

Town of Palmyra Minutes - 1937

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, January 8, 1937, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Louis C. Ziegler, Joseph N. Sawyer, and Kingsley F. Young, 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.

A motion duly made and seconded that the Palmyra Office of Union Trust Company of Rochester is the depository of all town funds.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

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| R. H. Morhous | \$136.95 |
| Smith and Ziegler | 2.10 |
| William Baxter | 4.00 |
| Dr. James D. Tyner | 18.00 |
| Lambright's | 11.45 |

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, January 29, 1937, at 8 o'clock. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Louis C. Ziegler, Jacob W. Crookston, Kingsley F. Young, and Joseph N. Sawyer, Justices. In the absence of Town Clerk Harry E. Williamson, the minutes of the meeting were taken by Supervisor Young. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Young, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

1937 Collector Bond for \$50,000.00 and the Supervisor's 1937 Highway Bond for \$26,599.59 were approved by the Board.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

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| Supervisor's New Underwood-Elliott Fisher Typewriter & Town Clerk's Typewriter Repairs | \$128.25 |
| Henry E. Mitchell Highway Bond | 53.20 |
| S. E. Braman Agency Collector Bond | 132.76 |
| M. A. Dickinson Police Service | 13.28 |
| Ralph H. Morhous Welfare Officer Salary and Expenses | 134.65 |
| George G. Throop Police Department - Serving Summons | 5.00 |
| Harry L. Averill 1/2 Telephone Rental 302 - 3 Months | 6.30 |
| Florence Griffin Attendance Officer - 3 Months Salary | 37.50 |
| Palmyra Courier Company Printing and Advertising | 58.70 |
| Harry A. Sessions Justice Court Legal Service | 20.00 |
| Dr. J. R. Hagaman Vital Statistics to Date | 16.00 |
| Dr. J. R. Hagaman Special Treatment | 24.00 |
| Dr. James D. Tyner " | 18.00 |

On motion duly made and seconded, a resolution was adopted authorizing Welfare Officer Ralph A. Morhous to attend the Welfare Officers' Meeting held at Albany started on February 22. His expense will be a town charge.

On motion duly made and seconded, a resolution was adopted authorizing Town Superintendent DeBrine and Justice of the Peace Kingsley F. Young to attend the Association of Towns meeting to be held at Albany on February 24 and 25, and their expenses to be paid by the Town.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned. (signed) Sanford M. Young, Supervisor

Meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, March 12, 1937, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | Ralph H. Morhous | \$171.25 |
| | Merle A. Dickinson | 46.15 |
| | Dr. James D. Tyner | 24.00 |
| | William Baxter | 4.00 |
| | Frank H. Cady | 7.00 |
| | Harry E. Williamson | 18.50 |
| | Spencer L. Knapp | 65.24 |
| | Williamson Law Book Company | 7.50 |
| | R. D. Fassett | 2.50 |
| | Kingsley F. Young | 30.50 |

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 Thursday evening, April 9, 1937, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | Ralph H. Morhous | \$135.55 |
| | William Baxter | 4.00 |
| | Dr. James D. Tyler | 13.00 |
| | Wallace J. Beatty | 5.00 |

Superintendent of Highways DeBrine presented the highway agreement for 1937, and the schedule of receipts and expenditures was approved:

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| Highway Fund Balance - All Other Monies | \$3077.63 | |
| Highway Tax | 8000.00 | |
| State Aid to Be Received | 2041.50 | |
| Total | | 13,119.50 |

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| Expenditures: Average per mile \$150 for 53 Miles | 7950.00 | |
| Reserve Fund | 4752.13 | |
| Payment of Order No. 1 | 417.00 | 13119.13 |

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

Meeting the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Thursday evening, May 6, 1937, at 7:30. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Kingsley F. Young, 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | Palmyra Courier Company | \$48.00 |
| | Merle A. Dickinson | 12.00 |
| | S. E. Braman Agency | 603.98 |
| | Wallace J. Beatty | 57.50 |
| | Spencer L. Knapp | 402.50 |
| | R. H. Morhous | 134.89 |
| | William Baxter | 4.00 |
| | Dr. J. R. Hagaman | 9.00 |
| | Dr. James D. Tyner | 9.00 |
| | Harry L. Averill | 6.30 |
| | Harry E. Williamson | 296.00 |
| | Florence F. Griffin | 37.50 |
| | Dorothy F. Reeves | 7.50 |

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, June 6, 1937. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Jacob W. Crookston, Joseph N. Sawyer, 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | R. H. Morhous | \$138.87 |
| | Dr. James D Tyner | 9.00 |
| | Merle A. Dickinson | 12.00 |

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, July 9, 1937. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis C. Ziegler, Jacob W. Crookston, and Kingsley F. Young, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | Williamson Law Book Company | \$18.00 |
| | Smith and Ziegler | 22.65 |

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| S. E. Braman Agency | 175.08 |
| R. H. Morhous | 137.65 |
| Dr. James D. Tyner | 5.00 |

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, Florence F. Griffin was appointed Attendance Officer for the coming year at a salary of \$150.00 paid 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 Thursday evening, August 5, 1937. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis C. Ziegler, Jacob W. Crookston, 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | James R Hickey Post 120 | \$75.00 |
| | Dr. James D. Tyner | 17.00 |
| | R. H. Morhous | 135.65 |
| | Florence F. Griffin | 37.50 |
| | Harry L. Averill | 6.30 |
| | Dr. Clair E. Troutmon | .75 |

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 10, 1937. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Joseph N. Sawyer, 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | M. A. Dickinson | \$16.61 |
| | S. L. Knapp | 12.15 |
| | Ralph H. Morhous | 136.50 |
| | Dr. James D. Tyner | 19.00 |

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

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held in the Town Clerk's Office on Friday evening, October 8, 1937. 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | James R. Bourne | \$9.84 |
| | Frank Boutall | 90.00 |
| | Orie Tack | 360.00 |

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| Henry E. Mitchell | 372.00 |
| Palmyra Courier Company | 18.70 |
| Ralph H. Morhous | 136.85 |
| Dr. James D. Tyner | 6.00 |
| Edward Thompson Company | 4.00 |
| Merle A. Dickinson | 19.95 |
| S. E. Braman | 24.91 |

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

Meeting of the Palmyra Town Board as a Board of Canvassers was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Thursday, November 4, 1937. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Kingsley F. Young, Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis C. Ziegler, and Jacob W. Crookston, Justices; and Harry E. Williamson, Clerk.

The vote for the following town officers in the General Election held on Tuesday, November 2, 1937, as taken from the Inspector's Statement of canvass is as follows:

| | Dist. No. 1 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | No. 5 | Total |
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| For Supervisor | | | | | | |
| Willis J. Chittenden - Dem. | 69 | 61 | 54 | 51 | 22 | 257 |
| Sanford M. Young - Rep. | 256 | 176 | 161 | 94 | 77 | 744 |
| | | | Young's Majority | | | 487 |
| For Town Clerk | | | | | | |
| Patrick H. Hickey - Dem. | 74 | 74 | 52 | 52 | 14 | 266 |
| Harry E. Williamson - Rep. | 236 | 170 | 169 | 92 | 83 | 750 |
| | | | Williamson's Majority | | | 484 |
| For Justice of the Peace | | | | | | |
| J. Donald Walton - Dem. | 69 | 69 | 48 | 49 | 14 | 249 |
| No Nomination - Dem. | | | | | | |
| Jacob W. Crookston - Rep. | 235 | 165 | 166 | 94 | 77 | 737 |
| Kingsley F. Young, - Rep. | 239 | 174 | 169 | 96 | 89 | 767 |
| | | | Crookston's Majority | | | 488 |
| | | | Young's Majority | | | 767 |
| For Assessor (Four Years) | | | | | | |
| Arthur J. Barnhart - Dem. | 77 | 79 | 55 | 51 | 17 | 279 |
| Frank J. Jones - Rep. | 227 | 162 | 163 | 88 | 80 | 720 |
| | | | Jones' Majority | | | 441 |
| For Assessor (Two Years) | | | | | | |
| Fairman Smith - Dem. | 78 | 71 | 51 | 48 | 17 | 265 |
| Orie Tack - Rep. | 222 | 164 | 165 | 89 | 85 | 725 |
| | | | Tack's Majority | | | 460 |
| For Town Superintendent | | | | | | |
| James DeBrine - Dem. | 62 | 67 | 49 | 45 | 16 | 239 |
| James DeBrine - Rep. | 238 | 169 | 171 | 94 | 85 | 757 |
| | | | DeBrine's Majority | | | 996 |

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| For Tax Collector | | | | | | |
| Justa W. Spier - Dem. | 59 | 62 | 44 | 38 | 12 | 215 |
| Minnie A. Crandall - Rep. | 238 | 169 | 171 | 94 | 85 | 767 |
| | | | Crandall's Majority | | | 567 |
| For School Director | | | | | | |
| Robert A. Waples - Dem. | 80 | 79 | 53 | 48 | 16 | 276 |
| Ulysses W. Sherburne - Rep. | 223 | 159 | 167 | 92 | 80 | 721 |
| | | | Sherburne's Majority | | | 445 |

In accordance with the above vote, the members of the Town Board signed the Determination and Statement. The same was placed on file in the Town Clerk's Office.

Board then adjourned to Friday, November 5, 1937, at 1 p.m. Harry E. Williamson, Clerk

Board re-convened Friday afternoon at 1 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.

Town Superintendent of Highways DeBrine was present at the meeting and submitted his estimate. The same was discussed at length, and the estimate was adopted as follows:

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| First Item: General Repairs | \$8000.00 |
| Second Item: Bridge | -0- |
| Third Item: Machinery | 8000.00 |
| Fourth Item: Miscellaneous | 6000.00 |

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Young and duly adopted, a resolution fixing the salary of Town Superintendent of Highways at \$7.00 per day for 1938.

On motion of Mr. Crookston, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, a resolution was duly made and adopted fixing the allowance of the town clerk at \$2.00 per day for each day that the Town Clerk's Office is open.

On motion of Mr. Young, seconded by Mr. Ziegler, a resolution was duly adopted fixing the allowance of each custodian of voting machines at \$30.00 for the 1938.

The Town Welfare Officer submitted the following estimate for 1938:

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| Town Welfare Officer's Compensation and Expenses | \$1800.00 |
| Relief and Care: Food and Clothing | 6000.00 |
| Fuel | 2500.00 |
| Rent | 2500.00 |
| Medical Care | 1200.00 |
| Total for Ensuing Year | \$14000.00 |
| For Payment of Indebtedness Certificates | -0- |

On motion of Mr. _____, the following resolution was offered and adopted: Whereas Ralph H. Morhous, Town of Palmyra, NY, Wayne County Welfare Officer has filed with this Board his

estimate of the amount of money needed for the ensuing year for administration, public relief, care, and paying indebtedness incurred on account of such public relief and care for the year 1937. A copy of which estimate is hereto attached. The undersigned constituting a majority of the Palmyra, NY Town Board do hereby pursuant to Section 44 of the Public Welfare Law estimate the amount for such purposes necessary to be appropriated to be the sum of \$14,000. That the Palmyra, NY, Town Supervisor be directed to transfer from time to time during the fiscal year 1938 from the General town Fund from funds now on hand monies to meet the above estimated appropriation. The said sums to be in addition to the sum of \$4000 herewith levied and assessed against the taxable property of the Town of Palmyra, and that a copy of this statement be submitted to Wayne County Board of Supervisors as provided by the Town Law.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid:

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| M. A. Dickinson | \$17.88 |
| Anna F. Jackson | 25.00 |
| Belle Beck | 25.00 |
| Wallace J. Beatty | 25.00 |
| Otto W. Kirchhoff | 38.06 |
| Walter Gorman | 6.00 |
| Paul E. Goodenow | 31.50 |
| Harry Braman | 25.50 |
| James P. Downey | 25.00 |
| Sherwood Mate | 25.00 |
| Helen W. Hughes | 25.00 |
| Howard T. Jeffery | 19.00 |
| Nellie J. Briggs | 6.00 |
| Della B. Gratton | 25.00 |
| Harry G. Chapman | 37.40 |
| Bernadine Storms | 25.00 |
| Huldah Morhous | 31.50 |
| Julius W. Phelps | 31.50 |
| Florence C. Palmer | 25.00 |
| Kingsley F. Young | 25.00 |
| Gertrude VanPouche | 25.00 |
| Leah VerGowe | 31.20 |
| Leon Stearns | 31.20 |
| Karl Ziegler | 6.00 |
| Cyril VanPouche | 6.00 |
| Harold Bump | 7.00 |
| Harry E. Williamson | 30.00 |
| Arthur Barnhart | 30.00 |
| John Ziegler | 48.00 |
| U. W. Sherburne | 40.00 |
| Village of Palmyra | 250.00 |
| Union Trust Company | 200.00 |
| James R. Hickey Post | 200.00 |
| R. A. Reeves | 252.63 |
| Harry E. Williamson | 311.00 |

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| Harry E. Williamson | 35.00 |
| Sanford M. Young | 125.45 |
| Sanford M. Young | 252.15 |
| Louis C. Ziegler | 86.00 |
| Joseph N. Sawyer | 68.00 |
| Jacob W. Crookston | 68.00 |
| Harry L. Averill | 6.95 |
| Florence F. Griffin | 37.50 |
| George S. Tinklepaugh | 75.00 |
| Palmyra Hardware | 7.88 |
| Palmyra Hardware | 3.20 |
| Williamson Law Book Co. | 1.58 |
| Kingsley F. Young | 5.00 |
| Levi Haak, Jr. | 5.00 |
| Harry E. Williamson | 24.25 |
| Louis C. Ziegler | 288.40 |
| Harry E. Williamson | 20.00 |
| Kingsley F. Young | 32.55 |
| John H. Bain | 3.50 |
| William Baxter | 4.00 |
| Ralph Morhous | 135.25 |
| Dr. James Tyner | 15.00 |
| NYS Electric & Gas Corp. | 1.00 |
| Union Trust Company | 3.80 |
| Genesee Ribbon & Carbon Co. | 4.00 |
| Lambright's | 63.05 |
| Kingsley F. Young | 90.00 |
| Association of Towns | 26.00 |
| Palmyra Courier Company | 18.15 |

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

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The following bills were audited and ordered paid: NYS Gas and Electric Corp. \$3.87
R. D. Sessions 11.25

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, Merle A. Dickinson was appointed Palmyra Town Constable to serve at the pleasure of the Board a period not to exceed one year from date.

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 afternoon, November 22, 1937. 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: Orië Tack, Assessor \$6.00
 Harry E. Mitchell, Assessor 12.00
 Williamson Law Book Co. .98

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, the following Election Inspectors were appointed for a two-year term beginning January 1, 1938, having been recommended by the county Chairman of the Democratic and Republican parties as prescribed by the Election Law:

APPOINTMENTS

| Democratic | | Republican |
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| | District No. 1 | |
| Anna F. Jackson | | Wallace Beatty |
| Belle Beck | | Otto Kirchhoff |
| | District No. 2 | |
| James P. Downey | | Harry E. Braman |
| Laul E. Goodenow | | Sherwood Mate |
| | District No. 3 | |
| Della B. Gratton | | Harry G. Chapman |
| Helen W. Hughes | | Howard Jeffery |
| | District No. 4 | |
| Julius W. Phelps | | Huldah Morhous |
| Bernadine Storms | | Florence Palmer |
| | District No. 5 | |
| Leon Stearns | | Kingsley F. Young |
| Gertrude VanPoucke | | Leah VerGowe |

EXTRA LIST - Republican

- District No. 1
- Nelson Bareham
- Russell Fish
- District No. 2
- Walter Gorman
- John Goellner
- District No. 3
- Hazel D. Jeffery
- Nellie Briggs
- District No. 4
- Roger Garrison
- Louella Pollock
- District No. 5
- Mrs. Mary Johnson

The Town Officers School of Instruction will be held in Rochester on Friday and Saturday, November 26-27. It was moved that the Town Board, Town Superintendent, and the Assessors attend; their expenses and per diem to be allowed.

On motion made by Mr. Kingsley Young, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, a resolution was offered and duly carried, that Welfare Officer be allowed an additional \$25 per month for a period of twelve months for automobile allowance.

On motion made by Mr. Crookston, seconded by Mr. Kingsley Young and duly carried, the Supervisor's salary in Item No. 4 - Highway Agreement be raised from \$500 to \$600.

On motion by Sawyer, seconded by Mr. Ziegler and duly carried, the amount allowed for board meetings was raised from \$4 to \$5 per day.

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

Regular meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Saturday, December 11, 1937, at 4 p.m. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; 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.

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| The following bills were audited and ordered paid: | S. L. Knapp | \$19.79 |
| | Henry E. Mitchell | 186.99 |
| | Wayne County | 120.29 |
| | Smith and Ziegler | 19.15 |
| | Dr. James D. Tyner | 6.00 |
| | Ralph H. Morhous | 160.75 |
| | NYS Electric and Gas | 2.70 |

On motion of Mr. Jacob W. Crookston, seconded by Mr. Joseph N. Sawyer, the following resolution was adopted and duly passed: Resolved that the Union Trust Company Bank is hereby designated to be the depository for all monies coming into the hands of the Palmyra Town Collector, Wayne County, NY.

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

On resolutions duly offered and passed, the following Constables were appointed for a term of two years beginning January 1, 1938: Fred L. Cable, Roy Pullman, and Ellison Woodworth.

On motion of Mr. Ziegler, seconded by Mr. Sawyer, Florence F. Griffin was appointed Dog Enumerator for 1938.

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 Tuesday afternoon, December 17, 1937. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Kingsley F. Young, Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis C. Ziegler, 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 surety bonds of the town Officers were signed, approved by the Justices, and filed with the County Clerk.

The following bills were audited and ordered paid: M. A. Dickinson \$11.40

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

Annual meeting of the Palmyra Town Board was held at the Town Clerk's Office on Tuesday, December 28, 1937, at 2 p.m. Present: Sanford M. Young, Supervisor; Kingsley F. Young, Joseph N. Sawyer, Louis C. Ziegler, 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.

Town Clerk Harry E. Williamson submitted his report for the year showing fees on Dog, Hunting, 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

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| 307 Males | \$614.00 |
| 41 Females | 205.00 |
| 117 Spayed Females | 234.00 |
| 2 Kennel Licenses | 20.00 |
| 5 Dogs in Kennel | 5.00 |
| 5 Transfers | |
| 0 Spoiled | |
| 11 Lost Tags | |
| 0 Dogs Seized | |

Amount Sent to County Treasurer \$1078.00

Clerk's Fees: 470 Licenses; 2 Transfers; 11 Lost Tags @ \$.25 = \$120.00

Hunting Licenses

710 Hunting Licenses
6 Spoiled

Amount Sent to County Clerk \$1420.00

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| 5 Lost Certificates | 1.25 |
| 139 Deer Licenses | 139.00 |
| 1 Spoiled | |

Total Amount Sent to County Clerk \$1560.25

Clerk's Fees: 710 License

139 Deer
5 Certificates

854 @ \$.25 = \$215.50

Chattel Mortgages

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| 143 Mortgages Filed @ \$.25 | \$35.75 |
| 24 Renewals “ | 6.00 |
| 7 Cancellations “ | 1.75 |

Conditional Sales

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| 185 Conditional Sales Filed @ .25 | 46.25 |
| 189 Conditional Sales Filed @ .50 | 94.50 |
| 2 Renewals | |
| 4 Discharges | |

Vital Statistics

| District No. 5825 – Village | District 5858 |
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| 8 Births | 12 Births |
| 25 Deaths | 12 Deaths |

Marriages

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| 36 Issued | |
| 32 Sent to State Department of Health @ \$.50 = | \$16.00 |
| Clerk's Fees @ \$1.50 | 54.00 |
| 4 to be Sent to State Department of Health with December report @ \$.50 = | \$2.00 |

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

Health Officer's Report, November 1, 1936 to November 1, 1937

- 12 Monthly Reports to State Department of Health
- 4 Quarterly Reports to State Department of Health (Typhoid Carrier)
- 4 Nuisances Inspected and Abated
- 14 Communicable Disease Reports to State Department of Health
- 2 Sudden Deaths Investigated
- 3 Tourist Camps Inspected and Licensed
- 1 Dog Bite Investigated
- 3 Visits to the Fairgrounds as Directed by the State in regard to drinking fountains and Toilets
- 1 Visit to Forman Kraut Factory on Complaint of Nuisance
- 1 Case of Indulant Fever Reported

The Town of Palmyra has been free from communicable disease epidemic the current year. The Health Officer is now the constituted agency to look up venereal disease cases and to see that every known case of gonorrhea or syphilis is being treated professionally and that means of the afflicted individual cannot afford treatment, the town shall provide it. The treatment must be continued until three or more laboratory tests are negative.

Respectfully submitted, R. A. Reeves

Supervisor Sanford M. Young submitted his annual report; and on motion duly made and seconded, it was approved and placed on file:

Town of Palmyra, NY Annual Report of Sanford M. Young, Supervisor

For Year Ending December 28, 1937

General Town Fund

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| Receipts: Balance on Hand, January 1, 1937 | | \$14,122.10 |
| Welfare Tax Collected | \$6,000.00 | |
| Welfare Refunds from Co. Treasurer | 3,287.14 | |
| Welfare Refunds from Towns | 1,195.64 | 10,482.78 |
| Beverage Tax | 7,180.78 | |
| Corporation Tax | 7,258.22 | |
| Income Tax | 2,484.04 | |
| Dog Tax | 516.75 | |
| Mortgage Tax | 183.98 | |
| Fines Received | 33.00 | |
| Returned Insurance Premium | 29.80 | 17,666.57 |
| Grand Total Receipts | | \$42,271.45 |
| Disbursements: Town Board | | |
| Rent of Board Rooms and Vault | 450.00 | |
| Office Supplies and Equipment | 58.85 | |
| Town Attorney Services | 75.00 | |
| Printing and Notices | 86.60 | |
| NYS Association of Towns Dues | 26.00 | 696.45 |
| Advertising and Notices | | 4.20 |
| Supervisor | | |
| Per Diem Compensation | 116.00 | |
| 1% Commission on Monies Disbursed | 237.15 | |
| Office Supplies and Equipment | 130.50 | |
| Expenses | 24.45 | 508.10 |
| Town Clerk | | |
| Per Diem Compensation | 607.00 | |
| Office Expense | 87.34 | 694.34 |
| Justices of the Peace | | |
| Per Diem Compensation | 312.00 | |
| Office Expense | 44.70 | |
| Other Expense | 28.40 | 385.10 |
| Assessors | | |
| Compensation | | 840.00 |
| Elections | | |
| Election Officers Compensation | 652.86 | |
| Polling Places Rent | 88.00 | |
| Supplies | 6.72 | 747.58 |
| Insurance | | |
| Fire and Theft | 683.02 | |
| Compensation | 120.29 | |
| Surety | 190.96 | |
| Liability | 805.00 | |
| Public Liability and Property Damage | 59.25 | 1,859.39 |
| Protection of Persons and Property | | |

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| Fees in Criminal Proceedings | 324.95 | |
| Mileage | 60.22 | |
| Meals | 16.05 | |
| Attorney Expense | 20.00 | |
| Stenographer Expense | 7.50 | |
| Dog Seizing and Killing | 70.00 | 498.72 |
| Conservation of Health | | |
| Health Officer's Compensation | 246.15 | |
| Expenses | 6.48 | |
| Special Treatment Required by Law | 192.00 | 444.63 |
| Registrar of Vital Statistics | | |
| Registrar's Compensation | 35.00 | |
| Physicians' Fees | 16.75 | 51.75 |
| Public Welfare Officer and Charities | | |
| Welfare Officer's Compensation | 1,525.00 | |
| Expenses | 167.75 | |
| Janitor | 24.00 | |
| Office Expense and Equipment | 102.95 | |
| WPA Sewing Project | 41.65 | 1,861.35 |
| Soldiers' and Veterans' Relief | | |
| James R. Hickey Post - Room Rental | | 200.00 |
| Attendance Officer | | 150.00 |
| Memorial Day Allowance | | 75.00 |
| Care of Old Cemeteries | | 10.00 |
| Beverage Tax | | |
| Amount Apportioned to Village of Palmyra | | <u>1,469.14</u> |
| Total of General Expense | | 10,495.75 |
| Public Relief | | |
| Coal and Wood | 1,702.59 | |
| Meat, Groceries, and Board | 3,836.28 | |
| Meals for Tramps | 7.65 | |
| Rent | 2,006.95 | |
| Milk | 719.53 | |
| Clothing | 138.05 | |
| Shoes and Rubbers | 222.53 | |
| School Books | 88.00 | |
| Medicine and Drugs | 30.10 | |
| Ambulance and Funerals | 243.00 | |
| Medical and Dental Service | 761.60 | |
| State Audit and Welfare Claims | 373.44 | |
| Welfare Office Expense | 2.15 | <u>\$10,131.87</u> |
| General and Welfare Expense Total | | 20,627.62 |
| Balance on Hand This Date | | 21,643.83 |

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| School Fund | | | |
| State Aid Received | | 1,643.54 | |
| Paid to Three Districts | | 1,643.54 | -0- |
| General Highway Fund | | | |
| Balance on Hand, January 1, 1937 | | 3,077.63 | |
| Tax Collected | | 8,000.00 | |
| State Aid Received | | 2,041.50 | |
| Road Material Sold | | 55.00 | 13,184.13 |
| General Repairs, Sluices, and Culverts | | | <u>12,111.59</u> |
| Balance on Hand, December 28, 1937 | | | 1,072.54 |
| Machinery Fund | | | |
| Balance on Hand, January 1, 1937 | | 502.02 | |
| Tax Collected | | 8,000.00 | |
| Rental of Machinery to County | | 722.55 | |
| Sale of Old Shovel | | 500.00 | |
| Local Machinery Rentals | | 2,314.57 | 12,039.14 |
| Expenditures: Purchase of Machinery | | 2,355.00 | |
| Payt. of Machinery Certificates | | 1,794.57 | |
| Machinery and Tools Repairs | | 4,591.59 | <u>8,721.06</u> |
| Balance on Hand, December 28, 1937 | | | 3,318.08 |
| Snow and Miscellaneous Fund | | | |
| Balance on Hand, January 1, 1937 | | \$902.35 | |
| Tax Collected | | 6,000.00 | |
| Received from County Snow Fund | | 801.02 | 7,703.47 |
| Disbursements: Removing Snow | | 1,622.88 | |
| Cutting Brush and Weeds | | 1,117.95 | |
| Miscellaneous Payrolls | | 772.55 | |
| Miscellaneous Expense | | 158.28 | |
| RR Avenue Bridge Lighting | | 88.44 | |
| Town Supt's Salary | | 2,170.00 | |
| " Expense | | 116.50 | |
| Supervisor's Salary | | 500.00 | <u>6,546.60</u> |
| Balance on Hand, December 28, 1937 | | | 1,156.87 |
| Bridge Fund | | | |
| Balance on Hand, January 1, 1937 | | \$1,176.29 | |
| Received from Town of Arcadia | | 101.66 | 1,277.95 |
| Cost of Repairing Bridges | | | <u>168.00</u> |
| Balance on Hand, December 28, 1937 | | | \$1,109.95 |
| Analysis of Bank Balances | | | |
| | Bank Balances | Book Balances | Book Balances |
| | 12-28-37 | 12-28-37 | 1- 1-38 |
| General Town Fund | \$21,840.31 | \$21,643.83 | \$14,122.10 |
| General Highway Fund | 1,072.54 | 1,072.54 | 3,077.63 |
| Machinery Fund | 3,318.08 | 3,318.08 | 502.02 |

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| Bridge Fund | 1,109.95 | 1,109.95 | 1,176.29 |
| School Fund | -0- | -0- | -0- |
| | \$28,497.75 | \$28301.27 | \$19,780.39 |
| Outstanding Checks | | | |
| In General Town Fund | <u>196.48</u> | | |
| | \$28,301.27 | | |
| Total Funds Handled | | Receipts | Disbursements |
| General Town Fund | | \$42,271.45 | \$20,627.62 |
| General Highway Fund | | 13,184.13 | 12,111.59 |
| Machinery Fund | | 12,039.14 | 8,721.06 |
| Bridge Fund | | 1,277.95 | 168.00 |
| Snow & Miscellaneous Fund | | 7,703.47 | 6,546.60 |
| School Fund | | 1,834.54 | 1,834.54 |
| | | 78,319.68 | 50,018.41 |
| | | <u>50,018.41</u> | |
| Balance on Hand, December 28, 1937 | | \$28,301.27 | |

All of which is respectfully submitted, Sanford M. Young, Palmyra, NY Town Supervisor

Justice of the Peace, Louis C. Ziegler, submitted his report, which was approved and placed on file. Mr. Ziegler submitted his 1937 docket, which was inspected and approved. The report follows: Honorable Town Board, Palmyra, NY Dear Sirs:

I respectfully report that I received during the year as Justice of the Peace fines in the amount of \$204--\$186 of which was paid to the State Comptroller and \$18.00 to the Village of Palmyra.

Respectfully submitted, Louis C. Ziegler, Justice of the Peace

Justice of the Peace, Kingsley F. Young, submitted his report, which was approved and placed on file. Mr. Young also submitted his 1937 docket, which was inspected and approved. The report follows: Honorable Town Board, Palmyra, NY Dear Sirs: I respectfully report that I received during the year as Justice of the Peace fines in the amount of \$78, \$60 of which was paid to Village of Palmyra, and \$18 to the State Department of Audit and Control from March 1st to December 28th. Respectfully submitted, Kingsley F. Young, Justice of the Peace

Joseph N. Sawyer and Jacob W. Crookston, Justices of the Peace, each reported no business during 1937.

Florence F. Griffin was appointed Deputy Clerk to perform all duties of the office of Town Clerk.

A motion made by Joseph N. Sawyer, seconded by Kingsley F. Young, that the Town Clerk be allowed \$2.25 per day for each day that the office is open instead of the \$2.00. Motion was duly carried.

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