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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF
HENNIKER
NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1964

University of New Hampshire
Library

PAT'S PEAK IN HENNIKER

This ski area consists of a double chairlift, 2 rope tows, 2 T-bars, 6 trails, 15 acres of open slopes and a ski lodge, overlooking the village of Henniker. Built and operated by the Patenaude family of Henniker.

ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE OFFICERS OF THE

TOWN OF

HENNIKER

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1964

AND THE

VITAL STATISTICS FOR 1964



Ballard Bros., Inc.
Manchester, N. H.

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TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to the General Court

DIAMOND A. MAXWELL

Moderator

JAMES W. DOON

Selectmen and Overseers of the Public Welfare

HARRY C. HATCH	Term expires 1965
STEPHEN C. BENNETT	Term expires 1966
HARLOD A. TUCKER, JR.	Term expires 1967

Town Clerk and Tax Collector

CHARLES H. TUCKER

Collector of Sewer Rents

HARRY C. HATCH

Town Treasurer

E. BENJAMIN AYER

Highway Agents

W. ERNEST BERGH, JR., Acting as Agent
 HARLOD W. AYER, Acting as Agent
 RALPH E. COLBATH, Agent

Supervisors of Checklist

DANA F. GREENLY	THOMAS A. CULLEN
HATTIE M. EDMUNDS	

Ballot Clerks

NORMAN C. PARMENTER	CLAYTON E. MEADE
JOSEPH B. MAILLETTE	CLARENCE L. FITCH

Health Officer and Meat Inspector

GEORGE M. PARMENTER

Water Commissioners

DONAT A. DAMOUR	Term expires 1965
CHARLES E. DAMOUR	Term expires 1966
CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS	Term expires 1967

Trustees of Tucker Free Library

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS	Term expires 1965
BENJAMIN WEEDEN	Term expires 1965
STANLEY BRACY	Term expires 1966
ANNA L. CHILDS	Term expires 1966
DIAMOND A. MAXWELL	Term expires 1967
J. PHILIP CHASE	Term expires 1967

Trustees of Trust Funds

NOMAN C. PARMENTER	Term expires 1965
J. PHILIP CHASE	Term expires 1966
CLARENCE L. FITCH	Term expires 1967

School Board

J. EDWARD DAMOUR	Term expires 1965
MERLE R. PATENAUDE	Term expires 1966
EDWARD J. HATLACK	Term expires 1967

Fire Engineers

CLARENCE L. FITCH, <i>Chief</i>	
E BENJAMIN AYER	CHARLES E. DAMOUR

Forest Fire Wardens

E. BENJAMIN AYER, <i>Chief</i>	
SHIRLEY E. DAVISON	FRED C. BRUNNHOELZL
CLARENCE L. FITCH	FREDERICK CONNOR
DONALD R. GOSS	CHARLES E. DAMOUR

Town Auditors

FOREST W. DOWLIN	LESTER E. CONNOR
ROBERT T. FRENCH	

Police Officers

CALVIN L. TUCKER, <i>Chief</i>	
NAPOLEON F. DAMOUR	W. ERNEST BERGH, JR.
RONALD L. GARRISON	ROBERT A. BASSETT

Park Board

MERLE R. PATENAUDE, *Chairman*
HARRY C. HATCH

GLADYS A. WEEDEN, *Clerk and Treasurer*, Resigned

Fence Viewers

LESTER R. BROWN, Resigned LESTER H. FARRAR

Surveyors of Wood and Lumber

ARTHUR STARR FORREST W. DOWLIN

Budget Committee

J. PHILIP CHASE	Term expires 1965
CLARENCE L. FITCH	Term expires 1965
ROBY H. WOOD	Term expires 1965
LESTER E. CONNOR	Term expires 1966
ROBERT W. STERLING	Term expires 1966
KENNETH W. HOLT	Term expires 1966
ROBERTS B. EDWARDS	Term expires 1967
DIAMOND A. MAXWELL	Term expires 1967
GEORGE A. SANBORN	Term expires 1967

HARRY C. HATCH, *Chr. Selectmen*, ex-officio

J. EDWARD DAMOUR, *Chr. School Board*, ex-officio

Planning Board

CALVIN H. HOOKER	Term expires 1965
ADOLPHUS HOLTON	Term expires 1965
FRED BRUNNHÖELZL, JR.	Term expires 1966
LYLE E. WIMMERGREN	Term expires 1967
DAVID W. ROWE	Term expires 1967
HENRY J. HOPE	Term expires 1968

HARRY C. HATCH, *Selectman*

Industrial Committee

LESTER E. CONNOR	CHARLES E. DAMOUR
CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS	ROBERT W. STERLING
NORMAN C. PARMENTER	

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Henniker in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

(L. S.)

You are hereby notified to meet at Cogswell High School Auditorium in said Henniker on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next, at one of the clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

Town Meeting will be recessed for School Meeting.

Polls open at 1:00 p. m. and close at 8:00 p. m.

The articles in the Warrant will be taken up at 8:00 p. m.

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To hear and act upon the reports of Town Officers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other Committees.
3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year.
4. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of highways and bridges, and repair or purchase of machinery.
5. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of a truck for the Highway Department.

6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of a wing and block for plowing snow.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for equipment to plow and maintain sidewalks, or take any action relative thereto. (By petition.)

8. To see what action the Town will take in regard to Public Health, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of Tucker Free Library.

11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of the Fire Department.

12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintaining hydrant service for the ensuing year.

13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for street lighting for the ensuing year.

14. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid construction of Class V roads.

16. To see what action the Town will take relative to acquiring and maintaining a Town Dump, raise money for the same or take other action relative thereto.

17. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Old Age Assistance.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the support of the Concord Hospital.

19. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for legal services.

20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Merrimack Valley Region Association. (By petition.)

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the purchase of two-way radios for the Henniker Police Department.

22. To see what action the Town will vote to take in regard to employing full time police officers, or additional coverage, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

23. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the District Court.

24. To see if the Town will vote to have a light installed at the intersection by Fred Brunnhoelzl's, and raise the sum of \$120.00 for the ensuing year.

25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Water Commissioners to place in a savings bank, or turn over to the Trustees of Trust Funds for investment, any funds not required for operating capital.

26. To see if the Town will vote to have Workmens Compensation, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Henniker Community Center. (By petition.)

28. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to prevent the spread of White Pine Blister.

29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Civil Defense.

30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the expenses of the Planning Board.

31. To see if the Town will vote to sell the Rogers Lot on Craney Hill.

32. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

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

HARRY C. HATCH,
STEPHEN C. BENNETT,
HAROLD A. TUCKER, JR.,
Selectmen of Henniker

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HARRY C. HATCH,
STEPHEN C. BENNETT,
HAROLD A. TUCKER, JR.,
Selectmen of Henniker

TOWN VALUATION, 1964

Land and Buildings	\$4,834,040.00
Mills and Machinery	126,310.00
Electric Plant	294,200.00
House Trailers used as Dwellings	41,705.00
Stock in Trade	188,915.00
Boats, 23	4,725.00
Vehicles, 2	7,000.00
Cows, 407	43,190.00
Neatstock, 54	4,060.00
Fowls, 26,459	10,620.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	6,220.00
Portable Mills	8,000.00
Road Building and Construction Machinery	32,605.00
Wood and Lumber	31,415.00
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Total Valuation	\$5,633,005.00
Less Exemptions	269,845.00
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Valuation upon which tax rate is based	\$5,363,160.00
Tax rate ^{3.40} 4.30 for \$100.00 of valuation	

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$10,000.00
Library and land	20,000.00
Furniture and equipment	7,500.00
Fire Dept., land and building	20,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
Highway Dept. land, buildings and equipment	30,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	7,000.00
Water Supply	100,000.00
Schools and land	200,000.00
Equipment	50,000.00
Carter land, Bradford road	50.00
Arthur Hall land	100.00
Rogers lot	50.00
Etta Townes lot	300.00
Hardy Place	400.00
Preston lot	100.00
Lawson Smith land	200.00
Levi Connor land	75.00
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Total	\$460,775.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Dr.

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:	
46 for 1963 Registration	\$ 285.87
1,209 for 1964 Registration	12,294.78
5 for 1965 Registration	51.63
	\$ 12,632.28
Dog Licenses Issued:	
174 males and spayed females at 2.00	\$ 348.00
19 males at 5.00	95.00
1 male (prorated) at 1.00	1.00
	\$ 444.00
Less Clerk's Fees 194 at .20	38.80
	\$ 405.20
Plus 6 penalties at .50	3.00
	\$ 408.20
Election Filing Fees	7.00
	\$ 13,047.48
Total Debits	

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By remittance to Town Treasurer	\$ 13,047.48
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CHARLES H. TUCKER,

Town Clerk

**RECORD OF AFFIRMATIVE VOTES AT
ANNUAL MEETING 1964**

Article 2. VOTE ON SWEEPSTAKES REFERENDUM:
 "Shall Sweepstakes tickets be sold in this town?"
 Yes — 262 No — 130

Article 3. VOTED, that the reports of Town Officers, Library Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other Committees be accepted as printed in the Town Report.

Article 4. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Seventeen Thousand, Nine Hundred, Sixty Dollars, (\$17,960.00) to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year, divided as follows:

For Town Officers Salaries	\$ 6,000.00
For Town Officers Expenses	2,500.00
For Elections and Registrations	700.00
For Town Buildings	1,450.00
For Municipal Court	650.00
For Police Department	3,500.00
For Vital Statistics	60.00
For Sewers	200.00
For Town Poor	2,000.00
For Interest	900.00
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Total	\$ 17,960.00

and, that Town Officers be paid, at the following rates:

Selectmen	9.00 per day
Supervisors of Checklists	9.00 per day
Ballot Clerks	9.00 per day
Moderator	16.00 per day
Town Clerk	100.00 per year
Tax Collector	1% of taxes collected

Article 5. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars, (\$30,000.00) for the repair of highways and bridges, repair or purchase of machinery.

Article 6. VOTED, that the town raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Two Hundred Dollars (\$4,200.00) for the support of the District Nurse, (\$3,600.00 for salary and \$600.00 for use of car).

Article 7. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), to defray the expense of observing Memorial Day.

Article 8. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), for the support of the Tucker Free Library.

Article 9. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00), for the maintenance of the Fire Department for the year 1964.

Article 10. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), for maintaining hydrant service for the year 1964.

Article 11. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Seven Hundred Dollars (\$2,700.00), for street lighting for the ensuing year.

Article 12. VOTED, that the Selectmen are authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

Article 13. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Thirty Six Dollars and Twenty One Cents (\$1,236.21), for the construction of Class 5 Roads.

Article 14. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00), for the

operation and construction of a Town Dump. Further VOTED that the Town approves the selection of a portion of the former Norton and Spring properties, easterly of the sites of the former Flora Patch and Walter French houses, for the site of a Town Dump.

Article 15. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000.00), for Old Age Assistance for the year 1964.

Article 16. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Seventy Five Dollars (\$475.00), for the support of the Concord Hospital.

Article 17. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), for legal services.

Article 18. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00), for the maintenance and operation of the Community Center; \$1,000.00 of this fund shall be used for plant operation, the remaining \$1,500.00, and such sums as the Center may raise, shall be used for the purchase and installation of a heating system for the ground floor of the Center.

Article 19. VOTED, that we raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00), to prevent the spread of White Pine Blister.

Article 20. VOTED, that the Town sell to the Trustees of the Henniker Methodist Church a small strip of land situated in the Town of Henniker, adjoining all four sides of the present Church Building. The Trustees of the Henniker Methodist Church shall pay such sum for the land as is deemed reasonable and proper by a committee of three persons, one chosen by the Selectmen, one by the Trustees of the Church, and the third arbitrator to

be chosen by the other two. The Selectmen are authorized to sign and deliver a deed upon the payment of the determined purchase price.

Article 21. VOTED, that the Selectmen are authorized to sell the Hardy buildings and an acre, more or less, of land around them.

Article 22. VOTED, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), for the support of the Merrimack Valley Region Association.

Article 24. VOTED, that the Selectmen are authorized to file in behalf of the Town an application (in the form and manner required by the United States and in conformity with P. L. 560, 83rd Congress) and do whatever else may be required for an advance, in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), to be made by the United States to the Town of Henniker to aid in defraying the cost of preliminary report and plan preparation for sewerage and sewage treatment facilities for the Town of Henniker, and, further VOTED, that the Town will make the necessary arrangements to provide such additional funds as may be required to defray cost of preparation of the report and plans.

Article 25. VOTED, that this Article, with all of its subdivisions, be laid on the table until such time as the Corps of Engineers have provided the Board of Selectmen, in writing, an exact description of the type and exact location of all barricades to be constructed on these roads. (2/3rds vote.)

Article 26. VOTED, that the salaries of the Henniker District Court be established as follows:

Judge	\$720.00 per year
Clerk	432.00 per year
Special Judge	216.00 per year

and, further VOTED, that we raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred, Eighty Four Dollars (\$684.00), for the District Court beginning July 1, 1964 to December 31, 1964.

Article 27. VOTED, that we build an addition to the Engine House and appropriate the sum of Sixty Four Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$6,490.00), to be taken from the James R. Straw income fund. To be under the direction of the Board of Selectmen and Board of Fire Engineers.

Article 28. Voted, that the Selectmen are authorized to take such action as appears necessary to protect the property of the abutters of the newly selected dump from undue nuisance and property depreciation.

Article 28. VOTED, that T.R.A. money be spent on the Liberty Hill Road.

ATTEST

CHARLES H. TUCKER,
Town Clerk

AUDITOR'S REPORT

1964

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Henniker, hereby certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Agent for Memorial Day Appropriation, Town Municipal Court and District Court, Treasurer of Tucker Free Library, Board of Trustees of Trust Funds including Securities as tabulated in the report, and deposits in Savings Banks and National Banks, Collector of Water Rents, Clerk and Treasurer of Water Commissioners, Park Board, also Community Center, and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched.

FORREST W. DOWLIN,

LESTER E. CONNOR,

ROBERT T. FRENCH,

Auditors

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

December 31, 1964

Cash on hand January 1, 1964		\$ 21,615.08
Received from C. H. Tucker, Clerk:		
1964 Dog Tax	\$	408.20
Filing Fees		7.00
Received from C. H. Tucker, Collector:		
National Bank Stock Tax	\$	38.80
Permit, Miller Construction Co.		100.00
Business License		80.00
1962 Property Tax		10.00
1962 Poll Tax		2.00
1962 Head Tax		5.00
1962 Head Tax Penalties		.50
1962 Tax sale partial payment		35.00
1962 Tax sale redemption		34.07
1963 Property Tax		34.19
1963 Poll Tax		96.00
1963 Head Tax		325.00
1963 Head Tax Penalties		32.50
1963 Tax sale partial payment		382.70
1963 Tax sale redemption		313.40
1963 Interest		1.85
1964 Property Tax	181,556.86	
1964 Poll Tax	1,226.00	
1964 Head Tax	3,670.00	
1964 Head Tax Penalties		42.15
1964 Yield Tax		595.14
1963 Motor Vehicle Tax		285.87
1964 Motor Vehicle Tax	12,294.78	
1965 Motor Vehicle Tax		51.63
Total Receipts from C. H. Tucker		\$201,628.64

Received from Selectmen:

Anticipation of Taxes	\$ 75,000.00
Interest	204.17
Nursing fees	405.50
Firearms permit	16.00
Police Department	783.00
Forest Fire refund	148.64
Use of hose	100.00
Town of Bow	415.66
Town of Warner	185.42
Town of Hopkinton	32.00
Gift, R. T. Lyman	1,000.00
Refund, County	382.00
Refund, Forest Land	3.66
Chain saw sold	15.00
Use of compressor	5.00
Insurance on truck	873.03
Refund, W. D. Allen	26.58
Gravel	20.00
Use of Grader	186.00
Use of Loader	322.00
Cold patch sold	5.00
Sewer rent	622.67
Sewer connections	29.25
Use of dump	10.00
Bounties	72.00
Rent of Town Hall	1.00
Rent of Grange Hall	1.00
Sale of land	1.00
Court case, Fowler place	1,500.00
Refund, C. H. Tucker	10.00
Work at Community Center	115.00
Refund, Ralph Colbath	4.68
Snowplowing	35.00
Pine blister rust	.25
Flood Control compact	13,019.11
Army Engineers	16,815.02
Gas tax refund	460.37
Town poor	112.50
Beano license	20.00

Railroad tax	69.52	
Duncan Fund	1,990.49	
Interest Dividend	4,033.20	
Savings Bank tax	962.55	
Trustees Trust Fund:		
Proctor Fund	1,181.39	
Straw Fund	9,633.89	
Constantine	31.53	
Municipal Court	2,052.34	
District Court	1,633.30	
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Total Receipts from Selectmen		\$134,545.72
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Total Receipts		\$357,789.44
Less Payments		331,867.08
Bank Service Charge		9.76
Cash on hand		\$ 25,912.60

TAXES RAISED, EXPENDED, AND ESTIMATE

	Raised or appr.	Receipts	Amount Available	Expended	Unex- pended	Over draft	1965 Estimate
Town Officers Salaries	\$ 6,000.00		\$ 6,000.00	\$ 6123.56		\$ 123.56	\$ 6,500.00
Town Officers Expenses	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,374.59	\$ 125.41		2,500.00
Election and Registration	700.00		700.00	634.95	65.95		350.00
Municipal Court	650.00	\$ 2,052.34	2,702.34	585.34	2,117.00		
Vital Statistics	60.00		60.00	59.04	.96		60.00
Town Hall & other Buildings	1,450.00	2.00	1,452.00	1,367.51	84.49		2,300.00
Police Department	3,500.00	793.00	4,293.00	4,017.50	275.50		5,220.00
Sewers	200.00	651.92	851.92	11.74	840.18		200.00
Town Poor	2,000.00	142.50	2,142.50	1,157.42	985.08		1,500.00
Interest	900.00	204.17	1,104.17	1,106.25		2.08	1,100.00
TOWN CHARGES							
District Court	\$17,960.00	\$ 3,845.93	\$21,805.93	\$17,437.90	\$ 4,493.67	\$ 125.64	\$19,730.00
Highways	\$ 684.00	\$ 1,633.20	\$ 2,317.20	\$ 638.09	\$ 1,679.11		\$ 1,368.00
T. R. A.	30,000.00	2,041.08	32,041.08	33,801.89		\$1,760.81	30,000.00
Street Lighting	1,236.21		1,236.21	1,236.21			1,232.59
Health Dept.	2,700.00		2,700.00	2,802.70		102.70	2,800.00
inc. Concord Hos.	475.00		475.000	555.23		80.23	400.00
Public Health	4,200.00	405.50	4,605.50	4,307.57	297.93		4,500.00

Town Dump	2,000.00	1,567.77	3,567.77	1,282.60	2,285.17	3,000.00
Fire Department	3,500.00	908.30	4,408.30	4,761.13		3,000.00
Hydrant Rental	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00	352.83	1,000.00
Memorial Day	200.00		200.00	200.00		200.00
Historical Markers 1963 apprx.	300.00		300.00	98.00	202.00	
Library	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
Ald Age Assistance	7,000.00		7,000.00	5,960.75	1,039.25	6,000.00
Planning Board			100.00		100.00	100.00
Legal Expense	100.00	600.00	700.00	600.00	100.00	500.00
Blisters Rust Control	200.00	.25	200.25	200.00	.25	100.00
Engine House Additions	6,400.00		6,490.00	6,776.98	286.98	
Henniker Community Center	2,500.00	300.00	2,800.00	2,800.00		1,000.00
Advertising & Regional Assn.	100.00		100.00	100.00		100.00
Fire Truck Note	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
	<u>\$82,645.21</u>	<u>\$11,302.03</u>	<u>\$94,047.24</u>	<u>\$86,559.05</u>	<u>\$10,197.38</u>	<u>\$2,709.19</u>
						<u>\$76,030.59</u>

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Assets

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$ 25,912.60
Cash in hands of Water Works	8,918.18
Accounts due Town:	
Unexpended T. R . A.	727.83
State, bounfies	88.50
County, aid	514.00
Water rents	3,495.03
Water extensions	1,881.07
Unredeemed taxes:	
Levy of 1964	930.78
Levy of 1963	147.97
Levy of 1962	85.27
Previous years	47.37
Uncollected taxes:	
Levy of 1964	363.10
Levy of 1963	12.00
Levy of 1962	28.00
Previous years	46.00
State Head Taxes, 1964	490.00
State Head Taxes, previous years	165.00
Total Assets	\$ 43,852.70

Liabilities

Unexpended balances of special appropriations:	
Forest fire protection	\$ 25.00
Historical Markers	202.00
Planning Board	100.00
Dump	2,285.17
Due to State:	
Head Taxes	861.00
Bond and Debt Retirement	99.19
State and Town Joint Highway Accounts:	
T.R.A. balance in State Treasury	727.83
Duncan Fund, balance in Town Treasury	1,864.70
Long term note outstanding:	
Fire Truck	1,000.00
Due School District:	
Balance appropriation	14,212.26
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Total liabilities	\$ 21,377.15
Excess of assets over liabilities	\$ 22,475.55

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1964

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$182,347.44	
Poll Taxes	1,396.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	38.80	
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Total Warrant		\$183,782.24
Yield Taxes		595.14
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	NONE	
Poll Taxes	58.00	
	<hr/>	58.00
Interest Collected		26.15
TOTAL DEBITS		\$184,461.53

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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$181,556.86	
Poll Taxes	1,226.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	38.80	
Yield Taxes	595.14	
Interest Collected	26.15	
	<u> </u>	\$183,442.95

Discount Allowed NONE

Abatements:

Property Taxes	585.48	
Poll Taxes	70.00	
Yield Taxes	NONE	
	<u> </u>	655.48

Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	205.10	
Poll Taxes	158.00	
Yield Taxes	NONE	
	<u> </u>	363.10

TOTAL CREDITS		\$184,461.53
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1963

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—As of Jan. 1, 1964:

Property Taxes	\$	34.19	
Poll Taxes		144.00	
Yield Taxes		NONE	
		_____	\$ 178.19

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1964		1.85	
TOTAL DEBITS	\$		180.04

*Cr.*Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal
Year Ended December 31, 1964:

Property Taxes	\$	34.19	
Poll Taxes		96.00	
Yield Taxes		NONE	
Interest Collected During Year		1.85	
		<u> </u>	132.04

Abatements Made During Year:

Property Taxes		NONE	
Poll Taxes		36.00	
Yield Taxes		NONE	
		<u> </u>	36.00

Uncollected Taxes—As Per Collector's List:

Poll Taxes		12.00	
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TOTAL CREDITS	\$	180.04
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SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1964

Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$ 4,180.00	
Added Taxes	130.00	
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Total Commitment		\$ 4,310.00
Penalties Collected	16.00	
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 4,326.00

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Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$ 3,670.00	
Penalties	16.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3,686.00
Abatements		145.00
Uncollected Head Taxes—As Per Collector's List		490.00
Balance due Treasurer		5.00
TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 4,326.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1963

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes—As of Jan. 1, 1964	\$	420.00	
Added Taxes During 1964		5.00	
Penalties Collected During 1964		32.50	
TOTAL DEBITS	\$		457.50

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer During 1964:			
Head Taxes	\$	325.00	
Penalties		32.50	
		<hr/>	\$ 357.50
Abatements During 1964			85.00
Uncollected Head Taxes—As Per Collector's List			15.00
TOTAL CREDITS	\$		<hr/> 457.50

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1964

Dr.

	Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:		
	1964	1963	1962
			Previous Years
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	\$ 930.78		
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes—January 1, 1964		\$ 820.08	\$ 47.37
Interest Collected After Sale		23.99	
Redemption Costs		9.71	
	<u>\$ 930.78</u>	<u>\$ 844.07</u>	<u>\$ 47.37</u>

TOTAL DEBITS

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Remittances to Treasurer During Year	\$ 696.10	\$ 69.07	
Abatements—During Year			
Deeded to Town—During Year			
Unredeemed taxes—At Close of Year	\$ 930.78	\$ 147.97	\$ 47.37
	<u>\$ 930.78</u>	<u>\$ 844.07</u>	<u>\$ 47.37</u>

TOTAL CREDITS

CHARLES H. TUCKER, Collector of Taxes

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

State Treasurer, Social Security	\$ 358.23
Forrest W. Dowlin, Auditors	48.00
C. H. Tucker, Town Clerk, Tax Collector	
Motor Vehicle Permits	2,593.29
Harry C. Hatch, Selectman	1,036.54
Stephen C. Bennett, Selectman	937.98
Harold A. Tucker, Jr., Selectman	511.76
Arthur S. Hadley, Selectman	251.86
E. Benjamin Ayer, Treasurer	385.90
Total	\$6,123.56

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Contoocook Valley Telephone Company	\$ 35.25
Edson C. Eastman	74.73
Wheeler & Clark	20.93
Brown & Saltmarsh	3.70
Ballard Bros., Town Reports	786.00
June Bishopric, typing	6.75
Dorothy Greenly, typing	1.00
Association of N. H. Assessors, dues	5.00
N. H. Tax Collectors Association, dues	3.00
N. H. City and Town Clerks Association, dues	3.00
N. H. Municipal Association, dues	58.14
Ayer & Holt, insurance	50.00
Kathleen M. Roy	29.20
Lila Y. Bartlett	.90
Edmunds Dept. Store	.26
Henniker Pharmacy	.98
Branham Publishing Co.	7.00
Harry C. Hatch, copying books	161.77
State Treasurer, books, etc.	18.21
Chag's Insurance Agency, bond	198.45

Ayer & Holt, bonds	133.45
N. H. Savings Bank, box rent	26.00
Norman C. Parmenter, Trustee	90.00
Clarence L. Fitch, Trustee	75.00
J. Philip Chase, Trustee	85.00
Arthur S. Hadley, expenses	6.60
C. H. Tucker, expenses	309.28
Harry C. Hatch, expenses	15.78
E. Benjamin Ayer, expenses	61.00
Stephen C. Bennett, expenses	69.11
Harold A. Tucker, Jr., expenses	39.10
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Total	\$2,374.59

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

J. Walter Whippie	\$ 12.60
The Maxwell Press	51.35
Vernon Knowlton, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Clarence L. Fitch, Ballot Clerk	36.00
Norman C. Parmenter, Ballot Clerk	27.00
Clayton Meade, Ballot Clerk	27.00
Joseph B. Maillette, Ballot Clerk	27.00
Barbara S. French, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Duane Sanborn, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Donald Woodrow, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Alice Norton, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Irene Persley, Assistant Clerk	9.00
James W. Doon, Moderator	80.00
Joseph B. Maillette, Asst. Moderator	16.00
Richard L. Boynton, Janitor	8.00
Clifford B. Durgin, Janitor	8.00
The Messenger Publishing Co.	11.00
Dana F. Greenly, Supervisor	90.00
Thomas A. Cullen, Supervisor	94.50
Hattie M. Edmunds, Supervisor	92.50
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Total	\$ 634.95

MUNICIPAL COURT

Robert W. Sterling, Judge and Clerk	\$ 430.00
Vernon Knowlton, Clerk and Judge	154.00
Edmunds Dept. Store	1.34
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Total	\$ 585.34

DISTRICT COURT

Robert W. Sterling, Judge	\$ 360.00
Vernon Knowlton, Judge and Clerk	236.00
Harold W. Perkins, Special Judge	20.00
Sears & Roebuck, tables	22.09
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Total	\$ 638.09

TOWN BUILDINGS

Ayer & Holt	\$ 482.93
Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co.	46.55
Public Service Company of N. H.	104.68
Edmunds Dept. Store	4.05
Freddie's Automotive Service, removing snow	37.50
Capital Plumbing & Heating Supply Co.	13.23
Astles Lumber Co.	29.92
Walter C. Sterling Insurance Agency	15.32
Cogswell Spring Water Works	47.00
Ernest Archibald, Hot top	229.00
Calvin L. Tucker	189.85
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	93.08
Roby Wood	24.80
Horace Hooper	24.80
Norman Dennis	24.80
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Total	\$1,367.51

HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND HOSPITALS

Granite State Medical Supply Co., Inc.	\$ 18.18
Henniker Pharmacy	19.49
Concord Hospital, 1964 Appropriation	475.00
New England Hospital Supply Co.	24.71
George M. Parmenter	17.85
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Total	\$ 555.23

VITAL STATISTICS

Edson C. Eastman, Inc.	\$ 4.10
C. H. Tucker	54.94
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Total	\$ 59.04

DISTRICT NURSE

Mary Maillette	\$2,898.64
Use of Car	600.00
Internal Revenue, Withholding Tax	555.10
State Treasurer, Social Security	253.83
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Total	\$4,307.57

GENERAL TAYLOR ENGINE COMPANY

General Taylor Engine Company, gift from Ronald T. Lyman, Jr.	\$1,000.00
General Taylor Engine Company, gift from C. E. Kelton	10.00
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Total	\$1,010.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Clarence L. Fitch, Chief	\$ 90.00
E. Benjamin Ayer, Forest Fire Warden	160.65

E. Benjamin Ayer, Warner and Bradford fires	220.92
E. Benjamin Ayer, Hopkinton fire	32.00
E. Benjamin Ayer, Mink Hills fire	83.59
E. Benjamin Ayer, Cote Hill fire	21.94
E. Benjamin Ayer, Weare Road fire	15.50
Thomas A. Cullen	10.00
Clifford A. Phillips, shoveling hydrants	55.56
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	559.39
Edmunds Department Store	4.44
Ayer & Holt, gas, oil, insurance	667.93
State Treasurer, Social Security	6.33
Seagraves Fire Apparatus	9.05
N. H. Welding Supply Co.	77.35
Henniker Square Market	4.81
N. H. Department of Safety	17.10
Sanel Automotive Parts	48.62
Western Avenue Garage	33.40
Henniker Machine Co.	22.64
Al Norton's Service Station	4.00
Henniker Pharmacy	12.83
N. H. Fire and Safety Equipment Co.	372.47
Farrar Company	848.00
Henniker Automotive	5.00
Tut's Auto Body	175.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	51.40
Eastern Fire Equipment Co.	86.50
R. L. Garvin	14.00
N. H. Distributing Agency	12.50
Hanover Insurance Agency	160.95
General Taylor Engine Company, payroll	835.25
Town of Bradford, fire on Bradford Road	19.45
Town of Hillsboro, fire on Bradford Road	7.50
Total	<hr/> \$4,761.13

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Calvin L. Tucker, Acting Chief, salary and expenses	\$2,256.57
Napoleon F. Damour	463.80
W. Ernest Bergh, Jr.	209.17

Fred Brunnhoelzl, Jr.	36.91
Robert A. Bassett	20.72
Ronald L. Garrison	8.67
Viola Tucker, Blue Phone service	150.00
Joseph B. Maillette	17.62
Francis Brown, M.D.	5.00
Chag's Insurance Co.	100.00
Mack's Men's Shop	34.80
Rock Garden Cafeteria	.85
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	2.58
N. H. Distributing Agency	5.00
Safety Sign Co.	89.23
Evans Radio	7.95
Bill Dunns Sport Shop	53.95
Sanel Automotive Parts	45.00
Henniker Pharmacy, camera and supplies	151.41
State Treasurer, supplies	32.46
State Treasurer, Social Security	147.81
Public Service Co.	5.67
Edmunds Department Store	16.33
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	156.00
Total	\$4,017.50

BLISTER RUST AND CARE OF TREES

William H. Messeck, Jr., 1964 Appropriation	\$ 200.00
Total	\$ 200.00

BOUNTIES

Harry C. Hatch	\$ 22.50
S. C. Bennett	63.00
Harold A. Tucker, Jr.	3.00
Total	\$ 88.50

CIVIL DEFENSE

N. H. Distributing Agency	\$ 30.00
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Total	\$ 30.00

SEWERS

State Treasurer, Social Security	\$ 1.74
Curtis A. Rowe	10.00
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Total	\$ 11.74

TOWN DUMP AND GARBAGE REMOVAL

Edmunds Dept. Store	\$ 21.16
Clifford A. Phillips	60.00
Arthur E. Jones	540.00
First National Stores	260.00
E. B. Ayer	16.00
Garrison Engineers	58.00
Ralph E. Colbath	51.26
Malcolm McComish	220.00
State Treasurer	56.18
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Total	\$1,282.60

STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Company of N. H.	\$2,802.70
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Total	\$2,802.70

T. R. A.

State Treasurer, 1964 Appropriation	\$1,236.21
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Total	\$1,236.21

TOWN MAINTENANCE

W. Ernest Bergh, Jr., Acting as Agent	\$ 354.52
Wendall Bergh	195.03
Calvin L. Tucker	251.24
Malcolm McComish	212.66
Ronald L. Garrison	66.67
David Byers	18.12
Damon Murdough	41.54
Scott Parmenter	7.81
Donald Peasley	9.11
James Byers	11.71
W. Ernest Bergh, Jr., use of vehicle	40.00
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Total	\$1,208.41
Harold W. Ayer, Acting as Agent	\$2,438.47
A. Kenneth Hall	1,035.31
Thomas Mansur	1,416.60
Alfred Morse	557.18
Calvin L. Tucker	756.56
Malcolm McComish	640.30
Ronald Garrison	76.61
David Byers	54.90
Damon Murdough	30.53
James Byers	3.90
Shirley Davison	94.10
Bruce Garrison	11.71
Napoleon F. Damour	75.09
Donald Goss	3.66
Richard Goss	30.49
Bradley Caldwell	2.60
Carl Robertson	6.51
Welton McKean	9.40
W. Ernest Bergh, Jr.	67.18
Wendall Bergh	45.79
Harold W. Ayer, use of car	230.00
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Total	\$7,586.79

Ralph E. Colbath, Agent	\$1,329.12
Alfred Morse	142.52
Thomas Mansur	43.24
Arthur H. Howes	492.36
Harold A. Tucker, Sr.	62.88
Malcolm McComish	150.34
A. Kenneth Hall	352.24
W. Ernest Bergh, Jr.	25.56
Peter Metopoloes	18.50
Ronald Garrison	35.47
Bruce Garrison	30.84
Charles Feeney	53.84
Shirley Davison	13.88
Lawrence Pike	7.71
Harold A. Tucker, Sr., with Truck	47.70
Ralph E. Colbath, cash advanced	5.92
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Total	\$2,812.12

TOWN ROAD RELOCATION

State Treasurer	\$ 102.52
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Total	\$ 102.52

GENERAL EXPENSES HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

International Salt Co.	\$1,208.10
N. H. Bituminous Co.	1,123.25
C. W. Rowe, Inc.	857.85
Banks Chevrolet, Inc.	220.00
Reo Truck Center, Inc.	423.76
Edmunds Dept. Store	428.56
John W. Stewart	56.33
Ayer & Holt, Inc.	2,759.07
The Warren Refining & Chemical Co.	508.51
R. C. Hazelton Co.	3,274.43
N. H. Welding Supply Co.	171.37
Public Service Company of N. H.	152.84
Internal Revenue	1,291.57

State Treasurer, Social Security	998.01
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	140.23
Concord Auto Top Co.	11.00
Henniker Pharmacy	24.48
E. Cohen Steel Co.	317.74
N. H. Explosives & Machinery Co.	134.47
Merrills Radiator	196.34
Adams Glass Co.	20.75
James B. Smith	108.00
Hanover Insurance Co.	3.85
Spears Garage	6.91
Granite State Asphalt Co.	174.64
Parmenter Construction	81.00
Barney Bass & Co.	90.00
Palmer Spring Co.	58.51
Al Norton's Sunoco Station	95.00
Rice's Inc.	305.43
Howe Bros. Inc.	1,568.50
Henniker Automotive	500.89
Henniker Fuel, Inc.	9.50
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	388.46
Western Avenue Garage	202.08
Jordan Milton Machinery Co.	458.36
John Grappone, Inc.	16.86
Sterlings Esso Service	.75
Freddie's Automotive Service	106.25
Henniker Machine Co.	238.45
Sanel Industrial, Inc.	1,786.50
Chemical Corporation	338.81
Malcolm McComish	60.00
R. L. Garvin	7.50
Sanfax Corporation	208.44
Clifford A. Phillips	15.61
R. K. Boyd Construction Co.	91.35
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.	384.00
Ernest Archibald	90.00
Calvin L. Tucker	22.00
Steel Products of America	181.13
Alice V. Flanders	9.50
Auto Electric Service	74.76

Greater American Steel Corporation	170.59
Barrett Equipment, Inc.	5.52
G. Stanley Butman	16.66
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Total	\$22,214.47

DUNCAN FUND

Ralph Colbath	\$ 17.10
Arthur Howes	14.40
Harold A. Tucker, Sr.	13.29
John Harfield, use of backhoe	81.00
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Total	\$ 125.79

TUCKER FREE LIBRARY

Tucker Free Library, 1964 Appropriation	\$1,000.00
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Total	\$1,000.00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State Treasurer	\$5,960.75
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Total	\$5,960.75

TOWN POOR

Chester M. Wheeler	\$ 15.00
C. H. Tucker	280.00
Henniker Pharmacy	118.90
Giant Store	91.07
Mrs. Dorothy Hewes	220.50
Francis Brown, M.D.	78.00
Mrs. Catherine Salsbury	270.00
I.G.A. Super Market	20.00
Brecks Dept. Store	17.95

Raymond J. Bowen, M.D.	46.00
Total	<u>\$1,157.42</u>

COUNTY POOR

First National Stores	\$ 75.00
Spencer L. Bennett	3.00
Earl Gould	66.00
H. L. Holmes & Son	15.00
Francis Taylor	42.00
Total	<u>\$ 201.00</u>

MEMORIAL DAY

Marshall Rowe, 1964 Appropriation	\$ 200.00
Total	<u>\$ 200.00</u>

HISTORICAL MARKERS

Concord Foundry & Machine Co.	\$ 98.00
Total	<u>\$98.00</u>

RECREATION

Henniker Community Center, 1964 Appropriation	\$2,500.00
Henniker Community Center, 1962 Appropriation for painting	300.00
Total	<u>\$2,800.00</u>

COGSWELL SPRING WATER WORKS

Kathleen M. Roy, recording deeds	\$ 8.85
S. C. Bennett	66.75
Cogswell Spring Water Works, Construction	14,628.90

Cogswell Spring Water Works, Hydrant Service	1,000.00
Total	<u>15,704.50</u>

DAMAGES AND LEGAL EXPENSES

Robert W. Upton, Legal Services	\$ 600.00
Total	<u>\$ 600.00</u>

ADVERTISING AND RECREATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Merrimack Valley Region Assn., 1964 Appropriation	\$ 100.00
Total	<u>\$ 100.00</u>

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

C. H. Tucker, Collector	\$ 930.78
Total	<u>\$ 930.78</u>

CEMETERIES

Freddie's Automotive Service, Repairs on vault	\$ 25.00
Total	<u>\$ 25.00</u>

REFUNDS

Irene L. Penley, M. V. Permit	\$ 22.26
Calvin Tucker	10.00
Donald Gambino, M. V. Permit	11.04
Robert C. Clark, M. V. Permit	5.47
Pats Poultry Place, M. V. Permit	1.50
Charles I. Waters, on Property Tax	6.80
Total	<u>\$ 57.07</u>

TOWN CONSTRUCTION, ENGINE HOUSE

Lockwood Young Corp.	\$ 62.00
Roby Wood	557.90
Horace Hooper	489.90
Norman Dennis	537.90
Edwin Piper	365.43
Garrison Engineers & Builders	1,425.76
R. C. Hazelton Co.	135.29
Alfred Morse	24.00
Edmunds Dept. Store	178.68
Curtis A. Rowe, backhoe and truck	112.00
Malcolm McComish	10.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	1,049.49
Roby Wood, material	1,212.72
Ayer & Holt	39.81
Rood Roofing Co.	430.00
Henniker Pharmacy	.50
Astles Lumber Co.	36.00
Ernest Archibald	100.00
Concord Lumber Co.	9.60
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Total	\$6,776.98
Paid from the James R. Straw Fund	6,490.00
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	\$ 286.98

INTEREST

First National Bank of Hillsborough, Engine House Note	\$ 25.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Fire Truck Note	50.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Temporary Loan	1,031.25
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Total	\$1,106.25

NOTES

First National Bank of Hillsborough, Engine House Note	\$ 2,000.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Fire Truck Note	1,000.00
First National Bank of Hillsborough, Temporary Loan	<u>75,000.00</u>
Total	\$78,000.00

STATE AND COUNTY

State Treasurer, Bond and Debt Retirement Tax	\$ 291.37
State Treasurer, Head Tax	3,767.00
Donald G. Raine, County Tax	<u>10,592.25</u>
Total	\$14,650.62

HENNIKER SCHOOL DISTRICT

Henniker School District, Balance 1963 Appropriation	\$ 20,382.25
Henniker School District, 1964 Appropriation	<u>116,000.00</u>
Total	\$136,382.25

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

The fire department answered 28 calls this past year. There were 8 general alarms, 4 house, 2 barn, 1 garage and one mill.

They answered 4 mutual aid calls, two in Hillsboro, one in Bradford and one in Washington.

There were 4 chimney fires, 3 car fires, 3 resuscitator calls, 1 drowning and 5 miscellaneous.

Due to the dry season the fire department hauled over 40,000 gallons of water to 22 homes with their tank truck.

A new addition measuring 20 by 56 feet was added to the fire station and a two-inch water main was installed in the station so the trucks can be filled inside. The firemen and friends contributed many hours of labor to finish the addition. Several people also donated materials.

A very generous gift was received by the town for the use of the fire department from Ronald T. Lyman, Jr. New radio equipment, boots, helmets, coats and rescue equipment were purchased.

CLARENCE L. FITCH

Chief Engineer

**REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN
AND YOUR DISTRICT CHIEF**

The 1964 forest fire season surpassed the record year of 1963 in both length and severity. For the second successive year, we experienced a rainfall deficiency of more than ten inches and the compounding of such drought conditions, together with the many days of strong, dry winds, characterized 1964 as one of the most hazardous years in the past half century. Although our fire season was three weeks longer than that of 1963, the number of fires showed only a slight increase and the more remarkable was the fact that the area burned dropped from 2,280 acres in 1963 to 900 acres in 1964. Early detection and rapid response kept many potential fire disasters from becoming reality. We all owe a debt of gratitude to the men in this community who responded and fought our fires so efficiently. Our state is now 86% wooded and its economy—both industrial and recreational—is greatly dependent on this forest resource. The responsibility for adequate fire protection of this great area—4,350,000 acres—is everyone's responsibility and prevention is one of our most effective tools.

Prevention is good common sense.

1. Take your rubbish to the town dump. If you must burn, obtain a permit and watch your fire until it is dead out.
2. Instruct your children in fire safety. Keep matches from young children. Explain to them the dangers of lighting matches and making outdoor fires.
3. Be sure discarded smoking materials and matches are out.

A major portion of our preventable fires this year are chargeable to three causes: (1) permit fires allowed to escape; (2) children playing with matches; and (3) smokers. Let's be mindful of the fact that all such fires

endanger property and lives.

We wish to thank you for your very fine cooperation during the past fire season and with your continued cooperation we are confident that we can improve our fire record in 1965.

Number of fires and burned area in 1964

	<i>Fires</i>	<i>Area-Acres</i>
State	886	875
District	171	326
Town	4	$\frac{1}{2}$

GERALD H. HIGHT,

District Chief

E. BENJAMIN AYER,

Warden

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL

Henniker — 1964

Town funds expended	\$ 199.75	
Cooperative aid to town	467.47	
Total expenditures		\$ 667.22
1964 Town Appropriation	\$ 200.00	
Town funds expended	199.75	
Balance due town		\$.25
Area worked		1,377 acres
Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed		1,740

MEMORIAL DAY STATEMENT

Cash on hand January 1, 1964	\$.45
1964 Appropriation	200.00

	\$200.45
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Disbursements:

Rev. Bruce E. Berry	\$ 5.00
Rev. Robert Lewis	5.00
American Knitwear and Emblem Mfrs.	32.44
Edward Damour	8.85
Village Greenhouse	10.50
Henniker Pharmacy	10.50
N. E. C. Band (Paul Eisler)	133.00

	\$204.59
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MASHALL ROWE,

Finance Officer

Davis-Woodman Post

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

December 31, 1964

Selectmen:
Town of Henniker
Henniker, N. H.

Dear Sirs,

The past year, the health of the community has been very good. Only sparsely isolated cases of childhood diseases were reported, without any danger of epidemic proportions spreading throughout the township.

All complaints registered with the undersigned, were investigated as to being a potential health hazard, and if so, were remedied.

The bi-monthly water samples of the Cogswell Spring Water Works were taken into the State Board of Health Department for testing. All were found to be exceedingly good.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE M. PARMENTER, SR.

Health Officer

Town of Henniker, N. H.

REPORT OF HENNIKER MUNICIPAL COURT

Robert W. Sterling, Justice

Vernon A. Knowlton, Clerk

Criminal Cases

Complaints entered during year Jan. 1 to June 30, 1964	180
Felonies (all cases where jurisdiction limited to findings of probable cause)	0
Violations of Town Ordinances	11
Misdemeanors	180
Violation of State Motor Vehicle Laws	158
Violation of State Fish and Game Laws	3
Cases Respondent pleaded not guilty	12
Cases Respondent found not guilty	4
Cases Nol Prossed	2
Cases Appealed	3

Juvenile Cases

Cases of neglected children	1
Cases of delinquent children	4

Small Claims, Cases of

Small claims pending January 1, 1964	0
Small claims entered during year	20
Small claims disposed of during year	20
Small claims on which judgement entered after hearing	4
Small claims on which judgement entered on default	3
Small claims otherwise disposed of	13

CIVIL CASES

Civil cases entered during six months	0
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VERNON A. KNOWLTON,
Clerk

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF COURT

January 1 - June 30, 1964

Receipts:

Cash on hand January 1, 1964	\$ 733.05
Fines and Fees received during term	2,822.50
Bail received from Superior Court	35.00

Total Receipts	\$3,590.55

Payments:

Fines—Dept. Motor Vehicle, State of N. H.	\$ 736.00
Fines—Dept. Fish and Game	20.00
Bail transferred to Superior Court	130.00
Bail returned to respondents	535.00
Witness fees and travel	12.16
Town of Henniker (Treasurer)	2,052.34
Postage	4.75
Check Books	5.00
Stationary—Maxwell Press	13.00
Bond (Clerk)	5.00
RSA Supplement—Equity Publishing Corp.	20.00
Judicial Robe—C. E. Ward Co.	49.55
District Court Seal—Judicial Council	7.75

Total Payments	\$3,590.55

VERNON A. KNOWLTON,
Clerk

REPORT OF HENNIKER DISTRICT COURT

July 1, 1964 - December 31, 1964

Robert W. Sterling, Justice

Vernon A. Knowlton, Clerk

Criminal Cases	
Complaints entered during term	136
Felonies	2
Violation of Town Ordinances	11
Misdemeanors	134
Violation of State Motor Vehicle Laws	88
Violation of Fish and Game Laws	5
Cases Respondent pleaded not guilty	10
Cases Respondent found not guilty	1
Cases Nol Prossed	4
Cases appealed	0
Juvenile Cases	
Cases of neglected children	3
Cases of delinquent children	0
Small Claims	
Small claims pending July 1, 1964	0
Small claims entered during term	5
Small claims disposed of during term	5
Small claims on which judgement entered after hearing	1
Small claims on which judgement entered on default	3
Small claims otherwise disposed of	1
Civil Cases	
Civil cases entered during term	2
Civil case tried or heard during term (damages to property)	1
Civil cases disposed of by settlement or otherwise (debts)	1

VERNON A. KNOWLTON,
Clerk
Henniker District Court

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF COURT

July 1, 1964 - December 31, 1964

Receipts:

Cash on hand July 1, 1964	\$0,000.00
Fines and fees received during term	2,787.65
Bail received from Superior Court	500.00
	\$3,287.65
Total Receipts	\$3,287.65

Payments:

Fines—Dept. of Safety, State of N. H.	\$ 735.00
Fines—Dept. of Fish and Game, State of N. H.	160.00
Bail transferred to Superior Court	500.00
Amount paid for witness fees	5.00
Association dues	5.00
Treasurer, Town of Henniker	1,633.30
Stationery	41.00
Postage	3.50
Checks	2.50
Miscellaneous supplies	3.30
Cash on hand December 31, 1964	199.05
	\$3,287.65
Total Payments	\$3,287.65

VERNON A. KNOWLTON,
Clerk

Henniker District Court

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

EXPENSES YEAR ENDING 1964

Wages:

Calvin L. Tucker, Sr.	\$2,256.57	
W. Ernest Bergh, Jr.	209.17	
Napoleon F. Damour	463.80	
Robert A. Bassett	20.72	
Ronald L. Garrison	8.67	
Fred Brunnhoelzl, Jr.	36.91	
Joseph B. Maillette	17.62	
		\$3,013.46
Social Security:		
State Treasurer		147.81
Telephone Net:		
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.		156.00
Supplies:		
State Treasurer	32.46	
Public Service Co.	5.67	
Edmunds Dept. Store	16.33	
Evans Radio	7.95	
N. H. Distributing Agency	5.00	
		67.41
Equipment:		
Mack's Mens Shop	34.80	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	2.58	
Safety Sign Co.	89.23	
Bill Dunns Sport Shop	53.95	
Sanel Automotive Parts	45.00	
Henniker Pharmacy—		
Camera and Supplies	151.41	
Chag's Insurance Agency—		
State Police Radio	100.00	
		476.97

Blue Phone Coverage:		
Viola Tucker		150.00
Miscellaneous:		
Rock Garden (Transients)	.85	
Francis Brown, M. D.	5.00	
	<hr/>	5.85
Total		<hr/> \$4,017.50

The Henniker Police Department is what we call "Part Time" because the officers have to work on their regular jobs to support their families. Although, in some cases, officers take time off their regular jobs to take care of an emergency; but the people are covered "Full Time" or 24 hours a day. This is accomplished by: 1. A Police Phone in the Chief's home and one in the Henniker Pharmacy. That is to say, whenever the Police Phone rings, someone will take your call and give you service. 2. If in an emergency, a local policeman is not available, our State Police give us full cooperation and render their services. Also, there is a "Blue Light" System. When an officer is on duty and a call is received, a "blue light," located on top of the telephone booth by the Esso Station, is put on which alerts the officer who immediately calls the Department for details. Time and money is saved.

Some of the major activities handled by the Henniker Police Department during the year are:

Telephone calls received	324
Parking Tickets	292
Motor Vehicle Accidents	41
Messages Delivered	15
Dog Complaints	27
Breaking and Entering	29
Prowlers—Complaints	4
Family Problems	4
N. H. State Hospital	3
Missing Persons	4
Assisted other Police Depts.	6

Aid to Motorists 3

There are numerous miscellaneous calls
and complaints answered 196

In addition to the above, the Department renders its services in many other ways such as painting the lines in the square, traffic patrol holidays, weekends, etc., Community Center, High School, N.E.C. Activities and participated in the School Safety Program. The officers attended Police Training School sponsored by the State Police January through April—weekly.

Our income for the year is \$973 broken down as follows:

Parking Tickets	\$530.00
H.H.S. Games	55.00
Donation—Kelton Oil Co.	10.00
Reports—Accident	16.00
N.E.C. and Misc. Activities	182.00
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	\$793.00

PROPOSED BUDGET 1965

Wages for: Traffic, Parking, Criminal, Misc.	\$4,000.00
Telephone Coverage	150.00
Telephone Net	170.00
Dog Constable	300.00
Equipment	400.00
Supplies	200.00
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	\$5,220.00

The Police Department has an article in the Town Warrant for 2-way radios, costing approximately \$1,000. This would take care of our need for a home base unit and at least 2 car units.

Henniker is one of the few remaining towns in this area which does not have this very necessary equipment. Much

police work is done by a single individual, often at night, and in isolated areas. If an emergency should arise, he has no way, at present, to communicate with other police officers. An automobile accident call is usually answered by one policeman. He is required to stay at the scene of the accident, and must rely on the kindness and efficiency of passing motorists to relay any necessary messages for medical assistance or other police officers.

The 2-way radio we request will provide instant communication between Henniker law enforcement officers and will enable us to make better use of our Blue Phone and Blue Light Systems already in operation.

The members of the Police Department wish to thank Norman Parmenter for his time donated to "Blue Phone" coverage, The Henniker Fire Department, Sheriff Department, Dr. Francis Brown, Mrs. Maillette, Board of Selectmen and those who rendered their services during the past year.

CALVIN L. TUCKER, SR.,
Acting Chief of Police

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF WATER
COMMISSIONERS
1964**

Receipts:

Cash on hand January 1, 1964	\$ 4,909.08
Water Rents and Extensions collected	12,408.95
Hydrant Rental—Town of Henniker	1,000.00
Economic Loss from Hop-Everett project (from State)	7,754.76
Final Payment from Govt. for Hop-Everett Project	14,628.90
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Total Receipts	\$40,701.69

Expenditures:

Concord National Bank Coupon Account (Bonds)	\$ 8,225.00
First National Bank, Hillsboro Interest on notes	42.50
First National Bank, Hillsboro, payment of notes	2,00.00
State Treasurer, Social Security	103.02
C. W. Edmunds, Collector and Commissioner	240.90
C. E. Damour, Commissioner Salary, Labor and Equipment use	978.81
D. A. Damour, Commissioner Salary, Labor and Equipment use	341.85
Hattie M. Edmunds, Treasurer and postage	101.35
Public Service Co. of N. H.	1,760.82
Town of Henniker, use of equipment	10.00
Curtis Rowe, labor	246.50
Edmunds Dept. Store, supplies, frt., post.	1,218.19
L. Melvin Tucker, electric work	101.00
Ayer & Holt	72.90
Parmenter Construction, labor	66.50

Maxwell Press, printing	55.55
Western Ave. Garage, equipment	956.73
Merrimack Farmers, supplies	4.16
George A. Caldwell Co., supplies	655.34
O. D. Hopkins, extra work not included in project	238.02
Al Kruger, labor	9.00
City of Concord labor and supplies	163.01
Larry Damour, labor	14.46
Chag's Insurance Agency	41.00
Garrison Engineers	8.00
General Taylor Fire Dept., use of hose	100.00
O. D. Hopkins, last payment (withholding \$600 for complete contract: \$12,000.91 Govt. reimb.	11,400.91
Donat A. Damour, labor Govt. reimb.	76.50
Charles E. Damour, labor, Govt. reimb.	1,224.00
Hattie M. Edmunds, Sec. Service, Govt. reimb.	100.00
Anderson-Nichols, final payment services— Govt. reimb.	1,227.49
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Total Payments	\$31,783.51
Cash on Hand, F. N. Bank, Hillsboro Dec. 31, 1964	8,918.18
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	\$40,701.69

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS

Collector

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF
COGSWELL SPRING WATER WORKS 1964**

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1964	\$ 4,909.08
Received from C. W. Edmunds, water rents and extension	12,408.95
Hydrant Rental, Town of Henniker	1,000.00
Economic Loss Payment (State of N. H., Mass)	7,754.76
Final Payment from Gov't. for Hop-Everett Dam Project	14,628.90
Total Receipts	\$40,701.69
Expenditures:	
Orders from Water Commissioners	\$31,783.51
Cash on Hand, Dec. 31, 1964 (F. N. Bank, Hillsboro)	8,918.18
	\$40,701.69

HATTIE M. EDMUNDS

Treasurer

Cogswell Spring Water Works

**ANNUAL REPORT OF
TUCKER FREE LIBRARY**

TRUSTEES

Clarence Edmunds	Benjamin D. Weeden	1965
Stanley Bracy	Anna L. Childs	1966
J. Phillip Chase	Diamond Maxwell	1967

Mrs. John H. Hollis, Librarian

Mr. John H. Hollis, Assistant Librarian

Books Purchased

Juvenile	250		Adult	190
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Gifts 50

Circulation

Fiction	5,963		Juvenile	9,890
Non-Fiction	2,036		Magazines	2,376

Fines \$45.07

The Library supplies books to the Elementary School. These books are loaned to any teacher desiring them for their room.

The Bookmobile continues to call at the library and we select from its stock books to supplement our stock and books.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. JOHN H. HOLLIS

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF
TUCKER FREE LIBRARY**

1964

Receipts:

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1964	\$5,287.47
Town of Henniker Appropriation	1,000.00
G. W. Tucker Fund	2,427.43
D. W. and E. L. Cogswell Fund	333.96
Alice V. Colby Fund	10.50
L. A. Cogswell Fund	566.61
Preston Library Fund	231.66
A. D. Huntoon Fund	42.50
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Total Receipts	\$9,900.13

Expenditures:

Mrs. John Hollis, Librarian	\$ 750.36
Mr. John Hollis, Asst. Librarian	461.76
Social Security—State Treasurer	91.36
Cogswell Spring Water Works	9.50
Contoocook Valley Telephone Co.	105.60
Public Service Co. of N. H.	201.11
Arnold Hooper, Labor	54.00
Ayer & Holt Inc.	171.79
Roy Knapton, Labor	75.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	2.47
Henniker Fuel Inc.	358.82
John LaPoint, labor	1.75
Demco Library Supplies	41.89
Edmunds Dept. Store, supplies	36.65
Richard Sweatt, labor	3.25
Kenneth R. Howes, labor	3.25
Supt. of Documents	1.75

Nat'l Baseball Congress	1.75
Guy H. Brill, labor	9.75
Book list and Subscriptions Book	6.00
Books purchased from the following companies	1,793.09
Campbell & Hall	
H. W. Wilson Co.	
Marquis—Who's Who	
Doubleday & Co., Inc.	
Gaylord Bros. Inc.	
American Interstate Corp.	
Bo-Dart Industries	
American Heritage	
Moore-Cottrell	
Charles Scribnetr & Sons	
Americana	
C. W. Edmunds, postage and box rent	6.10
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Total Expenses	\$4,194.00
Cash on Hand, Mechanics Bank, Concord, December 31, 1964	5,706.13
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	\$9,900.13

CLARENCE W. EDMUNDS,
Treasurer, Tucker Free Library

1964 REPORT OF THE HENNIKER PARK BOARD

During the season of 1964, the Parks of Henniker received the usual maintenance, plus improvements. Water hydrants were installed at Woodman Park and the Common at Ramsdell Road, and Memorial Day Gardens were planted in both Parks. More dead trees were removed at Woodman Park and a Blue Spruce tree was planted in the Common at Ramsdell Road.

The Athletic Field had additional improvements, Goal Posts, Plates and Bases were provided, planks have been purchased for bleacher seats and more gravel was supplied

The old entrance to Azalea Park was demolished due to the new addition to the Fairhouse. A new entrance is under consideration, it would be a nice addition to add wrought iron scrollwork to trim the old sign of black and gold, said sign being in good condition.

In June the Park Board asked the State to improve the base of the "Stop" sign in Proctor Square, after this was done, permission was granted the board to plant flowers in the base. Many favorable comments were received from townspeople and visitors who noted this improvement.

Although the General Park Fund shows a deficit for 1964, the expensive projects have been completed and we hope to stay within our allowance during the 1965 season.

1965 Funds	
Athletic Field	\$ 778.54
Azalea Park	761.55
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	\$1,540.09
General Fund	Deficit —24.29
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Deposit Mechanic National Bank	\$1,515.80

NOTE: Twenty dollars (\$20.00) has been placed on account with the Public Service Company of N. H. for the year 1965. They prefer it this way to assist in bookkeeping.

LEANDER A. COGSWELL ATHLETIC FIELD FUND

Receipts

January 1, 1964, Balance available	\$673.42
1964 Income	295.43
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	\$968.85

Payments

Mark-Savage, Inc., Plates, Bases	\$ 48.85
Scott Parmenter, Gravel	37.80
Merrimack Farmers, U-Lugs (17)	21.93
Barry Patenaude, Goal Posts	15.83
Barry Patenaude, Bleacher Planks	62.50
Merrimack Farmers, Lime	3.00
Clerical Expense	.40
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	\$190.31
Balance Available	778.54
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	\$968.85

LEANDER A. COGSWELL AZALEA PARK FUND

Receipts

January 1, 1964, Balance available	\$544.08
1964 Income	254.89
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	\$798.97

Payments

Arnold Hooper, Mow and Rake	\$ 6.50	
Mark Swinehart, Mow	2.50	
Francis Taylor, Mow	18.00	
Merle Patenaude, Remove Rubbish	10.00	
Clerical Expense	.42	
	<hr/>	\$ 37.42
Balance Available		761.55
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		\$798.97

LEANDER A. COGSWELL PARK FUND

Receipts

January 1, 1964	Deficit	\$ 17.30
1964 Income		333.96
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		\$316.66

Payments

Woodman Park		
Village Greenhouse,		
(Memorial Garden)	\$ 5.00	
Wayne Colby, Dig water holes	5.25	
Donald Peasley, remove trees	40.00	
Clarence Allen, rake, remove rubbish	70.00	
Merle Patenaude,		
Water hydrant, misc. labor	35.64	
Gilman Day, mow and care	58.75	
Public Service of N. H., electricity	24.22	
Clerical expense	.20	
	<hr/>	\$239.06
Community Park		
Arnold Hooper, mow and rake	\$ 23.50	
Mark Swinehart, mow	3.00	
Kenneth Howes	1.50	
George Woollett, repair lights	4.00	
Clerical expense	.20	
	<hr/>	\$ 32.20
Ramsdell Road Triangle		
Village Greenhouse,		
(Memorial Gardens)	\$ 10.00	
Stern's Nursery, Mums	3.00	
Arnold Hooper, mow and rake	8.00	
Wayne Colby, dig water holes	5.25	
Edmund's Dept. Store, water fittings	1.80	
Merle Patenaude,		
Water hydrant, connection	26.64	
Blue Spruce tree	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 69.69
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		\$340.95
Deficit		\$24.29

JAMES A. STRAW FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1964	\$ 2,895.95
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	3,143.89
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Balance on hand January 1, 1965	\$ 6,039.84

FRANK J. CONSTANTINE FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1964	\$.61
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	31.53
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Available	\$ 32.14
Paid, aid to Town Poor	30.00
Balance on hand January 1, 1965	\$ 2.14

JAMES R. STRAW INCOME FUND

January 1, 1964, Balance available	\$14,491.72
Deposited 40% of 1964 Income	2,122.59
Interest	488.02
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	\$17,102.33
Expended 1964	\$ 6,450.00
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Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1964	\$10,652.33

FRANK J. CONSTANTINE FUND

Balance on hand January 1, 1964	\$ 1,505.54
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	31.53
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Balance Available	\$ 31.53
Paid, aid to Town Poor	51.53
Balance on hand, January 1, 1965	\$1,537.06

TRUST FUNDS

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds for the Year Ending December 31, 1964

Date of Creation	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of		Income		Expended		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1964
			Principal	Jan. 1, 1964	1964	1964	1964	Dec. 31, 1964	
1903	George W. Tucker Fund	U. S. Bonds 6 Savings Banks 1872 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust 954 shrs. Eaton & Howard 236 shrs. N. S. Fund 25 shrs. Public Service Co. pref. Stock @ 4.50 372 shrs. N. H. Fire Ins.	\$ 2,000.00 10,736.06 9,711.75 5,991.06 1,996.27	\$.....	\$ 50.00 453.64 842.40 360.38 87.69	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
1950	Preston Library Fund	Total for Fund 751 shrs. Boston Fund Merrimack County Sav. Bank	\$39,703.29 \$ 3,000.00 111.17	\$..... \$.....	\$2,427.43 \$ 231.66	\$2,427.43 \$.....	\$2,427.43 \$.....	\$..... \$.....	\$..... \$.....
1920	D. W. & E. L. Cogswell Fund	Total for Fund U. S. Bonds 2 Savings Banks 3639 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust 663 shrs. Boston Fund 470 shrs. Eaton & Howard 413 shrs. N. E. Fund 25 shrs. Public Service Co. pref. Stock @ 4.50 497 shrs. Scudder, Stevens & Clark	\$ 3,111.17 \$ 2,000.00 20,973.13 15,900.70 2,979.96 2,995.53 3,499.08	\$..... \$.....	\$ 231.66 \$ 50.00 864.47 1,637.55 201.63 177.48 153.54	\$ 231.66 \$.....	\$ 231.66 \$.....	\$..... \$.....	\$..... \$.....
	Total for Fund		\$55,868.59	\$.....	\$3,339.58	\$3,339.58	\$3,339.58	\$.....	\$.....

1922	James & Hannah L. Straw Fund	U. S. Bonds	\$ 4,000.00	\$.....	\$ 100.00	\$.....	\$.....
		Mer. County Savings Bank	3,041.75	.....	129.17	.....	.....
		611 shrs. Fidelity Fund	5,998.50	.....	268.84	.....	.....
		74 shrs. Chem. Corn Exchg. Bank	3,515.00	.....	207.20	.....	.....
		353 shrs. Broad St. Invest. Corp.	3,517.34	.....	215.82	.....	.....
		Total for Fund	\$20,072.59	\$.....	\$ 921.03	\$ 921.03	\$.....
1927	George H. Dodge Fund	Cheshire County Sav. Bank	\$ 500.00	\$.....	\$ 20.94	\$ 20.94	\$.....
1925	John Proctor & Proctor Family	4 Savings Banks	\$ 9,264.81	\$3,532.96	\$ 511.89	\$ 511.78	\$3,533.04
		506 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	2,505.80	.....	227.70	227.70	.....
		641 shrs. Eaton & Howard	4,026.25	.....	242.20	242.20	.....
		199 shrs. Fidelity Fund	1,994.85	.....	87.56	87.56	.....
		302 shrs. Puritan Fund	2,497.00	.....	112.15	112.15	.....
		Total for Fund	\$20,288.71	\$3,532.96	\$1,181.47	\$1,181.39	\$3,533.04
1929	L. A. Cogswell Athletic Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$ 2,334.16	\$.....	\$ 99.86	\$.....	\$.....
		187 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	994.95	.....	95.44	.....	.....
		68 shrs. Eaton & Howard	515.36	.....	36.10	.....	.....
		45 shrs. Fidelity Fund	488.25	.....	19.80	.....	.....
		120 shrs. Puritan Fund	998.80	.....	44.73	.....	.....
		Total for Fund	\$ 5,331.52	\$.....	\$ 295.93	\$ 295.93	\$.....
1929	L. A. Cogswell Azalea Park	Franklin Savings Bank	\$ 2,332.26	\$.....	\$ 98.93	\$.....	\$.....
		187 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	994.95	.....	65.45	.....	.....
		68 shrs. Eaton & Howard	515.36	.....	25.98	.....	.....
		45 shrs. Fidelity Fund	488.25	.....	19.80	.....	.....
		120 shrs. Puritan Fund	998.80	.....	44.73	.....	.....
		Total for Fund	\$ 5,329.62	\$.....	\$ 254.89	\$ 254.89	\$.....

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds for the Year Ending December 31, 1964
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Date of Creation	Name of Fund	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance		Income		Expended		Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1964
				on hand Jan. 1, 1964	on hand Jan. 1, 1964	1964	1964	1964	1964	
1929	L. A. Cogswell Library Fund	3 Savings Banks 396 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust 310 shrs. Eaton & Howard 241 shrs. Puritan Fund	\$ 4,261.60 1,989.90 1,997.02 1,997.60	\$.....	\$ 181.43 178.20 117.43 117.55	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
1931	L. A. Cogswell High Schol Fund	Total for Fund 6 savings banks 1233 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust 954 shrs. Eaton & Howard 413 shrs. N. E. Fund 42 shrs. 1st Nat'l Bank of Boston 607 shrs. Puritan Fund	\$10,246.12 \$12,894.90 6,006.55 5,991.06 3,499.08 1,927.50 4,994.00	\$..... \$8,023.59	\$ 566.61 \$ 923.31 554.85 360.38 153.54 142.80 225.15	\$..... \$.....	\$ 566.61 \$ 272.86 554.85 360.38 153.54 142.80 225.15	\$..... \$.....	\$..... \$8,674.04	\$..... \$8,674.04
1935	Frank J. Constantine Fund	Total for Fund	\$35,313.09	\$8,023.59	\$2,360.03	\$1,709.58	\$8,674.04			
1935	James R. Straw Fund	Cheshire County Sav. Bank 4 Savings Banks U. S. Bonds 3042 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust 1362 shrs. Boston Fund 1071 shrs. Eaton & Howard 1384 shrs. Fidelity Fund 295 shrs. N. E. Fund	\$ 1,537.06 \$14,769.57 21,000.00 11,856.00 5,242.50 5,748.00 13,545.45 2,489.73	\$..... \$.....	\$ 31.53 \$ 652.34 525.00 1,368.90 419.61 404.55 608.96 109.65	\$..... \$.....	\$ 31.53 \$.....	\$..... \$.....	\$..... \$.....	\$..... \$.....

1936	115 shrs. Public Service Co. pref. @ 3.50	8,747.50	385.25		
1943	127 shrs. Public Service Co. pref. @ 4.50	13,201.00	571.52		
	118 shrs. Chase Man. Bank	3,937.50	257.70		
	12 shrs. Ft. Worth Transit	120.00	3.00		
	Total for Fund	\$100,657.25	\$5,306.48	\$5,306.48	\$
1936	Alice V. Colby Fund	\$ 300.00	\$ 10.50	\$ 10.50	\$
1943	Huntoon Memorial Library Fund				
1903	Cemetery Funds	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 42.50	\$ 42.50	\$
	3 Savings Banks	\$ 9,133.53	\$ 387.39	\$	\$
	396 shrs. Mass. Inv. Trust	1,989.90	178.20		
	470 shrs. Eaton & Howard	2,995.53	177.48		
	250 shrs. Fidelity Fund	2,497.05	110.00		
	105 shrs. Bank of America	4,087.50	210.00		
	Total for Fund	\$20,703.51	\$1,063.07	\$1,063.07	\$
1957	Annie M. Blaisdell Fund	\$ 586.68	\$ 25.18	\$ 25.18	\$
1952	Max Israel Scholarship Fund	\$ 2,733.72	\$ 186.15	\$	\$
		98.51	4.37		
	Total for Fund	\$ 2,832.23	\$ 190.52	\$	\$
	Total for all Funds Drawing Interest				\$323,379.44

DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS

Funds left to the town, the income to be used for the care of designated lots in Henniker cemeteries—all income turned over to the Henniker Cemetery Association for administration.

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Loca- tion of Lot
Albert C. Clark	\$ 100.00	\$ 5.20	New
Nathan Carter	100.00	5.20	"
Mark Dustin	100.00	5.20	"
Addie F. Cogswell	50.00	2.60	"
Sarah P. Richardson	250.00	13.00	"
Jennie F. Nutter	75.00	3.90	"
Nahum Newton	50.00	2.60	"
Fannie F. Whitcomb	100.00	5.20	"
Fidelia H. Carter	100.00	5.20	"
Edwin B. Howe	100.00	5.20	"
William D. Harwood	100.00	5.20	"
Georgianna Patterson	200.00	10.40	"
Sarah W. Pilsbury	150.00	7.80	"
Levis S. Connor	100.00	5.20	"
Warren Sanborn	70.00	3.64	"
Seth W. Straw	100.00	5.20	"
Mercie B. Bacon	50.00	2.60	"
Almedia Felch	100.00	5.20	"
R. M. Dowlin	100.00	5.20	"
Levi C. Newton	100.00	5.20	"
Josephine S. Colby	100.00	5.20	"
Franklin C. Goss	100.00	5.20	"
George A. Eastman	200.00	10.40	"
Jennie C. Allison	100.00	5.20	"
Fannie W. Whitcomb	100.00	5.20	"
John H. Savage	50.00	2.60	"
Zadok Dustin	100.00	5.20	"
Frank A. Connor	100.00	5.20	"
Edgar M. Clough	100.00	5.20	"
Henry E. Merrick	50.00	2.60	"
Betsey J. Colby	100.00	5.20	"
Timothy Peaslee	300.00	15.60	"
Charles L. Matthews	100.00	5.20	"
Alma P. Shepherd	100.00	5.20	"
George R. McAllister	100.00	5.20	"
Alilian C. Wheeler	100.00	5.20	"
William F. Raymond	100.00	5.20	"
Joseph H. Westcomb	150.00	7.80	"
Ada C. Dodge	100.00	5.20	"
J. Madison Colby	100.00	5.20	"
E. J. and L. K. Kilburn	50.00	2.60	"
Mary E. Flanders	200.00	10.40	"
Nellie J. Putney & Charles F. Carter	100.00	5.20	"

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Loca- tion of Lot
James B. Phillips	\$ 100.00	\$ 5.20	New
Albert H. Chase	100.00	5.20	"
Lizzie H. Andrews	100.00	5.20	"
Hattie M. Chase	100.00	5.20	"
Hattie M. Chase (Follansbee Lot)	100.00	5.20	"
Samuel K. Page	100.00	5.20	"
Eva M. Barnes	50.00	2.60	"
William F. Flanders	150.00	7.80	"
Ellon R. Bacon	100.00	5.20	"
Amie L. Bacon	100.00	5.20	"
Charles E. Favor	100.00	5.20	"
Ella P. Manchester	100.00	5.20	"
Andrew P. Favor	50.00	2.60	"
Lilla J. Howe	50.00	2.60	"
Mary C. Eaton	100.00	5.20	"
Sarah M. Childs	100.00	5.20	"
F. H. & R. E. Straw	100.00	5.20	"
Georgia E. Witherill	100.00	5.20	"
Hattie W. Messer	100.00	5.20	"
George C. Patterson	100.00	5.20	"
Frank J. Peabody	100.00	5.20	"
Mary Farrar	100.00	5.20	"
Ira Connor	70.00	3.64	"
Charles T. Matthews	70.00	3.64	"
Ida O. Atkinson	50.00	2.60	"
William H. Bean	100.00	5.20	"
George H. Drew	100.00	5.20	"
Harrison B. Morrell	100.00	5.20	"
Charles H. Corser	50.00	2.60	"
Thomas W. Sargent	100.00	5.20	"
Harrison Colby	100.00	5.20	"
John Brady	100.00	5.20	"
Albert E. Choate	100.00	5.20	"
Edward B. Lawrence	100.00	5.20	"
Charles W. Martin	300.00	15.60	"
George W. Rice	100.00	5.20	"
James G. Rice	100.00	5.20	"
Jacob & Harrison Rice	100.00	5.20	"
Edward G. Flander	100.00	5.20	"
Fred W. Shelton	100.00	5.20	"
H. F. & A. R. Corser	100.00	5.20	"
Jacob Gordon	100.00	5.20	"
Lillian F. Hale	100.00	5.20	"
John T. Falvey	50.00	2.60	"
Bowen Family	100.00	5.20	"
Fitz H. Corser	100.00	5.20	"
Whittemore-Currier	100.00	5.20	"
William Bishopric	100.00	5.20	"

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Location of Lot
A. D. Huntoon	\$ 100.00	\$ 5.20	New
Bion E. Gale	75.00	3.90	"
John H. Brown	50.00	2.60	"
Myron J. Presby	75.00	3.90	"
Ida M. Barnes	300.00	15.60	"
S. G. A. Newton	100.00	5.20	"
Amie L. Bacon (Additional)	100.00	5.20	"
Heman D. Patterson	100.00	5.20	"
George P. Farrar	100.00	5.20	"
Clark Oleneck	100.00	5.20	"
E. D. & R. B. Wallace	200.00	10.40	"
Well Davis	100.00	5.20	"
Julie A. Lewis	200.00	10.40	"
A. M. Ingersoll	100.00	5.20	"
Daniel Cate	100.00	5.20	"
Willis Robbins	100.00	5.20	"
E. C. Steele	5.03	.26	"
W. O. & J. F. Flanders	200.00	10.40	"
M. Elizabeth Whitcomb	100.00	5.20	"
Walter O. Connor	200.00	10.40	"
Mary L. Wiggin	100.00	5.20	"
George A. Colby	100.00	5.20	"
Fred A. Leavitt	150.00	7.80	"
Fred N. Webster	50.00	2.60	"
Herbert C. Hoyt	50.00	2.60	"
Ida B. Morse	100.00	5.20	"
Patten Bennett	100.00	5.20	"
Frank L. Chase	100.00	5.20	"
Herbert W. & Flora Carnes	200.00	10.40	"
A. G. Preston	50.15	2.60	"
John W. & Annie M. Cochrane	150.00	7.80	"
Mattis A. Peaslee	200.00	10.40	"
Wilbur Blaisdell	150.00	7.80	"
Charles F. Cogswell	100.00	5.20	"
Almus W. Morse	200.00	10.40	"
Addie I. Stevens	700.00	36.40	"
George H. Dodge	75.00	3.90	"
James H. Flanders	50.00	2.60	"
Grant Brown	50.00	2.60	"
Ephraim P. Goss	100.00	5.20	"
Lillian Herrick	100.00	5.20	"
Charles A. Taylor	100.00	5.20	"
Dr. George H. Sanborn	200.00	10.40	"
Charles E. and Stella M. Flanders	100.00	5.20	"
William H. Gilmore	100.00	5.20	Old
J. Willis Plummer	100.00	5.20	"
William Osborne	50.00	2.60	"
Levi Colby Family	50.00	2.60	"
Joseph G. Wadsworth	100.00	5.20	"

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income	Loca- tion of Lot
Ida Mae Gibson	\$ 200.00	\$10.40	Old
Jessie M. Fisher	200.00	10.40	"
Julia A. Lewis	200.00	10.40	"
Ed & Nellis Hemphill	200.00	10.40	"
Edna Dean Proctor	200.00	10.40	"
Almira Cook	50.00	2.60	"
Sarah M. Morse	100.00	5.20	"
Mary C. Wadsworth	50.00	2.60	"
Rufus T. Howe	200.00	10.40	"
George W. Tucker	100.00	5.20	"
Mary S. Cogswell	100.00	5.20	"
Charles Bowman	50.00	2.60	"
Georgianna Patterson	200.00	10.40	"
Elizabeth P. Gove	200.00	10.40	"
Margaret Douglas	100.00	5.20	"
Mary Marsh	100.00	5.20	"
E. C. & L. I. Black	100.00	5.20	"
C. & J. H. George	100.00	5.20	"
E. & E. Hemphill	100.00	5.20	"
Joshus Darling	100.00	5.20	"
Moses J. Brown	100.00	5.20	"
Wallace Family	150.00	7.80	"
Caroll T. Rogers	500.00	26.00	"
Lucy S. Connor	200.00	10.40	Goss
Levi S. Connor	100.00	5.20	"
John M. Chase	100.00	5.20	"
George W. Plummer	200.00	10.40	Plum
Cowdry Fund	50.00	2.60	"
Ira Plummer	50.00	2.60	"
Parker P. Patch	80.26	4.16	"
Betsey Flanders	100.00	5.20	"
Leon K. Parker	100.00	5.20	"
Willis G Buxton	300.00	15.60	Friends
Original Funds Invested	\$20,445.44		
Total Capital Gains	484.27		
Total	\$20,929.71		
Total to Cemetery Asso'n., 1964			\$1,063.07

DETAILED TABLE OF CEMETERY TRUSTS

Because of the many requests, the Henniker Cemetery Association voted to purchase space in the town report to periodically publish all trusts funds left to the Henniker Cemetery Association.

Funds left to the Henniker Cemetery Association, the income to be used for the care of designated lot in Henniker cemeteries.

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income
J. Mace Andress	\$ 100.00	\$ 3.27
Samuel A. Baker	75.00	2.45
Henri Beltzung	100.00	3.27
S. A. Brown	50.00	1.63
E. E. Buxton	100.00	3.27
Baker-Gilchrist	100.00	3.27
Edward Barton	100.00	3.27
Mary A. Bishopric	100.00	3.27
Boynton-Perry	100.00	3.27
Bunnell Family Fund	100.00	3.27
Dr. Francis Brown	100.00	3.27
Samuel A. Baker (additional)	75.00	2.45
L. A. Cogswell	1,500.00	49.05
Benjamin Clark	100.00	3.27
L. A. Cogswell	1,500.00	49.05
L. W. Cogswell	100.00	3.27
Willis Carter	60.00	1.96
Achsah Chase	100.00	3.27
Hanson J. Chase	100.00	3.27
Hollis Chase	100.00	3.27
Childs-Gutterson	175.00	5.72
Letitia Colby	100.00	3.27
Fred T. Connor	100.00	3.27
Thomas Crowley	100.00	3.27
Wayne Carnes	100.00	3.27
John W. Childs	75.00	2.45
Willis Cogswell	300.00	9.81
Chester Clapp	100.00	3.27
Wesley & Mabel Cooledge	100.00	3.27
James Clark	50.00	1.63
Elizabeth Cate & John Campbell	200.00	6.54
William L. Childs	200.00	6.54
Henry M. Colclough	100.00	3.27
Arthur & Catherine Chase	100.00	3.27

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income
Harvey Chase	100.00	3.27
B. Clara Dow	100.00	3.27
Geo. W. S. Dow	100.00	3.27
Nettie Dow	200.00	6.54
John I. David	100.00	3.27
John David	100.00	3.27
Clarence Davis	200.00	6.54
Robert & Winsome Dube	50.00	1.63
Eldredge-Poor	100.00	3.27
Charles Ernest	100.00	3.27
Henry Emerson	200.00	6.54
Julia W. Folsom	100.00	3.27
Walter L. French	50.00	1.63
Joseph Gately	100.00	3.27
Goodwin Fund	100.00	3.27
George A. Gordon	100.00	3.27
John, Fred & Louie D. Gilchrist	100.00	3.27
Robert M. Gordon	150.00	4.90
Jennie R. Gorman & David Reed	150.00	4.90
W. C. Goss	100.00	3.27
Alfred B. Gould	500.00	16.35
C. F. , G. P. & J. F. Gove	200.00	3.27
E. W. Gillander	100.00	3.27
Frank Garland	150.00	4.90
Marjorie Gretsck	200.00	6.54
Hall-Todd	100.00	3.27
Harvey Curtis	100.00	3.27
Julia A. Hanson	50.00	1.63
Eva W. Huntoon	100.00	3.27
Guy O. Hollis	200.00	6.54
Harry L. Holmes	100.00	3.27
Francis O. Holmes	100.00	3.27
Foster Herrick	100.00	
Carol Hadley	100.00	
Henry Jameson	100.00	3.27
Leon Levesque	100.00	3.27
Henry Lord	100.00	3.27
McDonald & Cheever	300.00	9.81
Sarah J. Moffitt	150.00	4.90
Mallery Family Fund	100.00	3.27
Moody Fund	100.00	3.27
John McGregor	100.00	3.27
Wallace & Grace Murdough	100.00	
R. G. & G. M. Northup	100.00	3.27
John Nudd	100.00	3.27
Roland N. Nutter	100.00	3.27
George A. Newton	150.00	4.90
Duncan P. Noyes	100.00	3.27
Lydia S. Patterson	100.00	3.27
Harriet F. Peltier	100.00	3.27
Charles Parmenter	300.00	9.81

Name of Fund	Principal	Annual Income
Walter C. Patenaude	100.00	3.27
George Powers	100.00	3.27
Clara C. Randall	50.00	1.63
Albert S. Rush	100.00	3.27
John H. Rice	200.00	6.54
Robbins-Hadley	75.00	2.45
Rogers-Towne	100.00	3.27
C. W. Rowe	200.00	6.54
John Robertson	100.00	3.27
Charles Ray	100.00	3.27
Silas A. Rowe	200.00	6.54
Milo B. Robertson	100.00	3.27
Russell Riley	100.00	
Orin G. Seward & Florence Perry	100.00	3.27
Henry A. Skillen	100.00	3.27
Smith-Balch	200.00	6.54
Arthur H. Stone	100.00	3.27
I. D. Stuart	100.00	3.27
Van E. Sanders	100.00	3.27
Charles E. Savage	200.00	6.54
Marjorie Schacht	100.00	3.27
John A. Sinclair	100.00	3.27
Andrew L. Straw	100.00	3.27
Gay Stevens	200.00	6.54
Ethel Searles	75.00	2.45
Thompson-Lucier	100.00	3.27
George W. Tucker	100.00	3.27
L. W. Tyler	200.00	6.54
Mrs. Howard Taylor	100.00	3.27
Harold A. Tucker	50.00	1.63
Calvin L. Tucker	50.00	1.63
Wallace Fund	3,400.00	101.18
Wallace Fund	10,245.72	768.18
Andrew J. West	100.00	3.27
Livonia S. Woods	100.00	3.27
Edward H. Walker	300.00	9.81
Mary M. Weld	100.00	3.27
Maud Worden	100.00	3.27
John E. Whittier	200.00	6.54
Wilkins Bros.	100.00	3.27
Walter Whalen	100.00	3.27
Lyle Whitney	100.00	
	<u>\$31,505.00</u>	<u>\$1,432.78</u>

ANNUAL REPORT

HENNIKER PLANNING BOARD

The Henniker Planning Board met regularly each month in the Town Offices during the past year. Meetings are open to everyone and many interested people attended. We hope Henniker citizens will continue to attend our meetings because such participation is essential to sound planning and good town management.

The purpose of the Planning Board is to help the Selectmen and the town in studying improvements and/or problems facing Henniker's future. Other towns' experience has pretty well shown that when intelligent planning is done, sound growth follows. On the other hand, when problems are ignored, or left to solve themselves, the results are not always in the best long-run interests of the town.

The Planning Board worked in many areas during the past year, all important to Henniker. The problem of inadequate signs and lights at the intersection of Dodge Hill Road and the two Concord Roads was explored. As a result of our efforts, improvements have been made by the state, and more are in the works. We asked Senator Norris Cotton for a mail box in the square. We learned through him, however, that the Post Office Department does not allow such mail boxes in villages not having house to house delivery. Several new businesses were also welcomed to Henniker.

Perhaps the most important thing we did was to send a questionnaire to Henniker citizens, asking for their suggestions and advice on ways to make Henniker a better place in which to live and own property. The response was very favorable, with over 90 percent of the replies encouraging various kinds of construction action to improve Henniker.

We appreciate this kind of support, because it means that people care about their town, and want to see it improved. We want to act on every suggestion as time allows.

Many of the answers to the questionnaire showed that people would like to see the town kept traditionally New England. Some would like to see the Proctor Watering Trough back in its original place. Others would like to see the Mortar and Pestle on the corner by the drug store. Still others spoke of the many happy days spent at the Henniker Inn, and were pleased to see it being kept up. Many thought it would be nice to use the name of Henniker Village instead of just Henniker. Professor Francis Childs said an area around West Henniker used to be called Henniker Village, and that name is being used by a number of folks even today. The feeling seems to be that the folks who settled Henniker were the kind who built a clean little village and kept it that way without too much regulation or without too many people who didn't do their bit. Therefore we think if each and all of us would work along the lines of exhibiting civic pride and responsibility, we could accomplish a great deal.

A lot of people have already been doing much along these lines. Our fire department, our park commission, the schools and the library are wonderful examples of what some dedicated people can do for Henniker. We want to thank them for all they've done, and encourage them to keep right on doing a good job. The people of New England College deserve a great deal of credit for what they've done to help Henniker. They have done a great service in the way of renovating buildings, putting up new ones, providing employment for many, and paying taxes. We think that the town and college can work together in order that Henniker will become one of the finest towns in the state of New Hampshire.

As a result of our past year's meetings, the many fine suggestions we've received, and the progress Henniker has made so far, we'd like to make several recommendations for future consideration. We honestly believe these thoughts will go a long way toward making Henniker an even better place to live.

1. We start referring to Henniker as Henniker Village in keeping with our New England heritage.
2. We support our town officials to the very best of our ability. This includes giving them our suggestions on how to improve Henniker, and our full support in helping them carry out the suggestions.
3. We encourage people to keep up their property in such a way that it's a credit to themselves and to Henniker instead of being an unsightly mess. We question if a person has the right to neglect his own place to such an extent that it hurts the property values of others in the neighborhood, thereby hurting town taxes as well.
4. We organize a junk automobile clean-up week to get rid of all the abandoned vehicles within the town. These things are a real eyesore and belong in a town dump big enough to take them. If some junks are being kept for parts, they should be screened from view as the state laws provide.
5. We believe Henniker must eventually design some moderate building codes to maintain itself as a desirable New England village. Otherwise it eventually will be flooded with those families being forced away from other towns that do have and enforce such codes. This action is going to become more and more desirable if our tax rate is to remain fair and reasonable.

Respectfully submitted,

HENNIKER PLANNING BOARD

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Henniker qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Cogswell School Auditorium in said district on the 9th day of March 1965 at 1:00 P. M. to act upon the following subjects.

Polls open at 1:00 P. M. and close at 8:00 P. M.

Articles in Warrant will be taken up at 7:00 P. M.

1. To choose all necessary officers for the ensuing year.
2. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees and Officers chosen and take any action relating thereto.
3. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject in this Warrant.
4. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.
5. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and to receive in the name of the district such advances, Grants-in-Aid or other funds for educational purpose as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or State Agencies.
7. To see if the district will authorize the creation of a Cooperative School District Planning Committee of three qualified voters, of whom at least one shall be a member of

the School Board, the three to be appointed by the Moderator, to study the feasibility of the Henniker School District becoming a member of a Cooperative School District.

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

Given under our hands this 15th day of February 1965 at said Henniker.

J. EDWARD DAMOUR
EDWARD J. HATLACK
MERLE R. PATENAUDE
School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

J. EDWARD DAMOUR
EDWARD J. HATLACK
MERLE R. PATENAUDE
School Board

1964 HENNIKER HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Carolyn Ayer	Sandra Beasley
Gary Chase	Larrie Clark
Bernadette Costello	Florine Dane
Karol Dermon	Charles Feeny
Gail Mooney	Virginia Morse
Jeanne Munn	Robert Palmer
George Parmenter	Thomas Peasley
Patricia Senecal	Brenda Stevens
	Edward Warner

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Bradford School District	\$ 433.80
Henniker School District	1,102.50
Hopkinton School District	2,196.00
Newbury School District	496.80
Sutton School District	434.40
Warner School District	965.70
Webster School District	370.80
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Total Local Share	\$6,000.00
State's Share	3,750.00
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	\$9,750.00

HENNIKER SCHOOL DISTRICT
REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the School Board of the Henniker School District:
 During the 1963-1964 School Year the following teachers were employed:

HENNIKER HIGH SCHOOL

Teacher and Subject	Training	Year of Graduation	Salary
Theodore E. Gladu, Principal	St. Anselms	1955	
Mrs. Gloria C. Wood, French and English	Rivier College	1961	\$6,200.00
Ronald A. Willoughby, Junior High	Notre Dame College	1962	4,300.00
Robert M. Gauthier, Social Studies	Keene State College	1963	4,250.00
Mrs. Janice A. Hawkins, Home-Making	St. Anselms College	1961	4,600.00
John R. Wood, Jr., Industrial Arts	Simmons College	1946	4,400.00
Miss Nancy Lake, Business Education	Keene State College	1961	4,800.00
Robert J. Scully, English and Social Studies	Plymouth State College	1963	4,200.00
Eugene A. Serfass, Science	St. Anselms College	1958	4,800.00
Mrs. Marion C. Shay, Science and Math	Plymouth State College	1963	4,650.00
	Newark College of Engineering	1936	
Mrs. Barbara H. Wilson, Music	Keene State College	1959	4,700.00
Mrs. Elizabeth B. Lovejoy, Art	Lowell Teachers College	1949	1,300.00
Hugh W. Conner, Physical Education	University of N. H.	1959	600.00
	Springfield College	1953	1,100.00

HENNIKER GRADE SCHOOL

Mrs. Edith B. Hadley, Grade 1	Keene State College	1943	\$4,400.00
Mrs. Nina S. Buxton, Grade 2	Keene State College	1943	\$4,400.00
Mrs. Blance E. Robinson, Grade 3	Plymouth State College	1936	4,400.00
Mrs. Hazel C. Gilbert, Grade 4	Keene State College	1932	4,400.00
Mrs. Margaret N. Damour, Grade 5	Plymouth State College	1925	4,400.00
Mrs. Mildred C. French, Principal, Grade 6	Keene State College	1922	4,400.00

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

There have been only a few changes in the teaching staff in Henniker this year. Mr. William M. Doolan is the new Social Studies teacher and Mrs. Mary A. Anderson is the new Commercial teacher. These teachers were replacements for Mr. Gauthier, who accepted a position out of state, and Miss Lake, who obtained a position nearer home.

The supply of teachers continues to be short and of course this affects salaries. The New Hampshire teachers have introduced a bill in the legislature to make the minimum salary for beginning teachers \$5,000. Although this bill may not pass, we are certainly headed in that direction. Massachusetts already has such a law and some towns in New Hampshire have already adopted this figure as their minimum starting salary. Each year more towns will reach this figure forcing still more towns in this direction.

I mentioned the Interim Commission report of Education in the town report last year and stated that I felt it did not meet the needs of this section of New Hampshire. It did however, stimulate the Cooperative School concept. In the past year there has been a decided jump in the number of communities forming cooperatives and the number who are studying the possibility of such a cooperative. The new cooperatives are in the following areas: Lancaster and Whitefield, Enfield and Canaan, Bristol, Wolfeboro and Plaistow. Those now studying the cooperative are: the Penacook area, Wilton area and Bradford, Hopkinton, Warner and Webster. Whether these communities will vote to adopt the Cooperative School concept only time will tell. Certainly the committee has spent hours and hours studying the possibility and are now ready to report to the people in these communities.

I can say this about the study. It isn't going to be any cheaper in a cooperative, but the quality of the educational program is going to be considerably better, particularly in

some areas of the program. I would say that generally we do a pretty good job in our schools for the college bound youngster although we can do better. Unfortunately this group comprises only about 30 to 35% of our graduates. The other 60-65% can be provided a much better program to meet their educational and vocational needs in a cooperative school.

I feel reasonably sure that there is growing interest in Henniker and within the next ten years the cooperatives will have grown tremendously in New Hampshire. I also believe that the Legislature and the State Board of Education are going to make it increasingly attractive to become a member of a cooperative.

Many changes have taken place in New Hampshire in the past ten years, and the next decade will see even more sweeping changes. These changes can only be justified if better education is provided for our children. You will be asked to consider some of these changes and what you decide will be important to the future lives of boys and girls of Henniker. May you choose wisely.

WILLIAM C. STERLING,

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

The graduating class of 1964 reflected the fulfillment of our goals for the youth of this community. Six out of seventeen graduates entered a four year college, two entered two year colleges, two entered the armed forces have returned and are gainfully employed, one is getting married soon and the remaining six are employed in the area. Two who are working are seriously considering returning to four year colleges. Certainly, our graduates fared much better than graduates from the schools throughout the state when compared statistically.

This is due to increased emphasis on the importance of treating each individual as an individual with problems unique to himself alone. Our program of studies provides for great diversity and individual progress.

The citizenry came through with flying colors during the "Dollars for Scholars" campaign and I'm sure that this program provided incentive and encouragement for many youngsters who otherwise would not have been able to go on to further studies. With fifteen good prospects this year the need will be even greater.

We are all pleased here at the high school when we hear reports from other schools concerning the good behavior of our students when they are visiting those schools. By maintaining high standards of courtesy, scholarly achievement and discipline, we hope to impart to the student high cultural values that will guarantee success after graduation. One thing that we need more of is communication with parents concerning their children and the educational programs. May we invite one and all to visit our classrooms while in session, to converse with the teachers and the principal, to attend PTG meetings, to witness athletic contests, to make

suggestions for the improvement of the school and thereby establish a close bond with the schools.

The staff of teachers at Henniker High School are to be congratulated for an excellent spirit of cooperation and hard work. They are the bedrock of our educational system and through them we can prepare our children for success in the world. On behalf of them may I extend appreciation for the fine educational climate that is always present in Henniker.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE E. GLADU,

Principal

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1963 to June 30, 1964

SUMMARY

Cash on hand July 1, 1963		\$ 5,014.33
Received from Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	\$112,090.17	
Received from State Sources:		
School Building Aid	3,600.00	
Received from Federal Sources:		
School Lunch Program	1,297.72	
U. S. Flood Control	282.92	
Other Federal Funds	891.55	
Received from Tuitions	898.00	
Received as Income from Trust Funds	3,868.76	
Received from all other sources	3,348.14	
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Total Receipts		\$136,277.26
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		\$141,291.59
Less School Board Orders Paid		140,060.55
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Balance on hand June 30, 1964		\$ 1,231.04
Note: 1964 Sweepstakes proceeds, \$7,399.35, received after close of school year.		

GEORGE H. DODGE MEMORIAL SCHOOL FUND

Cash on hand July 1, 1963	\$	169.31
Received Bank Interest		5.73
Received as Income from Trust Funds		20.25
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$	195.29
Less School Board Orders Paid		None
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Balance on hand June 30, 1964	\$	195.29

CHARLES H. TUCKER,
District Treasurer

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT

For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1963 to June 30, 1964

SUMMARY

Cash on hand July 1, 1963	\$	217.98
Total Receipts		None
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$	217.98
Less School Board Orders Paid		217.98
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Balance on hand June 30, 1964		None

CHARLES H. TUCKER,
District Treasurer

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The School Lunch Program was in operation from September 16, 1963 to May 22, 1964. During this time there was a total of 24,414 lunches served, of which 508 were free or at reduced cost, 529 were served to adults, with a daily averaged of 169.

One thousand five hundred fifty eight dollars and fifty five cents worth of Government Surplus Commodities were received for a total cost to the Program of \$77.24. These commodities play a large roll in helping us to keep the cost of the meals at a minimum, with the raising cost of foods.

A large baking oven was purchased and installed in the kitchen this past summer. This is a great help to us in the preparation of the meals.

My thanks to those who donated their surplus garden vegetables to the program last fall, as they not only helped our budget but added variety to the menus.

A sincere thank you to all the teachers for their fine cooperation, and especially the Grammar school teachers who gave so much of their time helping to make this program a success.

Respectfully submitted,

ERCEL STERLING,

Manager

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
HENNIKER SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

July 1, 1963 to June 30, 1964

Balance on hand July 1, 1963		\$ 693.17
Receipts		
Sale of Lunches—Children	\$7,614.79	
Sale of Lunches—Adults	204.00	
Reimbursement (Federal Aid)	1,297.72	
Total Receipts		9,116.51
Total Available		\$9,809.68
Expenditures		
Food	\$5,310.55	
Labor	2,740.70	
Small Equipment	12.47	
Miscellaneous (Including Gas)	1,044.47	
Total Expenditures		9,308.19
Balance on hand June 30, 1964		\$ 501.49

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash in bank	\$ 501.49	
Reimbursement due program	125.52	
Working Capital		\$ 627.01
Food Inventory June 30, 1964		429.52
Supplies Inventory		38.68
Total Liabilities and working capital		\$1,097.21

**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PUBLIC
HEALTH NURSE**

Town health services from January 1, 1964 through
December 31, 1964
General Visiting Services

2031 visits made to give bedside care, injections, prenatal, newborn, dressings, instructive, friendly and follow up.

12 patients taken to doctors' offices in town and Concord.

3 patients taken to Optometrist in Concord.

22 visits made to nursing homes.

3 blood drawings attended in town and Hillsboro.

Worked on school census.

The general health of the community, good.

I would like to say thanks to everyone for the kindness and cooperation shown me.

MARY A. MAILLETTE, R.N.

Public Health Nurse

ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT 1963-1964

230 pupils had physical exam by Dr. Brown, defects found:

Teeth, (dental caries) 60 pupils, 28 pupils treated as of June 10.

Ears, (wax) 4 pupils, 3 pupils received treatment.

Heart Murmur, 1 boy, being treated by Dr. Borwn.

Orthopedic, 1, reported to parents.

School Nurse's Report

Vision tests (28 defects found)	257 pupils
Hearing tests (5 defects found)	293 pupils
Inspections	257 pupils
Heights	257 pupils
Weights	257 pupils
First Aid	26 pupils
Pupils taken home ill	13 pupils
Pupils taken to Dr. Brown's office	6 pupils
Pupils taken to Dentists	2 pupils
Visits to school	131
Home visits	83

Immunizations

D.P.T. Toxoid Boosters	57 pupils
Vaccinations	27 pupils
Pupils having completed Sabin Oral Vaccine Series	289 pupils
Pupils refusing	10 pupils

The Heaf test, for detection of Tubercular reactors, used for the first time in the schools, was given by Dr. Francis Brown.

313 tests were given to pupils, teachers, hot lunch workers, custodian, 4 pre-school children, nurses working on program and Dr. Brown, 5 reactors found, and were X-rayed.

Communicable Diseases

Measles	11 pupils
Chicken Pox	40 pupils
German Measles	24 pupils
Impetigo	3 pupils
Whooping Cough	3 pupils

The usual amount of colds and virus prevailed during the winter months.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY A. MAILLETTE, R.N.

School Nurse

EXPENDITURES 1965-1966

EXPENDITURE ITEMS	Adopted Budget	Actual Expenditures	Adopted Budget	Revised School Board's Expenditures	Budget Committee Budget
	1963-64	1963-64	1964-65	1964-65	1965-66
ADMINISTRATION					
Salaries	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00
Contracted Services	215.00	215.00	215.00	215.00	215.00
Other Expenses	250.00	283.71	350.00	275.00	275.00
INSTRUCTION					
Salaries	77,100.00	77,323.50	80,800.00	80,000.00	91,300.00
Textbooks	1,300.00	1,559.00	1,400.00	1,700.00	1,400.00
Library and Audiovis Materials		1,393.64	750.00	750.00	850.00
Teaching Supplies	2,700.00	3,099.58	2,700.00	4,000.00	3,200.00
Contracted Services		154.50	155.00	194.50	200.00
Other Expenses	700.00	275.05	300.00	275.00	450.00
HEALTH SERVICES	300.00	273.55	300.00	275.00	300.00
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION	10,200.00	10,629.10	10,530.00	12,330.00	13,000.00
OPERATION OF PLANT					
Supplies	900.00	812.84	800.00	1,400.00	1,000.00
Salaries	4,100.00	4,332.00	4,100.00	4,200.00	4,500.00
Contracted Services			160.00	160.00	160.00
Heat	3,500.00	3,182.00	3,500.00	3,400.00	3,500.00
Utilities	1,800.00	2,609.03	2,200.00	2,600.00	2,600.00
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	4,000.00	4,925.22	3,000.00	2,500.00	3,500.00
FIXED CHARGES					
Employee Retirement & F.I.C.A. Insurance	6,300.00	6,005.99	7,150.00	7,000.00	8,352.00
	800.00	258.08	800.00	775.00	800.00
SCHOOL LUNCH and SPEC. MILK PROGRAM	2,000.00	1,297.72	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES	600.00	448.57	600.00	600.00	200.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY					
Buildings		217.98	5,000.00	4,500.00	
Equipment	1,725.00	1,219.93	1,400.00	1,000.00	2,225.00

DEBT SERVICE					
Principal of Debt	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00
Interest of Debt	4,005.00	3,905.00	3,530.00	3,530.00	3,155.00
OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS IN STATE					
Tuition	449.00		467.00		
Supervisory Union Expenses	2,148.00		2,599.00		2,722.00
Tax for State-Wide Supervision ..	624.00				
SUMMER SCHOOL Contingency Fund					
	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00
CURRENT YR. EXPENDITURES OR SCHOOL APPROP.	\$139,116.00	\$139,595.45	\$148,206.00	\$149,478.94	\$159,304.00
RECEIPTS ITEMS					
Balance (actual or estimated)	1963-64 \$ 3,201.79	1963-64 \$ 5,232.31	1964-65	School Board's Budget Revised Estimate 1964-65	Budget Committee Budget 1965-66
Tuition	449.00	898.00	\$ 934.00	\$ 934.00	\$ 998.00
Trust Fund Income	4,000.00	4,868.76	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Revenue from State Sources	7,000.00	3,600.00	3,600.00	10,632.90	12,489.00
Revenue from Federal Sources	2,662.50	2,472.19	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,500.00
Other Receipts	2,300.00	1,665.06	400.00	100.00	100.00
Gift			2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
TOTAL RECTS. OTHER THAN PROP. TAXES	\$ 20,613.29	\$ 18,736.32	\$ 13,034.00	\$ 19,766.90	\$ 22,087.00
DIST. ASSESSMENT raised or to be raised by Property Taxes	118,502.71	122,090.17	135,172.00	129,712.04	137,217.00
TOTAL APPROP. VOTED BY SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$139,116.00	\$140,826.49	\$148,206.00	\$149,478.94	\$159,304.00

VITAL STATISTICS

Births Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1964

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Resident of Parents
1960					
July 17	Concord	Duane Russell, Jr.	Duane R. Bishoprite, Sr.	June R. Buxton	Henniker
1964					
Jan. 11	Concord	Michael David	David K. Blair	Mary E. Cunningham	Henniker
Jan. 11	Peterborough	Sandra Ellen	Bruce E. York	Patricia F. Myers	Henniker
Jan. 24	New London	Kenneth Jackson	George F. Wilkins	Karen Danforth	Henniker
Jan. 27	Concord	Matthew Joseph	Albert F. Royal	Alyne V. Sylvestre	Henniker
Feb. 1	Peterborough	Beth Ann	Forrest A. Rowe	Priscilla J. Koski	Henniker
Feb. 4	Concord	Curtis James	Claude J. Morse	Mary E. Joyce	Henniker
Feb. 10	Concord	Tracey Anne	Wesley Grant, III	Marcia R. Smalle	Henniker
Feb. 10	Concord	Heidi Annette	Philip H. Wightman	Karen E. Rasmussen	Henniker
Feb. 12	Concord	James Fredericck, Jr.	Richard P. Mitchener, Sr.	Judy J. Morse	Henniker
Feb. 28	New London	Tina Marie	Richard L. Garrison	Pauline H. Vezina	Henniker
Mar. 26	Concord	Amanda Kim	Ronald L. Carrison	Ivith I. Leavitt	Henniker
May 23	Concord	Darcy Marks	Barnabas Quigley	Nancy J. Marks	Henniker
July 5	Concord	Gary Jonathan	Graydon J. Clark, Jr.	Irene C. Colby	Henniker
July 10	Concord	Thomas Nutting	Rodney R. Patenaude	Carolyn L. Fitch	Henniker
July 11	Concord	Andrew Carl, III	Andrew C. Gensch, Jr.	Jo-Anne Ciferri	Henniker
July 11	Concord	Jane-Ellen	Michael J. Graham	Nancy J. Conley	Henniker
July 12	Concord	Steven Jerome	Stanley J. Brady	Evelyn C. Darnour	Henniker
July 19	Concord	Robert Taylor, Jr.	Robert T. French, Sr.	Arlene R. Stewart	Henniker
July 29	Concord	Randy Leon	Leon O. Wilson	Barbara L. Wing	Henniker
Aug. 15	Concord	Vernian Joseph	Isadore J. Faul	Rachel T. Aucoin	Henniker
Aug. 16	Concord	Virginia Catherine	Theodore D. Wadleigh	Barbara J. Graham	Henniker
Sept. 18	Concord	David Evan	Charles C. Cost	Penelope H. Haskell	Henniker
Oct. 14	Concord	Lisa	James L. Knapton	Lorraine Hadley	Henniker
Nov. 7	Concord	Catherine Ann	Duane J. Clement	Patricia E. Hendricks	Henniker
Nov. 7	Concord	Martha Anne	Joseph N. Cox	Drusilla J. Bean	Henniker
Nov. 26	Concord	Edward Fredericck, III	Edward F. Ulmer, Jr.	Dolores A. Mattern	Henniker

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. TUCKER, *Town Clerk*

Marriages Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1964

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age No.	Place of Birth of each	Name of Parents of each	Name, Residence, Official Station of Person by whom married
1964						
Jan. 9	Bruce A. Garrison	Henniker	20	New Hampshire	Langdon I. Garrison Lurena M. Cole	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Lois L. Morse	Henniker	20	New Hampshire	Arthur E. Morse Ruth E. Sawyer	
Feb. 8	Joseph W. Renda	Henniker	22	New York	William C. Renda Catherine Ingrassia	Francis E. Butler Catholic Priest Henniker
Henniker	Patricia A. Paulsen	Henniker	19	New York	D. Horace Paulsen Margaret M. Collins	
Mar. 7	Kenneth G. Murdough	Hillsboro	30	New Hampshire	Clifford Murdough Stella Russell	Earle Y. Fellows Clergyman Goffstown
Goffstown	Janet M. Woodward	Henniker	24	New Hampshire	Allen F. Morse Florence E. Wood	
April 4	Ruel P. Taylor	Derry	21	New Hampshire	Nelson P. Taylor Katherine E. Page	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Joan E. Gould	Henniker	23	New Hampshire	Earl E. Gould Elinor F. Daniels	
Apr. 25	Raymond T. Cerulli	Clifton, N. J.	22	New Jersey	Jack A. Cerulli Marie Anton	Francis E. Butler Catholic Priest Henniker
Henniker	Patricia M. Gendron	Bridgeport, Conn.	20	Connecticut	Henry P. Gendron Ange Sember	
June 6	Edouard J. Pouliot	Manchester	24	New Hampshire	Edouard Pouliot Laura Drapeau	Francis E. Butler Catholic Priest Henniker
Henniker	Anne R. Damour	Henniker	21	New Hampshire	Edward Damour Jeannette Pelletier	
June 6	Willard W. Ganter	Quincy, Mass.	22	Massachusetts	Willard J. Ganter Evelyn Delano	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Virginia F. Arnos	Henniker	20	New Hampshire	George P. Arnos Madeline A. McLean	
June 27	Robert K. Burke	Dumont, N. J.	28	New Jersey	Francis P. Burke Dorothy V. Kelly	Francis E. Butler Catholic Priest Henniker
Henniker	Sandra Hazen	Montvale, N. J.	26	New Hampshire	Myron J. Hazen Barbara Cushman	
July 18	Harry J. Byers	Henniker	19	New Hampshire	Eldon D. Byers Arlene M. Clark	Robert H. Lewis Clergyman Henniker
Henniker	Roberta H. Hazen	Henniker	19	New Hampshire	Floyd C. Hazen June E. Howard	

July 25	Clyde F. Barnard	Hillsboro	19	1	New Hampshire	Frederick G. Barnard	James E. Hawkins
Hillsboro	Grace I. Stevens	Henniker	19	1	New Hampshire	Caroline P. Gould	Clergyman
July 25	David J. Wachsmuth	Warner	26	1	New York	Charles A. Stevens	Hillsboro
Warner	Judith A. Witemeyer	Henniker	22	1	New Jersey	Bertha M. Shaw	William G. McInnes
Aug. 15	Michael J. Nolan	Ravena, N. Y.	20	1	New York	Marian M. Adlington	Clergyman
Henniker	Ann H. Thurston	Ravena, N. Y.	19	1	New York	John S. Witemeyer, Jr.	Warner
Aug. 29	Werapong Saeparn	Henniker	27	1	Thailand	Mildred I. Hadley	Alice V. Flanders
Concord	Sara L. Fuller	Weare	21	1	New Hampshire	Robert J. Nolan	Justice of the Peace
Sept. 5	George E. Weaver	Henniker	56	2	England	Raphael Nunziato	Henniker
Pittsfield	Delena Miller	Pittsfield	64	2	New Hampshire	Joseph Thurston	Vernon C. French
Sept. 5	Sture D. Nelson	New London	38	2	Massachusetts	Ann Hrisikonich	Clergyman
Ringe	Kristina Kjellman	Henniker	21	1	Massachusetts	Lykco Lee	Concord
Oct. 29	Bradley J. Caldwell	Henniker	28	1	New Hampshire	John A. Fuller	Paul Vadboncoeur
Henniker	Susan K. Kulbeik	Sioux Falls, S. D.	18	1	South Dakota	Muriel L. Forrest	Catholic Priest
Oct. 31	Richard G. Williams	Henniker	22	1	New Hampshire	Robert Weaver	Pittsfield
Henniker	Gale M. Clark	Henniker	24	1	New Hampshire	Matilda E. Dorey	James A. Nash
Nov. 7	Francis P. Fisher	Henniker	18	1	New Hampshire	Cyprien Picard	Clergyman
Henniker	Cecile M. Bushway	Hopkinton	16	1	New Hampshire	Josephine Chagnon	W. Ringe
Dec. 18	Warren E. Bergh, Jr.	Henniker	25	1	New Hampshire	Sture H. Nelson	Robert H. Lewis
Henniker	Michele A. Brill	Henniker	18	1	New Hampshire	Grace Briggs	Clergyman
						Victor H. Kjellman	Henniker
						Mary C. Fuller	Bruce E. Berry
						Herman F. Caldwell	Clergyman
						Beatrice I. Bishopric	Hillsboro
						Helmut F. Kulbeik	Francis E. Butler
						Gladys Buse	Catholic Priest
						Gerard Williams	Henniker
						Rita Trumble	Bruce E. Berry
						Hazel Wiggan	Clergyman
						Thomas F. Fisher	Hillsboro
						Arthur C. Bushway	Francis E. Butler
						Carol E. Oslund	Catholic Priest
						Warren E. Bergh	Henniker
						Ruth C. Taylor	Bruce E. Berry
						Guy H. Brill, Jr.	Clergyman
						Norma M. Lewis	Hillsboro

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. TUCKER, *Town Clerk*

Deaths Registered in the Town of Henniker for the Year Ended December 31, 1964

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1963						
Dec. 17	Hillsboro	Grace M., Murdough	63	Pennsylvania	Frank Jones	Mae
Dec. 28	Webster	Florence M. Colman	79	New Hampshire	George Patten	Edith Colby
1964						
Jan. 1	Concord	Ernest B., Grinnell	88	Rhode Island	Robert Grinnell	Sarah L., Sewtull
Jan. 8	Andover	Clara B., Dow	89	New Hampshire	James Cutter	Caroline Stewart
Jan. 9	Henniker	Evelyn R., Edwards	85	Maine	Alonzo B., Blethen	Eleanora Rideout
Jan. 12	Concord	Sharon Jameson	84	New Hampshire	Oris Jameson	Hanna Hoyt
Jan. 19	Concord	Joseph A., Zachmann	72	New York	Henry Zachmann	Catherine Koch
Jan. 21	New London	Helen B., Hope	84	Scotland	Alex Barrie	Unknown
Feb. 10	Concord	Everett Robertson	51	New Hampshire	Milo Robertson	Emma Blanchette
Mar. 12	Henniker	Baby Boy Brunnhoelzl	Stillborn	New Hampshire	Fred'k Brunnhoelzl, III	Carol M., Connor
Apr. 8	Henniker	John D., McGregor, Sr.	73	New York	John D., McGregor	Cora Pike
Apr. 10	Henniker	Charles A., Ernest	86	Nova Scotia	Benjamin Ernest	Isabelle Findel
Apr. 11	Henniker	Charles L., S., Easton	61	Massachusetts	Herbert Easton	Mary Adams
Apr. 11	Henniker	Bernard L., Phelps, Sr.	76	Vermont	Charles Phelps	Vivian Stevens
Apr. 19	Concord	Eva W., Huntoon	95	Massachusetts	Laroy Reed	Hannah Blake
Apr. 23	Henniker	Grace E., Cooper	91	Massachusetts	Gilbert S., Andrews	Lizzie Piper
May 2	Hampton Falls	Lula I., Coombs	87	New Hampshire	Wilbert Rodgers	Unknown
May 4	Sanford, Me.	Grace M., Gorliss	83	New Hampshire	Alvin Stone	Miranda, Keyes
May 7	Concord	Fred A., Merrill	67	Massachusetts	Rodney T., Merrill	Martha Latreau
May 8	Concord	Leata P., Tucker	74	Vermont	Peter Lavoyer	Emma Vosburg
May 11	New London	Ferley O., Russell	61	New Hampshire	Harry Russell	Mabel Kidder
June 25	Henniker	Clarence L., Monroe	93	New Hampshire	Daniel L., Monroe	Pernella F., Sawyer
June 27	Henniker	Alice M., Northup	82	New York	Unknown	Unknown
July 3	Henniker	Olive M., Herrick	55	New Hampshire	Percy Patch	Florence Flanders
July 17	Hannover	Thomas E., Crane	78	New Hampshire	John Denio	Sarah Boyd
Aug. 18	Newport	Lyle D., Whitney	10	New Hampshire	Kenneth L., Crane	Bernadette Aucoin
Aug. 29	Henniker	Carroll C., Hadley	62	New Hampshire	Walter N., Whitney	Fannie S., Flanders
Sept. 11	Henniker	Edna F., Donigan	83	Massachusetts	Fred Hadley	Florence Brown
Sept. 15	Concord	Elizabeth I., McCarthy	68	New Hampshire	Unknown	Laura Spaulding
Sept. 20	Bedford	Alfred B., Gould	97	New Hampshire	James G., McCarthy	Harriet Flynn
Sept. 20	Henniker	Grace M., Starr	58	New Hampshire	Gilbert Gould	Elizabeth Brackett
Oct. 6	Concord	Ernest P., Greenwood	68	New Hampshire	Nathan Farley	Alice Barry
Oct. 30	Brentwood	Warren E., White	92	Massachusetts	Abraham Boisvert	Georgietta Monteith
Nov. 15	Henniker	Ismay M., Smith	87	New Hampshire	Unknown	Unknown
Nov. 22	Concord	Leon Clough	80	New Hampshire	Wallace F., Carter	Mary M., Hubbard
Dec. 14	Henniker	Dorothy M., Jewell	56	Massachusetts	Willard Clough	Hettie
Dec. 26	Henniker			Vermont	Nicholas J., Glass	Myrtie Ballou

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES H. TUCKER, Town Clerk

TO THE CITIZENS OF HENNIKER:

An Annual Report of the activities, recreation, and finances of your Community Center.

Starting off the year of 1964, the Henniker Community Center organization had many goals to shoot for if we were to prove our worth with the fine young people of our community.

I would like to review the year of 1964 by starting with our agreement with you young boys' band from Antrim, N.H. This musical group of young men, known as the "Standouts", started playing every Saturday night at our hall for teenage dancing. These dances soon proved to be not only a profit scheme for the Center but most important, they were of great entertainment and social value for all our youth. Our Henniker boys and girls, we soon found out, were easily and gracefully making friends with school children from towns over a fifty mile area.

Along with the brisk cold of winter and a hall of inadequate heating facilities, we went into the Town Meeting of Henniker a year ago this March with a strong belief that our people would stand behind our cause and vote to validate an article asking for twenty-five hundred dollars. This money, should we win your support, would pay for installing a new forced hot air heating system on the lower floor of our Center and leave us one thousand dollars to make other improvements and help maintain operations.

We were overjoyed with the "Yes" vote on our article and, in behalf of all the men at the Center, I wish at this time to express our appreciation for the generosity you applied to our program. With our building properly heated, we knew now that with plans for new restrooms and kitchen facilities we could make our hall acceptable to clubs, lodges, etc., for their meetings and get-togethers free of charge.

With the kind donation of stamp books from mothers and gifts from many of our youth-loving merchants, we very successfully sold enough raffle tickets to buy many games and start into one of the greatest baseball programs this town has ever known. In finishing out our winter months, we kept our doors open as much as possible for game playing, etc. This was minimized somewhat by lack of chaperones.

We sponsored basketball every Saturday morning at the high school for young boys. Thanks to a fine job of guidance, and the coaching of Joe Clement, bowling at Hillsboro and at Buston's Recreational Center here in Henniker gave challenge to other children. Transportation and planning were all under the Community Center program.

On Memorial Day we chose to have Open House at the Center, with game playing, softball for mothers and daughters and baseball for dads and sons. Refreshments, music by our own "Vectors" band, and a drawing for all the merchant's gifts on the raffle were some of the highlights.

About this same time, in fact, before Memorial Day, we started construction of our new small-fry baseball field. Without giving you all the names of tradesmen, laborers, heavy equipment, etc., that was used by donation, I can save two pages of script in this report, so I would just like to again express thanks to all who came through for us.

Yes, Spring brings baseball to minds of many boys here in Henniker. From the ages of eight to seventeen these boys talked of this, baseball! With earnest, heart-spent hours, three age group teams were organized, uniformed and equipped with the finest baseball equipment available. We were proud of our three teams; we won a lot, lost a few, but most important, all had a lot of fun. The season ended with the Tri-Mountain Little League baseball jamboree holding its big day here on our grounds. Weare, New Boston, Hillsboro, Bow, Hopkinton and Henniker all participated that day to wind up baseball for 1964.

This month of August was a big one for the Center. Our building, looking like new with its white lustre finish and green trim, was ready to host our annual auction. Chairs, lamps, beds, tools and appliances, yes, everything imaginable poured into the Center and on August 3rd William Smith and his partner from Hillsboro performed a sale of perfection, with all the gaiety of an old country auction. This showed another great profit for our Henniker Youth Program.

August 28, 29 and 30 were days of fun, family frolics and dancing. Yes, Family Carnival came to Henniker with kiddie rides, adult swings, food concessions, penny pitching, candied apples, and a whole lot of other goodies for young and old. We had not expected too much more than to clear our expenses on this day but wanted everyone to enjoy this new time of joy with us. We are happy that all our plans fared well and this proved to be a worthwhile week-end.

All of this time, throughout the summer months, dancing continued once and sometimes twice a week long into the Fall. We are happy to mention our thanks at this time to three fine young bands that have cooperated with us many times here with dances at the Center. The "Crossfires" from the University of New Hampshire, the "Standouts" from Antrim, and our own boys, the "Vectors", from Henniker. I will also mention that we had little difficulty at any of these dances. Our regrets for a few bad rumors that have no meaning. These we can always refer you to our worthy chief, Calvin Tucker.

As we made money, we also spent. Here inside our building we are now proud of a fine heating system, new rest rooms with all new plumbing fixtures, new drinking fountain, and all new partitions for remodeling our kitchen. Here again, donations from New England College fraternities have brought a kitchen range and a piano. We also received a stereophonic record player in memory of Commander Tucker Smith. We have enjoyed many gifts of dishes, pots, pans, and kind deeds from New England College.

A Hallowe'en party at the Center, co-sponsored by the P.T.G., hay rides for the fraternities, gifts sent at Thanksgiving all lead us toward Christmas and our wind-up of 1964.

This year, as in 1963, we again gave out gifts and candy at the elementary school. With the sale of Christmas trees and decorations in front of the building we now looked forward toward New Years.

On New Years eve, we all enjoyed a New Years Ball at the Center, and here we said goodbye to "64", a year of hard work, fun, and accomplishment. This year's ball was a great success; we enjoyed a profit, had fun with many of our dear friends, and made our resolutions for a bigger and better year ahead, "1965".

At the start of the new year we first fixed a private room downstairs for the new kindergarten quarters. Here, children now can be warm, and protected in play during bitter winter days. We also have the cancer dressing society each week using the downstairs for their meetings. The Contocook Valley Artists Association just recently started coming here to do their painting.

Again this winter Joe Clement has given every Saturday morning to small fry basketball. Our town team in Henniker this year, winners of the Tri-Mountain League trophy, now wears Henniker Community Center uniforms and new warm-up jerseys, supplied by the merchants.

We will soon be finishing our new ball park; seeding, new dugouts, bleachers, scoreboard, outfield fence, etc., are all a part of our plans.

Before I close, I want to bring your attention to a financial report, furnished by our worthy treasurer, Mr. Knowlton. In this respect you will find we have included January 1965 so that we might thoroughly show by record expenditures of town funds.

Thank you for all the support given to the Community Center. We will look for you this year at our suppers, auction, baseball games, open house, concerts, and all our other projects. Join with us, attend our meetings every Monday evening and remember to keep your odds and ends for the auction.

It is in consideration of what you read here in this report, I pray you will feel our need and respect that the small appropriation of one thousand dollars we ask the town for this year is only a small portion of what we will need to fulfill our plans for "65". Please vote "Yes" to the Henniker Community Center question. This vote of confidence, I am sure, will long be felt here where our first concern always will be the children of Henniker.

"Chuck" Hazen, Secretary
Henniker Community Center

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1964 - JANUARY 31, 1965

All Income and Expenditures of the Henniker Community Center

RECEIPTS

EXPENDITURES

Cash on hand Jan 1, 1964	\$276.11	Food Committee	\$622.96
Auction	871.72	Dances	1,421.60
Food Committee	878.68	Equipment	35.00
Dances	2,637.41	Social Activities	445.65
Donations	2,945.27	Little League	1,113.65
(Includes town funds)		Building operation	3,750.41
Misc. activities	1,065.21	Misc. expenses	433.41
Misc. receipts	<u>76.19</u>	Advertising	<u>282.87</u>
Total	<u>\$8,750.59</u>		<u>\$8,105.55</u>

Cash on hand Feb 1, 1965 \$645.04

