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Town Officers 1907.

TOWN CLERK.

Edward L. Macomber.

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Jonathan B. Hicks.

Treasurer's salary $\frac{1}{2}$ of one per cent on payments.

Collector's commission 1 per cent on taxes collected.

SELECTMEN.

Albert F. King,	Term expires March, 1908
Jonathan Borden,	Term expires March, 1909
Elmer E. Gifford,	Term expires March, 1910

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Albert F. King,	Term expires March, 1908
John D. Tupper, M. D.	Term expires March, 1909
Elmer E. Gifford,	Term expires March, 1910

ASSESSORS.

Henry A. Allen,	Term expires March, 1908
Albert F. King,	Term expires March, 1909
Augustus R. Wood,	Term expires March, 1910

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Robert A. Gifford,	Term expires March, 1908
John Gifford,	Term expires March, 1909
Harry L. Potter,	Term expires March, 1910

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Charles F. Sanford,	Term expires March, 1908
Augustus R. Wood,	Term expires March, 1909
Edward L. Macomber,	Term expires March, 1910

SINGLE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR.

Peleg S. Sanford, Jr.

FISH COMMISSIONERS.

Henry B. Tripp,	Term expires March, 1908
Eli Handy,	Term expires March, 1909
Philip S. Tripp,	Term expires March, 1910

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Albert S. Cole.

TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Samuel H. Macomber,	Term expires March, 1908
Kate W. Chace,	Term expires March, 1908
John W. Gifford,	Term expires March, 1909
Nason R. Macomber,	Term expires March, 1909
Frederick L. Tripp,	Term expires March, 1910
Augustus R. Wood,	Term expires March, 1910

CONSTABLES.

Daniel M. Sanford.
Edward Athington.
William Macomber.
Henry P. Wing.

FENCE VIEWERS.

William E. Paull.
Daniel M. Sanford.
Albert E. Davis.

LANDING COMMISSIONERS.

Jonathan B. Hicks.
George A. Tripp.
John Gifford.
Andrew H. Sowle.
George W. Russell.

AUDITORS.

Henry E. Davis.
Albert D. Manchester.

TREE WARDEN.

Jonathan Borden.

DRAW TENDER OF WESTPORT BRIDGE.

Thomas J. Brightman.

SUPERINTENDENT OF BEECH GROVE CEMETERY.

William H. Pettey.
Salary \$200.

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

Eli Handy.
George A. Tripp.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

Edward L. Macomber,	Town Clerk,
Edward A. Howland,	Term expires May, 1908
George H. Handy,	Term expires May, 1909
Oscar H. Palmer	Term expires May, 1910

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

George A. Tripp.

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER AND MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

Arthur M. Reed	Thomas E. Borden
Albert F. King	Sylvester C. Manley
Peleg S. Sanford, Jr.	George W. Kirby

FOREST FIRE WARDS.

Frank Whalon	Daniel A. Tripp
Sylvester C. Manley	Albert A. Sanford

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT OFFICER.

Charles F. Sanford.

TRUANT OFFICER.

Henry P. Wing.

SUPERINTENDENT TOWN FARM.

William Brown.

Salary \$400.

LIBRARIAN FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Annie R. Howland.

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL.

Lysander W. Howland.

Statistics of Sundry Items.

Debt limit 3 per cent. of valuation	\$50409 75
Notes due N. B. Institution of Savings	44900 05
Excess of debt limit above outstanding notes	5509 75
Population of the town census 1905	29 78
Number of children enrolled between 5 and 15 year of age	507
Number of children enrolled between 7 and 14 years of age	364
Annual Town Meeting second Monday in March	
Meetings of the various boards of the town officers the last Saturday afternoon of each month.	
The Public Library is open every Saturday from April 1 to Oct. 1, 6 to 8 P. M., from Oct. 1 to April 1. 5 to 7 P. M. for exchange of books	
Number of illiterate minors over 14 years of age	17

Report of the Selectmen.

The undersigned respectfully submit the following report from their records of the past year.

The board organized March 19, 1907, with Albert F. King, chairman and Elmer E. Gifford, secretary.

APPOINTMENTS.

were made as follows viz;

Sealer of weights and measures, George A. Tripp; registrar of voters, Oscar H. Palmer for three years; inspectors of animals, George A. Tripp and Eli Handy; forest firewards, Daniel A. Tripp, Frank Whalon, Sylvester C. Manley and Albert A. Sanford; janitor of town hall, Lysander F. Howland; burial agent, George E. Gifford; tree warden, Jonathan Borden to fill a vacancy; special police officer Christopher Borden.

AUCTIONEER LICENSES

were granted to Arthur M. Reed, William H. Gifford, Frank R. Slocum and William F. Macomber.

SLAUGHTER HOUSE LICENSES.

were granted to Hiram A. Mosher, Charles R. Wood, Edward S. Francis, Charles S. Austin, Isaac Tripp, Zebedee E. Davis, Joshua H. Wordell, Joseph Perron and Marcus E. Lawrence.

STATE AID.

On December 28, 1907 there were eleven persons drawing state aid viz: one wife, one widow and nine invalid pensioners.

No one has received any military aid or soldiers relief during the year.

BONDS.

During the year the board has approved of the following bonds viz: Jonathan B. Hicks treasurer and collector of taxes \$12500.00, Edward L. Macomber town clerk \$500.00.

List of Jurors.

Drawn during the past year.

George P. Brownell
John F. McDonold
Albert F. King
John H. Allen

Charles F. Gifford, 2nd
David A. King
Herbert A. Sanford
Nason R. Macomber

CLAIMS AGAINST THE TOWN.

The claim of Antoine Ferreira against the Town for injury received while working at the stone crusher plant, resulting in the loss of an eye, has been settled by paying Mr. Ferreira five hundred dollars.

The suit brought against the Town by Byron W. Cottle for damage received by reason of an alleged defect in the highway has not been reached. It will probably be tried at the April term of the Superior Court at Fall River.

AUTOMOBILES.

September 10, 1907, the Selectmen adopted a regulation limiting the speed of automobiles to eight miles an hour through the villiages and fifteen miles an hour over the other roads of the town.

To this regulation a protest was filed with the State Highway Commission.

So far as the board knows no action has been taken by the commissioners on either the regulation of the protest.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Insurance has been placed on the new school building at the Head of the River through the office of A. G. & W. J. Howland in the following mutual companies:—

Dorchester of Boston, fifteen hundred dollars; Traders and Mechanics of Lowell, fifteen hundred dollars; Quincy of Quincy, two thousand dollars; Holyoke of Salem, two thousand dollars, also five hundred dollars on the furniture.

The insurance has been renewed on the new school building at Westport Point through the same office for the sum of three thousand dollars.

ELECTRIC ROADS.

On July 9, 1907, the board granted a franchise to the Dartmouth and Westport Street Railway Co. to construct a double track along the highway from the westerly end of the state highway to the Fall River line with the exception of a short space where the tracks cross the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Co. tracks, where the single track as at the present laid will remain.

Beginning at the point where the single track leaves off westerly from said railroad tracks and continuing to the junction of the Hicksville road the rails are to be 70 lb. T. rails laid parallel with and southerly from the present tracks. Between the point near the junction of the Hicksville road and the City line the present tracks on the southerly side of the highway are to be removed, and two parallel tracks are to be laid in the center of the 80 ft. way as laid out by the Selectmen, September 19, and excepted by the Town October 3, 1894.

The rails to be used in this section are to be nine inch girder rails, and the space between the rails and eighteen inches outside of said rails are to be block paved with standard granite blocks laid in sand.

Inasmuch as the location of said tracks reasonably necessitates the widening of the causeway at the Narrows to include the entire width of said layout, involving the building of a new retaining wall and filling the causeway the said Street Railway Co. will make such widening at its sole expense. Said work of alteration and construction is to be completed within a period of one year from the date of this franchise, thus making practically a double track service from the Dartmouth line at Westport Factory Village to the Fall River line at the Narrows.

June 26, 1907, the board received a petition from a majority of the board of directors of the Shore Line Street

Railway Co.,(a corporation in process of organization) asking for a location for the tracks of the proposed Railway Co. as follows:

To begin at a point in the location of the Dartmouth and Westport Street Railway Company's tracks at the town line between Dartmouth and Westport, and to extend through the town in a southerly direction over the following roads. Line road and Forge road to Head of Westport Village, Pine Hill road to South Westport, South Westport to Akin's Corner, Line road to Horseneck Beach, thence over Beach road and Horseneck road to Westport Point Bridge, its terminus.

After learning that a Mr. Sheldon of Boston had charge of the matter the chairman wrote to him asking when it would be convenient for some one of the proposed company to be present at a hearing. Failing to get any reply and being in Boston July 30, on another matter, we called on Mr. Sheldon at his office. Mr. Sheldon said that he received the letter but was waiting to hear from some one in the West. He thought that he could advise us in relation to the hearing within a week.

Having heard nothing more from him we have taken no further action in the matter.

TELEPHONES.

During the year permits have been granted to erect poles and wires along the highways as follows:

To Charles Williston of Fall River from State Highway at Beulah, to his farm on Gifford road, (this permit has since been transferred to the Southern Mass. Telephone Company).

To Southern Mass. Telephone Co. from Westport Factory Village, line road northerly to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad tracks.

Also to re-construct the line from Westport Factory Village to Westport Point and from Central Village to the Rhode Island line.

ALBERT F. KING	}	Selectmen of Westport.
ELMER E. GIFFORD		
JONATHAN BORDEN		

Westport, December 31, 1907.

Report of Board of Government.

Beech Grove Cemetery.

The undersigned respectfully submit the following report as required by article 1st of its By-Laws.

Edward L. Macomber was authorized to sell lots in said cemetery and write deeds for the same.

One rear lot has been sold for	\$15 00
There is now for sale 17 center lots at	20 00 each
2 front "	20 00 "
1 rear "	5 00

The annual Town Report will show the receipts and payments of the Cemetery department during the past year.

ALBERT F. KING	}	Board of Gov't of Beech Grove Cemetery.
ELMER E. GIFFORD		
JONATHAN BORDEN		

Westport, December 31, 1907.

Report of the Board of Health.

The undersigned respectfully submit the following report from the records of the past year.

The board organized March 30, 1907 and elected John D. Tupper M. D., chairman and secretary. The board appointed Edward L. Macomber, agent. April 27, the board appointed Eli Handy, Albert E. Davis, John E. Perry and Sylvester C. Manley, inspectors of meats. Granted undertakers' licenses to Hicks & Potter and George E. Gifford. Issued 55 burial permits. Issued permits to disinter the remains of 27 bodies.

The board received notices of the following number of contagious diseases: Measles, 4; Scarlet Fever, 4; Diphtheria, 1.

The board deem it advisable to again reprint the revised laws pertaining to diseases dangerous to the public health. In the past there has been negligence on the part of physicians and householders probably more from neglect than to evade the law. The following is therefore inserted particularly to call their attention to the same and the penalties for a non-compliance.

Your attention is called to the fact that sections 49 and 50 of chapter 75 of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter 251 of the Acts of the year 1905, and section

52 of chapter 75 of the Revised Laws, have been amended by chapter 480 of the Acts of the year 1907, so that the same now read as follows:—

SECTION 49. A householder who knows that a person in his family or house is sick of smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever or any other infectious or contagious disease declared by the state board of health to be dangerous to the public health shall forthwith give notice thereof to the board of health of the city or town in which he dwells. Upon the death, recovery or removal of such person, the householder shall disinfect to the satisfaction of the board such rooms of his house and articles therein as, in the opinion of the board, have been exposed to infection or contagion. Should one or both eyes of an infant become inflamed, swollen and red, and show an unnatural discharge at any time within two weeks after its birth, it shall be the duty of the nurse, relative or other attendant having charge of such infant to report in writing within six hours thereafter, to the board of health of a city or town in which the parents of the infant reside, the fact that such inflammation, swelling and redness of the eyes and unnatural discharge exist. On receipt of such report, or of notice of the same symptoms given by a physician as provided by the following section, the board of health shall take such immediate action as it may deem necessary in order that blindness may be prevented. Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars.

SECTION 50. If physician knows that a person whom he is called to visit is infected with smallpox, diphtheria, scarlet fever or any other disease declared by the state board of health to be dangerous to the public health, or if one or both eyes of an infant whom or whose mother he is called to visit become inflamed, swollen and red, and show an unnatural discharge within two weeks after the birth of such infant, he shall immediately give notice thereof in writing over his own signature to the selectmen or board of health of the town: and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit not less than fifty nor more than two hundred dollars for each offence.

Your attention is further called to the fact that having been directed by chapter 183 of the Acts of the year 1907 to define what diseases shall be deemed to be "dangerous

to the public health " as the term is used in chapter 213 of the Acts of the year 1902, entitled "An Act Relative to compensating Cities and Towns for caring for Persons infected with the Smallpox or Other Diseases Dangerous to the Public Health" the State Board of Health, at a meeting held August 1, 1907, voted to define as "dangerous to the public health," within the meaning of said chapter 213 of the Acts of the year 1902, the following diseases:—

ACTINOMYCOSIS,	SCARLET FEVER,
ASIATIC CHOLERA,	SMALLPOX,
CEREBRO-SPINAL MENINGITIS,	TUBERCULOSIS,
DIPHTHERIA,	TYPHOID FEVER,
GLANDERS,	TYPHUS FEVER,
LEPROSY,	WHOOPING COUGH,
MALIGNANT PUSTULE,	YELLOW FEVER.
MEASLES,	

It is a satisfaction to be able to report so few cases of contagious diseases during the past year. A cheerful compliance of the above laws and acting in conjunction with the board of health will add greatly to a continuance of the clean report as made by the board for the last few years.

JOHN D. TUPPER, M. D.	} Board of Health.
ELMER E. GIFFORD	
ALBERT F. KING	

Westport, Mass., December 31, 1907.

Assessors' Report.

The board of assessors respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Organized April 27, with Augustus R. Wood as chairman and secretary.

STATEMENT OF TAXATION.

Amount of Town appropriations	\$38515 64
Amount of State tax	2080 00
Amount of State highway tax	212 70
Amount of County tax	2519 43
Total tax to be raised	<u>\$43327 77</u>
Deduct for amount to be raised by loan as per vote of the town	\$8000 00
Deduct for Corporation tax	1091 26
Deduct for 774 polls @ \$2.00 each	1548 00
	<u>\$10639 26</u>
Leaving amount to be laid on property	\$32688 51
Add for overlay	917 99
Total amount laid on property	<u>\$33606 50</u>
Amount laid on polls	1548 00
Amount of tax delivered to collector	<u>\$35154 50</u>

 ADDED LIST.

Oct. 27, Dartmouth and Westport Street Rail- way Company excise tax	\$1205 53
Dec. 19, for real estate omitted at yearly assessment	95 50
Dec. 19, for one poll omitted at yearly assessment	2 00
Total amount of tax delivered to collector	<hr/> \$36457 53

STATISTICS.

Assessed valuation May 1, 1907	\$1680325 00
Real estate buildings	818050 00
Real estate land	667300 00
Total balance of real estate assessed	1485350 00
Personal property assessed	194975 00
Increase in valuation from May 1, 1906	6575 00
Rate of taxation per \$1000	20 00
Number of polls assessed	774
“ polls exempted	29
“ horses assessed	804
“ cows “	1150
“ sheep “	13
“ neat cattle “	158
“ swine “	134
“ fowl “	26220
Value of fowl assessed	\$13110 00
Number of dwelling houses assessed	872
Numbers of acres of land assessed	29146
Number of residents taxed on property	789
Number of non-residents taxed on property	501
Number paying a poll tax only	260

Total number of tax payers	1550
Number of dwelling houses taxed to residents	583
Number of dwelling houses taxed to non-residents	289
Number of acres of land taxed to residents	21479
Number of acres taxed to non-residents	7667
Value of real estate taxed to residents	\$940150 00
Value of real estate taxed to non-residents	\$545200 00
Number of veteran exemptions allowed under the Act of 1906,	18
Amount of veteran exemptions	\$11775 00
Number of acres of land not owned by religious societies, exempt from taxation	579
Number of houses not owned by religious societies, exempt from taxation	54
Value of real estate not owned by religious societies, exempt from taxation	\$30125 00
Value of real estate owned by religious socie- ties exempt from taxation	\$24375 00
Value of personal property owned by religious societies, exempt from taxation	\$4161 00
Number of persons liable to military duty	308
Number of dogs returned	398

AUGUSTUS R. WOOD	} Assessors.
ALBERT F. KING	
HENRY A. ALLEN	

Town Clerks' Report.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1906

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents.
1905.		
May 22	Veronica Silvano	Emmanuel and Carrie Silvano
June 14	Mary A. Cunningham	John F. and Louisa J. Cunningham
Aug. 2	Edward Freeman Case	Henry F. and Annie A. Case
Sept. 1	Byron Arthur Davis	John H. and Agnes Davis
Oct. 28	Maurice Leslie Fogg	Frederic E. and Mabel B. Fogg
1906.		
Jan. 6	Harriet N. Manchester	Gideon and Mary I. Manchester
8	Sherman	Edw. B. and Sarah E. M. Sherman
15	Elliot Godfrey Holmes	Elliot and Celia Holmes
18	Dorothy Sylvia Wood	Fredrick A. and Anna W. Wood
Feb. 4	Henry Francis Perry	John H. and Mary A. Perry
7	Carrie Travers	Frank and Mary Travers
8	Petty	John F. and Hannah F. Petty
9	Annie Couit	Francisco M. and Mary Couit
12	William Arthur Bradbury	William R. and Alice Bradbury
19	Dorris Lillian Akin	Andrew A. and L. Lillian Akin
23	Emeline Sousa	Manuel and Mary Sousa
Mar. 2	Joseph DeAndrade	Manuel and Christina DeAndrade
19	Ruth Adeline Wood	Charles R. and Annie L. Wood
19	Dorothy Melvina Wood	Charles R. and Annie L. Wood
27	Margaret Adelaide Borden	Melvin C. and Florence Borden
29	Osmund Tripp Borden	Othniel T. and Sarah P. Borden
April 17	Louise Maude Potter	Frank A. and Alice M. Potter
22	Chandler Manchester Spinger	James B. and Fannie C. Springer
28	Sophia Perry	John and Maria Perry
28	Frances Perry	John and Maria Perry
May 1	Ethelyn Cora Maker	William A. and Lelia B. Maker
4	Ina May Petty	Harry I. and Sarah O. Petty
5	Rosaline Furtado	Frank and Leonode Furtado
24	George Charles Shepardson	Geo. and Frances E. Shepardson

27	Ethel Almy Manchester	Geo. L. and Emily J. Manchester
27	Illegitimate	
28	Lloyd Wilcox Coggeshall	Chester E. and Cora O. Coggeshall
30	Mabel Florence Hitt	George E. Jr. and Ida C. Hitt
June 27	Stillborn	
29	Metivier	Louis and Leonida Metivier
July 1	Jonathan Lawton Chace	Robert L. and Jane Chace
12	John L. Rocha, Jr.	John C. and Frances Rocha
18	Hickerson	Ahira S. and Sarah A. Nickerson
23	Eliza Perry	Marion and Mary Perry
28	Peter Wereneck	Frank and Felix Wereneck
29	Paradis	Elzear and Leontine Paradis
31	Illegitimate	
Aug. 6	Mary Morengo	Frank and Emily Morengo
7	Harold Edmund Davis	Charles E. and Ellen T. Davis
19	Stanley Eugene Gifford	Robert A. and Eugenie M. Gifford
20	Milton Brown Willis	Thomas and Hannah J. Willis
28	Sophia Helena Tripp	Clayton B. and Ellora A. Tripp
Sept. 8	Elmer Zephaniah Brayson, Jr.	Elmer. Z. and Eudora M. Brayton
12	Beaulieu	Cyrille and Laura Beaulieu
14	Rosa Sylvia	Antone R. and Rosa Sylvia
25	Laura Edna Fournier	Arthur and Virginie Fournier
Oct. 8	Borden	Thomas E. and Macie L. Borden
11	John Stephen Partington	John C. and Bridget A. Partington
25	Jennie Radcliffe	William and Mary A. Radcliffe
31	Ella Potter Gardner	Chas. and Lizzie W. Gardner
Nov. 5	Edna May Haskell	Holder E. and Sarah J. Haskell
11	Illegitimate	
16	Edgar Gordon Gifford	Edgar F. and Clara E. L. Gifford
Dec. 3	Edward Desrosiers	Joseph and Minnie Desrosiers
5	Wendell C. Reed	Clinton M. and Minnie B. Reed
10	Dargis	Victor and Adele Dargis
11	Edith Alice Mercer	William S. and Alice J. Mercer
23	Hazel Avis Tripp	Granville T. and Lillian M. Tripp

DEATHS REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1907.

Date of		Name of Deceased	Age		
Death			y	m	d
1907					
Jan.	1	Betsey A. Horton	78	10	4
	8	John H. Sowle	84	11	
	11	Nancy E. Young	87	2	24
	13	Abby S. Gifford	83	11	
	17	Elzear Nevere	37	6	
	18	Henry Edgar Devoll	33	5	
	26	Wendell C. Reed		1	21
	27	Caroline J. Handy	82	10	3
Feb.	8	Gideon F. Wordell	48	11	
	8	George H. B. Brownell	80	10	
	13	Isaac F. Lawton	73	11	24
	20	Phebe M. Sowle	86		3
Mar.	4	Harry Sanford		1	3
	6	Ardelia D. Allen	86	11	10
	15	David N. Craw	48	5	7
	20	Laura A. Chace	7	11	11
Apr.	1	Josiah Eaton, Jr.	67	5	5
	2	George D. Kirby	73	9	23
	10	Catherine F. Higginbottom	46	7	3
	12	Harold Lynwood King	1	7	26
	12	Lysander W. White	52	3	16
May	11	Frederick E. Stanton		1	16
	16	Grace L. Leary			10
June	5	Ann M. Sherman	66	3	9
	5	Marguerite Chace	5	11	
	23	Stephen Harding Day	26		
July	20	John Grinnell	87	3	4

Aug.	4	Daniel H. Brownell	67	4	3
	8	Ella Potter Gardner		9	8
	10	Hannah F. Gorham	80	6	10
	19	George F. Wood	86	9	29
	22	Catherine MacDonald	75		17
	27	Lucy M. Sullivan	43		
	30	Milton E. Cornell		6	
Sept.	1	Amelia G. Carr	66		26
	8	Lavinia A. T. Vinal	81		
	14	James H. Cornell	81	3	18
	15	Gideon R. Chase	90	4	9
	16	Alfred Bridge	52	3	11
	30	Mary A. McDonald	67		
Oct.	1	Emily Porter	68	9	17
	9	Pardon Almy Gifford	45	1	6
	10	Bridget Pratt	78		
	14	Melissa A. Craw	55	8	8
	25	Betsey A. Cornell	75	5	10
	27	Priscilla B. Macomber	68	5	20
Nov.	13	Azariah G. Tripp	68	1	16
	18	Ezra Himes	70	11	28
	21	Frances E. Eaton, Jr.	65	3	27
	25	Charles W. Chace	75	9	3
	29	Jacob M. Cornell	83	1	7
Dec.	7	Reuben W. Crapo	78	2	27
	14	William H. Kanuse	34	10	17
	16	Joe Thomas Perry	4		
	17	Samuel C. Manchester	56	11	25
	24	Meribah Gifford Pettey	51	10	7
	27	Zelicia F. Kirby	57	11	13

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1907.

- Jan. 1 William A. Kirby and Etta M. Brightman, both of Westport, by J. B. Parris, Clergyman.
- Jan. 6 Wilfred Garner and Mary Murra, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Feb. 7 Frederick A. Howland, Jr. and Edith F. Sherman, both of Westport, by James McAllister, Clergyman.
- Apr. 6 Pierre Peltier and Domethille Berard, both of Westport, by J. A. Prevost, Rector.
- Apr. 17 George A. Davis of Little Compton, R. I. and Martha E. Whalon of Westport, by J. B. Parris, Clergyman.
- May 4 Charles H. Gifford and Grace F. Wimer, both of Westport, by James B. Aldrich, Clergyman.
- May 4 Alexander Roberts and Mildred B. Porter, both of Westport, by Edward Francis, Minister of the Gospel.
- May 12 Charles E. Pettey of Westport and Maria V' Wordell of Little Compton, R. I., by Edward Francis, Minister of the Gospel.
- June 17 Harry Russell Bourne and Ida May Reeves, both of New Bedford, by Edward Francis, Minister of the Gospel.
- June 27 Robert F. Doane and Ruth A. Artingstall, both of Westport, by Edward Francis, Minister of the Gospel.
- July 20 Joseph August Sylvia and Mary de Jesus Bragga, both of Westport, by A. G. S. Neves, R. C. Priest.
- July 24 Frank Murphy and Clara B. Brightman, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 1 Emile Dube of Fall River and Aberta Lepage of Westport, by J. A. Prevost, Pastor.
- Sept. 3 William Frederickson of Fall River and Clara L. Mosher of Westport, by Joseph Butterworth, Minister of the Gospel.

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- Sept. 18 Marsden Rhodes Foster of Chelsea and Minnie Ethel King of Westport, by Henry Irving Cushman, Clergyman.
- Sept. 29 Fibiue Couture and Maria Guilmette, both of Westport, by L. A. Casgrampti, Priest.
- Oct. 24 Thomas S. Crosby of Westport and Sarah O. Manter of West Tisbury, by Albert E. Hylan, Clergyman.
- Oct. 29 Richard Smith of New Bedford and Ida M. Lake of Westport, by John J. Phelan, Clergyman.
- Oct. 30 Edward E. Jones and Alice S. Tripp, both of Westport, by William H. Shaw, Minister of the Gospel.
- Dec. 26 C. Chester Gifford of New York City and Corina M. Lewis of Westport by Charles H. Hopkins, Minister of the Gospel.
- Dec. 30 Willis H. Howard of Westport and Maria Bradbury of Fall River by Archie R. Webb, Clergyman.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. MACOMBER,

TOWN CLERK.

Report of Trustees of the Free Public Library.

The trustees of the Free Public Library respectfully submit the following report, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1907:

Number of books in the library, Dec. 31, 1906,	1629
Number added during the year,	87
Number of books taken out during the year,	1454

Owing to the fact that this year's appropriation was rather larger than heretofore, the trustees have been enabled to place in the library room a most excellent unabridged dictionary and also to purchase a much needed card index, besides expending rather more than usual for new books. The larger part of the books purchased have been works of fiction but the aim has been to add each year a few standard works and reference books so that in time the Westport Free Public Library may become well equipped along the most essential lines.

Since quite a number of public school children hold library cards and regularly use them, books helpful to them have been chosen whenever possible. Several magazines have been subscribed for, for the year and it has been voted to exchange some books with the Westport Point library.

More shelf room will be necessary the coming year and it is to be hoped that the yearly appropriation will be sufficiently large to provide this without lessening the amount usually expended for books.

For financial statement see report of board of auditors.

On behalf of the trustees,

JOHN W. GIFFORD, Chairman.

KATE W. CHACE, Secretary.

Westport, Dec. 31, 1907.

Treasurer's Report

OF PUBLIC AND TOWN LANDINGS.

LANDINGS AT HORSENECK

Cash in treasury January 1, 1907	\$672 87	
Received for rents for year 1907	136 90	
Received from E. G. Gifford	100 00	
Total		\$909 77

PAYMENTS

Landing Commissioners	\$20 00	
Total		20 00
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1907		\$889 77

LANDING AT WESTPORT VILLAGE

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1907	\$125 75	
Received for rents for year 1907	32 09	
Total		\$157 84

PAYMENTS

George A. Tripp	\$1 25	
Total		1 25
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1907		\$156 59

LANDING NEAR HIX BRIDGE

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1907	\$5 22	
Received for rents for year 1907	5 68	
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Total		10 90
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1907		\$10 90
Total amount available of Public and Town Landings		\$1057 26
Deposited in N. B. Institution for Savings agreeable to vote of Town	\$1000 00	
Cash in treasury	57 26	
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Total		\$1057 26

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures.

For the financial year ending Dec. 31, 1907, for the town
of Westport.

The auditors of the town of Westport respectfully submit the following statement of the financial condition of the town for the financial year ending December 31, 1907.

We have examined the vouchers of the several departments of the treasury and have carefully compared them with the entries in the books of the treasurer, and caused all errors found in the entries to be corrected and where vouchers were found missing, have caused vouchers to be procured or other sufficient evidence in the form of cancelled checks to be shown that such entries have been paid.

We have also examined the collector's books and you will find a statement of their accounts in the the collector's accounts.

We find the sum of five thousand (5000) dollars on notes and interest to the amount of one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine (1849) dollars, making a total of six thousand, eight hundred and forty-nine (6849) dollars to be raised by taxation to cancel maturing notes and interest during the financial year of 1908.

We find that all the funds deposited in the town for the perpetual care of burial lots have been invested in the New Bedford Institution for Saving and respectfully ask that the auditors of the year 1908 be authorized to transfer from unappropriated money a sufficient sum of money, which, together with the amount of interest accrued on funds heretofore invested will equal the sum of seven hundred and fifty-six dollars and seventy-nine cents (\$756 79), the amount now available for the care of the several lots for which deposits have been made.

We recommend the transfer of the amount due the Westport Point crusher account of seven hundred and ninety-five ^{dollars} and twenty-one cents be transferred to Aiken's Corner crusher account or such other department as the town may determine. We also recommend that the balance now standing to the credit of the Monument account of twenty dollars be transferred to some other department.

Collector's Account.

CORTEZ ALLEN, COLLECTOR.

1903 Tax.

Dr.

Uncollected taxes	\$27 52	
Interest	12	
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Total		\$27 64

Cr.

Taxes collected and paid treasurer	\$ 86	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	12	
Abatements	26 66	
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Total		\$27 64

CORTEZ ALLEN, COLLECTOR.

1904 Tax.

Dr.

Uncollected taxes	\$32 22	
Interest	37	
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Total		\$32 59

CR.

Taxes collected and paid treasurer	\$2 86	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	37	
Abatements	29 36	
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Total		\$32 59

JONATHAN B. HICKS, COLLECTOR.

1905 Tax.

DR.

Uncollected taxes	\$1669 63	
Interest	122 11	
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Total		\$1791 74

CR.

Taxes collected and paid treasurer	\$1542 71	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	122 11	
Abatements	91 14	
Uncollected taxes	35 78	
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Total		\$1791 74

JONATHAN B. HICKS, COLLECTOR.

1906 Tax.

DR.

Uncollected taxes	\$7185 71	
Interest	146 10	
Added taxes	32 12	
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Total		\$7363 93

CR.

Taxes collected and paid treasurer	\$4875 16	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	146 10	
Abatements	139 52	
Uncollected taxes	2203 15	
Total		\$7363 93

JONATHAN B. HICKS, COLLECTOR.

1907 Tax.

DR.

Amount of taxes received from the assessors	\$35154 50	
Amount of added taxes	97 50	
Excise tax of D. & W. Street Railway Co.	1205 53	
Interest	4 86	
Total		\$36462 39

CR.

Taxes collected and paid treasurer	\$27855 95	
Interest collected and paid treasurer	4 86	
Abatements	64 50	
Uncollected taxes	8537 08	
Total		\$36462 39

PERPETUAL CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY.

William H. Pettey, Supt.

Names of Depositors and Owners of Lots.	No. of Lot.	Section	Amt. of Deposit	Amount of Income Expended.	Amount of Income Available for 1908.
Wm. S. and Mary E. Wood	1	A	\$50 00	\$2 50	\$2 32
Mary Davis	2	A	50 00	2 00	2 00
Charles Potter & Richmond W. Tripp	4	A	50 00	2 53	2 00
John F. Pettey	18	A	50 00	2 00	2 00
Ira Tripp	19	A	50 00	2 00	2 92
George B. Gifford	25	A	50 00	2 00	2 20
Christopher B. Tripp	34	A	50 00	2 20	2 22
Mary M. Kelley	36	A	50 00	2 00	1 50
Edmund Kirby	44	B	50 00	1 50	2 50
William Gifford	45	B	50 00	1 50	2 87
Mary Tripp	46	B	50 00	2 50	4 40
Judith E. Kirby	47	B	50 00	2 88	2 00
Clarinda Macomber	48	B	50 00	1 50	3 42

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY.—(Continued.)

Lafayette S. Gifford	63	B	50 00	2 00	2 26
Timothy Leary	68	B	50 00	2 50	2 96
Adelizza M. Green & Caroline A. Luce	71	B	75 00	2 75	3 75
Charlotte Hicks	72	B	50 00	2 75	3 67
Elizabeth Kirby	77	B	50 00	2 50	2 42
Drucilla G. Manchester	79-80	B	100 00	5 00	47 31
Abby Dring	83	B	50 00	2 25	2 16
William E. Tripp	90	C	50 00	2 00	2 00
Abby F. Tripp	117	C	100 00	2 50	17 18
Ruth S. Potter	127	C	100 00	2 50	13 74
Edward S. Smith	128	C	50 00		2 20
Daniel Tripp	129	C	50 00	3 25	7 62
Philip Sanford	136	C	50 00	1 50	4 39
Zelotus S. Almy	6-8	D	100 00	3 50	8 08
Asa S. Jones	14	D	50 00	2 50	2 13
Phebe A. Sisson	16	D	50 00	1 50	2 67
Mary S. Winslow	18	D	75 00	2 50	3 60
James H. Sanford	25	D	50 00	1 50	2 77
Mary A. Clayton	28	D	50 00		1 55
Nannie E. Tripp	30	D	50 00	2 00	2 00

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY.—Continued.

Mary J. Wing	32	D	50 00		8 13
Calvin Manchester	35	D	50 00	1 50	2 50
Mary Seabury and Nathaniel S. Brownell	43	D	50 00	2 00	2 92
Walter S. Davis	52	D	50 00	2 00	2 00
Leonard Brownell	53	D	50 00	1 50	2 63
Clarinda F. Snell	10	E	50 00	1 50	3 40
William W. Gifford	11	E	50 00	1 50	2 50
Henry F. Wilbour	14	E	50 00	2 50	4 59
Sarah H. Brownell	16	E	50 00	2 50	3 87
Albert M. Allen	17	E	50 00	1 66	2 34
Everett G. Manchester	19	E	50 00	1 50	6 92
George F. Wood	22-24	E	100 00	4 00	4 83
George W. Kirby	25	E	50 00	2 50	4 73
Judith M. Russell	31	E	50 00	1 50	3 63
Mary S. Macomber	105	C	50 00	20	2 09
Margaret Potter	94	C	100 00		2 98
Charles R. Brownell	23	A	75 00		74
Lysander W. White	110	C	50 00		48
			\$2925 00	\$98 47	\$288 00 <u>\$228.09</u>

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY.

George F. Gifford, Supt.

George B. Grinnell, Sexton.

Depositors or Owners of Lots	No. of Lot	Amount of Deposit	Amount of In- come Expended	Amount of Income Available
Henry C. Baker	12	\$50 00	\$3 50	\$2 71
Alexander Brownell	17	50 00	4 00	4 62
George M. White	29-56	150 00	8 00	31 75
Amy W. Richmond	37	100 00	6 00	18 61
Cynthia Little	39-41	75 00	7 00	2 63
Ann E. Sisson	44	100 00	4 00	11 24
Annie C. Davis (grave)	73-45	50 00	2 00	2 00
Elizabeth G. Howland	48	50 00	1 50	2 35
John C. Macomber	50	50 00	1 50	2 80
Malvin F. Gifford	83	50 00	1 48	2 00
Ellis Tripp and Alida Merrill	94	50 00	5 00	1 00
Nellie F. Sisson	100	75 00		3 25
Abiatha Poole and Mary Grant	117	100 00	6 00	5 50
Mary Grant	119	100 00	6 00	5 00

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY.—(Continued.)

Willard W. Turner and Kate W. French	128	100 00	3 50	6 16
James H. Allen	150	50 00	3 93	2 50
Addie M. Fish	79	250 00	8 00	28 33
Rebecca Pettey	132	50 00	3 00	2 75
Mary C. Bailey	11	50 00		1 90
Edward S., Elizabeth S. and Carrie C. Devoll's graves	31	50 00		1 55
		\$400 00	\$74 41	\$138 65

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY.

George E. Gifford, Supt.

Prudence S. and Geo. A. Simmons	39	\$50 00	\$1 50	\$14 62
Rhoda T. Macomber	51	50 00	1 50	14 62
Ezekiel W. Reed	110	50 00	3 00	2 83
Ellsworth L. Sabins	129	50 00	4 50	3 11
James F. Tripp	143	50 00	4 00	3 80
Rachel M. Trafford	150	100 00	4 87	8 00
Alvin G. Weeks or William A. Davis		50 00	3 00	3 01
J. M. Wright or Henry T. Aiken and Frank Sisson	25	25 00		1 25

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY.—(Continued.)

Charles S. Sherman	52-53	50 00		1 65
Ruth S. Sherman	72	175 00		1 25
Benjamin S. Thurston	81	100 00		71
Cynthia A. Mosher	114	50 00		41
Mary A. Allen	17 Annex	50 00		1 33
		\$850 00	\$22 37	\$56.59

WESTPORT POINT CEMETERY.

Zoeth Howland, Supt.

Alexander Groves		\$50 00	\$ 71	\$2 00
Pardon Davis and Lydia A. D. Ball	2 lots	100 00	3 00	15 91
Charles E. Case		50 00	1 50	5 72
Edward E. Hicks for A. Hicks lot		50 00	1 50	7 80
Isaac Cory		50 00	2 00	4 88
Benjamin Gifford		50 00	1 50	3 63
Abraham Dyer		50 00	1 50	3 63
Pierce and Isaac Tompkins		50 00	1 50	3 63
Jeremiah Brightman		100 00	2 00	8 25
Clark Tripp or Alfred Tripp		50 00	1 50	2 00
Thomas Watkins		100 00		1 57
Rufus Brightman		50 00		1 33
		\$750 00	\$16 71	\$60 35

PRIVATE BURIAL LOTS.

Henry Brightman	\$100 00	\$3 53	\$4 47
Wilson Sherman	100 00		40 33
Brownell lot	300 00	7 25	33 69
Howland lot by Wm. F. Howland			
C. K. Brownell	100 00	3 15	5 36
George Wing	100 00	5 38	6 52
James Allen	100 00	4 17	13 75
Abner Wilcox	100 00	4 00	4 00
Green Allen	100 00	4 05	4 26
Hicks lot	250 00		88 63
Silas Kirby	100 00	3 10	5 19
Sherman lot by J. L. Sherman	50 00	1 80	2 36
Charles Sisson	25 00		1 25
Tripp lot Macomber's Corner	100 00		3 30
	\$1525 00	\$36 43	\$213 11

Amount of funds deposited in N. B. Institution for Savings
 Amount of income expended in 1907
 Amount of income available for 1908

\$7650 00
 \$248 ~~39~~
 \$756 79
 \$ 696.79

Treasurer's Report.

RECEIPTS.

1907.

Jan.	1	Amount of cash in treasury due the several departments	\$2783	80	
		Amount of perpetual care funds	3325	00	\$6108 80
	1	E. L. Macomber, state fund	625	00	
	26	State treasurer, income of Mass. school fund	845	63	
	26	County treasurer, dog fund	663	72	
Feb.	4	N. B. Institution for Savings loan	10000	00	
	18	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	379	16	
	18	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	1208	51	
	23	A. M. Reed, auctioneer's license	2	00	
	23	William Brown, supt. of almshouse account	35	08	
	23	William Brown, supt. of almshouse account	10	21	
	23	Mary Bailey, for perpetual care	50	00	
Mar.	2	State treasurer, corporation tax	25	06	
	2	State treasurer, National Bank tax	12	29	

7	William H. Pitman and others for perpetual care	100 00
7	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	202 43
7	Charles S. Sherman, for per- petual care	50 00
23	Abraham Manchester, for per- petual care	50 00
23	Mary A. Wood, for perpetual care	50 00
28	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	359 24
28	Merchants National Bank, interest on deposits	173 86
30	Edward S. Francis, butcher's license	1 00
30	Charles R. Wood, butcher's license	1 00
30	Hiram A. Mosher, butcher's license	1 00
30	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	231 23
8	Annie R. Howland, library fines	8 00
30	William Brown, supt. alms- house account	21 31
Apr. 17	E. E. F. Potter, for perpetual care	100 00
29	Mary A. Allen, for perpetual care	50 00
29	Mary A. Allen, for perpetual care	50 00
29	William Brown, supt. alms- house account	26 73
May 1	Z. E. Davis, butcher's license	1 00

	1	Charles S. Austin, butcher's license	1 00
	1	Isaac Tripp, butcher's license	1 00
	2	Congdon & Carpenter Co.,	32
	21	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	532 29
	25	William Brown, supt. alms-house account	17 89
	25	Joshua Wordell, butcher's license	1 00
June	1	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	145 00
	1	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	235 00
	21	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	103 09
	22	S. C. Manley, 2 buckets	2 00
	21	Merchants National Bank, temporary loan	5000 00
	29	Joseph Perron, butcher's license	1 00
	29	Cortez Allen, tax and interest	4 21
	29	P. S. Sanford, Jr., old plank	12 70
	29	William Brown, supt. alms-house account	33 03
July	25	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	125 46
	27	William Brown, supt. alms-house account	29 77
Aug.	10	Emma C. Watkins, for perpetual care	100 00
	8	P. S. Sanford, Jr., plank	3 00
	8	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	356 36
	17	State treasurer, for transportation of paupers	1 80

	17	State treasurer, for inspection of animals	91 25
	17	State treasurer, for instruction in public schools	4 00
	24	P. S. Sanford, Jr., plank	4 00
	26	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	85 00
	31	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	179 66
	31	William Brown, supt. alms- house account	32 35
	31	Borne, Scymser Co., bbls.	2 05
Sept.	6	A. B. Leonard, court fines	15 00
	6	Merchants National Bank, temporary loan	5000 00
	11	Charles R. Brownell, for per- petual care	75 00
	11	Lysander White est., for per- petual care	50 00
	16	Elida Southward, stone	216 37
	16	Henry K. Sheldon, stone	12 84
	18	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	177 00
	20	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	505 04
	26	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	1248 99
	27	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	516 00
	28	William Brown, supt. alms- house account	22 98
Oct.	4	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	601 15
	11	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	1793 04
	15	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	2211 06
	17	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	2835 50
	18	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	1900 00
	18	P. S. Sanford, Jr., plank	9 00

18	A. B. Cushing, state school fund	625 00
21	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	1325 11
26	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	2000 00
26	Marcus E. Lawrence, butcher's license	1 00
26	Frank Whalon, plank and stone	10 00
26	Albert S. Sherman, for perpetual care	175 00
26	Benjamin S. Thurston, for perpetual care	100 00
26	E. L. Macomber, sale of cemetery lot	15 00
26	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	1250 00
26	A. C. Kirby, (guardian) A. M. Pierce	62 61
26	P. S. Sanford, Jr., plank	5 50
26	P. S. Sanford, Jr., for stone crusher account	30 00
26	William Brown, supt. almshouse account	18 50
Nov. 5	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	6378 90
5	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	29 35
6	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax	705 00
6	F. R. Slocum, auctioneer's license	2 00
11	P. S. Sanford, Jr., Westport Point stone crusher acct.	7 00
11	P. S. Sanford, Jr., for Aikin's corner stone crusher acct.	3 00
14	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax and interest	1602 09
14	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	15 53

14	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	646 24
16	State treasurer, Corporation tax	1576 68
16	State treasurer, National Bank tax	1035 60
16	State treasurer, State aid	457 00
16	Received Street Railway tax	1829 28
16	Cynthia A. Mosher, for perpetual care	50 00
16	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax and interest	1489 36
31	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax and interest	157 36
31	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	431 44
30	William F. Macomber, auctioneer's license	2 00
30	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax and interest	687 39
30	William Brown, supt. almshouse account	24 19
30	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	76 96
Dec. 3	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax and interest	275 00
18	City treasurer Fall River, $\frac{1}{2}$ Stony Brook bridge	19 80
26	J. B. Hicks, 1905 tax and interest	23 40
28	P. S. Sanford, Jr., plank	1 00
28	Annie R. Howland, library fines	5 00
28	New Bedford Institution for Savings, notes	9300 00
28	Ginn & Co., old books	11 39

28	E. Babb & Co., old books	5	10	.
28	A. G. & W. J. Howland, dividends on insurance policies	30	24	
28	J. B. Hicks, 1907 tax and interest	1223	86	
28	J. B. Hicks, 1906 tax and interest	299	69	
	William Brown, supt. almshouse account	28	28	
Total				<hr/>
				\$79782 31

PAYMENTS.

Total amount expended in the several departments (see table)	\$65427 44
Amount of perpetual care funds invest- ed in the N. B. Institution for Savings during the year	4375 00
Amount of cash in treasury due de- partments (see table)	9979 87
Total	<u>9979 87</u> \$79782 31

Table showing the Appropriations, Receipts, Expenditures, Transfers and Cash
Balance of the Several Departments of the Town Treasury.

Names of Depart- ments	Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1907.	Appro- pria- tion for 1907.	Def't in Depts. Jan. 1 1907.	Ac- rued from other sources	Trans. from other depart- ments.	Trans. to other depart- ments.	Amount due depart- ments.	Amount ex- pended	Cash in Treas- ury due depts.
Schools	\$2420 01	\$5500 00		\$1349 63	\$563 72		\$9833 36	\$7957 15	\$1876 21
School houses and lots	49 73	800 00					849 73	848 65	1 08
School supplies	48 79	500 00		16 49			565 28	554 71	10 57
School Superintendent		375 00	\$150 00	750 00			975 00	750 00	225 00
New school house, West- port	2066 52	700 00		10 00	1035 54		3812 06	3812 06	
School physician		100 00					100 00	8 50	91 50
Dog fund				663 72		663 72			
Free Public Library	14 43			13 00	100 00		127 43	115 97	11 46
Highways and Bridges	2531 70	1000 00		2084 28			5615 98	4702 12	913 86
Stone crusher, West- port Point	157 88	3500 00		1538 26			5196 14	4400 93	795 21
Stone crusher, Sanford Road	26 32	4000 00		15 02			4041 34	3820 37	220 97
Stone crusher, Aikin's Corner		5000 00		33 00			5033 00	4760 86	272 14
Widening road, South Westport	104 65	200 00					304 65	299 30	5 35
New stone crusher acct.		400 00			129 00		529 00	529 00	
Support of poor	360 63	2500 00		364 73			3225 36	2814 90	410 46

State aid	647 00		457 00			1104 00	594 50	509 50
Military aid	30 00					30 00		30 00
Soldiers' relief	133 05					133 05		133 05
Memorial Day				50 00		50 00	50 00	
Beech Grove Cemetery	163 00		15 00			178 00	8 25	169 75
Town officers and committees		3000 00	91 25	210 64		3301 89	3301 89	
Incidentals		800 00	15 00	539 64		1354 64	1354 64	
Notes and Interest	2173 62	7650 00	10000 00			19823 62	17375 18	2448 44
State tax		2080 00				2080 00	2080 00	
County tax		2519 43				2519 43	2519 43	
Perpetual care of burial lots	146 45			121 87		268 32	248 39	19 93
Perpetual care int.acct.	4 18			125 00	121 87	7 31		7 31
Treasurer's bond				50 00		50 00	50 00	
Fairhaven bridge apportionment		2015 64				2015 64	2015 64	
Provincetown Monum't		50 00				50 00	30 00	20 00
New school house lot account		425 00				425 00	425 00	
Amt.of perpetual care funds in town treasury	3325 00		1050 00			4375 00	4375 00	
Unappropriated money	1855 84		9563 88		9611 64	1808 08		1808 08

\$79782 31 \$69802 44 \$9979 87

Total amount in the treasury due Public and Town Landings
Amount deposited in New Bedford Institution for Savings

\$57 26
\$1000 00

Total amount available for Public and Town Landings

\$1057 26

UNAPPROPRIATED MONEY DEPARTMENT.

DR.

1906.		
Dec. 31	To cash on hand	\$1855 84
1907.		
Dec. 31	" butcher's licenses	9 00
31	" auctioneer's licenses	6 00
31	" amount of interest on deposits in Merchants National Bank	173 86
31	" Amount of corporation tax for 1907	1601 74
31	" amount of bank tax	1047 89
31	" amount of dividends on school-house insurance policies	30 24
31	" amount of 1903 tax and interest	98
31	" amount of 1904 tax and interest	3 23
31	" amount 1905 tax	1542 71
31	" amount of 1905 interest	122 11
31	" amount of 1906 tax	4875 16
31	" amount of 1906 interest	146 10
31	" amount of 1907 interest	4 86
Total		<u>\$11419 72</u>

CR.

By amount transferred by vote of town for Memorial Day	\$50 00	
By amount transferred by vote of town, to perpetual care interest account	125 00	
By amount transferred by vote of town, for treasurer's bond	50 00	
By amount transferred by auditor's to to new school house account	1035 54	
By amount transferred by auditors to new stone crusher account	129 00	
By amount transferred by auditors to Town Officers and Committees	210 64	
By amount transferred by auditors to Incidentals	539 64	
By amount of corporation tax deducted by assessors	1091 26	
By amount transferred to balance ap- propriations	6380 56	
By cash on hand	1808 08	
Total		\$11419.72

Expenditures.

SCHOOLS.

Names of Teachers	Janitors' fees	Salaries
E. W. D. Merrill (high school)	\$8 00	\$300 00
Wallace S. Hall (high school)		187 50
Sophia E. Macomber	13 50	295 50
Mabel E. Macomber	13 50	277 50
Alice C. Whittemore	13 50	328 50
Louise M. Chace	13 50	270 00
Ruth A. Artingstall (Doane)	13 50	270 00
Elizabeth T. Howland	13 50	355 00
Josephine L. Downey	7 50	349 50
Mae A. Downey	7 50	178 50
William T. Collins	7 50	210 00
Mary E. Merrill	7 50	157 50
M. Ethel King (Foster)	8 60	222 70
Katrina Graveson	7 50	178 50
Edith Louise Shorrock	7 50	157 50
Richard P. McKnight		81 00
A. Evelyn Tripp		87 50
Emma R. Lawrence		247 50
Mary T. Ashton	8 00	220 00
Lucy E. Eastman	5 50	82 50
Mary K. Almond	6 00	135 00
A. Louise Allen	6 00	120 00
Corella N. McKenney		120 00

Elena V. Rourke	6 00	127 50
Elizabeth Smith	4 90	78 40
Katherine L. Tupper	5 50	150 00
Louise E. Tupper	2 50	37 50
Kate W. Chace	8 00	202 50
Maurice Reynolds	43 00	194 00
Evelyn McLaughlin	4 00	60 00
Edith A. Linnell		235 00
Frederick S. Brownell		54 00
Nellie M. Pettey	1 50	22 50
George B. Grinnell	120 00	
Alexander S. Brightman	55 00	
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	\$418 50	\$5993 10

FUEL.

William E. Paull, 9 cords wood and kindling	\$70 00
Horace M. Gibson, 9½ cords wood	57 50
E. T. Gidley, 1 cord wood and kindling	5 00
George H. Brayton, 2 cords wood	14 00
Ezra L. Sanford, labor	2 75
Lorenzo Sherman, 2 cords wood	15 50
Frank Whalon, 13¾ cords wood and kindling	75 25
A. F. King, 3 cords wood	20 00
George E. Tripp, 4½ cords wood	27 00
Alexander H. Tripp, 2½ cords wood	15 00
Holder Gifford, 6 cords wood and kindling	42 50
Wm. C. Atwater & Co., 4150 lbs. coal	14 00
C. L. Tripp, carting coal	2 50
Thomas B. Gifford, 1 cord wood	4 00
R. A. Gifford, ½ cord wood	3 00
Nason R. Macomber, 3½ cords wood	21 00
Daniel M. Sanford, 1 cord of wood and kindling	6 00
C. A. Gifford, coal	8 18
Asa B. Allen, 1¾ cords wood	6 75

C. M. Conner, 12 gross tons coal	91 20
Edgar F. Gifford, carting coal	6 00
P. W. Macomber, 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ cords wood	16 50
Horace M. Gibson, 24 tons coal	167 52
Total	<hr/> \$691 15

SCHOOL INCIDENTALS.

Mrs. Lydia C. Tripp, transporting pupils	\$150 30
E. Anthony & Son, printing	10 25
A. S. Cole, sundries	41 10
Philip S. Tripp, transportation of pupils	161 00
City of Fall River, tuition at B. M. Durfee high school	300 00
C. R. Macomber, transportation of pupils	22 00
Mercury Publishing Co., printing	1 62
Edward L. Macomber, express and telephoning	78
S. J. Tripp, transportation of pupils	140 75
J. E. Davis, transportation of pupils	26 60
Total	<hr/> \$854 40

RECAPITULATION.

Expended for teachers' salaries	\$5993 10
Expended for janitors' services	418 50
Expended for fuel	691 15
Expended for school incidentals	854 40
Total	<hr/> \$7957 15

SCHOOL HOUSES AND LOTS.

Ezra L. Gifford, labor	\$ 25
A. Joy Potter, sundries	6 35
J. M. Shorrocks & Co., sundries	1 74
Frank A. Sherman, labor and material	40 63
Mary T. Ashton, cash paid for express	25
T. E. Borden, sundries	2 70
A. R. Wood, cash paid for flags	12 00
Joseph Hull, labor	12 61
Henry E. Davis, labor and material	17 28
J. F. Tripp, labor	50
Manuel Thomas, labor	1 00
Louis Beauregard, labor and material	49
Travers Brothers & Co., rope	4 35
William H. Gifford 3d, sundries	8 39
Abraham Manchester, sundries	7 87
Kenney Brothers & Wolkins, mdse.	539 40
Charles A. Gifford, sundries	4 60
E. B. Mosher, labor and material	3 44
Mary A. Preece, cleaning school house	12 00
F. H. Kirby, labor	7 00
E. R. Brownell, labor	2 50
Theodore B. Davis, labor and material	4 57
Mrs. Stephen R. Tripp, cleaning school houses	6 00
Acushnet Iron Co., supplies	9 33
F. S. Brownell, cleaning four school houses	15 00
Mrs. Allison Lawton, cleaning school house	5 00
Arthur Reynolds, mowing school yard	50
H. A. Sanford, labor and material	5 70
R. S. Reed & Co., supplies	19 25
Joseph Artingstall, labor	6 80
Andrew H. Sowle, and others labor	6 80
F. L. Tripp, labor and material	28 40

DeWolf & Vincent, 1 bell	2 00
Amy S. Tripp, cleaning school house	4 00
George L. Sherman, labor	2 40
P. W. Macomber, labor	2 50
George B. Grinnell, labor	15 81
Charles T. Gifford, labor and material	4 30
John F. Johnston Co., labor	1 75
American Seating Co., 4 set chair slides	2 00
J. L. Hammett & Co., toilet paper	6 00
J. L. Hammett & Co., freight	19
Mary Cumbra, cleaning house	5 00
Manuel Cumbra, labor	2 00
Mrs. John Pedro, cleaning house	4 00
Mrs. Matthew Reis, cleaning house	4 00
Total	<hr/> \$848 65

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	\$180 72
American Book Co., supplies	30 71
Milton Bradley Co., supplies	94 37
Silver, Burdett & Co., supplies	32 20
A. Joy Potter, supplies	2 00
Ginn & Co., supplies	122 51
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., supplies	20 07
J. M. Shorrock & Co., supplies	73
D. C. Heath & Co., supplies	6 42
Albert S. Cole, supplies	3 32
Edward Babb & Co., supplies	36 93
Ellis Publishing Co., supplies	6 79
F. S. Brightman & Co., supplies	3 60
Hinds & Noble, supplies	5 68
Christopher Sower & Co., supplies	8 66
Total	<hr/> \$554 71

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.

Albert S. Cole, Supt. of Schools, 10 payments, \$75.00 each	\$750 00
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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

John D. Tupper, M. D., professional services	\$8 50
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NEW SCHOOL HOUSE AT WESTPORT VILLAGE.

F. C. Bennett, labor and material	\$936 00
George E. Tripp, labor and material	1305 00
C. W. Tripp, labor and material, etc.	41 19
T. L. Lewis, sundry expenses	17 70
George B. Grinnell, labor	5 00
Westport Manufacturing Co., coal and cement	9 25
Kenney Brothers & Wolkins, slate blackboards	145 00
John F. Johnston Co., putting in heating and ventil- lating apparatus and plumbing	780 00
F. T. Hammond, plans for grading school house yard	3 00
Frank Grinnell, labor	63 58
Frank Whalon and others, labor and material	356 54
Borden & Remington, pipe	13 75
Covel, Osborn Co., supplies	23 77
Charles W. Cornell, labor	<u>112 28</u>
Total	\$3812 06

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

E. L. Macomber, cash paid for magazine	\$3 00
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., books	96 97
Annie R. Howland, covering books	3 00
Annie R. Howland, services as librarian	13 00
Total	<hr/> \$115 97

NEW SCHOOL HOUSE LOT.

David E. Sanford, $4\frac{1}{4}$ acres land	\$425 00
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MEMORIAL STONE FOR PROVINCETOWN
MONUMENT.

R. Nickerson, stone and labor on same	\$30 00
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TREASURER'S AND COLLECTOR'S BOND.

James F. Hoyer, agent for Fidelity and Deposit Co.	\$50 00
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COUNTY AND STATE TAX.

George F. Pratt, County Treasurer, county tax	\$2519 43
State Treasurer, state tax	2080 00

MEMORIAL DAY.

Ephraim T. Tripp, town appropriation for Memorial Day	\$50 00
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BEECH GROVE CEMETERY.

William H. Pettey, $\frac{1}{2}$ cost of repairing line wall	\$1 25
William H. Pettey, mowing 35 uncared for lots	3 50
William H. Pettey, lawning and caring for soldiers' and sailors' lots	3 00
E. L. Macomber, writing deed of lot	50
Total	<u>\$8 25</u>

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

1907.

Jan. 26	S. J. Tripp, labor and material	\$25 63
	A. H. Wordell, sundries	10 97
	C. R. Wood and others, labor and material	52 25
Feb. 23	C. R. Wood and others, labor	7 00
	Joseph Artingstall and others, labor and material	14 35
	R. Healy and others, labor shoveling snow	9 92
	C. R. Wood and others, labor shoveling snow	6 25
	C. R. Tallman, labor shoveling snow	84
	C. H. Hitt and others, shoveling snow	6 50
	J. K. Wordell and others, labor shoveling snow	6 92
	C. F. Hitt, labor shoveling snow	50
Mar. 30	Robert H. Preece, labor shoveling snow	83
	R. C. Healy and others, labor	6 05
	C. F. Macomber and others, labor shoveling snow, etc.	14 65
	G. W. Mosher, labor shoveling snow	83
	C. R. Wood and others, labor	3 50
	Frank Whalon and others, labor	89 49

Apr 27	R. C. Healy and others, labor and material	205 05
	S. J. Tripp, labor	13 96
	Manuel Cumbra, labor	8 85
	P. S. Sanford, Jr., labor and material	1 05
	Joshua H. Wordell and others, labor shoveling snow	6 54
	Alexander H. Tripp, labor and material	111 87
	Cook Borden & Co., lumber	3 20
	May 25 Elmer E. Gifford and others, labor	4 30
	Asa R. Howland and others, labor	94 38
	Asa R. Howland others, labor shoveling snow	10 20
	C. R. Wood, labor	11 90
	S. J. Tripp, labor and material	11 65
	R. A. Gifford and others, labor	16 91
	Andrew H. Sowle and others, labor and material	35 02
	J. Fred Peirce and others, labor	41 30
	Robert Adams, stationery	3 97
	P. S. Sanford, Jr., and others, labor	76 46
	Benjamin C. Tripp, two cedar posts	50
	June 29 Elmer E. Gifford, labor	43 35
	Frederick A. Howland and others, labor and material	200 57
	C. R. Wood and others, labor	97 56
	Nason R. Macomber, labor shoveling snow	137
	Joseph Artingstall, labor	2 42
	Andrew H. Sowle and others, labor and material	10 00
	Thomas Francis and others, labor and material	79 53
	Joseph K. Wordell and others, labor	44 73
	George A. King, labor	4 60
	C. F. Macomber and others, labor	11 20

July 27	A. Homer Skinner, lumber	22 40
	J. A. McCreery, 1 keg nails	2 65
	S. J. Tripp and others, labor	37 66
	A. Homer Skinner, lumber	169 37
	A. H. Wordell, 4 shovels	3 00
Aug. 25	S. J. Tripp and others, labor	30 50
	A. Homer Skinner, lumber	30 38
	John T. Brownell, labor	3 99
	Elmer E. Gifford, labor	9 00
	Frederick A. Howland and others, labor	15 20
Sept 28	S. J. Tripp and others, labor and material	64 90
	Elmer E. Gifford, labor	10 00
Oct. 26	S. J. Tripp and others labor and material	106 28
	Frederick A. Howland and others, labor and material	76 41
	Asa R. Howland and others, labor	162 73
	George A. King, labor	19 20
	P. S. Sanford, Jr. and others, labor and material	148 48
	John A. Smith, labor and material	98 57
	C. R. Wood and others, labor	36 20
	Hiram A. Mosher and others, labor	76 47
	Frank Whalon and others, labor	147 50
Nov. 26	Repairs on State Highway	212 70
30	C. F. Macomber, labor	41 91
	C. R. Wood and others, labor	108 35
	P. S. Sanford, Jr. and others, labor and material	152 40
	Edward B. Kirby and others, labor and material	54 85
	A. H. Tripp and others, labor	50 70
	A. E. Kirby and others, labor and material	37 54
	J. F. Peirce and others, labor and material	91 14

	Beattie & Wilcox, labor and material	477 82
	Andrew H. Sowle, paint for Westport Point bridge	1 65
	Andrew H. Sowle and others, labor	30 67
	George A. Tripp and others, labor and material	67 34
	Elmer E. Gifford and others, labor and material	69 70
	Asa R. Howland, board and transpor- tation of men	113 10
	P. H. Macomber and others, labor and material	117 97
	Holder Gifford and others, labor	15 65
Dec. 28	S. J. Tripp and others, labor	7 64
	Hiram A. Mosher, and others, labor and material	42 05
	J. Fred Peirce and others, labor	41 10
	Elmer E. Gifford, labor	3 60
	John A. Smith, labor and material	54 01
	Frank Whalon, labor and material	65 27
	A. R. Howland and others, labor and material	107 40
	P. S. Sanford, Jr., and others, labor and material	57 84
	Total	<hr/> \$4702 12

SANFORD ROAD CRUSHED STONE REPAIRS.

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

David H. Dyer, inspecting boilers	\$10 00
John S. Lawton, rent of land for crusher plant	6 00
N. P. Hayes, repairs	1 35
Congdon, Carpenter & Co., bolts, etc.	3 59
Buffalo Steam Roller Co., sundries	7 00

P. S. Sanford, Jr., sundries	10 41
Cook Borden & Co., lumber	5 36
Kilburn, Lincoln & Co., casting	11 92
Willard M. Pettey, cement	3 60
N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. Co., freight	1 92
Combination Ladder Co., ladder	4 76
B. Blossom & Son, lumber	1 75
Cook Borden & Co., lumber	22 39
A. Homer Skinner, lumber	41 01
Edson Manf'g Co., supplies	13 62
Borne, Scrymser Co., oil	12 83
Byron W. Anthony, lacing	3 49
Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co. Corporation, repairs	90
Covel & Osborn Co., supplies	5 57
J. A. McCreery, sundries	16 70
Holiday & Atwood, repairs	11 08
Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co. Corporation	19 80
Covel & Osborn Co., supplies	6 37
Byron W. Cottle, wrench	1 50
Good Roads Machinery Co., merchandise	145 04
Charles Reckards, smithing	2 55
Charles Duffany, smithing	4 90
Daniel M. Sanford, coal	126 75
J. & E. Borden, rent and fuel	44 27
Sylvester C. Manley, material and water	20 00
$\frac{1}{2}$ of expense preparing shed for inspection of boilers	21 34
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	\$587 77

TEAMS.

Alexander H. Tripp	\$153 56
J. Fred Peirce	165 31
Restcome C. Healy	111 34
Frank Whalon	26 00
Charles F. Macomber	102 67

Manuel Cumbra	102 67
Robert A. Gifford	102 67
Andrew Lees	88 67
Samuel J. Tripp	100 45
John Costa	69 78
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	\$1023 12

LABOR.

P. S. Sanford, Jr.	\$202 88
A. W. Tripp	100 50
A. P. Kirby	90 11
David Brown	107 00
I. F. Sanford	180 67
W. T. Collins	59 88
E. B. Healy	75 50
G. Manchester	62 70
C. P. Pettey	71 90
George A. King	66 60
F. H. Paull	82 25
L. B. Davis	48 90
J. Brunett	48 10
H. H. Healy	41 50
H. A. Pettey	44 30
A. Farreira	44 40
A. Forand	47 60
S. C. Manley	13 00
Alfred Kanuse	14 40
E. W. Paull	3 60
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	\$1405 79

STONE

E. B. Haskell	\$232 13
C. F. Sanford	82 17
J. & E. Borden	77 13

George Shepardson	72 62
George F. Pettey	56 45
E. T. Tripp	76 60
H. A. Sanford	2 04
C. P. Sanford	67 48
G. Broadbent	7 87
George S. Lawton	38 03
Nancy J. Downing	18 58
F. S. Brownell	45 00
F. Gifford	18 45
A. Pettey	5 92
A. E. Lawton	3 22
Total	<hr/> \$803 69

TOTAL EXPENSE.

Sundry bills	\$587 77
Teaming	1023 12
Labor	1405 79
Stone	803 69
Total	<hr/> \$3820 37

WESTPORT POINT MACADAM ACCOUNT.

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

New Bedford Boiler Co., labor and material	\$2 90
Frank Whalon, 1½ cords pine wood	4 50
Charles R. Wood, sundries	55
N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R. Co., freight	50
J. A. McCreery, sundries	16 70
Holiday & Allwood, repairs	11 09
Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co., repairs	19 79
Covel & Osborn Co., sundries	6 37
Charles M. Conner, 30 tons soft coal	172 50

J. & E. Borden, 1½ cords wood	1 50
J. A. McCreery, sundries	7 56
Borne, Scrymser Co., oil	11 55
Samuel H. Macomber, water for stone crusher plant	33 00
F. W. Fraites, smithing	2 54
Central Wharf Co., wharfage	1 00
Joseph S. Bowman, smithing	1 44
Willard M. Pettey, cement	9 33
A. Homer Skinner, lumber	13 69
Edson Manufacturing Co., suction hose couplings	11 48
Good Road Machinery Co., merchandise	145 04
Covel & Osborn Co., sundries	8 22
Terry & Crawford, sundries	3 40
Congdon & Carpenter, 22 lbs. cast steel	2 86
Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co. Cor., repairs	6 39
P. S. Sanford, Jr., ½ cost preparing shed for boiler inspection	21 34
Total	<hr/> \$515 24

TEAMS.

Alexander H. Tripp	\$126 00
J. Fred Peirce	134 44
R. A. Gifford	151 67
Manuel Cumbra	29 55
John Costa	28 00
R. C. Healy	16 00
Andrew Lees	154 55
D. M. Sanford	7 67
Charles R. Wood	101 34
Joseph Artingstall	44 89
S. J. Tripp	108 45
F. A. Kirby	111 77
C. F. Macomber	22 67
William O. Ritter	7 11

Oscar Palmer	7 11
Arthur Cornell	6 67
Charles H. Hitt	6 67
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	\$1064 56

LABOR.

S. J. Tripp	\$1 80
David Brown	105 00
Augustus P. Kirby	91 48
Augustus W. Tripp	98 38
William T. Collins	95 13
Irving F. Sanford	150 50
George A. King	67 70
Antone Farreira	58 70
John Brunett	71 30
Leslie B. Davis	59 50
Ellery B. Healy	65 90
Robert H. Preece	48 50
John Hallsworth	27 70
Harry B. Allen	55 10
John Rogers	57 60
Henry A. Pettey	54 10
Peleg S. Sanford, Jr.	167 00
Frederick H. Paull	2 25
Lester P. Perry	62 10
Samuel H. Macomber	49 50
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	\$1389 24

STONE.

Asa B. Allen	\$167 86
Oscar Palmer	127 54
Frank Perry	223 25
Manuel Cumbra	113 66
Manuel Rebello	66 09

Antone C. Vieira	121 12
S. H. Macomber	42 17
John Hallsworth	57 79
Frank Nooney	3 98
John Costa	127 60
Edward McDonald	29 98
Charles H. Hitt	69 16
Charles R. Wood	40 25
William O. Ritter	68 38
Joseph Artingstall	60 30
Arthur Cornell	67 61
Edwin Davis	21 33
Joseph Rogers	13 99
C. F. Macomber	6 40
Andrew Lees	3 43
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	\$1431 89

TOTAL EXPENSE.

Miscellaneous bills	\$515 24
Teaming	1064 56
Labor	1389 24
Stone	1431 89
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Total	\$4400 93

AIKEN'S CORNER CRUSHER ACCOUNT.

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	\$5 75
Cook Borden & Co., lumber	22 39
A. Homer Skinner, lumber	41 01
Edson Manufacturing Co., brass hose and nipple	13 61
Borne, Scrymser Co., oil	12 82
Byron W. Anthony, raw hide lacing	3 49
J. A. McCreery, sundries	16 70

Holiday & Allwood, repairs	11 09
Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co., repairs	19 79
Covel & Osborn Co., supplies	6 37
Good Roads Machinery Co., merchandise	145 03
Borne, Scrymser Co., cylinder oil	26 46
Good Roads Machinery Co., repairs	19 20
Charles M. Conner, 30 gross tons soft coal	180 00
Willard M. Pettey, cement	2 40
Frank W. Fraites, smithing	4 15
Tripp & Lawrence, 1 sledge	2 25
Holiday & Allwood, labor and material	12 50
Frank Whalon, trash wood	6 44
Central Wharf Co., wharfage	1 50
I. F. Sanford, labor and material	1 75
Tripp Brothers, sundries	2 48
Eli B. Mosher, lumber and sawing	1 74
Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co., sundries	12 34
Covel & Osborn Co., sundries	8 80
J. A. McCreery, sundries	4 20
Terry & Crawford, 6 cast steel plates	4 20
P. S. Sanford, Jr., and others, sundries	16 52
P. S. Sanford, Jr., $\frac{1}{2}$ expense preparing shed for boiler inspection	21 34
Total	<hr/> \$626 32

TEAMS.

R. A. Gifford	\$109 33
A. H. Tripp	135 11
J. Fred Pierce	169 12
J. K. Wordell	13 80
C. R. Wood	108 00
Manuel Cumbra	142 22
John Costa	52 00
Charles F. Macomber	145 78
S. J. Tripp	36 00

Andrew Lees	128 00
E. E. Gifford	132 00
Oscar Palmer	8 00
F. H. Kirby	128 00
D. M. Sanford	7 00
Total	<hr/> \$1314 36

LABOR.

David Brown	\$141 00
William T. Collins	97 87
I. F. Sanford	170 72
Augustus P. Kirby	96 75
Augustus W. Tripp	118 69
Leslie B. Davis	83 20
John Brunett	78 60
Herbert M. Tripp	3 60
Henry A. Pettey	76 20
Robert H. Preece	58 80
John Pedro	65 49
Frank Lawrence	77 00
Harry B. Allen	62 20
Harry W. Brownell	62 00
Manuel Rebello	39 40
Manuel Cieto	9 00
Eli Handy	39 60
Moses H. Wilcox	23 40
John Rogers	61 20
James K. Lake	56 40
Manuel Bragga, Jr.	10 80
James Ayers	57 60
P. S. Sanford, Jr.	182 00
Total	<hr/> \$1671 52

STONE.

E. G. Gifford	287 46
Warren Gifford	47 24
Eli B. Mosher	95 36
Joseph K. Wordell	100 28
Matthew Reis	53 68
Joseph Artingstall	125 80
William O. Ritter	88 50
Charles H. Hitt	88 31
Manuel Bragga	88 59
Frank T. Sylvia	62 99
Abraham R. Lawrence	43 74
Thomas J. Sylvia	44 90
Andrew A. Aiken	13 77
Manuel Cumbra	5 72
S. J. Tripp	2 32
Total	<u>\$1148 66</u>

TOTAL EXPENSE AT AIKEN'S CORNER.

Miscellaneous bills	\$626 32
Teaming	1314 36
Labor	1671 52
Stone	1148 66
Total	<u>\$4760 86</u>

EXPENSE WIDENING ROAD SOUTH WESTPORT.

Elmer E. Gifford and others, 3 bills	\$299 30
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NEW STONE CRUSHER ACCOUNT.

P. S. Sanford, Jr., labor unloading new stone crusher	\$21 50	
Jonathan Borden, cash paid for freight on stone crusher	17 54	
Good Roads Machinery Co., new crusher	489 96	
Total		\$529 00

SUPPORT OF POOR.

AT ALMSHOUSE.

1907.

Jan.	C. A. Gifford, supplies	\$13 18
	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	61 73
	J. M. Shorrock, supplies	22 21
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	15 15
	F. W. Fraites, smithing	1 25
Feb.	J. M. Shorrock, supplies	9 05
	F. A. Potter, labor on wood	3 75
	John F. Johnston & Co., sundries	10 93
	Charles S. Austin, meat	12 36
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	24 92
	Hicks & Potter, burial expenses of F. Lawton	16 50
	C. R. Tallman, supplies	30 90
	E. J. Sisson, supplies	21 01
	Supt. Almshouse account, supplies	45 29
Mar.	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	11 26
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	23 10
	Henry P. Wing, labor and material	10 25
	Mrs. William E. Brightman, labor	3 00
	Carrie A. Brightman, labor	20 00
	David A. King, services as supt.	100 00
	George E. Gifford, opening grave	2 00
	John H. Adams, meat	17 85
	John D. Tupper, M. D., medical services	13 50
	Nichols & Damon, supplies	7 90
	E. J. Sisson, clothing	4 75
April	Manuel D. Mosher, smithing	4 00
	William Brown, No. 8 Glenwood range	45 00
	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	J. M. Shorrock, supplies	12 23

	Maggie McDermott, labor	12 00
	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	20 24
	John D. Tupper M. D., one belt	2 50
<i>A. Joy</i>	George Potter, supplies	21 14
	Supt. almshouse account, supplies	48 04
May	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	Maggie McDermott, labor	16 00
	W. G. Pearse & Co., harness	13 50
	C. R. Tallman, supplies	19 37
	Supt. almshouse account	17 89
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	20 23
	A. M. Reed, supplies	20 73
	Brown Pharmacy Co., supplies	1 25
June	Borden, Guiney & Co., lumber	30 54
	George E. Tripp, labor and material	26 95
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	10 26
	William R. Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	Maggie McDermott, labor	20 00
	Abraham Manchester, supplies	8 50
	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	28 12
	Supt. almshouse account, supplies, etc.	33 03
July	Maggie McDermott, labor	16 00
	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	12 27
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	7 18
	William R. Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	Supt. almshouse account, supplies, etc.	29 77
Aug.	Maggie McDermott, labor	20 00
	A. M. Reed, supplies	9 18
	Charles J. Kirby, drawing coal	12 00
	Fred A. Mosher, drawing coal	4 00
	Philadelphia Coal & Iron Co., 20 tons egg coal	116 00
	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	9 04
	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	8 93
	George E. Tripp, labor and material	7 11

	Supt. almshouse account, supplies	32 35
Sept.	Supt. almshouse account, supplies	22 98
	Dr. W. W. Kirby, doctoring sick animals	2 50
	John D. Tupper, M. D., professional services	1 50
	A. M. Reed, supplies	23 66
	Maggie McDermott, labor	16 00
	Allen, Slade & Co., supplies	20 10
	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	A. Joy Potter, supplies	1 76
	N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R., Co. freight on coal	8 00
Oct.	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	Hicks & Potter, burial expenses of G. R. Chase	14 50
	J. S. Bowman, smithing	3 01
	Hiram A. Mosher, meat	104 54
Nov.	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	A. M. Reed, supplies	40 65
	Supt. almshouse account, supplies	42 69
Dec.	C. R. Tallman, supplies	10 53
	William Brown, services as supt. 1 mo.	33 33
	Manuel Cieto, cutting wood	13 00
	Charles S. Austin, meat	15 10
	Supt. almshouse account, supplies	28 28
	Total	\$1885 96

SUPPORT OF POOR.

OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

1907.

Jan. 26	Harriet A. White, boarding C. Azel Borden, 4 weeks	\$8 00
	City of Fall River, groceries and medical attendance to Anna Lapre and family	27 80

	City of Fall River, groceries, fuel and medical attendance to Joseph Duchene and family	17 50
	Hicks & Potter, burial expenses of Marianna Laparge	14 50
	H. C. Talbot, clothing furnished R. G. Pettey	5 50
	Harriet A. White, clothing for C. Azel Borden	2 00
Feb. 23	Chas. J. Kirby, 1 cord wood for R. G. Pettey	6 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies for Valinda Lake	8 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies for Peter S. Besse	9 16
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden 4 weeks	8 00
Mar. 30	Herry Helfand, stove for R. G. Pettey	4 50
	Charles J. Kirby, 1 cord wood for R. G. Pettey	6 00
	Dr. J. B. Parris, medical attendance to town poor	48 75
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden 5 weeks	10 00
	City of New Bedford, supplies for Francis B. Wilson	42 00
	J. B. Hicks, stationary, telephoning, etc.	3 60
Apr. 27	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden	11 33
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden, etc.	11 33
May 25	Charles J. Kirby, 1 cord of wood for R. G. Pettey	3 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies for Valinda Lake	13 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies for Peter S. Besse	7 34
	John D. Tupper, M. D., medical attendance for Frank Sylvia	2 25
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden, 4 weeks	8 00
June 29	Dr. J. B. Parris, medical attendance of town poor	48 75

	City of Fall River, supplies and medicine for Julia Duchene	1 70
	City of Fall River, supplies furnished Welcome S. Borden	1 50
July 27	City of Fall River, supplies and medical attendance for Anna Lapre	52 90
	H. C. Talbot, clothing for R. G. Pettey	1 00
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden 9 weeks	18 00
Aug. 25	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden 5 weeks	10 00
	T. E. Sanford, supplies to R. G. Pettey	1 00
	Dr. J. B. Parris, medical attendance	48 75
	City of New Bedford, medical attendance, etc., to Jennie Charland	5 46
	City of New Bedford, supplies for Francis B. Wilson	43 50
	Charles J. Kirby, trash wood for R.G.Pettey	2 00
Sept. 28	John D. Tupper, M. D., medical attendance of Mrs. Cassell	15 00
	John D. Tupper, M. D., attending to Kelsall boy's arm	15 00
	A. M. Reed, supplies to Mrs. Kelsall	52 00
	T. E. Borden, supplies to Mary A. Sylvia	4 00
	T. E. Borden, supplies to Nicholas Kelsall	15 00
	A. M. Reed, supplies to Mary Plunkett	52 00
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden, 4 weeks	8 00
Oct. 26	C. R. Tallman, supplies to Peter S. Besse	22 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies to Valinda Lake	22 00
	E. W. Burt, M. D., medical attendance of town's poor	50 65
	Charles J. Kirby, 1 cord wood furnished R. G. Pettey	6 50
	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden, etc.	9 00

Nov. 30	Harriet A. White, board of C. Azel Borden, 5 weeks	10 00
Dec. 28	T. E. Borden, supplies to Nicholas Kelsall	9 00
	C. J. Kirby, wood for R. G. Pettey	6 50
	Harriet A. White, board and clothing for C. Azel Borden	10 25
	Wordell & McGuire Co., clothing furnished R. G. Pettey	2 25
	E. W. Burt, medical attendance of town's poor	40 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies to Peter S. Besse	9 00
	C. R. Tallman, supplies to Valinda Lake	9 00
	C. R. Tallman, 2 cords wood for Peter S. Besse	9 00
	T. E. Borden, supplies to R. G. Pettey	52 00
	Total	<u>\$928 94</u>

RECAPITULATION.

Support of poor at almshouse	\$1885 96
Support of poor out of almshouse	928 94
Total	<u>\$2814 90</u>

TOWN OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES.

1907.

Jan. 26	A. R. Wood, services as assessor	\$31 25
	Eli Handy, inspecting and quarantining cows	11 25
	Henry P. Wing, services as truant officer	1 25
	Henry E. Davis, services as auditor	51 25
Feb. 23	Henry P. Wing, services as truant officer	10 40
	E. L. Macomber, services as school committee	50 00
	H. A. Sanford, services as building committee new school house, Westport Village	14 50
	Henry E. Davis, services as auditor	42 50
Mar. 11	A. D. Manchester, services as auditor	91 25
30	William H. Pettey, services as supt. of Beech Grove Cemetery, $\frac{1}{4}$ salary	50 00
	Board of Registrars, 3 days services	30 00
	C. O. Wing, expenses incurred procuring legislation in regard to fisheries as per vote of town	9 00
	Eli Handy, expenses incurred procuring legislation in regard to fisheries as per vote of town	8 00
	Henry B. Tripp, expenses incurred procuring legislation in regard to fisheries as per vote of town	5 00
	E. L. Macomber, services as town clerk	45 80
	J. B. Hicks, services as treasurer	268 00
	J. B. Hicks, services as collector	292 12
	E. L. Macomber, services as school committee	25 00
	Eli Handy, inspecting animals	7 50

	Elmer E. Gifford, services as selectman	93 00
	Daniel M. Sanford, services posting warrants	3 00
	Daniel M. Sanford, notifying town officers	3 00
	Elmer E. Gifford, services as health officer	8 00
	Henry B. Tripp, services as teller at town election	2 50
	L. F. Howland, services as teller at town election	2 50
	Henry P. Wing, truant officer	3 80
	A. D. Manchester, services as moderator	10 00
	Andrew H. Sowle, services as draw tender	76 50
	Charles F. Sanford, services as school committee	75 00
	George A. Tripp, services as inspector of animals	17 00
	R. A. Gifford, services as overseer of the poor	17 00
	the poor	50 00
	Cortez Allen, services as collector	20 00
	John D. Tupper, M. D., services as health officer	4 00
	J. B. Hicks, services as overseer of the the poor	37 00
	John Gifford, services as overseer of the poor	50 00
	A. R. Wood, services as school committee	25 00
	J. D. Tupper, M. D., services as health officer	15 00
Apr. 10	C. W. Tripp, services as building committee	71 50
	T. L. Lewis, services as building committee	49 20
27	Henry E. Davis, services as auditor	6 25
May 27	Jonathan Borden, services as selectman	99 00
	Henry P. Wing, services as truant officer	6 75

	Eli Handy, inspecting animals	15 00
	Eli Handy, inspecting meat	5 00
June 29	William H. Pettey, services as supt. B. G. Cemetery, $\frac{1}{4}$ salary	50 00
	Thomas J. Brightman, services as draw tender	45 00
	Daniel M. Sanford, services as constable, posting warrants	3 00
	Eli Handy, inspecting animals	7 50
	Eli Handy, inspecting meat	6 15
	A. R. Wood, services as assessor	30 00
July 27	E. L. Macomber, services as clerk	38 85
	A. D. Manchester, services as auditor	9 37
	A. R. Wood, services as assessor	47 50
	A. F. King, services as assessor	71 25
Aug. 25	Eli Handy, nspecting meat	10 60
	Eli Handy, inspecting animals	7 50
	Charles F. Sanford, services as school committee	30 00
Sept. 28	William H. Pettey, supt. of B. G. Cemetery	50 00
	Eli Handy, inspector of animals	5 00
	Thomas J. Brightman, services as draw tender	39 00
	A. R. Wood, services as assessor	96 25
Oct. 26	Henry P. Wing, services as truant officer	4 20
	Thomas J. Brightman, services as draw tender	12 00
	Eli Handy, general inspection of animals	20 00
	Registrars of Voters, 5 days services	50 00
	Henry P. Wing, services as constable in cases of John Dolman, Jr. and Bert Buch and Geo. Cantara	18.70
Nov. 30	T. L. Lewis, services as committee on new school house	42 50

C. W. Tripp, services as committee on new school house	92 50
A. F. King, services as assessor	70 00
Henry E. Davis, services as auditor	28 75
William F. Macomber, services as constable in cases of Edward Sherman, Louis St. John	15 20
Daniel M. Sanford, services as constable	6 00
Daniel M. Sanford, services at state election	2 50
Daniel M. Sanford, serving dog warrants	15 00
George A. Tripp, inspecting animals	55 00
A. R. Wood, services as teller at state election	2 50
E. L. Macomber, services as school com- mittee	50 00
A. R. Wood, services as school committee	50 00
H. P. Wing, services as truant officer	4 35
C. R. Wood, services as teller at state election	2 50
C. R. Wood, services as single highway surveyor from Dec. 31, 1906 to March 13, 1907	9 00
A. Joy Potter, services as teller at state election	2 50
Eli Handy, inspecting animals	52 50
C. F. Sanford, taking school census	30 00
Thomas J. Brightman, draw tender	20 80
A. F. King, services as selectman in state aid exemption	5 00
Dec. 28 William H. Pettey, services as supt. B. G. Cemetery	50 00
L. F. Howland, services as ballot clerk at state election	2 50
A. F. King, services as member of board of health	15 00

Thomas J. Brightman, draw tender	12 00
Henry P. Wing, services as truant officer	5 85
W. F. Macomber, services as constable at North Westport R. R. Station	5 00
Edward Athington, services as constable at North Westport R. R. Station	5 00
Henry R. Wing, services as constable at North Westport R. R. Station	7 50
George W. Russell, services as teller at state election	2 50
Henry A. Allen, services as assessor	25 00
P. S. Sanford, Jr., services as single highway surveyor	171 00
Total	<hr/> \$3301 89

INCIDENTALS.

1907.

Jan. 26	William E. Paull, $\frac{1}{2}$ cord pine wood for town hall	\$4 00
	Robert W. Taber, sundries	2 75
	Albert N. Lawton, services as constable in case of Mrs. Francis	4 00
Feb. 23	Henry P. Wing, fees in case of Commonwealth vs. James Lees	17 55
	George Shepardson, fees in case of Commonwealth vs. George T. Downing	15 60
	H. A. Sanford, repairs on Borden well	3 00
	Robert A. Wilcox, sundries	2 00
Mar. 30	Mercury Publishing Co., printing school reports	45 00
	John D. Tupper, M. D., examining school children	1 50
	Warburton & Dover, printing jury lists	10 50
	L. F. Howland, services as janitor of town hall	18 75
	John D. Tupper, M. D., returning 8 births	2 00
	Frank Whalon and others, services fighting forest fires	8 30
	J. B. Hicks, cash book and stationery	1 65
	George E. Bamford, paper	1 15
	Henry E. Davis, postage, telephoning, etc.	1 50
	George E. Gifford, returning 4 deaths	1 00
	John D. Tupper, vaccinating children	5 50
	Warburton & Dover, printing town reports	85 70
Apr. 27	A. W. Brownell, printing blanks for dog licenses	3 25
	Antone Ferreira, amount awarded for settlement of injuries received while at working stone crusher plant	500 00

May 25	B. F. Stowel & Co., self inking stamp	2 25
	Jonathan Borden, car fares	4 00
	Fall River Steam & Gas Pipe Co., pipe for Kirby water fountain	51 09
	Item Press, 200 official envelopes	90
	George E. Bamford, envelopes and pens	60
	John D. Tupper, M. D., sundries	10 75
	Brown's Pharmacy Co., fumigators	2 60
	John D. Tupper, M. D., 3 meat-branding stamps, etc.	5 50
	P. S. Sanford, Jr., and others, labor on the Kirby water fountain	8 02
June 29	Albert A. Sanford and others, fighting forest fires	10 00
	Sylvester C. Manley, fighting forest fires	5 65
	Thomas J. Brightman, oil for bridge	65
	Daniel M. Sanford, cash paid for printing warrants	4 25
	Daniel M. Sanford, fees in case of Com- monwealth vs. Francisco J. Nicholas	6 80
	E. L. Macomber, administering oaths, etc.	3 00
	Arthur S. Tripp, legal services	8 00
	L. F. Howland, 3 months salary as janitor at town hall	18 75
July 27	A. F. King, cash paid for sundries	6 56
	Albert A. Sanford, fighting forest fires	4 80
	Charles A. Pratt, M. D., consultation visit	10 00
	John D. Tupper, M. D., vaccinating children	1 50
	J. B. Hicks, 1000 stamped envelopes	21 40
Aug. 25	E. L. Macomber, cash paid for express, etc.	2 18
	Henry P. Wing, fees in case of the Com- monwealth vs. Johanna Sanford	11 60
	Henry P. Wing, killing mad dog and expense expressing head to Boston	4 75
	A. R. Wood, carfare and postage	2 00
	E. L. Macomber, cash paid for filing case	1 10

Sept. 28	John D. Tupper, M. D., returning births	1 50
	John S. Lawton, rent of land for old stone crusher	7 00
	L. F. Howland, services as janitor at town hall	18 75
Oct. 26	Almy & Milne, advertising automobile notices	13 50
	E. Anthony & Son, advertising automobile notices	13 47
	H. A. Sanford, painting and repairing guide boards	3 00
	H. A. Sanford, repairing pump at Borden's well	3 50
	E. Anthony & Son, printing tax bills and notices	11 75
	Hicks & Potter, returning 56 deaths	14 00
	A. F. King, carfare and postage, etc.	12 20
Nov. 30	Warburton & Dover, printing warrants	4 50
	A. R. Wood, expense incurred in looking up corporation and bank tax	2 50
	Robert A. Gifford, rubber stamp for overseers use	2 25
	H. M. Gibson, carting safe from R. R. station	5 75
	Daniel M. Sanford, fees in case of Com- monwealth vs. Etta Stackpole and Joseph Perron	13 35
	A. F. King, cash paid for freight on safe	11 16
	John D. Tupper, M. D., posting notices of contagious diseases	14 75
Dec. 28	John D. Tupper, M. D., return of 8 births	2 00
	John D. Tupper, M. D., sundries	23 85
	John D. Tupper, professional services on board of health	1 25
	L. R. Howland, services as janitor at town hall	18 75

A. G. & W. J. Howland, insuring	
Westport Point school house	86 40
E. L. Macomber, sundries	26 ⁷ / ₁₀₀ 56
A. R. Wood, expense incurred in	
looking corporation and bank tax	2 50
Victor Safe & Lock Co., safe	89 00
B. F. Riddell, formaldehyde, etc.	8 00
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Total	\$1354 64

STATE AID.

Ephraim T. Tripp	\$48 00
Harriet E. Jennings	40 00
Gilbert M. Jennings	40 50
Jane A. Almy	48 00
William H. Macomber	48 00
James H. Sowle	48 00
George B. Macomber	30 00
George A. Gifford	48 00
Leonard M. Sanford	48 00
Lydia A. Turner	36 00
Alexander S. Brightman	60 00
Phebe A. Brightman	40 00
Thomas B. Lawton	42 00
George F. Lawton	18 00
Total	<u>\$594 50</u>

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Interest on notes for the financial year	\$1364 35
Interest on amount to be paid for lot for new school house from Nov. 1, 1906 to April 4, 1907	10 83
Temporary and permanent notes	<u>16000 00</u>
Total	<u>\$17375 18</u>

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

(PERPETUAL CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.)

Amount of appropriation used in excess of income on invested funds for the care of burial lots to equal the amount of interest due said funds ac- cording to vote of the town for the year ending December 31, 1907	153 75
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LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN DEC. 31, 1907,

NOTES AND INTEREST.

New Bedford Institution for Savings:

Note due	Jan. 1, 1908	\$2000 00
"	Nov. 27, 1908	2000 00
"	Dec. 30, 1908	1000 00
"	Jan. 1, 1909	2000 00
"	Aug. 30, 1909	2000 00
"	Dec. 30, 1909	1000 00
"	Aug. 30, 1910	1000 00
"	Nov. 15, 1910	1000 00
"	Dec. 30, 1910	3000 00
"	April 28, 1911	4000 00
"	June 26, 1911	600 00
"	Dec. 30, 1911	1000 00
"	April 28, 1912	4000 00
"	Dec. 30, 1912	1000 00
"	Nov. 2, 1913	4000 00
"	Dec. 30, 1913	1000 00
"	May 4, 1914	1000 00
"	Nov. 2, 1914	3000 00
"	Nov. 4, 1915	4000 00
"	Nov. 16, 1916	3000 00
"	Dec. 30, 1916	1000 00
"	Oct. 30, 1917	1300 00
"	Dec. 30, 1917	1000 00
Total		\$44900 00
Interest on the above notes to Dec. 31, 1908		\$1849 00

UNPAID BILLS.

Jonathan B. Hicks, commission as treasurer	\$349 01
Jonathan B. Hicks, commission as collector	345 47
Other officers and committees estimated amount	1000 00

ASSETS OF TOWN DEC. 31, 1907.

Cash in treasury due departments	\$9979 87
Uncollected taxes	10776 01

A. D. MANCHESTER,
HENRY E. DAVIS,
Auditors of Westport.

Report of Overseers of the Poor.

The overseers of the poor respectfully submit their annual report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1907.

Number of persons receiving aid out of the alms-house belonging in the town	27
Number of persons receiving aid out of the alms-house not belonging in the town	11
Number receiving full support out of the alms-house	1
Number in almshouse Jan. 1, 1907	9
Admitted during the year	4
Died during the year	2
Discharged during the year	8
Remaining Jan. 1, 1908	3
Number of tramps lodged and fed during the year	8
Inventory of town property.	

Dec. 31, 1907.

Town farm	\$2800 00
Household furniture	500 00
Wood-lot	200 00
Pine Island	100 00
Carriages and harnesses	150 00
Farming tools	160 00
Three cows	120 00
One horse	200 00
Hay	215 00
Thirty-five bushels of corn	35 00
Forty bushels of potatoes	40 00

Four bushels onions	4 00
Forty bushels turnips	30 00
One hundred sixty-three hens	81 75
Fifteen tons coal	112 50
Wood	56 00
Provisions	62 00

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

DR.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1907	\$9 12
Received for milk	102 40
" vegetables	67 30
" eggs	135 71
" meat and poultry	14 00
" labor	2 10
Total	<hr/> \$330 63

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By amount paid treasurer as per	
Bills of sundries for the year	\$300 32
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1908	30 31
	<hr/> \$330 63

OUTSIDE ACCOUNT.

D. C. Talbot clothing furnished R. G. Pettey	\$6 50
T. E. Sanford clothing furnished R. G. Pettey	1 00
J. D. Tupper medical attendance to Mary A. Silvia and Mrs. Kessell	32 25
Wordell & McGuire clothing furnished R. G. Pettey	2 25
Hicks & Potter burial expenses Marianna Lapage	14 50

J. B. Hicks stamps stationery, and telephone	3 60
A. M. Reed supplies furnished Mrs. Kersalls and Mary Plunkett	104 00
T. E. Borden supplies furnished Mary A. Silvia Nicholas Kessall R. G. Petty	80 00
	<hr/> \$244 10
C. R. Tallman supplies furnished P. S. Bessie and Nalinda Lake	108 50
Harry Helfand stove furnished R. G. Petty	4 50
Charles J. Kirby wood furnished R. G. Petty	30 00
E. W. Burnt medical services	90 65
Hattie A. White board of Clarence A. Borden	112 58
City of Fall River supplies furnished J. Duchene and family	
" " " " Anna Lapree	
" " " " Welcome L. Borden	
	101 40
City of New Bedford supplies furnished Francis B. Wilson and Jennie Charland	90 96
J. B. Parris medical services	146 25
	<hr/> \$928 94

INSIDE ACCOUNT.

Hicks & Potter burial expenses of Gideon Chase and Frank Lawton	\$31 00
E. D. Mosher services at Town Farm	4 00
J. D. Tupper medical attendance to Mrs. Smith and Gideon Chase	17 50
H. A. Mosher meat furnished almshouse	104 54
Brown's Pharmacy Co. supplies furnished almshouse	1 25
D. A. King services as supt. of almshouse	100 00
A. M. Reed grain and groceries furnished almshouse	94 22
Abraham Manchester supplies furnished almshouse	8 50

Borden, Guiney & Kendall lumber furnished Town Farm	30 54
Maggie McDermott labor at almshouse	100 00
John H. Adams meat furnished almshouse	17 85
W. G. Pearse & Co. harness furnished Town Farm	13 50
Chas. J. Kirby drawing coal at almshouse	12 00
Fred A. Morher drawing coal at almshouse	4 00
N. Y. N. H. & H. freight on coal	8 00
Wm. Brown stove furnished almshouse	45 00
Manuel Cieto cutting wood for almshouse	13 00
G. E. Gifford opening grave for Frank Lawton	2 00
Dr. W. W. Kirby veterinary attendance at Town Farm	2 50
J. S. Bowman smithing	3 01
Allen Slade & Co. supplies furnished almshouse	162 65
A. Joy Potter supplies furnished almshouse	132 78
C. S. Austin meat furnished almshouse	27 46
Carrie Brightman labor at almshouse	20 00
Mrs. W. E. Brightman labor at almshouse	3 00
E. J. Sisson dry-goods furnished almshouse	25 76
C. R. Tallman supplies furnished almshouse	60 80
Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co. coal furnished almshouse	116 00
H. P. Wing labor at almshouse	10 25
J. F. Johnson & Co. repairs on furnace	10 93
F. W. Fraits smithing	1 25
J. M. Shorrock & Co. supplies furnished almshouse	43 49
C. A. Gifford supplies furnished almshouse	13 18
F. A. Potter sawing wood	3 75
Nichols & Damon shoes furnished almshouse	7 90
Wm. R. Brown services af supt. of almshouse	299 97
G. E. Tripp labor and material at almshouse	34 06
D. A. King paid for sundries	66 60
Wm. Brown paid for sundries	233 72
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	\$1885 96

Cost of paupers at almshouse		1885 96
Cost of paupers out of almshouse		928 94
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Total cost of paupers		\$2814 90
Deduct amount rec'd from State	\$1 80	
Deduct amount rec'd from A. C. Kirby guardian of Alphonse Pierce	62 61	64 41
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Total cost of town paupers		\$2750 49

R. A. GIFFORD	}	Overseers of the Poor.
J. I. GIFFORD		
H. L. POTTER.		

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