

Town of Palmyra Minutes – 1922

Adjourned meeting of the Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, January 3, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson.

The committee appointed to confer with representatives of the Buffalo Pitts Steam Roller Company reported that it had made the following arrangements with Mr. Douglas, the company's representative, and asked that the Board ratify the agreement; viz., that the Buffalo Pitts Steam Roller Company for the sum of \$4000, the old roller and scarifice complete in trade, will furnish to the to the Town of Palmyra a new roller and scarifice complete, same to be paid for on the rental basis at \$20 per day for each day the machine is actually in service. After a full discussion of the proposed agreement, the Board ratified the committee's recommendation, and the formal leases were drawn up and properly executed.

Supervisor George S. Johnson submitted his annual report, and the same was compared with the books, vouchers, etc., accepted and approved. The report was as follows:

General Town Fund	\$7506.20
General Highway Fund	-0-
Machinery Fund	-0-
Bridge Fund	3396.51
Snow & Miscellaneous Fund	1297.42

Town Clerk H. L. Averill submitted his annual report showing fees collected by Town Clerk for the year 1921. His books and accounts were examined and approved. The annual report was accepted and adopted. The report follows:

318 Hunting Licenses	@ .25	\$79.50
2 Non-Resident "	.50	1.00
260 Dog Licenses	.25	65.00
5 Lost Tags	.25	1.25
36 Marriages	1.00	36.00
106 Chattel Mortgages	.12	<u>12.72</u>
Total Amt. of Fees		195.47

The report of A. C. Hopkins, Overseer of the Poor, was submitted. His books and accounts were examined and found to be correct. His report was accepted and adopted.

The report follows:

Money Received from Supervisor	\$783.39
Amount paid out in Orders	<u>766.21</u>
Cash on Hand	17.18

The report of Justice of the Peace, L. C. Ziegler, showing fines record amounting to \$77.00 was submitted, examined, and found to be correct.

The report of Kingsley F. Young, Justice of the Peace, showed that he had collected \$30.00 in fines. The report was accepted and adopted.

Justices W. H. Chapman and W. E. Spire reported no fines collected.

The Auditing Committee consisting of L. C. Ziegler and W. H. Chapman was empowered to purchase chairs for the Town Clerk's Office.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

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Mr. Ziegler and Mr. Young, the committee named to confer with Attorney George S. Tinklepaugh in relation to justices fees, fines, etc. in the town and village, reported that Mr. Tinklepaugh had submitted a report on the question, and the same was read by the Clerk and on resolution, it was ordered placed on file.

Mr. Ziegler and Mr. Chapman, the Auditing Committee, who were authorized at the meeting of January 3, to see about the purchase of some chairs for the Town Clerk's Office reported price and quality and on motion, the report was adopted; and the committee was instructed to make the purchase.

Mr. Averill, Mr. Ziegler, and Mr. Young, the committee appointed to investigate the proposition of the purchase of a truck to take the place of the Ford dump truck, which was found to be too light for road construction work, reported that they had investigated the prices and character of a good many standard trucks. They would be ready to make a complete report at the next meeting.

The bill of S. E. Braman in the sum of \$191.33 for premium on necessary bonds for town officers was approved and ordered paid.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

The regular meeting of the Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, February 28, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; W. E. Spire, W. H. Chapman, L. C. Ziegler, and K. F. Young, Justices. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The committee on trucks reported that a thorough investigation of a good many of the standard trucks had been made, and the committee was ready to report; but such report was postponed until the next meeting, so that the whole Board could act on the

proposition made by County Superintendent Sisson to secure one of the army trucks distributed to the State of New York, the initial cost of same amounting to not over \$300.

The subject of the army truck was discussed at considerable length, and a resolution was passed authorizing the county superintendent to make application for one of the trucks for the Town of Palmyra and to report as soon as possible, if such truck could be obtained within a reasonable time.

A communication was received from the James A. Hickey American Legion Post asking the Board to appropriate the maximum sum as an appropriation toward the renting and upkeep of a clubroom. The Board discussed the proposition at length, but just what the Board's power is in the matter could not be ascertained. The Clerk was instructed to communicate with the Attorney General's Office for any new laws on information that could be given.

The following bills were audited and order paid:

S. E. Braman	Insurance on Truck	60.00
Anna F. Jackson	" on Tractor	15.00
Henry C. Hilborn	Mileage - Police Business	27.75

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, March 28. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; W. H. Chapman, L. C. Ziegler, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by the supervisor, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approve.

The Clerk reported that he had received a communication from the Attorney General's Office stating that the sum of \$300 could be appropriated for Veterans' Association, and the matter of raising this sum was laid upon the table until the next meeting awaiting further information from the American Legion.

The Supervisor presented the following schedule of highway estimates of 1922 and the available balances:

General Town Fund		
Balance on Hand, January 1, 1922	7506.20	
Estimated Income for 1922	5000.00	\$12,506.20
(1920 Income \$6,489.94)		
Expenditures in 1921; General Town Exp.	7870.14	
Transferred to Highway Fund	4745.95	\$12,616.09
General Highway Fund		
Tax Levied	8000.00	

State Aid	3007.44	
County Aid (Spire Road) Recd. in 1921	4574.33	\$15,581.77
Primary Work - 80 Miles @ \$40 per mile	3200.00	
Roller Rental	4000.00	
Three-Way Hone	500.00	
New Truck	3400.00	
East Palmyra Road	5000.00	
Spire Road (Expended in 1921 8581.63)	8000.00	\$24,100.00
Amt. necessary to be transferred to carry out above program		\$8,518.23

Bridge Fund

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1922	3396.51	
Tax Levied and Collected	3000.00	\$6,396.51

Machinery Fund

Tax Levied & Collected (not sufficient to carry year)		\$2,000.00
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Miscellaneous Fund

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1922	1297.42	
Tax Levied and Collected	2500.00	\$3797.42

Supervisor Johnson also filed a financial report showing his receipts and disbursements to March 28 and the same was placed on file.

On motion of Mr. Spire, a resolution was passed authorizing County Superintendent Sisson to use his best efforts in securing an army truck from the State for use on the highways to be paid for in the manner prescribed by the State Department.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

S. E. Braman Insurance on Truck & Supervisor's School Bond	55.30
S. E. Braman Insurance on Road Roller Boiler	58.98
A. R. Knapp Balance due on Voting Machine Premium	2.50
Silver & Cady Furniture - Town Clerk's Office	51.50

On motion of Mr. Spire, H. L. Averill was appointed Registrar of Vital Statistics for the Town of Palmyra in accordance with the requirements of the State Health Department, and notification of the appointment was sent to that department.

The Board adjourned until Thursday, March 30, for the purpose of making out the determination and agreement for 1922. H. L. Averill, Clerk

The adjourned meeting of the Town Board was called to order by Supervisor Johnson with all members present on Thursday, March 30. On motion of Mr. Spire, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, the following Determination and Agreement was adopted by a resolution,

and the Clerk was instructed to make out three copies and forward to Highway Department for approval: Agreement - Primary Work: 60 per mile for 80 miles. Resolved that the Board agrees to construct under 320A such portions of a highway in the Town of Palmyra known as the Spire Road for the year 1922 as follows: Beginning at a point about one and one-half miles from the Marion Town Line, leading south to spot or place at the north end of the James Thomas barn where labor under 320A ended in 1921, from thence south a distance of one-half mile for which we agree.

Special meeting of the Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, April 11, 1921(sic). Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; K. F. Young, L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, and W. E. Spire, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk.

Supervisor Johnson stated that the object of the meeting was to select a truck driver in place of one of the regular drivers who had left without notice. Town Superintendent Young was present and explained the situation; and on motion, duly carried, it was voted to hire Herman E. Whiting at a salary of \$24.00 per week to fill such vacancy. Mr. Whiting, being an expert auto-mechanic, his services could also be used in looking after the repairs on the trucks and other machinery.

On motion, duly carried, it was also decided to rent the John Sherman blacksmith shop on Fayette Street at a rate of \$15.00 per month for the storage of the trucks and as a suitable place to do repair work on the town's machinery and equipment. The building was personally inspected by the Board, and it was found to be very accessible and seemed to be just suited for the requirements of the Town. The building was to be rented by the month, and the agreement could be terminated at any time by the Board.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Clerk's Office on Tuesday, April 25, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices, and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Johnson; and the minutes of the last regular and the special meetings held on April 11 were read and approved.

Mr. Lawson, representing the New York Central Railroad Company, appeared at the meeting and asked the approval of the Board for the placing of the visual grade crossing signal of the disc type at the West Shore Crossing at Railroad Avenue, the Gooney Crossing on the Spire Road, the NY Central Crossing at East Palmyra, and the Town Line Crossing, east of the East Palmyra Station, instead of the flagman as now in force. The Board gave the application careful consideration; and inasmuch as the signal device would guard the crossings twenty-four hours each day instead of from seven a.m. until seven p.m., the Board passed a resolution approving the change.

In accordance with the Labor Law, Town Superintendent Young reported that the boiler on the road roller had been inspected; and the Labor Department had issued No. 7106 as the Inspection Number. A resolution was passed ordering the Town Superintendent to

place the number on the boiler, and Town Clerk was instructed to draw an order in the amount of \$5.00 in payment of the same.

The bill of Jerry Burns for the taxi service in the Police Department was ordered paid in the sum of \$10.00.

The Supervisor reported that nothing had been heard from the County Superintendent in regard to the army truck, which the Board had asked for.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, June 27, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, K. F. Young, W. H. Chapman, and W. E. Spire, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The truck committee consisting of Mr. Ziegler, Mr. Averill, and Town Superintendent Young reported that the Liberty Truck obtained through County Superintendent Sisson had been driven up from Syracuse and that the machine was very satisfactory to the committee. A new body and hoist had been added to the truck and painted and that the total cost of the truck in its present condition ready for the road was estimated at \$900.

Owing to the new state law prohibiting the county from giving compensation insurance to towns and villages, as had been the custom in Wayne County for the past two years, a resolution introduced by Mr. Chapman and seconded by Mr. Young, was passed authorizing Supervisor Johnson and Justice Ziegler to obtain necessary compensation insurance for the town and report at the next meeting.

Supervisor Johnson stated that he had received a communication from the State Tax Department giving the new law requiring all billiard and pool rooms to pay a fee of \$5.00 a year for each table. The communication was read to the Board, and the Clerk was instructed to file the same and to notify the Tax Department that there were no pool or billiard rooms in the Town of Palmyra outside the incorporated village.

The following bills were presented and audited, and the Clerk was instructed to draw orders for the payment of the several amounts:

Henry C. Hilborn	Mileage and Feeding Prisoners	\$65.35
S. E. Braman	Insurance Premium	10.00
George G. Throop	Truant Officer Service	150.00

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Town Board was held at the town clerk's Office on Wednesday, July 12, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. c. Ziegler, W. E. Spire, and W. H. Chapman, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Johnson and Mr. Ziegler, who were appointed a committee to look after the matter of compensation insurance at the last meeting, reported that they had investigated rates, companies, etc.; and they had placed the necessary insurance with S. E. Braman.

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Chapman, a resolution was passed appointing the following Inspectors of Election for the three districts of Palmyra:

District No. 1 -	G. A. Tuttle Harry G. Chapman Anna F. Jackson Charles McLouth
District No. 2 -	O. Clute Silver Harry Braman Harlow Veedree James Burns
District No. 3 -	Kingsley F. Young Charles Woodworth C. Henry Harrison Charles Harrison

Owing to the fact that the Officials Committee representing the Board of Supervisors in the building of roads under the 320A Law had recommended that Palmyra purchase a new and larger gravel screening plant for work on 320A roads, the Board adjourned for the purpose of watching one of the screening plans recommended by the Officials Committee at work in the Town of butler and also to examine some 320A roads being constructed in northern Wayne County.

The meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Special meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the town clerk's Office on Monday, July 21, 1922, at eight o'clock. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; W. H. Chapman, K. F. Young, L. C. Ziegler, and W. E. Spire, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Johnson stated that the object of the special meeting was to take up the matter pertaining to certain construction on the 320A road being built on the Spire Road north of the Village; and after considerable discussion, the following resolution was adopted and directed to be sent to William b. Reed, third Deputy, State Highway Department, Albany, NY:

Mr. William B. Reed
Third Deputy, State Hwy. Dept.
Albany, NY
Dear Sir:

Palmyra, July 31, 1922

As members of the Town Board of the Town of Palmyra, NY, we would request that you permit us to make some changes in the construction of the road, about four and one-half in length known as the Spire Road.

This road was designated by our Town Board and by the Board of Supervisors of the county as one of the three roads to be constructed under 320A, which calls for a stone base, crushed stone top, tarvia or oil penetration and blotter.

Last year we were permitted by Mr. Ira P. Cribb, District Supervisor, and sanctioned by the Officials Committee of the Board of Supervisors to build a stone base covering a distance of about one and three-quarters mile, with the understanding that this year we would put on the crushed stone and tarvia and complete the job. Our agreement, filed with the State Highway Department, and with the Board of Supervisors, indicate this; and will further show that we expected and estimated that we could take on three-quarters of a mile more and complete two and one-half miles this year.

We haad some difficulty last year in constructing our stone base. We used field stone without crushing; and in spite of great care on the part of our Town Superintendent, quite a few stones were put in which to be removed or broken. Finally a good base was secured, and one and three-quarters mile of base was completed as we have stated.

This year we decided to use all crushed stone for our base and are well pleased with the result. The officials who have inspected our work speak well of it.

This road, which traverses a fine farming section of our town, does not have heavy traffic. It leads from Palmyra to the Marion town line; but it is not the main road which is scheduled for a county highway, which we hope will be built in the very near future.

The members of our board are of the opinion that to go on now and build the penetration top on this road at an expense of \$6000 to \$7000 per mile would be an extravagant use, if not a waste of money.

If you can see your way clear to permit us, we would like to place over the base No. 1 crushed stone or gravel and let this extend one foot on each side beyond the base. When rolled properly, this will meet all the requirements of the traffic and need little attenditon for some years.

If you grant this request, we can build a mile more this year with the money we have allotted, and the road would be entirely satisfactory to the taxpayers who reside along this highway as you will see by the enclosed communication signed by them.

Had we known at the beginning the expense of construction under 320A, we are of the opinion that we would have hesitated before entering such an agreement.

We respectfully submit this and trust that it will have your favorable consideration.

Yours very truly,

(Signed by: George S. Johnson, Supervisor
Louis C. Ziegler, William E. Spier, Kingsley F.
Young, and W. H. Chapman, Justices
H. L. Averill, Clerk
H. O. Young, Town Superintendent

The Clerk was instructed to send a copy of the communication to Mr. Reed.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, September 26, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, L. C. Ziegler, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Johnson presented a letter received from Deputy Highway Commissioner Reed in answer to the resolution and letter passed on July 31, 1922, and sent to the Highway Department. The letter stated that the suggested change in the construction of 320A road being built north of Palmyra on what is known as the Spire Road was approved by the Commission; but that the same would have to be adopted by the Board of Supervisors. Mr. Johnson stated that he would take the matter up with that Board at their next meeting.

Mr. Johnson submitted his several bank books showing the following balances:

Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Company	\$10,159.86
Union Trust Company	10,496.28
First National Bank, Palmyra	3,484.08

On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, a resolution was passed authorizing the action of the Supervisor in drawing \$6,000 from the Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit Company and placing \$4,000 to the credit of the General Highway Fund and \$3,000(?) to the Special Highway Fund in the First National Bank in Palmyra.

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Chapman, a resolution was passed appointing George G. Throop, Truant Officer, at a salary of \$150 a year.

Highway Superintendent Young reported that he was at work on the Marion Road and the East Palmyra Road. He estimated that in two weeks' time, the work of grading and rolling on the 320A would be completed.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

S. E. Braman	Compensation Insurance	108.29
A. R. Knapp	Casualty Insurance	132.00
J. C. Vines	3 meals - Police Dept.	1.50

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, October 31, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; K. F. Young, L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, and W. E. Spire, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. Meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Goosen and Mr. Palmer, who reside in the eastern part of the Town appeared before the Board in regard to having their property moved and assessed from School District No. 2, Town of Palmyra to District No. __, Town of Manchester; and after considerable discussion and investigation, the Board referred the two property owners to the Educational Department.

Supervisor Johnson reported the following bank balances in the local banks:

General Highway	\$256.59
Special Highway	3337.95
School Fund	106.06

An application was received from the James R. Hickey Post American Legion asking for an appropriation of \$200 a year for rental of Post Rooms, according to the provisions of the law governing, such appropriations. Upon motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Chapman, a resolution was adopted appropriating a sum not to exceed \$200 in any one year for the rental of rooms for the meeting place of the several Posts included in the provisions of law. Said sum to be paid annually at the regular auditing day of the Board on the presentation of a duly verified bill from the landlord from whom such rooms were rented.

Town Superintendent Young was present and stated that the work on the new bridge over Red Creek on the Spire Road was completed and that the bridge was open for traffic. Mr. Young stated that he was of the opinion that it would take about three weeks to finish gravelling and rolling on the Spire Road.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Thursday, November 9, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Town Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Town Superintendent H. O. Young presented his estimate for highway purposes for 1923, and the same was adopted as follows: First Item: Highway Fund

For repair and improvement of Town Highways, including sluices, culverts, and bridges having a span of less than five feet	Estimate	Approved
	\$8000	8000

Second Item: Bridge Fund

For the repair and construction of the bridge on the East Palmyra-Marion Road crossing the stream known as Ganargua Creek and located on or near the property of the New York Central Station at East Palmyra 3000 3000

For the general repair of all bridges having a span of five feet or more and not included above 1000 1000

Third Item: Machinery Fund

For the purchase and repair of machinery, tools, and implements 3000 3000

Fourth Item: Miscellaneous Fund

For removal of obstructions caused by snow 2000 2000

For salary and expenses - Town Superintendent & Deputy 1650 1650

Town superintendent Young also filed his Inventory and Statement of Machinery, Tools, and Implements; and same was ordered placed on file in the Clerk's Office.

The meeting then adjourned until Friday, December 10. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Adjourned meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday, November 10, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and minutes of preceding day's meeting were read and approved.

The members of the Board signed the three copies of the Town Superintendent's estimate approved at the meeting of November 9; and the Clerk was instructed to forward the three copies to County Superintendent Sisson.

The Board then took up the auditing of the Town's accounts and then adjourned until Saturday, November 11, 1922, to complete the work; and the following bills were audited:

No.	Name	Service Rendered	Claimed	Allowed
1	G. A. Tuttle	Election Officer	25.00	25.00
2	Anna F. Jackson	"	25.00	25.00
3	Georgia Fitzgerald	"	12.00	12.00
4	Harry G. Chapman	"	38.52	38.52
5	Winifred C. Averill	"	6.00	6.00
6	Ethel A. Skeels	"	18.00	18.00
7	Harry D. Braman	"	38.52	38.52
8	James Burns	"	25.00	25.00
9	Harlow Verdee	"	25.00	25.00
10	O. Clate Silver	"	25.20	25.20
11	Jay Whittaker	"	6.00	6.00
12	Thomas J. O'Keefe	"	6.00	6.00

13	Charles R. Harrison	"	31.76	31.76
14	C. Henry Harrison	"	25.00	25.00
15	Kingsley F. Young	"	25.00	25.00
16	Charles Woodworth	"	31.76	31.76
17	J. F. Lines	Inspecting Voting Machines	6.00	6.00
18	W. A. Cady	"	6.00	6.00
19	Adam Ziegler	Rent - Polling Place	48.00	48.00
20	O. J. Garlock Company	" & Storage	50.00	50.00
21	George Tripp	Moving Voting Machines	12.00	12.00
22	Levi Haak	Old Cemetery Care	5.00	5.00
23	Kingsley F. Young	"	5.00	5.00
24	T. L. Cook	Assessor	320.00	320.00
25	F. J. Boutall	"	360.00	360.00
26	C. Belty	"	344.00	344.00
27	O. McPherson	Vital Statistics	2.50	2.50
28	L. H. Smith	"	7.50	7.50
29	C. C. Nesbitt	"	4.25	4.25
30	H. L. Chase	"	4.75	4.75
31	Reuben A. Reeves	"	10.85	10.85
32	Reuben A. Reeves	Health Officer	195.01	195.01
33	S. E. Braman	Insurance	56.40	56.40
34	Anna F. Jackson	"	15.62	15.62
35	A. R. Knapp & Son	"	56.20	56.20
36	Smith & Ziegler	Supplies	17.30	17.30
37	Story Dry Goods Co.	Flag - Polling Place	1.48	1.48
38	Palmyra Printing Co.	Printing & Advertising	20.45	18.55
39	Courier Publishing Co.	"	35.20	35.20
40.	C. C. Nesbitt	Medical Services - Police Dept.	5.00	5.00
41	C. C. Nesbitt	" "	4.00	4.00
42	L. H. Smith	" "	5.00	5.00
43	H. G. Hilborn	Police Services & Meals	52.00	52.00
44	H. G. Hilborn	"	73.75	73.75
45	H. G. Hilborn	"	28.65	28.65
46	G. G. Throop	"	51.40	51.40
47	W. H. Dennis	"	16.95	16.95
48	Village of Palmyra	Rent - Justice Room & Polling Places	150.00	150.00
49	A. C. Hopkins	Overseer of the Poor	300.00	300.00
50	G. S. Tinklepaugh	Legal Services	140.00	140.00
51	Alvin & LaRue	Labor & Material	15.38	15.38
52	Williamson Law Book Co.	Supplies	34.12	34.12
53	W. Ray Converse	Police Justice Fees	220.65	220.65
54	H. L. Averill	Vital Statistics	34.00	34.00
55	W. H. Chapman	Justice of the Peace	108.00	108.00
56	W. E. Spier	"	68.00	68.00
57	K. F. Young	"	64.00	64.00
58	H. L. Averill	Town Clerk	599.00	599.00

59	L. C. Ziegler	Justice of the Peace	139.65	139.65
60	George S. Johnson	Board Meetings	64.00	64.00
61	George S. Johnson	Supervisor	254.33	255.33
62	L. C. Ziegler	Justice of the Peace	<u>42.40</u>	<u>42.40</u>
	Total Amount of Audits Claimed		\$5447.54	5441.64

The Clerk was instructed to draw orders for the above audits.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

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Highway Superintendent Young was present at the meeting and reported that he had had the highway bridge over the Ganargua Creek near the NY Central Station at East Palmyra examined by one of the State's experts. He stated that the bridge could be repaired and put in a perfectly safe condition for the amount stated in the Superintendent's estimate at \$3000.

The question of purchasing a Ford business wagon for the use of the Superintendent on road work was discussed at length, and a resolution was passed authorizing the Auditing Committee consisting of Mr. Ziegler and Mr. Chapman to investigate the matter further and giving the committee power to act.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Meeting of the Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday, December 1, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The matter of legally appointed physicians to act in Town poor matters was discussed at length. A resolution was passed appointing the following physicians to have power to act in emergency poor cases: L. H. Smith, H. L. Chase, C. C. Nesbitt, R. A. Reeves, and D. McPherson.

The above named physicians were asked to come before the Board so that the question of proper care for poor people in emergency cases could be handled according to the existing laws, and could be discussed so that the laws and regulations could be better understood.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Young and seconded by Mr. Ziegler was adopted: Resolved that under Section 12 of Chapter 46 of the law of 1909, and any laws amendatory as supplemental thereto, the Overseer of the Poor of the Town of Palmyra is hereby authorized to furnish temporary or outdoor relief for the relief of any person or

family within such town, a sum not to exceed the sum of \$50.00 (fifty dollars) in any one year. Any amount expended over and above such sum for any person or family for temporary or outdoor relief in such town can only be furnished upon the written order of the Supervisor of such town.

The application of James Crawford to construct and maintain a scale within the lines of the highway near the Goldsmith Malt House property near Port Gibson was investigated and discussed at length. The following resolution offered by Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Chapman, was adopted: Resolved that a license be and is hereby granted to James Crawford to construct and maintain a scale within the lines of the highway known as the Goldsmith Road in the Town of Palmyra, NY, at a point in said highway near the Goldsmith Malt House, north of Port Gibson. This license is granted upon the following terms and condition, viz:

1. Said scales shall be constructed and maintained at such a place and in such a way and manner as shall be approved by the Town Superintendent of Highways
2. Said scales shall be constructed and maintained so as not to interfere with the public use of such highway. In the event of a change of grade or other alteration of said high, said scales shall be moved or altered when and as directed by the Town Superintendent and at the expense of the licensee.
3. A sluice shall be constructed under the approaches to said scales by the town superintendent and the expense thereof shall be paid by said licensee. Said sluice shall be at all times maintained and kept in repair by said licensee.
4. Said licensee shall protect and save harmless the Town of Palmyra and its officers from all claims of every kind arising or growing out of the construction or maintenance of said scales.
5. This license shall not become effective until said licensee shall file with the Clerk a written acceptance of the terms thereof.

Edward Jeffery appeared before the Board with a verbal claim for payment of a certain sum of money in addition to the amount already paid him for gravel. After the matter had been discussed at length, a resolution offered by Mr. Averill and seconded by Mr. Spire, was passed giving Mr. Jeffery the sum of \$68.00, providing he would sign a receipt in full for all gravel, sand, and dirt taken from his pit by the Town of Palmyra to this date, with instructions to the Supervisor to draw the check for the same of these terms and conditions were accepted.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill

Town Board meeting was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Saturday, December 9, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, and W.

E. Spire, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Chapman, the following resolution was passed: Resolved that the Supervisor is hereby empowered to transfer the sum of \$6000 from the General Town Fund and place to the credit of Item I, General Highway Fund for 320A construction.

The Auditing Committee reported that they had purchased from the U. U. Sherburne Agency a second roadster with a special business body for use on the highway. The cost of the car was \$417.50, which includes a self- starter, demountable (?), and a toolbox.

The Supervisor reported that Edward Jeffery, who appeared before the Board at the last meeting asking for an additional payment for gravel, had accepted the terms made by the Board by a resolution at a previous meeting, and that he had drawn the check in the sum of \$68.00 in full settlement of his claim.

Mr. Young, the Town superintendent was present and reports that he had just about completed the highway work for the 1922 and that he was now having the machinery and tools moved to the town house for winter storage.

The Auditing Committee reported that they had investigated the subject of suitable housing for the machinery for the winter and that there would not be room for all of the machinery to be housed in the town house, so they had rented the Sherman (?) Shop on Fayette Street.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk

Annual meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Clerk's Office on Thursday, December 28, 1922. Present: George S. Johnson, Supervisor; L. C. Ziegler, W. H. Chapman, W. E. Spire, and K. F. Young, Justices; and H. L. Averill, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Mr. Johnson, and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A. C. Hopkins, Overseer of the Poor, submitted his annual report of receipts and expenditures for 1922, and the same was examined and found to be correct. On resolution introduced by Mr. Chapman, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, the report was accepted and placed on file. The report showed the following receipts and disbursements:

Receipts, including Balance on Hand, January 1, 1922 of \$17.18	\$1216.54
Expenditures	<u>1197.13</u>
Balance on Hand, December 28	\$ 18.51

Supervisor Johnson submitted his annual report and books. The same were examined and found to be correct. On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Chapman, the report was accepted, adopted, and ordered placed on file. the reported showed the following balances;

General Highway Fund	4514.07
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Bridge Fund	2805.55
Machinery Fund	-0-
Snow & Miscellaneous	1294.94

Town Clerk, H. L. Averill, submitted his annual report showing monies and fees for 1922. The same was examined and found to be correct. On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, the same was audited, adopted, and ordered placed on file. The report follows:

Hunting Licenses			
Resident Licenses	304	290.80	
Non-Resident	1	10.00	
Spoiled Licenses	3		
	Sent to County Clerk	\$300.80	
Dog Licenses			
1922	285	636.00	
1921-22	7	14.00	
Lost Tags	5		
	Sent to County Treasurer	650.00	
3 Summons		5.80	
	Sent to County Clerk	5.80	
Marriages			
21 Licenses		21.00	
	Sent to County Clerk	21.00	

Kingsley F. Young, Justice of the Peace, reported that he had collected no fines during 1922.

William H. Chapman, Justice of the Peace, reported that he had collected no fines during 1922.

W. E. Spire, Justice of the Peace, reported that he had collected no fines during 1922.

Louis C. Ziegler submitted his annual report as Justice of the Peace. The report was compared with the docket and found to be correct. On motion of Mr. Averill, seconded by Mr. Chapman, the report was accepted, adopted, and ordered placed on file. The report follows:

Fines Received	April 13	Sulli	5.00
	May 11	Betz	5.00
	May 24	Jones	2.00
	June 3	Cocayne	5.00
	"	Brown	5.00
	June 25	Brizbe	5.00
	"	Johncox	10.00
	Sept. 21	Page	2.00
	" 26	Milliman	5.00

October 26	DeLange	10.00
December 8	Yeoman	<u>5.00</u>
		64.00 (sic)

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Chapman, a resolution was passed authorizing the supervisor to transfer the sum of \$1256.90 from the Bridge Fund to the Machinery Fund.

No further business appearing the meeting adjourned. H. L. Averill, Clerk