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Three Hundred and Fourth
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR 1960

DORR'S PRINT SHOP
BRIDGEWATER, MASSACHUSETTS

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Incorporated—June 1656

Ninth Congressional District

Second Councillor District

Plymouth Senatorial District

5th Plymouth Representative District

SENATORS IN CONGRESS

Leverett Saltonstall

Benjamin Smith, II

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Hastings Keith of West Bridgewater

COUNCILLOR

Abraham Kahalas of Boston

SENATOR

James F. Burke of Brockton

REPRESENTATIVE

Edward P. Kirby of Whitman

Annual Town Meeting

Saturday preceding 1st Monday in March

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PLYMOUTH COUNTY

Leo F. Nourse

Elva M. Bent

Norman G. MacDonald

COUNTY TREASURER
PLYMOUTH COUNTY

Charles W. Williams

SHERIFF
PLYMOUTH COUNTY

Adnah H. Harlow

DISTRICT ATTORNEY
PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

John R. Wheatley

REGISTER OF PROBATE & INSOLVENCY
PLYMOUTH COUNTY

Walter H. Gilday

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1960

MODERATOR

Lester M. Lane	Elected 1960	Expires 1961
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SELECTMEN

Leo F. Nourse, Chairman, July-March	Elected 1960	Expires 1963
Bartholomew F. Casey, Ch., March-July	1959	1962
Harry P. Dunn	1958	1961

ASSESSORS

Leo F. Nourse, Chairman, July-March	Elected 1960	Expires 1963
Bartholomew F. Casey, Ch., March-July	1959	1962
Harry P. Dunn	1958	1961

OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Leo F. Nourse, Chairman, July-March	Elected 1960	Expires 1963
Bartholomew F. Casey, Ch., March-July	1959	1962
Harry P. Dunn	1958	1961

TOWN CLERK

Jennie W. Carroll	Elected 1960	Expires 1961
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TOWN TREASURER

Arthur C. Chaffee	Elected 1958	Expires 1961
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TOWN COLLECTOR

Arthur C. Chaffee	Elected 1958	Expires 1961
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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Elected	Expires
Arthur W. Blanchard	1958	1961
Lawrence J. Costa, Clerk	1958	1961
Francis B. Bromley	1959	1962
James W. Buckley	1959	1962
John D. Dorr	1959	1962
Richard J. Bradley, Chairman	1960	1963
Richard J. Dowd	1960	1963
Superintendent Albert F. Hunt, Jr.		

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

	Elected	Expires
Ruth E. Davis	1958	1961
Albert F. Hunt, Jr.	1958	1961
Robert S. Danstedt	1960	1961
Julia C. Carter	1959	1962
James J. Gorman	1959	1962
Franklin Mitchell	1959	1962
Herman G. Daiker	1960	1963
Miriam R. Wheeler	1960	1963
Marjorie D. Moore	1960	1963

BOARD OF HEALTH

	Elected	Expires
Leo Zalon, M.D., Chairman	1958	1961
Cecil V. Hayes, Secretary	1960	1963
Lloyd F. Rand	1959	1962

SEWER AND WATER COMMISSIONERS

	Elected	Expires
Franklin Mitchell, resigned Dec. 31, 1960	1960	1963
Alvah Tolivaisa, appointed to March 1961		
Arthur D. Joyce	1958	1961
James Bumpus	1959	1962

PLANNING BOARD

	Elected	Expires
Harold D. Lee, Appointed		1961
Rutledge A. Waker	1957	1962
Victor A. Auglis, Chairman	1958	1963
Harry P. Dunn	1959	1964
Herbert A. Sarkisian, Clerk	1960	1965

PLAYGROUND COMMISSION

	Elected	Expires
Cecil V. Hayes	1958	1961
Russell Cowgill	1959	1962
Edward A. Sherman	1960	1963

TREE WARDEN

	Elected	Expires
John H. Reilly	1960	1961

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(Appointed by Moderator)

	Appointed	Expires
Frederick Yeaton	1958	1961
John P. Carlton, Jr.	1958	1961
Ugo Fruzzetti	1958	1961
Gordon Libby	1959	1962
George C. Richmond	1959	1962
Robert F. King	1959	1962
Stewart A. Brown	1960	1963
John Chuckran	1960	1963
Ralph Lehtola	1960	1963

PLUMBING INSPECTOR

(Appointed by Board of Health)

Eldon M. Thompson	940 Summer Street
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Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

	Appointed	Expires
A. Evelyn Nourse	1959	1962

SURVEYORS OF WOOD & LUMBER

	Appointed	Expires
Howard L. Metcalf	1960	1961
Rosario Wood	1960	1961

FENCE VIEWERS

	Appointed	Expires
Harry P. Dunn	1960	1961
Bartholomew F. Casey	1960	1961

SWORN WEIGHERS

Florence MacDonald	Dominic DelVecchio
Lena MacArthur	Lillian Dupre
Frederick McNeeland	Alfred L. Harris
Robert McNeeland	Luther L. Hayden
John Jesulaitis	John Deming
Theodore Kehoe	Zephrien Dube
Harold Maxim	Arnold W. Jacobs
Harold Bevis	Joseph Johnson
James H. Bevis	Alexander Mellin
Arnold Hoyt	Victor Messaline
Alexander Karasiewicz	Roy Peterson
Joseph Lankalis	Edward Rice
John Revil	Joseph Varao
Ralph Robbins	William Glover
J. Frederick Young	Charles Richards
Charles Moore	Austin Reed
Gerard Bergeron	John Carlton, Jr.
James Burke	Herbert Haas

MEMORIAL DAY CHAIRMAN & PARADE MARSHAL

Wendell H. Simpson	24 Cottage Street
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VETERANS' DAY CHAIRMAN

John F. Considine	328 Center Street
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TOWN PHYSICIAN

William E. Hunt, M.D.	120 Main Street
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TOWN COUNSEL

Edmund W. Nutter	18 Central Square
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INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

James H. Morris 826 South Street

BURIAL AGENT & VETERANS' AGENT

James A. Baker Conant Street

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

James J. Gorman, Chairman Lloyd F. Rand
Jennie W. Carroll, Town Clerk Etra Pratti

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Roscoe W. Sanders 204 Summer Street

FIRE CHIEF

George H. Sweeney 48 Church Street

FOREST WARDEN

George H. Sweeney Approved by the State Division of Forestry

CONSTABLE

Elmer F. Shaw 455 Laurel Street

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Francis R. Copeland Approved by the Division of Agriculture

SEALER OF WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Albert W. Hamlen 425 Laurel Street

MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

John H. Reilly 30 Spring Hill Avenue

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS

Anthony Andre	John P. Cabral
W. Ernest Bevis	Robert S. Jones, Jr.
Alvan D. Brooks	Richard Dubee
Francis R. Copeland	Francis R. Gamache
Joseph Moruzzi	Harry A. Horn
Joseph Lazaro	Clement R. Crowley
Admont J. Znotin	Jacque Thornton
Juanita E. Treadwell	Edward Hall

DOG OFFICER

Francis R. Copeland 655 South Street

INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Francis R. Copeland 655 South Street

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

George H. Sweeney 48 Church Street

WIRE INSPECTOR

Carl Meserve 31 Worcester Street

VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER

Russell L. Soule 85 Fremont Street

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Frederick H. Balboni James Ticchi

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

William K. Bicknell

INDUSTRIAL & DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Frank J. Emalowich John F. Sweeney Walter P. Murray
William M. O'Rourke Rutledge Waker

WAGE & PERSONNEL BOARD

	Appointed	Expires
By Selectmen		
Alvah S. Tolivaisa	1959	1962
John J. Revil, Jr.	1959	1961
By Advisory Committee		
John Chuckran	1959	1962
Robert F. King	1960	1963
By Moderator		
Basil S. Warren	1959	1961

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

	Elected	Expires
Walter P. Murray	1960	1963
John E. Flynn	1960	1962
By School Committee		
James W. Buckley		

LIBRARY PERSONNEL

Librarian	Bertha J. Cameron
Assistant Librarian	Phyllis D. Keith
Children's Librarian	Miriam R. Wheeler

FIRE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Chief	George H. Sweeney
Deputy Chief	Arthur D. Joyce
Captain	Melvin Gay
Lieutenant	Robert S. Stone
Privates	Francis Hruniak, Clarence Levy

POLICE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Chief	Elmer F. Shaw
Sergeants	Eugene Nicholson, James Elliott
Patrolmen	James A. Bois, William K. Nicolas, Kenneth W. Hall, Kenneth E. Gebo
Clerk, Policewoman	Juanita Treadwell

TRAFFIC SUPERVISORS

Dorothy Barney	Jane Lewoczko
Mary Lapham	Aileen Stone

CUSTODIAN — TOWN HALL & ACADEMY BUILDING	
Charles E. Chassey	64 Grove Street

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

TOWN MEETING COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of Bridgewater, in the County of
Plymouth, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the

BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

South Street, Bridgewater

SATURDAY, the 5th day of MARCH 1960

at 7 o'clock in the forenoon and at the

HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM

State Teachers College

MONDAY, the 7th day of MARCH 1960

at 7:30 o'clock in the evening

in accordance with Town By-Laws

Then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose one Moderator for one year, one Selectman for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Overseer of Public Welfare for three years, one Town Clerk for one year, two members of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional District School Committee for three years, one member of the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional District School Committee for two years, three Trustees of the Public Library for three years, one Trustee of the Public Library for one year, one member of the Board of Health for three years, one Sewer and Water Commissioner for three years, one member of the Planning Board for five years, one Playground Commissioner for three years, one Tree Warden for one year, and all minor Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Article 2. To hear and act upon the report of the Town Accountant, School Committee, Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Trustees of the Public Library and Board of Health.

Article 3. To hear and act on any reports of Committees appointed by the Town.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate and vote into a tax to be assessed upon the polls and estates according to law, such sums of money as may be thought necessary for the Department of Public Welfare, Support of Schools, Town Library, repairs to roads and bridges, lighting the streets, Police Department, Fire Department, Tree Warden, Pension, Town Officers, and for incidental expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for a Cost of Living increase for all employees under jurisdiction of the Wage and Personnel Board.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1960, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 7. To see what action the Town will take in relation to instructing the Collector of Taxes.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture and choose a Town Director as provided in Section 41 and 45 of Chapter 128 of the General Laws.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Construction or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from unappropriated available funds in the

treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Maintenance or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$11.92 to pay the welfare employees for travel bills incurred during the month of December 1959 and not submitted for payment prior to January 10, 1960, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will accept a sum of money from the Trustees of the "Merritt G. Perkins Loan Fund" to be held in trust by the Town as the "Merritt G. Perkins Scholarship Fund" in accordance with the terms of a Trust Agreement dated August 5, 1959.

Article 13. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for participation in the dedication of the National Guard Armory or take any other action relative thereto. By Request.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to amend its By-Laws by addition of the following new section: Article 12, Section 4 "No person shall store junk, or junk automobiles within 50 feet of any Street line, or within 50 feet of any property line, and all persons so storing junk, or junk automobiles, shall erect a fence of solid material, and not less than 8 feet in height between said storage place and the street at a distance of at least 50 feet from said street and said property lines."

Article 15. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,800.00 for the extension of sewer mains on Goodwin and Sanger Streets or take any other action relative thereto. By Petition.

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate and transfer from Water Revenue a sum of money for the purchase or taking by eminent domain of two certain parcels of land off Conant Street, bordering on Carver's Pond for the location of a well site to expand the Town water supply, and for the necessary engineer's services and expenses connected with the purchase; said sum to be expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$46,000.00 for the construction of a Gravel Pack Well and necessary connections to present main from Summer Street to Winter Street by way of Conant Street, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 for Swimming Pool activities at the State Teachers College during the summer months; said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to change the Wage & Personnel Board By-Laws as follows:

Section 7, Group E (Water & Sewer Departments) by adding a new position—Heavy Equipment Operator—SC12.

Section 7, Group G (Public Library) by changing the Head Librarian from SC10 to SC11.

Article 20. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,400.00 for the extension of Water mains on Plain Street or take any other action relative thereto. By request.

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

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal this 10th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY

LEO F. NOURSE

HARRY P. DUNN

Selectmen of Bridgewater

Received from Jennie W. Carroll, Tem. Town Clerk, a box containing 4500 ballots, for the Annual Town Election, March 5, 1960.

HARRY P. DUNN, Ballot Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION
MARCH 5, 1960

In accordance with the provisions of the Town By-Laws, and of the foregoing Warrant the meeting was opened by the Warden, after which the Town Clerk read the Warrant and administered the oath to the Election Officers. The Warden then declared the polls open. The Warden had inspected the Ballot Box and received the keys to the box.

At 8:00 o'clock in the evening the Warden declared the polls closed. The Counters completed their work at 8:45 P.M. The whole number of Ballots cast: 1004. Men, 520; Women, 484.

The following announcement was made as a result of the voting:

For MODERATOR for ONE YEAR

Lester M. Lane	855	
Others	3	
Blanks	146	
	1004	

Lester M. Lane was declared elected.

For SELECTMAN for THREE YEARS

Leo F. Nourse	778	
Others	33	
Blanks	193	
	1004	

Leo F. Nourse was declared elected.

For ASSESSOR for THREE YEARS

Leo F. Nourse	785	
Others	25	
Blanks	194	
	1004	

Leo F. Nourse was declared elected.

For OVERSEER OF PUB. WELFARE for THREE YEARS

Leo F. Nourse	783	
Others	25	

Blanks	196	
	—	1004

Leo F. Nourse was declared elected.

For TOWN CLERK for ONE YEAR

Jennie W. Carroll	871	
Blanks	133	
	—	1004

Jennie W. Carroll was declared elected.

For SCHOOL COMMITTEE for THREE YEARS

Richard J. Bradley	539	
Gordon A. Hall	477	
Richard J. Dowd	670	
Blanks	322	

Richard J. Bradley, and Richard J. Dowd were declared elected.

For BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REG. DIST.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE for THREE YEARS

Walter P. Murray	802	
Blanks	202	
	—	1004

Walter P. Murray was declared elected.

For BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REG. DIST.
SCHOOL COMMITTEE for TWO YEARS

John E. Flynn	507	
Nelson E. Sanborn	453	
Blanks	44	
	—	1004

John E. Flynn was declared elected.

For TRUSTEES of PUB. LIBRARY for THREE YEARS

Herman G. Daiker	793	
Marjorie D. Moore	789	
Miriam R. Wheeler	791	
Blanks	639	

Herman G. Daiker, Marjorie D. Moore, and Miriam R. Wheeler were declared elected.

For TRUSTEE of PUB. LIBRARY for ONE YEAR	
Robert F. Danstedt	841
Other	1
Blanks	162
	— 1004

Robert F. Danstedt was declared elected.

For BOARD OF HEALTH for THREE YEARS	
Cecil V. Hayes	748
Victor Oliveira	199
Blanks	57
	— 1004

Cecil V. Hayes was declared elected.

For SEWER & WATER COMMISSIONER for THREE YEARS	
Franklin Mitchell	839
Other	1
Blanks	164
	— 1004

Franklin Mitchell was declared elected.

For PLANNING BOARD for FIVE YEARS	
Herbert A. Sarkisian	852
Blanks	152
	— 1004

Herbert A. Sarkisian was declared elected.

For PLAYGROUND COMMISSION for THREE YEARS	
Edward A. Sherman	800
Other	1
Blanks	203
	— 1004

Edward A. Sherman was declared elected.

For TREE WARDEN for ONE YEAR	
John H. Reilly	709
Bertram L. Wilson	267
Blanks	28
	— 1004

John H. Reilly was declared elected.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING
HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM
MARCH 7, 1960

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Lester M. Lane, at 7:35 o'clock in the evening.

Article 1. Mr. Bartholomew F. Casey read the list of Minor Town Officers for the ensuing year appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 2. On motion by Mr. Harry P. Dunn, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That the reports be accepted as printed in the Town Report.

Article 3. Mr. Francis Bromley spoke of the Martha Burnell School Contract. A discussion followed after which the matter was left to the Town Counsel.

Article 4.

SALARIES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$37,916.88 for General Government Salaries, to be segregated as follows:

Salaries of Selectmen (Total for 3 members)	\$2,450.00
Selectmen's Clerical	300.00
Accounting Department	8,950.00
Treasurer	1,250.00
Treasurer's Clerical	2,475.22
Collector	3,550.00
Collector's Clerical	2,700.00
Board of Assessors (Total 3 members)	2,550.00
Assessors' Clerical	4,771.66
Town Clerk	3,450.00
Election & Registration	1,420.00
Town Hall	2,025.00
Academy	2,025.00

Total General Government Salaries	\$37,916.88
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

On motion by Mr. Stewart C. Brown, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$97,020.78 for the Protection of Persons and Property Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Police Department	\$50,098.16
Police—Women Traffic Supervisors	2,200.00
Fire Department	33,997.62
Sealer of Weights & Measures	600.00
Building Inspector	600.00
Wire Inspector	600.00
Moth Extermination	2,750.00
Dutch Elm Disease	945.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	4,120.00
Dog Officer	110.00
Forest Fires	1,000.00

Total Protection of Persons & Property Salaries	\$97,020.78
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HEALTH AND SANITATION

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for Health and Sanitation Salaries, segregated as follows:

Health—Salaries, members of Board of Health	\$1,000.00
Health—Salaries of Inspectors	1,950.00
Public Health Nurse	2,200.00
Sewer Maintenance	4,850.00

Total Health and Sanitation Salaries	\$10,000.00
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HIGHWAYS

On motion by Mr. Gordon D. Libby, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,761.30 for the Highway Department Salaries to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Administration	\$3,411.30
Highway Department	31,150.00
Road Machinery	1,200.00
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Total Highway Salaries	\$35,761.30

PUBLIC WELFARE ADMINISTRATION

On motion by Mr. Frederick E. Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,209.41 for Public Welfare Administration Salaries, to be segregated as follows:

Salaries of Overseers (Total of 3 Members)	\$600.00
Salary of Agent	4,975.00
Salary of Social Worker	3,300.00
Salary of Clerk	2,045.52
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Total Welfare Salaries	\$10,920.52
Less Federal Grants	4,711.11
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Total Appropriation for Welfare Salaries	\$6,209.41

VETERANS' SERVICES

On motion by Mr. Ralph L. Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for Veterans' Services Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen and segregated as follows:

Salary of Agent	\$1,500.00
Salary of Clerk	500.00
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Total Salaries for Veterans' Services	\$2,000.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY

On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,987.53 for Public Library Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Library Trustees.

Salaries and Wages	\$12,987.53
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RECREATION

On motion by Mr. Stewart C. Brown, it was MOVED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for Recreation Salaries, to be segregated as follows:

Care of Common (To be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen)	250.00
Athletic Field & Playground (To be expended under the direction of the Playground Commissioners)	4,750.00
Total Recreation Salaries	<u>\$5,000.00</u>

Mr. Harold D. Lee presented an amendment to the motion, duly seconded, and so VOTED: That the sum of \$755.00 be added for Supervised Play to the Recreation Appropriation of \$5,000.00. In favor, 92; Opposed, 75.

The original motion was voted upon making the
Total Recreation Salaries \$5,755.00

WATER DEPARTMENT—APPROPRIATED FROM WATER REVENUE

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate from Water Revenue the sum of \$21,739.55 for Water Department Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners, segregated as follows:

Salaries of Water Commissioners	\$ 700.00
Salaries of Employees	21,039.55
Total Water Department Salaries from Water Revenue	<u>\$21,739.55</u>

EXPENSES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

On motion by Mr. Gordon D. Libby, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$23,526.13 for General Government Expenses, to be segregated as follows:

Selectmen's Expenses	691.00
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Accounting Department	720.20
Treasurer	835.28
Collector	1,629.15
Assessors	712.00
Preparation of Assessors' Maps	7,500.00
Law Department	250.00
Town Clerk	340.50
Election & Registration	1,280.00
Electric Machines Account	350.00
Town Hall	2,700.00
Academy Expenses	4,700.00
Academy—Repairs	1,000.00
Certification of Town notes	50.00
Planning Board	188.00
Appeal Board	80.00
Advisory Committee Expenses	100.00
Wage & Personnel Board	100.00
Development & Industrial Commission	300.00
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Total General Government Expenses	\$23,526.13

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

On motion by Mr. Frederick E. Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$27,972.11 for the Protection of Persons and Property Expenses, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Police Department	\$5,717.00
Police—Traffic Supervisors' Uniforms	18.00
Police—Purchase of 2 Cruisers, Lights, Seat Covers and Lettering	3,200.00
Fire Department	12,712.11
Fire Department—Out of State Travel	85.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	100.00
Building Inspector	50.00
Wire Inspector	75.00
Moth Extermination	925.00
Dutch Elm Disease	3,055.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	780.00
Improvement of Shade Trees—Repairs to Truck	500.00

Dog Officer	450.00
Forest Fires	305.00
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Total Protection of Persons & Property Expenses	\$27,972.11

HEALTH AND SANITATION

On motion by Mr. Ralph L. Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,136.00 for Health and Sanitation Expenses, segregated as follows:

Public Health Nurse	\$ 375.00
Health Department	4,963.00
Sewer Maintenance	1,798.00
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Total Health and Sanitation Expenses \$7,136.00

HIGHWAYS

On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$35,725.00 for the Highway Department Expenses to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Highway Department	\$15,625.00
Road Machinery	6,500.00
Municipal Garage	1,600.00
Street Lighting	12,000.00
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Total Highway Department Expenses \$35,725.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

On motion by Mr. Stewart C. Brown, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$134,979.92 for Public Welfare Department, to be segregated as follows:

Welfare Administration Expenses	\$1,745.50
Less Federal Grant	765.58
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Total Appropriation for Welfare Administration Expenses 979.92

General Public Welfare Relief	11,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	16,000.00
Disability Assistance	9,000.00
Old Age Assistance	98,000.00
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Total Public Welfare Appropriation for Expenses	\$134,979.92

VETERANS' SERVICES

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$21,125.00 for Veterans' Benefits and Veterans' Services Expenses to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

On motion by Mr. Gordon D. Libby, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,563.00 for the Maintenance of the Public Library and reading room in connection therewith, such sums to be inclusive of income from Trust Funds applicable to general library purposes and to be expended under the direction of the Library Trustees.

RECREATION

On motion by Mr. Frederick E. Yeaton, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,705.00 for the Athletic Field and Playground Department, to be expended under the direction of the Playground Commissioners.

Mr. Harold D. Lee presented an amendment to this motion: That the sum of \$200.00 be added to the Expense Appropriation of the Recreation to cover expenses of Supervised Play.

Mr. Victor Harlow made the motion to table the amendment which was lost.

The vote on the Amendment was in Favor, 78; Opposed, 70 (Mr. Lee's.)

The vote on the original motion was	\$3,705.00
	200.00
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Total Recreation Expenses	\$3,905.00

MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS

On motion by Mr. Ralph L. Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$49,778.33 for Miscellaneous Appropriations, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, and segregated as follows:

Miscellaneous Printing	\$1,800.00
Memorial Day	300.00
Veterans Day	200.00
Veterans of Foreign Wars Rent	180.00
Municipal Buildings Insurance	4,255.45
Liability Insurance	291.08
Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	100.00
Non-Contributory Retirement	1,484.00
Contributory Retirement	19,667.80
Lighting & Decorating for Christmas	300.00
Reserve Fund	9,000.00
Repairs to Fence Around Common	300.00
Group Life & Medical Insurance	11,000.00
Marking & Restoring Veterans' Graves	500.00
Abandoned Cemeteries	400.00
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Total Miscellaneous Expenses	\$49,778.33

INTEREST AND DEBT

On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,150.00 for Interest and Debt, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Interest—Temporary Loans	\$2,000.00
Interest—Fire Apparatus Loan	150.00
Maturing Debt—Fire Apparatus	5,000.00
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Total Interest and Debt	\$7,150.00

WATER DEPARTMENT—APPROPRIATED FROM WATER REVENUE

On motion by Mr. Stewart C. Brown, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate from Water Revenue the sum of \$28,381.60 for Water Department Expenses, to be

expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners, segregated as follows:

Water Department—Maintenance	\$16,231.60
Painting Standpipe	12,000.00
Out of State Travel	150.00

Total Water Expenses from Water Revenue	\$28,381.60
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SCHOOLS

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$661,324.35 for the School Department, to be expended under the direction of the School Committee and segregated as follows:

Personal Services	\$446,460.58
Janitors, Matron Service (Outside Organizations)	1,300.00

Expenses, Exclusive of Salaries for personal services for the support of public schools, and the transportation of pupils during the current financial year; this sum to be inclusive of income from Trust Funds applicable to general school purposes and any amount received from the County on account of Dog Licenses

Training or Burnell School Tuition	50,000.00
High School Athletics	4,000.00
Vocational Tuition	3,500.00
Transportation to Vocational Schools	600.00
Adult Evening Practical Arts	1,200.00
Out of State Travel	250.00
Adult Civic Education	125.00
Insurance—Athletics	1,000.00

Total for Schools to be expended under the direction of the School Committee	\$602,843.10
Interest on School Loan	8,481.25
School Loan	50,000.00

Total Appropriation for Schools	\$661,324.35
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BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMMITTEE

On motion by Mr. Gordon D. Libby, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$51,030.90 to be paid to the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District for the 1960 Annual Maintenance and Operating Budget for the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District Committee.

Article 5. On motion by Mr. Basil S. Warren, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,900.00 to provide a 1% cost of living increase for all employees under the jurisdiction of the Wage and Personnel Board, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Wage and Personnel Board.

Article 6. On motion by Mr. Leo F. Nourse, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be, and hereby is, authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1960, and to issue a note, or notes, therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 7. On motion by Mr. Harry P. Dunn, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized to act as Town Collector, and that in his capacity as Town Collector, he be instructed to use all means for collecting taxes which a Town Treasurer may use when appointed a Collector.

Article 8. On motion by Mr. Ralph L. Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate \$100.00 for Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture and that Arthur C. Chaffee be chosen as Town Director, as approved in Section 41 and 45 of Chapter 128 of the General Laws, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 9. On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$24,000.00 for Chapter 90 Construction, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 10. On motion by Mr. Stewart C. Brown, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 for Chapter 90 Maintenance, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 11. On motion by Mr. Gordon D. Libby, it was MOVED: That no action be taken.

Mr. Harry P. Dunn said the original motion had not been seconded. Mr. Harry P. Dunn made the motion, that was duly seconded, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$11.92 to pay the welfare employees for travel bills incurred during the month of December 1959. It was so voted. In favor, 141; Opposed 1.

Article 12. On motion by Mr. Bartholomew F. Casey, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town accept a sum of money from the Trustees of the "Merritt G. Perkins Loan Fund" to be held in Trust by the Town as the "Merritt G. Perkins Scholarship Fund" in accordance with the terms of a Trust Agreement dated August 5, 1959.

Article 13. On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for participation in the dedication of the National Guard Armory, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 14. On motion by Mr. Bartholomew F. Casey, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That the Town vote to amend its By-Laws by addition of the following new section:

Section 4, Article 12 — "No person shall store junk, or junk automobiles within 50 feet of any street line, or within 50 feet of any property line, and all persons so storing junk or junk automobiles, shall erect a fence of solid material, and not less than 8 feet in height between said storage place and the street at a distance of at least 50 feet from said street and said property lines." In favor, 76; Opposed, 73.

Motion made and duly seconded for a recount with the following result. In favor, 78; Opposed, 87.

Article 15. On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$9,800.00 for the extension of sewer mains on Goodwin and Sanger Streets; that the sum of \$7,527.81 be raised in the current tax levy and the sum of \$2,272.19 be transferred from unexpended balance of appropriation for sewer construction, said appropriation to be expended under the direction of the Sewer Commissioners.

Article 16. On motion by Mr. Ralph L. Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from Water Revenue the sum of \$1,500.00 for the purchase of two parcels of land Off Conant Street, bordering on Carver's Pond for the location of a well site to expand the Town Water supply; said sum to be used in addition to the unexpended appropriation for the purchase of land made at the Special Town Meeting in September of 1959 and expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners.

Article 17. On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$46,000.00 for the installation of an additional Gravel Pack Well and necessary connection to present water mains of not less than six inches but less than sixteen inches in diameter from Summer Street to Winter Street by way of Conant Street; that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the \$46,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than 15 years from the date of issue of the first bond or note. In favor, 157; Opposed, 1.

Article 18. On motion by Mr. Stewart C. Brown, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,500.00 for Swimming Pool Activities at the State Teachers College during the summer months; said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 19. On motion by Mr. Basil S. Warren, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town change the Wage & Personnel Board By-Law as follows:

Section 7, Group E (Water and Sewer Departments) by adding a new position; Heavy Equipment Operator SC12.

Section 7, Group G (Public Library) by changing the Head Librarian from SC10 to SC11.

Article 20. On motion by Mr. Federick E. Yeaton, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That no action be taken at this time. The motion was lost.

On motion by Mr. Arthur E. Jones, Jr., duly seconded, it was MOVED and so VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,400.00 for the extension of Water mains on Plain St. Said sum to be expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners.

As this covered all the Articles of the Warrant, the motion was made and seconded to adjourn; the time, 10:21 P.M.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY
THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Bridgewater
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
South Street, Bridgewater
TUESDAY, the TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF APRIL, 1960
at 12 o'clock noon for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

24 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

12 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

10 Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

10 Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

4 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 9th Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party, 9th Congressional District.

2 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 9th Congressional District.

2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party, 9th Congressional District.

District Members of State Committee — (One Man and One Woman) for each political party for the Plymouth Senatorial District.

35 Members of the Democratic Town Committee.

35 Members of the Republican Town Committee.

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE.

The polls will be open from 12 noon to 8:00 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 11th day of April, A.D. 1960.

BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
LEO F. NOURSE
HARRY P. DUNN

Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy. Attest:
April 15, 1960

ELMER F. SHAW, Constable

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY
BRIDGEWATER, MASS., APRIL 26, 1960

In accordance with the provisions of the foregoing Warrant the meeting was called to order by the Warden, Mr. Bartholomew F. Casey. The Town Clerk read the Warrant and administered the oath to the Election Officers at 11:55 A.M., after which the Warden declared the Polls open at 12:00 noon. At 8:00 o'clock P.M. the Warden declared the Polls closed. The whole number of Ballots cast, 269; Democratic, 128; Republican, 141.

The result of the voting follows:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

DELEGATES

Foster Furcolo, 812 Longmeadow St., Longmeadow	110
John W. McCormick, 726 Columbia Rd., Boston	105
John M. Lynch, 34 Browning Rd., Somerville	99
Robert F. Murphy, 90 West Border Rd., Malden	104
Joseph D. Ward, 29 Allston Pl., Fitchburg	100
Edward J. McCormack, Jr., 1110 Morton St., Boston	100
Thomas J. Buckley, 290 Commonwealth Ave., Boston	106
John F. Collins, 20 Myrtle St., Boston	102
Joseph William Belanger, 2 Lillie Way, Boston	95
John E. Powers, 158 M St., Boston	96
John F. Thompson, 59 Fairway Dr., Ludlow	92
Endicott Peabody, 19 Larch Rd., Cambridge	97
Robert Francis Kennedy, Marchant Ave., Boston	102
Howard W. Fitzpatrick, 100 Maple St., Malden	96
Garrett H. Byrne, 52 Tacoma St., Boston	97
Balcom S. Taylor, 924 Tremont St., Boston	92
Mary L. Fonseca, 102 Webster St., Fall River	96
John L. Saltonstall, Jr., 73 Middlesex Rd., Brookline	100
Betty Taymor, 44 Fairfax St., Newton	91
Stephen T. Chmura, 4 Elm St., Holyoke	91
Bernard Solomon, 89 Mt. Vernon St., Boston	91
Kenneth J. Kelley, 275 Washington St., Hanover	96
A. Frank Foster, 472 Norfolk St., Boston	90
Thomas J. O'Connor, Jr., 142 Merriam Ave., Springfield	95

ALTERNATE DELEGATES

William F. Donoghue, 217 Commercial St., Weymouth	97
Charles N. Collatos, 46 Webster Rd., Lexington	90
Mary DePasquale Murray, 18 Grant St., Milford	93
Peter J. Rzeznikiewicz, 26 Chestnut St., Ware	89
Edward King, 21 Birch St., Ludlow	89
Joseph A. DeGuglielmo, 24 Arlington St., Cambridge	91
Cornelius W. Phillips, Jr., 30 Spruceland Ave., Springfield	89
Anthony M. Scibelli, 200 Maple St., Springfield	92
Richard Maguire, 20 Ridgefield Rd., Winchester	91
Paul W. Glennon, 31 Bellingham Rd., Worcester	92
Dan H. Fenn, Jr., 22 Sherburne Rd., Lexington	89
Thomas J. Noonan, 53 Craftsland Rd., Brookline	93

DELEGATES, 9TH DISTRICT

Francis J. Lawler, 203 Clifford St., New Bedford	78
Edmund Dinis, 29 Arnold Pl., New Bedford	80
George E. Carignan, 386 Union St., New Bedford	75
Helen L. Buckley, 198 Center St., Abington	92

ALTERNATE DELEGATES

John B. Hynes, Jr., 21 Merrymount Rd., Hingham	82
Charles H. McGrath, 215 Main St., Barnstable	75

NOT GROUPED

Charles Rodrigues, 417 Union Street, New Bedford	4
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STATE COMMITTEE

Thomas W. Devine, 642 Ash St., Brockton	73
John J. Lyons, 90 Bartlett St., Brockton	22
William J. Mara, 59 Greenfield St., Brockton	20
Anna P. Buckley, 16 Rutland Sq., Brockton	72
Arline A. Mooney, 95 Newbury St., Brockton	13
Helen A. Vigers, 5 Frank St., Middleborough	24

TOWN COMMITTEE

John E. Flynn, 218 Center St.	116
Frederick H. Balboni, 33 Pearl St.	102
James A. Baker, Conant St.	97
Ernest A. Enos, 96 Main St.	101
Harry P. Dunn, 26 Norlen Pk.	104
John T. Campbell, 42 Church St.	101

Edward H. Silva, 214 Oak St.	102
Albert Lanzikos, 39 Mt. Prospect St.	100
James J. Ticchi, 37 Crapo St.	98
Gerard Provost, 65 Union St.	99
Mario Ricci, 270 Oak St.	86
Lorraine B. Daley, 487 Summer St.	95
Mary L. Buckley, 296 South St.	98
Anthony S. Domingos, 91 Oak St.	99
Joseph L. Mello, 373 South St.	100
Louise B. Clark, 5 Library Pl.	96
Rutledge A. Waker, 105 Cross St.	91
Robert G. Clark, Jr., 5 Library Pl.	103
John J. O'Neill, 122 Park Ave.	98
Etra J. Pratti, 75 Hammond St.	97
Helen C. Resevic, 491 High St.	96
Richard E. Hennessy, 14 Worcester St.	94
Joseph A. Connolly, 92 Pleasant St.	96
John J. Daley, 487 Summer St.	93
Primo E. Resmini, 455 North St.	95
Joseph P. Barry, State Farm	99
Virginia M. Flynn, 218 Center St.	101
Germaine Y. Lanzikos, 39 Mt. Prospect St.	92
Jane Dunn, 26 Norlen Pk.	96
John R. Oleskiewicz, 299 Summer St.	89
Lauretta M. Hennessy, 14 Worcester St.	91
Richard J. Bradley, 206 Elm St.	97
Della M. Roque, 164 Oak St.	91
Lawrence Costa, 373 South St.	18
John Larkins, 18 Carmel Circle	8

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

Kennedy	90
Lausche	1
Humphrey	1
Stevenson	1

REPUBLICAN PARTY

DELEGATES

Leverett Saltonstall, Smith St., Dover	136
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., 275 Hale St., Beverly	133

Joseph W. Martin, Jr., 54 Grove St., North Attleborough	131
Thomas A. Pappas, 323 Marsh St., Belmont	126
Ralph H. Bonnell, 81 Arlington St., Winchester	126
Mary R. Wheeler, 17 Westwood Dr., Worcester	128
Daniel E. McLean, 8 Linden Ave., Beverly	126
Fred Lamson, 36 Dodge St., Malden	128
Frank S. Giles, 827 Riverside Dr., Methuen	125
Robert F. Bradford, 106 Coolidge Hill, Cambridge	127

ALTERNATE DELEGATES

Lloyd B. Waring, 19 Marmion Rd., Melrose	131
John A. Volpe, 10 Everett Ave., Winchester	127
Georgia E. Ireland, 38 Bay View Rd., Wellesley	124
George D. Hammond, 98 Western Ave., Westfield	124
Bruce Crane, 45 Main St., Dalton	123
Irene K. Thresher, 667 Chestnut St., Newton	125
Richard F. Treadway, 22 West Cedar St., Boston	126
Augustus G. Means, County Rd., Essex	124
Andrew A. Hunter, 135 Charles St., Boston	124
George L. Sargent, Farm St., Dover	125

DELEGATES, 9TH DISTRICT, GROUP 1

Joseph D. Saulnier, 122 Fern St., New Bedford	89
Joseph A. Sylvia, Wing Rd., Oak Bluffs	86

ALTERNATE DELEGATES

Mary P. Storer, North Water St., Edgartown	90
Marion Angell McAlpin, West Chop, Tisbury	87

DELEGATES, GROUP 2

John R. Wheatley, 80 Ashland St., Abington	118
Raymond Tschaen, 132 Aquidneck St., New Bedford	106

ALTERNATE DELEGATES, GROUP 2

Alice F. Gretsck, Off Maple St., Kingston	107
Malcolm T. Curtiss, Jr., 632 Main St., Hingham	105

STATE COMMITTEE

Edward H. Stevens, 330 Pleasant St., Brockton	128
Marie R. Newman, 48 Commonwealth Ave., W. Bridgewater	69
Mary J. Schindler, Monponsett St., Halifax	64

TOWN COMMITTEE

Leo F. Nourse, 26 Clarence Ave.	118
John Chuckran, 437 North St.	116
Royal F. Swift, 473 Summer St.	117
Wayne E. Clark, 57 Pleasant St.	114
Lloyd F. Rand, 276 Main St.	116
Frederick E. Yeaton, 369 Summer St.	119
Ralph B. Parker, Jr., 20 Bedford St.	113
Leon J. Carroll, 367 Pleasant St.	112
Dorothy C. Rand, 276 Main St.	114
Jennie W. Carroll, 75 Bedford St.	122
Milton P. Rand, 1228 High St.	113
Gordon A. Hall, 43 Pearl St.	116
William J. Bromley, 609 Bedford St.	117
John P. Carlton, Jr., 89 Norlen Pk.	111
Arthur W. Blanchard, 99 Fremont St.	119
Gerald K. Rosenfield, 383 Hayward St.	111
Olive C. Chapman, 708 Pleasant St.	110
Dorris B. Harlow, 165 Auburn St.	114
Walter M. Krueger, 1350 Plymouth St.	114
Alvah S. Tolivaisa, 90 Crescent St.	110
Willard L. Gage, 6 Latham Terr.	115
Hilda M. Gage, 6 Latham Terr.	112
Rosario Wood, 74 Titicut St.	113
Gladys H. Baker, 57 Alden Sq.	110
Robert C. Baker, 57 Alden Sq.	108
George C. Richmond, 107 Bedford St.	111
Emily E. Cushing, 150 Bedford St.	111
Elsie M. Blanchard, 206 Main St.	114
George A. Blanchard, 206 Main St.	113
Joseph W. Johnson, 29 Shaw Rd.	114
Basil S. Warren, 787 South St.	110
John Buckley, 170 Bedford St.	112
Eleanor J. Kairit, 1709 South St.	114
Stewart C. Brown, 245 Aldrich Rd.	109
Franklin Mitchell, 71 Pleasant St.	108

TOWN COMMITTEE, NOT GROUPED

Jessie E. Lewis, 25 Plymouth St.	13
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PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

Nixon	92
Rockefeller	4
Goldwater	3

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of Bridgewater, in the County of
Plymouth, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the

HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM
State Teachers College
MAY 25, 1960
at 7:30 P.M.

Then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for Fire Department Salaries for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Wage & Personnel Board By-Law by adding a new group under Section 7 as follows:

Group L. The Wage & Personnel Board to establish salaries for all Temporary, Part Time or Emergency Employees not covered by previous groups in this section.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to approve the amount of debt, namely \$2,398,000.00 authorized by the Regional District School Committee of Bridgewater-Raynham School District on May 14, 1960.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting at-
tested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said
meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with
your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of
meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal this 16th day of May in the
year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
LEO F. NOURSE
HARRY P. DUNN

Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy. Attest: ELMER F. SHAW, Constable of Bridgewater

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM
MAY 25, 1960
7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Lester
M. Lane, at 7:30 o'clock. The Warrant was read by the Town
Clerk.

Article 1. On motion by Mr. Robert F. King, duly seconded,
it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of
\$1,500.00 for the Fire Department Salaries for the remainder of the
current financial year; said sum to be expended under the direction
of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 2. On motion by Mr. Basil S. Warren, duly seconded,
it was VOTED: That the Town amend the Wage & Personnel
Board By-Law by adding a new group under Section 7 as follows:

“Group L. The Wage & Personnel Board to estab-
lish salaries for all Temporary, Part Time or Emergency
Employees not covered by previous groups in this section”

Article 3. On motion by Mr. George C. Richmond, duly sec-

onded, it was VOTED: That the Town approve the amount of debt, namely \$2,398,000.00 authorized by the Regional District School Committee of Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District on May 14, 1960.

On motion by Mr. Wayne E. Clark, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That the vote on the main motion be taken by a rising vote. Motion was carried.

Mr. Clark then spoke in favor of Mr. Richmond's motion approving recommendation of the Regional District School Committee of Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District.

Mr. John J. O'Neil called for the question. No objection being made the Moderator called for a rising vote. Result of rising vote: Clear majority in favor. Mr. Clark moved that a rising vote of thanks be given the Committee. Motion to adjourn. The time, 7:45 P.M.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of Bridgewater, in the County of Plymouth, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the

TOWN HALL

64 Central Square, Bridgewater, Massachusetts

JUNE 10, 1960

at 7:30 P.M.

Then and there to act on the following article, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the

Board of Selectmen to sell the so-called "Goff Property" on Center St., to the Bridgewater-Raynham School District.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by posting at-tested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal this 2nd day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY

LEO F. NOURSE

HARRY P. DUNN

Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy. Attest: ELMER F. SHAW, Constable of Bridgewater

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

TOWN HALL

JUNE 10, 1960

7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Lester M. Lane at 7:30 P.M. The Warrant was read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. On motion by Mr. Frederick E. Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the so-called "Goff Property" on Center Street to the Bridgewater-Raynham School District for the sum of \$35,068.00.

On motion, duly seconded, the meeting adjourned at 7:35 P.M.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of Bridgewater, in the County of
Plymouth, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are
directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bridge-
water qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the

TOWN HALL
64 Central Square, Bridgewater, Massachusetts
SEPTEMBER 12, 1960
at 8:00 P.M.

Then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and
transfer the sum of \$3,750.00 for the construction of water mains
on Bolton Place and on Wall Street from the intersection at
Bolton Place to Railroad property or take any other action rela-
tive thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and
transfer the sum of \$2,500.00 for the Water Department Expenses
for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other
action relative thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and
transfer the sum of \$2,360.00 for the Health Department Expenses
for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other
action relative thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appro-
priate the sum of \$23,400.00 to extend 1600 feet of 8" sewer main
on Mt. Prospect and Union Streets to service new Regional High
School and houses abutting on this extension, or take any other
action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting at-
tested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said
meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal this thirtieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

LEO F. NOURSE
 BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
 HARRY P. DUNN
 Selectmen of Bridgewater

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
 TOWN HALL
 SEPTEMBER 12, 1960
 8:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Lester M. Lane at 8:04 P.M. The Warrant was read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. On motion by Mr. Leo F. Nourse, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,750.00 for the construction of water mains on Bolton Place and on Wall Street from the intersection at Bolton Place to railroad property; that the sum of \$3,750.00 be transferred from the following accounts:

Unexpended balance—Water Extension on Plain St.	\$588.97
Unexpended balance—Gravel Pack Well	1,604.19
Excess & Deficiency Account	1,556.84
	<hr/> \$3,750.00

Article 2. On motion by Mr. Bartholomew F. Casey, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,500.00 to the Water Department Expenses for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 3. On motion by Mr. Leo F. Nourse, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,360.00 for Health Department Expenses for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 4. On motion by Mr. Harry P. Dunn, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$23,400.00 to extend 1600 feet of 8" sewer main on Mt. Prospect and Union Streets to service the new Regional High School and houses abutting on this extension.

On motion, duly seconded, the meeting adjourned at 8:14 P.M.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

STATE PRIMARY
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Bridgewater
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
TUESDAY, the THIRTEENTH DAY of SEPTEMBER, 1960
at 12:00 noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Senator in Congress	For this Commonwealth
Governor	For this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	For this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Attorney General	For this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver General	For this Commonwealth

Auditor of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Representative in Congress	For 9th Congressional District
Councillor	For 2nd Councillor District
Senator	For Plymouth Senatorial District
1 Representative in General Court	
	For 5th Plymouth Representative District
Register of Probate and Insolvency	For Plymouth County
County Commissioners (2)	For Plymouth County
County Treasurer	For Plymouth County

VACANCY

In Plymouth County;

A Clerk of Courts For Plymouth County

The polls will be open from 12:00 noon to 8:00 P.M.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 29th day of August
A.D. 1960.

LEO F. NOURSE
BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
HARRY P. DUNN

Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy. Attest: ELMER F. SHAW, Constable of Bridgewater

STATE PRIMARY

SEPTEMBER 13, 1960

HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

The meeting was opened by the Town Clerk reading the Warrant. The Election Officers were sworn to the faithful performance of their respective duties and the Warden declared the polls open at 12:00 o'clock noon. The Warden signed a receipt for the ballots—Democratic 1542, Republican 3101. The balloting continued until 8:00 P.M. when the Warden declared the polls closed. The whole number of ballots cast 949; Democratic 508, Republican 441. Men voting 467; Women 482. The Tellers started counting

at 8:00 P.M. and completed their work at 11:10 P.M. The Warden declared the results as follows:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Foster Furcolo	had	267
Edmund C. Buckley	had	62
Thomas J. O'Connor, Jr.	had	136
Blanks		43

GOVERNOR

Joseph D. Ward	had	174
Francis E. Kelly	had	67
John F. Kennedy	had	74
Alfred Magaletta	had	8
Robert F. Murphy	had	43
Endicott Peabody	had	108
Gabriel Francis Piemonte	had	9
Blanks		25

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Edward F. McLaughlin, Jr.	had	324
Pasquale Caggiano	had	128
Blanks		56

SECRETARY

Kevin H. White	had	189
Francis X. Ahearn	had	157
Margaret F. McGovern	had	87
Blanks		75

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward J. McCormack, Jr.	had	410
Blanks		98

TREASURER

John Thomas Driscoll	had	193
George F. Hurley	had	40
John B. Kennedy	had	76
John M. Kennedy	had	40
Patrick F. McDonough	had	44

Robert J. Sullivan	had	36
Blanks		79
AUDITOR		
Thomas J. Buckley	had	372
John F. Hynes	had	73
Blanks		63
CONGRESSMAN		
John Almeida, Jr.	had	161
Edward F. Harrington	had	154
Robert W. MacDonald	had	78
William McAuliffe	had	35
Blanks		80
COUNCILLOR		
Abraham H. Kahakas	had	98
Edward J. Burke	had	141
John A. Dolan	had	52
Robert E. Green	had	19
Francis J. Hickey	had	78
Thomas W. McCue	had	18
Blanks		102
SENATOR		
James F. Burke	had	23
George P. Connolly	had	3
Francis T. Crimmins	had	5
James P. Downey	had	9
John E. Flynn	had	432
George L. Kennedy	had	7
Manuel Rodrigues	had	19
Blanks		10
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT		
Richard J. Bradley	had	420
Arthur L. Brusseau	had	10
Richard C. Hayes	had	46
Blanks		32
REGISTER OF PROBATE & INSOLVENCY		
Harry P. Dunn	had	1

Paul Pallatroni	had	1
Blanks		506
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS		
Paul J. Gillis	had	151
James E. Martin	had	323
Ainslee L. Schofield	had	134
Blanks		398
COUNTY TREASURER		
Charles E. Gould	had	340
Blanks		168
CLERK OF COURTS		
Annette Crane	had	1
Blanks		507
REPUBLICAN PARTY		
SENATOR IN CONGRESS		
Leverett Saltonstall	had	406
Blanks		35
GOVERNOR		
John A. Volpe	had	419
Blanks		22
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR		
Augustus G. Means	had	421
Blanks		20
SECRETARY		
Edward W. Brooke	had	417
Blanks		24
ATTORNEY GENERAL		
George Michaels	had	412
Blanks		29
TREASURER		
Walter J. Trybulski	had	305
Francis Andrew Walsh	had	105
Blanks		31

AUDITOR	
Gardner B. Wardwell	had 408
Blanks	33
CONGRESSMAN	
Hastings Keith	had 409
Blanks	32
COUNCILLOR	
George M. Doyle	had 56
Joseph H. McCartin	had 105
Carleton P. Merrill	had 246
Blanks	34
SENATOR	
Leonard H. Ellershaw	had 32
Gordon L. Keith	had 28
Thomas E. Nash	had 13
Robert H. Nelson	had 63
Hjalmar R. Peterson	had 292
Blanks	13
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	
Bradford Alexander	had 78
Harold J. Betzold, Jr.	had 118
Edward P. Kirby	had 133
Walter J. O'Hara	had 106
Blanks	6
REGISTER OF PROBATE & INSOLVENCY	
Walter H. Gilday	had 402
Blanks	39
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS	
Elva M. Bent	had 383
Norman G. MacDonald	had 382
Blanks	117
COUNTY TREASURER	
Charles W. Williams	had 174
H. Roy Hartshorn	had 95
Warren S. Keith	had 153
Blanks	19

CLERK OF COURTS

Robert S. Prince

had 409

Blanks

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The foregoing results of the balloting were forwarded to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, September 14, 1960.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

STATE ELECTION
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Bridgewater,
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet in

THE BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

South Street, Bridgewater, Mass.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1960

at 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Then and there to give in their votes to the Selectmen for:

Presidential Electors	For this Commonwealth
Senator in Congress	For this Commonwealth
Governor	For this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	For this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Treasurer of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Auditor for the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Attorney General	For this Commonwealth
Representative in Congress	For 9th Congressional District
Councillor	For 2nd Councillor District
Senator	For Plymouth Senatorial District
1 Representative in General Court	For 5th Plymouth Representative District
Two County Commissioners	For Plymouth County
Register of Probate and Insolvency	For Plymouth County

County Treasurer
Clerk of Courts

For Plymouth County
For Plymouth County

And to vote YES or NO on the following questions:

A. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

B. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wine and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

C. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

All on one ballot.

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk of said Bridgewater, at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal at Bridgewater this twenty-fourth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

LEO F. NOURSE
BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
HARRY P. DUNN
Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy. Attest: ELMER F. SHAW, Constable of Bridgewater

STATE ELECTION
BRIDGEWATER HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
NOVEMBER 8, 1960

The meeting was called to order by the Warden at 6:55 A.M.

The Warrant was read and the Election Officers were duly sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk. The Warden declared the polls open at 7:00 A.M. The Warden signed a receipt for 4877 ballots. At 8:00 P.M. the Warden declared the polls closed. The ballot box read 3611 ballots cast. After the polls closed the Warden cast 153 Absent Voter Ballots, 45 of which were War Ballots, making a total of 3764 ballots cast. Of this number 1802 were men and 1962 were women. The Counters started their work at 8:00 P.M., and completed their work at 3:00 A.M.

The result of the balloting follows:

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT & VICE-PRESIDENT

Decker & Munn	1	
Hass & Cozzini	7	
Kennedy & Johnson	1910	
Nixon & Lodge	1783	
Blanks	63	
	<hr/>	3764

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Leverett Saltonstall	2235	
Thomas J. O'Connor, Jr.	1412	
Lawrence Gilfedder	8	
Mark R. Shaw	6	
Blanks	103	
	<hr/>	3764

GOVERNOR

John A. Volpe	2036	
Joseph D. Ward	1597	
Henning A. Blomen	14	
Guy S. Williams	7	
Blanks	110	
	<hr/>	3764

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Edward F. McLaughlin, Jr.	1732	
Augustus G. Means	1850	
Thomas Maratea	10	
Francis A. Votano	11	
Blanks	161	
	<hr/>	3764

SECRETARY

Edward W. Brooke	1891	
Kevin H. White	1674	
Fred M. Ingersoll	19	
Julia B. Kohler	9	
Blanks	171	
		———— 3764

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward J. McCormack, Jr.	1902	
George Michaels	1695	
August O. Johnson	19	
William D. Ross	5	
Blanks	143	
		———— 3764

TREASURER

John Thomas Driscoll	1830	
Walter J. Trybulski	1729	
Warren C. Carberg	12	
Domenico A. DiGirolamo	14	
Blanks	179	
		———— 3764

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	2069	
Gardner B. Wardwell	1505	
John B. Lauder	5	
Arne A. Sortell	10	
Blanks	175	
		———— 3764

CONGRESSMAN

Hastings Keith	2178	
Edward F. Harrington	1463	
Blanks	123	
		———— 3764

COUNCILLOR

Abraham H. Kahalas	1740	
Carleton P. Merrill	1788	
Blanks	236	
		———— 3764

SENATOR

James F. Burke	1752	
Hjalmar R. Peterson	1882	
Blanks	130	
		<hr/> 3764

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Richard J. Bradley	2156	
Edward P. Kirby	1478	
Blanks	130	
		<hr/> 3764

REGISTER OF PROBATE & INSOLVENCY

Walter H. Gilday	2765	
Blanks	999	
		<hr/> 3764

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Elva M. Bent	1840	
Norman G. MacDonald	1676	
Paul J. Gillis	1279	
James E. Martin	1509	
Blanks	1223	
		<hr/>

COUNTY TREASURER

Charles W. Williams	2132	
Charles E. Gould	1423	
Blanks	209	
		<hr/> 3764

CLERK OF COURTS

Robert S. Prince	2825	
Blanks	939	
		<hr/> 3764

QUESTION NO. 1A

Yes	2535	
No	669	
Blanks	560	
		<hr/> 3764

QUESTION NO. 1B

Yes	2465	
No	632	
Blanks	667	
		<hr/> 3764

QUESTION NO. 1C

Yes	2562	
No	581	
Blanks	621	
		———— 3764

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

The foregoing returns were tabulated and sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, November 16, 1960, after having been signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PLYMOUTH, SS.

To either of the Constables of Bridgewater, in the County of Plymouth,
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bridgewater qualified to vote in Election and Town Affairs to meet at the

TOWN HALL
64 Central Square, Bridgewater, Mass.
DECEMBER 12, 1960
at 8:00 P.M.

Then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$5,000.00 for the Public Welfare Department for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,200.00 for the Aid to Dependent Children Department for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,000.00 for the Veterans Services Expenses for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Painting Standpipe Account the sum of \$500.00 for the Water Department Salaries for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Sewer Construction on Sanger and Goodwin Streets Account the sum of \$125.00 for the Sewer Maintenance Expenses for the remainder of the current financial year or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$10,000.00 for the installation of a drainage system for the Regional High School or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to change the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Bridgewater, Mass., by making Main St. a Business District in place of a Residential District.

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

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal this Thirtieth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

LEO F. NOURSE
BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
HARRY P. DUNN

Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy. Attest: GEORGE E. WHEELER, Deputy Sheriff

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN HALL
DECEMBER 12, 1960
8:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order at 8:05 P.M. The Warrant was read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. On motion by Mr. John P. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$5,000.00 for the Public Welfare Department for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 2. On motion by Mr. John P. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,200.00 for the Aid to Dependent Children Department for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 3. On motion by Mr. John P. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,000.00 for the Veterans Services Expenses Appropriation for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 4. On motion by Mr. John P. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Painting Water Standpipe Appropriation the sum of \$500.00 for the Water Department Salaries Appropriation for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 5. On motion by Mr. John P. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Sewer Construction on Sanger and Goodwin Streets Account the sum of \$125.00 for the Sewer Maintenance Expenses Appropriation for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 6. On motion by Mr. John P. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Excess & Deficiency Account the sum of \$10,000.00 for

the installation of a surface drainage system for the Regional High School.

Article 7. On motion by Mr. Harry P. Dunn, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That the Town amend the zoning By-Law of the Town of Bridgewater, Mass., by re-zoning Main Street from Bridgewater Center to the West Bridgewater line from Residential and Agricultural to Business a distance of 500 feet easterly and westerly of the side lines of said street. Rising vote. In favor 12; Opposed 20.

On motion, duly seconded, the meeting adjourned at 8:21 P.M.

A true copy. Attest: JENNIE W. CARROLL, Town Clerk

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Recorded in Bridgewater 1959 & 1960

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
1959		
August		
20	Marl Steven Wyman	Robert & Suzanne J. Robinson
December		
20	Ruth Elizabeth Garney	Brian R. & JoAnna Ramper
28	David Francis Kehoe	Theodore E. & Janice T. MacDonald
1960		
January		
6	James Louis Hopp	Joseph E. & Dorothy E. Anderson
7	Michele Suzanne Bianchini	Joseph J. & Barbara Hill
7	Hope Marie Thompson	Donald A. & Grace H. Bryant
7	John Edward Thompson	Morton R. & Joan D. Spiers
8	Deborah Jean MacDermott	Carl H. & Barbara A. Kilcoyne
11	Cheryl Joyce Stearns	Robert J. & Jacqueline J. Pickett
12	Richard Primo Ghelfi, II	Richard P. & Gloria M. Deeg
12	Denise Irene Wood	Richard S. & Margaret E. Powers
19	Theresa Berlo	Leonard F. & Mary E. Curtis

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
20	Jeffrey Keith Wyman	Richard & Joyce C. Keith
28	Vanessa Louise Perry	James A., Jr., & Mary G. Gonsalves
29	Elizabeth Barbara Shea	John F. & Beatrice L. Belmore
31	Charles Edward Blackshire	Harold V., Jr. & Patricia M. LaVoie
February		
5	Margaret Ann Legan	Michael J. & Josephine W. Podworny
5	Patricia Marion Medina	Ernest L. & Loretta J. Rosa
7	William Ralph Meekin	Robert C. & Dorothy F. Alden
9	Barbara Jilleen Coutts	Frederick J. & Barbara E. Brooks
10	Barbara Jean Smith	Howard L. & Pasqualina Fazzari
16	Bruce Wesley Jordan	Harry W. & Doris E. Freeman
17	Cathleen Ann Demers	Herbert F. & Claire J. Kelley
18	Steven Flynn Dowd	Thomas J. & Carmen L. Iafrate
28	Valerie Frances McGaughy	John R., Jr. & Valerie F. Poillucci
March		
9	Edward Joseph Roderick	Leslie C. & Catherine N. Blood
17	Deborah Jean Meserve	Carl N. & Claire Nickerson
17	Laurie Ann Palleschi	Roger J. & Audrey I. Wilson
21	Jeffrey John Roque	John S., Jr. & Irene G. Rose
21	Brian Paul Wager	John E. & Evelyn M. Kelley
26	Michael Robert Pratti	Raleigh J. & Shirley M. Donovan
29	Diane Domingos	Anthony S. & Irene R. Mattie
29	Leslie Diane Thornton	Jacque W. & Valerie C. Boucher
31	Carlton Nelson Smith, Jr.	Carlton N. & Cynthia L. Hoyt
April		
1	Debra Ann Lyford	Richard J. & Gail Denton
8	Kelley Andrew Dionne	Henry F., Jr. & Catherine A. Kelley
15	Kenneth Gerard Braithwaite	John J., Jr. & Helen W. Wolski
16	Carol Ann Gill	Frank H. & Marie B. Robichaud
18	Barry Lloyd Thomas	Lawrence A. & Alice D. Humphreys
19	Fleeda Jean West	Donald C. & Geraldine J. McLeod
27	David Alan Atwood	Donald D. & Margaret M. Ziegler
27	Joan Marie Poh	John C. & Lorraine J. Dube
27	Jan Philip Poh	John C. & Lorraine J. Dube
May		
6	David Lee Pedro	Vincent & Bonnie J. Mondun
9	Carlston Henry Wood, III	Carlston H., Jr. & Sylvia A. O'Neil
14	George Cabral, Jr.	George & Joan McGill
14	Alicia Marie Benoit	Edward R. & Marie F. Copeland
14	Robert Walter Kelliher	Robert F. & Muriel J. Gorey
16	Betty Ann Carasetti	Raymond A. & Marjorie J. Glawe
18	Susan Elizabeth McInnes	John M. & Marion D. Caswell
19	Mark Anthony Sherwood	Fred M. & Elizabeth A. Hamlen

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
22	David Henry Costa	Stephen L. & Edna L. Howes
23	Joseph John Fulginiti	Francis A. & Anita L. Hall
24	Theresa Louise Benson	Curtis E. & Gladys L. Fahrenholt
27	Stephen Richmond Bevis	Richmond A. & Rose J. Girard
28	Karen Rose Medas	Jerome J. & Patricia R. Pink
June		
3	Raymond Paul Norton, Jr.	Raymond P. & Alice L. LaChance
3	John Bernard Plaskus, Jr.	John B. & Natalie C. Winnett
4	John Raymond Bumpus	Robert E. & Ruth E. Wright
5	Roger Winston Shurtleff, III	Roger W., Jr. & Dolores A. Carreiro
10	Lloyd James Wallis	Lloyd E. & Cynthia Prophet
12	Dawn Adele Meurin	Daniel A. E. & Doris E. Ryder
13	William Edward Skinner	Russell E. & Shirley G. Hughes
14	Wendy Alison Howe	Kenneth J. & Pauline M. Patterson
16	Brenda Lee Pierson	John E. & Beverly L. Randall
17	David Allan Biagiotti	Ralph M., Jr. & Beverly A. Soucie
17	Thomas Matthew Biagiotti	Ralph M., Jr. & Beverly A. Soucie
18	Matthew Wayne Estes	Reginald L. & Ann M. Campbell
19	Andrew William Almquist	Arnold W. & Harriette Rowe
26	Barbara Evelyn Hall	Kenneth W. & Charlotte E. Keith
28	Susan Marie Deknis	Rupert J. & Virginia M. Paybins
July		
2	Michael William Durfee	Robert W. & Patricia R. Cole
3	John Michael Hurley	Joseph P. & Phyllis M. Grady
6	Dawn Elaine Church	Donald H. & Evelyn J. Prout
7	Kenneth Lawrence Hartling	Rennels G. & Pearl M. Buck
7	Deborah Lee Skillings	Phillip W. & Gail F. Alfieri
8	Karl Edward Irving	Edward S. & Mabel H. Wood
8	Donald Walter Ricci	Mario J. & Lillian F. Mueller
12	Jonathan Colton Blount	Earl C., Jr. & Barbara E. Colton
12	Kevin David Foley	William G. & Rita L. Brosseau
15	Edwin Kenneth Jackson	Clifton P., Sr. & Gladys E. Pratt
16	Michael Edward McNeil	William & Marie L. Murray
20	Eugene Ulrich Dubord, III	Eugene U., Jr. & Gloria Tutkus
22	Ann Marie Beckner	Paul H. & Elaine A. Fortier
23	Michael Paul Kilbridge	Paul F. & Noreen A. Krukonis
25	Stephen Michael Keif	Robert J. & Mary M. Shea
26	Bryan Charles Stevens	Urban A. & Dora B. Bianchini
27	Timothy Charles Hickey	John R. & Jacqueline L. Stigh
29	Brian Michael McDevitt	John H. & Mary A. Rooney
29	Kevin Edmund Silva	Edmund J. & Beverly A. Gaudreau
August		
7	John William Fournier	Joseph W. & Marilyn C. Balch
8	Mary Clare Querzoli	Edward R. & Miriam Kilbridge

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
10	Deborah Ann Boggs	James O. & Barbara L. Lachance
11	Kim Barbara Anacki	Anthony P. & Hazel B. Skillings
17	Michelle Jean Ouellette	Joseph O., Jr. & Margaret F. Berry
21	Ronald McFadden, Jr.	Ronald & Joan M. Casieri
25	Diane Lee Ghelfi	Ronald R. & Ruth Jensen
26	Bonnie Lee Britton	Harold E. & Constance Blades
26	Steven Alfred Valeri	Alfred J. & Jeannie L. Krachukoski
27	James Ralph Warwick	James J. & Audrey L. Barnes
28	John Scott Nicolas	Alvin P. & Rose E. Rowe
31	Melody Ann Ring	Robert L. & Rose Mahtesian
September		
4	Edward John O'Donnell	John F. & Rose K. Dowd
9	George William Hogg	George C. & Phoebe G. Clark
10	Kimberly Joan Wells	Robert E., Jr. & Barbara J. Gates
11	Tracy Lee Mondeau	Roy H. & Brenda L. Thomas
12	Andrew James Haskell	Robert F. & Theresa M. Lally
13	Carol Jean Hanson	John V. & Doris E. Gould
15	Scott Andrew Belcher	Henry B., Sr. & Ann A. Appleman
19	Fred Armstrong Mills, Jr.	Fred A., Sr. & Joan H. Shebeck
19	Michelle Renee Reid	Charles F. & Beatrice F. Reid
20	Jay Edward Audette	George H. & Sylvia M. Aubin
20	Kenneth John Mahtesian	John & Persis L. Colby
23	George John Andruk, Jr.	George J. & Grace A. Gummow
23	Roberta Lee Benson	Rodney E. & Nancy R. Bouldry
23	Mark Steven Sacilotta	Paul A. & Alexandra Skobeika
27	David Jude Hayden	Clifton M. & Zulmira C. Pimentel
28	Scott Bissonnette	James F. & Lois M. Romero
29	Stephanie Girard	John A. & Eleanor M. Revil
October		
3	Paul Chester Pawlowski	Walter P. & Mary E. Brady
7	Mary Elizabeth McGue	William F. & Adeline M. McGrath
9	Marc Reed Ekasala	William R. & Jeanne K. Comeau
12	Margaret Ann Morrissey	John J., Jr. & Margaret M. Gildea
12	Christopher Dana Mish	Lawrence B. & Ina M. Rude
14	Ruth Ellen Dowd	Richard J. & Christine Axford
14	Kathleen Ann Sawyer	Herbert S., Jr. & Jeanette B. Conant
17	Donald Malcolm Pittsley, Jr.	Donald M. & Patricia A. Chilson
21	Paul David Sweeney	George H. & Shirley N. Heath
25	Laura Lee Copeland	Kenneth R. & Betsy E. Ross
25	Jane Susan Merianos	Elias & Lina Sommer
25	Jean Linda Merianos	Elias & Lina Sommer
November		
2	Michael David Goff	Laurence E. & Joretta S. Lopez
8	Jeffrey Lee Jarrett	Jimmie D. & Joanne M. Peabody

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
9	Brian Charles Lawrence	James & Helen L. Manchester
11	Margret Jean Bodessa	John & Lorraine F. Thompson
16	Female Maden	James R. & Nancy Merry
17	James Raymond Perron, Jr.	James R. & Judith L. Griffin
18	Nancy Lorraine Thrasher	John W. & Carol A. Hoyt
19	Mark Emerson Collins	Warren B. & Mary G. Melaven
22	Diane Carol Rich	George W. & Sabina L. Piscitelli
23	Peter Roberts King	David P. & Beverly L. Ness
25	Michael Dean St. George	Leon H. & Jane E. Mather
28	David Irving Pierce, Jr.	David I. & Dianne Vaughan
29	Patricia Ann Daniel	Robert A. & Catherine F. Maxwell
30	Harry David Raleigh, 2nd	Harry D. & Marilyn A. Gifford
December		
3	Jamie Lou Perry	Anthony & Shirley Chase
5	Doreen Ann Crowell	William V. & Joan M. Sharkey
15	Thomas Edward Rosenfield	Joseph W. & Eleanor G. Pike
17	Samuel Charles MacKenzie	John S. & Caryl S. Altemus
28	Susan Marie Pincolini	Charles W. & Ulander M. Resmini

Marriages Recorded in Bridgewater in 1960

January

16. Ronald McFadden and Joan M. Casieri both of Bridgewater.
16. Arthur R. Hooper of Bridgewater and Barbara L. Healy of Quincy.
24. Oscar A. Colson of North Middleboro and Ruth H. Dahl of Bridgewater.

February

14. Robert H. Beals of Bridgewater and Barbara A. Scienzo of West Bridgewater.
14. William P. Heinz of Bridgewater and Sarah I. Roberto of Brighton.
15. Donald J. Miller of West Bridgewater and Irene Page of Bridgewater.
20. Harold S. Sampson and Frieda M. Perkins both of Middleboro.

21. Dante Scuzzarella of Lynn and Geraldine Carroll of Bridgewater.
27. Antonio Andrade of Bridgewater and Joan M. Wise of Brockton.

March

8. Robert H. Currie of Brockton and Alice I. Hathaway of Bridgewater.
27. Phillip W. Skillings of Bridgewater and Gail F. Alfieri of West Bridgewater.

April

15. Madan G. Seth of Bridgewater and Eleanor J. Stranahan of Brookline.
16. Selwyn F. Bearnse of Bridgewater and Marguerite Hill of Brockton.
17. Eldon G. Souza and Virginia B. Assetta both of Bridgewater.
29. Kenneth D. Drennon of West Bridgewater and Kathryn Dineen of Bridgewater.

May

4. Edward A. Burnell and Ruth A. Shaughnessy both of Brockton.
16. Robert L. Beaulieu of Brockton and Eloise M. Crocker of Bridgewater.
28. David L. Churchill of Bridgewater and Irene M. Whalen of Brockton.
28. David I. Pierce of Bridgewater and Diane E. Vaughan of Middleboro.
28. David J. Sliney, Jr. and Ruth E. Macomber both of Brockton.

June

4. Nicola A. Vacca of Brockton and Mary A. MacKay of Bridgewater.
25. John R. Folloni of Bridgewater and Marie A. Gadolini of Somerville.
25. Stephen Z. Turney of Boston and Carolyne Garney of Bridgewater.
30. Napoleon J. Carroll of Bridgewater and Clara B. Millette of Leominster.

July

2. William A. Hayward of Barrington, R.I. and Phyllis L. Mann of Bridgewater.
2. Lawrence H. Presby, Jr., of Littleton, N.H. and Rosemarie Domingos of Bridgewater.
2. Edward J. Rose of Bridgewater and Irene McLaughlin of East Bridgewater.
10. Amancio Pereira of Bridgewater and Barbara J. Kent of Holbrook.
14. Charles L. Goodine of Middleboro and Clara E. Irving of Bridgewater.
15. Charles H. Zelck of West Bridgewater and Blanche E. Horton of Bridgewater.
16. George D. Litzen of Bridgewater and Barbara A. Lee of North Abington.
31. Robert J. Brown of Bridgewater and Shirley A. Goss of Norwell.

August

3. Donald L. Carlson of Brockton and Sandra L. Gomm of Bridgewater.
6. Charles H. Zelck, Jr. of West Bridgewater and Joyce M. Guerrin of Athol.
7. Richard M. Clark of Bridgewater and Diane T. Kennard of Boston.
12. Donald D. Brown of Bridgewater and Doris I. Droni of Marshfield.
14. James W. Parmenter of Middleboro and Janet E. Bouchard of Bridgewater.
20. Robert M. Jarvis of East Bridgewater and Mary L. Moore of Bridgewater.
21. Lloyd D. Sime and Margaret V. Bozzelli both of Bridgewater.
26. Gordon Mantell of East Bridgewater and Martha G. Tufts of Bridgewater.
27. Richard E. Hennessy of Bridgewater and Mildred M. Casey of Brockton.
28. Paul A. Andrea of Brockton and Marlene A. Duplissey of Bridgewater.
31. Bartholomew P. Buckley of Bridgewater and Ernestine M. Carey of East Hartford, Conn.

September

1. Wilfred R. Levy of Bridgewater and June A. Houle of Berkley.
2. James W. Bumpus and Muriel E. Westberg both of Bridgewater.
3. George E. Campbell of Boston and Bleazine A. Mann of Bridgewater.
3. Lester N. Cloudman, Jr. of East Bridgewater and Nellie J. McLeod of Bridgewater.
3. Richard J. Cornwall and Lorraine A. Wager both of Bridgewater.
3. Henry J. Costa and Virginia A. Costa both of Bridgewater.
3. Carl J. Schuchert and Barbara A. Macedo both of Bridgewater.
10. Larry E. Archey of Kentucky and Grace A. O'Brien of Bridgewater.
16. Thomas B. Arneson and Sandra A. Rea both of Bridgewater.
18. Albert E. Lucas of Brockton and Mary E. Fruzzetti of Bridgewater.

October

1. Donald R. Mathews of Natick and Janet M. Hennessy of Bridgewater.
1. Norman A. Moss of Bridgewater and Virginia G. Batty of Hopedale.
2. Bruce D. MacKinnon of Bridgewater and Rosemarie Baker of Brockton.
7. George A. Tucker, Jr. of Whitman and Esther M. Taylor of Bridgewater.
8. John A. Dupont of Bridgewater and Phyllis M. Collins of Somerville.
8. Peter P. Zak, Jr. of East Bridgewater and Helen J. Perry of Bridgewater.
9. Edward F. Marble of Holbrook and Lillian J. Cornwall of Bridgewater.
20. Robert T. Grant of Bridgewater and Doris E. Taber of Kingston.

November

11. William A. Emerick of Whitman and Adrienne R. Trenholm of Bridgewater.

11. Harold B. Mosher of Pembroke and Paula M. Dowd of Bridgewater.
12. Kenneth R. Greene, Jr. of Middleboro and Dorothy M. Bennett of Bridgewater.
12. Bernard C. Wentworth of Maine and Alice L. Trocchi of Bridgewater.
14. Gordon H. Hales of Weymouth and Constance J. Gurney of Bridgewater.
27. Clair W. Brown and Eileen C. Florence both of Bridgewater.

December

15. Joseph A. Brazil and Elsie C. Fernandes both of Bridgewater.
17. David G. McKinley and Maria J. Andre both of Bridgewater.
17. Bradford M. Stone of Whitman and Jacqueline M. Harlow of Bridgewater.
26. John H. Dzenowagis of Bridgewater and Loretta W. Manter of Taunton.
31. David P. Bergquist of East Bridgewater and Jacqueline A. Joncas of Bridgewater.
31. John B. English of Brockton and Celia M. Vickers of Bridgewater.

Deaths Recorded in Bridgewater in 1960

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
January						
2.	Elsie A. Millet	41	—	22	Fracture Skull	Francis H. McPhee & Gertrude B. Haynes
5.	Sarah Mundle	87	6	27	Heart Disease	— Shaughnessey & Cannot be learned
6.	Ada Wolfe	78	2	8	Arteriosclerosis	David MacKay & Elizabeth Blackwood
7.	Frederick H. Pearce	76	10	23	Heart Disease	James H. & Abby F. Kent
9.	Carleton R. Blades	73	9	5	Heart Disease	James & Sarah Reed
12.	Josephine R. Jackson	73	10	27	Uremia	Napoleon & Marie L. Doré
14.	Roy A. Wheaton, Jr.	42	9	10	Respiratory Failure	Roy A. & Marguerite Taylor
15.	Duncan Lothrop	64	5	5	Acute Myocardial Infarction	Charles & Saba Perkins
16.	Maria C. Faber	78	—	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Francois Chretien & Ernestine Lussier
16.	Arthur E. Pratt	66	—	—	Heart Failure	Cornelius & Lydia Pope
17.	Irene D. Forcier	64	5	23	Adenocarcinoma	Edward Dubois & Cannot be learned
17.	Alexander Baginskas	85	—	—	Myocarditis	George & Clara —
19.	Jane R. Keefe	72	5	6	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Peter Reilly & Jane Sheridan
19.	Francis E. Kilbridge	59	2	26	Angina Pectoris	Michael & Catherine Bradley
27.	Manuel Fernandes	67	—	—	Coronary Thrombosis	Joseph & Kate Silver
30.	Edsil Stalker	89	11	26	Coronary Thrombosis	Jacob & Elizabeth Coffin
February						
4.	Susan S. Linehan	73	—	—	Pyelonephritis	Lowell Sprague & Margaret Jordan
5.	Michael D. Fisher	2	1	6	Acute Tracheobronchitis	Richard & Phyllis Wentworth
9.	Effie S. Bacharach	82	11	1	Arteriosclerosis	Gilbert Wilbur & Susan Booth
9.	Thomas F. Carr	60	—	28	Coronary Occlusion	John & Ann Riley
9.	Mary P. Varao	86	—	—	Bronchopneumonia	Joseph Pimental & Ann Rodrigues
10.	Ralph W. Case	73	6	12	Bronchogenic Carcinoma	William F. & Frances A. Phillips
10.	Mary A. Schylle	82	6	8	Heart Disease	Lawrence Parks & Cannot be learned

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
11.	Charles Czaikowski	70	10	20	Cancer	William & Cannot be learned
15.	William Broderick	72	—	—	Coronary Thrombosis	James & Margaret Moran
16.	Rose E. Bumpus	71	1	23	Pulmonary Emboli	Frank Short & Camelia Paynette
18.	Timothy V. Mahoney	87	—	—	Bronchopneumonia	Timothy & Margaret Collins
20.	Herbert A. Rosa	52	7	8	Myocarditis	Joseph & Margaret Calnan
22.	Albina C. Noel	77	7	19	Cerebral Thrombosis	Renee Carroll & Adeline Bois
23.	Don H. Trombley	63	1	12	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Joseph & Laura Bachman
24.	Ettore Trocchi	85	3	29	Cancer	Joseph & Theresa Acorsi
25.	Edna L. Harlow	78	7	10	Cancer	Albert F. Wood & Hope S. Wood
26.	Demitri Brodzinski	74	—	—	Pneumonia	Joseph & Mary ———
26.	Chester P. Holmes, Jr.	53	4	22	Melano Carcinoma	Chester P. & Annie A. Campbell
28.	Lawrence E. Cote	75	7	20	Suicide by Gun Shot	Samuel E. & Sarah Harlow
March						
5.	Lars E. Swanson	82	11	14	Bronchopneumonia	——— Swanson & Cannot be learned
8.	Sadie M. Gilmore	80	4	—	Bronchopneumonia	Frederick J. Thomas & Charlotte J. Allen
14.	Lillian M. Vosmus	79	3	5	Myocardial Insufficiency	Wesley W. Barton & Ruth A. Avery
14.	Florence E. Shaw	72	3	14	Heart Disease	George Adams & Anne A. Snyder
18.	Irene E. Henderson	84	3	—	Congestive Heart Failure	John B. & Annie L. Leach
23.	Victoria M. Petrowski	69	3	—	Heart Disease	Peter Medeska & Tafel Yowervich
24.	Julius Schylle	82	6	15	Pneumonia	Peter & Anna Hauch
25.	Patrick J. Linnehan	78	—	—	Coronary Occlusion	Nicholas & Mary Carcy
30.	Lena M. Lang	84	2	7	Heart Disease	Luke J. Morse & Harriet Reed
April						
1.	Emma M. Maguire	89	9	3	Cachexia	John & Eliza J. Ellis
2.	Annette Carroll	24	10	1	Haem. of Brain	Michael & Mary Gibbons
13.	Fred J. Coyle	56	9	4	Coronary Thrombosis	Hugh P. & Bridget A. Smith

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20.	Dana C. Moore	22	5	14	Suicide by Gun Shot	George S., Jr. & Grace J. Durkee
22.	Domenica M. Leganowicz	72	5	12	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Vincenty Malkoski & Anna Malkoski
25.	Muriel E. Kent	77	10	22	Heart Disease	John C. Smith & Ada Hustler
25.	Charles A. Wheeler	75	6	29	Haem. of Brain	Cannot be learned
26.	Ruth S. Cole	85	—	10	Myocardial Embolism	Thomas Sutcliffe & Sarah Liddle
27.	Stepas Skobeika	38	8	—	Heart Disease	Charles & Petrie Skobeika
29.	Ralph A. Gardner	64	9	17	Coronary Thrombosis	Clarence J. & Irene E. Chase
May						
9.	Ruth L. Brooks	43	8	4	Gastric Hemorrhage	John W., Sr. & Jennie Ogden
16.	George Adam	82	7	1	Cerebral Thrombosis	John & Mary Lee
20.	Edward A. McKinley	45	4	23	Diabetes	Alexander & Jennie Watson
24.	Gertrude C. Stubbs	65	11	26	Coronary Occlusion	Merton G. Churchill & Gertrude E. Tilton
30.	Grace G. Rogers	78	7	21	Lung Infarction	Charles Goodnough & Lula Walker
June						
5.	John F. Kelly	78	4	21	Coronary Thrombosis	Martin & Elizabeth Welch
10.	Mary B. Simoneau	94	10	—	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease	Louis Bernard & Zoi Bernard
13.	Elizabeth H. Johnson	81	3	26	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease	John W. Canfield & Elizabeth Woodward
14.	Mary T. Powers	87	—	—	Mesenteric Thrombosis	Patrick Devine & Bridget Gorman
23.	Theresa G. Mola	85	11	8	Bronchopneumonia	Joseph Guilotte & Cannot be learned
23.	Ermilinda M. Ventura	70	—	—	Peritonitis	Joseph Viveiro & Victoria Rosaria
July						
2.	Elmer L. Grover	80	—	—	Carcinoma	Elmer & Lydia Sylvester
4.	Dora I. Bois	61	—	16	Haemorrhage of Brain	John B. Shepard & Mary L. DeLaura
8.	Joseph H. Buron	76	1	28	Heart Sounds Ceased	Leon & Mary Collette
10.	Edgar N. Parenteau	50	11	8	Coronary Thrombosis	Napoleon J. & Rosalba Lupien
11.	Ada F. Lee	81	6	21	Coronary Thrombosis	Lysander Bumpus & Alda Merraman

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17.	John J. Daley	48	10	3	Inanition	John F. & Sarah White
29.	Lester J. Gorman	51	10	7	Coronary Thrombosis	William J. & Margaret E. Fox
29.	Alma L. Whalen	72	11	28	Coronary Thrombosis	Napoleon LaGarde & Marie L. Doré
31.	Leonard D. Puffer	87	8	16	Cerebral Vascular Accident	William & Ruth Bruce
August						
1.	Clarence A. R. Lemee	84	9	6	Cerebrovascular Accident	William & Emma Bates
8.	Mary L. Brooks	—	—	8	Bronchopneumonia	Charles W. & Mary T. Callahan
12.	Anna Costa	53	8	13	Cerebro Vascular Accident	Manuel DeMoura & Cannot be learned
14.	Wincenty Malewicz	83	—	9	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Martin & Elizabeth Zabartowicz
18.	Helen O'Brien	50	8	3	Rheumatic Heart	William Brady & Mary A. Keenan
21.	Edna M. Hayes	74	8	4	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Mark A. Barney & Ella J. Thomas
23.	Marie A. Dupuis	82	—	—	Bronchopneumonia	Damase Benoit & Rosalie Boizin
27.	Alphonse Leonowicz	70	10	13	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Frank & Annie Yermalowicz
28.	George G. Tolman	95	3	5	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease	Joel & Elizabeth C. Leach
September						
3.	Beatrice M. Lucas	70	3	13	Bronchopneumonia	Cannot be learned
8.	Archibald H. Goff	71	3	2	Coronary Thrombosis	Henry & Almira Horton
17.	Richard A. Sampson	21	—	—	Skull Fracture	Arthur C. & Ruth Parshley
26.	Michael Wilson	66	11	29	Coronary Thrombosis	George & Ellen Onions
27.	Everett Richmond	39	6	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Everett & Annie Murray
28.	James P. Peterson	83	—	—	Auricular Fibrillation	Nickolas & Eleanor ———
October						
1.	Joseph Davis	67	3	21	Carcinoma	Florentine & Cannot be learned
6.	Zephirin C. Gregoire	82	6	24	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease	Joseph & Philonie Thibéault
7.	Vira W. Murdock	86	—	11	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Constant Whitney & Maria Coburn
14.	Luella C. Howard	86	9	15	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Thomas Taylor & Elizabeth Kavend

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15.	Florence W. Farrar	78	4	2	Bronchopneumonia	Frank C. Whiting & Helen J. Gilmore
19.	Madeline J. Brennan	69	—	15	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Bangs K. Howes & Luella Chase
25.	Fred Raymond	91	1	10	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease	Frederick Wood & Mary Farnham
30.	John C. Tobin	72	10	21	Carcinoma	John F. & Letitia Quirk
31.	Simon J. Sheehan	69	7	28	Fracture Skull	Simon J. & Katherine Reagan
November						
7.	Charles Garvey	75	—	—	Pneumonia	Michael & Ellen Coll
10.	Rachael P. Burrill	84	1	23	Bronchopneumonia	Charles & Attossa E. Pratt
12.	Richard A. Porteous	84	—	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Alexander & Esther Treen
17.	Bertha M. Singleton	76	2	24	Cerebro Vascular Accident	Benjamin Johnson & Mary Scofield
18.	Frances D. Adamaitis	76	3	17	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Cannot be learned
23.	Mary T. Perry	62	4	15	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Patrick Murphy & Bridget Hughes
24.	Emma B. Willis	93	9	22	Pneumonitis	Alfred T. Keith & Mary D. Phelps
25.	Ella F. Lawton	72	1	2	Uremia	Charles Gabriel & Francena Bumpus
26.	Arthur W. Bassett	48	9	10	Heart Disease	Nathaniel S. & Mary O'Keefe
29.	Herbert W. Conant	79	5	18	Carcinoma	Cyrus & Sarah Lavalette
30.	Josephine R. Perry	80	5	15	Nephrosclerosis	Cannot be learned
December						
1.	Mildred K. Stearns	64	3	4	Bronchopneumonia	Edwin T. Kelley & Katherine E. Smith
3.	Louis Austin Turner	64	11	10	Coronary Thrombosis	William D. & Helen ———
10.	George C. Davison	78	3	7	Coronary Thrombosis	George & Mary Creighton
14.	Ernest F. Pelati	72	8	6	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Peter & Josephine Bianchini
16.	Sunta (Lodi) Ortolani	79	4	1	Cirrhosis of Liver	Cannot be learned
23.	Daniel J. Murphy	37	1	7	Suicide by Gun Shot	Daniel G. & Eleanor Burton
29.	Elizabeth D. MacDonald	69	8	6	Heart Disease	William Doherty & ———

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Receipts of Town Clerk's Office for 1960

SPORTING LICENSES

	NO.		GROSS	FEES
Resident Fishing Licenses	193	@\$4.25	\$820.25	\$48.25
Resident Hunting Licenses	245	@ 4.25	1,041.25	61.25
Resident Sporting Licenses	92	@ 7.25	667.00	23.00
Res. Minor Fishing Licenses	68	@ 2.25	153.00	17.00
Res. Female Fishing Licenses	44	@ 3.25	143.00	11.00
Res. Cit. Trapping Licenses	6	@ 7.75	46.50	1.50
Res. Alien Fishing Licenses	2	@ 8.75	17.50	.50
Duplicate Licenses	7	@ .50	3.50	
Non Res. Cit. Fishing Licenses	2	@ 4.25	8.50	.50
Non Res. Cit. Hunting Licenses	1	@15.25	15.25	.25
Cit. Min. Trapping License	1	@ 2.25	2.25	.25
Archery Stamps	6	@ 1.10	6.60	.60
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	667		\$2,924.60	\$164.10

The amount received from Licenses was paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game each month. The amount for fees was paid to the Town Treasurer, taking his receipt.

DOG LICENSES

	NO.		GROSS	FEES
Male	372	@\$2.00	\$744.00	\$93.00
Female	46	@ 5.00	230.00	11.50
Spayed Female	205	@ 2.00	410.00	51.25
Kennel	21	@10.00	210.00	5.25
Transfer	1	@ .25	.25	.25
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	645		\$1,594.25	\$161.25

The amount of Dog License money was paid to the Town Treasurer, taking his receipt for both licenses and fees.

OTHER RECEIPTS
OF TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE

Birth Certificates	74 @	\$1.00	\$74.00
Correction	1 @	.50	.50
Marriage Certificates	22 @	1.00	22.00
Death Certificates	149 @	1.00	149.00
Correction	1 @	.50	.50
Marriages	65 @	2.00	130.00
	3 @	4.00	12.00
Poles — New England Tel. & Tel.		37.50	
Brockton Edison		37.50	75.00
Financing Statements	298 @	3.00	894.00
Search	1 @	.50	.50
Terminations	50 @	1.00	50.00
Dog Fees	645 @	.25	161.25
Sporting Fees	654 @	.25	163.50
	6 @	.10	.60
Gas Renewals	17 @	.50	8.50
Auctioneer Renewals	4 @	2.00	8.00
Business Notices	9 @	1.00	9.00
Junk Dealer's Licenses	2 @	25.00	50.00
Street Lists	30 @	1.00	30.00
Withdrawal Partnership	1 @	.50	.50
Board of Appeals Variance	1 @	4.00	4.00
Postage	1	4c stamp	.04
			\$1,842.89

Paid to the Town Treasurer, taking his receipt.

JENNIE W. CARROLL,
Town Clerk

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

MRS. HELEN (BRADY) O'BRIEN

Mrs. O'Brien's sudden death last August 18 came as a shock to all who knew her; and through it came a great loss to the Board of Health. She gave of her strength, perhaps too generously, whenever needed and brought aid and comfort to many.

She fulfilled the duties of the Health Nurse in a manner which reflected honor and credit to the town of Bridgewater.

Town Deaths 118

Mass. Corr. Institution 51

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Chicken Pox	7
Dog Bite	33
Measles	106
Mumps	26
Scarlet Fever	42
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	10
Pulmonary Tuberculosis Mass. Corr. Institution	53

CONCERNING CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

The Board of Health wishes to call to the attention of physicians and parents, Chapter III of the General Laws, which reads as follows: "If a person knows that a person whom he visits is infected with Smallpox, Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever or any other disease declared by the department dangerous to the public health, or if either eye of an infant whom or whose mother, a physician, or hospital, or medical officer registered under section nine of chapter one hundred and twelve, visits, becomes inflamed or swollen, or red or shows unnatural discharge within two weeks after birth, he shall immediately give notice thereof over his sig-

nature, to the Board of Health of the town and if he refuses or neglects to give notice he shall forfeit not less than fifty dollars nor more than two hundred dollars."

REGULATIONS CONCERNING CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

A child absent from private kindergarten or nursery school with a contagious disease is required to have a certificate of re-admission from the Board of Health physician, Dr. Leo Zalon, 85 Broad Street, to re-enter kindergarten or nursery school.

Any pupil absent from school with a contagious disease is required to have a certificate of re-admission from one of the school physicians, Dr. William Hunt, 120 Main Street, or Dr. Hector Douglass, 30 Bedford Street.

LIST OF LICENSES AND PERMITS ISSUED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Plumbing Permits	130	Cesspools	39
Motel License	1	Pasteurization	1
Milk	26	Undertakers	4
Nursery Schools	3		

Members of the board and the health nurse are active members of the Southeastern Association of Boards of Health, and meetings were attended throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO ZALON, M.D., Chairman
CECIL V. HAYES, Secretary
LLOYD F. RAND, Agent
Board of Health

Report of Health Agent

I am submitting my report as Health Agent for the year 1960.

I received 31 Health complaints. These complaints have been investigated and corrected.

I have inspected 39 Cess-pools during the past year.

All establishments serving food and/or drinks are checked regularly, and our program of improved Sanitation is progressing.

I have attended all the meetings of the Southeastern Association of Boards of Health, in the interest of my work.

Respectfully submitted,

LLOYD F. RAND, R.S.
Health Agent

Report of Inspector of Eating and Drinking Establishments

Inspections of eating and drinking places include all facilities in which food or drink is prepared or served; these regular inspections were made on quarterly basis during the year. Bacteria swab counts of eating and drinking utensils are made at time of inspection. In event of unsatisfactory conditions found, or bacteria count in excess of the maximum allowable, a recheck is made after notice sent to operator of the establishment. Spot checks or inspections are also made in addition to rechecks to improve, and maintain progress made in sanitation control.

The main purpose of the program is to prevent spread of contagious disease by unsanitary eating and drinking utensils or unclean conditions where food is stored or prepared; also attention is given to condition of food to be served as well as in storage.

The general cooperation found among operators has been good, and a realization established that the program for the public good is also good for the business of the establishment. Inspections are always unannounced and this continuous sanitation program has shown good results.

Respectfully submitted,

PUTNAM STEELE,
Inspector

Report of Public Health Nurse

Plymouth County Hospital:	
Patients admitted	5
Patients discharged	4
Patients in Hospital	3
Patients in other Tuberculosis Hospitals	2
North Reading State Sanatorium Admitted	1
North Reading State Sanatorium Discharged	1
Rutland Heights Veterans' Hospital	2
Immunization Clinics:	
Inoculations for Immunization against Diphtheria, Whooping Cough and Tetanus	34
Inspections of Day Nurseries and Kindergartens	3
Inspections of Nursing Homes	1
Inspections of Rest Homes	1

Inoculations for the prevention of Diphtheria, Whooping Cough and Tetanus were given to pre-school children. Mrs. O'Brien assisted Dr. Zalon, Board of Health Physician, in giving the inoculations. The clinics are free and are held at the Academy Building each year.

Booster shots for added immunity against Diphtheria and Tetanus were given to 651 students of the Kindergarten, Elementary and High Schools in March and April.

During the past year, no serious outbreaks of any diseases were encountered.

There were 11 Premature babies born during the year. Follow up work was done in cases requiring it. State and local assistance was given in cases that necessitated it.

Home visits were made in cases of Crippled Children. Assistance was given in regard to clinics and hospitalization.

There were one hundred and thirty-four persons x-rayed at Plymouth County Hospital this past year. Arrangements were made for patients to go to Plymouth County Hospital for x-rays

and examinations. Home visits were made to all reported cases of Tuberculosis; also former patients, contacts and suspicious cases.

Biologic products for the use of town Physicians are stored at the local Police Station in the Board of Health refrigerator.

Meetings of the Southeastern District Boards of Health were attended.

Early in August, the Board of Health Office was moved to the room which was formerly used as the kitchen in the Academy Building. This bright, freshly painted room has afforded the Board of Health more privacy when interviewing people who need assistance; also the sink which was in the room makes the running of Clinics much easier for Dr. Zalon and myself.

I wish to thank the Chairman and the members of the Board of Health for their assistance and co-operation during my first three months as Board of Health Nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

SHIRLEY HOYT, R.N.
Public Health Nurse

Report of Plumbing Inspector for the year 1960

All plumbing work outlined in applications filed with the Board of Health has been inspected as far as the work has progressed, with two exceptions in which cases the work has not been started.

I wish to thank the members of the Board of Health and also Mr. Harry Rowe, the former inspector, for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELDON THOMPSON,
Plumbing Inspector

REPORT OF ASSESSORS

Number of Persons, Partnerships and Corporations Assessed on Property	2281
Value of Assessed Real Estate:	
Buildings	\$8,841,120.00
13,781 acres of land	1,698,120.00
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Total Value of Real Estate	\$10,539,240.00
Value of Personal Estate:	
Stock in Trade	\$97,800.00
Machinery	58,580.00
Live Stock	13,190.00
11 Horses	
60 Cows	
12 Neat Cattle other than Cows	
110 Swine	
840 Fowl	
1 Other Livestock	
All Other Tangible Personal Property	677,151.00
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Total Value of Personal Property	846,721.00
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Total Valuation—January 1, 1960	\$11,385,961.00
Total Valuation—January 1, 1959	\$11,132,919.00
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Total Increase in Valuation—1960	253,042.00

RECAPITULATION OF TAX RATE

Total Appropriations at Town Meetings	\$1,240,275.47
Total Appropriations from Available Funds	137,138.79
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	\$1,377,414.26

State Taxes and Assessments	7,109.63
Land Damages—Chapter 90 Construction	5,110.00
County Taxes and Assessments	58,232.12
Overlay of Current Year	39,444.49
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Gross Amount to be Raised	\$1,487,310.50

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:

Income Taxes	\$92,852.00
Corporations Taxes	37,641.26
Reimbursement a/c publicly owned land	20,955.86
Old Age Meal Taxes	4,645.75
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	82,244.77
Licenses	10,000.00
Fines	184.00
Special Assessments	5,367.81
General Government	3,098.80
Protection of Persons & Property	252.00
Health and Sanitation	445.00
Highways	101.34
Charities	22,726.89
Old Age Assistance	72,144.79
Veterans' Services	5,845.93
Schools, Inc. Transportation	29,069.22
Libraries	400.00
Recreation	50.00
Interest on Taxes	1,905.49
State Assistance for School Construction	26,273.28
Farm Animal Excise	500.00
Income from Dog Licenses	1,026.08
Income from School & Library Funds	1,189.69
Returned Div.—Group Insurance	1,500.00
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	\$420,419.96

Amounts to be taken from Available Funds	137,138.79
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Overestimate:		
State Tax	487.72	
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Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		\$558,046.47
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Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation on Polls and Property		\$929,264.03
Number of Polls—2362 @ \$2.00	4,724.00	
Personal Property:		
\$846,721.00—Tax Rate—\$81.20	68,753.74	
Real Estate:		
\$10,539,240.00—Tax Rate—\$81.20	855,786.29	
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Total Taxes Levied on Polls and Property		\$929,264.03

COMPUTATION OF SCHOOL RATE

General Appropriation	\$602,843.10	
Principal & Interest on School Loan	58,481.25	
Group Medical Life & Surgical Ins. 52.19% of \$11,000.00	5,740.90	
Books—Library	1,300.00	
Snow Plowing—School Yards	250.00	
School Police	2,840.97	
Appropriations for any School Purposes	123,866.60	
Buildings Insurance — 82.51% of \$4,255.45	3,511.17	
Liability Insurance—90% of \$291.08	261.97	
Academy Maintenance—1% of Cost	1,425.00	
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Total School Appropriations		\$800,520.96
School Percentage 55.29% of Overlay \$39,444.49		21,808.86
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		\$822,329.82

Estimated School Income:

School Dept.—Income	\$29,069.22	
\$6,836.77 plus \$22,232.45		
Trans.		
Income Tax Distribution	76,373.21	
Appropriation for any School		
Purposes	123,866.60	
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Total Estimated School Income		\$229,309.03

Estimated General Receipts:

Income Tax	16,478.79	
Corporation Taxes	37,641.26	
State Owned Land	20,955.86	
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	82,244.77	
Licenses	10,000.00	
Fines	184.00	
Interest	1,905.49	
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Total Estimated General Receipts	\$169,410.17	

School Percentage 55.29% of

General Receipts Estimated 93,666.88

Total Deductions		<hr/>	\$322,975.91
School Assessment			<hr/>
			\$499,353.91

Computation of School Percentage:

Gross Amount to be Raised \$1,487,310.50

Overlays \$39,444.49 39,444.49

Net Amount to be Raised \$1,447,866.01

School Percentage—Total School Appropriations	\$800,520.96	
		=55.29%
Net Amount to be raised	1,447,866.01	

Computation of Rates:

School Tax Rate—School Assessment	\$499,353.91	
		=43.86
Valuation	\$11,385,961.00	

General Tax Rate:

Total Tax Rate \$81.20 Less School Tax Rate \$43.86 =\$37.34

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

State Rate of Taxation	\$66.96
Number of Vehicles Registered in 1960	3602
Value of Vehicles Registered	\$1,573,850.00
Amount of Commitments	104,334.07

ASSETS OF THE TOWN

Town Hall and Equipment	\$62,000.00
Academy Building	75,000.00
Police Department, Lockup & Equipment	1,500.00
Fire Station and Equipment	75,000.00
Weights and Measures	2,500.00
Forestry Departments	5,000.00
Health Department	300.00
Sewer Department and System	312,000.00
Highway Department—Equipment	50,000.00
Gravel Beds	650.00
Municipal Garage	23,000.00
Parking Lot	7,000.00
McElwain School	150,000.00
Junior High School Building, School St.	200,000.00
Pratt School	5,000.00
Flagg School	4,000.00
High School	500,000.00
School Department—Equipment	30,450.00
Public Library & Equipment	55,000.00
Common	40,000.00
Playgrounds	38,000.00
Tax Title Possessions	2,518.89
Water Department:	
Pumping Station and Mains	162,000.00
Personal	750,000.00
Total	<u>\$2,550,918.89</u>

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Churches, Cemeteries and Other Organizations	\$170,095.00
State Farm	1,437,250.00

Soldiers', Sailors', Wives & Widows (Clauses 17 & 22)	224,000.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	138,892.00
State Teachers College	1,707,500.00
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Total	\$3,677,737.00

Respectfully submitted,

LEO F. NOURSE, Chairman
 BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY, Clerk
 HARRY P. DUNN,
 Board of Assessors

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my summary of the Building Inspector's Report for the year 1960.

New dwellings, 43, estimated cost \$475,284.00; garages, 18, \$23,100.00; addition to commercial garage, 1, \$2,000.00; restaurant, 1, \$17,000.00; warehouse, 1, \$8,800.00; additions or alterations to dwellings, 27, \$42,700.00; apartments, 2, \$17,000.00; repair, fire job, 2, \$47,385.15; shelters, sheds, poultry houses, 8, \$9,245.00; greenhouse, 1, \$100.00; Church repairs, 1, \$9,000.00; demolish buildings, 10, \$2,300.00; storage and workshop, 2, \$4,100.00; move buildings, 4, \$1,100.00; total permits issued, 122; total estimated cost \$659,114.15.

Permit was also issued for a regional school for \$2,200,000.00.

Several applications were denied, as they did not conform with the Zoning By-Laws and were referred to the Zoning Appeals Board.

I wish to express my appreciation to you and the various Town Departments for their co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. MORRIS,
Building Inspector

WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The Annual Town Meeting in March authorized the purchase of 12 acres of the Ponte property bordering on Carver's Pond for use as a well site.

A gravel packed well with a capacity of 350 gallons per minute was installed at this location during April and May. The well is provided with a submerged multi-stage turbine pump and controls, that permit operation from a clock setting. The well was placed in operation on June 1, and while repairs were made to the pump of the main well on High Street during June, the new well supplied practically the entire demand. Complaints of rusty water in the Bolton Place section were received about the middle of July and the main in the street was flushed to correct the trouble. Further complaints from this area continued and the new well was shut down on August 17 as it appeared that the rusty water reported was connected in some manner with the operation of this well. An investigation indicated that the change in flow of water in the mains was sloughing off tubercules of rust from the cast iron mains, which were carried to the low point in the distribution system at Bolton Place and Wall Street. The trouble was further aggravated by having dead end water mains of small diameter (4"), and of considerable age, (installed in 1885), at these two locations.

Our findings were confirmed by an independent investigation by the State Department of Public Health and they recommended a comprehensive flushing program be instituted to remove any

loosely adhering rust, to be followed by the addition of metafos to the water supply to inhibit the formation of rust in the cast iron mains. These recommendations will be put into effect in the spring of 1961. The addition of metafos (sodium hexameta phosphate) to the water supply should also reduce the corrosive action of the water on brass and copper fittings of house services and thus lengthen their life. A detailed flushing program has been prepared.

The 4" cast iron mains in Bolton Place and in Wall Street as far as the railroad track, were replaced with 6" cement asbestos mains in October. All house services on Bolton Place were renewed and the house services in this section of Wall Street were either connected to the new extension or transferred to the existing 6" main. It is planned to replace the remaining 500 feet of old 4" main extending beyond the railroad track on Wall Street in 1961.

All water services on the southerly side of Pleasant Street from intersection with South Street to Crescent Street, and all water services on the northerly side were renewed because of the widening of Pleasant Street. 31 services in all were renewed and two Ludlow hydrants were replaced with new Darling hydrants.

In late May the oil seal of pump in Well #1 failed and the pump was removed for repairs. Upon removal of the pump the shaft was found to be badly scored and a new shaft and new bearings were installed. The lubrication was changed from oil to water, which is the modern practice. While the pump was removed, the well was treated with chemical agents to remove the iron bacteria from the surrounding gravel. The repair work and cleaning were performed by the D. L. Maher Company.

The interior of the Great Hill standpipe was sand blasted and the interior and exterior painted with "Prufcoat" Vinyl coating. The work was started the first of October and finished the 15th of November. Weather was ideal during the period for this type of work.

Two 6" water services were installed at the new Regional High School and the expense was defrayed by the contractor.

49 new water services were installed during the year and 64 renewals were made.

A total of 194,958,100 gallons of water were pumped for the year with a daily average of 532,672 gallons.

There were three major breaks in the water mains during the year with one particularly bad break under the reinforced concrete surface of Bedford Street at Cottage Street. For the first time in some years no hydrants were damaged by motor vehicles.

Respectfully submitted,

ALVAH S. TOLIVAISA
 JAMES W. BUMPUS
 ARTHUR JOYCE
 Board of Water Commissioners

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The source of the oil that has been flowing into the sewerage system and causing considerable difficulty in its removal from the surface of the Imhoff Tanks, has now been definitely located.

Measures have been recommended that would correct this trouble at the source and unless this is done, the operation of the disposal plant will be seriously affected.

A contract for the plans for the extension of sewer mains on Union and Mt. Prospect Streets to service the Regional High School has been executed and it is planned to advertise for bids for the installations in February with the work to be performed in April 1961.

There were 353½ feet of 8" sewer mains installed on Sanger Street and 419½ feet on Goodwin Street, resulting in eight new sewer services. Abutters have been assessed one half of the cost of construction.

A new sewer service was installed at the Independent Nail Company.

Respectfully submitted,

ALVAH S. TOLIVAISA
 JAMES W. BUMPUS
 ARTHUR JOYCE
 Sewer Commissioners

REPORT OF WIRE INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my Annual Report as Inspector of Wires of Bridgewater, Mass., for the year ending 1960.

A total of 1377 wiring permits were received and inspected during the year and they are sub-divided as follows:

Change of service or new service	226
Additions to existing wiring	804
Oil burners or gas burners	126
Electric ranges	64
Electric hot water tanks	54
Electric dryers	59
Air-conditioning	8
Electric dish washers	15
Electric disposals	21
Total	1377

This year there were many calls, during the hurricane, for falling wires; and also inspection of wires after all fires that had to do with wiring.

I wish to thank the Honorable Board of Selectmen, The Brockton Edison Co., The Electrical Contractors and the Journeyman Electricians, and the Townspeople for cooperating with this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CARL N. MESERVE,
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit the Annual Report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1960.

Number of Arrests		368
Male	351	
Female	17	
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CAUSE

Crimes Against Person:

Assault and Battery	2	
Assault and Battery on a Police Officer	2	
Assault and Battery on a School Principal	1	
Assault by Means of a Dangerous Weapon	1	
Conspiracy	1	
Illegitimacy	1	
Indecent Assault and Battery on nine year old boy	1	
Rape of Child	2	
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Crimes Against Property:

Breaking and Entering in the Daytime	1	
Delinquency—Larceny more than \$100.00	1	
Injury to a Building	2	
Larceny by Check, less than \$100.00	2	
Larceny, less than \$100.00	19	
Larceny, more than \$100.00	1	
Malicious Injury to Personal Property	2	
Receiving Stolen Property	1	
Using Motor Vehicle Without Authority	6	
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Crimes Against Public Order:

Default Warrants	2	
Disturbance	2	
Driving Motor Vehicle to Endanger Life	17	
Driving Motor Vehicle Under Influence	22	

Drunkenness	56
Fish and Game Law Violations	1
Furnishing Liquor to Minors	2
Gambling	5
Illegal Possession of Obscene Literature and Photographs	1
Incest	2
Lottery—Sale of Tickets	1
Motor Vehicle Violations	53
Non-Support of Minor Children	2
Parking Violations	43
Peddling without a License	1
Profanity	1
Sodomy	8
To Show Cause	10
Traffic Violations	71
Unnatural Act	8
Vagrancy	5
Violation of City Ordinance	1
Violation of Probation	6
Wayward Child	1
Weapon Carrying without Permit	1
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Recapitulation:

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Against Person	11	0	11
Against Property	34	1	35
Against Public Order	306	16	322
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Total	351	17	368

DISPOSITION

Continued	8
Default Warrants Issued	2
Dismissed for Want of Prosecution	6
Filed	19
Fined	77
Foxboro State Hospital	3
Massachusetts Correctional Institution at Bridgewater	6

Not Guilty	8	
Other Police	169	
Paul Dever School	4	
Plymouth County House of Correction	23	
Probation	5	
Released	7	
Suspended Sentence	16	
Youth Service Board	3	
Wrentham State School	12	
		368
Amount of Court Fines Imposed		\$3,051.00
Amount Reverting to Credit of the Town		251.00
Other Income:		
Bicycle Registrations		21.75
Dealer Permits: Class I, II, and III		750.00
Licenses: Firearms, Gunsmith, Rifles, and Shotguns		60.00
No Trespass Signs		13.75
Revolver Permits: To Carry and To Purchase		60.00
Sale of Tire		5.00
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Total Other Income Reverting To The Town		\$910.50

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

Number of Accidents	99
Number of Occupants of Vehicles Injured	74
Number of Pedestrians Injured	6
Number of Accidents where People were Injured	42
Number of Accidents Investigated by State Police	2
Number of Fatal Accidents	3
Number of Persons Killed	3

LOCATION OF ACCIDENTS

Auburn Street	2
Bedford Street	7
Broad Street	9
Burrill Avenue	1
Center Street	2

Central Square	8
Conant Street	1
Crescent Street	1
Elm Street	1
Expressway	2
Grove Street	2
Hayward Street	1
High Street	5
Main Street	13
Maple Avenue	1
Mt. Prospect Street	2
Oak Street	1
Pine Street	1
Pleasant Street	15
Plymouth Street	6
Pond Street	1
Roberts Road	1
South Street	2
Summer Street	8
Vernon Street	2
Wall Street	1
Walnut Street	1
Wood Street	1
Worcester Street	1

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Clear	79
Cloudy	3
Fog	1
Rain	14
Snow	2

ROAD CONDITIONS

Dry	71
Icy	11
Snow	5
Wet	15

CAUSE

Asleep	1
Bicycle Operator	1

Blinded by sun and lights	2
Defective Equipment	2
Failing to Slow	1
Hit and Run	1
Improper Operation	15
Inattention	30
Operating Under Influence	13
Pedestrian	2
Skid	11
Speed	8
Undetermined	9
Weather	3

RECOMMENDATIONS

I recommend the following improvements which would facilitate the department's duties and at the same time be a prevention measure concerning accidents and also a safety precaution.

1. Installation of parking meters in the center of town.
2. A stop sign for traffic coming from Plymouth Street onto Summer Street at the left of the island.
3. Traffic lights or flashing warning lights at the intersection of High and Center Streets, with Main Street.

SUMMARY

I wish to thank the Auxiliary Police, the Police Officer who takes care of the State College and the Traffic Supervisors for the excellent performance of their duties.

New members who joined the police department this past year were Edward L. Hall, Special Police Officer and Mary L. Lapham, Traffic Supervisor at the Grove and Summer Street Crossing.

Kenneth E. Gebo was appointed a permanent patrolman to replace George W. Alley who resigned.

I would like to express my appreciation to your Board, to all town officials, to my co-workers and to the townspeople for their support and co-operation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER F. SHAW,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1960.

We have placed markers on the following graves:

Old Catholic Cemetery: Francis Kilbridge, WW2; Louis Provost, WW1; Everett F. Richmond, WW2; Lester Gorman, WW2.

New Catholic Cemetery: Edward T. Orcutt, WW2; Patrick Linehan, WW1; James Barrett, WW1; Annette Carroll, U. S. Air Force; Anthony Medas, WW2.

Mt. Prospect Cemetery: Ernest L. Cook, Jr., WW1; Roger Fitch, WW1; Harold Butler, WW1; Duncan Lothrop, WW1; George Herne, Spanish War; Edward McKinley, WW2; Dr. Arshag Yazarian, WW2; Howard Smith, WW2. Some of these required only flags as the markers were already provided.

Veterans buried in other cemeteries: Don Trombley, WW1; Louis Turner, WW1; Floyd Tufts, U. S. Army, Korea; Edgar N. Parenteau, WW2; Ralph Gardner, WW1; Arthur E. Pratt, WW1.

I wish to thank the following for the assistance they have given me during the year of 1960: The Selectmen's Office, Highway Department, and Charles Chassey.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL L. SOULE,
Veterans' Graves Officer

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To the Citizens of the Town of Bridgewater:

The past year was a very active one for the Planning Board. The following are lots approved on existing streets:

Two lots on Main Street	Two lots on Plain Street
Two lots on South Street	Four lots on Cherry Street
Four lots on Forest Street	One lot on Summer Street
Two lots on Birch Street	One lot on Pond Street
Five lots on Pleasant Street	One lot Old Pleasant Street
One lot on High Street	Fourteen lots on
Two lots on High Street	Vernon Street

The following are Sub-divisions approved:

1. Robert Gabriel on land off North Street — 8 lots
2. Coronet Construction, Inc. on South Street — 18 lots
3. Robert Murray & Sons off Vernon Street — 3 parcels of land
4. Home Builders Associates on High Street

On February 28, 1960 a special meeting was called for all the town boards to determine if 265 homes to be located off Vernon Street, which was submitted by Robert Murray & Sons, would

affect their departments. Victor Auglis, Chairman, and three other members of the Planning Board have been on a field trip to see some of the houses built by this developer.

On March 21, 1960, Victor A. Auglis was voted as Chairman and Herbert Sarkisian as Clerk of the Planning Board.

April 4, 1960 a letter was written to Mr. Rosa located on Vernon Street that at the Town Meeting it was voted in the Zoning By-Laws (Sec. III-I) that no trailers would be allowed.

July 11, 1960 a letter was written to the Building Inspector to revoke the building permit on Lot #2 of Coronet Construction for non-compliance of the sub-division law.

July 22, 1960, Victor Auglis, Chairman, attended a meeting with the Board of Selectmen in regards to a Fee being charged for building permits.

August 15, 1960, Victor Auglis and Harold Lee attended a Hearing held by the Selectmen regarding the removal of loam by a developer. The Planning Board has voted there is no such thing as surplus loam; also Sidewalks to be provided in all sub-divisions, surfaced with 1½ inch of asphalt concrete and located on both sides of all new streets.

September 19, 1960 a petition for rezoning Main Street was received.

September 26, 1960 a Public Hearing on the rezoning of Main Street was held.

November 7, 1960, it was agreed that for the best interest of the town Main Street would not be rezoned; however, we feel that existing business can get relief from hardship by a variance.

Bi-monthly meetings of the Planning Board were held with a quorum at each meeting.

In closing for the year, we want to thank the other town boards for their cooperation rendered.

We, also, recommend that the rezoning of the industrial area and the enforcement of the trailer Zoning By-Laws and Building Code be amended.

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR A. AUGLIS, Chairman
 COL. HAROLD D. LEE
 ATTY. HARRY P. DUNN
 HERBERT SARKISIAN, Clerk
 RUTLEDGE A. WAKER

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS SERVICES

Board of Selectmen
 Bridgewater, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is a summary of the activities of the Department of Veterans Services during fiscal 1960.

The department expended \$23,372.00 under authorization of the Massachusetts Commissioner of Veterans Services. Eligibility for these benefits was based on need as determined by a budget compiled by the Commissioner and scaled to the requirement of the individual or family. They were available to honorably discharged veterans, their widows and dependents whose need arose through illness, unemployment or otherwise, through no fault of their own.

The department obtained hospitalization and pension benefits in the amount of approximately \$16,000. This sum represents a savings which would otherwise be charged to the cost of the program.

Services which were offered to veterans apart from cash benefits were claims or applications for disability compensation, non-

service connected pensions, widows pensions. Contacts were made on G.I. loans, education and miscellaneous Veterans Administration (federal) benefits. New legislation affecting service benefits included the Widows Pension Law. Formerly WWII and Korean Conflict widows were eligible for help from Veterans Administration only if their husband had a service connected disability. Under the new law they will be eligible if the veteran was in active service for ninety (90) days or more and was discharged under other than dishonorable conditions. The widows pension is computed according to the income of the widow and may reach a maximum of \$60.00 per month.

The office at 10 Main Street is open at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Appointments may be made for Friday evenings.

The services that this office performed were made possible through the cohesive efforts of the town officials, veterans organizations, state and federal agencies, to all of whom our thanks are extended.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES A. BAKER,
Veterans Agent

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Public Library have approved the following recommendations for the improvement of the library:

Combination storm windows were installed in the Reference Room.

Floors were refinished, and minor repairs made.

On September 1st, Mrs. Phyllis D. Keith was appointed to fill the position of Mrs. Marcia Moss, who left to work in the Concord Public Library.

Miss Julia C. Carter resigned as secretary and Mrs. Marjorie Moore was appointed to fill her place.

Mrs. Walter Little presented to the library a fine painting of "Echo Lake," painted by Mrs. Marion Darling Wentworth, a former Bridgewater resident. This painting is hanging in the Reading Room over the fireplace.

MARJORIE D. MOORE,
Secretary

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of the Bridgewater Public Library:

I submit my report for the year 1960.

Working with the school students has been the most active part of our program this year. In the morning, younger pupils have been allowed to come to the library, and it is with this age group that we wish to stress use of the library. Mrs. Wheeler has cooperated with the elementary grades in this respect.

It has been pleasing to receive compliments about our library, from people moving into town, expressing the fact they had not expected to find so many good books in such a small library. Our one concern is lack of growing space and each year this becomes more of a problem. The library is continually trying to meet the needs of the public in both Reference material and Recreational Reading.

The High School girls working in the library this year are: Sarah Mayhew, Janet Blanchard, Mary Ann Brady, Merri Jones, and Elaine Tuholski, who have all done a fine job.

The circulation figures are as follows:

CHILDREN'S LIBRARY		
Non fiction		7,731
Fiction		11,231
	Total	<u>18,962</u>
ADULT		
Non fiction		33,300
Fiction		29,380
	Total	<u>63,300</u>
Grand total		82,262
New Books	1450	Student attendance 14,910

BERTHA J. CAMERON,
Librarian

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Bridgewater:

The Board of Selectmen herewith submit their 304th Annual Report for the year 1960.

The joint Boards of Selectmen, Assessors and Public Welfare met and organized with Bartholomew F. Casey, Chairman, Leo F. Nourse, Clerk and Harry P. Dunn. During the year, due to increased business activities, Mr. Casey found it necessary to resign as Chairman. The Board re-organized with Mr. Nourse as Chairman and Mr. Casey assumed the duties as Clerk.

Following the proceedings of former years, the Board has held its weekly meetings on Friday evenings at 7 P.M. Special meetings were held when necessity required.

The Highway Department under the supervision of Roscoe W. Sanders has carried on the necessary highway maintenance work in addition to Chapter 90 Construction on Pleasant Street. The preliminary work such as drainage and changing of grades has been carried out and during the coming year the actual top coat and finish coat will be completed to the intersection of Birch Street. With an increase in the amount of funds which are available from the State and County, over the amount received in 1960, will continue the work on Pleasant Street.

Mr. Sanders and his men have had a difficult year due to the hurricane in September and the many snow storms which have required long hours of hard work. They are to be commended on their efficient and faithful service under adverse conditions.

Mr. John H. Reilly has carried on the duties of Tree Warden in the same efficient manner as in the past. A considerable amount of extra work fell on this department due to the September hurricane and cleaning up of the fallen trees and debris.

The Police Department has been administered under the leadership of Chief Elmer F. Shaw. During the year George W. Alley resigned as Patrolman and Kenneth E. Gebo was appointed to fill the vacancy. The detail of all the police activities is found in another section of this report.

The fire department, under the direction of Chief George H. Sweeney has had a busy year, not only with several local fires of various seriousness, but also in connection with a mutual aid program which is in effect in the surrounding towns, and of considerable benefit to all communities in the district. In addition to the activities of the actual duties of the department in case of fires, they have been busy during the time of the hurricane and other major storms which required that the public be protected by the members of the force putting in 24 hours a day at the fire station.

During the year one new permanent man has been added to the department. The Chief is requesting five additional men because of his inability to obtain call firefighters during the day due

to the fact many are employed out of town and unable to respond to the alarms.

The Chief is also requesting a new piece of fire apparatus to replace one of the older pieces of apparatus.

The Town appropriated funds for the dedication of the new National Guard Armory Building on Bedford Street, which was held during the year. We feel that this is an asset to the town and its residents. As a result of the quarters vacated in the Academy Building by the National Guard, it has been possible to supply office space for the administration of the Bridgewater-Raynham School District.

We were very fortunate to have Mr. Harry Lehmann serve as our Supervisor of the Swimming Pool Project conducted at the State College during the summer months. Through the cooperation of Dr. Clement C. Maxwell, President of the State College, the residents of the Town benefited by the use of the State facilities. Mr. Lehmann and his assistants gave instructions in swimming, life saving and other water sports. The residents displayed much interest in the Project and we sincerely hope we will be able to continue this program during the coming year.

The State College has completed two dormitories during the past year, one for the girls at the corner of Park Ave. and Summer Street and one for the boys at the corner of Park Terrace and Summer Street. While these buildings were under construction, the parking problem was very serious. At times it would have been impossible for a piece of fire apparatus to proceed on any of the streets in the area. The Board is in hopes that something may be done to relieve the parking situation which will benefit materially the merchants in town as the street parking and the public parking lot is now being occupied by college students.

The Veterans Services and Veterans Benefits Department has been very efficiently handled by Mr. James A. Baker, our Veterans Agent. The case load has increased materially because of strikes, lack of work or illness of the wage earner. Mr. Baker, being a veteran himself, has a very good understanding of veterans problems which results in satisfaction to all who are in need of his guidance.

The Board wishes to express their appreciation of the efforts of all Committees, Boards and individuals for their fine cooperation and assistance received during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

LEO F. NOURSE, Chairman
 BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY, Clerk
 HARRY P. DUNN
 Board of Selectmen

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit for your consideration and approval the annual report of the Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1960.

PERSONNEL

PERMANENT MEN		CALL MEN	
1	Chief	1	Deputy Chief
1	Deputy Chief	3	Captains
1	Captain	1	Lieutenant
1	Lieutenant	23	Privates
3	Privates		

Total — 35 Men

APPARATUS

TYPE	MAKE	PURCHASED
Combination	International	June 20, 1942
Engine 1	Mack	December 8, 1948
Engine 2	Maxim	May 18, 1936
Aerial 1	Maxim	January, 1956
Rescue 1	International	March, 1957
Chief's Car	Pontiac	April, 1957

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

The fire alarm system is a standard Gamewell System with 61 street boxes, (9 of which are private), and 11 Tappers.

RECORD OF ALARMS

The department responded to 49 Box Alarms during the year:

Accidental Alarms	5	Machinery	1
Barn	2	Oil Burners	1
Dwellings	9	Outside Aid	11
Electrical	3	Refrigerator	1
False Alarms	5	Rubbish	3
Fireworks Plant	1	Shed	3
Garage	1	Tire Shop	1
Grease on stove	1	Turkey Porch	1

We also responded to 33 Squad Calls, as follows:

Accident	3	Electrical	2
A.D.T.	2	Gas Pump	1
Ambulance	1	Grease on stove	1
Automobile	4	Oil Burner	1
Chimney	3	Oxygen	8
Clothes	1	Outside Aid	2
Cow Rescue	1	Smoke Scare	1
Dog Rescue	1	Tires	1

We also responded to 69 Still Alarms, as follows:

Accident	3	Hurricane	1
Ambulance	9	Locked out	3
Automobile	9	Miscellaneous	11
Bonfire	1	Oil Burner	3
Chimney	1	Oxygen	4
Electrical	3	Partition	1
First Aid	1	Rubbish	1
Food on Stove	2	Sawdust	1
Gas in Road	4	Smoke Scare	4
Gas leak	4	Snow Storm	1
Grease	1	Tires	1

EQUIPMENT USED

2½ in. Hose	20,450 feet	Ladders	659 feet
1½ in. Hose	5,400 feet	Ansul Ext.	9
Booster Hose	4,725 feet	CO ₂ Ext.	1

REMARKS

This year the department answered four less alarms than last year, but the fire loss was greater this year. I cannot emphasize enough the need for the residents to "Keep a clean house," this means cleaning the basements of trash and other combustibles which might cause a major fire.

The permanent men made minor repairs to the apparatus and to the building during the year.

This year I am asking for more permanent men. During the day time the manpower shortage is acute. A number of times we have had to call upon outside departments for aid and manpower. The outside departments are in the same manpower situation as we are.

I am asking for a new combination; the present truck is 19 years old and is too far gone for repair, and replacement parts are unavailable. This truck has failed us just when we needed it most.

The Deputy Chief has attended a monthly drill instructors' school and has brought back vital information to the department.

The Lieutenant has attended an oil burner service school. Oil burner fires are on the decrease due to rigid inspections and enforcement of existing State Laws.

The fire alarm system is very old and the wire is stretched to the breaking point due to the many storms we have experienced during the years. I plan to replace the old wire a little each year.

A new cement floor was installed in the old ladder house, and four new windows were installed in the second floor.

Inspections of the schools and nursing homes were made during the year and the proper reports sent to the State.

The Fire Alarm Superintendent's report is attached.

In conclusion, I wish to thank your Board, the various Town Departments, the Townspeople and the men of the Department for their loyal support this year..

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SWEENEY,
Chief, Fire Department

SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM

I hereby submit my annual report as Superintendent of Fire Alarm for the year 1960.

At present the Fire Alarm System comprises 61 boxes, heat detectors and water-flow devices in 1 Church, 2 Industrial Plants and 9 College Buildings. Preparatory line construction is currently under way to include the new Regional School Building in our circuit with the fore-mentioned devices.

Considerable damage to wire and arms resulting from our recent hurricane was immediately repaired temporarily; however, provisions should be made for permanent construction. Boxes and control equipment are periodically tested.

In conclusion, I would recommend that the older boxes be replaced, perhaps one a year.

I wish to take this opportunity in conclusion to thank you and the other Town Departments who have so ably cooperated with me for your splendid support.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY W. MESERVE

REPORT OF THE FOREST WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit for your consideration and approval the annual report of the Forest Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1960.

PERSONNEL

The personnel of the Department consists of One Chief Warden, being the Chief of the Fire Department, and Six Deputy Wardens, who are the permanent firemen.

RECORD OF ALARMS

The Department answered 6 Box Alarms, 46 4-Blow Calls, and 56 Still Alarms as follows:

Woods	20	Outside Aid	2
Dump	22	Rubbish	3
Grass	35	Pine Needles	1
Brush	13	Bonfire	2
Leaves	1	Miscellaneous	9

There were 6,967 Burning permits issued.

EQUIPMENT USED

2½ in. Hose	2,400 feet
1½ in. Hose	3,550 feet
Forestry Hose	17,050 feet
Water	31,700 gallons

REMARKS

This year, as in past years, the department was called to the Town Dump many times. It required many man hours to extinguish the fires caused from the dump.

I wish to thank your Board and the various people of the Town for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SWEENEY,
Forest Warden

REPORT OF THE HERBERT K. PRATT FUND FOR THE BRIDGEWATER FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Following is the report of the Herbert K. Pratt Fund for the year ending December 31, 1960.

The following members of the Fire Department were re-elected to serve as trustees for the year 1961.

Francis Bromley	Peter Donati
John A. Hall	Veren H. Dyke

Officers of the Board of Trustees are:

President	George H. Sweeney
Secretary	Francis Bromley
Treasurer	Arthur Chaffee

The Fund Total as of January 1, 1960	\$2,868.90	
Earned Dividends	April 1	50.19
	October 31	51.08
	Total	\$2,970.17
Payments		None
Balance		\$2,970.17

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SWEENEY
FRANCIS BROMLEY
VEREN DYKE
JOHN HALL

PETER DONATI
LEO NOURSE
ARTHUR CHAFFEE
Board of Trustees
FRANCIS E. BROMLEY,
Secretary

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

A Summary of the financial transactions of the Town Treasurer for the financial year ending December 31, 1960 is given below. Detailed statements, outstanding indebtedness and investment funds are contained in the report of the Town Accountant.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand and on Deposit		
January 1, 1960		\$ 392,070.30
Receipts:		
Revenue	\$ 1,638,668.66	
Non-Revenue	602,727.74	2,241,396.40
		\$ 2,633,466.70

PAYMENTS

Payments:		
Revenue	\$ 1,872,725.94	
Non-Revenue	623,722.79	2,496,448.73
		137,017.97
Cash on hand and on Deposit		
December 31, 1960		137,017.97
		\$ 2,633,466.70

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR C. CHAFFEE,
Treasurer

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

1957

Dr.

Outstanding January 1, 1960:		
Real Estate	354.92	
Motor Vehicle Excise	102.93	457.85
Interest	29.74	
Costs	10.00	39.74
		497.59

Cr.

Collections:		
Real Estate	354.92	
Motor Vehicle Excise	53.48	408.40
Interest	29.74	
Costs	10.00	39.74
Abatements:		
Motor Vehicle Excise	49.45	49.45
		497.59

1958

Dr.

Outstanding January 1, 1960:	
Polls	12.00
Personal	1,102.02
Real Estate	12,482.67
Water Added to Real Estate	300.30

Side Walk Assessment	399.34	
Motor Vehicle Excise	418.40	14,714.73
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Interest	856.05	
Costs	135.94	991.99
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		15,706.72

Cr.

Collections:

Polls	6.00	
Personal	970.26	
Real Estate	11,761.88	
Water Added to Real Estate	202.77	
Side Walk Assessment	399.34	
Motor Vehicle Excise	145.18	13,485.43
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Abatements:

Polls	2.00	
Personal	73.20	
Real Estate	91.50	
Motor Vehicle Excise	273.22	439.92
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Tax Title:

Real Estate	29.65	29.65
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Interest	856.05	
Costs	135.94	991.99
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Outstanding December 31, 1960:

Polls	4.00	
Personal	58.56	
Real Estate	599.64	
Water Added to Real Estate	97.53	759.73
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		15,706.72

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1959

Dr.

Outstanding December 31, 1959:

Polls	38.00	
Farm Animal Excise	61.01	
Personal	3,037.19	
Real Estate	43,957.84	
Motor Vehicle Excise	7,390.54	
'59 M. V. Excise Com. in '60	16,266.45	
Water Added to Real Estate	591.79	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	21.41	71,364.23
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Interest	858.02	
Costs	710.60	1,568.62
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Refunds:

Real Estate	656.70	
Motor Vehicle Excise	584.46	1,241.16
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		74,174.01

Cr.

Collections:

Polls	10.00	
Farm Animal Excise	22.88	
Personal	655.79	
Real Estate	30,523.71	
Motor Vehicle Excise	20,944.10	
Water Added to Real Estate	337.18	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	11.41	52,505.07
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Abatements:

Polls	18.00	
Personal	119.40	
Real Estate	756.20	
Motor Vehicle Excise	2,560.84	3,454.44
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Tax Titles:		
Real Estate	24.27	24.27
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Interest	858.02	
Costs	710.60	1,568.62
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Outstanding December 31, 1960:		
Polls	10.00	
Farm Animal Excise	38.13	
Personal	2,262.00	
Real Estate	13,310.36	
Motor Vehicle Excise	736.51	
Water Added to Real Estate	254.61	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	10.00	16,621.61
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		74,174.01

1960

Dr.

Committed:		
Polls	4,730.00	
Farm Animal Excise	561.27	
Personal	68,753.74	
Real Estate	855,795.63	
Water Added to Real Estate	2,496.70	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	114.17	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment	4,768.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise	109,533.31	
Water	83,813.23	
Sewer	5,211.21	1,135,777.26
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Balance '59 Water Br't Forward	4,779.72	
Balance '59 Sewer Br't Forward	208.22	4,987.94
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Refunds:		
Polls	10.00	
Personal	129.92	
Real Estate	1,024.34	

Motor Vehicle Excise	1,206.87	
Water	.75	2,371.88
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Interest	153.34	
Costs	559.30	712.64
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Tax Title:		
Interest	.20	
Costs	5.00	5.21
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		1,143,854.93

Cr.

Collections:		
Polls	3,952.00	
Farm Animal Excise	454.26	
Personal	63,858.36	
Real Estate	787,967.47	
Water Added to Real Estate	1,696.28	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	63.16	
Motor Vehicle Excise	83,849.36	
Water	78,965.82	
Sewer	4,814.00	
1959 Sewer	207.94	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment	777.00	1,026,605.65
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Abatements:		
Polls	762.00	
Farm Animal Excise	10.00	
Personal	892.22	
Real Estate	20,587.62	
Motor Vehicle Excise	9,727.06	
Water	71.50	
Sewer	2.50	
1959 Sewer	.28	32,053.18
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Interest	153.34	
Costs	559.30	712.64
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Tax Title:		
Real Estate	771.63	
Water Added to Real Estate	96.38	868.01
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Interest	.21	
Costs	5.00	5.21
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Outstanding December 31, 1960:		
Polls	26.00	
Farm Animal Excise	97.01	
Personal	4,133.08	
Real Estate	47,493.25	
Water Added to Real Estate	704.04	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	51.01	
Motor Vehicle Excise	17,163.76	
Water	9,556.38	
Sewer	394.71	
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment	3,991.00	83,610.24
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		1,143,854.93

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR C. CHAFFEE,
Town Collector

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Citizens of Bridgewater:

The Board of Public Welfare organized with Bartholomew F. Casey as Chairman, Leo F. Nourse as Clerk and Harry P. Dunn. During the year Mr. Casey resigned as Chairman and Mr. Nourse was elected Chairman and Mr. Casey as Clerk.

Monthly meetings were held with the Director in addition to the regular Friday night meetings.

Mrs. Gladys McDonald resigned as Social Worker due to illness. As these positions are under Civil Service, we were not able to employ a Social Worker until an available list was received in December. We employed Mrs. Gertrude Conley of Brockton to begin her duties on February 1, 1961. Mrs. Conley has previously been employed by the Brockton Welfare Department and is a veteran of World War II.

We have had a new category of relief added during the year, namely Medical Aid. Many of our cases who were receiving Old Age Assistance have now been transferred to the Medical Aid Program. The Total number of cases has materially decreased over the past years, partially due to more individuals receiving Social Security benefits.

The present staff in our Welfare Department consists of Barbara Buchanan as the Agent or Director, Edith M. Rhoades as Clerk and Gertrude Conley as Social Worker.

The following is a comparative statement of the expenditures during the past three years for all types of public assistance:

	Aid to					
	General	Dependent	Disability	Old Age &		
Administration	Relief	Children	Assistance	Medical Aid	Total	
1958	\$11524.58	\$12529.79	\$36720.63	\$9867.58	\$156070.76	\$226713.34
1959	11977.54	13369.38	35547.29	8986.13	159625.32	229505.66
1960	10536.87	17638.09	38311.89	14203.44	153402.17	234092.46
Tot'ls	\$34038.99	\$43537.26	\$110579.81	\$33057.15	\$469098.25	\$690311.46

Respectfully submitted,

LEO F. NOURSE, Chairman
 BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY, Clerk
 HARRY P. DUNN

Board of Public Welfare

REPORT OF THE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Board of Selectmen
Bridgewater, Mass.

The Industrial Development Commission spent an active year in preparing for potential industry in Bridgewater. The Commission held meetings every second and fourth Monday of each month except when it convened only one Monday per month during July and August.

Considerable time and effort was given to working closely with the R. M. Bradley Company, a national real estate organization which was assigned by a client to survey the Southeastern area for possible industrial sites on which to locate a minimum 300,000 square foot plant. Maps, lists giving available labor sources, plans of water and sewerage, etc. were assembled. Water requirements, however, of 2 million gallons per day plus sewerage disposal of 1 million gallons per day, made negotiations impractical at this time.

Other potential clients are still being investigated.

Commercial advertising agencies have been consulted with reference to the planning of an informative brochure to be published in 1961. This brochure will describe Bridgewater and its material as well as its geographical advantages so that interested industrial groups may be better informed.

Plans have been nearly completed for the construction and erection of two industrial signs which, it is hoped, will be placed on the Southeast Expressway.

Re-zoning for industrial purposes has been worked on in conjunction with the Planning Board. In the opinion of the Commission re-zoning for industry must be done as soon as possible.

We look forward to 1961 as the year that will bring industry to our town and earnestly invite the help and cooperation of all concerned.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER P. MURRAY, Chairman
FRANK J. EMALOWICH
WILLIAM M. O'ROURKE
JOHN F. SWEENEY
RUTLEDGE ADAM WAKER

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit my annual report for the financial year ending December 31, 1960, showing in detail the amount of appropriations, expenditures, receipts from all sources of revenue, debt statements, trust funds and a table showing how the Town's money has been expended.

The work in my office is still increasing tremendously. You will note that our receipts have increased from \$1,923,194.40 in 1959 to \$2,633,466.70 in 1960, or an increase of \$710,272.30. The payments have increased from \$1,851,457.90 to \$2,496,448.73 or a net increase of \$644,990.83.

We have 427 employees in 1960 as in comparison to 349 in 1959.

I really need an additional clerk in my department. I have only one clerk in the office in spite of all the additional work that has been added in the past few years. We have 2 lunch rooms reporting cash receipts daily, with separate accounting books for each, a gasoline accounting system, charging the daily consumption to the individual departments, all the many deductions from

the salaries and the monthly reports for each. We have the blue cross and insurance problems, contributory retirement records, federal withholding taxes, state withholding taxes plus all the accounting work as required by law.

Have had to serve as Secretary of the Wage & Personnel Board which necessitates quite a bit of additional work, both during the day and the many meetings we have at night during the year.

I would also recommend the purchase of an electric bookkeeping machine which is being used in many of the municipalities. The machine is so designed as to be able to make out the pay roll checks as well as the accounts payable at the same time the accounting records are prepared. We have been using an electric machine for some few years, but that machine does not accumulate the totals for the deductions and means we spend many hours manually adding all the columns of figures which could be done in one operation on the newer and more modern type of machine. The machine is so designed that my general ledger could also be done on the machine, thus speeding up the daily posting.

For the past several weeks I have had to work week-ends and many nights a week in order to get the budgets and work finished prior to town meeting. I feel that with another girl in the office and the new machine, it would eliminate my working so much overtime and assist materially. In this way we could spend more of our time on the departmental audit which is required for the efficiency of the town departments.

I wish to express my appreciation for the excellent cooperation I have received from your Board, various town departments and the Citizens of the town during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

A. EVELYN NOURSE,
Town Accountant

HOW THE TOWN'S MONEY HAS BEEN EXPENDED

	Receipts	Payments	Net Cost	% of Net Cost
General Government	\$3,368.00	\$58,442.48	\$55,074.48	4.66
Protection	248.05	133,276.21	133,028.16	11.25
Health and Sewers	6,134.22	44,473.65	38,339.43	3.24
Highways	18,110.53	112,787.33	94,676.80	8.01
Welfare, A.D.C., O.A.A., D.A.	182,732.47	234,092.46	51,359.99	4.35
Veterans' Services	8,000.61	25,508.04	17,507.43	1.48
Schools (Including Interest & Debt on School Loan)	152,114.15	870,930.44	718,816.29	60.82
Recreation	1,313.40	16,383.89	15,070.49	1.28
Miscellaneous	4,582.40	62,657.80	58,075.40	4.91
TOTALS	\$376,603.83	\$1,558,552.30	\$1,181,948.47	100.00

I. GENERAL ACCOUNTS

FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 1960

ASSETS

Cash:

General Funds \$ 137,017.97

Invested Funds 250,000.00

\$ 387,017.97

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes:

1958 Poll \$ 4.00

1959 Poll 10.00

1960 Poll 26.00

1958 Personal Taxes 58.56

1959 Personal Taxes 2,262.00

1960 Personal Taxes 4,133.08

1958 Real Estate Taxes 599.64

1959 Real Estate Taxes 13,310.36

1960 Real Estate Taxes 47,493.25

\$ 67,896.89

Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise:			
Levy of 1959		\$ 736.51	
Levy of 1960		17,163.76	
		<hr/>	\$ 17,900.27
Animal Excise Taxes:			
Levy of 1959		\$ 38.13	
Levy of 1960		97.01	
		<hr/>	\$ 135.14
Special Assessments:			
Unapportioned Sewer Assessments		3,991.00	
1960 Sewer Rates		394.71	
Sewer added to 1959 Taxes		10.00	
Sewer added to 1960 Taxes		51.01	
		<hr/>	\$ 4,446.72
Special Taxes:			
Estate of Deceased Persons		\$ 1,113.08	
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Tax Titles:			
Tax Sales		\$ 4,459.81	
Tax Possessions		2,518.89	
		<hr/>	\$ 6,978.70
Departmental:			
Selectmen's Licenses		\$ 32.00	
Academy Rent		12.00	
Police Department		10.00	
Fire Department		4.50	
Tree Department		45.00	
Highway Department		350.44	
Public Welfare		35.00	
Aid to Dependent Children		4,397.90	
School Department		368.35	
		<hr/>	\$ 5,255.19
Water:			
Rent of Property		\$ 40.00	
Accounts Receivable		9,556.38	
Water added to 1958 Taxes		97.53	
Water added to 1959 Taxes		254.61	
Water added to 1960 Taxes		704.04	
		<hr/>	\$ 10,652.56
State and County Share:			
Chapter 90 Construction		\$ 18,000.00	
Chapter 90 Maintenance		4,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 22,000.00
Appropriation Deficit:			
Emergency—Snowstorm		\$ 3,064.30	
		<hr/>	\$ 3,064.30

Underestimates in 1960:	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$ 976.72
Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$ 616,000.00
Trust and Special Funds	\$ 86,503.25
Total Assets	<u>\$ 1,229,940.79</u>

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Pay Roll Deductions:	
Group Life and Medical Insurance	\$ 48.81
Overestimates in 1960:	
County of Plymouth	\$ 28.03
Agency:	
County Dog—Due County	\$ 1.75
Tailings Account (Unclaimed checks)	\$ 416.61
Reserve—Excess Collections Tax Titles	\$ 149.05
Road Machinery Fund	\$ 4,831.69
Trust Fund Income:	
Helen Hunt Scholarship Fund	\$ 32.25
Virginia G. Jones—School Fund	35.62
Lorin Keith—High School Prize Fund	17.80
Merritt Perkins—School Fund	92.68
Mary C. Bryant—Library Fund	101.85
Abbie Gammons—Library Fund	52.52
Virginia G. Jones—Library Fund	63.03
Pamelia K. Wright—Library Fund	52.60
	<u>\$ 448.35</u>
Sale of Real Estate	34,781.14
Recoveries:	
Old Age Assistance	\$ 5,127.35
Disability Assistance	794.41
	<u>\$ 5,921.76</u>
Federal Grants:	
P.L. 85-864—Schools	\$ 2,281.42
P.L. 85-874—Testing	27.44
P.L. 85-874—Schools	14,510.49
	<u>\$ 16,819.35</u>

Lunch Programs:		
McElwain School	\$ 285.81	
High School	833.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,119.69
School Athletic Fund		\$ 1,018.28
Appropriation Balances:		
Assessors—Preparation of Maps	\$ 5,106.28	
Sewer Construction	24,669.82	
Chapter 90 Construction	14,225.22	
Surface Drainage—Regional School	10,000.00	
Chapter 718—Burrill Ave., Cherry St., Water St.	12,148.38	
Pleasant Street—Land Damages	3,742.00	
Training School Tuition	12,500.00	
Developing Park Area	371.91	
Civilian Defense	324.46	
Wm. H. Conant Hospital Comm. Expenses	100.00	
Water Dept.—Painting Standpipe	1,040.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 84,228.07
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		\$ 7,621.08
Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1957	\$ 11,911.81	
Levy of 1958	14,588.87	
Levy of 1959	14,505.43	
Levy of 1960	17,202.65	
	<hr/>	\$ 58,208.76
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	\$ 17,900.27	
Farm Animal Excise	135.14	
Sewer Revenue	4,446.72	
Special Taxes Revenue	1,113.08	
Tax Title Revenue	6,978.70	
Departmental Revenue	5,255.19	
Water Revenue	10,652.56	
State and County Aid Revenue	22,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 68,481.66
Water Receipts Reserved		\$ 3,752.56
Sewer Receipts Reserved		\$ 777.00
Surplus Revenue		\$ 238,783.90

Loans:	
Fire Apparatus	\$ 5,000.00
School Loan	460,000.00
Water Loan	151,000.00
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	\$ 616,000.00
Trust and Special Funds:	
School Funds	\$ 27,075.54
Library Funds	22,975.00
Cemetery Funds	11,771.90
Employers Liability	14,237.67
Buildings Insurance	10,443.14
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	\$ 86,503.25
Total Liabilities and Reserves	\$ 1,229,940.79

REVENUE OF 1960

Revenue:	
Taxes Assessed on Real Estate	\$ 855,795.63
Taxes Assessed on Personal Property	68,753.74
Taxes Assessed on Polls	4,730.00
Corporations, State Land, Meal Tax	68,605.99
Income Taxes	105,988.17
Receipts from Other Sources	294,989.63
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	36,574.08
Overestimate—State Assessment	487.72
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	\$1,435,924.96
Charges Against Revenue:	
Appropriations	\$ 1,240,275.47
Pleasant Street Land Damages	5,110.00
State Taxes and Assessments	7,109.63
County Taxes and Assessments	58,232.12
Overlay Accounts	39,444.49
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	\$1,350,171.71
Balance reverting to Excess and Deficiency	\$ 85,753.25

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Estimated	Actual
Income Taxes	\$ 92,852.00	\$ 105,988.17
Corporations Taxes	37,641.26	42,941.26
Land Used for Public Purposes	20,955.86	20,955.86
Old Age Meal Tax	4,645.75	4,708.87
Income from Dog Refunds	1,026.08	1,026.08
School and Library Funds	1,189.69	1,488.97
Court Fines	184.00	251.00
Licenses and Permits	10,000.00	10,803.53
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	82,244.77	103,316.41
Farm Animal Excise	500.00	477.14

Sidewalk Assessments	367.81	399.34
Sewer Assessments	5,000.00	5,096.51
General Government:		
Treasurer		.09
Tax Collector	1,372.55	1,552.89
Town Clerk	1,631.25	1,630.39
Town Hall		12.00
Academy	95.00	172.63
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	20.00	17.75
Sealer of Weights and Measures	225.00	199.30
Forestry Departments	7.00	30.00
Health Department	445.00	260.71
Highway Department	101.34	923.04
Public Assistance:		
Public Welfare	8,316.30	3,809.42
Aid to Dependent Children	11,955.07	11,992.80
Disability Aid	2,455.52	5,800.82
Old Age Assistance	72,144.79	70,195.24
Veterans' Services	5,845.93	8,000.61
School Department	6,836.77	7,019.63
Public Library	400.00	377.10
Playground	50.00	85.83
Interest on Taxes	1,905.49	2,031.64
Interest on Temporary Loans		1,420.77
State Share—School Construction	26,273.28	26,273.28
State Share—School Transportation	22,232.45	23,872.00
Taxes—Sale of Possessions		32.25
Taxes—Paraplegic Veterans		422.24
Returned Dividend—Group Insurance	1,500.00	2,332.52
Reimbursement—Buildings Insurance		50.78
Handling State Income Taxes		100.49
Swimming Pool		1,227.57
Test Borings—Regional School		2,286.86
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	\$ 420,419.96	\$ 469,583.79
Actual in Excess of Estimates	49,163.83	
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	\$ 469,583.79	\$ 469,583.79

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

Surplus—January 1, 1960	\$ 237,658.35	
Tax Title Redemptions	820.59	
Sale of Possessions	425.00	
Revenue of 1960 Balance	85,753.25	
Chapter 90 Funds Returned	15,000.00	
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		\$ 339,657.19

Tax Title Revenue	\$ 825.55	
Appropriations	100,047.74	
		<u>\$ 100,873.29</u>
Surplus—December 31, 1960		\$ 238,783.90

WATER REVENUE

Balance—January 1, 1960		\$ 4,117.33	
Uncollected—January 1, 1960		8,208.51	
Charges to Consumers:	\$ 84,293.23		
Less:			
Tax Titles	96.38		
Abatements	71.50		
		<u>84,125.35</u>	
			\$ 96,451.19

EXPENSES

Operating Expenses	\$ 49,070.07		
Interest on Debt	2,976.00		
Water Loan	30,000.00		
		<u>\$ 82,046.07</u>	
Uncollected—December 31, 1960		10,652.56	
			<u>\$ 92,698.63</u>
Balance—Water Revenue—December 31, 1960			\$ 3,752.56

OVERLAY ACCOUNTS

	Balance Jan. 1, 1960	Assessed in Tax Levy	Abatements 1960	To Overlay Surplus	Balances Dec. 31, 1960
Levy of 1957	\$11,911.81				\$ 11,911.81
Levy of 1958	14,755.57		\$ 166.70		14,588.87
Levy of 1959	15,367.19		861.76		14,505.43
Levy of 1960		\$ 39,444.49	22,241.84		17,202.65
	<u>\$ 42,034.57</u>	<u>\$ 39,444.49</u>	<u>\$ 23,270.30</u>		<u>\$ 58,208.76</u>

INVESTMENT FUNDS

	Amount of Fund Jan. 1, 1960	Income Earned 1960	Payments 1960	Balances Dec. 31, 1960
		\$ 5,296.04*		
School Funds	\$ 21,779.50	995.62	\$ 995.62	\$ 27,075.54
Library Funds	22,975.00	1,007.66	1,007.66	22,975.00
Cemetery Funds	11,594.69	409.93	232.72	11,771.90
Employers Liability	14,510.91	541.10	814.34	14,237.67
Buildings Insurance	10,076.62	366.52		10,443.14
	<u>\$ 80,936.72</u>	<u>\$ 8,616.87</u>	<u>\$ 3,050.34</u>	<u>\$ 86,503.25</u>

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**MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS
INDEBTEDNESS OUTSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT**

Outstanding—January 1, 1960	\$ 655,000.00	
Loan Issued:		
Water Loan	46,000.00	
	\$ 701,000.00	
Maturities paid during year:		
Fire Apparatus Loan	\$ 5,000.00	
School Loan	50,000.00	
Water Loan	30,000.00	
	85,000.00	
Outstanding December 31, 1960		\$ 616,000.00

II. RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

TAXES:

1960 Real Estate	\$ 786,943.13	
1960 Personal	63,728.44	
	\$ 850,671.57	
Less County and State Taxes		46,800.79
		\$ 803,870.78

For Municipal Purposes:

Real Estate, 1959	\$ 29,867.01	
Real Estate, 1958	11,761.88	
Real Estate, 1957	354.92	
Personal, 1959	687.63	
Personal, 1958	970.26	
Polls, 1960	3,942.00	
Polls, 1959	10.00	
Polls, 1958	6.00	
Taxes—Possessions Sold	32.25	
Tax Title Redemption	820.59	
Sale of Possessions	425.00	
Abate—Paraplegic Veterans	422.24	
Sale of Real Estate	32,781.14	
	\$ 82,080.92	

FROM THE STATE:

Income Taxes	\$ 105,988.17	
Handling State Income Tax Deductions	100.49	

Corporation	42,941.26	
Old Age Meal Tax	4,708.87	
Land Used for Public Purposes	20,955.86	
School Transportation	23,872.00	
School Construction & Equip.	26,273.28	
Vocational Education	2,001.08	
English Speaking Classes	63.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 226,904.01

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Amusement	\$ 24.00	
Auctioneers	8.00	
Bakery	2.00	
Bicycles	21.75	
Bus	5.00	
Cesspool	200.00	
Coin Operated Machines	240.00	
Common Victuallers	40.00	
Dealers	750.00	
Director of Standards	16.00	
Firearms	120.00	
Gas and Fuel Oil	11.50	
Juke Box	2.00	
Junk	50.00	
Liquors	7,950.28	
Marriage	142.00	
Milk	13.50	
Motel	.50	
Nursery	3.00	
Pasteurizing	10.00	
Pedlars	2.00	
Plastics	5.00	
Plumbing	621.00	
Pool, Billiards and Bowling	50.00	
Second Hand Furniture	5.00	
Sunday	431.00	
Taxi	75.00	
Undertakers	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 10,802.53

FINES AND FORFEITS:

Court Fines	\$ 251.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS:

From the County:	
Dog Licenses	\$ 1,026.08

From Federal Grants:

Old Age Assistance:

Aid	\$ 54,138.06	
Administration	2,273.47	
	<u> </u>	\$ 56,411.53

Aid to Dependent Children:

Aid	\$ 20,550.11	
Administration	2,093.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 22,643.11

Disability Aid:

Aid	\$ 5,118.50	
Administration	650.86	
	<u> </u>	\$ 5,769.36

Schools:

Public Law 874	\$ 10,685.76	
Public Law 864	2,742.62	
	<u> </u>	\$ 13,428.38

Total—General Revenue \$ 1,223,187.70

PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1960	\$ 82,642.49
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1959	20,425.51
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1958	190.17
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1957	58.24
	<u> </u>

Total—Privileges \$ 103,316.41

EXCISE

Farm Animal Excise—1960	\$ 454.26
Farm Animal Excise—1959	22.88
	<u> </u>

Total—Excise \$ 477.14

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

FOR EXPENSES:

Sidewalks—1958		\$ 399.34
Sewer Charges—1960	\$ 4,814.00	
Sewer Charges—1959	207.94	
Sewer Liens added to 1959 Taxes	11.41	
Sewer Liens added to 1960 Taxes	63.16	
	<u> </u>	\$ 5,096.51

FOR OUTLAY:

Sewer—1960—Unapportioned	\$ 777.00
	<u> </u>

Total—Special Assessments \$ 6,272.85

DEPARTMENTAL

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Treasurer:		
Unidentified Receipts		\$.09
Town Collector:		
Charges for Collections		1,552.89
Town Clerk:		
Fees paid to Treasurer		1,630.39
Town Hall:		
Rental		12.00
Academy:		
Rental	\$ 55.00	
Telephone Commission	117.63	
	<hr/>	172.63
Total—General Government		<hr/>
		\$ 3,368.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police:		
No Trespass Signs	\$ 13.75	
Sale of Tire	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 18.75
Scaler:		
Fees for Sealing		\$ 199.30
Tree:		
Services and Materials		\$ 30.00
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Total—Protection of Persons and Property		<hr/>
		\$ 248.05

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Reimbursement on Account of:		
Tuberculosis		\$ 260.71
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Total—Health		<hr/>
		\$ 260.71

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Services and Materials	\$ 923.04	
Use of Equipment	928.85	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,851.89
Vernon Street Bridge:		
Reimbursements:		
From County	\$ 419.54	
From State	839.10	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,258.64

Chapter 90 Construction:		
Reimbursements:		
From County	\$ 5,000.00	
From State	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,000.00
Total—Highway		\$ 18,110.53
WELFARE:		
Reimbursements from:		
State	\$ 2,914.75	
Cities and Towns	894.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,809.42
DISABILITY ASSISTANCE:		
Reimbursement from State		\$ 5,800.82
AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN:		
Reimbursements from:		
State		\$ 11,445.98
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:		
Reimbursements from:		
Individuals	\$ 26.00	
Other Cities and Towns	1,870.57	
State	59,911.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 61,808.27
RECOVERY ACCOUNTS:		
Aid to Dependent Children	\$ 589.71	
Old Age Assistance	13,659.86	
Disability Aid	794.41	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,043.98
Total—Welfare		\$ 97,908.47
VETERANS' SERVICES:		
From State		\$ 8,000.61
Total—Veterans' Services		\$ 8,000.61
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT:		
Tuition and Transportation of		
Non-Resident Pupils:		
From Cities and Individuals	\$ 66.00	
From State	3,268.68	
Sale of Books and Supplies	54.88	
Shop Projects	508.39	

Use of School Property	923.60	
Evening Class Registration	134.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,955.55
Sale of Test Borings etc. to Regional School		\$ 2,286.86
Athletic Program		\$ 4,712.51
Lunch Programs:		
McElwain School	\$ 13,408.31	
High School	60,117.56	
	<hr/>	\$ 73,525.87
Total—School Department		\$ 85,480.79
PUBLIC LIBRARY:		
Fines		\$ 377.10
RECREATION:		
Use of Playground Field	\$ 85.83	
Swimming Pool	1,227.57	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,313.40
GROUP LIFE INSURANCE:		
Refunds—National Life	\$ 1,496.35	
Refunds—Blue Cross and Shield	836.17	
Refunds—Buildings Insurance	50.78	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,383.30
Total—Departmental		\$ 217,450.96

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

WATER DEPARTMENTAL:

Water Rates	\$ 78,547.12	
Liens added to 1958 Taxes	202.77	
Liens added to 1959 Taxes	337.18	
Liens added to 1960 Taxes	1,696.28	
Rentals	304.00	
Labor	112.00	
Materials	1.95	
Rent of Property	480.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 81,681.30

Total \$ 81,681.30

INTEREST

Taxes	\$ 1,934.08	
Tax Title Redemption	97.56	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,031.64

TRUST FUNDS:

Schools	\$ 995.62	
Library	1,007.66	
Employers Liability	814.34	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,817.62

Water Loan:

Interest		\$ 12.27
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Investment:

Treasury Bonds		\$ 1,420.77
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Total—Interest

\$ 6,282.30

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENTS

AGENCY:

State Tax	\$ 7,990.88	
County Tax	38,809.91	
County Dog Tax	1,433.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 48,233.79

Recording Tax Titles and Liens

\$ 12.00

Tailings Account

\$ 5.94

TRUST:

Cemetery Funds:

Withdrawn for use		\$ 232.72
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INVESTMENT:

Merritt G. Perkins—Scholarship Fund		\$ 5,296.04
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MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$ 175,000.00	
Water Loan	46,000.00	
Treasury Bills	175,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 396,000.00

RESERVED:

Federal Withholding Taxes	\$ 93,134.16	
State Withholding Taxes	7,996.19	
Contributory Retirement	13,377.17	
Teachers Retirement	20,670.09	
Group Life and Medical Insurance	11,194.01	
	<hr/>	\$ 146,371.62

REFUNDS:

Taxes	\$ 1,820.96	
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	1,791.33	
Departmental	2,921.94	
Water—Accounts Receivable	.75	

Public Enterprises	40.30	
Estimated Receipts	.35	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6,575.63
Total—Non-Revenue		\$ 602,727.74

RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS

General Revenue		\$ 1,223,187.70
Commercial Revenue:		
Privileges	\$ 103,316.41	
Excise	477.14	
Special Assessments	6,272.85	
Departmental	217,450.96	
Water Department	81,681.30	
Interest	6,282.30	
	<u> </u>	\$ 415,480.96
Total—Revenue		\$ 1,638,668.66
Total—Non-Revenue		602,727.74
		<u> </u>
Cash on Hand—January 1, 1960		\$ 2,241,396.40
		392,070.30
		<u> </u>
Grand Total		\$ 2,633,466.70

PAYMENTS

EXPENSES:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Selectmen:		
Salaries	\$ 2,470.02	
Clerical	302.45	
Other Expenses	524.59	
	<u> </u>	\$ 3,297.06
Accounting Department:		
Salary of Accountant	\$ 5,696.16	
Clerical	3,326.96	
Other Expenses	668.85	
	<u> </u>	\$ 9,691.97
State Audit and Special Forms:		
State Assessment		\$ 203.82
Treasurer:		
Salary of Treasurer	\$ 1,260.21	
Clerical	2,495.44	

Official Bond	200.35	
Other Expenses	574.35	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,530.65
Certification of Town Notes		\$ 54.00
Electric Machine Account		\$ 333.00
Collector:		
Salary of Collector	\$ 3,578.99	
Clerical	2,722.06	
Official Bond	395.15	
Other Expenses	1,131.81	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,828.01
Assessors:		
Salaries	\$ 2,570.83	
Clerical	4,641.93	
Other Expenses	702.27	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,915.03
Preparation of Assessors' Maps		\$ 5,894.65
Town Clerk:		
Salary	\$ 3,478.18	
Other Expenses	313.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,791.85
Election and Registration:		
Registrars	\$ 62.00	
Janitors	71.75	
Election officers	816.00	
Special Police	115.42	
Street Lists	60.00	
Setting up Booths	249.42	
Expenses	1,237.32	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,611.91
Planning Board		\$ 19.90
Advisory Committee Expenses		\$ 81.00
Appeal Board		\$ 29.62
Development and Industrial Committee		\$.25
Wage and Personnel Board		\$ 98.54
Law Department:		
Attorney's Fees	\$ 579.55	
Jury Lists	39.75	
Annotated Laws & Law Books	20.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 639.30

Town Hall:

Salary of Janitor	\$ 1,900.32	
Labor	13.92	
Repairs	504.04	
Fuel and Lights	1,482.01	
Other Expenses	470.91	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,371.20

Bridgewater Academy Building:

Janitor	\$ 1,930.32	
Labor	98.07	
Repairs	1,358.23	
Fuel and Lights	3,363.71	
Other Expenses	300.39	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,050.72

Total—General Government

\$ 58,442.48

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police Department:

Salary of Chief	\$ 5,595.34	
Salaries of Sergeants	9,151.30	
Salary of Patrolmen	15,182.90	
Salary of Clerk	3,154.69	
Matron	17.38	
Special Police	14,968.93	
School Patrol	559.35	
School—Traffic Supervisors	2,237.40	
Street Listing	440.24	
Painting Streets	50.00	
Automobile	3,211.60	
Equipment	1,035.14	
Equipment—Traffic Supervisors	17.43	
Maintenance of Building	125.24	
Other Expenses	1,311.49	
	<hr/>	\$ 57,058.43

Fire Department:

Chief	\$ 5,292.89	
Deputy Chief	4,536.76	
Permanent Men	19,485.44	
Overtime	1,303.42	
Callmen	5,525.92	
Equipment and Repairs	5,222.81	
Hydrant Service	5,040.00	
Fuel and Lights	1,017.94	
Building and Grounds	751.83	
Other Expenses	676.59	
	<hr/>	\$ 48,853.60

Fire Department:
 Out of State Travel \$ 52.50

Sealer of Weights and Measures:
 Salary of Sealer \$ 604.90
 Other Expenses 93.19
 _____ \$ 698.09

Building Inspector:
 Salary \$ 604.90
 Other Expenses 12.58
 _____ \$ 617.48

Wire Inspector:
 Salary \$ 604.90
 Other Expenses 53.83
 _____ \$ 658.73

Moth Extermination:
 Labor \$ 2,709.48
 Other Expenses 683.36
 _____ \$ 3,392.84

Improvement of Shade Trees:
 Superintendent \$ 4,153.66
 Labor 574.57
 Tree Climbers & Truck
 (Contractors) 610.38
 Other Expenses 642.21
 _____ \$ 5,980.82

Dutch Elm Disease:
 Labor \$ 909.48
 Tree Climbers & Truck
 (Contractors) 389.28
 Other Expenses 249.93
 _____ \$ 2,110.07

Mosquito Spray:
 State Assessment \$ 3,252.62

Forest Fires:
 Labor \$ 1,500.92
 Other Expenses 189.21
 _____ \$ 1,690.13

Dog Officer:
 Salary \$ 110.90
 Other Expenses 450.00
 _____ \$ 560.90

Total—Protection of Persons and Property \$ 124,926.21

HEALTH:

Health Department:

Salaries of Board Members	\$ 1,008.17	
Salaries of Inspectors	1,722.66	
Administration Expenses	215.87	
Tuberculosis	1,455.00	
Quarantine & Contagious Diseases	420.00	
Plumbing Inspector—Travel	109.00	
Refuse & Garbage	3,662.61	
Other Expenses	366.28	
	<hr/>	\$ 8,959.59

Public Health Nurse:

Salary	\$ 2,032.38	
Transportation	140.88	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,173.26

County Hospital Maintenance:

(County Assessment)		\$ 18,470.29
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Sewer Maintenance:

Salaries	\$ 4,663.06	
Administration	101.53	
General	215.45	
Interceptor Lines	30.00	
Disposal Plant	1,455.29	
	<hr/>	\$ 6,465.33

Total—Health

\$ 36,068.47

HIGHWAYS:

Highway Department:

Superintendent	\$ 2,495.52	
Clerk	943.65	
Salaries	32,004.48	
Administration Expenses	203.17	
General	2,642.44	
Sprinkling	6,332.44	
Sidewalks and Curbing	63.55	
Snow and Ice Removal	5,413.78	
Care of Dump	13.98	
Drainage	496.74	
Street Cleaning	144.74	
Other Expenses	314.16	
Emergency Storm	5,108.01	
	<hr/>	\$ 56,176.66

Highway—Road Machinery \$ 7,709.80

Chapter 90 Maintenance \$ 6,000.00

Street Lighting		\$ 11,042.32
Total—Highways		\$ 80,928.78
MUNICIPAL GARAGE MAINTENANCE		\$ 1,636.51
WELFARE:		
Public Welfare:		
Outside Relief	\$ 15,372.44	
Relief by other Cities and Towns	2,265.65	
		\$ 17,638.09
Public Assistance—Administration:		
Salaries of Overseers	\$ 604.89	
Salary of Clerk	2,105.52	
Salary of Director	5,000.00	
Salary of Social Worker	1,204.74	
Travel—Agent	564.06	
Travel—Social Worker	86.23	
Dues	5.00	
Postage, Printing, Advertising and Stationery	571.43	
Telephone	305.40	
Machine Maintenance	57.10	
Other Expenses	32.50	
		\$ 10,536.87
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Cash		\$ 38,311.89
Old Age Assistance:		
Cash Aid	\$ 151,836.05	
Other Cities and Towns	1,566.12	
		\$ 153,402.17
Disability Assistance:		
Cash		\$ 14,203.44
Total—Welfare		\$ 234,092.46
VETERANS' SERVICES:		
Agent	\$ 1,512.26	
Clerk	486.63	
		\$ 1,998.89
Administration	\$ 136.84	
Veterans' Relief	23,372.31	
		\$ 23,509.15
Total—Veterans' Services		\$ 25,508.04

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT—PERSONAL SERVICES:

Salary of Superintendent	\$ 9,580.00
Clerks—Supt.'s Office	8,400.00
Clerks—High School	6,690.39
Clerks—Elementary Schools	2,819.06
Attendance Officer	150.00
Salaries of Teachers	363,447.93
Substitutes & Home Instruction	7,425.00
Janitors' Services	20,723.69
Janitor's Services—P.T.A.	58.51
Repairman	5,150.00
Repairman—Assistants	2,676.25
Substitutes—	
Non-Teaching Personnel	478.25
Dental Hygienist	4,866.66
Health Helpers	380.63
School Physicians	1,800.00
School Nurse	4,266.66
Cafeteria Manager—High School	2,900.00
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	\$ 441,813.03

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT—OTHER EXPENSES:

Administration:

Travel—Supt. of Schools	\$ 200.00
Secretary—School Committee	250.00
Expenses—School Committee	211.31
Telephones	1,312.30
Census	474.76
Other Expenses	727.14
Supervisor's Expenses	497.98
Books	5,054.45
Supplies	13,053.16
Tuition	1,025.50
Transportation	33,304.69
Fuel	7,400.06
Lights	7,354.73
Buildings and Grounds	9,223.18
New Equipment	2,355.22
Physical Education	928.73
Other Expenses	4,279.43
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	\$ 87,652.64
1959 Encumbered Approp., used	
with Federal Funds	\$ 1,221.74
High School Athletics	4,000.00
Out of State Travel	132.43
Adult Evening Practical Arts	1,080.45
Adult Civic Education	63.00

Vocational Tuition	3,453.39	
Vocational Transportation	589.70	
Insurance—Football Players	1,000.00	
Outside Organizations	945.98	
Tuition—Training School	137,500.00	
		\$ 149,986.69
Lorin Keith H. S. Prize	\$ 34.01	
Virginia Jones—Scholarship	199.02	
Helen Hunt Scholarship	182.57	
		\$ 415.60
McElwain School Lunch Program	\$ 13,193.24	
P. L. 85-874 Schools	1,768.27	
P. L. 85-864 Schools	1,735.31	
High School Lunch Programs	59,536.61	
Athletic Program—High School	5,316.90	
		\$ 81,550.33
Bridgewater-Raynham School District		\$ 51,030.90
Total—School Department		\$ 812,449.19

PUBLIC LIBRARY:

Librarian	\$ 4,106.02	
Assistants	8,463.37	
Janitor	519.21	
Books and Periodicals	4,311.34	
Binding	278.50	
Fuel and Lights	955.16	
Buildings and Grounds	322.57	
Other Expenses	663.06	
		\$ 19,619.23

Purchase of Books from:

V. G. Jones Fund	\$ 21.89	
P. K. Wright Fund	3.25	
M. C. Bryant Fund	49.12	
		\$ 74.26

Total—Library \$ 19,693.49

RECREATION:

Care of Common	\$ 252.04	
State Parks & Reservations	4,534.44	
		\$ 4,786.48

ATHLETIC FIELD AND PLAYGROUND:

Labor and Supervision	\$ 3,694.65
Equipment and Supplies	1,324.36

Lime, Fertilizer and Seeds	392.45	
Buildings and Grounds	484.09	
		<u>\$ 5,895.55</u>
SUPERVISED PLAY:		
Personal Services	\$ 506.25	
Equipment and Supplies	125.01	
		<u>\$ 631.26</u>
SWIMMING POOL:		
Labor and Supervision	\$ 3,670.56	
Expenses	1,400.04	
		<u>\$ 5,070.60</u>
Total		<u>\$ 16,383.89</u>
UNCLASSIFIED:		
Miscellaneous Printing	\$ 1,631.85	
Memorial Day	253.60	
Veterans' Day	50.35	
Veterans of Foreign Wars Rent	180.00	
Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture	100.00	
Municipal Buildings Insurance	4,183.73	
Liability Insurance	298.41	
Abandoned Cemeteries	319.52	
Employers Liability Insurance: Payments	814.34	
Contributory Retirement	19,613.43	
Non-Contributory Retirement	1,456.00	
Group Life & Medical Insurance	10,459.96	
Christmas Decorations & Lighting	299.28	
Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	50.00	
Marking Veterans Graves	268.69	
Civilian Defense	24.40	
Repairs to Fence Around Common	299.29	
Dedication of Armory	1,355.55	
		<u>\$ 41,658.40</u>
Total—Unclassified		<u>\$ 41,658.40</u>
WATER DEPARTMENT:		
Salaries:		
Clerk	\$ 2,520.42	
General	18,982.18	
Pumping Station	241.96	

Salary of Commissioners	705.72	
Expenses of Commissioners	124.60	
Other Administration Expenses	789.46	
		<u>\$ 23,364.34</u>

General:

Pipe and Fittings	\$ 1,826.95	
Meters and Fittings	2,753.57	
Hydrants	727.57	
Equipment and Repairs	831.22	
Trucks	1,332.76	
Boiler Insurance	80.70	
Liability Insurance	267.81	
Sand and Lime	5.00	
Legal Fees	45.00	
		<u>\$ 7,870.58</u>

Service Connections:

Pipe and Fittings	\$ 1,773.31	
Service Boxes	309.44	
		<u>\$ 2,082.75</u>

Pumping Station:

Electric Power	\$ 5,239.98	
Repairs to Pump	1,655.69	
Repairs to Building and Equipment	571.15	
Fuel Oil—Gravel Pack Wells	344.58	
		<u>\$ 7,811.40</u>

Out of State Travel

\$ 150.00

Total—Water Department		<u>\$ 41,279.07</u>
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INTEREST:

Temporary Loans	\$ 1,305.91	
Fire Apparatus Loan	150.00	
School Loan	8,481.25	
Water Loan	2,976.00	
		<u>\$ 12,913.16</u>

MATURING DEBT:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$ 175,000.00	
School Loan	50,000.00	
Water Loan	30,000.00	
Fire Apparatus	5,000.00	
		<u>\$ 260,000.00</u>

Total—Expenses		<u>\$ 1,765,980.15</u>
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OUTLAYS FROM REVENUE:

Police—Cruisers	\$ 3,200.00	
Sewer Construction	8,405.18	
Vernon Street Bridge	1,515.69	
Land Damages	1,368.00	
Chapter 90 Construction	27,338.35	
	<u> </u>	\$ 41,827.22

Water Department:

Painting Standpipe	\$ 8,131.98	
Purchase of Land	4,000.00	
Gravel Pack Well & Construction	44,225.75	
Plain Street Construction	4,811.03	
Wall Street & Bolton Place	3,749.81	
	<u> </u>	\$ 64,918.57

Total—Outlays from Revenue \$ 106,745.79

PAYMENTS FROM NON-REVENUE

AGENCY:

County Tax	\$ 38,809.91	
County Dog Tax	1,440.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 40,249.91
Recording Tax Title Deeds		\$ 12.00
Accrued Interest on Water Loan		\$ 12.27

Deductions from Pay Rolls:

Federal Withholding Taxes	\$ 93,134.16	
State Withholding Taxes	7,996.19	
Contributory Retirement	13,377.17	
Teachers' Retirement	20,670.09	
Group Life & Medical Insurance	11,166.61	
	<u> </u>	\$ 146,344.22

TRUST FUNDS:

Income from Cemetery Funds	\$ 232.72
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INVESTMENT:

Merritt G. Perkins School	\$ 5,296.04	
U. S. Treasury Bills	425,000.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 430,296.04

REFUNDS:

Taxes	\$ 1,820.96
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	1,791.33
Departmental	2,921.94

Water Department—		
Accounts Receivable	.75	
Public Enterprises	40.30	
Estimated Receipts	.35	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6,575.63

Total—Non-Revenue		<u> </u>	\$ 623,722.79
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RECAPITULATION OF PAYMENTS

From Revenue:		
Expenses	\$ 1,765,980.15	
Outlays	<u>106,745.79</u>	
Total from Revenue		\$ 1,872,725.94
Total from Non-Revenue		<u>\$ 623,722.79</u>
Total Payments		\$ 2,496,448.73
Cash on Hand—December 31, 1960		<u>137,017.97</u>
Grand Total		\$ 2,633,466.70

III. SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	2,450.00		20.02	Selectmen—Salaries	2,470.02			
	300.00		2.45	Selectmen—Clerical	302.45			
	691.00			Selectmen—Expenses	524.59	166.41		
	8,950.00		73.12	Accounting—Salaries	9,023.12			
	720.20			Accounting—Expenses	668.85	51.35		
	1,250.00		10.21	Treasurer—Salary	1,260.21			
	2,475.22		20.22	Treasurer—Clerical	2,495.44			
	835.28			Treasurer—Expenses	775.00	60.28		
	3,550.00		28.99	Collector—Salary	3,578.99			
	2,700.00		22.06	Collector—Clerical	2,722.06			
	1,629.15			Collector—Expenses	1,526.96	102.19		
	2,550.00		20.83	Assessors—Salaries	2,570.83			
	4,771.66		38.98	Assessors—Clerical	4,641.93	168.71		
	712.00			Assessors—Expenses	702.27	9.73		
3,500.93	7,500.00			Assessors—Preparation of Maps	5,894.65			5,106.28
	250.00	389.30		Law Department	639.30			
	3,450.00		28.18	Town Clerk—Salary	3,478.18			
	340.50			Town Clerk—Expenses	313.67	26.83		
	1,420.00			Election and Registration—Salaries	1,374.59	45.41		
	1,280.00			Election and Registration—Expenses	1,237.32	42.68		
	350.00			Electric Machine Account	333.00	17.00		
	2,025.00		16.54	Town Hall—Salaries	1,914.24	127.30		

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	2,700.00			Town Hall—Expenses	2,456.96	243.04		
	2,025.00		16.54	Academy—Salaries	2,028.39	13.15		
	4,700.00			Academy—Expenses	4,022.33	677.67		
	1,000.00			Academy—Repairs	1,000.00			
	50.00	4.00		Certification of Notes	54.00			
	188.00			Planning Board	19.90	168.10		
	80.00			Appeals Board	29.62	50.38		
	100.00			Advisory Committee	81.00	19.00		
	300.00			Development and Industrial Committee	.25	299.75		
	100.00			Wage and Personnel Board	98.54	1.46		
	50,098.16		404.62	Police Department—Salaries	49,120.13	1,382.65		
	2,200.00	19.43	17.97	Police Department—Traffic Sup.—Salaries	2,237.40			
	18.00			Police Department—Traffic Sup.—Expenses	17.43	.57		
	5,717.00			Police Department—Expenses	5,683.47	33.53		
	3,200.00			Police Department—Cruisers	3,200.00			
	35,497.62	369.07	277.74	Fire Department—Salaries	36,144.43			
	12,712.11			Fire Department—Expenses	12,709.17	2.94		
	85.00			Fire Department—Out of State Travel	52.50	32.50		
	600.00		4.90	Sealer of Weights & Measures—Salary	604.90			
	100.00			Sealer of Weights & Measures—Expenses	93.19	6.81		
	600.00		4.90	Building Inspector—Salary	604.90			
	50.00			Building Inspector—Expenses	12.58	37.42		
	600.00		4.90	Wire Inspector—Salary	604.90			
	75.00			Wire Inspector—Expenses	53.83	21.17		

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	2,750.00		22.46	Moth Extermination—Salaries	2,709.48	62.98		
	925.00			Moth Extermination—Expenses	683.36	241.64		
	945.00		7.72	Dutch Elm Diseases—Salaries	909.48	43.24		
	3,055.00			Dutch Elm Diseases—Expenses	1,200.59	1,854.41		
	4,120.00	94.56	33.66	Improvement of Shade Trees—Salaries	4,248.22			
	780.00	1,310.38		Improvement of Shade Trees—Expenses	1,581.01	509.37		
	500.00			Improvement of Shade Trees—Truck Repairs	151.59	348.41		
	1,000.00	525.00	8.17	Forest Fire Department—Salaries	1,500.92	32.25		
	305.00			Forest Fire Department—Expenses	189.21	115.79		
	110.00		.90	Dog Officer—Salary	110.90			
	450.00			Dog Officer—Expenses	450.00			
	1,000.00		8.17	Health Department—Salaries of Members	1,008.17			
	1,950.00		15.93	Health Department—Salaries of Inspectors	1,722.66	243.27		
	7,323.00			Health Department—Expenses	6,228.76	1,094.24		
	2,200.00		17.97	Public Health Nurse—Salary	2,032.38	185.59		
	375.00			Public Health Nurse—Expenses	140.88	234.12		
	4,850.00		39.62	Sewer Maintenance—Salaries	4,663.06	226.56		
	1,923.00			Sewer Maintenance—Expenses	1,802.27	120.73		
2,272.19				Sewer Construction			2,272.19	
	7,527.81)			Sewer Construction—Goodwin & Sanger Sts.	8,405.18		125.00	1,269.82
	2,272.19)Trans. from Const. Ap.							
	23,400.00			Sewer Construction—Mt. Pros. & Union Sts.				23,400.00
	3,411.30		27.87	Highway Department—Admin. Salaries	3,439.17			
	31,150.00	600.00	254.48	Highway Department—Salaries	32,004.48			

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	15,625.00			Highway Department—Expenses	15,625.00			
		2,043.71		Highway Department—Emergency Storm	5,108.01			-3,064.30
	6,000.00			Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,000.00			
17,563.57				Chapter 90 Construction—1959 Account	17,563.57			
	24,000.00			Chapter 90 Construction—1960 Account	9,774.78			14,225.22
380.22	1,258.64—S.&C. Funds			Chapter 90—Vernon Street Bridge	1,515.69	123.17		
12,148.38				Chapter 718—Cherry St.				12,148.38
	1,200.00		9.80	Road Machinery—Salaries	1,209.80			
	6,500.00			Road Machinery—Expenses	6,500.00			
	1,600.00	50.00		Municipal Garage	1,636.51	13.49		
	5,110.00			Land Damages—Pleasant St.	1,368.00			3,742.00
	12,000.00			Street Lighting	11,042.32	957.68		
	10,000.00			Installation Drain.—Regional School				10,000.00
	600.00		4.89	Overseers—Salaries	604.89			
	5,609.41	85.00		Public Assistance—Admin. Salaries	4,058.51	1,635.90		
	4,251.75—F.G.			Public Assistance—Admin. Salaries—F.G.	4,251.75			
	979.92			Public Assistance—Admin. Expenses	856.14	123.78		
	765.58—F.G.			Public Assistance—Admin. Expenses—F.G.	765.58			
	11.92			Public Assistance—Admin.—1959 Bills		11.92		
	16,000.00	3,000.00		Public Welfare	17,638.09	1,361.91		
	18,200.00			Aid to Dependent Children	17,718.89	481.11		
	20,593.00—F.G.			Aid to Dependent Children—F.G.	20,593.00			
	9,000.00	84.94		Disability Assistance	9,084.94			
	5,118.50—F.G.			Disability Assistance—F.G.	5,118.50			

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	98,000.00			Old Age Assistance	93,339.17	4,660.83		
	60,063.00—F.G.			Old Age Assistance—F.G.	60,063.00			
	2,000.00		16.34	Veterans' Services—Salaries	1,998.89	17.45		
	23,125.00	384.15		Veterans' Services—Expenses	23,509.15			
	446,460.58			School Department—Personal Services	441,813.03	4,647.55		
	1,300.00			School—Outside Org.—Janitors, Matrons, etc.	945.98	354.02		
	94,407.52			School Department—Expenses	87,652.64	6,754.88		
1,350.00				School Dept.—Exp.—Encum.—w/Fed.Funds	1,221.74	128.26		
100,000.00	50,000.00			School Dept.—Training School Tuition	137,500.00			12,500.00
	4,000.00			School Dept.—High School Athletics	4,000.00			
	3,500.00			School Dept.—Vocational Tuition	3,453.39	46.61		
	600.00			School Dept.—Vocational Schools Transp.	589.70	10.30		
	1,200.00			School Dept.—Adult Evening Practical Arts	1,080.45	119.55		
	250.00			School Dept.—Out of State Travel	132.43	117.57		
	125.00			School Dept.—Adult Civic Education	63.00	62.00		
	1,000.00			School Dept.—Insurance—Football	1,000.00			
1,274.11	2,742.62—F.G.			School Dept.—P.L. 864—F.G.	1,735.31			2,281.42
5,593.00	10,683.12—F.G.			School Dept.—P.L. 874—F.G.	1,765.63			14,510.49
27.44				School Dept.—P.L. Testing				27.44
	51,030.90			Regional School District	51,030.90			
	12,987.53		106.33	Public Library—Salaries	13,088.60	5.26		
	6,563.00			Public Library—Expenses	6,530.63	32.37		
	250.00		2.04	Care of Common	252.04			
	4,750.00		38.80	Athletic Field & Playground—Salaries	3,694.65	1,094.15		

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	3,705.00			Athletic Field & Playground—Expenses	2,200.90	1,504.10		
	755.00			Supervised Play—Salaries	506.25	248.75		
	200.00			Supervised Play—Expenses	125.01	74.99		
371.91				Developing Park Area				371.91
	1,800.00			Miscellaneous Printing	1,631.85	168.15		
	300.00			Memorial Day	253.60	46.40		
	200.00			Veterans' Day	50.35	149.65		
	100.00			Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture	100.00			
	180.00			Rent—Veterans of Foreign Wars	180.00			
	4,255.45			Buildings Insurance	4,183.73	71.72		
	291.08	7.33		Liability Insurance	298.41			
100.00				Wm. H. Conant Hosp. Comm.—Expenses				100.00
	100.00			Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	50.00	50.00		
	1,484.00			Non-Contributory Retirement	1,456.00	28.00		
	19,667.80			Contributory Retirement	19,613.43	54.37		
348.86				Civilian Defense	24.40			324.46
	300.00			Christmas Lighting	299.28	.72		
	9,000.00			Reserve Fund			9,000.00	
82.28	300.00			Repairs Fence Around Common	299.29	82.99		
	11,000.00			Group Life and Medical Insurance	10,459.96	540.04		
	500.00		1.96	Marking Veterans Graves	268.69	233.27		
	1,500.00			Dedication National Guard Armory	1,355.55	144.45		
	5,500.00			Swimming Pool	5,070.60	429.40		
	1,900.00			Cost of Living—Transfs. by Wage & Pers. Bd.		92.12	1,807.88	

Balances Jan 1, 1960	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Transfers from Wage & Personnel Board	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1961
	700.00		5.72	Water Commissioners' Salaries	705.72			
	21,539.55	33.13	171.88	Water Department—Salaries	21,744.56			
	18,731.60			Water Department—Expenses	18,678.79	52.81		
	150.00			Water Department—Out of State Travel	150.00			
	12,000.00			Water Department—Painting Standpipe	8,131.98	2,328.02	500.00	1,040.00
2,500.00	1,500.00			Water Department—Purchase of Land	4,000.00			
	46,000.00—Loan			Water Department—Gravel Pack Well	44,225.75	170.06	1,604.19	
	5,400.00			Water Department—Plain St. Construction	4,811.03		588.97	
	3,750.00			Water Department—Wall St. & Bolton Pl.	3,749.81	.19		
	400.00			Abandoned Cemeteries	319.52	80.48		
	2,000.00			Interest—Temporary Loans	1,305.91	694.09		
	150.00			Interest—Fire Apparatus Loan	150.00			
	8,481.25			Interest—School Loan	8,481.25			
	2,976.00			Interest—Water Loan	2,976.00			
	85,000.00			Maturing Debt	85,000.00			
147,512.89	1,586,596.92	9,000.00	1,807.88	TOTALS	1,591,911.18	39,125.16	15,898.23	97,983.12

Code: S.&C. Funds = State & County Funds F.G. = Federal Grant

IV. BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Date of Maturity	WATER SUPPLY						SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION LOAN				FIRE APPARATUS		TOTAL DEBT		
	1½% Bonds Issued Apr. 15, 1947	3.2% Bonds Issued June 15, 1957	1½% Bonds Issued May 1, 1950	1.8% Bonds Issued Aug. 1, 1951	3.2% Bonds Issued May 1, 1950	Total	Interest	1½% Bonds Issued Apr. 1, 1950	1½% Bonds Issued Apr. 1, 1950	1.70% Bonds Issued May 15, 1952	Interest	2% Bonds Issued Feb. 15, 1956	Interest	Total Maturing Debt	Total Interest
1961	3,000.	7,000.	15,000.	5,000.	10,000.	40,000.	2,968.00	35,000.	10,000.	5,000.	7,608.75	5,000.	50.00	95,000.	10,626.75
1962		7,000.	15,000.	5,000.	9,000.	36,000.	2,102.50	35,000.	10,000.	5,000.	6,736.25			86,000.	8,838.75
1963			15,000.	5,000.	9,000.	29,000.	1,387.50	35,000.	10,000.		5,906.25			74,000.	7,293.75
1964			13,000.	5,000.	9,000.	27,000.	799.50	35,000.	10,000.		5,118.75			72,000.	5,918.25
1965				5,000.	9,000.	14,000.	324.00	35,000.	10,000.		4,331.25			59,000.	4,655.25
1966				5,000.		5,000.	90.00	35,000.	10,000.		3,543.75			50,000.	3,633.75
1967								35,000.	10,000.		2,756.25			45,000.	2,756.25
1968								35,000.	10,000.		1,968.75			45,000.	1,968.75
1969								35,000.	10,000.		1,181.25			45,000.	1,181.25
1970								35,000.	10,000.		393.75			45,000.	393.75
Total	3,000.	14,000.	58,000.	30,000.	46,000.	151,000.	7,671.50	350,000.	100,000.	10,000.	39,545.00	5,000.	50.00	616,000.	47,266.50

V. PUBLIC TRUST FUNDS

Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1, 1960	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31, 1960	Total Amount
SCHOOL FUNDS							
Daniel Dyer	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$4,162.50		\$146.96	\$146.96		\$4,162.50
Daniel Dyer	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2,000.00		70.62	70.62		2,000.00
Edson	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00		10.59	10.59		300.00
Samuel P. Gates	Bridgewater Savings Bank	3,717.00		131.24	131.24		3,717.00
Samuel P. Gates	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	3,500.00		123.57	123.57		3,500.00
Samuel P. Gates	Whitman Savings Bank	3,500.00		132.47	132.47		3,500.00
Helen Hunt Scholarship	First National Bank Stock	1,600.00		181.57	181.57		1,600.00
Lorin Keith H. S. Prize	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00
Virginia G. Jones	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2,000.00		70.62	70.62		2,000.00
Merritt G. Perkins	Bridgewater Savings Bank	5,296.04		92.68	92.68		5,296.04
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		\$27,075.54		\$995.62	\$995.62		\$27,075.54
LIBRARY FUNDS							
Sarah L. Alden	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$500.00		\$17.64	\$17.64		\$500.00
Sarah F. Bates	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		17.64	17.64		500.00
Mary C. Bryant	Bridgewater Savings Bank	2,000.00		70.61	70.61		2,000.00
Mary A. Dunbar	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		17.64	17.64		500.00
Abbie F. Gammons	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		17.64	17.64		500.00
Samuel P. Gates	Bristol County Savings Bank	3,450.00		121.81	121.81		3,450.00
Harriet M. Gilbert	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,944.50		68.64	68.64		1,944.50
Harriet M. Gilbert	First National Stock	3,055.50		301.97	301.97		3,055.50
Harriet M. Gilbert	Bridgewater Savings Bank	562.50		19.85	19.85		562.50
Susan A. Goodrich	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00
Virginia G. Jones	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00

Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1, 1960	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31, 1960	Total Amount
Lorin Keith	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00
Lewis G. Lowe	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00
Ellen Markham	Abington Savings Bank	1,000.00		37.84	37.84		1,000.00
Francis A. Parker	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00
Anna G. Thompson	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	1,000.00		35.30	35.30		1,000.00
Mary H. Wilbar	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		17.64	17.64		500.00
Pamelia K. Wright	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00		10.59	10.59		300.00
Theodore F. Wright	Bridgewater Savings Bank	162.50		5.73	5.73		162.50
Theodore F. Wright	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2,000.00		70.62	70.62		2,000.00
		<u>\$22,975.00</u>		<u>\$1,007.66</u>	<u>\$1,007.66</u>		<u>\$22,975.00</u>

CEMETERY FUNDS

Jonah Benson Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$400.00	\$138.26	\$18.99		\$157.25	\$557.25
Henry M. Bosworth	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	16.32	4.10	5.00	15.42	115.42
Caroline W. Braley	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	30.53	4.59	5.00	30.12	130.12
Melissa Chandler	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	34.44	4.73	1.00	38.17	138.17
Margaret Conway	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52	3.52		100.00
Susan L. Cushman	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	99.25	7.02		106.27	206.27
Grace Donovan	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52	3.52		100.00
John and Mary Flynn	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52	3.52		100.00
Thomas Frawley	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00		10.57	7.05	3.52	303.52
George N. Gammons	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	2.48	3.61	5.00	1.09	101.09
Jacob and William D. Hall	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	10.29	3.89	1.00	13.18	113.18
Benjamin F. Hayward	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	20.56	4.24	1.00	23.80	123.80
Ziba Hayward	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	11.18	3.92	2.00	13.10	113.10
Avery F. Hooper	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	76.58	6.21	9.00	73.79	173.79
Albion C. & Clara M. Keith	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	38.82	4.89		43.71	143.71

Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1, 1960	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31, 1960	Total Amount
Annie Keith Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	109.56	10.91		120.47	320.47
Samuel D. Keith	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	107.68	7.31		114.99	214.99
Margaret Keneally	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52	3.52		100.00
Catherine Killoran	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52	3.52		100.00
Stetson Leach Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	80.00	15.86	3.36	3.00	16.22	96.22
Emma Leonard Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	18.39	7.71		26.10	226.10
Madden Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52		3.52	103.52
Chester F. Miller	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00		7.05	7.05		200.00
Oreb and Ellen Mitchell	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	12.22	3.96	1.00	15.18	115.18
Patrick O'Connor	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		3.52	3.52		100.00
Lucretia M. Oldham	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	82.17	6.43	10.00	78.60	178.60
Henry G. Prophet	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00	215.31	42.91	7.00	251.22	1,251.22
Robbins and Osborne	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	117.27	11.19	1.00	127.46	327.46
Increase Robinson	Abington Savings Bank	300.00	116.61	15.75	5.22	127.14	427.14
Shaw and Harlow	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	24.72	4.38	1.00	28.10	128.10
Frank E. Sweet	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	38.14	8.41	7.00	39.55	239.55
Benjamin Washburn	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	130.79	8.13	1.00	137.92	237.92
Edmond L. Weston	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	39.48	4.90	1.00	43.38	143.38
Conant St. Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,100.00		38.84	31.00	7.84	1,107.84
Harlow Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00	89.70	13.74		103.44	403.44
Hillside Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	641.73	11.19	23.03	21.85	12.37	654.10
Jennings Hill Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	620.00	10.83	22.25	21.15	11.93	631.93
Orange Street Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,069.94	23.28	38.59	28.69	33.18	1,103.12
Vernon Street Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	826.30	14.81	29.68	28.59	15.90	842.20
		<u>\$9,937.97</u>	<u>\$1,656.72</u>	<u>\$409.93</u>	<u>\$232.72</u>	<u>\$1,833.93</u>	<u>\$11,771.90</u>

Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1, 1960	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31, 1960	Total Amount
BUILDINGS INSURANCE							
	Abington Savings Bank	\$4,235.31		\$160.30			\$4,395.61
	Bridgewater Savings Bank	5,841.31		206.22			6,047.53
		<u>\$10,076.62</u>		<u>\$366.52</u>			<u>\$10,443.14</u>
LIABILITY INSURANCE							
	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$2.24					\$2.24
	Whitman Savings Bank	2,466.48		93.34			2,559.82
	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	3,161.04		111.61	814.34		2,458.31
	Abington Savings Bank	7,255.04		274.61			7,529.65
	Abington Savings Bank	1,626.11		61.54			1,687.65
		<u>\$14,510.91</u>		<u>\$541.10</u>	<u>\$814.34</u>		<u>\$14,237.67</u>

STATE AUDITOR'S REPORT

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Department of Corporations and Taxation
Bureau of Accounts
State House, Boston 33

October 5, 1960

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Bartholomew F. Casey, Chairman
Bridgewater, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Bridgewater for the period from January 1, 1958 to March 23, 1960, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. William Schwartz, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

HERMAN B. DINE
Director of Accounts

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Mr. Herman B. Dine
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Bridgewater for the period from January 1, 1958, the date of the previous examination, to March 23, 1960, and report thereon as follows:

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

The books and accounts in the town accountant's office were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were compared with the treasurer's books and with the records of departmental payments to the treasurer, while the recorded disbursements were checked with the treasury warrants and with the records of payments by the treasurer. The appropriations and transfers, as entered on the ledgers, were checked with the town clerk's records of financial votes passed by the town meetings and with the finance committee's authorizations of transfers from the reserve fund.

An analysis was made of the general and appropriation ledger accounts, a trial balance was taken off proving the accounts to be in balance, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on March 23, 1960.

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

The cash book was footed throughout, and the cash balance on March 23, 1960 was verified by actual count of the cash in the office, and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements received from the banks of deposit.

The payments on account of maturing debt and interest were verified by comparison with the amounts falling due and checked with the cancelled securities and coupons on file. The bond and coupon account was reconciled, and the outstanding bonds and coupons were listed.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer were examined and listed. The income was proved, and all transactions and balances were verified and compared with the books of the town accountant.

The records of payroll deductions for Federal and State taxes, for the retirement systems, for the purchase of savings bonds, and

for group insurance premiums were examined. The deductions were footed, the purchases of bonds, as well as the payments to the proper agencies, were verified, and the balances on hand were reconciled with the respective controls in the town accountant's ledger.

The records of tax titles held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts transferred to the tax title account were compared with the collector's records, the recorded redemptions and foreclosures were checked, and the tax titles on hand were listed, reconciled with the accountant's ledger, and compared with the records at the Registry of Deeds.

The records of tax possessions acquired by the town by foreclosure of tax titles were examined and checked. The sales of tax possessions were checked with the treasurer's cash book and with the records at the Registry of Deeds, while the tax possessions on hand were listed and reconciled with the accountant's ledger.

The books and accounts of the town collector were examined and checked. The tax, excise, special assessment, departmental, and water accounts receivable outstanding at the time of the previous examination, as well as all subsequent commitment lists, were audited and checked with the warrants issued for their collection. The recorded collections were compared with the payments to the treasurer, the recorded abatements were checked with the records in the assessors' and other departments authorized to grant such credits, the transfers to the tax title account were checked with the records of tax titles held by the town, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the respective controlling accounts in the accountant's ledger.

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

The records of licenses and permits issued by the selectmen, the town clerk, and the police and health departments were examined and checked, and the payments to the State and to the town treasurer were verified.

In addition to the departments mentioned, the books and accounts of all other departments collecting money for the town were examined and checked. The payments to the town treasurer were verified by comparison with the treasurer's and the accountant's books, and the cash on hand in the several departments, including petty cash advances, was proved by actual count.

The surety bonds of the departmental officials required to file them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The clerical work of the finance officers and employees of the town was performed accurately and neatly, and the periodical audits of the town departments by the town accountant greatly facilitated the progress of this audit.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing reconciliations of the several cash accounts, summaries of the tax, excise, assessment, tax title, tax possession, departmental, and water accounts, as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

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

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SCHWARTZ
Assistant Director of Accounts

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REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

	<i>Sealed</i>
Platform Scales over 10,000 lbs.	6
Platform Scales 1,000 - 5,000 lbs.	39
Scales under 100 lbs.	67

Weights:		
Avoirdupois		42
Metric		30
Apothecary		30
Liquid Measure 1 gallon or under		7
Liquid Measure over 1 gallon		2
Gasoline Meter 1 inch or less		65
Oil and Grease Meters		17
Vehicle Tank Meter		11
Yard Sticks		6
Sealing Fees	\$225.25	
Adjusting Fees	1.50	
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Total	\$226.75	

ALBERT W. HAMLLEN,
Sealer

REPORT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEAL

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, herewith, submit the 3rd Annual Report of the Zoning Board of Appeal for the year ending December 31, 1960.

During the year, the Board received 9 Appeals, which resulted from denial by the Building Inspector to issue permits for various uses, which did not conform with the Zoning By-Laws. Public Hearings were held and the following is a summary of the decisions voted by the Board.

1. Denied an Appeal to permit an industrial use in a General Residence area.
2. Granted an Appeal to erect a two-car garage which would be closer than 20 feet from the side lot line.
3. Granted an Appeal for the location of a trailer.

4. Granted an Appeal to allow the conduct of a hairdressing business.
5. Granted an Appeal to erect a house on a lot size smaller than area regulations of Zoning By-Laws.
6. Granted a Special Permit for location of a trailer.
7. Granted an Appeal for a breezeway and garage onto house, which would be closer to the lot line than required by the Zoning By-Law.
8. Granted an Appeal to build an addition onto house, which would be closer to the lot line than required by the Zoning By-Laws.
9. Granted an Appeal to erect a two-car garage, which would be less than 20 feet from the side lot line.

Two Appeals for a variance were permitted to be withdrawn without prejudice.

During the year Miss Jeanette Mola and Henry Cormier resigned from this Board; it is expected that these vacancies will be filled very shortly.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK H. BALBONI
JAMES J. TICCHI
WILLIAM K. BICKNELL

**REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER,
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS
AND INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING**

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report as Dog Officer, Inspector of Animals and Inspector of Slaughtering for the year 1960.

As Dog Officer, I received 494 complaints, reports of 57 stray dogs and 36 killed by cars, also reports of 15 stray cats and 9 killed by cars, during the year.

A total of 2010 animals were inspected. This included 1133 cows and heifers, 11 bulls, 46 beef cattle, 49 horses, 53 sheep and 718 swine.

64 barns were inspected with 18 recalls made, 1 tuberculin inspection and 1 recall made, 12 brucellosis inspections and 5 recalls made, 36 interstate inspections and 9 recalls made, 38 dog bite quarantines and 46 recalls made.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS R. COPELAND,
Dog Officer, Inspector of Animals
and Inspector of Slaughtering

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WAGE AND PERSONNEL BOARD

The second annual report of the Wage and Personnel Board is herewith submitted.

Recommendations for amendments to the By-Law were approved at the Town Meeting of last March and provided a 1% cost-of-living increase for all town employees within the scope of the Personnel By-Law and changed classifications of two jobs within two departments.

Open meetings were held monthly during the year, with additional meetings being held as required to transact necessary business. These additional meetings are especially necessary in the latter part of the year as the annual wage survey of towns and cities in the state is received from the Wage Board Association and the job of comparing Bridgewater with like towns in the state

is undertaken. The data provided by this survey proves extremely useful in making plans for the coming year, as the Board can compare Bridgewater with up to 70 other towns of the same population groups.

Last summer, with the advent of the town-operated swimming program for children at the college pool, it was necessary for the board to petition for amendment of the Personnel By-Law in order to establish positions and salaries for the personnel running the program. The amendment was approved at a later town meeting. The amendment now provides that temporary, part-time and emergency help not covered under the other sections of the By-Law will now be under the jurisdiction of this board.

Continuous efforts were made during the year to effect a standardization of wages for clerks and custodians employed in the school systems and in the other town departments. To date, standardization has not become a reality, but it is hoped that this will be accomplished in the future.

The board is recommending to the Town Meeting of March 6, 1961, the following:

1. That the Wage and Personnel By-Law be amended to include an increase in salary steps on the salary schedule from 18 to 20, with steps 19 and 20 at the same increments as the lower steps.
2. That all employees now classified under SC 18 be advanced to SC 19. This generally includes all department heads.
3. That under Group E, Water and Sewer Department; Superintendent be advanced from SC 16 to SC 19.
4. That under Group J.—increase Veterans' Clerk from \$500. to \$700. per year.
5. That a Fire Alarm Superintendent be added under Group J at an annual salary of \$500.
6. That a cost-of-living increase of 4% over the base be granted to all regular town employees for a period of one year.

7. That the salary of the Plumbing Inspector be increased from \$700. to \$950. for the coming year only, due to the increased work load because of the new regional school.

The board wishes to express appreciation to all those who have so fully cooperated during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

BASIL S. WARREN, Chairman
JOHN CHUCKRAN
ROBERT F. KING
JOHN L. REVIL
ALVAH S. TOLIVAISA
Wage and Personnel Board

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
OF THE
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Also Report of the
BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT



FOR THE YEAR 1960

DORR'S PRINT SHOP
BRIDGEWATER, MASSACHUSETTS

PERSONNEL

Bridgewater Public Schools

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Albert F. Hunt, Jr., 28 School Street
Residence Tel. Owen 7-4447 — Office Tel. Owen 7-6914

SUPERINTENDENT'S SECRETARY — SUPERVISOR OF CLERKS AND STENOGRAPHERS

Helen Kuronis, 31 Bedford Street, Tel. Owen 7-6759

CLERK-STENOGRAPHER — SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE

Anne Norkawski

Office open 7:45 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 4:30 each school day

SCHOOL OFFICE PERSONNEL

Lorraine Ferioli	High School
Ruth Parker	High School
Marion Giamperoli	McElwain School
Helen Lankalis	School Street School

SCHOOL HEALTH PERSONNEL

Mrs. Shirley Newell, R.N.	School Nurse
William E. Hunt, M.D.	School Physician
Hector B. Douglass, M.D.	School Physician
Mrs. K. Irene Welch, R.D.H.	Dental Hygienist

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Elmer Shaw, Chief of Police, Academy Building

SUPERINTENDENT OF MAINTENANCE AND CUSTODIANS

John A. Hall, 2 Flagg Street

CAFETERIA MANAGERS

Clifford Craig	High School
Mrs. Lorna Garrison	McElwain School

CUSTODIANS

Maurice Girouard	High School
Louis Calabrese	High School
John Cabral	High School
Joseph Lazaro (Dec.-April)	High School
Clifford Bernier	McElwain School
Arthur Holbrook	School Street School

CALENDAR FOR SCHOOL YEAR

1960-1961

Fall term begins	September 7, 1960
Fall term ends	December 23, 1960 (½ day)
Winter term begins	January 3, 1961
Winter term ends	February 17, 1961
Spring term begins	February 27, 1961
Spring term ends	April 14, 1961
Summer term begins	April 24, 1961
Summer term ends	June 23, 1961

DAYS OUT

October 12	Columbus Day
October 21	Teachers' Convention
November 11	Veterans' Day
November 24-27	Thanksgiving Recess
	(all schools close at noon Nov. 23)
March 31	Good Friday
May 30	Memorial Day

1961-1962

Fall term starts	September 6, 1961
Fall term ends	December 22, 1961
Winter term starts	January 2, 1962

ENTRANCE AGE REQUIREMENTS

Pupils must be five years old on or before the first of September before the opening of school in September to be eligible to kindergarten. The entrance age for the first grade shall be six years of age on September 1 prior to the opening of school in September. Any pupil whose age on September 1 falls within the range of 5 years 8 months through 5 years 11 months shall be admitted to the first grade in the Bridgewater school system provided they successfully pass an entrance examination required by the Bridgewater School Committee, the expense of such examination to be borne by the parents.

Applicants for first grade who have completed one year of kindergarten in a public school system who have moved to Bridgewater from an outside community prior to the start of the school year whose ages do not meet local requirements but who would have been eligible to first grade in the former place of residence shall be admitted to the local system provided they successfully pass an entrance examination, the expense of the test to be borne by the parents. They are also to have a favorable recommendation from the school authorities of the town from which they have moved.

Pupils who have been attending a public school kindergarten or grade one in another community who move to Bridgewater during the first half of the school year whose ages do not meet local requirements shall be admitted to the local system provided they successfully pass an entrance examination, the expense of the test to be borne by the parents.

The preceding exceptions shall apply only to those pupils who would have become six years old after September 1 through December 31 during that year for grade one and five years old during the same period for kindergarten.

Any child moving to Bridgewater from another town or city who met the entrance requirements for first grade in that town or city and, prior to moving to Bridgewater, had successfully completed one-half or more of the school year shall be permitted to complete the first grade in the Bridgewater schools.

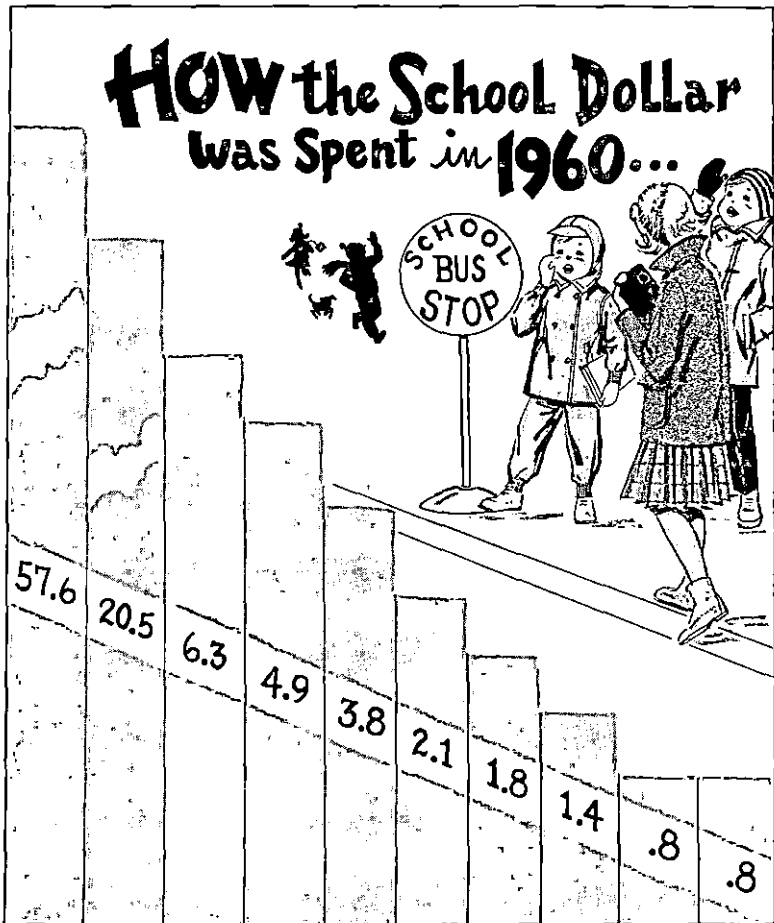
These exceptions apply only to those pupils whose parents or guardians have moved into Bridgewater from another town or city.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

Parents are asked to use their own discretion in sending their children to school on stormy days. However, when school is called off, two blows will be repeated four times at 7:10 a.m. for no school in the High School. Two blows will be repeated four times at 8:00 a.m. for no school in the morning in the elementary schools and at 11:45 a.m. for no school in the afternoon. In addition to the whistle, this announcement will be broadcast over station WBET in Brockton and WBZ-WBZA in Boston.

TUITION PUPILS

Nonresident pupils shall not be admitted to the Bridgewater schools except when authorized by the school committee. The tuition for nonresident pupils is payable semiannually in advance at the rates listed in the published report of the State Department of Education.

**GENERAL CONTROL**

Sal. Supt., Sec., Sch.

Com. Exp., Etc. 3.8

EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Sal. & Exp. Prin., Supv.,

Teachers, Sec. 55.3

Books and Supplies 2.3

EXPENSES OF OPERATION

Janitors, Fuel, Misc. 6.3

MAINTENANCE

Supt. Main., Repairs,

Replacement, Upkeep ... 2.1

AUXILIARY AGENCIES

Transportation 4.9

Burnell School Tuition 20.5

Health 1.8

Tuition, Libraries, Misc.8

OUTLAY

New Equip., Alter., Etc. ... 4

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Supplies, Athletics,

Coaches & Ath. Dir. 1.4

SCHOOL LUNCH

Sal. Cafeteria Manager 4

NET COST TO THE TOWN

1960

EXPENDITURES

Personal Services & Expenses	\$ 529,465.67
Burnell School Tuition (7-1-57/6-30-60)	137,500.00
High School Athletics	4,000.00
High School Athletics Insurance	1,000.00
Out-of-State Travel	132.43
Janitors, Matron—Outside Organizations	945.98
Encumbered Funds 1959	1,221.74
Total	<u>\$674,265.82</u>

RECEIPTS

State Aid—General School Fund	\$ 72,330.80
State Aid—School Transportation	22,232.45
School Adjustment Counselor	4,500.00
Special Classes—Gen. Laws, C. 69, S. 29B and C. 71, S. 46	3,875.97
Tuition—Special Class	207.50
Tuition & Transportation State Wards	3,268.68
Janitors, Matron—Outside Organizations	845.98
Income from Trust Funds for Schools	615.45
Miscellaneous	686.27
Total	<u>108,563.10</u>

NET COST \$565,702.72

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

EXPENDITURES

Vocational Tuition	\$ 3,453.39
Transportation to Vocational Schools	589.70
Evening Practical Art Classes	1,080.45
Total	<u>\$ 5,123.54</u>

RECEIPTS

Main. State-Aided Vocational Schools	\$ 625.83
Reimbursement—Vocational Tuition	1,144.50
Reimbursement—Transp. to Voc. Schools	230.75
Registration Fees—E. P. A. Classes	134.00
Tuition—E. P. A. Classes	111.60

Total	2,246.68
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NET COST	\$ 2,876.86
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ADULT CIVIC EDUCATION

EXPENDITURES

Tuition	\$ 63.00
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Total	\$ 63.00
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RECEIPTS

Reimbursement	\$ 63.00
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Total	\$ 63.00
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NET COST	None
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FEDERAL FUNDS

RECEIPTS

Public Law 874	\$ 10,683.12
Balance on Hand 1-1-60	5,593.00
NDE, Title III, Public Law 864	2,742.62
Balance on Hand 1-1-60	1,274.11
NDE, Title V, Part A, Public Law 85-864	
Balance on Hand 1-1-60	27.44

Total	\$ 20,320.29
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EXPENDITURES

Public Law 874	\$ 2,215.63
NDE, Title III, Public Law 864	1,735.31

Total	3,950.94
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BALANCE TO 1961	\$ 16,369.35
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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Bridgewater:

The statistical reports of the various departments in the school system are outlined in succeeding pages by the committee.

The school committee report gives a brief resume of some of the major problems which have arisen and a look into our future operations. The committee has long been an advocate of smaller classes and a greatly expanded curriculum offering more opportunity for scholastic achievement by our youth. With the advent of the regional school this coming year, we hope that we will be able to offer these advantages to our school children. Naturally, this will mean the expending of many dollars of the tax revenue, but an expenditure which we feel will be fully justified by the end result.

With the signing of a contract with the State Department of Education this year pertaining to the Burnell School, we feel we have made a major advance toward a better understanding of the problems facing both the Town and the State, thereby giving future committees a guide when negotiations resume on renewal and completion of such contracts.

The committee was saddened by the loss of one of Bridgewater's well-known citizens, Edward Cripps, early in 1961. He devoted many hours to the moral and physical well-being of the youth of Bridgewater High School. The committee voted that the following be included in its annual report to the town:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Edward Cripps, well and familiarly known as Eddie, by his host of friends, particularly by generations of football players at Bridgewater High School for his consuming interest in them and in their well being, and

WHEREAS, He ministered to their strains, sprains and aching muscles both at home and on foreign fields of play with skill and deep interest, and

WHEREAS, He performed his important and greatly appreciated services as team trainer with no thought of monetary reward, gaining full payment from just being with the players and of being of service to them, and

WHEREAS, His generosity and exemplary conduct both on and off the gridiron set an inspiring model of conduct for the boys to emulate; therefore,

RESOLVED, That the Bridgewater School Committee in regular session on this date of January 31, 1961, do by unanimous and grateful vote officially honor Eddie for his devotion and example to the hundreds of Bridgewater boys whom he aided to grow toward manhood on the football fields of our South Shore area.

His death on January 17, 1961, deprives local high school athletes of a staunch and loyal friend. Those with whom he associated and served so well during his many years as team trainer are the richer for this association. They gratefully acknowledge the privilege of his friendship and help so unstintingly given by him.

In closing, we extend our appreciation to the administrators, teachers and all staff members who have exhibited a fine spirit of cooperation throughout the year. To the people of Bridgewater we extend our sincere gratitude for their cooperation. We will continue to work for our children and the future of Bridgewater.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. BLANCHARD
 RICHARD J. BRADLEY
 FRANCIS B. BROMLEY
 JAMES W. BUCKLEY
 LAWRENCE J. COSTA
 JOHN D. DORR
 RICHARD J. DOWD

School Committee

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee:

I am submitting for your consideration my report for 1960, also the reports of the school principals, physicians, nurse, dental hygienist, dean of girls, director of guidance, supervisors of art, music and physical education, the elementary adjustment counselor, and the speech therapist.

This, incidentally, will be my final report as superintendent of a complete Bridgewater public school system. With the opening of the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School in September of 1961, the Bridgewater system will include only grades K through 8. Grades 9 through 12 will be in the regional school.

ENROLLMENT

Estimated enrollment in grades K through 8 for the school year 1961-62 will be approximately 1480 pupils. This, which may be surprising, is larger than the annual enrollment in all of the grades, K through 12, for the years 1935 to 1953.

As our schools have suffered from chronic overcrowding for many years, the availability of the high school building next fall for grades 5 through 8 will help somewhat in relieving this critical situation. Even so, we will not have much more space than we presently need. Plans should be made in the not too distant future for more building, especially at the elementary level. It might be wise for the town to purchase sizable acreage as soon as possible for future school as well as other civic needs. The town is growing, and, with growth, land and other values are more likely to increase than to do otherwise.

TEACHER CHANGES

Left HIGH SCHOOL Herbert W. DeVeber Joan Bowen	Elected HIGH SCHOOL Paul J. Zdanowicz Maurice E. Rucker
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Frances Macchia
 Roy W. Meeers
 Robert DePhoure
 Rene Guy B. Mongeau
 Carlyle Newton
 Wendell H. Thornton
 George R. Tyner
 Ruth Tucker
 Roy E. Harbour

Donald Barker
 Robert T. Grant
 Marjorie S. Stein
 Robert R. Couture
 Clay L. Greene
 Raymond D. Lynch
 A. Diane Hannigan
 Harvey G. Damaser
 Richard G. Murch
 William Williams

KINDERGARTEN

Joan McMahon

KINDERGARTEN

Sonia Marcus

BURNELL SCHOOL

V. James DiNardo

BURNELL SCHOOL

Doris Sprague
 Richard Menice

Resignations at the high school level were heavy during the past year with eleven teachers, approximately thirty per cent of the staff, resigning for one reason or another. Of course, the major cause for the resignations was the offer of higher salaries from other communities.

Herbert W. DeVeber accepted the principalship of Abington High School after five years of service in Bridgewater. This vacancy was filled by the appointment of Paul J. Zdanowicz, assistant principal. Maurice E. Rucker was named to fill the position of assistant principal.

On February 1, 1960, Mr. DiNardo was transferred to the college faculty as associate director of apprentice teaching, and Miss Doris Sprague was appointed as principal of the Burnell School. Richard Menice was appointed to fill Miss Sprague's teaching position.

Mrs. Ruth Tucker terminated her duties on November 10, 1960, to take up residence in Connecticut. Harvey Damaser was elected to fill this vacancy for the remainder of the school year.

With the exception of the position of remedial reading teacher, for which no qualified candidate was available, all of the vacancies

were filled, I feel, adequately. I believe that this is true despite the fact that seven of the eleven appointments were by benefit of waivers. These were necessary because the teachers involved lacked some of the necessary qualifications to be completely certified by the State Department of Education at the time of their election.

Mr. Zdanowicz received his second appointment of the year in December when he was named principal of the intermediate school to become effective in September of 1961. This early appointment was made to allow him time to properly prepare for the opening of the school next fall.

IMPACT OF THE NEW REGIONAL SCHOOL

The new regional high school now in the process of construction and scheduled for occupancy in September, 1961, makes necessary a rather complete reorganization of our local system, grades K through 8.

Basically, all moves to provide a top-grade education for pupils at the regional high school level should be closely paralleled at the K through 8 level. Adequate salaries, necessary equipment and supplies, proper teaching loads, etc., found necessary to provide a good educational program for grades 9 through 12 are also necessary for similar results in grades K through 8. Obviously, a superior high school program can only be realized if superior programs are in effect in the contributing grades.

In an attempt to conduct a superior program in the local system, plans are in effect to cut the enrollment in the elementary schools by eliminating substandard areas as classrooms and by reducing class size in the remaining classrooms. This can be accomplished by transferring grades 5 and 6 to the present high school building where with grades 7 and 8, already in this school, they would make up a new intermediate school. This move will improve conditions at the elementary schools by reducing pupil congestion which has been a problem not only in oversized classes but also in the cafeterias, on the playgrounds and other non-class areas.

Plans call for the utilization of the facilities at the present high school, such as, the gymnasium, shop, home economics suite, science laboratories, auditorium, etc., to offer an enriched educational program for the grades housed in this school. Such facilities are rarely found in schools designed for the middle grades. However, because these grades in our system have fallen heir to such an excellent environment, I feel that every possible advantage should be taken of this happy situation. We have the potential, facilities-wise at least, for one of the finest intermediate schools to be found anywhere.

In order to exploit these facilities to the best educational advantage for our boys and girls, the staff will include, in addition to the regular classroom teachers, instructors of art, music, physical education, homemaking, shop, remedial subjects, and a guidance person. If such a program is carried out, and in my opinion it should be, the school will be fully utilized both as to space and facilities when it becomes a middle school next fall. Something over 600 pupils will be enrolled. As the school was built to take care of about this number, capacity enrollment will be in effect immediately.

Reorganization plans for 1961-1962 also call for the removal of the special class from the Academy Building to the present high school building in order to offer more appropriate surroundings for these pupils. Space is not available in our school buildings for the kindergarten classes. Because of this, they will probably continue to be held in the vestry of the Congregational Church.

A superior educational program at both the high school and elementary levels must rest on a bedrock foundation of excellence in the teaching staff and in the total environment wherein the learning takes place. Unfortunately, all of this costs a great deal of money. Until we are able and willing to spend in the amount necessary to provide top-grade education, we will have to settle for something rather less than the best for our youth. There is no easy or cheap way to achieve excellence in education. We get what we are willing to pay for. We can have good, poor or indifferent schools according to what we want. One thing is certain and that is that we can't wish our way into a superior school system. One way or another it will have to be paid for.

In arriving at the budget for 1961, the School Committee determined, as has been done so often in the past, that Bridgewater is unable to pay salaries comparable to those in neighboring communities or even to salaries to be paid by the Regional High School in our own town. This decision, together with cuts which were made in other budget requests, will seriously affect our efforts to conduct a good school system for yet another year.

The President's Commission of National Goals in its report issued late in 1960 stated and urged in part the following:

"American education can be as good as the American people want it to be. And no better.

"We must raise salaries—in some areas drastically.

"We must meet present classroom shortage, and expand facilities to handle future growth.

"And we must raise more money to meet inevitably higher costs ahead.

"It has been fashionable to blame educators for every shortcoming of our schools, but educators cannot maintain standards of excellence in a community that cares more about a marching band and a winning basketball team than it does about teachers' salaries.

"A reappraisal and, where necessary, a revision of every subject in the elementary and secondary school curriculums.

"A program of experimentation in education all the way from first grade through college.

"Better prepared, and better paid, teachers and professors."

Among other things, until we have a local salary schedule that is at least competitive with that of a school on another street in our own town, we cannot be a part of the massive program of change and progress urged for the 60's in the national interest. Such a massive effort may well spell the ultimate difference between survival or defeat for the free world as well as for this country. Let's

do all that we can to become members in good standing in this program.

MAINTENANCE

The buildings and grounds have been maintained and kept in excellent condition through the efforts of the superintendent of maintenance and the custodians. With the overcrowded conditions prevalent everywhere, all areas and equipment are continually showing signs of wear and tear requiring more repairs and replacements. In addition to the regular repairs and cleaning, the following jobs were done during the year with the help of additional workers:

SCHOOL STREET SCHOOL—painting of outside trim on building, lunchroom, playroom, toilet rooms and classroom in basement; new panic hardware on outside doors; new metal safety stair treads on one flight of stairs.

McELWAIN SCHOOL—painting outside of building, basement hallway, toilet rooms and lunchroom; replacing of clear glass with wire glass in smoke screen doors.

HIGH SCHOOL—painting of upper and lower lobby, stairways, floors in auditorium and balcony, and other small areas.

Leon Carroll retired in September as High School custodian after eighteen years of faithful and efficient service.

EVENING PRACTICAL ART CLASSES

Classes in each of the following were held during the past fall as a part of the practical art program.

Beginners' Clothing	Mrs. Loretta Craig
Advanced Clothing	Mrs. Loretta Craig
Party Refreshments	Mrs. Louise Snell
Braided Rugs	Mrs. Evelyn White

The braided rug class, which has not been offered for many years, proved very popular and it was necessary to conduct two classes. There are also two classes in beginners' clothing. Because Mrs. Shields was unable to continue with the decorated ware class, it was dropped from the list for the present.

As classes in this program are of a specialized nature, it is not always possible to obtain the services of approved teachers in all areas and thereby offer a more varied program. These classes are state aided and the town receives reimbursement up to 50% of the cost of instruction from the state. It is likely that when the new regional school is in full operation the classes will be held in that school.

In conclusion, I wish to thank everyone who has helped us in our attempt to offer our youth an effective educational program.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT F. HUNT, JR.,
Superintendent of Schools

Report of the High School

Dear Mr. Hunt:

As principal of Bridgewater High School, I submit this annual report for the year 1960.

The enrollment for Bridgewater High School on December 1, 1960, was as follows.

	GIRLS	Boys
Grade 7	74	84
Grade 8	102	85
Grade 9	68	65
Grade 10	63	65
Grade 11	59	50
Grade 12	49	41
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TOTAL	415	390 — 805

This is slightly higher than last year's enrollment total of 783 pupils. Classes are still held in the auditorium, the balcony of the auditorium, even the lobby to the balcony of the audito-

rium. Basic academic classes are conducted in the shop drawing room, and the teachers' lunch area is still being used for regular classes as are the two rooms resulting from a partitioning of the library.

Equally as important as the strain on our physical facilities is the inordinate amount of turnover on the professional staff which the school underwent during this past calendar year. This writer replaced the former principal, Herbert W. DeVeber, who accepted a similar position in a neighboring town. Ten members of our full-time instructional staff left Bridgewater High School and were replaced. The assumption of the duties of assistant principal by Maurice E. Rucker of the mathematics department meant that another vacancy had to be filled.

Of the ten teachers who left, seven left for employment in other school systems, one went into business, another was offered a grant for further study, and the last moved from Bridgewater because of her husband's change of employment.

This school year we welcomed the following people to our staff.

Mr. Donald Barker	Mathematics
Mr. Robert Couture	French
Mr. Harvey Damaser	English
Mr. Robert Grant	Mathematics
Mrs. Clay L. Greene	English
Miss Diane Hannigan	Commercial
Mr. Raymond Lynch	Social Studies
Mr. Richard Murch	Industrial Arts
Miss Marjorie Perry	Science
Mrs. Marjorie Stein	English
Mr. William Williams	Social Studies

Approximately 20 per cent of our graduates last June entered four-year colleges and nearly 40 per cent went on to further training or education of some sort. This is a very commendable achievement when the size and economic condition of our town is taken into consideration.

Some of our graduates received financial assistance in the

form of scholarships, jobs, and cooperative employment. The potential value of this financial aid is at least \$22,750.00. This is in addition to local scholarships amounting to over \$4,000.00.

Although the organizational pattern of the school offerings are rather traditional—including college preparatory, commercial or business, and general—the staff makes a sincere effort to gear their work to the varied needs, interests, abilities, and aptitudes of each individual pupil. While it is true that we fall short of desired goals, this is at least partially explicable by pointing out that individualized instruction cannot be fully achieved in classes that are too large. A modern six-station language laboratory has been installed and methods of using it at maximum efficiency are being worked out.

It has become increasingly fashionable for parents across the United States to encourage their youngsters to attempt the college preparatory curriculum. An ever greater proportion of youngsters are enrolling in the college curriculum in the ninth grade on a national basis and this is the case in Bridgewater. That a large number of these youngsters will not be able to continue in their chosen course of study is easily foreseeable. The implication of these facts is that more parents should take what is perhaps a more realistic look into the desirability of their youngsters enrolling in the college curriculum. Although more colleges are expanding their physical facilities and new colleges are being formed, it is unlikely that this growth at the college level will keep pace with the larger number of pupils seeking admission.

The co-curricular offerings of Bridgewater High School have been expanded. Two French clubs are in operation this year, one traditional and the other more literary. A debating society has been formed; the gun safety club uses the facilities of the National Guard Armory; and the school magazine club hopes to produce several issues. A chapter of the Junior Red Cross has been re-instituted.

One of the outstanding weaknesses in the school is that the junior high school grades do not get as much consideration as the senior high school grades. This is usually the case in six-year high schools and is one of the foremost reasons why the six-year high

school is not preferred to other arrangements. Perhaps the outstanding curricular weakness this year has been the fact that due to overcrowded conditions our library has to be utilized as two classroom areas.

The practice of scheduling faculty meetings on a monthly basis continues. These general faculty meetings along with the regular meetings for new teachers are geared to the end of creating a more unified or cohesive staff.

Due to the crowded conditions, the practice of serving lunch on a four-shift basis has been continued. It is expected and hoped that when the building is utilized for grades 5 through 8 that the student body will be served lunch on a three-shift basis.

Plans for program reorganization for the intermediate school have been developed. These plans have been submitted to the school committee for final approval.

One of our seniors received a letter of commendation from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. Five of our pupils received certificates of education development. These pupils scored among the top ten per cent in the country. Our representative won the Brockton area Voice of Democracy contest.

We are fortunate to have the services of an adjustment counselor and speech therapist. It is regrettable, however, that these individuals cannot operate at maximum efficiency due to lack of office space.

In order to make our school work more meaningful, firsthand experiences in the form of field trips are encouraged. Some of the field trips actually taken are listed below.

A junior high school English class went to Bridge-water State College to observe a student theater in operation.

Some students of French went to the Loeb Drama Center at Harvard University.

Some boys in our industrial arts class visited a school building operation to get firsthand information on construction practices and problems.

Our representatives attended a Student Council convention in another high school.

Many of the staff continue to make good use of films and filmstrips, and we have utilized educational television in both English and social studies classes.

For the past 50 years, professional educators have been developing programs to induce more of our youngsters to complete high school. In recent years, for the first time, over 50 per cent of youngsters graduated from high school. The next step in the improvement of our educational system is to provide better programs for all pupils, stressing quality on the part of the gifted, individualized programs for the majority, and remedial work for the retarded.

In the future, more cooperation than ever before among educators and the general public will be needed if public schools are expected to meet their many challenges effectively.

It is a privilege to serve as your High School principal working with the youngsters of Bridgewater. I look forward to serving in the capacity of principal of the proposed intermediate school. This is an excellent, modern, well-equipped school plant, perhaps the best of its kind to be used for grades 5 through 8. I dedicate myself to do everything in my power to fully exploit the potential of this building in meeting the needs of Bridgewater's children.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL J. ZDANOWICZ,
Principal

Report of the Guidance Director

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I submit herewith my guidance report for the year 1960.

Guidance services have grown from part-time efforts of teachers and school administrators to an established position as an integral part of the total offerings of a high school program.

This has been aided to a great extent in recent years by the passage of the National Defense Education Act in 1958 which contains a special section known as Title V for Guidance and Counseling. Federal funds received as a result of this Act are distributed dollar for dollar on a matching basis by the state office of education in Boston.

At a recent meeting it was disclosed that the state office had distributed approximately three hundred thousand dollars to strengthen guidance programs throughout Massachusetts. It was also revealed that the expenditures on the part of cities and towns totaled approximately three million dollars. I presume that the monies spent beyond the six hundred thousand dollars (which would include the matching funds) were spent by those school systems that did not meet the minimum requirements for state aid which state that the student-counselor ratio be five hundred students per full-time guidance counselor. In terms of total expenditures for guidance services, however, Massachusetts is perhaps the leading state in the nation.

Specifically, guidance aims at fostering in the student those habits and attitudes which will eventuate in his becoming capable of self direction. Guidance and counseling are not to be confused with advice giving. It seeks to establish the consideration of all possible courses of action and their probable consequences before making a choice. When the decision is made, however, the consequences must be accepted. The goal of all this is that the student will become a responsible person, capable of decision making and willing to accept the results of his choices. We are working for the day when he will no longer need our assistance, when he will be able to guide himself.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The spring and fall testing programs have been carried out with the exception of make-ups.

The following is the result of a follow-up of the Class of 1960:

	NUMBER	PER CENT
Attending four-year colleges	16	18
Attending post-secondary schools other than four-year colleges	23	26

Employed	33	37.5
Married	4	4.5
Armed Services (U. S. Navy 9; U.S.A.F. 3)	12	14
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Total number of graduates	88	100

44% of the Class of 1960 are attending four-year colleges and post-secondary schools

43% of the number enrolled in the college preparatory course are attending four-year colleges

FOUR-YEAR COLLEGES AND NUMBER ATTENDING

Bridgewater State College	7
Brown University	2
Northeastern University (Co-operative Engineering)	2
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy (five-year course)	1
Massachusetts Maritime Academy	1
Suffolk University	1
Nasson College	1
Northern Conservatory of Music	1
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Total	16

SCHOOLS OTHER THAN FOUR-YEAR COLLEGES AND NUMBER ATTENDING

Chandler School for Women	4
Wentworth Institute	4
Brockton Hospital School of Nursing	2
Bentley School of Accounting	1
Burdett College	1
Boston School of Dental Nursing	1
Chamberlain School of Retailing	1
Carnegie Institute of Medical Technology	1
Johnson & Wales Business School	1
Aquinas Secretarial School	1
Shepard & Gill School of Practical Nursing	1

Taunton Vocational School of Practical Nursing	1
Stockbridge School of Agriculture	1
Butera School of Art	1
Vaughan Barber School	2
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Total	23

Because we are in the midst of a great upsurge in desire for post-secondary education, a great part of the director's time has been occupied in informing the present juniors and seniors of the implications of the rush for colleges and other schools. The receipt of pertinent literature concerning scholarships, financial aid and college admissions has been announced over the school's public address system whenever it has been received. Attention has been called to the advisability of taking the College Board Examinations and other national examinations, e.g., the PSAT (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test), the NMSQT (National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test), the NEDT (National Educational Development Test), and the ACT (American College Testing Program). When the results are received by the school, the participants are informed of their scores, given literature concerning the interpretation of the scores and invited to consult with the guidance director for any further information. In addition, a Guidance News Notes column has been sent periodically to the two local papers and to the local representative of the "Brockton Enterprise."

We are fortunate in the Boston area to possess a fine educational TV facility, WGBH-TV—Channel 2. It has been a practice to look over the weekly offerings and alert some of the faculty concerning those programs which might have added value in their areas that they could pass on to their classes. In so doing, the director has pointed chiefly toward those programs of the lecture type and has suggested occasionally to the students who are planning on further education that they become familiar with such offerings, inasmuch as this is the type of college presentation to which they will be exposed.

Besides Channel 2 there are two fine radio programs, one out of Station WBET on Sunday afternoon at 1:05 sponsored by guidance directors of local towns and the other on Sunday evening

at 9:05 sponsored by Northeastern University. Both programs have for their purpose the dissemination of occupational and educational information to teenagers and their parents. The format of the program usually consists in a number of representatives of the field under discussion, high school students who act as inquirers, and high school guidance directors. In these twenty-five minute programs a great deal of information about careers and how to prepare for them is covered. Announcements of the content of these programs are made to the student body regularly.

It would seem up to now that only those students who have had further education in mind have been the object of the director's efforts. The axiom that "guidance is for all" has never been forgotten, even though the pressure is strongest at the educational level. There are those students who have the armed services in mind because they wish to complete their military obligation immediately. Toward the end of the school year, representatives from the various branches of the services come and speak to these students, informing them of the offerings of their respective units.

Because the juniors and seniors are going to be with us the shortest time, the director has concentrated on these two classes. However, any student is welcome to come to the guidance office to use its facilities and is encouraged to do so. He may make an appointment with the director during any of his free periods. Only in exceptional cases is class time allowed for such conferences. Following is a partial survey of the number of times the guidance services have been used for the period September to December:

Change of program	117
Change of course	19
Conference with director	118
Scholarship information request	23
Consulting school catalogs	79
Interview with school representative	23
Other (not included in above)	49

PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

Meetings attended by guidance people have proven to be extremely beneficial. At such gatherings information is avidly

sought and generously exchanged by the members to the end that they come away with the feeling of time well spent. Many of these meetings are sponsored by educational institutions and they bring guidance personnel up to date on latest developments. The same can be said of the welcome visits of college admission officers to the high school. Both of these methods bring to life and point up the cold print of a catalog. Sometimes it happens that a student has expressed an interest in the visitor's institution. If so, a meeting is arranged which can sometimes serve the purpose of an admissions interview.

NEEDS

In the beginning of this report it was stated that the present student-counselor ratio for the state is 500 to 1, that is, five hundred pupils per full-time counselor. Our present enrollment is slightly over 800. Next year the state requirement will be reduced to 400 to 1. Current plans for the new regional school are intended to meet this requirement, but there will still remain the need for a guidance person at the junior high level. Since the facilities are presently available, it is strongly recommended that they be used for this purpose.

Perhaps the most crucial time from the guidance standpoint will occur during the junior high school years at the conclusion of which the pupil will be faced with the problem of electing the best possible high school course for his own particular needs, interests and desires. With adequate guidance facilities and proper direction, he will have the opportunity to match his talents with the task ahead and hopefully arrive at a realistic choice of a high school course with which to prepare for the future.

May I say in closing that I have enjoyed being a member of your staff and working for the interests of the school children of Bridgewater.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. COOKE,
Director of Guidance

Report of the Dean of Girls

Dear Mr. Hunt:

As dean of girls at Bridgewater High School, I submit my annual report for 1960.

The dean of girls, a member of the guidance department, must remember that the chief goal in counseling is to help a girl make choices and decisions—not to tell her how and what she must do. The emphasis in counseling the girls seems to be in the area of personality counseling. There is a need for the dean of girls to play the role of big sister and to help the girl with her problem as well as to help her to mature socially.

The purpose of our Girls' League is to provide experiences in social living for all girls in grades nine through twelve. Officers for the year 1959-1960 are Geraldine Enos, president; Linda Talbot, vice-president; Carole Howe, secretary; Nancy Richmond, treasurer. On the executive board are nine class representatives. Katharine Jackson is reporter and Elizabeth Grant serves as historian.

The Snow Ball took place in January with Miss Annette Amber reigning as the Snow Queen. The junior girls were in charge of this social event under the capable leadership of Miss Sally Mayhew and Miss Janet Blanchard.

Our February meeting was conducted by a representative of John Robert Powers School who spoke to the girls about "Good Grooming."

Our spring event this year was a fashion show sponsored by Doten-Thompson of Brockton. At this time, twelve outstanding senior girls were awarded single roses after which refreshments were served to the senior girls and their mothers. The freshman girls under the leadership of Miss Janet Keif and Miss Lucy Davis had charge of the evening events.

In June, installation of officers took place with retiring presi-

dent Kathleen Krukonis presiding. A fashion show sponsored by the home economics department was enjoyed by all the girls.

With the new school year once more upon us, our activities began with a meeting in September, and at this time members of the executive board were announced. The freshman girls became official members of the Girls' League by receiving an artificial rose, a symbol of the rose for the model girl that they may earn as seniors, providing their high school career merits this honor.

Our November meeting was conducted by the sophomore girls who presented a skit showing proper dress and behavior at a tea. Our annual Christmas Tea and Chocolate Party was enjoyed December 7 by members, their mothers and faculty ladies. Sophomore girls planned the festivities under the capable direction of the co-chairmen, Miss Barbara Grant and Miss Cynthia Enos.

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE L. ANCTIL,
Dean of Girls

Report of the High School Girls' Physical Education & Athletics

Dear Mr. Hunt:

The girls' physical education department is a veritable beehive of activity with regularly scheduled classes, intramurals, interscholastics, and extracurricular activities.

Mrs. Marilene Fries White, a former Bridgewater High School graduate and a senior physical education major at B. S. C., joined us in January for her eight-week training period. Upon graduation she accepted a position in Kingston.

The winter athletic program was basketball. A varsity team, girls in grades ten through twelve, and a jayvee team, grades nine through twelve, represented B. H. S. Ten afternoon games were.

played on a home and away basis with Abington, Plymouth, Wareham, Middleboro, and Silver Lake. Letter and star awards were presented to the varsity players at a school assembly. Also, senior girls on the cheerleading squad were awarded their sweaters.

Girls in grade seven were elected as Junior Cheerleaders to cheer at the girls' basketball games. In this way, seventh graders were given an opportunity to be represented in the athletic program. Eighth graders tried their skill in basketball when they participated in the intramural program.

After the basketball interscholastic season, all girls in grades seven through twelve were given an opportunity to take part in the bowling program. The alleys were reserved for the girls one afternoon a week during March and April. Attendance was exceptional with an enthusiastic response. High scores by grade level were posted weekly, stimulating interest and enjoyment in the activity.

Next came preparations for the Arts Festival. Since there was a scarcity of time and available space during the school day, it was necessary to practice after school; therefore, high school participants came on a volunteer basis. The junior high group prepared for their part during their twenty-minute study at lunchtime. The girls' physical education demonstration included the following activities:

Grades nine through twelve presented folk dances in costume of many countries.

Seventh and eight graders danced several square dances demonstrating the fundamental and more complex dance techniques.

As a final number, a high school tumbling routine by the "Tumbling Tumbleweeds" demonstrated individual, couple, and group stunts to music.

The spring physical education program commenced with the retesting of the girls for the youth fitness test. Final results of the testing showed the students to be above the national average in fitness.

Girls in grades nine through twelve came out for softball practice and games were played with Middleboro, Abington, Plymouth, Whitman, and Apponequet high schools.

An attempt was made in the spring to organize a drill team. Neither time nor opportunity permitted this activity to develop until the fall of this school year. Tryouts were held for girls in grades nine and ten and thirty girls were selected. The drill team performed its routines during half-time at the football games and also marched in the Veterans' Day Parade. Miss Diane Hannigan of the faculty volunteered to be the advisor and worked with the girls during activity periods.

Senior cheerleaders and majorettes were selected through this department by members of the faculty at tryouts in June. Cheerleaders are Nancy Rose, captain, Lynne Gibson, Helen Filippetti, Pamela Steen, Jane Crest, Judith Arrighi, Karen McNeilly, Jeanne Gedutis, Beverly Bowker, and Beverly Meserve. Majorettes are Donna Brooks, captain, Maurine Stigh, lieutenant, Beverly Abati, Elsie Bois, Mary Ann Brady, Joyce Harlow, Germaine Bouchard, Kathleen Byrne, Scotia Hunt, Judith Bromley, Gail Bumpus and Sharyn O'Neil. Both the cheerleaders and majorettes hold regular supervised practices. Also, on occasion, the two groups work together to stimulate and promote a sense of school spirit among the students at B. H. S.

At graduation in June, Judith Harlow was the recipient of the Knights of Columbus Physical Attainment Award. Judith is currently enrolled at the Brockton Nursing School.

This fall with increased enrollment class sizes increased, more lockers were added to an already cramped area, and, after ironing out the schedule, several classes of juniors and seniors had to be limited to one physical education class per week. All girls were weighed and measured at the start of the fall term.

The sports program for the fall began early in October. Girls in grades nine through twelve came out to practice for the hockey teams. Two teams were organized, a varsity and a jayvee. Both groups practiced in the afternoon, and games were played with

Abington, Silver Lake, Plymouth, Middleboro, Plymouth, and Rockland. Following the games, the girls all enjoyed a social get-together with punch and cookies for refreshments. We plan to continue this practice throughout the basketball season this school year. Award letters and service stars were presented to members of the varsity team at a school assembly.

Basketball intramurals for grades eight and nine started soon after the field hockey season. Sophomore girls volunteered as intramural team coaches and juniors and seniors officiated the games. Many enjoyable and competitive afternoons of basketball were spent in the girls' gym.

Saturday, December 10, six girls and I attended an all-day basketball clinic at the Bridgewater State College. The clinic was sponsored by the Southern Massachusetts Board of Women Officials and the Physical Education Major Department at the College. Thirty schools were represented and participated in this clinic.

Every so often I post "points to ponder" in the locker room. A current slogan is "The first two letters of DONE are DO and in physical education we learn by doing." Physical education is an integral part of education, a field of education, a method of education through muscular and emotional experience. Ideas differ as to the values and purposes of physical education. They differ according to background and past experience.

Consider the following points in regard to the girls' physical classes, intramural and interscholastic programs, and extracurricular activities: developing character and moral traits, developing poise and power of self-expression, developing intelligent leadership, testing wits in physical-social competition, developing emotional stability under pressure, developing safety skills, and training for good citizenship *now*.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY N. MOORE,
Director of Girls' Physical Education
and Athletics in the Bridgewater High
School

Report of the McElwain School

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit my annual report as principal of the McElwain School. We are fortunate in having our entire faculty with us again. Experienced teachers add greatly to the efficiency of a school system.

In addition to these people, of course, we have the services of an excellent speech therapist, Mr. Morton Altshuler, to assist us in correcting our many varied speech problems. Mr. David Campbell, school adjustment counsellor, has proved that his services have a definite value in our school system. We regret that it was not possible to engage a remedial reading teacher to give aid in the tremendously important field of reading.

Our school is looking forward to the opening of the new Regional School in September as we hope to remedy many of the overcrowded conditions. Let us examine the enrollment problems as they exist in the various classrooms in this building:

Mrs. Orcutt	Grade 1	39
Mrs. Gabrey	Grade 1	32
Miss McHale	Grade 2	32
Miss Hennessey	Grade 2	33
Miss O'Donnell	Grade 3	38
Mrs. Jones	Grade 3	37
Miss Powers	Grade 4	33
Mrs. Rudolph	Grade 4	33
Mrs. McElroy	Grade 5	41
Mrs. Jordan	Grade 5	40
Mrs. Hart	Grade 6	33

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As of the date of this report, our school has 391 pupils. You can readily see that every classroom in the building is overcrowded. Any departure from the practical figure of 25 pupils per classroom injures the teaching efficiency for that particular room. This is an even more undesirable factor in the primary

grades. One of our first grade teachers, Mrs. Marie Orcutt, has 39 pupils and also has taken on the added responsibility of teaching the fundamentals of the English language to seven Portuguese children. These pupils arrived at school in September and were unable to speak, write or understand a single word of English. They have made rapid progress and much credit should be given Mrs. Orcutt for her ability, patience and understanding.

~~The McElwain-School-has-operated-now-for-many-years-without an assembly hall. This desirable part of an elementary school program should be returned as quickly as possible. If, on the opening of the Regional School in September, it is deemed not feasible to reconvert two of our classrooms to an assembly hall, then serious thought should be given towards the erection of a free standing addition to this school or the possibility of another building to house and properly carry out the elementary school program.~~

The fourth and fifth grade pupils are participating in the televised French programs of WGBH-TV Channel 2. In addition to the foreign language program, Channel 2 beams educational broadcasts in the fields of music, art, literature and science. We are pleased to announce that the programs are excellent and render a valuable supplementary aid to the teaching program.

Our appreciation is expressed to the School Committee for voting the necessary funds to purchase new cafeteria equipment. This was urgently needed and is greatly appreciated.

As to the future—it seems a certainty that the sixties will bring about a greater emphasis on the importance of education in our country. This will not be possible without additional revenue. All of us should accept this inevitable fact. We all must be willing to support education to a greater degree. Lower taxes usually mean lower standards.

In closing, I wish to extend my thanks for the fine cooperation given me by the many people with whom I work.

Respectfully submitted,

MERRILL W. BUTLER,
Principal

Report of the School Street School

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I herewith submit the School Street School annual report for the year 1960.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

Miss Joan McMahan, kindergarten teacher, resigned after two years of exceptional service to accept a similar position in the public schools of Everett, Massachusetts. The vacancy was filled by Miss Sonia Marcus who completed her primary grades practice teaching in the Newton Public Schools. Mrs. Mary Wills left her secretarial duties due to home responsibilities, and we were most fortunate in obtaining the competent services of Mrs. Helen Lankalis.

The high quality of teaching received by our pupils from veteran teachers who return each year to their teaching positions in our schools is of inestimable value. I sincerely appreciate and thank them.

PREVIOUS ANNUAL REPORTS

Your attention is drawn to the previous annual reports of this writer, each year describing conditions urgently in need of correction, such as:

1. Overcrowding at the School Street School due to increased pupil enrollment—from the 318 stated in the 1959 report to 348 at the present writing (these figures do not count the 76 pupils in the kindergarten meeting at the Congregational Church rooms).
2. Inadequate housing facilities for enrollment. Following is a report of the class sizes at the present time:

<u>TEACHER</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>TOTAL PUPILS</u>
Miss Marcus	Kdgn - AM	39
Miss Marcus	Kdgn - PM	37

Mrs. Scheffler	1	34
Mrs. McDonough	1	34
Mrs. Hurley	2	37
Mrs. Linde	2	35
Mrs. Martin	3	35
Mrs. Dunn	3	34
Mrs. Panza	4	33
Mrs. Nourse	5	41
Mrs. Buckley	6	32
Mrs. Sarkisian	6	33
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Total School Street School		348
Total Kindergarten		76
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Grand Total		424

The average per class size in grades 1-6 has risen from 31.8 to 34.8 pupils in one year. A recommended class size is 25 or less pupils per class.

- Extremely limited play areas. The kindergarten classes have no play area adjacent to their classrooms. School Street School has at its disposal less than $\frac{3}{4}$ of one acre instead of the necessary 8 to 10 acres for its school population.
- Consistently more trying conditions under which to work without any measure of alleviation.

IN-SERVICE TRAINING

The teachers of the Bridgewater elementary schools, grades 4, 5, and 6, took part in an in-service training workshop sponsored by the School Street School in the field of spelling. Miss Phyllis Carter, Educational Consultant for the Charles E. Merrill Books, Inc., demonstrated the latest teaching techniques in spelling and discussed the classroom demonstration in a follow-up session.

The faculty members involved in the educational television presentation of "Parlons Francais," the T.V. program of conversational French instruction for children in Grades 4 and 5, met once a month, after school hours, with an area consultant from

the Modern Language Project. At these meetings methods for better implementation of the foreign language were presented and discussed. Much verbalization was practiced to insure correct French pronunciation. In addition, also after school hours, the teachers of the Grades 4 and 5 French courses at the School Street School met once a week for an hour to take advantage of the T.V. programs televised specifically for teachers. Participation in both these in-service programs on a monthly and weekly basis will continue throughout the portion of the school year remaining in 1961.

Such dedication to the needs of the curriculum by our teaching personnel is worthy of commendation.

SPECIAL SERVICES PROGRAMS

The services involved in the essential character of the programs of the speech and hearing therapist, Mr. Morton W. Altshuler, and the adjustment counselor, Mr. David W. Campbell, continue to grow in scope and effectiveness. Both programs are considered worthy of expansion. Detailed accounts of these special services may be found in another section of the annual report.

An urgent need for a remedial reading specialist still exists and the continuing search for a qualified candidate for this position should be intensified.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The overwhelming problems of properly financing our public schools, in all facets—morale-building salaries, adequate housing facilities which will allow class size reduction to a reasonable limit, employment of specialists in the various content areas for development and fulfillment of programs for the academically talented, time for planning, research, and pursuit of new teaching methods, adequate support for teaching materials and supplies, expansion of special services—can never hope to be solved with token grants.

President Eisenhower's Commission on National Goals named in February, 1960, reporting back to him on the direction the United States should be headed in the next ten years arrived at the following goals for education. "The development of the individual and the nation demand that education at every level and in every discipline be strengthened and its effectiveness enhanced.

New teaching techniques must continue to be developed." To bring this about, the report calls for doubling present cash outlays in the next 10 years. Most of the increase would be in the form of state and local funds with an expansion of the federal role.

The task requires continual focus on the basic values involved and a regeneration of the courageous spirit needed to achieve these goals. The ultimate reward—survival, freedom.

Sincere appreciation is extended for the dedication to service and education by my colleagues throughout the Bridgewater educational system.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. TEDESCHI,
Principal

Report of the Martha M. Burnell School

Dear Mr. Hunt:

The Martha M. Burnell School continues to provide a well-balanced, effective, modern elementary education program. This is made possible for our three hundred fifty pupils by the devoted efforts of an able faculty, the professional assistance of college professors assigned to the school as resource persons, and the student teachers from whom our pupils gain countless supplementary enrichment opportunities.

Especially do we wish to call to the attention of our citizens the newly-acquired collection of mounted birds now housed in our outstanding library. This combination of material objects, in addition to a collection of three thousand books including reference materials, makes a stimulating learning environment.

Administrative and instructional changes have been brought about in the school during the past year. Continuity of the program carried on by Dr. V. James DiNardo, the former principal,

was assured when he was assigned new duties at the college which entail working closely with the faculty and the newly-appointed principal of the Burnell School, Miss Doris M. Sprague. The supervisory and instructional position vacated by the newly-elected principal was filled by Mr. Richard M. Menice. Mr. Menice brings to this position excellent professional training having received his B.S. in Education from the State College at Bridgewater and his Ed.M. from Northeastern University. In addition to this, he has had years of experience working in grades four through six in the schools of Weymouth, Massachusetts.

Parents of the children continue to be a support through their cooperation and participation in our school program. Parent-Teacher Association activities and meetings have received enthusiastic backing as manifested in our recent Book Fair and the individually-scheduled Parent-Teacher Conferences held last spring.

We express our appreciation to the President of the State College, Dr. Clement C. Maxwell, for his encouragement, cooperation, and leadership; and, too, we are appreciative for the continued services rendered our children by municipal and school officials of the Town.

Sincerely yours,

DORIS M. SPRAGUE,
Principal

Report of the Supervisor of Physical Education

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit my report as Physical Education Supervisor and Athletic Director for the year 1960.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

With the new Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School going into operation in September of 1961, we should be making plans well in advance to staff and properly equip the primary

grades and the intermediate grades for physical education starting in September.

At the present High School, which, I presume, will house grades 5 through 8 next September, there will be very little, if any, renovations necessary in the physical education area to properly equip this school as an intermediate school. The only equipment needed will be replacements of mats which are pretty well worn and the normal replacement of balls and supplies. It might also be advantageous to add such equipment as a vaulting box, horse and parallel bars and that would be the extent of the equipment necessary.

As to staffing of the intermediate school, plans should include a full-time physical education instructor for the boys and a full-time instructor for the girls; also, provisions for junior high school coaches for fall, winter, and spring sports.

At the elementary schools, adequate provisions should be made for a playroom where indoor physical education can be carried on. At the present time, there is no indoor room available at the McElwain School, and at the School Street School the space and area presently used is not conducive to carrying on a topnotch physical education program.

At least one full-time physical education instructor should be included in the teaching staff at the elementary schools.

Plans also should be made for someone to coordinate the physical education program and to see that there is a continuity of activities from the elementary level through the intermediate level and the high school level.

During the past year Miss Dorothy Moore, Mr. Bernard Chestna and I completed the youth fitness testing program that was given to all boys and girls in grades 7 through 12. This testing program was conducted in conjunction with the Bridgewater Jaycees under the chairmanship of Mr. George Jenkins. The results of the testing program did show that the youngsters in the Bridgewater school system rank well above the national average

in physical fitness. The complete report on this project will be submitted to you by Mr. Jenkins.

ATHLETIC SUMMARY

The won and loss records of our athletic teams for the year 1960 are as follows:

	WON	LOST	TIED	Pct.
Basketball	21	2		.913
Baseball	2	8		.200
Track	3	6		.333
Football	5	3		.625

Again our basketball team has repeated its success of 1956 by winning the State Class "D" Championship. Along with bringing this great honor back to our town and to our school, our basketball team also won the Eastern Division Championship of the South Shore League. Also, as was the case in 1956, three of our boys were honored by being selected to the Boston Garden Tournament All-Star Team. The boys selected were captain Michael Crowley, Paul Pallatroni, and Steven Pivacek.

Our football team came back strongly after losing three out of our first four games then went on to win its last four games in a row and climaxed its comeback with a great win over traditional rival Middleboro on Thanksgiving Day.

Members of our athletic staff are to be complimented for the interest they have shown in maintaining high professional standards by their attendance at many meetings and clinics after school hours and on weekends. Attendance at these meetings and clinics not only enriches the members of the athletic staff but is a means of keeping abreast of the times and gives them an insight of future trends in the athletic field.

May I take this opportunity to express my sincere appreciation to Mr. Paul Zdanowicz, our principal, for his excellent cooperation during this past year. His guidance and understanding have been a great aid to us in our physical education and athletic programs.

Also, my appreciation goes to Mr. George Jenkins and the

members of the Bridgewater Jaycees who took such an active part in helping us with the National Youth Fitness Testing Program.

In conclusion may I thank you Mr. Hunt, the entire secretarial staff, the custodians, and members of the coaching staffs for their cooperative efforts during the past year.

Very truly yours,

LAWRENCE F. FOLLONI,
Physical Education Supervisor and
Director of Athletics

Report of the Supervisor of Art

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit my report as supervisor of art in the Bridgewater Public Schools for the year 1960.

The art program was most successful during the year 1960 in that it offered a full and highly creative program. This was accomplished despite the many limitations due to the heavy increase in enrollment. It could not have been accomplished, however, if it were not for the constant and combined efforts of the administrators and teachers who made possible the necessary time, supervision, and guidance.

This was especially true at the elementary level where the creative opportunities provided by the teachers produced a large amount of interesting and stimulating work. In addition to providing creative opportunities, the teachers further provided for a variety of experiences with media and techniques. It is this type of combination of opportunity and expression that allows the child to learn and improve progressively during the elementary years.

The 7th and 8th grades were also responsible for accomplishing a great variety of creative projects. In addition to design and flat work, block printing, paper crafts and ceramics were also of-

ferred as an added stimulus to the creative process. As predicted last year, ceramics has proved to be a craft of great interest to the students. Poster making was another source of inspiration for many of the 7th and 8th grade students. Several of them received awards in a state-wide poster contest and one received a national award.

As a further incentive for the students at the high school level as well as the junior high level to participate in the art program, a special exhibit area for "out-of-school" work has been provided. Here the students may display work that they carry out in their leisure time. The response has been most satisfying and the size of the area has been increased.

The enthusiasm and willingness which the high school students reveal in their desire to express themselves creatively has always been a source of great delight for me. Many of them can only attend one or two classes per week because of scheduling difficulties. Yet the amount of work produced and its excellent quality reveals their high desire of accomplishment. It is my sincere hope that these students will find the opportunities for creative expression vastly improved with the opening of the new high school.

Two fine exhibitions and a field trip rounded out the high school art program. In April the second Arts Festival, was held in the school gymnasium. The art exhibition was planned and hung with the cooperation of all the classes. Examples of a variety of techniques and media representing the efforts of all groups from grades 7 to 12 were on display. In March the students were again privileged to view the annual exhibit of contemporary New England paintings arranged by the Ousamequin Club. The field trip enabled a group of interested students to attend the Boston Arts Festival held in the Public Gardens. In addition they also visited several of the painting galleries in the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. The keen interest and sincere appreciation shown by the students attending these exhibits and field trips provide an incentive for future expansion of these activities.

The 1960 Arts Festival was the highlight of the year's program throughout all of the schools. The wonderful opportunity for displaying creative work at all levels that the Festival affords could

not be accomplished as successfully in any other manner. The elementary displays were especially interesting. Being mostly responsible for arranging and hanging the various work, I must apologize to the teachers for using so few of the many varied items submitted. For the complete success of the Festival, I would like to extend my thanks to the administrators, teachers, students, and parents who gave so willingly of their time and efforts.

I would also like to take the opportunity at this time to express my sincere appreciation to all those concerned in making the 1960 art program a successful one.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT S. DANSTEDT,
Supervisor of Art

Report of the Supervisor of Music

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit my report as supervisor of music in the Bridgewater Public Schools for the year 1960.

The following activities have and are taking place in the music department for the public schools of Bridgewater.

1. GENERAL MUSIC—The teaching of music through a series of guided music experiences.
 - a. Elementary—classroom instruction
 - b. Junior High—classroom instruction
2. VOCAL ENSEMBLES
 - a. Elementary Choruses
 - b. Boys' Junior High Glee Club
 - c. Girls' Junior High Glee Club
 - d. Junior High Mixed Chorus
 - e. Senior High Chorus

3. INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLES
 - a. Elementary Schools
 - (1) Weekly instruction for all instruments
 - b. Beginners' Band
 - c. Junior Band
 - d. Senior Band
 - (1) Majorettes
 - (2) Drill Squad—30 girls directed by Miss Diane Hannigan
 - e. String Class—Beginners and Advanced Class
Students from Raynham have also been participating in these classes. An orchestra made up of these violin students will participate in the 1961 Arts Festival.
4. FESTIVAL PARTICIPATION
 - a. SEMSBA—Band and Chorus
 - b. All District—Band, Orchestra and Chorus
 - c. All State—Band, Orchestra and Chorus
5. THE BRIDGEWATER ARTS FESTIVAL
 - a. Participation by all schools

Although the 1960 Arts Festival was only in its second season there was already a sign of more enthusiasm by teachers and parents of Bridgewater. This project is succeeding in bringing together school and community relations.

This year we are once again planning our third Arts Festival. All have expressed the desire to see this project continued as an annual function of the public schools. It is hoped that it can, and that in cooperation with the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School it will improve each year.

In conclusion, may both Miss Keith and I take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to the administration, teachers, and other school personnel who have so generously cooperated with us to make the music program a success.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEF N. COBERT,
Supervisor of Music

Report of the School Physicians

Dear Mr. Hunt:

We submit herewith our annual report of the work of the school physicians.

The routine examinations of the children in grades 1, 4, 7, and 10 were made in the fall. The preschool children were examined in the spring. Defects were reported to the parents for further examination and treatment by the family physician or clinic.

Certificates were issued during regular office hours on school days to pupils who had diseases reportable to the Board of Health.

Pupils are allowed readmission to school with a note from a parent if absent less than five days with a noncontagious disease. Over five days' absence with a noncontagious disease must be excused by a note from the family physician.

Certificates of health have been issued during regular hours for pupils between 14 and 16 years of age who were seeking employment permits.

Examinations have been given to athletes, cafeteria workers and custodians. Varsity football games have been attended. A physician has been available to give first aid whenever school is in session.

The cooperation of the principals, the teachers and the school nurse has been greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM E. HUNT, M.D.
HECTOR B. DOUGLASS, M.D.
School Physicians

Report of the School Nurse

Dear Mr. Hunt:

As nurse in the Bridgewater Schools, I herewith submit my report for 1960.

This has been a year of "holding our own." In view of the increased enrollment, I feel this is something accomplished. However, we *have* added one service. Every pupil will have his eyes and ears tested each year instead of on alternating years. The vision and hearing screening is being done again this year by Mrs. Pauline Yanuskiewicz. We are hoping we are not starting more than we can properly finish. The success of this program starts with having each child tested but the total effect won't be known until next June when all those failing the tests have been retested and the follow-up work completed. Last year 376 children had their eyes tested. This number is small because only first graders, new pupils and teacher referrals were tested. Of this number, 25 failed the retest and 24 received treatment. Eighteen hundred children had their ears tested; 67 failed the individual audio test; 61 received treatment either through clinics or private physicians. Of those not receiving treatment during the last year, four have had previous treatment. Our Bridgewater Teachers' Association tag-day fund has helped many children receive treatment.

Health examinations were conducted with the school physicians in grades one, four, seven, and ten. Preliminary talks on health examination procedure as well as on basic rules of good health are given to all first and fourth grades. Preschool children were examined in April. These examinations also prove helpful in introducing school health personnel to the children and parents. All new children in our system were also examined. The total of all those examined was 812. Services available for the follow-up care of defects found are made known to the parents. Special needs of children found with defects are discussed with the teachers. As our "family" increases so do the complex problems involved in the follow-up care. Because both parents are working in many families, much of this has to be done by mail.

Booster injections for diphtheria and tetanus were given in our schools during April in conjunction with the Board of Health. At a recent South Shore school nurses' meeting, I learned we were the only town offering this booster injection to children in *all* grades. Most schools do not give them to children above the sixth grade. It is imperative we immunize the older pupils because recent studies by a Boston doctor have shown the antibody level to be very low in young adults. He felt we may be "ripe" for a diphtheria epidemic.

During all the many first-aid procedures, pediculosis checks, good food and cleanliness talks, or just plain listening, it is difficult to note, or even be sure, the number of times a little interest, sympathy or small bits of information have helped a child or parent better understand how very important it is to be healthy in order to enjoy and obtain the most from each day.

With the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School on the horizon and an additional school nurse, it is my hope to more than "hold our own" next year. Bridgewater has not participated in a tuberculosis testing program in many years. I would very much like to do this next year with the help of the Board of Health.

I sincerely thank you, Mr. Hunt, and all others who have made my job a happy and, I hope, a worthwhile one.

Respectfully submitted,

SHIRLEY NEWELL,
School Nurse

Report of the Dental Hygienist

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I herewith submit the annual report of the dental department of the Bridgewater Public Schools for the year 1960.

All pupils in kindergarten through grade 12 were given dental inspections. A total of 2030 inspections were made, with 138 of

these inspections being made at the preschool clinic. There were 46 pupils absent at the time of inspections and these students will be examined when dental cleanings are done in their schools. Dental notices have been sent home to parents of the children in whose teeth dental defects were found.

Of the 1892 inspections made, exclusive of the preschool clinic, 829 students have teeth in need of repair. Of this number, 575 have permanent teeth in need of repair. The percentage of children who have teeth in good repair has increased to 56 percent from last year's 54 percent.

All students in grades 2, 5, and 8 were offered the opportunity to have their teeth treated with sodium fluoride. From these grades, a total of 486 pupils accepted and 1944 treatments were given.

All pupils in the kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th, and 8th grades were given the opportunity to have their teeth cleaned. A total of 941 accepted and were completed.

Dental aid was given to seven students this year, with a total of \$122.00 paid for dental work done. This amount was paid by the Bridgewater Teachers' Association Eye and Dental Fund. The Dental Fund was inactive this year and still has a balance of \$5.64.

I feel compelled this year to stress the fact that soft drinks, candy and especially *all brands* of chewing gum are extremely harmful to teeth because of the sugar content. There is so much high-pressure advertising in the subject matter pertaining to teeth that I cannot stress often enough that no gum nor special tooth paste can replace the value of brushing teeth after eating and before going to bed at night and that we should view all advertising on health practices with a good deal of common sense. Despite the figures given in this report, the alarming increase in cavities in school children because of chewing gum is quite evident to me at the time dental inspections are done.

Dental health instruction has been given in the classroom with filmstrips, models and other dental health materials being

used. Dental lectures, the annual dental convention and the in-service training course for dental hygienists held by the State Department of Public Health have been attended.

I wish to thank Mr. Hunt, Mr. Zdanowicz, Mr. Butler, Miss Sprague, Mr. Tedeschi, all teachers and secretaries, and also Dr. Deane, Dr. Resevick and Dr. Rifkin for their continued help and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

K. IRENE WELCH,
Dental Hygienist

Report of the Speech Therapist

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit my report as speech therapist for the year 1960.

The speech and hearing therapy program, now over a year in progress, has been received well by the children and parents involved. Again this year, arrangements were made for referrals for students with more serious speech and/or hearing problems.

One major problem, worthy of comment, is the inadequate space available for the therapy sessions. In three of the four schools, therapy is given in the nurse's room, the teachers' room and, at the High School, in a ladies' lounge. It is quite evident that disturbances that arise during the course of therapy are deterring factors. Hopefully, this situation will be alleviated in the future.

The following will give an overview of the program.

I. The Program

A. Screening of children

1. A qualitative and quantitative analysis of problems in the first grades.

2. Each child is seen on an individual basis.
3. New pupils are seen as they enter the school system.

B. Teacher referral system (all grades)

1. The classroom teacher refers a student with a possible speech problem. The child is examined and a speech examination report is returned to the school principal and the teacher with comments concerning the student.
2. Many times the teacher is seen or the parents are seen to discuss the problem.

C. Parent notification

1. Parents are notified by form letter and asked to sign the form indicating their permission for their child to receive therapy.

D. Weekly schedule

	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.
A.M.	McElwain	High	High	School St.	Burnell
P.M.	School St.	McElwain	School St.	Burnell	Office

E. Therapy sessions

1. For the most part, students are seen on a half-hour basis, once a week, individually or in small groups of two or three.

F. Therapy waiting list

1. This list contains students in need of therapy waiting for adequate time to be vacated in the active therapy schedule.

II. Speech Improvement

- A. Discussions with principals and teachers concerning speech improvement techniques in the classroom.
- B. Classroom visits to have a "speech" or "oral" activity.
- C. Observations in the classroom.

III. Parent Consultation and Counselling

- A. Parents of school children on active and waiting lists are seen.

1. Information concerning need for therapy, progress, home activities, etc.
2. Telephone calls are used to speak to parents about their children, or to those who wish a report on progress, etc.
3. Home visits made to see parents unable to arrange a visit to the school.

B. Parents of preschool children

1. These meetings are preventive in nature. If a preschool child is seen, speech help can begin at home prior to his entrance into school, thus improving the situation and decreasing the number of problems in the school.
2. When a child is seen without a problem, the parent is counselled concerning normal development of speech and proper speech stimulation techniques which can be utilized in the home.

IV. Other Activities

A. Consultation with and referral to

1. Administrators and principals
2. Teachers
3. Elementary adjustment counsellor
4. Guidance director
5. School nurse
6. School dental hygienist
7. Medical and dental personnel

B. Participation in school activities

1. School registration
2. Classroom lectures on speech, the ear and hearing and sound
3. School functions

C. Public relations

1. Speaking at local functions
2. General information given to those interested

D. Affiliation with state and national offices and organizations

- E. Hearing test consultations
- F. Homebound children seen
- G. Research concerning pertinent speech problems
- H. Handicapped children report to the Commonwealth
- I. Complete therapy records maintained concerning each student seen for therapy with therapy notations entered at regular intervals
- J. Complete statistics maintained for local, county, Commonwealth and national use

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS 1960

	<i>Children seen</i>
1. Screening of grade 1	
a. School Street School	67
b. McElwain School	71
c. Burnell School	53
TOTAL	191
2. Referrals from all other grades	82
3. Therapy sessions	
a. Individual	14
b. Group (2 or 3)	49
TOTAL	63
4. Therapy waiting list	29
5. Children dismissed from therapy	22
6. Referrals by the therapist	
a. Voice cases	1
b. Major speech problems	1
c. Other	1
TOTAL	3
7. Problems and present status	
a. Therapy	63
b. Waiting list	29
c. Voice cases	7
d. Problematic children dismissed from therapy	2
TOTAL	101

8. Speech problems in the school system

School St.	Articulation	Voice	Stuttering	Hearing & Speech	Other	Total
K						0
Gr. 1	9				1	10
2	4	1			1	6
3	3	1				4
4	5					5
5	2	1				3
6		1		1		2
Total	23	4		1	2	30
McElwain						
Gr. 1	4				2	6
2	9					9
3	4			2	3	9
4	4				1	5
5	3				1	4
6					1	1
Total	24			2	8	34
Burnell						
K						0
Gr. 1	6					6
2	6	1				7
3	6		1			7
4	2					2
5						0
6	1					1
Total	21	1	1			23
High School	8	2	2		2	14
All Schools						
K						0
Gr. 1	19				3	22
2	19	2			1	22
3	13	1	1	2	3	20
4	11				1	12
5	5	1			1	7
6	1	1		1	1	4
High	8	2	2		2	14
Total	76	7	3	3	12	101

9. Percentage of problems by school		
a. School Street School		7.1%
b. McElwain School		8.8%
c. Burnell School		6.6%
d. High School		1.7%
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e. ALL SCHOOLS		5.2%
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10. Percentage of problems by classification		
a. Articulation (76)		75.25%
b. Voice (7)		6.93%
c. Stuttering (3)		2.97%
d. Hearing (3)		2.97%
e. Other (12)		11.88%
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	TOTAL (101)	100.00%

Respectfully submitted,

MORTON W. ALTSHULER,
Speech Therapist

Report of the School Adjustment Counselor

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit a report of my activities for the year 1960.

It is my aim to help children improve their relationships with their peers and with their teachers, to use their emotions constructively, to find freedom of expression within the framework of firm limits and understanding of others, and to share their problems with others. If my service is effective, it should reduce the number of children who later would become juvenile delinquents, participants in unhappy marriages, or patients at a mental hospital. If I can share in helping the children of Bridgewater solve their everyday problems, then I can do my part in helping these children grow in their capacity to handle their emotions.

My primary goal this year has been to show that my service could help the children of Bridgewater. Parents and teachers, as

well as the children themselves, deserve a great deal of credit for the work done in helping the children referred to me. The following is my statistical report for January through November, 1960.

Work load—average number of children a month	30
Problems closed during period	30
Referrals from pupil himself	8
Parent	7
School personnel	21
Clergy	1
Doctor	1

It is much better when the child refers himself, or when his parents refer him. However, the majority of my referrals have come from school personnel. This indicates a need for greater understanding of the aims of the program and the relationship of the role of the adjustment counselor and the child. I must get across to the children the fact that all of us have problems which sometimes need to be discussed with a person who is not emotionally involved with them. Parents must come to look upon me as one who is interested in every family, as one who helps them to think about and act upon the needs of their children.

Last spring and again this fall, I intensified my efforts to acquaint children with my program. I met with parents and their children at the registration of new pupils last spring. This fall, Mr. Cooke, the guidance director, and I saw small groups of eighth graders to explain our service to them.

In February I completed a research study of the first interview between the parent and the child's teacher. In accord with the findings of this study, I recommend the following:

1. A series of meetings to be held in the spring on child development for parents of preschool children. This would establish a beginning relationship between the home and the school, thereby helping to make the first interview one of a mutual working together to meet the child's needs.
2. Individual interviews between the child's kindergarten or first grade teacher and the parent to be

held sometime after Thanksgiving or after the Christmas holidays. These interviews should not be merely verbal reports of the child's progress but rather a discussion of what both the teacher and parent can do to help the child achieve his greatest potential.

The answer to the question "How many children need my service?" is still unanswered. Statistics indicate that one out of every ten children will become emotionally ill, one out of every five will become juvenile delinquents, and one out of every three will have an unhappy marriage. To meet this challenge, I have tried to get across to the children the importance of understanding their emotions.

I have met with the teachers this fall to further explain my services. I need help from community resources to explain my services to parents.

During this year I have worked closely with all school personnel. I have great respect for their ability to meet the needs of children; all have been most helpful and cooperative.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID W. CAMPBELL,
School Adjustment Counselor

SCHOOL CENSUS

October, 1960

<u>Registration of minors</u>	<u>5 to 7</u>	<u>7 to 16</u>
Boys	188	781
Girls	161	754
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	349	1535
 <u>Distribution of above minors</u>		
In public day school membership	307	1480
In vocation school membership	0	2
In private school membership	1	46
In State and County institutions and special schools for defectives and delinquents	0	3
Not enrolled in any day school	41	4
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	349	1535

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR THE LAST
TEN SCHOOL YEARS

June	Enrollment	Boys	Girls	Member- ship	Average Attendance	% of Attendance
1951	1,280	643	637	1,251	1,162	92.9
1952	1,366	688	678	1,326	1,212	91.4
1953	1,504	749	755	1,426	1,319	92.4
1954	1,499	737	762	1,466	1,366	93.2
1955	1,595	804	791	1,561	1,422	91.1
1956	1,678	849	829	1,633	1,527	93.5
1957	1,729	874	855	1,720	1,612	93.7
1958	1,819	932	887	1,785	1,636	91.7
1959	1,866	952	914	1,834	1,692	92.3
1960	1,915	979	936	1,865	1,726	92.5

Total Membership in Public Schools, October 1, 1960

School	Kinder- garten	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Spec. Class	Total
High								156	186	130	128	108	90		798
McElwain	71	64	74	63	79	33									384
Burnell	36	53	49	55	51	53	50								347
School Street	67	73	67	34	41	62									344
Congregational															
Church Vestry	71														71
Academy Bldg.														8	8
	107	191	186	196	148	173	145	156	186	130	128	108	90	8	1952

Teachers in the Bridgewater Public Schools

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
HIGH SCHOOL				
Paul J. Zdanowicz	Principal	Sept., 1959	Bowdoin, Univ. of Maine	B.A., M.Ed.
Maurice E. Rucker	Assist. Principal, Faculty Mgr.	Sept., 1948	Hyannis, Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
Donald Barker	Mathematics	Sept., 1960	Harvard	A.B.
Warren R. Brown	Math., Science	Sept., 1959	Norwich Univ., Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Bernard T. Chestna	Physical Edn., Coach	Sept., 1954	Boston University	B.S., Ed.M.
Robert Couture	French	Sept., 1960	Assumption College	A.B.
Harvey G. Damaser	English	Nov. 14, '60	Univ. of Penna., N.Y. Univ.	B.A., M.A.
Robert T. Grant	Mathematics	Sept., 1960	Northeastern Univ.	B.S.
Raymond D. Lynch	Social Studies	Sept., 1960	Boston College, B'water	B.S., M.Ed.
Barry M. Moriarty	Science	Sept., 1959	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Richard G. Murch	Industrial Arts	Sept., 1960	Gorham State Teachers	B.S.Ed.
Thomas O'Connor	Science	Sept., 1956	St. Dunstan's, B.C.	B.S., M.Ed.
Alvin-F. Rubin	Social Studies	Sept., 1959	B'water, Yeshiva Univ.	B.S.Ed., M.S.Ed.
Stanley W. Sikorsky	Social Studies, Ath. Coach	Sept., 1957	St. Anselm's	A.B.
Charles R. Varney	Math., Science, Ath. Coach	Sept., 1953	Univ. of R.I., B'water	B.S., M.Ed.
Henry M. Walmsley	Soc. Studies, Sci., Ath. Coach	Sept., 1948	Springfield, Boston Univ.	B.S., M.Ed.
Calvin J. White	Industrial Arts, Driver Edn.	Sept., 1949	Fitchburg, Bridgewater	B.S.E., Ed.M.
William Williams	Social Studies	Sept., 1960	Stonehill, Bridgewater	B.A., M.E.
Gertrude L. Anctil	Home Ec., Soc. St., Dean of Girls	Sept., 1957	Farmington State Teachers	B.S.
Pauline K. Burrill	English	Sept., 1955	Syracuse, Bridgewater	B.A., M.Ed.
Arlene H. Carter	Commercial	Sept., 1953	Chandler School	
Ethel G. Cook	Latin	Mar., 1926	Boston University	A.B.
Clay L. Greene	English	Sept., 1960	Univ. of Ala., Univ. of Va.	B.A., M.A., Ph.D.
A. Diane Hannigan	Commercial	Sept., 1960	Colorado State	B.A.

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
Alice Holmes	English	Sept., 1928	Bridgewater	
Margaret Keith	Music	Sept., 1932	Y.W.C.A.	
Marcia Kennedy	English	Sept., 1959	Stonehill	A.B.
Pearl McMullen	Science	Sept., 1956	Pembroke, Brown, Hyannis	Ph.B., M.A., M.Ed.
Joan Michie	Mathematics	Sept., 1958	Keene Teachers	B.Ed.
Dorothy N. Moore	Dir. Girls' Phys. Edn. & Ath.	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Katherine O'Donnell	Arithmetic	Jan., 1913	Bridgewater	
Marjorie Perry	Science	Sept., 1960	Emmanuel	A.B.
Cora-Lou Root	Home Economics	Sept., 1956	Russell Sage College	B.S.
Margaret Sears	Commercial	Sept., 1950	Salem	B.S.
Marjorie S. Stein	English	Sept., 1960	Boston Univ.	B.A.
Mary Toomey	English	Sept., 1928	Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Alice Wood	Social Studies	Sept., 1924	Bridgewater	

SCHOOL STREET SCHOOL

William Tedeschi	Principal	Sept., 1957	Boston University	B.S., Ed.M., C.A.G.S.
M. Regina McDonough	Grade 1	Sept., 1952	Lesley	
Gertrude Scheffler	Grade 1	Oct. 18 '54	Bridgewater	
Alice M. Hurley	Grade 2	Sept., 1954	Bridgewater	
Anne Linde	Grade 2	Mar. 24, '58	Tchrs. Col.-City of Boston	B.S.Ed.
Meredith Martin	Grade 3	Feb. 4, '57	Bridgewater	B.S.
Dorothy A. Dunn	Grade 3	Sept., 1957	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Anna W. Panza	Grade 4	Sept., 1954	Salem	
Doris Nourse	Grade 5	Sept., 1958	Bridgewater	B.S.E.
Mary L. Buckley	Grade 6	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	
D. Harriette Sarkisian	Grade 6	Sept., 1956	Bridgewater	

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
Margaret Keith	Music	Sept., 1932	Y.W.C.A.	
Bernard Chestna	Physical Edn.	Sept., 1954	Boston Univ.	B.S., Ed.M.
McELWAIN SCHOOL				
Merrill W. Butler	Principal	Sept., 1950	Hyannis, Boston Univ.	B.S., Ed.M.
Marie Orcutt	Grade 1	Nov., 1944	Bridgewater	B.S.E.
Cecilia G. Gabrey	Grade 1	Sept., 1952	Hyannis	
Elizabeth McHale	Grade 2	Jan., 1929	Bridgewater	B.S.
Phyllis Hennessey	Grade 2	Sept., 1922	Bridgewater	B.S.E., M.Ed.
Helen R. O'Donnell	Grade 3	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	
Elsie M. Jones	Grade 3	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	
Helen Powers	Grade 4	Sept., 1929	Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
Lillian R. Rudolph	Grade 4	Sept., 1957	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Katherine P. Jordan	Grade 5	Dec. 1, '55	Bridgewater	
Grace McElroy	Grade 5	Mar., 1929	Bridgewater	B.S.E.
Catherine Hart	Grade 6	Sept., 1920	Bridgewater	
Margaret Keith	Music	Sept., 1932	Y.W.C.A.	
Bernard Chestna	Physical Edn.	Sept., 1954	Boston Univ.	B.S., Ed.M.
MARTHA M. BURNELL SCHOOL				
Doris M. Sprague	Principal	Sept., 1946	Bridgewater	B.S., M.E.
Mary L. Marks	Kindergarten	Sept., 1930	Wheelock	
Ruth T. Tilton	Grade 1	Sept., 1955	Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Ruth M. Gamson	Grade 1	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
Dorothy E. Wood	Grade 2	Sept., 1949	Bridgewater, B.U.	B.S., Ed.M.
Gladys L. Allen	Grade 2	Sept., 1925	Machias	
Barbara Poe'Sepp	Grade 3	Sept., 1947	Bridgewater	B.S., M.E.

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
Elois Godfrey	Grade 3	Sept., 1959	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Elizabeth M. Higgins	Grade 4	Sept., 1948	Bridgewater, B.U.	B.S., Ed.M.
Ellen Rucker	Grade 4	Sept., 1958	Hyannis, Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Richard M. Menice	Grade 5	Mar. 21, '60	B'water, Northeastern U.	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Louise H. Borchers	Grade 5	Dec., 1919	Fitchburg, B.U.	B.S., M.A.
Helen L. Hulsman	Grade 6	Nov., 1948	Bridgewater, B.U.	B.S., Ed.M.
Rita K. Nadal	Grade 6	Dec., 1951	Framingham, B.U.	B.S., Ed.M.

KINDERGARTEN—CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH VESTRY

Sonia Marcus	Sept., 1960	Perry-Kndg. Normal
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SPECIAL EDUCATION

Elizabeth W. Nelson	Sept., 1955	Bridgewater
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SUPERVISOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Lawrence F. Folloni	Coach, Athletic Dir.	Sept., 1951	B.U., Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
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SUPERVISOR OF ART

Robert S. Danstedt	Sept., 1948	Boston Museum of Fine Arts, Clark Univ., B'water	B.Ed., M.E.
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SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

Josef N. Cobert	Sept., 1958	Boston Univ.	B.M., M.M.
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GUIDANCE DIRECTOR

James A. Cooke	Sept., 1959	Maryknoll Seminary, Boston State Tchrs., Boston College	A.B., M.Ed., C.A.E.S.
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Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
SPEECH THERAPIST Morton W. Altshuler		Sept., 1959	Penna. State Univ.	B.S., M.S.
SCHOOL ADJUSTMENT COUNSELOR David W. Campbell		Sept., 1959	Middlebury, Boston Univ.	B.A., M.S. in S.S.
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS Albert F. Hunt, Jr.		Sept., 1927	Brown Univ., N.Y.U.	Ph.B., Ed.M.

GRADUATION PROGRAM

Class of 1960

PROCESSIONAL MARCH Elgar-Akers
 High School Band

INVOCATION Reverend William J. Currier

MUSIC:
 "Climb Ev'ry Mountain" Rogers
 The Graduating Class

THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF A MODERN AMERICAN

ESSAYS:
 "To One's Country" Victoria Janice Walmsley
 "To Oneself" Janice Hopwood

MUSIC:
 "America Our Heritage" Steele-Ades
 The Graduating Class and Senior Band

ESSAYS:
 "To Others" James J. McGovern
 "To the Future" Linda Grace Harlow

AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES
Principal Herbert W. DeVeber

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS Mr. Richard J. Bradley
 Chairman, Bridgewater School Committee

"NATIONAL ANTHEM"
Graduates and Audience

BENEDICTION Reverend Vernal C. Phillips

RECESSIONAL MARCH Stein
 High School Band
 Director Josef N. Cobert
 Organist Robert Phillips

CLASS OF 1960

- Marie Elena Amaral
 *Teresa A. Amaral
 *Annette Alice Amber
 Paul P. Anacki
 Arnold F. Andre
 Manuel J. Andre
 Maria J. Andre
 Charles W. Arrighi
 Catherine Stuart Baker
 Earl H. Beal
 Richard John Bena
 Stephen Henry Bonfiglioli
 David Harmon Bowker
 Margaret Vale Bozzelli
 John A. Burkett, Jr.
 *Raymond L. Calabrese
 Lee H. Chickering
 Carol Ann Cirelli
 *Christine F. Considine
 *James Dakin Cossaboom
 *Mary Lou Covington
 James R. Cowgill
 Michael G. Crowley
 Dennis J. Cruz
 Donna Mae Denton
 *Charles Francis Devine, Jr.
 Marie Emily DiVito
 *Carol Ann Donati
 Elizabeth A. Dubee
 Robert C. Farrell
 William P. Ferioli
 *Alfred Anthony Filippini
 Robert Francis Filippini
 William J. Gedraitis
 Albert L. Ghelfi
 Robert Arnold Giamperoli
 Robert James Giovanoni
 Frances Rosalie Gliniewicz
 Dorothy Marie Hanlon
 Jacqueline May Harlow
 *Judith Ann Harlow
 *Linda Grace Harlow
 Karen Ann Hazard
 Jane F. Healy
 Harold W. Holmes, Jr.
 *Janice Hopwood
 Jeanette M. Howard
 Richard H. Jackson
 Jacqueline Ann Joncas
 *Janice M. Jones
 Carolyn Ann Joyce
 John C. Keith
 Kathleen I. Krukonis
 *Robert T. LaCrossse
 David J. Larkins
 *Roy M. Litzen
 Rosemarie Elena Lucibella
 Lois M. Lyford
 Louise Ann Lyford
 Ann M. Mahoney
 *Geraldine I. Maloney
 Robert L. Marzelli
 *James J. McGovern
 Linda C. McGuire
 Robert J. McGuire
 Emily M. McIntire
 Larry McKinley
 *Joan Vera Moruzzi
 Thomas Edward Neville
 Rae Marie Nourse
 Grace Alice O'Brien
 David Edward Paiva
 William Francis Panza
 Donna Louise Randall
 Sandra Anne Rea
 David Leroy Reed
 Henry A. Root
 Gordon T. Ross
 Kathleen Rose Rubelli
 Barbara Louise Somaruga
 Mary Joan Strollo
 *Marilyn Jeanne Ticchi
 Helen Antoinette Tokarsky
 *Marie Ann Tuholski
 Ronald Lewis Wagman
 *Victoria Janice Walmsley
 Karl Wortwick
 Sylvia Lee Young

*Member of the Bridgewater Chapter of the National Honor Society

REPORT OF THE BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Bridgewater-Raynham:

The Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School Committee, first of all, expresses its gratitude to the citizens and administrators of the towns of Bridgewater and Raynham for their cooperation in supporting the Regional Committee in their effort to meet the desperate educational needs of our children.

The Regional Committee has met 102 times during the past year. Approximately 20 additional meetings were held to expedite the program.

This year has been an active one . . .

Negotiations between the State of Massachusetts and the Regional District were completed to obtain 65% construction costs, and in May 1960 bids for construction were opened. The construction Contract was awarded and ground was broken in June, 1960. This presented a tremendous challenge to both the Committee and the Contractor to open the school in September, 1961, 15 months after the contract was awarded.

We are determined to provide the best possible educational program for our children.

The Era of the Regional School system has become a reality in our community. It is new, it is different, but we firmly believe the people of both Bridgewater and Raynham have merged in a mutual effort that will provide for the ultimate in preparing our young people for much higher stations in life. We have gone far in very little time, but there is still much to be done.

We thank you again for your loyal support and sincerely ask for your continual cooperation as we prepare the facilities for our

young people who in strength, and above all, knowledge, will have to take the world and our community as we leave it to them.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER P. MURRAY, Chairman
 JOHN E. FLYNN
 JAMES W. BUCKLEY
 RAYMOND L. MASON
 DR. RICHARD E. HEYWOOD
 ROLFE W. BURNS

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT-PRINCIPAL

To the School Committee and the Citizens of Bridgewater and Raynham:

It is a pleasure to submit my first report as Superintendent-Principal of the Bridgewater-Raynham School District. My duties began on September 19, 1960, approximately four months ago. On every hand, the fine friendliness and cooperation of the townspeople and their deep concern for the best interests of our boys and girls have made my task pleasant and interesting.

THE ORGANIZATION OF THE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

The Regional School Committee and the superintendent of schools are currently concerned with the following considerations which will insure the efficient functioning of the Regional High School:

1. The preparation of the annual budget.
2. The recruitment of the faculty.
3. The program of studies.
4. The purchase of moveable equipment.

5. The recruitment of non-teaching personnel—office, custodial and noon-lunch.
6. Purchase of textbooks.
7. Purchase of supplies of instruction.
8. Purchase of supplies for building maintenance.
9. Adequate insurance provisions.
10. Bus transportation.
11. Pupil registration and class scheduling.

COOPERATION

In the last analysis, the success of the Regional High School will depend upon the interest and support of the citizens of the two communities. In this spirit, I earnestly solicit your support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

SERGE BERNARD,
Superintendent-Principal

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Bridgewater,
Bridgewater, Mass.

Gentlemen,

I submit herewith Financial Statements of the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District for the Year Ended December 31, 1960, for publication in the Town Report.

Respectfully yours,

ARNOLD U. ZIEGLER,
Treasurer

Statement of Expenditures for Year Ended December 31, 1960

DISBURSEMENT OF 1960 BUDGET

	Initial Budget	Transfers	Adjusted Budget	Expenses	Balance to Revenue
I. General Control					
A. Expense of School Committee					
1. Dues, Meetings and Trips	500.00	242.54	742.54	742.54	
2. District Committee Clerk	1,000.00	107.45	1,107.45	999.96	107.49
3. Postage and Supplies	120.00		120.00	105.93	14.07
4. Administrative Recruiting	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00
	2,620.00		2,969.99	1,848.43	1,121.56
B. Administrator, Salary	2,000.00		2,000.00	1,038.45	961.55
C. Administrator, Expense	3,426.00	(500.00)	2,926.00	2,106.05	819.95
D. Treasurer					
1. Salary	1,000.00	249.96	1,249.96	999.96	250.00
2. Travel	100.00	(67.43)	32.57		32.57
3. Bond	250.00		250.00	231.48	18.52
4. Supplies and Postage	50.00	67.43	117.43	117.43	
5. State Audit Expense	None		None		None
	1,400.00		1,649.96	1,348.87	301.09
II. Expense of Instruction					
A. Principal, Salary	3,800.00		3,800.00	2,423.10	1,376.90
B. Principal, Expense	1,950.00		1,950.00	8.76	1,941.24
C. Guidance Director, Salary	2,500.00	(2,023.71)	476.29		476.29

	Initial Budget	Transfers	Adjusted Budget	Expenses	Balance to Revenue
D. Guidance Director, Expense	1,050.00		1,050.00		1,050.00
	<u>9,300.00</u>		<u>7,276.29</u>	<u>2,431.86</u>	<u>4,844.43</u>
III. Operation of Plant	None		None		None
IV. Maintenance of Plant	None		None		None
V. Auxiliary Agencies					
A. Health	None		None		None
B. Miscellaneous Auxiliary					
1. Public Liability	427.00		427.00		427.00
2. Workmen's Compensation	44.00		44.00		44.00
3. Blue Cross-Blue Shield	120.00		120.00		120.00
4. County Retirement	None		None		None
	<u>591.00</u>		<u>591.00</u>		<u>591.00</u>
VI. Outlay					
A. New Equipment	None		None		None
VII. Debt Service (Interest)	50,000.00		50,000.00		*50,000.00
VIII. Cost of Transportation	None		None		None
IX. Special Charges					
A. Contingency	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00
Total	<u>70,337.00</u>	<u>(1923.76)</u>	<u>68,413.24</u>	<u>8,773.66</u>	<u>59,639.58</u>

* To be reserved for interest payment due October 15, 1961

MISCELLANEOUS DISBURSEMENTS

	Balance Jan. 1, 1960	Transfers	Available Funds	Expenses	Balance to Revenue
Surplus Revenue	1,855.11	(1,858.88)	(3.77)	(80.00)	76.23
Capital Account—Planning Expense					
Educational Consultant	1,930.00	70.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Architects Fees	45,000.00	1,350.00	46,350.00	46,350.00	
Borings	338.15	749.33	1,087.48	1,087.48	
Topo Survey	1,200.00	224.38	1,424.38	1,424.38	
	48,468.15	2,393.71	50,861.86	50,861.86	
Miscellaneous Expense					
Publicity		1,285.61	1,285.61	1,285.61	
Partition and Shades		103.32	103.32	103.32	
		1,388.93	1,388.93	1,388.93	
Total	50,323.26	1,923.76	52,247.02	52,170.79	76.23
Total from Budget Report	70,337.00	(1,923.76)	68,413.24	8,773.66	59,639.58
Grand Total	120,660.26		120,660.26	60,944.45	59,715.81
Miscellaneous Revenue					
Interest on U. S. Treasury Bills Matured					535.00
Employer Compensation for State Tax Withheld					.12
					535.12
Surplus Revenue					60,250.93
Less Reserve for Interest Payment October 15, 1961					50,000.00
Net Free Cash as per Balance Sheet					10,250.93

School Building Construction Expenditures

Serial Bond Issue		2,398,000.00
Land	39,885.89	
Contractor	570,534.30	
Architect—Supervision	8,362.62	
Clerk of the Works	3,669.04	
Insurance	2,322.06	
Testing	67.90	
Legal Expense	1,087.89	
Equipment	3,635.52	629,565.22
Construction Account Balance as per Balance Sheet		1,768,434.78

Balance Sheet — December 31, 1960

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Cash		
Bristol County Trust Company	21,146.98	
State Street Bank and Trust Company	176,510.30	
Home National Bank	17,584.26	
Invested in U. S. Treasury Bills	1,725,515.13	
Payroll Deductions		
Federal Taxes		593.32
State Taxes		70.88
Premium on Loan		9,228.58
Accrued Interest on Loans		84.92
Surplus Revenue		
Reserve for Interest on Serial Bond Issue		50,000.00
Free Cash		10,250.93
State Reimbursement for Planning Costs		102,093.26
School Construction		1,768,434.78
	1,940,756.67	1,940,756.67

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	2,398,000.00	
School Construction Loan		2,398,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

ARNOLD U. ZIEGLER,
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

In accordance with the Town By-Laws, the Advisory Committee herewith submits its report and recommendations for the 1961 budget.

The budget, as originally submitted by the town departments, meant a tax rate of \$106.00 per thousand, based on the 1960 valuations. The Committee has very carefully studied each and every budget request, after consultation with the various department heads, and feel that every reduction that can be made without impairing service, has been recommended. Applying those old maxims "Make it do" and "Wear it out," the Committee has recommended in several instances that existing equipment be repaired and used another year and made appropriate recommendations to the departments involved.

The Committee recommends the adoption of a 4% Cost of Living increase for all employees under the jurisdiction of the Wage & Personnel Board and also the change of grades as recommended by the Wage & Personnel Board.

The Committee fully appreciates the cooperation received from the School Committee this year. The original budget was reduced by the School Committee by \$39,245.81 by using some of the Federal Funds instead of local funds, not granting the full amount of salary increases requested by the personnel and by transferring the kindergarten classes from the Church, where the town has been paying \$250.00 per month, to the school buildings.

If the Town votes the appropriations as recommended by the Advisory Committee, the tax rate, based on the 1960 Valuation, will be \$93.00 per thousand, or an increase of \$11.80 over the 1960 tax rate which was \$81.20.

For the assistance given our Committee by the various com-

mittees, boards, employees and citizens of the town, we express our thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. RICHMOND, Chairman

JOHN P. CARLTON, JR., Secretary

STEWART C. BROWN

JOHN CHUCKRAN

UGO FRUZZETTI

ROBERT F. KING

RALPH LEHTOLA

PRIMO RESMINI

FREDERICK E. YEATON

Advisory Committee

ANNUAL BUDGET, 1961

SALARIES

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Board of Selectmen	\$2,450.00	\$2,470.02	\$2,450.00
Selectmen's Clerical	300.00	302.45	300.00
Accounting Department	8,950.00	9,023.12	10,250.00
Treasurer	1,250.00	1,260.21	1,250.00
Treasurer's Clerical	2,475.22	2,495.44	1,500.00
Collector	3,550.00	3,578.99	3,550.00
Collector—Clerical	2,700.00	2,722.06	2,700.00
Assessors	2,550.00	2,570.83	2,550.00
Assessors—Clerical	4,771.66	4,641.93	4,408.66
Town Clerk	3,450.00	3,478.18	3,450.00
Election & Registration	1,420.00	1,374.59	570.00
Town Hall	2,025.00	1,914.24	2,025.00
Academy	2,025.00	2,028.39	2,025.00
Total General Government Salaries	37,916.88	37,860.45	37,028.66
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY			
Police Department	50,098.16	49,120.13	50,972.41
Police—Women Traffic Supervisors	2,200.00	2,237.40	2,200.00
Fire Department	35,497.62	36,144.43	36,735.34
Scaler of Weights and Measures	600.00	604.90	600.00
Building Inspector	600.00	604.90	600.00
Wire Inspector	600.00	604.90	600.00
Moth Extermination	2,750.00	2,709.48	2,750.00
Dutch Elm Disease	945.00	909.48	945.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	4,120.00	4,153.66	4,120.00
Forest Fires	1,000.00	1,500.92	1,000.00
Dog Officer	110.00	110.90	110.00
Total Protection of Persons & Property	98,520.78	98,701.10	100,632.75
HEALTH & SANITATION			
Salaries of Board of Health	1,000.00	1,008.17	1,000.00
Salaries of Inspectors	1,950.00	1,722.66	1,950.00
Public Health Nurse	2,200.00	2,032.38	2,200.00
Maintenance of Sewers	4,850.00	4,663.06	4,850.00
Total Health & Sanitation	10,000.00	9,426.27	10,000.00

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
HIGHWAYS			
Administrative Salaries	3,411.30	3,439.17	3,411.30
Highway Department	31,150.00	32,004.48	31,675.00
Road Machinery	1,200.00	1,209.80	1,200.00
Total Highway Salaries	35,761.30	36,653.45	36,286.30

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT			
Salaries of Overseers	600.00	604.89	600.00
Agent or Director	4,975.00	5,000.00	5,300.00
Social Worker	3,300.00	1,204.74	3,450.00
Clerk	2,045.52	2,105.52	2,225.48
Total Salaries	10,920.52	8,915.15	11,575.48
Less Federal Grants	4,711.11	4,251.75	5,297.48
Total Welfare Salaries Appropriation ..	6,209.41	4,663.40	6,278.00

VETERANS SERVICES			
Agent	1,500.00	1,512.26	1,500.00
Clerk	500.00	486.63	500.00
Total Veterans Services Salaries	2,000.00	1,998.89	2,000.00

PUBLIC LIBRARY			
Salaries and Wages	12,987.53	13,088.60	13,098.33

RECREATION			
Care of Common	250.00	252.04	250.00
Athletic Field & Playground	4,750.00	3,694.65	4,655.90
Supervised Play	755.00	506.25	506.25
Swimming Pool	3,670.56	3,670.56	4,348.80
Total Recreation Salaries	9,425.56	8,123.50	9,760.95
Total Salaries from Revenue Excluding Schools	212,821.46	210,515.66	215,084.99

WATER DEPARTMENT—APPROPRIATED FROM WATER REVENUE			
Salaries of Water Commissioners ..	700.00	705.72	700.00
Salaries of Employees	21,039.55	21,744.56	21,464.55
Total Water Department	21,739.55	22,450.28	22,164.55

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
EXPENSES			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Selectmen	691.00	524.59	682.00
Accounting Department	720.20	668.85	758.20
New Machine—Treasurer & Acct. Treasurer	835.28	775.00	6,500.00 935.93
Collector	1,629.15	1,526.96	1,721.35
Assessors	712.00	702.27	707.00
Preparation of Assessors' Maps	7,500.00	5,894.65	5,000.00
Law Department	250.00	639.30	700.00
Town Clerk	340.50	313.67	325.10
Election & Registration	1,280.00	1,237.32	892.50
Electric Bookkeeping Mach. Acct. Town Hall	350.00 2,700.00	333.00 2,345.96	350.00 3,196.00
Academy	4,700.00	4,022.33	5,000.00
Academy Repairs	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Certification of Town Notes	50.00	54.00	50.00
Planning Board	188.00	19.90	175.00
Appeal Board	80.00	29.62	40.00
Advisory Committee	100.00	81.00	100.00
Development & Industrial Com.	300.00	.25	1,142.50
Wage & Personnel Board	100.00	98.54	100.00
Total General Government	23,526.13	20,378.21	28,375.58
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY			
Police Department—Expenses	5,717.00	5,683.47	5,570.50
Police—Crystals & Resuscitator			475.00
Police—Purchase of 2 Cruisers	3,200.00	3,200.00	3,000.00
Police—Traffic Supervisors Ex.	18.00	17.43	30.00
Fire Department—Expenses	12,712.11	12,709.17	12,811.05
Fire—Out of State Travel	85.00	52.50	85.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures	100.00	93.19	200.00
Building Inspector	50.00	12.58	50.00
Wire Inspector	75.00	53.83	75.00
Moth Extermination	925.00	683.36	925.00
Dutch Elm Disease	3,055.00	1,200.59	3,055.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	780.00	1,675.57	780.00
Improvement of Shade Trees— Truck Repairs	500.00	151.59	500.00
Forest Fires	305.00	189.21	515.00
Dog Officer	450.00	450.00	450.00
Total Protection	27,972.11	26,172.49	28,521.55

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
HEALTH AND SANITATION			
Health Department	7,323.00	6,228.76	8,010.60
Public Health Nurse	375.00	140.88	375.00
Sewer Maintenance	1,798.00	1,802.27	2,361.00
Sewer Construction	30,927.81	8,405.18	
Total Health & Sanitation	40,423.81	16,577.09	10,746.60
HIGHWAYS			
Expenses	15,625.00	15,625.00	16,200.00
New Equipment			6,000.00
Emergency Storm		5,108.01	
Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
Chapter 90 Construction	24,000.00	27,338.35	36,000.00
Vernon St. Bridge		1,515.69	
Road Machinery	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,500.00
Municipal Garage	1,600.00	1,636.51	850.00
Land Damages		1,368.00	
Street Lighting	12,000.00	11,042.32	12,000.00
Total Highways	65,725.00	76,133.88	83,550.00
PUBLIC WELFARE			
Administration			
Travel	800.00	655.29	800.00
Stationery, Printing & Postage	585.00	571.43	600.00
Telephone	275.00	305.40	275.00
Equipment	55.50	57.10	57.10
Other Expenses	30.00	32.50	30.00
Total Administration	1,745.50	1,621.72	1,762.10
Less Federal Grant	765.58	765.58	840.10
Total Appropriation for Admin.	979.92	856.14	922.00
Administration—1959 Unpaid Bills	11.92		
General Relief	16,000.00	17,638.09	11,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	18,200.00	17,718.89	22,000.00
Disability Assistance	9,000.00	9,084.94	10,000.00
Old Age Assistance	98,000.00	93,339.17	45,000.00
Medical Aid to the Aged			40,000.00
Total Welfare Expenses	142,191.84	138,637.23	128,922.00
VETERANS SERVICES			
Expenses	23,125.00	23,509.15	23,000.00

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
PUBLIC LIBRARY			
Expenses	6,563.00	6,530.63	5,381.00
RECREATION			
Athletic Field & Playground	3,705.00	2,200.90	2,375.00
Supervised Play	200.00	125.01	150.00
Swimming Pool	1,829.44	1,400.04	1,645.00
Total Recreation	5,734.44	3,725.95	4,170.00
MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS			
Miscellaneous Printing	1,800.00	1,631.85	1,800.00
Memorial Day	300.00	253.60	500.00
Veterans Day	200.00	50.35	200.00
Plymouth C'ty Aid to Agriculture	100.00	100.00	100.00
Veterans of Foreign Wars	180.00	180.00	180.00
Buildings Insurance	4,255.45	4,183.73	3,867.82
Liability Insurance	291.08	298.41	291.08
Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	100.00	50.00	100.00
Non-Contributory Retirement	1,484.00	1,456.00	1,484.00
Contributory Retirement	19,667.80	19,613.43	17,386.60
Civilian Defense		24.40	1,200.00
Christmas Lighting	300.00	299.28	300.00
Reserve Fund	9,000.00		9,000.00
Repairs to Fence Around Common	300.00	299.29	
Group Life & Medical Insurance	11,000.00	10,459.96	11,000.00
Marking & Restoring			
Veterans Graves	500.00	268.69	500.00
Dedication of			
National Guard Armory	1,500.00	1,355.55	
Abandoned Cemeteries	400.00	319.52	400.00
Total Miscellaneous Appropriations	51,378.33	40,844.06	48,309.50
INTEREST AND DEBT			
Interest—Temporary Loans	2,000.00	1,305.91	2,000.00
Interest—Fire Apparatus Loan	150.00	150.00	50.00
Maturing Debt—Fire Apparatus	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
Total Interest and Debt	7,150.00	6,455.91	7,050.00
Total Expenses from Revenue			
Excluding Schools	393,789.66	358,964.60	368,026.23

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
WATER DEPARTMENT—APPROPRIATED FROM WATER REVENUE			
Water Expenses	18,731.60	18,678.79	22,484.00
Out of State Travel	150.00	150.00	150.00
Painting Standpipe	12,000.00	8,131.98	
Purchase of Land	1,500.00	4,000.00	
Gravel Pack Well & Construction	46,000.00	44,225.75	
Plain St. Water Extension	5,400.00	4,811.03	
Bolton Place & Wall St. Construct.	3,750.00	3,749.81	
Total Water Expenses from Water Revenue	87,531.60	83,747.36	22,634.00

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

PERSONAL SERVICES

Salary of Superintendent	\$9,580.00	\$9,580.00	\$10,166.66
Clerical, Supt.'s office	8,400.00	8,400.00	8,822.30
High School	6,692.39	6,690.39	7,089.97
Elementary	3,350.00	2,819.06	3,316.00
Attendance Officer	150.00	150.00	170.00
Salaries of Teachers	368,279.87	363,447.93	367,720.55
Home Instruction and Substitutes..	5,850.00	7,425.00	6,200.00
Janitors' Services	21,250.00	20,723.69	20,980.46
Janitors' Services, P.T.A. Meetings..	125.00	58.51	125.00
Repairman	5,150.00	5,150.00	5,350.00
Repairman, Assistants	2,800.00	2,676.25	2,800.00
Dental Hygienist	4,866.66	4,866.66	5,066.66
Health Helpers	500.00	380.63	500.00
School Physicians	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Cafeteria Manager	2,900.00	2,900.00	2,900.00
School Nurse	4,266.66	4,266.66	4,466.66
Substs., Non-Teaching Personnel....	500.00	478.25	500.00
Total Personal Services	446,460.58	441,813.03	447,974.26

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT EXPENSES

Administration	3,200.00	3,175.51	3,469.37
Supervisors' Expenses	798.94	497.98	571.80
Books (Including Libraries)	5,457.27	5,054.45	5,588.52
Supplies	11,334.34	13,053.16	11,275.48
Tuition	1,000.00	1,025.50	1,050.00
Transportation	32,994.57	33,304.69	37,905.72
Fuel	10,000.00	7,400.06	8,500.00
Lights	7,126.64	7,354.73	7,900.00

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
Maintenance of Bldgs. & Grounds:			
Repairs	6,099.92	4,998.06	6,786.55
Janitors' Supplies	1,296.15	2,264.39	2,049.90
Sewer and Water	1,200.00	1,232.80	1,240.00
Other Maintenance	1,002.00	409.71	619.00
Truck	225.00	318.22	225.00
New Equipment	6,306.10	2,355.22	1,805.85
Physical Education	1,210.50	928.73	607.85
Other Expenses	5,156.09	4,279.43	4,110.89
Total School Expenses	94,407.52	87,652.64	93,705.93
Less Federal Grant—Public Law 874			5,000.00
Total to be Raised by Taxation	94,407.52	87,652.64	88,705.93

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

Janitors, Matrons—			
Outside Organizations	1,300.00	945.98	1,300.00
Training School Tuition	50,000.00	137,500.00	50,000.00
High School Athletics	4,000.00	4,000.00	1,500.00
Vocational Tuition	3,500.00	3,453.39	4,000.00
Transp. to Vocational Schools	600.00	589.70	800.00
Adult Evening Practical Arts	1,200.00	1,080.45	1,650.00
Out of State Travel	250.00	132.43	500.00
Adult Civic Education	125.00	63.00	150.00
Insurance Football Squad	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Summer Recreational Program			900.00
Total Specials	61,975.00	148,764.95	60,800.00

SCHOOL LOAN

Interest on School Loan	8,481.25	8,481.25	7,608.75
Maturing Debt, School Loan	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
Total Interest and Debt, School Loan	58,481.25	58,481.25	57,608.75

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

Annual Maintenance and Operating Budget	51,030.90	51,030.90	183,369.12
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SUMMARY OF SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS

Personal Services	446,460.58	441,813.03	447,974.26
School Dept. Expenses	94,407.52	87,652.64	88,705.93
Schools, Specials	61,975.00	148,764.95	60,800.00
Total Requested by School Committee	602,843.10	678,230.62	597,480.19

	Appropriation 1960	Expenses 1960	Recommended 1961
Interest and Debt on School Loan	58,481.25	58,481.25	57,608.75
Bridgewater-Raynham School District	51,030.90	51,030.90	183,369.12
Total Cost of Schools	712,355.25	787,742.77	838,458.06
Total Appropriations—From Revenue			
Salaries, Excluding Schools	212,821.46	210,515.66	215,084.99
Expenses, Excluding Schools	393,789.66	358,964.60	368,026.23
Total, Excluding Schools	606,611.12	569,480.26	583,111.22
Total Schools	712,355.25	787,742.77	838,458.06
Total Articles in Warrant approved by Advisory Committee:			
Art. 5 (Minus Water Revenue)			7,431.83
Art. 6 (Minus Water Revenue)			683.84
Art. 16			1,800.00
Total Appropriations from Revenue.....	1,318,966.37	1,357,223.03	1,431,484.95
Water Revenue Deficit	9,456.84		10,485.51
State Assessments	6,711.91		6,711.91
County Assessments	58,142.12		58,142.12
Overlay of Current Year	39,444.49		40,117.59
Land Damages	5,110.00		
Gross Amount to be Raised	1,437,831.73		1,546,942.08
Less:			
Estimated Receipts	420,419.96		447,523.71
Transfers from Excess & Deficiency	88,147.74		35,800.00
Poll Taxes	4,724.00		4,724.00
Amount to be Raised on Property.....	924,540.03		1,058,894.37
1960 Valuation (\$11,385,961.)			
× \$81.20 (Rate)	924,540.03		
1960 Valuation			
× \$93.00 (Estimated Rate)			1,058,894.37
Estimated Tax Rate Increase — \$11.80.			

REPORT OF ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ARTICLES IN TOWN WARRANT

Article 1. To choose one Moderator for one year, one Selectman for three years, one Assessor for three years, one Overseer of Public Welfare for three years, one Town Clerk for one year, one Town Treasurer for three years, one Town Collector for three years, two members of the School Committee for three years, three Trustees of the Public Library for three years, one Trustee of the Public Library for one year, one member of the Board of Health for three years, one Sewer and Water Commissioner for three years, one Sewer and Water Commissioner for two years, one member of the Planning Board for five years, one Playground Commissioner for three years, one Tree Warden for one year and all minor Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Article 2. To hear and act upon the report of the Town Accountant, School Committee, Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Trustees of the Public Library and Board of Health.

Article 3. To hear and act on any reports of Committees appointed by the Town.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate and vote into a tax to be assessed upon the polls and estates according to law, such sums of money as may be thought necessary for the Department of Public Welfare, Support of Schools, Town Library, repairs to roads and bridges, lighting the streets, Police Department, Fire Department, Tree Warden, Pension, Town Officers and for incidental expenses of the Town for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for a Cost of Living increase for all employees under jurisdiction of the Wage & Personnel Board.

Article 5. Recommend an appropriation of \$8,200.00.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Wage & Personnel Board By-Law as follows:

Increase the number of "Salary Steps" from 18 to 20.

Change all employees now classified under SC 18 to SC 19.

Change under Group E — Water & Sewer Dept., from SC 16 to SC 19.

Under Group J. — Increase Veterans Clerk from \$500.00 to \$700.00.

Addition to Group J. — Fire Alarm Supt. \$500.00.

Article 6. Recommend the adoption of proposed amendments.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the payment of increases voted under Article 6.

Article 7. Recommend an appropriation of \$1,068.49.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1961, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 9. To see what action the Town will take in relation to instructing the Collector of Taxes.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the use of Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture and choose a Town Director as provided in Section 41 and 45 of Chapter 128 of the General Laws.

Article 10. Recomen an appropriation of \$100.00 and to elect Arthur C. Chaffee as Town Director.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from unappropriated available funds in the

treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Construction or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 11. Recommend an appropriation of \$36,000.00, \$9,000.00 to be raised in the tax levy and \$27,000.00 (State & County share) transferred from the Excess & Deficiency Account.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Maintenance or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 12. Recommend an appropriation of \$6,000.00, \$2,000.00 to be raised in the tax levy and \$4,000.00 (State & County share) transferred from the Excess & Deficiency Account.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept "Sylvan Terrace" as a public street. By petition.

Article 13. Recommend that this be referred to the Planning Board for action.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 for the purchase of a piece of fire apparatus.

Article 14. Recommend that a committee of 5 members, including the Fire Chief and one member of the Board of Selectmen, be appointed to investigate and report back to the Town at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$12,000.00 for the purchase of a Four Wheel Drive Loader for the Highway Department.

Article 15. Not recommended.

Article 16. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,800.00 for the extension of sewer mains on Union St.

from Mt. Prospect Street southerly, or take any other action relative thereto. By petition.

Article 16. Recommend an appropriation of \$1,800.00 and that the property owners be assessed one half of the cost.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the possibilities of installing sprinkler systems at the McElwain and School Street Schools for the purpose of affording safety for the children and ultimate lowering of insurance costs or take any other action relative thereto. By request of the School Committee.

Article 17. Recommend the appointment of a Committee.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the extension of the present water main approximately 1400 feet on West Pond Street or take any other action relative thereto. By petition.

Article 18. Recommend an appropriation of \$7,000.00.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of a water main on Keith Place, a distance of approximately 800 feet or take any other action relative thereto. By petition.

Article 19. Not recommended as the cost of the project would be \$4,000.00 for one service. Refer to Water Commissioners.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Building By-Law as follows:

ARTICLE IV, Section III.

2. AREAS. Not to exceed 5000 square feet unless equipped with an approved sprinkler system, in which case the area shall not exceed 8000 square feet. If the building is on a corner lot these areas may be increased to 8000 and 10000 square feet, respectively.

AMEND SO AS TO READ

2. AREAS. "Not to exceed 5000 square feet unless equipped with an approved sprinkler system."

ARTICLE IV, Section V.

5. FRAMING:

After the last sentence of the paragraph add the following new sentence:

"All rafters shall be spaced 16" on centers."

Article 20. Recommend the amendments to the Building By-Law, changing the last sentence to read "All rafters shall be spaced not more than 16" from centers."

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law so as to expand the area zoned for industrial use from 300 feet Easterly and 300 feet Westerly of the land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, from West Bridgewater town line to Raynham town line, which land contains non access Route 24, to a distance of three thousand feet Easterly and one thousand feet westerly of said land, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 21. Recommend the amendment to the Zoning By-Law.

Article 22. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Chapter 41, Section 108E of the General Laws of Massachusetts, or take any other action relative thereto. By petition.

Article 22. Not recommended.

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