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Town of Orrington, Maine

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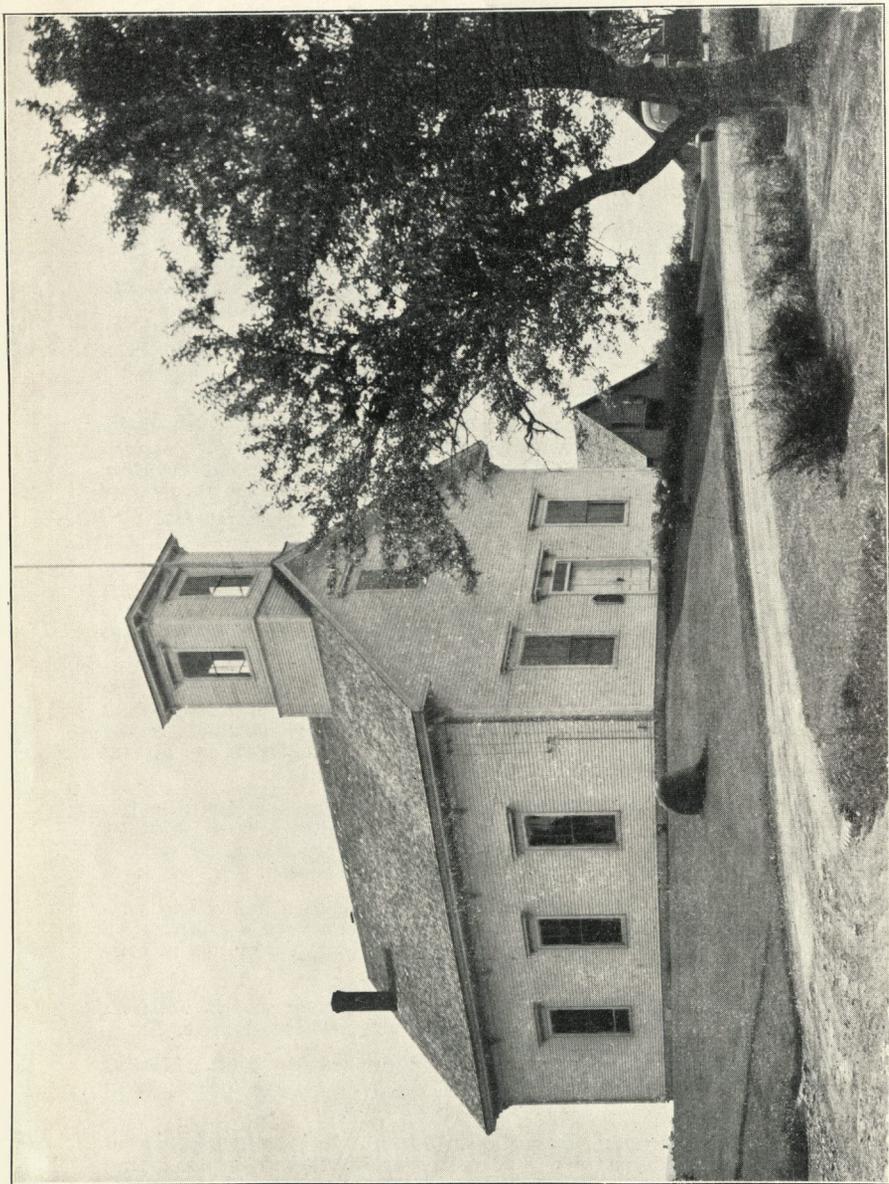
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ALUMINUM

BY

W. H. PERKINS

CHICAGO, ILL.



To the men who with knowledge of human nature and the art of government, drew up and signed the Constitution of the United States. And to those men and women whose courage and ambition gave us this Town of Orrington. On this the 150th Anniversary—our sincere respects. Preston W. Gray—for the citizens of the Town of Orrington, 1938

# ORRINGTON

1788 - 1938



We pause, in this, the one hundred and fiftieth year since the incorporation of Orrington as a town, to view briefly the salient facts pertaining to its history. In so doing, we not only inform ourselves, but honor the founders of our community, their descendants, and all others who have contributed to our heritage of civic pride and ideals.

About the year 1770 the first settlers in this region arrived from Massachusetts and soon made plans to lay out a township to extend from Buck's Ledge to the Bend, which is now Eddington. The outbreak of the Revolutionary War caused the General Court of the Province and the English sovereign, to whom separate petitions had been sent, to lay aside the consideration of land grants and to concern themselves with more engrossing matters.

Before the settlers could succeed in obtaining a grant, a group of Massachusetts business associates made a bid to purchase the entire township. When this became known here, two men were sent to Boston to protest and as the deed had not been made, negotiations were entered into, whereby the settlers obtained a grant, fronting on the river and extending four hundred rods back. The town progressed under these two grants and was finally united.

In spite of the two conflicting stories about the origin of the name Orrington, the fact remains unaltered that the word is unique. According to one historical record it is the only Orrington listed in an important gazetteer of the world. Before the date of incorporation the town was known as No. 9 and as New Worcester Plantation.

Besides its name, Orrington has several other claims to distinction. It was the first town in Penobscot county to be incorporated; it is the only town which has belonged successively to Lincoln, Hancock and Penobscot counties; it was one of the first three towns to be settled east of the river, and was one of very few to be mentioned in the first federal census in 1790.

The division of the town in 1812 was the outstanding event in its early history. Diverse interests and uneven distribution of population caused difficulties that resulted in partition. The debts and assets were divided in the ratio of thirteen to eleven, Brewer being allotted the larger share of each.

Perhaps the most exciting event of early history happened in the late summer of 1814 when the British fired upon the town as their vessels came up the river. Many amusing tales, and some not so amusing, are told of that memorable day.

It was not until 1792 that the town raised any money for schools but from that time, its policies regarding education have been steadily progressive.

The first settlers were largely of the old Pilgrim Orthodox faith. Meeting houses were built almost immediately. From that early day up to the present the ecclesiastical history of the town has been a proud one.

Orrington has always been a town of small farms. Its industries have been few. Fishing, lumbering, and ship-building have been carried on to some extent, while many of the men have followed the sea for a business.

Any interested citizen will find much to hold his attention in historical and biographical records of the past hundred and fifty years.

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**Examiners of the Blind**

ELIZABETH GROSS, M.D., to January 1, 1940 Resigned  
ALBERT C. TODD, M.D., to January 1, 1940

**Health Officers**

ELIZABETH GROSS, M.D., term expires Jan. 1, 1940 Resigned  
P. EUGENE AYER, term expires Jan. 1, 1940

**Board of Health for 1937**

P. EUGENE AYER Term expires March, 1938  
F. A. DILLINGHAM Term expires March, 1939  
WALTER LUFKIN Term expires March, 1940

**Associate Member of Board of Mothers' Aid**

MRS. BERTHA KENDALL

**Sealer of Weights and Measures**

SHERMAN L. QUIMBY

**Constables**

CHARLES P. THOMPSON JAMES G. KENT  
SAMUEL J. WILLIAMS DANA NICKERSON  
GEORGE STAPLES MAURICE KING

**Fence Viewers**

FERD D. BOWDEN A. E. BAKER  
WALTER FICKETT

**Surveyors of Wood and Bark and  
Scalers of Logs and Lumber**

GEORGE HEWEY WILBERT MANN  
HARRY SMITH CARLOS LINDSEY

**Cemetery Sextons**

F. D. BOWDEN, Dean Hill Cemetery  
HARRY SMITH, Pine Hill Cemetery  
W. W. BLANCHARD, Oak Hill and North Orrington

**Ballot Clerks**

WILL B. SMITH L. B. BLAKE

**Election Clerks**

LOTTIE PREBLE MARY P. GRAY

**Janitor of Town Hall**

LESTER GOSS

**Ballot Clerks for Town Meeting**

P. EUGENE AYER W. B. SMITH

**Election Clerks for Town Meeting**

L. B. BLAKE LAWRENCE RING

## Warrant

To S. J. Williams, a Constable in the Town of Orrington,

### GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Orrington qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town House in said town on Monday, the fourteenth day of March next, at seven forty-five o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following:

Article 1. To elect a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To elect by ballot, according to the provisions of Sections 38 to 52 inclusive, of Chap. 5, of the Revised Statutes of Maine, 1930, three Selectmen, who shall be Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, a Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Road Commissioner, one member of the School Board for three years. The polls will be open for the election of these officers at eight o'clock in the forenoon and will close at twelve o'clock noon.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will accept the reports as submitted by the several town officers.

Art. 4. To choose all other town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To fix the compensation of the following town officers, for the ensuing year: Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes, Road Commissioner, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Health Officer, and others that may be deemed necessary.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will vote to elect or to have the Moderator appoint a Budget Committee, also to fix the number of members and their term of office.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary to pay for:

- Interest on School Fund.
- Memorial Purposes.
- Miscellaneous expenses.
- Mothers' Aid.

Care of Cemeteries.  
 Patrol maintenance.  
 Pay of town officers.  
 Public health nurse.  
 South Orrington Schoolhouse note and interest.  
 Snow removal.  
 Support of elementary schools.  
 Support of secondary schools.  
 Support of poor.  
 Repair of school property and insurance.  
 Repair of town buildings.  
 Repair of roads and bridges.  
 Use of Bangor Public Library for one year.

Art. 8. To see if the Town, for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan or loans to and for the use of said Town in conducting its municipal business in the current municipal year of 1938 and in anticipation of and to be paid out of the taxes of the current municipal year of 1938, will authorize and direct the Town Treasurer, subject to the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow from time to time during said municipal year, a sum or sums not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of \$15,000.00 and to make, execute, and deliver negotiable note or notes of the Town therefor, payable within said current municipal year, and upon such terms as shall be satisfactory to said Treasurer and Selectmen, any debt or debts incurred hereunder to be paid out of money raised by taxation during the present municipal year.

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$558.00 for the maintenance of improved sections of Third Class highways in accordance with provisions of Secs. 4 and 5 of Chap. 173, Public Laws of 1935.

Art. 10. To see what sum the Town will raise or appropriate for State Aid Road Construction, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, under the provisions of Sec. 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Sec. 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will authorize the Assessors and Tax Collector to offer a discount for prompt payment of taxes and collect interest on deferred payment of same, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 12. By petition, to see if the Town will vote to grant and raise the sum of \$200.00 for the improvement of the Cliff Lodge Club House road at Brewer Lake, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise or appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to cooperate with the Maine Forest Service and Federal Government in the control of white pine blister rust within the confines of the town.

Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise or appropriate a sum not to exceed \$500.00 for the purpose of properly celebrating the 150th Anniversary of the incorporation of the Town, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$300.00 for improvement of the road beginning at the Third Class Highway and leading to Orrington Center, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 16. To see if the Town will grant and raise a sum of money for the purpose of auditing the town books for the current year.

Art. 17. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen in behalf of the Town, to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the Town for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 18. To see if the Town will vote to elect or to have the Moderator appoint four Assessors to work with the Selectmen and Assessors on a general valuation for 1938, and fix the compensation of each, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 19. To see what sum, if any, the Town will recommend to take from the joint State Aid account for the purpose of applying bituminous surface treatment to State Aid roads, in excess of the requirements of Sec. 2, Chap. 132, P. L. of 1935.

Art. 20. To see what sum, if any, the Town will recommend to take from the joint State Aid account for the purpose of building Red Bridge, so called, on the road from East Orrington to Brewer Lake, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Mrs. Emma Hall, the sum of \$100.00, the interest for same to be used for the perpetual care of the Charles W. and Melvin Freeman lot in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to accept from Rev. C. A. Purdy the sum of \$50.00, the interest for same to be used for the perpetual care of the C. A. Purdy lot in Dean Hill Cemetery.

Art. 23. By request, to see if the Town will vote to grant and raise, or appropriate from the general road account, the sum of \$125.00 for the improvement of the road leading from the Burns Memorial School to Albert Glidden's, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 24. To see if the sum of \$93.00, or more will be raised for nursing in the Town of Orrington, to be expended under the auspices of the Bureau of Health of the State Department of Health and Welfare.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to grant and raise, to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine.

Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to grant and raise a sum of money for the perpetuation of the Goodale's Corner school house, so called, or take any other action thereon.

Art. 27. To act on any other question that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen will be in session at the Town Hall from nine o'clock in the forenoon until four o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, March 12, 1938, for the purpose of revising the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Orrington, this 28th day of February, A. D., 1938.

**PRESTON W. GRAY,**

**HARRY E. CRAWFORD,**

**RAYMOND L. PERKINS,**

**Selectmen of the Town of Orrington.**

# Recommendations of Budget Committee

1938

Art. 6. Committee of seven appointed by the Moderator for one year.

Appropriation 1937	Article 1938		Recommended 1938
\$ 200.00	No. 7	Abatement of Taxes .....	
69.42		Interest on School Fund .....	69.42
13.00		Memorial Purposes .....	13.00
1,400.00		Miscellaneous .....	1,400.00
500.00		Mothers' Aid .....	600.00
50.00		Care of Cemeteries .....	50.00
670.00		Patrol Maintenance .....	742.80
1,800.00		Pay of Town Officers .....	1,800.00
125.00		Public Health Nurse .....	125.00
2,071.38		So. Orrington Schoolhouse Note and Interest .....	2,009.15
1,000.00		Snow Removal .....	1,000.00
7,625.00		Schools, Elementary .....	7,800.00
3,900.00		Schools, Secondary .....	3,800.00
500.00		Schools, Repairs and Insurance .....	500.00
1,500.00		Support of Poor .....	800.00
300.00		Repair of Town Building .....	200.00
1,800.00		Repair of Roads and Bridges .....	2,000.00
125.00		Bangor Public Library, 1 year .....	100.00
558.02	No. 9	Third Class Road Maintenance .....	558.00
1,066.00	No. 10	State Aid Highway .....	799.50
	No. 12	Clubhouse Road .....	100.00
	No. 13	White Pine Rust Control .....	Dismiss
	No. 14	150th Anniversary .....	Appro. 500.00
	No. 15	Recommend Sum Received from R. F. D. Act for this Road .....	
	No. 16	Audit of Town Books ...	Appro. 50.00
	No. 23	Special Road .....	Appro. 125.00
	No. 24	Bureau of Health .....	Dismiss
	No. 25	Advertising State of Main .....	Appro. 50.00
	No. 26	Perpetuation, Goodale Schoolhouse Appro. from Ex. Tax .....	25.00
	Art. 8.	Recommend to authorize Treasurer to borrow.	
	Art. 11.	Recommend to authorize discount and collect interest.	
	Art. 17.	Recommend to dispose of real estate.	
	Art. 18.	Recommend that the selectmen appoint two assistants they to serve without pay other than expenses.	
	Art. 19.	\$1500.00	
	Art. 20.	We recommend the selectmen get a hearing and estimate of cost.	

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## Valuation and Assessment

	1937		
	Real Estate	Personal Property	Total Valuation
Resident .....	\$405,040.00	\$23,350.00	\$428,390.00
Non-Resident .....	158,995.00	16,335.00	175,330.00
	<u>\$564,035.00</u>	<u>\$39,685.00</u>	<u>\$603,720.00</u>
Tax Rate, \$50.00 per \$1,000 on \$603,730.00 ..		\$30,186.00	
381 polls at \$3.00 .....		1,143.00	
Supplement Tax .....		78.50	
		<u>          </u>	
Total Tax Commitment .....			\$31,407.50
Town Tax .....		\$24,576.32	
State Tax .....		4,573.53	
County Tax .....		1,210.19	
Overlay .....		1,047.46	
		<u>          </u>	\$31,407.50
Property exempt by Assessors not included in Valuation .....		\$ 540.00	
Property exempt by law not included in Val- uation .....		7,715.00	
		<u>          </u>	\$8,255.00
Tax on Property exempt .....		\$412.75	
Tax on 52 Polls exempt .....		156.00	
		<u>          </u>	
Total tax exemption .....			\$568.75

## Estimated Value of Town Property

Town Hall .....	\$8,000.00
Town Stable .....	400.00
Road Equipment .....	500.00
Snow Fence .....	700.00
Office Equipment .....	500.00
Gravel Banks .....	250.00
School buildings, exclusive of school bus and school furnishings .....	31,100.00
	<u>          </u>
	\$41,450.00

## Taxes Abated, 1937

Barbin, Georgina, Miss, over valuation .....	\$ 5.00
Bowden, Frank E., over 70 .....	3.00
Bowden, Mabel, over valuation .....	14.80
Bridges, Wm. E., veteran .....	3.00
Brown, Herbert, over valuation .....	3.75
Bennett, Russell, not in town .....	3.00
Clark, Chas., in Hampden .....	3.00
Godfrey, Edw., over 70 .....	3.00
Gardiner, Ralph .....	3.00
Greenleaf, Geo., moved .....	3.00
Hewey, Geo. F. ....	3.00
Longfellow, Foss, not in town .....	3.00
Leavitt, Harold .....	3.00
Lurvey, C. P., property not owned .....	1.25
Michaud, Joseph .....	3.00
Moore, Geo. ....	4.50
O'Brien, Frank, paid in Bangor .....	3.00
Quinn, Stanley, in Mass. ....	3.00
Patterson, F. E. ....	3.00
Shirley, Fred C., over 70 .....	3.00
Smith, Chas., not in town .....	4.25
Smith, Morrill, paid in Brewer .....	4.00
Willette, Geo. ....	3.00
	\$85.55

## Delinquent Taxes, 1937

Name	Personal	Poll	Total
Adams, Raymond .....	\$ .75	\$3.00	\$3.75
Badershall, Fred .....		3.00	3.00
Baker, Forrest R. ....	1.00	3.00	4.00
Ball, C. T. ....	1.00		1.00
Bartlett, Samuel .....		3.00	3.00
Betts, Frank .....		3.00	3.00
Betts, Wm. J. ....	1.25		1.25
Bowden, Harrison .....	8.75		8.75
Bowden, Melville .....	7.50	3.00	10.50
Burgoyne, Edward .....		3.00	3.00
Byers, Richard .....		3.00	3.00
Card, Henry .....		3.00	3.00
Chase, John .....	2.75	3.00	5.75

Clark, Martin	1.25	3.00	4.25
DeGrasse, Fred		3.00	3.00
Doyle, Eric		3.00	3.00
Doyle, Ralph	1.25		1.25
Goupee, John		3.00	3.00
Graves, Wallace	2.50		2.50
Grant, Geo. B.		3.00	3.00
Hanscom, H. E.	4.25	3.00	7.25
Hardie, Geo.	1.25	3.00	4.25
Hatch, W. N.	1.00		1.00
Heaton, Albert		3.00	3.00
Hodgdon, Chas.		3.00	3.00
Hayward, Arthur		3.00	3.00
Jessen, V. H.	.75	3.00	3.75
Jones, Robert	1.00	3.00	4.00
Leathers, Clifford J.		3.00	3.00
Leathers, Wilbur		3.00	3.00
Lindsey, Elmer		3.00	3.00
Littlehale, Robert	.75	3.00	3.75
McDonald, James		3.00	3.00
Noddin, H. S.		3.00	3.00
Nason, Wendell		3.00	3.00
Norton, Leroy	13.25		13.25
Norwood, Chester	2.25	3.00	5.25
Oliver, Amie	.75	3.00	3.75
Patterson, F. E.	1.00		1.00
Quinn, Reynold		3.00	3.00
Richardson, Olin	5.75	3.00	8.75
Rogers, Harold	1.25	3.00	4.25
Rogers, C. E.		3.00	3.00
Russell, Harry		3.00	3.00
Ramsdell, Russell	.75	3.00	3.75
LaCrosse, Fred	1.00		1.00
Shannon, Fred		3.00	3.00
Smith, Garvin	1.00	3.00	4.00
Snow, Edw.	9.50	3.00	12.50
Spencer, C. F.		3.00	3.00
Stanley, Olin		3.00	3.00
Staples, Arthur	5.50	3.00	8.50
Thurston, Roland	1.00		1.00
Wheeler, Everett	2.75	3.00	5.75
Wiley, Ernest	3.75	3.00	6.75

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 \$221.50

# Report of Selectmen and Treasurer

F. H. WISWELL, Treasurer

In Account with the Town of Orrington

## TRUST FUNDS

Burns Fund for the Worthy Poor

### Debit

Feb. 15, 1937 to cash in Bangor Savings Bank	\$3,089.61
Interest, October 1, 1936 to April 1, 1937	38.61
Interest, April 1, 1937 to October 1, 1937	39.10
	<u>\$3,167.32</u>

### Credit

May 1, 1937 to February 7, 1938 paid out	\$ 10.23
Balance in Bangor Savings Bank	3,157.09
	<u>\$3,167.32</u>

### Debit

#### Cemetery Trust Funds

Feb. 15, 1937, Balance in Banks	\$6,303.26
March 8, 1937, Amos G. Fitz Fund for care of Geo. H. Brown Lot at Dean Hill	100.00
March 17, 1937, Capt. Harry L. Nye Fund Pine Hill	100.00
July 20, 1937 Estate Elmira E. Lufkin for care of Rawson Lufkin Lot in North Orrington Cemetery	200.00
Interest Bangor Savings Bank, Oct. 1, 1936-Apr. 1, 1937	76.25
Interest Bangor Savings Bank, Apr. 1, 1937-Oct. 1, 1937	80.53
Interest Penobscot Savings Bank, Frank H. Eastman, Oct. 1, 1936-Apr. 1, 1937	1.50
Interest Penobscot Savings Bank, Frank H. Eastman, Apr. 1, 1937-Oct. 1, 1937	1.51
Interest Penobscot Savings Bank, Thankful Kempton, Oct. 1, 1936-Apr. 1, 1937	1.54
Interest Penobscot Savings Bank, Thankful Kempton, Apr. 1, 1937-Oct. 1, 1937	1.56
	<u>\$6,866.15</u>

### Credit

Paid for care of Lots	\$ 140.08
Balance in Banks	6,726.07
	<u>\$6,866.15</u>



## To Amounts Raised by Assessors:

State Tax	\$4,573.53
County Tax	1,210.19
Overlay in Assessing	1,047.46
Supplementary Tax	78.50

\$6,909.68

## To Cash Received from State:

Special Resolve Road Construction	\$ 985.80
State Aid Road	2,720.04
State School Fund, Secondary	700.00
State School Fund, Elementary	2,218.00
Snow Removal	122.65
Maintenance Unimproved Road	480.26
Repair of Roads and Bridges	50.00
Refund, Railroad and Telephone Tax	13.21
Refund, Bank Stock	19.11
Library Stipend	12.50
Refund, Dog Licenses	31.70
Lillian Cantwell Account	6.50
Mrs. Arthur Grover Account	25.29
George Greenleaf Account	171.28
Nichols Account	184.14

\$7,740.48

## To Cash Received from Other Sources:

Tax Deeds Redeemed	\$2,868.79
Transferred from Burns Fund	10.23
Transferred from Cemetery Trust Fund	140.08
Excise Tax on Autos	1,770.44
Eastern Mfg. Co., Use of Town Hall	4.00
King's Oil Co., Refund	.33
Treasurer of Levant, Use of Derrick	8.00
Fees, Weights and Measures	5.00
Austin Ingalls, Refund	4.80
D. C. Heath & Co., Refund	13.79
Town of Lincoln—Major Reed Acct.	60.29
Interest on Tax Collections	98.07

\$4,983.82

## Uncollected Interest and Cost on Tax Deeds

248.49

## Total Debits

\$48,821.83

## Credit

## By Uncollected Taxes:

1929, S. J. Williams, Collector	\$ 130.46
1930, S. J. Williams, Collector	144.75
1931, S. J. Williams, Collector	242.28

1932, S. J. Williams, Collector .....	146.75	
1933, S. J. Williams, Collector .....	196.34	
1934, S. J. Williams, Collector .....	135.34	
1935, S. J. Williams, Collector .....	158.44	
1936, S. J. Williams, Collector .....	149.71	
1937, S. J. Williams, Collector .....	221.50	
		\$1,525.57
<b>By Cash in Hands of Treasurer:</b>		
Memorial Purposes .....	\$ 1.75	
Maintenance Special Resolve Road .....	.55	
Repairs and Insurance, School Property .....	149.56	
Repair of Town Hall and Stable .....	182.76	
Snow Removal .....	296.75	
Support of Schools, Elementary .....	271.72	
Support of Schools, Secondary .....	415.88	
Town Funds .....	549.14	
		\$1,868.11
<b>By Warrants Paid .....</b>		<b>45,428.15</b>
		<b>\$48,821.83</b>
<b>Total Credits .....</b>		
<b>Amount Appropriated by Town, March 8,</b>		
<b>1937 .....</b>		<b>\$1,825.00</b>

**FRANK H. WISWELL,**  
Treasurer.

Treasurer's account approved and closed this fifteenth day of February, 1938.

**H. E. CRAWFORD,**

**P. W. GRAY,**

**R. L. PERKINS,**

**Selectmen of Orrington.**

# Report of Selectmen

## PAY OF TOWN OFFICERS

### Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$1,800.00	
Overdraft	8.92	
		<u>\$1,808.92</u>

### Expenditures

P. W. Gray, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor	\$400.00	
H. E. Crawford, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor	200.00	
R. L. Perkins, Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of Poor	150.00	
G. H. Jewett, Superintendent of Schools	379.92	
F. H. Wiswell, Treasurer	350.00	
S. J. Williams, Tax Collector	225.00	
S. L. Quimby, Sealer of Weights and Measures	10.00	
Elizabeth Gross, Health Officer	22.00	
P. E. Ayer, Health Officer	28.00	
H. E. Crawford, Acting Health Officer	4.00	
Mrs. Alma Clark, School Board, 2 years	30.00	
Paul Smith, Moderator, March 8, 1937	5.00	
Ethel B. Baker, Clerk, March 8, 1937	5.00	
		<u>\$1,808.92</u>

## STATE AND COUNTY TAX

### Receipts

Amount raised by the Assessors	\$5,783.72	
		<u>\$5,783.72</u>

### Expenditures

State Treasurer	\$4,573.53	
County Treasurer	1,210.19	
		<u>\$5,783.72</u>

## BURNS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

### Receipts

State Treasurer	\$12.50	
		<u>\$12.50</u>

### Expenditures

Treasurer, Burns Memorial Library	\$12.50	
		<u>\$12.50</u>

## BANGOR PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$125.00	\$125.00
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## Expenditures

Bangor Public Library	\$125.00	\$125.00
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## SOUTH ORRINGTON SCHOOLHOUSE NOTE AND INTEREST

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$2,071.38	\$2,071.38
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## Expenditures

Merchants National Bank	\$2,071.38	\$2,071.38
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## MEMORIAL PURPOSES

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$13.00	\$13.00
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## Expenditures

Maine Fireworks Co.	\$ 8.75	
Will B. Smith	2.50	
Unexpended Balance	1.75	\$13.00

## MOWING CEMETERY LOTS NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$50.00	\$50.00
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## Expenditures

F. A. Dillingham	\$12.50	
Charles DeRusha	12.50	
W. W. Blanchard	12.50	
L. B. Blake	12.50	\$50.00

## REPAIRS, TOWN HALL AND STABLE

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$300.00	\$300.00
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## Expenditures

Labor	\$ 95.25	
Material	21.99	
Unexpended balance	182.76	\$300.00

## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$125.00	\$125.00
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## Expenditures

Hancock County Health Service	\$125.00	\$125.00
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## IMPROVEMENT OF TOWN HALL KITCHEN

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$50.00	\$50.00
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## Expenditures

Labor	\$50.00	\$50.00
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## HIGHWAYS

## ROADS AND BRIDGES

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$1,800.00	
State Treasurer, Reimbursement Payroll	50.00	
Overdraft	289.77	\$2,139.77

## Expenditures

Labor	\$1,918.66	
Material	221.11	\$2,139.77

## REPAIR, MUD HILL

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$150.00	
Overdraft	32.14	\$182.14

## Expenditures

Labor and material	\$182.14	\$182.14
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## THIRD CLASS ROAD MAINTENANCE

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$558.02	\$558.02
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## Expenditures

Material	\$ 16.30	
Labor	461.21	
Unexpended, Transferred to State Aid	80.51	\$558.02

## SPECIAL RESOLVE ROAD

## Receipts

Received from Treasurer of State .....	\$985.80	
Overdraft .....	35.60	
		<u>\$1,021.40</u>

## Expenditures

Labor .....	\$1,021.40	
		<u>\$1,021.40</u>

## STATE AID ROAD

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937 .....	\$1,066.00	
Received from State Treasurer .....	2,720.04	
Refund, Oscar Ingalls .....	4.80	
Transferred from Third Class Maint. ....	80.51	
Overdraft .....	278.02	
		<u>\$4,149.37</u>

## Expenditures

Labor .....	\$3,282.09	
Material .....	821.28	
Board .....	21.00	
Rent of Equipment .....	25.00	
		<u>\$4,149.37</u>

## SPECIAL RESOLVE MAINTENANCE

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937 .....	\$200.00	
Refund on oil .....	.33	
		<u>\$200.33</u>

## Expenditures

Labor .....	\$166.78	
Material .....	33.00	
Unexpended .....	.55	
		<u>\$200.33</u>

## PATROL MAINTENANCE

## Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937 .....	\$670.00	
Overdraft .....	72.80	
		<u>\$742.80</u>

## Expenditures

Paid Treasurer of State .....	\$742.80	
		<u>\$742.80</u>

## SNOW REMOVAL

## Receipts

Raised by the Town, March 8, 1937 .....	\$1,000.00	
Received from Treasurer of State .....	122.65	
		<u>\$1,122.65</u>

Expenditures	
Labor .....	\$825.90
Unexpended .....	296.75
	\$1,122.65

#### REPAIR, HINCK'S ROAD

Receipts	
Raised by Town, March 8, 1937 .....	\$300.00
Received from State Treasurer for Unimproved Roads .....	480.26
Overdraft .....	45.23
	\$825.49
Expenditures	
Labor and material, payroll 1-6 .....	\$825.49
	\$825.49

#### PURCHASE OF LAND, NORTH ORRINGTON CEMETERY

Receipts	
Raised by Town, March 9, 1937 .....	\$300.00
	\$300.00
Expenditures	
Charles DeRusha .....	\$300.00
	\$300.00

#### PLAN OF OAK HILL CEMETERY

Receipts	
Appropriated by Town, March 9, 1937 .....	\$50.00
	\$50.00
Expenditures	
Carleton Wiswell .....	\$50.00
	\$50.00

#### ABATEMENT OF TAXES

Receipts	
Appropriated from Excise Tax .....	\$200.00
	\$200.00
Expenditures	
S. J. Williams, Tax Abatements (1935-1936) .....	\$114.35
Balance .....	85.65
	\$200.00

#### MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

Receipts	
Appropriated from Excise Tax .....	\$1,400.00
Credits: Bank stock, Railroad & Tele., .....	
Fees State Treasurer, rent of hall and derrick .....	81.02
Overdraft .....	405.29
	\$1,886.31
Expenditures	
Miscellaneous expense .....	\$1,886.31
	\$1,886.31

## Report of Overseers of Poor

### Receipts

Amount raised by Town, March 8, 1937	\$1,500.00	
Overdraft	122.21	
Received from Treasurer of State and Town of Lincoln	447.50	
Received from State Pensioner	8.59	
		<u>\$2,078.30</u>

### Expenditures

Thomas Carlo	\$ 5.82	
Claim 1, Veteran's dependent, supplies	160.33	
Joseph Michaud, supplies	\$188.42	
Medical care	47.50	
		235.92
R. W. Gardner, supplies		239.91
Everett Jameson, supplies	\$ 16.64	
Board	256.42	
		273.06
Claim 2, World War Veteran		9.00
Claim 3, Veteran's dependent		7.29
A. L. Staples, supplies		4.10
Mrs. A. U. Mortimer, supplies	10.63	
Medical attention	42.34	
Transportation	6.00	
		58.97
Mary Prouty, supplies	\$ 14.62	
Board	255.00	
		259.62
Murray children, care of		405.26
Georgia Chapmen, medical attention		68.00
State Pensioner, supplies		8.59
Adelbert Keezer, supplies	\$60.79	
Medical attention	10.00	
		\$70.79
Claim 4, World War Veteran, supplies	\$ 36.49	
Cash assistance	141.20	
		\$177.69
Edwin Godfrey, supplies		47.20
Charles Lawrence, supplies		19.07
Claim 5, World War Veteran, supplies		21.18
Lilian Cantwell, cash assistance		6.50
		<u>\$2,078.30</u>

MOTHERS' AID ACCOUNT

Receipts

Amount raised by Town, March 8, 1937 .....	\$500.00	
Overdraft .....	230.50	
		<u>\$730.50</u>

Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer .....	\$730.50	
		<u>\$730.50</u>

INTEREST ON SCHOOL FUND

Receipts

Raised by Town, March 8, 1937.....	69.42	69.42
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Expenditures.....	69.42	69.42
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Orrington, Me., Feb. 15, 1938

PRESTON W. GRAY  
 HARRY E. CRAWFORD  
 RAYMOND L. PERKINS  
 Overseers of Poor

230.00	
9.00	
7.30	
4.10	
10.00	
43.34	
6.00	
32.97	
14.62	
325.00	
250.82	
105.23	
62.00	
8.29	
300.79	
10.00	
270.79	
30.49	
141.20	
217.59	
4.20	
10.07	
21.18	
8.70	
<u>\$2,078.30</u>	

# Financial Standing of the Town

Feb. 15, 1937	RESOURCES	Feb. 15, 1938
	<b>Cash on Hand</b>	
\$1,787.96	Town Funds	\$1,030.95
1,087.39	School Funds	837.16
	<b>Accounts Receivable</b>	
10,504.09	Tax Deeds and Liens, 1925-1936	8,041.69
	Tax Deeds, 1937	4,038.38
9,392.87	Trust Funds	9,883.16
486.28	City of Ellsworth	67.82
	State of Maine	522.84
60.29	City of Brewer	9.00
8.00	Town of Lincoln	
1,667.30	Town of Levant	
239.36	Uncollected Taxes	1,525.57
	Road Material, (Est.)	125.00
\$25,233.54		\$26,081.57

Feb. 15, 1937	LIABILITIES	Feb. 15, 1938
\$ 227.64	Accounts Payable	\$ 378.00
8,888.85	Notes Payable	7,111.08
9,392.87	Trust Funds	9,883.16
6,724.18	Reserve	8,709.33
\$25,233.54		\$26,081.57

Report of the Town Clerk

# Report of the Town Clerk

Vital Statistics of the Town of Orrington, 1937-1938

## MARRIAGES RECORDED

Groom	Residence	Bride	Residence	Place of Marriage	Date
Alfred E. Allen	Wallingford, Conn.	Marjorie E. Johnson	Orrington	Orrington	Mar. 25, 1937
William S. Palmer	Orrington	Roberta L. Spratt	Newport	Bangor	May 22, 1937
Charles W. Thompson	Orrington	Dorothy L. Harvey	Bangor	Bangor	June 9, 1937
Verney L. Babb	Hudson	Millie E. Grover	Hudson	Orrington	May 13, 1937
John E. Faloou	Orrington	Alice Marion Ferris	Orrington	Orrington	Sept. 25, 1937
Harry W. Dunham	Orrington	Erva M. Bunker	Orrington	Newport	Dec. 2, 1937
Ernest Myrick	Orono	Susan Vogel	Orrington	Prospect	Jan. 12, 1938
Frederick E. Goss	Bangor	Lillian Wardwell	Orrington	Brewer	Jan. 26, 1938

## BIRTHS RECORDED

Date	Name	Father	Mother
Jan. 16	Robert Bruce Thornton	David E. Thornton	Esther, nee McAfee
Feb. 1	Richard Louis Gerhard	Vernon W. Gerhard	Roberta, nee Jones
Feb. 2	Elsie Marie Young	Everett J. Young	Eva, nee Graves
Feb. 27	William Alfred Sawyer	Alfred C. Sawyer	Ethelyn, nee Rogers
Mar. 23	Esther Regina Hayward	Arthur F. Hayward	R. Madeline, nee Whalen
Mar. 30	Paul Eugene Ayer, Jr.	Paul E. Ayer	Annie, nee Page
Mar. 9	Marlene Francis McLaughlin	Roy A. McLaughlin	G. Althea, nee Leathers
Apr. 10	Beverly Ann Bunker	Philip B. Bunker	Ethelind, nee Scott
July 20	Alberta Ruth Mortimer	Albert U. Mortimer	Ruth F., nee Leighton
Aug. 8	Shirley Ann Langtange	Fred A. Langtange	Maude, nee Norwood
Sept. 29	Diane Frances Harding	Urban A. Harding	Helen, nee Moore
Oct. 7	Wilma Carol Hall	William B. Hall	Gertrude, nee Whitney
Dec. 10	Harry Erwin Hanscom, Jr.	Harry E. Hanscom	Bernice, nee King
Dec. 13	Shirley Irene Collins	Raymond W. Collins	Hildred, nee Kent
Dec. 22	Loretta Madge Jensen	Valdemar H. Jensen	Rita, nee Leighton

## DEATHS RECORDED

Date	Name	Place	Age	Cause of Death
Jan. 29	Edith W. Brooks	Brewer	74	Bronchial Pneumonia
Feb. 14	Kenneth M. Archibald	Bangor	57	Broncho Pneumonia
Mar. 8	Doris Sproul	Fairfield	28	Tuberculosis of Lungs
Mar. 21	Elizabeth Harriman	Bucksport	80	Chonic Encephalitis
Mar. 21	George M. Eldridge	Orrington	63	Dilated Heart
Mar. 24	Benjamin B. McEwen	Orrington	52	Acute Lobar Pneumonia
Apr. 3	Addie J. Wood	Boston	82	Coronary Thrombosis
Apr. 10	Melvin R. Freeman	Quincy, Mass.	90	Myocarditis
Apr. 2	Sarah I. Nickerson	Orrington	71	Cancer of colon
Apr. 10	Herbert C. Mitchell	Orrington	61	Angina Pectoris
Apr. 17	Lewis H. Atwood	Castine	48	Chronic Bronchietasis
May 5	Kimball Means	Bangor	88	Cardio renal disease
May 12	Paul Crippen	Los Angeles, Cal.	55	Fracture of skull
June 12	Oliver M. Nason	Orrington	57	Coronary Thrombosis
June 21	Andrew Psybylaski	Orrington	51	Carcinoma of Stomach
July 9	Frederick P. Spencer	Springfield, Mass.	58	
Aug. 1	Austin E. Seavey	Trenton	83	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Aug. 10	Anna J. Buzzell	Bangor	66	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Sept. 1	Harry L. Nye	Portland	66	Pulmonary edema
Oct. 17	Amanda F. Doughty	Orrington	82	Arteriosclerotic heart disease
Nov. 1	Edward J. Jameson	Brewer	72	Hypertensive heart disease
Nov. 17	Marie C. Broeg	Arlington, Mass.	77	Gen. Arteriosclerosis
Nov. 23	Elisha H. Babcock	Orrington	54	Pulmonary Tuberculosis
Nov. 25	David E. Philbrook	Orrington	76	Carcinoma of stomach
Nov. 26	Winfield S. Perkins	Bangor	82	Uremia and carcinoma
Dec. 29	Sewell H. Godfrey	Orrington	46	Conflagration
Dec. 30	Lizzie L. Atwood	Orrington	80	Fractured thigh

# Report of the Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Orrington:

I am pleased to submit herewith my fourteenth annual report of the schools.

The following statistics are included for a future record also for comparison with other years:

Number of children between the ages of 5 and 21, April, 1937	459
Number registered in schools in town, September, 1937	242
Number attending secondary schools outside the town	86
Number teachers employed	8

## Number of children in grades:

Sub-Primary	6	Grade V	35
Grade I	28	Grade VI	33
Grade II	26	Grade VII	35
Grade III	24	Grade VIII	26
Grade IV	29		

## LIST OF TEACHERS 1937-'38

William Hall, South Orrington, Grades 6-8  
 Elizabeth Clark, South Orrington, Grades 4-5  
 Geraldine Clark, South Orrington, Grades 1-3  
 Dagny Erickson, North Orrington, Grades 5-8  
 Helen Ayer, North Orrington, Grades 1-4  
 Harold Doe, East Orrington, Grades 5-8  
 Gertrude Thom, East Orrington, Grades 1-4  
 Dorothy Miller, Orrington Center

## Students Graduating from Elementary Schools, June, 1937

Walter Baker	Dorothy Eleanor Morrison
Ernest Bowden, Jr.	Stella Pyzynski
Lillian Frances Curtis	Josie Starr Quimby
John William Dalton	Rosella Alta Ring
Eric McDonald Dolley	Seldon L. Rogers
Vivian Ida Frost	Eleanor Mae Rothwell
Beatrice Estelle Gifford	Olive Belle Shields
Janice Lucille Glidden	Elizabeth Conley Spinney
Arline Ruth Harriman	Frances Roland Wardwell
Arlene Howard	Norma Louise York
George Samuel Hunt	Eleanor Adelaide Youmans
Priscilla A. Lindsey	
John Henry Lynch	
Marion Louise McLean	

The number attending high schools was eighty-six in the fall. Several boys dropped out during the year. Nearly all are receiving good rank, while some are making honor grades. It is pleasing to have another Orrington student chosen valedictorian this year at Brewer High.

The average school rate is higher than the average of the State but the municipal rate is lower therefore, Orrington did not share in the \$200,000 additional Equalization Fund granted for Education at the special session of the Legislature. Our educational program is far above the minimum requirements. This is accomplished only by sacrifice on the part of the taxpayers. There should be a more equitable means of distributing the Equalization Fund, also more State Aid for the smaller communities.

The building at South Orrington was painted on the outside and the interior of the building at East Orrington was painted. This work was recommended in the last report. There is no urgent need of any extensive repairs for the coming year. There is \$330 insurance premiums due before next February. The same appropriation of \$500 will be ample to pay the insurance and make the needed repairs.

The closing of Goodale's Corner School has worked out well, and been a financial saving to the town. There is a balance left in the School Account. The teachers were increased one dollar per week commencing at the opening of school in September. The salaries are still more than ten per cent below the maximum paid in 1929.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation to the committee, citizens and teachers for their cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

G. HERBERT JEWETT,

Superintendent of Schools.

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00	95.00
100	30.00
15	75
15	75
13	50
5.00	
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15	75
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5007.30	

Frank
Ernest Dowden
S. L. Quimby
E. E. Simpson
M. G. Dunton

# Financial Report of School Department

## SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT

### Receipts

Balance unexpended	\$ 185.52
Appropriation	7,625.00
State Fund	2,218.00
Interest on School Fund	69.42
Credit on books	13.79
	<u>\$10,111.73</u>

### Expenditures

#### Teachers:

William Hall	\$753.00
Geraldine Clark	648.00
Elizabeth Clark	648.00
Dagny Erickson	736.00
Helen Ayer	648.00
Gertrude Thom	622.50
Warren Nye	220.00
Ruth Lynk	297.50
Harold Doe	140.00
Eleanor Scanlon	255.00
Dorothy Miller	614.00
Elizabeth Worcester	128.60
Clara Aspden	65.00
	<u>\$5,775.60</u>

#### Janitors:

Pearlston Stubbs	\$ 95.00
Arthur Williams	175.00
Harold Hall	95.00
Pratt Smith	190.00
Josie Quimby	15.75
Stella Pyzynski	15.75
Harding Bartlett	13.50
A. F. Freeman (Census)	8.00
	<u>\$608.00</u>

#### Fuel:

Ernest Bowden	\$286.87
S. L. Quimby	5.00
R. R. Simpson	362.49
M. G. Dunton	13.00
	<u>\$667.36</u>

Conveyance:

Pearlston Stubbs .....	\$195.50	
Harold Hall .....	212.30	
Pratt Smith .....	140.00	
Charles Prahm .....	577.50	
T. W. Gowen .....	649.00	
Harold Johnson .....	95.76	
D. M. Dodge .....	21.10	
F. D. Bowden .....	66.31	
Sherman Quimby .....	28.00	
Goode & Baker .....	6.42	
Bangor Motor Co .....	.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,992.39

Textbooks and Supplies ..... \$ 796.66

Total expenditures .....	\$9,840.01
Balance .....	271.72
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	\$10,111.73

TUITION

Balance .....	\$ 871.00
Appropriation .....	3,900.00
State Fund .....	700.00
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	\$5,471.00

Expenditures

City of Bangor .....	\$ 429.12
City of Brewer .....	4,226.00
John Bapst High School .....	300.00
Coburn Classical Institute .....	100.00
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	\$5,055.12
Balance .....	415.88
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	\$5,471.00

## Repair Account

Receipts

Balance .....	\$ 30.87
Appropriation .....	500.00
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	\$530.87
Expenditures .....	\$350.44
Balance .....	180.43
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	\$530.87

## Report Hancock County Health Service Town of Orrington, Maine, Year 1937

To the Selectmen of the Town of Orrington, Maine:

I hereby submit a brief report of services rendered the town of Orrington by the Hancock County Health Service, February 1st, 1937 to February 1st, 1938.

During March, April and May 1937, classroom inspections were made in the schools of North, South, East and the Center districts, a check-up made of all the Seven Point pupils, and inspected all pupils who were absent at the time of the annual inspection of 1936 was made. At this time we had several cases of skin diseases in the schools of the North and South Orrington districts, which proved to be scabies and impetigo. The pupils were excluded from school and we were fortunate in not having other cases.

The work in the schools has continued much the same as other years. Full physical inspection given the pupils of the North Primary and Grammar, the Burns Memorial Primary and Grammar, the Blanche K. Blake Primary, Intermediate Grades, Grammar, and the Center schools. The Goodale's Corner School has been closed for this year. The inspection consisted of the routine weighing and measuring, the Snellen Test for vision, the Whisper Test for hearing, inspection of the teeth, throat, heads, scalps, for rashes, sores, as well as for personal cleanliness and infectious diseases. The defects found are as follows:

Number pupils who have decayed teeth	138
Number pupils who have defective vision	20
Number pupils who have inflamed eyelids	4
Number pupils with defective hearing	2
Number pupils with abnormal throats	53
Number pupils with obstruction of nose	19
Number pupils with defective posture	5
Number pupils with defective speech	5
Number pupils with defective skin	1
Number pupils with swollen glands	1
Number pupils with unclean scalps	6
Number pupils with tongue tied	2
Number pupils with 10% or more underweight	3
Number pupils with 20% or more overweight	4

Of the 244 pupils inspected, 193 were found with defects, and 51 eligible to qualify for the Seven Point pin and certificate. Of the 138 pupils having decayed teeth, 114 have decay of the temporary, and 61 of the permanent teeth decay, while 36 need prophylactic cleaning. It is an old, old story to every school teacher that a poor student may become one of the best students in the school when his teeth are repaired. Neglected decayed teeth ruins the health, poor health makes poor students.

Sixty-five school follow-up visits have been made in the homes in the interest of having the defects corrected. Since previous inspection there have been 6 tonsil and adenoid cases corrected by operation, 63 dental, 5 vision, and one scalp condition corrected.

Decayed teeth seem to be our greatest problem in the schools, due possibly to lack of funds and the distance between home and dentist.

Due to there being a State Child Welfare Nurse in Penobscot County this past year, the County Nurse had nothing to do with the usual "Preschool Round-Up" which is held each year by the Parent-Teacher Association. On her resignation from the work in the fall, the County Nurse did the usual follow-up of the clinic patients.

Arrangements made and conveyed a school child to Dr. Moulton's office in Bangor for eye refraction, and vision corrected with proper glasses.

The ways and means of financing the work rendered the many towns of Hancock County is met through the sale of Christmas Seals and by town appropriations, for which we wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to those interested in the Hancock County Health Service and the work which it "carries on."

Respectfully submitted,

Hancock County Health Service.

WINIFRED L. DUNPHY, R.N.

Hancock County Public Health Nurse.

## Report of White Pine Blister Rust Control

To the Board of Selectmen, Town of Orrington, Maine.

The following is a summary of white pine blister rust control work conducted in your Town in 1937.

At your annual 1937 Town meeting \$100.00 was appropriated for this work. Funds were also furnished by the Maine Forest Service, the United States Department of Agriculture and the Works Progress Administration. These funds were spent for the hire of crews that removed currant and gooseberry bushes, the cause of the spread of blister rust.

No. of men employed .....	10
No. of acres of land eradicated .....	400
No. of currant and gooseberry bushes removed .....	11,368
No. of man hours worked by the crews .....	628
Cost of eradication work to the Town .....	\$100.00
Cost of eradication work to the State .....	48.21
Cost of eradication work to the Federal Government .....	124.23
<b>Total funds spent for eradication work .....</b>	<b>\$272.44</b>

Very truly yours,

H. S. Bradbury Jr.,

Chief Scientific Aid,

Plant Disease Control.

## Burns Memorial Public Library

### Receipts

Jan., 1937, Cash on hand .....	\$ .27	
Nov., 1937, Received State stipend .....	12.50	
		\$12.77

### Expenditures

Nov., 1937, Paid Jennie George for books .....	\$12.50	
Jan., 1938, Cash on Hand .....	.27	
		\$12.77

ELIZABETH G. CROOK, Treasurer

## Report of Health Officer

February to August 31

1937

To the Board of Selectmen:

Vaccinated 50 school children free of charge, the Board of Selectmen furnishing the vaccine, by order of the State Board of Health.

5 cases of Scarlet Fever were reported by Drs. Todd and Weymouth.

2 cases of measles.

3 cases of pneumonia.

1 case of whooping cough.

1 case of mumps.

All were quarantined and houses disinfected at the proper time.

Two cases of blindness were examined.

Several complaints about garbage were investigated. Many complaints of the sewerage trench between the South Orrington Post Office and oil station were received and the matter was referred to the District Health Officer, Dr. Stanhope, Dover-Foxcroft, who came and investigated. Later the State Engineer was sent for further investigation.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH GROSS, M.D.

Health Officer

Burns Memorial Public Library

	Receipts	
Jan. 1937. Cash on hand		\$ 27
Nov. 1937. Received State stipend		12.50
		<hr/> \$12.77
	Expenditures	
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 All were quarantined and houses disinfected at the proper time.  
 Two cases of blindness were examined.  
 Several complaints about garbage were investigated. Many complaints of the sewerage trench between the South Orington Post Office and oil station were received and the matter was referred to the District Health Officer, Dr. Stanhope, Dover-Foxcroft, who came and investigated. Later the State Engineer was sent for further investigation.

Respectfully submitted,

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