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Town Of

FREEDOM

New Hampshire

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Town Officers

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For the fiscal year ending
December 31, 1961

Vital Statistics For 1961
TOWN OFFICERS
Moderator
EDWARD J. STOKES
Clerk
LILLIAN M. GODFREY
Selectmen
FRANK T. MORGAN       CHESTER W. JONES
                      ALBERT S. GODFREY
Treasurer
VERNE RAMSDELL
Tax Collector
KENNETH M. ALEXANDER
Road Agents
Watson Hill District
JOHN GODFREY
Swett Hill District
RAYMOND WILLIAMS
Trustees Trust Fund
JOHN GODFREY       PRISCILLA VESTNER
Library Trustees
GLADYS ALEXANDER    ETHEL CUNNINGHAM
                    BARBARA DUTTON
Supervisors Check List
G. COLBY WEEKS      LYLE GILES
                    MERTON SARGENT
Fire Warden
WALTER BOEWE, JR.
Constable
GEORGE COLBY WEEKS
Auditor
ALEXANDRE de ZALIWSKI
WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Freedom, N. H., in the County of Carroll, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the 13th day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects.

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of four thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars to defray town charges, consisting of town officers' salaries, town officers' expenses, election and registration, town hall expenses, and appropriate money for the same.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of six hundred dollars. Three hundred for the use of hydrants and three hundred dollars to be set aside for chlorination purposes and appropriate money for the same.

5. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one thousand dollars for street lights and appropriate money for the same.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars for
general expenses of highway department and appropriate money for the same.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars for Public Library and appropriate money for the same.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars for winter highways and appropriate money for the same.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars to be used in co-operation with State and Federal funds for the control of White Pine Blister Rust within the confines of the town.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of six hundred and forty-four dollars and forty-nine cents for class five roads and appropriate money for the same.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of five hundred dollars for town needy and appropriate money for the same.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one thousand and two hundred dollars for insurance and appropriate money for the same.

13. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one thousand six hundred dollars for old age assistance and appropriate money for the same.

14. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to help defray the
expenses of Old Home Week Celebration for August, 1962 and appropriate money for the same.

15. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of four thousand and five hundred dollars for summer highways and appropriate money for the same.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of seven hundred dollars for the fire department, four hundred dollars for maintenance and three hundred dollars for overhead door.

17. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of five hundred dollars for maintaining the town dump and appropriate money for the same.

18. To see if the town will vote to use the revenue from 1961 Severance Tax to cover any overages.

19. To see if the town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting, and make an appropriation to cover the expenses of such audit.

20. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fourteen dollars and six cents, which is 1/100 of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town; to the Lakes Region for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources for the town, in cooperation with other towns in the Lakes Region.

22. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum
of four hundred and fifty dollars for interest on long term notes and short term notes and appropriate money for the same.

23. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for Social Security and appropriate money for the same.

24. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of three thousand dollars for the grader note and appropriate money for the same.

25. To see if the town will vote to raise one hundred dollars to be given as a donation and divided between North Conway and Huggins Memorial Hospital.

26. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of six hundred dollars for the repair or replacement of the bleachers at the ball field and installation of a flag pole at the square with a flag and appropriate money for the same.

27. To see if the town will vote to raise twenty five hundred dollars to replace the Bud Harriman bridge with two, six foot culverts and appropriate money for the same.

28. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

NOTE: Since this copy of the Town Warrant is required by the printer at an earlier date than the legal Town Warrant posting date, it is not necessarily complete and therefore, the Posted Warrant may con-
tain additional articles which are not included in this publication.

Given under our hands and seal, this tenth day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty two. (Town Warrant posting date February 26, 1962)

FRANK T. MORGAN
CHESTER W. JONES
ALBERT S. GODFREY
Selectmen of Freedom

A true copy of Warrant—Attest
FRANK T. MORGAN
CHESTER W. JONES
ALBERT S. GODFREY
Selectmen of Freedom
BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF FREEDOM, N. H.


SOURCES OF REVENUE

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Income from Municipally owned Utilities:
- Dump: 103 00 100 00
- Motor Vehicle Permit Fees: 2700 00 2542 75 2400 00
- Sale of Town Property Cold Patch: 44 53

Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:
- Long Term—Grader: 12,000 00
- Short Term Notes: 22,000 00

From Local Sources Other Than Property Taxes:
- Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2: 300 00 298 00 280 00
- Yield Taxes: 300 00 728 60 425 00

Total Revenues from all Sources Except Property Taxes: $5,575 11 $48,138 19 $4,797 21
## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

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**Current Maintenance Expenses:**

**General Government:**

- **Town Officers’ Salaries**:
  - 1962: $1475 00
  - 1961: $1475 25
  - Estimated: $1500 00

- **Town Officers’ Expenses**:
  - 1962: 1000 00
  - 1961: 1169 71
  - Estimated: 1400 00

- **Election and Registration Expenses**:
  - 1962: 400 00
  - 1961: 635 09
  - Estimated: 750 00

- **Head Taxes**: 869 50

- **Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.**:
  - 1962: 1190 00
  - 1961: 1945 66
  - Estimated: 1300 00

- **Employees’ Retirement and Social Security**:
  - 1962: 225 00
  - 1961: 238 95
  - Estimated: 150 00

**Protection of Persons and Property:**

- **Fire Department and Forest Fires**:
  - 1962: 700 00
  - 1961: 645 92
  - Estimated: 700 00

- **Blister Rust & Care of Trees**:
  - 1962: 200 00
  - 1961: 200 00
  - Estimated: 200 00

- **Insurance**:
  - 1962: 1200 00
  - 1961: 1200 16
  - Estimated: 1200 00

- **Damages and Legal Expenses**:
  - 1962: 496 50
  - 1961: 496 50
  - Estimated: 496 50

- **Taxes Bought by Town**: 312 98

**Health:**

- **Health Department, Including Hospitals**: 100 00

- **Town Dump**: 400 00

**Highways and Bridges:**

- **Town Maintenance:**
  - **Summer**: 4500 00
  - **Winter**: 4500 00
  - Estimated: 4500 00

- **Highways and Bridges**: 4500 00

- **Winter**: 4500 00

- **Highways and Bridges**: 4500 00
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SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings 1,073,334 00
House Trailers, Travel Trailers
  Mobile Homes 5  6,200 00
Electric Plants 3  56,300 00
Stock in Trade 2  4,000 00
Boats and Launches 155  15,350 00
Horses, Asses and Mules 17  1,110 00
Cows 70  4,075 00
Oxen 2  100 00
Other Neat Stock 5  125 00
Sheep and Goats 18  155 00
Fowls 3800  675 00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks 5  750 00
Portable Mills 1  150 00
Total Gross Valuation before Exemptions Allowed $1,162,324 00
Less: Veterans' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind 22  21,650 00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed $1,140,674 00

ELECTRIC AND GAS UTILITY COMPANIES

Public Service Co.  $44,000 00
Central Maine Power Co.  9,000 00
R. E. A.  3,300 00
TOTAL  $56,300 00

Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans $21,650 00
Number of inventories distributed 471
Number of inventories returned 363
Number of veterans who received property exemption 22
Number of veterans exempted from poll tax 59

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

FRANK T. MORGAN
CHESTER W. JONES
ALBERT S. GODFREY

Sept. 2, 1961 Selectmen of Freedom
# STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

AND TAXES ASSESSED

For the Tax Year 1961

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Total Town Appropriations                              $24523.18
County Tax 5337 60
School Tax 26044 24

Total Town, County & School Approp. $55905 02

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits
Interest and Dividends Tax $444 90
Savings Bank Tax 53 25
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources 300 00
Dog Licenses 75 00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees 2700 00
Rent of Town Property and Equipment 40 00
Poll Taxes at $2.00—150 300 00

Revenues and Credits $3913 15

Plus Overlay 479 13

Amount to be raised by property taxes $52471 00

Taxes to be committed to Collector
Property Taxes $52471 00
Poll Taxes at $2.00 300 00

Total Taxes to be committed $52771 00
Tax Rates—Town $4 60

CERTIFICATE

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FRANK T. MORGAN
CHESTER W. JONES
ALBERT S. GODFREY

Sept. 2, 1961 Selectmen of Freedom, N. H.
## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

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Net Overdraft of Appropriations $1346 13
FINANCIAL REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer $17,417.17
Unredeemed taxes: Levy of 1961 304.61

Total Assets $17,721.78

Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt) 10,569.86

Grand Total $28,291.64

Net Debt December 31, 1960 1,501.02
Net Debt December 31, 1961 10,569.86
Increase of Debt (Long term Grader Note) 9,068.84

LIABILITIES

Due to State:
State Head Taxes 1961
Uncollected $65.00
Yield Tax—Bond & Debt Retirement, Uncollected 482.40

Due to School Districts: Balance of Appropriation 1961 15,744.24

Long Term Notes Outstanding
Grader Note 12,000.00

Total Liabilities $28,291.64
Grand Total $28,291.64
RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes Current Year

1961 $52365 21
Poll Taxes Current Year 1961 288 00
Yield Taxes 1961 585 65
State Head Taxes @ \$5, 1961 930 00

Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted $54168 86

Property Taxes and Yield Taxes

Previous Years 381 26
Poll Taxes, Previous Years 10 00
State Head Taxes @ \$5

Previous Years 40 00

Interest received on Taxes 16 43
Penalties on State Head Taxes 6 50

From State:

Town Road Aid 4319 55
For Class V Highway maintenance—Duncan Fund 1565 11
Interest and dividends tax 444 90
Savings Bank Tax 53 25
Reimbursement a/c Pine Blister 4 00
Fighting forest fires 1960 Robin Hood Fire and Training School 464 08
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance 730 04

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses 61 00
West Ossipee 1958 Fire 2450 00
Rent of town property: Grader, \$271.95; Town Hall, \$41.00 312 95
Income from Dump 103 00
Motor vehicle permits 1961 2542 75

Total Current Revenue Receipts $67673 68
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year 22000 00
Long term notes during year 12000 00
Sale of town property—cold patch 44 53

Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue 101718 21

Total Receipts from All Sources 101718 21
Cash on hand January 1, 1961 17223 41

Grand Total $118941 62

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:
General Government:
Town officers' salaries $1475 25
Town officers' expenses 1169 71
Election and registration exp. 635 09
Head Taxes 869 50
Expenses town hall and other town buildings 1945 66

Protection of Persons and Property:
Fire department, including forest fires 645 92
Blister Rust and Care of Trees 200 00
Insurance 1200 16

Health:
Town dumps 716 75

Highways and Bridges:
Town Maintenance
(Summer $8930.48) 8129 21
(Winter $4198.73) 968 82
Street lighting
General Expenses of Highway Department 1350 62
Libraries: 275 00
Public Welfare:
  Old age assistance 1696 28
  Town poor 653 36

Patriotic Purposes:
  Memorial Day & Old Home Week 125 00

Unclassified:
  Damages and legal expenses
    1958 West Ossipee Fire 496 50
  Advertising and Regional Asso. 110 71
  Taxes bought by town 312 98
  Employees' Retirement and
    Social Security 238 95

Total Current Maint. Expenses $23215 47

Interest:
  Paid on temporary loans in
    anticipation of taxes 277 50
  Paid on long term notes 62 50

Total Interest Payments 340 00

Outlay for New Construction
  Equipment and
  Permanent Improvements:
    T. R. A. & Duncan Fund 6550 52
    New Equipment (Highway — Grader) 11000 00

Total Outlay Payments 17550 52

Indebtedness:
  Payment on temporary loans in
    anticipation of taxes 22000 00
Payments on long term notes,
Falls Bridge 2500 00

Total Indebtedness Payments 24500 00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax
Debt Retirement 132 57
Taxes paid to County 5337 60
Payments to Precincts 300 00
Payments to School Districts
(1960 Tax $19,848.29) 30148 29
(1961 Tax $10,300.00)

Total Payments to Other Govt. Div. 35918 46

Total Payments for all Purposes $101524 45
Cash on hand December 31, 1961 17417 17

Grand Total $118,951 62

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings $30,000 00
Furniture and Equipment 3,000 00
Libraries, Furniture and Equipment 1,500 00
Highway Dept., Lands and Buildings 2,500 00
Equipment 14,000 00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds 200 00
Schools, Lands and Buildings 20,000 00
All Lands and Buildings Acquired through Tax Collector's deeds:
Potter and Brooks Lot 500 00
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<td>William Currier Lot</td>
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<td><strong>$75,500.00</strong></td>
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**CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

FRANK T. MORGAN  
CHESTER W. JONES  
ALBERT S. GODFREY  

Feb. 10, 1962

VERNE C. RAMSDELL

Treasurer
TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For Year Ending December 31, 1961

Automobile Permits $2,542 75
Clerk's Fees 118 50

$2,424 50

Dog Licenses $61 00
Clerk's Fees 13 00

$4800

LILLIAN M. GODFREY
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1961

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:
Property Taxes $52,379 01
Poll Taxes 298 00
National Bank
Stock Taxes 0 00

Total Warrant $52,677 01

Yield Taxes 715 49

Added Taxes:
Property Taxes $18 40
Poll Taxes 16 00

$34 40

Interest Collected 10 10

TOTAL DEBITS $53,437 00
Remittances to Treasurer:

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$53,248 96

Discount Allowed       0 00
Abatements             42 20

Uncollected Taxes

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TOTAL CREDITS $53,437 00

Summary of Warrant

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1960

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1961:

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$154 95

Poll Tax Added 2 00
Interest Collected During Fiscal Year 20

TOTAL DEBITS $157 15
Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1961:

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**Total Credits:** $153.15

Abatements Made During Year: 0.00

Uncollected Taxes:

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**TOTAL CREDITS:** $157.15

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Summary of Warrant

**State Head Tax**

**Levy of 1961**

**DR.**

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

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**Total Commitment:** $1025.00

Penalties Collected 2.50

**TOTAL DEBITS:** $1027.50
Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes $930.00
Penalties 2.50

Total Credits $932.50

Abatements 30.00
Uncollected Head Taxes 65.00

Total Credits $1027.50

Summary of Warrant
State Head Tax
Levy of 1960

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1961 $55.00
Added Taxes During 1961 5.00
Penalties Collected During 1961 4.00

Total Debits $64.00

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During 1961:

Head Taxes $40.00
Penalties 4.00

Total Credits $44.00

Abatements During 1961 0.00
Uncollected Head Taxes 20.00

Total Credits $64.00
SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
As Of December 31, 1961

DR.
Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

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<th>Previous Year</th>
<th>1961</th>
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CR.
Remittances to Treasurer During Year | $ 0 00 | $244 44 | 0 00 | 0 00 |
| Abatements During Year | 0 00 | 0 00 | 0 00 | 0 00 |
| Deeded to Town—During Year | 0 00 | 0 00 | 0 00 | 0 00 |
| Unredeemed Taxes—At Close of Year | 304 61 | 0 00 | 0 00 | 0 00 |
| **TOTAL CREDITS** | $304 61 | $244 44 | 0 00 | 0 00 |

SUMMARY OF UNCOLLECTED YIELD TAXES
1956
Philip B. Hartford, Cornish, Me. | $105 55 |
Ernest J. Rowe, Tamworth, N. H. | 56 92 |
1957
Clayton Cotton, Effingham, N. H. | 35 68 |
1958
Raymond Berry Jr., Ct. Ossipee, N. H. | 154 41 |
1961
Raymond Berry, Sr., Ct. Ossipee, N. H. | 8 40 |
Leo Inkell, Conway | 121 44 |

Every effort has been, and is being made, to collect the above. Due to the fact they live out of Freedom and have nothing, in the majority of cases, the only sure solution is the posting of bond before cutting the timber.
ABATEMENTS 1961

Real Estate

Diamond National Corp., Taxed Twice $13 80
McDonald and Russell, Taxed Twice 18 40

$32 20

Poll Tax

Jacqueline Cash, Deceased $ 2 00
Francis Savard, Paid in Conway 2 00
Mary Savard, Paid in Conway 2 00
Blanche A. Watson, Over 70 2 00
Frances Whitney, Paid in Rindge 2 00

$10 00

Head Tax

Jacqueline Cash, Deceased $ 5 00
Francis Savard, Paid in Conway 5 00
Mary Savard, Paid in Conway 5 00
Frances Whitney, Paid in Rindge 5 00
Herbert Whitney, Paid in Rindge 5 00
Blanche Watson, Over 70 5 00

$30 00

STATE LAW

Anyone obtaining fishing, hunting or operator's licenses and motor vehicle registrations and not having paid their Head and Poll Tax are guilty of Perjury.

Our very late Warrant was due to the many transfers of property in the past year. My appreciation to all for their cooperation in making it possible to complete the tax year in just six weeks.

I hereby certify that the above report as of December 31, 1961 on account of the levy of 1961 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

KENNETH M. ALEXANDER
Tax Collector
TREASURER’S REPORT

New adjusted balance Jan. 5, 1961 $17223 41

From tax collector:

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<td>52365 21</td>
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$54623 05

From Town Clerk:

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$2603 75

From State:

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<td>19 68</td>
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<td>1961 Interest and Dividend tax</td>
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<td>Highways</td>
<td>1565 11</td>
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<td>Reimbursement on highways</td>
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<td>Town’s share, Mary Stilson est.</td>
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<td>Savings Bank tax</td>
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<td>Pine blister rust, refund</td>
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Miscellaneous:

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<td>C. C. Trust Co., Long term note</td>
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(Continued on page 31)
C. C. Trust Co., Tax ant. notes 22000 00
Effingham Grange, town hall rent 3 00
N. E. Lbr. Co. 1957 Shaw
town fire 636 29
Travelers Ins. 1957 Shaw
town fire 1813 71
Comm. Club, 1960 town hall rent 18 00
Lut. Peterson camp, dump fee 3 00
Camp Huckins, dump fee 25 00
Camp Robin Hood, dump fee 25 00
Camp Winnemont, dump fee 25 00
Camp Calumet, dump fee 25 00
Town of Effingham, use of grader 198 75
J. Harold Mitchell, cold patch 10 50
Dorothy M. Nute, asphalt 34 03
Eaton School dist., use of fire trk. 20 00
Freedom Grange, town hall rent 20 00

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**TREASURER'S FINANCIAL REPORT**

Bank balance as per statement
- December 31, 1961 $ 8251 66
- Deposit Jan. 4, 1962 10935 66
- Selectmen's paid orders 101524 45

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Bank balance Jan. 5, 1961 $ 17223 41
Total receipts 1961 101718 21

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Respectfully submitted,
VERNE C. RAMSDELL
Town Treasurer
SELECTMEN’S REPORT

TOWN OFFICERS’ SALARIES

Frank Morgan $269 75
Chester Jones 269 75
Albert Godfrey 269 75
Lillian Godfrey 145 50
Alexander de Zalinski 48 50
Verne Ramsdell 169 75
Kenneth Alexander 242 50
John Godfrey 10 00
Pauline Godfrey 10 00
Priscilla Vestner 10 00
Gladys Alexander 10 00
Barbara Dutton 10 00
Ethel Cunningham 10 00

$1475 25

TOWN OFFICERS’ EXPENSES

Lillian Godfrey, fees $176 44
Dube and Murphy, supplies 5 60
Association of New Hampshire Assessors, dues 3 00
Sargent Bros., supplies 46 20
Steve Boomer, checking lines 84 00
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies 41 32
Susan M. Jones, typing blotter and town report 30 00
Albert Godfrey, Mileage, postage and telephone 83 64
Chester Jones, Mileage, postage and telephone 100 02
George Allard, town hall 9 70
United States Post Office Dept. 24 65
Kenneth Alexander, 1961 expenses and town meeting 181 80
Frank Morgan, Mileage, postage and telephone 76 85
James Brown, use of jeep 8 00
Joe Wiggin, supplies 110 43
Estella White 50
New Hampshire State Treasury 2 00
Lee T. Gray, tax sale and transfers 21 53
Charles R. Hardy, dues 3 00
Verne Ramsdell, 1961 Expenses for Tax Meeting 54 33
New Hampshire Tax Collector’s Association, dues 3 00
State of New Hampshire Tax Commission, bank 2 00
Carroll Milliken, grave marker 2 45
Colby Weeks, constable’s Expenses 75 00
Charles C. Rogers, supplies 4 30
Carroll County Independent, printing 12 95
Branham Publishing Company, book 7 00

Total $1169 71

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Public Service Company $194 62
Dube and Murphy Inc. 301 41
Allan Meserve, shoveling walk 6 25
Morton Hardware, gas 39 75
David Helme, thawing water in town hall 40 00
Eugene Doe, cleaning hall 3 04
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, roofing 440 64
Daniel Brooks, roof repairs to town shed 722 03
Freedom Village Store, supplies 4 24
Dexter Remick, Cleaning furnace 7 10
Earl Thorne, Repairing roller shed 50 00
Bradley's Hardware, supplies 36 75
Brockey' Inc., supplies 7 97
Farm House Property, flowers for square 11 00
Edwin Giles, mowing lawn 16 00
Chester Jones, labor on town hall 15 00
Albert Godfrey, labor on town hall 15 00
Frank Morgan, labor on town hall 15 00
Kenneth Alexander, town hall 5 00
Freedom Precinct, water 10 00
George Allard, town hall 4 86

Total $1945 66

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Carroll County Independent (ballots, town reports) $400 99
Fred Schawo (ballot clerk) 12 50
Walter Boewe Jr. (ballot clerk) 12 50
Wesley Milliken (ballot clerk) 12 50
Priscilla Vestner (ballot clerk) 12 50
Edward Stokes (moderator) 20 00
Colby Weeks (Supervisor of Check List) 38 80
Lyle Giles (Supervisor of Check List) 39 00
Merton Sargent (Supervisor of Check List) 38 80
Frank Davis (Gate Keeper) 11 25
George Allard (Gate Keeper) 11 25
Lillian Godfrey (Recording Town Meeting) 25 00

$635 09

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Ernest Sargent, labor 61 47
Harold Williams, labor 15 77
Ernest Nason, labor 5 46
George Allard, labor 9 25
William Libby, gravel 9 10
H. C. Colby and Son, labor and equipment 210 60

$1846 52

WINTER HIGHWAY

John Godfrey, labor and equipment $736 02
Herbert Frost, labor and truck 389 41
George Allard, labor and truck 67 48
Walter Boewe Jr., labor 134 89
Raymond Williams, labor and equipment 1503 47
Carroll Thurston, labor 322 31
William Libby, labor 9 70
H. C. Colby and Son, winter sand 333 35
Robert Libby, labor 9 70
Daniel Brooks, plowing 23 75
Harold Williams, labor 73 36
Frank McKinley, labor 80 42
Effingham Falls Store, gas 71 05
James Brown, plowing 9 00
Harlan Dewitt, plowing 138 00
A. G. Evans, plowing 173 25
Merton Sargent, labor 6 67
Raymond Williams, labor 9 09
Albert Godfrey, labor 4 85
Eugene Doe, labor 24 25
Fred Stuart, labor 3 64
Freeman Abbott, labor 33 73
Herbert Abbott, labor 250
George Boewe, plowing 1930
Francis McKinley, labor 500
Donald Douglass, labor 1454

$4,198 73

GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPT.

Public Service Company of New Hampshire 2832
Dube and Murphy, fuel and supplies 29093
Francis McKinley, labor 1330
Scott Machinery, grease gun supplies 5482
Rines Garage, welding 1000
Ayers and Jenkins, bolts and supplies 194
Raymond Hawkins, labor, wheel, tire etc. 52849
Herbert Frost, labor on town shed 6832
John Godfrey, labor 12882
Arthur Nason, truck 1250
William Libby, gravel 390
Eldridge and Johnson, labor 150
Prescott Lumber Company, lock and chain 600
Raymond Williams, labor 823
Wilbur Harmon, mowing ball field 700
Wirthmore Store, broom 330
Center Ossipee Garage, heater hose 210
Whiteface Potters, signs 2500
Collins Electrical Supply, roller shed 701
Abbott and Staples, town hall 321
Gerald Durgin, labor on chimney 33 46
Ernest Nason, labor on chimney 21 92
Harold Taylor, light for grader  3 00
Brockey’s Inc., lock 1 45
Bailey’s Auto Supply, tools 19 60
Walter M. Davis and Sons, supplies 23 00
Virgil Nason, labor on roller shed 43 50

$1350 62

Fees for grader use 251 95

$1098 67

TOWN DUMP

George Allard, labor $574 64
Chester Jones, labor 13 75
Frank Morgan, labor 10 00
Eldridge and Johnson, welding 2 50
John Godfrey, labor 17 38
H. C. Colby and Son, bulldozing 34 05
Eastman Signs, sign 14 00
Prescott Lumber Company, supplies 13 28
Merton Sargent, labor 6 25
Walter Boewe Jr., labor 3 75
Edwin Giles, labor 6 25
John Stuart, labor 6 25
Bruce Brooks, labor 3 75
Daniel Brooks, labor 3 75
Clyde Nason, labor 6 40
Brockey’s Inc., supplies 75

$716 75

Dump Fees 103 00

$613 75
W. O. ROAD

Herbert Frost, labor $113 74
John Godfrey, labor and loader 203 60
Walter Boewe Jr., labor 12 02
Raymond Williams, labor and truck 59 33
Trimount Bituminous Products, tar 166 73
New England Lumber Company,
gravel 5 00
Freeman Abbott, labor 10 00
H. C. Colby and Son, equipment
and labor 64 80

$635 22

PINE BLISTER RUST

William H. Messeck Jr., State Forester $200 00
Reimbursed from state 4 00

$196 00

DUNCAN FUND

John Godfrey, labor $54 00
William T. Libby, gravel 284 30
H. C. Colby and Son, equipment
and labor 1214 35

$1552 65
Received from state 1565 11

Balance $12 46
FIRE DEPARTMENT

Howe Oil Company (fuel) $131.30
Public Service Company of New Hampshire 49.63
Freedom Village Store (gas and oil) 48.19
Walter Boewe Jr. (fire training) 9.75
Merton Sargent (fire training and mileage) 10.65
Edward Stokes (fire training and mileage) 10.35
George Boewe (fire training) 8.85
Eldridge and Johnson (Inspection and repairs) 6.15
Gorham Fire Equipment Company (new fire hose) 352.35
Treasury State of New Hampshire (supplies) 18.70

$645.92
Reimbursed from state 19.68

$626.24

STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Company of New Hampshire $968.82

T. R. A.

Treasury State of New Hampshire, 1961 T. R. A. money $4967.48
Received from State 4319.55

$647.93

1960 T. R. A. State Overdraft 30.39

$678.32
TOWN NEEDY
Abbott and Staples $71 63
Freedom Village Store 90 70
Varney's I. G. A. Store 275 00
Carroll County Commissioner's, surplus food 154 31
Carroll County Home, surplus food 61 72
$653 36

LIBRARY
1961 Appropriations $275 00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
State of New Hampshire $1696 28

LEGAL EXPENSES
Burham Davis, 1958 Fire $490 00
Cooper, Hall and Cooper, legal advice 5 00
Preston Smart, Court Order 1 50
$496 50

FREEDOM OLD HOME ASSOCIATION
1961 Appropriations $125 00

HEAD TAX
Treasury State of New Hampshire
1960 $ 50 50
1961 819 00
$869 50
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PRECINCT

1961 Appropriations $300 00

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INSURANCE

Wentworth Insurance Agency:

- Workmen's Compensation $273 58
- Bonds 106 60
- Grader Liability 55 50
- Town Hall 186 36
- Grader, Fire and Theft 46 08
- Fire Trucks 315 00
- Volunteer Fire Dept. (personnel) 151 50
- Liability Town Hall 65 54

Total $1200 16

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GRADER

Concord National Bank $9400 00

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LAKES REGION ASSOCIATION

1961 Appropriations $110 71

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TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

1961 Tax Sale $304 61

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REFUNDS

Raymond Davis, Redemption of 1960 taxes $8 37
SOCIAL SECURITY
New Hampshire State Treasury $238.95

YIELD TAX
State of New Hampshire Treasury, 1960 severance tax $132.57

INTEREST
Long and Short Term Notes $340.00

TEMPORARY LOANS
Carroll County Trust Company $22,000.00

LONG TERM NOTE
Carroll County Trust Company, Effingham Falls Bridge Balance $2,500.00

COUNTY TAX
County Treasurer $5,337.60

SCHOOL DISTRICT
Treasury Freedom School:
1960 Appropriations $19,848.29
1961 Appropriations $10,300.00
**REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF FREEDOM, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1961**

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<th>NAME OF FUND</th>
<th>PURPOSE OF TRUST FUND</th>
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<td>3%</td>
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This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief. January 18, 1962

JOHN P. GODFREY, PRISCILLA F. VESTNER, Trustees
**REPORT OF FREEDOM PUBLIC LIBRARY**

1961

Assets on hand January 1961 $307.41

Assets received during year:
- Interest on bank account $3.12
- Book share payments 5.20
- Thrift Shop donation 31.00
- Town of Freedom 275.00
- Wood Fund 36.57
- Fines 4.32

$355.21

Total Assets $662.62

Expenditures:
- Librarians salary $150.00
- N. H. Library Association 2.00
- N. H. Library Assoc. Meeting 9.00
- Books 88.50
- Postage and Supplies 5.45

$254.95

Assets on hand January 1, 1962 $407.67

MRS. KENNETH M. ALEXANDER
MRS. WILLIAM J. CUNNINGHAM
MRS. DAVID P. DUTTON

Library Trustees

**AUDITOR’S REPORT**

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen of the town of Freedom, town trustees of trust funds, town treasurer, town clerk, tax collector, library trustees and treasurer of the school district of Freedom for the fiscal year 1961 and have found them correctly cast and properly vouched, as noted.

ALEXANDRE de ZALIWSKI
January 20th, 1962
Town Auditor
December 1, 1961

Chairman, Board of Selectmen
Town of Freedom
New Hampshire

Dear Sir:

Last March, at its annual meeting, your town appropriated funds for continuing control of the White Pine Blister Rust in cooperation with the Forestry and Recreational Commission. Final returns to the Forestry Division showed that 113 towns and cities did likewise. This indicated a very healthy interest on the part of towns in maintaining control of blister rust and was most encouraging to those who have the overall responsibility for the success of the project.

Conforming to our yearly custom there has been prepared, and is attached herewith, a statement briefly summarizing accomplishments, and expenditures of town, state and federal funds.

In the financial statement the amount reported as "Cooperative Aid" covers not only expenditures in ribes eradication but also state and federal funds spent in detailed mapping of areas prior to the actual work of control and research work that has resulted in reducing the size of the control area, improving control methods and reducing costs of control to the town. The mapping survey provides permanent records which are of great value in any future examination or working of white pine stands and their surroundings.

In view of the fact that details of control work vary from town to town, it is not possible to report all in a brief statement. However, the Supervisor in charge of the project in your town will be pleased
to supply these details upon request. His name and address appear below.

Our goal, toward which we are working, is that time when the entire state control area will be on maintenance basis requiring only minimum funds to sustain this condition.

Thanking you for your past and continuing cooperation, I remain

Lawrence Stevenson
Room 7
59 North Main St.
Rochester, N. H.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM H. MESSECK Jr.
State Forester

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**WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

 Town of Freedom — 1961

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Area worked 1741 acres
Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed 240

* A check covering balance due the town is enclosed. Please cash it promptly.
December 15, 1961

Board of Selectmen and
Town Budget Committee
Freedom, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Presently your Board and Budget Committee will be preparing the 1962 Town Warrant and Budget. I wish to recommend that the sum of $200.00 be included in both documents for your town White Pine Blister Rust Control Program in cooperation with the Forestry and Recreation Commission.

Prior to their working, the location of pine and control areas are plotted on a town map. The acreage worked and number of currant and gooseberry bushes (known as Ribes) destroyed are recorded on permanent forms. From such basic data, supplemented by periodic field examinations, decisions can be reached as to when future work is required. Special checks are made on land disturbed (logging operations and blowdown) in five year intervals since soil disturbances of this type result in re-growth of ribes.

White pine is a prolific seeder. It thrives readily on a variety of soils resulting in excellent, natural reproduction following logging or other disturbances. Unfortunately, ground disturbances also encourage Ribes re-growth. Thus, if both hosts (pine and ribes) develop together, new areas of infection are bound to occur. Since white pine areas make up 50 per cent of the forest area of the state, the need for protecting these younger stands from blister rust should be evident to all far-sighted citizens.

Control of the rust is moving forward at an en-
couraging rate. We are pleased to report that the disease in 96 per cent of the white pine areas is now under control. We are looking forward to the time when this status will prevail in all white pine areas to the end that control may be maintained with minimum appropriations from all participating agencies—federal, state and town.

Should your Board or Budget Committee desire more detailed information, I would suggest you contact the supervisor of your area whose name and address are given below.

Mr. Lawrence Stevenson
Room 7
59 North Main Street
Rochester, New Hampshire

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM H. MESSECK, Jr.
State Forester
FREEDOM SCHOOL REPORT

March 13, 1962

OFFICERS

Moderator
EDWARD STOKES

Clerk
LILLIAN GODFREY

Treasurer
VERNE RAMSDELL

Census Enumerator
MABEL DAVIS

Auditor
ALEXANDRE de ZALIWSKI

Nurse
REBECCA SANBORN, R. N.

School Board
WALTER BOEWE, JR. Chairman Term Expires 1962
MILDRED BROOKS Term Expires 1963
MABEL DAVIS Term Expires 1964

Superintendent of Schools
ALFRED W. THOMAS
THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 13th day of March 1962, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other
income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to make application for and accept in the name of the school district for education purposes such funds or grants-in-aid as may be obtained from the State or Federal Government or any department or agency thereof, or any other sources.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this 24th day of Feb. 1962.

WALTER B. BOEWE, Jr.
MILDRED BROOKS
MABEL DAVIS
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:
WALTER B. BOEWE, Jr.
MILDRED BROOKS
MABEL DAVIS
School Board
PROPOSED BUDGET

1962-1963

A comparison of the expenditures for 1960-61, the adopted budget for 1961-62 and proposed budget for 1962-63 is shown below.

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Total Payments for all Purposes 1960-61 $28,018 60
Total Adopted Budget 1961-62 $26,740 61
Total Proposed Budget 1962-63 $26,315 68
FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts

1960-61

Federal Aid:
   Special Milk Program $36 27
Local Taxation
   Current Appropriation 27,948 29
   Other Sources 3 00

Total Net Receipts from All Sources $27,987 56
Cash on Hand Beginning of Year,
   July 1, 1960 1,425 93

Grand Total Net Receipts $29,413 49

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

1960-61

Administration

Salaries of District Officers
   Mabel Davis $75 00
   Mildred Brooks 75 00
   Walter Boewe, Jr. 75 00
   Verne Ramsdell, Treasurer 75 00
   Alexander de Zaliwski, Auditor 15 00

$315 00

Superintendent's Salary
   Pauline Reissfelder, Treas. 431 36
Tax for Statewide Supervision
   Treas. State of N. H., per capita tax 112 00
Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel

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Supplies and Expenses

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Teachers' Salaries

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Books and Other Instructional Aids
  Ginn and Co. $13.30
  McCormick-Mathers 4.19
  D. C. Heath 15.54
  Allyn and Bacon 11.39
  L. W. Singer 98.58
  Scott, Foresman and Co. 69.06
  Lyons and Carnahan 13.10
  Silver Burdett 53.74
  Martin Murray Corp 27.79
  Equity Publishing 6.00
  Field Enterprises 106.99

$419.68

Scholars Supplies
  Ginn and Co. $4.46
  Houghton Mifflin 6.40
  Scott, Foresman 56.18
  Lyon and Carnahan 4.50
  Rand McNally 14.44
  Milton Bradley 65.30
  N. H. Public Library 3.00
  J. L. Hammett 2.39
  American Education Publication 9.50
  Scholastic Magazine 17.20
  Western Auto Store 2.50

$185.87

Supplies and Other Expenses
  Informative Classroom Pictures $7.90
  Milton Bradley Co. 6.98

$14.88
Operation of School Plant

Janitors' Salaries
Lucille Falls $93 00
Marion Sargent 377 39

$470 39

Fuel or Heat
Howe Oil Co. $793 68

Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses
Public Service $161 19
Freedom Village Store 15 78
Marion Sargent 1 39
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co. 138 95
H. F. Nelson & Son 1 10
Harry Beane, Piano Tuner 4 50
Robert Trask 113 43
Milton Bradley Co. 6 55
Moulton's Store 29 34
Fayette Laboratories 10 13
Freedom Precinct (water) 15 00

$497 36

Maintenance of School Plant

Repairs and Replacements
Willard Stockbridge $ 11 00
Daniel A. Brooks 187 68
Beckely-Cardy Co. 135 32
A. H. Rice Co. 4 71
Public Service 4 00
Howe Oil Co. 28 60
Brocky's 6 00
Raymond Williams 1 00

$378 31
Auxiliary Activities

Health Supervision
Union No. 36 Nursing Fund $342 81
David P. Dutton, M. D. 30 00

$372 81

Transportation—High School
Edward Stokes $1,700 00
Ossipee School District 150 00
Robert Stuart 100 00
Evelyn Stuart 64 00

$2,014 00

Transportation—Elementary
Carroll Libby $1,620 00
Evelyn Stuart 1,800 00

$3,420 00

Tuition—High School
Brewster Academy $360 00
Fryeburg Academy 370 00
Conway School District 6,290 00

$7,020 00

Special Activities
Clark-Harris Co. $3 00

Fixed Charges

Retirement $658 14
Insurance, Treasurer's Bond, etc.
A. D. Davis and Son $154 22
Capital Outlay

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<td><strong>Total Expenditures for All Purposes</strong></td>
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WALTER BOEWE, Jr.
MILDRED BROOKS
MABEL DAVIS

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial documents of the Treasurer and Chairman of the Board of Freedom School District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them properly cast and correct.

ALEXANDRE de ZALIWSKI
Auditor Freedom School Dist.
July 10, 1961
FREEDOM SCHOOL DISTRICT

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

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LIABILITIES

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| Total                                             | $1,394.89  |
REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1961

SUMMARY

Cash on Hand July 1, 1960 (Treasurer’s bank balance) $1425.93
Received from Selectmen
Current Appropriation $27,948.29
Received from State Treasurer
State Funds 39.27

Total Receipts $27,987.56
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts) $29,413.49
Less School Board Orders Paid 28,018.60
Balance on Hand June 30, 1961 (Treasurer’s bank Balance) $1,394.89

VERNE C. RAMSDELL
July 1, 1961 District Treasurer

AUDITOR’S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Freedom, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1961 and find them correct in all respects.

ALEXANDRE de ZALIWSKI
July 8th, 1961 Auditor
REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Freedom:

I submit my first report as Superintendent of Schools of Union No. 36. The following list indicates the administrative activities for the period for July 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.

- Teacher visits: 339
- Regular School Board Meetings: 45
- Special School Board Meetings: 26
- Speaking engagements: 7
- P. T. A. Meetings: 8
- Conventions & Conferences: 5
- Teachers Meetings: 7

In September, 1961, Mrs. Plant returned to her position in the primary room. In the upper grade room Mr. J. Scott Althoff replaced Mr. John Snodgrass. Mr. Althoff is a veteran and attended Keene Teachers College.

Mrs. Dagny Blouin continues her fine work with the children in music instruction.

The school health services continue under the supervision of Mrs. Rebecca Sanborn, R. N., Physical examinations are made by Dr. David P. Dutton with Mrs. Sanborn's assistance.

Guidance

The objective of a guidance program cannot be satisfactorily achieved unless all teachers are conscious of those objectives and strive toward that end. The role of the classroom teacher in the guidance program
is an indispensable one. In every subject there are common and unique possibilities for contributing to the objectives of the guidance program. Guidance should be an outcome of all teaching activities.

Cumulative Records

The Guidance Program is dependent upon an adequate knowledge of the individual. In our schools there is a Cumulative Record for each pupil. Guidance information is entered under the following headings:

1. Personal data
2. Family and community background
3. Scholastic record
4. Health record
5. Objective test results
6. Character ratings
7. School activities and interests
8. Entrance and withdrawal record

The objective is to construct a growing, permanent record of valid information which will accompany each child throughout his school life.

The cumulative record kept up to date furnishes information which will be invaluable in making pupil adjustments. Principals and teachers find its greatest value in determining status and growth in the child's general and specific area development, in planning new programs and grade placement.

The task facing the leaders of education is to so organize and administer our educational institutions that the best interest of every individual will be served and that this process will, at the same time, contribute to the fundamental quality of our culture and add strength to our national character. We must
make sure that the maximum cultivation of the individual's intellectual, moral, artistic, and spiritual capacity that makes of him a free person, yields also the protection and perpetuation of those institutions that are essential to a free society.

Like so many other departments of our society and culture, our educational establishment at many points is comfortable and soft. At times we have been far too willing to entertain and to tolerate when we should have disciplined, directed, and inspired—inspired by great teaching, of the type that moves the mind to a love of knowledge and to an insatiable demand to possess and to create it, directed by wisdom that grasps the proper ends of learning; and disciplined by that internal discipline whereby a moral person orders his life, determines the means appropriate to his ends, and achieves a proper integration of his intellect and affections.

The schools of Freedom are an investment in people and represent a significant part of our vast heritage which we Americans enjoy. One of the fundamental and most vital parts of our governmental structure is the guarantee of free, public and universal education locally administered. It is my sincere hope that the citizens of Freedom will continue their support of this created obligation.

Realizing the many challenges with which the American people are faced today, I would like to urge the citizens of Freedom to keep working hard to improve their school system, because I think that we all must realize more than ever before that the foundation of our democratic society is built upon the education of its children.

I feel that the year which has elapsed has been
one of progress. Whatever gains have been made have been the result of the cooperation of members of the School Board, school personnel, and parents. For this cooperation I wish to express sincere acknowledgement.

Respectfully submitted
ALFRED W. THOMAS

January 22, 1962 Superintendent of Schools
STATISTICAL REPORT 1960-61

Freedom

Number of weeks in school year 38
Number of half-days in school year 360
Total number of different pupils enrolled 33
    Boys 13    Girls 20
Average membership 28.9
Per cent of attendance 96.6
Average number of tardinesses 1.6
Number of pupils transported at district expense 25.9
    Elem. 24.9    High School 1.0
Number of Board Meetings 12
Number of school visits by superintendent 60
Perfect Attendance
    Kathleen A. Blouin
    Bonnie L. Brooks
    Dale Douglas
    Wayne McKinley
SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 36
FINANCIAL REPORT
1960-61

RECEIPTS
Cash on Hand July 1, 1960 $ 739.01
Received during year 11,640.62

$12,379.63

EXPENSES
Union Secretary Salary $2,600.00
Superintendent’s Salary 4,850.00
Superintendent’s Travel 1,200.00
Union Treasurer Salary 50.00
Union Auditor 10.00
Office Expense 682.14
Educational Aids 275.35
Workshop 33.45
Retirement 324.63
Moving Office 25.00
New Equipment 189.49

$10,240.06

Cash on Hand June 30, 1961 2,139.57

$12,379.63

The State’s share of the superintendent’s salary for Supervisory Union No. 36 was $3,500.00. The shares of the various districts were as follows: Brookfield $111.55; Effingham $337.56; Freedom $431.36; Madison $500.03; Middleton $56.75; Ossipee $1,250.33; Tamworth $1,002.50; Wakefield $1,245.48.

The amount of per capita tax paid by each district is as follows: Brookfield $42.00; Effingham $166.00; Freedom $112.00; Madison $168.00; Middleton $138.00; Ossipee $516.00; Tamworth $512.00; Wakefield $554.00.
REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

During the month of October 1960 each child in school received a medical examination, followed by a note, telephone or home call to the parents on any defect found.

The Immunization Clinic held on January 26, 1961 when 27 children received booster shots of Salk Polio Vaccine, and 3 booster shots for continued protection against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus was made possible through the State Department of Health and the local medical services.

The New Hampshire Sight Conservation Program gave assistance with one pupil for eye examination by an Ophthalmologist and for glasses.

The regular screening programs for vision, hearing, height, weight, and individual inspections were carried out during the year. The Snellen Chart and Massachusetts Vision Testing equipment were used for the eye tests. The Maico Pure Tone Audiometer was used to check each pupil’s hearing.

The cooperation of Dr. and Mrs. Dutton in opening their home and office for physical examinations and for the immunization program was greatly appreciated by those working with the school health program.

REBECCA P. SANBORN, R. N.
### School Calendar 1962-1963

#### First Quarter

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#### Total Sessions 366

#### Total Days 183

#### Days Out

- October 12: Columbus Day
- October 26: NHEA Convention
- November 22 & 23: Thanksgiving
- May 30 & 31: Memorial Day

This calendar follows the Conway Calendar except for April 12, Good Friday which Conway will take. Union No. 36 will take October 12th instead. Union No. 36 will start school on Friday, Sept. 7th (Conway on Thurs, the 6th) Sept. 4th Union No. 36 Teachers meeting, Sept. 5th and 6th Teachers Workshop. Union No. 36 teachers will work 186 days.
### Births Registered in the Town of Freedom, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1961

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<th>Name and Surname of Groom and Bride</th>
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<td>43 Imbierian</td>
<td>Center Ossipee</td>
<td>Parker Merrow, J. P.</td>
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### Deaths Registered in the Town of Freedom, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1961

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