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# Town Officers

For the Year 1941

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Moderator  
PERLEY E. CARY

Town Clerk  
NORA J. LANDER

Treasurer, Collector of Excise Tax  
J. O. GILMAN

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor  
P. V. WITHAM    C. H. WEYMOUTH    L. W. TITCOMB

Fire Chief  
EUGENE H. RUSSELL

Collector of Taxes  
MYRTLE YORK

Night Watchman  
W. L. SAWYER

Health Officers  
DR. P. A. MILLINGTON                      DR. G. I. HIGGINS

# Town Warrant

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To W. L. Sawyer, a constable in the town of Newport, in the county of Penobscot:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn all inhabitants of the town of Newport, aforesaid, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at the town hall, so-called, in said town on Monday the 2nd day of March, 1942, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- Art 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art 2 To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year, and fix compensation of same.
- Art 3 To hear all reports made, and act upon the same at said meeting.
- Art 4 To choose three or more Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor and fix compensation of same.
- Art 5 To choose a Town Treasurer, one member of the Superintending School Committee for three years, a Nightwatchman, Chief Engineer and Assistants of Fire Department, and fix compensation of same, also a Road Commissioner, or instruct Selectmen to appoint same.

- Art 6 To determine when the tax list for the year 1942 shall be committed for collection, also when taxes shall be paid, and what instructions, if any, the inhabitants will give in relation to same. Also to see what instructions and conditions the inhabitants will impose upon its Collector of Taxes in settlement with the town and to receive bids for the ensuing year.
- Art 7 To choose a Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.
- Art 8 To choose all remaining Town Officers required or permitted to be chosen at the annual Town Meeting, and to determine how many, if any, of said officers shall be appointed by the Selectmen.
- Art 9 To see if the town will vote to authorize its Treasurer to make temporary loans, said loans to be approved by the Selectmen, and not to exceed the total tax levy of the preceding municipal year in which they are made, said loans to be paid out of money raised by taxes during the current year in which loans are made in accordance with provisions of Section 83, of Chapter 5, of the Revised Statutes of Maine and acts amendatory and additional thereto, and for the purposes therein permitted.
- Art 10 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to pay for:
- Town Charges and to Contract Obligations
  - Fire Department
  - Fire Alarm System
  - Town Debt
  - Repairs of Highways and Bridges
  - Sidewalks
  - Sewers and Catch Basins
  - Snow Removal

Support of Poor and Veterans' Relief  
 Interest  
 Free Public Library  
 Abatements  
 Cemeteries

Art 11 To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for all school purposes:

High School  
 Common School  
 School Supplies and Equipment  
 Textbooks  
 Repairs  
 Supervision  
 Lights, Water, Insurance, Telephone

Art 12 To see what sum, if any, the town would recommend to take from the joint state aid account for the purpose of applying bituminous surface treatment to State Aid Roads, in excess of the requirements of Section 2, Chapter 132, P. L. 1935.

Art 13 To see what sum, if any, the town would recommend to take from the third class apportionment for the purpose of applying bituminous surface treatment to Third Class Roads, in excess of the requirements of Section 1, Chapter 207, P. L. 1939.

Art 14 To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$420.00 for the maintenance of improved sections of third class roads, or to be used in conjunction with the State apportionment for the construction of third class roads.



- Art 15 To see what sum the town will raise and appropriate for State Aid Road Construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Chapter 213, Public Laws of 1941.
- Art 16 To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,750.00 for the maintenance of state aid and state highways.
- Art 17 To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100. from P. L. Oakes, the income from same to be used for perpetual care of the Oakes-Leonard lot in Riverside Cemetery.
- Art 18 To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100. from the estate of A. C. Bradbury, the income from same to be used for perpetual care of the Bradbury lot in Riverside Cemetery.
- Art 19 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for Memorial Day Observance; \$25.00 to be expended by the American Legion and \$25.00 to be expended by the H. G. Libby, Woman's Relief Corps.
- Art 20 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for public health nursing in Newport, said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health, for local service.
- Art 21 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, if so how much, for a Publicity Bureau.

- Art 22 To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise and appropriate for labor on private cottage roads.
- Art 23 To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purchase of the 19 acre lot, now owned by the Newport Trust Co., situated across the river from Riverside Cemetery, or to see what action will be taken.
- Art 24 To see what action the town will take regarding the purchase of the Parker Holt field adjoining the athletic field or removal of the grandstand from Mr. Holt's land.
- Art 25 To see if the town will vote to join the State and County in the construction of the Boulier Bridge between Newport and Plymouth and raise the sum of \$4,400.00, this being Newport's share of the construction cost.
- Art 26 To see what action the town will take regarding the formation of a water district.
- Art 27 To transact any other business to come before the the town.

The Selectmen will be in session in their office in the town hall for the purpose of revising the list of voters in said town on the day of said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, on or before the day and hour of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twelfth day of February, A. D.  
1942.

PAUL V. WITHAM  
CLIFFORD H. WEYMOUTH  
LYNDON W. TITCOMB

Selectmen of Newport

A true copy attest:      William L. Sawyer, Constable

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All Taxpayers should read the following requirements and  
comply with them:

Section 70, Chapter 13, Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930.

“Before making an assessment, the Assessors shall give seasonable notice in writing to the Inhabitants, by posting notifications in some public place in Town, or shall notify them in such other ways as the Town at its annual meeting directs, to make and bring in to them true and perfect lists of their polls and all their estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the first day of April of the same year. If any resident owner, after such a notice, does not bring in such lists, he is thereby barred of his right to make application to the Assessors or the County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes, unless he offers such list with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time appointed.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS 1941  
MADE BY THE SELECTMEN

Aid to Dependent Children	Mrs. Rena Frost Mrs. Bertha Bennett
Building & Wiring Inspector	Charles A. Croxford
Constables	W. L. Sawyer Robert R. Rich M. B. Kimball Ival Arno Kenneth Albee George Doherty
Special Officers for Bar L 6-12-41	Lloyd Marcho
Fence Viewer	Charles Prilay
Plumbing Inspector	Eugene O. Towne
Sealer of Weights & Measures	Wm. E. Condon
Sextons	Lewis Stuart Owen Varney A. L. Gray
Surveyors of Coal	Fred A. Craig Leonard Worthen T. E. Brooks
Surveyors of Wood & Lumber	Wm. E. Condon Leon Quimby A. J. Evans
To Enforce Town Ordinances	Selectmen and Constables

## RECOMMENDATIONS OF BUDGET COMMITTEE

Office of Selectmen, Newport, February 15, 1942. Meeting of Budget Committee. It was voted to recommend to the citizens of Newport the following sums of money to be raised at the Annual Meeting.

Appropriations	1941	Recom. 1942	Amt. Raised
\$ 100 00	Abatements	\$ 50 00	
150 00	Cemeteries	125 00	
51 00	Fire Alarm System	51 00	
2,000 00	Fire Department	2,000 00	
150 00	Fire Chief's Salary	150 00	
4,000 00	Highways and Bridges	4,000 00	
1,900 00	Interest	1,500 00	
300 00	Library	300 00	
1,750 00	Maint. St. Aid & St. High.	1,700 00	
631 00	Maint. 3rd Class Roads	420 00	
3,000 00	Material Construction for Roads		
50 00	Memorial Day Observance	50 00	
1,200 00	Nightwatchman	1,200 00	
200 00	Publicity Bureau		
150 00	Public Health Nurse		
530 00	Reimbursement-Purchasers		
	Armory Lot		
2,500 00	Support of Poor-Vets'. Relief	1,500 00	
17,000 00	School Department	19,000 00	
75 00	School Committee Salary	75 00	
50 00	Sewers and Catch Basins	50 00	
500 00	Sidewalks	500 00	
800 00	Snow Removal	800 00	
1,332 00	State Aid Construction	1,080 00	
2,500 00	Town Charge Account	3,500 00	
4,000 00	Town Debt Reduction	4,000 00	
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\$ 44,919 00		\$ 42,051 00	

Newport, Maine, February 15, 1942.

The meeting of the Budget Committee was held at the office of the Selectmen at 7:30 P. M.

Paul V. Witham was elected Chairman, Lewman B. Soper, Secretary. Members present were C. H. Weymouth, L. W. Titcomb, Harold Fraser, Fred E. Day, Seth L. Banton, Arthur G. Hanson, R. H. Frost, George L. Derby, Mark H. Taylor, E. G. Rowe, E. L. Jackson, John T. Gilman, Keith N. Smith, Paul V. Witham, Lewman B. Soper and Eugene H. Russell.

Charles E. Sheridan and Supt. Howard G. Libby appeared before the Committee in behalf of the schools.

By the fine cooperation of the Selectmen a total reduction of \$ 4,868 was recommended from their departments; an increase of \$ 2,000 was recommended in the schools departments. If the budget committee's recommendations are followed, a two or three tax rate reduction will be realized.

LEWMAN B. SOPER, Secretary

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## Report of Municipal Officers

### VALUATION

Resident, Personal Property	\$126,450 00	
Non-resident, Personal Property	67,000 00	
	—————	\$ 193,450 00
Resident, Real Estate	\$ 709,390 00	
Non-resident, Real Estate	232,795 00	
	—————	\$ 942,185 00
Total Valuation		\$1,135,635 00

Town Appropriations,	\$44,919 00	
State Tax	8,762 83	
County Tax	2,126 16	
Overlay	2,236 76	
		—————\$58,044 75
\$1,135,635 @ 50 mills	\$56,781 75	
421 polls at \$3.00 each	1,263 00	
		—————
	\$58,044 75	
Supplemental Tax	1,095 50	
Total Commitment		————— \$59,140 25

We hope that each citizen will check very carefully just what is being accomplished for our town, from year to year.

When we started our drive to clean up the town debt we were faced with a net debt of nearly \$50,000. Today it is \$25,000.

If you care to check previous reports you will find no increase has been made in any of the selectmen's departments, and the \$ 4,000 yearly paid on the town debt is made up of reductions in our other appropriations. We feel that this shows as good economy in expenditures as can be obtained, as at present we are paying 40 cents per hour for labor where it was 28 cents, and all material is nearly one-third higher.

We would not feel that we had accomplished so much if we had not retained our road building program or the upkeep of our equipment. We have rebuilt the selectmen's office, equipped now with electric adding machine, new typewriter, filing cabinets, etc., and we now have a new filing system, making all reports and records accessible at any time.

The basement has been remodeled and we have built a garage; filled in back of the hall, so we can handle our plows and trucks easily and we now have our own filling station.

Many cities and towns enter all equipment and property owned by the towns as assets on the balance sheet. We do not believe this should be done, but if it were done in this town we would show to be entirely out of debt.

In addition to our town hall, garage and school buildings, we own outright - three trucks, four snowplows, four wings, with all the late attachments, one gravel loader, one cement mixer, one road drag, a plow for sidewalks and about \$ 500 worth of small tools. We have paid \$ 700 on a late style road grader (only \$ 150 remaining to pay) we have paid \$ 1,500 on a \$ 4,000 pumper for the fire department.

The past year our poor account ran heavy up to June first and from June first to settlement date, very light. We recommend a \$ 1,000 cut in this department; a \$ 400 cut in the interest account; and about a \$ 3,000 cut in the total road accounts. If the remaining accounts can be held down about the same as last year, we can realize a two or three mill reduction in our tax rate.

We must remember these are war times.

Let us all go to town meeting and discuss very carefully each article. Also let us remember during the coming year to try to increase the attendance of our fine churches. The schools and churches are the two institutions that worthwhile citizens inquire about if they wish to take up a residence.

We have had the best cooperation with our schools and fire department and also the citizens, for if it were not for our tax collection record and the way all the citizens have aligned themselves against any increase in our town debt, we could not have been in as good standing as we are.

Thanking the citizens for their fine cooperation.

PAUL V. WITHAM  
 CLIFFORD H. WEYMOUTH  
 LYNDON W. TITCOMB  
 Selectmen of Newport.



# Town Charge Account

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Appropriation	\$ 3,030 00
Received from 1940 supplemental tax	54 60
1937 tax lien fees	1 50
1938	1 50
1939	15 00
1940	13 50
Thomas Keefe, carnival license,	15 00
W. L. Tilton, 1940 pool room license,	10 00
W. L. Sawyer, phone calls to Monson,	70
1941 victualers' licenses,	5 00
B. A. Gurney, for old typewriter,	15 00
Vernard Lancaster, dance hall license	10 00
Chester Bickford, by labor, for fuel	27 51
State of Maine, porcupine bounty,	4 00
State poor - fuel,	44 00
Bank stock tax,	384 67
dog licenses refunded,	83 67
R. R. and Tel. tax,	62 04
fireworks licenses, 1941,	18 00
Ray Little, hall rental,	34 50
Nora Lander, 1941 dog licenses,	185 60
P. E. Cary, costs on sale of Goodwin property,	5 34
Frank Bennett, for stumpage,	3 00
Harold Anderson, for oil burner,	4 00
W. L. Tilton, pool room license for 1941,	10 00
J. O. Gilman, Tr. 1941 excise tax	3,993 39
State, State Poor, fuel	60 50
due from 1941 Supplemental tax	227 50
Rec'd. from 1941 Supplemental tax	868 00
To summary	174 25
	\$ 9,361 77

## Expenditures

Paid M. O. Hussey, janitor	\$140 00
Judkins & Gilman, rat poison, paper bags, $\frac{1}{2}$ surplus commodities	21 56
H. L. Gipson, trips to Bangor, sur. com.	2 80
D. I. Oldenberg, trips to Bangor	2 80
M. B. Kimball, trips to Bangor	6 90
Ray Leavitt, trips to Bangor	2 28
Fox & Ginn, express on blankets	50
Doris Hussey, work on com.	10 50
D. H. Averill, oil, commodities	80
M. B. Kimball, Bangor, food for hot lunches	1 60
Ray Leavitt, Bangor, food for hot lunches	1 60
Judkins & Gilman Co., coal	173 57
G. W. Cochran, Est. wood	77 00
E. G. Rowe, wood	8 00
A. E. Darling, wood	36 75
Warren Whitney, wood	50 00
C. E. Moores, wood	5 00
F. A. Craig, coal	123 31
Ray Leavitt, del. wood	10 98
M. B. Kimball, wood	9 05
Jerome Dodge, wood	1 93
D. I. Oldenberg, wood	2 28
Emery Gerry, wood	2 45
Chester Bickford wood	2 10
Frank Richardson, wood	2 00
Judkins & Gilman, traffic lt. bulbs	11 29
Carl G. Hawes, auditing books	15 00
State Audit Dept., auditing books	18 49
N. E. Tel. Co., selectmen's office, Fire room and W. L. Sawyer, phones	100 00
Newport Water Co., hydrants. town hall	1,599 00

Dr. C. W. Simpson, vital statistics	1 75
State of Maine, dog taxes, 1941	185 60
Aid to dependent children	419 00
Board and care	362 37
1939 dog licenses deficiency	17 00
Newport Trust Co., notes on armory lot	530 00
deposit box rental	6 66
American Tree Surgery Co. taking down trees	79 00
Central Me. Power Co., street and town hall lights	1,709 70
W. L. Sawyer, posting warrants	8 00
constable	10 00
dog constable	10 00
R. M. Merrow, election check lists	1 80
M. O. Pettengill, ballot clerk	6 00
Elsie Pettengill,	6 00
J. E. Folsom,	4 50
P. H. Williams,	1 50
Carrie Soper,	6 00
Ray Leavitt, moving materials for first aid and home nursing classes	40
M. B. Kimball,	40
Dr. P. A. Millington, health officer's expense	6 00
investigation and skin tests of tuber- culosis contacts at Cummings mill	2 00
Dr. P. A. Millington, vaccinations and vaccine for smallpox,	25 20
M. L. French Co., constable's badges,	2 70
W. L. Sawyer, keys for lock-up,	50
M. B. Kimball, special police, July 4th,	4 00
Robert Rich,	4 00
C. E. Sheridan, school attendance officer,	10 00
W. C. Randall, labor and material, for lock on hall door,	3 50
Rev. J. W. Reynolds, vital statistics,	5 00

W. P. Morrison, auto and truck guide,	4 05
F. L. Tower Co. year book,	6 00
Hanson Hdwe. Co., glass, putty, light bulbs, radiator repairs, small hdwe.	19 82
Judkins and Gilman, supplies,	6 38
Frank Richardson, cleaning basement, rep. fire room door entrance	9 20
Ray Leavitt,	12 80
M. B. Kimball,	12 80
L. B. Pearson, ribbons for typewriter and adding machine,	5 25
Marks Printing House, supplies, valuation, tax books, lien forms, assessors hand books,	45 10
Postage, treasurer and selectmen's office,	58 00
Sears Co., adding machine stand,	5 90
W. W. Berry Co., Royal typewriter and ribbons,	50 50
Register of Deeds, recording and dis- charging tax liens	27 89
Loring, Short & Harmon, treasurer's receipts	4 00
D. M. Dwelley, repairing lights	1 00
P. E. Cary, treasurer's bond	10 50
town hall insurance	121 50
Hanson's, office supplies	2 60
Barrows & Barrows,	3 80
Burroughs Co., adding machine, ribbon and paper	207 37
Shield Press Co., treasurer's draft book	5 33
Newport Trust Co., 2,000 blank checks	6 68
P. V. Witham, chr. selectmen, poor account expense	198 50
trips to Augusta	20 00
salary	900 00
C. H. Weymouth, 2nd selectman, salary	150 00
L. W. Titcomb, 3rd selectman, salary	150 00

J. O. Gilman, Treasurer, salary	150 00	
excise receipts	112 65	
Nora Lander, Town Clerk, salary	100 00	
vital statistics	38 48	
A. W. Lander Print, town reports	200 10	
supplies and printing, Selectmen's office and treasurer	47 45	
Myrtle York, general office clerk	390 00	
Madeline Hall, substitute clerk	10 00	
Myrtle York, Tax Collector	400 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 9,361 77

### FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

#### Resources

Appropriation	\$ 51 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 51 00

#### Expenditures

Paid Central Maine Power Co.	\$51 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$51 00

### SALARY - FIRE CHIEF

#### Resources

Appropriation	\$150 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$150 00

#### Expenditures

Paid Eugene H. Russell	\$150 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$150 00

## NIGHTWATCHMAN

## Resources

Appropriation	\$1,200 00	
	—————	\$1,200 00

## Expenditures

Pd. W. L. Sawyer	\$1,200 00	
	—————	\$ 1,200 00

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**Fire Department**

## Resources

Appropriation	\$ 2,000 00	
Received from E. H. Russell, Chief, for sale of junk to Pearl Cook,	9 20	
To summary	85 88	
	—————	\$ 2,095 08

## Expenditures

Paid J. A. McCarthy, fire record book,	\$ 4 15
Blanchard Asso. nozzle holders,	6 00
American Gear Co. supplies,	10 80
Newport Trust Co. payment on pumper,	500 00
Friend and Friend, gas and oil,	40 87
Judkins and Gilman Co., broom, batteries, ladder varnish, brush, paint, etc.,	16 31
Eastern Fire Equipment Co. 6 volt flashers	38 98
Quaker City Rubber Co., hose,	300 00
P. E. Cary, liability insurance,	140 00
L. B. Soper, coats, rubber boots,	39 65

R. I. Mitchell, battery,	26 15
L. M. Wheeler, gas,	1 20
Town of Corinna Fire Dept. Fogg fire,	8 00
Lewis Towne, 1st asst. chief and time at fires,	46 00
W. E. Stevens, 1st asst. chief and time at fires,	30 40
J. H. Bolwell, duty July 4th,	4 00
Willis Getchell, duty July 4th,	4 00
Harold Parlee, duty July 4th	4 00
Perley Nason, duty on July 4th	4 00
R. H. Frost, soda	1 44
Susie D. Mitchell, pumper ins.	25 20
Hanson Hdwe Co., flash light batteries, fuse plugs, electric lanterns, etc.	19 78
Engine No. 1 Co. No. 2 payrolls	257 25
J. H. Bolwell, Capt. and Treas. Relief Fund	10 00
Engine No. 1, Co. No. 1, payrolls	270 15
Robert R. Rich, Capt. and Treas. Relief Fund	11 25
Engine No. 2, Co. No. 1	265 50
Harold Parlee, Capt. and Treas. Relief Fund	10 00
	—————\$ 2,095 08

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## Highways and Bridges

### Resources

Appropriation	\$4,000 00
Received from school conveyance dept. gas, oil	28 20

John Cook, use of trucks	10 00
D. E. Cummings Co., labor, materials, use of mixer	20 20
James Strair, labor and material	33 85
V. F. Lancaster	3 00
J. H. Christie	4 45
Harry McKenney	5 00
G. M. Barrows	23 40
Bernice Ponton	11 40
V. E. Dunn & Son, gravel	75 00
State Treasurer	136 35
Casper Bryant, tarvia	65
Walter Townsend, tarvia	1 04
Newport Water Co., use of mixer	5 00
M. B. Sprague, use of mixer	5 00
H. B. Catland, use of mixer	3 00
Trustees of I. O. O. F. Lodge, labor on walk	18 70
Home Ins. Co., refund on truck ins.	42 04
Hanson Hdwe. Co., use of mixer	2 50
By transfer from maintenance of third class roads	167 66
	—————\$ 4,596 44

## Expenditures

Paid L. P. Swett, muffler, packing	\$ 28 91
L. M. Wheeler, grease for trucks	45 85
M. B. Kimball, loader rings, grease	9 68
D. H. Averill, welding	39 60
Harold Branscombe, spark plugs	2 15
P. M. Peterson, sharpening picks, repairs	10 30
E. M. Reynolds, battery	5 00
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	360 68
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts	182 94
Me. Truck-Tractor Co., grader payments, cutting edges, shear pins	226 94



Mark Wentworth, supplies, labor	38 78
Judkins & Gilman Co., chloride, salt, tile pipe, paint, small hdwe.	166 98
Hanson Hdwe. Co., street brooms, paint, globe valves, small hdwe.	103 24
A. L. Ebberson, truck repairs	9 65
State Highway Com., tar and applying	317 04
Friend & Friend, supplies	50 59
Susie D. Mitchell, truck insurance	45 38
P. E. Cary,	32 09
Moore & Co., bridge planks	261 52
F. A. Craig, oil	75
C. P. Cooper, gravel	5 85
Harold Russell,	2 85
Ralph Easley,	67 40
G. L. Murray,	7 50
S. B. Ring Store, red cloth	50
D. M. Susi, sand	27 00
R. C. Blackmer, gas	83
J. J. Boulter, radiator	6 50
H. L. Brown, planing lumber	85
	———— \$ 2,057 35

#### Truck, Team and Hand Labor

Paid Ray Leavitt	\$ 378 76
M. B. Kimball	401 72
Victor Colby	166 48
Wallace Brawn	170 86
D. I. Oldenburg	44 12
H. L. Gipson	41 31
Fred Whittemore	210 27
Chester Bickford	28 35
Kenneth Thompson	170 44
Elmer Henderson	12 60
Ernest Hersey, Jr.	6 30
Warren Page	12 60
H. M. Tuttle	168 64

Fred Russell	28 00	
Floyd Goodnow	1 40	
James Bowden	155 67	
Raleigh Ireland	1 23	
P. V. Witham, Jr.	45 73	
Henry Condon	18 81	
Martin Stackpole	10 26	
Earle Hartford	78 40	
William Bird	17 10	
Roland Buck	33 08	
Leon Gray	2 47	
W. E. Gray	5 20	
Frank Richardson	140 13	
Roy Wright	2 80	
D. H. Averill	70	
Claude Patchell	23 40	
Herbert Whiteley	18 00	
L. W. Cookson	1 40	
John Cameron and truck	6 00	
J. H. Bolwell, painting streets,	16 60	
Cleve Hersey	34 80	
Harold Russell	21 60	
L. D. Babb	7 75	
Howard Spratt	19 80	
J. P. Bryson Jr. and team	5 85	
Fred Creighton and team	13 00	
C. W. Prilay and team	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,531 63
To summary		7 46
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		\$ 4,596 44

## SEWERS AND CATCH BASINS

	Resources	
Appropriation		\$ 50 00
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		\$ 50 00

## Expenditures

Paid Ray Leavitt, labor	\$ 14 40	
M. B. Kimball,	14 40	
Frank Richardson,	9 00	
Cleve Hersey,	9 00	
D. H. Averill, welding catch basin cover	1 10	
To summary	2 10	
	<hr/>	\$ 50 00

## SIDEWALKS

## Resources

Appropriation	\$ 500 00	
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## Expenditures

Paid D. M. Susi, gravel	\$ 20 00	
Barrett Co., tarvia	244 20	
Chester Bickford, labor	4 03	
H. L. Gipson,	1 58	
D. I. Oldenburg	15 76	
Victor Colby	14 98	
Wallace Brawn	23 91	
Kenneth Thompson	11 38	
James Bowden	3 33	
H. M. Tuttle	13 68	
M. B. Kimball	38 10	
Frank Richardson	29 20	
Fred Whittemore	10 80	
P. V. Witham Jr.	3 60	
Cleve Hersey	12 60	
Ray Leavitt	52 11	
To summary	74	
	<hr/>	\$ 500 00

## MAINTENANCE OF UNIMPROVED ROAD

### Resources

Received from State	\$ 312 00	
	—————	\$ 312 00

### Expenditures

Paid Robert Harris for gravel	\$ 18 00	
State for use of shovel,	294 00	
	—————	\$ 312 00

## MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID AND STATE HIGHWAY

### Resources

Appropriation	\$ 1,750 00	
	—————	\$ 1,750 00

### Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$ 1,590 20	
To summary	159 80	
	—————	\$ 1,750 00

## MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROADS

### Resources

Appropriation	\$ 631 00	
	—————	\$ 631 00

### Expenditures

Transferred to Highway and Bridge acct.	\$ 167 66	
Transferred to W P A, State Aid and Third Class construction,	463 34	
	—————	\$ 631 00

## SPECIAL RESOLVE

## Resources

Received from state, 1941 reimbursement	\$232 95	
1942	267 05	
	— — — —	\$ 500 00

## Expenditures

Paid Ray Leavitt	labor	\$93 50	
M. B. Kimball		75 00	
James Bowden		25 80	
Frank Richardson		51 80	
Claude Patchell		21 60	
Herbert Whitley		24 00	
Cleve Hersey		33 80	
Howard Spratt		17 60	
Guy Emmons, hoist operator		51 50	
State of Maine, hoist rental		30 40	
F. B. Knowles, granite		15 00	
Lewis Bussey, granite		15 00	
Judkins & Gilman Co., cement		45 00	
		— — — —	\$ 500 00

## W P A, STATE AID AND THIRD CLASS CONSTRUCTION

## Resources

Appropriation	\$ 4,332 00	
Received from Susie B. Mitchell, return		
premium on truck insurance	2 75	
From State, State Aid construction	1,295 05	
Third Class construction	1,171 35	
By transfer from Third Class Maint.	463 34	
Due from State Aid and Third Class Roads		
Accts. Feb. 1, 1942	5,983 79	
	— — — —	\$13,248 28

## Expenditures

## Supplies

Paid L. M. Wheeler, grease for trucks	\$ 35 08
J. H. Mullen, gravel	9 00
Robert Harris,	13 35
L. P. Swett, truck spring	11 60
R. W. Express Co., on spring	72
Friend & Friend, labor and supplies	87 49
Judkins & Gilman Co., supplies (soft coal, dynamite, tile pipe, roofing, glass, small hdwe.)	302 09
P. M. Peterson, filing picks	6 00
Merlin Savage, fencing	6 40
Elwood Jackson,	2 70
Edward Littlefield,	61 00
Hanson Hdwe. Co., supplies, (shovels, picks, fencing, small hdwe., etc.)	33 00
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	708 50
Bickford & Kimball, labor, truck supplies	9 00
R. B. Dunning Co., drinking cups	3 38
Maine Truck - Tractor Co., cutting edges, blades, payments on grader	260 62
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts	230 25
D. H. Averill, welding	18 10
R. C. Blackmer, gas	3 00
Fox & Ginn, express on blades	50
E. H. Reynolds, magneto	10 00
Wellington DeLong, shop rent	12 00
Barrett Co., tarvia	48 40
State of Maine, shovel rental	108 00
State of Maine, compressor rental	153 00
P. E. Cary, truck insurance	5 48
Susie D. Mitchell, insurance	44 96
F. A. Craig, gas	3 00
O. E. Lemerise, oil	2 65
W. H. Sullivan, tires, tubes	31 50

R. R. Palmer, board of compressor men	20 50	
Newport Trust Co., truck payments	2,350 00	
Allen Rooks, loader	200 00	
Hedge, Mattheis Co., mixer	150 00	
	—————	\$ 4,941 27

## Labor

Paid M. B. Kimball	\$ 254 93	
D. I. Oldenberg	27 30	
Emery Gerry	5 08	
H. L. Gipson	4 72	
Chester Bickford	9 45	
Henry Racine	9 28	
Fred Whittemore	24 01	
Victor Colby	30 68	
Ray Leavitt	55 90	
Cleve Hersey	15 30	
Wallace Brawn	33 75	
George DeBeck	3 15	
Kenneth Thompson	21 23	
H. M. Tuttle	19 66	
James Bowden	21 66	
Robert Palmer	16 77	
Frank Bennett	15 23	
John Stevens	19 95	
William Bird	3 42	
Frank Richardson	11 00	
Claude Patchell	11 00	
Albert Wescott, compressor operator	\$ 40 80	
Ernest Brown, compressor operator	40 80	
Earle Hartford, shovel operator	28 80	
	—————	\$ 723 87

Due from State Aid and 3rd Class  
Road Accts. Feb. 1, 1941

\$7,583 14

—————  
\$13,248 28

## SNOW REMOVAL

## Resources

Appropriation	\$ 800 00
Received from State, plowing, sanding, snow fence	105 71
Harry White, for snow fence	3 50
School conveyance dept. for gas	46 41
Due from State for snow fence	174 00
plowing and sanding	759 38
To summary	516 08
	—————\$2,405 08

## Expenditures

Paid M. B. Kimball	labor	\$173 41
Ray Leavitt		232 79
Jerome Dodge		4 03
D. I. Oldenberg		13 32
Emery Gerry		4 21
Harvey Tibbetts		2 63
Warren Page		3 15
Magnus Richardson		10 86
W. E. Condon		6 49
Chester Bickford		4 73
H. L. Gipson		7 53
Robert Williams		2 10
Fred Russell		5 25
J. P. Bryson and team, labor		4 00
Wallace Brawn	labor	14 18
Victor Colby		9 80
Fred Whittemore		70
Kenneth Thompson		16 63
Elmer Henderson		31 75
Frank Richardson		66 20
Cleve Hersey		38 40
Howard Spratt		33 80



Keith Anderson	19 80
Stanley Boylan	8 40
Frank Harris	6 40
C. P. Flint	12 60
James Bowden	7 00
Gerald Emerson, sidewalks	9 80
D. H. Averill	23 97
Lewis Stuart, labor	2 40
Martin Stackpole	3 60
	—————\$ 779 93
M. B. Kimball, plowing	\$ 47 33
D. I. Oldenberg	27 65
Jerome Dodge	11 39
H. L. Gipson	29 59
Ray Leavitt	33 71
Elmer Henderson	42 75
Chester Bickford	29 59
Emery Gerry	21 53
Magnus Richardson	14 00
Claude Patchell	3 80
Frank Richardson	21 60
M. H. Boyle	3 80
P. V. Witham, Jr.	14 00
Bliss Cronkite	2 40
James Bowden	13 60
Elmer Henderson, Jr.	9 20
	—————\$ 325 94
Paid Emery Gerry. sanding	\$ 9 80
Ray Leavitt	56 33
D. I. Oldenburg	9 80
Elmer Henderson	15 80
H. L. Gipson	6 65
Chester Bickford	7 00
Jerome Dodge	9 63
Magnus Richardson	15 55

M. B. Kimball	45 60
George DeBeck	4 90
Harvey Tibbetts	4 90
Warren Page	2 80
Victor Colby	1 75
Frank Richardson	37 80
Fred Russell	3 60
Gerald Emerson	17 60
Cleve Hersey	3 60
Howard Spratt	1 60
James Bowden	27 60
P. V. Witham, Jr.	27 60
Martin Stackpole	4 80
Elmer Henderson, Jr.	10 80

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\$ 325 51

Paid Town of Dixmont, sand	\$ 11 55
Judkins & Gilman Co., dynamite, exploders, small hdwe.	34 29
Maynard's Express, plow jack	40
D. H. Averill, welding	146 42
Mark Wentworth, prestone, batteries, shaft wire, chains, tires, tubes	124 50
F. A. Craig, oil	50
P. M. Peterson, chain repairs	2 55
Hanson Hdwe. Co., salt, flashlights, batteries, chain links, shovels, plow paint, small hdwe.	64 53
Standard Fence Co., snow fence	140 00
Standard Oil Co., gas and anti-freeze	265 68
T. M. Nason, cedar posts for snow fence	6 00
L. N. Wheeler, grease for trucks	8 66
D. E. Cummings Co., tie wire	4 00
P. E. Cary, truck insurance	8 15
Susie D. Mitchell,	12 20
E. M. Reynolds, head lamps	10 00

D. H. Averill, making and installing V plow on tractor	112 00	
L. P. Swett Co., truck spring	2 93	
E. G. Rowe, fence posts	3 00	
W. H. Shurtleff Co., road salt	16 00	
Fernald's, parrawax for snow scoop	34	
		<u>\$ 973 70</u>
		<u>\$ 2,405 08</u>

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## Support of Poor

### Town and Veterans' Relief

#### Resources

Appropriation	\$2,500 00	
Received from Atwood Pratt, for care of children	30 00	
From Town of Pittsfield, refund on Terence Cochran account	6 00	
From Riverside Cem. Assoc., refund on burial of Lester King, Jr.	3 00	
From Veteran's family	11 96	
To summary	672 81	
		<u>\$ 3,223 77</u>

#### Expenditures

##### Town

##### Emma Jones and family

Paid E. G. Rowe, milk and fuel	\$ 150 88
Dr. G. I. Higgins, medical care	21 00

Dr. T. S. Clement, dental care	7 00	
C. A. Croxford, rent	130 00	
D. E. Carter, fuel	48 00	
Banton Bros.,	9 00	
A. L. Conant,	53 00	
C. O. Merrill, sawing wood	2 00	
Central Me. Power Co., lights	16 10	
R. H. Frost, groceries	307 87	
L. B. Soper, shoes, rubbers	41 75	
S. B. Ring Store, clothing	18 63	
Taylor & Estes,	20 74	
J. V. Tedesco, clothing	18 40	
Gerald's Dept. Store,	9 66	
Judkins & Gilman Co., supplies	1 84	
Hanson Hdwe. Co.,	8 74	
Martin Stackpole, putting on storm windows	1 40	
	<hr/>	\$ 866 01

## Pratt Children

Paid Ada Kenney, board and care	\$ 161 90	
L. B. Soper, clothing	15 04	
J. V. Tedesco,	6 98	
S. B. Ring Store,	49	
Taylor & Estes,	2 36	
Dr. P. A. Millington, med. care	1 50	
Scott Memorial Hospital	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 203 27

## Morse Boys

Paid James Anderson, board and care	\$ 265 00	
Dr. J. M. Carey, med. care	3 50	
L. B. Soper, clothing	7 18	
R. M. Merrow, supplies	98	
	<hr/>	\$ 276 66

## Jessie Jellison

Paid Dr. G. I. Higgins, med. care	\$ 6 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 6 00

## Doris Putnam

Paid F. S. Glidden, fuel	\$ 11 50	
W. A. Smith, fuel	11 50	
R. H. Frost, groceries	26 44	
	<hr/>	\$ 49 44

## Mrs. Julia Hill and Family

Paid A. L. Conant, fuel	\$ 21 00	
W. H. Sullivan, fuel	3 08	
R. H. Frost, groceries	2 91	
	<hr/>	\$ 26 99

## Hersey Children

Paid Vera Fickett, board and care	\$ 45 00	
Rebecca Evans, board and care	62 50	
L. B. Soper, clothing	18 97	
Taylor & Estes, clothing	1 50	
Dr. C. W. Simpson, med. care	20 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 147 97

## Edith Lawrence

Paid C. E. Burlock, board and care	\$ 335 00	
L. B. Soper, clothing	3 00	
R. M. Merrow, supplies	1 05	
	<hr/>	\$ 339 05

## Donald Reed

Paid Town of Pittsfield, supplies	\$ 22 18	
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## Pauper Lots

Paid Riverside Cem. Assoc. care of lots	\$ 12 80	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 12 80

## Wallace Fogg and Family

Paid Dr. C. W. Simpson, med. care	\$ 25 00	
L. B. Soper, clothing	15 49	
Taylor & Estes,	1 34	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 41 83

## Chester Bickford and Family

Paid W. A. Smith, fuel	\$ 6 00	
Bedford Briggs,	4 00	
Emery Gerry, del. wood	70	
M. B. Kimball,	18	
	<u>      </u>	\$ 10 88

## Donald Neal and Family

Paid Dr. Sarah W. Simpson, med. care	\$ 37 50	
Bessie Nickse, care	22 00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 59 50

## Tramps

Paid Fernald's Nation-Wide Store	\$ 1 50	
Della Stewart, supplies	2 44	
R. M. Merrow,	60	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 4 54

## Pittsfield W P A Sewing Project

Paid for work done on material supplies by town of Newport	\$ 37 30	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 37 30

## Warren Page and Family

Paid R. H. Frost, groceries	\$ 63 79	
Hanson Hdwe. Co., rent	32 00	
	————	\$ 95 79

## Terence Cochran and Family

Paid J. N. Smith, fuel	\$ 21 00	
L. B. Soper, clothing	9 91	
L. A. Dysart, clothing	13 07	
H. L. Turner, milk	19 00	
Dr. E. H. Humphrey, med. care	3 50	
Central Maine Sanitarium,	2 00	
Town of Pittsfield, supplies	69 19	
Central Maine Power Co., lights	1 60	
	————	\$ 139 27

## John Lewis and Family

Paid Town of Benton, supplies	\$ 21 00	
	————	\$ 21 00

## Willis Curtis and Family

Paid L. B. Soper, clothing	\$ 8 34	
	————	\$ 8 34

## William F. Edwards

Paid Taylor & Estes, burial	\$ 80 00	
	————	\$ 80 00

## Sherburne Hersey and Family

Paid Della Stewart, groceries	\$32 00	
D. I. Oldenburg, del. wood	35	
	————	\$32 35

## Charles Patten

Paid Della Stewart, groceries	\$3 00	
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## Fred Nichols and family

Paid J. V. Tedesco, clothing	\$5 00	
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## Harriet Walker

Paid Bessie Nickse, care	\$60 00	
Florence Folsom, housework	5 00	
R. H. Frost, groceries	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$70 00
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		\$ 2,559 17

## Veterans Relief

Paid H. L. Turner, milk	\$ 36 20
Dr. G. I. Higgins, med. care	40 50
Dr. Harry McNeil,	5 00
Dr. H. C. Scribner,	5 00
E. M. G. Hospital, X-rays	15 00
Emery Gerry, del. wood	35
M. B. Kimball,	88
Jerome Dodge	35
Ray Leavitt,	35
E. G. Rowe, fuel	8 00
F. S. Glidden, fuel	6 00
Estes & Houston, rent	58 00
C. V. Nichols,	30 00
T. D. Harris,	30 00
Central Maine Power Co., lights	11 10
S. B. Ring Store, clothing	13 01
Taylor & Estes, clothing	2 95
R. H. Frost, groceries	280 23



L. B. Soper, clothing	69 27	
R. M. Merrow, supplies	52 41	
	————	\$ 664 60
		————
		\$ 3,223 77

## SUPPORT OF POOR—STATE

### Resources

Received from State	\$ 2,088 06	
Due from State	168 44	
	————	\$ 2,256 50

### Expenditures

#### Angelo M. Bonito

Paid Earl Nelson, milk	\$ 85 32	
H. A. Nutter, rent	52 00	
J. V. Tedesco, supplies	9 98	
R. M. Merrow,	1 24	
Dr. P. A. Millington, med. care	32 85	
A. L. Conant, fuel	10 00	
Fernald's Nation-Wide Store	5 22	
	————	\$ 196 61

#### Lester King

Paid Scott-Webb Hospital	\$ 41 00	
Nora Smith, housework	24 00	
Dr. P. A. Millington, care	43 00	
Florence Gerry, housework	3 00	
Riverside Cem. Assoc., burial of Lester King, Jr.	3 00	
L. B. Wiseman, rent	10 00	
Solomon Pelkey,	10 00	
Fernald's Nation Wide Store	18 29	
	————	\$ 152 29

## Donald P. Weed

Paid T. M. Nason, rent	\$18 00	
Dr. C. W. Simpson, $\frac{1}{2}$ Osteopathic Hospital	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 68 00

## Susie Cooley

Paid H. L. Turner, milk	\$1 70	
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## Veteran's Family

Paid H. V. Brawn, milk	\$ 85 32	
E. O. Towne, rent	130 00	
C. M. P. Co., lights	20 25	
D. H. Averill, oil	60	
S. B. Ring Store, supplies	13 02	
L. B. Soper,	23 60	
R. M. Merrow,	16 38	
Taylor & Estes,	3 03	
J. V. Tedesco	45 54	
Hanson's Drug Store	9 36	
Fernald's Nation-Wide	122 52	
A. L. Conant, fuel	51 00	
Dr. C. W. Simpson, med. care	22 00	
Dr. G. I. Higgins,	10 50	
Dr. P. A. Millington,	20 75	
James Emerson, fuel	9 00	
	<hr/>	\$582 87

## Wilfred Pelkey

Paid E. G. Rowe, milk	\$ 2 20	
Sylvia Sheridan, rent	18 00	
S. B. Ring Store, supplies	1 25	
Dr. G. I. Higgins, med. care	14 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 35 45

## John Pratt

Paid Dr. G. I. Higgins, med. care	\$ 35 00	
Stinson Hospital	50 00	
	-----	\$ 85 00

## Susie Welch

Paid E. E. Libby, fuel	\$ 20 00	
Dr. C. W. Simpson, med. care	13 50	
	-----	\$ 33 50

## Charles Reynolds

Paid Scott-Webb Mem. Hospital	\$ 75 00	
	-----	\$75 00

## Nathan Wark

Paid M. E. Rice, rent	\$ 8 00	
	-----	\$ 8 00

## Jerome Dodge

Paid Scott-Webb Hospital	\$ 75 00	
Dr. G. I. Higgins	19 00	
	-----	\$ 94 00

## Frank Wheeler

Paid T. D. Harris, rent	\$ 38 00	
J. V. Tedesco, supplies	1 50	
S. B. Ring Store,	1 00	
L. B. Soper,	9 63	
R. M. Merrow,	2 80	
Taylor & Estes,	6 45	
Hanson's Drug Store,	5 77	
H. L. Turner, milk	32 60	
Bedford Briggs, fuel	1 50	
Dr. T. S. Clement,	2 25	
Dr. G. I. Higgins,	20 00	
John Cameron, moving to Plymouth	4 00	
	-----	\$ 125 50

## Leslie Pelkey

Paid A. H. Simpson, rent	\$ 35 00
H. L. Turner, milk	71 12
Dr. G. I. Higgins,	35 50
S. B. Ring Store, supplies	50
L. B. Soper,	10 20
Taylor & Estes,	50
Fernald's Nation-Wide	236 29
John Cameron, moving to Plymouth	5 00
	<hr/> \$ 394 11

## Henry Racine

Paid S. B. Ring Store, supplies	\$10 28
L. B. Soper,	6 23
Hanson's Drug Store,	5 39
Taylor & Estes,	3 15
R. C. Blackmer,	12 82
J. V. Tedesco,	24 29
Fernald's Nation-Wide,	91 59
R. M. Merrow,	1 25
Dr. P. A. Millington,	13 50
Dr. M. C. Moulton,	8 00
Dr. C. W. Simpson,	12 00
A. M. Morrill, rent	12 00
A. L. Conant, fuel	9 25
	<hr/> \$209 75

## B. A. Lander

Paid L. B. Soper, supplies	\$ 50 22
Bessie Nickse,	4 00
Dr. G. I. Higgins, med. care and hospitalization	140 50
	<hr/> \$194 72
	<hr/> \$2,256 50

## SUPPORT OF POOR—OTHER TOWNS

## Resources

Rec. from Corinna, a/c Raymond Gallison	\$ 41.97	
St. Albans, a/c Charles Pease	20.00	
Dixmont, a/c Henry Day	21.00	
Plymouth	31.89	
Due from Plymouth, a/c Herbert Whiteley	55.12	
Exeter, a/c Richard Melvin	25.00	
Unity, a/c John Smith	1.99	
Springfield, a/c Mrs. Llewellyn Woodard	64.00	
James Shaw	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$265.97

## Expenditures

## Richard Melvin

Paid Dr. G. I. Higgins	\$25.00	
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## Raymond Gallison, Corinna

Paid Dr. C. W. Simpson	\$25.00	
W. A. Smith, fuel	7.00	
Della Stewart, supplies	9.07	
R. M. Merrow, supplies	.90	
	<hr/>	\$41.97

## Charles Pease, St. Albans

Paid J. V. Tedesco, rent	\$20.00	
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## John Smith, Unity

Paid R. H. Frost, supplies	\$ 1.99	
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## Herbert Whiteley, Plymouth

Paid H. L. Turner, milk	\$85.02	
R. H. Frost, supplies	1.99	
	<u>          </u>	\$87.01

## Mrs. Lewellyn Woodard, Springfield

Paid Plummer Mem. Hospital	\$64.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$64.00

## James Shaw, settlement unknown

Paid Dr. P. A. Millington	\$ 5.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 5.00

## Henry Day, Dixmont

Paid A. L. Conant, fuel	\$21.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$21.00
		<u>          </u>
		\$265.97

## INTEREST

## Resources

Appropriation	\$1,900.00	
To summary	106.20	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,006.20

## Expenditures

Paid Newport Trust Co., on bonded debt	\$1,190.00
Newport Trust Co., on armory notes	15.00
Newport Trust Co., on truck notes	64.20
Newport Trust Co., on Ford pumping engine and equipment	180.00
Newport Trust Co., on 1941 temporary loans	265.05

School Dept., on ministerial school fund	144.00	
State of Maine, on State tax	122.95	
Smith, White & Stanley, Inc., 1940 temporary loans	25.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,006.20

### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

#### Resources

Balance from 1940	\$660.75	
	<u>          </u>	\$660.75

#### Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$660.75	
	<u>          </u>	\$660.75

### SCHOOL COMMITTEE — SALARY

#### Resources

Appropriation	\$ 75.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 75.00

#### Expenditures

Paid Charles E. Sheridan	\$ 25.00	
Frank F. Boylan	25.00	
Keith N. Smith	25.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 75.00

### PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

#### Resources

Appropriation	\$150.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$150.00

## Expenditures

Paid State of Maine	\$ 75.00	
Carried to 1942	75.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$150.00

## STATE TAX

## Resources

Appropriation	\$8,762.83	
	<u>          </u>	\$8,762.83

## Expenditures

Paid State of Maine	\$8,762.83	
	<u>          </u>	\$8,762.83

## COUNTY TAX

## Resources

Appropriation	\$2,126.16	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,126.16

## Expenditures

Paid Treasurer of Penobscot County	\$2,126.16	
	<u>          </u>	\$2,126.16

## TOWN DEBT REDUCTION

## Resources

Appropriation	\$4,000.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$4,000.00

## Expenditures

Paid Newport Trust Co.	\$4,000.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$4,000.00



## CEMETERY REPAIRS

## Resources

Appropriation	\$150.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$150.00

## Expenditures

Paid Riverside Cemetery Asso., for care of tomb	\$46.60	
Mrs. Carrie W. Prilay, treas. North New- port Cemetery Asso.	50.00	
Owen Varney, work in East Newport cemetery	26.00	
To summary	27.40	
	<u>          </u>	\$150.00

## FUNDS RECEIVED FOR PERPETUAL CARE

## Resources

Rec'd from the estate of A. C. Bradbury the income from same to be used for per- petual care of the lot in Riverside Cem.	\$100.00	
Rec'd from P. L. Oakes, for perpetual care of the Oakes-Leonard lot in Riverside Cem.	100.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$200.00

## Expenditures

Paid to Newport Trust Co.	\$200.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$200.00

The total of Cemetery Trust Funds left in care of the town is now \$5,775.00.

## INCOME RECEIVED — CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

## Resources

Rec'd from J. O. Gilman, treasurer	\$175.97	
	<u>          </u>	\$175.97

## Expenditures

Paid Riverside Cem. Asso.	\$119.75	
North Newport Cem. Asso.	54.22	
East Newport Cem. Asso.	2.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$175.97

## MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

## Resources

Appropriation	\$50.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$50.00

## Expenditures

Paid H. D. Fernald, American Legion	\$50.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$50.00

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Resources

Appropriation	\$300.00	
Rec'd from State	30.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$330.00

## Expenditures

Paid Myrtle Day, Librarian	\$330.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$330.00

## NEWPORT PUBLICITY BUREAU

Resources		
Appropriation	\$200.00	
	<hr/>	\$200.00
Expenditures		
Paid Newport Publicity Bureau	\$200.00	
	<hr/>	\$200.00

REPORT OF TREASURER  
OF THE NEWPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Resources		
Cash on hand, Feb. 12, 1941	\$ 11.28	
Rec'd from town of Newport	300.00	
from State of Maine	30.00	
from Librarian, fines	42.05	
	<hr/>	\$383.33
Expenditures		
Paid Maine Development Commission, books	\$ 1.25	
Library Book House, books	100.86	
Funk & Wagnalls, books	5.30	
O. W. Austin, books	8.70	
A. L. Freese, books	89.75	
Imperial Book Co., books	14.99	
Blanche Folsom, books	1.00	
Reader's Digest, magazine, 6 mo.	1.00	
Red Book Co., magazine, 2 yrs.	4.00	
National Geographic, magazine, 1 yr.	3.00	
Hearst Magazine Co., Good Housekeep- ing magazine, 2 yrs.	4.50	
Library Bureau Division, supplies	7.50	
Myrtle Day, Librarian, salary, and care of room	130.00	
Cash on hand, Feb. 12, 1942	11.48	
	<hr/>	\$383.33

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN  
OF THE NEWPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Number of books in library, Feb. 12, 1941	4,990
Number of books purchased from town appropriation	174
Books given to library by friends	53
Books purchased with check given by Newport Woman's Club	32
Number of books worn out and lost	94
On hand, Feb. 12, 1942	5,155

The number of books in circulation during the past year was 14,102. Magazines are also loaned after they are taken from the reading table.

The most outstanding gifts of the year were the large number of books (mostly fiction) given by Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Maloney and the check of \$35.00 given by the Newport Woman's Club.

The library was the receiving station for books during the "Victory Book Campaign" to collect gifts of books for the use of soldiers in camps, USO houses, navy men and marines on war vessels, nearly 400 books were collected and sent to headquarters, also large bundles of magazines were sent at an earlier date for their use.

The library has been open every Wednesday afternoon and Saturday evening of each week.

With appreciation for the cooperation of the townspeople toward the library during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRTLE DAY, Librarian.

ABATEMENTS

Resources

Appropriation	\$100.00
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## Expenditures

1941 abatements:		
Elwood Parent, not 21	\$ 3.00	
S. B. Nelson, tractor	7.50	
Glenn Sennett, deceased	3.00	
Wendell Burrill, deceased	3.00	
R. C. Haining, error—assessment	.50	
Thomas Nason, error—assessment	.50	
Lillian Nichols, error—assessment	2.50	
Wilbur Hamilton, army service	3.00	
Wm. C. Taylor, army service	3.00	
Hartley Banton, army service	3.00	
Earl Newcomb, army service	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$32.00
1940 abatements:		
Lillian Nichols, error assessment	\$ 2.00	
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1939 abatements:		
John Yeo, unable to pay	\$14.73	
	<hr/>	\$14.73
Abatements, 1938:		
A. B. Nickerson, unable to pay	\$11.05	
Albion Smith, unable to pay	13.57	
John Yeo, unable to pay	21.86	
	<hr/>	\$ 46.48
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		\$ 95.61
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To summary		4.39
		\$100.00

## Auditor's Report

February 23, 1942

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newport:

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of your 1941 Tax Collector and Treasurer for the municipal year 1941-1942.

The Treasurer's cash account shows a balance of \$ 127.52 consisting entirely of a checking account in the Newport Trust Company verified by a statement issued by the bank at the close of business February 20, 1942.

The Collector's account of uncollected taxes verified by a detail list furnished by the Collector amounts to \$3,042.88 with a further amount of \$227.50 due from the U. S. A. in lieu of taxes. This shows cash receipts totaling \$ 55,827.87, abatements of \$ 32.00, and a transfer to town property of \$ 10.00.

Due to lack of time it is impossible to complete the audit before your annual Town Meeting. However, a complete audit and report will be made in the near future.

Very truly yours,

PAUL A. SMITH

Public Accountant and Auditor

### COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

February 1, 1942

#### ASSETS

Subsidiary Schedules	Feb. 1, 1941	Feb. 1, 1942
Cash on hand	\$ 319 02	\$ 127 52
Uncollected Taxes and Tax Liens		
1941		3,270 38
1940	3,475 87	573 68
1939 Taxes	68 69	23 95
1939 Liens	718 59	175 50

1938 Taxes	49 48	90
1938 Lien, D. E. Cummings Co. (accepted for payment by town appropriation)	1,274 20	1,274 20
1937 Taxes	54 48	
1936 Executions	120 25	
1935	464 02	
1932	171 01	120 01
1932 Tax Deeds	52 57	
1931	24 01	
1930	35 25	
Property acquired by town on liens	313 92	134 26
Accounts Receivable	3,164 79	2,963 19
Due from State Aid and Third Class Rd. accts.	7,583 14	5,983 79
Trust Funds, Cemetery	5,575 00	5,775 00
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Total Assets	\$ 23,464 29	\$ 20,422 38
Overdraft Balances (carried forward)		
Common Schools	2,873 68	3,302 64
High School	4 68	
Supervision	77 63	2 57
Supplies		58 66
Telephone, Lights, Insurance and Water		28 03
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Total Assets & Overdraft Balances	\$ 26,420 28	\$ 23,814 28
NET TOWN DEBT	29,516 86	25,414 76
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	\$ 55,937 14	\$ 49,229 04

## Liabilities

Notes Payable	\$ 15,000 00	\$ 10,500 00
Bonds Payable	32,000 00	28,000 00
Ministerial School Fund	2,400 00	2,400 00
Teachers' Retirement Fund, balance	186 30	139 45

Old Age Assistance	660 75	
Trust Funds, Cemetery, Reserve	5,575 00	5,575 00
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Total Liabilities	\$55,822 05	\$46,814 45
Unexpended Balances (carried forward		
Public Health Nursing		75 00
High School		92 10
Text Books	14 39	
Supplies	16 41	
Repairs	4 54	280 21
Tel. Lts, Ins. Water	79 75	
Out of School Youth, Training Course		1,967 28
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	\$55,937 14	\$49,229 04

ANALYSIS OF CHANGE IN NET TOWN DEBT  
February 1, 1942

Net debt, Feb. 1, 1941		\$29,516 86
Decrease		
Yearly payment on debt	4,000 00	
Net unexpended balances	883 43	
	<hr/>	\$4,888 43
Increase		
1937 Taxes	\$ 54 48	
1936 Executions	100 00	
1935 Executions	464 02	
1932 Executions	51 00	
1932 Tax Deeds	52 57	
1931 Tax Deeds	24 01	
1930 Tax Deeds	35 25	
	<hr/>	781 33
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Net decrease in town debt, Feb. 1, 1942		\$4,102 10
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Net town debt Feb. 1, 1942		\$25,414 76



# Treasurer's Report

FEBRUARY 1, 1942

## Taxes:

Current year	\$ 55,827 87	
Prior years and tax liens	3,458 59	
Excise Tax 1941	3,993 39	
Total from Town	—————	\$ 63, 279 85

## Fees, Licenses, Permits:

Dog Licenses	\$ 185 60	
Fireworks' Licenses	18 00	
Victualers' Licenses	5 00	
Amusement Licenses	59 50	
Total from Fees, etc.	—————	\$ 268 10

## Departmental Receipts:

From State, Highways	\$ 4,378 02	
Charities	2,333 44	
Library	30 00	
Railroad & Telegraph Tax	62 04	
Bank Stock Tax	384 67	
Dog Licenses Refunded	83 67	
Armory Rental	200 00	
Education	3,203 87	
School Defense Training Program	3,008 88	
Total from State	—————	\$ 13,684 59

## From other sources:

Highways	481 44	
Charities	313 07	
Education	4,048 84	
Miscellaneous	1,510 03	
Total from other sources	—————	\$ 6,353 38

Interest:		
On Trust Funds	\$ 175 97	
Total from Interest	_____	\$ 175 97
1941 Temporary Loans	\$ 30,000 00	
Total from Loans	_____	\$ 30,000 00
Trust Funds:		
Cemetery	200 00	
Total from trust funds, cem.	_____	\$ 200 00
Total receipts all sources		\$ 113,961 89
Cash Balance beginning of year		319 02
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Total Available		\$ 114,280 91
Total Warrants Paid		114,153 39
		_____
Cash Balance, Feb. 1, 1942		\$ 127 52

SUMMARY OF OVERDRAFT  
AND UNEXPENDED BALANCES  
Feb. 1, 1942

	Overdrafts	Unexpended
Interest	\$106 20	
Town Charge Account	174 25	
Fire Dept.	85 88	
Abatements		\$ 4 39
Highways and Bridges		7 46
Sewers and Catch Basins		2 10
Snow Removal	516 09	
Maint. St. Aid and State Hgh.		159 80
Sidewalks		74
Cemetery Repairs		27 40
Support of Poor-Town	672 81	
Overlay		2,236 76
Net unexpended balance carried to town debt	883 43	
	_____	_____
	\$2,438 65	\$2,438 65

## SCHEDULE OF ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

February 1, 1942

Palmyra, 1938 fires	\$80 00	
Dixmont, balance due on 1939 fire	2 00	
Exeter, tuition	110 00	
Exeter, acct Richard Melvin, 1939, 40	42 42	
Jonesport, acct Fannie Norton, 1936, 7, 8	337 45	
Brewer, acct Fred DeBeck, 1937, 8	19 94	
Stetson, acct Lewis Cross, 1923, 8, 9, 1930	132 71	
Atkinson, acct Percy Brown, 1933, 4	115 34	
Harry Lyons	3 40	
Montville, acct Arnold Luce, 1940	10 14	
Unity, acct J. F. Smith	1 99	
James Shaw	5 00	
Springfield, acct Mrs. Lewellyn Woodward, 1940	64 00	
Plymouth, acct. Herbert Whitley, 1941	55 12	
Wood Acct.	177 11	
Hall Rental	30 00	
State of Maine, Armory Rental	100 00	
State Poor, Fuel, 1941	60 50	
Special Resolve, 1941	267 05	
Snow Fence Rental, 1941	174 00	
Plowing and Sanding, 1941	759 38	
State Poor, 1941	168 44	
Sewer Abutters	247 20	
Total Accounts Receivable	—————	\$ 2,963 19

## TEMPORARY LOANS

## Resources

Newport Trust Co.	\$ 30,000 00	
	—————	\$ 30,000 00

## Expenditures

Paid Newport Trust Co.	\$ 19,500 00	
Outstanding Feb. 1, 1942	10,500 00	
	—————	\$ 30,000 00

SALE OF PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY TOWN  
ON TAX LIENS

George Gray property sold to Nathan F. Gray	\$ 39 05	
Goodwin property sold to P. E. Cary	189 66	
	\$ 228 71	

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Commitment to Collector	\$ 58,044 75	
Supplemental Tax	1,095 50	
Total Commitment	\$ 59,140 25	
Collections	\$ 55,827 87	
Abatements	32 00	
Property Acquired on Liens	10 00	
Credit to Collector	\$ 55,869 87	
Uncollected Real Estate, Personal Estate Poll Taxes	3,270 38	
Total Credit to Collector	\$ 59,140 25	

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of the Town  
of Newport:

I herewith submit my first annual report of the progress and  
conditions of your schools.

## Teachers

Because of the large number of new teachers in town this year, I am enclosing the following statistical chart:

## Elementary Teachers

School	Teacher	Training	Years Exp'nce	Years in present position	No. of Pupils
Grade 8	Ashley Webster	Castine	12	1st	41
Grades 6 & 7	Charlotte Folsom	Castine	1	1st	42
Grades 5 & 6	Anne Fickett	Castine	16	3rd	44
Grades 3 & 4	Geraldine Smith	Farmington	18	4th	42
Grade 2	Grace Fickett	Castine	19	3rd	36
Grade 1	Vivian Grant	Farmington	9	3rd	30
Sub-Primary	Faith St. Germain	Machias	0	1st	35
East Newport Gr.	Lillace Richardson	A. S. N. S.	9	1st	16
East Newport Pr.	Margaret Ambrose	Lesley (Mass.)	0	1st	23
Coburn School	Ellen Burt	Browning (Mass.)	1	1st	20
Hubbard School	Mary Bray	Castine	1	2nd	9

## Secondary Teachers

Prin. Math., Sci.	Rodney Wyman	Colby	14	1st
Social Science	Edward Wellman	Bates	1	1st
Commercial	Madeline Hall	M. S. of C.	18	12th
Agriculture	Clayton Storer	Maine	13	1st
Languages	Genevieve Hawkins	Bates	1	1st
English	Edith Chase	Colby	17	1st
Home Economics	Maxine Knights	Maine	0	1st
Music Supervisor	Gertrude Thorne	N. E. Cons. of Mu.	26	6th

## Improvements

At the beginning of this school year a new school bus was purchased. This was a real necessity as the old bus was badly in need of repairs, was too small, and in many other ways inadequate.

The schools on a whole are very well equipped with necessary and modern textbooks. A new history series was purchased for the middle grades in the grade building, and new literature readers were purchased for the village eighth grade. New World Book Encyclopedias were purchased by the Grammar School fund.

Several minor repairs were made in all school rooms during the summer months. Also new storm windows were purchased for the subprimary room. In the High School building the walls of some of the rooms and corridors were painted. A new door was constructed at the rear of the grade building.

Miss Mary C. Hayes has served very faithfully and successfully as public health nurse this year. The part of the Public Health Nurse in the school health program is to serve in an advisory capacity, to suggest sources of authentic material for health teaching, to suggest means of correlating health teaching with regular school curriculum and to assist in the control of communicable diseases. Visits by the Health Nurse were made to pre-school children, prenatal patients, school children, and crippled children. Tuberculosis work was done and the audiometer was used in all Newport schools.

With the Parent-Teachers' Association as sponsor, with Mrs. Florence Millington as committee chairman, a school lunch project is being carried on very successfully in the Old Armory. About 120 pupils are being fed daily.

### Needs

A new basic reading system is needed in our schools. More and more emphasis is being placed on reading in all modern school systems. The pupil is taught to read and to read to understand before anything else. Remedial reading classes are being carried on in the grade school with marked success.

Of course at present it would be impossible to begin a building program or an enlarging of our school buildings. But because of the crowded conditions of our schools, we should be looking to the future with plans for improvements.

Our High School is handicapped by having a poorly arranged and very poorly stocked science laboratory. This could gradually be improved at not too great an expense to the town.

## Finances

Our greatest need at the present time is to raise our salary schedule. A genuine scarcity of experienced teachers and a marked increase of living costs necessitate this.

The Superintending School Committee has approved the following budget:

### COMMON SCHOOLS

Instruction	\$8,249
Conveyance and Liability	2,227
Janitors and Cleaning	650
Fuel	700
	\$11,826
Less Tuition, state, interest	2,600
	\$9,226

### HIGH SCHOOL

Instruction	\$8,524
Janitor and Cleaning	460
Fuel	600
	\$9,584
Less tuition \$2,800, subsidy \$500	3,300
	\$6,284
Necessary for High School	\$6,284
School Bus Acct., Payment and Interest	620
Supplies	800
Textbooks	800
Telephone, Water, Lights, Insurance	825

Repairs	500
Supervision	560

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TOTAL NECESSARY APPROPRIATION \$19,615

At this time I wish to express my appreciation to our former superintendent, Mr. Ray Robinson, for his kind assistance and cooperation.

In closing, I wish to express to the school and town officials and citizens of Newport my appreciation for the cooperation and support extended me.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD LIBBY,  
Supt. of Schools.

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## FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

### Common School Account

#### Resources

Appropriation March 3, 1941	\$7,944.00	
State School Fund	2,566.48	
Tuition Received:		
Town of Palmyra	78.00	
Interest on School Fund	144.00	
		<hr/> \$10,732.48

#### Expenditures

Teachers' Salaries	\$7,050.90
Conveyance	2,542.74



Janitors	617.74	
Fuel	950.06	
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Expenditures	\$11,161.44	
Deficit, 1941	2,873.68	
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Total Expenditures	\$14,035.12	
Deficit, 1942	3,302.64	
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		\$10,732.48

## Teachers:

Clifford McLaughlin	\$ 604.53
Ashley Webster	432.32
Mildred Chase	259.20
Charlotte Folsom	360.00
Anne Fickett	560.00
Geraldine Smith	560.00
Grace Fickett	560.00
Vivian Grant	630.00
Hazel Swan	240.00
Faith St. Germain	320.00
Elizabeth Hammond	238.00
Lillace Richardson	320.00
Madelyn Bell	240.00
Margaret Ambrose	320.00
Mary Bray	547.60
Lois Henniger	240.00
Ellen Burt	320.00
Gertrude Thorne	216.00
Marguerite Cookson	27.00
Madeline Hall	33.75
Substitutes	22.50

## Conveyance:

Jack Bolwell	420.00
Fred Creighton	430.00

Mrs. Frank Boylan	350.00
Mrs. C. A. Harris	315.00
J. P. Bryson	210.00
Friend & Friend	559.72
Town of Newport	74.61
Charles Gould	4.00
Perley E. Cary	179.41

## Janitors:

Tom Harris	384.00
Doris Coburn	35.00
Mrs. M. O. Pettingill	70.00
Robert Gray	15.00
Stanley Boylan	1.00
Mary Bray	20.00
Ivan Gray	3.50
Leona Gray	5.00
Evelyn Tuttle	30.62
Minnie Townsend	30.62
Mrs. Frank Boylan	23.00

## Fuel:

Judkins & Gilman	790.56
L. W. Titcomb	2.00
Fred Worthen	55.00
Banton Bros.	17.50
Fred Braley	8.00
Arthur E. Darling	77.00

## HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

## Resources

Appropriation March 3, 1941	\$5,000.00
State of Maine, Agriculture	295.06
State of Maine, Home Economics	320.00

## Tuition from:

Town of Detroit	231.50	
Town of Plymouth	1,034.95	
Town of Etna	1,048.00	
Town of Dixmont	44.00	
Town of Palmyra	644.00	
Town of Burnham	82.33	
Town of Stetson	76.00	
Mrs. Lettie Cox	34.00	
Earl Weymouth	17.00	
	<hr/>	\$8,826.84

## Expenditures

Deficit Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 4.68	
Teachers' Salaries	8,106.59	
Janitors	436.89	
Fuel	186.58	
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Total Expenditures		\$8,734.74
Balance Unexpended		92.10
	<hr/>	\$8,826.84

## Teachers:

Stanley Clement	\$ 800.00
Rodney Wyman	1,000.00
William Hatfield	533.44
Edward Wellman	666.60
Avery Rich	265.30
Frank DeWitt	482.60
Clayton Storer	555.20
Laura Pratt	350.00
Edith Chase	500.00
Marie Buzzell	395.00
Genevieve Hawkins	500.00

Madeline Hall	827.70
Joy Seferlis	400.00
Maxine Knights	500.00
Gertrude Thorne	216.00
Marguerite Cookson	27.00
Madeline Hall	33.75
Substitutes	54.00

## Janitors:

Tom Harris	384.85
Minnie Townsend	25.02
Evelyn Tuttle	25.02
George Derby	2.00

## Fuel:

W. H. Sullivan	4.25
Banton Bros.	12.50
Fred A. Craig	169.83

## SUPPLIES ACCOUNT

## Resources

Balance Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 16.41	
Appropriation March 3, 1941	800.00	
Town of Detroit, Supplies	35.05	
Town of Plymouth	35.90	
Ray Robinson, Supt., Supplies Sold	5.00	
Refund—Fox & Ginn	.88	
Howard Libby, Supt., Supplies Sold	2.90	
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Total Receipts		\$896.14
Amount Overdrawn Feb. 1, 1942		58.66
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		\$954.80

## Expenditures

High School	\$532.13	
Common School	422.67	
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## TEXTBOOK ACCOUNT

## Resources

Balance Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 14.39	
Appropriation March 3, 1941	800.00	
E. E. Babb & Co., Defective Book	1.41	
Payment on Workbooks	21.82	
	<hr/>	\$837.62

## Expenditures

High School	\$417.25	
Common School	420.37	
	<hr/>	\$837.62

## TELEPHONE, WATER, LIGHTS, INSURANCE ACCOUNT

## Resources

Balance Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 79.75	
Appropriation March 3, 1941	825.00	
Town of Corinna, telephone calls	11.18	
Telephone calls	5.33	
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Total Receipts		\$921.26
Amount Overdrawn, Feb. 1, 1942		28.03
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		\$949.29

## Expenditures

High School	\$457.80	
Common School	491.49	
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## REPAIRS ACCOUNT

## Resources

Balance Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 4.54	
Appropriation March 3, 1941	1,000.00	
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## Expenditures

High School	\$ 358.05	
Common School	366.28	
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Total Expenditures		724.33
Balance Unexpended Feb. 1, 1942		280.21
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		\$1,004.54

## SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

## Resources

Appropriation March 3, 1941	\$631.00	
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## Expenditures

Ray Robinson, Supt. of Schools	\$277.82	
Howard Libby, Supt. of Schools	278.12	
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Expenditures		\$555.94
Deficit, 1941		77.63
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Total Expenditures		\$633.57
Deficit, 1942		2.57
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		\$631.00

## DEFENSE TRAINING SCHOOL

## Resources

Appropriation March 5, 1941	\$599.40	
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## Expenditures

Eugene Russell	\$228.00	
R. I. Mitchell, Inc.	156.56	
Avery Rich	25.90	
Frank DeWitt	12.00	
Russell's Garage	13.51	
Gulf Service Station	1.98	
State Treasurer	161.45	
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		\$599.40

## OUT-OF-SCHOOL YOUTH DEFENSE COURSE

## Resources

Appropriation Dec. 11, 1941	\$ 925.00	
Additional Appropriation	1,484.48	
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		\$2,409.48

## Expenditures

Judkins & Gilman Co.	\$442.20
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Total Expenditures	\$ 442.20
Unexpended Balance	1,967.28
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	\$2,409.48

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### REPORT OF HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby am pleased to submit the annual report as Principal of Newport High School. The enrollment because of chances for employment due to existing conditions has decreased. The decrease for the nation as a whole ranges from 10% to 15% varying in different sections.

By classes our enrollment for this year was:

	Boys	Girls	Total
Seniors	16	15	31
Juniors	21	18	39
Sophomores	15	25	40
Freshmen	23	23	46
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	75	81	156

Enrollment by courses of study:

	Coll.	Gen.	Com.	Agri.	H. Ec.
Seniors	3	16	8	1	3
Juniors	3	31	3	1	1
Sophomores	4	31	3	2	0
Freshmen	7	17	13	6	3
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	17	95	27	10	7



There is a large number of students taking Social Sciences and History. This is evidence that this school has a well balanced program in this field and is trying to enable its students to become good citizens. This part of the curricula cannot be over-emphasized at the present stage of world affairs.

You will note that there has been a steady increase in enrollment in Home Economics and Agriculture during the past three years. This, I believe, is due to two causes, first the quality of course offered and second the present trend toward vocational training.

The number of students taking guidance is increasing each year. This denotes a real interest of our boys and girls to really find their place in this world.

The following enrollment by subjects will clarify the above mentioned statements: English 156 (four classes); History 45 (World and American); Social Sciences 73 (Prob. of Dem. and Civics); Science 94 (General Science, Biology and Physics); Mathematics 37 (Algebra I and Geometry); Guidance 35; French II 11; Latin I 13; Home Economics 53; Agriculture 38; Public Speaking 13; Junior Business Training 29; Bookkeeping 12; Shorthand II 9; Typing I and II 21; Commercial Law and Economic Geography 20; Music 33.

The tuition enrollment is holding up, although the enrollment has decreased by 18 during this year. About one-third of the students are tuition students.

#### Enrollment by towns as of September, 1941:

Burnham	3	Newport	104
Detroit	6	Palmyra	7
Dixmont	3	Plymouth	17
Etna	12	Stetson	3
		Troy	1

#### Enrollment of tuition students by classes:

Seniors 8, Juniors 14, Sophomores 12, Freshmen 18—Total 52.

The classes of Freshmen and Sophomores Home Economics heretofore a combined double period group has been divided into single class periods. This regrouping was necessitated because the present facilities of equipment and space was inadequate to accommodate the students enrolled. This change was made by permission of the State Department of Education. The subject content of the course is unchanged and much emphasis is given to First Aid and Home Nursing because of the existing war conditions.

The course in Guidance for sophomores in order to keep abreast with changing conditions in this new field has been altered since last year. It is divided into three phases of problems. "How to Get the Most Out of School" is taken up during the first quarter. "Personal Analysis," a complete inventory of students' aptitudes and traits, is studied during the second quarter. The third and fourth quarters the students make a complete study of "Everyday Occupations" with emphasis on two or three occupations for which the student is by the analysis wishes to pursue and is within the student's ability and means. Textbooks are used, supplemented with library references.

The guidance offered to the freshmen consists of one period per week, together with personal individual conferences at the beginning and end of year.

Senior guidance is offered once each week, at which plans for employment, further education and graduation are considered. The junior weekly meeting consists of home room activities, class meetings, and plans for further education.

The students from this school who are attending schools of higher learning are doing excellent work, with several on the dean's list.

The motion picture projector given to the schools of this town by the P. T. A. is used by the high school and the grade school weekly. By paying a sum of \$50 to the University of Maine Co-operative Films Association the town schools have the use of two films weekly for 30 weeks. These films are in all subjects in grades

from 1 to 12. I am quite confident in saying that the teachers find very valuable material is given to the students through a medium which is constantly growing in the educational field. Only those who have really seen its use in the classroom can fully realize the amount of information gained by the combination of sight and sound. Several films have been secured for assemblies by each student contributing a small sum. I hope school authorities will consider helping the school finance this program, as it is now a regular part of the present educational set-up in progressive schools.

The clubs and societies have weekly or bimonthly meetings and help to round out a full school program. Cross country was added last fall to our athletic program for those boys not out for football.

The efficient work of the student governing body, the Student Council, continues this year with real interest and responsibility. A member of our council is vice president of the State organization.

Assemblies are held weekly at the town hall. These are student planned and conducted and tend to bring into cognizance many latent abilities of the students.

The interior of the building was cleaned and newly painted this summer. A book shelf has been added to the office to handle traveling libraries and the over-crowded condition of our school library. This work, together with shades at the town hall for day-time projection of films, has been done by the Agricultural boys as a part of their shop work.

Through the cooperation of the family, P. T. A. and school there has been placed in the English room a large picture of Miss Laura E. Pratt. A suitable plaque is on the door to commemorate the services of this teacher who gave all to her profession and whose memory will live in the hearts of the people with whom she came in contact.

Let's remember that during these days of total war we must at all costs operate the schools to the fullest extent of all our means.

The boys and girls we train today become the citizens of tomorrow to whom we throw the torch of our democratic ideals and problems. We cannot fail.

On behalf of the faculty and myself, I wish to thank the townspeople for the cordial hospitality given the new teachers. I wish to express my appreciation to students, faculty, superintendent, school committee and townspeople for their cooperation in making Newport High School a better school.

Respectfully submitted,

RODNEY WYMAN, Principal.

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#### NEWPORT COURSES IN WOOD—METAL—AUTO

Young men from 17 to 24 years old in Newport and neighboring towns may now enroll in courses in woodworking, metal work and auto mechanics. These courses have for their objective the elementary training of young men in the wholesale drive that the whole country is now making to best fit men for the work to which they are adapted. Farms, factories, the army, navy and Marine Corps are crying for trained mechanics. These courses aim to help out in this national emergency. Young men in industry or on farms are urged to avail themselves of this training. Trained instructors for these courses are trained men who are now earning their living doing the kind of work for which they have been engaged to teach.

There is no charge for these courses. Young men are simply asked to be prompt and persistent in attending the courses.

Course will cover 120 hours of intensive instruction. Four or five nights each week with the instruction running from three or four hours per evening.

CLAYTON A. STORER,  
Supervisor of Out-of-School Youth Defense Course.

## REPORT OF MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To the School Board and Supt. of Schools I present a brief report:

Last year I mentioned the fact that there was very little outside Music Study among the children. I am glad to state that there has been a decided change this year. A lot of study has been started in the third grade, where it should start for lasting results. There is also a very little study in the fourth grade, with two new violin pupils in the fifth grade. When they once become enthused over their work, it is easy for parents to keep them at it.

I wish there might be several cornet pupils, also clarinet pupils and two cello pupils, starting at once. I hope the parents will think of this seriously. For a small town Newport has a wonderful opportunity for its children in the way of private teachers.

As to the piano pupils, they are not keeping up as they should, except in a few cases. The trend seems to be—as soon as the pupil can pick out a few popular pieces and fake a bass, he or she is through with study. All the money has been wasted—as this can be done without study—and the pupil has done nothing to add to the school or to his or her full enjoyment or enrichment of life.

Sad as it is, if I take the High School Girls' Glee Club to the Festival this May, I must go out of town for a student pianist to play the accompaniments. Our only pianist to play such is a senior, and deserves to have one year for singing. Thus the loss of a pianist for the Glee Club.

The orchestra does especially well for a small orchestra. The teamwork is what brings them to their present standing as a unit.

From the orchestra with graduation go our only drummer in the schools, three trumpets, one violin and our clarinet. There is a long wait between now and September when the schools begin for another year. Time to start lessons on all these instruments which can be added to the junior orchestra.

I have not mentioned the grade work. Some of the grades are fully up to their grade, other grades are below.

This is no fault of the teachers. I know of no system that has a better music teaching group of teachers than Newport. Perhaps it would be well for the parents to visit a music period and watch these teachers at work.

At the Hubbard school the children are getting much more individual drill than in any other school. There are but nine pupils in the school. With all this extra work, they ought to add greatly to the High School Glee Club.

The Coburn school is doing fine work in music. They try very hard and are up to grade in their fundamentals. Two of the boys go to Newport village each week for private lessons—one piano and the other clarinet. Both are doing fine work.

The upper grades at East Newport have every chance this year for doing a lot in their music. They have a teacher who can give them much. Cooperation on their part now will give them a lot of pleasure in the years to come. I hope they will all make the most of it.

In the primary room they are all below grade, but I hope by spring the fourth grade will be reading much better than at present.

The heavy drill in reading should all be done by the close of the fourth grade. All the hard intervals learned, and sung readily, in all keys.

All this should be done during the ages when the children love drill. Beyond this age it becomes drudgery, unless some pupil is especially interested and determined to learn.

I have enjoyed the work in the schools this year very much. Although there have been many changes in the schools, I have found all very helpful, and I wish to express my appreciation for their splendid cooperation and kindness.

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE THORNE,  
Supervisor of Music.

