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Town Officers---1934

Clerk and Treasurer
VIOLET M. GOTTSCHE

Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare
NEIL S. KIBBE, Chairman
NELSON M. CAREW       WALTER E. TEMPLE

Assessors
HOMER L. HATCH, Chairman
EDWARD J. THRESHVER    WALTER BARTLETT

School Committee
CHARLES F. MEDICKE, Chairman
FRED L. BEEBE          ROBERT S. PEASE

Trustees for Public Library
GRACE M. CAREW         ELIZABETH SESSIONS
ELEANOR BURLEIGH PARSONS

Collector of Taxes
D. LINCOLN McCRAY

Constables
ARTHUR H. GERRISH      AUSTIN HARRIS

Cemetery Commissioners
D. L. McCRAY, Chairman
GEORGE FERGUSON        D. RALPH ISHAM
Town Bookkeeper
MABELLE S. KIBBE

Auditor
NANCY A. LIBBY

Tree Warden
LEROY O. HOWLETT

Forest Fire Warden
EDWARD P. LYONS

Inspector of Animals
EDWARD J. THRESHER

Inspector of Slaughtering
EDWARD J. THRESHER

Sealer of Weights and Measures
AUSTIN K. HARRIS

Moth Superintendent
EDWARD P. LYONS

Superintendent of Streets
LEROY O. HOWLETT

Pound Keeper and Field Driver
EDWARD J. THRESHER

Fence Viewers
D. RALPH ISHAM    WALTER BARTLETT
                  E. NORTON DAVIS

Voters Liable for Jury Duty for the Year Beginning
August 1, 1934

D. RALPH ISHAM    PERCY FULLER
D. LINCOLN McCRAY  ROBT. S. PEASE
C. F. MEDICKE     LUCIAN H. GUPTILL
MARCUS GOTTSCHHE  WALTER RUTHERFORD
RAYMOND S. SMITH  NORMAN MILLARD
# Town Bookkeeper's Report

## Recapitulation of Receipts for 1934

**Balance January 1, 1934**: $2,540.51

### General Revenue

#### Taxes

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#### From State:

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GRANTS and GIFTS

From State:
  Mass. School Fund  1,729.14
  Union Superintendency  214.81
  Vocational Education  778.81
  High School Tuition  3,833.36
  H. S. Transportation  1,647.62
  Animal Inspection  60.00
  Forestry  40.00
  PERA Funds  156.12  8,459.86

From County:
  Dog Tax  237.35  237.35

From Town:
  Dog Taxes  282.80  282.80

From Individuals:
  Charles S. Ballard,
  share in old Town
  Hall  8.60  8.60

ALL OTHER GENERAL REVENUE
  Walter E. Temple,
  purchase of Scantic
  School  300.00  300.00

Total from General Revenue  39,600.04

Commercial Revenue

PRIVELEGES
  Motor Vehicle Excise:
    Current year  1183.28
    Previous years  130.05  1313.33
    Total from priveleges  1313.33

Commercial Revenue Departmental

GENERAL GOVERNMENT
  Rent of Town House  109.95
  W. E. Burleigh, rent
  of Scantic Schoolhouse  12.00  121.95
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Inspection:
Sealer's fees
  Arthur A. Jones       5.90
  Austin K. Harris      7.70  13.60
  Dental Clinic         38.00  38.00

HEALTH
Commonwealth of Massachusetts tuberculosis
  250.72  250.72

HIGHWAYS
Sale of Materials, E. P. Lyons 12.00
Tractor Earnings  845.00
Comm. of Mass.  13,300.00
County of Hampden  5,000.00  19,157.00

CHARITIES
From State:
  Temporary Aid  803.57
  Old Age Assistance  345.17
  Town of Palmer, Temp. Aid  117.43
  City of Springfield, O. A. A.  30.00
  Estate of Rose Corey  101.00  1,397.17

SOLDIERS BENEFITS
State Aid  72.00  72.00

SCHOOLS
Tuition of State Wards $588.77  $588.77
Total from Departmental Revenue $21,639.21

Commercial Revenue, Cemeteries
Care of endowed lots  $259.11  $259.11
Total from Cemeteries  $259.11
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### Municipal Indebtedness

- Anticipation of Revenue loan $10,000.00
- Anticipation of Reimbursement loan 10,000.00 20,000.00

**Total from Indebtedness** $20,000.00

### Trust

- Trust Funds:
  - Kenworthy-Bennett Fund 100.00 100.00
- **Total from Trust** $100.00

### Refunds

- Schools 38.25
- Sale of Town Hall 156.24
- Check .80 195.29

**Total from Refunds** $195.29

**TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR 1934** $86,345.97
# Recapitulation of Expenditures for 1934

## General Government

### Selectmen

Salaries:

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### Treasurer

Salary:

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Olney S. Woodard, bond 22.50
Olney S. Woodward, insurance 15.75
Violet M. Gottsche, misc. 55.34 93.59 293.59

COLLECTOR
Salary:
D. L. McCray, 1932 tax 150.00 150.00
Other Expense
Olney S. Woodward, bond 45.00
Superior Printing Co., forms 13.25
Hobbs and Warren, forms 3.78
D. L. McCray, postage 46.24 108.27 258.27

ASSESSORS
Salaries:
Homer L. Hatch 110.00
Walter R. Bartlett 30.00
Edward J. Thresher 30.00 170.00
Other Expense
Edward J. Thresher, car 15.00
Gladys M. Clark, clerical 13.94
Homer L. Hatch, car & postage 32.90
A. Roy Reid, supplies 5.90
Davol Printing House, forms 5.00
Hobbs and Warren, forms 9.69
Johnson's Bookstore supplies 1.80 84.23 254.23
CERTIFICATION OF NOTES

Director of Accounts  4.00
County Treasurer  3.00  7.00  7.00

LAW

Town Counsel:
Charles S. Ballard  17.00  17.00

Other Expense
W. M. Pease, certifying papers  5.00
Springfield Newspapers, adv.  20.74
Henry Churchill, damage claim  26.00  51.74  68.74

TOWN CLERK

Expense:
Olney Woodward, bond  5.00
R. H. Smith M'tg Co., dog tags  5.11
Palmer Resister, supplies  6.00
Violet M. Gottsche, Recording fees  25.00
Misc. Clerical work  30.50
Postage  6.41  78.02  78.02

ELECTION AND REGISTRATIONS

Election Officers:
Fred Beebe  3.00
Raymond Dunlea  6.00
George Fisher  3.00
Edward Gordon  9.00
Mary Haley  3.00
Carl Howlett  6.00
Harold D. Jones        9.00
Thomas Mahar        9.00
Bertha Medicke      3.00
James O'Brien      9.00
Mabel Rutherford   3.00
Cecil Thomas      3.00
Wellington D. Thomas  6.00    72.00

Other Expense
Palmer Register Inc., printing       56.25
R. Dexter Tolman, ballot box         70.00
Homer L. Hatch, misc.            .15
Violet M. Gottsche, election work  43.00    169.40   241.40

HAMPDEN TOWN HOUSE

Maintenance:
Janitor
Fred A. Perkins   325.00    325.00

Electricity and Telephone
Cent. Mass. Elec. Co.  287.06
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.  63.95    351.01

Repairs and Supplies
Pilibrico Jointless Firebrick
Co. furnace repairs  67.10
Prickett Mfg Co., cloth  1.75
Community Feed Stores, Inc,
    janitor supplies  .70
Indian Motorcycle Co.,
    paint  12.50
Oliver & Howland,
    repairs  4.99
Homer L. Hatch, misc,
    supplies  12.84    99.88

Other Expense
Harold Corey, iron  .75
F. A. Perkins, felt  .30
Homer L. Hatch, nails  2.65
A. A. Jones, lawn mower repairs  1.25
Richard Schubert, piano tuning  4.00
Commission of Public Safety boiler inspection  5.00
Dolge Co. disinfectant  20.58
Community Feed Stores, Inc.
  misc. supplies  5.45  39.98  815.87

EQUIPMENT

Frank Stanin,
  adding machines and typewriter  120.00
T. M. Downs Engineering Co.,
  automatic draft control  135.00
  pressure switch  9.15
F. C. Taplin, mower  90.00
W. W. Murphy, work on radiators  23.80  377.95  377.95

TOWN HALL PURCHASE

Frederic A. Kennett  500.00  500.00  500.00

Total for General Government  $3341.12

Protection of Persons and Property

POLICE

Wages:
  Barnard Ackerman  1.60
  Harold Corey  5.00
  George Fisher  11.60
Arthur H. Gerrish 20.50  
Austin Harris 17.80  
Harold D. Jones 5.00  
James Lyons 1.60  
John Lyons 3.20  
John Officer 3.20  
Lawrence Parsons 3.20  
Chester Pease 4.20  
Robert S. Pease 5.00  
Fred A. Perkins 10.00  
Cecil Thomas 1.60 93.50  

Other Expense  
City of Springfield, lockup fees 2.60  
Arthur H. Gerrish, election duties 20.00 22.60 116.10  

FIRE STATION  
Fuel and Light:  
Springfield Ice Co. 44.38  
Gulf Refining Co. 8.00  
Central Mass. Elec. Co. 9.00 61.38  

Repairs  
Charles Renault, oil burner 1.50  
Homer L. Hatch, misc 3.18  
E. P. Lyons, cement 33.15 37.83 99.21  

FOREST FIRE EQUIPMENT  
Cave Welding Co., work on truck 10.00  
Tarbell Watters, parts 10.63  
Hampden Volunteer Fire Co., reimbursement 20.00  
A. H. Blanchard Co. parts 3.78  
Woodhouse Mfg. Co. parts 25.21
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Hobbs and Warren, supplies 2.10 2.10 27.10

TREE TRIMMING
Wages:
Milton Carder 18.00
Arthur H. Gerrish 15.75
Austin Harris 15.30
L. O. Howlett 35.10
Frederick L. King 1.80
George Pond 1.80 87.75 87.75

MOTH EXTERMINATION
Wages:
Edwin Brennan 75.60
William Bonner 7.20
Raymond Dunlea 50.40
Herbert Kibbe 7.20
James Lyons 75.60
Edward Leddy 50.40 266.40
Other Expense
Fitz-Henry Guptill Co. 1.32
Frost Insecticide Co. 3.72 5.04 271.44

Total for Protection of Persons and Property $794.18

HEALTH
Tuberculosis:
Treasurer Hampden County 93.22
Treasurer Hampshire County 486.85
Westfield State San. 121.00 701.07 701.07
DENTAL CLINIC

Dr. H. I. Fiske 100.00  100.00  100.00

MEAT INSPECTION

Edward J. Thresher 115.00  115.00  115.00

ANIMAL INSPECTION

Edward J. Thresher 120.00  120.00  120.00

Total for Health  $1036.07

Highways

CHAPTER 81, Maintenance

Wages:
Bernard Ackerman  20.70
Stanley Baldger  37.35
Fred Battige  17.10
Wendell Battige  136.80
William Bonner  32.85
Elmer Bowen  .90
Edwin Brennan  29.70
Milton Carder  287.10
Albert Claing  7.20
Frank Claing  44.10
Harold Corey  5.85
Chester Dickinson  14.40
Raymond Dunlea  142.65
Ethelbert Dunsmore  15.75
Wilfred Duquette  3.60
George Fisher  21.15
William Gardner  7.20
Arthur Gerrish  428.61
Harold Green  9.00
Austin Harris  14.40
Robert Hastings  38.70
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**Trucks and Teams:**

- Louis Claing: 4.00
- Harold Corey: 3.00
Warren Dickinson      1.13  
Joseph Dunsmore       106.88 
George Fisher         104.63 
William D. McCray     318.97 
Chester Pease         16.00  
William A. Pease      277.88 
Fred Samble           72.00  
Harry Temple          38.25  
Harold Thresher       94.51  
Town of Hampden, truck 18.00 
Robert S. Pease       15.00  
Clifford Gunther      7.50   1077.75

Stone, Gravel, Sand:
Frances S. Jones      95.90  
Edward Christianson   137.25 
George Ferguson       2.50   
John Twohig           18.40   254.05

All Other:
Community Feed Stores 28.24 
Mace Moulton, Jr.      588.60 
N. E. Metal Culvert Co. 141.83 
Robert S. Pease       55.97  
American Tar Co.      790.09 
William A. Pease      11.45  
Homer L. Hatch        1.48   
Express               1.10   1618.76   6800.29

CHAPTER 90, Construction

Wages:
Napoleon Archambault  45.00 
Stanley Baldger       21.60 
Fred Battige          40.95 
Wendell Battige       126.90 
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### STREET LIGHTING


### ROAD MACHINERY

#### Gas and Oil:
- Austin Harris 293.63
- Homer L. Hatch 103.92
- A. G. Corey 3.15
- Anton Woska 2.64  403.34

#### Parts:
- Warren D. Sampson 18.79
- Charles C. Lewis Co. 3.27
- Stacy Supply Co. 10.07
- R. S. Graves & Co. 2.60
- E. L. Austin 17.81
- M. B. Tyler Co. 3.60
- Irving N. Young 129.05
- Austin Harris 10.28
- Tarbell-Watters 1.80
- E. B. Atmus Co. 9.87
- H. D. Allis Co. 21.00
- Charles Millar & Son 1.41
- Krohne's Service Station 7.05
- Leo King 3.50  240.10

#### Labor:
- Austin Harris 28.25
- William A. Pease 24.70
- Leo King 38.00
- Arthur Gerrish 45.00
- Bernard Ackerman 7.20
- Leroy O. Howlett 10.80
- Wendell Battige 3.60
- Milton Carder 3.60
- Collins & Smith 1.00
- Krohne's Service Station 2.25  164.40
Other Expense:

Registry of Motor Vehicles 6.00
Cummmunity Feed Stores, tools 62.95
Bigelow, Dowse Co. 8.03
W. D. McCray, freight 1.46
Homer L. Hatch, misc. 25.57
E. P. Lyons, freight .86
W. J. Foss, waste 4.00
A. K. Harris, plate transfer 1.00
Tarbell-Watters 27.91
William A. Pease 8.05 145.83 953.67

BRIDGES AND RAILINGS

Wages:
Wendell Battige 3.60
Milton Carder 13.05
Ethelbert Dunsmore 37.80
Arthur H. Gerrish 22.50
Austin K. Harris 9.45
Leroy O. Howlett 21.60
Franklin Kibbe 3.60
Edward Leddy 50.40 162.00

Trucks:
William D. McCray 24.75
William A. Pease 9.00
George Fisher 4.50
Harry Temple 4.50 42.75

Other Expense:
Earl H. Harris, gravel 2.20
Thomas Mahar, posts 8.00
Homer L. Hatch, paint etc. 21.94
G. Robbins & Sons Co.,
lumber 115.75
John Twohig, gravel  5.70
Charles Medicke, oil and
bags .56
Sherwin-Williams Paint
Co.  35.95
Henry Poirer, irons  82.50
William A. Pease, misc.  11.00
George A. Chapin, cement 1.70
A. Curtis, whitewashing
stones  4.00
Community Feed Stores,
misc.  17.25
City Wrecking Co.,
lumber  15.50  322.05  526.80

SNOW AND ICE

Wages:

   Barnard Ackerman   1.80
   Edward Averill    8.10
   Wilmont L. Averill 3.60
   Stanley Baldger   7.20
   John Balsar       9.45
   Thomas Balsar     5.85
   Joseph Bandoski   3.60
   Fred Battige      15.30
   Wendell Battige   18.90
   William Bonner    20.03
   Elmer Bowen       .50
   Milton Carder     31.95
   Warren Dickinson  5.85
   Raymond Dunlea    8.10
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Russell Ricard    3.60   
Clifford Ross     7.20   
Esdras Roux       2.70   
Harry Temple      4.50   
Reginald Temple   .63
Cecil Thomas      8.10   
Wellington D. Thomas 25.20 
Edward Thresher   6.30   
Wilbur Tracy      .90  
Theodore Viggers   3.60  822.13

Trucks and Teams:
Austin Harris      174.00 
William D. McCray  77.63 
William A. Pease   1.50 
George Fisher      13.50 
Clifford Gunther   7.18 
Edward J. Thresher 18.00 
Robert S. Pease    21.00  
Warren Dickinson   12.00  
Esdras Roux        8.25  333.01

Other Expense:
Registry of Motor Vehicles  2.00 
William A. Pease, repairs 3.45  
Community Feed Stores, shovels  1.50 
Homer L. Hatch, shovels 3.75  
E. K. Harris, gravel 5.60  
George Ferguson, gravel 16.80  
Edward Christianson, sand  2.50  35.60  1190.74
TRUCK AND SNOWPLOW

Gar Wood Industries, Inc.
body 225.50
International Harvester Co.
chassis 820.00
Holmes-Talcott Co.,
snowplow 210.00 1255.50 1255.50

Total for Highways $27,159.31

Charities and Soldiers Benefits

PUBLIC WELFARE

Printing:
Palmer Register, Inc. 6.75
Daily News 2.76 9.51

Groceries:
Homer L. Hatch 302.42
A. G. Corey 58.69
Battige's Market 8.77 369.88

Clothing:
Stillman's Court Square
Store 4.84
Sears, Roebuck & Co. 2.49 7.33

Coal and Wood:
William A. Pease 14.50 14.50

Board and Care:
State Institutions 312.86
City of Springfield 199.09
Private Homes 440.41 952.36

Medicine:
C. W. King & Co. 80.50 80.50

Rent:
Sundry Persons 210.00 210.00
Other Expense:

Neil S. Kibbe, payment of storage charges, and transportation of FERA commodities 20.85
Malkin Motor Freight Co., freight on FERA commodities 4.25
Royal Typewriter Co., rent of typewriter 7.50
Homer L. Hatch, bags FERA 2.01
Frank Stanin, rent of typewriter 15.00
Austin Harris, trucking, FERA comm. 1.80
William A. Pease, drawing wood 1.00
Community Feed Stores, FERA coal delivery 7.50
A. G. Corey, bagging potatoes, FERA 3.39 63.30 1,707.38

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Cash:

Sundry Persons 1235.00 1235.00

Medical Care:

Dr. Ernest H. Judd 25.00
J. W. Hartshorn 2.00
Pomeroy-Williams Co. 5.60
Dr. H. I. Fiske 4.00
Dr. R. B. Thayer 2.00 38.60

Other Expense:

Community Feed Stores, FERA coal delivery 7.50 7.50 1,281.10
### STATE AID

| Sundry Persons | 48.00 | 48.00 | 48.00 |

### SOLDIERS RELIEF

**Groceries:**
- William J. Finlay: 41.70
- Fred Parker: 66.41 | 122.23

**Fuel:**
- Eugene A. Simpson: 4.50
- Community Feed Stores, FERA coal delivery: 5.00 | 9.50

**Rent:**
- Sundry Persons: 220.00 | 220.00

**Medical Care:**
- Harrington Hospital Corp.: 18.74 | 18.74 | 370.47

### UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

**Wages:**
- William Bonner: 10.80
- Edwin Brennan: 22.95
- Milton Carder: 25.20
- Albert Claing: 13.95
- Frank Claing: 9.00
- Raymond Dunlea: 7.20
- George Fisher: 3.15
- William Gardner: 9.00
- Arthur Gerrish: 13.50
- Edward Gordon: 19.35
- Harold Green: 25.20
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Walter E. Temple, blueprint 5.72
Homer L. Hatch, misc. 5.40
Charles S. Ballard, legal advice 13.00

CWA PROJECTS

Bills incurred for Chapin & Mills Roads

Labor:
Leroy O. Howlett, supervisor 9.00
William A. Pease, blacksmith bill 7.85
Robert S. Pease, dynamiting 4.38

Material:
Frances S. Jones, gravel 73.30
Earl H. Harris, gravel 35.80

Trucks:
William D. McCray 34.50
William A. Pease 29.25
Joseph Dunsmore 35.25

SIDEWALKS

Labor:
Wendell Battige 7.20
Edwin Brennan 7.20
Milton Carder 7.20
Frank Claing 3.60
Arthur Gerrish 11.25
Edward Gordon 7.20
Leroy O. Howlett 13.50
Harold D. Jones 7.20
Franklin Kibbe 7.20
Valentine Luppert  7.20  
George Pond  7.20  85.95  
Material:  
Mace Moulton, Jr.,  
"Colas"  114.40  114.40  200.85  

FUTURE WORK  

Labor:  
Leroy O. Howlett,  
supervisor  2.78  2.78  

Trucks:  
William D. McCray  15.76  
George Fisher  31.50  
Joseph Dunsmore  63.00  
William A. Pease  3.37  113.63  

Material:  
John Twohig, gravel  5.70  
Community Feed Stores,  
tile  3.92  9.62  126.03  
Total for Charities, Soldiers Benefits,  
Unemployment Relief, CWA Projects  
and ERA Projects  $4,631.99  

Schools  

Salaries:  
Charles F. Medicke  60.00  
Robert S. Pease  30.00  
Fred L. Beebe  30.00  120.00  

Superintendent's Salary and Expense:  
Frederick A. Wheeler,  
salary  363.61  
travel  44.41  
misc.  22.30  
Emily Cormier, clerk  115.33  545.65  

Other Expense:  
Charles F. Medicke  5.00  5.00
Truancy:
Fred A. Perkins 7.88, 7.88 678.53

INSTRUCTION EXPENSE

Supervisors:
Helen Tower 218.00
Ethel Morse 180.00 398.00

Instructors:
Louise M. Thayer 1045.00
Catherine L. Flynn 1094.50
Barbara Smith 950.00
Lucy Slight 950.00
Mary Haley 18.00
Lucy Kerr 12.00
Teachers Retirement 155.00 4224.50

Text Books and Supplies:
Milton Bradley 34.97
N. E. Card & Paper Co. 2.90
Public School Publishing Co. 4.00
American Book Co. 13.18
A. N. Palmer 2.84
Carlisle Hardware Co. 1.20
Arlo Publishing Co. 2.36
Benjamin Sanborn Co. 2.27
E. E. Babb Co. 22.12
Ginn & Co. .59
Morgan-Crossman Co. 1.25
John C. Winston Co. 8.02
Shaw-Walker 1.20
Talen School Products 78.82
J. L. Hammett 13.52
Louise M. Thayer 1.55
The Papercrafters 16.56
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Thomas Balsar 43.80
Sophie Richards 52.80
Arthur Green 9.30
Warren Dickinson 21.30
Francis Collins .50 3684.74

Tuition:
Town of Agawam 80.00
City of Springfield 7412.38 7492.38 11,177.12

Health:
Signe Polson, nurse 209.44
Dr. A. A. Starbuck 204.00
Signe Polson, misc. 2.50
Mrs. George Clark 3.75
Federal Pharmacy 18.71 438.40 438.40

Total for Schools $19,285.32

LIBRARY

Salaries:
Hazel M. Burleigh 236.70
Nettie M. Gottsche 137.50 374.20

Books and Periodicals:
Jr. Home Magazine, Inc. 2.50
A. H. Bartlett Co. 3.08
Jr. Literary Guild 24.99
Library Book House 129.56
H. R. Huntting Co. 25.87
Survey Associates, Inc. 3.00
Arthur Womrath 14.15
Massachusetts Library
Club 1.00
Foundation for Narcotics .58
Nat'l Geographic Society 3.00
Elmer Pease 35.50
American Library Association 2.50 245.73
Binding:
H. R. Huntting Co. 22.73 22.73
Other Expense:
Hazel M. Burleigh 9.80 9.80

Total for Library $652.46

Unclassified

INSURANCE

Liability:
W. S. Warriner 400.72 400.72

Fire:
W. S. Warriner 266.85
Olney Woodard 15.05 281.90 682.62

County Aid to Agriculture:
Trustees, Co. Aid to Agriculture 50.00 50.00 50.00

Town Reports:
Palmer Register, Inc. 182.00 182.00 182.00

Memorial Day:
George Fisher, labor 3.60
Harold Corey, freight 3.00
Springfield News Co., flags 4.00
Wenks, florists 17.50 28.10 28.10

Town Common:
Raymond Dunlea, labor 25.20 25.20 25.20

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS GRAVES

Labor:
Raymond Dunlea 37.58
D. L. McCray 2.17 39.75
Other Expense:
  William D. McCray, soil  8.00
  A. A. Jones, mower  2.25  10.25  50.00

Total for Unclassified  $1,017.92

Cemeteries

PROSPECT HILL CEMETERY

Labor:
  Warren Dickinson  22.50  22.50

Other Expense:
  William D. McCray, cinders & soil  7.50  7.50  30.00

TRUST FUNDS

Wages:
  D. L. McCray  29.70
  Valentine Luppert  3.60
  Tennis Rock  10.80
  Frank Claing  11.25
  Carl Howlett  45.68
  Wellington D. Thomas  5.40
  William Haley  14.40
  Fred Mediche  5.40
  Bernie Kibbe  12.60
  William Isham  5.40
  Raymond Dunlea  3.60
  Giles Bassett  5.40  153.23

Other Expense:
  D. L. McCray, misc.  36.65
  A. A. Jones, mower  6.00
  Homer L. Hatch, shovel  1.50
  Stewart Iron Works, markers  11.75
George W. Robbins,  
lumber  39.98  
W. D. McCray, misc.  10.00  105.88  259.11

Total for Cemeteries  $289.11

**INTEREST AND DEBT**

Interest:
- Union Trust Co.  302.20
- Springfield Institution for Savings  308.74  610.94  610.94

Debt:
- Union Trust Co.  10,000.00
- Springfield Institution for Savings  10,400.00  20,400.00  20,400.00

Total for Interest and Debt  $21,010.94

**Agency, Trust**

Agency:
- State Tax  1,000.00
- County Tax  941.53
- State Parks Tax  7.23
- Dog Taxes  282.80  2,231.56  2,231.56

Trust:
- Springfield Institution for Savings, Bennett-Kenworthy Perpetual Care Fund  100.00  100.00  100.00

Total for Agency and Trust  $2,331.56

**Refunds**

On Excise:
- Harold J. Bennett, '33  3.26
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Total on Refunds $39.27

Balance on Hand December 31, 1934 $4,756.72

$86,845.97
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# TOWN OF HAMPDEN

## BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1934

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**DEBT ACCOUNTS**

Net Funded or Fixed Debt | $4,800.00 | Community B'ldg Equipment and land loan | $4,800.00

$4,800.00

**TRUST ACCOUNTS**

Trust Funds, Cash & Securities | $7,870.92 | Day Library Fund | $507.98
Holt Library Fund | 500.00
Bumstead Cemetery | 2,126.91
Cemetery Perpetual | 4,736.03

$7,870.92

Respectfully submitted

MABELLE S. KIBBE,
Bookkeeper

The Town books have been examined and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are correct.

NANCY A. LIBBY
Auditor
Treasurer's Report---Trust Funds

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John Kenworthy 102.64 3.06 4.17 101.53
Anna S. Leonard 102.64 3.06 4.17 101.53
Lydia Morris 102.64 3.08 4.17 101.55
Orcutt 50.73 1.49 2.00 50.22
Mortimer Pease 102.64 3.06 4.17 101.53
William J. Sessions 51.31 1.54 2.03 50.77
Helen E. Stacy 153.46 4.58 5.76 152.28
Calvin Stebbins 102.64 3.06 4.17 101.53
David Stebbins 101.87 3.05 3.39 101.53
John Stoddard 51.31 1.54 2.03 50.77
Twitchell or Burt 204.34 6.11 7.40 203.05
Thompson-Chaffee 306.02 9.15 10.61 304.56
George West 102.14 3.05 3.67 101.52
Chas. N. Whitaker 100.58 3.02 2.08 101.52
John F. Whitaker 102.02 3.05 3.55 101.52

Total on hand January 1, 1934 $7822.31
Interest January 1 to December 31, 1934 238.83
Withdrawn January and December 31, 1934 290.22
Total on hand January 1, 1935 7870.92

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**Treasurer’s Report**

Balance January 1, 1934 $2540.51
Receipts for 1934 83805.46

$86345.97

**Expenditures**

Expenditures for 1934 $81589.25
Balance January 1, 1935 4756.72

$86345.97

VIOLET M. GOTTSCHE,
Treasurer
Town Clerk's Report

Births recorded January 1, 1934 to December 31, 1934 13
Males 7
Females 6
American born parentage 12
Foreign born parentage 1

Deaths recorded January 1, 1934 to December 31, 1934 7
Males 1
Females 6
American born parentage 5
Foreign born parentage 2

Marriages recorded January 1, 1934 to Dec. 31, 1934 12

Documents recorded for 1934 16
Dog licenses issued for 1934 121

Receipts
86 Male Dog licenses @ $2.00 $172.00
14 Female Dog licenses @ 5.00 70.00
20 Spayed Dog licenses @ 2.00 40.00
1 Kennel license @ 25.00 25.00

$307.00

Expenditures
Paid County Treasurer June 1 $ 93.60
Paid County Treasurer Dec. 1 189.20
Clerk's Fees @ 20 cents each 24.20

$307.00

VIOLET M. GOTTSCHE,
Town Clerk
Library Trustees Report

MISS ELIZABETH SESSIONS	Term expires 1934
MRS. GRACE M. CAREW	Term expires 1935
MRS. ELEANOR B. PARSONS	Term expires 1936
Appropriated by the Town	$ 400.00
Dog Fund	237.35
Available from Holt Fund	15.11

$ 652.46

Expended Librarian	$ 236.70
Assistant Librarian	137.50
Books	197.65
Magazines and Periodicals	48.08
Incidentals	9.80
Binding Books	22.73

$ 652.46

DAY FUND

Balance in Fund, Nov. 20, 1933	$ 507.37
Interest to July 1934	16.61

$ 523.98

Dec. 18, 1934 withdrew $16.00 and paid for Christian Heralds	16.00

Balance in Fund	$ 507.98

We recommend for the maintenance of the Library for the following year $400.00 and the Dog Fund.

Respectfully submitted,
GRACE M. CAREW, Sec.
ELIZABETH SESSIONS
ELEANOR B. PARSONS
Library Trustees
Librarian's Report

Circulation of Books  12,679
Books bought           193
Books donated          155
Magazines bought       21
Magazines donated      191

Donors of Books: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heath, 64; Mr. F. M. Jones, 50; Mr. Frank Sessions, 19; Mrs. Stowell, 6; Miss Elizabeth Sessions, 4; Mrs. M. J. Gottache, 4; Althea McCray, 3; Mr. W. J. Sessions, 1; Mr. Richard Stacy, 1; Estella Bassett, 1; Charles Carder, 1; Mrs. Florence Rock, 1.

Donors of Magazines: Mr. F. M. Jones, 34; Mr. Ben Libby for The Garden Club, 24; Miss Mata L. Edgerton, 11; Mrs. Kenia Ryder, 8; Mr. Harvey Smith, 8; Mrs. Fred Perkins, 5; Mrs. W. L. Kibbe, 5; Mrs. H. H. Thresher, 4; Miss Martin, 4; Miss Minnie Hunt, 1.

We have enjoyed the books and magazines very much this year and thank our friends for them. The Garden Club has placed some pamphlets on nut trees in the Library for the use of anyone interested. Mrs. F. W. Tholen loaned us a magazine on Australia which was enjoyed by many. Miss Elizabeth Sessions gave a collection of pictures to the Library which covers a wide range of places and subjects; and the drapes for our windows, also. The set of pictures loaned us by the Woman's Education Association was on the Glacial National Park.
The Librarian was a guest of the Division of Public Libraries at its Institute in Amherst, April 2 to 4 inclusive. Among the things mentioned was the fact that we might have for the asking a set of statistics made from the report on our work for 1933 which was sent to the Division last January. The following list was received. Income per capita 94 cents (standard $1) 41% of total income for books (standard 25%) 56% for salaries (standard 50%) 17 per capita circulation (standard 9) 11\frac{1}{2} hours open (standard 8) 15% non-fiction circulated (standard 20%) no record of population served (standard 60%) 5% cost of service (standard 8) also the fact that 10% of the school or 3% of the whole municipal levy were some of the fair ways of figuring the Library appropriation. The American Library Association figures a dollar per capita which is less than 9 cents a month or about 2 cents a week for each man, woman and child in the community.

An attempt has been made to register our readers. Since April we have had 291 readers, of this number 20 might be counted as visitors.

Thirty-four volumes were rebound in June.

During the spring months some of the school children read as a part of their school work for the State Certificates. Nineteen small certificates were given out for the reading and reporting on five books each. Winifred Medicke, Mary Cowperthwaite and Joseph King each won one of the large blue certificates for the reading of twenty books each, five of which were non-fiction.

During the school vacation period a book caravan trail was conducted by Mrs. Gottschle to promote reading during the summer months among the school children. The Library Trustees sponsored a treasure hunt at the end of the trail which made a happy ending to the adventure. Thirty-eight children enrolled and 20 finished the
reading. There were 281 books read and reported on by these children. Hope Mitchell won first place with 52 books to her credit with Harold Carder’s 51 and Charles Carder’s 42 following.

Library Book Week was observed Nov. 11 to 17 with an exhibition by the school children. The subject for the exhibit was “Hobbies” and the children responded with 59 entries. Among the entries were several collections of Arrowheads, Coins, Stamps and Seashells as well as things they had made and souvenirs brought from distant places and of occasions.

We wish to thank our friends for the Christmas greens which helped to give a little of the holiday spirit to the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. HAZEL M. BURLEIGH,
Librarian

Hampden, December 31, 1934.
Cemetery Commissioners' Report

PERPETUAL CARE

D. L. McCray, labor $26.10
D. L. McCray, Cash paid
express 1.00
D. L. McCray, Cash paid
flowers 3.75
D. L. McCray, Cash paid
fertilizer 5.55
D. L. McCray, Cash paid
soil 12.00
D. L. McCray, Cash paid
paint E.R.A. work 13.35
D. L. McCray, Cash paid
brush E.R.A. work 1.00

$62.75

Labor:
Valentine Luppert 3.60
William Isham 5.40
Tennis Rock 10.80
Frank Claing 11.25
Giles Bassette 9.00
Carl Howlett 45.68
W. D. Thomas 5.40
Wm. Haley 14.40
Fred Medicke 5.40
Birnie Kibbe 12.60
Raymond Dunlea 3.60
Arthur Jones, sharpening lawn mower 6.00
Homer L. Hatch & Son, shovel 1.50
Stewart Iron Works Co., grave markers 11.75
Geo. W. Robbins & Sons, lumber 39.98
E.R.A. work 39.98
Wm. D. McCray, cinders for driveway 9.00
Wm. D. McCray, trucking 1.00

10.00

$259.11

PROSPECT HILL CEMETERY

Appropriation $30.00
Warren Dickinson, labor $22.50
Wm. D. McCray, cinders for driveway $4.50
Wm. D. McCray, soil 3.00

7.50

$30.00

Respectfully submitted,

D. LINCOLN McCRAY,
GEORGE S. FERGUSON,
ERNEST W. HOWLETT,
Cemetery Commissioners
SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' GRAVES

Appropriation $50.00
Raymond Dunlea, labor $37.58
D. L. McCray, labor 2.17
Wm. D. McCray, soil 8.00
Arthur Jones, sharpening lawn mower 2.25

$50.00

Respectfully submitted,

RAYMOND DUNLEA,
Care of Soldiers and Sailors Graves
Report of Assessors

Number of persons, partnerships and corporations assessed
Number on real estate 300
Number on personal estate 99

Number of male polls assessed 296
Value of assessed stock in trade $4,025.00
Value of assessed live stock 27,853.00
Value of assessed machinery 14,086.00
Value of all other assessed tangible personal property 3,577.00
Value of assessed tangible personal estate 49,541.00
Value of assessed real estate
  Buildings excluding land $371,725.00
  Land excluding buildings 231,580.00

Total valuation of assessed estate $603,305.00
April 1, 1934 652,846.00

Tax for state, county and town purposes, including overlayings
  Personal $ 1,684.39
  Real Estate 20,512.37
  Polls 592.00

$22,788.76

Rate of total tax per $1,000 $34.00
Number of horses assessed 92
Number of cows assessed 363
Number of sheep assessed 12
Number of neat cattle, other than cows assessed 134
Number of swine assessed 35
Number of dwelling houses assessed 274
Number of acres of land assessed 12,198
Number of fowl assessed 3,594
Value of fowl assessed $2,875.00
State Tax $1,000.00
Division of Parks in Dept. of Conservation 7.23
County Tax 941.53
Overlay (of current year) 576.24
Estimated receipts $13,763.43
Available funds 5,876.00

$19,639.43

Taxes abated during 1934
Commitment of 1932 $8.00
Commitment of 1933 42.40
Commitment of 1934 116.28

Number of Motor Vehicles taxed 334
Value $51,970.00
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax $1,421.60

Abatements
Commitment of 1934 101.93
Commitment of 1932 17.51
# TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

## General Government

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<td>Certifying notes</td>
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<td>Hampden Town House</td>
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## Protection of Persons and Property

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<td>Moth Eradication</td>
<td>257.38</td>
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<td>Fire House</td>
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<td>(Use of auditorium four times yearly)</td>
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<td>Tuberculosis Hospital</td>
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<td>Meat Inspector</td>
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<td>Animal Inspector</td>
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<td>Dental Clinic</td>
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<td>Health</td>
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## Highways

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<td>Chapter 90 Construction</td>
<td>2,400.00</td>
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<td>Snow and Ice Removal</td>
<td>500.00</td>
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Bridges and Railings 500.00
Street Lighting 450.00

Charities and Soldiers Benefits
Old Age Assistance 1,200.00
Public Welfare 1,000.00
State Aid 48.00
Soldiers' Relief 400.00
Unemployment Relief 500.00
Schools 18,500.00
Library 400.00

Unclassified
Aid to Agriculture 50.00
Memorial Day 25.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves 50.00
Printing Town Reports 182.00
Town Common 25.00
Insurance 625.00
Reserve 500.00

Cemeteries
Prospect Hill 30.00
Interest 800.00
Debt 400.00
Article 20, complete C.W.A. work started on sidewalk 200.00
Trucks and gravel for C.W.A. project 1157 229.33
Article 22, future C.W.A. work 125.00

Total Appropriation $35,015.93

Voted to transfer $750. from Road Machinery Fund to Machinery Account.
April 4, 1934

Street Lights $111.26
Forest Fire Equipment 150.00
Snow and Ice Removal 700.00
Dental Clinic 50.00

Total $1,011.26

August 20, 1934

From Excess and Deficiency Account

Welfare Work $800.00
E.R.A. Work 300.00
School Account 1,226.00
Allen St. (to complete the road to East Longmeadow line) 600.00

Total $2,926.00

Voted to transfer $200 from road machinery fund to road machinery account.

Voted to appropriate $2,000, to be used by the Assessors for the reduction of the tax rate. This appropriation to be taken from the Excess and Deficiency Fund.

Total Appropriations $39,903.19

HOMER L. HATCH,
WALTER R. BARTLETT,
EDWARD J. THRESHER,
Board of Assessors
REPORT OF MEAT INSPECTOR

During the year of 1934 I have inspected:
81 pig, 16 calves, 9 beef, 9 sheep.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD J. THRESHER
Meat Inspector

REPORT OF ANIMAL INSPECTOR

During the year 1934 I have inspected 72 barns.

Respectfully submitted,
EDWARD J. THRESHER,
Animal Inspector.
Tax Collector's Report

EXCISE TAX OF 1933

Balance due Dec. 31, 1933 $ 136.28
Collected and paid Town Treasurer 116.05
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1934 20.23
Interest paid Town Treasurer 3.15

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE OF 1933

Balance due Dec. 31, 1933 $ 6.00
Collected and paid Town Treasurer 6.00

POLL TAX OF 1933

Balance due Dec. 31, 1933 $ 48.00
Collected and paid Town Treasurer $10.00
Abatements 38.00 48.00
Interest paid Town Treasurer .80

TAX OF 1933

Balance due Dec. 31, 1933 $12,761.54
Collected and paid Town Treasurer $11,582.73
Transferred to Tax Titles 46.20
Abatements 4.40 11,640.33
Balance due Dec. 31, 1934 1,121.21
Interest paid Town Treasurer 508.94

EXCISE TAX OF 1934

Commitments $ 1,417.60
Collected and paid Town Treasurer $ 1,182.76
Abatements 68.95 1,251.71
Balance due Dec. 31, 1934 165.89
Interest paid Town Treasurer 4.03

POLL TAX OF 1934
Commitment $596.00
Collected and paid Town Treasurer 544.00
Balance due Dec. 31, 1934 52.00
Interest paid Town Treasurer .81

TAX OF 1934
Commitment $22,196.76
Collected and paid Town Treasurer $13,781.64
Abatements 116.28 13,897.92
Balance due Dec. 31, 1934 8,298.84
Interest paid Town Treasurer 15.83

Respectfully submitted,
D. LINCOLN McCRAY
Collector.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

During the year 1934 I have sealed the following:
- 3 Platform Scales, 100 to 5,000 lbs.
- 1 Counter Scale, under 100 lbs.
- 1 Beam Scale, under 100 lbs.
- 1 Spring Scale, 100 to 5,000 lbs.
- 3 Computing Scales, under 100 lbs.
- 9 Gasoline Pumps
- 2 Meter System Pumps

Paid Town Treasurer fees collected $7.70

Equipment $2.10
Salary 25.00

AUSTIN K. HARRIS, Sealer.
Report of Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hampden:

Early in 1934 the Selectmen and State Engineers made out a budget for the maintenance of various highways of the Town, under Chapter 81. The following represents the work done during the year.

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<td>Springfield Road</td>
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<td>Longmeadow Road</td>
<td>440.95</td>
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<td>Wilbraham Road</td>
<td>21.63</td>
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<td>Somers Road</td>
<td>28.80</td>
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<td>Ludlow Road</td>
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<td>Isaac Bradway Road</td>
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<td>Mill Road</td>
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<td>Carmody Road</td>
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<td>Main Street</td>
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<td>South Road</td>
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<td>Chapin Road</td>
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<td>South Monson Road</td>
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<td>Thresher Road</td>
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<td>Howlett Hill Road</td>
<td>77.95</td>
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<td>Stafford Road</td>
<td>285.68</td>
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North Monson Road 678.81
Bennett Road 188.75
Ames Road 219.29
Glendale Road 320.75
North Road 1058.97
McCray Road 261.60
Culverts 141.83
Tools 36.97

Total $6,800.29

Allotments:
State $5,100.00
Town 1,700.00

$6,800.00

Under Chapter 90, 4500 feet of asphalt bound macadam was constructed on Allen Street, finishing the road to the East Longmeadow line. The Town appropriated $3,000.00 the County $5,000.00, and the State contributed $8,000.00.

The Selectmen have asked for the following year that the State and County aid in widening East Longmeadow Road from Point of Rocks to the East Longmeadow line, and also begin the hardening of Glendale Road. With the generous help that has been given before, it seems that by road work our Welfare list is kept down, as road work is practically the only work this town can do in the summer months.

As the Board of Public Welfare the following report is submitted:

Total number of Families aided during 1934 11
Total number of Persons aided during 1934 41
Total number of Families being aided Dec. 31, 1934 6
Total number of Persons being aided Dec. 31, 1934 15
This number includes persons living in other cities and towns for whose bills this town is responsible. It also includes Soldiers Relief Recipients. Of the 15 persons now being aided, 8 are living in other towns and 7 in this town. Of the 7 living in this town the State will reimburse for 3, and Springfield for 2.

There are at present 5 recipients of Old Age Assistance. The town is reimbursed one-third of the expense incurred on these cases. It is expected that there will be three more cases for the coming year.

The Board of Public Welfare has distributed during the year the following FERA Commodities:

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<td>Salted and Smoked Pork</td>
<td>638 pounds</td>
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<td>Butter</td>
<td>300 pounds</td>
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<td>Cheese</td>
<td>50 pounds</td>
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<td>Rice</td>
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<td>Cereal</td>
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<td>Cabbage</td>
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<td>Flour</td>
<td>45 Bags</td>
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<td>Blankets</td>
<td>8 Pair</td>
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<td>Roast Beef, canned</td>
<td>408 Cans</td>
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<td>Potatoes, 100 pound bags</td>
<td>17 Bags</td>
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On December 31, 1934, there was a total of 31 families receiving these commodities, with a total of 116 persons. Of these families 3 are on the Welfare list, 21 families were ERA workers and 7 were needy families who receive no other aid.
APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR 1935

General Government:
- Legislative: 5.00
- Selectmen: 225.00
- Accounting: 250.00
- Treasurer: 300.00
- Collector: 450.00
- Assessors: 250.00
- Town Clerk: 75.00
- Law: 100.00
- Elections and Registrations: 75.00
- Town Hall: 10.00
- Town House Maintenance: 800.00
- Certifying Notes: 15.00

Protection of Persons and Property:
- Police: 100.00
- Forest Fire Equipment: 100.00
- Sealer: 35.00
- Forest Fires: 100.00
- Forest Warden: 25.00
- Tree Warden: 100.00
- Moth Eradication: 257.38
- Fire House: 75.00

Health and Sanitation:
- Tuberculosis Hospital: 105.95
- Meat Inspection: 100.00
- Animal Inspection: 100.00
- Dental Clinic: 100.00
- Health: 300.00

Highways:
- Chapter 81, Maintenance: 1,700.00
- Chapter 90, Construction: 2,000.00
- Snow and Ice Removal: 500.00
Bridges and Railings  500.00  
Street Lighting  332.04  
Road Machinery  1,250.00  

Charities and Soldiers Benefits:  
Old Age Assistance  $2,000.00  
Public Welfare  2,000.00  
State Aid  48.00  
Soldiers Relief  400.00  
Unemployment Relief  500.00  

Schools:  $19,195.00  
Library:  $400.00  

Unclassified:  
Aid to Agriculture  $15.00  
Memorial Day  25.00  
Soldiers and Sailors Graves  50.00  
Town Common  25.00  
Printing Town Reports  
Insurance  34.16  
Census  
Reserve  2,500.00  

Cemeteries:  
Prospect Hill Cemetery  $30.00  

Interest and Debt:  
Interest  $800.00  
Debt  400.00  

Respectfully submitted,  

NEIL S. KIBBE  
NELSON M. CAREW  
WALTER E. TEMPLE  
Selectmen of Hampden
GYPSY MOTH REPORT

Egg Clusters Found 4,825
Colonies Found 100
3 Largest Colonies (egg clusters) 1,000

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD P. LYONS
Supt.

REPORT OF FIRE WARDEN FOR 1934

We have had the following fires during 1934
6 Chimney Fires
6 Forest Fires
1 Barn Fire
7 House Fires

One hundred feet of hose and other equipment for use in the department has been added.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD P. LYONS
Fire Warden
REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES FOR COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

Financial

Receipts:
Balance carried over from 1933 $11.52
Appropriation for the year 1934 50.00

Total $61.52

Expenditures:
4-H Club Department $15.98
Home Bureau Department 19.92
Agricultural Department

Total $35.90

Balance $25.62

Activities Carried and Brief Summary of Results Accomplished

4-H Club Department: Seventy-two (72) boys and girls did 4-H Club work in the following projects: Canning, Clothing, Corn, Poultry, Dairy, Food, Gardening, Fruit, and Sheep.

Seven local leaders assisted as volunteer leaders for this 4-H work. The expenditures shown above for this department were for the necessary expenses incurred by these local leaders during the year for making home visits, attending training conferences at the League office and in a few instances at the State College in Amherst. Fourteen meetings were held in the Town by the county and local leaders with an attendance record of one hundred and thirty-five (135) boys and girls.
**Home Bureau Department:** One hundred and forty-six (146) women were enrolled during the year in one or more of the following Home Bureau projects: Cotton Dress, Christmas Gifts, Garment Finishes, Our Money’s Worth, Better Homes, and Christmas Greens.

**Agricultural Department:** Eleven farm visits were made by the agricultural agent and state specialists in the Town of Hampden. Five days of the agent’s time were spent on these visits and attending group meetings of men interested in potatoes, fruit, poultry, and corn-hog adjustment programs.

**OTIS E. HALL**
Managing Director and Clerk

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**DETAIL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT**
**TOWN OF HAMPDEN**

**Receipts:**
- Balance carried over from 1933  $11.52
- Appropriation for the year 1934  50.00

**Total** $61.52

**Expenditures:**

**Home Bureau Department**

- Rubie S. Hooker,
  - Expenses as local leader  11.96
- Beatrice T. Henrick,
  - Expenses as local leader  7.46
- Mrs. Betty Scheibler,
  - Expenses as local leader  .50

**Total** $19.92
4-H Club Department

Mrs. Stanley J. Kibbe,
Expenses as local leader  1.80

Miss M. Frances Flynn,
Expenses as local leader  2.18

Mrs. Nettie Gottsche,
Expenses as local leader  1.80

E. Earle Dickinson,
Expenses as local leader  10.20

$15.98

Total Expenditures  $35.90

Balance  $25.62
Report of the School Committee of Hampden

ORGANIZATION

Charles F. Medicke, Chairman 1935
Robert S. Pease 1936
Fred L. Beebe 1937
Frederic A. Wheeler, Sec. and Supt.

The town has or will receive the following sums as reimbursement for 1934:

- General School Fund, Part I $ 1,368.57
- General School Fund, Part II 1,729.14
- Superintendence 214.81
- High School Tuition 3,833.36
- High School Transportation 1,647.62
- Trade School Tuition 436.88
- Agawam Agricultural School 73.13
- Trade School Transportation 248.80
- Massachusetts Training School 60.68
- State Wards 588.77
- Refunds from Springfield high school tuition 38.25

Total reimbursements $10,240.01
EXPENDITURES

School Committee $127.88
Superintendence,
  Salary  363.62
  Office Expense  187.03  550.65
Supervisors Drawing and Music  399.00
Teaching  4,224.50
Textbooks and Supplies  193.11
Janitor  975.00
Fuel  1,065.51
Miscellaneous Operating  74.51
Repairs  54.47
Health  443.57
Transportation  1,617.60

Total for Elementary schools $9,725.80
High School Tuition  6,378.63
Trade School Tuition  1,113.75
High School Transportation  1,952.60
Trade School Transportation
  (from Sept. to Dec. 31, 1935)  114.54

9,559.52

Total for all Schools $19,285.32
Expense Elementary Schools  9,725.70
Reimbursements  3,901.29

Cost to Town  5,824.41
High School Tuition  6,378.63
Reimbursements  3,871.61

Cost to Town  2,507.02
High & Trade School Transportation  2,067.14
Reimbursements  1,896.42

Cost to Town  170.72
Trade School Tuition 1,113.75
The reimbursements will be one half 556.87
Appropriation for schools 18,500.00
Special Town meeting 1,226.00

Total 19,726.00
Expenditures 19,285.32

Unexpended 440.68

The School Committee recommends an appropriation of $19,195.00.

School Committee $ 125.00
Superintendence 590.00
Supervisors 380.00
Teachers 4,250.00
Textbooks 125.00
Supplies 250.00
Janitor 1,000.00
Fuel 700.00
Miscellaneous Operating 200.00
Repairs 100.00
Health 425.00
Transportation 3,560.00
Tuition 7,480.00
Miscellaneous 10.00

$19,195.00

The High School transportation item includes the sums to be paid to pupils living beyond the two (2) mile limit.
Tuition for High and Trade schools have been estimated as follows:

Jan. 28, 1935 to June 30, 1935
26 senior @ $85       2,210.00
10 juniors @ 67.50    675.00
8 trade @ 90           720.00

Sept. 1935 to Jan. 1936
32 seniors @ $85      2,720.00
10 juniors @ 67.50    675.00
8 trade @ 60           480.00

Total for High and Trade School Pupils   $7,480.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES F. MEDICKE
ROBERT S. PEASE
FRED L. BEEBE
Report of
Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Hampden:

Herewith is submitted my report as superintendent of schools for the year ending December 31, 1934.

Sight and Hearing Tests

State law provides that each year the eyes and ears of all the children in the public schools shall be tested by the teachers for sight and hearing. These tests are carried out in accordance with very definite instructions sent out by the State Department. In the case of children found by the teacher's test to be defective in either sight or hearing, the school nurse, Miss Polson, retests. If the retest shows evidence of defective sight or hearing, a notice is then sent to the parents with the request that they take the child to an oculist or a physician for further examination, and, if necessary, for glasses or treatment. The reports to the superintendent for the current year show one hundred and eighteen children tested, of whom seven gave evidence of defective sight and two of defective hearing.

Pre-School Center

Since the first of last February there has been carried on at the Town House a pre-school center under the
care of Mrs. Mary W. Haley. This project is not a part of the public school system. The school committee neither employs nor pays the person in charge of it. But it could hardly be carried on without the approval and cooperation of the committee. There has been no expense to the school department in connection with it except for a few supplies which have been taken from the stock of supplies bought for the schools.

The enterprise is carried on under regulations prescribed and with money furnished by the federal government. Mrs. Haley's eligibility for the work was passed on by Washington. From the time that the project was started last February until into November, the amount allocated by the federal government for use for the Hampden project was so small that the project had to be confined to one forenoon a week. An increased allocation was made in November, so that at present the pre-school center is open for three hours every forenoon that school is in session. It is expected that the project will be continued at least till the end of the present school year. In all twelve children have been enrolled in the pre-school center during the fall term, but owing to the epidemic of whooping cough the daily attendance has fallen considerably below this number.

School Lunches

During the past year under the auspices of the Department of Public Health a school lunch survey was made covering eighty-seven towns and cities of the state. A letter received from the Department of Public Health gives a summary of the findings and comments specifically regarding Hampden to the effect that its school lunch survey card "indicates the need of education for a hot lunch in cold weather." There is no question regarding the benefits to children of a hot dish during the noon recess of the school day. The matter has been discussed
repeatedly at conferences with the teachers, but under present conditions for the teachers to attempt to prepare soup or cocoa and to serve it would disrupt the day's program and is not practicable. If a hot lunch is to be provided as recommended by the State Board of Health, some outside person should be secured to prepare and serve it. The experience of the schools of East Longmeadow and Wilbraham in serving hot lunches leads to the conclusion that not a sufficient number of children would buy hot lunches to make it possible for an outsider to prepare and serve the lunches as a commercial enterprise. Probably the only satisfactory way in which the recommendation of the State Board of Health can be carried out would be for the town to make an appropriation to cover the expense of preparing and serving. In the town of East Longmeadow this has been done for several years. Both the Center and Pleasant View schools have been equipped for serving lunches.

If the serving of soup or cocoa should be undertaken, probably an initial expenditure of from $50 to $75 would be necessary for equipment. It might cost as much more for a woman to prepare the lunches, serve them, and wash the dishes. In East Longmeadow in each school a woman is paid $70 for doing this work for the three winter months of December, January, and February. At the Center school a large number of the children pay for their lunches, so that there is no cost to the town for food, but at the Pleasant View school the Welfare Department furnishes the provisions which go into making the soups. All children who wish it are served and are not asked to pay unless their parents are in circumstances to do it and are disposed to do so.

In order to show proper respect to the Department of Public Health and to find out the attitude of the community toward this need of the children, I would recom-
mend that an article be put in the warrant for the annual town meeting to see if the town will appropriate a sum of money for buying equipment and paying for the service.

The School Dental Clinic

For four years a dental clinic for the benefit of the Hampden school children was carried on through an arrangement with the town of East Longmeadow whereby school children were carried to the clinic room in the Pleasant View school at East Longmeadow for treatment by Dr. J. H. T. Maloney, school dentist for East Longmeadow. Last February the selectmen and school committee cooperating entered into an arrangement with Dr. H. I. Fiske of Hampden. In accordance with this arrangement Dr. Fiske equipped the clinic room in the Town House for dental work and carried on a dental clinic there for the school children during the months of April, May and June.

There are advantages in the present arrangement. The most obvious one is that of convenience and saving of time. When a group of children was taken to the East Longmeadow dental clinic, each child lost half a day from his classroom, and the time and care of the school nurse were needed for the transportation. Under the present arrangement a child loses from his classroom only the actual amount of time during which he is in the dentists chair.

Because of the convenience with which, under the present arrangement, the school dentist can pass from working on the teeth of one child to working on the teeth of another, the policy of the clinic has been changed somewhat. Not as many children have had all the work needed done on their teeth, not as many "Dental Certificates" have been issued, but every child for whose treat-
ment the parents made application has received some treatment. However the amount of the appropriation made it impossible to do all the work that ought to have been done. In some cases only the urgent work could be attended to.

Dr. Fiske has summarized the work done in the dental clinic as follows:

63 Visits
63 Patients
11 Dismissed
39 Amalgam fillings
24 Cement fillings
33 Permanent teeth filled
14 Temporary teeth filled
8 Permanent teeth extracted
74 Temporary teeth extracted
18 Abscessed teeth
53 Cleanings
53 Examined
53 Signed for clinic
11 Certificates

A reading of the above list by anyone who has suffered from an abscessed tooth or has paid "city prices" for dental work will lead to an appreciation of the pain from which the children of Hampden have been saved and of the saving in dollars and cents which has been made for the citizens of the town through the dental clinic.

If there is any situation in which the old saw that "a stitch in time saves nine" is applicable, it is in dental work. There is no good reason why practically all the children in the schools of Hampden should not go through life with sound, natural teeth if their teeth at this period
of their lives receive needed dental treatment and reasonably good care.

**Increase in School Enrolment**

During the past four years the total enrolment of elementary, high and trade school pupils for the town of Hampden has increased from 130 to 168 pupils, a gain of 38. While this gain has not increased the salary costs of the schools it does mean more books, more supplies, more time for the school physician, and, especially, larger tuition bills. The gain in high and trade school pupils during this period has amounted to thirteen. These thirteen pupils cost the town about $2,000 a year for tuition. While this necessitates a larger annual appropriation than formerly, it also means a proportionately larger reimbursement from the state treasury.

An increase in the number of pupils enrolled in high school is not unique to Hampden. The condition is widespread. Indeed the rapid growth in the size of high schools has been largely responsible for the mounting costs of education. High schools are necessarily expensive as compared with elementary schools. It is probable that the peak in high school enrolment for a period of years has now been reached, or, at least, nearly reached. Such a large proportion of the boys and girls of high school age are in high school.

In connection with the large high school enrolment in high schools, there is a substantial volume of criticism to the effect that the state ought not to furnish secondary school education indiscriminately and that attendance upon high school at the expense of the state ought to be restricted to those who, through their scholarship records, have tended to prove that they will profit by attendance upon high school. All others, say the critics, if they are to go, should go at their own expense. I believe
that this criticism has a certain justification in the fact that in almost any high school today there are to be found pupils who are attending irregularly, neglecting their work, failing to receive benefit from attendance, and are liabilities rather than assets to the school. This condition is the more regrettable because the modern high school offers such a variety of courses that almost without exception a pupil who secures admission can find courses adapted to his capacities which he has the ability to carry through successfully provided he applies himself sincerely to the task. Let me repeat in substance an appeal contained in the report of a year ago. Parents are urged to cooperate with the school department to the fullest extent to make sure that their children enrolled in high school have chosen courses in accordance with their capacities, are attending regularly, and are doing their school work day by day successfully.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERIC A. WHEELER
REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

The work of the school nurse has involved the same things as in previous years. The school doctor has been assisted in vaccinating thirteen children. All but three of the children enrolled in the schools are now vaccinated and these three have presented certificates of exemption.

Diphtheria immunization treatment has been given to nineteen children, eighteen receiving the toxin-antitoxin and one, a pre-primary child, the toxoid treatment. Fifteen children have been Schicked.

During the past year the State Board of Health, with the assistance of the Hampden County Tuberculosis Association and the school nurse, has given the Von Pirquet test to seventy-two children. Of this number thirteen were positive reactors. Thirty were X-rayed and one was given a physical examination. The tests, X-rays and physical examinations revealed one case of quiescent tuberculosis and one suspect. Twenty-eight of those X-rayed were negative.

Eight children spent from twenty to sixty days each at Camp Frederic Edwards. One of the eight gained seven pounds in weight while there, and the total gain in weight for the eight was thirty-one pounds.

Two hundred physical examinations, exclusive of the one referred to above, have been given. These included pre-primary and pre-school children, part of the examinations for the school year '33-'34 and part of the examinations for '34-'35. Seventy-one parents have been pre-
sent when their children were examined. There were 153 children found to have physical defects to which attention should be given. This is not the number of different children, but includes duplications, owing to the fact that some children were examined and reported for the school year 1933-34 and again for the school year 1934-35. These defects may be classified as follows:

- Defective tonsils, 41 children
- Defective teeth, 108 children
- Strabismus (cross-eye), 2 children
- Defective nutrition, 12 children
- Defective posture, 18 children
- Defective feet, 12 children

Literature which contained suggestive exercises was given to children having posture and feet defects. It is believed that the use of these exercises will tend to remedy defective conditions. This literature was also given to children with a one degree defect in the hope that by faithful use of the exercises suggested they may prevent progress of the defect.

The nurse made 50 schoolhouse and miscellaneous visits and held 106 consultations with teachers, pupils, parents, and others.

In 306 inspections no pediculosis was found. Impetigo, whooping cough and itch have been prevalent, and children afflicted with these diseases have been excluded.

In March 106 children were weighed. There were 68 given a rating of A, 5 were rated as D, one showed no gain since the last weighing, and one had lost weight. In Sep-
tember the showing was not so good. Of 117 children weighed, 47 were rated as A, 12 as D, 5 showed no gain, and 21 had lost weight. More rest, milk, and cod-liver oil probably would help correct this loss of weight.

Respectfully submitted,

SIGNE L. POLSON, R. N.
School Nurse
SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1934-1935

Fall Term:
   Tuesday, September 4, to Friday, December 21.
Winter Term:
   Wednesday, January 2, to Thursday, February 21.
Spring Term:
   Monday, March 4, to Friday, April 26.
Summer Term:
   Monday, May 6, to Tuesday, June 18.

TABLES OF STATISTICS

Children in the School Census and Their Distribution
October 1, 1934.

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School Membership and Attendance, 1933-1934

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Membership by Schools and Grades, December, 1934

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Number of Pupils in High School, December, 1934.

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<td><strong>Grand Total</strong></td>
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Grammar School Graduates, June, 1934.

Billy Averill
Ruth Gladys Baker
Rodney Lowe Benjamin
Charlotte Theresa Burleigh
Martha Althea Dickinson
Mary Elizabeth Dunlea

E. James Green
Edward J. Haley
Dorothy Elizabeth Hatch
Cecile M. Renault
Eleanor Putnam Shute
Elizabeth M. Strahan

HONOR ROLL

On Honor Roll of Springfield Schools
One or More Times During 1934

Julia M. Bandoski
Estella Bassett
Ida Carder
Ethel Davis
Cecile Duquette
Jeanne Duquette
Cornelius Flynn
Dorothy Hatch
John Hayes

Roland Isham
David Joyce
Audrey McCray
Kenneth Moody
Clarence Mottle
Julie Munk
David Officer
Rylis Peronto

Awarded Certificate by The A. N. Palmer Co., 1933-34
for Excellence in Penmanship

Betty Dunlea

Perfect Attendance, 1933-1934

William Carder
Earle Harris
Lorna Harris
Delphine Howlett
Leo Kelly

William Kelly
Harold Luppert
Ethel Peterson
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Charles Sabbides
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SCHOOL DIRECTORY, JAN. 1, 1935

School Committee
Charles F. Medicke, Chairman
Robert S. Pease
Fred L. Beebe

Superintendent of Schools
Frederic A. Wheeler, East Longmeadow

Superintendent's Clerk
Emily O. Cormier, East Longmeadow

Teachers
Mrs. Louise M. Thayer, Hampden, Grades 7 and 8
Mrs. Catherine L. Flynn, Hampden, Grades 5 and 6
Barbara D. Smith, North Wilbraham, Grades 3 and 4
Lucy A. Slight, 358 South St., Agawam, Grades 1 and 2

Supervisor of Drawing
Mrs. Helen B. Tower, 23 Haskin St., Springfield

Supervisor of Music
Mrs. Ethel C. Morse, 244 Pearl St., Springfield

School Physician
Dr. A. A. Starbuck, 6 Maple St., Springfield

School Nurse
Signe L. Polson, 36 Summit St., Springfield

School Dentist
Dr. H. I. Fiske, Hampden

Supervisors of Attendance
Walter Lyons, Hampden
Fred Perkins, Hampden
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampden, ss.

To ARTHUR H. GERRISH, Constable of the Town of Hampden:

GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Hampden, qualified to vote in Town affairs and Elections, to meet at the Town House on Monday, the Fourth day of February, A. D., 1935, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meetings.

Article 2. To choose a Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, three Selectmen who shall be the Board of Public Welfare, one School Committee for three years, one Collector of Taxes, three Constables, one Cemetery Commissioner for three years, one Tree Warden for one year, one Library Trustee for three years, and one Auditor for one year. Also to vote on the following question, ballot to be "Yes" or "No".
1. Shall the operation of section one hundred and five B of Chapter one hundred and thirty one of the General Laws, requiring for the taking of fur bearing animals the use of traps that kill at once or take such animals alive unharmed, be suspended within this town?

All to be on one ballot. Also to choose all other necessary Town Officers. The polls open at 10:15 A. M. and may close at 6 P. M.

Article 3. To hear the annual report of the Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, School Committee, Town Bookkeeper, Assessors, Tax Collector, Library Trustees, Cemetery Commissioners, Auditor, and any committee whose duty it may be to report at said meeting, and act thereon.

Article 4. To determine the method of collecting taxes and direct in regard to the payment of same.

Article 5. To fix the compensation of all officers elected by the Town, in accordance with Section 8, Chapter 591, Acts of 1920; and also all other employees of the Town.

Article 6. To see what disposition the Town will make of the Dog Fund, now in the hands of the Treasurer.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appoint an agent or agents to institute or prosecute or defend suits and actions at law to which the Town may be a party.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $15.00 to be expended in the Town by the Hampden County Trustees for Aid to Agriculture in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the Commonwealth.
Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,700.00 for the repair and maintenance of Town Roads, and instruct the Selectmen to petition and contract with the Commissioners of the Department of Public Works, under the provisions of Chapter 81, Section 28, of the General Laws.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Street Lights.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money in accordance with Chapter 218, Acts of 1920, an act relative to the care of the graves of Soldiers and Sailors.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $257.38 for the suppression of gypsy and brown tail moths.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for forest fire fighting equipment.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, to co-operate with the State and County for construction and surfacing a part of North Monson Road, construction to begin at junction of Bennett and North Monson Roads.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, to co-operate with the State and County, to widen the East Longmeadow Road, work to start near Point of Rocks and go towards East Longmeadow Line.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 to co-operate with the
State and County, for the maintenance of Chapter 90 roads.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of a Dental Clinic, in accordance with provisions of Section 50, Chap. 111, G. L. or take any action relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to provide hot lunches for the school children, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the suppression of tent caterpillars.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for further ERA work.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of what is known as the “Old Mill” property, from D. L. McCray, for the purpose of establishing a recreation center; or take any action relative thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Fund the sum of $318.58 to pay bill of Ballard and Weston for 1934.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $34.16 for the State Census Enumeration.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the town treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935,
and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 25. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges the ensuing year and carry into effect any vote or votes passed under the preceding articles, and to appropriate the same, also to vote how such money shall be raised.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting an attested copy thereof at each of the places designated by the Town. Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at or before time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this twenty sixth day of January, 1935.

NEIL S. KIBBE
NELSON M. CAREW
WALTER E. TEMPLE

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