cash on hand at end of year	7,296.11
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Grand Total	\$45,837.94

1973 BUDGET OF THE EPSOM VILLAGE DISTRICT IN THE TOWN OF EPSOM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

	1 Actual Expenditures Prior Year	2 Recommended By Budget Committee
APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES		
Capital Outlay — Construction	\$21,091.59	\$ 5,000.00
Capital Outlay — Other	4,000.00
Principal of Debt	4,000.00	14,000.00
Interest on Debt	2,362.50	3,112.50
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Total Appropriations or Expenditures	\$27,454.08	\$26,112.50

	1 Actual Revenue For Prior Year	2 Estimated Revenue For Current Year
SOURCE OF REVENUE AND CREDITS		
Business Profits Tax	\$ 413.41	\$ 434.08
Town of Epsom, 1972 Int. Bal. ....	.....	1,000.00
Amounts Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes	30,000.00	5,000.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	4,000.00
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Total Revenues Except Precinct Taxes	\$30,413.41	\$10,434.08
Amount to be Raised by Precinct Taxes	15,678.42
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Total Revenues and Precinct Taxes		\$26,112.50

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ALBERT J. YEATON
JOHN D. DAVIS
THOMAS A. SINCLAIR
JOHN M. FULTON

Budget Committee

OFFICERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

Moderator

NEIL WAITE

Clerk

CAROLYN PATTERSON

Superintendent of Schools (Acting)

DAVID R. CAWLEY

Assistant Superintendent of Schools

GERALD A. CROTEAU

Business Administrator

FREDERICK A. HOYT

School Board

ROBERT S. YEATON chm.	Term Expires 1973
THOMAS A. SINCLAIR	Term Expires 1974
MICHAEL L. SKLARIN	Term Expires 1975

Treasurer

AMY K. BARTLETT

Auditor

SUE BICKFORD

Truant Officer

MRS. SHIRLEY I. PARKER

School Nurse

CARLENE J. KALLGREN

SCHOOL WARRANT
The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Epsom qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 7th day of March 1973, at 6:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officers and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.
9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,240.00 for a contingency fund as provided by RSA 198: 4-b.

10. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the Capital Reserve Fund in anticipation of an addition or alteration to the Epsom Central School.

11. To see if the voters will authorize the school board to accept on behalf of the District any Federal or State Funds designed to improve educational opportunities. Further, to see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for such funds and to expend the same for such projects as it may designate.

12. To conduct any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Epsom this 6th day of February 1973

ROBERT S. YEATON
THOMAS A. SINCLAIR
MICHAEL L. SKLARIN
School Board

A true copy of Warrant —Attest:

ROBERT S. YEATON
THOMAS A. SINCLAIR
MICHAEL L. SKLARIN
School Board

Budget of the School District of Epsom — 1973-74 — Expenditures

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Approved Budget 1972-73	School Board's Budget 1973-74	Recommended 1973-74
Administration			
Contracted Services	\$ 475.00	\$ 85.00	\$ 85.00
Other Expenses	640.00	550.00	550.00
Instruction			
Salaries	102,680.00	108,150.00	108,150.00
Textbooks	2,775.00	2,187.00	2,187.00
Library & Audiovisual Mate.	750.00	2,712.00	2,712.00
Teaching Supplies	4,000.00	4,688.00	4,688.00
Contracted Services	4,075.00	4,552.00	4,552.00
Other Expenses	875.00	1,455.00	1,455.00
Attendance Services	100.00	100.00	100.00
Health Services	3,140.00	4,360.00	4,360.00
Pupil Transportation	16,000.00	16,000.00	16,000.00
Operation of Plant			
Salaries	7,500.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Supplies	1,500.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Contracted Services	75.00	75.00	75.00
Heat	2,200.00	2,200.00	2,200.00
Utilities	2,500.00	2,750.00	2,750.00
Maintenance of Plant	5,500.00	4,745.00	4,745.00
Fixed Charges			
Employee Retirement & F.I.C.A.	7,956.00	9,572.00	9,572.00
Insurance	1,750.00	2,700.00	2,700.00
School Lunch & Spec. Milk Program	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
Student-Body Activities	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Capital Outlay			
Sites	750.00	.....	.....
Equipment	610.00	600.00	600.00
Debt Service			
Principal of Debt	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
Interest on Debt	2,800.00	2,501.00	2,501.00
Outgoing Transfer Accounts in State			
Tuition	141,600.00	155,864.00	155,864.00
Supervisory Union Expenses	5,339.22	7,712.00	7,712.00
Pyts. into Cap. Res. Funds ..	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Outgoing Transfer Acc'ts. out of State			
Tuition	1,400.00	1,400.00	1,400.00
Summer School			
Contingency Fund	2,927.00	3,240.00	3,240.00
Total Appropriations	<u>\$336,017.00</u>	<u>\$364,098.00</u>	<u>\$364,098.00</u>

Budget of the School District of Epsom — 1973-74 — Receipts

REVENUES & CREDITS AVAILABLE TO REDUCE SCHOOL TAXES	Approved Revenues 1972-73	School Board's Budget 1973-74	Budget Committee 1973-74
Unencumbered Balance	\$ 12,994.96	\$	\$
Revenue from State Sources:			
Sweepstakes	4,790.00	4,790.00	4,790.00
Foundation Aid	31,270.00	31,270.00	31,270.00
School Building Aid	1,519.00	1,519.00	1,519.00
Business Profit Tax .....	.....	6,247.00	6,247.00
Revenue from Federal Sources:			
Sch. Lunch & Special Milk Program	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Local Revenue Except Taxes:			
Tuition	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Total Sch. Revenues and Credits	\$53,873.96	\$47,126.00	\$47,126.00
District Assessment	316,972.00	316,972.00
Total Appropriations	\$364,098.00	\$365,098.00

CLIFFORD M. OSBORNE
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Budget Committee

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOOKKEEPER
For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1972

Received as per Treasurer's Report	\$309,200.54
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Payments

Salaries of District Officers	450.00
Contracted Services	365.00
Supplies and Expenses of Administration	453.66
Teacher's Salaries	92,802.38
Textbooks	2,181.17
Library and Audiovisual	1,709.70
Teaching Supplies	5,828.02
Contracted Services	2,580.10
Other Expenses for Instruction	539.94
Attendance	170.00
Health Services	3,198.30
Transportation	14,100.00
Custodial Service	6,433.63
Supplies for Operation of Plant	2,093.94
Contracted Services	1,601.39
Heat	1,544.27
Utilities	2,730.53
Maintenance of Central School	
Repairs to Equipment	334.05
Contracted Services	33.50
Repairs to Building	5,321.37
Teachers Retirement	1,995.26
F.I.C.A.	4,288.09
Insurance	1,560.42
School Lunch Program	
Federal	4,100.05
District	1,000.00

Student Body Activities	1,103.93
Capital Outlay	
Buildings	95.17
Equipment	1,564.01
Debt Service, Old School	
Principal	3,000.00
Interest	237.50
Debt Service, New School	
Bonds retired	6,000.00
Coupons redeemed	2,574.00
Tuition	111,624.53
Other tuition and transportation	1,005.00
Supervisory Union Expenses	5,243.66
Title I	3,853.00
Payment into Capital Reserve	2,500.00

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

Salaries of District Officers:

Clayton N. Heath, Jr.	\$100.00
Robert S. Yeaton	100.00
Thomas Sinclair	100.00
Amy Bartlett	150.00
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	\$ 450.00

Contracted Services:

Carolyn Patterson	\$65.00
Sue Bickford	20.00
Priscilla Thompson	250.00
Claire Butler	30.00
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	\$ 365.00

Supplies & Expenses of Administration :

Postage	\$80.00
Edson Eastman Company	20.19
Petty Cash	50.00
Misheks	29.57
Apex Printing Company	140.00
N. H. School Board Assoc.	90.00
Bridge & Byron of Concord	37.50
Carlene Kallgren	4.00
Monitor Publishing Company	2.40
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	\$ 453.66

Teacher's Salaries:

Teachers	\$89,177.38
Instructional Staff	947.00
Secretarial	2,678.00
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	\$92,802.37

Textbooks:

Scholastic Book	\$436.43
Holt, Rinehart & Winston	85.47
The Economy Company	355.00
Garrard Publishing	4.46
Barnell Loft Ltd.	627.50
Scott Foresman & Company	295.13
Harcourt Brace & Janovich	59.63
Science Research Association	255.91
Principal's Account	26.00
University of New Hampshire	35.64
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	\$ 2,181.17

Library & Audiovisual:

Hearne Bros.	\$152.50
N. H. Audio Vue Inc.	21.75

Ohio State University	1.25
A. H. Rice Company	137.00
The Highsmith Company	53.91
N. H. Distributors	87.00
The Press of Case Western Reserve Univ.	3.30
The H. W. Wilson Company	41.49
Listening Library	150.11
Scholastic Magazine	65.75
Lyons & Carnahan	40.22
Silver Burdett Company	78.39
Harcourt Brace & Janovich	151.20
3 M Business	30.77
Beckley Cardy Company	5.27
N. H. Network	312.00
School & Library Publishing Co.	48.40
Edson Eastman	10.40
Barbara Smith	1.98
American Education Publications	5.50
Toy City	1.76
World Book Encyclopedia	5.95
Walt Disney Material	290.30
Mainco School Supply	13.50
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	\$ 1,709.70

Teaching Supplies:

Mainco School Supply	\$852.74
Educators Progress Service	36.75
Time Life Books	8.68
Croft Educational Service	254.27
3 M Business Product	169.26
Rue Pencil Company	56.10
National Geographic Society	22.50
Science Research Association	689.37
D L M Corporation	74.44
New England School Supplies	2,490.28

The Economy Company	176.10
Scholastic Magazine	309.61
Charles E. Merrill	143.65
Carl Fischer Inc.	24.00
Butterworth Industries	20.00
Laidlaw Brothers	162.08
Leichester Learning	2.88
A. H. Rice Company	115.00
American Educators	103.00
Taft Business Machine	14.00
Northern Supply	9.00
Sharon Ayer	3.00
U. S. Pencil	39.25
Harcourt Brace	8.30
Allyn Bacon	4.40
Art Center of Concord	2.40
Programs for Education	6.00
McGraw Hill	30.96
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	\$ 5,828.02

Contracted Services:

Aldric Forest	\$1,500.10
Sharon Ayer	1,040.00
Elsie Fife	40.00
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	\$ 2,580.10

Other Expenses for Instruction:

Lafayette School Aid	\$31.42
George Walsh	1.00
Edson Eastman Company	15.40
Apex Printing Company	49.00
Northern Supply Company	34.66
Leslie Longueil	160.00
Frank Wells	100.00
H. A. Holt & Sons	19.57

J. L. Hammett	45.49
Center For Education U.N.H.	30.00
Robert S. Yeaton	15.00
Knollcrest Florist	37.50
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	\$ 539.94

Attendance:

Shirley I. Parker	\$170.00
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	\$ 170.00

Health Services:

Carlene Kallgren	\$2,640.00
Carlene Kallgren — Supplies	132.00
Concord Mental Health	290.00
Gosselin Pharmacy	79.94
John Argue, M.D.	10.00
X-ray Associates	30.00
Schoolmaster Science	16.36
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	\$ 3,198.30

Transportation:

Wayne Graffam	13,600.00
Harvey Marston	500.00
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	\$14,100.00

Custodial Service:

Janitor	\$6,433.63
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	\$ 6,433.63

Supplies:

Lamont Labs	\$1,361.43
Guptill & Sons	40.32
Capitol Plumbing	59.51

Share Corp	157.63
Merrimack Farmers	20.28
Superior Electric	6.83
Youngs	50.16
Columbia Manufacturing	39.40
Kent Agency of Boston	17.60
Concord Lumber Company	13.72
Rochester Germicide Company	32.50
M. D. Stetson	92.16
Waxine Products	18.50
Evans Radio	13.91
Alfred Preve	3.79
Ralph Pill Electric Co.	43.20
American Chemical Co.	123.00
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	\$ 2,093.94
Contracted Services:	
Robert N. Feeney	66.00
Cutter Enterprises	20.00
Simplex Time Recorder	38.00
Northern Heating & Plumbing	179.14
Cartier Electric Company	69.48
Maurice Patterson	1,228.77
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	\$ 1,601.39
Heat:	
Huckins Oil Company	\$140.21
Agway, Inc.	1,404.06
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	\$ 1,544.27
Utilities:	
Epsom Village Water District	\$129.00
New England Telephone Co.	427.18
Concord Electric Company	2,174.35
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	\$ 2,730.53

Repairs to Equipment:

George Walsh	\$132.95	
Northern Supply	60.00	
Evans Radio	15.25	
Simplex Time Recorder	24.30	
Rand Radio & TV	80.25	
Windoor Shop	21.30	
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		\$ 334.05

Contracted Services:

A. G. Bickford	\$13.00	
Cartier Electric	20.50	
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		\$ 33.50

Repairs to Building:

Concord Color Center	\$152.48	
Concord Lumber Company	25.34	
Allgeyer Bros. Painting	3,113.00	
Wendell Dymont	2,000.00	
Windoor Shop	30.55	
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		\$ 5,321.37

Fixed Charges:

F.I.C.A.	\$4,288.09	
Teachers Retirement	1,995.26	
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		\$ 6,283.35

Insurance:

Stevens Insurance Agency	\$1,189.30
Jackman Lang	20.00
Rowley Agency	165.00
Susan Bruckman	31.02
Leslie Longueil	31.02
Frances Newman	31.02

David Space	31.02
Elizabeth Stimmell	31.02
Frank Wells	31.02

\$ 1,560.42

School Lunch Program:

Federal	\$4,100.05
District	1,000.00

\$5,100.05

Student Body Activities:

Max Cohen	\$15.00
Merrimack Farmers	35.76
Concord Lumber Company	34.65
Haggetts Sport Store	165.09
Beacon Musical Instrument	7.50
A. J. Forest	57.00
Carl Fischer Inc.	42.49
Frank Wells	300.00
Norman J. Fortier	5.00
David Space	200.00
Wayne Graffam	125.00
Gossville General Store	11.44
Coe Brown Northwood Academy	15.00
Ralph Swain Bus Service	90.00

\$ 1,103.93

Capital Outlay — Buildings:

Sears & Roebuck	\$95.17
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\$ 95.17

Capital Outlay — Equipment:

George Walsh	\$65.00
Kent Agency of Boston	246.85

Interstate Restaurant Co.	311.20	
Alfred Preve	6.00	
Radio Shack	249.90	
Sears & Roebuck	279.00	
The Highsmith Company	83.56	
Mainco School Supplies	322.50	
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		\$ 1,564.01

Debt Service:

Principal		
The Suncook Bank	\$3,000.00	
Interest		
The Suncook Bank	237.50	
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		\$ 3,237.50

Debt Service New School:

Bonds Retired		
Suncook Bank	\$6,000.00	
Coupons Redeemed		
Suncook Bank	2,574.00	
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		\$ 8,574.00

Tuition:

Pembroke School District	\$104,371.53	
Pittsfield School District	7,253.00	
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		\$111,624.53

Other Tuition & Transportation:

Great Bay Tuition & Trans.	\$1,005.00	
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		\$ 1,005.00

Supervisory Union Expenses:

Supervisory Union #53 \$5,243.66

\$5,243.66

Payment into Capital Reserve:

Trustee of the Trust Account \$2,500.00

\$2,500.00

Title I:

Teacher Aides \$3,853.00

\$3,853.00

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY — 1971 - 72

Allenstown	\$ 1,082.90
Candia	1,107.60
Chichester	569.40
Deerfield	907.40
Epsom	874.90
Hooksett	3,578.90
Pembroke	2,809.30
Raymond	2,069.60
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	\$13,000.00
State Share	5,000.00
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	\$18,000.00

1ST ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Allenstown	\$ 1,099.56
Candia	1,124.64
Chichester	578.16
Deerfield	921.36
Epsom	888.36
Hooksett	3,633.96
Pembroke	2,852.52
Raymond	2,101.44
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	\$13,200.00
State Share	2,700.00
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	\$15,900.00

2ND ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Allenstown	\$ 1,011.26
Candia	1,034.33
Chichester	531.73
Deerfield	847.37
Epsom	817.02
Hooksett	3,342.14
Pembroke	2,623.46
Raymond	1,932.69
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	\$12,140.00
State Share	2,700.00
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	\$14,840.00

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
Epsom, N. H.

Summary 1971 — 1972

Cash on hand July 1, 1971	\$ 12,199.38
Received from Selectmen	\$243,317.52
Revenue from State Sources	48,378.34
Revenue from Federal Sources	4,100.05
Received from Tuitions	597.00
Received from all other sources	248.25
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Total Receipts	\$297,001.16
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Available for year	\$309,200.54
Less School Orders Paid	296,205.58
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Balance on hand June 30, 1972	\$ 12,994.96

Respectfully submitted,

AMY K. BARTLETT,
Treasurer

AUDITOR'S REPORT

August 14, 1972
Epsom, N. H.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Epsom School District for the year ending June 30, 1972 and find them correct and supported by proper vouchers.

SUE V. BICKFORD,
Auditor

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Date	From Whom	Description	Amount
1971			
Sept. 9	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	\$10,000.00
28	State Treasurer	Foundation Aid	18,227.68
Oct. 28	State Treasurer	Building Aid	1,519.74
Nov. 1	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	10,000.00
15	Town of Northwood	Frances Bergeron	900.00
15	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	40,000.00
Dec. 6	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	10,000.00
17	Interst. Restaurant	Over-payment Refund	43.25
17	State Treasurer	Sweeps	4,790.49
1972			
Jan. 3	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	20,000.00
10	State Treasurer	Blind Services	306.00
27	State Treasurer	Blind (F. Bergeron)	294.00
27	Taft Bus. Mach.	over-payment refund	7.00
28	Scholastic Mag.	credit-refund	4.35
28	Scholastic Mag.	credit-refund	1.35
29	State Treasurer	Foundation Aid	18,227.68
Feb. 4	State Treasurer	Div. of Inst. Read.	313.75
Mar. 1	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Sept.	151.20
1	Birch, Skalarin, Bartlett	Filing Fees	3.00
5	Rosemarie Borden	Rent of One Room	180.00
17	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	15,000.00
22	Town Treasurer	Appropriaiton	35,000.00
Apr. 11	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Nov.	602.29
14	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Dec.	518.86
19	Town Treasurer	Appropriation	25,000.00
25	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Jan.	725.93
May 3	J. Bickford, Agt.	Milk Reimburse. Oct.	486.51
6	State Treasurer	Title I	4,159.00
15	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Feb.	564.07
18	Town Treasurer	Bal. of Apprpr.	78,317.52
June 3	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Mar.	754.31
3	Howley Ins. Agency	Refund Insurance	1.00
13	Harcourt, Brace	over-pay Refund	8.30
21	Forbes Bryce	Tuition, Alan Bryce	597.00
30	State Treasurer	Milk Acct., Apr.	296.88
TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING YEAR			\$297,001.16

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Today's schools are indeed becoming more and more complex. We see evidence of this here in Epsom. The job of the teacher is ever more demanding and one that requires constant re-evaluation in terms of today's curriculum.

We now find the school curriculum has become everybody's business. Inside and outside education, there are forces that propose changes in our schools.

Some call for a return to "basic education," while still others want more emphasis on "creativity" and "individualized instruction." This is the dilemma facing your School Board.

At our town level, we realize that the curriculum is affected by the availability of materials, physical facilities, and community demands, including financial resources.

Teaching techniques previously have been geared toward drill and repetition. Today we find the stress on developing understanding and overall content, rather than studying isolated factual material.

There is great need to adjust the curriculum to the needs of the times. We might very well find in the near future, full-time teachers working on developing the curriculum when students are not in attendance.

Libraries or media centers will need to receive a high priority in our town budget if standards are to be maintained. Title II of the Elementary and Secondary Act of 1965 has helped us some but much more local effort is needed in the years to come.

We need and hopefully will see much stress in the future on Vocational Education. A school program is certainly needed that will enable every young person completing Grade 12 to be ready to enter higher education or to enter useful and rewarding employment. We are really talking about the capacity of our people to sustain and accelerate the pace of progress in this country during a lifetime of learning.

I appreciate the cooperation of the School Board and the community in our educational endeavors.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID R. CAWLEY

Acting Superintendent of Schools

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Enrollment at the end of the 1971-72 school year was 301; at the beginning of the 1972-73 school year it was 306.

As in the past few years, the ungraded section includes all students below the 7th grade and is divided into 9 levels. School faculty and staff organization at the beginning of the 1972-73 school year was as follows:

Level 1: Mrs. Elsie Fife
Level 2: Mrs. Betty Walker
Level 3: Mrs. Barbara Bassett
Level 4: Mrs. Barbara Smith
Level 5: Mrs. Elizabeth Stimmell
Level 6: Mrs. Patricia Chapyak
Level 7: Mrs. Colleen Chenoweth
Level 8: Miss Eileen McCarthy
Level 9: Mr. David Space
Grade 7: Mr. Robert McNamara
Grade 8: Mrs. Bernice Omand

School Nurse: Mrs. Carlene Kallgren
Speech Therapist: Mrs. Sharon Ayer
Music Director: Mr. Aldric Forest
Secretary-Librarian: Mrs. Priscilla Thompson
Teacher Aides: Mrs. Carolyn Patterson, Mrs. Rachel Chateaufneuf, Mrs. Rose Hilliard
Custodian: Mr. Maurice Patterson
School Lunch Personnel: Mrs. Joyce Bickford, Mrs. Phylis Brown, Mrs. Eris Lombard

Our students in the upper grades are actively participating in sports such as Soccer, Girls & Boys Basketball and in the spring we will look forward to Boys Baseball and Girls Softball.

In the academic field we have initiated a Learning Abilities program in which all students from Level 1 through Level 6 have been screened by qualified personnel. From these findings and further testing, our students with learning disabilities will receive extra

help. This is a Federally Funded program which we are sharing with the Town of Chichester.

We are also participating in a curriculum study program in Social Studies from Kindergarten through the Twelfth grade in coordination with Pembroke Academy.

I would like to thank the School Board for their support and cooperation and the parents for my warm welcome to the Epsom Central School.

RAYMOND BOURQUE,
Principal

GRADUATING CLASS OF 1972

Linda A. Arsenault	Neil Inman
Spencer L. Avery	Constance Jane Kitson
Susan Backus	Anita E. Krenn
Bonnie L. Bell	Alan Wayne Lafleur
Michael W. Bohi	Ronald D. Lesieur
Alan L. Bryce	Robert Charles Palmer, Jr.
John R. Burton III	Gary R. Paquette
Victoria E. Champney	Lorraine Phelps
Kathleen Anne Cheever	Bruce A. Pickering
Merlin F. Cochran	Robert B. Ponton
Randall R. Cutter	Wayne B. Preve
Dary Ann Deinhardt	Alan S. Quimby
David Karl Dietlein	Lori Sawyer
Timothy J. Donahue	Michael Peter Solimanto
Paul Gordon Elkins	Cheryl L. Stiles
Lois Fife	Carol Stockman
Katrina J. Fowler	Kim Elizabeth Taft
Joseph W. Frost	Sharon Denise Tirrell
Melissa J. Hamilton	Kathy Walsh
Christopher Harrison	Daniel Albert Yeaton

STATISTICAL REPORT

Town of Epsom

Half-days in session	362
Total Enrollments	327
Percent Attendance	94.8
Average Daily Attendance	294.2

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT

Epsom, New Hampshire

1971 - 1972

To the Superintendent:

The health program for the year 1971-1972 was carried out in the usual manner with an annual physical inspection of each student by the nurse. When defects were noted, the appropriate referral and follow-up were made.

The students received the benefit of preventive dental care through classroom visits by a hygienist sponsored by the N. H. Bureau of Dental Public Health. One hundred and ninety-nine children responded to the cleaning and fluoride clinic held during the fall months.

The Heaf Test was offered to all school personnel and to the incoming first grade students. A total of 72 tests were administered. Immunization clinics were sponsored by the Epsom P.T.O. during the months of March, April and May. A total of 114 doses of vaccine were given by Dr. Patrick Kelly, Pittsfield, N. H. Forty-four children were registered for school entry at a pre-school clinic in May. First aid was administered to approximately 106 students, 11 home visits were made, 17 ill students transported home and 5 students were taken to clinics or medical appointments. Eight faculty members completed the Red Cross Multi-Media First Aid Course taught by the school nurse. Two students were evaluated for possible learning disabilities at the Manchester Rehabilitation Center.

During the 1971 legislative session the following health requirements were passed.

"All children shall be immunized prior to school entrance according to the current recommendations of the

State Health Agency." The immunizations listed below must be completed prior to school entry.

1. Measles Vaccine — regular (Having had measles is acceptable when verified)
2. Oral Trivalent Polio Vaccine (Sabin)
3. Diphtheria, Pertussis and Tetanus (D.P.T.)
4. Rubella (German Measles) Vaccine

All children shall be examined prior to school entrance to detect symptoms of Tuberculosis. All children shall have a routine physical examination by a physician before school entry. At the March 1972 meeting, the Epsom School Board adopted the above policy relative to Immunization Requirements and Examinations for school entrants as required by state law.

The following films were shown in conjunction with the health education program for the year.

dental health, first aid, nutrition, smoking, personal health, drug abuse

I would like to express my thanks to the Superintendent, School Board Members, teachers and parents for their cooperation and support during the past year.

Sincerely,

CARLINE E. KALLGREN
School Nurse

PROPOSED SCHOOL CALENDAR **1973 - 74**

	M	T	W	TH	F		M	T	W	TH	F
Sept.	X	X	5	6	7	Feb.					1
	10	11	12	13	14		4	5	6	7	8
18	17	18	19	20	21	15	11	12	13	14	15
	24	25	26	27	28		X	X	X	X	X
							25	26	27	28	
Oct.	1	2	3	4	5						
	X	9	10	11	12	Mar.					1
20	15	16	17	18	X		4	5	6	7	8
	X	23	24	25	26	21	11	12	13	14	15
	29	30	31				18	19	20	21	22
							25	26	27	28	29
Nov.				1	2						
	5	6	7	8	9	Apr.	1	2	3	4	5
20	12	13	14	15	16		8	9	10	11	12
	19	20	21	X	X	17	15	16	17	18	19
	26	27	28	29	30		X	X	X	X	X
							29	30			
Dec.	3	4	5	6	7						
	10	11	12	13	14	May			1	2	3
15	17	18	19	20	21		6	7	8	9	10
	X	X	X	X	X	22	13	14	15	16	17
	X						20	21	22	23	24
							X	28	29	30	31
Jan.		X	2	3	4						
	7	8	9	10	11	June	3	4	5	6	7
22	14	15	16	17	18		10	11	12	13	14
	21	22	23	24	25	15	17	18	19	20	21
	28	29	30	31							

Sept. thru Jan. — 95 days

Feb. thru June — 90 days

DAYS OUT

Sept. 3 — Labor Day

Dec. 24 — Jan. 1 — Christmas
Vacation

Oct. 8 — Columbus Day

Oct. 19 — Teachers'
Convention

Feb. 18-22 — Winter Vacation
(Feb. 18 Washington's
birthday)

Oct. 22 — Veterans' Day

Nov. 22-23 — Thanksgiving
Recess
(Nov. 22 Thanksgiving
Day)

Apr. 22-26 — Spring Vacation
(Apr. 22 Fast Day)

May 27 — Memorial Day

185 Days — 180 Days Required Attendance for
Instructional Purposes

Births Registered in the Town of Epsom, for the Year Ending December 31, 1972

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (If Any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parent ^s	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
Jan. 24	Concord	Deborah J. Carlson	George F. Carlson, Jr.	Martha J. Richmond	Epsom	Connecticut	Connecticut
Jan. 31	Concord	Jeffrey C. Allen	Howard S. Allen, Jr.	Irma M. Stevens	Epsom	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
Feb. 20	Concord	Cheryl C. Veinotte	Ernest E. Veinotte	Linda M. Sias	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Mar. 9	Concord	Mark D. Rosalbo	M Daniel J. Rosalbo	Wendy A. Christie	Epsom	Massachusetts	Massachusetts
Mar. 25	Concord	Cary M. Allen	F Douglas M. Allen	Hannah Milligrock	Epsom	Alaska	Massachusetts
May 2	Concord	Ryan C. Mandigo	M Ronald C. Mandigo	Jeanette M. Palmer	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
May 9	Concord	Steven M. Johnson	M John H. Johnson	Darlono G. Carpenter	Epsom	New York	New Hampshire
May 10	Concord	John M. S. O Dougherty	M Kerry G. O Dougherty	Norah Taft	Epsom	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
May 22	Concord	Adam C. Watson	M Curtis D. Watson	Judith A. Saturley	Epsom	New Hampshire	Massachusetts
June 23	Concord	Julie S. Ward	F Lawrence T. Ward	Madelyn C. Worthly	Epsom	Louisiana	New Hampshire
July 4	Concord	Christopher S. E. Yeaton	M Stephen E. Yeaton	Kathleen A. Fossett	Epsom	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
July 7	Concord	Paulotie L. Wheeler	F Don N. Wheeler	Pauline E. Barton	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July 9	Concord	Christopher D. Grandmont	M Michael E. Grandmont, Sr.	Charlotte R. Bell	Epsom	Texas	New Hampshire
July 10	Concord	Andrew L. Davis	M Paul D. Davis	Carolyn E. Kimball	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July 14	Concord	Robert L. Stockman	M Ronald L. Stockman	Donna I. Locke	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July 19	Epsom	Belinda R. Goodwin	F Cressy Goodwin	Jeanne E. Pike	Ctr. Barnstead	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
July 31	Concord	Gary S. Casseau	M Alfred F. Casseau	Pamela M. King	Epsom	New Hampshire	New York
Aug. 3	Concord	Joseph A. Emerson	M William C. Emerson	Karen L. Whitney	Epsom	Massachusetts	New Hampshire
Aug. 6	Concord	James O. Wells, III	M James O. Wells, II	Mary C. Meenan	Epsom	Michigan	New Hampshire
Aug. 29	Concord	Derek R. Stebbins	M Ronald E. Stebbins	Marilyn E. Richardson	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Sept. 3	Manchester	Lynn E. Laterza	F Lawrence A. Laterza	Anita D. Royer	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Jersey
Sept. 29	Concord	Michael B. Demers	M Wesley B. Demers	Darbie L. Babkink	Epsom	Connecticut	New Hampshire
Oct. 3	Manchester	Stephen J. Weldon	M James F. Weldon	Tressie L. May	Epsom	Mississippi	New Mexico
Oct. 19	Concord	Tracy M. Florence	F Terry L. Florence	Diana L. Fardo	Epsom	Kentucky	Kentucky
Oct. 24	Concord	Erin D. L. Morton	F Reid R. D. Morton	Jeanette R. Hodgdon	Epsom	Maine	Maine
Nov. 2	Concord	Stephen C. Huggins	M Edward L. Huggins	Kathryn M. Riley	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Nov. 28	Concord	Aaron J. Lamb	M Arthur L. Lamb	Karen E. Wead	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec. 7	Concord	Christopher M. Sliva	M Francis Sliva, Jr.	Denise M. Duquette	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
Dec. 7	Concord	Tara Lea Huckins	F Percy N. Huckins	Patricia A. McManis	Epsom	Vermont	New Hampshire
Dec. 9	Concord	Matthew M. Sawyer	M Robert E. Sawyer, Jr.	Linda L. Edmunds	Epsom	New Hampshire	New Hampshire

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HAZEL P. STEELE, Town Clerk

April	22	Chichester	Dennis B. Prescott	Epsom	1/15/50	Connecticut	Clyde A. Prescott	Maine	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
			Martha L. Fife	Epsom	7/28/52	New Hampshire	Sophie E. Zaklukiewicz	Connecticut	Chichester, N. H.
April	29	Chichester	William H. McFarlin II	Epsom	4/14/53	Kansas	Elsie Merrill	New Hampshire	Clergyman
			Donna M. LeClair	Pembroke	7/28/55	New Hampshire	William H. McFarlin	Maine	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
May	19	Concord	Michael Z. Clark	Epsom	7/14/49	New Hampshire	Caire Ames	New York	Chichester, N. H.
			Nancy J. Veacock	Concord	8/10/43	New Hampshire	Amos LeClair	New Hampshire	Clergyman
May	19	Epsom	Raymond A. Prim	Epsom	10/22/48	Vermont	Dorothy Richard	New Jersey	Charles W. Lucking
			Donna E. Claris	Epsom	3/13/45	Massachusetts	Robert Clark	New York	Concord, N. H.
May	27	Meredith	Donald G. Keeler	Epsom	12/29/51	New Hampshire	Evelyn Clinton	Massachusetts	Clergyman
			Denise L. Taber	Londonderry	9/12/53	New York	James Veacock	Massachusetts	
June	1	Chichester	Lawrence T. Ward	Epsom	3/12/39	New Hampshire	Hazel Bain	Vermont	William G. McInnes
			Madelyn C. Dietlein	Epsom	5/21/39	Louisiana	Leo Prim	Vermont	Nottingham, N. H.
June	10	Epsom	Wesley B. Demers	Epsom	3/26/52	New Hampshire	Elizabeth Metivier	New Hampshire	Minister
			Darbie L. Babkirk	Epsom	7/2/53	Connecticut	Donald E. Bolton	New Hampshire	Irving S. Jones
June	17	Allenstown	Victor H. I. Walton	Epsom	5/20/36	Michigan	Elizabeth St. John	Massachusetts	Londonderry, N. H.
			Sharon L. Bolton	Epsom	5/25/48	Massachusetts	Duane L. Keeler	New Hampshire	Minister
June	24	Candia	Larry R. Eastman	Concord	9/15/51	New Hampshire	Norma M. Wells	New York	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
			Maurcen J. Scribner	Epsom			Ralph B. Taber	New York	Chichester, N. H.
July	1	Deerfield	Frederick M. Palmer, Jr.	Deerfield	10/23/50	New Hampshire	Barbara A. Barnes	New Hampshire	Clergyman
			Kathryn M. Cochran	Epsom	7/26/54	Texas	Fred C. Ward	New Hampshire	
							Dorris Tilton	New Hampshire	
							Earl B. Worthy	Louisiana	
							Eva E. Roderick	Louisiana	
							Robert F. Deners	New Hampshire	
							Shirley M. Mosher	New Hampshire	
							Clive A. Babkirk	New Hampshire	
							Lois B. Wishart	Maine	
							DeForest D. Walton	California	Roland V. Stoodley, Jr.
							Louise Potter	Michigan	Claremont, N. H.
							Donald E. Bolton	New Hampshire	Justice of the Peace
							Elizabeth St. John	Massachusetts	
							Clifford Eastman	Vermont	
							Ruth Weeks	New Hampshire	Rev. Leo Lefebvre
							Ralph Scribner	New Hampshire	Candia, N. H.
							Lita Crumney	New Hampshire	Catholic Priest
							Frederick M. Palmer	New Hampshire	
							Lila M. Heath	Vermont	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
							Marlin F. Cochran	Vermont	Chichester, N. H.
							Pauline M. Lamora	New Hampshire	Clergyman

Marriages Registered in the Town of Epsom for the Year Ending December 31, 1972

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at Time of Marriage	Date of Birth of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence and official station of Persons by whom married	
July	9	Concord	Francis E. Gammon Sr.	Epsom	7/ 9/27	Maine	Israel F. Gammon Doris L. Beck	Maine Maine	Michael P. Nolin Concord, N. H.
			Mary E. Witham	Epsom	11/25/18	New Hampshire	Fred C. Fife Mary E. Montminy	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Justice of the Peace
Aug.	5	Epsom	David L. Cushing	Epsom	2/ 6/51	New Hampshire	Llewellyn M. Cushing Grace Emily Yeaton	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Chichester, N. H.
			Arlene M. Stiles	Epsom	8/26/54	New Hampshire	Arnold J. Stiles Lucille R. Nadeau	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Clergyman
Aug.	5	Merrillith	Dwight L. Keeler	Epsom	8/31/50	New Hampshire	Duane L. Keeler Norma M. Wells	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Stanley R. Hopper DeWitt, N. Y.
			Leslie A. Hopper	Glendale, Calif.	10/21/54	New Jersey	Stanley D. Hopper Carol J. Steiner	Massachusetts California	Methodist Prof.
Aug.	12	Concord	Carson E. Wells	Epsom	1/ 4/51	New Hampshire	Neal A. Wells Sr. Dorothy A. Young	New Hampshire Maine	John J. Johnson Concord, N. H.
			Mary A. Loiselie	Concord	6/17/48	New Hampshire	John E. Loiselie Helen M. Skinner	New Hampshire Vermont	Pastor
Aug.	16	Concord	Robert H. Stevens	Pembroke	10/28/39	Maine	Paul Stevens Ella Howard	Nova Scotia Maine	Robert D. Branch Concord, N. H.
			Carole J. Reece	Epsom	1/24/41	New Hampshire	Laurence Nugent Edna Henry	Canada New Hampshire	Justice of the Peace
Sept.	1	Plaistow	Wayne Graffam	Epsom	2/18/10	New Hampshire	Orville Graffam Valborg Perkins	Maine Massachusetts	Rev. Henry K. Mook Plaistow, N. H.
			Martha B. Jackman	Plaistow	1/19/18	Massachusetts	Lewis Barnes Martha Kirkland	Massachusetts Scotland	Ordained Minister
Sept.	16	Manchester	James W. Arnold	Epsom	7/23/20	Kentucky	Henry Arnold Alma Forrest	Kentucky Kentucky	Donald L. Fowler Manchester, N. H.
			Alice T. Wallace	Manchester	6/20/25	New Hampshire	John McDonnough Helen Laughlin	Ireland Ireland	Justice of the Peace

Oct.	6	Concord	Philip S. Yeaton	Epsom	1/22/29	New Hampshire	George S. Yeaton Madeleine Brown Paul Clark Helyn Sparrow	New Hampshire Massachusetts New Hampshire Massachusetts	Rev. Robert Wall Concord, N. H. Pastor
Oet.	7	Epsom	Norman E. Moyses, Jr. Barbara A. Findlay	Concord Epsom	11/ 8/37 5/ 9/50	New Hampshire Wyoming	Norman E. Moyses Eulalia Lucero James W. Findlay	Florida California Massachusetts	Donald G. Vedeler Rye, N. H. Minister V.C.C.
Oet.	14	Bristol, R. I.	Raymond F. Bullock, Jr. Freida K. Sempach	Epsom Epsom	9/24/43 5/14/45	Rhode Island Switzerland	Margaret E. Lichtenberg Raymond F. Bullock Sr. Nancy Cortellessa Robert Sempach Freida Fischer	Massachusetts Rhode Island Switzerland Switzerland	Clyde J. Walsh Central Falls, R. I. Clergyman
Nov.	4	Epsom	Patrick M. Golden Carol A. Sawyer	Gilmanton Epsom	5/25/53 3/ 6/55	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Alfred K. Golden Thelma M. Rollins John W. Sawyer	New Hampshire New Hampshire New Hampshire	Rev. LaFayette Pinckney Epsom, N. H. Minister
Nov.	9	Epsom	Joseph Y. DeSpain Wilma R. Jones	Epsom Frankfort, Ky.	11/30/42 2/ 5/35	Kentucky Vermont	Ruth M. Quimby Joseph F. DeSpain Mary L. Bloyd William E. Boughton Mabel A. Loueks	Kentucky Kentucky Vermont New York	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Chichester, N. H. Clergyman
Nov.	11	Concord	Roy Dufield	Penbroke	3/19/28	New Hampshire	Fred Dufield Esther Russell	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Winston L. Blake Concord, N. H.
Nov.	11	Chichester	Florence L. Colman Philip E. Dail	Epsom Epsom	3/ 8/47 7/19/47	Massachusetts New Hampshire	Noel Bachend Florence Auburn Rossie M. Dail	Massachusetts North Carolina New Hampshire	Justice of the Peace
Dec.	9	Boscawen	Patsy A. Yeaton Rocco H. Coppola	Epsom Epsom	9/12/46 12/22/51	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Dorothy M. Janvrin Herbert D. Yeaton Nellie B. Magoon Joseph G. Coppola Alice E. Eaton	New Hampshire New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts	Rev. H. Franklin Parker Chichester, N. H. Clergyman
Dec.	11	Concord	Debra N. DuVerger Maynard L. Greenwood, Jr.	Boscawen Epsom	2/ 4/55 5/18/38	New Hampshire New Hampshire	Merle F. DuVerger Cynthia Porter Maynard L. Greenwood Victory Minard	Connecticut New Hampshire Massachusetts	Mark A. Schipul Boscawen, N. H. Reverend
Dec.	18	Manchester	Sayoko Mulligan Richard A. Steinbach	Concord Manchester	9/28/35 4/27/47	Japan Connecticut	Ikimaci Mayame Suki Toknga Stanley Steinbach	Japan Japan Connecticut	Marjorie B. Foote Concord, N. H. Justice of the Peace
Dec.	30	Laconia	Debra A. Solimanto Peter G. Bailey Bonnie L. Bell	Epsom Alton Epsom	7/ 3/54 10/ 8/55 7/ 7/57	New York Massachusetts New Hampshire	Ruth Greene Michael Solimanto Lillian Welch Paul E. Bailey Sr. Carolyn J. Demeritt Alfred E. Bell Jr. Mary R. Small	New York Massachusetts New Hampshire New Hampshire Massachusetts Texas	Marilyn P. Dupius Manchester, N. H. Justice of the Peace Eugene L. Blake Laconia, N. H. Justice of the Peace

Deaths Registered in the Town of Epsom for the Year Ending December 31, 1972

Date	Place of Birth	Name and Surname of Deceased	Place of Birth	Male or Female	Occupation	Cemetery	Place of Burial	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1971									
Dec. 13	Westford, Mass.	Marion L. Pierce Knowles	71	F					
1972									
Jan. 8	Rochester	Edna C. Cox	82	F	Housewife	McClary	Epsom	Jennie C. Kogg	Hattie Griffin
Jan. 10	Epsom	Robert Johnston	63	M	Typesetter	Calvary	Concord	Frederick J. Johnston	Catherine M. Moore
Jan. 24	Concord	Walter B. Wells	80	M	Hvy. Eq. Operator	New Rye	Epsom	Edgar E. Wells	Laura H. Flint
Jan. 29	Rochester	Lois A. Knox	78	F	Housewife	McClary	Epsom	William Ellison	Etta Devin
Jan. 31	Epsom	Guy Lee Harville	89	M	Farmer	Floral Park	Pittsfield		
Feb. 7	Epsom	Olive M. Reams	90	F	Housewife & Author				
Feb. 18	Epsom	Madeline E. Yeaton	70	F	Housewife	New Rye	Epsom	George J. Mann	Caroline E. Hager
Feb. 22	Concord	Henry M. Phelps	63	M	Ret. Maint. Sup.			William Dooley	Ethel Brown
Mar. 26	Manchester	Joseph Berube	77	M	Wool Sorter	Mt. Auburn		Amos Phelps	
Apr. 22	Epsom	Ernest W. Richards	80	M	Shoe Worker	Pine Grove	Cambridge, Mass.	Adalor Berube	Jennie Plante
Apr. 25	Concord	Arthur D. Waldron	76	M	Salesman	McClary	Farmington	Slas F. Richards	Jennie Ford
May 1	Epsom	Aloisette Onellette	73	F	Clerk	Mt. Calvary	Epsom	Louis Rousselle	Eleanor Kisk
May 22	Concord	Grover Stevens	83	M	Lumberm. & Farmer	McClary	Somersworth	Charles Stevens	Alvine Pelletier
May 24	Concord	Louis Langlitz Jr.	81	M	Poultry Farmer	Walnut Grove	Epsom	Louis Langlitz	Alma Worth
May 26	Epsom	Eva Perron	87	F	Retired	St. Augustine	Danvers, Mass.	Francis Thibault	Maria Lamontagne
May 29	Epsom	Ferdina Arel	72	F	Housewife	St. John Baptist	Manchester	Gacime Belanger	Rosilda Mondoux
June 15	Epsom	Hazel B. Wilson	80	F	Custodian	Mt. Calvary	Allenstown	Michel Arel	Emilie Schmid
June 19	Epsom	Ethel C. Goodwin	65	F	Housewife	Floral Park	Manchester	Eugene Brown	Etta Wallace
June 23	Epsom	Samuel Olen	89	M	Librarian		Pittsfield	Arthur H. Thorne	Lucina C. Wallace
July 10	Epsom	Fred C. Ward	77	M	Ret. Salesman	Riverside	Milford	Nathan Olen	Rose Leikin
July 16	Epsom	Robert F. Kelley	70	M	Ret. for Blind	McClary	Epsom	Charles M. Ward	Angelia Huggins
July 17	Pt. Pleasantboro, N. J.	Robert F. Kelley	40	M	Housewife	Pine Grove	Salem	Joudrey	Sadie Buswell
July 17	Boscawen	Ethel Warren	88	F	Practical Nurse	McClary	Epsom	Harry A. Cook	Bertrice E. Kelley
July 22	Pittsfield	Carrie E. Hildreth	65	F	At Home	New Rye		Harlan T. Hildreth	
Aug. 7			38	F					

Aug. 16	Epsom	George A. Stevens	73	Mass.	M	Painter	McClary	Epsom	Arthur L. Stevens	Florence Wilson
Sept. 15	Concord	Hazel Campbell	60	Vermont	F	Hospital Aide	Leavitt	Chichester	Thomas W. Hoitt	Florence A. Robinson
Aug. 22	Epsom	Maurice T. Whiting	89	Maine	M	Business man.	Riverview	Barnstead	Warren T. Whiting	Ellen E. Muzzey
Oct. 8	Epsom	Alberta Carpenter	93	Kansas	F	Choir Singer	Morrison	Deerfield		
Oct. 12	Hooksett	Marjorie A. Yeaton	57	N. H.	F	Librarian	McClary	Epsom	George H. Yeaton	Ada Brown
Oct. 25	Epsom	Ragna M. McKenney	85	Mass.	F	Housewife	Mt. Auburn	Cambridge, Mass.	Christian B. Moller	Johanna Hanson
Nov. 13	Epsom	Ernest Gauthier	74	N. H.	M	Tele. Operator	St. John Baptist	Allenstown	Anselm Gauthier	Ananda Castonguay
Nov. 15	Concord	Hazel M. Marden	73	N. H.	F	Housewife	Hopkinson	Epsom	Jim O. Bickford	Augusta Baker
Nov. 27	Concord	Forrest J. Drury, M.D.	87	N. H.	M	Ret. Physician	Glenwood	Londonberry	Arthur H. Drury	Alice Whitcomb
Dec. 18	Epsom	Herbert L. Silk, Sr.	82	Mass.	M	Gen. Elec. Emp.	Edgewood	Nashua	Thomas Silk	Louise Downer

I hereby certify that the above is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HAZEL P. STEELE, Town Clerk

