

DENNIS



A National Bicentennial Community



1974
ANNUAL
TOWN REPORTS

**THE DENNIS BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION'S 1975
HISTORICAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

APRIL

- 17 8:00 p.m. D.B.C. Complimentary Minuet Class, for all patrons of The Colonial Cotillion, W. Dennis Community Hall.
- 18 1:30 p.m. Ezra Baker School ceremonies, at the school.* Presentation of an official Bicentennial flag to the school by Mr. and Mrs. Everett Durgin of W. Dennis.
- 19 9:00 p.m. D.B.C. gala Colonial Cotillion, Patriot's Day, W. Dennis Community Hall.
- 20 9:00 a.m. Lions Club Pancake Breakfast, W. Dennis Community Hall.*
- 28 7:30 p.m. Selectmen's Meeting, D.B.C. unveiling of official Dennis Bicentennial painting, Town Hall.

MAY

- 6 7:30 p.m. Annual Town Meeting. Prior to meeting and intermission: parchment signature sheets for signing, Dennis salt works tiles, color prints of D.B.C. painting, tri-corn hats for sale, Wixon School.
- 14 7:30 p.m. Historic Preservation Week program, W. Dennis Community Hall. Sponsor: Dennis Historical Commissioners.*
- 16 2:30 p.m. Jacob Sears Memorial Library, East Dennis Open House and tea. Special Bicentennial exhibit of photographs.
- 26 9 a.m. Dennis Bicentennial Massachusetts Memorial Day parade. Start: Dennis Town Hall. Route: The South Dennis Rd. End: Ezra Baker School.

JUNE

- 13 1 p.m. Wixon Middle School ceremonies- at the school* Presentation of an official Bicentennial flag to the school by Mass. State Representative and Mrs. Peter L. McDowell.
- 14 D.B.C. Flag Day Project in conjunction with Dennis Chamber of Commerce. Historical flags of Revolutionary War Period on display all over town.
- 20 10 a.m. Auction Preview*- W. Dennis Community Hall.
- 21 10 a.m. Auction sponsored by Dennis Historical Society*- W. Dennis Community Hall.
- 27 2 p.m. Jericho Historical House, S. Dennis*, open house and tea. Jericho Barn Museum: Bicentennial Dennis salt works exhibit.

JULY

- 1 2 p.m. Josiah Dennis Manse, Dennis*, Open House, Exceptional Bicentennial exhibit in Library.
- 4 9 a.m. D.B.C. with Yarmouth B.C., Independence Day Flotilla on Bass River. Start: Nantucket Sound jetty. End- N. of Highbank Rd. Bridge.
- 7 8 p.m. Bicentennial Band Concert-Dennis Village green next to old Militia Training Field (D.C.C.).
- 15 2 p.m. Dennis Memorial Library-Dennis:* Beginning a series of Bicentennial Exhibits throughout the summer.
- 21 8 p.m. Bicentennial Band Concert-Dennis Village green next to old Militia Training Field. (D.C.C.).

AUGUST

- 4 8 p.m. Bicentennial Band Concert-Dennis Village green next to old Militia Training Field. (D.C.C.).
- 19 1 p.m. S. Dennis Free Public Library, Bicentennial Tour of Houses and Places in historic S. Dennis.
- 23 3 p.m. Bicentennial Antique Car Exhibit*, Ezra Baker School parking area. (D.C.C.)
- 24 1 p.m. Annual Antique Car Motorcade*- through entire town. (D.C.C.).
- 26 8 p.m. Final Bicentennial Band Concert*- Wixon School. (D.C.C.).
- 27 afternoon: Bicentennial Bike Race* sponsored by Dennis Bike Path Committee.

JULY AND AUGUST

every Wed. afternoon 2 p.m. - W. Dennis Free Public Library appropriate Bicentennial crafts demonstrated and displayed. A different aspect and art shown each week.

* denotes a Bicentennial event sponsored by

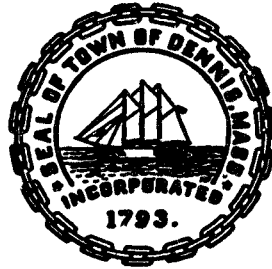
The Dennis Bicentennial Commission.

D.C.C. - under sponsorship of The Dennis Chamber of Commerce.

See the Dennis Bicentennial Commission's permanent outside exhibit: Curious forms of Colonial punishment. Rt. 134 and Access Rd. - S. Dennis.

DENNIS HISTORICAL
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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OF DENNIS



FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1974

Cover: National American Revolution Bicentennial Administration logo signifying selection of Dennis as a designated official National Bicentennial Community after application of the Dennis Bicentennial Commission was accepted. (November 21, 1974).

Photo: 1974 Dennis Board of Selectmen: l. to r. Carroll V. Murdock, Henry C. Boles, Joseph A. Merchant, Henry Kelley II, Donald W. Moncevicz.

Picture taken at Carleton Hall, Dennis, on the occasion of the presentation of the plaque for the Dennis Bicentennial Commission's historical marker on the boulder located on the old Militia Training Field in Dennis next to The Village Green. (August 30, 1974).

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TOWN OFFICERS

ELECTED

Selectmen

(elected for three years)

Joseph A. Merchant, Chairman
(1975) (deceased)

Henry Kelley II (1977)

Carroll V. Murdock (1975)

Henry C. Boles (1976)

William C. Snowden III (1974)
term expired

Donald W. Moncevicz (1977)

Moderator

(elected for three years)

Peter L. McDowell (1977)

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Tax Collector

(elected for three years)

Norah H. Creighton (1976)

Caleb Chase Fund Trustees

(elected for three years)

O. Thomas Murray (1976)

Clarence W. Bayles (1975)

Dean S. Sears (1977)

Cemetery Commissioners

(elected for three years)

Joseph H. Manning (1975)

Alton L. Robbins (1976)

William Angell (1977)

Constables

(elected for three years)

Richard S. Brooke (1977)

Paul Hallett (1977)

Thomas T. Kelley (1974) deceased

David A. Ellis (1977)

Dennis Housing Authority

(elected for five years)

Charles W. Vaughan (1975)

George A. Bullock (1978) resigned

Raymond R. Robert (1976)

Howard M. Howland (1977)

Elisabeth Merehant (1978)

State appointed

Patrick Patton, 1975

Dennis School Committee

(elected for three years)

Judith G. Swanson, Chairman (1975)

John W. Francis (1975)

William E. Crowell, Jr. (1976)

Margaret M. Mathews (1977)

Gail H. Bickford (1977)

Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School Committee

(elected for three years)

4-members from Dennis

4-members from Yarmouth

Dennis:

Alice C. Hofmann, Chairman (1975)

Elinor Slade (1976)

Warren Nelson (1977)

Dean B. Yount (Col.) (1977)

(appointed for two years)

1-member from Dennis

1-member from Yarmouth

Dennis:

Margaret M. Mathews (1975)

Park Commissioners

(elected for three years)

Paul W. Sharpless (1975)

Peter J. Nyberg (1976)

David E. Johnson (1974) term expired

Walter B. Hofmann (1977)

Planning Board

(elected for five years)

S. Quincy Newcomb (1974)

term expired

Charles F. Crowell (1975)

Lee Frankl (1978)

Clifton R. Ellis (1976)

David A. Ellis, Chairman (1977)

Constance Bechard (1979)

Recreation Commission

(elected for three years)

Warren A. Nelson (1975)
Beverly Chapman (1974) term expired
Richard M. Wainwright (1974)
term expired
Gerald D. Sullivan (1976) resigned
P.T. Wolf (1976)
Gregory M. Crowell (1977)
Arnold F. Lett, Jr. (1975)
Robert W. Porteus, Chmn. (1975)
John L. Kuhn, Jr. (1975)
Paul J. Carter (1977)

Surveyor of Highways

(elected for three years)

Robert E. Crowell (1975)

Tree Warden

(elected for three years)

Alton L. Robbins (1975)

MODERATOR APPOINTED

Cape Cod Regional Technical High
School Committee

Peter J. Nyberg (1975)
Garrett F. Sheehan (1977)

Finance Committee

(appointed for five years)

William E. Crowell, Chairman (1975)
Henry H. Holden (1976)
Edward A. Crowell (1977)
George Geisel (1977)
Robert W. Stone (1976)
Judge Robert A. Welsh, Sr. (1975)
Robert C. Treadwell (1976)

Government Study Committee

(appointed for indefinite terms)

Joseph A. Merchant (deceased)
Kirkwood B. Brown (resigned)
Pauline Craig (resigned)
Joel Crowell
Robert A. Cummings, Jr. (resigned)
Cornellus Donovan
Henry Kelley II
Robert E. Sheehan
Mrs. Kenneth Snyder, Chairman
Boyd Stewart

Occupancy Study Committee

(appointed for indefinite term)

Robert W. Stone, Chairman
Robert Briggs
William J. Manning
Mrs. Hazel Snyder
Gary E. Bishop
James B. Merchant
Mrs. Dorothy Merrill
Mrs. Helen Mullins
Newton C.J. Wollter (resigned)
John P. Best, Jr.

School Building Study Committee

Garrett F. Sheehan
Kenneth V. Rosenlund
Paul Hallock
William E. Crowell, Jr.
Louis Carrier
Mrs. Michael Dubin
Mrs. William Kenney
Gerald McCarthy

School Needs Committee

(appointed for indefinite term)

Margaret M. Mathews, Chairman
Garrett F. Sheehan
Mrs. Judith Dubin
David A. Ellis
George H. Canham

Sesuit Harbor Study Committee

(appointed for indefinite term)

William E. Crowell
Frank H. Eastman, Jr., Chairman
Richard Buck
David L. Howes

Benjamin L. Richardson
Emil H. Mueller
Roger H. Maloney
Charles Vaughan

SELECTMEN APPOINTED

TOWN HALL

Assessor's Department

(appointed for one year)

Charles H. Knox, Jr., Deputy Assessor
(1975)
B. Harriet Foss, Assistant Assessor
(1975)

Executive Secretary Department

(appointed for indefinite terms)

Theodore M. Nelson,
Executive Secretary
Robert C. Lawton, Jr., Assistant

Board of Health

(appointed for one year)

Theodore A. Dumas (1975)
Jeffrey Pitts, Special Agent (1975)
Carlton Whittemore, Special Agent
(1975)
Leon F. Tyler, Insp. of Animals &
Slaughtering (1975)

Fence Viewer

(appointed for one year)

Wesley B. Eaton (1975)
Ira R. Thacher (1975)

Legal Department

(appointed for one year)

Robert E. O'Neil (1975)

Buildings & Sign Inspector

(appointed for one year)

Roland B. Taylor (1975)
David Nichols, Asst. Inspector (1975)

Moth Superintendent & Dutch Elm

Disease Control

(appointed for one year)

Alton L. Robbins (1975)

Burial Agent

(appointed for one year)

Norah H. Creighton (1975)

Plumbing & Gas Inspector- Deputy

Inspector of Buildings & Signs

(appointed for one year)

Joseph P. Sousa (1975)
Joseph D. Colonna, Assistant (1975)

Caretaker of Veteran's Graves

(appointed for one year)

Alton L. Robbins (1975)

Registrar of Voters

(appointed for three years)

James Daly (1976)
Josephine Rogers (1977)
Martha Barr (1975) deceased
Linwood Foss (1975)

Dog Officer

(appointed for one year)

Leon F. Tyler (1975)

Shellfish Department

(appointed for one year)

Engineering Department

(appointed for one year)

Ira R. Thacher, Jr., Registered Land
Surveyor (1975)
David S. Nichols (1974) resigned
Richard P. Wheatley (1975)
Richard L. Taylor (1975)

Wesley B. Eaton, Constable (1977)
William M. Marshall, Assistant (1975)
Morris I. Johnson (Yarmouth) (1975)
Warren W. Baker, Assistant (1975)
Stuart Ellis, Assistant (1975)

Veteran's Agent, Director of Veteran's
Services & Veteran's Burial Agent

(appointed for one year)
Charles Cross (1975)

Weighers

(appointed for one year)
Edward Crowell (1975)
Kenneth B. Blakeley (1975)
Mrs. Mildred Kelley (1975)

Wiring Inspector

(appointed for one year)
James B. Hazelton (1974) resigned
George H. Canham Deputy (1975)
Orion P. Derick (1975)

SELECTMEN APPOINTED

COMMITTEES · BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Ad Hoc Committee

(appointed for indefinite term)
Henry C. Boles, Board of Health
Theodore Gardner, Conservation
Lee Frankl, Planning
Mrs. Gerald Noxon, Citizen
Dwight Hollister, Citizen

Appeals Board

(appointed for 5 year term)
Henry J. Skelly, Chairman (1977)
Stafford I. Burrell, Clerk (1978)
Dr. John Carroll (1975)
Charles Flinkstrom (1979)
Arthur Lohr (1976)

Associate Members

(appointed for 1 year)
J. David Spruill (1975)
Constance Bechard (1975) resigned
James Baldwin (1975)
Silas E. Stowe (1975)
Adams Kaminskas (1975)

Beach Operations Committee

(appointed for one year)
Alan R. Collette (1975)
Nancy Sears, Chairman (1975)
Robert C. Lawton, Jr. (1975) ex-officio
Franklyn Estey (1975) ex-officio
Robert Crowell (1975) ex-officio
Mary Baldwin (1975)
Dorothea Darling (1975)
George Kelley (1975)
Russ Kelsey (1975)
Curt Livingston (1975)
Robert Taylor (1975)

Sub-Committee

E. Theodore Gardner (1975)
Olga J. Noxon (1975)
Allan Perry (1975)

Bicentennial Commission

(appointed for indefinite terms)
Miss Ann Treat Reynolds, Chairman
Mr. Roland Barkcr
Mr. William Jeremiah Burke
Mr. James J. Coogan, Jr.
Mr. Joshua Crowell
Mrs. Hazel Smith Kerr
Mrs. Suzanne D. Lawton
Mr. Harold A. Thompson
Mr. Louis Cataldo (ex-officio)

Board of Health Advisory Committee

(appointed for indefinite terms)
Constance Bechard
Arthur Bickford
John Francis
Stetson Hall
Susan Klein
Donald Moncevicz
Allan Perry
Paris Sterrett
Garfield Toolas

Alternates

Robert Creedon
Mary Rose Griffin

Building Code Review Committee

(appointed for one year)
Lt. Richard Thomas, Chairman (1975)
Henry C. Boles (1975)
Joseph A. Merchant (1975)
Wilmington Bingham (1974)
term expired
Charles Chamberlain (1975)
Peter McDowell (1975)
Donald Moncevicz (1974) resigned
Richard P. Wheatley (1975) ex-officio

Cablevision Advisory Committee

(appointed for one year)

Dr. Gerald Noxon, Chairman (1975)
Charles F. Slocomb (1975)
Joseph Daigle resigned
Irwin Bierhans (1975)
Harold T. McDermott resigned
Edward Darling (1975) deceased

Cape Cod Planning & Economic
Development Commission

(appointed for three year term)

Lee Frankl, Chairman (1976)
S. Quiney Newcomb (1976)

Cape Cod Regional Transit Advisory
Board

(appointed for one year)

Francis E. Bell (1975)
Dennis Representative

Carleton Hall Committee

(appointed for one year)

Joshua Crowell, Chairman (1975)
Paul A. Wilson (1975)

Civil Defense Auxiliary Police Officers

(appointed for one year)

Walter W. Kelley, Captain (1975)
David Ellis (1975)
William Flynn (1975)
Harold Rebello (1975)
Kent Sandquist (1975)
William Sears (1975)
Robert Sears, Jr. (1975)
Francis Bell (1975)
Manuel Viera (1975)
Harold Thompson (1975)

Civil Defense Director

(appointed for one year)

Earle H. Whittemore, Jr. (1975)
Patrick Padden, Deputy (1975)

Civil Defense Advisory Committee

(appointed for one year)

Robert S. Hersey, Fire Chief (1975)
Walter S. Morley, Principal (1975)
Patrick J. Padden, Chairman (1975)
Roland S. Taylor (1975)
Earle H. Whittemore, Jr. (1975)
Charles F. Crowell (1975)
Louis Cataldo, Police Chief (1975)
Paul Hallett (1975)
Earle H. Whittemore (1974)
term expired
Roland S. Taylor, Building Inspector
(1975)

Community Services Advisory Board

(appointed for one year)

Susan F. Klein, Chairman (1975)
Alice C. Hofmann (1975)
Gregory M. Crowell (1975)
Amelia Beauregard (1974)
term expired
Francis E. Bell (1975)
Rose Bernstein (1975)
Saul Bernstein (1975)
Paul Carter (1975)
Richard A. Carter (1974) term expired
Karen Golembewski (1975)
Mildred Hennessey (1975)
Miss Edith M. Hutton (1975)
Janet A. Inkley (1974) term expired
Edwin C. Johnson (1975)
Walter W. Kelley (1975)
Thomas Martin (1975)
Mrs. Rebecca Mulligan (1975)
Warren A. Nelson (1975)
Mrs. Josephine Sanborn (1974)
term expired
Mrs. Brenda Sears (1974) term expired
Mrs. Natalie Sears (1974) term expired
David M. Spahn (1974) term expired
Parris Sterrett (1975)
Shirley Sylvia (1974) term expired
Earle H. Whittemore, Jr. (1974)
term expired
Mrs. G. Edward Wilkins (1975)
Louis Cataldo (1975)
David A. Ellis (1975)
Karen Hamilton (1975)
Robert Porteus (1975)
Cheryl L. Rhodes (1975)
Raymond R. Robert (1975)

Comprehensive Planning Committee

(appointed for one year)

Thomas Angotti, Dept. of Community Affairs

Lee Frankl (1975)

Mrs. Olga Noxon (1975)

Willard W. McLeod (1975) resigned

Donald Moncevicz (1975) resigned
Charles Flinkstrom, Chairman (1975)

Mrs. Constance Bechard (1975)

Warren Nelson (1974) term expired

Gary Bishop (1974) term expired

Malcolm L. Hekking (1974)
term expired

Harold A. Baines (1975)

Thomas F. Hannon, Jr. (1974)
term expired

Nicholas Mazzoni (1974) term expired

Mrs. Nancy Dawley (1974) term expired

Mrs. Mary H. Hagler (1975)

Mrs. Martha Carpenter (1974)
term expired

S. Quincy Newcomb (1974)

term expired

David A. Ellis (1974) term expired

Mrs. Barbara Wagner (1974)

term expired

William Chase (1974) term expired

William C. Snowden III (1974)
term expired

Lt. Richard Thomas (1974)

term expired

Charles F. Crowell (1974) term expired

Clifton R. Ellis (1974) term expired

Robert Porteus (1975)

Raymond R. Robert (1974)

term expired

Mrs. Judy Swanson (1974) term expired

Walter Zalaman (1974) term expired

Richard True (1975)

Hazel Snyder (1975)

Conservation Commission

(appointed for three years)

Norton Nickerson (1976)

Hazel Newcomb (1974) term expired

E. Theodore Gardner, Chairman
(1975)

Bartlett Sears (1974) resigned

Henry Kelley II (1976)

Robert Crowell (1977)

Charles W. Vaughan (1975)

Olga J. Noxon (1977)

Allan Perry (1977)

Curt A. Livingston (1976)

Wesley B. Eaton, Natural Resource
Officer (1975)

Council on Aging

(appointed for three years)

Ms. Mildred Jacobus (1976)
resigned

Harold A. Strout (1976) resigned

Rollo Purrington (1974) resigned

Henry Kelley II (1974) resigned

Mrs. Robert Wishart (1976) resigned

David Reid (1977)

George A. Bullock, Acting Chairman
(1977)

Mrs. George A. Bullock (1976)

Robert C. Lawton, Jr. (1977)

Richard Symonds (1975)

Louis McMurry, Jr. (1976)

William G. Hanger (1976)

County Finance Board (Advisory)

(appointed for one year)

Henry Kelley II (1975)

Dennis Waterways Commission

(appointed for one year)

Edward W. Cook (1975) deceased

Robert S. Johnson (1975)

Frank Eastman (1975)

Raymond Robert (1975)

Walter Wm. Kelley (1975)

Walter Burr (1975)

Robert Maloney (1975)

Robert Ralston (1975)

Design Review Panel

(appointed for five year term)

Henry C. Boles (1978)

Craig Short (1976)

Paul Sullivan, Chairman (1975)

David Tellegen (1977)

Charles Vaughan (1975)

Golf Course Commission

(appointed for one year)

Ronald Blanchard (1975)

Laurence George (1975)

William H. Hodsdon (1975)

George Lovequist (1975)

John J. O'Leary (1975)

Joseph P. Walker (1975)

Robert F. Henderson (1974) deceased

Golf Course Study Committee

(appointed for one year term)

Isiah Kelley (1975)
George Kelley (1975)
Clifton Ellis (1975)
Avard Craig, Jr. (1975)
John O'Connell (1975)
Henry Mitchell (1975)
Norman Worgan (1975)
Gloria Geraghty (1975)
Ronald Blanchard, Chairman (1975)

Harbormasters and Wharfingers

(appointed for one year)

Richard Buck, Northside Harbors
(1975)
L. Judson Churchill, Southside Harbors
(1975) resigned
Stuart Ellis, Acting Southside
Harbormaster (1975)

Assistant Harbormasters

(appointed for one year)

Hudson Eldridge, Sesuit Harbor (1975)
Theodore Maston, Sesuit Harbor
(1974) deceased
George M. Morley, Sesuit Harbor
(1974) deceased

Yarmouth

Clark Masciarotte, Bass River (1975)
Robert Philla, Bass River (1975)
John McDonald, Bass River (1975)
John J. Silver, Jr., Bass River (1975)

Dennis

Wesley Eaton, Bass River (1975)
Daniel Ellis, Bass River (1975) resigned
Franklyn G. Estey, Lower Bass River
(1975)
David A. Ellis, Bass River (1975)
Stuart Ellis, Bass River (1975)

Historic Commission

(appointed for one, two & three year terms)

Mr. Dean S. Sears, Chairman (1976)
Mrs. Pauline Derick (1977)
Mrs. Mary Hood Hagler (1975)
Mrs. Esther Howes (1975)
Mrs. Ernestine Perry (1976)

Jericho Committee

(appointed for one year)

Kirkwood B. Brown, Chairman (1975)
Mrs. Richard Hall (1975)
Robert Eldred, Sr. (1975)
Mrs. DeWitt Stucke (1974) resigned
Miss Ann T. Reynolds (1975)
Mr. & Mrs. Carroll Murdock (1975)
Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Pentland (1975)
Mrs. Lawrence Lovequist (1975)
Mrs. Alan R. Carlsen (1974) resigned
Mrs. Richard Dunham (1975)
Mrs. Malcolm Haskell (1974) resigned
Mrs. William W. Wood (1975)
Mrs. Peter Crowell (1975) deceased
Dr. Julius Kelley (1975) ex-officio
Mrs. Katheryne Snowden (1975)
Mrs. John G. Baker, Jr. (1974)
resigned
Mrs. Donald K. Tarbell (1975)
Mrs. Marion Crowell Ryder (1975)
Mr. Robert Crowell (1974) term expired
Mrs. Kenneth Foster (1975)
Mr. & Mrs. William Jeremiah Burke
(1975)
Mrs. Palmer Cook (1975)
Mrs. William Heptonstall (1975)
Mr. Harold Phillips (1975)
Mrs. Mark Smith (1975)
Mrs. William H. Low (1975)
Mrs. William G. Lowe (1975)

Historic Commissioners

Mrs. Dean Sears (1976)
Mrs. Orion Derick (1977)
Mrs. Mary Hood Hagler (1975)
Mrs. Anson Howes (1975)
Mrs. Leon Perry (1976)

Josiah Dennis Manse Committee

(appointed for one year)

Mrs. Anson Howes, Chairman (1975)
Mrs. William Wood (1975)
Mrs. Anna N. McDowell (1975)
William J. Burke (1975)
Robert Fenby (1974) resigned
Philip N. Colby (1975)
Lambert H. Lynn (1974) resigned
Mrs. Byron Peirce (1975)
John Read (1974) deceased
Mrs. Wilson Scofield (1975)
Mrs. David C. Sears (1975)
Mrs. Earle Whittemore, Sr. (1975)
Patrick J. Padden (1975)
Mrs. Dean Yount (1975)
Robert Eldred, Jr. (1975)
John F. Herrick (1975)
Mrs. Hazel Tellegen (1975)
Mr. & Mrs. Craig Short (1975)
Alice Hofmann (1975)
Eric Rutledge (1975) deceased

Historic Commissioners

Mrs. Dean Sears (1976)
Mrs. Orion Derick (1977)
Mrs. Mary Hood Hagler (1975)
Mrs. Anson Howes (1975)
Mrs. Leon Perry (1976)

Old Kings Highway Regional Historic
District Interim Commission

Dissolved by Act of Legislature
Dean S. Sears
Judge Robert Welsh, Sr.
Henry C. Boles
Mary H. Hagler

Old Kings Highway Regional Historic
District Commission

(appointed for one, two, three, & four year terms)

Mr. William Hanger, Chairman (1979)
Mr. Henry C. Boles (1975)
Mr. John M. Gill, Jr. (1978)
Mr. Craig Short (1977)
Mr. David Tellegen (1975)

Police Station Building Committee

(appointed for one year)

Louis Cataldo, Chief (1975)
Arthur C. Lohr, Chairman (1975)
Isaiah Kelley (1975)
Peter L. McDowell (1975)
Mrs. Nancy Sears (1975)
Richard I. Shea (1975)
Captain John J. Sullivan (1975)
Thomas T. Kelley (1974) deceased

South Dennis Historic District Study
Committee

Dissolved by Town By-Law
John D. Johnston, Chairman
Dean S. Sears
Edward A. Looner
Henry C. Boles
Miss Harriot B. Barbour
Mrs. Orion Derick
August Viekman

South Dennis Historical District
Commission

(appointed for one, two, & three year terms)

Mr. Wellington H. Bingham,
Chairman (1975)
Mrs. Pauline Derick (1976)
Mr. A. Lawrence Lovequist (1976)
Mr. Joseph P. Stanionas (1977)
Mr. August Viekman (1977)

West Dennis Community Building
Restoration Committee

(appointed for indefinite term)

Mrs. Edith Wood, Chairman
William C. Snowden II
Mrs. Margaret Lyons
David Ellis
Robert Porteus
Rudolphe Robert, Associate
Mrs. John Wilks
Russell C. Leonard, Associate
William Wood (ex-officio) deceased

West Dennis Community Building
Study Committee

Mrs. Edith Wood, Chairman (1975)
William C. Snowden III (1975)
Mrs. Margaret Lyons (1975)
David Ellis (1975)
Robert Porteus (1975)
Mrs. John Wilks (1975)
Russell C. Leonard (1975)

POLICE DEPARTMENT

(appointed for one year subject to the right of tenure)

Chief of Police, Louis Cataldo

Chief of Police (Retired), Earl H. Whittemore, Jr.

Captain, John J. Sullivan

Detective Lieutenant
Walter W. Kelley

Lieutenant
L. Judson Churchill (Retired)

Sergeants

Manuel Amaral
Earle M. Lyman, Jr.
Detective Sergeant
Patrick J. Padden
Detective
William O. Hall

Ronald R. Marotta
Robert G. Potter
Technical Sergeant
Donald F. Nelson (Retired)
Special Officer
Henry B. Newman, Jr.
Dennis P. O'Leary, Jr.

Patrolmen

Richard Boucher (not reappointed)
Sumner Campbell
Paul Carey
Robert Clancy (not reappointed)
Donald Clemence (not reappointed)
Mary Flynn
Raymond E. Hersey (resigned)
Stephen M. Katz
Claude H. King III (resigned)
Royal Laurie (not reappointed)
O. Clayton Leach

Keith Lewis
Thomas F. Martin
Charles McGibbon, Jr.
Robert Melia (resigned)
William Monahan
Jonathan Pierpont (resigned)
Gerald Seidel
Barry Springer (not reappointed)
Joseph L. Summers
John Symington, Jr.
Richard Walker

Records Clerk, Alice C. Hofmann
Clerk

Karen Hamilton (resigned)

Karen Anderson
Special Officers

Matrons:-

Karen Anderson
Karen Hamilton
Ella Hersey

Alice C. Hofmann
Cynthia A. Newman
Barbara B. Wagner (resigned)

Special Officers:-

Howard Bearse
John Byrne
L. Judson Churchill
Sumner Campbell
James Davenport
Wesley B. Eaton
Dave Fernandes
Anthony F. Kent
Edward A. Loomer
Curt A. Livingston
William A. Long
John Marion
Nathan Nickerson
Peter J. Nyberg

Christopher Rich
Gary Sawyer
Thomas Schortmann
Robert A. Sears
William Sears
Paul W. Sharpless
Gerard Smith
Matthew G. Sullivan
Norman S. Sylver
Richard D. Sylver
Terry Tibbetts
Leon Tyler
John VanWeel
William Yoo

George Hill

Special Officer - Beach Committee
James Kane
Robert Taylor

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Personnel appointed as of 01 January 1975

Permanent Personnel

Morse, W. Bradford	Deputy Chief of Department/Deputy Forest Warden
Thomas, Richard E.	Lieutenant/Deputy Forest Warden/Inspector, Fire Prevention
Sarmento, John P.	Lieutenant/Deputy Forest Warden/Rescue Squad
Sewell, Arthur J., Jr.	Lieutenant/Deputy Forest Warden/EMS Training Officer
Rodriguez, David J.	Lieutenant/Deputy Forest Warden/Rescue Squad
Andersen, Howard W.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad/Department Mechanic
Babineau, Donald L.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad
Richardson, Benjamin L.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad
Snow, Peter H.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad
Story, Walter L., Jr.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad
Tucker, Paul A.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad
Tucker, Robert M.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad
Woodward, Seymour E., Jr.	Firefighter/Rescue Squad

Headquarters Company

Babineau, Leo E.	Senior Call Lieutenant
Barker, Gordon A.	Captain/Member Rescue Squad
Benoit, Norman L., Jr.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Briggs, Robert E.	Call Firefighter
Fanara, John P.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Grindell, David W.	Call Firefighter
Hallett, Paul E.	Call Firefighter
Heath, Wilbur C.	Call Firefighter
Holden, Henry H.	Call Firefighter
Hill, Bruce W.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Merchant, Isaac J., Jr.,	Call Lieutenant
Oberlander, Edward A.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Rolanti, Robert	Call Firefighter
Sampson, Palmer	Call Lieutenant/Drillmaster
Smith, Michael T.	Dispatcher
Hersey, Ella F.	Member Rescue Squad
Weinstock, Ethel R.N.	Member Rescue Squad
Donlan, John J.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad

Company 2

Bates, Robert G.	Call Firefighter
Brooke, Richard S.	Call Firefighter
Carullo, Francis C.	Call Firefighter
Chick, Leslie M.	Call Lieutenant
Crowell, Charles F.	Call Firefighter
Crowell, Joel G.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Crowell, Joshua	Deputy Chief, Station 2/Deputy Forest Warden/ Member Rescue Squad
Eldred, Robert C., Jr.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Howes, Richard S.	Call Lieutenant
Jost, Douglas S.	Call Firefighter
Kaull, Robert J.	Call Firefighter
Manning, James L.	Call Firefighter
Merchant, Duane E.	Call Firefighter
Prue, Grandval R.	Call Firefighter
Prue, Paul F.	Captain/Deputy Forest Warden/Drillmaster/Member Rescue Squad

Sears, Henry H.	Call Firefighter
Sears, Irving	Call Firefighter
Sears, Robert A.	Call Firefighter
Sears, William L.	Call Firefighter
Servidori, Arthur E.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Thistle, Ronald F.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Walker, Daniel L.	Call Lieutenant/Deputy Forest Warden
Wolf, Palmer T.	Call Firefighter
Coffin, Glenn B.	Call Firefighter/Member Rescue Squad
Kuchera, John M.	Call Firefighter
McDowell, Patricia K., R.N.	Member Rescue Squad

Jury List

Barber, Roland, 4 Uncle Barney's Rd., West Dennis; Board of Education
Boles, Henry, Great Western Rd., South Dennis; Architect
Bourassa, Dorothy M., 135 Cornell Drive, Dennis Port; Housewife
Burns, Martin P., Agnes Road, South Dennis; retired
Burns, Rita, Main Street, South Dennis; Housewife
Burt, John H. Jr., 305 Sesuit Neck Rd., East Dennis; Builder
Campbell, Edward W., 74 Capt. Preston Rd., Dennis; Identification Officer,
Barnstable County
Chaisson, Ellen M., 69 Clipper Lane, Dennis Port; Housewife
Cifelli, Lawrence M. Jr., 26 Center St., South Dennis; Real Estate and Insur-
ance Agent
Coffin, William I. Jr., 14 Bayberry Rd., East Dennis; General Mgr.
Dickson, John, 8 Old County Way, East Dennis; retired
Ellis, Daniel, 22 Smith St., Dennis Port; Semi-Retired
Farrell, Marion, 145 School St., West Dennis; Housewife
Friery, Edward F., 427 Main St., Dennis; Starter-Ranger Golf Course
Fyler, Helen F., 51 Mild Bay Circle; Dennisport
Gardener, Theodore, 133 Whig St., Dennis; retired
Grimley, Arthur, 2 Capt. Nickerson Rd., South Dennis; retired
Ingram, Mertice, 43 Bass River Ln., South Dennis; retired
Kane, Ethel Louise, 15 Church St., West Dennis; retired
Kelly, Margaret, Clipper Lane, Dennis Port; retired
LeFevre, Paul W., Main St., South Dennis; retired
LeFevre, Winifred J., Main St., South Dennis; Housewife
McClain, Carol A., 28 Mariner Rd., Dennis; Telephone Company
McDermott, Harold T., 23 Harvard Rd., Dennis Port; Postmaster
Santos, Joseph W., 77 Center St., Dennis Port; retired
Schmidt, Josephine, 36 Bass River Lane, South Dennis; Saleswoman
Smith, Arthur M., 20 Olde Dennis Approach, South Dennis; Clerk
Ungaro, Carmen, 144 School St., West Dennis; retired
Williams, Erville W., 1 Easy St., Dennis Port; Service Station Examiner
Zopatti, Carl F., 44 Black Flats Rd., Dennis; Teacher

Selectmen

Joseph A. Merchant, Chrm.
Henry Kelley II
Carroll V. Murdock
Henry C. Boles
Donald W. Moncevicz

We are pleased to report our continued satisfaction with the administrative talents of Executive Secretary Theodore M. Nelson. His efforts in reorganizing our staff have resulted in more efficient use of Town personnel and expanded public services. Further, we continue to appreciate Mr. Nelson's cheerful acceptance of additional responsibilities, which enables the Selectmen to concentrate their concern on important policy matters and long range planning.

Police matters consumed an inordinate amount of our time and efforts. For the first time, the Selectmen undertook the responsibilities involved in collective bargaining, with little success. Disputes with the police union, which remain unresolved, led the Selectmen reluctantly to engage special counsel to handle such matters. On balance, however, the police department improved due to the appointment of our new Chief, Louis A. Cataldo, a career law enforcement officer with impressive training and experience. Further, the department moved into our new police station, which is a facility of which we can all be proud.

The care and improvement of municipal buildings has been remarkable this year. Members of the Village Improvement Society of Dennisport most generously deeded to the Town of Dennis their V.I.C. Hall at a fraction of its true value. Under the prudent guidance of Mrs. William Wood and committee, the West Dennis Community Building was largely restored. The work there, and on other municipal facilities, was carried out by Mr. Franklyn Estey and the town maintenance department at great savings to the taxpayers.

Certainly 1974 will be remembered as the greatest year ever for historic preservation. In May, Town Meeting voted to establish the South Dennis Historic District, the first of its kind in Dennis. In November, the Old Kings Highway Historic District was approved. Both received the active support of the Selectmen. It is estimated that between one half to two thirds of the Town's approximate 21 square miles lies within an historic district. For the first time, the Selectmen are seeking and accepting historic preservation restrictions on outstanding antique structures in Town. These restrictions are legally binding contracts, at no cost to the town, wherein owners place their historic properties under the perpetual supervision of the Dennis Historic Commission. All these efforts will greatly protect our cherished heritage indefinitely.

Again with the active leadership and support of the Selectmen, good progress occurred in the conservation of our natural resources. After seven years, we finally acquired a major portion of Crow Pasture in East Dennis. Further, Town Meeting authorized the purchase of a 38 acre parcel at Scargo Lake and a 23 acre parcel on Bass River, both beautiful virgin lands which were scheduled for subdivision and development.

Significant improvements have been made in the Towns' Health Department. New rules promulgated by the Selectmen, acting as the Board of Health, better protect the public health and safety. A Health Advisory Board has been established, comprised of knowledgeable citizens. It has assisted us in proposing and evaluating improved rules and regulations. The operation of the Town Disposal Area is under new management, at substantial savings. Most improvements in the Health Department are due to the highly professional and conscientious work of Health Officer Dumas, one of our outstanding town officials.

After more than a year of strenuous negotiations, the Selectmen signed a contract with Cape Cod Cablevision Corporation. Under the terms, the entire town (except extremely remote areas) will be provided with cablevision service in approximately one year. Much credit is due the Cablevision Advisory Committee for their work.

The Selectmen continue to be concerned about increasing real estate taxes. Last year, careful management enabled us to project a \$2 per thousand tax reduction. We were sorely disappointed when revisions in state reimbursements eliminated that savings. The demands for increased public services, and the general inflation, both must be offset by prudent management and a concerted effort by town officials and town meeting voters to exercise restraint. We, the Selectmen emphatically pledge to do our part in this regard.

Our heart felt thanks is extended to all Town employees and citizens who have worked steadfastly during 1974 to make Dennis a better community for us all.

Executive Secretary

Theodore M. Nelson

During the calendar year 1974, our major efforts were directed toward the improvement of all municipal services rendered by staff members. Particular and concerted attention was addressed to the following areas:

1. Financial Administration
2. Personnel Administration
3. Physical Plant
4. Purchasing
5. Legal

Since greater detail will be found in the other sections of this Annual Report, I shall only comment briefly on them.

1. Financial Administration:

a. **Town Accountant:** This position, authorized by the Special Town Meeting of October 25, 1973, was filled by Mr. Allan Ryan. Mr. Ryan brings to this position considerable experience in the field, including several years of prior service as a Town Accountant. The addition of this position as well as Mr. Ryan has been of great value to the Town's administration.

b. **Budget Process:** A new and detailed budget process and format were introduced for the fiscal year July 1, 1974 - June 30, 1975. The budget document itself, a "line-item" presentation, follows closely the basic design recommended by the Massachusetts Association of Finance Committees. I should like to express my gratitude to each of those who participated, either directly or in an advisory capacity, in its creation. Further, my thanks are also extended to the Finance Committee for their patience and forbearance, since it was not always possible to present them with the material in a timely fashion.

c. **Mini-Computer:** At the August Special Town Meeting, the voters authorized the purchase of an accounting machine, or mini-computer. Within a sixty-day period thereafter - thanks to the diligent and untiring efforts of Miss Creighton, Mr. Ryan and Mr. Lawton, my Assistant - specifications were written, bids invited and opened, field trips taken to similar installations and an award made to the successful bidder. Software (programs, forms, etc.) was immediately ordered after the award. Delivery of the equipment and most of the software was accomplished during the month of December, thus enabling the changeover to the new process in the new year. Mrs. Thelma Merchant, of the Treasurer's office, has done an outstanding job of implementing the new payroll process on the mini-computer.

d. **Assessing:** At year's end the reappraisal of all taxable property in the Town by the United Appraisal Company was over seventy-five percent complete. It is expected that all work will have been completed early in 1975 and that hearings will be held by the Company for interested taxpayers during the Spring. Mr. Knox, the Deputy Assessor, has been most helpful in this program as well as the many other administrative duties of his office.

2. Personnel Administration:

The draft of the I.P.A. (Intergovernmental Personnel Agency of the U.S. Civil Service System) compensation and classification plan was presented to the Town in the late Spring. After a careful review, the compensation schedules were implemented at the August Special Town Meeting. The compensation rates of all town personnel were adjusted thereafter, except those in the collective bargaining unit of the Police Department. These were adjusted following a favorable vote taken at the Special Town Meeting in October. At the time of this writing (February 25, 1975) delivery of the final draft of the I.P.A. study is expected momentarily. The final draft will contain all aspects of a plan designed to provide for a fair and equitable process of personnel administration.

A collective bargaining unit consisting of all authorized positions, except that of Chief, was certified by the State Labor Relations Commission in the Fire Department late in 1974.

3. Physical Plant:

a. Police Station: The new police station, located at the corner of Route 134 and Access Road, was accepted by the Building Committee on behalf of the Town in the Fall. The Committee, chaired by Mr. Arthur Lohr, has served the town on a voluntary basis and has done an excellent job. Each of the members is to be commended for his or her participation. The building was occupied by the Police Department in late October.

b. V.I.C. Building: Title to this building and land was conveyed to the Town from the Village Improvement Club of Dennisport in the Spring for the sum of \$25,000. This was a most generous gesture on the part of the Village Improvement Club since the appraised value of the property was in the vicinity of \$60,000. The building serves a variety of public needs such as the Head Start program.

c. West Dennis Community Building: Early in the year, a complete rehabilitation of the first floor of this building was undertaken by a Committee chaired by Mrs. William Wood. Through the prudent use of the appropriation made at a 1973 Town Meeting a fine job has been completed. An informal program for the public opening of this building was conducted late in the year. This building is also being used extensively by a number of public, social and fraternal organizations.

d. Sesuit Harbor: The Town's investment in physical plant and facilities at Sesuit Harbor - well in excess of \$100,000. on January 1, 1974 - was enhanced significantly by the construction of floats and appurtenances authorized at the Annual Town Meeting. Total appropriations were approximately \$25,000.00. Through the efforts and leadership of Franklin Estey, the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, and his staff this work was accomplished at a considerable savings to the Town. It is expected that all new facilities will be available for use during the normal boating season of 1975.

I should like to publicly commend Mr. Estey for his unhesitating cooperation and many accomplishments in the service of our Town.

4. Purchasing:

A centralized purchasing process was designed and adopted during the year. Requisition and purchase order forms were obtained and have been used to implement the process. Mr. Lawton has done a very good job in bringing this aspect of municipal administration into existence. When and as possible purchases are made to take advantage of price quotations furnished by vendors to the State of Massachusetts.

5. Legal:

Mr. O'Neil, Town Counsel, has been very busy during the year with an unusually heavy volume of legal matters. These legal matters included:

- a. opinions to various town officers, boards and committees
- b. land acquisitions on behalf of the Town
- c. Town Meeting Warrants and motions for the articles therein
- d. representing the interests of the Town in pending litigation.

Mr. O'Neil brings a considerable knowledge in municipal corporate law to his position and is a valuable member of the staff.

Citizen participation in our local government process was at a very high level during 1974. This participation took many different forms including a Cablevision Advisory Committee, a Comprehensive Plan Advisory Committee, a Waterways Study Committee and several others.

To each of those persons who has participated so actively during 1974, a year of substantial accomplishments, I say, "thank you most sincerely". More especially, I thank each member of the Board of Selectmen for his valued guidance and assistance.

General Government

Town Clerk

1974
TOWN OF DENNIS
SOUTH DENNIS, MASS. 02660
THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Dennis in the County of Barnstable
GREETING:

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 at the several precincts in said Town at the following places:

DENNIS Carleton Hall
EAST DENNIS Jacob Sears Memorial Hall
DENNIS PORT Village Improvement Club Hall
WEST DENNIS Ezra H. Baker School
SOUTH DENNIS Town Office Building

Tuesday, the Tenth Day of September, 1974

at Twelve o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

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

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 Twelfth Congressional District
COUNCILLOR	For First Councillor District
ONE REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT	For Fourth Representative District
SENATOR	For Cape & Plymouth Senatorial District
DISTRICT ATTORNEY	For Southern District
COUNTY COMMISSIONER (1)	For Barnstable County
SHERIFF	For Barnstable County

The polls will be open from 12 Noon to 8 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 30th day of August, A.D. 1974

A true copy. Attest:

Signed:

Donald W. Moncevicz
Carroll V. Murdock
Henry C. Boles
SELECTMEN OF DENNIS

Constable

Friday August 30, 1974

A true copy. Attest:

Norah H. Creighton, Town Clerk

**RECORD OF THE STATE PRIMARY
HELD SEPTEMBER 10, 1974**

Agreeable to the Warrant, the Inhabitants of Dennis qualified to vote in Elections, met at the following voting places:

Precinct 1 Carleton Hall	Thomas M. King, Warden
Precinct 2 Jacob Sears Memorial Hall	George T. Linehan, Warden
Precinct 3 Village Improvement Club Hall	Alyce B. Boyce, Warden
Precinct 4 Ezra Baker School	Edward G. Garvin, Warden
Precinct 5 Town Office Building	Russell Hamlyn, Warden

The polls were declared open at Twelve o'clock noon in each precinct and closed at 8:00 P.M.

The Warden of each precinct brought the results of the voting to the Town Clerk's office and found the results as follows:

Total Vote Cast: 2761

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Total
DEMOCRATIC PARTY						
GOVERNOR						
Michael S. Dukakis	75	37	88	94	105	399
Robert H. Quinn	33	19	98	62	75	287
Blanks	2	4	2	2	0	10
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
LEIUTENANT GOVERNOR						
Eva B. Hester	17	10	25	24	29	105
Christopher A. Iannello	22	10	55	33	34	154
John Pierce Lynch	8	7	18	13	9	55
Thomas P. O'Neill III	42	22	59	58	65	246
Thomas Martin Sullivan	6	4	16	14	27	67
Blanks	15	7	15	16	16	69
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
ATTORNEY GENERAL						
Francis X. Bellotti	44	21	90	60	70	285
Barry T. Hannon	3	3	8	10	12	36
Edward F. Harrington	22	9	22	17	37	107
Edward M. O'Brien	6	5	12	10	8	41
S. Lester Ralph	12	7	17	24	21	81
George L. Sacco	18	11	37	27	25	118
Blanks	5	4	2	10	7	28
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
SECRETARY						
John F.X. Davoren	56	28	89	62	83	318
Paul H. Guzzi	51	28	88	90	92	349
Blanks	3	4	11	6	5	29
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
TREASURER						
Robert Q. Crane	56	30	94	78	103	361
Charles Mark Furcolo	42	25	81	68	67	283
Blanks	21	5	13	12	10	52
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696

AUDITOR						
Thaddeus Buczko	88	49	146	124	149	556
Blanks	22	11	42	34	31	240
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
CONGRESSMAN						
Gerry E. Studds	99	54	166	143	163	625
Blanks	11	6	22	15	17	71
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
COUNCILLOR						
John Britland	27	16	44	36	38	161
Henry Corriea	8	4	14	18	16	60
Gino DiNucci	6	3	14	11	13	47
Manuel Perry	12	3	13	16	16	60
William H. Perry	15	11	33	25	35	119
Blanks	42	23	70	52	62	249
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
SENATOR						
Write-in			1	4	5	10
Blanks	110	60	187	154	175	686
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT						
Michael McCrath	83	42	131	115	149	520
Blanks	27	18	57	42	31	175
Write-in				1		1
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
DISTRICT ATTORNEY						
Write-in			2	1	2	5
Blanks	110	60	186	157	178	691
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
COUNTY COMMISSIONER						
Write-in			5	4	20	29
Blanks	110	60	183	154	160	667
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
SHERIFF						
Write-ins	2	1	1		6	10
(Baker)			18	18	14	50
(Bowes)				1		1
Blanks	108	59	169	139	160	635
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696
COUNTY COMMISSIONER						
Richard O. Staff	59	36	111	97	137	440
Blanks	51	24	77	61	43	256
Totals	110	60	188	158	180	696

**REPUBLICAN PARTY
GOVERNOR**

Francis W. Sargent	282	184	214	210	251	1141
Carroll P. Sheehan	197	150	151	156	204	858
Write-in					2	2
Blanks	14	13	8	19	10	64
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Donald R. Dwight	425	289	311	309	388	1722
Write-in			1		1	2
Blanks	68	58	61	76	78	341
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Charles C. Cabot, Jr.	146	97	140	116	136	635
William I. Cowin	108	55	58	57	91	369
Josiah A. Spaulding	183	157	133	171	190	834
Blanks	56	38	39	41	49	223
Write-ins			3		1	4
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

SECRETARY

John M. Quinlan	389	266	292	294	383	1624
Write-ins					2	2
Blanks	104	81	81	91	82	439
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

TREASURER

Write-ins						
(Erna Ballantine)	7	2	2	7	8	26
(Misc.)	2		1			3
Blanks	484	345	370	378	459	2036
Totals	493	347	373	380	467	2065

AUDITOR

Write-in	1		1		1	3
Blanks	492	347	372	385	466	2062
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

CONGRESSMAN

J. Alan McKay	376	249	278	275	361	1539
Blanks	117	98	95	110	105	525
Write-ins					1	1
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

COUNCILLOR

Jean T. Mayo	366	246	269	267	351	1499
Blanks	127	101	104	118	116	566
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

SENATOR

John F. Aylmer	428	302	316	317	401	1764
Blanks	65	45	56	68	66	300
Write-ins			1			1
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

**REPRESENTATIVE IN
GENERAL COURT**

Peter L. McDowell	416	290	275	271	326	1578
William C. Snowden	67	47	87	99	136	436
Blanks	10	10	11	15	5	51
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Phillip A. Rollins	400	270	293	295	387	1645
Blanks	93	77	80	90	80	420
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Edward A. Crowell	341	240	247	229	327	1384
Write-ins	1	1	11	1	5	19
Emulous E. Hall	136	94	95	126	122	573
Blanks	15	12	20	29	13	89
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

SHERIFF

John J. Bowes	411	277	302	309	395	1694
Write-ins	1		2	1	12	16
Blanks	81	70	69	75	60	355
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Charles W. Eager	316	203	206	249	293	1267
Allan P. Jones	104	88	102	77	122	493
Blanks	73	54	65	59	52	303
Write-ins		2				2
Totals	493	347	373	385	467	2065

A True Copy, Attest:
Norah H. Creighton, Town Clerk

1974 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Barnstable, ss.

To either of the constables of the Town of Dennis in the County of Barnstable, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the several precincts in the town the following places:

- DENNIS - Carleton Hall
- EAST DENNIS - Jacob Sears Memorial Hall
- DENNIS PORT - Village Improvement Club Hall
- SOUTH DENNIS - Town Office Building

In said Dennis on Monday, the 6th day of May, 1974, at 12:00 o'clock noon, and then and there to vote on the election of the following officers:

Moderator for three years; two selectmen for three years; one park commissioner for three years; two school committee members for three years; one planning board member for five years; two Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School Committee Members for three years, three constables for three years; two recreation commission members for three years.

And to vote upon any matter which may appear before it on the official ballot.

The polls will be open at 12:00 noon and shall be closed at 7:00 o'clock p.m.

And also in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at the Nathaniel H. Wixon School Auditorium in East Dennis in said town on Tuesday, the seventh day of May, 1974, at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles:

ARTICLE 1. To hear the report of the election of town officers upon said official ballot.

Reported by Norah H. Creighton, Town Clerk. "Dennis, Massachusetts, May 7, 1974. We, the undersigned Registrars of Voters of the Town of Dennis, do hereby certify that we have canvassed the votes as brought in to us by the Wardens of the various precincts and found the results to be as follows:

Total Vote Cast: 2302

Moderator, for 3 years

*Peter L. McDowell	1953
Write-ins	3
Blanks	346
Total	2302

D-Y Regional School Committee, for 3 years

*Dean B. Yount	1045
David Sears Hodsdon	973
John L. Kuhn, Jr.	975
*Warren A. "Skip" Nelson	1113
Blanks	498
Total	4604

Selectman, for 3 years

*Henry Kelley, II	1776
Arthur C. Lohr	836
*Donald W. Moncevicz	1589
Write-ins	2
Blanks	401
Total	4604

School Committee, for 3 years	
*Gail H. Bickford	1366
*Margaret M. Mathews	1526
Louis R. Carrier	1096
Blanks	616
Total	4604

Constable, for 3 years	
*Richard S. Brooke	1121
*Paul E. Hallett	981
Thomas T. Kelcy	678
George F. Bell	452
Walter G. Crafts, Jr.	504
*David A. Ellis	834
Richard Foster Mathews	392
Rodolphe C. Robert	623
Blanks	1321
Total	6906

Planning Board, for 5 years	
S. Quincy Newcomb	760
*Constance A. Bechard	1463
Write-ins	1
Blanks	78
Total	2302

Recreation Committee, for 3 years	
*Paul J. Carter	1702
*Gregory Marshall Crowell	1660
Blanks	1242
Total	4604

Park Commissioner, for 3 years	
*Walter B. Hoffman	1348
John Van Weel	531
Blanks	423
Total	2302

Cemetery Commissioner, for 3 years	
*William C. Angell	1863
Blanks	439
Total	2302

Question No. 1

Shall the members of the town of Dennis Police Department who have served continuously for five years or more be granted tenure pursuant to sections one hundred twenty-six to one hundred thirty-two, inclusive, of Chapter forty-one of the General Laws:	
Yes	1114
No	968
Blanks	220
Total	2302

Question No. 2

Shall the members of the Town of Dennis Fire Department who have served continuously for five years or more be granted tenure pursuant to sections one hundred twenty-six to one hundred thirty-two, inclusive, of Chapter forty-one of the General Laws?	
Yes	1224
No	859
Blanks	220
Total	2302

ARTICLE 2. Voted: To elect Dean H. Sears, as Trustee to the Caleb Chase Fund for a term of three years.

ARTICLE 3. Voted: To authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1974, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 4. Voted: To accept the report of the Town Officers as printed.

ARTICLE 5. Voted: To accept the report of the Finance Committee.

ARTICLE 6. Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate \$5,163,273.44, transfer \$97,915.00 from available funds under Section 22 Chapter 1140 of the Acts of the 1973 Massachusetts Legislature for Highways General and transfer \$2,500.00 from the Overlay Surplus to the Reserve Fund for the ordinary operating expenses of the Town for the fiscal year 1974-1975:

Assessors Department	63,900.00
Babe Ruth League	9,200.00
Board of Appeals	372.50
Beaches and Bathhouses	114,468.00
Bonds and Insurance	65,456.00
Cafeteria Account	44,877.00
Cemeteries	12,800.00
Civil Defense	1,000.00
Community Services Advisory Committee	50.00
Conservation	22,000.00
Council on Aging	6,295.00
Dennis Pines Golf Course	122,283.00
Dennis Post American Legion	700.00
Election and Registration	17,500.00
Engineering Department	41,181.80
Executive Secretary & Assistant	58,645.00
Finance Committee	400.00
Fire Department	223,642.00
A. Forest Fire	2,750.00
B. Ambulance and Rescue	13,000.00
Game Conservation	400.00
Group Insurance	50,000.00
Harbors	
A. Sesuit Harbor	9,000.00
B. South Side Harbors	10,246.00
Health Department, General	29,510.00
A. Sanitary Disposal Area	85,000.00
B. Dog Officer, Animal Inspector, Horse Stables, etc.	12,000.00
C. Public Nursing	3,000.00
D. Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,900.00
Highways, General	160,000.00
A. Bridges	15,750.00
B. Road Machinery Account	24,000.00
C. Sidewalks	5,000.00
D. Street Signs	7,000.00
E. Snow Removal	50,000.00
Historic Commission	1,000.00
Inspections of Buildings and Sign Code Inspections	27,095.96
Inspection of Gas	5,286.32
Inspection of Plumbing	5,700.00
Inspection of Wires	4,485.00
Interest	160,000.00
Law Department	22,000.00

Little League	3,000.00
Municipal Buildings (Maintenance of Buildings, land, parking areas, etc.)	98,779.00
Other Finance Accounts	100.00
Other Necessary Expense	100.00
Park Department	2,500.00
Planning Board	8,066.88
Police Department	509,127.00
Recreation Committee	8,000.00
Regional School District (D-Y)	885,019.12
Regional Technical High School Schools	121,190.06
Selectmen's Department	1,842,185.00
Shellfish	7,571.48
Street Lights	21,413.32
Town Clerk's Department	66,000.00
Tower Clocks	2,475.00
Town Accountant	500.00
Town Reports	12,000.00
Treasurer's and Collector's Department	6,000.00
Tree Warden	63,450.00
A. Dutch Elm Disease Control	4,500.00
B. Pest Control	6,000.00
C. Pest Control Supervision	10,000.00
D. Greenhead Fly Control	1,200.00
Veteran's Benefits	518.00
Reserve Fund	25,000.00
	50,000.00

ARTICLE 7. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$38,850.00 and the following salaries be paid:

Five Selectmen (each)	500.00
Moderator	450.00
Town Clerk	5,000.00
Treasurer and Tax Collector	10,000.00
Tree Warden	1,400.00
Surveyor of Highways	15,000.00
Three Cemetery Commissioners (each)	500.00
Five School Committee Members (each)	150.00
Five Planning Board Members (each)	450.00

All other elected officials to remain as last year.

ARTICLE 8. Voted: To authorize the Town Treasurer to act as Collector of Taxes without any appropriation of money.

ARTICLE 9. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money to adjust the wages and salaries of town employees.

ARTICLE 10. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying the costs of certifying and issuing bonds.

ARTICLE 11. Voted: To continue the existence of the Town Government Study Committee as established in Article 39 of the 1972 Annual Town Meeting until the next Annual Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 12. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money for the purpose of establishing a Stabilization Fund in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5B, of the General Laws, as amended.

ARTICLE 13. Voted: That a sum of \$150,000.00 be transferred from the Surplus Revenue Account for the purpose of reducing the tax rate during the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1974.

ARTICLE 14. Voted: To authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Board of Health Advisory Committee composed of 10 members - one of whom may be a person formally trained in Public Health, a person from the field of social services, a physician, a registered sanitarian, an accountant, a member from each of the following Boards or Commissions; Planning Board, Conservation Committee and the Community Services Advisory Committee for the purpose of assisting the Board of Health and its Agent to formulate a comprehensive health plan for the Town of Dennis and such other services as the Board of Health may determine.

ARTICLE 15. Indefinitely Postponed: To authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to appoint a committee of five members, whose duty shall be to compile, collate and prepare a pamphlet explaining and defining the governmental organization of the Town of Dennis including the nature of the services available to the citizens of Dennis and the responsibilities of the Town and its Boards and said pamphlet shall be completed and mailed to each registered voter of the Town, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5000.00 to be used by the committee for the expenses of carrying out this purpose.

ARTICLE 16. Voted: To accept the proposal of the Regional District School Committee passed on February 5, 1974, to amend the agreement establishing the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School District as follows:

1. By striking out subsection (B) of Section I and inserting in its place a new subsection to read as follows:

(B) Appointed Members

After every annual town election, the local school committee of each member town shall appoint one member, who may be from its own membership, to serve on the Committee for a term of one year commencing on the tenth day following such election and until his successor is appointed and qualified.

2. By striking out the words "first day of April" in the last sentence of the second paragraph of subsection (C) of Section I and inserting in their place the words "tenth day."

3. By striking out subsection (E) of Section I and inserting in its place a new subsection to read as follows:

(E) Vacancies

If a vacancy occurs among the appointed members, the local school committee of the member Town involved shall appoint a member, who may be from its own membership, to serve for the remainder of the unexpired term. If a vacancy occurs among the elected members, the selectmen of the member

town involved shall appoint a member to serve until a successor is elected and qualified in accordance with subsection (C) above or the following sentence, as the case may be. At the next annual town election following the occurrence of such vacancy, a successor to serve for the balance of the unexpired term if any shall be elected.

ARTICLE 17. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds and/or borrow and appropriate under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7 of the General Laws, the sum of \$55,000.00 for architectural plans and specifications and for the making of renovations to the Ezra Baker School to include library improvements and special education facilities.

ARTICLE 18. Voted: To transfer the use and control of a portion of the Town-owned land at Hockum Rock Road as shown on plan on file with the Town Clerk from the Board of Selectmen to the School Committee for use for school purposes.

(Counted Vote: Yes-326 No-72)

ARTICLE 19. Motion Lost: To raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, or borrow under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7 of the General Laws the sum of \$160,000.00 for architectural fees, engineering fees and other costs necessary to prepare final plans and specifications for a new school at Hockum Rock Road.

(Counted Vote: Yes-282 No-169)

ARTICLE 20. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, or borrow under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7 of the General Laws the sum of \$100,000.00 for architectural fees, engineering fees, and other costs necessary to prepare final plans and specifications for additions and alterations to the Nathaniel Wixon School.

ARTICLE 21. Voted: To raise and appropriate \$71,843.00 for the following accounts: Vocational Educational Account \$27,620.00; Adult Vocational Account \$34,993.00; Tuition and Transportation of Handicapped Children Account \$9,230.00.

ARTICLE 22. Indefinitely Postponed: To increase the number of elected members of the Dennis School Committee from five (5) to nine (9) members. (By petition)

ARTICLE 23. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$13,000 to purchase and equip four new Police cruisers and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to trade in three of the present cruisers as part of the purchase price thereof.

ARTICLE 24. Indefinitely Postponed: To adopt Chapter 85, Section 11A of the General Laws, requiring registration of bicycles.

ARTICLE 25. Voted: To transfer \$5,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the purchase of a new Station Wagon for the Fire Department. (By petition)

ARTICLE 26. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 and borrow and appropriate the sum of \$75,000 under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7, to purchase and equip a new aerial ladder truck for the use of the Fire Department and authorize the Board of Selectmen to trade in or dispose of a 1942 Seagrave Aerial Ladder Truck. (By petition)

(Counted vote: Yes-408 No-3)

ARTICLE 27. Voted: To transfer from the Road Machinery Fund the sum of \$4,500.00 to purchase and equip a new four-wheel drive vehicle for the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 28. Voted: To transfer \$3,500.00 from the Road Machinery Fund to purchase and equip a new pick-up truck for the Highway Department and to trade in the present 1969 G.M.C. pick-up truck, the allowance thereon to be applied towards the cost of the new vehicle.

ARTICLE 29. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$6,500.00 for the purpose of acquiring a Brush Chipper to be used under the direction of the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 30. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$1,200.00 for the purpose of acquiring an asphalt curb machine for the use of the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 31. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purpose of acquiring a low bed trailer for the use of the highway Department.

ARTICLE 32. Voted: To amend the Zoning By-Law, Section 5, Definitions, by adding to the present definition of Dwelling, Two Family, the phrase, "and the building having a common interior vertical or horizontal separation."

ARTICLE 33. Voted: That the Town authorize the Board of Selectmen to seek authorization from the State Building Code Commission to appoint a Building Code Board of Appeals consisting of not less than three members nor more than five members to act in accordance with Chapter 23B, Section 23 of the General Laws, said Board to become active on or before January 1, 1975.

ARTICLE 34. Voted: To accept the provisions of Chapter 67 of the Acts of 1973, whereby the following named roads shall be designated as Scenic Roads:

In Dennis:

- Beach Street, from New Boston Road to Wild Hunter Road
- Corporation Road
- Elm Street
- Hope Lane
- New Boston Road
- Nobscussett Road
- Scargo Hill Road
- Scarsdale Road
- Seaside Avenue
- Whig Street

In East Dennis:

- Airline Road from the Dennis-Brewster Town Line to Route 6A
- Bridge Street
- Center Street
- Cold Storage Road
- J. H. Sears Road
- North Street
- Old County Way

Old Town Lane
Pleasant Street
Salt Works Road
School Street
Sea Street
Sesuit Neck Road from Route 6A to Dennis Yacht Club
South Street
Stephen Phillips Road

In South Dennis:

Aunt Debby's Road
Center Street from Upper County Road to Harwieh Line
Cove Road
Duck Pond Road from Main Street to Route 134
Main Street from Route 28 to Route 134
Searsville Road

In West Dennis:

Aunt Julia Ann's Road
Church Street
Cove Road
Fisk Street
Lighthouse Road
Lower County Road from School Street to Trotting Park Road
Pleasant Street
Pond Street
South Main Street
Uncle Barney's Road

In Dennisport:

Depot Street from Swan Lake Cemetery to the Harwich Line
Division Street from Lower County Road to Depot Street

Major Roads:

Old Bass River Road from Main Street, South Dennis, to Route 6A
Old Chatham Road
Setucket Road

ARTICLE 35. Indefinitely Postponed: To amend the Zoning By-Law to make the following area in South Dennis residential (R-20) as follows: Beginning at a point 300 feet north of the intersection of Route 28 and Route 134 and extending north to a point 200 feet south of Center Street, then northeast and parallel with Center Street, then south along Baxter Street to a point 300 feet north of Route 28, then westerly to the point of beginning. (By petition).

ARTICLE 36. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate a sum of money for the employment of a fulltime planner to assist in the implementation of land use policies and development controls. (By petition).

ARTICLE 37. Voted: To instruct the Selectmen to appoint a study committee consisting of ten persons as follows: one Selectmen, one Planning Board Member, one Government Study Committee member, one member of the Dennis Water District Commission, one officer of the Dennis Taxpayers Association, four registered voters, and one member of the Finance

Committee, and in addition, the Town Counsel as an ex-officio member. The purpose of this committee will be to determine the feasibility and advisability of uniting the annual meetings, including elections, of the Dennis Water District with the annual meetings, including elections, of the Town of Dennis. (By petition).

ARTICLE 38. Voted: To raise and appropriate \$6,000.00 for the reconstruction and repair of the jetty at Raycroft Beach, Dennisport, said sum to be expended with matching funds from the State and County.

ARTICLE 39. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the purpose of rebuilding a section of beach with riprapping or with steel bulkhead and constructing any needed berms at Sea Street Beach in Dennisport, to be expended with matching funds from the State and County.

ARTICLE 40. Voted: To transfer and appropriate \$10,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the Shore Erosion Account.

ARTICLE 41. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to be placed in the Conservation Fund for the purposes set forth in Chapter 40, Sections 5 and 8c, as may now or hereinafter be amended, and authorize the Conservation Commission, whenever monies are expended from this fund for purchases of any interest in lands within the town, to apply to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and/or the United States of America for any authorized reimbursements it deems advantageous to the town.

ARTICLE 42. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 for the propagation, procurement and distribution of shellfish within the waters of the Town of Dennis at the discretion of the Shellfish Warden. (By petition).

ARTICLE 43. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, transfer from available funds, or otherwise provide the sum of \$2,000.00 to be used with matching funds from other sources, to establish a local center for the training of youth in marine aquaculture and to contribute to the maintenance and improvement of the shellfish resources of the Town, said funds to be spent under the direction of the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 44. Voted: To increase the elected membership of the Dennis Recreation Commission from five (5) to seven (7) members. (By petition).

ARTICLE 45. Voted: To establish an Historic District and an Historic District Commission under the provisions of Chapter 40C, General Laws as amended by Chapter 359 of the Acts of 1971, the boundaries of said Historic District being shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk and to adopt the following by-law:

SOUTH DENNIS HISTORIC DISTRICT AND HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION BY-LAW.

SECTION 1. Purpose- The purpose of this act is to promote the educational, cultural, economic and general welfare of the public through the preservation and protection of building and places in a district of historic, cultural or literary significance through the development and maintenance of appropriate settings and appearance of such buildings and to preserve and maintain such district as a landmark compatible with the historic, cultural and literary tradition of the town of Dennis and as a reminder of old South Dennis as it existed in the early days of Cape Cod.

SECTION 2. Establishment of the District- -There is hereby established in the town of Dennis a district to be known as the South Dennis Historic District, hereinafter called the district, as shown on a plan with the Town Clerk.

SECTION 3. Definitions- -As used in this act, the following words and terms shall have the following meanings:

“Building Inspector”, the building inspector of the town of Dennis.

“Exterior Architectural feature”, the architectural style and general arrangement of such portion of the exterior of a structure as is designed to be open to view from a public way or public place, including kind, color and texture of the building materials of such portion, and type of all windows, doors, lights, signs and other fixtures appurtenant to such portion.

“Building”, a combination of materials having a roof and forming a shelter for persons, animals, or property. This includes artificial pools or ponds.

“Erected”, shall include the words “built”, “constructed”, “reconstructed”, “restored”, “altered”, “enlarged”, and “maintained”. “Structure”, a combination of materials other than a building, sign or billboard, but including stone walls and fences.

SECTION 4. Establishment and Organization of the South Dennis Historic District Commission- -There is hereby established the South Dennis Historic District Commission under the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 40C, hereinafter called the commission, consisting of five members, appointed by the Selectmen, including one member, where possible, from two nominees of the Dennis Historical Society, one member, where possible from two nominees of the Massachusetts State Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, and one member, where possible, from two nominees of the Cape Cod Board of Realtors. One or more members shall be residents of the district.

When the Commission is established, one member shall be appointed for a term of one year, two shall be appointed for a term of two years, and two shall be appointed for a term of three years, and their successors shall be appointed in like manner for terms of three years.

Any vacancy occurring before the end of the term of any member shall be filled by the selectmen by appointment of the unexpired term.

The commission shall elect a chairman, a vice chairman and a secretary from its membership. In case of the absence of the chairman from any meeting, the vice chairman shall preside.

Three members of the commission shall constitute a quorum.

Any member may be removed for cause by the selectmen of the town of Dennis upon written charges and after a public hearing.

SECTION 5. Limitations- -No building, structure or part thereof, except as provided under section six, shall be erected within the district unless and until an application for a certificate of appropriateness as to the exterior architectural features, shall have been filed with the commission and either a certificate of appropriateness, or a certificate that no exterior architectural feature is involved shall have been issued by the commission.

No building, structure or any part thereof within the district, except as provided under section six, shall be demolished or removed unless and until an

application for a certificate to demolish or remove the same shall have been filed with the commission, and such certificate shall have been issued by the commission.

No occupational, commercial or other sign, except as provided under section six, and no billboard shall be erected or displayed on any lot or the exterior of any building or structure within the district unless and until an application for a certificate of appropriateness shall have been filed with the commission, and such certificate shall have been issued by the commission. In the case of any such sign or billboard erected or displayed prior to the effective date of this act, there shall be allowed a period of five years, subsequent to said effective date, in which to obtain such certificate.

Except in cases excluded by section six, no permit shall be issued by the building inspector for any building or structure to be erected within the district, unless the application for said permit shall be accompanied either by a certificate of appropriateness or a certificate that no exterior architectural feature is involved, has been issued under section nine.

No permit shall be issued by the building inspector for the demolition or removal of any building or structure within the district unless the application for said permit shall be accompanied by a certificate issued under section nine.

SECTION 6. Exclusions- -Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the ordinary maintenance and such repairs as do not change any exterior architectural feature of any building or structure within the district; nor shall anything in this act be construed to prevent the erection, construction, reconstruction, restoration, alteration or demolition of any such existing feature which the building inspector shall certify is required by the public safety because of an unsafe or dangerous condition; nor shall anything in this act be construed to prevent the erection, construction, reconstruction, restoration, alteration or demolition of any such feature under a permit issued by the building inspector prior to the effective date of this act.

The following structures and signs may be erected or displayed within the district without the filing of an application for, or the issuance of a certificate of appropriateness:

1. Temporary structures or signs for use in connection with any official celebration or parade or any charitable drive in the town of Dennis; provided that any such structure or sign shall be removed within three days following the termination of the celebration, parade, or charitable drive for which said structure or sign shall have been erected or displayed. Any other temporary structures or signs which the commission shall determine do not substantially derogate from the intent and purposes of this act may from time to time be excluded from the provisions of section five.

2. Real estate signs of not more than three square feet in area advertising the sale or rental of the premises on which they are erected or displayed.

3. Occupational signs of not more than one square foot in area and not more than one such sign, irrespective of size, bearing the name, occupation or address of the occupant of the premises on which the sign is erected or displayed where such premises are located within an R-20 one family dwelling district as defined in the zoning by-laws of the town of Dennis.

4. Open picket, rail, split rail or other types of fences which the commission may from time to time deem suitable, not exceeding four feet (4'0") in height, above the finish grade.

The exterior color of any building or structure within the district may be changed to white without the filing of an application for, or the issuance of, a certificate of appropriateness or to any color or any combination of colors which the commission shall determine from time to time may be used without substantial derogation from the intent and purposes of this act.

SECTION 7. Application to be filed with Commission- -Excepting cases excluded by section six, any person, including the town of Dennis, who desires to erect, move, or demolish or remove or change the exterior color features of any building or structure within the district, or to erect or display within the district any sign or billboard for which a certificate of appropriateness is required under section five, shall file with the commission an application for a certificate of appropriateness or a certificate for demolition or removal, as the case may be, together with such plans, elevations, specifications, material and other information as shall be deemed necessary by the commission to enable it to make a determination on the application.

SECTION 8. Meetings, Hearings, Time for making Determinations- - Meetings of the commission shall be held at the call of the chairman and also when called in such other manner as the commission shall determine by its rules.

The commission shall determine promptly after the filing of an application for a certificate of appropriateness as to the exterior architectural features, whether the application involves any such features. If the commission determines that such application involves any exterior architectural features, the commission shall hold a public hearing thereon.

The commission shall fix a reasonable time for the hearing on any application and shall give public notice thereof by publishing notice of the time, place and purpose of the hearing in a local newspaper at least fourteen days before said hearing and also, not less than seven days prior to said hearing, mail a copy of said notice to the applicant, to owners of property abutting the premises to be affected as they appear on the most recent local tax list, to the planning board of the town, and to such other persons as the commission shall deem entitled to notice.

As soon as convenient after such public hearing, but in any event within sixty days after the filing of the application, or within such further time as the applicant shall allow in writing, the commission shall make a determination on the application. If the commission shall fail to make a determination within said sixty days, or within such further time allowed by the applicant the commission shall be deemed to have approved the application.

SECTION 9. Powers, Functions and Duties of Commission- -The commission shall pass upon:

(a) The appropriateness of exterior architectural features of buildings and structures to be erected within the district.

(b) The demolition or removal of any building or structure or any part thereof, within the district. The commission may refuse a certificate for the demolition or removal of any building or structure of architectural or historic

interest, the removal of which in the opinion of the commission would be detrimental to the public interest.

(c) The appropriateness of the erection or display of occupational, commercial or other signs and billboards within the district wherever a certificate of appropriateness for any such sign or billboard is required under section five.

In passing upon appropriateness, demolition or removal, the commission shall determine whether the features, demolition or removal, sign or billboard involved will be appropriate for the purposes of this act, and if it shall be determined to be inappropriate, shall determine whether, owing to conditions especially affecting the building, structure, sign or billboard involved, but not affecting the district generally, failure to approve an application will involve a substantial hardship to the applicant and whether such application may be approved without substantial detriment to the public welfare and without substantial derogation from the intent and purpose of this act. If the commission determines that the features, demolition or removal, sign or billboard involved will be appropriate or, although inappropriate, owing to conditions as aforesaid, failure to approve an application will involve substantial hardship to the applicant and approval thereof may be made without substantial detriment or derogation as aforesaid the commission shall approve the application; but if the commission does not so determine, the application shall be disapproved.

In passing upon appropriateness, the commission shall consider, among other things, the historical value and significance of the building or structure, the general design, arrangement, texture, material and color of the features, sign or billboard involved and the relation of such factors to similar factors of buildings and structures in the immediate surroundings. The commission shall consider settings, relative size of building and structures, but shall not consider detailed designs, interior arrangement and other building features not subject to public view. The commission shall not make any recommendations or requirements except for the purpose of preventing changes in exterior architectural features obviously incongruous to the purposes set forth in this act.

The concurring vote of three members of the commission shall be necessary to make a determination in favor of the applicant on any matter upon which the commission is required to pass under this act. The commission shall adopt rules and regulations for the conduct of its business not inconsistent with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 40C, and may, subject to appropriation, employ clerical and technical assistants or consultants, and may accept money gifts and expend same for such purposes.

SECTION 10. Appeals- Any person aggrieved by the determination of the commission or by an approval of an application through failure of the commission to make a determination within the time allowed under section eight, whether or not previously a party to the proceeding, may, within twenty days after the filing of a notice of such determination or approval with the town clerk, appeal to the superior court sitting in equity for the county of Barnstable. The court shall hear all pertinent evidence and determine the facts, and if, upon the facts so determined, such determination or approval is found to

exceed the authority of the commission, the court shall annul such determination or approval, and remand the case for further action by the commission. The remedies provided by this action shall be exclusive, but the parties shall have all rights of appeal and exception as in other equity cases.

Costs shall not be allowed against the commission unless it shall appear to the court that the commission acted in bad faith or with malice in matter from which the appeal was taken.

Costs shall not be allowed against the party appealing from such determination or approval of the commission unless it shall appear to the court that said party acted in bad faith or with malice in making the appeal to the court.

SECTION 11. Enforcement- -Any person who violates any provision of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.

The superior court sitting in equity for the county of Barnstable shall have jurisdiction to enforce the provisions of this act and the determinations, rulings and regulations issued thereunder and may restrain by injunction violations thereof and issue such other orders for relief of violations as may be required.

SECTION 12. Severability of Provisions- -The provisions of this act shall be deemed to be severable; and in case any part of this act shall be held unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, the decision of such court shall not affect or impair the validity of any other part.

(Counted vote: Yes-240 No-37).

ARTICLE 46. Voted: To authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain, the fee or a lesser interest in a parcel of land designated as the Ancient Indian Cemetery at Scargo Lake, Dennis, Mass., together with the necessary right of access thereto as shown on a plan to be filed with the town clerk and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 for this purpose.

(Counted vote: Yes-245 No-13).

ARTICLE 47. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of making improvements to the Ancient Indian Cemetery at Scargo Lake.

ARTICLE 48. Voted: That the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 5, Acts of 1955, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidewaters, foreshores and shores along a public beach, in accordance with Section 11, Chapter 91, General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

ARTICLE 49. Indefinitely Postponed: To adopt the following by-law:

Operation of Motor Boats and use of Waterways:

A. Speed shall not exceed six (6) MPH and no wash shall be created in Swan River, the tidal waters of Bass River and the waters adjacent thereto except Nantucket Sound and Follins Pond.

B. Speed shall not exceed four (4) MPH and no wash shall be created in

Sesuit Harbor while passing any boats and floats, all other areas of Sesuit Harbor six (6) MPH - no wash.

C. Prohibit the jumping, diving or throwing of any object from any bridge spanning Bass River.

D. Violations shall be punishable by a fine of not more than fifty (50) dollars per offense.

ARTICLE 50. Voted: To authorize the selectmen to establish and post or publish, and from time to time to revise rules and regulations governing the use and operation of boats and vessels upon or in the public navigable waters, either fresh or tidal of the town, also the use of town land and facilities appurtenant thereto for boating purposes. Such rules and regulations shall be compatible with both State and Federal laws or regulations pertaining to the use and operation of boats and vessels upon or in such waters but may establish restrictions, together with reasonable penalties for infractions thereof, for specified waters and boating appurtenances thereto. (By petition)

ARTICLE 51. Voted: To authorize and instruct the Board of Selectmen to appoint a Dennis Waterways Commission consisting of seven (7) registered voters of the Town of Dennis to consider and make recommendations to the Executive Secretary regarding the use, maintenance, regulations, administration and development of all navigable Town waterways and lakes over ten (10) acres in area, not privately owned, including related shore facilities but exclusive of shellfish areas and areas under the jurisdiction of the Beach Operations Committee and the Conservation Commission. (By petition)

ARTICLE 52. Indefinitely Postponed: To instruct the Selectmen to charge eligible boat owners who may be assigned swing mooring space in the navigable waters of the Town of Dennis an annual rental fee not to exceed one dollar (\$1.00) per foot of overall length of boat and to establish appropriate regulations with respect to the minimum specifications for the mooring gear and marker bouys to be used as well as the location of boats permitted to be moored in said areas to prevent overcrowding or obstructing channels. (By Petition)

ARTICLE 53. Voted: To amend Article XIV of the Town By-Laws by deleting clause (h) and substituting therefor the following:

(h) The fee for parking at the Sesuit Harbor Public Access Area (East Side-Red Area) shall be \$1.00 per day per car and \$1.00 per day per trailer or \$10.00 for a season pass, for a car and a trailer, regardless of residency. (By petition).

ARTICLE 54. Voted: To transfer and appropriate \$10,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account to construct and install additional slips, floats and facilities on the westerly side of Sesuit Harbor in East Dennis.

ARTICLE 55. Voted: To transfer or appropriate \$15,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account to construct and install additional slips, floats and facilities on the easterly side of Sesuit Harbor in East Dennis.

ARTICLE 56. Voted: To transfer and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the construction and installation of electric and water lines to and on the slips and floats in Sesuit Harbor in East Dennis.

ARTICLE 57. Voted: To amend Article 52 of the March 6, 1973 Town Meeting by deleting the clause "and that \$1,000 be raised and appropriated for the expenses of said Committee for printing and mailing its recommendations to the registered voters of the Town of Dennis in advance of the annual or special town meeting at which said recommendations will be submitted"; and substituting therefor the clause "and that its recommendations be published in Annual Reports of the Town of Dennis". (By petition)

ARTICLE 58. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, take from available funds in the treasury, borrow, or otherwise provide, the sum of \$10,000, to be matched with a like amount from the Town of Yarmouth, to dredge the mouth of Bass River.

ARTICLE 59. Voted: To appropriate the amount of the County Dog Fund received, for expense of public libraries for the current year.

ARTICLE 60. Voted: To transfer and appropriate \$2420.25 received from the State Aid for Libraries Account under Chapter 760, Acts of 1960, equally among the libraries in the Town.

ARTICLE 61. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$20,000 for the support and maintenance of the Public Libraries and Library Service in the Town of Dennis.

ARTICLE 62. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 for the support of the Chase Library Association, also known as the Chase Public Library, in the Town of Harwich, in accordance with the acts of the Massachusetts Legislature, Chapter 264, of 1935 and Chapter 166 of 1954.

ARTICLE 63. Voted: To raise and appropriate \$4144 to be expended to the Cape Cod Mental Health Association for services rendered to citizens of the Town by the Mental Health Center at Pocasset under the direction of the Board of Health in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section 5 (40c) of the General Laws: Service to School Children \$1907.00; Service to Adults \$2,237.00.

ARTICLE 64. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 as provided in the Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Clause 39, to help defray expenses in providing facilities for training, rehabilitation and employment of mentally retarded and handicapped residents of the Town of Dennis employed at Nauset Workshop, Inc., Orleans, Mass.

ARTICLE 65. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen for the support of HELP of Cape Cod and its services to residents of the Town of Dennis.

ARTICLE 66. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of \$3,000.00 to be used for the operating expenses of the Head Start center serving Dennis, to be spent under the direction of the Selectmen. (By petition).

ARTICLE 67. Voted: To authorize the Council on Aging to lease, in conjunction with the Council on Aging of the Town of Yarmouth, a building located at 58 Long Pond Drive, South Yarmouth, from Dennis-Yarmouth Senior Citizens, Inc., upon such terms as the Council on Aging shall determine; and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4800.00 for this purpose.

ARTICLE 68. Voted: To authorize the expenditure, by the Council on Aging, of \$2,400.00 provided by the Executive Office of Elder Affairs of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under a grant therefrom, subject to the terms of such grant.

ARTICLE 69. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, or take from available funds, or otherwise, the sum of \$100.00 to be expended for and by the Dennis Tenants Council at the discretion of the Board of Selectmen. (By petition).

ARTICLE 70. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be spent under the direction of the Selectmen for the support of an organization known as "Fish", which provides transportation and other social services to the elderly of the Town.

ARTICLE 71. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the band concerts in July and August. (By petition).

ARTICLE 72. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the observance of the 16th annual Dennis Festival Days. (By petition).

ARTICLE 73. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Christmas Lighting in the Town of Dennis. (By petition)

ARTICLE 74. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to assist in the operation of the Information Booth and in advertising the resources, advantages and attractions of the Town of Dennis. (By petition).

ARTICLE 75. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,500.00 to improve recycling facilities at the Town Disposal Area by adding a cardboard compacter. (By petition).

ARTICLE 76. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate or take from available funds, a sum of money to purchase a half-ton pick-up truck for use by the Cemetery Department. (By petition).

ARTICLE 77. Voted: To transfer from the sum of \$6,093.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the purpose of purchasing one John Bean hydraulic sprayer or equivalent and one poison ivy sprayer to be used by the Tree Warden with the old poison ivy sprayer to be traded in. (By petition).

ARTICLE 78. Voted: To raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds, the sum of \$2,000.00 to be added to the sum of \$3,000.00 appropriated under Article 38 at the 1973 Annual Town Meeting, for the purpose of hard topping the roads in the new section of the North Dennis Cemetery. (By petition).

ARTICLE 79. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate or take from available funds a sum of money to purchase lawn mowers and other necessary equipment, for use by the Cemetery Department, to maintain Town Cemeteries. (By petition).

ARTICLE 80. Voted: To transfer and appropriate \$625.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for cemetery maintenance as follows: Hall Cemetery \$250.00; Quaker Cemetery \$150.00; Homer Cemetery \$225.00. (By petition).

ARTICLE 81. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds a sum of money to design, construct and equip a new building to be used as a workshop and storage building for the Municipal Buildings Department.

ARTICLE 82. Voted: To discontinue as a Town Way that portion of Duck Pond Road and 1955 Town Layout Section 14, as shown on plan made by S.R. Sweetser, Engineer, dated December 20, 1957, said portion of way to be discontinued lying easterly of Route 134 and southerly of Great Western Road, South Dennis.

(Unanimous vote.)

ARTICLE 83. Voted: To change the name of a town way in the village of Dennis known as Snibbor Circle to Robbins Circle. (By petition).

ARTICLE 84. Voted: To change the name of a town way in the village of South Dennis known as Hornbeam Road to Frank Doyle Road. (By petition).

ARTICLE 85. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 for the purpose of repairing and/or replacing the dike at the mouth of Wheatfield Creek, which dike was built by the Town in approximately 1955 in order to keep the tide waters of Bass River from flooding the Cove Road area, and that the money raised be under the supervision of the Highway Department and the town equipment be used for said work. (By petition).

ARTICLE 86. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,522.00 and borrow the sum of \$31,688.00 for the State's share of Chapter 81 Highways.

ARTICLE 87. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,500.00 which may be used for State Aid Construction in conjunction with any available State and County funds and, in addition, to authorize the temporary borrowing of the sum of \$59,462.00 to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of this work.

ARTICLE 88. Motion Lost: To raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$9,000.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of making repairs to the private way known as Uncle Rolf's Road in Dennisport in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6H (Accepted by the Town at the Annual Election of March 5, 1962).

ARTICLE 89. Indefinitely Postponed: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$8,900.00, or any other sum, for the purpose of making repairs to the private way known as Donovan's Way in the village of Dennis, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6H (Accepted by the Town at the Annual Election of March 5, 1962).

ARTICLE 90. Voted: To transfer and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the purpose of making repairs on certain private ways in the Town in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 6H (accepted by the Town at the Annual Election of March 5, 1962).

ARTICLE 91. Voted: To transfer and appropriate \$58,749.00 from the proceeds received or to be received from the State under the provisions of Section 20, Chapter 1140, Acts of 1973 for the construction of the following streets, or parts thereof; and any other work permitted under the provisions of said act on such streets within the Town as may be approved by the Board of

Selectmen and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, to be expended as follows:

Airline Road	\$2000	Captain Phillips	1500
Ashkins Drive	\$2000	Cornell Road (Drive)	3000
Bay Ridge & Ebb		Cove & Church Sts.	1000
Ridge Roads	3000	Elizabeth Lane	4000
Beaten Road	4000	Glendon Road	2500
Hemlock Lane	3000	South Yarmouth Road	1000
Lane Road	2000	Stewarts Avenue	2600
Lighthouse Road	2500	Swan River Road	2000
Lockwood Road	1000	Teal Circle	3000
Loring Avenue	5000	Trotting Park Rd. Ext.	2500
Princeton Circle	3000	Woodland Drive	1500
Scarsdale Road	2000	Other Approved Streets	2649
School Street	2000		

ARTICLE 92. Indefinitely Postponed: To transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$97,915.00 for one or more of the purposes permitted under the provisions of Section 22, Chapter 1140, Acts of 1973.

ARTICLE 93. Voted: To transfer and appropriate \$8,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the purpose of providing highway improvements on Barry Lane, or a portion thereof, located in the village of South Dennis.

ARTICLE 94. Indefinitely Postponed: To raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of \$7,600.00 or any other sum, for the purpose of providing highway improvements on Judith Ann Road, or a portion thereof located in the Village of Dennis.

ARTICLE 95. Voted: To transfer and appropriate the sum of \$14,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for the purpose of providing highway improvements on Summer Street, or a portion thereof located in the Village of Dennisport.

ARTICLE 96. Voted: To transfer and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for providing drainage improvements on Charles Street or a portion thereof located in the Village of South Dennis.

ARTICLE 97. Motion Lost: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of \$28,400.00, or any other sum for the purpose of finishing the paving and related construction work on the following roads: Hockum Rock Road, Saga Road, Fiord Drive, Flax Street.

ARTICLE 98. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout, of a town way in the village of Dennis, known as Black Ball Hill Road, leading easterly and southerly from Route 6A over the lands of Edward Friery and others to Ox-Bow Way, for this purpose appropriate \$14,000.00.

ARTICLE 99. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of South Dennis, known as Carriage Drive, leading southerly from Old Chatham Road over the lands of Earl W. Dickson et ux and others to a Dead End, and for this purpose appropriate \$4,400.00.

ARTICLE 100. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of South Dennis, known as Oldbury Place, leading westerly from Carriage Drive over the lands of Arthur J. Savignac et ux and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$6,650.00.

ARTICLE 101. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of South Dennis, known as Seagrove Road, leading westerly from Carriage Drive over the lands of James J. Walker et ux and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$2,250.00.

ARTICLE 102. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of South Dennis, known as Primrose Street, leading westerly from Carriage Drive over the lands of Francis E. Savage et ux and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$1,650.00.

ARTICLE 103. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of East Dennis, known as Acorn Road leading northerly from Setucket Road over the lands of Robert McPherson and others to a turn around, for this purpose appropriate \$4,400.00.

ARTICLE 104. Voted: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of West Dennis, known as Dartmouth Road Extension (Including a portion formerly known as Richard Lane) leading northerly and easterly from Dartmouth Road to Tower Road over the lands of Loring Saltus and others, as reported and recommended by the Selectmen, and authorize the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain in behalf of the town, the lands and interests in the lands within the said layout of said town way, and for this purpose will transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$5,300.00, to be used for land taking, acquisition costs and improvements to said way.

(Counted Vote: Yes-143 No-38)

ARTICLE 105. Voted: To change the name of a portion of a town way in West Dennis known as Richard Lane to Dartmouth Street Extension. (By petition).

ARTICLE 106. Motion Lost: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of East Dennis, known as Fairway Drive leading southerly from Setucket Road over the lands of Alferio Passaro and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$4,700.00.

ARTICLE 107. Voted: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of South Dennis, known as Grace's Way, a portion, leading northerly from Elizabeth Lane over the lands of Oliver Leach and others to Alexander Drive, as reported and recommended by the Selectmen and authorize the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, in behalf of the Town, the lands or interests in the lands within the lines of said layout of said town way, and for this purpose will transfer and appropriate the sum of \$2,425.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for land taking, acquisition costs and drainage improvements, providing removal of the existing fence barrier. (By petition).

(Counted Vote: Yes-137 No-36).

ARTICLE 108. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of Dennis, known as Grazing Field Road leading southerly from Seaside Avenue over the lands of Edward J. Boyle and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$4,325.00. (By petition).

ARTICLE 109. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of East Dennis, known as King James Drive leading southerly from Scargo Hill Road over the lands of John B. Lynch and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$1,375.00.

ARTICLE 110. Voted: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of Dennis, known as Louis Avenue leading westerly from Black Flats Road over the lands of Edwin Johnson and others to Judith Ann Road, as reported and recommended by the Selectmen, and authorize the Selectmen to take by purchase or eminent domain, in behalf of the Town, the lands or interests in the lands, within the lines of said layout of said town way, and for this purpose transfer and appropriate the sum of \$7,875.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account for land taking, acquisition costs and improvements of said town way. (By petition).

(Counted Vote: Yes-133 No. 35).

ARTICLE 111. Motion Lost: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of East Dennis, known as Pilot Drive leading southerly from Airline Road over the lands of Margaret Mahoney and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, \$2,150.00. (By petition).

Motion Is Lost

ARTICLE 112. Indefinitely Postponed: To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of a town way in the village of Dennis, known as Rena's Way leading southerly from Old Bass River Road over the lands of Richard G. Fairchild and others to a turn around, and for this purpose appropriate \$11,925.00. (By petition).

ARTICLE 113. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of Dennis, known as Paddocks Path, leading northerly from Old Bass River Road over the lands of Doonacre Realty Trust and others to Hockum Rock Road, and for this purpose appropriate \$5,000.00.

ARTICLE 114. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the layout of a town way in the village of South Dennis, known as Gage's Way leading southerly from Old Chatham Road over the lands of Dennis Star Construction Company and others to a turn around at the northerly side line of the Mid-Cape Highway (Route 6), and for this purpose appropriate \$2,000.00.

The Annual Town Meeting of the Town of Dennis was adjourned at 10:45 P.M. on Monday, May 13, 1974.

A TRUE COPY, ATTEST:

Norah H. Creighton, Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
Wednesday, August 14, 1974

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ARTICLE 1. Voted: To authorize the Conservation Commission to acquire by purchase, the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain or otherwise for conservation purposes the following described parcel of land: Beginning at a point at the Southwesterly corner of the described premises and on the Northerly side of Scargo Hill Road, a Town Way; thence

North 37° 19' 04" West by land of Elizabeth A. Merchant a distance of 495.09 feet; thence

North 58° 35' 03" West again by land of Elizabeth A. Merchant a distance of 305.44 feet; thence

North 58° 35' 01" West again by land of Elizabeth A. Merchant a distance of 318 feet, more or less; thence

Northerly by the waters of Scargo Lake; thence

South 64° 39' 03" East by land of Elizabeth C. Geissbuhler a distance of 570 feet, more or less; thence

North 22° 16' 14" East again by land of Elizabeth C. Geissbuhler a distance of 500.00 feet; thence

South 86° 43' 45" East again by land of Elizabeth C. Geissbuhler for a distance of 380.00 feet; thence

North 59° 21' 13" East again by land of Elizabeth C. Geissbuhler for a distance of 279.87 feet; thence

South 15° 10' 00" East by Paddocks Path, a Town Way, for a distance of 82.50 feet; thence

South 38° 40' 52" East by land of Wilfred E. Prue et ux for a distance of 677.53 feet; thence

South 29° 56' 45" East by land of Theo Construction Co., Inc. for a distance of 70.43 feet; thence

South 32° 54' 50" East again by land of Theo Construction Co., Inc. for a distance of 196.07 feet; thence

South 49° 38' 50" West by Scargo Hill Road, a Town Way, for a distance of 644.86 feet; thence

South 65° 52' 03" West by said Scargo Hill Road for a distance of 710.04 feet to the point of beginning

The above described premises are shown on a plan of land entitled "Subdivision Plan of Land in Dennis and East Dennis for the Theo Construction Company, Inc." dated September 7, 1972, S.R. Sweetser, Engineer, and contains approximately 39 acres more or less, adjacent to Scargo Lake.

And to authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow for a period of not over 20 years the sum of \$126,250.00 under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7 of the General Laws; and to borrow for a period of not over two years the sum of \$378,750.00 under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 8c of the General Laws for the acquisition of the above described land. And to authorize and direct the Dennis Conservation Commission, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen on behalf of the

town, to enter into any agreement that it deems advantageous with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the United States of America, for partial reimbursement of the costs of acquisition of the above described land. And further to direct that any reimbursement received shall be applied to the payment of any temporary borrowing under Chapter 44, Section 8c of the General Laws.

(Vote: Yes-397 No-3.)

ARTICLE 2. Voted: That the Town authorize the Conservation Commission to purchase, the Board of Selectmen to take by eminent domain or otherwise for conservation purposes, the following described parcel of land:

Northeasterly- by land now or formerly of Trustees of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, Debtor, eight hundred fifty-two and 28/100 (852.28) feet;

Southeasterly- by land now or formerly of Phoebe D. Bush, about seven hundred sixteen (716) feet;

Southwesterly - Southeasterly - Southwesterly - Westerly and Northerly by Bass River and Tidal Cove; and

Northwesterly- about sixty-six (66) feet;

Northeasterly- two hundred six and 19/100 (206.19) feet, and

Northwesterly- three hundred fifteen and 97/100 (315.97) feet, by land now or formerly of Carl W. Nickerson et al.

As more fully described in Land Court Certificate #37247, and said parcel c containing approximately 24 acres more or less, overlooking Bass River.

And to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow for a period of not over ten years a sum of \$195,000.00 under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 7 of the General Laws and to borrow for a period of not over two years the sum of \$195,000 under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 8c of the General Laws for the acquisition of the above described land. And to authorize and direct the Dennis Conservation Commission, on behalf of the town, to enter into any agreement that it deems advantageous with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for partial reimbursement of the costs of acquisition of said land. And further to direct that any reimbursement received shall be applied to the payment of any temporary borrowing under the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 8c.

(Counted Vote: Yes-376 No-3.)

ARTICLE 3. Voted: To amend the Occupancy By-Law of Dennis Town By-Laws by adding the following section:

Section 5. Any owner of premises described in Section 1 or agent for the owner who fails to register shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50.00 for each offense. Each day that such violation continues shall be counted a separate offense.

ARTICLE 4. Voted: To amend the Dennis Zoning By-Law by changing Section 2, Sub-section 2. 1. 2-Zoning Map, by inserting a comma after the word by-law, and adding thereafter the words "together with any amendments adopted by vote of the Town Meeting."

Unanimous vote.

ARTICLE 5. Voted: To amend the zoning map dated April 30, 1973, by adopting a zoning map entitled "Proposed Amendment Dennis Zoning

By-Law (Baxter Street) June 28, 1974, Scale 1" = 200'," which map is on file with the town clerk, and which map redesignates a portion of an existing General Commercial (GC) District as a Medium Density Residential (R-20) District.

Unanimous Vote.

ARTICLE 6. Voted: To amend the Dennis Zoning By-Law by adding to Section 2, Sub-Section 2.4, Non-Conforming Conditions, the following paragraph:

2.4.3.6. An existing non-conforming cottage colony may not be converted to single family dwelling use under separate ownership unless the lot upon which each building is located complies with the minimum requirements for single family dwellings in the zoning district in which the land is located, and such non-conforming cottage colony may not be converted to single family use under condominium type ownership unless the lot meets the minimum requirements for open space village development.

(Counted Vote: Yes-122 NO-20.

ARTICLE 7. Voted: To transfer and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account to be used for the operating expenses of the Head Start Center serving Dennis, to be spent under the direction of the Selectmen.

ARTICLE 8. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00, and transfer and appropriate the sum of \$6,000.00 from the Surplus Revenue Sharing Account. The total sums to be spent under the direction and control of the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of defraying the ordinary and necessary expenses incurred by the Dennis Bicentennial Commission in connection with the observance of the Bicentennial of the United States of America.

ARTICLE 9. Voted: To transfer from the Surplus Revenue the sum of \$27,450.00 to be added to and allocated among the following operating budgets for:

Assessors, \$5,215
Engineering, \$1,626
Executive Secretary Assistant, \$4,033
Health Department, general, \$1,546
Dog Officer, \$606
Highway Department, 7,329
Inspector of Buildings, \$2,685
Planning Board, \$1,174
Shellfish, \$819
Town Accountant, \$2,312

ARTICLE 10. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$13,478 to provide a new salary schedule for the Town of Dennis Fire Department.

ARTICLE 11. Voted: To transfer the sum of \$12,300.00 from the Surplus Revenue Account to be added to the Police Department operating budget for the payment of salaries to those employees who are not included in the bargaining unit.

ARTICLE 12. Voted: To amend Article II, Section 1, of the Dennis

Town By-Law by deleting the second sentence therein and substituting the following two sentences:

The Selectmen, after drawing a warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, shall immediately forward a copy thereof to each member of said committee, which shall consider all articles of the warrant and make a report in print for each year on a segregated basis by departments, in substantially the same form as shown on pages 88-89-90 of the 1970 edition of the Massachusetts Finance Committee Handbook, at least one week in advance of the Town Meeting. For the purposes of assisting the Finance Committee in preparing these reports, the Town Accountant shall act as advisor to the Finance Committee.

ARTICLE 13. Voted: To amend the Dennis Zoning By-Law by adding to Section 2.4 Sub-Paragraph 2.4.3.4 after the word structure, the words "or a group of structures" and by deleting from said Sub-Paragraph 2.4.3.4 the words "within the limits established by Section 2.4.3.1".

(Counted Vote: Yes-111 No-5.)

ARTICLE 14. Voted: To amend the Dennis Zoning By-Law by deleting from Section 2.4 Sub-Paragraph 2.4.3.5 the words "within the limits established by Section 2.4.3.1".

ARTICLE 15. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purchase for Beach Parking Purposes the two parcels of land being Lots 5 and 6 on a plan of land entitled "Subdivision Plan of Land in West Dennis for Frank Moran et al, June 12, 1972 - S.R. Sweetser, Engineer", which plan is recorded in Barnstable County Registry of Deeds Plan Book 259, Page 50.

ARTICLE 16. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$5,000.00 to be added to the budget of the Dennis Recreation Commission.

ARTICLE 17. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 to be added to the budget of the Dennis Civil Defense Program.

ARTICLE 18. Voted: To adopt the following By-Law:

It shall be unlawful to install a mechanical protection device that is automatically keyed to and/or activates the telephone (numbers) lines controlled by and/or listed to the Dennis Police Department and/or the Dennis Fire Department. All such devices installed before the effective date of this section shall be removed or disconnected before 90 days.

Mechanical protection devices shall be defined as: An electrically operated instrument composed of sensory apparatus and related hardware which automatically sends over telephone lines by direct connection or otherwise, a pre-recorded voice alarm upon receipt of a stimulus from the sensory apparatus that has detected a physical force or condition inherently characteristic of a fire or unauthorized intrusion.

ARTICLE 19. Voted: To transfer from the Federal Revenue Sharing Account the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purchase or lease or a combination of purchasing and leasing a machine to be used for the accounting processes of the Town, said money to be spent under the direction of the Town Treasurer subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen.

The Special Town Meeting of the Town of Dennis was adjourned at 11:50 P.M.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
Thursday, October 17, 1974

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 P.M.
The Invocation was given by Father Roland Bedard.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

ARTICLE 1. Voted: To refer back to the Committee for further study, said Committee to report back at a future Town Meeting, to appropriate a sum of money for planning, constructing, originally equipping and furnishing a new elementary school at Hockum Rock Road, and to determine whether such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise.

ARTICLE 2. Voted: To transfer the sum of \$11,330.00 from available funds, said sum to be added to the Police Department operating budget for the payment of salary increases retroactive to July 1, 1974, to certain Police Officers not having been given a salary increase at the August Special Town Meeting.

Unanimous vote.

ARTICLE 3. Indefinitely Postponed: To accept the following By-Law:

"The layout and acceptance of any private way shall be in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 80 and 82 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Selectmen shall not recommend acceptance of a road layout by the Town unless a majority of the abutters have agreed to accept the estimate of costs to be apportioned to each abutter, nor shall betterments be assessed until after acceptance of a road layout by the Town. No betterments shall be assessed for any way accepted by the Town prior to approval of this article."

The Special Town Meeting of the Town of Dennis was adjourned at 11:10 P.M.

RECORD OF THE STATE ELECTIONS
 NOVEMBER 5, 1974
 TOWN OF DENNIS

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Agreeable to the Warrant, the Inhabitants of Dennis qualified to vote in Elections, met at the following voting places:

- Precinct 1, Carleton Hall, Thomas M. King, Warden
- Precinct 2, Jacob Sears Memorial Hall, George T. Linehan, Warden
- Precinct 3, Village Improvement Club Hall, Alyce B. Boyce, Warden
- Precinct 4, Ezra Baker School, Edward G. Garvin, Warden
- Precinct 5, Town Office Building, Russell Hamlyn, Warden

The polls were declared open at Ten o'clock A.M. in each precinct and closed at eight o'clock P.M.

The Warden of each precinct brought the results of the voting to the Town Clerk's Office and found the results as follows:

Total Vote Cast: 4535

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Prec. 3	Prec. 4	Prec. 5	Total
GOVERNOR & LT. GOVERNOR						
Sargent & Dwight	521	400	583	492	560	2556
Dukakis & O'Neill	275	221	431	330	509	1766
Gurewitz & Bivens	9	6	17	2	16	50
Kahian & Greco	18	18	15	14	23	88
Blanks	12	11	13	17	21	74
Write-ins					1	1
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
ATTORNEY GENERAL						
Francis X. Bellotti	222	159	358	261	407	1407
Josiah A. Spaulding	591	478	679	574	684	3006
Jeanne Lafferty	11	2	10	6	17	46
Write-ins					1	1
Blanks	11	17	12	14	21	75
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
SECRETARY						
Paul H. Guzzi	347	234	458	348	527	1914
John M. Quinlan	474	399	565	478	560	2476
Blanks	14	23	36	29	43	145
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
TREASURER						
Robert Q. Crane	657	497	794	648	889	3485
Write-ins			1	1	2	4
Blanks	178	159	264	206	239	1046
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535

AUDITOR						
Thaddeus Buczko	651	495	794	653	888	3481
Write-ins			1			1
Blanks	184	161	264	202	242	1053
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
CONGRESSMAN						
Gerry E. Studds	555	422	685	505	780	2947
J. Alan McKay	264	229	359	335	340	1527
Write-ins						
Blanks	16	5	15	15	10	61
Total	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
SENATOR						
John F. Aylmer	712	568	861	690	925	3756
Write-ins			1			1
Blanks	123	88	197	165	205	778
Total	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT						
Peter L. McDowell	616	450	571	457	632	2726
Michael L. McGrath	166	147	337	255	375	1280
Diva T. Taylor	46	45	116	122	102	431
Blanks	7	14	35	21	21	98
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
DISTRICT ATTORNEY						
Philip A. Rollins	689	515	777	606	869	3426
Write-ins					2	2
Blanks	146	119	226	183	235	909
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
COUNTY COMMISSIONER						
Edward A. Crowell	659	515	777	606	689	3426
Write-ins	9		10	2	3	24
Blanks	167	141	272	247	258	1085
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
SHERIFF						
John J. Bowes	689	533	820	647	864	3553
Write-ins			1		2	3
Blanks	146	123	238	208	264	979
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
COUNTY COMMISSIONER						
Charles W. Eager	547	441	609	541	616	2754
Richard O. Staff	239	180	373	265	433	1490
Blanks	49	35	77	49	81	291
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535

QUESTION #1						
Yes	525	395	586	498	686	2690
No	192	182	257	208	309	1148
Blanks	118	79	216	149	135	697
Total	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #2						
Yes	616	504	715	603	833	3271
No	101	71	140	100	153	565
Blanks	118	81	204	152	144	699
Total	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #3						
Yes	402	304	417	387	469	1979
No	295	269	399	311	495	1769
Blanks	138	83	243	157	166	787
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #4						
Yes	442	316	459	403	499	2119
No	270	264	376	284	445	1639
Blanks	123	76	224	168	186	777
Total	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #5						
Yes	450	394	520	468	642	2474
No	237	148	284	205	297	1171
Blanks	148	114	255	182	191	890
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #6						
Yes	550	441	682	576	780	3029
No	183	146	196	162	218	905
Blanks	102	69	181	117	132	601
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #7						
Yes	546	436	590	509	695	2776
No	184	142	269	221	300	1116
Blanks	105	78	200	125	135	643
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535
QUESTION #8						
Yes	607	476	652	570	766	3071
No	159	133	230	162	243	927
Blanks	69	47	177	123	121	537
Totals	835	656	1059	855	1130	4535

Births

January

- 7 Joshua Farwell Eldred; Robert Calvin Eldred Jr. and Mary Ann Giddings
- 8 Matthew Ross Vance; Warren Ross Vance and Pamela Jean Calf
- 11 Cristina Louise Mashoke; James P. Mashoke and Shirley Ann Ryder
- 14 Jessica Joan Barron; James Joseph Barron and Anne Marie Ingle
- 16 Shawn Josef Pate; Randall Cloyde Pate and Brigitta Gertraud Koellner
- 18 Sarah Kate McClain; Kirby Hilt McClain and Carol Ann Inman
- 21 Richard Paul Eldridge; Ronald Sherwood Eldridge and Barbara Lee Makuch

February

- 1 Robert Francis Shanahan; Lawrence Gibson Shanahan and Sandra Laura Labelle
- 9 Jeni Alicia Landers; Sherwood Landers and Linda Ann Spiro
- 9 James Michael McCarthy; Gerald Paul McCarthy and Catherine Theresa Carguilo
- 11 Daniel Jason Court; Howard Bruce Court and Julianne Marie Malcolm
- 12 Jason Scott Dearborn; Bernard Andre Dearborn and Andrea-Jean Rarus
- 16 Lyndon Christian Thatcher; William Brewster Thatcher III and Deborah Elizabeth Myland
- 19 Meagan Bourne Hathaway; Alvan Newell Hathaway and Melville Anne Mastin
- 25 Joshua Young Eardley; Keith Edward Eardley and Cindy Lou Young
- 27 Sean Patrick Martin; Thomas Francis Martin and Suzanne Ward Ayotte
- 28 Kerry Ann Leonard; John Francis Leonard and Maureen Foley O'Keefe

March

- 2 Chad Carlton Contonio; Ronald Anthony Contonio and Christine Ann Long
- 5 Daniel James O'Keefe; Paul Anthony O'Keefe and Eleanor Mae Smith
- 10 Shannon Nicole Orton; Robert Barry Orton and Patricia Ann Jacobs
- 14 Donna Jeanne Murray; Richard James Murray and Marion Marie Buczkoski
- 19 Katherine Kelso Withers; Todd Monroe Withers and Carol Coleman Yager
- 21 Dulcy Alexandra Blomberg; Eric Anders Blomberg and Doris Betty McKay
- 29 Jason Adam Davenport; James Albert Davenport and Christine Carol Chudy

April

- 5 William Daniel Kelley; Franklin Kelley and Elizabeth Jane Hughes
- 12 Rebecca Charlotte Sears; Henry Homer Sears and Serena Faith Limoges
- 13 Kathleen Theresa deClercq van Weel; John Francis van Weel and Kathleen Hunt
- 15 Edward Earle Norton 2nd; Arthur Edward Norton and Carol Andrea Bruce
- 24 Kristie Lynne Tarala; Edmund Joseph Tarala Jr. and Carol Marie LaLiberte
- 24 Karin Michelle Tarala; Edmund Joseph Tarala Jr. and Carol Marie LaLiberte
- 26 Stephen James Carrigan, Jr.; Stephen James Carrigan and Deborah Lee Westhaver
- 29 Valerie Anne Arroyo; Richard John Arroyo and Priscilla Ann Garbit

May

- 4 Peter Jonathan Marshall; Peter John Marshall and Edith Jane Wallis
- 5 Christopher David Mann; David Ralph Mann and Jacqueline Jeanne Kosiba
- 6 Robert Michael Booth; Arnold Thomas Booth and Sandra Jean Thayer

- 9 Kevin Joseph Creedon; Robert Allan Creedon and Charlene Marie Phillippe
- 11 Joseph Edward McNulty; Edward Joseph McNulty and Aileen Lynch
- 12 Darcy Lee Rochette; Stephen Phillips Rochette and Margaret Ann Giguere
- 16 Kimberly Ann Bete; John Morris Bete and Annette Carolyn Lareau
- 22 Jeremy Daniel Tonucci; Daniel Francis Tonucci and Denise Maureen Wordell
- 23 Christopher Robert Victory; Thomas John Victory and Maureen Elizabeth Binckes

June

- 7 Christopher Todd Rigby; Walter William Rigby and Rosemary Anne Chase
- 9 Ryan Arthur Akley; Kenneth Arthur Akley and Helen Lee Norris
- 9 Christopher Andrew Veara; Edward Emanuel Veara and Karen Anne Broderick
- 14 Turiya Ndonga Stark; Claude Alan Stark and Alice May Seitzman
- 18 Richard Aziz Abraham, Jr.; Richard Aziz Abraham and Marjorie Luanne Sylver

July

- 1 Kevin Lee Kinhead; John Arthur Charles Kinhead and Carol Esther Jones
- 5 Melissa Marie Crowell; Charles Albert Crowell and Ellen Dorothy McGibbon
- 8 Nicole Michele Valley; Jeffery Valley and Gloria Frances Brenna
- 9 Tara Jo O'Loughlin; Joseph Paul O'Loughlin and Priscilla Augusta Robinson
- 19 Geoffrey David Lee; Calvin Alfred Lee and Cheryl Ann Butler

August

- 6 Eliason James Lamothe; Roderick Anthony Lamothe and Irene Christine Ostler
- 6 Matthew James Pare; Joseph Anthony Pare and Catherine Ann Sherry
- 7 Julie Lynn Morley; William Douglas Morley and Rosemarie Annette Belculfine
- 21 Brant Michael Kotel; Steven William Kotel and Donna Lynn Smith
- 21 Jessica Marie Concha; Wayne Concha and Rose Marie Ditano
- 22 Holly Marie Smith; Louis George Smith and Arlene Frances Bearse
- 24 Stephanie Marie Orciuch; Robert Paul Orciuch and Carol Jane Perry
- 29 Juli Ann Ronci; Robert Moss Ronci and Jean Ann Melling
- 30 Forrest Thomas Thompson, IV; Forrest Thomas Thompson III and Bethann Fox

September

- 1 Angela Lee Grace; Arthur Donald Grace Jr, and Joyce Ann Bolinder
- 2 William Daniel Bell; William Edward Bell and Carole Frances Walker
- 2 Philip Wayne Craft; Wayne Philip Craft and Susan May Flanagan
- 2 Michael Trevor Donegan; Michael Edwin Donegan and Betty Lou Kendrick
- 12 Donald Joseph Geoffrion, Jr.; Donald Joseph Geoffrion and Laura Elaine Miragiotta
- 17 Michael Ryan Holzworth; David Alton Holzworth and Sandra Lee Pareseau

October

- 3 Scott Michael Whittemore; Steven Wade Whittemore and Lynn Susan Zelif
- 9 Clark Gregory McMakin, Jr.; Clark Gregory McMakin and Patricia Ann Downey
- 13 Tracy Ann Scichilone; Dominic Charles Scichilone and Shirley Ann Hughes
- 27 Jennifer Lillian Harwood; Robert Lester Harwood and Jean A. McQuade
- 31 Deva Liebermann; Jeremiah Julian Liebermann and Justine Susan Grossman

November

- 7 Richard Joseph Gustowski; Bruce Peter Gustowski and Eleanor Therese Colleton
- 8 Matthew John McAuliffe; James Kevin McAuliffe and Nancy Marie Ladago
- 8 Andrew Justin Wyatt; Andrew Wade Wyatt and Shirley Frances Clark
- 10 Bryan Joseph Fede; Joseph John Fede and Linda Jean Smith
- 10 Kate Elizabeth Johnson; Frederick Wingate Johnson and Mary Lindell Burr
- 11 Emmy Alicia Margarido; Bruce Robert Margarido and Linda Bride
- 11 Derek Paul Strong; David Leslie Strong and Carol Anne Alcorn
- 14 Corri Melissa Hibbard; George Kendrick Hibbard, Jr. and Judith Ann Beaudoin
- 15 Kristine Ann Hovell; Glenn Richard Hovell and Susan Drew Sawyer
- 25 Aimee Garbitt; Brian Douglas Garbitt and Laura Ann Gillespie
- 27 Jared Clayton McCrum; David Clayton McCrum and Virginia Alice Harrold
- 29 Robert Malcolm McPhee; Robert Harding McPhee and Deborah Babb

December

- 3 Amanda Buchanan Best; William Edward Best Jr., and Anne Wolcott Kennedy
- 5 Brendan Edward Boyce; Manley Edward Boyce, Jr., and Constance Emily Dainty
- 10 Jason Michael Eldridge; Raymond Dean Eldridge and Susan Mary Rebello
- 11 Kimberley Jane Gray; Ian Phillip Gray and Penelope Jane Opdyke
- 11 Krystal Jean Letendre; Gilbert William Letendre and Linda Jane Leger
- 13 Jessica Marie Sutherland; Frederick Seymour Sutherland and Marlena Frances Parodi
- 16 William John Deck; Kenneth William Deck and Katina Mary Saint
- 17 Lyndon Elland Howes Smith; Lawrence Edward Smith, Jr. and Barbara Mabel Elland
- 17 Leah Kathryn Tambolleo; John LeRoy Tambolleo and Gayle Elizabeth Mead
- 20 Kristin Irene Rendell; Leland Edward Rendell and Linda Teal
- 27 Joshua Thomas Ratcliffe; Richard James Ratcliffe and Rebecca Bradford Wall
- 27 Mark Kent Sandquist; Kent Ragnar Sandquist and Carole June Stull
- 29 Matthew James Rebello; James Dennis Rebello and Carol Ann Ford

Marriages

January

- 5 Charles E. Tanner, Jr. of Dennis Port and Joyce E. Nickerson of Chatham, Ma.
- 12 Robert J. Trickett of Dennis Port and Linda A. Welch of West Dennis
- 15 James Hall of Dennis and Edith F. (Morey) Bentley of East Dennis
- 19 Michael A. DiPierro of Shrewsbury, Ma., and Jean Marie Mahoney of Dennis Port
- 19 Raymond K. Tatum of Dennis Port and Phyllis M. (Fusco) vonLossnitzer of Dennis Port
- 26 Donald R. Cook of West Dennis and Jan C. Pfizenmaier of Hingham, Ma.

February

- 2 James L. Crider, III of Dennis Port and Iris M. Krummen of Dennis Port
- 14 Robert B. Fitzpatrick of West Harwich, Ma., and Mildred S. (Stout) Kelley of South Dennis
- 14 Kingsley Jon Kelley of Dennis Port and Gail Ann (Guyette) Sandberg of Dennis Port
- 14 John Joseph Maloney, III of Harwich Port, Ma. and Marietta Gomes of South Dennis

- 16 Elmer E. Johnson, III of West Dennis and Susan (Willey) Staples of Mashpee, Ma.
- 22 Michael E. Donegan of Dennis Port and Betty Lou Kendrick of Dennis Port
- 22 James F. Goss, Jr., of Dennis Port and Joyce C. Floren of North Quincy, Ma.
- 23 Richard J. Kaminskas of Dennis Port and Joyce C. Floren of North Quincy, Ma.
- 23 Levi L. Swift of Dennis and Ruth E. (Kelley) Lynch of South Dennis

March

- 1 George V. Carr of West Dennis and Ellen Fay Kenney of Milton, Ma.
- 9 William L. Jones of Dennis Port and Gail E. (Penza) Ginley of Dennis Port
- 9 Robert W. Gould of Dennis Port and Lorrie E. Hudson of Dennis Port
- 9 Charles H. Smith of East Dennis and Pamela S. (Dunford) Grindell of Dennis
- 9 Jeffery Valley of Dennis and Gloria F. Brenna of Dennis
- 10 Paul Hardy Ward of Dennis Port and Naomi Ann Duncan of Belmont, Ma.
- 22 Robert O. Montgomery of Dennis Port and Natalie A. (Perry) Sears of Dennis Port
- 23 Gerald M. White, Jr., of Yarmouthport, Ma. and Susan M. Gargano of South Dennis
- 27 Edward J. Powers of South Dennis and Catherine H. (Garcia) Fenton of South Dennis
- 30 Gilbert Mathieu of Dennis Port and Barbara Boudrot of Dennis Port

April

- 6 Clark G. McMakin of Dennis Port and Patricia A. Downey of Scituate, Ma.
- 16 John M. Chase of Dennis Port and Jessie Pauline Eastman of Hyannis, Ma.
- 19 Daniel Halacy of Uxbridge, Ma., and Carol Marion of Dennis
- 20 Anthony Bonfanti of Dennis and Elizabeth A. (Faenza) Saunders of Osterville, Ma.
- 20 George L. Murphy of Dennis and Pauline F. Hull of South Yarmouth, Ma.
- 27 Dana Renkainen of South Yarmouth, Ma., and Patricia A. Wilbur of Dennis

May

- 4 Robert Leo Close of West Dennis and Wendy G. Kittredge of West Yarmouth, Ma.
- 4 Charles J. McGibbon, Jr., of Dennis Port and Sandra J. Peavey of West Harwich, Ma.
- 18 Joseph E. Bunce, Jr., South Dennis and Pamela J. Pratt of Whitman, Ma.
- 18 Steven Marchant of Yarmouthport, Ma., and Pamela Jost of Dennis
- 25 Walter Doyle, Jr., of Hebron, Conn., and Lorraine Goyette of South Dennis

June

- 1 Samuel E. Thurston of Washington, D.C., and Clare Gaspari of Dennis Port
- 8 Lawrence Joseph Bennett of Hyannis, Ma., and Wendy Jeanne Peterson of East Dennis
- 8 William L. Corp of Dennis and Karen A. (Schrantz) Graybosch of Dennis
- 8 Jeffrey John Nelson of Dennis and Diane Kozlowski of South Yarmouth, Ma.
- 8 Paul E. O'Hara, Jr. of Canton, Ma., and Faith A. Kelley of South Dennis
- 8 Wayne Alan Whatmough of Dennis Port and Maria A. (Juusola) Jepson of Dennis Port
- 15 James D. Eldredge of Brewster, Ma., and Martha J. Eastman of South Dennis
- 22 Roger G. Edwards of Dennis Port and Zelia A. Forgeron of Hyannis, Ma.
- 22 Stephen M. Roach of South Dennis, and Nancy Okamoto of South Dennis
- 22 William C. Snowden, III of West Dennis and Diana Pfister of New Canaan, Conn.

- 22 Gary C. Yamaji, Dennis Port and Darlene S. White of West Yarmouth, Ma.
- 27 John F. Kelley of Hyannisport, Ma., and Jennifer B. Smith of South Dennis
- 30 William E. Lemoine, Jr. of Dennis and Eileen (Spencer) Batterson of South Dennis

July

- 1 William Jeffreys Ryan of East Dennis and Ruth E. Byrnes of Holyoke, Ma.
- 3 Frank L. Cersosimo, Jr. of Dennisport and Alma M. (Montgomery) Miller of West Harwich, Ma.
- 6 Herbert Frank Baker of North Chatham, Ma., and Deborah Marie Gray of South Dennis
- 6 Howard W. Conner of West Dennis and Janice (Wilbur) Chase of West Yarmouth, Ma.
- 14 Frank J. Biscardi, Jr. of Worcester, Ma. and Corinne J. Chisholm of South Dennis
- 14 Kenneth B. Femino of West Dennis and Sandra Lee Lionetta of Winchester, Ma.
- 20 Ronald Mendes of Marstons Mills, Ma. and Patricia Babineau of West Dennis

August

- 3 William D. Swidzinski of West Dennis and Pamela L. Oliva of Centerville, Ma.
- 10 George Walter Magee of Dennis Port and Therese A. Land of Dennis Port
- 17 Richard Craig Stewart of Harwich, Ma. and Nancy Jean McMahon of South Dennis
- 17 Peter S. White of Dennis and Deborah Thatcher of Dennis
- 17 James Walter Orendorf of Woodside, Del., and Janet Ellen Cokonougher of South Dennis
- 24 Michael W. O'Loughlin of Dennis and Noreen M. O'Connor of South Yarmouth, Ma.
- 24 William J. Hansen of South Dennis and Kathleen E. Broidrick of Bass River, Ma.
- 25 Albert J. Brown, Jr., of Dennis Port and Nancy E. (Elliott) Allbecker of Dennis Port
- 26 David S. Mackintosh of West Dennis and Valerie R. Volker of East Sandwich, Ma.

September

- 7 Edmund Hirst of South Dennis and Virginia C. Hammond of Barnstable, Ma.
- 8 Paul Tucker Peterson of South Yarmouth, Ma. and Elizabeth Willing Brown of South Dennis
- 8 William L. Sweet of East Dennis and Susan Dooley of East Dennis
- 14 Peter B. Eldridge of Dennis Port and Julie Richardson of Dennis Port
- 14 Douglas M.W. Frisby of South Dennis and Sharon M. Doherty of Bass River, Ma.
- 14 Thomas F. Nally of Dennis and Patricia A. Bash of West Dennis
- 14 Daniel C. Reeves of East Dennis and Kim L. Andrews of East Dennis
- 14 Steven Richardson Reid of South Dennis and Keyne Marie Beakey of Hartford, Conn.
- 21 Randall P. Benoit of Hyannis, Ma. and Barbara Ann Clifford of East Dennis
- 21 Cornelius J. Cotter of Milton, Ma. and Helen M. Sanborn of Dennis Port
- 21 Conrad W. Schuessler of East Dennis and Nina K. Eizenberg of Brockton, Ma.
- 21 Gary William Taintor of Wellesley, Ma. and Mary Catherine Gill of East Dennis
- 21 Kenneth David Wilson of Dennis and Mary McCabe Bidgood of Melrose, Ma.
- 28 John Humphrey Allen of East Dennis and Thelma Mae (Booth) Brackett of Marlboro, Ma.
- 28 Carroll R. Farrenkopf of Chatham, Ma. and Frances G. Haberl of Dennis Port
- 28 Ronald W. Folz of Evansville, Ind., and Patricia Ann Ryan of Dennis
- 28 Thomas J. O'Connor of Dennis and Mary J. Lowther of East Dennis

October

- 5 Victor M. Brum of West Yarmouth, Ma. and Linda M. Hague of West Dennis
- 5 Clint Cave of West Dennis and Anne Cronin of Lexington, Ma.
- 6 Milton E. Brook of West Dennis and Prudence (Guth) Morris of Hyannis, Ma.
- 9 John C. Urquhart of Dennis and Ruth W. (White) Davis of Dennis
- 12 Nicholas J. Bolton, Sr. of South Dennis and Lillian M. Delay of West Dennis
- 12 Wayne Arthur Rice of South Dennis and Josephine L. Sanborn of Dennis Port
- 12 David Upton of Hingham, Ma. and Marjorie Crabill of Dennis
- 25 Jerome L. Soles, Jr. of Dennis Port and Sharon E. Patire of Dennis Port
- 26 Richard M. Hope of South Dennis and Nancy M. (Roberts) Bryan of South Dennis
- 26 Eric J. Johnson of West Yarmouth, Ma. and Patricia Anne Chase of Dennis Port
- 26 James G. MacDonald of South Yarmouth, Ma. and Anne (Schweinler) Cloney of Dennis

November

- 2 James M. Grose of Dennis Port and Dale L. Biarrio of Barnstable, Ma.
- 2 Wayne Johnson of Dennis Port and Colleen Graham of Burlington, Ma.
- 4 John A. Devine of South Dennis and Paula J. Fisher of South Dennis
- 10 Charles V. Meader of Harwich Port and Susan Valare Cross of Dennis Port
- 16 Jonathan P. Provost of South Dennis and Linda Ann McCarty of South Yarmouth, Ma.
- 30 Thomas J. McDonough, III of South Dennis and Patrice V. (Michel) Corney

December

- 14 Paul E. Sullivan, Jr. of South Yarmouth, Ma. and Linda Dianne Newcomb of South Dennis
- 14 Barry W. Lott of Yarmouth, Ma. and Patricia L. Sullivan of Dennis Port
- 21 Louis W. Drake, Jr. of South Dennis and Cynthia M. Nielson of Dennis Port
- 21 Francis X. Holland of West Dennis and Patricia (MacGibbon) Mercaldo of South Yarmouth, Ma.
- 29 Gary W. Haigh of Walpole, Ma. and Debra J. White of South Dennis
- 31 Tom E. Wait of Hyannis, Ma. and Judith A. (Morrell) Murphy of South Yarmouth, Ma.

Deaths

January

	Age-	Years	Months	Days
1 Lewis Ellis Thayer		96	11	27
5 Walter F. McDowell		80	0	3
9 Albert W. Tenney		90	7	22
15 Norman Claire Studley		49	0	22
21 Carrie A. (Rogers) Chandler		89	5	16
23 Emanuel Glass		77		
30 Anders Anderson		72	2	1

February

5 Edward W. Herland		76	2	26
10 Walter Stuart Brown		89	5	6

10	John Tyson	92	7	20
11	Mary C. (Johnston) Curtis	73	11	19
13	Lilla L. (Linnell) Sidwell	85	9	15
16	Judson Pierson Howard	65	11	6
16	Edward Joseph Muller	61	0	2
22	LeRoy Sapp	70	10	10
26	John J. Bowen	74	8	4
26	Robert Reynolds Cave	52	4	15
27	Mildred (Slavin) Lynch	68	9	25
March				
6	Marguerite W. (Will) Durant	87	5	16
8	Robert Robbins Lane	66	2	9
13	Mary Margaret Coffey	66	9	23
14	Edith Mary (Dowd) Allen	71	7	15
17	Norman Emerson Harpell	70	9	16
19	Walter Uguccione	50		
21	Mary Rose (O'Connor) Andersen	89	10	20
27	Howel T. Evans	71	7	26
27	Gertrude M. Benson	78	7	29
27	John G. Silva	64	9	13
27	William W. Tomlinson	87	10	14
28	Ernest Francis Childs	77	10	28
30	Clement Medeiros	63		
April				
2	Tigner Lawson	75	4	15
4	Frederick H. Pierce	98	7	15
9	Martin J. Drohan	71	4	6
11	Sigurd Henrikson	68	7	27
16	Elizabeth W. (Wolf) Mattern	83	0	3
18	Floyd C. Cutaker	69	7	20
25	Edgar W. Goodspeed	87	10	10
29	Anita (Biciocchi) Carboni	92		
May				
1	Frank James McCarthy	51	8	17
2	Mary (Bailey) Barnes	81	1	2
2	Arthur Jason Wright	58	7	23
8	Rev. John Hubert Stanton DD	75	1	17
9	Helen (Machini) Connor	62	10	14
12	Ruth A. Alexander	60	6	26
13	John Hall	72	5	29
16	John J. Mullins, Sr.	59		
16	William E. Priest	93	2	10
18	Jack Elton Dailey	74	3	2
24	Lucille (Robbins) Loud	72	9	3
26	Margaret (Minns) Prior	63	6	24
27	Alice B. (Provost) Vayo	76	8	11
30	Doris M. (Suttill) MacLaughlin	76	3	12

June

1	Raymond Hall	75	3	23
2	Alton Bruce Hastings	77		
2	Bessie E. Howes	98	4	13
2	Edward Lavalee	72	11	1
7	Robert Francis Henderson	59	4	0
10	Winifred E. (Santos) Gunnery	61	0	24
11	Valerie King	1	10	27
11	Leslie Elwood Thayer, Sr.	71	9	3
11	Annie M. (Mahoney) Wolfe	64	10	29
15	John Francis Glynn	75	8	23
16	Melissa D. Howes	97	5	15
16	William Francis Jones	70	6	13
20	Ida (Hall) Howes	86	3	8
21	Joseph Michael Lynch	72	7	28
22	Theodore Hoffman Mastin III	30	10	3
22	Elen Burditt McKey	87	10	27

July

2	Harry Russell Sears	66	1	13
4	Frances Marie Itten	87	6	9
5	Maude Evans Tracy	87	7	20
8	Warren L. Coleman	70	0	10
9	Gerald J. Hurley	51	2	13
10	Althea (Snow) Turner	86	7	28
15	Harold A. Strout	79	9	22
16	Clifford H. Harris, Sr.	78	9	8
18	William H. Moran	78		
22	Salvatore Alleruzzo	83	6	21
25	William Edward Woods, Jr.	53	10	2
26	Emmons H. Bradford	82	6	15
29	George J. McAdam	71		

August

2	Robert E. Shea	42	5	13
4	Cora E. Santos	66	2	15
11	Ethel M. (Stephenson) Barnes	77	5	4
11	Vernon C. Wynott	70	6	17
12	Charles Bladwin	82		
12	Frederick B. Meeson	88	6	6
14	Gloria (Santosuosso) Basile	49	9	8
14	John Augustus Lowe III	24	3	24
17	Edna W. (Wills) McLeod	74	9	16
18	Gladys V. (McConnell) Ellis	78	11	6
20	Marion Z. (Clancy) Canham	80	4	29

September

2	Rose Sheehan Dwyer	75		
3	Natalie F. Barker	83	1	20
3	Florence (Gerry) Leavis	81		
11	Hilma S. (Silfverberg) Lundstrom	94	11	17

20	Ruth (Gray) Eaton	63	8	2
20	Barbara Simon	78		
21	Esther Engelhorn Middleton	88	0	12
24	Everett Smith	77	6	19
25	Mary (McPhee) Libby	67	11	17
26	Helen M. Darragh	78	9	22
26	John Edward Fraher	67	3	12

October

1	Flora Delmar (Ellis) Crowell	83	9	26
2	Everett A. Hall	73	7	17
2	Edward Thornell	72	3	29
4	Naomi R. Doran	77	1	23
4	Albert H. Crowell	69	4	29
5	Mary Elizabeth (Gillis) MacGregor	81		
6	Alice E. (Roy) Brodeur	60		
14	Rosamond (Brady) Malloy	78	3	18
15	Gordon R. Pike	65	9	17
16	Helen (Sweet) Cook	72	10	5
21	Gladys Albro Pierce	87	8	
21	Ena L. (Simkin) Crowell	67	10	
27	Laura (Long) Eldridge	80		
28	Marilyn Elizabeth Gometz	36	8	
28	Frances (Sinclair) Herlihy	75	6	
29	Howard L. Hall	91	3	

November

1	Francis P. Kenefick	79	7	
1	Rose Marie (Caudreault) Perkins	69	10	
2	Gordon Howard Robb	87	5	
3	Gladys Maybelle (Clarke) Cromer	87	7	
3	James Francis Fallon	82	7	
10	Karl S. Karlsson	75	10	
12	John A. Gray	80	1	
16	Alice (Walsh) Durkin	86		
17	Lewis Nickerson	68	6	
20	Eric Rutledge	84	11	
21	Howard Arthur Moog	72	1	
22	Mary Hennessey	85		
23	William Alfred Hubbard	62	10	
26	James A. Lodge	77	10	
28	John H. Alger	35	10	

December

1	Helene F. (MacKenzie) Sears	65		
3	Glenn W. Farr	74	6	
9	June Randall Otis	50	2	
12	Charles Edward Darling	67	5	

13	William Wood	74	
14	Ethel M. (Tripp) Elland	61	6
16	Rita (McGilvray) Carey	42	1
19	Edward C. Woodward	81	
22	Edward D. McDonough	65	
27	Mary Kendall	65	
27	Blanche Evelyn Crowell	77	9

Brought Here For Burial

Date of Death	Name	Burial At
April 1958		
4	Vito Fritz	Dennis
January 1974		
2	Aaron J. Kelley, Jr.	Dennis
7	Puella E. (Thatcher) Snow	Dennis
8	Martha K. Currier	Dennis
15	Harriet F. Hall	Dennis
18	Jeanetta Day	Dennis
23	Helen Crowell	Dennis
February		
8	Charles A. McVittie	Dennis
13	Seth R. Nickerson	Dennis
March		
6	Marguerite Durant	Dennis
8	Robert Robbins Lane	Dennis
11	Elsie C. Folsom	Dennis
11	Edgar Bearse, Jr.	Dennis
19	Walter G. Uguccioni	Dennis
23	Dorothy E. (Keen) Fisher	Dennis
25	Edward F. Cyr	Dennis
29	Fred Willard Pierce, Sr.	Dennis
April		
17	John F. Armstrong	Dennis
30	Manuel Quieno Ledo	Dennis
May		
17	Gertrude L. Day	Dennis
23	John Sundstrom	Dennis
28	Ralph LeRoy Smith	Dennis

June		
11	Grace Nickerson Bangs	Dennis
13	Beatrice Sears Silver	Dennis
25	Mary L. Sullivan	Dennis
28	Vannevar Bush	Dennis
July		
2	Annie Mae Pierce	Dennis
19	Blanche Kenefick	Dennis
31	Clarence Robert Dilworth	Dennis
31	Virginia S. Small	Dennis
August		
5	James Freeman Ellis	Dennis
12	Charles F. Baldwin	Dennis
September		
11	Jonathan Colby	Dennis
29	Kathleen O'Leary	Dennis
October		
1	Virginia S. (Sangster) Atherton	Dennis
1	Flora D. (Ellis) Crowell	Dennis
2	Edward Thornell	Dennis
8	Inez Mabel Hallett	Dennis
16	Helen (Sweet) Cook	Dennis
27	Laura Eldridge	Dennis
November		
4	Hollis D. Crowell	Dennis
17	Lewis M. Nickerson	Dennis
23	William A. Hubbard	Dennis
27	Arthur Joseph Dahill	Dennis
December		
6	Fred Harold Baldwin	Dennis
8	John Shiverick	Dennis
23	Grace Russell	Dennis

Law Department

Robert E. O'Neil, Town. Counsel

During the calendar year 1974 the Law Department has processed an increasing volumn of legal matters for the Town and it's committees. Our Department has defended the town's interests in seven separate court cases plus made nine appearances before the Appellate Tax Court. We are presently working on several land acquisition projects authorized at the Annual and Special Town Meetings during 1974. The department has recently taken on an additional responsibility with the approval of the Board of Assessors of Conservation Easements. During the last quarter of 1974 approximately such easements were processed and it is anticipated that more residents will take advantage of this option in 1975.

I would like to express my appreciation to the Assessors Department, Town Clerk- Treasurer and many other departments and committees for their help in the disposition of the legal business of the Town. I will be making every effort to continue to provide and up-grade the legal services my department provides during 1975.

Government Study Committee

Hazel B. Snyder, Chairman

The government Study Committee reconvened in October of 1974 with four former members and five new members appointed by the Moderator.

The Committee is studying Departments of Public Works of both on and off Cape Towns to see if it would be feasible to recommend the adoption of a Public Works Department for the Town of Dennis.

The Committee will carefully study the different departments in town, their budgets, services rendered etc., to see if by centralizing departments with common functions, a more efficient use of equipment, man power, bulk buying and public service will be effected and if the Dennis Taxpayers will profit by such a move.

When the study is completed a recommendation will be presented.

West Dennis Building Restoration Committee

Mrs. William W. Wood, Chairman
David A. Ellis, Vice-chairman
Robert W. Porteus, Secretary
Mrs. John S. Wilks, Treasurer
Mrs. Margaret Lyons
William C. Snowden
Russell E. Leonard, Associate
Rudolph C. Robert, Associate
William W. Wood, Ex-officio
Franklin Estey, Ex-officio

The Committee for the restoration of the West Dennis Community Building has met during the year and has completed the first phase of the planned work for the Community Building.

Due to the amount of money voted it was agreed by the committee to complete the exterior, the first floor and the basement only, leaving the second floor for the second phase of work. This assured the committee that the building would be structurally sound and safe.

The scope of work consisted of a new furnace, oil tank, cedar shingled roof, the repair of broken windows, exterior painting and repairs, window changing, the removal of the siren to an adjacent pole, paved red brick porch, columns, cupalo, installation of the South Dennis School House Bell in the cupalo, sprinkler system, suspended ceilings, lighting, panic hardware for the outside doors, floor sanding, partitions for two foyers, wall board and pine paneling for the walls in the main room, kitchen cabinets, repairs of the two lavatorys and all interior painting down stairs.

The Architect was J.J. Borowski of Weymouth. The General Contractor was the Fire Protection Co. of Medway. Final work was completed by local artisans.

The Committee wishes to thank the West Dennis Garden Club for donating the draperies for the main room, the Dennis Women's Club for the window shades and the D-Y Jr. Women's Club for the American Flag and Standard.

A gift of the Quarter Board sign for the front of the building from William W. Wood, ex-officio member of the committee, is gratefully acknowledged.

I wish to sincerely thank the committee for its wholehearted support and co-operation.

Carleton Hall Committee

Paul A. Wilson
Joshua Crowell

Carleton Hall continues to be a much used municipal building. Regular users include the Cordairs, Bottle Collecting Club, Garden Club, Police Association, Dennis Grange, Duplicate Bridge Club and a newly formed Men's Club. In addition the hall is occasionally used by other organizations and groups and for municipal purposes and functions.

During this past year the main front doors have been replaced and other exterior improvements have been made.

The interior of the building now needs attention. The floors should be refinished and interior paint is being considered.

We appreciate the cooperation extended by the various town officials, including Frank Estes of the Maintenance Department, and by our Custodian, M.J. Darling.

Cablevision Advisory Committee

Gerald Noxon, Chairman

The Committee, consisting of Mr. Irwin Bierhans, Mr. Joseph Daigle, Mr. Edward Darling, Mr. Harold McDermott and Mr. Gerald Noxon was appointed by the Selectmen in 1973. It was charged with the duty of advising the Selectmen in connection with the negotiation of a proposed contract between the Town and the Cape Cod Cablevision Corporation for the future provision of Community Antenna Television service for the people of Dennis.

The Committee has had the misfortune of losing the services of two of its esteemed members during the last twelve months, due to the death of Mr. Edward Darling and the resignation of Mr. Harold McDermott on account of ill health. Mr. Charles Slocomb was appointed to replace Mr. McDermott and he was able to attend the meeting of the Committee on Nov. 19, 1974.

The bulk of the research and investigatory work necessary to the Committee's purpose was carried out during the latter half of 1973 and the beginning of 1974. On January 20, 1974 the Committee submitted to the Selectmen of Dennis the text of a proposed contract between the Town and the Cape Cod Cablevision Corporation. This document was in fact a counter-proposal to that which had been submitted to the Town by the Corporation in the summer of 1973.

The counter-proposal was concerned primarily with problems which had to be faced in connection with the possible, even probable developments in Cablevision technology and utilization over the next fifteen years. It was strongly felt by the Committee that the potential social, economic and cultural effects on the Town over the long period of years deserved every consideration

possible, given the uncertainty of prediction in so recently developed and technologically volatile a service. It was likewise strongly felt by the Committee that a long term contract was desirable and probably vitally necessary to the ultimate optimum development of Cablevision service in and for the Town.

The problems facing the Committee were far from easy to resolve; and not only on account of factors within the contract itself. There were legal considerations, raised by the Towns of Dennis and Barnstable in connection with an arbitration of disputes clause in the contract, which required lengthy negotiations on the part of Town Counsels. There were changes in both Federal and State legislation on cablevision which had to be carefully examined in relation to the terms of the proposed contract. And finally there was the sudden unpredicted slide into the present economic recession which has inevitably modified the attitudes towards the contract, both by the Town of Dennis and the Cape Cod Cablevision Corporation.

However, on November 19, 1974 the Advisory Committee held an open meeting at Dennis Town Hall to review the current contract situation. It was attended by four members of the Committee, Mr. Theodore Nelson, Executive Secretary for the Town, by representatives of the Cape Cod Cablevision Corporation and by seven interested townspeople. After a lively discussion of the issues at that meeting, the Advisory Committee was requested by the Selectmen on December 12, 1974 to consider a newly worded version of the latest contract proposal from the Corporation and to make a recommendation in respect to it as soon as possible. This was done and, after further negotiations in which Mr. Henry Kelley represented the Selectmen of Dennis, a contract between the Town of Dennis and the Cape Cod Cablevision Corporation was signed by a majority of the Selectmen of Dennis on December 30, 1974. The contract covers a period of fifteen years and it represents a compromise between the parties which, as such, has the unanimous approval of the Advisory Committee for the Town.

Chamber of Commerce

Robert W. Stone, President

The Dennis Chamber of Commerce was organized in 1951. Before that time the selectmen appropriated money for "advertising the resources, advantages and attractions of the town". It was a small sum - \$200.00 to \$500.00. The first good salesman into the town office wrote an ad for it all. Inquiries came in and there was no one to answer them. Some were referred to those in business in town. After the Chamber of Commerce was organized the appropriated monies were turned over to the Dennis Chamber of Commerce.

The budget of the Dennis Chamber of Commerce is over \$10,000 a year, of which \$2,000 is appropriated by the town. We own our own information building and land free and clear at the corner of Route 28 and 134. Approximately twenty thousand people come to or call at our office each year - their questions range from "what can I do on a rainy day" to "where are the beaches?" but most want directions to places and homes in town. We employ one executive secretary year round, six months full time, and six months part time; an assistant five months, and a local student summers. The \$2,000 from the town matched by \$5,500 by the chamber, is used for payroll for these employees. If it were not for our information services to the public, the town office and police, as well as many tradesmen, would be burdened with these many people seeking information.

Our request each year meets with some questions by the voters, because we must by law, put in the article the words "to advertise the resources, advantages and attractions of the town." Not one of the town's dollars for over twenty years has ever been used for paid advertising to bring people to Dennis, but is used for giving people already here directions and assistance in where to spend money in town. We feel we are rendering all the townspeople a service and "advertising the resources, advantages and attractions of the town" at a very small cost to the taxpayers.

If you or any of your family need information, call us 398-3568 year round, or drop by and meet our courteous staff - Mrs. Rita Albahari, Executive Secretary; Mrs. Vida Foss, Assistant or Kathy Payea, the student information person.

Protection of Lives and Property

Police Department

Louis Cataldo
Chief of Police

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the Citizens of the Town of Dennis:
I hereby submit my report for the Dennis Police Department for the year 1974.

In 1974, 10,663 complaints were received as compared with 9,102 for 1973, an increase of 17%. However, during the same reporting period the number of persons arrested and/or charged with criminal activity increased 44% over the same period of last year: 1269 vs. 880. As our arrest records indicate, we have waged an aggressive campaign on all types of crime, especially during this past summer when we took a no-nonsense approach to noisy parties.

As a result of the generous people of the Town of Dennis, we now have one of the finest police buildings anywhere in southeastern Massachusetts. As your new police chief, I have attempted to update the internal structure of the department and professionalize the police officers under my command.

Your department has the distinction of having the first woman police officer on Cape Cod who is assigned regular patrol functions and duties. A number of our officers are attending various advanced police training schools and taking advanced law enforcement college courses at their own or government expense.

Entrance examinations are now conducted on a stiff competitive and professional basis.

The department has been short handed on the staff level for the better part of the year with the retirements for health reasons of Lt. L. Judson Churchill and Sergeant Donald Nelson, both of whom were valued members of the department.

Patrolman Leach has been assigned to the area of crime prevention and control, in addition to his regular duties. Special Officer Henry Newman continues to do an excellent job in the areas of juvenile and highway safety. Many other officers can be cited for their individual efforts in assisting me in maintaining the high degree of respect which this department is accorded throughout the Commonwealth and which the citizens of the Town of Dennis deserve.

The increase in activity experienced during 1974 was handled with a very high degree of productivity in spite of personnel shortages, the extra work of physically moving into the new station, the establishment of new management systems, and the day to day administrative tasks which always require our attention. This could not be possible without the assistance of other town departments and officials to whom we express our appreciation. I would like to extend our special thanks to the members of the Fire Department, Highway Department, staff at Town Hall, the Barnstable County Bureau of Investigation, the Registry of Motor Vehicles, other local law enforcement agencies who have assisted us, the Dennis Health Department and the Dennis Motel Owners' Association.

This report would not be complete without much praise to the members of the Building Committee and their Chairman, Arthur Lohr, for their untiring efforts in the completion of our fine new facility.

Report of Activities - 1974

	1974	1973
Total number of arrests and summons	1,269	880
Protective Custody	258	116
Total number of complaints	10,663	9,102
Total number of accidents investigated	357	314
Property damage	256	203
Personal injury	101	110
Fatal	0	1
Sudden Deaths	11	12
Suicides investigated/attempts	8	6
Dog bites	65	39
Motor vehicle violations	755	904
Motor vehicles stolen	76	64
Motor vehicles recovered	71	57
Motor vehicle licenses/suspended or revoked	76	77
Motor vehicle registration/suspended or revoked	4	2
Commercial buildings found unlocked	361	327
Summons Served for Other Departments	409	413

Arrest Report - 1974

Offense Charged	Total
Breaking & Entering/Daytime-Misdemeanor	15
Breaking & Entering/Daytime-Felony	5
Breaking & Entering/Nighttime-Misdemeanor	5
Breaking & Entering/Nighttime-Felony	20
Larceny over \$100.	23
Larceny under \$100.	8
Larceny by Check	24
Shoplifting	11
Burglary	4
Armed & Unarmed Robbery	4
Rape	1
Assault w/intent to rape	4

Assault & Battery	31
Assault & Battery on Police Officer	6
A&B with Dangerous Weapon	6
Indecent Assault/Female Child	1
Unnatural Act	1
Threat to do bodily harm	1
Unauthorized Use Motor Vehicle	9
Mal. Destruction	33
Receiving & Concealing Stolen Property	19
Trespass	15
Indecent Exposure	1
Arson	4
Poss. Loaded Pistol	1
Disturbing the Peace	4
Disorderly Conduct	22
Anti Noise Town By-Law	135
Non-Support	6
Altering Serial Numbers	1
Possession Dangerous Weapon	1
Profanity	2
Runaway	15
Escapee	1
Mental Examination	1
Narcotics Violations	94
Delinquent Child	1
Town Leash Law	9
Town By Law (building)	2
Arrests for other Dept.	37
M.V. Violations	815
Money turned over to Town Treasurer:	
Accident Report Copy Fees	\$ 901.00
Pistol Permit Fees	1,290.00
Firearm I.D. Card Fees	198.00
Firearms Dealer Permits	28.00
Photograph Fees	182.00
Violation of Town By-Laws	<u>6,432.85</u>
Total	\$9,031.85

Building Committee

Arthur C. Lohr, Chairman

Culminating several years of study and planning, the building of the new Police Station for the Town of Dennis has become a reality.

After being voted at a Special Town Meeting, December 14, 1972, the Building Committee was immediately appointed by the Board of Selectmen and steps were taken to expedite the mandate of the Voters.

Having reached a construction point of 99% of completion, the Building Committee voted to receive the building on October 22, 1974. The Police Department then proceeded to move into their new headquarters.

Open House was held on Sunday, November 17, 1974 with a very large attendance, at which the general consensus was that of complete satisfaction.

It was a real pleasure to have been Chairman of the Building Committee and I wish to thank all the members and others concerned for their utmost co-operation as many people performed over and above the call of duty. I especially want to thank Nancy Sears, Secretary, for having attended all committee meetings as well as my thanks to the other Committee Members: Police Chief, Louis Cataldo; Capt. John Sullivan; Peter McDowell; Richard Shea and Ike Kelley and all others who have lent their support to the successful completion of this project.

Dog Officer and Animal Inspector

Leon F. Tyler

In 1974, I served the Town of Dennis as Dog Officer, Inspector of Animals, and Agent for the Board of Health. During this time I received approximately 1200 calls concerning animal and health matters. The primary complaints were unrestrained dogs, barking dogs, and dogs killing livestock. With the assistance of the Police Department, I was able to perform my services in a minimum of time.

The total number of dogs that we impounded for violation of town ordinances were 230, the total number that owners did not claim were 58. I might add that the cost to the Town of Dennis for unclaimed dogs at the Animal Rescue League is \$22 per dog.

During the summer I was assisted by Mr. William Monahan who performed these duties during my vacation and days off.

I look forward to the year 1975 to be a better year and I will work to maintain this department to the utmost of my ability and will assist residents of the town in any way I can with problems relating to animals.

Again, I warn the residents to keep their dogs restrained and/or on a leash.

ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF BOSTON CAPE COD BRANCH EAST BREWSTER, MASSACHUSETTS

Donald F. Westover, Shelter Manager

The following is a report of Animal Control in the town of Dennis, Massachusetts for the year 1974: (January 1, 1974 to December 31, 1974).

Number of Dogs Impounded	230
Disposition:	
Returned To Owners	170
Placed In Homes	12
Put To Sleep	46
On Hand	2

Fire Department

Robert S. Hersey, Chief

I hereby submit the report of the Fire Department, including the Rescue and Forest Fire reports for the year 1974.

Responses to incidents of all types by the Department in 1974 showed an increase of 25% over 1973. The greatest portion of that increase was related to Emergency Medical Service. Of the 1,555 incidents, 1,173 were for this purpose.

The Department is attempting to meet these demands by training additional personnel and raising the level of training for certain members of the permanent force. New Federal and State laws make certain phases of this training mandatory. These additional required courses place a severe burden on the Department budget. At the present, 22 men are enrolled in these courses.

Through the efforts of the full time officers and firefighters, work is progressing rapidly on the renovation of the old Police Department quarters which are located in Headquarters, West Dennis. When completed this area will contain the dispatching, sleeping, and other offices for Department use. The efforts of the men involved has resulted in considerable savings to the Taxpayers.

Department apparatus is in fair to excellent condition. The 1953 tank truck in Headquarters is scheduled for replacement this year.

The new aerial ladder ordered in July is due to be delivered in the fall of 1975.

To the Citizens, Selectmen, Executive Secretary and his staff, and to all other Town Departments, this Department extends its' sincere thanks.

FIRE-RESCUE STATISTICS for the year 1974

Alarm Classification		Alarm Cause	
Structural	68	MV Accident	15
Dump	2	Alarm Malfunction	11
Service Call	28	MV Fire	28
False	16	Bomb Threat	3
Grass/Brush	78	Illegal Burning	15
Investigation	110	Child W/Matches	37
Mutual Aid	12	Charcoal	6
Search	1	Chimney/Fireplace	10
Station Standby	2	Dump	3
Vehicle	36	False, Malicious	12
Outside Burning	4	False, Good Intent	7
Wetdown/Washdown	25	Fireworks	1
Total	382	Heating Appliance	14
		Gas Leak	23
		Lighting	0
		Lost Person	1
Alarms Sounded	179	Mutual Aid	11

Cellar Pumping	2	AMB/Rescue Responses	
Smoking Materials	25	MV Accident	112
Station Standby	2	Beach/Water	38
Cooking Appliance	13	DOA	13
Poss. Arson	23	Sch. Activities	9
Undetermined	13	Violent Injury	33
Outside Wires	11	Pedestrian	13
Inside Wiring	19	At Home	588
Lockout	8	Ice	1
Washdown	4	Mutual Aid	4
Wetdown	5	Lodging	71
Misc. Known Causes	54	Industrial	22
Flammable Liquids	6	Restaurant	44
Total	382	Unnecessary	6
Calls Per Village		Other	72
Dennis & North	81	Total	1173
Dennisport	88	Calls Per Village	
East Dennis	26	Dennis & North	117
South Dennis	107	Dennisport	384
West Dennis	66	East Dennis	68
Out of Town	14	South Dennis	255
Total	382	West Dennis	341
Responses To Hospital		Out of Town	8
CCH Via Ambulance	729	Total	1173
CCH Via Rescue Truck	71	Persons Assisted	
CCH Via Chief Car	0	Total	1151
Other Hospital	3	Total Responses	1555

1974 Fire Prevention Inspection Program Activities

Inspections of:	
Apartment Houses & Condominiums	75
Restaurants & Common Victualers	96
Residential (Courtesy)	4
Theatres	3
Underground Storage Tanks (Over 275 gallons)	4
Manufacturing & Mercantile	29
Retail Business	21
Motels & Innkeepers	59
Town Properties	35
Churches	5
Federal Properties	5
Oil Burning Equipment	70
Marinas	3
Inspection Total	409
Attendance at Legal Hearings	19
Violations Noted	179
Violations Served in Hand	5
Total	612

Building Inspector

Roland B. Taylor

This year again has shown a decrease in building permits. A total of four hundred seventy four (474) permits were issued for the year, with a total estimated cost of \$9,343,376.00. The village of Dennis had the largest number of permits issued, one hundred forty seven (147); South Dennis, ninety five (95); Dennisport, ninety four (94); East Dennis, eighty two (82); and West Dennis with fifty six (56).

The Building Department received \$19,881.28 fees for permits. This amount was turned over to the Town Treasurer for which a receipt was issued.

The following table gives the monthly permits by village, monthly estimated value and the yearly totals:

	Dennis	East Dennis	West Dennis	Dennis Port	South Dennis	Total Permits
Jan.	27	1	5	10	10	\$ 810,250.00
Feb.	5	3	5	2	2	259,495.00
Mar.	9	3	4	7	6	389,500.00
April	15	4	4	6	7	617,957.00
May	3	7	12	7	25	715,169.00
June	5	4	1	11	5	347,775.00
July	5	5	3	12	6	916,950.00
Aug.	9	4	4	6	4	518,150.00
Sept.	28	3	4	11	7	712,680.00
Oct.	14	36	5	6	10	2,923,900.00
Nov.	13	8	5	6	10	698,450.00
Dec.	14	4	4	10	3	433,100.00
Total	147	82	56	84	95	\$9,343,376.00

I would like to thank all Town Departments and Town Office Personnel for their cooperation and willing help that has made 1974 a pleasant and successful year.

This Department now has an Assistant, David S. Nichols, who has come to the department with excellent educational background, as well as a good knowledge of the Town and its various boards and committees.

New duties will be added this year because of a new complex State Building Code, new Historic District regulations recently put into effect, and various other duties not previously required. With these added duties, it looks like a busy year ahead for both the assistant and myself. I would also like to mention our Secretary, Miss Phyllis Hanchett for her efficient work, even with a greatly increased work load.

Sign Inspector

Roland B. Taylor

Thirty nine (39) Sign Permits were issued for the year 1974 at a fee of \$5.00 each, making a total of \$195.00 which was turned in to the Town Treasurer.

Sixteen (16) Sign Permits were issued requiring no fee, making a total number of permits issued fifty five (55).

Approximately 50 signs were removed from trees and poles, and approximately 50 sign notices sent to owners for violations.

I would like to thank all Town Departments for their cooperation during the past year.

Plumbing Inspector

Joseph P. Sousa

The following report is submitted by the Inspector of Plumbing for the year 1974. Four hundred twenty five permits were issued to do plumbing for the year 1974.

Dennis Port	98
West Dennis	63
South Dennis	90
Dennis	87
East Dennis	<u>87</u>
Total	425

Four thousand nine hundred forty six dollars (\$4,946.00) was received and handed to the Town Treasurer. A total of five hundred sixteen inspections were made.

Thanking the Board of Health and the public for their cooperation.

Gas Inspector

Joseph P. Sousa

The following report is submitted by the Gas Inspector for the year 1974.

Four hundred thirty six permits were issued to do Gas work in the Town of Dennis. Four hundred eighty five inspections were made. Eight hundred seventy two dollars (872.00) was handed to the Town Treasurer.

Permits issued:

Dennis Port	134
West Dennis	71
South Dennis	72
Dennis	92
East Dennis	<u>67</u>
Total	436

Thanking the Selectmen and the public for their cooperation.

Wiring Inspector

Orion P. Derick

130 Notifications of electrical installations were received.

298 Inspections of electrical installations were made.

193 Permits were issued to the New Bedford Gas & Edison Light Company to energize various properties.

Location of the Wire Inspector's operation in the Town Office has eliminated confusion in carrying out the business of this department.

Periodic reinspections, required by new licensing, building and safety regulations will add to the work load and increase inspections during the ensuing year.

Cooperation from Fire, Building, Health and other departments was helpful and appreciated.

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Leon F. Tyler

The Town of Dennis has assumed the responsibility of Weights and Measures. This includes the routine inspection of scales and gasoline pumps, and food labeling. I have answered complaints from concerned citizens; however very few people realize that we have a Sealer of Measures in the Town of Dennis.

I have developed a close working relationship with a State Inspector, and have attended seminars to improve my effectiveness in policing the accuracy of weights and measures and gaining a better knowledge of laws pertaining to the position.

Public Works

Cemetery Commission

William Angell
Joseph Manning
Alton L. Robbins, Chairman

The eleven cemeteries which the Town is responsible for were well maintained and cared for.

A black-top road, curbing and water were put in a new avenue at Swan Lake Cemetery Annex, Dennisport. Three roads were black-topped in the new section of North Dennis Cemetery. The receiving tombs at North Dennis, South Dennis and West Dennis Cemeteries were painted. The fence around the cemetery behind the Town Office was repaired and painted.

Another new section was opened in the Oak Ridge Cemetery in South Dennis.

Unfortunately vandalism in our cemeteries seems to be on the increase. The majority of the damage was done in the West Dennis and North Dennis Cemeteries. Monuments were tipped over and some were broken in West Dennis, while in North Dennis they tipped over monuments breaking some of them and also sprayed several with red paint.

The sum of \$11,575.00 was turned over to the Town Treasurer from the sale of cemetery lots.

Park Commission

Peter J. Nyberg, Chairman
Paul Sharpless
Walter Hofmann

In 1974 the Park Commission was responsible for twelve parks: six (6) in South Dennis, West Dennis and Dennisport, and six (6) in Dennis and East Dennis. Our maintenance schedule included weekly cutting, and trimming of lawns and shrubs, and yearly fertilization and liming of park areas. We also completed a major tree trimming operation at Scargo Hill Tower to allow better visibility and promote uniform tree growth.

During 1975 the Park Commission will be responsible for the upkeep of the grounds at the Town Office, Carleton Hall, Fire Station #2, Josiah Dennis Manse and the Jericho House in addition to the twelve parks we now maintain. The Commission will also be supervising the expenditures of the Dennis Little League. We would like to thank Robert Crowell, Highway Surveyor, and Robert Lawton, Assistant Executive Secretary, for their assistance and cooperation during 1974.

Town Surveyor

Ira R. Thacher, Jr.

The year 1974 was a very busy year for the Surveying Department. The Department, with the approval of the Selectmen and the Finance Committee, added two full-time employees. This department was fortunate to obtain the services of Richard P. Wheatley and Richard L. Taylor. These new employees brought to this department many years of surveying and engineering experience. The additional help has made it possible to complete many projects that have been in progress for some time.

In 1974, this department prepared 16 new road layouts for town meeting consideration; of these, 3 were accepted as town roads. The department assisted the Highway Department on drainage projects on Corporation Rd., Old Bass River Rd., Riverdale Road North and the reconstruction of Summer St. in Dennisport. The surveying Department made several property line surveys during 1974 including the Old Indian Burial Grounds on Scargo Lake, a parcel of land at Crow Pasture for the Conservation Commission and a large composite plan of the Town Disposal Area.

This Department has prepared some 45 plans for Conservation Restriction Easements and will continue this project in 1975. This Department has also done lot staking for the Cemetery Commission in the North Side Cemetery, the Oak Ridge Cemetery, as well as setting grade and line stakes for the curbs in Swan Lake Cemetery Annex and supervising the placing of hot mix drives. The Department has aided the Golf Course Commission in their search for a second course and with the proposed addition to the parking area at the present golf course. The Department, with the Selectmen of Harwich, Brewster, and Dennis, located and marked the boundary lines between the three towns and made the necessary reports.

This large map of the new South Dennis Historic District was made by David S. Nichols of this office, who was employed on a part time basis during the first part of 1974 and is now the new full-time Assistant Building Inspector. The Assessors Maps have been revised to show new subdivisions and new sheets made so that the town now has 100% coverage.

Planning Board inspections during 1974 decreased from previous years but still demanded a large portion of time. This office attended all regular and special meetings of the Planning Board, which amounted to 93 hours of night meetings.

Highway Department

Robert E. Crowell, Highway Surveyor

Roads paved during the first half of the fiscal year 1974 were Old Bass River Road, Route 134, Summer Street, Lighthouse Road, and Barry Lane.

The following roads were sealcoated with asphalt; New Boston Road, Setucket Road, Horsefoot Path, Bayview Road, Stephen Phillips Road, Harbor Road, Wades Way, Black Flats Road, Seaside Avenue, Howes Street, Sesuit Neck Road, Bridge Street, Whig Street, Bayberry Road, Theophilus F. Smith Road, Mayfair Road and South Yarmouth Road.

Catch basins and leaching fields were installed at several locations in the five precincts of the town, the moneys for same having been voted at the last annual town meeting.

I would like to mention that due to the changeover to a fiscal year beginning July 1st none of the road funds were available until then. Previously we had been able to start our work program in April. With the heavy influx of summer traffic during the months of July and August we were unable to start our major road work until September.

Weather and temperature dictate a major portion of our work. We can not work with asphalt below certain temperature levels. During the first half of the fiscal year we completed well over half of our work schedule and expect to have all scheduled work completed by the end of the year - June 30, 1975.

We have encountered several months wait for steel products during the year particularly catch basin frames and grates. This fact plus the need to relocate water mains caused a delay in the completion of Chapter 90 work on Old Bass River Road.

The Highway Department in addition to our road work has also done work for the following departments, Golf Course, Beach Operations, Conservation, School, Shellfish, Board of Health and other town agencies. We want to thank the taxpayers for providing us with the facilities, equipment and manpower to enable us to do these jobs.

While the Highway Department is a separate entity in the town we wish to cooperate in any way possible with the requests of residents and taxpayers. Many requests for necessary work or highway related problems are directed to the Selectmen or the executive secretary. We do our best to comply with these requests. To improve the handling and expedition of these requests and all other problems the Highway Department plans to schedule weekly meetings with the Selectmen or their representative the Executive Secretary.

In view of the period of recession and inflation we are making a determined effort to practice measures of economy. Price increases of all products and continued population growth make this a difficult task.

I would like to thank all other Town Departments for their cooperation through the year.

Tree Warden and Pest Control Superintendent

Alton L. Robbins

Tree Warden Department:

Again this year a number of dead pines had to be removed from along the roadsides. Some corners were cut back to improve traffic visibility and other roadside hazards were taken care of as needed. Norway and Sugar Maples trees were purchased and planted in various locations through out the town.

Pest Control Department:

The semi-annual control program for the Brown-Tail Moth at the Chapin Beach area was carried out in April and November.

Due to the excellent results of the aerial spraying done in 1973 we had very few Gypsy Moths in 1974. However in June we did roadside spraying for the Nantucket Pine Tip Moth and the few Gypsy Moth areas that were found.

Because of the heavy infestation of the Pine Looper, which is destroying so many of our Cape Pines, we did some aerial spraying in an attempt to save some of these native trees.

Poison Ivy spraying along roadsides and near beaches was done.

Dutch Elm Department:

The dormant spraying of Town Elms was done in early spring.

A number of Town and private trees were tested for Dutch Elm disease. A total of 43 trees were found to be diseased and are in the process of being removed.

I would like to thank all of the Town Departments and Town personnel who have assisted me in any way during this year.

Municipal Building Department

Franklyn Estey, Superintendent

In 1974, the Village Improvement Club Hall, West Dennis Community Building and the new Dennis Police Station were added to the Town's inventory. This brings the number of buildings our department is responsible for to eight. As part of this responsibility we have completely renovated the lower level of the VIC Hall, making it available for the Head Start program and other community activities. Through the use of outside contractors and our own full time employees, we have reshingled the roofs at both the West Dennis Community Building and a section of the main Fire Station on Route 28, paneled the West Dennis Community Hall, painted Carlton Hall, Fire Station #1, Fire Station #2 and the Town office building. This is in addition to our normal maintenance activities at all of these town owned halls.

During the summer months, the Beach and Harbor areas consumed a great deal of our time. Our maintenance crew constructed approximately five sets of stairs, recapped the Bulk-head at West Dennis Beach, installed and removed all floats and ramps at Sesuit Harbor and supervised the installation of a sewer system at West Dennis Beach. This winter, part of our staff has constructed approximately fifty new floats which, if purchased from a commercial supplier, would cost approximately twenty-five thousand dollars. Through the use of bulk purchasing and purchasing through the state, the cost to the town was approximately seven thousand dollars. In the spring of 1975 we shall be supervising the installation of sixty-four new piles into Sesuit Harbor and some minor maintenance dredging. In FY 76, we expect to continue to maintain and improve the many town buildings and other facilities.

Town Planning

Planning Board

David A. Ellis, Chairman

The Planning Board met regularly on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month, processing 89 plans, as follows:

6 Preliminary Plans - 3 accepted (28 lots); 3 rejected (28 lots).

12 Definitive Subdivision Plans - 10 accepted (91 lots) 2 rejected or withdrawn (33 lots).

3 Resubmitted Definite Plans, for Land Court filing or other minor engineering revisions (no lots created)

72 Approval Not Required Plans - 59 accepted (105 lots); 13 rejected (16 lots).

It is interesting to note that 196 lots were created during 1974, vs. 762 lots in 1973.

Two special hearings were held on April 18 and August 12, for Town Meeting articles. Warrant articles were presented to and approved by the voters for creation of the South Dennis Historical District and designation of Scenic Roads throughout the town (at the Annual Town Meeting in May), and for residential zoning of the west side of Baxter Street and several technical adjustments of the Zoning By-Law (at the Special Town Meeting on August 14).

Building Code Review Committee

Richard E. Thomas, Chairman

On May 23, 1974, the Building Code Review Committee met at Fire Headquarters. It was the general consensus of opinion that with the passing of Chapter 802 of the Acts of 1972 by the General Court there was little that could be done by this Committee until the promulgation of the New State Building Code.

Board of Appeals

Stafford I. Burrell, Clerk

The Board of Appeals met regularly on 1st and 3rd Mondays, holding 43 public hearings on petitions for variances and special permits and rendering decisions as follows:

Setback, Street—8—6 Granted, 2 Denied
Setback, Side or Rear—6— 3 Granted, 3 Denied
Lot Under 20,000 sq. ft.—12—11 Granted, 1 Denied
Lot Under 5,000 sq. ft.—5—2 Granted, 3 Denied
Parking/Street Access—1—1 Denied
Produce Sale—1—1 Denied
Used Cars Sale—1—1 Granted
Expansion of Non-Conforming Use—1—1 Granted
Sign Code—2—2 Granted
Special Permits:
Antique Shop—1—1 Granted
Clothing Shop—1—1 Granted
Condominium (24 units)—1—1 Denied
Nursing Home—1—1 Granted
Office Building—1—1 Granted
Restaurant—1—1 Denied

Design Review Panel

Paul W. Sullivan, Chairman
Charles Vaughn
Craig Short
Henry C. Boles
David Tellegan

The calendar year of 1974 was quite slow for the Design Review Panel. Meetings were held only when the Panel felt it was necessary, as only a few plans were submitted that required recommendations or suggestions from the Panel. As in our first year, our recommendations were only advisory, but the applicants showed willingness to cooperate.

Dennis Housing Authority

Elizabeth A. Merchant, Chairperson
Raymond R. Robert, V. Chairperson
Howard H. Howland, Treasurer
Charles Vaughan, Asst. Treasurer
Patrick J. Padden

The Authority is pleased to report that on December 23, 1974 we purchased under the State 667 program a 40 unit apartment complex at 109 Upper County Road, South Dennis for \$850,000.00 to be used as Elderly Housing. A three bedroom house at the front of the premises has been remodeled and now serves as the Housing Authority office and recreation building for the tenants. All apartments are fully occupied.

On August 15, 1974, the Authority signed a contract for \$1,117,752.00 with Loranger Construction Co. for the construction of 52 elderly housing units on Center Street in South Dennis. Five of the apartments will be designed specifically for the handicapped. With the completion of this 667 project in September, the town of Dennis will have 92 elderly housing apartments which the Authority believes should meet the present needs of the community.

The 705 program (Authority owned property) is in its Fourth Series of notes in the amount of \$190,000.00. Interest payable on this series will be \$12,160.00 on June 12, 1975.

The 667 program (Elderly housing) is in its Fifth Series of notes in the amount of \$2,250,000.00. Interest payable on this series will be \$98,873.23.

The Authority's 705 units continue to be fully rented, and the 707 program level has reached 60 as of December 31, 1974.

Mr. George Bullock resigned from the Authority in November, 1974, and Patrick J. Padden was appointed to fill the vacancy until the next annual town election in May, 1975.

Comprehensive Planning Committee

Charles N. Flinkstrom, Chairman

On January 21, 1975 the Citizens Comprehensive Planning Committee officially submitted the Planning Proposals and Policies Report for the Town of Dennis to the Board of Selectmen. The report is the result of almost two years of analyses and discussion among the Committee, town officials and agencies, and State Department of Community Affairs planners.

The Committee feels confident that the report adequately compiles into one centralized document the basic information and administrative guidelines for making decisions concerning Dennis' future. In essence, the report describes current community conditions and presents rational proposals and mechanisms to help guide the community's growth planning and management programs in the future. Of special interest to town officials, agencies, and citizens is a section on Implementation Mechanisms which provides considerable food for thought concerning various growth management concepts including land banking, transferrable development rights, phased growth and other programs. It is hoped that the inclusion of this information will help stimulate new thinking and ideas at all levels.

The Committee sincerely hopes that the Planning Proposals and Policies Report marks the official beginning of a new town-wide awareness and concern for the future development of Dennis. The work of planning and managing for that future can begin by utilizing the report as a foundation and by all concerned jointly working together with the report as a guide to turn words into positive actions.

To the latter end, the Committee is continuing to meet regularly in an effort to develop suggested priorities and management strategies for implementing the report's proposals and policies. Graphic materials linked to various report proposals are in the process of development in anticipation of future working meetings with town officials, boards, committees, commissions, and interested citizens to foster communication and coordination of planning proposals within the town. Additionally, a town-wide distribution of a concise report summary will be made soon to provide Dennis residents with a brief perspective on the report content. Interested citizens are urged to read the report available at village libraries and the town offices. Finally, the Committee views the report as a working document and looks forward to citizen participation in periodically updating the document in response to the town's changing conditions and priorities.

Historical Commission

Dean S. Sears, Chairman

An increasing awareness of the many historical assets of Dennis and a determination of residents to have them preserved was demonstrated in the establishment of the first Regional Historic Districts in Dennis in 1974.

The Dennis Historical Commission provided historical data and aided the planning and establishment of the South Dennis Historic District and the Old King's Highway Historic District. Maps marking location of historical assets of West Dennis have been prepared by the Commission for use of a study committee for the proposed West Dennis Historic District.

The chairman and several members of the Historical Commission served on the study committee for the South Dennis Historic District. At the May 9 annual town meeting the historic district was approved 0240 to 37. Certification by the Mass. Attorney General was received Dec. 2. The Commission is represented on the South Dennis Historic District by Pauline Wixon Derick.

Dean S. Sears, chairman of the Historical Commission served as the Dennis representative on the Old King's Highway Historic District Interim Commission. An overwhelming number of voters of Dennis and the other eight towns within the 100 sq. miles of the proposed district voted their approval at the Nov. 5 state election. Certification on Nov. 27 established the regional historic district. Historical data and cooperation continues to be provided the Dennis committee.

The first historical tour guide map was completed, published and distributed by the Historical Commission for the town of Dennis. The map reveals the names of original owners and dates 150 eighteenth century and 100 nineteenth century houses were built, and the location of the houses and many historic sites. It is proving useful to federal, state, county and town officials and commissions, banks, realtors, visitors and residents. It may be secured free of charge at the office of the secretary of the Commission and the Planning Board, Town Office, South Dennis. In the summer it is available at the Jericho and the Josiah Dennis Manse historical centers and at the Dennis Chamber of Commerce.

The Dennis Historical Commission has been designated as the guardian of the implementation of historical preservation restrictions in perpetuity in deeds of privately owned and maintained historical structures. Jane Chase was the first property owner to include historical and conservation restrictions in the deed registered Nov. 22, 1974 under Mass. General Laws Chapt. 194 sections 31-33. The house built c1700 on 31.42 acres is located on New Boston Road. The original land grant was made by Plymouth Colony Proprietors in 1639 to Thomas Howes, one of three original grantees of land in what is now Dennis. The house was built for his grandson, Thomas Howes. Myles Standish surveyed the land in the original grant.

A protest was submitted to the State Building Code Commission on the basis that stringent terms for restoration or remodeling would adversely affect the many historical old houses on the Cape and in the Commonwealth. The

Commission has been assured that Dennis building inspectors use their discretionary powers when modification of the new State Building Code is necessary for historical preservation. An article proposing a Building Code Board of Appeals for Dennis is to be included in the annual town meeting warrant for 1975. Senator John F. Aylmer is co-sponsoring a State legislative bill (h 3047) to modify the code in all historic districts throughout the Commonwealth.

When the State legislature passed the law (Chapt. 67 sec. 15C) for the protection of scenic roads, the Commission made a study of town-owned roads and proposed a list of roads to be so designated. With the cooperation of the Planning Board, a public hearing was held and an article designating 46 Scenic Roads was approved at the May 8 session of the annual town meeting.

The Commission registered a protest to state and federal authorities and the Penn. Central Railroad against the proposed abandonment of freight service on the Cape. It recommended resumption of railroad passenger services from New York and Boston to Hyannis.

Historical data and cooperation have been provided to town officials, the Comprehensive Planning Committee, Planning Board, Conservation Commission, Bicentennial Commission, the West Dennis Community Building Restoration Committee and the Bike Path sub-committee.

To encourage the restoration and use of historical public or privately owned structures instead of their demolition, the Commission has cooperated with the Josiah Dennis Manse historical center committee to preserve the c1777 district school building, and with the West Dennis Community Building Restoration Committee's efforts to have the 126 year old building restored as a Community Hall.

All members serve on the Jericho and Josiah Dennis Manse historical centers' committees. These town-owned historical centers are of increasing value as a result of the work of the committees and the cooperation of the Dennis Historical Society. The Josiah Dennis Manse is now listed on the National Register of Historic Places. It has been approved for receipt of a federal grant if a matching fund is approved by Dennis voters at the 1975 annual meeting.

The town's ownership of the Old Indian Burial Ground and funds for improvements were approved at the May 9 session of the annual town meeting. Arrangements are now being made for the necessary right of way. Plans are also being developed for a new access to the Howes Family cemetery which contains the graves of early settlers and soldiers of the Revolutionary War. An inventory of ancient gravestones and those in need of restoration in old Dennis burial grounds is being compiled for the Cemetery Commission and the Bicentennial Commission.

As the Bicentennial is expected to promote and develop the historical assets of Dennis, continuing cooperation is maintained and services are provided as requested by the Dennis Bicentennial Commission. Many of the projects now planned are expected to be of long-range value.

South Dennis Historic District Commission

Wellington C. Bingham, Chairman

After a lengthy delay while waiting for our state's Attorney General to approve the South Dennis Historic District by-law, the District Commission became operative late in 1974. After its organizational meetings, the Commission began its regular work of helping the residents of the district to maintain the South Dennis village in accordance with the spirit as well as the letter of the historic district by-law. In doing this work, the Commission sought to simplify forms and procedure so as to minimize confusion between the South Dennis and the Old Kings Highway Historic Districts.

The officers and staff of the Town of Dennis have been particularly helpful to this Commission in the time and counsel that they have given to us in our efforts to become a functioning commission. We thank them for their help.

Old King's Highway Regional Historic District

Members: William G. Hanger, Chairman
John M. Gill, Secretary
Craig Short
David Tellegen
Henry C. Boles

This Committee was created under Chapter 470 of the General Laws of 1973 which was voted November 3, 1974 by ballot referendum.

This Law became effective when Secretary of State, John X. Davoren certified the vote November 27, 1974 as being: Yes 22,971; No 7515; Blanks 4715.

The Dennis Town Committee was appointed by the Board of Selectmen and was organized prior to effective date of the Law.

Prior to January 1, 1975 a duly advertised hearing on Applications for Certificates of Appropriateness was held December 26, 1974 at which time 12 Applications were heard and approved. Also, 6 building permits which were issued between November 27, 1974 (time law became effective) and noon December 3, 1974 (time Town notified of effective date) were approved by the Committee after a personal inspection, of property, by two Committee members, Messers. Hanger and Gill.

I should like to thank the Selectmen, Finance Committee and others at the Town Offices for their whole-hearted cooperation in helping the Committee become operative.

Bicentennial Commission

Ann Treat Reynolds, Chairman
Roland Barker
William Jeremiah Burke
James J. Coogan Jr.
Joshua Crowell
Hazel Smith Kerr
Suzanne D. Lawton
Harold A. Thompson
Louis Cataldo (Ex Officio)

The Dennis Bicentennial Commission was appointed by the five Selectmen in June of 1974. On June 20th the newly appointed Commission held its first meeting at the Town Hall. Serving as officers of the Commission are the following: Chairman, Ann Treat Reynolds; Vice-Chairman, Hazel Smith Kerr; Secretary, Suzanne D. Lawton; Treasurer, James J. Coogan Jr. The mailing address for the Commission is P.O. Box #1776, a commemorative number which was kindly assigned to us by the staff of the Dennis village post office.

On June 24th, the entire Commission enthusiastically attended a meeting of all Barnstable County Bicentennial groups at the Olde Colonial Courthouse in Barnstable village. Dennis offered to host the next meeting of the Cape Cod Commissions and this was held in July at the interesting and historic old South Dennis Congregational Church.

On June 28th, members of the Commission were present at the annual Jericho Silver Tea to gather signatures of residents and visitors of parchment sheets for a fee of one dollar per line. The funds collected will be used to purchase a suitable container to be used as a capsule which can be buried in the ground. It was decided that the original sheets should go into the Town Hall vault and smaller size copies should be placed in a time capsule along with other items. The parchment sheets will be available at The Jericho House; The Josiah Dennis Manse; The Dennis Chamber of Commerce Booth; and, at future events so that all may have the opportunity to participate.

The Massachusetts Bicentennial Commission publishes quarterly editions of a newspaper, "The Bicentennial Times". The Dennis Commission was asked to submit two Cape recipes, both of which were chosen for publication in an article dealing with old Massachusetts kitchens. The recipes were "Jeremiah's Simple Cape Cornbread" and Miss Freeman's Fresh Cranberry Bread". The cranberry recipe was prefaced with facts on Dennis, the town where the cultivation of cranberries started. All the other published recipes were from Bicentennial Commissions off Cape.

The Commission has entertained a steady stream of ideas and has kept up a momentum of activity since their first meeting and throughout the rest of the year. Exciting plans have been made for 1975 and 1976 and will be announced shortly. It is earnestly hoped that all townspeople will participate in these plans.

Through historical research by Commission members, it was discovered that land belonging to The Dennis Village Improvement Society had been the

Military Training Field for colonial defense. With the cooperation of the Society, the Commission suitably marked this site of the original training field for the men of Dennis who fought in the American Revolution two hundred years ago with a stone on which an inscribed plaque was embedded. A sizeable boulder was located by Mr. Robert Crowell and moved to the site by Mr. Edward Crowell. The Prue Foundry very generously came to our assistance. Mr. Paul Prue, President, designed the appropriate bronze plaque and Mr. Grandval Prue, Vice-President and Treasurer, cast it. An extensive out-of-doors program which had been planned to dedicate the plaque was rained out. However, Senator John Aylmer, Representative Bernard Wilber, Town Moderator Peter McDowell and other dignitaries who were present for the occasion, adjourned to nearby Carleton Hall and joined all five Dennis Selectmen who were in complete eighteenth century head-to-toe dress, from their Tricorne hats to shoe buckles. The Selectmens' continued interest and ceremonial involvement in special events has been greatly appreciated by the Commission. (See Cover)

The Chairman of the Dennis Commission, Ann Reynolds, and the Harold Thompson family were costumed participants in the Barnstable Village Body of the People Re-Enactment. Our Commission members were also guests at the raising of the Liberty Pole at the Yarmouth Town Hall. Mrs. Penny Tanner, the Yarmouth Chairman, has been very gracious in her cooperation and we expect to work with her and her Yarmouth Commission members on certain joint endeavors.

Of high priority in our activities was the early filing of a detailed application to the National American Revolution Bicentennial Commission in Washington, D.C. for the town to become an official National Bicentennial Community and Dennis was subsequently so designated. The letter of notification, received at the end of 1974 stated that: "This recognition has been extended to your municipality because of the fine Bicentennial program planned by your organization". A framed Certificate of Recognition can be viewed at the Town Hall and the National Bicentennial flag with red and blue insignia on a white background will be flown from the Town Hall flagpole. We feel honored and are very proud that Dennis was selected.

In addition, the Commission was also notified that the town was chosen to be listed in the Bicentennial Administration's publication: "Official Master Reference for Bicentennial Activities". This also includes being recorded in the Bicentennial Master Calendar system, BINET, which the Congress of the United States directed The American Revolution Bicentennial Administration to prepare as a master calendar of events of local, state, national, and international significance which will take place between March 1975 and December 1976.

The Commission wishes to encourage all businessmen and citizens of the town during 1975 and 1976 to display in addition to the standard U.S. flag, one of the six historical United States flags which were flown during the Revolutionary War years. Information may be obtained from the Dennis Bicentennial Commission or the Dennis Chamber of Commerce about such flags.

In conclusion, the Chairman wishes to especially thank each of the dedicated members of the Dennis Commission listed above who have done such a wonderful job in accomplishing so much in such a short time. Their sincere historical interest and hours of voluntary service to the town will ultimately create a memorable and meaningful Bicentennial. The assistance and interest of everyone at the Town Hall is appreciated, too.

The primary projects undertaken by the Bicentennial Commission will have permanent significance for all Dennis residents and visitors to our town, particularly to future generations. There is indeed a "past to remember and a future to mold" here, as Dennis, led by its Bicentennial Commissioners, seeks to fulfill the three national thematic areas of the nationwide Bicentennial program: Past -Heritage 1776; Present -Festival U.S.A.; and Future -Horizons 1976.

Council on Aging

George A. Bullock, Chairman Pro Tem
David P. Reid, Treasurer
Lillian Bullock, Secretary
Richard N. Symonds
William G. Hanger
Louis F. McMurtry, Jr.
Robert C. Lawton, Jr.

The Council has registered 2150 elder citizens of the town of Dennis. It operates jointly with the Yarmouth Council to provide activities for all elder citizens. Classes in the Arts and Crafts are offered and social activities are encouraged.

We have completed our first year in the new Center at Long Pond Drive in Yarmouth. The added space has permitted sharp expansion of all activities and addition of new ones.

We were able to offer influenza inoculations this year with volunteer medical personnel. We were able to inoculate 998 elders and were limited by supply.

With the cooperation of the Visiting Nurses we began to offer geriatric counsel and also blood pressure checks. This service is made available to about 50 members each month. The demand was so great that we are supplementing the service on alternate weeks with blood pressure testing by our own volunteer medical retirees. This permits 100 additional members to be tested.

Space and utilities were provided the Red Cross for blood donations. We had 195 donors, and will offer this service again at Red Cross request.

The death of our chairman, Mr. Harold A. Strout, during the year was a great loss to us and to the town. His years of service to this and other town activities have helped many people.

We lost two other members of our council through resignations of Mrs. Helen Wishart and Miss Mildred A. Jacobus. Both resignations were accepted with sincere regret.

Our thanks go to the Selectmen and voters of Dennis for their support. We will continue our efforts to merit your help.

Transportation

Francis E. Bell, Transportation Advisor

While continued efforts of the Dennis Transportation Advisor and Regional Transportation Committee under C.C.J.T.C. and a governor's appointment have yet to see a balanced transit system for Dennis, there have been increased government support and changes in political attitudes which lend hope to our goal, - balanced transportation for Dennis and the Cape Cod region. Accordingly I submit this report.

All studies, whether local, state, or national, conclude that an immediate return to making mass transit available is imperative; the reduction of such service to movement of people and freight, for any reason - economic or whatever - must cease. The physical limits of energy and land are in reverse ratio with the growing needs of society. Therefore the priorities for the past twelve months have included those activities necessary to maintain and/or improve existing services, introduction of new legislation and implementation of programs previously authorized.

Selectmen of Dennis and all Cape towns have been appraised of the contents, intent and local implications of state and federal laws and changes in regulations, such as Chapter 161B, permissive legislation which provides sections of the Commonwealth the right to form official status as regional transit authorities. A watchful concerted effort has been made to prevent loss of rail services which supply Cape residents the bulk of all freight and preclude trucking of massive quantities of liquid propane and construction supplies (commercial and residential) over already choked highways and bridges. The loss of this service would create economic chaos for residents and environmental disaster for the region. This is still a major concern.

Also included among high priority considerations are highway improvements and extensions; where and how shall local and state highways be improved, - e.g. a possible interchange at Rt. 6 and Depot Street to improve that traffic situation in Dennis, etc. A Cape-wide effort to create an interchange of bike-paths, and proposals and supervision of bus systems and parking areas, are some of the on-going activities.

With the continued support of our elected officials and interest of our residents we hope 1975 will bring us to our main goal - a balanced transportation system.

Cape Cod Planning And Economic Development Commission

Lee Frankl, Dennis Member

The past year has been one of serious difficulties and momentous decisions for our nation. These events have touched us all and their effects have been echoed in the Cape Cod community. The Cape's thriving building industry slowed to a grinding pace. Yet, our tourist industry, threatened by gas shortages, managed to exceed previous revenues. Land use legislation continued on its road toward greater management of our nation's resources. The first step in protecting one of the Cape's most vital resources was taken with voter approval for an inventory of our groundwater resource. Charges of unfair state policies spread talk of a "State of Cape Cod" and public utility rates have raised organized public protests. Rising unemployment on the Cape and throughout the state spurred pledges of accelerated economic development efforts from a new Governor.

Referendum Question #7:

While times are troubled, the Cape Cod Planning and Economic Development Commission has seen a year of progress in a number of significant areas. Three years of Commission effort culminated this year in the passage of Water Inventory Referendum Question #7. The overwhelming three-to-one vote for the Referendum Question indicates a new spirit of regional concern for the protection of the Cape's vital resources. The success of the question also confirmed the Commission's long-held view that the Cape's water supply is of deep concern to the people of Cape Cod. Passage of the Referendum Question authorized the Barnstable County Commissioners to borrow money for the "inventory, measuring and researching of the groundwater resources of Barnstable County".

The United States Geological Survey's proposed water inventory program estimates the County's share of the project at \$152,700 of the total \$512,000 study. The remaining cost of the work is to be contributed by the USGS, the National Park Service and the Massachusetts Water Resources Commission. To assist the County Commissioners in the administration of the USGS proposal, the Commission proposed the establishment of a broadly based Task Force on Water Resources. The County Commissioners supported the concept of such a Task Force and the Commission launched a major public information program to clarify the issues involved in the Referendum Question.

Some 31 informational meetings were held between September 15 and Election Day, November 5. Many of the meetings, held throughout the Cape, were open public meetings and many were conducted at the request of public officials and local community groups. Cape newspapers and radio stations provided outstanding coverage of the issue as it developed and of the Commission's informational activities. Many newspapers and radio stations offered their editorial support for the Referendum Question as well.

The Association for the Preservation of Cape Cod provided volunteer support and the assistance of its staff. The Barnstable County Selectmen's Association offered its valuable vote of support early in the Commission's

community effort. The Cape Cod Chamber of Commerce, the Cape Cod League of Women Voters and a number of other community groups added to this unified positive position. The Commission is most grateful for the assistance of the newspapers, radio and television stations, and the many community groups that helped in bringing the facts to the voters.

The success of the Referendum Question is just the beginning in this important program. The four year project will provide a comprehensive view of the Cape's groundwater resources. This comprehensive inventory will provide the basis for the coordinated management of this most critical resource- our only fresh water supply.

Wastewater Management Planning:

While the Water Inventory will give us a great deal of information about our groundwater resource, it is up to us to decide what actions are needed to protect this resource. As we utilize our groundwater resource by taking water from the ground we also put our wastewater back into the ground. Wastewater is one of the major threats to the purity of our groundwater resource. Thus, the Commission welcomed the opportunity to apply for designation as a Section "208" Wastewater Management Planning Area this year. This application for designation formally endorsed by 13 of the 15 towns could provide substantial federal funds for a coordinated areawide wastewater management planning program. Such a program, to be developed with close coordination and cooperation of our local governments, and with the information developed in the USGS inventory, is the foundation for a uniquely sound water management program.

At the present time, the Cape has received designation as a Section "208" planning area and the CCPEDC has been designated as the "208" planning agency. We are awaiting approval of the Environmental Protection Agency before developing a full program application. The application will describe the program and budget for the 100% federally funded planning program. Current estimates are between \$300,000 - \$400,000 for the two year planning program and 75% federal funding can be provided for the implementation of the plan.

Community Involvement:

The Commission initiated a program to establish increased communication with the Cape Cod towns and their residents during the past year. A major part of this effort was a program of technical assistance. Members of the Commission staff provided professional guidance to a number of Cape Cod towns at their request. Preparation of subdivision regulations and revisions of zoning by-laws, advice on comprehensive master plans and transportation projects were some of the services that were very well received by the towns that took advantage of this program.

Two evening seminars were held to acquaint Cape Cod citizens and their elected officials with two important programs, the State Coastal Zone Management Program and the Federal Flood Insurance Program. Both meetings were well attended and offered interested citizens an opportunity to learn how these programs may affect the future of Cape Cod. A ten week seminar series entitled "Community Planning" was organized this fall by the Commission at the request of the Cape's local planning boards, and the Cape Cod Society of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors. Some 50 students

participated in the seminar covering a wide range of local planning matters from the handling of subdivision plans and proposed changes in the state zoning enabling act to the impact of the Federal and State land use programs on local planning. The purpose of the series was to give a broad overview of local planning considerations as an initial background for new planning board members and as a review for experienced board members, engineers and land surveyors. It is hoped that the information presented will assist the participants in efficiently and effectively discharging their responsibilities in the planning process of their town.

A public opinion survey has been designed to provide the Commission and its staff with a better perspective on citizen concerns and interests. The survey will be conducted in 1975 and it is hoped that the information gained from the responses will serve as a basis for making Commission action more responsive and more effective in years to come.

Economic Development:

The Commission's Economic Development Committee reorganized this year and under new leadership, it has been actively exploring possible approaches towards improving the Cape's economic ills. Cooperative activities have been underway with the Overall Economic Development Planning Committees in the designated economic development areas of Provincetown-Truro and Bourne. The Provincetown-Truro OEDP Committee has been investigating several potential public works projects eligible for federal assistance funds including a new well field and water distribution system, renewal of storm drains, installation of a sewer system and reconstruction of an area parking lot. The Bourne OEDP Committee was also reorganized this year and plans to work cooperatively with the non-Cape towns of Rochester and Wareham that make up the Economic Development Area.

Economic Development Administration funds have assisted in a study of the potential use of Otis for a Cape-wide Visitors Center and a Center for Arts and Crafts. This study, when completed, will supplement the original OEDP Committee's tourism study. Potential expansion of the Cape shellfish industry was the continuing concern of the Commission's Shellfish Advisory Committee. The Committee has developed a proposal for regional utilization of dredging equipment for (1) acquisition of contaminated shellstock from polluted areas off-Cape for transplanting and depuration in Cape waters, and (2) reclamation of nonproductive shellfish beds in Cape Cod towns. The Committee will be seeking funding sources for this project in the coming year.

Transportation Planning:

The Cape Cod Joint Transportation Committee, responsible for coordinating citizen concerns in the transportation planning process, pursued a number of important issues throughout the year. In 1973, the General Court authorized the creation of ten regional transit authorities in the state and Cape Cod was designated as one of the ten possible authority areas. The CCJTC has conducted a thorough study of the legislation and has recommended to the 15 Boards of Selectmen, the creation of a Cape Cod Regional Transit Authority Advisory Board. A Regional Transit Authority is authorized by the General Court to issue bonds for the implementation of transportation services on the Cape with one-half of the deficit of this service to be paid by the state. It is up to the Advisory Board, comprised of the Chairman of the Boards of Selectmen in

each town or their designee, to determine the suitability and usefulness of such an authority to Cape citizens.

The gas shortages in early 1974 renewed interest in the possibility of rail passenger service to the Cape. The CCJTC will continue to pursue the feasibility and practicality of reinstating rail passenger service as a compatible mode to the Cape's transportation picture. The retention of our most important rail freight service has also been a subject of concern with the Rail Reorganization Act of 1973 threatening the Cape's present rail service. Efforts to protect this vital service will be ongoing as the rail system for the Northeast is reorganized.

The CCJTC also monitors and reviews highway improvement and construction projects such as Rte 25/28 and the double-barreling of Route 6. Community concerns and comments are voiced in the coordinated planning process between the CCJTC, CPEDEC, and the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, and the Secretary of Transportation and Construction.

Solid Waste Planning:

In cooperation with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, the Commission sponsored a study of Regional Solid Waste Management for Barnstable County. The study conducted by CE Maguire, Inc. proposed three possible sites for regional disposal facilities. The three towns, named as possible site locations: Bourne (at Otis), Dennis, and Yarmouth have participated in meetings to discuss the proposal. Funds for further implementation of the plan are not available at this time but the Commission hopes to pursue the recommendations of the study as local interest and funding develops.

Fiscal and Governmental Analysis:

Working with town boards and elected officials has become a major emphasis of the Commission's activities. A close working relationship has developed with a number of Cape-wide groups and most notably the Barnstable County Selectmen's Association. Early in the year the BCSA requested that the Commission intensify its efforts in analyzing the formulas that determine state aid to the towns.

This in-depth analysis has produced a comprehensive review of current state aid formulas and recent trends in the distribution of state funds. The recommendations of this report may prove a valuable aid to the Selectmen and the Cape's Delegation to the General Court in assessing the Cape's interests in future state aid measures and additionally, the report provides a solid basis for our law-makers to develop constructive criticism of formulas that do not recognize the Cape's unique economy.

Concurrently the Commission has published a "Legislative Review '74" outlining legislation of interest to the people of Cape Cod. This booklet can be a helpful guide to upcoming legislative efforts and the potential impacts on the Cape.

What Next?

The Commission's work provides a balanced approach, capable of including all interests in the examination of the needs of Barnstable County. Funds for this balanced approach are provided by the County and are supplemented by special federal and state funding programs. During the past

year approximately \$24,000 was granted to the Commission by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and another \$25,110 in Economic Development Administration (EDA) funds were utilized to reimburse the County for the Commission's economic development activities. The state made available \$20,000 for transportation planning and an additional \$9,000 for cooperative solid waste management planning. The Commission expects continued funding from HUD and EDA in the coming year. Additional transportation planning funds totalling \$32,000 and some \$9,000 to initiate the Coastal Zone Management Program on Cape Cod are also expected from the State.

The work supported by these funds has stimulated new ideas and approaches to both regional and local problems. While many of the Commission's recommendations have not found immediate acceptance from county and town leaders, many have gained growing support as the basis for these recommendations become more visible to our elected officials and the general public. In recent months new interest in establishing a County data processing center, a County purchasing department and a Barnstable County Jobs Development Corporation has been voiced by locally elected officials. These proposals, suggested by the Commission in past years, may prove of great current value as the taxpayers of Cape Cod increase their pressure on elected officials to make the provision of governmental services more efficient and more economical.

The Commission recognizes the growing plight of many people on Cape Cod in the worsening national economic climate. The Commission, limited by its enabling legislation to the development of recommendations for improvement, cannot directly implement its recommendations. It can attempt to develop a unity among elected officials and the citizens of the Cape Cod community in seeking methods to contend with our serious economic situation. Such an effort will be the primary emphasis of the Commission's work in the coming year. The will and the power to help ourselves is within us. We must all gather these forces to meet the challenge of properly utilizing our natural and human resources while protecting our quality of life. The fruits of cooperative efforts are not always concrete and quantifiable. By coming together and providing a forum for regional concerns, a new strength and a new potential for the betterment of all Cape Cod citizens can be realized.

Schools

SCHOOL OFFICERS

DENNIS SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Judith Swanson, Chairman Dennis	Term expires, 1975
Dr. Gail Bickford, Secretary East Dennis	Term expires, 1977
William E. Crowell, Jr. Dennis	Term expires, 1976
John W. Francis Dennisport	Term expires, 1975
Mrs. Margaret Mathews South Dennis	Term expires, 1977

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OFFICE STAFF

Mrs. Bernice Blakeley	Office Manager
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Mrs. Anne FitzGerald	Payroll Clerk
Mrs. Lillian Fregeau	Accounts Clerk
Mrs. Ruth Pruitt	Payroll Clerk
Mrs. Miriam Sleighter	Receptionist
John J. Bowes	Attendance Supervisor
George Flanagan	Business Manager
Mrs. Margaret Moynihan	Secretary to the Business Manager

COORDINATOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES

Thomas M. LaGrasta

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Edward E. Eldridge, Jr., M.D.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1974-75

(FACULTY MEETING, SEPTEMBER 3, 1974)

OPEN

September 4, 1974
January 6, 1975
February 24, 1975
April 28, 1975

CLOSE

December 20, 1974*
February 14, 1975
April 18, 1975
June 26, 1975

HOLIDAYS

Teachers' Convention - October 11, 1974
Columbus Day - October 14, 1974
Veterans' Day - October 28, 1974
Thanksgiving Recess - November 28, 29, 1974
Good Friday - March 28, 1975
Memorial Day - May 28, 1975

SCHOOL DAYS BY MONTH

September	19 days	February	15 days
October	20 days	March	20 days
November	19 days	April	17 days
December	15 days	May	21 days
January	20 days	June	19 days

TOTAL NUMBER OF DAYS - 185

School will be continued until 180 days have been completed and closed for pupils on the 180th day (with teachers reporting on the following day).

*At close of School Day

**Mattacheese Middle School

**DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
1975-1976 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

September 3	- School Opens
October 10	- No School - Teachers' Convention
October 13	- No School - Columbus Day
November 11	-No School - Veterans' Day
November 26-28	- Thanksgiving Recess (Close at Noon on 26th)
December 22-	
January 2	- Christmas Recess
January 15	-No School - Martin L. King's Birthday
February 16-20	- Mid-Winter Recess
April 19-23	-Spring Recess
May 24	- No School - Memorial Day
June 5	- Graduation
June 25	- School Closes*

Total Number of Days Scheduled - 185

*School will be conducted until 180 days have been completed.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Donalf F. Eldredge, Acting Superintendent

It is a pleasure to submit my first annual report as your Acting Superintendent of Schools.

This has been a year of transition and change for the Dennis School System. All possible data pertaining to future educational plans, space needs, and administrative reorganization has been compiled and thoroughly analyzed to assist the voters in formulating their decision relative to the future direction of our schools. At the time of the writing of this report, your Acting Superintendent of Schools and his administrative staff is totally involved in analyzing the accumulated data in order to make meaningful recommendations to the voters to assist them in reaching a decision. The issue of regionalization vs. de-regionalization is undoubtedly one of the most complex issues which has faced the voters in many years.

While the public debates continue, the educational process still goes on. It gives me great satisfaction when I visit the schools and classrooms and witness the teachers carrying on the good work with our students. So that you may have a clear perception of what is happening in each school, I enclose a copy of each school principal's report.

I wish to publicly express my deepest gratitude and appreciation to my entire central office staff for their wholehearted support and cooperation during this past year. Each and everyone has given of himself or herself above and beyond the normal call of duty and has put forth that extra effort which makes the difference between success and failure in times of stress.

EZRA H. BAKER SCHOOL

Walter S. Morley, Principal

In my report to the Superintendent in 1969 I wrote: "Although the people may feel a measure of satisfaction at the progress of education in Dennis, this is not the time for retirement into a delusive state of complacency. As 1969 closes, the Ezra H. Baker School has an enrollment, counting Kindergarten children, which hovers around 580. This figure does not include the several children who are spending the winter in the South, but who will return in the spring. So the population of this school steadily approaches 600, a figure which it should not be permitted to exceed. Meanwhile, home construction continues apace, and the need for additional classrooms will grow as the new houses are purchased and inhabited. A close watch must be kept on rising enrollments if we are to avoid future educational ordeals of the kind we just survived."

Little attention was paid to this admonition, and we are back in crisis, crisis compounded because the worrisome state of the economy leaves the Town without the will to act.

It is also ironical in this time of overcrowding that the enrollment drop historically encountered in the middle of a school year has had no significant effect upon our condition up to December 20, 1974. Our official enrollment for the 1974-75 school year, determined by enrollment on October 1, was 826; on December 20 it was 826. This suggests to me that we shall receive no mid-year

relief and, further, that with enrollments in 1975 comparable to those of 1974, we shall open school next September with 875 pupils.

We are, indeed, beyond the moment of prudent action. What the school is forced to do from this point forward in meeting the educational needs of Dennis children will be a patchwork of unwanted but inevitable stopgaps. The school will do its best to make such stopgaps work.

I offer my congratulations to Mrs. Irene Dumican who completed her teaching career and retired at the close of school last June. I am sure that all who know her join me in an expression of gratitude for her long and devoted service to the children of Dennis.

NATHANIEL H. WIXON MIDDLE SCHOOL

William F. Griffith, Principal

The continued increase in the enrollment at the Nathaniel H. Wixon Middle School is now becoming a noticeable factor for consideration. In June, 1974 when school closed the enrollment was 445 students. At this time December, 1974 the enrollment figure has risen to 465 students. Presently, the school building is capable of meeting our needs, but hopefully with the building of a new elementary school the kindergarten will be relocated and those rooms reconverted for middle school use.

With the opening of school in September, 1974 exciting changes were made in the educational plan of our middle school children. An important feature of the middle school is flexibility. One example of our flexibility was the implementation of the interdisciplinary team teaching concept in the 6th grade. This concept of teaching enables teachers to correlate and integrate various subject matter areas. The administration feels this a large step forward from the departmentalized, structured program used in the past. Since its inception this new program appears to be most successful. The parents, children and teachers involved have expressed complete satisfaction with the new plan.

The present curriculum meets all state standards, however, needs that are evident are a resource room, a health education program to supplement our present volunteer service and additional audio-visual media. The purpose of the resource room would be to provide a non-threatening social and academic environment for those students with specific or diffuse behavioral and or academic needs. With the implementation of Chapter 766, the new Special Education Law, the need for this resource room has become more evident. This room would be staffed by a fully qualified learning disabilities teacher, who would act as a liaison between classroom teachers and other supportive personnel.

One of the concerns of parents in the past had been the leveling system of student grouping employed at the school. The opening of school in September, 1974, found our students in heterogeneously grouped classes with some limited grouping within a subject area. Two obvious advantages are that students with a particular problem in a subject may be grouped in order to attack the problem itself and equal class sizes can be maintained throughout the classes.

The new schedule also permits equal time for all students in the non

academic subjects and the advantage of arranging time for regularly scheduled classes for special help. In keeping with the middle school feature of flexibility, students are given the opportunity to elect the time of year in which they will participate in non-academic subjects while still meeting participation requirements.

Student Assistance and Independent Learning - SAIL - is a regular part of the schedule and enables students to be enrolled in regular assistance classes as well as pursuing a subject of their own choice. These S.A.I.L. sessions are scheduled for one marking period and may be re-elected or changed.

The professional staff of the Nathaniel H. Wixon Middle school was increased this year with the appointment of three new teachers. One new appointment, Mr. Daniel Nicholson, Mathematics Coordinator is shared with the Ezra H. Baker School. Two appointments, Miss Charline Comeau, teacher of household arts and Mr. Ronald Murphy, teacher of industrial arts/crafts have enabled us to broaden our program so that a more individualized form of education takes place. It is our purpose to provide each student with the best possible education in accordance with his individual needs, capacities, and limitations. Besides a basic academic education, the Nathaniel H. Wixon Middle School strives to offer experiences in the fine arts, practical arts, athletics, and a wide variety of school activities.

EZRA H. BAKER SCHOOL

<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Appointed</u>	<u>Grade/Subject</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Degree</u>
Walter S. Morley	1966	Principal	Emory University	B.A.
Laurence C. MacArthur	1973	Assistant Principal	Bridgewater State Teacher's College	M.Ed.
Maureen Allen	1973	4	State College at Bridgewater	B.S.E., M.S.
Constance Andrews	1971	Librarian	University of Rhode Island	B.A.
Ruth Ann Barr	1970	1	Wilkes College	B.A.
Jean M. Blake	1970	Pre-primary	Michigan State University	B.A.
Judith Boyle	1960	3	Wheelock College	B.S.E.
Cathy Bush	1973	3	Bridgewater State College	B.S.E.
LaVonne Carter	1966	1	Connecticut College	B.A.
Alan Cavanagh	1973	5	Sacramento State College	B.A.
			Boston University	B.S.E.
			Brown University	M.S.
Elizabeth Connor	1968	2	Boston University	M.Ed.
Frank Cornwell	1961	Stringed Instrument	Felix Winternitz, Boston, Massachusetts	
Therese D'Abre	1961	Supervisor of	Boston University	
		Communicative Arts	University of Massachusetts	M.Ed.
Martha Day	1970	Physical Education	Marietta College	B.A.
Alice Edgerton	1972	2	Boston University	B.A.
Mae G. Freeman	1946	Special Needs, Reading	Hyannis Normal School	B.S., M.Ed.
Ellen Galligan	1973	3	Bridgewater State College	
Karen Gilligan	1973	1	Lake Erie College	
			University of Massachusetts	B.S.E.
Jean Gillis	1969	5	Colorado State Coll., Bridgewater State Coll.,	B.A.
Thomas J. Griffin	1969	Physical Education	Boston University	B.S.
Drane Hem bree	1970	Speech Therapist	Kent State University	B.S.E., M.S.
William G. Holden	1974	4	Bridgewater State College	B.S.
Gerrude Homer	1947	Household Arts	Frammingham State College	B.S.E.
Virginia Hoskins	1972	Kindergarten	Wheelock College	B.S.E.
Brian Kelly	1972	5	Holy Cross	B.S.
			Boston State College	M.Ed.

Pauline Kennedy	1967	Kindergarten	Boston University	B.S.E.
Paul Koulouris	1973	Kindergarten	Amherst College, Smith College	A.B.
Peter Kropp	1973	3	Boston University	B.S.
William Lawson	1972	3	Hobart College	B.A.
Mary Manwaring	1968	1	Framingham State College	B.S.E.
Judith McShane	1969	Special Needs, Reading	Fitchburg State College	B.S.E.
William McShane	1971	4	State College at Westfield	B.S.E.
Cynthia Merna	1969	Art	Regis College	B.A.
Viola Mitchell	1967	Vocal Music	Oberlin Conservatory of Music	B.M.
David Murphy	1972	4	Boston State College	B.S.E.
Pamela Neylon	1974	Pre-primary	Marymount College	B.A.
Daniel Nicholson	1974	Mathematics	University of Massachusetts	B.A.
Sandra Norton	1969	Coordinator	Saint Francis Xavier University	M.A.T.
Barbara Pfarrer	1963	2	University of Massachusetts	B.S.
Rosemary Rathburn	1969	4	University of Massachusetts	M.Ed.
Esther Schmiederer	1963	1	Keene State College	B.A.
John W. Todd, Jr.	1971	Special Needs, Math	Trenton State College	B.S.E.
Joseph Valentine	1973	Instrumental Music	Worcester State College	B.S., M.Ed.
Katherine Walker	1972	Industrial Arts	Lesley College	B.S., M.S.
Donald Watson	1973	Adjustment Counselor	Lowell State College	B.M.E.
Richard Whalen	1972	Resource Specialist	New Britain Teachers College	B.A.
Rita Winship	1954	5	New York University	M.Ed.
Deborah Wolfe	1973	1	Bates College	B.A.
Estelle K. Wordell	1962	2	University of Maine	M.Ed.
Phyllis Wright	1971	Special Needs, Reading	Boston State College	B.S., M.E.
Irma Y. Zigarmi	1954	5	Boston State College	B.S.
			Boston University	B.S.E.
			Slippery Rock State College	B.S.E.
			Lowell Normal School, Bridgewater State Coll.,	B.S.E.
			Bridgewater State College	B.S.E.
			Emmanuel College	B.A.

<u>School Nurse</u>	1971	School Nurse
Janet Inkley Classroom Teacher		
<u>Aides</u>		
Stephanie Callanan	3	
Margaret Davin	1	
Barbara Huston	5	
Evelyn MacKay	4	
Margaret Pierce	2	
Beverly Winston		Kindergarten Assistant
Clerical Teacher		
<u>Aides</u>		
Gloria Budrick	2	
Hazel Cole	1	
Marie Jaques	5	
Helen Ormerod	4	
Jean Williams	3	
Office Clerk		
Lesah MacKay	Office Clerk	
School Secretary		
Alice C. Ellis	School Secretary	

NATHANIEL H. WIXON MIDDLE SCHOOL

<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Appointed</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>College</u>	<u>Degree</u>
William F. Griffith	1957	Principal	Stonehill Coll., Bridgewater State	B.A., M.Ed.
Michael J. McNamara	1973	Assistant Principal	Tufts Univ., Boston Coll. Boston College Doctoral Candidate	B.S., M.Ed.
Thomas Cronin	1969	Mathematics	Westfield State College,	B.S.
Richard Maxwell	1964	Mathematics	Holy Cross Coll., Bridgewater State	A.B., M.Ed.
James Veneziano	1973	Mathematics	Central Conn. State Coll., Univ. of Maryland	B.S., M.A.
Robert Philla	1974	Mathematics	Univ. of South Florida	B.A.
Nancy MacArthur	1969	French	Bridgewater State	B.S.
Ruth Cahoon	1972	Spanish	Brown Univ., Emory Univ.	B.A., MAT Spanish Ed.
Kathleen Ross	1974	Reading	Northeastern Univ.	B.S. in Ed., Cert. in Reading
Margaret Raymond	1965	Reading	Bridgewater State	B.S.
J. Thomas Clemence	1969	Soc. Studies	Bridgewater State	B.A.
Daniel Hennessey	1971	Soc. Studies	Bridgewater State	B.A.
Charles J. May	1972	Soc. Studies	Boston Univ., Univ. of Mass.	B.S., M.Ed.
Jeffrey Frankel	1973	Soc. Studies	Oberlin Coll., Brown Univ.	A.B., MAT
Albert B. Noyes	1959	Ind. Arts	Wentworth Inst., Boston Univ.	B.S.
William Jacques	1974	Vocal	Holy Cross College	M.Ed.
Walter D. Nickerson	1969	Guidance	Springfield College	B.M.
		Counselor	N.E. Conservatory of Music,	B.A., M.Ed.
		Science	Lamennais Coll., St. Michael's Coll.	B.S.
Roger A. L'Heureux	1971	Science	Univ. of Mexico	B.S.
Andrew D. Melnick	1971	Science	Bridgewater State College	B.S.
Robert T. Krueger	1966	Science	Nathaniel Hawthorne Coll., Boston Univ.	B.A., M.Ed.
Francis J. Baker	1968	Science	Boston University	A.A., B.S., M.Ed.
Robert Taylor	1967	English	Boston University	B.A.
Jean C. Viekman	1969	Language Arts	Houghton College	B.A., M.Ed.
Janice FitzGerald	1970	English	Jackson College, Bridgewater State	B.S.
Darlene Carfley	1972	English	Pennsylvania State University	B.S.
Donn DeVita	1969	Art	Rhode Island S. of Design, Columbia Univ.	B.F.A., MA
Karen Kelly	1971	Art	Fitchburg State College	B.S.
Ronald Murphy	1973	Ind. Arts	Univ. of Ma., MAT Univ.	B.S., MA

Richard Hart	1970	Basic Ed.	Boston State	B.S., Portia Law LLB
Elizabeth A. Murley	1969	Home Ec.	Simmons College	B.S.
Charlene Comeau	1974	Home Ec.	Framingham State	B.S.
Theres D'Abre	1961	Read Consultant	Univ. of Ma., Boston Univ.	A.B., M.Ed.
Elaine Fitzgerald	1972	Reading	Boston State Coll.	B.S.Ed., M.Ed. in Guidance
Sarah Quinn	1961	Physical Ed.	Bridgewater State,	B.S.
William F. Chapman	1954	Physical Ed.	Boston University	M.Ed.
Ruth M. Muse	1970	Librarian	Adelphi Coll., Columbia Univ.	A.B., M.S.
Jeffrey Nilson	1972	Remedial Tutor	Wesleyan Univ. (Ct.)	B.A.
Diane Hembree	1970	Speech Therapist	Boston Univ., reading and language	Ed.M.
John Todd	1971	Instrumental Music	Kent State Univ.	B.S.Ed.
Frank Cornwell	1963	Stringed Instruments	Lowell State College	B.M.E.
Katherine Walker	1972	Adjustment Counselor	Studied under Felix Winteritz,	
Lelia M. Eldridge		School Nurse	Cape Cod Symphony Orchestra	
Daniel Nicholson	1974	Math Coor.	Bates College, Univ. of Maine	B.A., M.Ed.
Clerical Teacher Aides			Newton Wellesley Hosp., Simmons Coll.	R.N.
Dolores Collette			St. Francis Xavier Univ., Univ. of Ma.	B.S., M.Ed.
Lorraine Hamilton				
Barbara Perry				
Georgia Watson				
Library Aide				
Kathleen T. Norton				
School Secretary				
Shirley A. Shea				

ENROLLMENT - October 1, 1974

Grade	Pre-												Ungra.	Total
	K	Prim	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
Ezra H. Baker School	140	21	122	145	124	130	143						1	826
Nathaniel H. Wixon Middle School	140	21	122	145	124	130	143	145	157	156			1	1284
Total														

**DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
ENROLLMENT - October 1, 1974**

Grade	9	10	11	12	Total
Dennis	143	144	134	140	561
Yarmouth	271	289	249	248	1057
Total	414	433	383	388	1618

DENNIS-YARMOUTH COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

James R. Davis, Director

It is with pleasure that I submit this annual report to you as Director of Dennis-Yarmouth Community Schools.

The concept of Community Education as we view it in our two towns entails not only a greater use of school facilities but also a greater involvement of citizens in the schools themselves. The major portion of our tax dollar is earmarked for the education of our children and school plant operation and maintenance; however, the school facilities remain unused for a large percentage of the clock hours during the calendar year. It is for this reason that communities throughout the nation are capitalizing on the concept of greater utilization of existing school facilities by initiating and supporting the community school concept. Greater utilization of what already exists in turn means greater savings and less waste.

The office of your Community Schools has been involved in many different programs during the past year; the largest and most comprehensive being the Adult Education Program.

The afternoon and evening Adult Program registered over 2,300 citizens from Dennis and Yarmouth. The program opened this past Fall with 108 courses being offered in three different schools: Wixon Middle School, Mattacheese Middle School and D-Y Regional High School. The initial registration period was held during the week of September 17, 1974; however, continuous registration is in effect as long as there is available room in any of the courses.

The annual Adult Education Exhibit which was held in the Spring at Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School was the culmination of many hours of painstaking effort on the part of the adult students. I believe the exhibit was very successful and it was especially gratifying to me to see for the first time the combined talents of the citizens of Dennis and Yarmouth displayed in our program.

A Sight and Hearing Clinic was administered in January 1974 by the school nurse using school equipment. As a result of the screening, a number of adults were advised to seek further professional help. This clinic exemplified the true nature of the Community School concept; that being the full utilization of the facilities, equipment and talent the schools possess for the benefit of all the citizenry.

The children of Dennis and Yarmouth were offered an Afternoon Enrichment Program in theatrical and dramatic skills under the direction of Mr. Irwin Bierhans. The culmination of this effort was a series of short skits presented for the parents at the Wixon Middle School during the Winter session.

The children of Yarmouth in grades 4-8 were offered a variety of recreational and enrichment programs similar to those offered to the adults in the evening program. The response to this Saturday Morning Program was very gratifying. The success of this continuing program is due in large measure to the enthusiasm and direction of Mr. George Streeter.

The children in Dennis were given an unique opportunity last summer to

participate in a Summer Band. This instrumental instruction program was under the direction of Mr. John Todd.

A program of Tennis instruction, organized by Mr. Richard Hart, was offered to the Dennis youngsters also. As these two programs were received with much enthusiasm it is hoped that they will be continued during the coming year.

Currently, a program of Dance Instruction for children in Yarmouth in grade levels K-3 is being offered on Saturday mornings at the Margaret E. Small School. This program was very well received by the younger set and is under the direction of Mrs. Lillian Roma.

Swimming instruction is also being offered to the children in grades 3-8 in Dennis. We are most fortunate to obtain the pool facilities at the Bayside Condominiums. I wish to thank Mr. MacAbee, Mr. Bova and the residents of the Bayside Condominiums for their concern and interest in permitting the children in Dennis the use of their pool. This program is under the able direction of Mr. Thomas Griffin.

Our high school students are not being forgotten. Instruction in Folk and Square Dancing is currently being offered on Tuesday evenings under the direction of Mr. Dudley Briggs.

The Dennis-Yarmouth Community Schools are offering to both the children in Dennis and Yarmouth, instruction in Baton Twirling on Saturday mornings at D-Y Regional. Instruction is given by Miss Ann Bohlin assisted by our own D-Y majorettes.

Last summer I was happy to assist the schools in directing the renovation of the Administration Center on Station Avenue.

Those of us who are associated with the administering of the Dennis-Yarmouth Community School Program appreciate the support and interest shown by our citizens in our programs.

I wish to thank you, Mr. Eldredge, and Mr. Liberty for your concern and support of the Community School Program.

I would also like to express my appreciation to the School Committees of our two towns for their continued interest in their Community School Program and their understanding of the problem inherent in my serving two communities under the direction of three committees. Thank you.

**DENNIS SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
Financial Statement**

Due to the changeover to a fiscal year accounting system, it is not possible to publish the final status of the Dennis School Accounts.

The following is the financial statement as of the indicated dates.

ARTICLE 6:

School Account (January 31, 1975)	
Appropriated	1,842,185.00
Expended	976,125.06
Balance	866,059.94
Cafeteria Account (January 31, 1975)	
Appropriated	44,877.00
Expended	21,912.73
Balance	22,964.27

ARTICLE 21:

Vocational Education Account (Jan. 8, 1975)	
Carry-over	18,024.41
Appropriated	27,620.00
Expended	6,368.00
Balance	39,276.41
Adult Vocational Education Acct. (Jan. 31, 1975)	
Carry-over	6,418.90
Refund	241.20
Fees	4,010.00
Appropriated	34,993.00
Expended	17,821.24
Balance	27,841.81
Tuition & Transportation of Handicapped Children (Jan. 8, 1975)	
Carry-over	10,286.50
Appropriated	9,230.00
Expended	7,605.00
Balance	11,911.50

Cape Cod Regional Technical High School District School Committee

R. Arthur Williams, Chairman

The year 1974 in the annals of the Cape Cod Regional Technical High School will be remembered as the year in which a steel structure at the intersection of Route 6 and Route 124 became a brick building that all citizens in our eleven towns should be very proud of, because your participation as voters made it possible. As of this writing the building should be ready for partial occupancy during the month of February.

Concurrently with the development of the building the School Committee, its sub-committees, and the administrative staff, have been working and meeting in the Gilmore House on staffing, program development, operational and financial policy development and student enrollment.

To us, the voter acceptance of a vocational school for Cape Cod was based on the premise that such a facility will have the capacity and expertise to give the knowledge and marketable skills of the faculty to those secondary students who have the desire and attributes of utilizing this knowledge and skill to become wage earners, have the foundation for advanced education, or to become craftsmen in their chosen skill.

The capacity factor, so often underestimated in other vocational undertakings, was wisely established in the sizing of the facility by the Committee two years ago and we do expect a student enrollment of 900 students in September 1975.

We are now deeply involved in the identification and selection of professional and non-professional staff upon whose shoulders will rest the responsibility of attainment of the voter's objective. However well planned and constructed, the building and its modern equipment is lifeless - it will be this staff that will justify the investment made toward the primary goal of student training and accomplishment.

We enter this crucial period with a firm outline of academic, vocational and administrative organization to be staffed progressively downward from the office of Superintendent-Director to assure the opportunity of selectivity in the staffing by those who have the major responsibility for teaching effectiveness.

Now we have under contract Mr. Frank Goodwin, Vocational Coordinator, Mr. Christopher Borden, III, Academic Coordinator, Mr. Orren Bradstreet, Coordinator of Pupil Personnel Services, and Mr. Bernard Holmes, Area Occupational Coordinator.

Each of these men have the academic credentials, the experience, as well as state and national recognition for excellence in their fields. These men are reviewing the selecting for interview well over 1300 teaching applications from all over the country to identify and recommend the personnel that will

ultimately complete our faculty. Men and women of excellent credentials and experience are applying - we should have a staff second to none.

Time together will be required to mold these people into a cohesive, intra-supportive faculty for maximum student benefit. It is for this reason we have budgeted for staff and program development during the summer months of 1975.

To promote an early and sincere recognition of the importance of effective education for the least tax dollar, we sought and found an experienced business manager to oversee all financial and non-professional operations of our school. Mr. Harry Gravlin, with a Master's degree in Engineering, brings 30 years of large and small business management to our staff, who will, under the competent advice of our treasurer, Mr. Dean T. Fleming, bring effective financial control.

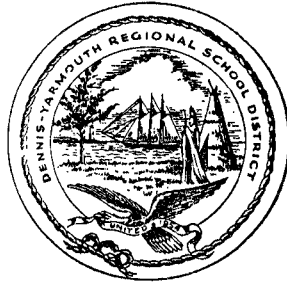
With this key personnel now functioning, the progressive appointment of staff from high level applicants, the eminent completion of our facility and confidence in our program of education, we approach September 1975 with enthusiasm and the determination that we will justify the faith of the voters expressed in 1971 to provide our young men and women the opportunity for exciting and career forming secondary education, - it is the only reason for which we come together.

Plans are now being developed to arrange meetings with groups of students, parents, civic organizations, and citizens to describe in detail the programs that will be offered in September 1975. In the Spring we hope to be able to have conducted tours of the building.

In conclusion, we the committee, wish to again take this opportunity to thank you for your tremendous support during the year 1974, and we look forward to your continued support in the future.

Our Superintendent-Director, Mr. Wilfred H. Learned, Jr., has his office in the house right on Route 124, the telephone number is 432-4500, and if you have any questions he would be glad to discuss them with you.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
DENNIS - YARMOUTH
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT



DECEMBER 31, 1974

**SCHOOL OFFICERS
SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

Col. Dean B. Yount, Chairman Dennis	Term Expires 1977
Mrs. Alice C. Hofmann, Vice Chairman South Dennis	Term Expires 1975
Mrs. Elinor E. Slade, Secretary West Dennis	Term Expires 1976
Mrs. Margaret M. Mathews, Treasurer South Dennis	Appointed by Dennis School Committee
Laurence F. Ellis West Yarmouth	Appointed by Yarmouth School Committee
Richard Ernst, Jr. South Yarmouth	Term Expires 1977
James I. McVey Yarmouth Port	Term Expires 1975
Warren A. Nelson South Dennis	Term Expires 1977
Robert W. Saben, Jr. Yarmouth Port	Term Expires 1975*
Russell N. Wilkins South Yarmouth	Term Expires 1977

*Replacement for Frederick A. Small, whose term would have expired 1976; candidate will run for one-year term in 1975.

OFFICE STAFF

Mrs. Leah M. Magurn	Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, District-Secretary to Committee
Mrs. Agnes M. Carroll	Accounts Payable Clerk
Mrs. Betty S. Hall	Financial Clerk
Mrs. Olive D. Potter	Statements Clerk

SUPERINTENDENT/PRINCIPAL

210 Station Avenue	Charles P. Liberty	South Yarmouth, Mass.
	Tel. 394-8311	
Shirley A. Almonte	Secretary to the Superintendent/Principal	

CENTRAL OFFICE

443 Station Avenue	South Yarmouth, Mass.
	Tel. 394-0933

OFFICE STAFF

Mrs. Bernice Blakeley
Mrs. Eleanor Bowes
Mrs. Anne FitzGerald
Mrs. Lillian Fregeau
Mrs. Ruth Pruitt
Mrs. Miriam Sleighter

Office Manager
Secretary
Payroll Clerk
Accounts Clerk
Payroll Clerk
Receptionist

Donald F. Eldredge
Thomas M. LaGrasta
James R. Davis
John J. Bowes

Director of Pupil Personnel Services
Coordinator of Special Education Services
Director of Community Schools
Attendance Officer

LOSS OF PERSONNEL—DUE TO RETIREMENT

After many years of faithful service to the students of the district, the following staff member left to enjoy a well-earned retirement.

Sincere best wishes of the administration are publicly extended to: Mrs. Pauline L. Hopkins, Related Arts Department Head and Art Teacher, after fifteen years of service.

DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Committee Report—1974

January 1, 1974, brought with it the resignation of Harold L. Hayes, Jr., who had been a member of the Planning Committee for the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School District and had served as a Committee member and Secretary-Treasurer of the District since its inception. As the last remaining member of the original Committee, he will be missed not only by his colleagues, but also by Administrators and staff. His faithful service to the communities of Dennis and Yarmouth will be long remembered. The Committee appointed Elinor Slade and Frederick Small as Temporary District Secretary and Temporary District Treasurer, respectively, and Leah Magurn as assistant in both capacities. At the Annual Meeting of the District in May, Col. Yount was elected Chairman and Mrs. Hofmann, Vice Chairman. Mrs. Slade was appointed District Secretary and Mr. Small, District Treasurer.

At the annual town elections, four new members were elected—to replace Mr. Hayes, Mr. Whipple, Mr. Blanchard and Mr. Hodsdon. Richard Ernst, James Mc Vey and Russell Wilkins were elected in the Town of Yarmouth; Warren Nelson in the Town of Dennis. In October, Mr. Small resigned as Committee member and as Treasurer of the District. Robert Saben, Jr., was appointed by the Selectmen of the Town of Yarmouth to serve as Committee member until the next annual election, and the Committee appointed Margaret Mathews as Temporary Treasurer until the next Annual District election in May, 1975. The dedication and conscientiousness of those who have given of themselves for the past several years have left an indelible mark. The inevitability of change is a pattern in all governmental affairs, and working together for the welfare of all concerned has been recognized as the paramount consideration.

Early in the year, the firm of LYONS MATHER AND LECHNER began working on plans for new construction. In conjunction with a subcommittee designated for this purpose, drawings have been developed for the review of the Committee at regular meetings. Townspeople have shown their interest in designs, through suggestions made at well-attended sessions. Preliminary plans have been submitted to the School Building Assistance Bureau for approval.

The beginning of the school year saw a new administrative concept. Dr. John Murphy and Dr. Robert Kessler had left their posts as Superintendent and Director of Secondary Education for employment in other Districts. It was the decision of the Committee to hire a Superintendent/Principal for the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School District. After an intensive search, a subcommittee interviewed selected candidates for recommendation to the Committee. In September, Charles P. Liberty was appointed Superintendent/Principal for the school year. Mr. Liberty has had experience as Assistant Principal for a number of years and is cognizant of the D-Y school situation. He has shown remarkable adaptability to the problem of double sessions, with which we are wrestling. He has also devoted much time to fiscal matters, in close cooperation with the Budget Subcommittee.

In August, initial steps for preparation of a proposed amendment to the Agreement, which would permit K-12 regionalization, were taken. With the assistance of Legal Counsel, the Committee has been working diligently to draft an amendment which will incorporate the thinking of members and concerned citizens, as well. A Future Planning Subcommittee was appointed in October to study all facets of K-12 regionalization, dissolution of the region, and a status quo organization. It was voted that the selectmen be requested to hold special town meetings to allow the voters to make a determination concerning the issue.

The Committee, as Trustee of the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School District Scholarship Fund, has been privileged to award \$4,200 in additional scholarships this year. We have been grateful to receive during the year \$4,400 in donations and loan repayments. Payments on awards to students granted in previous years have continued. The financial report of the District reflects transactions in this area, as in all fiscal matters, for the period July 1, 1974, through December 31, 1974.

As is the custom of the District, excess funds have been fully invested. The income derived from Certificates of Deposit and savings deposits has totaled nearly \$42,800, due—in large part—to an unprecedentedly high yield on Certificates of Deposit during the mid-portion of 1974.

The overriding purpose of the Committee remains, as always, to provide the best possible education for the students of the District, recognizing — in the words of Aristotle — that “The fate of empires depends on the education of youth.”

Dean B. Yount, Chairman
Alice C. Hofmann, Vice Chairman
Elinor E. Slade, Secretary
Margaret M. Mathews, Treasurer
Laurence F. Ellis
Richard Ernst
James I. Mc Vey
Warren A. Nelson
Robert W. Saben, Jr.
Russell N. Wilkins

DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
Annual Report
Superintendent/Principal

The year 1974 has been one of transition, challenges, and accomplishments for Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School. In the Spring of the year, a 50% change in the Regional School Committee occurred. In late Summer, the Superintendent, Dr. John A. Murphy, resigned to take a position in New Jersey and the Principal, Dr. Robert E. Kessler, resigned to accept a position in Ohio, leaving a void that was very difficult to fill. With the help of the administrators, the faculty, the staff, and the student body we have successfully continued the education of the grade nine through twelve students of Dennis and Yarmouth under extremely adverse conditions—namely, double sessions. I believe an accurate description of our current situation can best be illustrated by quoting my annual yearbook message to the class of 1975:

As your secondary education comes to an end, I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your inspirational help and interest in making Dennis-Yarmouth a school we can all be proud of. In the last four years, you have faced a multitude of changes in curriculum, leisure time activities, school day sessions, and overall community philosophy toward education, and you seem to have borne up well under the strain.

My sincere wish is that you gain the success in the future you desire as an individual and that, collectively, you become a constructive element of our member communities. My hope is that you will not forget us as you leave, but will continue to help in any way you can to improve the educational situation in Dennis and Yarmouth to benefit the students of the future. Again, my thanks to all of you. It has been an honor to know and work with you.

In conclusion, may I state that our space needs at the high school are acute, and positive action must be taken as soon as possible. I thank the School Committee, the Community, the Parents, and, most of all, the students for their support during this transitional period. It has been a truly rewarding experience.

Charles P. Liberty
Superintendent/Principal
Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School

**DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL
ADMINISTRATORS AND STAFF
1974 TOWN REPORT**

Name	Position	Where Educated	Year Appointed	Degree
Charles P. Liberty	Superintendent/Principal	Univ. of N.H., Boston State College	1964	M.Ed.
Richard B. Colby	Assistant Principal	Colby College, Bridgewater State College	1969	M.Ed.
J. David Crawford	Assistant Principal	St. Anselm's College	1972	B.A.
Wallace A. Johnson	Assistant Principal	Bates U., U. of Vermont, Calvin Coolidge Coll.	1962	Ed.D.
Merrill D. Wilson	Assistant Principal	Univ. of Maine, Bridgewater State College	1957	M.Ed.
Joseph W. Aldridge, Jr.	Social Studies	East Carolina College, Bridgewater State Coll.	1958	M.Ed.
Nancy M. Anastasia	Special Needs Counselor	Simmons, Boston Univ., Northeastern	1965	C.A.G.S.
Jane Angus	Foreign Language	Univ. of Massachusetts	1973	B.A.
Paul Arnold	Math	Worcester State	1972	B.A.
Cornelia Austin	Special Needs Teacher	Bridgewater State College	1974	M.Ed.
Lloyd K. Avery	Business	Culver-Stockton College	1968	B.S.
Karen Baca	Physical Education	Springfield College	1973	B.S.
Darwin Baggett	Science	Austin Peay State Univ.	1972	B.S.
Katherine Baker	Librarian	Vassar College, Rutgers	1972	M.L.S.
Peter J. Barca	Math	Univ. of Mass., Bridgewater State College	1963	M.Ed.
Michael D. Bean	Related Arts	Western Michigan Univ.	1970	B.A.
Donald W. Bell	Science	Univ. of Massachusetts, R.P.I.	1966	M.S.
Claire A. Berger	Business	Montclair State College	1972	B.A.
Wayne Bergeron	Special Education	Bridgewater State College	1972	B.S.
Ann P. Bohlin	Reading	Bridgewater State College	1973	B.S.
William B. Booker	Business	Husson College, Univ. of Maine	1961	M.Ed.
Joan M. Bresnahan	English	Mt. St. Mary College	1974	B.A.
Theodore Bryson	Physical Education	Union College	1974	M.A.

Thomas F. Butler	Math	Mass. Maritime Academy, Univ. of Detroit	1960	M.A.T.M.
Franz Cahoon	Social Studies	Bridgewater State Coll., Montclair State Coll.	1972	M.A.
Dennis Cambal	English	William and Mary College	1974	A.B.
Richard Carleton	Social Studies	Dartmouth College	1973	A.B.
Alan R. Carlsen	English	Univ. of N.H., Bridgewater State College	1956	M.Ed.
Francis Carullo	English	Brown Univ., Boston State College	1969	M.Ed.
Lee Chadeayne	Foreign Language	Columbia, Ohio State Univ.	1973	M.A.
Scott A. Cleaves	Industrial Arts	Fitchburg State College	1965	B.S.
James J. Coogan, Jr.	Social Studies	Boston College	1972	B.A.
Charles E. Corkum	Business	Northeastern Univ., Boston Univ.	1967	M.Ed.
John F. Crompton	Math	Boston State College	1971	M.Ed.
Samuel Cuddeback	Distributive Education	Dartmouth College	1974	A.B.
Stanley M. Daggett	Math	Univ. of Massachusetts, Columbia Univ.	1953	M.A.
Joseph A. Daigle	Instructional Media	Swain School of Design, Bridgewater St. Coll.	1971	B.F.A.
Elaine F. Dertick	English	Middlebury College	1957	A.B.
Linda L. DiBerto	Physical Education	Bridgewater State College	1974	B.S.
John Donovan	Business	Salem State College	1972	B.A.
Janet N. Downs	English	Wells College	1974	B.A.
Johanna K. DuBois	English	Rutgers, Newton College of Sacred Heart	1974	M.Ed.
Gordon F. Dunn	Social Studies	Boston College, Boston State College	1971	M.Ed.
Robert Edmonson	Foreign Language	Univ. of Miami, Middlebury College	1973	M.A.
Claire M. Eichmann	Math	Merrimack College	1972	B.A.
Thomas N. Embler	Social Studies	Univ. of Mass., Bridgewater State College	1954	M.Ed.
Dorothy B. Evans	English	Smith College	1959	B.A.
Richard A. Fairman	Math	Univ. of Rhode Island	1968	B.S.
Francis A. Fayne, Jr.	Social Studies	Salem State College	1974	B.S.
Leslie Fedge	Foreign Language	Syracuse Univ., Univ. of New York	1971	M.Ed.
Diane V. Francis	Business	Plymouth State College	1972	B.S.
Kathleen A. Frank	Learning Disabilities	So. Connecticut State College	1974	B.S.
Russell L. Grander	Math	Tufts, Univ. of Hartford	1958	M.Ed.

Linda J. Grubis	Physical Education	Bridgewater State College	1972	B.S.
Robert N. Haif	Physical Education	Springfield College	1973	B.S.
Robert S. Hamilton	Physical Education	Univ. of Maine	1972	M.Ed.
Cynthia Hamlin	Band Director	Syracuse Univ.	1972	M.M.
Michael Harman	Foreign Language	Denison Univ., Middlebury College	1972	M.A.
W. John Harrison	English	Tufts Univ.	1972	A.B.
John J. Harty	Social Studies	Suffolk Univ.	1970	B.A.
Robert F. Haskell	Guidance	Boston Univ., Boston State College	1970	M.Ed.
Janet Henderson	Home Economics	Framingham State College	1973	B.S.
Walter C. Hewins	Social Studies	Univ. of Maine	1957	B.S.
Jackson R. Hibbert	Industrial Arts	Gorham State College	1972	B.S.
Mary T. Horsley	Social Studies	Bridgewater State College	1973	B.A.
Thomas B. Kelly	English	Boston State College	1964	B.A.
Susan Keshishian	Foreign Language	Framingham State College	1973	B.A.
Michael Kinney	Social Studies	Tufts Univ., Boston College	1971	M.A.T.
Robert M. Lavery	Art	Tufts Univ., Boston College	1973	B.F.A.
Thomas A. Lemon, Jr.	Social Studies	Swain School of Design, S.M.U.	1972	M.A.
Nancy F. Lucock	English	Vanderbilt Univ., Univ. of Massachusetts	1972	M.A.
John A. Malloy	Social Studies	Wellesley College	1973	B.A.
Marcia McCann	Social Studies	Holy Cross, Bridgewater State College	1959	M.Ed.
Paul F. McGourty	Math	N. Adams State College	1974	B.A.
John McShane	English	Boston College, Dartmouth College	1969	M.B.A.
Shirley W. Mercer	Social Studies	Univ. of Mass., Springfield College	1973	M.Ed.
Andrew H. Miller	Home Economics	Univ. of Connecticut, Madison College	1973	B.S.
Lawrence G. Morgan	Industrial Arts	Kean College, Bridgewater State College	1957	M.Ed.
Judith M. Moynihan	Driver Education	Salem State College	1973	B.A.
Arthur W. Nelson	Home Economics	Framingham State College	1970	B.S.
Willard Nickerson	Guidance	Springfield College, Boston Univ.	1971	M.Ed.
Joyce A. Nicholson	Driver Education	E. Tenn. State Univ.	1971	B.S.
Diane M. Nicol	Physical Education	Univ. of Tenn., Univ. of Chattanooga	1974	M.S.
		Bridgewater State College, Boston Univ.	1971	M.Ed.

John E. O'Leary, Jr.	Science	Stonehill College	1974	B.S.
Meg L. Opocensky	Speech Therapist	Univ. of Nebraska	1974	M.A.
William E. Peace	Science	Tufts Univ.	1973	B.S.
Alan B. Pearson	Art	Mass. College of Art	1966	B.S.E.
Aurora D. Perez	Foreign Language	Brown Univ., Middlebury College	1964	M.A.
George D. Pribish	Math	Univ. of Pittsburgh	1973	B.S.
David R. Ramsdell	English	Boston Univ., Salem State College	1972	M.Ed.
Sandra M. Rice	English	Springfield College, Bridgewater State College	1964	M.Ed.
Steven Robbins	Science	Westmar College	1972	B.S.
Christina D. Rupp	Art	Colgate, R.I. School of Design	1974	M.A.T.
Kathleen Ryan	English	Merrimack College	1971	B.A.
Sidney M. Smith	Social Studies	Suffolk Univ.	1972	B.S.
Robert E. Snyder	Science	California State, Univ. of New York	1973	M.S.
Gordon D. Spence	Industrial Arts	A.I.C., Springfield College	1958	M.Ed.
Anita G. Stanley	Science	Drew Univ., Univ. of Hawaii	1971	M.S.
Robert Stead	Physical Education	Doane College	1973	B.A.
Rosemary C. Swan	Librarian	Univ. of New York, Simmons College	1973	M.S.
Jay K. Thompson	Guidance	Univ. of Massachusetts	1968	B.A.
Charles E. Tourjee	Music	N.E. Cons. of Music, Bridgewater State Coll.	1957	M.Ed.
Demetrius Trempeas	Math	Univ. of Miami	1972	B.A.
Donald L. Waldo	Science	California State Univ. at Long Beach	1973	B.S.
Robert Walenski	English	Bates College	1971	B.A.
Thomas Walko	Industrial Arts	Montclair State College	1974	M.A.
Grace M. Walsh	Math	Wellesley College	1962	B.A.
Priscilla M. Webster	Business	Boston Univ.	1948	M.Ed.
Philip N. Wherity	Science	Springfield College	1967	M.S.
William C. White	English	Boston College	1972	A.B.
Faith Willard	Guidance	Baylor Univ., Columbia Univ.	1972	M.A.
Francis E. Woelfel	Health, Physical Education	Springfield, Hofstra	1964	M.A.
Edward M. York	Science	Univ. of Mass., Univ. of New Hampshire	1963	M.S.

Elinor G. Crowell
 Patricia Syvanen
 Esther L. McCarthy
 Mary Raycraft
 Dolpold Borowick
 Dudley Briggs
 Laurina McDevitt
 Madeline McGourty
 Suzanne Pearson
 Gail Street
 Mary Sullivan
 Rosemary Sullivan
 Lorraine Weston

Supervisor
 Substitute
 Nurse
 Nurse
 Driver Aide
 Media Aide
 Science Aide
 Library Aide
 Media Aide
 Office Aide
 Health Aide
 Guidance Aide
 Library Aide

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 College Misericordia
 Waltham Hospital, Boston Univ.
 St. Luke's Hospital

B.S.
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 R.N.

CLERICAL STAFF

Alice L. Chaisson
 Virginia Cahoon
 Ruth Cathcart
 Mary R. Cue
 Rita D. Edsall
 Carol MacNayr

Office Supervisor
 Secretary, Assistant Principal
 Secretary, Guidance
 Secretary-Clerk
 Secretary, Assistant Principal
 Secretary, Assistant Principal

**DENNIS-YARMOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1974-75**

(Faculty Meeting September 3, 1974)

OPEN

September 4, 1974
January 6, 1975
February 24, 1975
April 28, 1975

CLOSE

December 20, 1974*
February 14, 1975
April 18, 1975
June 26, 1975

HOLIDAYS

** Teachers' Convention	October 11, 1974
Columbus Day	October 14, 1974
Veterans' Day	October 28, 1974
Thanksgiving Recess	November 28, 29, 1974
Good Friday	March 28, 1975
Memorial Day	May 28, 1975

SCHOOL DAYS BY MONTHS

September	19 Days	February	15 Days
October	20 Days	March	20 Days
November	19 Days	April	17 Days
December	15 Days	May	21 Days
January	20 Days	June	19 Days

TOTAL NUMBER OF DAYS—185

School will be continued until 180 days have been completed and closed for pupils on the 180th day (with teachers reporting on the following day).

*At close of School Day

**Mattacheese Middle School

**DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
1975-1976 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

September 3	School Opens
October 10	No School – Teachers' Convention
October 13	No School – Columbus Day
November 11	No School – Veterans' Day
November 26-28	Thanksgiving Recess (Close at noon on 26th)
December 22 – January 2	Christmas Recess
January 15	No School – Martin L. King's Birthday
February 16-20	Mid-Winter Recess
April 16	No School – Good Friday
April 19-23	Spring Recess
May 24	No School – Memorial Day
June 5	Graduation
June 25	School Closes*

**Total Number of Days Scheduled
–185–**

*School will be conducted until 180 days have been completed.

**October 1, 1974
DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
ENROLLMENT BY TOWNS**

Grade	Dennis	Yarmouth	Total
12	140	248	388
11	134	249	383
10	144	289	433
9	143	271	414
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Dennis-Yarmouth
Regional High School

Class of 1974



COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Saturday June 8, 1974

11:00 A. M.

PROGRAM

Processional (Audience seated)

- Invocation Rev. George P. Morin, M.S.
Our Lady of the Cape
Brewster
- The Star Spangled Banner D-Y Band
- Valedictory Message Mary Louise Yount
- Selections D-Y Chorus
 "We've Only Just Begun" Williams & Nichols
 "Happy Together" Bonner & Gordon
- Salutatory Message Mark S. Smith
- Selection D-Y Band
 "Hootenanny" Walters
- Presentation of Awards and Diplomas Col. Dean B. Yount
Chairman, Dennis-Yarmouth
Regional School Committee
Daniel Murphy
Class President
- Benediction Rev. Carlton D. Cassidy
First Congregational Church
Yarmouth

Recessional (Audience seated)

*Following the program, parents and friends are
invited to congratulate the graduates.*

CLASS OFFICERS:

- President Daniel Murphy
Vice-President Karen Nelson
Secretary Sandra Saragoni
Treasurer Stephen Lovelette

CLASS OF 1974

Girls

Virginia D. Aldrich
 Marion Anastasia
 Karen Anderson
 Rachel A. Bacheler
 Louise M. Baker
 Alexandria E. Banks
 Barbara J. Bassett
 Judith J. Bates
 Rumpa Benjarattanaporn
 Barbara Bent
 Cathy Marie Benton
 Ingrid Mary Booker
 Gayle Boudreau
 *Victoria Lois Boynton
 *Donna Maureen Brenner
 *Mary Kim Broadhurst
 Bonne Marie Bryant
 Maureen Buchanan
 *Victoria Burlingham
 Patricia Anne Callahan
 Kathleen Marie Carney
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 Dale Noreen Walker
 Laurie Fabian Watson
 Nancy K. Weeks
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 Lucinda White
 Kristina Wildes
 Doreen Anne Wilkey
 Wendy Wilkin
 Barbara Wood
 Mary Lou Wood
 Diane Woollacott
 *Mary Louise Yount

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 Steven Joseph Almonte
 Kevin P. Baker
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 Douglas J. Bean
 William Edmond Bell
 David Jay Belliveau
 Ronald Angelo Beltrami
 Scott R. Beltrandi
 Kenneth Ernest Benn
 David J. Bois
 Lee Boisvert
 Frederick Alan Boy
 Matthew James Boyle
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 Charles A. Brum
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 Thomas Celata
 Keith Champney
 John Michael Chase
 Jon Clark
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 Charles William Curtis
 Richard A. Dauphinais
 John C. Davis
 James W. Dings
 *Vaughn E. Dobalian
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 Philip J. D'Olimpio
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 Stephen L. Edwards
 Mark F. Egan
 Robert Ellis
 Stephen John Fales
 Sean Terence Fennessy

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 Robert James Holden
 Nathan David Howes
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 Arthur Edward Jenner, Jr.
 Howard Charles Kelley
 Robert Alan Kelley
 Barry Scott Kennedy
 Rudolf Kuipers
 Roy Kevin Laurie
 *David Lee
 Bradley Stephen Lemerise
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 Kerry D. Leonard
 Jeffrey A. Leyton
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 Vincent P. Maiolino, Jr.
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Edward Thomas Morrison
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 David Thomas/Murdock
 Daniel John Murphy
 *Charles Francis Muse
 William E. Nickerson
 Michael Thornley Northup
 Joseph Patrick Norton
 *Kevin Arthur O'Donnell
 Brian G. Opitz
 Matthew Dale Ormon
 Kenneth Wayne Perry
 Eric Lee Peterson
 Stephen Harold Peterson
 William Warren Pierce
 Robert Michael Piotrowski
 Michael A. Ramsay
 Bruce Alan Roberts
 John A. Roderick
 Derrick J. Rushton
 *Darrick John Scannevin
 Barry Russell Schofield
 Mark L. Senesac
 James Shaffer
 Harold I. Shaughnessy, Jr.
 *Clifton Stever Slade
 Brian Paul Slattery
 *Mark Smith
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 *Gary Eugene Street
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 *Michael Warren Wolfe
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Lynda Colombo

Greg Aldridge

DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

AWARDS and SCHOLARSHIPS

JUNE - 1974

Dennis Womens' Club
South Yarmouth Womens' Club
Art Department
Pater Maxtona-Graham
American Legion
Sharon Callachan - Music
Sharon Callachan - Drama
Ann Castonguay Memorial Fund
D.A.R. Excellence in American History
D.A.R. Good Citizen
National Defense Good Citizen Medal
Cape Cod Bank & Trust
National Choral
John Philip Souza
Band
E.D. West Improvement Prizes
Harvard Alumni
Hyannis Rotary Club
Industrial Arts
Bradford's Hardware
Outstanding Senior Athlete (Walter "Skip" Daley)
Yarmouth Teachers' Association
Ruth B. Sears Scholarship Fund
Carl Maloney
Harwich-Dennis Rotary Club
Dennis Womens' Fellowship
Readers' Digest
Bass River Golf Club Association
Mid-Cape Lions
Barnstable Comedy Club
East Dennis Ladies Aid
Harwich-Dennis Lions' Club
Stephen Kimball (Hockey)
Cape Cod Registered Nurses' Association
National Honor Society
St. Francis Xavier
Dennis Re-cycling
Edward Bangs Kellay and Elza Kalley Foundation
Art Key
Interact Club
Hyannis Kiwanis

Awards from Citizen Scholarship Fund
Dennis-Yarmouth Young Mothers' Club
Angelo's Super Market
Yarmouth Firefighters Association
Pancake Man Scholarship in Culinary Arts

Awards from the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School District
Scholarship Fund

DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOLARSHIP FUND TRUSTEES

COMMENCEMENT - 1974



The Trustees of the Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School District Scholarship Fund have been most grateful for gifts amounting to nearly \$1,800.00 since graduation, 1973. Through this continuing generosity, we have paid to students or colleges a total of over \$3,500.00 - on current awards and balances due for previous pledges.

Contributors during the past year have been: "The Sharon Callachan Fund," Yarmouth Trust Fund Commissioners, Memorials for William P. Frost, Howard B. Munroe and Peter Maxtone-Graham, Yarmouth Police Assn., Young Couples' Club, the Castonguay Memorial and the Friday Club.

At Awards Night in 1973, \$4,300.00 in scholarships and outright awards were presented. While the majority of monies for these purposes have been taken from the General Fund, many have been made possible through memorial funds and the Drama Fund, as well as donations from the Art Department.

Because of our firm belief in the philosophy expressed by Diogenes - "The foundation of every state is the education of its youth" - the Trustees have been honored to be the conduit of the beneficence of all donors.

**DENNIS — YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMMITTEE OFFICE
SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS AND BALANCES DECEMBER 31, 1974**

	Appropriation	Transfers	Monthly Expense	Cumulative Expense	Balance	Unencumbered Balance
Administration						
School Committee						
Professional Salaries	1,000.00		76.92	499.98	500.02	
Clerical Salaries	21,000.00		1,536.28	9,857.76	11,142.24	
Contracted Services	4,000.00	846.30	286.00	4,846.30		
Supplies & Materials	1,000.00		57.75	152.16	847.84	
Other Expenses (Travel, Dinners, etc.)	1,500.00					
Other Expenses (Planning)	1,000.00	(846.30)	176.25	736.37	763.63	
			.....	.....	153.70	
Superintendent's Office						
Professional Salaries	10,850.00		641.02	6,115.01	4,734.99	
Clerical Salaries	16,761.00		1,157.68	7,491.04	9,269.96	
Supplies & Materials	2,000.00		113.18	409.10	1,590.90	1,581.00
Other Expenses	766.00		210.78	315.63	450.37	450.00
Instruction						
Supervision						
Professional Salaries—Study Hall	8,459.00		659.92	4,181.70	4,277.30	
Professional Salaries—Dept. Heads	15,090.00		7,500.00	7,500.00	7,500.00	
Cur. In-Service & Org. Planning	4,000.00		.....	2,739.38	1,260.62	1,260.00
Computer Scheduling	10,500.00		.....	2,162.82	8,337.18	5,562.00
Professional Salary—Director, Student Personnel	8,200.00		625.96	4,056.48	4,143.52	

Principal's Office								
Professional Salaries	79,000.00	5,241.56	34,433.79	44,566.21				
Clerical Salaries	30,000.00	2,875.64	17,077.31	12,922.69				
Supplies & Materials	6,000.00	385.90	2,507.56	3,492.44				3,492.00
Other Expenses—Regular	2,000.00	6.00	842.58	1,157.42				1,157.00
Other Expenses—Travel	1,000.00	.....	35.00	965.00				965.00
Teaching								
Professional Salaries—Regular	1,427,350.00	86,830.50	563,154.20	864,195.80				
Professional Salaries—Substitutes	15,000.00	1,749.00	4,959.00	10,041.00				
Professional Salaries—Coaches	38,670.00	7,975.00	12,950.00	25,720.00				
Professional Salaries—Retirement, Sick Leave	5,000.00	.....	.....	5,000.00				
Nonprofessional Salaries—Aides	19,000.00	1,138.74	5,788.12	13,211.88				
Tutoring	3,000.00	316.00	769.50	2,230.50				
Supplies & Materials	45,000.00	3,715.95	18,180.18	22,942.92				5,575.00
		(4,000.00)						
		123.10						
Other Expenses—Regular	1,000.00	.....	502.55	497.45				372.00
Other Expenses—Travel	3,000.00	186.98	408.07	2,591.93				2,018.00
Curriculum Council	.....	.....	.....	.....
Driver Education	1,000.00	63.72	387.22	612.78				250.00
Extra Courses	5,000.00	183.00	1,461.00	3,539.00				96.00
Mini Bus	1,000.00	85.44	417.96	582.04				
Summer School—Professional Salaries	24,000.00	.....	21,850.63	2,149.37				
Summer School—Clerical Salaries (Student Aide)	1,500.00	.....	282.40	1,217.60				
Summer School—Supplies & Materials/Other	1,500.00	.....	622.16	877.84				595.00
Adult Ed. Prof. Salaries—Clerical	23,660.00	2,437.34	9,279.66	13,560.34				57.00
Supplies & Materials	.....	.....	112.08	57.92				151.00
Travel, Printing, Adv.	.....	.....	498.14	151.86				
		(820.00)						
		170.00						
		650.00						

Textbooks									
Supplies & Materials	18,000.00	4,000.00	646.34	11,025.68	10,974.32	1,866.00			
Libraries									
Professional Salaries	24,500.00		1,875.66	11,775.87	12,724.13				
Aides	7,000.00		630.17	3,102.42	3,897.58				
Supplies & Materials	11,500.00	428.54	810.18	6,152.23	5,776.31	5,237.00			
Audio Visual									
Supplies & Materials	2,800.00		1,031.39	2,167.42	632.58	389.00			
Other Expenses (Renting Films, Maps, Transp., Film Strips)	9,700.00		858.82	4,036.39	5,663.61	2,137.00			
Guidance Services									
Professional Salaries	118,000.00		8,976.22	59,916.75	58,083.25				
Clerical Salaries	7,150.00		531.22	3,439.26	3,710.74				
Contracted Services No. 766									
Supplies & Materials	1,900.00		291.86	937.53	962.47	161.00			
Other Expenses (Travel)	600.00		37.80	154.45	445.55	437.00			
Other School Services									
Attendance									
Nonprofessional Salaries	3,000.00		285.70	1,142.80	1,857.20				
Health Services									
Professional Salaries	11,900.00		1,210.36	7,044.53	4,855.47				
Technical Aides	3,200.00		230.76	1,461.49	1,738.51				
Supplies & Materials	730.00		242.70	471.49	258.51	192.00			
Transportation									
Contracted Services to & from School	170,000.00		18,026.76	69,186.28	100,813.72				
Contracted Services, Extra Curricular	22,000.00		2,010.60	5,560.85	16,439.15				

Food Services									
Professional Salaries	4,000.00	288.46	1,826.89	2,173.11					
Nonprofessional Salaries	51,000.00	4,507.65	22,052.92	28,608.80					
Nonprofessional Salaries--Bus Boys	.....	74.85	338.28	.....				
Supplies & Materials	1,200.00	152.19	308.97	891.03					
Athletics									
Contracted Services	16,200.00	141.40	1,104.05	15,095.95					9,424.00
Supplies & Materials	12,000.00	2,451.29	5,347.54	6,652.46					5,790.00
Other Expenses	1,000.00	.....	438.97	561.03					561.00
Student Body Activities									
Professional Salaries	5,200.00	.....	.....	5,200.00					
Photography	1,000.00	.....	171.31	828.69					812.00
Other Expenses	2,700.00	402.90	1,053.07	1,646.93					1,476.00
Operation & Maintenance of Plant									
Custodial Services									
Nonprofessional Salaries	103,000.00	7,670.55	48,442.07	54,557.93					
Contracted Services	4,800.00	243.50	1,011.12	3,788.88					3,202.00
Supplies & Materials	7,000.00	1,354.55	3,933.01	3,066.99					1,943.00
Heating Building									
Contracted Services	30,000.00	4,082.71	6,093.63	23,906.37					
Utility Services									
Supplies & Materials	750.00	38.05	77.25	672.75					
Electricity	23,000.00	2,879.41	10,746.69	12,216.81					
Telephone	7,000.00	902.99	3,786.01	3,213.99					
Water	.....	.....	36.50	.....				

Maintenance of Grounds									
Nonprofessional Salaries	5,000.00								
Contracted Services	5,000.00	816.75	3,116.26	1,883.74					
Supplies & Materials	6,000.00	108.90	1,371.68	3,628.32					3,620.00
Chunch Treatment	2,000.00		254.55	5,745.45					5,599.00
				2,000.00					
Maintenance of Buildings									
Contracted Services	14,000.00	1,658.03	4,219.78	9,780.22					9,510.00
Supplies & Materials	2,800.00	494.14	2,023.80	776.20					452.00
Maintenance of Equipment									
Contracted Service	5,800.00	314.67	3,579.88	2,220.12					417.00
Supplies & Materials	1,000.00		102.44	897.56					740.00
Fixed Charges									
Employee Retirement									
County System	18,000.00	7,052.50	7,052.50	10,947.50					
Insurance Program									
General	20,000.00								
Group Insurance	29,000.00	4,170.98	5,440.98	14,559.02					
					(607.42)				
Rental of Land & Buildings									
Superintendent's Office	1,500.00								
Annex	11,750.00				607.42				
Temporary Loans									
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,300.00								
Community Services									
Civic Activities									
Other Expenses	1,000.00	26.56	26.56	973.44					

Acquisition of Fixed Assets						
Acquisition of Improvement of Sites						
Other Expenses	.....				
Acquisition of Equipment						
Title III	7,000.00					7,000.00
Replacement of Equipment	12,000.00					6,207.85
Lease of Equipment	3,600.00					1,975.14
New Equipment	10,000.00					4,127.60
						2,718.00
						1,530.00
						1,337.00
Total Operating Accounts	\$2,677,296.00	\$7,200.14	\$210,263.07	\$1,109,590.14	\$1,568,257.50	
		(6,648.50)				
Debt Retirement and Debt Service						
Debt Retirement (Principal)						
Principal—\$ 100,000 Bond	5,000.00					5,000.00
Principal—1,630,000 Bond	80,000.00					
Principal— 700,000 Bond	35,000.00					35,000.00
Debt Service (Interest)						
Interest— 100,000 Bond	110.00					55.00
Interest— 1,630,000 Bond	2,880.00					960.00
Interest— 700,000 Bond	9,135.00					4,567.50
Total Loan Accounts	132,125.00					45,582.50
		(6,648.50)				
Total Operating Accounts	2,677,296.00	7,200.14	210,263.07	1,109,590.14	1,568,257.50	
Total Budgetary Accounts	\$2,809,421.00	551.64	\$210,263.07	\$1,196,132.64	\$1,613,840.00	

MEMO ACCOUNTS — CLEARING AND REVOLVING

	Balance 7/1/74	Receipts	Transfers	Monthly Expense	Cumulative Expense	Balance
Tailings	57.80					57.80
Sch. Donations & Loan Returns		1,700.00			1,700.00	
Sch. Paid & Loans Granted		2,925.00		175.00	2,925.00	
Special Gift Fund	14.74					14.74
Surplus Revenue	482,583.01					157,059.55
Reimb. Occup. Educ. Handicapped	4,132.00	49,267.90	(374,791.36)			4,723.00
Summer School		591.00				2,528.00
Adult Education		2,782.00			254.00	2,470.00
Cafeteria		2,490.00			20.00	15,218.34
Dolphin Band	25,317.80	38,175.63		12,119.06	48,275.09	535.00
Athletic Receipts	535.00					524.32
Teachers' Retirement Whldgs.		3,471.90		548.70	2,947.58	
County Retirement Whldgs.		35,207.98		5,980.97	35,207.98	
Tax Sheltered Annuities		5,774.02		961.44	5,774.02	
Group Ins. Whldgs.		5,247.98		1,091.33	5,247.98	
Federal Whldgs.	129.38	17,467.90		3,198.52	17,579.76	17.52
State Whldgs.		132,562.09		22,361.57	132,562.09	
Title II (Libraries)		34,772.09		5,844.91	34,772.09	
Title III (Misc.)	594.31	2,261.00		972.41	1,587.84	1,267.47
Replacement — Indemnification	845.64					845.64
New Construction		16.00				16.00
Interest Credit — Bond Issue	50,000.00	75,000.00			105,010.00	19,990.00
Homemaking	12.64					12.64
Health Program	17,452.90			1,183.24	7,635.24	9,817.66
Commitments	9,072.00					9,072.00
Bid Deposits		7,443.90	35,000.00			244.25
Total Memo Accounts	\$590,747.22	\$417,156.39	\$(339,791.36)	\$54,437.15	\$443,698.32	\$224,413.93

Total Budgetary Accounts	2,809,421.00	.....	551.64	210,263.07	1,196,132.64	1,613,840.00
Treasury Bills/Cert. of Deposit	(300,000.00)	2,600,000.00	.....	500,000.00	2,800,000.00	(500,000.00)
Total All Warrants	\$3,100,168.22	\$3,017,156.39	\$(339,239.72)	\$764,700.22	\$4,439,830.96	\$1,338,253.93
Estimated Receipts	.....	62,885.30	(551.64)	.....	.....	62,333.66
Revenue	(2,809,421.00)	1,234,814.82	339,791.36	.....	.....	(1,234,814.82)
Summary	\$ 290,747.22	\$4,314,856.51	.....	\$764,700.22	\$4,439,830.96	\$ 165,772.77
Balance, First National Bank of Yarmouth,	12/31/74	\$109,949.49				
Balance, Bass River Savings Bank	12/31/74	16,060.04				
Balance, State Street Bank & Trust Co.	12/31/74	39,763.24				\$165,772.77

DENNIS — YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE OFFICE

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General	\$7,282.34																								
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**DENNIS — YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS — 7/1/74-12/31/74**

	Receipts	Disbursements
Cash on Hand, July 1, 1974		\$ 35,000.00
Certificates of Deposits:		2,800,000.00
Proceeds—Maturity	\$2,600,000.00	1,700.00
Premiums & Interest	24,037.13	2,925.00
Int. on Savings Deposits	\$2,624,037.13	.....
Assessments:		20.00
Dennis	395,672.38	254.00
Yarmouth	839,142.44	48,275.09
Transportation Reimbursements:		2,947.58
Chapter 70	1,234,814.82	35,207.98
Reimb. Occup. Educ. Handicapped	49,267.90	5,774.02
Construction Reimbursements	591.00	17,579.76
Reimbursement—Special Ed.	18,176.65	132,562.09
Scholarship Donations	7,929.00	34,772.09
Income W'drawn from	1,700.00	5,247.98
Scholarship Fund		1,587.84
Summer School	2,925.00	.....
Adult Education	2,782.00	105,010.00
Cafeteria—Revolving	2,490.00	7,635.24
Athletics—Revolving	38,175.63	.....
Teachers' Retirement Deductions	3,471.90	7,199.65
County Retirement Deductions	35,207.98	
Group Insurance Deductions	5,774.02	
Federal Tax Deductions	17,467.90	
State Tax Deductions	132,562.09	
Tax Sheltered Annuities	34,772.09	
	5,247.98	
		\$ 30,423.35
		819,867.49
		117,509.44
		88,794.67
		39,679.22
		26.56

Title II—Libraries	2,261.00	Acquisition of Fixed Assets	13,289.41	1,109,590.14
Insurance Indemnification	16.00			
Loans in Anticipation of				
Serial Issue	75,000.00	Loan Costs:	80,000.00	
PL90576—Homemaking	.....	Principal	6,542.50	86,542.50
HEW PDO827—Health Program	7,443.90	Interest		
Bid Deposits	9,149.59			
Miscellaneous Revenue		Total Expense		4,439,830.96
(list attached)		Cash Balance 12/31/74		165,772.77
	<u>\$4,314,856.51</u>			<u>4,605,603.73</u>
				<u><u>4,605,603.73</u></u>

SCHEDULE OF MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE

Telephone Calls & Commission	\$ 149.50
Student & Civic Activities	182.35
Loss & Breakage	428.54
Shop	123.10
Dispensers	109.60
Share of Expense—Towns	6,572.89
Insurance Dividends	1,546.10
Gas Adjustments	16.43
Refund	21.08
	<u>\$9,149.59</u>

**DENNIS—YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH**

Balance July 1, 1974	\$ 290,747.22	
Receipts	<u>4,314,856.51</u>	\$4,605,603.73
	\$4,439,830.96	
Payments		
Balances December 31, 1974		
First National Bank of Yarmouth	\$109,949.49	
State Street Bank & Trust Co.	39,763.24	
Bass River Savings Bank	<u>16,060.04</u>	<u>\$4,605,603.73</u>
	<u>165,772.77</u>	

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF YARMOUTH

Balance December 31, 1974, per Statement	\$126,571.58	
Deposits in Transit	<u>8,156.16</u>	\$134,727.74
Balance December 31, 1974, per Register	\$109,949.49	
Outstanding Checks Dec. 31, 1974, per List	<u>24,778.25</u>	<u>\$134,727.74</u>

STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

Balance December 31, 1974, per Statement		\$39,763.24
Balance December 31, 1974, per Register		<u>39,763.24</u>

BASS RIVER SAVINGS BANK

Balance December 31, 1974, per Passbook 17030094		\$16,060.04
Balance December 31, 1974, per Register		<u>16,060.04</u>

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance July 1, 1974	\$8,433.18	
Receipts:		
Gifts	1,700.00	
Interest on Two Accounts	<u>206.24</u>	\$10,339.42
Payments For Scholarships		<u>2,925.00</u>
Balance Scholarship Fund December 31, 1974		\$7,414.42
Balance per Passbooks December 31, 1974		<u>7,414.42</u>

BOND AND COUPON ACCOUNT

Balance December 31, 1974, per Statement		\$785.00
Outstanding Coupons and Bonds December 31, 1974, per List		<u>785.00</u>

CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT

Invested Balance July 1, 1974		\$300,000.00	
Investments	\$2,800,000.00		
Incomes	<u>24,037.13*</u>	<u>2,824,037.13</u>	<u>\$3,124,037.13</u>
Receipts:			
Proceeds at Maturity	\$2,600,000.00		
Interest at Maturity	<u>24,037.13</u>	<u>\$2,624,037.13</u>	
Invested Balance December 31, 1974		<u>500,000.00</u>	<u>\$3,124,037.13</u>

SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Balance July 1, 1974		\$107,467.11	
Net Decrease-Withdrawals less Deposits		(95,000.00)	
Interest		<u>3,592.93*</u>	\$16,060.04
Balance Savings Account December 31, 1974			<u>16,060.04</u>

*Total income on investments 7/1/74-12/31/74 \$27,630.06

**DENNIS—YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

January 1, 1974 - December 31, 1974*

Balance January 1, 1974			\$10,051.04
Gifts:			
Castonguay Memorial	\$1,000.00		
Friday Club	100.00		
Yarmouth Trust Fund Commrs.	700.00		
Howard Barnes Munroe Memorial	25.00		
Peter Maxtone-Graham Memorial	25.00		
William P. Frost Memorial	<u>25.00</u>	\$1,875.00	
Payments on Loans		800.00	
Interest		<u>488.38</u>	3,163.38
			<u>\$13,214.42</u>
Scholarship Payments			<u>5,800.00</u>
			<u>\$7,414.42</u>
Balance per Passbooks December 31, 1974			<u>\$7,414.42</u>

*Prepared for calendar year, in order that no donors might be omitted.

DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET SUMMARY

1975-1976

	1975-1976	
1974-1975		
\$ 59,877.00	\$ 65,000.00	+8.5%
1,979,989.00	1,859,698.58	-6.1%
305,130.00	334,760.32	+9.1%
217,150.00	238,244.00	+9.7%
81,550.00	100,830.00	+23.6%
1,000.00	750.00	-25.0%
32,600.00	41,405.64	+27.0%
\$2,677,296.00	\$2,640,688.54	-1.4%
132,125.00	318,080.00	+140.74%
\$2,809,421.00	\$2,958,768.54	+5.3%

TOTAL OPERATING AND LOAN

DENNIS-YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET

1975-1976

		74-75 Budget		Amount Requested	Budget Subcommittee	School Committee Budget
Administration	\$	59,877.00	\$	70,000.00	\$ 65,000.00	\$ 65,000.00
School Committee		29,500.00		40,300.00	35,800.00	35,800.00
Professional Salaries		1,000.00		1,100.00	1,100.00	1,100.00
Clerical Salaries		21,000.00		21,700.00	21,700.00	21,700.00
Contracted Services		4,000.00		13,500.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Supplies & Materials		1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Other Expenses (Travel, Dinners, etc.)		1,500.00		1,800.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Other Expenses (Planning)		1,000.00		1,200.00	1,000.00	1,000.00

English	1,681.16	1,231.16	1,231.16	1,231.16
Related Arts	6,537.85	5,957.85	5,957.85	5,957.85
Industrial Arts	12,439.41	8,739.41	8,739.41	8,739.41
Foreign Language	3,149.47	2,619.47	2,619.47	2,619.47
Social Studies	6,234.50	4,464.25	4,464.25	4,464.25
Business	3,736.12	3,236.12	3,236.12	3,236.12
Science	8,352.00	5,552.00	5,552.00	5,552.00
Mathematics	1,420.00	1,420.00	1,420.00	1,420.00
Health & Physical Education	15,909.76	14,287.76	14,287.76	14,287.76
Administration	1,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Other Expenses—Reg.	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Other Expenses—Travel (DROP)	3,000.00	1,900.00	1,900.00	1,900.00
Curriculum Council	.....	.....	.....	.....
Driver Education	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Extra Courses	5,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
School Vehicles	1,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Summer School—Professional Salaries	24,000.00	27,600.00	27,600.00	27,600.00
Summer School—Clerical Salaries	1,500.00	1,375.00	1,375.00	1,375.00
Summer School—Supplies, Materials, Other	1,500.00	1,700.00	1,700.00	1,700.00
Evening School—Professional Salaries	.....	.....	.....	.....
Evening School—Clerical Salaries	.....	.....	.....	.....
Evening School—Supplies & Materials, Other	.....	.....	.....	.....
Textbooks	18,000.00	.....	.....	.....
English	31,128.48	21,733.50	21,733.50	21,733.50
Related Arts	11,959.00	8,459.00	8,459.00	8,459.00
Industrial Arts	625.00	440.00	440.00	440.00
Foreign Language	310.00	280.00	280.00	280.00
Social Studies	4,773.03	3,098.05	3,098.05	3,098.05
Business	5,598.70	3,973.70	3,973.70	3,973.70
Science	868.75	868.75	868.75	868.75
Mathematics	3,584.00	2,704.00	2,704.00	2,704.00
Health & Physical Education	1,560.00	1,560.00	1,560.00	1,560.00
Administration	1,850.00	350.00	350.00	350.00

Library	43,000.00	64,986.00	46,876.00	46,876.00
Professional Salaries	24,500.00	27,566.00	27,566.00	27,566.00
Aides	7,000.00	9,160.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
Supplies & Materials	11,500.00	28,260.00	12,310.00	12,310.00
Audio Visual	12,500.00	47,647.66	26,487.56	26,487.56
Professional Salaries		21,762.00	12,156.00	12,156.00
Aides		6,600.00	3,400.00	3,400.00
Supplies & Materials	2,800.00	13,079.66	7,050.56	7,050.56
Other Expenses (Renting Films, Maps, Transp., Film Strips)	9,700.00	6,206.00	3,881.00	3,881.00
Guidance Services	127,650.00	115,613.00	110,013.00	110,013.00
Professional Salaries	118,000.00	93,041.00	93,041.00	93,041.00
Clerical Salaries	7,150.00	14,772.00	14,772.00	14,772.00
Aides		5,000.00	.....	.....
Supplies & Materials	1,900.00	2,000.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Other Expenses (Travel)	600.00	800.00	400.00	400.00
Special Needs		101,502.35	69,735.00	69,735.00
Professional Salaries		75,558.00	58,740.00	58,740.00
Clerical Salaries		7,590.00	4,625.00	4,625.00
Contracted Services		15,270.00	4,645.00	4,645.00
Supplies & Materials		1,659.35	1,000.00	1,000.00
Other Expenses (Travel)		1,425.00	725.00	725.00
Other School Services	305,130.00	365,639.32	326,688.32	334,760.32
Attendance	3,000.00	3,300.00	3,300.00	3,300.00
Non-Professional Salaries	3,000.00	3,300.00	3,300.00	3,300.00
Health Services	15,830.00	21,467.32	21,367.32	21,367.32
Professional Salaries	11,900.00	17,939.00	17,939.00	17,939.00
Technical Aides	3,200.00	3,300.00	3,200.00	3,200.00
Supplies & Materials	730.00	228.32	228.32	228.32
Transportation	192,000.00	227,529.00	212,641.00	212,641.00
Contracted Services-To And From School	170,000.00	192,000.00	187,500.00	187,500.00
Contracted Services-Extra Curricular	22,000.00	35,529.00	25,141.00	25,141.00
Food Services	56,200.00	62,182.00	54,448.00	58,520.00
Professional Salaries	4,000.00	4,072.00	.....	4,072.00
Non-Professional Salaries	51,000.00	56,670.00	53,008.00	53,008.00
Supplies & Materials	1,200.00	1,440.00	1,440.00	1,440.00

Athletics	29,200.00	42,561.00	26,532.00	30,532.00
Contracted Services	16,200.00	19,535.00	11,435.00	13,435.00
Supplies & Materials	12,000.00	21,026.00	14,097.00	16,097.00
Other Expenses	1,000.00	2,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Student Body Activities	8,900.00	8,600.00	8,400.00	8,400.00
Professional Salaries	5,200.00	4,900.00	4,700.00	4,700.00
Supplies & Materials	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Other Expenses (School Newspaper, etc.)	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00	2,700.00
Operation & Maintenance Plant	217,150.00	241,961.00	238,244.00	238,244.00
Custodial Services	114,800.00	129,659.00	129,559.00	129,559.00
Non-Professional Salaries	103,000.00	114,859.00	114,859.00	114,859.00
Contracted Services	4,800.00	5,050.00	4,950.00	4,950.00
Supplies & Materials	7,000.00	9,750.00	9,750.00	9,750.00
Heating Building	30,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00
Contracted Services	30,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00
Utility Services	30,750.00	35,227.00	34,220.00	34,220.00
Supplies & Materials	750.00	300.00	300.00	300.00
Electricity	23,000.00	26,500.00	26,500.00	26,500.00
Telephone	7,000.00	7,420.00	7,420.00	7,420.00
Water		1,007.00		
Maintenance Of Grounds	18,000.00	16,350.00	14,740.00	14,740.00
Non-Professional Salaries	5,000.00	6,050.00	4,840.00	4,840.00
Contracted Services	5,000.00	4,400.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Supplies & Materials	6,000.00	3,900.00	3,900.00	3,900.00
Chinch Treatment	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Maintenance of Buildings	16,800.00	18,075.00	17,575.00	17,575.00
Contracted Services	14,000.00	13,025.00	13,025.00	13,025.00
Supplies & Materials	2,800.00	5,050.00	4,550.00	4,550.00
Maintenance of Equipment	6,800.00	10,650.00	10,150.00	10,150.00
Contracted Services	5,800.00	8,600.00	8,600.00	8,600.00
Supplies & Materials	1,000.00	2,050.00	1,550.00	1,550.00
Fixed Charges	81,550.00	100,580.00	89,080.00	100,830.00
Employee Retirement	18,000.00	23,330.00	23,330.00	23,330.00
County System	18,000.00	23,330.00	23,300.00	23,330.00

Insurance Program	49,000.00	65,500.00	54,000.00	54,000.00
General	20,000.00	31,500.00	22,000.00	22,000.00
Group Insurance	29,000.00	34,000.00	32,000.00	32,000.00
Rental of Land & Buildings	13,250.00	11,750.00	11,750.00	23,500.00
Superintendent's Office	1,500.00	11,750.00	11,750.00	23,500.00
Annex (DROP)	11,750.00	.....	.....	.....
Temporary Loans	1,300.00	.....	.....	.....
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,300.00	.....	.....	.....
Community Services	1,000.00	750.00	750.00	750.00
Civic Activities	1,000.00	750.00	750.00	750.00
Other Expenses	1,000.00	750.00	750.00	750.00
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	32,600.00	97,259.77	41,405.64	41,405.64
Acquisition Improvement of Sites	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Expenses	.....	.....	.....	.....
Acquisition of Equipment	32,600.00	97,259.77	41,405.64	41,405.64
Title III	7,000.00	.....	.....	.....
Replacement of Equipment	12,000.00	28,004.14	16,089.14	16,089.14
English	.....	.....	.....	.....
Related Arts	.....	8,080.00	1,740.30	1,740.30
Industrial Arts	.....	1,829.00	1,189.00	1,189.00
Foreign Language	.....	.....	.....	.....
Social Studies	.....	.....	.....	.....
Business	.....	3,050.00	3,050.00	3,050.00
Science	.....	2,387.00	1,752.00	1,752.00
Mathematics	.....	.....	.....	.....
Health & Physical Education	.....	.....	.....	.....
Administration	.....	570.00	570.00	570.00
Library	.....	300.00	.....	.....
Audio-Visual	.....	600.00	600.00	600.00
Guidance	.....	.....	.....	.....
Special Needs	.....	.....	.....	.....
Distributive Education	.....	.....	.....	.....
Health Office	.....	377.84	377.84	377.84
Food Services	.....	.....	.....	.....

Athletics		3,010.00	1,010.00	1,010.00
Plant & Grounds		7,800.00	5,800.00	5,800.00
Lease of Equipment	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00	3,600.00
New Equipment	10,000.00	65,655.63	21,716.50	21,716.50
English		2,270.00	870.00	870.00
Related Arts		13,830.50	3,857.50	3,857.50
Industrial Arts		300.00	300.00	300.00
Foreign Language		2,051.45	200.00	200.00
Social Studies		328.50	267.00	267.00
Business		1,458.00	483.00	483.00
Science		6,039.00	2,302.00	2,302.00
Mathematics		11,818.48	4,558.00	4,558.00
Health & Physical Education		500.00	500.00	500.00
Administration		12,027.75	1,350.00	1,350.00
Library		1,870.00	120.00	120.00
Audio-Visual		1,700.00	854.00	854.00
Guidance		1,119.00	854.00	854.00
Special Needs		360.00	854.00	854.00
Distributive Education		507.95	854.00	854.00
Health Office		600.00	530.00	530.00
Food Services		850.00	500.00	500.00
Athletics		8,025.00	5,025.00	5,025.00
Plant & Grounds				
TOTAL OPERATING ACCOUNTS	2,677,296.00	2,916,095.35	2,620,866.54	2,640,688.54
Debt Retirement & Deb. Service				
Debt Retirement (Principal)	132,125.00	543,080.00	318,080.00	318,080.00
Principal \$100,000.00 Bond	5,000.00	515,000.00	290,000.00	290,000.00
Principal \$1,630,000.00 Bond	80,000.00	400,000.00	175,000.00	175,000.00
Principal \$700,000.00 Bond	35,000.00	80,000.00	80,000.00	80,000.00
		35,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00

DENNIS — YARMOUTH REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
Balance Sheet — December 31, 1974

ASSETS	GENERAL ACCOUNTS	LIABILITIES AND RESERVES	
Cash:			
General		Miscellaneous Revenue	\$ 62,333.66
First National Bank of Yarmouth	\$109,949.49	Tailings	57.80
State Street Bank and Trust Co.	39,763.24	Special Gift Fund	14.74
Bass River Savings Bank	<u>16,060.04</u>	Surplus Revenue	157,059.55
		Summer School	2,528.00
		Adult Education	2,470.00
Certificate of Deposit	500,000.00	Revolving Funds:	
		School Lunch	\$15,218.34
Accounts Receivable:		School Athletics	524.32
Assessments:		Dolphin Band	<u>535.00</u>
Dennis	\$395,672.38		
Yarmouth	<u>839,142.44</u>	Titles & Grants:	
		Educationally Handicapped	\$4,723.00
Construction Reimbursements	\$50,068.13	Title II	1,267.47
Transportation Reimbursements:		Title III	845.64
Ch. 70—Commonwealth	\$175,450.22	P.L. 90576	9,817.66
State Wards, Comm.	<u>845.64</u>	HEW PDO827	<u>9,072.00</u>
			25,725.77
Tuition Reimbursements:		Group Insurance—Holding	17.52
Out of District	\$ 98.46	Replacement—Insurance Indemnification	16.00
State Wards	<u>7,399.35</u>	New Construction (Preliminary Costs)	19,990.00
		Interest Credit—Serial Issue	12.64
Petty Cash Advance	<u>7,497.81</u>	Bid Deposits	244.25
		Revenue Reserved Unrtil Collected	233,861.80
		Appropriation Balances	1,613,840.00
		Petty Cash Reserve	37.00
			<u>\$2,134,486.39</u>
Net Funded or Fixed Debt		DEBT ACCOUNTS	
		Serial Loans, School Construction	<u>\$400,000.00</u>
			<u>\$400,000.00</u>

Veterans' Agent

District Board:

Carl Hiler, Sandwich Chairman
Martin Hoxie, Barnstable
Charles Eager, Yarmouth
Joseph Merchant, Dennis
Frank Hieks, Mashpee

I hereby submit my 1974 annual report of the District Department of Veterans' Services.

The Veterans' Service Department serves as a ONE STOP CENTER for Veterans, and, in addition to our duties to aid, assist and advise, as stated in Chapter 115 and 483 of the Massachusetts General Laws, we counsel, file claims, explore every avenue of resource and revenue available, make them aware of their own assets and treat them as human beings, with dignity and courtesy.

A total of 5791 people visited our office for service and assistance. During the year, we handled 6839 incoming telephone calls with all kinds of questions and advice. Included is a report from the Investigator, Sidney L. Chase.

The Department wishes to thank the Boards of Selectmen and their various Town Departments for their splendid cooperation throughout the year.

Charles H. Cross
Director and Agent

REPORT OF THE INVESTIGATOR

As Investigator of this Department, I investigate each application. After determining that the Veterans are eligible, I break them into two categories, Permanent and Temporary.

Permanent cases are investigated every six months and Temporary cases are investigated each and every month.

For the Calendar year 1974, there were a total of 316 investigative reports. I, also, try to keep abreast of all eligible Benefits for Veterans and to inform as many as I can and assist them in obtaining these Benefits. On an Emergency basis, I transfer needy Veterans to various V.A. Hospitals in our area.

Sidney L. Chase, Investigator

Natural Resources & Recreation

Beach Operations Committee

Nancy S. Sears, Chairman	Robert E. Crowell
George Kelley, Vice Chairman	Dorothea Darling
Mary Baldwin	Franklyn Estey
Alan A. Collette	Russ Kelsey

Curt Livingston
Members Ex-Officio

Robert C. Lawton, Jr. Robert Taylor

Our beaches and dunes are a beautiful but fragile resource. Overuse, misuse and carelessness can lead to the destruction of one of the Town's most valuable assets. The Beach Operations Committee is as concerned with the preservation of our beaches as with the actual management and operation. We meet regularly throughout the year in the Town Office Building. Meeting dates are posted on the calendar and generally in the local papers. We would encourage residents of Dennis, both summer and year round, to attend these meetings as many helpful ideas and suggestions come from outside the Committee.

Although the Treasurer's report will show receipts and expenses on a fiscal year basis, this report will be for the calendar year 1974 as this comprises one summer season. Receipts from parking fees, sticker fees, concession rentals and parking violations totaled \$120,748. Payments for parking violations are still trickling in. Our expenses for 1974 were \$132,153.94 including approximately \$14,000 for the new sewage system at West Dennis. We are pleased and gratified that the receipts this calendar year were a record despite the early fears of a lack of visitors to the area.

With the large influx of visitors in Dennis, the problems increase proportionally. The fire that was set in the lifeguard room at the West Dennis Beach Bathhouse on Memorial Day weekend caused some \$4,000 in damage. Due to the prompt action of the Fire Department, greater damage was averted. The Town's Maintenance Department was exceptionally helpful in repairing this damage quickly so that the inconvenience to the staff and public was minimized. This, plus numerous other acts of vandalism cause continual problems in safety, maintenance and costs. Dogs remain to be a cause for concern. They are not permitted to be on the beaches at any time from April 15 until October 15. We ask the cooperation of everyone in Dennis in compliance with this ruling

1974 marked the first time the beaches were opened beginning Memorial Day weekend prior to the regular ten week season. In spite of unsatisfactory weather, the problems that were averted by having the beaches staffed made the effort worthwhile. Fortunately, marvelous beach weather prevailed from the Fourth of July through Labor Day. Swimming instruction was provided at Sea Street in Dennisport, West Dennis Beach and Scargo Lake throughout the summer. A swim meet was held at Sand Lake in Harwich with classes participating from Harwich, Chatham, the National Seashore and Dennis. Contests between the swimmers from Sea Street in Dennisport and West Dennis Beach were held in both locations during August. These contests were attended with much enthusiasm and ribbons were presented to winners.

Long range planning for future personnel needs, improvements to existing property, as well as the possible acquisition of additional beach property has been the subject of much thought and discussion. A five year plan of staffing for optimum personnel coverage has been adopted. This year we are asking for an increase of four lifeguards and one gate attendant. Several areas have no lifeguard protection. We feel that this situation must be corrected before a tragedy impells us to do so. The parking area at Howes Street, Dennis should be slightly enlarged and the South Village Road parking area in West Dennis will be approached on a long range basis for improvement. The fact that the beaches were filled to capacity on many occasions necessitates that serious thought be given to the advisability of the purchase of beach land should some become available.

In order to operate effectively, it is necessary to call on many others for help and specialized knowledge. The utmost cooperations have been afforded this Committee by the Selectmen, the Executive Secretary's office and every town department. Our gratitude and thanks to all for their assistance and cooperation.

Conservation Commission

E.T. Gardner, Chairman
Norton Nickerson, Vice Chairman
Olga Noxon, Secretary
Robert Crowell
Curt Livingston
Alan Perry
Charles Vaughan

The year 1974 has been a constructive one for the Commission, but much remains to be accomplished.

Wetland Act hearings have been held covering 35 properties, and appropriate Orders of Condition issued.

An office has been established in Town Hall with records and information centralized. A start has been made on creating an orderly filing system.

The voters overwhelmingly approved the acquisition of two substantial parcels of land one on Scargo Lake the other on Bass River in South Dennis, and negotiations were completed for another tract in Dennisport part of which was approved in 1967. The Commonwealth has already given preliminary approval for reimbursement of this property. It is expected that approval will soon be forthcoming on the Scargo Hill and Bass River properties. The owners have been most cooperative relative to unanticipated delays in finalizing these purchases.

The Commission is responsible for substantial assets of the Town and these cannot be administered casually.

A crash program was undertaken to protect the Chapin area, where storm damaged endangered a large segment of this area. The Soil Conservation Service and the Massachusetts Extension Service have been cooperating in this project, and a long range program is being developed with anticipated Federal funding.

The Commission is indebted to the Four Wheel Drive Club of Hyannis and two Boy Scout Troops for their assistance in planting Christmas Trees and Beach Grass to prevent further erosion. Erosion has forced a temporary closing of the beach frontage pending adequate plans for use and policing of the area.

The "Cross Patch" a gift from the Harry Cross family is well on its way to restoration, and will be made available to the citizens this summer for Blueberrying.

A testimonial was held at Fresh Pond in October to honor Richard Hall and Ralph Kelly, whose substantial gifts to the Town provided the nucleus for this large Conservation area.

Development of Crowe's Pasture is being planned to open this area for passive recreation.

The Commission suffered a severe loss during the year when Henry Kelly felt it necessary to resign due to the pressure of his heavy responsibilities as a Selectman. We were fortunate in securing as a member Curt Livingston.

The Commission meets twice each month on the second Tuesday at 3 p.m. and the fourth Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Office, and we welcome all interested citizens to come forward and participate in our work.

Golf Course Commission

R. Ronald Blanchard, Chairman
 Joseph P. Walker, Ass't. Chairman
 William H. Hodsdon
 Laurence B. George
 George Lovequist
 John J. O'Leary

The Golf Commission experienced a great loss in June of 1974 of their Chairman, Robert "Bob" Henderson. Bob worked many untiring hours from the original committee appointed to develop the concept of Dennis Pines to the time of his death. He will be missed, however, "time waits for no man" and the commissioners unanimously voted R. Ronald Blanchard as their new chairman along with Joseph Walker as Assistant Chairman.

The Commissioner's report is as follows:

Memberships	1972	1973	1974
	799	805	829
Income and Expenses			
	1972	1973	1974
Memberships	\$ 51,365.00	\$ 65,395.00	\$ 66,195.00
Greens Fees	111,231.11	115,858.45	109,587.25
Cart Rentals	13,004.28	14,132.02	14,210.53
Totals	\$175,600.39	\$195,385.47	\$189,993.78
		2/3	
			74-75
Budgeted	110,435.00	111,339.00	122,283.00
Balance	65,165.39	84,046.47	67,710.78
Bond Payments			
Prin. & Interest	25,890.00	25,270.00	19,650.00
Net Income	39,275.39	58,776.47	48,060.78

Dennis Pines was in excellent shape throughout the year. We once again congratulate Supt. Dick Mathews and his crew. The Clubhouse personnel, Jay Haberl, and James Knowles did a fine job handling our summer visitors and members.

Our thanks to the cooperation of the Selectmen, and Executive Secretary, Theodore M. Nelson, The Fire Department and Rescue Squad, the Police, the Highway Department and Mrs. Lillian Johnson who handles the memberships at the Town Hall.

Harbormaster - Bass River And Associated Waterways

Stuart Ellis, Acting Harbormaster

There was much activity on Bass River in the 1974 season considering the reduction in the amount and use of power boats. It is interesting to note that there was an increase in the number and use of sail boats of all sizes.

The smaller of these were the prime cause of 28 trips "outside" in the Nantucket Sound. There were many reasons, such as eapsized boats, broken masts and tillers, etc. The patrol also made 16 trips "outside" to tow boats with engine failure, 2 of which were taking on water.

Between June 1st and the first week in September, the patrol stopped or hailed 513 boats for violation of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 90B, with one arrest and conviction which resulted in a decrease of stolen boats.

As Acting Harbormaster I would like to thank Mr. Judson L. Churchill, who retired in June of 1974, for all his help. His services will be missed. Also I would like to take this opportunity to thank David A. Ellis, Assistant Harbormaster, for his services, and Wesley B. Eaton, Natural Resources Officer, for his great assistance.

Harbormaster - Sesuit Harbor

Richard D. Buck, Harbormaster
Northside Harbors

The 1974 summer season reflected, as we expected it would, a definite increase in harbor activities. Revenue to the Town from boat slips totalled \$19,705, an increase well over \$1,000. Harbor parking on both sides, including violations was \$6,421, an increase of over \$2,000 from 1973. As of January 1, 1975, full assessments on boats in the Town amounted to \$811,500. Boats are assessed at \$93.40 per thousand dollars on the basis of one-third of full assessment. This brought \$25,265 to the Town in 1974.

The total revenue received by the Town for the year was \$51,491.

The Harbormaster allocated 156 moorings in the inner basin. The outer harbor, or sailboat basin, accommodated comfortably forty-five moorings under the supervision of my very competent assistant, Russell Kingman. There were more than 4,000 trailer launchings.

Nobsussett Harbor at Corporation Beach did approximately the same as 1973.

I would like to thank the Town for approving at their Town Meeting the additional slips which should be ready for the 1975 season.

Sesuit Harbor Study Committee

Frank H. Eastman, Jr., Chairman
Richard D. Buck
David L. Howes
Roger H. Maloney
Emil H. Mueller, Secretary
William E. Crowell
Henry Kelley II
Benjamin L. Richardson
Charles W. Vaughan

Assisted by:
Dwight G.W. Hollister
S. Russell Kingman

This Committee was established in 1973 to study the Master Plan of Sesuit Harbor and the U.S. Army Engineer Corps study of shoaling at the Harbor, and make recommendations at a future town meeting. The Committee still awaits completion by the Engineer Corps of its shoaling study.

We are pleased to report, however, that the shoaling study is under way, having been started late this past summer by the Corps. A survey crew set up control marks, later a soil survey crew took core samples by probing the Harbor bottom to determine soils and foundations, and finally, just before Christmas, a hydrographic survey crew took soundings to show the bottom contours of the Harbor and its approaches.

In other matters pertaining to the Harbor you are advised that:

1. The new float slips authorized by the May 1974 Town Meeting are substantially complete, and a contract has been let by the Town for the driving of piles during April, thus providing for the 1975 boating season some 69 additional spaces.
2. Water and electricity are now available on the east side of the Harbor, and plans are in process for extending these services (previously available on the west side) to individual slips on both sides of the Harbor, again as authorized by the 1974 Town Meeting.
3. Pending the results of the Engineer Corps study of shoaling, a nominal amount (\$800 of available funds) will be used this spring to relieve the extreme shoaling in the "narrows", that restricted portion of the channel just north of the gas dock. Work will be done from shore by dragline.
4. Preliminary figures at this time indicate Harbor revenues for the 1974 season to have been \$19,705 for slip rentals, \$6,403 for Harbor parking, or a total of \$26,108. With additional slips available for the 1975 season, receipts should increase by about \$10,000.
5. During the 1974 season more than 300 boats were berthed in the Harbor (slips and/or moorings), and in excess of 4000 trailered boat launchings were made via the east and west side ramps.

The Sesuit Harbor Study Committee suggests, in view of the substantial interest demonstrated by boating persons and in anticipation of a favorable report by the Engineer Corps on how best to take care of shoaling conditions, that the Town give favorable consideration to the raising and appropriating, or the taking from available funds, the sum of \$5,000 on an annual basis to be used for dredging or otherwise correcting such conditions.

All members of this Committee once again express their appreciation for this opportunity to serve the Town. We thank particularly the several Town employees who have aided us in our studies and have worked in providing the maintenance and operating functions so essential to the substantial business and pleasure boating interests of our Town. Comments or suggestions concerning our activities are welcome.

Shellfish Department

Wesley B. Eaton, Shellfish Constable

The following permits were issued in 1974.

Commercial:	
Scallops	63
Quahogs	15
Eel Pots	8
Clams	5
Over 70 years of age (no fee)	19
Total	110
Fam. Use:	
Taxpayers and or Resident	1,400
Over 70 years of age (no fee)	118
Total	1,518
Non-resident	17
Fish Traps	2

Shellfish planted for 1974 were as follows:

Oysters:

75 Bushel of adult oysters taken from Swan River and transplanted in Cove Channel.

25 Bushel of seed oysters taken from Swan River and put on oyster rafts.

25 Bushel of seed oysters picked up along Bass River & Cove banks, and put on rafts for future use.

25 Bushel of adult oysters taken from rafts and put in Cove Channel.

Total of oysters transplanted.

Adult 100 Bushel

Seed 50 Bushel

Total of quahogs planted in Cove.

Adult 500 Bushel

Seed 50 Bushel

Scallops taken from Bass River & Cove during Scallop season for Fam. & Commercial use approximately 1,800 Bu. From the large amount of seed scallops in the Cove & river area, we should have a good supply for 1975.

In closing, I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, the townspeople, and all others connected with this department for their cooperation and assistance during the year 1974.

Jericho House Committee

HISTORICAL CENTER OF DENNIS

Mr. Kirkwood B. Brown, Chairman
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeremiah Burke
Mrs. Palmer J. Cook
Mrs. Richard M. Dunham
Mr. Robert Eldred, Sr.
Mrs. Kenneth Foster
Mrs. Richard Hall
Mrs. Mildred Heptonstall
Mrs. Lawrence Lovequist

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murdock
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pentland
Mr. Harold Phillips
Miss Ann Treat Reynolds
Mrs. Marion Crowell Ryder
Mrs. Mark Smith
Mrs. Katheryne A. Snowden
Mrs. Donald K. Tarbell
Mrs. William W. Wood

Jericho House opened the 1974 season with its annual "Silver Tea" on June 28th, attended by 130 guests, including several state and town officials. On Wednesday and Friday afternoons throughout July and August volunteer hostesses, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Mildred Heptonstall, welcomed over 500 visitors. Several groups such as the Cape Cod chapter of the American Association of University Women, and the Dennis Bicentennial Commission held meetings at Jericho. Den mother Mrs. Ralph Soucie, brought Cub Pack 78 of the Boy Scouts to visit Jericho House and Barn Museum. Mr. James Coogan, Jr., history teacher at Dennis-Yarmouth High School, brought two groups of students and one class of adults to this historical center. Grade School teachers also brought pupils.

The West Dennis Garden Club once more beautified the grounds with flower borders, and on Arbor Day planted a dogwood tree, with appropriate ceremonies.

During 1974 several pieces of period furniture were purchased, a display cabinet was built into the Keeping Room, and new kitchen equipment was installed. The Acquisitions Committee prepared a record of all the Jericho House and Barn Museum possessions. The Fairbank Collection of old documents and letters was catalogued. Flag experts were consulted regarding the preservation of the 1781 U.S. Flag that hangs in the Barn Museum. The Jericho Committee relinquished custody of an old school bell, and it now adorns the cupola of the West Dennis Community Building.

Death claimed two charter members of the Jericho House Committee: Mrs. Peter Crowell, who had been the first to suggest a Barn Museum, and Mr. Gordon Robb, who supervised the architectural details of the Jericho House restoration. Four members of the committee resigned: Mrs. DeWitt Stucke, Mrs. Malcolm Haskell, Mrs. Alan R. Carlsen, and Mrs. John Baker. Mrs. Baker was curator of the Barn Museum. Her good work will be continued by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pentland. Two new members were appointed to the committee: Mrs. Mark Smith and Mrs. William H. Low.

Since Jericho House belongs to the people of Dennis, the committee members simply act as their surrogates and, as such, welcome the continued participation and support of the whole community.

William Jeremiah Burke, Secretary

Josiah Dennis Manse Committee

Esther W. Howes, Chairman

Manse committee members:

W. Jeremiah Burke
Robert Eldred, Jr.
Mrs. Richard Hofmann
John Herrick
Mrs. Walter McDowell
Mrs. Byron Peirce
Mrs. Wilson Scofield
Mrs. David Sears
Mr. and Mrs. Craig Short
Mrs. David Tellegen
Mrs. Earl Whittemore, Sr.
Mrs. William Wood
Mrs. Dean Yount
Philip Colby

Dennis Historical Commission

Members who also serve on the
Josiah Dennis Manse Committee:
Dean S. Sears, Chairman
Mrs. Orion Derick
Mrs. Mary Hood Hagler
Mrs. Anson Howes
Mrs. Leon Perry

The Manse was open to the public on Wednesday and Friday afternoons from the first of July to mid-September. It was also open on special days to accommodate several groups of students and adults who wished to visit this historic house. Plans are being made to extend this phase of our work.

On February 15, 1974, the Josiah Dennis Manse was entered on the National Register of Historic Places under the National Park Service, and is now eligible to receive grants of Federal money. An application to the Massachusetts Historical Commission for a federal grant for 1975 has already been approved by that Commission. Such a grant will require matching funds from the Town of Dennis or from some other source.

During the summer, the Village Garden Club of Dennis supplied the house with flowers, planted shrubs near the front door, and maintained small gardens on the east side of the house. In July this Garden Club held a very attractive and successful flower show to which many visitors came. Plans are being made to hold another flower show during the coming summer.

Two art shows were held. The first was in late July under the direction of Rev. Edwin R. Carter and Mrs. William Stewart, and featured works of the Adult Education Group. The second art show came during Festival Week in August under the direction of Mr. Richard Howard. Leading Cape Artists exhibited their work. This show also was well attended.

In December, the Dennis Hospital Aid Group, under the direction of Mrs. Howard A. Robinson, held a very successful Christmas Tea at the Manse. The house was beautifully decorated and the tea was delicious.

A number of valuable items have been given to the house, and especially to the library. This room, under the direction of Mr. Jeremiah Burke, has become an important source of historical information. There have been gifts of furnishings and artifacts for which the Committee is grateful.

The "summer kitchen" has been reshingled and the house has been protected by burglar and fire alarms connected to the Police Station.

A generous gift of money from Mrs. Henry McHarg increased the Grounds Fund so that the trees on the east side of the house could be trimmed. The work was done and the area is much improved in appearance. The sewage system has been enlarged to conform to present town standards.

The oldest schoolhouse building in town, circa 1770, stands on the Manse grounds. An application to place this schoolhouse on the National Register of Historic Places has been accepted by the Massachusetts Historical Commission, and is pending before the National Park Service in Washington, D.C. Also, an application for a grant for Federal money in the year 1976 has been submitted to the proper authorities. It is the hope of the Committee that with the co-operation of the Town of Dennis and these sources of funds, we may bring this building to a useful, working historical asset.

Recreation Commission

Robert W. Porteus, Chairman

1974 was a year of challenging change for the Dennis Recreation Commission. By vote of Town Meeting, the membership was enlarged to seven who were: Chairman Robert W. Porteus, Vice-Chairman Gregory M. Crowell, Secretary John L. Kuhn Jr., Treasurer Paul J. Carter and members Warren A. Nelson, P.T. Wolf and Arnold F. Lett, Jr.

Some past policies were continued as the Recreation Commission continued its sponsorship of youth hockey, soccer, softball, baseball and other active sports.

Quickly however, the Commission saw a need for a more rounded balance in the recreational endeavors for the Town of Dennis. Little had been accomplished in the way of more passive recreation, especially, for our elderly taxpayers.

Therefore, the Commission sponsored contract bridge lessons and contract bridge play. Already, the program has been highly successful. The Commission also created a sub committee to work in the development of a sensible bicycle path system in Dennis. Federal funds are now being sought so that this large undertaking might become a reality.

Impressive progress has occurred during 1974 and your Dennis Recreation Commission hopes to inaugurate far greater progress in 1975.

Future plans include the creation of centrally located tennis courts in a recreationally orientated complex which may even include handball courts, badminton and passive lawn games.

For the younger set, Easter Egg Hunts as well as field trips to such places as the Museum of Science are in the offing.

Imaginative and innovative programs are only negated by a lack of funding. All town committees are sensitive to the country's nagging economy. Within our budget therefore, the Recreation Commission will continue to strive to bring as many programs as possible to the fore in the hopes that as many Dennis citizens as possible will avail themselves the fullest opportunity of participation.

Remaining optimistic about our Nation's future, we seek to strike a fair balance between the recreational requirements of both our young and our older residents. We believe we made a most progressive start in 1974 and hope to enlarge upon same during 1975.

Health

Board of Health

Henry C. Boles, Chairman

During the year 1974 the Board of Health has made significant strides in the revision of town regulations, strengthening of State Regulations, and the adoption of new town regulations. The impetus for the new look began with the new Health Agent, Theodore A. Dumas, whose title has been changed to Health Director to distinguish his role from the various health agents appointed by the Board of Health. Following closely upon the appointment of the Health Agent, was the acceptance by the annual town meeting of the citizens Board of Health Advisory Committee. The committee is made up of Constance Bechard, Dr. Arthur Bickford, John W. Francis, Stetson Hall, Susan F. Klein, Chairman, Donald W. Moncevicz, Allan Perry, Paris Sterrett, Garfield Toolas, and the Board of Health expresses its appreciation for the volunteer work it has done. Its work will continue into the fields of health- advising, promulgating, and keeping a watchful and concerned eye towards the improvement of conditions in the town which affect the health of its inhabitants.

The Sanitary Landfill master plan aerial surveys will be completed in April, 1975, and the development of the plan will follow. Selection of an excavating contractor to perform sanitary disposal duties was made in 1974 through invitation for bids. This method appeared to be an acceptable means of justly fulfilling this need, and will be repeated annually to permit the present contractor to adjust his operational costs and to permit other contractors to compete.

The Board appreciates the work of the volunteer Health Advisory Committee and the confidence of the people of our community, and ask for continued interest in our efforts for 1975-76.

Health Advisory Board

Susan Klein, Chairman

The Board of Health Advisory Committee was established at the Annual Town Meeting in May 1974. The Committee, composed of nine members, was appointed in September and held its first meeting in October. The Committee's role is a dual one, to formulate a long-term, comprehensive public health plan for the Town, and; to study the day to day public health problems in the Town of Dennis and to make recommendations on their solution.

In its first year, the Committee considered three major issues. First, it discussed the merits of making the BOARD OF Health a separate entity rather than having its powers lodged with the Board of Selectmen as is currently the case. Among the points considered were election versus appointment, optimal number of members and term of office.

A great deal of time was devoted to formulating supplemental rules and regulations to Article X of the State Sanitary Code dealing with food service establishments. As a result, seven new regulations were written and submitted to the Board of Health for enactment. The regulations dealt with the requirement of a permit for all food service establishments, ban on bare feet and animals in such establishments, removal of outdated foods from sale, refrigeration of dairy products and eggs, and prohibition on re-serving of food.

The Committee suggested that the Director of Public Health be given the power of emergency condemnation of dwellings unfit for human habitation and recommended a set of related regulations and penalties.

Among the miscellaneous issues considered were the hazards of vinyl chloride propellants in aerosol spray cans and the dangers of aerial spraying. The Committee also intends to pursue its interests in the Parkcours system, a two-mile walking, jogging, running and cycling trail in a natural setting with scientifically designed exercise stations constructed along the path. Parkcours are now in use in Sweden and Switzerland where they promote good health and longevity while increasing the enjoyment of the outdoors.

Health Director

Theodore A. Dumas R.S.

Health Administration:

Changes were made in the operation of the office with an eye towards alleviating much of the clerical work previously done by personnel. An agreement with the Barnstable County Health Department was made so that this Department would work closely with the County Health Department with regard to inspections of Day Care Centers, and that the Dennis Health Department would retain licensing of these centers. Assistance from the County Health Department was requested at various times and these services were gratefully accepted. A register was established listing all reportable communicable diseases so that accurate records are now available with regard to these matters and are promptly reported to the State Health Department. Communication with area engineering firms, and septic system installers were made and ground rules were set up as to the requirements of this Department. Many meetings were conducted with other town departments and the services of this department has been offered to all town departments. A close working relationship with all town departments has been effectuated. Advisory letters to firms which deal with the department were sent resulting in better communication between the Health Department and the engineering firms who deal with it.

Occupancy By-Law

During the first part of the year, the Occupancy By-Law was implemented and registration of rental property was begun. Applications were mailed, rental dwellings were inspected, and permits were issued. The added work load resulting from this program necessitated the hiring of a part-time clerk to handle these duties along with general office work. With the subsequent amendment to the by-law adopted at town meeting in August, 1974, which provided for a fine of \$50.00 for those who chose not to register their property, the amendment proved to be an asset in the implementation of the Occupancy By-Law. Although the past summer season was my first experience with problems related to group rentals, I have revised implementation plans in dealing with these problems that exist from overcrowding conditions. I feel quite certain that with the cooperation of the Dennis Police Department we will be able to deal with these problems more quickly and with determination.

Flu Clinic:

The Town of Dennis with the cooperation of the Town of Yarmouth jointly sponsored a Flu Clinic for town employees and our elderly citizens. This was a first venture, and I would like to extend my appreciation to the Visiting Nurses Association, and Dr. John J. Carroll, who donated their services.

Food Sanitation:

All restaurants, markets, fruit and vegetable stands, and mobile food service vehicles were inspected prior to issuance to permits. Violations of the Sanitary Code were noted in some instances and corrections were made.

Cooperation received from operators of food service establishments has been gratifying. It is my hope that during the coming months an educational program will be given for all food service personnel in the town. This program will be sponsored by the Dennis Health Department, and be given by a representative of the Federal Food and Drug Administration. We have recently adopted new regulations which are an addition to those of the MASSACHUSETTS Sanitary Code Article X.

Housing Inspections:

A number of inspections were conducted upon request of the Dennis Housing Authority for their rental programs. These inspections were conducted under regulations of the Massachusetts Sanitary Code Article II and were held prior to rental by applicants to the Dennis Housing Authority. Recommendations were forwarded following inspection as to violations which existed and were to be corrected before rental of such property. Inspections under the same code were conducted upon request of private citizens where violations were believed to exist. Follow ups of these inspections were made directly to the owners of the property. Inspections were also conducted upon complaint of occupants or neighbors of rental property.

Sub-Surface Sewage Disposal:

In April new regulations were promulgated by the Board of Health at my request to supplement regulations of the State Sanitary Code Article XI. These regulations also included a fee system for septic system permits, and for the repair of present systems. These fees resulted in new income totaling \$5,350.00. The new regulations proved to be workable and equitable both to the town and installers of these systems. They are in addition to the State Code, but in many respects more strict.

Milk Licensing:

In May, I requested the Board of Health to appoint a Milk Inspector under provisions of the General Laws and also to license all milk dealers in the town. In June, I proceeded to license all milk dealers and began a program of milk sampling throughout the town. With the subsequent licensing of these dealers, this also provided another source of new income to the town.

Motel, Lodging Houses, Inns:

Motel, Lodging Houses, Guest Houses and Inns were inspected and subsequently licensed. In November I requested in accordance with the General Laws that the Board of Health increase fees for Lodging Houses and Innholders to be equitable with the fee charged for Motels.

Swimming Pools:

All public and semi-public swimming pools were inspected in compliance with regulations of the State Sanitary Code Article VI. In many instances it was found that required equipment was not available. That log books had not been kept. That proper chlorination procedures had not been followed. I believe that all swimming pools located in Dennis now meet the requirements of the State regulations. It is my hope that in the coming year, routine inspections will include on-site testing for chlorine residual and Ph. Instructions will be given the operators as to the correct procedures with regards to maintaining swimming pools.

Water Pollution Monitoring:

The program of monitoring all the beaches in Dennis, the streams, creeks, and areas where potential problems may exist was continued and I believe this to be a continuing program that is an insurance to the many visitors of the town, that our bathing waters are of a safe quality. By performing our own water testing, we have access to results very quickly, and thus are able to contend with problems if and when they arise. I might add that the water quality during the past year was within the limits prescribed by the Massachusetts Sanitary Code Article VII. Cooperation has been established with the Barnstable Health Department Laboratory, and also the Laboratory located at the Cultured Clam Inc. There are certain areas in the town that warrant close scrutiny with regard to potential pollution factors. These areas are tested more frequently. When areas of direct contamination are found, they are dealt with immediately.

Solid Waste Disposal:

The Solid Waste Disposal Area was operated within the budget received at the last annual town meeting. A few changes in personnel, and a change in the contractor were made. The recycling area located within the Town Disposal Area has been operated mainly with volunteer help, and is a venture in which I would like to see increased as it has many potentials. In lending assistance to this program, I have ordered the employees at the Disposal Area to give a portion of their work day to the recycling area. Expansion of this area into the recycling of materials other than paper, glass, and metals has begun with the recycling of household appliances. I will make a concerted effort to operate this department efficiently, and with the best interests of the residents in mind.

Health Advisory Board:

This committee was created at the May, 1974 annual town meeting and has proved to be a valuable asset to the Health Department. Meetings were conducted twice monthly. A separate report can be found elsewhere in this book.

In Conclusion:

Regular written reports have been submitted to Selectmen concerning activities of this department. I have supervised budgets of the Health Department, Solid Waste Disposal Area, Dog Officer- Animal Inspector, and Sealer of Weights and Measures. Consulting services were offered to the Conservation Commission, Planning Board, and Beach Committee. A close working relationship was maintained with the Police, Fire, Engineering, Highway Department, Shellfish Warden, Building Inspector, and all Town Officials. I wish to extend my gratitude for their assistance, for without total cooperation among the various departments, we could not serve the good people of the town to the best of our ability. Special thanks is given to Executive Secretary, Theodore M. Nelson, and the Board of Health for their continued support.

Health Department	April-December 1974
Complaints Investigated	107
Inspections with Police and Fire Officials	168
Fire investigations in Food Service Establishments	4

Condemnation of Property	3
Food Service Inspections	214
Swimming Pool Inspections	42
Septic System Permits (Inc. Repair)	281
Occupancy Permits	2937
Food Service Permits	145
Motel, Lodging House, Innkeeper	103
Milk Dealer	43
Common Victuallers	75
Swimming Pool	36
Trailer Park	3
Sewage Installers	41
Garbage & Offal Removal	19

Occupancy Study Committee

Robert W. Stone, Chairman

The Occupancy Committee of the town has worked closely with the Board of Health, the town executive secretary, and the Police Department. In the spring, it was felt by the committee and town officials that the occupancy licensing should have penalties for not registering with the town. At the time only 2100 permits had been issued. At the town meeting on August 14, 1974, the committee submitted the following article: "To see if the town will vote to amend the occupancy bylaw of the town bylaws, by adding the following to Sec. 5: 'Any owner of premises as described in Sec. 1 or agent for the owner, who fails to register shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50,00 for each offense, each day that such violation continues shall be considered a separate offense.'" It was voted as a part of the occupancy by-law, and the Committee then had a notice inserted in the Real Estate tax bills. At present there have been over 3000 permits issued.

The summer started badly with trouble at a motel as well as at a few houses. The alert work of the police, the health department and executive secretary, as well as the fine cooperation of the Selectmen acting as the licensing board, soon quieted the town's noisy parties and we had a comfortable summer season. The tools have been furnished by this committee to the town officials and they are using them effectively. Best wishes for a quiet and successful summer in 1975.

Barnstable County Health Department

The Barnstable County Health Department has continued to provide services in the areas of environmental health, dental health, medical social work, nursing consultation and supervision, and control of communicable diseases. The staff of eight professional consultants, three laboratory and clerical workers, and one summer inspector is augmented by five staff working with the Handicapped Children's Clinic of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Division of Family Health, and by one worker from the Division of Communicable Diseases-Venereal Diseases.

We believe that local services should be strengthened and supplemented, hence priority is given to the development of better health delivery patterns, to the orientation of new town, school, and agency workers in the field of human services, and to some evaluation of proposed health services. Department staff are working cooperatively with Comprehensive Health Planning, and with many state agencies and local health organizations.

We also feel that the provision of in-service education, and undergraduate and graduate educational experiences, contribute to better health services. In order to broaden the understanding of public health practice and of the scope, power and responsibility of a health department, we have had students as follows; a senior student of Public Health from the University of Massachusetts, as a summer sanitary inspector; three senior students in Physical Therapy from Boston University who worked with the Handicapped Children's Services; a graduate student from Boston University in nursing administration; two students from the University of Massachusetts Medical School; and from the Upper Cape Cod Vocational-Technical School, the practical nursing students have all had an observation experience; a second year student in Hotel Management from Cape Cod Community College. In-service programs and conferences are held monthly for the nurses working in Home Health Agencies, and periodically for school nurses and for health agents. The Cape Cod Community College has been willing to offer a one semester course in Public Health Law which attracted a small group of health workers. Our dental hygienist has been working with the college in development of the clinical experiences for the new program for Dental Hygienists, and was on an advisory committee of the Lower Cape Cod Vocational School.

The inspection, consultation and recommendation of day care centers for licensure by the individual towns continues to require much skill. Increasingly stringent and necessary regulations affect established centers as well as newer ones. There are now 49 licensed centers, five of these were new this year.

Once a year each of the nine Home Health Agencies is surveyed for recertification, in order to provide nursing, physical therapy, and other therapeutic services under Medicare. The nurse directors of this department assist in the preparation for these evaluations, and provide supervision by agreement to seven of these agencies.

The schools are now responsible for providing evaluation and education for children from 3-21 years for those with special needs. Because of our contacts with many children, families and households, we are spending a great

deal of time working with parent groups, school groups, and physicians, clinical nurseries and day care centers, in coordinating and approving certain plans.

Continued pressure from the 15 towns will require us to provide more laboratory services for the analysis of water samples and monitoring of shore and pond areas. We must enlarge the laboratory work area and obtain more time-saving equipment. The sanitarians have provided more analysis of paint chips for lead content, and they have participated in more conferences.

The medical social worker has served as supervisor and consultant to two departments of social service and one Home Health Agency. She has been instrumental in planning for regular meetings of the medical social work staff of eight hospitals in the area, and has established contacts with many agencies providing funds and services for those with developmental disabilities.

We appreciate suggestions and requests for different or additional services and plan to adapt to meet needs when possible.

1974 Department personnel included:

Esther G. Howes, R.N., M.N., M.S. County Health Officer and Certified Health Officer

Ruth J. Alvezi, Principal Clerk

Willie Jane Angus, Assistant Medical Social Worker

Mary L. Casey, R.N., M.P.H., Public Health Nurse Director I

*Stephanie Coyman, Substitute Principal Clerk

Alice A. Dalzell, R.D.H., Public Health Dental Hygienist

Leo H. Decoteau, R.S., B.A., Public Health Sanitarian and Certified Health Officer

Mary E. Dwyer, Senior Clerk

Bonnie C. Farmer, R.N., B.S., Public Health Nurse Director II

Christing Fein, R.N., Epidemiologist Mass. Dept. Public Health

Stetson R. Hall, R.S., B.S., Public Health Sanitarian

Sandra Herzberg, Junior Clerk-Stenographer

Carol M. Hunter, Head Clerk

Sandra A. Jones, Laboratory Technician

#Hazel Keith, R.N., M.S., Public Health Nurse Director I

Elizabeth Maginnis, M.S.W., A.C.S.W., Medical Social Worker

Joan Satkiewicz, Senior Clerk-Stenographer

Richard M. Sturtevant, R.S., M.S., Public Health Sanitarian

Florence Whiteley, R.P.T., B.S., Public Health Physical Therapist

Judy Zall, B.S., Sanitary Inspector, part time.

*Resigned

#Retired

Visiting Nurse Association Of Central Cape Cod, Inc.

Amelia C. Beauregard, Executive Director

Home visits by the Visiting Nurse Association show an increase over 1973. The additional services provided last year was to the Senior Citizens, Geriatric Counseling and was offered at the D-Y Center where 137 attended from Dennis. In the fall Flu Vaccine was given to Senior Citizens at the D-Y Center.

	1973	1974
Home visits for Nursing Care	1,868	2,041
Visits to Tuberculosis Cases	19	12
Maternity Home Visits	155	143
Visits for Health Promotion	47	21
	<u>2,089</u>	<u>2,217</u>

	Cases	Visits	Cases	Visits
Rehabilitation Services provided in Dennis for Physical Therapy Treatments in the Home.	27	188	21	140

Homemaker-Home Health Aides were used in 27 Dennis cases during the year.

Finance

Assessors

Carroll V. Murdock, Chairman

As of January 31, 1975, the United Appraisal completed 80% of the revaluation of the assessment of real property in the Town. Notices are due to be mailed to all taxpayers in the spring. These notices will state the assessed value of land and buildings as of January 1, 1975.

The United Appraisal Company will then set aside a period of a few weeks for meetings with taxpayers who have questions regarding their assessments.

In the fall, tax bills will be mailed for a 50% payment prior to November 1, 1975 and the balance of 50% due and payable May 1, 1976.

The Board of Selectmen and/or Assessors on October 15, 1974 adopted a "Conservation Restriction Formula" for voluntary application by landowners who desired a reduction in tax assessment. The land is placed under restriction for a period of years (10, 15, 20, 25 or perpetuity). Approximately 275 inquiries were received. After receipt of a packet outlining the terms of the restriction forty-four landowners have come forward and signed applications prior to December 31, 1974. The total land area approximates over 200 acres of vacant land.

There are, undoubtedly, many landowners who have postponed their decision until after receipt of the revaluation assessments for their holdings.

The Board wishes to reassure any of the above who wish to make application during 1975 to do so prior to November 1st. The necessary documents will then be prepared as rapidly as possible provided the land qualifies and is in conformance with the guidelines of the formula.

The guidelines may be obtained at the Assessing Department, Dennis Town Office Building.

A new law of the Commonwealth provides a reduced rate on lands in Agricultural or Horticultural Usage. The Dennis Board of Assessors received a small number of applications for this relief and ultimately decided to grant two such classifications.

Another state law was passed in 1974, namely: Clause 41A. This allows taxpayers 65 years of age or older, who do not earn in excess of \$20,000. per annum to request a deferment of tax. The amount of deferment may include the total tax accrued from year to year as long as the total amount deferred does not exceed 50% of the assessed valuation.

Further details on any of these provisions may be obtained from the Assessing Department, Town of Dennis.

ASSESSORS REPORT AND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	12 MO. 1973 2/3	6 MO. 1974 1/3	FISCAL 1975
Real Estate Valuation	43,119,180.00		47,912,955.00
Tangible Personal Property	4,761,067.00		5,387,263.00
Totals	<u>47,880,247.00</u>	<u>53,424,643.00</u>	<u>53,300,218.00</u>
1974 Increase in Valuation over 1973	5,544,396.00		
Appropriations			
Voted to be raised by taxation	4,141,674.14	2,070,837.07	5,326,448.08
Voted to be taken from			
Available Funds	<u>208,224.00</u>	<u>104,424.65</u>	<u>449,910.00</u>
Totals	4,349,898.14	2,175,261.72	5,776,358.08
Maturing Debt	202,797.00	101,703.00	316,525.00
Court Judgments			8,523.32
Overlay Deficit			38,642.06
Estimated Receipts Offset			13,236.08
County Retirement	73,046.91	36,633.14	85,413.65
Veteran's Benefits	6,663.26	3,341.64	8,168.48
County Tax	246,173.80	123,456.53	461,649.55
State Recreation Areas	22,432.67	11,250.02	69,682.51
Mosquito Control Projects	14,880.47	7,919.53	27,695.44
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	676.52	339.28	1,460.10
Air Pollution Control	122.86	61.61	382.06
Special Education - 766			4,000.00
Health Insurance - Retired Teachers	2,865.34	1,436.97	1,489.93
Overlay	<u>98,951.95</u>	<u>83,718.41</u>	<u>127,873.87</u>
Totals	668,610.78	369,860.13	1,164,742.05
Estimated Receipts			
Distribution State Funds	512,459.19	256,999.05	812,464.53
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	267,038.25	133,920.08	375,000.00
Licenses	43,290.00	21,710.00	45,000.00
Fines	8,325.00	4,175.00	6,000.00
Special Assessments	29,970.00	15,030.00	40,000.00
General Government	10,000.00	5,000.00	22,000.00
School Receipts	36,630.00	18,370.00	75,000.00
Interest (From Taxes & Assessments)	8,000.00	4,000.00	13,000.00
Beach Receipts and Rentals	78,639.11	39,437.63	105,000.00
Dennis Pines (Receipts & Rentals)	173,160.00	86,840.00	190,000.00
Harbor (Rentals, Stickers, Parking)	13,320.00	6,680.00	20,000.00
Disposal Area Coupons	10,000.00	5,000.00	10,000.00
Chapter 826 County			
Unappropriated Balance			71,591.11
Cherry Sheet Overestimate	17,393.36	8,722.79	4,295.87
Totals	<u>1,208,224.91</u>	<u>605,884.55</u>	<u>1,789,352.51</u>

AMOUNTS TO BE TAKEN FROM AVAILABLE FUNDS

October 26, 1972	21,911.40	10,988.60	
December 14, 1972	16,849.80	8,450.20	
March 6, 7, 8, 9, 1973	117,977.10	59,165.69	
June 27, 1973	13,919.40	6,980.00	
August 15, 1973	37,566.30	18,839.56	
October 25, 1973			61,000.00
May 7-13, 1974			439,182.00
STM August 14, 1974			97,228.00
May 7-13, 1974			2,500.00
	<u>208,224.00</u>	<u>104,424.05</u>	<u>599,910.00</u>
<u>Gross Amount to be Raised</u>	5,558,123.05	2,781,146.27	6,941,100.13
<u>Estimated Receipts and</u>			
<u>Available Funds</u>	<u>1,416,448.91</u>	<u>710,309.20</u>	<u>2,389,261.51</u>
<u>Net Amounts to be Raised</u>			
<u>By Property Taxation</u>	4,141,674.14	2,104,930.83	4,551,838.62
Real Estate	3,729,832.05		4,091,766.36
Personal Property	<u>411,842.09</u>		<u>460,072.26</u>
	4,141,674.14		4,551,838.62
<u>Tax Rates Per M</u>			
1973 - \$86.50 per M			
1974 - 39.40 per M (6 Mo.)			
F.Y. 74-75 - 85.40 per M.			
<u>Population Census</u>			
1965 - 4,374			
1971 - 7,443			
1974 - 10,000 EST.			

Town Accountant

Allan F. Ryan

Respectfully submitted in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 41 Section 61 General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, is the report of the town accountant as follows:

Statement of receipts and expenditures, eighteen (18) month Fiscal Year, January 1, 1973 - June 30, 1974.

Balance sheet for eighteen month fiscal year.

Statement of receipts and expenditures for first six (6) months of FY 1975, July 1 through December 31, 1974.

Report of Bonded Indebtness.

Report of Federal Revenue Sharing, receipts and appropriations.

GENERAL REVENUE JANUARY 1, 1973 — JUNE 30, 1974

Taxes

Personal Property

1968	\$	42.50	
1969		292.50	
1970		286.07	
1971		908.20	
1972		20,706.30	
1973		438,955.07	
1974		161,985.13	623,175.77

Real Estate

1969		399.98	
1970		1,842.15	
1971		4,191.88	
1972		167,166.96	
1973		3,527,238.13	
1974		1,699,847.83	5,400,686.93

Motor Vehicle

1968		165.00	
1969		180.40	
1970		49.50	
1971		2,060.59	
1972		157,152.04	
1973		342,840.49	
1974		26,706.70	529,154.72

Water District Taxes Collected		482,008.59	482,008.59
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Miscellaneous Receipts

Ads- Reimbursements for		11.14	
Sale Regulations and Maps		751.05	
Telephone Commissions		282.23	
Beano, Fees and Taxes		457.60	
Selectmen, Liquor & Other Licenses		57,645.58	

Health, Permits and Licenses	5,785.00	
Planning Board Fees	1,781.18	
Board of Appeals Fees	865.00	
Rental of Municipal Buildings	900.00	
Trailer Taxes and Fees	61,110.00	
Town Clerk's Fees	3,139.41	
Dump Coupons	13,166.20	
Raffle Fees	20.00	
Earned Interest	2,409.15	
Municipal Liens	6,168.50	
Cost on Taxes	2,291.93	
Interest on Taxes	13,445.41	
Water District, Collections & Fees	3,500.00	
Police Reports	2,797.00	
Firearm Permits	1,517.00	
Police Photographs	310.00	
Court Fines	4,106.03	
Leash Law Violations	1,400.00	
Wetland Hearing Fees	1,200.00	
Shellfish Permits	2,401.00	
Golf Memberships	125,465.00	
Greens Fees	149,162.00	
Golf Cart Rentals	14,819.02	
Golf Cart Storage	3,759.33	
Golf Locker Fees	10.00	
Beach Parking	39,751.76	
Beach Concession Fees	7,860.00	
Beach Stickers	79,817.00	
Harbor Slips	31,799.80	
Harbor Parking and Stickers	4,251.00	
Harbor Parking Violations	74.00	
Occupation Permits	3,463.10	
Sealer Weights and Measures Fees	29.10	
Plumbing Inspector's Fees	10,609.50	
Gas Inspector Fees	1,392.00	
Sign Code Fees	275.00	
Building Inspector's Fees	17,548.20	
R. Sharp Fund	100.00	
Insurance Settlements	2,373.84	
Cost Reimbursement, Election Technical H.S.	515.88	
Cape Cod Cablevision Fee	525.50	
Anti-Trust Settlements	284.42	
Miscellaneous Refunds	42.79	
Reimbursement of Veterans' Benefits	558.26	
Land Court Administration	29.85	685,626.86

<u>Highway Fund Receipts</u>		
Chapter 81- Commonwealth of Massachusetts	91,673.50	
Highway Land Taking, State	2,523.75	
Chapter 1140, Section 20	58,749.00	
Highway School Yards	3,643.25	156,589.50

School Funds and Receipts

Community School Registration Fees	170.00	
Chapter 74, Transportation	5,491.80	
Chapter 74, Tuition	17,435.37	
Chapter 74, Maintenance	5,734.00	
Regional School reimbursement	28,610.07	
Chapter 58, Education	116,018.00	
Chapter 70, School Aid	271,323.45	
Chapter 71, Transportation	111,584.26	
School Building Assistance	49,160.00	
Education, Deaf and Blind	3,485.00	
School Library Assistance	820.99	
Chapter 74, Vocational Assistance	3,015.00	612,847.94

Other State Grants

Massachusetts Blind	113.75	
Massachusetts Widows	175.00	
Police Department Breathalyzer	995.00	
Chapter 812, Census	1,860.75	
Shellfish Assistance	400.00	
Corporation and Taxation Reimbursement	2,418.96	
State Lottery Fund	10,714.04	16,677.50

Miscellaneous Funds

Refund Teachers Retirement	24.70	
Interest Earned on Certificates of Deposit	56,917.18	
Other Earned Interest	416.41	
Escrow Accounts Income	2,100.00	59,458.29

Federal Programs

E.E.A. Program	519.30	
Federal Revenue Sharing	267,996.91	
Due from Federal Revenue Sharing	23,903.00	292,419.21

Withheld From Payrolls

Federal Taxes	462,112.65	
State Taxes	125,001.03	
County Retirement	87,393.49	
Group Insurance	71,342.35	
Teachers' Annuities	15,319.44	
Teachers' Association, Dues	8,150.67	769,319.63

Returns To Revenue

Departmental Refunds	10,042.13	
Chapter 773, Wages	988.25	
Group Insurance, Town-Rebate	185.11	
Veterans' Benefits, Refunded	755.52	
Recreation Committee, Voided Transactions	1,500.00	
Conservation Committee, Article 59, 1971	4,000.00	17,470.99

Receipts and Income

Schools

Cafeteria, Receipts and Reimbursements	131,884.83	
Community School Registration Fees	5,974.50	
Title II - Division School Libraries	820.99	138,680.32

<u>Highways</u>		
Chapter 1140, Section 22	97,915.00	
State Aid, Chapter 81	62,650.00	
State Aid, Chapter 90	19,000.00	
County Aid, Chapter 90	9,500.00	
Road Machinery Fund	8,399.00	197,464.00
<u>Other State Aid</u>		
Council on Aging State Grant	2,400.00	
State Aid to Libraries	4,840.00	
Conservation Agency Account	718.90	
Reimbursement, Veterans' Benefits	11,687.10	19,646.50
<u>Income from Loans</u>		
Ambulance Loan	16,200.00	
Chapin Beach Loan	9,500.00	
Land by Dump Loan	10,000.00	
Police Station Loans	148,580.83	
Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	2,700,000.00	
Loans in Anticipation of Reimbursement	31,688.00	
Conservation Nov. 15, 1973	50,000.00	
Conservation, Parcels 1-12, 1967	80,000.00	3,045,968.83
<u>Agency Funds</u>		
Chamber of Commerce	8,443.19	
Proceeds, Dog Licenses	5,579.30	
Coke Machine Fund	548.75	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests	10,550.00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund Income	1,754.02	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	3,375.00	
County Dog Licenses	4,472.54	34,722.80
<u>Trust Fund Income</u>		
Caleb Chase Fund	340.00	
Jonathan Matthews Fund	340.00	
Samuel J. Robbins Fund	200.00	
Cemetery Trust Fund	200.00	1,080.00
		<u>\$13,082,998.38</u>

**EXPENDITURES FOR 18-MONTH FISCAL YEAR
JANUARY, 1973 - 30 JUNE, 1974
GENERAL GOVERNMENT**

	Budget		Total		Less		Net		Transfers	
	Appropriations	Salaries	Expenses	Expenditures	Refunds	Expenses	Return To	Revenue	Balance	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Moderator	675.00	675.00	-0-	675.00	-0-	675.00	283.55	-0-	-0-	
Harbor Masters	3,450.00	2,904.30	1,322.15	4,226.45	1,060.00	3,166.45	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Chairman of Selectmen	1,869.21	1,869.21	-0-	1,869.21	-0-	1,869.21	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Selectmen's Salaries (3)	3,219.12	3,219.12	-0-	3,219.12	-0-	3,219.12	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Selectmen's Salaries (5)	3,338.50	3,338.50	-0-	3,338.50	-0-	3,338.50	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Executive Secretary's Salary	35,132.50	33,097.80	-0-	33,097.80	-0-	33,097.80	2,034.70	-0-	-0-	
Assistant Executive Secretary and Secretarial	36,073.44	20,866.58	-0-	20,866.58	-0-	20,866.58	15,206.86	-0-	-0-	
Town Accountant	9,000.00	2,499.90	-0-	2,499.90	-0-	2,499.90	6,500.10	-0-	-0-	
Selectmen's Dept.	36,356.88	11,711.70	20,135.12	31,846.82	70.00	31,776.82	4,580.06	-0-	-0-	
Assessor's Dept.	91,900.00	27,954.28	64,458.79	92,413.07	3,743.87	88,669.20	3,230.80	-0-	-0-	
Treasurer, Tax Collector & Town Clerk's Salary	16,700.00	16,700.00	-0-	16,700.00	-0-	16,700.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Treasurer's Dept.	80,200.00	71,552.89	8,551.20	80,104.09	88.30	80,015.79	184.21	-0-	-0-	
Town Clerk's Dept.	2,700.00	690.84	1,962.56	2,653.40	6.75	2,646.65	53.35	-0-	-0-	
Auditing Salaries	90.00	90.00	-0-	90.00	-0-	90.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Financial Committee Expenses	415.82	-0-	415.82	415.82	-0-	415.82	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Other Finance Accounts	75.00	-0-	75.00	75.00	-0-	75.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Other Necessary Expenses	75.00	-0-	69.00	69.00	5.00	64.00	11.00	-0-	-0-	
Certifications and Bonding Costs	6,000.00	-0-	2,475.00	2,475.00	-0-	2,475.00	-0-	3,525.00	-0-	
Certification of Bonds	6,000.00	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	6,000.00	-0-	
Planning Board	8,195.00	4,193.45	2,743.78	6,937.23	-0-	6,937.23	1,257.77	-0-	-0-	
Planning Board - Master Plan	5,833.00	-0-	3,000.00	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	2,833.00	-0-	
Legal Department	32,295.71	19,013.81	12,886.96	31,900.77	105.06	31,795.71	500.00	-0-	-0-	
Law Dept. - Expenses	2,250.00	-0-	55.85	55.85	-0-	55.85	2,194.15	-0-	-0-	
Elections and Registrations	18,650.00	11,086.59	7,109.21	18,195.80	-0-	18,195.80	454.20	-0-	-0-	
Board of Appeals	4,600.00	2,196.63	1,220.07	2,416.70	-0-	2,416.70	1,183.30	-0-	-0-	
Bonds and Insurance	91,974.00	-0-	64,874.68	64,874.68	-0-	64,874.68	27,099.32	-0-	-0-	

Group Insurance-Town	72,565.00	-0-	72,721.46	72,721.46	185.11	72,536.35	28.65	-0-
Municipal Buildings	140,674.04	51,820.90	89,972.98	141,793.88	1,265.22	140,528.66	145.38	-0-
Josiah Dennis Manse	6,459.42	-0-	4,859.57	4,859.57	538.36	4,321.21	-0-	2,138.21
Move Old School Bldg.	4,800.00	-0-	3,350.25	3,350.25	-0-	3,350.25	504.00	945.75
Jericho	919.37	-0-	821.74	821.74	-0-	821.74	-0-	97.63
V.I.C.	25,000.00	-0-	25,000.00	25,000.00	-0-	25,000.00	-0-	-0-
B.C. Associates	8,000.00	-0-	8,000.00	8,000.00	-0-	8,000.00	-0-	-0-
Remodel West Dennis								
Community Building	48,889.00	32.50	6,482.09	6,514.59	-0-	6,514.59	-0-	42,374.41
Zoning Study Committee	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	-0-
Conservation Fee,								
Herr Associates		900.00	-0-	500.00	-0-	500.00	-0-	400.00
Community Service								
Advisory Committee	100.00	-0-	22.40	-0-	-0-	22.40	-0-	77.60
Appraisal of Property	99,000.00	-0-	44,692.50	44,692.50	-0-	44,692.50	3,524.00	50,783.50
TOTALS		\$285,514.00	\$450,778.18	\$736,292.18	\$ 7,067.67	\$729,224.51		
Public Safety								
Police Department	\$672,136.35	\$586,896.21	\$89,230.63	676,126.84	\$5,636.22	\$676,490.62	\$1,645.73	\$ -0-
Police Department								
Chapter 773, Wages								(2,800.00)
Police Station Building	988.25	3,788.63	-0-	3,788.63	-0-	3,788.63		
Committee	250.00	-0-	250.00	250.00	-0-	250.00	-0-	-0-
Police Cruisers (2) 1971	600.00	-0-	600.00	600.00	-0-	600.00	-0-	-0-
Police Cruisers (3) 1973	9,000.00	-0-	9,000.00	9,000.00	-0-	9,000.00	-0-	-0-
Police Department								
Vehicles (2) 1973	8,500.00	-0-	7,843.00	7,843.00	-0-	7,843.00	7.48	649.52
New Police Station	531,040.00	12,250.00	337,798.13	350,048.13	-0-	350,048.13	1,052.00	179,939.87
Fire Department	243,892.00	218,824.80	26,154.62	244,979.42	2,299.85	242,679.57	1,212.43	-0-
Ambulance & Rescue	11,675.00	7,587.63	2,905.27	10,492.90	-0-	10,492.90	1,182.10	-0-
Forest Fires	3,670.00	910.00	271.76	1,181.76	-0-	1,181.76	2,488.24	-0-
New Ambulance, 1972	18,000.00	-0-	17,691.20	17,691.20	-0-	17,691.20	-0-	308.80
Equip New Ambulance	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	-0-
Inspector of Buildings	17,351.16	13,601.10	3,746.78	17,347.88	-0-	17,347.88	3.28	-0-
Inspector of Gas	8,604.69	7,627.03	79.50	7,706.52	-0-	7,706.52	896.16	-0-
Inspector of Plumbing	11,750.00	10,817.50	750.00	11,567.50	-0-	11,567.50	182.50	-0-
Sign Code Inspector	763.36	763.36	-0-	763.36	-0-	763.36	-0-	-0-

Inspector of Wires	6,848.93	6,698.31	-0-	6,698.31	-0-	150.62	-0-
Building Code Review Committee	500.00	-0-	260.90	260.90	-0-	-0-	239.10
Moth and Pest Control	36,800.00	2,192.00	25,258.93	27,450.93	320.90	9,349.07	-0-
Dutch Elm Leaf	8,500.00	-0-	8,135.81	8,135.81	-0-	364.19	-0-
Tree Warden	7,350.00	2,208.00	3,542.78	5,750.78	-0-	1,599.22	-0-
Shellfish Department	28,394.21	19,213.92	9,176.11	28,390.03	18.32	22.50	-0-
Vehicle of Natural Resources Officer	3,700.00	-0-	3,700.00	3,700.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
Greenhead Fly Control	777.00	-0-	777.00	777.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
Civil Defense	1,500.00	-0-	1,393.15	1,393.15	-0-	106.85	-0-
Total: Public Safety	\$893,378.49	\$551,565.57	\$1,444,944.06	\$8,275.29	\$1,436,668.77		
Health & Sanitation Services							
Health Department	40,649.50	28,393.85	8,184.16	36,578.01	48.00	4,119.49	-0-
Public Nursing	4,500.00	-0-	4,500.00	4,500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
Dog Officer, Etc.	15,021.25	8,920.00	3,962.20	12,882.20	68.10	2,207.15	-0-
Sanitation Department	151,493.69	24,751.45	126,742.43	151,493.88	12.58	12.39	-0-
Land, East of Dump	18,244.00	-0-	17,878.28	17,878.28	-0-	-0-	365.72
Sealer of Weights and Measures	1,400.00	624.98	665.68	1,290.66	2.70	112.04	-0-
Total: Health & Sanitation Services	\$62,690.28	\$161,932.75	\$224,623.03	\$131.38	\$224,491.65		
Social & Veterans' Services							
Cape Cod Mental Health Assoc.- Children	2,817.45	-0-	2,817.45	2,817.45	-0-	-0-	-0-
Cape Cod Mental Health Assoc.- Adults	2,518.00	-0-	2,518.00	2,518.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
Nauset Workshop	4,500.00	-0-	4,500.00	4,500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
HELP of Cape Cod	2,500.00	-0-	2,500.00	2,500.00	-0-	-0-	-0-
Veterans' Benefits	60,348.94	-0-	60,900.94	60,900.94	755.50	203.50	-0-
Council on Aging	8,655.00	5,168.94	3,456.12	8,625.06	-0-	29.24	-0-
Total: Social & Veterans' Services	\$5,168.94	\$76,692.51	\$81,861.45	\$755.50	\$81,105.95		

Title III, PL 864	1,961.52	1,915.00	1,915.00	-0-	1,915.00	-0-	46.52
Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School	1,299,236.87	1,181,066.51	1,181,066.51	-0-	1,181,066.51	118,170.36	-0-
School Committee	1,125.00	-0-	1,125.00	-0-	1,125.00	-0-	-0-
Construction School Building Rte. 134	34,998.55	-0-	1,124.00	-0-	1,124.00	-0-	33,874.55
Paint E.H. Baker School	8,897.58	7,790.00	7,790.00	-0-	7,790.00	-0-	1,107.58
Carpet E.H. Baker School	8,000.00	7,999.20	7,999.20	-0-	7,999.20	-0-	.80
Regional Technical High School	76,953.00	76,953.00	76,953.00	-0-	76,953.00	-0-	-0-
Baker School Needs Committee	2,250.00	1,402.50	1,402.50	-0-	1,402.50	-0-	847.50
Total: Education Costs	<u>\$1,754,674.22</u>	<u>\$2,040,217.71</u>	<u>\$3,794,891.93</u>	<u>\$30,188.26</u>	<u>\$3,764,703.67</u>		
Libraries	30,892.70	\$30,892.70	30,892.70	-0-	30,892.70	-0-	-0-
Chase Public Library	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	-0-	1,500.00	-0-	-0-
Total: Libraries		<u>\$32,392.70</u>	<u>\$32,392.70</u>				
<u>Beaches and Shores</u>							
Beaches & Bathhouses	140,000.00	51,228.32	136,507.01	521.19	135,985.82	4,014.18	-0-
Comfort Station, Chapin Beach	2,878.27	2,878.27	2,878.27	-0-	2,878.27	-0-	-0-
arking Area, Chapin Beach	25,000.00	24,428.04	24,428.04	-0-	24,428.04	-0-	571.96
rain & Revetment, Haigis Beach	39,980.05	-0-	20,058.00	-0-	20,058.00	-0-	19,922.05
rain Pitches, Glendon Rd. Beach	6,000.00	4,450.20	997.30	-0-	5,447.50	-0-	552.50
Rock Mound, Chapin Beach	39,000.00	-0-	185.00	-0-	185.00	-0-	38,815.00
Fence West Dennis Beach	500.00	-0-	345.00	-0-	345.00	-0-	155.00
Shore Erosion Oiling Roads,	24,000.00	1,375.00	7,508.18	-0-	7,508.18	-0-	16,491.82
Various Beaches	3,500.00	462.97	3,286.43	-0-	3,286.43	-0-	213.57
Dredge Mouth Bass River	7,500.00	-0-	6,675.00	-0-	6,675.00	-0-	825.00
Total: Beaches & Shores	<u>\$91,566.86</u>	<u>\$115,751.57</u>	<u>\$207,318.43</u>	<u>\$521.19</u>	<u>\$206,797.24</u>		

<u>Conservation Commission</u>									
Conservation	11,710.00	2,804.84	8,590.52	11,395.36	555.50	10,839.86	870.14	-0-	
Salary, Conservation Officer	1,400.00	1,300.00	-0-	1,300.00	-0-	1,300.00	-0-	100.00	
Conservation Fund Expenses, 1968	7,854.56	-0-	6,205.57	6,205.57	5.79	6,199.28	-0-	1,654.78	
Conservation, Parcels 1-12, Etc.	80,600.00	-0-	77,750.00	77,750.00	-0-	77,750.00	-0-	2,850.00	
Conservation Fund, 1973	10,000.00	-0-	9,274.24	9,274.24	-0-	9,274.24	-0-	725.26	
Conservation, Land at Salt Works, Etc.	100,000.00	-0-	100,000.00	100,000.00	-0-	100,000.00	-0-	-0-	
Total: Conservation Commission		<u>\$4,104.84</u>	<u>\$201,820.33</u>	<u>\$205,925.17</u>	<u>\$561.29</u>	<u>\$205,363.88</u>			
<u>Harbors</u>									
Sesuit Harbor	10,000.00	2,660.25	6,317.82	8,978.07	400.00	8,578.07	1,421.93	-0-	
Sesuit Harbor Water & Power Lines	1,500.00	1,263.00	237.00	1,500.00	-0-	1,500.00	-0-	-0-	
Sesuit Harbor Slips, West Side	5,000.00	132.00	1,015.58	1,147.58	-0-	1,147.58	-0-	3,852.42	
South Side Harbors	9,814.00	3,273.30	5,698.45	8,971.75	40.00	8,931.75	882.25	-0-	
Total: Harbors		<u>\$7,328.55</u>	<u>\$13,268.85</u>	<u>\$20,597.40</u>	<u>\$440.00</u>	<u>\$20,157.40</u>			
Golf Course	\$167,025.00	\$102,933.53	\$68,041.11	\$170,974.64	\$1,031.47	\$169,943.17	\$181.54	(\$3,099.71)	
<u>Recreation & Unclassified</u>									
Chamber of Commerce	10,508.75	5,242.38	3,675.19	8,917.57	223.19	8,694.38	-0-	1,814.37	
Band Concerts	1,159.00	-0-	1,159.00	1,159.00	-0-	1,159.00	-0-	-0-	
Festival Days	1,500.00	-0-	1,211.25	1,211.25	-0-	1,211.25	288.75	-0-	
Dennis Post of American Legion	1,050.00	-0-	1,049.70	1,049.70	-0-	1,049.70	.30	-0-	
Town Reports	5,852.50	-0-	5,652.50	5,652.50	-0-	5,652.50	200.00	-0-	
Christmas Lighting	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	-0-	-0-	
Microfilm Records	12.20	-0-	12.20	12.20	-0-	12.20	-0-	-0-	

Recreation Commission	6,592.00	7,091.96	7,091.96	1,500.00	5,591.96	1,000.10	-0-
Tower Clocks	750.00	750.00	750.00	-0-	750.00	-0-	-0-
Babe Ruth League	6,184.00	6,199.58	6,199.58	50.00	6,149.58	34.42	-0-
Little League	6,000.00	6,203.20	6,203.20	253.20	5,950.00	50.10	-0-
Total: Recreation and Unclassified	\$5,242.38	\$34,004.58	\$39,246.96	\$2,026.39	\$37,220.57		
Cemeteries							
Cemeteries	16,985.00	12,767.78	16,708.10	112.00	16,596.10	388.90	-0-
Cemetery Commissions	2,250.00	-0-	2,250.00	-0-	2,250.00	-0-	-0-
Layout and Landscape new Cemetery	415.84	149.00	149.00	-0-	149.00	-0-	266.84
Clear, Etc.,							
Dennis Cemetery	213.35	213.35	213.35	-0-	213.35	-0-	-0-
Blacktop Swan Lake Cemetery	2,500.00	2,474.44	2,474.44	-0-	2,474.44	-0-	25.56
Roads at North							
Dennis Cemetery	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	-0-	3,000.00	-0-	-0-
Swan Lake Cemetery							
Curbing	3,800.00	3,490.12	3,490.12	-0-	3,490.42	-0-	309.88
Hall Cemetery	255.00	165.75	172.75	-0-	172.75	-0-	82.25
Homer Cemetery	175.00	155.75	166.25	-0-	166.25	-0-	8.75
Quaker Cemetery	125.00	80.00	80.00	-0-	80.00	-0-	45.00
Total: Cemeteries	\$6,207.82	\$22,496.19	\$28,704.01	\$112.00	\$28,592.01		
Debts & Interest Payments							
Interest Payable Account	200,000.00	194,889.15	194,889.15	1,387.65	193,501.50	6,498.50	-0-
Maturing Debt	304,500.00	285,000.00	285,000.00	-0-	285,000.00	19,500.00	-0-
Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Revenue							
Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Reimbursement	-0-	2,719,500.00	2,719,500.00	-0-	2,719,500.00		-0-
Total: Debts & Interest	\$ -0-	\$3,290,539.15	\$3,290,539.15	\$1,387.65	\$3,289,151.50		

<u>Refunds</u>					
Refunds on Taxes, Water To Water District, Collections	-0-	11,399.87	11,399.87	-0-	
District Tax Title Redemptions	-0-	315,042.72	315,042.72	-0-	
Refunds, Real Estate Taxes	-0-	119.39	119.39	-0-	
Refunds, Personal Property Taxes	-0-	82,275.14	82,275.14	-0-	
Refunds, Motor Vehicle Taxes	-0-	1,973.32	1,973.32	-0-	
Refund of Preparation of 1973 Taxes	-0-	8,680.88	8,680.88	-0-	
Refund of Escrow Account	-0-	198.25	198.25	-0-	
Estimated Receipts	-0-	9,600.00	9,600.00	-0-	
	-0-	50,456.44	50,456.44	-0-	
Total: Refunds	\$ -0-	\$479,746.01	\$479,746.01	\$ -0-	
<u>Agencies</u>					
County Retirement		109,680.05	109,680.05	-0-	109,680.05
County Tax		276,430.88	376,430.88	-0-	376,430.88
Cape Cod Mosquito Control		23,788.49	23,788.49	-0-	23,788.49
Administration of Veterans' Services		10,007.90	10,007.90	-0-	10,007.90
Cost of State Parks and Reservations		29,386.82	29,386.82	-0-	29,386.82
Cost of Air Pollution Control		196.94	196.94	-0-	196.94
Cost of Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills		1,015.80	1,015.80	-0-	1,015.80
Group Insurance, Retired Teachers		4,302.31	4,302.31	-0-	4,302.31
Federal E.E.A. Program		259.65	259.65	-0-	259.65
Road Machinery Fund		480.00	480.00	-0-	480.00

County Dog Fund	3,226.30	3,226.30	-0-	3,226.30
Coke Fund	135.20	135.20	-0-	135.20
Total: Agencies	\$558,910.34	\$558,910.34	\$ -0-	\$558,910.34
<u>Federal Revenue Sharing</u>				
PL 92-512	\$37,380.00	\$37,380.00	\$ -0-	\$37,380.00
<u>Payroll Withholdings</u>				
Federal Taxes	476,924.30		-0-	476,924.30
State Taxes	129,939.90		-0-	129,939.90
County Retirement System	85,870.64		-0-	85,870.64
Employees' Group Insurance	70,503.99		-0-	70,503.99
Teachers' Annuities				
AVALIC	3,355.00		-0-	3,355.00
Conn. General	12,667.40		-0-	12,667.40
Lincoln National	542.08		-0-	542.08
Mfg's. Life	112.50		-0-	112.50
Teachers Due-D.T.A.	5,679.67		-0-	5,679.67
Total: Withholdings	\$785,595.48		\$ -0-	\$785,595.48
<u>Tailings</u>				
Trust Funds & Bequests	\$8.25		\$ -0-	\$8.25
Caleb Chase Fund Income	340.00		-0-	340.00
Jonathan Mathews Fund	340.00		-0-	340.00
Cemetery Trust Fund	10.53		-0-	10.53
Samuel J. Robbins Trust Fund	100.00		-0-	100.00
Cemetery P. C. Fund Income	1,490.49		-0-	1,490.49
Cemetery P. C. Bequests	5,850.00		-0-	5,850.00
Robbins School Trust Fund	100.00		-0-	100.00
Total: Trust Funds & Bequests	\$8,231.02		\$ -0-	\$8,231.02

RECAPITULATION

	Cash	Federal Revenue Sharing	Net Total
Cash on Hand 1/1/73	638,698.98	66,538.00	705,236.98
Receipts 1/1/73-6/30/74	12,815,001.47	267,996.91	13,082,998.38
Adjustments	378,778.18	-0-	378,778.18
	13,832,478.63	334,534.91	14,167,013.54
Expenditures 1/1/73-6/30/74	12,764,089.63	37,380.00	12,801,469.63
Adjustments	-0-	52,569.33	52,569.33
	12,764,089.63	89,949.33	12,854,038.96
Balance, June 30, 1974	\$1,068,389.00	\$244,585.58	\$1,312,974.58

**TOWN OF DENNIS—BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 1974**

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:					
General		1,068,389.00		Temporary Loans	
In Banks & Office				In Anticipation of Serial Issue	20,000.00
Special		126,985.58		In Anticipation of Federally	
Fed. Rev. Sharing Funds in Banks		117,600.00	1,312,974.58	Aided Project	40,000.00
Fed. Rev. Sharing Funds Invested				Reserve for Petty Cash	60,000.00
Advances for Petty Cash				Payroll Deductions	350.00
Treasurer		200.00		County Retirement	5,040.86
Selectmen		50.00		Group Insurance	4,784.62
Board of Appeals		50.00		Teachers' Union Dues	2,471.00
Planning Board		50.00	350.00	Guarantee Deposits	12,296.48
Accounts Receivable:				Planning Board	10,425.00
Taxes:				Agency	
Levy of 1968 Personal Property		562.50		County-Dog Licenses	2,353.00
Levy of 1969 Personal Property		375.25		Municipal Bids., Coin	
Real Estate		29.25		Machine Fund	413.55
Levy of 1970 Personal Property		694.20		Due Dennis Water District	2,766.55
Real Estate		1,405.13		Tailings-Unclaimed Checks	155,474.42
Levy of 1971 Personal Property		1,214.10		Accrued Interest on Loans	1,742.26
Real Estate		4,443.49		Gifts & Bequests	1,425.15
Levy of 1972 Personal Property		4,037.40		Cemetery Perpetual Care	4,700.00
Real Estate		17,823.92		Cemetery P/C Fund Income	263.53
Levy of 1973 Personal Property		15,933.30		Cemetery Trust Fund Income	
Real Estate		100,713.73		(F. Rogers)	1,386.21
Levy of 1974 Personal Property		50,596.35	346,348.11	Federal Grants	
Real Estate		148,519.49		Schools, PL 864, Title III	46.52
Motor Vehicle Excise:				Div. Library Extension, Title II	265.51
Levy of 1967		1,102.61		ESEA, Title I	11.23
					323.26

Oiling Roads & Pkg. Areas, Misc. Behs., #30, 1973	213.57
Dredge, Mouth Bass River, #54, 1973	825.00
Conservation Fund Expenses, #39, 1968	1,654.78
Conservation (Parcels 1-12), #51, 1967	2,850.00
Conservation (Parcels 13-14), #52, 1967	7,000.00
Land Near Fresh Pond, #57, 1966	22,659.91
Conservation Land, Swan River, #10, 1972	12,500.00
Land for Conservation & Recreation, #8, 1972	500.00
Conservation Fund, #26, 1973	725.76
Conservation Commission Soil Survey, #14, 1973	6,500.00
Piles for Sesuit Harbor, #30, 1968	2,636.00
Dredge Sesuit Harbor, #28, 1970	840.00
Sesuit Harbor Study Comm., #53, 1971	1,000.00
Sesuit Harbor Master Plan Comm., #52, 1973	1,000.00
Sesuit Harbor Slips, West Side, #51, 1973	3,852.42
Dennis Chamber of Commerce #58, 1973	1,814.37
Print By-Laws, #47, 1967	903.32
Print By-Laws, #12, 1973	2,000.00
Layout, Landscape, Lots New Cemetery, #7, 1969	266.84
Blacktop Swan Lake Cemetery Ave., #75, 1970	25.56

Swan Lake Cemetery Curbing, #43, 1973	309.88
Swan Lake Cemetery Water Lines & Fence, #41, 1973	2,400.00
Fence at Dennis Cemetery, #42, 1973	650.00
Hall Cemetery, #40, 1973	82.25
Homer Cemetery, #40, 1973	8.75
Quaker Cemetery, #40, 1973	45.00
State Grants	571,510.27
Conservation Special Fund (Debt Reduction)	112.07
Conservation Agency Account	718.90
Council on Aging (Dept. Elderly Affairs)	2,400.00
Highways, Chapter 1140, Section 20	56,834.08
Highways, Chapter 1140, Section 22	97,915.00
Revolving Funds	157,980.05
School Lunch	18,754.71
Schools, Chap. 773, Acts 1973	22.00
Loans Authorized & Unissued	18,776.71
Overestimates 1973-74	682,700.00
State Parks & Reservations	4,295.87
Sale of Real Estate	854.21
Sale of Cemetery Lots	9,510.00
Receipts Reserved for Appropriation	
Road Machinery Fund	8,912.85
State Aid to Libraries	4,840.50
Adult Evening School	
Registration Fees	6,418.90
Reserve Fund, Overlay Surplus	20,172.25
	35,194.20

Overlays Reserved for Abatements	
Levy of 1968	562.50
Levy of 1969	438.14
Levy of 1971	5,789.65
Revenue Reserved Until Collected	6,790.29
Tax Titles & Possessions	
Departmental	1,065.10
Aid to Highways	4,879.30
Federally Aided Project	56,274.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Revenue	24,500.00
Surplus Revenue	225,213.79
	311,932.19
	616,777.02
	<u>2,932,231.50</u>
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**BONDED INDEBTNESS
TOWN OF DENNIS**

Project Loan	Date of Issue	Rate of Interest	Total Principal	Total Interest	Paid Previous Yrs.		Paid FY 1975		Unpaid Balance		Payment Due FY 76	
					Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
Golf Course	11/1/63	3.10%	350,000.	106,175.	200,000.	82,925.00	15,000.00	4,417.50	135,000.	18,832.50	15,000.	3,952.50
Wixon School	6/1/68	4.50%	2,440,000.	1,089,225.	780,000.	571,050.00	130,000.00	74,700.00	1,530,000.	443,475.00	130,000.	68,850.00
Police Station	12/1/73	4.75%	514,000.	131,290.	-0-	12,112.50	64,000.00	22,990.00	450,000.	96,187.00	50,000.	20,187.50
Conservation Land	2/15/74	4.50%	50,000.	3,375.	-0-	-0-	25,000.00	2,250.00	25,000.	1,125.00	1,125.	25,000.00
TOTAL			3,354,000.	1,330,065.	980,000.	666,087.50	234,000.00	104,357.50	2,140,000.	559,620.00	196,125.	117,990.00

GENERAL REVENUE
July 1 - December 31, 1974

Taxes

Personal Property

1972	\$ 137.76	
1973	7,097.49	
1974	6,645.34	
1975	181,658.98	\$ 195,539.57

Real Estate

1970	133.77	
1971	104.93	
1972	2,672.88	
1973	59,382.14	
1974	90,396.95	
1975	1,901,854.45	2,054,545.12

Motor Vehicle

1971	19.80	
1972	1,257.20	
1973	19,411.60	
1974	228,056.08	248,744.68

Water District TAXES Collected

204,003.72

Estimated Receipts

From Departmental

Harbor Parking Tickets	\$ 3,886.00
Harbor Stickers	1,734.50
Rental, Harbor Slips	5,834.00
Harbor Parking Violations	120.00
Beach Parking Tickets	41,719.00
Beach Stickers	57,179.50
Beach Concessions	5,325.00
Beach Parking Violations	962.00
Golf Greens Fees	76,494.75
Golf Memberships	6,235.00
Golf Cart Rentals	9,753.45
Golf Cart Storage	80.00
Health Department Licenses	602.00
Disposal Permits	3,915.00
Dump Coupons	2,218.00
Food Service Permits	96.00
Vaccine Fees	161.82
Building Inspection Fees	12,499.08
Sign Inspection Fees	100.00
Gas Inspection Fees	478.00
Plumbing Inspection Fees	1,912.00
Occupancy Permits	1,924.00
Selectmen's Licenses	1,431.07
Liquor Licenses	2,559.44
Planning Board Fees	255.88
Board of Appeals Fees	768.60
Conservation Hearings Fees	371.39
Town Clerk's Fees	939.60
Peddler's Licenses	39.00

Auctioneer License	2.00	
Sale of Maps, Plans, Etc.	79.50	
Receipts, for Legal Advertisements	48.00	
Telephone Commissions	38.01	
Miscellaneous Refunds	183.43	
Vending Machine Receipts	2.10	
Police Accident Reports	583.00	
Police Pistol Permits	848.11	
Police Pistol Photos	202.00	
Court Fines	4,603.00	
Shellfish Permits	2,805.50	
Leash Law Violations	370.00	
Municipal Buildings Rentals	1,121.80	
Municipal Liens	1,152.20	
Interest Earned	2,469.19	
Interest Earned on Cash Deposits	863.01	
Interest on Taxes	4,491.32	
Cost on Taxes	651.00	
Dennis Housing Files Taxes	3,200.00	
Trailer Tax	24,748.80	\$288,056.05
<u>From Commonwealth of Massachusetts</u>		
Marine Fisheries	\$ 800.00	
Receipts in Lieu of Taxes	940.72	
State Lottery Distribution	11,679.71	
Reimbursement for Public Lands	2,533.37	
Chapters 69, 71 and 71A, Special Education	167,623.00	
School Aid, Chapter 70	96,511.85	
School Building Assistance	49,160.00	
School Transportation, Chapter 71	34,386.21	\$363,634.86
<u>Withheld from Payrolls</u>		
Federal Taxes	215,043.30	
State Taxes	57,269.27	
County Retirement	43,881.65	
Group Insurance	27,589.82	
Teacher's Annuities		
Avalic	260.00	
Connecticut General	3,708.67	
Lincoln National	320.32	
Custodian's Dues, School	385.00	
Teacher's Dues, D.T.A.	3,467.43	351,925.46
<u>Refunds</u>		
Elections and Registrations	396.00	
Town Accountant	150.00	
Treasurer's Department	17.01	
Police Department	157.71	
Health Department	74.31	
Sanitation	1.17	
Engineering	71.00	
Street Signs	392.50	
Park Department	657.60	
Road Machinery Account	114.28	
Veterans' Benefits	1,569.20	

Beaches	911.42	
South Side Harbor	151.20	
Golf	93.05	\$4,756.45
<u>Income FROM Loans</u>		
Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	\$500,000.00	
Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Reimbursement	118,924.00	
New Aerial Ladder Truck Loan	32,495.00	\$651,419.00
<u>Agencies</u>		
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests	5,850.00	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	2,200.00	
Proceeds of Dog Licenses	880.85	
Coke Machine Fund	226.09	9,156.94
<u>Trust Funds</u>		
Caleb Chase Fund	380.00	
Darwin Bernard Fund	5.36	
Jonathan Mathews Fund	380.00	
Cemetery Trust Fund	966.90	
M. Nickerson Escrow Account	470.83	2,203.09
<u>Donations Received</u>		
Bicentennial Commission	\$23.73	
Little League	45.60	69.33
<u>Trade In</u>		
Fire Department Ambulance		150.00
<u>Insurance Settlements</u>		
Fire Department	201.80	
Police Department	556.50	
Beaches	3,468.18	4,226.48
<u>Returns to Revenue</u>		
Police Wages from Others, Chapter 773	25,980.88	
School Wages from Others, Chapter 773	308.00	
Maturing Debt, Refund Early Payment	50,000.00	
Veterans' Services	3.00	
Returns from Cash Credits	10.95	76,302.83
<u>Highways</u>		
Road Machinery Fund	6,664.30	
Chapter 90, State-1972	19,000.00	
Chapter 90, County-1972	9,500.00	
Chapter 825, Acts 1974, Reserve for Appropriation	39,464.00	
Chapter 497, Acts 1971, Reserve for Appropriation	68,768.17	143,396.47
<u>State Aid</u>		
Reimbursement, Veteran's Benefits	5,965.46	
Marine Fisheries	350.00	
Conservation Debt Reduction	19,274.87	
Debt Natural Resources	1,000.00	26,590.33
<u>Education</u>		
Chapter 766, Acts 1972	13,884.00	
Cafeteria, Receipts and Reimbursements	30,949.61	
Community School Registration Fees	4,251.20	49,984.81
Total: Receipts		<u>\$4,673,805.08</u>

EXPENDITURES FOR 6 MONTH PERIOD
Fiscal Year 1975

JULY 1, 1974 — DECEMBER 31, 1974

	Budget	Salaries	Expenses	Total Expenditures	Less Refunds	Net Expenditures
General Government						
Assessors	\$69,115.00	\$24,004.61	\$11,908.96	\$35,913.57	\$	\$35,913.57
Bicentennial Committee	12,000.00	-0-	215.73	215.73		215.73
Board of Appeals	372.50	-0-	168.27	168.27	-0-	168.27
Certification of Bonds	9,525.00	-0-	12.00	12.00	-0-	12.00
Electrons & Registrations	17,500.00	5,227.84	953.80	6,181.64	399.75	5,781.89
Executive Secretary & Assistant	62,983.00	25,270.68	5,035.61	30,306.29	-0-	30,306.29
Finance Committee	400.00	-0-	55.00	55.00	-0-	55.00
Historic Commission	1,000.00	-0-	805.00	805.00	-0-	805.00
Historic Commission, Old Kings Highway	500.00	-0-	3.70	3.70	-0-	3.70
Law Department	22,000.00	10,000.14	1,218.33	11,218.47	-0-	11,218.47
Municipal Buildings	98,779.00	19,944.45	23,508.25	43,452.70	34.50	43,418.20
Municipal Building, Jericho	67.93	-0-	67.93	67.93	-0-	67.93
Municipal Building, Josiah Dennis	2,138.21	-0-	1,121.86	1,121.86	-0-	1,121.86
West Dennis Community Building	42,374.41	548.00	41,146.24	41,694.24	-0-	41,694.24
Land East of Dump	8,889.04	-0-	8,523.32	8,523.32	-0-	8,523.32
M. Nickerson Account	470.83	-0-	470.83	470.83	-0-	470.83
Other Necessary Expenses	100.00	-0-	20.00	20.00	5.00	15.00
Planning Board	9,240.88	3,815.92	154.28	3,970.20	-0-	3,970.20
Planning Board, Members' Salaries	2,250.00	1,125.00	-0-	1,125.00	-0-	1,125.00
Purchase Computer	30,000.00	-0-	19,991.00	19,991.00	-0-	19,991.00
Selectmen's Department	7,571.48	335.89	3,677.55	4,013.44	-0-	4,013.44
Board of Selectmen's Salaries	2,500.00	-0-	-0-	1,249.80	-0-	1,249.80
Town Accountant Dept.	20,812.90	8,728.21	683.74	9,411.95	150.00	9,261.95
Town Clerk's Dept.	2,475.00	-0-	113.12	113.12	-0-	113.12
Treasurer-Collector Salary	10,000.00	7,499.96	-0-	7,499.96	-0-	7,499.96
Treasurer's Department	63,450.00	30,043.41	3,826.61	33,870.02	17.01	33,853.01
Total: General Government		\$137,793.91	\$123,681.13	\$261,475.04	\$601.26	\$260,873.78

Public Safety & Services						
Bonds and Insurance	\$65,456.00	\$ -	\$59,259.55	\$59,259.55	\$ -	\$59,259.55
Group Insurance	50,000.00	-	27,923.28	27,923.28	-	27,923.28
Fire Department	241,620.00	105,727.43	16,279.56	122,006.99	-	122,006.99
Ambulance, Rescue Service	13,000.00	2,669.91	2,737.14	5,407.05	-	5,407.05
Forest Fire Appropriation	2,750.00	1,672.00	97.67	1,769.67	-	1,769.67
Fire Department, Purchase						
New Station Wagon	5,000.00	-	4,993.96	4,993.96	-	4,993.96
Purchase New Ladder Truck	42,495.00	-	42,495.00	42,495.00	-	42,495.00
Purchase Ambulance, 1972	458.80	-	458.80	458.80	-	458.80
Inspection of Buildings	29,780.96	9,265.91	2,683.01	11,948.92	-	11,948.92
Inspector of Gas	5,286.32	2,643.16	-	2,643.16	-	2,643.16
Inspector of Plumbing	5,700.00	2,214.00	-	2,214.00	-	2,214.00
Inspector of Wires	4,485.00	2,262.72	10.90	2,273.62	-	2,273.62
Police Department	532,757.00	254,246.88	28,272.57	282,519.45	157.71	282,361.74
Police Department, 4 New Cruisers	13,000.00	-	12,999.00	12,999.00	-	12,999.00
Police Department Wages, Chapter 773	25,994.86	23,695.48	-	23,095.48	-	23,095.48
New Police Station	179,939.87	3,225.00	141,641.27	144,866.27	-	144,866.27
Tree Warden	4,500.00	136.00	2,631.56	2,767.56	-	2,767.56
Tree Warden Salary	1,400.00	699.96	-	699.96	-	699.96
Dutch Elm Program	6,000.00	144.00	1,144.34	1,288.34	-	1,288.34
Insect Control	10,000.00	114.00	7,082.30	7,196.30	-	7,196.30
Civil Defense	4,500.00	400.00	1,431.37	1,831.37	-	1,831.37
Total Public Safety & Services		\$417,060.95	\$355,680.45	\$772,741.40	\$307.71	\$772,433.69
Health Department						
Health Department	\$31,056.00	\$13,076.12	\$2,961.98	\$16,038.10	\$76.30	\$15,961.80
Dog Officer, Etc.	12,606.00	4,633.21	1,659.42	6,292.63	-	6,292.63
Public Nursing	3,000.00	-	1,500.00	1,500.00	-	1,500.00
Sanitation	85,000.00	8,021.52	36,003.43	44,024.95	1.17	44,023.78
Sealer Weights & Measures	1,900.00	249.96	225.98	475.94	-	475.94
Total: Health Department		\$25,980.81	\$42,350.81	\$68,331.62	\$77.47	\$68,254.15

Engineering Department & Highway	\$42,607.80	\$17,485.27	\$1,845.91	\$19,331.18	\$71.00	\$19,260.18
Engineering Department	15,000.00	7,499.96	-0-	7,499.96	-0-	7,499.96
Surveyor of Highways	167,329.00	51,974.86	37,026.28	89,001.14	-0-	89,001.14
Highways, General	43,210.00	12,106.40	31,103.60	43,210.00	-0-	43,210.00
Chapter 81	28,074.86	10,821.22	17,253.64	28,074.86	-0-	28,074.86
Chapter 90, 1973	68,962.00	2,348.95	36,587.03	38,935.98	-0-	38,935.98
Chapter 90, 1974	15,750.00	300.00	272.88	572.88	-0-	572.88
Bridges	5,000.00	1,050.00	527.18	1,577.18	-0-	1,577.18
Sidewalks	50,000.00	3,435.80	8,981.72	12,417.52	-0-	12,417.52
Snow Removal	7,000.00	-0-	7,080.54	7,080.54	372.50	6,688.04
Street Signs	24,000.00	-0-	13,931.78	13,931.78	114.28	13,817.50
Road Machinery						
Purchase 4-Wheel Drive						
Vehicle	4,500.00	-0-	4,500.00	4,500.00	-0-	4,500.00
Purchase Pickup Truck	3,500.00	-0-	3,490.00	3,490.00	-0-	3,490.00
Purchase Brush Chipper	6,500.00	-0-	5,745.00	5,745.00	-0-	5,745.00
Repairs of Private Ways	10,000.00	200.00	5,699.33	5,899.33	-0-	5,899.33
Road Construction, Chapter						
1140, Section 20	56,834.08	-0-	1,421.38	1,421.38	-0-	1,421.38
Drain Easements,						
Bass River Road	5,800.00	-0-	100.00	100.00	-0-	100.00
Improvements, Barry Lane	8,000.00	750.00	5,133.71	5,883.71	-0-	5,883.71
Improvements, Summer St.	14,000.00	1,700.00	9,294.68	10,994.68	-0-	10,994.68
Taking, Dartmouth Rd., Ext.	5,300.00	-0-	140.00	140.00	-0-	140.00
Taking, Grace's Way	2,425.00	-0-	300.00	300.00	-0-	300.00
Shore Erosion, 1973	16,491.82	-0-	430.00	430.00	-0-	430.00
Shore Erosion, 1974	10,000.00	-0-	288.00	288.00	-0-	288.00
Acceptance, Louis Avenue	7,875.00	-0-	200.00	200.00	-0-	200.00
Street Lights	66,000.00	-0-	\$28,214.20	28,214.20	-0-	28,214.20
Park Department	2,500.00	-0-	1,692.13	1,692.13	657.60	1,034.53
Total: Engineering & Highway Dept.	\$109,672.46	\$221,258.99	\$330,931.45	\$1,235.38	\$329,696.07	\$329,696.07

Veterans & Social Services						
Veterans' Benefits						
Cape Cod Mental Health, Children	\$ 1,907.00	\$ -	\$25,492.56	\$25,492.56	\$1,569.20	\$23,923.36
Cape Cod Mental Health, Adults	2,237.00	-	953.50	953.50	-	953.50
Nauset Workshop	3,000.00	-	1,118.50	1,118.50	-	1,118.50
Help of Cape Cod	3,000.00	-	1,500.00	1,500.00	-	1,500.00
Head Start Program	3,000.00	-	1,000.00	1,000.00	-	1,000.00
Council on Aging	6,295.00	-	2,228.50	2,228.50	-	2,228.50
Council on Aging, Building Lease	4,800.00	2,059.62	804.35	2,863.97	-	2,863.97
State Grant, Council on Aging	2,400.00	-	2,800.00	2,800.00	-	2,800.00
Total: Veterans & Social Services		\$2,059.62	\$38,065.41	\$40,125.03	\$1,569.20	\$38,555.83
Educational						
Schools	\$1,842,185.00	\$663,385.32	\$177,319.42	\$840,704.74	\$ -	\$840,704.74
Cafeteria Appropriation Account	44,877.00	16,985.34	1,928.46	18,913.80	-	18,913.80
Cafeteria Receipts & Reimbursements	49,704.32	-	35,499.95	35,499.95	-	35,499.95
Salaries, Chapter 773	330.00	408.00	-	408.00	-	408.00
Dennis-Yarmouth Regional School Dist.	885,019.12	-	395,672.38	395,672.38	-	395,672.38
Regional Technical High School	121,190.06	-	60,595.04	60,595.04	-	60,595.04
Community Schools, Adult Vocational Education	34,993.00	13,884.72	2,446.08	16,330.80	-	16,330.80
Education, Handicapped Children	19,516.30	-	5,672.50	5,672.50	-	5,672.50
Vocational Education	45,644.41	-	2,723.00	2,723.00	-	2,723.00
Total: Educational		\$694,663.38	\$681,856.83	\$1,376,520.21	\$ -	\$1,376,520.21

<u>Libraries</u>						
Public Libraries	\$ 24,840.50	\$ -0-	\$ 24,840.50	\$ 24,840.50	\$ -0-	\$ 24,840.50
Chase Public Library	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00
Total: Libraries		\$ -0-	\$ 25,840.50	\$ 25,840.50	\$ -0-	\$ 25,840.50
<u>Beaches & Shores</u>						
<u>Beaches, Appropriation</u>						
Account	\$114,468.00	\$66,331.39	\$17,181.14	\$83,512.53	\$4,379.60	\$79,132.93
Rock Mount, Chapin Beach	38,815.00	-0-	70.00	70.00	-0-	70.00
Beach Parking Area,						
West Dennis	30,000.00	-0-	30,000.00	30,000.00	-0-	30,000.00
Drain Plashes	552.50	-0-	552.50	552.50	-0-	552.50
Total: Beaches & Shores		\$66,331.39	\$47,803.64	\$114,135.03	\$4,379.60	\$109,755.43
<u>Harbors</u>						
South Side Harbors	\$10,246.00	\$3,315.89	\$729.44	\$4,045.33	\$151.20	\$3,894.13
Sesuit Harbor	9,000.00	4,898.01	3,040.30	7,938.31	-0-	7,938.31
Slips, West Side Sesuit Harbor	3,852.42	-0-	3,313.98	3,313.98	-0-	3,313.98
Slips & Floats,						
West Side Sesuit	10,000.00	320.00	7,004.95	7,324.95	-0-	7,324.95
Slips & Floats,						
East Side Sesuit	15,000.00	960.00	7,568.98	8,528.98	-0-	8,528.98
Electric & Water Lines,						
East Side Sesuit	3,000.00	-0-	666.99	666.99	-0-	666.99
Piles for Sesuit Harbor	2,636.00	-0-	1,775.55	1,775.55	-0-	1,775.55
Total: Harbors		\$9,493.90	\$24,100.19	\$33,594.09	\$151.20	\$33,442.89
<u>Golf Course</u>						
Dennis Pines Golf Course	\$122,283.00	\$37,766.46	\$25,583.93	\$63,350.39	\$93.05	\$63,257.34

<u>Cemeteries</u>						
Cemetery Department	\$12,800.00	\$4,283.65	\$2,170.37	\$6,454.02	\$ -0-	\$6,454.02
Hot Top Roads, North						
Dennis Cemetery	2,000.00	-0-	1,914.08	1,914.08	-0-	1,914.08
Layout-Landscape,						
New Cemetery	266.84	35.00	50.00	85.00	-0-	85.00
Hall-Homer-Quaker						
Cemeteries	761.00	85.75	56.25	142.00	-0-	142.00
Total: Cemeteries		<u>\$4,404.40</u>	<u>\$4,190.70</u>	<u>\$8,595.10</u>	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$8,595.10</u>
<u>Interest & Debt Payments</u>						
Interest Payments	\$160,000.00	\$ -0-	\$58,877.52	\$58,877.52	\$ -0-	\$58,877.52
Red., Maturing Debt	316,525.00	-0-	189,000.00	189,000.00	50,000.00	139,000.00
Temporary Loan in						
Anticipation of Revenue	500,000.00	-0-	500,000.00	500,000.00	-0-	500,000.00
Total: Interest & Debt		<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$747,877.52</u>	<u>\$747,877.52</u>	<u>\$50,000.00</u>	<u>\$697,877.52</u>
<u>Recreation & Unclassified</u>						
Recreation Committee	\$13,000.00	\$ -0-	\$2,197.55	\$2,197.55	\$ -0-	\$2,197.55
Babe Ruth League	9,200.00	92.50	9,056.19	9,148.69	-0-	9,148.69
Chamber of Commerce	3,814.37	3,777.23	-0-	3,777.23	-0-	3,777.23
Dennis Post, American						
Legion	700.00	-0-	304.60	304.60	304.60	
Band Concerts	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	1,000.00	-0-	1,000.00
Festival Days	1,500.00	88.00	1,403.75	1,491.75	-0-	1,491.75
Appraisal of Property						
Printing By-Laws	4,303.32	-0-	18,944.00	18,944.00	-0-	18,944.00
Total: Recreation		<u>\$3,957.73</u>	<u>\$33,390.99</u>	<u>\$37,348.72</u>	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$37,348.72</u>
& Unclassified						

<u>Conservation</u>									
Game Conservation	\$ 400.00	\$ -	\$ 386.00	\$ 386.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 386.00	\$ -	\$ 386.00
Conservation Appropriation	22,000.00	3,923.06	3,988.54	7,921.60	-	-	7,921.60	-	7,921.60
Conservation Fund for									
Land Purchases	10,000.00	-	695.00	695.00	-	-	695.00	-	695.00
Conservation Fund, Article									
#26, 1973	725.76	-	445.00	445.00	-	-	445.00	-	445.00
Conservation, Debt									
Reduction Fund	21,105.85	-	20,000.00	20,000.00	-	-	20,000.00	-	20,000.00
Total: Conservation		\$ 3,923.06	\$ 25,524.54	\$ 29,447.60	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 29,447.60	\$ -	\$ 29,447.60
<u>Payroll Withholdings</u>									
Federal Taxes	\$ 215,043.30	\$	\$ 181,803.85	\$ 181,803.85	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 181,803.85	\$ -	\$ 181,803.85
State Taxes	57,269.27		43,102.91	43,102.91	-	-	43,102.91	-	43,102.91
County Retirement	42,139.38		43,401.67	43,401.67	7,080.56	-	43,401.67	7,080.56	36,321.11
Group Insurance	32,374.44		27,923.28	27,923.28	-	-	27,923.28	-	27,923.28
Annuities									
Avalic	260.00	-	240.00	240.00	-	-	240.00	-	240.00
Connecticut General	3,654.00	-	3,076.38	3,076.38	54.67	-	3,021.71	54.67	3,021.71
Lincoln National	320.32	-	295.67	295.67	-	-	295.67	-	295.67
Custodian's Dues	385.00	-	165.00	165.00	-	-	165.00	-	165.00
Teacher's Dues, D.T.A.	5,646.95	-	2,471.00	2,471.00	291.48	-	2,471.00	291.48	2,179.00
Total: Payroll Withholdings		\$ -	\$ 302,479.77	\$ 302,479.77	\$ 7,426.71	\$ -	\$ 302,479.77	\$ 7,426.71	\$ 295,053.06
& Annuities									
<u>Trust Funds</u>									
Caleb Chase Fund	\$ 380.00	\$ -	\$ 380.00	\$ 380.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 380.00	\$ -	\$ 380.00
J. Mathews Trust Fund	380.00	-	380.00	380.00	-	-	380.00	-	380.00
Total: Trust Funds		\$ -	\$ 760.00	\$ 760.00	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 760.00	\$ -	\$ 760.00

<u>Agencies</u>			
County Retirement	\$42,706.83	\$ -0-	\$42,706.83
Administration Veterans' Services	8,168.48	-0-	8,168.48
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	25,974.52	-0-	25,974.52
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	1,460.10	-0-	1,460.10
State Parks & Reservations	69,000.60	-0-	69,000.60
County Tax	227,424.50	-0-	227,424.50
Air Pollution Control	425.62	-0-	425.62
Group Insurance, Retired Teachers	1,489.93	-0-	1,489.93
Proceeds, Dog Licenses	3,128.30	-0-	3,128.30
Coke Fund	209.45	-0-	209.45
Total: Agencies	\$379,988.33	\$ -0-	\$379,988.33
<u>Refunds</u>			
<u>Taxes:</u>			
1972 Real Estate	\$110.56	\$ -0-	\$110.56
1973 Real Estate	174.90	-0-	174.90
1974 Real Estate	15,114.83	-0-	15,114.83
1975 Real Estate	120.44	-0-	120.44
1973 Personal Property	423.85	-0-	423.85
1974 Personal Property	646.16	-0-	646.16
1973 Motor Vehicle	663.02	-0-	663.02
1974 Motor Vehicle	447.35	-0-	447.35
Water District Taxes	2,137.52	-0-	2,137.52
Payment from District Tax Reserve	248,537.23	-0-	248,537.23
Escrow Refund	225.00	-0-	225.00
Estimated Receipts Refunds	60.69	-0-	60.69
Total: Refunds	\$268,661.55	\$ -0-	\$268,661.55

RECAPITULATION

FISCAL YEAR 1975

SIX-MONTH PERIOD 1 JULY - 31 DECEMBER 1974

Cash Balance - 1 July, 1974	\$1,068,389.00
Receipts - 1 July - 31 December, 1974	4,673,805.18
Expenditures - 1 July - 31 December, 1974	4,862,203.35
Cash Balance 1 January, 1975	\$ 879,990.83

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING

SUMMARY

DECEMBER 12, 1972 - DECEMBER 31, 1974

Received to date	\$424,720.30
Transfers voted	<u>380,501.86</u>
Unencumbered balance	\$44,218.44

RECEIPTS

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING

<u>Source</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>
U.S. Treasury	12/11/72	66,538.00	66,538.00
U. S. Treasury	01/08/73	63,850.00	130,388.00
U.S. Treasury	04/11/73	38,153.00	168,541.00
Interest Earned	04/11/73	547.00	169,088.00
U.S. Treasury	07/12/73	38,154.00	207,242.00
U.S. Treasury	10/26/73	39,379.00	246,621.00
Interest Earned	10/26/73	1,172.03	247,793.03
Interest Earned	12/28/73	3,159.70	250,952.73
Interest Earned	12/28/73	617.09	251,569.82
Interest Earned	01/02/74	2,256.00	254,095.82
Interest Earned	01/02/74	54.27	254,150.09
U.S. Treasury	01/17/74	39,379.00	293,529.09
U.S. Treasury	05/08/74	39,379.00	332,908.09
U.S. Treasury	06/30/74	39,382.00	372,290.09
Interest Earned	07/05/74	2,711.43	375,001.52
U.S. Treasury	10/22/74	45,118.00	420,119.52
Interest Earned	12/31/74	4,600.78	424,720.30

**TRANSFERS VOTED
FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Article No.</u>	<u>Appropriation Account</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>
3/6/73	12	Printing By-Laws	2,000.00	
"	23	Master Plan, Disposal Area	20,000.00	
"	27	Three (3) new Police Cruisers	9,000.00	
"	35	New Sweeper, Hwy Dept.	15,000.00	
"	51	Sesuit Hbr Slips, West Side	5,000.00	
"	66	Paving, Saga Road	7,000.00	
"	66	Paving, Fiord Drive	7,000.00	
"	67	Paving, Old Chatham Road	6,200.00	
"	68	Paving, Hokum Rock Road	15,000.00	
"	70	Paving Airline Road	15,000.00	
"	71	Drainage & Surface, Mild Bay Cir.	12,500.00	
"	72	Drainage & Surface on Town Accepted Rds.	15,500.00	\$129,200.00
6/21/72	6	Equip New Ambulance, Fire Dept.	3,000.00	
"	6	Additional Patrolman, Police Dept.	8,000.00	
"	6	Bldg Inspector Dept. Add. Staff	8,500.00	
"	13	Salary Conservation Officer	1,400.00	20,900.00
8/15/73	4	Two (2) vehicles, Police Dept.	8,500.00	
"	5	Police Dept. Salary Increases	36,405.86	
"	6	Fire Dept. Salary Increases	11,500.00	56,405.86
				(206,505.86) '73
5/6/74	23	Four (4) new Police Cruisers	13,000.00	
"	25	New Station Wagon, Fire Dept.	5,000.00	
"	29	New Brush Chipper	6,500.00	
"	30	Asphalt Curb Machine	1,200.00	
"	31	Low Bed Trailer	2,500.00	
"	40	Shore Erosion Fund	10,000.00	
"	54	Sesuit Hbr., West Side, Slips etc.	10,000.00	
"	55	Sesuit Hbr., East Side, Slips etc.	15,000.00	
"	56	Sesuit Hbr., Const. Elec. & Wtr. Lns.	3,000.00	
"	77	Hydraulic Sprayer	4,578.00	
"	77	Poison Ivy Sprayer	1,515.00	
"	78	Hot Top No. Dennis Cemetery	2,000.00	
"	80	Hall Cemetery	250.00	
"	80	Homer Cemetery	225.00	
"	80	Quaker Cemetery	150.00	
"	90	Repair Various Private Ways	10,000.00	
"	93	Repair & Drain, Barry Lane	8,000.00	
"	95	Summer Street Improvements	14,000.00	
"	96	Charles Street Improvements	2,000.00	
"	104	Dartmouth Rd. Ext. Accepted	5,300.00	
"	107	Grace's Way Acceptance	2,425.00	
"	110	Louis Avenue Acceptance	7,875.00	124,518.00
8/14/74	10	Fire Dept. Salary Increases	14,478.00	
"	16	Recreation Commission	5,000.00	
"	19	Purchase Computer	30,000.00	49,478.00
				(173,996.00) '74
		Total Appropriations to date		\$380,501.86

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

<u>Name of Fund</u>	<u>On Hand Jan. 1, 1974</u>	<u>Dividend Care of Lots</u>	<u>Deposited</u>	<u>On Hand 12/31/74</u>
Hannah K. Ansell	143.28		7.20	150.48
Thomas H. Bain	265.89		16.03	281.92
Adelbert Baker	586.12		29.65	615.77
Andrew H. Baker	131.34		7.89	139.23
Asa Baker	160.43		9.66	170.09
Browning K. Baker	258.10		15.56	273.66
Charles G. Baker	872.98		44.16	917.14
Horatio B. Baker	85.67		5.16	90.83
Isaiah Baker Jr.	28.64		1.70	30.34
Judah Baker	259.02		13.08	272.10
Laura B. Baker	70.17		4.21	74.38
Olive H. Baker	992.08		50.22	1,042.30
Oliver K. Baker	73.10		4.38	77.48
Samuel S. Baker & Lewis A. Larsen	240.56	3.22		243.78
Samuel S. Baker & Lewis A. Larsen	34.90	1.76		36.66
Seth N. Baker	71.04	4.26		75.30
Wallace Baker	278.87	14.11		292.98
William E. Baker	364.73	18.24	252.96	130.01
Albert L. Barbour	432.53	21.88		454.41
Frank Barnard & Stephen Homer	936.43	21.12		957.55
Edward & Pollie Baxter	2,084.52	105.51		2,190.03
Edwin & Polly Baxter	156.56	9.45		166.01
Polly A. Baxter	76.68	4.60		81.28
Abram E. Bearse	167.56	10.08		177.64
Ottilie J. Brix	162.37	8.18		170.55
Clara P. Brown	420.44	21.25		441.69
Louise B. & Thomas Brown	120.89	7.28		128.17
Myra Hall Burnham	120.31	7.24		127.55
Theda F. Chaffee	118.50	7.13		125.63
William Chalk	403.77	20.41		424.18
Abbie W. Chase	256.70	12.96		269.66
Andrew J. Chase	177.32	8.95		186.27
David Chase	239.03	12.04		251.07
Hiram F. Chase	170.06	10.22		180.28
Joshua Chase	518.08	26.08		544.16
Mabel Hall Chase	204.89	10.34		215.23
Flora Howes Clampitt	696.79	42.03		738.82
Leo M. & Dorothy Connors	87.40	4.39		91.79
Charles F. Cowden	395.30	20.01		415.31
William E. Creamer	140.23	7.07		147.30
Albert H. & Rebecca C. Crowell	155.98	9.39		165.37
Aruna Crowell	304.77	18.37		323.14
Bethiah B. Crowell	34.42	2.08		36.50
Edward E. Crowell	155.60	9.37		164.97
Edwin Crowell	177.57	10.70		188.27
Eleazer K. Crowell	911.79	55.03		966.82
Elisha & T. Y. Crowell	313.62	18.93		332.55
Hannah C. Crowell	110.01	6.51		116.52
Hiram C. Crowell	338.83	20.41		359.24

Joseph Crowell	154.90	9.34	164.24
Joseph E. & Harriet K. Crowell	323.78	19.24	343.02
Josiah Crowell	668.39	33.81	702.20
Joshua Crowell	265.18	15.98	281.16
Luther Crowell	907.77	54.79	962.56
Mulford Crowell	125.12	7.51	132.63
Nathan Crowell	231.25	13.93	245.18
Payson Crowell	145.25	8.74	153.99
Samuel Crowell	117.35	7.05	124.40
Sarah L. Crowell	143.31	8.62	151.93
Simeon Crowell	146.67	8.82	155.49
Stanley Crowell	133.96	8.04	142.00
Willard Crowell	158.76	9.55	168.31
William Crowell	708.41	42.74	751.15
William H. Crowell	397.00	20.10	417.10
Henry Crowie	126.29	7.58	133.87
Earl M. & Patia Davidson	226.11	13.43	239.54
Annie S. Doane	196.25	9.87	206.12
Lella A. Downs	271.53	13.64	285.17
Lucinda S. Eaton	123.52	7.43	130.95
Clarence Eldridge	233.63	14.05	247.68
Brant Ellis	237.39	3.18	240.57
Frank M. Embler	233.47	13.87	247.34
John Finelli	143.53	8.64	152.17
Lydia M. Fisher	527.12	26.66	553.78
David Fisk	500.68	29.99	530.67
H. H. Fisk	132.62	7.97	140.59
Luther Fisk	382.13	23.02	405.15
U. B. Fisk	153.74	9.25	162.99
Charles M. & Ethel Shiverick Foley	463.99	23.21	487.20
Howard E. Fonda	162.87	9.80	172.67
John F. Foster	55.49	3.33	58.82
Cyrus Fuller	215.20	10.88	226.08
Henry Fuller	73.44	4.40	77.84
Mrs. Ethel L. Garfield	162.75	8.14	170.89
Charles L. Goodspeed	484.98	28.77	513.75
Charles S. Goodspeed	116.02	6.96	122.98
John Gorham & Walter C. Hall	416.26	25.10	441.36
Alvin H. Greenleaf	402.88	24.28	427.16
Jessie Greenleaf	230.55	13.89	244.44
Josiah Greenleaf	251.91	15.17	267.08
Wilbur Grindell	317.75	18.78	336.53
Ernest Gunn	123.93	7.45	131.38
Barnabus C. Hall	305.52	18.43	323.95
Emily C. Hall	368.00	18.60	386.60
Freeman G. Hall & Stephen S. Hall	121.48	6.06	127.54
George H. Hall & John F. Howes	124.27	7.46	131.73
Harriett & Benjamin Hall	210.29	12.49	222.78
Isaiah B. Hall & Hiram Hall	252.79	15.23	268.02
Joel B. Hall & Edward Hall	121.40	7.31	128.71
Joseph W. Hall	254.89	15.30	270.19

Marcus Hall	150.82	9.00	159.82
William F. Hall Jr. & William F. Hall	180.68	9.10	189.78
Wilbur Harding	250.05	12.65	262.70
Flora Hawes	1,844.17	92.91	1,937.08
Richard H. Hefler	120.02	7.19	127.21
William H. & Mildred G. Heptonstall	164.24	9.89	174.13
Mary L. Hinckley	599.52	30.33	629.85
Bert E. Holland & Samuel Chapman	1,514.45	91.37	1,605.82
Ernest G.N. & Etta G. Holmes	288.16	13.73	241.89
McDowell Hosley	350.56	21.13	371.69
Howes Burying Ground	638.54	38.50	677.04
Abby C. Howes	245.28	14.79	260.07
Alexander Howes	465.82	28.11	493.93
Ansel P. Howes & Mary E. Howes	124.86	7.50	132.36
Cora A. Howes	809.68	48.85	858.53
Daniel W. Howes	247.04	14.84	261.88
David P. Howes	268.69	16.19	284.88
Esther W. Howes or Bleak House	782.36	47.22	829.58
Frank Ellsworth Howes	298.51	18.00	316.51
George P. Howes	271.95	16.40	288.35
Henry F. Howes	228.95	13.76	242.71
Herbert H. & Cora Howes	256.69	15.46	272.15
Hettie H. Howes	127.90	7.71	135.61
Inez H. Howes	257.72	15.54	273.26
Isabella Howes	120.59	7.22	127.81
James F. Howes	259.21	15.61	274.82
John & Thomas S. Howes	105.05	5.26	110.31
Jon & Fanny Howes	105.68	6.37	112.05
Mary A. Howes	126.61	7.62	134.23
Philip Howes	125.83	7.56	133.39
Sarah L. Howes	122.47	7.37	129.84
Thomas Howes	218.45	13.10	231.55
Paul Johnson	133.40	6.67	140.07
Rebecca May Keith	637.91	38.49	676.40
Ahira Kelley & Nellie Blake	952.78	48.20	1,000.98
Frank C. Kelley	229.95	13.85	243.80
Howard Kelley	281.30	14.15	295.45
Mary F. Kendrick	148.38	8.92	157.30
Mercie K. Kinyon	160.40	9.66	170.06
Philip W. & Mildred Kohl	207.49	10.37	217.86
Richard G. LaPorte, Jr.	253.57	15.06	268.63
Iiah & Arthur Lohr	165.98	9.99	175.97
Limina J.V. Martin & Charlotte M. Lesser	1,606.45	96.89	1,703.34
Dana F. & Betty Mason	130.69	6.53	137.22
E. C. Matthews	293.57	17.64	311.21
Barbara H. Nichols	253.00	15.26	268.26
Anna M. & George Byron Nickerson	292.74	14.79	307.53
Asa W. Nickerson	673.33	34.07	707.40

Betsy E. Nickerson	437.78	22.03	459.81
Claude S. Nickerson	742.73	37.57	780.30
Frank H. Nickerson	390.66	19.73	410.39
Israel Nickerson	366.29	18.52	384.81
Maurice T. Nickerson	1,177.61	15.77	1,193.38
Jennie M. Norris & Margaret B. Warren	172.97	8.72	181.69
H. Willis Nye	687.18	41.46	728.64
Elizabeth E. Olson	623.97	37.63	661.60
Paddock Burying Ground	2,142.21	129.28	2,271.49
Hannah H. Paddock	884.36	44.75	929.11
Effie J. Peck	4,295.22	217.42	4,512.64
E. Pierce	241.33	12.07	253.40
Louise M. Pierce	298.20	15.08	313.28
George M. Porter	247.46	12.51	259.97
John H. Prouty & Helen England Prouty & Nellie Wyer	100.96	5.98	106.94
John H. Prouty & Nellie Wyer	258.07	15.55	273.62
John G. Raynor	118.59	7.13	125.72
Ezra & Hester Reider	160.05	9.65	169.70
Robert D. Robinson	392.32	23.66	415.98
Arthur E. Rogers	100.21	6.01	106.22
Joseph L. Schlesinger	326.70	19.68	346.38
Sarah E. Sears	115.88	6.95	122.83
Joseph A. & Mabel Shea	123.82	7.43	131.25
Bernard M. Sheridan	162.43	9.79	172.22
Paul & Dorcas H. Oren & Mary E. Shiverick	250.74	15.11	265.85
Joseph E. Small	362.11	21.82	383.93
Olive Smalley	73.06	4.38	77.44
Carrie B. Smith	173.39	8.67	182.06
Sophie G. Smith	804.87	48.53	853.40
Chauncey Snow	237.23	14.30	251.53
Julia F. Snow	126.10	6.35	132.45
Coleman Studley	171.43	10.30	181.73
Joseph Sylvan & Nathan Howes	1,434.23	85.97	1,520.20
Roland B. Taylor	117.69	7.09	124.78
Town of Dennis, South Dennis Cemetery	160.81	8.03	168.84
Trenholm Family Trust	1,099.71	65.31	1,165.02
Ann Unsworth	147.28	8.85	156.13
Sybil W. Wanner	167.10	8.44	175.54
Whelden-Bartlett	193.57	9.74	203.31
Benjamin Whelden	459.27	27.69	486.96
Almon E. Whittemore	255.83	15.42	271.25
Lorenzo P. Wilson & Jennie C. Smith	224.20	25.50	249.70
Edgar F. Wixon	220.20	11.09	231.29
Ella Mae Wood	442.90	22.15	465.05
Dexter E. Wood & Mrs. Atherton B. Crowell	57.60	3.46	61.06
Almenia Hall Wright	134.60	8.09	142.69
Eugene Wright	123.32	7.41	130.73

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Water District 398-3351

OFFICE HOURS

Town Office 9:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday thru Friday
Highway Department 7:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday thru
Thursday, 7:30 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Friday
Water District 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Monday thru Friday
Police Office 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday thru Friday

Town Libraries

Dennis Memorial Library - Dennis
Mon. 7-9; Tues. 2-4 and 7-9; Wed. 7-9; Sat. 2-4
Jacob Sears Memorial Library - East Dennis
Winter . . . Tues. and Fri. 2:30-5
Summer . . . Tues. 2:30-5; Wed. 7-9; Fri. 10-12:30
South Dennis Free Public Library - South Dennis
Mon. 6:30-8:30; Wed. and Fri. 3-5
West Dennis Free Public Library - West Dennis
Winter . . . Mon., Wed. and Fri. 2-6
Summer . . . Mon. 7-10; Wed. 2-5 and 7-10; Fri. 7-10