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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

EDWIN B. ELLIS

Town Clerk

DAVID BROWN

Town Treasurer

MARY BROWN

Selectmen & Assessors

JOHN D. SUMMERS	Term Expires 1966
PAUL CHRISTIANSEN	Term Expires 1967
CHARLES B. NORWOOD	Term Expires 1968

Tax Collector

PRISCILLA R. YARDLEY

Road Agent

WILLIAM L. YARDLEY

Overseer of Poor

PAUL CHRISTIANSEN

Auditor

OLIVER F. DERBY

Supervisors of Checklist

ELIZABETH WHITE
GLADYS BLANCHARD
PATRICIA FIFIELD

Constable

JOSEPH BISCHOF

Police Officer

EDWARD RUSSELL

Trustee of Trust Funds

ALPHEUS WHITE

Sexton

ALPHEUS WHITE

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the Town of Roxbury in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Roxbury on Tuesday, the 8th day of March, next at 7:30 of the clock in the evening 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 and appropriate the sum of \$80.00 for election expenses.
4. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for police protection.
5. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$35.00 for white pine blister rust control.
6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for town welfare.
7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for fire protection.
8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$271.13 for T.R.A.
9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$48.00 as its fair share of the operating costs of Elliot Community Hospital.
10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$37.08 for the Monadnock Region Association.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for upkeep of cemeteries.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,160.00 for payment of principal and interest on town hall note.

13. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

14. To choose and elect a committee of three persons to the town hall committee for the ensuing year.

15. To see if the town will vote to adopt the non-partisan ballot system as provided by laws of the State of New Hampshire, RSA 59, 71, 73, 75, 79 through 87, 92, 108 through 117 and 119 through 125 inclusive.

(The non-partisan ballot system is similar to the Australian ballot system, except that political party designations of the candidates for town office are neither required nor permitted. If adopted, the system will take effect at the town meeting next following, and will apply to all positions in the town which are presently filled by ballot. Candidates for office who wish to have their names placed on the official ballot will be able to do so by filing with the town clerk during the specified three week period either their declarations of candidacy or petitions of nomination on forms to be supplied by the town clerk. Adequate space is provided for write-in candidates. A plurality vote elects.)

16. To see if the town will vote to adopt an ordinance to regulate the location and use of trailers and mobile homes.

1. Purpose: It is the purpose of this ordinance to promote the health, safety, prosperity and general welfare of the Town of Roxbury, New Hampshire.

2. Definitions: For the purpose of this Ordinance and whenever used herein, unless a different meaning appears from the context, the following words and phrases shall have the meaning ascribed to them in this section.

A. The term **owner** as used herein shall mean any person,

persons, firm, corporation, or public agency having dominion or control over any lot or premises of any trailer or mobile home, whether as tenant in fee, tenant for life, or tenant for a term of years (by leases or otherwise), as well as persons occupying a representative capacity and exercising such dominion or control over the structure.

B. The terms **trailer** and **mobile home** shall mean any building or structure used or intended to be used for living or sleeping purposes which is or may be equipped with a wheel, wheels or similar vehicular devices for the purpose of transporting the unit, whether by motive power or other means. The terms shall apply to such units regardless of the removal of wheels, the placing of such a unit upon a foundation, or the construction of accessory buildings. The term **trailer** shall apply to any such unit which lacks a toilet and a bathtub or shower as an integral part thereof. The term **mobile home** shall apply to any such vehicle which has both a toilet and a bathtub or shower as an integral part thereof.

3. **Applicability:** On and after the effective date of this ordinance it shall be unlawful, within the limits of the Town of Roxbury, for any owner to park or install, or to permit to be parked or installed, any trailer or mobile home except as provided in this Ordinance.

4. **Emergency or Temporary Exception:** The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to any trailer or mobile home which is stopped or parked within the limits of the Town of Roxbury for a reasonable time due to an emergency or otherwise for a temporary period not to exceed fourteen (14) days, provided however that such emergency or temporary stopping or parking shall be subject to such other prohibitions, limitations or penalties provided by any applicable traffic, parking, or health regulations or ordinances.

**Proposed Additional Provision With Regard to
Trailer Parks or Mobile Home Parks.**

5. **Parks:** Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 4 above, it shall be unlawful for any person to establish, maintain, operate or control within the limits of the Town of Rox-

bury any site, lot, tract or parcel of land which is designed, maintained or intended for the purpose of supplying for an indefinite period of more than fourteen (14) days a location or locations and accommodations for one or more trailers or mobile homes for successive periods of up to fourteen (14) days for each such unit unless each such location or accommodation for a single trailer or mobile home shall conform to all other provisions of this ordinance as if the parking or installing of one or more trailers and/or mobile homes thereon were to be permanent, **provided**, that this provision shall not apply to any such location or accommodation which is not used nor intended for use for any trailer, mobile home or succession of them for a combined period of more than twenty-eight (28) days in any calendar year.

6. Grandfather Exception: The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to any trailer or mobile home which has been in its present location as of the effective date of this regulation for a period of at least ninety (90) days prior thereto; nor shall it apply to any trailer or mobile home which shall be parked or installed upon premises which shall have been used as the location for a trailer or mobile home for a continuous period of one hundred and eighty (180) days during the twelve (12) month period immediately prior to the effective date of this ordinance, **provided** that a) such prior use shall have been in full conformity with other applicable provision of this ordinance and b) **provided** that nothing herein shall permit an increase in the number of trailers and/or mobile homes parked or installed upon any premises above the number actually parked or installed upon such premises continuously for the ninety day period prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

7. Permitted Locations: Subject to the above exceptions, no trailer or mobile home shall be parked or installed a) within three hundred (300) feet of any public road, highway or street; b) within thirty feet of any property line (side, front, back or otherwise) dividing such property from any adjacent property; c) within fifty feet of any other residence, trailer or mobile home; d) upon any lot having a total area of less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) square feet; nor e) upon any lot upon

which another or other residences, trailers or mobile homes are located unless the lot shall have a total area of no less than twenty-five thousand (25,000) square feet for each such residence, trailer or mobile home then presently upon or to be installed upon such premises.

8. Other Regulations: Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed so as to except any trailer or mobile home parked or installed under the provisions hereof from any Building Regulations of the Town of Roxbury in force at the time of such parking or installing or thereafter. It is the purpose of this provision to assure that no building or structure which may also be defined as a trailer or mobile home under section 2, above, shall be exempted from applicable provisions of any other regulation, limitation or penalty provision pertaining to such a building or structure, and to assure that any trailer or mobile home shall be treated in like fashion as any other building or structure under any such other applicable provisions.

9. Enforcement: Upon any well-founded information that this Ordinance is being violated the Selectmen shall take immediate steps to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance by seeking an injunction in the Superior Court or by any other appropriate legal action. Whoever violates any of the provisions of the above regulations shall be punished upon conviction by a fine not exceeding ten dollars for each day of violation.

10. Effective Date: This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

11. Conflicting Provisions: Whenever the provisions hereof and/or the regulations made under the authority hereof differ from those described by any statute, ordinance, or other regulation or regulations, that provision which imposes the greater restriction or the higher standard shall govern.

12. Validity: If any section, clause, provision, portion, or phrase of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent authority such holding shall not affect, impair or invalidate any other section, clause, provision, portion, or phrase of this Ordinance.

17. To transact any other business which may come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 9th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

JOHN D. SUMMERS,
PAUL CHRISTIANSEN,
CHARLES B. NORWOOD,

Selectmen of Roxbury

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JOHN D. SUMMERS,
PAUL CHRISTIANSEN,
CHARLES B. NORWOOD,

Selectmen of Roxbury

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 9, 1965

Meeting called to order by moderator. Edwin B. Ellis, at 7:30 P.M.

Selectmen Charles B. Norwood and Paul Christiansen were present. Meeting opened by reading of the warrant by the moderator.

Article 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

Town Clerk: Patricia Russell nominated; she declined. Mary Brown nominated; she declined. Patricia Fifield nominated; she declined; Noreen Bailey nominated; she declined. Esther Bailey nominated; she declined. Ida Richardson nominated; she declined. David Brown nominated. 30 votes cast; of these, David Brown had 24; Norman Davis had 2; Patricia Russell had 1; Mrs. Charles Norwood had 2; Elizabeth White had 1. David Brown declared elected and took oath of office.

Treasurer: Mary Brown nominated. 37 votes cast; of these, Mary Brown had 33; Hazel Russell had 1; Robert Bailey had 1; Charles Bailey had 1; Patricia Fifield had 1. Mary Brown declared elected and took oath of office.

Selectman (3 years) Charles Norwood nominated. Robert Bailey nominated. 41 votes cast; of these, Charles Norwood had 26; Robert Bailey had 15. Charles Norwood declared elected and took oath of office.

Tax Collector: Priscilla Yardley nominated. 28 votes cast; of these, Priscilla Yardley had 26; Charles Bailey had 2. Priscilla Yardley declared elected and took oath of office.

Road Agent: William Yardley nominated; Robert Fifield nominated. 39 votes cast; of these, William Yardley had 27; Robert Fifield had 10; Charles Bailey had 1; Robert Bailey had 1. William Yardley declared elected and took oath of office.

Auditor: A motion was made and seconded that the selectmen be instructed to hire Oliver Derby. Vote in the **affirmative**.

A discussion followed as to how good a job he was actually doing. It seems that errors had been found in the Auto Registration books that he had not detected. It was also pointed out that he is not a Certified Public Accountant, but that the reason for hiring him is that his rates are lower. He charges \$25.00, whereas the State charges \$75.00. A motion was made and seconded that the reports and books of each town officer be audited. Vote in affirmative.

Constable: Joseph Bischof nominated; Amos Blanchard nominated. 27 votes cast. Joseph Bischof had 19; Amos Blanchard had 1; Charles Bailey had 1; Edward Russell had 3; Robert Fifield had 3. Joseph Bischof declared elected and took oath of office.

Trustee of Trust Funds: Alpheus White nominated. 32 votes cast; of these, Alpheus White had 30; Charles Bailey had 1; Arnold Bailey had 1; Alpheus White declared elected and took oath of office.

Sexton: Alpheus White nominated; Amos Blanchard nominated. 36 votes cast; of these, Alpheus White had 32, Amos Blanchard had 0; Charles Bailey had 4. Alpheus White declared elected and took oath of office.

A discussion followed as to who has the legal responsibility of appointing police officers. No action was taken.

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

Motion made and seconded that town raise the sum of \$2,400.00 to defray town charges. Vote in affirmative.

Motion made and seconded that the town raise \$1,500.00 for winter road maintenance. Vote in the affirmative.

Motion made and seconded that the town raise \$1,500.00 for maintenance of Highways and Bridges. Vote in the affirmative.

Article III. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$80.00 for election expenses.

Motion made and seconded that the town raise \$80.00 for election expenses. Vote in affirmative.

Article IV. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for police protection.

Motion made and seconded that the town appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for police protection. Vote in affirmative.

Article V. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for white pine blister control.

Motion made and seconded that the town raise the sum of \$50.00 for white pine blister control.

Article VI. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for town welfare.

Motion made and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for town welfare. Vote in the affirmative.

Article VII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for fire protection.

Motion made and seconded to raise \$50.00 for maintenance of forest fire equipment. Vote in the affirmative.

Article VIII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$240.23 for T.R.A.

Motion made and seconded to raise \$240.23 for T.R.A. Vote in affirmative.

Article IX. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$47.00 as its fair share of the operating cost of Elliot Community Hospital.

Motion made and seconded to raise \$47.00 for Elliot Community Hospital. Vote in the affirmative.

Article X. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$37.08 for the Monadnock Region Association.

There was a brief discussion of the fact that the town does not have a 4-H Club for the benefit of the young people.

Motion made and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of \$37.08 for the Monadnock Region Association. Vote in affirmative.

Article XI. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for upkeep of cemeteries.

Motion made and seconded to raise \$25.00 for upkeep of cemeteries. Vote in affirmative.

Article XII. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,195.00 for payment of principal and interest on town hall note.

Motion made and seconded to raise \$1,195.00 for payment of principal and interest on town hall note. Vote in affirmative.

Article XIII. To see if the town will enact an ordinance pertaining to junk, to read as follows: No junk or junk yard, or place, for the storage of discarded machinery, vehicles, or other scrap materials shall be maintained in Roxbury. Junk, as defined, means any old metals, old bottles, dead animals or parts thereof, old paper products, old rubber products, three or more unregistered motor vehicles, and other second-hand articles the accumulation of which is detrimental or injurious to the neighborhood.

Motion made and seconded to pass over article XIII.

Discussion followed on personal rights versus the town's telling an individual how he is to maintain his property. The Presidential campaign on cleaning up unsightly areas and the State of New Hampshire's laws on hiding junk were mentioned.

Vote to pass over article XIII was negative.

Motion made and seconded to enact article XIII as a town ordinance.

There was further discussion on what New Hampshire's laws are on this matter. It was pointed out that Surry and Gilsum have similar ordinances on their books.

An amendment to the preceding motion was made and seconded, making the article read as follows:

No junk or junk yard, or place for storage of discarded machinery, vehicles, or other scrap materials shall be maintained in Roxbury without a permit issued by the town selectmen. Junk, as defined, means any old metals, old bottles, dead animals or parts thereof, old paper products, old rubber products, three or more unregistered motor vehicles, and other second-hand articles the accumulation of which is detrimental or injurious to the neighborhood.

Further discussion followed in which it was generally agreed that before issuing said permit, the selectmen will duly consider the total effect that the junk and/or scrap materials have upon the neighborhood; the distance of said materials from the road and adjacent property; and the provisions made for ample and attractive screening of said materials, whether it be in the form of fencing or natural media, such as shrubbery, trees, etc. In all this, the selectmen will be guided by current state highway regulations applying to the same, and will act on behalf of the best interests, health, and welfare of the residents of Roxbury.

Vote on article XIII with the amendment was in the affirmative.

Article XIV. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Motion made and seconded to allow selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. Vote in affirmative.

Article XV. To choose and elect a committee of three persons to the town hall committee for the year ensuing.

Motion made and seconded to elect the following town hall committee for year ensuing: Charles Bailey, Arnold Bailey, Noreen Bailey, Esther Bailey, Doris Davis. Vote was in the affirmative.

Discussion followed during which Irene Christiansen read the town hall committee report for 1964. Cash balance for the year was \$192.18.

The motion was made and seconded to thank the committee for their efforts. Vote was affirmative.

Article XVII. To transact any other business which may come before said meeting.

Discussion followed on using the Australian Ballot system to elect town officers, its advantages and disadvantages. The majority seemed in favor of the Australian Ballot system and felt that it would expedite the yearly business at town meeting. It was suggested that a special town meeting be held to consider the Australian Ballot system.

The motion was made and seconded that a rising vote of thanks be given to Paul Christiansen and Alpheus White for the sign they put on the Roxbury Meeting House. Motion was carried out.

Motion made and seconded that the meeting be adjourned. Vote in the affirmative. Meeting adjourned at 10:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID C. BROWN,

Town Clerk

**INVENTORY OF POLLS AND RATABLE PROPERTY
IN THE TOWN OF ROXBURY, N. H.
APRIL 1, 1965**

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Aubin, Theresa			Blanchard, Lucille		
Poll		Vet.	Poll		2 00
Land & House			Brown, David		
Trailer \$2180			Poll		2 00
Exempt 1000	\$1180	\$50 74	Land & Bldgs.	12000	516 00
Bailey, Arnold			Brown, Mary		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
House Trailer	2589	111 33	Buckley, Carl		
Bailey, Jo-Anne			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Land & Bldgs.	4640	199 52
Bailey, Charles			Buckley, Elizabeth		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Land & House			Bushey, Bernard		
Trailer	4332	186 28	Poll		Vet.
Bailey, Noreen			Land &		
Poll		2 00	Bldgs. 16150		
Bailey, Robert			Exempt 1000	15150	651 45
Poll		Vet.	Bushey, Clara		
40a Land &			Poll		2 00
Bldgs. 13780			Christiansen, Paul		
Exempt 1000	12780	549 54	Poll		Vet.
Bailey, Esther			Land &		
Poll		2 00	Bldgs. 18000		
Beteau, Leon			Exempt 1000	17000	731 00
Poll		Vet.	Christiansen, Irene		
2½a Land &			Poll		2 00
Bldgs. 3000	3000	129 00	Clark, Russell		
Beteau, Shirley			Poll		Vet.
Poll		2 00	Land &		
Bischof, Joseph			Bldgs. 5640		
Poll		Vet.	Exempt 1000	4640	199 52
Land &			Clark, Marie		
Bldgs. 14800			Poll		2 00
Exempt 1000	13800	593 40	Darling, Sibley		
Bischof, Patricia			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Land &		
Blake Estate			Bldgs. 11500		
Poll		2 00	Exempt 1000	10500	451 50
House Trailer	960	41 28	Darling, June		
Blanchard, Amos			Poll		Vet.
Poll			Davis, Clarence		
15a Land &			Poll		2 00
Bldgs. 13931	13931	599 03	90a Shattock Lot	900	38 70
Blanchard, Gladys			Davis, George		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Blanchard, Millard			130a Home		
Poll		2 00	Place 8375		
Land & Bldgs.	13550	582 65	40a Newcomb		

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Lot	200		Land & Bldgs.	6258	
7a Lawrence			Exempt	1000	5258 226 09
Lot	35	8610 370 23	Gunseth, Gloria		
Davis, Doris			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Jacobs, Welley		
Duplissie, Norman			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	½a Land & Bldgs.	8038	345 63
4½a Land & Bldgs.	5000	215 00	Jacobs, Gertrude		
Duplissie, Virginia			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Little, Gordon		
Duval, Louis			Poll		2 00
Poll		Exempt	1¼a Land & Bldgs.	7100	305 30
2a Land & Bldgs.	876	37 67	Little, Ida		
Ellis, Edwin			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Mentor, Leon		
25a Land & Bldgs.	10148		Poll		2 00
13.1a Willis			Mentor, Margaret		
Lot	78		Poll		2 00
12a Keyes			1a Land, Garage	1565	
Pasture	72		Trailer	1920	3485 149 86
55a Keyes			Norwood, Charles		
Pasture	330		Poll		Vet.
Land 6a B & M			135a Land & Bldgs.	9603	
40a Towns			200a Nye		
Land	240	10904 468 87	Land	2000	11603 498 93
Ellis, Marion			Norwood, Evelyn		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Ellis, Albion			Nourse, Hazel		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Fifield, Robert			1a Land & Bldgs.	7420	319 06
Poll		Vet.	Paul, Leo		
½a Land & Bldgs.	5800		Poll		2 00
Exempt	1000	4800 206 40	8a Land & Bldgs.	12210	525 03
Fifield, Patricia			Paul, Germaine		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Fisher, Stanley			Pratt, Irene		
Poll		2 00	8a Land & Bldgs.	2162	92 97
9½a L. C. Dawes	11367	488 78	Randall, Maurice		
Fisher, Kathryn			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Land & Bldgs.	7900	339 70
Gilchrest, Seaver Sr.			Randall, Elizabeth		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
290a Land & Bldgs.	29059	1249 54	Rice, Mandell		
Gilchrest, Sarah			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	House Trailer	1080	46 44
Gilcrest, Seaver Jr.			Richardson, Harold		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Gunseth, Eugene			Land & Bldgs.	6000	
Poll		Vet.	Boat	150	6150 264 45

Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valuation	Total Tax
Richardson, Ida			Summers, Elizabeth		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Roach, Francis			Bldgs.	3290	141 47
Poll		Vet.	Taves, Ernest		
Roach, Sue Ann			Poll		Vet.
Poll		2 00	90a Weare Farm		
Robinson, Forest			L & B 28136		
Poll		Vet.	25a French Pasture		
1a Land &			30a Seaver Lot		
Bldgs. 8111			5a Steele		
Boat 350			Place 2251		
Exempt 1090	7461	320 82	127a Dawes		
Robinson, Madelene			Land 2715	33102	1423 39
Poll		2 00	Taves, Judith		
Rockwell, Elwin			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	Webster, Floyd		
House Trailer	1064	45 75	Poll		2 00
Rockwood, Alfred			½a Land & Bldgs.	3571	153 55
Poll		Vet.	Webster, Pauline		
1¼a Land &			Poll		2 00
Bldgs. 1954			White, Alpheus		
Exempt " 1000	954	41 02	Poll		Vet.
Rockwood, Mary			5a Land &		
Poll		2 00	Bldgs. 7425		
Russell, Earl			Exempt 1000	6425	276 28
2a Land & Bldgs.	3263	140 52	White, Elizabeth		
Russell, E. J. & H. J.			Poll		2 00
40a Towns Land	400	17 20	White, Fred		
Russell, Edward			Poll		2 00
Poll		2 00	White, Paul		
¾a Land & Trailer	3300	141 90	Poll		Vet.
Russell, Patricia			White, Beatrice		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Russell, Herbert			Whittemore, Kathleen		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
47a Land & Bldgs.	2465	106 00	Yardley, Harold		
Russell, Hazel			Poll		Vet.
Poll		2 00	Land &		
Short, Robert			Bldgs. 15101		
Poll		Vet.	2 boats 450		
½a Land &			Exempt 1000	14551	625 69
Bldgs. 6314			Yardley, Kathryn		
Exempt 1000	5314	228 50	Poll		2 00
Short, Rita			Yardley, William		
Poll		2 00	Poll		2 00
Smith, Melbourne			7a Land &		
Poll		2 00	Bldgs. 9927		
Land & Bldgs.	1220	52 46	23 cows 2300		
Smith, Angie			Exempt 1000	11227	482 76
Poll		2 00	Yardley, Priscilla		
Summers, John			Poll		2 00
Poll		Vet.			

**INVENTORY OF NON RESIDENT TAXABLE
PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF ROXBURY, N. H.
APRIL 1, 1965**

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Babcock, James E. 2a Bald Hill Land	\$20	\$ 86	4a Philips Land & Bldgs.	500	21 50
Baker, Gordon & Fannie			Farr, Leslie 72a Blanchard Land	720	39 96
41a Calvin Davis	410	17 63	Faubert, Robert Land & Bldg.	2480	106 64
Beauregard, Charles Heirs			Flint, Ernest 6a Cummings Land	60	2 58
16a Taft Land	240	10 32	Flower, Jewel 70a Land & Bldg.	19383	833 47
Beauregard & Sons 50a Wright Land	750	32 25	Fox, James 50a Philips Land	500	21 50
Benson, Thomas D. 43a Robbins Farm	13000	559 00	Frechette, Ernest & Floyd 55a Carpenter Land	550	23 65
Blake, Leo & Dale 25a Nims Land	375	16 13	Geddes, Paul 25a Smith Land	250	10 75
Blake, Leo & Duplissie Judith ½a Land	100	4 30	Godwin, Anna-Heirs 1.5 Land & Bldg.	3553	152 78
Blanchard, Dorothy 90a Charles Davis Land	900	38 70	Gordon, Irving 100a Dakin & Cummings	1000	43 00
Blodgett, Virginia ¼a Land & Bldgs.	8426	362 32	Graves, James 4a Land & Bldg.	350	15 05
Buckminster, Nora 100a Newcomb Land	1000	43 00	Hall & Croteau 190a Atwood, Knight Land	1000	43 00
Cameron, Jessica 350a Kingsbury Land	1750	75 25	Hall, Gaius 225a Bald Hill Land	2250	96 75
Cameron, Richard 27a Cody Land	135	5 81	Hammond, John 50a Philips Land	500	21 50
Christodoula, Sarah 299a Land & Bldgs.	10032	431 38	Hildreth, Adelaide 26a Kendall Nims L & B	5175	222 53
Colby, Alvah 74a Phillips Land	740	31 82	Hooper, William Cass L & B Damaged Property	3025 1500 1500	194 58 194 58
Davis, Henry A. 50a Lot 2, Range 1	500		Howe, David 50a Starkey Land	250	10 75
144a Hope Ruggles Land	1440	1940	Howe, Percival 90a Nye Land	990	38 70
Dawes, James 50a Seaver Lot	500	21 50	Keene, City Land	67505	290272
Dawes, Wetemore & Carolyn 1a Hurricane Place	4571	196 55			
Every, Reese & Beverly					

Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax	Name and Description	Valu- ation	Total Tax
Knight, Charles			2a Land	30	1 29
6a Knight Land	60	2 58	Public Service Co. of N.H.		
Knight, Ruth			Power Lines Etc.	35800	1539 40
25a Ox Pasture	250	10 75	Reed, Charles		
Lambert, Emile			45a Brown Lot	450	19 35
25a Page Land	250	10 75	Robinson, Charles W.		
Mason, Robert			130a Lawrence Lot	1390	55 90
100a Fairfield Land	1000	43 00	Robinson, Frank		
Murdock, E. Inc.			32 Brewster Lot	320	13 76
140a Buckminster Land	1120	48 16	Rogers, Roy		
Murray, Harold			2 Plouf Mowing	160	6 88
10a Kingsbury Land	50	2 15	Seavers, Edgar		
Myers, Arthur			60a Land	600	25 80
7a Bridge Sugar Lot	105	4 52	Wallace, Russell & Geraldine		
New England Lumber Inc.			45a Land	450	19 35
89.8 Ellis Land	450	19 35	Walsh, Jane		
40.8a Newman Land	205	8 82	75.75a Wm. Hale Land	760	32 68
New England Power Inc.			Walters, Stanley & Dorothy		
3.3a Page Land	100	4 30	50a Goodnow Land	500	21 50
Power Lines	24830	1071 99	Wells, Wellington Heirs		
Palmer, Inc.			49a Parker Lot	400	17 20
22a Lyden Lot	220	9 46	Wells, Wellington Jr.		
90a Jarve Adames Land	900	38 70	40a Fales Lot	490	17 20
Pell, Clarence			Wilder, Charles		
112a Land	1580	67 94	50 Nims Lot	500	21 50
Pinacle Mt. Dev. Corp.			Williams, Don		
Ski Tows & Bldgs.	6536	281 01	120 Houghton Land	1200	51 60
Placzek, Beverley					

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Appropriations:	
Town tax	\$2,400 00
Highways & bridges	1,500 00
Snow removal	1,500 00
Police Dept.	50 00
Fire Dept.	50 00
Blister Rust Control	50 00
Hospitals	47 00
Town Road Aid	240 23
Town welfare	400 00
Cemeteries	25 00
Election and registration expenses	80 00
Payment on town hall—principal and interest	1,195 00
Monadnock Regional Association	37 08
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Total town appropriations	\$7,574 31
County Tax	1,028 80
School Tax	21,953 68
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Total town, county and school	\$30,556 79
Less estimated income	5,074 18
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Total town, county and school tax	\$25,482 61
Overlay	644 11
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Amount to be raised by property tax	\$26,126 72
Taxes committed to collector:	
Property taxes	\$26,126 72
Poll Taxes	142 00
Head Taxes	450 00
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Total warrant	\$26,718 72

Interest and penalties	\$1 53
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Total warrant—interest & penalties	\$26,720 25
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Tax rate: \$4.30 per \$100.00 @ 100%

Motor vehicle permits	\$1,171 42
Dog licenses	72 50
Cheshire National Bank loan	4,000 00
1965 Flood Control Reimbursement	539 68
1965 Interest and Dividends Tax	1,961 47
Reimbursement-Pine Blister Rust Control	1 20
Class V Highway Maint.	1,136 90
Savings Bank Interest	4 92
Pistol Permits	6 00
Rebate from welfare	7 16

Total receipts	\$8,901 25
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Valuations:

23 cows	\$2,300 00
4 boats	950 00
Power lines	60,630 00
Land and bldgs.	557,717 00

Total valuations	\$621,597 00
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Less Veterans exemptions	13,000 00
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Less stock exemption	1,000 00
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Net valuation on which tax is computed	\$607,597 00
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PAYMENTS

Town officers salaries	\$966 91
Town officers expenses	483 40
Election and registration expenses	60 00
Town hall and other bldgs.	202 19
Police	64 00
Fire Dept.	51 38
Pine Blister Rust Control	50 00
Insurance	168 68
Hospital	47 00
Summer maint.	1,487 93
Winter maint.	1,174 93
T.R.A.	240 23
Class V	1,120 30
Old Age Assistance	490 42
Cemeteries	25 00
Interest	237 00
Discounts and abatements	9 76
Temporary loans	4,000 00
Long term notes	1,000 00
State and County	1,445 74
School District	
1964-65	11,599 30
1965-66	5,906 00
Bounties	13 50
Highways	10 00
Legal expenses	401 35
Monadnock Regional Association	25 00
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Total payments	\$31,280 02

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF ROXBURY
IN CHESHIRE COUNTY
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1965

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.

Feb. 9, 1966

JOHN D. SUMMERS,
 PAUL CHRISTIANSEN,
 CHARLES B. NORWOOD,
 Selectmen

MARY BROWN,
 Treasurer

ASSETS

Cash:	
In hands of treasurer	\$13,707 00
Uncollected taxes:	
Levy of 1965	5,528 63
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1965	130 00
Poll Taxes—Levy of 1965	36 00
Yield Tax (due and not received)	1,225 11
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Total Assets	\$20,626 74
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (net debt)	575 97
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Grand Total	\$21,202 71
Net Debt.—December 31, 1964	3,065 71
Net Debt.—December 31, 1965	575 97
Decrease of Debt (caused by Town Hall const.)	\$2,489 74

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:		
Old Age Assistance		\$25 03
Due to the State:		
State Head Taxes—1965	\$130 00	130 00
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Uncollected:		
Due to School District		16,047 68
Long term notes outstanding		5,000 00
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Total liabilities		\$21,202 71

RECEIPTS

Current revenue from local taxes:	
Property taxes—current year	\$20,524 78
Poll Taxes—current year	102 00
State Head Tax @ \$5.00—1965	315 00
Interest	1 53
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Total current years taxes collected and remitted	\$20,943 31 ✓
Property taxes—Levy of 1964	4,942 83
Poll Taxes—Levy of 1964	46 00
State Head Taxes @ \$5.00 previous year	145 00
Interest received on taxes	137 92
Penalties on property, poll, head taxes	14 50
Poll Taxes—Levy of 1963	4 00
Head Taxes—Levy of 1963	15 00
Interest	22
Class V Highway maint.	1,136 90
Refund Welfare	7 16
Penalties	1 50
Interest and Dividends Tax	1,961 47
Savings Bank Tax	4 92
Reimbursement—Flood Control	539 68
Reimbursement—White Pine Blister Rust	1 20
Pistol Permits	6 00
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From local sources except taxes:	
Dog licenses	72 50

137.92
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Motor Vehicle permits	1,171 42
Total Current receipts	<u>\$31,151 53</u>
Temporary loan in anticipation of taxes	4,000 00
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1965	<u>9,835 49</u>
Grand Total	\$44,987 02

PAYMENTS

Current Maint. expenses:	
General Govt.	
Town officers salaries	\$966 91
Town officers expenses	483 40
Election and registration expenses	60 00
Expenses—town hall and other buildings	<u>202 19</u>
Protection of persons and property:	
Police Dept.	64 00
Fire Dept.	51 38
Blister Rust Control	50 00
Insurance	168 68
Health:	
Health Dept. including hospitals	47 00
Monadnock Regional	25 00
Highways & Bridges:	
T.R.A.	\$240 23
Class V roads	1,120 30
Summer maintenance	1,487 93
Winter Maintenance	1,174 93
Class V	10 00
Welfare:	
Old Age	490 42
Public Service:	
Cemeteries	25 00
Unclassified:	
Bounties	13 50
Discounts & abatements	9 76
Legal expenses	401 35
Total current maintenance expenses	<u>\$7,091 98</u>

Indebtedness:	
Paid on temp. loan in anticipation of taxes	\$4,000 00
Paid on long term notes	1,000 00
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Total indebtedness payments	5,000 00
Interest:	
Paid on temp. loan in anticipation of taxes	\$72 00
Paid on long term notes	165 00
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Total interest payments	237 00
Payments to Other Government Divisions:	
State Head Tax	\$415 50
3 boats	1 44
Tax to county	1,028 80
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Total payments to other government divisions	1,445 74
Payments to School Districts:	
1964-65	\$5,906 00
1965-66	11,599 30
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Total payments to school district	\$17,505 30
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Total payments for all purposes	\$31,280 02
Cash on hand December 31, 1965	13,707 00
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Grand total	\$44,987 02

INVENTORY OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description:	
Town Hall, land and buildings	\$15,000 00
Fire department, land and buildings	1,000 00
Equipment	1,000 00
Highway department, equipment	400 00
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Total	\$17,400 00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For Year Ending December 31, 1965

1965 Motor Vehicle Permits		
No. 301301 thru 301452	\$1,160	19
1964 Motor Vehicle Permits		
No. 416037 thru 416044		11 23
		\$1,171 42
1965 Dog licenses		
No. 1 thru 33		72 50
		\$1,243 92

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID C. BROWN.

Town Clerk

17,505.30
 1455.74

 18,961.04

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Summary of Warrant Property, Poll and Head Taxes Levy of 1955

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector :	
Property taxes	\$26,126 72
Poll taxes	142 00
Head taxes	450 00
	\$26,718 72
Total warrant	\$26,718 72
Total interest and penalties	1 53
	\$26,720 25
Total debits	\$26,720 25

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer :	
Property taxes	\$20,524 78
Poll taxes	102 00
Head taxes	315 00
Interest and penalties	1 53
	\$20,943 31
Total remitted	\$20,943 31
Uncollected taxes as per collectors list :	
Property taxes	\$5,528 63
Poll taxes	36 00
Head taxes	130 00
	5,694 63
Total uncollected, December 31, 1965	5,694 63
Property, poll, and head taxes abated	82 31
	\$26,720 25
Total credits	\$26,720 25

Uncollected taxes per collectors list
as of December 31, 1965

	Property	Poll	Head
Leon Beteau	\$129 00	\$2 00	\$5 00
Shirley Beteau		2 00	5 00
Millard Blanchard	582 65	2 00	5 00
Lucille Blanchard		2 00	5 00
Carl Buckley	199 52		5 00
Elizabeth Buckley		2 00	5 00
Clarence Davis	38 70		
Stanley Fisher	488 78	2 00	5 00
Kathryn Fisher		2 00	5 00
Hazel Nourse		2 00	5 00
Mandell Rice		2 00	5 00
Francis Roach			5 00
Sue Ann Roach		2 00	5 00
Robert Short			5 00
Rita Short		2 00	5 00
John Summers			5 00
Elizabeth Summers	141 47	2 00	5 00
Alpheus White			5 00
Elizabeth White		2 00	5 00
Paul White			5 00
Beatrice White		2 00	5 00
Katherine Whittemore		2 00	5 00
Alfred Rockwood			5 00
Mary Rockwood		2 00	5 00
Earl Russell	140 52		5 00
Melbourne Smith	52 46	2 00	5 00
Angie Smith		2 00	5 00
Arnold Bailey	57 37		
Charles Bailey	186 28		
George Davis	370 23		
Edwin Ellis	468 87		
Eugene Gunseth	226 09		
Leo Paul	525 03		
Edward Russell	141 90		
Beauregard & Sons	32 95		
Nora Buckminster	43 00		

Alvah Colby	31 82
Leslie Farr	30 96
Robert Faubert	106 64
Jewel Flower	833 47
Ernest & Lloyd Frechette	23 65
Paul Geddes	10 75
Irvin Gordon	43 00
John Hammond	21 50
Adelaide Iremonger	222 53
William Hooper	64 50
E. Murdoch	2 00
Pinnacle Mt. Develop. Corp.	281 01
Jane Walsh	32 68

Total uncollected 1965 taxes	\$5,528 63	\$36 00	\$130 00
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**Summary of Warrant
Property, Poll & Head Taxes
Levy .of 1964**

DR.

Uncollected taxes, Jan. 1, 1965 :		
Property	\$4,942 83	
Poll	60 00	
Head	190 00	
		\$5,192 83
Interest collected during 1965		137 92
Penalties collected during 1965		14 50
Total debits		\$5,345 25

CR.

Remittances to treasurer during 1965 :	
Property taxes	\$4,942 83
Poll taxes	46 00
Head taxes	145 00
Interest	137 92

Penalties	14 50	
Total remitted		\$5,286 25
Property, poll and head taxes abated		59 00
Total credits		\$5,345 25

**Summary of Warrant
Poll and Head Taxes
Levy of 1963
DR.**

Uncollected taxes, Jan. 1, 1965:

Poll	\$22 00	
Head	70 00	
		\$92 00
Interest collected during 1965		22
Penalties collected during 1965		1 50
Total debits		\$93 72

CR.

Remittances to treasurer during 1965:

Poll taxes	\$4 00	
Head taxes	15 00	
Interest	22	
Penalties	1 50	
Total remitted		\$20 72
Poll and head taxes abated		73 00
Total credits		\$93 72

I hereby certify that the above lists showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of Dec. 31, 1965 on account of the tax levies of 1965, 1964, and 1963 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PRISCILLA YARDLEY,
Tax Collector

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

For Year Ending December 31, 1965

Cash on hand January 1, 1965		\$9,835 49
Received from Tax Collector:		
1963 Poll taxes	\$4 00	
1963 Interest	22	
1963 Head taxes	15 00	
1963 Head tax penalties	1 50	
1964 Poll taxes	46 00	
1964 Property taxes	4,942 83	
1964 Interest	137 92	
1964 Head taxes	145 00	
1964 Head tax penalties	14 50	
1965 Poll taxes	102 00	
1965 Property taxes	20,524 78	
1965 Interest	03	
1965 Head taxes	315 00	
1965 Head tax penalties	1 50	
		\$26,250 28
Received from Town Clerk:		
Motor Vehicle permits	\$1,171 42	
Dog licenses	72 50	
		1,243 92
Received from Other Sources:		
Cheshire National Bank loan	\$4,000 00	
Pistol permits	6 00	
State of New Hampshire:		
Refund: White Pine Blister		
Rust Fund	1 20	
Class V Highway maintenance	1,136 90	
1965 Flood Control		
Reimbursement	539 68	

1965: Dividends tax	1,961 47	
1965: Savings tax	4 92	
Rebate on Welfare	7 16	
		7,657 33
Total receipts		\$44,987 02
Less selectmen's orders paid		31,280 02
Cash on hand, December 31, 1965		\$13,707 00

Respectfully submitted,

MARY H. BROWN,

Town Treasurer

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

General Maintenance

Town appropriation for 1965		\$1,600 00
Summer maintenance spent	\$1,487 93	

Snow Removal and Sanding

Town appropriation for 1965		\$1,500 00
Winter maintenance spent	\$1,174 93	

T.R.A.

T.R.A. money was spent tarring Davis Road. Town share was \$242.02.

Respectfully Submitted,

WILLIAM L. YARDLEY,

Road Agent

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ROXBURY ON DECEMBER 31, 1965

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Principal Beginning of Year	Principal End of Year	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Mar. 8, 1892	Ruel H. Kingsbury Cemetery Fund	Keene Savings Bank Book No. 836	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$107.41	\$8.88	\$5.00	\$111.29
Aug. 9, 1834	Nye Cemetery Fund	Keene Savings Bank Book No. 17907	100.00	100.00	48.87	6.35	5.00	50.22
July 12, 1946	Eli Clark Cemetery Fund	Keene Savings Bank Book No. 20413	200.00	200.00	122.00	13.83	5.00	130.83
Dec. 5, 1955	Ruben Phillips Cemetery Fund	Keene Savings Bank Book No. 28540	100.00	100.00	23.39	5.27	5.00	23.66
June 4, 1909	George G. Davis Cemetery Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 5535	100.00	100.00	119.91	9.42	5.00	124.33
Apr. 14, 1921	Ellen A. Davis Cemetery Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 13980	100.00	100.00	52.31	6.52	5.00	53.83
Jan. 11, 1946	Josiah and Eliza Davis Cemetery Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 36353	100.00	100.00	52.45	6.53	5.00	53.98
June 24, 1915	Roxbury Cemetery Association	Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 8738	11.61	11.61	42.69	2.32		45.01
Apr. 30, 1964	Charles & Alice Evleth Cemetery Fund	Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 65072	100.00	100.00	2.84	4.42		7.26
		TOTALS	\$911.61	\$911.61	\$571.87	\$63.54	\$35.00	\$600.41

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

January 18, 1966.

ALPHEUS C. WHITE,
Trustee.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

To the Selectmen of Roxbury:

This is to certify that I have audited the books of the Town of Roxbury for the year ending December 31, 1965.

I have examined the books and records of the Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Road Agent, Selectmen and Trustee of Trust Funds (including and examination of the securities). I find that the books and records of the town reflect its true financial condition as of December 31, 1965, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I find that the town officers are bonded by surety companies as required by law. Uncollected taxes reported by the tax collector have been verified by written notice.

I would like to thank the town officers for their cooperation and assistance during the period of the audit and I feel that each officer is conscientiously fulfilling the duties of his office.

Respectfully submitted,

OLIVER F. DERBY,

Town Auditor

January 22, 1966

VITAL STATISTICS

MARRIAGES

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Groom's parents</i>	<i>Bride's parents</i>
Sept. 18	Raymond Napoleon Dufour, Jr.	Raymond Napoleon Dufour	Edwin Bert Ellis
	June Alice Ellis	Ida Eva Morrill	Marion Louella Aldrich

DEATHS

<i>Date</i>	<i>Name</i>
Jan. 8	Oland M. Blake
July 22	Amos Blanchard

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID C. BROWN,

Town Clerk

