

Town of Palmyra - Minutes

1955



Taxes Received from Tax Collector 1955

General Town Fund:

General	\$ 5,591.30	
Welfare Salary & expense	2,100.00	
Health Fund	763.40 ✓	
Fire Districts	3,000.00 ✓	\$11,454.70

Welfare Account:

Home Relief & Burials	1,800.00	1,800.00
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Highway Fund:

Item I	20,000.00	
Item II	none	
Item III	14,000.00	
Item IV	17,600.00	51,600.00

Special Districts:

Canandaigua Road Water D.	767.70	
Johnson Road Water District	501.20	
Maple Ave. Water District	1,599.25	2,868.15

Total - - - - 67,722.85

	<u>Tax Rate</u>
Inside:	15.9174
Outside	20.2249
Canand.	9.169
Maple	16.027
Johnson	11.467
E. Pal.	1.634
Palmyra	.381

Tax Rate
 Inside - 14.478
 Outside - 19.081
 Can. - 10.545
 Maple - 15.840
 Johnson - 11.265

Highway - 23.00
 School

January 13, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, January 13, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilmen

Absent: Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of the Peace

The minutes of the previous regular meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be accepted as read. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

The minutes of the annual meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be accepted as read. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
1.	N.Y.S.Elec. & Gas Corp.	Street lights per contract	35.50
2.	Palmyra Courier Co., Inc.	Bill heads	17.41
3.	Heinrich-Seibold Stationery Co.	Record of fee book	15.00
4.	Dennis & Co.	Marriage Certificates (Justices)	5.23
5.	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning office	10.00
6.	Knapp Ins. Agency	Ins.	145.27
7.	Henry E. Mitchell Agency	Bonds	213.00
8.	Wallace J. Beatty Ins. Agency	Insurance on Kent St. Garage	78.88
9.	Helen M. Jeffery	Postage	9.00

Mr. O'Meal moved that the bills be paid. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. O'Meal moved that his board submit application to the New York State Youth Commission for partial reimbursement of funds. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. O'Meal moved that James DeBrine, Highway Superintendent be authorized to purchase two 700-15, 6 ply snow tires. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra hold its regular board meeting on the 2nd Thursday of each month, at 2:30 p.m. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved the appointment of Francis Toole and Roy Pullman as Town Constables of the Town of Palmyra for the year 1955 and that in lieu of salary they retain for services rendered the statutory fee of \$1.50 plus mileage at 15¢ per mile, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Baran moved the appointment of Mary C. Johnson as Town Historian for the Town of Palmyra for the year 1955. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Clerk advised the Board that she would like to have Harold Jeffery and Harry E. Young as deputy town clerks for year 1955.

Mr. O'Meal moved that Harold Jeffery be appointed as deputy clerk with all powers of the town clerk and that Harry E. Young be limited to that of issuing conservation and dog licenses only and that Mr. Young be compensated \$6.00 for each day of work in this office (not to exceed the amount in budget). Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved the appointment of Harry E. Young as Chairman of the Board of Assessors. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the town officers be paid 8 cents per mile for the use of their automobiles for each mile actually and necessarily traveled by them in the performance of their duties of their office. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the official paper for the Town of Palmyra for 1955 be designated as the Palmyra Courier Co., Inc. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Baran moved that the purchase price of gravel be 15¢ per yard for bank-run gravel purchased within the town. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. O'Meal moved that the salaries of the elective and appointive officers for the year 1955 be as follows: Supervisor-\$2300, Justices-\$1000.00(each), Councilmen-300(each), Town Clerk-\$2500, Highway Superintendent-\$5000.00, Assessors-\$850 for chairman, \$600 for each of the other two, welfare officer-\$1700.00, Town Historian-\$200.00, Tax Collector-\$800.00, Registrar-\$100.00. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

The Association of Towns Meeting will be held February 8, 9, and 10th at Buffalo, N.Y. Mr. Nesbitt moved that the following town officers be empowered to attend and that their expenses be a town charge: Town Board, Town Clerk, Welfare Officer, Highway Superintendent and one member of the Board of Assessors. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that Sherwood W. Mate, be designated as delegate for the Town of Palmyra at the Association of Towns and that Mr. O'Meal be designated as the alternate. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

Mr. Baran moved that the election inspectors be paid \$12.00 per day for each primary, registration and election day. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

The report of Mary C. Johnson was read. Mr. O'Meal moved that the report be accepted and filed. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.
annual

The report of Dorothy E. Herendeen, Welfare Officer was read. Mr. O'Meal moved that the report be accepted as read and filed. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, Noes 0.

The following committees were appointed by the Supervisor:

<u>Highway</u>	<u>Welfare</u>	<u>Zoning & Planning</u>
Joseph J. O'Meal	Andrew Baran	Hart B. Pierce, Jr.
Andrew Baran	Henry B. Nesbitt	Henry B. Nesbitt, Andrew Baran.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the next regular board meeting be held on Feb. 17 instead of Feb. 10, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

No further business appear. Mr. Baran moved the meeting be adjourned, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

*Harold Jeffery
Town Clerk*

Mr. O'Neal moved the appointment of Earl W. Tabor as Town Attorney for the Town of Palmyra for the year 1955 and that his salary for the year be \$500.00. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Ayes 4, noes 0.

January 21, 1955

Meeting for the opening of sealed bids on shovel was called to order by the Supervisor on Friday, January 21, 1955, at 2:30 p.m. at the town clerk's office with the following members present:

Sherwood W. Mate - Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilmen

Bids were received from the following companies:

Dow & Co., Inc. - one Bucyrus-Erie Shovel, price -	\$21,325.00, F.O.B. Palmyra
less trade-in allowance of	<u>3,000.00</u>
net cost to the Town	\$18,325.00
McKenney Equipment Co. - One Bay City Shovel, price -	\$22,605, F.O.B. Bay City, Mich.
less trade-in of	<u>3,800.00</u>
net cost to the town	\$18,805.00
V.V. Dorn - one Northwest Shovel, price	\$17,980.00 F.O.B. Palmyra
less trade-in allowance of	<u>1,250.00</u>
net cost to town	\$16,730.00
Rupp Equipment Co. - one Paymaster Shovel, - Price	\$21,875.00 F.O.B. Palmyra
less trade-in allowance of	<u>3,250.00</u>
net cost to the town	\$18,625.00
Witherald Equipment - one General Shovel- price	21,910.00 F.O.B. Palmyra
less trade-in allowance of	<u>3,510.00</u>
net cost to the town	18,400.00

The V. V. Dorn was the low bidder, but was rejected as his bid stated a minimum working weight of 43,100 lbs, specifications called for a minimum working weight of 44,000 lbs.

Dow & Co, Inc. was the next lowest bidder meeting all specifications.

The following resolution was offered by Joseph J. O'Meal, Town Councilman, who moved its adoption and seconded by Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of the Peace

Whereas, the Town Superintendent of Highways did on the 13th day of December, 1954, duly recommend the purchase of certain machinery pursuant to the provisions of Section 142 of the Highway Law,

NOW, Therefore, Be It Resolved that pursuant to section 142 of the Highway Law, the Town Superintendent of Highways is hereby authorized to purchase in accordance with the provisions of Article 5-A of the General Municipal Law, with the approval of the County Superintendent of Highways, the following:

One new 3/4 yard heavy duty shovel w/ shovel front (Bucyrus-Erie) for a maximum price of Twenty-one thousand three hundred twenty-five and 00/100 Dollars (\$18,325.00), delivered at Palmyra, New York and to be delivered on or about April 1, 1955.

The Town Superintendent of Highway is hereby authorized, subject to the approval of the County Superintendent, to surrender to the vendor one 1936 General Excavator, Serial #1088, as part payment for the above machinery.

Terms of payment will be as follows:

Trade-in allowance	\$ 3,000.00
Check drawn on Machinery Fund	<u>18,325.00</u>
Total	21,325.00

A contract of purchase for the item purchased shall be duly executed between the Town Superintendent of Highways and such vendor; and when duly approved by the County Superintendent of Highways, it shall become effective. When such contract has been duly executed and approved, the Supervisor is authorized to complete such purchase upon delivery of the item purchased in accordance with the terms of such resolution and such contract and to pay the above amount specified to be paid by check

(1) by a check drawn on Machinery Fund for \$18,325.00

Vote of Town Board (Aye)Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
 Aye Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Justice of Peace
 Aye Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilman

Supervisor announced the resolution carried by a vote of 4 ayes and no nays.

The following resolution offered by Andrew Baran, who moved its adoption and seconded by Joseph J. O'Meal:

Whereas, the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, with the consent of the Town Superintendent of Highways and the approval of the County Superintendent of Highways did heretofore and on or about December 10th, 1953, establish a Capital Reserve Fund - Machinery, for the general purpose of having funds available to pay a part of the cost of future purchases of highway machinery and equipment; and

Whereas, the Town of Palmyra has on this day authorized the purchase of a Bucyrus-Erie power shovel, and it is deemed desirable to use the funds in said reserve fund above mentioned, the present amount being \$10,075.06, toward the purchase price of such shovel,

Be It Resolved that said sum of money in said fund be withdrawn and expended upon the order of the Town Superintendent of Highways upon audit and with the consent of this town board which is hereby given.

Upon vote of the board, carried - Ayes 4, Noes 0.

No further business appearing, meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
 Town Clerk

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 The Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, New York, will receive and consider all bids for the purchase of the Town of Palmyra, New York, to be opened by the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, New York, at the office of the Town Clerk, on the 13th day of January, 1955, at 2:00 P. M. Specifications are available for examination to any interested person or bidder at the office of the Town Clerk of the Town of Palmyra, New York. Bids shall be made in writing and received upon the following conditions:
 1. That the present General Excavator shall be taken as a guide.
 2. That the Town Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids submitted.
 3. That all bidders must specify the name of the person or company who will execute the contract in accordance with his proposal.
 4. That the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, New York, will execute the contract in accordance with his proposal.
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 9. That the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, New York, will execute the contract in accordance with his proposal.
 10. That the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, New York, will execute the contract in accordance with his proposal.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
 COUNTY OF WAYNE

ss:

Virginia Hemmings

Bookkeeper

being duly sworn, says that she is the _____
 of the Palmyra Courier-Journal, a public newspaper, printed and published weekly at Palmyra, Wayne County, N. Y., and that a notice of which the annexed printed slip is a true copy, was duly published therein once in each week for one successive weeks, beginning January 13, 1955 and ending January 13, 1955

Virginia Hemmings

Sworn before me this 20th day of January 1955

Fees _____

John P. Parsons

Notary Public, Wayne County.

Feb. 14, 1955

A special meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra was called to order by the Supervisor on Monday evening, February 14, 1955 at 11:00 p.m. at the Town Clerk's office with the following members present:

Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of Peace
Andrew Baran, Town Councilman

Absent: Hart B. Pierce, Joseph J. D'Meal

The following report of the Zoning Commission was presented and read to the Town Board:

Zoning Commission Final Report

To the Town Board of the
Town of Palmyra

The Zoning Commission of the Town of Palmyra, appointed pursuant to Section 266 of the Town Law by the Town Board at its meeting on September 9, 1954 to recommend the boundaries of the various original zoning districts in the Town and appropriate regulations to be enforced therein, respectfully submits this final report.

The Commission held meetings on the following dates: November 4, 1954, November 22, 1954, January 5, 1955, January 20, 1955 and January 24, 1955. The Commission caused a survey to be made of all existing land use in the Township. Such survey was reviewed by the Commission and used as a guide for establishing the proposed zoning districts recommended herein.

The Commission further studied in detail various types of zoning regulation to apply in such zoning districts. From these studies, the Commission evolved a comprehensive plan of regulation which is designed to lessen congestion in the streets; to secure safety from fire, panic and other dangers; to promote health and general welfare; to provide adequate light and air, to prevent the overcrowding of land; to avoid undue concentration of population; and to facilitate, to the extent that zoning may properly do so, the adequate provision of transportation, water, sewage, schools, parks and other public requirements. In recommending such regulations, the Commission gave reasonable consideration to, among other things, the existing character of the proposed zoning districts, and the peculiar suitability of each for particular uses, with a view to conserving the value of buildings and encouraging the most appropriate use of land throughout the township.

On January 24, 1955 the Commission submitted to the Town Board a preliminary report in the form of a draft of a proposed zoning ordinance. At a joint meeting of the Commission and the Town Board, such draft was reviewed and discussed.

On January 31, 1955, the Chairman of the Commission issued the attached written notice of a public hearing on said proposed Zoning Ordinance, to be held on February 14, 1955. Said notice of hearing was caused to be published in the Palmyra-Courier-Journal on February 3, 1955 and on February 10, 1955. Copies of the proposed zoning ordinance and a map of the Town showing the boundaries of the proposed zoning districts were available for public examination in the

office of the Town Clerk from the date of said notice until the close of the

Public

public hearing.

On February 14, 1955, at 7:30 P.M. a public hearing before the Commission was duly held at the Town Clerk's Office in accordance with said notice. All persons attending were given an opportunity to express their views on the proposed zoning ordinance and to ask questions of the Commission concerning any of its provisions.

At the close of the public hearing on February 14, 1955, the Commission, at an open meeting, and after giving due consideration to the matters discussed at the public hearing, unanimously voted to recommend to the town Board that the proposed ordinance be enacted.

Accordingly, the undersigned members of the Zoning Commission of the Town of Palmyra hereby make this final report to the Town Board and recommend that the proposed zoning ordinance in the form attached hereto be enacted into law.

Respectfully submitted,
William M. Sheffield, Chairman
Vernon S. Cator
J. Donald Walton
John S. Blazey
C. Richard McCray

The above final report of the Zoning Commission was accepted by the the Town Board and the Clerk was instructed to publish the proper notice calling a public hearing on said proposed ordinance. Hearing to be held on Monday, February 28, 1955, at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Clerk's office.

Mr. Nesbitt moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Baran. Meeting adjourned at 11:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery
Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

Feb. 17, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, February 17, 1955, at 3:00 p.m. at the Town Clerk's Office was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Henry B. Nesbitt; Justices of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilmen

The minutes of the previous meetings were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

Letter from the Village Clerk requesting that the Town Board appoint the manager of the village dump as constable was read to this Board.

App. of Reel as
Constable

Mr. O'Meal moved that Merriman Reel be appointed as constable to serve at the pleasure of this board, seconded by Mr. Pierce, Carried. Ayes 5, Noos 0.

Add. names to
E. Pal. Fire
Dept.

Mr. O'Meal moved that the list of names as submitted to this Board by the East Palmyra Fire Dept. Inc. for membership be approved, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 5, Noos :

Following is the list of names:

Elwood Verbridge, Vincent, Road, Harold VandenBout and Robert Glick.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
10	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expense	172.27
11	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary & Exp	209.87
12	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas Corp.	E. Palmyra St. lights per contract	35.50
13	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	13.50
14	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning office	8.00
15	Palmyra Courier Co., Inc.	Printing	99.88
16	Palmyra Courier Co., Inc	Printing	4.00
17	Ralph J. Hassler	Printing & Stock on zoning	11.56
18	Patricia Robinson	Typing (zoning)	16.50
19	E. Palmyra Fire Dept. Inc.	Fire Prot. as per contract	1500.00
20	Village of Palmyra	Fire Protection as per contract	1500.00
21	Betty Van Bortel	Stenographer	13.00
22	Harry E. Young	Mileage	5.12
23	Harry E. Young	Work at town clerk's Office	36.00
24	Helen M. Jeffery	Post cards	6.00
25	Expenses - Association of Town - Helen M. Jeffery		38.00
26	Sherwood W. Mate	Assoc of towns expenses	59.94
27	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Assoc of town expenses	22.35
28	Andrew Baran	Assoc of town expenses	56.05
29	Joseph J. O'Meal	Assoc of town expenses	88.16

Mr. Pierce moved the above bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

No further business appearing, Mr. Pierce moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 5, Noos 0.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

Notary Public, Wayne County.

Coale ✓
Cleaver ✓
Hamer ✓
Oblum ✓
Oulien ✓
Johnson
Johnson
Vickerson
Hedford
Hedford
Yellow Horn
De May
Cassie
Hagerty
Sutcliffe ✓
Went ✓
Wm Danks

6/29/61 - Town Board Meeting on Howard Rd. District

Sanitary order for removal of back meeting -

1000 more - \$178,900.00 -

46.95 - by year -

15 → 35.77

20 → 30.01

24 3.5 - \$2100.00 -

20.12 - 30 year lease -

20.22 / 1000000

Remainder is in arrears / as in arrears

Other may be for

\$8.00 per lateral -

\$50 for quarter to next meter

No 13

Van Wallace -

H.H.H.

2590

\$45-000

Feb. 28, 1955

A Public Hearing was held by the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra on Monday, February 28, 1955, at 7:30 P. M., at the Town Clerk's Office for the purpose of hearing all those for or against the proposed zoning ordinance.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Henry B. Nesbitt, Justices
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Councilmen
Earl W. Tabor, Town Attorney
J. Franklin Bonner, Zoning Consultant

Clerk read the notice of hearing.

Mr. Pierce moved that we adjourn to the Canandaigua Street school auditorium due to the large attendance, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

The meeting was opened by the Supervisor announcing that this was a public hearing called for the purpose of considering a proposed zoning ordinance in the Town of Palmyra, exclusive of the Village of Palmyra and that this board desires to hear any resident or taxpayer of this town who desires to express his approval or disapproval of this proposed ordinance or any suggestions as to changes or modifications.

After a lengthy discussion and all interested parties having been heard, this hearing was terminated.

The Town Board reconvened at the Town Clerk's Office at 11:00 P.M. that evening to act on the proposed zoning ordinance.

After much consideration, carefully reviewing all petitions filed, and resolution of the local Palmyra Grange against the proposed ordinance, considering all remarks offered against the ordinance at the hearing, it was the opinion of this board that this should not be enacted.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Pierce, who moved its adoption and

That it appearing from the sentiment expressed at the public hearing held this evening, that the adoption of the proposed zoning ordinance is not favored and that no further action be taken concerning same.

Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. An aye and nay vote taken, the Supervisor announced the resolution carried by a vote of 5 ayes, no nays.

Mr. Pierce suggested that the minutes show appreciation to Mr. Bonner for all the work and effort put forth in this and also that letters of thanks be written to each member of the zoning commission.

Mr. Pierce moved that this meeting be adjourned, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 12:27 A.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery
Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

March 10, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, March 10, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office, was called to order by Supervisor.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr.; Henry B. Nesbitt, Justices
Andrew Baran, Councilman

Absent: Joseph J. O'Meal

The minutes of the previous meetings were read. Mr. Pierce moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

Map of lands of Samuel J. Ferguson showing proposed roadways in subdivision was presented to the Board. Mr. Pierce moved the matter be referred to Town Attorney. Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

At this time Henry B. Nesbitt arrived at the Board Meeting.

Mr. Baran moved that the clerk be authorized to purchase a new clock for the office. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
30	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expense	167.81
31	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary	208.33
32	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	13.80
33	Emory B. Mack	Cleaning office	8.00
34	Heinrich Seibold Sta. Co., Inc.	Office supplies	6.38
35	Palmyra Courier Co., Inc.	Notice on Public hearing, envelopes	15.10
36	W.M. Sheffield	zoning expenses	2.64
37	Ralph J. Hassler	Printing 50 copies on z.o.	11.56
38	Bonner Associates	Consultant services on Z.	300.00
39	Henry B. Mitchell Agency	Ins. on shovel	91.57
40	Helen G. Contant	Taking notes at P. H.	10.00
41	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas. Corp.	St. lights per contract	35.50
42	R.C. McCarthy, Post Master	Stamps	15.00

Mr. Baran moved they be paid, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

Mr. Pierce moved that the zoning commission be discharged and that letters of thanks be sent to each one expressing the appreciation of the Town Board for all the time and effort spent. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the transcripts taken at the Public Hearing by the Town Board on February 28, 1955 on the proposed zoning ordinance be received and filed. Seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried.

No further business appearing, Mr. Pierce moved we adjourn seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery
Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

Mr. O'Meal moved that Robert Gifford, Community Center Director be authorized to attend the New York State Public Recreation Association at Elmira at the Mark Twain on April 24-27, that his expenses be a town charge, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

April 14, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, April 14, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office, was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Henry B. Nesbitt; Justices
Andrew Baran, Town Councilman
Absent: Joseph J. O'Meal, Town Councilman

Mr. Pierce moved that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

Assessors
annual
school)

The New York State assessors' Association's annual school will be held at Albany on April 17 thru 20th. Mr. Pierce moved that any of the assessors who feel that they can attend, may do so and that their expenses be a town charge. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

Letter to Village
Board re-
questing
pump)

Upon motion of Mr. Nesbitt and seconded by Mr. Baran, the clerk was instructed to write a letter to the Village Board requesting that they purchase an auxiliary pump.

(Tires &
Tubes)

Mr. Baran moved that James DeBrine, Highway Superintendent be authorized to purchase four 1000/20, 14 ply tires and tubes. Seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried.

(Conference
Town Att.)

Mr. Pierce moved that Mr. Tabor, Town Attorney, be authorized to attend the 3rd Annual conference on legal problems of town government at the University of Buffalo on April 29 and 30th. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

NO.			
43	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expenses	181.21
44	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary & expenses	211.33
45	Sherwood W. Mate	Salary-1st quarter	575.00
46	Hart B. Pierce, jr.	Salary -1st quarter	250.00
47	Henry B. Nesbitt	Salary-1st quarter	250.00
48	Joseph J. O'Meal	Salary-1st quarter	75.00
49	Andrew Baran	Salary-1st quarter	75.00
50	Francis S. Toolw	Constable fee	5.00
51	Francis S. Toole	Seizing dog	2.00
52	Heinrich Seibold Stationery Co.	Paper	4.53
53	Scrantom's Book & Stationery Co.	Office Supplies	10.85
54	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning office.	10.00
55	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	14.10
56	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas Corp.	St. lights per contract	35.50
57	Henry B. Mitchell Agency	Comp. general & Auto liability	2362.36
58	Minnie A. Grandall	Salary & expenses	866.00
59	Rene' Hekeler, jr	Repair to typewriter	4.00

No further business appearing, meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery
H. M. Jeffery, Town Clerk

May 12, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, May 12, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office, was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Justice
Joseph J. O'Meal, Councilman

Absent: Andrew Baran, Councilman
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. O'Meal moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried.

(dump)
contract
expires
5/1/57

Mr. Pierce moved that the Supervisor be authorized to execute the contract between the Village and Town of Palmyra granting the residents of the Town of Palmyra dumping privileges on the premises designated for the sum of \$200.00 each year, contract expiring June 1, 1957. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

(appointment
of dog
warden)

Mr. Pierce moved that Mr. Buell, D.V.M. be appointed as dog warden for remainder of year 1955 and that he be paid fees of \$1.00 for seizure, \$1.00 for disposal of each dog and fifty cents per day for board of each dog for maximum of 5 days, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

Mr. Pierce moved that the clerk be given permission to close her office on Wednesday afternoons for the months of June thru September and that a notice to that effect be published in the Palmyra Courier, Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
60	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expenses	164.21
61	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary	208.33
62	N.Y.S.Elec. & Gas	St lighting at E. Palmyra	35.50
63	N.Y.Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	19.80
64	Palmyra Courier	Envelopes	10.38
65	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning Office	8.00
66	Francis S. Tools	Seizing dog, mileage	2.48
67	The Todd Co., Inc.	Services to protectograph	19.94
68	Heinrich-Seibald Stationery Co.	Office supplies	10.36
69	Supplemental Pension Fund	Supplemental pension payments	40.02
70	W. E. Contant & Sons	Office Clock	11.43
71	O'Brien & Hickey	Lav. supplies	4.38

Mr. O'Meal moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Pierce, carried.
No further business appearing Mr. O'Meal moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Pierce, Carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery, Town Clerk

June 9, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, June 9, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office, was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Henry B. Nesbitt; Justices
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Councilmen

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Upon motion of the board, carried. Ayes 5, noes 0.

Elec.
Insp.

The following recommendations for Republican Election Inspectors were submitted to this board for appointment for the ensuing year:

District #1	Wallace J. Beatty	District #4	Huldah Morhous
	Beatrice M. Hassler		Florence Palmer
District #2	Florence Cleason	District 5	Peter VandenBout
	Clara Bernhard		Leah VerGowe
District #3	Dorothy Fish		
	Nellie Briggs		

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the names as submitted to this board be appointed Election Inspectors for the coming year, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried. Ayes 5; noes 0.

purchase
tires

Mr. Baran moved that James DeBrine, Highway Superintendent, be authorized to purchase two 1100-20, 14 play tires. Seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 5, Noes 0.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
72	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expense	173.92
73	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary	208.33
74	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning office	8.00
75	T. Paul Eubery	Weed killer(swift Cem.)	4.50
76	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	14.20
77	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas Corp.	St. lighting, A. Palmyra	35.50
78	A. J. Laux & Co., Inc.	Supplies - Assessors	15.25
79	Francis S. Toole	Seizing dog	2.00
80	N.Y.S. Employees' Ret. System	Town's Share	3903.00

Mr. Pierce moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 5, Noes 0.

No action taken by the Board at this time upon the application of Samuel Ferguson to lay out town highways in the Town of Palmyra. It was the opinion of this Board that they did not wish to accept such until the road is brought up to a rough grade all the way around.

No further business appearing, Mr. Nesbitt moved we adjourn, Seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried Ayes 5, Noes 0. Adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

July 15, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Friday, July 15, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office, was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Henry B. Nesbitt; Justices
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran; Councilmen

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
81	Dorothy E. Herendsen	Salary & Expense	161.56
82	Helen M. Jeffery	" "	209.83
83	Sherwood W. Mate	Salary, 2nd quarter	575.00
84	Hart B. Pierce, jr.	" " "	250.00
85	Henry B. Nesbitt	" " "	250.00
86	Joseph J. O'Meal	" " "	75.00
87	Andrew Baran	" " "	75.00
88	Mary C. Johnson	" 1/2 year's	100.00
89	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas Corp.	Street lights per contract	35.50
90	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	15.40
91	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning town office	10.00
92	W. C. Buell	Dog Warden fees	4.50
93	Williamson Law Bk.	Docket	17.43
94	Williamson Law Bk.	Docket & pad of Forms #131	19.62
95	A. J. Laux & Co., Inc.	Cond. sales sheets	2.63
96	Briggs Drug Store	Account Bk.	2.49
	The Todd Co., Inc.	Checks	42.73

Application of
Mr. Ferguson to lay
out town hwy.
(Bear Hill Dr.)

Mr. Nesbitt moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried.

Application of Mr. Samuel Ferguson to lay out town highway in the Town of Palmyra to be known as Bear Hill Drive was presented to this Board and accepted and filed (file #14).

Proper papers dedicating, releasing and conveying of land to said Town of Palmyra for highway purposes by Mr. Ferguson were read and filed (file #15).

Consent of
town board)

Upon reading and filing the application and the dedication and conveyance duly acknowledged, the following consent of the Town Board to proposed town highway was presented:

Consent of Town Board to Proposed Public Highway

Upon reading and filing the application of Samuel J. Ferguson, dated and acknowledged July 15, 1955, and the dedication and release of said Samuel J. Ferguson also dated July 15, 1955, and duly acknowledged, dedicating, releasing and conveying a parcel of land for a proposed public highway, situate in the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, and

a grant of an area for a turnabout which said grant shall cease upon the Town of Palmyra accepting land for additional highways as set forth in said offer of dedication,

BE IT RESOLVED, that in accordance with the provisions of Section 171 of the Highway Law of the State of New York, consent be and the same hereby is given that the Town Superintendent of Highways of the Town of Palmyra make an order laying out the aforesaid public highway, said highway to consist of the land described in the said dedication, release and conveyance and to extend as delineated upon the map thereto annexed, all in accordance with the provisions of the Highway Law of the State of New York;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Clerk be and she hereby is directed to forthwith cause such dedication, release and conveyance to be recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County of Wayne, and upon its return to attach it hereto.

Dated, July 15th, 1955.

TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF PALMYRA
COUNTY OF WAYNE, NEW YORK

Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of Peace
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
J. J. O'Meal, Town Councilman
Andrew Baran, Town Councilman

No further business appearing, Mr. Baran moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

August 11, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, August 11, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Henry B. Nesbitt, Justices
Andrew Baran, Councilman
Absent: Joseph J. O'Meal

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. Baran. Upon vote of the Board, carried.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
98	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expense	175.96
99	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary	208.33
100	Earl W. Tabor	$\frac{1}{2}$ year's salary	250.00
101	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	13.60
102	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas Corp.	St. lights per contract	35.50
103	G. L. Watters	Board & disposing of dogs	8.00
104	Francis S. Toole	Fees as constable	16.75
105	T. Paul Rubery	Ext. cord	.75
106	Emery E. Mack	Cleaning office	8.00
107	Palmyra Courier Co.	Publishing Assessor's notice	4.68
108	Betty J. VanBortel	Justice Stenographer	15.00

Mr. Nesbitt moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Upon vote of the board, carried.

The following re commendations for democrat election inspectors were submitted to this board for appointment for the ensuing year:

Dist. #1	Leona Smith	#4	Ruth Rubery
	Marion Forshay		Rita VanDeVelde
#2	Mrs. James Downey	#5	Leon Stearns
	Helen Coughlin		Gertrude VanPoucke
#3	Glenna Swart		
	Fannie Darling		

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the names as submitted to this Board be appointed Election Inspectors for the coming year, seconded by Mr. Baran. Upon vote of the Board carried.

Mr. Baran moved that James DeBrins, Hwy. Supt. be authorized to purchase two 500-15 tractor tires, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Upon vote of the board carried.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Nesbitt, who moved its adoption and seconded by Mr. Pierce:

Resolution
calling public
hearing on E. Pal
Fire Cont.

WHEREAS, the contract heretofore entered into between the Town of Palmyra and East Palmyra Fire Department, Inc., dated August 3, 1950 will

R.s. calling
public hearing
E. Palmyra
Firecontract.

expire August 31, 1955; and

WHEREAS, it appears to be in the best interest that fire protection continue to be provided by contract for the territory embraced within the fire protection district designated East Palmyra Fire Protection District;

BE IT RESOLVED that this Town Board hold a public hearing in the Town Board Room on the 29th day of August, 1955, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering and acting upon a new contract for the above fire protection, at which public hearing all persons interested therein will be heard.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Clerk give notice of such public hearing by publishing written notice thereof once in the Palmyra Courier Journal, the official newspaper of this Town Board and the newspaper having general circulation in the East Palmyra Fire Protection District, said publication to be at least ten days prior to the date of said public hearing. The Clerk shall embrace within said notice the following general terms:

(a) The Fire Department of East Palmyra Fire Department, Inc. shall answer and attend upon all calls in said district.

(b) For such service said Fire Department shall receive the sum of \$1,500.00 annually.

(c) The District shall be responsible for all claims authorized by law for medical expenses, loss of services, compensation benefits or other claims arising by reason of injuries to or death of a fireman sustained while in the performance of his duties.

(d) The District shall not be responsible for any damage or injury to the property, apparatus or equipment owned by or under the control of said Fire Department.

(e) The contract shall run for a period of five years beginning September 1st, 1955.

(f) Such other incidental terms as may be necessary and proper in connection with such contracting.

The supervisor announced the resolution carried by a vote of 4 ayes and no nays.

Magistrate's
Meeting

Mr. Barnan moved that the two Justices be authorized to attend the Magistrates Meeting of the State of New York, held at Cooperstown, September 14, 15 and 16 and that their expenses be a town charge, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried. Four ayes, no nays.

No further business appearing, Mr. Nesbitt moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

STATE OF NEW YORK,
COUNTY OF WAYNE

ss:

Virginia Hemminger

being duly sworn, says that she is the Bookkeeper
of the Palmyra Courier-Journal, a public newspaper, printed and published weekly at
Palmyra, Wayne County, N. Y., and that a notice
of which the annexed printed slip is a true copy, was duly published therein once in
each week for one successive weeks, beginning August 18, 1955
and ending August 18, 1955

Virginia Hemminger

Sworn before me this 26th
day of August 1955

Fees

William E. Anderson

Notary Public, Wayne County.

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON FIRE PROTECTION
CONTRACT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, at the Town Board Room, on Cayler Street, in the Village of Palmyra, New York, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, on the 20 day of August, 1955, for the purpose of considering the contracting with East Palmyra Fire Department, Inc. for fire protection to be furnished by said Fire Department to said fire protection district in said Town known as East Palmyra Fire Protection District upon the following general terms to wit:

(a) The Fire Department of East Palmyra Fire Department, Inc. shall answer and attend upon all calls in said district.

(b) For such service said Fire Department shall receive the sum of \$1,500.00 annually.

(c) The District shall be responsible for all claims authorized by law for medical expenses, loss of services, compensation, benefits or other claims arising by reason of injuries to or death of a fireman sustained while in the performance of his duties.

(d) The District shall not be responsible for any damage or injury to the property, apparatus or equipment owned by or under the control of said Fire Department.

(e) The contract shall run for a period of five years beginning September 1st, 1955.

(f) Such other incidental terms as may be necessary and proper in connection with such contracting.

All persons interested in the matter will be heard at such time and place.

Dated August 10, 1955.
Helen M. Jeffery,
Town Clerk,
Town of Palmyra.

August 29, 1955

A special meeting of the Town Board was called on Monday, August 29 1955, at 8:00 p.m. at the Town Clerk's Office on Cuyler St.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, Jr.; Henry B. Nesbitt, Justices
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Councilmen

The Town Attorney, Mr. Tabor and the President and Secretary of the East Palmyra Fire Dept. were also present.

The Supervisor announced that a hearing had been called for at this time and place for the purpose of considering and acting upon a new contract for the fire protection district designated East Palmyra Fire Protection District.

Deputy Clerk read the notice of hearing.

No persons appeared in opposition to Mr. O'Meal moved the hearing called for at this time be and hereby is closed, seconded by Mr. Pierce. An any and nay vote taken resulted as follows: 5 ayes, no Nays.

Mr. Nesbitt offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

WHEREAS, there has been heretofore duly established in the Town of Palmyra, a fire protection district designated and known as East Palmyra Fire Protection District embracing a portion of the Town of Palmyra, as such territory is more fully described in the resolution establishing such district and duly adopted by this Board November 26th, 1943; and

WHEREAS, it is proposed that a contract be entered into with the East Palmyra Fire Department, Inc. for the furnishing of fire protection to such district; and

WHEREAS, due notice has been given of a public hearing held this day to consider such a contract, the notice duly specifying the time and place of the hearing as aforesaid and giving in general terms the proposed contract; and all persons interested and appearing having been heard, it is hereby

RESOLVED, that this Town Board contract with said East Palmyra Fire Department, Inc., for the furnishing of fire protection to such district in the following form:

(see form attached to resolution)

and it is further

RESOLVED, that such contract be executed in behalf of this town Board by the members thereof

Attest:

Harold E. Jeffery
Deputy Town Clerk

Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice
Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Justice
Andrew Baran, Councilman
J. J. O'Meal, Councilman

Town Board of the Town of Palmyra
Wayne County, New York.

EAST PALMYRA FIRE DEPARTMENT, INC

Attest:
Harold J. VandenBout
Secretary

By Milton Pieters, President

Seconded by Mr. Baran. An aye and nay vote taken resulted as follows
5 ayes, no nays.

Mr. Pierce moved that the meeting be adjourned, seconded by Mr.
Nesbitt. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Harold E. Jeffery
Deputy Town Clerk

Palmyra

Crabbing Dec 21/56 1.5 tons

Trawling Jan 20/57 1.67 tons

Since 11/20/57 2.3 tons

15.5 tons @ 8⁴⁰ per ton

80 "

have this for 80 tons

15

3 Varies. found

3 Invoices

167.1

21 32

Sept. 8, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, Sept. 8th, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Hart B. Pierce, jr., Henry B. Nesbitt; Justices

Absent: Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran; Councilman

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the minutes of meeting of August 11 and August 29th be dispensed with, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
109	Dorothy E. Hemendeen	Salary & Expense	169.25
110	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary	208.33
111	Harry E. Young	Assessor Salary	850.00
112	Jacob Haak	Assessor Salary	500.00
113	John VanHall	Assessor Salary	600.00
114	R. G. McCarthy, Postmaster	Stamps, postcards	17.00
115	Palmyra Courier Co., Inc.	Publishing notice	5.40
116	A. J. Laux & Co., Inc.	Budget & estimate forms	3.34
117	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	17.25
118	N.Y.S. Elec. & Gas Corp.	St. lighting-E. Palmyra	35.50
119	Harry E. Young	work in town clerk's office	36.00
120	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning town office	10.00

Mr. Pierce moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

Petition from resident owners surround the dump area was presented to this Board.

Mattered tabled, pending action of the Village Board who are the owners and operators of same. Clerk instructed to write a letter to Mr. Koeberle, a signer, stating that the matter has been taken up with the village board and hoping in the very near future this will be taken care of.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the next regular board meeting be held Sept. 6th, 1955 at 7:30 p.m., seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried.

No further business appearing, Mr. Nesbitt moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Pierce. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery
Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

October 6, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra was called to order by Supervisor Mate on Thursday, October 6th, 1955 at 7:30 p.m., at the town clerk's office with the following members

present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilmen

absent: Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of the Peace

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Upon vote of the board, carried - ayes 4, noes 0.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
121	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expenses	166.46
122	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary & expenses	214.79
123	Sherwood W. Mate	Salary	575.00
124	Hart B. Pierce, jr.	Salary	250.00
125	Henry B. Nesbitt	Salary	250.00
126	Joseph J. O'Meal	Salary	75.00
127	Andrew Baran	Salary	75.00
128	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	15.10
129	N.Y.S. Electric & Gas	St. lighting at E. Palmyra	35.50
130	Emory E. Mack	Cleaning town office	10.00

Mr. Nesbitt moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Baran.
Carried. Ayes 4, noes 0.

The detailed estimates of the various town officers were presented to the board with the remainder of the evening spent in preparing the preliminary budget, upon which

The following resolution was offered by Mr. O'Meal, who moved its adoption and seconded by Mr. Baran:

Resolved that this Town Board does hereby prepare and approve as the preliminary budget for the fiscal year beginning on the 1st day of January, 1956, the itemized statement of estimated revenues and expenditures hereto attached and made a part of this resolution and be it

Further Resolved that such preliminary budget shall be filed in the office of the Town Clerk where it shall be available for inspection by any interested person at all reasonable hours and be it

Further Resolved that this board shall meet at 3:00 p.m. on the 27th day of October, at the town clerk's office for the purpose of holding a public hearing upon such preliminary budget and be it

Further resolved that the Town Clerk give notice of such public hearing in the manner provided in Section 113 of the Town Law, and that such notice be published in substantially the following form:

Notice of Hearing Upon Preliminary Budget

Notice is hereby given that the preliminary budget of the Town of Palmyra for the fiscal year beginning January 1st, 1956, has been completed and filed in the Office of the Town Clerk at Union Trust Building where it is available for inspection by any interested person at all reasonable hours.

Further notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra will meet and review said preliminary budget and hold a public hearing hereon, at the Town Clerk's Office at 3:00, on the 27th day of October, 1955, and that at such hearing any person may be heard in favor of or against the preliminary budget as compiled or for or against any item or items therein contained.

Pursuant to Section 113 of the Town Law, the proposed salaries of the following town officers are hereby specified as follows:

Supervisor - - - - -	\$2500.00
Justices of the Peace - - - - -	2000.00 (total salaries)
Town Councilmen - - - - -	600.00 (total salaries)
Town Clerk - - - - -	2700.00
Town Highway Superintendent - - - - -	5000.00
Town Attorney - - - - -	500.00

Dated: October 6, 1955

BY ORDER OF THE TOWN BOARD
Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

Carried by the following vote: Ayes 4, noes 0.

No further business appearing, Mr. Nesbitt moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY SUPERINTENDENT OF HIGHWAYS

TOWN OF Palmyra

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1956

HIGHWAY FUND (ITEM 1)

Expenditures

- a. General repairs \$ 22,300.00
- b. Special improvements
- c. Redemption of debt contracted pursuant to Sec. 273,
Highway Law
- TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 22,300.00

Revenues

- a. State aid \$ 1,790.00
- b. Miscellaneous revenues
From \$
- c. Unexpended balance
- TOTAL REVENUES \$ 1,790.00

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAX FOR HIGHWAY FUND (ITEM 1) \$ 20,510.00

BRIDGE FUND (ITEM 2)

Expenditures

- a. Labor and team work \$
- b. Materials for repair and maintenance 3,468.36
- c. Construction of new bridges
- d. Redemption of debt contracted pursuant to Sec. 273,
Highway Law
- TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$ 3,468.36

Revenues

- a. Miscellaneous revenues \$
From \$
- b. Unexpended balance 3,468.36
- TOTAL REVENUES \$

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAX FOR BRIDGE FUND (ITEM 2) \$ none

MACHINERY FUND (ITEM 3)

Expenditures

a. Purchase of machinery, tools and implements \$7,000.00

b. Repair of machinery, tools and implements \$2,000.00

c. Storage of machinery, tools and implements _____

d. Repairs or pay of operator on machinery rented to county or village _____

e. Gasoline or oil for machinery rented to county or village _____

f. Redemption of machinery certificates _____

g. Interest on machinery certificates _____

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$14,000.00

Revenues

a. Rentals of machinery _____

b. Miscellaneous revenues _____

From _____ \$ _____

c. Unexpended balance _____

TOTAL REVENUES none

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAX FOR MACHINERY FUND (ITEM 3) \$14,000.00

SNOW AND MISCELLANEOUS FUND (ITEM 4)

Expenditures

a. Salary of town superintendent \$5,000.00

b. Expenses of town superintendent 100.00

c. Salary and expenses of deputy superintendent _____

d. Removing obstructions caused by snow 5,000.00

e. Cutting and removing noxious weeds and brush 2,000.00

f. Other miscellaneous purposes 5,000.00

g. Redemption of debt contracted pursuant to Sec. 273 _____

Highway Law _____

TOTAL EXPENDITURES \$18,100.00

Revenues

a. Miscellaneous Revenues

From _____ \$ _____

b. Unexpended balance _____

TOTAL REVENUES none

AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAX FOR SNOW AND MISCELLANEOUS FUND (ITEM 4) \$18,100.00

Dated: September 29, 1955.

Form 475, A. J. Loux & Co., Inc., Lockport, N. Y.

(Signed)

James DeBrinc
Superintendent of Highways

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY SUPERVISOR

TOWN OF PalmyraFOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1956

EXPENDITURES—GENERAL FUND

TOWN BOARD

Town Hall and Town Offices

- a. Rentals (board room, offices, elections, etc.)
- b. Compensation of employees
- c. Purchase of furniture and equipment
- d. Repairs, light, heat, and telephones

835.00250.00350.00

Elections

- a. Compensation of election officials (including mileage)
- b. Compensation of custodians of voting machines
- c. Voting machines, purchase and repair

1200.0080.00100.00

Insurance

- a. Compensation insurance
- b. Official bonds and undertakings
- c. Fire and liability
- d. Other insurance

225.00600.002225.00250.00

Printing and advertising (all departments)

Services of attorneys and expenses of litigation

Services of engineer and expenses

Zoning inspector and expenses

Annual audit and examination

Publicity fund

Employees' Retirement System (town share)

42.004200.00

TOTAL

SUPERVISOR

- a. Salary of Supervisor
- b. Compensation of employees
- c. Office and other expenses
- d.

2500.00200.00

TOTAL

2700.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE, CONSTABLE AND DEPUTY SHERIFFS

- a. Salaries and wages of officers
- b. Materials and supplies

200.00100.00

TOTAL

300.00

TOWN LOOKUP

- a. Compensation of employees
- b. Other expenses
- c.

TOTAL \$

TRAFFIC SIGNS, SIGNALS AND HIGHWAY LIGHTING

DOG WARDEN

- a. Compensation
- b. Other expenses
- c.

TOTAL \$

FOREST FIRES

- a. Paid to Conservation Commission
- b. Compensation of fire wardens, etc.
- c.

TOTAL \$

INSPECTION COSTS

- a. Building inspection
- b. Plumbing inspection
- c. Electrical inspection

TOTAL \$

EXAMINATION BOARD

- a. Plumbers
- b. Electricians
- c. Heating and ventilating

TOTAL \$

WAR EMERGENCY PURPOSES

TOTAL \$

TOTAL - PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY EDUCATION

SCHOOL DIRECTORS

- a. Compensation
- b.

\$

\$

ATTENDANCE SUPERVISORS

- a. Compensation
- b.
- c.

\$

\$

\$

HISTORIAN

- a. Compensation
- b.
- c.

\$

\$

\$

TOWN LIBRARY

- a. Compensation
- b. Payment to library
- c.

\$

\$

\$

TOTAL EDUCATION

\$

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

a. Compensation of employees

b.

c.

d.

TOTAL

PATRIOTIC OBSERVANCES

TOTAL

CEMETERIES

TOTAL

AIRPORTS

rental dumping ground

TOTAL

REDEMPTION OF DEBT (Principal only)

Temporary Loans

a. Emergency appropriation loans

b. Revenue anticipation loans

c. Deficiency loans

d.

e.

f.

g.

h.

i.

j.

Bonds (give title of each issue)

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

f.

TOTAL

INTEREST ON DEBT

Interest on Temporary Loans

Interest on Bonds (give title of each issue):

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

f.

TOTAL

Nature of Improvement

TOTAL

JUDGMENTS AND SETTLEMENTS (Describe in detail)

\$ 200.00
200.00

TOTAL \$ 400.00

REVENUES—GENERAL FUND

2000.00

700.00

TOTAL \$

Removal wage etc
Supervisor

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ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

TOWN OF Palmyra
FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1955

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary of Justice	\$1000.00
B. Salaries of other employees	_____
C. Rent of Court Rooms	_____
D. Postage	_____
E. Bonds	_____
F. Telephone	_____
G. <u>Misc.</u>	100.00
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$1100.00

REVENUES

A. Fines, penalties and forfeitures	\$ _____
B. Motor vehicle fees (received from State)	300.00
C. Criminal fees—Indictable cases (received from county)	_____
D. Criminal fees—Conservation Law (received from State)	_____
E. Civil Fees	50.00
F. Civil fees—dog (received from county)	_____
G. Civil fees—Conservation Law (received from defendants)	_____
H. Other revenues (Itemize)	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL REVENUES	\$350.00

Dated: September 6, 1955

(Signed) Harold B. Pierce, Jr.
Justice of the Peace

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

TOWN OF Palmyra, New York

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1955

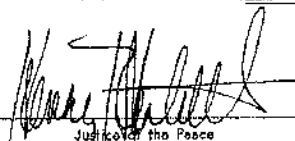
EXPENDITURES

A. Salary of Justice	<u>\$1,000.00</u>
B. Salaries of other employees	<u>—</u>
C. Rent of Court Rooms	<u>—</u>
D. Postage	<u>—</u>
E. Bonds	<u>—</u>
F. Telephone	<u>—</u>
G. <u>Traveling and other expenses</u>	<u>100.00</u>
H. _____	<u>—</u>
I. _____	<u>—</u>
J. _____	<u>—</u>
K. _____	<u>—</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$1,100.00</u>

REVENUES

A. Fines, penalties and forfeitures	<u>\$—</u>
B. Motor vehicle fees (received from State)	<u>300.00</u>
C. Criminal fees—Indictable cases (received from county)	<u>—</u>
D. Criminal fees—Conservation Law (received from State)	<u>—</u>
E. Civil Fees	<u>50.00</u>
F. Civil fees—dog (received from county)	<u>—</u>
G. Civil fees—Conservation Law (received from defendants)	<u>—</u>
H. Other revenues (Itemize)	<u>—</u>
I. _____	<u>—</u>
J. _____	<u>—</u>
K. _____	<u>—</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	<u>\$ 350.00</u>

Dated: September 5, 1955

(Signed) 
Justice of the Peace

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY COUNCILMAN

TOWN OF PALMYRA

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1955

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary of Councilman

300⁰⁰

B. Salaries of Employees

C. Postage

D. Expenses

100⁰⁰

E.

F.

G.

H.

I.

J.

K.

TOTAL EXPENDITURES. \$400⁰⁰

Dated: September 26, 1955

(Signed)

Andrew Baran
Councilman

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY COUNCILMAN

TOWN OF Palmyra

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1956

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary of Councilman	\$ <u>300.00</u>
B. Salaries of Employees	_____
C. Postage	_____
D. Traveling & other expenses	\$ <u>100.00</u>
E. _____	_____
F. _____	_____
G. _____	_____
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL EXPENDITURES. \$ <u>400.00</u>	

Dated: September 23, 1955

(Signed)

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Councilman

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY TOWN CLERK

TOWN OF Palmyra

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1956

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary of Town Clerk	\$2500.00
B. Salaries of Employees	100.00
C. Postage & other expenses	150.00
D. _____	_____
E. _____	_____
F. Traveling Expenses	_____
G. _____	_____
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 2750.00

FEES OF TOWN CLERK

REVENUES

A. Dog tags	\$ 175.00
B. Delinquent dog list	40.00
C. Marriage licenses	285.00
D. Hunting and fishing licenses	345.00
E. Filing (conditional sales contract and chattel mortgages)	5.00
F. Transcripts of records, searches, etc.	_____
G. Tax collector's Fees	_____
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 850.00

Dated: September 13, 1955.

(Signed) Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY TOWN WELFARE OFFICER

TOWN OF PALMYRA

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1956

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary	<u>\$1800.00</u>
B. Salaries of Employees	<u>385.00</u>
C. Office, traveling and other expenses	<u>15.00</u>
D. Postage	
E. _____	
F. _____	<u>4400.00</u>
G. Home Relief	<u>600.00</u>
H. Burials	
I. Veterans general relief	
J. Veterans hospital relief	
K. Veterans medical relief	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$ 7200.00</u>

REVENUES

A. Reimbursement of home relief from State	<u>\$2500.00</u>
B. Reimbursement of welfare salaries from State	
C. Refunds of home relief from recipients	
D. Unexpended balance (Sec. 115, Town Law)	<u>500.00</u>
E. <u>Reimbursement on Office Expenses</u>	<u>200.00</u>
F. _____	
G. _____	
H. _____	
I. _____	
J. _____	
K. _____	
TOTAL REVENUES	<u>\$ 3200.00</u>

Dated: September 30, 1955

(Signed) Dorothy E. Herensleben
Town Welfare Officer

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY Earl W. Tabor, Treasurer

TOWN OF Palmyra

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1956

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary	\$ <u>500.00</u>
B. Salaries of Employees	
C. Office, traveling and other expenses	<u>10.00</u>
D. Postage	
E. _____	
F. _____	
G. _____	
H. _____	
I. _____	
J. _____	
K. _____	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ <u>510.00</u>

REVENUES

A. _____	\$ _____
B. _____	
C. _____	
D. _____	
E. _____	
F. _____	
G. _____	
H. _____	
I. _____	
J. _____	
K. _____	
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ <u>0.00</u>

Dated: September 15, 1955

(Signed) Earl W. Tabor

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY RECEIVER OF TAXES (Tax Collector)

TOWN OF Palmyra

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1955

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary	\$ <u>600.⁰⁰</u>
B. Salaries of Employees	_____
C. Office, traveling and other expenses	<u>100.⁰⁰</u>
D. Postage	_____
E. _____	_____
F. _____	_____
G. _____	_____
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ <u>700.⁰⁰</u>

REVENUES

A. Interest and penalties on taxes	\$ _____
B. Fees of tax collector	<u>50.⁰⁰</u>
C. _____	_____
D. _____	_____
E. _____	_____
F. _____	_____
G. _____	_____
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ <u>50.⁰⁰</u>

Dated: September 30, 1955

(Signed)

Therese A. Crandall
Receiver of Taxes

ANNUAL ESTIMATE SUBMITTED BY ASSESSOR

TOWN OF Palmira

FOR FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 1955

EXPENDITURES

A. Salary of Assessors	\$2050.00
B. Salaries of Employees	
C. Office, traveling and other expenses	200.00
D. Printing assessment rolls and field books	
E. Postage	
F. Bonds	
G. Telephone	
H. _____	
I. _____	
J. _____	
K. _____	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$2250.00

FEES

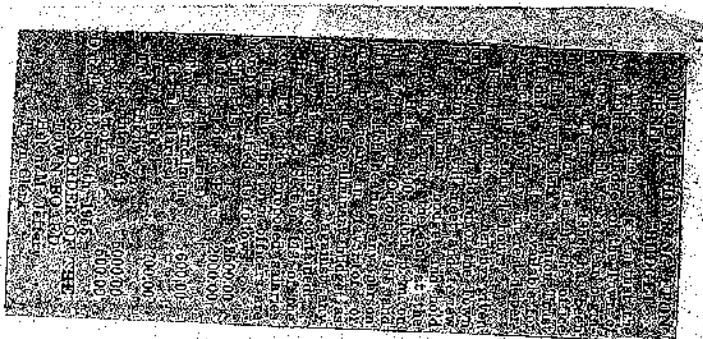
REVENUES

A. Dog damage cases (received from county)	\$ _____
B. Fence viewer cases (received from disputants)	_____
C. _____	_____
D. _____	_____
E. _____	_____
F. _____	_____
G. _____	_____
H. _____	_____
I. _____	_____
J. _____	_____
K. _____	_____
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ _____

Dated: September 30, 1955

Signed

Harry Edgerton
Assessor



STATE OF NEW YORK, }
COUNTY OF WAYNE } ss:

Virginia Hemminger
being duly sworn, says that she is the _____
of the Palmyra Courier-Journal, a public newspaper, printed and published weekly at
Palmyra, Wayne County, N. Y., and that a _____
of which the annexed printed slip is a true copy, was duly published therein once in
each week for _____ two _____ successive weeks, beginning _____ October 13, 1955
and ending _____ October 29, 1955.

Sworn before me this _____ 27th _____
day of _____ October _____ 1955. }

Notary Public, Wayne County.
Fees _____
_____ Helen P. Gonzalez

October 27, 1955

A Public Hearing was held by the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra on Thursday, October 27, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the Town Clerk's Office for the purpose of hearing all those for or against the preliminary budget.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilman

Absent: Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Justice of the Peace

Clerk read notice of hearing.

No one having appeared in opposition to it, Mr. O'Meal moved the hearing be closed, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. O'Meal, who moved its adoption and seconded by Mr. Nesbitt:

Whereas, this Town Board has met at the time and place specified in the notice of public hearing on the preliminary budget and heard all desiring to be heard thereon; now, therefore, be it

Resolved that the preliminary budget be amended by making the following change therein:

That the appropriation for general repairs in Highway I in the estimate of expenditures be increased from \$23,300 to \$23,800. and be it

Further Resolved, that such preliminary budget as hereinbefore amended be and hereby is adopted as the annual budget of this Town for the fiscal year beginning on the 1st day of January, 1956 and that such budget as so adopted be entered in detail in the minutes of the proceedings of this Town Board.

Carried by the following vote: ayes 4, noes 0.

Following is the budget for 1956:

General Fund - Appropriations
GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Board

Town Hall & Offices

a. Rentals (board room, office, elections, etc.)	\$850.00	
b. Purchase of furniture & equipment	250.00	
c. Repairs, light, janitor	350.00	1,435.00

Elections

a. Compensation of election officials 'inc		
mileage	1200.00	
b. Compensation of custodian voting machines	80.00	
c. Voting machines repair	100.00	1,380.00

Insurance

a. Compensation Ins

Insurance		
a. Official bonds & undertakings	225.00	
b. Fire & liability	800.00	
c. General & auto liability	<u>2500.00</u>	3,525.00
Assn. of Towns - Membership		42.00
Printing & advertising (all dept.)		250.00
Employees' Retirement System (town share)		4,200.00
Supervisor		
A. Salary	2500.00	
b. Office & other expenses	<u>200.00</u>	2,700.00
Justice of the Peace		
a. Salaries (total)	2000.00	
b. Office & other expenses	<u>250.00</u>	2,250.00
Councilmen		
a. - Salaries (total)	300.00	
b. Office & other expense	<u>200.00</u>	800.00
Town Clerk		
a. Salary	2700.00	
b. Compensation of employees	100.00	
b. Office & other expenses	<u>150.00</u>	2,950.00
Assessors		
a. Salaries (850.00 ch. 600 other two)	2050.00	
b. Office and other expenses	<u>200.00</u>	2,250.00
Tax Collector		
a. Salary	800.00	
b. Office & other expenses	<u>100.00</u>	900.00
Town Attorney		
a. Salary	500.00	
b. Office & other expenses	<u>10.00</u>	510.00
Total - General Government		<u>23,192.00</u>
Protection of Persons & Property		
Constables		
a. Compensation	200.00	
b. Mileage & other expenses	<u>100.00</u>	300.00
Highway Lighting		450.00
Dog Warden		
a. Compensation		150.00
War Emergency Purposes		100.00
Total - Protection of Persons & Property		<u>1,000.00</u>

Education		
Town Historian	200.00	
a. Compensation	25.00	225.00
b. Expenses		
Total Education		<u>225.00</u>
Recreation		
Patriotic Observances	75.00	75.00
a. Memorial Day		
Total Recreation		<u>75.00</u>
Public Utilities		
Cemeteries		165.00
Rental of Village Dump		200.00
Total Public Utilities		<u>365.00</u>
Veterans Organizations for Rooms		400.00
General Fund - Appropriations @ Grand Total		25,257.00
Receipts - General Fund		
Per capita assistance from State	17,515.70	
Mortgage Taxes	2,000.00	
Dog licenses from Co. Treas.	800.00	
Fees of Town Clerk	850.00	
Fees of Justices of the Peace	600.00	
Fees of Tax Collector	50.00	
Total - Estimated Revenues (General Fund)	21,815.70	
Appropriations		
a. General government	23,192.00	
Protection of persons and property	1,000.00	
c. Education	225.00	
d. Recreation	75.00	
e. Public Utilities	365.00	
f. Miscellaneous - Veterans	400.00	
Total Appropriations	25,257.00	
Total Estimated Revenues (general fund)	<u>21,815.70</u>	
Amount of taxes to be raised for general fund	<u>3,441.30</u>	

Welfare Fund

Town Welfare Officer

a. Salary	1700.00	
b. office & other exepnses, mileage	385.00	
c. postage	15.00	2,100.00

Home Relief		4,400.00
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Burials		<u>600.00</u>
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Total Appropriations		7,100.00
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Estimated Revenues

a. Reimbursement of home relief from state	2,500.00	
b. Refund office expense	200.00	
c. Unexpended balance	1,000.00	

Total Revenue		<u>3,700.00</u>
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amt. to be raised by tax for welfare fund		3,400.00
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Highway Fund

Highway Fund (Item I) appropriations

a. General repairs		23,800.00
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Estimated Revenues

a. State aid		<u>1,790.00</u>
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Amount to be raised by tax for Hwy. Fund (Item I)		<u>22,010.00</u>
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Bridge Fund (Item II)

a. materials for repair & maintenance		3,468.36
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Estimated Revenues

a. Unexpended balance		3,468.36
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Amount to be raised by tax for Bridge Fund Item II		<u>none</u>
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Machinery Fund (Item III)

a. Purchase of machinery, tools and implements	7,000.00	
b. Repair of machinery, tools & implements	7,000.00	

Total appropriations		14,000.00
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Estimated Revenues

.00

Amount to be raised by tax for Machinery Fund (Item III)		14,000.00
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Snow & Miscellaneous Fund (Item IV)

a. Salary town superintendent	5,000.00	
b. Expenses town superintendent	100.00	
c. removing obstructions caused by snow	5,000.00	
d. cutting and removing noxious weeds & brush	3,000.00	
e. Miscellaneous purposes	5,000.00	

Total Appropriations		18,100.00
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Amount to be raised by tax for Hwy. Fund (Item IV)		<u>18,100.00</u>
Amount to be raised by tax for Hwy. Funds		<u>52,610.00</u>
Board of Health		
a. Salary of H.O. 1900 @ 15¢	285.00	
b. other health expenses	100.00	
c. overdraft	<u>200.00</u>	585.00
Registrar of Vital Statistics		
a. compensation	100.00	
b. fees of physician & other expenses	<u>25.00</u>	125.00
Amount to be raised by tax for town health		<u>710.00</u>

Special Districts

Canandaigua Road Water District		
a. Bond #6	600.00	
b. Interest Feb. 1, 1956	80.60	
c. Interest Aug. 1, 1956	72.80	
d. Extension	<u>100.00</u>	853.40
Amount to be raised by tax for Canandaigua Road Water District		<u>853.40</u>
Johnson Road Water District		
a. Bond #5	400.00	
b. Interest Feb. 1, 1956	48.40	
c. Interest Aug. 1, 1956	<u>44.00</u>	492.40
Amount to be raised by tax for Johnson Rd. Water District		<u>492.40</u>
Maple Ave Water District		
a. Bond #5	750.00	
b. interest Feb. 1, 1956	170.50	
c. Interest Aug. 1, 1956	162.25	
d. Extension	<u>650.00</u>	1,732.75
Amount to be raised by tax for Maple Ave. Water District		<u>1,732.75</u>
Fire Districts		
a. East Palmyra Fire Protection District	1,500.00	
b. Palmyra Fire Protection District	1,500.00	
Amount to be raised by tax for two fire districts		<u>3,000.00</u>

Total Taxes - all funds

General fund	3,441.30
Welfare Fund	3,400.00
Health Fund	710.00
Highway Item 1	22,010.00
Highway Item 2,3,4	32,100.00
Canandaigua Road Water Dist.	853.40
Johnson Road Water District	492.40
Maple Ave. Water Dist.	1,732.75
East Palmyra Fire Protection District	1,500.00
Palmyra Fire Protection District	1,500.00

State of New York) ss:
County of Wayne)

I, Helen M. Jeffery, Town Clerk of the Town of Palmyra do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the annual budget of the Town of Palmyra, duly adopted by the Town Board of said Town of the 27th day of October, 1955, and entered in detail in the minutes of the proceedings of said Board, and that the foregoing is a true copy of said annual budget and the whole thereof.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Town this 27th day of October, 1955.

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

Hart B. Pierce, jr. arrived prior to adjournment.

Mr. O'Meal moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

November 10, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, November 10, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Andrew Baran, Town Councilmen

Absent: Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of the Peace

The minutes of the previous meetings were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. O'Meal, carried, ayes 4, noes 0.

One application for appointment of dog enumerator was received by this board from Dorothy E. Herendeen.

Mr. Nesbitt moved the appointment of Dorothy E. Herendeen as Dog Enumerator, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried, ayes 4, noes 0.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
131	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expense	149.14
132	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary & Expense	212.49
133	N.Y.S.Elec. & Gas Corp.	St.lights	35.50
134	N.Y.Telephone Co.	Town telephones	15.40
135	W.C.Buell, D.V.M.	Dog Warden	22.50
136	Association of Towns	Assoc. dues	43.00
137	Matthew Bender Co.	Justice supplements	10.00
138	John VanHall	Dog Damage, mileage	1.76
139	Palmyra Hardware Co.	Office supplies	8.28
140	Palmyra Courier Co., inc	Printing	9.90
141	Williamson Law Book Co.	Justice books	10.81
142	Abram Haak	Care of cemetery	25.00
143	Jacob Breemes	Care of cemetery	115.00
144	Arthur Bebb	Care of cemetery	10.00
145	Glenna Swart	Rep party representative	10.00
146	James DeBrine, jr	Rep. party "	10.00
147	J. Donald Roe	Custodian	40.00
148	Owen Burns	Custodian	40.00
149	Beatrice Hassler	Election Inspector	64.12
150	Elora B. LaRue	" "	49.00
151	Marion Forsday	" "	49.00
152	Leona Smith	" "	49.00
153	Florence M. Gleason	" "	36.00
154	Clara Bernhart	" "	64.12
155	Josephine Downey	" "	49.00
156	Katherine O'Brien	" "	49.00
157	Eleanor Dunk	" "	12.00
158	Dorothy Fish	" "	44.56
159	Nellie Briggs	" "	49.00
160	Fannie C. Darling	" "	56.56
161	Glenna Swart	" "	25.00

No.			
162	Eleanor T. Pembroke	Election Inspector	12.00
163	Justa Spiers	" "	24.00
164	Ruth H. Rubery	" "	56.56
165	Huldah Merhouse	" "	56.56
166	Florence Palmer	" "	49.00
167	Verna Johncox	" "	49.00
168	Leah VerGow - 168	" "	56.56
169	Peter J. VandenBout	" "	24.00
170	Gertrude VanFoucke	" "	56.56
171	Carrie Russell	" "	48.00
172	Jacob B. O'Meal	" "	12.00
173	Joan Pieters	" "	12.00
174	E. Palmyra Fire Dept. Inc.	Rental of Election Dist.	65.00
175	U. W. Sherburne, Inc.	Rental of Election Dist.	75.00
176	Village of Palmyra	Rentals	250.00
177	James R. Hickey Post, 120	Memorial day allowance	75.00
178	J.R. Hickey Post, Amer. Legion, No. 120, Inc., Maintenance All.		200.00
179	Palmyra Memorial Post V.F.W.	Rental all.	200.00
180	Village of Palmyra	Rental of Dump	200.00
181	Genesee Valley Union Trust Co.	Rent of Town Office (for 1956)	450.00
182	Helen M. Jeffery	Registrar	100.00

Mr. Baran moved the bills be paid, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried
ayes 4, noes 0.

Mr. O'Meal moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried
Meeting adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

December 8, 1955

The regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, held on Thursday, December 8th, 1955, at 3:00 p.m., at the town clerk's office was called to order by Supervisor Mate.

Present: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
Andrew Baran, Town Councilmen

Absent: Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Justice
Joseph J. O'Meal, Councilmen

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. Baran moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

The Supervisor announced that the Association of Towns meeting will be held in Buffalo, Feb. 7, 8, & 9, 1956.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the following town officers be empowered to attend namely; the town board, town clerk, town welfare officer, highway supt., and one member of the board of assessors and that the necessary expenses be a town charge, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

authorization to Mr. Nesbitt moved that the Supervisor be authorized to pay all salaried attend Assn. officers their December salary in advance in order that he might close his meeting books for 1955, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

Bank depository Mr. Nesbitt moved that the Genesee Valley Union Trust Company, Palmyra for 1956 Branch, be designated as the depository for all town funds for 1956, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

Tires Mr. Baran moved that James DeBrine, highway superintendent be authorized to purchase two 1100-20 tires and one 1000-20 tire, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt Carried.

Following is the Street Lighting Contract - East Palmyra:

This agreement made in duplicate, this 20th day of December 1955, by and between the New York State Electric & Gas Corporation (herein called the "company") and the Town of Palmyra, County of Wayne, State of New York (herein called the "consumer"), WITNESSETH that, in consideration of the promises and agreements herein contained and for value received, it is hereby understood and agreed as follows:

First: The company shall operate and maintain the street lighting system in the streets and public places of the Consumer and shall furnish and install the circuits and lamps specified herein. The Company shall, within a reasonable time after receipt of written authorization from the consumer, furnish and install additional overhead lighting units on any of its existing overhead street lighting circuits or shall extend any overhead street lighting circuit for additional lighting units provided that the spacing of the additional overhead units shall not exceed three hundred seventy-five (375) feet. The Company shall keep the lamps lighted each and every night from one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before sunrise.

Second: The Consumer shall pay the Company for the operation of the street lighting system and the furnishing of the services specified herein and for any

additional lighting at the following rates:

1. Annual lamp, & fixture Charge

12 - 2,500 lumen lamps	@ 23.00 per lamp
1 10,000 Sodium vapor	@ 60.00
- Annual line charge
3600 feet of overhead street lighting circuits @ \$.025 per foot.

2. If any of the specified circuits or lamps are not installed on the date hereof, the Consumer shall pay at the specified rates for only the system as it exists until such circuits and lamps are installed and in service.

3. The Company shall bill monthly for one-twelfth of the total annual charges and the Consumer shall pay for such service within 15 days.

4. If any lamp is not in service by reason of the failure of the Company to supply the requisite current or equipment to keep such lamp lighted, the Company shall, upon verified claim, credit upon each monthly bill the pro rata amount of the lamp charge for the time such lamp is not in service.

5. Any lamp location shall be changed in accordance with written authorization from the Consumer, and the Consumer shall pay for the actual cost of making such change within 15 days of the day of billing.

Third: The company shall use diligence in providing uninterrupted street lighting service but in case the supply of electrical energy shall be interrupted for the purpose of making changes in or repairs to the Company's generating or distribution system, or shall fail, in whole or in part, by reason of a flood, fire, labor trouble, accident, Act of God, or any cause beyond its control, the Company shall not thereby become guilty of any default in its performance of this contract, and shall not be liable for any damages resulting therefrom, but the company shall be bound in good faith to resume service as soon as reasonably possible.

Fourth: The Consumer grants the Company the right to use, without expense, such of its streets, highways, and other public places as may be necessary to enable the Company to carry out the provisions of this contract.

Fifth: The Company shall not assign, transfer, convey, sublet or otherwise dispose of this contract, or of its right, title and interest herein, or its power to execute the same, to any other person, company or corporation, without the previous consent in writing of the Consumer, Department or official awarding the same.

Sixth: The term of this contract shall be five years commencing on the date hereof, and shall continue thereafter for a like term unless terminated by either party giving to the other at least three months' written notice of its election to terminate the same.

Seventh: The existing street lighting contract between the parties is hereby terminated, except as to any payment not due or accrued from the Consumer to the Company.

In witness whereof, the parties have caused this instrument to be executed by their duly authorized officers respectively, and their corporate seals to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

New York State Electric & Gas Corp.

By _____

Attest:

Asst. Sec.

Town of Palmyra
By Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor

Attest:
Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk
(seal)

adoption of
E. Palmyra
Street
lighting
contract

Mr. Nesbitt moved the adoption of the proposed street lighting contract between the New York State Gas & Electric Corporation and the Town of Palmyra, dated December 20th, 1955, generally for lighting the hamlet of East Palmyra for \$35.50 a month and that the Supervisor be directed to sign in behalf of the Town of Palmyra, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried.

Adding
Machine

Mr. Baran moved that the clerk be authorized to purchase a new adding machine for the office, not to exceed \$275.00, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried

Mr. DeBrine having recommended the purchase of a new highway car, the board referred the matter to the highway committee to investigate and to report to the board.

At this time Mr. Pierce arrived at the board meeting.

The following bills were audited:

No.			
183	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & expense	167.82
184	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary & expense	213.05
185	Palmyra Pharmacy	office supplies	5.17
186	Williamson Law Book Co.	Justice supplements	24.00
187	Heinrich Seibold stationery co., Inc.	Office supplies	4.59
188	Dennis & Co., Inc.	Justice supplies	5.23
189	Edward Thompson Co.	supplements	10.00
190	Emery E. Mack	Cleaning town office	8.00
191	Earl Youngman	Fixing sign board	2.00
192	Henry E. Mitchell Agency	Insurance	521.23
193	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	15.80
194	Wallace J. Beatty	Insurance	78.88
195	James De. Braner	Services as H.O.	288.30
196	Charles Leone	Emptying office paper cans	
197	Harry E. Young	Work in town clerk's off.	27.00
198	N.Y.S. Electric & Gas Corp.	St. lighting per contract	35.50

Mr. Baran moved the above bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

The Town Board will meet on Friday, December 30, 1955, at 2:00 p.m. at the town clerk's office pursuant to Section 62 of the Town Law for annual audit.

No further business appearing, Mr. Pierce moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Baran. Carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk

December 30, 1955

The annual meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra was held on Friday, December 30, 1955, at 2:00 p.m. at the town clerk's office with the following members present:

Hart B. Pierce, jr., Justice of the Peace
Henry B. Nesbitt, Justice of the Peace
Joseph J. O'Meal, Councilman

Absent: Sherwood W. Mate, Supervisor
Andrew Baran, Councilman

Mr. Nesbitt moved that Mr. Pierce act as chairman, in the absence of the supervisor, seconded by Mr. O'Meal, Carried.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read. Mr. Nesbitt moved they be approved as read, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried Ayes 3, Noes 0.

Following is the report of the Town Clerk for 1955:

December 30, 1955

Town Board
Town of Palmyra
Palmyra, N. Y.

Dear Members:

Following is a report of my work for the year 1955:

	No	Co. Treas.	Co. Clerk.	State	Town
<u>Licenses</u>					
Hunt & Fish	302		1,057.00		75.50
Hunting	186		372.00		46.50
Fishing	365		730.00		91.25
Trapping	14		28.00		3.50
Res. Big Game	331		662.00		82.75
Archery	19		95.00		4.75
Lost Lic. Certificate	5		1.25		1.25
Non-Res. Fish	5		26.25		1.25
Non-Res. 3 day Fish	2		5.00		.50
Alien Hunt	1		10.50		.25
Free Fish Lic.	29				
Dog License	736	1,668.00			184.00
Marriage Licenses	37			18.50	55.50
Explosive Permits	16 (12 @ 25¢, 4 @ 50¢)				5.00
Marriage Transcripts	11				11.00
Searches	5				1.25
<u>Filed:</u>					
Conditional Sales	384				192.00
Contracts					
Conditional Sales					
Assignments	257				128.50
Conditional Sales					
Discharges	38				19.00

<u>Filed</u>	<u>No. issued</u>	<u>Co. Clerk</u>	<u>Co. Treas</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Town</u>
Chattel Mortgage	327				163.50
Chattel Mortgage	2				1.00
Assignments					8.00
Chattel Mortgage	16				
Discharges					

Registrar:

Births Cert.	25				25.00
Deaths Trans.	18				18.00

Total Receipts
\$5,792.75

Disbursements
County Clerk \$2,987.00
Co. Treas. 1,668.00
State 18.50
Town Fees 1,119.25
\$ 5,792.75

Respectfully submitted

Helen M. Jeffery, Town Clerk

Mr. O'Meal moved that the report of the town clerk be accepted as read and that it be made a part of these minutes of this meeting and that her records be approved as submitted, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 3, Noes 0.

Following are the reports of the Justice of Peace:

Dec. 29, 1955

Town Board
Town of Palmyra
Palmyra, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

I am submitting for your examination and approval the records of my activities as Justice of the Peace for the Town of Palmyra for the period of January 1st, 1955 through December 29th, 1955. Such records are contained in the following books: Civil Dockets, Motor Vehicle Docket and Criminal Docket.

An itemized summary of my activities during that period is as follows:

70 Motor Vehicle Hearings	3 Warrants of Arrest
79 Civil Cases	4 Dispossess Warrants
2 Criminal Cases	20 Transcripts
2 Marriages	17 Property Executions
	3 Garnishees

The sum of \$759.50 in fines and fees collected from January 1st to November 30th has been duly sent to the State Comptroller's Office at Albany. Fines and fees in the amount of \$81.00 collected to date during the month of December will be sent to Albany in January.

Respectfully submitted
Hart B. Pierce, Jr.
Justice of the Peace

Mr. O'Meal moved that the report of Hart B. Pierce, Jr., Justice of the Peace be accepted as read and that it be made a part of these minutes. Seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 3, Noes 0.

Report of Henry B. Nesbitt as Justice of the Peace for the Town of Palmyra for the year 1955:

<u>Civil Cases</u>		<u>Criminal & Motor Vehicle Cases</u>	
Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Jan. 14	\$ 28.00	Jan. -	-
Feb. 7	14.00	Feb. 3	30.00
Mar. 5	7.50	Mar. -	-
Apr. 8	15.20	Apr. -	-
May 6	12.50	May 2	10.00
June 7	12.00	June 1	5.00
July 3	6.00	July 9	110.00
Aug. 6	12.00	Aug. 5	40
Sept. 5	16.50	Sept. 3	40.00
Oct. 4	10.00	Oct. 6	100.00
Nov. 3	9.00	Nov. 3	20.00
Dec. 4	8.00	Dec. 1	25.00
72	150.70	33	380.00

(Dec report complete to Dec. 29)

Marriage Performed
0

Certificates of Conviction mailed to Mtr. Veh. Bureau
29

Transcripts Issued
5

Respectfully submitted
Henry B. Nesbitt
Justice of the Peace

It was moved by Mr. O'Meal and seconded by Mr. Pierce that the report of Henry B. Nesbitt be accepted as read and that it be made a part of these minutes. Carried. Ayes 3, Noes 0.

Mr. Nesbitt moved that the Civil, Criminal and Motor Vehicle Dockets of Justice Pierce and Justice Nesbitt be approved as presented to this Board, seconded by Mr. O'Meal. Carried. Ayes 3, Noes 0.

Report of Sherwood W. Mata, Supervisor, for year 1955:

General Town Fund

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$14,689.81
Receipts	34,441.95
Total Receipts & Bal.	49,131.76
Disbursements	29,734.10
Balance	19,397.66

General Hwy. Item I

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$11,716.79
Receipts	30,534.97
Total Receipts & Bal.	42,251.76
Disbursements	32,033.99
Balance	10,217.77

Bridge Fund Item II

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$ 3,468.36
Receipts	none
Total Receipts & Bal.	3,468.36
Disbursements	none
Balance	3,468.36

Machinery Fund - Item III

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$11,388.51
Receipts	<u>35,568.41</u>
Receipts & Bal.	46,956.92
Disbursements	<u>30,422.19</u>
Balance	16,534.73

Snow & Misc. Fund - Item IV

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$ 4,351.30
Receipts	<u>21,446.32</u>
Receipts & Bal.	25,797.62
Disbursements	<u>24,914.19</u>
Balance	883.43

Canandaigua Road Water District.

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$ 531.19
Receipts	<u>767.70</u>
Receipts & Bal.	1,298.89
Disbursements	<u>667.70</u>
Balance	\$ 631.19

Johnson Rd. Water Dist.

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$ 35.57
Receipts	<u>501.20</u>
Receipts & Bal.	536.77
Disbursements	<u>501.20</u>
Balance	\$ 35.57

Maple Ave Water District

Balance Jan. 1, 1955	\$ 153.36
Receipts	<u>1,592.25</u>
Receipts & Bal.	1,745.61
Disbursements	<u>1,508.20</u>
Balances	244.41

Respectfully submitted
Sherwood W. Mate
Supervisor

Mr. O'Meal moved that the report and books of the Supervisor be accepted as presented to this board, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried Ayes 3, Noes 0.

Welfare Report 1955:

Home Relief Disbursements - 50% Reimbursable	\$2882.99
Non-Reimbursable Expenditures	7.77
Return on Reimbursable Relief	150.00
(50% was returned to the State)	
(Non-Reimbursable return)	34.51

Home Relief Case Load - 31 cases - 90 Individuals

Applications Received by the Department

24 Home Relief	5 Old age Assistance
7 Hospital	5 Aid to Dependent children
4 Denials	2 Withdrawn

Other Welfare Activities

2 Trips to Newark Hospital	15 complaints about parents not caring for their children
4 Trips to Newark Medical Center	3 requests for assistance by people living outside Palmyra Township
2 Trips to County Infirmary	25 Cases Serviced
2 Trips to Children's Court	289 Inquiries & Requests for Information
7 Trips to Strong Memorial Hospital	

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy E. Herendeen
Welfare Officer

Mr. O'Meal moved that the report of Dorothy E. Herendeen be accepted and made a part of these minutes, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried Ayes 3, noes 0.

Mr. O'Meal moved that the following bonds on the town officers in the given amounts be approved, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 3, noes 0

Sherwood W. Mate #2546979-C (Hwy. monies)	in the amount of \$ 8,000.00
Hart B. Pierce, jr. #2323725	in the amount of 1,000.00
Sherwood W. Mate #2546978 (Gen'l Fund)	in the amount of 10,000.00
Helen M. Jeffery #2242218-D	in the amount of 2,000.00
James DeBrine #2191793-D	in the amount of 1,000.00
Mary E. Roe	in the amount of 162,025.24

The following bills were audited:

No.			
199	Dorothy E. Herendeen	Salary & Expenses	162.28
200	Helen M. Jeffery	Salary	208.33
201	Sherwood W. Mate	Salary 4th quarter	575.00
202	Hart B. Pierce, jr	Salary 4th quarter	200.00
203	Henry B. Nesbitt	Salary 4th quarter	200.00
204	Joseph J. O'Meal	Salary 4th quarter	75.00
205	Andrew Baran	Salary 4th quarter	75.00
206	Mary C. Johnson	1 year's salary & Expl	105.00
207	Earl W. Tabot	1 year's salary	250.00
208	N.Y. Telephone Co.	Town Telephones	14.90
209	Helen M. Jeffery	P.O. Box rent	1.50
210	Zimmerli Bus. Furn. Corp/	Partitions for desk	2.55
211	Knapp Ins. Agency	Ins.	145.27
212	C. J. Mahagan	Refinishing floors	53.92
213	E. E. Mack	Cleaning off	18.00
214	Burrough's	Adding Machine	246.00

Mr. O'Meal moved the above bills be paid, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried. Ayes 3, Noes 0.

No further business appearing Mr. O'Meal moved we adjourn, seconded by Mr. Nesbitt. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen M. Jeffery

Helen M. Jeffery
Town Clerk