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1923-1924

For the Municipal Year Ending
February, 28, 1924

Town Officers

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

HARRY M. HUGHES

W. B. WADDELL

A. P. WINSLOW

Town Clerk

FRED THOMAS

Treasurer

G. P. DENNETT

Superintending School Committee

JAMES CARTER

ORRIN HIGGINS

GERTRUDE CROCKETT

Superintendent of Schools

E. H. WEBBER

Collector of Taxes

D. W. ROSS

W. C. DOYEN

Road Commissioners

H. W. BRALEY

W. W. BECKWITH

CHAS. CURRIER

Health Officer

B. L. HUGHES

Auditor

E. H. WEBBER

Constables

W. C. DOYEN

FRED McGLAUFILIN

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Report of Selectmen

The Selectmen of Mapleton herewith submit their annual report for the Municipal Year ending February 28, 1924.

VALUATION

Real Estate, Resident	\$377,563.00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident	77,265.00	
	<hr/>	\$454,828.00
Personal Estate, Resident	\$139,999.00	
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	6,455.00	
	<hr/>	\$146,454.00
Grand Total		<hr/> \$601,282.00

ITEMIZED LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Total Amount of Personal Estate

	No.	Av. Val.	Total Val.
Horses	422	\$129.30	\$54,370.00
Colts under 3 years old	3	23.00	70.00
Cows	288	28.09	8,191.00
Oxen	3	35.66	107.00
Three year olds	55	22.87	1,258.00
Two year olds	97	17.09	1,658.00
Swine	5	8.00	40.00
Pole Line Fixtures	12		6,050.00
Stock in Trade			13,325.00

Logs, 500 M.	4,700.00
Lath Wood, 500 cords	1,450.00
Potatoes, 4,170 bbls.	4,170.00
Motor Cycles, 1	250.00
Automobiles, 90	32,515.00
Musical instruments, 53	6,375.00
Trucks, 14	5,725.00
Tractors, 19	3,400.00
Gasoline Engines, 26	1,700.00
Machinery	400.00
Ice, 200 tons	200.00
Saw Mill, 1	500.00
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Total amount of personal property	\$146,454.00

YOUNG STOCK NOT TAXABLE

Cattle 1 year and under	120	5.29	638.00
Sheep	212	3.16	670.00
Swine	165	8.40	1,394.00
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Total value			\$2,699.00
Rate of assessment, .053 mills on the dollar.			
Number of polls taxed, 285.			
Amount assessed on each poll, \$3.00.			\$ 855.00
Amount assessed on each estate			31,865.34
Supplemental			135.68
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Committed to W. C. Doyen, Collector			\$32,856.02

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1923—1924

Raised for:	
Common schools	\$6,500.00
High school	5,000.00

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Highways and bridges	4,000.00
Repairs and appliances	1,550.00
Text books	1,000.00
Town officers	3,000.00
Incidentals	1,200.00
Interest	900.00
State Aid Road	533.00
Memorial expense	25.00
Medical inspection	75.00
Mapleton Fire Company	700.00
Prevention and suppression of tuberculosis	50.00
Insurance, rent, light and power	400.00
Interest on School Fund	49.59
State tax	4,496.76
County tax.	1,239.66
Support of poor	800.00
Sidewalks	200.00
Mother's Aid	400.00
Lighting street	225.00
Overlay	376.33
Supplemental	135.68
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Total assessment	\$32,856.02

SCHOOL ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923

By appropriation Common School	\$6,500.00	
By appropriation High School	5,000.00	
By appropriation int. on school fund	49.59	
By unexpended Common School account	187.44	—
By cash Town Castle Hill, tuition	2,018.80	
By cash, Town Chapman, tuition	280.00	
By State Treasurer, State Sch. Fund	3,109.78	
By State Treasurer, Eq. Fund	987.00	
By State Treasurer, Industrial Ed.	200.00	
Total	<hr/>	\$18,332.61

COMMON SCHOOL

Dr.

I. W. Mann, Teacher	\$ 286.00
Sarah Stephenson	462.00
Emma R. Blackstone	749.00
Evelyn A. Parker	308.00
Delia A. Tarr	104.00
Cora L. Porter	1,036.00
Fay V. Foster	210.00
June C. Ashby	350.00
Verna C. Parker	176.00
Marjorie Dority	294.00
Alanda M. Smith	322.00
Eva White	55.00
Emma Christenson	55.00
Lettie Griffin	609.50
Ruth Homsted	598.00
Marion Blanchard	446.50
Lula Bishop	517.50
Bertha Saunders	446.25
Bernice Young	525.00
Mary Tarr	50.00
Helen Rice	90.00
Dudley Lovely, conveying	370.00
Wallace Waddell, conveying	345.00
E. W. Crawford, wood	40.00
P. C. Carter, wood	139.00
Howard Smith, wood	6.00
Frank Lovely, trucking	4.00
Merrill Tompkins, wood	10.00
Jens Larsen, janitor	21.00
P. C. Carter, wood	150.00
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, janitor	9.00
Linwood Judkins, housing wood	4.00
Gladys Smith, housing wood	4.00

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L. Guiou, wood	30.00	
Jens Larsen, wood	2.50	
Linwood Judkins, wood	3.00	
Helen Inman	2.50	
E. W. Crawford, wood	26.00	
Harvey Brown, housing wood	5.00	
T. E. Dow, housing wood	7.00	
E. W. Crawford, wood	71.00	
E. W. Crawford, wood	51.00	
Town of Washburn, conveying	239.03	
Town of Washburn, tuition	281.54	
E. W. Crawford, wood	72.00	
Expenditures		\$9,582.32

HIGH SCHOOL

Dr.

F. S. Cunningham, principal	\$ 972.23
Roland J. Carpenter, principal and teacher	1,861.11
Frederica Ineson, teacher	466.67
Annie E. Brown	420.00
Margaret Gardner	476.00
Clifford O. Wieden	958.33
Marguerite Hill	894.44
Sarah F. Stephenson	766.67
Clarissa Howe	766.66
Frankie Webster	805.00
Amos D. Archer, janitor	637.50
Milo McCormick, wood	75.25
Mapleton Supply Co., wood	211.75
Sterling Griffin, wood	100.00
O. H. Smith, wood	90.00
O. H. Smith, wood	50.00
Mlio McCormick, wood	73.67
A. L. Flanigan, sawing and hauling wood	14.00

P. C. Carter, wood	500.00	
To overdraft, High School account	1,941.92	
Total expenditures	<u> </u>	\$21,663.52
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdrawn		\$3,330.91

REPAIR AND APPLIANCE ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$1,550.00	
By unexpended	200.73	
Total	<u> </u>	\$1,750.73

Dr.

Mapleton Supply Co., supplies	\$164.80
A. M. Smith Co., lumber	100.15
Orin J. Higgins, sled	5.00
Noyes & Nutter, repairs	2.64
Graves Hardware Co., locks	1.20
Underwood Typewriter Co., paper	1.25
Elmer H. Webber, alcohol	6.15
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	4.15
Gaylord Bros., supplies	26.50
A. R. Thomas, labor	12.00
Aroostook Tel. Co.	3.43
F. S. Cunningham, supplies	19.89
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	2.50
Northern Tel. Co.	2.69
Beckley Cardy Co., supplies	3.89
Newell White, vouchers	3.00
J. L. Hammett, supplies	76.09
Aroostook Tel. Co.	2.98
Mrs. Maurice Carter, cleaning schoolhouse	5.00
Aroostook Tel. Co.	2.51
James Carter, labor, material	51.55

James Carter	50.00
Cora Archer, cleaning schoolhouse	23.00
Mrs. Amos Archer, cleaning schoolhouse	18.00
Orin Higgins, lumber	45.00
E. W. Porter, brooms	2.00
A. R. Thomas, labor	60.00
Allen Plumbing Co., repairs	6.30
Aroostook Tel. Co.	2.33
Pearl Buchanan, cleaning	14.00
Mapleton Supply Co., lumber	159.05
A. L. Flannigan, trucking	12.10
Mrs. E. E. Judkins, cleaning	15.00
Newell White, supplies	20.50
Elmer H. Webber, express	4.69
Graves Hardware Co., wheelbarrow	8.00
Aroostook Tel. Co.	6.36
Northern Tel. Co.	3.84
Mrs. Rufus Gardner, cleaning	12.00
Allen Plumbing Co.	3.05
Mrs. Geo. Condon	10.00
E. G. Grant, repairs	102.50
W. R. Pipes, supplies	3.88
A. M. Smith Co., lumber	46.38
L. E. Knott, Appt. Co., supplies	18.22
Star-Herald Pub. Co.	29.00
Spencer Lens Co., supplies	76.86
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	6.05
A. R. Thomas, labor	40.00
Mapleton Elec. Co., supplies	10.46
E. W. Porter, supplies	1.65
Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriters	149.25
Raymond Paper Co., paper	11.50
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., diplomas	33.09
Royal Typewriter Co., typewriter	70.00
Herbert L. Palmer, supplies	48.54
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	108.89

A. L. Flanigan, trucking	11.45	
J. W. Belyea & Son, supplies	3.58	
Total	<u> </u>	\$1,743.89
Feb. 28, 1924, unexpended		<u> </u> \$6.84

TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$1,000.00	
By unexpended	322.72	
Total	<u> </u>	\$1,322.72

Dr.

Paid	
Houghaon Mifflin Co.	\$16.73
New England Pub. Co.	14.50
The Bruce Pub. Co.	12.00
Spragues Journal	22.75
Gaylord Bros.	13.25
The Century Co.	12.39
Doubleday Page & Co.	8.50
H. W. Wilson Co.	21.00
Houghton Mifflin Co.	13.50
Gregg Pub. Co.	4.85
H. W. Wilson Co.	2.00
G. M. Park	4.00
Allyn Bacon Co.	6.53
D. Appleton Co.	10.25
The Century Co.	12.39
Star-Herald Pub. Co.	9.50
Scott Foresman Co.	38.21
Modern School Supply Co.	37.50
The Midland Press	27.75
Lorigmans Green & Co.	3.76
Hinds Hayden & Eldridge	43.48

D. C. Heath & Co.	86.85	
World Book Co.	49.27	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	179.75	
Library Book Co.	62.04	
American Book Co.	116.39	
Ginn & Co.	169.70	
The Macmillan Co.	108.89	
World Book Co.	107.63	
Expenditures		<u>\$1,215.36</u>
Feb. 28, 1924, by unexpended		107.36

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

March 20, 1923, by appropriation	\$4,000.00	
Cash Town Chapman, plank	3.20	
Total		<u>\$4,003.20</u>

Dr.

To overdraft	\$334.37
Mapleton Supply Co., supplies	10.80
Sterling Griffin, labor	15.00
Town of Chapman, plank	8.10
E. L. Spinney, repairs	10.00
G. W. Turner, winter work	149.50
B. J. Hughes, winter work	24.60
Geo. Inman	50.56
Frazer Pryor	3.70
B. E. Griffin	6.00
Geo. Bagley	10.00
Ritchie Bros.	11.00
Urban D. Haines	10.00
Chas. H. Currier	24.25
Jones Bros.	8.00

E. W. Crawford	11.10	
B. E. Griffin	5.70	
Frazer Pryor	12.00	
Jones Bros.	73.00	
Lewis Scott	25.00	
H. H. Higgins	15.00	
W. H. Cook	30.00	
Hanford Ritchie	4.20	
Elbridge Jordan	y 3.00	
John Crawford	3.00	
Minard Berry	3.00	
Chas. Currier	43.30	
G. W. Crawford	25.50	
Robert Buchanan	60	
C. M. Conant Co., culverts	638.59	
		<u>\$1,231.00</u>

H. W. Braley, Commissioner

B. J. Hughes	\$27.00
H. W. Braley, labor	45.00
Arthur Roake	15.00
H. O. Welts, labor	21.00
H. W. Braley	6.00
Tom Dow	12.90
Stanley Condon	6.00
H. W. Braley	75.00
Arthur Roake	12.00
Clint Condon	24.75
A. M. Dicker	21.60
Harvey Thomas	30.00
Linton Tarbell	42.75
Arthur Flanigan	60.00
H. W. Braley	20.00
H. J. Coffin	12.00
A. M. Dicker	3.00

Chas. Garcelon	16.50
Maurice Carter	14.83
Will McPherson	236.00
H. W. Braley	28.21
L. E. Tarbell	4.50
Charlie Rollins	12.90
W. H. Cook, labor and gravel	32.72
Frank Rice, Sr.	1.00
Mapleton Supply Co., lumber	32.55
A. L. Flanigan, trucking	4.33
Fred Braley	19.50
E. L. Spinney, repairs	15.75
H. W. Braley	51.00
Hartley Welts	36.00
J. W. Akeley, gravel	1.20
Oscar Kierstead	2.40
A. J. Hoyt	1.50
Glen Thomas	18.00

\$962.89

Charles Currier, Commissioner

J. J. Crawford, labor	\$2.00
Robert Buchanan	2.50
Elbridge Jordan	1.00
Geo. McDonald	2.00
Lucy Pease	1.80
Earl Buchanan	8.00
J. H. Griffin	3.00
Robert Buchanan	7.50
Earl Buchanan	6.00
J. J. Crawford	4.50
Wm. Neddeau	7.00
Joe Trombly	15.00
Ritchie Bros.	31.60
J. J. Crawford	27.30

A. W. Griffin	18.45	
G. W. Crawford	55.50	
Chas. H. Currier	170.88	
Geo. W. Crawford	1.50	
T. G. Crawford	27.00	
Howard Carvell	60	
Wm. Condon	15.00	
Edward McPherson	18.00	
Manzer Jones	5.00	
W. E. Bull	6.00	
W. H. Winslow	10.50	
T. G. Crawford	8.00	
		<u>\$455.63</u>

W. W. Beckwith, Commissioner

Roy Easler, labor	\$ 17.00
Walter Beckwith	596.42
W. G. Wilcox	10.00
D. A. Arbo, repairs	2.00
Burton Porter, labor	3.40
M. E. Smith	31.50
Geo. Bagley	13.50
R. A. Dennett	3.00
Erban Haines	4.00
Earl Bull	4.00
Edward Bull	34.00
A. M. Bennett	17.00
Chas. Bull	7.50
F. H. Pryor	31.00
D. A. Arbo, repairs	6.50
Harold Haines, repairs	14.00
Wellington Kierstead, labor	8.00
Henry Akeley, gravel and labor	20.00
Perley McBurnie, labor	79.75
M. B. Davenport	15.00

F. H. Pryor	34.00	
Chas. Munn	42.00	
Sam Argent	13.20	
	<hr/>	\$1,006.77
Total Highway Expenditures		\$3,660.19
Feb. 28, 1924, by unexpended		343.01

TOWN OFFICERS ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$3,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,000.00
	Dr.	
To overdraft	\$710.39	
Elmer H. Webber, superintendent	911.75	
A. P. Winslow, selectman	43.50	
Harry M. Hughes, selectman	420.00	
W. B. Waddell, selectman	75.00	
Gertrude Crockett, school com.	15.00	
H. W. Braley, road com'r.	110.00	
G. W. Turner, selectman	35.00	
George P. Dennett, treasurer	150.00	
F. B. Thomas, town clerk	50.00	
D. W. Ross, commission 1921 tax	26.65	
W. C. Doyen, commission	748.41	
Total expenditures	<hr/>	\$3,295.70
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdrawn		\$295.70

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923	
By appropriation	\$1,200.00
Cash from Board of Health	7.00

Town Presque Isle Bushie acct.	74.77	
State Treasurer, State pension	27.00	
State Treasurer, dog license	51.41	
State Treasurer, acct. F. Plummer	86.40	
State Treasurer, tax bank stock	14.30	
Appro. prevention of tuberculosis	50.00	
Selectmen, licenses	11.00	
Appropriation Memorial	25.00	
Tax deeds, Coffin—Pulcifer	310.12	
		<u>\$1,857.00</u>

Dr.

To overdraft	\$627.59
W. B. Waddell, moderator, etc.	16.00
Phoebe Waddell, ballot clerk	6.00
Phil Phair, tax expense	64.72
Star-Herald Pub. Co., reports	108.00
Wm. Segee, Memorial appro.	25.00
State Treasurer, Whitlock child	28.18
A. Ball, stamps for notes	1.44
Aroostook M. F. In. Co., asst.	1.67
A. L. Flanigan, express	4.97
Lew McPherson, labor on sewer	3.00
A. M. Dicker, B. of H. expense	4.00
Chas. Wilcox, labor on lockup	12.00
Fred Plummer, for State	86.40
Spinney & Libby, labor	3.00
American LaFrance, acid	19.13
E. M. Hughes, Asso. Convention	29.50
Mapleton Supply Co., soda	16.73
Loring, Short & Harmon, books	15.00
Traffic Sign & Signal Co., silent policeman	33.00
B. E. Higgins, fire extinguishers	6.00
B. E. Higgins, soda	4.20
Eureka Grange, hall rent	15.00
Graves Pharmacy, antitoxin	11.25

E. W. Fernald, supplies	2.54	
Fred McGlaflin, constable	11.00	
Newell White, town books	4.00	
Mapleton Supply Co., supplies	14.32	
Mapleton Elec. Co., globes	3.50	
State Treasurer, Whitlock children	65.15	
Aroostook M. F. in. Co., asst.	17.50	
Geo. P. Larrabee, acid—soda	17.40	
B. L. Hughes, ballot clerk, health officer	16.50	
Mrs. Harry Hughes, town office	10.00	
H. M. Hughes, postage, stationery	6.00	
Geo. P. Dennett, postage, stationery	12.00	
J. W. Belyea & Son, soda	1.50	
W. C. Doyen, com. 1922 tax	2.07	
Total		<u>\$1,952.85</u>
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdrawn		95.85

INTEREST ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$900.00	
Unexpended	54.11	
Town Chapman interest on tuition	14.00	
Interest 1921 tax	57.46	
Interest on tax deeds	30.71	
Interest 1922 tax	175.91	
Interest 1923 tax	51.10	
Total		<u>\$1,283.29</u>

Dr.

To interest orders paid	\$1,725.20
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdrawn	441.91

STATE AID ROAD ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$533.00	
State Treasurer, State Aid	701.69	
Total	<u> </u>	\$1,234.69

Dr.

Paid:		
Arthur Roake	\$12.00	
W. B. Waddell	99.00	
Mapleton Supply Co.	24.71	
Archie Rogers	40.00	
H. J. Coffin	18.00	
Will Akeley	9.00	
Will Akeley, gravel	33.21	
G. W. Turner	851.63	
Frank Rice, labor	58.00	
Claude Rice	21.00	
Fred Tompkins	18.00	
Ervin Campbell	12.00	
D. E. McGuire	4.00	
Mark Turner	42.00	
Total	<u> </u>	\$1,243.30
Feb. 28, 1924 to overdrawn		8.61

THIRD CLASS ROAD ACCOUNT

By amount State Treasurer	\$408.31
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Dr.

Paid:	
James Oak, culvert	\$12.80
A. R. Kenney, gravel	16.35
E. W. Fernald, cement	13.20
Ervin McHatten, labor	12.00

Tom Young	27.50	
L. M. Hughes	27.00	
Walter Porter	23.25	
Hadley Flanigan	6.75	
Arthur Burtzell	30.00	
Joe Bushie	25.50	
Tom Young	10.00	
G. W. Turner	498.50	
Oscar Kierstead, gravel	9.75	
		\$712.60
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdrawn		304.29

TOWN POOR ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$800.00	
Town Presque Isle, acct. F. Tompkins	5.00	
Total		\$805.00

Dr.

To overdraft	\$187.47
Mrs. Jesse Conroy, boading Sam Wright	481.00
Mrs. Jesse Conroy, boarding W. E. Johnson	612.00
Mrs. Jesse Conroy, supplies Johnson	5.70
H. N. Whitney, acct. W. E. Johnson	4.00
B. S. Green, clothing for Wright	3.30
P. Isle Gen. Hospital, care Mrs. Bert Holmes	45.00
R. W. Wight, acct. W. E. Johnson	8.50
F. E. Bennett, acct. Mrs. Bert Holmes	13.00
P. Isle Gen Hospital, W. E. Johnson	147.50
B. S. Green, clothing Sam Wright	2.95
Geo. P. Larrabee, Mrs. Holmes	3.75

Town of Ashland, acct. Mrs. Phil Flanigan	161.00	
E. R. Blaisdell, acct. W. E. Johnson	5.00	
Total	<hr/>	\$1,680.17
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdrawn		875.17

MAPLETON FIRE CO. ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$700.00	
Unexpended	10	
Total	<hr/>	\$700.10

Dr.

To amount paid Fire Company		\$700.00
Feb. 28, 1924, to unexpended		10

MEDICAL INSPECTION

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$75.00	
Unexpended	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$99.00

Dr.

R. A. Graves	\$20.00	
R. A. Graves	10.00	
E. R. Blaisdell	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$80.00
Feb. 28, 1924, unexpended		\$19.00

 INSURANCE, RENT, LIGHT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$400.00	
Unexpended	138.12	
		<u>\$538.12</u>

Dr.

Mapleton Elec. Co., lights	\$55.88	
Eureka Grange, rent	187.50	
O. H. Smith, rent	24.00	
A. C. Perry Co., insurance	292.20	
York Mutual Fire Ins. Co., premium	\$ 7.90	
Aroostook Mutual Ins. Co., premium	116.12	
		<u>\$683.60</u>
Feb. 28, 1924, to overdraft		145.48

STREET LIGHTING ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$225.00	

Dr.

Paid Mapleton Electric Co.	\$208.18	
Feb. 28, 1924, unexpended		\$16.82

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$200.00	

Dr.

Paid:		
H. O. Welts, labor	\$15.00	
H. W. Braley	16.20	

L. E. Tarbell	15.00	
E. E. Judkins	9.00	
Chas. Garclon	9.00	
John Wilcox	7.50	
H. N. Ferguson	3.00	
		\$74.70
Feb. 28, 1924, unexpended		\$125.30

MOTHERS' AID ACCOUNT

March 20, 1923		
By appropriation	\$400.00	
State Treasurer	337.50	
		\$737.50
	Dr.	
Paid:		
Annie Carvell	\$300.00	
Gertrude Crockett	240.00	
Town of Caribou, Mrs. E. Good	180.00	
		\$720.00
Feb. 28, 1924, unexpended		17.50

STATE TAX

By appropriation		\$4,496.76
	Dr.	
To paid State Treasurer		\$4,496.76

 COUNTY TAX

By appropriation \$1,239.66

Dr.

To paid County Treasurer \$1,239.66

 D. W. ROSS, COLLECTOR 1921

Feb. 28, 1923, to bal. uncollected	\$1,457.65	
Interest 1921 tax	57.46	
To shortage	124.56	
		\$1,639.67

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By treasurer's receipts	\$1,008.70	
Treasurer's receipts, interest	57.46	
Abatement orders	145.95	
Winship deed, treasurer's hands	138.93	
Total collected		\$1,351.04
Feb. 28, 1924, to bal. uncollected		288.63

 WILLARD C. DOYEN, COLLECTOR 1922

Feb. 28, 1923, to bal. uncollected	\$10,389.38	
Interest collected	175.91	
		\$10,565.29

Cr.

By treasurer's receipts	\$7,995.22	
Treasurer's receipts, interest	175.91	
Abatement orders	153.50	
		\$8,324.63
Feb. 28, 1924, to bal. uncollected		2,240.66

 WILLARD C. DOYEN, COLLECTOR 1923 TAX

To commitment poll tax	\$ 855.00	
Commitment estates	31,865.34	
Interest 1923 tax	51.10	
Supplemental tax	135.68	
	<hr/>	\$32,907.12
	Cr.	
By treasurer's receipts, poll tax	\$ 713.00	
Treasurer's receipts estates	23,287.20	
Treasurer's receipts, interest	51.10	
Abatement orders	70.59	
Total	<hr/>	\$24,121.99
Feb. 28, 1924, to bal. uncollected		8,785.23

 TREASURER'S REPORT

Feb. 28, 1923 to cash on hand	\$5,782.11
Town Castle Hill, tuition	513.80
Board of Health	7.00
State treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67.50
Town Presque Isle, acct. Bushie	74.77
Town clerk, dog license	51.00
Merchants' Trust & Banking No. 87	1,000.00
State treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67.50
Town clerk, dog license	24.00
M. T. & B. Co., order No. 147, loan	1,500.00
Town Castle Hill, tuition	500.00
M. T. & B. Co., order No. 155, loan	500.00
State treasurer, State pension	27.00
Fred Plummer, acct. State treasurer	86.40
M. T. & B. Co., order No. 217, loan	500.00
State treasurer, tax bank stock	14.30

Town clerk, dog license	23.00	
State Treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67.50	
Town Castle Hill, tuition	300.00	
M. T. & B. Co., order No. 241, loan	500.00	
Selectmen, licenses.	11.00	
Town clerk, dog license	2.00	
M. T. & B. Co., order No. 284, loan	1,000.00	
State treasurer, State Aid road	701.69	
Town Presque Isle, acct. F. Tompkins	5.00	
State treasurer, 3rd class road	408.31	
State treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67.50	
State treasurer, dog license	51.41	
State treasurer, State School fund	3,109.78	
State treasurer, equalization fund	987.00	
State treasurer, industrial education	200.00	
Town Chapman, tuition	280.00	
Town Castle Hill, tuition	280.00	
State treasurer, Mothers' Aid	67.50	
Town Castle Hill, tuition	425.00	
Geo. W. Turner, plank sold	3.20	
Town Chapman, interest on tuition	14.00	
From tax deeds, Coffin—Pulcifer	310.12	
Interest on tax deeds	30.71	
D. W. Ross, 1921 tax	1,008.70	
D. W. Ross, interest 1921 tax	57.46	
W. C. Doyen, 1922 tax	7,995.22	
W. C. Doyen, interest 1922 tax	175.91	
W. C. Doyen, 1923 tax	23,290.20	
W. C. Doyen, interest 1923 tax	51.10	
Total receipts		<u>\$52,138.69</u>

Cr.

Paid:

Sarah Waddell, State pension	\$ 9.00
State treasurer, dog tax	86.00
Sarah Waddell, State pension	18.00

State treasurer, patrol account	610.00	
State treasurer, State tax	4,496.76	
County treasurer, County tax	1,239.66	
Paid old orders	2,000.00	
Paid new orders	37,264.32	
Total paid out		<u>\$45,723.74</u>
Feb. 28, 1924, cash on hand		6,414.95

ABATEMENTS 1921 TAX

Asa Archer, not legally taxed	\$ 1.35
Clint Condon, paid in Castle Hill	24.45
Bert Holmes, inability	40.95
C. W. Munn, out of town	3.00
S. B. Ridgewell, old age	3.00
Aroostook Lumber Co., uncollectable	15.45
George Perry Co., not legally taxed	57.75

1922 TAX

Laura Gildert, dead	\$51.14
A. S. Griffin estate, exempt	46.71
Bert Holmes, inability	39.45
Wm. Stephenson, error	10.80
Alex Willett, property gone	5.40

1923 TAX

H. M. Hughes trustee, held for town	\$29.79
George McDonald, over valuation	31.80
George McDonald, deceased	3.00
E. H. B. Higgins, paid in Castle Hill	3.00
Harold Bagley, sickness	3.00
Total	<u>\$370.04</u>

 OUTSTANDING ORDERS

Feb. 28, 1924

Order No. 200, 1922, Merchants' Bank	\$1,000.00	
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. 54, 1920, Merchants' Bank	3,000.00	
Order No. 241, 1923, Merchants' Bank	500.00	
Order No. 217, 1923, Merchants' Bank	500.00	
Order No. 87, 1923, Merchants' Bank	1,000.00	
Order No. 147, 1923, Merchants' Bank	1,500.00	
Order No. 155, 1923, Merchants' Bank	500.00	
Order No. 284, 1923, Merchants' Bank	1,000.00	
Order No. 243, 1921, Louisa Casey	2,000.00	
Order No. 78, 1921, A. Ball	2,000.00	
A. Ball, notes acct. High School	4,500.00	
A. Ball, notes acct. Bridge loan	7,320.00	
		\$28,820.00

 LIABILITIES

State School Fund	\$ 826.50	
Overdraft School Account	3,330.91	
Overdraft Town Officers Account	295.70	
Overdraft Incidental Account	95.98	
Overdraft Interest Account	441.91	
Overdraft Third Class Road Account	304.29	
Overdraft State Aid Road Account	8.61	
Overdraft Town Poor Account	875.17	
Overdraft, Insurance, Light, Rent	145.48	
Outstanding Town Orders and Notes	28,820.00	
		\$35,144.42

RESOURCES

Unexpended Repair and Appliance	\$ 6.84	
Unexpended Text Book Acct.	107.36	
Unexpended Highway and Bridge Acct.	343.01	
Unexpended Mapleton Fire Co. Acct.	.10	
Unexpended Medical Inspection Acct.	19.00	
Unexpended Street Lighting Acct.	16.82	
Unexpended Side Walk Acct.	125.30	
Unexpended Mothers' Aid Acct.	17.50	
Unexpended Castle Hill Town Order Tuition	1,025.59	
Unexpended Chapman Town Order Tuition	689.33	
Unexpended Tax Deed in Treasury	138.93	
Due 1921 Tax	288.63	
Due 1922 Tax	2,240.66	
Due 1923 Tax	8,785.23	
Gravel Bank	75.00	
Due Acct. W. E. Johnson	824.45	
Cash in hands of Treasurer	6,414.95	
Total Resources		\$21,127.70
Liabilities in excess of resources		\$14,016.72

SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATES FOR 1924.

Highways—Bridges	\$4,000.00
Common School	7,000.00
High School	5,000.00
Repairs and Appliances	1,500.00
Text Books	1,100.00
Town Officers	2,800.00
Incidentals	1,200.00
Interest	1,500.00
State Aid Road	533.00
Town Poor	1,500.00

Medical Inspection	75.00
Insurance, Rent, Light	500.00
Street Lighting	225.00
Mothers' Aid	400.00

Mapleton, Maine, March 5, 1924

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, 1924, and I find them correct.

ELMER H. WEBBER,
Auditor

DELINQUENT TAXES, 1921.

February 28, 1924.

Condon, Earnest	\$ 8.25	
Day, Chas.	3.00	
Gartley, Sam	63.50	
Guiou, Leveritt	17.79	
Gildert, John	3.00	
Holmes, Lewis	9.88	
Shea, James	66.25	
Sheain, Fred	15.30	
Trombley, Victoria	35.67	
Winship, C. L.	46.01	
Willette, Peter	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$278.63

NON RESIDENT.

Argent, Sam	\$10.00	
	<hr/>	\$10.00
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		\$288.63

DELINQUENT TAXES, 1922.

Archer, Mell	\$ 3.00	
Buchanan, Minnie	54.12	
Euchanan, Robert	24.33	
Buck, E. H.	19.91	
Coffin, Hall	77.05	
Condon, Clint	21.60	
Dow, M. W.	114.73	
Day, Chas.	37.53	
DeWitt, Claude	79.14	
Guiou, Leveritt	25.95	
Gartley, Sam.	47.55	
Gallagher, Joe	39.42	
Gardner, Orin	14.30	
Hughes, Enoch	7.18	
Hughes, L. M.	7.02	
Judkins, E. E.	4.35	
Lanigan, S. W.	20.52	
Lovely, S. W.	171.61	
Lovely, Roy	4.62	
McBurnie, A. H.	272.19	
Monahan, Robert	27.30	
McKinzie, Walter	8.37	
Miller, Leon	5.40	
McCormick, Milo	39.15	
Pulclier, Harold	3.00	
Paro, Earnest	3.00	
Ross, D. W.	40.66	
Stephenson, Wm.	16.50	
Shea, James	154.49	
Sheain, Fred	27.00	
Sinclair, Elwood	1.35	
Sinclair, Fred	18.90	
Trombley, Victoria	51.05	
Winship, C. L.	187.19	
		<u>\$1,629.49</u>

NON RESIDENT.

Carey, Millage	\$ 30.62	
Cook, Geo. R.	64.53	
Collins, G. H. & Co.	14.90	
Hanson, C. J.	367.20	
Hanson, Whit	39.37	
Oaks, Harry & Co.	2.70	
Porter, A. W.	1.35	
Stairs, M. J.	11.88	
Smith, Frank	21.60	
Valley, Joe	57.02	
	<hr/>	\$611.17
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		\$2,240.66

DELINQUENT TAXES, 1923

Poll Taxes

Archer, Mell	3.00.....
Buchanan, Robert	3.00
Belmain, John	3.00
Beckwith, A. H.	3.00
Buswell, Leslie	3.00
Condon, Alton	3.00
Carter, Chas.	3.00
Casey, Ellery	3.00
Costan, Cecil	3.00
Carter, Clint	3.00
Dow, M. W.	3.00
Day, Chas.	3.00
Dicker, Nat	3.00
Guiou, Leveritt	3.00
Gildert, John	3.00
Gardner, Orin	3.00

Holmes, Bert	3.00	
Judkins, E. E.	3.00	
Lint, Chas.	3.00	
Libby, Elton	3.00	
Libby, P. S.	3.00	
McPherson, Bert	3.00	
McPherson, Harold	3.00	
Murray, Ervin	3.00	
McPherson, Ed.	1.00	
Morrison, Geo.	3.00	
McBurnie, Alden	3.00	
McPherson, Almon	3.00	
McKinzie, F. H.	3.00	
Noke, Albert	3.00	
Phinney, Ira	3.00	
Pelkey, Frank	3.00	
Rundstrom, Frank	3.00	
Rice, James	3.00	
Robinson, Felix	3.00	
Southard, H. E.	3.00	
Shea, James	3.00	
Tarbell, Karl	3.00	
Tarbell, Willard	3.00	
Thomas, Glen	3.00	
Tompkins, Fred	3.00	
Trombley, Joe	3.00	
Waddell, F. J.	3.00	
Winship, C. L.	3.00	
Ireland, Millard	3.00	
		<hr/> \$133.00
	Estates.	
Arbo, D. A.	\$ 2.75	
Archer, Climena	75.10	
Archer, Mell	12.46	
Buchanan, Robert	28.86	

Buchanan, Minnie	67.84
Briggs, T. S.	9.28
Buck, E. H.	110.19
Coffin, Hall J.	118.98
Condon, Alton	15.90
Condon, Will	120.84
Casey, Peter	23.81
Casey, Elery	21.20
Costan, Cecil	3.98
Carter, M. E.	61.54
Carter, Clint	169.54
Cook, Geo. R.	393.95
Carter, James	85.32
Dow, M. W.	208.23
Day, Chas.	6.47
Dicker, Nat	13.25
Dunham, J. V.	155.83
Emerson, J. V.	175.69
Ervin, Timothy	11.59
Fillmore, L. A.	83.47
Guiou, Leveritt	47.81
Griffin, Rose	6.63
Gardner, Orin	21.20
Grant, Perry	42.40
Hughes, L. M.	14.58
Hudson, Lizzie	15.90
Holmes, Bert	6.38
Hughes, Abbie Estate	25.86
Hughes, H. B.	3.71
Ireland, Millard	21.94
Jordan, Will	107.64
Jordan, W. E.	35.78
Judkins, Mary	13.25
Judkins, E. E.	5.30
Kinney, B. W.	127.78
Kierstead, Oscar	137.42

Lovely, Sumner	154.19
Libby, Richard	23.85
Libby, Elton	30.74
Libby, Iva	21.20
McPherson, Harold	49.03
McPherson, Ed	54.33
Morrison, Lizzie	21.74
Munn, Ida	14.80
Munn, Geo.	54.33
Munn, Chas.	30.00
McBurnie, Alden	261.03
McDonald, Geo.	31.41
Mapleton Supply Co.	943.67
McKinzie, Walter	8.22
McHatten, N. W.	20.99
Neddeau, Wm. Jr.	.85
Noke, Albert	21.20
Packard, S. G.	138.60
Phinney, Ira	200.34
Pulcifer, C. N.	146.55
Pelkey, Martha	18.55
Pelkey, Frank	26.50
Perkins, J. W.	254.69
Porter, E. W.	83.21
Pelkey, Archie	10.60
Ross, D. W.	188.53
Rundstrom, Frank	9.28
Ridgwell, S. B.	33.55
Roake, Arthur	35.78
Rideout, N. N.	118.19
Rideout, Sylvester	18.55
Roberts, W. J.	37.10
Skedgwell, Chas.	5.40
Sylvester, M. D. and M. R.	9.54
Southard, H. E.	58.04
Shea, James	137.06

Sheain, Fred	87.47	
Southard, T. R.	74.91	
Tarbell, Anna J.	83.48	
Tarbell, Linton	41.34	
Thomas, Frank Estate	242.26	
Turner, E. M.	204.39	
Tompkins, Merrill	145.02.....	
Trombley, Victoria	152.38	
Whitlock, James Estate	6.89	
Waddell, Jesse	37.98	
Welts, Hartley	117.61	
Wilcox, Will	10.60	
Waddell, F. J.	13.78	
Waddell, Kate	19.45	
Wilcox, Chas.	41.08	
Winship, C. L.	173.63	
Weeks, Ferd	73.28	
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		\$7,406.69

NON RESIDENTS.

Akley, Henry	\$73.35
Allen, Chas.	7.95
Boone, S. W.	156.88
Barker, Roy	43.14
Buffalo Fertilizer Co.	24.12
Carey, Millage	18.39
Collins, G. H. & Co.	14.63
Collins, G. H.	4.77
Foster, Harry	59.10
Giberson, Chas.	35.78
Hanson, C. J.	360.40
Hanson, Whit	87.72
Kierstead, Fred	1.50
McCormick, Milo	68.90
Oak, Harry & Co.	2.65

Pratt, H. B.	86.65	
Porter, A. W.	1.33	
Powers, Elisha	26.50	
Stairs, M. J.	11.66	
Sawyer, J. W.	71.82	
Williams, Chas.	11.13	
VanSicklin, V. E.	21.20	
Valley, Joe	55.97	
	<hr/>	\$1,245.54
Total		<hr/> \$8,652.23

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the School Committee:

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

Calendar

1923—1924

First Semester began	September 10, 1923
Columbus Day Exercises	October 12, 1923
Armistice Day	November 11, 1923
Thanksgiving Day	November 29, 1923
Christmas Recess began	December 21, 1923
Christmas Recess ended	January 7, 1924
First Semester ended	January 31, 1924
Second Semester began	February 1, 1924
Washington's Birthday Exercises	February 22, 1924
Easter Recess begins	March 28, 1924
Easter Recess ends	April 7, 1924
Patriot's Day	April 19, 1924
Memorial Day	May 30, 1924
Second Semester ends	June 6, 1924

1924—1925.

First Semester begins	September 8, 1924
Columbus Day Exercises	October 13, 1924
Armistice Day	November 11, 1924
Thanksgiving Day	November 27, 1924
Christmas Recess begins	December 19, 1924
Christmas Recess ends	January 5, 1925
First Semester ends	January 31, 1925
Second Semester begins	February 2, 1925
Washington's Birthday Exercises	February 23, 1925
Easter Recess begins	March 27, 1925
Easter Recess ends	April 6, 1925
Patriot's Day	April 20, 1925
Memorial Day	May 30, 1925
Second Semester ends	June 5, 1925

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

School	Enrollment			Enrollment		
	Yr. end'g July 1, 1923	Aver. Att.	Percent. of Att.	1st Sem. 1923-1924	Av. Att.	P. C. Att.
Senior High	78	63	82	65	53	80
Freshman	37	30	80	35	31	88
Seventh and Eighth	33	29	87	36	29	82
Creasy Ridge	16	12	77	17	13	74
Griffin Ridge	17	13	78	12	10	81
Hughes	31	19	62	27	20	74
Lovely	36	24	68	34	25	74
New Mill	45	32	70	43	33	77
Old Mill	47	30	63	52	35	67
Packard	28	23	83	31	22	70
Park	33	26	79	19	18	98
Wilson	27	18	67			
Totals	428	319	75	371	289	78

LIST OF TEACHERS, FEBRUARY 1, 1924.

Name	Permanent Address	Annual Salary	School	Where Graduated	Exp. in Yrs.	Yrs. in Town
Bishop, Mrs. Lulu M.	Mapleton	\$810.00	Creasy Ridge	Presque Isle Normal	13	6
Blackstone, Emma R.	Caribou	954.00	New Mill	Presque Isle Normal	14½	7½
Blanchard, Mrs. Marion N.	Mars Hill	846.00	Lovely	Acrostook Cen. Ins.	4½	½
Carpenter, Roland J.	Patten	2000.00	High, Prin.	Bates College, B. S.	1½	1½
Griffin, Mrs. Lettie M.	Mapleton	854.00	Old Mill	Presque Isle Normal	2	½
Hill, Marguerite F.	Auburn	1400.00	High	Bates College, A. B.	2½	½
Homsted, Ruth W.	Skowhegan	936.00	Hughes	Farmington Normal	1½	½
Howe, Carissa E.	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	1200	High	Univ. of Vermont, B. S.	1½	½
Porter, Mrs. Cora M.	Presque Isle	1098.00	Packard	Farmington Normal	18½	10
Saunders, Bertha	Presque Isle	729.00	Griffin Ridge	Fredericton Normal	6½	½
Stephenson, Sarah F.	Mapleton	1200.00	High	Fredericton Normal	8½	4
Webster, Frankie	Deer Isle	1260.00	High	Univ. of Maine, B. S.	2½	½
Wieden, Clifford O. T.	New Sweden	1500.00	High	Acadia Univ., B. Sc.	½	½
Young, Mrs. Bernice W.	Mapleton	900.00	Park	Machias Normal	1½	½

PROGRAM OF STUDY
JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

FIRST YEAR
(Seventh 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
Manual Training
Home Economics
Physical Education
Latin

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

MAPLETON HIGH SCHOOL, DAILY SCHEDULE, SPRING SEMESTER, 1924.

	Principal Carpenter	Mr. Wieden	Miss Webster	Miss Stephenson	Miss Howe	Miss Hill
8:8—15	Chapel					
8:15—8:55		Law & Economics R—3	History—10 R—1	Math. 9 R—2	History 8 Smith House	Latin 12 R—7
8:55—9:35	Algebra 10 R—7	Science B R—3	Household Management Smith House	Eng. 7 R—2	Bookkeeping 10 Smith House	Latin 9 R—1
9:35—10:25	Physical Education & Recess					
10:25—11:05	Com. Arith R—3	Chemistry R—7	Dom. Arts 9 (Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs.)	Math 8 (Omit Friday) R—2	History 7 Smith House	
11:05—11:45	Com. Geog. R—3	Chemistry R—7	Dom. Arts 8 (Friday) Smith House	Math. 7 (Omit Wed.) Eng. 8 (Wed.) R—2	Type. 10 Sten. 12 Smith House	Latin 10 R—1
11:45—1:00	P. M.	NOON				
1:05—1:45	Math. Re- view	Biology R—7	Dom. Arts 10 (Mon. & Thurs.) 7 (Tues. & Fri.) Smith House	Eng. 9 R—2	Type. 10 Smith House	Eng. 11 R—1

1:45—2:25 Plane Geom S (Wed.)
R—7 ”

2:25—2:40 RECESS

2:40—3:20 Science A French 11 French 9
R--3 & 12 R--2
R—7

3:20—4:00 Civics 12
R—3

Eng. 8
Except Wed.
R—2

Type. 11
Smith House

Eng. 12
R—1

Sten. 11
Smith House

Spanish
R—1

Eng. 10
R—2

Bookkeeping 11
Smith House

Civics 9
R—1

TEACHERS

Our teachers are doing good work. They have prepared themselves for their profession. In most cases satisfactory results are being obtained. It is our policy to encourage our teachers to improve themselves while in service. Parents and citizens can help make our schools better by showing a friendly spirit and a loyal attitude toward the teachers.

REPAIRS AND APPLIANCES

At the Packard School a new woodshed has been attached to the schoolhouse, with improved toilet arrangements. The Hughes School should have similar work done during the coming summer.

The furnace at the Lovely School has been repaired.

We have secured a few seats for the Park School. We shall need a few more for this as well as for other schools. The best type for us seems to be the movable chair-desk. These come in six different sizes. They enable us to equip a room easily according to the number and ages of the pupils.

Our High School building should be provided with a fire escape, if we are to use it through the coming year without an addition. In case the town decides to enlarge the building, another exit will be arranged.

INSURANCE, RENT, LIGHT AND POWER

We have increased the amount of insurance carried on our schoolhouses. This additional protection calls for an increased appropriation.

In December the Grange Hall was destroyed by fire. We were unable to save the greater part of the equipment used by the Commercial and Home Economics classes. Through the courtesy of the Pastor and Trustees of the neighboring church we were given the use of a convenient basement during the remainder of the term. In January we moved the classes into a

house owned by Mr. O. H. Smith. We shall be able to carry on the work until the close of the school year. If the town's financial condition will permit, it would seem wise to start an addition to the High School building. The school has been cramped for several years.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Common Schools	\$7,000.00
High School	5,000.00
Repairs and Appliances	1,500.00
Books	1,100.00
Medical Inspection	75.00
Insurance, Rent, Light and Power	500.00

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER H. WEBBER,

.....Superintendent of Schools

Mapleton, Maine, February 19, 1924.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL.

To the Superintendent of Schools, Mapleton, Maine.

The Junior—Senior High School opened on September 12, 1923, with a registration of one hundred and thirty-seven students. This is remarkable for a town of this size and shows the interest which the citizens of Mapleton have in the education of their children. Since the loss of the Grange Hall, it has been necessary to use four rooms in the Smith house for domestic science and commercial work. These rooms are not appropriate for recitations, as they are poorly lighted, ventilation is bad, and there is always too much of a draft to be safe for children to sit at their work. Consequently, the pupils are not accomplishing as much as they ought.

Physical education has been conducted for both boys and girls. The girls have been divided into groups under the supervision of Miss Hill, and hold their own physical exercises. Exer-

cises for the boys have been held in the assembly room. These exercises consist of calisthenics and such exercises which will develop correct posture. We should educate our boys and girls physically as well as mentally. Better work could be accomplished in a gymnasium yet fairly good results are being accomplished under present conditions. It was necessary to discontinue basket ball this year. Some provision ought to be made for this sport next year. It helps to give "School Spirit" which is essential for the greatest success of the school.

The members of the faculty this year are nearly all teachers of experience and have earnestly worked for the best interests of the school. In spite of the crowded condition of our building, the work has been carried on by the respective teachers with a high degree of efficiency.

Parents and friends are cordially invited to visit the school at any time. It is an inspiration to the teacher to have parents visit as often as possible. You are always welcome.

I wish to express my sincere gratitude to the faculty, superintendent, school board and citizens for the co-operation you have given me and the interest which you have shown in the education of the children of this district.

Respectfully submitted.

ROLAND J. CARPENTER

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

To the Superintendent of Schools.

After moving into the Smith building our work is running smoothly again.

However we are handicapped in many ways. The ventilation and lighting are poor. It will not be possible next fall for the teacher to move easily between the desks for individual in-

struction in typewriting. This is especially needed for beginners in the subject.

We had some new typewriters last fall, but we need at least two more.

I wish to thank sincerely all who have helped to make this department successful.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARISSA E. HOWE

HOME ECONOMICS

To the Superintendent of Schools, Mapleton, Maine.

There are in the Home Economics classes this year 51 girls including 8 juniors and seniors who are registered in the recitation course in Household Management.

The girls of the Junior High School have had one-half year of cooking, in which the selection of foods was stressed. The laboratory work was based upon selection in relation to health. The aim in these courses was to make all the problems practical for use in the girls' homes. The ninth grade girls learned to plan, prepare and serve simple well balanced meals. These courses changed to sewing for the eighth and ninth grades at the middle of the year. In this work the girls will learn the construction of garments beginning with the very simple problems and working toward those involving more complicated processes. These students are greatly handicapped in their work because of the lack of sewing machines which means some loss of time as much of the work must be done by machines. The problems will be chosen by the girls themselves according to their needs as shown by the clothing budgets which they have worked out for the coming year.

The Sophomores had sewing for the first half year. Selection and care of clothing were emphasized. The girls made nightgowns, bloomers and slips, learning the use of commercial patterns and the simple principles of garment construction. Their last problem was a blouse which combined with the

simple processes the additional problem of sleeves and the application of bias facings and pipings for decorative finishes. These girls will take up for the last half of the year work in foods based upon meal planning and preparation.

In all of the Home Economics courses given to the girls of the ninth grade and the High School, the State Outline has been followed as closely as possible.

Although the work of this department has been more or less broken up because of the loss of the laboratory, a great deal has been accomplished due to the spirit with which the girls have worked even under serious difficulties.

I wish to thank all those who have given support to the work in Home Economics by their interest and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANKIE WEBSTER

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

Deaths Recorded in Mapleton since March, 1923

Baby Griffin, March 2, 1923.
Clarence E. Young, March 29, 1923.
Donald W. Kenney, May 1, 1923.
Baby Gildert, June 20, 1923.
Jessie J. Fisher, Aug. 14, 1923.
Wm. H. McDonnough, Oct. 30, 1923.
Orra Waddell, Nov. 14, 1923.
Estella Carter, Nov. 16, 1923.
Inez L. Libby, Nov. 21, 1923.
Madeline Webber, Nov. 27, 1923.
Horace Pendexter, Dec. 9, 1923.
Geo. H. MacDonald, Dec. 18, 1923.
Mary E. Larsen, Feb. 23, 1924.

Marriages Recorded in Mapleton since March, 1923

Howard A. Kidney and Mattie E. MacDonald Finnemore,
May 8, 1923.
Guy L. Pettengill and Amber R. Akeley, June 2, 1923.
Homer R. Ward and Crystal E. Waddell, June 27, 1923.
Thos. P. Davis and Helen I. Miller, July 28, 1923.
Alden P. Winslow and Ethel M. Gregg, Aug. 1, 1923.
Phineas F. Ellis and Mildred M. Chandler, Aug. 22, 1923.
Frank J. Brown and Emma M. Verrill, Aug. 24, 1923.
Harrison A. DeGrass and Doris M. Porter, Aug. 28, 1923.
Ferdinand A. Weeks and Helen E. Butler, Aug. 30, 1923.
Merritt H. Lint and Ardrie A. White, Oct. 1, 1923.
Robert Maynard and Della Brooker, Oct. 10, 1923.
Eugene B. MacDonald and Cecelia Langhley, Oct. 24, 1923
Joe L. Roy and Annie Braslett, Nov. 6, 1923.
Henry Bushey and Beatrice Drost, Nov. 17, 1923.
Joseph L. MacDonald and Della F. McPherson, Nov. 28, 1923
Claud M. Rice and Helen M. Victory, Dec. 24, 1923.

Lawrence A. Pulcifer and Eunice S. Palkey, Jan. 12, 1924.

Frederick S. Schlehuber and Mildred V. MacDonald, Jan. 20, 1924.

Births Recorded in Mapleton since March, 1923

- Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Young, a daughter, Feb. 25, 1922
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Woodbery Brewer, a daughter, Mar. 13, '22
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alden McBurnie, a son, Mar. 27, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Jordan, a son, Mar. 31, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Munn, a son, Apr. 11, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Dunham, a son, Apr. 29, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Henderson, a son, May 8, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clark, a daughter, May 14, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Coffin, a son, June 9, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Caston, a daughter, June 19, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Shea, a daughter, Sept. 5, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tompkins, a daughter, Sept. 26, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cordon, a daughter, Sept. 30, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edw. J. Bull, a son, Oct. 19, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Young Jr., a son, Oct. 28, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Higgins, a daughter, Nov. 25, 1922.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Libby, a son, Feb. 28, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Griffin, a son, Mar. 2, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Madore, a son, Mar. 8, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold McPherson, a daughter, Mar. 16, '23
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Allen, a son, Mar. 24, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thomas, a son, Mar. 30, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bagley, a son, Apr. 3, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Garland, a son, Apr. 3, 1923.
Born to Elden McLaughlin and Verna Archer, a son, Apr. 16, '23
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lint, a daughter, Apr. 18, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sawyer, a son, May 12, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McPherson, a daughter, May 20, '23
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry McBride, a daughter, May 21, 1923

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- Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Southard, a son, May 24, 1923
Born to Miss Helen Gilbert, a son, June 20, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith, a son, June 28, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher, a son, July 6, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carter, a son, Aug. 5, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Archer, a son, Aug. 12, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hughes, a son, Sept. 2, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kenney, a son, Sept. 3, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flanagan, a son, Sept. 3, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Corey Landers, a daughter, Oct. 5, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marley Dow, a son, Oct. 15, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Smith, a son, Oct. 18, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Price, a daughter, Oct. 27, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Turner, a son, Oct. 30, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore, a son, Oct. 30, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leverette Guiou, a daughter, Nov. 30, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis York, a daughter, Dec. 6, 1923.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Dicker, a daughter, Dec. 8, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hoyt, a son, Dec. 11, 1923
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Carter, a son, Jan. 2, 1924.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Young Jr., a son, Jan. 15, 1924.

WARRANT

STATE OF MAINE

AROOSTOOK, ss.

To Fred McGlaulin, 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 the Methodist Church in the said Town of Mapleton, the 17th day of March, A. D., 1924, 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.

ART. 8 To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 9 To see what date 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, 1924, 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 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. 22 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. 23 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for lighting streets.

ART. 24 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Memorial expenses.

ART. 25 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make temporary loans.

ART. 26 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Medical Inspection for the ensuing year.

ART. 27 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. 28 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. 29 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for Insurance, Rent, Light and Power.

ART. 30 To see if the Town will vote to institute a Town Ordinance forbidding children under the age of fifteen years to be upon the village streets unless accompanied by his or her parent or guardian between the hour of nine o'clock p. m. and sunrise, and elect some person to enforce the same or act anything relating thereto.

ART. 31 To see if the Town will vote to build an addition to the High School Building and if so, how much money the Town will vote to raise either by taxation or by loan, or take any action relating to same.

ART. 32 To see if the Town will vote to buy the lot and stable of Eureka Grange, and raise money to pay for same.

ART. 33 To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to buy a Fire Truck, and 1000 feet of hose, and build a Tower for same, and raise six thousand dollars to pay for same.

ART. 34 To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise to be expended on Boone road, so called.

ART. 35 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to establish an evening school and see how much money the Town will raise for the support of same.

ART. 36 To see if the Town will vote to raise a sum of money to build a shed for road machinery on New Mill School House lot, and if so how much.

ART. 37 To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at the Methodist Church, March 17, 1924, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

Given under our hand at Mapleton this 5th day of March, 1924.

HARRY M. HUGHES

W. B. WADDELL

A. P. WINSLOW

Selectmen of Mapleton



