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Town Officers

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

FRED I. LUCE

FRANK H. LIBBY

HENRY F. WORCESTER

Moderator

PERCY N. H. LOMBARD

Clerk

R. HAROLD HAMOR

Treasurer

A. LEON JONES

Collector of Taxes

WILLIAM J. MEWER

Superintendent of Schools

FRANK H. B. HEALD

Constable

LEWIS M. FOWLER

Regular Police Officer

WILBUR G. RUMERY

Trustees of Free Public Library

KATE L. LUCE, Term Expires 1924

BERTRAND M. WHITMAN, Term Expires 1925

CLYDE R. L. SNOW, Term Expires 1926

Health Officer

FRANCIS P. WEYMOUTH

Superintending School Committee

L. GERTRUDE WIGHT, Term Expires 1924

CHARLES A. DOLBIER, Term Expires 1925

CLYDE R. L. SNOW, Term Expires 1926

Chief Engineer of Fire Department

THEODORE H. MINGO

Road Commissioner

DANA E. HUNTINGTON

Auditor

RUTH MCKEERING

*RUTH H. ANGIS

Special Police Officers

LEWIS M. FOWLER, Chief

Herbert E. Trafton	George L. Thomas
Theodore H. Mingo	Henry Stewart
Charles F. Freeman	Walter M. Towle
George Letourneau	King E. Sears
Frank B. Emery	L. Sheldon Butler
Fred Clark	Timothy Crowley, Jr.
J. Nason Milliken	Otto Knack
Wilbert H. Staples	Adelbert L. Dorr
Albert Pettengall	Joshua A. Berry
Nicholas Coronios	Wilbur J. Tarbox
Zaphrin Romeo	James H. Gibson
Cornelius H. Downes	Frank Travers
Edmund Binette	Benjamin C. Wentworth
John A. Hopkins	Arthur Chase
Harry M. Jones	W. Gray Rumery
Fred I. Luce	L. N. Ellis
Thomas McLin	Frederick H. Googins
Charles Sanborn	

Sealer of Weights and Measurers

JAMES FITZGIBBONS

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood and Bark

Dana E. Huntington

H. A. G. Milliken

J. Nason Milliken

Auctioneers

W. WARREN HARMON

WILLIAM M. DAVIS

* Appointed.

Town Clerk's Report

The record of Births, Marriages and Deaths for the year ending December 31st, 1923, are as follows:

Record of Births, year ending December 31, 1923.

Year 1922	Name of Child	Sex	Parents
Aug. 13	Cynthia	F	Clement P. and L. Gertrude Wright
Dec. 6	Charles E.	M	Charles E. and Rose Cummings
1923			
Jan. 17	Raymond Theodore	M	Harold R. and Elvie Taylor
Jan. 24	Roy Stephen	M	Herman L. and Mattie Byrant
Jan. 30	Thelma Elaine	F	Albert R. and Helene Day
Feb. 6	William	M	Charles W. and Elsie Clement
Feb. 9	Helen Agatha	F	William B. and May V. Hay
Mar 12	Cyril Earle	M	Earle and Ruth Gifford
Apr. 15	Bernard	M	Linwood and Shirley Jelleson
May 12	Jean Paul	M	Armand and Marie B. Paradis
May 24	Eleanor	F	George and Gladys Shanks
May 26	Donald Stanley	M	Robert H. and Violet M. Ingalls
June 8	Leona Margaret	F	Arthur A. and Florence Gifun
June 14	William Owen	M	John S. and Helen Robinson
July 4	Paul Donald	M	Alfred T. and Beatice Morin
July 26	James Donald	M	Alfred and Rose Audette
Aug. 29	Not named	M	Clyde E. and Alice Alexander
Sept. 6	Clifford Theodore	M	Frederick and Marjorie Wandelken
Sept. 10	Raymond Francis	M	Harold F. and Harriet Andrews
Oct. 19	LeGrande	M	Charles F. and Lillian Freeman
Oct. 26	Elaria	F	Fred O. and Ida Watkins
Dec. 13	John Stanford	M	Ralliston G. and Alice G. Woodbury
Dec. 17	Dorothy Susie	F	Robert and Marion Williams
Dec. 21	Blanche	F	Fred and Susan DeGrace
Dec. 28	Helen	F	Frederick and Mildred Kasper

Record of Marriages for year ending December 31st, 1923

Date 1923	Names	Residence	Married by
Mar. 21	Frank E. Wakefield Helen S. Merrill	Old Orchard, Maine Saco, Maine	Rev. A. C. Goddard Portland, Maine
April 13	John T. Callery Mary V. Thompson	Worcester, Mass. Montreal, P. Q.	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard, Maine
May 12	Walter E. Cockerille Marion L. Butterfield	Old Orchard, Maine Haverhill, Mass.	Rev. John E. Clancy Old Orchard, Maine
June 5	John S. Shane Mildred H. Knox	Cambridge, Mass. Biddeford, Maine	Rev. Willis M. Davis Lisbon Falls, Maine
June 9	James E. M. Robertson Mary W. Pattee	West Sumerville, Mass. Brookline, Mass.	Rev. Edmund Laine Portland, Maine
June 10	Murray White Rose Polakewich	Lynn, Mass. Biddeford, Maine	Rabbi Moses Shohet Portland, Maine
June 24	Alfred Kay Ellen Packard	West Medford, Mass. Old Orchard, Maine	J. Stanley Dunkee Washington, D. C.
June 26	Henry DePine Marie F. S. Godin	Oakland, N. J. Montreal, P. Q.	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard, Maine
July 2	Louis Nicholas Clara Blanchard	Old Orchard, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. A. Edward Scott Biddeford, Maine

Record of Marriages, (Continued)

Date	Names	Residence	Married by
July 9	Guy B. Patterson Grace E. Warden	Boston, Mass. Cambridge, Mass.	Percy N. H. Lombard Old Orchard, Maine
July 23	Redmond J. Hanlon Barbara E. Molfo	West Somerville, Mass. Berlin, N. H.	L. E. Weymouth Portland, Maine
August 4	William Marlow Lavinia C. Richardson	Brooklyn, N. Y. Brooklyn, N. Y.	Rev. C. P. Edmund Portland, Maine
August 26	Elmer A. Tasker Helen P. Tucker	Old Orchard, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. John E. Clancy Old Orchard, Maine
Sept. 13	Max Averbach Lillian Lofchie	Portland, Maine Rumford, Maine	Rev. Charles Arik Bath, Maine
Sept. 15	Carl Clifton Tarbox Anna M. Richardson	Old Orchard, Maine Boston, Mass.	Rev. J. E. Redden Norway, Maine
Sept. 18	Walter G. Lambert Ruth D. Whitten	Randolph, Maine Farmingdale, Maine	Rev. Joel R. Herrick Old Orchard, Maine
Sept. 18	Bert Cairns Irene Fitzpatrick	Detroit, Mich. Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard, Maine
Sept. 20	Philip LaRou Gertrude Patterson	Portland, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. James Mullen Old Orchard, Maine
Sept. 30	Ashley L. Tarbox Gladys G. Clark	Old Orchard, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. Alexander Hamilton Old Orchard, Maine

Record of Marriages, (Concluded)

Date	Names	Residence	Married by
Nov. 10	Norman H. Stevens Elizabeth Clough	Kennebunk, Maine Kennebunkport, Maine	Rev. Grover Carson Old Orchard, Maine
Nov. 25	Clinton Morris Helen C. Burnham	Old Orchard, Maine Pine Point, Maine	Rev. Russell Colby Scarborough, Maine
Dec. 14	Peter Fuller May A. Pillsbury	Freeport, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. Ralph W. George Portland, Maine
Dec. 15	Lowell Chandler Margaret P. Jacques	Sumner, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev. Philip Boivin Rumford, Maine
Dec. 27	Paul Michaud Rose Bonin	Old Orchard, Maine Old Orchard, Maine	Rev James J. Mullen Portland, Maine

Record of Deaths for year ending December 31st, 1923

Date	Name	Age			Cause of Death
		Y	M	D	
Jan. 28	James L. Ripley	76	1	0	Angina Pectoris
Feb. 1	Hanna M. C. Estes	86	4	24	Myocarditis
Feb. 25	Edwin C. Stanchfield	85	0	11	Senile Paralysis
Feb. 27	Nancy J. Turner	85	9	23	Broncho Pneumonia
March 5	Flora E. Peckham	68	0	0	Carcinoma of Stomach
March 2	Elmer E. Googins	62	1	23	Fatty Heart
March 17	John M. Norton	83	8	19	Secondary Cerebral Hemorrhage
March 24	Clifford W. Eastman	55	7	10	Uremia
April 18	Frances V. Wilson	73	10	23	Valvular Heart Disease
May 26	Arabella C. Horn	76	11	11	Broncho Pneumonia
May 30	Cyril E. Gifford	0	2	18	Broncho Pneumonia
June 16	Panline Dumais	2	4	12	Broncho Pneumonia
June 20	John Mitchell	83	8	16	Arteris Sclerosis
July 20	Annie H. Simpson	65	2	20	Heart Failure
July 21	William H. Moore	60	0	0	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Aug. 9	Mary J. Webster	68	9	5	Heart Failure
Aug. 9	Nellie D. Batchelder	58	4	25	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Aug. 9	Abbie R. McIntyre	81	0	0	Angina Pectoris
Aug. 31	Hattie M. O. Dolbier	51	8	24	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis
Sept. 17	Bertha A. Pease	39	11	26	Accidental drowning
Sept. 22	Charles Smith	87	2	3	Arteris Sclerosis
Sept. 21	Charles K. Sanborn	48	4	29	Angina Pectoris
Sept. 21	Ebben A. Cousins	37	0	14	Valvular Heart Disease
Sept. 24	Leroy S. Butler	42	6	16	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Sept. 28	Frantz A. Meiling	56	0	0	Chronic Interstitial Nephritis
Oct. 4	Fred E. Allen	42	5	13	Acute Lobar Pneumonia
Oct. 13	Roxey Gifun	64	1	26	Diabetis Millitus
Nov. 3	Abner C. Hill	86	6	6	Myocarditis
Nov. 28	Anna Cragne	75	5	26	Cerebral Hemorrhage
Dec. 23	Mary E. Meserve	89	2	12	Arteris Sclerosis
Dec. 31	Florin G. Herrick	81	6	26	Senility

R. HAROLD HAMOR,

City Clerk.

Assessor's Report

Rate of assessment, \$25.00 per \$1,000.00.	
Rate of assessment on polls, \$3.00.	
Valuable of real estate, non-resident	\$1,686,705.00
Valuation of real estate, resident	1,356,165.00
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Total real estate	\$3,042,870.00
Valuation of personal estate, resident	\$129,575.00
Valuation of personal estate, non-resident	30,200.00
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Total personal estate	\$ 159,775.00
Valuation of real and personal estate, non-resident	\$1,716,905.00
Valuation of real and personal estate, resident	1,485,740.00
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Grand total	\$3,202,645.00

OUTSIDE SPECIAL LIMITS

Valuation of real and personal estate, resident	\$174,360.00
Valuation of real and personal estate, non-resident	52,235.00
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Total	\$ 227,595.00
Valuation of buildings	\$2,057,815.00
Valuation of land	985,055.00
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Total	\$3,042,870.00
Furniture	\$ 51,350.00
Railroad property	23,300.00
Stock in trade	44,325.00
Automobiles, 159	43,750.00
Electric Light & Power Co.'s property	18,800.00
Logs and lumber, 1,040,000 ft.	1.950.00

Horses, 53	5,400.00
Cows, 63	1,150.00
Mill property	1,300.00
Wharf property	7,500.00

SPECIAL LIMITS

Rate of assessment, \$10.00 per \$1,000.00.	
Valuation of real estate	\$2,818,875.00
Valuation of personal estate	156,175.00
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Total	\$2,975,050.00

ASSESSMENTS

Polls 460	\$ 1,380.00
Real estate, resident	33,373.00
Personal, resident	3,214.39
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	\$36,587.39
Dust, resident	\$1,617.75
Real Estate, non-resident	42,249.42
Personal, non-resident	712.51
Dust, non-resident	1,718.50

SPECIAL TAX

Resident, real estate	\$12,791.05
Resident, personal	1,192.75
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	\$13,983.80
Non-resident, real estate	\$16,347 20
Non-resident, personal	279 00
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	\$16,626.20

Respectfully submitted,

FRED I. LUCE	} Assessors
FRANK H. LIBBY	
HENRY F. WORCESTER	

Selectmen's Report

ABATEMENTMENTS AND COMMISSIONS

Appropriation		\$1,500 00
Paid L. S. Butler, collector	\$ 71 72	
Mirror Publishing Co.	4 00	
W. J. Mewer, collector, com- mission	1,000 00	
W. J. Mewer, collector, abatements	378 31	
	<hr/>	\$1,454 03
Balance unexpended		45 97

HYDRANT RENTAL

Appropriation		\$ 7,605 00
Paid Biddeford & Saco Water Co.	\$11,325 00	
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Overdraft		3,720 00

TEXT BOOKS

Balance January 1, 1923	\$ 1 18	
Funk & Wagnalls Co., refund	9 96	
Appropriation	400 00	
	<hr/>	\$411 14
Paid Funk & Wagnalls Co., books	\$ 13 42	
John C. Winston Co., books	12 50	
Silver Burdette Co., books	30 84	
Rand, McNally & Co., books	3 26	
American Book Co., books	28 40	
Allyn & Bacon, books	24 19	
The Macmillian Co., books	52 30	

Emil Ascher, books	3 70	
Ginn & Co., books	32 15	
World Book Co., books	32	
D. C. Heath & Co., books	42 39	
J. B. Lippincott Co., books	2 36	
The Hall-Mack Co., books	4 13	
C. C. Birchard & Co., books	8 96	
Houghton, Mifflin Co., books	16 20	
Literary Digest, books	4 68	
B. H. Sanborn & Co., books	3 34	
F. M. Ambrose & Co., books	6 85	
Scott Foresman & Co., books	18 07	
Hinds, Hayden & Eldridge, book,	1 90	
		\$309 96
Balance unexpended		101 18

COMMON SCHOOLS

Balance in treasury January 1,		
1923	\$ 185 59	
Appropriation	5,800 00	
State School Fund	2,147 73	
		\$8,133 32
Paid E. E. Googins, janitor	\$ 48 00	
E. E. Googins, Estate, janitor	12 00	
J. W. Hersom, janitor	277 87	
M. H. Fogg, teacher	1,209 96	
L. M. Nickels, teacher	1,162 80	
E. P. Tucker, teacher	1,099 80	
M. W. Tucker, teacher	1,038 64	
M. S. Christie, teacher	1,099 80	
H. M. Dolley, teacher	360 00	
W. R. Hobbs, janitor	28 50	
B. & S. R. R. Co., transportation	425 00	
C. C. Power Co., transportation	225 00	
F. H. Thurston, transportation	35 60	
G. A. Ricker, labor	29 00	

J. H. Leavitt, coal	699 82	
Biddeford and Saco Coal Co., coal	270 20	
T. Bolduc, wood	24 00	
J. S. Gray, janitor	134 00	
B. & M. R. R. Co., freight	5 55	
J. B. Larochelle, wood	23 00	
Pocahontas Fuel Co., coal	54 58	
Geo Jeffries, janitor	20 00	
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		\$8,283 12
Overdrawn		148 80

CONTINGENT ACCOUNT

Receipts

Appropriation, advertising	\$ 750 00	
L. S. Butler, taxes 1922	2,369 05	
L. S. Butler, tax sales	1,395 41	
State Treasurer, burial soldiers	100 00	
State Treasurer, state pensions	297 00	
L. Goldberg, account truck	53 96	
State Treasurer, taxes on bank stock	53 96	
State Treasurer, R. R. and Tel. tax	76 22	
State Treasurer, dog license refund	74 26	
P. N. H. Lombard, fines	20 00	
Tax Deeds, redeemed	961 76	
General Licenses	2,975 00	
Dog Licenses	123 00	
Supplementary tax	598 50	
Standard Oil Co., bbls.	4 50	
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		\$9,852 96
Balance unexpended		2,824 46
Paid Biddeford Journal, reports, etc.	\$ 180 50	
Celinda Batchelder, refund tax	16 50	
A. L. Jones, expenses	19 82	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	33 60	
E. M. Strout, damage	12 50	

Dr. R. L. Maybury, vital statistics	1 00
L. S. Butler, expenses, etc.	76 54
Newell White, supplies	4 36
Ameican Express Co., express	3 57
Amanda Michaud, bill	13 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies	21 23
A. P. Lary, labor and supplies	23 50
Portland Directory Co., register	4 50
Libby & Johnson, surveyors	48
R. H. Hamor, clerk	5 04
F. A. Sidelinger, ballot clerk, etc.	28 25
H. Stewart, ballot clerk	7 25
J. W. Jordan, ballot clerk	3 25
T. B. Mullen, ballot clerk	2 25
P. N. H. Lombard, services,	78 50
Becker & Co., supplies	4 06
Fred I. Luce, account assessor, and collectors' books, post- age, telephone	268 96
L. M. Fowler, commission, etc.	199 43
R. Emmons, team	3 00
M. E. Hill Co., printing, etc.	68 30
H. C. Quimby, burial soldier	100 00
A. W. Richardson, pig	5 00
A. Hamilton, labor	9 80
H. J. Neilson, flowers	18 00
Smith & Sale, books	44 10
Reny Bros., printing	24 85
J. W. Hersom, labor	115 01
Chas. Hersom, labor	8 75
Mrs. L. M. Nickels, refund	4 25
Foster Printing Co., bill	7 75
B. & M. R. R., freight	7 39
Adelard Labbe, team	11 50
A. F. Dingley, arsenate lead	44 20
R. M. Hutchinson, pine blister	220 00

Kendall & Whitney, supplies	3 05
Ames Construction Co., labor	2 30
W. J. C. Milliken Co.	23 00
Maine Publicity Bureau, advertising	500 00
Grace M. Ridley, abstracts, etc.	62 04
Wharffs' Express, trucking	2 95
W. M. Towle, labor	8 75
Davis & Dolley, spraying	200 00
Henry Jordan, refund	7 00
Mrs. A. E. Raymond, labor	27 25
E. D. Kellock, advertising	500 00
Standard Oil Co., fuel oil	39 53
J. E. Lowe, labor	15 75
A. E. Osgood, labor	29 08
D. E. Huntington, labor	20 89
Chas. Day, refund	12 00
G. L. Thomas, labor	17 50
J. R. Herrick, labor	1 00
F. T. Clark, officer	24 50
H. E. Trafton, officer	7 00
C. F. Freeman, officer	7 00
A. L. Dorr, officer	3 50
F. A. Milliken, labor,	7 13
E. J. Bradbury, refund tax	8 50
Nick's Cafe, lunches	49 65
Burgess, Fobes & Co., paint	11 25
A. S. Atwood, taxi	1 00
W. H. Townsend, labor	1 00
York County Power Co., lights	4 00
Farley's Express, express	15 00
Herring's Garage, supplies	22 67
Mary E. Grey, expenses	3 57
F. P. Weymouth, service	7 00
J. L. Gifford, labor	3 75

Orchard Beach C. M. Association, bill	10 00
G. A. Ricker, labor	63 80
W. G. Rumery, officer	7 00
A. J. King, team	8 00
E. N. Coleman, supplies	9 00
Elmer Tasker, labor and supplies	80 00
F. W. Demerett, supplies	27 85
J. G. Deering & Son, lumber	162 90
R. R. Cameron, team	2 00
M. A. Watson, et als, refund tax	3 50
N. J. Soveir, truck	15 00
W. A. Hobson, bill	2 10
Megquier & Jones, fire escapes	275 00
H. E. Clark, express	2 00
Geo. Jeffries, truant officer	13 00
Mirror Publishing Co., advertising	4 00
E. Corey & Co., supplies	14 00
S. Harrisburg, taxi	40 25
Banker & Tradesmen, paper	14 00
Fannie E. Milliken, rent of dump	50 00
W. L. Bowden, aid	16 00
Geo. W. Gifford, protest check	6 00
John T. Tasker, refund tax	6 80
L. S. Butler, collector tax sales	1,395 41
State Treasurer, dog licenses	123 00
Transfer to Sanitary Account	500 00
Transfer to Police Account	500 00
Delia P. Rich, state pension	12 00
Isabella F. Strickland, state pension	12 00
Mary A. Clark, state pension	48 00
Anna E. Brewster, state pension	48 00
Adelaide P. Cousens, state pension	12 00
Edith McGovern, state pension	48 00

M. Frances Cushman, state pension	24 00	
Florin G. Herrick, state pension	36 00	
Hattie A. Cleaves, state pension	48 00	
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		\$7,028 50
Balance unexpended		2,824 46

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation, regular	\$3,500 00	
Appropriation, fire alarm boxes	150 00	
Appropriation, regular firemen	600 00	
Appropriation, hose Pine Park	400 00	
T. H. Mingo, collection	406 00	
A. W. Richardson, wagon	20 00	
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		\$5,076 00
Paid T. H. Mingo, chief and driver	\$600 71	
E. M. Fenderson, labor and repairs	129 98	
W. J. C. Milliken Co., labor and supplies	36 57	
Wharff's Old Orchard Express, cartage	25 15	
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co., telephone	52 98	
C. A. Akers, plumbing	35 36	
York County Power Co., lights, etc.	323 24	
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	69 60	
P. L. Roberts, supplies	242 70	
A. H. Blanchard, supplies	54 00	
H. Stewart, fireman	75 83	
J. A. Berry, fireman	50 00	
J. J. Scriptor, fireman	45 00	
H. J. Gifun, fireman	23 34	
C. H. Harmon, fireman	40 00	
C. A. Dolbier, fireman	45 00	
K. E. Sears, fireman	40 00	
O. Knack, fireman	40 00	
J. Hewston, fireman	40 00	

O. Bill, fireman	40 00	
J. L. Gifford, fireman	115 00	
W. M. Towle, special fireman	339 36	
I. F. Doyle, fireman	48 34	
H. Ricker, fireman	40 00	
C. Kirk, fireman	51 20	
Paradis Bros., supplies	7 02	
M. E. Hill Co., insurance	98 84	
D. S. Elliot, supplies	9 10	
Knight-Holt Co., battery	18 00	
F. B. Randall, supplies	15 00	
N. J. Laughton, supplies	3 61	
W. D. Hobson, Ford chasse	406 00	
B. & M. R. R. Co., freight	1 18	
J. G. Deering & Son, lumber	13 06	
Gamerwell Fire Alarm Co., boxes	155 17	
F. A. Nickerson Co., supplies	7 32	
M. F. Bragdon Pt. Co., supplies	5 00	
Day's Garage, supplies	75	
W. E. Cockerille, labor	3 75	
J. E. Lowe, labor	5 63	
Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co., hose	1,150 00	
Chasholme Garage, supplies	7 05	
Sears & Hinchliff, supplies	9 00	
P. Michaud, supplies	2 45	
American Express Co., express	1 41	
Milliken & Clark, lumber	3 19	
F. T. Clark, supplies	3 50	
Pocahontos Fuel Co., coal	54 58	
	<hr/>	\$5,583 97
Overdraft		507 97

LIFE GUARDS

Appropriation		\$1,000 00
Paid W. G. Kilner, officer	\$ 325 00	
W. R. MacDonald, Jr., officer	290 00	
A. J. Danielson, officer	290 00	
J. J. Miller, officer	220 00	
James Bailey Co., supplies	3 66	
	<hr/>	\$1.128 66
Overdraft		128 66

HIGH SCHOOL

Balance in treasury Jan. 1, 1923	\$ 695 82	
Appropriation	5,000 00	
Home Economics Course, State	705 32	
H. S. Collins, tuition	9 00	
P. E. T. Newcomb, tuition	6 00	
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Paid E. E. Googins, janitor	\$ 48 00	
F. H. Jewett, principal	2,749 68	
E. F. Hughes, teacher	849 42	
M. P. Blackman, teacher	1,449 72	
J. E. Clancey, teacher	288 75	
J. W. Hersom, janitor	122 88	
G. L. Lombard, teacher	505 54	
Helen Williams, teacher	311 08	
George Jeffries, janitor	70 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,395 07
Balance unexpended		\$21 07

SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

Appropriation

1,400 00

Paid J. L. Gifford, labor	5 55
J. J. Scripter, labor	28 21
C. N. Smart, labor	54 00
L. M. Fowler, labor	8 00
W. B. Robinson Co., heater, etc.	774 32
Mary Downey, labor	3 75
M. E. Hill Co., insurance	119 39
C. A. Akers, Plumbing	53 00
S. C. Ripley Co., chairs and desks	76 18
Edward and Walker Co., supplies	1 13
E. M. Williams, supplies	21 05
Portland Rubber Co., supplies	1 68
York County Power Co., lights	27 35
American Express Co., express	92
E. E. Babb and Co., supplies	17 69
C. A. Dolbier, labor	3 65
J. W. Hersom, labor	2 80
Wharff's Express, carting	3 50
N. J. Laughton, supplies	20 31
C. M. Hay Co., supplies	6 05
Tolman, Bradford Co., supplies	21 36
E. M. Wight Co., labor	5 70
Biddeford & Saco Water Co., water	65 00
Mrs. G. L. Thomas, labor	57 75
J. G. Deering & Son, lumber	26 69
A. J. King, team	19 00
M. F. Bragdon, Paint Co., paint	3 50
G. A. Anthoine, supplies	11 00
C. H. McCutcheon, supplies	85
Standard Furniture Co., desks	36 00

1,475 38

Overdraft

75 38

INTEREST—SPECIAL AND TOWN

Appropriation special interest	\$2,525 00
Appropriation town interest	1,500 00
Interest on sewer bonds	224 29
Received W. J. Mewer, collector	248 43
Interest on Back Taxes	33 78

\$4,531 50

Paid York Nat. Bank interest on note	\$816 67
York Nat. Bank interest on bonds	900 00
Canal Nat. Bank interest on bonds	1650 00
Fidelity T. Co., interest on bonds	1035 00

\$4,401 67

Balance unexpended

\$129 83

POOR AND MOTHER'S AID

Appropriation	\$1,600 00
Received Walter Patterson	2 16
Received Treasurer of State	300 00

\$1,902 16

Paid Lena P. Stone aid	\$554 97
C. A. Anderson board Miss Morrill	627 40
E. J. Manley board Miss Morrill	12 00
T. Bolduc fuel	17 25
Paradis Bros. supplies	2 00
Treas. of State for board of children	286 14
L. P. Brown burial	90 00

\$1,589 76

Balance unexpended

\$ 312 40

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Balance in Treasury, Jan. 1, 1923,	\$ 4 26
Appropriation,	500 00
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	\$ 504 26

Paid H. H. Hay, Sons, supplies,	35 28
J. L. Hammett, "	15 16
Underwood Typewriter Co.,	
typewriter,	91 25
E. E. Babb & Co., paper, etc.,	7 91
Starkey & Toner, supplies,	81 92
Cambridge Botanical Supply Co.,	
supplies,	16 75
Maine Public Health Association,	
supplies,	4 67
Paradis Bros., supplies,	16 81
R. P. Clement, "	2 72
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	38 16
Porteous, Mitchall & Braun Co.,	
supplies,	2 50
Marks Printing House, printing,	4 25
Milton Bradley Co., supplies,	26 32
Owen, Moore & Co., "	1 59
Singer Sewing Machine Co., sewing	
Machine.	35 00
C. M. Rice Paper Co., paper,	7 60
Wharff's Express, carting,	5 40
C. C. P. & L, Co., light,	9 55
The Ingalls Store, domestic supplies,	25 66
G. T. Springer, clock,	10 00
Maine Dental Supply Co., supplies,	6 00
R. H. Hamor, express,	79

\$ 445 29

Balance unexpended,

\$58 97

SEWERS AND DRAINS

Appropriation, regular	\$2,000 00
" Milliken Street	2,000 00
W. J. Mewer, collector	20 00
Assessments	748 92
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	\$4,768 92

Paid L. G. Downes, labor	\$ 182 82
G: A. Ricker "	463 75
C. H. Downes "	21 12
W. B. Robinson & Co., labor	
and supplies	36 97
E. B. Springer, labor	1 63
A. E. Osgood, labor	8 13
American Express Co., express	1 27
C. W. Eastman, labor	4 00
R. Emmons, "	2 00
Paradis Bros., supplies	8 17
W. H. Staples, labor	10 00
Chas. Hersom, labor	59 50
W. J. C. Milliken & Co., labor	
and supplies	12 90
B. & M. R. R., freight	15 09
Celia F. Eastman, team	385 00
Winslow & Co., pipe	106 41
J. W. Hersom, labor	16 50
H. L. Bryant, labor	4 16
N. J. Laughton, supplies	4 95
C. C. Mewer, cement	23 75
Ames Con. Co., labor and	
supplies	1,494 24
Berger Mfg. Co., pipe	588 00
C. A. Akers, supplies	1 10
Biddeford & Saco Water Co., pipe	486 18
Wharff's Express, carting	60

H. V. Murphy, labor	93 75
D. Kennealy, labor	31 88
J. B. Larochelle, labor	17 50
Builders Iron Foundry, pipe, etc.	111 69
Puritan Iron Works, pipe, etc.	29 25
Edwards & Walker Co., supplies	39 59
A. Labbe, team	88 00
Libby & Johnson, surveying	33 00
Haley's Express, carting	3 00
York County Power Co., supplies	1 75
H. P. Googins, taxi	1 50
J. H. McAfee, cement	2 00

\$4391 55

Balance unexpended

\$377 37

NEW SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

Paid R. C. Wheeler, Engineer.	\$ 4,075 00
Evening Express Publishing Co., advertisement,	23 63
A. H. Milliken, ad. bids,	62 40
Biddeford Journal, ad. bids,	8 25
G. A. Ricker, labor,	287 50
W. J. C. M., labor & supplies	210 60
Winslow & Co., pipe.	40 00
Ames Construction Co., construc- tion,	7,240 43
Z. Romeo, labor,	10 50
B. & S. Water Co., pipe,	11,199 44
A. Romeo, labor,	7 00
Builders Iron Foundry, castings,	130 79
Eddy Valve Co., castings,	133 42
W. L. Blake & Co., supplies,	11 13
J. H. Ferguson and Co., con- tractors,	18,183 02
James Leighton, labor	7 50

Fidelity Trust Co., account,	
bonds,	184 59
H. V. Murphy, labor,	53 12
J. E. Lowe, labor,	7 50
D. Kennealy "	43 75
B. & M. R. R.. freight,	310 00
S. Harrisburg, taxi,	2 00
Portland Water District, pipe,	11 55
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	\$42,243 12
Bond Issue,	\$45,606 40
	42,243 12
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Balance unexpended,	\$3,363 28

SIDEWALKS

Appropriation	\$ 1,500 00
Special appropriation	1,954 00
West Grand Avenue	1,000 00
J. H. Goodkowsky	49 50
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	\$4,503 50

Paid K. E. Sears, labor	\$ 77 64
J. H. Gibson, "	81 71
A. Osgood, "	70 79
J. E. Lowe, "	72 58
R. A. Rix, "	53 05
Paul Magrath "	18 40
Karl Benway "	20 20
Timothy Crowley, Jr., labor	30 31
H. S. Wharff, labor	47 65
L. R. Wharff, "	24 71
Arista Rumery "	55 95
Wilbur Stone "	53 78

Thomas McLaughlin, labor	39 34
J. J. Downey, "	28 16
Geo. Hutchinson, "	32 29
F. H. Libby, "	18 95
H. F. Cleaves, "	39 53
O. B. Staples, "	17 86
F. H. Thurston, team and labor	43 25
Burleigh Danforth, labor	3 61
Forrest Stone, "	41 35
E. M. Rix, "	20 04
L. W. Smith, "	1 44
Chas. Kirkpatrick, "	6 50
A. C. Rolfe, "	11 38
J. D. MacDonald, "	26 00
M. Lary, "	6 50
R. Lewis, "	6 50
Carl Lewis, "	4 88
Curtis Gordon, "	4 88
Roy Emery, "	17 69
Robt. Wharff, "	1 63
Chas. Norton, "	1 44
W. J. C. Milliken Co. " and supplies	14 03
C. E. Lambert, "	1 63
Ernest Morris, "	22 37
John Brown, "	14 63
Clyde MacDonald, "	3 97
J. W. Stoneman, "	6 50
H. J. Gifun, "	6 50
Clifford Taylor, "	6 50
George Lary, "	15 16
Chas. Taylor, "	3 25
Wm. Taylor, "	3 25
J. H. McAfee, cement walks	2957 26
Ames Construction Co., repairs	4 50
D. Kennealy, labor	1 87
H. V. Murphy, labor	1 87
Libby & Johnson, surveys	18 58

Chas. Hersom, labor	1 75
J. H. Goodkowsky, refund	49 50

\$4113.11

Balance unexpended

\$390 39

STATE ROAD

Appropriation	\$ 1,196 00
State Aid Fund	2,593 25
Third Class Fund	380 38

\$4,169 63

Paid C. S. Burnham, blocking	\$ 20 45
Edwards & Walker, supplies	5 08
Milliken & Clark, lumber	93 15
R. Emmons, team	216 13
J. E. Lowe, labor	120 83
J. H. Gibson, "	124 58
A. E. Osgood, "	129 16
G. H. Fenderson, teams	430 97
E. M. Rix, labor	122 91
R. A. Rix, "	112 49
James Mogan, "	120 42
T. Mackel, "	91 25
U. Laroche, "	23 33
D. E. Huntington, Commissioner,	204 10
R. R. Cameron, teams,	238 38
W. H. Staples, truck,	421 66
M. S. York, "	421 66
E. C. Lyons, labor	122 08
J. Donovan, "	80 00
Chas. Hersom, "	66 66
Wilbur Stone, "	68 33
Thomas Hactor, "	8 75
D. Murphy, "	26 25
Frank Charron, "	27 08
Arthur Guilbert, "	2 08

W. M. Towle, truck	295 83	
William Greenwood, labor,	3 75	
Prank Travers,	1 87	
G. S. Coburn, "	77 91	
Wm. Taylor;	73 33	
J. Twomey,	56 25	
D. Rumery,	92 50	
C. J. Clancy,	26 25	
John Lombard,	33 75	
Chas. Campbell,	9 17	
C. H. McCutcheon, blacksmithing,	16 19	
H. A; G. Milliken, gravel,	22 50	
P. H. Angis, truck	73 33	
George Hutchinson, labor,	7 50	
Harry Hist,	7 50	
Nestor Realty & Brokerage corp., gravel,	120 00	
		\$4,215.41
Overdrawn		\$45 78

SANITARY

Appropriation	\$3350 00	
Transferred from contingent fund	500 00	
		\$3850 00
Paid McKenney & Heard, cans, etc	\$ 13 50	
L. G. Downes, labor	3 25	
Anthony DeGrace, labor	11 55	
Chas. Hersom, labor	250 00	
W. H. Staples, truck	15 00	
R. R. Cameron, team	850 58	
George Tousignant, labor	11 25	
A, Labbe, team	472 88	

J. W. Hersom; labor	26 40
A. Lehoullier, "	391 88
G. A. Evans, "	1 88
J. R. Herrick, "	50
Edwards & Walker, supplies	71 70
Mrs. C. F. Eastman, team	369 25
J. H. Gibson, labor	7 50
W. H. Townshend, labor	292 50
J. B. Larochelle, team	84 37
Arthur Osgood, labor	45 00
B. & M. R. R., freight	1 09
H. V. Murphy, labor	11 25
F. P. Weymouth, health officer	150 00
I. W. Cole, labor	9 63
Fred Allen	7 56
James Leighton, labor	75 00
B. A. Pettengill, "	251 25
Wharff's Express, cartage	1 35
N. J. Soucie, truck	388 88
S. Harrisburg, taxi	3 00
Harold Taylor, labor	63 02
Geo. Coburn, "	24 37
Calvin Taylor, "	69 38
John F. Foss, "	11 25
W. J. C. Milliken Co., labor, supplies	4 50
A. S. Atwood, taxi	6 50
O. H. Yates, taxi	3 50
A. J. King, labor	1 00
S. W. Atwood, taxi	50
C. A. Yates, taxi	1 00

Overdrawn

\$3975 07

\$125 07

TOWN HALL.

Appropriations,	\$ 1500 00
Appropriations, shinglihg,	700 00
Rental,	261 50
M. E. Hill Co., fire loss,	75 00
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	\$2,536 53

Paid E. E. Googins, janitor,	96 00
E. E. Googins, estate,	12 00
J. W. Hersom janitor,	468 00
L. M. Fowler, labor,	38 75
W. J. C. Milliken, Co., supplies,	2.86
York County Power Co., & Cumber-	
land C. P. & L. Co., lights,	206 70
C. A. Akers, plumbing, etc.,	21 48
W. B. Robinson & Co., plumbing,	41 24
H. P. Googins, labor,	9 00
E. L. Watkins & C., labor,	21 82
W. R. Hobbs, janitor,	39 00
K. E. Sears, labor,	1 63
G. A. Ricker, "	155 59
J. H. Leavitt, coal,	438 20
J. W. Jordan, labor,	2 16
N. J. Soucie, shingling,	250 00
J. G. Deering & Son, lumber,	24 74
Edwards & Walker, Co., supplies,	35 95
M. E. Hill & Co., insurance,	449 90
McKenney & Heard, shingles,	193 05
W. H. Staples, supplies,	14 40
Henry Bell, labor,	3 25
N. J. Laughton, hardware, etc.,	26 54
G. A. Anthoine, keys,	2 40
Wharff's Express, cartage,	4 40
M. F. Bragdon, Paint Co., supplies,	3 50
B. & S. Coal Co., coal,	136 70
Sawyer, Barker, Co., supplies,	7 89

Morgan Tissue Paper Co., supplies,	12 61
Biddeford & Saco Water Co., water,	45 00
B. & M. R. R., freight,	15 50
Sears & Hinchliffe, supplies,	1 65
Crowley Bros., cartage,	1 00
Pocahontas Fuel Co., coal,	54 58
Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	6 00

Overdraft,

\$ 2,843 49
306 96

TOWN HALL ADDITION.

Appropriation,

\$ 3,000 00

Paid L. M. Fowler, labor,	278 00
Theodore Fowler, labor,	89 00
Albert McDonald, "	46 50
G. W. Cleaves, "	100 00
C. C. Mewer, "	386 20
J. J. Scriptor, "	177 37
A. Cameron, "	178 50
M. E. Hill, Co., insurance,	28 80
W. H. Staples, lumber, etc.,	312 50
Scott Tibbetts, mason,	15 00
Charles Hersom, labor,	5 25
N. J. Soucie,	28 75
N. J. Laughton, hardware, etc.,	135 65
Saco Brick Co., brick,	24 00
J. G. Deering & Son, lumber,	1,405 99
C. A. Akers, plumbing,	46 64
F. G. Harmon, wiring,	75 00
Milliken & Clark, lumber,	38 95
G. A. Ricker, labor,	12 50

Overdraft,

\$ 3,384 60
384 60

TOWN OFFICERS

Appropriation	\$2200 00	
Appropriation School Physician	100 00	
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		\$2,300 00
Paid L. E. Willard, school physician	\$ 70 00	
Dr. C. P. Brown, school physician	70 00	
F. H. B. Heald, supt. of schools	499 62	
Ruth H. Angis, auditor	25 00	
P. N. H. Lombard, moderator	30 00	
H. F. Worcester, selectman, etc.,	300 00	
F. H. Libby, " "	300 00	
F. I. Luce, " "	300 00	
A. L. Jones, treasurer	400 00	
R. H. Hamor, clerk	150 00	
C. A. Dolbier, school commissioner	25 00	
C. R. L. Snow, school commissioner	25 00	
L. G. Wight, school commissioner	25 00	
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		\$2,219 92
Balance unexpended		80 08

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$ 400 00	
Received from State	40 00	
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		\$ 440 00

Paid B. M. Whitman, treasurer \$440 00

STREET LIGHTS

Appropriation regular	\$3,775 00	
" beach lights	427 50	
" extra summer lights	1072 50	
" new and extended lights	161 00	
" electric sign	225 00	
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		\$5,661 00

Paid York Co. Power Co. and Cumb. Co., lights	\$5,655 79
Balance unexpended	5 21

TOILET

Received rental, B. E. Gilman	\$ 300 00
“ account locks, B. E. Gilman	9 00
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	\$ 309 00

Paid W. B. Robinson Co., labor, supplies	\$12 50
Paradis Bros., supplies	3 35
C. A. Akers, labor and supplies	68 05
M. F. Bragdon Co., paint	19 85
W. M. Towle, labor	30 50
Edwards & Walker Co., supplies	14 54
N. J. Soucie, labor	9 00
Wharff's Express, carting	25
N. J. Laughton, supplies	6 25

	\$164 29
Balance unexpended	\$144 71

TOWN TEAM.

Appropriation,	\$ 2,000 00
Paid H. Stewart, driver,	\$1,248 00
W. J. C. Milliken, blacksmith-	
ing, etc.,	57 95
C. S. Burnham, blacksmithing,	12 00
W. Boivin, harness,	27 90
E. Grain Co., grain,	165 00
J. L. Slowman, hay,	108 18
Biddeford Box Co., sawdust,	43 75
C. E. Boothby, hay,	23 75
B. & M. R. R. Co., freight,	7 89
A. J. King, team,	2 75
W. H. Staples, supplies,	10 84

C. Hersom, labor,	1 75
Haines & Messr Co., wheels, etc.,	61 33
Edwards & Walker Co., supplies,	14 59
N. J. Laughton,	2 45
E. L. Hebert,	86 16
Kendall & Whitney,	16 97
Wharff's Express, carting,	6 95
Sears & Hinchcliffe, supplies,	2 60
B. Aronson, supplies,	9 00
M. E. Hill, Co., insurance,	36 00
R. H. Hamor, supplies,	1 30

\$ 1,947 11

Balance unexpended, \$ 52 89

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Appropriation	\$10,000 00
Special Streets	1,800 00
Road Patrol	400 00
Tarvia Assessments	3,244 75
Biddeford & Saco Water Co.	1,356 40
Tarvia receipts, other sources	135 00
State of Maine Highway department	1,189 40
Richard Emmons, loam	8 00
City of Saco and Cascade road	240 00

\$18,373 55

Paid G. P. Bolduc, labor	\$ 7 36
Treffe Bolduc, team	81 93
C. W. Eastman, team, etc.	92 88
A. J. King, team	179 50
J. B. Larochelle, "	317 52
R. R. Cameron, "	271 20
W. R. Hobbs, labor	81 04
L. G. Downes, "	60 32
Geo. A. Ricker, "	53 82

H. L. Bryant, "	207 81
H. V. Murphy "	55 41
Allen Cameron "	8 13
Chas. Morris, "	6 50
M. Reoux, "	8 13
Geo. W. Cleaves "	18 25
Clinton Morris, "	6 50
W. H. Staples, truck	1,407 27
W. J. C. Milliken Co., team, etc.	648 98
C. H. Downes, labor	19 51
J. H. Gibson, "	439 98
J. B. Lowe, "	507 21
Milliken & Clark, lumber	144 72
Carl Veazie, labor	15 08
C. W. Clement, labor	9 75
F. E. Allen, "	1 63
W. V. Murphy, "	4 15
A. Rumery, "	35 76
H. T. Cleaves, "	10 27
Walter Patterson, labor	2 16
Joseph Blow, "	1 44
D. E. Huntington, commissioner	784 65
N. Bolduc, labor	1 75
Thomas Remillard, labor	205 92
E. R. Morris, labor	14 80
A. E. Osgood, "	231 03
H. J. Gifford, "	5 41
Calvin Taylor, "	30 75
A. C. Fuller, trucks and labor	458 09
F. A. Sidelinger, labor	22 66
R. A. Rix, labor	191 31
Mrs. C. F. Eastman, team	87 40
Wm. Taylor, labor	142 52
Clifford Taylor, labor	5 41
Parker Tarbox, "	2 52
Geo. Hutchinson, "	5 41

Fred Kasper, labor	10 84
B. & M. R. R., freight	40 59
F. H. Thurston, team	105 25
N, E. Road Machine Co., supplies	10 50
C. H. McCutcheon, labor, supplies	22 15
W. H. Grover, labor	6 40
W. S. Burnett, "	251 31
E. C. Lyons, "	206 46
Fred DeGrace, "	8 75
Hiram Annis; "	202 36
G. H. Fenderson, team	713 46
D. Kennealy, labor	125 99
Lawrence Stewart, labor	10 50
P. D. Herrick, "	3 50
J. L. Jewett, "	70 73
Wm. Beaumont, "	39 20
James Mogan, "	238 14
Chester Cameron, "	128 36
John Kelliher, "	99 59
N. J. Laughton, supplies	42 48
W. H. Crowley, truck	60 00
James Donovan, labor	181 68
Xavier Conture "	43 12
Leon Leavitt, truck	15 00
I. C. Lyons, "	34 95
J. H. Leavitt, coal	122 60
R. Emmons, team	564 51
Melvin Gray, labor	139 17
Scott Pillsbury, team	23 25
John Wynne, labor	169 81
T. Fleurent, "	13 12
Geo. Toussant, "	27 09
Philip Descoteaux, labor	11 25
H. M. Benway, "	309 05
Thomas Mackel, "	120 44
Leary Bros., gravel	220 00
W. F. Wasburn, team	262 50

N. Larochelle, team	112 93
Eugene Guertin, team	221 29
Chas. Herson, labor	42 00
Arthur Gilbert, team	54 25
J. W. Herson, labor	120 33
Mrs. Ella Bailey	2 00
F. W. DeMerritt, supplies	2 01
C. H. Davis, labor and supplies	97 70
Edwards & Walker, supplies	2 65
Standard Oil Co., oil, etc,	284 02
Gideon Marceau, labor	30 01
G. E. Harnden, labor	6 55
N. J. Soucie, truck	283 75
C. C. Mewer, cement, etc.	18 78
I. W. Cole, labor	5 62
C. A. Akers, labor and supplies	10 91
Andrew Allen, labor and supplies	484 56
Wharff Express, trucking	18 50
H. A. Moulton, labor	3 75
The Barrett Mfg. Co., tarvia	4274 14
E. M. Rix, labor	48 75
O. H. Yates, taxi	6 50
State Highway Comm.; patrol	401 40
Lebanon Machine Co., signs	13 00
Libby & Johnson, surveys	4 40
Pepperrell Mfg. Co., lumber	4 98
H. A. G. Milliken, gravel	2 10
City of Saco, painting bridges	13 25
S. W. Atwood, taxi	1 75
C. A. Yates, taxi	2 00
J. G. Deering & Son, lumber	65 00
Nestor Realty Co., gravel	120 00

\$18,298 79

Balance unexpended

\$74 76

POLICE.

Appropriation,	\$ 4,200 00
Transferred from Contingent,	500 00
Fred T. Clark for uniform,	35 83
W. G. Rumery, " "	35 00
Eclipse Paint & M'f'g Co., refund,	1 43

\$ 4,772 26

Paid W. G. Rumery, patrolman,	\$ 1,240 85
Lewis M. Fowler, chief,	545 98
M. E. Hill, Co., printing,	7 25
Herbert E. Trafton, officer,	517 50
Paradis Bros., supplies,	2 99
W. M. Davis, rent,	100 00
Albert L. Dorr, officer,	388 50
Geo. L. Thomas, officer,	364 00
M. Linsky & Bros., suits,	70 83
Chas. K. Sanborn, officer,	227 50
Fred T. Clark, officer,	462 00
Chas. F. Freeman, officer,	136 50
John Murphy, labor,	10 50
J. H. Gibson, officer,	45 50
N. J. Laughton, supplies,	3 62
Edwards & Walker Co., supplies,	4 00
C. C. Mewer, cement work,	11 32
Eclipse Paint Co., paint,	44 00
E. N. Coleman, supplies,	9 00
W. G. Kilner, officer,	159 25
A. S. Pettengill, "	90 00
Donald C. Jones, "	126 00
J. L. Gifford, "	14 60
Z. Romeo, "	38 50
Otto Knack, "	38 50
Boston & Maine R. R., freight,	2 03
Traffic, Sign & Signal Co., signs,	41 80

W. J. C. Milliken, Co., labor and supplies,	1 50
C. A. Akers, labor and supplies,	4 69
Wharff Express, cartage,	65
Burgess Forbes, Co., paint,	22 50
Francis Harper, motor officer,	196 00
Mirror Publishing Co., advertising,	3 00
S. Harrisburg, taxi,	44 50
Omer Bill, officer,	21 00
J. A. Berry, "	10 50
A. S. Atwood, taxi,	4 25
O. H. Yates, "	3 25
H. P. Googins, "	1 00
S. W. Atwood, "	13 50
C. A. Yates, "	7 00

	\$ 5,036 86
Overdrawn,	\$ 264 60

Estimated Appropriation for 1924

Commissions and abatements	\$1,500 00
Common Schools	6,000 00
Contingent expenses, with advertising	1,000 00
Cancellation of bonds	4,000 00
Electric Lights,	5,750 00
Fire Department	4,000 00
Free text books	350 00
High School and transportation	5,000 00
School supplies	400 00
Hydrant rental	7,500 00
Highways and bridges	10,000 00
Highways, special	2,000 00
Interest (town and special)	4,000 00
Moth nests and pine blister	300 00
Mosquitoes	250 00
Poor	1,500 00
Police and Patrol and Life Guards	6,000 00
Library	350 00
School house repairs	750 00
Sewers	2,000 00
New Sewers	5,000 00
Sidewalks	1,000 00
State roads	1,196 00
Highway patrol	400 00
Sanitary	4,000 00
School physician	100 00
Town Hall	1,500 00
Town team	2,000 00
Town officers	2,500 00
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	\$82,090 00

Tax Collector's Report

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Old Orchard, Maine:

I hereby submit for your consideration the following report of collections for the year 1923 to January 1, 1924.

Amount of tax collected, real	
and personal	\$108.092 99
Interest collected	310 10
Received for laying dust	3,217 75
Received for sewer assessment	40 00
Poll Taxes	1,256 00

\$112,916 84

WM. J. MEWER,

Collector of Taxes year 1923

NOTE—This report was made up to February 8, 1924, so does not agree with the Treasurers report which was closed January 1, 1924.

ABATED POLL TAXES

Fred Allen, deceased	\$3 00
Charles Butler, over 70	3 00
Charles Day, paid in New Hampshire	3 00
Richard Emmons, over 70	3 00
Walter Emmons (Cloverdale)	
paid in Saco	3 00
Ossian M. Johnson, paid in Saco	3 00
James Linney, over 70	3 00
John J. Leary, disabled soldier	3 00
Frederick L. Miller, paid in Med-	
ford, Mass.	3 00
George H. Milliken, paid in	
Philadelphia, Pa.	3 00
Wallace H. Nickerson, over 70	3 00

Simeon F. Smith, address unknown	3 00
Fred A. Wing, paid in Portland	3 00

\$39 00

ABATED REAL ESTATE TAX

George E. Bailey, no special tax	\$ 4 50
Mary E. Finn, error in size of lot	1 75
C. R. Pease, excess valuation	7 00
C. R. Pease, excess valuation	7 00
Jerome Morin, dust tax,	8 50
Anna Given, veteran's widow	82 50
Hattie A. Livermore, veteran's widow,	12 25
Rolliston Cushman, tax on lot 21 Pine street,	7 00
Ida Arlock, no store stock,	10 50
Anna F. Walsh, error in size of lot,	1 75
Arthur Blow' double tax,	7 50
American Legion; untaxable,	7 00
Mary E. Smith, veteran's widow,	56 00
A. B. Travers, no auto,	3 75
Clarence Jackson, dust tax,	5 50
Elizabeth Olson, error on dust,	3 50
F. LeTarte, double tax,	5 00
A. Wormwood, veteran,	24 50
Edwin Moody. double tax,	18 38
Margaret A. Hill, veteran's widow,	15 75
F. J. Bradbury, no auto,	6 00
Ida E. Coffin, double tax,	7 00
Henry Miles, no auto,	14 00
Irving Doyle, no auto.	3 50
Martha Hoffman,	18 33

\$ 338 51

UNPAID RESIDENT REAL ESTATE TAX.

Susan and May Allen, et al.,	\$ 19 25
D. Brouillard,	54 50
Owen E. Hill,	62 75
Mary McGinn,	110 25
E. E. Stone, heirs,	57 50
Elmer E. Tasker,	68 25
Elizabeth Tripp,	26 25
Myra G. Worcester,	50 75
W. F. Worcester,	36 75
Deliska Verrill,	31 50

 \$ 517 75

UNPAID POLL AND PERSONAL TAXES.

Walter Burnett,	\$ 8 25
Daniel Crowley,	3 00
Jessie L. Day,	3 00
Joseph Dutremble,	3 00
Arthur Dutremble,	3 00
Arthur Entwistle,	3 00
Henry Gifun,	3 00
Arthur Gifun,	3 00
J. Gordon Goodwin,	3 00
Frank Gustavason,	3 00
J. Harold Hague.	3 00
William Haye,	3 00
Cyril D. Hill,	3 00
Ray M. Henry,	3 00
Henry W. Johnson,	3 00
Lapoint, (address unknown)	3 00
Alfred Massey,	3 00
Frank E. Mills,	3 00
Clinton E. Martin,	3 00
Pearl Morgon,	3 00
Charles A. Ryan,	3 00
Merton L. Saunders,	3 00

Percy Shorey,	3 00
Scott Tibbetts,	6 50
Carl Trott,	3 00
C. Trugon,	3 00
Frank W. Tabor,	3 00
George Todd,	3 00
Walter A. Williams,	3 00
Victor Williams,	3 00
Stanley Yates,	8 25
George Vaughn,	3 00

\$ 110 00

UNPAID NON-RESIDENT REAL ESTATE TAX.

Coronia Anthansia,	\$ 6 25
E. J. Bradbury,	157 50
Josephine Bickford,	31 50
Odler L. W. Brown,	19 25
John T. Chick, or owners unknown,	5 25
Maggie Cook Greene,	4 50
Maggie M. Cole,	2 63
Ethel G. Cohan,	3 50
Henry P. Charest,	7 50
Clark, or owner unknown,	12 25
Nathaniel Farrer,	2 45
Ida M. Freeman,	3 50
Mrs. L. J. Gerry,	26 25
Dr. A. B. Gerard,	2 50
William Hughson,	3 75
Theodora Harris,	5 00
Maryka J. Joannowich,	3 75
Mrs. C. L. Kimball, or owner unknown,	4 88
F. R. Kimball,	3 75
Kittredge & Co.,	17 50
Mrs. Annie Kane,	12 50
Mrs. B. R. Moore,	1 75
Thomas Marcotte,	2 50

Mrs. Isabelle S. Marr,	1 88
Helen V. McCarthy,	3 50
Claude Nichols,	4 38
John O'Neil,	4 38
Annie E. L. Powell,	1 75
Charles Phillips,	24 50
D. A. Plummer,	8 75
A. B. Robins, heirs,	21 00
Jacob Sheffron,	12 50
Efstathis Statkakis,	6 25
Percy Sylvester,	2 19
George C. and Peter W. Jordan,	3 75
Mary A. Ashlin,	2 50

\$492 16

Report of Chief of Police

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I am submitting my report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1923.

First I want to express my appreciation for the support of the selectmen and the citizens in the year just passed, also to the loyalty of the officers under my charge.

We had a very remarkable season, not a serious accident, nor a drowning until unfortunately one did occur after the season had closed.

There was not a case of pocket picking, nor any confidence games reported during the season, and considering the crowds we had it is a remarkable showing.

At the request of several prominent citizens I employed a motor cycle officer for six weeks or so to look after speeders, as a result speeding on our streets was practically eliminated. I also employed an extra man to be on duty from twelve midnight until eight a. m., so there was somebody on duty all the time. I found this worked out very satisfactory.

The Life Guards were picked men, all graduates of the Red Cross Life Saving Division and they did excellent work. I would recommend that a larger sum be appropriated this year. Some action has got to be taken in regard to the traffic problem. It is increasing so rapidly that we will not be able to care for it soon; the town is fast outgrowing its facilities for caring for the cars that come here and want to park. Hundreds went to other places last season for that very reason. Our season commences early in May with good weather, and every evening and Sundays there are so many cars that it requires the services of extra officers to look after them, which increases the expenditures of the department.

Library Report

To the Citizens of Old Orchard:

The Trustees of the Free Public Library present herewith the several reports of its officers for the fiscal year.

The Trustees have earnestly discussed ways and means, endeavoring to find some way that would give added room, which is so much needed for the library. You will see by the Librarian's report that over two hundred and fifty books have been added during the year, and unless more room can be obtained in some way the capacity will soon be filled.

A new and up-to-date dictionary, also a new atlas have been purchased during the year, and a set of books comprising three large volumes covering the late World War have been added and effort has been made to cooperate with the schools as far as possible, giving the students opportunity to obtain for a few days at a time all reference books that would be helpful in their work.

The Trustees would gladly welcome any suggestion, also would be pleased to receive names of books desired by the citizens of the town.

Respectfully submitted,

C. R. L. SNOW,

B. M. WHITMAN,

MRS. KATE L. LUCE,

Trustees.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

To the Trustees of the Old Orchard Free Public Library:

The Librarian's report being the report for the year 1923, is presented to you for consideration:

Total number of books Dec. 30, 1923	7,370
Volumes added by purchase	172
Volumes added by gift	98

Volumes lost in circulation	1
Cards issued	139
Present number of card holders	4,991
Largest circulation (July 18)	150
Smallest circulation (Mar. 7.)	23
Visitors to reading room	2,529
Amount of dues	\$71 66
Amount of dues from summer people	8 53
Total circulation	7,544

Respectfully submitted,
CLARA M. YATES,
Librarian.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE OLD ORCHARD FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1923, balance on hand	\$127 52
Town appropriation	400 00
State Stipend	40 00
Fines collected	71 66
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	\$639 19

EXPENDITURES

Paid Clara M. Yates, salary and disbursements	\$166 48
K. L. Whitman and Evelyn Came, assistants	30 75
Loring, Short & Harmon, and others, books	262 12
P. F. Googins and others, magazines	52 75
J. Kennedy, labor	5 60
M. E. Hill Co., and others, insurance and printing	24 85
Balance on hand January 1, 1924	96 64
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	\$639 19

Respectfully submitted,
B. M. WHITMAN
Treasurer.

Auditor's Report.

Old Orchard, Maine, Feb. 1, 1924.

To the Legal Voters of the Town of Old Orchard:

Have carefully examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector of Taxes and Treasurer of the Public Library for the fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1923, and find them correct and properly vouched for.

RUTH H. ANGIS,
Auditor.

Report of Town Treasurer

ARTHUR L. JONES, Treasurer in account with Town of Old Orchard, Maine.

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To balance in treasury January 1, 1923	\$ 3,118 92
Short time notes, York National Bank	38,000 00
State of Maine:	
To Tax on Bond Stock	53 95
Dog Licenses Refunded	74 26
Soldiers' Pensions	297 00
Public Library	40 00
Mothers' Aid	300 00
R. R. and Telegraph Tax	76 22
Road Maintenance, Highway Account	1,189 40
State Aid Fund, State Road Account	2,593 25
Third Class Class Fund, State Road Acct.	380 38
State School Fund, Common School Acct.	2,147 73
Home Economics Fund, High School Acct.	705 32
L. S. Butler, Collector, Taxes, 1921 and '22	2,369 05
L. S. Butler, Collector, Tax Sale, Feb., 1923	1,395 41
Proceeds of Tax Sales	961 06
Interest on Back Taxes	33 78
Interest on Sewer Account	224 29
Licenses, general	2,975 00
Licenses, dogs	123 00
Supplementary Tax	598 50
Wm. J. Mewer, Collector of Taxes, 1923	109,835 26
T. H. Mingo, Collections for ladder truck	406 00
City of Saco, tarvia for Cascade Rd., 1922	240 00
W. W. Harmon et als., tarvia, 1923	135 00
R. Emmons, loam, Cr. Highway Acct.	8 00
Walter Patterson, labor, Cr. Poor Acct.	2 16
Fines for peddling without license	20 00
Standard Oil Co., Cr. Contingent Acct.	4 50
A. W. Richardson, wagon, Cr. Fire Dept.	20 00
F. T. Clark, uniform, Cr. Police Dept.	35 83

W. G. Rumery, uniform, Cr. Police Dept.	35 00
H. S. Collins, tuition, Cr. High School Dept.	9 00
P. E. T. Newcomb, tuition, Cr. High School Dept.	6 00
Funk & Wagnalls, refund, Cr. Text Book Acct.	9 96
B. E. Gilman, rental, Public Toilet	309 00
Bond Issue for Sewers	4f,606 40
Assessments for Sewers	748 92
Town Hall, rental	261 53
M. E. Hill Co., insurance, town hall fire	75 00
B. & S. Water Co., Cr. Highway Acct.	1,356 40
L. Goldberg, truck, Cr. Contingent Acct.	55 00
Eclipse Paint and Mfg. Co., Cr. Police Acct.	1 43
Transfer from Contingent. Cr. Police Acct.	500 00
Transfer from Contingent, Cr. Sanitary Acct.	500 00

Total received

\$217,836 92

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Paid Short Term Notes, York Nat'l Bank	\$38,000 00
Two Serial Bonds, Canal Nat'l Bank	2,000 00
State Tax, year 1928	22,034 30
County tax	4,383 07
Selectmen's Orders	
Abatements and Commission	1,453 23
Contingent	7,028 50
Life Guards	1,128 66
Fire Department	5,583 97
Highways	18,293 53
Hydrant Rental	11,325 00
Poor and Mothers' Aid	1 589 76
Police Department	5,036 86
Public Library	440 00
Public Toilet	164 29
Common Schools	8,283 12
High School	6,395 07
School Supplies	445 29
School House Repairs	1,475 38
Sanitary Department	3,975 07
Sidewalks	4,113 01
Street Lights	5,655 79
Sewers and Drains	4,391 15
New Sewerage System	42,243 12
State Road	4,215 41
Text Books Acct.	309 96
Town Hall	2,843 99
Town Hall Addition	3,384 60
Town Team	1,947 11
Town Officers	2,219 92
Town and Special Interest	4,401 67
Total expended	\$214 760 83
Balance in treasury January 1, 1924	3,076 09
	<u>\$217,836 92</u>

Recapitalation

<i>Department</i>	<i>Approp. and Receipts</i>	<i>Expended</i>	<i>Unexpended</i>	<i>Overdraft</i>
Abatements and Com- mission	\$1,500 00	\$1,453 23	\$ 46 77	
Contingent	9,852 96	7,028 50	2,824 46	
Fire Department	5,076 00	5,583 67		\$507 97
Highways and Bridges	18,373 55	18,293 53	80 02	
Hydrant and Rental	7,605 00	11,325 00		3,720 00
Interest, town and spec- ial	4,531 50	4,401 67	120 83	
Library	440 00	440 00		
Life Guards	1,000 00	1,128 66		128 66
Poor and Mothers' Aid	1,902 16	1,589 76	312 40	
Police	4,772 26	5,036 86		264 60
Schools, Common	8,133 32	8,283 12		149 80
School, High	6,416 14	6,395 87	21 07	
Sanitary	3,850 00	3,975 07		125 07
Sewers and Drains	4,768 92	4,391 15	377 77	
New Sewerage System	45,606 40	42,243 12	3,363 28	
School Supplies	504 26	445 29	58 97	
School House Repairs	1,400 00	1,475 38		75 38
Sidewalks	4,503 50	4,113 01	390 49	
State Road	4,169 63	4,215 41		45 78
Street Lights	5,661 00	5,655 79	5 21	
Text Books	411 14	309 96	101 18	
Town Officers	2,300 00	2,219 92	80 08	
Town Hall	2,636 53	2,843 49		306 96
Town Hall Addition	3,000 00	3,384 60		384 6
Town Toilet	309 00	164 29	144 71	
Town Team	2,000 00	1,947 11	52 89	
Totals	\$150,623 27	\$148,342 96	\$7,989 13	\$5,708 82

Statement of Debt

Of the Town of Old Orchard, Me., Dec. 31, 1923:

DEBT DEC. 31, 1922

Fire Truck, Sewer and Note debt $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. bonds, 1915—1935	\$20,000
Town Hall, Comfort Station and Floating debt 5 per cent. Serial Bonds 1919—1929	34,000
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	\$54,000
Paid May 1, 1923 2 Serial Bonds of 5 per cent. 1919—1929 issue	\$2,000
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	\$52,000
Sewer Serial Bonds $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., 1920—1946	46,000
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	\$98,000

Unpaid Taxes

The following is a list of unpaid taxes in the way of Tax Deeds held by the town for redemption or sale; the amounts listed are the original figures, and do not include interest and charges or costs since dates given.

Geo. T. Edwards, 1919 to 1922	\$23 34
Fannie L. Johnson, 1912 to 1922	44 94
Mary A. Ashlin, 1914 to 1922	27 56
Susen and Mary Allen Et al., 1917 to 1922	77 92
Clifford and Delia Richardson, 1917 to 1919	143 43
Maryko Josanovich, 1918 to 1922	21 57
Martha A. Barker, 1918	15 02
Stella Sidelinger, 1914 to 1917	27 54
Wm. Hughson, 1917 to 1922	18 28
Wilbur Spaulding, heir, 1916 to 1918	80 89
Alice Patterson, 1910-16-17	8 89
Helen V. McCarthy, 1918 to 1922	36 63
Epasshises Slathakis, 1920 to 1921	14 40
Geo. Jordan and Peter W. Wescott, 1918 to 1922	20 84
Nathaniel Farrar, 1921 to 1922	5 66
Mrs. Marr, 1920 to 1922	7 53
Claude Nichols, 1920 to 1922	14 86
Millie Powell, 1921 to 1922	4 25
Theodosia Harris, 1921 to 1922	11 44
Anna Kane, 1922	10 72
F. R. Kimball, 1920 to 1922	14 38
Vashos Tepas, 1922	7 00
Josephine Lindstrom "	5 57
E. F. Alkazin, "	1 35
Cyrus R. Brown, "	27 05
Mary M. Ginn, "	111 58
Sarah A. Colby, "	74 17
John C. Chick, or owner unknown, 1922	7 32

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George Birmer,	1922	5 39
Thos. Marcott,	"	4 47
John T. O'Neil,	"	27 05
Helen Cooper, et al.,	"	84 83
Mrs. B. K. Moore,	"	3 82

\$998 76

OTHER ASSETS

Chas. E. Goodwin Est., cash col. on coal bills	\$ 94 40
Old Orchard Fuel Co., Chas. Goodwin, manager, balance due on yard	500 00
L. Shelden Butler, collector, 1922	373 11
Wm. J. Mewer, collector 1923	5,144 80

\$7,111 07

School Report.

To the Citizens of Old Orchard:

The present inadequate housing of our school children is recognized as the major school problem of Old Orchard. To this problem it seems best to devote practically the entire present report. That this problem is recognized by the people of the town is evident from the proposals for the solution of it during the past year. This recognition is a most hopeful development, for whatever may be the difference of opinion regarding the best solution of the difficulty, with a live, thoughtful interest, the result, satisfactory to those most concerned, is bound to follow speedily.

It is equally gratifying to note that all are eager to formulate a complete and adequate program to meet future as well as present needs of the town. In organizing such a plan the ideas of the investigating committee, board of education, state educational department and other interested groups of citizens will have a part. Obviously, this report will embody the ideals of the board of education and the superintendent,—ideals which they feel are easily within our reach.

As frequently stated before in these reports, Old Orchard is so situated that it may have the highest type of school system with a minimum of expense. The consolidated school—,which is recognized as the best type—is the natural school for Old Orchard. The vexing transportation problem is eliminated because of splendid car service by which pupils may be carried to and from school at pre-war prices.

Thus the only question left to be solved is "What kind of education will you furnish to your boys and girls in that consolidated school?" and at present the answer is based

on the other question, "What kind of school building will it be and what will be its surroundings?"

It is evident that the satisfactory building must:

- 1 Provide housing facilities for the probable number of children who will come into the school system;

- 2 Provide for proper distribution of those pupils according to grade or subject;

- 3 Provide proper facilities for the teaching of those grades or subjects along the lines which educational authorities in their increasing wisdom believe to be the best for our boys and girls.

PROBABLE INCREASE IN NUMBER OF PUPILS.

In the past ten years, the gain in the school census, i. e. the number of people in Old Orchard of ages from 5 years to 20 inclusive, has been about 40 per cent.

The number of pupils actually enrolled in school in the fall term 1923 was 274. Taking this figure as a base and considering a probable increase of 40 per cent. in the next ten years, this means that within that time the town must provide for approximately 384 pupils.

This is almost too conservative an estimate, for the following reasons:

- 1 It is recognized that the actual number of pupils attending school is growing more rapidly than the school census. In other words, more and more of those who ought to go to school are going as the educational system improves and the need of school education is becoming better realized. For instance, in the fall of 1916, the actual enrollment in our schools was 152; in the fall of 1923, seven years later, the enrollment was 274. The increase was 80 per cent. as compared with an increase in the school census of 40 per cent.

- 2 As the efforts to bring more permanent residents to Old Orchard go on, the per cent. of increase in school

population, i. e. school census, will be greater in the next ten years than it has been in the past.

3 As the educational system is improved by better facilities, more of the summer residents will stay longer since they will feel that they can place their children in satisfactory schools while they remain in town.

PROPER DISTRIBUTION OF PUPILS.

By proper distribution of pupils is meant merely the proper seating for the pupils without regard to facilities for education in different subjects which will be discussed under "Proper Educational Facilities."

To provide for proper distribution of pupils in Grades 1 through 6, allowing for merely an increase of 40 per cent., eight rooms must be provided. This will mean that for each of the six grades, a single room will be provided and that two additional rooms will be provided for overflow from those grades in which the enrollment is too great for one room. That this overflow provision is the minimum which can be accepted, is evident from present conditions. For instance, in the fall enrollment 1923, for grades 3 and 4, the enrollment was 34 pupils each. With an increase of 40 per cent., these grades would have 48 pupils each. Obviously this would necessitate the use of at least one overflow room in which the extra pupils from both grades would be taught. Even then it should be realized that the combining of two grades in one room is far from satisfactory.

Thus, any new plan should provide for eight rooms for grades 1 through 6. For grades 7 through 12, three home rooms, providing for about 40 pupils each, would probably take care of the actual seating of the pupils. One of these rooms would provide for the senior high school. The other two, which might well be connected, would be the rooms of the junior high school.

Thus, any new plan should provide for eleven "home rooms," i. e. rooms where the pupils might have regular seats.

PROPER EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES.

Old Orchard is indeed fortunate in its consolidated school plant in that rooms for special uses, i. e. rooms other than "home rooms" may be used by the entire organization from grade 1 to grade 12. This makes it easier for your board of education to carry out its ideals of having every room in the plant in use as nearly 100 per cent of the time as possible.

However, it is equally evident that rooms specially located and fitted should be provided for certain courses and activities which are necessary in any modern system of education.

These should be as follows:

One auditorium.

One gymnasium.

These are a necessary part of any system of education and are also valuable for community use outside of school hours.

Two science rooms,—one for the junlor science group and one for the senior group.

Two domestic science rooms—one for sewing equipped with tables and chairs and one for cooking, equipped with proper apparatus and utensils.

One manual training room for boys.

One commercial room, with typewriting room adjoining and connected by glass doors.

Ono library.

One room for health and general community activities.

As pointed out, all of these rooms would be used by the entire school whenever a group was engaged in the activity for which the room was planned. Each room, incidentally, should be planned specifically for its activity. It should be

noted that to insure more nearly 100 per cent. use of these rooms, no special class rooms have been provided for the so-called book subjects. These subjects such as English, history, etc, when they cannot be scheduled for the home rooms can be taught in these special rooms when they are not scheduled for their special use. English and like subjects can be very satisfactorily taught in a science or sewing room, but science and sewing cannot be satisfactorily taught in a room which is not planned for that special subject.

In addition to the actual teaching rooms as listed, of course the school should provide for proper administration rooms, such as the principal's office, also proper sanitary arrangements and provision of adequate space for storage, for eating lunches, etc.

In order to provide properly for the safety of the children as well as the reduction of fire hazard to the town of Old Orchard, a fire proof building is strongly recommended.

The school grounds should provide proper space for athletics and play. The school is the logical center of the playground. The close relation between the gymnasium and the athletic fields, particularly in allowing for the physical activity in the open in proper weather is evident. This recommendation does not suppose a monumental field for athletics, but rather a proper place, for instance, for several short baseball diamonds, rather than for one regulation diamond.

SUMMARY OF PROPER TYPE OF SCHOOL PLANT

Thus, a school plant which will provide for future as well as present needs will include eleven home rooms to adequately seat the pupils, ten class or special rooms to adequately teach the pupils, adequate administration, sanitation, and storage space. Around this building will be arranged proper play facilities. The whole plant should be so arranged as to allow the greatest possible use outside of school hours.

THREE POSSIBLE PLANS OF DEVELOPMENT

Three possible solutions of our problems have been under consideration of your board of education and discussed in general by interested citizens.

1 The first is the purchase of a new lot of at least five acres and the erection thereon of a building which will meet the needs outlined above. It is always easier and more satisfactory to plan and build any plant without the necessity of unplanning or unbuilding any existing, antiquated plant. Such a proposal would allow the use of the present plant without interruption of work while the new was being constructed. Such a plan would allow for adequate school surroundings and for further expansion, if in distant years it should become necessary.

Your board of education feels that this is the ideal plan but recognizes clearly that quite serious difficulties lie in the path of its achievement.

2 Another proposal, being given serious consideration, is to remodel and extend the present building, obtaining the best plant possible under the circumstances. An analysis of the needs seems to your board to indicate that such a plan, although it undoubtedly has considerable merit, would provide merely a temporary and at that rather unsatisfactory solution of our problems.

3 A proposal between these two has received favorable consideration from your board of education. This would be to add to the present school lot the adjacent property extending the lot to Summit street, and providing a lot 250 by 200. On the proper part of the lot, a new building could be erected, providing adequate facilities. Such construction could go on without stopping, although by noise and the spreading of materials over the lot, it might somewhat handicap the instruction given in the present buildings.

To this proposal, if the ideal of an entirely new site is deemed inadvisable by the town, your board of education respectfully invites careful consideration.

THE FIRST STEPS

It is probably true that financial difficulties prevent the realization of this aim at once or in one step. Therefore, your board of education recommends the following as immediate steps.

1 Purchase of the proposed extension of the present school lot. This could probably be done from current taxes. An addition of \$10,000 to the proposed school expenses for the coming year would probably not cause a school tax rate of more than .008 which is low as compared with the rest of the state. In 1912-22, the average school tax rate in the state was .0108.

2 Drawing of the general ground plan for a complete school plant meeting all of the needs outlined above. Such a plan might contemplate the arrangement of the building in three parts. On one side it would have the elementary school building; on the other, the junior-senior high school building; in the center, connecting the two, but available for independent use for community functions, the gymnasium and auditorium building.

3 Erection of the eight room elementary school building in such a place that the other two parts of the plant could be erected and joined to it at a later date. The cost of the erection of this elementary school building would necessarily be met by a bond issue.

The work of the schools during the past year has been a cause of considerable gratification. Not only has the academic work been high, but the social attitude developed between school and town has been particularly good. The lack of serious routine problems has not only given opportunity for the deeper and less interrupted consideration of the building problems, but it proved that our school pupils and teachers are worthy of better accommodations.

Perhaps the most serious obstacle to the best work in one field has been the necessity of having grades 3 and 4 and grades 5 and 6 in alternate sessions. This arrangement is

far from satisfactory. It is urged that funds be provided to furnish an extra teacher and to provide a room whereby this arrangement can be terminated.

The general run of school activities, including their achievements in various lines, have been placed before you in the press in a much more readable form than can be presented in a report. Reports which follow those most intimately connected with the school departments will also supplement this statement of school affairs.

The professional spirit of our most excellent corps of teachers is to be commended. They have a record of 100 per cent. membership in the National Educational Association and our town was the second in the state to report the same extent of membership in the Maine Teachers' Association.

Your superintendent also wishes to commend to the town the splendid devotion to the ideals of the best in education which they have shown during the past year. It has been a year which has called for more than the usual amount of work on the part of committee members and at no time have they been found unready to assume responsibilities, great and small, which their office has placed on them.

Respectfully submitted,

F. H. B. HEALD,

Supt. of Schools.

SCHOOL STATISTICS

GRADES	1923 Winter Term			1923 Spring Term			1923 Fall Term		
	<i>Length in Weeks</i>	<i>Registration</i>	<i>Aver. Attendance</i>	<i>Length in Weeks</i>	<i>Registration</i>	<i>Aver. Attendance</i>	<i>Length in Weeks</i>	<i>Registration</i>	<i>Aver. Attendance</i>
Junior—Senior High.									
Grades IX, X, XI and XII	12	34	31	10	35	31.8	14	37	30.33
Grades VII and VIII	12	34	27.6 ₊	10	33	29.4	14	39	30 ₊
Elementary Department.									
Grades V and VI	12	39	32.5	10	42	34.2	14	48*	35.7 ₊
Primary Department.									
Grades III and IV	12	55	41.4	10	61	52.8	14	69*	49.66
Grade II	12	30	20.7	10	32	27.2 ₊	14	37**	26
Grade I	12	24	19 ₊	10	24	21.5 ₊	14	44***	33.7 ₊

*Alternate Session, Grades V and VI, and III and IV. **Includes a division of Grade III.
 ***Includes a division of Grade II.

Roster of Teachers in Service at Present Time.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Years in Experience up to September 1, 1923</i>	<i>Professional Training</i>
JUNIOR—SENIOR HIGH		
Prin. Frank H. Jewett*	10	Bates College, A. B.
Marie P. Blackman	4 5-9	University of Maine, B. S. Summer Course, Keene, N. H.
Gertrude L. Lombard**		Bates College, A. B.
Helen Williams***		Colby University, two years Brooklyn Hospital Training School for Nurses, one year
ELEMENTARY DEPARTMENT		
Lillian M. Nickels	12 1-3	Farmington Normal, Summer Course
PRIMARY DEPARTMENT		
Mary S. Christie	9	Graduate Normal Department of Maine Central Institute Special Training, Boston University
Marion W. Tucker	7 22-27	Graduate Gorham Normal Summer Course, Gorham Normal
Ethelynn M. Tucker****	8 1-3	Graduate Gorham Normal Special Professional Course at Castine Normal

*Coach of Boys' Basket Ball Team. **Physical Training Director, Coach of Girls' Basket Ball Team.
 Director of Health Activities. *Helping Teacher.

REPORT FOR 1923

To the Superintendent of Schools:

In this my seventh annual report I wish to state that we have had another very successful year. In making a review of the work, however, and in measuring the progress that has been made, I cannot help but feel that if your teachers had had better facilities to work with the progress would have been much greater and the results more gratifying.

Our registration this year was much larger than in any previous year. Several of these students were transfer students and are now attending high schools in the South. They will be transferred back to Old Orchard again in the spring term. From this we can see that our schools are endeavoring to meet the needs of our summer colony as well as those of our permanent population.

Our faculty has undergone some changes during the past year. While we miss both Mr. Clancy and Miss Hughes who were very efficient teachers, we were glad to welcome Miss Gertude Lombard, a graduate of Bates College, to take charge of English and Latin, and Miss Helen Williams of Colby College to take charge of our French department. She is also health director for our entire school system.

We have continued the same high type of scholastic standing. We again received the privilege granted by the New England College Entrance Certificate Board of sending students to college on certificate. Last fall three of the graduating class entered the University of Maine.

This year finds us with an even greater number of activities in our school life than previous years. The new organizations are an orchestra, Glee Club and a Health Club. Very efficient work is being done in each of these. Especially efficient is this work when we consider the conditions under which it is being carried on—namely lack of room and equipment. We also have in addition to these, our athletics, our school paper, and our public speaking pro-

gram. All of these call for a vast amount of outside work from both teachers and pupils. The results however, warrant this effort for it is only by having these various activities that we are able to produce all round students and to give the best foundation for future citizenship.

Our dental and medical examinations this year were very gratifying. They showed a large improvement over last year. With our Health Director and the very efficient follow up work which she is doing I am sure we have a very strong health program. In a letter received just recently from Miss Buck, the State Health Director, after she had been here and made an examination of our work she states that we have one of very best health programs in the state.

The reports from the various departments follow.

DOMESTIC ARTS DEPARTMENT

What is more vital to the life of any community than properly and sanely managed homes? The Domestic Arts course at Old Orchard Junior-Senior High School is an attempt to give the girls the fundamental principles of Home making. To accomplish this purpose the following courses are offered:

Food, clothing:—7th and 8th grades.

Foods 1, Clothing 1, Household Appliances, Household Sanitation, Foods 11, Clothing 11, Household Accounting, Personal Hygiene and Home Nursing:—9th, 10th, 11th and 12th grades.

The value of such courses is far-reaching and essential to the development of every girl. These subject are not properly taught in the average home and therefore must become a part of the regular school program. The work as far as possible is of a practical nature, so that what is learned may be applied and used every day in the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MARIE B. BLACKMAN.

LATIN AND ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

The School and the Community:—

We sometimes forget the importance of the school. The adults in any community are the products of the schools. What the schools are the individuals who study in those schools are: the ideas of graduates are as broad and their ideals as high as are the ideas and ideals of the school from which they come.

Before graduation, however, this group is a vital factor in the community. The spirit of fair play, sportsmanship, self-control, honor and co-operation as it is manifested in the various school activities, is felt throughout the town.

The enthusiasm in the town demonstrations and in community interests evidences the spirit of co-operation. We have organized basket ball teams which serve as examples of training in fair-play, true sportsmanship and the ability to work together. We have organized a school orchestra and a glee club which, in a lesser degree teach co-operation, self-control and ideals of serving for the best good.

The students are eager, impetuous, enthusiastic. By closer friendship and understanding with those who have already graduated, each year men and women will leave school more truly and better fitted for life.

Respectfully submitted,

GERTRUDE LOMBARD.

Again as in the past years we have received the same loyal support from you and your committee. We realize that it is only by having such support, for a foundation upon which to build, that we are able to accomplish the best for Old Orchard Junior-Senior High School. Please accept our sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK H. JEWETT,

Principal.

MUSIC REPORT.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

W. Otto Miessner, President of the Music Supervisors' National Conference says, "Music is one of the great constructive forces in Americanization and in the inculcation of universal brotherhood."

From the primary grades all the way through high school we are endeavoring to give the pupils careful training in both practical and artistic music development; technical work sufficient to enable them to read and interpret music according to their grade, and through the study of Music Appreciation become familiarized with some of the best known masters of music and their compositions.

We have general assembly singing in the high school one period each week; also the Glee Club for those who wish to take more advanced work in part singing and interpretation.

The school orchestra rehearses outside of school hours. These activities are under the direction of the Supervisor of Music, assisted by Miss Gertrude Lombard of the high school faculty, who is proving herself invaluable in the work.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN M. DOLLY,

Supervisor of Music.

HEALTH DIRECTOR.

To F. H. B. Heald,

Superintendent of Schools:

A great deal of work along health lines is being carried out in the first six grades through the medium of the modern Health Crusade movement. Last year, the third and fourth grades, under the direction of Mrs. Christy, won a national pennant. This was one of the four to be awarded in New England.

The health habits begun in the Modern Health Crusade

are continued in the junior and senior high schools, through the health clubs. In order to be members in good standing in these clubs, pupils have certain health duties to perform.

The school greatly appreciated the advent of a first-aid cabinet. It has already seen much service, especially after basket ball games.

The excellent habit of serving hot drinks at noon, to the grade children who bring their lunches, has been begun by Miss Blackman, in cooperation with Miss Fogg, Mrs. Nickles, Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Ethelynn Tucker. At the town hall the same plan is being carried out by Mrs. Marion Tucker.

The examination of the teeth by Dr. Brown shows marked improvement over last year. Although there were not as many perfect sets of teeth, there were many with only one or two cavities. Many children have received dental care since this examination.

Dr. Willard found an improvement in the general physical condition of the pupils.

Educators are realizing more and more, the advantages of preventive medicine. That is the object of physical and dental examinations and also of the health clubs. Then, through increased bodily health, there will naturally come about greater mental vigor.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN WILLIAMS,

Health Director.

DOCTOR'S REPORT.

To Mr. F. H. B. Heald,
Superintendent of Schools,
Old Orchard, Maine:

I herewith submit my report on medical examinations in the public schools for 1923-24.

The percentage of defects is much less this year than last, and the percentage of those who showed defects last

year is greatly improved this season, the improvement being about 60 per cent.

There was a much smaller number of pupils with defects than ever before, which I think is largely due to the inspection.

Following is a list of the number of pupils examined and the number of defects found:

Number of pupils examined,	211
“ “ “ having skin diseases,	7
“ “ “ “ hypertrophied tonsils,	6
“ “ “ “ pediculi,	4
Respectfully submitted,	

L. E. Willard, M. D.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DENTIST FOR YEAR 1923-24

Portland, Maine,

November 19, 1923.

To Mr. F. H. B. Heald, Supt. of Schools:—

I desire to tell you that I have this year found a very pronounced improvement in the condition of the mouths and teeth of the pupils of your schools.

To review: The first year I reported 3 pupils with perfect teeth. 171 examined.

The second year I reported 26 pupils with perfect teeth.—205 examined.

This year I now report 33 with perfect teeth. 213 examined.

But there is another factor to which I desire to call your attention.

There are this year 16 pupils with only one cavity in their teeth.

There are 21 pupils this year with 2 cavities in their teeth.

There are 86 pupils with 3 cavities in their teeth.

These 37 pupils show that they are giving their teeth good care. I believe these pupils are doing excellent men-

tal work and I know they are far better physically than they would be if they were not.

This year I examined 213 children with a total of 1010 cavities, making an average of 4 158-213 cavities.

To show you the reason for this high average.

There was 1 pupil with 20 cavities. 20

There were 2 pupils with 18 cavities 36

" " 10 " " 13 " 130

" " 8 " " 12 " 96

" " 7 " " 11 " 77

" " 8 " " 10 " 80

" " 7 " " 9 " 63

" " 1 " " 14 " 14

516

Average 111-2

Respectfully submitted,
CECIL P. BROWN.

Town Warrant

March 3, 1924

To Lewis M. Fowler, Constable of the Town of Old Orchard, in the County of York:

Greeting:—

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Old Orchard, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in said town, on Monday, the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1924, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit:

1st. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

2nd. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

3rd. To hear and act upon the reports of the town officers and all special and standing committees.

4th. To see what action the town will take in relation to pay of town officers.

5th. To see what sums of money the town will raise: 1st, for common schools; 2nd, for free high school; 3rd, for free text books; 4th, for making and repairing highways and bridges; 5th, for the support of poor; 6th, for the pay of town officers; 7th, maintaining street lights; 8th, for contingent expenses; 9th, for sanitary expenses; 10th, for town interest; 11th, for repairing school houses; 12th, for the public

library; 13th, for heating, lighting and care of town property; 14th, for moth nests; 15th, State road patrol; 16th, public toilet; 17th, school supplies; 18th, for transportation of high school scholars; 19th, for advertising; 20th, for payment of serial bonds.

6th. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay collector's commission and abatements.

7th. To see what compensation the town will vote to pay the collector for collecting taxes for all moneys actually collected.

8th. To see if the town will vote when the taxes shall be committed to the collector for collection and what rate of interest, if any, will be charged thereon, thereafter.

9th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

10th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to issue town notes to pay those, if any, which fall due the present year.

11th. To see if the town will authorize the Assessors to make such abatements as they think reasonable.

12th. To see what action the town will take and what sums of money the town will raise to maintain a police force; to construct and maintain sidewalks; to construct and maintain sewers and drains; to maintain fire department; to maintain town team; for hydrant rental; for interest on debt incurred in fire

department, sewers and loans, all within the limits set out in Section IV, of the act of incorporation of the town of Old Orchard, to be a separate tax, to be assessed and collected as provided in said act.

13th. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State aid as provided in Section 20 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913.

14th. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,333.00 for the improvement of the section of State Aid Road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1913, or such other sum as is deemed necessary.

15th. To see if the town will vote to set apart the sum of \$1,000.00 from the regular appropriations for sidewalks and highways, for the purpose of maintaining and constructing highways and sidewalks in that part of Old Orchard known as Ocean Park, to be used by and under the direction of the Ocean Park local committee, Road Commissioner or Selectmen.

16th. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money sufficient to pay for the services of a school physician as required by Chapter 73, of the Public Laws of 1909.

17th. To see what sum the town will vote to appropriate for the purpose of cleaning beach during the summer season.

18th. To see if the town will vote to provide extra lighting on the sea wall during the summer months, and how much it will appropriate therefor.

19th. To see what action the town will take in regard to extra lighting of streets during the summer months and how much it will appropriate therefor.

20th. To see what streets or parts of streets the town will vote to lay dust during the summer months, the cost thereof to be assessed against the property thereon as now provided by law.

21st. To see what action the town will take and what sum of money, if any, the town will raise to maintain a winter patrolman.

22nd. To see what action the town will take in regard to lighting sign, now located at the foot of Old Orchard Street, and what sum of money they will raise therefor.

23rd. To see if the town will vote to maintain a permanent fireman at the Town Hall for the purpose of driving the fire truck when required and doing other work about the building and grounds, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

24th. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200, or such sum as is deemed necessary to purchase oil and apply the same for the extermination of mosquitoes.

25th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to appoint a building inspector for the ensuing year and determine his compensation.

26th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen in regard to permitting peddling on the Beach, or the taking of pictures thereon by transient photographers.

27th. To see what action the town will take in regard to permitting automobiles, motorcycles, aeroplanes and other fast moving vehicles on the Beach during the so-called Beach season.

28th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen and the Chief of Police to employ two or more special officers to act as life-savers along beach during July and August and what sum they will appropriate therefor.

29th. To see if the town will vote to extend Maplewood Avenue sewer a distance of about 150 feet northerly toward Sixteenth Street; construct a sewer on Park Avenue; construct a sewer on Francis Street from Imperial Street to new line of sewer recently laid through Seaside Park; construct a sewer on Sixteenth Street; extend sewer on Fern Park Avenue to Idlewild Avenue; extend sewer on Grove Avenue to Idlewild Avenue; and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor or what other provisions shall be made for the payment thereof.

30th. To see if the town will vote to place two or more firemen on regular duty at the fire station during the summer season, and how much money they will appropriate therefor.

31st. To see what action the town will take in regard to Daylight Saving.

32nd. To see what action the town will take in regard to pay of Superintendent of Schools.

33rd. To see if the town will vote to accept Crabb Street as laid out by the Selectmen.

34th. To see if the town will vote to place new street signs on Twelfth Street, Seaside Avenue, Camp Comfort Avenue, Cedar Avenue, Old Orchard Avenue, Highland Avenue, Walnut Street, Kinney Avenue, Roussin Street, Grove Avenue, Cottage, Odena Avenue and Graham Street, and what sum they will appropriate therefor.

35th. To see what action the town will take in regard to paying for sewer pipe purchased for Brown Street Outfall, and also take care of laying the same, whether by note or bond, and if by bond, what kind, serial or otherwise, length of time, rate of interest and denomination of said bonds.

36th. To see if the town will vote to accept Saunders Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen.

37th. To see if the town will vote to build a cement sidewalk on the following named streets and avenues: On northerly side of Saco Road from present termini to residence of H. A. G. Milliken; on northeasterly side of Myrtle Avenue; on easterly side of Roussin Street; on westerly side of Ninth Street from Temple Avenue to Randall Avenue; on southeasterly side of East Grand Avenue at Surfside about 500 feet; on easterly side of Portland Avenue; appropriate \$500 to build cement walks in Ocean Park in such locations as the Selectmen and the local committee shall determine; on northerly side of Walden Avenue; on easterly side

of Central Park Avenue, from Washington Avenue to Saco Road; on southerly side of Third Street from Union Avenue to Highland Avenue; northerly side of Francis Street about 100 feet; on the westerly side of Beach Street; on Northwest side of First Street from Atlantic Avenue to Central Park Avenue; on Southwest side of Central Park Avenue, from First Street, northerly about 200 feet; on Northwesterly side of Seavey Street; extend walk on Easterly side of Camden Avenue; extend walk on Westerly side of Summitt Street about 260 feet; and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

38th. To see if the town will vote to install the following electric lights: Yearly light on Wesley Boulevard; on Pine Street, corner of Eighth Street; on Ocean Avenue, corner of Bluff Avenue; on Pearl Avenue, corner of Grand Avenue; change three summer lights on East Grand Avenue between Surfside and Grand Beach to yearly lights; establish three yearly lights on Saco Road between Old Orchard and Saco line; change all two-months lights at Ocean Park to three-months lights; to establish four additional lights, in such locations as the local committee shall determine; change summer light on Central Park Avenue to yearly light; change summer light corner Ocean Avenue and First Street to yearly light; yearly light on Lawn Avenue, corner of Walden; summer light at corner of Central Avenue and Seaview Avenue; one on corner of Hillside Avenue and Park Avenue; yearly light on northerly corner Central Park Avenue and Saco Road; change summer light on East Grand Avenue near residence of O'Connell to yearly light; on Beach Street; and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

39th. To see if the town will vote to purchase 300 feet of hose to be kept at the foot of Old Orchard Street for emergency use, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

40th. To see if the town will vote to replace the brick sidewalk on West Grand Avenue from Pierce Street to Atlantic Avenue with a cement walk and extend cement now located on Forest Avenue from present terminal to Seaview Avenue, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

41st. To see if the town will vote to accept Wilbur Avenue as laid out by the Selectmen.

42nd. To see if the town will vote to accept Sixth and Ninth Streets in Ocean Park as laid out by the Selectmen.

43rd. To see if the town will vote to rebuild the foot bridge on Temple Avenue across brook opposite Guild Park, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

44th. To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$200 to be spent under the direction of the Ocean Park local committee to be used to keep streets and beach clean of paper and other waste matter.

45th. To see if the town will vote to reshape West Grand Avenue from B. & M. R. R. tracks to Oceana Avenue, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

46th. To see if the town will vote to accept Seaview Avenue from Central Avenue to Forest Avenue as laid

out by the Selectmen, and grade and gravel the same, and what sum of money they will appropriate therefor.

47th. To see if the town will vote to purchase 1000 feet of hose for fire department and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

48th. To see if the town will vote to reimburse George H. Fletcher of Grand Beach the sum of \$154.05—for money paid out for building a cement sidewalk and appropriate money therefor.

49th. To see what action the town will take relative to remodeling, reconstructing and adding to the present high school building, or relative to building a new school building, and acquire additional land therefor.

50th. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purpose of remodeling, reconstructing and adding to its high school building and what part thereof shall be raised by taxation and what part by issuing its bonds therefor and to see whether the town will fix the date, amount, rate of interest and maturity of such bonds or will authorize its Selectmen to fix the date, amount, rate of interest and maturity thereof, and to see whether the town will authorize its Selectmen to execute, issue and negotiate the same.

51st. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purpose of erecting a new school building and what part thereof shall be raised by taxation and what part by issuing its bonds therefor and to see whether the town will fix the date, amount, rate of interest and maturity of such bonds or will authorize its Selectmen to fix the date, amount, rate of interest and maturity thereof and to see whether the town

will authorize its Selectmen to execute, issue and negotiate the same.

52nd. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of one hundred dollars, being the balance due on Ford Chassis, purchased by Fire Department for ladder truck, balance of purchase price having been paid by subscription.

53rd. To see if the town will vote to grade and gravel Crabb Street; Ninth Street in Ocean Park from Temple Avenue to Connecticut Avenue; grade and gravel Sixth Street from Temple Avenue to Connecticut Avenue; widen road bed of Tunis Avenue; grade and gravel Lake Avenue; grade and gravel Saunders Avenue; gravel a portion of Surfside Avenue near Ladd Avenue; grade and gravel Wilbur Avenue; grade and gravel Colby Avenue from Grand Avenue to Second Street; grade and gravel Seaview Avenue from Central Avenue to Forest Avenue; grade and gravel Winona Avenue from Grand Avenue to Seventh Street; grade and gravel Surfside Avenue or the section running into Sea Breeze Avenue; to widen roadway by placing gravel on Sea Cliff Avenue; grade and gravel Durocher Street; gravel Oakland Avenue: grade and gravel First Street to Heath Avenue; grade and gravel Staples Street from West Grand Avenue to Seawall; grade and gravel Usen Lane about 300 feet; grade and gravel South Avenue from Odena Avenue to Sea Cliff Avenue; grade and gravel Sea Cliff Avenue from South Avenue to land of B. & M. R. R.; expend the sum of \$200 to grade and gravel Northerly part of Summitt Street; grade and gravel Easterly end of Avon Avenue; and what sum of money they will appropriate for these several items.

54th. To see if the town will vote to establish two

hydrants on Sixth and Ninth Streets in Ocean Park; and one on Saco Road near Atlantic Avenue, and appropriate money therefor.

55th. To see if the town will vote to appoint a budget committee to act on the appropriations and articles in the Town Warrant and report at the annual town meeting.

56th. To see if the town will vote to purchase for the use of the town officers a suitable desk and table and other office furniture and appropriate a sum of money therefor.

57th. To see if the town will vote to add the following streets to the list of streets to be treated with Tarvia to be assessed as required by law—Third Street, Longwood Avenue and Fort Hill Avenue.

58th. To see what action the town will take in regard to removal of sand from the beach.

59th. To see what action the town will take to reduce the present high cost of maintaining the high school.

60th. To see what action the town will take relative to sending high school students to Thornton Academy or some other high school.

61st. To see if the town will vote to refund W. L. White some portion of taxes paid on property destroyed by fire in 1922.

62nd. To see what action the town will take to have the fiscal year and the town officials' term in office end the same time.

63rd. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Assessors to assess property on Old Orchard Street or a portion of Old Orchard Street per front foot.

64th. To see what action the town will take to dispose of surface water on East and West Grand Avenues.

65th. To see if the town will vote to lay new 12-inch sewer pipe on East Grand Avenue from Brown Street to Old Orchard Street.

66th. To see if the town will vote to elect one or three road commissioners for the year 1925.

67th. To see if the town will vote to allow a bulkhead to be erected at the easterly terminus of Brown Street, similar to action taken at Cleaves Street and Aldine Terrace.

68th. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen and Road Commissioner to look into the matter of Harburger Way, and take such action as they deem reasonable and just, taking the money therefor from any money that may be appropriated for highways.

69th. To see if the town will vote to have the drinking fountain for animals returned to its position in the square in front of the town hall or in an equally convenient place, which shall be decided by a majority vote.

70th. To see if the town will vote to refund to Amos Dolbier the sum of being for a lot assessed to him by error, said sum to be taken from the Contingent fund.

71st To see what action the town will take regarding the moving of the electric car tracks to the center of Old Orchard street.

72nd To see if the town will vote to prohibit the sale and use of firecrackers or fire works of any sort or kind (except for exhibition purposes on the beach) thereby eliminating the fire peril.

73rd. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The polls will be open at 9 o'clock A. M. and remain open until 1 o'clock P. M.

The Selectmen will be in session at the Town Hall, Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons, from two to five o'clock P. M., February 28th and 29th and March 1st, 1924, for the purpose of correcting the voting list.

Given under our hands this twenty-third day of February, A. D. 1924.

FRED I. LUCE,
FRANK H. LIBBY,
HENRY F. WORCESTER,
Selectmen of Old Orchard.