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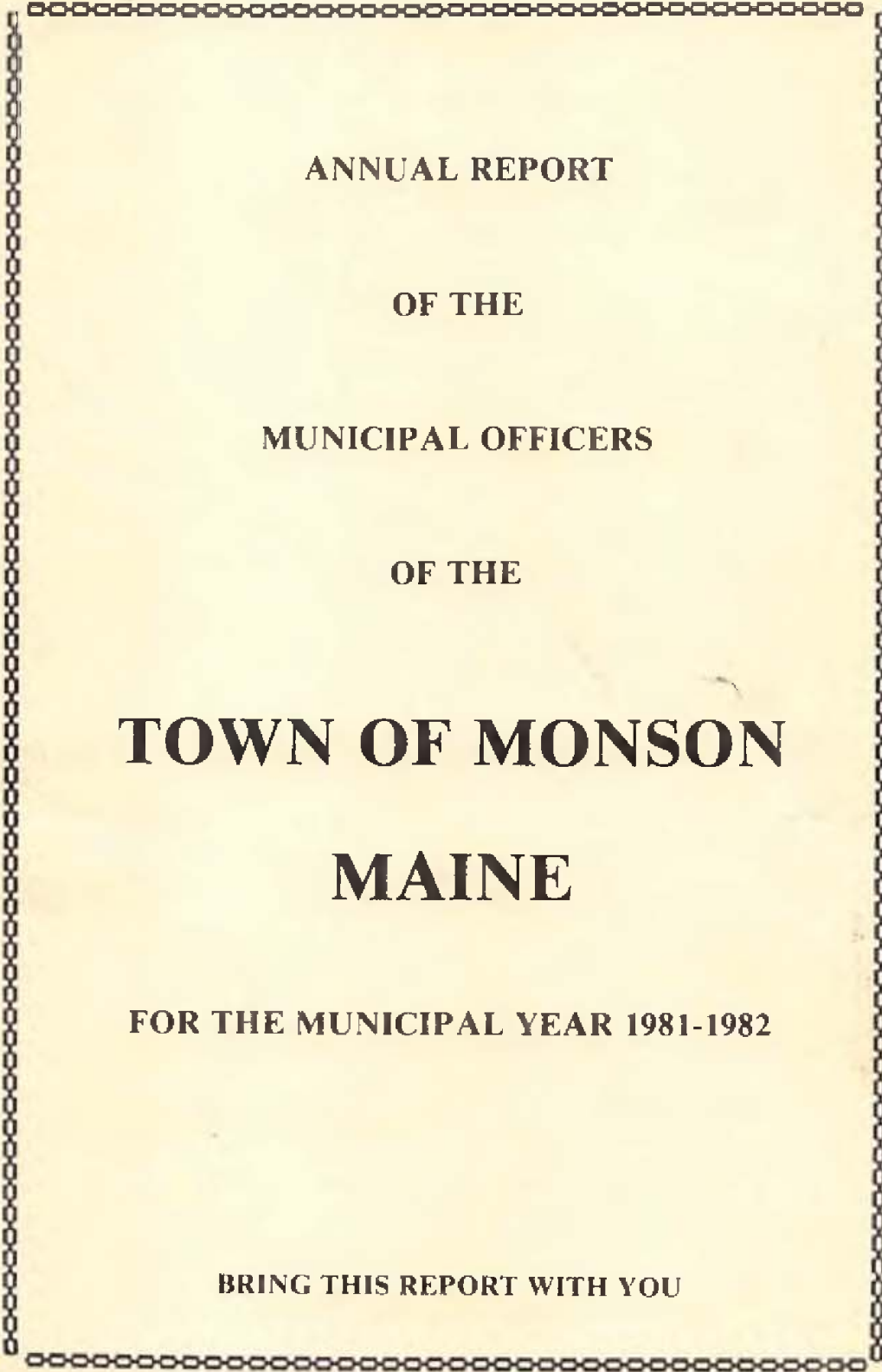
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Letter of Transmittal

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Monson:

A financial and general activities summary of your town government for the year 1981-82 is contained in the following Annual Report.

The Town ended its fiscal year January 31, 1982, with a surplus of forty-eight thousand, nine hundred two dollars and seventeen cents, which is available to help meet present and future needs of the Town.

Reports of S.A.D. No. 68 activities are contained in a separate report compiled and outlined by our school district.

Citizens who desire additional information about their town government should feel free to contact their town officials. You are urged to attend the annual Town Meeting, March 15, 1982, to act on your town's business for 1982.

Respectfully submitted,

RUEL P. CROSS
Town Manager

Town Officers

Moderator - Daryl Witmer

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor

Walter Maheux (82)* Donna Lowell (84)

John Pullen, Chairman (83)

Town Manager, Road Commissioner, Tax Collector & Town Treasurer

Ruel P. Cross

Town Clerk - Jeanne B. Reed (82)

Director of S.A.D. No. 68 - Constance MacPherson (82)

Director of H.A.D. No. 4 - George Wentworth (82)

Superintendent of Schools

Eben DeWitt - S.A.D. No. 68

Fire Chief - Collin Bickford

Civil Defense and Building Inspector, Town Forest Fire Warden

Collin Bickford

Sexton - Philip Knight

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Alfred J. Rioux

Surveyor of Logs, Lumber, Wood, and Bark

Hollis Nelson

Monson Utilities District

Clarence Pratt (85) Jere LaPointe (82)

Patrick Pembroke (83) Gordon Reed (86)

Andrew Lowell, Chairman (84)

Monson Planning Board

Janette Hall (84) Paul Allen (83)

Bill Wentworth (83) Clarence Turner (83)

Jeanne Reed (82) Robert Brown (86)

Shawn Nelson, Chairman (85)

Plumbing Inspector - Ralph Murray

Board of Appeals

Bill Wentworth Clarence Turner
Joyce Copeland Henry Storer
Milton Bartlett Bernie Poole
Robert Greenleaf, Chairman

Constables

Berwin Storer Daryl Witmer
Robert Greenleaf Dennis Casey

Code Enforcement Officer - Lloyd G. Kelley

Truant Officer - Dennis Casey

Conservation Commission

Kennard Allen (83) Robert Brown (84)
Richard Brann (85) Dennis Casey (86)
Shawn Nelson (82)

Recreation Advisory Committee

George Jennison (85) Tarun Johns (84)
Nancy Douglass Kelley (82) Donna Lowell (83)
Alice Moore (86)

Monson Housing Corporation

Robert Brown (83) Clarence Turner (83)
Jeanne Reed (83) Dagmar Greenleaf (82)
Bernie Poole (84) Dorothy Holmbom (82)
James Wentworth (82) Vivian Bartlett (84)
Dwain Allen (84)

Representative to Legislature

Donald M. Hall; Tel. 289-2866
House of Representatives
State House
Augusta, Maine 04333

Maine State Police Toll Free Number

1-800-453-4664

State Police Trooper - Greenville

Mark Nickerson - 1-695-3812

*Resigned

Amounts Raised by Town, March 16, 1981

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|----|------------------|------------------|
| General Government | \$ | 15,000.00 | |
| Town Hall Expense | | 4,000.00 | |
| Town Power | | 6,200.00 | |
| Municipal Bldg. Payment | | 1,750.00 | |
| Interest, Municipal Bldg. Note | | 500.00 | |
| Library | | 600.00 | |
| Insurance | | 10,000.00 | |
| Misc. Charge | | 3,000.00 | |
| Penquis C.A.P. | | 500.00 | |
| Dog Warden | | 365.00 | |
| Memorial Day | | 250.00 | |
| Older American Center | | 200.00 | |
| General Assistance | | 2,000.00 | |
| Monson Fire Department | | 3,900.00 | |
| Monson Fire Dept. Equip. Fund | | 4,106.44 | |
| Homemaker Health Agency | | 200.00 | |
| Penobscot Valley Reg. Planning Comm. | | 123.56 | |
| Monson Senior Citizens | | 200.00 | |
| Sen-Cit | | 100.00 | |
| Charlotte White Center | | 337.00 | |
| Summer/Winter Recreation - | | | |
| ½ Snowsled Refunds | | 750.00 | |
| Monson Solid Waste, Dump | | 150.00 | |
| Monson Housing Corporation | | 3,500.00 | |
| Surface Treatment | | <u>3,348.00</u> | |
| | | | 61,080.00 |
| Voted to take from Fed. Rev. Sharing: | | | |
| Surface Treatment | | 1,652.00 | |
| Monson Fire Dept. | | 5,000.00 | |
| Snowplowing | | <u>13,500.00</u> | |
| | | | 20,152.00 |
| Voted to take from Surplus: | | | |
| State Aid Roads | | 7,164.00 | |
| Highways - Summer & Winter Roads | | 5,600.00 | |
| General Assistance | | <u>1,123.77</u> | |
| | | | <u>13,887.77</u> |
| Total Voted and Approved | \$ | 95,119.77 | \$ 95,119.77 |

Assessors' Report

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Valuation, Town of Monson | |
| Resident & Non-Resident | |
| Real Estate | 10,468,520.00 |
| Resident & Non-Resident | |
| Personal | <u>689,047.00</u> |
| Total Assessed Valuation | 11,157,567.00 |

Assessment

| | | |
|------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Valuation x Rate | | |
| \$11,157,567.00 x .015 | \$ 167,363.51 | |
| State Revenue Sharing | <u>10,641.65</u> | |
| | | \$ 178,005.16 |

Computation of Assessment

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Appropriations | \$ 62,080.00 | |
| S.A.D. No. 68 Assessment | 97,851.91 | |
| County Tax | 12,152.40 | |
| Overlay Account | <u>5,920.85</u> | |
| | | \$ 178,005.16 |

Total Raised by Taxation 1981-82

| | | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Commitment, Town of Monson | \$ 62,080.00 | |
| Commitment, S.A.D. No. 68 | 97,851.91 | |
| County Tax | 12,152.40 | |
| Overlay Account | <u>5,920.85</u> | |
| | | \$ 178,005.16 |

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| 1981 Tax Abatements | \$ 1,395.95 | |
| 1981 Tax Discount | 2,139.95 | |
| 1981 Taxes Collected | 150,819.58 | |
| 1981 Taxes Uncollected | 12,983.98 | |
| 1981 State Revenue Sharing | 10,641.65 | |
| Plus: Discount not transferred | <u>24.05</u> | |
| | | \$ 178,005.16 |

Tax Collector's Report

1981 Uncollected Taxes - Resident and Non-Resident

| | Personal | Real | Total |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| Arnold, Raymond | | \$ 162.00 | \$ 162.00 |
| Betts, John | \$ 4.50 | | 4.50 |
| Burke, Adolph Heirs* | | 78.65 | 78.65 |
| Busque, Marcel | | 172.50 | 172.50 |
| Carr, Merton & Gertrude | | 1.14 | 1.14 |
| Clark, Wayne & Violet | | 63.15 | 63.15 |
| Cook, Kenneth | | 45.60 | 45.60 |
| DiFronzo, Eugene & Lauren | | 384.90 | 384.90 |
| Downs, Gary & Karine | 46.80 | 741.45 | 788.25 |
| Drugge, Jerold | | 38.70 | 38.70 |
| Erickson, Henry & Anna | | 112.95 | 112.95 |
| Erickson, John P. & Bonnie | | 290.25 | 290.25 |
| Erickson, Paul* | | 272.85 | 272.85 |
| Fountain, Herbert | | 275.70 | 275.70 |
| Gary, Lorna Marie | | 87.00 | 87.00 |
| Glover, John & Barbara | | 301.24 | 301.24 |
| Grant, Alfred & Beverly | | 362.40 | 362.40 |
| Guild, Theodore (Pat Willey) | | 17.53 | 17.53 |
| Harper, Ellen | | 225.30 | 225.30 |
| Healy, Edward & Joan | | 416.70 | 416.70 |
| Hinson, Joyce | | 278.85 | 278.85 |
| Holmbom, James* | | 5.07 | 5.07 |
| Jones, Thaxter & Crystal | | 78.60 | 78.60 |
| Knowlton, Ray E. | | 131.70 | 131.70 |
| Korsman, Arvo Jr. | | 73.20 | 73.20 |
| Korsman, Maila | | 105.00 | 105.00 |
| Labree, Raymond Jr.* | | 4.11 | 4.11 |
| Leavitt, Cyril & Berthe | | 203.85 | 203.85 |
| Leavitt, Cyril & Dorcas | 343.44 | | 343.44 |
| Makynen, Michael & Ellen | | 186.90 | 186.90 |
| Matthews, Carroll & Lillian | | 161.55 | 161.55 |
| Millette, Norman & Irene | | 77.55 | 77.55 |
| Morgan, Charles W. | | 15.90 | 15.90 |
| Clifton & Barbara Morgan | | 71.10 | 71.10 |
| McCormack, John & Cynthia | | 210.60 | 210.60 |

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Nelson, John & Jacqueline | | 448.50 | 448.50 |
| O'Brien, Maruietta | | 525.00 | 525.00 |
| Philbrook, Edward & Charlene | | 111.15 | 111.15 |
| Pratt, Philip Heirs | | 64.95 | 64.95 |
| Ranta, James & Deborah | | 526.65 | 526.65 |
| Ranta, William | | 262.65 | 262.65 |
| Ranta, William & Cindy | | 98.10 | 98.10 |
| Raymond, Peter & Noralee | | 83.55 | 83.55 |
| Rowe, Herbert | | 27.30 | 27.30 |
| Russell, David & Linda | | 466.50 | 466.50 |
| Sawyer, Robert* | | 193.95 | 193.95 |
| Lindie, Alice | | 165.90 | 165.90 |
| Seaver, James | | 42.10 | 42.10 |
| Security Land Co. | | 78.90 | 78.90 |
| Shellito, Charles & Joan | | 2.45 | 2.45 |
| Smith, Robert G. | 330.00 | 237.75 | 567.75 |
| Smith, Robert G. & Kathleen | | 549.30 | 549.30 |
| Stanchfield, Gerald | | 136.05 | 136.05 |
| Stone, Frank & Rena | 331.50 | 255.45 | 586.95 |
| Storer, Henry | | 427.65 | 427.65 |
| Storer, Jeannette & Henry | | 82.35 | 82.35 |
| Thomas, Douglas | 4.50 | 125.25 | 129.75 |
| Thomas, Douglas & Lynn | | 16.20 | 16.20 |
| Vainio, Carl & Donna | | 450.15 | 450.15 |
| Vainio, Veikko | | 199.05 | 199.05 |
| Ward, Carol | | 170.85 | 170.85 |
| Ward, Carol & Richard | | 239.40 | 239.40 |
| Yakulevich, Robert | | 282.15 | 282.15 |
| | | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$ 1,060.74 | \$ 11,923.24 | \$ 12,983.98 |

* Paid After Books Closed

1981 Supplemental Taxes

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------|
| 1981 Supplemental Taxes | \$ | 710.20 |
| Bal. to Summary | \$ | 710.20 |

1982 Taxes

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----|----------|
| Received, Treas. State of Maine | \$ | 1,464.72 |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ | 1,464.72 |

1980 Uncollected Taxes

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|----|--------------|
| 1980 Uncollected Taxes, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ | 10,007.91 |
| Plus: Error in Refund | | <u>11.50</u> |
| | \$ | 10,019.41 |

| | | |
|--|----|--------------|
| 1980 Taxes Trans. to Tax Liens 6/12/81 | \$ | 3,822.07 |
| 1980 Collected | | 6,139.77 |
| Plus: Overcollection | | <u>57.57</u> |
| | \$ | 10,019.41 |

1980 Tax Liens

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|----|---------------|----------|
| 1980 Taxes Trans. to Liens, 6/12/81 | | \$ | 3,822.07 |
| 1980 Tax Liens Coll. by Treas. | \$ | 933.12 | |
| 1980 Tax Lien Abated | | 208.89 | |
| Delinquent: | | | |
| Adkins, Ellen | | 206.58 | |
| Erickson, John P. & Bonnie | | 164.66 | |
| Erickson, Henry & Ann | | 104.94 | |
| Gary, Sharon | | 79.86 | |
| Knowlton, Ray | | 120.78 | |
| Matthews, Carroll & Lillian | | 148.17 | |
| Ranta, James & Deborah | | 482.79 | |
| Ranta, William | | 240.90 | |
| Ranta, William & Cindy | | 89.93 | |
| Raymond, Peter & Noralee* | | 76.73 | |
| Lindie, Alice | | 81.05 | |
| Stanchfield, Gerald | | 124.74 | |
| Stone, Frank & Rena | | 234.30 | |
| Storer, Henry | | 90.59 | |
| Storer, Henry | | 243.63 | |
| Storer, Henry & Jeannette | | 75.57 | |
| Thomas, Douglas | | <u>114.84</u> | |
| | \$ | 3,822.07 | |

1979 Tax Liens

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| 1979 Tax Liens, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 2,137.27 | |
| 1979 Overpayment | <u>47.93</u> | \$ 2,185.20 |
| 1979 Tax Liens, Coll. by Treas. | \$ 1,976.29 | |
| Undercollection to Summary | .02 | |
| 1979 Tax Lien Abated | <u>208.89</u> | \$ 2,185.20 |

1978 Tax Liens

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|----------|
| 1978 Tax Liens, Jan. 31, 1981 | 39.36 | |
| Overcollection | <u>.01</u> | \$ 39.37 |
| 1978 Tax Liens, Coll. by Treas. | 39.37 | |

Treasurer's Report

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Balance on Hand, Jan. 31, 1981 | | |
| Northeast Bank of Guilford | \$ 11,058.58 | |
| Receipts for the Year | 354,950.47 | |
| Transfer from Savings to Checking | 15,500.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 381,509.05 |
| Warrants Paid | 366,427.30 | |
| Bal. on Hand, Jan. 31, 1982 | 15,081.75 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 381,509.05 |

General Government

| | | |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 15,000.00 | |
| C.D. Interest | 5,903.26 | |
| Overdraft to Summary | 93.67 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 20,996.93 |

Salaries

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Ruel P. Cross, Town Manager | \$ 10,941.60 |
| Jeanne Reed, Secretary | 6,261.20 |
| Jeanne Reed, Town Clerk | 500.00 |
| Ruel P. Cross, Treasurer | 500.00 |
| Assessors: John Pullen | 600.00 |
| Donna Lowell | 600.00 |
| Walter Maheux | 500.00 |
| Moderator, Daryl Witmer | 25.00 |
| Gina Reed, Registrar | 100.00 |

General Government Expenses

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------------|
| Town Manager, Ruel P. Cross | 355.26 | |
| Town Clerk, J. Reed | 81.25 | |
| Town Clerk, S.A. Robinson | 28.26 | |
| Misc. Expenses | 704.36 | |
| | <hr/> | \$ 20,996.93 |

Incidentals - Misc. Charge

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 3,000.00 | |
| Def. Tax Interest | | 2,427.94 | |
| Received: | | | |
| Building Permits, L.G. Kelley | | 90.00 | |
| Misc.: Gun Permits | | 60.00 | |
| Treas. of State ½ Vets Reimb. | | 30.26 | |
| Misc. | | 4.90 | |
| | | | \$ 5,613.10 |
| Expended: | | | |
| Postage | \$ | 211.13 | |
| Audit | | 675.00 | |
| Town Reports | | 610.59 | |
| Water Rents | | 122.52 | |
| MMA Dues | | 448.00 | |
| Ballot Clerks | | 160.00 | |
| Bldg. Permits | | 70.00 | |
| Advertising | | 46.43 | |
| Misc. | | 1,041.50 | |
| Election Warden | | 40.00 | |
| Bal. to Summary | | 1,434.15 | |
| Trans. from Town Hall Expense | | 753.78 | |
| | | | \$ 5,613.10 |

Town Hall Expense

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|----|----------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 4,000.00 | |
| Received: | | | |
| Rent, Northeast Bank of Guilford | | 885.00 | |
| Nursery School Rent | | 246.00 | |
| Misc., Rent | | 118.06 | |
| Monson Utilities District | | 150.00 | |
| Overdraft to Summary | | 714.83 | |
| Posted to Wrong Acct. | | 753.78 | |
| | | | \$ 6,867.67 |

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Expended: | |
| Office Supplies | \$ 881.68 |
| Fuel, Oil | 2,216.93 |
| Telephone | 663.24 |
| Cleaning | 170.00 |
| Misc. | 830.82 |
| Building Supplies | 301.10 |
| Fuel, Wood | 1,260.00 |
| Capital Improvements | 105.12 |
| Postage, Tax Bills | 93.78 |
| Maps & New Building Assess. | 345.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 6,867.67 |

Monson Fire Department

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 3,900.00 |
| Appropriation from Rev. Sharing | 5,000.00 |
| Received: Contracts | 2,000.00 |
| Received: Conservation Dept. | 1,100.00 |
| Received: Judkins Ins. | 543.90 |
| Misc. Income | 534.18 |
| Overdraft to Summary | 348.13 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 13,426.21 |

| | |
|---------------------|--------------|
| Expended: | |
| Telephone Alarm | \$ 863.95 |
| Supplies | 369.26 |
| Repairs | 391.20 |
| New Equipment | 4,254.19 |
| Equipment | 1,702.85 |
| Firemen's Payroll | 3,448.00 |
| Fire Chief's Salary | 500.00 |
| Misc. | 996.59 |
| County Dues | 110.00 |
| Gas & Oil | 790.17 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 13,426.21 |

Monson Fire Equipment Fund

| | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Balance, Feb. 1, 1981 | \$ 10,895.34 | |
| Appropriated | 4,106.44 | |
| Rec. - Monson Fire Dept. | <u>306.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 15,307.78 |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ 15,307.78 | |

Dog Account

| | | |
|------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1981 | 68.93 | |
| Rec'd From Town Clerk | <u>66.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 134.93 |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ 134.93 | |

Dog Warden

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 50.00 | |
| Appropriation | <u>365.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 415.00 |
| Expended: | | |
| John Erickson, Dog Warden | \$ 171.00 | |
| Bal. to Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>244.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 415.00 |

Monson Solid Waste

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Appropriation | | \$ 150.00 |
| Expended: | | |
| Poison | \$ 135.00 | |
| Balance to Summary | <u>15.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 150.00 |

Insurance

| | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 10,000.00 | |
| Nursery School | 56.00 | |
| MMA, Refund, Workmen's Comp | 441.00 | |
| Registration Fees | <u>777.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 11,274.00 |

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Expended: | |
| Hospital & Medical Group | \$ 1,419.95 |
| Special Multi-Peril of Town | 481.00 |
| Social Security | 2,128.53 |
| Maine State Retirement | 862.07 |
| Workmen's Comp. | 150.01 |
| Money & Securities & Bonds | 77.00 |
| Vehicles | 1,366.00 |
| Bal. to Summary | <u>1,759.14</u> |
| | \$ 11,274.00 |

Town Power

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 6,200.00 |
| Received, Moosehead Mfg. Pump | 52.30 |
| Overdraft to Summary | <u>55.76</u> |
| | \$ 6,308.06 |

| | |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Expended: | |
| Water Street, Pump | \$ 177.18 |
| Street Lights | 5,078.60 |
| Kineo Shed | 89.96 |
| Main Street | <u>962.32</u> |
| | \$ 6,308.06 |

Municipal Building Note

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 1,750.00 |
| Expended: N.E. Bank of Guilford | \$ 1,750.00 |

Municipal Building Interest

| | |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 500.00 |
| Overdraft to Summary | <u>11.55</u> |
| | \$ 511.55 |
| N.E. Bank of Guilford | \$ 511.55 |

General Assistance

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 2,000.00 |
| Rec'd - Xmas Donation for Needy | 50.00 |
| Appropriation from Surplus | <u>1,123.77</u> |
| | \$ 3,173.77 |

| | | |
|--------------------|----|-----------------|
| Expended: | | |
| Case No. 1 | \$ | 25.00 |
| Case No. 2 | | 20.00 |
| Case No. 3 | | 9.48 |
| Case No. 4 | | 36.95 |
| Case No. 5 | | 84.00 |
| Case No. 6 | | 4.53 |
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1982 | | <u>2,993.81</u> |
| | \$ | 3,173.77 |

Summer Highways

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|----|-----------------|-----------|
| Appropriated from Surplus | \$ | 2,800.00 | |
| 1981-82 Excise | | 6,675.24 | |
| Received: Misc. | | 20.00 | |
| Culverts | | 3,382.49 | |
| Wages Credited to Winter Roads | | <u>1,200.00</u> | |
| | \$ | | 14,077.73 |

| | | | |
|----------------------------|----|-----------------|-----------|
| Expended: | | | |
| Clarence Pratt, Labor | \$ | 6,229.50 | |
| Timothy Smith, Labor Co-Op | | 91.80 | |
| Gas & Oil | | 1,131.58 | |
| Culverts | | 3,587.69 | |
| Sand & Gravel | | 120.60 | |
| Supplies | | 11.13 | |
| Cold Patch | | 447.17 | |
| Grading & Backhoe | | 715.00 | |
| Misc. | | <u>1,743.26</u> | |
| | \$ | | 14,077.73 |

Winter Highways

| | | | |
|----------------------------|----|------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation from Surplus | \$ | 2,800.00 | |
| Received, Misc. | | 280.44 | |
| Received, Excise Taxes | | <u>20,179.46</u> | |
| | \$ | | 23,259.90 |

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|-----------------|-----------|
| Expended: | | | |
| Clarence Pratt, Labor | \$ | 7,877.27 | |
| Tim Smith, Labor | | 270.30 | |
| Gas & Oil | | 1,955.29 | |
| Sand | | 404.60 | |
| Salt & Calcium | | 2,353.95 | |
| Misc. | | 834.50 | |
| Bal. to Summary | | <u>9,563.99</u> | |
| | \$ | | 23,259.90 |

Highway Equipment

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | | \$ 24,944.24 |
| Expended: | | |
| Repairs, Bucket Loader | 305.71 | |
| Bal. Carried to 1982 | <u>\$ 24,593.53</u> | |
| | | \$ 24,944.24 |

Surface Treatment

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 3,348.00 | |
| Appropriated from Rev. Sharing | <u>1,652.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 5,000.00 |
| Bal. to 1982 | \$ 5,000.00 | |

Snowplowing

| | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 9,179.33 | |
| Appropriated from Rev. Sharing | 13,500.00 | |
| Rec. Treas., State of Maine | 7,545.00 | |
| Rec. Treas., State of Maine: | | |
| State Inventory Tax | 4,047.77 | |
| Tree Growth Tax | 2,006.74 | |
| 1982 Fed. Rev. Sharing | <u>680.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 36,958.84 |
| Expended: | | |
| Farrin Bros. & Smith | 22,698.00 | |
| Balance to 1982 | <u>14,260.84</u> | |
| | | \$ 36,958.84 |

State Aid Roads

| | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 14,151.00 | |
| Appropriated from Surplus | <u>7,164.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 21,315.00 |
| Balance to 1982 | \$ 21,315.00 | |

Common Schools

Appropriated to S.A.D. No. 68 \$ 97,851.91
Expended:
Treas., S.A.D. No. 68 \$ 97,851.91

Monson Public Library

Appropriated \$ 600.00
Rec'd Treas., State of Maine 102.00
\$ 702.00

Expended:
Wayne Huff, Treas. \$ 702.00

Summer-Winter Recreation

Appropriation \$ 750.00
Bal. Jan. 31, 1981 756.20
Rec.: Snowsled Refunds 540.00
 Dover Kiwanis 335.00
 Fire Dept. 148.80
 Moosehead Kiwanis 150.00
 Misc. 1,555.01
\$ 4,235.01

Expended:
Advertising 12.38
Roller Day 615.55
Summer & Beach Program 1,174.26
Lakewood 207.80
Field Day 207.46
Little League 119.95
Harvest Dance 521.76
Penny Fair 17.00
Snowsled Refunds 270.00
Misc. 132.97
Carried to 1982 955.88
\$ 4,235.01

Memorial Day

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|--------|--|
| Appropriated | \$ | 250.00 | |
| Expended: Legion Post No. 116 | \$ | 250.00 | |

Cemeteries

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----|-----------------|-------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ | 527.51 | |
| Received, Misc. | | 41.00 | |
| Interest on Investments | | <u>3,728.90</u> | |
| | | | \$ 4,297.41 |

Expended:

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|---------------|-------------|
| Sexton, Philip Knight | \$ | 3,500.00 | |
| Misc. - Bond Charge | | 10.00 | |
| Bal. to 1982 | | <u>787.41</u> | |
| | | | \$ 4,297.41 |

Petty Cash

| | | | |
|------------------|----|-------|--|
| January 31, 1981 | \$ | 50.00 | |
| January 31, 1982 | \$ | 50.00 | |

**Town of Monson
U. S. Federal Revenue Sharing**

| | | | |
|--------------------|----|--------------|-----------|
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ | 726.94 | |
| Interest Earned | | <u>43.62</u> | |
| | | | \$ 770.56 |
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ | 770.56 | |

Soldier's Monument

| | | | |
|------------------------|----|--------------|----------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ | 31.56 | |
| Interest Earned | | <u>32.21</u> | |
| | | | \$ 63.77 |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ | 63.77 | |

Honor Roll

| | | | |
|------------------------|----|--------------|----------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ | 48.79 | |
| Interest Earned | | <u>49.22</u> | |
| | | | \$ 98.01 |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ | 98.01 | |

Monson Better Health Association

| | | | |
|------------------------|----|---------------|-------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ | 1,218.43 | |
| Interest Earned | | <u>522.95</u> | |
| | | | \$ 1,741.38 |
| Invested | \$ | 1,000.00 | |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | | <u>741.38</u> | |
| | | | \$ 1,741.38 |

Monson Senior Citizens

| | | |
|-------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated | \$ | 200.00 |
| Expended: Maila Korsman | | 200.00 |

Older American Center

| | | |
|---|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 200.00 |
| Expended: West Piscataquis Older American Center | \$ | 200.00 |

Monson Housing Corporation

| | | |
|-----------------|----|----------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 3,500.00 |
| Balance to 1982 | \$ | 3,500.00 |

Monson Gym

| | | | |
|-----------------|----|--------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 1,000.00 | |
| Expended: | | | |
| S.A.D. No. 68 | \$ | 942.53 | |
| Bal. to Summary | | <u>57.47</u> | |
| | | | \$ 1,000.00 |

SEN-CIT

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 100.00 |
| Expended: | | |
| Eastern Task Force on Aging | \$ | 100.00 |

Penquis C.A.P.

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 500.00 |
| Expended: Penquis C.A.P., Inc. | \$ | 500.00 |

Homemaker Health Agency

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 200.00 |
| Expended: Homemaker Health Agency | \$ | 200.00 |

Charlotte White Center

| | | |
|------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 377.00 |
| Expended: | | |
| Charlotte White Center | \$ | 377.00 |

Penobscot Valley Regional Planning Comm.

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 123.56 |
| Expended: | | |
| Penobscot Valley Regional Plan. Comm. | \$ | 123.56 |

Tax Lien Cost

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|---------------|--------|
| Collected | | \$ | 505.00 |
| Expended: | | | |
| Quit Claim | \$ | 6.00 | |
| Discharges | | 97.00 | |
| 30-Day Lien & Postage | | 50.49 | |
| Recording Tax Liens | | 72.00 | |
| Transfers | | 69.50 | |
| Bal. to Summary | | <u>210.01</u> | |
| | | \$ | 505.00 |

Chapin Trust Fund

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 1,013.02 | |
| Interest Earned | <u>369.16</u> | |
| | | \$ 1,382.18 |

| | | |
|--------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Invested 4/28/81 | \$ 1,000.00 | |
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>382.18</u> | |
| | | \$ 1,382.18 |

Wentworth Trust Fund

| | | |
|------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 162.10 | |
| Interest Earned | <u>69.67</u> | |
| | | \$ 231.77 |

| | | |
|--------------------|-----------|--|
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1982 | \$ 231.77 | |
|--------------------|-----------|--|

Town Savings Account No. 5-1108

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Balance Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 1,908.88 | |
| Interest Earned | 101.03 | |
| C.D. Interest Credited to Account | <u>2,774.41</u> | |
| | | \$ 4,784.32 |

| | | |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Invested | \$ 2,000.00 | |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>2,784.32</u> | |
| | | \$ 4,784.32 |

Town Savings Account No. 14-418680-7

| | | |
|------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 53,280.78 | |
| Interest Earned | 1,793.30 | |
| C.D. and Interest | <u>10,000.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 65,626.41 |

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Trans. from Savings to Checking | \$ 29,262.50 | |
| Expended: Certificate of Deposit | 20,000.00 | |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>16,363.91</u> | |
| | | \$ 65,626.41 |

Perpetual Care

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 3,513.76 | |
| Interest Earned | 185.51 | |
| New Perpetual Care | <u>600.00</u> | |
| | | \$ 4,299.27 |

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Invested | 3,500.00 | |
| Expended to Cemeteries | 103.35 | |
| Bal. to Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>695.92</u> | |
| | | \$ 4,299.27 |

Rebecca Julia Crafts Sheridan

| | | |
|------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 240.04 | |
| Interest Earned | <u>87.71</u> | |
| | | \$ 327.75 |

| | | |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Invested | 200.00 | |
| Bal. Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>127.75</u> | |
| | | \$ 327.75 |

School Administerial Account

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 365.32 | |
| Interest Earned | <u>136.54</u> | |
| | | \$ 501.86 |

| | | |
|------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| Invested | 300.00 | |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>201.86</u> | |
| | | \$ 501.86 |

County Tax

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$ 12,152.40 |
| Expended: Treas. Piscataquis County | 12,152.40 |

Overlay

| | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Commitment | | \$ 5,920.85 |
| Expended: | | |
| 1981 Tax Discount | \$ 2,139.35 | |
| 1981 Tax Abatements | 1,395.95 | |
| 1981 Taxes | 19.65 | |
| 1980 Taxes - Refund | 119.62 | |
| 1980 Tax Lien | 208.89 | |
| 1979 Tax Lien | 208.89 | |
| Bal. to Summary | <u>1,828.50</u> | |
| | \$ 5,920.85 | |

Town of Monson Surplus

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1981 | \$ 48,405.26 | |
| Balance of Accounts | 14,354.51 | |
| To Correct Posting Error | <u>30.17</u> | |
| | | \$ 62,789.94 |
| Appropriation | \$ 13,887.77 | |
| Balance, Jan. 31, 1982 | <u>48,902.17</u> | |
| | | \$ 62,789.94 |

Municipal Notes, Town of Monson

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Balance of Note with N. E. Bank of Guilford Town Hall | \$ 10,500.00 |
|---|--------------|

Registration Fees

| | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Collected | | \$ 20,351.50 |
| Expended: Sec. of State MVD | 19,574.50 | |
| Balance to Insurance Acct. | <u>777.00</u> | |
| | \$ 20,351.50 | |

Summary of Accounts

| | Unexpended | Overdraft |
|--------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| 1981 Supp. Taxes | \$ 710.20 | |
| 1978 Tax Liens | .01 | |
| Monson Solid Waste | 15.00 | |
| Insurance | 1,759.14 | |
| Highways - Winter Roads | 9,563.99 | |
| Monson Gym | 57.47 | |
| Tax Lien Cost | 210.01 | |
| Overlay | 1,828.50 | |
| Misc. Charge | 1,434.15 | |
| | | |
| 1979 Tax Liens | | \$.02 |
| General Government | | 93.67 |
| Town Hall Expense | | 714.83 |
| Monson Fire Dept. | | 348.13 |
| Town Power | | 55.76 |
| Municipal Bldg. Interest | | 11.55 |
| | | |
| 1981 Unexpended | \$ 15,578.47 | |
| | | |
| 1981 Overdraft | 1,223.96 | |
| | | |
| Balance to Surplus | \$ 14,354.51 | |

Report of the Town Manager

TO THE SELECTMEN AND CITIZENS OF MONSON

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I submit my first full years report as your Town Manager. It has been my priviledge to serve with dedicated and concerned people who are devoted to making Monson a Community to work and live in. To John Pullen, Donna Lowell, Walter Mahieux, "Gina" Reed, "Socky" Pratt, thanks for all your help this past year and Congratulations for a job well done. I wish to take this time also to thank those Citizens of Monson who have helped me get to know Monson and some of its History.

We are in a sound financial position with some \$48,000 in our Surplus Account and only 8% of our Tax Commitment for 1981 remains to be collected. We were able to realize \$3500 more than anticipated from our investments. We cut our Insurance cost around \$1800 by putting it out to bid. These improvements along with the removal of the Old Garage on Wilkens St., the formation of the plans for a Public Boat Landing on Monson Pond, plus a real successful Summer Recreation Program can only instill the feeling that Monson is well and healthy, and moving ahead!

There are however a few hurdles yet to jump. To name a few: there is the Trash Disposal Problem, the maintaining of the Gym once it is returned to the Town, the taking over of eleven and a half miles of State-Aid roads to maintain from now on, the continuous increase in your County Tax as well as an 8% to a 10% increase yearly in School cost. All of these are going to mean more money to raise in the future. That total amount will be up to you, the Citizens of Monson! Its your future, its your Town, its your Community, its your money that you are voting to spend. Become involved! Both the Town Budget Committee Meeting and the Annual Town Meeting are places that offer you an opportunity to express yourself. Take advantage of this and attend both meetings. The results of the recent Budget Committee Meeting means the increase for 1982 will be between eleven and fifteen percent. The final figure cannot be tallied until we know the results of our Kineo Pit negotiations. The tentative Mill Rate shows an increase of about one and a half Mills.

It should be an interesting year, 1982, one that will show us the direction we will be taking for some years to come. I'm confident that we can meet these challenges. Again my thanks for allowing me to serve you and be a part of Monson.

Respectfully submitted,
RUEL P. CROSS, TOWN MANAGER

Fire Chief's Report

I respectfully submit the following account of fire calls answered January 1, 1981 - January 1, 1982 to the citizens of Monson:

| | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Chimney Fires | 21 |
| Building Fires | 3 |
| Calls to the Town Dump | 10 |
| Vehicle Fires | 2 |
| Forest Fires | 1 |
| Mutual Aid Calls | (To Greenville) 2 |
| Brush Fire | 1 |
| Gas Spill | 1 |

54 wrong numbers and 10 calls where the caller hung up without answering were recorded. Total hours spent on fire fighting activities were 467. The department responded to 4 fires in Blanchard, 2 fires in Willimantic, and 1 in Ellitsville. Drills were held twice a month totaling 600 hours plus 2 men on duty Sunday afternoons for 3 hours totaling 192 hours.

The Fire Department acquired a ¾ ton International by the men, fund raising activities, a utility body was built and the unit put into service at no cost to the Town.

Future work to update the department includes renovation and extension of the hydrant system, purchase of equipment to comply with OSHA regulations.

Money raising projects included the Baked Bean Supper, Calendar Program, and an Auction.

Public Service projects (250 hrs.) included the Bar-B-Que, Santa Claus Party, cellars pumped during spring floods, grass burned, lighting the town hall for Christmas, flooding the skating rink, and hosting a mini-muster for area fire departments.

Your Fire Chief,
COLLIN BICKFORD

Library Report

Our monthly circulation averages between 500-600 books. The canceling of the state bookmobile, which visited the library every four months, is sadly missed.

This year the library has accessioned 275 books. Seventy-one of these are new children's books. Mary Nelson has donated a twenty volume Time-Life Wild Wild Animal series and a five volume American Wilderness series. The Milo Library donated a discarded set of Encyclopedia Americana and a ten volume set of Popular Science.

One hundred and thirty-five non-fiction books were borrowed from the Bangor Public Library. Over three hundred fiction books were loaned to us from Thompson Free Public Library in Dover-Foxcroft.

Once again our library was open twenty-five hours a week during the summer by a SYEP person, Susan Bishop.

The Library Trustees and Officers are as follows:

President - Constance MacPherson
Vice-President - Van Wentworth
Secretary - Viola Michele
Treasurer - Wayne Huff
Auditor - James Durham

Trustees:

Carolyn Durham
Martha Viik
James Durham

Laura Thompson
Vivienne Bray

Respectfully submitted,
VAN WENTWORTH, Librarian

**MONSON PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY
FINANCIAL REPORT, 1981**

| | |
|--|------------|
| Cash on hand - Feb. 2, 1981 | \$ 1715.39 |
| Bangor Savings | 1380.75 |
| N.E. Bank of Guilford | 334.64 |
| | |
| Income from Feb. 2, 1981 to Feb. 2, 1982 | |
| Moosehead Mfg. Co. | 800.00 |
| State Aid | 102.00 |
| Gift - Marion Tatum | 15.00 |
| Sale of Books | 10.00 |
| Town of Monson | 600.00 |
| Savings Account - Interest | 75.65 |
| Leon Savage Trust Fund | 128.11 |
| Gifts in memory of John F. Durham | |
| Margaret Stone | 10.00 |
| Faye & Stetson Hills | 10.00 |
| Barbara & James Morizzo | 10.00 |
| Melanie & Wayne Huff | 100.00 |
| Mrs. Carolyn Durham | 1000.00 |
| | \$ 2860.76 |
| | |
| Expenses from Feb. 2, 1981 to Feb. 2, 1982 | |
| Books & Magazines | 824.33 |
| Supplies | 49.40 |
| Insurance | 68.00 |
| P.O. Box Rent | 7.00 |
| | \$ 948.73 |
| | |
| Net Gain from Feb. 2, 1981 to Feb. 2, 1982 | \$ 1912.03 |
| | |
| Cash on Hand Feb. 2, 1982 | \$ 3627.42 |
| | |
| Bangor Savings | \$ 2156.50 |
| N. E. Bank of Guilford | \$ 1470.92 |

Attached is a financial statement of the Library for the year Feb. 2, 1981 to Feb. 2, 1982. This was probably the most outstanding year for income due to many factors which occurred perhaps for this yearly period only.

In the beginning Mrs. Van Wentworth declined to further accept her Librarian's salary of \$500.00 in hopes that more books could be purchased recognizing, at today's prices of \$15 to \$20 per book, few books were being purchased because of budget restraints.

The citizens of Monson voted to increase the Town appropriation from \$500 to \$600.

The Leon Savage Trust Fund, set up in memory of his wife to assist the Library, resulted in an income of \$128.11.

In memory of John F. Durham, a long time private contributor to the Library, gifts were received amounting to \$1130.00 as shown on the statement.

The Moosehead Mfg. Co., an annual doner, provided \$400 in February of 1981 and another \$400 in January of 1982. The second donation is intended for 1982, but since it was received in January of 1981 before our books closed has to be shown as income for 1981.

Respectfully submitted,

WAYNE HUFF, TREASURER

Monson Planning Board

February 1982

The Monson Planning Board met in March for election of officers. Shawn Nelson was elected Chairman and Jeanne Reed Secretary.

At the March 1981 Town Meeting a favorable vote was cast for the Planning Board to formulate a Hazardous and Radioactive Waste Disposal Ordinance. Copies of the proposed ordinance will be available at the Town Meeting with the date to be announced for the Public Hearing.

A detailed parking ordinance was tabled for a future date as the Board felt that the article in the Annual Town Warrant concerning night parking on Main Street and town ways for snow removal purposes was sufficient at this time.

The Board decided to have an article presented to the Townspeople in the 1982 Town Warrant to see if they felt an ordinance for the zoning of farm animals within town limits was welcomed and needed for the town.

Code Enforcement Officer, Lloyd G. Kelley issued 19 building permits in 1981.

Once again, the Board felt it advisable to make "special" mention of our list of requirements for anyone planning to build in Monson. Please take note this includes not only building a new home, but new additions such as decks, porches, woodsheds, relocating buildings, etc. Copies of these requirements are available at the Town Office along with copies of the Building Code and Shoreland Zoning Ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeanne B. Reed
Secretary

Monson Utilities Report

WATER DEPARTMENT REPORT FOR 1981

The Water District had a minimum of problems during the year. One pump at the Reservoir had to be replaced along with some new pipe. Work was done by the Board members. At the last Town Meeting, Gordon Reed was elected to the Board for a term of five years. Andy Lowell was elected Chairman and Rick Pembroke was elected Secretary. The Board appointed Ruel Cross Treasurer. It was a year of few problems. As soon as we can, a certified operator must be appointed. Erwin Burgess is temporarily filling this position. Collections were good and there is an outstanding balance of \$845.31 due on the new service hookup account. Our first payment to FMHA has been made. In the coming year we hope to lay plans for future development.

Respectfully submitted,

MONSON UTILITIES DISTRICT

Andy Lowell, Chairman
Jere LaPointe
Socky Pratt
Rick Pembroke
Mike Reed

MONSON UTILITIES DISTRICT

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|----|-----------------|--------------|
| Beginning Bal. Jan. 1, 1981 | \$ | 4,199.74 | |
| Residential Sales | | 14,625.55 | |
| Commercial Sales | | 301.63 | |
| Sewer Reimb. | | 829.75 | |
| Highway Opening Reimb. | | 1,230.00 | |
| New Service Account | | 1,660.42 | |
| Sales Tax | | 14.54 | |
| Northeast Bank of Guilford | | <u>7,225.53</u> | |
| | | | \$ 30,087.16 |

Expenditures:

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|-----------------|--|
| Loan Payment | \$ | 8,150.00 | |
| Rent | | 150.00 | |
| Misc. Supplies & Equipment | | 1,347.39 | |
| Maine Water Assoc. | | 20.00 | |
| Central Maine Power | | 1,889.43 | |
| Billing | | 192.00 | |
| Sales Tax | | 18.60 | |
| Sewer Study | | 1,950.00 | |
| Office Supplies | | 75.34 | |
| Repair | | 200.00 | |
| Postage | | 91.31 | |
| Purifications | | 75.00 | |
| Ruel Cross | | 600.00 | |
| Clarence Pratt | | 600.00 | |
| Robert Lander, Insurance (Bond) | | 101.00 | |
| Bryant Brown Sr. (PUC Report) | | 100.00 | |
| Northeast Bank of Guilford | | 13,000.00 | |
| | | | |
| Total Expenditures: | \$ | 28,560.07 | |
| | | | |
| Balance, December 31, 1981 | | <u>1,527.09</u> | |
| | \$ | 30,087.16 | |

Sexton's Report

I respectfully submit the following report for 1981.

There were fourteen burials. We sold one (1) lot this past year. There were four new perpetual care lots. There are going to be eleven new lots for sale in the Hillside Cemetery this coming summer. \$3500.00 was spent for the care and maintenance of the three cemeteries. The following is an accounting of where the monies were spent.

| | |
|------------|----------------|
| Gas..... | 80.00 |
| Oil..... | 20.00 |
| Loam..... | 72.00 |
| Misc..... | 100.00 |
| Labor..... | <u>3228.00</u> |
| | \$ 3500.00 |

Your Friendly Sexton,

PHILIP W. KNIGHT

Recreation Committee Report 1981

For the past successful year the Monson Recreation Committee would like to thank the people of Monson for their support and especially the following:

Tarun Johns for running the summer swim and summer recreation program.

George Jennison for heading up little league.

Jake Smith for being our snow master on Snow Roller Day.

The Firemen and the Fireman's Auxiliary for holding the barbeque on Field Day and participating in the basketball game on Snow Roller Day.

The Monson Woman's Club for providing their expertise on the Snow Roller Day supper.

Donations were gratefully received from the following:

The Monson Fire Department Auction
The Dover Kiwanis
The Moosehead Kiwanis
Jim Durham for all types of donations.

To Ruel Cross for his time and effort and our honorary member, Gina Reed, who we cannot visualize doing without.

To Andy Lowell for all his help especially to him and the Fire Department for plowing and flooding Lake Hebron for ice skating and Snow Roller Day.

This past year we enjoyed a trip to Lakewood to see "The Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens. We had a record number of adults volunteer to go with us and a full bus.

We enjoyed four different films at the gym and at the community hall dining area.

We held a Harvest Dance with Wayne and Company.

We contributed to the Monson Elementary School Penny Fair and helped provide helium for the balloons.

To the Narrowgauge Riders Snowmobile Club, many thanks for all of your help on the games and activities on Snow Roller and Field Days.

At this time we would like to say thank you to Nancy Douglass Kelley who is leaving the board. She has given so much of her time to making the efforts of the Rec. Comm. run so smoothly as our chairman. Nancy, your years on our committee have enhanced our board greatly.

To Socky Pratt for all your help above and beyond the call of duty.

Nancy Kelley
George Jennison
Donna Lowell
Ruel Cross
Tarun Johns
Alice Moore

Monson Senior Citizens

The Monson Senior Citizens have had luncheons in Monson for 3½ years. Attendance has been very good with an average of 25 at each luncheon. We didn't have to cancel any as the weather was in our favor.

We were fortunate to have many speakers who spoke to us about new Social Security laws, benefits, and some of the problems that Senior Citizens were having about home care.

Dr. Fichtner and Dr. DuBien spoke to us about health care and announced that they were going to be in Monson on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

A Christmas party was held with exchange of gifts. All of the stores in Monson donated prizes. Prizes were won by Mr. & Mrs. Brooke and Mr. & Mrs. Harris.

The Senior Citizens of Monson wish to thank the Town of Monson for their donation.

Respectfully submitted,

MAILA KORSMAN

Monson Housing Corporation

February 1982

The Monson Housing Corporation held their second Annual Meeting on June 10th, 1981, with 24 members present. Elected to serve a three year term were Bernie Poole, Vivian Bartlett, and Dwain Allen.

Since our last report, we had submitted two more applications to FHA which were rejected as a result of their "priority rating" and due to the financial cuts in the new administration.

The Board also inquired about a H.U.D. Program called Section 202. This program presented a great deal of risk with monies appropriated at town meetings for the Housing Corporation and therefore was voted down by the Board.

In August, we explored the possibilities of another means of financing with the Bay View Corporation, a Portland based development firm, who in turn would seek private funds for financing the Housing Project. At this time, funding is not available, but may be in the near future.

Our progress has been drastically slow, however, the Board will continue to explore all avenues available for financing. This year the Housing Board is not requesting any monies to be raised at Town Meeting as our original costs are still only estimated figures. We appreciate your continued support.

The Monson Housing Corporation's Third Annual Meeting will be held on June 9, 1982, at 7 P.M. in the Municipal Building.

Respectfully submitted,

JEANNE B. REED, PRESIDENT
ROBERT B. BROWN, VICE—PRES.
DAGMAR GREENLEAF, SECRETARY
JAMES WENTWORTH, TREASURER
DOROTHY HOLMBOM
CLARENCE TURNER
BERNADINE POOLE
VIVIAN BARTLETT
DWAIN ALLEN

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State Representative: Donald M. Hall
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Telephone: 564-2787

Capitol Address: House of Representatives, State House, Augusta,
Maine 04333
Telephone: 289-2866

Report from Legislature to the Citizens of Monson

The second session of the 110th Legislature is now meeting to consider emergency bills and proposals of the Governor.

Severe cutbacks in federal funds for Maine and continued inflation make this a very difficult year for all of us. I need to hear your opinions on issues and proposed laws of concern to you.

Notices of legislative hearings and copies of all bills can be sent by me to our Town officials every week. Please call me at home at 564-2787 or at the State House (toll free) 1-800-452-4601. Your comments are welcomed and appreciated.

Also please contact me if I can help you to get information or services from state government departments or local agencies.

Sincerely,



Donald M. Hall
State Representative

Town Clerk's Report

January 1, 1981 - December 31, 1981

BIRTHS

| NAME | PLACE OF BIRTH |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Laura Lee Brown | Waterville, Maine |
| Andrea Lynn Kelley | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Aaron James Blanchard | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Brock Jarred Starbird | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Dustin Gregory Lander | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Katrina Ann Belmont | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Brian Harlan Gaudet | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Tara Lee Erickson | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Lindsay Anne Ulman | Bangor, Maine |
| Davan Joyce Clawson | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Aaron Paul Suomi | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |

DEATHS

| NAME | PLACE OF DEATH |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Elizabeth E. Davis | Bangor, Maine |
| Edwin A. Holmbom | Guilford, Maine |
| Floyd R. Strout | Dexter, Maine |
| Into M. Suomi | Monson, Maine |
| Corinne T. Suomi | Waterville, Maine |
| Fred F. Finley | Waterville, Maine |
| Alice Howard | Monson, Maine |
| John F. Durham | Dover-Foxcroft, Maine |
| Alice S. Wilcox | Monson, Maine |

MARRIAGES

Lloyd R. Kelley to Nancy A. Douglass
Michael C. Heath to Marilyn L. Kenyon
Elwin L. Burton to Joyce A. Thackery
Mark R. Lewis to Judy R. Johnson
Stephen D. Bubar to Robin L. Turner
Myron W. Zimmerman to Virginia A. Church

Respectfully submitted,

JEANNE B. REED
Town Clerk

Bryant M. Brown & Associates, P.A.
Public Accountants and Auditors
114 Maine Street
Brunswick, ME 04011
725-8574

February 10, 1982

Board of Selectmen
Town of Monson
Monson, Maine 04464

Gentlemen:

We have examined the financial records of the Town of Monson in compliance with Title 30, Revised Statutes, Section 5253 of the State of Maine. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards as applied to municipal accounting and accordingly included such tests as we considered necessary in the circumstances, except as noted in the following paragraph.

The Town of Monson, like most small Maine towns, does not maintain a record of general fixed assets.

In our opinion, considering the preceding paragraph, the accompanying comparative balance sheet and related statements of operation and unappropriated surplus present fairly the financial position of the Town of Monson, Maine at January 31, 1982 and the results of the operation of the General Funds and other funds for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Respectfully submitted,

BRYANT M. BROWN

COMMENTS

The Town of Monson continues to invest idle funds into high yield certificates which is good financial planning.

We do not elaborate on the various account balances as we consider the audit report which is on file at the municipal office as self-explanatory.

Monthly and year-end trial balances are prepared which is very helpful. We take this opportunity to express our appreciation to the Manager and all personnel for the treatment afforded us during our examination.

BALANCE SHEET

1982

JANUARY 31,

1982

1981

FUND**Liabilities - Reserves - Surplus**

| Liabilities & reserves: | \$ | \$ | \$ |
|-------------------------------|----|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Departmental balances carried | | 91,816.86 | 61,502.93 |
| Surplus: | | | |
| Unappropriated | | <u>48,902.17</u> | <u>48,405.26</u> |
| Total General Fund | | <u><u>140,719.03</u></u> | <u><u>109,908.19</u></u> |

FUND**Liabilities**

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Note payable Northeast Bank | | <u>10,500.00</u> | <u>12,250.00</u> |
| Total Debt Fund | | <u><u>10,500.00</u></u> | <u><u>12,250.00</u></u> |

SPECIAL FUNDS**Trust Funds**

| | | | |
|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Principal - time deposits | 423.20 | | 1,343.20 |
| Unexpended income | 1,078.19 | | 3,617.28 |
| Principal - securities & certificates | <u>57,200.00</u> | <u>58,701.39</u> | <u>57,200.00</u> |
| | | | <u>62,160.48</u> |

Special Fund

| | | | |
|------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Special reserves | 4,498.12 | | 4,219.57 |
| Honor Roll | <u>98.01</u> | <u>4,596.13</u> | <u>48.79</u> |
| | | | <u>4,268.36</u> |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Total Trust & Special Funds | | <u><u>63,297.52</u></u> | <u><u>66,428.84</u></u> |
|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|

J A N U A R Y 3 1,
1982 1981

GENERAL

| Assets | \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ |
|----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------------|
| Cash on hand and in banks: | | | | |
| Checking | 15,081.75 | | 11,058.58 | |
| Petty | 50.00 | | 50.00 | |
| Savings & certificates | <u>111,363.91</u> | 126,495.66 | <u>88,280.78</u> | 99,389.36 |
| Taxes - uncollected | 13,008.03 | | | 8,342.20 |
| - prepayments | (1,464.72) | 11,543.31 | | |
| Tax liens | | <u>2,680.06</u> | | <u>2,176.63</u> |
| Total General Fund | | <u><u>140,719.03</u></u> | | <u><u>109,908.19</u></u> |

DEBT

| | | | | |
|---|--|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| Amount necessary to retire debt from future revenues | | <u>10,500.00</u> | | <u>12,250.00</u> |
| Total Debt Fund | | <u><u>10,500.00</u></u> | | <u><u>12,250.00</u></u> |

TRUST AND

| | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| Trust Fund Assets | | | | |
| Securities & Certificates | 57,200.00 | | 57,200.00 | |
| Time Deposits | 1,501.39 | <u>58,701.39</u> | 4,960.48 | <u>62,160.48</u> |
| Special Fund Assets | | | | |
| Time Deposits | | <u>4,596.13</u> | | <u>4,268.36</u> |
| Total Trust and Special Funds | | <u><u>63,297.52</u></u> | | <u><u>66,428.84</u></u> |

EXHIBIT C

**TOWN OF MONSON
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN UNAPPROPRIATED SURPLUS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JANUARY 31, 1982**

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|-----------|-------------------------|
| Balance January 31, 1981 | \$ | \$ | 48,405.26 |
| Addition: | | | |
| Departmental balances | | 14,354.52 | |
| Cash adjustments | | 28.31 | |
| Tax adjustments | | 1.85 | 14,384.68 |
| | | | <u>62,789.94</u> |
| Reductions: | | | |
| Municipal transfers | | | <u>13,887.77</u> |
| Balance January 31, 1982 - Exhibit A | | | <u><u>48,902.17</u></u> |

TOWN OF MONSON

STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS

FOR THE YEARENDED JANUARY 31, 1982

| | Balances Carried | \$ | Approp. | \$ | Other Credits | \$ | Total Available | Expenditure and Debits | \$ | Balances Lapsed to Surplus | Balances Carried to Balance Sheet |
|--------------------------------|------------------|----|------------------|----|-----------------|----|------------------|------------------------|----|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| GENERAL GOVERNMENT: | | \$ | | \$ | | \$ | | | \$ | | \$ |
| Town charges | | | 15,000.00 | | 5,903.26 | | 20,903.26 | 20,996.93 | | (93.67) | |
| Miscellaneous charges | | | 3,000.00 | | 2,613.10 | | 5,613.10 | 4,178.95 | | 1,434.15 | |
| Town Hall expense | | | | | 1,438.55 | | 1,438.55 | 2,153.38 | | (714.83) | |
| | | | <u>18,000.00</u> | | <u>9,954.91</u> | | <u>27,954.91</u> | <u>27,329.26</u> | | <u>625.65</u> | |
| PROTECTION: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Solid waste facility | | | 150.00 | | | | 150.00 | 135.00 | | 15.00 | |
| Dog account | 68.93 | | | | 66.00 | | 134.93 | | | | 134.93 |
| Dog warden | 50.00 | | 365.00 | | | | 415.00 | 171.00 | | | 244.00 |
| Monson Fire Dept. | | | 8,900.00 | | 4,178.08 | | 13,078.08 | 13,426.21 | | (348.13) | |
| Fire Department equipment fund | 10,895.34 | | 4,106.44 | | 306.00 | | 15,307.78 | | | | 15,307.78 |
| Insurance | | | 10,000.00 | | 1,274.00 | | 11,274.00 | 9,514.86 | | 1,759.14 | |
| | <u>11,014.27</u> | | <u>23,521.44</u> | | <u>5,824.08</u> | | <u>40,359.79</u> | <u>23,247.07</u> | | <u>1,426.01</u> | <u>15,686.71</u> |
| HEALTH & SANITATION | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Town power | | | 6,200.00 | | 52.30 | | 6,252.30 | 6,308.06 | | (55.76) | |

| | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES: | | | | | |
| Highways - summer roads | 2,800.00 | 11,277.73 | 14,077.73 | 14,077.73 | |
| Highways - winter roads | 2,800.00 | 20,459.90 | 23,259.90 | 13,695.91 | 9,563.99 |
| Highways - equipment | 24,944.24 | | 24,944.24 | 350.71 | 24,593.53 |
| Snow plowing | 9,179.33 | 14,279.51 | 36,958.84 | 22,698.00 | 14,260.85 |
| Surface treatment | 3,348.00 | 1,652.00 | 5,000.00 | | 5,000.00 |
| State aid road | 14,151.00 | 7,164.00 | 21,315.00 | | 21,315.00 |
| | <u>48,274.57</u> | <u>47,669.14</u> | <u>125,555.71</u> | <u>50,822.35</u> | <u>9,563.99</u> |
| | | | | | <u>65,169.37</u> |
| CHARITIES: | | | | | |
| General Assistance | 2,000.00 | 1,173.77 | 3,173.77 | 176.96 | 2,993.81 |
| EDUCATION: | | | | | |
| Common schools | <u>97,851.91</u> | | <u>97,851.91</u> | <u>97,851.91</u> | |
| RECREATION: | | | | | |
| Summer-Winter recreation | 756.20 | 2,728.81 | 4,235.01 | 3,279.13 | 955.88 |
| Monson Free Public Library | 600.00 | 102.00 | 702.00 | 702.00 | |
| Monson Gym | 1,000.00 | | 1,000.00 | 942.53 | 57.47 |
| | <u>756.20</u> | <u>2,830.81</u> | <u>5,937.01</u> | <u>4,923.66</u> | <u>57.47</u> |
| | | | | | <u>955.88</u> |
| INDEBTEDNESS: | | | | | |
| Municipal Building Note | 1,750.00 | | 1,750.00 | 1,750.00 | |
| Municipal Building note interest | 500.00 | | 500.00 | 511.55 | (11.55) |
| Interest received | | 2,435.00 | 2,435.00 | 2,435.00 | |
| Tax lien cost | | 505.00 | 505.00 | 294.99 | 210.01 |
| | <u>2,250.00</u> | <u>2,940.00</u> | <u>5,190.00</u> | <u>4,991.54</u> | <u>198.46</u> |

| | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|
| CEMETERIES: | | | | | | |
| General Care | | 3,769.90 | 4,297.41 | 3,510.00 | 787.41 | |
| UNCLASSIFIED: | | | | | | |
| Memorial Day | 250.00 | | 250.00 | 250.00 | | |
| Older American Center | 200.00 | | 200.00 | 200.00 | | |
| Monson Senior Citizens | 200.00 | | 200.00 | 200.00 | | |
| Homemaker Health Agency | 200.00 | | 200.00 | 200.00 | | |
| Penobscot Valley Regional Planning | 123.56 | | 123.56 | 123.56 | | |
| Charlotte White Center | 337.00 | | 337.00 | 337.00 | | |
| Senior Citizens | 100.00 | | 100.00 | 100.00 | | |
| Penquis C.A.P. | 500.00 | | 500.00 | 500.00 | | |
| Monson Housing Corp. | 3,500.00 | | 3,500.00 | | 3,500.00 | |
| Registration Fees | | 4,936.50 | 4,936.50 | 4,936.50 | | |
| County tax | 12,152.40 | | 12,152.40 | 12,152.40 | | |
| Overlay | 5,920.85 | | 5,920.85 | 4,092.35 | 1,828.50 | |
| Savings account income | | 2,723.68 | 2,723.68 | | 2,723.68 | |
| Supplemental taxes | 710.20 | | 710.20 | | 710.20 | |
| | 24,194.01 | 7,660.18 | 31,854.19 | 23,091.81 | 2,538.70 | |
| GRAND TOTALS | 60,572.55 | 205,979.36 | 81,875.09 | 348,427.00 | 242,255.62 | 14,354.52 |
| | | | | | | 91,816.86 |

Annual Town Warrant

March 15, 1982

To Jeanne B. Reed or any other Resident in the Town of Monson, in the County of Piscataquis and the State of Maine:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town of Monson, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Monson Gym, in said town, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A.D. 1982, at seven o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year and fix his compensation.

Recommended - \$500.00

Art. 3. To choose one Selectman who will also serve as Assessor and Overseer of the Poor for three years and to fix the Board of Selectmen's compensation for the ensuing year.

Recommended - \$1,800.00

Art. 4. To choose a Town Treasurer for the ensuing year and fix his compensation.

Recommended - \$600.00

Art. 5. To choose a Fire Chief and to authorize him to form his department with complete authority over the same in behalf of the Town of Monson.

Art. 6. To choose one (1) member of the Monson Planning Board for a term of five years.

Art. 7. To choose one (1) member of the Monson Utilities District for a term of five years.

Art. 8. To choose two (2) members of the Monson Recreation Advisory Committee; one for a two year term to fill an unexpired term and one for a term of five years.

Art. 9. To choose one (1) person to serve as Director of S.A.D. No. 68 for a term of three years.

Art. 11. To choose (1) one person to serve as Director of H.A.D. No. 4 for a term of three years.

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on its behalf to sell and dispose of any Real Estate acquired by the Town for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable and to execute and deliver quit-claim deeds for such property.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to fix a time when taxes shall be due and payable.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to allow a discount and, if so, what percentage on taxes paid within 30 days after tax bills are rendered.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to charge interest at 1½% per month (18% annually) on taxes remaining unpaid September 1, 1982, with said interest to begin on the above date.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from Federal Revenue Sharing for snowplowing.

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Recommended | \$ 3,998.26 |
| Plus: Est. Reimbursements from | |
| Block Grant | 15,866.00 |
| Inventory Tax | 2,698.00 |
| Snowplowing Reimbursement | <u>7,545.00</u> |
| | \$ 30,107.26 |

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for roads and highways as follows:

| | |
|--|-----------------|
| A. Highways, general including sanding | |
| Recommended - Estimated Excise Taxes | \$ 25,000.00 |
| Surplus | <u>6,000.00</u> |
| Total | \$ 31,000.00 |

| | |
|--|----------|
| B. Surface Treatment | |
| Recommended from Federal Revenue Sharing | 5,000.00 |

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| C. Highway Equipment Fund | |
| Recommended | 5,055.76 |

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the Fire Department.

| | |
|--|-----------------|
| Recommended from Federal Revenue Sharing | \$ 9,600.00 |
| Plus: Town Contracts | <u>3,000.00</u> |
| | \$ 12,600.00 |

Art. 19. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to appropriate for Fire Equipment Fund.

| | |
|-------------|-------------|
| Recommended | \$ 4,692.22 |
|-------------|-------------|

Art. 20. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for General Government.

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Recommended | \$ 21,000.00 |
| Plus: Estimated C.D. Interest | <u>4,300.00</u> |
| Total | \$25,300.00 |

Art. 21. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Miscellaneous Charge.

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------------|
| Recommended | \$ 2,200.00 |
| Plus: Est. Del. Tax Interest | <u>1,300.00</u> |
| Total | \$3,500.00 |

Art. 22. To see what sum, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Hall Expense.

| | |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| Recommended | \$ 3,800.00 |
| Plus: Est. Rent | 1,100.00 |
| Tree Growth Reimb. | <u>2,100.00</u> |
| | \$ 7,000.00 |

Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection of persons and property as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| Recommended, Town Power | \$ 7,400.00 |
| Plus: ½ Pump Cost | <u>100.00</u> |
| | 7,500.00 |

Art. 24. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to retire the Municipal note of the Town with Northeast Bank of Guilford.

| | |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| A. New Municipal Bldg. Note | \$ 1,750.00 |
| B. Interest, Municipal Bldg. | 472.50 |

Art. 25. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the insurance protection of town properties and liabilities of the Town.

Recommended - \$10,000.00

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to transfer unexpended balances to accounts that may overdraft.

Art. 27. To see if the Town will accept the sum of \$200.00 each for perpetual care of the cemetery lots as follows:

- A. Francis Marshall (lot 9 range 24) Hillside
- B. Edwin Holmbom (lot 1 - range 10) Hillside
- C. Terry L. Johnson (lot C No. 33) Lakeroad Cemetery

Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the following accounts:

| | |
|---|-----------|
| A. Memorial Day Recommended | \$ 200.00 |
| B. Library Recommended | \$ 500.00 |
| C. Older American Center Recommended | \$ 200.00 |
| D. Penquis C.A.P. Recommended | \$ 500.00 |

| | |
|---|-----------|
| E. Home Maker Health Agency Recommended | \$ 250.00 |
| F. Penobscot Valley Reg. Planning Recommended | \$ 137.06 |
| G. Charlotte White Center Recommended | \$ 337.00 |
| H. Monson Senior Citizens Recommended | \$ 200.00 |
| I. SEN-CIT Recommended | \$ 150.00 |
| J. Maine Assoc. Conservation Comm. Recommended | \$ 25.00 |
| K. Boat Landing - Monson Pond Recommended | \$ 500.00 |
| L. C.A. Dean Ambulance Recommended | \$ 500.00 |
| M. Monson Senior Citizens Nursing Care Recommended | \$ 100.00 |

Art. 29. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $\frac{1}{4}$ of the Snowsled Refunds to the Narrow Gauge Riders Snowmobile Club.

Art. 30. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Summer-Winter Recreation.

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Recommended | \$1,000.00 |
| Plus: $\frac{3}{4}$ Snowsled Refund | |

Art. 31. To see if the Town will prohibit parking on Main Street and all town roads and ways from November 1st to April 15th between 10 P.M. and 6 A.M.

Art. 32. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Dog Warden and fix his compensation.

Recommended - \$365.00

Art. 33. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of cemeteries.

Recommended - \$1,000.00

Art. 34. To see if the Town will vote to approve the addition of a new street light on Pole No. 746 on Route 15 towards Greenville.

Art. 35. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the Town to accept the Monson Gym upon the offer of same from S.A.D. No. 68.

Art. 36. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint a five (5) member Gym Committee, one of a one year term, two for a two year term, and two for a three year term, to have the authority of operations and maintenance of the Gym.

Art. 37. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the operation and maintenance of the Monson Gym.

Recommended - \$3,000.00

Art. 38. To see if the Town will vote to request an ordinance be written in regards to the raising and housing of farm animals within town limits.

Art. 39. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen on behalf of the Town to purchase the Kineo Pit from Monson Maine Slate Co.

Art. 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Solid Waste Disposal.

Recommended - \$7,500.00

Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to rename the so-called Stage Road. Said road to be officially named the Mathews Road as of this date.

Art. 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money not to exceed \$325.00 for the purchase of the so-called Masonic Building on Main Street.

NOTICE

A veteran who will be 62 years old before April 1, must have on file with the Assessors, by April 1, an application for property tax exemption.

The registrar gives notice that he will be open regular office hours, Monday, March 15, 1982, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters. Must be registered voter of the town to vote.

Given under our hands this third day of March, A.D., 1982.

JOHN E. PULLEN
DONNA LOWELL

Selectmen of the Town of Monson

A true copy, attest:

JEANNE B. REED
Resident of the Town of Monson

Monson, March 3, 1982

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have notified and warned the voters of the Town of Monson qualified as therein expressed, to meet at the time and place and for the purposes therein named, by posting this day an attested copy of the within warrant, at the Monson Post Office, the Moosehead Mfg. Co., and the Town Hall, the same being conspicuous public places in said town.

JEANNE B. REED
Resident of Monson