

WEST AND SOUTH  
**Water Supply District**  
OF ACTON, MASS.

Incorporated by the Acts of Legislature of 1912  
Chapter 326, and Accepted by the District  
April 16, 1912

The Center District Accepted Section 13  
of said Act

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ANNUAL REPORT APRIL 1, 1919

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Ayer, Mass.  
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ORGANIZATION 1918

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CLERK

CHARLES H. MEAD

WATER COMMISSIONERS

EDGAR H. HALL, Chairman

FREDERICK L. BURKE

WALDO E. WHITCOMB

HOWARD L. JONES, Clerk

TREASURER

FRANK W. HOIT

COLLECTOR

WALDO E. WHITCOMB

AUDITOR

EUGENE L. HALL

SUPERINTENDENT

JAMES FITZGERALD

## EXPENDITURES

APRIL 1, 1918, TO MARCH 31, 1919

### Construction Account

Martin Brown, labor	\$487 36
Michelo Di Clarior, labor	78 34
F. A. Houdlette & Son, pipe	105 46
Hersey Mfg. Co., meters	128 57
South Acton Coal & Lumber Co., clay and cement	2 75
Lead Hydro-Tite Co., lead hydro	20 00
John E. Case, labor	67 58
Wadsworth, Howland Co., lead, graphite, ore	322 23
H. Wooding, labor	44 61
N. E. Whitcomb, teaming	30 50
Pratt & Cady Co., valves	75 83
United Brass Co., gate valves, etc.	165 84
F. R. Knowlton, lead	29 12
Caldwell & Fairfield, curb boxes	39 28
B. F. Townsend, tile	9 36
Chapman Valve Co., hydrant	15 92
	————— \$1,622 75

### Maintenance Account

James Fitzgerald, salary	\$1,300 00
National Meter Co., meter parts	62 71
Braman, Dow Co., fittings, etc.	44 12
Freight and express	14 80

James Fitzgerald, repairs on auto	28 22
Jenney Mfg. Co., gasolene	146 76
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	52 14
George H. Reed, coal	58 27
William C. Robinson & Son Co., oil	90 46
J. T. McNiff, jobbing	17 89
W. M. Sargent, printing	10 00
W. E. Whitcomb, salary	25 00
W. E. Whitcomb, postage, supplies, etc.	61 59
Sherwin-Williams Co., paint	8 15
Frank E. Davis, engine supplies	17 73
Dodge Sales Co., clutch part	5 35
W. S. Greenough & Co., vouchers	2 50
H. S. Turner, printing reports	24 00
W. J. Costello, painting auto	15 00
J. H. Remick, services at station	63 10
Arthur Burke, bond	5 00
A. M. Whitcomb, policy	12 00
Employers Liability Insurance Co., ad- ditional premium	21 55
A. W. Davis, express	5 00
Walworth Mfg. Co., fittings	36 55
Chapman Valve Co., repairs	11 75
A. M. Whitecomb, liability insurance	54 00
Keystone Lubricating Co., auto cups	6 72
E. Henry Hall, reading meters	6 90
James C. Emerson, labor on standpipe	2,195 91
F. E. Taylor & Co., printing	6 75
R. H. Willis, reading meters	10 50
Finney & Hoit, tubes and supplies	10 10
Edgar H. Hall, salary	25 00
Fred L. Burke, salary	25 00
Frank W. Hoit, salary	25 00
Frank W. Hoit, postage, etc.	15 72
Howard L. Jones, salary	15 00
Howard L. Jones, postage and supplies	2 00
Acton Printing Co., printing	3 00

Waldo E. Whitecomb, collecting rates	113 52	
A. M. Whitecomb, collecting taxes and rates	41 49	
Old Colony Trust Co., commission paying coupons	13 36	
Duncan Kennedy, labor	3 34	
Maynard & Acton Oil Co., oil and gasoline	528 01	
South Acton Coal & Lumber Co., coal	19 05	
		\$5,260 01

**Bond and Interest Account**

Old Colony Trust Co., bonds	\$3,800 00	
Old Colony Trust Co., interest on bonds	3,548 00	
North Middlesex Institution for Savings, note	1,000 00	
North Middlesex Institution for Savings, interest on notes	160 00	
		\$8,508 00
Total expenditures		\$15,390 76

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS,

Howard L. Jones, Clerk.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

Cash on hand, April 1, 1919	\$2,212 49
West and South District taxes, 1916	25 80
West and South District taxes, 1917	316 87
Center District taxes, 1917	134 20
West and South District taxes, 1918	2,957 37

Center District taxes, 1918	421 61
Installing pipes, W. & S., "A. M. W."	200 37
Installing pipes, Center, "A. M. W."	24 64
Installing pipes, W. & S., "W. E. W."	695 82
Installing pipes, Center, "W. E. W."	15 00
Service, W. & S., "A. M. W."	16 00
Service, Center, "A. M. W."	13 00
Service, W. & S., "W. E. W."	4,546 12
Service, Center, "W. E. W."	774 83
Town of Acton, hydrants	2,575 00
Old Colony Trust Co., interest	1 39
State Treasurer, income tax, Center	40 80
State Treasurer, income tax, W. & S.	167 15
North Middlesex Savings Bank, loan	1,000 00
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	\$16,138 46
Paid Commissioners' orders	\$15,390 76
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Balance on hand	\$747 70

#### Bond and Note Account

Bonds, Series No. 1	\$82,500 00
Paid	3,500 00
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	\$79,000 00
Bonds, Series No. 2	\$8,100 00
Paid	300 00
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	\$7,800 00
Notes, North Middlesex Savings Bank	\$4,000 00
Paid	1,000 00
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	\$3,000 00
Note, temporary loan	\$1,000 00
Total Bonds and Notes	\$90,800 00

FRANK W. HOIT, Treasurer.

**COLLECTORS' REPORTS**

**1919 Water Rates**

April 1, 1919, to July 8, 1919	\$29 00
Paid Treasurer	\$29 00
April 1, 1918, to July 8, 1918	
Installation and repairs	\$225 01
Paid Treasurer	\$225 01

ARTHUR M. WHITCOMB, Collector.

**July 1, 1918, to January, 1919**

West	South	Center	Total
\$1,358 24	\$899 08	\$435 05	\$2,692 37
Paid Treasurer			\$2,692 37

**January, 1919, to July, 1919**

West	South	Center	Total
\$1,306 10	\$982 70	\$339 78	\$2,628 58
Paid Treasurer			\$2,628 58

**Collected for Installation, Repairs, Etc.**

**July 1, 1918, to March 25, 1919**

West and South District	Center District	Total
\$695 82	\$15 00	\$710 82

WALDO E. WHITCOMB, Collector.

**Number of Water Takers**

1918

West	South	Center	Total
179	151	59	389

**Metered Water**

1918

West	South	Center	Total
5,609,277 gals.	3,116,362 gals.	1,044,577 gals.	9,770,216 gals.

**WEST AND SOUTH WATER DISTRICT**

**Taxes**

**COLLECTOR'S REPORT**

	Dr.		
1916			
Uncollected March 18, 1918		\$23 13	
Interest collected		2 67	
		\$25 80	
	Cr.		
Paid Treasurer			\$25 80
1917			
Uncollected March 18, 1918	Dr.	\$588 03	
Interest collected		19 02	
		\$607 05	
	Cr.		
Paid Treasurer		\$451 07	
Abatements		1 40	
Uncollected March 17, 1919		154 58	
		\$607 05	
1918			
Committed to Collector	Dr.	\$3,670 47	
Interest collected		4 24	
		\$3,674 71	
	Cr.		
Paid Treasurer		\$3,378 98	
Abatements		10 00	
Uncollected March 17, 1919		285 73	
		\$3,674 71	

ARTHUR M. WHITCOMB, Collector.

**AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the West and South Water Supply District of Acton, Mass. :

I have examined the accounts of the Collector and Treasurer and find them correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EUGENE L. HALL, Auditor.