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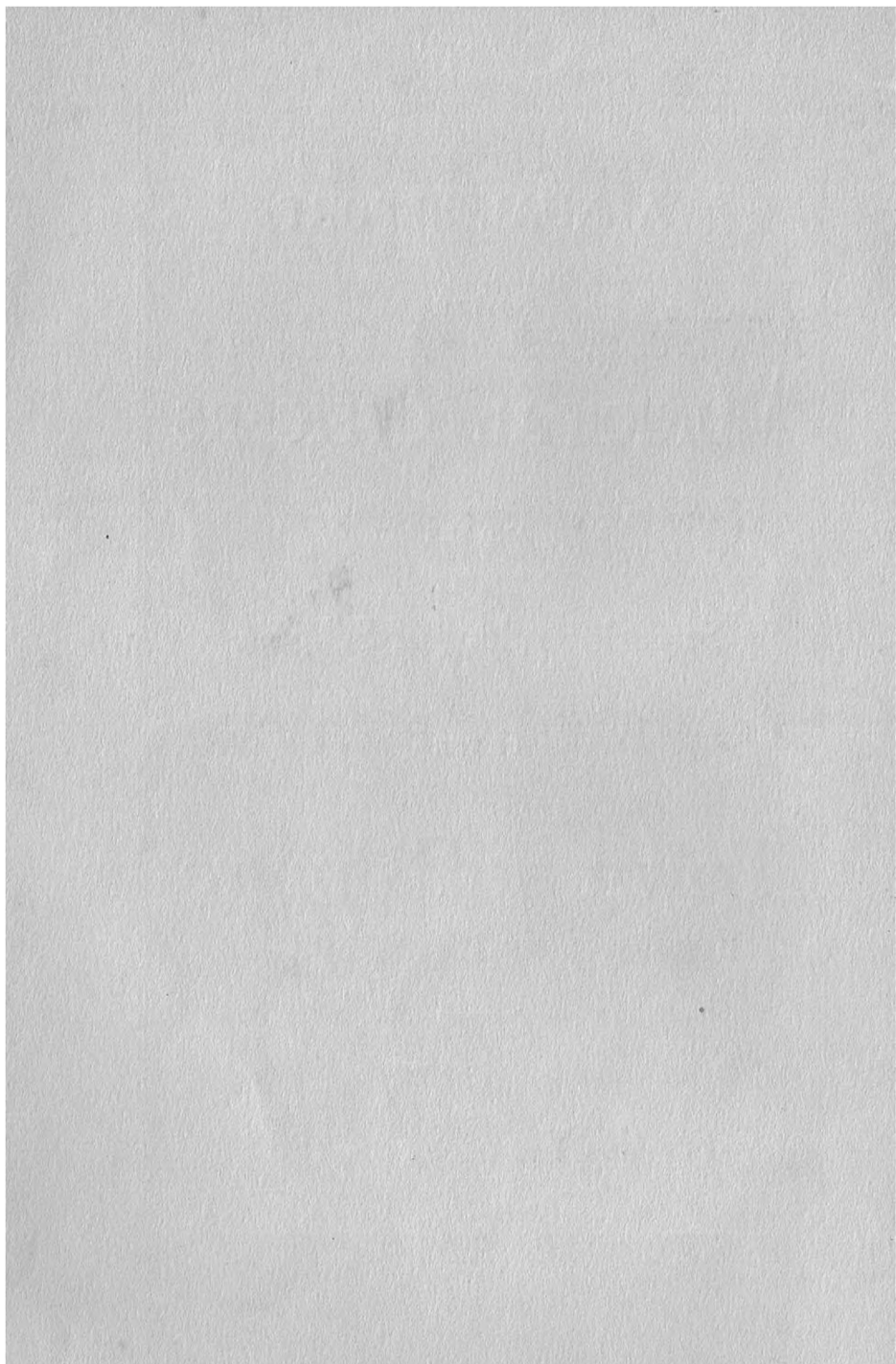
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Town Warrant

SOMERSET, S. S.

STATE OF MAINE

To H. H. Coston, a constable of the town of Palmyra
in the county of Somerset, GREETINGS:

You are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Palmyra qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town House on Monday the sixth day of March A. D. 1933 at ten o'clock A. M. 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 year ensuing.

Art. 3. To hear such reports from the town officers as the town may think proper.

Art. 4. To choose three selectmen, three assessors and three overseers of the poor.

Art. 5. To choose a town treasurer for the year ensuing.

Art. 6. To choose a tax collector and constable or to ascertain in what manner the taxes shall be collected and act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 7. To choose one or more road commissioners or act on anything thereto.

Art. 8. To choose one or more members of the school board.

Art. 9. To choose a fire ward.

Art. 10. To choose one or more members of the cemetery committee.

Art. 11. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to give a discount on taxes paid on June 1st or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 13. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for salary of the superintendent of schools.

Art. 14. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges.

Art. 15. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of schools, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 16. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for high school tuition out of town, or act on anything thereto.

Art. 17. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of public library.

Art. 18. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for a music supervisor in the schools, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the adoption of the State road law necessary to entitle the town to State Aid for the year ensuing.

Art. 20. To see how much money the town will vote to raise under the Three Town Act to build on the road beginning at the Corinna town line near Brawn's Corner and extending in a westerly direction

to St. Albans Village, hence south over Mill Hill to the corner near Alex Foster's residence in Palmyra Village, thence east over Route No. 2 to the corner near the Church, thence north to Sanborn's Corner, thence east to Marsh's Corner, thence south to Newport over Stuart Hill, continuing along Route 104, thence over Route 2 to Hasty Corner so-called, thence westerly to the Plymouth town line.

Art. 21. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to build State Aid road.

Art. 22. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to buy snow fence.

Art. 23. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for State road maintenance.

Art. 24. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for roads and bridges.

Art. 25. To see what action the town will take in regard to breaking roads in winter and raise money for same.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to hire a school physician and raise money for same.

Art. 27. To see how much money, if any, the town will vote to raise to take up outstanding orders on interest.

Art. 28. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for a public health nurse.

Art. 29. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to repair Third Class road.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to repair the "Ringwood Road" so-called, extending from the Hartland and Pittsfield

road past the residence of James Connors towards Douglas Pond, the money to be used to ditch, grade and gravel the road, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money to gravel the "Square Road", so-called, beginning at the Federal road, and extending to the home of P. J. Whitten, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 32. 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 built within the past five years in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 271, P. L. 1931.

Art. 33. To see what sum of money the town will vote to grant and raise to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine.

Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to make temporary loans for the town, to be paid during the current year out of the money raised during the current year by taxes, and the selectmen to issue notes for and in the name of the town for the loans made.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the hereinafter named roads: the road leading over Warren Hill, so-called; the road leading from Charles Cole's toward St. Albans, to St. Albans' town line; the Hubbard road, so-called, beginning at the Hubbard place, extending to the Smith road; the road beginning at the old Gray place, so-called, extending to the road leading by L. J. Pray's; the road leading from Guy Hill corner, so-called, to the rail-

road at Thompson's Crossing, across Nigger Bridge, so-called, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 36. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to repair the "Nigger Bridge", so-called, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to authorize the assessors to rescind any amounts appropriated by the town for State Aid highway construction, in excess of the amount required to meet State apportionments.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to authorize the schoolboard to contract with any school or schools for high school tuition out of town, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 39. To act on any other matters not relative to the raising of money that may lawfully be brought before any town meeting.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Town House at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. Hereof fail not to make due return of said warrant with your doings thereon, on or before the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 23rd day of February A. D. 1933.

O. F. MILLETT.

F. H. FARNUM.

F. W. SEEKINS.

Selectmen of Palmyra.

Dinner will be served in Upper Hall by the Grange at twenty-five cents.

Selectmen's Report

The Municipal Officers and Supt. of Schools herewith submit to the inhabitants of the town of Palmyra their annual report for the year ending February, 1933.

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT

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| Salary of Supt. of schools | \$ 350 00 | |
| Town charges | 2,000 00 | |
| Support of schools | 4,000 00 | |
| Tuition out of town | 3,000 00 | |
| Public Library | 50 00 | |
| School physician | 25 00 | |
| Third Class road maintenance | 600 00 | |
| Summer roads | 1,500 00 | |
| Winter roads | 1,500 00 | |
| State road maintenance | 600 00 | |
| Mount Pleasant cemetery fence | 35 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$13,660. 00 |
| Amount of State tax | \$3,224 81 | |
| Amount of County tax | 859 33 | |
| Amount of Overlayings | 514 60 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,598 74 |

VALUATION OF TOWN FOR 1932

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|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Real estate, resident | \$268,690 00 | |
| Real estate, non-resident | 73,850 00 | |
| Personal tax, resident | 36,401 00 | |
| Personal estate, non-resident | 2,010 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$380,951 00 |

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| Property exempt by State law | \$8,470 00 | |
| We assessed \$46.00 per thousand on \$380,951.00 | | \$17,523 74 |
| We assessed \$3.00 each on 245 polls | | 735 00 |
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| Total amount committed to | | |
| H. H. Coston, collector | | \$18,258 74 |

TOWN CHARGES

Dr.

| | | |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| Amount raised by town | \$2,000 00 | |
| Amount of overlayings | 514 60 | |
| Amount of excise tax | 705 65 | |
| Amount of supplementary tax | 95 55 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,315 80 |

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Paid:

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|--------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Lyda Foster, board of A. A. Mc-Luer | \$25 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 29 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of Lillian Whitman | 11 00 |
| H. C. Goodell, to prevent pauper supplies | 125 00 |
| Fernald Giles, care of Mrs. Southard | 15 00 |
| Mrs. George Trefetherin, care of Mrs. Arthur Deraps | 40 00 |
| Central Maine Power Co., lights for village streets | 20 00 |
| Fernald Giles, care of Mrs. Southard | 6 00 |
| Lyda Foster, board of A. A. Mc-Luer | 20 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 31 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of Lillian Whitman | 10 00 |
| S. S. Salley, sawing and splitting wood for Cora Emery | 1 75 |

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|----------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Frank Withee, wood for Cora Emery | 4 50 |
| L. B. Neal, board of A. A. McLuer | 3 00 |
| Lyda Foster, balance board of A. A. McLuer | 3 25 |
| Minnie Knowles, board of Mrs. Southard | 20 00 |
| Hartland Water Co., water for Cora Emery | 2 75 |
| Central Maine Power Co., lights for Cora Emery | 3 00 |
| Minnie Knowles, board of Mrs. Southard | 5 00 |
| Maurice Sawyer, watching fire at F. A. Pooler's | 8 75 |
| Chas. Patten, watching fire at F. A. Pooler's | 3 75 |
| Dept. of Health and Welfare, mothers' aid | 180 00 |
| Lyda Foster, interest on out- standing order | 25 00 |
| Cora Frost, interest on outstanding order | 50 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 26 00 |
| W. M. Weeks, interest on out- standing orders | 120 00 |
| Lena Draper, interest on outstand- ing order | 25 00 |
| C. D. Draper, interest on outstand- ing order | 50 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 31 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of Lillian Whitman | 8 00 |
| Willis Robinson, cleaning Town Hall | 1 25 |
| W. M. Weeks, interest on out- standing order | 50 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 30 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of Lillian Whitman | 8 00 |

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| Phyllis Long, interest on out- standing order | 75 00 |
| Percy Bragg, board of Lillian Whit- man | 14 00 |
| Agnes Taylor, outstanding order | 100 00 |
| Agnes Taylor, interest on outstand- ing order | 8 20 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 50 00 |
| W. M. Weeks, interest on out- standing order | 50 00 |
| I. W. McCrillis, groceries for Cora Emery | 41 09 |
| D. F. Humphrey, medical supplies to Mrs. Arthur Deraps | 70 |
| Percy Bragg, board of Lillian Whit- man | 10 00 |
| L. H. Barden, supplies to Earl Sherburne | 21 63 |
| Edith Wyman, board of Boody children | 12 14 |
| Hartland and St. Albans Tel. Co. | 18 55 |
| Frank Withee, wood for Cora Emery | 4 50 |
| O. F. Millett, wood for town house | 7 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 30 00 |
| Olive Watson, board of tramps | 1 00 |
| Independent Reporter, printing notices | 1 50 |
| Pittsfield Advertiser, printing town reports and bridge notices | 83 50 |
| Dept. of Health and Welfare, mothers' aid | 20 00 |
| Pittsfield National Bank, interest on loans | 45 00 |
| R. L. Dyer, ballot clerk, three elections | 6 00 |
| Percy Bragg, board of Lillian Whit- man | 16 00 |

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|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| V. L. Packard, supplies to Henry Vance's family | 13 75 |
| Mary Furbush, election clerk, three elections | 6 00 |
| Mrs. George Trefetherin, care of Mrs. Arthur Deraps | 45 00 |
| S. S. Salley, sawing and splitting wood for Cora Emery | 1 50 |
| Cora Frost, election clerk, three elections | 6 00 |
| Pittsfield National Bank, interest on loans | 60 00 |
| L. W. Frost, supplies to Arthur Deraps | 114 78 |
| L. W. Frost, supplies to H. C. Goodell family | 21 48 |
| Central Maine Power Co., village lights | 12 00 |
| Lena Towle, board of A. A. Mc- Luer | 24 00 |
| R. L. Dyer, board of A. A. McLuer | 97 00 |
| W. S. Townsend, heirs, legal advice | 7 00 |
| V. L. Packard, board of Vance family | 20 00 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 20 00 |
| Lilla McCabe, legalizing State and National election papers | 1 00 |
| Lena Towle, board of A. A. McLuer | 20 00 |
| David Turner, four men watching fire at Stanley Bates' | 8 00 |
| V. L. Packard, board of Vance family | 20 00 |
| Percy Bragg, board of Lillian Whitman | 20 00 |
| L. H. Barden, supplies to Cora Emery | 6 60 |

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| L. H. Barden, supplies to Lillian Whitman | 6 50 |
| L. H. Barden, supplies to Henry Vance's family | 5 88 |
| Dr. N. R. Cook, medical attention to Henry Vance's family | 20 00 |
| Dr. N. R. Cook, recording births | 75 |
| Ida Gee, board of M. Howard | 40 00 |
| V. L. Packard, board of Vance family | 21 00 |
| B. L. Palmer, member school committee | 8 00 |
| C. W. Homstead, ballot clerk, three elections | 6 00 |
| Central Maine Power Co., street lights | 12 00 |
| C. E. Cole, abatements for 1931 | 74 00 |
| C. E. Cole, balance of salary for collection for 1931 | 100 00 |
| Augusta Cole, interest on out- standing orders | 240 00 |
| Central Maine Power Co., street lights | 16 00 |
| A. P. Howes, moderator, 1932 | 2 00 |
| A. P. Howes, services on school com- mittee and drawing orders | 18 00 |
| Minnie Knowles, board of Mrs. Southard | 195 00 |
| C. A. Moulton, account Alva Nichols' family | 9 50 |
| C. A. Moulton, account of Mrs. Southard | 3 00 |
| C. A. Moulton, account of Henry Vance's family | 2 00 |
| C. A. Moulton, account of Lil- lian Whitman | 11 00 |
| C. A. Moulton, recording births | 3 25 |

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| C. A. Moulton, account of Mrs. Eva Deraps | 4 00 |
| C. A. Moulton, account of Mrs. Bertha Fitzpatrick | 35 50 |
| Carl Randlett, rent for Alva Nichols | 50 00 |
| G. W. and H. W. Estes, milk for Cora Emery | 4 88 |
| G. W. and H. W. Estes, milk for Henry Vance | 2 27 |
| G. W. and H. W. Estes, milk for Henry Vance | 3 68 |
| Lillian Towle, work on check lists | 3 00 |
| Richard Towle, care of Soldiers' - Monument | 7 00 |
| Richard Towle, cleaning hall | 1 00 |
| Hartland and St. Albans Tel. Co., balance | 5 35 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, account of Arthur Deraps | 63 27 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, account of A. A. McLuer | 16 74 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, account of H. C. Goodell | 18 34 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, account of Leo- pold Gifford | 13 06 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, account of Henry Vance | 51 35 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, flags for Memorial | 8 00 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, stamps and stationery | 3 48 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, supplies to selectmen's office | 8 16 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, Federal tax on checks | 6 16 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, salary as treas- urer | 75 00 |

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| Mrs. L. W. Frost, interest on out- standing orders | 125 00 |
| Nellie J. Leavitt, recording births, marriages and deaths | 14 25 |
| Nellie J. Leavitt, express on bal- lots and postage | 4 00 |
| Nellie J. Leavitt, services as town clerk | 20 00 |
| Loring, Short & Harmon, sup- plies for town clerk and selectmen | 22 65 |
| L. J. Pray, salary, member school committee | 8 00 |
| S. P. Weeks, mowing cemeteries | 39 00 |
| J. A. Young, wood for Arthur Deraps | 9 00 |
| O. F. Millett, services as first selectman | 200 00 |
| F. H. Farnum, services as second selectman | 110 00 |
| F. W. Seekins, services as third selectman | 110 00 |
| H. H. Coston, services as tax collector, 1932 | 232 00 |
| H. H. Coston, abatements | 11 70 |
| H. E. Randlett, supplies to Cora Emery | 1 95 |
| B. W. Hanson, supplies to Lillian Whitman | 9 00 |
| H. B. Towle, account of Mrs. Southard | 2 00 |
| W. M. Weeks, services as health officer | 25 00 |
| Eastern Maine General Hospital, account of Elizabeth Morrison | 99 44 |

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| Town of Pittsfield, account of F. | | |
| C. Pooler fire | 150 | 00 |
| Loans to E. H. Dyer on secured note | 50 | 00 |
| R. R. French, watching fire at F. C. Pooler's | 4 | 00 |
| | <u> </u> | \$4,553 48 |

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS SALARY

| | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|----------|
| | Dr. | |
| Amount raised by town | \$350 | 00 |
| Amount of unexpended | | 02 |
| | <u> </u> | \$350 02 |

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| | Cr. | |
| Paid Perry Shibles | \$166 | 66 |
| Paid W. J. Rideout | 222 | 16 |
| | <u> </u> | \$388 82 |

PAID ON ACCOUNT OF PAUPERS OF OTHER TOWNS

| | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| | Cr. | |
| Paid account of Clarence Sprague | \$276 | 54 |
| Due from Orono, 1931 | 815 | 64 |
| | <u> </u> | \$1,092 18 |

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|---------------------|-----------------|------------|
| | Dr. | |
| Received from Orono | \$934 | 34 |
| Due from Orono | 157 | 84 |
| | <u> </u> | \$1,092 18 |

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|------------------------------|-------|----|
| | Cr. | |
| Paid account of Melvin Boyce | \$137 | 76 |

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|-----------------------|-------|----|
| | Dr. | |
| Due from town of Wade | \$137 | 76 |

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| | Cr. | |
| Paid account of George Hamilton | \$163 | 01 |

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|----------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Due from town of Wade, 1931 | 74 16 | |
| | | \$237 17 |
| | Dr. | |
| Due from town of Wade | | \$237 17 |
| | Cr. | |
| Paid account of Hermon Nichols | | \$185 03 |
| | Dr. | |
| Received from town of St. Albans | | \$185 03 |
| | Cr. | |
| Paid account of Percy Brown | | \$12 60 |
| | Dr. | |
| Due from town of Exeter | | \$12 60 |

PAID ACCOUNT OF STATE PAUPERS

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|--------------------------------|-----|------------|------------|
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid account of Albert Boutler | | \$340 14 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid account of Elisha Gardner | | 250 00 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid acct. of Mrs. Anna Pelkey | | 114 64 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid account of Emma Brewer | | 66 00 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid account of Milon Neal | | 304 31 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid Account of Ernest Emery | | 409 56 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid account of Verne Snowman | | 25 63 | |
| Due from State, 1931 | | 499 26 | |
| | | | \$2,009 54 |
| | Dr. | | |
| Received from State | | \$1,391 33 | |
| Due from State | | 618 21 | |
| | | | \$2,009 54 |

STATE ROAD MAINTENANCE

| | | | |
|-----------------------|-----|----------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Amount raised by town | | \$600 00 | |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid State treasurer | | | \$819 30 |
| Overdrawn | | 219 30 | |

PAID STATE AID ROAD

| | | | |
|------------------------------|-----|------------|--|
| | Cr. | | |
| Amount expended by town, pay | | | |
| rolls on file | | \$1,110 70 | |
| | Dr. | | |
| Amount received from State | | 1,105 64 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| Overdrawn | | \$5 06 | |

THIRD CLASS ROAD AND SPECIAL RESOLVE
ROAD

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|-----------------------------|-----|------------|--|
| | Cr. | | |
| Amount expended by town per | | | |
| pay rolls on file | | \$2,597 11 | |
| | Dr. | | |
| Received from State | | 2,576 28 | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| Overdrawn | | \$20 83 | |

SUMMER ROADS

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----|------------|------------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Amount raised by town | | \$1,500 00 | |
| Amount raised Third Class | | | |
| Maintenance | | 600 00 | |
| Amount received from State | | | |
| 50-50 Maintenance | | 40 50 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$2,140 50 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Paid— | | | |
| Arthur Parsons, labor on highway | | \$ 2 00 | |

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|-----------------------------------------------|----|----|
| Stanley Bates, labor on highway | 13 | 50 |
| P. A. Bradford, labor on highway | 20 | 88 |
| Donald Cole, labor on highway | 85 | 32 |
| Charles E. Cole, labor on highway | 39 | 34 |
| Rufus Humphrey, mowing bushes | 5 | 62 |
| Royal Furbush, labor on highway | 10 | 12 |
| Rufus Humphrey, mowing bushes | 4 | 50 |
| Royal Furbush, mowing bushes | 12 | 37 |
| Arthur Deraps, labor on highway | 4 | 25 |
| V. L. Packard, labor on highway | 8 | 00 |
| V. L. Packard, gravel | 22 | 20 |
| A. J. Towle, labor on highway | 4 | 10 |
| Stanley Cole, labor on highway | 18 | 75 |
| Alex Scott, labor on highway | 5 | 62 |
| Omer Bangs, labor on highway | 3 | 37 |
| Perley Lee, labor on highway | 21 | 12 |
| P. A. Bradford, labor on highway | 66 | 00 |
| Alex Vanadestine, labor on highway | 11 | 25 |
| O. R. Merchant, labor on highway | 8 | 00 |
| James Fitzpatrick, State Aid repair | 10 | 50 |
| Charles Plummer, bridge plank | 37 | 50 |
| Pete Doucette, labor on highway | 2 | 25 |
| Arthur Magnus, labor on highway | 10 | 10 |
| Lyle Dyer, labor on highway | 2 | 25 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 11 | 38 |
| Merle Lanpher, labor on highway | 8 | 00 |
| Selden Lanpher, labor on highway | 7 | 25 |
| Stanley Cole, labor on highway | 1 | 25 |
| Charles E. Cole, labor on highway | 64 | 25 |
| Charles E. Cole, Third Class Main- tenance | 40 | 50 |
| Odel Bryant, labor on highway | 10 | 12 |
| Roland Parsons, mowing bushes | 19 | 50 |
| Perry Furbush, labor on highway | 8 | 00 |
| James Fitzpatrick, labor on highway | 1 | 12 |
| Roland Parsons, mowing bushes | 8 | 50 |
| Ed. Deraps, mowing bushes | 2 | 00 |

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| Odel Bryant, Third Class Maintenance | 9 50 |
| Odel Bryant, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| Stanley Cole, labor on highway | 6 50 |
| Charles E. Cole, labor on highway | 59 58 |
| Merle Lanpher, labor on highway | 14 00 |
| Arthur Parsons, labor on highway | 12 93 |
| Newman Gee, labor on highway | 7 50 |
| S. S. Salley, mowing bushes | 6 50 |
| Hiram Inman, gravel | 18 45 |
| Arthur Deraps, labor on highway | 7 87 |
| Harry Giles, mowing bushes | 10 37 |
| Arthur Deraps, mowing bushes | 4 50 |
| P. A. Jones, mowing bushes | 7 12 |
| R. French, gravel | 6 00 |
| W. O. Morrison, labor on highway | 10 00 |
| W. O. Morrison, labor on highway | 11 25 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 24 00 |
| Harold Estes, Third Class road | 9 00 |
| H. V. Furbush, Third Class road | 13 00 |
| Perry Furbush, Third Class road | 32 00 |
| Perry Furbush, Third Class road | 24 00 |
| W. H. Wyman, mowing bushes | 4 50 |
| Royal Furbush, mowing bushes | |
| Third Class | 7 87 |
| George Corson, labor, Third Class | 6 75 |
| Harold Estes, labor, Third Class | 9 00 |
| Frances Coston, labor, Third Class | 10 12 |
| Eugene Knight, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| J. N. Nichols, mowing bushes, | |
| Third Class | 8 25 |
| Alex Foster, mowing bushes, State Aid | 6 75 |
| Alex Foster, mowing bushes, Third Class | 7 87 |
| Alex Vanadestine, mowing bushes, State Aid | 6 75 |

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| Alex Vanadestine, mowing bushes, Third Class | 7 87 |
| M. W. Vance, labor on State Aid | 3 75 |
| Charles E. Cole, labor on Nigger bridge | 7 50 |
| Charles E. Cole, labor on highway | 32 00 |
| Charles E. Cole, Third Class | 24 00 |
| Manford Brewer, labor on highway | 1 00 |
| Donald Cole, State Aid | 48 00 |
| Bert Wiles, labor, highway | 2 50 |
| Royal Furbush, labor, highway | 1 12 |
| W. H. Wyman, mowing bushes | 5 25 |
| W. A. Clewley, labor on highway | 12 37 |
| J. E. Deraps, mowing bushes | 12 12 |
| W. H. Wyman, mowing bushes | 10 00 |
| Lyle Dyer, labor on highway | 4 50 |
| Stanley Cole, labor on highway | 11 25 |
| Donald Stackpole, labor on highway | 21 00 |
| O. F. Millett, labor on highway | 56 62 |
| Almer Lawrence, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| Miles E. Somers, labor on highway | 3 03 |
| Curtis Ash, labor on highway | 11 00 |
| W. H. Seekins, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| A. J. Towle, labor on highway | 11 90 |
| Stanley Cole, labor on highway | 12 37 |
| Donald Cole, Third Class road | 16 88 |
| Perry Furbush, labor on highway | 20 00 |
| Charles E. Cole, Third Class road | 13 66 |
| Donald Cole, State Aid | 29 37 |
| Donald Cole, labor on highway | 20 00 |
| Jay Young, labor on highway | 6 75 |
| Harry Giles, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| W. A. Clewley, Third Class bushes | 7 87 |
| R. W. Furbush, labor on highway | 3 37 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 20 00 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 24 00 |
| Odel Bryant, labor on highway | 10 12 |

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| Stanley Cole, labor on highway | 5 62 |
| O. R. Merchant, highway and bushes | 40 38 |
| Donald Cole, Third Class | 28 00 |
| Harrison Vanadestine, highway | 3 37 |
| Donald Cole, labor on highway | 20 00 |
| R. W. Furbush, labor on highway | 10 12 |
| A. L. Snowman, lumber, Third Class road | 3 80 |
| George Coran, labor on Third Class road | 9 00 |
| Chas. E. Cole, labor on Third Class road | 30 00 |
| Chas. E. Cole, labor on Third Class road | 34 00 |
| Royal Furbush, labor on Third Class road | 15 75 |
| June Richards, gravel | 41 25 |
| A. L. Snowman, Third Class road | 15 75 |
| J. A. Jones, mowing bushes | 18 50 |
| H. B. Towle, Third Class road | 11 25 |
| J. A. Parkman, mowing bushes | 2 25 |
| A. L. Snowman, lumber, Third Class bridge | 19 55 |
| Donald Cole, labor, Third Class road | 88 00 |
| Royal Furbush, labor, Third Class road | 6 75 |
| Alex Vanadestine, mowing Third Class bushes | 14 62 |
| Alex Foster, mowing Third Class bushes | 14 62 |
| Frances Coston, Third Class road | 9 00 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 24 00 |
| W. H. Allen, labor on highway | 11 25 |
| W. H. Allen, labor on highway | 10 87 |
| Alex Vanadestine, labor on highway | 10 25 |
| Roland Perkins, labor on highway | 4 50 |

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|--------------------------------------------------|-------|
| H. H. Coston, labor on highway | 11 90 |
| Roland Parsons, labor on highway | 2 47 |
| Dwight Pennell, labor on highways | 2 91 |
| Chas. Deraps, labor on highway | 15 00 |
| W. H. Allen, labor on highway | 1 65 |
| G. L. Bryant, labor on highway | 18 33 |
| Casper Bryant, labor on highway | 8 62 |
| Perry Furbush, Jr., Third Class Main- tenance | 26 66 |
| Bert Wiles, labor on highway | 8 00 |
| H. H. Coston, Third Class Mainte- nance | 16 65 |
| H. V. Furbush, labor on highway | 16 88 |
| Edward Fitzpatrick, labor on high- way | 5 00 |
| R. W. Furbush, Third Class Main- tenance | 7 50 |
| Bert Wiles, labor on highway | 17 50 |
| O. W. Somers, labor on highway | 10 75 |
| Linwood Neal, labor on highway | 5 00 |
| Perley Neal, labor on highway | 5 00 |
| E. H. Dyer, labor on highway | 14 50 |
| Perry Furbush, labor on highway | 16 66 |
| W. H. Wyman, labor on highway | 8 25 |
| Chester Boston, labor on highway | 4 50 |
| W. H. Wyman, mowing bushes | 17 25 |
| Perley Neal, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 17 12 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 20 00 |
| Manford Brewer, labor on highway | 2 37 |
| Ivan Fletcher, labor on highway | 4 00 |
| O. F. Millett, gravel | 15 00 |
| Perry Furbush, labor on highway | 20 00 |
| Dwight Pennel, State Aid repair | 2 25 |
| Chester Boston, Third Class Main- tenance | 6 75 |
| S. S. Salley, mowing bushes | 5 75 |

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|----------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Odel Bryant, labor on highway | 4 50 |
| Harry Brackett, gravel | 57 50 |
| Archie Walker, labor on highway | 16 87 |
| Perley Lee, labor on highway | 31 37 |
| Arthur Marson, labor on highway | 13 50 |
| William Graham, labor on highway | 12 37 |
| Bert Deraps, labor on highway | 4 50 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, supplies, highway and bridges | 5 52 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, supplies, highway and bridges | 1 75 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost, supplies, highway and bridges | 20 |
| Arthur Marson, labor on highway | 16 87 |
| Arthur Deraps, labor on highway | 3 00 |
| G. W. Estes, gravel | 11 00 |
| Frank Raymond, labor on highway | 42 50 |
| Arthur Magnus, labor on highway | 2 25 |
| R. E. Cook, labor on highway | 25 36 |
| O. F. Millett, labor on highway and gravel | 79 83 |
| Perley Lee, labor on highway | 30 75 |
| J. B. Lanpher, labor on highway | 8 00 |
| P. A. Jones, labor on highway | 12 00 |
| Merle Lanpher, labor on highway | 3 60 |
| W. H. Wyman, mowing bushes | 10 50 |
| M. W. Vance, labor on State Aid | 3 37 |
| A. R. Burton & Son, supplies for highway | 15 64 |
| W. A. Smith, labor on highway | 24 32 |
| S. S. Salley, labor on highway | 2 00 |
| James Conners, labor on highway | 37 50 |
| V. A. Packard, gravel | 6 00 |
| W. L. Estes, gravel | 8 50 |
| Roland Perkins, labor on highway | 9 56 |
| E. G. Emery, mowing bushes | 7 25 |
| O. W. Somers, labor on highway | 7 50 |

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| W. A. Clewley, mowing bushes and raking rocks | 14 75 | |
| R. A. Stacy, two logs for culvert | 2 00 | |
| H. A. Fletcher, work with road machine and raking rocks | 11 25 | |
| Terance Lawrence, 1931 | 1 50 | |
| Forest Bryant | 10 00 | |
| James Fitzpatrick | 9 00 | |
| R. A. Stacy, lumber for culverts | 5 40 | |
| W. A. Smith | 56 60 | |
| George Rogers | 4 50 | |
| W. E. Leavitt, gravel, 1931 | 6 75 | |
| H. B. Towle, cutting bushes | 5 62 | |
| C. S. Deraps, labor | 28 68 | |
| Lloyd Goodell | 30 00 | |
| | | <hr/> \$2,995 48 |

WINTER ROADS

| | | |
|----------------------------|------------|------------------|
| Amount raised by town | \$1,500 00 | |
| Amount received from State | 974 17 | |
| | | <hr/> \$2,474 17 |

SPRING SNOW

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Paid— | |
| Charles Allen | \$3 30 |
| Alex Scott, sanding hills | 7 67 |
| Archie Bubier, snow work, 1931 | 4 00 |
| John Furbush, snow work | 3 00 |
| P. A. Jones, snow work | 3 00 |
| Odel Bryant, labor on snow fence | 8 00 |
| Odel Bryant, labor on snow fence | 3 37 |
| Arthur Parsons, labor on snow fence | 3 37 |
| Arthur Parsons, labor on snow fence | 2 00 |
| J. A. Parkman, labor on snow | 1 57 |
| Bert Wiles, labor on snow | 4 95 |

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|----------------------------------|--------|----------|
| Odel Bryant, labor on snow | 2 25 | |
| Perry Furbush, labor on snow | 2 00 | |
| Perley Lee, sanding hills | 25 55 | |
| H. H. Turner, sanding hills | 5 00 | |
| Velmen Parsons, labor on snow | 1 95 | |
| Elmer Lawrence, labor on snow | 75 | |
| Donald Snowman, labor on snow | 1 65 | |
| W. D. Snowman, labor on snow | 1 65 | |
| Dana Pennel, labor on snow | 1 65 | |
| Leighton Pennel, labor on snow | 1 65 | |
| Elmer Lawrence, labor on snow | 1 73 | |
| H. H. Coston, labor on snow | 2 93 | |
| Donald Cole, snow fence | 30 00 | |
| R. E. Cook, labor on snow | 3 60 | |
| Royal Furbush, labor on snow | 3 00 | |
| Odel Bryant, labor on snow fence | 5 00 | |
| Odel Bryant, labor on snow fence | 6 00 | |
| Arthur Marson, labor on snow | 5 40 | |
| Weymouth & Russell | 473 14 | |
| Alex Foster, Wyman road | 2 47 | |
| Weymouth & Russell | 365 03 | |
| Ivan Fletcher, sanding | 4 50 | |
| Arthur Marson | 8 50 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$999 63 |

WINTER SNOW

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Weymouth & Russell | \$625 00 | |
| Weymouth & Russell | 900 00 | |
| Alex Scott, sanding hills | 8 32 | |
| P. R. Lee, sanding hills | 26 00 | |
| R. L. Cook | 15 00 | |
| N. D. Stanley, work on snow fence | 6 75 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$2,580 70 |

MOUNT PLEASANT CEMETERY FENCE

Dr.

| | |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Amount raised by town | \$35 00 |
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| Cr. | | |
| Amount paid Mrs. L. W. Frost, | | |
| supplies | \$15 25 | |
| Amount paid S. P. Weeks, labor | 18 00 | |
| | \$33 25 | |

REPORT CEMETERY BOARD FOR THE YEAR

1932

| Name | Amount 1932 | Amount expended 1932 | Total to date |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| W. D. Mitchell | \$54 90 | \$2 00 | \$55 06 |
| J. W. Homstead | 56 75 | 2 00 | 57 02 |
| Lancey Fund | 356 00 | 12 00 | 358 24 |
| D. B. Hilton | 122 00 | 4 00 | 122 88 |
| Stevens & Davis | 54 69 | 2 00 | 56 87 |
| Franklin Grant | 56 72 | 2 00 | 58 08 |
| Webber & Clement | 240 37 | 8 00 | 241 98 |
| C. E. Spollett | 53 00 | 2 00 | 53 12 |
| D. S. Robinson | 108 00 | 4 00 | 108 32 |
| C. M. Jewett | 110 33 | 4 00 | 110 74 |
| G. F. Batchelder | 76 50 | 3 00 | 76 56 |
| Warren Farnum | 66 85 | 2 00 | 67 52 |
| William Sinclair | 51 92 | 2 00 | 51 94 |
| John F. Robinson | 106 34 | 4 00 | 106 59 |
| M. F. Field | 103 00 | 4 00 | 103 14 |
| Hanson & Woodbury | 103 00 | 4 00 | 103 15 |
| H. M. Johonnett | 50 00 | 2 00 | 50 00 |
| David Sanford | 101 00 | 4 00 | 101 04 |
| William Tibbetts | 208 00 | 8 00 | 208 32 |
| Henry Shaw | 50 00 | 2 00 | 50 00 |
| Howard Estes | 50 00 | 2 00 | 50 00 |
| Michael Dyer | 213 00 | 8 00 | 213 52 |
| Emma Stacy | 101 00 | 4 00 | 101 04 |
| Badger & Ross | 101 00 | 4 00 | 101 04 |
| Augusta Cole | 50 00 | 2 00 | 50 00 |
| W. A. Blaisdell | 101 00 | 4 00 | 101 04 |

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|--------------------|--------|------|--------|
| J. P. Longley | 100 00 | 4 00 | 100 00 |
| Thomas Millett | 100 00 | 4 00 | 100 00 |
| Mrs. Herbert Keene | 108 00 | | 112 32 |

\$3,069 53

Paid S. P. Weeks, care of lots \$109 00

A. P. HOWES.

S. P. WEEKS.

Cemetery Committee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOLS

COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Receipts

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|----|----------|------------|
| Balance February, 1932 | \$ | 221 86 | |
| Appropriation | | 4,000 00 | |
| State School Fund | | 1,780 57 | |
| State Equalization Fund | | 238 00 | |
| Interest on Local School Fund | | 69 80 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$6,310 23 |

Expenditures

| | | |
|---------------|------------|------------|
| Teachers | \$3,572 00 | |
| Janitors | 158 55 | |
| Conveyance | 972 00 | |
| Fuel | 198 50 | |
| Supplies | 113 96 | |
| Books | 186 14 | |
| C. S. Tuition | 879 67 | |
| | <hr/> | \$6,080 82 |

Balance unexpended \$229 41

TEACHERS' ACCOUNT

| | | |
|-----------------|----------|------------|
| Stella Gilman | \$220 00 | |
| Doris Fletcher | 198 00 | |
| Lucy Burton | 198 00 | |
| Audrey Lanpher | 555 00 | |
| Dorothy Rollins | 619 00 | |
| Edna Estes | 598 00 | |
| Gertrude Smith | 428 00 | |
| Lena Sperry | 420 00 | |
| Doris Bridge | 336 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,572 00 |

CONVEYANCE ACCOUNT

| | | |
|------------------|----------|----------|
| L. J. Pray | \$244 00 | |
| Sandy Foster | 287 00 | |
| Audrey Lanpher | 199 50 | |
| Edwin Ireland | 78 00 | |
| G. B. Knowles | 24 00 | |
| Merton Nason | 24 00 | |
| Town of Hartland | 93 00 | |
| Ralph Cook | 22 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$972 00 |

JANITOR ACCOUNT

| | | |
|-------------------|---------|--|
| Stella Gilman | \$11 00 | |
| Albert Brewer | 1 50 | |
| Dorothy Rollins | 6 00 | |
| Victory Parsons | 12 00 | |
| Mrs. J. E. Deraps | 23 00 | |

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|--------------------|-------|----------|
| Edna Estes | 18 00 | |
| Mrs. Arthur Magnus | 1 50 | |
| Mary Towle | 26 25 | |
| George Adams | 16 50 | |
| Mrs. F. B. Randall | 8 00 | |
| Stanley Cole | 9 05 | |
| Mrs. Stanley Cole | 3 00 | |
| Irene Fletcher | 4 00 | |
| A. B. Deering | 3 00 | |
| Lena Sperry | 15 75 | |
| | <hr/> | \$158 55 |

FUEL ACCOUNT

| | | |
|-------------------|----------|----------|
| Charles Cole | \$134 00 | |
| Frank Withee | 7 50 | |
| Perley Neal | 10 00 | |
| Roland Wiles | 5 00 | |
| Harold Estes | 5 00 | |
| Clyde Lewis | 4 00 | |
| Ord K. Fuller | 1 50 | |
| E. G. Emery | 5 00 | |
| Wilfred Deraps | 2 00 | |
| George Adams | 3 00 | |
| Mrs. J. E. Deraps | 50 | |
| Hollis Weeks | 21 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$198 50 |

SCHOOL SUPPLIES ACCOUNT

| | |
|-------------------|-------|
| Grace A. Rogers | \$ 90 |
| Newell White | 4 75 |
| Shattuck and Rice | 10 87 |
| Howard and Brown | 5 40 |
| Herbert L. Palmer | 48 |

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|---------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Perry F. Shibles | 8 25 | |
| A. R. Burton & Son | 19 | |
| Milton Bradley Co. | 17 21 | |
| Papercrafters, Inc. | 17 92 | |
| Edward E. Babb & Co. | 8 85 | |
| The A. N. Palmer Co. | 7 00 | |
| Kenney Bros. & Wolkins | 7 10 | |
| W. J. Rideout | 11 62 | |
| A. W. Lander, printer | 1 50 | |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost | 8 05 | |
| The Pittsfield Advertiser, Inc. | 3 87 | |
| | <hr/> | \$113 96 |

BOOK ACCOUNT

| | | |
|------------------------|----------|----------|
| American Book Co. | \$ 29 49 | |
| Ginn & Co. | 101 95 | |
| Lyons & Carnahan | 14 42 | |
| World Book Co. | 27 37 | |
| Charles E. Merrill Co. | 12 91 | |
| | <hr/> | \$186 14 |

COMMON SCHOOL TUITION ACCOUNT

| | | |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Town of Hartland | \$432 00 | |
| Pittsfield School Dept. | 152 67 | |
| Town of Newport | 295 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$879 67 |

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION ACCOUNT

| | | |
|-------------------|------------|------------|
| | Receipts | |
| Appropriation | \$3,000 00 | |
| State School Fund | 700 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,700 00 |

| Expenditures | |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| Overdraft, February, 1932 | \$ 131 63 |
| Maine Central Institute | 2,600 00 |
| Hartland Academy | 621 25 |
| Town of Newport | 412 50 |
| | <hr/> \$3,765 38 |
| Overdraft | <hr/> \$65 38 |

SCHOOL REPAIRS ACCOUNT

| Receipts | |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| Balance, February, 1932 | \$174 08 |
| Expenditures | |
| Ernest Leavitt | \$35 56 |
| Mrs. F. B. Randall | 12 50 |
| C. W. Homstead | 32 94 |
| Hartland Hardware | 1 25 |
| S. G. Adams Co. | 8 75 |
| Mrs. L. W. Frost | 23 55 |
| | <hr/> \$114 55 |
| Balance unexpended | <hr/> \$59 53 |

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT FUND

| Receipts | |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| Balance, February, 1932 | \$11 61 |
| Expenditures | |
| | 00 00 |
| Balance unexpended | <hr/> \$11 61 |

SCHOOL MUSIC ACCOUNT

| | | Receipts | |
|-------------------------|--|--------------|---------|
| Balance, February, 1932 | | \$146 40 | |
| | | Expenditures | |
| Grace A. Rogers | | 88 00 | |
| Balance unexpended | | | \$58 00 |

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN ACCOUNT

| | | Receipts | |
|--------------------|--|--------------|---------|
| Balance, 1932 | | \$15 00 | |
| Appropriation | | 50 00 | |
| | | \$65 00 | |
| | | Expenditures | |
| Dr. A. A. Moulton | | 50 00 | |
| Balance unexpended | | | \$15 00 |

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of Palmyra:

I herewith submit my report of the condition and
progress of your schools.

My service covers the period from July 1 to date.
This time has been spent largely in becoming ac-
quainted with the school situation. I found the schools
for the most part well up to grade, and both teachers
and pupils doing good work. This speaks well for
the previous administration of the schools.

The following table shows the schools maintained
during the current school year, names of teachers,
wages per week, and enrollments.

| School | Teacher | Wages | Enrollment |
|---------|-----------------|---------|------------|
| Adams | Doris Bridge | \$16 00 | 21 |
| Carr | Gertrude Smith | 12 00 | 18 |
| Egypt | Audrey Lanpher | 17 00 | 21 |
| Ell | Edna Estes | 18 00 | 27 |
| Gale | Dorothy Rollins | 19 00 | 30 |
| Village | Lena Sperry | 20 00 | 41 |

Of the above teachers all taught in town last year
except Miss Sperry and Mrs. Bridge. All of the teach-
ers are receiving lower wages than last year but the
wages have been higher than would otherwise have
been possible because of a grant from the State
Equalization Fund for the purpose of maintaining
higher wage scales. It will be noted that Miss Sperry
has done the work of two teachers at the Village at
a saving of \$18 per week over last year.

Conveyance

Owing to the necessity of carrying more pupils and longer distances there has not been as much saving in conveyance as was planned. L. J. Pray had \$8 during the fall term and because of two additional children and increased distance has had \$9 per week during the winter. Sandy Foster has been paid \$10 per week for conveyance from the Pittsfield line to the Village. Audrey Lanpher had \$5 per week during the early fall and \$7.50 thereafter, owing to increased distance. Pupils on the upper Pittsfield road attending Hartland are carried in the Hartland bus at the low cost of \$3 per week. Mrs. Edwin Ireland was allowed \$3 per week for the conveyance of her children to the Gale school, and R. E. Cook was allowed \$1.50 for conveyance to the same school.

Repairs

The principal items of repair work were the painting of the Egypt schoolhouse and the painting and papering of the large room at the Village, which was in an extremely tattered and dingy condition. This building should be shingled next summer. Caution signs were purchased for this school, and also for the Adams.

School Physician

The work of Dr. Moulton, School Physician, is to be highly commended. The routine examinations are of great culmulative value over a period of years. His action in one school where there was an outbreak of a contagious skin disease this fall, saved far more than the whole salary paid for the year. In times like these I do not believe a town can afford to be without a School Physician.

High School Tuition

The high school tuition bill has been the highest ever, owing to the presence of large numbers of pupils in secondary schools. During the fall there were 29

enrolled at M. C. I., 12 at Hartland Academy and 6 at Newport High. Tuition at M. C. I. is \$100 per pupil and at Hartland and Newport is \$75. We have been assured that tuition costs at Hartland and Newport will be less next year. It is indicated that there will be no change at M. C. I. Probable cost to the town for next year at present rates would be \$3600.

The Coming Year

The school accounts were closed at the end of 32 weeks in order to avoid any danger of an overdraft. To maintain the usual 34 weeks on the present cost basis would require an appropriation of \$4,300. The Committee and Superintendent are agreed that costs must be lower next year but are also faced by the fact that the State School Fund will be 20 per cent less. Careful study of the situation indicates that it will be necessary to raise \$4,000 in order to maintain 34 weeks of school. The cost of current running expenses of the schools per week is \$140.50 at the present time. This does not include fuel, textbooks, supplies and common school tuition, which are virtually fixed charges and amount to \$1,200.

It has always been considered that the first duty of a community is to its children. They are in no wise responsible for the difficulties in which we find ourselves at this time. Let us not become panic stricken. Let us be willing to make every sacrifice in order that the children may not unduly suffer in their educational privileges.

Conclusion

In closing this report I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the school committee, parents, teachers and pupils and to Mr. Perry F. Shibles for their helpful cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER J. RIDEOUT,

Superintendent of Schools.

To the Superintending School Committee of the town
of Palmyra, Me.:

The following is my report of your pupils and
school property for the school year 1932-33.

Whole number pupils registered:

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|---------|----------|-----------|
| Boys 81 | Girls 69 | Total 150 |
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Whole number pupils examined:

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|---------|----------|-----------|
| Boys 78 | Girls 66 | Total 144 |
|---------|----------|-----------|

Number found with following defects:

| | |
|------------------------|----|
| Care of teeth and gums | 3 |
| Vision | 5 |
| Hearing | 3 |
| Teeth | 54 |
| Tonsils | 19 |
| Adenoids | 14 |
| Skin | 3 |
| Weight | 17 |
| Pulse | 2 |
| General condition | 6 |

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|-------|-----|
| Total | 126 |
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| Corrections for year | 11 |
|----------------------|----|

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| Number reported for treatment | 58 |
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| Number 100 per cent pupils | 61 |
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Average physical rank per school:

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|-----|------|
| Ell | 97.6 |
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|---------|------|
| Village | 97.9 |
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|-------|-----|
| Adams | 98. |
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| Egypt | 98.5 |
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| Gale | 98.3 |
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| Carr | 98.6 |
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The school buildings are maintained at a little
higher level for the last two years, advancing from
71 to 79.1 per cent, neat and with an effort on the

part of the teachers to make them attractive. Two or three of the outside platforms and steps are not quite safe under some conditions that prevail about a school building.

Yours respectfully,

C. A. MOULTON, School Physician.

PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------|---------|
| Amount raised by town | \$50 00 | |
| Amount from State | 5 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$55 00 |
| Contra | | |
| Order for care of library | \$45 00 | |
| Order for books | 10 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$55 00 |

The past year fifty-nine new books have been given to our library as gifts from friends.

Mrs. Carl Draper, three volumes; Sanger Cook, sixteen volumes; Mrs. R. A. Stacy, two volumes; Belcher Library, Gaysville, Vt., thirty-eight volumes.

Mrs. Margaret Porter has sent many nice magazines, also McCall's for the year, which are all appreciated.

MARY F. JOHONNETT.

JAMES W. ROBINSON.

ANNIE MERCHANT.

LILLA McCABE.

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES

| | |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Paid— | |
| Town charges | \$4,553 48 |
| Supt. of School's salary | 388 82 |
| Account paupers of other towns | 774 94 |
| Account State paupers | 1,510 28 |
| State road maintenance | 819 30 |
| State Aid road | 1,110 70 |
| Third Class and Special Resolve roads | 2,597 11 |
| Summer roads | 2,995 48 |
| Winter roads | 2,580 70 |
| Account of Mount Pleasant ceme- tery fence | 33 25 |
| Perpetual care of cemetery lots | 109 00 |
| Public library | 55 00 |
| Account common schools | 6,080 82 |
| Account high school tuition | 3,633 75 |
| Account schoolhouse repairs | 114 55 |
| Account school music | 88 00 |
| School physician | 50 00 |
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| | \$27,495 18 |

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand | \$19 53 |
| Cash from: | |
| Orono pauper bill | 934 34 |
| Refund on steel barrels | 3 75 |
| Printing L. W. Frost Ad. | 2 35 |
| Teachers refund | 30 60 |
| C. F. Cookson, 1931 tax | 12 00 |
| Show permits | 10 00 |
| State for library | 5 00 |
| Searsport, pauper bill | 20 00 |
| State, pauper bill | 1,391 33 |
| St. Albans, pauper bill | 185 03 |
| Town, accepted orders | 5,500 00 |
| Dog licenses | 39 00 |
| State, snow removal | 974 17 |
| State Equalization Fund, 1931 | 100 00 |
| State Aid highway | 1,105 64 |
| State, 50-50 pay roll | 40 50 |
| State, Third Class road | 2,576 28 |
| School Fund Adjustment | 100 00 |
| State Equalization Fund | 238 00 |
| C. E. Cole, excise tax | 371 12 |
| Collector of 1931 | 5,557 96 |
| Pittsfield, pauper bill | 15 27 |
| State School Fund | 2,380 57 |
| Dog licenses refund | 1 45 |
| H. H. Coston, excise tax | 334 53 |
| Collector of 1932 | 11,267 47 |
| Due from collector, 1932 | 6,991 27 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$40,207 16 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Paid— | |
| State on teachers' refund | \$30 60 |
| State on dog licenses | 38 00 |
| County tax in full | 859 33 |
| State tax | 3,224 81 |
| Welfare Department | 955 36 |
| Dog licenses, def. 1931 | 40 00 |
| Outstanding town orders | 1,133 00 |
| Town orders, 1932 | 17,528 06 |
| Outstanding school orders | 1,000 00 |
| School orders, 1932 | 8,382 67 |
| Cash on hand | 24 06 |
| Cemetery funds | 3,073 53 |
| Balance | 3,917 74 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$40,207 16 |

MRS. L. W. FROST, Treasurer.

Births Registered in Palmyra During Municipal Year 1932

| Date | | Name | Sex | No. | Names of Parents |
|-----------|----|---------------------|--------|-----|------------------------------------------------|
| 1931 | | | | | |
| June | 23 | Robert James | Male | | James M. and Ida M. Tait |
| 1932 | | | | | |
| January | 13 | Beryl Lila | Female | 3 | Ralph E. and Irma T. Pratt |
| February | 19 | Rudolph Richard | Male | 1 | Frank Turner and Grace M. Burlock |
| February | 29 | Joyce Edna | Female | 1 | Lyle E. and Nina M. Dyer |
| March | 21 | Pryscilla Joan | Female | 1 | Edward Walker and Verna Faun Leathers |
| April | 3 | Infant Deraps | Male | 5 | Arthur and Eva Deraps |
| April | 10 | Milton Richard | Male | 1 | Don F. and Stella Seekins |
| April | 23 | Inalda Georgia | Female | 1 | Arthur W. and Mildred Marson |
| May | 4 | Gerald William | Male | 4 | Stanley and Mildred Somers |
| May | 23 | Joseph Hadley | Male | 6 | Hadley M. and Flora E. Ireland |
| May | 31 | Thirnwood Frederick | Male | 2 | Thirnwood and Lenora Morgan |
| July | 6 | George Kermit | Male | 5 | Obed F. and Gerda M. Millett |
| July | 14 | Ellen | Female | 7 | Albert S. and Idella R. Luce |
| July | 18 | Eugene Emerson | Male | 4 | Henry F. and Hattie F. Vance |
| August | 5 | Althea Estella | Female | 1 | Leopold and Doris B. Gifford |
| September | 18 | Doris Martha | Female | 4 | Charles Benjamin and Clara Emma Stacy |
| October | 21 | Infant Fitzpatrick | Male | 1 | Edward and Bertha Fitzpatrick |
| October | 24 | Arlene Waneta | Female | 6 | Elmer and Elsie Lawrence |
| October | 26 | Maxine | Female | 5 | J. A. and Mabel Bartlett Young |
| October | 27 | Murry Jarvis | Male | 1 | Jarvis James and Phylis Emma Buker |
| October | 31 | Erland | Male | 6 | Philip A. and Laura Mildred Davis |
| December | 29 | William Arthur | Male | 9 | Ernest A. and Ruth H. LaBelle |
| December | 30 | William Murrell | Male | 2 | Laurice Harold and Hilda Winnifred Fletcher |
| 1933 | | | | | |
| January | 1 | Francis Larry | Male | 1 | Francis L. and Elsie Coston |
| January | 11 | Kathleen Fay | Female | 4 | Melvin and Geneva Boyce |
| January | 22 | Sterling Ithamer | Male | 3 | Wilbur Ashley and Frances L. Ireland |

Marriages Registered in Palmyra During Municipal Year 1932

| Date 1932 | | Groom and Bride | Residence | Where Married | By Whom |
|--------------|----|----------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| February | 22 | Randolph A. Stacy Mrs. Anna L. Reed | Palmyra Bangor | Palmyra | Charles H. Johonnett |
| April | 14 | Edward Fitzpatrick Bertha O. Neal | Palmyra Palmyra | Palmyra | Lilla M. McCabe |
| July | 23 | Francis L. Coston Elsie M. Ludden | Palmyra Plymouth | Newport | John W. Reynolds |
| September | 24 | Omar R. Gordon Marguerite A. Smith | Skowhegan Palmyra | Gardiner | H. W. Brown |
| November | 14 | Wallace A. Bruce Villa Beek | Palmyra Newport | Palmyra | Charles H. Johonnett |
| 1933 | | | | | |
| January | 14 | Alton George Davis Helen M. Weeks | Palmyra Palmyra | Palmyra | Charles H. Johonnett |

Deaths Registered in Palmyra During Municipal Year 1932

| Date 1932 | Name | Years | Cause of Death | Physician |
|--------------|--------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| January 25 | Emil Glotz | 65 | Apoplexy | C. A. Moulton |
| February 17 | S. Jennie Ross | 87 | Pneumonia | B. L. Reynolds |
| March 10 | Libbeus C. Collamore | 95 | Acute Dilitation of Heart | M. A. Webber |
| April 22 | Mark Davis | 81 | Heart Disease | C. A. Moulton |
| April 22 | Joel M. Parkman | 76 | Uremia | O. R. Emerson |
| April 24 | Charles H. Dyer | 67 | Myocarditis | Roland McKay |
| May 5 | Horace M. Johonnett | 91 | Gangrene | C. A. Moulton |
| August 29 | Della Wright | 70 | Carcinoma of all Abdominal Organs | Engene Sanger |
| September 10 | Burdell L. McFarland | 60 | Angina Pectoris | F. H. Freeman |
| September 25 | De Elmer Alfretta Bailey | 49 | Chronic Myocarditis and Cardiac Asthma | M. A. Webber |
| October 1 | Robert Ernest Lee | 9 months | Bronchial Pneumonia | C. A. Moulton |
| October 21 | Infant Fitzpatrick | 0 | Stillborn | C. A. Moulton |
| November 11 | Erland Bradford | 12 days | Lobar Pneumonia | W. B. Trickey |
| November 29 | Flora M. Emery | 77 | Valvular Disease of Heart | O. R. Emerson |
| December 14 | Addie F. Johonnett | 77 | Obstructive Jaundice | Norman R. Cook |
| December 17 | Lewis Wyman Frost | 60 | Intestinal Paralysis | Joseph W. Scannell |
| December 28 | Anna B. Pelkie | 72 | Heart Disease | C. A. Moulton |
| 1933 | | | | |
| January 27 | Sarah Elizabeth Colpitts | 89 | Chronic Bronchitis | C. A. Moulton |
| January 28 | Alice E. Cook | 71 | Bronchial Pneumonia | C. A. Moulton |
| February 5 | William Rupert Hinkson | 38 | Influenza Meningitis and Bronchial Pneumonia | O. R. Emerson |

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS

Liabilities of the town

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Amt. of School Fund order | \$1,163 33 |
| Amt. of outstanding orders | 17,900 00 |
| Amt. of cemetery funds | 3,069 53 |
| Amt. of other outstanding orders | 1,584 45 |
| | \$23,717 31 |

Assets of Town

| | |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Amt. due from collector | \$6,991 27 |
| Amount due from State, snow removal | 762 00 |
| Due from— | |
| Garland, acct. Chas. Page | 11 41 |
| Orono, acct. Clarence Sprague | 157 84 |
| Wade, acct. Melvin Boyce | 137 76 |
| Wade, acct. Geo. Hamilton | 237 17 |
| Exeter, acct. Percy Brown | 12 60 |
| State, acct. State paupers | 618 21 |
| V. A. Packard, account of Packard children | 289 18 |
| One Gurnsey cow | 35 00 |
| One secured note | 50 00 |
| | \$9,302 44 |
| Balance against the town | 14,414 87 |
| | \$23,717 31 |

Respectfully submitted,

O. F. MILLETT.

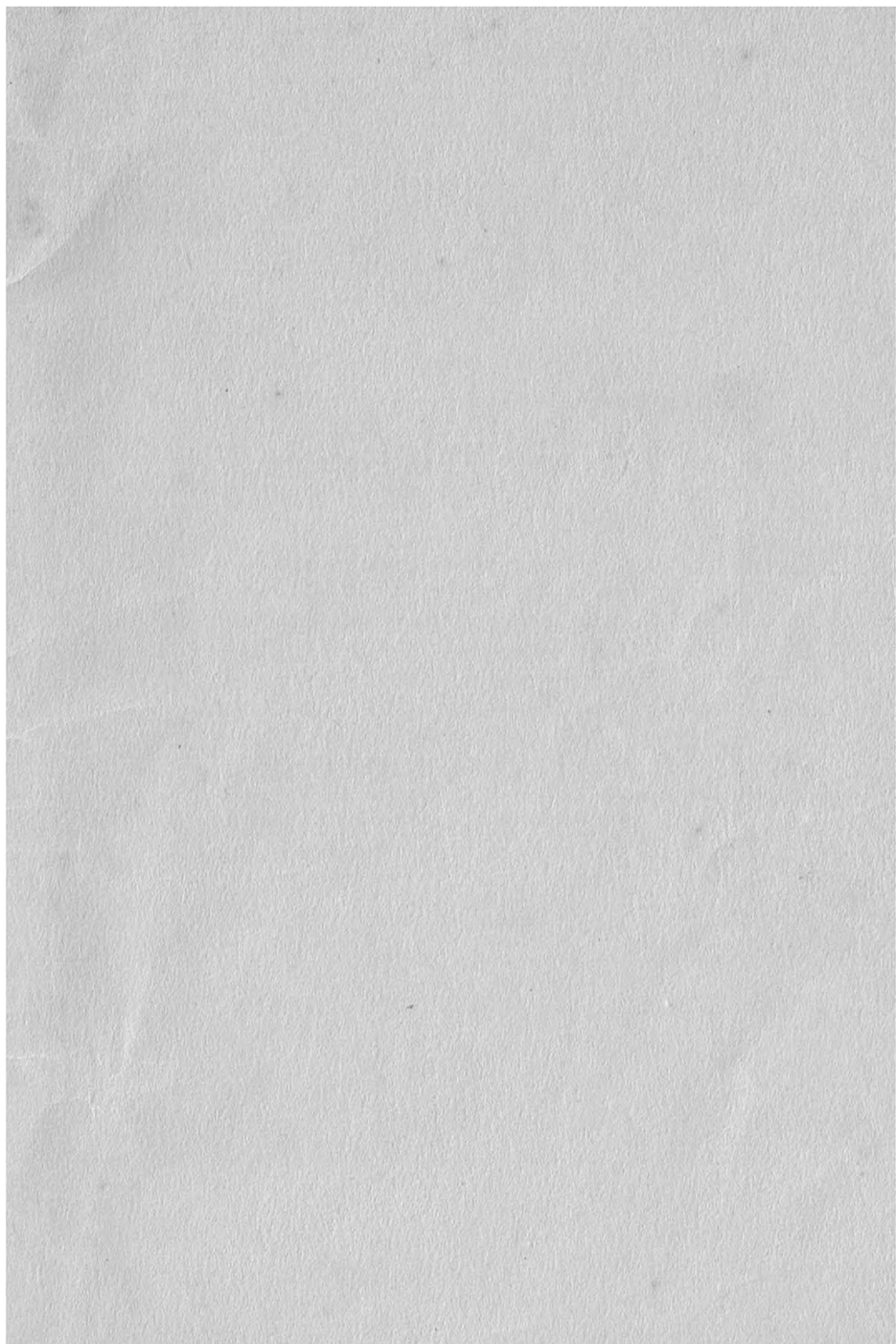
F. H. FARNUM.

F. W. SEEKINS.

Selectmen of Palmyra.

BUDGET COMMITTEE REPORT

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Superintendent of schools | \$300 00 |
| Common schools | 3,000 00 |
| High school tuition | 3,000 00 |
| State Aid road | 533 00 |
| State road maintenance | 800 00 |
| Roads and bridges | 1,000 00 |
| Snow removal | 1,000 00 |
| School physician | 50 00 |
| Third Class maintenance | 600 00 |
| Town charges | 3,000 00 |



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A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of the voters in advance. It should be borne in mind that if copies are left at home there may not be a sufficient number at the hall to go around on town meeting day. This year or any year it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as issued. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you town meeting day morning.