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Annual Report of the Municipal Officers of Mapleton Maine

1922-1923

For the Municipal Year Ending
February 28, 1923

Town Officers

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

HARRY M. HUGHES

G. W. TURNER

A. P. WINSLOW

Town Clerk

FRED THOMAS

Treasurer

G. P. DENNETT

Superintending School Committee

ARTHUR G. COOK

ORIN HIGGINS

GERTRUDE CROCKETT

Superintendent of Schools

E. H. WEBBER

Collector of Taxes

D. W. ROSS

W. C. DOYEN

Road Commissioner

G. W. TURNER

Health Officer

B. L. HUGHES

Auditor

E. H. WEBBER

Constables

MILO McCORMICK

FRED McGLAUFLIN

HARRY M. HUGHES

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Report of Selectmen

The Selectmen of Mapleton herewith submit their annual report for the Municipal Year ending February 28, 1923.

VALUATION

Real Estate, Resident	\$363,463 00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident	79,374 00	
	<hr/>	\$442,837 00
Personal Estate, Resident	\$138,245 00	
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	28,690 00	
	<hr/>	\$166,935 00
Grand Total		<hr/>
		\$609,772 00

ITEMIZED LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Total Amount of Personal Estate

	No.	Av. Value	Total Val.
Horses and Mules	460	\$124 95	\$57,480 00
Colts 3 to 4 years old	5	102 00	510 00
Colts 2 to 3 years old	3	71 66	215 00
Cows	337	29 12	9,815 00
Oxen	1	30 00	30 00
Three year olds	57	26 33	1,501 00
Two year olds	76	22 42	1,704 00
Pole line and fixtures			6,050 00
Stock in Trade	14		15,525 00

Starch	450 tons		18,000 00
Logs	150 M.		1,500 00
Picture Machines	1		150 00
Potatoes	3500 Bbls.		2,700 00
Motor Cycles	2		350 00
Automobiles	131		34,400 00
Musical Instruments	58		6,950 00
Trucks	9		3,725 00
Tractors	14		3,425 00
Gasoline Engines	23		1,705 00
Machinery			1,200 00
Total Amount of Personal Property			\$166,935 00

Young Stock Not Taxable

Cattle 1 year and under	157	6 49	1,019 00
Sheep	242	2 90	702 00
Swine	159	7 82	1,246 00
Total Value			\$2,967 00
Rate of Assessment, .054 mills on the dollar.			
Number of polls taxed, 298			
Amount assessed on each poll, \$3.00			\$ 894 00
Amount assessed on estates			32,926 68
Supplemental			12 75
Committed to W. C. Doyen, Collector			\$33,833 43

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1922—1923

Raised for:	
Common Schools	\$7,000 00
High School	5,000 00
Highways and Bridges	5,000 00
Repairs and Appliances	1,850 00

Text Books	1,200 00
Town Officers	3,000 00
Incidentals	600 00
Interest	700 00
State Aid Road	533 00
To pay Town Order due Jan. 1921	2,000 00
Memorial Expense	25 00
Medical Inspection for Schools	75 00
Mapleton Fire Co.	500 00
Prevention and Suppression Tuberculosis	50 00
To buy flags for schools	25 00
Insurance, rent, light and power	400 00
To buy gravel bank	75 00
Interest on School Fund	49 59
State Tax	3,391 94
County Tax	768 25
Overlay	1,368 90
Supplemental	6 75
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Total Assessment	\$33,827 00

COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Mar. 20, 1922, by Appropriation	\$7,000 00
By Appropriation Int. on Sch. Fund	49 59
By State Treas. Eq. Fund	1,029 00
By State Treas. State School Fund	3,617 62
By State Treas., schooling children	2 82
By State Treas., Industrial Education	136 32
Total	<hr/> \$11,835 05

Dr.

Paid Overdraft	\$467 81
S. C. Burnett, teacher	52 00
I. W. Mann	63 00

Zella A. Bridge	112 00
Sarah F. Stephenson	120 00
Alanda M. Smith	92 00
Marjorie W. Dority	63 00
W. C. Osgood	100 00
Mattie L. Gannett	100 00
Dudley Lovely, conveying	40 00
H. W. Peterson	120 00
S. C. Burnett	52 00
Amanda J. Stephenson	50 00
James Larson, janitor	6 00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, janitor	3 00
Cora L. Porter, teacher	112 00
W. C. Osgood	25 00
I. W. Mann	21 00
H. W. Peterson	30 00
Amanda J. Stephenson	25 00
James Carter, wood	45 00
S. C. Burnett, teacher	52 00
Higgins & Thompson, wood	300 00
W. H. Cook, wood	7 00
W. C. Osgood, teacher	75 00
Percy Carter, wood	80 00
S. C. Burnett, teacher	52 00
Zella A. Bridge	115 75
W. C. Osgood	50 00
H. W. Peterson	120 00
I. W. Mann	84 00
Mattie Gannett	100 00
Cora L. Porter	112 00
Marjorie W. Dority	105 00
Alanda M. Smith	92 00
Emma R. Blackstone	75 00
Sarah F. Stephenson	120 00
Tim Ervin, wood	10 00
S. C. Burnett, teacher	52 00
W. S. Osgood	50 00

H. W. Peterson	120 00
I. W. Mann	84 00
Mattie Gannett	100 00
Cora L. Porter	112 00
Marjorie W. Dority	84 00
Alanda M. Smith, teacher	92 00
Emma R. Blackstone	100 00
Sarah F. Stephenson	120 00
Zella A. Bridge	112 00
S. C. Burnett	52 00
S. C. Burnett	52 00
Alanda M. Smith	46 00
Zella A. Bridge	59 75
H. W. Peterson	60 00
I. W. Mann	42 00
Marjorie W. Dority	42 00
Mattie Gannett	50 00
W. C. Osgood	50 00
Cora L. Porter	56 00
Emma R. Blackstone	50 00
Sarah F. Stephenson	60 00
Mrs. C. L. DeWitt, conveyance	79 50
Jens Larson, janitor	15 00
Roy Irving, conveyance	70 00
W. C. Osgood, teacher	50 00
Emma R. Blackstone	25 00
Dudley Lovely, conveyance	100 00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, janitor	10 00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, janitor	4 00
J. W. Shea, wood	20 00
Jens Larson, janitor	10 00
Sarah F. Stephenson, teacher	99 00
Alanda M. Smith	69 00
Emma R. Blackstone	75 00
Evelyn A. Parker	66 00
Sara C. Parker	78 00
Esther F. Porter	78 00

I. W. Mann	66 00
June C. Ashby	75 00
Verona Parker	66 00
Marjorie W. Dority	63 00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, housing wood	5 00
Prescott Dow,, housing wood	5 60
Sarah F. Stephenson, teacher	66 00
Emma R. Blackstone	75 00
Alanda M. Smith	69 00
Evelyn C. Parker	66 00
Sara C. Parker	78 00
Esther F. Porter	78 00
I. W. Mann	66 00
Verona Parker	66 00
Marjorie W. Dority	63 00
June C. Ashby	75 00
Town of Washburn, tuition	199 20
Town of Washburn, conveyance	180 00
Sarah F. Stephenson, teacher	132 00
Alanda M. Smith	92 00
Marjorie W. Dority,	84 00
Verona Parker	88 00
June C. Ashby	100 00
I. W. Mann	88 00
Esther F. Grendell, teacher	104 00
Sara C. Parker	104 00
Evelyn A. Parker	88 00
Emma R. Blackstone	100 00
Jens Larson, janitor	21 00
Emma R. Blackstone, teacher	100 00
Evelyn A. Parker	88 00
Sara C. Parker	104 00
Esther F. Grendell	104 00
I. W. Mann	88 00
June C. Ashby	100 00
Verona Parker	88 00
Marjorie W. Dority	84 00

Alanda M. Smith	92 00
W. H. Cook, wood	16 00
Harry M. Hughes, wood	5 00
Dudley Lovely, conveyance	140 00
Sarah F. Stephenson, teacher	165 00
Percy Carter, wood	66 00
Sarah F. Stephenson, teacher	99 00
Alanda M. Smith	69 00
Marjorie W. Dority	63 00
Verona Parker	66 00
June C. Ashby	75 00
I. W. Mann	66 00
Cora L. Porter	84 00
Sara C. Parker	78 00
Emma R. Blackstone	75 00
Delia M. Tarr	50 00
Evelyn A. Parker	22 00
C. L. Park, wood	8 00
E. W. Crawford wood	48 00
Marjorie W. Dority, teaching	105 00
Dudley Lovely, conveying	80 00
Cora L. Porter, teacher	19 39
Delia M. Tarr	78 00
June C. Ashby	125 00
Sara C. Parker	49 00
Evelyn A. Parker	110 00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, janitor	8 00
Emma R. Blackstone, teacher	125 00
I. W. Mann	110 00
Verona Parker	110 00
Jens Larson, janitor	12 00
Alanda M. Smith, teacher	115 00
Sarah F. Stephenson	165 00
Sara C. Parker	3 00
Cora L. Porter	61 00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, janitor	14 00
Mrs. Claude DeWitt, conveying	99 00

Howard Smith, wood	14 00	
Henry Akerson, wood	36 00	
Total Expenditures		\$11,647 61
Feb. 28, 1923, by unexpended balance		187 44

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

March 20, 1922		
By Appropriation	\$5,000 00	
Town of Chapman, tuition	533 34	
Town of Castle Hill, tuition	850 00	
Town of New Limerick, tuition	60 00	
State Treasurer, Industrial Education	372 66	
Total		\$6,816 10

Dr.

Paid:—

To Overdraft	\$122 33
F. S. Cunningham, Principal	266 67
Horace E. Hobbs, teacher	136 00
Miranda E. Brooks	136 00
Bessie M. Bennett	125 00
Ruth M. Small	112 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	60 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	15 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	4 51
Milo McCormick, wood	254 00
Ruth M. Small, teacher	115 75
Bessie M. Bennett	125 00
Miranda E. Brooks	136 00
Horace E. Hobbs	136 00
F. S. Cunningham	300 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	1 13
Amos D. Archer, janitor	75 00

Bessie M. Bennett, teacher	125 00
Miranda E. Brooks	136 00
Horace E. Hobbs	136 00
F. S. Cunningham	200 00
Ruth M. Small	112 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	45 00
Ruth M. Small, teacher	59 75
F. S. Cunningham	166 67
Bessie M. Bennett	62 50
Miranda E. Brooks	68 00
Horace E. Hobbs	68 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	30 00
H. W. Thompson, wood	276 00
Elmer H. Webber, expense	18 77
F. S. Cunningham	138 89
Roland J. Carpenter, teacher	83 33
Frederica I. Ineson	66 67
Emma Brown	60 00
Fern M. Smith	56 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	50 00
A. L. Flanigan, wood	4 00
F. S. Cunningham	208 33
Roland J. Carpenter	125 00
Frederica I. Ineson	100 00
Emma Brown	90 00
Fern M. Smith	56 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	30 00
Mapleton Supply Co., wood	199 50
F. S. Cunningham	277 78
Roland J. Carpenter	166 67
Frederica I. Ineson	133 33
Emma Brown	120 00
Margaret E. Gardner	102 00
Margaret E. Gardner	68 00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	60 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	13 77
F. S. Cunningham	347 22

Roland J. Carpenter	208 33	
Frederica I. Ineson	166 67	
Emma Brown	150 00	
Margaret E. Gardner	170 00	
Amos D. Archer, janitor	60 00	
Amos D. Archer, janitor	30 00	
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	4 80	
F. S. Cunningham	208 33	
Roland J. Carpenter	125 00	
Frederica I. Ineson	100 00	
Emma Brown	90 00	
Margaret E. Gardner	102 00	
Amos D. Archer, janitor	45 00	
Amos D. Archer, janitor	75 00	
Margaret E. Gardner, teacher	170 00	
Emma Brown	150 00	
Frederica I. Ineson	166 67	
Roland J. Carpenter	208 33	
F. S. Cunningham	347 22	
Total Expenditures		<u>\$8,757 92</u>
Feb. 28, 1923, to overdrawn		\$1,941 92

REPAIR AND APPLIANCE ACCOUNT

March 20, 1922

By Appropriation	\$1,850 00	
Total		\$1,850 00

Dr.

To overdraft	\$ 67 75
Mapleton Supply Co., supplies	229 80
Joe Page, repairs	1 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	2 50
Allen Plumbing Co., repairs	81 58

Mapleton Supply Co., seats	237 80
Charles Currier, repairs	1 16
Mattie Gannett, cleaning schoolhouse	4 00
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., diplomas	23 32
Mapleton Electric Co., supplies	6 76
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	1 15
Allen Plumbing Co., labor on sewer	57 33
W. C. Osgood, extra work	5 00
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	16 68
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., supplies	9 59
Thompson's Pharmacy, supplies	1 50
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, cleaning schoolhouse	5 00
Eugene Higgins, work on sewer	2 25
Bert McPherson, work on sewer	8 25
Lew McPherson, work on sewer	3 00
E. P. Brown, labor	62 00
Harry Rogers, labor	34 00
Ben Fillmore, labor	74 00
Fenton Pulcifer, labor	16 00
Harry Walton, labor	4 50
Mrs. Robt. Buchanan, cleaning schoolhouse	14 00
Herbert Thompson, wood	13 10
Orin Higgins, labor and material	122 97
Mapleton Supply Co., supplies	118 07
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, cleaning schoolhouse	20 00
Mrs. John Archer, cleaning schoolhouse	5 00
Herbert L. Palmer, supplies	41 77
Thompson's Pharmacy, supplies	1 50
Gertrude Crockett, cleaning schoolhouse	8 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	7 65
G. L. Hodgdon, trucking	3 00
Mrs. Rufus Gardner, cleaning schoolhouse	12 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	25 00
Star-Herald Pub. Co., supplies	41 00
Mapleton Mill Co., lumber	19 36
A. R. Thomas, labor	28 00
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	10 43

P. S. Bull, repairs	2 00	
Elmer H. Webber, postage, etc.	10 44	
J. H. Park, repairs	3 00	
Noyes & Nutter, supplies	8 35	
Allen Plumbing Co., supplies	13 81	
A. M. Smith Co., supplies	11 55	
Aroostook Moulding Co., windows	10 85	
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	2 89	
Mapleton Electric Co., supplies	90	
J. L. Hammett Co. supplies	90 53	
Amos D. Archer, supplies	3 00	
F. S. Cunningham, supplies	16 78	
Denoyer Geppert Co. supplies	10 50	
Ben Fillmore , labor	8 00	
Total expenditures		<u>\$1,649 27</u>
Feb. 28, 1923, by unexpended		200 73

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

March 20, 1922 By Unexpended Balance	\$ 116 40	
By appropriation	1,200 00	
Total		<u>\$1,316 40</u>

Dr.

Paid:—

B. & A. R. R., express	\$ 3 44
McIntosh Publishing Co.	2 20
Edward E. Babb & Co.	10 73
School Methods Pub. Co.	37 25
American Book Co.	54 90
D. C. Heath Co.	24 00
The Macmillan Co.	20 81
Longman Green & Co.	11 14
Ginn & Co.	113 40

D. McNetton Co.	34 00	
World Book Co.	55 15	
Arthur G. Cook	3 50	
Allyn & Bacon	45 06	
Elmer H. Webber	25 96	
The Bruce Pub. Co.	50 37	
Doubleday Page & Co.	18 55	
Little Brown & Co.	34 90	
Silver Burdett Co.	2 79	
G. E. Stechart Co.	36 45	
G. M. Park	4 50	
The Gregg Pub. Co.	3 61	
H. W. Wilson Co.	20 50	
Benjamin Sanborn Co.	56 97	
Ginn Pub. Co.	158 37	
The Macmillan Co.	156 63	
Portland Directory Co.	4 00	
Star-Herald Pub. Co.	4 50	
Expenditures		\$993 68
Feb. 28, 1923, by unexpended balance		322 72

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

By unexpended balance	\$ 130 07	
Mar. 20, 1922 by appropriation	5,000 00	
State Treasurer, maintenance	52 50	
State Treasurer, good turnpiking	100 00	
Total		\$5,282 57

Dr.

Paid:—

Minard Berry, winter work	\$ 6 50
Robt. Buchanan, winter work	4 00
Henry Casey, winter work	9 00
J. Hanford Ritchie, winter work	5 20

Geo. Bagley, winter work	22 00	
G. W. Turner, winter work	144 25	
Frazer Pryor, winter work	20 00	
Geo. Inman, winter work	44 40	
Hanford Ritchie, winter work	25 00	
S. G. Packard, winter work	6 66	
G. W. Turner, winter work	144 55	
State Treasurer, road maintenance	612 50	
		\$1,044 06

Geo. W. Turner, Commissioner

G. W. Turner, road labor	\$500 25
Mark Turner, road labor	60 00
G. W. Turner, road labor	413 75
Robert Buchanan, road labor	21 00
Mark Turner, road labor	75 00
Frank Rice, road labor	6 75
G. W. Turner, road labor	955 26
Mark Turner, road labor	146 25
Mrs. Albert Estabrook, labor	190 00
H. M. Hughes, freight paid	98
Robt. Buchanan, road labor	64 00
G. W. Turner, road labor	777 50
Harold Haines, repairs	20 00
Wm. Nadeau, road labor	6 00
Mapleton Supply Co., supplies	3 86
Marguerite Turner, road labor	9 00
H. M. Hughes, gravel	13 50
Mark Turner, road labor	18 75
G. W. Turner, road labor	235 00
E. M. Turner, road labor	7 00
E. L. Spinney, repairs	71 50
G. W. Turner, road labor	152 50
Town of Washburn, road labor	247 20
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	3 00
Will Akeley, gravel	1 20

Mapleton Mill Co., lumber	55 69	
Norman McHattan, labor	3 00	
C. M. Conant Co., culverts	437 30	
L. B. Christie, labor	5 00	
Geo. R. Cook, labor	33 50	
Perley Bull, gravel	1 20	
Albert Beckwith, labor	5 00	
W. H. Winslow, supplies	4 44	
Spinney & Libby, repairs	14 50	
Hall Coffin, labor	14 00	
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		\$4,572 88
Total expenditures		5,616 94
Feb. 29, 1923, to overdrawn		334 37

STATE AID ROAD ACCOUNT

March 20, 1922		
By Appropriation	\$533 00	
State Treasurer	423 22	
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		\$956 22

Dr.

Paid:—

Sumner Lovely, labor	\$87 00
Sam Walls, labor	42 00
C. R. Coston, labor	48 00
Elden Neddeau, labor	30 80
Jarvis Lovely, labor	18 00
Arthur Roix, labor	42 00
E. E. Condon, labor	15 00
Harry Condon, labor	42 00
G. W. Turner, labor	660 50
James Shea, labor	57 00
James Rice, labor	3 00

Ira Phinney, labor	45 00	
Harold Pulcifer, labor	12 00	
Fred Plummer, labor	30 00	
Harry Morrow, labor	43 50	
Joe Michaud, labor	7 00	
Geo. Montgomery, labor	7 00	
Mapleton Supply Co., dynamite, etc.	64 33	
G. W. Turner, dynamite, etc.	81 00	
C. J. Hanson, gravel	113 75	
Sam Walls, labor and paint	21 00	
Elmer Turner, labor	6 00	
C. M. Conant Co., culvert	33 80	
Total expenditures	<u> </u>	\$1,509 68
Feb. 28, 1923 to overdrawn		553 46

THIRD CLASS ROAD

By Amount State Treasury \$545 03

Dr.

Paid:—

Kierstead Bros., labor	\$24 00	
Arthur Roix, labor	21 00	
Arthur Burtsell, labor	12 00	
Ralph Plummer, labor	7 50	
James Rice, labor	3 50	
Fred Plummer, labor	12 00	
G. W. Turner, labor	378 00	
Kierstead Bros., gravel	45 00	
G. W. Turner, material	44 25	
Ralph Plummer, labor	5 00	
C. M. Conant Co., culverts	62 40	
	<u> </u>	\$614 15
Feb. 28, 1923, to overdrawn		69 12

TOWN OFFICERS' ACCOUNT

March 20, 1922 by Appropriation	\$3,000 00	
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Dr.

To overdraft	\$968 76
Elmer H. Webber, Superintendent	75 00
Fred B. Thomas, Town Clerk	50 00
Harry M. Hughes, Selectman	25 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	50 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	25 00
G. W. Turner, Selectman	30 00
G. W. Turner, Commissioner	72 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	75 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	75 00
Milo McCormick, Constable	15 00
A. P. Winslow, Selectman	62 00
G. W. Turner, Com'r	111 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	75 00
G. W. Turner, Com'r	78 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	150 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	75 00
Harry M. Hughes, Selectman	200 00
G. W. Turner, Selectman	125 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	37 50
G. W. Turner, Com'r	79 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	37 50
Elmer H. Webber, supt.	50 00
G. W. Turner, Com'r	50 00
Harry M. Hughes, Selectman	100 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	75 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	75 00
B. L. Hughes, Health Officer	24 00
Elmer H. Webber, Supt.	25 00
W. C. Doyen, Selectman	32 50

G. W. Turner, Com'r	25 00	
G. W. Turner, Selectman	25 00	
Harry M. Hughes, Selectman	75 00	
A. P. Winslow, Selectman	12 00	
Geo. P. Dennett, Treasurer	175 00	
W. C. Doyen, Commission Tax	464 62	
D. W. Ross, Com. 1921 Tax	11 51	
Total expenditures	<u> </u>	\$3,710 39
Feb. 28, 1923, to overdraft		710 39

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

By unexpended balance	\$346 21	
March 20, 1922 Appropriation	600 00	
State Treasurer, Mothers' Aid	202 50	
State Treasurer, tax on bank stock	30 60	
James Sawyer, Whitten tax deed	117 44	
Selectmen, licenses	11 00	
W. E. Belyea, sewer connection	25 00	
G. W. Turner, sewer connection	25 00	
G. W. Turner, sewer pipe	10 50	
Appropriation, Memorial Expense	25 00	
Appropriation, suppression tuberculosis	50 00	
Appropriation, flags	25 00	
Appropriation to buy gravel bank	75 00	
Overlay assessment	818 90	
	<u> </u>	\$2,362 15

Dr.

Paid:—

Bangor & A. R. R., express, chemicals	7 10
Clayton H. Steele, material fumigating	22 57
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. Co., H. S. phone	5 28
American LaFrance F. E. Co., acid	16 72
Gertrude Crockett, Mothers' Aid	20 00

Annie C. Carvell, Mothers' Aid	25 00
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. Co., H. S. phone	3 28
B. & A. R. R., express, acid	2 18
Wm. Segee, Memorial appropriation	25 00
Gertrude Crockett, Mothers' Aid	220 00
Annie C. Carvell, Mothers' Aid	275 00
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. Co., H. S. phone	3 38
H. N. Ferguson, gravel bank	75 00
Chas. P. Daggett, making papers	2 00
Loring, Short & Harmon, books	12 25
Star-Herald Pub. Co., printing reports	126 00
P. M. Porter, adm. reimbursement Whitlock	72 13
W. J. Roberts, meals P. Isle firemen	14 90
D. W. Ross, commission 1921 tax	100 00
B. E. Higgins, gasoline P. Isle Fire Truck	3 52
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. Co., H. S. phone	2 33
G. W. Turner, labor on pond	39 50
Ed. Libby, labor on pond	2 00
Lewis McPherson, labor on pond	4 50
State Treas., ac. Whitlock Children	52 00
Town of Caribou, Mothers' Aid, Mrs. Good	280 00
Fenton Pulcifer, labor on pond	2 00
L. A. Fillmore, labor on pond	4 00
C. L. Tarbell, labor on pond	3 00
Chas. Archer, labor on pond	3 00
Robt. Buchanan, labor on pond	2 00
Dennis Cyr, labor on sewer	259 30
Randolph Grant, labor on sewer	17 30
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. Co., H. S. phone	2 33
Mapleton Supply Co., dynamite, fuse-caps	24 92
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. Co., H. S. phone	3 78
Lowie Hughes, labor on pond	1 50
Mapleton Supply Co., soda for chemical	12 16
H. H. Higgins, labor on pond	6 00
G. W. Turner, labor on sewer	63 00
American LaFrance F. E. Co., acid	9 50
Philip Phair, expense tax deeds	126 00

Portland Directory Co., register	4 00	
Eureka Grange, use of hall	10 00	
Amer. LaFrance F. E. Co., hose	40 00	
Town of Caribou, Mothers' Aid, Mrs. Good	75 00	
Mapleton Elec. Co., Bridge Acct.	20 74	
H. M. Hughes, exp. Assessors' Con.	20 00	
G. W. Turner, exp. Assessors' Con.	20 00	
E. W. Fernald, tile for sewer	36 72	
State Treasurer, extra cost of bridge	113 39	
State Treas'r, cost surveying bridge	39 08	
F. B. Thomas, Town Clerk	50 00	
Aroos. Tel. & Tel. H. S. phone	5 13	
B. L. Hughes, ballot clerk	6 00	
Maud H. Dudley, ballot clerk	6 00	
E. R. Blaisdell, reporting births and deaths	9 25	
J. W. Belyea & Son, material Bd. of Health	2 10	
Aroos. Anti-Tuberculosis Assn.	50 00	
E. W. Fernald, tile for sewer	293 49	
Maggie Hughes, keeping Town Office	10 00	
Geo. P. Dennett, postage and stationery	12 00	
Harry M. Hughes, postage and stationery	6 00	
Mapleton Electric Co., street lights	192 52	
To orders paid for flags	18 94	
Total expenditures		\$2,989 74
Feb. 28, 1923, to overdrawn		627 59

INTEREST ACCOUNT

By unexpended balance	\$ 59 98	
Appropriation	700 00	
Interest 1921 tax	196 10	
Interest 1922 tax	90 18	
Total		\$1,046 26

Dr.

Paid:—

Louise Casey, interest	\$ 60 00	
Geo. P. Dennett, int. paid	932 15	
Total expenditures	<u> </u>	\$992 15
Feb. 28, 1923 by unexpended bal.		54 11.

TOWN POOR ACCOUNT

By overlay assesment	\$550 00	
Roland Archer	13 50	
	<u> </u>	\$563 50

Dr.

Paid:—

To overdraft	\$187 62	
Presque Isle Hospital, acct. R. Archer	15 00	15 00
J. V. Dunham, board, Sam Wright	20 00	
Green Bros., clothing, Sam Wright	5 90	
Mrs. Jesse Conroy, board Sam Wright	14 00	
Mrs. Jesse Conroy, board Sam Wright	49 00	
J. V. Dunham, board Sam Wright	62 00	
Mrs. Jesse Conroy, board Sam Wright	281 00	431 90
Town of P. Isle, exp. ac. Frank McGuire	48 50	48 50
Town of Westfield, ac. Mrs. Frank Casey	25 00	25 00
W. J. Roberts, two meals for tramp	1 20	1 20
J. W. Belyea & Son, clothing W. E. Johnson	4 75	
E. R. Blaisdell, ac. W. E. Johnson	8 00	
Mrs. Albert Beckwith, board W. E. Johnson	24 00	
Harvey Packard, acct. W. E. Johnson	5 00	41 75
Total expenditures	<u> </u>	\$187 47
Feb. 28, 1923, to overdrawn		\$187 47

 MAPLETON FIRE COMPANY ACCOUNT

Mar. 20, 1922 by appropriation		\$500 00
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Dr.

Paid:—

Mapleton Fire Company		499 90
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Feb. 28, 1923, to unexpended		10
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 MEDICAL INSPECTION FOR SCHOOLS

By unexpended	\$15 00	
Appropriation	75 00	
	<hr/>	\$90 00

Dr.

E. R. Blaisdell, M. D.	\$66 00	
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Feb. 28, 1923 to unexpended		\$24 00

 INSURANCE, RENT, LIGHT, POWER

March 20, 1922, by appropriation	\$400 00	
	<hr/>	\$400 00

Dr.

Paid:—

Mapleton Electric Co., lights	\$ 9 03	
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Mapleton Electric Co., lights	7 90	
Mapleton Electric Co., lights	2 00	
Eureka Grange, rent	75 00	
A. C. Perry Co., insurance	129 60	
Mapleton Electric Co., lights	38 35	
Total expenditures		<u>\$261 88</u>
Feb. 28, 1923, by unexpended balance		138 12

D. W. ROSS, COLLECTOR 1921

Feb. 28, 1922, to balance uncollected	\$6,380 49	
Interest 1921 tax	196 10	
		<u>\$6,576 59</u>

Cr.

By Treasurer's receipts	\$4,792 28	
Interest receipts	196 10	
Abatements	6 00	
Shortage in accounts	124 56	
Amount collected		\$5,118 94
Feb. 28, 1923 to balance uncollected		1,457 65

W. C. DOYEN, COLLECTOR 1922

To commitment	\$33,820 68	
Supplemental	12 75	
Interest 1922 tax	90 18	
		<u>\$33,923 61</u>

Cr.

By Treasurer's receipts	\$23,315 65	
Interest receipts	90 18	
Abatements	128 40	
		<u>\$23,534 23</u>

Feb. 28, 1923, to balance uncollected	10,389 38
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STATE TAX

To appropriation	\$3,391 94
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By paid State Treasurer	\$3,391 94
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COUNTY TAX

To appropriation	\$768 25
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By paid County Treasurer	\$768 25
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TREASURER'S REPORT

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Feb. 28, 1923, to cash on hand	\$4,891 83
State Treasurer; Mothers' Aid	67 50
Town Clerk, dog license	56 00
To cash Town ord No. 34 M. T. & B. Co loan	1,000 00
To cash Town ord. No. 26, M. T. & B. Co., loan	2,000 00
A Ball, bridge loan	7,320 00
Town Clerk, dog license	25 00
Town Castle Hill, H. S. tuition	500 00
Town Chapman, H. S. tuition	300 00
Town order No. 152 M. T. B. Co., loan	1,000 00
Town New Limerick, H. S. tuition	60 00

Town Chapman, H. S. tuition	233 34	
Town order No. 200 M. T. Bo. Co., loan	1,000 00	
Town Clerk, dog license	4 00	
State Treasurer, tax bank stock	30 60	
State Treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67 50	
State Treasurer, Soldiers' pensions	42 00	
Town order No. 212 M. T. B. Co., loan	1,000 00	
Town Order No. 230 M. T. B. Co., loan	2,000 00	
Town order No. 295 M. T. B. Co. loan	500 00	
State Treasurer, schooling children	2 82	
Town order No. 296 M. T. B. Co., loan	500 00	
Selectmen, licenses	11 00	
Roland Archer, on acct.	13 50	
State Treasurer, Highway Dept.	152 50	
State Treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67 50	
State Treasurer, State School Fund	3,617 32	
State Treasurer, Third Class Road	545 03	
State Treasurer, State Aid Road	432 22	
State Treasurer, School Fund	1,029 00	
State Treasurer, Industrial Education	508 98	
To cash James Sawyer, Whitten tax deed	117 44	
Town Castle Hill, tuition	50 00	
W. E. Belyea, entering sewer	25 00	
G. W. Turner, entering sewer	25 00	
G. W. Turner, sewer pipe	10 40	
Town Castle Hill, H. S. tuition	300 00	
W. C. Doyen, 1922 tax	23,315 65	
W. C. Doyen, 1922 interest	90 18	
D. W. Ross, 1921 tax	4,792 28	
D. W. Ross, 1921 interest	196 10	
Total receipts		<u>\$57,890 69</u>

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Paid:—

State Treasurer, bridge	\$7,320 00
State Treasurer, dog license	81 00
Bert M. Hughes, State Pension	24 00

Sarah Waddell, State Pension	18 00	
State Treasurer, patrol account	612 50	
State Treasurer, State tax	3,391 94	
County Treasurer, County tax	768 25	
State Treasurer, dog license	7 00	
Sarah Waddell, State Pension	18 00	
Account Pulcifer and Coffin tax deeds	225 07	
Paid old orders	13 25	
Paid new orders	39,629 57	
Total paid out		\$52,108 58
Feb. 28, 1923, balance cash on hand		\$5,782 11

ABATEMENTS 1922 TAX

I. W. Mann, under age	\$3 00	
Philip Flanigan, under age	3 00	
Peter Michaud, paid in Presque Isle	3 00	
W. H. Brown, error in valuation	6 75	
P. M. Porter, error in valuation	1 35	
Mrs. Chas. Chandler, error in valuation	4 05	
Mapleton Mill Co., error in valuation	107 25	

1921 TAX

Wm. McDonough, old age	3 00	
W. B. Irish, inability	3 00	
Total		\$134 40

OUTSTANDING ORDERS

Feb. 28, 1923		
Order No. 54, 1920 Merchants' Bank	\$3,000 00	
Order No. 94 1922 Merchants' Bank	1,000 00	

Order No. 126 1922 Merchants' Bank	2,000 00	
Order No. 152 1922 Merchants' Bank	1,000 00	
Order No. 200 1922 Merchants' Bank	1,000 00	
Order No. 230 1922 Merchants' Bank	2,000 00	
Order No. 243 1921 Louise Casey	2,000 00	
Order No. 78, 1921, A. Ball	2,000 00	
Notes H. School Acct., A. Ball	4,500 00	
Notes, bridge account, A. Ball	7,320 00	
Total		<u>\$25,820 00</u>

 LIABILITIES

School Fund	\$ 826 50	
Overdraft, High School	1,941 92	
Overdraft, Highways and Bridges	334 37	
Overdraft, Town Officer Account	710 39	
Overdraft, incidentals	627 51	
State Aid Road	553 46	
Third Class Road	69 12	
Town Poor Account	187 47	
Outstanding Town Orders and Notes	25,820 00	
		<u>\$31,070 80</u>

 RESOURCES

Feb. 28, 1923

By unexpended Common School Account	\$187 44
By Repair and Appliance Account	200 73
By Text Book Account	322 72
Interest Account	54 11
Mapleton Fire Company Acct.	10
Medical Inspection for Schools	24 00
Insurance, Rent, Light and Power	138 12

Castle Hill Town Order	513 80	
Castle Hill H. S. tuition 1922	1,200 00	
Chapman H. S. tuition, 1922	400 00	
Tax Deeds in Treasury	310 12	
State Treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67 50	
State Treasurer, State Pensions	18 00	
D. W. Ross, shortage	124 56	
Due 1921 Tax	1,457 65	
Due 1922 Tax	10,389 38	
Town of Presque Isle, acct. G. Bushie	74 77	
Due acct. Wilbert Johnston	41 75	
Cash on hand, Treasury	5,782 11	
	<hr/>	\$21,306 86
Liabilities in excess of resources as shown by books		\$9,763 94

SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATES FOR 1923

Highways—Bridges		\$4,000 00
State Aid Road		533 00
Incidentals		1,200 00
Town Officers		3,000 00
Interest		800 00
Memorial		25 00
Street Lights		225 00
Repair and Appliances		1,500 00
Common Schools		6,500 00
Text Books		900 00
High School		5,000 00
Town Poor		800 00
Medical Inspection	75 00	
Insurance, Rent, Light		400 00
Mothers' Aid		400 00

DELINQUENT TAXES 1921

Feb. 28, 1923		
Archer, Asa	\$ 1 35	
Archer, John	4 65	
Akeley, Henry	30 72	
Carter, M. E.	98	
Condon, James	10 18	
Condon, Clint	24 45	
Condon, Ernest	8 25	
Condon, Will	7 24	
Coffin, Hall	19 82	
Dunham, J. V.	131 30	
Day, Charles	3 00	
Gartley, Sam	280 26	
Guiou, Leverett	26 79	
Gildert, John	3 00	
Holmes, Bert	40 95	
Holmes, Lewis	9 88	
Irving, Roy and Henry	227-15	
Pulcifer, C. N.	54 45	
Munn, C. W.	3 00	
Ridgewell, S. B.	3 32	
Shea, James	66 25	
Sheain, Fred	15 30	
Trombly, Mrs. Joe	85 67	
Waddell, W. B.	69 72	
Winship, C. L.	184 94	
Willett, Peter	3 00	
		\$1,315 65

NON-RESIDENTS

Argent, Sam	\$10 00	
Aroostook Lumber Co.	68 75	
Perry, George, & Co.	57 75	
Willette, Alex	5 50	
		\$142 00
		\$1,457 65

DELINQUENTS TAX—1922

Feb. 28, 1923

Arbo, D. A.	\$ 11 10
Akerson, Henry	199 37
Archer, John	1 35
Archer, Mell	15 69
Archer, Mrs. Charles	76 52
Braley, Fred	99 34
Burtsell, Arthur	43 25
Beckwith, Roy	3 00
Bull, Ed.	156 68
Beckwith, W. W.	88 71
Bull, A. F.	51 70
Buchanan, Minnie	69 12
Buchanan, Robert	34 83
Buck, E. H.	39 91
Braley, W. H.	127 74
Briggs, T. S.	8 37
Coffin, Hall	126 20
Condon, Will	127 20
Condon, Clint	21 60
Casey, Peter	48 87
Casey, Ellery	20 25
Crawford, Wm.	55 37

Crawford, E. W.	21 87
Casey, George	21 60
Carter, James	66 91
Carter, Clint	183 14
Carter, M. E.	67 77
Carter, Percy	123 92
Carter, Charles	3 00
Dudley, Robert	81 00
Dow, M. W.	214 73
Dunham, J. V.	156 33
Davenport, M. B.	11 26
Day, Charles	158 73
DeWitt, Claude	302 16
Dicker, Aaron	85 22
Emerson, J. V.	133 29
Fillmore, L. A.	67 82
Guiou, Leverett	53 33
Gildert, Laura	51 14
Gartley, Sam	260 36
Gallagher, Joe	39 42
Gardner, Orin	59 40
Griffin, Sterling	218 59
Grant, Perry	43 20
Griffin, A. S., estate	46 71
Hughes, Enoch	26 49
Hughes, H. B.	4 59
Holmes, Bert	39 45
Hughes, L. M.	15 12
Ireland, Millard	21 05
Jordan, W. A.	103 46
Jordan, Elbridge	34 29
Judkins, E. E.	4 35
Judkins, Mary	13 50
Kenney, B. W.	122 91
Kierstead Bros.	86 84
Lanigan, S. W.	20 52
Lovely, Sumner	171 61

Libby, Elton	6 37
Libby, Richard	29 70
Lovely, Roy	4 62
Libby, Iva	21 80
Madore Henry	13 50
Morrison, George	1 62
Munn, George	57 21
Munn, Chas.	17 85
McBurnie, A. H.	272 19
McDonald, G. H.	40 35
Monahan, Robert	27 30
McKenzie, Walter	8 37
McKenzie, Chester	3 00
McKenzie, F. H.	3 00
Miller, Leon	5 40
McPherson, Harold	37 95
McPherson, Ed	8 10
McCormick, Milo	109 35
Page, Joe	15 00
Packard, S. G.	152 31
Phinney, Ira	224 94
Plummer, Bert	23 27
Plummer, Fred	39 53
Pelkey, Martha	18 90
Pelkey, Archie	5 40
Pulcifer, C. N.	187 65
Pulcifer, Harold	3 00
Perkins, M. S.	70 50
Pelkey Frank	27 00
Perkins, J. W.	268 38
Porter, Eben	41 55
Perro, Ernest	3 00
Ross, D. W.	193 21
Rice, Emma	49 63
Rice, Frank	9 72
Rice, Claude and Frank	23 06
Rice, Frank Jr.	5 40

Rice, Claude	3 00	
Roix, Arthur	29 45	
Ridgewell, S. B.	34 18	
Rideout, N. N.	124 74	
Richardson, Frank	24 60	
Stephenson, Wm.	27 30	
Southard, H. E.	59 43	
Shea, James	154 49	
Smith, O. H.	280 05	
Sheain, Fred	27 00	
Skedgell, Chas.	5 40	
Sinclair, Elwood	1 35	
Sinclair, Fred	18 90	
Southard, T. R.	30 71	
Trombly, Mrs. Victoria	166 05	
Tarbell, Anna	85 05	
Tarbell, Linton	45 93	
Waddell, F. J.	17 04	
Winslow, O. L. & Co.	117 18	
Winship, C. L.	187 19	
Weeks, Ferd	96 26	
Waddell, W. B.	430 00	
Welts, Hartley	112 54	
Wilcox, Chas.	41 85	
		\$8,712 27

NON-RESIDENTS

Argent, Sam	\$54 00
Akeley, Henry	74 74
Allen, Chas.	8 10
Barker, Roy	43 96
Boone, S. W.	53 62
Conroy, Jesse	74 52
Cary, Millage	30 62

Cook, Geo. R.	375 93	
Collins, G. H. & Co.	14 90	
Collins, G. H.	4 85	
Foster, Harry	60 21	
Hanson C. J.	367 20	
Hanson, Whit	89 37	
Kierstead, W. H.	13 50	
Marks, Bennie	102 60	
Oaks, Harry & Co.	2 70	
Pratt, H. B.	88 29	
Porter, A. W.	1 35	
Stairs, M. J.	11 88	
Smith, Frank	103 41	
Stewart, V. A.	27 59	
Valley, Joe	57 02	
Williams, Chas.	11 34	
Willette, Alex	5 40	
		\$1,677 11
		<u>\$10,389 38</u>

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Mapleton, Maine, March 7, 1923.

I hereby certify that I have this day closed the examination of the accounts of the Selectmen and of the Treasurer for the fiscal year ending February 28, 1923, and I find them correct.

ELMER H. WEBBER,
Auditor.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee:

I have the honor of submitting to you my fifth annual report.

CALENDAR

1922—1923

First Semester began	September 11, 1922
Columbus Day	October 12, 1922
Thanksgiving Day	November 30, 1922
Christmas Recess began	December 15, 1922
Christmas Recess ended	January 1, 1923
First Semester ended	January 31, 1923
Second Semester began	February 1, 1923
Washington's Birthday	February 22, 1923
Easter Recess begins	March 23, 1923
Easter Recess ends	April 2, 1923
Patriot's Day	April 19, 1923
Memorial Day	May 30, 1923
Second Semester ends	June 8, 1923

1923—1924

First Semester begins	September 10, 1923
Columbus Day Exercises	October 12, 1923
Thanksgiving Day	November 29, 1923
Christmas Recess begins	December 21, 1923
Christmas Recess ends	January 7, 1924
First Semester ends	January 31, 1924
Second Semester begins	February 1, 1924
Washington's Birthday Exercises	February 22, 1924
Easter Recess begins	March 29, 1924
Easter Recess ends	April 7, 1924
Patriot's Day	April 19, 1924
Memorial Day	May 30, 1924
Second Semester ends	June 6, 1924

PROGRAM OF STUDY

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

FIRST YEAR

(Sevents Grade)

English
 Mathematics
 Science
 History
 Music
 French
 Latin
 Physical Education
 Home Economics
 Manual Training

SECOND YEAR

(Eighth Grade)

English
 Mathematics
 Science
 History
 Music
 French
 Latin
 Physical Education
 Home Economics
 Manual Training

THIRD YEAR

(Ninth Grade)

English
 Mathematics
 Science
 Community Civics
 Music
 French
 Latin
 Physical Education
 Home Economics
 Manual Training

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

FIRST YEAR

(Tenth Grade)
(Sophomores)

English
 Mathematics
 Biology
 Arithmetic
 Business
 Music
 French
 Latin
 Spanish
 Bookkeeping
 Typewriting
 Drafting
 Physical Education
 Home Economics

SECOND YEAR

(Eleventh Grade)
(Juniors)

English
 Mathematics
 Physics
 Geography
 Business
 Music
 French
 Latin
 Spanish
 Bookkeeping
 Typewriting
 Shorthand
 Physical Education
 Home Economics

THIRD YEAR

(Twelfth Grade)
(Seniors)

English
 Mathematics
 Chemistry
 Economics
 Law
 Music
 French
 Latin
 Spanish
 Bookkeeping
 Typewriting
 Shorthand
 Physical Education
 Home Economics

SCHOOL STATISTICS

School	Enrollment Year ending July 1, 1923	Av. Att.	Pct. Att	Enrollment First Semester 1922—1923	Av. Att.	Pct. Att.
Senior High	81	64	79	77	67	87
Freshman	35	20	59	37	32	88
Seventh and Eighth	34	26	75	35	29	82
Creasy Ridge	18	14	75	17	14	82
Griffin Ridge	20	16	80	17	14	82
Hughes	36	18	52	23	21	90
Lovley	34	21	63	30	23	78
Old Mill	33	22	66	44	32	73
Packard	29	19	67	27	22	82
Park	38	28	72	34	22	62
Wilson	29	19	65	25	19	75
Totals	<u>387</u>	<u>267</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>366</u>	<u>295</u>	<u>81</u>
<i>NEW MILL</i>	<u>60</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>78</u>
<i>Totals</i>	<u>447</u>	<u>312</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>406</u>	<u>326</u>	<u>80</u>

LIST OF TEACHERS FEBRUARY 1, 1923

Name	Permanent Address	Annual Salary	School	Where Graduated	Exp. in Years	Years in Town
Ashby, June C.,	Fort Fairfield	\$ 900	Creasy Ridge	Presque Isle Normal	1/2	1/2
Blackstone, Emma R.	Caribou	900	New Mill	Presque Isle Normal	13 1/2	6 1/2
Brown, Annie Erma,	Boston	1080	High	Boston University	1/2	1/2
Carpenter, Roland J.	Patten	1500	High	Bates College. B. S.	1/2	1/2
Cunningham, Franklin S.	Patten	2500	High, Prin.	Bates College, B. S.	5	3 1/2
Dority, Mrs. Marjorie W.	Mapleton	750	W. Wilson	Jay High	4	1 1/2
Cardner, Margaret E.	Woodland	1224	High	Simmons College. B. S.	3	1/2
Ineson, Frederica I.	S. Freeport	1200	High	Bates College, A. B.	1/2	1/2
Mann, Ivie W.	Bangor	792	Griffin Ridge	Bangor High	1 1/2	1 1/2
Parker, Evelyn A.	Fort Fairfield	792	Hughes	Fort Fairfield High	2 1/2	1/2
Parker, Mrs. Sara C.	Fort Fairfield	936	Lovley	Machias Normal	3 1/2	1/2
Parker, Verona	Fort Fairfield	792	Park	Fort Fairfield	2 1/2	1/2
Porter, Mrs. Cora M.	Presque Isle	1008	Packard	Farimngton Normal	18	9
Smith, Mrs. Alanda M.	Mapleton	828	Old Mill	Presque Isle High	18	6
Stephenson, Sarah F.	Mapleton	1188	Junior High	Fredericton Normal	7 1/2	3

TEACHERS

All our teachers have had training or experience. Some have had both. The work is hard and requires considerable self sacrifice. We must secure teachers who are willing to put themselves into the service, and they must be appreciated.

REPAIRS AND APPLIANCES

New toilets have been provided at the Old Mill School. Minor repairs have been made at some of the other schools. The heating arrangements at the Park, the Wilson, the Lovley, and the Hughes Schools have received attention.

We have tried not to overdraw the accounts. Considerable work should be done at some of the schoolhouses during the coming year. We have had to use some seats in very poor condition, in some cases using boxes and chairs. We must do something to remedy the situation.

INSURANCE, RENT, LIGHT AND POWER

The numerous losses of school buildings in other towns suggest that we ought to consider additional protection. It is true that towns usually recover from fire losses, but any aid for equipment is always welcome.

RECOMMENDATIONS

To maintain our schools at their present efficiency will require practically the same appropriations as last year. We are recommending the following amounts:

Common Schools	\$7,000 00
High School	5,000 00
Repairs and Appliances	2,000 00
Books	1,000 00

Medical Inspection	75 00
Insurance, Rent, Light and Power	400 00

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER H. WEBBER,
Superintendent of Schools.

Mapleton, Maine, February 27, 1923.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL

To the Superintendent of Schools, Mapleton, Maine:

The Junior-Senior High School opened on September 18, 1922, with a registration of one hundred and fifty-one students. This constant increase in student body each year will soon necessitate some change to eliminate the present congested conditions. Regardless of the many little handicaps and inconveniences good work, and results manifest themselves in each department.

I have every reason to be satisfied with the school. I feel sure that the High School was never in so satisfactory a condition as it is at present. The entire faculty are teachers of high scholarship and ability. They are very enthusiastic, interested, loyal, and cooperative. With a teaching force which possesses such versatile characteristics, I believe that no high school has a better qualified faculty than the town of Mapleton.

The aim of instruction in each course this year has been to train the mind of each student in the six following objectives.

1. Health
2. Worthy home membership
3. Vocation
4. Citizenship
5. Use of leisure time

6. Ethical character

By keeping these factors constantly in mind, more work has been accomplished than in previous years.

I have felt that in the past, the English Department has been somewhat weak. This year Mapleton High School is very fortunate in having such a competent English teacher. Splendid work is being accomplished, and the students really have learned to enjoy even as "dry" a subject as English. Much credit is due to Miss Ineson for this sumptuous achievement. I trust that Mapleton will be fortunate in retaining her services indefinitely.

The care of the school building has been entirely satisfactory. Regardless of the many cold days, the different rooms have always been comfortable to work in. The teachers and students feel very fortunate in having such a faithful janitor.

The physical education has been conducted as in the past three years.

For the fourth time I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to the faculty, School Board and citizens of Mapleton for their earnest cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANKLIN S. CUNNINGHAM.

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

To the Superintendent of Schools, Mapleton, Maine:

The work of the Commercial Department is carried on at the Grange Hall. The rooms are well lighted and pleasant. A partition, the upper half of which is glass, separates the bookkeeping

and typewriting rooms. This arrangement enables the teacher to supervise simultaneously the work of both classes.

Last fall the typewriting room needed to be papered, so I asked some of the domestic science girls to help me paper it. This they cheerfully consented to do. The paper hanging was done entirely, also splendidly, by the girls.

The bookkeeping classes are interested in their work. The spirit of competition which is prevalent in both classes aids the keenness of the pupils. The desks in the bookkeeping room are small and oftentimes the pupils are puzzled to know what to do with their texts.

We have 34 pupils taking typewriting and only six machines. This is a great handicap for the typewriters are in use every period and there is no chance for extra practice. Thus far no pupil has received a typewriting award, but by June I am confident that several will have done so.

The advanced typewriting students type the paper which the senior class issues. This work gives them practice in making hekto-graph copies. These students have also written all the material which has been sent to the printer for the "Maple Leaf." More work could be accomplished in typewriting if we had more machines to use. Most of the typewriting students, however, are able to write a neat, well balanced and attractive business letter.

The class in stenography is small but enthusiastic. They commenced shorthand last September and are now taking simple dictation and transcribing it on the typewriter. At present this class is spending a short time after school on a play about business life, which they hope to give at the next meeting of the School Improvement League.

Penmanship was not taught the first term except to the eighth grade. The need of this, however, was so evident that now the

entire school is spending two periods a week on this subject.

The interest shown by the pupils and the cooperation of the faculty and townspeople have made the work most enjoyable.

Respectfully submitted,

ERMA BROWN.

HOME ECONOMICS

To the Superintendent of Schools, Mapleton, Maine:

The Home Economics Department this year is comprised of 44 girls, who are working with but one aim—to make themselves true homemakers in the community in which they live.

There are three groups of girls taking either cooking or sewing. Each group takes a half year of sewing and a half year of cooking.

The Junior High School girls of the seventh and eighth grades have had sewing. In this class the girls made blouses and night gowns, learning to properly construct garments for themselves. The last part of the term cooking aprons were made. This class is greatly handicapped in their cooking by the lack of space and equipment. It has been necessary to divide the class into two groups. This means a lesson every second week instead of every week. They are learning the preparation of simple meals. Each day that the cooking class meets the girls bring their dinners and serve a meal to their own class, preparing one hot dish, such as soup or cocoa, at school.

The Freshman girls had sewing the first half year. They made fitted petticoats, learning the correct methods of fitting, making plackets, and hanging a skirt. For Christmas work, aprons bound with bias binding and trimmed with applique or embroidery were made. There were seventeen girls in this class and

only one sewing machine, so progress was necessarily slow. These girls will take cooking the second half year.

The third group of girls are, for the most part, Sophomores and Juniors. This class has done excellent work in actual meal service. A Thanksgiving dinner was served to the faculty, a Christmas dinner to their parents, and in January a dinner to the School Board. The girls earned the money for these dinners by making and selling candy. The project was to serve an attractive, well balanced meal, cooking in family size quantities. Three of these girls gave a public demonstration of cake-making before the Parent-Teacher Association at a recent meeting.

In all work in cooking the girls have brought materials from home for a family size recipe and then taken the finished product home.

The aesthetic value of cooking has been particularly emphasized. It was very difficult to do this with the school equipment, so the girls themselves have earned \$30.95 to buy a 77 piece set of dishes. Now they are working to purchase a full set of silverware. This will be accomplished before the end of the year.

The older girls are taking Dress Making the second half year. Quantity as well as quality is the object of this class. They are following as closely as possible the State Course of Study in a Short Unit in Sewing. Materials, dress construction, alterations, trimmings, fitting and laundering are the main divisions.

The work in Home Economics is ready for inspection at any time and we are always glad to have those interested visit our classes.

I wish to thank the people of Mapleton for their interest and hearty cooperation in this branch of our school work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET E. GARDNER.

VITAL STATISTICS

Deaths Recorded in Mapleton Since March, 1922

Herbert A. Plummer	May 11, 1922
Baby Hoyt	July 17, 1922
Baby Archer	July 19, 1922
Mary O. Wilcox	August 8, 1922
James E. Flanigan	September 9, 1922
Laura M. Campbell	October 24, 1922
Elizabeth Casey	December 14, 1922
Angus J. Boucher	February 2, 1923
Joseph P. Morton	February 8, 1923
Chas. G. Knowlton,	February 22, 1923
Mary A. Hughes	February 24, 1923
Myra J. Swan	February 28, 1923

Marriages Recorded in Mapleton Since March, 1922

Harvey E. Thomas and Elena Green	March 5, 1922
Harold A. McPherson and Fannie B. Gardiner	March 18, 1922
Everett C. Carter and Jessie J. Page	June 14, 1922
Samuel W. Allen and Olive M. Glidden	June 17, 1922
Ivan H. Sawyer and Clara E. Coffin	June 28, 1922
Timothy Ervin and Mrs. Elizabeth J. King	Aug. 21, 1922
Harold L. Pulcifer and Pearl Sites	Aug. 28, 1922
Samuel W. Grendell and Esther F. Porter	Oct. 14, 1922
Lionel E. Smith and Delta F. Griffin	Oct. 18, 1922
Geo. W. Crawford and Mattie L. Gannett	Nov. 29, 1922
Oscar R. Kierstead and Elizabeth D. Fillmore	Nov. 30, 1922
Simon W. Brooks and Bessie L. Clark	Jan. 7, 1923

Births Recorded in Mapleton Since March, 1922

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Guiou, a daughter,	Jan. 17, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hughie McDermott, a daughter,	May 6, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eph. Crawford, a daughter	June 28, 1921

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester McKenzie, a daughter	July 10, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jordan, a son,	Sept. 3, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Flanigan, a son.	Sept. 9, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Packard, a daughter,	Sept. 17, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gallagher, a son	Oct. 5, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Trembly, a son	Dec. 12, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beckwith, a daughter	Dec. 12, 1921
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burton Porter, a daughter,	Jan. 24, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Guiou, a son	Jan. 24, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waldron, a daughter,	Mar. 4, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Archer, a son	Mar. 9, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Archer, a daughter	Mar. 27, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sawyer, a son,	Mar. 27, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kenney, a son	Mar. 28, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McPherson, a daughter	Apr. 14, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fields, a daughter	Apr. 20, 1922
Born to Miss Alma McPherson, a daughter	Apr. 21, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plummer, a son	May 3, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gallagher, a daughter	May 6, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Braley, a son	May 10, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Sinclair, a son	May 21, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rogers, a daughter	May 22, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Perley Flanigan, a son	June 5, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elton Libby, twins, a son and daughter	June 10, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilcox, a son	June 14, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis York, a daughter	June 15, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lovely, a daughter	June 26, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pelkey, a daughter	July 8, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cleaves, a daughter	July 13, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Jones, a daughter	July 16, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Hoyt, a daughter	July 17, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Archer, a daughter	July 19, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Kinney, a son	Aug. 6, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Dow, a daughter	Aug. 9, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith, a daughter	Oct. 9, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Cyr, a daughter	Oct. 18, 1922

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Loreston Hughes, a daughter	Oct. 31, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Libby, a daughter	Nov. 19, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pelkey, a son	Feb. 5, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Condon, a son	Feb. 12, 1923

Warrant

STATE OF MAINE

AROOSTOOK ss.

To Fred McGlaufflin, a Constable in the Town of Mapleton in the

County of Aroostook and State of Maine, GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Mapleton, qualified by law to vote in Town affairs, to assemble at Grange Hall, in the said Town of Mapleton, the 19th day of March, A. D., 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

ART. 1 To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2 To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

ART. 3 To see if the Town will vote to accept the Town Report as printed.

ART. 4 To choose Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor for the ensuing year.

ART. 5 To see if the Town will vote to have one, two or three Road Commissioners and elect same for the ensuing year.

ART. 6 To choose a Town Treasurer for the ensuing year,

ART. 7 To choose a Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year, and vote him his compensation.
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ART. 8 To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 9 To see what dates the taxes shall be due and what date any part thereof shall be collected; also to see if the Town will vote to charge interest on all taxes remaining unpaid Nov. 1, 1923, and what per cent.

ART. 10 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Common Schools for the ensuing year.

ART. 11 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for High School for the ensuing year.

ART. 12 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for repair of Highways and Bridges for the ensuing year.

ART. 13 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for repairs of schoolhouses and school appliances for the ensuing year.

ART. 14 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Text Books for the ensuing year.

ART. 15 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to pay Town Officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 16 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Incidentals for the ensuing year.

ART. 17 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to pay interest.

ART. 18 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

ART. 19 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for sidewalks for the ensuing year.

ART. 20 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Mothers' Aid for the ensuing year.

ART. 21 To see if the Town will vote to allow the citizens to move the Lockup onto the lot owned by Mapleton Fire Co.

ART. 22 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 19, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

ART. 23 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of \$533, for the improvement of the section of the State Aid Road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of the ways and bridges, the above amount being the maximum which the Town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 18, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

ART. 24 To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for lighting streets.

ART. 25 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Memorial expenses.

ART. 26 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make temporary loans.

ART. 27 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Medical Inspection for the ensuing year.

ART. 28 To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money to be turned over to the Mapleton Fire Co. to be used for fire protection for the Town of Mapleton, and if so, how much.

ART. 29 To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money and if so, how much, to be expended by the Board of Health for the suppression and prevention of tuberculosis.

ART. 30 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Insurance, Rent, Light and Power.

ART. 31 To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at Grange Hall, March 19, 1923, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hands at Mapleton this eighth day of March, 1923.

HARRY M. HUGHES

G. W. TURNER

A. P. WINSLOW

Selectmen of Mapleton.