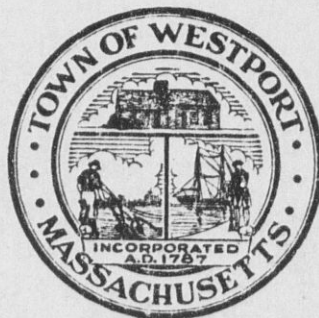


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ANNUAL REPORTS

for 1939



TOWN OF
WESTPORT

Town of Westport

ANNUAL REPORTS

1939




BOARD OF SELECTMEN

and

OTHER BOARDS OF OFFICERS

**Including a Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures
of the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1939**

 **C. J. LEARY & SONS, INC.**

TOWN OFFICERS — 1939

MODERATOR

John A. Smith Term Expires 1940

TOWN CLERK

Edward L. Macomber Term Expires 1942

TREASURER

Alexander Walsh Term Expires 1942

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

George Norman Term Expires 1942

SELECTMEN

George W. Russell Term Expires 1940

Clifton E. Dwelly Term Expires 1941

John A. Smith Term Expires 1942

BOARD OF HEALTH

Edward L. Macomber Term Expires 1940

Edward W. Burt Term Expires 1941

Charles R. Wood Term Expires 1942

ASSESSORS

John F. MacDonald Term Expires 1940

Arthur V. Tripp Term Expires 1941

Fred T. Webb Term Expires 1942

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Truman C. Emery Term Expires 1940

Samuel A. Boan Term Expires 1941

Roby C. Burt Term Expires 1942

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

George F. Dean Term Expires 1940

Roger M. Acheson Term Expires 1940

Charles T. Gifford Term Expires 1941

Frederick L. Tripp Term Expires 1941

Philip Manchester Term Expires 1942

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Milton E. Earle

SINGLE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Charles S. Haskell Term Expires 1942

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Elmer B. Manchester Jr.

FISH COMMISSIONERS

William C. Tripp Term Expires 1940

Charles H. Hitt Term Expires 1941

Josiah A. Bowers, Jr. Term Expires 1942

TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Anne C. Gifford Term Expires 1940

Dorothy T. Acheson Term Expires 1940

Ada S. Macomber Term Expires 1941

Audrey L. Tripp Term Expires 1941

Nason R. Macomber Term Expires 1942

Abram J. Potter Term Expires 1942

CHIEF OF POLICE

Charles H. Dean

REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS

Norman B. Hopkinson Joseph Cieto

Albert Blais John H. White

RESERVE POLICE OFFICERS

Gilbert A. Santos Roland M. Massey

Clarence Lawton Timothy Jewell

LANDING COMMISSIONERS

Samuel A. Boan George L. Greenwood

Ralph E. Gifford Albert E. Lees

Alexander Walsh (Treasurer)

TREE WARDEN

Christopher Borden, Jr.

DRAWTENDER OF WESTPORT POINT BRIDGE

Albert E. Lees

SUPERINTENDENT OF BEECH GROVE
CEMETERY

Thomas W. Lees

INSPECTORS OF ANIMALS

Dr. W. W. Kirby

Norman W. Kirby

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Edward L. Macomber (Town Clerk)

Oscar H. Palmer

Term Expires 1940

Walter A. Brightman

Term Expires 1941

Joseph Smith

Term Expires 1942

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER AND MEASURER OF
WOOD AND BARK

Thomas E. Borden

FENCE VIEWERS

John P. Azevedo

William W. Howland

Arthur L. Lawton

FOREST WARDEN

Lynwood F. Potter

MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

Christopher Borden, Jr.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Walter F. King

Town Farm—Rented to Mrs. David A. King

LIBRARIAN OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Dorothy W. Smith

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL

Lysander F. Howland

JANITOR OF MUNICIPAL OFFICE BUILDING

Charles A. Brightman

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

BIRTHS

REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1939

Date of birth	Name of child	Name of Parents (Maiden Name of Mother)
Jan. 1.	David Andrew Lees	Andrew and Eleanor (Hellman)
Jan. 1	John Weston Earle	Milton E. and Katherine (Trafford)
Jan. 5	Marilyn Claire Dufresne	Raymond and Gertrude (Chouinard)
Jan. 7	Pauline Betty Bernier	Adelard and Louise (Sexton)
Jan. 8	Lena Genevieve Raposa	Benjamin and Marianna (Azevedo)
Jan. 12	Shirley Ann Smith	Richard R. and Georgianna E. (Reed)
Jan. 14	Janice Sarah Briggs	Clarence and Gertrude (Perry)
Jan. 28	Pauline Beaulieu	Arthur and Marcelle (Hamel)
Jan. 28	Eugene Gomes Vieira	Frank G. and Carolyn L. (Gomes)
Feb. 2	Leighton Hull Tripp	Ralph and Amelia (Souza)
Feb. 4	Laura Louise Longfield	Eugene M. and Frances L. (Tobey)
Feb. 12	Joan Elizabeth Partington	John S. and Edna V. (Parkinson)
Feb. 22	Carole Ann Perry	Henry Francis and Marion (Warren)
Feb. 23	Paul Anthony Amaral	Manuel and Virginia (Vieira)
Mar. 6	Veril Constance Jackson	William A. and Estha (Whalon)
Mar. 8	————— Tripp	Carlton Winfield and Dorothy Louise (Chateauneuf)
Mar. 13	Robert Morris Cambra	Joseph and Sophia (Cieto)
Mar. 14	Dolores Therien	Oliva and Irene (Sylvester)
Mar. 16	Carolyn Ann Smith	Alexander and Edale (Warren)
Mar. 21	————— Rose	Joseph and Eliza (Perry)
Mar. 23	Manuel Pedro Cabral	Joseph and Shirley (Tripp)
Mar. 24	Lorna Joan Farias	Joseph and Lorna (Cunha)
Mar. 26	Stillborn	
Apr. 5	Frederick Emerson Kent	Frederick Emerson and Gladys (Harrop)
Apr. 17	————— Morse	Charles and Edith (Barker)
Apr. 17	Leo Sousa, Jr.	Leo and Mary (Miranda)
Apr. 20	Almeida Roderiques	Zulmiro and Emelinda (Barboza)
Apr. 27	————— Lafleur	Arthur and Emma (Hebert)
Apr. 29	Jane Louise Soares	Manuel and Ruth E. (Hartnett)
May 2	Clifford Thomas Kirby	Clifford Harrison and Althea (Niles)
May 13	Joyce Elaine Brown	Arthur and Laura (Manchester)
May 17	Joseph Rodrigues	Antone and Mary (Medeiros)
May 17	Judith Lane Cowling	Henry Lawrence and Edith (Desjardins)
May 23	————— Carvalho	Joseph and Mary (Sylvia)
May 26	————— Desrosiers	Theophile and Aldea (Blais)

June 2	Illegitimate	
June 2	Gilbert Donald Picard	Henri Joseph and Lucy (Therault)
June 4	James Sowle Manchester Jr.	James Sowle and Virginia Alice (Frederickson)
June 4	_____ Raposa	Manuel and Alice (Pacheco)
June 6	John Allen Boan	Alton Allen and Isabel S. (Harrop)
June 11	Robert Emile Paquette	Emile and Jeannette (Labrecque)
June 26	Roger Donald Gendreau	Albert J. and Aldea (Charron)
July 7	Robert David Kelley	Paul Michael and Lois (Nickerson)
July 11	_____ Hasson	James Albert and Helen (Archibald)
July 28	Kenneth Albert Webb	Edwin C. and Helen (Lund)
Aug. 12	Margaret Evelyn Rosinha	Antone and Margaret (Charrette)
Aug. 19	Joan Bradford Reed	Gardner W. and Hazel (Morrison)
Aug. 22	John Doherty	John and Mary (Orr)
Aug. 29	Leon Emile Thomas	
Aug. 31	_____ Theroux	Raoul J. and Marie Paule (Poutre)
Aug. 31	Gertrude Ann Vincent	Romeo and Annie (Wharmby)
Aug. 31	James William Hancock, Jr.	James Wm. and Lucy B. (Kirby)
Sept. 6	Normand Blanchette	Jean B. and Rosanna (Houte)
Sept. 6	Armand Blanchette	Jean B. and Rosanna (Houte)
Sept. 14	Elsie Grillo	Manuel and Mary (Cambra)
Sept. 15	John Vincent	Antone and Mary (Nordeste)
Sept. 22	Lorraine Cambra	Albert and Althea L. (Hart)
Sept. 25	Charles Leslie Davis	Charles Leslie and Nilda (Jean)
Sept. 25	Lynwood Sharples	Edward and Winifred (Gifford)
Oct. 1	Joyce Rebecca Borden	Frank M. S. and Rosella (Mosher)
Oct. 8	Robert Anthony Vieira	Antone C. and Ambrosia (Mello)
Oct. 10	Lorraine Amaral	Antone and Amelia (Perry)
Oct. 13	Raymond Walter Wood	Floyd and Ruth (Chateaneuf)
Oct. 27	Francisco Edward Sarlo	Francisco and Marie Louise (Picard)
Nov. 12	Richard Cambra	Joseph and Emily (Moniz)
Nov. 21	Robert Ladd Thorpe	John Bradford and Marion Ethel (Petty)
Dec. 4	Francis Enos Cotta, Jr.	Francis Enos and Della May (Moura)
Dec. 24	Mattie White	David and Abby (Howland)

In compliance with Section 15, Chapter 46 of the General Laws, notice is hereby given that the Town Clerk will furnish to parents, householders, physicians and registered hospital medical officers, who apply therefor, blanks for the return of births.

DEATHS

REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1939

Date 1939		Name of Deceased	Y.	Age M.	D.
Jan.	2	Francisca Faria Mederios	50	7	
	4	Arthur Restcome Cornell	57		27
	5	Philomene Levesque	74		
	13	Harold Remington Barker	56	4	19
	21	Anna M. Rasmusson	75		
	28	Rebecca Howland	88	2	16
Feb.	9	Francisco Roderiques	66		
	12	George Henry Kent	77	5	0
Mar.	2	Marie Louise Ouellette	47	6	18
	4	Mary Eliza Brownell	67	1	22
	11	Thomas Elmer Lawton	59	1	16
	12	William Francis Harticon	49	9	7
	21	Helen Brownell	71		
	26	Stillborn			
	29	Mabel Louise King	61	8	15
Apr.	29	Edward Mason Earle	81	2	19
	3	Emma Elnora Wood	86	4	12
	4	Walter W. Gifford	25	4	10
	8	Sarah Elizabeth Reynolds	91	9	14
	10	Joseph C. Mello	51		
	11	Eliza McNally			
	18	Louisa J. Cunningham	65	6	28
	18	Molly Allen Russell	52	10	13
May	3	Beriah E. Borden	58	11	15
	5	Lumina Blais	81		
	21	Rose A. Riley	62		
	23	Carvalho			
	29	Barton Frederick Manchester	71	7	7
June	2	Fannie Chandler Springer	74	0	20
	7	Catherine Armitage	72	7	29
	9	Mary Perry	50		

	11	Joseph Poirier	52	11	14
	13	Joseph Brisbois	56		
July	14	Antonio Pacheco	58		
	17	Pierre Bernier	54	11	6
	21	Robert W. Stockbridge	55	1	4
Aug.	2	Joshua Wordell	77	11	14
	14	Helen D. Dexter	64	5	7
	18	Laura Ann Sherman	64	10	19
	26	Kate Lucia Grinnell	88	9	6
Sept.	1	Mathilde Brierly	64	7	11
	10	Mary P. Pacheco	49	5	5
	20	Alice G. W. Sampson	61	10	12
	22	William F. Mason	33	9	21
	22	William Franklin Holmes	66	10	10
	28	Joas Raposo Camara	53		
Oct.	3	Olive DeMello	9	9	5
	7	Mary Ellen Cabral	3	8	19
	9	Celamire Boler	80	3	
	13	Horace Monroe Gibson	86	8	20
	15	Mary Atelia Young	68	7	5
	17	Jose Texeira	95		
	22	Pauline Osga	70		
Nov.	8	Marie Poirier	76		
	14	Sarah Alice Howarth	72	4	2
	29	Sarah Ann Dixon	73	1	14
Dec.	3	Bertha Moore Cunneen	33	0	18
	4	Emma Ruth Tripp	79	1	24
	9	Rene Cantin	47	7	6
	19	Luther J. Shepley	63	6	23
	22	Marlene Avis Smart		5	20

MARRIAGES

REGISTERED IN WESTPORT FOR 1939

- Jan. 2. At Westport, Oscar Edward Olson, Jr. of Dartmouth and Esther MacDonald Adams of Warrensburg, N. Y., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Jan. 7. At Westport, Raymond Chester Palmer and Hazel Thelma Tripp, both of Westport, by Frank H. Gardner, Clergyman.
- Jan. 12. At New Bedford, William James Sadler and Katherine Belle Donaghy, both of Westport, by Charles S. Thurber, Clergyman.
- Jan. 24. At Westport, Granville A. Tripp and Abby A. McNalley, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Feb. 2. At Westport, Manuel Benevides Souza, Jr, and Annie Iskow, both of Dartmouth, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Feb. 9. At Westport, Gardner W. Reed and Hazel G. Morrison, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Feb. 18. At Westport, Norman Albert Doninger and Lois Veronica Fielding, both of New Bedford, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Feb. 22. At Westport, Lynwood M. Tripp and Lorena M. Emery, both of Westport, by Claude H. Curtis, Clergyman.
- Mar. 21. At Westport, Lewis W. Russell and Marion E. Jellison, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.

- Apr. 2. At Westport, Henry W. Cotton and Ruth M. Watts, both of Providence, R. I., by Claude H. Curtis, Clergyman.
- Apr. 2. At Westport, Harold J. Mulvey and Irene L. Watson, both of Providence, R. I., by Claude H. Curtis, Clergyman.
- Apr. 8. At Fall River, John C. Mello and Martha Jackson, both of Westport, by Henry Arnold, Minister of the Gospel.
- Apr. 9. At Taunton, David S. Lawton and Thelma C. Tripp, both of Westport, by Edgar J. Curry, Minister of the Gospel.
- Apr. 10. At Westport, Harold Shorrock and Delia Labonte, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Apr. 15. At Westport, Albert L. Laprise and Amelia Wilks, both of Westport, by Claude H. Curtis, Clergyman.
- Apr. 19. At Fall River, Thomas W. Hammond of Westport and Carolyn L. McCarthy of Fall River, by James A. Coyle, Priest.
- Apr. 19. At Fall River, Joseph Perreira Pacheco of Fall River and Mary Rego Nicolau of Westport, by M. S. Travassos, Priest.
- Apr. 19. At Fall River, Earl W. Simmons of Westport and Mabel Howarth of Fall River, by W. Harold Deacon, Clergyman.
- Apr. 22. At Westport, Domingos Silvia, Jr. of Fall River and Mary Vincent of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.

- Apr. 24. At Dartmouth, William F. King and Mabel E. Dean, both of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- May 20. At Westport, Raymond T. Smith and Dorothy Beatrice Jack, both of Dighton, by Clinton E. Bromley, Minister of the Gospel.
- May 27. At Dartmouth, Michael A. Cetola, Jr. of Fall River and Irene Eva Cantin of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- May 30. At New Bedford, Leo G. Phenix of Westport and Annette Coulombe of New Bedford, by Roland W. Decosse, Priest.
- May 30. At Westport, Arthur Wilfrid Surprenant of Dartmouth and Kathleen Clara Hutchinson of New Bedford, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- May 30. At Little Compton R. I., Lloyd Wilson Nourse of Fall River and Fernley Dawn Chace of Westport, by R. E. Durkee, Clergyman.
- June 1. At Westport, Edward Noel Kennedy and Maybelle Dolores Dearing, both of Dartmouth, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- June 12. At Hingham, Erling J. Westberg of Warwick, R. I., and Gertrude C. Macomber of Westport, by J. L. Butler, Clergyman.
- June 17. At Westport, Jean Baptiste Normandin of Fall River and Frances Agnes Zembo of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- June 17. At Dartmouth, Manuel R. Rezendes of Fall River and Beatrice Cardoza of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.

- June 17. At Fall River, Norman Robinson of Westport and Bernadette Goyette of Fall River, by William E. Collard, Priest.
- June 19. At Westport, Louis P. Bensen and Mildred R. Lake, both of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.
- June 19. At Fall River, Francis J. Cabral of Westport and Florence C. Perry of Fall River, by George C. Maxwell, Priest.
- June 24. At Athol, Richard F. Bailey of Falmouth and Mildred I. Collins of Westport, by Daniel I. Gross, Clergyman.
- June 24. At Westport, Anthony E. Petti of Newark, N.J., and Mary Travers of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.
- June 26. At Westport, Anthony Marshall and Dorothy Smith, both of Westport, by Claude H. Curtis, Clergyman.
- July 1. At New Bedford, Elbridge E. Wood, Jr. of Westport and Lois Gorham Macy of New Bedford, by Dale Dutton, Minister.
- July 3. At Westport, Thomas J. Dolan and Mary L. Gilligan, both of Fall River, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- July 4. At Dartmouth, Rene J. Lajeunesse of Hartford, Conn., and Marie B. Doris Gagnon of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- July 8. At New Bedford, Charles Thomas Blank and Rebecca Matilda O'Grady, both of Westport, by Charles S. Thurber, Clergyman.

- July 17. At Westport, Harold Westgate of Dartmouth, and Faith Dow of Fall River, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- July 20. At Westport, Edmond Beaulieu and Etta L. Pettingill, both of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.
- July 22. At New Bedford, John B. Sylvia Jr. of Westport and Agnes Borges Pacheco of New Bedford, by Antonio P. Vieira, Priest.
- July 24. At Westport, Royal Kenton Smith of Little Compton, R. I., and Mary Elizabeth Cummings of Dartmouth, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Aug. 5. At Fall River, Walter Joseph Sampson of Westport and Rita Anita Martel of Fall River, by J. A. Cournoyer, Priest.
- Aug. 13. At Westport, Arthur B. Stone and Alice V. Alves, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Aug. 14. At Westport, William Henry Green of New Bedford and Imelda Ste. Marie of Dartmouth, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Aug. 30. At Westport, Edwin L. Potter III and Blanche C. Sinicrope, both of Wallingford, Conn., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 2. At Dartmouth, Albert Cardoza of Westport and Pauline Perry of Dartmouth, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.

- Sept. 2. At Fall River, Allen B. Davis of Westport and Gladys E. Blake of Fall River, by James R. Burns, Priest.
- Sept. 2. At Fall River, Winston S. Davis of Westport and Dora E. Sexton of Fall River, by W. Harold Deacon, Clergyman.
- Sept. 2. At Fall River, Adelard Hamel and Mary I. Mello, both of Westport, by Manuel S. Travassos, Priest.
- Sept. 2. At Dartmouth, William B. Mailloux and Mary E. Turek, both of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Sept. 3. At Plymouth, Clifton Emerson Dwelly of Westport and Margaret Esther Armstrong of Fairhaven, by Carl Knudsen, Clergyman.
- Sept. 9. At Dartmouth, Augustine Cabral of Westport and Mary Elizabeth Stanton of Dartmouth, by John F. Broderick, Priest.
- Sept. 9. At Needham, Clarence E. Hammond of Westport and F. Sylvia Steadman of Milton, by H. Hamlin Hall, Clergyman.
- Sept. 12. At Westport, Lewis A. Santos and Irene E. Wood, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk .
- Sept. 16. At Fall River, Raoul Blanchette of Westport and Lillian Valentine Christian of Fall River, by J. A. Cournoyer, Priest.
- Sept. 18. At Westport, Carlton M. Wood and Marion N. Brown, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.

- Sept. 20. At Westport, Myron A. Tripp and Phyllis M. Palmer, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 21. At Westport, William McKay Allan and Mildred Mora Smith, both of Newport, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 21. At Westport, Joseph E. Massey of Fall River and Bernadette Beaulieu of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.
- Sept. 23. At Westport, Joseph F. Prior of Providence, R. I., and Dorothy M. Clark of West Warwick, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 29. At Westport, Raymond Jackson Burt of Somerset and Helen Eleanor Shattuck of Johnson, Vermont, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 30. At Fall River, Alfred Lewis of Westport and Georgianna Machado of Fall River, by Manuel S. Travassos, Priest.
- Oct. 12. At New Bedford, Frederick A. Stowell and Florence M. Moss, both of Westport,, by Harvey K. Mousley, Minister.
- Oct. 14. At Newport, R. I., Harold Francis Nye of Westport and Margaret Alice Hodgson of Newport, R. I., by Harold St. G. Burrill, Minister.
- Oct. 19. At Westport, Gale P. Newell and Irene Lillian Battene, both of Newport, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.

- Oct. 21. At Westport, Howard Franklin Harris, Jr. and Evelyn Barbara Smaski, both of North Attleborough, by W. J. Huneycutt, Clergyman.
- Oct. 21. At Somerset, Carlton W. Nickerson and Anna D. Donnelly, both of Westport, by Felix S. Childs, Priest.
- Oct. 21. At Westport, Frank R. Wrigley and Dorothy A. Klippell, both of North Providence, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Oct. 23. At Dartmouth, Emile Laliberte of Fall River and Estelle B. Clement of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Oct. 24. At Fall River, Stanley Sekonda of Westport and Anita Berthiaume of Fall River, by William E. Collard, Priest.
- Oct. 29. At Westport, Joseph A. R. Racett and Cornelia A. Smith, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Nov. 11. At Fall River, Eddie L. Barnaby of Westport and Noella Matton of Fall River, by Philippe Ross, Priest.
- Nov. 11. At Westport, Wilfred A. Brousseau of Fall River and Alice N. Sylvia of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.
- Nov. 11. At Dartmouth, John A. Simoes of Fall River and Lucy S. Medeiros of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Nov. 11. At Fall River, John Zembo of Westport and Lillian M. McDonald of Fall River, by James J. Gerrard, Priest.

- Nov. 13. At Dartmouth, John W. Prendergast and Valna Pariseau, both of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Nov. 24. At Westport, Arthur Laplante and Dora LaBonte, both of Fall River, by W. J. Huneycutt, Clergyman.
- Nov. 30. At Dartmouth, J. Antone Martin of Fall River and Mary Duarte of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Nov. 30. At Westport, Manuel M. Silvia of Fall River and Beatrice L. Silvia of Westport, by Patrick H. Hurley, Priest.
- Dec. 2. At Westport, George A. Case of Little Compton, R. I., and Virginia R. Borden of Westport, by Stanley H. Martin, Minister.
- Dec. 14. At Westport, Francis A. Tubley and Isabel F. Johnson, both of Newport, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Dec. 30. At Dartmouth, Omer G. LePage of Norwich, Conn., and Beatrice Roy of Westport, by Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.

LICENSES

Hunting and Fishing Licenses were issued as follows during the year 1939:

Resident Citizens' Fishing Licenses	4
Resident Citizens' Hunting Licenses	110
Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses	6
Resident Citizens' (Female) Fishing Licenses	1
Resident Citizens' Trapping Licenses	1
Sporting Licenses to persons over 70 years of age	14
Non-Resident (3 day) Fishing Licenses	2
Non-Resident Citizens' Fishing Licenses	1
Non-Resident Citizens' Hunting Licenses	3
Non-Resident Citizens' Sporting Licenses	1
Lobster Licenses	8

DOG LICENSES

From January 1, 1939 to December 31, 1939

Total number of licenses issued:

397 Males @ \$2.00	\$794.00
60 Females @ \$5.00	300.00
21 Spayed Females @ \$2.00	42.00
1 Kennel License @ \$50.00	50.00
3 Kennel Licenses @ \$25.00	75.00

Total	\$1,261.00
Clerk's Fees	96.40

Amount paid Town Treasurer \$1,164.60

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. MACOMBER,
Town Clerk.

LANDING COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

The Board organized in March 1939, with Ralph E. Gifford, Chairman and George L. Greenwood, Clerk.

The Treasurer's report will show the receipts and payments during the past year.

RALPH E. GIFFORD
GEORGE L. GREENWOOD
SAMUEL A. BOAN
ALBERT E. LEES

Landing Commissioners
of Westport.

CASH

Balance, January 1, 1939	\$2,699.62	
Received from leases and interest on deposits	118.15	
		\$2,817.77
Balances—December 31, 1939.		
Horseneck Beach Landing	\$2,135.94	
Horseneck Point Landing	76.97	
Head Landing	.15	
Westport Point Landing	428.84	
Hix Bridge Landing	114.37	
		\$2,756.27
Expenditures 1939—Head Landing	46.50	
Expenditures 1939 H. Beach Landing	15.00	
		\$2,817.77

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Public Landing Revenue, December 31, 1939	\$69.00
Horseneck Beach Landing	\$40.00
Head Landing	29.00
	\$69.00

ALEXANDER WALSH,
Treasurer, Landing Commissioners.
ELMER B. MANCHESTER Jr.,
Town Accountant.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen respectfully submit the following report from their records of the past year. The Board organized March 14, 1939 with George W. Russell, Chairman and Clifton E. Dwelly, Clerk.

APPOINTMENTS

Were made as follows, viz:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Walter F. King; Registrar of Voters for three years, Joseph Smith; Chief of Police, Charles H. Dean; Chief of Fire Department, Lynwood F. Potter; Inspector of Animals, Dr. William W. Kirby and Norman W. Kirby; Forest Warden, Lynwood F. Potter; Public Weigher, Leo Samson; Fence Viewers, William W. Howland, Arthur L. Lawton, and John P. Azevedo; Dog Officer, Charles H. Dean; Inspector of Buildings, J. Henry Hanson Jr.; Supt. of Beech Grove Cemetery, Thomas W. Lees; Burial Agent, Kenneth A. Potter; Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Agent, John L. Duffany; Town Counsel, Arthur E. Seagrave.

AUCTIONEER'S LICENSES

Were granted to Frank R. Slocum and John F. McDonald.

SUNDAY LICENSES

Licenses for the sale of Ice Cream, Confectionery, Soda Water and Fruit on the Lord's Day. Thirty-four were issued.

COMMON VICTUALLER'S LICENSES

Twenty-four were issued.

JUNK COLLECTOR'S LICENSES

Issued to Simon Rachlin.

HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS LICENSES

Were granted to Mary Arruda, John S. Hambly, Henry D. Langill and H. Walter Wilcox.

BOWLING LICENSES

None issued.

POOL LICENSES

Issued Roland O. Forand.

SLAUGHTERHOUSE LICENSES

Were granted to David Kavolsky, John F. McDonald, Charles R. Wood and Isaac Tripp.

BONDS

During the year the Board has approved the following bonds, viz: Edward L. Macomber, Town Clerk, \$1,000; George Norman, Collector of Taxes, \$28,200; Alexander Walsh, Treasurer, \$31,900; Richard J. Shorrock, Deputy Collector of Taxes, \$1,000.00.

LIQUOR LICENSES

License for the sale of Wines and Beer was granted to Ali Abedin.

Licenses to sell all kinds of alcoholic beverages were granted to Laura Allen, Hi-Way Casino Enterprises, Inc., George F. Kent, Red Mill Cafe, Inc., and Village Barn, Inc.

Seasonal licenses to sell all kinds of alcoholic beverages were granted to Elzear Plante, Stacia Jerzik and Grace P. Bannister and Marion A. Chace jointly.

Club license to sell Wines and Beer to members only was granted to the Acoaxet Club.

Package Goods license to sell bottled goods was issued to William N. Montigny.

GEORGE W. RUSSELL
CLIFTON E. DWELLY
JOHN A. SMITH

Board of Selectmen.

LIST OF JURORS

NAME	Occupation	Residence
Alty, Reuben F.	Chauffeur	Westport
Amaral, Frank	Salesman	Westport
Amaral, Manuel, Jr.	Farmer	Westport
Austin, Forrest	Laborer	Westport
Berard, William N.	Laborer	Westport
Blais, Rene	Laborer	Westport
Borden, Christopher	Tree Warden	No. Westport
Burton, Frank C.	Florist	Westport
Christopher, Ethelbert	Laborer	Westport
Coggeshall, Everett N.	Plumber	Westport Harbor
Davis, Stephen B.	Farmer	No. Westport
Dechene, Joseph	Laborer	Westport
Desjardin, Napoleon	Mason	Westport
Donovan, John E., Jr.	Dairyman	Westport
Dutton, Joseph F.	Steamfitter	No. Westport
Feenan, Bernard C.	Carpenter	Westport
Gifford, Charles T.	Carpenter	So. Westport
Gifford, David E.	Laborer	No. Westport
Gifford, Mark C.	Mailcarrier	So. Westport
Gifford, Ralph E.	Poultryman	So. Westport
Harrop, Frank E.	Retired	Westport
Harwood, Thomas J.	Clerk	No. Westport
Kent, Frederick E.	Laborer	Westport
Macomber, John	Laborer	Westport
Manchester Lysander W.	Insurance Agent	Westport Harbor
Meador, Daniel E.	Farmer	Westport Harbor
Ouellette, Louis J.	Carpenter	No. Westport
Pierce, Charles A.	Farmer	So. Westport
Potter, Abram J.	Carpenter	Central Village
Potter, Alston J.	Salesman	Central Village
Read, W. Clinton	Realtor	Westport Point
Sherman, Andrew W.	Garage Prop.	Westport
Shurtleff, Harry V.	Carpenter	Central Village
Smith, Joseph	Grocer	No. Westport
Smith, Ralph A.	Poultryman	Westport
Travers, Joseph	Laborer	Westport
Tripp, Ephriam E.	Farmer	Westport

Tripp, Herbert M.	Salesman	No. Westport
Tripp, Ralph W.	Dairyman	No. Westport
Vieira, Antone C., Jr.	Farmer	Westport
Waite, Norman A.	Florist	Westport
Whalon, Lester C.	Poultryman	Westport Factory
Whittle, Joseph	Steamfitter	Westport
Wing, Cecil O.	Farmer	So. Westport

GEORGE W. RUSSELL,
CLIFTON E. DWELLY,
JOHN A. SMITH,
Board of Selectmen.

**LIST OF JURORS DRAWN DURING
THE PAST YEAR**

Joseph Deschene, Bernard C. Feenan, William N.
Berard, Norman A. Waite, Joseph Travers, Joseph
Smith, Ephriam E. Tripp.

SELECTMEN, POLICE, SCHOOL, FIRE, AND OTHER DEPARTMENTAL RECOMMENDATIONS

Moderator	\$ 20.00
Selectmen	1,850.00
Assessors	2,900.00
Treasurer	2,900.00
Collector	3,000.00
Accountant	1,550.00
Law Department	350.00
Town Clerk	900.00
Engineering	200.00
Election and Registration	2,000.00
Town Hall Maintenance	3,000.00
Platting	1,000.00
Landing Commissioners	45.00
Police Department	9,000.00
Fire Department	2,050.00
Permanent Men	3,200.00
Remuneration of Firemen	750.00
Purchase of Hose	300.00
Forest Fires	600.00
Moth Suppression	500.00
Tree Warden	400.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	200.00
Fish Commissioners	15.00
Health and Sanitation	3,800.00
Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital	4,019.26
District Nurse	1,800.00
Highways and Bridges	25,600.00
Street Lighting	3,000.00
Traffic Signal	714.00
Drawtender	75.00
Public Welfare	22,000.00

Old Age Assistance	27,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children	3,500.00
Soldiers Benefits	2,000.00
Education	66,000.00
Household Arts	1,850.00
Agricultural	3,500.00
Adult Alien	400.00
Continuation and Out-of-Town Voc. Schools	1,000.00
Maintenance of High School Auditorium	75.00
Unclassified Bills	350.00
Unpaid Bills	588.80
Memorial Day	150.00
Insurance	3,200.00
Dog Officer	75.00
Legion Hall Maintenance	100.00
W. P. A. Expenses	7,400.00
Beech Grove Cemetery	2,300.00
Care of Soldiers and Sailors Graves and Lots	200.00
Interest	2,200.00
Maturing Debt	8,400.00
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	\$228,027.06

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

January 9, 1940

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Mr. George W. Russell, Chairman,
Westport, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Building Inspector
for the year of 1939.

Owners appraisals as given:

13 New Houses, Year Round Homes	\$19,800.00
17 Rebuilt Houses from Hurricane Damage	9,700.00
56 Summer Houses and Camps	68,184.00
4 Bath Houses for Public Use	13,000.00
4 Pavilions & Lunch Rooms	3,850.00
40 Garages	9,635.00
37 Barns, Hen Houses and Small Buildings	10,725.00
30 Alterations on Buildings	15,300.00
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	\$150,194.00

We have had a very prosperous building year of
Summer Homes that range in price from \$1,000.00
dollars to \$11,800.00 dollars.

Fees collected \$279.00

Approximate number of miles driven 3,000.

Respectfully yours,

J. HENRY HANSON Jr.,
Building Inspector.

BOARD OF GOVERNMENT

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY

The undersigned respectfully submit the following report as required by Article 1 of the By-Laws. Edward L. Macomber was authorized to sell lots in said cemetery and write deeds for the same.

The superintendent's report will show the number of lots sold and those for sale.

GEORGE W. RUSSELL,
CLIFTON E. DWELLY,
JOHN A. SMITH,
Board of Government of
Beech Grove Cemetery.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

The Board of Assessors respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1939. Organized with John F. MacDonald, Chairman, and Fred T. Webb, Secretary.

STATEMENT OF TAXATION

Total amount of appropriations	\$217,263.97
Total appropriations voted to be taken from available funds in 1939	\$14,550.00
In 1938 since tax rate was fixed	15,585.00
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	30,135.00

\$247,398.97

Overlay Deficit, Levy 1932	\$ 4.68
Overlay Deficit, Levy 1933	3.90
Overlay Deficit, Levy 1934	115.20
Overlay Deficit, Levy 1935	136.16
Veterans' Exemptions, 1939	.78
Veterans' Exemptions, 1938	.78
State Tax, 1939	15,840.00
Underestimated State Tax, 1938	7,920.00
Auditing Tax	147.27
Park Tax, 1939	274.07
Underestimated Park Tax, 1938	17.13
Mosquito Control Work, 1938	1,000.00
County Tax	9,598.84
Overlay (current year)	4,228.42
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	39,287.23

\$286,686.20

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax	\$15,308.78
Corporation Tax	2,218.64
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	8,000.00
Chapter 504, 1939	13,475.47
Licenses	5,000.00

Fines	325.00
Protection of Persons and Property	107.00
Health and Sanitation	1,000.00
Charities	3,880.00
Old Age Assistance	14,500.00
Soldiers' Benefits	180.00
Schools	2,788.90
Cemeteries	500.00
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	2,700.00
Rent in Lieu of Taxes	1,750.00

Total estimated receipts \$71,733.79

Available funds—Authority of

Commissioner 43,227.68

\$114,961.47

Net amount raised by taxation on polls
and property

\$171,724.73

Number of polls, 1376 @ \$2.00

2,752.00

Total valuation, \$4,746,425.—Tax rate \$35.60

Property tax

168,972.73

Motor Vehicle Excise Tax

7,862.43

Total Amount of added polls and property tax

December, 1939

359.41

STATISTICS

Assessed valuation, Jan. 1, 1939

\$4,746,425

Value of real estate, Jan. 1, 1939, buildings

2,671,275

Value of real estate, Jan. 1, 1939, land

1,640,725

Total amount of real estate

4,312,000

Amount of personal estate, Jan. 1, 1939

434,425

Total amount of M. V. Excise Tax for
year 1939

7,862.43

Number of polls assessed Jan. 1, 1939

1,376

Total number of Motor Vehicles assessed 1939

1,660

Number of horses assessed Jan. 1, 1939

221

Number of cows assessed Jan. 1, 1939	1,996
Number of other cattle assessed Jan. 1, 1939	187
Number of swine assessed Jan. 1, 1939	655
Number of fowl assessed Jan. 1, 1939	27,135
Number of dwellings assessed Jan. 1, 1939	1,428
Number of acres of land assessed Jan. 1, 1939	29,675
Number of persons assessed on property— real and personal	2,130
Value of stock in trade assessed Jan. 1, 1939	11,500
Value of machinery assessed Jan. 1, 1939	77,175
Value of live stock assessed Jan. 1, 1939	157,475
Value of all other tangible personal property assessed Jan. 1, 1939	188,275
Value of automobiles assessed in 1939	258,200
Real Estate assessed in December 1939	6,725
Polls added in December	60
Amount of tax levied in December	\$239.41
Number of dogs returned	444
As a result of the hurricane and tidal wave of Sept. 21, 1938, the Town suffered a loss of taxable property in the following amounts:—	
Land and buildings—Westport Harbor	\$253,625
Land and building—Horseneck Beach	596,350
At Westport Point and along the rivers	5,925
Personal property in the several localities	55,650
	<hr/> \$911,200

JOHN F. MacDONALD, Chairman
FRED T. WEBB, Secretary
ARTHUR V. TRIPP

WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION

Report of W. P. A. Projects, Jan. 1, to Dec. 31, 1939

Road Project, (Pine Hill & Old County Roads).

Jan. 1st. to June 6th. Employing 50 to 96 men. Total Payroll \$23,747.02. Continuation of project as of last year. Continued widening road, cutting corners and removing all rocks and stumps along side of roads back to the stone wall. Grubbing and grading same from Old County Road to Akin's Corner. Also cut all brush and trees and removed a large amount of rocks on both sides of Old County Road from Pine Hill Road to Dartmouth line. When completed this was to have been a 20' Macadam roadway, but due to the lack of funds for tar we could not complete this project.

Road Project, (Davis and Old Bedford Roads).

June 8th. to July 23rd. Employing 30 to 50 men. Total Payroll \$4,047.39. Cut and burnt brush along both sides of roads. Excavated 800 cubic yards of rocks and pulled out and removed approximately 350 stumps. Project closed by Government officials. Was to have removed all rocks, stumps and cleared, grubbed and graded roadside areas.

Beech Grove Cemetery Project

July 24th. to Oct. 29th. Employing 35 to 40 men. Total Payroll \$6,455.95. Completed 196' of walks 4' wide, 330' of drives 20' wide, excavated 3' deep and filled in with stone 415' of drives ready for gravel top. Excavated 4' deep removing all stumps and rocks, and filling with loam, graded ready for seeding in spring. One plot 196' x 40' and one plot 283' x 45' ready for burial lots.

Forestry Project (Horseneck Beach).

Oct. 20th. to Nov. 12th. Employing 25 to 35 men. Total Payroll \$919.18. Cleared and burnt 10 acres of

brush and slash at Horseneck Point. We would like to have cleared and burnt all debris at Horseneck left by the hurricane but this was all we were allowed to do with Federal Funds.

Sidewalk Projects, (Westport Harbor and Point).

April 17th. to Dec. 29th. Employing 15 to 35 men. Total Payroll \$13,762.58. Completed concrete sidewalks at Westport Harbor. 408' on east side of Acoaxet Street from Town Avenue to Macombers Store; 282' on east side of Acoaxet Street from Atlantic Avenue to Beach Avenue; 336' on North side of Beach Avenue from Acoaxet Street east; and 540' on west side of Atlantic Avenue from Remington Street west. all 3' wide.

At Westport Point put in 4,123' of curbstone, 180 square yards of concrete aprons and 1,858 square yards of concrete sidewalks. Due to the weather we had to leave about 465' of sidewalks and curbstone unfinished until spring. When completed will have concrete sidewalks 4' wide and curbstone on both sides of Westport Point Road from Point Bridge to Drift Road. Project to resume operations in spring.

Sewing Project

Jan. 1st. to Dec. 31st. Employing 8 to 11 women. Total Payroll \$6,455.10. Garments made: 438 nightgowns, girls; 999 nightgowns, womens; 265 slips, girls; 54 slips, womens; 12 bloomers, girls; 508 pajamas, girls; 4,455 shirts, mens; total number of garments 6,731. Project still in operation.

Federal Surplus Commodity Distribution Center

Jan. 1st. to Dec. 31st. Employing 2 persons. Total Payroll approximately \$1,700.00.

The following articles were issued from the Federal Surplus Commodity Distribution Center during the year: 850 lbs. dried apples, 18,024 lbs. fresh apples, 18,276 lbs. butter, 10,069 lbs. wheat cereal, 23,580 lbs. corn meal, 12,058½ lbs. graham flour, 36,962 lbs. wheat flour, 7,328 lbs. oranges, 1,995 lbs. tomatoes, 1,252

lbs. carrots, 4,061 lbs. sweet potatoes, 11,929 lbs. hubbard squash, 2,808 lbs. rolled oats, 1,800 lbs. rice, 4,007 lbs. fresh cabbage, 20,669 lbs. fresh grapefruit, 8,273 cans grapefruit juice, 8,761 cans evaporated milk, 2,600 lbs. dry skim milk, 9,054 lbs. prunes, 11,551 lbs. dried beans and 7,019 articles of clothing.

Road Project, (Main Road)

Nov. 1st. to Dec. 31st. Employing 45 to 70 men. Total Payroll \$5,777.72. Cut and burnt all brush, cut trees, blew and pulled out approximately 900 stumps. At present removing rocks, widening road and filling in with gravel base fill.

Project is to widen roadbed from the present average width of 18 ft. to an average width of 24 ft. from Old County Road to Cornell Road. Eliminating all possible curves. Project still in operations.

Gypsy Moth Project

Jan. 1st. to June 25th. Employing 20 to 40 men. Total Payroll \$8,490.34. Cut out, burnt and destroyed Tent Caterpillars. Painted Gypsy Moth Egg Clusters with Creosote in approximately 900 acres of woodland and sprayed along approximately 100 miles of roads in Town. Also cut out and burnt brush along both sides of John Reed Road at a width of 50 ft. in from the road. Similar project now in operation for 1940.

The Total salaries paid under Work Projects Administration Funds amounted to \$71,354.28.

At the present time we have 66 men working on the Main Road Project, 35 men on the Gypsy Moth Project, 22 men on the School project and 13 women on the Sewing project, also 2 men at the Commissary project a total of 138 persons with a total weekly payroll of \$1,879.80.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. HOWLAND,
Sponsor's Agent.

BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health respectfully submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1939:

The Board organized with Dr. E. W. Burt as chairman and Edward L. Macomber as secretary.

John C. Partington, John L. Duffany and Edward S. Francis were appointed Inspectors of Slaughtering.

Mrs. Sybil L. Mercer was engaged as Public Health Nurse and Miss Elizabeth A. Davis and Grace De Andrade as substitute nurses.

Charles R. Wood was appointed as Agent Inspector of Garbage Collection and Equipment.

Dr. E. W. Burt was appointed as Supervisor of the Public Health Nurse and to have charge of the Dental Clinic.

There were issued during the year 39 Burial Permits, 40 Milk Licenses, 4 Alcohol Licenses, and 19 Garbage Licenses.

The following diseases dangerous to the public health were reported :

Chicken Pox 2, Dog Bite 5, Bacillary Dysentery 3, Measles 3, Pulmonary Tuberculosis 2, Scarlet Fever 1, Septic Sore Throat 1.

Report of the Public Health Nurse for 1939

Board of Health,
Westport, Massachusetts.
Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following as a report of the nursing service for the year 1939.

Total number of visits	2559
Total number of visits to	
Non-Communicable Cases	1147
Crippled Children Service	8
Acute Communicable Cases	10
	35

Syphilis	4
Gonorrhea	1
Tuberculosis	11
Ante-partum	74
Delivery	1
Post-partum	101
Newborn	82
Infants over 1 month	167
Pre-school	71
School	34
Adult	282
Social Service	205
Visits to Hospital Clinics	11
Patients not found	30
Cases not taken up	27
Consultations:	
Dr. Burt	301
Others	32

3 children conveyed to Bristol County Summer Camp and return.

August 11, 1939 a vaccination clinic was held in the Greenwood Park School. 36 children were vaccinated. Follow up visits were made to the homes to check up on these children.

The W. P. A. Commissary by its contribution of fruits and cereals have made a noticeable improvement in the physical condition of the recipients.

Acknowledgement is made of the receipt of Thanksgiving and Christmas Baskets, Clothing and Toys.

May I express my appreciation of the cooperation of the Board of Health and other Town Officials and particularly Dr. Burt for his constant supervision and guidance. Also to Miss Christine B. Higgins of the State Department for her many valuable suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

SYBIL L. MERCER, R. N.

Several years ago, following the occurrence of typhoid at the East Horseneck Beach, the Board of Health began to collect the garbage from this Beach because there was no place either on the premises or in front or behind there to dispose of it. Following this there was a demand for the same service from the West Beach and Cadman's Neck, Westport Harbor, and Westport Point, with increasing expense to the town.

Within the last year other sections of the town, not limited to summer residents, have requested that their garbage be collected. They submit that there is no reason why, that as taxpayers there, all the year round residents should not be entitled to the same privileges as the summer residents. They argue that the summer people have all the privileges that they do and that, like the summer people, the majority have no children attending school and that the summer people have their garbage collected at the expense of the town while they have to dispose of theirs at their own expense.

It would seem that the time had come for the town to decide whether this service should be given only to summer residents or whether the year round resident had as much right to have his garbage collected at the expense of the town as the summer resident. This service covering the whole of the town would be an expensive matter and will not be possible with the ordinary appropriation given to the Board of Health. There is also some question as to whether this service should be given to anybody at the expense of the town. It is understood that in Dartmouth this service is performed by a private individual who is paid by those from whom the garbage is collected and that the only interest the Board of Health has in that town is to see that it is carried in proper vehicles and that it is disposed of in a sanitary way.

The Board of Health is not only willing but anxious to serve, not only the summer residents, but the entire population of the town in disposing of garbage. This is a matter for the people of the town to decide for themselves and an article will be inserted in the warrant for the purpose of determining whether the voters of the town wish the Board of Health to collect the garbage from everyone living in Westport or for only the summer residents and whether this should be done at the expense of those who receive the service or at the expense of the town. If at the expense of the town it will be necessary to make a substantial appropriation for this purpose.

The appropriation of the Board of Health was cut about one third last year with the result that we were forced to discontinue the Dental Clinic. It seems to the Board that this is a matter which should be acted on separately from the other appropriation for the Board of Health so that this year an article will be inserted in the warrant so that the voters can express their opinion whether this service should be continued and if so what extra appropriation should be made for the purpose. We feel that this is a tremendously important service rendered at a very reasonable expenditure. The Board, however, feels that every case treated should be asked to pay a small fee.

Attention is called to the report of the Community Nurse and particularly to the various types of service rendered; not only do the people who are sick receive nursing care but the nurse attends the Well Baby Clinic, acts as assistant to the dentist, transports patients to and from local clinics and tuberculosis cases to the sanatorium at Attleboro for the purpose of x-ray and examination. Children are carried to the summer camp, clothing distributed for the Board of Public Welfare, and a considerable social service function. She also acts as a substitute for the School Nurse during the

summer months in Vaccination Clinics and follow ups. We are fortunate in that we have in Mrs. Mercer not only a competent nurse but one whose years of service in Westport have given her an intimate knowledge of the economic needs and difficulties of such a large proportion of the families in Westport.

Respectfully submitted,

E. W. BURT, M.D.,

CHARLES R. WOOD,

EDWARD L. MACOMBER,

Board of Health.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The Board of Public Welfare respectfully submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1939:

The Board organized for the current year on March 18, 1939, and re-elected Samuel A. Boan as Chairman, and Truman C. Emery as Certifying Officer for Federal Surplus Commodities. Total expenditures for the year have been \$20,846.96, which is \$2,978.04 less than the year 1938, due to a smaller case load on General Relief. Due to the settlement status of many cases, the town has been reimbursed to the amount of \$4,323.27, leaving a net cost of \$16,523.69.

	1938	1939
Cases aided	187	136
Adults aided	296	189
Children aided	281	146
Hospital cases	31	32

(17 admitted from Westport, 15 by other cities and towns)

Burials	9	1
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Cities and Towns where cases aided;

Westport	91
Fall River	29
New Bedford	8
Dartmouth	3
Somerset	1
Nantucket	1
Acushnet	1
By Comm. of Mass.	2

Total	136
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Of the 91 cases aided in Westport, 13 have no settlement (State case), and 18 have legal settlements

in other cities and towns, for which Westport is reimbursed in full.

Number of House Visits by Dr. Charles A. Hicks

1938—269

1939—211

The Board has purchased 55 pairs of shoes, 8 pairs of rubbers, and furnished 82¼ cords of wood.

Infirmary Record

Number of inmates January 1, 1939	6
Admitted during the year	2
Inmates deceased during the year	2
Discharged, to care of self	3
Number of inmates December 31, 1939	3

Inventory of Town Property

Town Farm and Buildings	\$5,000.00	
Wood Lot	500.00	
Pine Island	500.00	
Furniture	500.00	
Total		\$6,500.00

The Board of Public Welfare has served throughout the year as the Certifying Agency for WPA, NYA, CCC, and Federal Surplus Commodities. Applications under these different categories consist of Direct Relief Cases and the so called border-line cases whose income is not sufficient to meet the family budget.

Applications received for WPA and NYA	105
Number certified as eligible	90
Number rejected	15
Number assigned to projects during the year	66
Number awaiting assignment on December 31, 1939	24
Cases certified to received Federal Surplus Commodities	378

CCC

Boys in Camp on January 1, 1939	18
Boys enrolled during the year	8
Boys released	7
Boys in Camp on December 31, 1939	19

Division of Aid to Dependent Children

Under this type of relief the State contributes one third of all aid rendered in cash, and the Federal Government one third of \$18.00 per month for one child under sixteen years of age, and one third of \$12.00 for each additional child under sixteen years of age in the same family. Federal grants received for this aid during 1939 have been \$1336.58. Also the Federal Government contributes one third of the cost of Administration for ADC., and there was received during 1939 \$114.17.

	Families	Children
Receiving ADC January 1, 1939	12	20
Applications pending from previous year	1	4
Applications received during year	5	7
Applications approved	6	11
Children added, family previously recorded		3
Applications rejected	0	0
Total receiving ADC during year	18	34
Cases closed	5	7
Children who became 16 or dropped for other reasons		4
Receiving ADC December 31, 1939	13	23
Applications pending on December 31, 1939	0	0

For an itemized account of expenditures and reimbursements on Public Welfare and ADC please refer to the Report of the Town Accountant under payments and receipts.

The Board wishes to acknowledge with thanks, the donations of clothing and Christmas Baskets to

several families by local organizations, and the valuable aid given by the Police Department and the Board of Health Nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL A. BOAN, Chairman,
(MRS.) ROBY C. BURT,
TRUMAN C. EMERY.

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The Bureau of Old Age Assistance respectfully submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1939:

The Bureau organized on March 18, 1939 and re-elected Mrs. Roby C. Burt as Chairman.

Total expenditures for payments to recipients, and administration has been \$43,258.80, which is \$4,517.22 more than the year 1938, due to a gradual increase in case load. Of this total cost \$23,690.86 was paid from Town appropriations which includes the States portion, and \$19,567.94 was paid from Federal grants.

Of the amount paid from Town appropriations, reimbursements have been received to the amount of \$13,688.05 during 1939, which applies to the billing year ending April 30, 1939, leaving a net cost to the town of \$10,002.81.

Persons receiving OAA January 1, 1939	109
Applications pending from previous year	1
Applications received during year	55
Applications approved	52
Applications rejected for various reasons	4
Applications pending at end of year	0
Total persons receiving OAA during year	
in Westport	161
Cases closed by death	5
Cases closed for other reasons	23
Total persons receiving OAA	
December 31, 1939	133
Settlement status of persons receiving OAA in Westport during the year, is classified as follows:	
Westport settled cases	137
Cases with no settlement (State Case) and cases having settlements in other cities and towns for which the Town is reimbursed in full	
	24

Westport settled cases, receiving OAA in other cities and towns during the year, for which the Town of Westport pays approximately one sixth of the total expense 17

Federal grants received during 1939 from the Federal Government, through the State Bureau have been \$19,534.10 applying to the months, November 1938 to October 1939 inclusive, of this amount \$630.08 is designated as Administrative expense only, and the balance for payments to recipients.

Federal grants outstanding at the end of the year for the months November and December 1939, \$3,467.55.

Statistics compiled by the Commonwealth for a given month show the following average monthly payments:

Westport	June 1939	\$27.93
Bristol County	June 1939	27.04
Commonwealth	May 1939	27.91

For an itemized account of expenditures and reimbursements for Old Age Assistance, please refer to the Report of the Town Accountant under payments and receipts.

Respectfully submitted,

(MRS.) ROBY C. BURT, Chairman
SAMUEL A. BOAN,
TRUMAN C. EMERY.

REPORT OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Board of Selectmen,
Mr. George W. Russell, Chairman,
Westport, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

Respectfully submit the following as the report of
the Fire Department for the year 1939.

Organization

Chief Lynwood F. Potter
Deputy Chief Stanley E. Gifford
Engineer Alston J. Potter
Captain George Howland
Captain Rene Routhier
Lieutenant Gilbert Santos

Members Engine Company 1 and 2

Omar Brightman	Milton Pettey
Augustine Cabral	Everett Pettey
Manuel Cabral	Andrew Perry
Joseph Cabral	Jonathon Potter
Herman Coggeshall	Kenneth Potter
Mahlon Curtis	D. Stuart Smith
C. Arnold Gifford	David Tripp
Alfred Lewis	Harold Woodcock
Elmer B. Manchester Jr.	Alton Wood
John W. Oliver	

Engine Company 3

Joseph Arsenault	George Gagne
Amedee Bibeau	George Hutchinson
Albert Blais	Elie Lapointe
Rene Blais	Harold Miller
Charles Cholette	Manuel Oliviera
Philip Cholette	John Routhier
Ethelbert Christopher	Arthur St. Martin
Charles Christopher	Rene St. Martin
Charles Fitton	Edward St. Martin
Chester Frelove	John H. White
John Ferguson	

During the year the Department answered 130 alarms, classified as follows:

Buildings	14
Chimneys	42
Flooded Oil Burners	2
Grass and Brush	50
Autos	11
Tractors	1
Hay Stacks	4
Dumps	1
False Alarms	1
Out of Town	4

Total	130
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From June 14th to July 19th, the Department satisfactorily completed ten sessions of training for Firemen, conducted here at Westport by Captain Chouinard of the Fall River Fire Department, who is delegated to hold these classes by the Department of Education, Division of Vocational Education.

During the month of July we painted the Maxim here at the Station, with a saving of about four hundred dollars.

We have added to our equipment a thirty-five foot extension ladder and a twenty foot roof ladder.

During the month of November one of our Pumps had to be rebuilt by the Maxim Motor Co. at a cost of two hundred and forty nine dollars and forty eight cents. This is the fourth time this Pump has been rebuilt, incidentally it is the last time it can be rebuilt.

Only through Congressman Martin were we able to get a W. P. A. project through the United States Forest Service to eliminate some of the Forest Fire Hazard existing at Horseneck Beach. This project called for two hundred and fifty working Man days, during which time we cleared, Burning, Brush and Slash from ten Acres of land.

Respectfully submitted,

LYNWOOD F. POTTER,

Fire Chief.

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Respectfully submit the following as the report
of the Police Department for the year 1939.

Organization

CHIEF OF POLICE

Charles H. Dean

Police Officers

Joseph Cieto

Albert Blais

Norman B. Hopkinson

John H. White

Reserve Officers

Clarence Lawton

Leslie J. Tripp

J. Douglas Borden

Gilbert Santos

Francis J. Cabral

Henry Cowling

Charles L. Johnson

James Manchester

Roland M. Massey

Ernest Lawrenson

Timothy Jewell

The following is a summary of the nature and
number of arrests:

Assault	2
Breaking and Entering	4
Disturbing the Peace	1
Driving to Endanger	3
Driving while Intoxicated	2
Drunkenness	7
Larceny	2
Neglect of Family	1
Violation of Motor Vehicle Laws	3
Stubbornness	2

Cruelty to Animals	1
Larceny of Automobile	3
Auto Fatalities	1
Accidental Drowning	1
Suicide	1
Auto Accidents	92
Ambulance Cases	64
Stolen Property Recovered	\$1050
Number of Buildings Found Open	10
Funerals Attended	65
Special Licenses Issued	33
Transfer Papers	968

Report of the Radio-Cruiser-Ambulance

The following is a summary of the Ambulance Cases to the various hospitals:

Acushnet Hospital	7
Ashley Sanitorium	1
General Hospital, F. R.	2
Medford Hospital	1
Mass. Memorial Hospital	1
Mass. General Hospital	1
New Bedford Nursing Home	1
St. Anne's Hospital	1
St. Luke's Hospital	2
Taunton State Hospital	1
Truesdale Clinic	2
Truesdale Hospital	12
Union Hospital Clinic	1
Union Hospital, F. R.	24
Union Hospital, N. B.	2
Miscellaneous	5
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Total	64

The Police Department is now equipped with a new Two-Way Radio System, which was acquired at no expense to the Town of Westport. The use of Radio has greatly increased the efficiency of the department.

From January 1, 1939 to January 1, 1940 the Cruiser-Ambulance travelled 36,900 miles.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES H. DEAN,
Chief of Police.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES REPORT

For Year 1939

No. of platform scales over 5,000 lbs. sealed	1
No. of platform scales under 5,000 lbs. sealed	20
No. of platform scales under 5,000 lbs. adjusted	2
No. of counter scales over 100 lbs. sealed	1
No. of counter scales under 100 lbs. sealed	7
No. of beam scales over 100 lbs. sealed	4
No. of spring scales over 100 lbs. sealed	4
No. of spring scales over 100 lbs. adjusted	1
No. of spring scales over 100 lbs. condemned	2
No. of spring scales under 100 lbs. sealed	48
No. of spring scales under 100 lbs. adjusted	16
No. of computing scales under 100 lbs. sealed	12
No. of computing scales under 100 lbs. condemned	1
No. of computing scales under 100 lbs. not sealed	1
No. of personal weighing scales	6
No. of weights sealed	102
No. of vehicle tanks sealed	3
No. of vehicle tanks adjusted	1
No. of liquid measures sealed	71
No. of oil jars sealed	12
No. of dry measures sealed	7
No. of gasoline pumps sealed	8
No. of gasoline pumps adjusted	2
No. of gasoline meters sealed	51
No. of gasoline meters adjusted	26
No. of kerosene pumps sealed	7
No. of kerosene pumps adjusted	1

No. of kerosene pumps condemned	1
No. of kerosene pumps not sealed	4
No. of oil measuring pumps not sealed	39
No. of molasses measuring pumps	1
No. of stops sealed	58
No. of stops adjusted	15
No. of yard sticks	1
No. of grease measuring pumps sealed	9

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER F. KING,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Westport Free Public Library submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1939.

The Board organized as follows:

Chairman	Nason R. Macomber
Secretary	Anne C. Gifford
Librarian	Dorothy M. Smith
Book Buyers	Anne C. Gifford
	Audrey L. Tripp

There was no assistant Librarian appointed this past year as the Secretary of the Board offered her services without pay for Saturday afternoons. Several of the high school girls also offered their services to help with typing and filing. We accepted these offers with pleasure and take this time to extend our thanks to them.

The Library hours were voted to be from 3-7 inclusive every Saturday as in 1938. This was because Hix's Bridge was still unfinished after having been washed away by the hurricane. The bridge was not finished and officially opened until July, at which time the Library hours were voted to be as formerly Saturdays 3-5 and 7-9. If a holiday fell on Saturday the Library was opened the preceding Friday and notice of the change was posted in the Library two weeks in advance of the holiday.

The circulation for the Library for the past year is as follows:

	7692
Adult circulation	3946
Juvenile circulation	1628
School deposits	1391
Non-fiction	112
Magazines	493

This total shows that our circulation still held up, although many of our subscribers from the southeastern part of the town were obliged to go up through the Head and back down to the Village to reach the Library it would have been easier for them to have neglected us, but they did not.

We are including here, as we did last year, a statement of how our appropriation was spent.

Appropriation	\$399.89
Librarian's salary	79.90
Postage and Supplies	31.04
Magazines	10.00
Books	276.02

We would like to add here that our appropriation does not come from any direct Town Taxes but from the money returned to the Town from the County. This money is taken in for Town dog licenses, and we share what is returned to the Town with the two private libraries.

We purchased 347 books, of which 167 were juveniles and still our younger readers ask for more new books. "We have read everything you have," they say. Some of the books purchased each year must of a necessity be replacements of old favorites.

We have three school deposits at grammar schools, and up until June, one at the High School. These deposits consist of about 35 to 50 books made up from the approved list sent out each year by the State, and are books relating to subjects that the pupils are studying. These books are in charge of one teacher at the school where they are placed and she keeps track of the number of times each book is read. The State offers certificates to those pupils who read a certain number of the books from the reading list. We are happy to state here that there were 9 ordinary and 3 honor certificates awarded to pupils of the Factory School of which Miss Audrey Tripp is Principal. The

following pupils received honor certificates: Ruth Haskell, Vanda Mieczkowski, and John Mieczkowski.

Deposits were located at the following schools: Westport Factory, Head of Westport, and Booth's Corner School. This year both Mr. Gifford and Mr. Earle have asked if the Library could be opened one afternoon a week to enable the High School students to use the books for reference work. We would like to accommodate them, but would need a larger appropriation. This extra service would be a great help to the students.

In November 1939 we moved into our new room in the new Town Hall. Such a contrast to our old quarters! Our new room is so much larger, cleaner, warmer and sunnier. We are all very proud and pleased with it. It makes library days so much more pleasant. The moving was accomplished very easily considering how many books were moved. Mrs. Gifford and Mrs. Smith had complete charge. Mr. Ralph Gifford, Mr. William Smith and Mr. Clifton Dwelly gave their services, with their trucks for the day. The Welfare Department sent two men to help also. We take this opportunity to extend our sincere thanks to these people, and to the following who were also on hand when we moved, giving their services wholeheartedly and freely: Mrs. Roger Acheson, Mrs. Stanley Gifford, Miss Ruth Howland, Miss Virginia Borden, and Mr. Frank Gwozdz.

The State has been very kind, as usual, in loaning us 25 non-fiction books, which are replaced with others every three months. No one can estimate the value of this service, for we could never afford to buy these expensive books. Also the State will send any specially requested books, and many patrons avail themselves of this service. We have also many various leaflets and pamphlets sent by both the State and Federal Departments of Agriculture. There are numerous col-

lege and summer school catalogues on hand, and leaflets pertaining to night schools and correspondence courses.

The following magazines are on hand in the Library for circulation:

National Geographic	Life
Popular Mechanics	Specialty Salesman
Good Housekeeping	Young Crusader
Cosmopolitan	Child Life
Readers' Digest	Dumb Animals

Books that were most popular this past year were:

Adult	Juvenile
General's Lady,	Copper-Toed Boots, Angeli
Esther Forbes	Wee Gilis, Monroe Leaf
Reaching for the Stars,	Wizard of Oz, Baum
Nora Wahn	
Rebecca, Dumaurier	

We wish to thank all our many friends for their generous support, and hope that 1940 will be as happy and succesful for them as we expect it to be for us.

WESPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY

THE FOLLOWING LIST OF BOOKS HAS BEEN
ADDED TO THE WESTPORT FREE PUBLIC
LIBRARY DURING THE YEAR 1939

Aldrich, Bess	Song of Years
Allen, Hervey	Anthony Adverse
Allingham, Margery	Dancers in Mourning
Anonymous	Dark Masquerade
Ayers, Ruby A.	Follow a Shadow
Ayers, Ruby A.	Owner Gone Abroad
Ayers, Ruby A.	Somebody Else
Ayers, Ruby A.	Unofficial Wife
Ayers, Ruby A.	Winner Take All
Bailey, Temple	Tomorrow's Promise
Baker, Robert H.	Introducing the Constellations

Baldwin, Faith	Career by Proxy
Baldwin, Faith	Heart Has Wings, The
Baldwin, Faith	Hotel Hostess
Bassett, Sara Ware	Eternal Deep
Bassett, Sara Ware	Son of the Sea
Berry, Frick	Homespun
Bindloss, Harold	Pine Creek Ranch
Bower, B. M.	North Wind Do Blow
Bowman, Jeanne	Love Can Wait
Brand, Max	Six Golden Angels
Brand, Max	Singing Guns
Bromfield, Louis	Rains Came, The
Bronte, Emily	Wuthering Heights
Buck, Pearl	Patriot, The
Burt, Melville	Granville Crypt Murders, The
Canachi, C. P. Rodo	Forever Ulysses
Canfield, Dorothy	Seasoned Timber
Chambers, Robert W.	Painted Minx, The
Chambers, Robert W.	Ailsa Page
Chapin, Henry	Adventures of Johnny Applesseed
Christie, Agatha	Dead Man's Mirror
Clarke, J. Calvitt	Dream No More
Corby, Ruth	Heart Remembers
Cranston, Claudia	Murder Maritime
Cullum, Ridgwell	Vampire of N'Gobi, The
Culver, Kathryn	Million Dollar Madness
Dane, Clemence	White Ben
Deeping, Warwick	Woman at the Door
De La Roche, Mazo	Possession
Dodd, Martha	Through Embassy Eyes
Doran, Janet	Speak for Yourself, Michael
Doubleday, Russell	Photography is Fun
Douglas, Lloyd C.	Disputed Passage
Eberhart, Mignon	Mystery Omnibus
Ermine, Will	Wind River Outlaw
Fenton, Carroll	Our Amazing Earth
Field, Rachel	All This and Heaven Too
Fleming, Waldo	Riddle in Fez
Forbes, Esther	General's Lady, The
Foster, Bennett	Turn Loose Your Wolf
Foster, Gerald	Half-Mile to Heaven
Frayne, Elizabeth	Change of Hearts
Freeman, Austin	Death at the Inn
Gaige, Crosby	New York World's Fair Cook Book
Gardiner, Dorothy	Snow-Water
Gardner, Erle	Case of the Sleepwalker's Niece
Gilbert, George	Cow Women
Golding, Louis	Mr. Emmanuel
Gray, Elizabeth	Penn
Grey, Zane	Tales of Southern Rivers
Gregg, Cecil	Danger at Cliff House
Grierson, Francis	Empty House
Hadida, Sophie	Manners for Millions
Haggard, Stephen	Nya
Hale, Cushman & Flint	New England Hurricane
Hammond,	Atlas of the World
Hewes, Agnes	Golden Sleeve

Hertzler, Arthur	Horse and Buggy Doctor
Hill, Grace	Daphne Deane
Hill, Grace	Maris
Hill, Grace	Substitute Guest
Hilton, Francis	Pioneer Herd
Holton, Edith	Feathered Water
Huber, Bertrand	Death and the Dowager
Hughes, Babette	Murder in Church
Irwin, V. M.	Short Sword
James, Marquis	Life of Andrew Jackson
Johnson, Captain & Mrs. Irving	Sailing to See
Johnson, Owen	Blue Blood
Joscelyn, Archie	Hoot Owl Canyon
Joscelyn, Archie	Ranch of the Two Thumbs
Kaye, Nina	Heart Alone
Keeler, Harry	Ten Hours
Kelland, Clarence	Dynasty
Kerr, Sophie	Fine to Look At
King, Frank	Mystery Stories
Larrimore, Lida	Uncle Caleb's Niece
Larrimore, Lida	Silver Flute
Lehman, Paul	Cougar of Canyon Caballo
Lincoln, Joseph	Galusha the Magnificent
Locke, Gladys	Scarlet Macaw
Lorimer, Graeme and Sarah	Acquittal
Lorimer, Graeme and Sarah	Heart Specialist
Lorimer, Graeme and Sarah	Stag Line
Loring, Emilie	High of Heart
Loring, Emilie	Across the Years
Lucas, Jay	Arizonan
Macfarlane, Peter	Tongues of Flame
Machard, Alfred	Wolf Man
Marsh, George	Under Frozen Stars
Marshall, Marguerite	Land of Their Fathers
Mason, A. E. W.	Konigsmark
Mason, Bernard S.	Woodcraft
Mason, F. Van Wyck	Three Harbours
Matschat, Cecile Hulse	Suwannee River
McCutcheon, George Barr	West Wind Drift
Merriman, Henry	Sowers, The
Miller, Helen Topping	Next to My Heart
Mills and Dunn	Shadow Plays
Miln, Louise Jordan	In a Yun-nan Courtyard
Miln, Louise Jordan	Rice
Montgomery, L. M.	Tangled Web, A
Morgan, Deck	Love on the Ice
Morrow, Honore	Demon Daughter
Mulford, Clarence E.	Hopalong Cassidy Takes Cards
McCleary, Dorothy	Paved With Good Intentions
McConnell, Burt M.	Mexico at the Bar of Public Opinion
McIntyre, John T.	Drums in the Dawn
Nelson, Al P.	Cowpunchers of the Badwater, The
Nolan, Jeannette Covert	Hobnailed Boots
Norris, Charles G.	Bricks Without Straw
Norris, Kathleen	The Runaway
Ostenso, Martha	Mandrake Root, The
Packard, Frank L.	Dragon's Jaws, The
Page, Elizabeth	Tree of Liberty, The

Parker, Sylvia	Late Blossoming
Parkhurst, Winthrop	Anatomy of Music, The
Parrish, Randall	Gift of the Desert
Paterson, Anne	Take These Hands
Pedler, Margaret	Flame in the Wind
Pedler, Margaret	Shining Cloud, The
Pound, Arthur	Once a Wilderness
Raine, William McLeod	To Ride the River With
Raine, William McLeod	Bucky Follows a Cold Trail
Rath, Virginia	Ferryman, Take Him Across
Reid, A. C.	Christ and the Present Crisis
Rieu, Neily	Reckless Seven, The
Robins, Denise	Life and Love
Robertson, Frank C.	Trouble Grabber, The
Roche, Arthur Somers	Rhapsody in Gold
Rohmer, Sax	Green Eyes of Bast, The
Rubel, James	Prairie Dust
Ruck, Berta	Mind of a Minx, The
Ruck, Berta	Today's Daughter
Seifert, Elizabeth	Young Doctor Galahad
Seltzer, Charles	Kingdom in the Cactus
Shackleton, Robert	Book of Washington, The
Sharp, Margery	Harlequin House
Sheean, Vincent	A Day of Battle
Sherwood, Elizabeth	One and Only
Skidmore, Hubert	River Rising!
Slate, Leslie	Time for Orchids, The
Smith, Harry Pugh, Mrs.	Handmade Rainbows
Snedeker, Caroline	Town of Fearless
Sperry, Armstrong	Wagons Westward
Stackpole, Edouard	Mutiny at Midnight
Stern, Philip Van Doren	Man Who Killed Lincoln
Stringer, Arthur	White Hands
Swain, Virginia	Hollow Skin
Teilhet, Darwin	Ticking Terror Murders
Thirkell, Angela	Brandons, The
Timbres, Harry & Rebecca	We Didn't Ask Utopia
Vance, Louis J.	Dead Ride Hard
Van Dine, S. S.	Gracie Allen Murder Case
Van Dine, S. S.	World's Great Detective Stories
Van Doren, Carl	Benjamin Franklin
Vane, Derek	Scar, The
Walker, Mildred	Dr. Norton's Wife
Walling, R. A. J.	Marooned with Murder
Waln, Nora	Reaching for the Stars
Weaver, Augusta "A. B."	Oklahoma Wildcat
Wells, Caroline	Killers, The
Wensley, Frederick Porter	Forty Years of Scotland Yard
Wentworth, Patricia	Dead or Alive
White, Stewart	Arizona Nights
White, Stewart	Folded Hills
White, Stewart	Ranchero
Williams, Ben Ames	Honeyflow
Wilson, Grove	Great Men of Science
Winslow, Warren	"I Love the King"
Woods, Clee	Raiders of Lost River
Woodward, W. E.	Meet General Grant

Arlen, Michael	The Crooked Coronet
Ayres, Ruby M.	The Moon in the Water
Ayres, Ruby M.	Week-End Woman
Ayres, Ruby M.	Weep for Love
Bailey, H. C.	The Great Game
Bailey, H. C.	This is Mr. Fortune
Bassett, Sara Ware	A Son of the Sea
Buchanan, Madeline Sharps	The Subway Murder
Christie, Agatha	The Murder at the Vicarage
Coffin, Charles	Winning his Way
Cronin, A. J.	The Citadel
Davis, Clyde Brion	The Great American Novel
Dawson, Coningsby	Out to Win
Deeping, Warwick	Blind Man's Year
Dell, Ethel M.	Serpent in the Garden
Erskine, Margaret	The Limping Man
Farnol, Jeffrey	The Lonely Road
Flexner, James Thomas	Doctors on Horseback
Gardiner, Dorothy	Snow Water
Gerould, Gordon Hall	A Midsummer Mystery
Gibbs, Philip	This Nettie Danger
Greig, Maysie	New Moon Through a Window
Greig, Maysie	Strange Beauty
Halsey, Margaret	With Malice Towards Some
King, Rufus	Murder Masks Miami
Knight, Kathleen Moore	Acts of Black Night
Laing, Alexander	Great Ghost Stories of the World
Lincoln, Joseph C. & Freeman	The Ownley Inn
Mowery, William Byron	The Valley Beyond
Norris, Kathleen	The Runaway
O'Donnell, E. P.	Green Margius
Parker, Dorothy	Death & Taxes
Perry, George Sessions	Walls Rise Up
Puleston, Dennis	Blue Water Vagabond
Rawlings, Marjorie Kinnan	The Yearling
Seaman, August H.	The Pine Barrens Mystery
Seltzer, Charles	Arizona Jim
Stewart, Donald Ogden	Mr. & Mrs. Haddock Abroad
Strange, Oliver	Sudden Rides Again
Tarkington, Booth	Mary's Neck
Thynne, Molly	The Draycott Murder Mystery
Wallace, Edgar	The Man at the Carlton
Watkin, Lawrence Edward	On Borrowed Time
White, Stewart Edward	Old California
Wodehouse, P. G.	Uncle Fred in the Springtime

Respectfully submitted,

NASON R. MACOMBER, Chairman

ANNE C. GIFFORD, Secretary.

BOOKS ADDED TO THE JUVENILE DEPARTMENT
OF THE WESTPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY
DURING THE YEAR 1939

Allen, Arthur A.	The Golden Plover & Other Birds
Bannon, Laura	Manuela's Birthday
Beaty, John Y.	The Baby Whale Sharp Ears
Bertail, Inez	Time For Bed
Bonner, Richard	Boy Inventor's Diving Torpedo Boat
Brand, Max	The Streak
Carroll, Ruth & Latrobe	Flight of the Silver Bird
DeAngeli, Marguerite	Copper-Toed Boots
DeAngeli, Marguerite	Skippack School
Grant, Gordon	Ships Under Sail
Harper, Wilhelmina	The Lonely Little Pig
Hoper, John	Circus Boat
Irving, Washington	Rip Van Winkle
Johnson, Enid	Natalie
Kipling, Rudyard	Teem—A Treasure Hunter
Knox, Esther Melbourne	Swift Flies the Falcon
Knox, Rose B.	The Step-Twins
Lawton Wilbur	The Ocean Wireless Boys & Lost Liner
Schmidt, Sarah Lindsay	The Secret of Silver Peak
Stone, Amy Wentworth	Going on Nine
Tousey, Sanford	Val Rides the Oregon Trail

Respectfully submitted,
EMILY F. SISSON, Secretary.

CEMETERY REPORT

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY

To the Board of Selectmen,
Mr. George W. Russell, Chairman,
Westport, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my fourteenth annual report of the Cemetery Department for the year 1939.

The Cemetery was enlarged by a W. P. A. Project for clearing land to the extent of 479 ft. long and 40 ft. wide. Also 196 feet of walks, 4 ft. wide, also 330 ft. of drives 20 ft. wide completed, and 415 ft. of drives already for the top gravel.

The Federal Government spent \$6,455.95 and the Town spent \$562.85 for equipment and truck. The Cemetery truck worked 350 hours and the town received credit for 1 dollar per hour as sponsors contribution.

The men assigned to the Cemetery Department by the Welfare Department were used in regular routine work. The Welfare Board furnished 400 man days of labor in the Cemetery Department. There were sold during the year 2 six grave lots and 2 four grave lots.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. LEES,
Supt. Beech Grove Cemetery.

PERPETUAL CARE OF BURIAL LOTS

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY

Thomas W. Lees, Superintendent

Ledger Page	Name of Depositor	Deposit	Available Jan.1,1939	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan.1,1940
1	William S. & Mary E. Wood	\$100.00	\$3.06	\$2.59	\$3.00	\$2.65
2	Mary Davis	100.00	2.99	2.58	2.99	2.58
3	Charles Potter & Richmond W. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
4	Adeline Kirby Est.	120.75	4.71	3.15	3.00	4.86
5	Godfrey Cornell	500.00	20.85	13.08	3.00	30.93
6	Joshua H. Cornell	100.00	2.98	2.58	2.98	2.58
7	John F. Pettey	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
8	Ira Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
9	Elery Lincoln & Charles H. Allen	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
10	Charles H. Brownell	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
11	Jerome P. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
12	George B. Gifford Lot	100.00	2.90	2.58	2.90	2.58
13	Lizzie B. & Augustus R. Wood	100.00	2.96	2.58	2.96	2.58
14	Christopher B. Tripp	100.00	2.98	2.58	2.98	2.58
15	Hattie A. Davis Est.	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
16	Mary M. Kelley & Lyman Snell	100.00	2.94	2.58	2.94	2.58
17	Benjamin F. Tripp Lot	150.00	4.26	3.88	3.00	5.14

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

18	Barney Gifford	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
19	Chester Macomber	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
20	Edmund Kirby	100.00	2.90	2.58	2.90	2.58
21	William Gifford	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
22	Mary Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
23	Judith E. Kirby	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
24	Clarinda Macomber	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.86	2.58
25	Emanuel D. Mosher	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
26	Annie M. Kirby	100.00	3.01	2.59	3.00	2.60
27	Cyrus W. Tripp & Nancy A. Davis	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
28	Henry T. Pettey Lot	100.00	3.21	2.59	3.00	2.80
29	Clarence H. Davis	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
30	Lafayette L. Gifford	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
31	William H. Pettey	75.00	2.13	1.93	2.13	1.93
32	Lizzie Luther	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
33	Timothy Leary	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
34	Emerson T. Howland	200.00	5.56	5.15	3.00	7.71
35	Adeliza Green	75.00	2.13	1.93	2.13	1.93
36	Charlotte Hicks	200.00	18.38	5.49	3.00	20.87
37	Elizabeth Kirby	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
38	Drucilla G. Macomber	200.00	9.74	5.26	5.00	10.00
39	George W. Taber	100.00	2.90	2.58	2.90	2.58
40	Abby Dring	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

41	Eleanor S. Carpenter.....	100.00	3.08	2.59	3.00	2.67
42	Frank J. Sherman.....	50.00	1.42	1.28	1.42	1.28
43	Hannah E. Jones.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
44	Ezra Macomber Lot.....	100.00	2.89	2.58	2.89	2.58
45	William E. Tripp.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
46	Thomas J. Hart.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
47	Jerome P. Tripp.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
48	Margaret Potter.....	150.00	6.94	3.93	3.00	7.87
49	Victoria A. Pettey.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
50	Benjamin T. Pettey Lot.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
51	Cortez Allen Lot.....	200.00	7.80	5.20	5.00	8.00
52	Mary S. Macomber Est.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
53	Mary F. Cornell.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
54	Lysander W. White.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
55	Philander W. Macomber.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
56	Abbie F. Tripp.....	100.00	2.96	2.58	2.96	2.58
57	Rachael G. Manchester.....	200.00	6.05	5.18	3.00	8.23
58	Ruth S. Potter.....	100.00	2.91	2.58	2.91	2.58
59	Louisa R. Palmer, Admr.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
60	Daniel Tripp.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
61	Philip Sanford.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
62	Ethel Anderson.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
63	Charles F. Bentley.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

64	James H. Sullivan	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
65	Zelotes Almy	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
66	Thomas R. Brightman	100.00	2.98	2.58	2.98	2.58
67	Thomas Brayton	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
68	Albert D. Manchester	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.86	2.58
69	Asa S. Jones	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
70	Phoebe A. Sisson	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
71	Mary S. Winslow	100.00	3.01	2.59	3.00	2.60
72	Sarah E. Pease & Emily F. & A. J. Delano	200.00	15.63	5.41	3.00	18.04
73	Waldo A. Sherman	100.00	2.90	2.58	2.90	2.58
74	Lydia M. Chace	100.00	3.33	2.59	3.00	2.92
75	George F. White	200.00	30.17	5.79	3.00	32.96
76	Edward L. Macomber	100.00	3.19	2.59	3.19	2.59
77	James H. Sanford	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
78	Arthur G. Tuell	100.00	4.14	2.61	3.00	3.75
79	Samuel P. Sowle	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
80	Mary A. Clayton Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
81	Phoebe Tripp	100.00	2.99	2.58	2.99	2.58
82	Nannie E. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
83	Eli Handy's Heirs	100.00	3.07	2.59	3.00	2.66
84	Mary J. Wing	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
85	Peleg P. Lawton	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

86	Nason R. Macomber & Bertha C. Burns..	100.00	3.44	2.59	3.00	3.03
87	Calvin & Ruth A. Manchester.....	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.86	2.58
88	Holder Gifford Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
89	Almeda M. Tripp.....	100.00	3.03	2.59	3.00	2.62
90	Jerusha Howland.....	200.00	5.56	5.15	3.00	7.71
91	Horatio N. Hart Lot.....	100.00	3.00	2.59	3.00	2.59
92	Mary R. Seabury & N. S. Brownell.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
93	Mabel B. & Sarah A. Gifford.....	200.00	15.62	5.42	3.00	18.04
94	Emma R. Tripp.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
95	Herbert A. Brightman.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
96	Jane T. Pierce Lot.....	100.00	2.92	2.58	2.92	2.58
97	William S. Head.....	100.00	2.94	2.58	2.94	2.58
98	Walter S. Davis Est.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
99	Leonard & Abbie Brownell Heirs.....	100.00	3.08	2.59	3.00	2.67
100	Lydia W. Sowle.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
101	Anna C. Madsen.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
102	Ann R. Pettay.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
103	John Smith.....	100.00	3.17	2.59	3.00	2.76
104	Clarinda T. Snell.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
105	William W. Gifford.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
106	Henry F. Wilbur.....	100.00	3.06	2.59	3.00	2.65
107	Sarah H. Brownell & Maria J. Leary.....	200.00	8.27	5.22	3.00	10.49
108	Albert M. Allen.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

109	Everett G. Manchester	200.00	5.22	5.14	3.00	7.36
110	Elizabeth A. Brightman	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
111	George F. Wood	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
112	George W. Kirby	50.00	2.97	1.31	2.97	1.31
113	Eldorus E. Weston	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
114	George B. Gifford Lot	100.00	3.11	2.59	3.00	2.70
115	Judith M. Russell	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
116	Walter A. White	75.00	2.15	1.94	2.15	1.94
117	Mrs. Annie E. Brightman	100.00	3.07	2.59	3.07	2.59
118	Joseph B. & Alice A. Vanasse	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
119	Emma F. Potter	100.00	2.89	2.58	2.89	2.58
120	William A. Smith	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
121	Ezra L. Sanford	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
122	Annie R. Howland	125.00	6.20	3.29	3.00	6.49
123	Edwin J. Tripp	170.00	7.51	4.45	4.00	7.96
124	Mrs. Annie E. Mosher	80.00	2.27	2.07	2.27	2.07
125	Samuel F. Hazzard	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
126	Albert C. Kirby	200.00	9.54	5.26	4.00	10.80
127	H. C. & W. S. Kirby	200.00	10.80	5.29	4.00	12.09
128	R. J. Sowle Lot	100.00	2.98	2.58	2.98	2.58
129	John S. Taber	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
130	A. E. & H. A. Davis	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
131	Arthur L. Lawton	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

132	Walter H. Wilbur.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
133	Gladys L. Feeney.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
134	H. P. P. Brayton Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
135	Charles F. Bentley.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
136	Alden C. & Florence Brayton.....	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.86	2.58
137	Robert F. Doane.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
138	Giles A. Davis.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
139	Alphonse Begnoche Lot.....	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.86	2.58
140	Elizabeth C. Allen.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
141	Joseph V. Peckham Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
142	G. B. Wilbur.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
143	Arthur E. Wilbur & Lysander Manchester.....	75.00	2.13	1.93	2.13	1.93
144	George W. Wilcox.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
145	William C. White.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
146	Maria E. Mosher Lot.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
148	Valinda Lake Lot.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
149	Josiah Bowers Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
150	Samuel Hadfield.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
151	Ollie B. Washburn.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
152	Frances C. Pettingill Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
153	Milton L. Dunham.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
154	Simeon Wilkie Lot.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

155	Ann R. Pettey Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
156	N. Wilcox Lot.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
157	Alice Esser.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
158	R. L. Peckham & F. D. Vanderburg.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
159	Leonora W. Russell Lot.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
160	Joshua Hart Lot.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
161	John R. Fish Jr.....	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94
163	Ezra Davis Est.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
164	W. L. Snell.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
165	Walter Burt Lot.....	100.00	3.82	2.60	3.00	3.42
166	Mrs. Robert A. Gifford Lot.....	75.00	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.91
169	George Mackie.....	100.00	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57
170	James A. Tripp.....	50.00	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
171	Pardon T. Sowle.....	100.00	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57
172	Amanda Little Est.....	200.00	5.15	5.15	4.30	6.30
173	Marguerite Manchester.....	60.00	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
174	John Smith Lot.....	50.00	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
175	Richard Howarth (Single Grave).....	15.00	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38
176	Pettinger Single Grave.....	15.00	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38
177	Andrew Szaro Lot.....	60.00	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
178	William E. Brightman Est.....	100.00	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57
179	Arthur V. Tripp.....	120.00	3.09	3.09	3.00	3.18

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

180	John Duffany	50.00	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
181	Charles R. Wood	100.00	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57
182	Milton E. Wood	75.00	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.91
183	Clara Borden	75.00	1.91	1.91	1.91	1.91
184	Alfred N. Sanford	100.00	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57
185	Samuel Roylance, Jr.	60.00	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
186	Eudora Davis	110.00	2.83	2.83	2.83	2.83
187	Joseph A. Janson	60.00	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
188	Charles H. Dean Lot	60.00	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
189	Philander R. Davis	100.00	2.57	2.57	2.57	2.57
190	John Walsh (Single Grave) ..	15.00	0.38	0.38	0.38	0.38
191	Elizabeth C. Allen Lot	50.00	1.27	1.28	1.27	1.28
192	Lydia Gifford Lot	100.00	2.51	2.57	2.51	2.57
193	Davis L. Brown	30.00	.76	.77	.76	.77
195	George E. & Viola F. Gifford ..	120.00	3.01	3.09	3.00	3.10
196	George F. Davis	50.00	1.15	1.28	1.15	1.28
197	Anne Kaye	60.00	1.12	1.52	1.12	1.52
198	Daniel Meader	60.00	1.12	1.52	1.12	1.52
199	Dudley Davenport, Jr.	60.00	1.00	1.52	1.00	1.52
200	Ruth Lewis Lot	50.00	0.73	1.27	0.73	1.27
201	Ethelbert Christopher	60.00	0.87	1.51	0.87	1.51
202	Kenneth A. Potter	60.00	0.87	1.51	0.87	1.51
203	William Edgerton	60.00	0.87	1.51	0.87	1.51

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

204	Charles A. Chace, Tr.	60.00	0.75	1.51	0.75	1.51
205	Warren W. Cory & Edwin I. Tripp	60.00	0.75	1.51	0.75	1.51
206	Grave of Katina Moucas	15.00		0.34		0.34
207	Grave of Costas Moucas	15.00		0.34		0.34
208	Grave of Viola Adams	15.00		0.35		0.35
209	Annie Clough—2 Single Graves	30.00		0.69		0.69
210	Thomas W. Barnes	50.00		0.31		0.31
211	George E. Kent—2 Single Graves	30.00		0.31		0.31
212	Milton E. Earle	60.00		0.62		0.62
213	Mae Magee Holmes	50.00				
214	Manuel P. Cabral	60.00				
Totals		\$17,075.75	\$563.63	\$437.13	\$423.95	\$576.81

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY
Edward A. Sherman, Superintendent

Ledger Page	Name of Depositor	Deposit	Available Jan.1,1939	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan.1,1940
1	Alexander H. Tripp	\$50.00	\$1.43	\$1.29	\$1.43	\$1.29
2	Meribah A. Gifford	25.00	9.02	0.86	1.25	8.63
3	Theodore A. Tripp	25.00	0.71	0.64	0.71	0.64
4	Alice P. Winchester	100.00	4.56	2.61	2.50	4.67
5	Laura J. Reed	50.00	1.45	1.29	1.45	1.29
6	Mary C. Bailey	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
7	Henry C. Baker	100.00	4.05	2.59	2.50	4.14
8	Alexander H. Wing Lot	50.00	7.22	1.42	1.25	7.39
9	Alexander Brownell	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
10	Henry H. Gifford Lot	75.00	4.01	1.99	2.50	3.50
11	John L. Anthony & George Kirby Lots	100.00	3.13	2.59	3.00	2.72
12	Joseph C. Little Lot	100.00	8.06	2.71	5.00	5.77
13	Alice F. Peckham Lots	250.00	7.24	6.46	7.00	6.70
14	W. L. R. Gifford	150.00	8.09	3.98	5.00	7.07
15	Mary A. M. Wood	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
16	John G. Paris	75.00	3.45	1.97	2.50	2.92
17	George M. White	150.00	12.61	4.08	5.00	11.69
18	George A. Hough	75.00	2.19	1.94	1.25	2.88
19	Amy W. Richmond	100.00	10.95	2.78	2.50	11.23

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

20	Charles W. Smith	100.00	3.26	2.59	3.00	2.85
21	Cynthia Little & C. O. Church	125.00	3.55	3.23	3.55	3.23
22	Ann E. Sisson	110.00	5.42	2.89	2.50	5.81
23	Anna C. Davis	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
24	William Allen	25.00	0.71	0.64	0.71	0.64
25	Elizabeth G. Howland	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
26	John C. Macomber Est.	150.00	4.11	3.86	2.50	5.47
27	Eli P. Lawton Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
28	Emma A. Reed	30.00	0.84	0.77	0.84	0.77
29	Addie M. Fish	250.00	15.00	6.66	6.50	15.16
30	Joseph K. Wordell Lot	150.00	36.55	4.68	3.50	37.73
31	Bloomington Lot	75.00	2.35	1.94	2.35	1.94
32	Ellis Tripp & Alida Merrill	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
33	Amanda M. Little	200.00	9.61	5.26	7.50	7.37
34	Nellie F. Sisson	75.00	4.92	1.99	2.50	4.41
35	H. A. Chadwick	75.00	4.66	1.99	2.50	4.15
36	A. A. Duke, C. K. Macomber & A. M. Little	100.00	8.84	2.73	2.50	9.07
37	Leanna A. & Hattie A. Hicks	75.00	2.17	1.94	2.17	1.94
38	Mabel A. Mosher	100.00	6.15	2.67	3.50	5.32
39	David D. Tripp Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
40	Mary E. Tripp	50.00	64.85	2.88		67.73
41	Abiatha Poole & Mary Grant	200.00	59.25	6.50	5.00	60.75

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

42	Gilbert Miller Est.	100.00	12.48	2.81	2.50	12.79
43	Willard W. Turner & Kate B. French	100.00	24.97	3.13	2.50	25.60
44	Mary E. White, Est.	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
45	John Manchester	75.00	8.36	2.09	2.50	7.95
46	Willard M. Pettet	100.00	7.64	2.68	2.50	7.82
47	Charles H. Sisson, Exr.	50.00	7.07	1.42		8.49
48	Mrs. T. V. B. Nye	50.00	6.65	1.41	2.50	5.56
49	Edward Tripp	100.00	3.03	2.59	3.00	2.62
50	Edwin Case Lot	75.00	7.87	2.07	2.50	7.44
51	James H. Allen	75.00	2.55	1.94	2.50	1.99
52	J. A. Davis Lot	100.00	14.45	2.87	2.50	14.82
53	Mary T. Cornell Est.	200.00	85.95	7.17	2.50	90.62
54	Davoll Lot	100.00	18.61	2.98	2.50	19.09
55	Harriett O. Hambly	100.00	7.40	2.69	2.50	7.59
56	Carrie E. Mayo	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
57	George A. Hathaway	100.00	6.67	2.68	2.50	6.85
58	George H. Gifford Lot	100.00	4.27	2.61	2.50	4.38
59	John M. Howland Lot	75.00	3.12	1.97	2.50	2.59
60	Lucy Adams Lot	50.00	6.40	1.41	1.25	6.56
61	Andrew M. Tripp Lot	100.00	4.94	2.64	2.50	5.08
62	Melina F. Gifford	100.00	18.21	2.97	2.50	18.68
63	Roby A. Case Lot	100.00	10.45	2.77	2.50	10.72
64	William W. Whalon	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

65	Laura Macomber	100.00	19.06	2.99	3.75	18.30
66	Nathaniel T. Gifford	100.00	13.15	2.84	2.50	13.49
67	D. R. Tripp Lot	150.00	11.07	4.02	3.75	11.34
69	George Freelove Lot	100.00	5.65	2.64	3.75	4.54
70	Albert F. King, Jr.	15.00	0.43	0.38	0.43	0.38
71	Charles Sisson Lot	200.00	9.19	5.25	2.50	11.94
72	George F. & Adelaide Lawton Lot	50.00	6.43	1.41		7.84
73	M. Ethel King Foster	60.00	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54
74	Edwin P. Tripp	100.00	2.54	2.57	2.50	2.61
75	Philip H. Reed Lot	200.00	35.82	5.92	3.00	38.74
76	John Smith Lot	50.00	0.63	1.27	0.63	1.27
78	Mary Sherman Lot	250.00	265.00	10.78		275.78
79	Calvin J. Reynolds Lot	100.00		1.04		1.04
80	Susannah T. Sanford	150.00				
Totals		\$7,390.00	\$967.63	\$202.16	\$182.68	\$987.11

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY
Edward A. Sherman, Superintendent

Ledger Page	Name of Depositor	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1939	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1940
151	James H. Manchester	\$100.00	\$3.34	\$2.58	\$2.50	\$3.42
152	Mary C. Tripp Lot	40.00	11.43	1.29	1.25	11.47
153	Charles F. Russell Lot	75.00	3.11	1.97	2.50	2.58
154	Henry Feenan	25.00	1.53	0.66		2.19
155	Elizabeth A. Cook	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
156	J. M. Wright Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
157	George A. Simmons Lot	100.00	15.38	2.89	4.50	13.77
158	Prudence S. & George A. Simmons	100.00	4.00	2.59	2.50	4.09
159	Wilson Sherman	100.00	2.96	2.58	2.96	2.58
161	John A. Jenks Lot	75.00	16.14	2.29	3.50	14.93
162	John A. Perry Lot	50.00	1.43	1.29	1.43	1.29
163	Rhoda T. Macomber	100.00	13.18	2.82	2.50	13.50
164	Charles L., Wm. A. & Edw. Sherman	125.00	3.59	3.23	2.50	4.32
165	William H. Burrows	50.00	1.42	1.29		2.71
166	Jane F. Taber & Frank H. Snell	150.00	16.59	4.18	5.00	15.77
167	William C. Wordell Lot	25.00	10.94	0.89	1.25	10.58
168	Ruth W. Reed	100.00	13.45	2.84	4.50	11.79
169	Mary W. Briggs Lot	75.00	13.78	2.21	2.50	13.49

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

170	Abner Kirby Lot	50.00	7.16	1.42		8.58
171	Ruth S. Sherman Lot	175.00	93.61	6.74	2.50	97.85
172	Rosina J. Tripp Lot	100.00	25.37	3.14	2.50	26.01
173	Benjamin S. Thurston	100.00	20.26	3.01	2.50	20.77
174	Rhoda Davis Est.	75.00	8.84	2.09	2.00	8.93
175	Amy S. Tripp Lot	100.00	22.03	3.07		25.10
176	Eliza Macomber Lot	100.00	3.07	2.59	2.59	3.79
177	Melantha B. Adams & Julia A. Tripp	50.00	10.12	1.50	2.50	9.12
178	William Sherman Est.	100.00	12.48	2.81	3.50	11.79
179	William E. Sherman Est.	100.00	8.61	2.71	6.50	4.82
180	Nellie E. Pettey	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
181	Ezekiel W. Reed	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
182	Cynthia A. Mosher	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
183	Ellsworth L. Sabins	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
184	Charles R. Allen	50.00	17.64	1.69		19.33
185	James F. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
186	Mrs. Charles F. Allen	50.00	9.20	1.48	1.25	9.43
187	Eli F. Pettey	75.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
188	Rachael M. Trafford	100.00	22.92	3.08	6.50	19.50
189	William A. Davis Lot	150.00	10.17	4.00	3.00	11.17
190	Mary A. & Lydia A. Lewis Lot	75.00	5.18	2.01	2.50	4.69
191	Luther B. Tripp	75.00	8.84	2.09	2.50	8.43
192	Isaac L. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

193	Lucy G. Barney Est.	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
194	Mary Wordell	75.00	12.19	2.19	2.50	11.88
195	Emma Garland	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
196	Mary A. Allen	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
197	Henry H. Gifford Lot	75.00	5.63	2.01	2.50	5.14
198	Dianna Kirby Est.	100.00	3.97	2.60	2.50	4.07
199	Mrs. Elliot S. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
200	Alice A. Sisson	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
202	Frank S. Pettey	100.00	12.98	2.83	2.50	13.31
203	George A. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
204	Charles T. Frates	100.00	26.91	3.18	2.50	27.59
205	George M. Mosher	75.00	21.16	2.41	2.50	21.07
206	A. E. Sabins & E. K. Thompson	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
207	Richmond L. Grinnell Est.	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
208	F. A. Mosher	75.00	10.70	2.14	3.50	9.34
209	Wilbar D. Tripp Est.	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
210	William E. Manchester Est.	100.00	72.68	4.33	2.50	74.51
211	George A. King Lot	50.00	1.45	1.29	1.45	1.29
212	Capt. James F. Tripp Lot	75.00	19.03	2.37	2.50	18.90
213	Abner B. Kirby	50.00	26.94	1.91		28.85
214	Adoniram King	75.00	2.88	1.94	2.50	2.32
215	Arthur E. Lawrence	100.00	38.97	3.48	2.50	39.95
216	Daniel Whalon Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

217	Lydia A. Ellis Lot	150.00	25.33	4.40	2.50	27.23
218	Mrs. A. May Tucker	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
219	C. H. & Elizabeth J. Roberts Lot	50.00	31.61	2.04		33.65
220	George A. Jenks Lot	75.00	5.97	2.01	2.50	5.48
221	Orlando W. H. Snell Est.	75.00	8.38	2.09	2.50	7.97
222	M. E. Lawrence Est.	75.00	7.33	2.07	2.50	6.90
223	Walter E. Crapo	25.00	0.71	0.64	0.71	0.64
224	Emma A. Reed Lot	75.00	19.77	2.37	2.50	19.64
225	Lydia A. Crapo Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
226	Alice E. Russell & Mary E. Kirby	75.00	13.61	2.21	2.50	13.32
227	Wilfred A. Briggs Lot	50.00	17.20	1.69	2.50	16.39
228	James F. Tripp	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
229	Anna Eliza Gifford	50.00	19.52	1.74	1.25	20.01
230	George E. Gifford Lot	75.00	59.14	3.37		62.51
231	Lillian Allen for Simmons Lot	75.00	6.21	2.04	2.50	5.75
232	Mary E. Howland Lot	150.00	41.99	4.82	2.50	44.31
233	Phineas W. Crapo Lot	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.85	2.58
234	Elton David & Melville L. Sherman	66.00	1.88	1.69	1.88	1.69
235	Elton Davis	34.00	1.75	0.89	1.25	1.39
236	Rose L. Ashley Est.	100.00	13.73	2.85	2.50	14.08
237	Eunice Gidley	150.00	46.73	4.94	2.50	49.17
238	John Smith	75.00	9.41	2.11	2.50	9.02
239	Hannah Andrews	75.00	2.14	1.94	2.14	1.94

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

240	William Allison Lot	75.00	4.08	1.99	2.50	3.57
241	E. A. Jones Lot	75.00	21.94	2.43	3.50	20.87
242	Franklin K. Sisson	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
243	Georgianna Tripp	100.00	28.94	3.21	2.50	29.10
244	Robert S. Reed Lot	100.00	11.41	2.79	2.50	11.70
245	Lydia Sherman Lot	100.00	7.63	2.69	2.50	7.82
247	Jireh Gifford Lot	100.00	21.59	3.05	1.00	23.64
248	Amy A. Poole	175.00	33.02	5.22	14.50	23.74
249	Charles R. Macomber Lot	100.00	21.73	3.05	2.50	22.28
250	Mrs. Effie Farley	150.00	26.17	4.43	2.50	28.10
251	Myrtle Whalon	100.00	4.76	2.63	2.50	4.89
252	Mrs. B. F. Reed	75.00	3.45	1.97	2.50	2.92
253	D. E. Sanford Lot	150.00	4.26	3.88	4.26	3.88
255	Edward S. Maxfield	100.00	6.40	2.67	2.50	6.57
256	Joseph Manha	100.00	5.92	2.65	2.50	6.07
257	Ruth J. Brownell	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
258	Joseph M. Shorrock Est.	100.00	6.15	2.67	2.50	6.32
259	Frank E. Brightman & Abbie Gibson	100.00	6.57	2.67	2.50	6.74
260	Benjamin C. Tripp	100.00	4.69	2.61	2.50	4.80
261	Elvira Wordell Lot	150.00	7.61	3.95	2.00	9.56
263	Mary Brocklehurst Lot	100.00	4.56	2.61	2.25	4.92
264	Erastus Brownell Lot	100.00	2.73	2.58	2.50	2.81
265	Ellen Tripp	200.00	9.00	5.24	2.50	11.74

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY—Continued

266	E. Walter Blossom	150.00	9.34	4.00	2.50	10.84
268	Ralph Maddigan	50.00	1.30	1.28	1.30	1.28
269	Est. Edwin Borden	150.00	5.47	3.90	2.50	6.87
270	Augustus C. Lawton Lot	100.00	4.87	2.63		7.50
271	George S. Lawton	100.00	4.42	2.61		7.03
272	George W. Records Lot	100.00	3.58	2.59	2.50	3.67
273	Est. of W. C. Borden	150.00	3.45	3.85	2.50	4.80
274	Nancy A. Sherman Lot	100.00	1.25	2.54		3.79
275	Cynthia Wordell Lot	100.00		2.30		2.30
276	Edgar E. Cory	60.00				
277	Sarah E. Lawton	100.00				
278	Mrs. Philip Manchester	100.00		0.62		0.62
Totals		\$10,225.00	\$1,318.97	\$282.47	\$260.06	\$1,341.38

WESTPORT POINT CEMETERY
William W. Brightman, Superintendent

Ledger Page	Name of Depositor	Deposit	Available Jan.1,1939	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan.1,1940
1	Alexander Groves Lot	\$50.00	\$9.63	\$1.49	\$2.00	\$9.12
2	Pardon Davis & Lydia A. D. Ball, 2 Lots	100.00	3.10	2.59	3.00	2.69
3	Pardon Case Lot	50.00	1.57	1.29	1.50	1.36
4	Alexander Hix Lot	50.00	13.26	1.59	3.00	11.85
5	Isaac Cory Lot	50.00	1.87	1.29	1.75	1.41
6	Benjamin Gifford Lot	50.00	1.87	1.29	1.50	1.66
7	Abram Dyer Est.	75.00	8.97	2.10	2.00	9.07
8	Peirce & Isaac B. Tompkins Est.	75.00	5.21	2.01	2.00	5.22
9	Jeremiah Brightman Lot	100.00	24.46	3.13	4.00	23.59
10	Alfred C. Tripp Lot	50.00	1.77	1.29	1.75	1.31
11	Thomas Watkins Lot	100.00	39.46	3.50	4.00	38.96
12	Rufus W. Brightman Lot	50.00	7.22	1.42	2.00	6.64
13	Charles P. Sowle Lot	50.00	4.12	1.36	2.00	3.48
14	Horatio H. Brownell Lot	300.00	161.45	11.60	8.00	165.05
15	Cornelius Allen Lot	50.00	1.57	1.29	1.50	1.36
16	Edward G. Sowle Lot	100.00	11.47	2.79	4.00	10.26
17	Elias P. Brightman Lot	300.00	143.14	11.14	6.00	148.28
18	Simeon Macomber Lot	100.00	28.54	3.23	2.50	29.27
19	Capt. Elijah Robinson Lot	50.00	1.66	1.29	1.50	1.45

WESTPORT POINT CEMETERY—Continued

20	Alfred C. Davis Lot.....	100.00	31.68	3.30	3.00	31.98
21	Lizzie C. Potter	50.00	3.66	1.34	2.00	3.00
22	James W. Manchester Lot.....	50.00	1.74	1.29	1.50	1.53
23	Restcome Macomber Lot.....	50.00	2.02	1.30	1.50	1.82
24	George A. Gifford Lot.....	75.00	7.68	2.07	2.00	7.75
25	Allen Tripp Lot	75.00	3.02	1.97	2.00	2.99
26	Frederick A. Wing Lot.....	100.00	14.90	2.88	3.00	14.78
27	Charles C. Hall Lot.....	100.00	13.71	2.85	3.00	13.56
28	Diana Cory Lot	100.00	13.47	2.84	4.25	12.06
29	Charles W. C. Hammond Lot.....	100.00	6.05	2.66	2.50	6.21
30	Thomas B. Earle Lot.....	100.00	13.65	2.85	2.00	14.50
31	Pardon Manchester Lot	50.00	1.76	1.29	1.50	1.55
32	Alexander Brightman Lot.....	50.00	8.48	1.47	1.25	8.70
33	George L. Manchester Lot.....	100.00	4.48	2.61	3.00	4.09
34	Gideon Allen Lot	100.00	2.65	2.57	2.50	2.72
35	Elihu Macomber Lot	100.00	5.11	2.64	2.00	5.75
36	Bethany Wood Lot	50.00	1.15	1.28	1.00	1.43
37	Zoath Howland Lot	50.00		1.15		1.15
Totals		\$3,150.00	\$605.55	\$94.05	\$92.00	\$607.60

PRIVATE BURIAL LOTS

Ledger Page	Name of Depositor	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1939	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1940
101	Henry Brightman Lot.....	\$100.00	\$2.86	\$2.58	\$2.86	\$2.58
102	Brownell Lot, F. J. Palmer Farm.....	300.00	9.98	7.77	5.00	12.75
103	Stephen K. Howland Lot.....	200.00	5.69	5.16	3.00	7.85
104	Geo. Wing Lot, Susan F. Atwood Farm...	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.61	2.82
105	Green Allen Lot.....	500.00	17.02	13.00	8.00	22.02
106	William B. Hicks Lot.....	250.00	7.45	6.46	6.00	7.91
107	Silas Kirby Lot.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.50	2.93
108	Sherman Burial Lot, Robert Sherman Farm.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
109	Charles Sisson Lot.....	50.00	4.19	1.36	2.00	3.55
110	Tripp Lot, Brownell Farm.....	100.00	2.85	2.58	2.50	2.93
111	Ezekiel Brownell Lot.....	200.00	5.70	5.16	4.00	6.86
112	George Cook Brownell Lot.....	50.00	36.92	2.18		39.10
113	David Sanford Burial Lot.....	50.00	12.78	1.57		14.35
114	Rufus E. Wordell Lot, Macomber Cor.....	100.00	2.86	2.58	2.50	2.94
115	Rufus E. Wordell Lot, Macomber Cor.....	117.00	.33	3.01	3.00	3.34
116	Walter S. Davis Lot.....	100.00	3.05	2.59	3.00	2.64
117	Jacob Allen Lot.....	300.00	10.10	7.79	7.00	10.89
118	Mathias E. Gammons Lot, W. Cornell Farm.....	50.00	6.20	1.40	3.00	4.60

PRIVATE BURIAL LOTS—Continued

119	William H. Gifford Lot, No. Westport..	300.00	8.63	7.75	6.00	10.38
120	Mathias E. Gammons Lot, Drift Road.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
121	Certain Lots in Friends' Burial Grounds at Gifford Corner	500.00	18.21	13.03	9.00	22.24
122	Holder White Burial Lot.....	75.00	2.10	1.91	2.00	2.01
123	James F. Tripp Lot	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
124	Timothy C., Jas. Allen & Abner Wilcox Lots	700.00	22.83	18.13	8.00	32.96
125	Friends' Burial Lot, Central Village.....	200.00	5.70	5.16	5.00	5.86
126	Holder Wordell Lot	100.00	3.47	2.59	2.50	3.56
127	Graves of Reuben Davol and Mary Wordell & South Corner.....	50.00	1.42	1.29	1.42	1.29
129	White Cemetery, John Smith Farm.....	200.00	5.15	5.15	4.00	6.30
130	Tripp Lot, Drift Road	200.00	5.54	5.16	4.00	6.70
Totals		\$5,142.00	\$213.99	\$134.39	\$103.15	\$245.23

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,
Town Accountant.

TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending December 31, 1939

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1939	\$ 60,662.02
Received Jan. 1 to Dec 31, 1939	536,198.32
Total	<u>\$596,860.34</u>

EXPENDITURES

Expended Jan. 1, to Dec. 31, 1939	\$494,637.68
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1940	102,222.66
Total	<u>\$596,860.34</u>

ON DEPOSIT

Fall River National Bank	\$96,704.15
Old Age Asst. Account, Fall River National Bank	5,000.00
Merchants National Bank Boston	518.51
Balance Jan. 1, 1940	<u>\$102,222.66</u>

ALEXANDER WALSH,
Town Treasurer.

PERMANENT LOANS—OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1939

Date of Issue	Date Due	Rate	Purpose	Amount
May 15, 1923	May 15, 1940	4.50	Schoolhouse	\$2,400.00
May 15, 1923	May 15, 1941	4.50	Schoolhouse	2,400.00
May 15, 1923	May 15, 1942	4.50	Schoolhouse	2,400.00
May 15, 1923	May 15, 1943	4.50	Schoolhouse	2,400.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1940	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1941	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1942	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1943	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1944	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1945	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1946	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1947	2.50	High School Addition	2,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1948	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1949	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1950	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1951	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1952	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1953	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1954	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1955	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1956	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1940	2	Westport Point Bridge	1,000.00
Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1941	2	Westport Point Bridge	1,000.00
Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1942	2	Westport Point Bridge	1,000.00
Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1943	2	Westport Point Bridge	1,000.00
Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1944	2	Westport Point Bridge	1,000.00
Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1945	2	Westport Point Bridge	1,000.00

Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1946	2	Westport Point Bridge	500.00
Mar. 31, 1937	Mar. 31, 1940	2	Highway Equipment	1,000.00
Mar. 31, 1937	Mar. 31, 1941	2	Highway Equipment	1,000.00
Mar. 31, 1937	Mar. 31, 1942	2	Highway Equipment	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1940	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1941	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1942	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1943	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1944	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1945	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1946	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1947	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1948	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1949	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1950	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1951	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1952	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1953	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1954	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1955	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1956	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1957	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1958	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00

Total \$72,100.00

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, Jr.

Town Accountant.

ALEXANDER WALSH,

Town Treasurer.

REPORT ON MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Central Village, Mass., February 5, 1940

Appropriation		\$73,000.00
Advertising for Bids	\$174.86	
Certifying Notes	30.00	
Printing Coupons	34.00	
	<hr/>	\$286.86
Land and title examining		550.00
Construction and Tests		64,653.34
Engineering, Architects fees and Supervision		6,183.75
Legal and Miscellaneous expense		1,088.22
Interest*		337.50
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Total		\$73,051.67
Discount		51.67
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		\$73,000.00

ALEXANDER WALSH,
Town Treasurer.

* Not customary to charge this to building cost.

TOWN ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen,
Mr. George W. Russell, Chairman,
Westport, Massachusetts.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my eleventh annual report of the accounts of the Town of Westport for the year ending December 31, 1939.

Very truly yours,

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, Jr.
Town Accountant.

General Revenue

RECEIPTS

Taxes:

Current Year	\$85,038.22
Previous Years	58,369.30
M. V. Excise Tax 1935	4.96
M. V. Excise Tax 1936	92.25
M. V. Excise Tax 1937	492.77
M. V. Excise Tax 1938	243.55
M. V. Excise Tax 1939	7,135.79
Tax Titles	2,789.69
Tax Title Possessions	1,560.00
	<hr/> \$155,726.53

From State:

Income Tax	14,647.45
Corporation Tax	1,172.52
Tuition of Children	1,433.45
Care of Indigent Persons	45.35
	<hr/> 17,298.77

Licenses:

Liquor (beer included)	4,116.00	
Sunday	170.00	
Common Victualler	120.00	
Junk	15.00	
Dance	35.00	
Garbage	59.50	
M. V. Junk	10.00	
Bus	1.00	
Pasteurization	40.00	
Horse Slaughter	1.00	
Hawkers and Peddlers	35.00	
Milk	15.50	
Peddlers	5.00	
Pool	5.00	
Revolver	3.50	
Gasoline	1.00	
Alcohol	1.00	
Slaughter	3.00	
	<hr/>	4,636.50

Fines and Forfeits:

Court Fines	202.00
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Grants and Gifts:

State:

Industrial Schools	2,742.93
English Speaking Classes	137.25

Federal:

Smith Hughes Fund	337.87	
George - Deen Fund	1,080.00	
	<hr/>	4,298.05

Federal:

Old Age Assistance—	
Assistance	\$18,904.02
Old Age Assistance—	
Administrative	630.08

Aid to Dependent Children		
Assistance	1,336.58	
Aid to Dependent Children		
Administrative	114.17	
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From County:		
Dog Licenses		599.89
Other General Revenue:		
Reimbursement—		
Perpetual Care Lots	1,061.84	
Reimbursement—		
Landing Commissioners	61.50	
Reimbursement—		
Military Police Bill 1938	129.94	
Reimbursement—		
Education Bill 1938	24.50	
Deposit on Furniture Bid	10.00	
Costs on Taxes and Tax Titles	155.82	
Dog Licenses from Individuals		
Paid to County	1,168.20	
Sale of Acoaxet Schoolhouse	285.00	
Taxes—Section 72	18.71	
Advertising Liquor Licenses	31.70	
Highway Fund, Chap. 232,		
Acts of 1939	13,475.47	
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Departmental

General Government:		
Federal:		
Contract—Municipal Office Building	22,990.84	
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department:		
Ambulance Service	14.00	
Toll Calls	5.00	
Sale of Heater	15.00	
	<hr/>	34.00

Fire Department:		
Fuel Oil Permits	20.50	
Fines	25.50	
Reimbursement—		
Service of Apparatus	18.50	
	<hr/>	64.50
Sealer's of Weights and Measures		
Fees		58.24
Health and Sanitation:		
Nursing Fees	19.25	
Slaughter Fees	673.55	
	<hr/>	692.80
Highways and Bridges:		
Contract - Chapter 90 Maintenance		
State	1,176.22	
County	1,176.22	
	<hr/>	2,352.44
Charities:		
Public Welfare:		
State	1,186.27	
Cities and Towns	1,674.85	
Individuals	1,462.15	
Old Age Assistance:		
State	13,112.52	
Cities and Towns	458.53	
Individuals	117.00	
Aid to Dependent Children		
State	881.08	
	<hr/>	18,892.40
Soldiers Benefits:		
State:		
Military Aid	195.00	
State Aid	10.00	
	<hr/>	205.00

Schools:

Rent of Auditorium	29.00	
Sale of Loom	10.00	
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		39.00

Public Library:

Fines		5.42
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Unclassified:

Reimbursement from County		
Dog Officer's Services	24.00	
Land Rent in Lieu of Taxes 1938	833.12	
Land Rent in Lieu of Taxes 1939	1,794.24	
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		2,651.36

Cemeteries:

Sale of Lots	50.00	
Care of Lots and Graves:		
Annual Care	128.30	
Interments	149.00	
Foundation Work	104.00	
Cleaning Stones	7.50	
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		438.80

Interest:

Taxes	2,895.60	
Tax Titles	166.14	
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		3,061.74

Municipal Indebtedness:

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	175,000.00	
Renewal Loans	50,000.00	
Special Loan, Chap. 82,		
Acts 1938	9,859.16	
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		234,859.16

Agency Trust and Investment:

Trust Funds:

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds		785.00
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Agency:		
State Tax	15,840.00	
County Tax	9,598.84	
	<hr/>	25,438.84

Refunds:

Treasurer	24.95	
Municipal Office Building	1,000.00	
Police	11.33	
Highways and Bridges	1.75	
Old Age Assistance	87.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	9.00	
Old Age Assistance—Assistance	93.00	
Education	72.64	
Insurance	313.41	
W. P. A.	7.50	
M. V. Excise Tax 1938	12.38	
M. V. Excise Tax 1939	168.49	
Taxes 1939	497.50	
Estimated Receipts		
(Interest on Taxes)	1.00	
Public Welfare		
Accounts Receivable	142.93	
Tax Titles	16.70	
	<hr/>	2,459.58
Total Receipts		535,198.39
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1939		60,661.52
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		\$595,859.91

Payments

Ending December 31, 1939

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Legislative:

Moderator's Salary	\$	20.00
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Selectmen's Department:

Salary	\$1,275.00	
Expense		
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	57.69	
Auto Hire and Travel Expense	188.57	
Telephone	137.46	
Advertising	36.05	
Association Dues	6.00	
Flag	16.00	
Auctioneers Services	5.00	
Signs	57.50	
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		1,779.27

Accounting Department

Salary	1,299.96	
Expenses		
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	3.23	
Auto Hire and Travel Expense	37.29	
Repairs to Typewriter	7.50	
		<hr/>
		1,347.98

State Audit Tax:	147.27
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Treasury Department:

Salary	800.00
Expense:	
Auto Hire and Travel Expense	164.52
Printing, Stationery and	
Postage	259.32
Surety Bond	159.50
Certification of Notes	20.00

Recording	27.59	
Office Equipment	448.94	
Land Court Entries	37.25	
Attorney's Services	112.00	
Telephone	6.10	
Maps	4.50	
Repairs to Typewriter	8.25	
Association Dues	2.00	
	<hr/>	2,049.97

Collector's Department:

Salary	\$1500.00	
Expenses:		
Auto Hire and Travel Expense	154.33	
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	324.45	
Surety Bond	282.00	
Attorney's Services	72.43	
Clerical Hire	76.00	
Deputy Collector's Services	34.40	
Advertising	81.46	
Preparing and Recording Deeds	174.00	
	<hr/>	2,699.07

Assessors Department:

Salary	2,4000.00	
Expenses:		
Auto Hire and Travel Expense	144.50	
Printing, Stationery and		
Postage	32.35	
Preparing Valuation Lists	137.50	
List of Conveyances of Property	55.80	
Plans	55.00	
Association Dues	3.00	
	<hr/>	2,828.15

Law Department:

Town Counsel	535.02
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Town Clerk's Department:

Salary	700.00	
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Expense:

Printing, Stationery and Postage	43.81	
Surety Bond	7.50	
Repair to Typewriter	15.00	
Travel Expense	5.00	
Association Dues	2.00	
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		773.31

Election and Registration:

Wages:

Registrars	688.00
Election Officers	72.00

Expenses:

Printing and Stationery	228.25	
Mileage	4.20	
Use of Chairs	16.00	
Advertising	6.26	
Constable Services	26.00	
Replace Lost Chairs	5.00	
Auto Hire (Registrars)	44.00	
Lists	4.00	
Labor on Booths	5.00	
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		1,098.71

Engineering Department:

Surveys	47.00
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Landing Commissioners:

Salaries	45.00
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Platting	1000.00
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Construction of Municipal Office Building:

Clerk of Works

Salary	1,460.00
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Contracts		
Building	52,059.79	
Screens	135.00	
Shades	120.26	
Grading	4,396.07	
Moving Safes	283.00	
Furnishings and Equipment	3,751.96	
Interest on Notes	337.50	
Attorney's Services	1,000.00	
Advertising	120.33	
Testing Concrete and Water	55.83	
Acknowledgments	6.50	
Maps	1.25	
Architect Fees	1,570.59	
	<hr/>	65,298.08

Town Hall Maintenance (Old)

Janitor		
Salary	181.25	
Expense:		
Fuel	197.60	
Light	92.29	
Janitor's Supplies	1.78	
Repairs	21.75	
Care of Lawn	5.50	
	<hr/>	500.17

Town Hall Maintenance (New):

Janitor:		
Salary	360.00	
Expense:		
Fuel	144.10	
Light	17.69	
Janitor's Supplies	120.14	
Moving Furnishings not in		
Contract	75.00	
Telephone	168.25	
Labor on Trees	4.00	
	<hr/>	889.18

Protection of Persons and Property

Police Department:

Salaries:

Chief	1,194.54
Regular Officers	4,973.89

Wages:

Reserve Officers	366.21
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Expense:

Telephone	275.85
Light	71.54
Fuel	38.56
Gasoline	410.41
Repairs	129.70
Oil	8.00
Tires	92.00
Garage Rent	35.50
Office Rent	158.80
Office Supplies	33.01
Directory	2.50
Equipment	161.33
Outlay	34.86
Signs	13.30

8,000.00

Fire Department:

Equipment and Repairs:

Equipment	\$648.47
Repairs	691.31
Outlay on Maxim	50.94

Fuel and Light:

Fuel	251.60
Light	113.11

Building:

Repairs	14.20
Equipment	5.00

Other Expenses:

Gasoline	119.55
Oil	22.35

Stationery and Postage	11.23	
Telephone	221.57	
Maps	1.45	
Tires and Tubes	322.47	
Anti-Freeze	15.00	
Garage Rent—North End Truck	76.00	
Association Dues	3.00	
Supplies	7.85	
Convention Expenses	20.00	
Food	3.50	
Wages	101.30	
	<hr/>	2,699.90
Permanent Man:		
Salary		1,350.00
Remuneration of Firemen:		
Wages		750.00
Forest Fires:		
Wages	464.45	
Expense:		
Equipment	153.55	
Association Dues	5.00	
Food	2.00	
	<hr/>	625.00
Purchase of Hose		300.00
Insect Pest Extermination:		
Labor	4.00	
Equipment	39.75	
Insecticide	119.62	
Gasoline and Oil	15.56	
Signs	6.75	
Travel Expense	8.50	
	<hr/>	194.18
Tree Warden's Department:		
Labor	595.05	
Equipment	53.01	
Truck Hire	56.00	
	<hr/>	704.06

Fish Commissioners		
Salary		15.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Wages	127.50	
Expense:		
Equipment	15.36	
	<hr/>	142.86

Health and Sanitation

General Administration:		
Salaries	360.00	
Expense:		
Office Supplies Postage	44.02	
License Plates	14.47	
Travel Expense	14.52	
Tuberculosis:		
Board and Treatment	474.50	
Vital Statistics:		
Births	62.00	
Marriages	28.50	
Deaths	46.00	
Other Expense:		
Substitute Nurse	145.00	
Medicine and Medical Attendance	112.86	
Truck Hire	2.00	
Squill Powder—Rat Poison	28.75	
Inspection:		
Animals	315.00	
Meat	1,208.00	
Expense:		
Transportation	120.00	
Dental Clinic:		
Expense:		
Supplies	\$6.55	
Refuse and Garbage:		
Garbage	105.00	
	<hr/>	3,087.17

Town Nurse:		
Salary	1,395.13	
Transportation	361.11	
	<hr/>	1,756.24
Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital:		
Maintenance		4,318.06

Highways and Bridges

General Administration:	
Salary	1,500.00
General Expense:	
Wages	9,339.32
Stone	101.81
Equipment and Repairs	1,539.12
Truck—Replacement	65.00
Power	28.78
Light	33.81
Telephone	51.49
Medical Supplies	4.20
Registration Plates	2.00
Gasoline	227.85
Oil	12.15
Grease	15.00
Lumber	25.46
Kerosene	56.85
Grader Hire	146.01
Tractor Hire	258.25
Culvert	776.04
Posts	7.80
Guard Fence	20.24
Cement	16.90
Dynamite	158.63
Electric Lamps	.90
Coal	2.50
Travel Expense	7.50
Tar	2,547.34
Crusher Maintenance	206.78

Truck Maintenance:		
Repairs	2,673.36	
Equipment	591.40	
Tires and Tubes	1,685.29	
Gasoline	1,985.62	
Oil	444.09	
Anti-Freeze	21.60	
Grease	46.32	
	<hr/>	24,599.41
State Park Tax		245.76
Layout of Drift Road—Acoaxet:		
Survey		178.62
Repairs to Sunset Avenue:		
Labor		300.00
Tar and Gravel Union Street:		
Labor	45.50	
Tar	229.50	
	<hr/>	275.00
Extension of Briggs Road:		
Labor	372.63	
Dynamite	127.37	
	<hr/>	500.00
Tar and Gravel Atlantic Avenue:		
Labor	196.00	
Tar	1,261.01	
Grader Hire	42.99	
	<hr/>	1,500.00
Maintenance of Highways—Chap 90:		
Labor	1,454.71	
Tar	2,459.15	
Culvert	586.06	
	<hr/>	4,499.92
Repairs to Westport Point Wharf		329.63
Drawtender:		
Salary		150.00

Public Landings:		
Horseneck Beach Landing:		
Advertising	15.00	
Head Landing:		
Labor	46.50	
	<hr/>	61.50
Street Lighting:		
Contract		2,921.26
Traffic Signal:		
Contract		582.00

Charities

Public Welfare:	
General Administration:	
Salaries	750.00
Expense:	
Printing, Stationery and	
Postage	152.98
Clerk	585.00
Extra Clerical	11.00
Stenographer	80.00
Travel Expense	82.66
Association Dues	4.00
Telephone	105.09
Distributing Clothing	12.50
Repairs to Typewriter	8.25
Outside Relief by Town:	
Groceries	3,621.73
Fuel	720.00
Board and Care	1,549.06
Medicine and Medical	
Attendance	1,793.95
Cash Aid	1,789.45
Other Expense:	
Burials	200.00
Shoes and Rubbers	65.06
Clothing	3.38
Auto Hire	166.48

Truck Hire	40.00	
Gasoline	19.60	
Attorney's Services	62.50	
Heater	9.00	
Labor	8.00	
Relief by Cities and Towns:		
Cities	4,045.42	
Towns	1,159.72	
Infirmary:		
Superintendent	2,401.44	
Other Expense:		
Dry Goods and Clothing	33.61	
Repairs	231.69	
Fuel	128.00	
Outlay	722.21	
Equipment	254.00	
Barber	10.40	
Tobacco (For Inmates)	14.30	
Medicine	6.48	
		20,846.96
Old Age Assistance:		
General Administration:		
Clerk	200.00	
Travel Expense	78.17	
Office Supplies and Postage	119.61	
Other Expense:		
Cash	21,996.13	
Medicine and Medical		
Attendance	207.55	
By Other Cities and Towns	804.91	
Dry Goods	12.84	
Board and Care	13.40	
Burials	200.00	
Rent	2.50	
Fuel	1.20	
Attorney's Services	32.05	
Reimbursement to State	22.50	
		23,690.86

Aid to Dependent Children:		
General Administration:		
Clerk	80.83	
Other Expense:		
Cash	3,650.85	
	<hr/>	3,731.68

Old Age Assistance (U. S. Grant):		
General Administration:		
Clerk	619.75	
Relief:		
Cash	18,948.19	
	<hr/>	19,567.94

Aid to Dependent Children (U. S. Grant):		
General Administration:		
Clerk	114.17	
Relief:		
Cash	1,298.80	
	<hr/>	1,412.97

Soldiers' Benefits

General Administration:		
Salary:		
Agent	249.96	
State Aid:		
Cash	120.00	
Soldiers' Relief:		
Cash	542.50	
Fuel	101.75	
Groceries	96.22	
Medicine and Medical		
Attendance	419.25	
Shoes	7.30	
	<hr/>	1,536.98

Schools

General:

Salary of Superintendent	2,400.00
School Committee Expense	232.60
Supervisor of Attendance	140.00
Printing, Stationery and	
Postage	111.06
Telephone	231.21
Traveling Expense	500.00
Clerk	936.00

Teachers' Salaries:

High	9,106.85
Elementary	25,002.62

Text Books and Supplies:

High:

Text Books	379.32
Supplies	285.11

Elementary:

Text Books	565.02
Supplies	768.56

Transportation:

High	2,928.15
Elementary	9,193.68

Janitors' Services:

High	1,180.00
Elementary	4,422.00

Fuel and Light:

High	699.96
Elementary	1,942.83

Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

High:

Repairs	172.11
Janitors' Supplies	20.33

Elementary:

Repairs	278.02
Janitors' Supplies	34.71

Other Expense:

High School Clerk	312.00
New Equipment and Outlay	261.76
Miscellaneous High and Elementary	
Expense of Operation	643.86
Tuition	41.66

Protection of Health:

Salaries	1,048.00
Other Expense:	
Rent of Athletic Field	100.00
Medical Supplies	16.56

63,953.98

Household Arts:

Salaries:

Teachers and Janitors	1,110.64
Transportation	365.70

Other Expense:

Equipment	105.94
Replacement	16.69
Text Books	61.40
Periodical	3.50
Supplies	78.38
Fuel	58.76
Repairs	3.52
Janitors' Supplies	1.87
Mileage	1.44

1,807.84

Agricultural:

Salaries:

Teachers	2,191.73
Transportation	837.60

Other Expense:

Text Books	32.17
Supplies	34.27
Periodical	.50
Outlay	103.73

3,200.00

Adult Alien:		
Teachers' and Janitors' Salaries		360.18
Continuation and Out-of-Town		
Vocational School:		
Tuition		1,000.00
Smith Hughes Fund:		
Teachers' Salaries		337.87
George-Deen Fund:		
Salary	1,017.32	
Mileage	4.74	
	<hr/>	1,022.06
High School Auditorium:		
Maintenance:		
Janitors' Services	17.50	
Extra Supervision	3.00	
Fuel and Light	11.00	
	<hr/>	31.50

Libraries

Free Public Library:		
Librarian's Services	74.81	
Asst. Librarian's Services	10.10	
Books	278.63	
Periodicals	3.00	
Office Supplies	33.35	
	<hr/>	399.89
Westport Public Library:		
Heat, Rent and Light		100.00
Westport Point Library:		
Heat, Rent and Light		100.00

Unclassified Bills

Memorial Day Observance:		
Firing Squad	18.00	
Drum and Bugle Corps	60.00	
Transportation	24.00	
Food	26.49	
Supplies	1.60	

Flowers for Soldiers Lot	20.00	
Wreath	2.00	
		152.09
Unclassified Bills:		
Town Reports	309.45	
Oaths	17.25	
Printing (Building Permits)	19.75	
		346.45
Insurance:		
Schools	872.09	
Workmen's Compensation	608.88	
Trucks	422.59	
Firemen	172.50	
Office Building	660.00	
Legion Hall	24.48	
Sealer's Building and Equipment	53.55	
Deputy Collector's Bond	10.00	
Messenger and Robbery	90.16	
Forgery	37.50	
		2,951.75
Unpaid Bills 1938:		
Treasurer's Dept.	1,500.00	
Law Dept.	300.00	
Health and Sanitation	410.72	
Public Welfare	808.17	
Education	12.00	
		3,030.89
Legion Hall Maintenance:		
Equipment	7.85	
Repairs	19.87	
Fuel	37.50	
Current	24.89	
		90.11
Deposit on Furniture Bid:		
Return		10.00
Dog Officer		75.00
Dog Licenses:		
Paid to County		1,156.20
Tailings Account		15.00

Miscellaneous W. P. A. Expenses

General Administration:

Salaries 1,560.00

Expense:

Fuel 44.50

Telephone 76.40

Rent of Office 117.00

Travel Expense 19.50

Office Supplies 17.69

General Expenses:

Sewing Materials 1,179.47

Use of Sewing Machines 54.00

Janitor (Sewing Project) 53.00

Commodities and Distribution

of Same 573.22

Truck Hire 619.03

Use of Compressor 144.00

Equipment 616.51

Insecticide 18.00

Lumber 128.75

Cement 914.26

Gasoline and Oil 107.14

Kerosene 14.34

Coal 2.96

Dynamite 69.19

Curb Forms 298.03

Ice 21.48

Supplies 330.41

Medical Supplies 40.24

Storage of Butter 38.50

Labor 102.50

Maps 9.60

Current 8.00

Travel Expense 11.00

Repairs 168.20

7,355.92

Cemeteries

Beech Grove Cemetery:

Salary:

Superintendent 1,061.02

Other Expenses:

Labor 222.44

Travel Expense 50.40

Equipment 96.76

Gasoline	130.19	
Cemetery Deed	9.00	
Garage Rent	15.00	
Repairs	50.24	
Oil	2.70	
Supplies	6.50	
Postage and Stationery	10.18	
Fertilizer	15.50	
Cement	10.75	
Team Hire	10.88	
Lumber	8.44	
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		1,700.00

Care of Soldiers' and Sailors' Graves and Lots:

Registration Officer's Services	25.00	
Labor	155.89	
Markers	7.66	
Flags	11.45	
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		200.00

Income— Cemetery Trust Funds:

Care of Lots:

Beech Grove	423.95	
Maple Grove	260.06	
Linden Grove	182.68	
Westport Point	92.00	
Private Burials	103.15	
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		1,061.84

Interest

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	339.04
Renewal	88.48

General Loans:

High School Addition	650.00	
Public Landing	8.75	
Point Bridge	150.00	
Highway Equipment	70.00	
Schoolhouse	486.00	
Municipal Office Building	337.50	
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		2,129.77

Municipal Indebtedness

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	150,000.00
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General Loans:

High School Addition	2,000.00
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Public Landing	500.00	
Highway Equipment	1,000.00	
Schoolhouse	2,400.00	
Point Bridge	1,000.00	
Municipal Office Building	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	158,900.00

Agency, Trust and Investment

Agency:

State Tax	15,840.00	
County Tax	9,598.84	
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Mosquito Control Tax	1,000.00
Veterans' Exemption Tax	34.78

Trust:

Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	785.00
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Refunds:

Treasurer	24.95	
Municipal Office Building	1,000.00	
Police	11.33	
Highways and Bridges	1.75	
Old Age Assistance	87.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	9.00	
Old Age Assistance—Assistance	93.00	
Education	72.64	
Insurance	313.41	
W. P. A.	7.50	
M. V. Excise Tax 1938	12.38	
M. V. Excise Tax 1939	168.49	
Taxes 1939	497.50	
Estimated Receipts		
(Interest on Taxes)	1.00	
Public Welfare Accounts		
Receivable	142.93	
Tax Titles	16.70	
	<hr/>	2,459.58

Total	493,637.68
Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1939	102,222.23
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	\$595,859.91

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, Jr.

Town Accountant.

TOWN OF WESTPORT
Balance Sheet — December 31, 1939

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities	
Cash	\$ 102,222.23	Dog Licenses to be paid to County	\$ 12.00
Accounts Receivable:		Temporary Loans:	
Taxes 1935—George Norman, Coll.	\$10.64	Notes in Anticipation of Revenue	\$125,000.00
Taxes 1936— " " "	19.15	Municipal Office Building,	
Taxes 1937— " " "	1,580.51	Chapter 82, Acts 1938	9,859.16
Taxes 1938— " " "	23,124.35		<hr/> 134,859.16
Taxes 1939— " " "	56,429.13	Tailings Account	837.30
	<hr/> 81,163.78	Sale of Cemetery Lots	120.00
M. V. Excise Tax, 1936	106.41	Unexpended balances to 1940:	
M. V. Excise Tax, 1937	338.59	Repairs to Westport Point Wharf	1,170.37
M. V. Excise Tax, 1938	62.78	Repairs to Westport Point Bridge	2,194.19
M. V. Excise Tax, 1939	382.68	Old Age Assistance—	
	<hr/> 890.46	Administrative	30.49
Tax Titles	11,711.72	Aid to Dependent Children—	
Tax Title Possessions	3,407.83	Assistance	207.83
	<hr/> 15,119.55	George-Deen Fund	226.62
Departmental:			<hr/> 3,829.50
Slaughter	75.40	Revenue reserved until collected:	
Highway	39.00	M. V. Excise Tax Revenue	890.46
Public Welfare	1,698.57	Tax Title Revenue	15,119.55
Old Age Assistance	1,088.50	Departmental Revenue	5,237.48
Aid to Dependent Children	1,506.31		<hr/> 21,247.49

Cemetery	709.70	
State Aid	120.00	
	<hr/>	5,237.48
Overdrawn State Accounts to be raised by Assessors in 1940:		
Mosquito Control Tax 1939	1,000.00	
Veterans Exemption Tax 1939	34.00	
	<hr/>	1,034.00
Overdrawn Special Accounts		
Construction of Municipal Office Building, to be reimbursed by Federal funds	9,340.65	
Maintenance of Highways, Chapter 90, to be reimbursed by County and State Funds	647.48	
	<hr/>	9,988.13
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		\$215,655.63

Overestimated State Tax:	
State Park Tax 1939	28.31
Overlay reserved for abatement of taxes:	
Levy 1936	19.15
Levy 1937	1,513.43
Levy 1938	2,020.30
Levy 1939	1,448.13
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	5,001.01
Overlay Surplus	1,958.46
Excess and Deficiency	47,762.40
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	\$215,655.63

FINANCIAL TABLE FOR THE YEAR 1939

	Balances Jan. 1, 1939	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers Cr.	Transfers Dr.	Expenditures	Balances to Revenue	Balances to 1940	Overdrafts
General Government									
Moderator, salary		\$ 20.00				\$ 20.00			
Selectmen, salary and expense		1,850.00				1,779.27	\$ 70.73		
Assessors, salary and expense		2,700.00		\$ 150.00		2,828.15	21.85		
Treasurer, salary and expense		2,050.00	\$ 24.95			2,074.92	.03		
Collector, salary and expense		2,500.00		200.00		2,699.07	.93		
Accountant, salary and expense		1,350.00				1,347.98	2.02		
Law Department		535.02				535.02			
Town Clerk, salary and expense		800.00				773.31	26.69		
Engineering		200.00				47.00	153.00		
Election and Registration		750.00		350.00		1,098.71	1.29		
Town Hall, maintenance		1,000.00		420.00		1,389.35	30.65		
Platting	\$ 1,000.00					1,000.00			
Construction of Municipal Office			1,000.00						
Building	32,966.59		**22,990.84			66,298.08			\$ 9,340.65
Landing Commissioners, salary		45.00				45.00			
Protection of Persons and Property									
Police, salary and expense		8,000.00	11.33			8,011.33			
				119.07					
				*391.00					
Fire Department, maintenance		2,000.00		309.28		2,818.97	.38		
Permanent Man, salary		1,350.00				1,350.00			
Remuneration of Firemen		750.00				750.00			
Forest Fires		500.00		*125.00		625.00			
Purchase of Hose		300.00			\$ 119.07	180.93			
Moth Suppression		300.00				194.18	105.82		
Tree Warden		800.00				704.06	95.94		
Sealer of Weights and Measures		200.00				142.86	57.14		
Fish Commissioners, salary		15.00				15.00			
Health and Sanitation		2,600.00		500.00		3,087.17	12.83		
Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital		4,318.06				4,318.06			
District Nurse, salary and transportation ..		1,800.00				1,756.24	43.76		
			1.75						
Highways and Bridges		20,200.00	†4,400.00	197.10	283.50	24,514.76	.59		
Layout of Drift Road—Acoaxet		200.00				178.62	21.38		
Repairs to Sunset Ave.		300.00				300.00			
Tar and Gravel Union Street		275.00				275.00			
Extension of Briggs Road		500.00				500.00			
Maintenance of Highways, Chapter 90 .		1,500.00	*2,352.44	197.10		4,302.82			647.48
Tar and Gravel Atlantic Ave.		1,500.00		283.50		1,783.50			
Repairs to Westport Point Wharf		2,000.00				829.63		\$ 1,170.37	
Repairs to Westport Point Bridge	2,194.19							2,194.19	

Street Lighting	3,000.00			2,921.26	78.74	
Traffic Signal		°582.00		582.00		
Drawtender, salary	150.00			150.00		
Public Welfare	23,000.00	254.25	2,000.00	21,101.21	153.04	
Old Age Assistance	22,000.00	87.00	2,000.00	23,772.86	309.14	
Aid to Dependent Children	5,000.00	9.00	254.94	3,485.74	1,268.32	
		93.00				
Old Age Assistance—Assistance—Federal	44.17	**18,904.02		19,041.19		
Old Age Assistance—Administration—Federal	20.16	**630.08		619.75	30.49	
Aid to Dependent Children—Assistance—Federal	170.05	**1,336.58		1,298.80	207.83	
Aid to Dependent Children—Administration—Federal		**119.86		119.86		
Soldiers Benefits	1,250.00	300.00		1,536.98	13.02	
Schools						
Education	64,000.00	72.64	19.20	64,045.82	46.02	
Household Arts	1,850.00			1,807.84	42.16	
Agricultural	3,200.00	85.73	.20	3,285.53		
Adult Alien	400.00			360.18	39.82	
Vocational Education	900.00	100.00		1,000.00		
Smith Hughes Fund		**337.87	85.73	252.14		
George-Deen Fund	168.68	**1,080.00	8.00	1,014.06	226.62	
High School Auditorium, maintenance	100.00		11.00	20.50	68.50	
Libraries						
Free Public Library		°399.89		399.89		
Westport Public Library		°100.00		100.00		
Westport Point Library		°100.00		100.00		
Unclassified Bills	350.00			346.45	3.55	
Unpaid Bills, 1939	3,030.89			3,030.89		
Memorial Day	150.00	2.09		152.09		
Insurance	3,000.00	313.41		3,265.16	48.25	
Dog Officer	75.00			75.00		
Legion Hall, maintenance	100.00			90.11	9.89	
		2.90				
Miscellaneous W.P.A. Expenses	7,000.00	7.50	400.00	7,366.32	44.08	
Reserve Fund	2,500.00		1,098.00		1,402.00	
Cemeteries						
Beech Grove	1,700.00		2.90	1,697.10		
Care of Soldiers & Sailors Graves & Lots	200.00		29.16	170.84		
Interest	2,200.00			2,129.77	70.23	
Maturing Debt	8,900.00			8,900.00		
	\$ 36,563.84	\$217,263.97	\$ 54,372.16	\$ 6,791.12	\$ 4,094.60	\$312,813.33
						\$ 4,241.79
						\$ 3,829.50
						\$ 9,988.13

** Federal Grants

† Highway Fund—Chapter 500, Acts 1938

* Chapter 90, Maintenance

°° Dog Fund

° Reserve Fund

|| Excess and Deficiency

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ELMER B. MANCHESTER, Jr.

Town Accountant.

ANNUAL
SCHOOL REPORT
TOWN OF WESTPORT
Massachusetts



1939

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1939-1940

All Schools—Open A. M., Monday, September 11, 1939.

High School will run at least 180 days.

All other schools will run at least 160 days.

VACATIONS

December 21, 1939, P. M. to January 2, 1940, A. M.

March 15, 1940, P. M. to March 25, 1940, A. M.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

October 12, 13 and 27, November 30 and December 1,

February 22, April 19, May 30, and all Saturdays.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1940-1941

All Schools—Open A. M., Monday, September 9, 1940.

High School will run at least 180 days.

All other schools will run at least 160 days.

VACATIONS

December 20, 1940, P. M. to January 6, 1941, A. M.

March 21, 1941, P. M. to March 31, 1941, A. M.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

October 25, November 11, 28 and 29, April 11, May 30,
and all Saturdays .

SCHOOL DIRECTORY, DECEMBER 31, 1939

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Members	Residence	Term Expires
Roger M. Acheson	South Westport	1940
George F. Dean	Westport	1940
Charles T. Gifford	South Westport	1941
Frederick L. Tripp	Westport	1941
Philip Manchester	Westport Harbor	1942

ORGANIZATION OF COMMITTEE

Chairman	Frederick L. Tripp
Secretary	Roger M. Acheson

Regular meetings of the Committee are held on the first Monday evening of each month, at 8:00 o'clock, in the School Committee Room at the Town Office Building. (If the first Monday of the month falls on a holiday, the meeting is held on the following Monday).

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Milton E. Earle, Westport Point—Tel. 118-4

Office—Town Office Building—Tel. 222

Office Hours by appointment

Clerk to the Superintendent and School Committee

Ruth M. Collins

Hours: 8:30 A. M.—3:30 P. M., School Days

Supervisor of Attendance—Philip Sherman, Westport—Tel. 92-2

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Edward W. Burt, M. D., Westport—Tel. 4-3

SCHOOL NURSE

Mrs. Sarah C. Macomber, R. N., Acoaxet

Tel. Little Compton 370-M-1

JANITORS

High	John Bowman	Central Village, Tel. 93-2
Head	John Cunningham	Westport, Tel. 46-5
Factory	Peter Pelletier	Westport Factory
Greenwood Park	George Thyng	No. Westport, Tel. F. R. 4856-W-3
No. Westport	Mrs. George Thyng	No. Westport, Tel. F. R. 7591-W-1
Brownell's Cor.	Arthur Reynolds	Old County Rd. Tel. 58-5
Booth's Cor.	James Woodcock	Main Road
Point	Harry Parker	Westport Point
Beulah Road	Mrs. Geo. Dean	Beulah Rd., F. R. 1533-R

TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTORS

Philius Gagne	Contract expires 1942	
George Greenwood	Contract expires 1940	Tel. 46-4
Frank Perry	Contract expires 1942	Tel. 228-2
Warren Vieira	Contract expires 1942	Tel. 201-21
Charles R. Wood	Contract expires 1942	Tel. 28-2
Walter Wood	Contract expires 1942	Tel. 57-3
Charles Manley*		
Gilbert Brightman**		

*Special transportation of children on Fisher Road.

**Special transportation (his child to Point School from Horseneck Beach).

February 5, 1940.

Voted Unanimously :

That so much of the Superintendent's report as is herein printed shall be the report of the School Committee for the year ending December 31, 1939.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

January 31, 1940

To the School Committee of the Town of Westport:

Gentlemen:

In accordance with custom I submit my twelfth annual report, the forty-seventh in the series of annual reports submitted by the school superintendents of this town.

The total school appropriations from

local sources were	\$70,461.00
Expended for school purposes	70,333.00

Balance	\$ 128.00
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Total amount of all State reimbursements, on account of school activities	\$ 9,844.48
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Net cost of public education in terms of local taxes	\$60,488.52
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Federal grants expended directly for salaries in the Household Arts and Voca- tional Agricultural Departments were	\$ 1,359.93
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Expended from Auditorium Maintenance Account and covered by payments to the Town Treasurer	\$ 31.50
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The following budget for 1940 is suggested as the minimum necessary to maintain School Department activities as now established.

General Education	\$66,000.00
Household Arts	1,850.00
Vocational Agriculture	3,500.00
Continuation and Out-of-Town Vocational Schools	1,000.00
Adult Alien Classes	400.00
High School Auditorium Maintenance (Community Purposes)	75.00

Westport's teachers are among the lowest paid in the Commonwealth. A return to the \$50.00 annual increment would mean only an elementary maximum of \$1,100.00 and a high school maximum of \$1,400.00 for men and \$1,200.00 for women for the school year 1940-1941.

These figures compare with \$1,140.00, \$2,090.00, and \$1,710.00, the maximums in Dartmouth at the present time. If some recognition of satisfactory service is not made, we stand to lose our most valuable teachers. Two have left us during this year to accept better positions in other Massachusetts towns.

If W. P. A. Projects covering the roof shingling and the construction of basements beneath the Booth's Corner and Brownell's Corner buildings are to be carried out, an additional amount should either be added to General Education or a special appropriation covering these activities should be made.

The repairing at Booth's and Brownell's Corner buildings is much needed and for health and sanitary reasons steps should be taken to provide real heating systems and toilets. Basements under these buildings would seem to be the first step in this direction. The Federal Government has made Westport a liberal W. P. A. allotment for this work. With but \$1,045.00 in the General Education Budget for all repairs, it is not difficult to understand that additional town funds must be provided if we are to have these basements.

A budget increase over the amount available for 1939 must be provided in the textbook and supplies account if we are to hold our own. Books ten years old are awaiting replacement and in some fields of elementary study few if any books are available. This item accounts for a \$1,000.00 increase in the budget presented as compared with the expenditures for 1939.

An increase in the Vocational Agriculture budget is necessitated by increased enrollment in the past

two years. The State for two years has made George-Deen Funds (Federal) available to cover the cost of the salary of a half-time Agriculture teacher. For the year 1940-1941 it is necessary for Westport to meet 25% of this cost from a local appropriation. Two-thirds of this local expense is reimbursed by the State.

Attendance of Westport pupils at the New Bedford Vocational School is only limited by the number of admissions permitted by Director Mackintosh. More of our residents would attend if it were possible. \$1,000.00 is required for 1940 if there is **no increase** in enrollment.

If the town could afford it, several thousands of dollars could be used in renovating and repairing our school plant. My predecessor some fourteen years ago was sounding the need for a supplementary appropriation for such work. Such an appropriation, except for a part of the Point heating plant, has never been available. The School Department has made some necessary improvements to wells and toilets, doing a little at a time, but much remains uncared for. After fourteen years our wooden buildings are certainly no sounder than they were when the need above mentioned was announced.

Miss Vance became a teacher at New Bedford last September; Miss Kispert resigned December 1st, 1939, and became a teacher at Saugus; and Miss Gagnon, our Commercial teacher, resigned in January of this year and became a teacher at Rockland.

Miss Jean Smith replaced Miss Vance, and Miss Glenda Taber replaced Miss Kispert. They are local girls and graduated last June—Miss Smith from State Teachers College at Bridgewater, and Miss Taber from State Teachers College at Hyannis. Miss Gagnon has been replaced by Mrs. Homer Robinson (formerly Miss Ruth Smith) who will substitute for the balance of this school year.

The entrance requirements for admission to Hospital Training and to our State Teachers Colleges now include Algebra. As a result, nearly 80 high school pupils enrolled. This group, being much too large for one class, was divided and I have been instructing the second division. I have enjoyed immensely an opportunity to again do some class room teaching, and would like nothing better than to continue, if the work of the elementary grades can continue along an improving course with less of my attention and assistance. This will depend to a considerable degree upon the amount of turnover in the elementary teacher personnel.

Prior to and including the last annual town meeting, there was considerable criticism of the "failure" of our high school to prepare pupils for admission to higher schools of learning. Schools are always in need of constructive criticism and our schools are no exceptions. I do believe that most of our "failures" would prove otherwise if each case was investigated thoroughly.

There does seem to be an impelling need, however, for a system of records that will at any time show a pupil, his parents, School Department employees, the School Committee, and other interested citizens what a pupil's aims are, how well prepared he is to meet them, and what necessary future procedure should be advised in his case. Some beginnings along these lines were made last year, when Principal Gifford had the services of a clerk. This year I have spent considerable time at the high school attempting to expand this program and to establish the beginnings of a real guidance system for our high school pupils. I am also being assisted by Principal Tripp of the Factory School, and we hope to start our educational guidance program commencing with seventh grade. Good educational guidance is fundamental to good vocational guidance.

Investigation shows that Principal Gifford has done and is doing much traveling and interviewing on behalf of our graduates and prospective candidates for advanced institutions. I am sure that his record in this respect compares very favorably with that of the other high school principals in this state.

Our elementary program for the first six years is a continuance of the plans set forth in my report for 1938. Principals Tripp and Gifford have set forth the problems of their schools in considerable detail, and I submit the following quotations for general information.

Quotations from the High School Principal's Report

"In the particular subject fields perhaps our most important change has been to combine the senior and junior pupils of the college preparatory group into one English class, in order that they could be free to take work of a more advanced and technical type. Such a plan also makes it possible to offer to the balance of the senior and junior classes English material which for them at least is more practical. This device of combining into one class groups of about equally studious pupils from two different grades is working so well in English under Miss Lussier that it might well be attempted to some extent in prescribed courses in science and social science, and also in mathematics if we decide to prescribe this latter subject.

Another program change has been the reestablishment of Latin. This was foreshadowed in my 1937 report, and I believe its return promises well for scholarship at the school. This subject can do much to increase a pupil's proficiency in English, both in vocabulary development and in structural skill. Nor should the value of acquaintance with the life of the early Romans be overlooked; their literature constantly reflects their loyalty, obedience, and devotion to the family and State, as well as their diligence and disci-

pline. In short, their early history and tradition offer worthy examples for the youth of today.

The most valuable service that a high school today can render a pupil is perhaps to prepare him for placement, or fit him (or help to fit him) for a job. This the Agricultural schools and departments in our state are doing with rare success; Westport is no exception. As to the value of this instruction in later life, careful research throughout the state, over a long period of years indicates that an average boy with ambition and four years of agricultural training will be as far advanced at the age of twenty-six as the same type of boy without such schooling will be at thirty-six.

Another department equally successful in placing its graduates is the Household Arts. The enrollment this year was 25, or a gain of 8 over last year. . . . This curriculum is offered during the freshman and sophomore years; its value both for homemaking and for job placement is such, and Miss Cahoon's understanding of her work is so thorough that every girl—unless college or hospital training preparation interferes—might well give serious consideration to entering this department.

Placements from the Commercial department are more difficult, as the opportunities are fewer. This is true throughout the state. Many of our commercial pupils have made excellent progress in our two-year course under Miss Gagnon. They are reasonably well-fitted for such jobs as are likely to become available to candidates of their age who have had no actual business experience.

Our college preparatory program has been rather publicly criticised, as is the case in most towns Preparatory schools are probably doing a better job than high schools in preparing pupils for college as that is their specialty. There are, however, three

main factors in this undertaking, as I see it—time, the pupil, and the school. The college must be chosen by the pupil early enough in his high school period to enable the school to supply the particular instruction required by the college. The pupil must have enough natural aptitude and must work hard enough to master the work assigned to him. The school should have a faculty comprised preferably of college graduates who understand what fundamentals are required by colleges. In these respects, I believe we are well manned This does not mean that we cannot make improvements in the program. They are being made as rapidly as conditions permit, especially in the matter of class groupings.

In speaking and writing English more practice is needed; some commendable headway has already been made in reading comprehension. Only by spending more time on these fundamentals can we hope to graduate the less apt of our scholars properly equipped to (1) work out the mathematical problems that will confront them; (2) speak, read, and write English effectively and correctly; (3) appreciate the value of social adjustment and cooperation and to progress in these fields of activity. If these aims are considered sound, a program might be worked out administratively which would seem better to accomplish them. To do this, it might not be necessary to alter the outward structure of the study program to any appreciable extent, but rather to adjust the contents of the courses. Nor need the college preparatory program be modified beyond accepted limits.

If we are to carry out these ideas, especially in the field of oral English, we shall probably need more room for the top four grades, as we are now so crowded for space that it is difficult to find rooms for such meetings as conferences, rehearsals, club meetings, and tutoring, as these activities require. From time to time, it will

be recalled, the question of housing the Eighth Grade in the high school has been raised. If we are to consider this matter from a purely educational standpoint, the present system has some disadvantages. First, it overcrowds the school so that traffic between periods is delayed and time wasted throughout the day. Second, this group is so young that most communities consider it inadvisable, from both social and educational considerations, for pupils of such low age to be in direct contact with a senior high school group. Third, the usual length of our school day seems to entail a real hardship on many of them (although for the older pupils there is much in its favor). Furthermore, it should be possible for these pupils to progress much better with pupils of their own age in an environment better suited to their own age. Some years ago, as an economy measure, when our enrollments were small, this practice seemed necessary. Today, with the larger enrollment, it has become difficult. We have been caustically criticized on the quality of instruction here at school. Without reference to the soundness of these criticisms, I believe instruction could be definitely improved if the Eighth Grade were to be housed elsewhere, and we were to be free to work out a more practical high school program along the lines already suggested.

In the field of organization there are very likely more modifications being made in curriculum content—personality development and consumer education for example—and more due to be made than ever before. For a principal to cope successfully with these changes, he will need all possible time to visit, investigate, and study the many questions involved. The entire subject of guidance will need much of his attention if he is to solve understandingly the many pupil problems that confront him daily. Furthermore, some attention might well be given to testing and interpreting these tests.

Quotations from the Factory School Principal's Report

"Few changes have occurred in our program of studies. The number and length of periods have been changed and our school day now includes seven forty-minute periods per day. This year we have planned the program so that each pupil has one study period each day.

This period ordinarily comes after lunch period. One room is used for supervised study work under the guidance of a different teacher each day. In this way we are attempting to assist the individual pupil in overcoming his special difficulties. This plan has been bringing satisfactory results up to the present time. While this plan does call for occasional home study it does not require any excessive amount, and tends to make the pupil self-reliant and to prepare him gradually for the home study assignments which he will receive in high school.

One definite period each week to be devoted to the study of hygiene and health in the seventh grade has been added to the program. Separate classes are being held for boys and girls. In the eighth grade, part of the Civics period is utilized in health teaching. In accordance with your request, each teacher is making a particular effort to detect and report any unusual or undesirable characteristics which may be a reflection of poor health. In a number of cases parents have been notified either by the school nurse or directly by the school.

A period a week in library instruction for all groups has been initiated this year. The purpose of this training is to aid the pupil in becoming independent in the intelligent use and care of books and libraries, and to acquaint them with books and authors as "well-loved friends."

"We have continued to attempt to carry out the

reading program which we started last year and which is described in last year's report. The results of last February's achievement tests would seem to indicate that we are meeting with at least a fair degree of success in this venture.

Drawing instruction, which was innovated last year and so enthusiastically received by the pupils, is being continued.

Our drive for continued improvement in penmanship and spelling goes on, and our methods are being carried on as related in last year's report.

Again this year we have no definite Club periods. 4-H Conservation Club work is carried on by Mr. Kulick, and, as this is closely connected with the regular nature study work, it is carried on during these periods. All seventh grade boys belong to the first year 4-H Conservation Club. The eighth grade boys who participated in this activity last year wished to continue this year and they are doing advanced projects.

The practice of obtaining library books from the Free Public Library has been continued. At graduation exercises last June state certificates in reading were awarded for the reading of books on an approved list. Three pupils received certificates for the reading of and reporting on twenty books, which is the highest award possible in this work. We anticipate that a greater number of pupils will be reading toward this goal during the present year.

The marked desks which had been placed in Miss Shay's room a number of years ago were refinished last spring by the boys of the school, with the guidance and assistance of Mr. Kulick and Mr. Pelletier. The boys who participated received a great deal of satisfaction in their work as well as good practical experience, and the whole school has appreciated the pleasing transformation.

For the most part our school life this year has progressed smoothly and pleasantly with evidences of an increased understanding of problems and a keener display of tolerance among all members of our faculty.

However, we are unanimous in feeling that there are two significant problems which must be dealt with if our teaching efforts in the future are to be successful.

The extreme lack of materials, especially textbooks, presents an outstanding difficulty. Book requests have been made and repeated with the welfare of the pupils and the entire school system in mind—not only the relief of the teachers' trials. Either a lack of books or the use of obsolete material creates a situation which may cause unfavorable criticism from the community, as well as academic problems within the school system. The need for economy has not been forgotten and the orders we have placed represent what we consider the minimum essentials for carrying on the work for the remainder of the year.

The problem of the entrance of "special pupils" in our schools is an ever increasing one. With so many regular seventh and eighth graders, many of whom need special attention themselves, and the addition of a number of "special pupils," each of whom represents a different mental and social problem, it is apparent that some group must be neglected. Especially is this the case in a school where there are but four classrooms, no facilities for manual work of any kind, and no teacher trained for working with "special pupils"; and where there should be at least five different pupil groupings within the regular grades, excluding specials.

We appreciate the fact that you realize the existence of this problem, and hope that by friendly and frank discussion with the various teaching groups in the town we may receive some practical suggestions

for proper placement of pupils which will be, first of all, fair to every type of pupil, and secondly, fair to each teacher in the system.

We are grateful for the contributions which Mrs. Edlund and Mr. Brabant are making to our school in the field of music. Last spring a group of forty of our pupils, under the direction of Mrs. Edlund, participated in the Rural School Music Festival held in Boston, and besides realizing an occasion in their lives, favorably advertised their musical abilities to the gathering. Mr. Brabant organized a school orchestra last spring which took part in our graduation exercises. This unit, I believe, was the first of its kind to be formed in our school. Soon we shall commence preparations for the presentation of an operetta this spring, under the direction of Mrs. Edlund. All of these and similar events help to make school life more pleasurable for all of us.

Our school nurse, Mrs. Macomber, should be recognized for the effective manner in which she carries out her combined duties and the congenial nature which identifies her.

Special reports have been received from the Vocational Agriculture and Household Arts Departments; Mrs. Edlund, Elementary Supervisor of Music; Mr. Brabant, Orchestra Director and Supervisor of Instrumental Music; and Mrs. Macomber, School Nurse. These are omitted from the printed report in the interests of economy.

Mrs. Macomber is not only functioning as school nurse, but is making home calls to check on school attendance and the cause of absences. To this extent she is a visiting teacher, in fact if not in name. The duties of the regular attendance officer have been contracted to cover only cases of known truancy which *may* require court action.

This has been and will continue to be an extremely busy year. Not only have we attempted changes that make for dollar savings, but we have also attempted to strengthen our secondary school both in curriculum and in operation. In addition, W.P.A. projects for the improvement of buildings and grounds are now in operation.

In making these changes and in preparing and operating the W.P.A. projects, much extra School Committee time as well as Superintendent's has been required. You have also studied ways and means of eventually greatly improving the Westport School System.

I feel that Westport should know that you have willingly done much more than your oath of office necessitates. On behalf of the school children, department employees, and myself I thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON E. EARLE.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

January 16, 1940

School Committee,
Town of Westport,
Westport, Mass.

Dear Sirs:

The following is submitted as a report of the School Physician for the current year.

The annual examination of the pupils in the schools was made and the results noted. No serious defects were found. It will be noted that there were twenty cases in which a defective condition of the heart was found. Most of these were judged to be functional and would probably correct themselves in time with reasonable care.

Your attention is also called to the number of cases of scoliosis of which one hundred and two were noted. Scoliosis is lateral curvature of the spine and is always accompanied by round shoulders. This is due in a great many cases to a careless posture and could be corrected to some degree by the patient if he could be interested in correcting it.

Forty-two vaccinations were done and one hundred and forty T. A. T. treatments were given. These treatments will be given again to those wishing it in the spring.

There were also found a large number of diseased tonsils, many of which required operation, as a badly diseased tonsil probably influences the general health and predisposes to deafness. Some means should be found to furnish treatment to these cases.

Yours truly,

E. W. BURT, M. D.

EXAMINATIONS AND TREATMENTS FOR 1939

E. W. Burt, M. D.

Total Number of Pupils Examined	763
Examined by Family Physician	1
Total Number of Children with Defects	371
Defect:	
Tonsils	89
Heart	20
Posture	
Scoliosis	102
Round Shoulders	4
Impaired Vision	106
20/30	81
20/40	26
Impaired Hearing	7
Glands	16
Feet and Spine	0
Nervousness	1
Speech	1
Teeth	18
Cleft Palate	1
Infantile	2
Question of Goitre	4
Defects Corrected	
Operation for Tonsils	3
Under Doctor's care for Heart	1
Under Doctor's care for Impaired Vision	3
Under Doctor's care for Impaired Hearing	1
Under Doctor's care for Glands	3
Under Doctor's care for Scoliosis	1
Pupils who have obtained Glasses	28
T. A. T. Treatments	140
Number of Children Vaccinated	42

Teachers in Service—December 31, 1939

SCHOOL	Teacher	Teaching Address	Preparation	Appointed
High (Grades 8-12)	Norman L. Gifford, A. B. Principal English, Latin	Central Village	Harvard University—1905 Graduate Work— Leipsic, Germany	Oct. 1926
	John Dolan, B. S. Algebra, Math., Civics, Biology, Mech. Drawing, Business Training	978 Walnut St. Fall River	Brown University—1931	March 1932
	Thomas Hammond, Ph. B. History, English	896 Highland Ave. Fall River	Providence College—1937	Sept. 1937
	William Smith, B. S. Agriculture	Reed Road North Dartmouth	Massachusetts State College—1933	Sept. 1937
	Harold Wood, B. S. Agriculture, Chemistry, General Science	Main Road Central Village	Massachusetts State College—1934	Sept. 1935
	Lillian Cahoon, B. S. Household Arts	North Westport	State Teachers College Framingham—1935	Sept. 1935
	Catharine Doyle, B. S. Social Studies Literature	22 Greenlawn St. Fall River	State Teachers College Bridgewater—1933	Sept. 1935
	Eldora Gagnon, B. S. Commercial Studies	103 Mason St. Fall River	State Teachers College Salem—1934	Sept. 1934
	Lillian Lussier, B. S. French, English	103 Mason St. Fall River	State Teachers College Bridgewater—1931	Sept. 1935

22	Factory Jr. High Grades 7 and 8 and Ungraded	Audrey L. Tripp, B. S. Principal Anna Sullivan, B. S. Bessie Shay, B. S. Rose Reagan, B. S. Charles Kulick, B. A.	Reed Road Westport 1831 Bedford St. Fall River 287 Hanover St. Fall River 1570 Robeson St. Fall River 227 Wood St. New Bedford	State Teachers College Bridgewater—1935 Boston University 1932 Boston University 1935 State Teachers College Fitchburg—1935 Pennsylvania State College—1929 Graduate Work Hyannis Summer Normal	Sept. 1935 Sept. 1933 Sept. 1937 Sept. 1937 Sept. 1937
	Head Grades 1-6	Mabel S. Aborn, (Mrs.) Principal Grades 1 and 2 Jean Smith, B. S. Grades 3 and 4 Ruth Newman Grades 5 and 6	55 Farragut St. Fall River Pine Hill Road Westport 162 Eastern Avenue Fall River Central Village	State Teachers College Bridgewater—1939 State Normal School Hyannis—1928 Mass. University Extension	Dec. 1912 Sept. 1939 Sept. 1930 Jan. 1922
	Greenwood Park Grades 1-6	Alice Macomber Principal, Grade 6 Hazel Tripp Grade 5 Marion S. Reed (Mrs.) Grade 4 Elizabeth Gifford Grade 3 Irene Boodry Grade 2 Grace Walker Grade 1	Old County Road Westport North Westport Old County Road Westport 37 Bright St. Fall River 57 Horton St. Fall River	State Normal School Fitchburg—1925 Rhode Island College of Education North Adams Extension University Extension State Normal School Fitchburg—1928 Perry Kindergarten Normal—1930	Sept. 1925 Sept. 1923 Oct. 1919 Sept. 1929 Sept. 1931

Booth's Corner Grades 5 and 6	Mary O'Neil Principal, Grade 6	877 High St. Fall River	State Normal School Bridgewater—1927	Sept. 1929
	Ada Macomber (Mrs.) B. A.	Central Village	Webster University	Jan. 1925
	Grade 5		1931	
North Westport Grades 1-4	Kathryn I. Dailey Principal Grades 3 and 4	210 Fourth St. Fall River	Neil Kindergarten Normal—1922	Oct. 1923
	Margaret Deane, B. S.	101 Rock St. Fall River	State Teachers College Bridgewater—1938	Sept. 1938
	Grades 1 and 2			
Brownell's Corner Grades 1-4	Helen O'Donnell Principal Grades 1 and 2	359 Hanover St. Fall River	State Normal School Hyannis—1928	Sept. 1928
	Glenda Taber, B. S.	Westport Point	State Teachers College Hyannis—1939	Dec. 1939
	Grades 3 and 4			
233 Point Grades 1-4	Charlotte Madeiros Principal Grades 1 and 2	Westport Point	State Normal School Hyannis—1920	Sept. 1924
	Ila Gifford Grades 3 and 4	South Westport	Wheelock School—1934	Sept. 1935
Beulah Special	Kate Tallman (Mrs.) Special Class	Drift Road Westport	New Bedford Normal 1900	Sept. 1921
Vocal Music Supervisor Grades 1-8	Elinor G. Edlund (Mrs.)	19 Augustus Ave. Roslindale	Boston University College of Music—1934	May, 1934
Instrumental Music Supervisor and High School Orchestra Director	Hector J. Brabant	Macomber Ave. Swansea		Sept. 1932

ENROLLMENT, OCTOBER 1, 1939

Secondary Schools

Post-Graduates—Central Village	4
Twelfth Year	33
Eleventh Year	36
Tenth Year	34
Ninth Year	68
Eighth Year	30 205
Eighth Year—Factory	37
Seventh Year	78 115 320

Elementary Schools Ung.Sp. I II III IV V VI

Factory	10								10
Beulah	11								11
Point		18	20	20	14				72
Brownell's Point		9	13	7	9				38
North Westport		10	12	7	11				40
Head		22	15	16	19	17	9		98
Greenwood Park		38	25	24	30	36	36	189	
Booth's Corner						25	29	54	512
TOTALS	10 11	97	85	74	83	78	74		832

WESTPORT SCHOOL CENSUS. OCTOBER 1, 1939

Males from 5 to 7	90	
Females from 5 to 7	69	
Total from 5 to 7		159
Males from 7 to 16	377	
Females from 7 to 16	329	
Total from 7 to 16		706
Males from 16 to 21	211	
Females from 16 to 21	203	
Total from 16 to 21		414
Total Number of Children from 5 to 21		1,279

EMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATIONAL CERTIFI-
CATES ISSUED DURING THE YEAR 1939

Employment Certificates Issued	23	
Individuals Receiving Certificates		22
Educational Certificates, Regular, Issued	86	
Individuals Receiving Certificates		74
Educational Certificates, Illiterate, Issued	1	
Individuals Receiving Certificates		1
Totals	<hr/> 110	<hr/> 97

CLASSIFICATION OF PUPILS BY AGE AND GRADE

October 1, 1939

B O Y S

Grade	AGE																	Totals
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
I	11	39	7	3		1												61
II		3	19	14	5		1											42
III			6	12	7	5	2											32
IV				9	16	13	7	2	1									48
V					2	27	6	7	3									45
VI						4	13	10	7	1								35
VII							4	23	11	8	1							47
VIII								4	14	13	6							37
IX									2	15	14							31
X										2	12	4						18
XI											2	7	6	3	1			19
XII												3	10	5	2			20
Post Grad.														1				1
Special								2		4	1							7
Ungraded									1	1	1	2						5
Totals	11	42	32	38	30	50	33	48	39	44	37	16	16	9	3			448

G I R L S

I	5	26	4		1													36
II		9	22	11	1													43
III			4	23	11	4												42
IV				6	19	6	2	1		1								35
V					4	21	5	2	1									33
VI						6	19	12	2									39
VII							2	17	8	3	1							31
VIII							1	5	17	5	2							30
IX									4	25	5	2					1	37
X										1	13	1	1					16
XI											3	9	4	1				17
XII												4	7	2				13
Post Grad.													2	1				3
Special							1		1	1	1							4
Ungraded									1	1	3							5
Totals	5	35	30	40	36	37	30	37	34	37	28	16	14	4			1	384
Grand Totals	16	77	62	78	66	87	63	85	73	81	65	32	30	13	3	0	1	832

WESTPORT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION EXERCISES OF THE CLASS OF 1939

Class of 1939

High School Auditorium Monday, June 13, 1939

PROGRAM

Processional March—"Land of Hope and Glory"
by Elgar School Orchestra
Mr. Hector J. Brabant, Director

Prayer Reverend Patrick H. Hurley

Welcome Raymond Martel

"The Real Good" Ruth Tripp

"Humoreske" by Dvorak—Violin Solo Ruth Hubbard
Accompanist, Jessica Cornell

"A Perfect Day" by Carrie Jacobs-Bond—
Vocal Selection Marilyn Davis
Accompanist, Jessica Cornell

"Career Women" Lena Francis

"You Are the Hope of the World" Phyllis Perry

"Flower Song" by Lange High School String Ensemble

"Planning our Future" Elizabeth White, Salutatorian

"The Shadows of War" Edith Couture

"Viennese Refrain" by Brandl High School Glee Club

"Well Begun is Half Done"
Louise Brightman, Valedictorian

Presentation of Awards
Excellence as an all-round scholar
Marked Improvement
Steady Application
The Best Attendance

Graduation Address Mr. Edward Yeomans
Manufacturer, Writer, Teacher

Presentation of Diplomas Mr. Frederick L. Tripp
Chairman of School Committee

Recessional—"Pomp and Circumstance" by Elgar
School Orchestra

THE CLASS OF 1939

CLASS MOTTO

"Well Begun is Half Done"

CLASS COLORS

Red and White

CLASS FLOWER

Red Rose

Valedictorian Louise Brightman

Salutatorian Elizabeth Ann White

VIRGINIA RUTH BORDEN

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad Leader 4*;
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Improvement Club 2; Library Aid
2, 3, 4; Dance Committee 4; Entertainment Committee
3, 4; Cookie Counter 4; Dramatic Club 1; Glee Club
Operetta 3; Music Appreciation 1.

LOUISE BERTHA BRIGHTMAN

Valedictorian; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Student
Council 4; Class Play 3, 4; Basketball 2; Magazine
Campaign Manager 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library
Aid 2; Women's Club Delegate 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;
Dance Committee 4; Yearbook Committee 4; Refresh-
ment Committee 4; Decoration Committee 4; Dramatic
Club 1; Brownie Committee 4; Cookie Counter 4;
Volley Ball 1.

* Numerals show the year in which the pupil participated in the activity mentioned. "Clean-Up Squad Leader 4" means the pupil was clean-up squad leader in her senior year.

FRANK WARREN BROADBENT

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad 1, Leader 4;
Class Play 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Play Committee 4;
Dance Committee 4; Ticket Committee 4.

ELBERT BROWNELL

Class Day Speaker; Honor Roll 1, 4; Student
Council 1; Clean-Up Squad 1, Leader 4; Football 4;
Basketball 3, 4; Library Aid 3; Dairy and Cattle
Judging 3, 4; Speaking Contest 4; Play Committee 4;
Dance Committee 4.

BESSIE ALICE COLLINS

Class Day Speaker; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Play
Committee 3; Dance Committee 3; Dramatic Club 1;
Music Appreciation 2; Glee Club Operetta 2, 3; Con-
struction Club 1; Refreshment Committee 3; Cookie
Counter 4.

JESSICA ELAINE CORNELL

Class Song; Honor Roll 1, 2, 4; Vice President of
Class 1, Secretary 2; Student Council 3; Class Play 3;
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Play Commit-
tee 3, 4; Pianist for Class Day 1, 2, 3; Prompter for
Class Play 4; Ticket Committee for Play 4; Orchestra
Committee for Play 4; Cookie Counter 4; Orchestra
Committee for Class Day 3; Piano Specialties 1,2,3,4;
Ticket Committee for Orchestra Entertainment 3, 4;
Color and Flower Committee 4; Volley Ball 1; Hal-
lowe'en Dance Orchestra Committee 4.

ALBERTINA COSTA

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad 3; Class Play
4; Baseball 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Improvement Club 2;
Fancy Work Club 1; Entertainment Committee 1;
Refreshment Committee 3; Glee Club Operetta 2, 3;
Cookie Counter 4; Volley Ball 1.

EDITH LOUISE COUTURE

Graduation Speaker; Honor Roll 1, 2, 4; Student Council 2; Clean-Up Squad Leader 4; Class Play 3; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Glee Club 1; Improvement Club 2; Marshal for Graduation 3; Play Committee 4; Cookie Counter 4; Volley Ball 1; Ticket Committee for Play 4; Chairman Motto Committee 4; Refreshment Committee 4; Advertising Committee 4; Dramatic Club 1; Orchestra Committee 3.

MARILYN LESLIE DAVIS

Graduation Part; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 1, Vice President 2; Treasurer 3; Class Play 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Women's Club Delegate 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Play Committee 3; Dramatic Club 1; Cheerleader 4; Glee Club Operetta 2; Refreshment Committee 3, 4; Volley Ball Tournament 1; Construction Club 1; Music Appreciation 2; Harmony 2; Cookie Counter 4.

ALBERT HENRY FIELD

Class Day Speaker; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Library Aid 3, 4; Play Committee 3, 4.

LENA FRANCIS

Graduation Speaker; Honor Roll 1, 3; Clean-Up Squad 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Glee Club 1; Improvement Club 2; Library Aid 3; Play Committee 3; Dance Committee 4; Entertainment Committee 4; Volley Ball 1; Decoration Committee 4; Refreshment Committee 3, 4; Program Committee 4; Cookie Counter 4; Dramatic Club Vice President 1.

RUTH PATRICIA HUBBARD

Graduation Part; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Clean-Up Squad 1, 2, 3, Leader 4; Class Play 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Improvement Club 2, 3; Library Aid 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Construction Club 1;

Cookie Counter 4; Refreshment Committee 4; Ticket Committee 3; Volley Ball 1; Dramatic Club Treasurer 1; Music Appreciation 2.

CHESTER JENNINGS

Class Day Speaker; Class Vice President 1; Class Play 3; Football 2, Manager 3; Basketball Manager 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2; Dance Committee 3; Play Committee 3.

DOROTHY IDA LAKE

Honor Roll 1, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Yearbook Committee 4; Advertising Committee 3, 4; Construction Club 1; Quotations for Brownie 4.

GLADYS VERNA LASSONDE

Class Day Speaker; Honor Roll 1; Clean-Up Squad 3, Leader 4; Improvement Club 1; Dance Committee 4; Yearbook Committee 4; Supplies Bookkeeper 4; Bus Ringer 4.

RAYMOND JOSEPH MARTEL

Graduation Speaker; Class Day Welcome; Honor Roll 2, 3, 4; Class Vice President 3, President 4; Student Council 3, 4; Clean-Up Squad 2, 3; Magazine Campaign Manager 3; Library Aid 2, 3; Supplies Caretaker 4; Marshal for Graduation 3; Play Committee 3, 4; Dance Committee 4; Yearbook Committee 4.

MILTON EDWARD MELLOR

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad 1, 2, 3, Leader 4; Class Play 3, 4; Football 4; Basketball 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Dance Committee 4; Refreshment Committee 3; Operetta 3; Dramatic Club 1; Advertisement Committee 4; Decorating Committee 4.

WILFRED SHERMAN MOSHER

Class Day Speaker; Class Treasurer 2; Clean-Up Squad 3, Leader 4; Class Play 3, 4; Ticket Committee

4; Advertisement Committee 4; Refreshment Committee 3.

CATHERINE FLORENCE MURPHY

Class Day Speaker; Honor Roll 1, 2; Clean-Up Squad 1, 3; Class Play 3, 4; Improvement Club 1; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 4; Dramatic Club Secretary 1; Decoration Committee 3, 4; Brownie Committee 4; Harmony Club 1; Cookie Counter 4; Construction Club 1; Volley Ball Tournament 1; Entertainment Committee 3.

THELMA GERTRUDE NICKERSON

Pictures for Brownie; Basketball 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Improvement Club 2; Bus Ringer 4; Entertainment Committee 4; Advertising Committee 4; Refreshment Committee 3, 4; Tap Dancing Specialties 3, 4.

MILDRED OLIVER

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Dance Committee 3; Volley Ball 1; Cookie Counter 4; Basketball 2, 3; Music Appreciation 2; Orchestra Committee 3; Handiwork Club 1; Dramatic Club 1; Refreshment Committee 4.

PHYLLIS ELEANOR PERRY

Graduation Speaker; Honor Roll 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4; Student Council Secretary 4; Clean-Up Squad 3; Class Play 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 1; Magazine Campaign Manager 2; Glee Club 1; Construction Club 1; Cheerleader 2, 3, Head Cheerleader 4; Volley Ball 1; Tap Dance Specialties 3, 4; Dramatic Club 1; Harmony 1; Cookie Counter 4; Various Class and Student Council Committees 1, 3, 4.

DOROTHY PIERCE

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad Leader 4; Advertising Committee 4; Refreshment Committee 3, 4; Cookie Counter 4.

RUTH EDGERTON POTTER

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad 3; Orchestra 2, 3, 4; Orchestra Committee for Dance 3; Refreshment Committee for Graduation 3.

HARLEY FREDERICK PURDY

Class Day Speaker; Student Council 3; Clean-Up Squad 1, 2; Class Play 4; Football 3; Baseball Manager 4; Glee Club 1; Improvement Club 2; Play Committee 3; Dance Committee 3; Refreshment Committee 3; Advertising Committee 4.

ROBERT FRANCIS RAWSTON, JR.

Class Day Speaker; Honor Roll 4; Student Council 4; Class Play 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 4; Drawings for Brownie 4; Dance Committee 4; Yearbook Committee 4; Ticket Committee 4; Decorating Committee 4; Motto Committee 4.

JAMES WILBUR SMITH

Class Day Speaker; Clean-Up Squad 3; Football 3; Baseball Assistant Manager 4; Play Committee 4.

RUTH MADELYN TRIPP

Graduation Speaker; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 1, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Clean-Up Squad 1; Class Play 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Magazine Campaign Manager 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 4; Harmony 1, 2; Music Appreciation 2; Dramatic Club 1; Construction Club 1; Cookie Counter 4; Various Student Council and Orchestra Committees 3, 4; Improvement Club 2, 3; Library Aid 2, 3, 4; Glee Club Operetta 2, 3.

ELIZABETH ANN WHITE

Salutatorian; Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Clean-Up Squad 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Aid 3; Orches-

tra 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer 3, Treasurer 4; Washington-Franklin Medal 3; Play Committee 3; Dramatic Club President 1; Construction Club 1; Motto Committee 4; Ticket Committee 3; Cookie Counter 4; Music Appreciation 2; Harmony 2; Glee Club Operetta 2; Orchestra Committee 3.

THADDEUS J. ZAJAC

Class Day Speaker; Honor Roll 4; Class Treasurer 1; President 2, 3, Vice President 4; Clean-Up Squad 3; Football 2, 3, Captain 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, Captain 4; Improvement Club 3; Library Aid; Assistant Supplies Caretaker 4; Play Committee 3; Dance Committee 3, 4; Stage Property Manager 3; Brownie Committee 4; Ticket Committee 4.

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