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**ANNUAL REPORTS**

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## Town Warrant

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Brookfield, in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall, in said Brookfield on Tuesday, the 14th day of March, next at ten 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 authorize the Selectmen to hire a sum of money to pay Town Charges in anticipation of Taxes.
4. To see if the Town will vote to accept Town Road Aid on Class V Highways and appropriate \$275.56 as the Town's share.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$100.00 for the Sanbornville Fire Precinct.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 for the use of the Sanbornville Town Dump.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 for the Gafney Library in Sanbornville.
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$165.00 for Huggins Hospital in Wolfeboro.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$50.00 for the Planning Board.

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10. By petition, To see if the Town will vote to have a Street Light installed at Griffin Corner and raise the sum of \$50.44 to pay for the electric current usage at this point and at the Whittaker Corner.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$8,570.00 and take the sum of \$3,000.00 from the Capital Reserve Fund to buy a new truck and snow plow.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$55.81 for the Lakes Region Association.

13. To see if the Town will vote to extend voting hours until 6:30 so that all voters will have a chance to vote.

14. To see if the Town will vote to hold all future Town Meetings at night so that all voters may have a chance to vote.

15. To see if the Town will vote to abolish the Planning Board.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$25.00 to cut the grass at the Town Hall and School House.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before said Town Meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty.

WILLIAM W. D. TARLETON,  
IRENE L. CATE,  
MYRON J. CATE,

Selectmen of Brookfield

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

WILLIAM W. D. TARLETON,  
IRENE L. CATE, MYRON J. CATE,  
Selectmen of Brookfield

## Budget of the Town of Brookfield, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the En-  
suing Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961.  
Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Approp-  
riations and Expenditures of the Previous Year  
January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

### SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960	Estimated Revenue Ensnig Year 1961
<b>From State:</b>			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 5,450.00	\$ 7,985.79	\$ 5,000.00
Railroad Tax	94.00	58.70	50.00
Savings Bank Tax	9.00	2.72	0.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		17.45	
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes</b>			
Dog Licenses	40.00	56.40	40.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	4.00	8.00	4.00
Highway, including rental of equipment		58.00	
Duncan Fund		482.97	482.07
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,000.00	1,271.76	1,000.00
Cash Surplus			767.13
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ \$2	172.00	138.00	138.00
Yield Taxes	500.00	183.57	400.00
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<b>TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES</b>			
<b>EXCEPT PROP. TAXES</b>	<b>\$ 7,669.00</b>	<b>\$10,262.40</b>	<b>\$ 7,399.13</b>

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## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations Previous Year 1960	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1960	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1961
<b>Current Maintenance Expenses:</b>			
<b>General Government:</b>			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,079.04	\$ 1,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	600.00	612.43	725.00
Election and Registration Expenses	200.00	225.04	200.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	325.00	475.55	175.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	125.00	457.19	500.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>			
Police Department	20.00	19.40	20.00
Fire Department	400.00	129.69	400.00
Insurance	550.00	524.34	550.00
Planning and Zoning	50.00	50.00	50.00
<b>Health:</b>			
Health Department, Including Hospitals	50.00	53.00	168.00
Vital Statistics	5.00	5.00	5.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	50.00	50.00	50.00
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>			
Town Maintenance, Summer	2,500.00	1,814.79	2,630.00
Town Maintenance, Winter	2,500.00	3,244.19	2,630.00
Street Lighting			50.44
General Expenses of Highway Department	1,800.00	1,898.45	1,800.00
Town Road Aid	276.85	276.85	275.56
<b>Libraries</b>	50.00	50.00	50.00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>			
Town Poor	210.00	210.24	200.00
Old Age Assistance	500.00	678.52	700.00



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**Patriotic Purposes:**

Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	15.00	10.90	15.00
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**Interest:**

On Temporary Loans	100.00	59.17	100.00
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**Highways and Bridges:**

Oiling Roads			2,000.00
Duncan Fund		482.07	482.07
New Equipment			8,570.00

County Taxes	1,600.00	1,987.95	2,000.00
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School Taxes	13,244.74	12,000.00	12,617.01
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TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$26,329.59	\$26,393.79	\$37,681.01
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**SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION**

	No.	Gross Valuation
Land and Buildings		\$520,435.00
Mill Property	1	500.00
Electric Plants	2	28,775.00
House Trailers Used as Dwellings	2	2,000.00
Stock in Trade		4,850.00
Horses, Asses and Mules	5	275.00
Cows	34	3,210.00
Sheep and Goats	3	21.00
Hogs	1	10.60
Wood, Lumber, Logs, etc.		7,025.00
Total Gross Valuation before		

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Exemptions Allowed		567,101.00
Less: Veterans' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind	9	9,000.00
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Net Valuation on which Tax is Computed		\$558,101.00
<b>Electric and Gas Utility Companies</b>		
Public Service Co. of N. H.		\$ 26,600.00
N. H. Electric Cooperative Inc.		2,175.00
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Total		\$ 28,775.00
Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans		\$ 9,000.00
Number of inventories distributed		184
Number of inventories returned		108
Number of veterans who received property exemption		9
Number of veterans exempted from poll tax		11

### STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

<b>Appropriations</b>	
Town Officers Salaries	\$1,200.00
Town Officers Expenses	600.00
Election and Registration Expenses	200.00
Town Hall and Bldgs. Maintenance	325.00
Police Department	20.00
Fire Dept.; Forest Fires	400.00
Planning and Zoning	50.00
Insurance	550.00
Health Dept., \$3.; Hospitals, \$50.	53.00
Vital Statistics	5.00
Dump and Garbage Collection	50.00

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Town Road Aid	276.85	
Town Maintenance (Summer \$2,500)		
(Winter \$2,500)	5,000.00	
Bounties	10.00	
General Expenses of		
Highway Department	1,800.00	
Libraries	50.00	
Old Age Assistance	500.00	
Town Poor	210.00	
Memorial Day	15.00	
Social Security and		
Retirement Contributions	125.00	
New Construction	3,000.00	
Payment on Debt, Interest	100.00	
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Total Town Appropriations		\$ 14,539.85
County Tax		1,987.65
School Tax		13,244.74
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Total Town, County and		
School Appropriations		\$ 29,772.24
Less : Estimated Revenues and Credits		
Interest and Dividends Tax	5,450.00	
Railroad Tax	94.00	
Savings Bank Tax	9.00	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	500.00	
Dog Licenses	40.00	
Business Licenses and Permits	4.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,000.00	
Cash Surplus (see note)*	1,170.79	
Other Revenue: Class V	482.07	
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Revenues and Credits		8,749.86
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Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		21,022.38

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Less: 92 Poll Taxes @ \$2.00	184.00
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Amount to be raised by property taxes	\$ 20,838.38
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### **Taxes to be Committed to Collector:**

Property Taxes	\$ 20,838.38
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Poll Taxes at \$2.00, 92	184.00
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Total Taxes to be committed	\$21,022.38
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\*Note: Cash Surplus—Difference between cash balance and current liabilities excluding long term debt as of December 31.

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES**  
**Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1960**

Title of Appropriations	Appropriations	Reimbursements	Total Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Town Officers' Salaries	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,079.04	120.96	
Town Officers' Expenses	600.00		600.00	612.43		12.43
Election and Registration	200.00		200.00	225.04		25.04
Town Hall and Buildings	325.00		325.00	475.55		150.55
Police Department	20.00		20.00	19.40	.60	
Fire Department	400.00		400.00	129.69	270.31	
Health Department, \$3.; Huggins Hosp. \$50.	53.00		53.00	53.00		
Vital Statistics	5.00		5.00	5.00		
State Aid Construction, Duncan Fund	482.07		482.07	480.44	1.63	
Dump	50.00		50.00	50.00		
T. R. A.	276.85	171.85	448.70	276.85		
Summer Highway	2,500.00		2,500.00	1,814.79	685.21	
Highway and Bridges, Boston Bridge	3,000.00		3,000.00	2,614.74	385.26	
Winter Highway	2,500.00		2,500.00	3,244.19		744.19
General Expenses, H. D.	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,898.45		98.45
Library	50.00		50.00	50.00		
Old Age Assistance	500.00		500.00	678.52		178.52
Town Poor	210.00		210.00	210.24		.24
Memorial Day	15.00		15.00	10.90	4.10	
Retirement	125.00		125.00	457.19		332.19
Interest	100.00		100.00	59.17	40.83	
County Tax	1,987.95		1,987.95	1,987.95		
Insurance	550.00		550.00	524.34	25.66	
Payments to Capital Reserve Fund						
Schools	13,244.74		13,244.74	6,000.00	7,244.74	
Planning & Zoning	50.00		50.00	50.00		
Bounties	10.00		10.00	1.00	9.00	
	<u>\$30,254.61</u>	<u>\$171.85</u>	<u>\$30,373.46</u>	<u>\$23,007.92</u>	<u>\$8,788.30</u>	<u>\$1,541.61</u>

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FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE  
TOWN OF BROOKFIELD

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BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash		
In hands of treasurer	\$	8,011.87
<b>Capital Reserve Funds:</b>		
(For the acquisition of equipment and new construction)		4,484.90
<b>Accounts Due to the Town:</b>		
Due from State:		
Railroad Tax—1959		94.00
<b>Uncollected Taxes: Levy of 1960</b>		3,531.10
Levy of 1959		2.00
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1960		115.00
State Head Taxes— Previous Years, 1959		5.00
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Total Assets	\$	16,243.87

Liabilities

<b>Accounts Owned by the Town:</b>		
Due to State:		
Uncollected State Head Taxes—1960		115.00
Uncollected Yield Tax— Bond & Debt Retirement		761.30
Due to School Districts:		
Balance of Appropriation		7,244.74
<b>Capital Reserve Funds:</b>		

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(Offsets similar Asset account)	4,484.90	
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Total Liabilities		\$ 12,605.94
Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus)		3,637.93
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Grand Total		\$ 16,243.87

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION  
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Receipts

**Current Revenue:**

**From Local Taxes:**

(Collected and remitted to Treas.)

**Property Taxes,**

Current Year, 1960	\$ 16,810.01
Poll Taxes, Current Year, 1960	138.00
Yield Taxes—1960	183.51
State Head Taxes @ \$5, 1960	440.00

<b>Total Current Year's Taxes</b>	
collected and remitted	\$ 17,571.52
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—	
Previous Years, 1959	2,112.72
Poll Taxes, Previous Years	30.00
State Head Taxes @ \$5, Previous Years	85.00
Interest received on Taxes	73.91
Penalties on State Head Taxes	3.00
Tax sales redeemed	126.83
<b>From State:</b>	
For Highways and Bridges:	
For Town Road Aid	171.85
For Class V Highway maintenance, Duncan Fund	482.07

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Interest and dividends tax	7,985.79
Railroad Tax, 1959	58.70
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	2.72
Gasoline Tax	10.15
Fighting forest fires	17.45
Reimbursement, Leon Willey, Town Clerk	90.78
Reimbursement, Peerless Ins. Co., 1959 Receipts	1,000.00
Bounties	1.00
<b>From Local Sources, Except Taxes:</b>	
Dog Licenses	56.40
Pistol Permits	8.00
Rent of town property	58.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1960	1,271.76
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Total Current Revenue Receipts	\$ 31,220.65
<b>Receipts Other than Current Revenue:</b>	
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	5,000.00
Refunds	225.80
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$ 36,446.45
Cash on hand January 1, 1960	6,615.53
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Grand Total	\$ 43,061.98

### Payments

#### Current Maintenance Expenses:

##### General Government:

Town officer's salaries	\$	1,079.04
Town officer's expenses		612.43
Election and registration expenses		225.04
Expenses town hall and other town buildings		475.55



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**Protection of Persons and Property :**

Police department	19.40
Fire department, including forest fires	129.69
Planning and Zoning	50.00
Insurance	524.34

**Health :**

Health department, \$3.00, Huggins Hospital, \$50.00	53.00
Vital statistics	5.00
Town dumps and garbage removal	50.00

**Highways and Bridges :**

Repairs, Boston Bridge	2,614.74
Town Road Aid	276.85
Town Maintenance, (Summer, \$1,814.79) (Winter, \$3,244.19)	5,058.98
Class V—Duncan Fund	480.44
General Expenses of Highway Department	1,898.45

**Libraries :** 50.00

**Public Welfare :**

Old Age Assistance	678.52
Town poor	210.24

**Patriotic Purposes :**

Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations	10.90
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**Unclassified :**

Regional Associations	6.00
Taxes bought by town	108.85
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	10.07
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	457.19

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\$ 15,082.72

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**Interest:**

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	59.17
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**Outlay of New Construction,**

**Equipment and Permanent Improvements:**

Paid to State Auditors	44.92
Property Transfer Cards	8.52

**Indebtedness:**

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	5,000.00
Town Officer's bonds	53.00

**Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:**

State Head Taxes paid State Treas. (1960 Taxes \$387.50) (Prior Yrs. \$222.30)	609.80
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Payment to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	202.03
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Taxes paid to County	1,987.95
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Payments to School Districts (1959 Tax \$6,000.00) (1960 Tax \$6,000.00)	12,000.00
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Total Payments for All Purposes	\$ 35,050.11
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Cash on hand December 31, 1960	8,011.87
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<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$ 43,061.98</b>
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### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 10,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	300.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	1,500.00
Equipment	9,500.00

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Schools, Lands and Buildings	200.00
<b>Total</b>	<u>\$ 22,000.00</u>

**TOWN CLERK'S REPORT  
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1959 Auto Permits, 35836-35842	\$ 52.18
1960 Auto Permits, 35701-35834	1,219.58
<b>Total</b>	<u>\$ 1,271.76</u>
Paid to Treasurer	<u>\$ 1,271.76</u>
<b>Dog Licenses</b>	
5 Female Licenses @ \$5.00	\$ 25.00
18 Male Licenses @ \$2.00	36.00
<u>23</u>	<u>\$ 61.00</u>
23 @ 20¢ fee retained	4.60
	<u>\$ 56.40</u>
Paid to Treasurer	<u>\$ 56.40</u>
<b>Filing Fees</b>	
3 Supervisors, Checklist @ \$1.00	\$ 3.00
1 Moderator	1.00
	<u>\$ 4.00</u>
Paid to Treasurer	<u>\$ 4.00</u>

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**COLLECTOR'S REPORT**  
**1957 Yield Tax**

Uncollected		\$	148.50
<b>Remitted to Treasurer</b>			
Yield Taxes	\$	148.50	
Interest		15.50	
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		\$	164.00

**COLLECTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

<b>Levy of 1959</b>			
Evans W. DeBow, Taxes	\$	82.22	
Interest		3.69	
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Sold to Town of Brookfield		\$	85.91
Hubert Blanchard, Taxes	\$	13.50	
Interest		.54	
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Sold to Town of Brookfield		\$	14.04

NORRIS E. CATE,  
Collector

**TREASURER'S REPORT**  
**For Fiscal Year 1960**

**RECEIPTS**

Norris E. Cate, Tax Collector:

Yield tax, 1957	\$	148.50
Yield tax, interest, 1957		15.50
Yield tax, 1959		148.16
Yield tax, 1960		183.51

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Head tax, 1959	85.00	
Head tax, penalties, 1959	7.50	
Head tax, 1960	440.00	
Head tax, penalty, 1960	.50	
Poll tax, 1959	30.00	
Poll tax, 1960	138.00	
Property tax, 1959	1,816.16	
Property tax, interest, 1959	58.51	
Property tax, 1960	16,810.01	
Tax lien bought from town, Stockton	90.97	
Tax lien bought from town, Cuneo	18.61	
		\$ 19,990.93
State Treasurer:		
Interest and dividend tax	7,985.79	
Savings Bank tax	2.72	
Maintenance, Class V Highways	482.07	
Railroad tax, 1959	58.70	
Refund on Head taxes	73.80	
T. R. A. Duncan Fund	22.50	
Refund, N. R. A.	149.35	
Refund on gasoline bill	10.15	
Porcupine bounty	1.00	
Forest Fire Training School	14.10	
Forest fire, 1959	3.15	
		8,803.33
Fannie E. Hansen, Town Clerk:		
Auto transfers and permits	1,271.76	
Dog licenses	56.40	
Filing fees	4.00	
		1,332.16
Wolfeboro National Bank, temporary loan		5,000.00

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### Other Sources:

Plowing driveways, 1958-1959	52.50	
Peerless Ins. Co., C. T. Willey bond	1,000.00	
Est. C. T. Willey, balance due	90.78	
Refund, Est. Grover C. Brown	150.00	
Pistol permit licenses	4.00	
Rent of town property, DeBow	5.50	
William Morrison, redemption of property	17.25	
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		1,320.03
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		\$ 36,446.45

Total receipts	\$36,446.45	
Balance on hand, January 1, 1960	6,615.53	
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		\$ 43,061.98

### PAYMENTS

Paid by Selectmen's orders	\$35,050.11	
Cash on hand, January 1, 1961	8,011.87	
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		\$ 43,061.98

A true summary of accounts, taken from books of the Treasurer, for fiscal year 1960, and respectfully submitted to you by

BERTHA W. PALMER,  
Treasurer

### DETAILED PAYMENTS

#### Town Officers' Salaries

William W. D. Tarleton, Selectman \$194.00

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Irene L. Cate, Selectman	194.00
Myron J. Cate, Selectman	194.00
Fannie Hansen, Town Clerk	167.00
Bertha W. Palmer, Treasurer	97.00
Norris E. Cate, Collector	213.64
Ernest Nichols, Police Chief	9.70
Bert Holman, Police	9.70
Wendell P. Keene, Auditor	9.70
Winifred P. Whittaker, Auditor	9.70

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\$ 1,079.04

**Town Officers' Expenses**

William W. D. Tarleton	\$100.00
Irene L. Cate	54.00
Myron J. Cate	35.00
Norris E. Cate	12.48
Fannie Hansen	15.00
Bertha W. Palmer	34.00
Branham Publishing Co.	9.36
Robert Moulton	34.50
N. H. Assessors Association	3.00
Kingswood Press	248.10
Brown & Saltmarsh	50.99
Town and City Publishers	10.00
N. H. Collectors Association	3.00
City and Town Association	3.00

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\$ 612.43

**Election and Registration**

Albert Whittaker, Supervisor	\$ 38.97
Charles Witham, Supervisor	33.97
Raymond Nason, Supervisor	9.70
Horace Richter, Supervisor	24.40
Howard P. Sawyer, Moderator	14.55
Carl C. Hansen, Ballot Clerk	14.55
Bertha W. Palmer, Ballot Clerk	14.55

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Louise Mattson, Ballot Clerk	14.55	
Lillian M. West Jr., Ballot Clerk	9.70	
Mary L. Cotton, Ballot Clerk	4.85	
Kingswood Press	45.25	
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		\$ 225.04

### Summer Highway

Raymond L. Nason	\$1,105.45	
Raymond M. Cate	499.61	
Ralph Hill	27.23	
New England Lumber Co., gravel	83.60	
William J. Vickers & Son, cold patch	67.20	
Wakefield Garage	31.70	
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		\$ 1,814.79

### Winter Highway

Raymond L. Nason	\$1,608.00	
Raymond M. Cate	91.89	
Fred Nason Sr.	25.00	
Edward Nason	6.06	
Fred Nason Jr.	27.88	
Ernest Nichols	33.16	
Bruce McBrien	23.04	
David Nason	18.19	
Polini Bros.	39.00	
W. H. Shurtleff	519.55	
Wakefield Garage	543.73	
R. C. Hazelton Inc.	245.62	
Kibby Equipment Co.	23.02	
Dube and Murphy	74.70	
Robert Doe	12.60	
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		\$ 3,244.19

### General Expenses of Highway

Transport Clearing of N. E. Inc.	\$ 2.70
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Wakefield Garage	965.70	
Dube & Murphy	377.18	
Charles DiPrizzio & Sons	199.74	
Wolfeboro Highway Dept.	33.00	
J. M. Haines Est.	9.15	
Raymond L. Nason	56.00	
R. C. Hazelton Inc.	45.24	
Raymond M. Cate	9.70	
Cates Gulf Station, tires	200.00	
		\$ 1,889.30

**Town Hall and Other Buildings**

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 22.20	
New England Tel. & Tel.	75.60	
Clyde Laskey, wood	12.00	
Lakeview Oil Co. Inc.	9.25	
Henry Cotton, shingling Town Hall	325.00	
Harry E. Graham, coal	31.50	
		\$ 475.55

**Fire Department**

Sanbornville Fire Dept .	\$100.00	
Raymond Nason	6.21	
Erford Cowan	5.24	
Henry Cotton	9.12	
Ernest Nichols	9.12	
		129.69

**Police Department**

Ernest Nichols	\$ 9.70	
Bert Holman	9.70	
		\$ 19.40

**Retirement O. A. S. I**

State of New Hampshire	\$	457.19
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<b>Insurance</b>	
Wentworth Insurance Agency	\$ 524.34
<b>Health Department</b>	
Fannie Hansen	\$ 3.00
Huggins Hospital	50.00
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	\$ 53.00
<b>Vital Statistics</b>	
Fannie Hansen	\$ 5.00
<b>Town Dump</b>	
Town of Wakefield	\$ 50.00
<b>Library</b>	
Gafney Library	\$ 50.00
<b>Interest</b>	
Wolfeboro National Bank	\$ 59.17
<b>Payments on Temporary Loans</b>	
Wolfeboro National Bank	\$ 5,000.00
<b>Memorial Day</b>	
Tessier & Bean, flags	\$ 10.90
<b>Old Age Assistance</b>	
State of New Hampshire	\$ 678.52
<b>Town Poor</b>	
Carroll County Commissioner	\$ 8.00
Public Relief	202.24
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	\$ 210.24
<b>Refunds</b>	
T. R. A.	\$ 171.85
<b>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions</b>	
State Auditors	\$ 44.92
Estella White	.30
County Tax	1,987.65

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School District 1959-1960	6,000.00	
School District 1960-1961	6,000.00	
Peerless Insurance Co., Town Officers' bonds	53.00	
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		\$ 14,085.87

**Schedule of Town Property**

Town Hall, Land and Buildings	\$10,000.00	
Furniture and Equipment	500.00	
Fire Dept., Land, Buildings and Equipment	300.00	
Highway Dept., Land, Buildings and Equipment	1,500.00	
Schools, Land and Buildings	200.00	
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		\$ 12,500.00

**REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BROOKFIELD**  
**For Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1960**

Name of Trust Fund	PRINCIPAL			INCOME			Bal. End Year
	Bal. Begin. Year	New Funds Created	Bal. End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	
Reed A. Lang	\$ 200.00		200.00	21.16	6.67		27.33
Thomas T. Dealand	50.00		50.00	23.43	2.20		25.63
Noah Robinson	100.00		100.00	10.45	3.33		13.78
Joseph N. Podrasnik	500.00		500.00	229.11	19.50		248.61
Jasper T. Palmer	675.00		675.00	38.63	21.55	15.00	45.18
Mary Garland	200.00		200.00	41.70	7.28		48.98
Samuel Allen	300.00		300.00	29.09	9.94		39.03
Eva C. Willey Mem.	233.81		233.81	24.25	7.78		32.03
Capital Reserve Fund	4,353.34		4,353.34		131.56		4,484.90

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 February 1, 1961

F. BRUCE TASKER,  
 Trustee

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(For Previous Year's Levy)  
 SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
 PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES  
 LEVY OF 1959

DR.

Uncollected Taxes—As of January 1, 1960:	
Property Taxes	\$ 1,816.16
Poll Taxes	30.00
Yield Taxes	148.16
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	\$ 1,994.32
Interest Collected During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1960	58.51
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 2,052.83

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1960:	
Property Taxes	\$ 1,816.16
Poll Taxes	30.00
Yield Taxes	148.16
Interest Collected During Year	58.51
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	\$ 2,052.83
Abatements Made During Year:	
Poll Taxes	4.00
Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List:	
Poll Taxes	2.00
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 2,058.83

(For Previous Year's Levy)  
 SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
 STATE HEAD TAX  
 LEVY OF 1959

DR.

Uncollected Taxes, As of January 1, 1960	\$ 105.00
Penalties Collected During 1960	7.50
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TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 112.50

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During 1960:

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Head Taxes	\$	85.00	
Penalties		7.50	
			\$ 92.50
Abatements During 1960			15.00
Uncollected Head Taxes, As Per Collector's List			5.00
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>			<b>\$ 112.50</b>

(For Current Year's Levy)  
**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
 PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES  
 LEVY OF 1960**

DR.

<b>Taxes Committed to Collector:</b>			
Property Taxes	\$	19,534.06	
Poll Taxes		184.00	
Total Warrant			\$ 19,718.06
<b>Yield Taxes</b>			<b>1,339.63</b>
<b>Added Taxes:</b>			
Property Taxes	\$	1.75	
Poll Taxes		2.00	
			3.75
<b>TOTAL DEBITS</b>			<b>\$ 21,061.44</b>

CR.

<b>Remittances to Treasurer:</b>			
Property Taxes	\$	16,810.01	
Poll Taxes		138.00	
Yield Taxes		183.51	
			\$ 17,131.52
<b>Abatements:</b>			
Poll Taxes	\$	4.00	
Yield Taxes		394.82	
			398.82
<b>Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List:</b>			
Property Taxes	\$	2,725.80	

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Poll Taxes	44.00	
Yield Taxes	761.30	
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		3,531.10
TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 21,061.44

(For Current Year's Levy)  
 SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
 STATE HEAD TAX  
 LEVY OF 1960

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Original Warrant	\$	565.00
Added Taxes		5.00
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Total Commitment	\$	570.00
Penalties Collected		.50
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 570.50

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$	440.00
Penalties		.50
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	\$	440.50
Abatements		15.00
Uncollected Head Taxes— As Per Collector's List		115.00
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 570.50

## VITAL STATISTICS

### BIRTHS

Date	Name of Child	Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 20	Therese C. Soucy	Armond J. Soucy	Louise Swinerton
June 22	Kenneth C. Ringer, III	Kenneth C. Ringer	Jeanne A. Morgan

### DEATHS

Date	Name	Place of Birth	Age
May 4	George Everett West	Wakefield, N. H.	76 Years
June 1	Joseph Edwin Parker	Kittery, Maine	61 Years
June 20	John J. Monahan	Boston, Mass	67 Years
July 17	Mary Leona Cotton	Brookfield, N. H.	74 Years



SCHOOL REPORT

Town of Brookfield

For the Year ending June 30, 1960

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LIST OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

**Moderator**

MRS. RUTH FLETCHER

**Clerk**

MR. J. CARROLL TUCKER

**Treasurer**

MRS. MARY WITHAM

**Truant Officer**

MR. BRUCE TASKER

**Census Enumerator**

MR. BRUCE TASKER

**Auditors**

MR. WENDELL KEENE    MR. HORACE RICHTER

**School Board**

MR. J. CARROLL TUCKER    Term Expires 1961  
Chairman

MR. ALBERT WHITTAKER    Term Expires 1962

MRS. EDNA MANZER    Term Expires 1963

**Superintendent**

EVERETT H. BRASIER

The State of New Hampshire

SCHOOL WARRANT

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of March, 1961, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon, 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 transact any other business taht may legally come before said meeting on this date.

Given under our hands at said Brookfield this 15th day of February, 1961.

J. CARROLL TUCKER,  
ALBERT E. WHITTAKER,  
EDNA L. MANZER,  
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

J. CARROLL TUCKER,  
ALBERT E. WHITTAKER,  
EDNA L. MANZER,  
School Board

**PROPOSED BROOKFIELD SCHOOL BUDGET**

**1961-1962**

**Administration**

Salaries of District Officers

Moderator	\$	2.00
District Clerk		4.00
School Board		100.00
Treasurer		30.00
Auditors		4.00

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140.00

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Local Share of Superintendent's Salary. Percent of Supervisory Union Expenses 2.30%		103.50
Tax for State Wide Supervision, a tax of \$2.00 per resident pupil payable to the State		52.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel Truant Officer & Census		10.00
Supplies & Expenses Local Share of expenses of Supervisory Union	\$ 100.86	
Superintendent's Travel	27.60	
School Board's Expenses	15.00	
	<hr/>	143.46
<b>Operation of School Plant</b>		
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses		25.00
<b>Auxiliary Activities</b>		
Transportation—High 6 pupils @ \$60.00	\$ 360.00	
Tuition—High 2 @ \$400.00 4 @ \$360.00	\$ 2,240.00	
Tuition—Elementary 18 @ \$265.00	4,770.00	
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<b>Fixed Charges</b>		
Superintendent's Retirement		8.05
Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses		65.00
<b>Contingency Fund</b>		
For emergency or unforeseen expenses		500.00
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Total Current Expenses		\$ 12,617.01
Total Appropriation to be Voted by School District		\$ 12,617.01

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**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
1959-60

**Receipts**

Local taxation, current appropriation	\$ 10,268.83
Balance of Previous Appropriation	1,031.17
Cash on hand, July 1, 1959	183.56
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Total Revenue	\$ 11,483.56

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**  
1959-60

**Salaries of District Officers**

William Hansen, Chr. Sch. Bd.	\$40.00
J. Carroll Tucker	30.00
Albert Whittaker	30.00
Mary E. Witham, Treas.	30.00
Wendell P. Keene, Auditor	2.00
Horace Richter, Auditor	2.00

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\$ 134.00

**Superintendent's Salary**

Pauline Reissfelder, Treas.	105.91
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**Tax for State Wide Supervision**

Treas., State of New Hampshire, per capita tax	52.00
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**Supplies and Expenses**

Pauline Reissfelder, Exp. Adm.	\$198.84
Pauline Reissfelder, Treas. Sup. Travel	28.56
N. H. School Board Assn., dues	2.00
Mary Witham, expenses	2.00
Bank charges	1.20

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232.60

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**Instruction**

**Teachers' Salaries**

Ruth A. Hill	428.00
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**Operation School Plant**

**Water, Lights, Supplies, & Expenses**

Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	22.28
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**Auxiliary Activities**

**Transportation**

High—

David Stevens	\$150.00
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Carl Hansen	60.00
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210.00

Elementary—

Ernest Fletcher	\$1,744.20
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Irene Cate	2,148.60
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3,892.80

**Tuition**

High School—

Rochester	\$351.50
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Brewster Academy	685.00
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Nute High	355.83
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1,392.33

Elementary—

Wolfeboro	\$4,671.99
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Farmington	143.36
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4,815.35

**Fixed Charges**

**Retirement**

N. H. Teachers Retirement System	15.60
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<b>Insurance, Treas. Bonds &amp; Expenses</b>	
Wentworth Insurance Agency	5.00
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Total Expenditures for All Purposes	\$ 11,305.87
Audited August 8, 1960	

WENDELL P. KEENE,  
HORACE F. RICHTER,  
Auditors,  
Town of Brookfield

**BALANCE SHEET**

**June 30, 1960**

	<b>Assets</b>	
Cash on hand June 30, 1960		\$ 177.69
Balance due from town		19.31
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Total Assets		\$ 197.00
	<b>Liabilities</b>	
Surplus (excess of assets over liabilities)	\$	197.00
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Total	\$	197.00

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**REPORT OF THE  
SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER  
for the  
Fiscal Year July, 1959 to June 30, 1960**

**Summary**

Cash on hand July 1, 1959 (Treasurer's bank balance)	\$ 183.56
Total Receipts	11,300.00
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Total amount available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts)	\$ 11,483.56
Less School Orders Paid	11,305.87
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Balance on Hand June 30, 1960 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	\$ 177.69
August 9, 1960	

MARY E. WITHAM,  
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 Brookfield of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

WENDELL P. KEENE,  
HORACE F. RICHTER,  
Auditors

August 9, 1960



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SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 36

Financial Report  
1959-1960

RECEIPTS

Balance on Hand July 1, 1959	\$ 413.68
Received during year	9,257.00
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	\$ 9,670.68

EXPENSES

Clerk Hire	\$ 1,987.50
Office Expenses	705.36
Educational Aids	255.35
Salary, Union Treasurer	50.00
Superintendent's Salary	4,450.00
Superintendent's Travel	1,200.00
Retirement	283.46
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Total Expenses	\$ 8,931.67
Cash on Hand June 30, 1960	739.01
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	\$ 9,670.68

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, \$105.91; Effingham, \$297.70; Freedom, \$344.88; Madison, \$435.90; Middelton, \$46.73; Ossipee, \$1,138.31; Tamworth, \$945.18; Wakefield, \$1,117.39.

The amount of per capita tax paid by each district is as follows: Brookfield, \$52.00; Effingham, \$158.00; Freedom, \$112.00; Madison, \$178.00; Middelton, \$146.00; Ossipee, \$506.00; Tamworth, \$522.00; Wakefield, \$504.00.

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**REPORT OF THE  
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

To the School Board and Citizens of Brookfield:

During the school year 1959-60 the Brookfield pupils were enrolled as follows:

<b>Elementary Schools</b>			
Schools	Total Enrolled	Average Membership	Tuition Rates
Wolfeboro	17	17.0	\$240.00
Farmington	1	0.7	\$200.00
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	18	17.7	

One elementary pupil was tutored.

<b>High Schools</b>			
Brewster Academy	1	1	\$360.00
Nute High School	1	1	\$350.00
Spaulding High	1	1	\$351.00
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	3	3	

Enrollment as of September, 1960 was as follows:

<b>Elementary Schools</b>		
Wolfeboro	21	\$262.00

  

<b>High Schools</b>		
Brewster Academy	3	\$360.00
Nute High School	1	\$385.00
Spaulding High	2	\$389.50

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Since the opening of school some pupils have moved out of town. The elementary enrollment by grades, as of this date is as follows:

Grade	I	2		Grade	V	3
	II	2			VI	1
	III	2			VII	2
	IV	4			VIII	2
					Total	18

The annual school census returns indicate that there should be the same number of elementary pupils and high school pupils in 1961-62 as are presently enrolled.

The average cost per elementary pupil in 1959-60 was \$518.53 and \$494.84 per high school pupil. Average costs in the state, as reported by the State Department of Education were: Elementary \$272.23, and high school \$461.06. The cost per elementary pupil in Brookfield is high compared to the state average, yet it is only \$2.00 per pupil more than the cost the last year the Churchill School was in operation.

Tuition rates announced for 1961-62 are: Wolfeboro elementary \$265.00, and Brewster Academy \$360.00. The other schools have not announced their tuition rates as of this date. The State Department of Education has announced maximum tuition liability for 1961-62 as \$265.00 for elementary pupils, and \$436.00 for high school pupils.

It has been my privilege to serve as your superintendent of schools during the past fifteen years. My association with members of the school board, citizens and pupils has been very pleasant, and the cooperation of all concerned is most earnestly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT H. BRASIER,  
Superintendent of Schools

January 9, 1961





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