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BROOKFIELD



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For the fiscal year ending December 31, 1963

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LIST OF TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

HORACE F. RICHTER
ALFRED HUMPHRIES MYRON J. CATE

Town Clerk

FANNY HANSEN

Treasurer

GLADYS TASKER

Tax Collector

BARBARA ROULEAU

Highway Agent

RAYMOND L. NASON

Police Officers

LUTHER MacBRIEN BERT HOLMAN

Moderator

BERT HOLMAN

Supervisors of the Check List

DAVID STARKEY
J. CARROLL TUCKER RAYMOND W. WEEKS

Ballot Clerks

INEZ CASWELL LOUISE MATTSON
BERTHA W. PALMER LILLIAN WEST, JR.

School Board

EDW. R. ELLIOTT, JR. ERNEST FLETCHER
ADELAIDE HUGHES LOUISE SOUCY
LILLIAN WEST, JR.

Auditors

J. CARROLL TUCKER ARTHUR L. MANZER

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Brookfield, New Hampshire, in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Brookfield on Tuesday, the Tenth day of March next, at one of the clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town Charges for the ensuing year and to make appropriations for the same.
3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire a sum of money to pay Town Charges in anticipation of taxes.
4. To formalize, by vote of the Town, the transfer of two strips of land, 33 feet in width and extending across part of the width of Grantors' (Lillian M. West, Jr.; Paul D. and Louise M. Seiler) land, in exchange for as much of the old highway as is no longer needed or used by virtue of the construction of the new roadway. As additional consideration the Town will provide and maintain suitable ingress and egress to the buildings of Lillian M. West, Jr. so long as she shall use and occupy the same.
5. To see if the Town will vote to accept Town Road Aid on Class V highways and raise and appropriate the sum of \$267.01 as the Town's share.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the Sanbornville Fire Precinct.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for use of the Sanbornville dump.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the Gaffney Library.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$175.00 for the Huggins Hospital.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the Planning Board.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for control of Pine Blister Rust.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$79.52 for membership in the Lakes Region Association.

13. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of \$2,000.00 from Cash Surplus to the Capital Reserve Account.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 to have all real property in the Town reappraised, for tax purposes, by State appraisers.

15. To see if the Town will vote to amend certain articles in the Zoning and Land Use Ordinance and the Building Regulations as appended hereto.

16. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to publish each year in conjunction with the Town Report a list of real property tax payers, said list to include valuation and amount of tax assessed for each separate parcel. (As requested by 18 petitioners)

17. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to investigate the feasibility of letting out all town road work on a yearly contract basis commencing in 1965, and to report their findings at a special town meeting not later than 30, June, 1964. (As requested by 18 petitioners)

18. To choose a delegate to the Constitutional Convention.

19. To vote on the question "shall sweepstake tickets be sold in Brookfield."

Signed,

HORACE F. RICHTER,
MYRON J. CATE,

ALFRED HUMPHRIES,
Selectmen

**Proposed Amendments to
Zoning and Land Use Ordinance and Building Regulations**

Page 3, Article 5, Paragraph D

Increasing size of lot to 81,225 square feet and frontage and depth to 285 feet.

Page 8, Article 5

Provides that all work for which permit is issued must be completed within one year of date of issuance of said permit.

Page 10, Article 9

Increases the minimum ground floor area of every new dwelling unit to 1200 square feet.

BUDGET

TOWN OF BROOKFIELD

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1964 to December 31, 1964. Compared with Estimates and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1963.

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1963	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1963	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1964
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 6,906.01	\$ 6,500.00
Railroad Tax	25.00		
Savings Bank Tax		66.77	
For Fighting Forest Fires		208.93	
Gas Tax Refund		99.05	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	60.00	85.60	80.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	75.00	57.00	20.00
Duncan Fund	540.62	540.62	79.56
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,250.00	1,781.57	1,600.00
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds		6,000.00	
Insurance Adjustment		14.40	
Cash Surplus	347.55	3,431.44	3,431.44
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes, Regular @ 2	175.00	188.00	175.00
Yield Taxes	500.00	974.62	500.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	\$ 9,473.17	\$20,353.61	\$12,386.00
*AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES			36,066.26
TOTAL REVENUES			\$48,452.26

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

	Appropriations Previous Year 1963	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1963	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1964
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,059.75	\$ 1,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	800.00	593.98	800.00
Election and Registration Expenses	400.00	332.31	500.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	800.00	215.87	1,000.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	250.00	332.53	300.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	50.00	20.00	50.00
Fire Department	1,000.00	926.47	1,000.00
Moth Exterm. — Blister Rust & Care of Trees	100.00	100.00	100.00
Insurance	750.00	615.27	750.00
Planning and Zoning	50.00	50.00	50.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00
Health:			
Health Department, Including Hospitals	200.00	180.00	200.00
Vital Statistics	5.00	5.00	5.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	300.00	300.00	300.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance, Summer	2,000.00	*1,693.64	2,300.00
Town Maintenance, Winter	2,400.00	*1,880.88	2,400.00
Street Lighting	51.00	50.28	51.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,000.00	2,111.74	2,000.00
Town Road Aid	273.58	273.58	267.01
Libraries	100.00	100.00	100.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	200.00		200.00
Old Age Assistance	800.00	850.90	850.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	15.00		15.00
Ass'n. of N. H. Assessors		3.00	5.00

Oiling Roads			2,500.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Discounts, Abatements, Refunds		38.00	
Care of Town Lines	100.00		100.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	100.00	65.50	100.00
New Truck and Body Renovation		5,138.00	
New Equipment, Truck	1,000.00		
County Taxes	3,000.00	2,762.19	3,000.00
School Taxes	22,734.00	23,500.00	27,809.25

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$41,178.58	\$43,694.39	\$48,452.26
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*Income and Social Security Tax deductions not included.

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings	\$767,360.00
House Trailers Used as Dwellings	3,500.00
Electric Plants	31,675.00
Stock in Trade	2,566.00
Vehicles	4,250.00
Boats and Launches	1,752.00
Horse, Asses and Mules	215.00
Cows	1,325.00
Sheep and Goats	60.00
Portable Mills, Well Drilling Machinery	500.00

Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed	\$813,203.00
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Less: Veterans' Exemptions and Exemptions to Blind	18,000.00
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Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed	\$795,203.00
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Electric and Gas Utility Companies

Public Service of N. H.	\$ 29,500.00
N. H. Electric Cooperative, Inc.	2,175.00
Total	\$ 31,675.00

Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	\$ 18,000.00
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Total valuation exempted to veterans and blind \$ 18,000.00

Number of inventories distributed 197

Number of inventories returned 121

Number of veterans who received
property exemption 18

Number of veterans exempted from poll tax 26

ALFRED HUMPHRIES,

MYRON J. CATE,

Selectmen

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Appropriations

Town Officers Salaries	\$1,200.00
Town Office Administrative Expenses	800.00
Election and Registration Expenses	400.00
Town Hall and	
Buildings Maintenance	800.00
Social Security and	
Retirement Contributions	250.00
Police Department	50.00
Fire Department	1,000.00
Blister Rust — Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	100.00

Insurance	750.00	
Planning and Zoning	50.00	
Damages and Legal Expenses	500.00	
Health Department	200.00	
Vital Statistics	5.00	
Dump and Garbage Collection	300.00	
Town Maintenance	4,400.00	
Street Lighting	51.00	
General Expenses of		
Highway Department	2,000.00	
Town Road Aid	273.58	
Libraries	100.00	
Old Age Assistance	800.00	
Public Relief	200.00	
Memorial Day	15.00	
New Equipment	1,000.00	
Payment on Debt	100.00	
Public Service Enterprise —		
Care of Town Lines	100.00	
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Total Town Appropriations		\$ 15,444.58
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$6,906.01	
Railroad Tax	25.00	
Savings Bank Tax	66.77	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	700.00	
Business Licenses, Permits and		
Filing Fees	75.00	
Dog Licenses	60.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,250.00	
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	176.00	
Cash Surplus (see note)*	1,800.00	
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Total Revenues and Credits		\$ 11,058.78
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Net Town Appropriations	\$ 4,385.80	
Net School Appropriations	22,734.00	
County Tax Assessment	2,762.19	

Total of Town, School and County Overlay	29,881.99
	338.57
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Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes	\$ 30,220.56
Taxes to be committed to Collector:	
Property Taxes	\$30,220.56
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Total Property Taxes	\$30,220.56
Poll Taxes at \$2.00	176.00
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Total Taxes to be committed	\$ 30,396.56
Tax Rate:	
Town (Approved by Tax Comm.)	\$ 3.80

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1963

Title of Appropriation	Appropriations	Available	Expenditures	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,059.75	\$ 140.25	
Town Officers' Expenses	800.00	800.00	593.98	206.02	
Election and Registration	400.00	400.00	332.31	67.69	
Town Hall and Buildings	800.00	800.00	215.87	584.13	
Police Department	50.00	50.00	20.00	30.00	
Fire Department	1,000.00	1,000.00	926.47	73.53	
Health Department and Hospital	200.00	200.00	180.00	20.00	
Vital Statistics	5.00	5.00	.50	4.50	
Dump	300.00	300.00	300.00		
Town Road Aid	273.58	273.58	273.58		
Summer Highway	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,693.64	306.36	
Winter Highway	2,400.00	2,400.00	1,880.88	519.12	
General Expenses — Highway Department	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,111.74		\$ 111.74
Library	100.00	100.00	100.00		
Old Age Assistance	800.00	800.00	850.90		50.90
Town Poor	200.00	200.00		200.00	
Memorial Day	15.00	15.00		15.00	
Association of N. H. Assessors			3.00		3.00
Social Security	250.00	250.00	332.53		82.53
Care of Town Lines	100.00	100.00		100.00	
Interest on Temporary Loans	100.00	100.00	65.50	34.50	
Abatements			7.80		38.00
New Equipment	1,000.00	1,000.00		*1,000.00	
Capital Reserve		6,000.00	5,138.00	*862.00	
Insurance	750.00	750.00	615.27	134.73	
Planning and Zoning	50.00	50.00	50.00		
Blister Rust Control	100.00	100.00	100.00		
Legal Expenses	500.00	500.00	500.00		
Street Lighting	51.00	51.00	50.28	.72	
County Tax	3,000.00	3,000.00	2,769.74	230.26	
School Tax	22,734.00	22,734.00	23,500.00		766.00
	\$41,178.58	\$ 47,178.58	\$ 43,671.74	\$4,528.81	\$1,052.17
TOTAL		Total—		Unexpended	

*Will be expended for new equipment bought in 1963.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF BROOKFIELD BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash

In hands of treasurer \$ 12,922.68

Capital Reserve Funds:

(For the acquisition of equipment
and new construction) 1,953.76

Uncollected Taxes: Levy of 1963 8,129.81

Levy of 1962 80.40

State Head Taxes, Levy of 1963 90.00

State Head Taxes, Previous Years 5.00

Total Assets \$ 23,181.65

Grand Total \$ 23,181.65

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:

Bills Outstanding (For completion of
Hydraulic Wing on Truck) \$ 1,862.00

Unexpended Balances of
Special Appropriations 540.62

Due to State:

Uncollected
State Head Taxes — 1963 95.00

Uncollected
Yield Tax —

Bond & Debt Retirement 168.09

Due to School Districts:

Balance of Appropriation 7,618.03

Capital Reserve Funds:

(Offsets similar Asset account) 1,953.76

Total Liabilities \$ 12,237.50

Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus) 10,944.15

Grand Total \$ 23,181.65

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Receipts

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

(Collected and remitted to Treasurer)

Property Taxes,

Current Year, 1963 \$ 23,107.42

Poll Taxes, Current Year, 1963 168.00

Overpayment, 1963 7.23

Yield Taxes, 1963 372.39

State Head Taxes @ \$5, 1963 545.00

Total Current Year's Taxes

collected and remitted \$ 24,200.04

Property Taxes and Yield Taxes,

Previous Years 6,463.24

Poll Taxes, Previous Years 22.00

State Head Taxes @ \$5, Previous Years 80.00

Interest received on Taxes 233.67

Penalties on State Head Taxes 9.00

Tax sales redeemed costs 36.27

From State:

For Highways and Bridges:

For Class V Highway Maintenance,

Duncan Fund 540.62

Interest and dividends tax 6,906.01

Savings Bank Tax and

Building and Loan Association Tax 66.77

Fighting forest fires 208.93

Reimbursement, Head Tax 4.45

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses 85.60

Business licenses, permits and filing fees 57.00

Motor vehicle permits:

1962, \$46.75; '63, \$1,701.83; '64, \$32.99 1,781.57

Total Current Revenue Receipts

\$ 40,695.17

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1,059.75
Town officers' expenses	593.98
Election and registration expenses	332.31
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	215.87

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	20.00
Fire department, including forest fires	926.47
Moth extermination — Blister Rust and Care of Trees	100.00
Planning and Zoning	50.00
Employees' income tax deductions	221.85
Insurance	615.27

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	180.00
Vital statistics	.50
Town dumps and garbage removal	300.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	273.58
Town Maintenance: Summer, \$1,693.64 Winter, \$1,880.88	3,574.52
Street lighting	50.28
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,111.74

Libraries:

Libraries	100.00
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	850.90
Ass'n. of N. H. Assessors	3.00

Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses	500.00
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Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$ 6,000.00	
Insurance adjustments	14.40	
Refunds	99.05	
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	6,000.00	
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue	\$ 12,113.95	
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Total Receipts from All Sources	\$ 52,809.12	
Cash on hand, January 1, 1963	10,693.68	
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Grand Total	\$ 63,502.80	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	38.00	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	332.53	
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses	\$ 370.53	

Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 65.50	
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Total Interest Payments	\$ 65.50	

**Outlay for New Construction,
Equipment and Permanent Improvements:**

New equipment, Highway	\$ 5,138.00	
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Total Outlay Payments	\$ 5,138.00	

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$ 6,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments	\$ 6,000.00	

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Head Taxes paid State Treasurer, 1963	\$ 535.00	
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Payment to State a/c	
Yield Tax Debt Retirement	113.77
Taxes paid to County and Misc.	
other charges by County	2,770.74
State, register of boat ownership	6.56
Payments to School Districts:	
1962 Tax \$11,000.00	
1963 Tax \$12,500.00	23,500.00
Total Payments to	
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Other Governmental Divisions	\$ 26,926.07
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$ 50,580.12
Cash on hand, December 31, 1963	12,922.68
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Grand Total	\$ 63,502.80

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Land and Buildings	\$ 15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Fire Department, Land and Buildings	300.00
Highway Department, Land and Buildings	1,500.00
Equipment	5,000.00
Schools, Land and Buildings	1,000.00
Total	\$ 23,300.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT **1963**

1962 Auto Permits, 31808- 31817	\$	46.75
1963 Auto Permits, 31654- 31836		1,701.83
1964 Auto Permits, 269001-269003		32.99

Total	\$	1,781.57
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Remitted to Treasurer	\$	1,781.57
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Dog Licenses

31 Male Licenses	\$	62.00
6 Female Licenses		30.00
2 Fines @ 50c		1.00

Total	\$	93.00
37 @ 20c fee retained		7.40

\$	85.60
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Remitted to Treasurer	\$	85.60
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Salary Explanation

Salary	\$	100.00
Permit Fees (185 @ 50c)		92.50
Reference Book		1.00
Recording (Vital Statistics)		2.00
Postage, Telephone, etc.		2.50

\$	198.00
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Received Payment in full

Respectfully submitted,
FANNY F. HANSEN,
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

(For Current Year's Levy)
SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1963
DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property Taxes	\$30,506.70
Poll Taxes	190.00

Total Warrant	\$ 30,696.70
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Yield Taxes 1,008.52

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Added Taxes:

Property Taxes	\$ 72.20
Poll Taxes	8.00

80.20

TOTAL DEBITS

\$ 31,785.42

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Remittances to Treasurer:

Property Taxes	\$ 23,107.42
Poll Taxes	168.00
Yield Taxes	372.39

\$ 23,647.81

Abatements:

Property Taxes	\$ 3.80
Poll Taxes	4.00

7.80

Uncollected Taxes — As Per Collector's List:

Property Taxes	\$ 7,467.68
Poll Taxes	26.00
Yield Taxes	636.13

8,129.81

TOTAL CREDITS

\$ 31,785.42

(For Previous Year's Levy)
**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES**
Levy of 1962

DR.

Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1963:

Property Taxes	\$ 5,861.01
Poll Taxes	24.00
Yield Taxes	682.63

\$ 6,567.64

Interest Collected During Fiscal Year

Ended December 31, 1963

233.67

TOTAL DEBITS

\$ 6,801.31

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Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal

Year Ended December 31, 1963:

Property Taxes	\$ 5,861.01
Poll Taxes	22.00
Yield Taxes	602.23
Interest Collected During Year	233.67

\$ 6,718.91

Abatements Made During Year:

Poll Taxes	\$ 2.00
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2.00

Uncollected Taxes — As Per Collector's List:

Yield Taxes	80.40
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TOTAL CREDITS

\$ 6,801.31

(For Current Year's Levy)
**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX**
Levy of 1963

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Original Warrant	\$ 625.00
Added Taxes	30.00
Total Commitment	\$ 655.00
Penalties Collected	1.00

TOTAL DEBITS

\$ 656.00

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Remittances to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	\$ 550.00	
Penalties		1.00
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	\$ 541.00	
Abatements		20.00
Uncollected Head Taxes —		
As Per Collector's List		90.00
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 651.00
OVERPAYMENT		5.00
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		\$ 656.01

(For Previous Year's Levy)
**SUMMARY OF WARRANT
STATE HEAD TAX
Levy of 1962**

	DR.	
Uncollected Taxes — As of January 1, 1963	\$ 85.00	
Penalties Collected During 1963	8.00	
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TOTAL DEBITS		\$ 93.00

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Remittances to Treasurer During 1963:		
Head Taxes	\$ 80.00	
Penalties	8.00	
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	\$ 88.00	
Uncollected Head Taxes —		
As Per Collector's List		5.00
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$ 93.00

**ACCOUNT OF THE MONIES
GRANTED TO THE PLANNING BOARD
Year of 1963**

Cash Balance on hand, January 1, 1963	\$	7.65
Received from the Treasurer of the Town of Brookfield, May 17, 1963		50.00
Cash Balance, December 31, 1963	\$	57.65

F. BRUCE TASKER,
Secretary
Brookfield Planning Board

**TREASURER'S REPORT
For Fiscal Year 1963**

Town Clerk:

1962 Motor Vehicle Permits	\$	46.75
1963 Motor Vehicle Permits		1,701.83
1964 Motor Vehicle Permits		32.99
Dog Licenses Less Fees		84.60
Dog License Fines		1.00
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	\$	1,867.17

Tax Collectors:

Poll	\$	22.00
Property		5,861.01
Interest		233.67
Costs		36.27
Yield		602.23
Head		80.00
Penalties		8.00
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Levy of 1962	\$	6,843.18
Poll		168.00
Property		23,107.42
Yield		372.39
Head		545.00

Penalties	1.00	
Overpayments	7.23	
Levy of 1963	\$ 24,201.04	
		\$ 31,044.22
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire:		
Gas Tax Refund	\$ 99.05	
Duncan Fund, TRA	540.62	
1963 Interest & Dividend Tax	6,906.01	
1963 Head Tax Reimbursement	4.45	
Savings Bank Tax	66.77	
Forest Fire Reimbursement	24.53	
October Fire Patrol Reimbursement	184.40	
White Pine Blister Rust		
Control Reimbursement	.50	
		\$ 7,826.33
Building Permits:		
Robert Palmer	\$ 20.00	
David Starkey	10.00	
Sam Rouleau	5.00	
Eric Birchroot	10.00	
Herbert H. Otis	10.00	
		\$ 55.00
Pistol Permits — Bruce MacBrien		2.00
Wolfeboro National Bank — Temporary Loan		6,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund — for new truck		6,000.00
Other — Wentworth Ins., correction of rate		14.40
Total Receipts, 1-1-63 to 12-31-63		\$ 52,809.12
Cashbook Balance,		
January 1, 1963	\$ 10,541.57	
Stopped payment on 2 checks	152.11	
Total Receipts, January 1 - March 18	1,613.82	
		\$ 12,307.50
Paid by Selectmen's Orders	\$ 8,113.28	

Cashbook Balance, March 18	4,194.22	
	<hr/>	\$ 12,307.50

This is to certify that this report is a true summary of accounts taken from the books of the Treasurer, from January 1 to March 18, 1963, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

BERTHA W. PALMER,

Treasurer

Cashbook Balance, Mar. 18, 1963	\$	4,194.22
Total Receipts, March 18 -		
December 31, 1963		51,195.30
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Total monies available	\$	55,389.52
Paid by Selectmen's Orders		\$ 42,466.84
Cashbook Balance, Dec. 31, 1963	\$	12,922.68
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Total monies available,		
fiscal 1963	\$	63,502.80
Total paid by Selectmen's Orders,		
fiscal year		\$ 50,580.12
Cashbook Balance Dec. 31, 1963	\$	12,922.68

This is to certify that this report is a true summary of accounts taken from the books of the Treasurer, from March 18 to December 31, 1963, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GLADYS E. TASKER,

Treasurer

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

Horace F. Richter, Selectman	\$ 150.00
Alfred Humphries, Selectman	225.00
Myron J. Cate, Selectman	225.00
Fanny Hansen, Town Clerk	100.00
Bertha Palmer, Treasurer	25.00
Gladys Tasker, Treasurer	100.00
Arlene Hooper, Tax Collector	18.40
Barbara Rouleau, Tax Collector	223.56
F. Bruce Tasker, Trustee of Trust Funds	10.00
J. Carroll Tucker, Auditor	10.00
Arthur Manzer, Auditor	10.00

Town Officers' Expenses

Horace F. Richter	\$ 100.00
Alfred Humphries	100.00
Myron J. Cate	100.00
Fanny Hansen	98.00
Bertha Palmer	8.00
Gladys Tasker	3.70
Barbara Rouleau	52.55
Edson C. Eastman Co.	3.17
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc.	22.03
Jordan Marsh	32.88
Stamps	28.00
N. H. Engrossing Fee	1.00
Town Clerk's Association dues	3.00
Paul Gray, County Registrar	14.25
Meaders Co.	4.40
N. H. Tax Collector's Association	3.00

Election and Registration Expenses

Bert Holman, Moderator	\$ 6.25
Lillian M. West, Jr., Ballot Clerk	6.25
Louise Mattson, Ballot Clerk	6.25
Inez C. Caswell, Ballot Clerk	6.25
Bertha Palmer, Ballot Clerk	6.25

David Starkey, Supervisor of Check List	11.50
J. Carroll Tucker, Supervisor of Check List	11.50
Raymond Weeks, Supervisor of Check List	9.00
Carroll County Independent	13.60
Kingswood Press	258.50

Town Hall Expenses

Telephone	\$ 96.37
Light and Power	22.20
Oscar Duchano, relaying Town Hall steps	55.00
George Herrick, railings for Town Hall steps.	
Not yet installed.	42.30

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Department:	
Bert Holman	\$ 10.00
Luther MacBrien	10.00
Fire Department:	
Sanbornville Fire Department	\$ 500.00
Charnock Fire	49.95
October Fire Patrol	376.52
Blister Rust Control	100.00
Planning and Zoning	50.00
Insurance, Wentworth Ins. Agency	615.27

Health

Huggins Hospital	\$ 175.00
Dr. Albert P. Knight	5.00
Vital Statistics	.50
Sanbornville Dump	300.00

Summer Highways

Raymond Nason	\$ 1,560.00
Raymond Cate	184.50
James W. Milliner	122.50
Edward R. Nason	12.50

Winter Highways

Raymond Nason	\$ 1,531.50
Raymond Cate	96.00
Bruce MacBrien	42.50
Ellis Buswell	24.75
Fred Nason, Jr.	43.75

Edward B. Nason	28.75
Edward R. Nason	21.68
Robert Katwick	8.25
Lawrence Nason	14.25
Everett Thompson	42.50
Fred H. Nason	221.00
Town Road Aid	\$ 273.58

General Expenses of Highway Department

Blairs Garage, truck repairs and misc.	\$ 838.98
Chas. DiPrizio & Sons, misc. materials & parts	62.62
Dube & Murphy, gasoline & oil	560.50
Cates Garage, truck tire	90.00
Hazelton, cable & plow parts	52.58
Vickers & Son, cold patch	100.98
Milton Garage, tractor & grader parts	10.69
Robert Palmer, 14 loads sand	7.00
Sanel, parts for mower	50.55
Raymond Nason, 93 loads gravel	48.50
J. M. Haines, 2 scythes	9.00
Ray Road Equipment Co., cutting blades for plow	85.38
W. M. Lord Co., bale ties	11.00
Granite State Minerals, solar salt for roads	183.36
Street Lighting	\$ 50.28
Library	\$ 100.00
Old Age Assistance	\$ 850.90

Unclassified

Legal Expenses	\$ 500.00
Employees Withholding Tax	221.85
Ass'n. of N. H. Assessors dues	3.00
Abatements	38.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	332.53

Interest

Paid on Temporary Loans in anticipation of Taxes	\$ 65.50
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Outlay for Equipment

New Truck	\$ 5,138.00
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Indebtedness

Payments on Loan in anticipation of Taxes	\$ 6,000.00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

State Head Taxes paid State Treas.

(1963, \$540.00) (Prior Years, \$80.00) \$ 620.00

Payment to State a/c

Yield Tax Debt Retirement 113.77

State, Registration of Boat Ownership 6.56

County Tax 2,762.19

Registrar of Deeds, County 7.55

Payments to School Districts

(1962 taxes \$11,000.00)

(1963 taxes \$12,500.00) \$ 23,500.00

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BROOKFIELD

For Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1963

Name of Trust Fund	PRINCIPAL			INCOME		
	Bal. Begin. Year	Bal. End Year	Bal. Begin. Year	Income Year	Expended During Year	Bal. End Year
Reed A. Lang	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 37.71	\$ 7.16		\$ 44.87
Thomas T. Dealand	50.00	50.00	30.22	2.41		32.63
Noah Robinson	100.00	100.00	15.63	3.47		19.10
Joseph N. Podrasnik	500.00	500.00	289.35	21.31		310.66
Jasper T. Palmer	773.08	773.08	74.36	25.36	16.00	83.72
Mary Garland	200.00	200.00	59.14	7.82		66.96
Eva C. Willey, Mem.	233.81	233.81	48.27	8.52		56.79
Samuel Allen	300.00	300.00	55.75	10.73		66.48
Capital Reserve Fund			7,807.80	145.96	6,000.00	1,953.76

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

F. BRUCE TASKER,
Trustee of Trust Funds

SCHOOL REPORT

Town of Brookfield

For the Year Ending June 30, 1963

LIST OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator

BERT HOLMAN

Clerk

J. CARROLL TUCKER

Treasurer

HAZEL MacBRIEN

Truant Officer

BRUCE TASKER

Census Enumerator

BRUCE TASKER

Auditors

J. CARROLL TUCKER

ARTHUR L. MANZER

School Board

ADELAIDE HUGHES, Chairman

Term Expires 1966

LOUISE SOUCY

Term Expires 1964

LILLIAN WEST

Term Expires 1964

Superintendent

EVERTON H. PARKINSON

The State of New Hampshire
SCHOOL WARRANT

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

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on March 10, 1964, at 7:00 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
4. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

5. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing year.

6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose agents auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

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

Given under our hands at said Brookfield this 24th day of February 1964.

LOUISE SOUCY,
LILLIAN WEST,
School Board of Brookfield

A True Copy of Warrant — Attest:

LOUISE SOUCY
LILLIAN WEST

PROPOSED BUDGET
School District of Brookfield

Administration — Series 100

Salaries:

School Board	\$ X 100.00
District Clerk	4.00
Treasurer	30.00
Moderator	2.00
Auditors (2) @ \$2.00	4.00

\$ 140.00

Other Expenses — Series 190

Postage & Telephone	\$ 25.00
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25.00

Attendance Services — Series 300

Salaries

Truant Officer	5.00
Census Enumerator	5.00

10.00

Transportation — Series 500

Contracted Services (535)

Regular Contracts	\$ 5,000.00
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5,000.00

Operation of School Plant — Series 600

Utilities (except heat) 645

Electricity	22.20
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22.20

Fixed Charges — Series 800

Insurance	5.00
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5.00

Outgoing Transfer Accounts

High School Tuition	6,678.10
Junior High Tuition	4,078.80
Elementary Tuition	10,776.15

21,533.05

District Share of Union Expenses	574.00
TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES	\$ 27,309.25
Contingency Fund	500.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATION TO BE VOTED	
for 1964-65 by School District	\$ 27,809.25

FINANCIAL REPORT 1962-63

Receipts

Local Taxation:	
Current Appropriation	\$ 16,452.95
Advance 1963-64	2,547.05
Total, Net receipts from all sources	\$ 19,000.00
Cash on hand, July 1, 1962	68.92
Grand total, net receipts	\$ 19,068.92
Grand total, net expenditures	18,700.36
Cash on hand, July 7, 1963	\$ 368.56

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Cash on hand, July 1, 1962	\$ 68.92
Received from Selectmen:	
Current Appropriation	16,452.95
Advance on 63-64	2,547.05
Total receipts	\$ 19,000.00
Total amount available	\$ 19,068.92
Less School Board orders paid	18,700.36
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	\$ 368.56

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Brookfield, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1963 and find them correct in all respects.
July 6, 1963.

ARTHUR L. MANZER,
J. CARROLL TUCKER,
Auditors

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Brookfield:

The current school year has seen changes of great importance to pupils and the school district. The action of the State Board of Education, beginning to implement the report of the interim Commission, dissolved Union No. 36. The school district of Brookfield now is aligned with nine other school districts in an enlarged Union No. 44. This is in accord with the current trend to create larger administrative units whose combined wealth can provide greater educational services for the pupils of our schools.

The popular, attention-seeking, comments on the educational program are those of the critics of our system. It is easier to disparage any program than it is to evaluate the positive values. It is worthy of note that educational systems abroad (European) are taking in whole or in part our programs which attempt to provide universal educational opportunity. This is true of England, Russia and the Scandinavian countries. The so called "aristocracy of brains" is not being supported as it has been in the past.

In view of these facts it seems appropriate to review some of the recent developments in the American Educational system and program. The developments of a positive nature can be subdivided in many ways. Three areas can be touched on briefly in this report.

Curriculum

The changes in subject matter offerings, both in content and subject in the past decade are profound and far reaching. In the elementary school science is a recognized part of the days program from the first grade. New areas in geography and history untouched a decade ago are now generally accepted as part of the curriculum. Much greater depth is attempted and attained in these two areas. Mathematics has received a new emphasis. The changes in this area are aimed at a greater understanding of basic concepts. The program will result in greater mathematical progress for all pupils. The secondary program in science has been expanded. There are more subject areas being taught. In addition, the work in all science areas is much more intensive.

The introductions of different foreign language courses is indicative of a new vital interest in the needs of our civilization. The program in this area has had a change of emphasis.

In addition to the changes in the curriculum offerings, the changes in techniques of the teaching process have been extensive. This is due in part to the development of varied types of equipment. The use of television, projectors (motion picture, slide, overhead, opaque and micro), tape recorders and record players has been beneficial to both student and teacher. These tools have been used advantageously but educators have been experimenting with teaching techniques that are also making a direct contribution to educational progress. Team teaching, team learning, ungraded schools and advanced placement, are some of the techniques in more or less common use. All are designed to improve the educational program. Fundamentally, both the tools and techniques are implementing more fully the concept of individ-

ualizing instruction. They are basically designed to permit each pupil to progress at his own rate and to realize his highest potential.

Like all other professional groups, teachers and administrators are raising the professional standards. This means in general that a better prepared and more competent person will be providing for the education of America's children and youth. Despite the improvements in all these phases there are some critics, who on little knowledge, indict the educational program. The public should draw up a balance sheet to see our educational assets. In those areas where improvement is needed, the profession and the public should strive cooperatively to affect the necessary adjustment.

It has been pleasant working with the School Board who are sincerely and conscientiously working to provide the best educational opportunity for the children of Brookfield.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERTON H. PARKINSON,
Superintendent of Schools

VITAL STATISTICS — 1963

BIRTHS

Date	Name of Child	Father	Maiden Name of Mother
July 21	Bruce Andrew MacBrien, Jr.	Bruce A. MacBrien	Cynthia H. Adjutant

DEATHS

Date	Name	Birthplace	Age
December 31 (62)	Elizabeth Spencer	Stoneham, Mass.	92 Years
May 18	Annie M. Hooper	Wolfeboro, N. H.	72 Years
July 31	Peter James Katwick	Brockton, Mass.	18 Years

I hereby certify that the birth and deaths are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Fanny F. Hansen

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