

Town of Palmyra Minutes – 1934

Adjourned meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday, January 5, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supervisor Young submitted his annual report; and on motion duly made and seconded, same was approved and place on file. The report follows:

Annual Report of Sanford M. Young, Supervisor, Town of Palmyra, December 30, 1933

General Town Fund

Balance on Hand, January 1, 1933	\$11,366.79	
Corporate Tax Received	2,622.79	
Income Tax Received	797.33	
Dog Tax Received	297.67	
S. L. Knapp Insurance Rebate	24.43	
Welfare Refunds	1,961.47	
Beer Tax	1,335.93	
Mortgage Tax	459.18	\$18,865
Expenditures		
Town Board – Rent of Rooms	450.00	
Office and Other Expense	124.03	574.03
Town Attorney		343.50
Publishing Reports	29.70	
Assessment Notices	12.20	
Voting Notices	12.00	
Auditing Notices	2.55	56.45
Supervisor, per diem	76.00	
% on monies expended	249.69	
Office Supplies	23.15	348.84
Town Clerk, per diem	71.00	
Election Officer	250.00	
Office Expenses	68.26	389.26
Justice of the Peace, per diem	248.00	
Office Expenses	44.14	292.14
Assessors		1,038.00
Elections Compensation	843.92	
Rent of Polling Places	128.00	
Elections Supplies	4.09	

Ballot Boxes, Labor, etc.	30.98	
Electricity – District No. 5	3.33	\$1,010.32
Fire Insurance	197.64	
Compensation	783.86	
Surety	281.58	
Property Damage	164.75	
Liability	362.00	
Wind Storm	4.00	
Public Liability	346.13	2,139.98
Protection of Property - Fees Criminal Proceedings	111.10	
Mileage	47.76	
Meals	9.05	
Medical Examinations	5.00	172.91
Conservation of Health – Health Officer’s Salary	244.35	
Expenses	11.57	
Bismuth Treatment	42.00	307.92
Registrar of Vital Statistics – Doctors’ Fees	11.25	
Registrar Fees	45.50	56.75
Soldiers and Veterans Relief – James R. Hickey Post		200.00
Charities & Public Welfare – Welfare Officer’s Compensation	926.00	
Expenses	138.98	1,064.90
Attendance Officer – Compensation		150.00
Memorial Day		75.00
Old Cemeteries		10.00
Total of General Town Expenses		\$8,220.00
Welfare Relief		2,502.74
TERA Relief		<u>5,746.84</u>
Balance		16,469.58
December 30, 1933		2,396.01
Detail of Welfare Relief – Coal and Wood	316.53	
Meat and Groceries	3,647.58	
Meals for Tramps	16.90	
Rent	2,269.89	
Milk	493.79	

	Clothing	174.93	
	School Books	60.23	
	Shoes and Rubbers	218.13	
	Medicine and Drugs	168.10	
	Funeral Expenses	369.00	
	Doctor Services	556.50	8,249.50
	General Highway Fund		
	Balance January 1, 1933	12,862.16	
	Tax Collected	4,000.00	
	State aid Received	2,502.50	19,364.66
	Disbursed for General Repairs	4,582.35	
	Work Relief	1,737.03	
	Materials and Supplies	5,455.36	11,774.74
	Balance		7,589.92
	Bridge Fund		
	Balance January 1, 1933	3,686.67	
	Bridge Material	147.12	
	Balance		3,539.55
	Machinery Fund		
	Balance, January 1, 1933	784.20	
	Tax Collected	8,000.00	
	Machinery Rentals	264.84	9,049.04
	Disbursed for Machinery Payments	2,907.50	
	Interest Payments	259.21	
	Supplies and Repairs	4,767.28	7,934.19
	Balance		1,114.85
	Snow and Miscellaneous Funds		
	Balance, January 1, 1933	67.43	
	Tax Collected	6,000.00	
	Village Interest	3.75	6,071.18
	Disbursed for Snow Removal	1,240.65	
	Brush and Weeds	875.70	
	Miscellaneous Expense	282.82	
	Superintendent's Salary	2,156.00	
	Superintendent's Expenses	35.52	
	Supervisor's Salary	500.00	
	Town Clerk's Salary	150.00	5,240.69
	Balance		830.49
	School Fund		
	Received from State	7,838.43	
	Paid to Four Districts	7,838.43	
	Balance		-0-

Bank Balances, December 30, 1933				
		Checks Outstanding		Book Balance
General Highway Fund	7,650.97	(1)	61.05	7,589.92
Bridge Fund	3,539.55			3,539.55
Machinery Fund	1,159.99	(1)	45.14	1,114.85
Snow and Miscellaneous	830.49			830.49
	13,181.00		106.19	13,074.81
General Town Fund	2617.59	(15)	21.58	2,396.01
Totals	\$15,798.59		327.77	15,470.82

Report of Welfare Officer Ralph H. Morhous was read, approved, and placed on file. The report follows. To the Town Board: The following is my report for 1933, ending December 1st. During the year I have cared for 87 cases and about 12 County cases. The Town cases have been composed of 216 adults and 146 children under 16 years. I have drawn orders for \$8,676.93 divided as follows: Food \$4410.06; Rent \$2587.93; Fuel \$325.20; Medical Care \$657.74; Clothing \$333.75; Miscellaneous \$368.20. This does not include money paid outside towns and counties for care of our cases. My salary, travel, and office expenses were \$1064.90, making a grand total of \$9741.83.

Since February 1, 1933, we have been under TERA; and a large portion of the outside relief has been refunded at the rate of 40%.

Justice of Peace Louis C. Ziegler submitted his annual report, which was read, approved, and placed on file. The report follows: The Honorable Town Board of Palmyra, NY
Gentlemen: I hereby submit my annual report of monies received by me during 1933 as follows:

Total amount received	\$319.00
Paid to the Village of Palmyra	233.00
Paid to the NYS	51.00

There is a balance of \$35.00 remaining in my hands. This amount represents partial payments of fines imposed and will be paid to the proper authorities as soon as complete payments are made or as soon as or if they are found uncollectible. All of these items are shown in my criminal docket. Efforts are being made to enforce collections

The Board re-approved 13 surety bonds of Town Officers as adopted on December 28, 1933. All appointments made December 28th were re-approved.

Mr. Ziegler moved that Harry E. Williamson be re-appointed Vital Statistics Registrar for the town of Palmyra, term of office ending December 31, 1937. Motion was seconded by Mr. Young and duly carried.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:	Henry E. Mitchell	\$52.65
	S. E. Braman	241.08
	Ralph H. Morhous	83.32
	Smith and Ziegler	3.45

No further business, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town clerk's Office on Friday, January 12 at 2 p.m. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Louis C. Ziegler, Kingsley F. Young, Joseph N. Sawyer, and Jacob W. Crookston, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bill was read, approved, and ordered paid: Palmyra Courier Printing \$19.50

Highway Superintendent DeBrine appeared before the Board and recommended the repair of County Highway North Creek Road and Hall Road, which was discussed. It was decided to widen approach, and work will start as soon as possible.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday, February 9th, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Louis C. Ziegler, Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, and Jacob Crookston, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Town Clerk. Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution was unanimously passed: It being brought to the attention of this Board that there is a probability of the continuance of Civil Works Projects being carried on within our township during 1934, and that certain costs of these projects will have to be borne by this town for machinery, tools, and materials, as only labor will be paid by Civil Works Administration. Therefore, be it resolved that we, the Palmyra Town Board, appropriate the necessary monies to pay out cost as approved by the State Civil Works Administration Board on these projects.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

R. H. Morhous	Welfare Officer Salary and Expenses	\$89.09
H. L. Averill	1/2 Telephone 302 - Three Months	6.20
Florence F. Griffin	Attendance Officer Salary - Three Months	37.50
Dr. G. L. Watters	Testing Cattle	5.00

No further business, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday, March 9, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Kingsley F. Young, Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis C. Ziegler, and Jacob W. Crookston, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Wayne Coal & Lumber Company	\$6.12
Henry E. Mitchell	5.00
Gomer T. Johns	80.00
Spencer L. Knapp	94.28

R. H. Morhous	132.37
Dr. G. L. Watters	5.00
Palmyra Hardware	9.51

Resolution No. 16 was read and placed on file: Whereas pursuant to Subdivision 3, Section 25 of the Public Welfare Law, County of Wayne, constituting a County Public Welfare District, is responsible for the expense of providing all relief and care for persons having a settlement in any town of said county for which any such town is not responsible under the provisions of Subdivision 1 of said Section 25 where the person receiving such aid has a settlement in such town, but does not reside therein, it is resolved that pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of the Public Welfare Law, this Board of Supervisor by a majority vote thereof hereby directs that the cost of any and all types of relief and care of persons having a settlement in a town of this county and paid for by the Wayne county Public Welfare District under the provisions of Subdivision 3 of Section 25 of the Public Welfare Law shall be charged back to the town in which the person receiving such relief and care has a settlement; and it is further resolved that the Clerk of the Board be directed to send a certified copy of this resolution to the Town Clerk of each town of Wayne County.

The following resolution was duly adopted: Resolved that we set the salary of Welfare Officer Morhous at \$75.00 per month plus \$25.00 per month for use and cost of operating his automobile. The said allowance of \$25.00 per month shall cover all automobile expense to the Town of Palmyra.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Special meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Monday, March 19th, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Kingsley F. Young, Jacob W. Crookston, Louis C. Ziegler, and Joseph N. Sawyer, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Town Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the following resolution was unanimously passed: resolved that we purchase from George D. Case and Company of Horseheads, NY, one Horton used 1/2-yard gasoline shovel for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00). The same to be delivered unloaded on our property at Palmyra, NY, terms of same to be cash in full on delivery.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Monday, April 16, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:	Palmyra Courier Company, Inc.	\$49.50
	Palmyra Courier Company, Inc.	13.50
	S. E. Braman	172.00
	Spencer L. Knapp	96.00

Henry E. Mitchell	41.75
Ralph H. Morhous	106.24

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Ziegler and duly adopted: Resolved that this Palmyra Town Board, pursuant to the provisions of Section 10 of Chapter 789 of the 1931 laws, as amended by Chapter 259 of the 1933 laws, hereby appropriates and makes available the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000.00) to pay the said town's share of work relief on any work project set up in the town on or after April 1st, 1934, pursuant to the Temporary Emergency Relief Administration.

And it is further resolved that this Board hereby authorizes and empowers S. E. Wood, County Treasurer of Wayne County, as the disbursing officer of Wayne County TERA to pay the Town of Palmyra's share of the cost of any such work project in the manner provided by the TERA. And to the amount properly chargeable to said town with funds appropriated by the Board of Supervisors of Wayne County, all of which payments to the amount hereby appropriated shall be on the credit of the Town of Palmyra.

And it is further resolved that the amount so paid and advanced by the County of Wayne together with interest thereon shall be a charge against the Town of Palmyra. The Board of Supervisors of Wayne County as authorized by said Section 10 of Chapter 789 of the 1931 laws as so amended are hereby directed to levy in the next county tax levy, a tax on the taxable property within the Town of Palmyra an amount sufficient to reimburse the County of Wayne for the amount so paid and advanced together with interest thereon, except that said town hereby reserves the right to pay from time to time from funds on hand available for work or home relief any part of the amount so paid and advanced together with interest thereon, in which event the amount of the tax to be so levied shall be only the balance of the amount so advanced with interest thereon.

And it is further resolved that the Palmyra Town Clerk deliver to the Wayne County Treasurer a certified copy of this resolution.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on May 11, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Anna F. Jackson		\$34.50
Harry L. Averill	½ Telephone – 3 months	8.85
Florence F. Griffin	Attendance Officer Salary	37.50
Williamson Law Book Co.		3.50
Stalker Legal Supply Company		4.00
Henry E. Mitchell		87.35

Ralph H. Morhous

111.88

On motion of Mr. Louis c. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Jacob Crookston, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved that the Wayne County Trust Company Bank of Palmyra be, and the same hereby is designated as depository for all monies coming into the hands of Supervisor of the Town of Palmyra, Wayne County, NY.

And be it further resolved that this designation shall continue in effect until revoked by action of said Town Board.

Superintendent of Highway DeBrine presented the highway agreement, and the following Schedule of Expenditures was approved:

	Receipts		
Balance, Highway Fund		\$7589.92	
Town Highway Tax Levied		4000.00	
State Aid to be Received		2145.00	\$13,734.92
	Expenditures		
Average per mile \$125.00 for 57 miles		7125.00	
Reserve Fund		5188.95	
Payment of Orders No. 1-10, included		1420.97	\$13,734.92

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on June 15, 1934, at 7:30 p.m. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bill was audited and ordered paid: Ralph H. Morhous Salary & Expense \$109.19

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on July 16, 1934, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Jacob W. Crookston, Louis C. Ziegler, and Kingsley F. Young, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Dr. R. A. Reeves	\$17.30
Harry E. Williamson Postage	22.52
R. H. Morhous	106.42
James R. Hickey Post	75.00
Henry E. Mitchell	1.20
S. L. Knapp	42.05
S. E. Braman Agency	473.89
Dr. James C. Tyner	2.00

On motion of Mr. Joseph Sawyer, Superintendent DeBrine be authorized to purchase a Ford truck with hoist and body complete for town purposes. The same to be paid from tax monies received in 1935. Resolution was seconded by Jacob Crookston and duly carried.

The following resolution offered by Mr. Louis c. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Kingsley F. Young was duly carried: Resolved that in accordance with the provisions of the Education Law, Florence F. Griffin is hereby appointed Attendance Officer for the schools of the Town of Palmyra outside District No. 1 at an annual salary of \$150.00, payable quarterly.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, August 10, 1934, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

R. H. Morhous		\$110,98
Clarence C. Nesbitt		2.00
H. L. Averill	1/2 Telephone - 3 months	6.20
Florence F. Griffin	Attendance Officer	37.50

The following resolution was read and placed on file: Resolution No. 57

HOSPITALIZATION CASES TO BE CHARGED BACK TO TOWN

Whereas by Subdivision 3 of Section 25 of the Public Welfare Law, it is provided that the cost of all hospital care furnished pursuant to said law to persons having a settlement in a town within a county shall be a charge against the County Welfare District, unless pursuant to regulations established by the Board of Supervisors, same is charged back to the town where said persons have such settlement.

Now therefore it is resolved that pursuant to Section 26 of the Public Welfare Law, the cost of all such hospital care furnished to persons having a settlement in a town in Wayne County and administered by County Welfare Commissioner, under the provisions of subdivision 3 of Section 25 of said Public Welfare Law shall be charged back to the town where the persons receiving same have a settlement and the amount thereof remaining unpaid by any town so charged therewith shall be included in each annual tax levy of such town in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected therein.

And it is further resolved that the Clerk of this Board be, and he is hereby directed to mail a certified copy of this resolution to the Town Clerk of each town in the County of Wayne. Mr. Baker moved the adoption of the resolution.

On motion of Mr. Huckle, the resolution was laid on the table, and the Clerk of the Board requested to send a copy of the proposed resolution to the Town Clerk of each town in the county.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, September 14, 1934, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, Jacob W. Crookston, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:	Palmyra Courier Co., Inc.	\$30.00
	R. H. Morhous	106.99
	Wayne County Trust Company	3.30
	Smith and Ziegler	5.60

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, October 12, 1934, at seven-thirty o'clock. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Jacob W. Crookston, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:	Ralph Morhous	\$111.67
	Dennis and Company	6.64
	Frank Boutall	324.00
	Orie Tack	324.00
	Henry E. Mitchell	354.00

The Town Board and the Town Superintendent of Highways made their annual inspection of the town highways on this date.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

A special meeting of the Palmyra Town board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Thursday evening, October 25th, 1934, at seven o'clock. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, L. C. Ziegler, and Jacob W. Crookston, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. Meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young.

A resolution was unanimously passed authorizing the proper officials to purchase necessary land for highway purposes required to connect the Creek Road with the Palmyra-Marion State Highway for a sum a sum not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Annual meeting of the Palmyra Town Board (Auditing Day) was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Thursday, November 8, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Jacob W. Crookston, Kingsley F. Young, and Louis C. Ziegler, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Welfare Officer Morhous appeared before the Board and recommended that his office be moved to 110 Market Street, which was approved by the Board.

Meeting adjourned to Friday at 2 p.m. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Board re-convened on Friday at 2 p.m. Present: Sanford M Young, supervisor; Louis C. Ziegler, Joseph N. Sawyer, Jacob W. Crookston, and Kingsley F. Young, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Kingsley F. Young, and duly adopted a resolution fixing the salary of Town Superintendent of Highways at \$7.00 per day for 1935.

On motion of Mr. Sawyer, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, a resolution was duly adopted fixing the allowance of the supervisor under the Highway Law at \$500.00 and the Town Clerk \$150.00 per year for 1935.

On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, a resolution passed fixing the allowance of the Town Clerk under the Election Law at \$250.00 for 1935.

Town superintendent of Highways DeBrine was present at the meeting and submitted his estimate. It was adopted as follows:

	Item One	
General Repairs		\$8000.00
	Item Two	
Bridge		-0-
	Item Three	
Machinery		8000.00
	Item Four	
Miscellaneous		6000.00

A resolution authorizing the supervisor to transfer \$1000.00 from the Bridge fund to the Machinery Fund was duly adopted.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

James R. Hickey Post	\$200.00
Levi Haak, Sr.	5.00
R. H. Morhous	104.59
Sanford M. Young	210.71
Sanford M. Young	75.00
Spencer L. Knapp	64.24
Louis C. Ziegler	6.00
Joseph N. Sawyer	76.00

Jacob W. Brookston	68.00
Kingsley f. Young	76.00
Louis c. Ziegler	94.00
Palmyra Hardware	6.05
Harold Bump	5.00
M. Story Dry Goods Company	2.50
Dr. R. A. Reeves	259.40
Louis C. Ziegler	6.00
Fred Smith	6.00
U. W. Sherburne	40.00
Anna F. Jackson	25.00
Otto W. Kirchhoff	25.00
George A. Tuttle	37.40
Julius W. Phelps	25.00
Russell H. fish	37.40
Bernadine Storms	25.00
Florence C. Palmer	25.00
Della B. Gratton	25.00
Howard T. Jeffery	13.00
Hazel B. Jeffery	12.00
Helen W. Hughes	25.00
Harry G. Chapman	37.40
Harry D. Braman	19.00
Harlow Veeder	31.26
Frank C. Hammond	31.20
O. D. Chapman	6.00
Paul E. Goodenow	25.00
Belle Beck	25.00
A. B. Lewen	25.00
Gertrude VanPouche	25.00
Leon R. Stearns	31.20
Kingsley F. Young	31.20
John Ziegler	48.00
Kingsley F. Young	5.00
Stalker Legal Supply Co.	3.00
George S. Tinklepaugh	50.00
James D. Tyner	2.00
Bostitch Sales Company	5.50
Smith and Ziegler	6.83
Harry E. Williamson	3.21
Williamson Law Book Co.	4.00
Village of Palmyra	250.00
Wayne County Trust Co.	200.00
Harry E. Williamson	48.00
Florence F. Griffin	37.50
Harry L. Averill	6.20

Empire Gas & Electric Co.	3.24
Palmyra Courier Company	17.40
Dennis and Company	3.50
Dr. D. Sterndale Bennett	3.75
Ellison Woodworth	4.76

The following resolution was duly adopted: Resolved that the Wayne County Trust Company is the depository of all town funds.

Welfare Officer Morhous appeared before the board and submitted his itemized estimate of the amount of money needed for welfare work for the ensuing year as follows:

To the Palmyra Town Board, Wayne County, NY Pursuant to the provisions of Section 44 of the Public Welfare Law, I hereby submit the following itemized estimate of the amount of money needed for the ensuing year for administration, public relief, and care:

Town Welfare Officer Compensation, Expenses, and Care	\$1500.00	
Relief and Care: Food and Clothing	4500.00	
Fuel	1200.00	
Rent	1600.00	
Medical Care	1000.00	
Total for Ensuing Year		9800.00
For payment of certificates of indebtedness issued on account of public relief and care for 1934 and unpaid relief and care orders for 1934		-0-

Dated at the Town of Palmyra, NY, this 9th day of November, 1934.

R. H. Morhous
Welfare Officer
Town of Palmyra, NY

Whereas Ralph H. Morhous, Palmyra Town Welfare Officer, Wayne County, NY, has filed with this Board his estimate of the amount of money needed for the ensuing year for administration, public relief, and care, and for any indebtedness incurred on account of such relief and care for 1934. A copy of which estimate is hereto attached; the undersigned consisting a majority of the Palmyra Town Board, pursuant to Section 44 of the Public Welfare Law, estimate the amount for such purposes necessary to be raised by tax to be the sum of \$8000.00. We include such amount in the list or abstract to be submitted to the Board of Supervisors as provided by the Town Law. Dated November 9, 1934

Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Harry E.
Harry E. Williamson, Town Clerk
Jacob W. Crookston, Joseph N. Sawyer
Louis C. Ziegler, and Kingsley F. Young, Justices

A petition of Town of Palmyra residents to the Town Board for diversion of Pleasant Street to connect with the new Marion Road was received and ordered placed on the table for future use.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, December 14, 1934, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Louis C. Ziegler, Joseph N. Sawyer, Jacob W. Crookston, and Kingsley F. Young, Justices; and Florence F. Griffin,

Deputy Town Clerk, acting in absence of Harry E. Williamson. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved by the Board.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

Empire Gas & Electric Company	\$1.50
Charles McClelland	3.50
Ralph H. Morhous	120.81
Harry E. Mitchell	164.54
W. Ray Converse	200.00
Williamson Law Book Co.	1.50
H. T. Lambright	5.40
Dr. D. Sterndale Bennett	28.00
David Lee	569.91

The following letter from NY Central Railroad Company Engineer of Grade Crossings was read and placed on file:

466 Lexington Avenue, NY
December 6, 1934

Honorable Sanford M. Young, Supervisor
Town of Palmyra, Palmyra, NY

Dear Sir: Your letter of November 28th addressed to our Division Engineer, Mr. Winchester, at Syracuse, concerning the elimination of Railroad Avenue grade crossings at Palmyra has been referred to me. Under date of November 30, 1931, I addressed a communication to Mr. L. r. Barnes, you County superintendent of Highways, advising him that it would be unsatisfactory to install lighting facilities on the bridge eliminating the grade crossings after the erection of the bridge and that provision should be made for such lighting in designing the structure if lights were required. We further informed him that we had no objection to permitting the municipalities to install cables in conduits and erect the lighting standards if provision was made for the necessary conduits, junction boxes, etc. when the bridge was erected and that we would expect the municipalities to pay for any additional steel, concrete, etc. required to provide such facilities.

Under date of December 7th, 1931, Mr. Barnes in answer to my letter of November 30th stated that he had taken the matter up with the town officials and that they did not care to enter into an agreement whereby they would be charged around \$3,300.00 for the conduit system necessary to light the bridge. After receipt of this letter, no further consideration was given to lighting the structure.

Inasmuch as the old bridge mentioned in the last paragraph of your letter is within the limits of the Village of Palmyra, we have the matter of taking down this structure up with the village authorities. Yours truly, Grade Crossings Engineer

Mr. Ziegler offered the following resolution, which was duly seconded: Resolved that Superintendent DeBrine be instructed to take up the matter of lights on the north approach on Marion-Palmyra road with the Empire Gas and Electric company and have the cost and other details for the next meeting of this Board on December 28th and also inquire into approach signals where east Palmyra Road connects with Marion-Palmyra Road.

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Kingsley F. Young, Florence F. Griffin was re-appointed Dog Enumerator for 1935.

An Association of Towns letter was discussed and placed on the table to be taken up at the next meeting.

Mr. Ziegler brought up the matter of fireworks sale in the Town stating that an ordinance should be passed corresponding with the Village Ordinance prohibiting the sale of fireworks until July 4th. Mr. Young was instructed to take this matter up with Mr. Herrick, County Attorney.

The plans for the new East Palmyra-Marion County Highway, which will be constructed during 1935 under the direction of County Superintendent L. R. Barnes were brought to the attention of the Board by Town Superintendent of Highway James DeBrine. Superintendent DeBrine stated that the plans for the new construction would take the highway over a new right-of-way from a point just west of the bridge over the creek and continue north of the Bebb property and the old school house at the three corners, coming back on the old right-of-way at a point near the Feller property. Mr. DeBrine stated that the residents of East Palmyra were objecting to the construction of the new right-of-way, preferring that the new highway should follow the old right-of-way with changes at the present three corners at the top of the hill, which would allow for safer curves. The matter was thoroughly discussed; and on the motion of Mr. Kingsley f. Young, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, the following resolution was adopted: Resolved that it is the unanimous vote of the Palmyra Town Board that we desire the proposed construction of the East Palmyra-Marion County Highway to follow the present lines of the highway with such changes as will be required at the three corners in East Palmyra as will make easier and safer curves. We request L. R. Barnes, County superintendent of Highways, to use his best efforts to carry out the desires of this Board.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

The annual meeting of the Palmyra Town Board (Settlement Day) was held at the town clerk's Office on Friday, December 28, 1934. Present: Sanford M. Young, supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis c. Ziegler, Kingsley F. Young, and Jacob w. Crookston, Justices; and Harry e. Williamson, clerk. The meeting was called to order, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Town Clerk Harry e. Williamson submitted his report for the year showing fees on dog, hunting, and marriage licenses, and mortgages. On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, the report was approved and placed on file. The report follows:

Dog Licenses	
279 Males	\$558.00
38 Females	190.00
103 Spayed Females	206.00
2-5 Kennel Licenses	29.00
2 Transfers	
7 Lost Tags	
Sent to County Treasurer	\$983.00
Clerk's Fees @ \$.25	\$109.75

583 Hunting Licenses	\$1166.00	
Lost Buttons and Licenses	3.25	
106 Deer Licenses	106.00	
Sent to County Clerk		\$1275.25
Clerk's Fees @ \$.25		173.25

Chattels

115 Mortgages Filed @ .25	28.75	
37 Renewals “	9.25	
10 Cancellations “	2.50	
200 Conditional Sales “	50.00	
2 Renewals “	.50	
2 Cancellations “	.50	
Vital Statistics to December, 1934		
District No. 5825 (Village)		
14 Births .25		
31 Deaths		
District No. 5858		
23 Births		
17 Deaths		
48 Marriages	\$86.00	
Sent to County Clerk	43.00	
Clerk's Fees	43.00	

Health Officer Reeves' report was read; and on motion of Mr. Sawyer, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, the report was approved and placed on file. The report follows:

November 1, 1933 to November 1, 1934

- 12 Monthly Reports to C. R. Harvey District State Health Officer
- 7 Visits to Peter Smith's
- 2 Typhoid Cases - Cultures; Making out State Reports; Water Analysis
- 1 visit to Breisch Farm (not Health Officer's Job)
- 20 Visits to East Palmyra - Scarlet Fever Epidemic
- 27 Communicable disease Reports to Albany
- 5 Boarding Homes for Children Licensed
- 2 Deaths Investigated
- 5 Working Permit Examinations
- 2 Dog Bite Follow-ups
- 1 NY Central Camp Permit
- 2 New TB Cases Reported
- 2 Well Water Samples sent to Albany for Bacteriological Examinations
- 2 Nuisances Abated
- 1 Cleaned Up

I attended the State Sanitary Conference of Health Officers and Public Health Nurses at Saratoga Springs on June 25-27. There was a large registration, good program, and speakers. The

conference was educational, inspirational, and beneficial to those present from all parts of the state.

Justice of the Peace Louis C. Ziegler submitted his report, which was approved and placed on file. Mr. Ziegler submitted his 1934 Docket, which was inspected and approved. The report follows: The Honorable Palmyra, NY, Town Board December 28, 1934

The sum of \$815.00 for fines and forfeited bail was received by me in 1934. \$662.00 was paid to the Village of Palmyra; \$93.00 to the State Comptroller, and \$35 to the State Game Protection, leaving a balance of \$25.00 which is due the State Comptroller and will be forwarded to him with the regular January report.

Joseph N. Sawyer and Jacob W. Crookston reported they had no business during 1934. Kingsley F. Young reported he handled no money, and he had one case with a suspended sentence. Justice of the Peace Louis C. Ziegler submitted a bill for \$205.00, which was audited and ordered paid.

Supervisor Young submitted his annual report; and on motion, duly seconded, it was approved and placed on file. The report follows: Town of Palmyra, NY, Accounts, December 28, 1934

General Fund Balance, January 1, 1934	\$2,396.01	
Received during Year	23,750.77	\$26,146.78
Paid out for General Town Expense	10,439.02	
Welfare Expense - Local Orders	1,758.67	
Welfare Expense, TERA	8,863.43	21,061.12
Balance		\$ 5,085.66
School Fund		
Received as State Aid to Schools	1,693.02	
Disbursed to the Districts	1,693.02	
Balance		-0-
Highway General Fund		
Balance, January 1, 1934	7,589.92	
Received during Year	6,145.00	13,734.92
Disbursed on Superintendent's Orders		10,015.53
Balance		\$ 3,719.39
Machinery Fund		
Balance, January 1, 1934	1,114.85	
Received during Year	10,645.71	11,760.56
Disbursed on Superintendent's Orders		10,726.04
Balance		\$1,034.52
Snow and Miscellaneous Fund		
Balance, January 1, 1934	830.49	
Received during Year	6,263.38	7,093.87
Disbursed on Superintendent's Orders		5,917.57
Balance		\$1,176.30
Bridge Fund		
Balance, January 1, 1934	3,539.55	
Received during Year	463.63	4,003.18
Disbursed on Superintendent's Orders	488.44	

Transferred to Machinery Fund	1,000.00	1,488.44
Balance		\$2,514.74
	Balances	
	12-28-34	1- 1-34
General Town Fund	\$5,085.66	\$2,396.01
General Highway Fund	3,719.39	7,589.92
Machinery Fund	1,034.52	1,114.85
Snow and Miscellaneous Fund	1,176.30	830.49
Bridge Fund	2,514.74	3,539.55
School Fund	-0-	-0-
Totals	\$13,530.61	\$15,470.82

This is to certify that the following balances are on deposit for Sanford M. Young, Palmyra, NY, Town Supervisor on December 28th, 1934:

General Town Fund	\$5,572.26
General Highway Fund	3,719.39
Machinery Fund	1,076.11
Snow & Miscellaneous Fund	1,216.80
Bridge Fund	2,514.74

Wayne County Trust Company
Palmyra, NY
Irving L. Monroe

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

County Treasurer - TERA	\$2,498.45
County Clerk	1.50
Jeanette B. Wardlaw - Rent	40.00
Louis C. Ziegler	205.00

Superintendent DeBrine gave the following report on lighting the new bridge: Empire Gas and Electric Company will put in pole and 250-watt lamp at the north stairway for annual rental of \$55.00 per year or 100-watt for \$30.00 per year, which would require a 5-year contract. On motion, duly made and seconded, the Empire Gas and Electric company be authorized to place a 250-watt light at the north near end of bridge and one 100-watt light at first stairway on the Walker Road on a five-year contract at \$55.00 and \$30 per year.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

