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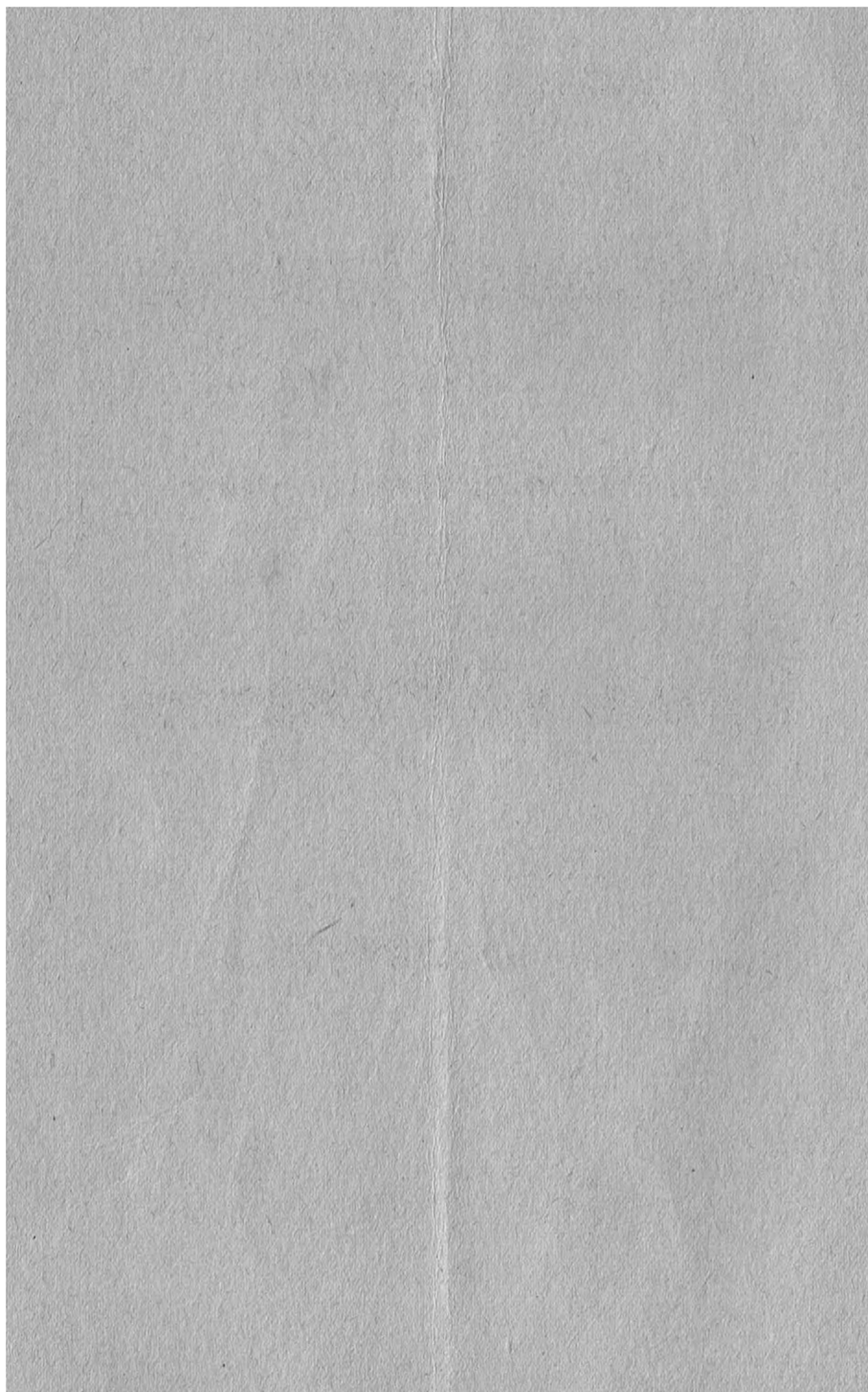
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OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS
AND
Superintendent of Schools
OF THE TOWN OF
Palmyra, Maine



FOR THE FISCAL
Year of 1936-1937



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Press of
Pittsfield Advertiser
1937

Town Warrant

SOMERSET, S. S.

STATE OF MAINE

To H. A. Fletcher, 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 first day of March A. D. 1937, 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 ensuing year.

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 ensuing year.

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

Art. 7. To choose one or more Road Commissioners, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 8. To choose one or more members of the School Board.

Art. 9. To choose a fire warden.

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

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

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to give a discount on taxes paid on or before July First, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 13. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the salary of 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 support of schools or 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 relating thereto.

Art. 17. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for 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 year ensuing.

Art. 20. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to build State aid road.

Art. 21. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to buy snow fence.

Art. 22. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for State road maintenance.

Art. 23. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for roads and bridges.

Art. 24. To see what action the town will take in regard to breaking roads in winter and raise money for same, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise to repair Badgerborough road.

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

Art. 27. To see if the sum of \$68.00 or more will be raised for school nursing in the town of Palmyra to be expended under the auspices of the Bureau of Health of the State Department of Health and Welfare. As the amount of appropriation increases the service will be proportionately increased.

Art. 28. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to take up outstanding orders and interest.

Art. 29. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to repair third class roads.

Art. 30. To see what sum, if any, the town will recommend 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, Public Laws of 1931.

Art. 31. 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 money raised during the current year by taxes and the selectmen to issue notes for and in the name of the town for loans made.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to authorize the assessors to rescind any amount appropriated by the town for State Aid highway construction in excess of the amount required to meet State apportionments.

Art. 33. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for school repairs.

Art. 34. To see where the town will vote to expend the State Aid road money.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to spend a sum equal to the amount of two-thirds of the total taxes assessed on all personal and real estate properties, owned and bordering on so-called Square road, for the purpose of building over, graveling and improvement of so-called Square road.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to accept the sum of \$100.00, the income from same to go for the perpetual care of the H. J. and L. Johonnett lot in the village cemetery.

Art. 37. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on all unpaid taxes after February 1st, 1938, and ascertain how much, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 38. To see what action the town will take

in regard to installing electric lights in the village school, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 39. To see what action the town will take in regard to enlarging the village cemetery and raise money for same.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase the Hubbard place, so-called, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Hubbard road, so-called.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the road leading from Foster Corner so-called to W. L. Estes Corner.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to raise \$100.00 to repair the Rediker swamp.

Art. 44. To see what action the town will take in regard to adopting the approved State system of bookkeeping in all town affairs, or act on anything relating thereto.

Art. 45. To act on anything not pertaining to the raising of money that may lawfully come 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 18th day of February,
A. D. 1937.

O. F. MILLETT

P. R. LEE

L. J. PRAY

Selectmen of Palmyra

Attest: H. A. FLETCHER

Constable

Dinner will be served at the Grange Hall.

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 15th, 1937.

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT

Amount Raised By Town

Supt. of Schools	\$ 400 00
Town charges	6,000 00
Support of schools	3,300 00
High school tuition	2,300 00
Public Library	50 00
State Aid road	1,066 00
State road maintenance	1,200 00
Roads and bridges	1,000 00
Winter roads	2,500 00
School physician	50 00
Outstanding orders and interest	5,000 00
Third class maintenance	700 00
School house repairs	50 00
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	\$23,616 00
Amount of State Tax	2,797 03
Amount of County tax	655 21
Amount of overlayings	426 66
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	\$27,494 90

VALUATION OF TOWN FOR 1936

Real estate, resident	\$251,575 00
Real estate, non resident	84,340 00
Personal estate, resident	39,765 00
Personal estate, non resident	1,930 00
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Total valuation for 1936	\$377,610 00

Property exempt by State law	\$11,215 00	
We assessed \$71.00 per thousand on	\$377,610.00	\$26,810 90
We assessed \$3.00 each on 228 polls		684 00
Amount of supplementary tax		64 40
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Total amount of taxes committed to H. A. Fletcher, Collector		\$27,559 30

TOWN CHARGES

Dr.

Amount raised by town	\$6,000 00	
Amount of overlayings	426 66	
Amount of excise tax	840 06	
Amount of supplementary tax	64 40	
		<hr/>
		\$7,331 12

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Bills of 1935

Paid:

Hartland, St. Albans Tel. Co.	\$17 25
Perley Gowen, acct. Ed. Green	19 36
Mrs. Jessie Banks, rent for Henry Vance	18 00
Frank Withee, wood for World War veteran	4 00
Perry Furbush, wood for Ed. Green	5 00
W. M. Weeks, account Francis Bickford	3 01
L. R. McCrillis, wood for Goodale	7 25
L. R. McCrillis, wood for A. Deraps	14 50
Sisters' Hospital, account Henry Vance family	354 60

Sisters' Hospital, acct. Dick Vanadestine	80 00
L. H. Barden, acct. Bert Green	49 63
L. H. Barden, acct. Maynard Vance	12 35
L. H. Barden, acct. Verde Packard, Jr.	18 20
L. H. Barden, acct. Ed. Green	2 67
L. H. Barden, acct. Arlene Neal	7 91
L. H. Barden, acct. Dick Buzzell	33 58
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Henry Vance	30 40
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Richard Buzzell	2 00
C. I. Currie, acct. Alvah Nichols	16 53
C. I. Currie, acct. Dick Vanadestine	14 91
Lida Foster, care of tramps	23 00
W. A. Smith, wood for Town House	6 00
Hollis Weeks, shingles for Town House	38 50
L. H. Barden, acct. Henry Vance	17 61
Leo Raymond, board of Dick Buzzell's boy	57 00
Dr. E. C. Norcross, acct. World War veteran	5 00
Dr. E. C. Norcross, acct. Henry Vance	10 00
Dr. T. S. Clement, acct. Mrs. Alvah Nichols	16 00
Dr. O. R. Emerson, Alvin Bates family	75 00
L. H. Barden, acct. Richard Robinson	9 66
L. H. Barden, acct. Henry Vance	8 01
Dr. F. H. Freeman, acct. James Tait	35 25
Dr. F. H. Freeman, acct. Geo. Hall	5 25

Dr. F. H. Freeman, acct. Henry Vance	25 00	
Dr. O. R. Emerson, account Mrs. Southards	3 00	
Town of Albion, acct. Jesse Boody	137 41	
Dr. M. A. Webber, acct. M. White	5 00	
Dr. M. A. Webber, acct. L. Gifford	25 00	
Newell White Estate, printing	5 75	
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Packard child	19 00	
Town of Hartland, acct. Charles Shaw	75 77	
W. S. Spaulding, rent for Milan Neal	9 00	
H. A. Fletcher, collecting excise tax, 1934	9 67	
H. A. Fletcher, collecting excise tax, 1935	40 02	
H. A. Fletcher, H. R. Coolidge, commission on collecting 1934 taxes	35 54	
Town of Newport, Wark, and Black and White garage fires	120 00	
H. A. Fletcher, balance on collecting in 1935	30 61	
		<u> </u> \$1,558 20

Bills of 1936

G. W. Sherman, moving W. P. A.	\$4 00
Frank Withee, wood for World War veteran	5 00
W. M. Weeks, supplies for W. P. A.	27 85
W. M. Weeks, supplies for George Hall	2 35
Ivan Brooks, rent for A. Deraps	20 00

H. W. Estes, milk for World War veteran	3 20
Hartland, St. Albans Tel. Co.	8 05
Ida Gee, board of George Hall	32 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. George Hall	1 35
W. M. Weeks, acct. Francis Bick- ford	2 52
W. M. Weeks, supplies	13 51
H. W. Estes, milk for World War veteran	3 10
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Pack- ard child	28 80
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Pack- ard child	18 70
A. P. Howes, services as moderator	2 00
L. W. Reeves, rent for Boody family	30 00
James Robinson, ballot clerk	2 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. George Hall	2 65
W. M. Weeks, acct. C. B. Gifford	2 52
W. M. Weeks, account Ida Tait	11 64
W. M. Weeks, supplies to selectmen	6 02
Ida Gee, board of George Hall	32 00
Minnie Knowles, election clerk	2 00
W. M. Weeks, supplies	6 95
W. M. Weeks, account Ida Tait	31 10
L. H. Barden, acct. Bert Green	37 43
L. H. Barden, account Verde Pack- ard, Jr.	6 64
L. H. Barden, account Richard Buzzell	5 67
L. H. Barden, account World War veteran	47 24
H. W. Estes, milk for World War veteran	3 30
Ivan Brooks, rent for A. Deraps	30 00

Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Pack- ard child	21 00
Ida Gee, board of George Hall	32 00
Asa Ladd, account W. P. A.	10 00
A. R. Burton & Son, material for W. P. A. on Indian Stream bridge	14 08
H. E. Randlett, material for I. S. bridge	57 09
F. L. Griffith, supplies for W. P. A.	18 05
D. K. Weeks, conveying Lloyd Wyman from hospital	3 00
W. M. Weeks, account Geo. Hall	3 75
W. M. Weeks, acct. Leopold Gifford	6 95
W. M. Weeks, town supplies	5 06
Hartland, St. Albans Tel. Co.	9 45
M. S. Wentworth, account C. H. Goodale	25 00
Fred Cool, acct. L. Gifford family	30 00
Dr. C. A. Moulton, acct. L. Gifford family	20 00
W. M. Weeks, town of Palmyra	8 26
W. M. Weeks, acct. George Hall	50
Ida Gee, board of George Hall	32 00
Ivan Brooks, rent for A. Deraps	20 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. Ida Tait	19 97
W. M. Weeks, town of Palmyra	13 86
W. M. Weeks, acct. George Hall	1 60
Perry Furbush, stumpage on cord wood	21 00
J. N. Smith, wood for C. Goodale	6 50
B. F. Bacon, gravel for W. P. A.	21 75
L. W. Estes, gravel for W. P. A.	27 75
R. R. French, gravel for W. P. A.	2 40
F. N. Raymond, gravel for W. P. A.	70 05
Fern Cunningham, work for W. P. A.	1 25
Alex Scott, watching Tarr fire	3 00
W. M. Weeks, account George Hall	8 70

W. M. Weeks, account town of Palmyra	2 86
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Packard child	56 25
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Packard child	6 75
Mrs. Jessie Banks, rent for Henry Vance	12 00
Hartland, St. Albans Tel. Co.	15 20
W. L. Reeves, rent for Boody family	45 00
Hutchins Bros., supplies for selectmen's office	5 36
F. N. Raymond, ballot clerk	6 00
Ida Gee, board of George Hall	32 00
James Holt, rent for L. Gifford	8 00
Cora Steadman, work on check list	2 00
W. M. Weeks, account Geo. Hall	30
W. M. Weeks, town of Palmyra	6 36
S. P. Weeks, digging grave for Mr. Southards	5 00
Mary Furbush, election clerk	2 00
J. W. Robinson, ballot clerk	4 00
Ivan Brooks, rent for A. Deraps	30 00
Lona Lanpher, wood for L. Gifford	5 00
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Packard child	17 50
H. W. Estes, milk for James Tait	7 80
L. H. Barden, acct. Richard Robinson	11 86
L. H. Barden, account Ida Tait	68 61
L. H. Barden, account L. Gifford	10 26
L. H. Barden, acct. W. H. Wyman	19 55
L. H. Barden, acct. Albert Wyman	9 70
W. M. Weeks, acct. town of Palmyra	4 45
W. M. Weeks, acct. L. Gifford	3 06

W. M. Weeks, account George Hall	1 00
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Henry Vance	2 00
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Mrs. Beech	2 50
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Mrs. Southards	6 00
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Richard Vanadestine	11 00
J. A. Leadbetter, gravel for W. P. A.	5 70
R. C. Hamilton, account Alvah Nichols	2 20
R. C. Hamilton, acct. Mrs. Southards	20 50
Leslie E. Jones Co., adding machine	35 63
Dr. C. A. Moulton, acct. Henry Vance	20 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. Mrs. Southards	3 05
Ida Gee, board of Mrs. Southards	50 00
Dr. P. R. Briggs, acct. Mrs. Southards	16 25
W. M. Weeks, acct. Mrs. Southards	30
Ida Gee, board of Mrs. Southards	50 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. Mrs. Southards	1 50
Ida Gee, board of Mrs. Southards	50 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. Mrs. Southards	30
Vincent Goforth, burial of Mrs. Southards	80 00
Ida Gee, balance for care of Mrs. Southards	25 00
George Booker, stove for Mrs. L. Gifford	8 00
C. M. Berry, milk for Jesse Boody	19 74
R. H. Gregoire, wood for Ida Tait	7 25
C. L. Peasley, acct. Leopold Gifford	5 90

Farrar Furniture Co., mattress for	
L. Gifford	7 00
Perley Gowen, acct. Ed. Green	3 78
Town of Albion, acct. Jesse Boody	153 19
G. G. Butcher, helping move Gif-	
ford family	1 50
M. S. Wentworth, acct. H. C. Good-	
ale	20 00
Helen Johonnett, ballot clerk	6 00
W. M. Weeks, town of Palmyra	10 25
Ida Gee, board of George Hall	32 00
F. E. Mayo, acct. Leopold Gifford	4 55
F. E. Mayo, acct. H. C. Goodale	20 00
Richard Robinson, lights on Indian	
Stream bridge, W. P. A.	3 00
W. A. Smith, wood for Town House	3 00
Dr. M. A. Webber, acct. Mrs.	
Morton	4 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	
for selectmen's office	21 00
Donald Humphrey, account H. C.	
Goodale	5 20
Hartland Water Co., acct. James	
Tait	3 75
A. R. Burton & Son, acct. Indian	
Stream bridge, W. P. A.	4 44
A. R. Burton & Son, acct. W. P.	
A. on Town House	13 17
A. R. Burton & Son, acct. W. P. A.	23 60
E. M. G. Hospital, acct. Estella Gif-	
ford	66 00
Sisters' Hospital, acct. Lloyd Wy-	
man	54 40
Lida Foster, feeding tramps	6 00
Carl Randlett, acct. Dick Buzzell	5 94
Carl Randlett, acct. World War	
veteran	13 09

Carl Randlett, acct. Henry Vance	15 82
F. L. Griffith, repairing chains	5 00
W. M. Weeks, acct. Mrs. Southards	3 23
P. R. Lee, helping move L. Gifford	3 00
P. R. Lee, wood for L. Gifford	21 00
P. R. Lee, services as second selectman	82 50
P. R. Lee, work on 10 year book	10 00
L. J. Pray, services as third select- man	82 50
L. J. Pray, making out tax books	2 00
L. J. Pray, work on 10 year book	10 00
L. J. Pray, moving Gifford family and hauling wood for same	19 00
Hartland, St. Albans Tel. Co.	15 00
Mrs. W. A. Clewley, board of Pack- ard child	21 00
H. W. Estes, milk for James Tait	6 20
Plummer Memorial Hospital, acct. Mrs. Alvin Bates	75 00
S. P. Weeks, mowing cemeteries	38 00
S. P. Weeks, perpetual care in cemeteries	128 36
A. W. Lander, printing reports and stationery	95 85
J. N. Smith, wood for H. C. Goodall	6 50
Dep't of Health and Welfare, Mothers' Aid for Lillian Towle	45 00
B. W. Hanson, acct. Henry Vance	3 65
Town of Pittsfield, Fire at Tarr place	50 00
A. P. Howes, Services on school board	8 00
A. P. Howes, postage	8 50
A. P. Howes, services as treasurer	75 00

O. F. Millett, salary as 1st select- man	150 00
Lena Davis, rent for Dick Buzzell	48 00
Minnie Hanson, assistant to select- men	15 00
Lena Davis, stumpage to W. P. A.	3 85
Lena Davis, wood for Dick Buzzell	10 00
Frank Seekins, services on school board	10 00
Nellie Leavitt, salary as town clerk	20 00
Nellie Leavitt, recording births and deaths	10 75
Nellie Leavitt, stationery	5 00
H. L. Nichols, wood for L. Gifford	5 00
Minnie Knowles, election clerk	2 00
W. M. Weeks, health officer	10 00
W. M. Weeks, town supplies	4 71
Anna McGowan, services on school board	8 00
Health and Welfare Dept., Mothers' Aid	90 00
L. H. Barden, acct. Leopold Gifford	18 80
L. H. Barden, acct. James Tait	18 24
L. H. Barden, acct. Dick Buzzell	3 76
L. H. Barden, acct. Dick Vana- destine	28 30
L. H. Barden, acct. Bert Green	18 75
L. H. Barden, acct. Will Wyman	16 70
L. H. Barden, acct. Verd Packard	10 55
H. A. Fletcher, dis. on 1936 taxes	181 70
H. A. Fletcher, collecting excise tax, 1936	40 67
H. A. Fletcher, Butler and Butler enforcing liens on 1935 taxes	86 79

Town of Newport, acct. survey fire	35 00	
Chas. Johonnett, officiating at funerals	5 00	
Ivan Brooks, rent for A. Deraps	20 00	
H. A. Fletcher, posting warrants	6 00	
H. A. Fletcher, commission on collecting 1934-35-36 taxes to date	423 25	
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	\$5,933 29	
Unexpended balance	1,397 83	
	<hr/>	\$7,331 12

PAID ON ACCOUNT OF STATE PAUPERS

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Paid:		
Account World War veteran	\$52 00	
Account Herbert Anderson family	171 74	
Account Charles Peavey	332 30	
Account World War veteran	355 77	
Account Elizabeth Seavey	261 07	
Account Lloyd Downs	119 10	
Account Ernest Thompson	226 98	
Account Walter Howes	93 79	
Account Billy Davis	193 60	
Account Asa McKinney	21 71	
Account G. Elwin Holt	78 75	
Account Stanley Cole	18 43	
Acct. Roland Tozier family	24 00	
Account Leon Dolley	115 01	
Account Elisha Gardner	251 68	
	<hr/>	\$2,315 93
Bal. due from 1935		400 75
		<hr/>
		\$2,716 68

	Dr.	
Received from State		1,517 85
		<hr/>
Due from State		\$1,198 83

PAID ON ACCOUNT OF PAUPERS OF OTHER TOWNS

	Cr.	
Paid on acct. Wylie Russell	\$162 46	
Due from Easton, 1935	506 27	
		<hr/>
		\$668 73

	Dr.	
Rce'd from Easton to balance account		\$668 73

	Cr.	
Paid on account Clarence Sprague	\$226 02	
Due from Orono 1935	631 04	
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		\$857 06

	Dr.	
Received from Orono	\$704 46	
Due from Orono	152 60	
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		\$857 06

	Cr.	
Paid on account Melvin Boyce	\$6 00	

	Dr.	
Due from town of Wade	6 00	

	Cr.	
Paid on acct. Percy Brown	\$60 45	

	Dr.	
Due from town of Atkinson	60 45	

STATE ROAD MAINTENANCE

	Dr.	
Amount raised by town	\$1,200 00	

Amount received from State			
50-50		50 00	
		<u> </u>	\$1,250 00
	Cr.		
Paid State treasurer		\$1,339 50	
Paid on 50-50 payrolls		99 90	
		<u> </u>	
		\$1,439 40	
Over draft		189 40	
		<u> </u>	\$1,250 00

STATE AID ROAD ACCOUNT

	Dr.		
Amount raised by town		\$1,066 00	
Amount appropriated by State		2,025 40	
Amount unexpended 1935		66 74	
		<u> </u>	\$3,158 14

JOINT FUND

	Cr.		
Amount expended on State Aid			
No. 5 by payrolls on file		\$1,643 50	
Amount expended on State Aid			
No. 6 by payrolls on file		1,206 25	
Amount expended on tar treat-			
ment of State Aid No. 3 by			
payrolls on file		69 57	
Amount expended by state on			
State Aid for calcium chlo-			
ride		10 00	
For compressor No. 17		44 40	
For tar and applying		184 12	
		<u> </u>	
Total amount expended		\$3,157 84	
Amount unexpended		30	
		<u> </u>	\$3,158 14

THIRD CLASS ROAD

Dr.	
Amount apportioned by State, 1936	\$2,037 60
Amount unexpended 1935	1 39
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	\$2,038 99

Cr.	
Amount expended by town as per payrolls on file	\$2,036 87
Unexpended balance	2 12
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	\$2,038 99

SPECIAL RESOLVE

Dr.	
Amount appropriation from State	\$650 00
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	\$650 00

Cr.	
Amount expended by town	\$650 56
Amount cost of supervision	1 25
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	\$651 81
Overdraft	1 81
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	\$650 00

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Dr.	
Amount raised by town	\$700 00

Cr.	
Paid:	
J. B. Lanpher, labor	\$39 41
C. W. Ash, labor	28 00
Warren Lawrence, labor	18 00

Alex Scott, labor	9 00
L. J. Pray, labor	9 00
C. W. Ash, labor	9 50
Roland Parsons, labor	8 00
H. A. Estes, labor	34 00
Stanley Cole, labor	4 60
Chas. Estes, labor	2 00
C. H. Lewis, labor	41 00
C. W. Ash, labor	17 00
James Hart, labor	2 80
Marley Ash, labor	6 00
C. W. Ash, labor	32 00
P. A. Jones, labor	21 00
H. A. Estes, labor	29 00
Donald Cole, labor	9 00
Fred L. Dunton, labor	6 00
Guy Knowles, labor	8 00
C. I. Estes, labor	28 00
Horace McShane, labor	5 00
Merle Lanpher, labor	12 00
C. W. Ash, labor	21 00
G. W. Estes, labor	21 00
E. L. Morrison, labor	10 00
Vernon Lenfest, labor	10 00
Roland Parsons, labor	10 00
C. H. Johonnett, labor	2 00
Edw. McShane, labor	10 00
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., bill of 1934	33 75
A. C. Knowlton, labor	2 00
A. C. Knowlton, labor	26 00
C. H. Lewis, labor	8 00
Frank Turner, labor	6 50
Merton Green, labor	33 34
C. H. Lewis, labor	9 00
C. H. Lewis, labor	16 50
Frank Seekins, labor	46 90

J. W. Robinson, labor	20 00	
D. C. Turner, labor	30 00	
Alex Scott, labor	19 11	
Chas. Cole, labor	48 00	
Frank Seekins, labor	4 00	
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	\$765 41	
Overdraft	65 41	
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		\$700 00

ROADS AND BRIDGES

	Dr.	
Amount raised by town		\$1,000 00
	Cr.	
Paid:		
George Rogers, bill of 1935	\$ 4 00	
Perry Furbush, stumpage and yarding hemlock	42 00	
Harold Estes, gravel	3 30	
Harold Estes, labor and gravel	22 08	
B. C. Wiers, labor	36 21	
P. R. Lee, labor	8 50	
Alex Scott, labor	6 00	
A. P. Howes, bridge plank	11 18	
Selden Lanpher, labor	9 33	
F. L. Chamberlain, bill of 1935	9 00	
Merle Lanpher, labor	18 00	
C. B. Gifford, labor	10 00	
C. B. Gifford, labor	10 00	
Pearl Neal, labor	9 00	
Arnold Neal, labor	5 00	
C. B. Gifford, labor	21 00	
R. E. Cook, labor	15 00	
R. W. Furbush, labor, bill of 1935	4 50	
R. E. Cook, labor	4 50	
Archie Bubier, labor, bill of 1935	5 00	

Lee Dunton, labor	8 44
F. L. Dunton, labor	8 44
P. R. Lee, labor	10 00
L. J. Pray, labor	37 00
H. A. Estes, labor	10 15
H. A. Estes, labor	17 01
C. W. Ash, labor	82 50
J. B. Lanpher, labor	50 67
C. B. Gifford, labor	7 12
W. A. Smith, labor	5 00
P. A. Jones, labor	6 00
Roland Parsons, labor	3 11
C. B. Gifford, labor	4 00
S. S. Salley, labor	10 00
S. P. Lanpher, labor	13 18
B. F. Bacon, gravel	25 95
D. C. Turner, labor	38 00
W. I. Tracey, labor	5 00
L. G. Hanson, labor	3 08
Marley Ash, labor	2 00
J. J. Bailey, labor	1 25
G. L. Bryant, labor	2 00
G. W. Goforth, labor	3 00
F. L. Griffith, plank	32 07
E. L. Smith, labor, bill of 1935	2 50
P. L. Neal, cutting bushes	7 33
H. H. Coston, labor	2 80
Fred Dunton, cutting bushes	14 50
B. C. Wiers, cutting bushes	14 00
B. C. Wiers, labor	5 88
Marley Ash, cutting bushes	10 77
C. W. Ash, cutting bushes	24 00
Alex Scott, cutting bushes	26 00
Rufus Humphrey, cutting bushes	23 32
A. C. Knowlton, cutting bushes	10 66
L. J. Pray, cutting bushes	5 00
P. A. Jones, cutting bushes	16 44

Pearl Neal, cutting bushes	6 00
Geo. Butcher, cutting bushes	4 00
Andrew Tarr, cutting bushes	14 00
Kent Burns, gravel	4 20
O. F. Parks, gravel	3 60
Cora Estes, W. P. A. gravel	57 25
Guy Knowles, labor	8 00
Walter Baker, labor	4 00
W. H. Lawrence	23 44
Herbert Dunton, cutting bushes	5 22
M. W. Lanpher, labor	58 77
Charles Kierstead, cutting bushes	10 00
Perry Furbush, logs	27 06
Cora Estes, gravel	8 70
Alex Scott, labor	1 00
J. A. Leadbetter, gravel	1 65
J. A. Young, labor, bill of 1935	5 00
Frank Raymond, labor	13 05
B. D. Lenfest, labor	2 00
Vernon Lenfest, labor	5 50
Guy Knowles, labor	22 00
George Estes, labor	27 15
Donald Cole, labor	8 00
Roland Parsons, cutting bushes	12 00
L. G. Hanson, cutting bushes	16 00
P. R. Lee, labor	5 50
G. W. Sherman, labor	8 00
N. S. Gee, labor	2 50
Alex Scott, labor	2 66
Judkins & Gilman Co., supplies	16 10
C. E. Mower, hauling and sawing lumber	48 43
A. R. Burton, hauling and sawing lumber	22 15
F. M. Bangs, bush cutting	17 00
Charles Patten, bush cutting	5 00
Omar Bangs, bush cutting	6 00

B. F. Bacon, gravel, bill of 1933	10 20
Frances Coston, bush cutting	12 00
Harrison Vanadestine, bush cutting	6 00
C. I. Estes, labor	18 00
A. C. Knowlton, bush cutting	22 00
A. C. Knowlton, bush cutting	2 00
E. G. Bridge, bush cutting	6 00
Stewart Salley, labor	4 00
B. L. Morrison, labor	4 50
B. L. Morrison, cutting bushes	9 67
Rex Mills, cutting bushes	4 00
S. S. Salley, labor	12 00
J. W. Robinson, labor	3 50
W. H. Allen, bush cutting	10 66
Sandy Foster, bush cutting	20 66
Frank Seekins, labor	38 88
Merton Green, labor	22 00
Frank Bates, bush cutting	12 00
Stillman Morrison, bush cutting	1 33
Frank Turner, labor	82 00
G. W. Sherman, labor	48 45
G. W. Sherman, labor	1 50
Albert Howes, bush cutting	6 00
F. L. Coston, labor	4 50
H. L. Nichols, labor	23 00
F. L. Griffith, plank	38 60
W. M. Weeks, supplies	2 00
C. W. Ash, bush cutting	5 00
Roy Leavitt, labor	7 00
Charles Cole, labor	12 00
A. P. Howes, plank	1 80
J. W. Robinson, labor	4 50
P. A. Jones, labor	2 00
A. M. Vanadestine, bush cutting	2 22
Albert Graham, bush cutting	1 37
H. W. Inman, gravel	5 50
Herbert Nichols, labor	5 00

Charles Johonnett, bush cutting	2 50	
George Estes, gravel	2 40	
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	\$1,759 44	
Overdraft	759 44	
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		\$1,000 00

WINTER SNOW

Bills of 1935

Dr.

Amount raised by town	\$2,500 00	
Amount received from State	1,920 26	
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		\$4,420 26

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Bills of 1935 Account

Paid:

Earl Leavitt, shoveling snow	\$ 3 08
J. E. Tarr, labor on snow plow	7 00
Portland Tractor Co., payment on tractor lease	500 00
M. W. Andrews, wood for getting snowplow from ditch	2 50
O. W. Somers, labor on snow plow	20 70
O. W. Somers, labor on snow plow	25 94
O. W. Somers, labor on snow plow	12 38
Harvey Smith, shoveling snow	2 40
N. S. Gee, labor on snow plow	4 80
H. L. Read, snow removal	1 50
J. W. Robinson, snow removal	4 00
Frank Gould, sanding, bill of 1934	5 63
Town of Detroit, sanding, bill of 1934	9 75
W. M. Weeks, snow removal, gas and oil	138 15
Walter Turner, shoveling snow	66
C. A. Higgins, shoveling snow	66

Clarence Turner, shoveling snow	66
Dave Turner, sanding	8 90
Clarence Turner, sanding	2 20
Walter Turner, sanding	2 20
C. A. Higgins, sanding	2 20
Irving Bartlett, snow removal, gas	4 94
Don Seekins, snow removal	3 15
F. W. Seekins, snow removal	16 42
Ralph Cook, shoveling snow and mail box damage	5 10
Rae Randlett, snow removal	45 94
W. A. Smith, gas for snow plow	16 15
D. A. Weeks, hauling gas to tractor	16 80
H. L. Parkman, snow removal	2 61
Portland Tractor Co., payment on tractor lease	600 00
E. B. Cain, shoveling snow	3 08
Hollis Weeks, trucking gas to tractor	2 00
Archie Bubier, snow removal	2 09
F. L. Griffith, snow removal	24 50
Friend & Friend, repairs on snow plow	1 25
Maurice Sawyer, snow removal	50 67
P. A. Jones, snow removal	10 67
Mark Wentworth, supplies for snow plow	24 82
Pittsfield Gas & Fuel Co., supplies for snow plow	3 60
A. R. Burton & Son, supplies	6 69
E. H. Russell, plowing and supplies	67 45
P. A. Bradford, labor on plow	12 60
Portland Tractor Co., bal. of lease on plow	1,400 00
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	\$3,075 84

SPRING AND WINTER SNOW, 1936

Paid:

J. A. Leadbetter, snow removal	\$ 6 50
C. W. Ash, snow removal	12 00
R. E. Cook, snow removal and tak- ing down snow fence	2 00
W. A. Smith, snow removal	2 00
Charles Estes, snow removal	4 20
P. R. Lee, putting up snow fence	8 00
L. J. Pray, snow removal	8 00
G. G. Butcher, snow removal	4 00
Claude Burlock, snow removal	2 00
V. B. Lenfest, putting up snow fence	9 00
G. W. Estes, labor on plow	19 75
John Tibbetts, snow removal	2 00
P. R. Lee, sanding	13 60
Charles Estes, snow fence	2 00
M. W. Lanpher, putting up snow fence	3 23
J. W. Robinson, work on snow fence	4 00
P. R. Lee, sanding	5 25
J. W. Robinson, sanding	49 76
G. W. Sherman, sanding	49 50
G. G. Butcher, sanding	1 05
P. R. Lee, sanding	1 05
L. J. Pray, sanding	22 35
Walter Turner, sanding	20 25
Clarence Turner, sanding	6 30
C. A. Higgins, sanding	4 20
Claude Burlock, sanding	1 05
Frank Turner, sanding	3 37
P. R. Lee, putting up snow fence	2 00
J. W. Robinson, sanding	10 70
Howard Towle, sanding	9 97
Harold Hold, sanding	52
J. W. Robinson, putting up snow fence	18 00

Casper Bryant, sanding	2 80	
G. W. Sherman, sanding	4 50	
H. L. Nichols, sanding	1 75	
D. A. Stackpole, sanding	6 75	
Walter Turner, sanding	3 37	
Clarence Turner, sanding	1 05	
C. A. Higgins, sanding	1 05	
Richard Towle, sanding	1 00	
Merle Lanpher, sanding	8 85	
Selden Lanpher, sanding	8 85	
Herbert Nichols, putting up snow fence	8 00	
Donald Stackpole, sanding	2 10	
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	\$ 357 67	
1935 account	3,075 84	
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	\$3,433 51	
Unexpended balance	986 75	
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		\$4,420 26

REPORT OF CEMETERY BOARD FOR YEAR 1936

		Ex- pended	Total to date
W. D. Mitchell	\$55 47	\$2 21	\$55 47
J. W. Homstead	57 59	2 30	57 59
Lancey Fund	362 98	14 51	362 98
D. B. Hilton	124 74	4 98	124 74
Stephen and Davis	57 42	2 29	57 42
Franklin Grant	58 73	2 34	58 73
Webber and Clement	245 39	9 81	245 39
C. E. Spollett	53 39	2 13	53 39
D. S. Robinson	108 99	4 35	108 99
C. N. Jewett	111 60	4 46	111 60
G. F. Batchelder	76 68	3 06	76 68

Warren Farnum	68 95	2 75	68 95
William Sinclair	52 09	2 08	52 09
John F. Robinson	107 12	4 28	107 12
M. F. Field	103 41	4 13	103 41
Hanson and Woodbury	103 41	4 13	103 41
H. M. Johonnett	50 00	2 00	50 00
David Sanford	101 12	4 04	101 12
William Tibbetts	209 09	8 36	209 09
Henry Shaw	50 00	2 00	50 00
Howard Estes	50 00	2 00	50 00
Michael Dyer	214 62	8 58	214 62
Emma Stacy	101 12	4 04	101 12
Badger and Ross	101 12	4 04	101 12
Augusta Cole	50 00	2 00	50 00
W. A. Blaisdell	101 12	4 04	101 12
J. P. Longley	100 00	4 00	100 00
Thomas Millett	100 00	4 00	100 00
Herbert Keene	113 39	4 53	113 39
Taylor and Ladd	75 00	3 00	75 00
George Mills	50 00	2 00	50 00

\$3,214 51 \$128 36

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOLS
COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance, February, 1936	\$1,087 48	
Appropriation	3,300 00	
State School Fund	1,449 30	
Interest on local fund	69 80	
State equalization	192 00	
		\$6,098 58

Expenditures

Teachers	\$2,939 00
Conveyance	1,305 50

Janitors	152 00	
Fuel	167 00	
Supplies	157 14	
Books	129 51	
Common school tuition	310 50	
	<hr/>	\$5,160 65
Unexpended		<hr/> \$937 93

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Teachers		
Dorothy Cookson	\$225 00	
Clara Thompson	330 00	
Clara Turner	509 00	
Audrey Lanpher	454 00	
Edna Estes	180 00	
Kathleen F. Smith	330 00	
Jennie Burns	430 00	
Thelma Thorne	481 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,939 00

CONVEYANCE

Lena Towle	\$277 50	
Charles Deraps	109 00	
Ina Seekins	163 50	
Mrs. Arthur Magnus	316 00	
Guy Knowles	170 00	
L. J. Pray	139 50	
Clara Turner	22 00	
Hartland Academy	54 00	
Town of Hartland	54 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,305 50

JANITORS

Mary Towle	\$29 25
Oscar Dyer	3 87
Rebecca Rediker	6 38
Stanley Luce	6 37

Adrian Kierstead	39 75	
Jean Shaw	7 00	
Ruth Fletcher	9 25	
Luther Nichols	19 75	
Mrs. F. B. Randall	6 00	
Phyllis Fletcher	3 00	
Mrs. Stanley Cole	5 00	
Mrs. H. L. Nichols	2 00	
Lauriston Smith	3 50	
Henry Fletcher	2 00	
Rowena Wiles	3 88	
Mrs. Pearl Lee	5 00	
		<hr/> \$152 00

SUPPLIES

Milton Bradley Co.	\$12 40	
Edna Estes	3 20	
Howard and Brown	7 25	
National Survey Co.	1 00	
Nation Ed. Assoc.	3 56	
A. N. Palmer Co.	1 52	
M. P. H. Assoc.	63	
Papercrafters, Inc.	8 71	
Edward H. Quimby	15 00	
Wilbur Weeks	10 23	
A. R. Burton & Son	15 15	
W. J. Rideout	18 84	
Pittsfield Advertiser	11 83	
Gledhill Bros.	20 02	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	14 08	
J. L. Hammett Co.	13 72	
		<hr/> \$157 14

BOOKS

Allyn & Bacon	\$26 09
World Book Co.	12 28

Lyons & Carnahan	34 65	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	19 66	
Ginn and Co.	26 94	
Milton Braley Co.	7 36	
Silver, Burdett & Co.	2 53	
		<u> </u> \$129 51

COMMON SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Hartland	\$192 50	
Town of Newport	85 00	
Town of Pittsfield	33 00	
		<u> </u> \$310 50

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance Feb. 1936	\$ 643 77	
Appropriation	2,300 00	
State reimbursement	700 00	
		<u> </u> \$3,643 77

Expenditures

Maine Central Institute	\$2,603 00	
Hartland Academy	890 82	
Newport	303 40	
Augusta	43 33	
		<u> </u> \$3,840 55

Over expended		<u> </u> \$196 78
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(We have had to pay for four terms tuition at M. C. I. instead of the usual three in order to take advantage of the 10 per cent discount. Otherwise there would have been a substantial balance in this account).

SUPERINTENDENCE ACCOUNT

	Receipts	
Appropriation		\$400 00
	Expenditures	
W. J. Rideout		\$400 00

SCHOOL REPAIRS ACCOUNT

	Receipts	
Appropriation		\$50 00
	Expenditures	
G. W. Sherman	\$7 50	
Herbert Nichols	1 00	
Don Seekins	1 50	
Irving Bartlett	3 90	
Charles Keirstead	2 50	
H. E. Randlett	10 00	
H. A. Fletcher	1 70	
E. C. Leavitt	1 50	
	29 60	
Unexpended		20 40

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT FUND

	Receipts	
Balance, February, 1936		\$11 61
Expenditures		00 00
Unexpended		\$11 61

SCHOOL MUSIC ACCOUNT

	Receipts	
Balance, February, 1936		\$58 00
Expenditures		00 00
Unexpended		\$58 00

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance, February, 1936	\$15 00	
Appropriation	50 00	
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Expenditures

Dr. C. A. Moulton		50 00
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Unexpended		\$15 00

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens
of Palmyra:

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

There were no changes in the teaching force for the spring term. Thirteen pupils were graduated from the Eighth Grade of whom nine entered secondary schools, one is reviewing and three are not in school. Of those going to secondary schools six entered Maine Central Institute and three entered Hartland Academy.

During the current school year there have been several changes in teaching assignments. Mrs. Edna Estes did not wish to teach this year. Mrs. Audrey Lanpher was transferred from the Egypt to the Ell. Miss Clara Turner was assigned to the Egypt School. Mrs. Jennie Burns returned to the Adams School and Miss Thelma Thorne to the Village Primary. Miss Clara Thompson of New Sharon was elected to the Grammar Room at the Village in place of Mrs. Dorothy

Cookson who resigned in August to accept another position. Miss Thompson attended Bates College for two years and then transferred to the Sherwood School of Music and Dramatic Art from which institution she was graduated. She has had two years of teaching experience in upper grades. Her knowledge of music has been well utilized in vocal classes in both Primary and Grammar Rooms at the Village and the development of a Rhythm Orchestra in the Primary Room. The delight of the children in having this opportunity for music expression is pleasant to see. I hope the time is not far distant when music may again be taught in all our schools. Mrs. Kathleen Field Smith was secured for the Gale school. Mrs. Smith is a graduate of Gorham Normal and has had several years' experience.

We have been especially fortunate in securing teachers of this calibre at a time when there has been the first real shortage of teachers in nearly a decade. The decrease in the number of persons attending Normal Schools in this state combined with the increase in the course from two to three years has greatly reduced the supply of available teachers. This reduction in supply has already served to produce a rising market. Towns will undoubtedly have to meet this situation by increased salaries.

Bus Service

The progressive action of the Trustees of Hartland Academy in placing in service a modern school bus which covers a substantial portion of the town is greatly appreciated. Safe, comfortable conveyance is provided at a nominal charge which is less than any individual could do it. Several pupils have taken advantage of this service although not as many as would seem logical from their location. The continuance of this route will have to depend, of course, upon the patronage accorded.

Repairs

Only the most meager and necessary repairs have been made this year owing to the small appropriation voted by the town. I wish to again remind the citizens that postponement of necessary repairs is poor economy and results in greatly increased costs when those repairs can no longer be postponed. Should the town undertake any WPA work this year I would most earnestly recommend that a project for outside painting be secured. The last school to have a coat of paint was the Egypt five years ago. Many towns feel that the most economical plan for outside painting is put the buildings in first class shape and then apply a single coat once in not less than five years. Such a plan spreads the cost evenly and is cheapest in the end.

New School Bill

The new bill to adequately equalize the cost of education in Maine is now before the Legislature. It provides that the state will pay one-half the cost of a **minimum** school program. Had this bill been in operation this past year Palmyra would have received \$3,331 on the common school account as against \$1,449.30 actually received and \$1,305.00 on the high school account as against \$700.00. Better schools could have been maintained at less cost to the town and a substantial saving in the local tax on real estate.

The bill is a just one and has much support. There is also some open opposition and a great deal of undercover opposition. If you are interested in better schools at lower cost to the town may I urge you to write to Senators Cook and Friend and to your representative, Mr. Prince, urging that they support the bill. If the people back home make their wishes known the bill will pass; otherwise, the best we can hope for is some inadequate legislation which will not take care of our situation.

The Coming Year

The Committee and Superintendent have gone over the probable expenditures for next year. We believe that we can operate the elementary schools for the same amount as was raised last year. It will be necessary to raise more for high school tuition as we shall have many more high school pupils in school next fall. There are only three to graduate from secondary schools and twenty or more to enter. The amount for superintendence is the same. For repairs, the minimum which the town should raise is \$100. We have been carrying a balance of \$15 in the school physician account. While the salary of the physician will remain the same yet it will not be necessary to raise more than \$35.00 this year.

The following table gives the amount recommended for each account:

COMMON SCHOOLS	\$3,300 00
HIGH SCHOOL TUITION	3,600 00
SUPERINTENDENCE	400 00
REPAIRS	100 00
SCHOOL PHYSICIAN	35 00

Conclusion

The year just closing has been a good one in the schools. Little time has been lost through storms and illness. An epidemic of mumps in the Village schools necessitated the closing of that school for a week but the time lost has been made up. I am grateful to all who have made this result possible. The cooperation of town officers in making possible the payment of high school tuition at M. C. I. in season to save 10 per cent is especially appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. RIDEOUT,

Superintendent of Schools.

To the Superintending School Committee of the Town
of Palmyra:

The following is my report of my examination of
the pupils and condition of the school property of the
town of Palmyra.

Whole number of boys registered	74
Whole number of girls registered	66

Total	140
Whole number boys examined	71
Whole number girls examined	62

Total	133
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Number found with the following defects:

Care of Teeth and Gums	2
Vision	10
Hearing	2
Teeth	21
Tonsils	28
Adenoids	9
Skin	4
Weight	22
Pulse	5
General Condition	12

Total	115
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Number reported for treatment	33
Number of 100 per cent pupils	51
Number who have had measles	89
Number who have had scarlet fever	4
Number who have had chicken pox	70
Number who have had whooping cough	96
Number who have been vaccinated	17

Physical ranks per schools:

Ell	98.5
Gale	98.

Egypt	97.9
Adams	98.8
Palmyra Grammar	98.6
Palmyra Primary	98.9
Town Average	98.4

The above statistics represent collective reports of the pupils as they are found in the schools, generally inspected early in the school year. Frequent short visits are made in the schools when needed. Epidemics and other interruptions are bound to occur, and this year is no exception. An individual examination is made of each pupil covering nearly all of their physical condition and the results are sent to each parent. Thus a history of their growth and other yearly changes make an interesting record of their school life.

Much has been done to improve the inside of school buildings but I wish to call attention to the outside of the buildings and playgrounds which are mostly in crude and bad condition. I presume these will receive attention in due time.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. MOULTON, M. D., School Physician

Feb. 13, 1937

PALMYRA LIBRARY REPORT

Feb. 15, 1937, Palmyra, Maine

Amount raised by town	\$50 00
Amount raised by State	5 00
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	\$55 00

Order for books and express	\$10 00	
Care of library	45 00	
		\$55 00

The past year many books and magazines have been given our library as gifts from friends.

RUTH ROBINSON.
 NELLIE LEAVITT.
 MARION READ
 HELEN JOHONNETT
 W. M. WEEKS

OUTSTANDING ORDERS AND INTEREST

	Dr.	
Amount raised by town	\$5,000 00	
		\$5,000 00
	Cr.	
Paid:		
Russell notes dated June 19, '35	\$1,873 00	
Ford and Smiley note, 1935	1,000 00	
Pittsfield National Bank on note	546 89	
Town Bond maturing Feb. 1, 1937	1,000 00	
Mary Furbush on outstanding order	200 00	
Newport Trust Co., interest	374 11	
Frances Noble, interest	25 00	
J. L. Weeks, interest on bond, 1935	80 00	
Lyda Foster, interest	25 00	
Cora Frost, interest	50 00	
Cora Frost, interest	25 00	
J. L. Weeks, interest on outstanding order, 1935	50 00	
J. L. Weeks, interest on outstanding order for 1936	50 00	

Gertrude Smith, interest	24 00	
L. Johonnett, interest on bonds	80 00	
Lena Draper, interest on bonds	20 00	
A. P. Howes, interest on bonds	60 00	
Jenness Weeks, interest on bonds	80 00	
Ford and Smiley, interest on order	107 70	
C. D. Draper, interest on bonds	80 00	
The First National Bank, Pittsfield, interest on bonds	120 00	
E. F. Danforth, interest on bonds	80 00	
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	\$5,950 70	
Overdraft		\$950 70
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	\$5,950 70	\$5,950 70

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES

Paid:		
Town charges	\$5,933 29	
State paupers	2,315 93	
Paupers of other towns	454 93	
State road maintenance	1,439 40	
State Aid road	3,157 84	
Third Class road	2,036 87	
Special Resolve	651 81	
Third Class Maintenance	765 41	
Roads and bridges	1,759 44	
Winter roads	3,433 51	
Common schools	5,160 65	
High school tuition	3,840 55	
Salary Supt. of schools	400 00	
Schoolhouse repairs	29 60	
School physician	50 00	
Public library	55 00	
Outstanding debt and interest	5,950 70	
	<hr/>	\$37,434 93

UNPAID TAXES, 1934

C. B. Adams	\$3 00	
F. F. Adams	3 00	
F. F. French Heirs	28 80	
A. W. Graham	13 32	
E. A. LaBell	42 44	
T. F. Morgan	3 00	
Pearl Neal	3 00	
L. B. Neal	38 40	
William Wade	3 00	
Archie Walker	3 00	
	Non-resident	
Harold French Heirs	81 60	
F. G. Parsons	7 20	
Charles Bowden	4 80	
D. M. Susi	7 20	
	\$241 76	
Abatements for 1934	172 64	
	\$414 40	
Collected in 1936		488 66
		\$903 06

UNPAID TAXES, 1935

G. L. Bryant	\$33 60
Addie Boyington	12 00
Harry Brackett	6 00
Stanley Bates	12 60
B. F. Bacon	10 05
E. E. Davis	19 50
E. G. Emery	11 75
Reginald French	105 00
Mrs. Vera Holt	2 00
W. B. Knowles	11 10
E. A. LaBell	7 50

Edward McShane	74 60	
Ivan McCrillis	3 00	
L. B. Neal	48 00	
A. K. Nichols	4 50	
Cyril Richards	3 00	
A. L. Snowman	75 00	
M. D. Stanley Devises	148 10	
Don Small	3 00	
T. L. Smith	1 50	
Andrew Tarr	3 00	
Willard Vanadestine	3 00	
Ed. Tozier	3 00	
B. C. Wiers	63 09	
		Non-resident
Joseph White	17 00	
Dolph Wilson Heirs	6 00	
Wilbur Bell Heirs	3 00	
T. G. Lancey	18 00	
F. G. Parsons	9 00	
Charles Bowden	6 00	
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	\$722 89	
Abatements for 1935	130 00	
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		\$ 852 89
Collected in 1936		6,297 72
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		\$7,150 61

UNPAID TAXES, 1936

Ernest Abbott	\$54 48
E. J. Arno	3 00
G. L. Bryant	118 73
Homer Berry	4 78
Thomas Berry Heirs	6 30
J. J. Bailey	49 93
Clyde Brooks	3 36

Stanley Bates	17 75
Frances Bickford	3 55
Walter Barron	21 11
Chas. Barron	44 89
Addie Boyington	78 10
Harry Brackett	36 73
B. F. Bacon	20 30
Carl Brooks	3 71
J. J. Cameron	57 25
Stanley Cole	4 50
Roy Cowan	3 00
H. H. Coston	158 85
Mrs. H. H. Coston	31 45
Frances Coston	18 80
F. M. Cunningham	35 16
E. E. Davis	115 38
R. L. Dyer	55 30
C. S. Deraps	76 33
J. E. Deraps	15 20
Fred Dunton	35 72
Blaine Emerson	12 75
E. G. Emery	129 22
G. W. Estes	74 49
H. W. Estes	183 89
C. E. Estes	91 04
Chas. Estes	89 22
Reginald French	122 37
M. D. Goodrich	15 85
Merton Green	53 42
C. F. Holway heirs	85 83
Frank Hollister	3 00
Maurice Humphrey	3 00
Mrs. Vera Holt	7 10
J. D. Head	3 00
G. E. Holt	3 00
Hiram Inman	207 30
Eugene Knights	3 00

G. B. Knowles	209 26
Mrs. Dana Knowles	106 50
Dana Knowles	25 01
Elwood Knowles	3 00
Katherine Leavitt	71 00
W. E. Leavitt	5 13
Selden Lanpher	60 30
E. C. Leavitt	54 82
A. J. Leavitt	105 02
E. C. and W. E. Leavitt	134 90
Albert Lawrence	33 18
Albert Luce	37 44
E. A. Labell	59 80
Mrs. C. H. Lewis	39 89
Etta Leavitt Heirs	58 45
Vernon Lenfest	22 53
John Lovering	5 49
Glennis Lord	2 49
O. R. Merchant	206 75
Arthur Magnus	14 91
W. H. McFarlane	278 68
Edward McShane	117 15
Stillman Morrison	4 00
Alex. McLean	3 00
Chas. McShane	8 88
Pearl Neal	3 00
L. B. Neal	52 34
Herbert Nichols	4 61
W. H. Neal	6 75
Hope Neal	28 45
E. C. Patten	99 40
M. F. Perkins Heirs	86 27
Ernest Parkman	100 00
Goodwin Philbrick	20
Willard Raymond	11 30
Richard Robinson	5 49
O. W. Somers	10 10

M. D. Stanley Devisees	290 04
Herbert Stanley	3 00
Bert Spaulding	53 96
A. H. Simpson	106 50
Everett Smith	16 85
E. F. Small	62 78
Martha Tarr	71 00
H. B. Towle	36 44
H. B. Tompkins	111 83
Mrs. James Tait	1 78
Alex Vanadestine	10 27
Richard Vanadestine	3 00
M. W. Vance Devisees	24 85
Robert Vance	92
H. A. Whitman	41 26
Mrs. B. H. Wiles	71 00
B. H. Wiles	9 04
B. C. Weirs	162 24
Ida White	69 23
Miles White	3 00
Laurel White	3 00
J. A. Young	147 14

Non-resident

Joseph Le Blanc	31 95
Mrs. Annie Sinclair	14 20
J. S. Smith	71 00
Ernest Hewes	21 30
Dolph Wilson Heirs	7 10
Wilbur Bell Heirs	3 55
Frank Homestead	15 98
F. S. Glidden	2 10
T. G. Lancey	21 30
F. G. Parsons	10 65
Carl Weymouth Heirs	10 65
Carroll Webber	7 10
Addie R. Huff	10 65
Minnie Smith	14 20

Herbert Walker	17 04
Chas. Bowden	7 10
D. M. Susi	10 65
Huff Brothers	10 65
Joseph Bouchard	7 10
Frank Bishop & F. W. Dyer Heirs	3 55
Frank Bishop	28 40
H. F. Walker	7 10
Harry Snell	1 78
E. A. Nickerson	28 40
Maud A. Brown	10 65
Federal Land Bank (Magnus Place)	44 70
Ada Orenson	5 33
Carlisle French	42 60
Justin Bickford	8 88
Percy Lancaster	6 39
Federal Land Bank, Connor Place	21 30
C. B. Gifford	35 50
A. L. Snowman	57 33
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Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Received from	
L. Johonnett, treasurer of 1935	\$ 113 79
W. A. Smith, wood	37 50
O. F. Millett, wood	10 50
Town of Wade—Pauper Account	1,083 93
State Health and Welfare Dept.	1,517 85
State, Bank Stock Tax	15 98
Town of Pittsfield, Pauper Account	64 58
Town of Orono, Pauper Account	704 46
Dog Tax	90 00

Equalization Fund for Schools	192 00
Mothers' Aid	135 00
State Aid	1,853 62
Third Class	2,036 87
Special Resolve for Highways	648 75
Perry Furbush, tax collections	160 00
Snow removal, reimbursement	1,920 26
State School Fund	2,149 30
Teachers' Retirement Fund	62 25
Dog Licenses refunded	21 77
State Library Stipend	5 00
Fifty-fifty road maintenance	50 00
Town of Easton, Pauper Account	668 73
L. Johonnett, collector of 1933	96 73
H. A. Fletcher, collector of 1934	488 66
H. A. Fletcher, collector of 1935	6,297 72
H. A. Fletcher, collector of 1936	21,431 01
H. A. Fletcher, Excise Taxes	840 06
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	\$42,696 32

Disbursements

Paid:

State, dog tax	\$ 82 00
County Tax	655 21
State tax	2,797 03
Portland Tractor Co., lease of snow plow, '35	2,500 00
Newport Trust Co., Russell notes, dated June 19, '35	1,873 00
Newport Trust Co., interest on town notes	374 11
Ford & Smiley, note of 1935	1,000 00
Ford & Smiley, interest on above note	107 70
Pittsfield National Bank, on prin- cipal of note dated June 24, 1932	546 89

Mary Furbush, on principal of town order	200 00
Cony High School, Augusta, tuition	43 33
Maine Central Institute, part tuition, '35-'36	835 00
Newport High School, tuition in full to Jan. 1, '37	303 40
Hartland Academy, tuition of '35 in full	804 00
Hartland Academy, tuition, first half, '36-'37	468 32
Town Bond maturing Feb. 1, 1937	1,000 00
Interest due on Town Bonds, Feb. 1, 1937	520 00
Interest due on Town Bonds, Feb. 1, 1936	80 00
Maine Central Institute, tuition for fall and winter, '36-'37 in full	1,503 00
Teachers' retirement vouchers	62 25
Outstanding orders of '35	848 01
Selectmen's orders of current year	19,942 82
Common school vouchers on selectmen's orders	5,640 25
Cash on hand	510 00
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	\$42,696 32

A. P. HOWES, Treasurer

Births Registered in Palmyra During Municipal Year 1936

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Date 1936	Name	Sex	No.	Names of Parents
February	24 James Edward	Male	4	Richard and Ethel M. Buzzell
March	14 Virginia Pearl	Female	3	Richard Henry and Jennie Luella Vanadestine
May	29 Virgil Alton	Male	5	Harold A. and Cora M. Estes
June	7 Errol Chesley	Male	2	Selden and Felta Lanpher
June	16 Joyce Althea	Female	5	Vernon Morton and Frances Evelyn Snowman
July	6 Linwood Leroy	Male	4	Herbert F. and Rhona E. Anderson
July	30 Malcolm Harry	Male	1	George, Jr., and Retta Louise Estes
Aug.	13 William Howard	Male	3	Robert Irvine and Bertha Mae Vance
Sept.	15 Daniel Lee	Male	4	Charles Ivan and Althea Ruth Estes
Sept.	16 Ralph Newell	Male	4	George Elwyn and Vera May Holt
Oct.	21 Vondell Kay	Male	5	Howard Webster and Edna Estes
Dec.	1 Eldon Leonard	Male	2	Ralph Eldon and Gladys Elvira Lewis
Dec.	19 Jean Elaine	Female	2	Roland and Ruth Irene Tozier

Marriages Registered in Palmyra During Municipal Year 1936

Date		Groom and Bride	Residence	Where Married	By Whom
1936					
May	16	Robert Irving Steadman Cora Velma Lee	Hartland Palmyra	Palmyra	Charles H. Johonnett
July	7	Henry S. Mantell Dorothy May Magnus	Troy, N. Y. Palmyra	Palmyra	Charles H. Johonnett
Aug.	1	Roland Millard Perkins Elizabeth Bates	Palmyra Palmyra	Newport	John W. Reynolds
Oct.	19	Arnold W. Neal Nellie A. Adams	Palmyra Palmyra	Palmyra	Charles H. Johonnett
Nov.	22	Donald F. Stackpole Lenore M. Williams	Palmyra Newport	Palmyra	Charles H. Johonnett
Dec.	10	Ellis Charles Whitman Kathryn Barker Brown	Palmyra Athens	Harmony	George F. Sibley
1937					
Jan.	3	Neal Andrews Grace Burlock	Guilford Palmyra	Newport	John W. Reynolds
Feb.	6	Clyde Maxwell Lewis Erma M. Lord	Palmyra St. Albans	Hartland	Roy S. Graffam

Deaths Registered in Palmyra During Municipal Year 1936

Date 1936	Name	Years	Cause of Death	Physician
Jan.	24 Wilbur P. Moore	72	Broncho Pneumonia	W. H. Walters
Feb.	27 Martha E. Beyer Lang	71	Broncho Pneumonia	Unknown
Mar.	7 Maynard Vance	78	Chronic Myocarditis	C. A. Moulton
May	27 William A. Haskell	64	Chronic Myocarditis	M. A. Webber
July	13 James Brown Lanpher	63	Nephritis	P. R. Briggs
July	14 Hazen Edward McShane	30	Epilepsy	W. B. Trickey
Aug.	23 Louise Southard	88	Cerebral Hemorrhage	P. R. Briggs
Oct.	3 Laura J. B. Parkman	80	Apoplexy	O. R. Emerson
Oct.	6 Elizabeth E. Foster	70	Lobar Pneumonia	G. I. Higgins
Oct.	14 Lilla M. McCabe	68	Broncho Pneumonia	William J. Fahey
Oct.	15 Octavia Jane Pooler	86	Chronic Myocarditis	M. A. Webber
Nov.	15 Elizabeth Seavey	82	Myocarditis	P. R. Briggs
Nov.	19 Augustus Henry Parkman	91	Cardiac Inefficiency	O. R. Emerson
Dec.	9 Forest Pooler	80	Cerebral Hemorrhage	P. R. Briggs
Dec.	13 Florence Ella Richards	76	Carcinoma	John E. Hartland
1937				
Jan.	5 Myra E. Adams	69	Broncho Pneumonia	G. I. Higgins
Jan.	5 George Wilbur	70	Lobar Pneumonia	C. A. Moulton

NELLIE J. LEAVITT, Town Clerk.

LIABILITIES OF TOWN

Amount of school fund order	\$ 1,163	33
Amount interest bearing bonds	12,000	00
Cemetery funds	3,214	73
Outstanding Int. bearing orders	8,754	10
Teachers' retirement fund	62	25
Maine Central Institute, tuition of 1935	1,000	00
Outstanding orders of 1936	11	60
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		\$26,206 01

ASSETS OF TOWN

Due on taxes of 1934	\$ 241	76
Due on taxes of 1935	722	89
Due on taxes of 1936	6,128	29
Due from State on paupers	1,198	83
Due from State on Sidney Buzzell	204	81
Due from Orono	152	60
Due from Wade	6	00
Due from Atkinson, Percy Brown	60	45
Due from L. R. McCrillis, wood	5	00
Teachers' retirement fund	62	25
Cash on hand	510	00
Wood on hand	52	50
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		\$9,345 38
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Balance against the town		\$16,860 63

O. F. MILLETT

P. R. LEE

L. J. PRAY

Selectmen of Palmyra.

There will be a member of the County Committee on Soil Conservation at the Town House at 9 A. M. town meeting day to assist in making out work sheets.



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