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NEW BEDFORD, MASS.
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Town Officers, 1911.

Town Clerk.

Edward L. Macomber.

Treasurer and Collector.

Jonathan B. Hicks.

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

Collector's salary 1 per cent on collected taxes.

Selectmen.

Herbert A. Sanford,	Term expires March, 1912
Frank R. Slocum,	Term expires March, 1913
Albert F. King,	Term expires March, 1914

Board of Health.

John D. Tupper, M. D.,	Term expires March, 1912
E. W. Burt, M. D.,	Term expires March, 1913
Albert F. King,	Term expires March, 1914

Assessors.

Albert F. King,	Term expires March, 1912
Augustus R. Wood,	Term expires March, 1913
Frank R. Slocum,	Term expires March, 1914

Overseers of the Poor.

John Gifford,	Term expires March, 1912
Harry L. Potter,	Term expires March, 1913
Robert A. Gifford,	Term expires March, 1914

School Committee.

Augustus R. Wood,	Term expires March, 1912
Frank G. Macomber,	Term expires March, 1913
Charles F. Sanford,	Term expires March, 1914

Single Highway Surveyor.

Robert A. Gifford.

Fish Commissioners.

Eli Handy,	Term expires March, 1912
Philip Tripp,	Term expires March, 1913
George N. Tripp,	Term expires March, 1914

Superintendent of Schools.

Albert S. Cole,	First half of school year
William H. Millington,	Second half of school year

Trustees of the Free Public Library.

John W. Gifford,	Term expires March, 1912
Nason R. Macomber,	Term expires March, 1912
Augustus R. Wood,	Term expires March, 1913
Frederick L. Tripp,	Term expires March, 1913
Kate W. Chace,	Term expires March, 1914
Samuel H. Macomber,	Term expires March, 1914

Constables.

Edward Athington,	Samuel A. Boan
George P. Brownell,	Henry P. Wing
Granville P. Tripp,	

Fence Viewers.

George P. Brownell, Joseph Hull
David C. Palmer.

Landing Commissioners.

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

Auditors.

Henry E. Davis, Albert D. Manchester

Tree Warden.

Edwin Borden.

Draw Tender of Westport Point Bridge.

Thomas J. Brightman.

Superintendent of Beech Grove Cemetery.

William H. Pettey.
Salary \$200.

Inspectors of Animals

Eli Handy, George A. Tripp,
William W. Kirby.

Inspectors of Meat.

John E. Perry, Henry B. Tripp
Albert E. Davis, Charles S. Baldwin
Theophilus S. Tripp.

Registrars of Voters.

Edward L. Macomber, Town Clerk

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

George A. Tripp.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood and Bark.

George W. Kirby,

Peleg S. Sanford, Jr.

Thomas E. Borden.

Forest Fire Warden.

Herbert A. Sanford.

School Enrollment Officer.

Augustus R. Wood.

Truant Officer.

George Shepherdson.

Matron of Town Farm.

Alice A. Brown.

Salary \$300.

Librarian of Free Public Library.

Annie R. Howland.

Janitor of Town Hall.

Lysander W. Howland.

Annual Town Meeting second Monday in March.

Meeting of the various boards of Town Officers the last Saturday afternoon of each month.

Public Library is open as follows: Every Saturday from April 1 to October 1, from 6 to 8 P. M., and from October 1 to April 1 from 5 to 7 P. M. for the exchange of books.

Town Clerk's Report.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1910.

Date of Birth.		Name of Child.	Name of Parents.
1910.			
Jan.	2	Florence Allen Mosher	Frederick A. and Annie E. Mosher
	2	Grace Elizabeth Shepherdson	George and Frances E. Shepherdson
	10	Ruben Henry Wood	Alonzo B. T. and Rose M. Wood
	14	Mary Josephine Rosie Tupin	Mois and Flora Tupin
	18	Hilda Alice Pettey	George F., 2d, and Harriet N. Pettey
	22	Forrest Hart Coggeshall	Chester E. and Cora O. Coggeshall
	22	Olive Barlow Gifford	Charles H., 2d, and Grace F. Gifford
Feb.	1	————— Cornell	Arthur R. and Mabel Cornell
	8	Helen Elizabeth Pettey	Robert F. and Lida A. Pettey
	18	John Borden Brayton	Elmer Z. and Eudora M. Brayton
	20	Mary L. Rogers	John and Annie Rogers
Mar.	5	Stillborn	
	14	Eleanor Sherman Tripp	George L. and Clara B. Tripp
	21	————— Bare	Joseph and Adelaide Bare
	22	Joseph Wernecki	Frank and Felixe Wernecki
Apr.	1	Kenneth Benjamin Tripp	Augustus W. and Addie F. Tripp
	2	————— Robidoux	Ubal and Athemise Robidoux
	5	Julia Boutin	Adelard and Alice Boutin
	6	Susan Esther Cornell	Everett P. and Lillian B. Cornell
	13	Annie May Kratzsch	Frederick and Sarah Kratzsch
	17	Alexander Francis Taber	Cornelius and Cynthia T. Taber
	26	Charles Richard Borden	Melvin C. and Florence M. Borden

	28	John Raposa	Manuel and Angelina Raposa
June	3	Ethel Anna Wood	Frederick A. and Anna W. Wood
	14	Mary Eva Tardiff	Peter and Anna Tardiff
	17	Elizabeth Allen Brightman	Samuel T. and Emily S. Brightman
	18	Eva Michaud	Jean Bte. and Eva Michaud
	25	Stillborn	
	29	Gladys Gomes	Joseph and Lena Gomes
July	4	Gertrude May Healey	Harry H. and Eva A. Healey
	11	Stafford Manchester Wheeler	Philip M. and Sophie Wheeler
	13	Herman Warren Green	Edwin W. and Mary B. Green
	15	Esther Sheldon Pettey	John F. and Hannah F. Pettey
	22	Maek Kovalezuk	Peter and Katie Kovalezuk
	29	Verna Allen Pettey	Arthur E. and Mary S. Pettey
	31	Arthur A. Ouellette	Philip and Mary Ouellette
Aug.	9	Isabel Pavon	Joe P. and Mary Pavon
	13	Stillborn	
	14	Wilfred Raoul Sampson	Fortunat and Rose D. Sampson
	17	Mary Helen Scammels	Thomas and Annie Scammels
	18	Alice Azevedo	Manuel and Mary Azevedo
	31	Joseph Cabral, Jr.	Joseph and Mary A. Cabral
Sept.	5	Marian Barrows Wilbour	John H. and Leila Wilbour
	23	Arline Louise Preece	Robert H. and Mary A. Preece
Oct.	2	Balmida Pavao	Joas R. and Maria Pavao
	6	Emily Madeiros	Frank and Mary Madeiros
	10	Lloyd Belmont Wilcox	Christopher S. and Bertha M. Wilcox
	15	Leroy Marsh Connor	Charles M. and Grace S. Connor
	28	Theresa Frances Macomber	Nason R. and Katherine Macomber
Dec.	8	Sophia Drohobyzka	Kazik and Any Drohobyzka
	9	Mary Stefanis Rypyes	William and Barbara Rypyes
	10	Emma Frances Mosher	John I. and Flora N. Mosher
	13	———— Collins	William R. and Verna A. Collins
	14	Charles Odard Dutton	Charles J. and Laura E. Dutton
	16	———— King	Edward T. and Emma F. King
Sept.	15	Mary Livesey	Charles R. and Mary Livesey

DEATHS REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1911.

Date of		Name of Deceased.	Age.		
Death.			y	m	d
1911.					
Jan.	9	William Cash	84		
	31	Sarah B. Waite	78	10	20
Feb.	3	Mary Ellen Pettey	66	3	22
	18	Daniel M. Sanford	78	1	13
Mar.	1	Phebe L. Baker	76	0	23
	5	John W. Gifford	73	7	15
	6	Lauretta Baine Meigs	48	8	26
	11	Christopher R. Gifford	94	5	24
	13	Laurent Lamontague	61	7	17
	15	Maria Brazil	62	0	23
	16	Stillborn			
	21	George A. Gifford	68	2	20
	22	Daniel W. Kelley	67	1	25
	24	Eli Handy	63	9	21
	27	Edwin S. Whalon	37	1	24
Apr.	12	George Frank Brownell	83	1	3
	13	Cora L. Cory	48	7	12
	16	William T. Pierce	30	1	23
	20	Betsey E. Cook	68		8
	21	Harold Tootel	1		
	25	Pardon Z. Pettey	76	7	25
	4	Patrick Rankin	77	11	19
May	25	Vivian M. Macfarland	2	9	8
June	22	Malvina J. Bodge	52	2	14
	4	Joseph Rodrique			
	26	Frank DeAndrade	2		6
July	5	Laurence Hanlon	73	1	
	9	Emalda MaJar		6	22
	12	Philimena Tarres	44		
	14	Mary E. Brightman	49	5	23
	20	Susan E. Gammons	65	10	1

	30	Raymond T. Doane		1	4
	31	Arthur Ouellette	1		
Aug.	1	Raymond A. Simmons		4	20
	6	Marie V. Levesque	1	10	
	12	Frances E. Paine	75	4	27
	23	Josephine Loranger		6	8
	25	John A. Vieira	68	5	
	31	Rose Alma Beaulieu		5	29
Sept.	6	Joseph C. Rogers		6	11
	11	Marion D. Austin	59	7	18
	11	Thomas A. Arnold	73	11	6
	15	Eva Bazinet		4	6
	22	Thomas Livesey Woodcock		3	39
	25	Illegitimate		2	28
Oct.	3	Alden T. Sisson	88	10	3
	18	Gloria L. Farias		5	
	25	Thomas B. Wilcox	70	5	19
	31	Hazel Ethelyn Kanuse			15
Nov.	3	George Frederick Sisson	82	6	19
	4	Melvina J. Wood	79	10	4
	15	Alfred Edward Smith			21
	15	Illegitimate		1	19
	17	Charles Records	64	7	27
	17	Isabel Parvo	1	4	28
	21	Susanna Entwistle	59	3	4
	26	James J. Austin	73	10	3
Dec.	5	George A. Simmons	59	4	26
	16	Pliny Mosher	67	8	7
	20	Lottie L. Burt	33		23
	28	Leland K. White	22	6	1
	28	Elmer E. Cudworth	19	1	9
	28	Albert L. Mosher	44		
	29	Betsey A. Tripp	89	5	3

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1911.

- Jan. 24. George Syniowski and Praxedra Mara, both of Westport, by Rev. L. A. Malecki, Roman Catholic Priest.
- Jan. 24. Henry A. Pettey and Blanche P. Bouchard, both of Westport, by Sherman E. Ellis, Minister of the Gospel.
- Feb. 25. Walter H. Mellor of Westport and Margaret Taylor of Fall River, by John Pearce, Clergyman.
- Mar. 8. James Smith of Westport and Lula May Wilkins of Stoneham, by Frank W. Collier, Minister of the Gospel.
- Mar. 20. Frank G. Manchester and Amy E. Besse, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Apr. 28. Elmer E. Lake and Sarah A. Jennings, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- May 9. Alfred H. Kanuse and Prudence Mellor, both of Westport, by G. Easterbrook, Minister of the Gospel.
- May 14. Royal R. Reed and Elizabeth Morrison, both of Westport, by William P. Ames, Clergyman.
- June 12. Fred C. Norton of Fall River and Florence M. Pettey of Westport, by William P. Ames, Minister of the Gospel.
- June 26. Alphonse Beaulieu of Dartmouth and Olive Simmons of Westport, by J. A. Prevost, Pastor Notre Dame Church.
- July 9. Frederick L. Tripp and Lottie Holt, both of Westport, by W. E. Plaxton, Clergyman.
- July 10. Edmund J. Blais and Octavie Pelletier, both of Westport, by Louis E. Prevost, ptre.

- Aug. 6. Oscar Thibault of Westport and Eva Cote of Dartmouth, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Aug. 24. Wilbur Palmer and May Kenney, both of Westport, by Wilbur K. Thomas, Minister of the Gospel.
- Aug. 24. Charles G. Mosher of Fall River and Myra M. Tripp of Fall River, by Wilbur K. Thomas, Minister of the Gospel.
- Sept. 7. David E. Gifford of Westport and Anna S. Dion of Fall River, by William H. Curley, Priest.
- Sept. 9. Jose Tavares Pacheco and Maria de Mello, both of Westport, by Cesar M. Fernandes, Roman Catholic Priest.
- Sept. 19. George E. Tripp of Westport and Janet Brown of Fall River, by Rev. Frederick E. Brooks, Clergyman.
- Sept. 25. Michel E. Gagne and Philomene Lapointe, both of Westport, by L. A. Casgrain, ptre.
- Sept. 27. Charles M. Zimmerman and Edna M. Brown, both of Westport, by Emilius W. Smith, Clergyman.
- Oct. 1. Manuel Frank of Fall River and Mary A. Costa of Westport, by Rev. Manuel A. P. Villela, R. C. Priest.
- Oct. 9. Ezra L. Sanford of Westport and Susan A. Wordell of New Bedford, by H. S. Trueman, Minister of the Gospel.
- Oct. 9. Milton E. Allen of New Bedford and Clara E. L. Hammond of Westport, by Percy Gordon, Episcopal Clergyman.
- Oct. 16. Syprien Ferland of Fall River and Annie C. Rasmusson of Westport, by P. L. Jalbert, Priest.
- Oct. 29. Clifford H. Kirby and Lillian L. Sanford, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Oct. 31. Andrew J. Mosher of Westport and Mabel A. Wildman of Sydney, New South Wales, Australia, by Alexander McKenzie, Clergyman.
- Nov. 27. Napoleon Blanchette of Fall River and Evelina Boudreau of Westport, by P. L. Jalbert, Priest.

Nov. 30. Ernest G. Whalon of Westport and Lydia A. Wolstenholme of New Bedford, by Henry E. Oxnard, Minister of the Gospel.

Nov. 30. Arthur E. Reynolds and Ethel M. Wood, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk, assisted by Rev. T. A. Sykes.

Dec. 19. Charles B. Hopkins of Boston and Irene L. Lewis of Westport, by David F. Burns, Minister of the Gospel.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. MACOMBER,

Town Clerk.

Report of the Selectmen.

The board of Selectmen respectfully submit the following report from their records of the past year. The board organized April 3, 1911, with Albert F. King, Chairman, and Herbert A. Sanford, Secretary.

APPOINTMENTS

were made as follows, viz:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, George A. Tripp; Registrar of Voters, Lysander F. Howland for three years; Tree Warden, Edwin Borden; Inspectors of Animals, George A. Tripp and Dr. Willie W. Kirby; Forest Warden, Herbert A. Sanford; Janitor of Town Hall, Lysander F. Howland; Burial Agent, George E. Gifford; Field Driver, Harry H. Healey; Special Police Officers, George P. Brownell, Christopher Borden, David Smith and Frank Murphy. Public Weighers, Charles A. Gifford, Walter S. Kirby, C. W. C. and L. M. Hammond and Albert E. Tripp; Fish Commissioner, John H. Allen.

AUCTIONEER'S LICENSES

were granted to James F. Tripp, 2nd., William H. Gifford, 3rd, John Dolman, Jr., Arthur M. Reed and Frank R. Slocum.

COMMON VICTUALLER'S LICENSE

was granted to Marcus E. Lawrence:

Licenses for the sale of ice cream, confectionery, soda water and fruit on the Lord's day were granted to Marcus E. Lawrence, Betsey W. Allen, Annie L. Lawton, Lillian F.

Little, John F. King, Theodore Petit, John I. Gifford, Joseph Jackson, John Greenwood, Emma L. Fish, Almira W. Tripp, Alexander Kalaff and Elizabeth B. Davis.

INTELLIGENCE OFFICE LICENSE

was granted Mary Livesey.

SLAUGHTER HOUSE LICENSES

were granted to Charles R. Wood, Hiram A. Mosher, Joseph S. Thomas, Wilfred Dumaine, Thomas Coulthurst, Ethelbert W. Tripp, Edward S. Francis, John T. Brownell, Isaac Tripp, John F. MacDonald, Zebedee E. Davis and Louis Faivreau, Isaac Jacobson, Nathan Zass and Abram R. Zass of Fall River.

STATE AID ON DECEMBER 31, 1911.

There were eight persons drawing State Aid, namely: One wife, two widows and five invalid pensioners.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

There is one person drawing soldiers' relief of six dollars a month.

The state will reimburse the state aid.

There is no reimbursement of soldiers' relief.

BONDS.

During the year the board has approved the following bonds, viz:

Jonathan B. Hicks, Treasurer and Collector, \$10,000.00.
Edward L. Macomber, Town Clerk, \$500.00.

List of Jurors.

Prepared by the Selectmen, June 27, 1911.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Allen, Arthur C.	Farmer	Central Village
Athington, Edward	Carpenter	Acoaxet
Atwood, Martin F.	Painter	Westport
Blossom, Eli W.	Farmer	No. Westport
Briggs, Albert B.	Carpenter	"
Brightman, Charles	Miller	"
Brightman, Samuel T.	Farmer	Central Village
Clark, William	Retired	No. Westport
Coggeshall, Everett N.	Plumber	Acoaxet
Davis, Albert E.	Farmer	No. Westport
Davis, Henry E.	Farmer	Acoaxet
Feenan, Henry A.	Clerk	Westport
Gifford, George M.	Butcher	No. Westport
Hammond, Charles W. C.	Fisherman	Westport Point
Haskell, Charles S.	Farmer	So. Westport
Head, William S.	Fisherman	Westport Point
Hicks, Samuel G.	Farmer	No. Westport
Howland, Frederick A.	"	So. Westport
King, Albert F.	"	No. Westport
Lawton, Adam I.	"	" "
Lawton, Allison E.	"	" "
Lawton, George S., Jr.	"	" "
Macomber, Clarence R.	Clerk	So. Westport
Macomber, Frank G.	Fisherman	Westport Point
Manchester, James F.	Painter	" "
Manley, Sylvester C.	Farmer	No. Westport
Mosher, William H.	Blacksmith	Acoaxet
Murphy, Frank	Carpenter	Westport Point

Petty, Thomas A.	Farmer	No. Westport
Potter, Arthur T.	Poultryman	Central Village
Reed, Hiram A.	Harness maker	Westport
Sanford, Herbert A.	Mechanic	No. Westport
Sanford, Peleg S., Jr.	Carpenter	" "
Sherman, Albert S.	Retired	" "
Sherman, George L.	Painter	Westport
Slocum, Frank R.	Poultryman	So. Westport
Sowle, Andrew H.	Retired	Westport Point
Sowle, James H.	Farmer	Acoaxet
Tripp, Frederick L.	Carpenter	Central Village
Tripp, Stephen R.	Carpenter	Westport
Tuell, Arthur G.	Poultryman	So. Westport
Weston, Eldorus E.	Carpenter	" "
Wood, Augustus R.	Farmer	Central Village

List of Jurors.

Drawn during the past year.

Philip F. Simmons	Charles D. Macomber
Frederick A. Mosher	Frank R. Slocum
Philander R. Davis	William H. Mosher
James F. Manchester	Albert E. Davis

Albert S. Sherman

Suit has been entered against the Town by George E. Tripp in an action of contract in relation to the building of the new school house at Central Village. The Selectmen have placed the matter in the hands of Arthur S. Phillips, Esq., of Fall River, with a request that the trial be put off until after the Annual Town Meeting, at which time the Town will be asked to elect an agent to take charge of the matter.

ALBERT F. KING,
HERBERT A. SANFORD,
FRANK R. SLOCUM,

Selectmen of Westport.

December 30, 1911.

Assessors' Report.

The board of assessors respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1911.

Organized April 15, with Augustus R. Wood as chairman and secretary.

STATEMENT OF TAXATION.

Amount of Town appropriations assessed,	\$28,350.16
Amount of State tax,	2,805.00
Amount of State highway tax,	212.50
Amount of County tax,	2,585.11
Assessment on Brightman street bridge, Fall River,	1,216.92
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Total amount of tax to be raised,	\$35,169.69
Deduct for 849 polls at \$2.00,	1,698.00
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Leaving amount laid on property,	\$33,471.69
Total valuation April 1, 1911,	\$2,162,925.00
Amount of tax on valuation at \$16.00 per M.,	34,606.80
Deduct amount laid on property,	33,471.69
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Leaving amount of overlay,	\$1,135.11
Total tax on property,	34,606.80
Total tax on polls,	1,698.00
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Total tax delivered to collector,	\$36,304.80
Rate of tax per \$1,000,	\$16.00

ADDED LIST.

Oct. 30, Dartmouth and Westport Street Railway Company Excise tax,	\$58.91
Oct. 30, Union Street Railway Company Excise tax,	3,276.84
Dec. 19, Real Estate omitted at annual assessment	26.40
Personal property omitted,	70.40

STATISTICS.

Assessed valuation, April 1, 1911,	\$2,162,925.00
Total amount added,	3,432.55
Value of real estate, buildings,	1,145,375.00
Value of real estate, land,	718,928.00
Amount of real estate assessed,	1,864,300.00
Amount of personal property assessed,	298,625.00
Increase in valuation from April 1, 1910,	342,875.00
Number of polls assessed,	849
" polls exempted (Veterans 15, others 18)	33
" horses assessed,	838
" cows assessed,	1,135
" sheep assessed,	17
" neat cattle assessed,	175
" swine assessed,	332
" fowl assessed,	30,450
Value of fowl assessed,	\$15.225
Number of dwellings assessed,	925
" acres of land assessed,	29,086
" residents taxed on property,	699
" non-residents taxed on property,	480
" paying poll tax only,	302
Total number of tax payers,	1,726
" of dwellings taxed to residents,	605
" of dwellings taxed to non-residents,	320
" of acres of land taxed to residents,	22,080
" of acres of land taxed to non-residents,	7,006
Value of real estate taxed to residents,	\$1,203,450

Value of real estate taxed to non-residents,	\$660,850
Value of personal property taxed to residents,	\$258,950
Value of personal property taxed to non-residents,	\$39,675
Number of veteran exemptions under Acts of 1909 (on property),	16
Amount of veteran exemptions,	\$12,400
Number of acres of land not owned by religious societies exempt from taxation,	345
Number of dwelling houses exempted,	57
Value of real estate not owned by such societies exempted,	\$39,525.00
Value of real estate owned by religious societies exempted,	\$22,325.00
Number of persons liable to military duty,	287
Number of dogs returned,	403

AUGUSTUS R. WOOD,
ALBERT F. KING,
FRANK R. SLOCUM,

Assessors of Westport.

Westport, December 30, 1911.

Report of Board of Government.

Beech Grove Cemetery.

The undersigned respectfully submit the following report as required by Article First of its By-laws:

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

There are now for sale 15 center lots at \$25.00 each.

There are now for sale 2 front lots at \$20.00 each.

There has been one rear lot sold during the year.

The annual report will show the receipts and payments of the Cemetery Department during the past year.

ALBERT F. KING,
HERBERT A. SANFORD,
FRANK R. SLOCUM,

Board of Government of Beech Grove Cemetery.
December 30, 1911.

Report of the Board of Health.

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

The Board organized March 25, 1911, and elected John D. Tupper, M.D., chairman and secretary.

The board appointed Edward L. Macomber, agent.

The board appointed (as approved by the State Board of Health), John E. Perry, Henry B. Tripp, Albert E. Davis, Theophilus S. Tripp, Chas. S. Baldwin, Inspectors of Meats; granted undertakers' licenses to Hicks & Potter and Geo. E. Gifford; issued 61 burial permits; issued permit to disinter the remains of one body.

The board received notices of the following number of contagious and infectious diseases: Measles 3, varicella 23, whooping cough 26, tuberculosis 2, anterior poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) 1, cerebro spinal meningitis 1.

The board investigated the unsanitary conditions at Horse Neck Beach and adopted the following regulations:

1. All fish, lobster or clam offal, including swill or garbage of any kind, must be deposited in a covered galvanized receptacle. This garbage will be removed daily under the direction of Board of Health.

2. All animals, as cows, pigs, hens, ducks, etc., kept on the Beach will not be allowed to run at large, but must be confined in some suitable enclosure, said enclosure kept free from offensive odors.

3. All lots must be kept free from cans, shells or rubbish of any nature.

4. Privies must be cleaned out at the beginning of each season, and lime or sand used to cover excrement every few days.

We ask your co-operation to make Horse Neck Beach the ideal healthful summer resort.

Owing to the numerous complaints regarding the inspection of meats a meeting of the Board was called in which it was voted to have the town of Westport pay for the inspection of meats at regular appointed slaughter houses. Non-residents holding a Westport slaughtering license will be required to pay their own inspection fee.

The Board visited and inspected a number of unsanitary places during the year, some of which were in a very filthy state. It is to be hoped that in the future persons having charge of piggeries will keep them in a sanitary condition.

The following diseases must be reported to the Board of Health, according to law, viz.:

Actinomycosis,	Scarlet Fever,
Asiatic Cholera,	Small Pox,
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis,	Tetanus,
Diphtheria,	Trichinosis,
Glanders,	Tuberculosis,
Leprosy,	Typhoid Fever,
Malignant Pustule,	Varicella (Chicken Pox).
Typhus Fever,	Yellow Fever,
Whooping Cough,	Anterior Poliomyelitis,
Trachoma,	(Infantile Paralysis).
Ophthalmia Neonatorum,	

Dr. Mark W. Richardson, Secretary State Board of Health, has sent out a number of circulars during the past year calling attention to the importance of notifying the local and State Boards of Health whenever a child shows signs of Ophthalmia Neonatorum. This is an infectious inflammation of the eyes in a new born child, characterized by swelling, pain, redness, and thick discharge. Without prompt and efficient treatment it results in total blindness.

The board wishes again to call to the attention of householders the importance of notifying the local Board whenever there is a case of contagious or infectious disease in

their family. This must not be overlooked in the future, as there is a penalty attached for a non-compliance with the law.

To the Board of Health is delegated the care of the public health of the town. Its duties are to enforce the state laws on public health, and when conditions arise not covered by existing laws, to pass ordinances to meet the conditions. The members of the Board of Health have sworn to enforce the laws as they find them on the statutes. If you do not like the laws don't blame the Board of Health; talk to your representative. He helps make them.

We call your attention to the fact that the doctor is trying hard to make less business for himself by making every effort to prevent sickness and its spread.

We wish to thank those citizens who have co-operated with the Board in any way.

JOHN D. TUPPER, M. D.,
EDWARD W. BURT, M. D.,
ALBERT F. KING,

Board of Health.

Westport, Mass., Dec. 31, 1911.

Overseers of the Poor.

The Overseers of the Poor respectfully submit their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1911.

Number of persons receiving aid out of the alms-house belonging in the town,	51
Number of persons receiving aid out of the alms-house not belonging in the town,	9
Number receiving full support out of almshouse,	1
Number in almshouse January 1, 1911,	2
Admitted during the year,	6
Discharged during the year,	4
Remaining December 31, 1911,	4
Number of tramps fed and lodged during the year,	10

INVENTORY OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town farm,	\$3,000.00
Household furniture,	500.00
Wood lot,	500.00
Pine Island,	100.00
Carriages and harness,	155.00
Farming tools,	75.00
1 Cow,	50.00
Hay,	20.00
Corn,	2.40
35 Hens,	25.25
Coal,	90.00
Wood,	16.00
Provisions,	20.00
	\$4,553.65

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Cash on hand January 1st, 1911,	\$64.39
Received for milk,	6.24
Received for one chest of tools,	30.00
Received for salt hay,	3.50
Received for eggs,	.44
Received for fowl,	14.45
Received for calf,	10.12
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	\$129.14

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By amount paid treasurer, as per bills of sundries for the year,	\$122.59
Cash on hand January 1st, 1912,	6.55
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	\$129.14

Inside Account.

Hicks & Potter, burial expenses of Christopher R. Gifford,	\$14.50
Robert A. Gifford, carting wood,	8.00
H. A. Mosher, meat,	181.93
F. R. Slocum, selling grass,	6.00
John H. Adams, meat,	31.54
R. F. Petty and Frank Murphy, cutting wood,	18.13
E. J. Sisson, dry goods,	29.16
C. R. Tallman, groceries,	41.82
F. A. Potter, sawing wood,	6.75
A. Joy Potter, groceries,	34.53
Allen, Slade & Co., groceries,	51.01
Mrs. Brown, paid for sundries,	122.59
Mrs. Brown, services as superintendent,	275.00
Salaries of Overseers,	225.00
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	\$1,045.96

Outside Account.

J. D. Tupper, medical services,	\$5.35
Union Hospital, aid,	71.36
Town of Fairhaven, aid,	118.60
R. A. Gifford, expenses to Boston.	4.69
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, aid,	46.94
Carney Hospital, aid,	36.42
M. E. Lawrence, aid,	5.52
Frank L. Hunt, aid,	6.00
City of New Bedford, aid,	278.99
C. R. Tallman, aid,	62.30
William C. Borden, aid,	58.50
D A. King, aid,	149.75
City of Fall River, aid,	225.61
E. W. Burt, aid,	230.65
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	\$1,327.36
Cost of paupers at almshouse and Overseers'	
salaries,	\$1,045.96
Cost of paupers out of almshouse,	1,327.36
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	\$2,373.32
Deduct amount received for grass,	136.25
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Total cost of paupers paid out of treasury,	\$2,237.07

H. L. POTTER,
JOHN I. GIFFORD,
R. A. GIFFORD,

Overseers of the Poor.

Report of the Trustees of the Free Public Library.

The Trustees of the Free Public Library respectfully submit the following report, for the year ending December 31, 1911.

The Board met at the Town Hall on April 29, 1911, and organized for the year with A. R. Wood serving as chairman, and K. W. Chace as secretary. Annie R. Howland was re-elected librarian, and Hattie F. Macomber assistant librarian.

The appearance and usefulness of the Library has been sadly hampered all through the year by lack of shelf room. We were presented a fine collection of old newspapers and magazines, for which we were very grateful, and which are certainly quite a valuable addition to our Library, but there really was no suitable place to put them. Thanks to the Central Village Improvement Association, who donated the sum of ten dollars toward a new bookcase, we have been able to solve the problem for the time being by placing in the Library room a new table and bookcase.

It is with pleasure that we report an increase of 567 in circulation over that of last year, more than double the increase in the year before that.

Number of books added during the year, 44

Number of books in Library, not including public documents, December 31st, 1911, 2,000

Circulation for 1911, 2,249

Magazines subscribed for: Cosmopolitan, Everybody's,

Success and National Post, The American, The American Boy.

For the financial statement, see the report of the Board of Auditors.

List of books added during the year:

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| 790B22 | Bancroft, Jessie H.—Games for the Playground, Home, School and Gymnasium. |
| B654Mi | Bosher, Kate Langley—Miss Gibbie Gault. |
| 910C36 | Channing, Edward—Story of the Great Lakes. |
| C43 | Child, Richard Washburn—Jim Hands. |
| C767f | Connor, Ralph—The Foreigner. |
| Ev12-2 | Evans, Robley D.—An Admiral's Log. |
| F23 | Farnol, Jeffery—The Broad Highway. |
| F35 | Fenn, George Manville—Yussuf the Guide. |
| JH19-1 | Hancock, H. Irving—The Motor Boat Club of the Kennebeck. |
| JH19-2 | Hancock, H. Irving—The Motor Boat Club at Nantucket. |
| JH19-3 | Hancock, H. Irving—The Motor Boat Club off Long Island. |
| JH19-4 | Hancock, H. Irving—The Motor Boat Club and the Wireless. |
| JH19-5 | Hancock, H. Irving—The Motor Boat Club in Florida. |
| JH19-6 | Hancock, H. Irving—The Motor Boat Club at the Golden Gate. |
| H21w | Harben, Will N.—Westerfelt. |
| H76 | Hoover, Bessie R.—Opal. |
| JL44-1 | Lawton, Captain Wilbur—The Boy Aviators in Nicaragua. |
| JL44-2 | Lawton, Captain Wilbur—The Boy Aviators on Secret Service. |
| JL44-3 | Lawton, Captain Wilbur—The Boy Aviators in Africa. |
| JL44-5 | Lawton, Captain Wilbur—The Boy Aviators in Record Flight. |
| JL44-6 | Lawton, Captain Wilbur—The Boy Aviators' |

- Polar Dash.
- 330L63 Lincoln, Jonathan Thayer—The City of the Dinner Pail.
- L63ou Lincoln, Joseph C.—Our Village.
- L63w Lincoln, Joseph C.—The Woman-Haters.
- L81 Lockhart, Caroline—Me—Smith.
- M45 Mayo, Margaret—Polly of the Circus.
- P832 Porter, Gene Stratton—At the Foot of the Rainbow.
- P832F Porter, Gene Stratton—Freckles.
- P832g Porter, Gene Stratton—A Girl of the Limberlost.
- R36 Richardson, Norval—The Lead of Honour.
- R41r Richmond, Grace S.—Red Pepper Burns.
- 590R54n Roberts, Charles G. D.—Neighbors Unknown.
- 821Sc08 Scott, Sir Walter, Bart.—The Lady of the Lake.
- 822Sh8 Short, Josephine Helena—Oberammergau.
- Sp3r Spearman, Frank H.—Robert Kimberly.
- St9 Stuart, Henry Logan—Fennella.
- 170Su8 Sutherland, William J., M. A.—The Teaching of Geography.
- 940T59 Tomlinson, Everett T.—The British Isles.
- V91 Norse, Mary Heaton—The Very Little Person.
- 590W58 White, Eliza Orne—Brothers in Fur.
- W586c White, Stewart Edward—The Cabin.
- W588 White, William Allen—A Certain Rich Man.
- W63r Wiggin, Kate Douglas—Robinetta.
- W72-12 Winfield, Arthur M.—The Rover Boys on the Farm.

On behalf of the Trustees,

KATE W. CHACE, Secretary.

Westport, Mass., Dec. 31, 1911.

Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures.

For the financial year ending Dec. 31, 1911.

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, 1911.

We have examined the vouchers or receipts for the several departments of the treasury accounts and compared them with the entries in the treasurer's books and find that the vouchers agree with the entries therein.

We have also examined the Collector's books and a statement of his accounts will be found in the Collector's accounts.

We have endeavored to keep the expenditures of each department within the appropriation made for the department, but owing to placing a few bills in wrong departments and for the purposes of making up this report have transferred them to their proper place according to schedule A of the returns made to the Bureau of Statistics for 1910, we find that the appropriation for general government has been slightly exceeded. For the amount of unpaid bills of that department see unpaid bills in last part of this report. Also see in same place amount of unpaid bills of department of Charities. These departments call for larger appropriations the present year to meet these unpaid bills.

For amount of notes due in 1912, see table of Liabilities in last part of this report.

We also call your attention to the increasing expenditures of Education and we believe that unless a larger

appropriation is made for that department the school year or length of terms will have to be shortened to keep the expenses within the amount of funds available for that department.

Herewith is presented for the consideration of the voters of the town a list of the current expenses of the town for the years 1909, 1910 and 1911.

Name of Department.	Expended 1909.	Expended 1910.	Expended 1911.
General Government,	\$2,364.25	\$2,683.34	\$2,679.79
Protection to Life and Property,	425.88	537.89	615.82
Automobile Traps,			129.50
Health and Sanitation,	739.75	704.01	593.82
Highways and Bridges,	5,311.00	5,292.82	5,880.84
Charities,	2,446.08	2,491.24	2,373.32
Soldiers' Benefits,	577.00	603.00	553.00
Education,	11,192.43	12,415.12	13,627.75
Libraries,	90.89	135.45	65.08
Recreation,	50.00	50.00	50.00
Unclassified,	169.68	650.49	131.75
Public Services Enterprises,			16.60
Cemeteries,	494.22	513.39	558.58
Interest,	1,868.13	1,639.33	1,505.07
Municipal Indebtedness,	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,600.00

We herewith submit a list of estimated appropriations for 1912.

Name of Department.	Est. Amt. of Appro.
General Government,	\$3,000.00
Protection to Life and Property,	600.00
Health and Sanitation,	600.00
Highways,	1,000.00
Charities,	3,000.00
Soldiers' Benefits,	—
Education,	1,200.00
Libraries,	100.00
Recreation,	50.00
Unclassified,	—

Public Service Enterprises,	
Cemeteries,	200.00
Interest,	1,400.00
Municipal Indebtedness,	8,000.00

We also recommend that the balances due the following accounts be transferred to some other department or account, viz:

Automobiles, North Westport Crusher Account, Brownell's Corner Crusher Repair Account and School House Lot Account, Central Village, Central Village and Adamsville Crusher Account, Beach Avenue Construction Account, Horse Neck Repair Account.,

Collector's Accounts.

Jonathan B. Hicks, Collector.

1908 Tax for the Year 1911.

Dr.

To amount of uncollected taxes,	\$36.50	
To amount of interest collected,	.54	
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Total tax and interest,		\$37.04

Cr.

By amount of taxes collected and paid treasurer,	\$29.30	
By amount of interest collected and paid treasurer,	.54	
By amount of abatements,	7.20	
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Total tax and interest,		\$37.04

Jonathan B. Hicks, Collector.

1909 Tax for the Year 1911.

Dr.

To amount of uncollected taxes,	\$3,106.05	
To amount of interest collected,	202.65	
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Total tax and interest,		\$3,308.70

Cr.

By amount of taxes collected and paid treasurer,	\$2,910.50	
By amount of interest collected and paid treasurer,	202.65	
By amount of abatements,	131.00	
By amount of uncollected taxes,	64.55	
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Total tax and interest,		\$3,308.70

Jonathan B. Hicks, Collector.

1910 Tax for the Year 1911.

Dr.

To amount of uncollected taxes,	\$9,253.94	
To amount of added tax,	56.00	
To amount of interest collected,	124.01	
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Total tax and interest,		\$9,433.95

Cr.

By amount of taxes collected and paid treasurer,	\$5,612.81	
By amount of interest collected and paid treasurer,	124.01	
By amount of abatements,	21.00	
By amount of uncollected taxes,	3,676.13	
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Total,		\$9,433.95

Jonathan B. Hicks, Collector.

1911 Tax.

Dr.

To amount of taxes received from the assessors,	\$36,304.80	
To amount of excise tax D. & W. St. Railway,	58.91	

To amount of excise tax Union St.	
Railway,	\$3,276.84
To amount of added taxes,	96.80
To amount of interest collected,	2.49
To amount of reassessed tax,	9.50
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Total,	\$39,749.34

Cr.

By amount of taxes collected and paid treasurer,	\$26,526.70
By amount of excise tax D. & W. St.	
Railway,	58.91
By amount of excise tax Union St.	
Railway,	3,276.84
By amount of abatements,	26.80
By amount of interest collected and paid treasurer,	2.49
By amount of uncollected taxes,	9,857.60
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Total,	\$39,749.34

PERPETUAL CARE OF BURIAL LOTS

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY.

William H. Pettey, Superintendent.

Names of Depositors.	No. of Lot.	Section	Amount of Deposit.	Amount Expended.	Amount Available.
William S. and Mary E. Wood	1	A	\$50.00	\$1.50	\$2.50
Mary Davis	2	A	50.00	1.50	2.50
Charles Potter and Richmond W. Tripp	4	A	50.00	2.25	2.00
Godfrey Cornell	8	A	75.00	1.50	3.75
John F. Pettey	18	A	50.00	2.00	2.00
Ira F. Tripp	19	A	50.00	2.00	2.42
Ellery Lincoln and Charles H. Allen	20	A	50.00		.17
Charles H. Brownell	23	A	75.00	3.70	3.04
Elder Frederick Tripp (½ lot)	24	A	50.00	2.00	2.16
George B. Gifford	25	A	100.00	4.00	4.00
Christopher B. Tripp	34	A	50.00	2.00	2.00
Mary M. Kelly	36	A	50.00	1.50	2.50
Edmund Kirby	44	B	50.00	2.00	2.25
William Gifford	45	B	50.00	2.50	2.00
Mary Tripp	46	B	50.00	2.50	3.75
Judith Kirby,	47	B	50.00	2.15	2.00
Clarinda Macomber	48	B	50.00	2.50	3.42

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY. (Continued.)

Emanuel D. Mosher	50	B	75.00	1.50	3.29
Annie M. Kirby	51	B	100.00	—	3.91
Cyrus W. Tripp and Nancy A. Davis	54	B	50.00	—	.48
Lafayette S. Gifford	63	B	50.00	2.00	2.01
Timothy Leary	68	B	50.00	1.50	3.21
Emerson T. Howland	70	B	50.00	—	4.51
Adeliza Green and Caroline A. Luce		B	75.00	3.65	3.85
Charlotte Hicks		B	50.00	2.50	2.17
Elizabeth Kirby	77	B	50.00	2.00	2.50
Drucilla G. Manchester	79-80	B	200.00	3.80	53.73
Abby Dring	83	B	50.00	2.25	2.16
William E. Tripp	90	C	50.00	2.25	2.00
Margaret Potter	94	C	100.00	4.00	4.98
Cortez Allen for Fred Allen's lots	102-103	C	100.00	2.00	4.03
Mary S. Macomber	105	C	50.00	2.50	2.00
Lysander W. White	110	C	50.00	2.00	2.00
Abby F. Tripp	117	C	100.00	4.75	16.23
Rachel G. Manchester	118-119	C	100.00	4.75	4.00
Ruth S. Potter	127	C	100.00	4.00	13.24
Edward S. Smith	128	C	50.00	2.00	2.00
Daniel Tripp	129	C	50.00	1.50	8.37
Philip Sanford	136	C	50.00	1.50	3.39
Zelotus Almy	6-8	D	100.00	5.25	5.58
Asa S. Jones	14	D	50.00	2.25	2.63
Phebe A. Sisson	16	D	50.00	2.50	2.42

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY. (Continued.)

Mary S. Winslow	18	D	75.00	2.50	6.10
James H. Sanford	25	D	50.00	3.00	2.27
Arthur G. Tuell	26	D	100.00	3.97	4.06
Mary A. Clayton	28	D	50.00	2.50	2.30
Nannie E. Tripp	30	D	50.00	1.50	2.55
Mary J. Wing	32	D	50.00	—	13.13
Calvin Manchester	35	D	50.00	2.00	2.00
Jerusha Howland	40	D	50.00	3.25	2.92
Mary B. Seabury and N. F. Brownell	43	D	50.00	1.50	2.67
Mabel B. and Sarah A. Gifford	46	D	200.00	4.75	12.63
Walter S. Davis	52	D	50.00	2.47	2.00
Leonard Brownell	53	D	50.00	1.50	2.98
Clarinda F. Snell	10	E	50.00	2.50	2.15
William W. Gifford	11	E	50.00	1.50	2.50
Henry F. Wilbor	14	E	50.00	2.50	4.59
Sarah H. Brownell	16	E	50.00	3.00	2.37
Albert M. Allen	17	E	50.00	1.50	2.59
Everett G. Manchester	19	E	50.00	3.00	7.42
Elizabeth A. Brightman	20	E	75.00	—	2.62
George F. Wood	22-24	E	100.00	5.50	4.33
George W. Kirby	25	E	50.00	1.50	3.13
Judith M. Russell	31	E	50.00	1.50	3.63
Emma F. Potter	43	E	50.00	2.00	2.00
Totals			\$4,200.00	\$149.49	\$290.09

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY.

Peleg S. Sanford, Jr., Superintendent.

George B. Grinnell, Sexton.

Names of Depositors	No. of Lot.	Amount of Deposits	Amount Expended.	Amount Available.
Meribah A. Gifford	west half 5	\$25.00	\$2.50	.15
Theodore A. Tripp	east half 5	25.00	2.50	.85
Laura J. Reed	10	50.00	1.00	2.29
Mary C. Bailey	11	50.00	2.00	2.40
Henry C. Baker	12	50.00	3.00	2.21
Alexander Brownell	17	50.00	2.00	4.62
H. E. Hicks	19, 21, 22, 24	100.00	4.00	4.16
Edward S., Elizabeth S., and Carrie C. Devoll's graves	31	50.00	2.00	3.55
Pardon Thompson for John B. Parris	32	75.00	2.00	4.00
George M. White	56, 29	150.00	4.00	35.75
Amy W. Richmond	37	100.00	4.00	18.61
Cynthia Little	39, 44	75.00	3.00	3.00
Ann E. Sisson	41	100.00	5.00	12.24
Anna C. Davis	73, 45	50.00	2.00	2.00
Elizabeth G. Howland	48	50.00	2.00	2.85
John C. Macomber	50	50.00	2.00	2.80

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY. (Continued.)

Addie F. Fish	79	250.00	30.30	25.53
Melvina F. Gifford	83	50.00	2.00	2.00
Ellis Tripp and Eliza Merrill	94	50.00	2.00	2.00
Nellie F. Sisson	100	75.00	2.00	7.75
H. A. Chadwick	101	75.00	1.32	3.00
Alice A. Duke and C. K. Macomber	104	65.00		1.62
George B. Carr	109	50.00	6.41	Def'ty 1.00
Mary E. Tripp	111	50.00		.60
Abiatha Poole and Mary Grant	117	100.00	3.00	10.00
Mary Grant	119	100.00	3.00	10.50
Williard W. Turner and Kate B. French	128	100.00	3.00	12.66
John Manchester	131	75.00	1.44	3.00
Rebecca Pettey	132	50.00	2.00	3.25
James H. Allen	150	50.00	2.00	2.25
Mary T. Cornell	156	200.00		1.86
Totals		\$2,390.00	\$101.47	\$187.50

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY.

George E. Gifford, Superintendent.

James H. Manchester	1	50.00		.98
Henry Feenan	15	25.00		2.16
Henry T. Aiken and Frank Sisson	25	25.00		1.25
Prudence S. and George A. Simmons	39	50.00	2.00	15.62
Rhoda T. Macomber	51	50.00	7.00	7.62
Charles L. Sherman	52, 53	50.00		9.65
Ruth S. Sherman	72	175.00		24.25
Benjamin S. Thurston	81	100.00		11.46
William E. Sherman	104	100.00		2.12
Nellie E. Pettey	107	50.00	1.50	2.11
Ezekiel W. Reed	110	50.00	2.00	2.83
Cynthia A. Mosher	114	50.00	2.00	2.41
Ellsworth L. Sabins	129	50.00	2.00	2.61
James F. Tripp	143	50.00	3.00	2.80
Eli F. Pettey	148	50.00		5.83
Rachel M. Trafford	150	100.00		12.00
Alvin G. Weeks and W. A. Davis		50.00	2.00	5.01
Mary A. Lewis (Annex)	5	75.00		3.07
Isaac L. Tripp (Annex)	6	50.00		3.05
Mary Wordell (Annex)	15	75.00		5.88
Mary A. Allen (Annex)	17	50.00		4.83
Dianna Kirby, Middle Third (Annex)	22	100.00		2.48
Totals		\$1,425.00	\$21.50	\$130.02

WESTPORT POINT CEMETERY.

William H. Brightman, Superintendent.

Alexander Groves		50.00	1.50	4.00
Pardon Davis and Lydia A. D. Ball	2 lots	100.00	3.00	19.91
Charles E. Case		50.00	1.50	5.22
Edward E. Hicks for A. Hicks lot		50.00	1.50	9.80
Isaac Cory		50.00	2.00	4.88
Benjamin Gifford lot		50.00	1.50	5.63
Abraham Dyer		50.00	1.50	5.63
Peirce and Isaac B. Tompkins		50.00	1.50	5.63
Jeremiah Brightman		100.00	2.00	16.25
Clark and Alfred Tripp		50.00	1.50	4.00
Thomas Watkins		100.00	2.50	11.57
Rufus Brightman lot		50.00	1.00	5.33
Charles P. Sowle lot		50.00	1.50	3.34
Carrie B. Wells and Cynthia Brownell for H. H. Brownell lot		300.00	9.00	19.50
Cornelius T. Allen lot		50.00	.69	2.00
Totals		\$1,150.00	\$31.19	\$122.69

PRIVATE BURIAL LOTS.

Henry Brightman lot	\$100.00	3.05	4.95
Wilson Sherman lot	100.00		51.90
Brownell lot	300.00	10.00	44.83
S. K. Howland lot	100.00	3.40	4.68
George Wing lot	100.00	3.76	4.24
James Allen lot	100.00	4.26	13.57
Abner Wilcox lot	100.00	4.00	4.00
Green Allen lot	100.00	3.48	4.52
Hicks lot	250.00		128.63
Silas Kirby lot	100.00	3.39	4.61
J. L. Sherman lot	50.00	1.96	2.04
Charles Sisson lot	25.00	4.00	1.25
Tripp lot, Macomber's Corner	100.00	3.63	4.42
Ezekiel Brownell lot	100.00	2.00	7.50
George Cook Brownell lot			
Nellie Pettey	50.00		3.61
David Sanford lot	50.00		.02
Rufus E. Wordell lot	100.00		3.72
Rufus E. Wordell Cemetery			.
For lots not otherwise provided for	100.00		3.72
Totals	\$1,925.00	\$46.93	\$292.21

Amount of Perpetual Care Funds deposited in N. B. Institution for Savings, \$11,090.00
 Amount expended on burial lots, 1911, \$350.58
 Amount available for the care of burial lots in 1912, \$1,022.51

Receipts or Revenue.

Taxes.

Current year:

Amount received on property,	\$20,094.59
Amount received on polls,	1,042.00
	\$21,136.59

Previous years:

Amount received on property 1910 tax,	\$5,330.81
Amount received on polls 1910 tax,	282.00
Amount received on property 1909 tax,	2,814.50
Amount received on polls 1909 tax,	96.00
Amount received on property 1908 tax,	25.30
Amount received on polls 1908 tax	4.00

Total amount of revenue from taxes, \$8,552.61

Taxes received from the State:

Bank tax,	\$1,256.02
Public service tax,	596.76
Street Railway tax, D. & W. and	
Union Street Railways,	\$6,765.35

Total amount of taxes received from the
state, \$8,618.13

Licenses.

Auctioneers' licenses:

John Dolan,	\$2.00
William H. Gifford, 3d,	2.00
A. M. Reed,	2.00

Intelligence office licenses:

Mary Livesey,	\$2.00
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Victualers' licenses :

Betsey J. Allen,	2.00
Allison T. Lawton,	2.00

Sunday licenses :

Marcus Lawrence,	\$2.00
John King,	2.00
John I. Gifford,	2.00
Joseph Jackson,	2.00
John Greenwood,	2.00
Emma L. Fish,	2.00
Almira W. Tripp,	2.00
Theodora Pett,	2.00
Elizabeth Davis,	2.00

Butchers' licenses :

Zebedee E. Davis,	\$1.00
Louis Fairveau,	1.00
Edward S. Francis,	1.00
Hiram Mosher,	1.00
Charles R. Wood,	1.00
John T. Brownell,	1.00
Joseph S. Thomas,	1.00
John F. MacDonald,	1.00
Ethelbert Tripp,	1.00
Wilfred Duncan,	1.00
Thomas Coulthurst,	1.00
Abraham Yess,	1.00
Naton Yess,	1.00
Isaac Jacobson,	1.00

Total for licenses,	<hr/>	\$44.00
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Fines and Forfeits.

Court fines,	\$54.40
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Total,	<hr/>	\$54.40
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Grants and Gifts.

Received from State Massachusetts school fund,	\$938.42	
Received from treasurer of town of Dartmouth for the state on account of union superintendency,	\$459.55	
Received from state treasurer for salaries of inspectors of animals,	\$116.50	
Received from county dog licenses,	730.67	
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Total,		\$2,245.14

Privileges.

Street railway excise or franchise tax collected by the town,	\$3,335.75	
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Inspection.

Fees for sealing scales or measures,	\$38.61	
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Total,		\$38.61

Highway Construction.

Sale of materials:		
C. H. Trafford, screening,	\$6.68	
W. C. Trafford, screening,	6.68	
F. A. Wood, screening,	7.00	
C. T. Gifford, screening,	1.00	
C. R. Wood, crushed stone,	8.00	
From the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the Small Towns Act (so called),	180.00	
	<hr/>	\$209.36

Charities.

Alms house account:		
Sale of farm products, etc.,	\$258.84	
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Total,		\$258.84

Soldiers' Benefits.

State Aid,	\$494.00	
Soldiers' burials,	37.00	
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Total,		\$531.00

Education.

Received from town of Tiverton, tuition,	\$20.00	
J. D. Tupper, M. D., on account of schools.,	.50	
Other expenses:		
A. G. & W. G. Howland, dividends on insurance policies,	82.08	
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Total,		\$102.58

Public Service Enterprises.

Fish way:		
Eli Handy, sale of lumber,	\$23.52	
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Total,		\$23.52

Cemeteries.

Edward L. Macomber, sale of lot,	\$15.00	
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Total,		\$15.00

Interest.

Perpetual care funds,	\$375.13	
Merchants' National Bank, interest on deposits,	155.89	
Interest on deferred taxes,	329.69	
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Total,		\$860.71

Municipal Indebtedness.

Merchants' National Bank, temporary loans in anticipation of taxes (two notes),	\$15,000.00	
New Bedford Institution for Savings, permanent loans on account of highways (four notes),	10,000.00	
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Total,		\$25,000.00

Agency.

State tax,	\$2,805.00	
County tax,	2,585.11	
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Total,		\$5,390.11

Trust.

Perpetual care funds deposited in New Bedford Institution for Savings,	\$1,090.00	
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		\$1,090.00

Unclassified.

Received for advertising on cover of Town Report,	\$20.00	
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		\$20.00
Total amount of receipts for the year,		\$77,526.35

Cash on hand due departments Jan. 1, 1911,	\$6,292.47	
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		\$6,292.47
Grand total,		\$83,818.82

Payments and Outlays.

Total amount of payments and outlays for 1911 (see table),	\$70,900.76	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1911,	12,918.06	
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Grand total,		\$83,818.82

Table Showing the Appropriations, Receipts, Expenditures, Transfers, Cash Balances
and other Items of the several Departments of the Town Treasury.

Names of Departments.	Amount due Departments to Dec. 31, 1910.	Appropri- ation, 1911.	Accrued from other sources.	Transferred from other Departments.	Transferred to other Departments.	Deficiency in Dept. Dec. 31, 1910.	Amount due Department	Amount Expended.	Cash in Treasury due Department Dec. 31, 1911.
General Government.		\$2,700.00					\$2,700.00	\$2,679.79	20.21
Protection to Life and Property.		550.00	93.01				643.01	615.82	27.19
Health and Sanitation.	\$51.50	800.00	116.50				968.00	593.82	374.18
Highways and Bridges, general repairs.	2,204.81	1,212.50	10,110.10		\$400.00		13,127.41	5,880.84	7,246.57
b Repairs of Avenues at Westport Harbor.		500.00					500.00		500.00
c Repairs of Horseneck Road, (crushed stone).		3,000.00	13.36				3,013.36	3,013.36	
d Repairs Macadam, Blossom Road.		200.00					200.00	200.00	
e Repairs Macadam, Sanford and Old County Roads.		3,000.00	7.00				3,007.00	2,998.94	8.06
f Stone Crusher account, North Westport.		4,000.00					4,000.00	3,964.21	35.79
g Stone Crusher account, Blossom Road.		2,000.00					2,000.00	2,000.00	
h Widening Roadbed at Adamsville.		400.00					400.00		400.00
i Widening Road at Asa R. Howland's.				\$400.00			400.00	400.00	
j Land Damage of Asa R. Howland.		275.16					275.16		
k Land Damage, James L. Gray.		100.00					100.00	100.00	
l Land Damage, Manuel Thomas.		25.00					25.00	25.00	
m Widening Road, South Westport.	5.35					5.35			
n Stone Crusher account, Central Village and Adams- ville.	29.98						29.98		29.98
o Stone Crusher account, Adamsville and Westport Harbor.			180.00	9.58		\$189.58			
p Stone Crusher account, Westport Harbor.	182.33						182.33	182.33	

APPROPRIATIONS, ETC.—Continued.

q Beach Avenue Construction account,	230.43						230.43	212.96	17.47
r Horseneck Road Repair account,	3.39						3.39		3.39
Fall River and Somerset Bridge account,		1,216.92					1,216.92	1,216.92	
Charities,	1,114.39	1,000.00	258.84	.09			2,373.32	2,373.32	
Soldiers' Benefits,	695.05	150.00	531.00				1,376.05	553.00	823.05
Education,	2,676.50	10,000.00	1,500.55	630.67			14,807.72	13,627.75	1,179.97
Central Village Schoolhouse Lot,		500.00					500.00	450.85	49.15
Dog Funds,			730.67		730.67				
Free Public Library,				100.00			100.00	65.08	34.92
Recreation,		50.00					50.00	50.00	
Unclassified,		500.00	20.00				520.00	131.75	388.25
Public Service Enterprise,			23.52				23.52	16.60	6.92
Cemeteries—									
a Beech Grove,	190.32	200.00	15.00				405.32	208.00	197.32
b Perpetual Care of Burial Lots,	505.97		375.13				881.10	350.58	530.52
c Amount of Perpetual Funds received in 1911,		1,090.00					1,090.00	1,090.00	
Interest,	360.67	1,200.00	485.58				2,046.25	1,505.07	541.18
Municipal Indebtedness,		5,600.00	15,000.00				20,600.00	20,600.00	
Publishing Births, Marriages and Deaths,		150.00					150.00		150.00
Repairs on Town Hall,		200.00					200.00		200.00
Automobile Traps,		250.00					250.00	129.50	120.50
Borden's Well Repair account,	6.00				6.00				
Provincetown Monument account,	20.00				20.00				
Agency—									
a State Tax,		2,805.00					2,805.00	2,805.00	
b County Tax,		2,585.11					2,585.11	2,585.11	
Unappropriated Money account,			10,480.74	31.35	8,652.66	1,794.64	33.44		33.44
							\$83,818.82	\$70,900.76	\$12,918.06

For the amount available for public and town landings see Treasurer's report of landings.

UNAPPROPRIATED MONEY ACCOUNT.

Dr.

To amount transferred from widening road account South Westport by vote of the town,	\$5.35
To amount transferred from Provincetown monument account by vote of the town,	20.00
To amount transferred from Borden well account by vote of the town,	6.00
To amount received for butchers' licenses,	14.00
To amount received for auctioneers' licenses,	6.00
To amount received for victualler's license,	4.00
To amount received for intelligence office licenses,	2.00
To amount received for Sunday licenses,	18.00
To amount of bank tax,	1,256.02
To amount of public service tax,	596.76
To amount received for 1908 tax,	29.30
To amount received for 1909 tax,	2,910.50
To amount received for 1910 tax,	5,612.81
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Total amount of unappropriated for 1911,	\$10,480.74

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By amount of deficiency in 1910,	\$1,794.64
By amount transferred by auditors to Westport Harbor and Adamsville crusher account,	9.58
By amount transferred by auditors to charities,	.09

By amount transferred by auditors to the amount of available collected taxes for the year 1911 to balance appropriations.	8,642.99	
By cash to balance account.	33.44	
Total.		\$10,480.74
Amount of unappropriated money on hand December 31, 1911.		\$33.44

PAYMENTS.

General Government.

Legislative:—

A. D. Manchester, services as moderator.	\$15.00	
Total cost.		\$15.00

Executive:—

Frank A. Slocum, services as selectman, bill rendered March 25, 1911, one year.	135.00	
		\$135.00

Herbert A. Sanford, services as selectman from Nov. 8, 1910, to April 29, 1911:

Nov. 8, 1910, attending state election,	3.00
Nov. 10, 1910, services in relation to pumps at South Westport and Horse-neck,	3.00
Nov. 15, 1910, general business at Town Hall,	3.00
Nov. 26, 1910, last Saturday in the month,	3.00
Nov. 28, 1910, services at North Westport relating to telephone poles,	2.00
Nov. 30, 1910, seeing John Hathaway about boiler and engine,	3.00

Dec. 1, 1910, Head of Westport attendance in the case of killing of the Feenan child,	3.00
Dec. 31, 1910, at Town Hall general business last Saturday of the month,	3.00
Jan. 17, 1911, at Town Hall general business,	3.00
Jan. 21, 1911, making up town reports in relation selectmen's doings and board of government of Beech Grove Cemetery,	3.00
Jan. 24, 1911, relaying of Briggs road,	3.00
Jan. 28, 1911, at Town Hall last in the month general business,	3.00
Jan. 30, 1911, surveying Sanford road,	3.00
Jan. 31, 1911, at Town Hall making up town warrant,	3.00
Feb. 1, 1911, writing and distributing abutters' notices,	2.25
Feb. 7, 1911, making up reports for the town report,	3.00
Feb. 8, 1911, attending hearing of abutters of Sodom road,	3.00
Feb. 9, 1911, attending special town meeting,	3.00
Feb. 24, 1911, attending caucus meeting,	3.00
Feb. 25, 1911, at Town Hall last Saturday in month general business,	3.00
Feb. 27, 1911, making up town warrant,	3.00
Feb. 28, 1911, making up town warrant,	3.00
March 2, 1911, making up town warrant,	3.00
March 13, 1911, attending annual town meeting,	3.00

March 18, 1911, attending adjourned town meeting,	3.00
March 25, 1911, at Town Hall last Saturday in the month general business,	3.00
April 1, 1911, attending adjourned town meeting,	3.00
April 3, 1911, at Town House general business,	3.00
April 8, 1911, at Duffany Hall hearing,	2.25
April 15, 1911, at town in relation to buying lot for school house,	3.00
April 29, 1911, at Town Hall last Saturday in the month general business,	3.00
Total for H. A. Sanford's services for the time and dates given as select-man,	\$90.50
Total for selectmen's services,	<hr/> \$225.50

All Other Expenses:—

Herbert A. Sanford carriage hire from Nov. 8, 1910, to April 29, 1911, 11 times @ 50 cts.,	5.50
Herbert A. Sanford, 1 journal,	2.50
Henry P. Wing, posting town warrants,	6.50
J. H. Braggett Co., 12 town warrants,	3.50
Warburton & Dover, printing town warrants,	8.75
Robert Adams, stationery,	1.60
A. F. King, cash paid for stationery, oaths, and postage,	4.71
Henry P. Wing, posting warrants,	5.70
Carter's Ink Co., record ink,	.75
Hobbs & Warren Co., supplies,	3.75
A. F. King, use of team for inspection of state aid,	3.00
Andrew J. Kirby, 50 town warrants,	2.40

Henry P. Wing, posting town warrants,	6.50	
Frank R. Slocum, expenses to Boston to purchase safe, November bill,	3.00	
Herbert A. Sanford, expenses to Boston relative to purchase of safe,	2.50	
Dover Press, 25 printed warrants,	2.25	
George P. Brownell, posting warrants,	3.50	
G. T. Tripp, services posting warrants at state election,	6.50	
Herbert A. Sanford, expenses to Boston to purchase safe, December bill,	2.50	
Total for all other expenses,		\$75.41
Total for selectmen's division,		\$300.91

Auditor's Division:—

A. D. Manchester, services as auditor from Oct. 1, 1910, to July 31, 1911. Dates: Oct. 28, Nov. 25, 1910; Jan. 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30; Feb. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16; March 15, 25; April 25; May 16, 27; June 8, 24; July 7, 29, 1911. 33 days at \$2.50 per day. Business: Auditing bills, Treas- urer's and Collector's accounts and books, making report of financial statistics, making out schedules for Bureau of Statistics, etc.,	82.50
Henry E. Davis, services as auditor from August 24, 1910, to Dec. 30, 1911. Dates: Aug. 24, 1910, to Feb. 25, 1911, 46 days; from Feb. 25 to April 29, 1911, 8 days; from April 29 to May 29, 1911, 3 days; from May 29 to Sept. 30, 1911, 12 days;	

from Sept. 30 to Dec. 30, 1911, 8 days; total service 77 days at \$2.50 per day. Business: Auditing bills, Treasurer's and Collector's accounts and books, making report of financial statistics, reading proof, keeping Auditors' book, etc.,	192.50	
Clerical assistance on account of sickness of A. D. Manchester, 16 days,	40.00	
Total,		\$315.00

Other expenses:—

Henry E. Davis, stationery and journal,	\$3.17	
Henry E. Davis, telephoning, carfare and postage,	1.40	
Robert Adams, stationery,	2.02	
Total,		6.59

Total for Auditors' division,	\$321.59
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Treasurer's Division:—

Jonathan B. Hicks, commission as treasurer, year 1910,	\$347.14
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Other expenses:—

James F. Hoye, half of official bond,	\$25.00	
E. Anthony & Sons, 100 receipt blanks,	1.37	
J. B. Hicks, journal and express,	4.15	
Total for other expenses,		30.52

Total for Treasurer's division,	\$377.66
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Collector's Division:—

Jonathan B. Hicks, commission as Collector, for year 1910,	\$384.63
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Other Expenses :—

J. B. Hicks, stationery, telephone and postage,	5.83	
J. B. Hicks, 1,000 stamped envelopes,	21.24	
E. Anthony & Sons, 250 tax bills,	10.50	
R. A. Potter, 500 note heads,	2.00	
One-half cost of official bond,	25.00	
Total for other expenses,	-----	\$64.57
Total for Collector's division,		\$449.20

Assessors Division :—

A. R. Wood, services as assessor from, Nov. 4 to Nov. 8, 1910, 4 days @ \$2.50,	\$10.00	
A. R. Wood, services as assessor from Nov. 8, 1910, to Aug. 26, 1911, 73 days @ \$2.50,	182.50	
A. F. King, services as assessor to July 29th, 1911, 48 days @ \$2.50,	120.00	
A. F. King, services as assessor from Aug. 1st to Oct. 28th, 1911, 91½ days @ \$2.50,	23.75	
A. F. King, services as assessor from Oct. 28 to Nov. 25, 1911, 31½ days @ \$2.50,	8.75	
A. F. King, services as assessor from Nov. 25, 1911, to Dec. 30, 1911, 3 days @ \$2.50,	7.50	
Frank R. Slocum, services as assessor from Jan. 13 to Aug. 26, 1911, 66 days @ \$2.50,	165.00	
Frank R. Slocum, services as assessor from Aug. 26 to Nov. 25, 1911, 18 days @ \$2.50,	45.00	
Total for assessors' services,	-----	\$562.50

Other Expenses:—

Hobbs & Warren Co., supplies,	4.40	
A. F. King, use of team in canvassing for revaluation of the town from May 20 to June 22, 1911, 25 days @ \$1.50 per day,	37.50	
A. R. Wood, expenses to New Bedford looking up transfers of real estate at office of Registry of Deeds,	2.80	
A. F. King, express, oaths and carfare,	3.08	
F. R. Slocum, use of automobile in tak- ing revaluation of the town from May 4 to June 17, 1911, 15 days @ \$2.00,	30.00	
Dover Press, 25 poll tax sheets,	14.25	
A. R. Wood, stamps,	.88	
E. Anthony & Sons, 6 cloth assessor's notices,	3.50	
A. W. Brownell, collector's tax books,	30.75	
A. F. King, carfare, telephoning and stamps,	5.44	
A. F. King, carfare,	3.55	
F. R. Slocum, traveling and other ex- penses to Boston looking up fran- chise tax,	3.00	
A. F. King, cash paid for carfare and oaths,	3.50	
Total for other expenses,		\$142.65
Total for Assessors' division,		\$705.15

Other Finance Officers and Accounts:—

Commonwealth of Massachusetts cer-
tification of notes of the town for
the year 1911 as follows:

2 temporary notes,	\$6.00
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4 permanent notes,	12.00	
J. B. Hicks, expenses to Boston in relation to highway loan,	2.65	
Total cost of other finance officers and accounts,	—————	\$20.65

Other General Departments.

Town Clerk's Division:—

E. L. Macomber, services as Town Clerk from Jan. 1st, to June 20th, 1911, as follows:

Jan. 2, recording affidavit and oath of Sealer of Weights and Measures,	\$.25
Jan. 17, copying from record for Auditors,	.50
Jan. 17, recording auctioneer's licenses,	.25
Jan. 21, meeting and consulting with Selectmen,	1.00
Jan. 21, work in preparing for official ballots,	1.50
Jan. 28, meeting with Selectmen to draw jurors,	1.00
Jan. 28, meeting with Selectmen,	1.00
Jan. 30, consulting with Town Clerk of Fairhaven,	2.00
Feb. 6, consulting with Secretary of State,	2.00
Feb. 8, meeting with Selectmen,	1.50
Feb. 9, attendance and record of special town meeting,	2.00
Feb. 13, writing Town Clerk's report,	2.50
Feb. 25, posting civil service notices,	1.00
Feb. 27, election work,	1.00
March 2, election work,	1.00
March 6, preparation of ballots and trip to New Bedford about ballots,	3.00

March 8, posting special ballots and trip to New Bedford.	3.00
March 8, posting special ballots.	.50
March 10, writing tally sheets.	3.00
March 11, work on ballot box, etc.,	.50
March 13, attendance and record at annual meeting.	7.00
March 13, recording affidavit and oaths of public weights.	.25
March 13, issuing warrants to constable to notify town officers.	.50
March 18, attendance and record at the adjourned annual town meeting.	6.00
March 24, to recording auctioneer's license.	.25
March 25, to recording auctioneer's license.	.25
March 31, transmitting 4 birth records.	1.00
April 1, attendance and record at adjourned town meeting.	7.00
April 1, recording, oaths of surveyors of lumber and measurers of wood and bark.	.25
April 6, notifying committee on new schoolhouse.	.75
April 7, going to New Bedford about dog license book.	1.00
April 10, recording affidavit and oath of truant officer.	.25
April 25, copying records for Selectmen.	2.00
April 25, copying records for auditors.	1.00
April 29, recording affidavit and oath of inspector of meats.	.25
May 1, making copy of note, No. 1.	.50
May 4, recording layout of Briggs' road.	.75

May 12, recording affidavit of oath of inspector of animals,	.25	
May 27, copying records for auditors and treasurer,	.50	
May 27, meeting with Selectmen to draw a juror,	.50	
May 27, recording intelligence office license,	.25	
June 9, recording affidavit and oath of inspector of meat,	.25	
June 13, destroying ballots used at election and making record,	.50	
June 20, recording affidavit and oath of police officers,	.25	
		<hr/> \$60.00
E. L. Macomber, services as Town Clerk from June 20 to Sept. 29th, 1911:—		
June 24, copying copy of treasurer's record of Note No. 2,	.50	
July 21, recording affidavit and oath of registrar of voters,	.25	
July 26, making a list of appropria- tions for the assessors,	.25	
July 27, recording affidavit and oath of special police officer,	.25	
July 29, attendance and record of spec- ial town meeting,	3.00	
July 29, recording affidavit and oath of special police officer,	.25	
July 31, copying votes for Selectmen,	1.50	
Aug. 3, copying votes and notifying building committee,	.75	
Aug. 17, to consulting secretary of the Commonwealth about caucus law,	2.00	
Aug. 26, to copying records for Se- lectmen,	.25	

Aug. 26, to copying records for auditors,	.25	
Aug. 31, meeting to draw juror,	1.00	
Sept. 2, meeting with treasurer and Selectmen,	1.00	
Sept. 4, to copying records for treasurer,	.50	
Sept. 6, meeting with the Selectmen,	1.00	
Sept. 9, writing warrant for the Selectmen,	1.50	
Sept. 9, meeting at town hall,	1.00	
Sept. 13, certifying four notes and copying record,	2.00	
Sept. 13, making list of dog owners for constable,	1.50	
Sept. 23, posting civil service notices,	.50	
Sept. 24, recording affidavit and oaths of Inspector of Animals,	.25	
Sept. 25, writing tally sheets,	1.50	
Sept. 25, work on ballot box,	.50	
Sept. 26, recording affidavit and oath of police officer,	.25	
Sept. 26, attendance and record of joint primary,	5.00	
Sept. 29, preparing primary returns for Secretary of State,	1.50	
		28.25
E. L. Macomber, services as Town Clerk from Sept. 29th to Dec. 31st, 1911:		
Oct. 28, to meeting to draw juror,	.50	
Nov. 7, attendance and record of state election,	4.50	
Nov. 6, copying records for A. S. Phillips,	10.00	
Nov. 9, making returns to State Board of Education,	.50	

Nov. 10, making returns to Bureau of Statistics,	.50	
Nov. 13, recording Registrars' of Voters statement of recount,	.25	
Nov. 14, posting civil service notices,	.50	
Nov. 15, meeting with the Selectmen and filing election returns,	1.50	
Nov. 15, consulting City Clerk of Fall River about returns,	1.50	
Nov. 17, meeting with City Clerk of Fall River about returns,	3.00	
Nov. 18, making record of the meeting at Fall River,	.50	
Nov. 25, meeting to draw juror,	.50	
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		23.75
Edward L. Macomber, recording marriages,		5.40
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Total for Clerk's services,		\$117.40

Other General Expenses:—

Wakefield Daily Item, stationery,	\$2.05	
A. H. Bartlett, 200 leaf dog license book,	3.25	
Sullivan & Crocker, dog license book,	5.75	
P. B. Murphy, 100 No. 1 dog license blanks,	.50	
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., record book,	3.00	
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		\$14.55

E. L. Macomber, cash paid for express, typewriting, carfare, etc., as follows:—

Jan. 13, express on hunter's license books,	.20
Feb. 9, express on election blanks,	.15
Feb. 17, express on county reports,	.30

Feb. 18, express on voting lists,	.15	
Feb. 27, express on ink,	.50	
March 6, typewriting,	1.50	
March 6, carfare,	.35	
March 8, carfare,	.55	
March 10, express on ballots,	.15	
May 3, express on books,	.15	
May 5, express on books,	.15	
May 18, express on books,	.15	
Sept. 13, express on books,	.50	
Sept. 15, express on blanks,	.15	
Sept. 23, express on ballots,	.25	
Sept. 30, postage to date,	1.68	
Oct. 27, express on blanks,	.15	
Nov. 4, express on ballots,	.25	
Dec. 6, express on books,	.30	
Dec. 14, traveling expenses to Boston,	2.60	
Dec. 29, express on hunter's license blanks,	.15	
Dec. 30, postage to date,	.75	\$11.08
E. L. Macomber administering oaths to officers,	2.00	\$2 00
Total amount of all other expenses,		\$27.63
Total amount of Town Clerk's Di- vision,		\$145.03

Law:—

Crapo, Clifford & Prescott, legal,	\$4.00	
E. L. Macomber, cash paid for legal advice,	1.00	
Andrew J. Kirby, printing 25 jury lists,	2.15	
Total,		\$7.15

Election and Registration.

Board of registrars services in March,	\$50.00
Board of registrars services in October, five days,	50.00
Board of registrars services, Nov. 15 and 20, 1911,	20.00
C. R. Wood, teller at annual meeting,	2.50
Samuel J. Brightman, teller at annual meeting,	2.50
Harold P. Tripp, ballot clerk at annual meeting,	2.50
William H. Potter, teller at annual meeting,	2.50
Granville T. Tripp, teller at annual meeting,	2.50
A. R. Wood, teller at state election, Nov. 8, 1910,	2.50
C. R. Wood, teller, Sept. 26, 1911, caucus,	2.50
Harold P. Tripp, services as teller, cau- cus Sept. 26, 1911,	2.50
A. J. Potter, services as teller at caucus Sept. 26, 1911,	2.50
William H. Potter, services as ballot clerk, Sept. 26, 1911,	2.50
J. F. MacDonald, services as teller at state caucus,	2.50
Geo. W. Russell, services as ballot clerk, Sept. 26,	2.50
Harold P. Tripp, services as teller at state election,	2.50
William H. Potter, services as teller at state election,	2.50
J. F. MacDonald, services as teller at state election,	2.50
Geo. W. Russell, services as ballot clerk at state election,	2.50

C. R. Wood, services as teller at state election,	2.50	
Mercury Publishing Co., printing ballots,	20.50	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 1 quire of General Register of Votes,	2.25	
Mercury Publishing Co., printing voting lists,	16.00	
	<hr/>	\$201.25

Other Departments of General Government:—

Eli Handy, services as fish commissioner,	\$22.50	
Philip S. Tripp, services as fish commissioner,	11.40	
George B. Grinnell, services as fish commissioner, 2 years,	20.00	
Total,	<hr/>	\$53.90

Town Hall:—

L. F. Howland, services as janitor from Jan. 1 to April 1, 1911,	\$18.75	
L. F. Howland, services as janitor from April 1 to June 30, 1911,	18.75	
L. F. Howland, services as janitor from June 30 to Aug. 30, 1911,	18.75	
L. F. Howland, services as janitor from Sept. 30 to Dec. 31, 1911,	18.75	75.00
L. F. Howland, 1 cord of wood,	7.00	
A. J. Potter, lamp chimneys,	.30	7.30
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Total for town hall,		\$82.30
Total for general government,		\$2,679.79

PROTECTION TO LIFE AND PROPERTY.

Police Department.

Salaries and wages of Constables and
Special Police:

Granville T. Tripp, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Leonard Wardman,	\$3.50
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. George Rice,	9.00
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Polander,	2.50
George Shepherdson, services as Con- stable,	2.50
A. W. Gifford, services as Constable at annual meeting,	2.50
Henry P. Wing, serving 32 summonses,	8.00
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. George Kenuse,	9.90
Henry P. Wing, services as Constable at the annual meeting,	2.50
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Joseph Carron,	5.00
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Joshua Cornell,	2.00
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Harry Reed and Allison Shockley,	8.40
Granville T. Tripp, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Joseph Carron,	10.00
Christopher Borden, services as special police at North Westport, June 2, 4, 9, 16 and 23, 1911—5 days,	25.00
George P. Brownell, services as special police at North Westport, June 18 and 20, July 2 and 4, 1911—4 days,	10.00

Granville T. Tripp, services as Constable in the case of Sunday peddlers,	2.50	
Henry P. Wing, services as Constable in the case of ice cream peddlers,	4.50	
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Wallace Macomber,	9.95	
Christopher Borden, services as police July 30 and Aug. 6, 13, 20—4 days,	10.00	
Henry P. Wing, services as Constable at caucus,	2.50	
Henry P. Wing, services as Constable in automobile cases,	53.10	
Granville T. Tripp, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Francisco Medeiros,	5.00	
Edward Athington, services as Constable in the case of Lambert & Brownell,	7.00	
Frank Murphy, services as police from July 30, to Sept. 5, 1911,	17.50	
Christopher Borden, services as police Aug. 27 and Sept. 3, 4, 17, 24—5 days,	10.00	
Henry P. Wing, fees in the case of Commonwealth vs. Wilfred Deshias and David Smith,	9.55	
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Inspection (salaries and expenses) :—		
George A. Tripp, die and weights,	\$1.65	
Total,	<hr/>	\$1.65

Care of Trees.

J. F. MacDonald and others, fighting forest fires (22 persons),	\$83.50
Albert A. Sanford and others, fighting forest fires (34 persons),	78.40

Albert A. Sanford and others, fighting forest fire (6 persons),	12.40	
Herbert A. Sanford and others, fighting forest fire (14 persons),	29.00	
A. N. Lawton and others, fighting forest fire (4 persons),	11.76	
Joseph Wordell and others, fighting forest fire (24 persons),	31.85	
Robert Getting and others, fighting forest fire (3 persons),	2.40	
Frank Whalon and others, fighting forest fire (57 persons),	74.29	
Herbert A. Sanford and others, fighting forest fire,	5.40	
Westport Manufacturing Co., fighting forest fires,	44.55	
Westport Manufacturing Co., chemicals used in fighting forest fires,	6.42	
Herbert A. Sanford, investigating fire at Westport factory,	1.80	
Total for care of trees,		\$381.77
Total for protection to life and property,		\$615.82

Expenses incurred under appropriation for Automobile Traps.

Peleg S. Sanford, Jr., measuring speed traps,	\$5.00
Henry P. Wing, 16½ days' services as Constable,	21.25
Edward Athington, 2 days' services tending speed trap,	7.50
J. T. Boyd, three watches,	22.50
G. T. Tripp, 5½ days' services tending auto trap,	13.75
Edward Athington, 2 days, tending auto trap,	5.00

Henry P. Wing, services in auto trap attendance,	7.50	
G. T. Tripp, working auto trap,	7.50	
Samuel Boan, service as Constable in auto trap attendance, 3 days,	9.00	
Henry P. Wing, 4 days' services tending auto traps,	10.00	
H. A. Sanford, putting in and tending auto trap,	8.00	
Frank R. Slocum, tending auto trap,	2.50	
G. T. Tripp, working auto trap,	10.00	
Total expense of auto traps,	—	\$129.50
Grand total expense of protection of life and property,		\$745.32

Health and Sanitation.

John D. Tupper, M. D., services as member of Board of Health for 1910,	\$25.00	
E. W. Burt, M. D., services as member of Board of Health for 1910,	25.00	
A. F. King, services as member of Board of Health for 1911,	20.00	
Total for salaries,	—	\$70.00
Edward L. Macomber, services as agent of Board of Health,	\$10.00	
E. Anthony & Sons, 100 cards of garbage reward,	4.00	
J. D. Tupper, M. D., telephoning and stamps,	5.75	
Total for agent, etc., as above,	—	\$19.75
Quarantine and Contagious Disease Hospitals:—		
E. W. Burt, M. D., professional services (4 bills),	\$39.90	
J. D. Tupper, M. D., professional services (4 bills),	38.60	
Total for professional services,	—	\$78.50

City of Fall River, board and treatment of Emma Freelove at Bay View Hospital,	\$29.00	
E. W. Burt, M. D., fumigating,	5.95	
City of Boston, board and attendance of Francis Musgrave,	32.86	
C. B. Dolye Co., disinfecting candles,	26.00	
John D. Tupper, M. D., express on supplies (2 bills),	1.36	
Adams Express, express on supplies,	.20	
Total for Quarantine and Contagious Hospitals,		\$95.37

Vital Statistics:—

Dr. Joseph Kenney, returning 9 births,	\$2.25	
John D. Tupper, M. D., returning 21 births (2 bills)	5.25	
Edward L. Macomber, obtaining, recording and returning births and deaths,	44.90	
Total for vital statistics,		\$52.40

Inspection:—

J. D. Tupper, M. D., inspecting school children,	\$100.00	
J. D. Tupper, M. D., drugs,	.55	
Eli Handy, services as Inspector of Animals, (3 bills),	46.25	
George A. Tripp, services as Inspector of Animals, (2 bills),	83.50	
W. W. Kirby, Veterinary Doctor, services as Inspector of Animals, (1 bill),	47.50	
Total for inspection,		\$277.80
Total for health and sanitation,		\$593.82

Highways.

General Administration:—

Robert A. Gifford, services as single highway surveyor,	\$9.00	
R. A. Gifford, 1 journal,	.84	
R. A. Gifford, express and stationery,	2.02	
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Total for administration and office supplies,		\$11.86

1911. Repairing:—

Jan.	A. E. Wordell, tools,	\$1.60
	Alexander H. Tripp, labor,	39.99
	A. H. Tripp, nails and oil,	4.76
	Frank Pettey, labor,	5.00
	David Brown, labor,	9.00
Feb.	Abraham Manchester, supplies,	5.06
Mar.	John Costa, labor,	12.15
	Joe Souza, labor,	8.10
	C. R. Wood, labor,	12.75
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
	George H. Howland, labor,	7.20
	Antone Mederos, labor,	1.80
Apr.	Good Roads Machinery Co., edge and bolts,	8.50
	N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight,	.25
	G. G. Coggeshall and others, labor, material and smithing,	283.11
	R. A. Gifford, labor,	8.10
	Hiram A. Mosher, labor and material,	21.75
	C. F. Macomber and others, labor,	9.10
	C. F. Macomber, two heavy chains,	4.00
	C. R. Wood, labor,	112.20
	R. A. Gifford, labor and team (two bills),	88.25

	Frank Pettey, labor,	30.60
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	32.40
	Manuel Rebello, labor,	21.60
	Peter Sampson, labor,	37.80
	Marion Burgess, labor,	18.00
	Edward Haskell, labor,	1.80
	Antone Mederos, labor,	10.80
	John Costa, labor,	49.60
	John Lewis, labor,	10.80
	W. R. Hasie, 130 loads gravel,	13.00
	Frank Perry, labor,	8.10
May	Edward B. Kirby, labor,	12.75
	John T. Brownell, labor,	5.40
	Charles Cornell, labor,	1.80
	Mrs. Lizzie P. Reed, 15 loads gravel,	1.50
	F. H. Whalon and others, labor,	126.05
	J. F. Peirce and others, labor,	21.75
	G. G. Coggeshall and others, labor,	36.40
	C. F. Macomber and others, labor,	28.22
	Charles Cornell, labor,	3.12
	Charles R. Wood, labor,	17.20
	John Costa, labor,	12.15
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
	John Lewis, labor,	7.20
	Marion Burgess, labor,	3.60
	Frank Perry, labor,	4.05
	Walter White, labor,	3.00
	Cortez Allen, labor,	11.91
	T. F. Phelan, 75 feet pipe,	113.55
	E. A. Tripp, labor,	110.00
	R. A. Gifford, labor,	8.00
	R. A. Gifford, team,	16.25
	John Perry, team,	8.05
	Restcome Healy, team,	46.75
	R. A. Gifford, labor,	12.00
	Stephen Chace, labor,	16.67

	Frank Pettey, labor,	9.00
	Peter Sampson, labor,	9.00
	Charles Cornell, labor,	7.20
	Antone Ferriera, labor,	19.80
	Harry Healey, labor,	19.80
June	F. W. Fraites, smithing,	3.11
	Lorenzo Sherman, labor,	1.00
	R. A. Gifford, labor,	12.00
	Fall River Gas Works, tar and labor,	109.00
	E. A. Tripp, labor,	15.70
	T. J. Brightman, oil and hooks,	.70
	Acushnet Iron Co., castings,	6.39
	C. R. Wood, labor,	59.50
	John Lewis, labor,	25.20
	Manuel Cieto, labor,	9.00
	Merrian Mederios, labor,	21.60
	Marion Perry, labor,	9.00
	Arthur Berube, labor,	9.00
	Joe Souza, labor,	18.00
	M. E. MacDonald, labor,	12.15
	Edward Lawton, 104 loads loam,	10.40
	Philander W. Macomber, 60 loads loam,	6.00
	C. R. Wood, plough,	3.00
	John Costa, labor,	16.20
July	Edward B. Kirby, labor,	4.25
	John T. Brownell, labor,	1.80
	Charles Cornell, labor,	1.80
	George F. Howland, labor,	1.80
	C. R. Wood, labor,	7.60
Aug.	Alexander Mischaud, labor,	10.00
	William Cashman, labor,	9.00
	Manuel Rebello, labor,	10.80
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
	R. A. Gifford, team,	6.00
	Charles Roberts, team,	8.00

	John Pierson, team,	20.00
	C. R. Wood, team,	52.20
	Marion Perry, team,	25.20
	Walter Wood, labor,	3.75
	Charles H. Tripp, labor,	3.60
	Samuel T. Brightman, labor,	1.80
	C. R. Wood, use of plough,	1.00
	A. E. Kirby, labor,	38.61
	Bert Gray, labor,	8.80
	Milton Wood, labor,	12.15
	Everett Grinnell, labor,	5.40
	Peter Aril, labor,	11.80
	A. E. Kirby, 80 loads of loam,	8.00
	A. E. Kirby, use of plough,	.75
	E. A. Tripp, labor,	21.75
	H. P. Wing, labor and material,	18.50
Sept.	R. A. Gifford, labor,	12.00
	Frank Pettey, labor,	12.00
	Stephen Chace, labor,	10.00
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	5.40
	Manuel Rebello, labor,	3.60
	John Cornell, labor,	8.10
	Peter Sampson, labor,	6.00
	William Cashman, labor,	9.00
	Louis Bouchard, labor,	9.00
	Samuel Hart, labor,	1.80
	Harry Pettey, labor,	5.40
	Edward B. Kirby and others, labor,	72.70
	Antone Ferriera, mowng bushes 117 hours,	23.40
	E. A. Tripp, labor,	34.25
	Marian Perry, labor,	26.80
	Charles R. Wood, labor,	62.81
	Charles H. Tripp, labor,	14.10
	Manuel Rebello, labor,	10.00
	John Costa, labor,	22.50

	C. R. Wood, use of plow,	2.00
	Christopher Borden, labor,	8.70
	A. J. Potter, 12 lb. spikes, 1 gallon drier,	1.34
	Cortez Allen, labor,	5.62
	G. G. Coggeshall and others, labor,	80.44
	N. P. Hayes, repairs,	2.10
	E. B. Mosher, labor,	7.75
	Brightman Bros., paint supplies,	22.20
	Good Road Machinery Co., repairs,	14.40
	John McCullough, 1260 feet pipe,	18.90
	R. A. Gifford, teaming,	9.00
	Charles Robert, teaming,	16.00
	John Pierson, teaming,	16.00
	Frederick Mosher, teaming,	12.00
	Frederick Wood, teaming,	16.00
	Restcome Healy, teaming,	12.00
	George Lawton, 75 tons, 1850 pounds stone,	30.37
	Patience Sanford, 32 tons 850 pounds stone,	12.97
	Sam Hart, 44 tons, 1700 pounds stone,	17.94
	A. M. Tarsias, 84 tons, 1150 pounds stone,	33.83
	Antone Astrilla, 31 tons, 1900 pounds stone,	12.78
Oct.	Restcome Healy, labor,	12.95
	Harry Healy, labor,	6.40
	Timothy Leary, labor,	29.80
	J. Tripp, labor and material,	182.43
	Standard Oil Co., standard as- phalt road oil,	160.93
	R. C. & H. Healy and Anthony Travis, labor,	59.95

	Hiram A. Mosher, labor,	13.60
	T. J. Brightman, supplies,	.70
	H. P. Wing, 134 hours painting bridge,	46.90
	C. R. Wood, labor,	38.25
	Merrian Perry, labor,	14.40
	John Costa, labor,	4.05
	Merrian Perry, labor,	7.20
	Joe Souza, labor,	3.60
	C. R. Wood, use of plough,	1.25
Nov.	R. A. Gifford, labor,	18.00
	Frank Pettey, labor,	18.00
	Stephen Chace, labor,	20.00
	Edward McWhinnie, labor,	13.33
	Merrian Perry, labor,	10.00
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	9.00
	Manuel Rebello, labor,	9.80
	William Cashman, labor,	9.80
	Charles Cornell, labor,	9.80
	Everett Cornell, labor,	9.80
	John Rose, labor,	9.00
	Robert A. Gifford, team,	11.00
	Charles Roberts, team,	22.00
	Andrew Aiken, team,	16.00
	William Ritter, team,	16.00
	Everett Cornell, team,	4.00
	Benjamin Cummings, team,	4.00
	R. A. Gifford, labor,	15.00
	Frank Pettey, labor,	15.00
	Stephen Chace, labor,	20.00
	Merrian Perry, labor,	9.20
	William Cashman, labor,	10.80
	Everett Cornell, labor,	10.80
	Charles Cornell, labor,	10.80
	John Rose, labor,	7.20
	Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
	R. A. Gifford, teams,	18.00

Charles Roberts, teams,	24.00
William Ritter, teams,	20.00
Elmer Gifford, teams,	4.00
Andrew Aiken, teams,	20.00
Antone Ferriera, labor,	21.00
R. C. Healy, labor,	8.50
Anthony Travis, labor,	3.60
R. A. Gifford, labor,	12.00
Frank Pettey, labor,	7.50
Stephen Chace, labor,	13.33
Merrian Perry, labor,	1.80
Manuel Da Luz, labor,	3.60
Charles Cornell, labor,	7.20
Everett Cornell, labor,	7.20
R. A. Gifford, teams,	10.00
Charles Roberts, teams,	16.00
C. R. Wood, teams,	2.25
A. J. Potter, 2 quarts turpentine,	.50
Hiram A. Mosher, labor, material,	151.75
Timothy Leary, 184 hours' labor,	36.80
Borden, Guiney & Kendall Co.,	
1688 feet spruce,	43.89
Edward Borden, labor and material,	56.70
Paul Parkinson, labor,	25.20
Mac Christieson, labor,	8.80
Edwin Borden, labor,	25.20
Edwin Borden, 184 loads of gravel,	92.00
G. G. Coggeshall and others, labor,	139.85
Antone Rose, 2 tons 1150 lbs. stone,	1.03
Job Allen, 80 tons 1950 lbs. stone,	32.39
Dec. R. A. Gifford, labor,	16.00
Stephen Chace, labor,	16.67
Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
Charles Cornell, labor,	7.20
Everett Cornell, labor,	7.20
Frank Pettey, labor,	5.00
R. A. Gifford, teams,	2.00

Charles Roberts, teams,	6.00
R. A. Gifford, labor,	12.00
Frank Pettey, labor,	5.00
Stephen Chace, labor,	16.67
Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
Charles Cornell, labor,	9.00
Everett Cornell, labor,	9.00
Merrian Perry, labor,	7.20
C. R. Wood, teams,	20.25
John Costa, teams,	20.25
John Perry, teams,	20.25
R. A. Gifford, teams,	8.10
R. A. Gifford, labor,	18.00
Charles Cornell, labor,	10.80
Everett Cornell, labor,	10.80
Manuel Da Luz, labor,	7.20
Merrian Perry, labor,	10.80
Merrian Bosh, labor,	10.80
R. A. Gifford, teams,	14.10
Charles Macomber, teams,	8.10
John Costa, teams,	24.30
John Perry, teams,	24.30
R. A. Gifford, labor,	9.00
Manuel Da Luz, labor,	5.40
Everett Cornell, labor,	7.20
Merrian Perry, labor,	7.20
Merrian Bosh, labor,	7.20
C. R. Wood, teams,	8.10
John Costa, teams,	16.20
John Perry, teams,	12.15
D. A. King, 155 loads gravel at 10 cents,	15.50
Frank Perry, 94 loads gravel at 10 cents,	9.40
Edward B. Kirby and others, labor and material,	63.10
J. A. Simmons, smithing,	7.70

Paisler & Willis, pipe,	49.50
Hiram A. Mosher, labor and material,	79.35
Abraham Manchester, 1 keg rock powder, spikes and cement,	10.82
Borden & Remington Co., paint and oil,	29.80
Raymond B. Davis and others, labor,	14.25
R. A. Gifford and others, labor,	7.65
A. E. Wordell, tools,	9.13

Total for general repairs. \$5,353.02

Balance of Westport Harbor Repair and Crusher
account as per vote of the town:

R. A. Gifford, teams,	\$12.76
John Perry, teams,	12.00
John Costa, teams,	12.00
C. R. Wood, teams,	24.00

Total, \$60.76

Snow.

Edson Sanford, shoveling snow,	\$.80
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Total, \$.80

State Highway.

Commonwealth of Mass., repairs,	\$212.50
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Total, \$212.50

Drawtender.

Thomas J. Brightman, services (11 payments),	\$195.00
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Total, \$195.00

Blossom Road Repair Account

R. A. Gifford, labor (two bills),	\$13.00
Frank Pettey, labor (two bills),	6.00
Stephen Chace, labor (two bills),	40.00
William Healy, labor (two bills),	36.00
William Sherman, labor,	4.50
Peter Sampson, labor,	1.80
R. A. Gifford, teams,	12.70
Charles Roberts, teams,	36.00
John Pierson, teams (two bills),	14.00
C. L. Tripp, teams,	12.00
William H. Gifford, teams,	12.00
Ben Cheney, teams,	12.00
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Total amount,	\$200.00

Brownell's Corner Repair Account:

R. A. Gifford, labor (7 bills),	\$117.00
Frank Pettey, labor (7 bills),	126.00
Stephen Chace, labor (7 bills),	136.67
William V. Healy, labor (7 bills),	141.00
Charles Cornell, labor (7 bills),	67.60
George Kenuse, labor (2 bills),	21.60
Peter Sampson, labor (7 bills),	71.00
Manuel Da Luz, labor (5 bills),	32.40
Manuel Rebello, labor (5 bills),	40.50
William Cashman, labor (5 bills),	40.50
Alexander Mischand, labor (2 bills),	14.40
Restcome Healy, labor (3 bills),	6.50
Bill Berry, labor,	3.40
Louis Bouchard, labor (4 bills),	15.00
Harry Healey, labor (4 bills),	18.20
Fred Heap, labor	3.60
Samuel Hart, labor,	9.80
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Total for labor,	\$866.67

Robert A. Gifford, teams,	\$84.00
Charles Roberts, teams,	118.25
C. L. Tripp, teams,	28.00
John Peirson, teams,	94.30
Fred Wood, teams,	97.35
Fred Mosher, teams,	97.35
Manuel Perry, teams,	44.50
Ruben Healy, teams,	6.10
Restcome Healy, teams,	22.75
Milton Wood, teams,	2.25
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Total for teams,	\$594.85

Stone Bills.

F. S. Brownell, 295 tons, 1600 pounds (4 bills),	\$118.32
Samuel Hart, 81 tons, 1600 pounds (2 bills),	32.73
A. M. Fairview, 54 tons, 950 pounds (2 bills),	21.79
Robert Wood, 8 tons, 1750 pounds,	3.55
John Rogers, 266 tons, 1825 pounds (4 bills),	106.77
Georgianna Healy, 356 tons, 1050 pounds (4 bills),	142.61
Manuel Andrews, 196 tons, 1175 pounds (4 bills),	78.64
Louis Bouchard, 182 tons, 1800 pounds (4 bills),	73.16
William Bouchard, 27 tons, 675 pounds,	10.94
Oila Lariviera, 163 tons, 100 pounds (4 bills),	65.22
B. Michaud, 237 tons, 600 pounds (4 bills),	95.11
Isaac Lawton, 200 tons, 350 pounds (4 bills),	80.07

Albert E. Davis, 338 tons, 1550 pounds (4 bills),	135.51
Manuel Azevedo, 20 tons, 1700 pounds (2 bills),	8.33
Fred A. Wood, 6 tons, 300 pounds (2 bills),	2.46
Antone Aster, 8 tons, 1150 pounds (2 bills),	3.43
John Rago, 83 tons, 650 pounds (3 bills),	33.33
Archer Soucy, 148 tons, 900 pounds (3 bills),	59.38
Mike Russin, 14 tons, 300 pounds,	5.66
Thomas Pettey, 39 tons, 350 pounds,	15.67
George Shepherdson, 16 tons, 300 pounds (4 bills),	66.46
Edward King, 30 tons, 1000 pounds (3 bills),	12.20
Manuel Frank, 85 tons, 550 pounds (3 bills),	34.11
Reuben Alty, 25 tons, 200 pounds (2 bills),	10.04
F. A. Pettey, 24 tons, 975 pounds,	9.80
Thomas Regan, 53 tons, 1250 pounds (2 bills),	21.45
Manuel Perry, 88 tons, (2 bills),	35.20
Allison Lawton, 33 tons, 750 pounds,	13.35
Total cost of stone,	<hr/> \$1,295.29

Miscellaneous Bills:—

Herbert A. Sullivan, inspection of boiler,	\$5.00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight (2 bills),	1.27

T. E. Borden, nails,	1.88
Albert A. Sanford, 17½ feet of trash wood,	8.75
Fall River Steam and Gas Pipe Co., repairs,	.92
Albert E. Davis, lantern globe and oil,	1.99
Good Road Machinery Co., oil,	14.00
Joseph A. Bowen, coal (2 bills),	119.19
Jonathan Handy Co., merchandise,	1.54
Covel, Osborn Co., repairs and supplies (2 bills),	5.27
New Bedford Boiler & Machine Co., repairs,	1.65
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., repairs,	2.25
R. A. Gifford, oil,	2.00
Mrs. R. Healy, rent of land for crusher plant,	10.00
Standard Oil Co., standard asphalt road oil,	59.14
William F. Nye, oil,	7.28

Total cost of miscellaneous bills,	\$242.13
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Total cost of Brownell's Corner repairs,	\$2,998.94
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Westport Harbor repair and crusher account:

Good Roads Machinery Co., repairs (crusher account),	\$32.30
Edward Athington, labor on guard rail, (crusher account),	6.50
Herbert A. Sullivan, inspecting boiler, (repair account),	5.00
Steam Specialty Co., repairs. (repair account),	1.14
Frank L. Allen, lumber, (crusher account),	14.82
C. D. Macomber, 5 gallons gasoline, (repair account),	.80

R. A. Gifford, labor, (2 bills) (repair account),	21.00
Stephen Chace, labor, (2 bills) (repair account),	33.33
Frank Pettey, labor, (2 bills) (repair account),	12.60
Manuel Da Luz, labor, (repair account),	10.80
John Lewis, labor, (repair account),	5.40
Manuel Burgess, labor, (repair account),	5.40
G. G. Coggeshall, teams, (2 bills) (repair account),	28.00
R. A. Gifford, teams, (repair account),	5.24

Total amount due W. H. Stone, crusher account, \$182.33

For balance of this account see general repair account, as per vote of the town.

Of the above \$182.33, we find \$53.82 spent for macadam, and the balance, amounting to \$128.51, for resurfacing or general repairs.

Outlays on Highways.

North Westport crusher account:

Miscellaneous Bills.

George A. Bowen, coal, (4 bills),	\$221.79
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford R. R. Co., freight, (10 bills),	7.60
Titan Steel Casting Co., steel pipe,	68.00
Aeme Roads Machinery Co., repairs, (3 bills),	87.10
Bourne, Scrynser Co., oil, (4 bills),	21.77
Buffalo Steam Roller Co., repairs,	36.25
Albert A. Sanford, $4\frac{3}{8}$ cords of wood, (3 bills),	13.13
Atha Steel Casting Co., repairs,	68.00
Good Roads Machinery Co., repairs, (6 bills),	199.20

Congdon, Carpenter & Co., repairs,	1.00	
Fall River Steam and Gas Pipe Co., repairs, (2 bills),	6.00	
A. E. Wordell, repairs,	10.85	
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., waste and oil,	2.95	
Covel, Osborn Co., repairs,	11.62	
W. C. Borden, oil,	.45	
T. E. Borden, oil,	8.05	
Charles Duffany, smithing,	56.20	
Isaac Tripp, rent of land,	24.98	
Arthur E. Parks, repairs,	.75	
J. M. Shorroock & Co., rope,	.27	
Standard Oil Co., standard asphalt road oil,	114.98	
Total for miscellaneous bills,		\$960.94
Labor:		
R. A. Gifford, labor, (6 payments),	\$96.00	
Frank Pettey, labor, (6 payments),	102.00	
Stephen Chace, labor (6 payments),	116.65	
William V. Healy, labor, (7 payments),	123.00	
Manuel Da Luz, labor, (7 payments),	55.40	
Manuel Rebello, labor, (7 payments),	60.00	
Charles Cornell, labor, (5 payments),	47.30	
Peter Sampson, labor, (6 payments),	62.32	
Frank Free love, labor, (4 payments),	39.10	
William Cashman, labor, (8 payments),	69.80	
John Reis, labor, (3 payments),	21.20	
Daniel D. Young, labor, (2 payments),	16.20	
Alex Mischaud, labor, (3 payments),	17.00	
Henry Cook, labor, (3 payments),	22.20	
George Kenuse, labor, (2 payments),	17.00	
John E. Perry, labor,	2.25	
Total for labor,		\$867.42

Teams:—

R. A. Gifford, teams, (7 payments),	122.92
Charles Roberts, teams, (7 payments),	152.70
Edward Francis, teams, (4 payments),	81.80
C. L. Tripp, teams, (7 payments),	130.70
A. M. Reed, teams, (4 payments),	87.15
John Pierson, teams, (6 payments),	112.47
William H. Gifford, teams, (6 payments),	102.10
Ben Cheney, teams, (2 payments),	18.25

Total for teams

 \$808.09

Stone:—

Edward Francis, 57 tons, 1,025 lbs, (3 payments),	\$23.01
Isaac Tripp, 1,560 tons, 1,750 lbs, (3 payments),	624.36
Albert A. Sanford, 548 tons, 575 lbs, (3 payments),	219.32
Arthur B. Wordell, 100 tons, 800 lbs, (3 payments),	40.16
Louis Fairveau, 525 tons, 675 lbs, (3 payments),	210.14
Wilfred Pratte, 160 tons, 1,975 lbs, (3 payments),	64.39
Ernest Westgate, 164 tons, 100 lbs, (2 payments),	65.62
Wilfred Janson, 67 tons, 250 lbs, (3 payments),	26.86
William H. Gifford, 103 tons, 200 lbs, (2 payments),	41.24
Ellis Perry, 31 tons, 1,325 lbs, (2 pay- ments),	12.66

Total for stone,

 \$1,327.76

Total expense North Westport,
Crusher Account, \$3,964.21

Blossom Road Crusher Account:—

Labor:—

R. A. Gifford, labor, (3 payments),	\$51.00
Frank Pettey, labor, (3 payments),	51.00
Stephen Chace, labor, (3 payments),	60.00
William V. Healy, labor, (3 payments),	51.00
Manuel Da Luz, labor, (3 payments),	28.40
Peter Sampson, labor, (3 payments),	33.55
Charles Cornell, labor, (3 payments),	30.20
William Cashman, labor, (3 payments),	28.40
Frank Free love, labor, (1 payment),	10.40
William Rypsey, labor, (3 payments),	30.20
Manuel Rebello, labor, (3 payments),	30.20
Henry Cook, labor, (2 payments),	13.40
Alfred Baldue, labor,	6.60
Manuel Sylvia, labor,	6.20
John Reis, labor,	9.00
Manuel Perry, labor,	1.80
Ernest Westgate, labor,	9.00
George Kenuse, labor,	9.00

Total for labor, \$459.35

Teams:—

R. A. Gifford, teams, (3 payments),	\$50.20
Charles Roberts, teams, (3 payments),	67.15
A. M. Reed, teams, (3 payments),	67.15
Edward Francis, teams, (3 payments),	51.60
William H. Gifford, teams, (3 payments),	67.15
John Pierson, teams, (3 payments),	67.15
Everett Tripp, teams, (3 payments),	55.40
Ben. Cheney, teams, (3 payments),	64.00
Walter Blossom, teams, (3 payments),	29.80
C. L. Tripp, teams, (3 payments),	59.60

Isaac Tripp, teams,	1.80	
Louis Fairveau, teams,	4.00	
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Total for teams,		\$585.00

Stone:—

E. Francis, 28 tons, 1,700 lbs.,	\$11.54	
E. W. Blossom, 27 tons, 1,725 lbs.,	11.14	
W. H. Gifford, 163 tons, 575 lbs.,	65.31	
Isaac Tripp, 843 tons, 1,150 lbs.,	337.43	
Albert A. Sanford, 268 tons, 175 lbs.,	107.23	
Louis Fairveau, 266 tons, 1,000 lbs.,	106.60	
A. B. Wordell, 132 tons, 1,750 lbs.,	53.15	
Wilfred Pratte, 35 tons, 275 lbs.,	19.54	
Ernest Westgate, 18 tons, 800 lbs.,	7.36	
Wilfred Janson, 59 tons, 250 lbs.,	23.65	
Ellis Perry, 85 tons, 1,350 lbs.,	34.27	
Ernest Fairveau, 205 tons, 1,800 lbs.,	82.36	
Lorenzo Sherman, 58 tons, 1,450 lbs.,	23.49	
C. L. Tripp, 27 tons, 700 lbs.,	10.94	
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Total for stone,		\$894.00

Miscellaneous bills:

Standard Oil Co., standard asphalt road oil,	\$61.64	
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Total for miscellaneous bills,		\$61.64
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Total for Blossom Road crusher account,		\$2,000.00

Horseneck Road crusher account:—

Miscellaneous Bills.

Good Roads Machinery Co., repairs, repairs, (2 bills),	\$207.45
William F. Nye, oil,	7.68

Webber Lumber & Supply Co., lumber,	.90
Wood, Brightman & Co., 2 gallons asphaltine,	2.50
Alex. H. Tripp, rent of land,	15.00
Briggs & Beckman, 4 yards duck,	3.32
F. T. Aiken Co., coal,	103.07
F. T. Aiken Co., cylinder oil,	4.75
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford R. R. Co., freight,	1.20

Total for miscellaneous bills, \$345.87

Labor :—

R. A. Gifford, labor, (6 payments),	87.00
Frank Pettey, labor, (6 payments),	96.00
Stephen Chace, labor, (6 payments),	110.00
Peter Sampson, labor, (6 payments),	39.80
Manuel Da Luz, labor, (6 payments),	50.20
Charles Cornell, labor, (6 payments),	50.20
William Cashman, labor, (6 payments),	50.00
Edward McWhinnie, labor, (4 payments),	80.00
Manuel Rebello, labor, (4 payments),	28.80
John Rose, labor, (4 payments),	37.20
Everett Cornell, labor, (4 payments),	36.00
Manuel Perry, labor,	12.00

Total for labor, \$677.20

Teams :—

R. A. Gifford, teams, (6 payments)	\$79.00
Charles Roberts, teams, (6 payments)	115.60
Elmer Gifford, teams, (5 payments)	71.60
Charles Haskins, teams,	4.00
Job Allen, teams, (5 payments)	61.85
William Ritter, teams, (5 payments),	83.60
Everett Tripp, teams, (2 payments),	40.00
Arthur Tuel, teams, (4 payments),	65.80
John Costa, teams, (2 payments)	32.00

E. B. Mosher, teams, (3 payments)	16.05
Andrew Aiken, teams, (3 payments)	51.60
Benjamin Cummings, teams, (3 payments)	61.80
Everett Cornell, teams, (3 payments),	50.47
Joseph K. Wordell, teams, (2 payments)	24.80
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	\$758.17

Stone:—

Charles Haskins, 510 tons, 200 lbs. (2 payments)	\$204.04
Joseph K. Wordell, 457 tons, 150 lbs., (2 payments)	182.83
A. H. Tripp, 935 tons, (2 payments)	374.00
Frank Lawrence, 215 tons, 1,450 lbs., (2 payments)	86.29
Stella Brightman, 231 tons, 1,775 lbs., (2 payments)	92.75
Arthur Tuell, 49 tons, 200 lbs., (2 payments)	19.64
David Potter, 118 tons, 1,600 lbs., (2 payments)	47.52
Ellmer Gifford, 116 tons, 1,350 lbs., (2 payments)	46.67
E. B. Mosher, 94 tons, 1,650 lbs., (2 payments)	37.93
Everett Cornell, 77 tons, 850 lbs., (2 payments)	30.97
Benjamin Cummings, 41 tons, 1,950 lbs., (2 payments)	16.79
Andrew Aiken, 20 tons, 1,050 lbs., (2 payments)	8.21
Matthew V. Reis, 101 tons, 700 lbs., (2 payments)	40.54
Antone Rose, 99 tons, 900 lbs., (2 payments)	39.78

William Ritter, 10 tons, 800 lbs.,	4.16	
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Land Damage and Construction:—

Asa R. Howland for relocation of road	\$275.16	
James L. Gray for laying out of road- way across the mill dam at Adams- ville,	100.00	
Manuel Thomas, land taken by the town to straighten road leading westerly from Head of Westport,	25.00	
Edward L. Macomber, writing deed,	2.50	
A. F. King, cash paid for recording deed given by Manuel Thomas to the town,	.65	
County of Bristol, bridge award of Fall River and Somerset bridge,	1,216.92	
Total,	<hr/>	\$1,620.23

Beach Avenue Construction Account:—

Asa R. Howland, labor and material,	\$20.28	
Asa R. Howland, labor and material,	192.68	
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Total amount,		\$212.96

Highway Construction near A. R. Howland:—

Asa R. Howland, labor,	\$377.34	
Asa R. Howland, labor,	22.66	
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		\$400.00

Other Expenses:—

Peleg S. Sanford, for surveying, draw- ing plans and setting bounds on Briggs Road,	\$21.50	
A. F. King, cash paid for recording layout of relocation of Briggs Road,	.90	
H. A. Sanford, painting guide boards,	4.75	

H. A. Sanford, 2 signs,	5.10	
A. J. Potter, repairing town pump,	11.50	
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Total,		\$43.75
Total for highways and bridges,		\$20,469.72

Charities.

Almshouse or Town Farm Account:—

Salaries of the Overseers:—

Harry L. Potter,	\$75.00	
John Gifford,	75.00	
Robert A. Gifford,	75.00	
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Total for overseers' services,		\$225.00

Salaries, Wages and Supplies at Almshouse:—

Alice A. Brown, matron, 11 months' service,	\$275.00	
John H. Adams, meat,	31.54	
A. J. Potter, supplies (4 bills),	34.53	
Allen, Slade & Co., supplies,	51.01	
Frank Pettey and Frank Murphy, cutting wood,	18.13	
Frank A. Potter, sawing 7½ cords wood,	6.75	
R. A. Gifford, carting wood,	8.00	
E. J. Sisson, supplies, (3 bills),	29.16	
Hicks & Potter, burial expenses,	14.50	
Frank R. Sloecum, advertising and selling grass,	6.00	
Charles R. Tallman, supplies,	41.82	
Hiram A. Mosher, meat,	181.93	
Almshouse account,	122.59	
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Total at almshouse,		\$820.96
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Total for wages, supplies and salaries,		\$1,045.96

Payments for Outside Relief:—

David A. King, boarding one person 11 months,	\$149.75
E. W. Burt, M. D., professional ser- vices, 11 months,	227.95
Town of Fairhaven, supplies to one family,	118.50
City of Fall River, supplies and medi- cal attendance to different persons,	182.70
City of Fall River, medical attendance and care of three persons at City Hospital,	42.91
E. W. Burt, M. D., transportation fur- nished one person,	2.70
W. C. Borden, supplies, (2 bills),	39.00
City of New Bedford, supplies (3 bills),	278.99
R. A. Gifford, expenses bringing two persons from Boston to Westport Almshouse,	4.69
M. E. Lawrence, supplies,	5.52
Commonwealth of Mass., care of three persons at State Infirmary,	46.94
W. C. Borden, supplies to one person from March 22 to June 21, 1911,	19.50
Carney Hospital, board and care one person 6 weeks and 2 days,	36.42
Union Hospital, Fall River, board and nursing one person,	71.36
C. R. Tallman, supplies to two persons,	62.30
John D. Tupper, M. D., medical attendance,	5.35
Hiram A. Mosher, supplies, one person,	26.68
Frank L. Hunt, supplies to one person from Oct. 14, to Nov. 25, 1911,	6.00
Total amount of Outside Relief,	<hr/> \$1,327.36
Total cost of Charities,	<hr/> \$2,373.32

Soldiers' Benefits.

State Aid:—

Mrs. William H. Macomber, 12 months,	\$48.00
George A. Gifford, 2 months,	12.00
Mrs. James H. Sowle, 12 months,	48.00
James H. Sowle, 12 months,	48.00
Ephraim T. Tripp, 12 months,	48.00
Jane A. Almy, 12 months,	48.00
Phebe A. Brightman, 12 months,	48.00
Robert L. Tripp, 12 months,	72.00
William H. Cook, 12 months,	72.00

Total for state aid, \$444.00

Soldiers' Relief:—

Edwin L. Davis, 12 months, \$72.00

Soldiers' Burial:—

George E. Gifford, burial expenses of
George A. Gifford, \$37.00

Total for soldiers' benefits, \$553.00

Education.

General Expenses:—

Administrative Salaries:—

School Committee:—

Charles F. Sanford, services as school committee,	\$45.00
Frank G. Macomber, services as school committee, one year,	75.00
A. R. Wood, services as school committee from April 11, 1911, to Sept. 29, 1911,	35.00

Total for committee's services, \$155.00

A. S. Cole, services as school superintendent, 6 payments, \$450.00

William H. Millington, services as school superintendent, 6 payments,	\$540.00	
Total expense for school superintendent,		\$990.00
Total of administrative salaries,		\$1,145.00
Truant Officer:—		
George Shepherdson, services as truant officer,	\$43.20	
Total for truant officer,		\$43.20
Other General Expenses:		
Printing school report,	\$54.72	
A. R. Wood, taking school census,	35.00	
A. S. Cole, office supplies, etc.,	10.79	
A. S. Cole, stamps and traveling expenses,	20.41	
A. S. Cole, milk and sugar for teachers' meeting,	.50	
Town of Dartmouth, one-half telephone rent and tolls and other items,	19.33	
William H. Millington, office expenses,	9.53	
Frank G. Macomber, supplies,	1.85	
Charles F. Sanford, carfare and telephoning,	1.75	
A. F. Kennedy, carfare and meals on account of application for high school,	11.20	
A. R. Wood, expenses to Boston securing teacher for high school,	2.75	
Total for other general expenses,		\$167.83

Teachers Salaries:

Irving P. Coleman (high school teacher), salary,	\$406.25
George L. Bradlee (high school teacher), salary,	280.00
Mabel Swanson, teaching (6 payments),	241.50
Mary L. Caunt, teaching (6 payments),	242.00
Louisa M. Chase, teaching (10 payments),	359.00
Ada J. Lawton, teaching (10 payments),	303.50
Hattie M. Trask, teaching (6 payments),	264.00
Emma R. Lawrence, teaching (10 payments),	333.00
Jennie M. Westhaver, teaching (6 payments),	220.00
Kate W. Chace, teaching (10 payments),	422.00
A. Evelyn Tripp, teaching (10 payments),	323.00
Anna L. Hull, teaching (10 payments),	303.50
Mabel E. Macomber, teaching (10 payments),	396.00
Alice A. Macomber, teaching (10 payments),	422.00
Bertha E. Hinckley, teaching (6 payments),	253.00
Hazel L. Raybold, teaching (6 payments),	231.00
Leonie M. Thorne, teaching (6 payments),	231.00
Mary P. Cunningham, teaching (6 payments),	222.00
Mary E. McGrath, teaching (6 payments),	264.00
Mary T. Ashton, teaching (6 payments),	275.00

Ruth E. Morse, teaching (8 payments),	233.10
Sophia E. Macomber, teaching (4 payments),	151.50
Susan J. Davis, teaching (4 payments),	157.00
Marianna Macomber, teaching (4 payments),	180.00
Mrs. Ruth A. Doane, teaching (4 payments),	135.00
Helen L. Brownell, teaching (4 payments),	180.00
Mindwell Littlefield, teaching (4 payments),	165.00
Vivian A. Lewin, teaching (10 payments),	277.20
Jennie Cline, teaching, (4 payments),	165.00
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Total for teachers' salaries,	\$7,635.55

Text Books and Supplies:—

American Book Co., supplies and books (7 bills),	\$60.90
Silver Burdett Co., supplies and books (6 bills),	41.13
Edward E. Babb Co., supplies and books (11 bills),	197.37
A. S. Cole, supplies (4 bills),	10.39
D. C. Heath Co., supplies and books,	21.88
Charles Scribner & Sons, supplies,	1.25
Allyn & Bacon, merchandise,	3.00
Ginn & Co., books,	31.70
J. L. Hammett & Co., supplies, books (5 bills),	34.24
Kenney Brothers & Wolkin, supplies,	13.50
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., supplies (4 bills),	13.05

Milton, Bradley Co., supplies (3 bills),	37.56
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover, supplies,	3.35
G. & C. Merriam, books,	5.37
Carter & Meigo Co., supplies,	2.00
Winchester (School Department)	
Conn., $\frac{3}{5}$ of 25 copies of Course of	
Studies,	1.20
C. J. Becker, 20 writing devices,	4.00
A. J. Potter, pulp paper and freight	
(4 bills),	5.81
A. R. Wood, express on books and	
carting (2 bills),	4.25
W. H. Gifford, carting books,	1.00

Total amount for text books and supplies,	\$492.95
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Tuition paid other Cities and Towns:—

City of Fall River, tuition at High School,	\$228.75
City of New Bedford, tuition at High School,	318.75
Total for tuition outside of town,	\$547.50

Transportation of Pupils:—

Samuel J. Tripp, transporting pupils (10 bills),	\$393.75
A. R. Wood, transporting pupils (6 bills),	193.00
Allison E. Lawton, transporting pupils (6 bills),	105.00
C. R. Wood, transporting pupils (4 bills),	111.00

Horace M. Gibson, transporting pupils (4 bills),	222.00
Union Street R. R. Co., transporting pupils (4 bills),	52.50
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Total for transportation,	\$1,077.25

Janitors' Services:—

George B. Grinnell, janitor's services (10 payments),	\$300.00
John Babcock, janitor's services (10 payments),	146.00
Mabel Swanson, janitor's services (6 payments),	11.50
Mary L. Caunt, janitor's services, (6 payments),	11.00
Louise M. Chace, janitor's services, (10 payments),	18.50
Ada J. Lawton, janitor's services, (10 payments),	18.50
Jennie M. Westhaver, janitor's ser- vices (6 payments),	11.00
Katie W. Chace, janitor's services, (10 payments),	18.50
A. Evelyn Tripp, janitor's services, (10 payments),	19.00
Anna L. Hull, janitor's services, (10 payments),	18.50
Mabel E. Macomber, janitor's services, (10 payments),	18.50
Hazel L. Raybold, janitor's services, (6 payments),	11.00
Mary P. Cunningham, janitor's ser- vices, (6 payments),	11.00
Mary E. McGrath, janitor's services, (6 payments),	11.00

Mary T. Ashton, janitor's services, (6 payments),	11.00	
Sophia E. Macomber, janitor's services, (5 payments),	7.50	
Susie J. Davis, janitor's services, (4 payments),	7.50	
Ruth A. Doane, janitor's services, (4 payments),	7.50	
Mindwell Littlefield, janitor's services, (4 payments),	7.50	
Vivian A. Lewin, janitor's services, (4 payments),	7.50	
Jennie Cline, janitor's services, (4 payments),	7.50	
Leonie M. Thorne, janitor's services, (6 payments),	11.00	
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Total for janitor's services,		\$691.00

Cleaning School Rooms:—

Samuel T. Brightman, cleaning chim- ney,	.50	
Everett P. Cornell, cleaning outbuilding,	1.00	
Mary L. Caunt, cleaning schoolhouse,	.50	
George B. Grinnell, cleaning schoolhouse,	20.00	
M. L. Macomber, cleaning schoolhouse,	10.00	
C. T. Gifford, cleaning schoolhouse,	4.00	
Mrs. Truman Carter, cleaning schoolhouse,	4.00	
Henry E. Davis, cleaning stove pipe and 2 vaults,	2.00	
C. F. Sanford, cleaning stove pipe,	.50	
Mrs. F. S. Brownell, cleaning schoolhouses,	21.00	
Mrs. Frederick Kirby, cleaning schoolhouses,	7.00	
Joseph Artingstall, cleaning schoolhouse,	5.00	
A. E. Lawton, cleaning schoolhouse,	5.00	
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Total for cleaning school rooms, \$80.50

Fuel and Light:—

George H. Brayton, 2½ cords of wood,	17.50
C. R. Wood, 4 cords of wood, (3 bills),	27.25
George E. Tripp, 6½ cords of wood,	42.25
Nason R. Macomber, 4 cords wood,	26.00
George G. Grinnell, labor on wood,	1.00
Albert E. Davis, 3¾ cords wood,	19.00
Lorenzo Sherman, 2½ cords of wood,	17.50
Lorenzo Sherman, 4,050 lbs. coal,	18.15
Alex H. Tripp, 2 cords of wood,	14.00
Charles M. Connor, 14 tons of coal,	102.90
C. F. Macomber, carting 14 tons of coal,	7.00
Robert A. Gifford, 5 cords of wood (3 bills),	32.50
Henry Prossseau, 2 cords wood,	14.00
H. M. Gibson, 51,580 lbs. coal, (3 bills),	179.75
H. M. Gibson, 2 cords wood,	16.00
Frank Whalon, fuel,	41.25
Philander W. Macomber, 2 cords wood,	14.00
William H. Perry, labor on wood,	1.50
Thomas B. Gifford, 2 cords of wood,	13.00

Total for fuel,

\$604.55

Buildings and Grounds, Maintenance of:—

A. J. Potter, repairs (2 bills),	\$2.99
W. A. Lawton, labor and material (3 bills),	11.10
Lorenzo Sherman, labor and material, (4 bills),	13.22
C. A. Gifford, supplies,	6.15
Arthur G. Brown, labor and material, (2 bills),	4.18
George B. Grinnell, express, fertilizer and labor (3 bills),	14.69
Abraham Manchester, material for re- pairs (2 bills),	3.20
F. G. Macomber, freight,	.65
Albert R. Brownell, labor and material,	32.25
Joseph Hull, labor and material (4 bills),	38.60

Downey & Howland, repairs,	.20
Kenney Brothers and Wolkins, water tank and freight (2 bills),	30.50
C. T. Gifford, labor and material (5 bills),	60.69
Samuel T. Brightman, labor and material,	1.50
Everett P. Cornell, labor and material,	1.50
C. R. Wood, teaming,	5.40
Manuel Rebello, labor,	1.80
8 tons stone,	8.00
John F. Johnston & Co., 2 grate bars,	8.00
Tripp Bros., material,	1.23
Briggs and Beckman, flag,	5.63
Frank Whalon, repairs,	22.00
Charles T. Wing, repairs,	1.35
Theodore P. Davis, labor and material (2 bills),	10.20
Mrs. Frederick Kirby, stove pipe,	.80
C. R. Tallman, supplies,	3.35
Frank A. Sherman, labor and material (2 bills),	21.04
A. H. Wordell, plumbing and material (2 bills),	12.70
F. D. Tripp, labor and material,	67.90
Joseph Artingstall, labor and material,	4.00
A. R. Wood, rope,	2.25
Ezra Sanford, labor and material (2 bills),	14.82
J. A. McCreery, repairs,	9.29
Henry E. Davis, labor and material,	12.46
Charles F. Sanford, mowing yard and repairs (3 bills),	8.59
William H. Gifford, material for repairs,	5.70
C. W. Tripp, labor and material,	100.20
O. H. Snell, repairs,	30.99
Borden Guiney & Kendall Co., lumber,	5.53
Leslie B. Davis, labor,	2.00
Total for repairs,	\$586.65

New Buildings:—

Esther A. Macomber, land for school-house lot,	\$450.00	
A. F. King, cash paid for recording deed,	.85	
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Total,		\$450.85

Furnishings and Furniture:—

Charles F. Wing, 1 chair,	\$1.40	
R. S. Reed Co., 1 clock, furnishings and shades (3 bills),	41.72	
George B. Grinnell, repair on globe, tubs and bell and labor (3 bills),	8.26	
T. E. Borden, brooms,	1.05	
W. A. Lawton, supplies,	.92	
A. J. Potter, supplies (3 bills),	4.95	
A. R. Wood, express,	1.25	
William H. Gifford, broom,	.45	
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, desks and seats,	184.80	
Mindwell Littlefield, toweling,	.57	
J. M. Shorrock & Co., broom and other supplies,	1.05	
Edward E. Babb & Co., floor brushes,	4.15	
Lorenzo Sherman, broom,	.30	
Abraham Manchester, supplies,	1.25	
Otis L. Brightman, dipper,	.35	
A. S. Cole, supplies,	1.25	
O. H. Snell, supplies,	1.95	
Total for furnishings, etc.,	<hr/>	\$255.67

Rent:—

Jacobson Bros., $\frac{1}{2}$ rent of storeroom for storing school supplies,	\$12.00	
Total for rent,	<hr/>	\$12.00

Other Expenses:—

A. G. & W. I. Howland, insurance policies	\$216.00	
E. Anthony & Sons, transfer cards,	2.40	
Remington Type Writer Co., $\frac{1}{2}$ cost of typewriter,	52.50	
Geo. B. Grinnell, car fare,	.20	
J. B. Hicks, cash paid Rev. Clarence E. Smith for address at graduation exercises,	10.00	
E. W. Poole, lettering high school diplomas,	2.00	
Josephine B. Stuart, address at teach- ers' meeting,	5.00	
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Total for other expenses,		\$288.10
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Total for Education,		\$14,078.60

Libraries.

Salary of Librarian, Books, etc.:—

Annie R. Howland (librarian) salary,	\$26.50	
H. S. Hutchinson & Co., books, (2 bills),	35.58	
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Total for salary and books,		\$62.08

Other Expenses:—

A. R. Wood, expense carting back num- bers of the New Bedford Standard previous to 1860 and magazines from New Bedford to Westport,	\$3.00	
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		\$3.00
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Total expense of Library,		\$65.08

Recreation.

Celebrations and Entertainments:—

Memorial Day,	\$50.00	
Total for recreations,		\$50.00

Unclassified Bills.

Warburton & Dover, merchandise,	\$2.25	
Warburton & Dover, printing town report,	121.50	
A. G. & W. I. Howland, insurance policy,	8.00	
Total for unclassified bills,		\$131.75

Public Service Enterprises.

John H. Allen, labor on fishway,	\$2.50	
John N. Tripp, labor on fishway,	10.70	
John N. Tripp, lumber and nails,	3.40	
Total for public service enterprises,		\$16.60

Cemeteries.

Maintenance:—

William H. Pettey, salary as superintendent (4 bills),	\$200.00	
William H. Pettey, lawning Soldiers' and Sailors' lots,	3.00	
William H. Pettey, mowing 40 uncared-for lots,	4.00	
J. S. Bowman, fixing gate,	1.00	
Amount expended for care of lots from the income of Perpetual Care Funds: See table of Perpetual Care Funds, etc.,	350.58	
Total for maintenance of cemeteries,		\$558.58

Interest.

On temporary or tax loans (2 bills),	\$246.00	
On outstanding notes (10 bills),	1,259.07	
Total amount of interest,	—————	\$1,505.07

Municipal Indebtedness.

Payments on outstanding notes,	\$5,600.00	
Total,	—————	\$5,600.00
Payments on temporary or tax loans,	\$15,000.00	
Total,	—————	\$15,000.00
Total for municipal indebtedness,		\$20,600.00

Agency.

State tax,	\$2,805.00	
County tax,	2,585.11	
Total for agency,	—————	\$5,390.11

Trusts.

Perpetual Care Funds invested in New Bedford Institution for Savings,	\$1,090.00	
Total of trust funds invested,	—————	\$1,090.00

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN DEC. 31, 1911.

Notes held by N. B. Institution for Savings:

No of Note.	When issued.	When due.	Rate of Interest.	For what Purpose.	Amount.
	Apr. 28, 1904.	Oct. 28, 1912.			\$4,000.00
3.	Sept. 15, 1911.	Sept. 15, 1912.	Rate 4%.	Highways.	3,000.00
	Dec. 30, 1907.	Dec. 30, 1912.			1,000.00
4.	Sept. 15, 1911.	Sept. 15, 1913.	Rate 4%.	Highways.	3,000.00
	Feb. 2, 1907.	Nov. 2, 1913.			4,000.00
	Dec. 30, 1907.	Dec. 30, 1913.			1,000.00
	Feb. 4, 1907.	May 4, 1914.			1,000.00
5.	Sept. 15, 1911.	Sept. 15, 1914.	Rate 4%.	Highways.	3,000.00
	July 2, 1904.	Nov. 2, 1914.			3,000.00
6.	Sept. 15, 1911.	Sept. 15, 1915.	Rate 4%.	Highways.	1,000.00
	Feb. 4, 1907.	Oct. 4, 1915.			4,000.00
	Dec. 30, 1907.	Aug. 30, 1916.			1,000.00
	Feb. 4, 1907.	Oct. 4, 1916.			3,000.00
	Dec. 30, 1907.	Oct. 30, 1917.			1,300.00
	Dec. 30, 1907.	Dec. 30, 1917.			1,000.00
Total amount of notes,					\$34,300.00

Estimated interest on notes and temporary loans for 1912,	\$1,700.00
Amount of outstanding notes due in 1912,	\$8,000.00

UNPAID BILLS.

Jonathan B. Hicks, commission as treasurer,	\$354.51
Jonathan B. Hicks, commission as collector,	387.45
Other town officers and committees (estimated amount),	1,200.00
Amount of bills in department of charities pre- sented for payment and not paid for want of funds,	112.16
Amount of bills in department of protection of life and property presented for payment and not paid for want of funds,	\$113.75
Amount of bills,	

Cash in the Treasury and Uncollected Taxes, Dec. 31, 1911.

Cash in treasury due departments,	\$12,918.06
Uncollected taxes for the years 1909, 1910 and 1911,	\$13,598.28

Debt Limit.

Debt limit of the town Dec. 31, 1911, 3% of the valuation,	\$64,968.75
Excess of debt limit above permanent notes,	\$30,668.75

A. D. MANCHESTER,
HENRY E. DAVIS,

Auditors of Westport.

Treasurer's Report.

OF PUBLIC AND TOWN LANDINGS.

Landing at Horseneck.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1911,	\$274.49	
Received for rents for year 1911,	230.67	
	<hr/>	\$505.16

Payments.

George W. Russell,	\$1.00	
A. H. Sowle,	1.20	
Commissioner's salary,	20.00	
J. B. Hicks, collections,	2.30	
J. B. Hicks, payments,	.07	
J. B. Hicks, postage and stationery,	1.04	
	<hr/>	\$25.61
Balance due landing Dec. 31, 1911,		<hr/> \$479.55

Landing at Westport Village.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1911,	\$173.71	
Received for rents for year 1911,	31.59	
	<hr/>	\$205.30

Payments.

H. A. Reed, foundation for building,	\$45.00	
George A. Tripp,	3.15	
Commissioner's salary,	10.58	
J. B. Hicks, collections,	.31	
J. B. Hicks, payments,	.30	
J. B. Hicks, postage and stationery,	.32	
	<hr/>	\$59.66
Balance due landing Dec. 31, 1911,		<hr/> \$145.64

Landing Near Hicks Bridge.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1911,	\$22.39	
Received for rents for year 1911,	3.68	
	<hr/>	\$26.07

Payments.

Commissioner's salary for year,	\$1.08	
J. B. Hicks, collection, payments and postage,	.18	
	<hr/>	\$1.26
Balance due landing Dec. 31, 1911,		<hr/> \$24.81

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF WESTPORT
MASSACHUSETTS
FOR THE YEAR 1911

NEW BEDFORD, MASS.
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School Directory.

January, 1912.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

AUGUSTUS R. WOOD, Chairman	Central Village,	Term expires.
CHARLES F. SANFORD, Secretary	North Westport,	1912
FRANK G. MACOMBER	Westport Point,	1913

Regular meeting the last Saturday in each month, Town Hall,
at 1:30 P. M.

SUPERINTENDENT.

WILLIAM H. MILLINGTON, 784 Maple St., Fall River.
Phone 2063-W.

TEACHERS.

Schools	Teachers Names and Addresses While Teaching	Home Addresses
High	George L. Bradlee, Westport	Ipswich, Mass.
Head Grammar	Alice A. Macomber, Westport	Central Village
Head Primary	Helen L. Brownell, Westport	North Westport
Point Grammar	Marianna Macomber, Westport Point	Central Village
Point Primary	Emma R. Lawrence, Westport Point	Westport Point
North Westport	Jennie Cline, North Westport	Holliston, Mass.
Sanford Road	Mindwell Littlefield, North Westport	North Tisbury, Mass.
Brownell's Cor.	Mabel E. Macomber, North Westport	Central Village
Mouse Mill	Vivian A. Lewen, North Westport	501 Wilson St., Fall River
East Side	Ada J. Lawton, Westport	Westport
West Side	A. Evelyn Tripp, Central Village	Central Village
State Side	Evelyn Weston, North Westport	South Westport
Macomber's Cor.	Kate W. Chace, Westport	Westport
Acoaxet	Sophia E. Macomber, Central Village	Central Village
Hicks' Corner	Mrs. Ruth A. Doane, Central Village	Central Village
South Westport	Mary L. Wood, South Westport	North Westport
Horseneck	Susie J. Davis, South Westport	Taunton, R. F. D. No. 1

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN.

Dr. John D. Tupper, Westport.

TRUANT OFFICER.

George Shepherdson, North Westport.

JANITORS.

Head, George B. Grinnell, _____ Point, John Babcock

Voted: To accept and adopt the Superintendent's report
as the report of the School Committee and print 750 copies.

FRANK G. MACOMBER,
CHAS. F. SANFORD,
School Committee of Westport.

School Calendar, 1912--13.

SPRING TERM.

High School begins Monday, April 1, closes Friday, June 28—
13 weeks.

Other schools begin Monday, April 1, close Friday, June 14—11
weeks.

FALL TERM.

High School begins Tuesday, Sept. 3, closes Friday, Dec. 20—16
weeks.

Other schools begin Monday, Sept. 9, close Friday, Dec. 20—15
weeks.

WINTER TERM.

High School begins Monday, Dec. 30, closes Friday, March 21—
12 weeks.

Other schools begin Monday, Jan. 6, close Friday, March 21—11
weeks.

The schools close Wednesday night before Thanksgiving Day
for the remainder of the week.

Legal holidays not included in the above vacations: April
19, May 30, Oct. 12, Feb. 22.

Valuation of schoolhouses and lots,								\$21,750
For the Year Ending June, 1911.								
Population (1910),								2,928
Number of children between 5 and 15, September, 1911:								
Boys, 291; girls, 246. Total, 537.								
Number of children between 7 and 14, September, 1911:								
Boys, 215; girls, 169. Total, 384.								
	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	
No. pupils enrolled,	503	480	467	463	487	485	477	
Under 5 years of age,	4	4	0	4	3	2	3	
Over 15,	20	12	13	12	14	5	13	
Between 7 and 14,	387	369	371	358	389	384	403	
Average membership,	419	421	413	417	434	428	390.30	
Average attendance,	372	376	365	381	402	375	350.24	
Per cent. of attendance, based on average membership,	89.2	89.2	88.4	91.4	92.6	87.6	89.73	
Cases of tardiness,	1769	1663	1313	1292	1301	1602	1469	
Per cent. of tardiness			1.06	.98	.97	1.25	1.18	
Schoolhouses in use, 1910-1911,								15
School rooms in use, 1910-1911,								19
Largest average attendance in one room,								30.83
Smallest average attendance in one room,								7.00
Number of teachers required,								19
Number of different teachers employed during the year:								
Men, 1; women, 24. Total,								25
Number of special teachers employed,								1
Number of teachers who are college graduates,								2
Number of teachers who are normal school graduates,								7
Number who have attended some school above the high school without graduating,								1
Aggregate number of months taught,	167 months 5½ days							
Average number of months taught,	8 months, 16.8 days							
Length of the school year: High, 40 weeks; others, 36 weeks								

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

To the School Committee of Westport:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to present herewith my first report as superintendent of your schools, the same being the nineteenth annual report submitted by the superintendents of the town.

On account of the short time for which the schools have been under my charge this will be mainly a report of the work done by my predecessor, and in making suggestions for the coming year I have chiefly to reiterate those made in the last annual report. The problems discussed in that are still with us, with little improvement to be discerned as to most of them; and although they are those with which most school officials have to deal, it would appear as though some of them are ours in an aggravated degree. The statistics are for the school year of 1911-1912, except that as usual the attendance data for the fall term of 1911 are given, in order that they may serve for comparison. In the discussion of the subjects taught this report gives a little account of what has been attempted during the past term, mainly along the lines previously established.

ATTENDANCE.

While the statistics show that the attendance was better than for the preceding year, and better for the fall term of 1911 than for the corresponding period of 1910, it is still very far from satisfactory. Epidemics have had much to do with this state of affairs; but that they are responsible for only a part is shown by the large number of tardinesses and

dismissals, which should be all the fewer when attendance is poor. As a general thing, a school which has a large number of tardinesses is also one in which regular attendance is not given the consideration which it should receive from scholars and parents, or, possibly, from the teacher. When practically fifty per cent. of our schools show an average of from four to twelve tardinesses per pupil throughout the year, and sixteen per cent. show an average of eight or more it would seem time for some serious attempt to be made at a change.

One peculiar feature is the number of dismissals granted in some schools. Evidently some parents do not realize that a dismissal has exactly the same effect upon work as a tardiness has. It will hereafter be so considered by the teachers, and in the Roll of Honor for the past year and for the future only the names of those scholars who have not been absent, tardy, nor dismissed for the time specified will be found.

The excuses given for absence are often trivial. With one class which makes up a considerable part of our population the temptation is strong to keep the children out to work, and this tendency should be severely checked. Our truant officer is energetic and efficient; but the effects of his work are minimized by the feeling of some of the parents that his visits are the only thing to be feared. I would recommend that the committee take the same measures this year as this class of parents would expect in the city,—prompt prosecution of the offenders. The law is plain and well-known, and the penalty provided should be inflicted upon a parent who violates its provisions by keeping a child from school for five-day sessions or ten half days during any period of six months, except when physically or mentally incapacitated.

TRANSPORTATION.

As noted in your last report, the eighth and ninth grades from some of the schools were transported to the

Head last year; and in line with suggestions made in that report, the seventh grades also have been transported this year, until now all above the sixth grade are transported either to the Head or to the Union school from the North, Sanford road, Macomber's Corner, Brownell's Corner, East Side and West Side schools. In the Mouse Mill school there is but one in the ninth grade and one in the eighth, and these should also have been transported. At South there is but one scholar above the sixth grade, but as there is no fourth or fifth grade in this school the small number makes it possible to take care of this one. The best work, however, cannot be done under such conditions. If these three scholars were transported, all pupils above the sixth grade would be provided for, except in four schools where the distances make transportation impracticable.

Naturally, a move so radical has met with some opposition, but this has been surprisingly little. It is generally difficult for one who lives near a school and is not aware of the exacting nature of modern school work to understand why his child may not be better off in the local school, especially if the number there is small, than in a school at a considerable distance. The arguments of such parents are worthy of careful consideration when they are made from the standpoint of the physical, mental or moral welfare of the children; but when objection is made because the children are needed at home at noon to do the chores, or what used to be done in past generations, it is useless to attempt to argue. When a man is willing to wear the same kind of clothes, use the same tools, employ the same methods of travel, and depend for information upon the same sources as did his grandfather, the sincerity of his arguments in favor of the same antiquated methods of education for his children may be admitted.

As to health, it is certainly less of a strain to ride even four miles in a comfortable carriage or car than to walk one or two miles over a muddy or snowy road. Only where it is necessary to take a long walk at either end of the ride in

bad weather is there any liability of injury to the health; and even then, it is better to be in a well-heated and ventilated schoolhouse in the morning or to be able to get home promptly in the afternoon. It would be hard to find a more healthy lot of children than those who are transported to our schools, and they show a striking contrast to many of their mates who are not subjected to such an "ordeal."

As to mental well-being, no one who knows the work intimately can for a moment doubt that a child's progress is quickened by taking him from the school of many grades, where, perhaps, he is alone in his classes, and therefore has nothing to quicken his interest, and putting him into a large class where he has abundant opportunity to measure himself with others. The regularity of attendance possible under transportation is also a large factor in his progress.

In the moral phase of the question we have the most important problem of all, and the one by which transportation must ultimately stand or fall. The morals of the children must be carefully guarded and the conveyances be in charge of those who will take proper care of the children in all ways. The drivers should be as directly responsible to the committee for proper control of the actions of the children on the way to and from school as for the correct equipment of the conveyances. Moreover, the pupils should be properly supervised at the noon hour, although here the fears of some of the parents are sadly misplaced, as it is not always the village child who contaminates the country child. It sometimes happens that the children who come from a distance are a distinct source of annoyance to the graded school. Coming as they do from the smaller school, where greater freedom was possible and even proper, and where their own age and size made them leaders, they fail to comprehend the necessity of stricter control and their own comparative non-importance in the larger school. Then, too, the poorer equipment of the local school, often so poor as to merit the contempt visited upon it by intelligent children, has given them a spirit of disregard for school prop-

erty, or in fact for any public property, and this spirit is displayed by carelessness toward or even wanton destruction of the equipment of the better school. The building at the Head is always in charge of a teacher during the noon hour, and prompt obedience to her authority is insisted upon. While an occasional lapse is possible, even with the utmost care, transportation, even when not at its best, is vastly superior to the long, unchaperoned walks over lonely country roads and the almost universally unsupervised noon hour which the ordinary country school offers the children. Parents who are aware of any laxity of control over the children have only to make prompt and definite report to any of the school authorities to have the offenders brought to account.

The movement for transportation and consolidation is widespread and increasing all over our country, and its opponents would do well to consider whether they may not be mistaken in their attitude toward a policy which has been adopted only after long and careful consideration by educational experts, and which is constantly gaining adherents.

BUILDINGS.

While in the main the schoolhouses are in a satisfactory condition, one, at least, is an exception, and in some of them changes should be made in the seating and ventilation. I understand that some conditions exist as the result of the temporary upsetting of plans for a central building. In most cases these conditions, while unfortunate, can be endured for a while longer, but some should be changed without delay. The State Side school has twenty-one children in a room fifteen feet wide, eighteen feet long and eight and one-half feet high. Those who see no need of a change here are invited to figure for themselves the number of cubic feet of air for each pupil and compare it with the legal requirement.

Whatever may be done as to consolidation, the school at Horseneck must, in the nature of things, be continued. At

the beginning of the year the attention of your committee was called to the condition in this school, and during the Christmas recess adjustable desks were put in. When the committee has redeemed its promise to remove the present cloak-rooms, throwing the space they now occupy into the main room, and building on new ones, it will be possible to arrange these desks properly. As placed at present, much of the advantage of the present desks over the old double ones is lost.

This school is handicapped by numbers, largely because of ten pupils who rightly belong in Dartmouth. Investigation shows that about as many Westport children are accommodated in the Dartmouth schools as vice versa. If these children were mutually excluded by the towns it would mean in some cases the cutting off of school privileges, on account of the unusual distances. The work done at Horse-neck is in many respects of a very high order and it should be furnished with the best that the town can afford. For one thing, the teacher's salary should at least be equal to that received by any of our teachers below the high school for the same length of service.

The outbuildings at some of the schools at the beginning of the year were in such a state as to make their use detrimental to the moral and physical welfare of the children. In some these conditions have been corrected; but in several they continue, and should be attended to at once. While reasons may be given for the present conditions of schoolhouses which will probably soon be abandoned, these excuses do not hold good in the cases of other buildings. A community that allows disreputable public buildings to exist has only itself to thank if the children do not exhibit that regard for public property which is expected. It is to be regretted that parents are not more active in assuring themselves by personal observation of the conditions under which their children are getting their education. If they were as careful of their children in this as in other ways, the committee would not need to hesitate so often to make necessary

improvements because of the fear that they would not be given the backing of their fellow townsmen.

CONSOLIDATION.

One of our greatest needs is a centrally located school-house, of at least four rooms, which would enable us to close at least four of our present inadequate buildings. Such a building would tend to a more economical and effective administration of school affairs, and its erection would be along the progressive lines already adopted by the town. It should contain, in addition to at least four schoolrooms, an office for the use of teachers and administrative officers and a storeroom for supplies. With such a building better salaries could be paid and teachers induced to stay longer than at present. Its location should be decided by the town, as the parents of the children who would attend have most at stake. Doubtless the committee, superintendent and teachers will get to it wherever it may be located. Whatever may be the reasons why we have not yet the building projected last year, it is surely high time for all interested to forget their differences and get together in an effort to settle this matter in a prompt, sane and legal way.

READING.

The system of reading in use has been extended by putting in the next higher book of the series. In general, our reading material is well chosen and abundant. Some grades were lacking somewhat in supplementary reading along certain lines, especially as better acquaintance with the books in use made it possible for the teachers to cover more ground, and some of these needs have been met by the adoption of *King Arthur and His Knights* in the sixth grade. *The Courtship of Miles Standish* in the eighth. These were read with delight and profit, and are in line with the policy adopted by my predecessor of supplying the upper grades with whole books of recognized merit, rather than with the literary hash dished up by the ordinary reader.

While in general the pupils read well, in some schools they were lacking in expression, and special attention has been given to this during the past term, in most cases with considerable improvement already observable. The reading of the upper grades at Horseneck is especially commendable.

WRITING.

I am heartily in accord with the suggestion made as to this subject in the report of last year, and this has been carried out to the extent of providing each teacher with a copy of Palmer's Manual and founding our work upon it. With the approval of your committee, we shall adopt this system of writing, and supply at once the other material needed. While it is rather early to report results, enough has been done to prove that where the teacher is willing to take the trouble to study the method for herself and apply it faithfully in her teaching, it is highly satisfactory. The greatest difficulty is in inducing some teachers to give to this subject the attention which its importance demands, or trust in their own ability to teach it.

HISTORY.

The ninth grade did not appear to be any too well acquainted with United States history, so the English history has been transferred to the tenth grade. As the ninth had already been through the American histories in use, it seemed wise, inasmuch as we were obliged to buy new ones, to look for a book which should deal more at length with events since the Civil War and with the rise of modern political, economic and social conditions. While there are several such, most of them are intended for high schools and are not simple enough for grammar schools. After careful search, McLaughlin and Van Tine's History of the United States for Schools, which has been published within a few months, seemed to fill our requirements, and its use was begun with the winter term. During the latter part of the year special

attention will be given to the history of our own state and town, so far as available material will permit.

SPELLING.

The speller in use is so old as to be worthy of being considered a genuine antique. While some old things are good, the spelling book now in use does not come under this head. Lists of words suitable for each grade have been furnished to the teachers; but as these are sufficient for only about a half year, a new spelling book is imperatively necessary. I hope it may be possible to introduce one this year.

GEOGRAPHY.

Davis' Physical Geography, which has been in use in the ninth grade, is usually studied in the high schools, and was too difficult and extensive for our present ninth grade. It has, therefore, been put into the tenth, and the ninth is using the Tarr McMurry book, which contains sufficient material for this grade. If it were not for our limited time, geography should be thoroughly reviewed in the ninth grade, and especially that of our own state and section.

Many of our schools are without maps, or large globes, and none has a map of Massachusetts. A full set of maps, a twelve-inch globe, and a special map of our own state should be in every schoolroom.

PHYSIOLOGY.

The physiologies in use were published twelve years ago, and while in many respects they are still excellent, the great changes in the last decade in the theories as to the spread of diseases and the methods of instruction in the laws of health have caused these books to lose much of their usefulness. Children need to know less of scientific physiology and more of the laws of health than can be taught by the use of this series. Many of the facts in them, once true, are

no longer so. For instance: it would be rather difficult to convince an observant child that it is possible to provide a family of five with enough bacon for breakfast by the expenditure of five cents, with beefsteak for dinner for twelve cents, or feed them sumptuously at supper with an outlay of one cent, outside of the cost of bread and butter. I should like to see a better series adopted, although with the many expenses which must be met in the near future it may be well to do the best we can with what we have for this year.

ARITHMETIC.

Work in this subject has been carried along much in the same way as heretofore, except in the ninth grade and, possibly, with a slight reduction in the first three grades.

In the ninth grade it has seemed well to reduce the amount of algebra taught, limiting it to the requirements for admittance to the Fall River high school, and spend the balance of the time upon arithmetic. Since algebra is taken in the tenth grade there is nothing gained by spending the whole year upon it in the ninth; as those who go on to the high school will cover the subject there, and those who do not will get all they need and derive more benefit from the arithmetic. For the present term the work will be mainly upon ordinary business arithmetic, especially measurements such as are used by contractors and other business men.

For the first three grades the teachers have been supplied with Gray's Number by Development, which is used with success in many Massachusetts cities, and the work carried on mainly along the lines suggested there. In the other grades a course of study, based upon the text-book in use, is followed.

PRACTICAL ARTS.

The question of what shall be taught in the public schools has always been under discussion, and at no time more so than at present. Not only are great changes being

made in the topics taught in each subject, but some subjects never heard of in school a few years ago are now being urged for adoption. The claim often made in the past that the schools did not fit for life doubtless had some foundation in facts, and the lack has been along the lines which the home once supplied, but which, through the changes of modern times, it can no longer do so. Massachusetts leads in the movement for reform, and if our state is to maintain its leadership, even the smaller towns must take their part.

The one great change is in the introduction of what Commissioner Snedden styles "Practical Arts," by which is meant instruction in such practical things as shall make the school supplement the home, and both together fit the child for life. One tendency of the schools in the past has been to discredit manual labor. The boy who could learn his lessons readily was destined for so-called higher things, and the dullard condemned to the life of the farm or shop, which presumably did not demand so high a degree of intelligence. If this were ever true, it certainly is so no longer, for more and more occupations are being lifted from the class of unskilled to that of skilled labor, owing to the growing complexity of modern affairs, and if our country is to maintain its position among nations industrially it can no longer afford to neglect that side of education which the nations of Europe have always cultivated, the education of the physical faculties. It follows, therefore, that if the home no longer furnishes the child with the manual dexterity which it once did, the school must provide it.

This work must be adapted to local conditions. For this reason we have gone slowly, extending the work in those schools in which it was already established along the lines already started, and in others attempting what seemed best suited to each school, and to the taste and skill of teacher and pupils. Many of the teachers have had no previous training in this work and some have not so far attempted it; but others have shown much interest and developed the same in their schools. In some schools reed and raphia

work, leading to basket and mat making, has been commenced, and in others brasswork has been done. In many schools sewing has been given to the girls, and in every case this seems to have met with the approval of the parents and the interest of the girls. In one school two of the mothers have assisted somewhat in the instruction.

The only branches of industrial work in which practically all the schools took part were the potato and corn planting, inaugurated two years ago, and bread and cake making, for prizes offered by the local Grange and Village Improvement Society. On Saturday, Nov. 4, a public exhibit of the results of the contest was held at the town hall. In spite of the extremely adverse summer, the exhibits were very creditable to the small planters, and more men than were present could have learned an instructive lesson from a study of them. Exhibits and prizes were as follows:

Number of Exhibits.

Potatoes,	12
Corn,	9
Bread,	3
Layer cakes,	9

Prize Winners.

Name.	Age.	School.	Exhibit.	Prize.
Margaret Rebello.	11 yr. 5 mo.	Macomber's Cor.	10 ears of corn.	\$2.00
Antone Feio.	9 yr. 2 mo.	Macomber's Cor.	5 ears of corn.	1.00
Helen Roska.	13 yr. 11 mo.	Macomber's Cor.	5 ears of corn.	1.00
Ferdinand Lawton.	13 yr.	State Side.	½ pk. potatoes.	1.00
Lillian Cornell.	12 yr. 9 mo.	Head Grammar.	½ pk. potatoes.	1.00
Alston Potter.	10 yr. 11 mo.	West Side.	4 potatoes.	.50
Genefa Roska.	10 yr.	Macomber's Cor.	4 potatoes.	.50
Edith Matthews.	14 yr. 3 mo.	Hick's Cor.	Loaf of bread.	1.00
Helen Taber.	11 yr. 4 mo.	Acoaxet.	Loaf of cake.	1.00
Gertrude Macomber.	8 yr. 7 mo.	Hick's Cor.	Layer cake.	1.00

Special Mention.

Name.	Age.	School.	Exhibit.
Julia Allen.	11 yr. 4 mo.	Point Grammar.	Loaf of cake.
Miriam Potter.	8 yr. 8 mo.	Macomber's Cor.	Layer cake.
Gladys Brown.	14 yr. 4 mo.	Head Grammar.	Loaf of bread.

An interesting feature of the awards was the number of girls who beat the boys in what is commonly supposed to be the peculiar work of the latter, the planting of vegetables.

It is the intention to continue this work this year; and while the work itself is necessarily done at home, it is under the supervision of the school, in which instruction as to methods of procedure are given.

Among the projects in mind for the near future are caning chairs, making hammocks and nets and tying knots for the boys, and methods of cleaning and caring for rooms for the girls. The boys may also do some knife work. During the fall term the boys in some schools did considerable work towards cleaning up the grounds and buildings. I hope we may soon be able to give instruction in cooking and bench work at some of the schools. The cost for either would not be excessive.

The cost to the town of the Practical Arts work will be very slight. So far, practically no tools have been required, and the pupils have paid the cost of materials for articles which they have taken home after finishing. Of course, the equipment for cooking and bench work would cost something, but compared to the results the expense would be slight.

MUSIC AND DRAWING.

The report of the supervisor of music is given elsewhere. Only those closely in touch with the schools can appreciate the difficulties which present themselves to the teacher of music in schools so varied and scattered as our own. Miss Morse's work deserves the hearty support and appreciation of all.

An important branch of Practical Arts, and one almost entirely neglected in our schools, is that of drawing. In no subject is a supervisor so necessary for even creditable work as in this; and there is no other, with the possible ex-

ception of music, which reacts so favorably upon the schools. Some possibility of being able to secure a supervisor presented itself at one time during the past term, but it seemed at that time better to wait until the beginning of another year, when it might be possible to join with some nearby town in securing the services of a capable supervisor, who should be able also to direct the work in other branches of Practical Arts and arrange them to the best advantage. I hope that this may be kept in mind in making appropriations for the coming year.

TEACHERS.

Of the nineteen teachers in the schools a year ago but seven now remain, and two of those of last term are now gone. Miss Louise Chace of the South school left us at the end of the term to accept a better salary elsewhere; and Miss Hull, of State Side, has been granted leave of absence for the winter term. Miss Mary L. Wood, of North Westport, has been elected to the South school, and Miss Evelyn E. Weston, of South Westport, takes the place of Miss Hull.

The frequent changes of teachers was discussed in the last annual report, and since then conditions have not improved. The salaries paid have something to do with it, yet they compare favorably with those paid by some towns of the same size which are able to keep their teachers at least two or three years. Probably the distances of some of the schools from railroad or trolley are a still more potent factor, but this explanation alone will not suffice. I believe that the great reasons are the lack of a feeling of professional unity, such as is usual in other towns, and because there is no regular system of promotion and increase of salary for efficiency to foster a spirit of loyalty to the school system. These are in turn due to the fact that there is apparently no standard for the appointment of new teachers to which all must attain. The normal graduate enters on the same footing as the high school graduate, who in turn

can look around and see some who have not had even her advantages. While many of our best teachers belong in the town, there is no reason why a poorly equipped or inexperienced candidate should be accepted simply because her people are residents here. While for many reasons local teachers are often best in a town like this, they should not be allowed to gain their training and experience at the expense of the children of the town, nor should they constitute the whole body of teachers. I strongly recommend that in the appointment of new teachers no candidate be accepted who has not had the equivalent of a normal school training or at least one year of successful experience. The only exception that I would make to this is the State Side school, if that is occupied next year, as it is inconceivable that a teacher who met such a standard would be willing to teach in such a building for the salary paid. Provision should also be made for increase of salary and promotion for continued, effective service.

One important part of a superintendent's work is the holding of teachers' meetings; but the long distances between schools make frequent meetings impossible without undue breaking into the sessions of the schools, and the frequent changes in teachers make such meetings almost useless. It is hoped that next term it may be possible to hold meetings of several teachers together in at least two sections of the town. If there were a convenient place at Central Village for such meetings, several teachers could assemble there on Friday afternoons without any great interruption of the school program.

IN CONCLUSION.

If some of the suggestions made in this report are carried out, it will necessitate a more liberal appropriation. I appreciate the liberality of the citizens toward the schools in the past, and it is in no spirit of criticism that these suggestions are made. The cost of living is increasing, and the

same applies to schools as well as to families. The same supplies cost much more than they did a few years ago. It costs teachers more to live, yet salaries have not been increased. On account of the isolation of some sections and our distances from other towns and from railroads and trolleys we have expenses which most towns of this size do not have. For these and other reasons I hope the citizens will continue to exhibit the liberal spirit of appreciation of the schools shown in the appropriations of the past, and in their support of the school officials.

Yours very respectfully,

WILLIAM H. MILLINGTON,

Superintendent.

Westport, Mass., February 1, 1912.

Report of the Principal of the High School.

Mr. W. H. Millington, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir:—In a review of the past year at the Westport High school, the graduation exercises of the class of 1911 may appropriately hold first place. The graduates of the class were Margaret Lucas Lawrence, Viola Estelle Snell, Joseph Hibbard Whitford and Charles Augustus Wood. The following program was presented at the Pacific Union church, June 30, 1911:

Song—"Tyrolese Chorus"	School
Prayer	Rev. Wm. P. Ames
Essay—"Panama Canal"	Charles Augustus Wood
Song—"The Gondolier"	Girls' Chorus
Essay—"The Feudal Ssystem"	Margaret Lucas Lawrence
Song—"Out on the Deep"	School
Class Prophecies	Joseph Hibbard Whitford
Essay—"Reign of Queen Elizabeth"	Viola Estelle Snell
Solo	Miss Ruth E. Morse
Address	Rev. Clarence F. Swift
Presentation of Diplomas	
Benediction	Rev. Wm. P. Ames

The present enrollment of pupils in the three grades occupying the High school room is twenty-two. While the eleventh grade is represented by but one pupil, the tenth grade numbers five, and the ninth grade sixteen pupils. The attendance has been good, as there has been but one case of serious illness in the school.

The ninth or grammar grade studies consist of Arithmetic, Elementary Algebra, Grammar, Reading and Composition, Spelling, Physical Geography, United States and English History. Some changes for the better have been made in the work, namely: more United States History and less English History, with an improved text-book in the former study; more emphasis on Practical Arithmetic and less on Algebra; a careful review of some profitable subjects in English Grammar has been carried on; and the always important Reading and Composition have been made as interesting as possible. In general the effort of the teacher has been to stimulate the interest of the younger pupils, who compose the ninth grade, in their school work, which it is hoped they may continue in a High School course.

The course of study for the tenth grade includes Latin, Ancient History, Rhetoric, English Literature and Composition, Algebra and Elementary Science. Hardly any changes can be made in these first year High School subjects, which are largely prescribed by the college entrance requirements. Latin and Ancient History are perhaps the most forbidding subjects to the average pupil, and an effort has been made to show their connection with our own language and civilization. Very little attention can be given to Elementary Science, as the school has no facilities for experimental work. Algebra and English in this grade are of course simply extensions of work begun in the Grammar grades.

The eleventh grade studies are Cæsar, Geometry, European History, Rhetoric, English Literature and Composition, and German. This continuation of college preparatory work embraces German, this year, in place of French. The enrollment has decreased to a minimum, as only one pupil entered in September. It seems probable that there will not again be so small a graduating class.

Besides the routine studies in school we need to utilize such other means of education and culture as are practicable.

One of these is music and as a means of increasing the appreciation of children for this natural and beautiful expression of human emotion, and as an aid to the faithful teacher of music in her work, the school needs either a piano, or a sound reproducing machine with a collection of records. It is futile to expect many pupils to be capable of producing music, but it is possible and highly desirable to make more of them capable of appreciating music. As Dr. Snedden has recently well said, fine appreciation, not proficient execution of music, should be the aim in liberal education.

On one of the Friday afternoons in the winter term the principal arranged for a program of great musical composers by a "Victor" machine. Hearing good music is the best way of destroying the taste for "rag-time" and its kind. We try to inculcate a taste for Shakespere in school—but how about Beethoven?

Another instrument of culture is the picture. We see the world largely through its medium nowadays. Children may learn quite as much from pictures as from books; the picture unlocks the book. The concrete object in geography ought to come before the abstract idea of it. The principal has made as large a use of picture post cards, stereographs and other illustrations as possible and believes that one of the inexpensive reflecting lanterns now made for school use would increase interest in studies and widen the general knowledge of pupils as nothing else could.

By voluntary contribution a small fund has been raised for buying some good pictures for our walls. It is hoped that some future classes may do the like, and thus add something of permanent interest and attraction to the school room.

The lack of a working library of books in the school has been deplored by former principals. I can do no more than to repeat that so small a collection of reference books as we own is undoubtedly a serious limitation of our work. Classes in History, Geography and English should be encouraged to do definite reading outside the text-books.

Some difficulty has been experienced this winter in heating the high school and primary rooms. This is no new condition and was noted in the 1908-1909 report of the Principal of the High School. Storm windows on the north side of the building would make both for comfort and for saving in coal. The Principal respectfully recommends such protection in the interests of both pupils and tax-payers.

For the physical welfare of the boys a football was purchased and used constantly during the first part of the year. In winter the pupils' open air exercise is restricted to skating, but with the arrival of spring base ball and tennis furnish a welcome outlet for energy. The Westport High School is fortunate in its ample play-grounds, for which pupils and teachers alike are thankful.

The Principal wishes in conclusion to gratefully acknowledge the consideration and good will shown him by the Superintendent and School Committee, by the teachers and pupils, and by Westport's citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. BRADLEE.

Report of the Supervisor of Music.

Westport, Mass., January 24, 1912.

To the School Committee of the Town of Westport:

I herewith submit to the School Committee of Westport my report for the year 1911.

The method of music in use is the same which has been used previous years, the Normal method, with movable "Doo." Much attention is paid to exercises for time, tone, notation and music writing. The children are taught different time and key signatures, various notes and rests, irregular beat notes and chromatics.

It has been my aim to bring the different classes to a more even grading than they were when I began to teach, without overlooking the purpose of the exercises, which is to give children the ability to learn bright and melodious songs.

Individual singing is encouraged, for a child should feel as little embarrassment in singing alone as in reading alone. Even the child who has little tone perception is encouraged in this to give him confidence in his own ability, however small it may be. There is more encouragement for the teacher in a child without ability who has confidence, than in a child with ability who lacks confidence.

I have been much pleased with the progress the different classes have made during the fall term. I have a word to speak for the hearty co-operation of the teachers, and I feel that nowhere could one find a staff of teachers more anxious to work for the success of the music. In fact, the advancement in many schools is the result of much conscientious work on the part of the regular teacher.

The music for graduation showed good work by the pupils, although many of them were unable to attend on account of the distance. I hope that so much school spirit may be aroused this coming spring that each pupil will make an extra effort to be present at the graduation exercises in June.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH E. MORSE,

Supervisor of Music.

Report of the Truant Officer.

To the School Committee of Westport:

There were forty-one cases of absence from school investigated during the year. I find that most of these children were kept at home on account of sickness, either of the pupil or of some other member of the family; five or six cases were for lack of shoes or clothing; and five were because of doubt as to which school they were expected to attend. There was one case of truancy. Undoubtedly, more were kept at home to work than should have been. While more cases were investigated this year than the year before, this was probably largely due to greater care on the part of the teachers in making reports of absences. In general, we have little truancy, and the parents are much more to blame than the children for the poor attendance.

Yours respectfully,

GEORGE SHEPERDSON.

Report of the School Physician.

Mr. Wm. H. Millington, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit my fifth annual report as School Physician of the schools of Westport.

I am pleased to state that there have been but few contagious and infectious diseases in the schools the past year.

It is a satisfaction to be able to report a decided improvement with many children in the care of their teeth.

I want to call the attention of parents to the unexpected dangers of whooping cough. There are two common errors with reference to this disease: that it is simple and the diagnosis is to be made by the whoop. There are many cases in which we get a paroxysmal spasmodic cough without the typical whoop, and yet in which the micro-organism is found. The complications of this disease are many and serious. By the Medical Record whooping cough is really one of the most fatal of diseases among children.

The Board of Health suggested the following rules and regulations: Doors of the outbuildings should be locked after school hours. There should be self-closing covers to seats; zinc lined urinals for boys' closets; closets should be screened to exclude flies and cleaned at regular intervals with lime or some disinfectant used.

I offer as suggestions for the comfort of the scholars at the Head of River that outside windows be fitted on north side of the building.

I wish to thank teachers for their hearty co-operation and children for their courtesy.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN D. TUPPER, M. D.,

School Physician.

ATTENDANCE DATA FOR EACH SCHOOL 1910-1911.

Schools.	Fall Term, 1910.				Winter Term, 1911.				Spring Term, 1911.				Year.			
	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.
High	18	19.10	16.20	94.70	15	15.00	13.90	92.67	14	12.50	11.10	88.80	18	14.87	13.73	92.33
Head Grammar.....	38	34.40	32.60	94.70	34	32.90	29.40	89.36	33	30.00	27.60	92.00	33	32.47	29.87	91.99
Head Primary.....	37	34.30	31.00	90.40	37	33.23	27.60	82.88	38	35.20	33.80	86.63	38	34.60	30.83	89.10
Point Grammar.....	21	19.70	18.40	93.40	21	19.60	18.20	92.90	18	16.20	15.10	93.20	22	18.60	17.30	93.01
Point Primary.....	10	8.60	7.80	90.60	8	7.50	6.50	86.60	7	7.00	6.60	94.29	10	7.80	7.00	89.73
Union Grammar.....	18	17.00	15.70	92.40	20	18.80	16.80	89.26	19	18.70	16.60	88.77	22	18.17	16.37	90.09
Union Primary.....	19	18.20	17.40	95.60	19	16.80	15.50	92.26	17	17.00	16.30	95.88	20	17.30	16.30	94.22
North Westport.....	31	27.30	24.10	88.30	23	21.80	18.70	85.78	26	19.80	16.90	85.36	35	22.97	19.90	86.63
Sanford Road.....	42	36.20	32.30	89.20	33	29.40	25.70	87.41	29	27.70	24.90	89.89	42	30.38	27.67	89.75
Brownell's Corner.....	38	29.80	26.80	89.90	29	27.40	25.50	93.07	31	28.30	23.90	84.45	36	28.50	25.40	89.12
Mouse Mill.....	24	22.00	18.90	85.80	28	21.80	16.90	77.52	23	20.80	18.50	88.93	31	21.52	18.10	84.11
East Side.....	14	13.50	12.50	92.60	14	14.00	13.00	93.07	15	13.40	12.80	95.52	15	13.67	12.78	93.49
West Side.....	15	12.80	11.80	92.20	15	14.80	12.90	87.16	15	14.30	12.80	89.51	15	13.97	12.50	89.49
State Side.....	13	12.50	10.80	86.40	13	11.90	9.50	79.99	13	12.80	11.00	85.83	14	12.40	10.43	84.11
Macomber's Corner.....	30	27.30	24.40	89.40	30	26.90	23.10	85.97	27	22.30	20.10	90.13	37	25.50	22.53	88.35
Acoaxet	19	14.30	12.80	89.50	15	14.00	11.70	83.74	15	12.36	9.50	77.42	21	13.56	11.36	83.92
Hick's Corner.....	21	18.50	16.60	89.70	19	18.10	16.10	88.95	20	18.80	17.10	90.96	22	18.47	16.60	89.88
South Westport.....	15	15.00	13.60	90.70	15	14.50	12.60	86.90	14	14.00	13.40	95.71	15	14.50	13.20	91.03
Horseneck	32	31.60	29.20	92.40	31	29.60	26.40	89.18	31	30.60	29.50	96.41	32	30.60	28.37	92.71
Totals and Averages..	455	410.10	410.20	91.00	419	388.00	340.00	87.62	405	371.70	337.50	90.53	487	390.30	350.24	89.74

STATISTICS OF ATTENDANCE BY TERMS.

Schools.	Winter Term, 1911.						Spring Term, 1911.						Fall Term, 1911.					
	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number of Tardinesses.	Tardiness per pupil.	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number of Tardinesses.	Tardiness per pupil.	Number enrolled.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number of Tardinesses.	Tardiness per pupil.
High	15	15.00	13.90	92.67	15	1.	14	12.50	11.10	88.80	8	.64	21	19.93	20.84	90.66	14	.68
Head Grammar.....	34	32.90	29.40	89.36	31	.94	33	30.00	27.60	92.00	36	1.20	33	30.96	28.46	91.93	19	.58
Head Primary.....	37	33.26	27.62	82.88	20	.60	38	35.20	33.88	86.63	15	.43	47	43.21	37.55	86.90	32	.74
Point Grammar.....	21	19.60	18.20	92.90	39	2.00	18	16.20	15.10	93.20	12	.71	15	14.28	13.54	94.82	3	.21
Point Primary.....	8	7.50	6.50	86.60	32	.27	7	7.00	6.60	94.29	0	0	10	9.70	9.20	94.85	1	1.24
Union Grammar.....	20	18.80	16.80	89.26	32	.11	19	18.70	16.60	88.77	6	.32						
Union Primary.....	19	16.80	15.50	92.26	5	.30	17	17.00	16.30	95.88	4	.24						
North Westport.....	23	21.80	18.70	85.78	23	1.11	26	19.80	16.90	85.36	6	.30	25	23.74	22.40	94.36	25	1.05
Sanford Road.....	33	29.40	25.70	87.41	33	.78	29	27.70	24.90	89.89	38	1.37	34	30.14	27.80	92.23	56	1.86
Brownell's Corner.....	29	27.40	25.50	93.07	38	1.39	31	28.30	23.90	84.45	46	1.63	30	28.39	25.79	90.84	29	1.02
Mouse Mill.....	28	21.80	16.90	77.52	48	2.22	23	20.80	18.50	88.93	68	3.27	29	29.00	21.55	93.69	69	3.00
East Side.....	14	14.00	13.03	93.07	49	3.50	15	13.40	12.80	95.52	46	3.43	19	17.33	16.62	95.90	66	3.81
West Side.....	15	14.80	12.90	87.16	20	1.35	15	14.30	12.80	89.51	13	.91	15	14.13	13.51	96.46	4	.28
State Side.....	13	11.90	9.50	79.99	18	1.51	13	12.80	11.00	85.83	36	2.81	21	19.83	17.88	90.17	33	1.67
Macomber's Corner.....	30	26.90	23.10	85.97	48	1.78	27	22.30	20.10	90.13	46	2.06	25	20.03	19.57	97.70	61	3.05
Acoaxet	15	14.02	11.74	83.74	36	2.57	15	12.36	9.57	77.43	14	1.12	18	17.12	15.46	90.30	22	1.29
Hick's Corner.....	19	18.10	16.10	88.95	36	1.99	20	18.80	17.10	90.96	12	.64	17	14.64	13.91	95.01	8	.55
South Westport.....	15	14.50	12.60	86.90	33	2.41	14	14.00	13.40	95.71	12	.86	14	13.90	12.90	92.80	24	1.72
Horseneck	31	29.60	26.40	89.18	15	.51	31	30.60	29.50	96.41	7	.23	38	36.47	33.84	92.09	20	.55
Totals and Averages.	419	388.00	340.00	87.62	511	1.32	405	371.70	337.50	90.53	425	1.14	411	376.80	350.82	93.11	497	1.32

SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE DATA, 1910-1911.

Schools.	Enrollment.			Enrollment under 5 years.	Enrollment 5 to 15 years.	Enrollment over 15 years.	Enrollment 7 to 14 years.	Total membership.	Average membership.	Average attendance.	Per cent of attendance.	Number of hardinesses.	Tardiness per pupil.	Number of dismissals.	Dismissals per pupil.	Pupils perfect in attendance.	Rank in attendance.	Rank in punctuality.	Rank in punctuality exc. dismissals.	Grades.
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.																	
High	11	7	18		14	4	5	18	14.87	13.73	92.33	33	2.40	9	.66	0	5	6	6	9-11
Head Grammar	25	14	39		37	2	32	38	32.47	29.87	91.99	95	2.93	32	.99	3	6	9	9	5-8
Head Primary	29	9	38		38		32	42	34.60	30.83	89.10	41	1.18	16	.46	0	14	4	4	1-4
Point Grammar	10	9	19		16	3	12	22	18.60	17.30	93.01	79	4.25	8	.43	0	3	11	11	6-9
Point Primary	5	5	10	1	9		8	16	7.80	7.00	89.73	6	.60	0	0	0	11	1	1	1-5
Union Grammar	11	8	19		19		17	22	18.17	16.37	90.09	24	1.32	18	.99	0	8	5	5	4-8
Union Primary	12	8	20		20		15	26	17.30	16.30	94.22	12	.69	4	.23	0	1	2	2	1-3
North Westport	16	18	34		29		29	35	22.97	19.90	86.63	60	2.61	22	.96	0	16	8	7	1-6
Sanford Road	21	21	42		47		40	42	30.83	27.67	89.75	118	3.86	27	.88	0	10	12	10	1-6
Brownell's Corner	19	22	41		41		35	36	28.50	25.40	89.12	109	6.67	9	.32	0	13	16	16	1-4
Mouse Mill	15	14	29		29		26	31	21.52	18.10	84.11	172	8.00	19	.93	2	18	17	17	1-9
East Side	7	8	15	1	14		9	15	13.67	12.78	93.49	166	12.14	8	.59	0	2	19	19	1-4
West Side	9	4	13		13		12	15	13.97	12.50	89.49	38	2.72	7	.50	1	12	7	8	1-7
State Side	9	5	14		14		14	14	12.40	10.43	84.11	66	5.22	7	.63	1	18	15	15	1-6
Macomber's Corner	17	19	36		35	1	29	37	25.50	22.53	88.35	205	8.04	16	.62	0	15	17	18	1-6
Acaxet	9	13	22		21	1	18	21	13.56	11.36	83.92	66	4.87	11	.81	0	19	13	14	1-6
Hick's Corner	11	10	21	1	20		20	22	18.47	16.60	89.88	88	4.76	19	1.03	0	9	14	13	1-8
South Westport	6	9	15		13	2	11	15	14.50	13.20	91.03	62	4.28	12	.29	0	7	10	12	1-8
Horseneck	18	14	32		32		32	32	30.60	28.37	92.71	29	.95	7	.23	0	4	3	3	1-8
Totals and Averages.	260	217	477	3	461	13	403	487	390.30	350.24	89.73	1469	4.08	251	.60	7				

Roll of Honor.

Three Terms.

C. Azel Borden,	West Side.
Lillian Cornell,	Head Grammar.
Annie C. Pettey,	Head Grammar.
Mary B. Potter,	Head Grammar.
Alice L. Tripp,	Mouse Mill.
Emily M. Tripp,	Mouse Mill.
Carlton M. Wood.	State Side.

Two Terms.

2, 3. Lillian M. Baldwin,	North Westport.
1, 2. Esther E. Borden,	North Westport.
1, 2. Vivian A. Borden,	North Westport.
1, 2. John L. Botelho,	Head Primary.
1, 2. Rufus S. Bowman,	High.
1, 3. Lysander Brightman,	Head Grammar.
1, 2. Laura L. Cowling,	Point Grammar.
2, 3. Elizabeth Davis,	Brownell's Corner.
1, 3. Leo Gagne,	Union Primary.
1, 3. Hettie A. Gifford,	Horseneck.
2, 3. Mary E. Gifford,	Horseneck.
1, 3. Nelson D. Gifford,	Horseneck.
1, 2. Elizabeth Haskell,	Sanford Road.
2, 3. Ernest E. Lake,	Point Primary.
1, 3. Carrie M. Lawton,	Head Grammar.
1, 3. Doris E. Macomber,	South Westport.
2, 3. Lewis Maher,	Union Primary.
1, 2. Kathleen Pearson,	Mouse Mill.
1, 2. Miriam F. Potter,	Macomber's Corner.
2, 3. Clifton E. Power,	Point Grammar.
1, 3. Arthur Sherman,	Union Primary.
1, 2. Ellery C. Sherman,	Head Primary.
1, 2. John Sousa,	Union Primary.
1, 2. John A. Thomas,	Head Grammar.
2, 3. Elton C. Tripp,	Head Grammar.
1, 2. Gertrude Tripp,	North Westport.
1, 2. Leanna Tripp,	North Westport.

One Term.

3. Albert J. Allen,	Point Grammar.
3. Oscar Beaulieu,	Mouse Mill.
1. Elton M. Borden,	North Westport.
2. Jonathan Borden,	North Westport.
1. Milton E. Borden,	North Westport.
1. Othniel Borden,	North Westport.
1. Charles K. Bowman,	Macomber's Corner.
1. Luther B. Bowman,	Macomber's Corner.
3. Elsie R. Brightman,	Point Grammar.
2. Lydia E. Brightman,	Head Grammar.
1. Carlton G. Davis,	Head Primary.
2. Harold A. Davis,	Head Grammar.
2. Katherine Davis,	Brownell's Corner.
2. Lillian Davis,	Brownell's Corner.
3. Edward Doan,	Union Primary.
3. Ellen Donovan,	East Side.
3. Clarence H. Gifford,	Horseneck.
1. Eleanor R. Hammond,	Point Grammar.
1. Wenona B. Hammond,	Point Grammar.
3. Mary J. Haskell,	Sanford Road.
3. Alpheus Haskins,	Horseneck.
3. Raymond R. Heap,	North Westport.
1. Robert M. Johnson,	Hick's Corner.
2. James King,	Union Grammar.
1. Louis A. King,	Head Primary.
1. Mildred King,	Brownell's Corner.
3. Ignace Kopzibiz,	Union Primary.
3. James W. Macomber,	Point Grammar.
2. Arthur J. Manchester,	Horseneck.
3. Gladys E. Mosher,	Horseneck.
3. Rosella A. Mosher,	Horseneck.
2. Otto B. Nickerson,	Acoaxet.
2. Roger H. Nickerson,	Acoaxet.
2. Ethel Pearson,	Brownell's Corner.
3. Genefa Roska,	Macomber's Corner.
2. Helen Roska,	Macomber's Corner.
3. Mary D. Roska,	Macomber's Corner.
3. Edward T. Russell,	Union Primary.
1. Cora Sanford,	Sanford Road.
2. Roger D. Sherman,	Head Grammar.
1. Wilfred C. Sherman,	Head Primary.
3. John J. Shepherdson,	Sanford Road.

1. Florence B. Soule,	Hick's Corner.
3. Mary A. Soule,	Hick's Corner.
3. Bessie M. Taber,	Hick's Corner.
2. Elliott Taber,	Hick's Corner.
1. Edna M. Tripp,	Point Grammar.
3. Elvira O. White,	South Westport.
1. Gladys M. Wing,	Head Grammar.
3. Carrie R. Wood,	State Side.
2. Walter R. Wood,	High.

This list contains the names of those who have not been absent, tardy nor **dismissed** during the period indicated.

Terms are indicated as follows; Fall term, 1; Winter term, 2; Spring term, 3.

LIST OF TEACHERS, 1910-11.

Schools.	Teachers' Names.	Graduate
High	†Irving P. Coleman	Tufts
Head Grammar	Alice Macomber	Moses Brown
Head Primary	Helen L. Brownell	F. R. High School
	Bertha E. Hinkley	Framingham Normal
Point Grammar	Hattie M. Trask	Framingham Normal
Point Primary	Emma R. Lawrence	R. M. High
Union Grammar	Mary E. McGrath	Bridgewater Normal
Union Primary North	Mary T. Ashton	Dartmouth High
	Bertha E. Hinkley	
	Mary P. Cunningham	Framingham
	Mabel E. Macomber	Moses Brown
Sanford Road	Hazel L. Raybold	Brown University
	Almy Lewin	B. M. C. D. High
	Mabel Ferguson	
Brownell's Corner	Louise E. Tupper	
	Mabel E. Macomber	B. M. C. D. High
	Mary F. McDermott	Framingham
Mouse Mill	Leonie M. Thorne	Randolph Normal
East Side	Ada J. Lawton	Mosher's Preparatory
West Side	A. Evelyn Tripp	Westport High
State Side	Anna L. Hull	Rogers & Allen
Macomber's Corner	Kate W. Chace	Harrington Normal
Acoaxet	Mabel Swanson	Gloucester High
Hick's Corner	Sophia E. Macomber	Moses Brown
	Jennie M. Westhaven	Lunenburg Academy
South	Louisa M. Chace	B. M. C. D. High
Horseneck	Mary L. Caunt	Framingham

†Attended Boston Normal without graduating.

Number of Pupils in the Total Membership of the Different
Schools, Classified by Grades.
Fall Term, 1911.

GRADES.

SCHOOLS	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven	Eight	Nine	Ten	Eleven	Totals
Head,	17	8	7	15	5		21	7	15	5	1	101
Point,	1	3	5		1	6	3	3	3			25
North Westport,	5	5	1	9	4	1						25
Sanford Road,	10	5	8	4		7						34
Brownell's Corner,	10	7	5	5	2	1						30
Mouse Mill,	4	6	6	4	4		3	1	1			29
East Side,	3	6	3	1	6							19
West Side,	3	3	2	2	1	3	1					15
State Side,	6	1	1	2	3	4	3		1			21
Macomber's Corner,	2	4	6	5	6	2						25
Acoaxet,	5	1	3	3		3	3					18
Hick's Corner,		1	1	5	1	2		6	1			17
South Westport,	2	2	3		1	5		1				14
Horseneck,	8	7	1	10	2	2	5	2	1			38
Totals,	76	59	52	65	36	36	39	20	22	5	1	411

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