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Three Hundred and Sixth
ANNUAL REPORT
of the
TOWN OFFICERS
of the
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR 1962

DORR'S PRINT SHOP
BRIDGEWATER, MASSACHUSETTS

TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

Incorporated — June 1656

Twelfth Congressional District

Second Councillor District

Plymouth Senatorial District

5th Plymouth Representative District

SENATORS IN CONGRESS

Leverett Saltonstall

Edward M. Kennedy

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Hastings Keith of West Bridgewater

COUNCILLOR

Margaret M. Heckler of Wellesley

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

Norman G. MacDonald

Elva M. Bent

George A. Ridder

COUNTY TREASURER
PLYMOUTH COUNTY

Charles W. Williams

SHERIFF
PLYMOUTH COUNTY

Adnah H. Harlow

DISTRICT ATTORNEY
PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

John R. Wheatley

REGISTER OF PROBATE & INSOLVENCY

Walter H. Gilday

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1962

MODERATOR

	Elected	Expires
Lester M. Lane	1962	1963

SELECTMEN

	Elected	Expires
John Chuckran, Chairman	1961	1964
Walter P. Murray, Sec.	1962	1965
Frederick E. Yeaton	1962	1963

ASSESSORS

	Elected	Expires
John Chuckran, Chairman	1961	1964
Walter P. Murray, Sec.	1962	1965
Frederick E. Yeaton	1962	1963

OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE

	Elected	Expires
John Chuckran, Chairman	1961	1964
Walter P. Murray, Sec.	1962	1965
Frederick E. Yeaton	1962	1963

TOWN CLERK

	Elected	Expires
Jennie W. Carroll	1962	1963

TOWN TREASURER

	Elected	Expires
Albert Lanzikos	1961	1964

TOWN COLLECTOR

	Elected	Expires
Albert Lanzikos	1961	1964

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Elected	Expires
Richard J. Bradley, Chairman	1960	1963
Richard J. Dowd	1960	1963
Arthur W. Blanchard	1961	1964
Helen C. Resevic, Sec.	1961	1964
John D. Dorr	1962	1965
John R. Hickey	1962	1965
Dorothy L. Mann	1962	1965
Superintendent Albert F. Hunt, Jr.		

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

	Elected	Expires
Herman G. Daiker	1960	1963
Marjorie D. Moore	1960	1963
Miriam R. Wheeler	1960	1963
Robert S. Danstedt	1961	1964
Ruth E. Davis	1961	1964
Albert F. Hunt, Jr.	1961	1964
Julia C. Carter	1962	1965
Christine A. Dowd	1962	1965
Franklin Mitchell	1962	1965

BOARD OF HEALTH

	Elected	Expires
Leo Zalon, M.D., Chairman	1961	1964
Cecil V. Hayes, Sec.	1960	1963
Lloyd F. Rand	1962	1965

SEWER AND WATER COMMISSIONERS

	Elected	Expires
Alvah Tolivaisa, Chairman	1961	1963
Arthur D. Joyce	1961	1964
James Bumpus	1962	1965

PLANNING BOARD

	Elected	Expires
Victor A. Auglis	1958	1963
Harry P. Dunn, Chairman	1959	1964
Herbert A. Sarkisian	1960	1965
Gerard L. Provost, Clerk	1961	1966
Charles W. Brooks	1962	1967

PLAYGROUND COMMISSION

	Elected	Expires
Edward A. Sherman	1960	1963
Cecil V. Hayes	1961	1964
Russell Cowgill	1962	1965

TREE WARDEN

	Elected	Expires
John H. Reilly	1962	1963

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Appointed by Moderator

	Elected	Expires
John J. Revil, Jr.	1961	1963
Stewart A. Brown	1960	1963
Ralph Lehtola	1960	1963
George Hogg	1962	1963
Saul Wyman	1962	1963
Ugo Fruzzetti	1961	1964
Primo Resmini	1962	1965
John F. Correia, Chairman	1962	1965
John Bates	1962	1965

PLUMBING INSPECTOR

INSPECTOR OF GAS PIPING AND GAS APPLIANCES

Eldon Thompson 940 Summer Street

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

	Appointed	Expires
A. Evelyn Nourse	1962	1965

SURVEYOR OF WOOD AND LUMBER

	Appointed	Expires
Howard L. Metcalf	1962	1963

FENCE VIEWERS

	Appointed	Expires
John Chuckran	1962	1963
Walter P. Murray	1962	1963

SWORN WEIGHERS

John Deming	Joseph Lankalis
Zephrien Dubee	Charles Moore
Arnold W. Jacobs	John Revil
Joseph Johnson	Ralph Robbins
Theodore Kehoe	Gerard Bergeron
Victor Messaline	James Burke
Roy Peterson	Dominic DelVecchio
Edward Rice	Lillian Dupre
Joseph Varao	Douglas P. Dana
John Jesulaitis	Luther L. Hayden
Harold Bevis	Joseph Andrade
James Bevis	John Carlton
Arnold Hoyt	William King

Alexander Karasiewicz

MEMORIAL DAY CHAIRMAN AND PARADE MARSHAL

Wendell H. Simpson 24 Cottage Street

VETERANS' DAY CHAIRMAN

Harold D. Lee 49 Dean Street

TOWN COUNSEL

Edmund W. Nutter 18 Central Square

INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS

Walter J. Zaverucha 1607 South Street

BURIAL AGENT AND VETERANS' AGENT

James A. Baker Conant Street

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Lawrence Folloni Barbara Leach, Chairman
Jennie W. Carroll, Town Clerk Victor Oliveira

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Elmer J. Desnoyer 109 Maple Avenue

FIRE CHIEF

George H. Sweeney 48 Church Street

FOREST WARDEN

George H. Sweeney Approved by the State Division of Forestry

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

William H. Chickering 211 Oak Street

CONSTABLE

Elmer F. Shaw 455 Laurel Street

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Francis R. Copeland Approved by the Division of Agriculture

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Albert W. Hamlen 425 Laurel Street

MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

John H. Reilly 30 Spring Hill Avenue

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS

Anthony Andre	Harry A. Horn
Alvin D. Brooks	Robert S. Jones, Jr.
James F. Buckley	William S. Jordan
William Chiocca	Joseph Lazaro
Francis R. Copeland	Francis Machado
Richard Dubee	Alexander Mellin
George Dutra	Joseph Moruzzi
Edward Hall	Louis Perry
Robert S. Hatch	Jacque Thornton
Elizabeth Holbrook	Admont Znotin

DOG OFFICER

Francis R. Copeland	655 South Street
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INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

Francis R. Copeland	655 South Street
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WIRE INSPECTOR

Carl Meserve	31 Worcester Street
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VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER

Russell L. Soule	85 Fremont Street
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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Frederick H. Balboni, 1960-63	James Ticchi, 1962-65
William K. Bicknell, 1961-64	
Associate Members	
George Hogg, 1962-63	Hugo Baroni, 1961-66

INDUSTRIAL AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Gordon A. Hall, 1962-67	John J. Daley, 1962-63
Ralph Parker, 1962-63	Vincent Foster, 1962-63
William J. Chestna, 1962-63	William O'Rourke, 1960-64
Rutledge Waker, 1959-63	John F. Sweeney, 1960-65

WAGE AND PERSONNEL BOARD

By Selectmen		
Lewis Corcoran	1961	1964
Anthony Anacki	1962	1965

By Advisory Committee

John J. Revil, Jr.	1961	1963
Mario Ferioli	1961	1964
By Moderator		
Basil Warren, Chairman	1961	1964

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE

Walter P. Murray	1960	1963
John E. Flynn	1962	1965
By School Committee		
John R. Hickey		

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	Clarence Levy, David Poland, Robert Bumpus

POLICE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL

Chief	Elmer F. Shaw
Sergeants	Eugene Nicholson, James Elliot
Patrolmen	James A. Bois, William K. Nicolas, Kenneth E. Gebo, Kenneth W. Hall, Francis R. Gamache
Clerk, Policewoman	Elizabeth Holbrook

TRAFFIC SUPERVISORS

Margaret Butler	Aileen Stone
Carol Bergstrom	June Liberman
Clifford Bernier	Alexander Santilli

CUSTODIAN, TOWN HALL & ACADEMY BUILDING

Charles E. Chassey to October, 1962	
Appointed, Alexander Santilli	24 Bolton Place

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

MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

(Formerly Bridgewater High School
South Street, Bridgewater, Massachusetts

SATURDAY, the 3rd day of MARCH, 1962

at 7 o'clock in the forenoon and at the

HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM

STATE COLLEGE

MONDAY, the 5th day of MARCH, 1962

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, three members of the School Committee for three years, three Trustees of the Public Library for three years, 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, one member of the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District Committee, for three years, 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 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 4. 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, 1962 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 5. To see what action the Town will take in relation to instructing the Collector of Taxes.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Amended Wage and Personnel Board By-Laws as printed.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the increased salaries voted under the preceding article.

Article 8. To hear and act on any reports of Committees appointed by the Town.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Sprinkler System Committee.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000.00 to install sprinkler systems in the

McElwain and School Street Schools in accordance with the requirements of the New England Fire Insurance Rating Association, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Special Committee to study the sewerage system or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$185,000.00 or any other sum, for the purpose of constructing additions to the sewage treatment plant, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the treasury, and by borrowing under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee to make a study of school building needs in the elementary area of the Bridgewater Public Schools and to make a full and complete report at a special town meeting to be called during the month of September, 1962, by request of the School Committee.

Article 14. 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 15. 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 16. 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 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the extension of the sewerage system from the corner of Sanger Street and Plymouth Street so that it will continue up Plymouth Street past the number 234 Plymouth

Street, and will also take in Association Avenue or take any other action relative thereto. By Petition.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the water extension on Bridge Street or take any other action relative thereto. By Petition.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 for the extension of water on Laurel Street and 540 feet on Water Street, or take any other action relative thereto. By Petition.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the extension of water from the junction of Whitman and Hayward Street, Southwesterly 500 feet, or take any other action relative thereto. By Petition.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following amendments to the Agreement between the Town of Bridgewater and Raynham, Mass., with respect to the formation of a Regional School District.

(1) To delete Section 1 (A) in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following: The powers and duties of the Regional school district shall be vested in and exercised by a regional district school committee, hereinafter sometimes referred to as the committee.

The Committee shall consist of 6 members, 3 from each member town. All members shall serve until their respective successors are elected at an annual town election in their respective towns as hereinafter provided.

(2) To delete Section 1 (B) in its entirety.

(3) To delete Section 1 (C) in its entirety.

(4) To delete Section 1 (D) in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following: Immediately upon acceptance of this amendment the vacant position created as the result hereof shall be filled in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 (E) as hereby

amended. At the Annual Town Election in 1963, each member town shall elect 2 members to serve on the Committee, together with the 2 members whose terms are unexpired, one for a term of one year and one for a term of 3 years. Thereafter, at the expiration of the term of office of each member, the member town concerned shall, at its annual election, elect one member to serve for a term of 3 years.

(5) To delete Section 1 (E) in its entirety and insert in place thereof the following; If a vacancy occurs among the members, the Selectmen and the remaining Committee members from the town involved acting jointly, shall appoint a member to serve until the next annual election, at which election a successor shall be elected to serve for the balance of the unexpired term, if any, by vote of the members of the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District Committee pursuant to the provisions of said Section VIII (B).

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 time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seal, this 14th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

LEO F. NOURSE
 BARTHOLOMEW F. CASEY
 JOHN CHUCKRAN
 Selectmen of Bridgewater
 ELMER F. SHAW
 Constable of Bridgewater

A true copy, Attest.

Received from Jennie W. Carroll, Town Clerk, a box containing 4600 Ballots for the Annual Town Election, March 3, 1962.

JOHN CHUCKRAN, Warden.

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION

In accordance with the provisions of the Town By-Laws, and of the foregoing Warrant the meeting was opened by the Warden. The Town Clerk read the Warrant and administered the oath to the Election Officers. The polls were declared open at 7:00 A.M. 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 1:30 A.M. Sunday morning. The whole number of Ballots cast 2283. Men, 1176. Women, 1107.

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

FOR MODERATOR FOR ONE YEAR

Lester M. Lane	1207	
Philip R. Dooley	2	
Blanks	1074	
		2283

Lester M. Lane was declared elected.

FOR SELECTMAN FOR THREE YEARS

Arthur L. Battistini	198	
Richard J. Bradley	286	
Henry L. Cormier	423	
Edward H. Joughin	8	
Walter P. Murray	547	
John L. Revil, Jr.	481	
Edward H. (Sam) Silva	166	
Rutledge A. Waker	141	
Blanks	33	
		2283

Walter P. Murray was declared elected.

FOR ASSESSOR FOR THREE YEARS

Arthur L. Battistini	196
Richard J. Bradley	292
Henry L. Cormier	414
Edward H. Joughin	10

Walter P. Murray	532	
John L. Revil, Jr.	479	
Edward H. (Sam) Silva	168	
Rutledge A. Waker	147	
Blanks	45	
		<hr/> 2283

Walter P. Murray was declared elected.

OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE FOR THREE YEARS

Arthur L. Battistini	202	
Richard J. Bradley	286	
Henry L. Cormier	418	
Edward H. Joughin	9	
Walter P. Murray	541	
John L. Revil, Jr.	473	
Edward H. (Sam) Silva	172	
Rutledge A. Waker	143	
Blanks	39	
		<hr/> 2283

Walter P. Murray was declared elected.

TOWN CLERK FOR ONE YEAR

Jennie W. Carroll	1838	
Blanks	445	
		<hr/> 2283

Jennie W. Carroll was declared elected.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS

John D. Dorr	1207	
Willard A. Banks, Jr.	289	
Brian R. Garney	183	
John R. Hickey	1124	
Dorothy L. Mann	864	
Robert W. Parsons	130	
Mario Ricci	381	
Robert S. Stone	632	
Roy M. Wiggin	686	
Blanks	1353	
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John D. Dorr, John R. Hickey, Dorothy L. Mann were declared elected.

TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR
THREE YEARS

Julia C. Carter	1734
Christine A. Dowd	1863
Franklin Mitchell	1700
Blanks	1552

Julia C. Carter, Christine A. Dowd, Franklin Mitchell were declared elected.

BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THREE YEARS

Lloyd F. Rand	1386
Victor Oliveira	705
Blanks	192
	————— 2283

Lloyd F. Rand was declared elected.

SEWER AND WATER COMMISSIONER FOR
THREE YEARS

James W. Bumpus	1415
Milton P. Rand	724
Blanks	144
	————— 2283

James W. Bumpus was declared elected.

PLANNING BOARD FOR FIVE YEARS

Charles W. Brooks	882
Alexander Gedutis	752
James Marzelli, Jr.	444
Blanks	205
	————— 2283

Charles W. Brooks was declared elected.

PLAYGROUND COMMISSION FOR THREE YEARS

Russell J. Cowgill	1310
Gino C. Guasconi	771
Blanks	202
	————— 2283

Russell J. Cowgill was declared elected.

TREE WARDEN FOR ONE YEAR

John H. Reilly	1497	
Bertram L. Wilson	651	
Blanks	135	
		2283

John H. Reilly was declared elected.

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL SCHOOL
DISTRICT COMMITTEE

John E. Flynn	1308	
Dorothy B. McNeilly	894	
Blanks	81	
		2283

John E. Flynn was declared elected.

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

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM
MARCH 5, 1962
7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 7:39 P.M. In the absence of the Moderator, Mr. Philip Dooley was nominated and duly elected Temporary Moderator for the evening.

Article 1. The Temporary Moderator read the list of Minor Town Officers appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 2. On motion by Mr. John Chuckran, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the reports be accepted as printed in the Town Report.

Article 3

SALARIES

General Government

On motion by Mr. Frederick Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of

\$28,404.78 for General Government Salaries, to be segregated as follows:

Salaries of Selectmen (Total of three Members)	\$2,466.65
Selectmen's Clerical	302.04
Accounting Department	10,621.68
Treasurer's Clerical	1,359.17
Collector's Clerical	2,718.35
Board of Assessors (Total for three Members)	2,567.33
Assessor's Clerical	2,769.58
Election & Registration	1,489.50
Academy	2,172.74
Town Hall	1,937.74
	\$28,404.78

Mr. Albert Lanzikos made an amendment that the salaries for 1962 be:

Treasurer	1550.00
Collector	4300.00
Town Clerk	3750.00

Action on this amendment was defeated.

Mr. Basil Warren made an amendment — That the sum of \$9,000.00 be added to this amount for a total of \$37,404.78 including the salaries of the Town Treasurer, Collector, and Town Clerk.

This amendment was acted upon favorably. Total \$37,404.78

Protection of Persons & Property

On motion by Mr. John Carlton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$109,966.88 for the Protection of Persons & Property Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Police Department	\$59,768.74
Police-Women Traffic Supervisors	2,400.00
Fire Department	36,547.21
Sealer of Weights & Measures	604.08
Building Inspector	604.08

Wire Inspector	604.08
Moth Extermination	3,221.74
Dutch Elm Disease	951.42
Improvement of Shade Trees	4,147.99
Forest Fires	1,006.79
Dog Officer	110.75
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	\$109,966.88

Health and Sanitation

On motion by Mr. Ralph Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,569.30 for Health and Sanitation Salaries—segregated as follows:

Health—Salaries of Members of Board of Health	1,006.79
Health-Salaries of Inspectors	2,466.65
Public Health Nurse	2,214.94
Maintenance of Sewers	4,880.92
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Total	\$10,569.30

Highways

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$41,882.44 for the Highway Department Salaries to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen—segregated as follows:

Administration	6,882.44
Highway Department	33,800.00
Road Machinery	1,200.00
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Total	\$41,882.44

Public Welfare Administration

On motion by Dr. John Correia, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of

\$10,289.48 for Public Welfare Administration Salaries—to be segregated as follows:

Salaries of Overseers (Total of three Members)	\$604.08	
Salary of Director	4,750.68	
Salary of Social Workers	7,270.00	
Salary of Clerks	5,547.52	17,568.20
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		\$18,172.28
Less Federal Grants		7,882.80
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		\$10,289.48

Veterans' Services

On motion by Mr. John J. Revil, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,214.94 for Veterans' Services Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen and segregated as follows:

Salary of Agent	1,510.18
Salary of Clerk	704.76
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Total	2,214.94

Public Library

On motion by Mr. John Bates, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$13,042.56 for Public Library Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Library Trustees.

Recreation

On motion by Mr. Primo Resmini, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,517.95 for Recreation Salaries, to be segregated as follows:

Care of Common (To be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen)	251.70
Athletic Field & Playground (To be expended under the direction of the Playground Commissioners)	4,760.00

Supervised Play (To be expended under the direction of the Playground Commissioners)	506.25
Swimming Pool (To be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen)	4,000.00
Total	<u>\$9,517.95</u>

Water Department

On motion by Mr. Frederick Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate from Water Revenue the sum of \$22,987.04 for the Water Department Salaries, to be expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners, segregated as follows:

Salaries of Water Commissioners	704.76
Salaries of Employees	22,282.28
Total	<u>\$22,987.04</u>

EXPENSES

General Government

On motion by Mr. John J. Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$33,299.55 for General Government Expenses, \$23,299.55 from Taxation and \$10,000.00 transferred from Excess & Deficiency Account, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, and to be segregated as follows:

Selectmen's Expenses	\$682.00
Accounting Department	742.20
Treasurer	1,130.43
Collector	2,584.57
Assessors	782.00
Preparation of Assessors Maps	5,000.00
Law Department	1,000.00
Town Clerk—Expenses	439.00
Election & Registration	1,255.50
Electric Bookkeeping Machine Maintenance	440.00
Academy	5,450.00
Heater for Academy, From E & D	10,000.00

Town Hall	2,311.00
Certification of Town Notes	50.00
Planning Board	385.00
Appeals Board	43.25
Advisory Committee	100.00
Industrial & Development Commission	779.60
Wage & Personnel Board	125.00
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Total	\$33,299.55

Protection of Persons & Property

On motion by Mr. Ralph Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$31,678.20 for the Protection of Persons & Property Expenses, \$25,678.20 from Taxation and \$6,000.00 transferred from Excess & Deficiency Account, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Police Department—Expenses	\$6,105.50
Police—Traffic Supervisors Expenses	43.00
Police—Purchase of two Cruisers, Seat Covers & Lettering, From E & D	3,000.00
Police—Crystals & Resuscitator	150.00
Fire Department—Expenses	13,799.70
Fire Department—Out of State Travel	85.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures	180.00
Building Inspector	300.00
Wire Inspector	195.00
Moth Extermination	600.00
Dutch Elm Disease	3,055.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	400.00
Improvement of Shade Trees —New Truck From E & D	3,000.00
Forest Fires	315.00
Dog Officer	450.00
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Total	\$31,678.20

Health & Sanitation

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of

\$10,674.00 for Health & Sanitation Expenses, segregated as follows:

Health Department	\$8,670.00
Sewer Maintenance	2,004.00
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	\$10,674.00

On motion by Mr. Frederick Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for the Public Health Nurse

200.00

\$10,874.00

Highways

On motion by Dr. John Correia, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$41,710.00 for the Highway Department Expenses, \$39,960.00 from Taxation and \$1,750.00 to be transferred from the Road Machinery Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, segregated as follows:

Expenses	18,650.00
New Equipment from Road Machinery Fund	1,750.00
Road Machinery Expenses	6,500.00
Municipal Garage	850.00
Street Lighting	13,960.00
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Total	\$41,710.00

Public Welfare

On motion by Mr. John J. Revil, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$129,903.79 for Public Welfare Department; the Town Accountant is hereby authorized to transfer any portion of this total appropriation for Public Welfare, except administration expenses, from one item to another as needed on and after October 1, 1962.

Welfare Administration Expenses	\$1,871.00
Less Federal Grant	967.21
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903.79

General Public Welfare Relief	11,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	26,000.00
Disability Assistance	13,500.00
Old Age Assistance	41,000.00
Medical Assistance for Aged	37,500.00
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Total	\$129,903.79

Veterans' Services

On motion by Mr. John Bates, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$23,500.00 for Veterans' Benefits Services Expenses, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Public Library

On motion by Mr. Primo Resmini, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,916.60 for the Maintenance of the Public Library and reading rooms 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 Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,398.75 for Recreation Expenses, segregated as follows:

Athletic Field & Playground	\$1,568.75
Supervised Play	50.00
Swimming Pool	1,780.00
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Total	\$3,398.75

Miscellaneous Appropriations

On motion by Mr. John Carlton, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$46,823.35 for Miscellaneous Appropriations from Taxation and \$13,475.00 transferred from Excess & Deficiency Account, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, and segregated as follows:

Miscellaneous Printing	\$1,900.00
Memorial Day	500.00
Veterans Day	200.00
Veterans of Foreign Wars	300.00
Buildings Insurance	1,596.75
Boiler Insurance (3 yr.)	1,243.00
Liability Insurance	311.47
Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	100.00
Non-Contributory Retirement	1,484.00
Contributory Retirement	18,096.50
Civilian Defense, (From E & D)	13,475.00
Christmas Lighting	400.00
Reserve Fund	9,000.00
Group Life & Medical Insurance	11,000.00
Marking & Restoring Veterans' Graves	291.63
Abandoned Cemeteries	400.00
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Total	\$60,298.35

Interest & Debt

On motion by Mr. Ralph Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Interest and Debt, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Interest—Temporary Loans	\$500.00
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Total	\$500.00

Water Department

On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate from Water Revenue the sum of \$31,018.00 for Water Department Expenses, to be expended under the direction of the Water Commissioners, segregated as follows:

Water Department—Maintenance	\$29,468.00
Water Department ½ Ton Pickup Truck	1,550.00
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Total	\$31,018.00

Schools

On motion by Dr. John Correia, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$429,452.06 for the School Department, to be expended under the direction of the School Committee and segregated as follows:

Personal Services	414,646.79
Janitors, Matrons—Outside Organizations	1,300.00
Training School Tuition	5,310.27
Vocational Tuition	3,800.00
Transportation to Vocational Schools	1,500.00
Adult Evening Practical Arts	1,350.00
Out of State Travel	225.00
Adult Civic Education	150.00
Summer Recreational Program	1,170.00
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	\$429,452.06

On motion by Dr. John Correia, duly seconded, it was VOTED: \$97,276.28 for

Expenses, Exclusive of salaries for personal services, for the support of public schools, and 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, to be expended under the direction of the School Committee.

	87,276.28
Expenses—from Public Law #874	10,000.00
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Total	\$526,728.34
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On motion by Mr. John J. Revil, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise the sum of \$56,736.25 for the payment of Interest and Maturing Debt on the School Loan, apportioned as follows:

Interest on School Loan	\$6,736.25
Maturing Debt—School Loan	50,000.00
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Total	\$56,736.25

Bridgewater-Raynham School District

On motion by Mr. John Bates, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$404,063.15 to be paid to the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District for the 1962 Annual Maintenance and Operating Budget for the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District Committee.

Article 4. On motion by Mr. Primo Resmini, 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, 1962, 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 5. On motion by Mr. Frederick Yeaton, 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 6. On motion by Mr. John Carlton, Jr. it was MOVED: That the Town accept the amended Wage and Personnel Board By-Laws as printed.

Mr. Basil Warren made an amendment as follows:

Moved to amend as follows:

That we delete Group 1, Section 7

Change Group J to Group I

Change Group K to Group J

Change Group L to Group K

And add three words to Heavy Equipment Operator making it read--Heavy Equipment Operator and/or Mechanic.

Mr. Warren's Amendment was acted upon favorably.

The original motion by Mr. Carlton was VOTED: That the

Town accept the amended Wage and Personnel Board By-Laws as printed and amended.

The hour being 11:30 P.M., it was voted to adjourn to Tuesday evening, March 6th, 7:30 P.M. at the Horace Mann Auditorium.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
HORACE MANN AUDITORIUM
MARCH 6, 1962
7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the Temporary Moderator, Mr. Philip R. Dooley, at 7:35 P.M.

Article 7. On motion by Mr. Ralph Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,654.41 for the increased salaries voted under the preceding article for the remainder of the current financial year as follows:

Raised from Taxation	\$8,453.19
Raised from Water Revenue	2,201.22

\$10,654.41

Said sums to be transferred by the Wage and Personnel Board to the various departments in accordance with the By-Law changes

On motion by Mr. Albert Lanzikos, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the salary increases of SC 3 (Junior Clerk and Typist) be made retroactive to January 1, 1962. In favor, 69. Opposed, 51.

69.42

\$10,723.83

Article 8. Mr. John Chuckran read the report of the Fire Station Committee. It was VOTED: To accept the report. The Committee dissolved.

Article 9. Mr. Richard Dowd read the report of the Sprinkler System Committee. It was VOTED: To accept the report:

Article 10. On motion by Dr. John Correia, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Overlay Surplus Account the sum of \$20,000.00 for the installation of a sprinkler system in the McElwain and School Street Schools in accordance with the requirements of the New England Fire Insurance Rating Association; said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 11. On motion by Mr. John J. Revil, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town accept the report of the Special Committee appointed to study the sewerage system.

Article 12. On motion by Mr. John Bates, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate an amount not to exceed One Hundred Eighty-three thousand Dollars (\$183,000.00) for the constructing of additions to the sewage system treatment plant for the Town of Bridgewater as shown in the application of said Town; and to approve the application of the Town of Bridgewater for a grant in the amount of Fifty-five Thousand Dollars (\$55,000.00) from the United States of America in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws; and the borrowing by said Town of the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) in accordance with Chapter 44 of the General Laws; and the transfer of Twenty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-One Dollars and Fourteen cents (\$22,781.14) from the sale of Real Estate Account and the transfer of Five Thousand Two Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Eighty-Six Cents (\$5,218.86) from available funds in the treasury. The proceeds of the Loan, Grant and Sums transferred are to be used for the purposes above stated as shown by the application. Any money received by the Town of Bridgewater by way of a Grant shall be applied to the cost of said project. In favor, 192. Opposed, 1.

Article 13. On motion by Mr. John J. Revil, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Moderator appoint a committee to make a study of School Buildings needs in the elementary area

of the Bridgewater Public Schools and to make a full and complete report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 14. On motion by Mr. Frederick Yeaton, 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 provided 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 15. On motion by Mr. Frederick Yeaton, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,000.00 for the Town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Construction; that in addition, the sum of \$27,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipts to unappropriated available funds in the treasury, said sums to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 16. On motion by Mr. Ralph Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the Town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Maintenance; in addition the sum of \$6,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored upon their receipts to unappropriated available funds in the treasury, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 17. On motion by Mr. Ugo Fruzzetti, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town vote no action be taken at this time; that it be referred to the Sewer Commissioners for consideration when extensions can be made.

Article 18. Dr. John Correia MOVED: That the Town vote no action at this time, that it be referred to the Water Commissioners for consideration when there are available funds in the Water Revenue Account. No action taken on this motion.

Mr. Alvah Tolivaisa made the following amendment by a vote of, In favor, 107. Opposed, 46.

That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$18,000.00 for the installation of water mains of not less than six inches but less than sixteen inches in diameter on Bridge Street; that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be, and hereby is, authorized to borrow the \$18,000.00, 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, 122. Opposed, 10.

Article 19. On motion by Mr. John J. Revil, Jr., duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town vote no action at this time, that it be referred to the Water Commissioners for consideration when there are available funds in the Water Revenue Account.

Article 20. On motion by Mr. John Bates, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town vote no action at this time, that it be referred to the Water Commissioners for consideration when there are available funds in the Water Revenue Account.

Article 21. Mr. John J. Revil made a motion which he withdrew. On motion by Mr. Harold Lee, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Moderator appoint a committee of five members to investigate the best method of selecting members to the Regional School Committee and report back at the next Annual Town Meeting provided that no members of the Regional School Committee or the local School Committee be members of this Investigating Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 9:35 P.M.

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

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION
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

MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

Formerly Bridgewater High School

South Street, Bridgewater, Massachusetts

SATURDAY, THE 26th DAY OF MAY, 1962

at 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon in accordance with the Town By-Laws.

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

Article 1. To choose one Selectman, one Assessor, and one Overseer of Public Welfare to fill a vacancy to serve until the Annual Town Election in March, 1963.

Polls Open 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.

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 thirteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

JOHN CHUCKRAN

WALTER P. MURRAY

Selectmen of Bridgewater

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

Received from Jennie W. Carroll, Town Clerk, a box containing 4500 Ballots for the Special Town Election.

JOHN CHUCKRAN, Warden.

SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION

MAY 26, 1963

Middle School Gymnasium
(formerly Bridgewater High School)

The meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk at 6:55 A.M. The Warrant was read and the Election Officers were duly sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. The Warden declared the polls open at 7:00 A.M. At 8:00 P.M. the Warden declared the polls closed. The Counters completed their work at 9:20 P.M. The whole number of votes cast 1645. Men, 824. Women, 821. The following announcement was made as a result of the voting.

FOR SELECTMAN (to fill vacancy)

Victor A. Auglis	60	
Henry L. Cormier	530	
Edward H. Joughin	4	
William M. O'Rourke	318	
Frederick E. Yeaton	709	
Richard J. Bradley	1	
Blanks	23	
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Frederick E. Yeaton was declared elected.

ASSESSOR (to fill vacancy)

Victor A. Auglis	61	
Henry L. Cormier	533	
Edward H. Joughin	7	
William M. O'Rourke	306	
Frederick E. Yeaton	699	
Richard J. Bradley	1	
Blanks	38	
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Frederick E. Yeaton was declared elected.

OVERSEER OF PUBLIC WELFARE (to fill vacancy)

Victor A. Auglis	62
Henry L. Cormier	528

Edward H. Joughin	- 6
William M. O'Rourke	309
Frederick E. Yeaton	713
Richard J. Bradley	1
Blanks	26
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Frederick E. Yeaton was declared elected.

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

TOWN WARRANT FOR 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

MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
(formerly Bridgewater High School)
South Street, Bridgewater, Massachusetts

TUESDAY, the EIGHTEENTH of SEPTEMBER, 1962
at seven o'clock in the forenoon, 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
Attorney General	For this Commonwealth
Secretary of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Treasurer and Receiver General	For this Commonwealth
Auditor of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Representative in Congress	For 12th Congressional District
Councillor	For 2nd Councillor District
Senator	For Plymouth Senatorial District

One Representative in General Court	For 5th Plymouth Representative District
District Attorney	For Plymouth Districts
One County Commissioner	For Plymouth County
Sheriff	For Plymouth County

The polls will be open from 7:00 A.M. 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 Twenty-fourth day of August A.D. 1962.

JOHN CHUCKRAN
WALTER P. MURRAY
FREDERICK E. YEATON
Selectmen of Bridgewater

A true copy, Attest.
September 1962

ELMER F. SHAW, Constable

STATE PRIMARY
SEPTEMBER 18, 1962
MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
(formerly Bridgewater High School)

At 6:50 A.M. the Warrant was read by the Town Clerk. The Election Officers were sworn to the faithful performance of their respective duties and the Warden declared the polls open at 7:00 o'clock A.M. The Warden signed a receipt for the ballots. Democratic, 1400. Republican, 2557. The balloting continued until 8:00 P.M. when the Warden declared the polls closed. The whole number of ballots cast, 1552. Democratic, 552. Republican, 1000. Men voting, 765. Women, 787.

The Tellers started counting at 8:00 P.M. and completed their work at 12:00 midnight. The Warden declared the results as follows:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Edward M. Kennedy	had	382	
Edward J. McCormack, Jr.	had	158	
Blanks		12	552

GOVERNOR

Endicott Peabody	had	403	
Clement A. Riley	had	122	
Blanks		27	552

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Francis X. Belotti	had	338	
Herbert L. Connolly	had	170	
Blanks		44	552

ATTORNEY GENERAL

James R. Lawton	had	394	
Francis E. Kelly	had	45	
Thomas L. McCormack	had	15	
Margaret F. McGovern	had	58	
Matthew L. McGrath, Jr.	had	15	
Blanks		25	552

SECRETARY

Kevin H. White	had	480	
Blanks		72	552

TREASURER

John Thomas Driscoll	had	366	
John F. Kennedy	had	112	
John M. Kennedy	had	25	
Blanks		49	552

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	had	483	
Blanks		69	552

CONGRESSMAN

Alexander Byron	had	258	
Frank J. McGee, Jr.	had	199	
Blanks		95	552

COUNCILLOR

Alvin C. Tamkin	had	138	
Edward J. Burke	had	89	
John F. Burke, Jr.	had	57	
Robert G. Connolly	had	44	
Louis T. Falcone	had	10	
James P. Hogan	had	41	
Guido F. Imbaro	had	11	
John F. Melia	had	5	
William J. Quinn, Jr.	had	9	
John Kenneth Sykes	had	28	
John A. White	had	35	
Blanks		85	552

SENATOR

James F. Burke	had	323	
John R. Buckley	had	180	
Blanks		49	552

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Richard C. Hayes	had	451	
Blanks		101	552

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Henry C. Gill	had	459	
Blanks		93	552

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

William H. Barrett	had	321	
James T. Frazier	had	148	
Blanks		83	552

SHERIFF

John J. Lyons	had	326	
John Sergio	had	160	
Blanks		66	552

REPUBLICAN PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

George C. Lodge	had	514	
Laurence Curtis	had	427	
Blanks		59	1000

GOVERNOR

John A. Volpe	had	930	
Blanks		70	1000

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Francis W. Perry	had	901	
Blanks		99	1000

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward W. Brooke	had	589	
Elliot L. Richardson	had	366	
Blanks		45	1000

SECRETARY

Harris A. Reynolds	had	889	
Blanks		111	1000

TREASURER

Joseph P. Grossman	had	651	
Francis Andrew Walsh	had	249	
Blanks		100	1000

AUDITOR

Philip M. Walsh	had	877	
Blanks		123	1000

CONGRESSMAN

Hastings Keith	had	911	
Blanks		89	1000

COUNCILLOR

George M. Doyle	had	333	
Margaret M. Heckler	had	383	
Stanley S. Lewenberg	had	159	
Blanks		125	1000

SENATOR

Francis P. Murphy	had	863	
Blanks		137	1000

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Edward P. Kirby	had	717	
Harold J. Betzold, Jr.	had	233	
Blanks		50	1000

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

John R. Wheatley	had	882	
Blanks		118	1000

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

J. Carroll Boynton	had	54	
Clinton G. Bradshaw	had	49	
Sumner A. Chapman, Jr.	had	22	
John Chuckran	had	582	
Richard A. Heleen	had	96	
Francis L. Hughes	had	10	
John F. Prentice	had	22	
George A. Ridder	had	140	
Blanks		25	1000

SHERIFF

Adnah H. Harlow	had	712	
Howard F. Levings	had	250	
Blanks		38	1000

The foregoing results of the balloting were forwarded to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, September 19, 1962.

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 Elections and Town Affairs to meet in the

MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
(Formerly Bridgewater High School)
South Street, Bridgewater, Massachusetts

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1962
at 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Then and there to give in their votes to the Election Officer
for

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 of the Commonwealth	For this Commonwealth
Attorney General	For this Commonwealth
Representative in Congress	For 12th Congressional District
Councillor	For 2nd Councillor District
Senator	For Plymouth Senatorial District
One Representative in General Court	For 5th Plymouth Representative District
District Attorney	For Plymouth District
One County Commissioner	For Plymouth County
Sheriff	For Plymouth County

And to vote YES and NO on the following questions:

Question No. 1

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held May 13, 1959, received 143 votes in the affirmative and 118 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held March 29, 1961, received 144 votes in the affirmative and 121 in the negative?

Summary

The proposed amendment imposes no new taxes but gives the General Court the power to pass an income tax at graduated or proportioned rates and is a change in the constitutional limitations now in effect on the power of the General Court to pass tax measures. The proposed amendment would add a new Article to the Constitution of the Commonwealth by which full power and authority is granted to the General Court, in the alternative to the power and authority to tax incomes in the manner provided in Article XLIV of the Amendments to the Constitution, to impose a tax on incomes at rates which are proportioned or graduated ac-

ording to the amount of income received, irrespective of the source from which it may be derived, and to grant reasonable exemptions, deductions, and abatements.

It further provides that any property the income of which is taxed under the provisions of the proposed Article may be exempted from the imposition and levying of proportional and reasonable assessments, rates and taxes as at present authorized by the Constitution, and that the Article shall not be construed to limit the power of the General Court to impose and levy reasonable duties and excises.

Question No. 2

Law Submitted upon Referendum after Passage

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote not recorded?

Summary

This act increases the compensation each member of the General Court shall receive for each regular annual session from fifty-two hundred dollars to sixty-seven hundred dollars and increases the additional compensation the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall receive from fifty-two hundred dollars to sixty-seven hundred dollars. The act also increases the additional compensation the floor leaders of the major political parties in the Senate and House of Representatives, the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Ways and Means and the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means shall receive from twenty-six hundred dollars to thirty-three hundred and fifty dollars and provides that a member of the General Court chosen to fill a vacancy, or who resigns his seat during a regular annual session, shall receive a per diem compensation at the increased rate of compensation for each regular annual session.

Question No. 3

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 (wines 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?

Question No. 4

A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

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-third day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

JOHN CHUCKRAN
WALTER P. MURRAY
FREDERICK E. YEATON
Selectmen of Bridgewater

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

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

STATE ELECTION
MIDDLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
(formerly Bridgewater High School)
NOVEMBER 6, 1962

At 6:50 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 signed a receipt for 4642 ballots. The Warden declared the polls open at 7:00 A.M. At 8:00 P.M. the Warden declared the polls closed. At the close of the balloting the ballot box recorded 3169 ballots cast. Of this number, Civilian Absent voter ballots 38 and Military Absent voter ballots 11. Of this number 1527 were men, and 1642 were women. The Tellers started their work at 8:00 P.M. and completed their work at 3:00 A.M.

The result of the balloting follows:

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Edward M. Kennedy	1540.	
George C. Lodge	1502	
Lawrence Gilfedder	3	
H. Stuart Hughes	80	
Mark R. Shaw	—	
Blanks	44	
	—————	3169

GOVERNOR

John A. Volpe	1698	
Endicott Peabody	1431	
Henning A. Blomen	3	
Guy S. Williams	—	
Blanks	37	
	—————	3169

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Francis X. Belotti	1322	
Francis W. Perry	1754	
Thomas Maratea	3	
Francis A. Votano	8	
Blanks	82	
	—————	3169

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Edward W. Brooke	1890	
Francis E. Kelley	1179	
Edgar E. Gaudet	6	
Howard B. Rand	9	
Blanks	85	
		————— 3169

SECRETARY

Kevin H. White	1696	
Harris A. Reynolds	1320	
John Erlandson	13	
Julia B. Kohler	3	
Blanks	137	
		————— 3169

TREASURER

John Thomas Driscoll	1705	
Joseph B. Grossman	1316	
Isaac Goddard	9	
Arne A. Sortell	9	
Blanks	130	
		————— 3169

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	1843	
Philip M. Walsh	1194	
Louise T. Metays	8	
Ethelbert L. Nevins	7	
Blanks	117	
		————— 3169

CONGRESSMAN

Hastings Keith	2051	
Alexander Byron	1032	
Blanks	86	
		————— 3169

COUNCILLOR

Margaret M. Heckler	1770	
Alvin C. Tamkin	1241	
Blanks	158	
		————— 3169

SENATOR

James F. Burke	1601	
Francis P. Murphy	1478	
Blanks	90	
	————	3169

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Edward P. Kirby	1729	
Richard C. Hayes	1314	
Blanks	126	
	————	3169

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

John R. Wheatley	1802	
Henry C. Gill	1246	
Blanks	121	
	————	3169

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

William H. Barrett	1350	
George A. Ridder	1676	
Blanks	143	
	————	3169

SHERIFF

Adnah H. Harlow	1756	
John J. Lyons	1290	
Blanks	123	
	————	3169

QUESTION NO. 1

Yes	451	
No	2141	
Blanks	577	
	————	3169

QUESTION NO. 2

Yes	441	
No	2073	
Blanks	655	
	————	3169

QUESTION NO. 3

A. Yes	2022	
No	619	
Blanks	528	
	————	3169
 B. Yes	 1844	
No	546	
Blanks	779	
	————	3169
 C. Yes	 1848	
No	492	
Blanks	829	
	————	3169

QUESTION NO. 4

A. Yes	1586	
No	1005	
Blanks	578	
	————	3169
 B. Yes	 1491	
No	996	
Blanks	682	
	————	3169

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

The foregoing returns were tabulated and sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, November 12, 1962, after having been signed by the Selectmen and Town Clerk.

REPORT OF RECOUNT
FOR GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH

The recount for Governor of the Commonwealth was held on Saturday, December 1, 1962 in the Town Hall. This was under the direction of the Board of Registrars. The counting started at 8:00 A.M. and was completed at 11:00 A.M. All candidates had been notified of the time and place by registered mail sent November 26,

1962. The Secretary of the Commonwealth was notified. There were sixteen Tellers.

The result of the recount follows:

John A. Volpe	was found to have had	1698
Endicott Peabody	was found to have had	1433
Henning A. Blomen	was found to have had	2
Guy S. Williams	was found to have had	—
Blanks	were found to have had	36
		3169

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The foregoing results were sent to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, December 4, 1962.

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.

MONDAY, the 10th Day of DECEMBER, 1962
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 appropriate and transfer from Overlay Surplus the sum of \$2,350.00 for Police 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 appropriate and transfer from Overlay Surplus the sum of \$1,200.00 for Police 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 from Overlay Surplus the sum of \$3,500.00 for Veterans Services 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 Overlay Surplus the sum of \$345.28 for the payment to the city of Brockton for an Old Age Assistance bill of prior years.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept Trust Fund Bequests received during the year 1962.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Bridgewater or take any other action relative thereto.
By request of Planning Board.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Rules and Regulations Governing the Subdivision of Land in the Town of Bridgewater or take any other action relative thereto.
By request of Planning Board.

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 27th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

JOHN CHUCKRAN
WALTER P. MURRAY
FREDERICK E. YEATON
Board of Selectmen.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
TOWN HALL
MONDAY, the 10th Day of DECEMBER, 1962
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. The Chairman of the Selectmen, Mr. John Chuckran, asked that the Town Council, Mr. Edmund Nutter, be allowed to sit in at this meeting.

Article 1. On motion by Mr. Stewart Brown, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Overlay Surplus Account the sum of \$2,350.00 for Police Department Salaries for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 2. On motion by Mr. John Revil, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Overlay Surplus Account the sum of \$1,200.00 for Police Department Expenses for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 3. On motion by Mr. John Bates, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from the Overlay Surplus Account the sum of \$3,500.00 for Veterans Services for the remainder of the current financial year.

Article 4. On motion by Mr. George Hogg, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That the Town appropriate and transfer from Overlay Surplus Account the sum of \$345.28 for the payment to the City of Brockton for an Old Age Assistance bill of prior years. 67 in favor. None opposed.

Article 5. On motion by Mr. Ralph Lehtola, duly seconded, it was VOTED: To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Trust Fund Bequests received during the year 1962:

Mildred K. Stearns—Library Fund

Mildred K. Stearns—Scholarship Fund

Piano Fund for Town Hall

Article 6. On motion by Mr. Harry Dunn, duly seconded, it was VOTED: That no action be taken on this Article at this meeting. 46 in favor. None opposed.

Article 7. On motion by Mr. Harry Dunn, duly seconded, it was MOVED: That no action be taken on this Article at this meeting. Mr. Basil Warren made an amendment to this Article and MOVED that action on this Article be taken only at a Town Meeting. Motion lost. Action taken on original motion by Mr. Dunn was taken. 68 in favor. None opposed.

On motion, duly seconded, the meeting adjourned at 8:00 P.M.

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

VITAL STATISTICS

Marriages Recorded in Bridgewater — 1962

January

19. William F. Anderson and Pamela B. Ellis both of East Bridgewater.
26. Arthur E. Jones, Jr. and Priscilla J. Jones both of Bridgewater.
27. David D. Whitman of East Bridgewater and Mary E. Boggs of Bridgewater.

February

3. Paul E. Cote of Brockton and Marie E. DiVito of Bridgewater.
4. Richard Cunningham of Waltham and Judith A. Fader of Bridgewater.
4. Joseph J. Rinkaus of Bridgewater and Barbara A. Maraglia of Stoughton.
16. Alan R. Carle of Bridgewater and Nancy J. Collyer of Rockland.
24. Carl S. Weir of Easton and Mildred E. Stuart of Bridgewater.

March

5. Brent J. Rolfe of Dorchester and Carol A. Miller of Bridgewater.
10. David G. Urquhart and Margaret A. Belski both of Bridgewater.
17. Laurence J. O'Leary and Marjorie I. Silva both of Brockton.
23. Robert L. Ferris and June H. Howard both of Bridgewater.

April

1. William O. Thomas and Elsie L. Bois both of Bridgewater.
7. Martin G. Nee of Brooklyn, N.Y. and Louise A. Lyford of Bridgewater.
7. Richard W. Saunders of Bridgewater and Pauline A. Lumsden of Middleboro.
7. John Sniger and Helen R. Sniger both of Bridgewater.
14. Edward L. Howe and Geraldine J. Enos both of Bridgewater.
25. Barry E. Hall of Bridgewater and Susan F. Garabedian of East Bridgewater.
28. Jack L. Amaral and Susan Desmond both of Bridgewater.
28. John B. Cudmore of Bridgewater and Lynn P. Weare of Whitman.

May

5. Anthony M. Ghelfi and Rosalie A. Filippetti both of Bridgewater.
5. Robert G. Henderson, Jr. and Mary M. Rosa both of Bridgewater.
11. David O. Bentley of Bridgewater and Sheryl W. Andresen of East Bridgewater.
11. Richard A. LaVangie of Bridgewater and Janice M. Chubbuck of West Bridgewater.
18. Ralph D. Howell and Theresa M. Robinson both of Brockton.
19. William J. Bunker of Brockton and Rose C. Vaughn of Bridgewater.
19. Robert H. Dutra of Bridgewater and Rena A. Stratoti of Brockton.
20. George K. Papanicolaou and Betty V. Douzanis both of Bridgewater.

June

2. Jean D. Michel and Lorraine Moniz both of Bridgewater.
2. John A. Tibbetts of Bridgewater and Theresa A. Silvia of Taunton.
9. Emery A. Salisbury of Bridgewater and Suzanne M. Frigon of Rockland.
16. Robert D. Bevis of Bridgewater and Dorna L. Edson of West Bridgewater.
17. Walter R. Cunningham of Whitman and Joan Ellis of Halifax.
23. Ronald E. Lawson of Bridgewater and Janice M. Rent of Randolph.
24. Arthur W. Suplit and Pauline B. Jordan both of Waltham.
30. Peter Y. Flynn of Bridgewater and Nancy P. Hart of Fall River.

July

7. Earl C. Savage of Brockton and Rose Capparotta of Bridgewater.
10. Henry J. Munise and Joanne H. Barnett both of Bridgewater.
14. Claude E. Dubord and Marlene A. Kish both of Bridgewater.
14. Guy N. Elmes, Jr. and Judith W. Hall both of Bridgewater.
14. Alan R. Wonson of Bridgewater and Evelyn Jensen of Belmont.
29. Arthur F. Wier of Easton and Pauletta Perry of West Bridgewater.

August

1. John N. Pearson of North Falmouth and Elizabeth C. Howard of Bridgewater.
2. Harry W. McClain of Uniontown, Pennsylvania and Rae M. Nourse of Bridgewater.
3. Francis C. Williams of Easton and Evelyn G. Wortwick of Bridgewater.
4. Robie S. Johnson and Myrtle C. Hatch both of Bridgewater.
4. David T. O'Reilly of Brockton and Patricia L. Dubord of Bridgewater.
5. Earl F. Haskell, Jr. of Bridgewater and Vera E. Benson of West Bridgewater.

5. Arthur N. Wyman and Diane M. Houlberg both of Bridgewater.
18. Arthur R. Karlson of Brockton and Pasqualina V. Smith of Bridgewater.
18. Walter B. Thompson of Bridgewater and Linda E. Boucher of Norton.
18. Leonard Goss of Oxford, Georgia and Yvonne P. Mann of Bridgewater.
31. David F. Perkins and Rosemary M. Sweeney both of Bridgewater.

September

1. Bruce A. Simmons of Bridgewater and Linda I. Tobey of North Falmouth.
2. Paul H. Amelotte of Bridgewater and Audrey S. Greenlaw of Easton.
2. David W. Grippen of West Bridgewater and Joanne J. Tamulevicz of Bridgewater.
2. George H. Morse, Jr. of East Bridgewater and Carol M. Brown of Bridgewater.
9. Lawrence Marmish of Bridgewater and Olga G. Phillips of Brockton.
15. Robert E. Graham of East Bridgewater and Mary E. Fortune of Bridgewater.
16. Donald E. Irving of Bridgewater and Jeannette L. Powers of Raynham.
22. Lawrence J. Costa of Bridgewater and Elsa L. Wrightington of Middleboro.
22. John L. Metevier of Brockton and Rose P. Condon of Bridgewater.
27. Warren J. MacKay and Flora M. Fruzzetti both of Bridgewater.
29. William M. Podzon, Jr. and Linnea V. Carlson both of Bridgewater.

October

13. Paul R. Dittmer of Boothby Harbor, Maine and Barbara L. Ellis of Bridgewater.
18. Benjamin L. Attaquin of Middleboro and Patricia G. Grzyboski of Revere.

21. Russell S. Grabau of East Bridgewater and Marian F. Pestal of Bridgewater.
27. Agostino Almeida of Taunton and Mary Z. Freitas of Bridgewater.
27. Henry Klek of Bridgewater and Rose Joaquin of East Providence, Rhode Island.
27. Francis M. Smudin and Nancy P. Boggs both of Bridgewater.

November

9. David L. Terry of Amesbury and Sharon D. Lancaster of Georgetown.
10. Joseph D. Rodrigues of Taunton and Madeline V. Souza of Bridgewater.
10. James A. Tupper of Buzzard's Bay and Merriel D. Chassey of Bridgewater.
17. James E. Hooper and Joan M. Ghelfi both of Bridgewater.
19. William E. Hunt and Ursula P. MacLeod both of Bridgewater.
21. Ronald L. Hill of Brockton and Nancy E. Sime of Bridgewater.
23. James C. McMorrow of Bridgewater and Shirley C. Keene of Whitman.

December

1. George C. Akusis, Jr. of Bridgewater and Sharon L. Jasperson of Norton.
29. Peter Herbert DeVeber of Bridgewater and Jean Carole Quinlan of Cambridge.

Delayed Returns of Births — 1961

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
July		
28	Stacey Ellyn Coutts	Frederick J. & Barbara E. Brooks
September		
23	Betsy Rose Wyman	Robert & Suzanne J. Robinson

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
October		
6	William Berlo	Leonard F. & Mary E. Curtis
15	Brian David Cabral	John P. & Christine A. Burke
18	Gary William Bush	Arthur H. & Margaret B. Murphy
21	Baby Girl Lehtola	Paul L. & Phyllis Newcomb
23	Kimberly Ann Kingsley	Robert J. & Helen Jackson
November		
8	Susan Ann Pruyn	Kenneth C. & Angelina A. Spugnardi
12	Baby Girl Medas	Jerome J. & Patricia Pink
20	James Edward Crowley	George F. & Alice E. Dumaine
21	Tracy Bissonnette	James F. & Lois M. Romero
28	Kenneth Paul McNeil	William & Mary L. Murray
December		
3	Thomas Damon Levy	Clarence A. & Barbara A. Damon
16	James Joseph Henault	James A. & Barbara A. Egan
17	Lisa Anne VanRiper	Charles E. & Jean J. Balboni
23	David Francis Bois	Robert E. & Maria B. Souto
23	Rhonda Jean Howe	Kenneth J. & Pauline M. Patterson
26	Peter James Saccocia	Albert T. & Claire A. Baratta

Births Recorded in Bridgewater — 1962

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
January		
1	Carol Gerarda LaFauci	Donald E. & Mary Keady
4	Alan Samuel Chuckran	Richard A. & Patricia A. Tanguay
4	Robert Lincoln Todd, Jr.	Robert L. & Gail Spalding
6	Martha Ann Morin	Walter A. & Arlene A. Dudevior
7	Ricky Daniel Moss	Larry K. & Roberta H. Sniger
9	Steven Walter Petrowski	Walter G. & Hilda E. Souza
12	Debra Ann Knight	Richard A. & Barbara A. Dearing
15	Cheryl Marie Tappe	Norman C. & Josephine F. Casella
18	Daniel John Buron	Donald C. & Diane M. Lapham
20	Thomas Fortune Young	Norman H. & Janet R. Griffith
22	Barbara Ann Chestna	William J. & Gloria C. Wilber
23	Scott Woodworth Bennett	Robert S. & Betty A. Cox
23	Timothy Frank Bumpus	James & Muriel E. Ellis
23	Harold Mauger Estabrook, III	Harold M., Jr. & Deborah Ann Keith
23	Wendy Grace Janes	Phillip F. & Margaret J. Finnemore
28	Deborah Cohen	Louis & Helen M. Connolly
28	Reginald Loren Estes, Jr.	Reginald L., Sr. & Ann M. Campbell

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
February		
4	David Willard Benson	Thomas & Barbara Tatton
8	David Joseph Moriarty	Barry M. & Lorraine R. Chotunard
9	Angela Jean DeRocco	Joseph & Helen Matenos
10	Kevin Lee Beal	Robert C. & Edwina P. Beal
10	Mary Catherine Kilbridge	Paul F. & Noreen A. Krukonis
11	Stephen Allen Medina	Ernest I. & Loretta J. Rosa
12	Michael Barry Medas	Joseph Jr., & Gloria L. Gaskill
14	Charles Benoit	Richard & Janet Howard
14	John Russell Wood	Leonard E. & Lorraine B. Sloan
17	Misty Ann Martinelli	Richard A. & Marcia G. Lannan
18	Linda Ann Costa	John D. & Lillian D. Cassani
18	Thomas Perry Silva, Jr.	Thomas P. & Emma C. Seaverns
21	Timothy Leo Gannon	William A. & Winnie Mae Shaw
22	Robert Anthony Fernandes, Jr.	Robert A. & Jacquelyn M. Boyce
March		
1	Robert Leo Provost	Leo J. & Eleanor J. Borella
3	Brenda Jean Galanif	Kenneth P. & Annette L. Lyons
8	Patrick Michael Dowd	William C. & Marjorie B. Kent
8	William Ervin Reed, IV	William E. & Hazel I. Margeson
9	Christopher Adam Shimkus	Joseph P. & Veronica M. Svagzdys
11	Leslie J. Daigle	Albert R., Jr. & Mary Mathers
12	Jane Ellen Fournier	Joseph W. & Marilyn C. Balch
12	John August LaCerde, III	John A., Jr. & Claire M. O'Brien
12	Susanne Christina Rill	Balthasar & Anita M. Zeuner
14	Nancy Tobin Stall	Richard G., Jr. & Jean Moriarty
16	Richard Michael Buckley	Robert F. & Margaret T. Dougherty
16	Martha Leslie Cole	William R. & Jeanne B. Camp
18	Suellen Bearse	Alfred E., Jr. & Ellen L. Olson
19	Lisa Gene Skillings	Philip W. & Gail F. Alfieri
20	John Joseph Reilly, Jr.	John J. & Madeline A. Ward
21	Robin Lynn Miller	Charles P. & Greta L. Nystrom
22	Catherine Jane Robak	John A. & Lorraine E. Pearson
24	Glenn Norman Benjaminsen	Robert B. & Dorothy A. Marsters
24	John Carl Schuchert	Carl J. & Barbara A. Macedo
25	Robert Luke Benson	Rodney E. & Nancy R. Bouldry
30	Richard Joseph Malatesta	Robert P. & Carole A. McNamara
31	Lauren Ann Deknis	Rupert J. & Virginia M. Paybins
April		
7	Clay Willard Cooper	Paul W. & Carol A. Taber
9	Susan Marie Dors	Henry F. & Eleanor M. Willis
9	Luann Cynthia Keplinger	John J. & Eileen L. Feeny
9	Jeffrey Lee MacTighe	William S. & Dorothy M. Pike
11	David William Waugh	Raymond L. & Sheila A. Mason

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
14	James Fred Ewas	Fred P. & Mary A. Pocius
14	Michael Charles Fahey	Charles J. & Elinor C. Gallacher
17	Karen Marie Kerle	John P. & Nancy J. Mills
19	Susan Lyn Harris	William D. & Elaine C. Belcher
20	Peter Francis Crowley	Clement R. & Mary C. McGrath
20	Cynthia Ann Perry	Louis E. & Barbara T. Bumpus
23	Mark Edward Rice	William E. & Dorothy R. Armstrong
24	Gail Patricia Leonard	Earl F. & Viola J. Gareis
25	Timothy Joseph Harrington	Leo F. & Marjorie R. Hollingsworth
29	Kathleen Marie Beninati	Albert F. & Marlynn M. Nourse
May		
2	Karen Ann Gebo	Kenneth E. & Ruth Blumit
2	James Timothy Keith	Robert D., Jr. & Shirley M. Snell
3	Lynnly Elizabeth Coelho	Robert A. & Elizabeth A. Allen
4	Donna Lynn Goss	Sidney M., Jr. & Geraldine Brown
6	Melanie Jeanne Kitchell	Donald S. & Margaret E. Torrey
8	Michele Ann Benoit	John C. & Alice I. MacInnis
10	Kimberly JoAnn Wheeler	George S. & Nancy M. Shott
12	Brian Edward Mooney	James F., Jr. & Beatrice W. Lindsay
13	Jeffrey Richard Carter	Richard B. & Lorraine A. Ferioli
13	Rebecca Jane Mahtesian	John & Persis L. Colby
16	Debra Lynn Stride	Robert B. & Betty R. Harlow
19	Richard David Sniger	John & Helen R. Jones
19	Tracy Ann Gomes	John M. & Brenda L. Gomes
22	Michelle Eileen Benoit	Edward R. & Marie F. Copeland
22	Mary Beth Rosa	William J. & Betty J. Casey
23	Jay Stephen Poh	John C. & Lorraine J. Dube
24	Robert Scott Hickey	James R. & Janet A. Thayer
27	Richard Cole Thompson	Lloyd R. & Nancy J. Webber
28	John William Gay, III	John W., II & Carol A. Bolster
June		
1	Sandra Jean Costa	Ronald E. & Esther M. Irving
1	Alan Scott Rand	Milton P. & Doris A. Caron
7	Kevin Michael Carlson	Donald L., Sr. & Sandra L. Gomm
8	Donna Marie Schlatz	Thomas J. & Joan V. Moruzzi
9	Paul Richard Atwood	Donald D. & Margaret M. Ziegler
9	Susan Elin Benson	Herbert N. & Claire Alley
9	Darcia Marie Cornwall	Richard J. & Lorraine A. Wager
13	James Joseph Giovannini	Mario J. & Johannah Ryan
14	William Robert Hall	Kenneth W. & Charlotte E. Keith
15	Mark Joseph Thompson	Morton R. & Joan D. Spiers
16	Kathleen Ann D'Loughlin	Thomas A., Jr. & Marie C. LeBlanc
17	Robert James Brooks	Charles W. & Mary T. Callahan
17	Carl Enos	Richard H. & Catherine E. Forgan

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
25	Paula Wolski	Mitchell C. & Margaret A. McDonald
27	Thomas David Perron	James R. & Judith L. Griffin
28	Joyce Carol Thompson	Donald A. & Grace H. Bryant
July		
6	Patricia Marie Heinz	William P. & Sarah I. Roberto
6	Dorothy Mary MacDonald	Allan V., Jr. & Dorothy M. Russell
13	Jeanne Marie Isabel	Richard J. & Joan A. MacFaun
14	Kathryn Ann Nelson	Henry T. & Phyllis L. Johnson
15	Christopher Joseph Perry	Raymond L. & Marie E. Carroll
16	David Amaral	Zacarias S. & Maria C. Andrade
20	Terralyn Marie Lopes	Edward A. & Carol A. Travers
21	Amy Marie Braithwaite	John J., Jr. & Helen W. Wolski
22	Diane Lois Watson	William E., III & Catherine Baxter
24	Linda Marion Skinner	Kenneth B. & Judith M. Nickerson
24	Derrell David Wood	William R. & Elsie R. LaPrade
25	Barbara Jean Sawyer	Herbert S., Jr. & Jeanette B. Conant
31	Wendy Valerie Thornton	Jacque W. & Valerie C. Boucher
August		
2	Alice Louise Farrar	Richard M. & Edna A. Gingras
3	Martin Thomas Querzoli	Edward R. & Miriam C. Kilbridge
6	Paul Andrew Andruk	George J. & Grace A. Gummow
6	Florence Ellen Fernandez	Francis X. & Florence O. Rathbun
8	Steven Michael White	Edward K. & Mary L. Keller
10	Norma Jean Perry	Edward W. & Derric A. Davidson
10	Norman Scott Porter	Wayne W. & Arlene J. Watson
11	Charlene Marie Benson	Curtis E. & Gladys L. Fahrenholt
14	Katherine Ann Williams	Robert A. & Therese A. Sheehan
15	William Rayburn Wright	Reginald F. & Dorothy M. Hanlon
21	Jeffrey Michael Bumpus	Robert E. & Ruth E. Wright
22	Scott Wayne Wilson	Wayne L. & Norma W. Gasper
22	Barry Scott Hall	Barry E. & Susan F. Garabedian
23	Teri Ann Chilauskas	Richard E. & Ann L. Daley
24	Mark Alan Burke	Alan H. & Geraldine F. Wilkins
24	Robin Jane Prouty	Wilfred L. & Carole L. Holyoke
25	Karen Grippen	Charles S., Jr. & Martha L. Perkins
26	Louise Marie Sime	Lloyd D. & Margaret V. Bozzelli
26	Debra Ann Stark	John B. & Patricia V. Harkness
29	Baby Girl Morris	Robert & Albertina Roderick
September		
2	Debra Diane Reynolds	Franklin A. & Jessie M. Rolfe
8	Christian Hoyt Smith	Carlton N. & Cynthia L. Hoyt
11	Keith Gerard McCoy	Frederick V., Jr. & Doris D. Ihlefeld
15	Cheryl Ann Ferbert	Donald F. & Mary E. Quine
16	Joel Andrew Veronesi	Robert E. & Elizabeth J. Hendrick
18	Bonnie Jean Pedro	Vincent & Bonnie J. Mondun

Date	Name of Child	Name of Parents
19	Baby Boy Wilbur	Brian J. & Jo-Ann Ross
24	Elizabeth Jeanne Perry	Frank J., Jr. & Eleanor M. McCaughey
26	Mary Estelle MacLean	William J. & Ethel L. Nelson
27	Kimberly Ann Blauss	Richard W. & Doris M. Nickerson
October		
1	Lawrence Joseph Regan, III	Lawrence J., Jr. & Maureen E. O'Brien
3	Daniel Wayne Bentley, Jr.	Daniel W. & Joan M. Fruzzetti
4	Alice Ruth Paulino	Charles L. & Sally A. Beardsley
5	Randall Albert Yelle	Kenneth S. & Marie L. Beals
9	Russell Eastman Chaffee	David E. & Anne E. Dyer
9	Sheryl Mae Salisbury	Emery A. & Suzanne M. Frigon
11	Jeffrey Wayne St. George	Leon H. & Jane E. Mather
13	Steven Lewis Crable	William C. & Elaine Lewis
14	William Sean Connor	Roy E., Jr. & Mary M. Toner
17	John James Bertelli, Jr.	John J. & Anita B. Pucci
18	Michael James Hickey	John R. & Jacqueline L. Stigh
18	Daniel James McFadden	Ronald & Joan M. Casieri
21	David William Harte	Lloyd M. & Daisy E. Taylor
23	Janet Helene Kula	Anthony J. & Constance H. Fitzpatrick
23	Patrice Ann Maloney	Francis B. & Stacia J. Malewicz
25	Deirdre Ann McDowell	Jean L. & Emily M. McIntire
26	Michael Ashley	Ronald C. & Zelia Matias
27	David Joseph Shea	John F. & Beatrice L. Belmore
29	Donna Jean Carasetti	Raymond A. & Marjorie J. Glawe
29	Donna Anne Kubiak	Arthur S. & Madelyn E. Zoino
29	Donald Kevin Tantillo	Joseph, Jr. & Erna M. Geissler
30	Colin Thomas Kelley	George T. & Mary Anketell
November		
2	Kevin Michael Brown	Clair W. & Eileen C. Florence
2	Sharyn Elaine Smith	Bruce G. & Charlotte E. Still
5	Merrilyn Ann Jones	Lewis F., Jr. & Ruth E. Copeland
6	Michael Dunn	Harry P. & P. Mary J. Callahan
6	Mark William Thomas	William O. & Elsie L. Bois
9	Monica Mary Plaskus	John B. & Natalie C. Winnett
11	David Harold Maxham	Harold W. & Barbara A. Raymond
17	Faith Erika Wentworth	Freedom & Mildred A. Roberts
18	Brian Edward Woodward	John C. & Cynthia E. Proule
19	Thomas Robert Brennan	James R. & Jean Gardner
22	Debra Maureen Ruprecht	Edward J. & Paula H. Schultz
24	Dawn Marie Whiting	Clifford M., Jr. & Leora M. Braddock
27	Joseph Lawrence Duffany	Vincent L. & Margaret E. McAdams
December		
4	Jean Mary Pincolini	Charles W. & Ulander M. Resmini
8	Kathleen Mary Chapman	Frederick H. & Priscilla E. Lucas
8	Brian Joseph Poole	Allen H. & Joanne S. Locke

Deaths Recorded in Bridgewater — 1962

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
Correction of Death 1961						
February						
11	Ruth E. Dowd	—	3	27	Acute Tracheo Bronchitis	Richard J. & Christine Axford
January						
3	Constanty Kusborski	70	9	16	Bronchopneumonia	Joseph & Cannot be learned
4	Blanche A. Cox	76	4	25	Hepatic Coma	Frank Alden & Abigail Troland
7	Eunice A. Churbuck	85	4	10	Coronary Thrombosis	Nathaniel L. Allen & Floretta F. Hoxic
12	William Hirst	81	9	13	Nephrosclerosis of kidneys & uremia	William & Elizabeth Buckley
13	Walter W. Church	12	2	20	Pneumonia	John & Beulah Broulette
16	Joseph Pratti	77	7	18	Bronchopneumonia	Cannot be learned
17	Anna D. Liberknecht	83	7	17	Tubercular Meningitis	Cannot be learned
20	Faun Davis	83	3	18	Arteriosclerotic Ht. Dis.	Frank & Alice Flanders
30	Emma C. Girard	90	1	24	Arteriosclerotic Ht. Dis.	Joseph A. Champoux & Josephine Cardouette
February						
2	Edith S. Copeland	87	10	20	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Warren Sherman & Lavinia C. Clapp
3	Harry S. Bowers	89	5	26	Cardiac arrest Post op.	John O. & Fidelia Tyler
8	Hannah J. Hallisey	73	9	19	Rheumatic Ht. Dis.	Michael & Hannah Murphy
8	Judson F. Todd	95	—	29	Hypostatic Cong. of lungs	Frank & Francelia Baker
13	Joaquim S. Couto	58	—	14	Post Myocardial Infarction	Joaquim & Maria DeSantes
14	Edith G. Murphy	53	2	17	Cachexia	Louis Giamperoli & Temido Gibertoni
14	Francis W. Kevoney	55	1	30	Hemorrhage of Brain	John M. & Nora L. Downey
16	Walter F. Norcross	82	10	26	Bronchopneumonia	James & Mary Maguire

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
March						
2	Fred Penpraise	85	4	13	Pneumonia	George & Esther C.B.L.
5	Ives J. Burt	57	8	5	Adenocarcinoma	Gen. Butler Jenness & Ellen Tucker
6	Stanislas Allaire	86	1	10	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Oliver & Cannot be learned
7	Lena C. Rego	66	8	28	Adenocarcinoma	Manuel Chaves & Antonia Rezendes
11	Mary P. Herbert	98	9	18	Edema Lungs	Henry B. Hathaway & Betsey E. Brightman
13	Benjamin F. Taylor	75	2	16	Bilateral Pyelonephritis	Frank H. & Bertha E. Osthues
14	Hilda E. Rooslet	82	5	23	Bronchopneumonia	Gustaf W. Euren & Charlotta Daavi
16	Beatrice W. Hooper	74	—	—	Generalized Malignancy	Robert Waugh & Unknown
17	John C. Santos	78	4	27	Cerebral Embolism	John & Cannot be learned
19	William M. Morrell	75	4	—	Coronary Thrombosis	Victor & Maria Gill
26	Everett L. Copeland	74	11	—	Pulmonary Embolus	George E. & Melancy W. Barney
27	Leo F. Nourse	76	—	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Rufus & Sallie Griffin
28	John Costa	75	10	18	Carcinoma	Manuel & Maria Gloria
31	Charles Maculewicz	80	—	27	Acute congestive failure	C.B.L. Maculewicz & Martha C.B.L.
April						
1	Helen "Nellie" Murray	83	11	19	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Jeremiah & Mary Toomey
4	Della B. Pratti	75	6	16	Uremia	Santa Biasseti & C.B.L.
8	Anthony Lopickes	69	6	6	Acute Myocarditis	Domenic & Anna Balchunas
12	Parida "Peter" Braid	81	1	28	Acute Pulmonary Edema	Secondo & Beatrice Saffritti
14	Erminia M. Baroni	78	6	22	Pulmonary Edema	Peter Querzoli & Adeldia Casteldini
21	Pauline P. Otterberg	82	11	14	Arteriosclerotic Ht. Dis.	———— Pearson & C.B.L.
22	Arsenio H. Righini	67	7	7	Pulmonary Embolus	Gaetano & ————— Delena
23	Clay W. Cooper	—	—	16	Pneumonia	Paul W. & Carol A. Taber
30	Jane E. Carey	83	9	3	Arteriosclerotic Ht. Dis.	James Timms & C.B.L.

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
May						
6	Olive H. Lovett	74	2	16	Bronchopneumonia	Stephen H. & Caroline Kennedy
7	Rosario Wood	67	6	26	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Peter & Mary Guevremont
8	Cecil N. Andrews	84	11	19	Cardio renal Vascular Dis.	Edward & Mary Brock
9	Kathryn M. Piscatori	11	6	24	Pulmonary oedema	Henry & Catherine Battistini
15	Edith J. Carriuolo	59	10	4	Brain tumor	John J. Harrington & Edythe Mottau
17	Arthur B. Spencer	79	3	4	Uremia	Gilbert & Caroline Hunt
19	Annie A. Holmes	88	—	17	Arteriosclerotic Ht. Dis.	Archibald M. Campbell & Flora Nicholson
21	Elizabeth W. Foster	79	11	28	Pulmonary Edema	Elwyn Baker & Jane M. Kilbrith
27	Walter S. Little	89	2	23	Uraemia	Henry O. & Elsie Perry
29	Sarah G. Hill	71	7	14	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Cannot be learned
30	Myra M. W. Washburn	78	10	20	Carcinoma	Frederick & Eliza A. Hill
June						
2	Florence C. Lawson	60	1	24	Carcinoma of Pancreas	Irving C. Smith & Lillian M. Cottell
6	Charles L. Hooper	74	4	7	Coronary Thrombosis	Albert H. & Jessie A. Hunter
7	Timothy A. Flynn	76	—	—	Myocardial Infarction	Timothy & Ellen Mears
11	Richard G. Nevitt	16	—	—	Drowning	Raymond & Normande Bonenfant
12	Katherine E. Kelley	90	5	23	Bronchopneumonia	Thomas Smith & Anna ———
12	Marian Panian	75	—	—	Cerebral Apoplexy	Cannot be learned
14	Francis J. Feeley	46	9	1	Massive Hemorrhage Accident	Edward H. & Grace Leichty
16	Ovila Valade	55	5	14	Coronary Thrombosis	Joseph & Laura Brochu
22	William Stakus	72	3	5	Heart Disease	Cannot be learned
22	Mary Imhoff	76	4	20	Bronchopneumonia	James Carney & Julia McMann
24	Grace C. Altier	91	2	22	Heart Failure	Edward A. & Margaret Scanlon
24	Margaret Deane	85	5	18	Myocardial Infarction	Murdock MacLeod & Mary C.B.L.
28	Eliza Chiocca	77	10	22	Pulmonary Edema	Saturno Fergosi & Maria Guisti
28	James M. Cummings	67	8	20	Heart Failure	Daniel J. & Annie A. Anglin

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
July						
1	Anthony Kowalewski	79	—	20	Coronary Sclerosis	Cannot be learned
12	Maria Faria	81	1	19	Heart Disease	Cannot be learned
16	Arthur P. Andersen	49	9	4	Carbon Monoxide Suicide	Andrew P. & Marzella Nickelaisen
17	Georgé Ryder	67	9	22	Amyotrophic Sclerosis	John Yazijian & Sutlan Tanekajian
26	Michael M. Fortes	38	8	18	Coronary Thrombosis	Manuel & Marie Almeida
30	Eli Pateuk	82	—	11	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Basil & Cannot be learned
August						
10	Albert J. Giovaninni	52	7	16	Cancer	John & Mary Garuti
17	John E. Cole	84	10	6	Acute pulmonary edema	Thomas & Laura Strong
17	Dorothy E. Corcoran	50	2	5	Carcinoma	William Morris & Edna L. Keyser
18	Adolph Yudeikis	76	10	10	Cancer	Cannot be learned
19	David W. Chiappini	6	—	22	Cerebral Contusion—Fall	Francis & Louise Costa
22	Harton A. Ross	46	11	16	Septicemia—Ulcerative colitis	Norman & Mary MacLean
30	Bridget Perry	76	9	—	Heart disease	John Corticelli & Katherine Tomassill
September						
3	Louise Resmini	77	10	8	Cerebral Thrombosis	Michael Folloni & Rosalinda Leonardi
5	Bertha W. Dunn	64	7	23	Cerebro vascular accident	————— Lincoln & Idella Pierce
6	Henry W. Pratt	80	—	20	Uremia	Wallace M. & Ellen K. Keith
13	Joseph S. Roque	41	4	17	Heart disease	John & Mary Oliver
20	Albert W. Daniels	65	—	—	Bronchopneumonia	Wincenty Dankszewicz & Patricia Yakubowska
30	Margaret Mintie	87	7	27	Heart disease	James W. Smith & Fanny McDonah
October						
3	James L. Erwin	79	6	12	Heart disease	George H. & Sarah Smith
10	Josiah C. Tuck	83	5	9	Heart disease	Josiah C. & Susan Hall

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Cause of Death	Name of Parents
17	Anna M. Reed	91	5	20	Heart disease	Albert F. & Isabela Richardson
26	Christine Worcester	74	6	12	Heart disease	Archibald McGilvray & Sarah _____
27	Martha M. Camp	60	7	25	Metastatic cancer	Unknown
28	Robin L. Miller		7	3	Pulmonary Edema	Charles P. & Greta L. Nystrom
28	Kenneth R. Talbot	55	—	16	Left Hypernephroma	Henry W. & Isabel Simpson
November						
1	Mary L. Shepard	89	4	20	Bronchopneumonia	Victorina DeLaura & Jacinthia deChaves
4	Alphonse Mazukina	66	6	—	Heart disease	Anthony & Elzbeta Chalkis
6	Francis J. Haviland	72	5	9	Heart disease	Edward J. & Katherine Donovan
8	Lucinda G. Bugby	88	7	8	Bronchopneumonia	James Carter & Lucinda Beal
14	Peter Kondrotas	74	—	6	Coronary Thrombosis	Dominick & Agnes Petkunas
15	Charles F. Miller	80	1	5	Heart disease	David & Adelaide Griffith
17	James E. Provonche	26	11	7	Diabetic coma	Dana H. & Marguerite M. Meseive
19	Henry W. Knight	79	6	4	Heart disease	James & Harriet _____
29	Mary Chimbur	67	11	9	Coronary Thrombosis	Konstanty Dubitski & Anna Sinkewicz
December						
1	Annic Richmond	77	3	23	Pneumonia	Jeremiah Murray & Mary Toomey
4	Ramon G. Fraser	73	4	14	Cerebral hemorrhage	Marchant & Roberta Gilmore
9	Anna Milus	79	11	14	Arteriosclerosis	Joseph Borocas & Rose _____
13	Josephine M. Dubee	68	6	17	Cancer of sigmoid	John Quinn & Cumantha Outhouse
19	Julia C. Carter	71	3	7	Heart disease	Joseph & Harriet Hoyt
21	William E. Hunt	77	—	—	Congestive heart failure	George & Lillian Browne
22	Lester Cook	75	4	13	Cerebral embolism	William & Cora Standish
25	Michael H. Dee	83	—	—	Uremia	James & _____ O'Connell
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Receipts of Town Clerk's Office for 1962

SPORTING LICENSES

	NO.		GROSS	FEES
Resident Fishing Licenses	216	@\$4.25	\$918.00	\$54.00
Resident Hunting Licenses	212	@ 4.25	901.00	53.00
Resident Sporting Licenses	83	@ 7.25	601.75	20.75
Res. Minor Fishing Licenses	40	@ 2.25	90.00	10.00
Res. Fem. Fishing Licenses	43	@ 3.25	139.75	10.75
Res. Cit. Trapping Licenses	9	@ 7.75	69.75	2.25
Res. Cit. Minor Trapping	2	@ 2.25	4.50	.50
Non. Res. Cit. Fishing	3	@ 8.75	26.25	.75
Duplicate Licenses	10	@ .50	5.00	
Sp. Non. Res. Fishing Licenses	3	@ 4.25	12.75	.75
Archery Stamps	9	@ 1.10	9.90	.90
Totals	630		\$2,778.65	\$153.65

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

DOG LICENSES

	NO.		GROSS	FEES
Male	353	@\$2.00	\$706.00	\$88.25
Female	54	@ 5.00	270.00	13.50
Spayed Female	199	@ 2.00	398.00	49.75
Kennel	18	@10.00	180.00	4.50
Kennel	1	@50.00	50.00	.25
Transfer	2	@ .25		.50
Total	627		\$1,604.00	\$156.75

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	101	@ \$1.00	\$101.00
1 correction			.50
2 abstract			1.00

To Town Clerk		1.00		103.50
Marriage Certificates	36	@ 1.00	36.00	
3 abstract			1.50	
1 correction			.50	
1 statement			.50	38.50
Death Certificates	140	@ 1.00	140.00	
1 abstract			.50	140.50
Marriages	67	@ 2.00	134.00	
	5	@ 4.00	20.00	154.00
Poles — N. E. Tel. & Tel.			27.00	
Poles— 2 Agreements			2.00	29.00
Poles— Brockton Edison Electric				37.50
Financing Statements	278	@ 3.00	834.00	
Search			1.00	
Examination			1.00	
Cross Index			1.00	
U. S. Treas. Lien			4.00	841.00
Terminations	62	@ 1.00		62.00
Dog Fees	627	@ .25		156.75
Sporting Fees	611	@ .25	152.75	
	9	@ .10	.90	153.65
Gas Renewal	15	@ .50		7.50
Discontinuance of Business	1	@ .50		.50
Junk Dealer's Lic.	1	@ 25.00		25.00
Business Notice	7	@ 1.00		7.00
Withdrawal of Partnership	1	@ .50		.50
Auctioneer's Lic. Renewal	4	@ 2.00		8.00
Searching Records — To Town Clerk				2.00
Street Lists	27	@ 1.00		27.00
Telephone				.50
Postage				.47
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				\$1,794.87

Paid to the Town Treasurer, taking his receipt.

JENNIE W. CARROLL
Town Clerk

PLYMOUTH COUNTY MOSQUITO CONTROL PROJECT

In reporting on the project's activities and accomplishments in 1962, there have been successful advances made toward the program's main objectives.

We are always happy to report that no single case of equine encephalitis was recorded in the county. There was considerable concern in mid-July by the project and the U. S. Public Health Service, as surveys indicated a heavy population of vector species mosquitoes and virus in bird life

Again, this condition centered in and adjacent to the "Hockomock Swamp" and with adequate project funds always established for that area, we tripled our aerial spray efforts in the swamp over the previous seasons. This was a pre-hatch treatment the first week in August and all later surveys showed good control.

The coordinated efforts of the programs in Bristol, Norfolk and Plymouth Counties have certainly reduced our hazard of an outbreak of this disease.

In all other areas our residual spray control and pre-hatch treatment of breeding wetlands was most successful this year, several factors contributed to this effectiveness. 1: We did not have the frequent showers this summer to void the results of spray efforts. 2: In each town we have continued on our drainage program to eliminate stagnant breeding wetlands, while this is a slow and expensive method, it is positive mosquito control and the most economical in the long run. 3: The experience of our personnel and their added knowledge each season of mosquito problems in their district is very apparent.

With the increasing concern on the possible hazards of carelessness in the use of insecticides, your superintendent has just completed forty years of experience in the using of all pesticides and you may be assured that all of the project personnel have been thoroughly schooled in the proper and safe use of each insecticide involved in our program.

We appreciate and want to thank all town officials and personnel who have continued to cooperate with us in our program.

Respectfully submitted,

WARREN G. HARDING
Superintendent

PLYMOUTH COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

(Plymouth County Extension Service)

BY

Robert B. Ewing, County Agent-Manager

A review of last year's report would show that an attempt was made to answer the question — "What is the Extension Service?" The report stated that in 1914 Congress passed the Smith-Lever Law which clearly stated, that the Extension Service shall "aid in diffusing among the people of the United States useful and practical information on subjects relating to Agriculture and Home Economics, and to encourage the application of the same."

The Extension Service has always been known as "the educational arm" of the United States Department of Agriculture and the title "Cooperative Extension Service" is used because Federal, State and County Governments cooperate in furnishing this service to the citizens of Plymouth County. Each year agreements are written between the United States Department of Agriculture, the University of Massachusetts, and Plymouth County.

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

Although methods may change with the times, the basic job of the Extension Service remains the same, and that is, as the 1914 Law states, "to aid in diffusing among the people of the United States useful and practical information on the subjects relating to

Agriculture and Home Economics and to encourage the application of the same."

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

Federal, State and County government funds are used for conducting the Extension Service programs. Along with these funds, most towns in Plymouth County make an annual appropriation which is used for the general expenditures of the Plymouth County Extension Service. Town Directors are appointed in those towns where an appropriation is made. These Town Directors are unpaid volunteer leaders who serve as the Extension Service representative in their respective town.

All citizens should make full use of their Extension Service as it is supported by the Federal, State and County Governments. It should be remembered that while the Extension Service furnishes the information it is up to the individual citizen who receives this information to decide how it can be used to best advantage.

Requests for information can be directed to the Plymouth County Extension Service, Court House, Brockton, Massachusetts.

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

Mr. John Prentice, Plymouth, Chairman
 Mrs. Elva Bent Swartz, Brockton
 Mr. Lewis Billings, Plympton
 Mrs. Mabel Chandler, Duxbury
 Mr. John Duffy, Halifax
 Mrs. Gladys Gibbs, Hanover
 Mr. Robert Hammond, Wareham
 Mr. John Howe, West Bridgewater
 Mr. John W. Little, Marshfield

REPORT OF ASSESSORS

Number of Persons, Partnerships and Corporations Assessed on Property	2356
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Value of Assessed Real Estate:

Buildings	\$21,719,866.00
13,781 acres of land	3,754,007.00

Total Value of Real Estate	\$25,473,873.00
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Value of Personal Estate:

Stock in Trade	\$101,100.00
Machinery	59,350.00
Live Stock	8,693.00

7 Horses
35 Cows
9 Neat Cattle other than Cows

47 Swine

134 Fowl

56 Other Livestock

All Other Tangible

Personal Property	1,705,799.00
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Total Value of Personal Property	\$1,874,942.00
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Total Valuation—January 1, 1962	\$27,348,815.00
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Total Valuation—January 1, 1961	11,731,639.00
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Total Increase in Valuation—1962	\$15,617,176.00
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RECAPITULATION OF TAX RATE

Total Appropriations at Town Meetings	\$1,552,892.92
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Total Appropriations from Available Funds	155,103.86	
		\$1,707,996.78
Tax Title Foreclosure		144.00
Health Expenses, Sec. 31, Chap. 44		1,194.54
State Tax and Assessments		10,060.19
County Tax and Assessments		65,246.60
Overlay of current year		29,543.50
Gross Amount to be Raised		\$1,814,185.61

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:

Income Taxes	\$120,088.85
Corporations Taxes	43,099.20
Reimbursement a/c publicly owned land	19,385.95
Old Age Meal Taxes	5,476.72
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	133,403.02
Licenses	11,186.28
Fines	400.00
Special Assessments	5,813.67
General Government	4,123.77
Protection of Persons & Property	356.40
Health and Sanitation	740.71
Highways	1,141.56
Charities	49,318.42
Old Age Assistance	31,799.75
Veterans' Services	12,000.00
School	37,237.34
Libraries	458.55
Recreation	1,300.00
Interest on Taxes	5,505.09
State Assistance for School Construction	26,273.28
Farm Animal Excise	662.27

Taxes—Paraplegic Veterans	250.00	
Returned Dividends—		
Group Insurance	3,775.30	
Handling State Income Taxes	65.00	
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	\$513,861.13	
Overestimate:		
County Tax	2,183.58	
State Tax	404.33	
Amounts to be taken from		
Available Funds	155,103.86	
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Total Available Funds	\$157,691.77	<hr/> <hr/>
Total Estimated Receipts and		
Available Funds		\$671,552.90
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Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation		
on Polls and Property		\$1,142,632.71
Number of Polls—2461 @ \$2.00	\$4,922.00	
Personal Property:		
\$1,874,942.00—Tax Rate—\$41.60	77,997.59	
Real Estate:		
\$25,473,873.00—Tax Rate		
—\$41.60	1,059,713.12	
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Total Taxes Levied on Polls and Property		1,142,632.71
Items Not in the Determination of the Tax Rate:		
Sewer Added to Taxes	\$260.15	
Water Liens added to Taxes	4,963.50	
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Total of All other Commitments		5,223.65
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Total of 1962 Taxes Committed to Collector		\$1,147,856.36
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COMPUTATION OF SCHOOL RATE

General Appropriation	\$526,728.34	
Principal and Interest on School Loan	56,736.25	
Sprinkler System— McElwain and School St.	20,000.00	
Books—Library	500.00	
Group Medical Life & Surgical Insurance (52%)	5,720.00	
School Police	3,343.00	
Regional School Apportionment	404,063.15	
Building Insurance 82.51% of \$4,662.52	3,847.05	
Liability Insurance 90% of \$311.47	280.32	
Academy Maintenance	4,436.81	
Contributory Retirement Appropriation	4,930.21	
Total School Appropriations		<u>\$1,030,585.13</u>
School Percentage 57.747% of Overlay \$29,318.85		<u>16,930.76</u>
		\$1,047,515.89
Estimated School Income:		
School Department Income plus Transportation	\$37,237.34	
Income Tax Distribution for School Purposes	96,503.99	
State Assistance for School Construction	26,273.28	
Total Estimated School Income		<u>\$160,014.61</u>

Estimated General Receipts:

Income Tax	23,584.86
Corporation Taxes	43,099.20
State Owned Land	19,385.95
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	133,403.02
Licenses	11,186.28
Fines	400.00
Interest	2,815.62

Total Estimated General Receipts	<u>\$233,874.93</u>
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School Percentage 57.747% of Estimated General Receipts	<u>\$135,055.75</u>
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Total Deductions	<u>\$295,070.36</u>
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School Assessment	<u>\$752,445.53</u>
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Computation of School Percentage:

Gross Amount to be Raised	\$1,813,960.96
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Overlays	\$29,318.85	29,318.85
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Net Amount to be Raised	<u><u>\$1,784,642.11</u></u>
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School Percentage—Total School Appropriations	\$1,030,585.13	=57.747%
Net Amount to be Raised	1,784,642.11	

Computation of Rates:

School Tax Rate—School Assessment	\$752,445.53	= \$27.52
Valuation	27,343,415.00	

General Tax Rate:

Total Tax Rate \$41.60	Less School Tax Rate \$27.52	= \$14.08
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MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

State Rate of Taxation	\$66.00
Number of Vehicles Registered in 1962	5143
Value of Vehicles Registered	\$2,762,840.00
Amount of Commitments	158,180.03

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION

Churches, Cemeteries and Other	
Organizations	\$423,725.00
State Farm	1,437,250.00
State Teachers College	2,050,100.00
Other State Owned Property	138,892.00
Soldiers, Sailors, Wives & Widows (Clauses 17 & 22) and Clause 18	327,700.00
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Total	\$4,377,667.00

ASSETS OF THE TOWN

Town Hall and Equipment	\$83,000.00
Schools	1,599,000.00
Libraries	79,250.00
Fire Department and Equipment	89,500.00
Police Department and Equipment	4,500.00
Water Department, including Mains	912,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	78,000.00
Health Dept. Refuse and Garbage dis.	300.00
Municipal Garage	31,500.00
Highway Department Equip.	36,000.00
Sewer Department and System	312,000.00
Parking Lot	20,000.00
Academy	137,000.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	2,500.00
Tax Possessions	2,381.73
Gravel Beds	650.00
Forestry Dept. (Moth)	5,000.00
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Total	\$3,392,581.73

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHUCKRAN, Chairman
WALTER P. MURRAY, Clerk
FREDERICK E. YEATON

Board of Assessors

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Water consumption continued to rise in 1962 with new homes being added to the system throughout the year. Water pumped during the year amounted to 218,190,750 gallons, averaging 597,782 gallons daily, as compared to 1961's total of 213,912,500 gallons and 586,061 daily average.

4400 feet of new 8 inch main was laid on Bridge Street during the year. This main will be tied into the East Bridgewater system in the future to serve as an emergency source of water in case of serious fire or well failure in Bridgewater.

The search for additional water within the town went on during the summer and fall. Forty test wells were driven in prime locations throughout the town during this search, and not one produced water in sufficient quantity to justify further development. This was discouraging to this Board, inasmuch, as what were considered to be the best locations were explored with no tangible results.

This Board feels that further search must continue. New locations are being selected and additional money is being requested at the coming Town Meeting.

The Board wishes to stress that it does not wish to convey the impression that Bridgewater is short of water at this time. The town has sufficient water for its current needs, but will not have if new homes, new dormitories, or new businesses continue to be built in town.

Expansion of the sewer plant, which was voted at the last annual Town Meeting, should be underway by late spring. Plans have been in preparation during this year and are in the final

stages at this time. The recommendations of the special committee on sewer expansion, which reported and recommended increasing the sewer plant's capacity from 220,000 to 600,000 gallons per day, have been followed, and should provide the town with a plant that will serve until about 1980 without further expansion.

No new sewer mains were laid during 1962, inasmuch as the sewer plant was not large enough to handle the present load without adding more. No additional mains are, in fact, planned until the plant is expanded and in operation, which should be in late 1963.

Respectfully submitted,

ALVAH TOLIVAISA, Chairman
ARTHUR JOYCE
JAMES BUMPUS

Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

A summary of the financial transactions of the Town Treasurer for the financial year ending December 31, 1962 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, 1962		\$ 216,946.80
Receipts:		
Revenue	\$1,913,258.83	
Non-Revenue	1,149,184.02	3,062,442.85
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		\$3,279,389.65

PAYMENTS

Payments:

Revenue	\$2,309,349.38	
Non-Revenue	821,920.73	3,131,270.11
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Balance December 31, 1962		148,119.54
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		\$3,279,389.65

I wish to thank all of the various departments from whom I received excellent co-operation in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT LANZIKOS
Treasurer

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES IN ACCOUNT WITH
THE TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER

1959

Debit

Outstanding January 1, 1962

Poll	\$	2.00	
Personal		104.20	
Real Estate		184.35	
Excise		67.20	
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			\$ 357.75
Interest		70.77	
Cost		19.00	89.77
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			\$ 447.52

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1959

Credit

Collections.			
Personal	\$	104.20	
Real Estate		184.35	
Excise		42.08	330.63
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Interest		70.77	
Cost		19.00	89.77
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Abatements			
Poll		2.00	
Excise		25.12	27.12
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	\$		447.52

1960

Debit

Outstanding January 1, 1962			
Poll	\$	6.00	
Personal		611.44	
Real Estate		2,031.09	
Excise		2,053.83	
Water Added to Real Estate		8.64	
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			4,711.00
Interest		163.50	
Cost		62.70	226.20
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	\$		4,937.20

1960

Credit

Collections			
Poll	\$	4.00	
Personal		423.52	
Real Estate		1,637.78	

Excise	306.20	
Water Added to Real Estate	8.64	
	<hr/>	2,380.14
Abatements		
Poll	\$ 2.00	
Personal	28.72	
Excise	1,747.63	1,778.35
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Interest	163.50	
Cost	62.70	226.20
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Tax Title		
Real Estate	260.49	260.49
Outstanding December 31, 1962		
Personal	159.20	
Real Estate	132.82	292.02
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		\$ 4,937.20

1961

Debit

Outstanding January 1, 1962		
Poll	\$ 22.00	
Personal	3,188.05	
Farm Animal Excise	96.76	
Real Estate	54,914.45	
Water Added to Real Estate	703.08	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	23.20	
Unapportioned Sewer	8,359.53	
Excise	5,408.47	
1961 Motor Vehicle Excise		
Committed in 1962	20,599.72	93,315.26
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Interest	1,340.79	
Cost	845.21	2,186.00
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Refunds

Real Estate	784.96	
Excise	1,916.61	2,701.57
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		\$ 98,202.83

1961

Credit

Collections

Poll	\$ 10.00	
Personal	2,349.57	
Farm Animal Excise	30.76	
Real Estate	51,420.46	
Water Added to Real Estate	600.33	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	23.20	
Unapportioned Sewer	3,500.00	
Excise	21,748.58	
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1961 Sewer Apportioned in 1962	4,859.53	4,859.53
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Abatements

Poll	10.00	
Personal	481.68	
Real Estate	892.00	
Excise	3,856.87	5,240.55
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Interest	1,340.79	
Cost	845.21	2,186.00
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Tax Title

Real Estate	2,138.00	
Water Added to Real Estate	102.75	2,240.75
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Outstanding December 31, 1962

Poll	2.00	
Personal	356.80	
Farm Animal Excise	66.00	

Real Estate	1,248.95	
Excise	2,319.35	3,993.10
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		\$ 98,202.83

1962

Debit

Committed

Poll	\$ 4,922.00	
Personal	77,997.59	
Farm Animal Excise	609.40	
Real Estate	1,061,164.12	
Water Added to Real Estate	4,963.50	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	260.15	
Unapportioned Sewer	5,978.68	
Sewer Apportionment	1,250.18	
Sewer Apportionment Committed		
Interest	333.51	
Motor Vehicle Excise	158,180.03	
Water	87,459.28	
Sewer	5,917.75	
1961 Water Balance Brought Forward	10,109.00	
1961 Sewer Balance Brought Forward	426.85	1,419,572.04
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Refunds

Poll	14.00	
Real Estate	1,079.39	
Water Added to Real Estate	26.13	
Motor Vehicle Excise	3,461.11	
Water	18.88	
Sewer	.66	4,600.17
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Interest	390.45	
Cost	1,245.15	1,635.60
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\$1,425,807.81

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1962

Credit

Collections

Poll	\$ 4,124.00	
Personal	76,470.32	
Farm Animal Excise	528.39	
Real Estate	963,864.12	
Real Estate Refunds Cancelled	241.28	
Water Added to Real Estate	3,821.42	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	200.90	
Unapportioned Sewer	1,539.88	
Apportioned Sewer	1,144.86	
Apportioned Sewer Committed Interest	280.31	
Motor Vehicle Excise	130,151.46	
Water	80,033.13	
1962 Sewer	5,281.40	
1961 Sewer Collected in 1962	166.70	1,267,848.17

Abatements

Poll	802.00	
Personal	10.40	
Real Estate	11,307.08	
Unapportioned Sewer	438.40	
Sewer Apportionment	19.83	
Sewer Apportionment Committed Interest	12.78	
Motor Vehicle Excise	21,195.63	
Water	213.67	
Sewer	33.90	34,033.69
Interest	390.45	
Cost	1,245.15	1,635.60

1962

Credit

Cancellation

Sewer Apportionment	10.83	
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Sewer Apportionment Committed Interest	3.87	14.70
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Tax Title		
Real Estate	5,428.80	
Water Added to Real Estate	344.57	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	28.75	5,802.12
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Added to 1962 Taxes		
Water	4,963.50	
Sewer	260.15	5,223.65
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Outstanding December 31, 1962		
Poll	10.00	
Personal	1,516.87	
Farm Animal Excise	81.01	
Real Estate	81,402.23	
Water Added to Real Estate	823.64	
Sewer Added to Real Estate	30.50	
Apportioned Sewer	74.66	
Apportioned Sewer Committed Interest	36.55	
Motor Vehicle Excise	10,294.05	
Water	12,376.86	
Sewer	603.11	107,249.48
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Sewer Apportionment Not Due	4,000.40	4,000.40
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		\$1,425,807.81

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT LANZIKOS
Collector

REPORT OF THE VETERANS' GRAVES OFFICER

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1962.

Markers and Flags have been placed on the following graves:

St. Thomas Aquinas Cemetery — James M. Cummings, WW1; A. Henry Righini, WW1; Albert W. Daniels, WW1; Francis W. Keveney, WW2.

Mt. Prospect Cemetery — Charles L. Hooper, WW1; Rosario Wood, WW1.

Veterans buried in other cemeteries — Harton A. Ross, WW2; George Chrismos, WW1; Dr. William E. Hunt, WW1.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL L. SOULE
Veterans' Graves Officer.

VETERANS' SERVICES

Board of Selectmen
Bridgewater, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is a summary of the activities of the Department of Veterans' Services during fiscal 1962.

The amount spent in concurrence with authorizations received from the Massachusetts Commissioner of Veterans' Serv-

ices was \$28,786.00. The pattern of expense did not vary substantially except for an unusual amount of medical assistance which was concentrated in a small number of cases. We can expect greater assistance in this category as the veteran population grows older but the very sharp rise this year appears to be a coincidence rather than a trend. The new federal medical care to the aged program (MAA) may relieve this facet of the veterans program somewhat but it will probably apply for the most part where the applicant seeks medical assistance only. Where the applicant is also receiving ordinary benefits, i.e. subsistence, there would be some question of the wisdom of subjecting him to both programs since eligibility for subsistence may depend on his medical status and because of other complications.

As in the past it appears that the initial cause for seeking assistance was not unemployment but illness or physical disability. As there is no increase in the number of veterans, the steady increase in expense for benefits stems from other causes. When the veteran was young, he was single, healthy and benefits expended on his behalf were at a minimum. Later he acquired a wife and family and subsequently his parents became aged and also eligible. As time progresses we are dealing with not only one person, but his wife, an average of two children and possibly dependent parents. In other words where there was once one person eligible, there may eventually be six. Carrying this to conclusion, based on the national average, there are 1,000 veterans in Bridgewater or a group of 6,000 persons from whom, fortunately, few applications are received.

If I seem to belabor this point it is because it appears that the cost of this program will steadily rise, reasons for it should be given, and provisions should be made for the future.

On the brighter side, some of these costs are reduced through the process of obtaining federal (Veterans Administration) hospitalization, compensation and pension benefits. Approximately \$12,000.00 was saved through this procedure in 1962.

Services which were continued to be offered apart from cash benefits were the processing of claims for disability compensation,

non-service connected pensions, filing of annual income questionnaires, securing G.I. loan certificates and miscellaneous Veterans Administration benefits.

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 usual fine cooperation was received from town officials, veterans organizations, state and federal agencies and our thanks to all of these are extended.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. BAKER
Veterans Agent

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Citizens of Bridgewater:

The Board of Public Welfare organized with John Chuckran as Chairman, Walter P. Murray, Clerk and Frederick E. Yeaton, member. The regular Board Meetings are held every Friday night, and the Director, Harold D. Lee meets with the Board when necessary.

In June, Miss Edith Rhoades, our chief clerk, retired after many years of dedicated, faithful and efficient service to the Town of Bridgewater. Miss Rhoades worked in other offices of the town but is best known for her work in the Welfare Office. We miss her very much. Mrs. Edith Anderson of West Bridgewater was hired in May as a Social Worker. Miss Anna McDonald, hired in July to replace Miss Rhoades, resigned in November. Miss Carol Ann Dee has been hired to replace Miss McDonald.

The average number of cases aided to Dependent Children each month during the year was 27 with the average number of individuals aided monthly at 101. During December, 1962, the case count was 28 with 106 individuals aided.

The monthly average of cases of Old Age Assistance under this program was 81. It was expected that there would be a decrease in the number of persons receiving aid under this program but such was not the case and a decrease of any appreciable size is not expected for 1963. The case count for December 1962 was 79.

The average number of cases aided for Medical Aid for the Aged in this category was 30, however, there has been an increase of 15 cases since January 1, 1962. It should be anticipated that the number of cases aided under this program will continue to rise. The number of cases in December 1962, was 39.

The category of Disability Assistance has had the largest percentage of increase during 1962. There has been a net gain of 6 cases and in December 1962, the count was 16 cases. There are four cases which require nursing home care and there has been extensive hospitalization in five other cases. These factors have combined to make this program more expensive than was anticipated at the beginning of the year.

Federal participation in the Old Age Assistance was increased from \$49.80 per person to \$54.00 per person effective October 1, 1962.

Federal participation in Disability Assistance was increased from \$42.30 to 46.50 per person, also effective October 1, 1962.

The requests for aid under the General Relief program were relatively few, mostly of emergency nature and therefore of short duration.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHUCKRAN, Chairman
WALTER P. MURRAY, Clerk
FREDERICK E. YEATON
Board of Public Welfare

REPORT OF THE WIRE INSPECTOR

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I, hereby, submit my Annual Report as Inspector of Wires for Bridgewater, Mass., for the year ending December 31, 1962.

A total of 1445 Wiring Permits were received and inspected during the year as follows:

Change of Service or new Service	229
Addition to existing wiring	840
Oil Burner or Gas Burner	82
Electric Ranges	89
Electric Hot Water Tanks	64
Electric Dryers	98
Electric Dishwashers	19
Electric Disposals	18
Air-Conditioning Units	6

This year there has been more work added to the Inspector of Wires, with the signing of the Edison Refunds for Dryers and Hot Water Tanks. It is required that all Refunds in Bridgewater have to be signed and inspected by the Wire Inspector.

This year as in the past there were many cases of defective wiring. All cases reported to this date have been corrected and inspected.

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

Respectfully submitted,

CARL N. MESERVE
Inspector of Wires

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC LIBRARY

Annual Report for 1962

The Trustees of the Bridgewater Public Library have this year attempted to provide for increased use of the library facilities by accepting State Aid. The purpose of these monies is to enable libraries to increase services not to replace existing funds. The trustees were notified that the Bridgewater Public Library had met all requirements of the new State Library Law and state aid to the amount of \$2,569 would be paid to the town by July 1st.

Routine repairs to the building have been made. A requested cross walk to provide a safety zone for children and adults, has been provided on South St. from the Academy building to the library.

Despite the opening of the Regional School library, the use of the public library as a study and reference center continues, with constantly rising circulation figures. In December the town lost a devoted member of the Board of Library Trustees with the sudden death of Miss Julia Carter. Miss Carter, a former State College librarian maintained an active knowledge of and interest in the library affairs, which made her a valuable member of the trustees.

Trustees for 1962 were:

Mr. Albert F. Hunt, Jr., Chairman	Mr. Herman Daiker
Mr. Franklin Mitchell, Vice Chairman	Mr. Robert Danstedt
Mrs. Harry K. Moore, Secretary	Miss Ruth Davis
Miss Julia Carter	Mrs. Richard Dowd
Mrs. Roger Wheeler	

MARJORIE D. MOORE

Secretary

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of Bridgewater Public Library:

The past year has been a rewarding one for the library. The pupils using the library for study are well behaved, and the dis-

turbing factors of previous years have been resolved. The only real problem is overcrowding as we do not have enough seating capacity.

It is pleasing to note the increase in adult readers who find weekly enjoyment from library books. The Children's library has been most active with interested children plus fine exhibitions of art work done in the lower grades.

It is the hope of the librarians that we may be able to have part of the basement finished for stack space which is so badly needed.

Students working in the library this year are: Meredith Jones, Bonnie Murray, Barbara Grant, Elizabeth Sposini, Jerrilyn Byrne, and Clara Waker.

Biography, Travel, History and Art, have been the most read categories for adults, while the children were more interested in Fiction, Social Science and Biography.

1125 new books have been added plus 25 gift books.

The Children's library has increased over last year while in the main library it has dropped due to Regional School students using their library for book reports. Reference work for students is still very active.

Circulation figures for 1962 are:

Adult	
Non fiction	23,291
Fiction	20,676
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Total	59,146
Children	
Non fiction	8,132

Fiction	13,589
Total	21,721
Grand Total	80,867

BERTHA J. CAMERON
Librarian

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my summary of the Building Inspector's report for the year 1962.

New dwellings 63 — estimated cost \$671,500. Garages 17 — \$67,850. Additions of alterations to Non-residential 7 — \$60,760. Additions or alterations to residential 43 — \$69,539. New Commercial Buildings 5 — \$113,000. Shelters, sheds and poultry houses 7 — \$4,875. Move building 4 — \$150. Dumbwaiter 1 — \$1,600. Fruit and vegetable stand 1 — \$75. Demolish or dismantle building 15 — \$2,750.

Total permits issued 163. Total estimated cost \$992,099.00
Total permit fees submitted to Treasurer \$1,101.50.

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

At this time I would like to express my deepest appreciation to you, the Planning Board, Zoning-Appeals Board, Town Accountant, the various town departments, contractors and the many individuals for their wonderful cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER J. ZAVERUCHA
Building Inspector

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We hereby submit our annual report for the year 1962.

Town Deaths 114

Mass. Corr. Institution 45

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

Measles	102
Chicken Pox	19
Dog Bites	48
German Measles	11
Tuberculosis	39
(M.C.I. 37)	
(Town 2)	
Hepatitis	2
Mumps	10
Scarlet Fever (including Strep. Throat)	13
Whooping Cough	12

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 of birth, he shall immediately give notice thereof over his signature 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 read-

mission 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 readmission from one of the school physicians, Dr. Leo Zalon, 85 Broad Street, or Dr. Hector Douglass, 30 Bedford Street.

**LIST OF LICENSES AND PERMITS ISSUED
BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH**

Plumbing Permits	138	Funeral Director	4
Milk	16	Camp	1
Motel	1	Pasteurization	1
Nursery School	4	Cesspool	57
Piggery	2		

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
LLOYD F. RAND, Agent
CECIL V. HAYES, Secretary
Board of Health

Report of Health Agent

I herewith submit the annual report as Health Agent for the year 1962.

There were 28 complaints received which were investigated and recommendations for corrections were complied with. There are 5 that are still pending.

There were 57 permits issued for septic tanks.

All Southeastern Board of Health meetings were attended during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

LLOYD F. RAND, R.S.
Health Agent

Report of Plumbing Inspector

To The Board of Health
Bridgewater, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report on plumbing inspections for the year 1962:

All plumbing applications filed with the Board of Health, and permits issued for the same have been inspected as far as the work has progressed.

Number of fixtures and appurtenances inspected: 863.

All plumbing violations that have been brought to my attention have been corrected.

I wish to thank you gentlemen for your cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

ELDON M. THOMPSON
Plumbing Inspector

Report of Gas Inspector

To The Board of Health
Bridgewater, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Gas Inspector for the year 1962.

All gas piping and gas appliances listed in applications filed with Mr. Cecil Hayes, Clerk of the Gas Dept. have been inspected and found to conform with the Massachusetts Code.

I wish to thank Mr. Cecil Hayes as Clerk and Mr. George Covington, Deputy Inspector for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELDON M. THOMPSON
Gas Inspector

Inspector of Eating and Drinking Establishments

Board of Health
Bridgewater, Mass.

Gentlemen:

During the year 1962 inspection of eating and drinking establishments were made and bacteria swab counts of utensils used. The program includes school lunch facilities, Day Nursery and Nursing Home. Any unsatisfactory conditions found at time of inspection are reported and recheck made to insure correction. The general sanitary conditions and cooperation of operators in town have been found very good, but improvement is, of course, expected and required.

Respectfully submitted,

PUTNAM STEELE, R.S.
Inspector of eating & drinking establishments

Report of the Public Health Nurse

I herewith submit the annual report for the year 1962.

Plymouth County Hospital:	
Patients admitted	2
Patients discharged	4
Patients in other T.B. Hospitals:	
Rutland Heights	1
Inspections of Day Nurseries	4

We may well be proud of all our nursery schools and day care centers. They are continually improving and are trying to achieve a very high standard for the benefit of the children they serve.

Forty-eight Inoculations for the prevention of Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, and tetanus were administered to pre-school children by Dr. Leo Zalon, the Board of Health Physician, and are held each year in the Academy Building.

Booster doses for added immunity against Diphtheria and Tetanus were given in the spring to 552 students of the Kindergarten, elementary and High School.

No serious outbreaks were encountered of any disease.

There were 11 premature babies born during the year. Follow-up work was done on all of the cases. There was no financial assistance given from either the local or state departments.

There were 265 patients who had chest x-rays taken at Plymouth County Hospital. Arrangements were made for patients to go to the Plymouth County Hospital for examinations, chest x-rays and Tuberculosis testing. Follow-up work was done on Tuberculosis cases, contacts and suspected cases. Assistance was given to secure medical examinations when needed. Statistics show that Tuberculosis is on the decline and beginning January 1, 1963 there will be just 5 Tuberculosis Hospitals across the state. The nearest one is Norfolk County Hospital in Braintree which will admit Tuberculosis cases. The Plymouth County Hospital will continue to hold clinics as before for chest x-rays and examinations and they will maintain facilities for chronic disease cases only.

Biologic products for the use of the town physicians are stored in the Board of Health refrigerator at the local police station.

The Massachusetts State Department of Public Health made available sufficient free Sabin oral vaccine of Type 1 and Type 3 to be given to pre-school and school children through the first grade for immunization against poliomyelitis. The Board of Health purchased vaccine to be given to all school children through High School. A clinic for Type 1 of the oral Sabin vaccine was held for

adults at the Academy building. A small fee was charged for each dose administered. There were 3185 pre-school and school children and 1842 adults who received Type 1 Sabin oral vaccine. There were 2167 children who received type 3.

The 1962 health campaign to immunize and protect our community against this dread disease was fairly successful.

In 1963, the Board of Health hopes to immunize all townspeople. To have immunity against all 3 types of polio it is necessary to take separate doses of each of the 3 types of Sabin Vaccine.

Free literature on vital health problems for all ages maintained up to date in the corridor of the Academy building continues to be in demand by the public.

Plumbing and Gas permits may now be obtained at the Board of Health Office.

It is proposed that in 1963 the Board of Health will require that all food handlers in our community must have chest x-rays.

The Board of Health policy will be to continue to give the very best service possible to our townspeople.

In conclusion, I would like to express my gratitude to Dr. Leo Zalon, Mr. Lloyd Rand and Mr. Cecil Hayes and to all others who helped to make 1962 a better health educated year.

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE M. ZAHR, R.N.
Public Health Nurse

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, 1962.

The following members of the Fire Department were elected to serve as trustees for the year 1963.

Francis Bromley.	Peter Donati
John A. Hall	Lewis Bishop

Officers of The Board of Trustees Are:

President	George H. Sweeney
Secretary	Francis Bromley
Treasurer	Albert Lanzikos

The Fund Total as of January 1, 1962	\$3,078.82
Earned Dividends April 1	61.56
October 1	62.80
TOTAL	\$3,203.18
PAYMENTS	NONE
BALANCE	\$3,203.18

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SWEENEY
 FRANCIS BROMLEY
 LEWIS BISHOP
 JOHN A. HALL
 PETER DONATI
 ALBERT LANZIKOS
 JOHN CHUCKRAN

Board of Trustees

FRANCIS E. BROMLEY

Secretary

Report of 1962 Bridgewater Summer Swimming Program

The 1962 Bridgewater Summer Swimming Program was conducted for eight weeks, June 25 through August 17 at the Bridge-

water State College pool. Classes were scheduled five days each week, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. A recreational swimming period for children was scheduled from 3:00-4:00 p.m. daily. Only boys and girls who had successfully completed the American Red Cross test for beginners were permitted to attend the free swim sessions.

Evening sessions were scheduled on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Half of each evening period was devoted to adult instruction while the remaining portion of the evening was reserved for family swimming or adult recreational swimming.

The program was basically instructional and classes were set up on the basis of school grades and swimming classifications. Instruction was provided on the beginners, advanced beginners, intermediate swimmers, and advanced swimmers levels, in junior and senior life saving and in diving, synchronized swimming, competitive swimming, canoeing and paddleboard technique. The class in canoeing and paddleboard technique was limited to boys and girls who had completed the requirements for the American Red Cross swimmers certificate.

Two periods each week were reserved for a group of mentally retarded children. These youngsters were given some instruction but this phase of the program was mainly recreational. Periods were also reserved for water polo and other water games.

One intramural swimming meet was held and a home and home series was arranged with a group from Middleboro. Home meets were scheduled with teams from Hanover and Attleboro and many Bridgewater youngsters participated in the area swimming meet at the Campello pool in Brockton.

The annual water show was presented for three nights during the final week of the season. The program included the demonstration of skills at the various swimming levels, competitive swimming, novelty events, synchronized swimming, exhibition diving, life saving and water safety, and paddleboard techniques. One of the highlights of the final evening was a fathers vs sons relay race. In addition to Bridgewater youngsters and instructors, participants

in the water show included Mary Hoyle of Weymouth, Sgt. Gilbert Champagne of the Newton Police Department and Sgt. Robert Lynch of the Massachusetts State Police Academy.

Every effort was made to provide an optimum amount of time for instruction. All class periods for elementary school children at the beginners level allowed for thirty minutes of instruction in the water. Additional time was provided for groups in the higher skill classifications. Most groups met three times weekly for the first six weeks. A concentrated schedule providing for daily instruction was set up during the final two weeks of the program. A copy of the weekly schedule is included with this report.

The following chart indicates the number of American Red Cross certificates awarded for the past three years while the program has been sponsored by the Town of Bridgewater.

	1960	1961	1962	TOTALS
Beginner	108	131	94	333
Advanced Beginner (new classification in 1961)		27	99	126
Intermediate	15	42	40	97
Swimmer	1	30	17	48
Advanced Swimmer	0	1	8	9
Jr. Life Saving	14	14	8	36
Sr. Life Saving	7	4	5	16
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Totals	145	249	271	665

It is interesting to note that approximately half of the 665 certificates awarded have been at the beginners level (333).

Although the number of certificates awarded is in itself impressive the success of the program should not be judged solely on this criterion. Hundreds of children and adults have taken advantage of the opportunity for instruction but failed to complete all certificate requirements.

The program was conducted at a net cost to the town of \$4,034.74 The following is a general breakdown of expenditures and receipts:

Expenditures:	
Personnel services	\$3,996.40
Equipment and operating expense	1,402.20
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Total expense	\$5,398.60
Receipts:	
Daily attendance fees	\$1,171.36
11 out of town registrations	55.00
Water show receipts	137.50
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Total receipts	1,363.86
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Net cost of program	\$4,034.74

A few minor accidents occurred and there were a few instances of petty thefts. However, close supervision kept unpleasant incidents to a minimum. The most serious problem remains incidents involving malicious damage to bicycles outside the building.

High standards were maintained at all levels throughout the season. In preparation for the program the pool director corresponded with and interviewed several candidates for positions on the pool staff, and also served on the instructional staff of the American Red Cross Aquatic School at Camp Kiwanee in Hanson. An all-day meeting of pool personnel was held on June 21st to make general plans for the season and to set up the screening procedure for the first two days. The pool director and all three instructors are qualified Red Cross Water Safety Instructors.

The following persons comprised the pool program staff for the 1962 season:

Director	Harry Lehmann
Instructor	Marie Leger
Instructor	Newsom Maples
Instructor	John Olson
Registrar/clerk	Marcia Cahoon
Filter plant operator	James Cummings
Maintenance man (part time)	Walter Pearson
Police (evenings)	Anthony Andre
Locker room attendant	Betty Lou Joyce
Locker room attendant	Christopher Lee

During the 1962 season many volunteers assisted with the program. Their work was greatly appreciated.

I would also like to commend all members of the pool staff for their enthusiastic cooperation in providing a wholesome and valuable aquatic learning and recreational experience for the children and adults of Bridgewater.

A note of appreciation is also extended to Dr. Clement Maxwell, president emeritus of Bridgewater State College, the members of the Board of Selectmen, the town accountant and the town treasurer, the reporters, photographers, and editors of the Bridgewater Independent and the Brockton Enterprise, and all others who assisted in any way.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY LEHMANN, Director
Bridgewater Summer Swimming Program

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, 1962.

PERSONNEL

Permanent Men		Call Men	
1	Chief	1	Deputy Chief
1	Deputy Chief	3	Captains
1	Captain	1	Lieutenant
1	Lieutenant	20	Privates
Total 32 Men			

APPARATUS

Type	Make	Purchased
Combination	GMC	July 3, 1962
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 62 street boxes, (9 of which are private), and 11 Tappers. The Alarm Superintendent report is attached.

RECORD OF ALARMS

The department responded to 35 Box Alarms during the year:

Accidental Alarms	2	Fireplace	1
Acetylene Tank	1	Lawn Mower	1
Automobile	2	Lost Person	3
Building	5	Outside Aid	7
Bull Dozer	1	Rags	1
Chimney	2	Range	1
Coffee Shop	1	Rectifier	1
Curtains	1	Short Circuit	1
False Alarms	3	Steam	1

We also responded to 41 Squad Calls, as follows:

Accident	2	Fryolator	1
A. D. T.	4	Leather	1
Ambulance	2	Lost Person	1
Automobile	6	Miscellaneous	1
Building	1	Oil Burner	5
Building Collapse	1	Resuscitator	5
Chimney	1	Smell Smoke	1
Drowning	1	Smoke Scare	1
Electrical	2	Trailer	1
False Call	1	Washing Machine	1
First Aid	2		

We also responded to 87 Still Alarms, as follows:

A. D. T.	2	Fryolator	1
Ambulance	12	Gasoline	1
Automobile	12	Insulation	1

Backhoe	1	Lawn Mower	2
Building	1	Locked Out	2
Cabinet	1	Miscellaneous	4
Chair	1	Oil Burner	7
Clothing	1	Resuscitator	3
Dog in River	1	Smell Smoke	4
Drowning	1	Television	2
Dump	6	Transformer	1
Electrical	4	Truck	2
False Call	1	Wash Gasoline	7
First Aid	4	Washing Machine	2

EQUIPMENT USED

2½ in. Hose	4,300 feet	Ladders	212 feet
1½ in. Hose	1,200 feet	Ansul Ext.	12
Booster Hose	3,050 feet	Tanks Oxygen	10

REMARKS

The number of calls answered by the department remains about the same as in past years but the property damage resulting from these fires is less.

In July the new Combination was delivered and put into service. This truck is a great asset to modern fire fighting as it carries 500 gallons of water, a foam eductor, "live" lines, and many other advantages.

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

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

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. SWEENEY
Chief, Fire Department

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE FIRE ALARM

I hereby submit my report as Superintendent of Fire Alarm for the year 1962.

At present, the Fire Alarm includes 62 boxes; Heat Detectors and Waterflow warning devices in 1 Church, 1 School, 2 Industrial Plants and 9 College Buildings. At some time during the year 1963 2 more Schools and 2 College Buildings will be added to the foregoing.

The Interior System including Batteries, Rectifiers, Switchgear and Switchboard are in good working order, although the latter has passed the half-century mark and plans should be made in the near future to replace it.

Boxes, interior and exterior are periodically tested and I repeat my former recommendation, i.e., the oldest boxes should be replaced, perhaps one a year.

New line construction was completed this year on the Broad, Bedford and High Street Circuits due to the new Edison 13,000 volt line changes on these streets and this should result in a minimum of maintenance of these sections in the years ahead.

In conclusion, I wish to take the opportunity to thank you and the other Town Departments who have so ably cooperated with me during the current year.

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, 1962 .

PERSONNEL

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

RECORD OF ALARMS

The department answered 3 Box Alarms, 33 4-Blow Calls, and 73 Still Alarms as follows:

Brush	7	Pine Needles	4
Dump	41	Rubbish	3
Grass	18	Smoke Scare	2
Leaves	1	Smudge Pots	1
Misc.	1	Stumps	2
Lumber	7	Tree	4
Outside Aid	6	Woods	12

There were 8,051 Burning permits issued.

EQUIPMENT USED

2½ in. Hose	4,000 feet
1½ in. Hose	3,150 feet
Forestry Hose	16,100 feet
Water	42,000 gallons

REMARKS

This year the department answered more calls than in previous years. Many of these calls were for the Town Dump on Winter Street.

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 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, 1962.

Number of License Suspensions:	82	
Number of License Revocations:	21	
	—	103
Number of Arrests:		
Male	207	
Female	14	
	—	221
Crimes Against Person:		
Assault & Battery	2	
Assault & Battery with Dangerous Weapon	3	
Illegitimacy	1	
	—	6
Crimes Against Property:		
Breaking and entering and larceny, and breaking & entering to commit larceny	3	
Larceny & Attempt	6	
	—	9
Crimes Against Public Order:		
City ordinance or town by-laws violated	1	
Having obscene pictures in possession	1	
Disturbing the peace	5	
Driving M/V to endanger	19	
Driving M/V while intoxicated	6	
Drunk	19	
Motor vehicle violations	83	
Neglect or desertion of family, non-support	11	
Notice to Show Cause	6	
Using fictitious name to obtain narcotics	1	
Violation of Plumbing code	1	
Violation of Traffic Rules	45	
Truant	1	
Vagrancy	1	

Leaving Scene after Personal Injury	1	
Leaving Scene after Property Damage	3	
Out of town Capias	1	
Out of town Warrant	1	
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DISPOSITION OF CASES

Continued	9	
Fined	32	
Filed	10	
Grand Jury	2	
Mass. Corr. Inst.	6	
Not Guilty	2	
Other Police	117	
Ply. County House of Correction	11	
Barnstable County House of Correction	1	
Probation	6	
Released	8	
Restitution	3	
Suspended sentence	3	
Youth Service Board	3	
No Cause Found	4	
Pending	4	
	<hr/>	221
Stolen Cars Reported	3	
Stolen Cars Recovered	8	
Valuation of property recovered		\$8,345.00
Amount of Court fines imposed		\$1,335.00
Other Income:		
Bicycle Registrations		\$69.00
Dealer Permits: Class I, II, and III		750.00
Licenses: Firearms, Gunsmith, Rifles & Shotguns		40.00
No Trespass Signs		18.00
Revolver Permits, to carry and to purchase		96.00
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Total other income reverting to the Town		973.00

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

Number of accidents	120
Number of occupants injured in vehicles	108
Number of pedestrians injured	8
Number of accidents resulting in injury	78
Number of fatal accidents	1
Number of persons killed	1

LOCATION OF ACCIDENTS

A & P Parking Lot	1
Bedford Street	17
Birch Street	2
Broad Street	11
Burrill Avenue	1
Center Street	3
Central Square	5
Cottage Street	1
East Street	1
Grove Street	1
High Street	5
M. C. I.	1
Main Street	4
Oak Street	3
Pleasant Street	14
Plymouth Street	10
Pond Street	1
Route #24	12
School Street	2
South Street	5
Summer Street	14
Union Street	1
Vernon Street	3
Wall Street	1
Water Street	1

120

WEATHER CONDITIONS

Clear	68
Cloudy	13

Fog	4	
Rain	20	
Snow	15	
	<hr/>	120

ROAD CONDITIONS

Dry	63	
Ice	14	
Snow	23	
Wet	20	
	<hr/>	120

CAUSE

Asleep	3	
Blacked-out	1	
Defective equipment	1	
Flat tire	2	
Improper Operation	26	
Inattention	25	
Inexperience	2	
Object in Roadway	2	
Operator under Influence	2	
Pedestrian	5	
Skid	16	
Speed	14	
State Police case	1	
Undetermined	16	
Vision obscured	4	
	<hr/>	120

RECOMMENDATIONS

I wish to recommend the following be done in the interests of safety, as well as to facilitate traffic control within the town:

1. The corner at Pleasant and North Streets should be widened as traffic making a right-hand turn off Pleasant Street does not have sufficient space to make the turn safely.
2. The traffic lights in the square should be checked with reference to the entrance to the A & P parking lot.

3. A green arrow be installed going from Broad Street to Main Street.
4. One way traffic from the Home National Bank to the traffic lights going in a northerly direction; traffic coming from Main and Broad Streets entering the Square to be routed directly around the Common and entering Summer Street at the Atlantic Station on the southwesterly side of the little common, which would also make one-way traffic at this point.
5. At Central Square and Broad Street bordering the A & P parking lot, the sidewalk should be pushed back making a rounded corner out of what is now a squared corner.
6. There should be a woman Traffic Supervisor at the corner of Bedford & Grove Streets to release the officer on duty there, as this requires approximately two hours a day of his time. This has also been recommended by the School Department.
7. The corner should be cut back at Whitman and Hayward Streets, as this is a very blind corner and has caused numerous accidents. Also, the installation of a caution sign at this point.
8. "Stop" signs should also be installed at Plymouth Street coming on to Summer to the left side of the island; and at Birch Street entering on to Route #104, Pleasant Street.
9. The sidewalk should be extended on Broad Street on the southeasterly side, to the Railroad crossing.
10. Flashing warning lights should also be installed at the intersection of High and Center Streets with Main Street.

SUMMARY

I wish to thank Chief Krueger and the members of his Auxiliary Police Department for the assistance that they have given this Department throughout the year.

New members joining the Police Department this year are as follows: Robert Hatch, and William Jordan, Special Police Officers; and Mrs. Margaret Butler and Mrs. Carol Bergstrom, Traffic Supervisors.

I also wish to thank the members of your Board, and the other town Departments who have cooperated with us, as well as the members of this Department who have worked together in the interests of the Department.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER F. SHAW,
Chief of Police

CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

The Office of your local CD is located on the second floor of the Academy Building. It has been a very busy place for the past year.

The Auxiliary Police, under Mr. Wally Krueger, have assisted the Town Police in looking for lost persons. They also help out on holidays, handling the heavy traffic, and on Sunday with Church traffic. All of the help has been given gratis. These men deserve a hand shake when they are met on the street for a job well done. In all they have been a busy group.

Mr. Joseph Amaral is our R.A.C.E.S. holder in radio communications and is doing a very good job. He sees that all equipment is in perfect condition and that all his men know what they are doing. Drills are held twice monthly. At this time we are in constant contact with sector headquarters. Since taking over the duties seventeen months ago we have never missed a Radio Drill.

New sounding devices have been purchased "Under Matching Funds" for a warning system and are mounted on Town vehicles. Routes have been laid out for these trucks to follow and a test will be held shortly. The Routes will be in your local paper, so watch for them.

Our trips to Surplus in Taunton have been very helpful to the Townspeople in the way of saving money. We have purchased a total of over \$16,000 of Surplus Property for a little under \$300. That is quite a saving in anyone's book.

Classes in First-Aid have been held and will be continued at the Academy Building.

A new type of class will be started soon in the Academy Building. It is called "Medical Self-Help." Watch for the date in your local paper. Four Nurses from the Town have taken the Instructor's course and will be the Instructors when the courses get started.

Matching Funds cover most of the local CD expenses. The Federal Government puts it this way, "THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL PAY HALF OF THE LOCAL CD EXPENSES ON ANYTHING THAT IS NOT NORMALLY NEEDED BY A TOWN."

Our aim is to see to it that at least 90% of the Townspeople will know what to do in any type of an emergency.

Bridgewater at the present time rates very high with CD Headquarters at Natick. Let's keep it that way.

I would like to take this opportunity to personally thank everyone that has helped in making Bridgewater Civil Defense what it is today.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM H. CHICKERING
Director of Bridgewater CD

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

REPORT FOR 1962

Scales

over 10,000 pounds	6 sealed
500 to 10,000 pounds	2 sealed
100 to 5000 pounds	43 sealed
under 100 pounds	66 sealed

Weights

Avoirdupois	17 sealed
Metric	32 sealed
Apothecary	29 sealed

Liquid Measures

under 1 gallon	4 sealed
over 1 gallon	2 sealed

Meters

Inlet one inch or less	
Gasoline	68 sealed
	16 adjusted
Meters inlet more than one inch	
Vehicle tanks	10 sealed
Bulk Storage	1 sealed

Linear Measures

Yardsticks	2 sealed
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Package Foods

Checked	200
36 found short	

Fees for Sealing and Adjusting

\$223.55

ALBERT W. HAMLEN
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my annual report in accordance with Chapter 41, Section 61 of the General Laws, for the year ending December 31, 1962, showing in detail the amounts of appropriations, expenditures, receipts from all sources, debt statement, trust fund statement and a comparative table showing how the town's money has been expended.

I wish to express my thanks to your Board, Town Officials, and all townspeople who have been so helpful to me, especially this year which has been a very difficult one for me.

Respectfully submitted,

A. EVELYN NOURSE

Town Accountant

HOW THE TOWN'S MONEY HAS BEEN EXPENDED

	Receipts	Payments	Net Cost	% of Net Cost
General Government	\$4,150.31	\$63,836.56	\$59,686.25	4.00
Protection	1,346.50	164,216.48	162,869.98	10.92
Health and Sewers	13,794.85	55,628.59	41,833.74	2.81
Highways	32,798.30	139,866.08	107,067.78	7.18
Welfare, A.D.C., O.A.A., D.A., M.A.A:	191,747.45	237,891.07	46,143.62	3.09
Veterans' Services	9,884.63	30,980.79	21,096.16	1.41
Schools (Including Interest & Debt on School Loan)	140,369.05	1,121,176.34	980,807.29	65.78
Recreation	1,560.51	16,421.98	14,861.47	1.00
Miscellaneous	12,673.20	69,484.85	56,811.65	3.81
TOTALS	\$408,324.80	\$1,899,502.74	\$1,491,177.94	100.00

I. GENERAL ACCOUNTS

FINANCIAL CONDITION

December 31, 1962

ASSETS

Cash:			
General Funds		\$ 148,119.54	
Invested Funds		298,815.83	
		<hr/>	\$ 446,935.37
Accounts Receivable:			
Taxes:			
1961 Poll		\$ 2.00	
1962 Poll		10.00	
1960 Personal Taxes		159.20	
1961 Personal Taxes		356.80	
1962 Personal Taxes		1,516.87	
1960 Real Estate Taxes		132.82	
1961 Real Estate Taxes		1,248.95	
1962 Real Estate Taxes		81,402.23	
		<hr/>	\$ 84,828.87
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise:			
Levy of 1961		\$ 2,319.35	
Levy of 1962		10,294.05	
		<hr/>	\$ 12,613.40
Animal Excise Taxes:			
Levy of 1961		\$ 66.00	
Levy of 1962		81.01	
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Special Assessments:			
1962 Sewer Rates		\$603.11	
Sewer added to 1962 Taxes		30.50	
Apportioned Sewer—Due 1962		74.66	
Apportioned Committed Interest—Due 1962		36.55	
		<hr/>	\$ 744.82
Tax Titles:			
Tax Sales		\$ 19,828.32	
Tax Possessions		2,580.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 22,408.82
Departmental:			
Academy Rent		\$ 30.00	
Highway Department		77.36	
Aid to Dependent Children		6,405.63	
Old Age Assistance		7.93	
School Department		234.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 6,755.42

Water:	
Rent of Property	\$ 40.00
Accounts Receivable	12,376.86
Water added to 1962 Taxes	823.64
Water—Revenue Deficit	4,055.63
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	\$ 17,296.13
State and County Share:	
Chapter 90 Construction	\$ 25,500.00
Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,000.00
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	\$ 31,500.00
Loans Authorized—Sewer	\$ 100,000.00
Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$ 453,000.00
Trust and Special Funds	\$ 103,686.00
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Total Assets	\$ 1,279,915.84

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Pay Roll Deductions:	
Group Life and Medical Insurance	\$ 29.37
Overestimates in 1962:	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$ 394.88
Agency:	
County Dog—Due County	\$ 25.25
Tailings Account (Unclaimed Checks)	\$ 458.63
Reserve—Excess Collections Tax Titles	\$ 186.09
Road Machinery Fund	1,744.69
Trust Fund Income:	
Helen Hunt Scholarship Fund	\$ 36.75
Virginia G. Jones—School Fund	91.54
Merritt G. Perkins—School Fund	213.40
Lorin Keith—High School Prize Fund	59.47
Mildred K. Stearns—School Fund	41.33
Mary C. Bryant—Library Fund	99.22
Abbie Gammons—Library Fund	60.86
Virginia G. Jones—Library Fund	64.15
Pamelia K. Wright—Library Fund	53.76
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	\$ 720.48
Sale of Real Estate	\$ 42.88
Recoveries:	
Old Age Assistance	\$ 4,520.05

Federal Grants:

Aid to Dependent Children	\$ 254.20	
Old Age Assistance	368.34	
Medical Aid to the Aged	26.88	
P.L. #85-864—Schools (1959)	2,281.42	
P.L. #85-874—Schools	10,762.84	
Title III—Schools	2,179.00	
Title V—Schools	18.87	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,891.55

Revolving Accounts:

Lunch Program	\$ 419.25	
School Athletic Fund	344.28	
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Sewer Loan Authorized—Unissued \$ 100,000.00

Appropriation Balances:

Academy Heater	\$ 9,564.00	
Sewer Plant	28,000.00	
Highway Equipment	860.00	
Chapter 90 Construction	13,367.11	
Chapter 718—Cherry Street	7,145.07	
Pleasant St.—Land Damages	2,308.00	
Sprinkler System—McElwain & School St. Schools	18,012.80	
Developing Park Area	371.91	
Civilian Defense	5,805.63	
Wm. H. Conant Hospital Comm.—Expenses	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 85,534.52

Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus \$ 42,378.22

Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:

Levy of 1960	\$ 292.02	
Levy of 1961	4,529.59	
Levy of 1962	17,424.02	
	<hr/>	\$ 22,245.63

Revenue Reserved Until Collected:

Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	\$ 12,613.40	
Farm Animal Excise	147.01	
Sewer Revenue	744.82	
Tax Title Revenue	22,408.82	
Departmental Revenue	6,755.42	
Water Revenue	13,240.50	
State and County Aid Revenue	31,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 87,409.97

Sewer Receipts Reserved \$ 10,300.71

Surplus Revenue \$ 350,583.39

Loans:	
School Loan	\$ 360,000.00
Water Loan	93,000.00
	<hr/> \$ 453,000.00
Trust and Special Funds:	
School Funds	\$ 39,561.93
Library Funds	26,019.11
Cemetery Funds	11,315.36
Employers Liability	14,427.09
Buildings Insurance	11,274.04
Piano Fund	1,088.47
	<hr/> \$ 103,686.00
Total Liabilities and Reserves	<hr/> \$ 1,279,915.84

REVENUE OF 1962

Revenue:	
Taxes Assessed on Real Estate	\$ 1,061,164.12
Taxes Assessed on Personal Property	77,997.59
Taxes Assessed on Polls	4,922.00
Corporations, State Land, Meal Tax	73,983.36
Income Taxes	129,143.52
Receipts from Other Sources	335,995.75
Unexpended Balances of Appropriation	59,390.61
Overestimate—County Assessment	2,587.91
	<hr/> \$1,745,184.86
Charges Against Revenue:	
Appropriations	\$ 1,552,892.92
1961 Health Deficit	1,194.54
Tax Foreclosure—Treasurer's Expenses	144.00
State Taxes and Assessments	10,060.19
County Taxes and Assessments	65,246.60
Overlay Accounts	29,543.50
	<hr/> \$1,659,081.75
Balance reverting to Excess and Deficiency	\$ 86,103.11

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Estimated Estimated	Actual Actual
Income Taxes	\$ 120,088.85	\$ 129,143.52
Corporations Taxes	43,099.20	49,465.87
Land Used for Public Purposes	19,385.95	19,385.95
Old Age Meal Tax	5,476.72	5,131.54
Income from Dog Refunds		1,159.34
School and Library Funds		1,630.18

Court Fines	400.00	532.00
Licenses and Permits	11,186.28	11,165.28
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	133,403.02	146,891.71
Farm Animal Excise	662.27	559.15
Sidewalk Assessments	175.02	
Sewer Assessments	5,638.65	5,951.85
General Government:		
Treasurer	4.89	.50
Tax Collector	2,507.19	2,349.76
Town Clerk	1,384.62	1,615.87
Academy	227.07	203.18
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	36.80	32.15
Fire Department	6.50	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	268.10	200.85
Forestry Departments	45.00	12.00
Building Inspector		1,101.50
Health Department	740.71	1,658.26
Highway Department	1,141.56	280.50
Public Assistance:		
Public Welfare	3,809.42	2,148.25
Aid to Dependent Children	16,894.79	16,598.93
Disability Aid	8,614.21	9,897.48
Old Age Assistance	31,799.75	29,260.75
Medical Aid to the Aged	20,000.00	19,257.08
Veterans' Services	12,000.00	9,884.63
School Department	7,019.63	6,212.88
Public Library	458.55	448.58
Playground	100.00	196.65
Interest on Taxes	2,815.62	2,359.73
Interest on Temporary Investments	2,689.47	2,689.47
State Share—School Construction	26,273.28	26,273.28
State Share—School Transportation	25,717.71	25,554.34
State Share—Adjustment Counselor	4,500.00	4,500.00
Taxes—Paraplegic Veterans	250.00	
Returned Dividend—Group Insurance	3,775.30	3,783.30
Reimbursement—Buildings Insurance		82.96
Handling State Income Taxes	65.00	64.50
Swimming Pool	1,200.00	1,363.86
Civilian Defense		75.00
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	\$ 513,861.13	\$ 539,122.63
Actual in Excess of Estimates	25,261.50	
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	\$ 539,122.63	\$ 539,122.63

EXCESS AND DEFICIENCY

Surplus—January 1, 1962	\$ 303,000.09	
Tax Title Redemptions	4,792.77	
Sale of Possessions	244.22	
Revenue of 1962 Balance	86,103.11	
Chapter 90 Funds—Returned	31,000.00	
Unexpended Appropriation	895.30	
Sewer Committed Interest—1961	69.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 426,104.54
Tax Title Revenue	\$ 7,827.29	
Appropriations	67,693.86	
	<hr/>	\$ 75,521.15
Surplus—December 31, 1962		\$ 350,583.39

WATER REVENUE

Balance—January 1, 1962	\$ 2,645.86	
Uncollected—January 1, 1962	10,860.72	
Charges to Consumers:	\$ 87,939.28	
Less:		
Tax Titles	447.32	
Abatements	213.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 87,278.29
Miscellaneous Receipts	5.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 100,790.57

EXPENSES

Operating Expenses	\$ 53,314.20	
Interest on Debt	2,291.50	
Water Loan	36,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 91,605.70
Uncollected—December 31, 1962	13,240.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 104,846.20
Deficit—Water Revenue—December 31, 1962		\$ 4,055.63

OVERLAY ACCOUNTS

	Balance Jan. 1, 1962	Assessed in Tax Levy	Abatements 1962	To Overlay Surplus	Balances Dec. 31, 1962
Levy of 1959	\$ 290.55		\$ 2.00	\$ 288.55	
Levy of 1960	2,648.53		30.72	2,325.79	\$ 292.02
Levy of 1961	13,215.62		1,562.08	7,123.95	4,529.59
Levy of 1962		\$29,543.50	12,119.48		17,424.02
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	\$16,154.70	\$29,543.50	\$13,714.28	\$9,738.29	\$22,245.63

INVESTMENT FUNDS

	Amount of Fund Jan. 1, 1962	Requests 1962	Income Earned 1962	Payments 1962	Balance Dec. 31, 1962
School Funds	\$27,061.93	\$12,500.00	\$1,175.62	\$1,175.62	\$39,561.93
Library Funds	22,975.00	3,014.11	1,119.68	1,089.68	26,019.11
Cemetery Funds	11,412.58		460.58	557.80	11,315.36
Employers Liability	14,452.79		583.80	609.50	14,427.09
Buildings Insurance	10,836.30		437.74		11,274.04
Piano Fund		1,088.47			1,088.47
	\$86,738.60	\$16,602.58	\$3,777.42	\$3,432.60	\$103,686.00

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

INDEBTEDNESS OUTSIDE STATUTORY LIMIT

Outstanding—January 1, 1962	\$ 521,000.00	
Borrowed:		
Water Loan	18,000.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 539,000.00
Maturities paid during year:		
School Loan	\$ 50,000.00	
Water Loan	36,000.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 86,000.00
Outstanding—December 31, 1962		\$ 453,000.00

II. RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

TAXES:

1962 Real Estate	\$ 963,026.01	
1962 Personal	76,470.32	
	<u> </u>	\$1,039,496.33
Less County and State Taxes		52,106.86
		<u> </u>
		\$ 987,389.47

For Municipal Purposes:

Real Estate, 1961	50,635.50
Real Estate, 1960	1,637.78
Real Estate 1959	184.35
Personal, 1961	2,349.57
Personal, 1960	423.52
Personal, 1959	104.20
Polls, 1962	4,110.00

Polls, 1961	10.00	
Polls, 1960	4.00	
Tax Title Redemption	4,614.37	
	<hr/>	\$ 64,073.29

FROM THE STATE:

Income Taxes	\$ 129,143.52	
Handling State Income Tax		
Deductions	64.50	
Corporation	49,465.87	
Old Age Meal Tax	5,131.54	
Land Used for Public Purposes	19,385.95	
School Transportation	25,554.34	
School Construction & Equip.	26,273.28	
Vocational Education	3,068.28	
Summer Recreation	406.76	
Youth Service Board—		
Adjustment Counsel	4,500.00	
English Speaking Classes	42.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 263,036.04

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Amusement	\$ 92.00	
Auctioneers	8.00	
Antique	2.00	
Bicycles	59.00	
Cesspool	285.00	
Common Victuallers	58.00	
Dealers	750.00	
Director of Standards	34.00	
Firearms	136.00	
Gas and Fuel Oil	11.50	
Ice Cream	10.00	
Junk	30.00	
Liquors	7,969.28	
Marriage	154.00	
Milk	11.00	
Motel and Camp	1.50	
Nursery	4.00	
Pasteurizing	10.00	
Piggery	.50	
Plumbing	861.50	
Pool, Billiards and Bowling	145.00	
Sunday	473.00	
Taxi	75.00	
Undertakers	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,184.28

FINES AND FORFEITS:

Court Fines	\$ 532.00
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GRANTS AND GIFTS:

From the County:		
Dog Licenses		\$ 1,159.34
From Federal Grants:		
Old Age Assistance:		
Aid	\$ 47,837.48	
Admn.	3,229.09	
	<u> </u>	\$ 51,066.57
Aid to Dependent Children:		
Aid	\$ 24,622.70	
Admn.	3,589.90	
	<u> </u>	\$ 28,212.60
Disability Aid:		
Aid	\$ 6,148.90	
Admn.	731.92	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6,880.82
Medical Aid to the Aged:		
Aid	\$ 25,669.88	
Admn.	1,406.25	
	<u> </u>	\$ 27,076.13
Schools:		
PL874	\$ 10,884.00	
Title III	2,272.00	
Title V	186.60	
	<u> </u>	\$ 13,342.60
Total—Federal Grants		<u>\$ 126,578.72</u>
Total—General Revenue		\$ 1,453,953.14

PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1962	\$ 126,690.35	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1961	19,841.87	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1960	317.41	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise—1959	42.08	
	<u> </u>	
Total—Privileges		\$ 146,891.71

EXCISE

Farm Animal Excise—1962	\$ 528.39	
Farm Animal Excise—1961	30.76	
	<u> </u>	
Total—Excise		\$ 559.15

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

FOR EXPENSES:

Sewer Charges—1962	\$ 5,280.74	
Sewer Charges—1961	166.70	
Sewer Liens added to 1962 Taxes	200.90	
Sewer Liens added to 1961 Taxes	23.20	
Sewer Apportioned Committed		
Interest—Due 1962	280.31	
	<u> </u>	\$ 5,951.85

FOR OUTLAY:

Sewer—1961—Unapportioned	\$ 5,039.88	
Apportioned—Due—1962	1,144.86	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6,184.74

Total—Special Assessments \$ 12,136.59

DEPARTMENTAL

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Town Treasurer:		
Unidentified Receipts		\$.50
Town Collector:		
Charges for Collections		\$ 2,346.76
Town Clerk:		
Fees paid to Treasurer		\$ 1,599.87
Academy:		
Rental	\$ 78.00	
Telephone Commission	115.88	
Reimbursement—		
Coca-Cola Machine	9.30	
	<u> </u>	\$ 203.18

Total—General Government \$ 4,150.31

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:

Police:		
No Trespass Signs	\$ 18.00	
Insurance Claim	14.15	
	<u> </u>	\$ 32.15
Sealer:		
Fees for Sealing		\$ 200.85
Building Inspector:		
Permits		\$ 1,101.50
Tree:		
Services and Materials		\$ 12.00
	<u> </u>	

Total—Protection of Persons and Property \$ 1,346.50

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Reimbursement on Account of:

Tuberculosis	\$ 740.71	
Polio Fees	917.55	
		<u>\$ 1,658.26</u>

Total—Health \$ 1,658.26

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT:

Services and Materials	\$ 280.50	
Use of Equipment	1,517.80	
		<u>\$ 1,798.30</u>

Chapter 90 Maintenance:

Reimbursements:

From County	\$ 2,000.00	
From State	2,000.00	
		<u>\$ 4,000.00</u>

Chapter 90 Construction:

Reimbursements:

From County	\$ 9,000.00	
From State	18,000.00	
		<u>\$ 27,000.00</u>

Total—Highway \$ 32,798.30

WELFARE:

Reimbursements from:

State	\$ 189.66	
Cities and Towns	1,754.59	
Individuals	204.00	
		<u>\$ 2,148.25</u>

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE:

Reimbursements from State \$ 9,897.48

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN:

Reimbursement from State \$ 16,598.93

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE:

Reimbursements from:

Other Cities and Towns	\$ 555.97	
State	25,069.32	
		<u>\$ 25,625.29</u>

MEDICAL AID TO THE AGED:

Reimbursement from State \$ 19,161.08

RECOVERY ACCOUNTS:

Old Age Assistance	\$ 5,080.30	
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Total—Welfare		\$ 78,511.33
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VETERANS' SERVICES:

From State	\$ 9,844.63	
From Individuals	40.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 9,884.63

Total—Veterans' Services		\$ 9,884.63
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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT:

Tuition and Transportation of Non-Resident Pupils:		
From Other Cities and Towns	\$ 1,087.63	
From State	903.52	
Sale of Books and Supplies	15.00	
Shop Projects	206.99	
Use of School Property	348.99	
Physical Education Lockers	8.00	
Evening Class Registration	76.00	
Insurance Reimbursed	49.71	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,695.84

Lunch Programs:		
School Lunch Program	\$ 63,269.00	

Total—School Department		\$ 65,964.84
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PUBLIC LIBRARY:

Fines	\$ 448.58	
	<u> </u>	\$ 448.58

RECREATION:

Use of Playground Field	\$ 196.65	
Swimming Pool	1,363.86	
	<u> </u>	\$ 1,560.51
		\$ 1,560.51

BUILDINGS INSURANCE:

Reimbursement	\$ 6,667.14	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6,667.14

GROUP LIFE INSURANCE:

Reimbursement—Group Employees Insurance	\$ 3,783.30	
	<u> </u>	\$ 3,783.30

CIVILIAN DEFENSE:

Sale of Motor	\$ 75.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 75.00
Total—Departmental		<u>\$ 206,848.70</u>

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

WATER DEPARTMENTAL:

Water Rates	\$ 79,271.96	
Liens added to 1960 Taxes	8.64	
Liens added to 1961 Taxes	600.33	
Liens added to 1962 Taxes	3,795.29	
Rentals	284.00	
Labor	155.80	
Materials	302.49	
Rent of Property	\$ 480.00	
Damages to Property	5.70	
	<u> </u>	\$ 84,904.21
Total		<u>\$ 84,904.21</u>

INTEREST

Taxes	\$ 1,966.34	
Tax Title Redemption	393.39	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,359.73
TRUST FUNDS:		
Schools	\$ 1,216.95	
Library	1,089.68	
Employers Liability	609.50	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2,916.13
Investment:		
Treasury Bonds	\$ 2,689.47	
	<u> </u>	
Total—Interest		<u>\$ 7,965.33</u>

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENTS

AGENCY:

State Tax	\$ 9,665.31	
County Tax	42,441.55	
County Dog Tax	1,447.75	
	<u> </u>	\$ 53,554.61
Recording Tax Titles and Liens		\$ 57.00
Tailings Account:		
Water Coupons—Not Cashed		\$ 90.00

TRUST:

Cemetery Funds:		
Withdrawn for Use		\$ 557.80
Requests:		
School	\$ 12,500.00	
Library	3,000.00	
Piano Fund	1,088.47	
	<hr/>	\$ 16,588.47

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$ 300,000.00	
Treasury Bills	596,823.67	
Water Extension Loan	18,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 914,823.67

RESERVED:

Federal Withholding Taxes	\$ 99,307.12	
State Withholding Taxes	9,379.28	
Contributory Retirement	15,544.64	
Teachers' Retirement	18,142.59	
Group Life and Medical Insurance:		
Employees	10,560.82	
Pension	1,461.44	
	<hr/>	\$ 154,395.89

REFUNDS:

Taxes	\$ 1,878.35	
Sewer	.66	
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	5,377.72	
Departmental—Accounts Receivable	15.00	
Water—Accounts Receivable	18.88	
Water—Added to Taxes	26.13	
Departmental—Appropriation	1,763.77	
Public Enterprises—Appropriation	35.10	
Estimated Receipts	.97	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,116.58

Total—Non-Revenue	<hr/>	\$ 1,149,184.02
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RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS

General Revenue	\$ 1,453,953.14
Commercial Revenue:	
Privileges	\$ 146,891.71
Excise	559.15
Special Assessments	12,136.59
Departmental	206,848.70

Water Department	84,904.21	
Interest	7,965.33	
	<u> </u>	\$ 459,305.69
Total—Revenue		\$ 1,913,258.83
Total—Non-Revenue		\$ 1,149,184.02
		<u> </u>
Cash on Hand—January 1, 1962		\$ 3,062,442.85
		216,946.80
		<u> </u>
Grand Total		\$ 3,279,389.65

PAYMENTS

EXPENSES:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Selectmen:

Salaries	\$ 2,349.71	
Clerical	312.00	
Other Expenses	623.36	
	<u> </u>	\$ 3,285.07

Accounting Department:

Salary of Accountant	\$ 6,313.65	
Clerical	5,055.16	
Other Expenses	699.39	
	<u> </u>	\$ 12,068.20

State Audit and Special Forms:

State Assessment		\$ 1,120.65
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Treasurer:

Salary of Treasurer	\$ 1,400.00	
Clerical	1,518.40	
Official Bond	205.60	
Other Expenses	918.17	
	<u> </u>	\$ 4,042.17

Certification of Town Notes	\$ 12.00
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Electric Machine Account	\$ 373.19
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Collector:

Salary of Collector	\$ 3,850.00	
Clerical	2,984.43	
Official Bond	403.40	
Other Expenses	2,109.63	
	<u> </u>	\$ 9,347.46

Assessors:

Salaries	\$ 2,527.19	
Clerical	2,298.67	
Other Expenses	866.25	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,692.11

Preparation of Assessors Maps \$ 7,583.73

Town Clerk:

Salary	\$ 3,750.00	
Other Expenses	305.48	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,055.48

Election and Registration:

Registrars	\$ 76.00	
Janitors	161.67	
Election Officers	1,116.00	
Special Police	176.86	
Street Lists	364.00	
Setting up Booths	223.79	
Expenses	1,032.21	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,150.53

Planning Board \$ 290.19

Advisory Committee Expenses \$ 81.00

Appeals Board \$ 53.25

Development and Industrial Committee \$ 48.45

Wage and Personnel Board \$ 79.30

Law Department:

Attorney's Fees	\$ 326.00	
Jury Lists	43.75	
Annotated Laws & Law Books	45.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 414.75

Town Hall:

Salary of Janitor	\$ 2,057.10	
Repairs	207.45	
Fuel and Lights	1,784.98	
Other Expenses	205.55	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,255.08

Bridgewater Academy Building:

Janitor	\$ 2,156.08	
Labor	119.99	
Repairs	857.18	
Fuel and Lights	3,916.92	
Other Expenses	397.78	
New Heater—(Spec. Approp.)	436.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 7,883.95

Total—General Government

\$ 63,836.56

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

Police Department:

Salary of Chief	\$ 6,291.79	
Salary of Sergeants	10,355.97	
Salary of Patrolmen	23,522.17	
Salary of Clerk	3,311.42	
Special Police	17,360.39	
School Patrol	1,045.34	
School—Traffic Supervisors	2,398.03	
Care of Prisoners	42.74	
Street Listing	304.20	
Painting Streets	125.00	
Automobile	3,784.06	
Equipment	1,291.40	
Equipment—Traffic Supervisors	18.10	
Maintenance of Building	147.94	
Antenna	104.50	
Other Expenses	1,595.14	
	<hr/>	\$ 71,698.19

Fire Department:

Chief	\$ 5,810.25	
Deputy Chief	5,205.89	
Permanent Men	23,455.99	
Callmen	4,292.25	
Equipment and Repairs	6,275.05	
Hydrant Service	5,205.00	
Fuel and Lights	1,188.18	
Building and Grounds	337.88	
Other Expenses	485.99	
	<hr/>	\$ 52,256.48

Fire Department—Specials:

Out of State Travel	\$ 52.50	
Fire Station Repairs	1,392.42	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,444.92

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary of Sealer	\$ 604.08	
Other Expenses	137.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 741.75

Building Inspector:

Salary	\$ 851.61	
Other Expenses	273.97	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,125.58

Wire Inspector:

Salary	\$ 604.08	
Other Expenses	184.02	
	<hr/>	\$ 788.10

Moth Extermination:		
Labor	\$ 3,061.32	
Other Expenses	265.86	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,327.18
Improvement of Shade Trees:		
Superintendent	\$ 3,709.66	
Labor	297.45	
Other Expenses	384.86	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,391.97
Dutch Elm Disease:		
Labor	\$ 944.76	
Tree Climbers and Truck (Contractors)	357.50	
Other Expenses	373.56	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,675.82
Mosquito Spray:		
State Assessment		\$ 3,721.21
Forest Fire:		
Labor	\$ 1,434.31	
Other Expenses	257.22	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,691.53
Dog Officer:		
Salary	\$ 110.75	
Other Expenses	450.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 560.75
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Total—Protection of Persons and Property		\$ 143,423.48

HEALTH:

Health Department:

Salaries of Board Members	\$ 1,006.79	
Salaries of Inspectors	2,342.04	
Administration Expenses	343.74	
Tuberculosis	856.50	
Plumbing & Gas Inspector—		
Travel	262.32	
Refuse and Garbage	4,850.79	
Other Expenses	1,433.81	
	<hr/>	\$ 11,095.99
Public Health Nurse:		
Salary	\$ 2,214.94	
Transportation	231.92	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,446.86
County Hospital Maintenance:		
(County Assessment)		\$ 22,805.05

Sewer Maintenance:	
Salaries	\$ 5,255.29
Administration	118.90
General	70.29
Interceptor Lines	300.57
Disposal Plant	1,375.74
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	\$ 7,120.79

Total—Health \$ 43,468.69

HIGHWAYS:

Highway Department:	
Superintendent	\$ 6,274.49
Clerk	973.44
Salaries	29,615.23
Administration Expenses	282.75
General	2,912.05
Sprinkling	3,292.60
Sidewalks and Curbing	88.49
Snow and Ice Removal	5,341.35
Drainage	1,457.72
Street Cleaning	179.48
Other Expenses	326.15
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	\$ 50,743.75
Highway—Road Machinery	\$ 7,242.03
Chapter 90 Maintenance	\$ 9,000.00
Street Lighting	\$ 12,948.85
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Total—Highways \$ 79,934.63

MUNICIPAL GARAGE MAINTENANCE \$ 1,013.33

WELFARE:

Public Welfare:	
Outside Relief	\$ 6,086.47
Relief by Other Cities and Towns	192.55
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	\$ 6,279.02

Public Assistance Administration:	
Salaries of Overseers	\$ 593.19
Salary of Clerks	5,264.85
Salary of Director	4,750.68
Salary of Social Workers	6,417.63
Travel—Director	264.29
Travel—Social Workers	262.14

Dues	16.00	
Postage, Printing & Stationery	660.92	
Telephone	224.15	
Machines Maintenance	61.50	
Other Expenses	15.50	
		\$ 18,530.85

Aid to Dependent Children:		
Cash Aid		\$ 47,369.87

Old Age Assistance:		
Cash Aid	\$ 85,296.30	
Other Cities and Towns	1,110.67	
		\$ 86,406.97

Disability Assistance:		
Cash Aid		\$ 22,195.16

Medical Aid to the Aged:		
Cash Aid		\$ 57,109.20

Total—Welfare		\$ 237,891.07
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VETERANS' SERVICES:

Agent	\$ 1,510.19	
Clerk	704.75	
		\$ 2,214.94
Administration	\$ 71.63	
Veterans' Relief	28,694.22	
		\$ 28,765.85

Total—Veterans' Services		\$ 30,980.79
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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT—PERSONAL SERVICES:

Salary of Superintendent	\$ 10,653.33	
Clerks—Supt.'s Office	9,222.21	
Clerks—Middle School	6,916.71	
Clerks—McElwain & School		
St. Schools	3,117.18	
Attendance Officer	200.00	
Salaries of Teachers	330,107.09	
Substitutes & Home Instruction	3,572.66	
Janitors' Services	20,338.55	
Janitor Services—P.T.A.	57.00	
Repairman	5,750.00	
Repairman—Assistants	2,515.40	
Substitutes—		
Non-Teaching Personnel	1,603.14	
Dental Hygienist	5,174.02	
Health Helpers	317.27	

School Physicians	1,800.00	
School Nurse	4,666.66	
Cafeteria Manager— Middle School	2,900.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 408,911.22

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT—OTHER EXPENSES:

Administration:		
Travel—Supt. of Schools	\$ 200.00	
Secretary—School Committee	250.00	
Expenses—School Committee	166.90	
Telephones	1,428.44	
Census	513.13	
Other Admin. Expenses	623.57	
Adjustment Counselor Expenses	34.24	
Supervisors' Expenses	240.23	
Books	7,638.45	
Supplies	13,623.25	
Tuition	1,575.00	
Transportation	37,752.13	
Fuel	8,922.83	
Lights	7,250.46	
Buildings and Grounds	10,267.15	
New Equipment	3,992.60	
Physical Education	1,488.88	
Other Expenses	1,239.16	
	<hr/>	\$ 97,206.42
Out of State Travel	\$ 204.85	
Adult Evening Practical Arts	938.00	
Adult Civic Education	42.00	
Vocational Tuition	2,974.67	
Vocational Transportation	1,053.15	
Outside Organizations	703.99	
Summer Recreational Program	1,085.51	
Burnell School Tuition	67,810.27	
Fence—School Street School	310.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 75,122.44
Helen Hunt Scholarship		\$ 156.61
Lunch Program	\$ 64,339.44	
Public Law—#85-874—Schools	10,554.68	
Public Law—Title III	93.00	
Public Law—Title V	167.73	
Athletic Program—Middle School	462.67	
	<hr/>	\$ 75,617.52
Bridgewater-Raynham School District		\$ 404,063.15
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Total—School Department		\$ 1,061,077.36

PUBLIC LIBRARY:

Librarian	\$ 4,477.58	
Assistants	9,026.25	
Janitor	518.50	
Books and Periodicals	3,625.01	
Binding	363.30	
Fuel and Lights	964.56	
Buildings and Grounds	368.71	
Other Expenses	514.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 19,857.91

Purchase of Books from:

V. G. Jones Fund	\$ 20.14	
P. K. Wright Fund	3.97	
M. C. Bryant Fund	57.80	
	<hr/>	\$ 81.91

Total—Library \$ 19,939.82

RECREATION:

Care of Common	\$ 194.62	
State Parks and Reservations	4,823.45	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,018.07

ATHLETIC FIELD AND PLAYGROUND:

Labor and Supervision	\$ 3,977.27	
Equipment and Supplies	513.38	
Lime, Fertilizer and Seeds	442.19	
Buildings and Grounds	553.72	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,486.56

SUPERVISED PLAY:

Personal Services	\$ 468.75	
Equipment and Supplies	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 518.75

SWIMMING POOL:

Labor and Supervision	\$ 3,996.40	
Expenses	1,402.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,398.60

Total \$ 16,421.98

UNCLASSIFIED:

Miscellaneous Printing	\$ 2,000.00
Memorial Day	244.09
Veterans' Day	40.00
Veterans of Foreign Wars Rent	280.00

Plymouth County Aid to		
Agriculture	100.00	
Boiler Insurance	1,267.20	
Buildings Insurance	4,662.52	
Liability Insurance	311.47	
Abandoned Cemeteries	363.74	
Employers Liability Insurance:		
Payments	609.50	
Contributory Retirement	18,042.32	
Non-Contributory Retirement	1,484.00	
Group Life & Medical Insurance	10,070.47	
Christmas Decorations & Lighting	400.00	
Stocking Ponds &		
Liberating Game	100.00	
Marking Veterans' Graves	241.63	
Civilian Defense	7,940.12	
	<hr/>	\$ 48,157.06
Total—Unclassified		<hr/> \$ 48,157.06

WATER DEPARTMENT:

Salaries:

Clerk	\$ 2,850.40	
Superintendent	5,810.25	
Other	15,552.58	
Commissioners	704.76	
Expenses of Commissioners	124.95	
Administration Expenses	1,019.40	
	<hr/>	\$ 26,062.34

General:

Pipe and Fittings	\$ 4,042.75	
Meters and Fittings	3,628.00	
Hydrants	918.94	
Equipment and Repairs	447.59	
Lindsey Compressor	1,920.60	
Trucks	1,514.72	
Power—Conant Street Well	2,104.45	
Boiler Insurance	142.14	
Liability Insurance	317.28	
Engineer's Services	229.81	
Thawing Pipes	37.58	
Other	627.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 15,930.86

Test Holes	4,889.50
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Pumping Station:

Electric Power	\$ 4,331.72	
Repairs to Building & Equipment	111.72	
Sodium Phosphate	431.01	
Fuel Oil—Gravel Pack Wells	402.78	
		<u>\$ 5,277.23</u>

Total—Water Department \$ 52,159.93

INTEREST:

Temporary Loans	\$1,387.97	
School Loan	6,736.25	
Water Loan	2,291.50	
		<u>\$ 10,415.72</u>

MATURING DEBT:

Anticipation of Revenue	\$ 300,000.00	
School Loan	50,000.00	
Water Loan	36,000.00	
		<u>\$ 386,000.00</u>

Total Interest and Debt \$ 396,415.72

Total—Expenses \$ 2,194,720.42

OUTLAYS FROM REVENUE:

Police—Cruisers	\$ 3,800.00	
Fire Truck	13,993.00	
Tree Dept.—Truck	3,000.00	
Sewer Construction	12,159.90	
Installation Drain— Regional School	1,375.53	
Land Damages—Pleasant St.	776.00	
Chapter 718 Construction	4,622.81	
Chapter 90 Construction	52,629.31	
Highway—New Equipment	890.00	
Sprinkler System—McElwain & School St. Schools	1,987.20	
		<u>\$ 95,233.75</u>

Water Department:

New Truck	\$ 1,404.19	
Bridge St. Construction	17,991.02	
		<u>\$ 19,395.21</u>

Total—Outlays from Revenue \$ 114,628.96

PAYMENTS FROM NON-REVENUE

AGENCY:

County Tax	\$ 42,441.55	
County Dog Tax	1,426.00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 43,867.55

Tailings Account:

Water Coupons—not presented for Payment		\$ 90.00
Recording Tax Title Deeds		\$ 57.00
Deductions from Pay Rolls:		
Federal Withholding Taxes	\$ 99,307.12	
State Withholding Taxes	9,379.28	
Contributory Retirement	15,544.64	
Teachers' Retirement	18,142.59	
Group Life & Medical Insurance:		
Employees	10,553.99	
Pension	1,461.44	
	<u> </u>	\$ 154,389.06

TRUST FUNDS:

Income from Cemetery Funds	\$ 557.80	
Bequests:		
School Fund	12,500.00	
Library Fund	3,000.00	
Piano Fund	1,088.47	
	<u> </u>	\$ 17,146.27

INVESTMENT:

U. S. Treasury Bills	\$ 597,254.27
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REFUNDS:

Taxes	\$ 1,878.35	
Sewer	.66	
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	5,377.72	
Departmental—Accts. Receivable	15.00	
Water Department:		
Accounts Receivable	18.88	
Added to Taxes	26.13	
Departmental Appropriation	1,763.77	
Public Enterprises Appropriation	35.10	
Estimated Receipts	.97	
	<u> </u>	\$ 9,116.58

Total—Non-Revenue

\$ 821,920.73

RECAPITULATION OF PAYMENTS

From Revenue:		
Expenses	\$ 2,194,720.42	
Outlays	114,628.96	
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Total from Revenue		\$ 2,309,349.38
Total from Non-Revenue		821,920.73
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Total Payments		\$ 3,131,270.11
Cash on Hand—December 31, 1962		148,119.54
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Grand Total		\$ 3,279,389.65

III. SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
	2,466.65			Salaries of Selectmen	2,349.71	116.94		
	302.04		9.96	Selectmen's—Clerical	312.00			
	682.00			Selectmen's—Expenses	623.36	58.64		
	10,621.68		747.13	Accounting—Salaries	11,368.81			
	742.20			Accounting—Expenses	699.39	42.81		
	1,400.00			Treasurer's—Salary	1,400.00			
	1,359.17		159.23	Treasurer's—Clerical	1,518.40			
	144.00—T.L.			Treasurer's—Expenses	1,123.77	150.66		
	1,130.43							
	3,850.00			Collector's—Salary	3,850.00			
	2,718.35		266.08	Collector's—Clerical	2,984.43			
	2,584.57			Collector's—Expenses	2,513.03	71.54		
	2,567.33			Assessors'—Salaries	2,527.19	40.14		
	2,769.58		69.08	Assessors'—Clerical	2,298.67	539.99		
	782.00	150.00		Assessors'—Expenses	866.25	65.75		
2,583.73	5,000.00			Preparation of Assessors' Maps	7,583.73			
	1,000.00			Law Department	414.75	585.25		
	3,750.00			Town Clerk's—Salary	3,750.00			
	439.00			Town Clerk's—Expenses	305.48	133.52		
	1,489.50	324.82		Election and Registration—Salaries	1,814.32			
	1,255.50	80.71		Election and Registration—Expenses	1,336.21			
	440.00			Electric Machines Account	373.19	66.81		
	1,937.74		124.52	Town Hall—Salaries	2,057.10	5.16		

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
	2,311.00			Town Hall—Expenses	2,197.98	113.02		
	2,172.74		124.52	Academy—Salaries	2,276.07	21.19		
	5,450.00			Academy—Expenses	5,171.88	278.12		
	10,000.00			Academy—New Heater	436.00			9,564.00
	50.00			Certification of Town Notes	12.00	38.00		
	385.00			Planning Board	290.19	94.81		
	43.25	10.00		Appeal Board	53.25			
	100.00			Advisory Committee	81.00	19.00		
	779.60			Industrial and Development Commission	48.45	731.15		
	125.00			Wage and Personnel Board	79.30	45.70		
	62,118.74	500.00	264.08	Police—Salaries	62,359.02	523.80		
	2,400.00			Police—Traffic Supervisors—Salaries	2,398.03	1.97		
	43.00			Police—Traffic Supervisors—Expenses	18.10	24.90		
	7,305.50			Police—Expenses	6,818.54	486.96		
	3,000.00	800.00		Police—Purchase of 2 Cruisers	3,800.00			
	150.00			Police—New Antenna	104.50	45.50		
	36,547.21		4,036.73	Fire—Salaries	38,764.38	1,819.56		
	13,799.70			Fire—Expenses	13,492.10	307.60		
	85.00			Fire—Out of State Travel	52.50	32.50		
1,392.56				Fire—Fire Station Repairs	1,392.42	.14		
14,000.00				Fire—Purchase of Fire Truck	13,993.00	7.00		
	604.08			Sealer of Weights & Measures—Salary	604.08			
	180.00			Sealer of Weights & Measures—Expenses	137.67	42.33		
	604.08	247.53		Building Inspector—Salary	851.61			
	300.00			Building Inspector—Expenses	273.97	26.03		

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
	604.08			Wire Inspector—Salary	604.08			
	195.00			Wire Inspector—Expenses	184.02	10.98		
	3,221.74		186.78	Moth Extermination—Salaries	3,061.32	347.20		
	600.00			Moth Extermination—Expenses	265.86	334.14		
	951.42		186.78	Dutch Elm—Salaries	944.76	193.44		
	3,055.00			Dutch Elm—Expenses	731.06	2,323.94		
	4,147.99		315.46	Improvement of Shade Trees—Salaries	4,007.11	456.34		
	400.00			Improvement of Shade Trees—Expenses	384.86	15.14		
	3,000.00			Improvement of Shade Trees—New Truck	3,000.00			
	1,006.79	234.31	193.21	Forest Fires—Salaries	1,434.31			
	315.00			Forest Fires—Expenses	257.22	57.78		
	110.75			Dog Officer—Salary	110.75			
	450.00			Dog Officer—Expenses	450.00			
	1,006.79			Health—Salaries of Members	1,006.79			
	2,466.65		17.64	Health—Salaries of Inspectors	2,342.04	142.25		
-1,194.54	1,194.54—T.L.			Health—Expenses—1961				
	8,670.00			Health—Expenses—1962	7,747.16	922.84		
	2,214.94			Public Health Nurse—Salary	2,214.94			
	200.00	31.92		Public Health Nurse—Expenses	231.92			
	4,880.92	31.73	342.64	Sewer Maintenance—Salaries	5,255.29			
	2,004.00			Sewer Maintenance—Expenses	1,865.50	138.50		
1,117.20				Sewer Construction—Mt. Pros. & Union Sts.	221.90	895.30		
5,990.44				Sewer Construction—Mt. Pros. to South Sts.	5,969.01	21.43		
5,990.44				Sewer Construction—Church St.	5,968.99	21.45		
	28,000.00			Sewage Plant—Construction & Addition				28,000.00

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
	6,882.44		365.49	Highway—Admin. Salaries	7,247.93			
	33,800.00			Highway—Salaries	29,615.23	4,184.77		
	18,650.00			Highway—Expenses	13,880.59	4,769.41		
	1,750.00			Highway—Equipment	890.00			860.00
	9,000.00			Chapter 90 Maintenance	9,000.00			
29,996.42				Chapter 90 Construction—1961	29,996.42			
	36,000.00			Chapter 90 Construction—1962	22,632.89			13,367.11
11,767.88				Chapter 718—Cherry St. Construction	4,622.81			7,145.07
	1,200.00			Road Machinery—Salaries	787.38	412.62		
	6,500.00	100.00		Road Machinery—Expenses	6,454.65	145.35		
	850.00	175.00		Municipal Garage	1,013.33	11.67		
3,084.00				Land Damages—Pleasant St.	776.00			2,308.00
1,375.53				Installation Drain—Regional School	1,375.53			
	13,960.00			Street Lighting	12,948.85	1,011.15		
	604.08			Welfare—Salaries of Overseers	593.19	10.89		
	11,000.00			Welfare—General Relief	6,279.02	4,720.98		
	(7,989.95)—F.G.			Public Assistance—Admin. Salaries	16,433.16	1,242.19		
	(9,685.40)							
	(903.79)			Public Assistance—Admin. Expenses	1,504.50	366.50		
	(967.21)—F.G.							
	26,000.00			Aid to Dependent Children	23,001.37	2,998.63		
	24,622.70)—F.G.			Aid to Dependent Children—F.G.	24,368.50			254.20
	13,500.00	1,952.21)—M.A.		Disability Assistance	15,452.21			
594.05	6,148.90)—F.G.			Disability Assistance—F.G.	6,742.95			
	41,000.00			Old Age Assistance	35,125.39	5,874.61		

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
765.47	50,539.17—F.G.			Old Age Assistance—F.G.	50,936.30			368.34
	345.28			Old Age Assistance—1960 Bill	345.28			
	37,500.00			Medical Assistance for the Aged	31,466.20	4,081.59	1,952.21	
	25,669.88—F.G.			Medical Assistance for the Aged—F.F.	25,643.00			26.88
	2,214.94			Veterans' Services—Salaries	2,214.94			
	27,000.00	1,800.00		Veterans' Services—Expenses	28,765.85	34.15		
	414,646.79			School Dept.—Personal Services	408,911.22	5,735.57		
	1,300.00			School Dept.—Outside Organizations	703.99	596.01		
	97,276.28			School Dept.—Expenses	97,206.42	69.86		
62,500.00	5,310.27			School Dept.—Burnell School Tuition	67,810.27			
	3,800.00			School Dept.—Vocational Tuition	2,974.67	825.33		
	1,500.00			School Dept.—Vocational Schools—Transp.	1,053.15	446.85		
	1,350.00			School Dept.—Evening Practical Arts	938.00	412.00		
	225.00			School Dept.—Out of State Travel	204.85	20.15		
	150.00			School Dept.—Adult Civic Education	42.00	108.00		
	1,170.00			School Dept.—Summer Recreation Program	1,085.51	84.49		
	20,000.00			School Dept.—Sprinklers—McEl. & School St.	1,987.20			18,012.80
	404,063.15			School Dept.—Regional School District	404,063.15			
		310.00		School Dept.—Fence—School Street School	310.00			
10,433.52	10,884.00—F.G.			School Dept.—P.L. 85-874	10,554.68			10,762.84
	2,272.00—F.G.			School Dept.—Title III	93.00			2,179.00
	186.60—F.G.			School Dept.—Title V	167.73			18.87
2,281.42				School Dept.—P.L. 864				2,281.42
	13,042.56		1,113.28	Public Library—Salaries	14,022.33	133.51		
	5,916.60			Public Library—Expenses	5,835.58	81.02		

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
	251.70			Recreation—Care of Common	194.62	57.08		
	4,760.00			Athletic Field & Playground—Salaries	3,977.27	782.73		
	1,568.75			Athletic Field & Playground—Expenses	1,509.29	59.46		
	506.25			Supervised Play—Salaries	468.75	37.50		
	50.00			Supervised Play—Expenses	50.00			
371.91				Developing Park Area				371.91
	4,000.00			Swimming Pool—Salaries	3,996.40	3.60		
	1,780.00			Swimming Pool—Expenses	1,402.20	377.80		
	1,900.00	100.00		Miscellaneous Printing	2,000.00			
	500.00			Memorial Day	244.09	255.91		
	200.00			Veterans Day	40.00	160.00		
	100.00			Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture	100.00			
	300.00			Veterans of Foreign Wars Rent	280.00	20.00		
	6,584.18—Refunds			Municipal Buildings Insurance	4,662.52	3,518.41		
	1,596.75							
	311.47			Liability Insurance	311.47			
	1,243.00	24.20		Boiler Insurance	1,267.20			
100.00				Wm. H. Conant Hospital Comm.—Expenses				100.00
	100.00			Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	100.00			
	1,484.00			Non-Contributory Retirement	1,484.00			
	18,096.50			Contributory Retirement	18,042.32	54.18		
270.75	13,475.00			Civilian Defense	7,940.12			5,805.63
	400.00			Christmas Lighting	400.00			
	9,000.00			Reserve Fund		3,191.81	5,808.19	
	11,000.00			Group Life & Medical Insurance	10,070.47	929.53		

Balances Jan. 1, 1962	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Transfers from Wage & Personnel	NAME OF ACCOUNT	Expenditures	Balances Closed to Revenue	Transfers to Other Depts.	Balances Forwarded to 1963
	291.63			Marking & Restoring Veterans' Graves	241.63	50.00		
	10,723.83			Wage & Personnel Board			10,723.83	
	704.76			Water Commissioners—Salaries	704.76			
	22,282.28		2,201.22	Water—Salaries	24,213.23	270.27		
	29,468.00			Water—Expenses	27,241.94	2,226.06		
	1,550.00			Water—New Truck	1,404.19	145.81		
240.94				Water—Painting Standpipe		240.94		
	18,000.00—Borrowed			Water—Bridge St.—Construction	17,991.02	8.98		
	400.00			Abandoned Cemeteries	363.74	36.26		
	500.00	887.97		Interest—Temporary Loans	1,387.97			
	6,736.25			Interest—High School Loans	6,736.25			
	2,291.50—F.W.R.			Interest—Water Loan	2,291.50			
	50,000.00			Maturing Debt—School Loan	50,000.00			
	36,000.00—F.W.R.			Maturing Debt—Water Loan	36,000.00			
153,661.72	1,922,214.09	7,760.40	10,723.83	TOTALS	1,911,228.89	63,220.85	18,484.23	101,426.07

Code:

- T.L. — Tax Levy
- F.G. — Federal Grant
- F.W.R. — From Water Revenue
- M.A.A. — From Medical Assistance

IV. BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Date of Maturity.	2.1% Bonds Issued May 1, 1962	1 1/2% Bonds Issued May 1, 1950	1.8% Bonds Issued Aug. 1, 1951	3.2% Bonds Issued May 1, 1960	Total	Interest	1 3/4% Bonds Issued Apr. 1, 1950	1 3/4% Bonds Issued Apr. 1, 1950	Interest	Total Maturing Debt	Total Interest
1963	6,000.	15,000.	5,000.	9,000.	35,000.	1,702.50	35,000.	10,000.	5,906.25	80,000.	7,608.75
1964	6,000.	13,000.	5,000.	9,000.	33,000.	988.50	35,000.	10,000.	5,118.75	78,000.	6,107.25
1965	6,000.		5,000.	9,000.	20,000.	387.00	35,000.	10,000.	4,331.25	65,000.	4,718.25
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	18,000.	28,000.	20,000.	27,000.	93,000.	3,168.00	280,000.	80,000.	25,200.00	453,000.	28,368.00

V. PUBLIC TRUST FUNDS

NAME OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1, 1962	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31, 1962	Total Amount
SCHOOL FUNDS							
Daniel Dyer	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$4,162.50		\$168.14	\$168.14		\$4,162.50
Daniel Dyer	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2000.00		80.80	80.80		2,000.00
Edson	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00		12.12	12.12		300.00
Samuel P. Gates	Bridgewater Savings Bank	3,717.00		150.16	150.16		3,717.00
Samuel P. Gates	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	3,500.00		141.40	141.40		3,500.00
Samuel P. Gates	Whitman Savings Bank	3,500.00		141.40	141.40		3,500.00
Helen Hunt Scholarship	First National Bank Stock	1,600.00		147.00	147.00		1,600.00
Virginia G. Jones	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2,000.00		80.80	80.80		2,000.00
Lorin Keith H. S. Prize	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Merritt G. Perkins	Bridgewater Savings Bank	5,282.43		213.40	213.40		5,282.43
Mildred K. Stearns—School	Bridgewater Cooperative Bank	12,500.00					12,500.00
		<u>\$39,561.93</u>		<u>\$1,175.62</u>	<u>\$1,175.62</u>		<u>\$39,561.93</u>
LIBRARY FUNDS							
Sarah L. Alden	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$500.00		\$20.20	\$20.20		\$500.00
Sarah F. Bates	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		20.20	20.20		500.00
Mary C. Bryant	Bridgewater Savings Bank	2,000.00		80.80	80.80		2,000.00
Mary A. Dunbar	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		20.20	20.20		500.00
Abbie F. Gammons	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		20.20	20.20		500.00
Samuel P. Gates	Bristol County Savings Bank	3,450.00		139.38	139.38		3,450.00
Harriet M. Gilbert	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,944.50		78.54	78.54		1,944.50
Harriet M. Gilbert	First National Stock	3,069.61		285.00	285.00		3,069.61
Harriet M. Gilbert	Bridgewater Savings Bank	562.50		22.70	22.70		562.50
Susan A. Goodrich	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00

NAME OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Fund	Invested	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested	Total Amount
			Income Jan. 1, 1962			Income Dec. 31, 1962	
Virginia G. Jones	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Lorin Keith	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Lewis G. Lowe	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Ellen Markham	Abington Savings Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Francis A. Parker	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Mildred K. Stearns	Bridgewater Savings Bank	3,000.00		30.00		30.00	3,030.00
Anna G. Thompson	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	1,000.00		40.40	40.40		1,000.00
Mary H. Wilbar	Bridgewater Savings Bank	500.00		20.20	20.20		500.00
Pamelia K. Wright	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00		12.12	12.12		300.00
Theodore F. Wright	Bridgewater Savings Bank	162.50		6.54	6.54		162.50
Theodore F. Wright	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2,000.00		80.80	80.80		2,000.00
		<u>\$25,989.11</u>		<u>\$1,119.68</u>	<u>\$1,089.68</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>	<u>\$26,019.11</u>

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CEMETERY FUNDS

Jonah Benson Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$400.00	\$177.63	\$23.32		\$200.95	\$600.95
Henry M. Bosworth	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	14.62	4.60	5.00	14.22	114.22
Caroline W. Braley	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	29.88	5.22	5.00	30.10	130.10
Melissa Chandler	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	39.62	5.62	26.88	18.36	118.36
Margaret Conway	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04	4.00	.04	100.04
Susan L. Cushman	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04		4.04	104.04
Grace Donovan	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04	4.04		100.00
John and Mary Flynn	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04	4.00	.04	100.04
Thomas Frawley	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00		12.12	12.12		300.00
George N. Gammons	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	.77	4.04	4.00	.81	100.81
Jacob and William D. Hall	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	13.72	4.56	7.52	10.76	110.76
Benjamin F. Hayward	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	24.69	5.02	26.88	2.83	102.83

NAME OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1. 1962	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31. 1962	Total Amount
Ziba Hayward	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	13.64	4.56	7.52	10.68	110.68
Avery F. Hooper	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	71.12	6.90	9.00	69.02	169.02
Albion C. & Clara M. Keith	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04		4.04	104.04
Annie Keith Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00		8.08		8.08	208.08
Samuel D. Keith	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04		4.04	104.04
Margaret Keneally	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04	4.04		100.00
Catherine Killoran	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04	4.00	.04	100.04
Stetson Leach Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	80.00	16.72	3.88	3.00	17.60	97.60
Emma Leonard Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	27.17	9.16		36.33	236.33
Madden Lot	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04			100.00
Chester F. Miller	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00		8.08	8.08		200.00
Oreb and Ellen Mitchell	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	15.78	4.66	7.52	12.92	112.92
Patrick O'Connor	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00		4.04	4.04		100.00
Lucretia M. Oldham	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	75.11	7.06	15.00	67.17	167.17
Henry G. Prophett	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,000.00	239.98	50.06	102.00	188.04	1,188.04
Robbins and Osborne	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	132.22	13.40	26.88	118.74	318.74
Increase Robinson	Abington Savings Bank	300.00	138.45	17.70		156.15	456.15
Shaw and Harlow	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	29.18	5.20	26.88	7.50	107.50
Frank E. Sweet	Bridgewater Savings Bank	200.00	41.29	9.74	7.00	44.03	244.03
Benjamin Washburn	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	139.41	9.66	26.88	122.19	222.19
Edmond L. Weston	Bridgewater Savings Bank	100.00	41.40	5.70	26.88	20.22	120.22
Conant St. Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,100.00		44.44	37.00	7.44	1,107.44
Harlow Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	300.00	118.18	16.88		135.06	435.06
Hillside Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	641.73	11.41	26.38	23.37	14.42	656.15
Jennings Hill Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	620.00	13.09	25.56	38.65		620.00

NAME OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Fund	Invested Income Jan. 1, 1962	Income Earned	Income Used	Invested Income Dec. 31, 1962	Total Amount
Orange Street Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	1,069.94	33.60	44.56	38.80	39.36	1,109.30
Vernon Street Cemetery	Bridgewater Savings Bank	826.30	15.93	34.02	37.78	12.17	838.47
		<u>\$9,937.97</u>	<u>\$1,474.61</u>	<u>\$460.58</u>	<u>\$557.80</u>	<u>\$1,377.39</u>	<u>\$11,315.36</u>
BUILDINGS INSURANCE							
	Abington Savings Bank	\$4,567.58		\$184.50			\$4,752.08
	Bridgewater Savings Bank	6,268.72		253.24			6,521.96
		<u>\$10,836.30</u>		<u>\$437.74</u>			<u>\$11,274.04</u>
LIABILITY INSURANCE							
	Whitman Savings Bank	\$2,659.94		\$107.44			\$2,767.38
	East Bridgewater Sav. Bank	2,214.97		89.46	609.50		1,694.93
	Abington Savings Bank	7,824.22		316.08			8,140.30
	Abington Savings Bank	1,753.66		70.82			1,824.48
		<u>\$14,452.79</u>		<u>\$583.80</u>	<u>\$609.50</u>		<u>\$14,427.09</u>
PIANO FUND							
Town Hall Piano	Bridgewater Savings Bank	\$1,088.47					\$1,088.47

**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 1962.

As Dog Officer, I received 531 telephone calls of which 192 were complaints, reports of 58 stray dogs and 32 killed by cars; also reports of 15 stray cats and 22 killed by cars, during the year.

As Animal Inspector a total of 2,356 animals were inspected; this included 1,186 Cows and Heifers, 7 Bulls, 62 Beef cattle, 66 Horses, 151 Sheep, 888 Swine and 6 Goats. 64 Barns were inspected with 11 recalls made, 21 interstate inspections. 40 Dog bite quarantines and 46 recalls made.

Respectfully submitted,

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

**REPORT OF THE
INDUSTRIAL AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

Board of Selectmen
Bridgewater, Mass.

The past calendar year was one of continued effort on the part of your Commission to develop ways and means of attracting industry to our Town.

The attractive and informative brochure outlining the many features our community has to offer was mailed to a selective list of industries and manufacturers who are known to be looking for space in Southeastern Massachusetts. It is the belief of the Commission that constant solicitation of these businesses will eventuate in establishing some of them within our boundaries.

To date we have had relatively little action or requests for businesses to locate or relocate here, however it is self-evident that ultimately our Town will receive this type motion and it is essential we keep ourselves properly geared to accept and promote it. During the past year we did receive requests from three industries for possible location here, but because of lack of adequate housing or raw materials we were unsuccessful in two of these. We are still working with the third. Geographically we represent a hub for the Cape area, New Bedford, Fall River and Providence with a wide range of skilled or semi-skilled manpower available to us. In addition we must recognize the inestimable value of a college community in our endeavors.

A request has been made to place an article in the annual warrant to increase the membership of the Commission and expand the area of contact through individual effort of our members. This will permit a refinement of our organizational structure to more specifically utilize the talents of additional members and the placement of responsibilities.

We have requested meetings with the Planning Board to place our recommendations in their hands for more proper zoning of our community to facilitate the location of industry in proper and logical sites.

Our regular meetings occur the first Monday of each month in our quarters at the Regional High School. The public is cordially invited to attend and assist in our work. It would be appreciated if all members of our community were to keep us informed of any possible movement of any type industry looking for sites in or around our area. This cooperative effort is essential for us to gain additional business in our Town.

The above briefly summarizes the work of this Commission. We ask the indulgence and patience of the Townspeople as we

strive to bring important industry to our Town to provide work for our people and income to the Town. It is the opinion of your Commission that we are not too far from this goal.

Respectfully submitted,

GORDON A. HALL, Chairman
JOHN F. SWEENEY
WILLIAM O'ROURKE
RUTLEDGE A. WAKER

REPORT OF THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We, herewith, submit the 5th Annual Report of the Zoning Board of Appeals for the year ending December 31, 1962.

During the year, the Board received Twenty-three Appeals, which resulted from denial by the Building Inspector to issue permits for various uses, that did not conform with the Zoning By-Laws. One appeal was acted on, upon being received direct from the applicant as approval of the Building Inspector was not needed. Public Hearings were held on the applications received for a variance of the Zoning By-Laws and the following decisions were made:

Appeals Granted:

6 new Garages, 1 new Garage with an open breezeway; 2 car Garage and Coin Shop attached located in a residential area; 2 new Homes with business attached in residential areas; 3 Addition onto present homes; 1 Trailer permit was issued only for the length of time new home was being built; 1 new building to replace an old one for business in a residential area (business not to be expanded);

1 new House on a small lot less than Zoning By-Law requirements; a Special Permit for 2 years was issued an applicant to operate a radiator repair shop in a residential area; a variance was granted for rearranging present business facilities in residential area (business not to be expanded).

Appeals Denied:

1 Trailer; 1 to carry on a business in a residential area; and 1 to operate a woodworking shop in a residential area.

One Appeal for a variance was permitted to be withdrawn without prejudice.

Two Appeals for a variance were held over for a Hearing to be held the first part of 1963.

The great majority of applications coming before this Board were as a rule Appeals from denials of Permits by the Building Inspector on applications of various persons seeking to make additions or alterations to existing structures, most of these Permits to build were denied because proposed additions or alterations would be in violation of the lot line requirement of 20 feet as set forth in the Zoning By-Laws. It is suggested that it might be wise to modify the lot line requirements as to structure in the existing Zoning By-Laws.

During the year George C. Hogg was appointed to fill the vacancy as an associate member, which existed on the Zoning Board of Appeals.

The Board is indebted to Mrs. Hughes of the Assessors' office for the assistance to the Board in the administration and other details, necessary to the proper functioning of the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK H. BALBONI, Chairman
 JAMES J. TICCHI
 WILLIAM K. BICKNELL
 HUGO P. BARONI
 GEORGE C. HOGG

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
and the
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
of the
TOWN OF BRIDGEWATER



FOR THE YEAR 1962

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

Shirley Bellevue	Middle School
Ruth Parker	Middle School
Marion Giamperoli	McElwain School
Helen Lankalis	School Street School

SCHOOL HEALTH PERSONNEL

Mrs. Shirley Lauffer, R.N.	School Nurse
Leo Zalon, 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 MANAGER

Clifford Craig All schools

CUSTODIANS

Louis Calabrese	Middle School
Edward Paiva	Middle School
Walter Kacsock	Middle School
Joseph Lazaro (Dec.-April)	Middle School
Clifford Bernier	McElwain School
Arthur Holbrook	School Street School

CALENDAR FOR SCHOOL YEAR

1962-63

Fall term begins September 5, 1962
 Fall term ends December 21, 1962
 Winter term begins January 2, 1963
 Winter term ends February 15, 1963
 Spring term begins February 25, 1963
 Spring term ends April 11, 1963
 Summer term begins April 22, 1963
 Summer term ends June 21, 1963

DAYS OUT

October 12	Columbus Day
October 26	Teachers' Convention
November 12	Veterans' Day
November 22, 23	Thanksgiving Recess
January 1	New Year's Day
April 12	Good Friday
May 30, 31	Memorial Day Recess

1963-64

Fall term starts September 4, 1963
 Fall term ends December 20, 1963
 Winter term starts January 2, 1964

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 pupils 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

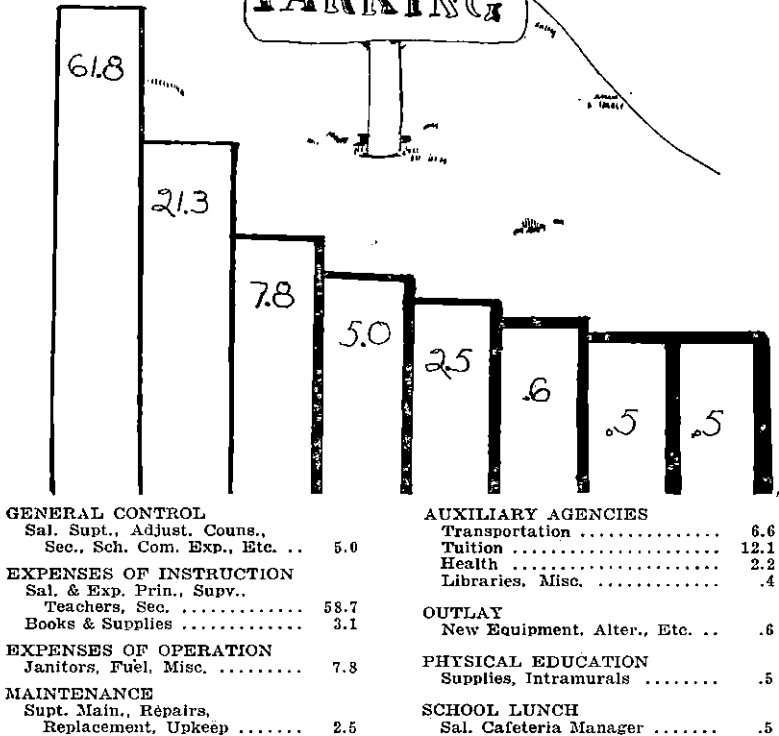
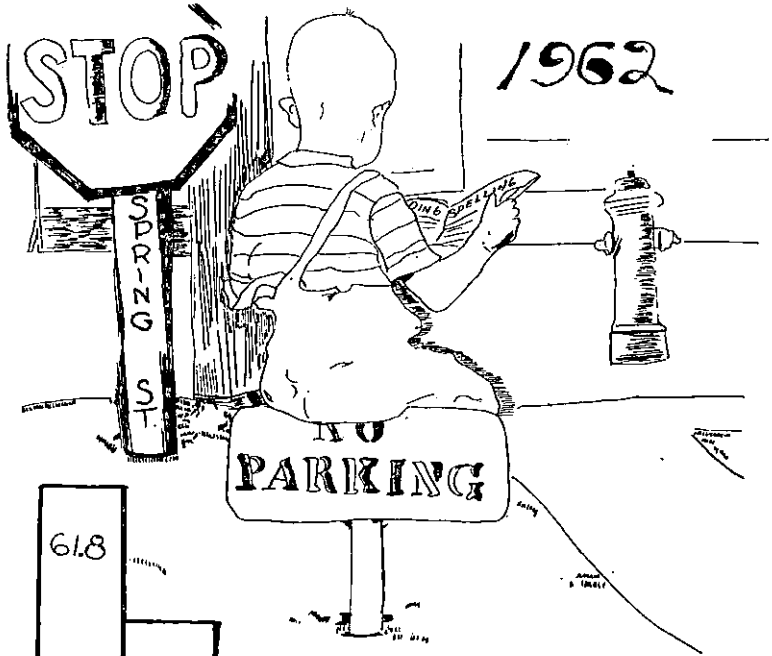
Parents are asked to use their own discretion in sending their

children to school on stormy days. However, when school is called off, two blows will be repeated four times at 6:45 a.m. for no school in all schools. In addition to the whistle, this announcement will be broadcast over station WBET in Brockton and WBZ in Boston, including television for the latter .

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.

How the School Dollar was spent.



NET COST TO THE TOWN — 1962

Expenditures

Personal Services & Expenses	\$506,117.64
Burnell School Tuition	67,810.27
Out-of-State Travel	204.85
Janitors, Matron—Outside Organizations	703.99
Summer Recreational Program— Gen. Laws, c. 69, s. 29D	1,085.51

Total	\$575,922.26
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Receipts

State Aid—General School Fund	89,384.67
State Aid—School Transportation	25,717.71
School Adjustment Counselor	4,500.00
Special Education Programs— Mentally Retarded, Physically, Speech & Hearing Handicapped	9,629.85
Tuition—Special Class	575.00
Tuition & Transportation State Wards	903.52
Janitors, Matron—Outside Organizations	354.49
Income from Trust Funds for Schools	694.02
Summer Recreational Program— Reimbursement	406.75
Summer Recreational Program— Tuition	272.00
Miscellaneous	297.70

Total	132,735.71
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Net Cost	\$443,186.55
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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Expenditures

Vocational Tuition	\$ 2,974.67
Transportation to Vocational Schools	1,053.15
Evening Practical Art Classes	938.00

Total	\$ 4,965.82
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Receipts

Main. State—Aided Vocational Schools	666.58
Reimbursement—Vocational Tuition	1,931.60
Reimbursement—Trans. to Voc. Schools	470.10
Registration Fees—E. P. A. Classes	76.00
Tuition—E. P. A. Classes	30.00

Total	3,174.28
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Net Cost	\$ 1,791.54
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ADULT CIVIC EDUCATION**Expenditures**

Tuition	\$ 42.00
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Total	\$ 42.00
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Receipts

Reimbursement	\$ 21.00
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Total	\$ 21.00
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Net Cost	\$ 21.00
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FEDERAL FUNDS**Public Law 874**

Balance on Hand 1-1-62	\$ 10,489.52
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Receipts 1962	10,884.00
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Total	\$ 21,373.52
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Expenditures 1962	10,610.68
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Balance to 1963	\$ 10,762.84
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NDEA, Title III, Public Law 85-864

Balance on Hand 1-1-62	\$ 2,281.42
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Receipts 1962	2,272.00
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Total	\$ 4,553.42
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Expenditures 1962		93.00
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	\$	4,460.42
To Be Returned to State Treasury		2,281.42
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Balance to 1963	\$	2,179.00
 NDEA, Title V, Part A, Public Law 85-864		
Balance on Hand 1-1-62	none	
Receipts	186.60	
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Total	\$	186.60
Expenditures 1962		167.73
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Balance to 1963	\$	18.87

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Bridgewater:

Your school committee met in twenty-three regular and special sessions during 1962. Regular meetings are held on the first and third Tuesdays of each month with the exception of the months of July and August.

ARTICLE 21

Early in 1962, your committee went on record as opposed to Article 21 in the annual Town Warrant. This article called for the election of all three members of the Regional School Committee. Presently, two members are elected and the third is appointed by the Bridgewater School Committee. Your committee feels that the elimination of the appointed member would, in effect, eliminate liaison and cooperation between the local and the regional committees. Passage of Article 21 would tend to destroy communica-

tion between these two committees when what is clearly needed is increased cooperation and effort by both groups.

The Bridgewater School Committee urges the retention of the present method of providing the regional committee membership in the interest of better education.

BROWN-BRIDGEWATER PROJECT

Among major recommendations of the Brown-Bridgewater Project report already adopted are the following:

1. Adoption of a single salary schedule for teachers in the elementary, middle and high schools which reflects no differential for service at these three levels.
2. Joint curriculum planning on a permanent basis by the Bridgewater, Raynham and Bridgewater-Raynham Regional schools.
3. Revision of the present cumulative record forms to include additional data needed for good guidance; new forms for the K-4 and 5-8 levels.
4. Continuation and supplementation of new system of parent conferences as a means of reporting to parents.
5. Exploration of possibilities in the ungraded elementary school and in the dual-progress plan.
6. Additional clerical assistance for the guidance director in order to free him for more guidance services.

LENGTHENED SCHOOL YEAR

Effective as of September of 1962, State law requires an elementary school year of 180 days. This is an increase of 20 days over the 160-day previous requirement. Because of the lengthened school year, no-school days due to bad weather will, of necessity, be sharply curtailed in the future. Only when weather conditions are so severe that the buses are unable to run will schools be closed. On other stormy days, parents are asked to use their own judgment as to whether or not their children should attend school.

HELPING TEACHER

In order to assist pupils having unusual difficulties in achieving success in their school work, a helping teacher was added to the staff of the Williams Middle School during the past fall. This was worked out through the cooperation of Anthony DeLeo, Division of Special Education of the Department of Education. Miss Judith MacDonald, an experienced teacher in this field, was secured for this position. She works with individual pupils or with small groups as the need requires. The town is reimbursed 50% of her salary by the state.

1963 BUDGET

The total budget for 1963 amounts to \$619,585.52. This is an increase of \$72,738.67 over the expenditures for the operation of our schools in 1962. This increase of approximately 13% is largely the result of an increase of \$21,245.85 in the Burnell School tuition, salaries for two new teachers in the fall of 1963, \$200.00 increase to teachers effective September, 1963, additional clerical help for the guidance director and regular increments for teaching and nonteaching personnel according to the salary schedule provisions.

Anticipated receipts of approximately \$138,334.86 will reduce the amount to be raised by local taxation from \$619,585.52 to \$481,250.66.

Based on an average enrollment figure of 1600 pupils, it will cost the taxpayers slightly over \$300.00 per year per pupil in 1963. For the school year ending June, 1961, the state average per pupil cost from local taxation was \$321.48. This figure is over \$20.00 higher than the local cost will be in 1963. Few communities pay less per pupil from local taxes than does Bridgewater. This fact is shown in a chart in the superintendent's report.

A comparison of the 1963 budget with that of 1962 follows:

	1962	1963	AMOUNT OF INCREASE
Personal Services	\$414,646.79	\$461,952.46	\$ 47,305.67
Other Expenses	97,276.28	100,798.43	3,522.15
Specials	34,923.78	56,834.63	21,910.85
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Totals	\$546,846.85	\$619,585.52	\$ 72,738.67

Due to committee action early in 1963 transferring the sum of \$8,000.00 from the Public Law 874 funds in order to reduce the amount to be appropriated for the Burnell School tuition, the total budget figure for 1963 will be \$611,585.52; the amount of increase will be reduced to \$64,738.67.

The school committee commends all school personnel for the enthusiasm and cooperation shown during the past year in trying to give Bridgewater boys and girls the best education possible. Appreciation is also extended to the citizens and parents of Bridgewater for their interest and support of our educational system. We solicit the continued help of all as we attempt to further improve our educational program.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. BRADLEY
HELEN C. RESEVIC
DOROTHY L. MANN
ARTHUR W. BLANCHARD
JOHN D. DORR
RICHARD J. DOWD
JOHN R. HICKEY

School Committee

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee:

I am submitting for your consideration my report for 1962, also the reports of the school principals, physicians, nurse, dental hygienist, director of guidance, elementary adjustment counselor, speech therapist and the physical education teachers.

ENROLLMENT

According to accepted standards, our schools are overcrowded

from the standpoint of carrying out a modern educational program. Enrollment projections indicate that future annual increases, based on conservative estimates, will average more than thirty pupils per year. This predicted increase coupled with our present overcrowding makes urgent action in providing relief a priority matter.

In addition to our problem of overcrowding, the elementary school buildings, with the exception of the Williams Middle School, are antiquated and unsuited for modern programs. The McElwain School is 50 years old, the School Street School 44 years and the Burnell School 37 years. They all lack adequate playground and parking spaces as well as many other educational facilities necessary for the conduct of programs to meet the needs of today's challenges.

I have stressed the need for more and better classroom and other educational spaces in past annual reports. In 1960, even though the new Regional High School was to open in the fall of 1961, I stated in the annual report for that year that "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."

Because the housing situation, and along with it the educational program, is bound to worsen as the school population continues to increase, it is to be fervently hoped that prompt action will be taken to afford suitable relief in this area. The school committee and the school administrators can only alert the community to building needs. Action is the responsibility of the voters at a town meeting. The findings and recommendations of the present School Building Needs Committee should receive careful and serious consideration by the townspeople if the best interests of education are to be met locally.

TEACHER CHANGES

LEFT	ELECTED
M. G. Williams Middle School	M. G. Williams Middle School
Elizabeth-Anne Daly	Ann MacNeil
Rochelle Kaplan	Gertrude Silvia
Katherine O'Donnell	George Pauley, Jr.
Margaret Keith	Elizabeth Carbonara
Francis O'Donnell	Maude Horne
	Judith MacDonald
School Street School	School Street School
Ida Covitz	Paula-Anne Farnum
McElwain School	McElwain School
Sonia Zimmerman	Carole Parker
Burnell School	Burnell School
Gladys Allen	Janet Churbuck
Louise Borchers	Marian Nelson
Christine Dowd	Ruth Tilton

Four of the teachers—Miss O'Donnell, Miss Keith, Miss Allen, Miss Borchers—retired during the past year. They totaled an aggregate of 149 years of dedicated service to the public schools of Bridgewater and to hosts of girls and boys. Miss O'Donnell's 49 years of teaching in the Bridgewater schools touched the lives of hundreds of youngsters who had the highest regard, respect and affection for her both as a person and as an outstanding teacher. Miss Borchers started teaching here in 1919 and for 43 years devoted herself to the welfare and education of the local youth in a truly unselfish, dedicated and effective manner. Miss Allen concluded 37 years of highly esteemed service during which time she gave unstintingly of herself in the interests of the boys and girls with whom she worked so well. Miss Keith completed 30 years in the local schools where she gave devoted and notable service, largely in the areas of home economics and music.

During the Thanksgiving recess, we were shocked by the sudden death of Miss Phyllis Hennessey who for 40 years had rendered outstanding service in the schools of Bridgewater. Her generosity, openhearted attitude, thoughtfulness and sincere interest in her

young friends and pupils endeared her to all. She was truly a credit to the teaching profession.

We feel that our new teachers add quality to our teaching staff and that all are contributing substantially to our educational program.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. William E. Hunt, school physician for the past 35 years, passed away in December. He had resigned from his position because of ill health prior to the start of the 1962-63 school year.

His services to thousands of school youngsters during his long and distinguished career as guardian of their health are greatly appreciated.

Dr. Leo Zalon was appointed school physician in September to replace Dr. Hunt.

K-44 ORGANIZATION

Since September of 1961, we have conducted a K-44 school organization with the primary grades in the McElwain, School Street and Burnell Schools and grades 5-8 in the Williams Middle School.

Because of the excellent facilities, the critic teaching program and other potentials at the Williams Middle School, improved programs, particularly for grades 5 and 6, have been instituted. Others are in prospect. Programs such as those in effect at this school are available for very few such grades anywhere.

In spite of drawbacks and limitations of buildings and grounds, fine educational programs are being carried on in the McElwain and School Street Schools. The administration and staffs of these schools are alert to the changing educational needs of our times. They are constantly working to offer better opportunities to all the children with whom they are involved in the highly important job of producing the best possible members for our democratic society. Needless to say, the same high performance as in the past is a continuing characteristic of the Burnell School where both the training of teachers and the teaching of children goes on in a highly commendable manner.

Due to our more or less unique situation in organizing on a K-4-4 basis and also because of the programs in progress, much interest in our system is manifest all over the country. Letters of inquiry have come in to Principal Zdanowicz from school systems and interested individuals in Pennsylvania, Illinois, New York, Ohio, Michigan, New Mexico, Wisconsin, South Dakota, Indiana, Connecticut and New Hampshire. Newspaper and magazine articles have also appeared regarding our K-4-4 program.

UNIVERSITY AFFILIATIONS

Throughout the past fall, we have been meeting periodically with two consultants from Northeastern University, with particular attention devoted to the problem of the "underachiever" in our schools. This problem with its many ramifications is being studied by a group composed of teachers, administrators, parents and student teachers. We plan, if possible, to expand this group to include representatives from the school committee, the advisory board, and the Bridgewater State College.

We are also working on a continuing basis with Brown University in the further development of our K-4-4 system. Any resource or help from institutions of higher learning will be utilized to the fullest possible extent as we try to provide the best in education for our young people.

Together with other school systems across the nation, we are trying our best to untrack education, to provide for individual differences, to permit a student to progress at his own rate, to offer enrichment for those who need it and to provide for the all-round development of our young people. All of this is no small task, and it will require continued and expanding use of new approaches in education, such as, team teaching, programmed learning, ungraded classes, different types of class groupings, plus other devices and methods if these goals are to be reached.

SCHOOL COSTS

Based on 1960-61 data from the annual report of the State Department of Education, which is the latest available, the chart on the following page has been compiled. The cost figures for Bridgewater in comparison to the other towns listed, as well as averages for the state as a whole, indicate that this town is, at least at the time these figures speak for, not overspending for education.

1960-61 Data

Annual Report of the Department of Education

Town	From Local Sources	From All Sources	Per Pupil Local	Per Pupil All Sources
Brookline	\$3,526,122	\$3,642,332	\$581.68	\$600.85
Randolph	1,033,594	1,308,210	262.60	332.37
Stoughton	1,028,228	1,230,557	293.70	351.49
Hingham	1,298,227	1,565,325	363.75	438.59
Plymouth	879,509	1,036,449	340.24	400.95
Walpole	1,150,679	1,250,264	373.23	405.53
Rockland	678,218	839,819	273.14	338.23
Canton	771,084	940,219	370.71	452.03
Scituate	967,620	1,118,339	329.35	380.65
Middleboro	576,511	723,506	253.63	318.30
Abington	725,993	875,023	318.28	383.61
Foxborough	576,113	672,545	301.47	351.93
Sharon	835,804	975,075	309.79	361.40
Easton	590,735	758,096	273.11	350.48
Mansfield	554,708	633,502	341.36	389.85
East Bridgewater	387,215	471,955	277.77	338.56
West Bridgewater	295,173	389,034	269.56	355.28
Bridgewater	474,852	601,539	262.06	331.98
Raynham	205,046	265,517	333.41	431.73
Halifax	59,818	77,748	287.59	373.79
Kingston	128,267	174,219	295.55	401.43
Pembroke	178,787	250,787	302.72	425.78
State			321.48	393.54

MAINTENANCE

The school buildings and grounds continue to be kept in good condition under the direction of John Hall, superintendent of maintenance, and the custodians as well as the extra workers during vacation periods and the summer months. In addition to the routine work carried on throughout the year, the following major jobs were done:

Williams Middle School—auditorium and kitchen painted throughout including walls and ceilings; all floors painted in locker rooms, basement areas, corridors and visiting team room; flag pole painted; brick-work in boiler

repaired and replaced; walls in hallways and classrooms repaired; new bicycle rack erected; new sign installed on upper part of building.

McElwain School—kitchen painted as well as basement area, floors and corridors; stairs sanded and refinished; general touch-up through the building; panic locks installed on all outside doors; new fluorescent lights installed in basement corridor.

School Street School—basement floors painted; all stairways and floors throughout building sealed; cafeteria tables covered with formica; ten flush valves replaced and new pipe installed from basement to top floor; dishwasher installed; small sign erected on front of building.

EVENING PRACTICAL ART CLASSES

A new class was added to the practical art program in the fall of 1962—knitting and needlework. The party refreshments class which had been popular for a number of years was dropped because of lack of interest. The following classes are being conducted during the current school year 1962-63 for three hours an evening for a period of twenty weeks by the instructors listed below:

Beginners' Clothing	Mrs. Loretta Craig
Tailoring	Mrs. Loretta Craig
Braided Rugs	Mrs. Evelyn White
Knitting & Needlework	Mrs. Ethel M. Hill

The last tailoring class was held during the 1957-58 school year. Since then, until the current year, there have not been enough women who completed the beginners' and advanced classes interested in continuing in this area.

CIVIL DEFENSE

In cooperation with Civil Defense Director Chickering, plans have been worked out to take care of the school children in case disaster strikes. In general, those pupils living within one and one-half miles from school will walk home and those over this distance will be taken home by bus if warning signals are sounded. Men

teachers have received instruction in the operation of the buses and evacuation drills are scheduled for the coming months.

Principal Kelly of the School Street School is coordinator of civil defense for the schools.

In closing, I want to thank all who have assisted in providing a worthwhile program of education for our boys and girls during 1962. High on the list of those devoted to the betterment of education locally is the school committee. The members of this group give freely of their time and talent toward this end and are deserving of commendation.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT F. HUNT, JR.
Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Dear Mr. Hunt:

As principal of the Meredith G. Williams Middle School, I herewith submit my annual report for 1962.

This is only the second year of the operation of the Middle School, and education has been improved in all subject fields for the boys and girls of grades 5 through 8. We are not satisfied, however, that we are doing all that is humanly possible to provide the best possible education for the children; we have, therefore, dedicated ourselves to the task of continually studying, evaluating and improving everything we do to help children develop. We feel that we did a good job last year, are doing a still better job this year and expect even greater improvement for next year. Improvement beyond next year will, however, be very difficult, if not impossible, to achieve because we shall be too overcrowded by September, 1964, to maintain a defensible educational program.

Starting with the school year 1964-65, we shall not be able to maintain our present fine program let alone make any improvements or expansions unless we have additional space. A report has been submitted to members of the School Building Needs Study Committee showing a need for seven classrooms and three offices at the Middle School. This report has also been sent to members of the Board of Selectmen, Advisory Committee and the Bridgewater School Committee. It is hoped that the townspeople will take positive action soon to remedy our lack of space.

Our enrollment by grades is shown below. Our total enrollment of 682 is 82 greater than the 600 pupils for which the building was intended when originally built. Our projected enrollment figures for the fall of 1963 show a further increase of about 35 pupils.

GRADE	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
5	114	82	196
6	77	76	153
7	82	85	167
8	75	91	166
			682

The only way that we shall be able to handle these numbers with inadequate facilities is to either place classes in substandard rooms, overload already overloaded classrooms or take away part of our program. We currently teach English and social studies in two classrooms that exist because the former school library was divided into classrooms. Of course, this means that we are operating without a full library program. This is deplorable because in this day and age of quickly increasing knowledge the emphasis should be placed on pupils finding out for themselves. This involves teaching library skills at the earliest possible age so that these skills may be used in both later schooling and in life.

The former teachers' lunchroom is still used for mathematic classes; reading is taught in either a home economics kitchen or the former shop drawing room; and mathematics for eighth graders is taught in a room which is too small and is situated over the boilers which, in warm weather, causes the temperature to hit 90 degrees Fahrenheit or more.

The town has been very generous in providing an educational plant and facilities for senior high school students. It is my own personal feeling that younger children deserve facilities equally as suitable.

New Teachers. This year we were very fortunate in being able to replace teachers who left us with very well-qualified and experienced teachers with exceptional training. Our new teachers are as follows:

Maude Horne	Reading, all grades
Judith MacDonald	Helping Teacher
Ann MacNeil	Grade 6
Gertrude Silvia	Grade 5
George Pauley	Grade 8 mathematics and accelerated 5th and 6th grade mathematics groups
Elizabeth Carbonara	Music

The action of the local school committee in bringing the local teachers' salary schedule up to a competitive level, coupled with the extension of the critic teaching program, made it possible for us to employ tried and proven well-trained teachers.

Improvements in Program. We have followed through wherever possible and whenever deemed wise by our own staff the recommendations of the Brown-Bridgewater Project report to improve the educational program of our children. It is important to note that the recommendations have evolved from work done during our workshop by our own teachers and other staff members. Listed below are some improvements consistent with recommendations in the Brown-Bridgewater Project report.

1. Our guidance and testing services have been expanded.
2. We have improved our school-community relations by vitalizing our school press club and extending and improving our parent-teacher conferences. In addition, the Williams Middle School was written up in a feature article in the April 22, 1962, issue of the *Boston Sunday Herald*. Our school has also become nationally known due to an article in the June 12, 1962, issue of the *Educa-*

tion Summary. The **Education Summary** is an independent news service circulated to educators across the entire United States and subscribed to by hundreds of leading college and university libraries.. That the **Education Summary** has led to national interest in our school is proved by the fact that I have received inquiries from coast-to-coast on our program. These inquiries have come from interested citizens, school districts, a publishing house, and nationally known universities, such as, Lehigh and Michigan State. In addition, our Middle School was mentioned or written about in the Portland, Maine, Press Herald; the Providence, Rhode Island, Journal; and the Bowdoin College Alumni magazine.

3. We are presently urging that facilities be expanded to permit smaller class size and a full-scale library program and eliminate the need for the regular use of substandard teaching stations.
4. Joint curriculum planning took place in the spring involving not only our own staff but also staff members of the primary schools, the new high school and surrounding towns.
5. Joint planning involving Raynham as well as West Bridgewater is currently in progress.
6. The improved salary inducements of our basic schedule plus the professional challenge of critic teaching as well as its financial compensation have made possible the recruitment of teachers with varying backgrounds.
7. We have in the past and are continuing in the present to study the possibilities of any and all newer and presumably better ways to organize for instruction. All efforts are made to place teachers where their particular competencies may best be utilized.
8. We are in the process of restudying our cumulative record forms.
9. Steps have already been taken to expand the scope of our guidance program as well as to provide more counseling

service to improve the procedures for identifying and serving exceptional children.

10. Materials have been provided for an occupational and educational library.
11. Our programs of articulation and orientation between schools have been very effective thanks, in part, to a color movie of our school which is shown to fourth graders in the spring before they visit us.
12. Our homeroom periods are used for group guidance.

Improvements in Curriculum. Since the opening of this building as a middle school in September of 1961, improvements have been made in each subject area. The English program in grades 7 and 8 includes two laboratory periods per week for composition work under the careful and close supervision of our teachers. The School Mathematics Study Group program has been expanded to include more pupils in grades 7 and 8 and is taught to accelerated 5th and 6th grade youngsters. In grades 5 and 6 children are re-grouped for reading and arithmetic classes by proven ability. This permits the better students to be challenged further, the slower students to achieve success at their own level and at their own pace and allows more actual teaching time for the average youngsters. The language laboratory has been expanded and the Audio-Lingual Materials program has been adopted for French in grades 7 and 8. This program was developed by the United States Office of Education. Although our physical education program has been improved by making available the necessary equipment, we are still not in a position where our facilities and staff permit us to implement the recommendations of the President's Council on Physical Fitness.

Activities. Our activity program is still functioning satisfactorily with intramural athletics still our most popular activity. Once again we are taking part in the Bridgewater and Raynham Music Festival along with the Raynham schools and the high school.

Cooperative Efforts with Higher Education. Brown University is still working with us informally on an advisory basis. Our critic teaching program, in cooperation with Bridgewater State College,

has increased in effectiveness and the number of stations has been increased to fifteen. Some Williams Middle School staff members, along with representatives of the community, are engaged in a study and discussion group with staff members of a university in the Boston area.

Technological Aids to Instruction. We are continuing our affiliation with Station WGBH, Channel 2. Our audio-visual equipment is satisfactory at present in quantity, quality and diversity.

Faculty Meetings. Although we have continued the practice of regularly scheduled general staff meetings, we also place more emphasis on team planning and discussion involving teachers of one grade, one subject or field of interest.

Civil Defense. In cooperation with national, state, regional and local civil defense agencies, we are in the process of setting up plans of action in the event of large-scale disaster. Current plans call for sending pupils to their own homes. To speed up this process, every male on the professional staff of the Middle School has volunteered to take bus driving lessons to learn bus routes and to be ready to serve in any way if needed.

Future of the Middle School. It appears that Bridgewater may be in on the ground floor of what may become a trend in public education—the middle school idea. Many educators have become disenchanted with the usual type of intermediate school—the junior high school serving pupils in grades 7, 8 and 9. The middle school idea may be the answer to many problems of educating early adolescents. It is interesting to note that Saginaw, Michigan, has recently invested considerable financial resources in two new buildings to serve pupils in grades 5 through 8. Bedford, New York, among other school districts, is in the planning stage for a middle school to serve pupils in grades 6, 7 and 8. The Sargent report on Boston schools suggests the possibility of converting Boston's junior high schools into intermediate schools serving pupils in grades 6, 7 and 8. A similar suggestion was made for schools in New Haven, Connecticut, and a team of educational consultants made a recommendation for Haverhill, Massachusetts, that an intermediate school be set up for grades 5 through 8.

Summary. I believe, and many authorities in the field of public education agree, that the middle school has much to offer in the education of early adolescents. With additional, devoted and enthusiastic work on the part of our staff and with increased financial support to provide the areas which are needed now and which are becoming progressively more urgent, we could truly say that the best possible education is being provided for the Bridgewater children in grades 5 through 8. This is the hope of our staff, and we hope the community will support it. I feel that our community, while not wealthy, is in a strong enough financial position to provide adequate educational facilities for children of each age group. No one level of education is any more or less important than any other. The early grades are important because it is there that the children are expected to develop their basic skills as well as to develop the proper attitudes towards learning. The middle years are particularly important since it is during the adolescent years that many youngsters develop the motivation and further improve their skills to do their best possible school work after they leave the eighth grade.

I cannot emphasize too strongly the need for additional rooms by September of 1964. We will maintain our present broad program next year as we have this year by overloading teachers with pupils, using substandard rooms and trying to improvise to make up for our lack of an adequate central library.

It has been a pleasure and a privilege for me to serve as the principal of the Meredith G. Williams Middle School. Although we feel we are doing an excellent job with the Bridgewater youngsters of grades 5 through 8, please be assured that we shall not become complacent, for we will ever strive to further improve our effectiveness.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL J. ZDANOWICZ

Principal

REPORT OF THE GUIDANCE DIRECTOR

Dear Mr. Hunt:

The following is my guidance report for the calendar year 1962.

For several years the guidance directors of the South Shore high schools have been meeting periodically for the purpose of discussing mutual problems and exchanging information pertinent to their work. This year a similar organization at the junior high school level came into being and gives promise of being as significant and helpful to its members as has been that of the parent group.

Preliminary registration of the members of grade 8 for the courses which they would follow at the Regional High School received major emphasis early in the new year. An introduction to the programs available, a tentative choice of subjects, confirmation by means of past grades, achievement test scores and teacher recommendations preceded the taking home of the schedules for parental approval. Conferences were arranged in some instances to discuss the total picture.

The curriculum studies undertaken in the spring involving the towns of Bridgewater and Raynham included a committee on guidance. In addition to its own deliberations, the committee reviewed the recommendations of the Brown-Bridgewater Project and stressed two for particular attention—Occupational Information and Testing.

OCCUPATIONAL INFORMATION

While it is true that the curriculum of the early grades makes allowance for what may be termed occupational information, such as those involved in what are called community helpers, it was felt that there is still room for additional concentration in this area by the classroom teacher when the subject under consideration lends itself to a treatment of some phase of the world at work. I have made it a point to speak on this at teachers' meetings, and some teachers have informed me that they do so.

The transition from the high school grades to the M. G. Williams Middle School consisting of grades 5-8 enabled the school system to take advantage of federal funds allotted through the State Department of Education for guidance purposes. One of the items purchased with this additional money is a career information kit containing a description of many jobs, the duties performed, the training required, the long range outlook for employment and where to secure additional information. This kit has been described briefly and made available for perusal at a town-wide teachers' meeting. Its use has also been discussed with some of the divisions in grades 7 and 8. Further extensive use is being planned for the kit. Presently its contents are being borrowed by interested pupils.

TESTING

While standardized test results are only one facet of a pupil's educational profile, other important areas being his day-to-day work in the classroom and the opinions of his teachers, it was felt that inasmuch as the elementary schools of both Bridgewater and Raynham would be sending their pupils to the same regional high school there ought to be a similar testing program operating in each of the two towns. A committee was appointed to look into this matter.

THE CLASS OF 1962

A total of 143 pupils completed grade 8 at the M. G. Williams Middle School in June. Following is a breakdown of where they have gone:

Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School	131
Cardinal Spellman High School	6
Other towns—moved	3
Left—over 16	2
Taunton Vocational High School	1

INDIVIDUAL TESTING

The opening of school in September usually brings requests from elementary school principals for individual tests to be administered to those pupils whose records leave something to be desired by way of additional information. In addition to these, the

desire to have at the Middle School a class for those pupils who seemed to need more attention than could be had in a regular classroom necessitated the administration of many more individual tests of mental ability or scholastic aptitude. This class was organized and commenced operation in November.

WORK WITH OTHER RESOURCES

As in the past, I have worked closely with the school adjustment counselor in an effort to aid those children whose difficulty appears to be either educational or emotional in nature. The same may be said of other staff members, such as, the school nurse, speech and hearing therapist and reading specialist. Contact is maintained with the Judge Stone Guidance Clinic and other agencies whose assistance may be available.

LOOKING AHEAD

In April, 1963, the guidance movement will observe its golden anniversary in Boston. What started as something to aid the high school graduate later moved into high school as a service, then up to the college level and finally down to the junior high level. It seems, however, that out of sheer necessity the guidance movement started at the wrong end of the educational ladder. Today this is being rectified, for there is a definite movement in the direction of elementary guidance as an integral part of the school program. It has taken its own unique approach just as all the previous services have done. In elementary guidance the classroom teacher has been called the center of the program with the specialist acting as a resource person.

I firmly believe that the administration and faculties staffing the Bridgewater schools are guidance minded, and I look forward to the opportunity of continuing to work with them for the welfare of the children of this area.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. COOKE
Director of Guidance

REPORT OF THE PHYSICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Dear Mr. Hunt:

In teaching physical activities we concern ourselves with skills, appreciations and attitudes which can be beneficial to the growth and development of the youthful body.

All boys' and girls' physical education classes start with at least fifteen minutes of vigorous exercises. However, since grades five and six meet only once a week and grades seven and eight meet only twice a week, it is necessary that they be encouraged to exercise at home as well.

Activity is basic to learning. It contributes to the development of a respect for rules and authority and the acceptance of one's own limitations as well as others.

Vigorous activity is essential to a balance in the student's school day. It provides an opportunity to release tensions and pent-up emotions and contributes to good mental health.

At the fifth and sixth grade level, we find the development of group interests and an enthusiasm for simple team games. The program provides opportunity for improvement in skills, participation in square dance activities which give social ease, increased use of team games of simple organization and pupil leadership and responsibility.

Seventh and eighth graders are approaching the time when they must assume many of the responsibilities of adults. Leisure is apt to become a liability if young people aren't prepared to use it wisely. We must help them acquire skill in diversified, beneficial leisure time activities. The development of skill in fundamental movement is a progressive matter for each student who proceeds at his/her own rate.

After the necessary skills are acquired, the activity is offered on an interclass competitive basis after school. Parents should encourage participation in the intramural program. Behavior is in-

fluenced through participation in team games. In addition to team sports, the intramural program offers opportunity for advanced work in tumbling and apparatus, bowling, dance activities, track, badminton and tennis.

In the spring, the girls held an interclass track meet. Events included a 50-yard dash, 100-yard dash, softball throw for distance, running broad jump and the standard broad jump. There was an enthusiastic response to this event. Several class softball games were also played in addition to the mixed grade games. Instruction in tennis was offered to all girls as part of the intramural program.

In the fall and winter, intramural team sports are offered following the near completion of each unit. At these times there is an exceptional enthusiasm for intramural participation. In the girls' department, we are attempting to organize intramural student leaders who will assist with the program.

Plans are under way for a fifth grade dance party. This will be held on an afternoon and will follow the completion of the square dance unit. A similar dance party will be held for the sixth grade under like conditions.

The best way to really have fun participating in a physical activity is to play reasonably well. To learn to play reasonably well requires all-out effort. The opportunity is there for the boys and girls in the Meredith G. Williams Middle School.

The Physical Fitness Testing Program revealed that boys in Bridgewater need further development of their upper extremities. This has been generally true for children in the United States due to our emphasis on team sports involving mainly leg development, speed and agility. Performances were below average in the following areas: pull-ups, push-ups, burpee, softball throw. Improvement is needed in the 50-yard dash, shuttle run and the standing broad jump. In the Sargent jump test, sit-ups and the 600-yard run, scores were average or above average. Test performances were better in June, 1962, than in September, 1961, due to familiarization with the tests, improved effort and conditioning exercises.

Since the welcome addition of apparatus equipment and new lightweight mats, the fitness program of our boys and girls can be

expanded and improved. New equipment acquired this year and already put to use includes the side horse, parallel bars, spring board, Swedish box, low balance beam, chest pulley weights and a push ball.

With student teachers in the boys' physical education department, the opportunity arises within the class period for testing, small group and individual instruction and make-up work.

Arrangements have been made to improve the physical education program in the elementary schools. More space is required in the elementary schools.

Varied activities were scheduled for boys' intramurals which would coincide with the interests and enjoyment of the participants. Among the most popular activities were football, basketball, dodgeball, indoor baseball and wrestling. All boys, regardless of their ability, were encouraged to participate and use the facilities available. An average of 24 boys participated for 121 intramural days. The fifth and sixth grades averaged 22 boys a day. Outside activities and inclement weather contributed to poor attendance at intramurals. Intramural championships were held in the following team and individual sports in each grade: football, basketball, badminton, wrestling, track.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY N. MOORE

BERNARD T. CHESTNA

Physical Education Instructors

REPORT OF THE McELWAIN SCHOOL

Dear Mr. Hunt.

As principal of William H. McElwain School, I hereby submit my annual report of the year's activities which will also serve as an informative bulletin for our parents and taxpayers.

About Our Building

The McElwain School was erected in 1912 or, in terms of events, the year President William H. Taft was in the White House and the Titanic hit an iceberg and sank to its watery grave. This fifty-year-old building, however, is in good state of repair at present. Nevertheless, it cannot go on forever. This is a fact which all of us taxpayers must bear in mind.

About Our Curriculum

The curriculum at the McElwain School endeavors to allow every child to achieve according to his/her ability. In our efforts to offer a well-balanced elementary education, we make supplementary use of the many Channel 2 television programs, educational films and filmstrips, field trips, demonstrations and the like. Each self-contained classroom has many ability groupings to fit the children's needs.

About Our Special Services

At the McElwain School, teachers have access to many special services to assist them in the better understanding and educating of the pupils. Such services as performed by the school nurse, dental hygienist, speech therapist, adjustment counsellor, art supervisor, music supervisor and physical education supervisor all have their place in a well-balanced elementary education.

About Our Enrollment

As of December 1 our enrollment was 312. With the exception of an overcrowded kindergarten, teacher-pupil ratio is about 1 to every 27. This, of course, allows us to engage in the desirable quality teaching rather than just quantity teaching. It is my opinion that small classes and competent teachers represent a combination which produces excellent results regardless of what system is used.

About Our Personnel

There are some changes in our faculty this year. Miss Carole Parker has filled the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Sonia Zimmerman. All of us are pleased to have Miss Parker with us. Her enthusiastic spirit and vivaciousness are working wonders with the kindergarten classes.

In the cafeteria, Mrs. Jessie Jordan has submitted her resignation. We, at the school, extend to her many wishes for a pleasant retirement after 17 years of service at this school.

It was with deep regret and shock that we learned of the death during the Thanksgiving holidays of Miss Phyllis Hennessey, one of our teachers. Miss Hennessey has taught in the Bridgewater schools for over 40 years. Many are the parents and still many more are the children who will mourn her passing. The amount of good to the community rendered by this person was amazing. The Parent-Teacher Association has accepted the responsibility of sponsoring a McElwain School scholarship in her name.

About Our Parent-Teacher Conferences

This year the school has adopted the policy of reporting to parents four times yearly by means of two parent-teacher conferences and the issuance of two written reports. We find that the personal contact with the parent is very beneficial to all parties concerned.

About Civil Defense

At the time of the writing of this article, Civil Defense is finally becoming an important issue. Since this building has been judged unfit for occupancy in the event of an enemy attack, it is vital that our children reach home as soon as possible. In certain instances this may be accomplished more quickly if the children walk. In other cases they must be transported by buses. Since four schools are involved in this transportation problem at the same time, it is necessary to have a definite scheduled plan. How workable this plan will be with an insufficient number of school buses, only time will tell us. However, we do have a plan.

In conclusion, I wish to extend my appreciation 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 hereby submit my second annual report as principal of the School Street School for the year 1962.

EDUCATIONAL EFFORT

It is a generally accepted belief that American schools operate for one purpose only: to give children the best possible education. All other purposes are subordinate to this one. Education is not just to make youngsters literate but to help them become productive, intelligent, thinking citizens of the world today and the world of tomorrow, whatever that world might be like.

The attainment of this aim is not the work of just the schools, however. The schools must cooperate with the home and all other community organizations to develop our future citizens. This is not accomplished in any one year of the child's life. For the schools the process goes on from the time the child enters until he leaves the public schools. No one year or even one level is more important than the others. The senior high school cannot fulfill its purpose unless the child has had the necessary experiences under the guidance of competent teachers in the early grades. On the other hand, a child is ill-prepared for life if he leaves school before completing at least high school.

The teachers of Bridgewater and the administrators are firm believers of this purpose. The faculty of the School Street School, I know, have in this year and in the past done everything possible to make this ideal a realization. They have used the facilities of the school, though at times inadequate, to the best of their ability. In addition to the well-known classroom work, all other means available are utilized. Audio-visual aids play an important role in each class. The new overhead projector and movie projector recently purchased have been used extensively. In addition, the television programs over Channel 2 are watched regularly. Field trips are made whenever possible so that children may see things firsthand.

Our area is rich in historical background and field trips are a valuable asset. The burden of this field trip is placed at the expense of the class.

In the spring of 1962, every member of the faculty was a member of one of a number of committees which looked into all phases of the curriculum of the Bridgewater schools. These committees worked diligently to formulate an up-to-date curriculum for our children.

Each teacher during the year visited other schools to broaden her own educational outlook. These were not to schools which could be called traditional and would not show anything different. They were to schools which were experimenting with new ideas in organization, methods and curriculum. Some of the practices were found to be unfeasible for our school, but others seemed to be very good and the teachers profited from seeing them.

The textbooks used in the school were carefully studied and evaluated by the teachers. They also met with representatives of other book companies and examined many other texts. This work was performed to determine what texts would be best for the Bridgewater schools. It was done with the idea in mind that a book is merely a framework, and a highly competent teacher is needed in order to bring out the potential talent in our children.

Each classroom received a number of story books of all types to augment the room libraries. These books were purchased with funds donated to the school by the Parent-Teacher Association in the past years.

The parents in general have been highly cooperative in all phases of work at the School Street School. This past fall during Education Week parent-teacher conferences were held. During the week, 91% of the parents visited their children's teachers to confer on how best to help the children.

ENROLLMENT

The enrollment of the School Street School has shown only a slight rise over last year, from 236 to 244. This means we have an average of 27 children per classroom which is a reasonable average. While the class size is close to the desirable, it must be remem-

bered that the building was not built as an elementary school, much less being a modern one to house a curriculum suitable for the 1960's.

PERSONNEL

This year has seen rather extensive changes in the assignment of the teachers. We had one resignation. Mrs. Ida Covitz resigned in June and moved to New York. Mrs. Paula Farnham, a graduate of Bridgewater State College, was hired to teach the second grade. We have three first grades this year instead of two as last year. Mrs. Ponder, who taught second grade last year, is teaching the extra first grade. Mrs. Dunn is teaching second grade instead of the third grade she had last year. Mrs. Panza, who had a fourth grade last year, is teaching a third grade this year. This constant changing around of teachers can have good and bad effects.

MAINTENANCE

During the past year, most of the necessary maintenance was performed by Mr. Holbrook and Mr. Hall. Both men have done an excellent job in the upkeep of the building. Some of the work was put off pending the installation of a sprinkler system. The work on the sprinklers has begun.

FACILITIES

The facilities of the school have not improved over last year. As noted above, the school is not adequate for a modern elementary school. The play area especially is inadequate for 240 children. The ability of the cafeteria to feed the children has been improved by the installation of a steam table and a dishwasher. Previously, the food was cold many times by the time the children ate, and dishes had to be washed by hand.

SERVICES

As you recall, last year I reported that the elementary schools were not receiving sufficient help in the areas of physical education, art, music and remedial reading. I am happy to report that the situation has improved this year. In physical education, Mr. Bernard Chestna has been able to spend one hour a week at the School Street School. The time Mrs. Elizabeth Carbonara and Miss Myrna Bell have been in the school has contributed a great deal in the

fields of music and art respectively. The remedial reading program has been greatly improved. Mrs. Horne has been able to devote one hour a week to the children. In addition, Mrs. Nelson, the special class teacher, has offered to spend two hours each afternoon helping children with reading. This work is done after Mrs. Nelson's regular teaching duties are completed.

In closing I would like to thank the school committee, the administrators and faculty of the school system and the citizens of Bridgewater who have contributed to the success of the work at the School Street School.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. KELLY
Principal

REPORT OF THE MARTHA M. BURNELL SCHOOL

Dear Mr. Hunt:

During the past year, the Martha M. Burnell School has served her dual purpose of teaching children and training teachers. This task has been well achieved by our master teachers. The individual needs of children are more easily met in small classes. We are fortunate in the Burnell School to have small classes in the grades, with the exception of the kindergarten, at this time.

We are grateful for the continued cooperation of the president, the director of training and our college specialists in art, music, physical education and speech.

We also appreciate the efforts of the members of the school health department, the guidance department, the speech therapist, the instrumental music instructor, the adjustment counselor and the safety measures offered by the police and fire departments of the town.

Miss Gladys Allen and Miss Louise Borchers retired in June.

Both had served our school, our children and our community faithfully, and their influence will long be felt because of their sincere interest and devotion to the teaching profession.

We were fortunate in securing two fine teachers to fill the vacancies. Miss Janet Churbuck joined our staff with a master's degree in education from the State College at Bridgewater and previously had taught in the Norton Public Schools. Miss Marian Nelson also earned her master's degree at Bridgewater and had taught in the Brockton Public Schools before coming to the Burnell School.

In September, we welcomed back to our faculty Ruth Tilton (Mrs. Lawrence Tilton) after a year's absence.

Dr. Rondileau became the eighth president of the State College this year after the retirement of Dr. Maxwell who had always been interested in and helpful to the faculty and children of the Burnell School. We look forward to many happy years ahead under the very able leadership of Dr. Adrian Rondileau.

Once again the Parent-Teacher Association sponsored a most successful Book Fair. The proceeds will go to supplement the books in our school library.

The new policy of reporting to parents by two parent-teacher conferences a year and two written reports has been launched successfully with 96% attendance at the first conference held in November.

We are very proud of our fourth grade choir's participation in the College Glee Club Concert this year under the able direction of Miss Dorothy Ferry.

Once again, we wish to express our appreciation to Mr. Hunt, the members of the School Committee, parents and all others who help us fulfill our goals in educating the children of today to be responsible citizens of tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,

DORIS M. SPRAGUE

Principal

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 of 1962.

In place of Miss Margaret Keith who retired this year, Mrs. Elizabeth Carbonara has been engaged as a part-time music teacher. Her duties involve the classroom activities at the School Street School, McElwain School, and the Middle School. She is also responsible for two general music classes in the 7th and 8th grades.

The junior band meets on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:00 o'clock until the first period. Also at the same time on Tuesdays, the string classes are held, and on Thursdays our chorus rehearsals are held. Group instructions are given to all beginners at all schools as well as several individual lessons for advanced pupils.

The students at the Middle School are once again benefiting from the Bridgewater-Raynham Music Festival by attending three concerts. These include a band concert, a symphony orchestra concert and a musical show.

Aside from the instrumental, choral groups and beginner instructions, I am also conducting all 7th and 8th grade general music classes except for two which are taken by Mrs. Carbonara.

Both Mrs. Carbonara and I wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to the administration, teachers and other school personnel.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEF COBERT
Supervisor of Music

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

Dear Mr. Hunt:

The annual report of the work of the school physicians is herewith submitted for the year 1962.

Grades 1, 4 and 7 were examined in the fall. Preschool children were examined in April, and new students in town were examined at various times during the year. Any physical defects noted at the time were reported to the parents who were to consult their family physicians.

Certificates for re-entry to school were issued during regular office hours on school days to pupils who had diseases reportable to the Board of Health. Parents are reminded that pupils are allowed readmission to school with a note from them if the child has been absent less than five days with a noncommunicable disease and that over five days' absence with a noncommunicable disease a child must have a note from either the family physician or the school physician.

Certificates of health have been issued during regular office hours for pupils between 14 and 16 years of age who were seeking employment permits. All cafeteria workers and school custodians were examined in the late summer prior to the opening of school.

A school physician has been available to give first aid whenever school is in session.

In the spring, every child in the school system with a signed consent slip from parents had the Heaf test for tuberculosis. This test was administered by the school physicians assisted by the school nurse, the public health nurse and a group of volunteers made up of registered nurses and aides. We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to this group for their great help. This test was done through the Plymouth County Health Association, and Harold Paulsen assisted in reading the results of these tests. Follow-up work on positive reactions was carried out by the Board of Health office in conjunction with the school physicians.

Of the 1522 pupils enrolled in the elementary schools, 1431 permissions were granted and tests were done. Of these, 18 students showed a positive reaction, and 17 proved to be negative with the follow-up care. One pupil with a positive reaction refused follow-up x-ray care.

Dr. William E. Hunt was forced to resign his position in September as school physician because of ill health. Dr. Leo Zalon consented to fill out his term. At this time, we should like to pay our respects and tribute to Dr. Hunt who carried out his school duties so faithfully and well over so many years.

The cooperation of the principals, the teachers and the school nurse has been greatly appreciated. Mrs. Shirley Lauffer, the school nurse, deserves a word of praise for efficient, conscientious methods of discharging her duties.

Very truly yours,

HECTOR B. DOUGLASS, M.D.

LEO ZALON, M.D.

School Physicians

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

Dear Mr. Hunt:

As nurse in the Bridgewater Public Schools, I herewith submit my report for 1962.

Dr. William Hunt who gave so much heartfelt interest and time to our school children for thirty-two years resigned this year. We have all missed him.

Dr. Leo Zalon is now school physician for grades one through four. This year we examined 392 children in grades one and four. We also had parents helping at examination time. Dr. Hector Douglass is physician for grades five through eight. This year there were 166 children examined in grade seven in addition to the 147 checked at the preschool registrations in April.

Physical examinations in grades one, four and seven are required by the State Department of Public Health. This same Department also requests that each child be given vision and hearing tests each year. This has been complied with. There were 1521 pupils who had vision tests. Of these, 91 failed the retest. Those children failing the retest had letters sent to their homes notifying the parents. Whenever circumstances prevented a child receiving treatment for a visual or hearing difficulty, this treatment was provided for either through funds obtained from the Annual Tag Day conducted in our schools or from community resources.

There were 1523 children tested for hearing difficulties, and, of these, 107 failed the individual test and were seen either by a general practitioner or otologist. Mrs. Shirley Jordan has done the initial screening. Her help greatly expedites the early detection and correction of vision or hearing handicaps.

It is during the important follow-up work that we gain a better understanding of our families and their problems. Some of these problems may then be referred to the guidance personnel and to community service agencies. So, many times, it is more than just the vision or hearing loss which is corrected.

This year for the first time we started a tuberculin testing program under the direction of the Plymouth County Health Association. This program was a culmination of about two years of preliminary meetings and phone discussions. I was, therefore, very happy when all school personnel, Dr. Hunt and Dr. Douglass cooperated so well to make it successful. These tests were given during the second week in May, and on each day we had enthusiastic, capable help from nurses in the Red Cross Nursing Service under the direction of Mrs. Robert Wood. There were 1431 (95% of our school enrollment) who had the Heaf test. This test was given with a new Sterneedle Gun purchased by the School Committee. Eighteen of our children were notified they had positive results and were subsequently x-rayed, as were their families. X-ray results all proved negative. Follow-up work is the responsibility of the local Board of Health. A positive test does not mean that the child has tuberculosis but only that some germs have entered the body at one time or another. If the child's health is good, the body usually keeps those germs from doing any damage. The tuberculin

test is an important tool in tuberculosis control and is extremely reliable in revealing infection from tubercle bacillus. In many instances, the only evidence of infection is a reaction to the tuberculin test. We would like to continue this program and plan to do grades one, four and seven in January and each year hereafter.

Parents have talked with me concerning their children's overweight, and our physicians have noted increasing overweight during health examinations. In articles I have read, 80% of overweight children become overweight adults. Overweight can bring on a host of troubles that result in shortened life. Another reason for worry is the danger to emotional health. The consequences of overweight may be tense relationships at home, deteriorating school work and social unpopularity.

In November, we had an initial TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meeting with Dr. Douglass. Since then, I have had volunteers—fifteen girls and fourteen boys—in grades five through eight meeting separately once a week. They seem enthusiastic and eager to do something about their weight. Reducing diets, as such, are not discussed. Well-balanced diets and good eating habits are stressed. To date, the girls are TOPS high. A graph weight chart is kept for each child. I am very encouraged by the results. It is hoped that this type of group therapy will help these children receive some sympathetic support from others with the same difficulty. Letters have been sent to the parents explaining some of the causes of overweight and some of the ways they might help.

We all cooperated with the Board of Health during the antigen and Sabin oral polio vaccine clinics that were conducted in our schools.

I have attended in-service meetings conducted by the South-eastern District of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and also our South Shore school nurses meetings.

I sincerely appreciate the help of each individual throughout our schools and community who, by assuming his responsibilities, makes my job more effective and meaningful.

Respectfully submitted,

SHIRLEY LAUFFER
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 1962.

All pupils, kindergarten through the eighth grades, were given dental inspections. A total of 1569 inspections were made, with an additional 142 inspections being made at the preschool clinic. There were 7 pupils absent at the time of inspections and these pupils will be examined when dental cleanings are done in their schools. Dental notices have been sent home to the parents of the children in whose teeth dental defects were found in all grades except the 5th, 6th and 7th grades, and notices will be sent home in January in these grades.

Of the 1569 inspections made, 626 pupils have teeth in need of repair. Of this number, 376 have permanent teeth in need of repair. Fifty-nine and one-half percent of the students have teeth in good repair.

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 413 pupils accepted and 1652 treatments were given.

All students in the kindergarten, 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th and 8th grades were offered the opportunity to have their teeth cleaned. A total of 920 accepted and were completed.

In November of 1961, a preschool dental clinic was started for the purpose of reducing the high incidence of dental decay in the temporary or baby teeth of the school children by giving sodium fluoride treatments at an earlier age. In order to obtain maximum benefits, it is important to apply sodium fluoride to the teeth as soon as the full complement of baby teeth have erupted, usually when the child is about 3 years old. Many children keep their temporary molar teeth until they are 12 to 14 years old, for although the shedding process starts at about age 5 or 6, it is usually not completed until the 12th to 14th year. Many school days have been lost and much pain and discomfort encountered from rapidly

decaying temporary teeth during this 6-to 8-year period. The clinic is open to all Bridgewater preschool children, and the program is carried on throughout the school year. Forty-six preschool children had the sodium fluoride treatments this year.

Dental aid was given to 14 students this year with a total of \$255.00 paid by the Bridgewater Teachers' Association Eye, Ear and Dental Fund. The Lions Club of Bridgewater donated funds to help two of these children. The Bridgewater Public Schools Dental Fund had a balance of \$10.69 in 1961. An anonymous gift of \$25.00 was given, making a total of \$35.69. Interest on this account is in the amount of \$1.01 and a donation from the School Street School P.T.A. for \$5.00 makes a balance of \$41.70 to date in this fund.

Dental health instruction has been given in the classroom with filmstrips, models and other dental health materials being used. The annual in-service training course for dental hygienists was not held this year by the Department of Public Health.

I wish to thank Mr. Hunt, Mr. Zdanowicz, Mr. Butler, Miss Sprague, Mr. Kelly, 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 for the school period beginning September 1, 1962.

The program is basically unchanged, as all aspects essential to a good therapy program were provided for by Mr. Altshuler, the former therapist. However, the screening of the children was expanded this year to include grades 1-4. This was done because I

wanted a firsthand knowledge of the kinds and extent of speech defects in our schools.

The following is a numerical summary of the speech program:

1. Children seen	643
2. Children in therapy	57
3. Children on waiting list	77
4. Dismissals from 1961-1962 therapy list	11
5. Referrals by the therapist	9
a. Voice cases	7
b. Other	2

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS 1962

Children Tested in All Schools

School	Passed	In Therapy	Waiting List	Total*
Burnell	183	17	32	232
School Street	179	16	21	216
McElwain	139	14	18	171
Williams Middle	8	10	6	24
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	509	57	77	643

* These figures include:

1. Screening of grades 1-4
2. Referrals
 - a. 14 from Williams Middle School
 - b. 4 from Burnell kindergarten
 - c. 3 from McElwain kindergarten

Classification of Problems

School	Articulation	Voice	Stuttering	Hearing & Speech	Other	Total
Burnell	42	2	1	1	3	49
School Street	32	3			2	37
McElwain	20	6	1		5	32
Williams Middle	10		3	2	1	16
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	104	11	5	3	11	134

Percentage of Problems by Schools

1. Burnell	14.2%
2. School Street	15.2%
3. McElwain	10.2%
4. Williams Middle	2.3%
5. All schools	8.1%

One student is being seen at the Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School by special arrangement.

The cooperation which I have received from all personnel in the school system has been gratifying. For this, I offer my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

MATTHEW E. GOODE
Speech Therapist

REPORT OF SCHOOL ADJUSTMENT COUNSELOR

Dear Mr. Hunt:

I hereby submit a report of my activities for the year 1962.

This year I continued the evaluation of my program. This evaluation has increased the effectiveness of the team approach used to help the child help himself. The team consists of the child's parents, the teacher, the child and me. There is now, I feel, general acceptance of my role in helping the child learn to handle his emotions. The children I see are usually normal children with problems which, with guidance, can be managed.

This year I conducted 380 interviews with 89 children. In the majority of situations, I was able to establish satisfactory relationships with the family. I conducted 225 interviews with parents either at school or in their homes. Teachers continued to be cooperative. I conducted approximately 300 interviews with teachers and approximately 140 interviews with other school personnel.

The results of my program can be measured in the area of the service I perform. This service is using psychology to encourage the normal emotional development of the child. The children themselves are the best judges of whether my service is helping them grow emotionally mature. For most children, discussion of their emotional problems is painful. The fact that these children value

our interviews indicates that our discussions have led to successful handling of many situations. However, without the team approach, my service would have been ineffectual.

Since a counselor's job is to help others think about how a problem can be solved, the credit for the work which had to be done must lie with the child's parents, his teachers and the child himself.

I wish to thank parents, school personnel and other interested people for their excellent cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID W. CAMPBELL
School Adjustment Counselor

SCHOOL CENSUS

October, 1962

Registration of Minors	5 to 7	7 to 16
Boys	194	819
Girls	189	816
	383	1635

Distribution of above minors

In public day school membership	339	1583
In vocation school membership	0	3
In private school membership	2	43
In State and County institutions and special schools for defectives and delinquents	0	6
Not enrolled in any day school	42	0
	383	1635

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT FOR THE LAST TEN SCHOOL YEARS

June	Enrollment	Boys	Girls	Member- ship	Average Attendance	% of Attendance
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
1961	1,981	1002	979	1,947	1,822	93.6
1962	1,541	799	742	1,517	1,425	93.9

Total Membership in Public Schools, October 1, 1962

School	Kinder- garten	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Special Class	Total	Total Boys & Girls
Middle												675
Boys						114	76	81	74		345	
Girls						82	74	84	90		330	
McElwain												304
Boys	49	22	25	30	31						157	
Girls	46	28	29	19	25						147	
Burnell												342
Boys	24	39	39	38	43						183	
Girls	17	36	39	32	35						159	
School Street												245
Boys		47	32	29	19						127	
Girls		29	28	23	38						118	
Academy Bldg.												6
Boys										3	3	
Girls										3	3	
	136	201	192	171	191	196	150	165	164	6	B—815 G—757	1572

TEACHERS IN BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
MIDDLE SCHOOL				
Paul J. Zdanowicz	Principal	Sept., 1959	Bowdoin, Univ. of Maine	B.A., M.Ed.
Maurice E. Rucker	Assistant Principal	Sept., 1948	Hyannis, Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
Marjorie Elias	Grade 5	Sept., 1961	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Marie King	Grade 5	Sept., 1961	Boston State Tchrs.	B.S.Ed.
Grace McElroy	Grade 5	March, 1929	Bridgewater	B.S.E.
Doris Nourse	Grade 5	Sept., 1958	Bridgewater	B.S.E.
Helen Powers	Grade 5	Sept., 1929	Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
Gertrude L. Silvia	Grade 5	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Paul Delaney	Grade 6	Sept., 1961	Boston College	A.B.
Melvin Ellin	Grade 6	Sept., 1961	Suffolk U., State College at Boston	B.S., M.Ed.
Catherine Hart	Grade 6	Sept., 1920	Bridgewater	
Raymond D. Lynch	Grade 6	Sept., 1960	Boston College, Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Ann M. MacNeil	Grade 6	Sept., 1962	Emmanuel, Tufts Univ.	B.A., M.Ed.
Warren R. Brown	Mathematics	Sept., 1959	Norwich Univ., Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
George R. Pauley, Jr.	Mathematics	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Charles Varney	General Science	Sept., 1953	Univ. of R. I., Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Henry Walmsley	Social Studies	Sept., 1948	Springfield, Boston Univ.	B.S., M.Ed.
Pauline K. Burrill	English	Sept., 1955	Syracuse, Bridgewater	B.A., M.Ed.
Pearl McMullen	General Science	Sept., 1956	Pembroke, Brown, Hyannis	Ph.B., M.A., M.Ed.
Marjorie S. Stein	English	Sept., 1960	Boston Univ., Northeastern Univ.	B.A., M.Ed.
Mary Toomey	English	Sept., 1928	Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Alice Wood	Social Studies	Sept., 1924	Bridgewater	
Myrna Bell	Art	Sept., 1961	B. U., Northeastern Univ.	B.S., M.Ed.
Elizabeth Carbonara	Music	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
Bernard Chestna	Boys' Phys. Edn.	Sept., 1954	Boston University	B.S., Ed.M.
Maude F. Horne	Remedial Reading	Sept., 1962	Wellesley	B.A.
Judith A. MacDonald	Special Edn.	Nov. 1, 1962	Smith College	A.B.
Dorothy N. Moore	Girls' Phys. Edn.	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	B.S., M.Ed.
Richard G. Murch	Industrial Arts	Sept., 1960	Gorham State Teachers	B.S., Ed.
Cora-lou Root	Home Economics	Sept., 1956	Russell Sage College	B.S.
Eleanor Sanborn	French	Sept., 1961	Middlebury	A.B.
SCHOOL STREET SCHOOL				
William F. Kelly	Principal	Sept., 1961	Boston College, B. U.	A.B., M.A., M.Ed.
M. Regina McDonough	Grade 1	Sept., 1952	Lesley	
Lois Ponder	Grade 1	Sept., 1961	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Gertrude Scheffler	Grade 1	Oct. 18, 1954	Bridgewater	
Paula-Anne Farnham	Grade 2	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Dorothy A. Dunn	Grade 2	Sept., 1957	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Meredith Martin	Grade 3	Feb. 4, 1957	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
Anna W. Panza	Grade 3	Sept., 1954	Salem	
Mary L. Buckley	Grade 4	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	
D. Harriette Sarkisian	Grade 4	Sept., 1956	Bridgewater	
McELWAIN SCHOOL				
Merrill W. Butler	Principal	Sept., 1950	Hyannis, Boston Univ.	B.S., Ed.M.
Carole Parker	Kindergarten	Sept., 1962	Perry-Kndg. Normal	
Cecilia G. Gabrey	Grade 1	Sept., 1952	Hyannis	
Marie Orcutt	Grade 1	Nov., 1944	Bridgewater	B.S.E.
Margaret A. Bach	Grade 2	Jan. 1, 1963	Coe College, N. E. Conservatory	B.M.
Elizabeth McHale	Grade 2	Jan., 1929	Bridgewater	B.S.
Elsie M. Jones	Grade 3	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
Helen R. O'Donnell	Grade 3	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	
Katherine P. Jordan	Grade 4	Dec. 1, 1955	Bridgewater	
Lillian R. Rudolph	Grade 4	Sept., 1957	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed.
MARTHA M. BURNELL SCHOOL				
Doris M. Sprague	Principal	Sept., 1946	Bridgewater	B.S., M.E.
Mary L. Marks	Kindergarten	Sept., 1930	Wheelock	
Ruth M. Gamson	Grade 1	Sept., 1952	Bridgewater	B.S., Ed.M.
Marian E. Nelson	Grade 1	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Ellen Rucker	Grade 1	Sept., 1958	Hyannis, Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Janet C. Churbuck	Grade 2	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Ruth T. Tilton	Grade 2	Sept., 1962	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Dorothy E. Wood	Grade 2	Sept., 1949	Bridgewater, B. U.	B.S., Ed.M.
Elois Godfrey	Grade 3	Sept., 1959	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Elizabeth M. Higgins	Grade 3	Sept., 1948	Bridgewater, B. U.	B.S., Ed.M.
Barbara Poe'Sepp	Grade 3	Sept., 1947	Bridgewater	B. S., M.E.
Mary Doyle	Grade 4	Sept., 1961	Bridgewater	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
Helen L. Hulsman	Grade 4	Nov., 1948	Bridgewater, B. U.	B.S., Ed.M., C.A.G.S.
Richard M. Menice	Grade 4	Mar. 21, 1960	Bridgewater, Northeastern U.	B.S.Ed., M.Ed.
SPECIAL EDUCATION				
Elizabeth W. Nelson		Sept., 1955	Bridgewater	
SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC				
Josef N. Cobert		Sept., 1958	Boston Univ.	B.M., M.M.
GUIDANCE DIRECTOR				
James A. Cooke		Sept., 1959	Maryknoll Seminary, Boston State Tchrs., Boston College	A.B., M.Ed., C.A.E.S.

Name	Position	Elected	College or Normal	Degree
SPEECH THERAPIST Matthew E. Goode		Sept., 1962	Northeastern Univ.	B.A.
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.

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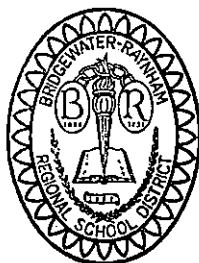
OF THE

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM

REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

AND THE

SUPERINTENDENT-PRINCIPAL



FOR THE YEAR 1962

**REPORT OF THE BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM
REGIONAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

To the Citizens of Bridgewater and Raynham:

On behalf of the members of the Regional School Committee, I wish to thank the citizens of Bridgewater and Raynham, the Regional High School staff, the Regional High School student body and the members of the town governments for their splendid cooperation in helping us to establish and maintain our fine Regional High School.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER P. MURRAY, Chairman
JOHN E. FLYNN
JOHN R. HICKEY
RAYMOND L. MASON
DR. RICHARD E. HEYWOOD
ROLFE W. BURNS

**REPORT OF
THE SUPERINTENDENT-PRINCIPAL**

To the Regional School Committee:

It is a real pleasure to submit my third annual report. Once again, the genuine sincerity, enthusiasm and help of the members of the school committee, the members of the school staff, our student body and the citizens of the communities of Bridgewater and Raynham have made my task at the Regional High School both pleasant and interesting.

ENROLLMENT

Membership — Grades 9-12 as of October 1, 1962

Grades	9	10	11	12	Home Study	Total
Bridgewater	140	170	116	108	—	534
Raynham	80	71	51	36	1	239
						773

Percentages of Membership — October 1, 1962

Bridgewater	534	
	773	= 69.08%
Raynham	239	
	773	= 30.92%

The Regional High School is in its second year of operation. The educational philosophy of the school begins to take shape and crystalize. Through the combined efforts of the School Committee, the Administration and Faculty, the philosophy and objectives have been thought through and logged in detail:

THE EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY OF
THE BRIDGEWATER — RAYNHAM
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

1. We believe that our primary responsibility should be to educate each student to understand the rights and duties of citizens in a democratic society; to be diligent and competent in the performance of his obligations as a citizen of the school, community, state and nation; to seek to understand the peoples and nations of the world.
2. We believe that we should encourage in each student a respect for himself and others, an ability to live and work cooperatively, growth in the moral, aesthetic, and spiritual values, an understanding of the significance of successful family life for himself and society.
3. We believe that in our comprehensive high school we should develop the potential of the individual student ac-

ording to his needs and ability; that we should develop essential skills; that reading is the key to our educational process.

4. We believe that our academically centered school should emphasize intense application to the learning process.
5. We believe that our faculty and administration should strive to maintain a maximum degree of professionalism and, by example, to foster these principles in our students.
6. We believe that we should nurture initiative in our students.

OBJECTIVES

1. To provide, with parental approval, an individualized program for each student in light of his ability and future vocational and educational plans by multi-level grouping in each major subject area.
2. To contribute to the development of the social graces in our students through a self-directed dining program and various social, club and athletic activities, adequately spaced through-out the school year.
3. To develop character in our students by example and the encouragement of self-discipline, supported by a program of formal discipline, which is fair, firm and consistent, the out-growth of which would be an appreciation of good citizenship.
4. To encourage close relationship between the school and the home through the use of open forums, student guides, monthly newsletters, frequent parental conferences and our reporting system.
5. To establish a type of curriculum which will serve the following purposes:
 - a. develop basic skills in all subject areas of which reading is the core.
 - b. encourage critical thinking.
 - c. enhance aesthetic values.
 - d. be flexible enough to meet the changing patterns of

education in general and, in particular, in business and industry in the surrounding areas.

6. To encourage scholarship through our honor roll, which encompasses all subject matter areas, a National Honor Society, various scholastic awards attained throughout the school year, and by maintaining a highly qualified and intellectually active faculty.
7. To release the teacher from as many non-teaching duties as possible to enable him to perform his major task—teaching.
8. To encourage initiative in our students by:
 - a. individual subject honor roll
 - b. report card system
 - c. student selection of five subjects
 - d. co-curricular and extra-curricular activities
9. To be aware of the importance of the individual student through a conscientious program of counseling, testing, placement, information services and follow-up.

PERSONNEL

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Administration

Training

SUPERINTENDENT-PRINCIPAL

S. J. Bernard

University of Massachusetts B.S.
Columbia University M.A.

VICE-PRINCIPAL

Walter E. Russell

Boston University B.M.
Boston University M.Ed & advanced
work at Harvard & Tufts

GUIDANCE DIRECTOR

Chester J. Millett, Jr.

Holy Cross College B.S. in Ed.
Boston University, M.Ed. in Guidance
Boston College C.A.G.S. Program

ASS'T. GUIDANCE DIRECTOR

Mary F. Maples

Salem State College B.S.Ed.
Bridgewater State College M.Ed. in
Guidance & advanced work at Uni-
versity of Rhode Island

Faculty	Training
ENGLISH	
*John Keating	Holy Cross College A.B. Boston College M.A.
Maude Greene	University of Alabama B.A. & M.A. University of Virginia Ph.D.
Barbara Hickey	Emmanuel College B.A. Harvard Graduate School M.A.
George Powers	Providence College A.B. Bridgewater State College M.E.
Donald Prohovich	Holy Cross College B.S. & graduate work at University of Mass. & West- field State College
Patricia Saletnik	Westfield State College B.S. & gradu- ate work at Westfield
Audrey Scheffler	Brown University B.A. Bridgewater State College B.S.
Elizabeth Tormey	Bridgewater State College B.S. Boston College M.E.
Marion Unsworth	College of New Rochelle B.A. & gradu- ate work at Providence College & Bos- ton College
LIBRARY	
Adeline D. Oakley	Bridgewater State College B.S. & gradu- ate work at Stonehill & Simmons
DEV. READING	
H. Leroy Graham	Boston University A.A. Boston University School for Education B.S. Bridgewater State College M.Ed.
SOCIAL STUDIES	
*Katherine Tabor	Boston University A.B. Boston University Grad. School A.M.
H. Graham Nye	Middlebury College B.A. & graduate work at Boston University
Lawrence Tufts	Bridgewater State College B.S. Boston University M.A.
William Williams	Stonehill College B.A. Bridgewater State College M.E.
SCIENCE	
*Thomas O'Connor	Muskingum College B.E. St. Dunstan's College B.S. Boston College M.Ed.
John Manning	Boston College B.S. Bridgewater State College B.Ed.
Ann McClintock	Emmanuel College A.B. Boston College M.A.

- Barry M. Moriarty
Bridgewater State College B.S.E.
Bridgewater State College M.Ed.
Springfield College B.S.
Columbia Teachers College M.A.
- John N. Pearson
Keene Teachers College B.E.
Graduate work at Plymouth Teachers
College, Bridgewater State, University
of Maine, University of Colorado
Bridgewater State College B.S.
Bridgewater State College (grad. work)
Bates College B.S.
Stonehill College B.A. & graduate work
at Bridgewater State College
University of Massachusetts B.S.
- MATHEMATICS**
- *Joan Michie
Bernard Gilmetti
Perry G. Jameson
Albert D. Roy, Jr.
Janice L. Warfield
- LANGUAGE**
- *Anthony D. Zonfrelli
Boston College B.S.
University of Illinois M.A.
Brown University A.B.
Bridgewater State College M.Ed.
Boston College A.B. & M.Ed.
College N-D du Bon Conseil B.A.
Laul University M.A.
- Joanna F. Alden
James Donovan
Marie Mailloux
- COMMERCIAL**
- *Arlene Carter
Joan Collard
Joseph DeRosa
Chandler School
Salem State College B.S.Ed.
Northeastern University B.S. & gradu-
ate work at New York University
Salem College B.S.Ed.
Salem Teachers College B.S.
- George Pigeon, Jr.
Margaret Sears
- INDUSTRIAL ARTS**
- *Calvin White
Fitchburg State College B.S.
Bridgewater State College M.Ed.
Colgate University B.A.
Oswego State College B.S.
Gorham State College B.S.
- Jonathan Bradley
Thomas Demers
- HOMEMAKING**
- *Eleanor Franklin
Salem College B.S.
Graduate work at West Virginia Uni-
versity & University of Miami
Cornell University B.S.
Columbia University M.A.
- Mildred Bicknell
(part-time)
- ART**
- *Robert Danstedt
Clark University B.Ed.
Bridgewater State College M.E.

MUSIC

*Kenneth Dolloff, Jr.

New England Conservatory of Music
Boston University B.M.Ed.
University of Massachusetts M.Ed.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

*Lawrence Folloni

Leonard C. Hill
Mary Ann Silva
Gail DavisBoston University B.S.
Bridgewater State College M.E.
Boston University B.S.
Bridgewater State College B.S.
Bridgewater State College B.S.

* Department Head

PERSONNEL

OFFICE

Janice M. Jones, Executive Secretary
Bernice A. Murray, Secretary
Grace J. Demers, Clerk

CUSTODIANS

Alexander Mellin, Head Custodian
Paul Anacki
Paul E. Bumpus
William Chiocca
George Dutra
Francis O. Machado

CAFETERIA

Robert W. Parsons, Manager
Madeline R. Czerny
Shirley Days, washer
Anna Dutra, cashier
Helen T. Ghelfi
Doris C. O'Leary
Carmelina J. Querzoli
Julia Sgarbi, washer
Charlotte Steen
Gertrude M. Tinsley, cashier

MATRON

Agnes Yakavonis

SCHOOL NURSE

Ruth R. Gibson, R.N.

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Hector Douglass, M.D.

BRIDGEWATER-RAYNHAM REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
GRADUATION EXERCISES
CLASS OF 1962

PROGRAM

- PROCESSIONAL — "Pomp and Circumstance" Elgar
Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School Concert Band
Mr. Josef Cobert, Director
- INVOCATION Reverend Vernal Philips
- FLAG SALUTE followed by Stephen Prophett
"THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER" President of the Student Council
- WELCOME ADDRESS Ralph Phillips
President of the Senior Class
Member of the National Honor Society
- CLASS ORATION Roxanne Sharland
Member of the National Honor Society
- MUSICAL SELECTION — "Fitzwilliam Suite" Byrd-Bull-Barnaby
- SCHOLARSHIP AND PRIZE AWARDS
- PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS
Mr. Sergius Bernard, Superintendent-Principal, and Representatives
- Mr. Sergius Bernard Mr. Walter E. Russell
Superintendent-Principal Assistant Principal
- Mr. Walter P. Murray
Chairman of the Regional School Committee
- FAREWELL ADDRESS Michael Kane
Vice-President of the Senior Class
- BENEDICTION Reverend Thomas Neilan
- RECESSIONAL — "The Valiant Years" Rogers

CLASS OFFICERS

- President, Ralph Phillips
Vice-President, Michael Kane
Secretary, Nancy Richmond
Treasurer, Germaine Bouchard
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|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Priscilla Evelyn Adams | Germaine Gaye Bouchard |
| William Thomas Alfieri | Marsha Jeanne Bousquet |
| Lydia Jean Almeida | Beverly Ann Bowker |
| Judith Katherine Amaral | Jean Carol Bresciani |
| Lois Doreen Andrews | John Douglas Bresciani |
| Richard William Andrews | Susan Elizabeth Bresee |
| Patricia Elaine Anthony | James Melmuth Brock, Jr. |
| Judith Elaine Arrighi | Edward Leonard Bromley |
| Judith Elizabeth Ashley | Renee L. Buron |
| James Paul Bagas | Richard Milo Buzzee |
| Pauline Mary Beaulieu | Janet Ruth Byrne |
| James E. Bernard | Richard Joseph Caron |

- Judith Louise Carter
 *David Caverly Chamberlain, Jr.
 Joyce Colaluca
 Connie Marie Cooper
 Jennifer Ann Corr
 Mary Eleanor Costa
 *George Henry Covington, III
 Robert Edward Cowgill
 Thomas DaSilva
 Patricia Louise Dubord
 Lorraine Patricia Dupont
 Bruce Carlton Ellis
 Ruth Arlene Fader
 Stephen Bancroft Farnum
 Evelyn Ruth Farrell
 Irene Mary Feeley
 Linda Joyce Ferreira
 Joyce Ann Fillipovich
 Gerard Elzear Gauthier
 Arthur David Gebelein
 Jeanne Marie Gedutis
 Timothy Shepard Gimpel
 Cheryl Ann Glavin
 Thomas J. Gleghorn
 Patricia Faye Haas
 Nancy Louise Hall
 Howard Eugene Hanley
 Kenneth J. Harding
 Bradford William Harlow
 Dale Arnold Hatch
 Joan W. Healey
 Esther Elaine Higginbotham
 Linda Marie Hill
 Arthur Lee Hoke
 Charlene A. Hooper
 Beatrice Arlene Irving
 *Sandra Ann Izenor
 Harry Lee Jackson, Jr.
 Robert Austin Jackson
 Carolyn Louise Johnson
 Roy Stanley Johnson
 Meredith Louise Jones
 Elizabeth Anita Jordan
 Michael Barry Kane
 Roberta Helene Kelly
 Marlene A. Kish
 Marcia Jean Landers
 Barbara Jean Lawrence
 Geraldine May Leach
 Christopher Boyd Lee
 Margaret Elizabeth Leonard
 Maureen Euna Leonard
 Richard M. Lewis
 Leon Stanley Litchfield, Jr.
 *National Honor Society Member
- Wayne Douglas Lyford
 Sandra Nicholl Maclay
 Robert Michael Marino
 Judith Ann Matthews
 John Edmund McDermott
 Barbara Ann McGinn
 Patricia Ann McGuire
 Karen Elizabeth McNeilly
 *Virginia Lee Menowsky
 Beverly Ann Meserve
 Bruce Gordon Miller
 Patricia Rose Mola
 Susan Ann Moore
 Richard Mario Motta
 Roxanne Mouradian
 Diane A. Neault
 Leo O. Nevens
 William Kenneth Nicholas, II
 Judith Ellen Nyhan
 Kathleen Louise O'Brien
 Jean Eleanor Pacheco
 Robert Everett Parker, Jr.
 *Ralph Vernal Phillips
 William W. Podielsky, Jr.
 Stephen Carl Poe'Sepp, Jr.
 Thomas Joseph Pozzi
 Stephen Howard Prohett
 Charles Edward Raposa, Jr.
 Peggy Mae Reed
 Barbara Ann Reid
 Nancy Ann Richmond
 Ronald David Rosa
 Jon Robert Rucker
 Jane Sanborn
 Richard William Sanville
 *Roxanne Mary Sharland
 Patricia Marie Sheehan
 Henry E. Shepard, Jr.
 Mary Jane Sherman
 Ruth Anne Sherman
 Kathleen Grace Silva
 Kathryn Marie Smith
 Robert Anthony Souza
 Everett Alan Staples
 Linda Diane Stiles
 Donna Mae Sweeney
 Linda Mills Talbot
 Richard Thomas Tobin
 Joseph Edward Todorsky
 Irving S. Torrey, Jr.
 *Sharon Wilbur
 Evelyn Wortwick
 Judith Yeaton

GRAND MARSHALS
 Noel Chaput
 Kenneth Blanchard

USHERS
 Junior Class Members
 of the National Honor Society

SCHOOL CALENDAR
1962 - 1963

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
SEPTEMBER					FEBRUARY				
		5	6	7					1
10	11	12	13	14	4	5	6	7	8
17	18	19	20	21	11	12	13	14	15
24	25	26	27	28	—WINTER RECESS—				
					25	26	27	28	
OCTOBER					MARCH				
1	2	3	4	5					1
8	9	10	11	CD	4	5	6	7	8
15	16	17	18	19	11	12	13	14	15
22	23	24	25	TC	18	19	20	21	22
29	30	31			25	26	27	28	29
NOVEMBER					APRIL				
			1	2	1	2	3	4	5
5	6	7	8	9	8	9	10	11	GF
VD	13	14	15	16	—SPRING RECESS—				
19	20	21	Thanksg.		22	23	24	25	26
26	27	28	29	30	29	30			
DECEMBER					MAY				
3	4	5	6	7			1	2	3
10	11	12	13	14	6	7	8	9	10
17	18	19	20	21	13	14	15	16	17
—CHRISTMAS RECESS—					20	21	22	23	24
					27	28	29	Mem. Day	
JANUARY					JUNE				
		2	3	4	3	4	5	6	7
7	8	9	10	11	10	11	12	13	14
14	15	16	17	18	17	18	19	20	21
21	22	23	24	25					
28	29	30	31						

Total Number Days 183

I wish to extend my very warm thanks to the members of the Regional School Committee and my fellow co-workers for the tremendous energy and enthusiasm which has been so characteristic of their fine efforts.

I would also like to commend our student body who are accepting the challenge of the Regional High School.

Finally, I would like to pay tribute to the citizens of Bridgewater and Raynham who are providing for our Regional High School.

Respectfully submitted,

SERGE J. BERNARD
Superintendent-Principal

Bridgewater-Raynham Regional School District
1963 Budget Summary — November 30, 1962

NO.	ACCOUNT	1962 BUDGET	1963 BUDGET
I.	General Control	\$ 16,655.00	\$ 14,151.00
II.	Expense of Instruction	328,280.00	357,682.00
III.	Operation of Plant	55,004.00	55,399.00
IV.	Maintenance of Plant	1,650.00	4,947.00
V.	Auxiliary Agencies	28,841.00	31,719.00
VI.	Capital Outlay	.00	4,677.00
VII.	Debt Service	207,100.00	199,550.00
VIII.	Cost of Transportation	39,042.00	39,354.00
IX.	Special Charges	11,955.00	.00
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		\$688,527.00	\$707,479.00
	Credits:		
	Transportation	38,542.00	38,854.00
	Home Teachers (50%)	1,440.00	400.00
	State's Share		
	of Principal	75,000.00	77,000.00
	Student Projects—		
	Ind. Arts	1,000.00	1,000.00
	Football Receipts		
	& A.A. Dues	2,800.00	2,800.00
	Surplus—Special Charges from 1962		
	Budget Applied to 1963 Budget		11,955.00
	1962 P.L. 874—Unexpended Bal.		1,117.00
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	Net Amount to be Raised		
	by Taxation	\$569,745.00	\$574,353.00
	Bridgewater's Share		
	(69.08)	404,063.15	396,763.05
	Raynham's Share		
	(30.92)	165,681.85	177,589.95
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		<u>\$569,745.00</u>	<u>\$574,353.00</u>

Balance Sheet — December 31, 1962**GENERAL ACCOUNTS**

Cash		
Bristol County Trust Company	760.26	
State Street Bank & Trust Co.	90,395.71	
Home National Bank	61,314.12	
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	152,470.11	
Payroll Deductions		
Federal Taxes	3,861.88	
State Taxes	1,196.10	
County Retirement	249.22	
Teachers' Retirement	1,206.42	
Insurance	393.03	
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		6,906.65
Excess & Deficiency		
1962 Reserve Fund to apply on '63 Budget	11,955.00	
Unexpended P.L. 874 Funds for '63 Budget	1,117.00	
Surplus Revenue	102,725.03	
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		115,797.03
Special Funds		
Athletic Fund	1,022.23	
Music Fund	88.35	
Cafeteria Operating Fund	6.86	
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		1,117.44
Construction Account		28,648.99
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	152,470.11	152,470.11

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	2,150,000.00	
School Construction Loan		2,150,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

ARNOLD U. ZIEGLER, Treasurer

Statement of Expenditures for Year Ended December 31, 1962

	INITIAL BUDGET	TRANSFERS	ADJUSTED BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE TO REVENUE
I. General Control					
1. Expense of School Committee	450.00		450.00	171.61	278.39
2. District Clerk's Salary & Expense	1,150.00	(260.07)	889.93	310.60	579.33
3. Legal Expenses	500.00		500.00	250.00	250.00
4. Treasurer's Salary & Expense	2,320.00		2,320.00	2,294.27	25.73
4a. State Audit	300.00		300.00	252.00	48.00
5. Superintendent's Salary	4,250.00		4,250.00	4,241.60	8.40
6. Expense of Superintendence	7,435.00		7,435.00	7,355.36	79.64
6a. Out-of-State Travel	250.00		250.00	148.22	101.78
	16,655.00	(260.07)	16,394.93	15,023.66	1,371.27
II. Expense of Instruction					
7. Principals' Salaries	17,850.00	10.34	17,860.34	17,860.34	None
8. Expense of Principalship	3,836.00		3,836.00	3,824.98	11.02
8a. Out-of-State Travel	300.00		300.00	244.34	55.66
9. Guidance Directors' Salary	13,714.00	249.73	13,963.73	13,963.73	None
10. Expense of Guidance	1,903.00	550.00	2,453.00	2,412.67	40.33
10a. Out-of-State Travel	300.00	(200.00)	100.00		100.00
11. Teachers' Salaries & Expense	267,127.00		267,127.00	260,978.41	6,148.59
11a. Out-of-State Conf. & Expense	375.00		375.00	152.00	223.00
12. Textbook Expense	8,472.00		8,472.00	7,779.44	692.56
13. Supplies—Instructional	13,403.00		13,403.00	13,195.72	207.28
	327,280.00	610.07	327,890.07	320,411.63	7,478.44

	INITIAL BUDGET	TRANSFERS	ADJUSTED BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE TO REVENUE
III. Operation of Plant					
14. Head Custodian	5,493.00	35.06	5,528.06	5,528.06	None
15. Custodians' Salaries	20,319.00	95.94	20,414.94	20,414.94	None
16. Matron's Salary	2,356.00	44.20	2,400.20	2,400.20	None
17. Substitute Pay	458.00	(175.20)	282.80	102.25	180.55
18. Fuel	9,500.00		9,500.00	8,459.39	1,040.61
19. Misc. Expense of Operation	16,878.00	(1,188.00)	15,690.00	14,491.76	1,198.24
	<u>55,004.00</u>	<u>(1,188.00)</u>	<u>53,816.00</u>	<u>51,396.60</u>	<u>2,419.40</u>
IV. Maintenance of Plant					
20. Repairs, Replacement, Upkeep	1,650.00		1,650.00	1,566.09	83.91
V. Auxiliary Agencies					
21. Library	1,350.00		1,350.00	958.59	391.41
22. Promotion of Health	3,807.00	(25.00)	3,782.00	3,773.60	8.40
23. Athletics	8,236.00		8,236.00	8,195.19	40.81
24. Cafeteria Operation	2,300.00	25.00	2,325.00	2,299.96	25.04
25. Misc. Auxiliary Expense	10,348.00	837.00	11,185.00	11,185.00	None
	<u>26,041.00</u>	<u>837.00</u>	<u>26,878.00</u>	<u>26,412.34</u>	<u>465.66</u>
VI. Outlay	None		None	None	None
VII. Debt Service					
26. Interest on Bond Issue	84,100.00	1.00	84,101.00	84,101.00	None
27. Amortization	123,000.00		123,000.00	123,000.00	None
	<u>207,100.00</u>	<u>1.00</u>	<u>207,101.00</u>	<u>207,101.00</u>	<u>None</u>

	INITIAL BUDGET	TRANSFERS	ADJUSTED BUDGET	EXPENSES	BALANCE TO REVENUE
VIII. Cost of Transportation					
28. Transportation	39,042.00		39,042.00	38,757.92	284.08
IX. Special Charges					
29. Reserve Fund	11,955.00		11,955.00	None	11,955.00
	<u>684,727.00</u>	<u>None</u>	<u>684,727.00</u>	<u>660,669.24</u>	<u>24,057.76</u>

	English		Soc. Studies		Science		Math		Language		Business	
	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.
I	* English I 5 (B.S.)	5	Geography 5	5	Col. Biol. 5 (S)	5	Modern Math 5 (S)	5	French I 5 (S)	5	Typing I 5	5
	* Devel. Reading 2	2	World History 5 (S)	5	General Science 5 (B)	5	General Math 5 (B)	5	Latin I 5 (S)	5	Intro. to Business 5	5
II	* English II 5 (B.S.H.)	5	Geography 5	5	Phys. Sci. 5 (S.H)	5	Geometry 5 (S.H)	5	French I, II 5 (S.H)	5	Intro. to Business 5	5
	* Explor. Reading 3	3	World History 5 (B)	5	(Chemistry & Phys.) General Biology 5 (B)	5	General Math I & II 5 (B)	5	Latin I, II 5 (S.H)	5	Typing I, II 5	5
III	* English III 5 (B.S.H.)	5	* U.S. History 5 (B.S.H.)	5	Chemistry 6 (S.H)	5	Algebra II 5 (S.H)	5	French I, II & III 5 (S.H)	5	Bkpg. I, II 5	5
	English Lab 5 (S)	5			Earth Science 5	5	College Math IV 5 (S.H)	5	Latin I, II & III 5 (S.H)	5	Shrthnd. I 5	5
IV	* English IV 5 (B.S.H.)	5	* ½ yr. of American Gov. & ½ yr. of P.O.D. 5 (B.S.H.)	5	Chemistry 6 (S.H)	5	College Math IV 5 (S.H)	5	French II, III, IV 5 (S.H)	5	Shrthnd II. 5	5
	Eng. Lab. 5 (S) Devel. Reading 1	5			Physics 6 (S.H)	5			Latin II, III, IV 5 (S.H)	5	Bkpg. II 5	5
					Earth Sci. 5	5			Spanish I, II & III 5 (S.H)	5	Business Law 5	5
					Adv. Bio. 5 (S.H)	5			Spanish II, III, IV 5 (S.H)	5	Typing I, II 5	5
					Col. Bio. 5 (S.H)	5					Office Mach. & Practice 5	5

PROGRAM OF STUDIES

B = Basal S = Standard H = Honors Unclassified = No Markings
 Note: Standard & Honor designated subjects are college preparatory. Unclassified subjects may be accepted as a college unit at discretion of individual college. Basal designated subjects receive no college credit, and are not eligible for the honor roll.

	Industrial Arts		Home-making		Art		Music		Phys. Ed.		Activities & Pers. Serv. of Period 7
	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	Pds.	Cr.	
I	5	Shop 5	5	General Home-making 5	5	Art 5	5	Music 5	2	* Phys. Ed. 2	Do not Register for these on the Contract
								5		**	Band
								5			Chorus
								5			Future Teachers Assoc.
								5			Boys Sports Club
								5			Yearbook Staff
								5			Drama Club
								5			French Club
								5			Science Club
								5			Modern Dance
								5			Newspaper Club
								5			Library Club
								5			National Honor Soc.
								5			Drill Team
								5			Gun Club
								5			Majorettes
								5			Cheerleaders
								5			

PROGRAM OF STUDIES

* Indicates required courses

** Please do not sign for these on Preliminary Registration Contract.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Bridgewater:

The joint Board of Selectmen, Assessors and Public Welfare met and organized with John Chuckran, Chairman, Walter P. Murray, Clerk and Frederick E. Yeaton as our new member.

The Board has held weekly meetings on Friday evenings at 7 P.M. and Special meetings when necessary.

The New Legislation, Chapter 743 of the Acts of 1962, which took effect on October 23, 1962, created a hardship for many of our loyal employees, who were forced to retire without benefit of a pension. These employees were hired when they were too old to join the retirement system, and thus ineligible for any benefits.

Mr. Charles A. Chassey, Custodian of the Academy and Town Hall was terminated because of the new legislation. He was a conscientious employee of the Town since 1954. He took much pride in the town buildings and certainly worked very hard to keep them looking the very best at all times. He was very helpful to the employees of both buildings, and the general public. His winning smile and helpful attitude will be greatly missed by everyone.

Mr. Everett McLaughlin, another dedicated employee, who never took time off for vacations, or even Sundays and Holidays, was affected by this new law. It is with much regret that we had to lose the services of Mr. McLaughlin.

Mr. John H. Reilly can continue as an Elected Officer, or Tree Warden, but the Board will have to appoint someone else as Dutch Elm and Moth Superintendent. Mr. Reilly was taken sick at about the time the law was effective, thus the Board transferred the employees of his department to the Highway Department, had a sand loader attached to the truck, a new snow plow was purchased, and during the months that tree work cannot be efficiently

accomplished, these men will be working on the Highways, thus saving hiring outside equipment.

The Highway Department, under the supervision of Mr. Elmer Desnoyer, Superintendent of Streets, has completed another substantial section of Pleasant Street with Chapter 90 funds received from the State and County. The Board has requested further assistance to continue this project in 1963.

The drain was completed to relieve a serious situation in the area of the Regional School and Center Street.

Work has progressed on Cherry Street from funds allotted to the Town under Chapter 718.

The Board of Selectmen has voted to make application to the State for a direct grant under the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Acts of 1962 for the rebuilding of Union Street.

The Board has requested an appropriation for the purchase of a 4 Wheel Drive Front End Loader as we feel it will save the Town a great deal of money and time.

Alexander Santilli was hired to replace Charles Chassey as custodian of the Town Hall and Academy Building. Mr. Santilli is to be commended for the fine work he is doing in caring for both buildings.

We would like to thank the Chief of Police, Elmer F. Shaw, his sergeants and men in his department for their service in behalf of the Town of Bridgewater. Two new Police cruisers were purchased the latter part of 1962 and it is the hope of the Board that no new cruisers will be needed until 1964. A complete report of this department is in another section of this Town Report.

The Chief of the Fire Department, George H. Sweeney, has submitted a low Budget for the coming year. The Board has requested that a Rescue truck be purchased with matching funds through the Civil Defense and placed in the Fire Department under the direction of the Fire Chief. The Board thanks the Fire Chief and the men of his department for their fine work. A complete report of this department is contained in another section of this report.

Many conferences were held with representatives of the Brockton Edison Co. to improve the Street lighting. Many new lights have been installed and the Board plans to continue the practice of adding new lights each year.

Mr. Walter Zaverucha, our Building Inspector and Law Enforcement Officer for the Planning Board has had a very busy year. For the first year, fees were charged for building permits, which amounted to \$1,101.50 for 1962. A complete report of activities is contained in another section of the Town Report.

The complete reports of the Wire Inspector and Sealer of Weights and Measures will be found in another section of the Town Report.

We wish to thank the Committee and Fire Chief George H. Sweeney for the excellent job of decorating the center of Town during the Christmas holiday season. A request of an additional \$100. has been approved for 1963.

The Board of Selectmen spent several hours at the Swimming Pool under the direction of Harry Lehmann and were very pleased with the excellent program and thorough training the youngsters are receiving.

A complete revaluation of the Town was done for 1962. The Board felt it necessary to comply with the Statutes. All Tax bills were published in the local newspaper and we wish to thank Mrs. Marie Mitchell for publishing the list.

Our Town Counsel has informed us that the Legislature has passed a bill whereby the State will match funds up to \$100,000.00 for each school building, provided the Town will raise and appropriate \$100,000.00 on or before December 31, preceding year of construction. This information was passed on to both the Regional and Local School Committees. The Board recommends a sum of money be placed in the stabilization fund in anticipation of school building needs; thus, when additions to our schools are needed, the Town would have \$200,000.00 and there would be no need of deficit financing, which would result in a saving of \$60,000. to \$80,000. in interest rates alone.

The Board recommends a Dept. of Public Works be set up with the head of the department a Civil Engineer; this would enable the Town to have an engineer's services at all times and with forward planning, save the Taxpayer many dollars.

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

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHUCKRAN, Chairman
WALTER P. MURRAY, Clerk
FREDERICK E. YEATON,

Board of Selectmen

REPORT OF THE WAGE AND PERSONNEL BOARD

The Wage and Personnel Board held thirteen meetings during 1962 with almost perfect attendance. Seven of these meetings were held previous to the March Town Meeting, some of which were hearings on various by-law changes. These changes, as voted, are recorded in the records of the Town Meeting.

Special votes made after the Annual Meeting of general interest to the citizens were as follows: An emergency salary of \$50.00 a month was requested and voted for the Director of Civil Defense. Also, an additional salary of \$10.00 per week was granted the Acting Police Chief during the absence of the Chief.

We were well represented at the Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts Personnel Boards Association, at Framingham. We met jointly with the Advisory Board and made arrangements for

a second meeting previous to the 1963 Town Meeting. We find these joint meetings very helpful in co-operative understandings of the various Town Departments.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY P. ANACKI
LEWIS M. CORCORAN
MARIO FERIOLI
JOHN L. REVIL, JR.
BASIL S. WARREN, Chairman

Wage and Personnel Board

ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS — 1963

If the Town votes the appropriations as recommended by the Advisory Committee, the tax rate, based on the 1962 Valuation, will be \$38.75 per thousand, or a decrease of \$2.85 from the 1962 tax rate of \$41.60.

RECOMMENDATION — 1963 TAX DOLLAR DISTRIBUTION

Percentage	Function	Amount
56.6%	Schools	\$ 988,292.37
3.4	General Government	59,534.15
8.4	Protection	144,352.94
1.4	Health and Sanitation	24,742.90
8.4	Highways	146,573.44
7.0	Public Welfare	120,580.70
1.8	Veterans' Services	31,200.00
1.3	Public Library	22,213.80
.8	Recreation and Parks	14,022.00
3.7	Miscellaneous	65,044.29
1.2	Water Deficit	18,138.59
4.3	State and County Assessments	75,306.79
1.7	Overlay	30,486.72
100.0%		\$ 1,740,488.69

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

In accordance with the Town By-Laws, the Advisory Committee herewith submits its report and recommendations for the 1963 budget.

After receipt of department budgets, December 21, 1962, we have met with all department heads and discussed each item in detail.

The school budget is still by far the largest amount to be raised accounting for almost 57% of the total budget. The Advi-

sory Committee asked the school committees if they could reduce their budgets more and were told that they had already cut them as much as possible.

The Regional School Committee has an Excess and Deficiency Fund of approximately \$102,000. as of December 31, 1962. This money was originally loaned to the Regional District by Bridgewater and Raynham. The Advisory Committee of Bridgewater feels that our share of this fund should now be returned to the town. This can only be done by the Regional School Committee using this amount to reduce their budget, thereby reducing the amount needed to be raised by taxation.

The Regional School Committee wants to use this fund as a building fund for the future. The Advisory Committee feels that it is up to the taxpayers to decide whether they want this money to be used to reduce the school budget or set up as a future building fund as desired by the Regional Committee.

The Advisory Committee recommends that the town transfer \$20,000. from Excess and Deficiency Account to set up a stabilization fund of our own for future building needs.

With the savings made through the reductions in the various budgets and the use of available funds, based on the 1962 valuation the tax rate will be \$38.75 if the Advisory Committee recommendations are voted at Town Meeting.

We wish to thank the selectmen, department heads, various committees, employees and citizens of the town for their patience and assistance in the presentation of the following budget.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. JOHN F. CORREIA, Chairman
 JOHN S. BATES
 STEWART BROWN
 UGO FRUZZETTI
 RALPH LEHTOLA
 GEORGE HOGG
 PRIMO RESMINI
 JOHN REVIL, JR.
 SAUL WYMAN

Advisory Committee

SUMMARY OF ENTIRE 1963 BUDGET

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
Total Appropriations—From Revenue			
Salaries—Excluding Schools	\$245,760.94	\$236,026.46	\$244,700.58
Expenses—Excluding Schools	420,563.06	393,866.29	383,563.64
Total—Excluding Schools	666,324.00	629,892.75	628,264.22
Total—Schools	1,007,527.74	1,056,217.62	988,292.37
Total Appropriations	1,673,851.74	1,686,110.37	1,616,556.59
State Assessments	10,060.19		10,060.19
County Assessments	65,246.60		65,246.60
Overlay	29,543.50		30,486.72
Estimated Water Deficit			18,138.59
Gross Amount to be Raised	1,778,702.03		1,740,488.69
Articles in Warrant Approved, Salaries			7,058.40
			<u>1,747,547.09</u>
Less:			
Estimated Receipts	513,861.13		539,122.63
Overestimate—State and County ..	2,587.91		394.88
Surplus Accounts	119,620.28		143,341.00
Poll Taxes	4,922.00		4,922.00
Amount to be Raised on Property	1,137,710.71		1,059,766.58
1962 Valuation (\$27,348,815.)			
× \$41.60 (Rate) =	1,137,710.71		
1962 Valuation			
× \$38.75 (Estimated Rate) =			<u>1,059,766.58</u>
1963 Estimated Tax Rate = \$ 38.75			
1962 Rate = \$ 41.60			
Net Decrease =			<u>\$ 2.85</u>

ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS BUDGET REPORT, 1963

Article 1. To vote YES or NO on the following question:

“Shall the town pay one-half the premium costs payable by a retired employee for group life insurance and for group general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance?”

If a majority of the voters voting on the question shall vote in the affirmative Ch. 32B. Section 9A. shall take effect in this town.

NOT RECOMMENDED.

Article 3. 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.

SALARIES

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Board of Selectmen—			
(Total for 3 Members)	\$2,466.65	\$2,349.71	\$2,450.00
Selectmen's—Clerical	312.00	312.00	312.00
Accounting Department	11,368.81	11,368.81	11,450.00
Treasurer	1,400.00	1,400.00	1,400.00
Treasurer's—Clerical	1,518.40	1,518.40	1,500.00
Collector	3,850.00	3,850.00	3,850.00
Collector's—Clerical	2,984.43	2,984.43	3,000.00
Board of Assessors—			
(Total for 3 Members)	2,567.33	2,527.19	2,550.00
Assessors'—Clerical	2,838.66	2,298.67	2,463.66
Town Clerk	3,750.00	3,750.00	3,750.00
Election and Registration	1,489.50	1,814.32	704.00
Town Hall	2,062.26	2,057.10	2,085.42
Academy	2,297.26	2,276.07	2,235.42
Total—General Government Salaries	38,905.30.	38,506.70	37,750.50

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY			
Police Department	62,382.82	62,359.02	63,395.00
Police—Women Traffic Supervisors	2,400.00	2,398.03	2,400.00
Fire Department	40,583.94	38,764.38	41,032.74
Sealer of Weights and Measures ..	604.08	604.08	600.00
Building Inspector	604.08	851.61	900.00
Wire Inspector	604.08	604.08	600.00
Moth Extermination	3,408.52	3,061.32	4,475.00
Dutch Elm Diseases	1,138.20	944.76	4,475.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	4,463.45	4,007.11	600.00
Forest Fires	1,200.00	1,434.31	1,100.00
Dog Officer	110.75	110.75	110.00
Total—Protection Salaries	117,499.92	115,139.45	119,687.74
HEALTH AND SANITATION			
Salaries of Board of Health	1,006.79	1,006.79	1,000.00
Salaries of Inspectors	2,484.29	2,342.04	2,450.00
Public Health Nurse	2,214.94	2,214.94	2,200.00
Maintenance of Sewers	5,223.56	5,255.29	5,118.90
Total—Health & Sanitation Salaries ..	10,929.58	10,819.06	10,768.90
HIGHWAYS (To be Expended under the direction of the Selectmen)			
Administrative Salaries	7,247.93	7,247.93	7,323.44
Highway Department	33,800.00	29,615.23	33,800.00
Road Machinery	1,200.00	787.38	1,200.00
Total—Highway Salaries	42,247.93	37,650.54	42,323.44
PUBLIC WELFARE ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries of Overseers	604.08	593.19	600.00
Salary of Director	4,750.68	4,750.68	5,130.00
Social Workers	7,270.00	6,417.63	8,306.20
Clerks	5,547.52	5,264.85	6,022.00
Total Welfare Salaries	18,172.28	17,026.35	20,058.20
Less Federal Grants	7,882.80	7,989.95	11,000.00
Total—Welfare Salaries Appropriation	10,289.48	9,036.40	9,058.20
VETERANS' SERVICES			
(To be Expended under the direction of the Selectmen)			
Agent	1,510.18	1,510.18	1,500.00
Clerk	704.76	704.76	700.00
Total—Veterans' Services Salaries	2,214.94	2,214.94	2,200.00

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
PUBLIC LIBRARY			
Salaries and Wages	14,155.84	14,022.33	14,399.80
RECREATION			
Care of Common*	251.70	194.62	250.00
Athletic Field & Playground†	4,760.00	3,977.27	4,262.00
Supervised Play†	506.25	468.75	.....
Swimming Pool	4,000.00	3,996.40	4,000.00
Total—Recreation Salaries	9,517.95	8,637.04	8,512.00
Total Salaries from Revenue (Excluding Schools)	245,760.94	236,026.46	244,700.58
* To be Expended under the direction of the Selectmen			
† To be Expended under the direction of the Playground Commissioners			
WATER DEPARTMENT—APPROPRIATED			
FROM WATER REVENUE			
Salaries of Water Commissioners ...	704.76	704.76	700.00
Salaries of Employees	24,483.50	24,213.23	24,572.46
Total Water Salaries— from Water Revenue	25,188.26	24,917.99	25,272.46
TOTAL SALARIES— (Exclusive of Schools)	270,949.20	260,944.45	269,973.04

EXPENSES**GENERAL GOVERNMENT**

Selectmen	682.00	623.36	692.20
Accounting Department	742.20	699.39	810.10
Treasurer	1,274.43	1,123.77	1,213.70
Collector	2,584.57	2,513.03	2,641.50
Assessors	782.00	866.25	1,013.00
Preparation of Assessors' Maps	5,000.00	7,583.73	5,000.00
Law Department	1,000.00	414.75	1,000.00
Town Clerk	439.00	305.98	328.65
Election and Registration	1,255.50	1,336.21	612.50
Electric Bookkeeping Mach. Maint.	440.00	373.19	440.00
Town Hall	2,311.00	2,197.98	2,276.00
Academy	5,450.00	5,171.88	4,800.00
Heater for Academy	10,000.00	436.00	.....
Certification of Town Notes	50.00	12.00	50.00
Planning Board	385.00	290.19	225.00
Appeals Board	43.25	53.25	56.40

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
Advisory Committee	100.00	81.00	100.00
Industrial & Development Com. ...	779.60	48.45	399.60
Wage & Personnel Board	125.00	79.30	125.00
Total—General Government Expenses	33,443.55	24,209.71	21,783.65

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY

Police Department—Expenses	7,305.50	6,818.54	6,382.50
Police—Traffic Supvr. Expenses	43.00	18.10	43.00
Police—Purchase of Two Cruisers, Seat Covers and Lettering	3,000.00	3,800.00	
Police—New Antenna	150.00	104.50	
Fire Department—Expenses	13,799.70	13,492.10	12,864.70
Fire—Out of State Travel	85.00	52.50	85.00
Fire—Fire Station Repairs		1,392.42	
Fire—Purchase of Fire Truck		13,993.00	
Sealer of Weights & Measures	180.00	137.67	180.00
Building Inspector	300.00	273.97	300.00
Wire Inspector	195.00	184.02	195.00
Moth Extermination	600.00	265.86	600.00
Dutch Elm Diseases	3,055.00	731.06	3,000.00
Improvement of Shade Trees	400.00	384.86	400.00
Improvement of Shade Trees— New Truck	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Forest Fires	315.00	257.22	165.00
Dog Officer	450.00	450.00	450.00
Total—Protection Expenses	32,878.20	45,355.82	24,665.20

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Health Department	8,670.00	7,747.16	12,165.00
Health—Expenses, 1961	1,194.54		
Public Health Nurse	200.00	231.92	250.00
Sewer Maintenance	2,004.00	1,865.50	1,559.00
Sewer Construction		12,159.90	
Sewage Plant	28,000.00		
Total—Health & Sanitation Expenses	40,068.54	22,004.48	13,974.00

HIGHWAYS

Expenses	18,650.00	13,880.59	23,500.00
New Equipment	1,750.00	890.00	14,650.00
Chapter 718		4,622.81	
Road Machinery—Expenses	6,500.00	6,454.65	6,500.00

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
Municipal Garage	850.00	1,013.33	1,000.00
Land Damages—Pleasant Street		776.00	.....
Installation of Drain—Reg. School		1,375.53	.....
Street Lighting	13,960.00	12,948.85	14,600.00
Total—Highway Expenses	41,710.00	41,961.76	60,250.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Administration Expenses	903.79	537.29	822.50
General Relief	11,000.00	6,279.02	6,700.00
Aid to Dependent Children	26,000.00	23,001.37	23,000.00
Disability Assistance	13,500.00	15,452.21	16,000.00
Old Age Assistance	41,000.00	35,125.39	35,000.00
Old Age Assistance—1960 Bills	345.28	345.28	.....
Medical Assistance for the Aged	37,500.00	31,466.20	30,000.00
Total—Public Welfare Appropriation	130,249.07	112,206.76	111,522.50

VETERANS' SERVICES

Expenses (To be expended under the direction of the Selectmen)	27,000.00	28,765.85	29,000.00
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PUBLIC LIBRARY

Expenses	5,916.60	5,835.58	7,814.00
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RECREATION

Athletic Field & Playground	1,568.75	1,509.29	2,025.00
Athletic Building and Backstop			2,000.00
Supervised Play	50.00	50.00	.....
Swimming Pool	1,780.00	1,402.20	1,485.00
Total—Recreation	3,398.75	2,961.49	5,510.00

ARTICLES IN WARRANT

(Chap. 90 and County Aid)	45,000.00	61,629.31	44,000.00
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MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS

Workmen's Compensation			8,300.00
Miscellaneous Printing	1,900.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Memorial Day	500.00	244.09	500.00
Veterans Day	200.00	40.00	200.00

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
Plymouth County Aid to Agri.	100.00	100.00	.....
Veterans of Foreign Wars—Rent ...	300.00	280.00	300.00
Buildings Insurance	1,596.75	4,662.52	3,707.30
Liability Insurance	311.47	311.47	312.27
Boiler Insurance	1,243.00	1,267.20	
Stocking Ponds & Liberating Game	100.00	100.00	150.00
Non-Contributory Retirement	1,484.00	1,484.00	1,484.00
Contributory Retirement	18,096.50	18,042.32	22,459.00
Civilian Defense	13,475.00	7,940.12	3,691.72
Christmas Lighting	400.00	400.00	500.00
Reserve Fund	9,000.00	*	9,000.00
Group Life & Medical Insurance ...	11,000.00	10,070.47	11,250.00
Marking & Restoring			
Veterans Graves	291.63	241.63	290.00
Abandoned Cemeteries	400.00	363.74	400.00
Total—Miscellaneous Appropriations ...	60,398.35	47,547.56	64,544.29

* Transfers made in 1962 — \$5,808.19

INTEREST AND DEBT

Interest—Temporary Loans	500.00	1,387.97	500.00
No Debt			
Total—Interest and Debt	500.00	1,387.97	500.00
Total Expense from Revenue—			
Excluding Schools	420,563.06	393,866.29	383,563.64

WATER DEPARTMENT—APPROPRIATED FROM WATER REVENUE

Water Expenses	29,468.00	27,241.94	23,883.00
Water—½ Ton Pickup Truck	1,550.00	1,404.19	
Water—Out of State Travel			125.00
Water—New Chassis—1 Ton			2,600.00
Water—Addition to Pump House			1,000.00
Water—Perimeter Wells at			
#1 Well			7,000.00
Water—Construction—			
Bridge Street	18,000.00	17,991.02	2,500.00
Total—Water Expenses from			
Water Revenue	49,018.00	46,637.15	37,108.00

	Appropriation 1962	Expenses 1962	Recommended 1963
SCHOOLS (To be expended under the direction of the School Committee)			
Personal Services	414,646.79	408,911.22	461,952.46
Expenses, Exclusive of salaries for personal services, for the support of public schools; 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, to be expended under the direction of the School Committee	97,276.28)	97,206.42)	62,203.87
Transportation of Pupils .....	)	)	38,594.56
Vocational Tuition	3,800.00	2,974.67	4,600.00
Out of State Travel .....	.225.00	204.85	410.00
Evening Practical Arts	1,350.00	938.00	1,300.00
Adult Civic Education	150.00	42.00	150.00
Trans. to Vocational Schools	1,500.00	1,053.15	1,600.00
Outside Organizations—			
Janitors, Matrons, etc.	1,300.00	703.99	1,000.00
Training School Tuition	5,310.27	67,810.27	*38,674.63
Summer Recreational Program	1,170.00	1,085.51	1,100.00
Total for Schools to be expended under the direction of the School Committee	526,728.34	580,930.08	611,585.52

* Budget reduced by \$8,000.00 — by vote of School Committee. Amount to be used from available Funds under P.L. #874.

Total for Schools to be expended under the direction of the Local School Committee			
Sprinkler System—McElwain & School St. Schools	526,728.34	591,745.49	611,585.52
Fence—School Street School	20,000.00	1,987.20	.....
Regional School District	404,063.15	404,063.15	*325,800.60
Drainage—Regional School .....	.....	1,375.53	.....
Interest on School Loan	6,736.25	6,736.25	5,906.25
School Loan	50,000.00	50,000.00	45,000.00
Total Appropriations for Schools	1,007,527.74	1,056,217.62	988,292.37

* Advisory Committee recommends deducting Bridgewater's share 69.08% of the Regional School Excess and Deficiency Surplus Revenue Account (\$102,725.03) from the 1963 Regional School Assessment. The surplus was

created by the advance payment to the Regional School District, originally appropriated for the plans of the school. When the funds were received from the State in the way of reimbursement, the money was loaned to the District for the first year.

1963 Assessment	\$ 396,763.05
Less Bridgewater's share of E. & D. Surplus Revenue Account as of 12/31/62	70,962.45

Included in 1963 Budget \$ 325,800.60

Article 4. 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, 1963, 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 4. RECOMMEND ADOPTION.

Article 5. To see what action the Town will take in relation to instructing the Collector of Taxes.

Article 5. RECOMMEND ADOPTION.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Wage & Personnel Board By-Laws as follows:

Section 7 — Group I. —Striking out Public Health Nurse as part time worker.

NOT RECOMMENDED.

Group I — Special Police Officers — increase salary from \$1.65 per hour to \$1.80 per hour.

RECOMMEND THE INCREASE.

Added new section to be known as Group L. Public Health Nurse — Based on 40 hour week. SC 12.

NOT RECOMMENDED.

Section 16 — Strike out Paragraph one and insert in its place:

“Sick leave with pay shall be granted to full time employees under regular salary basis at the rate of one day for each month of service during the first year of employment, and fourteen days annually thereafter cumulative up to and including 60 days.”

Strike out paragraph three and seven.

NOT RECOMMENDED.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the increased salaries voted under the preceding article.

Article 7. **VOTED \$1,058.40 for the increased salaries of Special Police Officers from March 4th.**

Article 8. To hear and act on any reports of Committees appointed by the Town.

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 9. **RECOMMEND an Appropriation of \$38,000.00 to be transferred from E. & D., Reimbursements from State and County to be restored upon their receipt to the E. & D.**

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 10. **RECOMMEND an Appropriation of \$6,000.00 to be transferred from E. & D., Reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to the E. & D.**

Article 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to grant to the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company an easement for the erection and maintenance of an antenna on

Great Hill and the erection and maintenance of cables for the transmission of electricity to said antenna.

Article 11. RECOMMEND authorizing the Selectmen to grant the easement and collecting a fee for the same.

Article 12. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the house at 1378 High Street and the lot of land upon which it is situated at public auction.

Article 12. RECOMMEND the sale of the property, as it is no longer needed by the Water Department.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to review the Town By-Laws and make a report at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 13. RECOMMEND a Committee be appointed, 2 members appointed by the Moderator, 1 member by the Selectmen and 1 member by the Advisory Committee.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 for the replacement of the water pipes on Cherry Street or take any action relative thereto. By petition.

Article 14. RECOMMEND the Appropriation of \$6,000.00.

Article 15. To see if the Town will petition the State Tax Commission for the installation of the State Assessment System as provided in Section 7A of Chapter 58, of the General Laws, or take any other action thereto.

Article 15. RECOMMEND the installation of the State Assessment System.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of \$14,857.08 from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of Chapter 782 of the Acts of 1962, that said sum, when received, be transferred for the Construction of Union Street, or any other street so voted by the Town, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article 16. RECOMMEND the acceptance of the money for the construction of Union Street.

Article 17. To see if the Town will amend the By-Laws by the addition of the following new Section:—

ARTICLE 9 — SECTION 4

The Treasurer, in addition to the requirements of General Laws, Chapter 60, Section 79, shall give notice of the time and place of the sales of land of low value by publishing a notice of the sale in a newspaper published, or having a circulation in the Town 14 days at least before the sale.

Article 17. **RECOMMEND** the adoption of the By-Law.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take with reference to transferring a sum of money from available cash for the purpose of setting up a stabilization fund in accordance with the provisions of Section 5B., Chapter 40 of the General Laws.

Article 18. **RECOMMEND** \$20,000.00 be transferred from E. & D. to Stabilization Fund.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to increase the membership of the Industrial Development Commission to a maximum of 15 members. By request of the Industrial Development Commission.

Article 19. **RECOMMEND** the increase of membership.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to provide for a Board of Appeals as described in Chapter 41, Sections 81Z through 81BB of the General Laws of Massachusetts or take any other action relative thereto. By request of the Planning Board.

Article 20. **RECOMMEND** the Adoption.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Bridgewater in accordance with the proposed changes as contained in a report on file in the office of the Town Clerk. By request of the Planning Board.

Article 21. **NOT RECOMMENDED** as the Board did not have sufficient information at this time. Refer to Planning Board for explanation.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Rules and Regulations Governing the Subdivision of Land in the Town of Bridgewater in accordance with the motion for such amendment and the copy of the Rules and Regulations as amended on file at the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Bridgewater, or take any other action relative thereto. By request of the Planning Board.

Article 22. **NOT RECOMMENDED** as the Board did not have sufficient information at this time. Refer to Planning Board for explanation.

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