

ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
TOWN OFFICERS  
OF THE  
TOWN of CARVER  
MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31

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Annual Town Meeting, March 6, 1944  
at 12:00 Noon

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## OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 1943

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Moderator—Norman V. Holmes.

Town Clerk—Treasurer and Collector of Taxes—Jack L. Martin.

Auditors—Roger V. Weston, Warren L. Chandler, Allena E. Ward.

Selectmen—Bernard W. Roby (1946), Ellis D. Atwood (1945), Jesse A. Holmes (1944).

Board of Public Welfare—Selectmen.

Assessors—Ralph E. Washburn (1946), William M. Shaw (1945), Arthur H. Wade (1944).

Highway Surveyor—Frank F. Weston.

School Committee—Harriet J. Snow (1946), John Carter (1945), Eunice Bailey (1944).

Park Commissioners—Robert M. Andrews (1946), John F. Tubman (1945), James S. McKay (1944).

Cemetery Commissioners — James H. Peckham (1946), Ralph L. Linton (1945), Edwin E. Bisbee (1944).

Library Trustees—Elthea E. Atwood (1946), William M. Shaw (1946), Myrtle L. Atwood (1945), A. Viola Griffith (1945), Henry M. Shaw (1944), Marjorie E. Telfer (1944).

Constables—Myron H. Hayden, Edwin E. Bisbee, Ellis S. Bumpus.

Town Director — County Aid to Agriculture — John F. Tubman.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers—Edwin E. Bisbee, Ellis S. Bumpus, Myron H. Hayden.

Fence Viewers—Edwin E. Bisbee, Ellis S. Bumpus, Myron H. Hayden.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood—Frank H. Cole, Jesse A. Holmes, Frank F. Weston, Norman V. Holmes, Bradford H. Cole, Everett F. Cassidy, William E. Holmes, William M. Shaw, Ebenezer A. Shaw.

Tree Warden—John F. Tubman.

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#### APPOINTED OFFICERS

Inspector of Animals—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Inspector of Slaughtering—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Forest Warden—Norman V. Holmes.

Gypsy Moth Superintendent—John F. Tubman.

Finance Committee—Terms expire in 1946; Carroll D. Griffith, Chesley H. Knowlton, Frank D. Costello, Arthur W. Peterson, George C. Paulding; Terms expire in 1945; Earl E. Boardway, Onni H. Erickson, Walter R. Carmichael, Herbert A. Stanly, Ebenezer A. Shaw. Terms expire in 1944; Andrew F. Griffith, Eldred S. Mosher, Frank H. Cole, John E. Johnson, Charles M. Haynes.

**CONDITION OF THE TOWN TREASURY  
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DEC. 31, 1943**

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Assets

Cash	\$63,222.89	
Outstanding Taxes for 1942	127.12	
Outstanding Taxes for 1943	4,378.18	
Outstanding Excise Taxes 1943	69.38	
Due from State, Chap. 81	1,700.15	
	\$69,497.72	

Liabilities

Overlay 1942	\$2,776.24	
Overlay 1943	2,280.85	
Overlay Reserve Account	1,204.53	
Unexpended Accounts	1,822.79	
Anticipation of Reimbursement		
Note	2,000.00	
Florenz Pina Acct.	12.90	
Balance	59,400.41	
	\$69,497.72	

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer,  
ROGER V. WESTON,  
WARREN L. CHANDLER,  
ALLENA E. WARD,

Auditors.



## TREASURER'S REPORT

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JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer

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1943		
Jan. 1, Balance from 1942		\$43,437.86
Received from Commonwealth:		
Highways, Chap. 81, contract 3831	\$1,510.44	
Highways, Chap. 81, contract 4010	4,362.74	
Highways, Chap. 90 Maint. contract 8667	999.76	
Income Taxes	9,203.00	
Corporation Taxes	4,089.64	
Loss of Taxes	194.66	
Old Age Assistance	7,061.57	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,246.02	
Temporary Aid	1,109.55	
Support of Indigent Persons	6.00	
Public Health Subsidy	254.29	
Contagious Diseases	760.39	
Meal Tax, Old Age Assist.	276.24	
Child Guardianship Tuition	612.52	
Child Guardianship Transpor- tation	425.08	
Vocational Education	243.35	
School Superintendent	735.46	
High School Transportation	5,041.72	
	<hr style="width: 100%;"/>	\$38,132.43

United States Grant, Old Age Assist. (assist.)	\$7,411.27	
United States Grant, Old Age Assist. (admin.)	246.98	
	<hr/>	\$7,658.25
U. S. Grants, Aid to Dependent Children (aid)	\$860.50	
U. S. Grants, Aid to Dependent Children (admin.)	32.86	
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County of Plymouth:		
Dog Fund	\$315.00	
Chap. 90, Maintenance	999.76	
	<hr/>	\$1,314.76
Received from Cities and Towns:		
Middleboro, Schools	\$486.96	
Middleboro, Public Welfare	196.45	
Bridgewater, Public Welfare	98.00	
Bridgewater, Old Age Assist.	40.00	
Mattapoisett, Public Welfare	519.48	
Plympton, Old Age Assist.	41.33	
Rochester, Rent Sand Spreader	12.00	
Marion, Rent Sand Spreader	6.00	
Boston, Schools	334.94	
New Bedford, Public Welfare	234.89	
New Bedford, Old Age Assist.	93.33	
Fall River, Public Welfare	385.84	
Fall River, Old Age Assist.	22.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,471.22
Individual Reimbursements, Public Welfare		\$120.50
Individual Reimbursements, Health		\$160.75

## Cemetery Funds:

William F. Stanly	\$200.00	
Lakenham Cemetery Fund	35.00	
Central Cemetery Fund	20.00	
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		\$255.00

Fourth District Court, Fines		\$20.00
Myrtle L. Atwood, Library Fines		\$5.61

## Town Clerk:

Marriage License Fees	\$20.00	
Chattel Mortgage Fees	12.50	
Miscellaneous Fees	27.75	
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		\$60.25

Town Clerk—Dog Fund		\$439.80
Town Clerk, Sporting License Fund		308.25
Pratt School Fund		48.78
Benj. Ellis Fund, Teachers District No. 4		175.00
Director of Standards, Pedlar's Licenses		12.00
Sarah McFarlin Parkway Fund		11.25
Town Histories		20.00
Slaughter House License		1.00
Milk Licenses		7.25
Lord's Day Licenses		7.00
Gasoline Renewals		9.00
Alcohol Permits		1.00
Oleomargarine Permits		1.00
Sale of Water Pump		15.00
Sale of 6 School Chairs		1.50
Insurance Refunds		198.71
Old Age Assistance Refund		9.00
School Lunches		1,559.77
U. S. Victory Tax Deductions		281.76
Unclaimed Checks		29.29
Sealer's Fees		13.14
Cemetery Bills, Perpetual Care		258.39
Telephone Calls		.50

## Tax Collector :

Poll and Property Taxes 1941	\$324.45	
Poll and Property Taxes 1942	3,903.37	
Poll and Property Taxes 1943	68,729.67	
Interest on Poll and Property Taxes	184.36	
Demand Fees	18.90	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1942	68.51	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1943	2,676.83	
Interest on Motor Vehicle Excise	3.63	
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		\$75,909.72
Taxes 1940 Poll and Personal, Collected After Abatement		4.39
Middleborough Trust Co., Revenue Loan		\$20,000.00
Middleborough Trust Co., Anticipa- tion of Reimbursement		\$2,000.00
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		\$195,852.49

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Selectmen's Orders	\$62,925.61
School Orders	37,004.72
Division of Fisheries and Game	308.25
Cemetery Bills, Perpetual Care	256.67
Motor Vehicle Excise Refunds	36.55
Cemetery Funds	255.00
School Lunch	2,814.95
Sarah McFarlin Parkway	11.25
Plymouth County Dog Fund	451.20
U. S. Victory Tax	281.76
Middleborough Trust Co., No. School Loan	1,000.00
Middleborough Trust Co., Revenue Loan	20,000.00
Interest No. School Loan	10.00
Interest Revenue Loan	25.00

Interest Loan Anticipation of Reimbursement	5.00
County Tax	4,396.07
State Tax	2,250.00
Parks and Reservations	58.21
State Audit	518.36
Eugenie M. Bourget, Lost Check	21.00
Balance, December 31, 1943	63,222.89
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	\$195,852.49

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### LIBRARY FUNDS

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal.
		Jan. 1 1943	Year	Year	of Inc. Dec. 31st 1943
Rosa A. Cole	\$1,000.00	\$27.06	\$20.64	.....	\$47.70
Mary P. S. Jowitt	100.00	22.49	2.45	.....	24.94
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	\$1,100.00	\$49.55	\$23.09		\$72.64

### PARKWAY FUNDS

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal.
		Jan. 1 1943	Year	Year	of Inc. Dec. 31st 1943
Sarah F. McFarlin	\$100.00	\$35.10	\$2.71	\$11.25	\$26.56
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	\$100.00	\$35.10	\$2.71	\$11.25	\$26.56

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### LICENSES AND PERMITS GASOLINE RENEWALS (\$1.00)

Lewis W. Jenney	Ellis D. Atwood
Walter Ellis	Harrison W. Jordan
John B. Bourget	Arnold B. Adams
Roger Williams	Emma E. Roby
	John O. Eaton

## LORD'S DAY PERMITS (\$1.00)

Lewis W. Jenney	Ernest Gonsalves
John B. Bourget	John O. Eaton
Roger Williams	Emma E. Roby
Harrison W. Jordan	

## SLAUGHTER HOUSE LICENSE (\$1.00)

Robert F. Shurtleff

## ALCOHOL PERMITS (\$1.00)

Bernard W. Roby

## OLEOMARGARINE PERMITS (\$0.50)

Henry S. Pink	Mrs. John B. Bourget
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## MILK LICENSES (25c and 50c)

Joseph April (50c)	Svante Halunen
Jesse A. Holmes	John B. Bourget
Myrtle L. Atwood	H. P. Hood & Sons (50c)
Edward Broullard	Theo Thomas
Elias Erickson	Harrison W. Jordan
Henry S. Pink	Otto Salmi
William E. Holmes	Standish Dairy (50c)
Annie S. Boardway	Alex Johnson
Florence Cole	Maurice Robbins
Manuel Thimas	William Lindros
Embert Eames	Myron H. Hayden
Lewis W. Jenney	Manuel Centeio
Wiksten Bros. (50c)	

## SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED IN 1943

Resident Citizens Fishing	25 @ \$2.00	\$50.00
Resident Citizens Hunting	49 @ 2.00	98.00
Resident Citizens Sporting	50 @ 3.25	162.50
Women and Minors Fishing	9 @ 1.25	11.25
Resident Citizens Trapping	2 @ 5.25	10.50
Non Resident Citizens Fishing	1 @ 5.25	5.25
Non Resident Special Fishing	3 @ 1.50	4.50
Duplicate Licenses	2 @ .50	1.00
Sporting Licenses Free	10	
Military and Naval Sp. Lic. Free	2	
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	141	\$343.00
	Fees	\$34.75
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Paid Division of Fisheries and Game		\$308.25

## DOG LICENSES 1943 - 1944

Males	131 @ \$2.00	\$262.00
Females	35 @ 5.00	175.00
Spayed Females	20 @ 2.00	40.00
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	186	\$477.00
	Fees	37.20
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		\$439.80
Due County		11.40
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Paid County		\$451.20

JACK L. MARTIN,

Town Clerk.

CONDITION OF CEMETERY FUNDS FOR THE  
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1943

CENTRAL CEMETERY

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.		Exp. for Year	Bal.
		Jan. 1 1943	Inc. for Year		of Inc. Dec. 31st 1943
John B. Hatch	\$100.00	\$2.99	\$2.06	\$2.75	\$2.30
Wilson Shaw	100.00	2.84	2.05	2.75	2.14
Clara M. Benson	100.00	2.80	2.05	2.75	2.10
E. L. Griffith	200.00	4.40	4.10	4.20	4.30
Isaac Vaughan	200.00	4.37	4.10	4.25	4.22
Catherine L. Gray	75.00	2.07	1.54	2.00	1.61
Betsy C. Look	100.00	2.54	2.05	2.54	2.05
D. W. Nash	100.00	2.71	2.05	2.71	2.05
Isaac Shaw	100.00	3.04	2.07	3.04	2.07
Linus Shaw	100.00	2.54	2.05	2.54	2.05
Theodore T. Vaughan	200.00	6.23	4.14	5.00	5.37
L. A. F. Baker	150.00	4.22	3.09	4.00	3.31
Sarah S. Nash	100.00	3.12	2.07	3.12	2.07
John A. Thomas	100.00	2.34	2.05	2.34	2.05
Horatio A. Lucas	100.00	2.22	2.05	2.22	2.05
Eben S. Lucas	100.00	2.86	2.05	2.86	2.05
Aravesta B. Shaw	100.00	2.95	2.05	2.95	2.05
Thomas Vaughan	200.00	4.49	4.10	4.49	4.10
James A. Vaughan	200.00	4.52	4.10	4.52	4.10
Albert T. Shurtleff	200.00	4.32	4.10	4.00	4.42
Benjamin Shurtleff	100.00	2.19	2.05	2.19	2.05
John Snow	100.00	2.26	2.05	2.26	2.05
Central Cemetery Fund	225.00	4.33	4.15	4.00	4.48
Fred A. Dimond	50.00	.97	.76	.75	.98
Edward Watson Shaw	100.00	2.84	2.05	2.84	2.05
Herbert H. Atwood	100.00	.63	2.01	.....	2.64
James E. Vaughan	200.00	.....	4.02	.....	4.02
Frank Thomas	100.00	.....	1.83	.....	1.83
Nathan Maxim	150.00	.....	2.51	.....	2.51
Merton F. Dorr	100.00	.....	1.00	.....	1.00
	<b>\$3,850.00</b>	<b>\$80.79</b>	<b>\$76.35</b>	<b>\$77.07</b>	<b>\$80.07</b>

LAKENHAM CEMETERY

Jennie E. Robbins	\$100.00	\$37.21	\$2.75	\$3.00	\$36.96
Augustine Shurtleff	100.00	3.93	2.07	2.00	4.00
Theron M. Cole	100.00	3.29	2.07	2.50	2.86
Morse & Dunham	200.00	34.39	4.70	3.25	35.84
Cobb & Barrows	100.00	1.39	2.03	2.00	1.42
N. M. Ransome	200.00	18.77	4.38	4.25	18.90
Edward W. King	100.00	.....	2.01	.22	1.79
Levi Cobb	100.00	4.31	2.09	3.00	3.40
L. & A. R. Eames	100.00	.81	2.01	2.00	.82
Joseph R. Sherman	100.00	1.34	2.03	2.00	1.37
Joseph W. Sherman	100.00	2.36	2.05	2.00	2.41



Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal.
		Jan. 1 1943	Year	Year	of Inc. Dec. 31st 1943
Gustavus L. Swift	200.00	24.10	4.50	4.50	24.10
Mary A. Shurtleff	150.00	2.00	2.63	2.00	2.63
Henry Sherman	130.00	5.13	2.71	3.00	4.84
Joseph B. Rickard	150.00	17.40	3.36	4.50	16.26
Lafayette Braddock	100.00	3.26	2.07	.....	5.33
E. T. Stetson	200.00	165.35	7.34	18.25	154.44
Rosa A. Cole	1,000.00	41.77	20.93	23.00	39.70
James Dunham	100.00	6.32	2.13	3.00	5.45
Chase & Barrows	100.00	2.16	2.05	2.00	2.21
George P. B. Atwood	100.00	.70	2.01	2.00	.71
Lakenham Cemetery	220.00	21.24	3.84	11.00	14.08
Timothy Cobb	50.00	.27*	1.00	1.50	.....
Thomas Tillson	100.00	9.20	2.19	3.00	8.39
James W. Griffith	100.00	2.93	2.05	2.00	2.98
Mary D. Braddock	100.00	1.65	2.03	.....	3.68
Albert C. Bradford	100.00	2.72	2.05	2.00	2.77
Benjamin W. Robbins	150.00	7.17	3.15	3.00	7.32
George E. Atwood	100.00	5.12	2.11	1.00	6.23
Oliver F. and Annie D. Atwood	100.00	5.11	2.11	2.50	4.72
	\$4,550.00	\$431.40	\$98.45	\$114.47	\$415.61

\* \$0.23 withdrawn from Principal by Bank.

#### WENHAM CEMETERY

Mary E. Forbes	\$100.00	\$8.19	\$2.17	\$2.75	\$7.61
Reuben Sherman	100.00	3.41	2.07	1.50	3.98
Julia F. Hammond	100.00	3.04	2.07	2.00	3.11
Sarah A. Hammond	100.00	6.87	2.13	1.50	7.50
Henry T. Hammond	100.00	13.17	2.27	3.00	12.44
Eliza C. Dunham	100.00	10.90	2.22	1.00	12.12
Alfred Cole	200.00	23.75	4.48	.50	27.73
	\$800.00	\$69.33	\$17.41	\$12.25	\$74.49

#### UNION CEMETERY

Hannah P. Richards	\$100.00	\$73.71	\$3.48	\$1.50	\$75.69
Rufus L. Richards	100.00	58.95	3.18	1.00	61.13
Irene A. Bent	100.00	30.38	2.61	.....	32.99
Alexander Law	100.00	11.01	2.23	.50	12.74
Eliza A. Bowers	200.00	20.15	4.42	1.00	23.57
Thomas B. Griffith	1,000.00	299.50	26.10	17.30	308.30
Hannah B. Shaw	1,000.00	187.01	23.85	.....	210.86
Marcus Atwood	200.00	160.91	7.24	1.50	166.65
Charles W. Griffith	500.00	168.13	13.42	2.20	179.35
Philander W. Bump	100.00	31.53	2.63	1.25	32.91
Ellis Griffith	200.00	119.66	6.41	2.00	124.07
Albert W. Perkins	100.00	40.99	2.82	.75	43.06
Joseph Pratt	500.00	682.00	23.75	3.00	702.75
Ebenezer Smith	100.00	13.76	2.27	.75	15.28

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal.
		Jan. 1 1943	Year	Year	of Inc. Dec. 31st 1943
John A. Winberg	100.00	5.47	2.11		7.58
Olive B. Leonard	100.00	47.21	2.95	1.50	48.66
Charles Donnelly	100.00	11.87	2.23	.50	13.60
Sarah McFarlin	100.00	9.99	2.20	.25	11.94
Stephen Atwood	200.00	29.07	4.60	2.00	31.67
John J. Barrows	100.00	8.31	2.17	.75	9.73
Lucius Atwood	100.00	8.09	2.17	.50	9.76
Frank F. Tillson	100.00	11.29	2.23	.50	13.02
Clarence H. Knowlton	100.00	10.53	2.21	.50	12.21
Wilfred A. Tillson	100.00	9.25	2.19	.25	11.19
Josiah W. Atwood	200.00	14.81	4.30	.50	18.61
Oren Atwood	200.00	13.90	4.29	.75	17.44
Lothrop A. Hayden	100.00	5.75	2.11	.50	7.36
Samuel A. Shurtleff	200.00	11.02	4.25	1.00	15.17
Stillman Shaw	150.00	3.55	3.08	.50	6.13
Samuel Shaw	150.00	3.99	3.08	.50	6.57
Henry C. Washburn	100.00	14.88	2.30	.50	16.68
Jane G. Burgess	100.00	14.94	2.30	.50	16.74
Alfred M. Shaw	100.00	14.17	2.29	.25	16.21
Ephraim Griffith	100.00	3.92	2.07		5.99
Charles A. Perkins	200.00	26.19	4.54	1.50	29.23
A. Sampson Perkins	100.00	7.40	2.15	.50	9.05
Henry M. Gammons	100.00	2.89	2.05		4.94
John S. Atwood	100.00	6.11	2.13	.50	7.74
Andrew M. Bumpus	100.00	3.11	2.07		5.18
Alice G. Shaw	100.00	7.41	2.15	.25	9.31
Mildred V. Wallace	100.00	6.18	2.13	.50	7.81
Ellis D. Atwood	200.00	45.59	4.93	.85	49.67
Alton H. Griffith	100.00	4.00	2.09	.25	5.84
S. Dexter Atwood	200.00	19.03	4.40	.50	22.93
Hugh R. Bailey	200.00	29.91	4.61	.50	34.02
Eli Southworth	100.00	6.15	2.13		8.28
Peleg McFarlin	100.00	2.55	2.05	.50	4.10
Elijah H. Thomas	130.00	8.75	2.78	.50	11.03
Cobb & Shurtleff	1,000.00	135.49	22.81	2.00	156.30
Preston Manter	100.00	9.11	2.19	.75	10.55
Fredrick Anderson	100.00	3.68	2.07		5.75
Robert F. Shurtleff	100.00	6.55	2.13	.50	8.18
Charles F. Washburn	100.00	5.41	2.11	.50	7.02
Z. Albert Tillson	100.00	3.30	2.07		5.37
William F. Stanley	200.00		.67		.67
	\$10,330.00	\$2,489.41	\$253.80	\$54.60	\$2,688.61

## SUMMARY

Central	\$3,850.00	\$80.79	\$76.35	\$77.07	\$80.07
Lakenham	4,550.00	431.40	98.45	114.47	415.61
Union	10,330.00	2,489.41	253.80	54.60	2,688.61
Wenham	800.00	69.33	17.41	12.25	74.49
	\$19,530.00	\$3,070.93	\$446.01	\$258.39	\$3,258.78

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

### POLL AND PROPERTY TAXES

Year	6 Warrants	Collected	Abated	Tax Outstanding Titles Dec. 31, 1943
1943 Polls	\$1,060.00	\$884.00	\$160.00	\$16.00
1943 Personal	5,691.84	5,448.19		243.65
1943 Real Estate	66,540.98	62,397.48	11.99	4,118.53
	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943			
1942 Polls	\$72.00	\$42.00	\$30.00	
1942 Personal	202.05	202.05		
1942 Real Estate	3,786.44	3,659.32		127.12
1941 Polls	\$6.00	\$2.00	\$4.00	
1941 Personal	29.88	28.85	1.03	
1941 Real Estate	293.60	293.60		

### MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES

Year	5 Warrants	Collected	Refunds	Abated	Outstanding
1943	\$2,750.75	\$2,648.73	\$28.10	\$4.54	\$69.38
	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1943				
1942	101.93	60.06	8.45	33.42	

JACK L. MARTIN,  
Collector of Taxes.

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

## EXCERPTS FROM TOWN MEETING RECORDS 1943

(January 8th)

It was voted to move the building in the rear of the Old Town Hall to land of J. J. Beaton Co. on Main Street to be used as an Observation Post. The remodeling and moving to be done under the supervision of the following committee: Earl B. Ware, Kenneth E. Shaw and John E. Johnson.

The sum of \$250.00 was appropriated to cover the expense.

(March 1st)

It was voted that the Dog Fund be appropriated for the Free Public Library.

John F. Tubman was chosen to act as Town Director for County Aid to Agriculture.

It was voted to rescind the action taken October 19, 1942 regarding sirens, and the appropriation of \$1,200.00 be returned to the Town Treasury. It was then voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,200.00 to purchase an Alarm System under the supervision of the Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department and the Chief Air Raid Warden, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen.

A Resolution in memory of Frank E. Barrows was read by Earl E. Boardway, and adopted by the Meeting.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE  
YEAR 1943

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- Jan. 3 Manuel Gomes Thimas, and Dorothy Gladys  
Cosmos of New Bedford.
- Jan. 16 Henry Robidoux, and Dorothy Ruth Harmon of  
Pembroke.
- Jan. 18 Charles Emile Guertin, and Alice Holmes Wa-  
terman of Halifax.
- Feb. 19 Harvey Elmer Halunen, and Shirley Eleanor  
Wood of Plymouth.
- Mar. 28 Damazio Tavares, and Cora B. Correia (Mes-  
sick).
- June 9 Frank Robert McLaughlin of East Hartford,  
Conn., and Mildred Estelle (Thompson)  
Youngman of Mansfield.
- June 19 Charles J. Perry, and Eugenia Cecelia Barrows.
- July 19 George J. Brien of Lowell, and Olive M. Clapp  
(Chandler).
- Aug. 14 Frederick G. Wilkins of West Bridgewater,  
and Violet May Chandler of West Bridge-  
water.
- Aug. 19 William Eugene Bisbee, and Gladys Gardner  
Eaton of Middleboro.

- Sept. 5 Robert William Hitchcock of Turners Falls,  
and Ethelwyn Yvette Morris.
- Oct. 7 Edward Henry Andrade, and Katherine Jeanette  
Correy of Wareham.
- Oct. 30 Leon Stanley Litchfield, and Marjorie May  
Smith (Bump).
- Dec. 18 Edwin F. Blake, and Lois W. Dean (Mitchell)  
of Plympton.
- Dec. 26 Rupert Bartlett Bumpus, and Patricia Smith  
of Plymouth.

## BIRTHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1943

Date	Name	Parents
Jan. 25	Peter Francis Mazzilli*	Francis R. Mazzilli Grace M. Bisbee
Feb. 3	Carol Ann Halunen*	William O. Halunen Beverly M. Henrion
Feb. 23	Richard Paul Courtney*	Bernard M. Courtney Arlene F. Washburn
Mar. 29	Sophie Marie Baptista*	Mmanuel G. Baptista Dominga L. Tavares
Mar. 31	Joan Nancy Kallio*	Toivo J. Kallio Elizabeth K. Tavernelli
Apr. 14	Charles Emil Guertin*	Charles Guertin Alice H. Waterman
May 2	Robert Gideon Haeking*	John W. Haeking Yvonne C. Morin
May 17	Carolyn Elizabeth Laine*	Arthur J. Laine Gula G. Pease
May 26	Vera Ellen Hayden*	Myron H. Hayden Lillian M. Block
May 27	Mary Ann Pina*	Theodore Pina Amelia Perry
June 18	Eleanor Lorraine Heikkila*	Leonard N. Heikkila Aili T. Piispanen
June 21	Wanita Adelaide Brier	Louis J. Brier Olive M. Purington
July 5	Daniel George Silva*	Frank J. Silva Inez Silva
July 24	Andrew Anthony Gomes, Jr.*	Andrew A. Gomes Jacqueline A. Silva
July 30	William Jay Harriman*	William H. Harriman, Jr. Phyllis J. Ward
Aug. 7	Edwin Christian Lopes*	Andrew W. Lopes Flora A. Fernandes
Aug. 28	Stillborn*	
Aug. 28	Stillborn*	
Oct. 5	Charles Clarence Austin, Jr.*	Charles C. Austin Vieno I. Paananen
Oct. 5	Anna Marie Silva*	Charles B. Silva Mary A. Silva
Oct. 11	David Warren Parker*	Theodore W. Parker Pauline M. Eames
Dec. 16	Rosalie Cynthia Santos*	Lawrence Santos Rose P. Costa

\* Born in Hospitals

DEATHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE  
YEAR 1943

Date	Name	Age			Cause of Death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Jan. 2	Alfred Ashley Proule	35	2	28	Epileptic seizure during anaesthesia for fracture of jaw.
Jan. 28	Walter Cassidy	68	—	21	Diabetes Mellitus Encephalomalacia General Arteriosclerosis
Jan. 30	Sarah Isola Fuller	76	6	1	Mitral regurgitation
Feb. 7	Alice Gifford Shaw	88	6	29	Acute Congestive Heart Failure.
Feb. 8	Sebastian Barros	56	—	—	Mitral insufficiency
Feb. 9	Frank Ellis Barrows	71	7	26	Probably Coronary Thrombosis.
Feb. 17	Thomas Henry Dunn	83	1	30	Carcinoma of Prostate
Mar. 12	Melvin H. Lucas	76	11	5	Mitral insufficiency
Apr. 24	Florence B. Weston	57	10	—	Metastasis of mediastinum.
May 27	Vera Ellen Hayden	(12 hours)			Premature birth
June 4	William Shurtleff	1	2	—	Cardio-respiratory failure.
June 5					Stillborn
June 7	Isabelle F. Sturtevant	85	5	15	General Arteriosclerosis
June 17	Alice Ann Gray	80	8	1	Cerebral Thrombosis
July 13	John Lopes	62	..	..	Hypertensive Heart Disease..Cerebral Hemorrhage.
July 14	Susan King (Sturtevant)	92	7	10	Aortic disease
Aug. 1	Lucinda T. (Southworth) Bump	88	7	22	Carcinoma of Liver
Aug. 19	S/Sgt. Otis M. Fair	25	10	16	Fracture of Skull
Aug. 28					Stillborn
Aug. 28					Stillborn
Sept. 6	Joseph E. Robidoux	66	4	2	Natural Causes Probably Coronary Occlusion.
Sept. 13	John B. Bourget	60	3	21	Coronary Disease
Sept. 17	Alan R. Higgins	1	8	3	Appendicitis with Peritonitis.
Sept. 18	Irving Clifton Valler	41	5	27	Fracture of Skull, thrown from wagon.



Date	Name	Age			Cause of Death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Sept. 25	John Paul Pentt	55	2	..	Natural Causes Probably Coronary Oc- clusion.
Oct. 15	Charles E. Guertin	30	6	18	Fracture of Skull Automobile Skidded
Oct. 31	Charles Frederick Bond	84	2	..	Aortic Regurgitation with Myocarditis.
Nov. 2	Thomas A. Higgins	71	1	18	Epilepsy
Nov. 15	Andrew Kaski	69	11	15	Carcinoma of Prostate.. Metastasis to Spine.
Dec. 16	William D. Loud	85	10	15	Nephritis, Hypertensean
Dec. 17	Polly D. Weston (Atwood)	85	4	28	Arterio Sclerotic H e a r t Disease, Bronchopneu- monia—Fracture to left hip.

**ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 1943**

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**TOWN APPROPRIATIONS  
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, OCT. 19, 1942**

School Lunch, from Surplus Cash	\$1,300.00
Public Safety, Civilian Defense, from Surplus Cash	500.00
Sirens, (3)	1,200.00

**SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, JAN. 8, 1943**

Observation Tower	\$250.00
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**ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MAR. 2, 1943**

General Government	\$6,787.00
Unclassified	500.00
Memorial Day	150.00
Health	1,256.50
Public Welfare	8,800.00
Public Welfare Administration	500.00
Old Age Assistance	10,000.00
Old Age Assistance Administration	250.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,700.00
Aid to Dependent Children Ad- ministration	30.00
Soldiers' Relief	200.00
Police	2,300.00
Highways, Chapter 81	6,500.00
Highways, Chapter 90	1,000.00
Rationing Board	200.00

Carver State Guards	300.00	
American Legion, Rent (Bill of 1942)	100.00	
Bylaw Committee, Overdraft	10.00	
Road Machinery	500.00	
Bridges	300.00	
Removal of Snow	1,300.00	
Fires	700.00	
Fire Equipment	875.00	
Cemetery Account	893.00	
Parks	200.00	
Library	250.00	
Weights and Measures	150.00	
Tree Warden	750.00	
Gypsy Moth	1,222.88	
School's	37,833.94	
School Lunch	4,900.00	
School Dental Clinic	75.00	
Notes	1,000.00	
Interest	100.00	
Aid to Agriculture	100.00	
American Legion, Rent	50.00	
Old Home Day	175.00	
Workmen's Compensation		
Insurance	439.61	
General Highways	500.00	
Sirens	1,200.00	
Reserve Account, Transferred from Overlay Reserve	750.00	
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Total Town Appropriation		\$99,097.93
State Tax	\$2,250.00	
State Parks and Reservations	60.82	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	518.36	
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Total State Assessments		\$2,829.18

County Tax	\$4,223.38	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	1,711.89	
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Total County Assessments		\$5,935.27
Overlay	\$2,452.84	
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Gross Amount to be Raised		\$110,315.22
Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:		
Income Tax	\$7,878.29	
Corporation Taxes	2,739.64	
Reimbursement of State Owned		
Lands	194.66	
Motor Vehicle Excise, 1943	1,800.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise, 1940	775.00	
Licenses	22.50	
Fines	34.32	
Health and Sanitation	770.12	
Charities	610.37	
Old Age Assistance	6,394.43	
Old Age Tax, Meals	276.24	
Schools	8,992.22	
Interest on Taxes	251.88	
Temporary Aid	762.48	
Public Welfare, Other Towns	1,138.49	
Sundries	399.26	
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Total Estimated Receipts		\$33,039.90
Available Funds Approved by the Commissioner:		
October 25, 1942	\$1,300.00	
October 26, 1942	500.00	
October 26, 1942	1,200.00	
January 15, 1943	250.00	
March 19, 1943	750.00	
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Total Available Funds		4,000.00

Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		\$37,039.90
Amount to be Raised on Polls	\$1,048.00	
Amount to be Raised on Personal Property	5,691.84	
Amount to be Raised on Real Estate	66,535.48	
Total		<u>\$73,275.32</u>
Value of Assessed Stock in Trade	\$27,900.00	
Value of Assessed Machinery	63,530.00	
Value of Assessed Live Stock	27,775.00	
Value of all other Tangible Personal Property	139,515.00	
Total		<u>\$258,720.00</u>
Value of Land Exclusive of Buildings	\$2,211,430.00	
Value of Building Exclusive of Land	812,910.00	
Total		<u>\$3,024,340.00</u>
Total Value of Assessed Estate		\$3,283,060.00
Tax Rate	\$22.00	
Increase in Value of Real Estate	\$57,755.00	
Increase in Value of Personal Property	16,260.00	
Number of Assessed Cor- porations	24	
Value of Assessed Cor- porations	\$1,090,995.00	
Number of Horses	19	
Number of Cows	67	

Number of other Cattle	19	
Number of Swine	722	
Number of Fowl	1,265	
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	19,664	1/4
Number of Dwellings Assessed	535	
Number of Polls As- sessed	524	
Number of Persons As- sessed on Polls only	258	
Number of Persons As- sessed on Personal Estate only	15	
Number of Persons As- sessed on Real Es- tate only	546	
Number of Persons As- sessed on both Per- sonal and Real Estate	131	
Number of Cranberry Bogs	305	
Number of Acres of Cranberry Bog	2,816	1/3
Value of Cranberry Bogs		\$1,877,935.00
Average Value per Acre		\$666.91
Estimated Crop, 1942	125,000	Bbbs.
Assessed Valuation of Cranberry Bogs, 1943		
3 3/4	A at	\$1,200.00
33 1/8	A at	1,100.00
33 5/8	A at	1,050.00
64 1/3	A at	1,000.00
100 7/8	A at	950.00
90	A at	900.00
185 1/4	A at	850.00

215 3/8 A at	800.00
268 3/4 A at	750.00
708 1/4 A at	700.00
135 1/4 A at	650.00
231 7/12 A at	600.00
123 1/2 A at	550.00
75 9/10 A at	500.00
131 7/12 A at	450.00
203 1/4 A at	400.00
14 1/2 A at	350.00
162 1/2 A at	300.00
10 1/2 A at	250.00
13 7/16 A at	200.00
2 7/8 A at	150.00
8 1/4 A at	100.00

Number of Autos and Trucks Assessed 544

Valuation of Autos and Trucks	\$81,570.00
Amount of Excise Tax	2,758.75
Excise Tax Rate	36.33

Summary of Warrants to the Collector :

Poll, March 26	\$1,048.00
Excise, March 26	482.60
Excise, April 1	1,208.61
Town, Real, April 5	66,535.48
Personal, April 5	5,691.84
Excise, May 17	379.31
Poll, August 21	12.00
Excise, September 7	589.30
Excise, December 6	90.93
Omitted Assessment, December 18	5.50
Excise, January 15, 1944	8.00

WILLIAM M. SHAW,  
RALPH E. WASHBURN,  
ARTHUR H. WADE,

Assessors.

## GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

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Jack L. Martin, Town Clerk	\$400.00
Jack L. Martin, Treasurer	700.00
Jack L. Martin, Tax Collector	700.00
Jack L. Martin, Town Clerk, Mileage, 16 miles	.96
Jack L. Martin, Postage	1.80
Jack L. Martin, Treasurer, Mileage, 1,363 miles	81.78
Jack L. Martin, Postage	78.17
Jack L. Martin, R. R. fare	3.50
Jack L. Martin, Notary fees	1.00
Jack L. Martin, Tax Collector, Mileage, 8 miles	.48
Jack L. Martin, Tax Collector, Postage	43.73
Jack L. Martin, Supplies	.35
Division of Accounts, Note fee	4.00
Middleborough Trust Co., Check book	4.00
Florence Washburn, Clerical Assist., Town Clerk	25.88
Florence Washburn, Clerical Assist., Treasurer	17.88
Florence Washburn, Clerical Assist., T. Collector	1.38
Florence Washburn, Clerical Assist., Selectmen	95.45
Ellis D. Atwood, Selectman, Services	1.00
Frank E. Barrows, Selectman, Services	57.50
John E. Jordan Co., Supplies	.60
William Egger Co., Linoleum	110.04
Jesse A. Holmes, Selectman, Services	69.38
Jesse A. Holmes, Selectman, Mileage, 126	7.56
Jesse A. Holmes, Selectman, Postage	1.21
Ralph E. Washburn, Assessor, Services	210.00
Ralph E. Washburn, Assessor, Mileage, 363 miles	21.78
Ralph E. Washburn, Assessor, Expense	3.00
Arthur H. Wade, Assessor, Services	211.00
Arthur H. Wade, Assessor, Mileage, 345 miles	20.70
Arthur H. Wade, Assessor, Expense	3.00
William M. Shaw, Assessor, Services	245.00



William M. Shaw, Assessor, Expense	4.50
William M. Shaw, Assessor, Mileage, 397 miles	23.82
William M. Shaw, Assessor, Postage	1.98
Eleanor L. Shaw, Clerk for Assessors	90.75
Bernard W. Roby, Selectman, Services	120.33
Bernard W. Roby, Selectman, Mileage, 504 miles	30.24
Bernard W. Roby, Selectman, Postage	.33
Bernard W. Roby, Registrar	5.00
Everett F. Cassidy, Labor	1.50
William Lindros, Labor	1.50
Robinson Seal Co., Supplies	16.42
Edwin E. Bisbee, Posting warrants	2.50
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	48.89
Sturgis Hardware, Supplies	6.28
Petroleum Sales & Service, Inc., Oil	562.16
Jay A. Ward, Repairs	11.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	139.52
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	9.07
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Labor	3.50
Plymouth County Electric Co.	143.69
Fanny Lindros, Cleaning Hall	24.51
W. N. Snow & Son, Supplies	116.54
Roger Weston, Auditor	35.00
Warren Chandler, Auditor	35.00
Allena Ward, Auditor	35.00
Gordon Dempsey, Labor	4.81
Jesse A. Holmes, Postage	3.01
Chesley H. Knowlton, Street Listing	25.03
Chesley H. Knowlton, Street Listing, Mileage, 132 miles	7.92
Fred A. Parent, Labor	29.00
H. L. Thatcher & Co.	2.75
J. A. Bissonnette, Bond	5.00
Rudolph Brier, Labor	2.20
Orrie Dempsey, Street Listing	22.00
Orrie Dempsey, Street Listing, Mileage, 58 miles	3.48
Smith's Inc., Supplies	1.56

Marcheterre Press, Supplies	8.10
J. E. Robinson, Repairs	1.50
S. B. Cholerton, Robbery Insurance	87.50
S. B. Cholerton, War Insurance	21.00
S. B. Cholerton, Insurance	132.00
A. L. Beals, Supplies	23.40
L. W. Jenney, Election, Supplies	3.40
Daniel H. Dempsey	27.22
Edwin E. Bisbee	2.50
Wm. I. Ward, Bond—T. Clerk	7.50
Wm. I. Ward, Bond—Treasurer	46.00
Wm. I. Ward, Bond—Collector	89.00
Wm. I. Ward, Bond—Forgery	37.50
Wm. I. Ward, Insurance	35.43
James Smith, Cleaning Hall	2.20
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	.15
George Raymond, Labor	.55
George Raymond, Transportation	.24
The Rogers Print, Supplies and Printing	119.00
The Barry Gazette	24.87
W. R. Carmichael, Supplies	2.15
H. S. Pink, Supplies	.89
Shurtleff Hardware Store, Supplies	6.50
Herbert K. Bartlett, Mass. Town Clerk Assoc. Dues	3.00
James S. McKay, Labor	19.37
James S. McKay, Janitor	120.00
Walter Doten, Labor	1.65
Mass. Tax Col. & Treas. Dues	2.00
Plymouth Rock Hardware, Supplies	1.30
Thomas Groom & Co., Supplies	.50
Perez L. Shurtleff, Repairs	2.00
Edith M. Farrington, Assessors Cards	25.60
Plymouth County Assoc., Selectmen, Dues	9.00
Orrie S. Dempsey, Services for Tax Collector	10.72
Jack L. Martin, Registrar	3.00
Alice B. Apling, Election Officer	3.03

Ellis D. Atwood, Election Officer	5.00
Florence Washburn, Election Officer	4.68
Bradford H. Cole, Moderator	10.00
Norman V. Holmes, Moderator	5.00
Marjorie Telfer, Election Officer	4.68
Anna Maguire, Election Officer	4.68
Winifred Shaw, Election Officer	4.68
Sadie Wade, Election Officer	4.68
Alice L. Carter, Election Officer	4.68
Alma M. Kenney, Election Officer	4.68
Bernice Paulding, Election Officer	4.68
Orrie S. Dempsey, Election Officer	4.68
Elizabeth Costello, Election Officer	3.03
Myrtle L. Atwood, Election Officer	3.03
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	\$5,645.87

## CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Kenneth Telfer, Labor	\$57.48
Ralph L. Linton, Sr., Services	146.26
Ralph L. Linton, Sr., Supplies	3.00
Dana Ward, Labor	125.37
Robert Bolduc, Labor	15.68
Ralph Linton, Jr., Labor	41.25
Norman Holmes, Labor	.90
Francis Merritt, Labor	.90
Edwin Brown, Labor	2.20
Frank F. Weston, Labor and Truck	6.00
Edwin E. Bisbee, Services	137.82
H. S. Pink, Supplies	40.21
Gordon Dempsey, Labor	2.20
Plymouth Rock Hardware Co., Supplies	13.89
James H. Peckham, Jr., Labor	.83
Arnold Hammond, Labor	.83
James H. Peckham, Sr., Services	45.00
Napoleon Dionne, Labor	45.99

John Pignataro, Labor	10.73
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	8.80
Herbert Stanly, Plants	13.50
Byron MacFarlane, Labor	11.82
Jay Ward, Sharpening Lawn Mowers	3.75
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	\$734.41

## CHAPTER 81

Frank F. Weston, Supt.	\$891.00
Frank F. Weston, Truck	2,009.80
Frank F. Weston, Gravel and Sand	64.24
Edwin Brown, Labor	413.65
Roger Weston, Grader man	75.00
Roger Weston, Labor	2.50
Raymond Tubman, Labor	81.88
Richard Barnett, Labor	412.14
Dolar Cote, Labor	341.10
Winston Weston, Grader man	119.13
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., Asphalt	1,542.63
Allied Chemicals & Dye Corp., Tar	131.97
John B. Finney, Calcium Chloride	90.00
Frank F. Weston, Bulldozer	315.00
Frank F. Weston, Shovel	744.75
Arthur Braddock, Truck	114.70
E. S. Mosher, Truck	267.18
Antone Gonsalves, Truck	52.75
Robert Morris, Labor	120.32
Fred Tucker, Labor	218.45
Arne Johnson, Truck	155.40
Carl Johnson, Truck	118.40
The Barrett Division Corp., Tar	1,121.27
John Tubman, Labor	92.82
Guy Davis, Labor	2.00
Paul Williams, Labor	25.00
Leonard Heikkila, Truck	29.60

Allen Eastman, Truck	10.18
Oscar Carlson, Truck	69.38
Thomas Bros., Grader	63.75
James Thomas, Mowing	72.00
Town of Middleboro, Spreader	3.00
Robert Bolduc, Labor	7.50
Perez Shurtleff, Truck	12.80
Uno Penti, Truck	103.60
Jesse A. Holmes, Gravel	112.00
Traffic & Road Equip. Co., Brooms	60.55
Bradford Weston, Inc., Stone	37.38
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	\$10,104.82

#### GENERAL HIGHWAY

Frank F. Weston, Truck	\$27.60
Frank F. Weston, Shovel	18.00
Frank F. Weston, Telephone	8.65
Traffic Road & Equipment Co.	80.00
Robey's Service Station, Gas	10.66
Henry S. Pink, Gas and Oil	26.89
Leonard Heikkila, Labor and Truck	7.40
Walter Carmichael, Gas	37.37
E. S. Mosher, Labor and Truck	7.40
H. W. Jordan, Gas	10.73
Arne Johnson, Labor and Truck	7.40
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	\$242.10

#### CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

Frank F. Weston, Shovel	\$189.00
Frank F. Weston, Bulldozer	28.00
Frank F. Weston, Truck	226.95
Frank F. Weston, Gravel and Sand	73.50
Frank F. Weston, Supt.	91.80

Arne Johnson, Truck	72.15
E. S. Mosher, Truck	72.15
Leonard Heikkila, Truck	57.30
Thomas Bros., Grader	225.25
Richard Barnett, Labor	52.51
Edwin Brown, Labor	53.13
Fred Tucker, Labor	53.13
Robert Morris, Labor	47.51
Dolar Cote, Labor	60.64
John Tubman, Labor	52.51
Raymond Tubman, Labor	11.25
Winston Weston, Grader man	44.00
Roger Weston, Grader man	10.00
Roger Weston, Labor	1.88
The Barrett Division, Tar	1,563.61
Winston Weston, Roller man	8.00
Town of Middleboro, Sand spreader	5.00
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	\$2,999.27

## PUBLIC WELFARE

Home Assistance	\$4,873.45
City of Boston	35.29
Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary	75.85
Massachusetts Dept. of Public Welfare	377.79
Division of Child Guardianship	725.28
Massachusetts General Hospital	.60
Wm. E. Holmes, Trip to Tewksbury	5.50
Town of Wareham	48.72
Town of Middleborough	292.19
Town of Plymouth	278.00
St. Luke's Hospital, Middleboro	207.00
Board Public Welfare, Cambridge	10.50
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	\$6,930.17

## PUBLIC WELFARE ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, Services	\$35.00
Florence Washburn, Jr. Clerk and Sten.	162.00
Ellis D. Atwood, Services	1.00
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage, 324 miles at 6c	19.44
Bernard W. Roby, Postage	.43
John C. Moore, Corp., Supplies	3.30
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	16:03
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	\$237.20

## AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Home Assistance	\$2,452.00
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AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN  
ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, Services	\$7.50
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage, 84 miles at 6c	5.05
Florence Washburn, Jr. Clerk and Sten.	30.55
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	\$43.09

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Home Assistance	\$16,008.33
Town of Plymouth	94.12
Town of Freetown	120.00
Town of Wareham	163.13
Town of Kingston	45.44
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	\$16,431.02



## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, Services	\$147.50
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage, 816 miles at 6c	48.96
Bernard W. Roby, Postage	5.27
Florence Washburn, Jr. Clerk and Sten.	173.83
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	5.03
Boston Council of Social Agencies	5.50
Mass. Assoc. of Relief Officers, Dues	2.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	11.85
A. L. Beals, Supplies	10.80
John C. Moore Corp., Supplies	3.30
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	\$414.04

## GYPSY MOTH

John Tubman, Labor	\$216.90
John Tubman, Supplies	.35
John Tubman, Trip to Cambridge	5.00
John Tubman, Auto	30.50
John Tubman, Truck	185.50
Thomas Tubman, Labor	26.80
George Raymond, Labor	8.80
Dolar Cote, Labor	45.68
Henry Appling, Labor	6.60
Champion Cranberry Co., Lead	63.36
Guy W. Cooper, Oil	1.10
Robert Melville, Labor on sprayer	7.00
John Hacking, Labor	80.64
Chesley Knowlton, Labor	50.00
Bernard W. Roby, Supplies	.80
H. W. Jordan, Oil and gas	1.48
Walter Carmichael, Oil and gas	10.05
John E. Jordan Co., Supplies	.40
Raymond Tubman, Labor	16.88



Fitz-Henry Guptill Co., Labor and parts	15.74
Nemasket Transportation Co.	.55
Lloyd Thomas, Labor	2.50
Frost Insecticide Co., Supplies	80.58
Edwin Blake, Labor	55.63
Richard Barnett, Labor	15.63
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	\$928.47

#### UNCLASSIFIED ACCOUNT AND MEMORIAL DAY

Rogers Print, Town Reports	\$468.50
Robinson Seal Co., Inc., Soldiers Record Book	18.17
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	\$486.67

#### SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC

Edmund F. Tobin, D. M. D., Services	\$75.00
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#### HEALTH

Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Animals, Services	\$76.78
Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Animals, Mileage, 323 miles at 6c	19.38
Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Animals, Tele- phone and Postage	1.00
Plymouth County Hospital	123.20
Herbert C. Hathaway, Transportation	10.00
Rogers Print	5.00
L. M. Chase, M. D., Clinic	25.00
Bernard W. Roby, Services	1.56
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage, 40 miles at 6c	2.40
George F. Snow, Services	.91

C. H. Goldthwaite Co., Supplies	15.69
A. R. Glidden & Son, Supplies	4.82
Henry S. Pink, Supplies	4.25
Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Slaughtering, Services	124.69
Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Slaughtering, Mileage, 309 miles at 6c	18.54
Perez L. Shurtleff, Labor, Cess Pool Repairs	54.00
Perez L. Shurtleff, Truck, Cess Pool Repairs	6.00
Perez L. Shurtleff, Supplies, Cess Pool Repairs	.30
Joseph Robideau, Labor, Cess Pool Repairs	25.94
Fred Tucker, Labor, Cess Pool Repairs	10.63
Dolar Cote, Labor, Cess Pool Repairs	18.44
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies, Cess Pool Repairs	7.86
Jesse A. Holmes, Services, Cess Pool Repairs	5.00
Frank F. Weston, Labor, Cess Pool Repairs	7.00
Giberti's Apothecary	7.47
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	\$575.86

## PARKS

James S. McKay, Labor	\$137.50
General Mills Inc.	2.32
Robert Andrews, Labor	6.88
Robert Andrews, Truck	8.00
Estate T. T. Vaughan, Posts	6.00
Michael Clare, Labor	4.80
John Tubman, Labor	11.26
John Tubman, Truck	12.00
J. A. Ward, Repairs	1.25
Dana Ward, Labor	2.82
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	\$192.83

## RATIONING BOARD

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$20.80
Memorial Press	4.25
Nemasket Transportation Co.	1.05
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	\$26.10

## LIBRARY

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$20.19
Myrtle L. Atwood, Services	200.00
Priscilla Jean Shorey	24.75
Library Book House	118.36
Box Rent	1.20
Junior Literary Guild	92.31
The Personal Book Shop	43.45
Double-Day Doran & Co.	21.15
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	\$521.41

## PLYMOUTH COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

County of Plymouth	\$100.00
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## BRIDGE ACCOUNT

American Steel & Wire Co., Cable	\$20.30
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## WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Samuel B. Cholerton, Insurance	\$18.45
W. & L. E. Gurley, Supplies	7.16
Edwin E. Bisbee, Services	100.00

Edwin E. Bisbee, Mileage, 350 miles at 6c	21.00
Edwin E. Bisbee, Telephone and Postage	2.00
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	\$148.61

## ROAD MACHINERY

Frank F. Weston, Supplies	\$15.00
Homer Weston, Labor	22.00
Nemasket Transportation Co., Express	1.10
Pierce Hardware Co., Supplies	4.12
American Chain Link Fence Co., Road drag	12.18
Clark Wilcox Co., Repair parts	20.35
Ben R. Resnick Co., Supplies	1.60
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	.38
Traffic & Road Equipment Co., Supplies	48.55
Systrom Co., Snow Plow parts	481.00
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	\$606.28

## FIRES

Middleboro Fire	\$3.25
Earl Ware, Postage and Telephone	1.00
Bond, Chimney	1.75
Laura, Hudson, Chimney	3.80
Ralph Washburn, Chimney	4.95
Francelia Dunham	1.60
Gomes, Chimney	1.70
Smith, Chimney	6.70
Fernandes	6.30
St. Pierre, Brush fire	19.75
Snappit, Brush fire	4.50
Horace Robbins, House	21.10
Andrews Bog, Brush	10.50
Paul Williams, Chimney	4.60

Fire Patrol	33.00
Cross Paths, Brush	199.90
Francis Dunham, Chimney	4.50
Robert Hill, Brush	2.40
Canada Hill, Brush	6.80
Catholic Church	19.60
Robert Andrews, Brush	150.20
McLure, Brush	11.80
T. Maki, Chimney	4.00
Ernest Shaw, Bog, Brush fire	5.40
Dunham's Pond, Brush	143.60
Atwood Bog, Brush	16.80
George Snow, Chimney	1.80
Auto Fire, Mills Place	2.80
Makepeace Bog, House	5.80
W. W. Benjamin, Grass	.60
James McKay, Grass	1.80
West Street, Brush	3.00
Frank Laine, Chimney	1.20
Nathan Roby, Brush	3.60
Churchill, Bush	5.40
F. H. Cole, Chimney	2.80
Noy Furtado, House	3.40
Walter Crowell, House	8.80
Edward Brown, House	49.90
Dube, Brush	7.73
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	\$788.13

#### FIRE EQUIPMENT

Samuel B. Cholerton, Insurance	\$16.50
Wm. E. Shaw, Rent	10.00
General Detroit Corp., Supplies	27.52
Walter Carmichael, Gas	23.85
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	12.98
John O. Eaton, Gas	.97

Shurtleff Hardware Co., Supplies	14.15
V. H. Blackington Co.	22.57
Maxim Motor Co., Hose and Supplies	541.40
Norman V. Holmes, Labor	1.20
Lloyd Perkins & Son, Supplies	6.52
Roby's Service Station, Supplies	14.56
Earl B. Ware, Labor and Car	9.40
Henry S. Pink, Gas	.97
Roger Williams, Gas	3.26
Wenham Garage, Rent	100.00
Wenham Garage, Telephone	12.00
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	\$817.85

## FIRE TRUCK

Maxim Motor Co.	\$4,322.85
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## TREE WARDEN

John F. Tubman, Labor	\$251.57
John F. Tubman, Truck	247.25
Henry Appling, Labor	4.40
George Raymond, Labor	8.40
Dolar Cote, Labor	9.03
Thomas Tubman, Labor	6.60
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	8.15
Fred Parent, Repairs	1.50
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	.60
General Mills, Inc., Nitrate	2.32
Michael Clare, Labor	2.40
John W. Hacking, Labor	1.80
Lloyd Thomas, Labor	4.20
Raymond Tubman, Labor	43.35
Mabel Griffith, Supplies	1.48
John E. Jordan Co., Supplies	.70

Fred Tucker, Labor	70.00
Edwin Brown, Labor	70.00
Plymouth Rock Hardware Co., Supplies	3.96
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	10.00
S. C. M. Packard Co., Supplies	1.30
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	\$749.01

## POLICE

Wm. E. Holmes, Services	\$13.62
Wm. E. Holmes, Mileage, 13 miles at 6c	.78
Lester Durant, Repairs	4.50
Town of Wareham, Commitments	4.40
Jesse A. Holmes, Mileage, 66 miles at 6c	3.96
Jesse A. Holmes, Services	6.60
Jesse A. Holmes, Serving summonses	4.00
Town of Middleboro, Commitments	21.78
Bradford Cole, Services	1.10
Bradford Cole, Mileage, 6 miles at 6c	.36
Bradford Cole, Telephone	.35
Charles Haynes, Services	12.10
Charles Haynes, Mileage, 63 miles at 6c	3.78
Alex Carlson, Services	1.10
Francis Dunham, Services	1.10
Robert Morris, Services	1.10
Bernard W. Roby, Services	3.13
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage, 12 miles at 6c	.72
Roby's Filling Station, Repairs	39.64
Commissioner of Public Safety, Supplies	.90
George Paulding, Services	1.10
Kenneth Shaw, Services	8.25
Rogers Print, Printing	12.25
Wenham Garage, Repairs	14.50
Edwin E. Bisbee, Services	50.33
Edwin E. Bisbee, Mileage, 235 miles at 6c	14.10

John Bourget, Supplies	31.07
Randal Motors, Repairs	3.00
Town Brook Service Station, Repairs	33.90
Pierce Hardware Co., Supplies	10.00
Myron Hayden, Salary	600.00
Myron Hayden, Supplies	1.70
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	56.44
Theo Thomas, Services	2.75
Ellis S. Bumpus, Services	12.65
Ellis S. Bumpus, Telephone	.10
Town of Wareham, Lock up hire	.50
Chesley Knowlton, Services	7.43
Walter Carmichael, Supplies	20.55
Roger Williams, Supplies	71.03
Iver Johnson Co., Supplies	6.24
John O. Eaton, Supplies	12.40
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	\$1,095.31

## SNOW ACCOUNT

Frank F. Weston, Supt.	\$85.15
Frank F. Weston, Plowing	295.00
Winston Weston, Labor	32.40
Homer Weston, Labor	10.20
Dolar Cote, Labor	4.80
Edwin Brown, Labor	7.50
Raymond Tubman, Labor	14.70
John Tubman, Labor	6.90
Lawrence Santos, Labor	2.70
Wendall Holmes, Labor	8.70
Roger Weston, Labor	31.20
Norman Holmes, Plowing	265.00
Arne Johnson, Plowing	240.00
Carl Johnson, Labor	22.50
James Patterson, Labor	6.30



George Raymond, Labor	5.40
Gordon Dempsey, Labor	5.40
Frank F. Weston, Sanding	74.25
Myron Hayden, Labor	27.60
Robert Williams, Labor	1.50
Leonard Heikkila, Sanding	6.00
Oscar Carlson, Sanding	3.75
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	\$1,156.95

## PUBLIC SAFETY CIVILIAN DEFENSE

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$32.02
Plymouth County Electric Co.	23.14
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	\$55.16

## OLD HOME DAY

Virgil Fiori, Band	\$158.60
Myrtle L. Atwood, Paid Speaker	10.00
Memorial Press, Printing	4.10
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	\$172.70

## WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Wm. I. Ward	\$375.24
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## INTEREST

Middleborough Trust Co.	\$40.00
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## NOTES

Middleborough Trust Co.	\$1,000.00
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## ALARM SYSTEM

Maxim Motor Co.	\$1,200.00
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## OBSERVATION TOWER

William Egger Co., Supplies	\$8.00
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	3.83
Alfred L. Pappi, Electrical work	17.50
George A. Shurtleff & Son, Lumber	136.15
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Installing Telephone	2.50
George Raymond, Supplies	1.92
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	\$169.90

## STATE GUARD

Kenneth E. Shaw, Supplies	\$8.38
Plymouth Rock Hardware Co., Supplies	1.79
Morse & Sherman, Supplies	41.71
H. S. Pink, Supplies	42.60
Walter Carmichael, Supplies	24.41
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	3.25
Smith's, Inc., Supplies	4.20
H. L. Thatcher Co., Supplies	4.50
Lawrence Leach	3.45
Memorial Press	36.55
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	66.84
L. W. Jenney	4.75
George Paulding	1.77
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	.90
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	\$245.10

## PLYMOUTH COUNTY HOSPITAL ASSESSMENT

County of Plymouth	\$1,711.89
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## AMERICAN LEGION RENT

Frank F. Weston, Treasurer S. of V.	\$50.00
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## AMERICAN LEGION RENT—UNPAID BILL, 1942

Frank F. Weston, Treasurer S. of V.	\$100.00
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## REPORT OF LIBRARIAN FOR 1943

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Library Appropriation	\$250.00	
Dog Fund	315.00	
	_____	\$565.00

### EXPENDITURES

Salaries	\$200.00	
Expenses	21.39	
Books	275.27	
Magazines	24.75	
	_____	\$521.41

### FINES RECEIVED IN 1943

Paid to Treasurer:		
January 19	\$1.10	
March 16	.65	
May 18	.50	
August 24	.55	
November 10	1.16	
December 1	.85	
December 29	.80	
	_____	\$5.61

### CIRCULATION OF BOOKS

Adult Fiction	1,753	
Juvenile Fiction	1,859	
Adult Non-Fiction	178	
Juvenile Non-Fiction	368	
Magazines	368	
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Total Circulation		4,526

Number of New Borrowers	30
Books Purchased	128
Books Presented	2
Magazines Purchased	9
Popular Mechanics	
National Geographic	
Child Life	
Life	
Good Housekeeping	
Better Homes and Gardens	
American Home	
Parents Magazines	
Red Book.	

Magazines Presented :

Fortune  
 Ford News  
 Specialty Salesman  
 Opportunity  
 Our Dumb Animals  
 Middleboro Gazette.

The circulation for 1943 was less than for last year and the reports are incomplete, as some were not made out, but I feel it is a good circulation, as people have been "short of gas" and are "saving tires", as much as they possibly can.

I have worked at the Library for about fifteen years, and owing to circumstances at home have sent in my resignation, which is to take effect January 1st, 1944. I have enjoyed the work and want to thank the Trustees for the help and kindness they have given me. I also want to thank the people, who over this period of years, have worked with me, and wish them much happiness in the future, with the new Librarian.

MYRTLE L. ATWOOD,  
 Librarian.

## REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The following is my Annual Report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year of 1943.

Number of Platform Scales, 100 to 500 lb.	3
Number of Counter Scales, over 100 lb.	1
Number of Spring Scales, over 100 lb.	1
Number of Spring Scales, under 100 lb.	8
Number of Computing Scales, under 100 lb.	6
Number of Avoirdupois Weights	12
Number of Liquid Measures, 1 gal. size	4
Number of Meters, 1 inch	15
Number of Meters, over 1 inch	1
Number of Kerosene Pumps	3
Number of Stops on Pumps	4
Number of Scales Adjusted	3
Number of Meters Adjusted	1
Number of Meters Condemned	1
Amount of Fees Collected for Town	\$13.14
Amount of Salary	\$100.00
Amount Expended for Working Equipment	7.16
Amount Expended for Telephone and Postage	2.00
Amount Expended for Insurance on Standards	18.45
Amount Received for Mileage, 350 miles at 6c	21.00
	\$148.61

Yours Respectfully,

EDWIN E. BISBEE,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

## REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Inspector of Slaughtering for the year of 1943.

Number of Hogs, Inspected and Stamped	235
Number of Beef Animals	5
Number of Hours Service as Inspector	255½
Number of Miles Traveled as Inspector	441

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN E. BISBEE,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

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## REPORT OF INSPECTION OF ANIMALS 1943

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The following is a report of my work as Inspector of Animals for the year of 1943.

Number of Inspections	83
Number of Dogs Quarantined	3
Number of Complaints Investigated	20
Number of Hours of Service	63
Number of Miles Traveled as Inspector	191

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN E. BISBEE,

Inspector.

## JURY LIST—1943-1944

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Appling, Russell E., Cranberry Grower  
Bessette, Anthony, Cranberry Grower  
Bolduc, J. Aime, Mechanic  
Braddock, Arthur T., Cranberry Grower  
Carter, John, Decorator  
Chandler, Albert L., Cranberry Grower  
Cherry, Charles L., Superintendent  
Dempsey, Daniel H., Engineer  
Dionne, Napoleon, Truck Driver  
Griffith, Merton T., Cranberry Grower  
Heikkila, Leonard N., Cranberry Grower  
Kenney, Arthur L., Foreman  
Kenney, Thomas L., Foreman  
Peterson, Arthur W., Agriculture  
Reynolds, Thomas H., Box Worker  
Shaw, Ernest W., Cranberry Grower  
Shurtleff, Perez L., Plumber  
Telfer, Arnold T., Carpenter  
Thomas, Clarence Theo, Agriculture  
Weston, Homer F., Shovel Operator  
Williams, Roger, Service Station Operator



## FOREST WARDENS

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### FOREST WARDEN

Norman V. Holmes Tel. Carver 10-4

### DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS

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|-----|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1.  | Charles Cherry  | Tel. Wareham 9322-12 |
| 2.  | John F. Tubman  | Tel. Carver 2-11     |
| 3.  | Homer Weston    | Tel. Carver 86-11    |
| 4.  | Arne Johnson    | Tel. Carver 23-2     |
| 5.  | Everett Cassidy | Tel. Carver 1-2      |
| 6.  | Simon Majahad   | Tel. Carver 65-4     |
| 7.  | Thomas Kenney   | Tel. Carver 7-4      |
| 8.  | Ellis Bumpus    | Tel. Carver 24-4     |
| 9.  | H. W. Jordan    | Tel. Carver 38       |
| 10. | Frank Weston    | Tel. Carver 26-14    |
| 11. | Stephen Gammons | Tel. Wareham 9323-12 |
| 12. | Francis Merritt | Tel. Carver 74-4     |

## REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Upon the resignation of Myron H. Hayden Chief of Police last May 1943, your Board of Selectmen have endeavored to secure a suitable man for this position, but up to the present time have been unable to do so.

We feel however that the Town should have this sort of protection and we shall, as soon as possible, secure a man who can be placed on permanent duty.

Our three Constables and Special Police have been ready and willing at all times to help as have the State Guard Organization, and to them, our sincere thanks.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN.

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### REPORT OF CONSTABLES

Persons Arrested	3
Complaints Investigated	10
Operating without License	1
Assault	1
Operating Under Influence	1
Operating to Endanger	1
Office Warnings	1
Receiving Stolen Property	1
Reports to Reg. of Motor Vehicles	7
Breaking and Entering	2
Drunk	1
Polygamy	1
Straggler	1
Summons Served	5

EDWIN E. BISBEE,  
 MYRON H. HAYDEN,  
 ELLIS S. BUMPUS,  
 Constables of Carver.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF OLD HOME DAY ASSOCIATION

### STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 1943

Receipts	\$269.74	
Expenditures	217.78	
	_____	\$51.96
Balance Savings Account	\$49.66	
Money Reverted to Treasury		\$2.30
Balance January 1, 1943	\$31.98	

### RECEIPTS

Town Appropriation	\$175.00	
Balance January 1, 1943, Savings Account	31.98	
Savings Bank Interest	.41	
Tonic and Hot Dogs	51.84	
Collection at Ball Game	10.51	
	_____	\$269.74

### EXPENDITURES

*Bostonian Shoe Band	\$158.60	
*Memorial Press	4.10	
*Rev. Glen Lamb	10.00	
Ball Game, Umpire	5.00	
Henry S. Pink, Post Cards	1.00	
Harry Jordan, Dogs and Rolls	12.70	
Blanche Roby	3.00	
George Raymond	4.00	

Plymouth Bottling Works	12.44	
Money Order and Postage	.19	
Myrtle L. Atwood, Car and Service	6.00	
Ebenezer Shaw, Ice	.75	
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Total Expenditures		\$217.78

\* Money spent out of Town Appropriation.

Old Home Day — Sunday, August 1st.

Respectfully submitted,

MYRTLE L. ATWOOD,

Treasurer.

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## REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS

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We, the Auditors of Carver, have completed an audit of the records and books of the Town, and find them to be correct and in good order, as of December 31, 1943.

ROGER V. WESTON,  
WARREN L. CHANDLER,  
ALLENA E. WARD,

Board of Auditors.

## SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

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### SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Eunice A. Bailey, Chairman	Term expires 1944
Harriet J. Snow, Secretary	Term expires 1946
John Carter	Term expires 1945
George R. Austin, Superintendent of Schools 10 Elm Street, Middleboro	

### STAFF

*Center School*—Henry M. Shaw, Principal  
 Marion L. Griffith  
 Sybil H. Eshbach  
 Loraine C. Merrill  
 Alice R. Shurtleff

*E. Tillson Pratt School*—Gladys E. Burgess, Principal  
 Florence R. Kaski

*Benjamin Ellis School*—Florence L. Gordon, Principal  
 Eva J. Leonard

*Music Supervisor*—Antionette Garrett, 150 Court Street,  
 Plymouth.

*Supervisor of Drawing and Manual Training*—Stella F.  
 Morrison, Plympton.

*School Physician*—Dr. L. M. Chase, North Carver.

*School Nurse*—Doris E. Brown, R. N., RFD 2 New Bedford.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

1943 Fall Term: Begins Wednesday, Sept. 8; Closes Dec. 22.

Holidays: Oct. 12, 22; Nov. 11, 25-26.

1944 Winter Term: Begins Monday, Jan. 3; Closes Feb. 18.

Vacation: Feb. 21-25.

1944 Spring Term: Begins Monday, Feb. 28; Closes April 14.

Vacation: April 17-21.

School reopens Monday, April 24; Closes June 9.

Holiday: May 30.

Closing Exercises, Thursday, June 8.

1944 Fall Term: Begins Wednesday, Sept. 6; Closes Dec. 22.

Holidays: Oct. 12, 27; Thanksgiving Day, with both the days preceding and following it.

1945 Winter Term: Begins Monday, Jan. 2.

## 1943 REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

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To the Inhabitants of the Town of Carver :

The Carver School Board has carried on its work this year with the same organization and membership, meeting with Superintendent Austin on the first Monday of each month.

We were obliged this year to give up our school lunch program which had operated with such marked satisfaction. After the close of the school year in June government commodities were non-existent and without them plus the added burden of planning menus with the existing shortages and finding help to prepare the meals it seemed wiser for the time being to abandon the project.

The committee has given careful consideration to the subject of teachers' salaries. This year the state passed a law regulating the minimum salary of a teacher according to the valuation of the town in which she is hired to teach. The minimum salary in Carver became \$1,200.00, a sum considerably more than it has been our custom to pay. This necessitated a complete revision of our salary schedule allowing adjustments for our other teachers not affected by this ruling. We plan to begin these adjustments during 1944.

Looking ahead to better and more normal times the board has had some discussion on the possibility of planning for a new and more adequate school building at the center. We would hope to correct the present sanitary condition now existing which we feel is no asset to our school system or our town. At present pupils are graduated from Grade VIII and go to Plymouth Junior High

School where they are graduated from Grade IX the following year. This condition could be corrected if we had room for our own Grade IX, from which the pupils would go directly into Plymouth Senior High School. We also feel that a gymnasium, assembly hall, an adequate work shop for the boys' wood-working classes, and adequate rooms for girls' work in sewing and cooking would be of great advantage to our school system.

Respectfully submitted,

EUNICE A. BAILEY, Chairman  
HARRIET J. SNOW, Secretary  
JOHN CARTER.



FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THE  
 YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1943

Appropriation \$37,833.94  
 Expenditures 37,004.72

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Unexpended Balance \$829.22

SUPERVISION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

School Committee:

Salaries \$138.00  
 Expense 47.12

Superintendent:

Salary 1,153.24  
 Travel 162.50  
 Expenses 50.34  
 Clerical Assistance 198.24  
 School Census 25.00  
 Attendance Officer 33.03

\$1,807.47

EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Supervisors \$629.00  
 Teachers and Substitutes 11,074.01

Chapter 70, Part I  
 Teachers \$1,683.00

Reimbursements

1943

Superintendent of Schools  
 Small Towns \$735.46

Textbooks 443.03  
 Supplies 370.05

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State Wards, Tuition and  
 Transportation \$1,037.60

\$12,516.09

OPERATING EXPENSES

Janitors' Salaries \$1,566.00  
 Fuel 1,952.93  
 Cleaning, Lights, Tel., Jan. Supplies and  
 Miscellaneous 788.30

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Town of Middleboro  
 Tuition and Transporta-  
 tion

Sept., Dec. 1942 \$231.00  
 Jan., June 1943 255.96

\$4,307.23

MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY

Repairs and Miscellaneous \$117.13

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\$117.13

AUXILIARY AGENCIES

Transportation:  
 High School \$5,563.66  
 Elementary School 5,437.06  
 Insurance on Buildings 206.40  
 Tuition, High Schools 5,228.81  
 Health 318.38  
 Miscellaneous Auxiliary Agencies 58.49

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Transportation  
 High School \$5,041.72  
 Wards, City of Boston  
 Tuition and Transporta-  
 tion \$334.94

\$16,812.80

OUTLAYS

Equipment \$456.23

\$456.23

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Tuition \$439.00

Vocational Education  
Tuition and Transporta-  
tion \$243.35

Transportation 103.80

\$542.80

AMERICANIZATION CLASSES

Teaching, Books, Supplies and Janitor \$444.97

\$444.97

Total Expenditures

\$37,004.72

Reimburse-  
ments

\$9,563.03

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL  
COMMITTEE FOR THE  
SCHOOL LUNCH ACCOUNT

1943

Town Appropriation	\$4,900.00
Expenditures	2,814.95
	\$2,085.05
Unexpended Balance	\$2,085.05

*Classified Expenditures*

Labor	\$1,290.25
Food Supplies	1,448.81
Fuel	44.07
Equipment	13.15
Freight, Miscellaneous	18.67
	\$2,814.95

The school department was able to maintain a favorable balance between money collected daily by the principals of the three schools from pupils in payment for lunches, and the amount spent for food, fuel, equipment and miscellaneous. The comparison is shown here:

Amount collected in payment for lunches and deposited with town treasurer	\$1,559.77
Expenditures for Food	\$1,448.81
Expenditures for Fuel	44.07

Expenditures for Equipment	13.15	
Freight, Miscellaneous	18.67	
	<u>          </u>	\$1,524.70
		<u>          </u>

Collected in excess of costs,  
exclusive of labor \$35.07

Summary, showing *net* cost to town:

Appropriation		\$4,900.00
Deposited with treasurer	\$1,559.77	
Unexpended balance	2,085.05	
	<u>          </u>	
	\$3,644.82	
	<u>          </u>	\$3,644.82
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Net Cost		\$1,255.18

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

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To the Members of the Carver School Committee:

I hereby submit my third annual report as Superintendent of Schools for the Town of Carver, a part of the Superintendency Union No. 45, which includes the towns of Carver, Lakeville and Rochester.

The past year represents a continued effort on the part of the school staff to maintain as high standards as possible consistent with the increasing difficulties which confront the public school. There is no doubt that current problems find their origin in the war and, hence are practically unavoidable. An increasing number of homes have been touched by the war in some manner or other, especially through the draft of the male members. Such a condition often produces an undesirable emotional situation in the child which makes learning processes difficult. Added opportunities for employment have encouraged both parents in some families to take work; in instances where there are small children, this has upset their daily living habits and increased the obstacles in their way for learning. Many communities have been concerned with migratory families, but we seem to have escaped this aspect of trouble. Generally speaking, the enrolment in the local schools shows a slight decrease over last year, and the enrolment in the tuition schools is also slightly smaller. The prospect for enrolment next year in the tuition schools seems slightly larger, although this figure is somewhat unpredictable in these times.

There have been two changes in our staff of full-time teachers since the last report. Mrs. Helen H. Griffith, Principal at the Center School retired at the close of school in June, 1943, after thirty years service to educa-

tion, twenty-nine of which were for the Town of Carver. The town, through its school department, is considerably indebted to Mrs. Griffith for her many years of faithful and conscientious service. Her presence is missed from the department. Henry M. Shaw was appointed to succeed Mrs. Griffith as principal of the Center school. Miss Loraine C. Merrill of Hingham, Mass., a graduate of the Gorham, Maine, Normal School, was appointed to the position left vacant by Mrs. Ella S. Donovan. Miss Merrill has had two years' experience in New Hampshire. The balance of the teaching staff remained with us. The latter point is of great importance to the town, for most small towns are experiencing trouble in obtaining and securing effective teaching service during these times of war. The faithfulness of our employees is commendable. I was unable to secure a fifth teacher to take over the teaching fields left vacant through the resignation of Mrs. Helen H. Griffith. After some time had elapsed, with Mrs. Alice Shurtleff substituting in the vacancy, Mrs. Helen Griffith was invited to reconsider and return to the Center school. This she declined to do, wishing to retire from regular, daily teaching. Finally Mrs. Shurtleff very graciously consented to substitute for the remainder of the school year.

Among the part-time teachers, there has been one change. Miss Olive Spaniol, Music Supervisor, resigned to take another position in May, 1943. The position was left vacant until September, 1943, when Miss Antionette Garrett, of Bellows Falls, Vermont, a graduate of the Boston University School of Music with experience in Woodstock, Vermont, was elected to the position in cooperation with the towns of Kingston, Lakeville and Rochester.

Regarding the securing of teachers, the recent study which the committee has made on salaries paid to teachers



throughout the Commonwealth of towns of valuation approximately *equal* to or *less* than that of Carver, will have a beneficial effect on hiring and retaining good teaching service, inasmuch as the decision has been made to raise existing levels and establish a maximum salary equivalent to that of other towns.

We have not been called upon to participate extensively in the war activities this year. The teachers were required to issue War Ration Book No. 4 which they did with their customary cheerfulness and care. Principals and teachers of our schools have cooperated in urging the sales of War Savings Stamps and the three postmasters in the town have each cared for the school nearest his office through a weekly trip to the school for the accommodation of the pupils wishing to make a purchase. The total value of the stamps purchased during the year by the pupils was approximately \$1,200.00.

At the close of school in June it appeared necessary to discontinue the school lunch program until such a time as circumstances warranted a resumption of service. Rationing problems, due to insufficient 'blue points' available under existing regulations, and the withdrawal of federal commodities made it impossible to continue the work. Our inability to retain sufficient help for the wages we could pay was also a contributing factor to closing. Another section of the school report carries a financial statement about the program. It may be noted that the daily fees collected from the pupils more than paid the daily operating expenses, with the exception of the item of help, which was covered by the town appropriation. I have never doubted the value of the program and will recommend its return when circumstances permit.

A major change in the textbook equipment for our schools was made during the past year. In keeping with



the union policy adopted some years ago of renewing one obsolete series of books each year throughout the union, it became time to study available English texts suitable for the elementary grades, and make a selection. The teachers of the union examined samples and the majority favored the use of the series published by the Houghton Mifflin Co. entitled "Language Through Meaning". These books are now in use in grades II through VI. The teachers of grades VII and VIII in the three towns were unable to find books in either technical English or Literature which were to be preferred to the material now in use. Therefore an adoption in this particular field was postponed, pending a better selection of texts from which to choose.

I am able to report progress in preparing the Course of Study. The teachers have worked with me, and, while there is yet much to be done, we have in use an outline of the minimum requirements in some of the major fields of study. I cannot overemphasize the importance of this work, as I believe it extremely unfair to set teachers to work without some delineation of the scope of the requirements for their particular grade or group. The Course of Study in its present state leaves much to be desired, but does represent a sound beginning. Further progress may be expected in 1944. We are beginning to emphasize, particularly in the primary grades, the value of allowing the child to receive a variety of opportunities for learning, and, if he is capable enough and has mastered the minimum requirements, to provide an opportunity for his use of other books and learning situations, rather than simply mark time while waiting for the less capable. In isolated instances with the parents' consent, pupils have been advanced a grade when it appears their enthusiasm for learning is dulled by waiting and all instances tried have turned out successfully. The thought has already appeared in some educational circles that

eventually grade demarkations will disappear, and in their place will appear three schools or divisions—primary, intermediate, and junior high; in these a pupil may progress as fast as he is personally able. There may come a time when this principle may be feasible for use in the Carver schools, inasmuch as there are three separate school locations in use which would lend themselves very satisfactorily to the program.

A successful evening school session was concluded last May. While the numbers enrolled were not as great as the previous year, it may be said that the only purpose of those attending was to learn so as to apply for citizenship. Sessions were resumed this fall, but increased opportunities for employment together with transportation difficulties resulted in a smaller enrollment. The town is not required to maintain the class when the enrollment falls below fifteen registered members. At the writing of this report there is some indication that the class will have to be discontinued as the membership is not holding up. Sessions can be resumed when the demand again appears.

I believe this year is the proper time to begin to examine the future educational program for Carver. A study of past records will show that there have been other times when the Center school building has been under consideration, from the point of view of what is best to do about it—either to rebuild or build a new school. For your consideration, I recommend that the committee and the superintendent begin immediately to study the problem, to view other schools as models and in general to obtain sketches and ideas, with the end in view that with the resumption of peace-time activities and nearer-normal building costs, we can be prepared to have a *new* Center school designed and built for the Town of Carver. There are numerous features to be thought of under such a proposal; some of the more important are as follows:

1. In view of the fact that our secondary school pupils attend Plymouth High School, the new school should be sufficiently larger to accommodate the *ninth* grade. I believe this would prove to be more economical over a period of years, when the estimated saving in tuition and transportation is calculated against the added costs of keeping the ninth grade in Carver.
2. Gymnasium space should be provided.
3. Proper rooms should be built for the teaching of manual and domestic arts, creative art and music.
4. Proper sanitary facilities could be made available in place of present arrangements.
5. The school should provide for a minimum of six classrooms, with a possible allowance for eight.
6. Proper facilities for the noon-day meal should be included.
7. Suitable facilities for medical and dental work could be provided.

There are many items one might put into such a list; the above gives only some of the more important items. The very fact that we send the tuition pupils to Plymouth indicates that a change on our part regarding Grade IX is both necessary and inevitable. We provide little or no opportunity for the physical training of our pupils. We carry on instruction in the practical and creative arts under poor circumstances at best. The present building will soon need complete refinishing and some repairs, and we have trouble in heating certain parts of it, in spite of excellent janitor service. While the present is not the

time to build, it is the time to do the planning. By doing all this preliminary work, by deciding what is best and what we want during this period, we can be ready to go ahead at the earliest reasonable opportunity.

Please accept my appreciation for your continued interest in the problems of public education and for your careful and open-minded analysis of the important principles which we have already considered. It is with such a situation that we can obtain the best for Carver.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE R. AUSTIN,

Superintendent.

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

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To the Superintendent of Schools:

I wish to submit my annual report of work done as school nurse in the Town of Carver.

In March the Tuberculosis School Clinic in charge of the staff of Plymouth County Hospital was held at the Center School. Seventy-seven pupils had skin tests made, seventy-two of which were negative. Eleven pupils were X-rayed; eight of these were negative and three remained the same as in previous years. Ten pupils were continued on the follow-up clinic.

A Diphtheria prevention clinic, conducted by the Board of Health, was held in May with Dr. L. M. Chase in charge. Fourteen school children and four pre-school children were immunized.

During September and October the annual physical examinations were made by Dr. L. M. Chase; 187 pupils were examined. Notices of defects as found through the examination were sent to the parents.

Hearing was tested by means of the Audiometer for all pupils; two were found to be deficient in this respect. Proper classroom adjustment has been made in each case.

Eyes were examined for poor vision; six pupils were found to have defects of some sort. After notification to the parents, corrections were made for five of the six pupils.

The annual dental clinic took place during December. Dr. E. F. Tobin of Brookline examined 102 pupils; fifty-one of these had a total of 179 operations performed.

I have made 105 school visits, 111 home visits and have taken twenty-seven pupils home for various reasons. During the summer months I made sixteen pre-school visits.

I wish to express my appreciation to parents and teachers for their cooperation and interest.

Respectfully submitted,

DORIS. E. BROWN, R. N.

## SCHOOL CENSUS

Age—Grade—Distribution, October 1, 1943

Ages	5—7		7—14		14—16		16—21		Totals
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Elementary									
E. Tillson Pratt School									
Grade	I	6	4	1	1				12
	II	0	3	7	1				11
	III	0	0	9	5				14
	IV	0	0	10	3				13
									— 50
Benjamin Ellis School									
Grade	I	7	6						13
	II	2	3	6	7				18
	III	0	0	6	8				14
	IV	0	0	6	8				14
									— 59
Center School									
Grade	V		13	11					24
	VI		16	7	3	0			26
	VII		9	8	2	1			20
	VIII		5	7	4	3			19
									— 89
Total Elementary Enrolment									198
Middleboro High School									
Grades IX-XII					3	0	1		4
									— 4
Plymouth High School									
Grade	IX			1	10	7			18
	X				6	6	0	1	13
	XI						3	2	5
	XII				1	2	2	3	8
									— 44
Total High School Enrolment									48
Pre-school Pupils									
		10	11						
In Other School					3	0	1	4	8
Military Service							33	1	34
Out of School				1	5	1	16	39	62



## SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENCY UNION, No. 45

## REPORT OF THE SECRETARY FOR 1943

The Union Committee of School Superintendency Union No. 45 held its annual meeting in Rochester at the Piercerville School on April 12, 1943. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Chairman, Leslie H. Norton,           Lakeville

Secretary, Ina A. Washburn,        Lakeville

As Mrs. Washburn was absent, Mr. Baker was appointed secretary, pro tem.

The committee voted to raise the superintendent's salary and to pay the same travel allowance as paid last year. Voted that the percentage of the superintendent's salary and travel allowance to be paid by each town be as follows: Carver 40% Lakeville 30%, Rochester 30%. It was agreed that the salary of the school nurse be paid by the towns as follows: Carver 35%, Lakeville 31%, Rochester 34%. Mrs. Doris E. Brown, R. N., of Lakeville, was elected to serve as school nurse for the Union. The superintendent presented a report showing the distribution of his time to the various phases of his work. The committee considered suggestions for a written form to be used in contracting with teachers. A suitable agreement was adopted and ordered printed.

The semi-annual meeting of the committee was held in Lakeville, at the Assawompsett School, November 15, 1943. The superintendent presented a detailed report re-



garding the Course of Study which was being prepared by the teachers for use in the schools of Union No. 45.

On November 20, 1943, the committee met in Carver at the Benjamin Ellis School at the call of the chairman, Mr. Norton, to determine whether or not the committee would apply for deferment of the superintendent from military service, notice having been received that he would be called in the near future. The committee voted unanimously to apply for his deferment and proper application was sent to Local Draft Board No. 138, Somerset, Mass., signed by the chairman and secretary of the Union Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

INA A. WASHBURN,

Secretary.



**TOWN WARRANT**  
**AND REPORT OF**  
**FINANCE COMMITTEE**  
**OF THE**  
**TOWN of CARVER**  
**MASSACHUSETTS**

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**Annual Town Meeting, March 6, 1944**  
**at 12:00 Noon**



## TOWN WARRANT AND REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

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Plymouth, ss. To either of the Constables of the Town of Carver, Plymouth County, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Carver qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Carver on Monday, the sixth day of March 1944 at twelve o'clock noon, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers, the following officers to be voted for all on one ballot, viz:— Moderator, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, Three Auditors, Three Constables, Three Herring Committeemen, One Tree Warden, and One Highway Surveyor, each for one year. One Assessor, One Selectman, One School Committeeman, One Cemetery Commissioner, One Park Commissioner, One Member of Public Welfare and Two Library Trustees, each for Three Years.

The polls will be open for at least seven hours.

And you are directed to further notify said Inhabitants of said Town that as soon as the ballots have been counted the meeting will adjourn to Tuesday, March 7, 1944, at nine o'clock A. M. and at that time will reconvene at said Town Hall in said Carver, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen,

to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1944, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 2. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 3. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) from the free cash in the town treasury for the sole purpose of meeting charges against the cemetery funds in the town treasury.

Article 4. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to accept the cemetery fund or funds paid into the town treasury under the perpetual care statutes, or act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 5. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend suits for or against the Town.

Article 6. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 7. To see what disposition the Town will make of the dog fund.

Article 7. Recommended by the Finance Committee that it be added to the Library Account.

Article 8. To see what amount the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, and choose a Town Director as provided in Sections 41 and 45 of Chapter 128 of the General Laws, and act thereon.

Article 8. Recommended by the Finance Committee that \$100.00 be raised and appropriated.

Article 9. To see what pay the Town will vote the Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, and other Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Article 9. Recommended by Finance Committee as follows:

Moderator: \$10.00 for the Annual Town Meeting.  
\$5.00 for each Special Meeting.

Town Clerk: \$400.00.

Town Treasurer: \$700.00.

Collector of Taxes: \$700.00.

Highway Surveyor: 90 cents per hour.

School Committee Members: \$2.50 per day as provided by the law of the Commonwealth, plus \$2.50 additional per day of eight hours.

Constables: 75 cents per hour.

All other officers elected by the Town, 75 cents per hour.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the overlay reserve account to 1944 Reserve Ac-

count the sum of Seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750.00) or such other sum of money as may be voted the 1944 Reserve Account by the Town, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 10. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Welfare to use the Federal Government Reimbursement for administration, and to act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 11. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 12. To choose all necessary Town officers not elected by ballot.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highway Maintenance, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 13. Recommended by the Finance Committee that \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated, and not over \$2,000.00 to be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury to meet the State's and County's shares of the cost of work, the reimbursements from the State and County to be restored, upon their receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways, or take any other action in relation thereto.



Article 14. Recommended by the Finance Committee that \$5,417.00 be raised and appropriated, and not over \$8,125.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursements from the State to be restored, upon their receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purchase of war bonds or other bonds that are legal investments for savings banks, in order to establish a postwar rehabilitation fund, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 5, Acts of 1943, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 15. Recommended by the Finance Committee that the sum of ten thousand dollars be taken from available funds in the treasury for the purchase of an interest bearing war bond.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Cemetery Commissioners and the Park Commissioners to employ themselves as laborers in the Cemeteries and Parks, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 16. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to pay outstanding bills as follows, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Public Welfare—Unpaid Bills 1943	\$65.00
Police—Unpaid Bills 1943	18.56
Health—Unpaid Bills 1943	156.00
Carver State Guards—Unpaid Bills 1943	7.48

Article 17. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 to be used to pay for all private work and materials in Town Cemeteries, such as, opening graves, foundations, etc., as according to General Laws, Chapter 44, Sec. 53.

Article 18. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 19. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to sell the Police Motor Cycle, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 19. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, at the several places designated by vote of the Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 19th day of February in the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Four.

JESSE A. HOLMES,  
ELLIS D. ATWOOD,  
BERNARD W. ROBY,

Selectmen of Carver.

Finance Committee,

FRANK H. COLE, Chairman  
FRANK D. COSTELLO, Secretary.

# SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS, BALANCES AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SELECTMEN.

Tabulated for the Use of the Voters in the Town Meeting, March 7, 1944.

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/31/43 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
General Government	\$6,787.00		\$5,645.87		\$1,141.13	\$7,539.50	\$7,539.50
Unclassified and Memorial Day	{ 500.00 150.00		486.67		13.33	500.00	500.00
Health	1,256.50		575.86		150.00	150.00	150.00
Public Welfare	8,800.00	\$160.75	6,930.17		841.39	1,200.00	1,200.00
Public Welfare Administration	500.00		237.20		1,869.83	7,500.00	7,500.00
Work Relief:					262.80	275.00	275.00
Balance 1/1/43		142.89		\$142.89			
Old Age Assistance	10,000.00						
Refund		9.00					
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1/1/43		31.22					
U. S. Grant		7,411.27					
Total \$17,451.49			16,431.02	466.76	553.71	9,740.00	9,740.00
O. A. A. Administration	250.00						
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1/1/43		44.25					
U. S. Grant		246.98					
Total \$541.23			414.04	10.53	116.66	225.00	225.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,700.00						
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1/1/43		103.33					
U. S. Grant		860.50					
Total \$3,663.83			2,452.00	58.33	1,153.50	2,700.00	2,700.00
A. D. C. Administration	30.00						
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1/1/43		12.35					
U. S. Grant		32.86					
Total \$75.21			43.09	11.35	20.77	25.00	25.00

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/31/43 Balance	Ref'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Soldiers' Relief	200.00				200.00	200.00	200.00
Police	2,300.00		1,095.31		1,204.69	850.00	850.00
Public Safety—Civilian Defense Balance 1/1/43		403.91	55.16	348.75			
Plymouth County Hospital							
Assessment	1,711.89		1,711.89			1,768.96	1,768.96
Rationing Board	200.00		26.10		173.90	100.00	100.00
Carver State Guards	300.00		245.10		54.90	250.00	250.00
American Legion Rent							
Unpaid Bill 1942	100.00		100.00				
Road Machinery	500.00						
Trans. from Reserve Acct.		106.28					
Total \$606.28			606.28			500.00	500.00
Bridges	300.00		20.30		279.70	300.00	300.00
Removal of Snow	1,300.00		1,156.95		143.05	1,000.00	1,000.00
ROADS:							
Chapter 81	6,500.00						
Received from State		4,362.74					
Due from State		1,700.15					
Total \$12,562.89			10,104.82				
*To be returned to Treasury					757.92	5,417.00	5,417.00
Chapter 90 Maintenance	1,000.00				*1,700.15		
Received from State		999.76					
Received from County		999.76					
Total \$2,999.52			2,999.27		.25	1,000.00	1,000.00
By-Laws Committee	10.00						
*To offset Overdraft 1941 Account			*10.00				
W. P. A.							
Balance 1/1/43		265.83		265.83			

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/31/43 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Fires	700.00						
Trans. from Reserve Acct		88.13					
Total \$788.13			788.13			700.00	700.00
Fire Equipment	875.00		817.85		57.15	450.00	450.00
Cemeteries	893.00		734.41		158.59	985.00	985.00
Parks	200.00		192.83		7.17	200.00	200.00
Library	250.00						
Library—Dog Fund		315.00					
Total \$565.00			521.41		43.59	300.00	300.00
Weights and Measures	150.00		148.61		1.39	150.00	150.00
Tree Warden	750.00		749.01		.99	750.00	750.00
Gypsy Moth	1,222.88		928.47		294.41	1,194.45	1,194.45
Schools and Vocational							
Education	37,833.94		37,004.72		829.22	39,721.78	39,721.78
School Lunch	4,900.00		2,814.95		2,085.05		
School Dental Clinic	75.00		75.00	181.10		75.00	75.00
Benj. Ellis Fund		181.10		48.78			
E. Tillson Pratt Fund		48.78					
North School Remodeling							
Balance 1/1/43		16.91		16.91			
Notes	1,000.00		1,000.00			500.00	500.00
Interest	100.00		40.00		60.00	75.00	75.00
Aid to Agriculture	100.00		100.00			100.00	100.00
American Legion Rent	50.00		50.00			50.00	50.00
Old Home Day	175.00		172.70		2.30	175.00	175.00
Workmen's Compensation Ins.	439.61		375.24		64.37	400.00	400.00
Land Damage, Meadow Street							
Balance 1/1/43		2.88		2.88			
Land Damage—So. Meadow St.							
Balance 1/1/43		13.43		13.43			

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12/31/43 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Tillson Pratt School, Grounds							
Balance 1/1/43	500.00	160.00	242.10	160.00	257.90	400.00	400.00
General Highway	1,200.00	4,338.00	4,322.85	15.15			
Fire Truck Balance 1/1/43	250.00		1,200.00	80.10		200.00	200.00
Alarm System			169.90				
Observation Tower							
Reserve Account							
From Overlay reserve account	750.00					750.00	750.00
Trans. to Machinery							
Acct. ....							\$106.28
Trans. to Fire Acct. ....							88.13
Balance of \$555.59 returned to Overlay reserve acct.							
Public Welfare—Unpaid Bills 1943						65.00	65.00
Police—Unpaid Bills 1943						18.56	18.56
Health—Unpaid Bills 1943						156.00	156.00
Carver State Guards—Unpaid Bills 1943						7.48	7.48

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