

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

of the

TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON

for the year

1929

Ending January 6, 1930

COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF ABINGTON
PENNSYLVANIA

Commissioners

CHARLES F. MEBUS, President
THEODORE EDWARDS, Vice-President
JOSEPH W. VANSANT ROBERT A. TUCKER
HERMAN ROLL FRANCIS WOOD
DAVID F. BENNINGHOFF WILLIAM M. BARNES
WILLIAM H. JONES EDWIN N. JOHNSON
CHARLES B. MARKS WILLIAM A. COX
H. P. ROBINSON

Secretary

E. RAYMOND AMBLER

Solicitor

HARRY S. AMBLER, JR.

Treasurer

ROBERT C. ROSS

Chief of Police

H. S. LEVER

Township Engineer

OLIVER L. KING

Plumbing Inspector

MONROE C. ROBERTS

Building Inspectors

Supervisor of Highways

PHILIP ROUSE

H. S. LEVER

GEORGE E. BLAKE

Finance Committee

EDWARDS, ROLL, BARNES

Highway Committee

MEBUS, BENNINGHOFF, ROBINSON, WOOD

Police Committee

TUCKER, COX, JONES

Fire and Light Committee

JONES, MARKS, TUCKER

Building Committee

BENNINGHOFF, JOHNSON, BARNES

Sewer Committee

ROLL, MARKS, JOHNSON

Planning and Parks Committee

COX, WOOD, ROLL

ZONING COMMISSION

David E. Greshens, *Chairman*

David F. Benninghoff

Bruce C. Wenner

William Kuhn, Jr.

M. S. Weil

BOARD OF HEALTH

Frank E. Chesterman, *President*

James B. McFarland

Stanley H. Martin

Benjamin T. Britt

C. A. Walter, M. D.

George P. Rapp, *Health Officer*

PARK COMMISSION

J. Smylie Herkness

Forrest H. Roberts

Mrs. Spencer K. Mulford, Jr.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Commissioners meet on the Second Thursday of Each Month
at 8 P. M.

The Board of Health meet on the Third Tuesday of Each Month
at 8 P. M.

CALL THE SECRETARY

For General Township Information	} Ogontz 2700
For Highway Information	
For Board of Health Information	
For Garbage Collection Complaints	

Call the Treasurer's Office for information relating to TAXES
Ogontz 2700

Office Hours 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Saturdays 9 A. M. to 12 Noon

Holidays Excepted

FOR POLICE ASSISTANCE

Call Police Department, Ogontz 2700

Office Always Open

FOR ASSISTANCE IN CASE OF FIRE

Call Ogontz 2700

The two nearest Fire Companies will proceed
immediately to the Fire

Operators at Switchboard 24 hours of the day

To the Citizens of Abington Township:

I beg to submit a brief summary of the various Township activities and the work done by the Departments and Committees during the year 1929.

Elimination of Grade Crossings

Settlement for the property damage caused by the elimination of the Easton Road Grade Crossing at Glenside was made by the County Commissioners. Abington Township's share of this expense will be about \$27,000, payment for which has not been provided.

The underpass at the North Glenside Station was completed and opened for traffic. A bill for the expense to the Township has not been received but will amount to approximately \$9,000.

The concrete bridge over Hamilton Avenue near Crestmont Station has been completed and the expense to the Township will be \$4,059.37.

An order was issued by the Public Service Commission for the widening and reconstruction of the bridge over Mill Road near Meadowbrook Station. This improvement will be completed during the year 1930. The share of this expense to the Township will be approximately \$11,000.

Parks and Play Grounds

The Special Committee appointed to purchase a tract of woodland in the Baederwood Section bought 11.616 acres on the westerly side of Highland Avenue.

The Township Park adjoining the Glenside-Weldon School property was improved to conform with the work done on the school property by being graded and having walks laid.

Zoning

The Zoning Commission presented its final report at the June 13, 1929, meeting. A public hearing, as required by law, was held by the Township Commissioners, August 2, 1929. A Special Committee of the Board was appointed to meet with the Zoning Commission for the purpose of considering all the requests made by the property owners for changes in the classification. It is expected the Ordinance will be presented for final adoption at an early date in the coming year.

House Sewers

An Agreement was entered into between the Abington Memorial Hospital and the Township for the construction of a sanitary sewer trunk line from the hospital, along Highland Avenue and Baederwood Creek, to the Jenkintown Borough Line, entirely at the expense of the hospital, the Township is to assume ownership when completed. It has been in operation since October 5, 1929.

The terms of the Agreement gives the hospital free service for its existing buildings.

An extension has been laid from Highland Avenue through private right of way to the intersection of Adams Avenue and Wynnewood Road, Abington, without any expense to the Township. This sewer, when completed, became the property of the Township. This sewer may be extended along Wynnewood Road to Susquehanna Street, thence to York Road and Highland Avenue.

New Construction

In Glenside: Mt. Carmel Avenue from 150 feet east of Easton Road to Keswick Avenue was widened from 50 feet to 70 feet, with the cartway 50 feet.

In North Glenside: A storm water sewer was constructed from Limekiln Pike eastwardly along Cricket Avenue and through private right of way to Hamel Avenue. This sewer is 850 feet long.

The following streets were improved with combined concrete curb and gutter, and asphalt macadam roadway, at the expense of the property owners.

In McKinley: West Avenue from Township Line Road to Jenkintown Road.

Haines Avenue from Township Line Road to Jenkintown Road.

In Glenside: Crescent Avenue from Abington Avenue to Pleasant Avenue.

Hillcrest Avenue from Abington Avenue to Pleasant Avenue.

In North Glenside: Hamel Avenue from Spruce Avenue to Limekiln Pike.

In Roslyn: Colonial Avenue from Brookdale Avenue to Susquehanna Street.

In Ardsley: "D" Avenue from Jefferson Avenue to Jenkintown Road was partially constructed and will be completed the early part of 1930.

New Curb and Gutter Paving

In Glenside: Combined concrete curb and gutter paving was laid on both sides of Linden Avenue from Geneva Avenue to Jenkintown Road at the expense of the abutting property owners.

New Subdivisions

The proper officers were authorized to approve the plans of the following new subdivisions:

Lorraine	15 acres
Barrowdale	16 acres
Frazier Tract	33 acres

General Highway Work

The Township Highway Department, in addition to removing ashes and keeping up the general maintenance of Highways, did the following work:

Two coat surface treatment was put on:

District 5 — Sylvania Avenue from Geneva Avenue to Wharton Road, 300 feet.

District 6 — Tennis Avenue from Spruce Avenue to Limekiln Pike, 950 feet.

The following roads were rebuilt:

District 3 — Linden Avenue from Jenkintown Road to Geneva Avenue, 1100 feet.

Districts 3 and 13 — Tyson Avenue from Mt. Carmel Avenue to Jenkintown Road, 3500 feet.

District 6—Tennis Avenue from Mt. Carmel Avenue to Limekiln Pike, 1300 ft.

Gutter:

District 1 — 1000 feet of stone gutter was laid on Cloverly Lane north from Rydal Road.

County-Aid

Our County Commissioners contributed \$25,000 toward the widening and rebuilding of Meetinghouse Road in District No. 2 from Fox Chase Road to Second Street Pike, a distance of 9500 feet. The contract for this work was awarded to the Yeo Construction Company, Inc., October 7, 1929. The work was suspended due to weather conditions and will be completed in the Spring of 1930.

Board of Health

In addition to the work done in our Plumbing Inspection and Milk Control Departments, the Health Officer has been required to investigate many nuisances and cause the abatement of same. The primary nuisance was the overflowing cesspool. The inspection of Public eating places, Soda Fountains and Drinking places, was made periodically during the year, by the Health Officer.

The Physicians reported to the Board of Health, communicable diseases as follows:

Diphtheria	1	Mumps	4
Typhoid Fever	1	Scarlet Fever	22
Erysipelas	2	Chicken Pox	49
Tuberculosis	2	Measles	79
Pneumonia	3	Whooping Cough	95

Plumbing Inspection

The Plumbing Inspector reports that examinations for registration of Master Plumbers were held. Thirty Master Plumbers made application and were granted Certificates of Registration and that during the month of December, fifty Master Plumbers renewed their Certificates for the year 1930. Twenty-one illegal installations of plumbing work were detected during the year and corrected. Two Master Plumbers were summoned before the Justice of the Peace and fine imposed upon them. Two hundred twenty-six plans were submitted, approved, filed and permits issued.

The receipts from the Plumbing Inspection are as follows:

Registration and Re-registration of Plumbers	\$1,160.00
For permits issued to Plumbers	2,364.00

Milk Control

The Milk Inspection of our Township was carried on under the Supervision of the Milk Control District of Pennsylvania No. 1. During the year the Boards of Health of Abington, Cheltenham, Springfield Townships, and the Borough of Jenkintown, contemplated the organization of the York Road Milk Control District, in anticipation that the supervision and inspection of milk sold or offered for sale in a smaller Milk Control area, would prove more satisfactory to them. Our Board of Health held several joint meetings with the Board of Commissioners for the purpose of preparing an Ordinance to govern the production and distribution of milk to be consumed by residents of our Township. It is expected that a new Ordinance will be adopted and the new Milk Control District will be organized during the early part of 1930.

The cost of our Milk Inspection during the year 1929 was \$1,435.09.

Building Inspection

The Building Committee report that during the year 1929 permits were issued for the following purposes at the attached estimated amounts.

92 Dwellings	\$1,280,425.00
151 Garages and Service Stations	71,533.00
6 Stores	32,700.00
176 Alterations, Additions and Repairs ..	127,809.00
2 Market Houses	80,000.00
2 Hosiery Mills	50,000.00
2 Real Estate Offices	3,400.00
2 Apartment Houses	90,000.00
1 Greenhouse	1,500.00
1 Church-School	28,000.00
1 Electric Sub-Station	30,000.00
2 Public Schools	276,000.00
24 Chicken Houses, Sign Boards, etc. ..	4,890.00
Total Estimated Value	\$2,076,257.00

Fire Department

The report of fires attended during 1929 by the companies of the Abington Township Fire Department, is as follows:

Abington Fire Company No. 1, Fire District No. 1, attended 56 fire calls classified as follows:

Amusement Park	1
Auto and Motor Trucks	6
Barns	6
Bridges	1
Churches	1
Club House	1
Factory	1
Fields and Underbrush	23
Garage	2
Houses	11
Office	1
Sheds	1
Telephone Poles	1

McKinley Fire Company No. 1, Fire District No. 2, attended 8 fire calls from July 12 to December 31, 1929, classified as follows:

Amusement Park	1
Barns	2
Club House	1
Field	1
Garage	1
House	1
Office	1

Edge Hill Fire Company No. 1, Fire District No. 4, attended 68 fire calls classified as follows:

Amusement Park	1
Automobile on street	1
Barns	5
Bonfires	2
Dumps and rubbish	4

EDGE HILL FIRE CO., No. 1—(Continued)

Fields	31
Gasoline tanks	2
Houses	13
Haystack	1
Public Garage	1
Stores	2
Tool sheds	3
Woods	2

Report of the Police Committee

The results of the operation of the Police Department for the year 1929 were as follows:

Reported to the Coroner, persons killed	35
Persons hurt in accidents reported to this office	292
Dangerous wires reported to the Companies	14
Trees down reported to Highway Department	3
Fire reported to Fire Companies	154
Dogs killed by Officers	200
Stolen Automobiles recovered	14
Street lights reported out	1,031
Prisoners photographed and finger prints taken	10
Value of stolen goods recovered	\$6,067

During the year 717 arrests were made and are classified as follows:

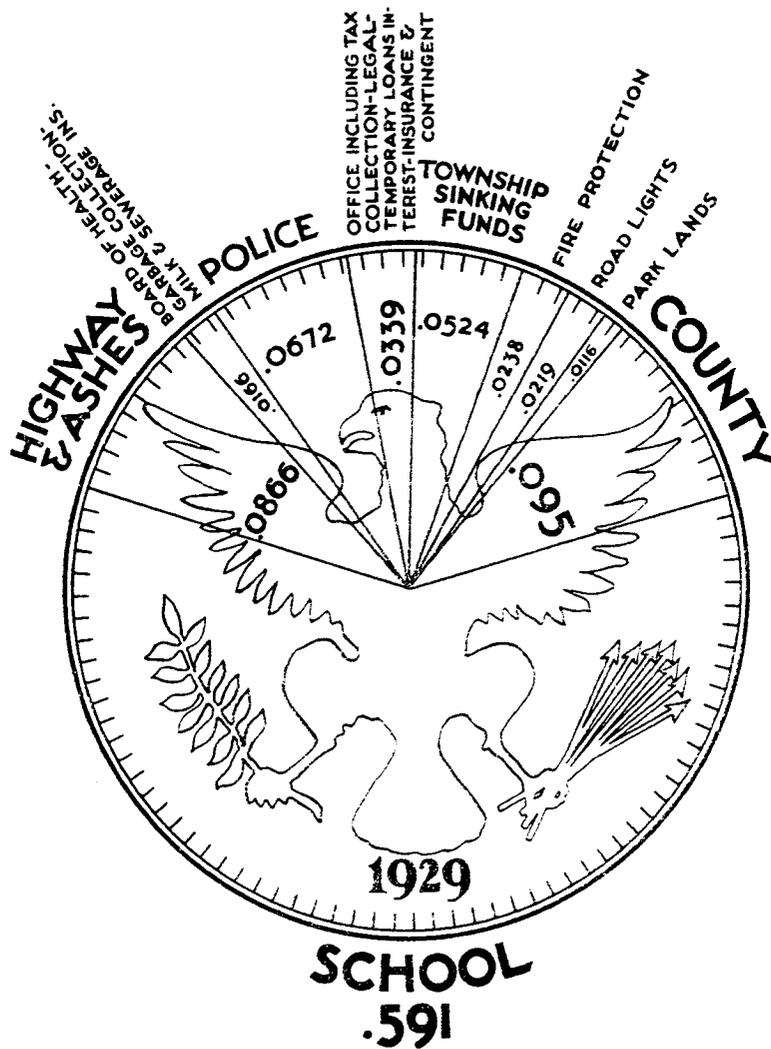
Adultery	1	Larceny	37
Aggravated assault and battery	8	Larceny as bailee	3
Assault and battery	56	Larceny of automobiles	4
Assault and battery by auto- mobile	112	Lodgers	77
Carry concealed weapons	1	Making threats	5
Common scold	2	Malicious mischief	11
Cruelty to animals	2	Maintaining a nuisance	1
Cruelty to children	1	Manslaughter	2
Demented	5	Material witness	5
Disorderly conduct	49	Murder	1
Disorderly house	1	Non support	13
Drunk	106	Obtaining money under false pretenses	3
Embezzlement	1	Passing worthless checks	7
Enticing minors	4	Runaways	10
Forcible entry	11	Shooting craps	9
Fornication	1	Suspicion	39
Fornication and bastardy	3	Suspicion of murder	2
Fraudulent conversion	3	Threats to kill	7
Fraudulent conversion and forgery	1	Trespass	5
Gambling	6	Vagrancy	2
Giving worthless checks	1	Violation of game laws	6
Highway robbery	1	Violation of health laws	3
Illegal sale of liquor	2	Violation of motor laws	83
Indecent exposure	3	Violation of Plumbing laws ...	3
Insane	1	Violation of school laws	2
Involuntary manslaughter	3	Number of meals served to prisoners	484
Keeping vicious dog	1		

Traffic Control Signals

New Traffic Control Signals have been installed during the year at the intersections of Easton Road and Mt. Carmel Avenue, and Easton Road and Wharton Road. During the construction of the Glenside Underpass, a Signal was temporarily placed at the intersection of Keswick Avenue and Mt. Carmel Avenue, which has been removed to the intersection of Meetinghouse Road and Township Line Road.

Finance Committee

1929 TAX PAYERS' DOLLAR



The comparison of the Tax Payers' Dollar of 1921 with that of 1929, is as follows:

	1921	1929
County .....	.06	.095
School .....	.55	.591
Township .....	.39	.314
	<u>1.00</u>	<u>1.000</u>

The Township portion of the 1929 Dollar was spent as follows:

Highway and Ashes .....	.0866
Police .....	.0672
Township Sinking Funds .....	.0524
Office including Tax Collection, Compensation Insurance, Zoning, Legal, Temporary Loans Interest and Contingencies .....	.0339
Fire Protection .....	.0238
Road Lights .....	.0219
Board of Health, Milk Inspection, Garbage Collection and Sewerage (Plumbing Inspection excluded) .....	.0166
Park Lands .....	.0116
	<u>.314</u>

The Auditors' Report and the Report of the Finance Committee showing the expenditures in detail appear at the end of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

COMMISSIONERS OF ABINGTON TOWNSHIP

By CHARLES F. MEBUS, President.

AUDITORS' REPORT

of the
Accounts of W. HOWARD WILSON, Treasurer
 and the
Commissioners of the Township of Abington
 Montgomery County, Pennsylvania

From the **FIRST MONDAY** of **JANUARY, 1929**, to the
FIRST MONDAY of **JANUARY, 1930**

DEBITS

To Bank Balances, General Account	\$ 633.57	
Highway Account	354.19	
		\$ 987.76
To uncollected 1927 taxes due by Treasurer	\$ 7,410.23	
To uncollected 1928 taxes due by Treasurer	26,616.54	
		\$ 34,026.77
To amount due for unreported collections on 1927 Tax exonerations		3.10
To amount due for unreported collections on 1928 Tax exonerations		13.82
To TAX DUPLICATE, 1929	\$300,355.85	
Additional Allowances, 1927	\$ 33.75	
Additional Allowances, 1928	688.44	
Allowances	3,626.46	
	\$ 4,348.65	

NET TAX DUPLICATE, 1929		\$ 296,007.20
(Liens on 1929 uncollected Taxes filed by Treasurer with the County Commissioners in the amount of \$23,481.10)		
Penalties on 1929 Taxes		3,065.62
Amount received from County, Unseated Lands		2,501.28
Amount received from Secretary		15,521.22
Amount received from County Aid		20,004.37
Amount received from Temporary Loans, 1929		115,000.00
Amount received from Interest on Bank Balances General Accounts		347.50
		\$ 487,478.64

CREDITS

VOUCHERS issued, General accounts		\$ 446,956.90
TREASURER'S COMPENSATION		
2 per cent on	\$ 272,526.10	\$ 5,450.52
2 per cent on	3,065.62	61.31
2 per cent on	16.92	.34
½ of 1 per cent on	15,521.22	77.61
½ of 1 per cent on	2,501.28	12.51
½ of 1 per cent on	20,004.37	100.02
½ of 1 per cent on	115,000.00	575.00
½ of 1 per cent on	2,932.73	14.66
		\$ 6,291.97
EXPENSES allowed	945.40	
EXPENSES paid	532.46	
		413.00
		\$ 6,704.97
Paid on account of Compensation		\$ 4,498.50
DUE TREASURER on account of Compensation		\$ 2,206.47

AUDITOR'S REPORT—Continued

AMOUNT DUE BY TREASURER	
1929 tax and penalties	\$ 9,515.67
Unreported collections	16.92
	9,532.59
Less Compensation due	2,206.47
	\$ 7,326.12
1928 uncollected tax	2,869.57
1927 uncollected tax	570.36
	\$ 10,766.05
Amount 1929 tax liens filed with County Commissioners	23,481.10
	\$ 34,247.15
TO BE APPLIED, as follows:	
1929 Fixed Charges Account	\$ 13,258.89
1928 Fire Tax Account	186.85
1929 Fire Tax Account	3,170.98
1929 Park and Shade Tree Account	3,170.98
General Accounts	14,161.25
	\$ 34,247.15
BANK BALANCES	
General Account	\$ 3,790.75
Highway General Account	157.66
Police General Account	119.71
	\$ 4,068.12
	\$ 487,478.64

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT

Glenside Bank and Trust Company:	
Balance	\$ 15,931.58
Bank interest credited	395.36
	\$ 15,336.94
CREDIT	
Per Vouchers issued	\$ 11,768.78
	\$ 3,568.16
Abington Bank and Trust Company	
Balance	56,310.27
Bank interest credited	892.40
	\$ 57,202.67
CREDIT	
Per Vouchers issued	\$ 36,122.58
	\$ 21,080.09

PARK AND SHADE TREE COMMISSION ACCOUNT

Balance	\$ 20,008.05
Account 1927 tax	9,954.00
Account 1928 tax	2,532.10
Account 1929 tax	8,000.00
Bank interest credited	1,039.97
	\$ 41,534.12
CREDIT	
Per Vouchers issued	\$ 11,041.50
	\$ 30,492.62
Balance on hand	
(DUE, \$3,170.08, 1929 tax)	
Baederwood Park	
(\$8,712.00 payment due December 31, 1930)	
(\$8,712.00 payment due December 31, 1931)	
(\$8,712.00 payment due December 31, 1932)	

AUDITOR'S REPORT—Continued

LIABILITIES

Balance of Loan 1906	\$ 10,000.00
Balance of Loan 1907	30,000.00
Balance of Loan 1911	20,000.00
Balance of Loan 1912	107,000.00
Balance of Loan 1913	20,000.00
Balance of Loan 1915	6,000.00
Balance of Loan 1919	24,000.00
Balance of Loan 1923	45,000.00
Balance of Loan 1925	35,000.00
Balance of Loan 1925 A	45,000.00
Balance of Loan 1927	50,000.00
Balance of Loan 1928	55,000.00
Temporary Loans (None)	
Balance due on Baederwood Park	26,136.00
	\$ 473,136.00

CASH ASSETS

Sinking Fund, Loan 1906	\$ 3,536.00
Sinking Fund, Loan 1907	807.30
Sinking Fund, Loan 1911	10,528.29
Sinking Fund, Loan 1912	541.02
Sinking Fund, Loan 1913	4,628.57
Sinking Fund, Loan 1915	1,544.78
Sinking Fund, Loan 1919	6,532.23
Sinking Fund, Loan 1923	8,195.08
Sinking Fund, Loan 1925	9,687.43
Sinking Fund, Loan 1925 A	6,945.82
Sinking Fund, Loan 1927	3,300.79
Sinking Fund, Loan 1928	1,181.59
Bank Balances, General Accounts	1,068.12
Due by Treasurer	\$ 19,766.05
Due by 1929 County Liens	23,481.10
	\$ 34,247.15
Less amount due Unpaid Special Taxes ..	\$19,785.99
	14,461.25
Balance, Permanent Improvement Accounts:	
Glenside Bank and Trust Company	3,568.15
Abington Bank and Trust Company	21,080.09
Balance, Park and Shade Tree Commission Account	30,492.62
	\$ 131,099.13

WE, the undersigned Township Auditors of the Township of Abington, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, do hereby report that we have audited, settled and adjusted the accounts of the Board of Township Commissioners of the Township of Abington, and of W. HOWARD WILSON, the Township Treasurer, for the year beginning on the first Monday of January, 1929, and ending on the first Monday of January, 1930, and find that the above statement of the list of receipts, expenditures, credits and debits, is a true and correct account of said settlement and audit, and we find said accounts correct as above stated.

E. WAYNE JENKINS,
D. E. KRUEGER,
CHARLES WILLIAMS,
Township Auditors.

Abington, Pennsylvania, March 21, 1930.
Attest: E. RAYMOND AMBLER, Secretary.

REPORT of FINANCE COMMITTEE for 1929

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS

Highway Permits	\$ 2,743.00
Curb Permits	4.00
Building Permits	3,970.00
Registration of Plumbers	1,160.00
Plumbing Permits	2,364.00
Milk Dealers' Registration	70.00
Pole Licenses	675.60
2% Premium Foreign Insurance	246.44
Sewer Rentals	297.81
Road Improvements Plans and Specifications	340.00
Fines	20.00
Fire Hydrant, Refund, Rockledge Boro.	390.00
6% on Street Assessment work	2,708.10
Sidewalk Liens	521.44
Miscellaneous	10.83
	\$ 15,521.22

EXPENDITURES

OFFICE

Appropriation	\$ 8,800.00
Expenditures (all paid)	
Salaries	\$ 5,580.00
Audit and Annual Report	1,390.25
Printing and Advertising	484.47
Computing 1929 Tax Books	50.00
Legal	41.75
Postage	100.00
Supplies	877.33
Association Dues and Expenses	102.60
Furniture and Equipment	62.00
	\$ 8,688.40
Total expenditures	\$ 8,688.40
Balance unexpended	\$ 111.60

POLICE

Appropriation	\$ 60,000.00
Expenditures (all paid)	
Salaries	\$ 47,715.00
Food for prisoners	81.39
Gasoline and Oils	3,924.55
New Autos	1,410.07
Equipment	5,231.67
Uniforms	1,973.75
Painting Traffic Signal Lines	379.90
Association Dues	10.00
	\$ 60,726.33
Total expenditures	\$ 60,726.33
Overdrawn	\$ 726.33

TREASURER'S EXPENSE

Appropriation	\$ 1,200.00
Expenditures	
Postage	\$ 232.40
Account Bond	300.00
	532.40
Total expenditures	532.40
Balance unexpended	\$ 667.60

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1929—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		\$	5,700.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Salaries	\$	1,920.00	
Heating Fuel		998.90	
Equipment		795.39	
Ice		49.02	
Repairs		113.51	
Water		65.64	
Light		876.83	
Total expenditures			<u>4,819.29</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		880.71

BUILDING INSPECTION

Appropriation		\$	6,000.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Salaries	\$	5,250.00	
Inspection expense		600.00	
Supplies		24.00	
Total expenditures			<u>\$ 5,874.00</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		126.00

COMMISSIONERS' SALARIES

Appropriation		\$	1,300.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Salaries	\$	1,300.00	
			<u>\$ 1,300.00</u>

BOARD OF HEALTH, MILK AND PLUMBING INSPECTION

Appropriation		\$	10,000.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Salaries	\$	7,240.00	
Inspection expense		600.00	
Laboratory		25.50	
Printing and Postage		40.00	
Supplies		417.00	
Association Dues		10.00	
Refund Milk License Fee		20.00	
Milk Inspection		1,071.55	
Milk Analyses		343.54	
Total expenditures			<u>\$ 9,767.59</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		232.41

CONTINGENT

Appropriation		\$	4,200.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Insurance, Automobiles	\$	1,329.91	
Township Planting		20.00	
Legal		221.50	
Traffic Signals		1,315.46	
Report Joint Meeting, Commissioners and Health Board, January 18, 1929		442.40	
Total expenditures			<u>\$ 3,329.27</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		870.73

TREASURER'S COMPENSATION

Appropriation		\$	6,500.00
Expenditures			
2% Commission on Taxes	\$	4,498.50	
Total expenditures			<u>\$ 4,498.50</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		2,001.50

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1929—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

FIRE AND POLICE TELEPHONES

Appropriation		\$	2,800.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Telephones	\$	2,744.57	
Total expenditures			<u>2,744.57</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		55.43

SOLICITOR'S SALARY

Appropriation		\$	2,000.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Salary	\$	2,000.00	
			<u>\$ 2,000.00</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$	11,000.00
Expenditures			
Abington Fire Company	\$	1,600.00	
Edge Hill Fire Company		1,600.00	
McKinley Fire Company		1,600.00	
Roslyn Fire Company		1,600.00	
Weldon Fire Company		1,600.00	
Abington Township Firemens' Relief Association		246.44	
Total expenditures			<u>\$ 8,246.44</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		2,753.56

FIRE HYDRANTS

Appropriation		\$	11,500.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Rental Fire Hydrants	\$	11,427.66	
Total expenditures			<u>\$ 11,427.66</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		72.34

COLLECTION OF GARBAGE

Appropriation		\$	7,950.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Contract for 1929	\$	7,833.33	
Total expenditures			<u>7,833.33</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		116.67

INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOANS, 1929

Appropriation		\$	2,100.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Interest on Temporary Loans, 1929	\$	2,068.73	
Total expenditures			<u>2,068.73</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		31.27

ROAD LIGHTS

Appropriation		\$	20,500.00
Expenditures (all paid)			
Lighting of Highways	\$	20,084.01	
Total expenditures			<u>20,084.01</u>
Balance unexpended	\$		415.99

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1929—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

FIXED CHARGES

Appropriation		\$ 49,107.00
Expenditures		
Loan 1906	\$ 2,409.00	
Loan 1907	3,285.00	
Loan 1911	1,873.91	
Loan 1912	7,183.20	
Loan 1913	1,314.00	
Loan 1915	620.50	
Loan 1919	2,920.00	
Loan 1923	3,285.00	
Loan 1925	3,102.50	
Loan 1925A	2,920.00	
Loan 1927	3,285.00	
Loan 1928	3,650.00	
Total expenditures		35,848.11
Balance unexpended and due	\$ 13,258.89	
(1928 Tax due and paid during year 1929, \$11,081.00)		

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE

Appropriation		\$ 1,300.00
Expenditures (all paid)		
1929 Premium	\$ 818.46	
1930 Advance Premium	70.80	
Total expenditures		889.26
Balance unexpended	\$ 410.74	
(1930 Advance Premium, \$411.00, with a credit of 1928 and 1929 premium adjustment \$340.20)		

SEWER COMMITTEE

Appropriation		\$ 6,000.00
Expenditures (all paid)		
Printing and Advertising	\$ 208.80	
Right-of-way, Abington Memorial Hospital Sewer	4,254.75	
Sewer rentals to Cheltenham Township	1,339.40	
Condemnation of C & A Co. Sewers	174.33	
Total expenditures		5,977.28
Balance unexpended	\$ 22.72	

ZONING COMMISSION

Appropriation		\$ 1,000.00
Expenditures (all paid)		
Preparation of Zoning Ordinance	\$ 464.55	
Total expenditures		464.55
Balance unexpended	\$ 535.45	

PARK AND SHADE TREE COMMISSION

Balance on hand, January 7, 1929	\$ 20,008.05
Bank Interest Credited	1,039.97
Balance 1927 Tax Levy	9,954.00
Balance 1928 Tax Levy	2,532.10
Account 1929 Tax Levy	8,000.00
	\$ 41,534.12
Expenditures:	
Pennypack Creek Park	\$ 500.00
Glenside-Weldon Park	1,684.00
Baederwood Park	8,857.50
Total expenditures	11,041.50
Balance on hand, January 6, 1930	\$ 30,492.62
(Due \$3,170.08, 1929 Tax)	

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1929—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT

(Glenside Bank and Trust Company)

Balance on hand, January 7, 1929	\$	15,931.58
Bank Interest Credited		395.36
	\$	15,336.94
Expenditures:-		
North Glenside Storm Sewer, District No. 6	\$	2,455.77
Widening Mt. Carmel Avenue, District No. 12		8,406.51
Elimination Glenside Grade Crossing		906.50
Total expenditures		11,768.78
Balance on hand, January 6, 1930	\$	3,568.16

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT

(Abington Bank and Trust Company)

Balance on hand, January 7, 1929	\$	56,210.27
Bank Interest Credited		892.40
	\$	57,202.67
Expenditures:-		
North Glenside Storm Sewer, District No. 6 ...	\$	3,586.20
Widening Mt. Carmel Ave., District No. 12		15,787.41
Elimination Glenside Grade Crossing		16,748.97
Total expenditures		36,122.58
Balance on hand January 6, 1930	\$	21,080.09

HIGHWAY AND ASHES

Appropriation	\$	81,943.00
County Aid		20,004.37
	\$	101,047.37

Expenditures:-		
Salaries	\$	9,020.00
Jenkintown Road (State Aid)		7,398.38
Adjustment of indebtedness, Annexation Upper Dublin Township		864.67
Gasoline and Oils		1,651.49
Maintenance Machines		2,808.42
Printing and Postage		2,111.24
Tools and Equipment		480.64
Rental Penbryn Lots		100.00
New Roller		4,625.00
Street Signs		235.20
Curb Stakes and Surveys		5,191.97
Snow Removal		81.45
Sewer Inspection		65.25
Burying Dogs		44.64
Broken Sidewalks		343.70
Labor removing ashes		7,803.00
District No. 1		2,825.87
District No. 2		27,713.24
District No. 3		5,518.06
District No. 4		2,028.97
District No. 5		4,798.47
District No. 6		2,860.71
District No. 7		548.61
District No. 8		1,818.24
District No. 9		909.30
District No. 10		859.77
District No. 11		747.75
District No. 12		1,188.56
District No. 13		6,282.23
Total expenditures	\$	100,924.83
Balance unexpended	\$	122.54
Labor removing Ashes	\$	7,803.00
3581 hours Truck service		7,162.00
Total cost ash collection	\$	14,965.00

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1929—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

ABINGTON—DISTRICT NO. 1

Cherry Lane	\$	52.86
Clovely Lane		566.04
Eckard Avenue		78.30
Highland Avenue		69.71
Horace Avenue		177.67
Huntingdon Road		148.89
Meadowbrook Road		20.70
Rydal Road		214.93
Susquehanna Street		204.71
Washington Lane		125.06
Wheatsheaf Lane		16.20
Woodland Road		756.45
Inlets		52.70
Patching		341.65

\$ 2,825.87

SAW MILL HILL—DISTRICT NO. 2.

Cedar Road	\$	74.25
Ford Road		16.65
Fox Chase Road		256.34
Meadowbrook Road		143.30
Meetinghouse Road	25,727.71	
Mill Road		435.21
Old Second Street Pike		21.70
Susquehanna Street		254.20
Valley Road		217.34
Washington Lane		346.57
Inlets		65.30
Patching		154.67

\$ 27,713.24

GLENSIDE—DISTRICT NO. 3

Geneva Avenue	\$	18.45
Linden Avenue		2,346.90
Roberts Avenue		10.80
Roslyn Avenue		59.63
Sylvania Avenue		517.08
Tyson Avenue		2,367.05
Weldon Avenue		16.65
Inlets		133.50

\$ 5,518.06

McKINLEY—DISTRICT NO. 4

Cedar Road	\$	154.30
Church Road		51.95
Cypress Avenue		81.45
Forrest Avenue		173.70
Fox Chase Road		256.27
Haines Avenue		145.78
High School Road		10.00
Holmes Avenue		59.85
Jenkintown Road		241.10
Lennox Road		27.45
Meetinghouse Road		26.10
Ogontz Avenue		90.00
Tulpehocken Avenue		350.65
Osceola Avenue		12.60
West Avenue		153.47
Wyncote Road		41.40
Inlets		87.35
Patching		65.55

\$ 2,028.97

Haines Avenue Street Improvements

(By Property Owners)

5,410.30

West Avenue Street Improvements

(By Property Owners)

6,998.91

\$ 14,438.18

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1923—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

CRESTMONT—DISTRICT NO. 5

Arnold Avenue	\$	73.80
Davisville Road		560.11
Decatur Avenue		48.00
Fairview Avenue		286.85
Fitzwatertown Road		1,807.04
Franklin Avenue		47.75
Hamilton Avenue		11.25
Highland Avenue		176.58
LaMott Avenue		226.35
Lee Avenue		38.10
Lukens Avenue		236.00
Park Avenue		12.00
Prospect Avenue		50.20
Reservoir Avenue		16.00
Rubicam Avenue		311.20
Washington Avenue		100.30
Welsh Road		308.04
Scraping		206.15
Inlets		282.75
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	\$	4,798.47

NORTH GLENSIDE—DISTRICT NO. 6

Cricket Avenue	\$	1.65
Hamel Avenue		473.21
North Hills Avenue		12.94
Penbryn Avenue		10.80
Spruce Avenue		56.35
Tennis Avenue		2,134.33
Scraping		12.60
Inlets		23.85
New Storm Sewer		134.98
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	\$	2,869.71
Hamel Avenue Street Improvements (By) Property Owners)		21,831.69
North Glenside Storm Sewer (Permanent Improvement Account)		6,041.97
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	\$	30,734.28

NOBLE—DISTRICT NO. 7

Center Street	\$	15.04
Rydal Road		216.57
Spring Avenue		24.69
Upland Avenue		11.92
Washington Lane		149.58
Inlets		96.90
Patching		34.00
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	\$	548.61

ROSLYN—DISTRICT NO. 8

Arnold Avenue	\$	247.65
Colonial Avenue		272.60
Edge Hill Road		77.40
Heston Street		304.95
Hillcrest Avenue		36.00
Keith Road		9.00
Susquehanna Street		584.14
Tyson Avenue		129.45
Inlets		74.75
Patching		72.30
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	\$	1,818.24
Colonial Avenue Street Improvements (By property owners)		15,055.90
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	\$	16,874.14

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1929—EXPENDITURES—Cont.

ARDSLEY—DISTRICT NO. 9

Ardsley Avenue	\$	11.50	
Avenue "A"		68.90	
Avenue "B"		15.30	
Avenue "C"		37.35	
Avenue "D"		251.52	
Avenue "E"		86.65	
Cleveland Avenue		40.60	
Edge Hill Road		32.75	
Jenkintown Road		29.61	
Susquehanna Street		78.17	
Spear Avenue		114.50	
Tyson Avenue		15.30	
Scraping		57.40	
Inlets		69.75	
			\$ 909.30

ROYCHESTER—DISTRICT NO. 10

Chester Avenue	\$	68.92	
Decatur Avenue		57.00	
Edge Hill Road		56.75	
Ferndale Avenue		81.95	
Glendale Avenue		9.00	
Grovania Avenue		65.10	
Hamilton Avenue		56.80	
Keith Road		9.00	
Penbryn Avenue		146.20	
Rubicam Avenue		29.00	
Welsh Road		98.05	
Inlets and Gutters		182.00	
			\$ 859.77

GLENSIDE—DISTRICT NO. 11

Abington Avenue	\$	20.00	
Crescent Avenue		175.79	
Hillcrest Avenue		208.05	
Jenkintown Road		117.06	
Stewart Avenue		78.40	
Inlets		27.80	
Patching		120.65	
			\$ 747.75

Crescent Avenue Street Improvements (By property owners)		17,721.55	
Hillcrest Avenue Street Improvements (By property owners)		15,261.95	
			\$ 33,731.25

GLENSIDE—DISTRICT NO. 12

Edgely Avenue	\$	119.49	
Keswick Avenue		46.45	
Lynwood Avenue		75.00	
Menlo Avenue		19.25	
Mt. Carmel Avenue		584.72	
Woodlawn Avenue		49.50	
Inlets		27.85	
Patching		266.30	
			\$ 1,188.56

Widening Mt. Carmel Avenue (Permanent Improvement Account)		24,193.92	
			\$ 25,382.48

GLENSIDE—DISTRICT NO. 13

Fairhill Avenue	\$	19.25	
Roberts Avenue		23.85	
Tyson Avenue		6,133.98	
Inlets		53.15	
Patching		52.00	
			\$ 6,282.23