

# ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

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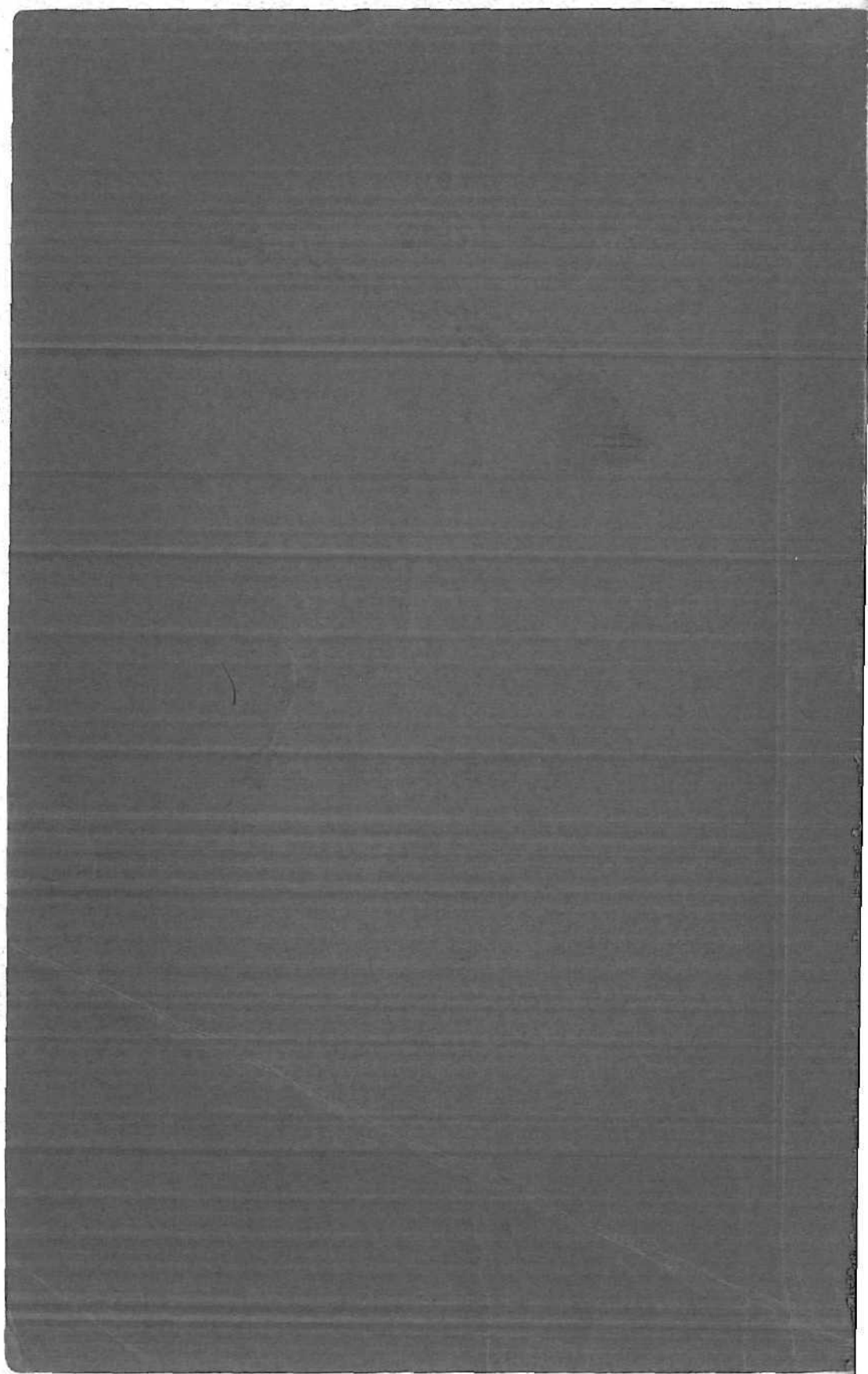
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## TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1933.

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### MODERATOR.

Malcolm C. Temple.

### TOWN CLERK.

John B. Fay, term expires 1935.

### TREASURER.

Fred W. Wood.

### SELECTMEN.

Harry C. Snow,      Eben T. Hall,      Edwin W. Clafin.

### ASSESSORS OF TAXES.

William B. Walker, term expires 1934.

George E. Bradley, term expires 1935.

Henry H. Wood, term expires 1936.

### BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE.

Edward B. Newton, term expires 1934.

Charles W. Childs, term expires 1935.

Abbie A. Lyford, term expires 1936.

### SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

William O. Perkins, term expires 1934.

Newton J. Frost, term expires 1935.

Alice M. Hall, term expires 1936.

### COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Ernest Wellman.



AUDITOR.

Charles A. Barton.

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

George F. Prentiss, term expires 1934.

Fred W. Wood, term expires 1935.

Fred E. Varney, term expires 1936.

CONSTABLES.

Herbert A. Bagley, Daniel H. Bates, Peter Robson,  
Clifton A. Temple, Frank Wellman.

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Frank O. Ogden, Alice M. Hall, Lora D. Dearth,  
Terms expire 1934.

Samuel R. Capen, Ruth E. Crooker, Dora M. Whitney,  
Terms expire 1935.

Lizzie H. Ball, J. Frank Despeaux, John B. Fay,  
Terms expire 1936.

TREE WARDEN.

Clarence L. Goodrich.

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APPOINTED BY THE SELECTMEN.

FENCE VIEWERS.

Charles A. Barton, Frank L. Brewer, Clarence L. Goodrich.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Benjamin C. Crooker.

## WEIGHERS.

William T. Teachout, Donald G. Scott, Alexander Kennedy,  
Arthur L. Stuart, Edward L. Orff.

## MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

Benjamin C. Wood, Malcolm C. Temple, Fred W. Fiske,  
Kenneth F. Gibbs.

## INSPECTOR OF COAL OIL.

Edgar A. Willard.

## MEASURERS OF LUMBER.

Benjamin C. Wood, Fred W. Fiske, Malcolm C. Temple,  
Kenneth F. Gibbs.

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

Eben T. Hall, Edwin W. Clafin, Harry C. Snow.  
Harry C. Snow, Clerk.  
John B. Fay, Agent to issue Burial Permits.

## BURIAL AGENT OF DECEASED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

John B. Fay.

## INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

Arthur W. Morrison.

## SPECIAL POLICE.

Peter Robson, Acting Chief of Police.

Herbert A. Bagley,	W. L. Brousseau,	Frank Wellman,
Clifton A. Temple,	E. B. Houghton,	Leo F. Murphy.
Elmer F. Taft,	Charles W. Childs,	John P. McCarthy,
Daniel H. Bates,	Alfred LeClaire,	Arthur Stuart,
Benj. C. Crooker,	George O. Taft.	Francis A. Smith.
John E. Dearth,	Joseph W. Gibbs,	

DEPUTY TAX COLLECTOR.

Peter Robson.

LOCAL SUPERINTENDENT TO SUPPRESS THE GYPSY MOTH.

Frank O. Wadman.

FOREST WARDEN.

H. Daniel Fay.

FISH AND GAME WARDEN.

Daniel H. Bates.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

John E. Dearth.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

Stedman C. Brown, term expires 1934.

Leo F. Murphy, term expires 1935.

James F. Gorman, term expires 1936.

John B. Fay, ex-officio.

FIRE ENGINEERS.

George N. O. Poirier, Ernest Wellman, H. Daniel Fay.

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FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Benj. C. Wood, William T. Teachout, Alfred Young,  
Terms expire 1934.

Everett T. Brown, A. Abiather Bowker, Henry E. Allard,  
Terms expire 1935.

George W. Knowlton, Jr., Henry R. Hoyle, Arthur R. Cobbett.  
Terms expire 1936.

## APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

## INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING.

John E. Dearth.

## EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

Edwin W. Claflin, Board of Selectmen.

Edward B. Newton, Board of Public Welfare.

John E. Dearth, Street Superintendent.

Daniel J. Quigg, Wm. Knowlton &amp; Sons Co.

William T. Teachout,

District Nursing Association.

Terms expire February, 1934.

## ELECTED AT STATE PRIMARIES.

SEPTEMBER 20, 1932.

## REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE.

George W. Knowlton, Jr.,

Clifton A. Temple,

Lilla B. Brown,

George F. Welch,

Newton J. Frost,

Lora D. Dearth,

Annie P. Wood,

Benjamin C. Wood,

Myra L. Wadman,

Alice M. Hall,

William T. Teachout,

Gwendolyn B. Knowlton,

George T. Gilpatrick,

Bertha E. Walker,

William B. Walker,

William O. Perkins,

Henry H. Wood,

Samuel B. Young,

Claribel T. Varney,

Edward G. Rawson.

## DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE.

Eben T. Hall,

Whitman H. Holbrook,

James F. Gorman,

Edwin W. Sadler,

Leo F. Murphy,

Michael Shaughnessy,

Edward F. Gorman,

William J. Gorman.

Term of office, Jan., 1933—Jan., 1935.

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

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UPTON RECORDS, 1933.

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### WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, FEBRUARY 6, 1933.

*Worcester, SS.*

To the Constable of the Town of Upton, in the County of  
Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Upton, qualified to vote in Elections and in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Upton, on Monday, the sixth day of February, 1933, punctually, at six o'clock A. M., then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year: Moderator, three Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Auditor, five Constables, Tree Warden and one Cemetery Commissioner (to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Herbert M. Buck), all for one year; one Assessor of Taxes, one member of the Board of Public Welfare, one Cemetery Commissioner, one School Committee and three Trustees for the Public Library, all for three years; all on one ballot.

The polls shall be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon on said day of meeting.

In accordance with Section 1, Article 1 of the By-Laws of the Town of Upton as amended February 12, 1923, the remaining articles of this warrant will be acted upon at an adjourned meeting of the Town held Saturday afternoon, February eleventh, at two o'clock.

Article 2. To hear the reports of all town officers, and act thereon.

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

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of revenue of the present municipal year.

Article 5. To hear the report of the committee appointed to revise the Town By-Laws and take any action pertaining thereto.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$9,660.00 for the purpose of paying the town's share of the cost of providing the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital, the assessment therefor having already been duly made against the town, determine whether all or any portion of said assessment be funded as authorized by Chapter 111 of the Acts of 1932 and for what period not exceeding fifteen years, direct the Town Clerk to file with the County Commissioners promptly a copy of such vote as may be passed under this article, and any other papers requested, or to take any action in relation to the subject matter hereof.

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars for further extension of the Westboro Road under Chapter 90, provided the State and County will each appropriate \$4,000.00 or more, as recommended by the Finance Committee, or act in any manner pertaining thereto.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars for widening and resurfacing a section of the Westboro Road under Chapter 90 Maintenance, provided the State and County will each appropriate \$1,000.00 or more, as recommended by the Finance Committee, or take any action thereon.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to transfer to the Road Machinery Fund, \$1,100.70, the amount received for rental of road machinery during 1932, said amount to be used for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to pay for strictly unskilled labor at a rate of .35 per hour, as recommended by the Finance Committee, or act in any manner pertaining thereto.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to make a contract, at an early date, with the Worcester Suburban Electric Co. for furnishing electricity at the Upton Town Infirmary on South Street, as petitioned for by the Board of Public Welfare.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to pay the Moderator a certain salary per year for his services, or to pay him \$5.00 for conducting each meeting of the town, or take any action thereon, as petitioned for by John E. Dearth and others.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to change the office of Road Superintendent from an appointive office to an elective office, or act thereon, as petitioned for by Taylor C. Lyford and others.

Article 14. To determine the manner of repairing the highways and bridges the ensuing year, and act thereon, as petitioned for by E. T. Hall and others.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to readjust the salaries of all town officers, or act in any manner pertaining thereto, as petitioned for by E. T. Hall and others.

Article 16. To determine the wage to be paid the Superintendent of Streets, or act thereon, as petitioned for by E. T. Hall and others.

Article 17. To see if the town will vote to furnish compensation to Superintendent of Streets for use of automobile, or act thereon, as petitioned for by E. T. Hall and others.

Article 18. To see what wage the voters wish to pay other laborers on the highways and other town work the ensuing year, or act in any manner pertaining thereto, as petitioned for by E. T. Hall and others.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to adopt, for one year, a working time on the highways of six hours per day, five days a week, in order to give more men employment, no one man to put in over thirty hours in any one week, or act thereon, as petitioned for by E. T. Hall and others.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote, as a measure of economy, to instruct the School Committee as follows:

1. To pay for janitor service for the three school houses and the Principal of the High School salaries not to exceed one thousand dollars each, or act thereon.

2. To pay all others teachers salaries not to exceed nine hundred dollars each, or act thereon.

3. To pay the school nurse and school physician salaries not to exceed fifty dollars each, or act thereon, as petitioned for by H. C. Campbell and others.

Article 21. To see if the town will vote to dispense with all street lights the ensuing year, or act in any manner pertaining thereto, as petitioned for by H. C. Campbell and others.



And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the following places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting:—At each of the Post-offices and on the Town House in said Town.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Upton, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

HENRY R. HOYLE,  
SAMUEL B. YOUNG,  
HARRY C. SNOW,

Selectmen of Upton.

Upton, Mass., January 28, 1933.

By virtue of the within warrant, I have this day notified the inhabitants of the Town of Upton herein described, to assemble in their Town Hall on Monday, the sixth day of February, for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of the within warrant in each of the post-offices and on the town house seven days before the meeting aforesaid.

HERBERT A. BAGLEY,  
Constable.

A true copy of the warrant and officer's return thereon.  
Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING,

FEBRUARY 6, 1933.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, SS.*

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the legal voters of the Town of Upton met in the Town Hall in said Upton, on Monday, the sixth day of February, 1933. The meeting was called to order at six o'clock A. M. by the town clerk, who then read the warrant and the officer's return thereon.

## TOWN OFFICERS.

Article 1. The selectmen having appointed Henry E. Allard, William B. Walker, Edward F. Gorman and Edward G. Rawson, election officers, they were duly sworn to faithfully perform the duties of the office by the town clerk.

Cards of instruction and specimen ballots having been posted as the law directs, a package said to contain 1000 official ballots, to be used at this election, was delivered to the ballot clerks.

The ballot box was then shown to the voters present to be empty, the index being set on 0000, it was locked and the keys thereof were given to Herbert A. Bagley, constable in attendance at said meeting.

The polls were declared open at six o'clock A. M.

The following persons having been appointed by the selectmen to canvass the vote, Eleanor B. Adair, Grace M. Murphy, George G. Newton and Edwin W. Sadler, they were duly sworn by the town clerk.

At the close of the polls, the register on the ballot box stood at 616. The check-lists were compared and showed that 616 had voted.

The ballots having been counted, public declaration was made in open meeting and recorded as follows:

MODERATOR, (One Year).

David J. Moroney .....	257	.....	396
Malcolm C. Temple .....	295	.....	393
Blanks .....	64	.....	276
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TREASURER, (One Year).

Fred W. Wood .....	492	.....	226
Blanks .....	124	.....	298
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SELECTMEN, (One Year).

William C. Carroll .....	251	.....	436
Edwin W. Claffin .....	255	.....	180
Eben T. Hall .....	357		<hr/>
David J. Moroney .....	109		616
Harry C. Snow .....	399	.....	438
Albert B. Stearns .....	190	.....	413
Merrill S. White .....	104	.....	446
Blanks .....	183	.....	551
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## ASSESSOR OF TAXES, (Three Years).

Henry H. Wood .....	483
Blanks .....	133
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## BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE, (Three Years).

Abbie A. Lyford .....	456
Arthur L. Stuart .....	113
Blanks .....	47
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## SCHOOL COMMITTEE, (Three Years).

Alice M. Hall .....	457
Blanks .....	159
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## COLLECTOR OF TAXES, (One Year).

Ernest Wellman .....	479
Blanks .....	137
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## AUDITOR, (One Year).

Charles A. Barton .....	436
Blanks .....	180
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## CONSTABLES, (One Year).

Herbert A. Bagley .....	396
Daniel H. Bates .....	393
Howard M. Hill .....	276
Peter Robson .....	454
Clifton A. Temple .....	362
Frank Wellman .....	363
Felix J. Kearnan .....	2
B. C. Crooker .....	1
John McCarthy .....	1
Blanks .....	832
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## CEMETERY COMMISSIONER, (Three Years).

Donald P. Lyford .....	226
Fred E. Varney .....	298
Blanks .....	92
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## CEMETERY COMMISSIONER, (One Year).

George F. Prentiss .....	436
Blanks .....	180
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## LIBRARY TRUSTEES, (Three Years).

Lizzie H. Ball .....	438
J. Frank Despeaux .....	413
John B. Fay .....	446
Blanks .....	551
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## TREE WARDEN, (One Year).

Clarence L. Goodrich .....	422
Blanks .....	194
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The ballots cast, the check-lists used at this election were then sealed up and delivered into the custody of the Town Clerk.

Adjourned to Saturday, February 11, 1933, at 2 o'clock P. M.

A true record.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

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## REPORT OF

## FINANCE COMMITTEE

## UPTON, MASSACHUSETTS

## FEBRUARY, 1933.

TO THE VOTERS OF UPTON:—The appropriations recommended by us including \$2,500.00 for the Westboro Road and \$660.00 to be applied on the hospital debt total \$67,327.43 or a decrease of 9% as against the 1932 total of \$73,796.73. All boards have contributed to make this possible.

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The largest saving has been made by the School Department. They have asked for \$2,000.00 less than their regular appropriation, and, in addition, all teachers have signed agreements to donate 10% of their pay for the use of the Board of Public Welfare, thus making it possible for us to recommend at least \$1,000.00 less for them. This gives us a 12% reduction over last year for the schools.

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The Forest Fire Warden has recommended an appropriation of \$150.00 to purchase a used truck chassis. Because of the uncertainty of continuing to use our highway trucks, the committee felt justified in not recommending a new purchase until this matter is decided.

We are recommending only \$2,500.00 for street lights as against \$3,250.00 last year. We believe the selectmen, if given only that amount to spend, can make some arrangement for decreasing the rates, making shorter schedules or eliminating lights during the summer months. This has been one of our most rapidly increasing regular appropriations.

The Fire Department have asked for \$1,100.00 and we are recommending \$1,000.00. Inasmuch as all other departments have made reductions and \$1,000.00 has been the regular amount asked for from 1924 until 1931, we believe the Fire engineers should at least try to hold up their present efficiency on \$95.00 less than was spent last year.

We have recommended under a special article in the warrant, that strictly unskilled labor be paid at the rate of \$.35 per hour for the coming year. We feel that this rate will give employment to the greatest possible number of men.

We recommend the following appropriations for 1933.

Town Departments	Income		Recommended	
	1932	and	1932	for
	Appropriations	Transfers	Expenditures	1933
Board of Health .....	\$300.00		\$146.70	\$200.00
Bonding Town Officers .....	140.00		117.50	140.00
Bridges .....	300.00	54.00	353.67	200.00
Cemeteries .....	1,100.00		1,085.78	1,000.00
Fire Department .....	1,100.00		1,094.69	1,000.00
Forest Warden .....	500.00		378.20	400.00
Game Warden .....	50.00		50.00	50.00
Gypsy Moth .....	400.00		369.80	300.00
Highways—Chapter 81 .....	4,500.00	6,043.25	10,525.13	4,500.00
Insurance .....	900.00	63.00	962.45	900.00
Memorial Day .....	200.00		198.00	180.00
Mothers' Aid .....	2,200.00	41.35	2,241.35	2,000.00
Interest .....	600.00	143.67	743.67	600.00
Police Department .....	500.00		395.47	400.00
Printing .....	600.00		442.69	500.00
Public Welfare .....	7,000.00	1,900.00	8,399.07	7,000.00
Old Age Assistance .....	5,000.00	3,000.00	7,249.50	7,000.00
Schools .....	25,500.00	1,250.73	25,404.35	23,500.00



Schools—Industrial .....	500.00		335.65	400.00
Sidewalks .....	50.00			50.00
Signboards .....	25.00			25.00
Snow Removal .....	1,000.00	97.45	1,097.45	900.00
Soldiers' Relief .....	1,500.00	1,000.00	2,341.36	2,000.00
State and Military Aid .....	700.00		510.00	500.00
Street Lights .....	3,250.00		3,180.47	2,500.00
Town Hall .....	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00
Town Library .....	700.00	212.50	908.07	700.00
Town Library—Carpenter Fund .....	60.00		60.00	60.00
Town Officers .....	3,045.00		3,002.32	2,800.00
Tree Warden .....	200.00		200.00	180.00
Tuberculosis .....	301.73		301.73	301.73
Emergency Fund .....	1,500.00	642.72	642.72	1,500.00
Westboro Road .....	2,000.00	8,000.00	9,867.09	
Parson Wood Tree .....	100.00		39.00	
Town Dump .....	50.00		26.80	50.00
Highways—Chapter 90 .....		1,000.00	1,000.00	
Town Trucks .....	1,000.00		977.16	1,100.70
Town Hall—Repairs and Equipment ....				200.00
Repairs—Grand Army Hall .....				30.00

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN C. WOOD, Chairman,  
W. T. TEACHOUT, Secretary,  
ALFRED YOUNG,  
EBEN T. HALL,  
G. W. KNOWLTON, JR.,  
ARTHUR MORRISON,  
E. T. BROWN,  
HENRY ALLARD,  
A. A. BOWKER,

Finance Committee.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADJOURNED TOWN

MEETING, FEBRUARY 11, 1933.

About three hundred legal voters of the Town of Upton met at the Town Hall on Saturday, February 11, 1933. The meeting was called to order by the moderator, Malcolm C. Temple.

### REPORTS OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Article 2. Voted: to accept the reports of town officers with the following correction: page 117, 488 3-7 weeks should be 485 5-7 weeks.

### APPROPRIATIONS.

Article 3. The appropriations as recommended in the Report of the Finance Committee were taken up and acted upon separately.

Voted: to make the following appropriations:

Board of Health .....	\$200 00
Bonding Town Officers .....	140 00
Bridges .....	200 00
Cemeteries .....	1,000 00
Fire Department .....	1,100 00
Forest Warden .....	400 00
Game Warden .....	50 00
Highways—Chapter 81 .....	4,500 00
Insurance .....	900 00
Memorial Day .....	200 00
Mothers' Aid .....	2,000 00
Interest .....	600 00
Police Department .....	400 00
Printing .....	500 00
Public Welfare .....	7,000 00
Old Age Assistance .....	7,500 00
Schools .....	23,500 00
Schools—Industrial .....	400 00
Sidewalks .....	50 00
Snow Removal .....	900 00
Soldiers' Relief .....	2,000 00
State and Military Aid .....	500 00
Street Lights .....	2,500 00
Town Hall .....	1,000 00
Town Library .....	700 00
Town Library—Carpenter Fund .....	60 00
Town Officers .....	2,800 00
Tree Warden .....	180 00
Tuberculosis Assessment .....	378 47
Emergency Fund .....	2,000 00
Town Dump .....	50 00
Town Hall—Repairs and Equipment .....	200 00
Repairs—Grand Army Hall .....	30 00

As no motion was made to appropriate a sum for the suppression of Gypsy Moth, this item was passed over.

A motion that \$8,900.00 be appropriated for Public Welfare was lost. The vote was taken by show of hands: Yes, 33, No, 70. A motion that \$5,000.00 be appropriated for Public Welfare was amended to \$7,000.00 and carried.

Voted to pass over the appropriation for signboards.

In connection with schools, on motion of Mr. Teachout, it was voted: that the Town Treasurer be authorized to accept the 10% salary contributions of the school teachers and apply same to the 1933 expenses of the Board of Public Welfare. A rising vote of thanks was given to the teachers.

#### BORROWING MONEY.

Article 4. Voted: that the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the municipal year, beginning January 1, 1933, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate \$30,000.00 and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable within one year, and debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from taxes of said municipal year.

#### REPORT OF BY-LAWS COMMITTEE.

Article 5. New By-Laws for the town had been drawn up by the Committee and printed to provide every voter with a copy. They were read, one article at a time, by the moderator and accepted with the following changes:

Article 2, Section 5, the word 'three' changed to 'four';

Article 3, Section 16, 'it has been submitted to' in place of 'some report thereon has been made by'; Article 7, Section 1, 'the person authorized to have charge of the streets' instead of 'the Highway Surveyor'.

Voted: to adopt these By-Laws subject to the approval of the Attorney General.

## WORCESTER COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL.

Article 6. Voted: that the sum of \$9,660.00, being the amount of the assessment already made for the town's proportion of the cost of providing the Worcester County Tuberculosis Hospital, be and the same is hereby appropriated and that of said amount the sum of \$660.00 be raised in this year's tax levy and the balance of \$9,000.00 be funded as authorized by Chapter 111 of the Acts of 1932, and paid in substantially equal installments over a period of nine years in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 111, and the Town Clerk be and he hereby is directed to file with the County Commissioners promptly a copy of this vote and any other papers requested.

## WESTBORO ROAD.

Article 7. Voted: to appropriate the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars for further extension of the Westboro Road under Chapter 90, provided the State and County will each appropriate \$4,000.00 or more.

## RESURFACING WESTBORO ROAD.

Article 8. Voted: to appropriate the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars for widening and resurfacing a section of the Westboro Road under Chapter 90 maintenance, provided the State and County will each appropriate \$1,000.00 or more.

## ROAD MACHINERY FUND.

Article 9. Voted: to transfer to the Road Machinery Fund, \$1,100.70, the amount received for rental of road machinery during 1932, said amount to be used for the purpose of purchasing, repairing and operating road machinery.

## PAY FOR LABORERS.

Article 10. A motion by John E. Dearth that the prevailing wage for workers on the highways for the ensuing year be \$.40 per hour was amended to \$.50. When Henry R. Hoyle said the matter should be, as now, in the hands of the selectmen, these motions were withdrawn.

Voted: to pass over the article.

## ELECTRICITY AT TOWN INFIRMARY.

Article 11. Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to make a contract with the Worcester Suburban Electric Company for furnishing electricity at the Upton Town Infirmary, the rate not to exceed \$13.00 per month for a period of four years.

## SALARY OF MODERATOR.

Article 12. Voted: on motion of John E. Dearth, to pay the moderator five dollars for conducting each meeting of the town.

## ROAD COMMISSIONER.

Article 13. It was pointed out by David J. Moroney that according to law, a Highway Surveyor or Road Commissioner might be elected, but a Street Superintendent was an appointive office. Voted: on motion of Charles W. Childs, that in place of a Street Superintendent, a Road Commissioner be elected at the next annual town meeting, to serve for one year.

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Article 14. Voted: that the manner of repairing the highways and bridges be left in the hands of the selectmen.

## SALARIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Article 15. Voted: to pass over the article.

SALARY OF STREET SUPERINTENDENT.

Article 16. A motion to lay on the table until the next annual town meeting was lost. A rising vote was taken: Yes—36, No—40. Voted: to leave the matter in the hands of the selectmen.

AUTOMOBILE FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

Article 17. Voted: to leave the matter in the hands of the selectmen.

Voted: That Articles 18, 19, 20 and 21 be stricken from the warrant.

Voted: That the town authorize the appointment of an employment committee to consist of five members,—one from the Board of Selectmen, one from the Board of Public Welfare, the Superintendent of Streets, one to be appointed by Wm. Knowlton & Sons Co. and one to be appointed by the District Nursing Association, said committee to elect its own chairman and to serve until the next annual town meeting.

Voted: that the sum of \$67,098.47 be raised by taxation.

Voted: that the By-Laws committee be discharged.

A rising vote of thanks was given to this committee.

Voted: to dissolve the warrant and adjourn.

A true record.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

## OATH OF OFFICE.

I have administered the oath of office to the following named persons (they having been elected or appointed to town office within the year) on the dates set against their names, all in the year 1933.

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

*Moderator:* Malcolm C. Temple, February 11.

*Selectmen:* Harry C. Snow, Eben T. Hall, Edwin W. Claffin, February 11.

*Treasurer:* Fred W. Wood, February 14.

*Assessor of Taxes:* Henry H. Wood, February 11.

*Board of Public Welfare:* Abbie A. Lyford, February 7.

*School Committee:* Alice M. Hall, February 18.

*Collector of Taxes:* Ernest Wellman, February 13.

*Auditor:* Charles A. Barton, February 13.

*Cemetery Commissioners:* Fred E. Varney, February 11,  
George F. Prentiss, February 17.

*Constables:* Peter Robson, February 7, Herbert A. Bagley,  
February 6, Clifton A. Temple, February 8, Daniel H.  
Bates, February 13, Frank Wellman, February 16.

*Tree Warden:* Clarence L. Goodrich, February 10.

*Sealer of Weights and Measures:* Benjamin C. Crooker,  
February 18.

*Fence Viewers:* Clarence L. Goodrich, September 16.

*Weighers:* Alexander Kennedy, Arthur L. Stuart, February  
16, Donald G. Scott, February 17.

*Measurers of Wood:* Malcolm C. Temple, Kenneth F. Gibbs,  
March 8.

*Inspector of Coal Oil:* Edgar A. Willard, February 15.

*Measurers of Lumber:* Malcolm C. Temple, Kenneth F.  
Gibbs, March 8.



*Inspector of Animals:* Arthur W. Morrison, April 12.  
*Special Police:* Peter Robson, February 15, Arthur L. Stuart, Elmer F. Taft, John P. McCarthy, February 16, John E. Dearth, Frank Wellman, Herbert A. Bagley, February 17, Benjamin C. Crooker, Clifton A. Temple, E. B. Houghton, February 18, Alfred LeClair, George O. Taft, Joseph W. Gibbs, Francis A. Smith, February 22, Walter L. Brousseau, April 7.  
*Deputy Tax Collector:* Peter Robson, April 11.  
*Superintendent to Suppress the Gypsy Moth:* Frank O. Wadman, March 16.  
*Fire Engineers:* George N. O. Poirier, Ernest Wellman, H. Daniel Fay, May 2.  
*Inspector of Slaughtering:* John E. Dearth, April 8.  
*Registrar of Voters:* James Gorman, June 9.  
*Finance Committee:* Arthur R. Cobbett, May 5.  
*Superintendent of Streets:* John A. Dearth, February 17.  
*Forest Warden:* H. Daniel Fay, January 18.

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WARRANT FOR THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,

APRIL 17, 1933.

Worcester, SS.

To the Constable of the Town of Upton, in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Upton, qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Upton, on Monday, the seventeenth

day of April, 1933, punctually, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars for the care of town patients at the Tuberculosis Hospital at Boylston, this sum to be taken from the cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933, or take any action thereon.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars for the improvement of the Mendon Road, provided the State and County will each allot \$4,000.00 or more for the same, the \$2,000.00 to be taken from the cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933, or act in any manner pertaining thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars for the suppression of gypsy moth, this sum to be taken from the cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933, or act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen and Street Superintendent to distribute, as near as possible, the letting of all trucks and equipment to local tax payers, for all town work, as petitioned for by Taylor C. Lyford and others.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the following places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting:—At each of the Post-offices and on the Town House in said Town.

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

Given under our hands at Upton, this seventh day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

HARRY C. SNOW,  
EBEN T. HALL,  
EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,  
Selectmen of Upton.

Upton, Mass., April 8, 1933.

By virtue of the within warrant, I have this day notified the inhabitants of the Town of Upton herein described, to assemble in their Town Hall, on Monday, the seventeenth day of April, for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of the within warrant in each of the post-offices and on the town house seven days before the meeting aforesaid.

HERBERT A. BAGLEY,  
Constable.

A true copy of the warrant and officer's return thereon.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL TOWN  
MEETING, APRIL 17, 1933.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, SS.*

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, about 150 legal voters of the Town of Upton met in the Town Hall, on Monday, the seventeenth day of April, 1933.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Malcolm C. Temple. The warrant and officer's return thereon was then read by the Town Clerk.

Benjamin C. Wood, Chairman of the Finance Committee reported that the Committee favored Articles 1, 3 and 4. On Article 2 the Committee would advise a \$2,000.00 appropriation by the town, provided the State and County would allot a sufficient amount to rebuild Mendon Road from the town line to Hall's corner.

#### TUBERCULOSIS PATIENTS.

Article 1. Voted: on motion of Harry C. Snow, to appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars for the care of town patients at the Tuberculosis Hospital at Boylston, this sum to be taken from the cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933.

#### MENDON ROAD.

Article 2. A motion by Taylor C. Lyford to pass over the article was defeated. A rising vote was taken, Yes—14, No—50.

After a motion by Eben T. Hall that the \$2,000.00 be appropriated, there was general discussion. Among those who spoke were William T. Teachout, Henry R. Hoyle, Eben T. Hall, Arthur Cobbett, Charles W. Childs, and Michael Shaughnessy. Henry R. Hoyle pointed out that with \$22,500.00 already appropriated for roads, he considered it would be better if money taken from the cash balance was used by the assessors to reduce the tax levy. Mr. Hall argued that used on the Mendon road it would give employment to many who are now receiving aid. A motion by Michael Shaughnessy that the article be laid on the table till November 1st was lost.

Voted: to appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars for the improvement of the Mendon Road,

provided the State and County will each allot \$4,000.00 or more for the same, the \$2,000.00 to be taken from the cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933.

#### GYPSY MOTH.

Article 3. A motion by Harry C. Snow that \$200.00 be appropriated was amended by Taylor C. Lyford to \$100.00. A motion by John E. Dearth for the previous question was carried.

Voted: to appropriate the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars for the suppression of gypsy moth, this sum to be taken from the cash balance in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933.

Article 4. Voted: on motion of Taylor C. Lyford, to pass over the article.

Voted: to dissolve the warrant and adjourn.

A true record.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

#### WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,

JUNE 9, 1933.

Worcester, SS.

To the Constable of the Town of Upton, in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Upton, qualified to vote in Elections and in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Upton, on Friday, the ninth day of June, 1933, punctually, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to amend the vote of the town regarding the Westboro Road, passed under Article 7 of the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting, held February 11, 1933, by specifying the amounts to be contributed by the State as \$5,000.00 and County as \$3,000.00, instead of \$4,000.00 each as voted.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend the vote of the town regarding the Mendon Road, passed under Article 2 of the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting, held April 17, 1933, by specifying the amounts to be contributed by the State as \$5,000.00 and County as \$3,000.00, instead of \$4,000.00 each as voted.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the following places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting:—At each of the Post-offices and on the Town House in said Town.

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

Given under our hands at Upton, this first day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

HARRY C. SNOW,  
EBEN T. HALL,  
EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,  
Selectmen of Upton.

Upton, Mass., June 2, 1933.

By virtue of the within warrant, I have this day notified the inhabitants of the Town of Upton, herein described, to assemble in their town hall on Friday, the ninth day of June, for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up at-tested copies of the within warrant in each of the Post-offices and on the town house seven days before the meeting afore-said.

HERBERT A. BAGLEY,  
Constable.

A true copy of the warrant and officer's return thereon.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,  
JUNE 9, 1933.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, SS.*

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, about 200 legal voters of the Town of Upton met in the Town Hall, on Friday, the ninth day of June, 1933.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Malcolm C Temple. The warrant and officer's return thereon was read by the Town Clerk.

Harry C. Snow, Chairman of the Selectmen gave the reasons for calling the meeting and explained the two articles. He offered the motion for each article, both of which were carried by a strong chorus of Ayes and no dissenting voice.

WESTBORO ROAD.

Article 1. Voted: to accept \$5,000.00 from the State and \$3,000.00 from the County for additional construction on the Westboro Road; the \$2,000.00 already appropriated by the town for use on the Westboro Road to be applied under this agreement in place of the former plan of \$4,000.00 from the County and \$4,000.00 from the State.

MENDON ROAD.

Article 2. Voted: to accept \$5,000.00 from the State and \$3,000.00 from the County for construction on the Mendon Road; the \$2,000.00 already appropriated by the town for use on the Mendon Road to be applied under this agreement in place of the former plan of \$4,000.00 from the County and \$4,000.00 from the State.

Voted: To dissolve the warrant.

A true record.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION,

JUNE 13, 1933.

Worcester, SS.

To the Constable of the Town of Upton, in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Upton, qualified to vote in Elections and in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Upton, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of June, 1933, punctually, at twelve o'clock noon, for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the election of three delegates (from Fourth Congressional District) to a Constitutional Convention called to ratify or reject an amendment to the



Constitution of the United States whereby the eighteenth article of amendment would be repealed.

Also for said voters to give in their votes. YES or NO, in answer to the question. "Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages?" all on one ballot.

The polls shall be closed at eight o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the following places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting:—At each of the Post-offices and on the Town House in said Town.

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

Given under our hands at Upton, this first day of June in the year of our Lord. one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

HARRY C. SNOW,  
EBEN T. HALL,  
EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,  
Selectmen of Upton.

Upton, Mass., June 3, 1933.

By virtue of the within warrant, I have this day notified the inhabitants of the town of Upton herein described, to assemble in their Town Hall on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of June, for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of the within warrant in each of the Post-offices and on the town house seven days before the meeting aforesaid.

HERBERT A. BAGLEY,  
Constable.

A true copy of the warrant and officer's return thereon.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

## PROCEEDINGS OF SPECIAL ELECTION,

JUNE 13, 1933.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, SS.*

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the legal voters of the Town of Upton met in the Town Hall in said Upton, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of June, 1933. The meeting was called to order at twelve o'clock noon by the town clerk, who then read the warrant and the officer's return thereon.

The selectmen having appointed Arthur E. Macker, C. Samuel Aldrich, Edward F. Gorman and Edward G. Rawson, election officers, they were duly sworn to faithfully perform the duties of the office by the town clerk.

Cards of instruction and specimen ballots having been posted as the law directs, a package containing official ballots, to be used at this election, was delivered to the ballot clerks.

The ballot box was then shown to the voters present to be empty, the index being set on 0000, it was locked and the keys thereof were given to Herbert A. Bagley, constable in attendance at said meeting.

The polls were declared open at twelve o'clock noon.

The following persons having been appointed by the selectmen to canvass the vote, George G. Newton, Edwin W. Sadler, Arthur K. McCarty, and Frank O. Ogden, they were duly sworn by the town clerk.

At the close of the polls, the register on the ballot box stood at 357. The check-lists were compared and showed that 357 had voted.

The ballots having been counted, public declaration was made in open meeting and recorded as follows:

DELEGATES TO CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

Opposed to Ratification (Against Repeal)

Florence L. Lawton of 96 Lovell St., Worcester .....	138
Amanda L. Peterson of 30 Rockdale St., Worcester .....	137
Robert C. Westenberg of 21 Douglas St., Uxbridge .....	138

Favoring Ratification (For Repeal)

Charles F. Campbell of 115 Ward St., Worcester .....	198
Eben S. Draper of 55 Adin St., Hopedale .....	201
T. Frank Hickey of 721 Main St., Shrewsbury .....	198
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"Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages?"

Yes .....	196
No .....	158
Blanks .....	3

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The ballots cast, the check-lists used at this election were then sealed up and delivered into the custody of the town clerk.

A true record.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

## BY-LAWS OF THE TOWN OF UPTON.

In compliance with General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 32, I hereby certify that the following is a true copy of the By-Laws adopted by the Town of Upton, at the annual town meeting held February 11, 1933 and as approved by Joseph E. Warner, Attorney General, March 8, 1933.

I also certify that a copy thereof has been delivered to every occupied dwelling and apartment in the town and the affidavit of persons delivering said copies was filed with the Town Clerk July 28, 1933.

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

## ARTICLE I.

## GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Section 1. These By-Laws shall be known as the "Code of By-Laws for 1933 of the Town of Upton." They are made subject to, and in conjunction with, the General Laws governing the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Section 2. Any or all By-Laws of the Town may be repealed or amended, or other By-Laws may be adopted by a majority vote at any annual town meeting or by a two-thirds vote at a special town meeting, provided the article containing all the subject matter of the proposed change has been inserted in the warrant for the special meeting.

Section 3. Whoever violates any By-Laws of the town whereby any act or thing is enjoined, required or prohibited, shall forfeit and pay for each offense a fine not exceeding twenty dollars, unless some other penalty is expressly provided by law, or by some By-Law of the town.

Section 4. All By-Laws heretofore adopted by the town are hereby repealed. If any provision herein is declared unconstitutional or illegal by final judgment, order or decree of the Supreme Judicial Court of the Commonwealth,

the validity of the remaining provisions of these By-Laws shall not be affected hereby.

## ARTICLE 2.

### TOWN MEETINGS AND PROCEDURE THEREAT.

Section 1. The annual meeting for the election of town officers and the transaction of town business, shall be held on the first Monday in February in each year. The polls shall be open at six o'clock in the forenoon and shall remain open until four o'clock in the afternoon, when they shall be closed, and it shall be so stated in the warrant calling said meeting.

All business of the annual meeting, except the election of such officers and the determination of such matters as by law are required to be elected and determined at such meeting, and the raising and appropriating of monies in anticipation of the payment of taxes, shall be considered at an adjournment thereof, which adjournment shall be held on the following Saturday at two o'clock P. M.

Section 2. Warrants for all town meetings shall be directed to either of the constables of the town, and the meeting shall be notified by posting attested copies of the warrant in each of the post-offices of the town and on the town hall building, seven days at least, before the day of such meeting.

Section 3. At all town meetings twenty legal voters of the town shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Section 4. No grant of a sum of money exceeding two hundred dollars shall be made until the subject matter thereof has been considered and estimates reported to the town either by the selectmen, school committee, engineers of the fire department, or other town officers, or by some committee chosen for that purpose in pursuance of a vote of the town.

Section 5. When a question is under debate, no motion except the following shall be received, and they shall take precedence in the order in which they are arranged in these By-Laws, and all except the first four, shall be open to debate:

- (a) To adjourn.
- (b) To decide by ballot using check-list.
- (c) To lay on, or take from the table.
- (d) For the previous question.
- (e) To postpone to a time certain.
- (f) To commit or recount or refer.
- (g) To amend.
- (h) To postpone indefinitely.

Section 6. Upon taking a vote upon any question, if the decision of the moderator be doubted, or a division of the house called for, the moderator shall request the house to be seated, and shall appoint tellers. The question shall then be distinctly stated and those in the affirmative and negative respectively shall be requested to rise and stand in their places until they are counted by the tellers, who shall count each side and make report thereof to the moderator.

Section 7. No vote shall be reconsidered at the same meeting, or any adjournment thereof, except upon a motion made within one hour of the adoption of such vote, or unless ordered by two-thirds of the voters present and voting.

Section 8. The duties of the moderator not prescribed by the statutes, or these By-Laws, shall be determined by the general rules of parliamentary law so far as they may be adapted to town meetings.

Section 9. An amendment cannot be amended and no motion or proposition of a subject different from that under consideration shall be entertained under color of an amendment.

## ARTICLE 3.

## DUTIES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

## SELECTMEN.

Section 1. The Board of Selectmen shall have the full and exclusive authority as agents of the town to institute, prosecute, defend, compromise, and settle all claims, suits and actions brought by or against the town, provided, however that no claim or action against the town unless reduced to the form of an execution or decree of court, shall be compromised or settled by the payment of any amount in excess of two hundred dollars, without a special vote of the town.

Section 2. Whenever it shall be necessary to execute any deed conveying land, or any other instrument required to carry into effect any vote of the town, the same shall be executed by the selectmen, or a majority thereof, in the name of the town, unless otherwise provided by law or by vote of the town, and shall be sealed with the town seal.

Section 3. The selectmen may appear in the interest of the town, either personally or by counsel before any court, committee, legislature or any state or county board or commission, but such authority does not authorize said board to commit the town to any course of action without the vote of the town.

Section 4. Each town officer, board, commission and committee shall annually in the month of January of each year, prepare and submit to the Board of Selectmen, a report in writing covering clearly and concisely the work of his department for the preceding year. Each of such reports shall be published in the annual Town Report which shall be ready for distribution among the voters of the town at the annual town meeting.

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## TOWN CLERK.

Section 5. The Town Clerk shall see that every conveyance to the Town of any interest in land, except as otherwise provided by law, is duly recorded in the proper registry therefor, and he shall have custody of all such recorded instruments after the same are ready for return from the registry.

Section 6. The Town Clerk, as soon as possible after a vote of the town has been passed which relates particularly to or affects the duties of any board, committee or officer of the Town, shall furnish a copy of such vote to such board, committee or officer.

Section 7. The Town Clerk shall furnish the selectmen for publication in the annual printed report of the town, a copy of his record for all town meetings that have been held during the preceding year, also the vital statistics recorded during the preceding year.

## TOWN TREASURER.

Section 8. The Town Treasurer shall have charge of and shall promptly receive all income, revenue and monies belonging to the town when collected by any board, commission or officer.

The Town Treasurer shall have custody of all insurance policies of the town.

## COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Section 9. The Collector of Taxes shall upon receiving the tax lists or warrant from the assessors collect the taxes therein set forth with interest, and pay said taxes and interest to the town treasurer according to the warrant and shall make written return thereof with his tax list and of his doings thereon at such times as the assessors shall require. He shall give the treasurer an account of all charges and fees collected by him.



## AUDITOR.

Section 10. The Town Auditor shall prove extensions of all bills, check bills against the list of annual appropriation and see that no bills are approved if they are in excess of appropriation to the particular department to which they are chargeable.

## FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Section 11. There shall be a finance committee consisting of nine citizens of the town who shall be sworn to a faithful performance of their duties. No town officer, elective or appointed, shall be eligible to membership on the Finance Committee.

Section 12. The Selectmen shall annually, not later than the first day of May, appoint three members of the Finance Committee, for a term of three years, and notice thereof shall receive public notice in a newspaper receiving local distribution.

Section 13. The committee shall meet, choose its own officers, and adopt such rules and regulations affecting its government as may from time to time seem necessary.

Section 14. This committee shall consider matters relating to the appropriation and expenditure of money by the town, its indebtedness, the administration of its various departments, property valuation and assessments, and other municipal affairs of the town, and make such report and recommendation to the town concerning the same, as circumstances and conditions may require.

Section 15. It shall have authority at any time to investigate the books, accounts and management of any department of the town; and the books, accounts and records of all departments and officers of the town shall be open to its inspection.

Section 16. No motion carrying an expenditure or appropriation of money, except where such expenditure is required by law, shall be acted upon at any town meeting until it has been submitted to the Finance Committee.

Section 17. The Finance Committee may furnish a report of any and all matters which have been considered by them, pertaining to the town, with their recommendations and suggestions, so that the same can be published in the annual town report, or distributed at the annual town meeting.

#### ARTICLE 4.

##### FINANCIAL.

Section 1. All bills incurred during the year must be in the hands of the selectmen on or before the last day of each year.

Section 2. No department, except by a special vote of the town and that to be in accord with the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, shall keep for its own use any monies derived from the operation of said department, but shall turn the same into the treasurer of the town, who shall apply same to the general fund of the town.

Section 3. Funds given to the town in trust or otherwise for specific purposes shall not be mingled with other funds of the town, but shall be kept and invested separately, and used only in accordance with the terms of the gift.

#### ARTICLE 5.

##### JUNK DEALERS AND DEALERS IN SECOND HAND ARTICLES.

Section 1. The Selectmen may license suitable persons to be dealers in and keepers of shops for the purchase, sale or barter of junk, old metals or second-hand articles, and may make such additional rules, regulations and restrictions as they deem proper, not inconsistent with the provisions of law or of these By-Laws.

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Section 2. The Board of Selectmen may license suitable persons to be junk collectors, to collect from place to place in this town by purchase or otherwise any articles mentioned in Section 1.

Section 3. No collector of junk shall, directly or indirectly, either purchase or receive, by way of barter, exchange or otherwise, any of the articles mentioned in Section 1, of a minor or apprentice, knowing or having reason to believe him to be such.

Section 4. Every collector of junk while engaged in collecting, transporting or dealing in the articles mentioned in Section 1, shall wear upon the outside of his clothing a badge, and have upon each side of any vehicle used by him, a sign, well displayed, such badge and sign to be prescribed by the Board of Selectmen.

## ARTICLE 6.

### TRAFFIC AND PARKING.

Section 1. The following regulations for vehicles shall be observed by drivers thereof, who shall at all times obey any directions of voice, hand or whistle, from any member of the police force or any mechanical device placed in highway for the purpose of aiding traffic as to starting, stopping, slowing, approaching, departing from any place, the manner of taking up and setting down passengers, and the loading or unloading of anything.

Section 2. A police officer may divert either vehicles or pedestrians when necessary to avoid congestion.

Section 3. Slow moving vehicles shall keep as close as possible to the right hand curb.

Section 4. Every driver of a vehicle in turning to the right into another street shall keep such vehicle as near the right curb or right side of the street as possible.

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Section 5. Every driver of a vehicle in turning to the left into another street shall pass to the right of and beyond the center of the intersection of the street before turning.

Section 6. Every driver of a vehicle crossing from side of the street to the other side, except for the purpose of passing other vehicles or because of dangers in the street shall do so by turning to left, so as to head in general direction of traffic after they have crossed the street.

Section 7. All drivers of vehicles on the approach of fire apparatus shall stop so as not to interfere with its passage.

Section 8. No person shall ride or cause to be driven any horse or vehicle over that part of any street which is being mended, repaired or paved if a watchman or sign are placed prohibiting the same.

Section 9. No vehicle shall stop with its left side to the curb on a main thoroughfare leading into the town from adjoining cities or towns, to-wit—Main, Milford and Grafton Road.

Section 10. Every driver of a vehicle shall on slowing down or stopping give a signal to those behind by conspicuously raising a whip or hand. The word vehicles herein shall include horses hitched to vehicles, horses ridden and lead, motor vehicles of all kinds, everything on wheels or runners not propelled by hand or foot. The word driver herein shall include the rider or driver of horse and the operator of a motor vehicle.

#### ARTICLE 7.

##### MISCELLANEOUS.

Section 1. No persons except the Selectmen or the person authorized to have charge of the streets in the lawful performance of their duties or those acting under their or-

ders, except such persons as are or may be authorized by statute, shall break or dig up the ground in any street or sidewalk, or public way, in the Town, without obtaining a permit from the Selectmen, which shall state the regulations under which the work shall be done. All persons acting under such permit shall erect and maintain a suitable railing or fence around that part of the street or public way so broken up, so long as the same shall remain unsafe or inconvenient for travellers, and he or they shall keep one or more lighted lanterns fixed to such railing or fence, or in some other way exposed every night from sunset to sunrise, so long as such street or way shall remain unsafe or inconvenient for travellers. The work done under said permit must be in accordance with said regulations and upon the completion of said work the surface of said street or way shall be restored to a condition satisfactory to the Selectmen.

Section 2. Whoever shall discharge into any drain or sewer inlet, manhole or catch basin any matter or thing which may tend to cause obstruction therein or any injury thereto, shall be punished by a fine.

Section 3. No person shall coast or skate on any street or public place except on such as are designated by the Selectmen or on public playgrounds.

Section 4. No person shall break, deface or move any official sign post, signalling or traffic device, warning barrier, lantern or electric light, placed or located in any street or public place for the information or direction of traffic or the protection of the public.

Section 5. No person shall bathe in any waters of this town, in a state of nudity, in places exposed to public view, or in immediate sight of the occupants of any dwelling.

Section 6. No person shall loiter, saunter or continue to sit or stand in any street, public place or public building, so as to obstruct or impede the free passage of or in any manner annoy or disturb any other persons, after being directed by a police officer to "move on."

Section 7. No person shall habitually or otherwise gather or congregate or loaf about, on any street or public place, after being directed by a police officer to cease such gathering or loafing.

#### WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,

AUGUST 14, 1933.

*Worcester, SS.*

To the Constable of the Town of Upton, in the County of Worcester, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the Town of Upton, qualified to vote in Elections and in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Upton, on Monday, the fourteenth day of August, 1933, punctually, at eight o'clock P. M., then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars of the cash in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933, toward reducing the tax levy of the current year, as recommended by the Finance Committee, or take any action thereon.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Assessors to use the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars, as appropriated by the town under Article 1, toward reducing the tax levy of the current year, as recommended by the Finance Committee.

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And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the following places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting:—At each of the Post-offices and on the town house in said Town.

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

Given under our hands at Upton, this fifth day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three.

HARRY C. SNOW,  
EBEN T. HALL,  
EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,  
Selectmen of Upton.

Upton, Mass., August 5, 1933.

By virtue of the within warrant, I have this day notified the inhabitants of the town of Upton herein described, to assemble in their Town Hall on Monday, the fourteenth day of August, for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of the within warrant in each of the Post-offices and on the town house seven days before the meeting aforesaid.

HERBERT A. BAGLEY,  
Constable.

A true copy of the warrant and officer's return thereon.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL TOWN MEETING,  
AUGUST 14, 1933.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

*Worcester, SS.*

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, twenty-three legal voters of the Town of Upton met in the Town Hall on Monday, the fourteenth day of August, 1933.

In the absence of the moderator, the town clerk requested the voters present to bring in their ballots for the election of a moderator to serve for this meeting. Nineteen ballots were cast, the check-list being used, nineteen names checked as voting. The result was as follows:

Helen Fay .....	8
Miss Fay .....	5
Mr. Teachout .....	3
Harry Snow .....	1
John Adams .....	1

After being duly sworn by the town clerk, Miss Fay called the meeting to order. The warrant and officer's return thereon was read by the town clerk.

Article 1. Voted: on motion of Mr. Teachout, to appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.-00) Dollars from the cash in the hands of the Treasurer, January 10, 1933, toward reducing the tax levy of the current year.

Article 2. Voted: on motion of George Prentiss, to instruct the Assessors to use the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars, as appropriated under Article 1, toward reducing the tax levy of the current year.

Voted: to dissolve the warrant and adjourn.

A true record.

Attest:

JOHN B. FAY,  
Town Clerk.



## JURY LIST, 1933-1934.

Upton, Mass., July 3, 1933.

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 234, Sections 4 and 5 of the General Laws, the Selectmen of the Town of Upton met on the above date and prepared a list of names of persons residing in this town, to be placed in the jury box for the year ensuing.

Name	Street	Occupation
Bacon, William G.	Maple Avenue	Straw Worker
Barton, Charles A.	Nelson	Gardener
Bradley, George E.	West Main	Retired
Briggs, Ralph G.	Main	Service Station
Brownell, Aubrey	Main	Painter
Clafin, Edwin W.	Grove	Retired
Cooley, Joseph W.	Main	Machinist
Frost, Newton J.	Williams	Office Clerk
Gorman, James F.	Main	Clerical Work
Green, Henry E.	Main	Carpenter
Henry, Millard E.	Main	Whittler
Hoyle, Henry R.	Mechanic	Sign Painter
LeClaire, Alfred	North	Straw Worker
Murphy, Leo F.	Piccadilly	Clerk
O'Connell, Edward J.	Maple Avenue	Retired
Robson, Peter	Hartford Ave.	Plumber
Sadler, Edwin W.	Mechanic	Laborer
Scott, Emerson B.	Elm	Chauffeur
Snow, Harry C.	Elm	Retired
Stearns, Albert B.	North Main	Carpenter
Temple, Malcolm C.	Glen View	Mechanic
Thompson, Frank P.	Main	Shuttle Worker
Walker, William B.	Milford	Carpenter
Wood, Henry H.	Glen Avenue	Teamster
Young, Samuel B.	Maple Avenue	Manufacturer

## JURORS DRAWN DURING 1933.

Raymond F. Lyford	Traverse Juror	March 9
Harry C. Snow	Traverse Juror	October 13
Samuel B. Young	Grand Juror	December 26

## DOG LICENSES ISSUED.

Male or spayed female .....	188
Female .....	36
Breeder's .....	1
Cash paid to Town Treasurer .....	\$536.00

## SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED.

Resident citizens' fishing .....	27
Resident citizens' hunting .....	60
Resident citizens' sporting .....	26
Minors' fishing .....	3
Resident citizen's trapping .....	1
Minor trappers' .....	1
Resident citizens' sporting and trapping—free .....	18
Duplicate .....	2
Cash sent to Division of Fisheries and Game .....	\$241.25

## TOWN LICENSES ISSUED.

Junk dealer's .....	1
Sunday ice cream .....	9
Common victuallers' .....	5
Innholder's .....	1
Auto dealer's .....	1
Auctioneer's .....	1
Oleomargarine dealer's .....	1
Beer licenses:	
Retail—sold in bottles .....	1
Retail—sold by the glass .....	2
Special—one day .....	1

## VITAL STATISTICS.

FOR THE YEAR 1933.

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Number of births recorded .....	35
Number of marriages recorded .....	15
Number of deaths recorded .....	38

## BIRTHS.

Date of Birth.		Name of Child.
January	9.	Virginia Victoria Poirier.
February	1.	Robert Fay Nydam.
February	27.	Arthur Leroy Aldrich.
March	4.	Infant Lambert
March	5.	Diana Mae Shears.
March	7.	Arthur Eugene Hill.
April	14.	Leonard Sadler French.
April	20.	Pasquale Quitadamo, Jr.
April	23.	Bertha Nina Nelson.
May	2.	Marie Therese Eva Cousineau.
May	29.	Ernest Hill Bates
June	4.	Reginald Frederick Fales.
June	7.	Loretta Rivard.
June	8.	Harrison Eaton Bates, Jr.
June	24.	Robert Lewis Holmes.
June	25.	Beverly Ann Martin.
July	4.	Dorius Hormidias Paille, Jr.
July	6.	Elizabeth Mayes Jacobson.
July	21.	Elaine Mae Orff.
August	2.	Edward James Lamirande.
August	19.	Robert Milton Orff.
August	26.	Marguerite McTygue.
September	4.	Henry Joseph Poirier, Jr.
September	15.	Alice Marie Holmes.
September	15.	Harriet Ethel Holmes.
September	19.	Phyllis May Nichols.
October	4.	Richard Allen Fiske.
October	6.	Gerald Philip Shattuck.
October	8.	Robert Karl Sanderson.
October	29.	Shirley Ann Stank.
November	19.	George Whiting, Jr.
November	25.	Florena Corena Dufresne.
December	15.	Theresa Ann Calnan.
December	21.	Pauline Brown.
December	21.	Richard Eliot Taft.

## MARRIAGES RECORDED IN UPTON DURING 1933.

Date	Name, age and Residence	By Whom and Where Married
Jan. 1	Norman N. Boucher, 21, Upton Adele H. Barbadora, 24, Milford	Rev. Raymond Dalla Porta Milford
Feb. 27	William L. Henchey, 20, Upton Genevieve A. Devanuto, 27, Milford	Rev. Raymond Dalla Porta Milford
Mar. 7	Victor LeCourt, 56, Upton Annie S. Reed, 54, Upton	Rev. Vernon H. Deming Upton
Mar. 23	Thomas L. Francis, 23, Upton Olive B. Felton, 19, Hopedale	Rev. Vernon H. Deming Hopedale
Apr. 22	Henry B. Smith, 21, Whitinsville Grace S. Cote, 20, Upton	Rev. Ralph Bolt Whitinsville
Apr. 24	Herbert B. Leland, 22, Upton Margaret Chaplin, 18, Upton	Rev. William G. Poor Upton
Apr. 25	James E. French, 19, Upton Mary F. Sadler, 18, Upton	Rev. William G. Poor Upton
May 6	Henry S. Sadler, Jr., 25, Upton Alice E. Peterson, 28, Worcester	Rev. Charles J. Barton Worcester
July 15	John F. Pharnes, 26, Worcester Thelma I. Farrar, 22, Worcester	Rev. William G. Poor Upton
Aug. 7	Gordon R. Good, 32, Upton Dorothy M. Goodnow, 20, Mendon	Edward S. Cogswell, J. P. Ipswich
Aug. 30	Leonard Heron, 21, Hopedale Doris P. Farrar, 20, Upton	Rev. Roy B. Wintersteen Uxbridge
Sept. 30	Roscoe A. Burnham, 18, Upton Carrie W. Cromb, 18, Saundersville	Rev. William G. Poor Upton
Oct. 21	Victor E. Negus, 23, Upton Dorothy M. Kearnan, 19 Milford	Rev. T. H. McCullough Milford
Oct. 28	Ernest R. Swift, 64, Milford Ruth E. Cooper, 26, Upton	Rev. James G. Beveridge Milford
Nov. 18	Arthur H. Nelson, 48, Upton Rosilda Tellier, 23, Northbridge	Rev. J. Horace Gelineau Northbridge

## DEATHS RECORDED IN UPTON DURING 1933.

Date of Death	Name	Age			Place of Death
		Y	M	D	
Jan. 28	Ella M. Thayer	68	1	8	Upton
Feb. 6	Leona J. Crowe	35	1	13	Worcester
Feb. 7	John C. Bennett	72	8	21	Upton
Feb. 26	Walter W. True	73	3	18	Upton
Mar. 4	Susan Ella Aldrich	80	7	15	Upton
Mar. 4	.... Lambert			1/12	Milford
Mar. 7	Arthur E. Hill			1/6	Upton
Mar. 10	Anna M. Warren	74	11	28	Westboro
Mar. 11	Daniel A. Warren	80	1	17	Westboro
Mar. 13	Annie S. LeCourt	54	9	....	Upton
Mar. 14	Alfred H. Aldrich	62	2	1	Upton
Mar. 19	Mabel F. Fitts	63	7	....	Upton
Mar. 28	Henry W. Rogers	80	3	15	Upton
Apr. 6	Henry D. Aldrich	75	11	17	Upton
Apr. 27	Antonio Prince	67	9	....	Upton
June 10	Elizabeth A. Thayer	62	8	20	Upton
June 13	Anna S. Inman	64	8	28	Milford
June 27	Bernard E. Noe	23	9	10	Milford
July 7	Gladys H. Clark	20	8	16	Boylston
July 30	Mattie P. Houghton	69	10	17	Upton
Aug. 31	Alice M. Noe	67	....	23	Upton
Sept. 20	Helen J. Alger	25	11	....	Upton
Sept. 27	Frank C. Crooker	73	3	9	Upton
Nov. 8	Alice M. Holmes	....	1	24	Upton
Nov. 22	Eugene J. Urban	82	8	11	Upton
Dec. 23	Clara E. Hill	73	10	23	Upton
Dec. 31	Annie M. McIntyre	68	10	6	Milford

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS WERE BROUGHT TO UPTON  
FOR BURIAL.

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Feb. 26	Alice Colcord	39	....	....	Milford	
Mar. 20	Helen M. Forrest	37	4	23	Boston	
Mar. 31	Happalona Borden	77	....	19	Grafton	
Apr. 7	Louis K. Lero	88	....	20	Westboro	
June 15	Chester W. Sellon	57	8	20	Belmont	
July 20	Mae E. Bartlett	71	6	14	New Bedford	
July 26	Celia A. Wellington	83	11	19	Hopedale	
Aug. 9	Sarah A. Bixby	58	10	4	Lynn	
Nov. 13	Wilfred C. Kinney	68	3	17	Boston	
Dec. 22	Marion T. Button	65	....	....	New York City	
Dec. 26	Eleanor M. Preshe	6	....	20	Hopedale	

Parents and others are requested to carefully examine the above lists and if any errors or omissions are discovered report them at once to the town clerk, that the record may be corrected, as it is of importance that the records of Vital Statistics should be complete. Herewith are extracts from the General Laws, Chapter 46.

GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 46, SECTION 3.

(As Amended by Chapter 281, Section 1, Acts of 1925).

Every physician, or hospital medical officer registered under section nine of chapter one hundred and twelve, in this chapter called officer, shall keep a record of the birth of every child in cases of which he was in charge, showing date and place of birth, the name, if any, of the child, its sex and color, the name, age, birthplace, occupation and residence (including the street number, if any, and the ward number, if in a city) of each parent, the maiden name of the mother and the name of the physician or officer, if any, personally attending the birth. If the child is illegitimate, the name of, and other facts relating to the father shall not be set forth except upon written request of both the father and mother; provided, that if an illegitimate child shall have become legitimate by the intermarriage of his parents and the acknowledgment of his father, as provided in section seven of chapter one hundred and ninety, prior to the mailing or delivery of any report herein required, such report shall read, in all respects, as if such child had been born to such parents in lawful wedlock. Said physician or officer shall, within fifteen days after such birth, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the town where such birth occurred, a report stating the facts hereinabove required to be shown on said record and also the said written request, if any; provided, that if said report is not so made within forty-eight hours after such birth, said physician or officer shall, within said

forty-eight hours, mail or deliver to said clerk or registrar a notice stating the date and place of the birth, the street number, if any, the ward number, if in a city, and the family name. Upon presentation to him of a certificate of the town clerk stating that any such birth has been duly reported, the town treasurer shall pay to such physician or officer a fee of twenty-five cents for each birth so reported. Any physician or any such officer violating any provision of this section shall forfeit not more than twenty-five dollars. The said town clerk or registrar shall file daily with the local board of health a list of all births reported to him, showing, as to each, the date of birth, sex, color, family name, residence, ward and physician or officer in charge.

GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 46, SECTION 6.

Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born \* \* \*.

Blanks may be obtained upon application to the town clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. FAY,

Town Clerk.



## ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1933.

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Number of horses assessed .....	69
Cows assessed .....	137
Neat Cattle .....	45
Swine .....	2
Horses .....	507
Acres of land .....	12,976
Fowls .....	3,746

Valuation of Real Estate .....	\$1,118,961 00
Personal Estate Valuation .....	236,816 00
Total Valuation .....	\$1,355,777 00

### December 15 Assessment

Valuation of Real Estate .....	\$354 00
Number of persons assessed .....	654
Number of Polls assessed .....	639
Value of assessed live stock .....	\$19,059 00
Value of assessed stock in trade .....	13,745 00
Value of assessed machinery .....	50,720 00

Tax for State, County and Town purposes including overlay-  
ings for abatements only:—

	1932	1933
Total Town Appropriations .....	\$76,093 00	\$69,638 47
State Tax .....	2,242 50	2,070 00
Deficits in overlappings .....		93 55
Auditing .....	000 00	137 24

Parks and Reservations .....	3 81	5 19
Old Age Assistance .....	634 00	639 00
Tuberculosis .....	301 73	378 41
		660 00
County Tax .....	2,800 00	2,381 00
Overlayings .....	1,608 60	663 92

## Estimated Receipts:—

You can use only the amounts certified to you by the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxations.

Income Tax .....	\$5,405 03
Corporation Taxes .....	2,024 30
Bank Tax .....	44 88
Motor Vehicle Excise .....	2,300 00
Licenses .....	300 00
Fines .....	5 00
Protection of persons and property .....	25 00
Charities .....	1,000 00
Old Age Assistance .....	884 55
Soldiers' Benefits .....	300 00
Schools .....	5,411 38
Libraries .....	10 00
Cemeteries (other than from trust funds) .....	500 00
(sale of lots)	
Interest on deposits .....	55 03
Interest on taxes and assessments .....	300 00
Section 2, Chapter 344 .....	1,121 66
Reimbursement .....	12 62
Total receipts .....	\$19,699 45
Available funds (Voted by town meeting to be used by Assessors) upon written authority from the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation .....	\$5,700 00
Total deductions .....	25,399 45

Net amount raised by Taxations on Polls and	
Property .....	\$51,267 39
Number of Old Age Assistance Taxes .....	639

Tax Rate, \$36.40

	Valuations	Property Tax
September Assessment .....	\$1,355,777 00	\$49,350 28
December Assessment .....	354 00	12 89
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	\$1,356,131 00	\$49,363 17
Collector's Commitment Lists—September .....		\$51,267 39
December 15 .....		12 89
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		\$51,280 28
Excise Tax Warrants for 1933 .....		2,447 73
Value of Motor Vehicles .....		96,733 00
Number of Motor Vehicles .....		585

GEORGE E. BRADLEY,  
WILLIAM B. WALKER,  
HENRY H. WOOD,

Assessors of Upton.

## REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR.

### 1929 EXCISE TAX.

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933, per Auditor's report .....		\$ .70
Paid to Treasurer, 1933 .....	\$ .70	

### 1930 LEVY.

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933, per Auditor's report .....		\$49 73
Paid to Treasurer 1933 .....	\$49 73	
		\$49 73

### 1931 EXCISE TAX.

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933, per Audit ....		\$3 04
Paid to Treasurer 1933 .....	\$3 04	
		\$3 04

### 1931 LEVY.

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933, per Audit ....		\$3,294 42
Paid to Town Treasurer 1933 .....	\$2,791 87	
Tax Titles .....	243 95	
Abated 1933 .....	104 21	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1933 .....	154 39	
		\$3,294 42
Interest collected 1933 .....		284 81

## 1932 EXCISE TAX.

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933 .....		\$166 41
Paid to Town Treasurer 1933 .....	\$117 87	
Abated 1933 .....	48 54	
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		\$166 41
Interest collected .....		84

## 1932 LEVY.

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1933, per Audit ....		\$12,122 19
Paid to Town Treasurer 1933 .....	\$6,720 10	
Abated 1933 .....	145 48	
Tax Titles .....	60 36	
Refund on Old Age Assistance .....	14 00	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1933 .....	5,182 25	
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		\$12,122 19
Interest collected 1933 .....		218 13

## 1933 EXCISE TAX.

Levy 1933 .....		\$2,447 76
Paid to Town Treasurer 1933 .....	\$2,164 68	
Abated 1933 .....	62 51	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1933 .....	220 57	
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		\$2,447 76
Interest collected .....		94

## 1933 LEVY.

Levy 1933 .....		\$51,280 28
Paid to Town Treasurer 1933 .....	\$37,678 82	
Abated 1933 .....	304 27	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1933 .....	13,297 19	
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		\$51,280 28
Interest collected .....		19 58

ERNEST WELLMAN,  
Collector.

I have examined these reports and find them correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,  
Auditor.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

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FRED W. WOOD, Treasurer,

In account with the Town of Upton.

DR.

Cash balance from 1933 .....	\$8,211 23
Cash received from State Treasurer on account of	
Mothers' Aid .....	1,112 86
Old Age Assistance Abatement Tax .....	14 00
Public Welfare Dept., tuition of children .....	535 21
Tuition of children .....	397 22
Division of Public Works, Highways, No. 3884 .....	400 00
Division of Public Works, Highways, No. 2269 .....	4,946 06
Division of Public Works, Highways, No. 4054 .....	5,598 27
Division of Public Works, Highways, No. 4055 .....	4,400 00
Division of Public Works, Highways, No. 4198 .....	999 13
Balance due from Mass. Training School, 1932 .....	40
Income from Mass. School Fund ending Dec. 31, 1932 .....	3,931 28
Temporary aid .....	733 53
Dept. of Education .....	194 89
Forest Dept., against Forest Fires .....	100 00
Compensation Inspector of Animals .....	42 50
Reimbursement for loss of taxes .....	12 62
Distribution of Federal Emergency Relief Fund .....	1,121 66
Small Town Act, Supt. Schools Fund .....	461 97
Division of Standards, State Licenses .....	24 00
Income Tax, 1933 .....	5,780 00
Income Tax, Trust Co., 1931 .....	28

Corporation Tax, Business .....	1,747 38	n-	
Corporation Tax, R. R. ....	30 68	...	1,044 95
Veterans' Exemption .....	41 14	ry	
Old Age Assistance Fund—refund .....	2,389 44	...	491 50
National Bank Tax, 1933 .....	11 20	...	175 00
National Bank Tax, 1931 .....	28		
National Bank Tax, interest, 1933 .....	01	...	6,750 10
Street R. R., Tel. & Tel. Co., 1933 .....	3 09	...	218 13
Corporation Tax, R. R., Tel. & Tel. Co., 1932 .....	93	...	2,791 87
Corporation Tax, Public Service, 1932 .....	1 95	...	284 81
Corporation Tax, Public Service, 1933 .....	6 37	...	49 75
Gas, Electric Light and Water Tax, 1933 .....	369 34	...	117 87
Gas, Electric Light and Water Tax, interest .....	2 46	...	84
Animal Industry .....	70 00	...	70
State Aid .....	210 00	...	3 04
Military Aid .....	150 00	...	20,000 00
Charlotte A. Batchelor School Fund, income ....	187 50	...	55 03
Knowlton and Batchelor, Trust Deed, income ....	481 67		
County Treasurer, Dog Tax refund .....	435 19	...	2,164 68
Fish and Game Association, rent of G.A.R. hall .....	2 00	...	94
General Chas. Devens Camp, S. of U. V., rent of G. A. R. hall .....	1 67	...	37,678 82
Third District Court, Milford, fines collected ....	5 00	...	19 53
Louis Vilensky, Junk License .....	10 00	...	400 00
George H. Davis, Beer License .....	100 00	...	999 13
Joseph Rouleau, Auto Dealer's License .....	10 00	...	2,999 84
Thomas Pignatelli, Beer License .....	50 00	...	2,999 11
Alfred Mullen, Beer License .....	50 00	...	35 30
William Young, Beer License, one day .....	5 00		
George Olney, Sunday License .....	2 00	ns	\$125,883 39
Whitman Holbrook, Sunday License .....	2 00	vn	
George F. Briggs, Sunday License .....	2 00	...	121,303 86
Valeska White, Sunday License .....	2 00	vn	
Michael Reynolds, Sunday License .....	2 00	to	
Carl Luebbe, Sunday License .....	2 00	...	310 96
Angello Mazza, Sunday License .....	2 00	ax	
Ralph Briggs, Sunday License .....	2 00	...	536 00

Maude Hilliard, Sunday License .....	2 00
George Olney, Victualer's License .....	2 00
Arthur Carlton, Victualer's License .....	2 00
Valeska White, Victualer's License .....	2 00
Carl Luebbe, Victualer's License .....	2 00
Angello Mazza, Victualer's License .....	2 00
Angello Mazza, Sunday License, 1931 .....	2 00
Mrs. George Allen, Innholder's License .....	4 00
Daniel H. Bates, Auctioneer's License .....	2 00
George Olney, Denatured Alcohol License .....	1 00
George F. Briggs .....	1 00
Ralph Briggs .....	1 00
Rouleau's Garage .....	1 00
George Poirier .....	1 00
Ernest Wellman, cash for inspecting oil burners	59 50
Columbian Chapter, O.E.S., rent of G.A.R. hall	10 00
Community Stores Company, Oleomargarine registration .....	50
B. C. Crooker, cash for Sealing fees .....	20 54
Dana Stanley, Manual Training supplies sold ....	14 43
Town Library for fines collected during 1933 ....	7 66
Town Library, refund, discontinued magazines	2 00
Town Library, Public Documents sold .....	5 00
Town Library, old magazines sold .....	81
Received for rent of Town Hall as follows:	
Foresters of America .....	\$50 00
Republican Town Committee .....	1 00
Ambler Picture Co. ....	9 00
Upton Golf Club .....	10 00
Benson's Revue .....	8 00
Bowman Company .....	3 00
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	\$81 00
Public Welfare Dept., Town of Milford .....	127 24
Public Welfare Dept., Town of Hopedale .....	131 47
Public Welfare Dept., Town of Millbury .....	294 00
Public Welfare Dept., Town of Northbridge .....	362 83
E. B. Newton, cash from Poor Dept. ....	55 06



Public Welfare Dept., School Teachers' Voluntary donations .....	1,044 95
F. W. Wood, cash from Lakeview Cemetery Commission .....	491 50
Charlotte A. Batchelor, Library Fund income ....	175 00
Ernest Wellman, Tax Collector:	
Taxes of 1932 .....	6,750 10
Interest collected on 1932 taxes .....	218 13
Taxes of 1931 .....	2,791 87
Interest collected on 1931 taxes .....	284 81
Taxes of 1930, real estate .....	49 75
Excise Taxes of 1932 .....	117 87
Interest collected on 1932 taxes .....	84
Excise Taxes of 1929 .....	70
Excise Taxes of 1931 .....	3 04
Milford Savings Bank, Town Note .....	20,000 00
Milford National Bank, interest on deposits .....	55 03
Ernest Wellman, Tax Collector:	
Excise Taxes of 1933 .....	2,164 68
Interest collected on 1933 Excise Taxes.....	94
Real Estate Taxes of 1933 .....	37,678 82
Interest collected on 1933 taxes .....	19 58
From County Treasurer:	
Division Highways, Account No. 3884 .....	400 00
Division Highways, Account No. 4198 .....	999 13
Division Highways, Account No. 4054 .....	2,999 84
Division Highways, Account No. 4055 .....	2,999 11
Dr. Carpenter Library Fund, income .....	35 30
Total cash received as per foregoing listed items	\$125,883 39
Total amount of Selectmen's Pay Rolls, drawn for cash payment during 1933 .....	121,303 86
Total amount on Selectmen's Pay Rolls drawn for Machine rental and credited to Machinery Fund .....	310 96
Cash paid to County Treasurer for Dog Tax collected by Town Clerk .....	536 00

Cash deposited in Worcester County Institution		2 00
for Savings as cash received for Legacy		2 00
Funds during 1933	700 00	2 00
Total cash received for general town purposes	125,883 39	2 00
Total expended as cash payments on Select-		2 00
men's Pay Rolls	121,303 86	2 00
Cash balance on hand Jan. 1, 1934	\$4,579 53	4 00

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRED W. WOOD,**  
 Town Treasurer.

Tax Title Deeds in possession of the Town		59 50
Treasurer of property sold for taxes during		10 00
1932 amounting to	\$155 70	
1933 amounting to	\$197 60	
	\$353 30	50

**FRED W. WOOD,**  
 Town Treasurer.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

**CHARLES A. BARTON,**  
 Auditor.

#### TOWN TREASURER'S STATEMENTS.

There is deposited in the Milford Home National Bank, the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, known as the "George W. Knowlton Fund." This Fund is subject to withdrawal by the Town Treasurer. The income only to be used to help the Townspeople who are in distress.

There has been drawn of this fund this year, \$100.00. Total of this fund as of January 1st, 1934, \$4,060.85.

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## STATEMENT OF TOWN INSURANCE.

Town Property is insured as follows:—

Town Hall building .....	\$21,000 00
Contents .....	6,000 00
G. A. R. Hall building .....	4,000 00
High School building .....	25,000 00
Contents .....	2,000 00
Knowlton School building .....	15,000 00
Contents .....	1,000 00
George S. Ball School building .....	20,000 00
Contents .....	2,000 00
Town Farm buildings .....	4,000 00
Contents .....	1,000 00
Weights and Measure Standards .....	1,500 00

Respectfully submitted,

FRED W. WOOD,

Town Treasurer.

## TOWN TREASURER'S STATEMENTS.

There is deposited in the Milford Savings Bank, known as the Knowlton School Fund, in trust with the Town Treasurer as trustee, \$29.91, to be used by the School Committee to defray the extraordinary expenses of the Knowlton School Building.

There is deposited in the Milford Home National Bank, known as the Ella (Whitney) Risteen Fund, in trust with the Town Treasurer and School Committee as Trustees, one thousand dollars, (\$1,000.00) the income to be divided between the two pupils in our public schools who make the most progress during each year. The amount of the Fund, Jan. 1, 1934, \$1,017.50. \$37.85 interest of this fund was used this year.

There is deposited in the Worcester County Institution for Savings, known as the Charlotte A. Batchelor School Fund, in trust with the Town Treasurer as trustee, five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, the income to be used for the Public Schools. \$187.50 was used this last year.

There is deposited in the Milford Savings Bank, known as the Charlotte A. Batchelor Library Fund, in trust with the Town Treasurer as trustee, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) the income to be used for the Public Library. \$175.00 was used last year.

There is deposited in the Milford Savings Bank as a nucleus of a fund for a library building as voted by the Town, February 7, 1925, the sum of \$2,363.18.

EXTRACTS FROM  
REPORT OF AN AUDIT

of the Accounts of the Town of Upton, for the period from April 9, 1931, to June 12, 1933. Made in accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws.

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Mr. Theodore N. Waddell

Director of Accounts

Department of Corporations and Taxation

State House, Boston

Sir:—

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the accounts of the town of Upton for the period from April 9, 1931, the date of the previous audit, to June 12, 1933, and submit the following report thereon:

The financial transactions of the town, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town, were examined and verified.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The cash book footings were verified, the receipts were checked with the records of the various departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury, while the payments were checked to the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds.

The treasurer's cash balance on June 12, 1933 was proved by a reconciliation of statements furnished by the banks of deposit and by an actual count of the cash in the office.

The savings bank books, representing the investment of the trust funds in the custody of the treasurer, were examined, and the income and disbursements were verified.

The records of revenue loans were examined and the canceled notes on file were examined and checked.

It was found that disbursements have been made from cemetery funds income upon orders of the cemetery commissioners only. In the future such payments should be made on authority of selectmen's warrants, thereby complying with the provisions of Section 52, Chapter 41, General Laws.

The assessors' computations of the tax rates were examined and checked, and it was noted that the sums estimated by the assessors to be received from sources other than taxation and loans and used by them as a deduction from the amount to be raised by taxation exceeded the sums actually collected in 1931 and 1932 by \$2,654.59 and \$2,922.14, respectively.

Care should be taken by the assessors in estimating the receipts to be collected from sources other than taxes, for a deficit in the estimated receipts account reduces the surplus revenue of the town correspondingly.

Attention is also called to the appropriation of \$3,200 voted from available funds in 1933. This sum should be included by the assessors in the total amount of appropriations voted by the town in 1933, while the same amount may be used as a deduction from the amount to be raised by taxation in 1933 only with the written approval of the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation, in accordance with the provisions of Section 23, Chapter 59, General Laws.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined. The taxes outstanding at the time of the previous examination were audited, and all subsequent commitments were proved with the assessors' warrants. The cash book findings were verified, the recorded payments were compared with the treasurer's cash book, the abatements were checked to the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding amounts were listed and reconciled.

The outstanding amounts 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.

\$4,037 44

The accounts of the town clerk for dog, hunting and fishing, and town licenses were examined, and the payments to county, state, and town were verified.

\$59,172 28

9,000 00

Attention is again called to Sections 34 and 35, Chapter 138, General Laws, providing for the granting of licenses for the sale of denatured alcohol and to Section 53, Chapter 94, General Laws, which pertains to the registration with the Town Clerk, in towns having no inspector of milk, of sellers of Oleomargarine.

93 55

\$118,705 10

In addition to the accounts mentioned, the records of all other departments receiving money for the town or committing bills for collection were examined, and the payments to the treasurer were verified.

\$20,000 00

The surety bonds of the treasurer, collector, and town clerk were examined and found to be in proper form.

2,322 54

Ledger accounts were compiled, and a balance sheet showing the financial condition of the town as of June 12, 1933, was prepared and is appended to this report. Appended herewith are also tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's and the collector's cash, summaries of the tax and departmental accounts, as well as tables showing the trust fund transactions.

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For the co-operation received from the several officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

70,009 73

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Respectfully submitted,

EDW. H. FENTON,

Chief Accountant.

The complete report of the audit with all tables referred to above, may be seen at the town clerk's office. The balance sheet is printed herewith.

\$1,855 42

TOWN OF UPTON  
BALANCE SHEET—JUNE 12, 1933  
GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash—In Banks and office:

General .....	\$7,643 75	
Surplus War Bonus and Sale of Real Estate Fund .....	2,322 54	
		<u>\$9,966 29</u>

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes:

Levy of 1930 .....	\$49 75	
Levy of 1931 .....	2,192 32	
Levy of 1932 .....	9,051 33	
		<u>\$11,293 40</u>

Old Age Assistance Taxes 1932 10 00

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:

Levy of 1929 .....	\$ 70	
Levy of 1931 .....	3 04	
Levy of 1932 .....	121 88	
Levy of 1933 .....	770 92	
		<u>\$896 54</u>

Tax Titles held by Town ..... 235 60

State Aid to Highways

(Chapter 81), ..... 6,000 00

State Aid to Highways

(Chapter 90), ..... 11,000 00

County Aid to Highways

(Chapter 90), ..... 7,000 00

Departmental:

Public Welfare .....	\$199 35
Old Age Assistance .....	2,506 20
Mothers' Aid .....	410 67
State Aid .....	260 00
Military Aid .....	222 50



School .....	397 22	
Cemetery .....	41 50	
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		\$4,037 44
Revenue 1933 (Appropriations) ....	\$67,098 47	
Less Estimated Receipts collected	7,926 19	
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		\$59,172 28
Loans Authorized .....		9,000 00
Overlay Deficit:		
Levy of 1926 .....		93 55
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		\$118,705 10

## LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Temporary Loans:		
In Anticipation of Revenue 1933		\$20,000 00
Surplus War Bonus and Sale of		
Real Estate Fund .....		2,322 54
Overpayments:		
Levy of 1929 .....	\$2 38	
Old Age Assistance Taxes 1931	3 00	
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		\$5 38
Dog Licenses—County .....		124 80
Road Machinery Fund .....		918 26
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund		
Income .....		167 67
Appropriation Balances .....		70,009 73
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus		2,016 09
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:		
Levy of 1930 .....	\$9 90	
Levy of 1931 .....	537 07	
Levy of 1932 .....	1,308 45	
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		\$1,855 42
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax .....	\$896 54	

Tax Title .....	235 60	
Departmental .....	4,037 44	1933
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	\$5,169 58	
Surplus Revenue .....	16,115 63	
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	\$118,705 10	

## TRUST ACCOUNTS.

## ASSETS

Trust Funds—Cash .....	\$27,949 17
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## LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

George W. Knowlton Charity Fund	\$5,396 65	
Knowlton School Fund .....	29 40	
Charlotte A. Batchelor School Fund	5,000 00	\$11,298 40
Ella Whitney Risteen School Fund	1,037 85	10 00
Charlotte A. Batchelor Library		
Fund .....	5,000 00	
Dr. Carpenter Library Fund .....	1,000 00	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds ....	10,485 27	
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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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Ordered paid for notes and interest:

Milford Savings Bank, money in anticipation of taxes .....	\$20,000 00
Milford Savings Bank, interest on the above .....	644 45
Certifying note .....	2 00
	\$20,646 45

Ordered paid for State and County Tax:

Treasurer of the Commonwealth:

State tax .....	\$2,070 03
Special tax (Old Age Assistance) .....	650 00
Parks and Reservations .....	5 19
Auditing accounts .....	137 24
	\$2,862 46

County Treasurer:

County tax .....	2,381 00
Tuberculosis hospital construction .....	660 00
Tuberculosis hospital assessment .....	378 47

Ordered paid for Board of Health:

Bills as reported by Board of Health .....	375 70
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Ordered paid for care of tubercular patients .....

1,143 50

Ordered paid for bonding town officers:

Collector's bond .....	\$64 00
Treasurer's bond .....	32 00
Town Clerk's bond .....	5 00
	\$101 00

Ordered paid for care of Cemeteries:

Bills as reported by treasurer of commissioners .....	983 18
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Ordered paid for Fire Department:	
Bills as reported by fire engineers	1,098 01
Ordered paid for fighting forest fires:	
Bills as reported by forest warden	398 98
Ordered paid for Game Warden:	
Bills as reported by local warden ....	45 00
Ordered paid for Suppression of Gypsy Moth:	
Bills as reported by local superintendent .....	199 98
Bills ordered paid as reported by Highway Surveyors:	
For repair of roads (Chapter 81) .....	\$10,505 46
For construction under Chapter 90:	
Westboro Road .....	\$9,997 06
Westboro Road, maintenance .....	2,497 83
Mendon Road .....	9,999 47
	<hr/> \$22,494 36
From machinery fund .....	1,099 34
For repair of bridges .....	196 25
For removing snow .....	1,665 28
Ordered paid for expenses of Memorial Day .....	114 78
Bills ordered paid as reported by Board of Public Welfare:	
For public welfare .....	8,020 76
For mothers' aid .....	1,832 23
For old age assistance .....	7,805 66
Ordered paid for Support of Schools:	
Bills as reported by School Committee .....	24,589 83
Ordered paid for Industrial school ....	125 73
Ordered paid for aid to various persons:	
Soldiers' relief .....	1,850 56
State aid .....	120 00
Military aid .....	355 00
Ordered paid for Street Lighting:	
Worcester Suburban Electric Co. ....	2,266 30

## Ordered paid for Town Library:

Bills as reported by treasurer of trustees .....	934 73
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## Ordered paid for trimming trees:

Bills as reported by tree warden ....	180 00
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## Ordered paid for insurance:

R. F. & A. A. Lyford .....	\$653 02	
E. A. Willard (fire trucks) .....	88 50	
Norry J. Lessard (truck) .....	19 00	
		<hr/> \$760 52

Ordered paid for police department ....	433 95
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Ordered paid for abatement of taxes .....	33 73
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Ordered paid for motor vehicle refunds .....	51 34
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Ordered paid for care of town dump....	45 00
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## Ordered paid for printing:

Charlescraft Press, town reports ....	\$272 09	
Charlescraft Press, ballots, warrants etc. ....	33 75	
Charlescraft Press, payrolls and envelopes .....	13 00	
Hobbs & Warren, blanks .....	1 63	
Chronotype Printing Co., By-Laws .....	35 00	
Stenographer, By-Laws .....	7 00	
Davol Printing House, blanks for Assessors .....	25 00	
G. M. Billings, lists for Assessors ....	38 00	
Dodge Printing Co., blanks for Collector .....	5 50	
Barre Gazette, blanks for Collector .....	2 25	
Wm. J. Seaver, express .....	1 75	
Milford Daily News, adv. ....	15 75	
		<hr/> \$450 72

## Ordered paid for town hall:

Upton Fuel Co., coal .....	\$211 89
Board of Public Welfare, wood .....	24 00
Worcester Suburban Electric Co., lights .....	132 44

W. G. Fiske, supplies .....	4 25
Edward C. Newton, repairs .....	3 25
Wm. B. Walker, labor, etc. ....	14 30
G. Jenner Aldrich, janitor .....	360 00
G. Jenner Aldrich, supplies, labor, etc. ....	10 60
D. R. Bowker, repairs .....	7 00
Clinton L. Barnard, repairs to clock	6 00
Community Store, supplies .....	2 05
Washburn Garfield Co., guage cocks	1 15
Fred White, labor .....	22 00
S. O. Inman, labor .....	32 50
Otis S. Inman, labor .....	32 50
C. Samuel Aldrich, labor .....	32 50
William Francis, labor .....	32 50
Patrick Dwyer, labor .....	32 50
G. Edward Aldrich, Jr. ....	32 50
W. G. Fiske, one-half paint bills .....	130 14

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Ordered paid for town hall, repairs  
and equipment:

Chelmsford Roofing Co., repairs to roof .....	\$43 00
Charles A. Whitney, supplies for screens .....	5 07
W. G. Fiske, cement .....	3 08
Alcide Bouthiette, labor .....	2 80
Edward C. Newton, repairs .....	1 00
Aubrey Brownell, labor .....	11 00
Charles Southland, labor .....	32 50
W. G. Fiske, one-half paint bills .....	66 45
Edward A. Page, one-half paint bills	35 00

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 \$199 90

Ordered paid for repairs to G. A. R. Hall:

Geo. Fred Welch, repairs .....	\$1 00
William B. Walker, labor .....	16 50
Raymond Brown, labor .....	3 00

Aubrey Brownell, labor .....	50	
W. G. Fiske, supplies .....	50	
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		\$21 50

## Ordered paid for town officers and expenses:

Harry C. Snow, selectman and surveyor .....	\$100 00	
Eben T. Hall, selectman and surveyor .....	75 00	
Edwin W. Clafin, selectman and surveyor .....	75 00	
John B. Fay, clerk .....	60 00	
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		\$310 00
Fred W. Wood, treasurer .....	\$250 00	
Fred W. Wood, supplies, etc. ....	68 08	
Fred W. Wood, check protector .....	67 50	
Davis Press, envelopes .....	40 50	
Hobbs & Warren, blanks .....	58	
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		\$426 66
John B. Fay, town clerk .....	\$150 00	
John B. Fay, supplies, etc. ....	26 42	
John B. Fay, vital records .....	39 50	
John B. Fay, administering oaths .....	11 75	
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		\$227 67
George E. Bradley, assessor .....	\$240 00	
William B. Walker, assessor .....	150 00	
Henry H. Wood, assessor .....	150 00	
Worcester Abstract Co. ....	27 08	
Hobbs & Warren .....	6 75	
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		\$573 83
Ernest Wellman, collector .....	\$504 29	
Ernest Wellman, supplies, etc. ....	48 79	
Ernest Wellman, selling real estate .....	49 75	
Ernest Wellman, recording deeds ....	16 08	
Ernest Wellman, inspecting oil tanks .....	59 50	
Ernest Wellman, reimbursement .....	7 08	
Barre Gazette .....	4 00	
Hobbs & Warren .....	9 25	

Dodge Printing Co. ....	5 50	
Milford News, adv. ....	4 00	
William A. Parshley, legal services	44 00	
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		\$752 24
Charles W. Childs, public welfare	\$50 00	
Abbie A. Lyford, public welfare .....	50 00	
Edward B. Newton, public welfare, clerk .....	90 00	
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		\$190 00
Alice M. Hall, school committee ....	\$40 00	
Newton J. Frost, school committee	40 00	
William O. Perkins, school commit- tee, clerk .....	50 00	
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		\$130 00
Fred W. Wood, cemetery commis- sioner .....	\$10 00	
Fred E. Varney, cemetery commis- sioner .....	10 00	
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		\$20 00
Malcolm C. Temple, moderator .....		15 00
Charles A. Barton, auditor .....		50 00
H. Daniel Fay, appraiser .....	\$6 00	
William B. Walker, appraiser .....	4 00	
Wilbur G. Taft, appraiser .....	4 00	
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		\$14 00
Benjamin C. Crooker, sealer .....	\$75 00	
W. & L. E. Gurley .....	9 34	
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		\$84 34
Harry C. Snow, delivering By-Laws	\$4 80	
Edwin W. Clafin, delivering By- Laws .....	5 60	
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		\$10 40
Board of Registrars .....		70 00
Election officers .....		68 50
Arthur W. Morrison, Inspector of animals .....		85 00



John E. Dearth, Inspector of slaught-	
ering .....	25 00
Herbert A. Bagley, posting warrants	7 50
Henry R. Hoyle, phone calls, 1932	3 95
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	\$121,614 82

# RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

Departments	Appropriation	Income	Total Receipts	Expenditures	Unexpended
Board of health	\$200 00	*\$200 00	\$400 00	\$375 70	\$24 30
Bonding town officers	140 00		140 00	101 00	39 00
Cemeteries	1,000 00		1,000 00	983 18	16 82
County tax				2,381 00	
Hospital construction	660 00		660 00	660 00	
Hospital assessment	378 47		378 47	378 47	
Care of tubercular	1,000 00	*143 50	1,143 50	1,143 50	
Fire department	1,100 00		1,100 00	1,098 01	1 99
Forest warden	400 00		400 00	398 98	1 02
Game warden	50 00		50 00	45 00	5 00
Suppression of gypsy moth	200 00		200 00	199 98	02
Highways	4,500 00	6,005 46	10,505 46	10,505 46	
Westboro road	2,000 00	8,000 00	10,000 00	9,997 06	2 94
Westboro road, maintenance	500 00	2,000 00	2,500 00	2,497 83	2 17
Mendon road	2,000 00	8,000 00	10,000 00	9,999 47	53
Bridges	200 00		200 00	196 25	3 75
Snow removal	900 00	*765 90	1,665 90	1,665 28	62
Insurance	900 00		900 00	760 52	39 48
Memorial Day	200 00		200 00	114 78	85 22
Notes and interest	600 00	*46 45	646 45	646 45	
Police department	400 00	*50 00	450 00	433 95	16 05
Printing	500 00		500 00	450 72	49 28

Public welfare	7,000 00	§1,044 95	8,044 95	8,020 76	24 19
Mothers' aid	2,000 00		2,000 00	1,832 23	167 77
Old age assistance	7,500 00	*325 00	7,825 00	7,805 66	19 34
School department	23,500 00	1,104 36	24,604 36	24,589 83	14 53
School—industrial	400 00		400 00	125 73	274 27
Sidewalks	50 00		50 00		50 00
Soldiers' relief	2,000 00		2,000 00	1,850 56	149 44
State and military aid	500 00		500 00	475 00	25 00
State tax				2,862 46	
Street lights	2,500 00		2,500 00	2,266 30	233 70
Town library	760 00	175 00	935 00	934 73	27
Town hall	1,000 00	*130 00	1,130 00	1,124 07	5 93
Town hall, repairs	200 00		200 00	199 90	10
G. A. R. Hall, repairs	30 00		30 00	21 50	8 50
Town officers and expenses	2,800 00	*264 09	3,064 09	3,064 09	
Tree warden	180 00		180 00	180 00	
Town dump	50 00		50 00	45 00	5 00
Abatement of taxes				33 73	
Motor vehicle refunds				51 34	
Machinery fund		†1,100 70	1,100 70	1,099 34	1 36
Emergency fund	2,000 00		2,000 00	transferred 1,930 40	69 60

\*—Transferred from emergency fund.

§—Contributed by school teachers.

†—Transferred from rental of 1932.

# FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN DECEMBER 31, 1933.

## ASSETS.

### Taxes uncollected:

Levy of 1931 .....	\$154 39
Levy of 1932 .....	5,182 25
Levy of 1933 .....	13,297 19
Excise tax, 1933 .....	220 57

### Amounts due the town, as follows:

For state aid .....	120 00
For military aid .....	177 50
From State Department of Public Welfare .....	154 45
From the State for mothers' aid .....	736 12
From the State for old age assistance .....	1,728 00
From Grafton, Millbury, Boston, Northbridge and Hyde Park for public welfare .....	671 89
Cash in hands of Treasurer .....	4,579 53
	<hr/> \$27,021 89

## LIABILITIES.

Worcester County Sanatorium construc- tion apportionment .....	\$9,000 00
Balance in favor of the town December 31, 1933 .....	\$18,021 89
Balance in favor of the town December 31, 1932 .....	28,447 81

There is deposited in the Worcester County Institution for Savings, known as the Carpenter Fund, (\$1,000.00) from which the town receives the income so long as certain conditions are fulfilled. This has been done the past year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

HARRY C. SNOW,

EBEN T. HALL,

EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,

Selectmen of Upton.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,

Auditor.

## REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYORS.

### ROADS. (Chapter 81).

Town appropriation .....	\$4,500 00	
State allotment .....	6,000 00	
Transferred from emergency fund .....	5 46	
		\$10,505 46
Cash paid by orders on treasurer .....		10,505 46

#### Cash paid:

Charles W. Childs, superintendent ....	\$51 25	
Charles W. Childs, use of auto .....	20 50	
Victor Page .....	35 50	
Charles Noe .....	30 00	
Sam Walker .....	25 50	
Edward Fisher .....	10 00	
Edward E. Aldrich .....	4 00	
Oscar Hallberg .....	4 00	
Henry Poirier, truck .....	53 00	
Joseph Poirier, truck .....	8 00	
B. C. Wood, gravel .....	2 80	
Edward Paige .....	6 40	
C. Mango, gravel .....	3 50	
Pearly Rockwood, cap stone .....	3 00	
C. W. Childs, supplies .....	76	
		\$258 21

#### Cash paid for labor:

John E. Dearth, superintendent .....	\$663 75
William C. Clifford .....	266 00
C. Mango .....	20 80
Edwin Sadler .....	139 20
Arthur Carlton .....	270 40

George Salisbury .....	230 00
Charles Noe .....	196 40
John Adams .....	22 00
Edward Rawson .....	227 20
Oscar Hallberg .....	26 40
Sam Orff .....	121 20
Ed Morrison .....	7 60
Leon Kerr .....	13 60
Carlton Holmes .....	11 60
Austin Orff .....	219 60
Frank Ford .....	10 80
Everett Green .....	5 20
E. B. Houghton .....	62 80
Charles Sanderson .....	150 00
Frank Thompson .....	14 80
Ernest Bouthiette .....	174 80
Ellery Reed .....	48 00
Raymond Brown .....	26 80
D. Lamanuzzi .....	9 60
Armedas Page .....	68 40
George Nichols .....	52 40
John Blodgett .....	16 00
Ed Fisher .....	41 60
Elwin Follett .....	30 80
John Strachan .....	26 40
W. Carrol .....	38 40
Emery Page .....	12 80
Peter Dennen .....	28 80
Geo. Aldrich, Jr. ....	45 60
Leon Page .....	43 20
Fred Comstock .....	46 80
Sam Walker .....	128 40
David Dow .....	35 20
Albert Brownley .....	14 80
Howard Heald .....	27 60
Fred Coleman .....	12 80
Jerome Mowrey .....	6 40

Burton Walker .....	3 20	
F. Janovsky .....	16 00	
John Prentiss .....	6 40	
William Henchy .....	52 40	
George Brousseau .....	17 60	
H. Shattuck .....	22 40	
Charles Hart .....	6 40	
John Colbert .....	90 40	
Frank Wellman .....	9 60	
H. Butterfield .....	3 20	
B. Forbes .....	3 20	
L. Prince .....	12 80	
George Hallberg .....	9 60	
A. Watson .....	7 20	
A. Cooley .....	12 80	
F. Wentworth .....	3 20	
C. Lambert .....	17 20	
Fred Alexander .....	126 80	
Alonzo Martin .....	117 20	
P. Lamirande .....	19 20	
Joe Cote .....	28 80	
J. Stank .....	35 20	
Joe Coteau .....	19 20	
K. A. Gabrielson .....	28 80	
John Calnan .....	14 00	
Charles Kelley .....	14 00	
William Gorman .....	6 40	
Ray Taft .....	3 20	
B. F. Harnden, engineer .....	153 75	
William Walker, carpenter .....	80 00	
		<hr/> \$4,505 10
Cash paid for trucks, etc.:		
Henry Poirier .....	\$896 00	
Joseph Poirier .....	465 00	
Louis Gaudette .....	80 00	
Knowlton Farms .....	256 25	
David Colcord .....	47 50	



W. G. Fiske .....	111 25	
Malcolm Temple, tractor .....	150 00	
Knowlton Farms, tractor .....	60 00	
R. Newell, roller .....	183 00	
Speeder Con. Co., shovel .....	45 00	
Joe Rosenfeld, compressor .....	60 00	
Wm. Carrol, harrow .....	2 00	
A. W. Thomas, horses .....	8 00	
Hugh Finneran, horses .....	7 00	
		<hr/> \$2,371 00

## Cash paid for material:

Texas Oil Co., surfacing material ....	\$1,578 13	
Independent Coal Tar Co. ....	228 14	
Bancroft & Martin .....	34 88	
Kopper Products Co., tar patching	170 52	
Corbett Concrete Co., culvert pipe	72 52	
Chase Parker & Co., crowbars, etc.	6 09	
Mass. State Prison, metal sign .....	30 00	
B. C. Wood, lumber, etc. ....	59 76	
W. G. Fiske, supplies .....	246 61	
Upton Fuel Co., coal .....	43 75	
Grafton & Upton R. R., express and freight .....	1 88	
H. C. Snow, rent .....	50 00	
J. E. Dearth, supplies .....	19 11	
W. J. Seaver, express .....	60	
Dr. A. H. Fuller, services .....	17 00	
Knowlton Farms, gravel .....	450 00	
A. W. Morrison, gravel .....	6 60	
L. W. Gould, gravel .....	36 10	
H. Finneran, gravel .....	8 50	
		<hr/> \$3,060 19

## Ordered paid for town machinery rental:

Trucks .....	\$291 00
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Scraper .....	19 36	
Drag .....	60	
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		\$310 96
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		\$10,505 46

## WESTBORO ROAD, (Chapter 90).

Town appropriation .....	\$2,000 00	
State allotment .....	5,000 00	
County allotment .....	3,000 00	
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		\$10,000 00
Cash paid by orders on treasurer .....		9,997 06
Unexpended .....		2 94
Cash paid for labor:		
John E. Dearth, superintendent .....	\$288 00	
William Clifford .....	150 40	
C. Holmes .....	21 20	
E. Bouthiette .....	142 80	
Charles Noe .....	35 60	
L. Prince .....	91 60	
C. Sanderson .....	124 40	
George Nichols .....	33 60	
B. Harnden .....	258 00	
Austin Orff .....	128 80	
A. Carlton .....	143 20	
E. Rawson .....	107 60	
Sam Orff .....	61 20	
C. Mango .....	116 00	
G. Salisbury .....	112 80	
Ed Sadler .....	116 80	
Sam Walker .....	128 80	
F. Comstock .....	12 80	
O. Hallberg .....	73 20	
William McTygue .....	11 60	
D. Lamanuzzi .....	30 80	
Al Page .....	43 20	

Ed Houghton .....	76 40
F. Freeman .....	33 20
E. Fisher .....	78 40
E. Reed .....	39 20
J. Colbert .....	64 00
P. Dennen .....	22 40
F. Wellman .....	41 60
H. Shattuck .....	17 60
Paul Boucher, water boy .....	16 00
E. Follett .....	6 80
C. Kelley .....	44 40
W. L. Clarke .....	2 80
Joe LaPierre .....	10 00
A. Cooley .....	3 20
F. Southland .....	19 20
R. Brown .....	27 20
E. Bentley .....	19 60
F. Fowler .....	11 50
Dan Fay .....	3 20
Ed Jodin .....	24 00
W. A. Conlin .....	7 50
B. Forbes .....	6 40
W. Prentiss .....	6 40
W. Evans .....	26 80
H. Butterfield .....	3 20
T. Hilliard, water boy .....	20 00
C. Lambert .....	6 40
P. Lamirande .....	9 60
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	\$2,879 40

## Cash paid for trucks, roller, shovel, etc.:

Henry Poirier, truck .....	\$430 00
W. G. Fiske, truck .....	150 00
Joseph Poirier, truck .....	198 75
L. Gaudette, truck .....	41 25
Knowlton Farms, trucks .....	205 00
D. Colcord, truck .....	170 00
A. Rosenfeld, truck .....	280 00

32 40

H. Phipps, shovel .....	1,440 00
Joe Rosenfeld, compressor .....	550 00
R. H. Newell, roller .....	125 00
C. Bianichi, shovel and transportation .....	550 00
William Carrol, harrow .....	5 00
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	\$4,145 00

## Cash paid for material:

Upton Fuel Co., coal .....	\$35 00
J. Rosenfeld, dynamite and caps .....	452 94
H. Phipps, dynamite and caps .....	202 00
F. J. Comstock, gravel .....	160 00
J. E. Dearth, telephone .....	8 20
George Poirier, gas, oil, etc. ....	118 98
George Poirier, gas and oil for shovel .....	30 00
Corbett Concrete Co. ....	94 86
Berger Metal Culvert Co. ....	346 32
W. W. Field & Sons, Inc. ....	25 20
Hedge & Matthias Co. ....	39 62
P. Lussiu .....	53 00
Ralph's Filling Station, gas and oil .....	80 00
H. Potter, gravel .....	180 00
W. G. Fiske, lumber, etc. ....	18 52
W. L. Carrich, repairs .....	40 00
Barrett Co., tar .....	1,065 02
State Prison, cement posts .....	23 00
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	\$2,972 66
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	\$9,997 06

## WESTBORO ROAD. (Chapter 90, Maintenance).

Town appropriation .....	\$500 00
State allotment .....	1,000 00
County allotment .....	1,000 00
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	\$2,500 00
Cash paid by orders on treasurer .....	2,497 83
Unexpended .....	2 17

## Cash paid for labor:

John E. Dearth, superintendent .....	\$90 00
William Clifford .....	48 00
A. Carlton .....	44 80
E. Bouthiette .....	39 20
Sam Walker .....	40 40
Austin Orff .....	42 40
George Nichols .....	32 80
William Henchy .....	14 80
Al Paige .....	32 80
George Salisbury .....	36 00
Charles Noe .....	32 80
Charles Sanderson .....	38 40
Ed Sadler .....	36 00
Edward Rawson .....	22 80
B. Harnden .....	72 00
Sam Orff .....	14 40
C. Mango .....	24 40
Edward Fisher .....	18 40
F. Wellman .....	19 20
L. Prince .....	18 00
F. Freeman .....	14 80
E. Follett .....	12 80
E. Reed .....	11 60
William McTygue .....	6 40
H. Shattuck .....	11 60
C. Holmes .....	12 80
A. Cooley .....	3 20
J. F. Hurley .....	6 40
E. Houghton .....	16 00
F. Wentworth .....	6 40
A. Brown .....	6 40
A. Jodin .....	3 20
R. Usher .....	3 20

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\$832 40

## Cash paid for trucks, roller, shovel, etc.:

H. Phipps, shovel and trans. ....	\$530 00
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Henry Poirier, truck .....	120 00	
Joseph Poirier, truck .....	58 75	
W. G. Fiske, truck .....	32 50	
Louis Gaudette, truck .....	42 50	
Knowlton Farms, trucks .....	38 75	
D. Colcord, truck .....	32 50	
R. H. Newell, roller .....	53 00	\$4,145 00
	<hr/>	\$908 00

## Cash paid for materials:

Koppers Products Co., tar .....	\$87 04	
Barrett Co., oil .....	537 02	
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., pipe .....	29 12	
H. Potter, gravel .....	40 00	
Upton Fuel Co., coal .....	8 75	
Howard Phipps, dynamite .....	52 50	
J. E. Dearth, tile .....	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$757 43
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		\$2,497 83

## MENDON ROAD. (Chapter 90.)

Town appropriation .....	\$2,000 00	
State allotment .....	5,000 00	
County allotment .....	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$10,000 00
Cash paid by orders on treasurer .....	9,999 47	
Unexpended .....	53	\$2,972 66
Cash paid for labor:		
John E. Dearth, superintendent .....	\$360 00	\$9,997 06
Arthur Carlton .....	117 60	
William Clifford .....	185 60	nce).
George Salisbury .....	166 80	
C. Mango .....	10 40	
Austin Orff .....	172 00	
Sam Walker .....	146 80	\$2,500 00
Ed Rawson .....	114 20	2,497 83
E. Bouthiette .....	167 20	2 17

B. Harnden .....	342 00	71	
Ed Sadler .....	139 60	79	
L. Prince .....	63 20	92	
T. Hilliard .....	2 00	01	
Ed Fisher .....	82 80	00	
A. Darling .....	105 60	65	
W. Evans .....	47 20	00	
H. Martindale .....	17 00	—	\$1,099 34
C. Sanderson .....	144 40		1 36
Ed Houghton .....	169 20		
C. Lambert .....	15 20		
E. Reed .....	6 40		
P. Lamirande .....	75 20		\$200 00
G. Carley .....	30 80		
L. Martin .....	27 60	00	
R. Brown .....	91 00	40	
C. Carbonneau .....	23 00	00	
Dan Fay .....	9 60	25	
J. Blodgett .....	9 60	00	
J. Colbert .....	16 00	40	
R. Usher .....	6 40	20	
	<u>\$2,864 40</u>	—	\$196 25
			3 75
Cash paid for trucks, roller, shovel, etc.:			
Henry Poirier, trucks .....	\$582 50		
David Colcord, truck .....	270 00		
Joseph Poirier, truck .....	302 50		\$900 00
W. G. Fiske, truck .....	205 00		765 28
Knowlton Farms, trucks .....	208 75		
J. Rosenfeld, trucks .....	353 75		<u>\$1,665 28</u>
J. Powers, truck .....	77 50		
L. Gaudette, truck .....	57 50	75	
E. C. Goss, truck .....	32 50	50	
Speeder Const. Co., shovel .....	630 00	45	
H. Phipps, shovel .....	1,485 00	40	
A. Rosenfeld, compressor .....	740 00	00	
R. H. Newell, roller .....	176 00	00	

J. Powers, horses .....	10 00	
H. Finneran, horses .....	22 00	
		<hr/> \$5,153 00

## Cash paid for materials:

Moroney Bros. ....	\$8 45	
Corbett Concrete Pipe Co. ....	235 96	
Rosenfeld Sand & Stone Co. ....	326 79	
Upton Fuel Co. ....	17 50	
Rouleau's Garage .....	46 46	
P. H. Martindale, oil .....	4 18	
J. E. Dearth, telephone .....	31 50	
E. A. Willard, stone .....	25 00	
B. C. Wood, gravel .....	248 40	
George Poirier, gas and oil .....	29 56	
Barrett Co., tar .....	952 27	
J. Powers, gravel .....	40 00	
W. G. Fiske, lumber .....	16 00	
		<hr/> \$1,982 07
		<hr/> \$9,999 47

## MACHINERY FUND.

Transferred from machinery rental of 1932 .....	\$1,100 70
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## Cash paid:

Hedges, Matthew & Co., steel bits	\$28 06
N. E. Culvert Co., wire drag .....	15 00
Corbett Concrete Co., pipe .....	16 20
George Jordan, roller parts, etc. ....	54 70
Acme Road Machine Co., blade .....	8 50
Eastern Bridge & Structural Co., scraper .....	85 00
Dyer Sales & Machine Co., broom ....	23 50
S. Brousseau .....	12 00
B. C. Wood, lumber .....	13 80
Blanchard Garage, repairs .....	3 50



Rouleau's Garage, gas and oil .....	74 71	
Ralph's Filling station, supplies .....	141 79	
George Poirier, supplies and repairs .....	336 92	
George Olney, gas and oil .....	62 01	
C. W. Childs, supplies .....	2 00	
R. Gadoury, blacksmithing .....	71 65	
H. C. Snow, rent .....	150 00	
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		\$1,099 34
Unexpended .....		1 36

## BRIDGES.

Appropriation .....		\$200 00
Cash paid:		
W. G. Fiske, lumber .....	\$48 00	
W. G. Fiske, paint .....	11 40	
A. D. Darling, stone .....	8 00	
William B. Walker, labor .....	77 25	
Burton Walker, labor .....	40 00	
Franklin Hall, labor .....	8 40	
Raymond Brown, labor .....	3 20	
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		\$196 25
Unexpended .....		3 75

## REMOVING SNOW.

Appropriation .....		\$900 00
Transferred from emergency fund ....		765 28
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		\$1,665 28
Cash paid:		
Charles W. Childs, superintendent .....	\$23 75	
Charles W. Childs, use of auto .....	9 50	
Henry Poirier, truck .....	110 45	
Arthur Carlton .....	2 40	
Victor Page .....	10 00	
Sam Walker .....	10 00	

William Clifford .....	1 20	10 00	
Ed Fisher .....	1 20	22 00	
C. Mango .....	3 60		\$5,153 00
Charles Noe .....	8 80		
Ellery Reed .....	8 80	\$8 45	
H. Leland .....	2 40	35 96	
Leon Kerr .....	8 80	26 79	
Carlton Holmes .....	8 40	17 50	
John Adams .....	8 80	46 46	
G. Leland .....	40	4 18	
Oscar Hallberg .....	8 80	31 50	
Armidas Page .....	1 60	25 00	
Knowlton Farms, truck .....	26 10	48 40	
Knowlton Farms, sidewalks .....	10 00	29 56	
Knowlton Farms, repairs to snow plow .....	7 90	52 27 40 00	
Malcolm Temple, tractor .....	18 85	16 00	
Upton Town Infirmary, sand .....	5 00		\$1,982 07
W. G. Fiske, lumber .....	1 00		
George F. Briggs, gas .....	3 73		\$9,999 47
George C. Olney, gas, etc. ....	8 21		
			\$309 69
John E. Dearth, superintendent .....	\$104 25		\$1,100 70
William Clifford .....	52 80		
George Salisbury .....	37 60		
Elwin Follett .....	17 20		
Austin Orff .....	33 60	\$28 06	
Sam Orff .....	21 60	15 00	
John Stank .....	4 40	16 20	
Arthur Carlton .....	35 20	54 70	
Leon Kerr .....	13 60	8 50	
Geo. Aldrich, Jr. ....	11 20		
Charles Noe .....	21 80	85 00	
John Adams .....	17 60	23 50	
Everett Green .....	5 80	12 00	
William Prentiss .....	1 20	13 80	
		3 50	

Carlton Holmes .....	8 40
Ellery Reed .....	10 00
G. L. Lapierre .....	3 20
Fred Bice .....	11 60
Edwin Sadler .....	7 20
Ed Rawson .....	10 00
Leo Lamanuzzi .....	1 60
Burton Walker .....	1 60
Ed Fisher .....	1 60
John Strachan .....	2 00
Charles Sanderson .....	7 20
Hector Henchey .....	7 60
E. Gorman .....	80
Ernest Aldrich .....	6 40
Louis Allard .....	8 40
Paul Boucher .....	6 80
Alden Stanley .....	6 80
E. Bouthiette .....	14 80
J. Kearnan .....	6 80
Ed Wheelock .....	6 40
Gaston Frappier .....	6 40
F. Snow .....	5 60
A. Varney .....	6 80
Leslie Perkins .....	5 60
A. Wallace .....	1 60
Charles Francis .....	5 20
Joe Cote .....	7 20
Leo Lessard .....	6 80
A. Jodoin .....	3 20
Joseph Poirier, truck .....	26 88
Henry Poirier, truck .....	399 71
Knowlton Farms, truck with plow ....	244 65
W. G. Fiske, truck .....	25 00
Malcolm Temple, plow .....	68 15
S. B. Pugsley .....	13 00
Albert W. Thomas, horses .....	12 00

J. Byrne, horses .....	7 00	
D. Colcord .....	3 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,355 59
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		\$1,665 28

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY C. SNOW,

EBEN T. HALL,

EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,

Highway Surveyors.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,

Auditor.

CHAPTER 81.  
FINAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1933.  
TOWN OF UPTON.

Road Name	Total Prim.	Miles Sec.	Allot.	Expended
Pleasant St.	1.9		\$250 00	\$847 08
Williams St.	0.9		100 00	80 00
West St.		1.0	90 00	55 40
Maple St.	0.7		70 00	
Depot St.	0.2		25 00	5 00
Hartford Ave.		1.2	150 00	300 05
Knowlton St.		0.1	15 00	6 40
High St.	1.3		130 00	2 00
Westboro St.	3.3		350 00	334 31
Ridge St.		1.1	100 00	
Southboro St.		0.7	35 00	8 36
Eames Lane			15 00	
North St.		2.7	400 00	347 59
Merriam St.		0.5	35 00	
Grafton St.		0.8	25 00	
Orchard St.		0.9	300 00	
Fowler		1.3	75 00	7 00
Old Grafton St.		0.8	60 00	73 60
Mechanic St.		2.3	250 00	712 94
Warren St.		1.5	400 00	264 91
Church St.	0.5		65 00	92 75
Stoddard St.		0.2	10 00	46 25
Maple St.		0.1	10 00	4 00
Cross St.		0.1	10 00	34 80

Road Name	Total Prim.	Miles Sec.	Allot.	Expended
Bliss St.		0.3	75 00	
School St.	0.80		80 00	158 10
Nelson St.	0.20		25 00	
North Main St.	0.50		75 00	113 35
Hopkinton St.	1.60		160 00	117 20
Hagar St.		0.6	20 00	
Gore St.		0.8	25 00	19 00
Nash St.		1.3	25 00	
Elm St.		1.3	150 00	46 60
Old Dam St.		0.3	40 00	
Fiske Ave.		0.1	10 00	
Warren Ave.		0.3	40 00	6 40
Walnut St.		0.6	50 00	173 50
East St.		2.3	10 00	249 76
Pearl St.		1.3	300 00	112 40
Taft St.		2.1	250 00	303 21
Fiske Mill		1.0	300 00	498 86
Pond St.		0.20	10 00	289 45
Glenview St.		2.4	350 00	241 85
Christian Hill		1.1	200 00	52 56
Prospect St.		1.1	200 00	19 25
Gable St.		0.6	20 00	
Wood St.		0.3	10 00	10 00
Chestnut St.		0.7	60 00	90 35
Hill St.		1.3	25 00	175 60
West River St.		1.9	135 00	241 50
State Road		0.3	20 00	4 33
South St.		2.3	175 00	584 24
Mendon St.		3.3	600 00	396 16
Main St.		0.6	60 00	83 60
Station St.		0.4	50 00	
Grove St.	1.0		200 00	14 25
Brook St.		0.4	50 00	30 00
Piccadilly St.		0.2	35 00	31 60
Brookside St.		0.3	10 00	1 75

Road Name	Total Prim.	Miles Sec.	Allot.	Expended
Centennial St.		0.2		42 00
School House St.		0.9	25 00	
Held in reserve until Oct. 1			800 00	
Held in reserve until Nov. 1				
(Air Compressor)			90 00	
Town Line Signs			50 00	
Directional Signs			100 00	
Oiling Streets			2,000 00	
Balance Not Allotted			130 00	
Bridges			200 00	
Misc. Roads				61 30
Road Oil				1,398 95
Sand and Gravel				502 30
Telephone				0.66
Miscellaneous				27 21
Tool Repairs				9 20
Lumber				59 76
Tools				128 92
Tarmac				76 27
Pipe				72 52
Coal				43 75
Pit				17 00
Posts				30 00
Rental Sheds				50 00
Express				2 48
Medical Service				4 00
Reports				12 00
Taric				407 32
Totals .....			\$10,700 00	\$10,500 46

## REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Appropriation .....	\$200 00	
Transferred from emergency fund .....	200 00	
		\$400 00
Expenditures:		
City of Worcester (Kenneth Russell)	\$69 43	
City of Worcester (Leona Crowe) ....	9 00	
Wilder Temple, quarantine .....	30 00	
Ernest Temple, quarantine .....	60 00	
Gladys Sears, quarantine .....	10 50	
Mrs. Mary Nadeau, quarantine .....	25 00	
Dr. S. R. Capen .....	32 00	
Dr. A. H. Fuller .....	60 00	
Transportation to Rutland .....	6 73	
Dr. B. F. Hartman (inspecting dogs)	16 00	
Hobbs & Warren, blanks .....	1 09	
Wm. P. Clark, cards .....	1 50	
F. W. Wood, supplies .....	3 95	
Physicians' birth returns .....	5 50	
Undertakers' death returns .....	5 00	
Harry C. Snow, clerk .....	40 00	
		\$375 70
Unexpended .....		24 30

The following contagious diseases have been reported to the Board:

Diphtheria .....	7
Dog bite .....	3
German measles .....	1



Mumps .....	1
Scarlet fever .....	27
Tuberculosis:	
Pulmonary .....	1
Other forms .....	3
Lobar pneumonia .....	1
Whooping cough .....	17

HARRY C. SNOW,  
EBEN T. HALL,  
EDWIN W. CLAFLIN,  
Board of Health.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,  
Auditor.

# REPORT OF POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation .....	\$400 00	
Transferred from emergency fund .....	50 00	
		\$450 00
Expenditures:		
Peter Robson .....	\$183 00	
Telephone calls .....	12 70	
Peter Robson, court fees .....	46 00	
Herbert A. Bagley .....	11 00	
Daniel H. Bates .....	31 00	
Clifton A. Temple .....	34 50	
Frank Wellman .....	4 00	
E. B. Houghton .....	34 00	
John P. McCarthy .....	15 50	
Alfred LeClaire .....	10 00	
Leo Murphy .....	9 00	
Arthur Stuart .....	1 00	
Francis Smith .....	1 00	
Allan Rawson, use of auto .....	3 00	
Walter Grandy .....	2 00	
Dr. A. H. Fuller .....	2 00	
C. P. Hardy, police badges .....	9 25	
John C. Lynch, legal services .....	25 00	
		\$433 95
Unexpended .....		16 05

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,  
Auditor.

BRIEF REPORT OF WORK DONE BY  
POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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Auto accidents investigated .....	20
Complaints received .....	103
Complaints investigated .....	103
Commitments to Westboro State Hospital .....	2
Commitment to Sherborn Reformatory .....	1
Disturbances quelled .....	6
Dogs disposed of .....	11
Dogs killed by auto .....	5
Dogs restrained .....	2
Liquor raids .....	1
Larceny reports investigated .....	20
Larcenies recovered .....	4
Fires attended .....	4
Arrests .....	2
Fatal accidents .....	2
Visits to dance halls .....	11
Messages delivered .....	4

Respectfully submitted,

PETER ROBSON,

Acting Chief of Police.

## LAKEVIEW CEMETERY COMMISSION.

FRED W. WOOD, TREASURER.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

FRED W. WOOD, TREASURER, in account with the Town of Upton  
CEMETERY COMMISSION.

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Cash received for the care of lots:

From:

Mrs. Ella Bacon, care for 1932 .....	\$1 00
Mrs. Henry Holbrook, care for 1932 .....	1 00
Mrs. Myra Buck, opening grave .....	5 00
C. W. Bouck, opening grave and use of green .....	9 00
Mrs. Grace Houghton, care, 1932 ....	1 00
Mrs. Charles Irving, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Milton Temple, opening grave .....	5 00
Reuben Fiske, care of two lots, 1932 .....	1 50
Fred Fiske, care double lot, 1932 ....	1 50
Milton Temple, use of green .....	2 00
Henry Aldrich, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Joseph Capistran, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Alfred Prescott, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Willis Chamberlain, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Marianne Gauthier, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Fred Farrington, care, 1932-1933 ....	2 00
Mrs. John Bennett, opening grave ....	6 00
Harvey A. Eames Est., cement vault and green .....	28 00
Herbert Seymore, opening grave ....	2 50
Harvey W. Clark, opening grave .....	5 00

Albert Sears, one lot .....	10 00
Mrs. Ella Risteen, use of green .....	3 00
G. Jenner Aldrich, opening grave ....	6 00
Tuffield Lambert, care of lot, 1932 .....	1 00
James MacFarlane, opening grave and green .....	11 00
Fred E. Williams, opening 3 graves .....	15 00
Mrs. Flora Whitten, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Louis Tero, opening grave .....	6 00
Mrs. Walter True, opening grave ....	8 00
George W. Perkins, opening grave and green .....	10 00
Mrs. Carrie Aldrich, opening .....	6 00
Mrs. Allison Smart, care of lot, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. L. F. Burnham, care, 1932-1933 .....	2 00
Frank A. Prince, one lot and opening grave .....	15 00
C. W. Bouck, opening grave .....	3 00
Charles E. Aldrich, opening grave ....	8 00
Mrs. William Baker, care, 1931-'32-'33 .....	3 00
William H. Finn, care, 1932-1933 ....	2 00
Frank Rollins, care, 1933 .....	1 00
James Dipper, care, 1933 .....	1 00
George H. Smith, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Florence Black, repairs on lot .....	2 50
Waldo White, care, 1932-1933 .....	2 00
Joseph W. Gibbs, one lot .....	10 00
Joseph W. Gibbs, care, 1932 .....	1 00
Elmer F. Taft, opening grave .....	2 50
Mrs. Alfred Whitney, care, 1932-1933 .....	2 00
Fred W. Wood, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Henry Holbrook, care, 1933 ....	1 00
Leroy Johnson, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Freeman Shepherd, care and repairs, 1933 .....	7 50
B. C. Wood, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Maria Ellison, Elbridge Sadler lot, care, 1933 .....	1 00

Eugene Hall, care Geo. Hall lot, 1933	1 00
Mrs. Charles Irving, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Arthur Bartlett, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Fred Fiske, care double lot, 1933 ....	1 50
Mrs. Wallace King, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Charles E. Aldrich, repairs, 1933 ....	3 00
Daniel Warren Est., opening 2 graves .....	16 00
W. W. Watson, opening 2 graves .....	14 00
M. C. F. Brown, opening grave and green .....	9 00
Ella M. Bacon, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Angie Church, care, 1933 .....	1 00
William Knowlton, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Etta Lurvey, care double, 1933	1 50
A. A. Ballou, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Milo Warren, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Anna Davis, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Charles Stuart, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Fred Sanford, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Clifton Temple, care, 1933 .....	1 00
John Colbert, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Leon Childs, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mary Harper, care (Boland lot) 1933	1 00
Ralph Hill, care, 1933 .....	1 00
B. C. Crooker, care double lot, 1933	1 50
Harrison Johnson, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Estine Hill, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Stephen Inman, care, 1933 .....	1 00
H. A. Bagley, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Frank Bates, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Eben Davis, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Martindale, care of lot, 6 years	6 00
Mrs. Camille Metreau, care double, 1933 .....	1 50
Mrs. Addie Boyd, care, 1932-1933 ....	2 00
G. Jenner Aldrich, care, 1933 .....	1 00

Marianna Gauthier, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Walter True, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Emma Eames, care, 1933 .....	1 00
George Eames, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Fred Varney, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Albert Sears, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Charles Barton, care, 1933 .....	1 00
John Holbrook, care 2 lots, 1933 .....	2 00
Kate Clifford, care double lot, 1932- 1933 .....	3 00
Fred White, care double lot, 1933 ....	1 50
Mrs. Alena Smith, care double lot, 1933 .....	1 50
B. D. Frappier, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. George R. Fisher, care double lot, 1933 .....	1 50
Walter Bailey, double, care, 1933 ....	1 50
George Olney, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Theophilus Bissonette, care, 1933 ....	1 00
Howard Hill, labor on lot .....	2 00
Joseph Edwards, opening grave .....	5 00
Peter Revolti, foundation .....	5 00
W. W. Watson, opening grave .....	7 00
Daniel Warren Est., care of lot, 1933	1 00
E. H. Slocum, care of lot, 1932 .....	1 00
Fred E. Williams, opening grave ....	15 50
Elizabeth Brooks, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Lillian Staples, care double, 1933	1 50
Leon Allen, care, 1933 .....	1 00
William Pillion, care double, 1933 ....	1 50
Victor Noe, Jr., opening grave .....	7 00
Joseph Capistran, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. C. Henchey, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Frank Davenport, care, 1933	1 00
Edwin Chamberlain, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Fred Bixby, opening grave and green	10 00
Milton Temple, opening grave and one lot .....	15 00

Jennie LeSure, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Adelaide Fay, care double, 1933 .....	1 50
Daniel Fay, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Henry Allard, care, 1932-1933 .....	2 00
Frank L. Brewer, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Dr. S. R. Capen, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Robert Ogden, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Charles Stuart, opening grave and care, 1933 .....	6 00
Charles Stuart, one lot (Joseph Stuart) 1933 .....	10 00
Frank Towne, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Frank Wellman, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Frank Banister, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Alex Nelson, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Josephine Brown, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Rev. W. G. Poor, additional land on lot .....	5 00
Margaret Slattery, care double, 1933 .....	1 50
George W. Holmes, one lot .....	10 00
George W. Holmes, opening grave ....	2 50
Albert Hobbs, opening grave .....	7 00
Albert Hobbs, use of green .....	3 00
Monti & Rossi, foundation .....	11 00
John St. Peter, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Antionette Batchelor, care, 1933 .....	1 00
D. R. Bowker, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Adelia Sheehan, double, 1932-1933 ....	3 00
Mrs. Nellie Morse, double, care, 1933 .....	1 50
Mrs. Helen Lamb, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Mrs. Matthew Cooley, Smith and Cooley lots, care, 1933 .....	2 00
John B. Fay, care double lot, 1933 .....	1 50
Margaret Gorman, care, 1932-1933 ....	2 00
Jennie Comstock, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Alfred Prescott, care, 1933 .....	1 00
Leo Murphy, care, 1932-1933 .....	2 00



Grace Houghton, care, 1933 .....	1 00	
Reuben Fiske, care double lot, 1933 .....	1 50	
		\$491 50

Respectfully submitted,  
**FRED W. WOOD,**  
 Treasurer.

# LAKEVIEW CEMETERY COMMISSION.

**FRED W. WOOD, TREASURER.**

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

Appropriation .....		\$1,000 00
Cash paid:		
Frank L. Brewer, Superintendent, labor .....	\$481 00	
Archie Baker, labor .....	173 40	
Carl Swanson, labor .....	284 50	
W. G. Fiske, supplies .....	25 88	
Worcester Rendering Works, ferti- lizer .....	9 00	
Knowlton Farms, loam and truck ....	7 40	
Bert Aldrich, sharpening lawn mower .....	2 00	
		\$983 18
Unexpended balance .....		\$16 82

**GEORGE F. PRENTISS,**  
**FRED W. WOOD,**  
**FRED VARNEY,**  
 Commissioners.  
**FRED W. WOOD,**  
 Treasurer.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

**CHARLES A. BARTON,**  
 Auditor.

## LAKEVIEW CEMETERY COMMISSION.

## LEGACY FUNDS INTEREST ACCOUNT.

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Balance of interest, cash not used in 1932 .....	\$53 22
Interest drawn on funds during 1933 and deposited in Milford National Bank Savings department .....	207 70
Received from Milford National Bank, interest ....	2 51
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Total receipts .....	\$263 43
Expenditures during 1933:	
For labor, materials and supplies .....	\$238 76
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Cash balance on hand Jan. 1, 1934 .....	\$24 67

FRED W. WOOD,  
Treasurer.

## LEGACIES.

The following legacies in trust are deposited in the Worcester County Institution for Savings:—

Alfred Whitney and Mrs. Walter B. Clapp, for Sylvester Whitney Fund	\$60 00
Mrs. Lucy Gould fund .....	50 00
Henry Chapin, by will .....	200 00
Johanna B. Rawson, by will .....	50 00
Ann Maria Torrey, by will .....	200 00
Otis C. Lackey fund .....	100 00
William K. Follett fund .....	100 00
J. B. and H. W. Chapin, by will .....	200 00
Elisha Walker, by will .....	100 00
Mary B. Partridge, by will .....	200 00
Delucia Ward, by will .....	100 00
Calvin H. Ruggles, by will .....	50 00

Melinda Eames and Chandler J. Pike fund .....	75 00
Mary M. Nelson, by will .....	100 00
Enoch Batchelor fund .....	50 00
Joseph W. Alexander fund .....	50 00
Melita S. Fiske fund .....	100 00
Daniel Fisk fund .....	200 00
Jane M. Shaw fund .....	50 00
Carrie Wood and Ora Wood, by will ....	200 00
J. N. Marshall fund .....	100 00
S. B. Fiske, by will .....	50 00
Nahum W. Holbrook fund .....	50 00
Susan M. Mason fund .....	100 00
Anna L. Plummer, Hale lot fund .....	100 00
Maria B. Aldrich, Clark Aldrich and John Sadler, by will .....	100 00
Sylvanus B. Aldrich fund .....	100 00
Col. Elijah Stoddard fund .....	100 00
Joseph T. McFarland fund .....	100 00
Mrs. Joseph Taft fund .....	50 00
Miss Eleanor B. Adair fund \$37 50	
Mrs. Myra Wadman fund .... 37 50	
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	\$75 00
Almira Durand and Stoddard lot fund	200 00
James E. Walker fund .....	100 00
Mrs. J. B. Mansfield fund .....	75 00
George I. Aldrich, by will .....	75 00
Granville B. Nelson estate, Elijah Nelson fund .....	100 00
Elizabeth E. Holbrook fund .....	50 00
Mrs. J. H. LeSure, by will .....	50 00
Mrs. Mary A. Whitney, by will .....	50 00
Sarah L. Bradish fund .....	100 00
Lucy K. Eames fund .....	50 00
Mrs. David Brown estate fund .....	50 00
Nathan H. Holbrook fund .....	50 00
Calista A. Fiske fund .....	50 00

W. F. Rogers fund .....	50 00
Addie Bishop, by will .....	50 00
Arba T. Wood, heirs .....	50 00
Baldwin and Wilson fund .....	75 00
Albert Pierce, by will .....	100 00
George E. Childs estate fund .....	50 00
Angie Davis, by will .....	50 00
David F. Eames fund .....	50 00
John A. Spence, by will .....	50 00
James A. Rockwood fund .....	50 00
Amanda Madden, by will .....	100 00
Miss Mary Dwyer fund .....	75 00
Emily Cahoon and Alice E. Titus fund	50 00
Olive A. Monroe fund .....	50 00
Myron W. Claffin fund .....	50 00
M. L. Saunders fund .....	50 00
Margaret Lavin and Mary G. Hart fund	50 00
Sidney Carpenter fund .....	100 00
Elisha Chapin fund .....	100 00
Dr. LeSieur Wier fund for the Gordon	
Hayward lot .....	50 00
LeSieur Wier lot .....	50 00
Caroline Clark fund, John Hunt lot ....	50 00
Frank W. Clark fund, Henry Clark lot	50 00
Mrs. E. C. Traver fund, Dr. E. C.	
Traver lot .....	50 00
Elsie Struthers fund .....	50 00
John S. McCauslin fund .....	50 00
Levi Taft fund .....	50 00
Nahum B. Hall, double lot .....	75 00
Wilson Rawson fund .....	50 00
Batchelor and Jones lot, by will .....	100 00
Gardner P. Harrington fund .....	150 00
Stearns and Hagar lot .....	75 00
George Bruder fund .....	50 00
Goldthwaite and Ormes fund .....	75 00
John Cyrus Sweet fund .....	50 00

Mary Anna Clark fund .....	50 00
Mary Baker, double lot .....	75 00
Ellen O'Connell fund .....	50 00
John Walkup, by will .....	100 00
Abbie A. Kimball, by will .....	50 00
Alice A. Wood, by will .....	50 00
Clara A. Porter and Jonathan Bradish lot .....	50 00
Isabel Maloy fund .....	50 00
Elizabeth E. Hart fund .....	50 00
Sarah Braman fund .....	50 00
Elizabeth E. Hart for Lincoln Fay lot	50 00
Michael Reynolds fund .....	100 00
Geo. Goddard, lot by will .....	100 00
Henry Seaver, lot fund .....	50 00
Arthur King, lot fund .....	50 00
Thomas J. Hall, lot fund .....	50 00
Messenger-Wood lot fund .....	50 00
C. M. Wood lot fund .....	50 00
Daniel Davenport lot fund .....	50 00
George Davenport lot fund .....	50 00
William Walker lot fund .....	50 00
Amos Smith lot fund .....	50 00
Charles O'Connell lot fund .....	50 00
Rev. W. G. Poor fund .....	50 00
Chas. M. and Wilfred L. Brown fund	75 00
Stephen Eames fund .....	50 00
Benj. A. Jourdan fund .....	50 00
Susan I. Mowry fund .....	50 00
Chas. L. Hultman fund .....	50 00
Alanson P. Rockwood fund .....	50 00
George W. Perkins fund .....	50 00
Herbert L. Eames fund .....	50 00
Davis J. King fund .....	50 00
Myron W. Forbush fund .....	50 00
George Buck lot .....	50 00
Groveland D. Richardson lot .....	50 00

Emory W. King, lot .....	50 00
Charles E. Pierce and H. C. Kentfield, double lot .....	75 00
Henry J. Batchelor lot .....	50 00
Henry M. Gates lot .....	50 00
Taylor-Colby lot .....	75 00
Henry P. Gerald, double lot .....	75 00
Patrick Ford, lot .....	50 00
Dolly W. Walker lot .....	50 00
Edson Delucius Walker lot .....	100 00
George A. Sharpe lot .....	50 00
Frank LeSieur Weir Est. lot .....	100 00
H. R. and H. L. Fisk lots .....	75 00
Warren B. Keith lot .....	50 00
Eldred H. Prentiss lot .....	50 00
John Wellington lot .....	50 00
Emmons Fisk lot .....	50 00
Augusta M. Aldrich lot .....	50 00
William Harper lot .....	75 00
David McKinley lot .....	50 00
Edwin W. Claflin lot .....	50 00
Elizabeth Baker lot .....	50 00
B. W. Brewer lot .....	50 00
Edward Rawson lot .....	50 00
Charles Viall lot .....	75 00
Wilbur G. Taft lot .....	50 00
Joshua Ballou lot .....	50 00
Thomas Gorman lot .....	50 00
lot .....	75 00
Lettie Weeks lot .....	50 00
Ada L. P. Monroe, by will .....	500 00
James Smart, fund .....	50 00
Mary Holbrook, Henry Holbrook, lot ....	50 00
E. M. Newell, Mae Bartlett lot .....	50 00
Maria E. Ellison, Elbridge Sadler lot .....	50 00
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\$10,810 00	
FRED W. WOOD,	
Treasurer.	

## REPORT OF BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS.

JANUARY 1, 1933 TO MAY 1, 1933.

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Salaries of Engineers and Firemen ....	\$400 00	
Fuel .....	44 75	
Supplies .....	24 75	
Worcester Suburban Electric Co. ....	32 13	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co. ....	10 60	
Janitor .....	40 00	
Chimney fires .....	28 00	
Medical service .....	4 00	
Labor .....	50	
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		\$584 73
Appropriation .....		\$1,100 00
Balance May 1 .....		\$515 27

GEORGE N. O. POIRIER, Chief,  
H. DANIEL FAY, Assistant Chief,  
WILLIAM B. WALKER, Clerk.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,  
Auditor.

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MAY 1, 1933 TO DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Balance, May 1, .....	\$515 27
Worcester Suburban Electric Co., light and power .....	\$48 25
New England Telephone Co., service	31 30
Upton Fuel Co. ....	68 75

LeRoy Prentiss, janitor .....	80 00
W. G. Fiske, supplies .....	8 40
Square Deal Garage, labor and supplies .....	47 67
Raymond Brown, labor on cistern .....	6 50
William Craib, brace for Ford .....	1 00
Frederick H. Gould, supplies .....	5 65
George H. Blake, tires and tubes .....	10 42
H. Daniel Fay, labor and supplies .....	39 70
Randolph Gadoury, labor .....	2 25
Forbes Press, printing permits .....	10 50
Howe Ford Apparatus Co., parts for Ford pump .....	18 28
C. B. Hardy, boots and lights .....	24 90
Allan Rawson, chimney fires .....	7 00
William Prentiss, chimney fires .....	1 00
Albert Sears, chimney fires .....	3 00
LeRoy Prentiss, chimney fires .....	1 00
George N. Poirier, chimney fires .....	2 00
William Clifford, chimney fires .....	2 00
Felix Kearnan, chimney fires .....	3 00
Charles Kelley, chimney fires .....	5 00
Walter Grandy, watching at Whitney fire .....	3 00
Carl Luebbe, lunch .....	2 00
E. O. Rose & Son, labor on pump .....	28 76
Edward Fisher, labor Knowlton Farms fire .....	1 60
Edwin Sadler, labor Knowlton Farms fire .....	4 00
Oscar Holberg, labor Knowlton Farms fire .....	1 60
William Prentiss, labor Knowlton Farms fire .....	4 00
George Carley, labor Knowlton Farms fire .....	6 40
Henry Wood, labor Knowlton Farms fire .....	4 00



George R. Allen, lunch for Knowlton		
Farms fire .....	23 00	
District Nursing Association .....	4 50	
Edward Newton, fixing switch .....	1 25	
Harry Snow, express .....	35	
Central Machine Works .....	1 25	
	<hr/>	\$513 28
Unexpended balance .....		1 99
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		\$515 27

Number of Alarms, 6.

Number of Still Alarms, 4.

Number of Chimney Fires, 21.

GEORGE N. O. POIRIER, Chief,

H. DANIEL FAY, Assistant Chief.

ERNEST WELLMAN, Clerk.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,

Auditor.

## REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDEN.

1933.

## RECEIPTS.

By Appropriation .....	\$400 00
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## EXPENDITURES.

H. D. Fay, salary as Warden .....	\$25 00
H. D. Fay, issuing fire permits .....	15 00
H. D. Fay, posting notices .....	5 00
Seaver's Express .....	2 00
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	\$47 00

## REBUILDING TRUCK, EQUIPMENT.

H. D. Fay, hose reel and parts .....	\$97 84
H. D. Fay, tires and tubes .....	22 40
R. Garluary, labor and stock .....	6 65
Upton Trellis Co. ....	2 82
W. G. Fiske, stock .....	5 85
C. B. Hardy, hose and equipment .....	81 90
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	\$215 46

## FIRES.

Jan.	5.	Gould land, Grove street .....	\$6 00
April	9.	Puliski, Soap Hill .....	4 50
April	24.	Bebo, Elm Street .....	4 00
April	30.	Town, Old Dam .....	1 50
May	3.	Grafton, Grafton Road .....	1 00
May	4.	Mendon, Mendon Street .....	1 00
May	5.	Bebo Land, Elm Street .....	12 00

May	5.	Town land, Elm Street .....	1 00
May	6.	Milford, Milford .....	1 00
May	7.	Town, Old Dam .....	2 00
May	26.	Milford, North Milford .....	2 00
May	27.	Kenniston, West River Road .....	39 37
July	4.	Woodland, North Street .....	53 15
July	9.	Old Cemetery, Grove Street .....	3 00
July	18.	West Upton Dump, Rockdale Road ....	3 00
Total .....			\$398 98
Unexpended balance .....			1 02
Number of Fires .....			15
Number of Acres Burned .....			19 3/8
Number of Permit Fires .....			2
Number of False Alarms .....			4
Number of Permits Issued .....			1421
Damage to Forest Land .....			\$45 00

Respectfully submitted,

H. DANIEL FAY,

Forest Warden.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,

Auditor.

## REPORT OF THE APPRAISERS.

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We, the undersigned appraisers of the Town Farm and the personal property thereon, hereby certify that we met at said farm on the thirtieth of December, 1933.

We beg to submit the following report.

Farm and buildings thereon .....	\$5,487 00
Two Cows .....	150 00
Two Calves .....	20 00
Two Horses .....	125 00
One Hundred and eight Poultry .....	108 00
Sixteen Tons of Hay .....	320 00
One Ton of Fodder .....	15 00
Grain .....	31 93
Street blankets .....	11 00
Harnesses .....	75 00
Two feed bags .....	2 00
Rope and tackle .....	5 00
Two frame sleds .....	60 00
Democrat wagon .....	25 00
Three farm wagons .....	100 00
Manure spreader .....	35 00
Two cultivators .....	4 00
Horse rake .....	25 00
Mowing machine .....	20 00
Two plows .....	25 00
Weeder .....	5 00
Smoothing harrow .....	3 00
One disk harrow .....	25 00
Sprayer .....	6 93

Sprayer Fluid .....	4 00
Roller .....	1 00
One potato digger .....	3 00
Pung .....	10 00
Fertilizer and Nitrate Soda .....	52 00
Corn planter .....	10 00
Horse hoe .....	2 00
Two lawn mowers .....	5 00
Grind stone .....	12 00
Force pump .....	20 00
Four Ton of Coal .....	62 00
Tools of all kinds .....	65 00
Hand pump .....	2 00
Two ladders .....	7 00
Ice tools .....	10 00
Wheel barrow .....	3 00
Two fire extinguishers .....	16 00
Flag .....	5 00
Lantern .....	1 00
Oil heater .....	2 00
Step ladder .....	2 00
Washing machine .....	75 00
Milk pail .....	1 00
Groceries and household supplies .....	66 95
Cooking Utensils .....	21 60
Dining room furniture .....	2 00
Clock .....	1 00
Dining room silverware .....	7 00
Dining room dishes .....	9 50
Kitchen furnishings .....	150 00
Three chests .....	15 00
Lamps and table covers .....	7 00
Art square .....	10 00
Two water barrels .....	7 00
Bedding of all kinds .....	176 00
Bedroom furnishings .....	140 00
Miscellaneous .....	15 00

Ensilage cutter .....	10 00	
Clothing .....	15 55	
Five bushels of beans .....	20 00	
Pop corn .....	18 00	
Seed sower .....	22 00	
Fifteen gallons of Kerosene .....	1 35	
Lumber .....	60 00	
Dressed lumber .....	100 00	
Canned preserves .....	150 00	
Pickles and pickled onions .....	10 00	
Vegetables .....	123 00	
Five hundred and fifty pounds pork and ham .....	82 50	
Cord wood .....	370 00	
Total Personal .....		\$3,177 29
Total real and personal Dec. 30, 1933		8,664 29
Farm appraised Dec. 31, 1932 .....		5,037 00
Personal appraised Dec. 31, 1932 .....		3,076 74
Total appraised Dec. 31, 1932 .....		8,113 74
Increase in valuation .....		550 55

Respectfully submitted,

H. DANIEL FAY,  
WILLIAM B. WALKER,  
WILBUR G. TAFT,  
Appraisers of Town Farm.

# REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE.

## EXPENSES AT THE TOWN INFIRMARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

cash paid:—

superintendent and matron .....	\$500 04
firewood and butchering .....	78 00
groceries, meats and fish .....	523 72
laundry .....	347 52
gas and oil .....	11 20
hardware and tools .....	53 54
blacksmithing and repairs .....	118 36
clothes and shoes .....	34 76
medical attendance and medicine ....	17 10
stock bought, Veterinary service ....	149 88
telephone service .....	35 30
electric lights .....	117 00
news papers .....	11 20
garden seed and seed potatoes .....	29 15
fertilizers and salt .....	122 50
supplies for the house .....	40 38
F. Spicer, season's ice .....	27 44
repairs at the Farm .....	352 76
carpentering .....	4 20
	<hr/> \$2,574 05

...	\$7,000 00
...	1,044 95
	<hr/> \$8,044 95
...	\$8,020 76
	<hr/> \$24 19
...	\$120 06
...	1,483 73
...	294 00
...	131 47
...	362 83
...	127 24
...	5 00
	<hr/> \$2,524 33
...	\$2,574 05
...	3,099 37
...	533 50
...	449 07
...	225 29
...	61 50
...	254 91
...	96 00
...	88 64
...	585 87
	<hr/> \$7,968 20
...	\$29 00
...	23 56
	<hr/> \$52 56
...	<hr/> \$8,020 76

RECEIPTS AT THE TOWN INFIRMARY FOR THE  
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

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Sand .....	\$5 00	
Credit slip .....	1 55	
Team work .....	1 00	
Bags and tin .....	4 25	
Wood sold .....	35 00	
Fertilizer sold .....	3 26	
State Department of Agriculture for tested cows .....	70 00	
		<hr/> \$120 06

Wood furnished to the needy from the Town Farm, free,  
40 cords, value, \$320.00.

EXPENSES FOR OUTSIDE AID FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

To cash paid:—

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Groceries .....	\$2,454 00	
Cash .....	526 50	
Milk .....	84 85	
Wood and coal .....	84 75	
Medical attendance and medicine ....	317 64	
Rent .....	387 94	
Board and care .....	191 15	
Clothes and shoes .....	26 95	
Nursing .....	126 00	
Burial .....	75 00	
Hospital cases .....	533 50	
Out of town aid .....	585 87	
Transportation .....	29 00	
Clerk's supplies .....	23 56	
		<hr/> \$5,446 71



Appropriation of the Town of Upton ....	\$7,000 00	
Donation by the School Teachers .....	1,044 95	
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		\$8,044 95
Expenses of the year ending Dec.		
31, 1933 .....	\$8,020 76	
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Balance in Town Treasury .....		\$24 19
Receipts from Town Infirmary .....	\$120 06	
Receipts from State Board of Public		
Welfare .....	1,483 73	
Receipts from Town of Millbury .....	294 00	
Receipts from Town of Hopedale .....	131 47	
Receipts from Town of Northbridge ....	362 83	
Receipts from Town of Milford .....	127 24	
Reimbursement .....	5 00	
		<hr/>
		\$2,524 33
Expense at the Town Infirmary .....	\$2,574 05	
Expense of outside aid in town .....	3,099 37	
Expense of Hospital cases .....	533 50	
Expense of State cases .....	449 07	
Expense for the Town of Grafton .....	225 29	
Expense for the Town of Hopedale .....	61 50	
Expense for the Town of Northbridge .....	254 91	
Expense for the Town of Millbury .....	96 00	
Expense for the Town of Milford .....	88 64	
Expense for out of town aid .....	585 87	
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		\$7,968 20
Expense of transportation .....	\$29 00	
Expense of Clerk's supplies .....	23 56	
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		\$52 56
		<hr/>
Total .....		\$8,020 76

PERSONS SUPPORTED AT THE TOWN INFIRMARY  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1933.

Mr. George O. Taft, Superintendent .....	52	weeks
Mrs. George O. Taft, Matron .....	52	weeks
Miss Marjorie Taft .....	12	weeks
Miss Esther Taft .....	52	weeks
inmate No. 1 .....	52	weeks
inmate No. 2 .....	52	weeks
inmate No. 3 .....	52	weeks
inmate No. 4 .....	22	weeks
inmate No. 5 .....	52	weeks
inmate No. 6 .....	52	weeks
inmate No. 7 .....	52	weeks
One family, mother and 7 children 10 days	11 3-7	weeks

513 3-7 weeks

Price per week .....	\$4 13
Number persons at the Infirmary .....	7
Number persons aided in town .....	168
Money due the town from the State Department of Public Welfare .....	\$154 45
Money due the town from Grafton .....	266 78
Money due the town from Millbury .....	91 00
Money due the town from Boston .....	142 00
Money due the town from Northbridge .....	141 86
Money due the town from Hyde Park .....	30 25

MOTHERS' AID.

For cash paid for Mothers' Aid for the  
State Board of Public Welfare  
for the year ending Dec. 31,  
1933:

Cash .....	\$1,629 00
Town of Douglas .....	170 00

INFIRMARY FOR THE  
DECEMBER 31, 1933.

.....	\$5 00
.....	1 55
.....	1 00
.....	4 25
.....	35 00
.....	3 26
for .....	70 00
.....	<u>\$120 06</u>
from the Town Farm, free,	

AID FOR THE YEAR  
DECEMBER 31, 1933.

.....	\$2,454 00
.....	526 50
.....	84 85
.....	84 75
the ....	317 64
.....	387 94
.....	191 15
.....	26 95
.....	126 00
.....	75 00
.....	533 50
.....	585 87
.....	29 00
.....	23 56
.....	<u>\$5,446 71</u>

Doctor .....	6 00	
Shoes .....	4 35	
Oil .....	8 13	
Coal .....	14 75	
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		\$1,832 23
Receipts of Mothers' Aid from State		
Board of Public Welfare .....	\$362 66	
Appropriation of the Town of Upton ....	\$2,000 00	
Expense of Mothers' Aid, cash from		
town Treasurer .....	1,832 23	
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Cash balance in town treasury .....	\$167 77	
Money due the town from State		
Board of Public Welfare .....	\$736 12	
Number of persons aided under this		
report .....	16	

#### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE.

To cash paid for Old Age Assistance  
for the year ending Dec. 31,  
1933:

Cash .....	\$7,503 00	
Burials .....	200 00	
Town of Sutton .....	42 66	
Pondville Hospital .....	60 00	
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		\$7,805 66
Receipts of Old Age Assistance from		
State Board of Old Age		
Assistance .....	\$2,389 44	
Appropriation .....	\$7,500 00	
Transferred from Emergency Fund ....	325 00	
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	\$7,825 00	
Expenses of Old Age Assistance .....	7,805 66	
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Cash balance in town treasury .....	\$19 34	

Number of persons aided under this report .....	35
Money due the town from State Bureau of Old Age Assistance .....	\$1,728 00

EDWARD B. NEWTON,  
C. W. CHILDS,  
ABBIE A. LYFORD,  
Board of Public Welfare.

I have examined these reports and find them correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,  
Auditor.

## REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

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Number of platform scales over 5,000 lbs. sealed .....	2
Number of platform scales under 5,000 lbs. sealed .....	9
Number of counter scales sealed .....	3
Number of spring balances sealed .....	11
Number of computing scales sealed .....	10
Number of personal weighing scales sealed .....	1
Number of prescription scales sealed .....	1
Number of weights (avoirdupois) sealed .....	45
Number of weights (apothecary) sealed .....	9
Number of weights (metric) sealed .....	11
Number of liquid measures sealed .....	35
Number of oil measuring pumps sealed .....	3
Number of gasoline measuring pumps sealed .....	15
Number of kerosene measuring pumps sealed .....	7
Number of quantity stops sealed .....	47
Number of yard measures sealed .....	1

Amount collected and turned over to the town treasurer  
for sealing fees, \$20.54.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN C. CROOKER,

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

# REPORT OF LOCAL SUPERINTENDENT FOR SUPPRESSING THE GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTH.

Appropriation .....		\$200 00
Expense for labor and supplies:		
Frank O. Wadman .....	\$76 50	
Carl Swanson .....	121 20	
Creosote .....	2 28	
		\$199 98
Unexpended .....		02

## TOOLS ON HAND.

2 Extension Rods  
1 Hand Saw  
2 Brush Hooks  
1 Tree Pruner

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK O. WADMAN,

Superintendent.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,

Auditor.

## TREE WARDEN'S REPORT.

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Appropriation .....	\$180 00
Expended in the care of trees .....	180 00

Respectfully submitted,  
 CLARENCE L. GOODRICH,  
 Tree Warden.

I have examined this report and find it correct.  
 CHARLES A. BARTON,  
 Auditor.

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## REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING.

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I hereby submit my first report as Inspector of  
 Slaughtering.

7 calves.  
 1 hog.

None condemned.

Respectfully submitted,  
 J. E. DEARTH.

## TOWN LIBRARY.

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### TREASURER'S REPORT.

#### RESOURCES.

Town appropriation .....	\$700 00	
Town appropriation (Carpenter fund) .....	60 00	
Charlotte A. Batchelor fund .....	175 00	
	<hr/>	\$935 00

#### EXPENDITURES.

Books .....	\$361 54	
Books for Carpenter alcove .....	60 25	
Magazines and periodicals .....	61 90	
Binding books .....	54 11	
Librarian's salary .....	350 00	
Library assistant .....	19 40	
Supplies, express, etc. ....	12 53	
Cleaning library room .....	8 00	
Picture .....	7 00	
	<hr/>	\$934 73
Unexpended .....		27

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. FAY,

Treasurer Library Trustees.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,

Auditor.



## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE UPTON LIBRARY:—

I herewith submit the following library report with statistics and the catalog of new books.

The outstanding event has been the re-decorating of the library room with funds received from the Federal Civil Works. The ceiling has been put into good condition and tinted; the woodwork and walls painted; the reading tables and charging desk varnished. The color of the walls has been changed from a dark green to a warm buff, making the room seem larger and much lighter. The fire-place has been opened. New shades have been purchased and hung. Mr. Charles A. Whitney, early in the summer, gave his time and labor in re-covering the window screens with new copper screening.

In May the Junior Literary Guild offered to give a book to the pupil from the seventh grade and also from the eighth grade who should write the best letter giving their opinion of a Junior Guild book read by them. Lois Shattuck of Grade VIII and Viola Dow of Grade VII were the winners in this contest.

A collection of pictures by famous British artists, loaned to the library by the Woman's Education Association, made a charming exhibit during May and June.

During Book Week a collection of book-marks, one from every child in the grades, was shown at the library. This attractive exhibit, *our first of school work*, was made possible through the kind co-operation of the Art Supervisor, Mrs. Violet Stuart, and all the grade teachers, and drew many visitors, both pupils and parents, to the library. The new books for children purchased for the library were also displayed during the week. On Saturday of that week, when the State Certificates were presented, the children were entertained by Miss Edith Hilliard who told Kipling's story of the Elephant's Child.

Books have been purchased and added to the Dr. Carpenter Alcove as required.

The History of the George Washington Bicentennial in three large volumes, a gift "from the Government of the United States to the American people", is the most valuable gift received during the year. As President F. D. Roosevelt said, these volumes are a "mine of authentic information upon the life and services of the First President."

Other gifts of books or pamphlets were received from the following named persons and organizations: Bancroft Memorial Library, Becker College, Boston University, Century Co., Ford Motor Co., Gulf Refining Co., Mrs. Howard Hill, Mrs. Harrison Johnson, K. K. Kawakami, Mrs. Harold Knowlton, Josiah K. Lilly, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., Northeastern University, Slason Thompson, Swift & Co., Miss H. D. Trull, Samuel Untermyer, Upton Grange, University of Wisconsin, United States Government, Worcester Art Museum, Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN A. FAY,

Librarian.

January 10, 1934.

#### LIBRARY STATISTICS.

	1932	1933	
Days library open .....	105	100	3
Total circulation .....	18,203	17,881	7
No. of vols. of fiction circulated .....	11,620	11,214	
No. of vols. of non-fiction circulated .....	1,559	1,926	
Average daily circulation .....	173.3	178.8	3.
Largest daily circulation, Dec. 2 .....		278	
Smallest daily circulation, Sept. 23 .....		62	
Total number of borrowers .....		542	
Volumes added during 1933:			
Gift .....	11		r.
Purchase .....	229	240	

Volumes in library, Dec. 31 .....	10,775
Volumes rebound .....	90
Fines collected .....	\$7 66
Refund—discontinued magazine ....	2 00
Public Documents sold .....	5 00
Old magazines sold .....	81

Cash paid to town treasurer ..... \$15 47

LIBRARY HOURS—Wednesday and Saturday, 3 to 6 and  
7 to 9 P. M.

#### PERIODICALS RECEIVED REGULARLY.

(\*—Indicates a gift.)

##### MONTHLIES.

American Boy	New England Poultryman*
American Magazine	Our Dumb Animals*
Atlantic	Parents' Magazine
Better Homes and Gardens	Pictorial Review*
Boy's Life	Popular Mechanics
Chevrolet Service News*	Popular Science
Child Life	Readers' Guide
Cosmopolitan	Review of Reviews
Forum	St. Nicholas
Good Housekeeping	Specialty Salesman*
Harper's Magazine	Scientific American
How to Sell*	Scribner's Magazine
Junior Home	Selected Motion Pictures*
Ladies' Home Journal	Travel
National Geographic	Travelers Standard*
National Grange Monthly*	U.S. Army Recruiting News*
National Republic*	Wilson Bulletin*
Nature Magazine	Worcester County Farmer*

##### WEEKLIES.

American Issue*	Literary Digest
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## BOOKS ADDED DURING THE YEAR.

1933.

(\*—Indicates a gift.)

## CLASSIFIED BOOKS.

## SCIENCE AND ART.

Roosevelt, F. D.	Looking forward	308 R668
Cottler, Joseph	Careers ahead	374 C824
Kallet, Arthur	100,000,000 guinea pigs	614.3 K125
Elson, Arthur	Book of musical knowledge	780 E175
Beatty, Clyde	Big cage	791 B384
Borden, Courtney	Adventures in a man's world	799 B646
Edmond, Peggy	Toasters' handbook	808.5 Ed54
Hard, Walter	Mountain township	811 H22
Mantle, Burns, ed.	Best plays of 1932-33	812 M31

## TRAVEL.

Andrews, Loring	Horizon chasers	910 An24h
Bone, A. H.	Bowsprit ashore	910 B64
Riesenberg, Felix	Log of the sea	910 R44
Villiers, A. J.	Falmouth for orders	910 V715f
Franck, H. A.	Foot-loose in the British Isles	914.2 F85
Brazdova, A. P.	Sardinian Sideshow	914.59 B737
Skariatina, Irina	First to go back	914.7 Skd
Waln, Nora	House of exile	915.1 W163
Hedin, Sven	Jehol city of Emperors	915.11 H356
Seabrook, W. B.	Air adventure	916.6 Sel
Hall, D. J.	Enchanted sand	917.89 H14
Page, Elizabeth	Wild horses and gold	917.98 P145
Willoughby, Barrett	Alaskans all	917.98 W683a
Lhevinne, Isadore	Enchanted jungle	918 L61

## BIOGRAPHY.

Anonymous	Mirrors of Wall Street	920 M67
Meigs, Cornelia	Invincible Louisa	B A1 lm

Alexander,		
Grand Duke	Always a Grand Duke	B A125a
Arliss, George	Up the years from Bloomsbury	B Ar5
Clifton, Violey	Book of Talbot	B C61c
Downey, Fairfax	Richard Harding Davis, his day	B D292d
Grenfell, W. T.	Forty years for Labrador	B G865f
Hawthorne,		
Hildegarde	Romantic rebel	B H312h
Lisitzky, Gene	Thomas Jefferson	B J36
O'Connor, Harvey	Mellon's millions	B M488
Palmer, Frederick	With my own eyes	B P18w
Chambers, Walter	*Samuel Seabury	B Selc
Duguid, Julian	Tiger-man	B Si 18d
Wassermann, Jacob	Bula Matari	B St2w
Sutherland, Halliday	Arches of the years	B Su83
Mordell, Albert	Quaker militant	B W61m
Willemse, C. W.	A cop remembers	B W66c

## HISTORY.

New Bedford, Mass.	*Vital records to the year 1850.	Vol. 2
Stallings, Lawrence	First World War, a photographic history	940.4 St
Powell, E. A.	Slanting lines of steel	940.48 P87
Yardley, H. O.	American black chamber	940.48 Y2
Kawakami, K. K.	*Manchoukuo	951.8 K174
Chief Standing Bear	Land of the spotted eagle	970.1 Stl
Hill, E. C.	American scene	973.8 H551
Wilstach, Paul	Hudson river landings	974.7 W69
Adjutant General	*Mass. soldiers, sailors and marines in the Civil War. Vol. 6	Ref. 973.7 Ag6

\*History of the George Washington bicentennial celebration. 3 vols.

## FICTION.

Abbott, Jane	Miss Jolley's family	Ab 22mi
Aldrich, B. S.	Miss Bishop	Al 22mi
Allen, Hervey	Anthony Adverse	Al 53a

Ash, Peter	His own roof tree	As 27h
Ayres, R. M.	Look to the spring	Ay 71
Bacheller, Irving	Uncle Peel	B 12u
Bailey, Temple	Enchanted ground	B 152e
Baldwin, Faith	Beauty	B 192be
Bassett, S. W.	Shifting sands	B 29s
Birmingham, Eugene	Elizabeth and the Archdeacon.	B 528e
Bower, B. M.	Trails meet	B 67tr
Bromfield, Louis	The farm	B 787f
Carroll, G. H.	As the earth turns	C 231a
Charteris, Leslie	Saint vs. Scotland yard	C 385s
Colby, Merle	New road	C 67n
Colver, A. R.	Passionate Puritan	C 723p
Comstock, H. T.	Strange understanding	C 73st
Connor, Ralph	Girl from Glengarry	C 76gi
Corbett, Elizabeth	Nice long evening	C 798n
Cronin, A. J.	Grand canary	C 875g
Cunningham, Eugene	Buckaroo	C 914b
De la Roche, Mazo	Master of Jalna	D 374m
Dell, E. M.	Dona Celestis	D 38d
Dell, E. M.	*Great heart	D 38gr
Dell, E. M.	Prison wall	D 38p
Edmonds, W. D.	Erie water	Ed 55e
Eliot, E. C.	Green doors	El 41g
Fairbank, J. A.	Bright land	F 154b
Farnol, Jeffery	Way beyond	F 22w
Gibbs, Philip	Anxious days	G 353a
Gorman, Herbert	Jonathan Bishop	G 68j
Green, Anne	Marriage of convenience	G 821m
Gregory, Jackson	Case for Mr. Paul Savoy	G 855c
Gregory, Jackson	Shadow on the mesa	G 855sh
Grey, Zane	Drift fence	G 86dr
Grey, Zane	Hash knife outfit	G 86ha
Hauck, L. P.	Life, love and Jeanette	H 29L
Hauck, L. P.	Pink house	H 29p
Hichens, Robert	Paradine case	H 52p

Horler, Sydney	My lady dangerous	H 782m	j690 H52
Hueston, Ethel	Blithe Baldwin	H 87b	j709 H55
Hueston, Ethel	That Hastings girl	H 87t	j709 Sm6
Hutchinson, A.S.M.	Soft spot	H 97s	j720 L197
Jackson, M. W.	Sarah Thornton	J 123s	j791 W242
James, Will	Three mustangeers	J 234t	j811 F53
Klickmann, Flora	Delicate Fuss	K 68d	j901 L29
Lane, R. W.	Let the hurricane roar	L 243L	j910 L38
Larrimore, Lida	Jonathan's daughter	L 325j	j917.3 P33
Larrimore, Lida	Robin Hill	L 325r	j919.7 P651
Lincoln, J. C.	Back numbers	L 632ba	jB Ed4w
Lincoln, Freeman	Nod	L 633n	jB F 49
Lockhart, Caroline	Old west and new	L 812o	
Loring, Emilie	Hilltops clear	L 894h	
Lutz, Grace L. Hill	Beloved stranger	L 972be	jAk 3k
Lutz, Grace L. Hill	Patch of blue	L 972pa	jAr 55d
Lutz, Grace L. Hill	Ransom	L 972ra	jAu 5c
McFee, William	No castle in Spain	M 154n	jAv 3p
McNeile, H. C.	Bulldog Drummond strikes back	M 232b	jB 457c
McPherson, G.	Grey cottage	M 24g	jB 47hu
Marquand, J. P.	Haven's end	M 337h	jB 634L
Milne, A. A.	Four days' wonder	M 632f	jB 65t
Montgomery, L. M.	Pat of Silver Bush	M 762p	jB 78h
Moody, M. H.	Once again in Chicago	M 773o	s jB 842mi
Morrow, Honore	Argonaut	M 835a	jB 87m
Mulford, C. E.	Round-up	M 912ro	jB 914c
Ohlson, Harold	Beggars would ride	Oh 4b	jB 969j
Parmenter, C. W.	Long quest	P 237L	jC 72bi
Parmenter, C. W.	Shining palace	P 237s	jD 288h
Pedler, Margaret	Greater courage	P 343g	jD 714i
Penfield, Cornelia	After the deacon was murdered	P 373a	jD 714r
Phillpotts, Eden	Captain's curio	P 545ca	jD 925g
Queen, Ellery	American gun mystery	Qu 3a	jF 293a
Raine, W. M.	For honor and life	R 132fo	jF 45j
Rawlings, M. K.	South moon under	R 195s	jF 59s
Requa, M. L.	Grubstake	R 297g	jF 59w
Richmond, G. S.	Batchelor's bounty	R 41ba	jG 12a

Rinehart, M. R.	Album	R 47al
Rolvaag, O. E.	Boat of longing	R 658b
Rosman, A. G.	Protecting Margot	R 735p
Ruck, Berta	Understudy	R 83un
Sabatini, Rafael	Stalking horse	Sa 1st
Santee, Ross	Sleepy Black	Sa 5s
Seltzer, C. A.	Clear the trail	Se 5c
Snow, C. H.	Invisible brand	Sn 6i
Stong, Phil	Stranger's return	St 67s
Swanson, N. H.	Judas tree	Sw 24j
Tarkington, Booth	Presenting Lily Mars	T 17pr
Taylor, P. A.	Mystery of the Cape Cod players	T214m
Thompson, Edward	Damascus lies north	T 373a
Titus, Harold	Code of the north	T 543c
Train, Arthur	No matter where	T 684n
Van Dine, S. S.	Dragon murder case	V 275d
Webb, Barbara	Three who were strong	W 38t
Wentworth, Patricia	Walk with care	W 484w
White, N. G.	This, my house	W 584t
White, S. E.	Ranchero	W 586ra
White, W. P.	Adobe walls	W 589a
Whitlock, Brand	Stranger on the island	W 596s
Widdemer, Margaret	Golden rain	W 615g
Williams, B. A.	Money musk	W 669m
Wodehouse, P. G.	Heavy weather	W 82h
Wodehouse, P. G.	Man with two left feet	W 82ma
Wright, Wilson	Man wants but little	W 937m

## CHILDREN'S BOOKS.

## CLASSIFIED.

Girl Scouts	*Handbook	j369 G444
Aesopus	Fables	j398 Ae8
Bancroft, Alberta	Goblins of Haubeck	j398 B22
Carpenter, Frances	Tales of a Russian grandmother	j398 C225
Housman, Laurence	What-o'clock tales	j398 H81
Ilin, M.	100,000 whys	j500 I15
Washburne, Carleton	Story of earth and sky	j523 W27
	Book about animals	j590



Hibben, Thomas	Carpenter's tool chest	j690 H52
Hillyer, V. M.	Child's history of art	j709 H55
Smith, Susan	Made in Germany	j709 Sm6
Lamprey, L.	All the ways of building	j720 L197
Warner, F. L.	Ragamuffin marionettes	j791 W242
Fisher, A. L.	Coffee-pot face	j811 F53
Lansing, M. F.	Man's long climb	j901 L29
LaVarre, Andre	Johnny round the world	j910 L38
Peck, A. M.	Round about America	j917.3 P33
Pinchot, G. B.	Giff and Stiff in the South Seas	j919.7 P651
Wise, W. E.	Thomas Alva Edison	jB Ed4w
Finta, Alexander	Herdboy of Hungary	jB F 49

## FICTION.

Akers, Dwight	King's mule	jAk 3k
Armer, L. A.	Dark circle of branches	jAr 55d
Aulaire, Ingrid'	Conquest of the Atlantic	jAu 5c
Averill, Esther	Powder, the story of a colt	jAv 3p
Berry, Erick	Careers of Cynthia	jB 457c
Bianco, M. W.	Hurdy-gurdy man	jB 47hu
Bolton, Ivy	Loyal foe	jB 634L
Bose, I. M.	Totaram	jB 65t
Brock, E. L.	Hen that kept house	jB 78h
Bryan, Dorothy	Michael & Patsy on the golf links	jB 842mi
Bullard, Marion	Mr. M'Tarvish	jB 87m
Burglon, Nora	Children of the soil	jB 914c
Butler, E. P.	Jo Ann, tomboy	jB 969j
Colum, Padriac	Big tree of Bunlahy	jC 72bi
Davis, M. G.	Handsome donkey	jD 288h
Donaldson, Lois	In the mouse's house	jD 714i
Donaldson, Lois	Runzel-Punzel	jD 714r
Duplaix, Georges	Gaston and Josephine	jD 925g
Fayerweather, M. D.	Anne alive	jF 293a
Field, Rachel	Just across the street	jF 45j
Flack, Marjorie	Story about Ping	jF 59s
Flack, Marjorie	Wag-tail Bess	jF 59w
Ga'g, Wanda	A. B. C. bunny	jG 12a

Garis, H. R.	*Gypsy camp	jG 184g	R 47al
Garis, H. R.	*Saving the old mill	jG 184s	R 658b
Geijerstam, G. L.	My boys	jG 274m	R 735p
Grant, Capt. George	Half deck	jG 765h	R 83un
Gray, E. J.	Jane Hope	jG 78j	Sa 1st
Hader, Berta	Spunky, story of a Shetland pony	jH 114s	Sa 5s
Hamsun, Marie	Norwegian farm	jH 186n	Se 5c
Hanson, L. S.	Eric the red	jH 196e	Sn 6i
Hewes, A. D.	Glory of the seas	jH 49g	St 67s
Heyliger, William	Ritchie of the News	jH 515r	Sw 24j
Hogan, Inez	Nicodemus and the houn' dog	jH 67n	T 17pr
Kyle, A. D.	Apprentice of Florence	jK 98a	T214m
Levinger, E. E.	Benjamin's book	jL 574b	T 373a
Linderman, F. B.	Stumpy	jL 643s	T 543c
Lindman, Maj	Snipp, Snapp, Snurr	jL 654s	T 684n
Litten, F. N.	Rhodes of the 94th	jL 716r	V 275d
Malkus, A. S.	Stone knife boy	jM 287s	W 38t
Mayol, L. B.	Big canoe	jM 452b	W 484w
Morrow, Honore	Ship's monkey	jM 835s	W 584t
Neal, Bigelow	Last of the thundering herd	jN 25L	W 586ra
O'Brien, Jack	Silver Chief	jOb 64s	W 589a
Parton, Ethel	Tabitha Mary	jP 25t	W 596s
Pemjean, Lucien	New adventures of D'Artagan	jP365n	W 615g
Perkins, L. F.	Norwegian twins	jP 415n	W 669m
Petersham, Maud	Get-a-way & Hary Janos	jP 44g	W 82h
Ransome, Arthur	Peter Duck	jP 175p	W 82ma
Schmidt, S. L.	New land	jSch. 5n	W 937m
Seabrook, Katie	Colette and Baba in Timbuctoo	jSe 14c	
Snedeker, C. D.	Forgotten daughter	jSn 2f	
Sperry, Armstrong	One day with Manu	jSp 3o	
Van Noy, Kathryne	Jack and Matt of the WX	jV 335j	j369 G444
Webb, Clifford	Butterwick farm	jW 33b	j398 Ae8
White, E. O.	Where is Adelaide?	jW 583w	j398 B22
Wells, Rhea	Zeke the raccoon	jW 467z	j398 C225
Whitney, Elinor	Mystery club	jW 613m	j398 H81
Wilson, E. H.	Flyaway Flippety	jW 69f	j500 I15
Wyckoff, C. C.	Jothy	jW 97j	j523 W27
			j590

**ANNUAL REPORT**

OF THE

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

AND

**Superintendent of Schools**

OF THE

**TOWN OF UPTON**

**For the One Hundred and Ninety-Ninth**

**Municipal Year Ending December 31, 1933**

## SCHOOL DIRECTORY.

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### SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

NEWTON J. FROST, Chairman, Term expires 1935.

WILLIAM O. PERKINS, Secretary, Term expires 1934.

ALICE M. HALL, Term expires 1936.

### SUPERINTENDENT.

ALBERT S. COLE, Grafton, Massachusetts.

Office hours: At Upton High School, Tuesday, 3.30—4.30 P. M.,  
on school days.

Telephone, Grafton: Office, 49-2. Home, 3.

DIRECTORY OF TEACHERS, JANUARY, 1934.

School	Name	Preparation	Year of Service
High School			
Prin. Science & Math.	W. Thornton Cowing	Colby College	1st
Latin, French, History	Mary E. Horgan	Radcliffe College	3rd
English, Gen. Science	Lora D. Dearth	Farmington, N.S.	15th
Commercial	Lillian R. Cormier	Post's Business Inst.	3rd
Typewriting*	Norman Duprey		1st
Grades six to eight	Ruth C. Goodrich	Bridgewater N. S.	12th
	Helen I. Crooker	Framingham N.S.	3rd
Knowlton School			
Prin. Grades V-VI	Ethel S. Durgin	Bridgewater N.S.	8th**
Grades III-IV	Alice W. Alexander	Framingham N.S.	14th
Grades I & II	Florence E. Walker	Fisher K.N.S.	20th
George S. Ball School			
Prin. Grades V & VI	Susan W. Urban	Fitchburg N.S.	20th
Grades III & IV	M. Celia Apicella	Framingham N.S.	6th
Grades I & II	Elizabeth Brokaw	Lowell N.S.	18th
Special Teachers			
Drawing*	Violet Stuart	Wor. Art Museum	2nd**
Manual Training*	Dana A. Stanley	Sloyd Training School	21st
Music*	Evelyn Mayer	N.E. Conservatory	3rd
Domestic Science*		Framingham N.S.***	
School Nurse*	Ruth Sandstrom, R.N.		
School Physician	Samuel R. Capen, M.D.		
Janitor			
& Attendance Officer	Benjamin Crooker		

\*—Part time.

\*\*—Has taught in Upton before.

\*\*\*—Part time student teacher.

## TEACHER CHANGES, 1933.

School	Teacher resigning	Date services ended	Teacher appointed	Date services begun
High	John A. Dearth*	June 22	W. Thornton Cowing Norman Duprey	Sept. 6 Sept. 6

\* Substitute

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Upton, Mass., December 27, 1933.

Voted: To accept the report of the Superintendent of Schools and to adopt the same as the report of the School Committee.

NEWTON J. FROST.

WILLIAM O. PERKINS.

ALICE M. HALL.

# SCHOOL CALENDAR.

1934.

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Winter Term, seven weeks.

Term begins Tuesday, January 2.

Term ends Friday afternoon, February 16.

Spring Term, seven weeks.

Term begins Monday, February 26.

Term ends Friday afternoon, April 13.

Summer Term, nine weeks.

Term begins Monday, April 23.

Term ends Wednesday afternoon, June 20.

Holiday: Wednesday, May 30, Memorial Day.

High School Graduation, Wednesday, June 20.

Fall Term, sixteen weeks.

Term begins Wednesday, September 5.

Term ends Friday afternoon, December 21.

Holidays: Friday, October 12, Columbus Day.

Monday, November 12, Armistice Day.

Thanksgiving recess from noon Wednesday, November  
28 for remainder of week.

Winter Term, 1935, begins Wednesday, January 2.

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF UPTON:—

The following is my thirteenth annual report:

### ENROLLMENT.

The annual report for 1932 called your attention to the fact that there was likely to be a very large sixth grade in the fall of 1933, which would necessitate the dividing of the grade between the three schools. The following table of expected enrollment will show that next September there is likely to be a very large seventh grade:

#### ESTIMATED ENROLLMENT FOR SEPTEMBER, 1934.

	Ball	Knowlton	High
Grade I .....	20	20	
Grade II .....	23	22	
Grade III .....	16	17	
Grade IV .....	22	17	
Grade V .....	11	20	
Grade VI .....	20	17	
Grade VII .....			54
Grade VIII .....			31
Grade IX .....			19
Grade X .....			24
Grade XI .....			25
Grade XII .....			19
Totals .....	112	113	172 = 397
	104*	107*	174* = 385*

\*—Actual enrollment October 1, 1933.



If the above estimated enrollment should prove to be essentially correct and the distribution between schools be carried out as indicated it should be noted:

1. The first and second grade rooms in both the Ball and Knowlton schools will have more than 40 pupils per teacher,—a situation that is far from desirable with these young pupils who should have at the beginning stages as large an amount of individual attention as possible.
2. The seventh grade will be too large to be accommodated in one room, so that it will be necessary to divide it into two sections for recitation purposes, and still on another basis for seating purposes as there will be 85 pupils for the two rooms on the lower floor of the high school building.

UPTON ENROLLMENT AVERAGED  
BY THREE-YEAR PERIODS.

Average for	Grades 1-6	Grades 7-8	Elementary Total	High School	Total Enrollment
1922-1924 .....	225	60	285	63	348
1925-1927 .....	191	56	247	72	319
1928-1930 .....	227	57	284	67	351
1931-1933 .....	230	53	283	89	372
				41%	

An examination of the above tabulation shows that during the last six years the high school has gained about 40% in enrollment while the elementary grades have remained about the same. This increase of enrollment in the high school has made necessary the dividing of classes hitherto combined on an alternating basis and made it necessary in September, to employ an additional teacher on part time.

## VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND PAY REDUCTIONS.

Since last March teachers have contributed 10% of their salaries to the welfare department and transportation and janitors' pay has been reduced 10%. During the past year these have amounted to the following:

Voluntary contributions, teachers: .....	\$944 95
Voluntary contributions, Superintendent .....	100 00
Pay reductions, janitor .....	150 00
Pay reductions, transportation .....	334 40
Pay reductions, school nurse .....	32 00
	\$1,561 35

The salaries of Upton teachers are low as compared with salaries paid in similar communities and these voluntary contributions have been a hardship on many of them. Unless the resources of the Town are such as to make it imperative, it would seem unjust to ask the teachers to contribute during 1934.

## ESTIMATES.

The following estimates are submitted for 1934:

Teachers (including nurse) .....	\$15,000 00
Janitor .....	1,620 00
Fuel .....	1,190 00
Transportation .....	3,800 00
Repairs .....	500 00
Books and Supplies .....	1,350 00
Supervision .....	1,200 00
Miscellaneous .....	300 00
Manual Training and Domestic Arts .....	250 00
Physician .....	100 00
	\$25,310 00

The following estimated income may be subtracted:

Knowlton-Batchelor Fund .....	\$481 67	
Charlotte Batchelor Fund .....	187 50	
Dog Tax .....	475 00	
		<hr/> \$1,144 17
Balance to appropriate .....		\$24,165 83

#### SCHOOL COSTS.

The following amounts have been received from the state during 1933, but have not been credited to the school account:

General School Fund, Part I .....	\$4,190 00	
General School Fund, Part II .....	3,931 28	
Account superintendent's salary .....	481 25	
Tuition and transportation of state wards .....	397 22	
		<hr/> \$8,999 75
Voluntary contributions to welfare fund .....	1,044 95	
		<hr/> \$10,044 70
School expenditures, 1933 .....	24,589 83	
		<hr/> \$14,545 13

#### HEALTH.

For two or three years serious epidemics of communicable diseases have seriously reduced the attendance to the schools, endangering the health of the pupils and necessitating individual and public expense in caring for the sick and those that were quarantined. In an endeavor to prevent such outbreaks in the future the Committee recently put into effect the following rules:

"No pupil who has been absent from school for two or more days on account of illness shall be allowed to return to school until said pupil shall have received a certificate from

a physician (preferably the school physician), certifying that the child is free from any communicable disease.

No pupil who has been absent from school for two days or more on account of illness shall be permitted to enter a school bus unless said child has a certificate from a physician or permission of the school nurse and the driver of a bus shall refuse admittance to any pupil who so attempts to enter without a certificate or permission and report the matter to the teacher in charge.

It shall be the duty of the teachers in the elementary schools and the principal of the high school to notify the school nurse of any case of absence of two days or more which they suspect to be on account of sickness and it shall be the duty of the school nurse to investigate the cases of pupils who come by school bus and notify the bus drivers of any pupils who may not be allowed to enter the bus without a physician's certificate or without her permission.

Any child returning to school without a certificate after having been absent on account of sickness shall immediately be sent home by the teacher in charge and the matter reported to the School Nurse who will report to the Superintendent of Schools."

There has been a gratifying cooperation on the part of parents in carrying out the rules and the school nurse, the school physician, and teachers are also whole-heartedly trying to preserve the health of the pupils.

#### MISS SANDSTROM REPORTS:

All pupils at the Ball and Knowlton Schools were weighed in May and October. The High School in October. Those not gaining were reported.

In January the Chadwick Clinic sponsored by the State Department of Public Health was held. This clinic is to find tuberculosis, if present, even at an early stage and instruct

the parents regarding care and prevention of this disease.

Consent was given by the parents.

Pupils receiving the test .....	273
Pupils X-Rayed .....	59
Pupils to remain under supervision of State Health Department .....	4
Pupils given physical examinations .....	9

In March the Toxin-Anti-Toxin Clinic was held,— sponsored by the State Department of Public Health under the direction of Dr. Oscar Dudley assisted by Miss Higgins. Parents were also asked to bring pre-school children over six months of age. This also called for the parents' consent. Pupils received three inoculations of toxin-anti-toxin 214  
Pre-school children received three inoculations of toxin-  
anti-toxin ..... 17

In the spring we had an epidemic of scarlet fever among the pupils in the Knowlton School. Pupils absent from school over one day, reported sick, and not under the care of a physician were visited by the school nurse. If any symptoms of scarlet fever were found, the parent was advised to have a physician at once and the case was followed up.

All pupils have had their hearing tested by the audiometer. Home visits will be made to those needing further examination and treatment.

The annual physical examination by Dr. Capen has been completed.

Number pupils recommended for treatment tonsils and adenoids .....	34
Number pupils recommended for dental care .....	108
Number of school visits .....	284
Number of home visits .....	204

## DRAWING.

## MRS. STUART REPORTS:

The year of 1933 has been one of accomplishment in the art department, commercial art leading other phases.

In March, twenty-five posters were submitted to the S.P. C.A. state contest in Boston. Six medals and five honorable mentions were received, and if the parents could have seen those original posters in which kindness to animals was shown, I feel sure they would agree with me that the girls and boys deserved those prizes.

We also went into the poppy poster contest. Our local legion auxiliary gave an evening of enjoyment, painting, nature study, design and some very picturesque miniature gardens, all contributed to make a most colorful display and a welcome addition to the farmers' club exhibit.

In November, at the suggestion of our librarian, we observed book week by making book marks which were displayed in the library, and I believe many pupils made their first visit to the library at this time.

This December we are making Christmas gifts, of paper to be sure, but practical nevertheless, showing again that when useful articles are also artistic their sales value is doubled. Even the youngest pupil in the first grade has enjoyed the making of an acceptable gift.

In conclusion, I wish to thank our teachers for working with me. I also wish to express my appreciation to the parents and friends who by showing so much interest in our work, have encouraged the pupils to make our school year one of achievement.

## MANUAL TRAINING.

## MR. STANLEY REPORTS:

The work in both the seventh and eighth grades is going along well, very well considering the small amount of time the

boys can spend in the shop. Last year's eighth grade developed exceptional ability and more articles were made than ever before, among them taborets, fern stands, costumers and an upholstered stool.

The present eighth grade is a small group and producing excellent results. Among the projects in process of construction are lamps, an end table, a bedside table and skate sharpeners. When the seventh grade is in the shop, every one of the sixteen benches is in use. Their projects, of course, are necessarily small and they are busy learning the different steps in wood-working while making necktie racks, key boards, book supports, pen and ink stands and pen and pencil racks.

Our room and equipment are excellent and it seems a pity that when boys have served a satisfactory apprenticeship in Manual Training and become so much interested they no longer have the privilege of pursuing it further.

#### DOMESTIC SCIENCE.

This activity was started two or three years ago under supervision of the State Teachers College at Framingham who send to us student teachers. Heretofore one student has been sent for each half of the school year. This year two are being sent, expense to the Town being the same as heretofore. Miss Winnifred Granger of Milford, assisted by Miss Larsen, has been teacher since September and is doing very acceptable work. She has devised a simple system of monthly reports of the accounts which make it easy to know how this phase of the work is going.

#### HIGH SCHOOL.

Last September Mr. Cowing assumed the duties of principal of the high school. He has taken hold with enthusiasm, is working diligently and has the hearty cooperation of the teachers and an excellent attitude among the pupils.

**MR. COWING REPORTS:**

This year there are enrolled in the High School Building 175 pupils.

Seniors .....	27	Grade VIII .....	19
Juniors .....	20	Grade VII .....	31
Sophomores .....	26	Grade VI .....	27
Freshmen .....	24		

The number stated here for the sixth grade does not include the whole of the sixth grade in Upton as in previous years. The sixth grade this year, because of their large number, had to be divided between the Knowlton School, the Ball School and the High School. With the large probable number of students going into the seventh grade from this year's sixth grade it will probably be necessary to exclude the incoming sixth grade from the High School building altogether.

The curriculum this year in the high School is as follows:

**LANGUAGES**

French I, II  
Latin II

**SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Community Civics  
(one-half year)  
Ancient History  
Modern History  
and Civics  
Med. History  
English I, II, III, IV

**SCIENCE**

General Science  
Biology  
Physics

**COMMERCIAL**

Gen. Math.  
Bookkeeping  
El. Typewriting  
Int. Typewriting  
El. Stenography  
Int. Stenography  
Adv. Stenography  
and Typewriting

**MATHEMATICS**

Algebra I  
Review Math. and  
Adv. Algebra III  
Geometry



It was necessary this year with the large number of commercial students to divide the classes into two sections because of the fact that the typewriting room was not large enough to hold an entire typewriting division. Since this division produced a larger number of classes than our teaching schedule had room for, it was necessary to secure another teacher. Mr. Norman Duprey was secured for this position.

Due to the lack of funds and facilities the basketball season is very slowly getting under way. However, the outlook for the future is very good and we look forward to a successful season. I would like to take this opportunity to commend the teachers for their fine cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT S. COLE,

Superintendent.

Upton, Mass., December 27, 1933.

# Graduation Exercises

of the Class of 1933

Thursday, June Twenty-second

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Invocation

Rev. Wm. G. Poor

"Thoughts at Graduation"

Dorothea M. Burhoe, Salutatorian

"The Will to Win"

Marjorie G. Hoyle

"War Debts"

Lawrence H. Atwood

"Artificial Lighting"

Fern E. Jacobson

"A Sea Song"

Boys' Chorus

"Tales Out of School"—Class History

Ruth Ogden

"Our Washington Trip"

Angelina Mango

"Why Have War?"

Earle B. Brown

"After Tonight—What?"

Victor R. Mainville

"Shadow March"

*D. Protheroe*

High School Chorus

"Athletics In High School"

Roscoe A. Burnham

"Wider Fields for Commercial Education"

Hector A. Henchey

"Life Goes On"—Prophecy

Shirley E. Goodridge

Class Will

Harold J. Fairbanks

Class Ode

Faustina A. Tuttle

"Tis Morn"

*A. Gerbel*

High School Chorus

American Literature of Today

Signe O. Gabrielson, Valedictorian

Honor Awards

Principal John A. Dearth

Risteen Prize Awards:

Boys: Awarded to: Roscoe Burnham

Girls: Awarded to: Ruth Ogden

Balfour Gen. Achievement Award:

Awarded to Lawrence Atwood

Presentation of Diplomas

Superintendent Albert S. Cole

"Auld Lang Syne"

Assembly

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GRADUATES.

LAWRENCE H. ATWOOD.

EARLE B. BROWN

DOROTHEA M. BURHOE

ROSCOE A. BURNHAM

HAROLD J. FAIRBANKS

SIGNE O. GABRIELSON

SHIRLEY E. GOODRIDGE

HECTOR A. HENCHEY

MARJORIE G. HOYLE

FERN E. JACOBSON

VICTOR R. MAINVILLE

ANGELINA M. MANGO

RUTH OGDEN

FAUSTINA A. TUTTLE

# FINANCIAL REPORT. OF UPTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE, JANUARY 1, 1934.

## RESOURCES.

Appropriation .....	\$23,500 00
Income, Knowlton-Bachelor Fund .....	481 67
Income, Charlotte Bachelor Fund .....	187 50
County Dog Tax .....	435 19
	\$24,604 36

## EXPENDITURES.

### Teachers:—

W. Thornton Cowing .....	\$800 00
John A. Dearth .....	1,080 00
Norman Duprey .....	172 00
Lora D. Dearth .....	1,400 00
Lillian R. Comier .....	1,000 00
Mary A. Horgan .....	1,096 50
Ruth C. Goodrich .....	1,046 50
Helen I. Crooker .....	896 50
Ethel S. Durgin .....	1,100 00
Alice W. Alexander .....	993 00
Florence E. Walker .....	996 50
Susan W. Urban .....	1,100 00
M. Celia Apicella .....	989 50
Elizabeth Brokaw .....	1,000 00
Violet S. Stuart .....	200 00
Evelyn Meyer .....	300 00
Ruth Sandstrom .....	368 00
Julia M. Tebo .....	21 00

Dorothy M. Burns .....	3 50	
Margaret Donahue .....	3 50	
Jane T. Barrett .....	3 50	
Beeda Boutwell .....	1 73	
Steffe Obara .....	12 00	
		<hr/> \$14,583 73

## School Physician:—

Dr. Samuel R. Capen .....	\$100 00	
		<hr/> \$100 00

## Superintendent:—

Albert S. Cole, salary .....	\$900 00	
Albert S. Cole, expenses .....	153 18	
Steffe Obara, expenses .....	93 00	
		<hr/> \$1,146 18

## Fuel:—

W. G. Fiske .....	\$34 00	
Barney Coal Co. ....	979 54	
		<hr/> \$1,013 54

## Care of Buildings:—

Benjamin C. Crooker .....	\$1,650 00	
		<hr/> \$1,650 00

## Transportation:—

Hilbert Nelson .....	\$1,202 60	
George Poirier .....	1,202 60	
Annie Fay .....	1,374 40	
E. A. Willard .....	5 70	
Norry Lessard .....	82 26	
		<hr/> \$3,867 56

## Repairs:—

W. G. Fiske .....	\$79 70	
Edward C. Newton .....	232 50	
Royal Typewriter Co. ....	70 00	
P. Power .....	26 48	

Geo. F. Searles & Sons, Inc. ....	7 75
Geo. H. Clark & Co., Ind. ....	12 45
D. R. Bowker .....	12 99
Washburn-Garfield Co. ....	31 50
Fairbanks Engineering Co. ....	13 23
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriter ...	3 37
Square Deal Garage .....	17 50
Southbridge Roofing Co. ....	248 50
F. C. Townsend .....	6 00

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 \$761 97

## Supplies:—

Wilbur D. Gilpatrick .....	\$24 16
F. W. Wood .....	3 56
World Book Co. ....	53 26
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc. ....	12 28
Noble & Noble .....	1 70
Row, Peterson & Co. ....	9 79
Silver, Burdett & Co. ....	63 96
The Papercrafters, Inc. ....	7 78
The Boston Music Co. ....	6 43
D. C. Heath & Co. ....	65 13
The Holden Patent Book Cover Co. ....	12 45
The John C. Winston Co. ....	9 57
C. L. Judkins .....	42 94
Howard & Brown .....	15 65
Dowling School Supply Co. ....	7 50
Chas. W. Homeyer & Co. ....	23 93
Frost Office Appliance Co. ....	21 20
J. L. Hammett Co. ....	70 03
Remington Rand Co. ....	1 10
Chas. A. Esty Paper Co. ....	20 95
Beckley-Cardy Co. ....	25 47
The Gregg Pub. Co. ....	8 49
Dura Binding Co. ....	12 00
Ginn & Co. ....	72 96
Gledhill Bros. Inc. ....	67 44

Dry Stencil Co. ....	9 50
Allyn & Bacon Co. ....	10 80
University Pub. Co. ....	5 85
Benj. H. Sanford & Co. ....	14 41
Macmillan Co. ....	7 74
Mittag & Volgar ....	24 00
American Book Co. ....	13 84
The Geo. F. Cram Co. ....	4 47
Hall & McCreary Co. ....	5 14
McKinley Pub. Co. ....	4 85
Rand McNally & Co. ....	9 30
Central Scientific Co. ....	4 53
Palley Office Supply Co. ....	3 01
Philips Paper Co. ....	2 13
Follett Pub. Co. ....	13 23
Royal Typewriter Co. ....	90 00
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co. ....	39 57

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 \$922 10

## Manual Training:—

Dana A. Stanley .....	\$200 00
H. S. Chadbourne Co. ....	7 65

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 \$207 65

## Miscellaneous:—

Worcester Suburban Elec. Co. ....	\$86 79
Clover Farm Stores .....	29 82
Wm. Knowlton & Sons Co. ....	48 25
Beeda Boutwell .....	3 00
John C. MacInnes Co. ....	5 17
Philgas Co. ....	16 38
Craib's Sales & Service .....	3 00
C. T. Sherer Co. ....	5 38
The Morris-Ireland Safe Co. ....	35 00
Louis M. Gaudette .....	9 00
Althea Claflin .....	1 06
King & Co. ....	17 23
W. O. Perkins .....	6 72



The Charlescraft Press .....	10 50	
Wm. J. Seaver .....	1 87	
Moroney Bros. ....	1 73	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts .....	10 00	
Winnifred Granger .....	11 20	
John L. Watson .....	35 00	
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		\$337 10
Total expenditures .....	\$24,589 83	
Unexpended balance .....	14 53	
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		\$24,604 36

WILLIAM O. PERKINS,  
 NEWTON J. FROST,  
 ALICE M. HALL,

School Committee.

I have examined this report and find it correct.

CHARLES A. BARTON,  
 Auditor.

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