

REPORT OF TOWN MEETING

March 9, 1937

The meeting was called to order at 9.20 A. M. by the Moderator, Edward B. Clark.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Arthur J. Snow.

Voted that the Polls remain open until 6 P. M. The Warrant was read by the Moderator.

TOWN WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Kingston, in the
County of Rockingham, in said State, qualified to
vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in
said Kingston on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next,
at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the
following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the
year ensuing.
2. Question—Is it expedient to revise the Constitu-
tion?
3. To raise such sums of money as may be neces-
sary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and
make appropriations of the same.
4. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid
for road construction on Crawley's Falls road. The
State will contribute \$2,348.00, the Town \$1,174.50.
5. To see if the Town will raise the sum of \$301.13,
the State will contribute \$1,204.51 (to be used on class
5 roads). (No Town may receive both class 5 and class
2 aid in the same year.)
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appro-
priate the sum of \$2,000.00 for Tarvia, to be used on
Bartlett street, Mill road, North Danville road, West
Side of Plains, Little River road, Nichol's road, and
Church street.

Art. 1. Proceeded to vote for Town Officers by Australian ballot.

Polls closed for voting by Australian ballot at 6 P.M.

Town meeting was called to order at 8 P. M. by the Moderator for the purpose of voting on the articles in the warrant.

The results of the balloting, as read by the Moderator, was as follows:

Total number of votes cast 276.

Town Clerk

Ralph H. Bake had251 votes

Selectman

George B. Stevens had239 votes

Treasurer

Z. Willis Kemp had214 votes

Tax Collector

Clinton A. Avery had153 votes

George E. Shaw had125 votes

Road Agent

Roland W. Cheney had229 votes

Auditors

Russell M. Ingalls had178 votes

Wilbur S. Clark had 38 votes

Constable

Norman H. Winslow had203 votes

Chief of Police

Harry L. Carter had230 votes

Police Officers

Gardener H. Conant had234 votes

Melvin E. Martin had228 votes

Janitor of Town Hall

E. Paul Pray had148 votes

James A. Lyford had110 votes

Trustee of Trust Fund

Annie M. Bunker had215 votes

Fire Wards

Edward B. Clark had228 votes

Frederic S. Nichols had219 votes

George B. Stevens had228 votes

Library Trustee

Christie Barrett had219 votes

Sexton of Cemetery

James A. Lyford had161 votes

Blanche M. Tucker had 96 votes

Sealer of Weights and Measures

Guy W. Warren had218 votes

Following is the Finance Committee appointed for the ensuing year:

Walter F. Whittier

Warren Tucker

Andrew J. Christie

Simeon P. Clark

G. Austin Kemp

Irving W. Nason

John Bakie

Roland W. Cheney

Harry S. Clark
Warren G. Bakie
Frederic S. Nichols

Everett Brown
Walter N. Modlich

Art. 2. Question—Will it be expedient to revise the Constitution of New Hampshire? Yes, 68. No, 123.

All but George E. Shaw, Wilbur S. Clark, James A. Lyford, Blanche M. Tucker and Guy M. Tucker, took the oath of office and were declared elected by the Moderator.

Art. 3. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$19,545.70 to defray Town charges for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. Voted that the Town accept State Aid for road construction, provided the State will permit same to be used on Chase Street. The State to contribute \$2,348.00 and the Town to contribute \$1,174.00.

Art. 5. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$301.13, the State to contribute \$1,204.51, to be used on class V road, provided that the conditions of article 4 cannot be met.

Art. 6. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 for tarvia to be used on Bartlett Street, Mill Road, No. Danville Road, West side of Plains, Little River Road, Nichols Road and Church Street.

Art. 7. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 be expended on the road from Philip Sheriden's to John Mason's.

Art. 8. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate money for the purchase of lands and building known as

the March Blacksmith Shop. Building to be moved from the premises.

Art. 9. Voted that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$180.00 for the purchase of a snow blade.

Art. 10. Voted that the Town install a street light near Frank Foster's store and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 11. Voted to pass over this article.

Art. 12. Voted that the Town authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to borrow the sum of \$14,000.00 in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 13. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to sell property at Great Pond Park, at private sale or at public auction.

Voted that the Town express its sentiment in favor of operating one hour ahead of standard time, and setting its private clocks accordingly, during the season of so-called daylight saving time.

Voted to adjourn at 9.30 P. M.

A true copy attest:

RALP H. BAKE,

Town Clerk