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In Memoriam

FRANK F. WESTON

1880 — 1945

Born in Middleboro, March 1, 1880

Died in Carver, April 13, 1945

He attended the Carver public schools and, in fact, his home being so near the Carver town boundary line, many of his interests and associations were centered here.

He spent much of the early part of his life with his father, the late S. T. Weston, in the lumber and trucking business.

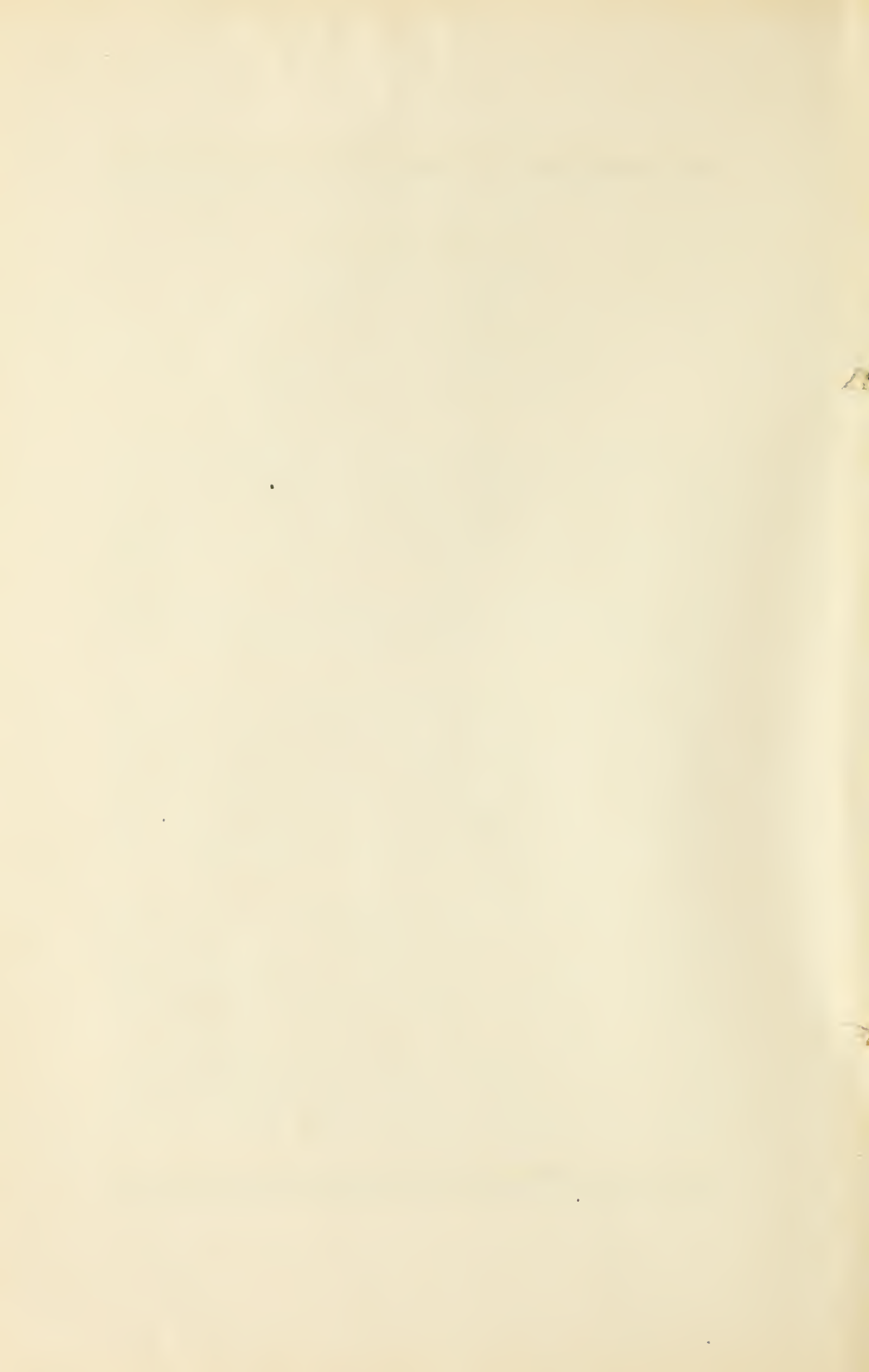
In 1921, by special act of the Legislature, the boundary line between Middleboro and Carver was changed and thereby both Frank and his father became residents of Carver.

About 1930 he became interested in the cranberry business on a large scale and purchased bogs in Duxbury. These, with his holdings in Middleboro and Carver, he conducted successfully until the time of his death. He also did considerable contract work for the cranberry industry. He held the office of Road Commissioner from 1922-1934, was appointed Superintendent of Streets 1935-1937, when he became Highway Surveyor, which office he held until his death.

He was married to Bertha Florence Vaughan of this town in 1906 and leaves a family of four sons, Mrs. Weston having passed on two years previous to his death.

He was a charter member of Wm. S. McFarlin Camp 132, Sons of Veterans and also a charter member of South Carver Grange.

Because of his response at all times to help and advise in both town and social affairs, he will be long remembered by the citizens of Carver. His interest in highway work and his ability to handle varying labor conditions made him an outstanding leader.



In Memoriam

JOHN F. TUBMAN

1894 — 1945

John was born in Brewster April 6, 1894, and spent most of his early life on the Cape. He was always interested in agriculture and operated a cranberry bog in Carver.

He came to Carver in 1921 and has served the town as Tree Warden and Gypsy Moth Superintendent for 14 years, holding these offices at the time of his death. He also held the office of Forest Warden and Park Commissioner for several years.

He was a member of Wm. S. McFarlin Camp 132. His interest in affairs of the town and other activities, along with his willingness to help his fellowmen, will not soon be forgotten by those who knew him.

Town of Carver

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

FOR THE YEAR 1945

Moderator—Norman V. Holmes,

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

Auditors—Roger V. Weston, Warren L. Chandler, Arthur W. Peterson.

Selectmen—Frank D. Costello (1948), Jesse A. Holmes (1947, Bernard W. Roby (1946).

Board of Public Welfare—Selectmen.

Assessors—William M. Shaw (1948), Arthur H. Wade (1947), Ralph E. Washburn (1946).

Highway Surveyor—Frank F. Weston (Deceased, April 13, 1945), Charles M. Haynes appointed.

School Committee—John Carter (1948), Eunice Bailey (1947), Harriet J. Snow (1946).

Park Commissioners—John F. Tubman (1948), Deceased Dec. 14, 1945, James S. McKay (1947), Robert M. Andrews (1946).

Cemetery Commissioners—Ralph L. Linton (1948), Edwin E. Bisbee (1947), James H. Peckham (1946).

Library Trustees—A. Viola Griffith (1948), George L. Parker (1948), Henry M. Shaw (1947), Marjorie E. Telfer (1947), Elthea E. Atwood (1946), William M. Shaw (1946).

Constables—Edwin E. Bisbee, Ellis S. Bumpus, William E. Holmes.

Town Director—County Aid to Agriculture—Earl E. Boardway.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers — Edwin E. Bisbee, Ellis S. Bumpus, William E. Holmes.

Fence Viewers—Edwin E. Bisbee, Ellis S. Bumpus, William E. Holmes.

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

Tree Warden—John F. Tubman (Deceased December 14, 1945).

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Inspector of Animals—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Inspector of Slaughtering—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Forest Warden—Francis Merritt.

Gypsy Moth Superintendent — John F. Tubman, (Deceased Dec. 14, 1945).

Finance Committee—Terms expire in 1948: Eldred S. Mosher, Bradford H. Cole, Olive S. Ward, Gordon C. LeCain, Roger Williams; Terms expire in 1947: Leonard N. Heikkila, Lewis W. Jenney, H. W. Jordan, Kenneth E. Shaw, Herbert J. Vaughan; Terms expire in 1946: Carroll D. Griffith, Chesley H. Knowlton, Carl W. Johnson, Orrie S. Dempsey, George C. Paulding.

CONDITION OF THE TOWN TREASURY
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DEC. 31, 1945

Assets

Cash	\$73,263.72	
Outstanding Taxes 1944	34.58	
Outstanding Taxes 1945	4,314.34	
Outstanding Excise Taxes 1945	54.58	
Due from State Chap. 81	2,846.44	
	\$80,513.66	

Liabilities

Overlay 1944	\$34.58	
Overlay 1945	917.94	
Overlay Reserve Account	6,094.42	
Unexpended Accounts	922.37	
Benj. Ellis School Fund	381.12	
E. Tillson Pratt School Fund	48.78	
Florenz Pina Account	12.90	
Due County on Dog Fund	1.80	
County (Petition 1306)	1,000.00	
Balance	71,099.75	
	\$80,513.66	

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer,
ROGER V. WESTON,
WARREN L. CHANDLER,
ARTHUR W. PETERSON,

Board of Auditors

TREASURER'S REPORT

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer

Dr.

1945

Jan. 1, Balance from 1944	\$58,262.93
Received from Commonwealth;	
Highways, Chap. 81, contract	
4189	\$2,838.81
Highways, Chap. 81, contract	
4369	5,264.62
Highways, Chap. 90, maint.	
contract 8954	777.85
Highways, Chap. 90, maint.	
contract 9334	998.44
Income Tax	9,635.00
Corporation Tax	5,286.76
Meal Tax Old Age Assist.	402.34
Loss of Taxes	254.33
Highway Fund, Chap. 569, Acts	
1943	5,812.68
Snow Removal	760.02
Old Age Assistance	6,314.50
Aid Dependent Children	261.60
Temporary Aid	1,115.15
Contagious Diseases	568.50
Public Health Subsidy	116.43
Tuition of Children	1,187.76
School Superintendent	773.33

Vocational Education	445.50	
High School Transportation	4,715.43	
	<hr/>	\$47,529.05
U. S. Grants, Old Age Assist. (assist)	\$6,002.51	
U. S. Grants, Old Age Assist. (admin.)	200.02	
	<hr/>	\$6,202.53
U. S. Grants, Aid Dependent Children (aid)	\$440.13	
U. S. Grants, Aid Dependent Children (admin.)	19.34	
	<hr/>	\$459.47
County of Plymouth:		
Dog Fund	\$318.80	
Chap. 90 Maintenance (1944)	777.85	
Chap. 90 Maintenance	998.44	
Highways, Petition 1306	1,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,095.09
Received from Cities and Towns:		
Mattapoisett, Public Welfare	\$660.85	
Franklin, Public Welfare	29.88	
Marion, Public Welfare	65.50	
Middleboro Old Age Assistance	72.67	
New Bedford, Public Welfare	287.92	
Boston, Schools	279.75	
	<hr/>	\$1,396.57
Cemetery Funds:		
Albert Linton	\$100.00	
George W. Linton	100.00	

Lakenham Cemetery Fund	60.00	
Central Cemetery Fund	60.00	
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		\$320.00
Eleanor L. Shaw, Library Fines		\$15.35
Town Clerk, Dog Fund		411.20
Town Clerk, Sporting License Fund		317.25
Pratt School Fund		48.78
Benj. Ellis School Fund		200.00
Director of Standards, Pedlar's License		6.00
Town Clerk:		
Marriage License fees	\$20.00	
Chattel Mortgage fees	21.18	
Miscellaneous fees	7.75	
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		\$48.93
Town Histories		18.00
Milk Licenses		1.75
Lord's Day Licenses		1.00
Gasoline Renewals		5.00
Alcohol Permits		2.00
Revolver Permits		4.00
Second Hand Car Dealer's License		5.00
Slaughter House License (2)		20.00
John O. Eaton, cash refund		1.00
Refunds		63.57
Telephone Calls		1.10
Sale of Cryolite		96.00
Interest on U. S. Bond series G.		250.00
Sealer's Fees		12.78
Special Cemetery Work		279.50
Cemetery Bills, Perpetual care		587.55
Junior Police		1.35
Sale of Logs		150.00
U. S. Withholding Tax		2,421.70
Court Fines		10.00

Tax Collector:

Poll and Property Taxes 1944	\$4,397.00	
Poll and Property Taxes 1945	65,259.77	
Interest on Poll and Property Taxes	146.39	
Demand Fees	12.60	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1944	27.29	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1945	1,608.56	
Interest on Excise Taxes	2.66	
	<hr/>	\$71,454.27
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		\$193,698.72

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Selectmen's Orders	\$68,021.45
School Orders	39,046.43
Division of Fisheries and Game	317.25
Plymouth County Dog Fund	409.40
Cemetery Bills, Perpetual care	587.55
Cemetery Funds	320.00
U. S. Withholding Tax	2,421.70
State Tax	3,060.00
County Tax	5,703.85
State Audit	485.48
State Parks and Reservations	61.89
Balance December 31, 1945	73,263.72
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	\$193,698.72

LIBRARY FUNDS

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc. Jan. 1, 1945	Inc. for Year	Exp. for Year	Bal. of Inc. Dec. 31st 1945
Sarah F. McFarlin	\$100.00	\$28.45	\$1.92	.....	\$30.37

PARKWAY FUNDS

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc. Jan. 1, 1945	Inc. for Year	Exp. for Year	Bal. of Inc. Dec. 31st 1945
Rosa A Cole	\$1,000.00	\$68.75	\$21.47	.....	\$90.22
Mary P. S. Jowitt	100.00	26.80	1.89	.....	28.69

LICENSES AND PERMITS

SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED IN 1945

Resident Citizens Fishing	28 @	\$2.00	\$56.00
Resident Citizens Hunting	43 @	2.00	86.00
Resident Citizens Sporting	48 @	3.25	156.00
Women and Minors Fishing	21 @	1.25	26.25
Resident Citizens Trapping	5 @	5.25	26.26
Special Non-resident Fishing	2 @	1.50	3.00
Duplicate	1 @	.50	.50
Resident Citizens Sporting (free)	10		
Resident Citizens Fishing, O.A.A. (free)	1		
Resident Citizens Military and Naval	4		
		148	\$354.00
Fees			36.75
Paid Division of Fisheries and Game			\$317.25

DOGS LICENSED 1945-1946

Males	131 @ \$2.00	\$262.00
Females	27 @ 5.00	135.00
Spayed Females	20 @ 2.00	40.00
Breeders	1 @ 10.00	10.00
Military (free)	4	
	179	\$447.00
Fees		35.80
		\$411.20
Paid County of Plymouth		409.40
Due County of Plymouth		\$1.80

PISTOL PERMITS (\$0.50)

Thomas L. Kenney	Arthur T. Braddock
Ellis S. Bumpus	Richard M. Smalley
Wesley Shurtleff	Earl V. Barnes
Charles M. Haynes	Roger A. Chauvin

MILK LICENSES (25c and 50c)

Walter R. Carmichael	H. P. Hood & Sons 50c
Beatrice Raymond 2	Mary Aho
Mrs. Andrew Kaski	

GASOLINE RENEWALS (\$1.00)

Ellis D. Atwood	Wenham Garage
John O. Eaton	William R. Holmes
Emma Roby	

ALCOHOL PERMITS (\$1.00)

Emma Roby 2

LORD'S DAY LICENSES (\$1.00)

John O. Eaton

SLAUGHTER HOUSE LICENSE (\$10.00)

Robert Shurtleff 2

SECOND HAND CAR DEALERS LICENSES (\$5.00)

Albert L. Chandler

CONDITION OF CEMETERY FUNDS FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1945

CENTRAL CEMETERY

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal.
		Jan. 1, 1945	Year	Year	of Inc. Dec. 31st 1945
John B. Hatch	\$100.00	\$2.35	\$2.05	\$2.25	\$2.15
Wilson Shaw	100.00	2.19	2.05	2.15	2.09
Clara M. Benson	100.00	2.15	2.05	2.15	2.05
E. L. Griffith	200.00	3.36	3.05	3.25	3.16
Isaac Vaughan	200.00	3.18	3.05	3.00	3.23
Catharine L. Gray	75.00	1.64	1.53	1.60	1.57
Betsey C. Look	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
D. W. Nash	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Isaac Shaw	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Linus Shaw	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Theodore T. Vaughan	200.00	4.24	4.10	4.00	4.34
L. A. F. Baker	150.00	3.13	3.07	3.00	3.20
Sarah D. Nash	100.00	2.12	2.05	2.10	2.07
John A. Thomas	100.00	1.52	1.51	1.50	1.53
Horatio A. Lucas	100.00	1.52	1.51	1.50	1.53
Eben S. Lucas	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Aravesta B. Shaw	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Thomas Vaughan	200.00	3.16	3.05	3.00	3.21
James A. Vaughan	200.00	3.16	3.05	3.00	3.21
Albert T. Shurtleff	200.00	3.13	3.05	3.00	3.18
Benjamin Shurtleff	100.00	1.52	1.51	1.50	1.53
John Snow	100.00	1.52	1.52	1.50	1.54
Central Cemetery Fund	285.00	4.63	4.60	4.63	4.60
Fred A. Dimond	50.00	.99	.76	.95	.80
Edward Watson Shaw	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
Herbert H. Atwood	100.00	2.19	2.05	2.15	2.09
James E. Vaughan	200.00	4.10	4.10	4.00	4.20
Frank Thomas	100.00	1.03	2.03	1.03	2.03
Nathan Maxim	150.00	3.06	3.07	3.06	3.07
Merton F. Dorr	100.00	2.03	2.05	2.03	2.05
Pelham W. Barrows	200.00	.....	2.00	.....	2.00
	\$4,110.00	\$72.27	\$73.21	\$70.70	\$74.78

LAKENHAM CEMETERY

Jennie E. Robbins	\$100.00	\$36.70	\$2.74	\$10.00	\$29.44
Augustine Shurtleff	100.00	4.09	2.09	3.00	3.18
Theron M. Cole	100.00	2.89	1.53	2.85	1.57
Morse & Dunham	200.00	37.57	4.76	6.50	35.83
Cobb & Barrows	100.00	1.45	2.03	1.00	2.48
N. M. Ransome	200.00	20.29	4.42	5.00	19.71

Edward W. King	100.00	1.80	1.52	1.00	2.32
Levi Cobb	100.00	2.97	2.05	2.75	2.27
L. & A. R. Eames	100.00	2.32	1.53	2.00	1.85
Joseph R. Sherman	100.00	1.38	1.51	1.25	1.64
Joseph W. Sherman	100.00	1.96	2.03	1.75	2.24
Gustavus L. Swift	200.00	24.46	3.37	6.00	21.83
Mary A. Shurtleff	150.00	3.19	3.07	3.00	3.26
Henry Sherman	130.00	4.54	2.69	4.00	3.23
Joseph B. Richard	150.00	16.59	3.34	9.00	10.93
Lafayette Braddock	100.00	3.90	1.55	3.00	2.45
E. T. Stetson	200.00	142.29	6.87	20.00	129.16
Rosa A. Cole	1,000.00	40.33	20.90	30.00	31.23
James Dunham	100.00	4.56	2.09	4.00	2.65
Chase & Barrows	100.00	2.26	2.05	2.00	2.31
George P. B. Atwood	100.00	2.21	1.52	2.00	1.73
Lakenham Cemetery Fund	416.16	-----	7.10	15.00	-----
Timothy Cobb	50.00	.76	1.01	-----	1.77
Thomas Tillson	100.00	7.56	2.15	9.00	.71
James W. Griffith	100.00	2.04	2.05	2.00	2.09
Mary D. Braddock	100.00	3.75	2.07	2.50	3.32
Albert C. Bradford	100.00	2.82	2.05	2.00	2.87
Benjamin W. Robbins	150.00	7.47	3.16	9.00	1.63
George E. Atwood	100.00	5.36	2.11	3.50	3.97
Olive F. and Annie D. Atwood	100.00	3.81	2.07	3.00	2.88
Albert Linton	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----
George W. Linton	100.00	-----	-----	-----	-----
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	\$4,946.16	\$391.32	\$97.43	\$166.10	\$330.55

UNION CEMETERY

Hannah P. Richards	\$100.00	\$78.30	\$2.66	\$9.00	\$71.96
Rufus L. Richards	100.00	63.55	2.45	3.00	63.00
Irene A. Bent	100.00	34.96	2.00	3.00	33.96
Alexander Law	100.00	14.41	1.70	3.00	13.11
Eliza A. Bowers	200.00	26.92	3.40	3.00	27.32
Thomas B. Griffith	1,000.00	332.58	26.77	16.00	343.35
Hannah B. Shaw	1,000.00	229.06	18.49	-----	247.55
Marcus Atwood	200.00	174.01	7.51	6.00	175.52
Charles W. Griffith	500.00	193.00	13.92	80.00	126.92
Philander W. Bump	100.00	35.57	2.71	7.50	30.78
Ellis Griffith	200.00	130.57	6.63	20.00	117.21
Albert W. Perkins	100.00	45.93	2.92	6.00	42.85
Joseph Pratt	500.00	724.41	24.60	25.00	724.01
Ebenezer Smith	100.00	16.99	1.73	4.50	14.22
John A. Winberg	100.00	9.73	2.19	4.50	7.42
Olive B. Leonard	100.00	51.64	3.04	6.00	48.68
Charles Donnelly	100.00	15.87	2.32	4.50	13.69
Sarah McFarlin	100.00	13.59	1.69	3.00	12.28
Stephen Atwood	200.00	36.31	4.74	7.50	33.55
John J. Barrows	100.00	11.92	2.24	4.50	9.66

Name	Principal	Bal. of Inc.	Inc. for	Exp. for	Bal.
		Jan. 1, 1945	Year	Year	of Inc. Dec. 31st 1945
Lucius Atwood	100.00	11.39	1.65	3.00	10.04
Frank F. Tillson	100.00	14.70	1.70	3.25	13.15
Clarence H. Knowlton	100.00	14.49	2.29	4.25	12.53
Wilfred A. Tillson	100.00	12.84	1.67	3.25	11.26
Josiah W. Atwood	200.00	21.88	3.32	6.00	19.20
Oren Atwood	200.00	20.69	3.31	6.00	18.00
Lothrop A. Hayden	100.00	9.51	2.19	4.00	7.70
Samuel A. Shurtleff	200.00	19.49	4.40	5.00	18.89
Stillman Shaw	150.00	8.46	2.36	3.50	7.32
Samuel Shaw	150.00	8.90	2.38	3.50	7.78
Henry C. Washburn	100.00	19.01	2.39	4.50	16.90
Jane G. Burgess	100.00	19.07	2.39	4.25	17.21
Alfred M. Shaw	100.00	18.54	2.37	4.25	16.66
Ephraim Griffith	100.00	8.11	2.17	3.25	7.03
Charles A. Perkins	200.00	32.66	3.48	5.25	30.89
A. Sampson Perkins	100.00	10.67	1.64	3.00	9.31
Henry M. Gammons	100.00	6.50	1.59	3.00	5.09
John S. Atwood	100.00	9.35	1.63	3.00	7.98
Andrew M. Bumpus	100.00	6.74	1.59	3.00	5.33
Alice G. Shaw	100.00	10.94	1.64	3.50	9.08
Mildred V. Wallace	100.00	9.42	1.63	3.25	7.80
Ellis D. Atwood	200.00	54.68	5.11	4.50	55.29
Alton H. Griffith	100.00	7.95	2.16	3.00	7.11
S. Dexter Atwood	200.00	26.27	3.39	5.00	24.66
Hugh R. Bailey	200.00	37.52	3.55	4.50	36.57
Eli Southworth	100.00	9.90	1.63	3.00	8.53
Peleg McFarlin	100.00	6.19	2.13	2.50	5.82
Elijah H. Thomas	130.00	13.14	2.15	3.50	11.79
Cobb & Shurtleff	1,000.00	179.53	23.70	10.50	192.73
Preston Manter	100.00	12.76	2.25	4.50	10.51
Frederick Anderson	100.00	7.32	1.61	2.25	6.68
Robert F. Shurtleff	100.00	10.35	2.21	2.50	10.06
Charles F. Washburn	100.00	9.17	2.19	3.00	8.36
Z. Albert Tillson	100.00	7.48	2.15	2.00	7.63
William F. Stanley	200.00	4.69	4.10	2.00	6.79
	\$10,330.00	\$2,919.64	\$239.83	\$350.75	\$2,808.72

WENHAM CEMETERY

Mary E. Forbes	\$100.00	\$8.22	\$1.62	.....	\$9.84
Reuben Sherman	100.00	4.53	1.56	.....	6.09
Julia F. Hammond	100.00	3.65	1.55	.....	5.20
Sarah A. Hammond	100.00	8.65	2.17	.....	10.82
Henry T. Hammond	100.00	12.69	2.25	.....	14.94
Eliza C. Dunham	100.00	13.28	1.69	.....	14.97
Alfred Cole	200.00	31.30	4.64	.....	35.94
	\$800.00	\$82.32	\$15.48	.....	\$97.80

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

POLL AND PROPERTY TAXES

Year	8 Warrants	Collected	Abated	Tax Titles Dec. 31, 1945	Outstanding
1945 Polls	\$924.00	\$780.00	\$144.00		\$792.00
1945 Personal	5,836.38	5,044.38			3,522.34
1945 Real Estate	62,974.23	59,435.39		\$16.50	
	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945				
1944 Polls	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$2.00		
1944 Personal	727.65	724.05	3.60		
1944 Real Estate	3,710.71	3,666.95	5.13	4.05	34.58

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES

1945	4 Warrants \$1,674.42	\$1,608.56	\$11.28	\$54.58
	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1945			
1944	Warrant Jan. 8th	27.29	2.00	•

JACK L. MARTIN,
Collector of Taxes.

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

**MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE
YEAR 1945**

- Mar. 18. Howard Russell Jordan of Bridgewater, and
Florence Agnes Shaw.
- Apr. 6. John Halunen, and Laura Elizabeth Parker of
Wareham.
- Apr. 22. Manuel H. Andrade of Rochester, and Mary
(Gomes) Perry of Rochester.
- May 26. James Archer Liddell, and Ann Sarah Smith
of Readville.
- July 19. Ralph Eugene Quillen, and Natalie Isabelle
Bumpus.
- July 21. Roger Arthur Thomas, and Evelyn L. Bates
of Plymouth.
- July 22. Clayton H. Jaynes of Springfield, and Mary
Teresa Gomes.
- July 22. William Ely Rougeau of Marlboro, and Marion
Priscilla Ketchen.
- July 31. Wallace Frederick Dudley, and Norma Lois
Anderson of Plymouth.
- Aug. 30. William John Anderson of Kingston, and
Linnia Eleanor Wainio.
- Dec. 23. Erwin Keyes Washburn, and Muriel Frances
Lawrence of Rochester.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1945

Date	Name	Parents
Jan. 11	George Nelson Brien*	George Joseph Brien Olive Mildred Chandler
Jan. 18	Robert Gomes*	Andrew Anthony Gomes Jacqueline Ann Silva
Jan. 27	Fred Stephen Ward*	Austin Sherman Ward Doris Shurtleff Eames
Feb. 23	Emily Louise Feller*	Richard Gustav Feller Viola Irene Oberg
Mar. 26	Gerald Erwin Courtney*	Bernard Michael Courtney Arlene Frances Washburn
Apr. 11	Linda Andrea Lopes*	Andrew William Lopes Flora Ann Fernandes
Apr. 17	Wesley Warren Shurtleff, Jr.*	Wesley Warren Shurtleff Bessie May Braddock
May 6	Richard Victor Jokinen	Matti Victor Jokinen Elsa J. Nurnelin
May 9	Marsha Elizabeth Pentti*	Donald Ilmari Pentti Vieno Matilda Kumpunen
May 25	Joseph Fred Corshia*	Ralph Michael Corshia Jessie Ella Thompson
June 20	Carolyn Pamela Bolduc*	Amic Adlard Bolduc Louise Evon Valcourt
June 22	Harry James Gonsalves*	Harry Gomes Gonsalves Rosetta Louise Boynton
July 6	Rebecca Shaw*	Robert Henry Shaw Virginia Keith
July 20	Curtis Samuel Wilkins*	Frederick G. Wilkins Violet M. Chandler
July 22	John Curtis Williams*	Robert Delano Williams Ingrid Carlson
Sept. 22	Paul Clifford Higgins*	Albert Clifford Higgins Madeline Liddell
Sept. 28	Kathleen Elizabeth Halunen*	Lauri Otto Halunen Helen Mary Dumec
Oct. 2	Gordon Roy Hinckley	Walton Hinckley Alberta M. Gammons
Oct. 15	Diane Jean Kallio*	Toivo J. Kallio Elizabeth Tavernelli
Oct. 18	Harold Tucker Braddock, Jr.*	Harold Tucker Braddock Mary Elizabeth Willis
Oct. 21	Phyllis Carmichael*	Walter Roderick Carmichael Thalia Florence Eames
Nov. 4	Raymond William Tubman, Jr.*	Raymond William Tubman Margaret Elizabeth Vickery
Nov. 15	Joseph Andrews, Jr.*	Joseph Andrews Ruth A. Dean
Nov. 28	Betsy Ava Holmes*	Norman Vinal Holmes Constance Bell Tobin
Dec. 18	Gary Franklin Weston*	Homer Franklin Weston Celia Vieno Pentekainen
Dec. 28		Jose Ferreira Mary Pimental

* Born in Hospitals

DEATHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE
YEAR 1945

Date	Name	Age			Cause of Death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Jan. 1	Samuel Bourne Gibbs	82	1	4	Coronary Occlusion
Jan. 6	Thomas Hastings	74	5	17	Rheumatic Heart Disease
Jan. 20	Ernest G. Lewis	72	6	27	Coronary Occlusion
Jan. 27	Clara E. Ward	87	10	1	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Feb. 14	Peter Correia	46	8	4	Status Epilepticus
Mar. 19	Elsa Halunen	64	0	25	Intestinal Obstruction
Apr. 11	Albert Roberio	58	6	23	Cardiac Thrombosis
Apr. 13	Frank F. Weston	65	1	12	Sarcoma of Temporal Bone
Apr. 19	George Nelson Brien	—	3	8	Broncho Pneumonia
May 9	Kenneth R. Mahler	45	2	11	Fracture of Skull
May 12	Nelson Story	79	—	—	Coronary Thrombosis
May 17	Domingo Senteio	77	0	20	Coronary Sclerosis
May 29	Sarah T. Andrews	87	7	21	Cardiac Insufficiency
May 31	Claude A. Hollis	53	10	9	Coronary Occlusion
June 4	Velentino Fernandes	70	—	—	Cardiac Decompensation
June 17	Clara (Munson) Smith	51	5	5	Cerebral Hemorrhage
July 8	Fred Martin Thomas	63	11	8	Cardiac Embolism
July 15	Manuel Verilla	68	11	16	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
July 21	Richard Allen Barnett	47	8	22	Assault
Aug. 10	Phoebe Annie Johnson	88	4	2	Coronary Thrombosis
Aug. 11	Emily T. Knowlton (Linnell)	89	11	26	Hypertensive Heart Disease
Nov. 20	Victor Collin	55	1	22	Coronary Thrombosis
Dec. 14	John Freeman Tubman	51	8	8	Mesenteric Thrombosis

**ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1945**

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, DEC. 12th, 1944

Fire Account from Surplus	
Revenue	\$1,200.00

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, DEC. 22, 1944

Storm Damage from Surplus	
Revenue	2,000.00
Fire Equipment from Surplus	
Revenue	759.77

Total	\$3,959.77
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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 6, 1945

Town Hall	\$1,720.00
Selectmen	850.00
Moderator	20.00
Auditors	90.00
Treasurer	1,166.00
Collector of Taxes	1,140.00
Town Clerk	577.00
Assessors	1,200.00
Elections, Registrations and	
Street Listing	350.00
Decennial Census	100.00
Law	50.00
Unclassified	500.00

Memorial Day	150.00
Health	2,800.00
Public Welfare	7,500.00
Public Welfare Administration	275.00
Old Age Assistance	9,800.00
Old Age Assistance Administration	375.00
Aid to Dependent Children	2,700.00
Aid to Dependent Children Administration	40.00
Soldiers' Relief	200.00
Police	850.00
Rationing Board	50.00
Road Machinery	1,100.00
Bridges	200.00
Removal of Snow	3,000.00
Chapter 81—Highways	5,417.00
Chapter 90—Maintenance	1,000.00
Fires	1,200.00
Fire Equipment	1,875.00
Cemeteries	900.00
Parks	200.00
Library	300.00
Weights and Measures	150.00
Tree Warden	600.00
Gypsy Moth	1,194.45
Schools and Vocational Education	41,097.00
Interest	25.00
Aid to Agriculture	100.00
American Legion, Rent	50.00
Old Home Day	175.00
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	400.00
General Highways	300.00
Alarm System	200.00
Special Cemetery Account	400.00

Storm Damage	2,000.00	
Public Welfare—Unpaid Bills of 1944	679.69	
Veteran's Rehabilitation and Re-Employment Compensation	300.00	
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Total		\$95,366.14

Appropriated from Available Funds
March 6, 1945

Cemeteries—Perpetual Care	\$800.00	
Chapter 90—Maintenance	2,000.00	
Chapter 81—Highways	8,125.00	
Transferred from Overlay Reserve Account to Reserve Account	2,000.00	
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Total		\$12,925.00

Total Town Appropriation \$112,250.91

State Tax	\$3,060.00	
State Parks and Reservations	82.39	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	485.48	
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Total State Assessments		\$3,627.87

County Tax	\$5,321.66	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	2,652.82	
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Total County Assessment		\$7,974.48

Overlay	\$1,061.94	
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Gross Amount to be Raised		\$124,915.20

Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:

Income Tax	\$8,241.92
Corporation Taxes	4,089.64

Reimbursement of State Owned	
Land	254.33
Gasoline Tax	5,812.68
Motor Vehicle Excise	1,700.00
Licenses	51.50
Health and Sanitation	173.82
Charities	654.97
Old Age Assistance	5,996.54
Old Age Tax—Meals	345.04
Schools	8,170.53
Interest on Taxes	142.07
Public Welfare, Other Towns	736.85
Temporary Aid	933.95
Sundries	1,124.29
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Total Estimated Receipts	\$38,428.13
Free Cash Approved by the Commissioner :	
Dec. 15, 1944	\$1,200.00
Dec. 28, 1944	2,759.77
Mar. 14, 1945	12,925.00
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Total Available Funds	\$16,884.77
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds	
	\$55,312.90
Amount to be Raised on Polls	\$794.00
Amount to be Raised on Personal Property	5,836.38
Amount to be Raised on Real Estate	62,971.92
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Total	\$69,602.30
Value of Assessed Stock in Trade	\$33,640.00
Value of Assessed Machinery	61,690.00

Value of Assessed Live Stock	26,335.00
Value of all Other Tangible Personal Property	143,625.00
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Total	\$265,290.00

Value of Land Exclusive of Buildings	\$2,044,940.00
Value of Buildings Exclusive of Land	817,420.00
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Total	\$2,862,360.00

Total Valuation of Assessed
Property \$3,127,650.00

Increase in Value of Personal Property	\$18,565.00
Decrease in Value of Real Estate	210,775.00
Tax Rate	\$22.00

Number of Persons Assessed
on Personal Estate only 9

Number of Persons Assessed
on Real Estate only 553
on Personal and Real Es-
tate 149

Number of Corporations 24

Value of Corporations \$1,017,385.00

Number of Horses 19

Number of Cows 56

Number of Other Cattle 14

Number of Swine 623

Number of Fowl 1,770

Acres of Land Assessed 19,616 $\frac{3}{4}$

Dwellings Assessed	535
Polls Assessed	397
Number of Cranberry Bogs	280
Number of Acres of Cran- berry Bog	2,808
Value of Cranberry Bogs	\$1,718,830.00
Average Value per Acre	612.11
Estimated Crop of 1944	33,000 Bbls.

Assessed Valuation of Cranberry Bogs:

3/4 Acre at	\$1,200.00
29 3/8 Acre at	1,050.00
69 3/4 Acre at	1,000.00
25 1/2 Acre at	950.00
8 1/4 Acre at	900.00
70 1/8 Acre at	850.00
227 3/8 Acre at	800.00
144 1/4 Acre at	750.00
424 3/4 Acre at	700.00
327 1/2 Acre at	650.00
490 1/3 Acre at	600.00
267 1/4 Acre at	550.00
187 3/5 Acre at	500.00
88 1/12 Acre at	450.00
92 3/4 Acre at	400.00
102 1/8 Acre at	350.00
200 Acre at	300.00
14 5/6 Acre at	250.00
17 3/4 Acre at	200.00
10 5/8 Acre at	150.00
4 Acre at	100.00
Number of Autos and Trucks Assessed	521
Value of Autos and Trucks	\$52,500.00
Amount of Excise Tax	1,703.60

Excise Tax Rate	35.60
Summary of Warrants to the Collector:	
Excise, February 23rd	\$388.92
Poll, March 3rd	788.00
Poll, March 17th	6.00
Excise, April 10th	427.77
Poll, May 4th	8.00
Real Estate, May 5th	62,971.72
Personal Estate, May 5th	5,836.38
Excise, August 24th	755.14
Poll, November 3rd	4.00
Excise, December 5th	102.59
Poll, December 15th	118.00
Omitted Assessment, Decmeber 15th	2.31
Excise, January 1946	29.18

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

Assessors.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

SELECTMEN

Jesse A. Holmes, Services	\$176.08
Bernard W. Roby, Services	90.32
Frank D. Costello, Services	96.63
Florence Washburn, Clerical	92.43
Jesse A. Holmes, Use of Car	38.58
Bernard W. Roby, Use of Car	16.81
Jesse A. Holmes, Supplies	1.75
Jesse A. Holmes, Postage	5.57
Plymouth County Assoc., Dues	9.00
South Shore Mechanical Service, Office Supplies	33.75
A. L. Beals, Office Supplies	137.75
The Rogers Print, Supplies	6.00
Edwin E. Bisbee, Posting Warrants	3.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	63.68
	\$771.35

TREASURER

Jack L. Martin, Services	\$800.00
Jack L. Martin, Use of Car, 1286 miles	77.16
Jack L. Martin, Postage	77.45
Jack L. Martin, Supplies	8.00
Florence Washburn, Clerical	5.31
A. L. Beals, Supplies and Repairs	28.60
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	13.55
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	2.33
Thomas Groom & Co., Supplies	5.63

William I. Ward, Bond, Treasurer	47.50
William I. Ward, Bond, Forgery	37.50
Mass. Tax Coll. and Treasurer Assoc., dues	1.00
Robinson Seal Co., Supplies	2.05
The Rogers Print, Supplies	5.50
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	\$1,111.58

TAX COLLECTOR

Jack L. Martin, Services	\$800.00
Jack L. Martin, Use of Car, 64 miles	3.84
Jack L. Martin, Postage	47.12
Jack L. Martin, Notary Fees	1.00
Tax Taking Adv.	6.50
Recording Deeds	3.00
William I. Ward, Bond, Collector	69.00
Mass. Col. & Treas. Assoc., dues	1.00
The Rogers Print, Supplies	74.50
Robinson Seal Co., Supplies	23.47
J. Adrien Bissonnette, Deputy Col.	6.00
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	\$1,035.43

TOWN CLERK

Jack L. Martin, Services	\$500.00
Jack L. Martin, Use of Car, 22 miles	1.32
Jack L. Martin, Postage	.81
Jack L. Martin, Notary Fee	1.00
Florence Washburn, Clerical	3.20
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	21.74
William I. Ward, Bond, Town Clerk	7.50
Mass. Town Clerk Assoc., dues	3.00
The Marcheterre Press	3.00
Robinson Seal Co., Supplies	1.09
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	\$542.66

ASSESSORS

William M. Shaw, Services	\$262.50
Arthur H. Wade, Services	204.00
Ralph E. Washburn, Services	201.00
William M. Shaw, Use of Car, 425 miles	25.50
Arthur H. Wade, Use of Car, 248 miles	14.88
Ralph E. Washburn, Use of Car, 290 miles	17.40
William M. Shaw, Postage and Supplies	1.65
Eleanor L. Shaw, Clerk for Assessors	67.20
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	2.26
New Eng. Tel. & Tel Co.	26.74
A. L. Beals, Supplies	.88
Association of Mass., dues	6.00
The Rogers Print	4.25
Edith M. Farrington, Assessors cards	32.00
Robinson Seal Co., Supplies	23.55
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	\$889.81

MODERATOR

Norman V. Holmes	\$10.00
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AUDITORS

Roger Weston, Services	\$21.00
Allena Ward, Services	21.00
Warren Chandler, Services	21.00
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	\$63.00

TOWN HALL

James S. McKay, Janitor	\$520.00
Nathan G. Roby, Fuel	503.80
Plymouth County Electric Co.	87.30

Jesse A. Holmes, Supplies	2.70
Maxim Motor Co., Supplies	1.28
L. J. Brier, Repairs	22.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	13.15
Walter Carmichael, Supplies	5.28
Samuel B. Cholerton, Insurance	32.00
Perez Shurtleff, Repairs	2.50
Daniel H. Dempsey, Repairs	25.85
William I. Ward, Insurance	132.00
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	\$1,348.36

ELECTIONS, REGISTRATIONS AND STREET LISTING

William E. Holmes, Street Listing	\$59.24
Lois Eames, Typing Street List	10.25
Bernard Roby, Services	5.25
Jesse A. Holmes, Services	4.88
Jack L. Martin, Services	3.00
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	10.23
Winifred Shaw, Election Officer	5.31
Orrie S. Dempsey, Election Officer	5.31
Marjorie E. Telfer, Election Officer	5.31
Florence Washburn, Election Officer	5.31
Rose Harriman, Election Officer	5.31
Mildred Peckham, Election Officer	5.31
Bernice Paulding, Election Officer	5.31
Alma Kenney, Election Officer	5.31
Kathleen E. Shaw, Election Officer	5.31
Laura E. Donner, Election Officer	5.31
Alice Appling, Election Officer	2.81
Walter R. Carmichael, Supplies	5.86
The Rogers Print, Supplies	20.50
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	\$175.12

CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Edwin E. Bisbee, Supt.	\$87.75
Edwin E. Bisbee, Supplies	1.69
J. A. Ward, Labor	4.50
Napoleon Dionne, Labor	41.18
Ralph L. Linton, Supt.	93.75
Dana Ward, Labor	55.44
Arnold Hammond, Labor	59.40
H. S. Pink, Supplies	40.08
Francis Merritt, Labor	6.25
Theodore Goodreau, Labor	1.40
Earl Knight, Labor	1.40
John Fava, Labor	1.40
Robert Merritt, Labor	1.30
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	8.95
Mrs. Jessie G. Chandler, Loa m	12.00
Ralph L. Linton, Jr., Labor	151.77
Harold Bumpus, Jr., Labor	12.00
Byron MacFarlane, Labor	9.38
Stephen Gammons, Labor	2.16
Bert Chandler, Labor	11.52
Francis Agnone, Labor	12.68
Jack Agnone, Labor	7.92
Edgar April, Labor	19.77
Plymouth Rock Hardware Corp., Supplies	1.75
James Peckham, Supt.	18.38
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	\$663.82

SPECIAL CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Edwin E. Bisbee, Supt.	\$175.63
Napoleon Dionne, Labor	24.85
Perez L. Shurtleff, Truck	4.00
Francis Agnone, Labor	9.51

Ralph L. Linton, Supt.	37.68
Harold Bumpus, Jr., Labor	18.00
Jack Agnone, Labor	5.51
Arnold Hammond, Labor	6.12
Dana Ward, Labor	5.76
Ralph Linton, Jr., Labor	3.00
Albert Shaw, Labor	1.44
Ralph Linton, Jr., Supplies	1.25
Ralph Linton, Jr., Auto	1.00
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	\$293.75

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Charles M. Haynes, Supt.	\$1,298.00
Charles M. Haynes, Truck	2,340.60
Charles M. Haynes, Service Truck	480.20
Frank F. Weston, Supt.	4.00
Old Colony Crushed Stone Co.	4.63
Ellis D. Atwood, Supplies	54.49
H. S. Pink, Supplies	4.64
Barrett Division Allied Chem. & Dye Corp.	
Road Tar	1,994.76
Dyer Sales Machine Co., Supplies	9.00
Frank F. Weston, Truck	64.75
Traffic & Road Equipment Co., Supplies	145.60
F. F. Weston Estate, Gravel	39.90
Wenham Garage, Supplies	1.50
S. C. M. Packard Co., Supplies	9.00
Roger Weston, Grader man	53.00
Roger Weston, Labor	14.00
Homer Weston, Labor	16.00
Warren Bros. Road Co., Supplies	61.75
Hedge & Matthews, Supplies	1.66
Goldies, Inc., Supplies	3.00
Sorenti Bros., Grader	117.50

Mabel Griffith, Supplies	87.27
John B. Phinney, Chloride	73.60
Weston Bros., Bulldozer	45.50
Weston Bros., Shovel	509.25
Weston Bros., Truck	218.75
Thomas Bros., Grader	772.25
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	107.00
Savery Lehto, Labor	10.50
Albert Gammons, Labor	234.00
Gordon Dempsey, Labor	21.00
Clifton Pratt, Labor	4.50
Uno Wainio, Labor	33.00
Arvo Paananen, Labor	3.00
Edwin Brown, Labor	15.00
J. W. Hacking, Labor	30.00
Dolar Cote, Labor	6.00
Thomas Tubman, Labor	60.00
James Thomas, Mowing Highways	152.50
James Thomas, Labor	24.00
Fred Tucker, Labor	552.73
Louis Gomes, Labor	30.00
Joseph Corshia, Labor	8.00
Austin Ward, Labor	105.00
Edw. Ames, Labor	33.00
Emil Johnson, Labor	159.74
John Santos, Labor	210.36
Byron MacFarlane, Labor	436.24
Embert Eames, Labor	3.00
Theo Gomes, Labor	84.00
James McKay, Labor	118.50
David Centeio, Labor	123.00
Joao Pereira, Labor	78.00
Henry Appling, Labor	36.00
Thomas Gonsalves, Labor	389.61
John Pignataro, Labor	254.62
Fred Michant, Labor	6.00

Tony Gonsalves, Truck	33.60
Perez Shurtleff, Truck	33.60
George Pass, Labor	28.50
Ellis Bumpus, Labor	88.50
Herbert Shaw, Labor	3.00
Leonard Heikkila, Truck	224.00
Nathan Roby, Truck	57.35
Joseph Amado, Labor	137.61
Nathan Roby, Labor	10.00
John Tubman, Truck and Labor	18.55
Raymond Tubman, Labor	18.00
Eugene LeBreck, Labor	6.00
Russell Holmes, Truck	461.97
Russell Holmes, Machine Oper.	40.00
Gus Penti, Truck	98.70
Manuel Centeio, Truck	131.40
Albert Eastman, Truck	9.25
Curtis Chandler, Labor	9.00
Arne Johnson, Truck	163.10
Toivo Kallio, Truck	69.30
Charles Kallio, Truck	69.50
Oscar Carlson, Truck	33.60
Oscar Carlson, Mowing Highway	21.00
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	\$13,518.43

GENERAL HIGHWAY

Charles M. Haynes, Service Truck	\$12.48
Charles M. Haynes, Truck	8.00
Williams Service Station—Gas and Oil	8.68
Clark Wilcox Co., Supplies	6.15
Wenham Garage, Supplies	2.80
Ellis S. Bumpus, Labor	4.12
Carpenter Mfg. Co., Supplies	22.70
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	17.95

Nathan Roby, Oil	15.24
Pierce Hardware Co., Supplies	45.05
W. R. Carmichael, Gas and Oil	74.52
Jay Ward, Labor	13.50
Gordon LeCain, Gas	10.95
Nemasket Trans. Co., Express	2.91
Traffic Road and Equipment Co., Replacement on Lights and Repairs	89.50
H. S. Pink, Supplies	2.40
Roby's Service Station, Supplies	18.88
L. W. Jenney, Supplies, Gas and Oil	6.06
Fred Tucker, Labor	3.00
Thomas Gonsalves, Labor	9.00
George Pass, Labor	32.00
W. H. Rowley, Supplies	5.00
Edwin K. Greer, Supplies	9.77
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	\$420.66

CHAPTER 90, MAINTENANCE

Charles M. Haynes, Supt.	\$116.00
Charles M. Hynes, Service Truck	42.00
Charles M. Haynes, Truck	148.20
S. Byron MacFarlane, Labor	64.50
John Pignataro, Labor	70.50
John Santos, Labor	27.00
Fred Tucker, Labor	39.00
Joseph Amado, Labor	21.00
Arne Johnson, Truck	63.00
Leonard Heikkila, Truck	93.75
Russell Holmes, Truck	68.40
Charles Kallio, Truck	61.00
Oscar Carlson, Truck	34.80
Sorenti Bros., Grader	160.00
Russell Holmes, Labor	44.00

Thomas Bros., Grader	194.61
Weston Bros., Truck	167.20
Weston Bros., Shovel	230.00
Ellis Bumpus, Labor	36.00
John Tubman, Labor	6.00
Thos. Gonsalves, Labor	6.00
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., Tar	1,128.92
Thos. Gonsalves, Labor	21.00
Albert Gammons, Labor	27.00
Thos. Tubman, Labor	6.00
Tony Gonsalves, Truck	16.80
David Centeio, Labor	27.00
James McKay, Labor	6.00
Embert Eames, Truck	14.80
Perez Shurtleff, Truck	14.80
F. F. Weston Estate, Sand	40.05
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	\$2,995.33

PUBLIC WELFARE

Home Assistance	\$3,468.02
Town of Middleborough	440.78
St. Luke's Hospital, Middleboro	148.36
Jordan Hospital, Plymouth	44.00
Taunton State Hospital	42.00
Mass. Dept. of Public Welfare	567.00
Division of Child Guardianship	730.00
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	\$5,440.16

PUBLIC WELFARE—UNPAID BILLS 1944

St. Luke's Hospital of Middleboro, Blood Donors and Medical	\$679.69
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PUBLIC WELFARE ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, Services	\$68.61
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage—383 miles	22.98
Bernard W. Roby, Supplies	1.00
Florence Washburn, Jr. Clerk and Sten.	168.70
A. L. Beals, Supplies	6.60
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	\$267.89

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Home Assistance	\$2,002.10
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AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN
ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, Services	\$20.62
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage—152 miles	9.12
Florence Washburn, Jr. Clerk and Sten.	40.95
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	\$70.69

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Home Assistance	\$14,862.58
Town of Plymouth	328.20
Town of Freetown	67.50
Town of Wareham	144.40
City of Boston	139.87
City of Brockton	20.00
Town of Plympton	74.04
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	\$15,636.59

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, Services	\$176.24
Bernard W. Roby, Mileage—676 miles	40.56
Bernard W. Roby, Postage	15.98
Jesse A. Holmes, Services	15.00
Frank D. Costello, Services	15.00
Florence Washburn, Jr. Clerk and Sten.	268.10
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	13.62
Greater Boston Community Council (Social Service Index)	5.50
Hobbs & Warren, Supplies	3.21
A. L. Beals, Supplies	2.26
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	\$555.47

GYPSY MOTH

Henry Appling, Labor	\$24.00
Thos. Tubman, Labor	30.75
Louis Gomes, Labor	36.75
Emil Johnson, Labor	42.75
Fred Tucker, Labor	36.75
John Santos, Labor	37.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	3.00
Charles M. Haynes, Labor	6.00
Charles M. Haynes, Truck	14.35
Joseph Amado, Labor	36.00
General Mills, Inc., Lead	230.00
Walter Carmichael, Supplies	13.51
Homer Weston, Labor	3.75
Leonard Heikkila, Labor	3.00
Raymond Tubman, Labor	116.25
John Tubman, Labor	72.75
John Tubman, Truck	129.00
Plymouth Rock Hardware Co., Supplies	1.13

John E. Jordan Co., Supplies	4.00
Albert Raymond, Labor	36.00
Fitz-Henry Gupstill Co., Supplies	5.55
Roger Weston, Spraying	24.00
Carl Johnson, Spraying	102.00
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	\$1,008.79

UNCLASSIFIED ACCOUNT AND
MEMORIAL DAY

The Rogers Print, Town Reports	\$434.00
Daniel H. Dempsey, Delivering Reports	26.41
Cosmopolitan Band (Memorial Day)	150.00
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	\$610.41

HEALTH

Plymouth County Hospital	\$1,248.50
Florence Washburn, Clerical Work	3.11
J. J. Shepherd & Sons, Inc., Death Returns	.25
Charles M. Haynes, Labor on Dump	70.00
Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Slaughtering	288.36
Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Animals	63.00
George E. Cornwell & Sons, Death Cert.	1.00
Susan B. Brackett, Clinic Supplies	3.00
Weston Bros., Labor on Dump	72.00
Thos. Gonsalves, Labor	3.00
Uno Wainio, Labor	15.00
H. L. Thatcher & Co., Supplies	3.00
John Fava, Jr., Labor	3.00
Dr. Medora V. Eastwood, School Physician	215.00
Ellis Bumpus, Labor	3.00
Edwin Brown, Labor	12.00
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	\$2,003.22

PARKS

Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	\$2.55
James S. McKay, Labor	97.50
Robert Andrews, Labor	65.25
Robert Andrews, Supplies	.55
Ernest Gonsalves, Labor	6.00
Jay A. Ward, Repairs	3.00
John F. Tubman, Labor	11.25
John F. Tubman, Truck	5.00
Raymond Tubman, Labor	6.00
Austin Ward, Painting Sign	1.75
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	\$198.85

RATIONING BOARD

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$4.25
A. L. Beals, Supplies	2.00
Gladys Pignataro, Express	.50
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	\$6.75

LIBRARY

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$20.14
Library Book House	140.98
Eleanor L. Shaw, Librarian	200.00
Priscilla Shorey, Books	55.25
Eleanor L. Shaw, Supplies	8.15
Grolier Son's Inc., Books	45.50
Doubleday-Doran Co., Books	102.16
The Rogers Print, Supplies	8.75
Alonzo F. Ryder Co., Supplies	5.00

Leland's Flower Shop, Books	5.94
Follett Book House, Books	21.76
Crosset & Williams, Books	1.65
Lighton Publishing Co., Books	2.50
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	\$617.78

AID TO AGRICULTURE

The County of Plymouth	\$100.00
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WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Robinson Seal Co., Inc., Supplies	\$5.09
Samuel B. Cholerton, Insurance	18.45
Edwin Bisbee, Services	100.00
Edwin Bisbee, Tel. and Postage	2.00
Edwin Bisbee, Mileage—400 miles	24.00
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	\$149.54

STORM DAMAGE

Henry Appling, Labor	\$184.38
Thomas Tubman, Labor	100.82
Rudolph Salminen, Labor	5.04
John Santos, Labor	89.55
Fred Tucker, Labor	80.79
John Tubman, Labor	27.00
Raymond Tubman, Labor	163.50
Louis Gomes, Labor	72.00
Emil Johnson, Labor	78.00
Dolar Cote, Labor	3.25
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	11.35

Weston Bros., Machinery and Labor	796.30
Charles M. Haynes, Labor	187.50
Charles M. Haynes, Truck	258.50
John Tubman, Truck	157.65
Thomas Gonsalves, Labor	6.00
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	\$2,221.63

MACHINERY

A. & J. Auto Ignition Co., Repairs	\$31.57
E. W. Systram Co., Supplies	106.55
Anderson Engineering Co., Supplies	120.00
Roger Weston, Labor	10.50
Clifton Pratt, Labor	9.75
Homer Weston, Labor	20.50
Frank Weston, Repairs	8.00
Severy Lehto, Labor	5.63
Uno Penti, Labor	3.75
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	.65
Nemasket Transportation Co., Express	.70
Clark Wilcox Co., Supplies	32.90
George Pass, Labor	72.00
Leonard Heikkila, Labor	4.50
H. R. Bailey Co., Repairs	24.69
Atwood-Costello Inc., Supplies	6.20
Roby's Service Station, Supplies	16.53
Herbert L. Shaw, Labor	4.00
Hedge & Matthews, Supplies and Repairs	70.20
R. L. Files & H. J. O'Keefe Co., Snow Plow	482.50
Weston Bros., Repairs	60.00
Uno Wainio, Labor	3.75
Arne Johnson, Supplies	5.00
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	\$1,099.87

FIRE EQUIPMENT

Samuel B. Cholerton, Insurance	\$16.50
H. A. Suddard, Inc., Supplies and Repairs	12.86
Ellis Bumpus, Labor	15.38
Ellis Bumpus, Car	2.75
Maxim Motor Co., Supplies and Repairs	1,514.68
Walter Carmichael, Gas	17.71
Bernard W. Roby, Gas and Supplies	115.61
Ellis D. Atwood, Gas and Supplies	109.23
H. S. Pink, Supplies	.60
Ellis D. Atwood, Tel.	3.52
Paul Williams, Gas	1.55
Francis Merritt, Labor	30.75
Square Deal Garage, Supplies	14.95
Durant's Garage, Supplies	6.50
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	1.27
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	\$1,863.86

FIRES

Swan's, Chimney	\$1.40
Aleward's, Chimney	1.50
Charles Miller, Oil Burner	1.50
Edwin Brown, Chimney (2 fires, \$4.50 and \$1.50)	6.00
David Goodreau, Chimney	6.60
Rodney Griffith, Chimney	9.50
Andrews Bog, Brush (2 fires, \$5.18 and \$34.55)	39.73
Mayflower Road, Brush	8.65
Mayflower Road, Brush	5.14
Mayflower Road, Brush	3.90
Cross Paths, Brush	15.14
Russell's Bog, Brush	2.11
Kings Pond, Forest	39.63

State Forest (2 fires, \$4.20 and \$7.50)	11.70
East Carver, Grass	5.60
Churchill's Bog, Brush	18.85
William Pesonen, Chimney	2.00
So. Meadow Road, Brush	46.50
Burgess Bog, Brush	20.80
Albert Chandler, Brooder House	7.20
Walter Doten, Chimney	7.00
Cranberry Road, Brush (2 fires, \$3.75 and \$11.15)	14.90
Charles Kallio, Chimney	3.95
High Tension Line	1.50
Plymouth Street, Brush	26.65
Gordon Fountain, Auto	6.85
Tremont Road, Auto	4.75
Sylvia, Chimney	3.95
Everett Thomas, Chimney	15.10
Savery Avenue, Forest	27.00
Maki, Chimney	4.25
Johnson, Chimney	3.95
J. A. Holmes, Defective Wire	5.70
Inez Silva, Oil Burner	3.25
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	\$382.25

TREE WARDEN

Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	\$17.49
Dolar Cote, Filing Saws	2.25
Henry Appling, Labor	31.50
Emil Johnson, Labor	18.00
Louis Gomes, Labor	18.00
Fred Tucker, Labor	54.00
John Santos, Labor	18.00
Thomas Tubman, Labor	22.50

Raymond Tubman, Labor	109.50
Charles Haynes, Labor	18.00
Charles Haynes, Truck	24.00
John Tubman, Labor	120.00
John Tubman, Truck	124.00
Ellis S. Bumpus, Labor	3.00
Allen Eastman, Labor	.75
David Centeio, Labor	6.00
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	.55
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	\$587.54

POLICE

William E. Holmes, Services	\$374.75
Walter Ellis, Supplies	15.15
Edwin E. Bisbee, Services and Mileage	38.52
Roby's Service Station, Supplies	94.49
Plymouth Kennels, Disposal of Dog	4.00
Paul W. Williams, Supplies	6.56
Town of Wareham, Commitment	3.50
Bliss Hardware Co., Supplies, Keys	.75
Walter R. Carmichael, Supplies	21.23
John O. Eaton, Supplies	3.88
Carpenter Mfg. Co., Supplies	9.35
Nathan G. Roby, Oil	1.20
Main Street Garage, Repairs	36.75
Gordon LeCain, Supplies	.97
Jesse A. Holmes, Services and Mileage	16.07
Ellis S. Bumpus, Services and Mileage	73.64
Town of Middleboro, Commitments	7.20
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7.24
L. W. Jenney, Supplies	5.81
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	\$721.06

SNOW

Felix Heikkila, Labor	\$18.54
Carl Johnson, Labor	68.61
Winston Weston, Labor	82.26
Theodore Vaughan, 3rd, Labor	52.92
Fred Tucker, Labor	8.28
John Santos, Labor	27.60
John Tubman, Labor	11.16
Lloyd Thomas, Labor	28.44
Roger Weston, Labor	27.44
Frank F. Weston, Plowing	782.50
Frank F. Weston, Sanding	163.80
Frank F. Weston, Truck	130.20
Frank F. Weston, Supt.	91.00
Weston Bros., Truck	52.25
Weston Bros., Shovel	50.00
Arne Johnson, Plowing	497.50
Arne Johnson, Truck	21.00
Leonard Heikkila, Plowing	612.40
Leonard Heikkila, Truck	41.00
Terho Kaski, Truck	12.60
Eldred S. Mosher, Truck	13.65
Leonard Heikkila, Sanding	26.25
Homer Weston, Labor	38.92
Thomas Tubman, Labor	39.00
Emil Johnson, Labor	46.80
Lehto Savery, Labor	6.84
Donald Penti, Labor	5.40
Uno Penti, Labor	20.16
Harold Ballard, Labor	3.24
Robert Williams, Labor	7.20
Edwin Brown, Labor	51.00
W. Wainio, Labor	62.32
Norman Moore, Labor	3.60

Arthur Carr, Labor	3.60
Arne Johnson, Sanding	29.40
C. M. Haynes, Plowing	215.00
C. M. Haynes, Service Truck	3.00
C. M. Haynes, Truck	113.50
C. M. Haynes, Supt.	62.00
John Pignataro, Labor	3.60
Kenneth Telfer, Labor	3.60
Arthur Laine, Labor	2.88
Edgar April, Labor	3.60
Richard Barnett, Labor	18.00
Clifton Pratt, Labor	7.92
Gordon Dempsey, Labor	4.32
Edward Kumpunen, Labor	1.80
Raymond Tubman, Labor	6.48
Alex Carlson, Labor	2.88
Russell Holmes, Sanding	66.15
Andrew Paananen, Labor	3.60
Arne Paananen, Labor	21.84
Stephen Gammons, Labor	2.88
Uno Wainio, Labor	8.43
Buzzards Bay Grain Co., Salt	36.00
John B. Finney, Calcium Chloride	46.00
Wm. Pelletier, Labor	3.37
Gus Penti, Labor and Truck	46.50
Manuel Centeio, Truck	21.00
John Fava, Jr., Labor	3.37
Tovio Kallio, Truck	21.00
John Johnson, Jr., Labor	4.12
Weston Bros., Plowing	320.00
Dolar Cote, Labor	12.00
George Pass, Labor	12.00
George Thomas, Labor	6.37
Ellis Bumpus, Labor	6.00
Eugene LeBreck, Labor	3.00

Fred Michand, Labor	9.00
Raymond Barboza, Labor	6.00
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	\$4,244.09

BRIDGES

State Prison Colony, Pipe	\$138.00
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	7.95
Edwin K. Greer Co., Supplies	22.93
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	\$168.88

PUBLIC SAFETY CIVILIAN DEFENSE

Plymouth County Electric Co.	\$14.24
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OLD HOME DAY

Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	\$65.00
Norman V. Holmes, Services	85.00
H. W. Jordan, Supplies	17.14
Perez L. Shurtleff, Supplies	7.86
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	\$175.00

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE

William I. Ward	\$375.24
William I. Ward, Agcy.	17.40
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	\$392.64

PLYMOUTH COUNTY HOSPITAL ASSESSMENT

County of Plymouth	\$2,652.82
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AMERICAN LEGION RENT

Norman V. Holmes, Treasurer S. of V.	\$50.00
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DECENNIAL CENSUS

William E. Holmes, Services	\$59.26
Florence Washburn, Clerical	1.40
Jesse A. Holmes, Postage	.86
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	\$61.52

ALARM SYSTEM

Commissioner of Public Safety, Inspection	\$6.00
Perez L. Shurtleff, Repairs	53.32
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	\$59.32

VETERANS' REHABILITATION AND
RE-EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

The Rogers Print, Supplies	\$9.50
A. L. Beals, Supplies	42.50
St. Luke's Hospital	30.00
United States Treas., Supplies	14.50
E. L. Perry, M. D.	40.00
Jesse A. Holmes, Carfare	3.00
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	\$139.50

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN FOR 1945

Fines Received:

Paid to the Treasurer:

January 22	\$2.55	
February 21	1.00	
March 21	.90	
April 18	1.15	
May 23	1.45	
June 20	1.00	
July 20	.85	
August 22	.50	
September 21	2.30	
November 21	1.65	
December 28	2.00	
		\$15.35

Circulation of Books:

Adult Fiction	2,053	
Juvenile Fiction	2,834	
Adult Non-Fiction	764	
Juvenile Non-Fiction	595	
Magazines	1,251	
Total Circulation		7,497

Number of new borrowers 43

Books purchased 140

Books presented 40

Magazines Purchased:

Good Housekeeping

Cosmopolitan

Red Book
Saturday Evening Post
Life
Time
Home Gardens
Reader's Digest
Home Craftsman
Better Homes and Gardens
Parents Magazine
National Geographic
Popular Mechanics
Popular Science
Jack and Jill
2 Copies of Child Life
Boy's Life
Hobbies

Magazines Donated:

Fortune
Belgian News
Netherland News
Specialty Salesman
Opportunity
Army Life
Plane Talk
Ships
Watchman
Our Dumb Animals
Middleboro Gazette

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR L. SHAW,

Librarian.

**REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND
MEASURES**

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The following is my report as Sealer of Weights and

Measures for the year of 1945.

Number of Platform Scales, 100 to 5,000 lbs.	3
Number of Computing Scales	5
Number of Spring Scales over 100 lbs.	1
Number of Spring Scales under 100 lbs.	2
Number of Avoirdupois Weights	8
Number of Liquid Measures	4
Number of Kerosene Pumps	3
Number of Stops on Pumps	4
Number of Gasolene Meters	16
Number of Meters Adjusted	3
Number of Services Condemned 1 Meter, 1 Av. Wght.	
Amount of Fees Collected for the Town	\$12.78
Salary	100.00
Mileage, 400 miles at 6c	24.00
Telephone and Postage	2.00
Working Equipment	5.09
Insurance on State Standards	18.45
	\$149.54

Yours respectfully,

EDWIN E. BISBEE,

Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herein submit my report as Inspector of Slaughtering for the year of 1945.

Number of Hogs Inspected and Stamped	318
Number of Hogs Condemned	1
Number of Beef Animals	28
Number of Sheep	3
Number of Veal	3
Number of Goats	1
Number of Hours Service as Inspector	330
Number of Miles Travelled as Inspector	681

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN E. BISBEE,
Inspector of Slaughtering

REPORT OF INSPECTION OF ANIMALS 1945

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The following is my Annual Report as Inspector of Animals for the year ending December 31, 1945.

Number of Inspections	52
Number of Complaints Investigated	30
Number of Dogs Quarantined	7
Number of Hours Service	60
Number of Miles Travelled	300

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN E. BISBEE,
Inspector of Animals

JURY LIST—1945-1946

Russell E. Appling, Cranberry Grower

Anthony Besette, Cranberry Grower

Louis A. Bryant, Foreman

John Carter, Decorator

Carroll D. Griffith, Cranberry Grower

Leonard Heikkila, Cranberry Grower

Norman V. Holmes, Box Manufacturer

Eldred S. Mosher, Cranberry Grower

Samuel B. MacFarlane, Box Maker

Robert McCaig, Salesman

George L. Pass, Cranberry Grower

Thomas H. Reynolds, Box Maker

Nathan G. Roby, Fuel Oil Dealer

Bernard E. Shaw, Cranberry Grower

Ernest W. Shaw, Cranberry Gower

Frederick E. Shaw, Foreman

Kenneth E. Shaw, Cranberry Grower

Clarence Theo Thomas, Real Estate

Paul N. Story, Machinist

Roger V. Weston, Cranberry Grower

Austin S. Ward, Sign Painter

FOREST WARDENS

FOREST WARDEN

Francis Merritt

DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS

	Telephone
Homer Weston	Carver 86-11
Simon Majahad	Carver 65-4
Ellis Bumpus	Carver 24-4
H. W. Jordan	Carver 38
Stephen Gammons	Carver 68-11
Embert Eames, Jr.	Carver 71-3
Winston Weston	Carver 96-2
Earl Knight	Carver 74-21
Norman V. Holmes	Carver 10-4
Bernard E. Roby	Carver 78
Byron MacFarlane	Carver 76-2
George Raymond	Carver 19
Earl Barnes	Wareham 779-M3
Theodore Goodreau	
John Fava	

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Complaints Investigated	37
Auto Accidents Investigated	4
Larcenys Investigated	4
Assaut with Dangerous Weapon	2
Deserters Arrested	1
Manslaughter Arrests	4
Stolen Cars	2
Stolen Cars Recovered	2
Larceny of Cattle	1
Missing Persons	7
Committed to State Hospitals	4
Committed to House of Correction	1
Probation	1
Acquital	4
Total Number of Arrests	9

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. HOLMES,
EDWIN E. BISBEE,
ELLIS S. BUMPUS,

Constables of Carver.

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Year Ending December 31, 1945

The following work was done under the Highway Department during 1945:

CHAPTER 81

Appropriation:

Town Share	\$5,407.37
State Share	\$8,111.06

2,000 ft. of Main Street was widened and resurfaced with mixed-in-place.

2,200 ft. of Secondary roads were regravelled.

Direction and warning signs repainted, 51 cement posts installed replacing wooden posts for fences.

24,700 ft. of hardened roads refinished with asphalt coating and re-sanded.

Expenditure of Chapter 81 Funds were as follows:

Brook Street	\$69.00
Center Street	233.15
Church Street	101.00
Cranberry Street	253.05
East Head	5.00
Forest Street	327.40
Fuller Street	37.00

Fosdick Road	147.80
Federal Road	209.33
Ward Street	10.00
West Street	208.30
Pleasant Street	58.00
Gates Street	125.00
High Street	382.75
Holmes Street	590.27
Hammond St.	186.00
Indian Street	367.40
Meadow Street	743.54
Mayflower Street	192.36
Main Street	3,803.70
Plympton Street	147.20
Plymouth Street	567.57
Purchase Street	333.00
Wenham Street	111.02
Pond Street	420.80
Pope's Pt.	511.08
Pine Street	109.20
Pine City	5.00
Rochester	240.82
So. Meadow Road	389.39
Shurtleff Street	75.90
Spruce Street	20.00
Seipet Street	327.68
Snappit Street	46.90
Tremont Street	1,613.82
Wareham Street	444.00

CHAPTER 90

Appropriation:

Town	\$998.45
County	\$998.44
State	\$998.44

1,900 ft. Center Street was widened and resurfaced with Mixed-in-place also shoulders rebuilt.

1,750 ft. Tremont Street was widened and resurfaced with Mixed-in-place also shoulders rebuilt.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. HAYNES,
Highway Surveyor.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF OLD HOME DAY ASSOCIATION

Receipts

Balance on hand 1944 Accounts	\$169.59	
Town Appropriation	175.00	
Dinner Tickets	1,110.75	
Ice Cream	103.85	
Ball Game	30.46	
		\$1,589.65

Expenditures

Cosmopolitan Band	\$146.00	
Farrars Ice Cream	75.00	
Memorial Press, Tickets	9.50	
Hall & Cole, Supplies	35.45	
Albino Faighte, Supplies	45.00	
Shurtleff Hardware Store, Supplies	5.30	
M. F. Ellis & Co., Supplies	17.65	
W. R. Carmichael, Supplies	22.80	
Alina Kaski, Supplies	2.25	
Woods Fish Market, Clams, Fish	261.30	
Perez Shurtleff, Truck and Auto	26.00	
Perez Shurtleff, Supplies	2.00	
Ellis D. Atwood, Truck	5.55	
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Truck Paid by Town Approp.	20.00	
Norman Holmes, Supplies Paid by Town Approp.	50.00	
Norman Holmes, Auto, Paid by Town Approp.	10.00	

Harry E. Jordan, Supplies, Paid by Town Approp.	17.14	
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies	7.93	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Excise Charges	55.54	
Homer F. Weston, Wood	15.00	
Middleboro Laundry	.50	
Roger V. Weston, Truck	3.30	
Roger V. Weston, Baseballs	7.00	
The Rogers Print, Programs	25.25	
		\$865.46

Services

Heads of Tables and Waiters	\$32.00
Ruth Maki	14.40
Rose Bond	16.20
Martha Thomas	11.40
Madeline Owens	13.80
Orrie Dempsey	6.00
Rose Harriman	3.00
Constance Holmes	3.60
Alice Shurtleff	13.60
Celia Weston	1.20
James Thomas	6.00
William Lindross	6.50
LeRoy Cobb	6.50
George Raymond	8.25
Charles Barengo	6.50
Joseph Robideau	13.13
Ellis S. Bumpus	6.37
Perez L. Shurtleff	37.39
Perez L. Shurtleff, Paid by Town Approp.	7.86
F. H. Cole	27.50

Theodore Goodreau	2.25	
Bernard Owens	2.25	
Francis Merritt	2.25	
Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Paid by Town Approp.	45.00	
Norman Holmes, Paid by Town Approp.	25.00	
Homer F. Weston	22.00	
Francis Agnone	7.50	
Barbara Dempsey	4.80	
Raymond Tubman	3.00	
Roger V. Weston	21.38	
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Total Expenses		\$1,242.09
Receipts for Year		\$1,589.65
Expenditures for Year		\$1,242.09
Balance on Hand		\$347.56

BERNARD E. SHAW,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS

We, the Auditors of Carver, have completed an audit of the records and books of the Town of Carver, and find them to be correct and in good order, as of December 31, 1945.

ROGER V. WESTON,
WARREN L. CHANDLER,
ARTHUR W. PETERSON,
Board of Auditors.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Eunice A. Bailey, Chairman	Term expires 1947
Harriet J. Snow, Secretary	Term expires 1946
John Carter	Term expires 1948
George R. Austin, Superintendent of Schools	
10 Elm Street, Middleboro	

STAFF

Center School—Henry M. Shaw, Principal

Marion L. Griffith
 Hattie J. Griffith
 Ann Singleton
 Vienna P. Cole

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

Benjamin Ellis School—Florence L. Gordon, Principal
 Phyllis R. Powell

Music Supervisor—

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

School Physician—Medora V. Eastwood, M. D.

School Nurse—Madeline A. Baker, R. N., Middleboro

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1945 Fall Term: Begins Wednesday, Sept. 5; Closes Dec. 21.

Holidays: Oct. 12, 19; Nov. 12, Nov. 21-23.

1946 Winter Term: Begins Wednesday, Jan. 2; Closes Feb. 15.

Vacation: Feb. 18-22.

1946 Spring Term: Begins Monday, Feb. 25; Closes June 7.

Vacation: April 15-19.

Holiday: May 30.

Closing Exercises, Thursday, June 6.

1946 Fall Term: Begins Wednesday, Sept. 4; Closes Dec. 20.

Holidays: Oct. 18, Nov. 11, Nov. 27-29.

1947 Winter Term: Begins Monday, Jan. 6.

Requirements for Admission to First Grade

1. A child who will reach his sixth birthday on or before December 31st may be admitted to the first grade in September, 1946, without examination.
2. A child whose sixth birthday occurs in the two months *after* December 31st may be admitted the preceding September if readiness for school can be demonstrated by means of appropriate tests.

Parents having a child whom they wish to be examined as provided for under this rule are required to make application to the Superintendent of Schools. A special form will be furnished for this purpose upon request.

1945 REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Carver:

The School Committee, consisting of Eunice Bailey, Chairman, Harriet Snow, Secretary, and John Carter, meet on the first Monday of each month with Superintendent George R. Austin in the School Committee room in the Town Hall.

That the citizens may more fully understand the work of the School Committee, I would like in this report to mention some of the major questions discussed and voted by the committee this year.

Mrs. Vienna Cole, of North Carver, was appointed to fill the vacancy in Grade V at the Centre School, and Miss Phyllis Powell, of Middleboro, was elected to the South Carver School Grades I and II.

The committee engaged in the Federal Milk Program enabling the children to buy milk at school for two cents per day, the remainder of the cost being paid by the Federal Government.

Considerable thought was given to the question of transportation. The bus routes were carefully studied from maps made by the teachers of the Centre School assisted by Mr. Austin and any advisable changes made. New Contracts were taken out with Roger Williams, Theo Thomas and Merton Griffith.

The School Committee appointed John Carter, who was later replaced by Eunice Bailey, to serve on the

special committee of the last annual town meeting to study the needs of Carver in regard to the Centre School.

The ceilings in the North Carver School were insulated and the heating plant checked for efficiency of operation. Arnold Telfer was hired as janitor in this building.

The School Department appreciates the efficient work of teachers, school nurse, and supervisors, also the co-operation of Superintendent Austin in carrying out the policies of the committee in its efforts to maintain an efficient and progressive program of education for Carver.

Respectfully submitted,

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

School Committee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1945

	Expended	Balance Appropriation	Balance Funds
Appropriation	\$41,097.00	\$2,050.57	\$48.78
E. Tillson Pratt Fund	48.78		381.12
Benjamin Ellis Fund	381.12		
Totals	\$41,526.90	\$2,050.57	\$429.90

Expenditures:

SUPERVISION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

School Committee:

Salaries	\$147.40		
Expenses	39.17		
Superintendent:			
Salary	1,353.38		
Travel	180.00		
Expenses	62.22		
Clerical Assistance	234.72		
School Census	25.00		
Attendance Officer	4.68		
	\$2,046.57		

Reimbursements

Superintendent of Schools	\$773.33
Small Towns	Chapter 70, Part I
Teachers	\$1,760.00

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the Members of the Carver School Committee:

I hereby submit my fifth annual report as Superintendent of Schools for the Town of Carver, a part of the Massachusetts School Superintendency Union No. 44, which includes the Towns of Carver, Lakeville and Rochester.

In reviewing the work of the schools for the calendar year just closed, I find it necessary to call attention to some of the more intangible efforts which are carried on daily in the classrooms. These developments are measurable only in terms of results and without attention being called to them would pass unnoticed. There has been nothing which has been spectacular or unusual upon which to make a report; this, on the whole, is good for it is most often found that those things most enduring are least obvious. Progress has been made in relating the work of the Art Department to the regular classroom work. There has been good correlation for several years but it has noticeably increased this year. Units of Art work have been skillfully worked out by the Supervisor and teachers so that the pupils have a more effective means of learning than they would have had without. Our facilities leave much to be desired but we make the most of what we do have, suitable accommodations would implement and further improve this work more than anything else. I call your attention to the report from the Supervisor of Art and Manual Training for further details.

For a period of several years we have tried to give attention to the needs of the slow-learning pupil and at the same time not deprive the average and superior pupil of his fair chance. For a number of years a class has been conducted at the Center School under the direction of the Principal, Mr. Shaw, which has been devoted to those pupils needing special help in one or more phases of learning; this class has been designated by the title, 'intermediate', and given the grade number of five, six or seven, as seemed appropriate at the time. We have had the pleasure of seeing a number of children placed with this group become able to rejoin their original group and every child placed therein has profited considerably. The credit for this progressive development should go to the principal and those teachers who work daily at carrying out the plan. The same policy of individual attention is given in the two primary schools and teachers there are increasingly giving more thought to the needs of the individual rather than the class as a whole. It is a far more intelligent approach to the problems of learning and one which yields greater results.

Another unheralded policy which we continue to stress is the importance of learning to read in the first three grades of school. For several years past extra attention has been directed in this endeavor to the exclusion of other phases of primary work. During this year just closed we have been able to add a variety of textbooks for primary reading, replacing the policy heretofore used where all pupils were required to learn from the same material, without due regard for the degree of difficulty or the native ability of the child. Added attention has been given to definite instruction in the field of phonetics, thus enabling the child to acquire the means or tools of reading for independent use and avoiding reliance upon imitation as a method of learning to read. I am pleased

to report we believe this policy pays dividends in results and other work which is more or less overlooked in these grades can be readily caught up in the early intermediate grades.

Referring to the Annual Report for 1944 you will notice I devoted some space to a discussion of more suitable admission requirements for admission to the first grade of school. Following your authorization, voted at the June 4th meeting, I accepted applications from four parents who desired to have their children examined for entrance to school at an age younger than that set locally for admission to school. Due to reluctance on the part of two of the children to be examined, only the remaining two were examined; both were admitted and in both cases, the decision to admit them to school seems to be justified in terms of what we know now about them. I recommend this policy be continued as a means of studying doubtful cases and for those children who are otherwise fully ready to begin school but cannot satisfy an arbitrary calendar age requirement. For the first time this year, the policy was set for examining all children beginning the first grade for the purpose of determining readiness for school. The results were highly encouraging and useful in organizing groups for instruction and we shall want to continue this helpful practice.

Under arrangement with the Commodity Division in Massachusetts, a part of the United States Department of Agriculture, we have been able to partake of the Federal Milk Program at a cost of 2c daily to each child participating. While we have experienced some seemingly unnecessary difficulties in obtaining milk on time each day, the program has, on the whole, been beneficial. The additional cost of the half-pint of milk is met by the federal government. If we had suitable accom-

modations for a school lunch program, we could maintain a daily school lunch program and receive 9c daily per child served from the federal government as a subsidy to meet the local cost. Perhaps in the future school facilities can be arranged so as to care for this feature.

Certain changes of staff should be recorded for the year. Following Miss Leonard's resignation, as reported in the last annual report, upon my recommendation and your vote, Miss Merrill was transferred to the Benjamin Ellis School. After two months the vacancy thus created at the Center School was filled by your election of Mrs. Vienna P. Cole. Mrs. Cole comes to us with approximately fourteen years' experience spread over the states of South Dakota, Minnesota and Rhode Island. It is always good fortune for a town to be able to obtain a teacher with experience. Miss Loraine Merrill, referred to earlier, resigned as of June, 1945, to return to school to complete work for her degree in education. Miss Phyllis Powell accepted the appointment to grades one and two at the Benjamin Ellis School; she is a graduate of the Teachers' College at Bridgewater and has had one year of experience at Norton, Mass. Mrs. Doris E. Brown, R. N., submitted her resignation as school nurse; Mrs. Madeline A. Baker, R. N., was elected to this vacancy. Mrs. Baker had already filled in for Mrs. Brown during the latter's leave of absence in a most satisfactory manner. It is a pleasure to find she is able to continue with us.

It is our aim to enlarge and expand our work in health during the coming months. There are certain phases of health instruction which can be most satisfactorily organized and presented by the School Nurse. A great deal of benefit can be derived for the individual child through a more satisfactory pre-school check-up such as might be conducted through local organization in cooperation

with workers from the State Department of Health. Investment, on a Union basis, in the necessary equipment to apply the Massachusetts Vision Tests, as recently developed, would be of material assistance in attempting to solve some of the problems which confront the teachers daily. Were the facilities present such that the work could be adequately laid out and accomplished, we need to devote more time to problems of posture. The report of the School Nurse for this year and in some of the preceding years indicate that posture of pupils is a problem of first importance.

The annual graduation exercises were held June 8, 1945. The program was built upon the pageant entitled, "Carver and Our Country's History", written by Mr. Shaw and staged under his direction with the assistance of the other teachers at the school. The following pupils received certificates of graduation; the letter following the name indicates the choice made by the pupil.

Ellis S. Bumpus—c	Gordon E. LeCain—b
Lucille A. Correio—a	Richard J. Perry—a
Paul R. Correio—a	Leonard A. Pierce—a
Lorraine A. Dunham—a	John L. Santos—a
Norman F. Dunham—d	Raymond E. Silva—a
Barbara J. Goodreau—a	Eva M. Smith—a
Clark A. Griffith—a	Helen J. Wainio—a
Ann L. LeCain—a	Dorothy M. Young—a

a—Plymouth Junior High

b—New Bedford Voc. School

c—Left School

d—Bristol County Agric. School

Statistics which have recently come to my attention regarding school costs are extremely interesting and seem to be worthwhile including here in the record. The

information which I quote here is from facts furnished to Superintendents of Schools through the cooperation of the Massachusetts Teachers' Federation, Dr. Herbert Blair, Director of Research, the Department of Corporations and Taxation and the State Department of Education and from copies of the annual state returns filed by the local superintendents. For the purposes of classification, the towns and cities in Massachusetts are divided into four groups; Carver is one of the 118 towns known as group IV, or towns of less than 5,000 population and not maintaining High Schools. In preparing the figures the cost for General control (which we know as expenditures for Supervision and Law Enforcement) are not included; but if, in the case of Carver, they were to be included, it would raise each figure only approximately \$7.00.

Average Cost Per Pupil

High School	\$245.24
Elementary	\$124.48

The comparison for the above figures is significant to us. The average cost for high school pupils of \$245.24 includes tuition and transportation. The 75 percentile for the 118 towns in this class is \$245.24, which means that we pay as much as or more than 88 of these towns for the education of each pupil enrolled in High School. The costs pertaining to these pupils are largely beyond our control but it is sufficiently important to warrant adequate consideration of costs in trying to determine the wisdom of adding the 9th grade to our local school system, if and when better school accommodations are available at the Center. In elementary costs, the 50 percentile figure in cost per pupil for these towns is \$120.53.

In comparison, Carver's cost, \$124.48, is very close to the mid point or average cost for the 118 towns. This, on the whole, represents a relatively low cost for Carver for when Carver's valuation is considered, we find only 20 towns of this group where valuation per capita is greater than Carver's. While there is no justification in trying to increase school offerings merely because valuation indicates ability to pay, there is on the other hand reasonable indication that Carver can maintain a more adequate program of education for its boys and girls than is the practice at present.

Please accept my appreciation for your courtesy and thorough consideration of school problems in Carver. It is a privilege to be associated with a school committee which is genuinely committed to sincere application of its efforts to the questions of public education.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE R. AUSTIN,

Superintendent.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF ART AND MANUAL TRAINING

Mr. George R. Austin

Superintendent of Schools, Union 44

Middleboro, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Austin :

In compliance with your request, I submit my report as Supervisor of Art and Manual Training in the schools of Carver, Massachusetts.

A syllabus of Art prepared by me and used for the past four years, aims to enrich life and promote the enjoyment of leisure through an appreciation of beauty in Nature, in Fine Arts, and in Industrial productions.

A resume of accomplishment is embodied in this report.

CONSTRUCTION, COLOR AND DESIGN

This phase of work, in observance of Special Days, has been a source of interest to all pupils. A variety of gifts were made and decorated with appropriate designs and colors.

Complimentary and monochromatic harmony have been used to enhance tiles made from geometric forms and ideas suggested by colonial patchwork quilts.

Designs were created for definite purposes, serving as decorations for booklets, box covers, programs, holiday folders and match scratchers.

Theory and harmony of color were discussed and applied on color wheels.

PICTURE APPRECIATION

Bi-monthly, pupils in the seventh grade, mount famous prints which are attractively exhibited in the hallway of the Center School. These pictures are studied and pupils thereby acquire information regarding artists and galleries where each picture is exhibited.

Masterpieces are worthwhile pictures which have stood the test of the ages, and therefore, it seems essential that all pupils become acquainted with fine pictures.

POSTERS

Poster design is a useful and important phase of art education, presenting ideas in a forceful, interesting, artistic manner. Many posters were completed this year. From selected materials, ideas have been created, layouts, planned, color introduced, and types of standard lettering complimented the pattern idea. Various subjects including War, Victory, Easter, Great Men., Thanksgiving, Christmas, Foreign Lands, Feudal Times, Indian Tribes, Community and Gardens have been rendered.

Each year, "THE SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS", conducts a Humane Poster contest open to pupils in schools of Massachusetts, and offers a gold pin as first prize, a silver pin for second prize, and a subscription to its magazine, OUR DUMB ANIMALS, for honorable mention.

The purpose of the contest is to kindle and foster the virtue of kindness. When the claim of an animal which

cannot plead its own cause, which is dependent upon one stronger,, more intelligent than itself, is pressed home upon the child, that sense of justice is awakened. It is hoped that many more pupils will compete in future contests.

RED CROSS SERVICES

Pupils in Carver have been active in Junior Red Cross work. Calls came from Camp Edwards and Camp Myles Standish for holiday favors and novelties. Response was spontaneous.

Hundreds of decorated napkins, tray mats, place cards, scrapbooks, tumbler coasters, games, and magazines were sent to the patients. Many articles have been purchased and attractively decorated. Money for the purchase of the following materials was donated by the local Red Cross Chapter; one dozen large blotters, thirty ash trays, ninety-five dust cloths, and twelve dozen pencils.

In addition to this ornamented handcraft, the pupils collected quantities of comic books, coat hangers, ash trays, playing cards, and games.

Letters of appreciation have been received from Field and Recreation Directors of both camps.

MANUAL TRAINING

Four hours weekly are devoted to seventh and eighth grades to teach the skill of using tools and making projects. This year metalry has been combined with woodwork. Boys in the eighth grade hammered discs of aluminum and pewter into plates, using molds and mallets. They were also interested in making lamps which resem-

bled the old farm pump; these may be wired for electricity; and one pupil completed the entire project for Christmas. With the handle of the pump, lights are turned off and on, making a very useful article. Seventh grade boys made necktie holders with a background designed in pierced brass or aluminum.

In addition, numerous projects such as bookcases, frames for maps, and minor repairs about the schoolhouse have been accomplished.

CO-OPERATIVE INFLUENCE OF MURALS IN ART

Murals depict a complete story of an idea, and present unlimited opportunity for integration with practically all subjects of the school curriculum.

They offer art knowledge gained through experiences with various mediums, and create interest in expression, through a study of rhythm, balance, interpretation and color. This brings enjoyment, interest, and learning to an entire class.

Considerable research is required of supervisor and pupils to gain accurate perceptions of desired illustrative work; therefore, pictures, maps, period costumes, typical homes, and modes of travel must all be diligently studied.

With the assistance of the classroom teacher, this co-operative plan is highly successful, and as the child's ability to express his ideas graphically increases, greater learning ensues.

Four murals were completed in the Center School.

“Egyptian Life”, a fifteen foot mural, was constructed by pupils of the sixth grade. This originated on colorfully lined wall paper which lent a charm to costumes, modes of travel, and picture writing of the Egyptians.

“Medieval Times”, a graphic of King Arthur’s period, was depicted on a twelve-foot length of wall paper, with interesting color arrangement, and illustrated life in Feudal Times. All this material elaborated a play given by pupils of this grade and supervised by the classroom teacher, as a culmination of the project.

“Know Your America”, was a seventh grade project of historic information illustrating development of our country’s customs from 1620 to the present day.

A unit of Indian Life was developed by grade eight. Indian activities were represented by posters. A mural five feet in length, “The Coming of the White Man”, was splendidly rendered in color.

SAND TABLES

The main objective of the Sand Table is to give the children opportunity to freely express their creative impressions. The first lesson consists in planning the layout of the table, and arranging the class into groups, allowing them to choose from a list the work they prefer to do.

During the year a number of projects have been successfully completed in the Primary Grades, as follows: “COLUMBUS”, “THE PILGRIMS”, “ESKIMOS”, “DUTCH”, and a “CIRCUS”.

In addition to these mentioned, two sand-tables of local interest were developed at Tillson Pratt School. "THE COMMUNITY OF NORTH CARVER", and "INDUSTRIES OF CARVER".

The miniature village was constructed by folding, cutting, and pasting paper to represent stores, churches, homes, and the schoolhouse; macadam roads were represented by strips of black paper. One pupil constructed NORTH CARVER GREEN, and thereon placed a pole with flag and Honor Roll. Each pupil "built" his own home. Various personal touches made realistic scenes and created a happy community spirit.

INDUSTRIES OF CARVER

A piece of cranberry bog "came to school" and became the center of interest about which scenes developed, connected with this important source of revenue in Carver.

A border of trees at the rear shadowed a reservoir, a home of live turtles. A road around the table displayed numerous devices used about the bogs: men with wheelbarrows, horses and carts, and huge trucks carrying the fruit to its destination, were shown, and a good-sized greenhouse completed the picture.

Pictures of these sand-tables were taken by Mr. Packard, the STANDARD-TIMES photographer, and a descriptive story appeared in December 3, 1945 local edition of that paper.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation for the privilege of working under your leadership and guidance, the co-operation which has always been ex-

tended to me by the Teachers, School Committee, and
Mr. Raymond, custodian at the Center School.

Respectfully submitted,

STELLA F. N. MORRISON,

Supervisor of Art and

Manual Training.

SCHOOL CENSUS

Age—Grade—Distribution, October 1, 1945

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	3	1	1				11
	II	2	3	8	5				18
	III			9	4				13
	IV			8	5				13
									— 55
Benjamin Ellis School									
Grade	I	10	8	1	1				20
	II			3	6				9
	III			8	7				15
	IV			8	8				16
									— 60
Center School									
Grade	V			11	11				22
	VI			13	10	1			24
	VII			14	11	1	1		27
	VIII			5	4	1	1		11
									— 84
Total Elementary Enrolment									199
Middleboro High School									
Grade	XI						1		1
Plymouth High School									
Grade	IX		2	1	3	5	1	1	13
	X				5	4	1	2	12
	XI				1	1	6	4	12
	XII						5	4	9
									— 47
Total High School Enrolment									47
Pre-school Pupils									
		11	9						
In Other Schools									
Military Service					3		4	3	10
Out of School					8	3	21	18	50

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Herewith I submit my first annual report as School Nurse for the Town of Carver, for the year ending December 31, 1945.

Since no School Physician was appointed until January it was necessary to conduct two physical examinations during the past year, the first in February and the second in September, in charge of Dr. Medora Eastwood. Three hundred eighty-seven pupils were given most thorough examinations with all defects noted and parents duly notified. Enlarged tonsils and poor posture were the leading defects recorded. It is very gratifying to report that ten Tonsilectomies have been done this year and we have the promise of more corrections during the vacation months. It is sincerely hoped that some program may be introduced in the near future to solve the posture problem.

All pupils were weighed and measured three times during the year, special attention having been given to underweights. Milk was available in each school at two cents per day, and every child was urged to take advantage of this offer. The response was enthusiastic, some rooms reporting one hundred percent. A decided gain was noted among the children who took milk daily.

Hearing was tested by means of the Audiometer in grades one, three, five, and seven, and all were found to be satisfactory.

In April a most successful Diphtheria Prevention Clinic was held in Town Hall, sponsored by the Board of Health,

and conducted by Dr. Medora Eastwood, School Physician, assisted by Miss Christine B. Higgins, R. N., of the Massachusetts State Department of Health, and your School Nurse. Mrs. Frank Costello very kindly took care of the records and helped with transportation. Sixty-one children were given three toxoid injections at three week intervals, and forty-two were given one re-inforcing dose, making a total of one hundred three inoculated. This large number was made possible through the kindness of the School Committee in placing their buses and drivers at our service.

In May two Tuberculosis Follow-up Clinics were held in Town Hall, under the direction of Dr. Richard Sherman, assisted by Mrs. Mabel Hanson, R. N., of Plymouth County Hospital. Eight pupils were x-rayed and given physical examinations, one was later discharged, and seven are to be re-examined in one year. It was disappointing not to be able to send any children to Bailey Health Camp this year, but due to war-time shortages the camp was unable to operate.

A Pre-School Clinic was held in Town Hall in June with eight children attending. These were examined and vaccinated by the School Physician.

While we have had no definite dental program this year, and since the Massachusetts State Department of Health looks with disfavor upon an itinerant dentist in the schools, I have endeavored in my class-room talks to encourage the pupils to visit their family dentist at least twice a year. I am hopeful that some solution of this problem may be found in 1946.

In December a complete eye examination was held in Town Hall. Sixty pupils from the Center School were

given the Massachusetts Vision Test under the supervision of Miss Christine B. Higgins, R. N. There were two who failed to pass the test, and these have been referred to their family physicians for consultation and treatment. All pupils at the Benjamin Ellis and E. Tillson Pratt Schools were given the Snellen Test, and those who failed are to be retested in January when Miss Higgins will again give the Massachusetts Vision Test in Town Hall.

During the year I have made 72 home visits, 141 school visits, and 186 class-room visits. These consisted of class-room talks, conferences with the teachers and routine health inspection. In addition to these, 50 office hours were held at the Center School to encourage the pupils to bring their problems to me. This produces better results among the older group than routine class-room visits.

We had no serious out break of contagious diseases; a few cases of mumps were reported in the spring.

It has been a pleasure to serve the Town as School Nurse, and I have found the work most pleasant and interesting. I am very grateful to you, Mr. Superintendent, and to the School Committee, Teachers, and Parents who have been so understanding and cooperative.

Respectfully submitted,

MADELINE A. BAKER,

Public Health Nurse.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENCY UNION, NO. 44

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY FOR 1945

The annual meeting of School Superintendency Union, No. 44 was held April 12, 1945 at the Benjamin Ellis School in South Carver. The Committee elected the following officers for the ensuing year.

Chairman	John Carter, Carver
Secretary	Alice Norris, Lakeville

A unanimous vote was made to increase the salary of the superintendent and to pay the same travel allowance as paid last year. The committee also voted to apply for deferment of the superintendent from military service in June.

Miss Florence Washburn of North Carver was reemployed as secretary to the superintendent.

Mr. Austin presented and explained to the committee specific directions on the revised procedures for issuing employment permits and educational certificates. He also presented for discussion a proposal to establish a more scientific basis for admission to school in the first grade.

The semi-annual meeting was held at Assawomsett School in Lakeville on November 20, 1945.

The problem of the Union Office in Middleboro was discussed and the committee voted that Mr. Austin be

authorized to purchase necessary equipment for it and go ahead with plans for repairs and redecorating.

Mrs. Madeline Baker was employed as school nurse for the Union as of September 1, 1945 and the committee voted that her salary be raised as of January 1, 1946, the same to be paid proportionately as before.

Mr. Austin was granted leave to attend the national conference of the American Association of School Administrators.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE E. NORRIS,

Secretary.

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

Annual Town Meeting, March 4, 1946
at 12:00 Noon

**TOWN WARRANT AND REPORT OF FINANCE
COMMITTEE**

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 fourth day of March 1946 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 Selectmen, One School Committeeman, One Cemetery Commissioner, One Park Commissioner, One Member of Public Welfare and Two Library Trustees, each for Three Years, and One Park Commissioner for two 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 5, 1946, 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 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, 1946, 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 the Finance Committee that the rate of pay for the year 1946 be the same as that paid in 1945.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the overlay reserve account to 1946 Reserve Account the sum of Three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) or such other money as may be voted the 1946 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 Govern-

ment 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 Construction, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 13. Recommended by the Finance Committee without prejudice.

Recommended by the Selectmen that \$2,500.00 be raised and appropriated, and not over \$7,500.00 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 without prejudice.

Recommended by the Selectmen that 6,500.00 be raised and appropriated, and not over \$14,625.00 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 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 15. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 16. 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 16. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 17. To hear the report of the committee appointed under Article 17 as amended at the Annual Town Meeting of 1945 for the purpose of studying various proposals to improve the town's educational facilities with respect to the Center School building, and to act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 17. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 18. To see if the town will vote that the Collector of Taxes, Treasurer and Town Clerk be elected for a three year term.

Article 18. Recommended by the Finance Committee that this article be not adopted.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to accept the design for an official seal for the Town of Carver as recommended and submitted by the Carver Historical Society free of charge, and to act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 19. Acceptance recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept an embossing seal press with the engraved design of the Town Seal as recommended in the foregoing article for the sealing of the Town's official papers; said press to be the gift of the Carver Historical Society to the Town, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 20. Acceptance recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One hundred and twelve dollars (\$112.00) to pay outstanding Fire Equipment bills of 1944, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 21. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty dollars (\$30.00) to pay outstanding Law bills of 1945, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 22. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six hundred eighty seven dollars

and eleven cents (\$687.11) to pay outstanding Snow bills of 1945, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 23. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 723, Acts of 1945, being an act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of municipal departments and of districts for furnishing information, advice, and assistance to veterans of World War II or other veterans.

Article 24. Acceptance recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 25. To see what action the Town will take relative to a Welcome Home Celebration for the Carver Veterans of World War Two. To raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor and act thereon or thereto.

Article 25. Recommended by the Finance Committee without prejudice as to the sum of money to be raised and appropriated thereto.

Article 26. To see what action the Town will take relative to the disposition of the old Carver Town Hall and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 26. Recommended by the Finance Committee without prejudice thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell or otherwise dispose of the building known as the Observation Tower, now located on the John J. Beaton property and act thereon or thereto.

Article 27. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed two hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$225.00) to repair the real estate accepted by the Town at the annual town meeting March 4, 1941, which appears in the records of the Registry of Deeds, Book 1793, page 588, and act thereon or thereto.

Article 28. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from surplus cash in the town treasury a sum of money not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) to be used to reduce taxes, and act thereon or thereto.

Article 29. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of establishing a War Allowance Fund.

Article 30. Recommended by the Finance Committee that a sum of money not to exceed \$500.00 be raised and appropriated.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote, and act thereon or thereto, to recommend that all Town officials, elected or appointed, do engage, hire or otherwise employ the services of Veterans of the United States Armed Forces to perform such service and/or employment as said Town official or officials may have occasion to require in the discharge of their official duties; said recommendation to remain in full force and effect from the date of its acceptance until the Town, at an annual Town Meeting, recommends otherwise; Provided that the aforementioned Veteran has been honorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces; is a citizen of, and

residing in the Town of Carver; is ready, willing, able and otherwise qualified to perform such duties or services as might reasonably be required; that the wage, fee, salary, commission, or other form of remuneration to be paid for the above-mentined service, duty, and/or employment to said Veteran shall not be in excess to that paid a non-veteran for the performance of similar services or employment; that such service or employment is not inconsistent with Federal or State regulations. and that said recommendation shall not be retroactive in application.

Article 31. Requested 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-Six.

JESSE A. HOLMES,
FRANK D. COSTELLO,
BERNARD W. ROBY,

Selectmen of Carver.

Finance Committee,

BRADFORD H. COLE, Chairman
GEORGE C. PAULDING, Secretary.

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

Tabulated for the Use of Voters in the Town Meeting, March 5, 1946.

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12-31-45 Balance	Ref'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
General Government:							
Selectmen	\$850.00	.....	\$771.35	.....	\$78.65	\$800.00	\$800.00
Treasurer	1,166.00	.....	1,111.58	.....	54.42	1,240.00	1,240.00
Collector of Taxes	1,140.00	.....	1,035.43	.....	104.57	1,140.00	1,140.00
Town Clerk	577.00	.....	542.66	.....	34.34	577.00	577.00
Assessors	1,200.00	.....	889.81	.....	310.19	1,200.00	1,200.00
Moderator	20.00	.....	10.00	.....	10.00	20.00	20.00
Auditors	90.00	.....	63.00	.....	27.00	180.00	180.00
Town Hall	1,720.00	.....	1,348.36	.....	371.64	1,800.00	1,800.00
Elections, Reg. and St. Listing	350.00	.....	175.12	.....	174.88	300.00	300.00
Law	50.00	.....	.....	.....	50.00	50.00	50.00
Decennial Census	100.00	.....	61.52	.....	38.48	.....	.....
Unclassified and	500.00	.....	460.41	.....	39.59	500.00	500.00
Memorial Day	150.00	.....	150.00	.....	.....	150.00	150.00
Health	2,800.00	.....	2,003.22	.....	796.78	2,300.00	2,300.00
Public Welfare	7,500.00	.....	5,440.16	.....	2,059.84	6,000.00	6,000.00
Public Welfare Administration	275.00	.....	267.89	.....	7.11	275.00	275.00
Public Welfare Unpaid Bills 1944	679.69	.....	679.69	.....	.....	.....	.....
Work Relief	.....	\$142.89	.....	\$142.89	.....	.....	.....
Old Age Assistance	9,800.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1-1-45	.....	29.06	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
U. S. Grant	.....	6,002.51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	\$15,831.57	.....	15,636.59	194.98	.....	10,300.00	10,300.00

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12-31-45 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
O. A. A. Administration	375.00	200.02					
U. S. Grant			555.47		19.55	415.00	415.00
Total	\$575.02						
Aid to Dependent Children	2,700.00	111.73					
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1-1-45		440.13					
U. S. Grant			2,002.10	23.46	1,226.30	3,800.00	3,800.00
Total	\$3,251.86						
A. D. C. Administration	40.00						
U. S. Grant—Bal. 1-1-45		11.69					
U. S. Grant		19.34					
Total	\$71.03		70.69	0.34		63.00	63.00
Soldiers' Relief	200.00						
Police	850.00		721.06		200.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Public Safety Civilian Defense		318.53	14.24	304.29	128.94	3,000.00	3,000.00
Plymouth County Hosp. Assessm't	2,652.82		2,652.82				
Rationing Board	50.00		6.75		43.25	3,390.78	3,390.78
Road Machinery	1,100.00		1,099.87		.13	2,175.00	2,175.00
Bridges	200.00		168.88		31.12	800.00	800.00
Removal of Snow	3,000.00						
Trans. from Reserve Acct.		1,244.09					
Total	\$4,244.09		4,244.09			2,000.00	2,000.00
ROADS							
Chapter 81	13,542.00		13,518.43		23.57	6,500.00	6,500.00
Chapter 90 Maintenance	3,000.00		2,995.33		4.67	2,500.00	2,500.00
Fires	1,200.00		382.25		817.75	1,200.00	1,200.00
Fire Equipment	1,875.00		1,863.86		11.14	2,400.00	2,400.00

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12-31-45 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Cemeteries	900.00		663.82		236.18	1,000.00	1,100.00
Special Cemetery Account	400.00		293.75		106.25	400.00	400.00
Parks	200.00		198.85		1.15	250.00	250.00
Library	300.00						
Library—Dog Fund		318.80					
Total	\$618.80		617.78		1.02	500.00	500.00
Weights and Measures	150.00		149.54		.46	150.00	150.00
Tree Warden	600.00		587.54		12.46	600.00	600.00
*Gypsy Moth	1,194.45		1,008.79		185.66	1,250.00	1,250.00
Schools and Vocational Education	41,097.00		39,046.43		2,050.57	40,068.00	40,068.00
Benj. Ellis Fund		48.78		48.78			
E. Tillson Pratt Fund		381.12		381.12			
Interest	25.00				25.00	25.00	25.00
Aid to Agriculture	100.00		100.00			100.00	100.00
American Legion Rent	50.00		50.00			100.00	100.00
Old Home Day	175.00		175.00			175.00	175.00
Workmen's Compensation Ins.	400.00		392.64		7.36	500.00	500.00
Land Damage, Meadow St.							
Balance 1-1-45		2.88		2.88			
Land Damage, So. Meadow St.							
Balance 1-1-45		13.43		13.43			
E. Tillson Pratt School Grounds,							
Balance 1-1-45		160.00		160.00			
General Highway	300.00						
Trans. from Reserve Acct.		150.00					
Total	\$450.00		420.66		29.34	600.00	600.00

	Appropriation	Other Sources	Spent	12-31-45 Balance	Ret'd to Treasury	Recommended By Selectmen	Recommended By Finance Committee
Alarm System	200.00	-----	59.32	-----	140.68	75.00	75.00
Observation Tower Balance 1-1-45	-----	80.10	-----	80.10	-----	-----	-----
Storm Damage Trans. from Reserve Acct.	2,000.00	600.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Total	-----	-----	2,221.63	-----	378.37	500.00	500.00
Veterans' Rehabilitation and Re-employment Committee	300.00	-----	139.50	-----	160.50	300.00	300.00
Gen. Gov't—Law—Unpaid Bill 1945	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	30.00	30.00
Snow—Unpaid Bills 1945	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	687.11	687.11
Fire Equipment—Unpaid Bill 1944	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	112.00	112.00
Reserve Account	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
From Overlay Reserve Acct.	2,000.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	3,000.00	3,000.00
Trans.to Storm Damage	\$600.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Trans. to Gen. Highway	150.00	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Trans. to Snow Acct.	1,244.09	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
Balance of \$5.91 re- turned to Overlay Reserve Account	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----

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