

January 9, 1935.

Members present Messrs. Laliberte, Paige, Wells, Rice and Mrs. Smith.

Library report for 1934 read and accepted. Library cost to the Town was \$6,061 for the year.

The bequest of \$2,500 from Henry Bradford was received and accepted by the Trustees; Mr. Paige to place same in trust for the Library's use. Is to report on same to the Trustees at a later time.

Voted- Librarian to have leave of absence without pay for month of March.

Voted- To keep Library open on Sunday in accordance with budget.

Ask Librarian to use discretion with regard to accepting gifts for Library from individuals.

Voted- To continue meetings of Trustees on the second Wednesday of each month, at five p.m.

Budget for 1935 read and accepted.

Gertrude W. Smith

February 13, 1935

Present Messrs. Montague and Laliberte.

No quorum being present, we will make no report.

May 8, 1935.

Present Messrs. Paige, Tetreault, Wells, Montague.

Committee organized for 1935. Secretary pro tem cast one ballot for officers (same as for 1934).

Chairman- Richard C. Paige.

Secretary- Mrs. Hamilton Smith.

Book Committee- George B. Wells.

Building- Oswald Laliberte

Grounds- Beaver Rice.

Voted- That the Librarian be authorized to move contents of book shelves and to hire any needed extra assistance to do so.

Voted- That Librarian be authorized to return public documents at her discretion to make needed shelf room.

Voted- That the Official U.S. patent office gazettes be sold to highest bidders - the matter to be handled by Librarian. Mr. Wells suggested that Judge Styll might like to buy.

Voted- That the Library offer the use of its facilities for the storage and preservation of any archives or valuable documents of the Quinebaug Historical Society.

June 12, 1935

Present Messrs. Paige and Rice.

Decided that there should be no meetings of Trustees during July and August.

September 11, 1935.

Present Mrs. Hamilton Smith, Mr. Robert Montague.

October 9, 1935.

Present Messrs. Paige, Rice, Laliberte and Mrs. Smith

Voted- To open the Library through the winter,
beginning October 13th, on Sundays from
two to nine.

Voted- To buy the newspapers and periodicals for
1936 from Foley's News, as usual.

Voted- To exchange and purchase a new typewriter
(Remington noiseless). The Librarian to
put the deal through.

Voted- To purchase the Columbia University Encyclo-
pedia from the Bradford Fund- also to order
the revolving stand for the Encyclopedia.
Mrs. Smith is to look up the interest
available and report to the Librarian.

Quintade W. Smith
(Secretary)

November 13, 1935.

Present Messrs. Paige, Montague, Laliberte, Rice and Mrs. Smith. Mr. Paige and Mr. Montague appointed a committee to look up and report to Trustees on the handling of Trust Funds.

Mr. Rice and Mr. Laliberte, appointed to look up noon hour opening- 12-2; and report on same.

Gertrude W. Smith

December 19, 1935.

Meeting was held December 19, 1935 at Mr. Paiges office. Those present Mr. Rice, Mr. Paige, Mr. Montague, Mrs. Smith. The budget for 1936 was discussed and accepted.

Mrs. Hamilton K. Smith was nominated and elected as treasurer of the Trustees of the Edwards Library for the term of one year.

Meeting adjourned.

Gertrude W. Smith

January 8, 1936.

Present Messrs. Paige, Montague, Wells and Mrs. Smith.

Report of Librarian for 1935 accepted and ordered printed as the report of the Library to the Town.

Miss Miersch granted a leave of absence for three months, middle of February to middle of May.

Voted- That a "Duplicate pay collection" be started to see whether or not our Townspeople care to have one.

Voted- That the Library be kept open from 12 to 2 for
one month to see how it works-will cost about \$20.

Voted- To continue Sunday opening from 2 to 9.

Voted- That Jana Bingley be paid 40¢ an hour.

Gertrude W. Smith
Secretary

May 13, 1936.

Present Messrs. Wells and Montague, Mrs. Smith.

Report of attendance during noon hour read. The Trustees
recommended continuing the noon period until the end
of the school year.

Voted to accept the estimate for the annual tree spraying
as rendered by the New England Tree Expert Company.

Gertrude W. Smith

June 10, 1936.

Present Messrs. Wells, Montague and Mrs. Smith.

Need for painting the Library discussed.

Suggested that we buy technical books from the income of
the Bradford fund.

Gertrude W. Smith