

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
TOWN OFFICERS
of the
TOWN of CARVER

Massachusetts



FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31

1957

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CARVER PUBLIC LIBRARY

Annual Town Meeting, March 3, 1958
at 12:00 Noon



In Memoriam



ERNEST W. SHAW

1875—1957

Ernest Wakefield Shaw was born in Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 29, 1875. He was the son of Samuel and Harriet E. (Wakefield) Shaw. His great grandfather once owned the late Wm. M. Shaw place on Main Street, now the property of Matti R. Saisa.

It was in Newton Highlands that Ernest spent his childhood and went to school.

As a young man, he participated in the famous gold rush to the Klondike in 1898, carrying a letter of introduction from the Hudson Bay Company to its various outposts.

Returning to Newton in 1900 to be married, he took his bride to Colorado where his father had mining interests. He settled on a small ranch and in 1903, joined the United States Forest Service as ranger. Later, he became Forest Super-

visor and transferred to Montana in the same service for twenty years.

In 1923, he returned to South Carver to live in the home of his late aunt, Eliza Bowers, on Rochester Road. He took up cranberry growing on the bogs of the estate and of those he later purchased, all in the Cranberry Road district of South Carver.

He became an enthusiastic and painstaking grower of the little red berry, soon to reach its pinnacle in Carver as a very thriving business.

In 1927, he was elected to the office of Town Road Commissioner for a term of three years. In 1936, he was appointed a member of the Finance Committee for a term. Both offices duties he discharged with care and exactness in purpose.

He was much interested in cranberry organizations. He was a member at one time of the New England Cranberry Sales Company; of the Southeastern Mass. Cranberry Club; the Cape Cod Growers Association and the Cape Cod Cranberry Co-operative Association.

In town affairs he took an active interest. He attended the Annual Town Meetings and expressed his opinion on any important matter in a clear-cut way.

He was caretaker of Union Cemetery for many years and president of Union Church Society. He was probably a record borrower of books from the Carver Library, an ardent reader.

His first marriage was to Florence Edith Taylor of Newton Highlands in 1900. To that union, two sons were born, the late Colonel Bradford, killed in a plane crash in Maryland shortly after the war, and Donald W., now living in Paonia, Cal., who is in the Forest Service.

In 1922, he married Kathleen M. Arthur of Two Dot, Montana, to whom were born Mrs. Kathleen Elizabeth (Betty) Anderson of Middleboro, Mass.; Mrs. Barbara S. Lagan of Providence, R. I. and John A. of Carver.

He died very suddenly in his home on Nov. 8, 1957. His funeral was in his home and he is buried across the street in Union Cemetery.

In Memoriam

ALEXANDER C. McLURE

1890 — 1957

Alexander Colin McLure was born April 6, 1890, in Kelleter, Castle Dearg, County of Tyrone, Northern Ireland.

He was the son of Donald and Jeanie (McCallum) McLure. He attended school in Argyllshire, Scotland. As a young man, he lived in Glasgow, Scotland, working in the shipyards. In 1905, he emigrated to America with his parents. He was a lover of cattle and became a herdsman for the late C. W. Barron, Oaks Farm, Cohasset; then for H. L. Timken, president of Douglas Shoe Co. on his Rambleton Farms, Buzzards Bay, and later for Benjamin W. Shaw, Tispaquin Farm, Middleboro.

In 1927, he moved to Carver, purchasing the Ed. Shaw place on Purchase Street.

In 1951, he was elected to the Board of Assessors. In 1949, he was appointed Town Inspector of Animals and Inspector of Slaughtering. All of these offices he filled up to the time of his death.

In his work, he was conscientious, painstaking, quiet and unassuming. Always pleasant to meet, a neighborly soul, kind alike to man and beast.

He was married to Eveline Bain, June 30, 1927. They had one son, Ian, and a daughter, Mrs. Mordina Batchelder of Middleboro, Mass.

He was a member of the North Carver Congregational Church and a member of Lakenham Grange.

The community was deeply shocked by his sudden and untimely death June 1, 1957. He was buried in Lakenham Cemetery.

THE CARVER FLOAT IN MAYFLOWER II PARADE

June 22, 1957

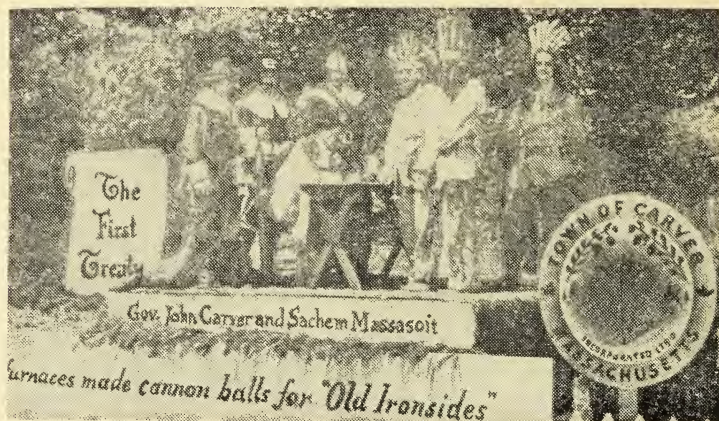


PHOTO BY EARL E. BOARDWAY

The theme of the float was the signing of the first treaty between the Pilgrims and the Indians in the spring of 1621 at Plymouth, by Governor John Carver and Sachem Massasoit. The characters represented, from left to right:

William Brewster — George A. Perkins
William Bradford — Frank R. Mazzilli
Capt. Myles Standish — John E. Atwood, Jr.
Gov. John Carver — Onni H. Erickson
Sachem Massasoit — Angelo J. Giberti
Tisquantum — Charles Pina
Quadaquina — Raymond Sylva
Samoset — Raymond Parent

Assisted by:

Stage Director — Earl E. Boardway
Costumes — Virginia Shaw
Truck and Trailer — Weston Bros.
Designers — Ward & Brady
Grass Rugs — Egger's

Float Committee

Henry M. Shaw, Chairman
Bradford H. Cole, Assistant Chairman
Earl E. Boardway, Trustee
Andrew Gomes
Angelo J. Giberti
Frank R. Mazzilli
Onni H. Erickson

In May 1957, the Plymouth Mayflower II Reception Committee invited the towns in the Plymouth area to participate in a grand parade with floats to wind up the festivities incident to celebrating the arrival of the Mayflower II in Plymouth, Massachusetts.

Since the Town of Carver had no funds for such purposes, the Selectmen turned the matter over to a citizen committee.

This Committee, as above organized, set about securing a designer and the necessary costumes and truck to display the theme that was adopted, that of "The Signing of the First Treaty" with the Indians by the Pilgrims. Incidentally, this was the same theme displayed by the Carver float in the Plymouth Tercentenary parade in 1921 and Mrs. Annie Shurtleff Boardway was the Chairman of the Carver Committee at that time.

The Committee also proceeded to raise funds to defray the expenses by soliciting the various organizations in town and the Carver citizens.

While the response from 34 individuals and 9 organizations was very good, there still remains a sizeable deficit at this date.

The Committee extends its thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Virginia Shaw for her skillful work in designing and making the Pilgrim costumes; to Mr. Angelo Giberti for securing the Indian costumes; to the Weston Bros. for the use and operation of their truck and platform trailer and lumber for the stage thereon; to Egger's for the loan of the grass rugs; to the personnel of the characters on the float; and especially to all those who contributed money and effort to make the job a success.

The Committee takes pleasure in noting here that our float received a great deal of applause all along the line of parade on that beautiful warm day of Saturday, June 22, 1957.

All of those who were on the float declared they had a wonderful time and experience.

Carver lived up to her name.

Submitted by EARL E. BOARDWAY,

For the Committee.

NEW FIRE TRUCK—ENGINE NO. 7
with Fire Chief HOMER F. WESTON

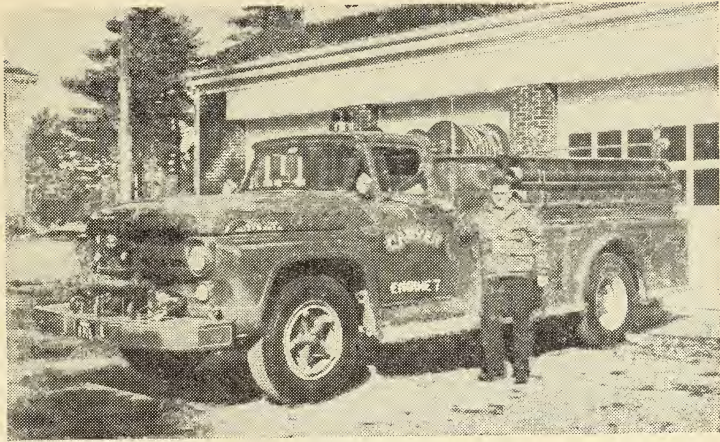


PHOTO BY EARL E. BOARDWAY

Built by the Farrar Company, Woodville, Mass.

Equipment:

- 600 gallon capacity water tank
- 500 gallons per minute pump on front end
- 500 feet $\frac{3}{4}$ inch booster hose
- 500 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch fire hose
- 1000 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch fire hose
- 2—8 foot lengths 4 inch suction hose
- 3—8 foot lengths $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch suction hose
- 1—30 foot triple extension aluminum ladder
- 1—14 foot aluminum roof ladder
- 2— $2\frac{1}{2}$ inch straight nozzles
- 1— $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch straight nozzle
- 1—suction strainer
- 1—firemen's axe
- 1—crowbar
- 1—plaster hook
- 1—Scott Air Pack, for smoke inhalation prevention
- Short wave radio—2 way
- Weight—8 tons fully loaded
- Cost—\$12,500 fully equipped



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Annual Town Meeting, March 3, 1958
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THE CHILTON ASSOCIATES

Carver, Mass.

OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES
FOR THE YEAR 1957

Moderator — Bradford H. Cole

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes — Onni H. Erickson (1959).

Auditors — Francis A. Merritt, Phyllis J. Harriman, Hazel Provonche.

Selectmen — John E. Johnson, Jr. (1960), Frank R. Mazzilli (1959), Bernard W. Roby (1958).

Board of Public Welfare — John E. Johnson, Jr. (1960), Frank R. Mazzilli (1959), Bernard W. Roby (1958).

Assessors — Alexander Colin McLure (1960), Deceased; John A. Shaw appointed, George A. Perkins (1959), Ralph E. Washburn (1958).

Highway Surveyor — John E. Atwood, Jr.

School Committee — Elizabeth C. Ryder (1960), Frank H. Cole (1959), Erwin K. Washburn (1958).

Park Commissioners — Russell W. Holmes (1960), S. Byron MacFarlane (1959), James V. Santárpia (1958).

Cemetery Commissioners — Ralph L. Linton (1960), Alexander Colin McLure (1959), deceased, Theodore T. Vaughan, III appointed, William E. Bisbee (1958).

Library Trustees — Marjorie Griffith (1960), Sally Merritt (1960), Henry M. Shaw (1959), Vienna P. Cole (1959), Elthea E. Atwood (1958), Laura H. Hudson (1958).

Constables — Dana Edward Thomas, Louis A. Bryant, Jr.,
Raymond A. Parent.

Town Director, County Aid to Agriculture — Earl E. Boardway.
Field Drivers and Pound Keepers — Dana E. Thomas, Louis
A. Bryant, Jr., Raymond A. Parent.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood — Frank H.
Cole, Dana E. Thomas, Ebenezer A. Shaw, Daniel E. Potter,
Everett F. Cassidy, Homer F. Weston.

Tree Warden — Toivo J. Kallio.

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Inspector of Animals — Alexander C. McLure, deceased; David
B. Nye appointed.

Inspector of Slaughtering — Alexander C. McLure; David B.
Nye appointed.

Inspector of Wires — Walter E. Miller.

Sealer of Weights and Measures — William E. Bisbee.

Forest Warden — Homer F. Weston.

Gypsy Moth Superintendent — Toivo J. Kallio.

Chief of Police — Dana E. Thomas.

Dog Officer — Dana E. Thomas.

Civil Defense Director — William E. Bisbee.

Board of Registrars of Voters — Alma H. Romano (1960),
Rodney N. Griffith (1959), Ebenezer A. Shaw (1958), Onni
H. Erickson.

Finance Committee — Terms expire in 1960: Lillian B. Chauvin, Helen F. Tupper, Harold L. Ballard, Andrew A. Gomes, Jacob W. Laurila. Terms expire in 1959: Noy G. Furtado, Philip H. Gibbs, Simon F. Majahad, Edwin O. Heleen, C. H. Barratt Davison. Terms expire in 1958: John E. Johnson, Jr., (resigned), Earl B. Ware appointed, Waldo N. Roby, Howard G. Burbank, Virginia K. Shaw, William J. Murphy.

**CONDITION OF THE TOWN TREASURY AT THE
CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 31, 1957**

ASSETS		
Cash		\$106,526.88
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1955		
Real Estate	\$12.90	
Levy of 1956		
Poll	2.00	
Personal Property	13.76	
Real Estate	7,804.39	
Levy of 1957		
Poll	16.83	
Personal Property	675.44	
Real Estate	26,839.54	
	35,364.86	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise		
Levy of 1956	283.71	
Levy of 1957	1,735.73	
	2,019.44	
Tax Titles		923.22
Departmental:		
Aid to Highways:		
State	32,875.00	
County	5,000.00	
	37,875.00	
Aid to Dependent Children		657.75
Underestimates 1957:		
County Tax	2,545.64	
County Hospital Assessment	5,248.39	
State Recreation Areas Assessment	33.02	
Mosquito Control	2,855.67	
	10,682.72	
		\$194,049.87

LIABILITIES and RESERVES

Employees Payroll Deductions:		
Federal Taxes	\$1,024.85	
County Retirement System	157.90	
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Tailings		267.50
Bequests:		
Central Cemetery Fund		1,000.00
E. Tillson Pratt School Fund Income		441.61
Smith-Hughes-George Barden Fund Income		105.00
Federal Grants:		
Disability Assistance:		
Administration	45.19	
Assistance	658.71	
Aid to Dependent Children		
Administration	30.30	
Aid	1,079.04	
Old Age Assistance		
Administration	132.05	
Assistance	2,497.53	
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School Lunch Revolving Fund		19.13
Treasurer's and Collector's Unidentified Receipts		255.02
Unexpended Appropriation Balances		26,968.94
Sale of Cemetery Lots and Graves Fund		20.00
Sale of Real Estate Fund		2,900.00
Road Machinery Fund		4,835.26
Dog License Fees due County		9.75
Reserve Fund — Overlay Surplus		2,921.60
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:		
Levy of 1955	12.90	
Levy of 1956	1,652.97	
Levy of 1957	2,141.50	
	<hr/>	3,807.37

Revenues Reserved:

Motor Vehicle Excise	2,019.44	
Tax Titles	923.22	
Aid to Highways	37,875.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	657.75	
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Surplus Revenue		103,397.71
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		\$194,049.87

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Onni H. Erickson, Treasurer

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January 1, Balance \$94,784.12

Received from Commonwealth:

Highways Chapter 81 Contract 6360 \$17,875.00Highways Chapter 90 Contract 16299 15,000.00Highways Chapter 718 Acts of 1956 15,008.04Income Tax 4,937.01Corporation Tax Business 13,945.22Meal Tax O.A.A. 785.70School Aid, Chapter 70 10,075.79

Reimbursement School Building

 Commission 5,127.32Educational Transportation 21,068.66Smith-Hughes-George Barden Fund 350.00School Lunch Program 3,568.58School Superintendent 1,144.03Vocational Aid 5,739.51

Income Tax — School Aid, Special

 Classes 2,413.01Temporary Aid and Transportation 185.40Division of Child Guardianship 1,693.72Commissioner of Veteran's Service 2,058.78Loss on Taxes 787.98Director of Standards 6.00Public Health Subsidy 1,119.29Old Age Assistance 15,287.18Aid Dependent Children 2,272.56Disability Assistance 1,717.99Road Machinery Fund 260.00Sick State Poor P.W. 192.34Disability Assistance Administration 170.77

 142,789.88

U. S. Grant Old Age Assistance	17,537.94	
U. S. Grant Old Age Assistance (Administration)	1,458.37	
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U. S. Grant Aid Dependent Children	2,706.66	
U. S. Grant Aid Dependent Children (Administration)	565.76	
	<hr/>	3,272.42
U. S. Grant Disability Assistance	1,922.73	
U. S. Grant Disability Assistance (Administration)	341.57	
	<hr/>	2,264.30
County of Plymouth:		
Dog Fund	380.63	
Highways Chapter 90 Contract 16299	5,000.00	
Land Damage—Pleasant Street	12.50	
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Cities and Towns:		
Town of Marion Public Welfare	828.80	
Town of Halifax Public Welfare	50.00	
Town of Plymouth O. A. A.	428.75	
	<hr/>	1,307.55
Town of Plymouth (Vocational Practical Arts)	8.10	
Town of Plymouth (Fires)	26.76	
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Cemetery Funds:		
Robert Clifford	100.00	
Eben D. Shaw	100.00	
Mary Hyatt	200.00	
Estate of Marian A. Shaw	150.00	
Ethel M. Delano	150.00	
Estate of Betsy C. Look	2,000.00	
Estate of Zaidee Ellis Gaff	2,000.00	
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Town Clerk:

Marriage Licenses	42.00	
Chattel Mortgages	170.00	
Miscellaneous Fees	94.50	
		306.50
Road Machinery Fund (Town)	3,186.00	
Town Clerk Dog Fund	415.80	
Town Clerk Sporting Licenses	678.00	
E. Tillson Pratt School Fund	112.44	
Madeleine Owens, Library Fines	13.50	
Fourth District Court Fines	115.60	
Special Cemetery Account	305.00	
Perpetual Care Cemeteries	944.11	
Camp Licenses	1.50	
Milk Licenses	7.00	
Lord's Day Licenses	17.00	
Victuallers Licenses	21.00	
Oleo Permits	3.00	
Gas Renewals	4.00	
Pistol Permits	8.00	
Alcohol Permits	1.00	
Entertainment Licenses	10.00	
Street Lists	1.75	
Hall Rent	15.00	
Pole Location Fees	46.75	
School Lunch	8,977.97	
U. S. Withholding Tax	10,876.23	
Plymouth County Retirement	1,598.70	
Public Health Nurse	68.50	
Municipal Liens	2.00	
Junk Licenses #3	10.00	
Slaughtering Fees	1.00	
Sealer's Fees	29.80	
Lodging House Licenses	2.00	
Permit to Purchase Pistol	.50	
Permit to Sell Firearms	.50	
Sale of 2 Spraying Machines	80.00	

Cemetery — Care of Private Lots	41.00
Sale of School Lumber	39.72
Adnah H. Harlow, Sheriff — Fines	64.00
Hire of Town Equipment	50.00
Telephone Call	.22
Refund — Tobey Hospital	159.00
Refund — Insurance	371.23
Refund — Warrant Charges	.85
Reimbursement — Bank Service Charge	.50
Collector's Demands	334.30
Treasurer's and Collector's Unidentified Cash	247.30
Public Welfare Recovery	118.66
Disability Assistance Recovery	100.92
O. A. A. Cash Refund	43.80
Disability Assistance Cash Refund	47.03
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	29,172.18

Tax Collector:

Property Tax 1954	12.00
Poll and Property Taxes 1955	8,511.45
Poll and Property Taxes 1956	18,241.09
Poll and Property Taxes 1957	168,078.57
Farm Animal Excise 1957	45.01
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1955	192.43
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1956	6,295.56
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1957	11,983.36
Interest on All Taxes	1,319.03
Advertising Fees — 1955 Real Estate	14.32
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	214,692.82
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	\$517,714.07

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Selectmen's Warrants	\$144,947.78
School Warrants	125,390.28
Public Assistance Warrants	9,370.74

Old Age Assistance Warrants	42,839.80
Aid Dependent Children Warrants	6,351.90
Disability Assistance Warrants	4,720.22
School Lunch Program	12,991.96
Smith-Hughes-George Barden Fund	540.25
U. S. Withholding Tax	9,864.48
Plymouth County Retirement	1,593.35
Tax Refunds	131.18
Perpetual Care	944.11
Division of Fisheries and Game	678.00
Plymouth County Dog Fund	406.05
State Audit	599.81
State Parks	718.53
Plymouth County Mosquito Control	2,855.67
Plymouth County Tax	15,610.87
Plymouth County Hospital Assessment	12,540.58
Land Damage — Wareham Street	164.00
Land Damage — Route 58	20.00
Land Damage — Pleasant Street	25.00
Fires (Emergency Appropriation)	4,195.03
Police Cruiser (Emergency Appropriation)	2,298.50
Collector's Demands	339.10
Perpetual Care Funds	4,050.00
Lawrence E. Blenheim Library Fund	7,000.00
Balance, December 31, 1957	106,526.88
	—————\$517,714.07

LICENSES AND PERMITS
SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED IN 1957

Resident Citizen Fishing	61	@	\$3.25	\$198.25
Resident Citizen Hunting	69	@	3.25	224.25
Resident Citizen Sporting	38	@	5.25	199.50
Resident Minor Fishing	8	@	1.25	10.00
Resident Citizen Female Fishing	8	@	2.25	18.00
Resident Citizen Minor Trapping	2	@	2.25	4.50
Resident Citizen Trapping	6	@	7.75	46.50
Special Non-Resident Fishing	4	@	2.75	11.00
Non-Resident Citizen Fishing	2	@	7.75	15.00
Resident Citizen Sporting (Free)	8			
	8	198		\$727.50
		Fees		49.50

Paid Division of Fisheries and Game				\$678.00
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DOG LICENSES ISSUED IN 1957

Males	112	@	\$2.00	\$224.00
Females	11	@	5.00	55.00
Spayed	37	@	2.00	74.00
Kennel	10	@	10.00	100.00
	170			\$453.00
		Fees		37.20

\$415.80

PISTOL PERMITS

Wesley Shurtleff	\$.50	John Morse	\$.50
Iraton Bumpus	.50	Leon Johnson	.50
George Harriman	.50	Norman Bolduc	.50
Robert Magura	.50	William Holmes	.50
Arthur T. Braddock	.50	Walter Holcomb	.50
Joseph R. Swift	.50	Paul Story	.50
Albert Gadapee	.50	John Morse, Jr.	.50
George C. Martin	.50	Robert McCaig	.50

OLEO PERMITS

Joseph H. Boucher	\$.50	Raymond W. Jarvio	\$.50
Jennie Barker	.50	Aime N. Desroches	.50
Joseph A. Garcia	.50	Walter R. Carmichael	.50

MILK LICENSES

H. P. Hood & Son	\$.50	Orrie S. Dempsey	\$.50
James E. Gotham, Jr.	.50	Raymond W. Jarvio	.50
Lina Duato	.50	McIntire's Dairy, Inc.	.50
Joseph H. Boucher	.50	Manuel Centio	.50
Jennie Barker	.50	Edaville Concessions,	
Joseph A. Garcia	.50	Inc.	.50
Francisco Alfonso	.50	Aime N. Desroches	.50
		Walter R. Carmichael	.50

LORD'S DAY PERMITS

James E. Gotham, Jr.	\$1.00	Orrie S. Dempsey	\$1.00
John B. Schuster	1.00	Raymond W. Jarvio	1.00
Lina Duato	1.00	Marguerite Mills	1.00
Joseph Barros	1.00	Manuel Centio	1.00
Joseph H. Boucher	1.00	Leo J. Caron	1.00
Jennie Barker	1.00	Edaville Concessions,	
Earl C. Gowell	1.00	Inc.	1.00
Joseph A. Garcia	1.00	Aime N. Desroches	1.00
Francisco Alfonso	1.00	Walter R. Carmichael	1.00

VICTUALER'S LICENSES

James E. Gotham, Jr.	\$3.00	Francisco Alfonso	\$3.00
John B. Schuster	3.00	Gertrude Saisa	3.00
Jennie Barker	3.00	Edaville Concessions,	
Joseph A. Garcia	3.00	Inc.	3.00

GASOLINE RENEWALS

Wenham Garage	\$1.00	Daniel H. Dempsey	\$1.00
John B. Schuster	1.00	Walter R. Carmichael	1.00

ALCOHOL PERMITS

Joseph Garcia	\$1.00
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SUNDAY AMUSEMENT LICENSE

Edaville Corporation	\$10.00
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JUNK LICENSES

Albert Gadapee	\$5.00	William Holmes	\$5.00
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CAMP LICENSES

Elizabeth Thomas	\$.50	Eastern Finnish	
Raymond W. Jarvio	.50	C. E. Union	\$.50

LODGING HOUSE LICENSE

Gertrude Saisa	\$2.00
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PERMIT TO PURCHASE PISTOL

Leon Johnson	\$.50
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LICENSE TO SELL FIREARMS

Leo J. Caron	\$.50
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REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

**MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER FOR
THE YEAR 1957**

- Feb. 15 Onni Hjalmar Erickson and Gertrude Kathryn Remes (Torvi) of Hingham
- March 3 Richard Arne Johnson and Margaret Yvonne Hacking
- May 12 Arthur R. Rodrigues of Duxbury and Bertha Santos of Plympton
- May 19 Robert Henry Peck of West Wareham and Patricia Ann Santarpia
- May 1 Peter Leonard Silva and Irene Lorette Lagueux of Plainville, Conn.
- June 22 Matheus Lopes of Providence, R. I. and Mary Anne Silva (Silva)
- June 29 Joseph Peter Carey of Raynham and Alice Mary Colpitts of Plympton
- July 2 Arvo I. Paananen and Anna E. Correia (Kamegis) of Somerville
- July 21 John Franklin Goodreau and Joyce Ellen Bumpus
- Aug. 16 Dana Clifford Johnson and Patricia Ann Bolio of Brockton
- Aug. 17 Robert A. Commeau and Claire Ann Dries of Plymouth
- Aug. 18 Ronald G. Gomes of Middleboro and Esther H. Barnard of Middleboro

- Aug. 20 Daniel V. Grace and Julia Silva of Taunton
- Sept. 8 Elwin C. Peterson and Paula Coombs of Plymouth
- Sept. 28 Richard Francis Kuhn of Plymouth and Shirley
Ann Kallio
- Oct. 5 Donald Francis Freyermuth of Plymouth and
Shirley Temple Linton
- Oct. 6 George Arthur Marathas of Canton and Barbara
Lois Maki
- Oct. 6 Owen Erickson Tavares of Plymouth and Sonja
Edith Maki
- Oct. 11 William Garrison Brown and Sandra Lee Silva of
Rochester
- Oct. 18 Willard Woodbury Anderson of Pembroke and
Jane Louise Ballard
- Nov. 3 Karleton F. Wood of Plymouth and Aune M.
Gilli (Lammi)
- Nov. 9 John Alfonzo Gomes and Delia Amelia Ramos of
New Bedford
- Nov. 9 Albert Bruce Freeman of Wareham and Eileen
Marie Souza
- Nov. 30 Alfred Phillip Hebert and Evelyn Louise Sayce
(Weeden) of Hanson

BIRTHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1957

Date	Name	Parents
Dec. 19	Natalie Veronica Gomes‡	Edwin C. Fernandes Mary Ann Gomes
Jan. 18	Leslie Howard Telless*	Robert Telless Elizabeth Marie Colvin
Jan. 19	Ward Richard Hannula*	Oliva Allen Hannula Elsie Louise Thomas
Jan. 25	Victoria Ann Gibbs*	Philip Health Gibbs Jean O'Brien
Feb. 15	————— Correia*	Paul R. Correia Mary Ann Lisbon
Feb. 19	John Alves Fernandes*	Domingo Mendes Fernandes Albertina Alves
Feb. 25	Michael Brackett*	George Nelson Brackett Elsie May Pratt
Mar. 6	Barbara Ann Robery*	Gerald Vincent Robery, Jr. Elsie Celia Maki
Apr. 2	Richard Allan Miranda*	John Miranda Paulina Pina
Apr. 8	Debra Lynn Santos*	Mitchell Santos Barbara A. Hargrove
Apr. 17	Donald Lee Centio*	David Lee Centio Alice Rita Fernandes
May 17	Mark David LeBarnes*	Joseph Milton LeBarnes Eva Mae Smith
May 31	Susan Elizabeth Cowan*	Melbourne Cowan Sarah Colman Lincoln
June 6	Janet Edith Roby*	Waldo Roby Jeanne Brusseau
June 10	Vicki Lunn Leconte*	Louis Maurice Leconte C. Phyllis Clemishaw
June 11	Nancy Marion Bisbee*	William Eugene Bisbee Gladys Gardner Eaton
June 21	Peter Sterling Laine*	Eino T. Laine Judith Ausman
June 21	Frederick Charles Bumpus*	Theron McKinley Bumpus, Jr. Beverly Louise Raymond

Date	Name	Parents
July 4	Leslie Jean Wilbur*	Franklin Wilbur Lillian Taylor Arthur
July 7	Annie May Reynolds*	Maurice Reynolds, Jr. Annie Thomas
Aug. 12	Mark Owen Vaughan*	Owen Winslow Vaughan Patricia Marie Gholson
Aug. 16	Fred Richard Huff, 3rd*	Fred Richard Huff, Jr. June Claire Davis
Aug. 25	Steven John Tubman*	Kenneth Tubman, Jr. Jean Marie Willis
Sept. 5	Kathleen Thomasa Lindros*	David Arnold Lindros Dorothy Marion Young
Sept. 11	James Earl Weston*	Myron T. Weston Irene Ware
Sept. 19	Elaine Frances Morse*	John Wesley Morse, Jr. Doris Washington Swift
Oct. 5	Laurence Wesley Miller*	Gordon W. Miller Patricia L. Carmichael
Oct. 20	Christine Johnson*	Richard Arne Johnson Margaret Yvonne Hacking
Oct. 24	Philip Luther Brier*	Philip Brier Nan Appling
Nov. 29	Elizabeth Nye*	Harrison Thrasher Nye Shirley Rae Roberts
Dec. 10	Roberta Rose Rodriques*	Arthur R. Rodriques Bertha M. Santos
Dec. 26	Cheryl Simmons*	George F. Simmons Coral C. Palmer
Dec. 30	Paul Sidney Baker*	Albert Lawrence Baker, Jr. Corinne Pierce
Dec. 30	Cindy Ann Shurtleff*	Harold A. Shurtleff Arlene Edna Rosa

* Born in Hospital

‡ Born in 1956 but not reported

DEATHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1957

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
Feb. 2	Fredericka Johnson	75	6 13	Pulmonary embolism, due to Erysipelas of left leg
Feb. 15	Baby Girl Correia		37 min.	Pulmonary Hypoplasia due to Prematurity
Mar. 13	Harry Clifford Morris	65	6 13	Coronary Thrombosis
Mar. 21	Helen B. Griffith	82	3 27	Hypertensive Heart Disease, due to Arterio-sclerosis
Mar. 22	Robert Henry Willets	75	8 28	Carcinoma Sigmoid
Apr. 3	Manuel Monteiro	47	7 11	Cardio-renal disease
Apr. 26	Thomas Reynolds	75	9 0	Metastatic carcinoma due to generalized arterio-sclerosis
May 2	Effie F. Nickerson	73	1 15	Cerebral Thrombosis due to Hypertension
May 9	Ina Durling Bailey	73	1 17	Cerebral Hemorrhage due to cerebro-vascular sclerosis
May 13	Liisa Koski Laine	65	10 21	Inhalation Pneumonia, (vomitus) due to cerebral hemorrhage
May 22	Alfred J. Gilli	49	9 11	Coronary Thrombosis
June 1	Alexander Colin McLure	67	1 25	Heart Disease, presumably Coronary Sclerosis (sudden)

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death
		Y.	M. D.	
June 9	Alex Johnson	84	4 24	Cerebral embolus due to arteriosclerotic heart disease
June 24	Thaddeus Faunce Wasgatt	92	9 2	Presumably Heart Disease (Coronary Sclerosis)
Aug. 1	James F. Walker	85	7 7	Hypostatic Pneumonia due to Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
Aug. 16	Deolinda Periera Mendes	82	.. 6	Cerebral Thrombosis due to Hypertensive arteriosclerotic heart disease
Sept. 24	Emma Marie Penti	74	8 2	Arteriosclerotic Heart Disease
Sept. 28	Alton F. Pratt	70	6 1	Carcinoma of the rectosigmoid with metastases to pelvis and left hip
Oct. 16	Catherine Barros	34	.. ..	Acute Pulmonary edema due to Rheumatic Heart Disease
Oct. 16	Phillip Stanley Cole	70	9 21	Heart Disease, presumably Coronary Sclerosis — expired suddenly
Nov. 8	Ernest Wakefield Shaw	81	11 9	Presumably Coronary Thrombosis (suddenly)
Nov. 11	Impi Eleanor (Mantyla) Hill	54	5 10	Coronary Thrombosis
Dec. 2	Helen Madeline (Grant) Knowlton	75	1 2	Carcinoma of Sigmoid

**CONDITION OF CEMETERY FUNDS FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1957**

CENTRAL CEMETERY

NAME	PRINCIPAL	BAL.		BAL.	
		OF INC. JAN. 1, 1957	INC. FOR YEAR	EXP. FOR YEAR	OF INC. DEC. 31, 1957
John B. Hatch	\$100.00	\$3.12	\$3.37	\$3.00	\$3.49
Wilson Shaw	100.00	3.12	3.37	3.00	3.49
Clara M. Benson	100.00	3.12	3.37	3.00	3.49
E. L. Griffith	200.00	5.30	5.94	5.50	5.74
Isaac Vaughan	200.00	5.34	5.94	5.00	6.28
Catharine L. Gray	175.00	5.59	5.90	5.00	6.49
Betsy C. Look	1,100.00	3.01	8.11	3.00	8.12
D. W. Nash	100.00	6.26	3.20	3.00	6.46
Isaac Shaw	100.00	3.12	3.31	3.00	3.43
Linus Shaw	100.00	3.01	3.11	3.00	3.12
Theodore T. Vaughan	200.00	7.59	6.79	6.75	7.63
L. A. F. Baker	150.00	5.12	5.08	4.50	5.70
Sarah S. Nash	100.00	3.12	3.37	3.00	3.49
John A. Thomas	100.00	2.77	2.96	2.50	3.23
Horatio A. Lucas	100.00	2.77	2.96	2.50	3.23
Eben S. Lucas	100.00	3.12	3.37	3.00	3.49
Aravesta B. Shaw	100.00	2.73	2.83	2.50	3.06
Thomas Vaughan	200.00	5.35	5.94	5.00	6.29
James A. Vaughan	200.00	5.35	5.94	5.00	6.29
Albert T. Shurtleff	400.00	13.59	11.96	10.00	15.55
Benjamin Shurtleff	100.00	3.05	2.97	2.50	3.52
John Snow	100.00	3.05	2.97	2.50	3.52
Fred A. Dimond	50.00	1.17	1.15	1.00	1.32
Edward Watson Shaw	100.00	3.27	3.37	3.00	3.64
Herbert H. Atwood	100.00	3.27	3.37	3.00	3.64
James E. Vaughan	200.00	6.52	6.75	6.00	7.27
Frank Thomas	100.00	3.27	3.37	3.00	3.64
Nathan Maxim	150.00	5.09	5.08	4.75	5.42
Merton F. Dorr	100.00	3.23	3.37	3.20	3.40
Pelham W. Barrows	200.00	6.52	6.75	6.00	7.27
Oliver L. Shurtleff	200.00	5.51	5.94	5.25	6.20
Robert E. Dimond	100.00	3.21	3.37	3.20	3.38
Abbie T. Allen	100.00	3.04	2.97	2.70	3.31
George I. Johnson	200.00	6.96	6.77	6.50	7.23
Myra A. Hammond	100.00	3.19	3.37	3.00	3.56
William M. Shaw	100.00	3.20	3.37	3.00	3.57
Abbie Adams	100.00	3.17	3.37	3.00	3.54
Franklin P. Wilbur	100.00	3.19	3.37	3.00	3.56
Lucy E. Blake	200.00	6.14	6.75	3.00	9.89
Ellsworth V. Shaw	200.00	6.14	6.75	3.00	9.89
Waino Peltokorpi	100.00	1.50	3.32	....	4.82
Arthur C. Atwood	125.00	1.88	4.13	....	6.01
George L. Pass	150.00	....	1.32	....	1.32
	\$6,900.00	\$178.07	\$190.77	\$151.85	\$216.99

NAME	PRINCIPAL	BAL.		BAL.	
		OF INC.	INC. FOR	EXP. FOR	OF INC.
		JAN. 1, 1957	YEAR	YEAR	DEC. 31, 1957
Richard B. Wood	150.00	7.97	5.16	4.50	8.63
Elisha Murdock	100.00	4.57	3.42	3.00	4.99
Hortense B. Morgan	150.00	5.24	5.08	4.50	5.82
Deborah R. Hatch & Robert P. Morse	150.00	10.57	5.24	4.50	11.31
William N. Barrows	100.00	53.65	4.42	3.50	54.57
William B. Atwood	1,000.00	59.46	30.67	25.00	65.13
Jim Smith	100.00	9.37	3.58	3.00	9.95
Francis A. Merritt	200.00	14.89	7.03	6.00	15.92
Eli Southworth	100.00	4.64	3.42	3.00	5.06
George V. Johnson	100.00	6.88	3.48	3.00	7.36
Hannah P. Richards	100.00	28.15	3.68	3.00	28.83
Rufus L. Richards	100.00	42.98	4.11	3.30	43.79
Irene A. Bent	100.00	19.94	3.44	2.50	20.88
Alexander Law	100.00	3.04	2.97	2.25	3.76
Eliza A. Bowers	200.00	17.13	6.29	5.00	18.42
Thomas B. Griffith	1,000.00	219.04	35.23	19.55	234.72
B. Mabel Griffith	200.00		1.75	....	1.75
Hannah B. Shaw	1,000.00	317.13	38.13		355.26
Marcus Atwood	200.00	146.67	11.33	10.00	148.00
Charles W. Griffith	500.00	139.20	20.93	19.00	141.13
Philander W. Bump	100.00	9.41	3.01	2.40	10.02
Ellis Griffith	200.00	77.05	9.08	8.00	78.13
Albert W. Perkins	100.00	29.31	4.23	3.50	30.04
Joseph Pratt	500.00	578.31	35.32	30.00	583.63
Ebenezer Smith	100.00	4.26	2.99	2.30	4.95
John A. Winberg	100.00	10.82	3.61	3.00	11.43
Olive B. Leonard	100.00	36.10	4.46	4.00	36.56
Charles Donnelly	100.00	6.08	3.46	3.00	6.54
Sarah McFarlin	100.00	3.98	2.98	2.50	4.46
Stephen Atwood	200.00	23.46	7.31	6.50	24.27
John J. Barrows	100.00	3.75	2.86	2.50	4.11
Lucius Atwood	100.00	3.74	2.98	2.50	4.22
Frank F. Tillson	100.00	6.29	3.05	2.50	6.84
Clarence H. Knowlton	100.00	7.37	3.50	3.00	7.87
Wilfred A. Tillson	100.00	4.03	2.99	2.50	4.52
Josiah W. Atwood	200.00	10.51	6.08	5.00	11.59
Oren Atwood	200.00	11.33	6.11	5.00	12.44
Lothrop A. Hayden	100.00	9.67	3.31	3.00	9.98
Samuel A. Shurtleff	200.00	18.52	6.59	6.00	19.11
Stillman Shaw	150.00	10.31	4.62	3.50	11.43
Samuel Shaw	150.00	11.64	4.64	3.50	12.78
Henry C. Washburn	100.00	10.87	3.61	3.00	11.48
Jane G. Burgess	100.00	9.80	3.58	3.00	10.38
Alfred M. Shaw	100.00	12.32	3.68	3.00	13.00
Ephraim Griffith	100.00	4.46	3.42	3.00	4.88
Charles A. Perkins	200.00	18.68	6.31	5.00	19.99
A. Sampson Perkins	100.00	3.68	2.98	2.50	4.16
Henry M. Gammons	100.00	3.84	2.98	2.50	4.32
John S. Atwood	100.00	3.81	2.98	2.50	4.29
Andrew M. Bumpus	100.00	4.18	2.99	2.50	4.67

NAME	PRINCIPAL	BAL.		BAL.		
		OF INC. JAN. 1, 1957	INC. FOR YEAR	EXP. FOR YEAR	OF INC. DEC. 31, 1957	
Alice G. Shaw	100.00	4.50	2.99	2.50	4.99	
Mildred V. Wallace	100.00	4.44	2.99	2.50	4.93	
Ellis D. Atwood	200.00	51.14	8.22	5.00	54.36	
Alton H. Griffith	100.00	4.78	3.42	3.00	5.20	
S. Dexter Atwood	200.00	12.76	6.14	5.00	13.90	
Hugh R. Bailey	200.00	26.86	6.53	5.00	28.39	
Eli Southworth	100.00	6.48	3.05	2.50	7.03	
Peleg McFarlin	100.00	4.94	3.42	3.00	5.36	
Elijah H. Thomas	130.00	5.32	3.90	3.00	6.22	
Cobb & Shurtleff	1,000.00	164.19	38.13	35.00	167.32	
Preston Manter	100.00	5.99	3.45	3.00	6.44	
Frederick Anderson	100.00	3.46	2.97	2.50	3.93	
Robert F. Shurtleff	100.00	4.90	3.42	3.00	5.32	
Charles F. Washburn	100.00	8.38	3.55	3.00	8.93	
Z. Albert Tillson	100.00	6.72	3.48	3.00	7.20	
William F. Stanley	400.00	22.22	13.82	12.00	24.04	
Weston & Rogers	300.00	13.15	10.25	9.00	14.40	
Solomon F. McFarlin	200.00	7.36	6.79	6.00	8.15	
Jesse Murdock	5,000.00	206.52	170.56	150.96	226.12	
Fanny Murdock	500.00	224.82	23.72	20.00	228.54	
Thomas Shaw	250.00	114.85	11.94	10.00	116.79	
William Savery	1,000.00	192.45	39.06	30.00	201.51	
Cornelius Sullivan	50.00	10.04	1.95	1.50	10.49	
James Hudson	50.00	7.35	1.88	1.50	7.73	
Winthrop Dunham	100.00	17.67	3.84	3.00	18.51	
John Paananen	100.00	15.85	3.78	3.00	16.63	
John Pierson	100.00	28.04	4.18	3.50	28.72	
Philip H. Threshie	75.00	12.52	2.85	2.50	12.87	
William I. Ward	200.00	22.37	7.27	5.50	24.14	
William Thomas	50.00	10.59	1.97	1.50	11.06	
Robert M. Andrews	100.00	15.87	3.78	3.00	16.65	
Orville K. Griffith	100.00	18.88	3.87	3.00	19.75	
Helena McFarlin	100.00	19.43	3.91	3.50	19.84	
Alfred Parker	50.00	5.22	1.81	1.50	5.53	
George Williams	100.00	19.87	3.91	3.00	20.78	
Levi Thomas	50.00	9.60	1.94	1.50	10.04	
Henry M. Cushing	50.00	4.63	1.77	1.50	4.90	
Philip E. Morris	50.00	4.83	1.77	1.50	5.10	
Fred Shaw	200.00	....	1.75	....	1.75
		\$14,480.00	\$3377.09	\$780.56	\$615.26	\$3342.39

WENHAM CEMETERY

Mary E. Forbes	\$100.00	\$20.16	\$3.45	\$2.75	\$20.86	
Rueben Sherman	100.00	14.88	3.30	2.75	15.43	
Julia F. Hammond	100.00	11.49	3.21	2.75	11.95	
Sarah A. Hammond	100.00	18.57	3.87	3.50	18.94	
Henry T. Hammond	100.00	26.10	4.11	3.75	26.46	
Eliza C. Dunham	100.00	24.62	3.58	3.00	25.20	
Alfred Cole	200.00	62.48	8.59	7.75	63.32	
		\$800.00	\$178.30	\$30.11	\$26.25	\$182.16

CENTRAL CEMETERY FUND

NAME	PRINCIPAL	BAL.	INC. FOR	EXP. FOR	BAL.
		OF INC.	YEAR	YEAR	OF INC.
		JAN. 1,			DEC. 31,
		1957			1957
Sale of Lots		\$24.03	\$.78	\$24.81

UNION CEMETERY FUND

Sale of Lots		\$449.27	\$13.90	\$463.17
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LAKENHAM CEMETERY FUND

Sale of Lots		\$391.11	\$12.80	\$403.91
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LIBRARY FUND

Rosa A. Cole	\$1,000.00	\$244.75	\$40.76	\$285.51
Mary S. Jowitt	100.00	24.33	3.58	27.91
	<u>\$1,100.00</u>	<u>\$269.08</u>	<u>\$44.34</u>	<u>\$313.42</u>

SARAH McFARLIN PARKWAY FUND

	\$100.00	\$48.10	\$4.28	\$52.38
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POST WAR REHABILITATION FUND

	\$492.02	\$16.11	\$508.13
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LAWRENCE E. BLENHEIM
PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING FUND

\$7,000.00

REPORT OF THE TAX COLLECTOR

POLL AND PROPERTY TAXES

	OUTSTANDING JAN. 1, 1957	ASSESSORS' COMMIT- MENTS	REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS	PAYMENTS TO TREASURER	TAX TITLES	ABATEMENTS AND TRANSFERS	OUTSTANDING DEC. 31, 1957
1954 Real Estate	\$12.00			\$12.00			
1955 Poll	114.00			40.76		\$73.24	
1955 Personal	140.33			140.33			
1955 Real Estate	8,545.39			8,330.36	176.33	25.80	\$12.90
1956 Poll	122.00		\$2.00	94.00		28.00	2.00
1956 Personal	446.79			433.03			13.76
1956 Real Estate	25,515.86	\$1,074.00	3.06	17,714.53			7,804.39
1957 Poll		16,444.35	2.00	823.17		236.00	16.83
1957 Personal		45.01		15,768.91			675.44
1957 Farm Animal Excise				45.01			
1957 Real Estate		180,037.60		151,496.49		1,701.57	26,839.54

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE

1955	\$340.19			\$192.43		\$147.76	
1956	3,145.88	\$3,555.42	\$65.69	6,327.13		156.15	\$283.71
1957		14,532.91	57.68	11,983.36		871.50	1,735.73
	38,382.44	\$215,689.29	\$130.43	213,401.51	\$176.33	\$3,240.02	\$37,384.30

ONNI H. ERICKSON,
Collector of Taxes

GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

SELECTMEN

Onni H. Erickson, services	\$201.25
Onni H. Erickson, use of car	18.56
Bernard W. Roby, services	207.07
Bernard W. Roby, use of car	28.80
Frank R. Mazzilli, services	595.88
Frank R. Mazzilli, use of car	59.04
Frank R. Mazzilli, postage	1.00
John E. Johnson, Jr., services	318.76
John E. Johnson, Jr., use of car	44.00
Viola S. Griffith, clerical	145.33
Virginia Jennings, clerical	67.51
Mass. Selectmen's Association, dues	15.00
Plymouth County Selectmen's Association, dues	6.00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co.	90.85
The Chilton Associates, supplies	67.50
Middleboro Office Supply, supplies	35.45
The Rogers Print, supplies	42.00
Ward & Brady, signs	8.00
The Wareham Courier	4.55
New Mass. Laws	4.00
Plymouth County Commissioner, lay out	10.00
Expenses	15.00
	\$1,985.55

TREASURER

Onni H. Erickson, salary	\$1,075.46
Onni H. Erickson, use of car	70.24
Onni H. Erickson, expense	2.49
Onni H. Erickson, postage	48.25
Elizabeth Ryder, Temporary Treasurer	259.64

Elizabeth Ryder, use of car	28.94
Elizabeth Ryder, postage	22.20
Elizabeth Ryder, clerical	839.55
Virginia Jennings, clerical	193.12
Middleborough Trust Company, check books	16.00
Mass. Collectors' & Treas. Association, dues	2.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	19.20
The Chilton Associates, supplies	27.95
Middleboro Office Supply, Inc., supplies	69.91
The Rogers Print, supplies	1.50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	75.40
Daniel F. McNearney, bond	107.20
Cholerton Insurance Agency, burglary insurance	23.63
Merchants National Bank of Boston, service charge	26.00
Pitney-Bowes, Inc., postage meter rental	47.25
Safe guard Checkwriter & Systems Co., repairs	19.50
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	\$2,975.43

TAX COLLECTOR

Onni H. Erickson, salary	\$1,075.46
Onni H. Erickson, use of car	99.25
Onni H. Erickson, recording fees, etc.	18.90
Elizabeth Ryder, Temporary Tax Collector	261.52
Elizabeth Ryder, postage	10.60
Elizabeth Ryder, clerical	746.70
Virginia Jennings, clerical	137.51
Mass. Collectors' & Treas. Association, dues	2.00
Daniel F. McNearney, bond	211.20
The Rogers Print, supplies	4.00
Middleboro Office Supply, supplies	22.60
The Chilton Associates, supplies	9.88
A. W. LaFond & Co., supplies	169.05
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	11.94
Middleboro Gazette, tax notice	25.00

Pitney-Bowes, Inc., postage meter rental	47.25
Goguen's Transportation Co., express	2.16
Nemasket Transportation Co., Inc., express	2.16
Maye & Ney, Inc., express	1.95
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	22.95
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	\$2,882.08

TOWN CLERK

Onni H. Erickson, salary	\$637.15
Onni H. Erickson, postage, etc.	2.90
Elizabeth Ryder, Temporary Town Clerk	129.82
Elizabeth Ryder, clerical	314.31
Virginia Jennings, clerical	129.37
Daniel McNearney, bond	6.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	34.20
Richard W. Holm, Register	2.00
The Rogers Print, supplies	4.00
Middleboro Office Supply, Inc., supplies	14.45
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	1.73
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	\$1,275.93

TOWN HALL

Wesley Shurtleff, janitor	\$336.80
Rudolph Bohlen, janitor	720.00
Rudolph Bohlen, supplies	1.83
Plymouth County Electric Co.	114.52
Roby's Inc., fuel	1,007.29
Roby's, Inc., repairs	23.75
Cholerton Insurance Agency, Inc., insurance	50.00
Walter Schroeder, insurance	94.56
L. J. Brier, repairs	42.00
Keating Bros., repairs	32.20

Commissioner of Public Safety, inspection	6.00
Alfred L. Pappi, pole replacement	8.40
Carver Supply Co., supplies	153.94
Walter Carmichael, supplies	8.64
Henry S. Pink, supplies	1.29
Boston Janitors' Supply Co., Inc., supplies	9.99
Bourget's Store, supplies	2.68
Walter Miller, labor	5.00
Solon Johnson, labor	5.00
Fred Parent, labor	12.50
Frank Mazzilli, labor	14.90
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	\$2,651.29

ASSESSORS

Ralph E. Washburn, services	\$755.00
Ralph E. Washburn, use of car	80.00
Ralph E. Washburn, box rent, postage, etc.	17.42
George A. Perkins, services	780.00
George A. Perkins, use of car	92.16
George A. Perkins, postage, etc.	7.85
Alexander C. McLure, services	217.50
John Shaw, services	112.50
John Shaw, use of car	5.68
Elva D. Washburn, clerical	303.12
Julia Morton, copying probate records	5.15
Mass. Association of Assessors, dues	9.00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	81.55
Richard W. Holm, transfers	61.12
Banker & Tradesman, subscription	24.00
The Chilton Associates, supplies	11.45
Middleboro Office Supply, Inc., supplies	4.25
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	110.75
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	\$2,678.50

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

CEMETERIES

Alexander C. McLure, labor	\$205.00
William E. Bisbee, labor	525.00
Ralph L. Linton, labor	429.38
Toivo Kallio, labor	55.00
Richard Battles, labor	3.00
Edwin Fernandes, labor	4.80
Robert Telless, labor	6.00
William Harriman, labor	39.60
Raymond Tubman, labor	49.20
Robert M. Ripley, labor	14.40
Ronald Shaw, labor	40.20
Frank R. Mazzilli, labor	131.13
Lloyd Thomas, labor	12.00
Sumner Braddock, labor	9.60
Theodore Vaughan, labor	132.81
Ralph L. Linton, Jr., labor	33.63
George Martin, labor	51.00
Peter Mazzilli, labor	147.00
Charles Perry, labor	91.20
Theodore Young, labor	93.00
Severino Fernandes, labor	7.20
Charles Kallio, labor	32.40
Charles Kallio, Jr., labor	270.60
George F. Harris, labor	10.80
Frederick Weston, labor	15.00
John Gomes, labor	3.00
William J. Demarais, labor	38.40
Peter Saisa, labor	19.80
Toivo Kallio, truck	20.00
Vaughan Bros., loam	98.50
Carver Supply Co., supplies	163.87
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	5.65
Walter Carmichael, supplies	14.10
Keating Bros., supplies	12.64

Lawrence Pink, supplies	10.94
Main St. Garage, supplies	3.28
Benny's Auto Store, supplies	2.88
A & P Tea Co., grass seed	5.67
Cooper Drug Co., supplies	15.00
Hanson Lawn Mower Shop, rotary mowers	222.70
Shurtleff Hardware Co., lawn roller	21.50
H. R. Bailey Co., wheelbarrow	35.00
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	\$3,101.85

SPECIAL CEMETERY ACCOUNT

Alexander C. McLure, labor	\$5.00
Ralph L. Linton, labor	125.00
William E. Bisbee, labor	75.00
Theodore Vaughan, labor	100.00
Charles Perry, labor	21.00
Sumner Braddock, labor	10.00
Lafayette Braddock, labor	10.00
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	\$346.00

VETERAN'S BENEFITS

Home Assistance	\$5,636.80
Medical care	374.75
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	\$6,011.55

FIRES

Arthur Peterson, grass and incinerator	\$10.25
Alice Shurtleff, grass	8.95
August Keating, grass	14.00
James Gonsalves, brush	2.50
Louis Sherman, brush	15.50

Howard Burbank, brush	15.25
Main St., brush	20.40
Drill	38.50
John Barboza, house	229.75
Middleboro Mutual Aid	2.50
South Carver Dump	4.95
Indian St., brush	4.95
Gayle Johnson, house	19.20
Off Lakenham St., brush	11.20
Hines Ave., grass	6.20
Dana Ward, grass	46.35
Wenham St., grass	8.75
Indian St., grass	2.45
Russell Bog, grass	4.85
South Carver, Dump	2.50
North Carver, Dump	54.60
Sharon Box, Shack	3.75
Purchase St.	2.50
Frank Halunen, chimney	2.75
Alfred Gilli, oil burner	1.25
Carol Griffith Bog, grass	3.70
Bartlett Pond	7.50
Cranberry Road, grass	4.90
South Carver Dump	35.70
North Carver Dump	120.70
Cranebrook Bog House	26.75
Wareham St., brush	7.75
Theodore Converse, pump motor	2.50
Route 58, car fire	2.50
Edaville Train Fires	67.80
Verhelst, chimney	12.45
Town, grass	2.50
Plympton Mutual Aid	9.70
Barrows Estate, brush	19.60
No. Carver Fire Drills	38.81
Edaville, Sunset Vista	9.80
Neimi Bog, brush	6.10

Wareham St., brush	4.85
Main St., Route 58, car fire	12.15
Braddock's Bog, brush	11.10
Hardy House Fire	35.12
Miles Standish State Forest	195.05
Power Line, E. Carver, brush	13.90
Power Line, E. Carver, brush	33.80
Shaw's Grove, brush	6.10
Shurtleff Park, brush	6.15
Cranberry Road, brush	7.35
Crystal Lake, brush	24.95
Off Route 58, wood fire	7.60
South Carver Dump	263.10
North Carver Dump	107.99
Center and Purchase St., brush	4.95
John Alorie Bog, brush	5.64
Ellis Atwood Bog, dump	11.40
Alex Johnson & Sons, brush	25.78
Sherman House, Pond St. and Bark House, Plymouth St.	62.80
Route 44, Middleboro Line	8.60
Rounds Bog, brush	3.70
Costa House, Pond St.	47.55
Cruiser Accident	11.89
Rochester Road, brush	4.90
Marjorie Thomas, house	3.70
Rochester Road, brush	12.10
Miles Standish, brush	14.28
South Carver Dump	62.36
North Carver Dump	23.76
South Carver Dump	12.50
Edaville, dump	13.52
Alories Bog	9.69
Route 58, brush	7.41
Homer Weston, clerical services	18.00
Jacqueline Weston, clerical	5.00

\$2,011.35

LIBRARY

Myrtle L. Martin, Librarian	\$265.76
Myrtle L. Martin, Postage and box rent	2.10
Madeleine Owens, Librarian	159.03
Madeleine Owens, postage, box rent etc.	3.76
Madeleine Owens, books	4.65
Nathaniel Dame & Co., books	19.80
Bouregy & Curl, Inc., books	4.66
Book of the Month Club, Inc.	4.24
Library Book House	125.01
Encyclopaedia Britannica	4.95
Hobbies, subscription	7.00
Yankee, Inc., subscription	3.00
Gaylord Bros., Inc., supplies	22.50
Frank R. Mazzilli, book shelves	68.90
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	\$695.36

PARKS

S. Byron MacFarlane, labor	\$60.00
James Santarpia, labor	81.87
James Santarpia, truck	33.75
Russell Holmes, labor	131.49
Russell Holmes, truck	72.00
John Santarpia, labor	25.80
John E. Drew, labor	50.00
Ellsworth Braddock, spreader	33.00
Jack Morey, picnic tables	85.00
John E. Johnson, Jr., delivering tables	5.00
Barry Parent, labor	4.50
Chilton Associates, signs	7.50
Wenham Garage, repairs	6.16
Carver Supply Co., supplies	87.11
Henry S. Pink, supplies	9.35
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	\$692.53

FIRE EQUIPMENT

Homer Weston, services	\$232.50
John E. Atwood, labor	10.00
Alan Roby, labor	2.50
Robert C. Williams, labor	7.50
James Peckham, Jr., labor	8.75
Ronald Patterson, labor	3.75
David Lindros, labor	5.00
Winston Weston, labor	2.50
Neil Garnett, labor	5.00
William Keating, labor	5.00
Eldred Mosher, labor	8.75
Richard A. Johnson, labor	22.50
Plymouth County Electric Co.	108.87
New England Tel. & Tel. Co., Red Network	227.96
Cholerton Insurance Agency, insurance	7.00
Merton Griffith, insurance	83.21
Daniel McNearney, insurance	18.45
Plymouth County Fire Chiefs' Club	2.00
Roby's, Inc., fuel	549.69
Roby's, Inc., horn installation	15.61
Desroches Service Station, gas, oil, repairs	248.92
Main St. Garage, gas, oil, repairs	657.79
Keating Bros., gas, oil	250.50
Walter Carmichael, gas, oil	11.67
Henry S. Pink, gas	3.25
William R. Holmes, radio rent	210.00
Wenham Garage, repairs	66.98
A. J. Nielsen, radio repairs and alternator installation	218.95
Automotive Distributors, Inc., repairs	9.35
Richard Stork, repairs	20.00
H. A. Suddard, Inc., parts	61.35
North Plymouth Garage, parts	15.50
Square Deal Garage, parts	2.80
Weston Bros., Inc., parts	13.40
Brookline Machine Co., Inc., parts	76.92

G. C. Clark Co., signs	7.95
Ward & Brady, truck lettering	35.00
John J. O'Brien, wiring compressor	9.35
Skin Diving Supply Co., supplies	2.50
Halsil Products Co., supplies	10.48
Carver Supply Co., supplies	20.58
Joseph L. Murphy, supplies	24.90
Ralph J. Perry, supplies	56.28
Fyr-Fyter Sales & Service	66.00
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	\$3,426.93

MODERATOR

Bradford H. Cole, services	\$30.00
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AUDITORS

Francis A. Merritt, services	\$110.00
Hazel M. Provonche, services	100.00
Phyllis J. Harriman, services	110.00
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	\$320.00

LAW

L. Francis Callan, Jr., Town Counsel	\$150.00
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UNCLASSIFIED

Rogers Print, Town Reports	\$844.80
Napoleon Dionne, delivering Town Reports	32.00
County of Plymouth, Middlesex County Training School	80.86
John E. Johnson, Jr., Recording fees	12.96
Louis Brier, repairs	10.00
Robert Telless, damage claim	39.00
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	\$1,019.62

MEMORIAL DAY

Cosmopolitan Band, services	\$175.00
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OLD HOME DAY

Wood's Fish Market	\$357.50
Walter Carmichael	3.25
Samuel Arons & Sons	27.45
Gould's Market	11.80
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	\$400.00

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Daniel F. McNearney	\$1,689.62
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PLYMOUTH COUNTY RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

County of Plymouth	\$1,554.60
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HEALTH

Frank R. Mazzilli, services	\$52.50
Frank R. Mazzilli, use of car and expense	19.60
Bernard Roby, services	30.00
John E. Johnson, Jr., services	102.50
John E. Johnson, Jr., use of car and expenses	33.20
Viola Griffith, clerical	16.88
Plymouth County Hospital, hospital care	753.00
Tobey Hospital	159.00
Jordan Hospital	478.98
W. Vernon Mayo, M.D., polio clinic	131.07
W. Vernon Mayo, M.D., School Physician	250.00
Plymouth County Health Association, X-rays	47.50
Jay's Drug Store, supplies	25.00

Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	7.15
Carver Supply Co., supplies	3.15
Keating Bros., supplies	1.52
David B. Nye, Inspector of Slaughtering	2.40
David B. Nye, use of car	1.28
David B. Nye, Inspector of Animals	26.40
David B. Nye, use of car	9.92
Ernest Barros, labor	222.00
Carl Johnson, labor	100.20
Charles Kallio, labor	70.00
Antone Gonsalves, labor	386.40
Manuel P. Silva, Jr., labor	18.00
John P. Gomes, labor	87.60
John P. Gomes, tractor	115.80
George Johnson, labor	3.60
John Santarpia, labor	3.60
Ronald Parker, labor	3.60
Robert D. Williams, labor	3.60
Aime Desroches, labor	3.60
John Shurtleff, labor	3.60
Clarence Garnett, Sr., labor	15.60
Robert Telless, labor	5.40
Vincent Silva, labor	5.40
Manuel P. Silva, Jr., labor	18.00
James Santarpia, labor	30.00
Oiva Hannula, bulldozer	25.00
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	\$3,272.05

ELECTIONS, REGISTRATIONS and STREET LISTING

Bernard W. Roby, services	\$12.50
Frank Mazzilli, services	12.50
Elizabeth Ryder, services	23.75
Virginia Jennings, clerical	40.00
Viola Griffith, clerical	31.26
Rodney N. Griffith, street listing	75.63

Rodney N. Griffith, use of car	9.28
Warren Wilson, street listing	23.75
Warren Wilson, use of car	5.76
Ebenezer Shaw, street listing	76.25
Ebenezer Shaw, use of car	6.80
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	22.45
Middleboro Office Supply, Inc., supplies	7.00
The Rogers Print, supplies	55.50
Edward O. Closuit, Election Officer	9.00
Aune Gilli, Election Officer	9.00
Eunice Bailey, Election Officer	9.00
Winifred Shaw, Election Officer	9.00
John P. Gomes, Election Officer	9.00
Jacob Laurila, Election Officer	9.00
Mildred Peckham, Election Officer	9.00
Ebenezer Shaw, Election Officer	9.00
Charlotte Ware, Election Officer	9.00
Alma Romano, Election Officer	9.00
Domingo Fernandes, Election Officer	9.00
Mary Spinola, Election Officer	9.00
Noy Furtado, Police Officer	12.00
North Carver Woman's Society, suppers	17.82
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	\$540.00

POLICE

Dana E. Thomas, salary	\$3,640.00
Dana E. Thomas, telephone	124.85
Louis Bryant, Jr., special officer	487.20
Francis Merritt, special officer	318.20
Warren Robertson, special officer	390.00
Ray Parent, special officer	237.00
Noy Furtado, special officer	304.80
Arthur Anderson, special officer	9.60
David Nye, special officer	9.60

Willard Nye, special officer	9.60
A. Clifton Harlow, Wareham police officer	14.80
Margaret Jones, matron	21.00
Laura Norris, matron	4.40
Harriet P. Hatch, matron	31.00
Plymouth County Chiefs Association, dues	5.00
Commissioner of Public Safety	.70
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	164.97
I. Newton Crocker, committment	21.00
John Monteiro, committments	18.00
Norman Shuhart, committment	7.40
Midway Service Station, gas and oil	55.76
Shuster's Service Station, gas and oil	61.27
Desroches Service Station, gas & oil	35.59
Keating Bros., gas, oil and tires	134.21
Wenham Garage, gas, oil and repairs	70.19
Walter Carmichael, gas and oil	55.88
Daniel Dempsey, gas	9.65
Henry S. Pink, gas	18.90
Bourget's Store, gas	54.77
Main Street Garage, gas, oil, tires and repairs	232.53
Square Deal Garage, gas	3.00
Shiretown Motors, oil change	2.25
William Quincy, batteries and cart.	28.25
Ralph J. Perry, refill cylinders	10.50
A. J. Nielson, radio repairs	20.00
Carver Supply Co., supplies	10.91
Daniel McNearney, insurance	177.02
Federal Laboratories, Inc., fingerprint set	12.05
Thompson's Grill, food for prisoner	.54
Wareham Bowl-a-way, food for prisoner	1.25

\$6,813.64

FINANCE COMMITTEE EXPENSE

Association of Town Finance Committees, dues	\$10.00
Supplies and expense	5.66
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	\$15.66

DOG OFFICER

Dana E. Thomas, services, etc.	\$91.00
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INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Walter E. Miller, services	\$135.00
Walter E. Miller, telephone	3.30
Walter E. Miller, postage	1.80
Walter E. Miller, use of car	18.08
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	\$158.18

SAVERY LANE

John E. Atwood, labor	\$12.00
John E. Atwood, truck	28.00
Waldo Bumpus, labor	11.60
Eugene Clifford, labor	10.40
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	\$62.00

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

William E. Bisbee, salary	\$100.00
William E. Bisbee, use of car	4.41
William E. Bisbee, telephone and postage	2.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc., supplies	58.63
Cholerton Insurance Agency, Inc., insurance	11.46
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	\$176.50

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Mary A. Korpinen, R.N., salary	\$1,609.95
Mary A. Korpinen, R.N., use of car	371.60
Mary A. Korpinen, expense	6.71
Marjorie Shaw, R.N., salary	66.66
Marjorie Shaw, R.N., use of car	7.68
Rachel Penti, R.N., supplies	6.30
James M. Bonner, M.D.	3.00
Constance Shaw, services	3.60
Edna Salmi, services	2.40
La Forest Pharmacy, drugs	48.21
Eldredge & Sons, Inc., supplies	15.50
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	\$2,141.61

CEMETERIES — PERPETUAL CARE

Estate of Alexander C. McLure, services	\$66.25
William E. Bisbee, services	494.75
Ralph Linton, services	150.75
Charles Kallio, Jr., labor	90.00
Frederick Weston, labor	9.60
Peter Mazzilli, labor	28.80
Theodore Vaughan, labor	40.00
George Martin, labor	20.40
Theodore Young, labor	25.20
Carver Supplies Co., supplies	13.18
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	5.18
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	\$944.11

1957 RESERVE ACCOUNT

May 7, 1957

Transfer to Unclassified Account	\$100.00
Transfer to Collector of Taxes	50.00
Transfer to Treasurer	50.00

July 16, 1957

Transfer to Treasurer	139.00
Transfer to Tax Collector	336.80
Transfer to Town Clerk	137.91

Aug. 13, 1957

Transfer to Tree Warden	200.00
Transfer to Fire Account	1,000.00
Transfer to Elm Tree Pruning	500.00

Oct. 27, 1957

Transfer to Veterans' Benefits	750.00
Transfer to Snow Removal	170.00

Dec. 5, 1957

Transfer to Police Account	650.00
Transfer to Veterans' Benefits	150.00
Transfer to Town Clerk	20.00
Transfer to Collector of Taxes	50.00
Transfer to Treasurer	165.00

Dec. 30, 1957

Transfer to Police Account	97.19
Transfer to Veterans' Benefits	111.55
Transfer to Unclassified Account	21.62
Transfer to Fire Equipment	175.00

\$4,874.53

CHAPTER 81

John E. Atwood, labor	\$1,268.50
John E. Atwood, truck	3,489.38

Town of Carver, pickup	338.20
Town of Carver, tractor	699.00
Town of Carver, grader	441.00
Town of Carver, roller	24.00
Weston Bros., truck	393.26
Weston Bros., shovel	609.80
Weston Bros., screen	304.50
Weston Bros., bulldozer	273.00
Arne Johnson, truck	462.63
Arne Johnson, hopto	372.50
Clifford Casey, grader	874.00
Leonard Heikkila, truck	656.88
Theron Bumpus, truck	439.25
Charles Kallio, truck	323.75
Carl Johnson, truck	461.13
Oiva Hannula, truck	420.75
Vaughan Bros., truck	397.13
Louis Leconte, truck	181.50
Francis Dunham, truck	66.50
Alex Johnson & Son, spraying	34.50
Manuel Pimental, mowing	362.50
John Hill, gravel	203.00
John Burgess, gravel	224.70
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., asphalt	3,510.80
Warren Bros., asphalt	560.84
John P. Condon, asphalt	1,186.02
Commonwealth of Mass., Town Line sign	20.20
Carver Supply Co., supplies	124.19
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	12.81
Waldo Bumpus, labor	1,381.17
Eugene Clifford, labor	900.85
Theron Bumpus, labor	39.63
Manuel Pimental, labor	155.10
John Santos, labor	779.90
William Cleary, labor	855.40
Napoleon Dionne, labor	583.70
Byron MacFarlane, labor	554.45

John Santarpia, labor	291.85
Theodore Vaughan, labor	42.78
James Krakowski, labor	53.95
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	\$24,375.00

CHAPTER 90

John E. Atwood, labor	\$811.50
John E. Atwood, truck	2,166.75
Town of Carver, roller	12.00
Town of Carver, grader	33.00
Town of Carver, pickup	205.00
Town of Carver, tractor	552.00
Weston Bros., truck	197.63
Weston Bros., shovel	2,095.90
Weston Bros., bulldozer	2,989.60
Arne Johnson, truck	157.25
Arne Johnson, hopto	378.00
Clifford Casey, grader	18.00
Vaughan Bros., truck	629.75
Charles Kallio, truck	374.50
Francis Dunham, truck	280.00
Leonard Heikkila, truck	399.50
Carl Johnson, truck	548.25
Oiva Hannula, truck	209.00
Theron Bumpus, truck	315.00
Manuel Centeio, truck	231.00
P. Lanzillotta & Sons, Inc., trailer rental	48.75
Weston Bros., Inc., reinforcing rods	50.16
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., asphalt	400.16
Warren Bros. Roads Co., asphalt	222.31
John P. Condon Corp., asphalt	6,750.59
Southeastern Construction, Inc., catch basins	253.77
Kingston Block Co., cement blocks	3.42
Washburn Builders & Supply Co., oakum	15.00

Eastern States Steel Corp., supplies	390.29
Carver Supply Co., supplies	104.44
New England Concrete Pipe Corp., supplies	642.67
E. L. LeBaron Foundry Co., supplies	262.55
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	63.35
John Burgess, gravel	246.15
Waldo Bumpus, labor	559.72
Theodore Vaughan, labor	204.45
John Santos, labor	203.45
Byron MacFarlane, labor	269.75
John Santarpia, labor	614.90
James Krakowski, labor	147.55
Napoleon Dionne, labor	92.30
Eugene Clifford, labor	453.70
William Cleary, labor	32.50
Lafayette Bradford, labor	6.25
Arthur B. Alves, labor	30.00
Axel Maki, labor	15.00
Domingo Fernandes, labor	15.00
James Gallanti, labor	37.50
Theron Bumpus, labor	38.39
Manuel Pimental, labor	187.20
Rupert Bumpus, labor	14.30
Herbert Shaw, labor	20.80
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	\$25,000.00

MACHINERY

John E. Atwood, labor	\$129.00
Theodore Vaughan, labor	14.50
John Santarpia, labor	26.00
Waldo Bumpus, labor	23.20
Eugene Clifford, labor	15.60
Richard Johnson, repairs	43.00
Keating Bros., repairs	1.75

Atwood & Costello, repairs	5.28
Weston Bros., repairs	501.84
Wenham Garage, repairs	2.10
Main Street Garage, roller parts and repairs	60.95
Eastern States Steel Corp., roller parts and repairs	139.65
Plymouth Hardware, roller parts	11.34
John E. Jordan Co., roller parts	14.14
Automotive Distributors, Inc., parts	165.08
Files & O'Keefe Co., parts	1.75
Richmond Automotive Service, parts	157.93
H. F. Davis Tractor Co., parts	259.59
Clyde Everett Equipment Co., parts	483.04
F. J. Corsini, parts	5.82
A. F. German Co., Inc., parts	46.10
Middleboro Radio & Appliance Co., parts	11.15
Files Equipment Co., plow blades	154.37
E. J. Bleiler Equipment Co., plow blades	135.67
Super Tire Co., tire	8.97
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., sand spreader	1,989.00
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., supplies	121.00
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	\$4,527.82

GENERAL HIGHWAY

John E. Atwood, labor	\$144.00
John E. Atwood, truck	56.00
John E. Atwood, telephone	57.18
Theron Bumpus, labor	141.60
Waldo Bumpus, labor	145.20
Eugene Clifford, labor	116.80
Manuel Pimental, labor	36.90
Solon Johnson, labor	16.00
John Santarpia, labor	31.20
Daniel H. Dempsey, labor and material	12.85
Alice M. Atwood, clerical	148.75

Hancock Paint & Varnish Co., supplies	62.87
Middleboro Radio & Appliance Co., supplies	20.00
Carver Supply Co., Supplies	156.53
F. J. Corsini, supplies	55.39
Middleboro Office Supply, Inc., supplies	14.15
Shurtleff Hardware Co., supplies	39.38
Automotive Distributors, Inc., supplies	39.56
A. C. Cosseboom Co., supplies	7.00
Greene Rubber Co., Inc., supplies	68.17
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	46.40
John E. Jordan Co., supplies	9.54
Richmond Automotive Service, supplies	1.20
Roby's, Inc., fuel	363.10
Keating Bros., fuel	133.39
Bourget's Store, fuel	5.15
Main Street Garage, fuel	89.29
Desroches Service Station, fuel	55.43
Walter Carmichael, fuel	90.20
Daniel H. Dempsey, fuel	36.87
Midway Service Center, fuel	20.30
Calso Oil Co., oil and grease	66.67
Files Equipment Co., tools	9.10
Baxter Transportation, Inc., express	8.32
Nemasket Transportation Co., express	23.84
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co., express	65.28
Petrometal Industries, signs	93.88
Daniel McNearney, insurance	107.94
Merton T. Griffith, insurance	100.00
Plymouth County Electric Co.	629.76
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	\$3,325.19

TREMONT STREET CONSTRUCTION (CHAPTER 718)

John E. Atwood, labor	\$234.00
John E. Atwood, truck	615.38

Napoleon Dione, labor	52.00
William Cleary, labor	173.55
Eugene Clifford, labor	237.90
Byron MacFarlane, labor	72.80
John Santos, labor	112.45
John Santarpia, labor	149.50
Waldo Bumpus, labor	171.83
James Krakowski, labor	33.80
Theodore Vaughan, labor	10.15
Theron Bumpus, labor	23.40
James Gallanti, labor	108.00
Manuel Pimental, labor	10.40
Town of Carver, grader	12.00
Town of Carver, pickup	3.20
Town of Carver, tractor	24.00
Weston Bros., truck	199.75
Weston Bros., shovel	551.30
Weston Bros., bulldozer	290.50
Arne Johnson, truck	129.63
Arne Johnson, hopto	63.00
Charles Kallio, truck	14.00
Oiva Hannula, truck	145.75
Carl Johnson, truck	150.88
Vaughan Bros., truck	17.90
New England Pipe Corp., supplies	73.84
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	7.20
Carver Supply Co., supplies	18.96
Frank D. Costello, supplies	45.00
John Hill, supplies	872.20
Trimount Bituminous Products Co., asphalt	1,353.00
William Harriman, Jr., stone	6.00
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	\$5,982.37

TREE WARDEN

Toivo Kallio, labor	\$575.01
Toivo Kallio, truck	343.00

Toivo Kallio, chain saw	91.50
Richard Kuhn, labor	181.20
Vaino Wainio, labor	19.80
Vaino Wainio, truck	31.00
Eino Halunen, labor	60.60
Ernest Barros, labor	9.60
Charles Kallio, labor	32.40
Byron MacFarlane, labor	9.60
Leighton Bradford, labor	9.60
Charles Kallio, Jr., labor	40.80
Manuel Fontes, labor	19.20
Embert Eames, labor	2.40
Gordon Thornhill, labor	2.40
Charles Kallio, chain saw	18.00
Embert Eames, winch	4.00
Braddock Childs, tree service	114.00
Plymouth Hardware, Inc., supplies	8.25
Carver Supply Co., supplies	127.60
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	\$1,699.96

ELM TREE PRUNING

Toivo Kallio, labor	\$476.25
Toivo Kallio, truck	346.50
Toivo Kallio, postage	.25
Charles Kallio, labor	61.20
Charles Kallio, chain saw	7.50
Charles Kallio, winch	60.00
Charles Kallio, truck	10.00
Embert Eames, labor	1.80
Embert Eames, winch	3.00
John Hayden, labor	28.20
Richard Kuhn, labor	141.60
Arthur Paananen	17.10
Charles Kallio, Jr., labor	9.60

Douglas Thornhill, labor	1.80
Eino Halunen, labor	98.40
Joseph Mendoza, labor	9.60
Manuel Fontes, labor	19.20
Arne Paananen, labor	15.60
Byron MacFarlane, labor	38.40
Raymond Tubman, labor	9.60
Jacob Laurila, labor	2.40
Ellis Bumpus, labor	10.80
Braddock Childs, tree removal	378.00
Alex Johnson & Sons, spraying	105.00
Carver Supply Co., supplies	15.60
Hartney Spray Corp., supplies	360.00
Raymond Morse & Son, supplies	272.00
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	\$2,500.00

GYPSY MOTH

Toivo Kallio, labor	\$127.50
Toivo Kallio, truck	46.00
Richard Kuhn, labor	9.60
John Hayden, labor	24.00
Alex Johnson & Sons, spraying	320.90
Raymond Morse & Son, supplies	272.00
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	\$800.00

POLICE CRUISER

Police Cruiser	\$1,750.00
Police Cruiser extras	89.15
A. J. Nielson, radio and service	545.00
Ward & Brady, lettering	18.00
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	\$2,402.15

POLICE CRUISER REPLACEMENT

Police Cruiser	\$2,200.00
A. J. Nielson, radio and service	81.50
Ward & Brady, lettering	17.00
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	\$2,299.50

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION

Bernard W. Roby, salary	\$240.00
Onni H. Erickson, salary	20.00
Frank R. Mazzilli, salary	120.00
John E. Johnson, Jr., salary	100.00
Viola S. Griffith, salary	4,000.00
Viola S. Griffith, use of car	201.56
Viola S. Griffith, dues, postage, administrative expense	44.02
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	153.15
Public Assistance Administrators Association	3.00
Massachusetts Conference of Social Work	3.00
Plymouth County Relief Officers' Association	1.25
Midcounty Interagency Council	1.00
Rogers Print	27.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	8.39
John C. Moore Corp.	11.92
Alexander Printing Co.	5.60
Middleboro Office Supply, Inc.	69.88
Aucoin's Press	1.98
Royal Typewriter Company	167.50
Orrie Dempsey, stamped envelopes	36.40
Lewis Jenney, stamped envelopes	91.60
R. D. Stillman, M.D., DA-1 exam	5.00
L. S. Nye, M.D., DA-1 exam	5.00
Fourth District Court, entry fee	3.00
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	\$5,320.25

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

PUBLIC WELFARE

Home Assistance	\$1,304.90
Maintenance	783.04
Physicians	115.00
Drugs	32.40
St. Luke's Hospital, Middleboro	264.86
Tobey Hospital	184.36
Division of Child Guardianship	453.98
City of New Bedford	40.00
City of Boston	30.00
Town of Plymouth	1,022.83
Town of Wareham	336.70
Town of Middleboro	71.00
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	\$4,639.07

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Assistance	\$6,182.81
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Assistance	\$40,637.25
Town of Plymouth	283.32
Town of Wareham	208.77
Town of Hanson	113.56
City of Brockton	575.76
City of Fall River	200.55
City of New Bedford	401.10
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	\$42,420.31

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE

Assistance	\$4,720.22
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PLYMOUTH COUNTY HOSPITAL ASSESSMENT

County of Plymouth	\$12,540.58
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VETERANS' BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION

Town of Middleborough	\$250.00
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CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL BONDS

The Merchants National Bank of Boston	\$13,000.00
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CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL INTEREST

The Merchants National Bank of Boston	\$2,730.00
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SNOW

John E. Atwood, labor	\$277.50
John E. Atwood, truck	856.76
Waldo Bumpus, labor	204.92
Eugene Clifford, labor	142.80
David Lindros, labor	25.20
Theron Bumpus, labor	9.10
John Shurtleff, labor	30.10
Leon Johnson, labor	34.30
Myron Weston, labor	70.00
Roger Weston, labor	41.30
Neil Garnett, labor	29.40
Richard Battles, labor	13.30
Louis Bryant, Jr., labor	11.90
Herbert Vaughan, labor	3.50
Chris Fernandes, labor	11.20
Raymond Silva, labor	3.50
Richard Johnson, labor	147.00
John Johnson, Jr., labor	46.20

Arvid Paananen, labor	119.00
David Johnson, labor	7.70
Ellis Bumpus, Jr., labor	36.40
John Hayden, labor	11.20
Owen Vaughan, labor	22.40
Edward Fernandes, labor	16.10
William Cleary, labor	32.90
Winston Weston, labor	21.70
Dana Provonche, labor	69.30
Lloyd Thomas, labor	2.80
Philip Brier, labor	6.30
James Santarpia, labor	14.70
Weston Bros., Inc., labor	46.20
Weston Bros., Inc., sand	277.50
Weston Bros., Inc., shovel	266.40
Weston Bros., Inc., screen	252.00
Weston Bros., Inc., truck	690.39
Vaughan Bros., truck	802.76
Leonard Heikkila, truck	685.50
Arne Johnson, truck	786.14
Carl Johnson, truck	282.63
Oiva Hannula, truck	198.00
Town of Carver, pickup	59.60
Town of Carver, plows	645.00
Town of Carver, tractor	138.00
Keating Bros., plow	5.00
C. P. Washburn, salt	380.00
Louis Knife, salt	822.80

\$8,656.40

AID TO AGRICULTURE

County of Plymouth	\$100.00
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TOWN SHED

Daniel H. Dempsey, repairs	\$72.26
C. P. Washburn Co., supplies	93.74
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	\$166.00

ROUTE 58, LAND DAMAGE
Decree No. 1124

Clarence Theo Thomas and Elfleda T. Anderson	\$10.00
George Parker Thomas and Clarence Thomas	10.00
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	\$20.00

WAREHAM STREET LAND DAMAGE
Decree No. 1140

Estate of Svante Halunen	\$12.00
Merton T. Griffith	1.00
So. Carver Grange	1.00
Bernard E. Tillson and Lucinda W. Tillson	6.00
A. D. Makepeace Co.	140.00
Sara E. Holmes	4.00
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	\$164.00

PLEASANT STREET LAND DAMAGE
Decree No. 1217

Frank H. Cole	\$25.00
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PLYMOUTH FIRE (EMERGENCY)

Fire fighters	3,612.00
Main Street Garage, gas, oil, repairs	201.67
Desroches Service Station, gas, oil, repairs and food	376.36
Jacqueline Weston, clerical	5.00
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	\$4,195.03

REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS

We, the Auditors, have completed an audit of the financial records of the Town of Carver and find them to be in balance as of December 31, 1957.

FRANCIS A. MERRITT
HAZEL M. PROVONCHE
PHYLLIS J. HARRIMAN

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN 1957

The following is my report as Librarian for 1957:

Paid to the Town Treasurer for fines		\$13.50
Circulation of books		
Adult fiction	1,144	
Adult non-fiction	435	
Juvenile fiction	784	
Juvenile non-fiction	84	
Magazines	861	
Bookmobile	2,009	
Total		5,317
New Borrowers	59	
Books Purchased	65	
Books Presented	141	
Magazines Purchased	17	
Magazines Presented	9	

Respectfully submitted,

MADELEINE A. OWENS,

Librarian

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Carver, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

The following is my report as Inspector of Slaughtering for the year of 1957.

Number of Hogs Inspected.....	2
Number of Hours as Inspector.....	2
Number of Miles Traveled.....	16

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID B. NYE,

Inspector of Slaughtering.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Carver, Massachusetts
Gentlemen:

The following is my report as Inspector of Animals for the year of 1957.

Number of Cows 2 years or over.....	72
Number of Heifers 1 to 2 years.....	11
Number of Heifer Calves, under one year...	3
Number of Steers	2
Number of Bulls	4
Number of Horses	10
Number of Goats	35
Number of Sheep	10
Number of Swine	16
Investigated and quarantined 3 dogs	
Number of Hours as Inspector.....	22
Number of Miles traveled.....	124

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID B. NYE,

Inspector of Animals.

JURY LIST — 1957-1958

Amon K. Gholson.....	Dye Maker
Sally Merritt.....	Housewife
Howard G. Burbank.....	Carpenter
Franklin P. Wilbur.....	Mechanic
Ethel M. Beal.....	Waitress
Frank H. Cole.....	Cranberry Grower
William E. Bisbee.....	Metal Finisher
Ney G. Furtado.....	Mechanic
Rita M. Shaw.....	Housewife
William A. Young.....	Laborer
Ralph E. Washburn.....	Cranberry Grower
Pauline C. Brooks.....	Housewife
Eunice Bailey.....	Housewife
Herbert L. Dudley.....	Foreman
John E. Johnson, Sr.	Cranberry Grower
James H. Peckham.....	Carpenter
Eino T. Laine	Photography Worker
Charles H. Roberts.....	Milkman
Paul A. Hoffer.....	Mechanic
Daniel H. Dempsey.....	Plumber

REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The following is a report of the Police Department for the year ending December 31st, 1957.

COURT CASES

	Male	Female	Total
Allowing Improper Person to operate Motor Vehicle	1		1
Assault and Battery	3		3
Breaking and Entering in the day time and larceny	1		1
Contempt of Court	4		4
Capias, non-support	3		3
Disturbing the Peace	4		4
Drunk	7	1	8
Driving so as to Endanger	3		3
Driving under the Influence	1		1
Failing to have license in Possession	1		1
Failing to have registration in Possession	2		2
Failing to stop for a Stop Sign	6	1	7
Failing to keep to the right of a solid white line	5		5
Leaving the scene of an accident	1		1
Malicious destruction of property	4		4
No Inspection Sticker	1		1
Operating without license	1		1
Operating after revocation	1		1

Operating an unregistered and uninsured motor vehicle	1		1
Speeding	11		11
Racing	1		1
Failing to stop for a police officer	1		1
L. and L.	3	1	4
L. and L. and Cohabitation	1		1
L. and L. Speech and Behavior	1	1	2
Adultery	1	1	2
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Total	69	5	74

Arrest for other Departments	7
Summons served for other Departments	31
Committed:	
Taunton State Hospital	4
Plymouth County Farm	5
Bridgewater State Farm	2
Youth Center Board, Boston	1
Automobile Accidents Investigated	35
Persons Injured in Automobile Accidents	33
Persons Injured in Automobile Accidents taken to Hospital	20

Respectfully submitted,

DANA THOMAS,

Chief of Police.

FOREST WARDENS

	Phone
John Atwood, Jr.	Union 6-3314
Earl Barnes	Wareham 779-M-3
Aime Desroches	Union 6-4562
George Harriman	Union 6-3617
William R. Holmes	Union 6-4582
William Keating	Union 6-3835
James Peckham, Jr.	Union 6-3680
Winston Weston	Union 6-3665
Paul Williams	Union 6-3392
John Shurtleff	Union 6-4401
Everett Wood	Plymouth
Harold Peck	Wareham
Bertram Tripp	Middleboro
Charles Curtis	Plympton

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF WIRING

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Carver, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The following is a report of the Inspector of Wires for 1957.

Number of Inspections — 65.....	\$162.50
Number of Miles Traveled — 305.....	24.40
Telephone and Postage.....	5.82

Total \$192.72

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER E. MILLER,

Inspector of Wires.

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

The following work other than general maintenance was done by the Highway Department during the year 1957.

CHAPTER 81

Appropriation:

Town Share	\$6,500.00
State Share	17,875.00

2,500 feet of West Street was widened from 16 to 20 feet wide with a gravel base and a road mix top applied.

Graveling consisted of 768 yards on Wareham Street, 282 yards on Mayflower Road and 348 yards on East Head Road.

About five miles of highway was sealed with asphalt and sand covered.

Approximately 22,000 gallons of Asphalt was used.

Expenditures of Chapter 81 Funds:

Plympton Street	\$280.61
Plymouth Street	1,307.55
Wenham Street	300.89
South Meadow Road	412.40
Meadow Street	593.99
Cross Street	869.60
Tremont Street	2,782.28
Wareham Street	1,845.11

Main Street	3,011.19
Purchase Street	532.10
Forest Street	1,191.99
Fuller Street	30.14
High Street	865.96
Brook Street	73.43
Pleasant Street	138.60
Gates Street	91.18
Pond Street	214.07
Center Street	393.47
West Street	2,638.44
Fosdick Road	987.15
Holmes Street	477.86
Popes Point Road	871.49
Mayflower Road	710.34
Rochester Road	614.00
Pine Street	98.36
Indian Street	416.46
Seipet Street	987.02
Cranberry Road	424.35
Federal Road	135.80
Hammond Street	22.35
Old Center Street	
Snappit Street	83.41
East Head Street	654.05
Secondary Streets	1,391.36
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Total	\$24,375.00

CHAPTER 90

Appropriation:

Town Share	\$5,000.00
County Share	5,000.00
State Share	15,000.00

The entire allotment of Chapter 90 funds was spent on Main Street, Route 58.

The drainage consisted of five catch basins and the laying of 330 feet of concrete pipe. Approximately 8,000 yards of borrow was excavated and 1,640 yards of gravel used to construct the by-pass an additional 1800 feet. 1,029 tons of Hot Mix Top was laid in two courses, starting at Route 44 and proceeding South for 2,100 feet.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. ATWOOD,

Highway Surveyor.

UNPAID BILLS FOR THE YEAR 1956

Veteran's Benefits	\$29.15
Public Welfare	53.16
Schools	6.50
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	\$88.81

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Gentlemen:

The following is my Annual Report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for 1957.

Platform 100-5000	1 @ \$1.00	\$1.00
Spring Scales	3 @ .50	1.50
Computing Scales	5 @ .50	2.50
Avoirdupois	3 @ .10	.30
Vehicle Meters	2 @ 3.00	6.00
Liquid 1 Gallon and Under	4 @ .10	.40
Gasolene Meter 12 Inlet	18 @ 1.00	18.00
Yard Sticks	1 @ .10	.10
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	Total	\$29.80

Amount Expended:

Salary	\$100.00
Mileage	4.41
Telephone and Postage	2.00
Insurance	11.46
Working Equipment	58.63
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Total \$176.50

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. BISBEE,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

**REPORT OF TOWN DIRECTOR
COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE**

At present, there are but two dairy farms in Carver, both in North Carver. They have been in operation for a number of years and especially the Embert Eames farm for a very long time.

We regret to report that the one fruit and vegetable farm which started production only a few years ago has been obliged to suspend operations due to poor market and declining prices.

Strawberries do well in Carver, but only a limited crop can be marketed profitably principally at road-side stands.

Weather conditions, with almost annual droughts, make it a great gamble to grow cultivated crops without available irrigation and very often like the past season, a sprinkling system for cranberry bogs is invaluable.

Cranberry growing is the principal farming industry in Carver, but plagued by poor marketing and small returns, the past few years, there is not so much interest in the business as formerly. Many good bogs have deteriorated from lack of funds to keep them in prime condition. Last summer's long drought caused severe damage on many bogs. With a nation-wide crop of over one million barrels last season and the per capita consumption of cranberries having fallen off sharply from what it was 25-30 years ago, the short term improvement in the business does not look too promising. But still, the fact remains that per acre for acre cranberries still give better return than any other crop.

In order that the citizens of Carver may understand what is meant by County Aid to Agriculture, a copy of the report by the County Agent, Robert B. Ewing is given in full below

Respectfully submitted,

EARL E. BOARDWAY,
Town Director, County Aid to Agriculture

STATE AUDIT

July 2, 1957

To the Board of Selectmen

Mr. Frank R. Mazzilli, Chairman

Carver, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Carver for the period from September 22, 1956 to March 16, 1957, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. William Schwartz, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

HERMAN B. DINE,

Director of Accounts

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Mr. Herman B. Dine

Director of Accounts

Department of Corporations and Taxation

State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Carver for the period from September 22, 1956, the date of the previous examination, to March 16, 1957, preparatory to the transfer of the books and accounts and of cash and securities to the newly elected treasurer, tax collector, and town clerk, and report thereon as follows:

The records of financial transactions of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection were examined and checked with the records of the town treasurer.

The appropriations and transfers, as recorded, were checked with the town clerk's record of town meetings and with the finance committee's records. General ledger accounts were compiled for the period of the audit, and a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the town on March 16, 1957 was prepared and is appended to this report.

The books and accounts in the treasurer's office were examined and checked. The recorded receipts were analyzed and compared with the records of the departments making payments to the treasurer and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the payments by the treasurer were checked with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the disbursement of town funds.

The treasurer's cash balance on March 16, 1957 was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balance with a statement received from the bank in which town funds are deposited.

The recorded payments on account of maturing debt and interest were checked with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer and the trustee were examined and listed. The income was proved and the transfers to the town were checked with the receipts as recorded on the treasurer's cash book.

The records of employees' payroll deductions for Federal taxes and the county retirement system were examined and reconciled with the records of the town treasurer.

The tax title records were examined and the amounts transferred to the tax title account by the tax collector were verified, the tax titles on hand being listed and proved.

The books and accounts in the tax collector's office were examined and checked. The poll, personal property, and real estate taxes, as well as motor vehicle and trailer excise, outstanding at the time of the previous examination, together with all subsequent commitments, were audited and proved. The payments to the treasurer were checked with the treasurer's cash book, the recorded abatements were compared with the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The records of departmental accounts receivable were examined and checked. The charges were proved, the payments to the treasurer were compared with the treasurer's cash book, and the outstanding accounts were listed and proved.

The outstanding tax and departmental accounts were further verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, and from the replies received it appears that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The total amounts outstanding on each of the tax and motor vehicle and trailer excise levies were given to the assessors for use in preparing the recommitments to the new collector, and detailed lists of all the outstanding accounts were prepared for the tax collector's use.

The financial records of the town clerk were examined and checked in detail. The collections on account of dog and sporting licenses issued, as well as from miscellaneous receipts, were verified and compared with the payments to the treasurer.

The surety bonds of the town officials required by law to furnish them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The records of receipts of the selectmen and the sealer of weights and measures, as well as of the police, school, library, and cemetery departments, and of all other departments collecting money for the town, were examined and checked, the payments to the treasurer being verified.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the tax, motor vehicle and trailer excise, tax title, and departmental accounts, together with schedules showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

While engaged in making the audit, cooperation was received from all officials of the town, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SCHWARTZ,
Assistant Director of Accounts

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**ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1957**

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

Special Town Meeting December 3, 1956

Appropriations From Free Cash

Snow Removal	1,998.96
Snow Removal Account	3,100.00
Wareham Street, Land Damage	721.00
Cemeteries	41.00

Total

\$5,860.96

Annual Town Meeting March 9, 1957

Selectmen	\$2,411.00
Treasurer	2,628.00
Tax Collector	2,458.00
Town Clerk	1,125.50
Assessors	2,750.00
Moderator	30.00
Auditors	320.00
Town Hall	2,905.00
Elections, Reg. and St. Listing	545.00
Law	200.00
Unclassified	898.00
Memorial Day	175.00
Health	3,740.00
Public Assistance	40,700.00
Public Assistance Admin.	2,725.00
Removal of Snow	8,500.00
Roads, Chap. 81	6,500.00
Roads, Chap. 90	5,000.00
General Highway	3,718.50
Fires	1,200.00
Fire Equipment	3,254.00
Cemeteries	3,125.00
Special Cemeteries	850.00

Parks	725.00
Library	400.00
Weights and Measures	176.50
Tree Warden	1,500.00
Gypsy Moth	800.00
Elm Tree Pruning	2,000.00
Schools and Vocational	125,445.00
Consolidated School Bonds	13,000.00
Interest on Bonds	2,730.00
Aid to Agriculture	100.00
Old Home Day	400.00
Finance Committee Expense	20.00
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	2,000.00
Veterans Benefits	3,000.00
Veterans Benefits Admin.	250.00
Dog Officer	100.00
Plymouth County Retirement Board	1,554.60
Inspector of Wires	300.00
Police	6,066.45
Public Health Nurse	2,500.00
Assessors' Plans	3,000.00
Police Cruiser	2,500.00
Fire Truck	6,300.00
Town Shed	166.00
Unpaid Bills	88.81
Total	—————\$270,880.36
Appropriation From Free Cash	
Chap. 90	\$20,000.00
Chap. 81	17,875.00
Reserve Account	2,000.00
Cemeteries	1,000.00
Total	————— \$40,875.00
Transfers	
Overlay Reserve to Reserve Account	\$3,000.00
Road Machinery Fund to Machinery Account	4,530.00

Chap. 718 Acts of 1956 to		
Crane Brook Bridge	2,000.00	
Fire Truck Account to Fire Truck	6,300.00	
Dog Fund to Library Fund	380.63	
Total	—————	\$16,210.63
Total Town Appropriations		\$33,826.95
State Assessments		
State Parks and Reservations	\$685.51	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	599.81	
State Parks and Reservations (1956)	219.18	
Total	—————	\$1,504.50
County Assessments		
County Tax	\$13,065.23	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	7,292.19	
County Tax (1956)	100.05	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment (1956)	2,309.88	
Total	—————	\$22,767.35
Overlay of Current Year		4,088.07
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Gross Amount to be Raised		\$362,186.87
Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		
Income Tax	\$15,383.54	
Corporation Taxes	11,289.64	
Reimbursement of Publicly Owned Land	751.13	
Old Age Tax (Meals)	586.58	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	14,000.00	
Licenses	275.45	
Fines	55.22	
Health and Sanitation	504.00	
Charities	4,900.00	
Old Age Assistance	14,000.00	

Veterans' Services	635.00	
Schools	31,718.08	
Cemeteries	757.00	
Interest on Taxes	981.00	
State Assistance for School Construction	5,127.32	
Miscellaneous	500.00	
Total Estimated Receipts	—————	\$101,463.96
Overestimates Previous Year		
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	\$226.37	
Amount Voted from Available Funds	62,946.59	
Total Available Funds	—————	\$63,172.96
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		\$164,636.92
Net Amount to be Raised on Polls and Property		\$197,549.95
Poll Tax	\$1,068.00	
Personal Property Tax	16,444.2950	
Real Estate Tax	180,034.1875	
Fractional Gain	3.4675	
Total	—————	\$197,549.95
Tax Rate	\$53.50	
School Tax Rate	\$22.58	
General Tax Rate	\$30.92	
Value of Assessed Personal Estate		
Stock in Trade	\$7,250.00	
Machinery	24,710.00	
Live Stock	1,580.00	
All Other Tangible Personal Property	273,830.00	
Total	—————	\$307,370.00
Value of Assessed Real Estate		
Land Exclusive of Buildings	\$1,975,775.00	
Buildings Exclusive of Land	1,389,350.00	
Total	—————	\$3,365,125.00

Total Valuation of Assessed Estate	\$3,672,495.00
Number of Persons Assessed:	
On Personal Estate Only	10
On Real Estate Only	1008
On Both Personal and Real Estate	45
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Total	1063
Number of Polls Assessed	534
Number of Corporations Assessed	28
Assessed Value of Corporations	\$1,346,380.00
Number of Horses	4
Number of Cows	5
Number of Other Cattle	3
Number of Fowl	1,365
Number of Colts	2
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	20,022.25
Number of Dwellings Assessed	826
Acres of Cranberry Bogs	2,797
Valuation of Cranberry Bogs	\$1,627,575.00
Average Value Per Acre	\$582.00
Estimated Crop of 1956	81,000 Bbls.
Assessed Valuation of Cranberry Bogs	
41.45 Acres at	\$1,000.00
18.75 Acres at	950.00
39.62 Acres at	900.00
173.87 Acres at	850.00
161.99 Acres at	800.00
153.00 Acres at	750.00
277.37 Acres at	700.00
235.90 Acres at	650.00
564.82 Acres at	600.00
81.85 Acres at	550.00
246.93 Acres at	500.00

234.48 Acres at	450.00
77.00 Acres at	400.00
151.43 Acres at	350.00
121.75 Acres at	300.00
89.20 Acres at	250.00
61.15 Acres at	200.00
18.25 Acres at	150.00
48.00 Acres at	100.00
Number of Autos, Trucks and Trailers Taxed 863	
Value of Autos, Trucks and Trailers	\$294,380.00
Amount of Excise Tax	\$15,371.39
Excise Tax Rate for 1957	57.10

Summary of Warrants to the Tax Collector

Apr. 5	Poll	\$1,068.00
Apr. 23	Personal Property	16,444.35
Apr. 23	Real Estate	180,037.60
Apr. 23	Farm Animal Excise	45.01
Apr. 30	Motor Vehicle Excise	2,003.11
May 22	Motor Vehicle Excise	2,576.87
June 21	Motor Vehicle Excise	1,362.58
July 12	Motor Vehicle Excise	910.77
Aug. 9	Motor Vehicle Excise	922.51
Aug. 16	Motor Vehicle Excise	1,321.81
Oct. 3	Motor Vehicle Excise	1,127.57
Oct. 25	Motor Vehicle Excise	1,041.73
Nov. 4	Motor Vehicle Excise	1,063.75
Nov. 20	Motor Vehicle Excise	919.95
Dec. 10	Motor Vehicle Excise	280.89
Dec. 10	Poll	6.00
Dec. 20	Motor Vehicle Excise	998.37

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Jan. 3	Motor Vehicle Excise	434.00
Jan. 22	Motor Vehicle Excise	404.48

RALPH E. WASHBURN

GEORGE A. PERKINS

JOHN A. SHAW

Assessors

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE
CARVER OLD HOME DAY ASSOCIATION**

RECEIPTS

1957

Jan. 1	Balance on Hand	\$412.88
July 27	293 Adult Tickets @ \$2.85	835.05
July 27	16 Children's Tickets @ \$1.65	26.40
July 27	Remnants (George Young)	1.25
July 27	Refreshment Booth	135.99
July 27	Pop Corn	4.00
July 27	Balloon Concession	5.00
Mar. 4	Town of Carver Appropriation	400.00
	Total Receipts	\$1,820.57

EXPENDITURES

April 4	Creedon Florist, flowers, Helen Griffith	\$5.00
July 10	Florence K. Sand, post cards	6 00
July 27	David Reed, Horse Pull prizes	100.00
July 29	Farrar's, ice cream	22.25
July 29	Russell Holmes, cleaning grove	12.00
July 29	Commonwealth of Mass., meal tax	43.07
July 29	Kingston Hardware Co., wire, lime	22.59
July 29	Carol Laine, record machine	2.50
July 29	Nancy Johnson, record machine	2.50
July 29	Anne Mills, record machine	2.50
July 29	Manuel Pimental, mowing	10.00
Aug. 3	Elthea E. Atwood, prizes	5.60
Aug. 3	Walter Haskell, use of record player	10.00
Aug. 3	The Chilton Associates, printing	45.50
Aug. 3	A. R. Glidden & Son, unbleached cloth	2.94
Aug. 3	Postage, stamps and envelopes	3.00
Aug. 3	Francis Merritt, labor and use of truck	12.00
Aug. 3	Walter Carmichael, supplies	9.62

Aug. 26	Fruit Outlet, bake supplies	74.75
Aug. 26	Oakdale Packing Co., meat	56.89
Aug. 26	L. S. Pink, supplies	7.24
Aug. 26	Waitresses, labor	59.20
Aug. 28	John Sexton & Co., supplies	17.83
Aug. 28	Coca Cola Bottling Co., tonic	38.30
Sept. 30	Yvonne Hacking, labor	9.60
Sept. 30	Robert Hacking, labor	9.60
Sept. 30	Carver Sportsman Club, use of tables	25.00
Oct. 28	Weston Bros., Inc.	24.00
Oct. 28	Homer Weston, labor	16.80
Nov. 1	Nathaniel Shurtleff, wood	15.00
Nov. 1	Labor, clambake	82.10
Nov. 1	Carver Baptist Church, electricity	1.00
Nov. 1	Gould's Market, bake supplies	11.80
Nov. 1	Wood's Market, fish, clams, weed, trays	357.50
Nov. 1	Samuel Arons & Son, bake supplies	27.45
Nov. 1	Walter Carmichael, supplies	3.25

Total Expenditures	<u>\$1,154.38</u>
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Total Receipts	\$1,820.57
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Total Expenditures	<u>1,154.38</u>
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Balance in Bank, Dec. 31, 1957	\$666.19
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Respectfully submitted,

FRANCIS A. MERRITT,

Treasurer.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Honorable Board of Public Welfare:

I herewith submit my report on Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, Disability Assistance and Public Welfare for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1957.

During the year 33 applications were processed and disposed of as follows:

- 27 Approved
- 2 Denied
- 3 Withdrawn
- 1 Pending

During the year 17 cases have been closed for the following reasons:

- 2 Transferred to State Hospitals
- 2 Transferred to other categories
- 1 Ineligible
- 5 Employed
- 2 Hospitalization only
- 3 Resources available
- 2 Deaths

There have been many changes due to new legislation and State Department directives which have entailed considerable administrative work.

Public Law 880 and Public Law 85-110, enacted in 1957, initiated new rules and a revised medical care plan which became mandatory on 9-1-57. The decision to abandon in part the universal vendor payment plan imposed a heavy, continuing workload on local boards of public welfare.

Also effective on 9-1-57 payments on Old Age Assistance, Aid to Dependent Children, and Disability Assistance were

increased 5.7%. This was brought about by an increase in the cost of living index as reported by the Division on the Necessaries of Life. An increase of the item for fuel was also made at that time because of exorbitant increases in fuel prices over those currently used in the Budget Cost Schedule. Funeral and burial expenses also advanced effective 7-1-57.

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 7, Section 30L of the General Laws, the Director of the Division of Hospital Costs and Finances established a rate of \$5.75 per diem for all licensed nursing homes. This was an increase of \$.75 per diem and was effective 9-15-57. Hospital rates certified by the Commission on Administration and Finance increase annually and the three hospitals which serve this community now charge a higher per diem rate.

Chapter 614 of the Acts of 1957 increased the exemptions of children of Old Age Assistance recipients and effective 10-29-57 few cases are found in which a child of aged parents is legally liable for support.

Three liens were filed on real estate of Old Age Assistance applicants. This is a condition of granting Old Age Assistance. The purpose of the lien is to secure payment of assistance grants.

During the year the number of Old Age Assistance cases has increased from 35 on 1-1-57 to 41 on 12-31-57.

Cases receiving Aid to Dependent Children have changed little, there being 4 cases on 1-1-57 and 4 cases on 12-31-57. The average number of children aided was 9.

One Disability Assistance case became eligible for Old Age Assistance during the year. On 1-1-57 there were 4 cases and on 12-31-57 there were 5 cases with one application pending the decision of the Medical Review Team.

On 1-1-57 there were 3 active General Relief cases and on 12-31-57 there were 5. Because there is little employment during the winter months there is increased activity in the caseload. Employment has been found for two recipients resulting in closed cases. Because of the unemployment situation in this vicinity, it is expected that there will be increased assistance in this category during the early part of 1958. This agency has processed cases for other cities and towns, the applicants being residents of rest homes.

Respectfully submitted,

VIOLA S. GRIFFITH,

Agent.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Erwin K. Washburn, Chairman	Term expires 1958
Elizabeth F. Ryder, Secretary	Term expires 1960
Frank H. Cole	Term expires 1959

George R. Austin, Superintendent of Schools

Office: Room 4, Peirce Bldg., Middleboro

Office Tel., Middleboro 1295-W

THE GOVERNOR JOHN CARVER SCHOOL—STAFF

Mr. Henry M. Shaw, Principal	Social Studies
Mr. George W. McCarthy, Assistant Principal - General Shop, Mechanical Drawing; Science; Geography and History, Grade 6.	
Mrs. Suzanne F. Burbank	Grade 1
Mrs. Mabel J. Eayrs	Grade 1
Mrs. Alice R. Shurtleff	Grade 2
Mrs. Gladys E. Burgess	Grade 3
Mrs. Ruth B. Walker	Grade 4
Mr. Richard J. Eldridge, Grade 5: Physical Education, Grades 5 and 6, and Boys' Physical Education, Grades 7 and 8.	

Mrs. Anna E. Wright Grades 5 and 6

Mrs. H. Winifred Nickerson Special Education

Mrs. Vienna P. Cole, Arithmetic and Drawing, Grades 6, 7 and 8; Geography, Grades 7 and 8.

Mrs. Marion L. Griffith, English and Music, Grades 6, 7 and 8; Literature, Grades 7 and 8; Reading, Grade 6; Library.

Sewing Instructor: Mrs. Margaret Longhi, 11 Mt. Pleasant St., Plymouth, Mass.

Cooking Instructor: Mrs. Eveline B. McLure, North Carver

Director of Music Education: Miss Barbara E. Trombley, 108 Maple Avenue, Bridgewater.

School Physician: W. Vernon Mayo, M.D., 119 Summer Street, Kingston.

School Nurse: Mrs. Mary Korpinen, R.N., Plympton Street, Middleboro.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR PRACTICAL ARTS

Mrs. Henry M. Shaw, Chairman, North Carver, Mass.

Mrs. Toivo Erickson, South Carver, Mass.

Mrs. Donald Penti, Main St., Carver, Mass.

REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT PLANNING COMMITTEE FOR CARVER

Mr. Erwin K. Washburn, South Carver, Mass.

Mrs. George Young, Carver, Mass.

Mr. Franklin Wilbur, North Carver, Mass.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

- 1958 Winter Term: Begins Monday, January 6; closes Friday, April 18. Vacations: February 24-28; April 21-25; Good Friday, April 4.
- 1958 Spring Term: Begins Monday, April 28; closes Friday, June 13*. Holiday: May 30. Graduation exercises, Thursday, June 12.
- 1958 Fall Term: Begins Wednesday, September 3; closes Tuesday, December 23. Holidays: October 13; Teachers' Convention, October 24; November 11; November 27-28.
- 1959 Winter Term: Begins Monday, January 5.

* Subject to change by action of the School Committee if too many days lost during winter.

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, 1958, without examination.
2. A child whose 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 under this rule are required to make application to the Superintendent of Schools on or before August 15th preceding the opening of school in September. A special form will be furnished for this purpose upon written request from the parent.

CLOSING OF SCHOOLS

It is the policy of the School Committee to close school only under the severest weather conditions or on such occas-

ions when it is dangerous to operate school buses. At other times, parents are expected to use their own judgment in sending children to school. When a decision to close schools has been made, this information will be broadcast through the courtesy of radio stations WBZ, WNBH and WBET. The no-school signal will also be given on the local fire warning apparatus. This signal is two short blasts sounded three times. From records of the School Committee, January 6, 1958 Voted: That the report of the Superintendent of Schools and other officers of the school system be hereby adopted as the report of the School Committee for 1957.

ERWIN K. WASHBURN, Chairman
ELIZABETH F. RYDER, Secretary
FRANK H. COLE

School Committee.

**FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL
COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR ENDING
December 31, 1957**

			Balance	Balance
		Expended	Appropriation	Fund
Appropriation	\$125,445.00	\$125,390.28	\$54.72	
E. Tillson Pratt Fund	441.61			\$441.61
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	\$125,886.61	\$125,390.28	\$54.72	\$441.61

Expenditures

SUPERVISION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

School Committee, Salaries	\$270.09	
School Committee, Expenses	48.29	
Superintendent, Salary	2,300.00	
Superintendent, Travel	233.33	
Union Office, incl. Clerical Assistance and Administrative Expense	1,818.33	
School Census	30.00	
Attendance Officer	75.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,775.04

EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

Supervisors	\$930.00	
Teachers and Principal	45,776.72	
Substitute Teaching	329.00	
Expenses, Supervisors and Principal	1,214.85	
Textbooks	722.53	
Supplies	1,573.31	
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OPERATING EXPENSES

Janitors' Salaries	\$4,504.70	
Janitors' Fees: Non-school Activities	82.50	
Janitors' Supplies	928.16	
Fuel	1,756.02	
Lights, Telephone, Misc.	1,243.55	
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MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY

Repairs and Miscellaneous		\$3,087.79
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AUXILIARY AGENCIES

Transportation — High School	\$10,702.10	
Transportation — Elementary school	\$12,018.61	
Insurance	1,095.42	
Library	62.24	
Health		
Tuition: High School	22,200.00	
Tuition: Elementary School		
Misc. Auxiliary Agencies	218.64	
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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Tuition, Day School	\$5,595.05	
Tuition, Evening School	43.20	
Transportation	5,588.00	
Practical Arts	329.66	
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OUTLAYS

New Construction		
New Equipment	613.19	
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Total Expenditures		<hr/>
		\$125,390.28

Table of Reimbursement

and other income earned on account of Schools during the fiscal year 1957, as certified to the Superintendent of Schools by the Department of Education, or billed by the local Department to other agencies:

School Aid (Chap. 70, G.L., as amended)		\$10,075.79
Transportation (Chap. 71, G.L., as amended)		21,068.66
Superintendent of Schools, Small Towns		1,144.03
Vocational Education:		
Evening Practical Arts	\$208.40	
Tuition	2,597.11	
Transportation	2,934.00	
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Special Education (Chap. 71, Section 46, as amended by Chap. 514, Acts of 1954)	\$2,321.89	
Special transportation, one pupil	91.12	
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Other Income:		
Wards, Division of Child Guardianship		
Tuition	\$1,408.12	
Transportation	285.60	
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Tuition of Non-resident in local EPA class		8.10
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		\$42,142.82
Additional Aid:		
Reimbursement, Schoolhouse Construction (Chap. 645, Acts of 1948) Payment No. 7	5,127.32	
George-Barden Funds for support of EPA Classes	350.00	

NET COST OF SCHOOLS, YEAR 1957

Total expense, all types of schools	\$125,390.28
Total reimbursements and earnings, NOT including items under Additional Aid	42,142.82
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	\$83,247.46

ESTIMATES of School Aid and other reimbursements to be received in 1958, these estimates being furnished as required under Section 10, Chap. 643, Acts of 1948.

School Aid (Chap. 70, G.L., as amended)	*\$10,725.79
Transportation (Chap. 71, G.L., as amended)	21,350.00
Superintendent of Schools, Small Towns	1,144.00

Vocational Education

EPA Classes	\$175.28
Tuition	2,900.00
Transportation	2,843.00
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	5,918.28

Special Education, Chap. 71, Section 46 as amended by Chap. 514, Acts of 1954	2,400.00
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Other Anticipated Income:

Division of Child Guardianship:

Tuition	\$1,400.00
Transportation	285.00
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	1,685.00
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	\$43,223.07

*This figure subject to change if the Legislature revises the table of equalized valuations for the towns. Present table set by Acts of 1945.

Reimbursement on Account of Schoolhouse Construction (Chap. 645, Acts of 1948), 8th payment	\$5,127.32
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1958 BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Supervision and Law Enforcement

School Committee, Salaries	\$350.00
School Committee, Expenses	75.00
Superintendent, Salary	3,000
Superintendent, Travel	275.00
Union Office, incl. Clerical Assistance and Admin. Expense	2,160.00
School Census	30.00
Attendance Officer	25.00
	\$5,915.00

Expenses of Instruction

Supervisors	\$1,010.00
Teachers and Principal	50,932.00
Substitute Teaching	400.00
Expenses — Supervisors and Principal	1,400.00
Textbooks	1,300.00
Supplies	1,600.00
	\$56,642.00

Operating Expenses

Janitors' Salaries	\$5,100.00
Janitors' Fees, Non-Sch. Activities	100.00
Janitors' Supplies	800.00
Fuel	2,000.00
Lights, Telephone, Misc.	1,100.00
	\$9,100.00

Maintenance of Property

Repairs and Miscellaneous	\$1,000.00
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Auxiliary Agencies

Transportation — High School	\$11,200.00
Transportation — Elementary School	12,000.00
Insurance	100.00
Library	100.00
Health	25.00
Tuition: High School	28,500.00
Tuition: Elementary School	
Misc. Auxiliary Agencies	200.00
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	\$52,125.00

Vocational Education

Tuition, Day School	\$7,478.00
Tuition, Evening School	50.00
Transportation	5,600.00
Practical Arts	275.00
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	\$13,403.00

Outlays

New Construction	
New Equipment	\$1,000.00
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Total	\$139,185.00

**REPORT OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

To the Members of the School Committee:

I hereby submit my annual report as Superintendent of Schools and in writing the report also include those items of major importance relating to policy as determined by the members of the committee for the calendar year. Your attention is invited to the report of the principal and others and to the statistical tables which accompany this report.

The enrollment at the Governor John Carver School is up somewhat slightly from the figure of last year. It represents a gain of approximately twenty children. The enrollment in the Silver Lake Regional High and Vocational Schools is also somewhat larger than that of the previous year by about ten pupils. While Carver does not seem to experience the rapid growth which some of the small towns have in south-eastern Massachusetts, it does seem to be showing a slow and steady growth in the upward direction. You will note, particularly, that there are forty-six children predicted to enter school next September as first grade. Experience teaches us that there are sometimes small increases in this number so that we might readily assume that there may be from fifty-one to fifty-four children in the first grade next fall.

In the matter of considering the growth at the school we find one factor which makes it difficult to form conclusions as regarding grade groupings, etc. We have several grade groups where the number of pupils is in the vicinity of forty. While this number of children per grade is too large for satisfactory individual attention it likewise results in a very small grouping if two sections of the same grade are employed as a solution. If the decision is made in favor of two sections for such a group one is open to the criticism of extravagance; yet

if one leaves the group as it is and maintains only one section then we are equally open to the claim of failing to give adequate individual help for the child. Over the years past we have resorted to the device occasionally of dividing one grade group in such a manner that a combination room results as has been the case this last year of the fifth-sixth combination. We feel that an instance of this sort is about the best practical solution that can be offered and we may find in the years to come that we will have to use this device in other situations in order to more adequately divide the pupils among the teaching staff.

In trying to prepare adequately for the future the committee has given some thought as to the future location for Carver pupils. If additional sections of grade groups are to be set up within the school then we shall have to adapt other spaces to care for them. It is possible in the coming year we may have to use the library for a classroom and move other groups around so that the Domestic Arts room is used more for a full-time classroom than is the present practice. In line with thinking ahead for the best provision for the town's children as they seem to increase in number in schools, the committee gave considerable thought as to what should be done with the Benjamin Ellis School and whether or not it should request the vote of the town to restore it to the custody of the School Committee to serve as possible insurance against the need for additional classrooms. The question in the minds of the authorities of the school department centered around this one item,—whether it would be better to add to the Governor John Carver School or better to retain the Benjamin Ellis School for the time being until the future could be more readily determined. It seemed in weighing all the factors that it would be likely better to retain the Benjamin Ellis School for the time being which would give the assurance of two small classrooms and would, at least, provide a time during which the town could more carefully consider the total future picture.

It is most difficult to predict what Carver's future solution shall be for its secondary school problem. We have been advised this year that Silver Lake will no longer take grade nine from Carver beginning September, 1958, due to the growth of their own pupil enrollment. The committee has completed arrangements with the Middleboro School Department for this grade to be accommodated there on that same date and there is little question but as the years come by Carver will gradually have to withdraw from the Silver Lake School. Middleboro has also offered to accept up to eight or ten other pupils of other grades who can meet the admission requirements regarding scholarship and conduct if these requests are made by Carver students and parents. The Middleboro School Department has also written that Carver's opportunities for the future "will be dependent upon more specific information as to the future of Lakeville" in their schools.

Considerable thought and time has been placed by the members of the School Committee and of the Regional School Planning Committee on finding possible solutions for Carver's high school pupils. The following steps have been taken along from time to time:

1. Investigated the possibilities of a regional school with Plymouth and Carver so far as it was possible for committee members to go. However at the present writing there seems to be little likelihood that this event can come to pass.
2. Explored somewhat the possibilities as to whether Carver might become a permanent partner with Silver Lake at the 10-11-12 level.
3. Some brief study has been given to the cost of adding onto the Governor John Carver School so that grade 9 might be contained locally and with the chance taken

that grades 10-12 could be accommodated in some neighboring community.

4. Make arrangements with the Middleboro School Department to place grade 9 at Middleboro.

We are fortunate to be able to report very slight change in staff this year as compared with last year. One resignation was presented to the committee in the late spring of 1957, that of Mrs. Clare Neal, who was teaching one of the primary grades. Mrs. Neal submitted her resignation for personal reasons but later discovered that it would be necessary for her to remove her home to the state of New Jersey. Her position thus vacated was filled with the appointment of Mrs. Mabel J. Eayrs, of Middleboro, who is a graduate of one of the Boston Training Schools for primary education and comes to us with twelve years' experience in the primary grades in the town of Milton. Too much cannot be said in favor of a permanent staff and the fact that our teachers continue from year to year enable us to give consistently a steady and worthwhile pattern of education.

The committee and superintendent engaged in considerable study and discussion concerning the possibilities of a ruling for setting a policy to be applied in cases of pupils who were over the mandatory legal age of school attendance but who were not making the effort to profit in their opportunities. As a consequence of this the following regulation was adopted by the committee on August 27, 1957:

“Effective on the above date, the Carver School Committee has voted that a pupil having reached the age of 16 and failing in his work at school because of poor conduct, attendance or attitude will be denied his tuition and transportation expense. A statement from the Principal or Director of the school showing the condition prevails will be sufficient for the Committee to take action under

this rule. Parents of a pupil denied his tuition and transportation expense will have to make their own arrangements with the school if such a pupil is to continue in attendance."

It is not the intent of the committee to penalize any pupil but rather it is the intent that students enrolled in schools outside of the town and at considerable expense to Carver shall realize they have an obligation to do as well as their capacities and circumstances will permit. One can be sympathetic with a pupil who, in spite of good effort, conduct and attendance, cannot succeed perhaps as well as he might like to; but contrasted with this there seems little need for patience for the pupil who wastes his effort and opportunity and who admittedly goes to the school "for the ride." Carver is fortunate in that it has very few pupils of this latter category, but it is the intent of the Department that we shall not support and encourage this sort of approach to school.

Considerable work has been done this year on the Governor John Carver School in order to get the maintenance caught up and keep the building in first class appearance. During the summer a contract was let to the low bidder, John Wholan of Middleboro, for the painting of rooms No. 21, 22, 25, 26, stairwells south wing, fire doors and the second floor corridor. During the summer, pointing work was done on the certain parts of the brick work in need of this attention and that portion of the building sealed with a water repellent sealer where it had never been previously applied. As the end of the year drew near it became apparent there would be some surplus funds to permit additional work of this sort and the committee thought it better to proceed with it rather than to leave it to the 1958 budget. Accordingly, the rooms No. 14, 27, 28 and 29 were painted, together with the north rear stairwell and the corridor on the first floor. It will probably require only two more steps in the future and the building will have been completely redecorated. Since

its occupancy in 1951 both inside and out our building always remains clean, neat and attractive and it should be entered in the public record here that our janitor, Mr. H. Albert Raymond, ably assisted by Mrs. Raymond, keep it in first class order. It is often a subject for conversation by those visiting our school when they see the neat and clean condition in which we live.

There are no major changes to report in curriculum content for the year past. Mr. Shaw's report discusses very adequately our aims as relates to teaching, curriculum, etc. This last year we were able to bring out a publication which has been long in the making and represents the work and effort of the teachers of the union school system; in fact, it includes work and contributions by some who have since left us and gone to other systems. For the first time we have been able to get our Course of Study material mimeographed and bound together into one copy so that each teacher now has in her possession a complete book of the Course of Study for the entire system. This is a valuable aid not only to the teacher in the immediate classroom with a particular grade but as well permits the teacher of any grade to see where her part fits into the total picture of the education of the child of the eight grades. We expect to continue to enlarge and refine this as time permits and to change it, revise and bring it up-to-date as needed. A change was authorized this year in the Penmanship system, both for reasons of economy and for better use of the time as relates to the school week. It is our policy at the moment to try to train our pupils as intensively as possible in the first six grades and to use the time in grades seven and eight strictly for remedial purposes for those pupils who cannot make the standards of reasonable legibility and conformity.

We recognize that the costs of maintaining schools do not decrease as the years go by but we also point out that we remain in a favorable comparative position in these

times. In the matter of tuition rates we have the following items:

Silver Lake Regional	\$400.00 per pupil
New Bedford Vocational School	325.00 per pupil
Middleboro High School	286.00 per pupil

Of these rates quoted here, the two higher ones have a marked influence upon the amounts of money required for the education of the secondary school pupils. The committee members have given considerable thought from time to time as to the problem of teachers' salaries, in fact this is one of the major problems of any school committee today. For this school year, 1957-1958, the average teachers' salary in Carver, considering all salaries except those administrative in nature or having any administrative allowance attached to them, comes to \$3,872.00. This salary is slightly below the median salary reported by the Massachusetts Teachers Association in its bulletin No. Q16-IVa of November 15, 1957 which shows the median salary in towns of group 4A (towns similar to Carver) is \$3,960.00. We are probably approaching the time when some equitable form of salary plan will have to be devised which will enable us to offer an attractive future to teachers entering the system but equally permit variations to enable us to recognize worth to the school system. There is a growing interest in all school systems in the so-called "Merit Plan" for payment of salaries. The teachers of this school union already have a committee working on the subject to study it, become acquainted with it and to see if some ideas can be advanced which will be useful in the future years. There is a growing feeling in this nation that teachers' salaries ought to be more professionally comparable to other professions having to do with people and if we are at all alert to the needs we probably shall have to have a plan worked out within the next three or four years that will offer some positive approaches to the whole question of adequate pay for teachers.

The year just closed in Carver is one in which we have continued to try to solve problems and develop and strengthen our school system. Steps have been taken to raise the aims of the secondary pupils and efforts have been made toward a permanent solution for the secondary school question as relates to Carver. Only time alone can prove or disapprove the value of decisions made to this date, but whatever has been said or done has been so because of the evidence at hand at the time the decision was made. The interest which the principal and teachers take in the success of their school and the concern and care which the school committee takes in making its decisions are all factors which help us to maintain a good school system, one which is progressive in the best sense of the word.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE R. AUSTIN,

Superintendent of Schools, Union No. 35

**REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE
GOVERNOR JOHN CARVER SCHOOL**

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith present my report as principal of the Governor John Carver School for the calendar year 1957.

Mention should be made of three activities which took place during the school year which ended in June: the special class, the School and the Public Health Nursing Program and the graduation.

The special class, under the capable instruction of Mrs. Winifred Nickerson, completed its first year as a part of Carver's educational program. The results were most pleasing. The class members made substantial progress in the academic areas of the program and were introduced to crafts and manual arts work. Small classes, specialized instruction, and a sympathetic environment have produced good educational results. The children involved were experiencing success in the basic subjects of reading, arithmetic, and English, which would have been denied them had they been enrolled in the regular classes of the school. The program is varied and challenging; pupil interest is high. A commendatory report from the State Department of Education followed its inspection of our special class program.

Another new feature of our program, which completed its first year in operation, was that of the Public Nursing Health Program. We at the school feel that this project is working out most favorably. Under the present program Mrs. Mary Korpinen is in attendance for the greater part of the time between 8:30 and 1 o'clock for each school day. The school duties of the nurse are many and varied. During the summer months the Family Data Sheet for each child

entering the first grade is completed by home visits, and such sheets must be made out for children transferring to the school. A health card is prepared for each child enrolled in the school. With the aid of the school doctor the nurse carries out the state prescribed physical examinations for pupils of grades 1, 4, and 7, and for all children taking part in the school's sport program. The school nurse administers the eye and ear tests, and records weight and height. In co-operation with the State Department of Health, dental clinics are held annually. The nurse is in attendance for children who are ill at school and arranges transportation for those too ill to remain at school. Another duty is the giving out of health information. All children who have been absent from school report to the nurse on returning to school. Under the present arrangement all excuses for absence are submitted to the school nurse. I can report most favorably on the program at the end of its first year in operation.

The school year closed with an enrollment of 293. The average daily attendance approximated 94% of the enrollment. A child who was absent 7 days during the school year exceeded the absence of the average child. 13 children had perfect attendance.

Graduation exercises were held on June 6, 1957. The American Legion Essay Award was won by Kenneth Heleen for his essay "The Symbol of a Nation." The Legion Auxiliary Poster Awards were given to Ronald Pimental and Albert Thomas; the Humane Society Poster Awards were presented to Elizabeth Weston, Rebecca Shaw, Kathleen Halunen and George Young. The evening's program was prepared by the students under the direction of Miss Barbara Trombley and dealt with the story of American music. A list of the graduates follows:

Henry Kent Andrade	a	Robert Gregory Majura	a
Charles Clarence Austin	a	Peter Francis Mazzilli	b
Priscilla Ann Barrows	a	Harrison Thrasher Nye, Jr.	a

David Henry Deroches	a	Charles Francis Parker	a
Alice Mildred Duverger	a	David Warren Parker	a
Manuel Vieira Fontes	d	Anna Pesonen	a
Joseph Alton Gacia	a	Sylvia Pesonen	a
Douglas Roy Gould	a	Robert Francis Peterson	d
Robert Gideon Hacking	b	Patricia Ann Pimental	a
Elizabeth Ann Halunen	a	Jacqueline Mary Pina	a
William Jay Harriman	a	Kuno John Ritval	a
Eleanor Lorraine Heikkila	a	Anne Marie Silva	a
Kenneth Eric Heleen	a	Lottie Sharon Smith	a
Joan Nancy Kallio	a	Susan Elizabeth Summers	a
Edwin Christian Lopes	a	Ronald Arthur Thomas	c
Elaine Marie Thompson		a	

a—Silver Lake Regional High School

b—New Bedford Vocational High School

c—Bristol County Agricultural School

d—Out of School

The school year 1957-58 opened in September with an enrollment of 288 and since that time reached 307, and at the close of December had leveled off to 297. This gives us an average of 37 pupils per grade, but our lower grades are exceeding that number. One change in the teaching staff was made necessary by the resignation of Mrs. Clare Neal. We were very fortunate to be able to fill the position with a teacher of eleven years of experience with grade one by the appointment of Mrs. Mabel Eayrs of Middleboro.

Every effort is being made to increase the efficiency of our teaching, and to add to the value of the work taught at

the school. During the year four teachers availed themselves of the help offered by educational courses given at The State Teachers College in Bridgewater. The introduction of the Study Guide discussed in Mr. Austin's report is of great value to the teachers in planning the school work. The teachers of the three upper grades are experimenting with a series of diagnostic tests in arithmetic and English. Each skill taught is isolated in a test situation—so that failure in a certain area of the test shows that the student has not mastered that particular skill. An analysis of the test indicates zones of strength and of weakness. In this way the child can see what he has mastered and where he is in further need of instruction and self effort. We have indications that such information creates an incentive in the child to master where he has failed. These tests are being drawn up by the teacher to cover the course of study offered here in the Governor John Carver School. The tests are not used for marking purposes; rather, they serve as a guide to instruction.

An accounting of the various drives held during the year is in order. The following amounts were collected:

Junior Red Cross	\$45.53
March of Dimes	21.10
Poppy Drive	23.38
Magazine Drive	1,173.56
Christmas Seals	10.70
Insurance	260.25
Teachers Scholarship Musical	151.43

With the exception of the magazine drive the funds collected are turned over to the proper authority. 61% of the children enrolled availed themselves of the protection offered by the Insurance program. From the student fund two reproductions of chairs used by Governor John Carver were purchased; these made their local debut in the Carver float in the Mayflower II Parade, and they are now housed in the teachers'

room. The Prang Civil War Pictures given to the town by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Young have been framed and are on display in the school library. On December 31, 1957, there was a balance of \$327.39 in the school fund,—money raised largely by the annual magazine drive.

The lunch program offered still continues to be a credit to the school and to the town. Its success is recognized by the fact that Mrs. McLure has been elected to serve on the state-sponsored panels discussing the problems of the school lunch. We have found it unnecessary to increase the cost of the meal which is still twenty cents per day. The financial side of the program is given below:

Receipts

Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1957	\$464.54
Sale of Pupil Lunches	8,111.30
Sale of Teacher Lunches	672.20
Reimbursements from Commonwealth	3,568.58
Other Income	194.47

Expenditures

Food	7,259.70
Wages	5,230.80
Services	318.10
Supplies	183.36
Equipment	0.00
Balance	<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$19.13

As I stated in my last report we have assets and liabilities not listed previously. To clarify the picture they are as follows:

Dec. 31, 1957	
Closing Cash Balance	\$19.13
Value of Inventory	613.97
Reimbursement Claims Due	802.87
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Total Assets	\$1,435.97
Bills Payable	\$1,344.27
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Balance	\$91.70

Within the last two years three college scholarships for Carver students have been established in the Town of Carver. While this may not strictly fit into the province of this report, I believe that the existence of these scholarships should be brought to the attention of the public. All are granted to pupils in degree-conferring institutions. The Teachers' Association Scholarship Fund is given by the teachers of the union—two of every three years a Carver pupil is open for the award. The scholarship is limited to those studying for the teaching profession. The second scholarship is offered by the Parent Teachers Association, and the third is donated by the Carver Kiwanis Club. All scholarships are for one hundred dollars.

I will close with an expression of gratitude for the cooperation of all those who take part in the school program. The staff is ever aware of the support given it by you, Mr. Austin, and by the School Committee of the Town of Carver.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY M. SHAW,
Principal.

ANNUAL REPORT OF
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION

To the Superintendent of Schools:

Our music program is designed to include various types of musical experience including areas of listening, singing and rhythm.

In the singing area, all grades are given opportunity to perform with a group and alone if they so desire. We teach note reading from the board to Grades I and II. At the end of Grade II, we present books, and the children then sing notes from the book. From Grade III to Grade VI, we continue to teach the mechanics of music to make the children more able to sing independently, even though the songs are previously unfamiliar. Grades VII and VIII sing in two and three parts, and we try to make the groups as proficient as possible.

In the listening area, we try to help the children to become familiar with good music. We feel that they cannot discriminate between good and poor music unless they are exposed to all types. We also try to correlate art and music by use of musical color and moods.

In the rhythmic area, we have done much work with dancing. We began with folk dances to insure the ability of the children to follow directions. They are also taught to coordinate strong and weak beats of the rhythms used. We then taught the children to waltz correctly. They also learned proper ballroom courtesy. We found that the children learned these rhythmic activities very well and with much enjoyment.

This year we have placed added emphasis on a special singing group from Grade III to VIII. We have selected students who sing well, have interest and ability. We are endeavoring to train this group for performance. They are also taught correct stage deportment. They are beginning to become aware of the marriage of music and lyrics in song.

We believe that the most important function of a music program is to give the children a variety of experiences. We feel that in this way, we can help the children to become aware of their musical interests and capabilities.

Respectfully submitted,

BARBARA E. TROMBLEY

Director of Music Education

SCHOOL CENSUS

Age-Grade Distribution, October 1, 1957

Governor John Carver School
Elementary:

	AGES 5-7		7-14		14-16		16-21		TOTALS
	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	
Grade 1	22	20	2	4	..	..	..	..	48
Grade 2	2	2	13	12	..	..	..	..	29
Grade 3	..	..	17	19	..	..	..	..	36
Grade 4	..	..	17	25	..	..	..	..	42
Grade 5	23	18	41
Grade 6	18	20	1	0	39
Grade 7	18	14	3	1	36
Grade 8	8	7	7	3	25
Special Class	3	2	4	0	9
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Silver Lake Regional High School:

Grade 9	2	4	11	8	25
Grade 10	5	7	12
Grade 11	1	1	6	10	18
Grade 12	8	8	16
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Silver Lake Vocational High School:

Grade 9	2	2	0	1	5
Grade 10	0	2	1	1	4
Grade 11	1	0	1	1	3
Grade 12	1	0	1
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New Bedford Vocational

High School:	4	0	7	0	11
Bristol County									
Agri. School	1	0	2	0	3
Wareham									
High School:	1	0	1
Sacred Heart									
Parochial:	1	1	0	1	3
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Grand Total 407

Total number of children, age 7-16, resident in the town 320

Pre-School

to enter 1958	19	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	46
Out of School	..	..	..	..	4	1	38	30	73
Other Schools	..	..	..	..	1	0	9	5	15
Military Service	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	0	4

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE K. SAND,

Census Enumerator.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENCY UNION NO. 35**Report of the Secretary**

The annual meeting of School Superintendency Union No. 35 was held at the Consolidated School in Rochester on April 29, 1957.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Chairman — Douglas H. Church

Secretary — Norma E. Perkins

The most important question for discussion at this meeting was the future organization of the Union Committee. As Lakeville is concerned with the regional school program with the town of Freetown, Mr. Austin explained to the members that the best arrangement for any town would be to have both elementary and secondary administration under one supervision.

A committee consisting of teachers from the three towns of the Union are studying the plan concerning a "merit" system for salary increments for outstanding personnel in the school department.

The semi-annual meeting of the Union was held at the Governor John Carver School on November 8, 1957.

At this meeting Mr. Griffith informed the members that the school committees of Freetown and Lakeville had met separately and voted in favor of forming a union together when the plans for their regional school are in operation. He requested an expression of opinion from the Carver and Rochester committee members to present for approval to the Department of Education concerning the withdrawal of the Lakeville committee from this present union. It was

voted that Lakeville be allowed to withdraw in the advent it will be advantageous to do so in the near future.

The Lakeville members appreciate the cooperation of the other members of the Union committee and feel our association has been congenial.

As the many changes in our educational program occur, the Union committee is grateful for the extra time and effort Mr. Austin has so ably and unselfishly given. We feel that we have received the full benefit of our superintendent's guidance to meet the needs of the individual towns and the union.

Respectfully submitted,

NORMA E. PERKINS,

Secretary

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

To the Public Health Committee:

The following is my report as Public Health Nurse for 1957.

In 1957, 371 home visits and 2 office visits were made as follows:

Tuberculosis 232
Diabetes 51
Non-communicable 90

The above visits were disposed of as follows:

Unpaid cases 15
Paid cases 41
Old Age Assistance 12
Board of Health 23?
Disability Assistance 12

No emergency visits were made during the year.

14 trips were made to Plymouth County Hospital, Hanson for medication and I transported those scheduled for chest X-rays and other tests there. One unlisted visit was made at the request of Dr. Fred Allen, Boston.

We held 6 polio clinics during the year of which 3 were held in the evening. 34 doses were administered by Dr. Mayo at the January 14 clinic, 58 on January 17, 255 on May 9, 97 on May 22, 51 on June 20, and 20 on December 9. Our total polio count through December 1957 stands as follows:

First doses 67
Second doses 77
Booster Doses 461

On the evening of December 3, a flu clinic was held at the school for essential town personnel with 20 doses of vaccine administered by Dr. Mayo.

My office hours at the Gov. John Carver School are from 8:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. All calls for home visits should be in by 9:30, if possible.

The following is my report on school health from January 1957-June 1957 and from September 1957-December 1957:

In July and August, 40 pre-school visits were made to obtain information for each child's health record prior to entrance to school. These visits prove most satisfactory in that they give the opportunity to meet the family and to obtain information for an accurate record of the child.

The Community Service Group donated new gloves, slacks, boots, shoes, underwear, socks and many articles of used clothing which were distributed to needy children at school and in the community.

In January, we held our annual polio drive at school. \$21.19 was collected and a check for the amount sent to Mrs. Florence Sand, Chairman of the drive.

160 home-school visits were made during the school year. Most of these were children transported home due to illness during the school day. Other visits were made because of prolonged absence with no known reason, impetigo, to check on evidence of communicable disease, conjunctivitis, and pediculosis. All known cases of communicable disease were reported to the Board of Health.

In regards to absences from school, each child, upon returning to school must see the nurse before school accompanied by an excuse as to the reason for the absence. Most children have reported faithfully, but there are some who must be reminded.

There were many minor injuries treated at school. The most serious conditions and accidents were: a hard stone-like mass removed from an infected area (was under a Doctor's care), one hit on head by a swing, with 3 stitches taken by Dr. Nye, 3 dog bites reported, 1 dislocated finger treated by Dr. Mayo, 1 concussion admitted to Jordan Hospital, Plymouth, 1 asthma attack, 1 taken to St. Luke's Hospital, Middleboro to have lead from pencil removed from cheek by Dr. Silliker.

One trip was made to St. Luke's, Middleboro for a chest X-ray and two trips were made to Dr. Gibbons', optometrist, to have eyes examined and fitted for glasses.

In September, and October, Dr. Mayo examined 138 pupils. Invitations were sent home with all first and fourth graders requesting parents to be present during his child's physical if he wished. Only 2 parents accepted and were present during the examination to discuss the child's health with the doctor. A urinalysis was done for each one examined. Two urine re-tests were done and were negative. All those examined and found to be in need of attention by the family doctor were given notices. In November, Dr. Mayo examined 16 children competing in basketball. All were found fit to play.

In March, Mr. Reardon from the Division of Maternal and Child Health came to the school to instruct me in the use of the vision testing equipment. Children of all grades were tested and those failing were given notices. 16 failed the test. Of these 16, 3 were unable to be corrected with

glasses due to muscle imbalance, 4 failed to see the family doctor, 4 obtained glasses, 1 seen by his doctor but no glasses needed, and 3 who failed with glasses had them checked and corrected.

T. B. Santa Claus pins at 5¢ each were again sold in school in December. 214 pins were sold and \$10.70 was sent to help support the Plymouth County Health program.

On March 22nd and 18th, Mrs. Bernadine Tassinari, dental hygienist, visited the school and examined the teeth of all present. Notices were sent home for those whose teeth needed attention. About half of those receiving notices consulted the dentist for necessary treatment.

On November 20, Mrs. Mary Wolfe, from the M.S.P.C.C., Brockton visited to check on health records of some school children. She was concerned with the condition of their teeth and, in the meantime, we have been discussing the possibility of making arrangements to have them cared for. Thus far there has been no conclusion to this.

I wish to thank the Public Health Nurse Committee, Mr. Shaw, the teachers, and parents for their wonderful help and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY KORPINEN, R. N.

Public Health Nurse.

TOWN WARRANT
and report of
FINANCE COMMITTEE
of the
TOWN of CARVER
Massachusetts



Annual Town Meeting, March 3, 1958
at 12:00 Noon

**TOWN WARRANT AND REPORT OF
FINANCE COMMITTEE**

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn 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 third day of March, 1958, at twelve o'clock noon, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officials, the following officers to be voted for all on one ballot, viz.: One Moderator, Three Auditors, Three Constables, Three Herring Committeemen, One Tree Warden, One Highway Surveyor, each for one year. One Assessor, One Selectman, One School Committeeman, One Cemetery Commissioner, One Park Commissioner, One Member of Board of Public Welfare, Two Library Trustees, each for three years. One Assessor (to fill vacancy), for two years, One Cemetery Commissioner (to fill vacancy), for one year, and to vote by ballot "yes" or "no" on the following question:

"Shall the town vote to accept the provisions of Section 6C of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, which authorize cities and towns to appropriate money for the removal of snow and ice from private ways therein open to public use?"

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 Saturday, March 8, 1958, at two o'clock P.M., and at that time will reconvene at the Gov. John Carver Schoolhouse in said Carver, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, 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 see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars from free cash in the town treasury for the sole purpose of meeting charges against the Cemetery funds in the town treasury.

Article 3. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to accept the bequest of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars in accordance with the provisions of paragraph three of the will of the late Betsey Crowell Look, said sum of money to be invested in a Savings Bank and to be known as The Betsey C. Look General Care Fund for the Central Cemetery, the interest from said Fund to be used for the general care of Central Cemetery as the Cemetery Commissioners may determine.

Article 4. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend suits for or against the Town.

Article 5. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 6. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Fund.

Article 6. Recommended by the Finance Committee that the Dog Fund be transferred to the Library Account.

Article 7. 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 Section 41 and 45 of Chapter 128 of the General Laws and act thereon.

Article 7. Recommended by the Finance Committee that the sum of \$100.00 be raised and appropriated for County Aid to Agriculture.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 108, as amended namely:

Highway Surveyor.....	\$1.75 per hour
Town Treasurer.....	\$1,350.00
Town Clerk.....	\$800.00
Tax Collector.....	\$1,350.00

Moderator \$20.00 for the Annual Town Meeting, and \$5.00 for each Special Town Meeting.

Members of School Board \$3.00 for each meeting, plus \$1.50 per hour for all meetings of over 2 hours.

All other elective Town Officers \$1.50 per hour.

Article 8. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the overlay reserve account to the 1958 Reserve Account the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, and also, to transfer the additional sum of three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars, from available funds in the treasury to the said 1958 Reserve Account, and act thereon.

Article 9. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 10. To choose all necessary Town Officers not elected by ballot.

Article 10. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars for Chapter 90 Highway Construction, and to transfer the sum of twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars 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, and act thereon.

Article 11. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six thousand six hundred (\$6,600.00) dollars for Chapter 81 Highways, and to transfer the sum of eighteen thousand one hundred fifty (\$18,150.00) dollars 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, and act thereon.

Article 12. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 13. 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 13. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six hundred and fifty (\$650.00) dollars to be used to pay for all private work and material in Town Cemeteries, such as, opening graves, building foundations, etc., as according to General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 53.

Article 14. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 15. To hear the report of any standing committees and act anything thereon or thereto and establish any new committees.

Article 15. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of two thousand six hundred forty (\$2,640.00) dollars from the Road Machinery Fund to the Machinery Account, and act thereon.

Article 16. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to petition the Director of Accounts for the installation of an accounting system as provided by Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 17. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take on the Proposed By-Laws for the Town of Carver, and act anything thereon.

PROPOSED BY-LAWS FOR THE TOWN OF CARVER

Article I

Section 1. The annual town meeting shall be held for the election of officers on the first Monday in March at 12 noon. The polls shall be open for at least seven hours, and as soon as the ballots are counted the meeting will be adjourned to the following Saturday at 2 P.M. for the transaction of municipal business.

Section 2. Twenty-five votes shall be necessary to constitute a quorum at town meetings provided that a number less than a quorum may from time to time adjourn the same.

Section 3. All articles in the warrant shall be taken up in order until all articles in the warrant have been acted upon.

Section 4. No motion to adjourn without day, shall be in order until all articles in the warrant have been acted upon.

Section 5. In all town elections the counting of ballots shall not begin until the polls have been open for four hours.

Section 6. The check list shall be used in admitting voters to a town meeting, except that non-voters may be admitted to a defined and separate portion thereof, and non-voters may address the meeting if the town so votes.

Section 7. The articles to be acted upon at the annual town meeting in March shall be in the hands of the Board of Selectmen on or before February first preceeding said meeting.

Article II

The town warrant shall be posted in the Town Hall and in each Post Office in town.

Article III

The moderator shall be elected for one year, the name to appear on the official ballot.

Article IV

The powers and duties of the presiding officer not especially provided for by law shall be determined by rules of practice as contained in Cushing's Manual so far as they are adapted to the conditions and powers of the town.

Article V

Section 1. The Board of Selectmen shall consist of three members, each elected for a three year term, one term expiring annually.

Section 2. The Board of Selectmen shall serve as the Board of Public Welfare.

Section 3. The Board of Selectmen shall have the power to prosecute, compromise or defend suits for or against the town and employ counsel at any time if in its judgment the interests of the town so require.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Board of Selectmen to transmit a copy of any warrant for any regular or special town meeting as soon as said warrant is drawn, to the Finance Committee.

Section 5. The Board of Selectmen shall appoint an Inspector of Wires, as provided in Chapter 66, Section 32 of

the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 529 of the Act of 1949.

Section 6. The Board of Selectmen shall notify all department heads and all committees appointed or elected by the town of any special town meetings at least seven days prior to the posting of the warrant of said meeting.

Article VI

The following officers are to be chosen from the floor at the annual town meeting to serve a one year term:

Three field drivers and pound keepers

Three surveyors of lumber and measurers of wood

Three fence viewers

Three members to serve as a herring committee.

Article VII

Section 1. The Finance Committee shall consist of nine members, each of whom shall be appointed for a term of three years, provided that the Finance Committee as presently constituted shall continue in office until the expiration of their respective terms, and when the membership falls below nine the Moderator shall fill such vacancies. No member of the Finance Committee, after having served two consecutive terms, shall be eligible for appointment to said Committee until one year shall have passed.

Section 2. All qualified voters on the voting list for the Town of Carver are eligible for appointment to the Finance Committee except that no elected or appointed town officer is eligible for membership on such committee, and no member of a special town committee shall have a vote as a member of the Finance Committee on any matter pertaining to the duties of that special committee.

Section 3. On or before the first day of May it shall be the duty of the Moderator to call the organization meeting of the Finance Committee.

Section 4. The Finance Committee at its organizational meeting shall elect a chairman, vice-chairman, and a secretary, all who shall serve until the next annual town meeting. Within ten days after the organization the secretary shall notify the Town Clerk in writing of such organization.

Section 5. Any vacancies occurring in the Finance Committee shall be filled by the Moderator within seven days of the notification in writing of said vacancy by the chairman of the Finance Committee.

Section 6. Three consecutive absences of any member of the Finance Committee at a duly called meeting, except for reason of sickness, shall constitute a vacancy.

Section 7. The report of the Finance Committee to the annual town meeting shall be in print and shall contain the request of all departments and the appropriations recommended by the Finance Committee, together with such recommendations on other matters in such warrant as in its judgment should be brought to the attention of the town, but reports to all other town meetings shall be in such form as the Finance Committee shall deem advisable.

Section 8. The Finance Committee shall have authority at any time to investigate the town's accounts and management of any department, and the books, records and accounts of all departments of the town shall be open to the inspection of the Finance Committee, or any of its authorized sub-committees, or any person authorized to act for said committee.

Section 10. The members of the Finance Committee excepting chairman and secretary shall serve without pay, but may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred in the discharge of their duties. Salary for chairman and secretary of said committee to be set by a vote of the town.

Section 11. On or before December 21 of each year the Officers, Boards, or Committees having charge of expenditures of the town's money shall transmit, in writing, to the Finance Committee their estimate of expenditures for the conduct of their departments for the next municipal year. On or before January 15 of the following year these same officers shall present to the Finance Committee, in writing, a detailed list of the expenditures for the year previous.

Article VIII

A summary of all town meetings and results of all elections shall be included in the annual town report.

Article IX

Valuation lists for the Town of Carver shall be published every five years unless otherwise voted by the town.

Article X

Any of these by-laws may be modified or amended or repealed at any annual town meeting by a majority of votes of those present and voting, any article or articles for the purpose having been inserted in the warrant for such meeting.

Article XI

No person shall commence within the town any new construction of a building of any type or description, or commence major alterations, additions or improvements of any existing building, without first having applied for and obtained a permit therefor from the Board of Selectmen. No permit shall be required for ordinary repairs or renovations.

The application shall be in triplicate and contain information as to the name and address of the applicant and the name and address of the owner, and the nature and location of construction or proposed work. One copy of the application shall be kept on file, one copy given to the applicant, and one copy given to the Board of Assessors. The Selectmen shall grant the permit in written or printed form within fifteen days of the filing of the application if all information required is given. The permit shall become void unless operations thereunder are commenced within six months of the date of issuance.

Any person who violates any provision of this law shall be subject to a fine of not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00) to be paid to the Treasurer of the town.

Article XII

All by-laws in force are hereby repealed.

Article 18. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred eighty-six dollars and thirty cents (\$386.30) to pay the following unpaid bills of 1957, namely:

Veterans' Benefits.....	\$309.00
Inspector of Wires.....	34.54
Public Assistance (Public Welfare).....	16.00
Fires (Plymouth Fire).....	26.76
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	\$386.30

and act thereon.

Article 19. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed three thousand (\$3,000.00) dollars for Assessors' Plans, such sum to be used by the Board of Assessors together with any unexpended amounts appropriated for the purpose and act anything thereon or thereto. (by the request of the Finance Committee)

Article 20. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Lakenham Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund the sum of two hundred and seventy (\$270.00) dollars for the purpose of erecting a Tool Shed at Lakenham Cemetery.

Article 21. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Lakenham Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund the sum of eighty (\$80.00) dollars for improvements on the Thomas Tillson and Lucinda Tillson Lots at Lakenham Cemetery.

Article 22. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred fifty (\$250.00) dollars for the purpose of putting the field in the rear of the Central Fire Station into condition for carrying on athletic activities, the expenditure of such sum of money to be under the direction of the Board of Selectmen and a committee of three elected from the floor in Town Meeting and act thereon.

Article 23. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of nine hundred ninety-three (\$993.00) dollars for Tremont Street Land Damage, to meet the Town's

share of the additional award ordered by the Plymouth County Commissioners' Decree No. 1108.

Article 24. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to return to the treasury the following unexpended appropriation balances, namely:

South Carver Fire Truck.....	\$265.00
Police Cruiser Purchase.....	97.85

Article 25. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to return to Lakenham Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund the unexpended appropriation balance of twenty-eight dollars and ninety-four cents (\$28.94) in Lakenham Cemetery Driveways Account.

Article 26. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to return to Central Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund the unexpended appropriation balance of twelve dollars and thirty cents (\$12.30) in Central Cemetery Driveways Account.

Article 27. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 28. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 28. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting 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 return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of Meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this sixth day of February in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-eight.

FRANK R. MAZZILLI

BERNARD W. ROBY

JOHN E. JOHNSON, JR.

Selectmen of Carver

Finance Committee:

PHILIP H. GIBBS, Chairman

VIRGINIA K. SHAW, Secretary

SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS, BALANCES, AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SELECTMEN

Tabulated for the Use of Voters in the Town Meeting, March 8, 1958

	APPROPRIATION	OTHER SOURCES	TOTAL	SPENT	12-31-57 BALANCE	RETURNED TO TREASURY	REQUEST FOR 1958	RECOMMENDED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
Selectmen	\$2,411.00	.....	\$2,411.00	\$1,985.55	.....	\$425.45	\$2,709.00	\$2,500.00
Moderator	30.00	.....	30.00	30.00	.....	.....	30.00	30.00
Auditors	320.00	.....	320.00	320.00	.....	.....	320.00	320.00
Assessors	2,750.00	.....	2,750.00	2,678.50	.....	71.50	3,250.00	3,250.00
Town Clerk	1,125.50	157.51	1,283.41	1,275.93	.....	7.48	1,430.00	1,430.00
Treasurer	2,628.00	354.16	2,982.16	2,975.43	.....	6.73	3,002.00	3,002.00
Tax Collector	2,458.00	436.80	2,894.80	2,882.08	.....	12.72	3,107.00	3,107.00
Town Hall	2,905.00	.....	2,905.00	2,651.29	.....	253.71	2,956.00	2,956.00
Elections, Registration and Street Listing	545.00	.....	545.00	540.25	.....	4.75	1,125.00	1,125.00
Law	200.00	.....	200.00	150.00	.....	50.00	200.00	200.00
Police	6,066.45	747.19	6,813.64	6,813.64	.....	.....	7,829.70	7,829.70
Fires	1,200.00	1,000.00	2,200.00	2,011.35	.....	188.65	1,200.00	1,200.00
Fire Equipment	3,254.00	175.00	3,429.00	3,426.93	.....	2.07	4,043.00	4,043.00
Tree Warden	1,500.00	200.00	1,700.00	1,699.96	.....	.04	2,500.00	2,500.00
Health	3,740.00	.....	3,740.00	3,272.05	.....	467.95	3,060.00	3,060.00
Gypsy Moth	800.00	.....	800.00	800.00	.....	.....	800.00	800.00
Chapter 90, Roads	5,000.00	20,000.00	25,000.00	25,000.00	.....	.....	5,000.00	5,000.00

	APPROPRIATION	OTHER SOURCES	TOTAL	SPENT	12-31-57 BALANCE	RETURNED TO TREASURY	REQUEST FOR 1958	RECOMMENDED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
Chapter 81	6,500.00	17,875.00	24,375.00	24,375.00			6,600.00	6,600.00
General Highway	3,718.50		3,718.50	3,325.19		393.31	3,822.80	3,822.00
Machinery	4,530.00*		4,530.00	4,527.82		2.18†	2,640.00	2,640.00
Removal of Snow	8,500.00	1,170.30	9,670.30	8,656.40		1,013.90	7,500.00	7,500.00
Dog Officer	100.00		100.00	91.00		9.00	100.00	100.00
Public Assistance	40,700.00		40,700.00	35,394.64		5,305.36	50,500.00	50,500.00
Public Assist. Adm.	2,725.00		2,725.00	2,393.46		331.54	3,510.00	3,510.00
U. S. Grants								
Aid Dep. Children Adm.		860.97	860.97	830.67	30.30			
Aid Dep. Children Disability Assist. Adm.		3,825.27	3,825.27	2,746.23	1,079.04			
Disability Assist. Adm.		560.34	560.34	515.15	45.19			
Old Age Assist. Adm.		3,124.70	3,124.70	2,465.99	658.71			
Old Age Assist.		1,713.02	1,713.02	1,580.97	132.05			
Old Age Assist.		19,853.08	19,853.08	17,355.55	2,497.53			
Schools	125,445.00		125,445.00	125,390.28		54.72	139,185.00	139,185.00
Library	400.00	380.63	780.63	695.36		85.27	515.00	515.00
Parks	725.00		725.00	692.53		32.47	820.00	820.00
Civil Defense Cemeteries								
Civil Defense Cemeteries	3,125.00		3,125.00	3,101.85		23.15	3,176.00	3,176.00
E. Tillson Pratt Fund		441.61	441.61		441.61			
Center Fire Station								
Special Cemeteries	850.00		850.00	346.00		504.00	650.00	650.00

	APPROPRIATION	OTHER SOURCES	TOTAL	SPENT	12-31-57 BALANCE	RETURNED TO TREASURY	REQUEST FOR 1958	RECOMMENDED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
Smith-Hughes George								
Barden Fund		645.25	645.25	540.25	105.00			
Perpetual Care. Cem.	1,000.00		1,000.00	944.11		55.89	1,000.00	1,000.00
Veterans' Benefits	5,000.00	1,011.55	6,011.55	6,011.55			5,000.00	5,000.00
Veterans' Benefits Adm.	250.00		250.00	250.00			250.00	250.00
Public Health Nurse	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,141.61		358.39	2,425.83	2,425.83
School Lunch		13,011.09	13,011.09	12,991.96	19.13			
Regional School								
Planning Com.		233.71	233.71					
Land Damage:								
High and Spring Sts.		9.00	9.00		9.00			
Tremont St.		27.00	27.00		27.00			
Holmes St.		32.00	32.00		32.00			
Indian St.		43.00	43.00		43.00			
So. Meadow St.		13.43	13.43		13.43			
Seipet St.		2.00	2.00		2.00			
Meadow St.		2.88	2.88		2.88			
Route 58		79.00	79.00	20.00	59.00			
Wareham St.		1,378.00	1,378.00	164.00	1,214.00			
Pleasant St.	12.50	12.50	25.00	25.00				
Aid to Agriculture	100.00		100.00	100.00			100.00	100.00
Unclassified	898.00	121.62	1,019.62	1,019.62			936.00	936.00
Memorial Day	175.00		175.00	175.00			175.00	175.00

	APPROPRIATION	OTHER SOURCES	TOTAL	SPENT	12-31-57 BALANCE	RETURNED TO TREASURY	REQUEST FOR 1958	RECOMMENDED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
Weights and Measures	176.50	.....	176.50	176.50	.....	.....	212.84	212.00
Old Home Day	400.00	.....	400.00	400.00	.....	.....	200.00	200.00
Consolidated School Bonds	13,000.00	.....	13,000.00	13,000.00	.....	.....	13,000.00	13,000.00
Interest, School Bonds	2,730.00	.....	2,730.00	2,730.00	.....	.....	2,535.00	2,535.00
Workmens' Compensation Insurance	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	1,689.62	.....	310.38	1,600.00	1,600.00
Dutch Elm Disease (Elm Tree Pruning)	2,000.00	500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00	.....	.....	2,000.00	2,000.00
Inspector of Wires	300.00	.....	300.00	158.18	.....	141.82	220.00	220.00
Assessors Plans	3,000.00	78.16	3,078.16	.....	3,078.16	.....	.....	3,000.00
Plymouth County Retirement Board	1,554.60	.....	1,554.60	1,554.60	.....	.....	.....	1,552.40
Lakenham Cemetery Driveways	.....	28.94	28.94	.....	28.94	.....	.....	.....
Central Cemetery Driveways	.....	12.30	12.30	.....	12.30	.....	.....	.....
Savery Ave. Construction	.....	267.00	267.00	62.00	205.00	.....	.....	.....
Fire Truck	6,300.00	6,300.00	12,600.00	.....	12,600.00	.....	.....	.....
So. Carver Fire Truck	.....	265.00	265.00	.....	265.00	.....	.....	.....
Finance Com. Expense	20.00	.....	20.00	15.66	.....	4.34	40.00	40.00
Unpaid Bills, 1955-1956	88.81	.....	88.81	88.81	.....	.....	386.30	386.30
Police Cruiser Purchase	2,500.00	.....	2,500.00	2,402.15	97.85	.....	.....	.....
Crane Brook Bridge	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	.....	.....	.....

	APPROPRIATION	OTHER SOURCES	TOTAL	SPENT	12-31-57 BALANCE	RETURNED TO TREASURY	REQUEST FOR 1958	RECOMMENDED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE
Town Shed Repairs	166.00	.....	166.00	166.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tremont St. Const.	13,008.04	.....	13,008.04	5,982.37	7,025.67	.....	.....	.....
Forest Fires (emergency)	4,195.03	.....	4,195.03	4,195.03	.....	.....	.....	.....
Police Cruiser Purchase (emergency)	2,298.50	.....	2,298.50	2,298.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reserve Account	5,000.00	.....	5,000.00	4,874.53	.....	125.47	5,000.00	5,000.00
Public Safety	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	<u>\$304,924.43</u>	<u>\$96,949.41</u>	<u>\$401,873.84</u>	<u>\$359,674.10</u>	<u>\$31,957.50</u>	<u>\$10,242.24</u>		

* From Road Machinery Fund

† Revert to Road Machinery Fund

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