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MASSACHUSETTS



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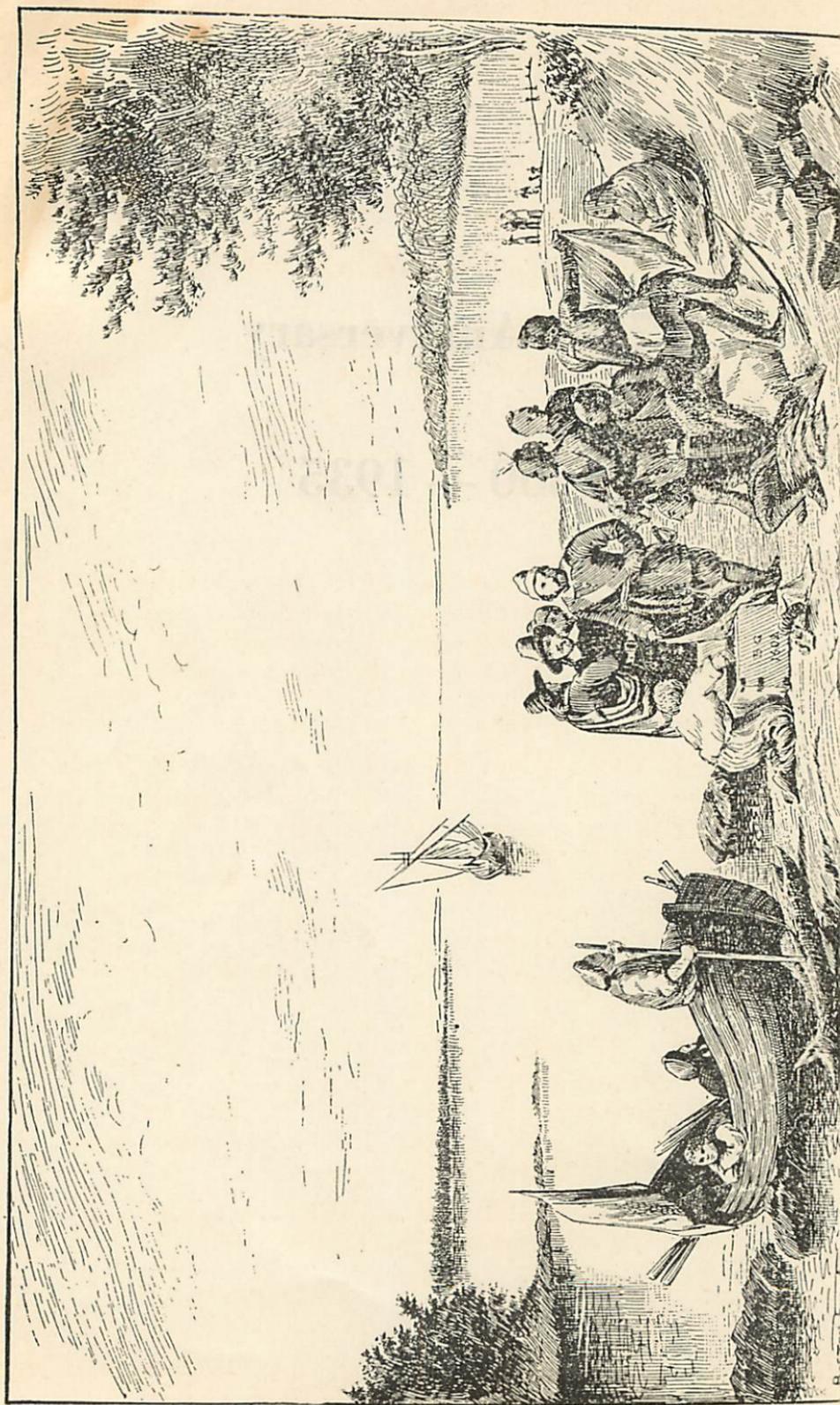


THE HISTORY AND TOBY OFFICERS

MASSACHUSETTS

75th Anniversary

1860 — 1935



75th ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES

Wednesday, February 13, 1935

Turkey Banquet

Acushnet Grange Hall

Mr. Aubrey L. Coon, Caterer (Public Market)

Followed by

ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCING

GUESTS

CHARLES S. ASHLEY Mayor of the City of New Bedford
JOHN A. CORNELL Chairman, Westport Board of Selectmen
EBEN F. BROWN Chairman, Fairhaven Board of Selectmen
JOHN A. SMITH Chairman, Dartmouth Board of Selectmen

GUESTS 75 YEARS OF AGE OR MORE

Born in Acushnet and still residing in Acushnet

*CORNELIA R. CHURCH	PHILIP H. CRANDON
*KATHERINE HAWES	WILLIAM G. TABER
HANNAH GAMMONS BORDEN	EBEN F. LEONARD
CORA E. HAMMOND	THOMAS J. ROBINSON
SUSAN LEONARD	JOHN VINCENT
ANNIE WHITE	URIAH S. COLE
LUCY REYNOLDS	ABRAHAM DILLINGHAM
ALICE HAMMETT	JAMES B. WHELDEN

*100 years old

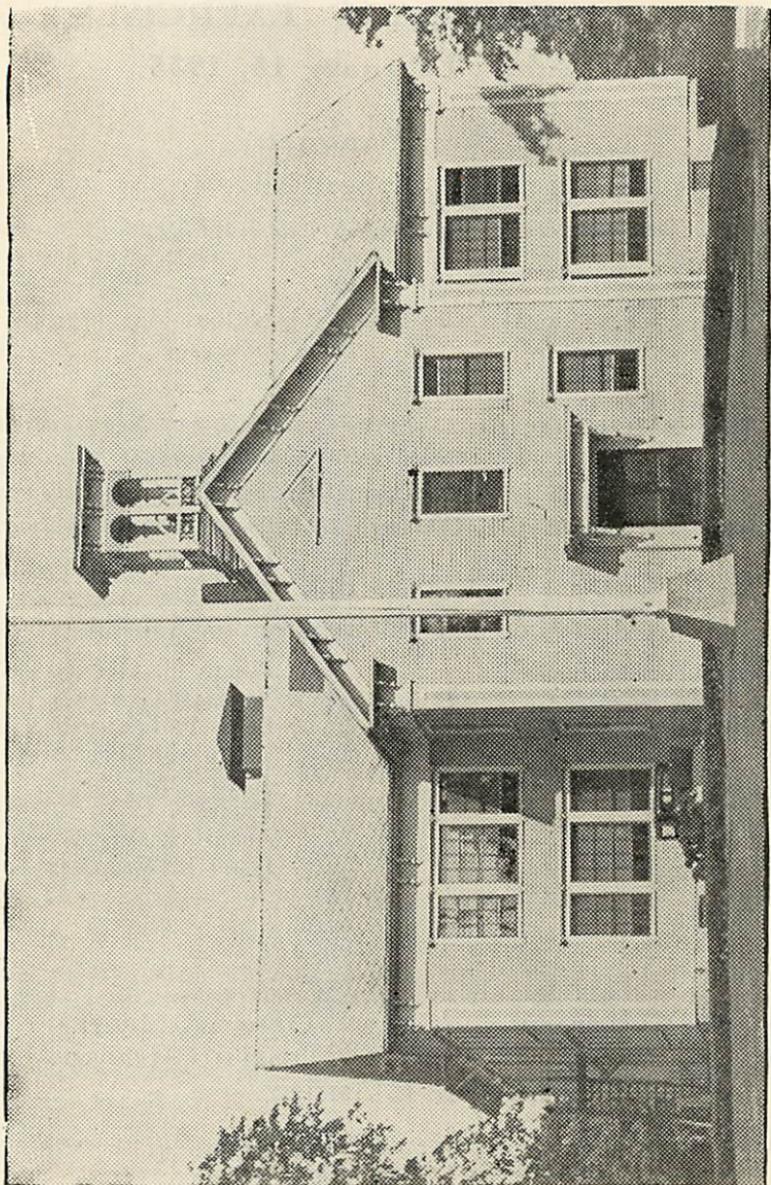
GENERAL COMMITTEE

FREDERICK O. TRIPP, *Chairman*

HENRY L. GUILBEAULT	OTTO W. MELZER
ETHEL TABER	JOSEPH F. DABROWSKI

PERCIVAL L. ASHLEY

Acknowledgment is also extended to the Helping Committees consisting of all organizations in the Town



PARTING WAYS SCHOOL

75th ANNIVERSARY OF THE TOWN OF ACUSHNET

Reprinted from The Sunday Standard-Times, Jan. 27, 1935

WHEN the town of Acushnet celebrates the 75th anniversary of its incorporation Feb. 13 many will delve into musty old volumes to learn of the early history of this picturesque place over on the east side of the river which bears its name. For while Acushnet is one of the youngest and among the smallest in area of all towns in Massachusetts, it was inhabited by the English almost as far back as the time of the arrival of the Mayflower.

Acushnet's history is laden with romance, adventure, courage, progress. Within its borders the white settlers were massacred by the Indians in those early days, but there are also many stories of sweet and happy days in that charming countryside of years gone by. Grandfather's barn was the playground where carefree youngsters spent many joyful days, and the huge fireplaces in those rugged Acushnet houses were the centers of many happy evenings for the whole family.

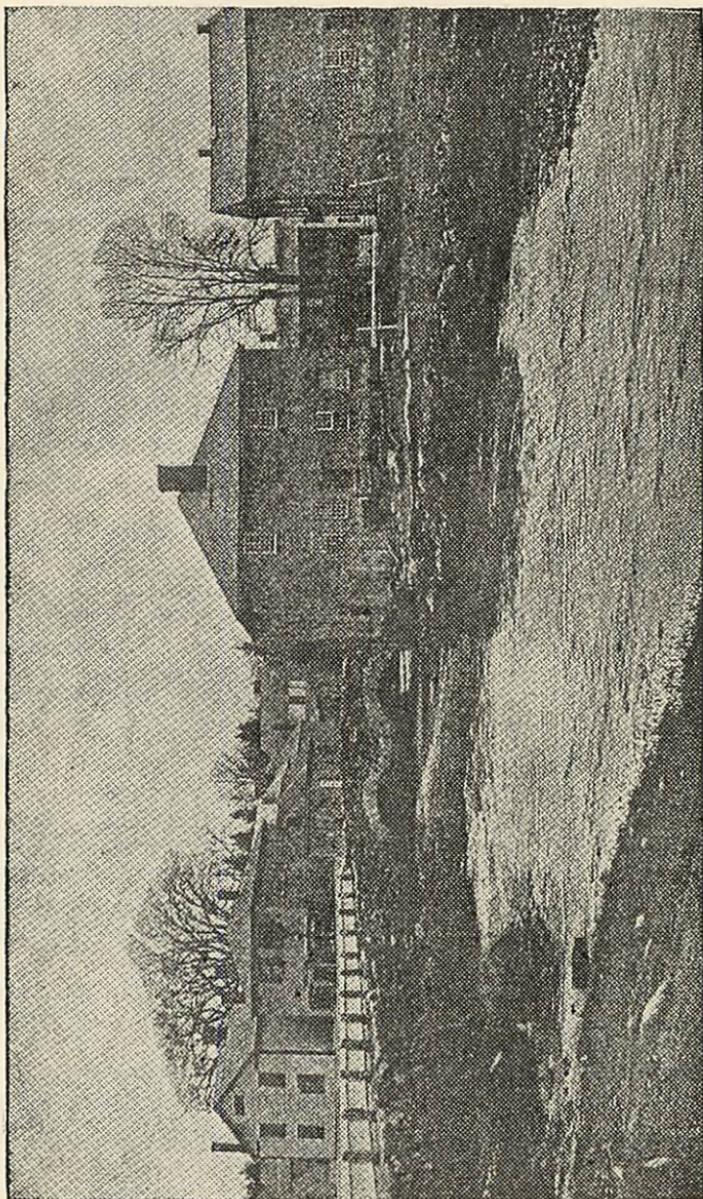
It is not known exactly when the human race first saw the forests and shores of old Dartmouth plantations, of which Acushnet was a part. No doubt those who first set eyes upon this countryside were of the race of Indians who lived here when the first Anglo-Saxon came. When the first white man appeared here is also unknown.

As early as 1000 A. D., however, it was written by Joshua T. Smith, Greenlanders came into Buzzards Bay and lived here, much of the time for about ten years. It is thought they lived in their vessels and on the west shore of the bay. History says they were engaged in trading with the Indians, with whom they were evidently on friendly terms.

Among the persons comprising this company of adventurers who were here in 1007 were six women. One of them gave birth to a son, who was named Snorri Thorfinnson, and it is believed the first white child who ever beheld the waters of the Acushnet River may have been Snorri.

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Bartholomew Gosnold and his party of adventurers, who sailed from Falmouth, England, on the little Concord, belonging to Dart-



Old view of bridge at Head of the River showing old blacksmith shop, site of first Methodist Episcopal Church in Bristol County. A battle was fought here in the Revolutionary War.

mouth on the English Channel, were without doubt the first Englishmen who landed upon the delightful shores of Buzzards Bay. History tells how the Concord anchored off the island of Poocutohhunkunnoh (Cuttyhunk) on the morning of May 25, 1602, after a passage of 60 days.

They remained there 25 days and returned to England. During their stay they crossed the bay and went ashore at Round Hill, which was then called Haps Hill. Later the same day they sailed along the shore to Gooseberry Neck. So far as can be determined, this was the first time a European had come to the land of "Old Acushenia."

It is known that on landing at the spot now called Round Hill, Captain Gosnold and his party were met by a group of natives, men, women and children, who courteously entertained the white men and gave them skins of beasts, tobacco and other gifts.

A member of Gosnold's party subsequently wrote, according to Franklyn Howland's "History of Acushnet" that "on the main land there were stately groves, flowery meadows and running brooks, great stores of deer and other beasts, and strawberries as sweet and much bigger than in England."

This friendliness of the Indians and knowledge of the country leads to the belief that in the 20 days they spent here, the Englishmen visited the land of modern Acushnet. This was 25 years before the Pilgrims were here.

Three bands of Indians known as the Cushenas lived on both sides of the Acushnet River, now Acushnet, New Bedford and Fairhaven, at that time. The Ponegansetts lived where is now Dartmouth and the Coaksetts occupied the Westport district.

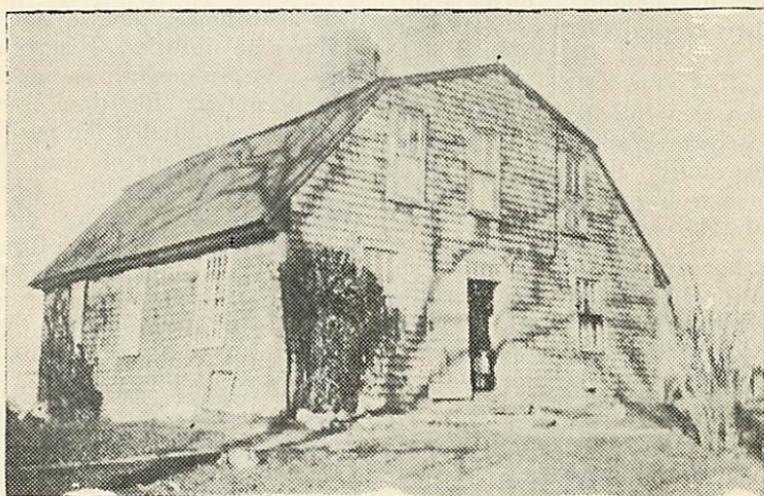
Some of the Mayflower people began to bargain with the Indians for land soon after they were settled in their new home, their eye out for business possibilities. History shows they were successful in making a verbal contract for three sections, sections were allotted the purchasers Acushnet being one of them. These at the court of 1640. Governor Bradford's memorandum describes the "Cushena place" as follows:

"The place called Acough Couss, which lyeth in ye botome of ye bay adjoining to ye west side of Pointe Perill and 2 miles to ye Westerne side of ye said river to an other place called Acushente river which entereth at ye Westerne end of Macata, and 2 myles to ye Eastward thereof, and to extend 8 myles upon into ye countries."

Macata was the present West Island in Fairhaven; Coakset River is now Westport River, and Point Perill referred to Gooseberry Neck.

Franklyn Howland, in his "History of Acushnet," gives 45 forms for the spelling of Acushnet which he has accurately transcribed from written and printed matters, in deeds, wills, leases and letters and various records. Some of these are:

Acuish, Acuishet, Acashewah, Acushnutt, Accoosnet, Accushnett, Ac-



Summerton house in Acushnet, built about 1711. There is a tradition that George Washington visited in this house during the Revolutionary War. Daniel Summerton owned the house about 1778.

conquesse, Acuishment, Accushnut, Acoashamet, Acquishneck, Acushna, Akusenag, Aquishnot, Cushnagg and Quishnet.

Mr. Howland writes: "Acushnet is doubtless the word which 'William's Key' gives as Aquechinook and Aquechenit, signifying a place to swim or the swimming place. The Acushnet River was probably a favorite resort of the Indians for this purpose. Hence it derives the name Acushnet River, and the surrounding tract, as the 'Acushna plantations', etc., and now the town of Acushnet."

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For some unexplained reason the purchase did not materialize at that time, and the deed was not executed until 1652. It is probable, the old sachem, Massasoit, could not be brought to terms. Then again it is probable the Red Men were not willing to give up their hunting grounds.

However, the sale eventually was made and was one of the largest real estate deals ever consummated in this section. The deed from Massasoit, or Wesamequee, as he was called, and his son, Wamsutta, to the first comers is to be found in the Plymouth records.

For the land, the white men paid to the Indians in this deal the following articles: 30 yards of cloth, 8 moose skins, 15 axes, 15 hoes, 15 pairs of breeches, 8 blankets, 2 kettles, 1 cloak, 1 pound in white beads or Wampan, 8 pairs of stockings, 8 pairs of shoes, an iron pot and 10 shillings in another 'comoditie'.

The names of the original purchasers of the tract which was subsequently the township of Dartmouth were William Bradford, Captain Standish, John Alden, Collyer and Sarah Brewster, Howland and William Bassett, George Morton, Manasses Kempton, James Hurst, John Dunham Sr., John Shaw Sr., Francis Cooke, John Cooke, Joshua Pratt, John Soule, Constant and Thomas Southworth, Miss Jennings, Steven Tracye, John Faunce, Henry Sampson, Philip Delanoie, Mrs. Warren, Robert Bartlett, William Palmer, Edward Dotye, Robert Hickers, Peter Browne, Francis Sprague, Moses Simons, Samuel Eaton, Thomas Morton, Samuel Cuthbert, Edward Holman and Edward Bumpass.

According to the "History of the Town of Acushnet," the Mr. Howland named in the list of purchasers was John Howland of the Mayflower, who sold his share in 1667 and never resided here. All these mentioned, excepting Mr. Collyer, Mr. Howland, Mr. Bassett and Sarah Brewster owned "one whole share." These four owned a half share each.

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Shortly after the colonists bought the tract in 1652, people began to migrate here from Plymouth and Duxbury. Few of the original purchasers came here to live, however. The first settlers, who were John Cooke and relatives and friends built their homes where now are Acushnet and Fairhaven.

Old Colony records show that in 1694 the tract of land purchased in

1652 was owned by 56 persons, one of these being among the original purchasers. There were eight of these owners in 1694 living in the boundaries of what is Acushnet today. They were Arthur and John Hathaway, Samuel Jenney, Samuel Spooner, John Spooner, Jr., John Spooner and Joseph Taber.

Acushnet's pioneer settlers were among the Plymouth colonists, according to Mr. Howland's history, who firmly resisted for conscientious reasons the civil court requirements in relation to the support of a publicly elected and paid ministry and compulsion of attendance upon the religious services of the Puritan church. They were a religious people, and provided here in Acushnet early for religious worship and for strict observance of the Lord's Day.

The early residents in Acushnet were engaged in starting business enterprises, building primitive homes and cultivating the soil. These sturdy men and women endured privation, suffering and overcame many great obstacles.

It was on June 8, 1664 that the original township of Dartmouth, of which present Acushnet was then a part, was born. The order was given by Plymouth Court.

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In 1675 came the Indian War in which the savages resorted to torch and tomahawk. Nearly all the buildings of the settlers in Old Dartmouth, including present Acushnet, were reduced to ashes; crops were

destroyed, animals killed or carried off, and men, women and children murdered.

Had it not been for a garrison of block houses all the white settlers might have been killed. Cooke's block house was the only place for safety of the residents within the bounds of present Acushnet. There the settlers saved the lives of their loved ones with the matchlock weapons. Many white persons were scalped by the Indians.

During the Indian War every house within the present boundaries of Acushnet was destroyed by fire. Left homeless in the midst of a barbarous war, the settlers were in pitiful condition.

The sympathy of the people of Plymouth was excited by this devastation and slaughter. General Court of Oct. 4, 1675, manifested this sentiment by the following order:

"The 14th instant shall be observed as a day of fasting and prayer by reason of the Indians, their persisting on in their hostility and barbarous cruelty and outrage against the English. That during the time of public danger, every one that comes to the meeting on the Lord's Day bring his arms with him, and furnished with at least six charges of powder and shott, until further order shall be given under the penalty of 2 s for every such defect."

It is said that Captain Benjamin Church and his band of 18 faithful English soldiers and 22 Indians were in Acushnet many times in search of

King Philip. About a year after the burning of the houses in Acushnet they killed King Philip, on the morning of Saturday, Aug. 12, 1676. Reports say that Captain Church and his men triumphantly marched through the town of Acushnet with the head of King Philip.

The king's capture and demise practically ended the Indian War. However, it was 25 years before the people in the territory of present Acushnet recovered from its effects. There were months of suspense and suffering, especially in the Winter preceding the burning of the homes.

As a result of the loss of life and property in the war and the continual maintenance of garrisons, the inhabitants of the old town of Dartmouth, including present Westport, Fairhaven, New Bedford, Acushnet and Dartmouth, were not required by the authorities of Plymouth to furnish soldiers for the war and also were exempted from taxation for several years after its close.

After the war came the extermination of the Indians from the area. Some went elsewhere. Others remained and became civilized, Christianized and educated on a reservation of about one acre located on the west side of the road on Sconctic Neck, Fairhaven. The burying ground of these last civilized Indians is on the east side of the Neck about one and a quarter miles south of the Mattapoisett road. There once was a solitary clump of oaks and a few headstones to mark the burial

place. Now these are all gone and the mounds are levelled.

Many of the houses burned in the Indian War were log cabins, and most of the structures put up to replace them were doubtless made of logs. Some of the foundations of these early dwellings can still be found in Acushnet.

Later came saw mills and other building facilities, and the small frame house. It is said some of these houses had chimneys built of wood and clay, and later flat stones and mortar, and great fireplaces with bake ovens attached.

History says that about 1,700, dwellings of two stories began to appear. Some were of the "overhang" style, with the second story jutting out over the first. Some said this was to provide a convenient place to fight the Indians, but the fact is, the overhanging form was an English plan of building in the days of Queen Elizabeth.

Other buildings in evidence in Acushnet in the year 1700 were of the "leanto" style, with two or three stories and a peaked roof, having a long slope to the rear where there was but one story. In those days many of the houses fronted the south, regardless of the position of the road. Another popular house was that with the gambrel roof.

About 100 years after the burning of the dwellings in Acushnet by the Indians the inhabitants within the bounds of the present town were terrorized again by the torch. The

Revolutionary War started and Old Dartmouth, Acushnet included, decided to resist the tyranny of the mother country. Residents in Acushnet section resolved that "survive or perish," they were determined to be American patriots and fight for liberty.

First of all, the women joined the men in the show of resistance and refused to drink tea, which they said was unjustly taxed. Articles made in Great Britain and Ireland were boycotted.

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Paul Revere and other messengers rode in every direction from Boston, spreading the news that the hostilities had started. One of these messengers rode southward through Middleboro, Long Plain and Acushnet Village, sounding the alarm and calling to arms as he dashed along.

Soon three companies were ready to march. The rallying point of the Acushnet volunteers was at the bridge. So it was that on April 21, two days after the attack at Lexington, this company started from Swift's corner, in the village, and marched up the post road by Parting Ways, through Long Plain to the general rendezvous of the American army at Roxbury.

The British learned of the loyalty of the people of this section, including Acushnet, and planned to retaliate. On the morning of Saturday, Sept. 5, 1778, there appeared at the southwestern entrance of Buzzards Bay a British fleet consisting

of two frigates, an 18-gun brig-of-war, six transports in command of Major-General Charles Grey. The fleet anchored off Clark's Point about noon and preparations were made for the invasion. The arrival of the British was expected here.

Worth Bates, who lived in Bedford Village, and had been out fishing, brought warning of the arrival of the British to Fort Phoenix.

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As soon as the news was received messengers were sent in every direction to carry the alarming tidings. One rode the length of Acushnet urging every able-bodied man to seize his flint-lock and report at the bridge in the village, warning house-keepers to flee with their children and valuables to places of safety.

Records show there were few men in Acushnet at that time to respond to the call. Many of the men were of the Friends' Society, who refused to bear arms, and most of the other able-bodied men were already at the front. Only women remained at the homes with their children.

What happened is history. The British invaded the Dartmouth territory and burned at least two houses with all their furnishings in the New Bedford territory, a half dozen houses in Acushnet and several in Fairhaven. Fort Phoenix was demolished. Many vessels in the harbor were burned.

Minutemen staged a brave battle against the British at the bridge entering Acushnet but were repelled, hopelessly outnumbered. It is said

that Lieutenant James Metcalf was mortally wounded in this battle. He was from Boston and belonged to the Continental Army. He was buried in the Precinct Cemetery in Acushnet. At least three were killed in that engagement at the bridge, it is recorded.

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In 1788 Acushnet was stricken by an epidemic of small pox. A pest house was erected by the town but it was voted at the town meeting against recommending the practice of vaccination. There was another Dartmouth town meeting in January, 1792, when it was voted to provide four hospitals for inoculation against smallpox.

The ravages of the disease continued for eight years and it is said that one out of every 70 of the entire population died. Many died of this disease in Acushnet at that time. Headstones in the Precinct Cemetery at Parting Ways, Acushnet, show a large number of deaths during that prolonged period.

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There were no public conveyances in any direction here for 125 years after the original settlers established themselves in this district. All the travel during those early years was by horseback, and produce not consumed here was hauled to Boston by horses and oxen. Samuel Sprague, who lived in Long Plain Road in Acushnet territory, operated the first public conveyance out of New Bedford. It was a stage route line

opened in 1793. There was another started the same year by Andrew Kershaw. One of the routes was through Acushnet, Middleboro and Bridgewater to Boston. The other was over the Post Road in Acushnet to Rochester by Perry Hill Road, thence through Wareham and Sandwich to Barnstable. There was great rejoicing in Acushnet over the opening of the mail and traveling facilities.

Slavery was practiced in Acushnet during the early years. Criminals were punished for a time at the whipping post.

Acushnet village was the chief maritime port on the river in the early history of Old Dartmouth. Goods not made or raised here were brought by ship and unloaded at this point. The first vessels constructed anywhere on the Acushnet River, were built within the present boundaries of Acushnet. At first small fishing and coastal vessels were built but later whalers were constructed.

The town was affected by the war of 1812 with England. Many residents who were employed in the merchant marine and whale fisheries were forced into idleness.

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Three years later came the memorable September gale on Sept. 23, 1815. The New Bedford Mercury of that date stated that the tide in the river rose ten feet above common high water mark and four feet higher than ever before. The gale

came in the morning and lasted until noon. The tide flooded the Acushnet Saw Mill pond and the water went nearly to Lunds Corner. The salt spray was thick at Long Plain and was felt as far as Middleboro, accounts of the storms say. The bridges at Fairhaven and Acushnet village were swept away.

New Bedford was incorporated by an act of the legislature dated Feb. 23, 1787. The territory included present New Bedford, Fairhaven and Acushnet. Westport came into being next, having been incorporated July 2, 1787. This left the present township of Dartmouth.

It was Feb. 22, 1812, that Fairhaven became a town. At that time it included Acushnet's territory. Acushnet was the last and smallest child. It came into existence as an independent town Feb. 13, 1860.

Strangely enough, it was the only town christened with the name of one of the three bands of Indians

that formerly inhabited the lands of ancient Acushena.

The signers of the petition for the first town meeting of the legal voters of Acushnet were Edward G. Dillingham, Levi Wing, William R. Worth, George T. Russell Sr., James Hammett, Charles H. Adams, Benjamin Wilson, David R. Pierce, Joseph R. Wing, Godfrey C. Macomber and Cyrus E. Clark. The first town meeting was held at the engine house March 14, 1860. Jones Robinson was chosen moderator and Jabez Wood was elected town clerk, treasurer and tax collector. The selectmen, assessors and overseers of the poor were Cyrus E. Clark, Benjamin Wilson and Benjamin White.

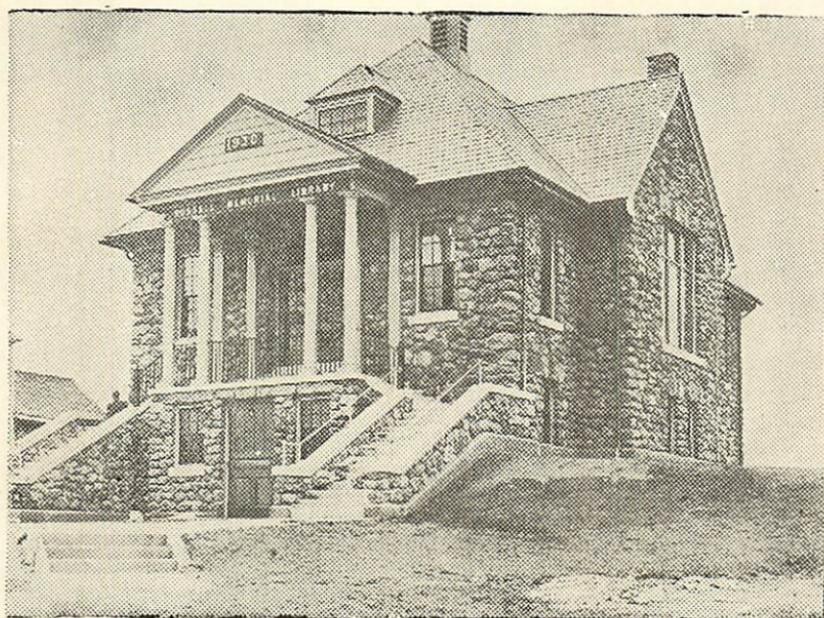
A movement was originated at a recent meeting of the Acushnet Woman's Club to observe the 75th anniversary of the incorporation of the town of Acushnet in a proper manner.

NOTE

CENTENARIANS BORN IN ACUSHNET

Cornelia R. Church was born in the old Mason Taber house near the corner of Perry Hill Road, which was later known as the Old Tavern. Her father, Alden Rounseville, moved to Rochester when she was six years old. For the past three years she has been living with Mrs. L. E. Ashley. Mrs. Church taught school at Long Plain for many years.

Katherine Hawes was born in the Keene neighborhood and lived there until recent years. She is now residing with her daughter on the County Road.



ACUSHNET PUBLIC LIBRARY

CUTS LOANED BY STANDARD-TIMES

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1934 - 1935

TOWN CLERK, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Jerry J. Riendeau Term expires 1935

BOARD OF SELECTMEN AND PUBLIC WELFARE

Edward E. Warren Term expires 1935

Frederick O. Tripp Term expires 1936

Henry L. Guilbeault Term expires 1937

ASSESSORS

Percival L. Ashley Term expires 1935

Alphee Gautreau Term expires 1936

William Fawcett Term expires 1937

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Edgar B. Cormier Term expires 1935

Napoleon Beaulieu Term expires 1936

Marion E. Burt Term expires 1937

MODERATOR

Henry A. Jackson Term expires 1935

BOARD OF HEALTH

Alexander Newton Term expires 1935

Joel P. Bradford Term expires 1936

Charles Dietz Term expires 1937

COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

Clovis Poyant Term expires 1935

Thomas Hersom, Jr. Term expires 1936

Daniel J. McCarthy Term expires 1937

CEMETERY BOARD

Thomas Tuttle	Term expires 1935
Alden White	Term expires 1936
Clarence B. Ellis	Term expires 1937

TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Matthew J. Burke	Term expires 1935
Millie A. Hersom	Term expires 1936
Theron R. Parker	Term expires 1937

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER

Alberto L. Snell	Term expires 1935
Henry L. Deschamps	Term expires 1936
Edward E. Warren	Term expires 1937

PARK COMMISSIONERS

Joseph Lizotte	Term expires 1935
Ovila Bouley	Term expires 1936
Earl T. Cory	Term expires 1937

TREE WARDEN

Thomas Rogerson	Term expires 1935
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**RESULT OF THE VOTE
ANNUAL ELECTION -- MARCH 5, 1934**

Precinct No. 1 Cast	1035	Votes
Precinct No. 2 Cast	221	Votes
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Total	1256	Votes

**TOWN CLERK, TREASURER AND
COLLECTOR OF TAXES**

One Year

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Louis P. Maynard	237	83	320
Jerry J. Riendeau (elected)	765	130	895
Blanks	33	8	41

SELECTMAN AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Three Years

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Walton E. Braley	394	137	531
Henry L. Guilbeault (elected)	589	77	666
Henry L. LeBoeuf	29	1	30
Blanks	23	6	29

ASSESSOR

Three Years

	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
William Fawcett (elected)	472	151	623
Henry O. Saucier, Jr.	482	42	524
Blanks	81	28	109

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Marion E. Burt (elected)	610	123	733
John Lewis Fawcett	340	81	421
Blanks	85	17	102

MODERATOR

One Year

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Henry A. Jackson (elected)	551	105	656
Norman L. Sivigny	375	98	473
Blanks	109	18	127

BOARD OF HEALTH

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Charles Dietz (elected)	776	186	962
Blanks	259	35	294

COMMISSIONER OF TRUST FUNDS

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Daniel J. McCarthy (elected)	733	161	894
Blanks	302	60	362

TRUSTEE OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Theron R. Parker (elected)	770	182	952
Blanks	265	39	304

CEMETERY BOARD

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Ovila Bouley	442	23	465
Clarence B. Ellis (elected)	448	159	607
Walton E. Braley	3	—	3
Blanks	142	39	181

SURVEYOR OF LUMBER

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Fred R. Morse	—	1	1
Ovila Bouley	2	—	2
Edward E. Warren (elected)	8	—	8
Nellie Smith	1	—	1
Louis Dube	1	—	—
LeRoy Ellis	1	—	1
Walter LaBelle	2	—	2
Pardon Taber	1	—	1
Donald Sorelle	1	—	1
Dosithe Guillotte	1	—	1
Uldric Meunier	1	—	1
Omer Pineau	1	—	1
Henry Deschamps	1	—	1
Blanks	1014	220	1234

PARK COMMISSIONER

Three Years

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Earl T. Cory (elected)	542	126	668
Clovis Poyant	365	62	427
Blanks	128	33	161

TREE WARDEN

One Year

	Prect. 1	Prect. 2	Total
Thomas Rogerson (elected)	658	143	801
Blanks	377	78	455

REPORT OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of the Town of Acushnet:

The Board of Selectmen hereby submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1934.

The Board organized, March 12, 1934 as follows: Frederick O. Tripp was elected Chairman and Leon Lambert was appointed Clerk.

Fifty-two regular meetings were held.

FREDERICK O. TRIPP,
Chairman.

HENRY L. GUILBEAULT,

Selectmen of Acushnet.

**OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE
BOARD OF SELECTMEN
FOR ONE YEAR**

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Henry O. Saucier

FOREST WARDEN

August St. Jean

approved by State Dept. of Conservation

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Otis J. Tripp

approved by State Dept. of Conservation

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

Omer Pineau

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

August St. Jean

CHIEF OF POLICE

Otto W. Melzer

POLICE OFFICERS

Manuel J. Fonseca
Pardon Taber
Albert J. Plaud

Joseph Lapierre
Stephen McDonald
Thomas E. Beaudry

POLICE OFFICERS TO SERVE WITHOUT
COMPENSATION

Joseph Pietrozowski	Joseph Vargos
Uriah S. Cole	Henry Lewis
Eben F. Leonard	Robert E. Parker
Albert Langevin	Napoleon Durocher
Alonzo H. Hammond, Jr.	Charles Dietz
Ulderic Meunier	Alonzo H. Hammond
Ovila Bouley	Joseph Eastwood
	Joseph Toussaint

CONSTABLE

Otto W. Melzer

KEEPER OF TOWN LOCKUP

Otto W. Melzer

FIELD DRIVERS

Clarence Taber	Leslie Morse
Uriah S. Cole	

MEASURERS OF WOOD, LUMBER AND LOGS

August St. Jean	LeRoy Ellis	Pardon Taber
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FENCE VIEWERS

Walter E. Tripp	Clarence B. Ellis	Rexford G. Morse
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PUBLIC WEIGHERS

Sylvia Gularte	Frank A. Jepson
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TOWN COUNSEL

Frank F. Resendes, Jr.

BURIAL AGENT

Conrad H. Gauttier

CLERK OF SELECTMEN
AND BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Leon Lambert

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

George Jacques	Term expires 1935
Chester DeMoranville	Term expires 1936
Emile D. Gonneville	Term expires 1937

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

William Ashley	Term expires 1935
Thomas O. Hathaway	Term expires 1936
Pardon Taber	Term expires 1937

SUPERINTENDENT OF MOTHS

Thomas Rogerson
approved by State Dept. of Conservation

FINANCE COMMITTEE

William Ashley	Term expires 1937
Walter A. White	Term expires 1937
Thomas O. Hathaway	Term expires 1937
Thomas Hersom, Jr.	Term expires 1936
Joseph F. Dabrowski	Term expires 1936
Dosithe Guillotte	Term expires 1936
Frank F. Resendes, Jr.	Term expires 1935
Alexander Newton	Term expires 1935
Napoleon Beaulieu	Term expires 1935

INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM

Henry O. Saucier

INSPECTOR OF GARAGES

Alcide Gaudette

ELECTION OFFICERS (For one year)

Precinct No. 1

Joseph F. Dabrowski	Warden
Henry O. Saucier, Jr.	Deputy Warden
Ernest Gautreau	Clerk
A. Louise LeBouf	Deputy Clerk
Agnes Begley	Inspector
Nellie Smith	Inspector
Rhoda Pate	Inspector
Leo Avery	Deputy Inspector
Alfred Leclair	Deputy Inspector
John W. Heys	Deputy Inspector

Precinct No. 2

Charles D. Bennett	Warden (Resigned)
Clifton Geggatt	Deputy Warden
Everett L. Borden	Clerk
Robert E. Parker	Deputy Clerk
Oliver Santos	Inspector
Honore Perreault	Inspector

LICENSES AND PERMITS GRANTED

Dance Licenses	Issued	149
Sunday Licenses	Issued	15
Pool Table Licenses	Issued	3
Alcoholic Beverage Licenses	Issued	12
Picnic Malt Beverage Licenses	Issued	18
Common Victuallers' Licenses	Issued	8
Innholders License	Issued	1
Auctioneer Licenses	Issued	1
Slaughtering Licenses	Issued	1
Denatured Alcohol Licenses	Issued	5
Motor Vehicle Agent Licenses	Issued	3
Building Removal Permits	Issued	1

LIST OF JURORS FOR 1934

The following is the list of Jurors prepared by the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Acushnet, under the provisions of Chapter 234, Section 4, General Laws.

James A. Budd, Morse's Lane	Farmer
Wilfred Lapalme, 52 Coulombe St.	Laborer
Andre Dion, 7 Gammons Rd.	Farmer
Arthur Forand, Cushing Lane	Farmer
Frank Gonet, 239 Robinson Rd.	Farmer
Thomas O. Hathaway, 233 Hathaway Rd.	Farmer
Joseph Holt, 271 Hamlin St.	Operative
Leon Lambert, 9 Hope St.	Bookkeeper
Henry Lewis, 66 Mill Rd.	Laborer
John R. Linden, 550 Main St.	Mill Operative
Alexander Newton, 153 Main St.	Stereotyper
Joseph Perras, 1357 Main St.	Farmer
Honore Perreault, 229 Robinson Rd.	Mill Operative
Henry E. Reed, 88 Mill Rd.	Mason
Arthur F. Resendes, 82 Middle Rd.	Farmer
William Smith, Jr., 53 Perry St.	Farmer
Clement St. Amand, 1094 Main St.	Farmer
Arthur L. Tripp, 1243 Main St.	Foreman
Frederick H. Wood, 15 Main St.	Retired
Charles D. Bennett, 788 Main St.	Farmer
Theron R. Parker, 532 Middle Rd.	Druggist
William E. Collins, 1235 Main St.	Farmer
Otis J. Tripp, 35 Perry St.	Farmer
Frederick E. Ashley, 1443 Main St.	Farmer
Nere H. Bourgeois, 153 So. Main St.	Merchant
Avelino Tavares, Keen Rd.	Farmer
Charles E. Beals, 107 So. Main St.	Farmer
Henry LeBouf, 32 Jean St.	Foreman
Arthur Bergeron, 201 So. Main St.	Laundry Owner
Joseph Dabrowski, 177 So. Main St.	Merchant

Clovis Poyant, 312 Main St.	Mill Operative
Charles F. Leonard, Jr., 18 Quaker Lane	Farmer
Edward E. Warren, 71 Slocum St.	Salesman
Frederick O. Tripp, 35 Perry St.	Farmer
Robert E. Parker, 584 Middle Rd.	Farmer
Antone D. Sylvia, 561 Main St.	Farmer
Walton E. Braley, 1510 Main St.	Farmer
Joseph F. Bowden, 7 Main St.	Merchant
Conrad Gauither, 162 So. Main St.	Druggist
August Bourque, 72 Jean St.	Mill Operative
James Hyde, 67 Slocum St.	Mill Operative
Henry L. Guilbeault, Wing Lane	Painter
Thomas Hersom, Jr., 24 Main St.	Manufacturer

INCIDENTALS ACCOUNT

Annual Appropriation	\$4,000.00
Special Appropriation, August	2,700.00
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	\$6,700.00

Expenditures

Town Reports	\$341.70
Printing and Stationery	1,012.10
Auto Hire, etc.	53.00
Telephones	177.97
Association fees, etc.	121.81
Treasurers Surety Bond	84.00
Recording tax title deed, dis- claimers and demands	1,594.88
Tax sale advertising	816.07
Collector's Surety Bond	178.00
Listing conveyances and costs of appealed cases	98.20
Certification of Notes	20.00
Town Counsel	334.40
Recording fees and Oaths	226.75
Town Clerk's Surety Bond	5.00
Registrars	246.70
Election Officers	294.60
Burglary Insurance	42.12
Land Court Fees	472.02
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	\$6,119.32
Unexpended balance	580.68
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	\$6,700.00

TOWN HALL

Annual Appropriation	\$450.00
Transferred from Reserve Fund	52.84
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	\$502.84

Expenditures

Janitor	\$115.00	
Towels	13.00	
Water	11.50	
Fuel	166.00	
Lights	184.25	
Janitors supplies	4.69	
Repairs	8.40	
	<hr/>	\$502.84

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Annual Appropriation	\$1,800.00
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Expenditures

Chief	\$1,196.45	
Officers	321.00	
Telephone	110.38	
Towels	13.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	21.10	
Janitor	14.00	
Fuel and Lights	49.76	
Building and Grounds	18.35	
Constable Bond	10.00	
Equipment	21.84	
Court Fees	19.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,795.48
Unexpended balance		4.52
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		\$1,800.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Annual Appropriation	\$2,000.00
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Expenditures

Chief's wages and maintenance	\$558.50	
Firemen	830.85	
Rent	208.08	
Power for siren	24.72	
Pumper Supplies	63.67	
Compensation insurance	112.50	
Minor equipment	74.94	
Issuing permits for storage of fuel for oil burners	22.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	8.58	
Telephone	87.73	
	<hr/>	\$1,991.57
Unexpended balance		8.43
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		\$2,000.00

HYDRANT SERVICES

Annual Appropriation	\$2,750.00
Annual cost of Hydrant Services	\$2,750.00

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Annual Appropriation	\$121.00
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Expenditures

Sealer	\$108.00	
Equipment	12.65	
	<hr/>	\$120.65
Unexpended balance		.35
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		\$121.00

FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

Annual Appropriation		\$50.00
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Expenditures

Insecticides		\$13.33
Unexpended balance		36.67
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		\$50.00

DISTRICT NURSE

Annual Appropriation		\$432.00
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Expenditures

Nurse's salary	\$363.55	
Telephone	68.45	
	<hr/>	\$432.00

STREET LIGHTS

Annual Appropriation		\$1,602.80
Transferred from Reserve Fund		9.49
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		\$1,612.29

Expenditures

Contract		\$1,612.29
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HIGHWAYS

Annual Appropriation		\$3,500.00
Transferred from Public Welfare (Vote of Town)		2,000.00
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		\$5,500.00

Expenditures

Superintendent	\$749.50	
Wages and Truck hire	2,000.40	
Miscellaneous	1.73	
Care and gas for beacon light	41.70	
Stone, gravel, cinders, etc.	1,270.39	
Equipment and repairs	475.82	
Insurance on tools and shed	74.10	
Truck supplies, repairs and storage	884.01	
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		\$5,497.65
Unexpended balance		2.35
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		\$5,500.00

NEW HIGHWAY TRUCKS

Annual Appropriation	\$1,320.00
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Expenditures

Two new Ford V-8 trucks	\$1,237.00
Unexpended balance	83.00
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	\$1,320.00

REMOVAL OF SNOW

Annual Appropriation	\$200.00
Special appropriation, August	172.05
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	\$372.05

Expenditures

Salaries and wages	\$122.15
Truck hire	206.90
Repairs to plows	43.00
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	\$372.05

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Annual Appropriation	\$3,200.00
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Expenditures

Cash allowances	\$1,783.66	
Paid to other Cities and Towns	403.33	
Fuel	89.00	
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		\$2,275.99
Unexpended balance		924.01
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		\$3,200.00

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS' RELIEF

Annual Appropriation	\$2,000.00
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Expenditures

Shoes	\$28.00	
Fuel	33.00	
Groceries	622.90	
Medicine and medical attendance	118.40	
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		\$802.30
Unexpended balance		1,197.70
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		\$2,000.00

NOTES AND INTERESTS

Annual Appropriation	\$8,650.00
Special Appropriation, August	1,400.00
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	\$10,050.00

Expenditures

Interest on all loans	\$10,008.44
Unexpended balance	41.56
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	\$10,050.00

SEWER PUMPING CHARGES

Annual Appropriation	\$123.00
Paid to City of New Bedford	\$123.00

BRISTOL COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL

Annual Appropriation	\$2,326.70
Paid to Bristol County	\$2,326.70

MEMORIAL PURPOSES

Annual Appropriation		\$50.00
Expended for Memorial Purposes	\$35.85	
Unexpended balance	4.15	
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MOSQUITO CONTROL

Annual Appropriation	\$50.00
Paid to Commonwealth	\$50.00

RESERVE FUND

Annual Appropriation	\$800.00
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Transfers

Agency Account (Veterans Exemptions)	\$19.65	
Town Hall	52.84	
Street Lights	9.49	
Repairs to Isolation Hospital	56.94	
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Balance not transferred		661.08
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		\$800.00

SALARIES APPROPRIATED AND PAID

Moderator	\$30.00
Selectmen and Public Welfare, Chairman	216.00
Selectmen and Public Welfare, other two	288.00
Clerk of Selectmen and Public Welfare	600.00
Treasurer and Collector	1,350.00
Town Clerk	72.00
Assessors	1,368.00
Town Accountant	356.00
Members of Board of Health	88.20
Inspector of Animals	79.20
Nurse	432.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Citizens of the Town of Acushnet:

The Board of Public Welfare herewith respectfully submit a report of their expenditures during the year ending December 31, 1934.

Annual Appropriation	\$20,000.00
Transferred to Highways (Vote of Town)	2,000.00
	\$18,000.00

Expenditures

Printing and Stationery	\$55.66	
Clothing	28.29	
Groceries	3,091.69	
Fuel	796.25	
Board and Care	1,828.00	
Medicine and Medical Attendance	2,712.30	
Cash	265.00	
Water and House Repairs	49.32	
Relief by Other Cities	3,932.75	
Relief by Other Towns	422.55	
Rent	225.00	
Burials	100.00	
Shoes	200.00	
Mothers' Aid by Other Cities	556.62	
	\$14,263.43	
Unexpended balance		3,736.57
		\$18,000.00

A total of 92 cases were aided, 58 Town cases, 18 cases of other Cities and Towns and 16 State cases.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK O. TRIPP,
HENRY L. GUILBEAULT,

Board of Public Welfare.

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR 1934

Population of the Town April 1, 1934	3,987
Men of age for military service	687
Number of Polls	1,185
Number of persons assessed on property	1,390
Value of assessed stock in trade	\$11,125.00
Value of assessed live stock	59,635.00
Value of assessed machinery	202,426.00
Value of all other assessed tangible personal property	1,450.00
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Value of assessed personal estate	\$274,636.00
Value of buildings excluding land	\$2,014,270.00
Value of land excluding buildings	1,199,965.00
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Value of assessed real estate	\$3,214,235.00
Total value of assessed estate	\$3,488,871.00
Tax on Polls	\$2,370.00
Tax on Personal Estate	7,829.82
Tax on Real Estate	91,620.53
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Tax for State, County and Town	\$101,820.35
Tax rate per \$1,000.00	\$28.50
Number of horses assessed	108
Number of cows assessed	702
Number of sheep assessed	34
Number of neat cattle assessed	83
Number of swine assessed	38
Number of dwelling houses assessed	921
Number of acres of land assessed	10,777
Number of fowl assessed	9,723

Valuation of fowl	\$9,723.00
Number of turkeys assessed	161
Valuation of turkeys	\$322.00

RECAPITULATION SHEET OF 1934

Annual Appropriation, March 10, 1934	\$121,762.93
Special Appropriation, Aug. 20, 1934	4,272.05
Appropriations from Available Funds, August 20, 1934	9,133.78
1928 Overlay Deficit	480.31
1929 Overlay Deficit	1,571.42
1930 Overlay Deficit	1,876.77
1931 Overlay Deficit	1,636.10
1932 Overlay Deficit	597.81
1933 Old Age Assistance Overlay	49.00
State Assessments:	
State Tax	5,300.00
State Parks	41.88
County Assessments:	
County Tax	3,914.68
Overlay of Current Year	4,559.57
Total	<u>\$155,196.30</u>

Estimated Receipts

Income Tax	\$13,219.47
Corporation Tax	2,622.58
Bank Tax	3.12
Motor Vehicle Excise	2,968.57
Licenses	833.78
Fines (Library and Court)	138.74
Special Assessments	343.63
General Government	205.74
Health and Sanitation	511.44

Charities	7,500.00	
Old Age Assistance	619.37	
Schools	6,393.87	
Interest on Deposits	55.80	
Interest on Taxes	3,260.89	
Federal Emergency Relief	605.56	
Tax Title Loan	5,000.00	
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Total Estimated Receipts		\$44,282.56
Available Funds used upon Au- thority of Commissioner of Cor- porations 9-29-34		\$9,133.78
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Total Deductions		\$53,416.34
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Net Amount raised by taxation on polls and property		\$101,779.96
Number of polls, 1,173 @ \$2.00	\$2,346.00	
Total valuation	\$3,488,871.00	
Tax Rate	28.50	
Property Tax	99,433.96	
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Town Commitment		\$101,779.96
Acushnet Fire and Water District Commitment		9,103.70

LIST OF TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR
FOR 1934

Town Tax	\$99,433.96	
December Assessment	16.39	
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Total Town Tax		\$99,450.35

Acushnet Fire and Water		
District	\$9,103.70	
December Assessment	1.33	
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Total Acushnet Fire and Water District		\$9,105.03
Poll Tax	\$2,346.00	
Subsequent Assessment	24.00	
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Total Poll Tax Commitment		2,370.00
Excise Tax (on 886 Motor Vehicles)		3,473.82
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Total Commitments to Collector		\$114,398.90

WILLIAM FAWCETT, Chairman,
 PERCIVAL L. ASHLEY,
 ALPHEE GAUTREAU,

Board of Assessors of Acushnet

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Acushnet Fire Department desires to submit the tenth annual report for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1934. During the year the fire department answered 73 calls, 7 were building fires, 17 were chimney fires, 27 brush fires, 3 automobile fires, 19 still alarms.

Payroll ending January 1934	\$82.50	
I. Olivier, Safety Hook	.15	
L. Gaudette, Cleaner	.10	
L. Beaulieu, Brush Broom	2.25	
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.82	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	20.15	
Inspecting 44 Oil Burners	22.00	
Total		\$134.97
Payroll ending February 1934	\$222.30	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	6.52	
Standard Electrical Co., Hot Shot Batteries and Chain	9.20	
Callanan & Archer, Filing Cards	.50	
Maxim Motor Co., Expansion Rings for Hose	5.58	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	21.95	
Total		\$266.05

Payroll ending March 1934	\$190.95	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.82	
F. Otis Eldridge, Foam Extinguisher Recharger	14.40	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	23.59	
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Total		\$236.76

Payroll ending April 1934	\$87.00	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	9.86	
Babbitt Steam Specialty Co., Polish	1.50	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	20.40	
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Total		\$118.76

Payroll ending May 1934	\$99.30	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.72	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	23.32	
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Total		\$130.34

Payroll ending June 1934	\$69.10	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.37	
Chas. S. Ashley & Sons, Insurance	112.50	
J. A. Toussaint, Sharpening Picks	4.55	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	23.70	
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Total		\$217.22

Payroll ending July 1934	\$81.10	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.47	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	19.40	
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Total		\$107.97
Payroll ending August 1934	\$93.75	
New Eng. Tel and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	7.77	
Standard Times, Stop Fires in Woods	7.50	
Acushnet Drug Co., Stamps, Paper, etc.	.58	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	26.64	
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Total		\$136.24
Payroll September 1934	\$80.70	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	6.92	
Acushnet Drug Co., Tape and Iodine	.50	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	21.90	
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Total		\$110.02
Payroll ending October 1934	\$108.80	
New Eng. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Service	5.92	
E. Otis Eldridge, 2 Ecolite Battery Light	9.00	
Jean's Motor Sales, Gas, Oil, Power and Rent	20.03	
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Total		\$143.75

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

For the year ending December 31, 1934

J. J. Riendeau, Collector

TAXES — 1934

Committed	\$101,820.35	
Refunded	65.41	
	<u> </u>	\$101,885.76
Collected	\$52,161.58	
Abatements	1,321.91	
Transferred to Tax Titles	171.10	
Outstanding, December 31, 1934	48,231.17	
	<u> </u>	\$101,885.76

TAXES — 1933

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$51,368.13	
Additional Commitments	65.02	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	30.68	
Refunded	184.24	
	<u> </u>	\$51,648.07
Collected	\$36,377.34	
Abatements	1,738.57	
Transferred to Tax Titles	13,532.16	
	<u> </u>	\$51,648.07

TAXES — 1932

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$14,020.50	
Collected after Abated	24.67	
Refunded	10.72	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	2,739.69	
	<u> </u>	\$16,795.58

Collected	\$7,853.03	
Abatements	2,354.60	
Transferred to Tax Titles	6,587.95	
	<u> </u>	\$16,795.58

TAXES — 1931

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$49.42	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	2,560.81	
	<u> </u>	\$2,610.23
Collected	\$45.18	
Abatements	2,070.85	
Transferred to Tax Titles	494.20	
	<u> </u>	\$2,610.23

TAXES — 1930

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$1,952.17
Abatements	\$1,923.17	
Transferred to Tax Titles	29.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,952.17

TAXES — 1929

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$1,620.93
Abatements	\$1,607.32	
Transferred to Tax Titles	13.61	
	<u> </u>	\$1,620.93

TAXES — 1928

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$2,026.98
Abatements		2,026.98

TAXES — 1927

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$298.01	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	1,906.44	
	<u> </u>	\$2,204.45

Collected	\$298.01	
Abatements	1,906.44	
	<u> </u>	\$2,204.45

TAXES — 1926

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$203.04	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	1,610.81	
	<u> </u>	\$1,813.85

Collected	\$203.04	
Abatements	1,610.81	
	<u> </u>	\$1,813.85

TAXES — 1925

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$140.16	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	1,144.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,284.16

Collected	\$138.16	
Abatements	1,144.00	
Adjustment	2.00	
	<u> </u>	\$1,284.16

TAXES — 1924

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$669.55	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	685.69	
	<u> </u>	\$1,355.24

Collected	\$669.55	
Abatements	685.69	
	<u> </u>	\$1,355.24

TAXES — 1923

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$250.27
Abatements		\$250.27

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE — 1934

Committed	\$3,473.82	
Refunded	58.69	
	<u> </u>	\$3,532.51
Collected	\$3,205.36	
Abatements	187.26	
Outstanding per list, December 31, 1934	139.89	
	<u> </u>	\$3,532.51

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE — 1933

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$301.02	
Additional Commitment	8.76	
Refunded	2.00	
	<u> </u>	\$311.78
Collected	\$263.40	
Abatements	48.38	
	<u> </u>	\$311.78

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE — 1932

Balance, January 1, 1934		\$53.37
Collected	\$22.19	
Abatements	31.18	
	<u> </u>	\$53.37

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAX — 1933

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$236.00	
Additional Commitment	1.00	
	<u> </u>	\$237.00
Uncollectible Refunded by State	\$110.00	
Collected	78.00	
Abatements	49.00	
	<u> </u>	\$237.00

SEWER ASSESSMENT — 1933

Balance, January 1, 1934		406.59
Collected	\$123.40	
Transferred to Tax Titles	283.19	
	<hr/>	\$406.59

SEWER ASSESSMENT — 1932

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$39.87	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	65.51	
	<hr/>	\$105.38
Abatements	\$65.51	
Transferred to Tax Titles	39.87	
	<hr/>	\$105.38

SEWER ASSESSMENT — 1931

Tax Titles Disclaimed	\$69.03
Abatements	\$69.03

SEWER ASSESSMENT — 1930

Tax Titles Disclaimed	\$72.53
Abatements	\$72.53

SEWER ASSESSMENT — 1929

Tax Titles Disclaimed	\$173.18
Abatements	\$173.18

ACUSHNET FIRE AND WATER DISTRICT ASSESSMENTS

DISTRICT TAXES — 1934

Committed	\$9,105.03	
Refunded	7.61	
	_____	\$9,112.64
Collected	\$4,544.27	
Abatements	107.37	
Transferred to Tax Titles	17.71	
Outstanding, December 31, 1934	4,443.29	
	_____	\$9,112.64

DISTRICT TAXES — 1933

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$4,738.11	
Additional Commitment	.17	
Refunded	21.91	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	3.84	
	_____	\$4,764.03
Collected	\$3,160.01	
Abatements	183.08	
Transferred to Tax Titles	1,420.94	
	_____	\$4,764.03

DISTRICT TAXES — 1932

(No Commitment)

DISTRICT TAXES — 1931

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$.34	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	182.21	
Unlocated	.01	
	_____	\$182.56

Collected	\$.01	
Abatements	144.78	
Transferred to Tax Titles	37.77	
	<hr/>	\$182.56

DISTRICT TAXES — 1930

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$153.00
Abatements	\$150.49	
Transferred to Tax Titles	2.51	
	<hr/>	\$153.00

DISTRICT TAXES — 1929

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$173.18
Abatements		\$173.18

DISTRICT TAXES — 1928

Tax Titles Disclaimed		\$181.72
Abatements		\$181.72

DISTRICT TAXES — 1927

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$25.74	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	201.41	
	<hr/>	\$227.15

Collected	\$25.74	
Abatements	201.41	
	<hr/>	\$227.15

DISTRICT TAXES — 1926

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$13.00	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	157.43	
	<hr/>	\$170.43

Collected	\$13.00	
Abatements	157.43	
	<hr/>	\$170.43

DISTRICT TAXES — 1925

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$8.20	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	170.56	
	<hr/>	\$178.76
Collected,	\$8.20	
Abatements	170.56	
	<hr/>	\$178.76

DISTRICT TAXES — 1924

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$136.79	
Tax Titles Disclaimed	135.00	
	<hr/>	\$271.79
Collected	\$136.79	
Abatements	135.00	
	<hr/>	\$271.79

DISTRICT TAXES — 1923

Tax Titles Disclaimed	\$38.75
Abatements	\$38.75

JERRY J. RIENDEAU

Collector of Taxes for the Town
of Acushnet

TREASURER'S REPORT
For the year ending December 31, 1934

Receipts

Taxes:

1934 Levy:	
Poll, Tangible Personal and Real Estate	\$52,161.58
1933 Levy:	
Poll, Tangible Personal and Real Estate	36,377.34
1932 Levy:	
Tangible Personal and Real Estate	7,853.03
1931 Levy:	
Tangible Personal	45.18
1927 Levy:	
Real Estate	298.01
1926 Levy:	
Real Estate	203.04
1925 Levy:	
Real Estate	138.16
1924 Levy:	
Real Estate	669.55
Motor Vehicle Excise of 1934	3,205.36
Motor Vehicle Excise of 1933	263.40
Motor Vehicle Excise of 1932	22.19
Old Age Assistance of 1933	78.00
Sewer Assessment of 1933	123.40
Interest on Deferred Taxes	2,219.64

Tax Titles Redeemed:

Levy of 1933	1,706.14
Levy of 1932	4,664.53
Levy of 1931	1,892.48
Levy of 1930	546.23
Levy of 1929	121.52
Levy of 1928	110.05
Sewer Assessment of 1933	26.46
Sewer Assessment of 1932	27.96
Costs and Charges	394.77
Interest on Tax Titles Redeemed	1,245.75

Income Tax:

Educational Measure	4,225.00
State Valuation Measure	7,958.15

Corporation Tax:

Business	2,074.30
Gas, Electric Lights and Water Companies	497.27
Railroads and Tel. and Tel. Companies	136.90

National Bank Tax	4.61
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Tax Sale Advertisements	148.24
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\$129,438.24

Licenses:

Wine, Malt and Alcoholic Beverages	\$1,286.88
Dogs	619.20
Sunday	75.00
Household Storage of Petroleum	44.00
Common Victuallers	42.00
Pasteurization	40.00
Dance	37.25
Motor Vehicle—Class 1	15.00
Denatured Alcohol	13.00
Milk	10.50
Renewal of Petroleum	8.00

Pool and Billiard Tables	6.00	
Innholder	5.00	
Auctioneer	2.00	
Slaughter	1.00	
Oleomargarine	.50	
		<hr/> 2,205.33
Public Welfare:		
State:		
Temporary Aid	\$2,472.98	
Support of Indigent Persons	97.50	
Cities and Towns	1,461.37	
Individuals	298.38	
		<hr/> 4,330.23
Old Age Assistance:		
State	\$406.61	
City of New Bedford	208.00	
		<hr/> 614.61
Health:		
State	\$200.20	
Telephone Tolls	.10	
		<hr/> 200.30
Sewer Pumping Charges		126.00
Schools:		
Vocational	\$2,583.00	
Evening Vocational	95.00	
Household Arts	1,615.00	
Evening Practical Art School	108.40	
Continuation School	190.72	
Tuition of Children	372.87	
		<hr/> 4,964.99
County Dog Fund		468.39
Fire Department Telephone Tolls		16.64
Court Fines		118.50
Sealer of Weights and Measures Fees		44.37
Sale of Lands of Low Value		10.00

Library Fines	57.70
Refund on Recording Fees of Tax Titles	2.45
George T. Parker Account	384.68
Civil Works Service	596.00
Uncollectible Old Age Assistance of 1933	110.00
Federal Emergency Relief	605.56
Voting Lists	4.25
Bequest to Acushnet Free Public Library	50.00
Revenue Loans	90,000.00
Tax Title Loans	18,036.19

Trust Funds:

Allen and Rhoda R. Russell		
Library	\$1,584.71	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	356.44	
Russell Protestant Poor	230.06	
R. N. Swift Board of Health	185.31	
Russell Public School	145.59	
Russell Town Hall and Library	138.10	
Henry H. Rogers Gift	70.20	
Long Plain Cemetery Permanent		
Care	11.37	
Acushnet Cemetery	27.00	
	<hr/>	2,748.78

Trust Fund Bequests:

Cemetery Perpetual Care	\$100.00	
Long Plain Cemetery Addition	45.00	
	<hr/>	145.00

District Taxes:

1934 Levy	\$4,544.27
1933 Levy	3,160.01
1931 Levy	.01
1927 Levy	25.74
1926 Levy	13.00
1925 Levy	8.20
1924 Levy	136.79
Interest on Deferred Taxes	134.35

Tax Titles Redeemed:

1933 Levy	193.50	
1931 Levy	114.09	
1930 Levy	31.44	
1929 Levy	4.20	
Interest on Tax Titles Redeemed	36.96	8,402.56

Total Receipts for the Year Ending

December 31, 1934	\$263,680.77
Balance January 1, 1934	1,868.14
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	\$265,548.91

Disbursements

Schools	\$48,900.00
Vocational Schools	8,088.30
Free Public Library	618.37
Public Welfare	14,263.43
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief	802.30
Old Age Assistance	2,275.99
Board of Health	2,181.28
Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital	2,326.70
Nurse	432.00
Inspector of Animals	79.20
Hydrant Services	2,750.00
Fire Department	1,991.57
Police Department	1,795.48
Sealer of Weights and Measures	120.65
Suppression of Moths	13.33
Highways	5,497.65
Highway Trucks	1,237.00
Snow Removal	372.05
Street Lights	1,612.29
Notes and Interest	10,008.44
Incidentals	6,119.32
Town Hall	502.84

Assessors' Salaries	1,368.00
Treasurer and Collector's Salary	1,350.00
Clerk of Board of Selectmen and Public Welfare	600.00
Selectmen's Salaries	504.00
Town Accountant	356.00
Board of Health Salaries	88.20
Town Clerk's Salary	72.00
Moderator	30.00
Park	144.82
Sewer Pumping Charge	123.00
Memorial Purposes	35.85
Civil Works Service	596.00
Tax Titles Redeemed and Applied on Tax Title	
Loans from State	9,105.37
Mosquito Control	50.00
Repairs to Isolation Hospital	356.94
County Tax	3,914.68
Revenue Loans	50,000.00
Dog Licenses	625.80
State Tax:	
State Tax	5,300.00
State Parks	41.88
Veterans' Exemptions	19.65
Old Age Assistance Revenue	3.00
Tax Title Loan	13,036.19
Trust Fund Bequests:	
Long Plain Cemetery Additions	\$45.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care	100.00
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	145.00
Trust Funds and Income Expended:	
Henry H. Rogers Gift Fund	\$70.20
Allen and Rhoda R. Russell	
Library	1,584.71
Russell Protestant Poor Fund	230.06
Russell Public School Fund	145.59
Russell Town Hall and Library	138.10

Acushnet Cemetery Corporation	27.00	
R. N. Swift Board of Health	185.31	
Long Plain Cemetery	11.37	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	356.44	
	<hr/>	2,748.78
District Taxes:		
Levy of 1934	\$4,536.66	
Levy of 1933	3,138.10	
Levy of 1931	.01	
Levy of 1927	25.74	
Levy of 1926	13.00	
Levy of 1925	8.20	
Levy of 1924	136.79	
Interest on Deferred Taxes	134.35	
Tax Titles:		
Levy of 1933	193.50	
Levy of 1931	114.09	
Levy of 1930	31.44	
Levy of 1929	4.20	
Interest on Tax Titles Redeemed	36.96	
	<hr/>	8,373.04
Refunds:		
Motor Vehicle Excise of 1934	\$58.69	
Motor Vehicle Excise of 1933	2.00	
Levy of 1934	65.41	
Levy of 1933	184.24	
Levy of 1932	10.72	
Interest	2.15	
District:		
Levy of 1934	7.61	
Levy of 1933	21.91	
	<hr/>	352.73
Unpaid Warrants of 1933:		
Schools	\$679.81	
Vocational Schools	982.00	

Free Public Library	226.28	
Public Welfare	1,046.80	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief	238.11	
Board of Health	218.89	
Nurse	34.20	
Fire Department	440.34	
Police Department	88.00	
Highways	87.60	
Snow Removal	118.15	
Street Lights	138.15	
Incidentals	38.21	
Town Hall	25.00	
Tax Titles Redeemed and Applied on		
Tax Title Loan from State	427.74	
Acushnet Fire and Water District	347.01	5,136.29
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Total Disbursements for the Year		
Ending December 31, 1934		\$216,465.41
Balance, December 31, 1934		49,083.50
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		\$265,548.91

Cash Reconciliation, December 31, 1934

Balance per Cash Book	\$49,083.50	
Add—Outstanding Checks	6,444.51	
	<hr/>	\$55,528.01
Balance per Merchants National		
Bank	\$55,227.26	
Add—Cash on Hand	300.75	
	<hr/>	\$55,528.01

UNREDEEMED TAX TITLES

December 31, 1934

Levy of 1933	\$11,405.88	
Levy of 1932	8,807.12	
Levy of 1931	5,607.13	
Levy of 1930	2,866.29	
Levy of 1929	976.37	
Levy of 1928	311.55	
		\$29,974.34
District:		
Levy of 1933	\$1,155.66	
Levy of 1931	367.31	
Levy of 1930	213.13	
Levy of 1929	63.60	
Levy of 1928	12.71	1,812.41
Total Unredeemed Tax Titles December 31, 1934		\$31,786.75

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

NAME OF FUND	Principal	Balance	Dividends	Withdrawn	Balance
		Jan. 1, 1934	1934	1934	Dec. 31, 1934
Allen and White	\$100.00	\$115.58	\$3.77	\$6.00	\$113.35
Braley, Isaac V.	100.00	104.03	3.40	4.00	103.43
Bumpus, Nathan	100.00	107.41	3.51	2.50	108.42
Burt, Joseph W.	60.00	60.00	1.97	1.97	60.00
Cathell, James	100.00	171.83	5.60	7.00	170.43
Chadwick, Francis	75.00	76.54	2.49	3.00	76.03
Cory, Samuel, Jr.	100.00	170.07	5.38	18.50	156.95
Cottle, Ruhannah H.	100.00	107.73	3.51	6.00	105.24
Davis, Mary S.	200.00	351.54	11.50	10.00	353.04
Davis, Richard	100.00	107.08	3.49	4.00	106.57
Davis, Walter A.	100.00	105.36	3.45	4.00	104.81
Ellis, Capt. Ebenezer	75.00	75.00	2.45	2.45	75.00
Fowler, John B.	200.00	349.38	11.44	13.00	347.82
Geggatt, John	75.00	96.22	3.14	4.00	95.36
Hamlin, James B.	200.00	402.53	13.04	16.00	399.57
Hammett, Capt. John M.	75.00	75.00	2.45	2.45	75.00
Hammett, Alice	100.00	106.19	3.48	4.00	105.67
Hickey, Elizabeth Ann	100.00	113.34	3.71	4.00	113.05
Keen, Hervey B.	100.00	101.53	3.32	4.00	100.85

Leonard, Eben F.	100.00	101.22	3.30	4.00	100.52
Leonard, Ebenezer (Dep. Aug. 14, 1934)	50.00				50.00
Mendall, Ellis	100.00	135.08	4.42	10.00	129.50
Morse, Albert S., Jr.	100.00	106.16	3.48	4.00	105.64
Morse, Alfred	100.00	114.57	3.74	4.00	114.31
Morse, Edward	200.00	223.01	7.29	15.00	215.30
Morse, Edward C.	23.75	24.09	.78		24.87
Merrick, Charles (Dep. Aug. 22, 1934)	50.00		.13		50.13
Nye, Sally	100.00	167.66	5.28	18.50	154.44
Omey, William and Albert	100.00	115.75	3.77	5.00	114.52
Omey, Joseph C.	100.00	100.00	3.27	3.27	100.00
Parker, George J.	100.00	177.75	5.73	11.00	172.48
Parker, Jonathan and Lucy	100.00	147.97	4.82	5.00	147.79
Perry, Charles J.	100.00	130.72	4.28	5.00	130.00
Perry, H. and G. Barton	50.00	55.55	1.80	4.00	53.35
Perry, John S.	100.00	118.59	3.87	6.00	116.46
Phipps, Henry G.	100.00	100.00	3.27	3.29	99.98
Pierce, Samuel	150.00	288.58	9.44	10.00	288.02
Pierce, Samuel B.	150.00	165.50	5.41	8.00	162.91
Pratt, Sylvester	50.00	80.91	2.63	4.00	79.54
Reynolds, Luther	50.00	50.00	1.63	1.63	50.00
Reynolds, Luther and Job Haskins	100.00	144.84	4.64	11.00	138.48
Robinson, Benjamin	100.00	105.95	3.45	6.00	103.40

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS—Continued

NAME OF FUND	Principal	Balance	Dividends	Withdrawn	Balance
		Jan. 1, 1934	1934	1934	Dec. 31, 1934
Robinson, Thomas J.	50.00	50.00	1.63	1.63	50.00
Sherman, James B.	100.00	117.26	3.84	5.00	116.10
Sherman, Clara L.	25.00	25.15	.82	.97	25.00
Taber, Elizabeth	205.09	428.17	13.82	23.00	418.99
Taber, Joseph	100.00	203.39	6.64	5.00	205.03
Taber, Pardon	75.00	142.36	4.46	19.50	127.32
Taber, William	100.00	153.37	5.02	6.00	152.39
Taber, William D.	50.00	106.87	3.41	9.00	101.28
Taber, Samuel	100.00	101.03	3.30	4.00	100.33
Wellington, Fred E.	85.00	85.00	2.78	2.78	85.00
White, Benjamin (East Side)	100.00	118.63	3.87	6.00	116.50
White, Benjamin (West Side)	100.00	119.95	3.91	8.00	115.86
Wood, Mary S.	150.00	178.79	5.84	5.00	179.63
Wright, Susan Ann	100.00	113.27	3.71	5.00	111.98

TRUST FUNDS

NAME OF FUND	Principal	Balance Jan. 1, 1934	Deposited 1934	Dividends 1934	Withdrawn 1934	Balance Dec. 31, 1934
Henry H. Rogers Gift	\$2,500.00	\$ 633.88		\$ 20.31	\$ 70.20	\$ 583.99
Russell, Allen and Rhoda R., Library	7,591.60	10,046.88		307.25	1,584.71	8,769.42
Russell Memorial Library Maintenance	7,447.22	7,837.77		256.76		8,094.53
Russell Protestant Pocr	6,587.00	7,091.90		227.96	230.06	7,089.80
Russell Public School	7,067.30	7,115.38		230.92	145.49	7,200.71
Russell Town Hall and Library	2,789.40	2,866.67		93.69	138.10	2,822.26
Russell Acushnet Cemetery	579.80	595.09		19.26	27.00	587.35
R. N. Swift Board of Health	5,656.89	5,656.89		185.31	185.31	5,656.89
Long Plain Cemetery Per- manent Care	347.00	347.00		11.37	11.37	347.00
Long Plain Cemetery Ad- dition	585.00	386.13	\$45.00	12.64		443.77

SCHEDULE OF OUTSTANDING DEBT, DECEMBER 31, 1934

FIXED DEBT

NAME OF LOAN	Date of Loan	Notes Outstanding	Amount of Each	Rate of %	Loan Matures	Total Outstanding
Marie S. Howard School	July 1, 1919	5	\$1,250.00	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	1939	\$6,250.00
Mason W. Burt Memorial School	Dec. 1, 1920	3	2,000.00	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	1938	6,000.00
Mason W. Burt Memorial School		1	1,798.00			1,798.00
Combination Pumper	May 13, 1933	4	900.00	6	1938	3,600.00
Municipal Relief Loan	Sept. 1, 1933	4	2,000.00	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	1938	8,000.00
Loan on Tax Titles	Sept. 1, 1934	1	13,036.19	4	1935	13,036.19
Loan on Tax Titles	Feb. 1, 1934	1	5,000.00	5	1935	959.36
						\$39,643.55
Revenue Loans, Anticipation of Taxes						\$40,000.00

J. J. RIENDEAU,

Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

BIRTHS RECORDED IN 1934

Date	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 1	Gosselin, Carol Jean	Jean and Rose	Lemaire
Jan. 3	Eddleston, Herbert Proctor	Herbert and Gladys W.	Sylvia
Jan. 5	Fernandes, Isbell	Antonio and Stella	Mota
Jan. 6	Couchaine, Laura Jane	William and Blanche	Dubois
Jan. 7	Buckley, Bruce Harry	James W. and Marion	Griffiths
Jan. 8	Timms, _____	Joseph E. and Lilly	Hornshaw
Jan. 11	Fawcett, John William	John L. and Stella	Kawa
Jan. 11	Fawcett, Robert William	Herbert and Bernadette	Bertrand
Jan. 11	Fawcett, Donald Bertrand	Herbert and Bernadette	Bertrand
Jan. 13	Chenard, Norbert John	Solomon and Florence	Deschamps
Jan. 17	Mastera, John Clarence	Clarence and Florence	Norton
Jan. 20	Liariakos, _____	George and Jean	Panek
Jan. 20	Aumery, Natalie	Joseph and Stella	Alexander
Jan. 24	Niziolek, Matthew Jerry	Matthew L. and Blanche	Wilusz
Feb. 1	Southworth, Donald George	William T. and Alice	Roberts
Feb. 2	Izdebski, Francis Jacob	Michal and Mary	Gut
Feb. 21	Sylvia, Joseph Michael	Domingo and Margaret	Maloney
Mar. 1	Gross, Leroy Everett	Edwin A., Jr. and Olive	Westgate
Mar. 3	Smith, Beverly Rhoda	Alex and Gladys	Derbyshire
Mar. 10	Dupuis, Jeannette Emelie	Joseph E. and Jennie	Dupre

BIRTHS — Continued

Date	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 11	Sylvia, Doris Mary	Anthony S. and Germaine	Chauveau
Mar. 16	Cote, George Maurice	Theophile, Jr. and Jeannette	St. Jean
Mar. 16	Cadieux, Adelor Henry Wilfred	Henry J. and Cora M.	Laflamme
Mar. 20	Langill, Russell Arthur	Henry D. and Lucy J.	Macomber
Apr. 6	Illegitimate		
Apr. 11	Bousquet, Shirley May	Peter J. and Edith F.	Pittsley
Apr. 11	White, James Robert	Raymond A. and Erma	Morse
Apr. 18	Duchaine, Rose Anna	Anthony and Marie L.	Patnaude
May 2	White, _____	Robert K. and Sylvia	Stefani
May 8	Blouin, _____	Godhory and Mary	Viera
May 8	Illegitimate		
May 9	Robinson, Lawrence Vernon	Lawrence V. and Ada	Calverly
May 11	Allen, Antoine Edward	Sidney D., and Anita E.	Leroux
May 15	Danko, Lillian Martha	Michael M. and Leah	Pelczar
May 23	Bourgeois, Barbara Ann	William and Grace W.	Almy
May 26	Veilleux, Edith May	Paul and Mary E.	Botelho
May 28	Poirier, Joan Blanche	Arthur A. and Irene F.	Guillette
May 29	Illegitimate		
June 4	Wood, Harold, Jr.	Harold and Ivy	Holt
June 5	O'Tocki, Irene Rita	Hipolet F. and Helen	Tomkievich
June 13	Bonville, Wilfred Roland	Wilfred P. and Jeanne	Davignon
June 16	Wolf, Carol Anne	Charles M. and Daisy G.	Bourne
June 17	Manning, John Francis, Jr.	John F. and Margaret E.	Bashaw

June 17	Norton, Harrison Thomas	Thomas L. and Ruth A.	Wilbur
June 22	Joseph, —————	Manuel and Emelinda	Domingos
June 27	Mach, Pauline Leontine	Theodore and Millie L.	Parker
June 28	Perry, Charles Jenney	Edson I. and Mary F.	Raulet
July 2	Lagasse, Robert	Armand and Aline	Martel
July 4	Winslow, Carol	Kenneth W. and Olive B.	Phipps
July 7	Willette, Joseph Elzear, Jr.	Joseph E. and Anna E.	Pierce
July 12	Wilcox, Ruth Ethelyne	David E. and Elizabeth	Mayes
July 13	Wiley, Robert William, Jr.	Robert W. and Evelyn	Schestak
July 14	Roderiques, Manuel, 3rd	Manuel, Jr., and Angeline	Leal
July 15	Frates, William	John P. and Sally	Witkos
July 15	Maudsley, James Donald, Jr.	James and May	Jenkinson
July 23	Oliver, Richard Carl	Carlton E. and Anna	Forand
July 23	Stykowski, Stanley Albert	Stanley and Aldea	Auclair
July 27	Fogarty, Laurence Neil	Fred and Mary I.	Halloran
July 27	Hayes, Daniel Joseph	Daniel, Jr. and Yvonne	Plourde
July 30	Kerr, Elliot Rodman	Louis R., Jr. and Bertha E.	Wilson
July 30	Sullivan, Louise	William S. and Stella	Babola
Aug. 3	Cadioux, Kevin Delande	Adrian J. and Palma R.	Champegny
Aug. 6	Tripp, Cynthia Ann	Earle R. and Lucy M.	James
Aug. 8	Bouchard, Claire Marie Henrietta	Henry J. and Rose A.	Langevin
Aug. 12	Morse, Barbara Louise	Richmond E. and Jennie F.	Ellis
Aug. 13	Fernandes, Cezar Soares	Frank S. and Maria	Duarte
Aug. 15	Dugas, Robert Francis	Napoleon and Aurore	Marcheseault
Aug. 18	Gregory, Kenneth Philip	Vernold N. and Beatrice	Miller
Aug. 19	Viera, Naomi Sylvia	Manuel and Octavia	Perry

BIRTHS — Continued

Date	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Maiden Name of Mother
Aug. 22	Durocher, Gerard Edouard	Alphonse and Florida	Desorcey
Aug. 24	Butler, William James	David H. and Isabella	Livesey
Aug. 24	Rymut, Helen Estelle	Frank and Stella	Witkos
Aug. 25	Jesse, Coral Bradford	Elmo C. and Dorothy B.	Tripp
Aug. 29	Ventura, Joan Mary	Joseph and Mary A.	Matthews
Aug. 30	Robitaille, Claire Marie	Alphege H. and Lucille F.	Cadieux
Sept. 4	Bottomly, Norman	John H. and Lily	Wilkinson
Sept. 7	Langan, James Anthony	James and Germaine	Fregeau
Sept. 22	Garcia, Florence	Manuel and Annie	Weir
Sept. 22	Almond, Joann Mary	Thomas and Madeline	Oliver
Sept. 23	Hopwood, Elizabeth Ann	Roland Charles and Mabel	Galligan
Sept. 24	DeGouveia, James	Frank, Jr. and Deolinda	Mareiro
Sept. 25	Illegitimate		
Sept. 30	Breton, Helen Gertrude	Alphonse and Antoinette	Paquin
Oct. 3	Lopes, Louise Anora	Albert F. and Lily	MacLean
Oct. 3	Cronin, Elizabeth Sophia	John and Jane E.	Koska
Oct. 6	Orlowski, Stefan, Jr.	Stefan and Sophie	Motyl
Oct. 8	Czaya, Gloria Anne	Frank and Alice	Pelczarski
Oct. 12	Timms, ————	Joseph E. and Lily	Hornshaw
Oct. 17	Illegitimate		
Oct. 20	Warrington, Frank Harwood	Frank W. and Gertrude N.	Harwood
Oct. 21	Belliveau, Raymond Leo	Joseph and Delia	Laflamme
Oct. 21	Burgess, George Bradford	Fred C. and Ida	Allaire

Oct. 24	Romeiro, Blanche Edith	Joseph I. and Blanche E.	St. Jean
Oct. 25	Sylvia, Mabel	Charles and Myra	Cornell
Oct. 31	Perry, Lucille Marie	George S. and Mary	Souza
Nov. 2	Michon, —————	Leo and Clemence	Plaud
Nov. 4	Stillborn		
Nov. 4	Martin, Eleanor	Adelard and Mary B.	Cummings
Nov. 6	Counsell, Joan Elizabeth	Arthur and Elizabeth	Hardman
Nov. 6	LeBlanc, Annette Yvonne Marie	Raymond J. and Annette	Rivet
Nov. 8	Deschamps, —————	Alfred and Claire	Plaud
Nov. 9	Vargos, Nancy Anne	Joseph E. and Nancy	Weedall
Nov. 11	Talbot, Jeannette	Leo and Edna	Quebel
Nov. 11	Poirier, Pauline Jeanne	Alphee and Rosalie	Cote
Nov. 12	Coutinho, Robert David	Simeon D. and Lillian B.	Harris
Nov. 18	Wetzel, Herbert	John H. F. and Irene R.	Stephon
Nov. 21	Alferes, Carlos	John D. and Electa R.	Tavares
Nov. 23	Denault, Richard Thomas	Thomas, Jr. and Mary T.	Snell
Nov. 23	Ayotte, Raymond Henri	Aldor and Alberta	Gauthier
Nov. 28	Benoit, George Ernest	Antonio and Edna Delia	Therion
Nov. 29	Pankiewicz, Theodore Joseph	Theodore and Josephine	Dabrowski
Dec. 2	Richard, Joseph Andre Rene	Joseph Aurele and Augustine	Poirier
Dec. 3	Taber, Joan Ellen	Clarence E., Jr. and Gladys M.	Spencer
Dec. 5	Hubert, Marie Annette	Paul J. and Antoinette	Robitaille
Dec. 6	Ashworth, James Rodgers	James Ewart and Alice	Rodgers
Dec. 7	Sylvia, Shirley Mae	George and Marie Jose	Lopes
Dec. 8	Walmsley, Joan Barbara	John and Eva	Astley
Dec. 16	Cabral, Linda Olivia	Francis and Doris Estelle	Niles

BIRTHS — Continued

Date	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Maiden Name of Mother
Dec. 17	Marcotte, _____	Pierre and Georgette	Grasseler
Dec. 22	Davenport, Louis Joseph, Jr.	Louis J. and Sheila	King
Dec. 26	Anuszczyk, John	Leon J. and Wanda	Jagodzinski
Dec. 26	Anuszczyk, Henry	Leon J. and Wanda	Jagodzinski
Dec. 29	Moniz, Carol Theresa	William J., Jr. and Cecile L.	Benoit
Dec. 31	Moriarty, Edward Francis	Thomas C. and Mary A.	LaFlamme

REPORT any birth for the year 1934 that does not appear in the above list.

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

MARRIAGES

For the Year 1934

Date	Name
January 6	Albert Arthur Laferriere Marie Anne Roy
January 8	Joseph Ignacio Romeiro Blanche Elizabeth St. Jean
January 12	John DeFraga Alferes Electa Ribeiro Tavares
January 13	Charles Viera Hazel Rodgers
February 3	Ellis Parker Stefania Wander Dziura
February 10	George Garlick, Jr. Jane Alice Houghton
February 18	Willis Walter Rayno Margaret Bowden
March 1	Clarence E. Taber, Jr. Gladys M. Spencer
March 6	Roland Chas. Hopwood Mabel Carol Galligan
March 7	Abilio Rua Laura Belval
March 19	Joseph Cardoza Mabel Marie Martin
March 31	Manuel Gracia Vieira Octavia Perry
April 2	Leo Michon Clemence Plaud
April 2	Joseph Arthur Emery Parent Mary Emelda Cote
April 7	Antonio Souza Paulinho Rose Mary Frezza
April 19	William J. Moniz, Jr. Leona C. Benoit
April 19	Emile Joseph Cote Donalda Yvonne Dionne
April 19	Eugene Orel Bonville Clara Marceline Beaulieu
May 3	Felix Gonet Wanda G. Alberski
May 3	Arthur Martin Gertrude Guillotte
May 8	Adelard Olivier Mary Eva Olivier (Dufresne)
May 12	Lewis E. Battles Beulah Townsend
May 21	Alfred C. Goguen Mary Loretta A. Legere
May 30	Joseph Amedee Gauvin Marie Jeanne Aurora Hubert

MARRIAGES—Continued

Date	Name
May 30	Harold Dennis Ward Beatrice Neolla Lepage
June 2	Joseph N. Lemieux M. Agnes Ilda Cote
June 2	Manuel George Perry Mary Souza
June 2	Joseph Perry Isabell Mello
June 11	Alfred Henry Deschamps Claire H. Plaud
June 15	Leo Sylvia Mary Brown
June 18	William Walter Perry Irene Alice Deschamps
June 25	Frank Glosl, Jr. Katherine Helen Izdepski
June 28	George Edmund Hathaway Alice Dion
June 30	Antone Arruda Georgiana Oliver Martin
June 30	Leon Zephir Pepin Mary Louise Tatro
June 30	Norman Frank Degagner Helena Agnes Radziewicz
June 30	Robert Emmet Cronin Mary S. Koska
July 4	Walter Craven Helen M. Poole
July 7	Waldo Addison Small Braley Leona Loretta (Hornby) Medeiros
July 21	Joseph Fagundes Resendes Margery Sylvia
July 28	Jose Victor de Urquiola Johanna Cecilia Maguire
July 28	Arthur G. Pittsley Mary B. Pragana
July 30	Stanley Panek Jane Sypek
July 31	Adelard Wilfred Langlois Lauretta Noella Legault
September 1	John J. McKenna, Jr. Beatrice Regina Blain
September 1	John Cabral Rocha Boleslawa Farfalowska
September 3	J. A. Albert Bergeron Helenda L. St. Amand
September 3	Armand J. Girard Mary Blanche Duff
September 3	David Martel Lillian Gaucher

MARRIAGES—Continued

Date	Name
September 3	Joseph Galas
September 4	Jennie Galary Napoleon Ouellette
September 12	Jeannette Marie Rose Levasseur
September 20	John Fish Emma Stretton (Worsencroft)
September 20	Milton S. McGuiness
September 22	Alice Josephine Diggle Armand John Martin
October 28	Marie Albina Blaise Thomas Ivan Blackburn
November 29	Ethen Papaioannou Joseph W. Dufresne
November 29	Irene Masse
November 29	Alyre J. LeBlanc Mary G. Martin
November 29	William Bourgeois Florence Marie Gibbs
November 30	Ralph Staunton Hastings Julia White
December 1	Michael Valenti Sophia E. Koska
December 8	Joseph Charles Garant Rita Ruth Lapierre
December 22	Antone Costa Thelma Mae Ellis

DEATHS

Recorded in 1934

Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Jan. 3	Henrique Gomes	50	—	—
Jan. 6	Paul Leconte	14	1	27
Jan. 9	Dorothea Duart	—	7	—
Jan. 13	Marie (Carrier) Booker	34	3	25
Jan. 20	—Liarikos	—	1	hour
Jan. 21	Emma F. (Borden) Wilbur	71	—	—
Jan. 23	—Timms	—	—	14
Feb. 10	Sarah J. (Braley) Rounseville	70	6	8
Feb. 16	Laura Jane Courchaine	—	1	9
Feb. 20	Manuel F. Vieira	50	—	—
Feb. 20	John Cabral Mello	56	2	8
Feb. 20	Arthur Michon	56	1	—
Feb. 21	Isaac J. H. Strahan	71	1	30
Feb. 26	Joseph Martin	53	—	—
Feb. 27	Obed O. Whitehead	67	9	—
Mar. 2	George F. Allen	81	1	6
Mar. 2	Ann (Hesmondhalgh) Atkinson	55	11	—
Mar. 7	Mary (Pentleton) Linden	65	11	7
Mar. 9	Saed Zenzelie	49	—	—
Mar. 10	Ronald E. Vincent	9	8	18
Mar. 16	Rosa B. Booth	74	10	25
Mar. 16	Charles E. Gifford	57	8	4
Mar. 18	Joseph B. Smith	84	10	11
Mar. 20	George R. Dehn	69	—	—
Mar. 23	Emile Pellerin	33	—	—
Mar. 25	Stanislas Contois, Sr.	67	—	—
Mar. 28	Charles H. Johnson	91	8	25
Apr. 3	Charles F. Dearing	57	—	—
Apr. 12	Amanda (Duclos) Lagasse —	64	2	—
Apr. 14	Adonias Lague	26	—	—
Apr. 20	Jean Allain	6	—	—
Apr. 24	Charles E. Benoit	65	9	20
Apr. 30	Chester B. Chubbuck	81	7	24
May 2	Celia (Barrows) Mitchell	37	8	8
May 7	Domethilde Lambert	80	—	—
May 9	Donatila (Mello) Resendes	31	—	—
May 10	John T. Smith	67	11	10
May 11	Stephen Franklin Chace	54	5	18
May 14	Joseph I. Rawson	61	5	19
May 22	Edward W. Callahan	76	8	—
June 3	Manuel Thomas Sylvia	70	—	—
June 12	Grace W. (Almy) Bourgeois	25	—	—
June 18	—Wolf	—	—	2
June 22	Mary (Oliver) Marshall	40	—	—
June 23	—Joseph	—	7	hours
June 29	Dorothy Souza	—	7	—
June 29	James Hesford	56	—	12
July 1	Alfred Adelard Morasse	8	8	16

DEATHS—Continued

Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
July 2	Raymond Mathieu	6	10	23
July 12	Jose Bettencourt	69	1	19
July 20	Antonio Cabral	49	8	26
July 27	Jose C. Henriques	70	—	—
Aug. 9	Joseph F. Bowden	56	5	19
Aug. 10	James Campbell	86	10	26
Aug. 20	Eliza Jane (Adamson) Brindle	44	11	1
Aug. 27	Senhorina (Fagundes) Rogers	77	3	—
Sept. 5	Silas T. Ricketson	62	5	4
Sept. 10	Max George Hemmann	51	6	12
Sept. 19	Raymond Sequeira Nunes	3	8	2
Sept. 28	John Lawrence	21	5	—
Oct. 1	Arthur E. Tomlinson	53	5	17
Oct. 11	Lillian (St. Pierre) Bancroft	27	3	5
Oct. 13	Timms	—	—	1
Oct. 31	Stefan Orłowski, Jr.	—	—	17
Nov. 1	Charles Elisha Bumpus	74	—	—
Nov. 3	George Bradford Burgess	—	—	12
Nov. 4	Stillborn			
Nov. 5	Rene Gagner	17	—	—
Nov. 5	John F. Medeiros	45	—	—
Nov. 8	Victoria (Bergeron) Richard	54	—	—
Nov. 16	Emma Jane (Stavely) Hutchinson	74	—	—
Nov. 26	John E. Hammond	71	10	26
Nov. 29	Alphonsine (Dubois) Courtemanche	66	10	—
Nov. 30	Betsy O. (Snow) Dexter	93	4	18
Dec. 1	Raymond Henri Ayotte	—	—	9
Dec. 16	Linda Olivia Cabral		5	hours
Dec. 17	John A. W. Burgess	78	11	12
Dec. 26	Anthony Collis	56	2	12
Dec. 31	Albert Janick	58	9	7

DOGS LICENSED DURING 1934

Males	259
Females	27
Spayed Females	13
Total	299

JERRY J. RIENDEAU.

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

For year ending December 31, 1934

GENERAL HIGHWAYS

Appropriation	\$3,500.00
Transferred from Public Welfare (Vote of Town)	2,000.00
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	\$5,500.00

Expenditures

Superintendent	\$749.50
Wages	1,159.90
Hired Trucks:	
H. L. Deschamps	80.00
Maria Deschamps	12.00
Arthur Harding	145.00
Stanley Baron	108.00
Sam Brown	104.00
Uldric Meunier	188.00
George Randall	203.50
Acushnet Hardware, tools and gasolene	657.01
Frank Fernandes, blacksmithing	11.85
Peter Guerin, post	4.00
Jeans Motor Sales, garage space, etc.	294.80
Joseph A. Toussaint, blacksmithing	189.47
H. L. Deschamps, registration of trucks	8.73
General Cotton Supply Co., cinders	11.25
Nashawena Mills, cinders	128.75
J. Pankaswicz, gravel	2.25
E. C. Burt, stone	1.50

F. H. Wood, gravel, stone and sand	136.65	
J. Allemand, stone	2.75	
E. Walecka, stone	10.25	
Blue Stone Quarry, dynamite, stone and dust	29.26	
Highway Products Co., patching material	631.62	
Hand's Hardware, tools	36.85	
Traffic Equipment Co., gas for beacon	39.00	
D. Sorelle, maintenance of beacon	2.70	
Acushnet Fire and Water District, drilling and blasting	21.90	
O. Pineau, gasolene, oil and tires	95.86	
A. Duff, lettering trucks	8.00	
Acushnet Saw Mills Co., post, lumber and paint	202.86	
R. J. Hinkly, insurance on tools and shed	74.10	
E. C. Morse, cement	21.25	
J. Prefontaine, blacksmithing	6.55	
S. E. Varley, stone	2.50	
United Steel Co., tool steel	36.27	
Elliott Taber, truck repairs	11.62	
River Cabinet Corp., lumber	22.37	
Hartley Saw Mills Co., axes and scythes	36.28	
E. R. Bolles, axe handles	8.75	
W. A. Gurney, filing saws	.75	
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Total expenditures		\$5,497.65
Unexpended balance		2.35
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		\$5,500.00

SNOW REMOVAL

Appropriations		\$372.05
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Expenditures

Pay Rolls	\$122.15
Hired trucks	206.90
Repairs to snow plows	43.00

Total expenditures	<hr/>	\$372.05
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OMER PINEAU,

Superintendent of Streets

**SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES
REPORT FOR YEAR ENDING
NOVEMBER 30, 1934**

This is my report for year ending November 30, 1934.

Platform over 5,000 lbs., sealed 3
 Platform under 5,000 lbs., adjusted 3; sealed 14.
 Counter under 100 lbs., sealed 12.
 Beam over 100 lbs., sealed 1.
 Spring over 100 lbs., sealed 14.
 Spring under 100 lbs., adjusted 1; sealed 23; condemned 1.
 Computing under 100 lbs., adjusted 2; sealed 21.
 Personal Weighing, sealed 1.
 Avoirdupois, sealed 89.
 Liquid Measure, sealed 36.
 Dry Measure, sealed 3.
 Fuel Baskets, sealed 2.
 Gas pumps, adjusted 5; sealed 27; not sealed 6; condemned 1.
 Kerosene pumps, sealed 8; condemned 1.
 Quantity of stops on pumps, sealed 120.
 Oil pumps, not sealed 23; condemned 1.
 Yard Measures, sealed 6.
 Sealing fees \$43.67
 Adjusting charges .70
 Trial Weighings and Measurements of Commodities sold
 or put up for sale.
 Bread, number tested 64; correct 48; over weight 16.
 Butter and Lard, tested 35; correct 21; over 14.
 Coal in bags, tested 14; correct 3; over 11.
 Dry Commodities, tested 93; correct 56; over 37.
 Flour in bags, tested 15; correct 2; over 13.

HENRY O. SAUCIER, Jr.,

Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF ANIMAL INSPECTOR
for the Town of Acushnet for 1934

To the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Acushnet:

During the past year all cattle in the Town of Acushnet have been Tuberculin tested. Out of 820 cattle 309 reacted, these were disposed of by slaughtering.

All cattle in the town are now under State and Federal Supervision.

I inspected 749 cattle, 58 pigs, 40 sheep, 1 pair of oxen and 2 goats.

Respectfully submitted,

OTIS J. TRIPP,

Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS

For the year ending December 31, 1934

HENRY H. ROGERS GIFT FUND

(Parting Ways School et al)

(Bequest and Income to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$633.88
1934 Interest on Deposits	20.31
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	\$654.19

Expended:

Labor	\$29.60	
Crushed Stone	40.60	70.20

Balance, December 31, 1934 \$583.99

ALLEN AND RHODA R. RUSSELL FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$10,046.88
1934 Interest on Deposits	\$307.25
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	\$10,354.13

Expended:

Librarian and Assistants	\$474.64
Janitress	200.00
Fuel Oil	164.45
Lights	30.09
Water	11.50

Chain Link Fence	140.00	
Ornamental Trees	36.00	
Books	431.01	
Periodicals	51.20	
Postage, Printing and Stationery	29.33	
Miscellaneous	16.49	1,584.71
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$8,769.42	
Bequest	7,591.60	
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Unexpended Income		\$1,177.82

RUSSELL MEMORIAL LIBRARY MAINTENANCE FUND

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$7,837.77	
1934 Interest on Deposits	256.76	
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Balance, December 31, 1934	8,094.53	
Bequest	7,447.22	
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Unexpended Income		\$647.31

RUSSELL PROTESTANT POOR FUND

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$7,091.90	
1934 Interest on Deposits	227.96	
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		\$7,319.86
Expended:		
Groceries	\$71.92	
Wood	55.50	
Cash	38.00	
Shoes and Clothing	20.60	

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Water	14.44	
Coal	12.75	
Fertilizer	9.00	
Eye Glasses	5.85	
Plowing	2.00	230.06
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$7,089.80	
Bequest	6,587.00	
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Unexpended Income		\$502.80

RUSSELL PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$7,115.38	
1934 Interest on Deposits	230.92	
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	\$7,346.30	
Expended:		
Books	145.49	
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$7,200.71	
Bequest	7,067.30	
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Unexpended Income		\$133.41

RUSSELL FUND FOR CARE OF TOWN HALL AND LIBRARY

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$2,866.67	
1934 Interest on Deposits	93.69	
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	\$2,960.36	

Expended:		
Labor and Material	138.10	
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$2,822.26	
Bequest	2,789.40	
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Unexpended Income		\$32.86

RUSSELL FUND FOR ACUSHNET CEMETERY
CORPORATION

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$595.09	
1934 Interest on Deposits	19.26	
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	\$614.35	
Expended:		
Gravel	27.00	
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$587.35	
Bequest	579.80	
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Unexpended Income		\$7.55

R. N. SWIFT BOARD OF HEALTH FUND

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$5,656.89	
1934 Interest on Deposits	185.31	
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	\$5,842.20	
Expended:		
Paid to District Nurse	185.31	
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$5,656.89	
Bequest	5,656.89	

PERPETUAL CARE OF LONG PLAIN CEMETERY
ADDITION

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$386.13	
1934 Interest on Deposits	12.64	
Sale of Lots	45.00	
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Balance, December 31, 1934		\$443.77

PERMANENT CARE OF LONG PLAIN CEMETERY

(Income only to be Expended)

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$347.00	
1934 Interest on Deposits	11.37	
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	\$358.37	
Expended:		
Grading, cleaning, etc.	11.37	
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Balance, December 31, 1934	\$347.00	
Bequest	347.00	

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

Balance, January 1, 1934	\$7,393.50	
1934 Interest on Deposits	240.58	
Bequests	100.00	
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	\$7,734.08	
Expended for Care of Lots	356.44	
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Balance, December 31, 1934		\$7,377.64

THOS. HERSOM, JR.
DANIEL J. McCARTHY,
CLOVIS POYANT,

Commissioners of Trust Funds

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report for the Police Department, for the year ending December 31, 1934.

The number of arrests made during the year of 1934 by the Police of the Town of Acushnet was 61 as follows:

One person was committed to the State Hospital at Taunton.

There were fifty-seven males arrested and four females.

Arrest on warrant	12
Arrest on summons	18
Arrest without warrant or summons	31
For other police departments	5
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Assault and Battery	6
Assault with dangerous weapon	2
Assault on a police officer	1
Obstructing an officer	1
Being a delinquent	2
Drunkenness	10
Disturbing the peace	2
Damaging to personal property	1
Larceny	10
Possession of lottery slips	2
Vagrancy	2
Violation of automobile laws	10
Operating under the influence of liquor	5
Taking car without consent of the owner	1

Violation of fish and game laws	2
Violation of shell fish laws	2
Forgery of a contract	1
Uttering forged instrument	1
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PRIMARY DISPOSITION OF CASES

Adjudged not guilty and discharged	6
Fined paid	12
Fined and appealed	1
Fined and suspended	7
Placed on file	15
Placed on probation	7
Released	5
Sentence to penal institution and committed	3
Sentence to penal institution and appealed	2
Sentence to penal institution and suspended	2
Sentence to State farm	1
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MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Value of property reported stolen	\$655.00
Value of property recovered reported stolen	340.00
Value of automobiles recovered reported stolen	825.00
Accidents	15
Automobile found abandoned	8
Building found open and secured	1
Cars stopped for minor motor law violations	43
Cases investigated	147
Dangerous wire reported	2
Dangerous dogs reported	3
Disturbance suppressed	10
Dog notice served	130
Dog license investigated	12
Dogs killed	6

Fire alarm given (still)	1
Gun permits granted	24
Horses killed	1
Missing persons returned	3
Motor vehicle transferred	129
Relating to second hand motor vehicle by class	
1 dealer	242
Relating to second hand motor vehicle by class	
3 dealer	3
Sick and injured person assisted	18
Street lights reported out	96
Witnesses summoned	24

EXPENDITURES

Wages of Chief and Officers	\$1,527.15
Bonds	10.00
Telephone	110.38
Miscellaneous	30.41
Fuel	43.35
Postage	9.00
W. S. Darley, hand cuffs	21.84
Third District Court Officer	19.60
H. B. McArdle, Tags	10.75
New Bedford Towel Supply Co.	13.00
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	\$1,795.48
Appropriation	\$1,800.00
Expenditures	1,795.48
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Unexpended	\$4.52

In summing up the various increased demands made upon this department during the past year I feel that a substantial increase in our appropriation be appropriated in order to give

the people of our Town, and tax payers the protection they have a right to demand. Basing from last years appropriation it has cost the tax payers of our Town, about 22.5 per cent per person for protection of lives and property which is a very small percentage for police protection.

Respectfully submitted,

OTTO W. MELZER,

CHIEF OF POLICE.

PARK BOARD REPORT

Board of Selectmen,
Acushnet, Mass.

Gentlemen:

We hereby submit our report as the Park Commissioners for the year ending December 31, 1934.

Water	\$50.00
Tools and tool box	19.75
Lime	3.00
Paint	4.00
Labor	69.07
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	\$145.82
Appropriation	\$150.00
Expenditures	145.82
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	\$5.18

There is a lot of work to be done on the park this coming year so as to make it possible for all kinds of sports. We therefore ask for a substantial increase in our appropriation.

OVILÁ BOULEY, Chairman,
JOSEPH LIZOTTE,

Park Commissioners.

ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes:

Current year: Polls, Personal, Real Estate and Motor Ve- hicle, Excise Taxes	\$55,366.94
Previous years: Polls, Personal, Real Estate, Motor Vehicle Excise, and Old Age Assist- ance Taxes	46,057.90
Income Tax (State Valuation)	7,958.15
Income Tax (Educational)	4,225.00
Commonwealth of Massachu- setts (Vocational Education)	4,592.12
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:	
Corporation Tax	2,074.30
Corporation Tax (Gas and Electric)	497.27
Corporation Tax (Railways and Tel.)	136.90
National Bank Tax	4.61
Tax Titles	9,095.37
Tax Title Sale of Low Value	10.00
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	\$130,018.56

Licenses:

Alcoholic Beverages	1,286.88
Pasteurization	40.00
Common Victuallers	42.00
Dance	37.25
Oleomargarine	.50
Sunday	75.00
Pool Tables	6.00
Inn Holders	5.00

Motor Vehicle Agents	15.00	
Denatured Alcohol	13.00	
Auctioneer	2.00	
Petroleum and Renewals	8.00	
Milk	10.50	
Slaughtering	1.00	
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		1,542.13
Court Fines		118.50
Grants and Gifts:		
Gift of Charles Merrick to Acushnet Library	50.00	
Bristol County Dog Fund	468.39	
Civil Works Service	596.00	
Commonwealth of Massachu- setts (ERA Federal Grant)	605.56	
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		1,719.95
George T. Parker		384.68
Other General Revenue:		
Voting Lists		4.25
Commercial Revenue:		
Sewers		123.40
Departmental Revenue:		
Town Clerk:		
Dog Licenses		619.20
Collector of Taxes:		
Tax title penalties and costs	397.22	
Tax sale advertising	148.24	
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		545.46
Fire Department:		
Telephone tolls	16.64	
Petroleum Storage Permits	44.00	
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		60.64
Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Sealer's fees		44.37

Health and Sanitation:

Sewer Pumping Charges	126.00	
Board of Health telephone tolls	.10	
Reimbursement from State	200.20	
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Charities:

Reimbursement from State (Public Welfare)	2,570.48	
Reimbursement from Cities and Towns (Public Welfare)	1,461.37	
Reimbursement from Individual (Public Welfare)	298.38	
Reimbursement from State (Old Age Assistance)	406.61	
Reimbursement from Cities and Towns (Old Age Assistance)	208.00	
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Schools:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Tuition of school children)		372.87
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Libraries:

Fines		57.70
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Interests:

On Taxes		3,465.39
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Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	90,000.00	
Tax Title (Chapter 49, Acts of 1933)	18,036.19	
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Trust Funds: Interest and Transfers:

Allen & Rhoda R. Russell Library Fund	1,584.71	
Russell Protestant Poor Fund	230.06	
Russell Town Hall Fund	138.10	
Russell Public School Fund	145.59	

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund	456.44	
Cemetery Special Care Fund	11.37	
Acushnet Corporation Fund	27.00	
Cemetery Additional Fund	45.00	
R. N. Swift Board of Health Fund	185.31	
Henry H. Rogers Gift Fund	70.20	
	<hr/>	2,893.78
Acushnet Fire and Water District:		
Taxes	7,888.02	
Interest on Taxes	171.31	
Tax Titles	343.23	8,402.56
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Total Receipts, 1934		\$263,680.77

CLASSIFICATION OF PAYMENTS REGARDLESS OF APPROPRIATIONS

General Government:

Moderator	\$30.00
Town Reports	341.70

Selectmen:

Salaries	504.00
Clerk	600.00
Printing and Stationery and Postage	162.68
Automobile Hire and Traveling Expenses	53.00
Telephone	99.47
Association fees and Mis- cellaneous	121.81

Town Accountant:

Salary	356.00
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Treasurer:

Salary	1,350.00
Telephone	68.46
Printing and Stationery	102.67
Surety Bond	84.00
Burglary Insurance	42.12

Collector:

Land Court Fees	472.02
Demands, Recording Tax Title deeds and disclaimers	1,594.88
Printing, Stationery and Postage	301.15
Surety Bond	178.00
Tax Sale Advertising	816.07

Assessors:	
Salaries	1,368.00
Telephone	10.04
Printing, Stationery and Postage	269.15
Listing Conveyances and Cost of Appeals	98.20
Other Finance Officers and Accounts:	
Certification of Notes	20.00
Law Department:	
Town Counsel	334.40
Town Clerk:	
Salary	72.00
Oaths and Recording fees	226.75
Printing, Stationery and Postage	58.30
Surety Bond	5.00
Election and Registrations:	
Registrars	246.70
Election Officers	294.60
Printing and Stationery	118.15
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Total General Government Expenses	\$10,399.32
Town Hall:	
Janitor	115.00
Towels	13.00
Water	11.50
Fuel	166.00
Lights	184.25
Janitors' Supplies	4.69
Repairs	8.40
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	\$502.84
Police Department:	
Chief	1,196.45
Officers	321.00

Telephone	110.38	
Towels	13.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage	21.10	
Janitor	14.00	
Fuel and Lights	49.76	
Building and Grounds	18.35	
Constable's Bond	10.00	
Equipment	21.84	
Court Fees	19.60	
	<hr/>	1,795.48
Fire Department:		
Chief and Maintenance	558.50	
Firemen	830.85	
Rent for Pumper Space	208.08	
Power for Siren	24.72	
Pumper Supplies	63.67	
Compensation Insurance	112.50	
Minor Equipment	74.94	
Oil Burner Permits	22.00	
Hydrant Services	2,750.00	
Printing and Stationery	8.58	
Telephone	87.73	
	<hr/>	4,741.57
Sealer of Weights and Measures:		
Sealer's salary	108.00	
Equipment	12.65	
	<hr/>	120.65
Forestry Department:		
Insecticides		13.33
Nurse:		
Salary	363.55	
Telephone	68.45	
	<hr/>	432.00
Repairs to Isolation Hospital:		
Labor	164.60	
Material	192.34	
	<hr/>	356.94

Health and Sanitation:

Salaries	88.20	
Printing, Postage and Stationery	21.24	
Medicine and Medical Attendance, Contagious Diseases	41.80	
Nurse	486.00	
Telephone	30.56	
Board and Treatment, Tuberculosis	783.90	
Births	.25	
Garbage Collection	240.00	
Burial of Animals	7.00	
School Children	430.00	
Animal Inspectors salary	79.20	
Meat Inspection Fees	130.53	
Sewer Pumping Charges	123.00	
Issuing of Licenses	10.00	
		<hr/> 2,471.68

Street Lights:

Contract		1,612.29
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Highways:

Superintendent	749.50	
Wages and Truck hire	2,000.40	
Care and Gas for beacon light	41.70	
Gravel, cinders, and other materials	1,270.39	
Equipment and repairs	475.82	
Insurance on tools and shed	74.10	
New trucks	1,237.00	
Truck repairs, supplies and storage	884.01	
Miscellaneous	1.73	
		<hr/> 6,734.65

Removal of Snow:

Wage	122.15	
Truck Hire	206.90	
Repairs to plows	43.00	
		<hr/> 372.05

Bureau of Old Age Assistance:

Cash allowances	1,783.66	
Cases chargeable to Acushnet	403.33	
Fuel	89.00	
	<hr/>	2,275.99

Public Welfare:

Printing and stationery	55.66	
Clothing	28.29	
Groceries	3,091.69	
Fuel	796.25	
Board and Care	1,828.00	
Medicine and medical attendance	2,712.30	
Cash	265.00	
Water and repairs to house	49.32	
Relief by other Cities	3,932.75	
Relief by other Towns	422.55	
Mothers' aid by other Cities	556.62	
Rent	225.00	
Burials	100.00	
Shoes	200.00	
	<hr/>	14,263.43

Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief:

Shoes	28.00	
Fuel	33.00	
Groceries	622.90	
Medicine and medical attendance	118.40	
	<hr/>	802.30

Schools:

Superintendent	2,179.84
Nurse	487.54
Truant Officer	25.00
Printing, Postage and Stationery	32.78
Telephone	66.00
Teachers' Salaries	23,983.50
Text Books and Supplies	1,641.56
High School Tuition	10,562.49

Vocational School Tuition	6,052.00	
Sol-e-Mar School Tuition	45.50	
High School Transportation	500.00	
Elementary Transportation	1,287.75	
Vocational Transportation	2,036.30	
Janitors	4,001.40	
Fuel and Lights	1,773.88	
Water	132.41	
Repairs	1,617.65	
Janitors' Supplies	281.25	
Insurance	148.31	
Diplomas and Graduation Exercises	99.99	
Health Supplies	33.15	
		56,988.30
Public Libraries:		
Librarian and Assistants	156.46	
Janitor	79.00	
Books and Periodicals	44.95	
Petty Cash	5.00	
Fuel and Lights	99.59	
Repairs	118.90	
Care of Grounds	14.47	
Insurance	100.00	
		618.37
Parks:		
Labor	61.20	
Equipment and repairs	15.30	
Water	50.00	
Materials	18.32	
		144.82
Miscellaneous:		
State Mosquito Control Board	50.00	
Bristol County, Tuberculosis Hospital	2,326.70	
Bristol County, Dog Licenses	625.80	
Memorial Purposes	35.85	

Old Age Assistance Taxes	3.00	
Civil Works Service (Knitting Project)	596.00	
	<hr/>	3,637.35
Trust Funds:		
Allen and Rhoda R. Russell Library Fund:		
Fuel Oil	162.45	
Books	497.26	
Janitor	210.80	
Librarian and Assistants	474.64	
Repairs	6.40	
Lights and Power	30.09	
Shrubs	36.00	
Water	11.50	
Fence	140.00	
Supplies	15.57	
	<hr/>	1,584.71
Russell Protestant Poor Fund:		
Wood and Coal	96.25	
Cash	10.00	
Groceries	79.57	
Shoes	2.95	
Glasses	5.85	
Fertilizer	9.00	
Plowing	2.00	
Water	14.44	
Clothing	10.00	
	<hr/>	230.06
Russell Public School Fund:		
Books		145.59
Russell Town Hall and Library Fund:		
Materials, etc.	88.70	
Labor	49.40	
	<hr/>	138.10

Acushnet Cemetery Corporation Fund:		
Care of Graves and Lots		27.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund:		
Care of Graves and Lots		356.44
Cemetery Special Care Fund:		
Care of Graves and Lots		11.37
Henry H. Rogers Gift Fund:		
Repairing School Driveway		70.20
R. N. Swift, Board of Health Fund:		
Acushnet Nursing Association		185.31
Notes and Interests:		
Anticipation of Revenue	51,535.83	
Marie S. Howard School Loan	1,606.26	
Combination Pumper Loan	1,143.00	
Tax Title Loan (Chapter 49)	23,001.48	
Municipal Relief Loan		
(Chapter 307)	2,349.03	
Burt Memorial School Loan	2,514.40	
	<hr/>	82,150.00
Acushnet Fire and Water District:		
Taxes	7,858.50	
Interest on Taxes	171.31	
Tax Titles	343.23	
	<hr/>	8,373.04
Agency, Trust and Investment Accounts:		
State Tax	5,300.00	
County Tax	3,914.68	
State Parks	41.88	
Veterans Exemptions	19.65	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	100.00	
Cemetery Additional Fund	45.00	
	<hr/>	9,421.21

Refunds and Transfers:

Taxes	260.37	
Interest on Taxes	2.15	
District Taxes	29.52	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	60.69	
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Unpaid Warrants of 1933		5,136.29
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Total Disbursements, 1934		\$216,465.41

TOWN OF ACUSHNET — BALANCE SHEET

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1934

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash	\$49,083.50	Motor Vehicle Excise Revenue	\$139.89
Taxes:		Overlay Reserved for Abatements:	
Levy of 1934	48,231.17	Levy of 1934	3,237.66
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes 1934	139.89	Acushnet Fire and Water District Reserve:	
Acushnet Fire and Water District:		Levy of 1934	4,443.29
Levy of 1934	4,443.29	Surplus War Bonus	1,528.91
Overlay Deficits:		Temporary Loans	40,000.00
Levy of 1928	40.30	Tax Title Revenue	29,979.65
Levy of 1929	35.90	District Tax Title Revenue	1,815.91
Levy of 1930	46.40	Acushnet Library	50.00
Levy of 1931	68.75	Revenue 1934	5,302.39
Levy of 1932	150.16	Excess and Deficiency Account	47,732.08
Levy of 1933	196.66	Bristol County Treasurer, Dog Licenses	1.80
	538.17		

Tax Titles:

Levy of 1928	311.47	
Levy of 1929	976.39	
Levy of 1930	2,866.33	
Levy of 1931	5,607.14	
Levy of 1932	8,807.12	
Levy of 1933	11,411.20	
	<u> </u>	29,979.65

Acushnet Fire and Water District

Tax Titles:

Levy of 1928	12.80	
Levy of 1929	63.60	
Levy of 1930	215.88	
Levy of 1931	367.30	
Levy of 1933	1,156.33	
	<u> </u>	1,815.91
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		\$134,231.58

\$134,231.58

LEON LAMBERT.

Town Accountant.

DEBT

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$39,643.55	
Marie S. Howard School House Loan		\$6,250.00
Burt Memorial School House Loan		7,798.00
Combination Pumper Loan		3,600.00
Municipal Relief Loan (Chapter 307)		8,000.00
Tax Title Loan (Chapter 49)		13,995.55
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	\$39,643.55	\$39,643.55

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS

Trust Funds—Cash and Securities:		
In Custody of Town Treasurer	\$48,973.36	
Russell Fund for Care of Town		
Hall and Library		\$2,822.26
Russell Public School Fund		7,200.71
R. N. Swift Board of Health Fund		5,656.89
Russell Protestant Poor Fund		7,089.80
Henry H. Rogers Gift Fund		583.99
Allen and Rhoda Russell Library Fund		8,769.42
Russell Memorial Library Fund		8,094.53
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund		7,377.64
Cemetery Additional Fund		443.77
Cemetery Special Care Fund		347.00
Acushnet Cemetery Corporation Fund		587.35
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	\$48,973.36	\$48,973.36

RECONCILIATION OF CASH, DEC. 31, 1934

Balance per Bank Statement	\$55,227.26	
Add cash on hand December 31, 1934	300.75	
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		55,528.01
Less outstanding checks		6,444.51
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		\$49,083.50
Cash Book balance December 31, 1934	\$49,083.50	

APPROPRIATIONS OF 1934

	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Total	Expended
General Government:				
Moderator	\$30.00	.....	\$30.00	\$30.00
Selectmen and Public Welfare	504.00	.....	504.00	504.00
Clerk of Selectmen and Public Welfare	600.00	.....	600.00	600.00
Town Accountant	356.00	.....	356.00	356.00
Treasurer and Collector	1,350.00	.....	1,350.00	1,350.00
Town Clerk	72.00	.....	72.00	72.00
Assessors	1,368.00	.....	1,368.00	1,368.00
Incidentals	6,700.00	.....	6,700.00	6,119.32
Town Hall	450.00	\$52.84	502.84	502.84
Protection of Persons and Property:				
Police	1,800.00	.....	1,800.00	1,795.48
Fire Department	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	1,991.57
Hydrant Services	2,750.00	.....	2,750.00	2,750.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	121.00	.....	121.00	120.65
Moth Work	50.00	.....	50.00	13.33

APPROPRIATIONS OF 1934—Continued

	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve	Total	Expended
Health and Sanitation:				
Board of Health Salaries	88.20	.....	88.20	88.20
Board of Health	2,400.00	.....	2,400.00	2,181.28
Nurse	432.00	.....	432.00	432.00
Inspector of Animals	79.20	.....	79.20	79.20
Sewer Pumping Charges	123.00	.....	123.00	123.00
Bristol County T. B.				
Hospital	2,326.70	.....	2,326.70	2,326.70
Repairs to Isolation Hospital	300.00	56.94	356.94	356.94
Highways and Bridges:				
		transfer from Public Welfare		
Highways	3,500.00	2,000.00	5,500.00	5,497.65
Street Lights	1,602.80	9.49	1,612.29	1,612.29
New Highway Trucks	1,320.00	.....	1,320.00	1,237.00
Removal of Snow	372.05	.....	372.05	372.05
Charities and Soldiers' Relief:				
Public Welfare	20,000.00	.....	20,000.00	16,363.43

Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief	2,000.00	.....	2,000.00	802.30
Bureau of Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	.....	3,200.00	2,275.99
Schools and Libraries:				
Schools	48,900.00	.....	48,900.00	48,900.00
Vocational Schools	10,000.00	.....	10,000.00	8,088.30
Free Public Library	150.00	B. C. Dog Fund 468.39	618.39	618.37
Recreation and Unclassified:				
Park	150.00	.....	150.00	143.92
Memorial Purposes	40.00	.....	40.00	35.85
Reserve Fund	800.00	.....	800.00	138.92
Notes and Interests:				
Notes and Interests	10,050.00	.....	10,050.00	10,008.44

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Officers and Residents of the Town of Acushnet:

The Board of Health submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1934.

Immediately following the annual election the Board of Health met and organized as follows:

Chairman—Joel P. Bradford, M. D.

Secretary—Alexander Newton.

Inspector of Licenses and Agent—Charles Dietz.

Allen E. Weeks was again appointed Inspector of Slaughtering and was duly sworn into office.

The results of the toxin-anti toxin treatment for the prevention of diphtheria have been so marked that the Board has urged all parents to submit their children to treatment.

Parents have co-operated with us very unanimously with the result that we have had only two cases for the entire year against eighteen for 1934 and these were both cases coming in from outside.

We feel proud of results and the fact that not one single case of serious reaction to the injections has been reported. Also we trust that every child under 12 years old in the Town not having had previous treatment, may receive the treatment this year.

The Board hereby wishes to thank the Townspeople, both officials and citizens for their co-operation and help in keeping the health and sanitary conditions up to our desired standard.

The following contagious diseases were reported in the Town during 1934:

Chicken-pox	3
Diphtheria	2
Dog Bite	1

Scarlet Fever	12
Measles	37
Mumps	1
Tubercular Kidney	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Whooping Cough	6
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Total	64

Number of deaths occurring in Town during the year, 73.

In closing we would urge the prompt reporting of any suspicious disease in order to prevent the spread of any contagion.

Respectfully submitted,

JOEL P. BRADFORD,
ALEXANDER NEWTON,
CHARLES DIETZ,

Board of Health.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

For the year ending December 31, 1934

Annual Appropriation	\$150.00
Transferred from Bristol County Dog Fund	468.39
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	\$618.39

Expenditures

Librarian and Assistants	\$156.46	
Janitor	79.00	
Books and Periodicals	44.95	
Petty Cash	5.00	
Fuel and Lights	99.59	
Repairs	118.90	
Care of Grounds	14.47	
Insurance	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$618.37
Unexpended balance		.02
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		\$618.39

Expenditures from Allen & Rhoda Russell Library Fund

Fuel Oil	\$162.45
Books and Periodicals	497.26
Janitor	210.80
Librarian and Assistants	474.64
Repairs	6.40
Lights and Power	30.09
Shrubs	36.00

Water	11.50	
Fence	140.00	
Supplies	15.57	
	<hr/>	\$1,584.71

MILLIE A. HERSOM,
MATTHEW J. BURKE,
THERON R. PARKER,

Trustees Acushnet Free
Public Library

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN OF RUSSELL MEMORIAL LIBRARY FOR 1934

Number of Bound Volumes	5679
Added by purchase in 1934	218
Added by gift in 1934	16
Total number added in 1934	234
Circulation:	
Main Library	
Fiction	19,965
Non-fiction	3,901
Magazines	1,353
Total	25,219
Average per day	166
Maximum per day	303
No. Borrowers	1429
Long Plain Branch	
Books	1146
Magazines	132
Total	1278
Grand Total	26,497
Amount of Library Fines	\$57.70

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA L. WHITE,

Librarian.

Jan. 23, 1935

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF ACUSHNET



FOR THE
Year Ending December 31
1934

SCHOOL DIRECTORY — 1934

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Member	Residence	Term expires
Mrs. Marion E. Burt	Middle Road	1937
Mr. Napoleon Beaulieu	Main Street	1936
Mr. Edgar B. Cormier	Main Street	1935

ORGANIZATION OF COMMITTEE

Chairman — Mrs. Marion E. Burt

Secretary — Albert F. Ford

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Albert F. Ford, Point Road, Marion

Telephone, Marion 21

Office Telephone 7685

Office Hours

9.00—10.30 A. M. 3.00—4.30 P. M.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Otto Melzer, South Main Street, Telephone 2100

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Joel P. Bradford, M. D.

Telephone 1018

SCHOOL NURSE

Margaret Heap, R. N.

Telephone 7971

1934-1935 CORPS OF TEACHERS

PARTING WAYS SCHOOL

Mabel A. Phillips	Principal	Fall River Training School
	Grade 8	
Anne Hathaway	Grade 7	Teachers' College, Hyannis
Emily Sylvia	Grade 7	Teachers' College, Bridgewater
Yvonne Jaillet	Grade 6	Teachers' College, Worcester
Mary Ribeiro	Grade 6	Teachers' College, Hyannis
Lily Desmarais	Grade 5	Teachers' College, Hyannis
Victoria Podgorska	Grade 4	Mills Kindergarten, Bridgeport, Conn.
Mildred Meade	Grade 3 and 4	Teachers' College, Fitchburg
Isabelle Kosztyla	Grade 3	Eastern S. Normal, Castine, Maine.
Sophonra Howard	Grade 2	Teachers' College, Bridgewater
Matilda Noyer	Grade 1	Teachers' College, Bridgewater
Helena Moore	Grade 1	Teachers' College, Fitchburg

LONG PLAIN SCHOOL

Anna Orłowski	Principal	University of Vermont
	Grade 6, 7 and 8	
Agnes Koczera	Grade 4 and 5	Eastern S. Normal, Castine, Maine.
Olivine Howland	Grade 1, 2 and 3	Lesley Normal, Cambridge

MARIE S. HOWARD SCHOOL

Susie J. Davis	Principal	B. M. C. Durfee High School, Fall River
	Grade 7 and 8	
Blanche Rogers	Grade 5 and 6	Teachers' College, Bridgewater
Ruth Taber	Grade 3 and 4	Teachers' College, Hyannis
Stacia Skoczolek	Grade 1 and 2	Froebel Normal, Connecticut

MASON W. BURT SCHOOL

Amy F. Taber	Principal	Teachers' College, Hyannis
	Grade 5	
Alma Schuman	Grade 3 and 4	Eastern Nazarene College, Wollaston
Annis Hebden	Grade 1 and 2	Teachers' College, Bridgewater
Hilda Leite	Special Class	Teachers' College, Hyannis

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS

Town appropriation	\$48,900.00
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EXPENDITURES

Superintendent's Salary	2,179.84
Attendance Officer	25.00
Office Expense	90.53
Teachers' Salaries	23,983.50
Text Books	666.31
Supplies	878.03
Janitors' Salaries	4,001.40
Fuel	1,623.32
Building Supplies	955.95
Repairs	1,451.85
Transportation	1,783.75
Health	521.59
Tuition	10,607.99
Sundries	130.94
Total Expenditure	<hr/> \$48,900.00

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Acushnet School Committee and

Citizens of Acushnet:

I respectfully submit my third annual report as Superintendent of the Acushnet School System.

In my mind general conditions throughout the town of Acushnet have improved very perceptibly. During the Fall School terms of 1932 and 1933 the Department employees were faced with long payless periods. The last four months of 1934 saw this unfavorable situation completely effaced. As a consequence it is readily assumed that a change for the better is evidently in the process of evolution.

Concerning the schools I herewith devote several paragraphs to data directly involving same. The early 1934 winter months were exceptional in their severity. A harsh experience was had in the endeavor to meet the extreme cold. A temperature of 15 to 20 degrees below zero was a common occurrence. Many faults were discovered in the heating systems. As a result a real effort was made to place the schools in a better prepared state to withstand such unusual temperatures. Storm windows were placed on the several schools. The heating systems at the Parting Ways and Mason W. Burt schools were repaired and improvements made. The result is a more favorable situation.

Educational standards are on the upward trend. It is with considerable personal satisfaction that I note a greatly improved academic standing of Acushnet students attending the New Bedford Secondary Schools. Many of our youngsters appear on New Bedford school honor rolls. I believe in a full elementary training for the pupils in order to insure a greater preparedness for the pursuance of study in the higher grades. The tuition fee at the Normandin Junior

High School is \$125 per annum and at the New Bedford High School \$150. Thus it is readily seen that our youngsters should go forth into these higher institutions with an ability to complete their secondary education in the space of four years. Any action to the contrary means a considerable waste to the Acushnet taxpayers. I am pleased to reveal that Acushnet pupils, in practically every instance, are being promoted from grade to grade in the New Bedford Schools without being held over one year in each class.

Strict requirements for entrance to the eighth grades in our school system are improving the classes greatly. This means that with very few exceptions those children who finally attain grade 8 are fully qualified to do eighth grade work and thus better prepare themselves for continuing their education. The major subjects . . . Geography, History Literature, English and Mathematics are receiving close supervision. Supplementary workbooks for each pupil are proving educationally superior and help in very material fashion to improve the child in ability to study and to learn more readily.

Club work in our schools provides much of value to the pupils. At the Acushnet Grange Fair held in September, 1934, a school exhibit of club work was displayed which aroused very favorable comments on the part of those adults fortunate enough to see it. I do not hesitate in labelling this exhibit the best in the history of such activity in this town. The carry-over from benefits derived in club membership to general school study is tremendous. It is not mere coincidence that children portraying an active interest in club work also do fine work in their studies. The buoying inspiration derived from interesting club work provides a practical impetus along the more academical lines.

During the past three or four years the in-town school enrollment has been such as to necessitate part time classes. Such classes, from the very nature of things, are inferior to regular full time groups. At the beginning of the Fall term in 1934 two of these classes were dispensed with. There

remain two classes on the Town Hall floor with two teachers in charge. It is with great satisfaction that I look forward to eliminating use of the Town Hall for educational purposes. At the present time our pupil enrollment is very much on the decline. In the coming Fall term two teachers will be dropped from the staff and all pupils will be removed from the Town Hall. This action will be a boon to all concerned and will be instrumental in lowering school costs.

Regarding the expenditures in the regular school budget and the costs of Vocational education the voters in Acushnet should derive great satisfaction from the knowledge that sums are being recommended for these purposes which are \$3,300.00 less than was appropriated in 1934. The School Department budget was \$48,900.00 in 1934. The request for 1935 is for \$47,000.00. This is a decrease of \$1,900.00. The Vocational School budget in 1934 totalled \$10,000.00. The 1935 recommendation is \$8,600.00. A difference of \$1,400.00 is observed on this item. Insofar as the School Department contribution to economy is concerned it is clearly shown from the above figures that about \$1.00 on the 1935 tax rate will be realized.

State reimbursement on account of employment of school teachers totalled \$7,789.45 in 1934. State tuition for State Wards was \$372.87. The net School Department expenditure from funds raised by Local Taxation was \$40,737.68. The Vocational School reimbursement based upon the Income Tax was \$4,592.12. Net funds raised from Local Taxation for Vocational education were \$5,407.88.

I herewith offer my sincere thanks to the Acushnet School principals, teachers, custodians, nurse, doctor, bus driver and attendance officer for their loyal support and fine cooperation in fostering a truly smooth functioning School System.

My appreciation is extended to the Trust Fund Commissioners for the very material contribution used for the purchase of school books and the repair of the Parting Ways School driveway.

The Acushnet School Committee has been very faithful in fostering a true economy in the School Department. It has been a source of great inspiration to me to be allowed the signal honor of Superintending the Acushnet Schools under such pleasant circumstances as have been gracefully afforded by a helping and cooperative School Board. In closing my report I offer my most sincere appreciation of the fine support rendered me by the Acushnet School Board and townspeople of Acushnet.

Very respectfully yours,

ALBERT F. FORD,

Superintendent of Schools.

Acushnet, Massachusetts
January 14, 1935.

ESTIMATED SCHOOL BUDGET — 1935
(For 38 weeks of school)

Superintendent's Salary	\$2,180.00
Attendance Officer	25.00
Office Expense	100.00
Teachers' Salaries	22,925.00
Text Books	500.00
Supplies	750.00
Janitors' Salaries	4,001.40
Fuel	1,600.00
Building Supplies	750.00
Repairs	750.00
Transportation	1,780.00
Health	525.00
Tuition	11,000.00
Sundries	113.60
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Budget for 1935	\$47,000.00

AGE AND GRADE DISTRIBUTION, October 1, 1934

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	Totals
Grade													
I	15	35	12		2	1							65
II		14	24	17	6	5							66
III			19	29	18	11	6	1	1				85
IV				24	23	17	22	4	2	1			93
V					11	29	24	10	10	2			86
VI						9	27	15	14	12	2		79
VII						1	15	24	28	14	6		88
VIII								7	26	15	9		57
Special Class							2	1	3	5	4		15
Totals	15	49	55	70	60	73	96	62	84	49	21		634

The numbers between the heavy lines are of Normal Age

Numbers to right of heavy lines are over age

Numbers to left of heavy lines are under age

Total enrolled	634	Percent enrolled	100%
Number normal age	372	Percent normal age	59%
Number over age	141	Percent over age	22%
Number under age	121	Percent under age	19%

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE FOR 1934

Mr. Albert F. Ford,
Superintendent of Schools,
Acushnet, Mass.

My dear Mr. Ford:

Although the winter of 1934 was a severe one our school children came through the year with very little serious illness. The diphtheria immunization work done in the schools has proven a great benefit. The number of diphtheria cases during the year greatly decreased.

The Chadwick Anti-Tuberculosis Clinic was held in January with the usual X-Ray work and physical examination. 23 children were recommended for re-examination; 21 were re-examined; 20 X-Rayed; 17 improved; 4 unimproved; 2 discharged; 3 recommended for summer camp. During the summer two children were sent to the Bristol County Health Camp for one month each. They gained several pounds and returned home much improved in health. Funds for this purpose were raised by the sale of Anti-Tuberculosis seals by the children in the town during the previous Christmas season.

The usual physical examinations were held in the schools and school children in the town were examined. Follow-up work continued throughout the year on children found with defects. Histories were obtained from the parents and teachers of 18 children and submitted to the State Department of Mental Hygiene Doctor who conducted a Mental Clinic in January. Appropriate work and studies were then arranged for children found to be below grade.

In March the State requested a dental report of some of our children. 38 were examined by Dr. Kuechler and the report sent in to the State House.

Again we extend our sincere thanks for the fine assistance rendered by all those engaged in the physical and mental education of the school children.

Very respectfully yours,

DR. JOEL P. BRADFORD

MARGARET H. HEAP, R. N.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE OFFICER

Mr. Albert Ford, Supt.
School Department,
Acushnet, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as attendance officer for the year ending December 31, 1934.

I have investigated a number of cases where children were absent from school and found a number of them to be sick but in most cases the children were absent on account of not having shoes to attend school.

I have also approved a number of home permits after making an investigation and found each and every case warranted such a permit.

Respectfully submitted,

OTTO W. MELZER,

Attendance Officer.

APPROPRIATIONS OF 1934 INCLUDING SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

And the recommendations of the Finance Committee for
the several departments and purposes for 1935.

	1934	1935
Moderator	\$30.00	\$20.00
Town Clerk	72.00	72.00
Incidentals	6,700.00	9,000.00
Chairman and Clerk of Assessors	936.00	936.00
Other 2 Assessors, \$216.00 each in 1934	432.00	432.00
Chairman of Board of Selectmen and Public Welfare	216.00	300.00
Other 2 Selectmen, each \$144.00 in 1934	288.00	400.00
Clerk Board of Selectmen and Public Welfare	600.00	600.00
Town Accountant	356.00	356.00
Treasurer and Collector	1,350.00	1,350.00
Clerk in Collector's Office	None	780.00
Town Hall	450.00	400.00
Police Department	1,800.00	2,300.00
Fire Department	2,000.00	2,000.00
Hydrant Services	2,750.00	2,750.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures	121.00	122.00
Moth Work	50.00	50.00
Chairman of Board of Health	25.20	25.20
Clerk of Board of Health	54.00	54.00
Other Member of Board of Health	9.00	9.00
Nurse	432.00	432.00
Inspector of Animals	79.20	79.20
Sewer Pumping Charges	123.00	123.00
Board of Health Expenses	2,400.00	2,700.00

Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital	2,326.70	2,364.03
American Legion (Repairs to Isolation Hospital)	300.00	100.00
Highways	5,500.00	5,500.00
New Highway Trucks	1,320.00	None
Street Lights	1,602.80	1,626.20
Removal of Snow	372.05	500.00
Public Welfare	18,000.00	10,000.00
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief	2,000.00	1,200.00
Bureau of Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	4,000.00
Schools	48,900.00	47,000.00
Vocational Schools	10,000.00	8,600.00
Free Public Library	150.00	350.00
Parks	150.00	150.00
Memorial Purposes	40.00	40.00
Mosquito Control	50.00	None
Reserve Fund	800.00	1,000.00
Notes and Interests	10,050.00	9,000.00
Blanket Insurance Premiums	None	929.04
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	\$126,034.95	\$117,649.67

WILLIAM ASHLEY,

ALEXANDER NEWTON

JOSEPH F. DABROWSKI,

DOSITHE GUILLOTTE,

WALTER A. WHITE,

NAPOLEON BEAULIEU,

FRANK F. RESENDES, JR.

Finance Committee.

PROPERTY EXEMPT OF TAXES
in the
TOWN OF ACUSHNET

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Total
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:			
Fire Observatory		\$200.00	
Land—1 Acre		100.00	
			\$300.00
Town of Acushnet:			
Town Hall		\$6,000.00	
Police Station		700.00	
Land Site 5,400 sq. ft.		3,000.00	
Office Furniture	\$2,500.00		
			\$12,200.00
Pope Park:			
Land—7½ acres		\$4,000.00	
Baseball Stand		200.00	
Rest House		800.00	
Dressing Room		200.00	
			\$5,200.00
Russell Memorial Library			
Land, Lots 24, 25 and 26 Guillotte and Saucier		\$20,000.00	
Land		1,650.00	
Furniture, Paintings and Books	\$3,000.00		
			\$24,650.00
Isolation Hospital			
Land Mendall Road—1-3 acre		\$700.00	
		100.00	
			\$800.00

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Total
Street Department:			
Roller House		\$1,150.00	
Gravel Lot, Leonard Street 5,440 sq. ft.		50.00	
Gravel Lot, Mendall Road 1 Acre		100.00	
Street Department Machinery and Tools	\$5,000.00		
			<u>\$6,300.00</u>
Burt Memorial School		\$10,000.00	
School Lot, South Main St., 1 acre		1,000.00	
			<u>\$11,000.00</u>
Long Plain School		\$2,500.00	
School Lot— $\frac{1}{4}$ acre		500.00	
			<u>\$3,000.00</u>
Parting Ways School		\$15,000.00	
School Lot— $1\frac{1}{8}$ acres		2,000.00	
			<u>\$17,000.00</u>
Marie S. Howard School		\$15,000.00	
School Lot— $1\frac{1}{2}$ acres		1,000.00	
			<u>\$16,000.00</u>
School Furniture and Books	\$5,000.00		\$5,000.00
Fire Department Equipment	\$2,800.00		\$2,800.00
Board of Health, Lot Main Street—4 acres		\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Total
Acushnet Fire and Water District:			
Machinery	\$3,000.00		
Tools and Stock	15,000.00		
Land, being Lots 43 to 49 inc. Guillotte & Saucier Land—25,976 sq. ft.		1,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$19,000.00
Advent Church, Middle Road:			
Church and Sheds		\$500.00	
Church Lot—5,440 sq. ft.		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$600.00
Baptist Church:			
Church and Sheds		\$2,200.00	
Church Lot—1-3 acre		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$2,300.00
Catholic Church, Main Street:			
Church		\$75,000.00	
Community Building		600.00	
Church Lot—1 acre		4,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$79,600.00
Christian Church, Perry Hill Road:			
Church and Shed		\$1,100.00	
Church Lot—1-4 acre		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$1,200.00
Friends Church, 142 Main Street:			
Church		\$2,500.00	
Church Lot—1 acre		1,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$3,500.00
Friends Church. Long Plain:			
Church		\$1,000.00	
Sheds		200.00	
Church Lot—21,780 sq. ft.		300.00	
		<hr/>	\$1,500.00

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Total
Methodist Church, 65 Main Street:			
Church		\$5,600.00	
Church Lot—10,890 sq. ft.		1,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$6,600.00
Methodist Church, Long Plain Road:			
Church and Sheds		\$2,000.00	
Community House		1,000.00	
Church Lot—5,449 sq. ft.		100.00	
		<hr/>	\$3,100.00
Acushnet Cemetery, 93 Main Street:			
Land—8½ acres		\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Friends Cemetery, Wing Street:			
Land—1 acre		\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Long Plain Cemetery, Long Plain:			
Land—3 acres		\$500.00	\$500.00
Peckham Cemetery, Peckham Road:			
Land—10,590 sq. ft.		\$50.00	\$50.00
Taber Cemetery, Wing Street:			
Land—2 acres		\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
Animal Rescue League, 388 Middle Road:			
Part of Homestead—2 acres		\$1,000.00	
Dwelling		3,000.00	
Barn		500.00	
Carriage House		150.00	
Brick Building		3,000.00	
		<hr/>	\$7,650.00

	Personal Estate	Real Estate	Total
St. Catherine Convent, 221 Main Street:			
Part of Homestead—3 acres			
19,040 sq. ft.		\$2,700.00	
Dwelling		3,500.00	
Community Building		3,000.00	
Hen House		200.00	
4 Small Buildings		200.00	
Barn		500.00	
Fowl	\$145.00		
Cows 4 x 60	240.00		
		<hr/>	\$10,485.00

WARRANT
For the Annual Town Meeting
Monday, March 4, 1935

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Bristol, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Acushnet:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Acushnet aforesaid, who are qualified to vote in Elections and in Town affairs to meet at the several designated Polling Places in their respective Precincts, in said Acushnet, to wit:

In Precinct 1 — Polling Place

Acushnet Town Hall

In Precinct 2 — Polling Place

Acushnet Grange Hall

on Monday the fourth (4) next, A. D. 1935 (it being the first Monday in March) at 8 o'clock in the forenoon then and there to bring in to the Precinct Officers of their respective precincts their votes on one ballot for the following Town Officers and questions to wit:

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for one year.

One Selectman and member of the Board of Public Welfare for 3 years.

- One Assessor for 3 years.
- One School Committeeman for 3 years.
- One Commissioner of Trust Funds for 3 years.
- One member of the Cemetery Board for 3 years.
- One Surveyor of Lumber for 3 years.
- One Tree Warden for 1 year.
- Moderator for 1 year.
- One Park Commissioner for 3 years.
- One member of the Board of Health for 3 years.

All the above mentioned Town Officers are to be voted for on one ballot.

For this purpose the polls will be opened at each and all of said precincts at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, and will close at 8 o'clock in the evening at each and all of the several precincts.

You are hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Acushnet who are qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the Town Hall in said Acushnet, on Saturday the ninth (9) of March next at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following subjects and business, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Incidental expenses and office equipment.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Purposes.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Free Public Libraries and also transfer the Bristol County Dog Fund to the Library Account.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Suppression of Moths.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to procure the Treasurer's and Collector's and Town Clerk's Bonds.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Public Welfare expenditures.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Board of Health.

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

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Snow Removal and Equipment.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the employment of district or other nurses.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of the Town Hall.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Notes and Interest due in 1935.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Department of Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Reserve Fund.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Park purposes.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Schools.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Vocational Schools.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Hydrant Services.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Sewer Pumping Charges. (\$123.00).

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Bureau of Old Age Assistance.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to take care of its proportional part of the Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital Maintenance and care, and to raise and appropriate the sum of Two thousand three hundred sixty-four dollars and three cents (\$2,364.03) for the Town's proportional part of maintenance and care of said hospital.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to approve the report of the Selectmen.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Highways and Bridges.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of the Fire Department.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of the Police Department.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to determine the compensation which each Town Officer will receive and make an appropriation therefor.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to accept the property located on the north-west corner of Hope and Farewell Streets (being lot No. 60 on plan of Riverside Farm) deeded to the Town by Ambroise Arpin.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to renew any or all of the notes issued under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for general municipal purposes under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49, of the Acts of 1933, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to rescind all previous votes relating to the appointment and personnel of its Finance Committee, and vote that the Finance Com-

mittee shall consist of the Chairman, or any other member, of the Selectmen, School Committee, Assessors, Board of Health, Library Board, Trust Fund Board, Cemetery Board, Water Board, Park Commissioners, Chief of Police, Chief of Fire Department, and four members to be appointed by the Selectmen annually, or take any other action thereon. (By Petition.)

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum for the pruning of dead wood from elms and for the removal of any dead or dying elms on public streets. (By request of the Massachusetts Forest and Park Association.)

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for American Legion purposes under Chapter 40, Section 9 of the General Laws.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to pay Edward Tootle, for the gravel, stone and sand taken from his property for CWA construction of gutters, etc., out of the 1935 Highway appropriation.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the further celebration of the 75th anniversary of the Town.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to authorize Manuel Fontes to run a pipe from his house to the well located on the grounds of the Isolation Hospital and owned by the Town.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to dispose of tax title real-estate purchased or taken in the name of the Town and on which the rights of redemption has been foreclosed as provided under the provisions of Chapter 60, General Laws (ter. Ed.) and amendments thereto, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the repair or construction of new macadam or gravel on Perry Street from Main Street to the Acushnet and Rochester line, or any part thereof under Chapter 90 of the General Laws. Conditional upon the State or County or both subscribing a substantial amount.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for insurance on all public buildings and equipment owned by the Town.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by the Board of Selectmen.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doing thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 7th day of February, A. D., 1935.

FREDERICK O. TRIPP,

HENRY L. GUILBEAULT,

Selectmen of Acushnet.

A True Copy, Attest:

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Constable of Acushnet

February , 1935.

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