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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Municipal Officers

OF THE TOWN OF

BEDDINGTON

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Teague Publishing Company
Machias, Maine

 VALUATION OF TOWN

Resident Valuation	\$ 3,652.63
Non- Resident Valuation	33,119.88
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Total Valuation	\$36,772.51
Assessed on Valuation of Town	\$2,022.55
8 Polls at \$3.00	24.00
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Total Assessment	\$2,046.55

Tax Rate .55

 APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1938-'39

State Tax	\$304.41
Fire Tax	94.43
County Tax	140.60
Schools	175.00
Roads and Bridges	150.00
State Aid Road Construction	450.00
Maintenance of State Aid Road	175.00
3rd Class Road	40.00
Interest on Town Debt	50.00
Town Charges	200.00
Insurance on Town Hall	25.88
World War Veterans	200.00
Interest	25.00
Moderator	1.00
Overlay in Assessment	15.23
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Total Appropriations	\$2,046.55

 ROADS AND BRIDGES

Raised by Town	\$150.00
Unexpended from 1937	55.80
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Amount Available	\$205.80

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Expended for Labor:

Roads and Bridges	\$98.50
Snow Removal	27.25
Cutting Bushes	32.20

Amount Expended	157.95
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Unexpended	\$ 47.85
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Received from State for Unimproved Road	\$54.90
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Expended for Repairs	54.60
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Unexpended	\$.30
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MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID ROAD

Raised by Town	\$175.00
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Paid State	150.00
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Balance	\$25.00
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Expended for Labor	18.50
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Unexpended	\$6.50
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MAINTENANCE OF THIRD CLASS ROAD

Raised by Town	\$40.00
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Expended for Labor	39.83
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Unexpended	\$.17
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STATE AID ROAD CONSTRUCTION

Raised by Town	\$450.00
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Apportioned by State	1575.00
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Transferred from 3rd Class	42.28
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Balance from 1937	70.08	
Joint Fund		\$2137.36
Expended by Town for Labor and Material	\$1656.70	
Expended by State for tar	442.51	
Amount expended		\$2099.21
Unexpended in the hands of State		\$ 38.15

TAXES

Ella M .Wells, Collector

Amount committed for Collection	\$2046.55
Amount Collected on Committment	\$2038.19
Excise Tax Collected	31.17
Amount paid to Treasurer	\$2069.36
Amount collected on committment	\$2,038.19
Amount uncollected	8.36
Delinquent Tax Payers:	
Ray Farnsworth	\$1.24
Emerson Pinkham	7.15
Total	\$ 8.39

Tax Account for 1936-1937

Amount Uncollected	\$10.00
Amount Collected	4.00
Abatements:	
Sherman Farnsworth, Poll Tax	\$3.00
B. L. Davis, Poll Tax	3.00
Excise Tax for 1938	2.00

RELIEF OF WORLD WAR VETERANS

Raised by Town	\$200.00	
Unexpended from 1937	50.06	
Amount Available		\$250.06
Amount expended:		
Milo Oakes	\$54.95	
Ray Farnsworth	144.24	
Freight and cartage on Federal Goods	23.64	
Total		\$222.83
Unexpended		\$27.17
Expended for Ray Farnsworth:		
Everett Sproul, cartage	\$2.00	
C. H. Mathews & Co., Groceries	53.62	
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Dorothy Farnsworth, transportation and		
care of Doris Farnsworth	5.00	
C. H. Mathews & Co., groceries	19.70	
W. A. Van Wart, medicine	1.05	
C. H. Mathews & Co., Groceries	21.19	
Fred Longfellow, paying Dr. Bettridge and		
medicine	3.00	
Everett Sproul, cartage	2.00	
J. H. Hart, oil	.24	
	\$144.24	
Account of Milo Oakes:		
Plummer and Hall, Groceries	\$4.01	
C. H. Mathews & Co., groceries	22.61	
C. H. Mathews & Co., groceries	5.53	
Guy Burritt, medical attention	22.80	
	\$54.95	

 Account of Federal Supplies:

W. H. Farnsworth, paying Everett Sproul
for freight & cartage on Federal Supplies \$23.64

PAUPER ACCOUNT

Sherman L. Farnsworth

Donald Strout ,transportation to hospital	\$10.00	
J. E. Huggard & Sons, funeral expenses	125.00	
P. Leo Crespi, medical attention	13.25	
Eastern Maine General Hospital, care & treatment	32.69	
C. H. Mathews & Co., clothing	1.73	
W. A. Van Wart, telephoning	.45	
F. J. Longfellow, paying Rev. Marell for officiating	5.00	
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Total		\$188.12

OUTSTANDING RELIEF BILLS

C. H. Mathews & Co., Ray Farnsworth's bill	\$39.87	
Plummer and Hall, Milo Oakes' bill	56.02	
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Total		\$95.89

TOWN CHARGES

Amount raised by Town	\$200.00	
Overlay in Assessment	15.23	
Overdrawn paid from Contingent Fund	142.59	
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Amount available		\$357.82
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Expended		
Teague Publishing Company, reports	\$15.22	
Wallace Farnsworth, posting warrant	1.00	
Marks Printing House, books and stationery	2.10	

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Marks Printing House, stationery	.25
Dorothy Farnsworth, Ballot Clerk	2.80
Margaret Farnsworth, Ballot Clerk	5.60
Dorothy Farnsworth, Treasurer & Ballot Clerk	7.80
Frank W. Stinson, auditing Town Books	75.00
Dorothy Farnsworth, boarding auditors	15.00
Dorothy Farnsworth, error in previous year	
Service Charge	2.48
Marks Printing House, town books, supplies	23.35
Wallace Farnsworth, Selectman and Overseer	9.75
W. H. Farnsworth, Selectman and Assessor	24.77
Ella M. Welis, Collector and postage	32.00
Union Trust Company, Service Charges	5.64
F. J. Longfellow, Assessor, and elections	7.00
Dorothy Farnsworth, Treasurer	10.00
B. H. Varney, Salary and postage	37.78
Marks Printing House, Collector's Book	1.50
Dorothy Farnsworth, Treasurer, postage as	
Treasurer and Health Officer	18.50
Union Trust Co., Service Charges	.68
Flora Farnsworth, Town Clerk and postage	8.00
W. H. Farnsworth, lodging for tramps	1.00
W. H. Farnsworth, Selectman, Assessor,	
Overseer and expenses	45.00
F. J. Longfellow, Selectman	2.80
W. L. Farnsworth, Selectman	2.80
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Amount Expended	\$357.82

PORCUPINE ACCOUNT

Amount due from State for 1937-38	\$83.96
Amount paid out in 1938-39	141.75
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Total due from State	\$225.71

 INTEREST ACCOUNT

Raised by Town	\$25.00
Unexpended from 1937	30.31
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Total Amount available	\$55.31
Expended	
Union Trust Co., interest on notes	30.56
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Unexpended	\$ 24.75

 CONTINGENT FUND

Unexpended from 1937	\$177.09
Paid Overdrawn Town Charges	142.59
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Unexpended	\$34.50

 FLAGS FOR CIVIL WAR VETERANS

Balance on hand	\$1.75
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 REPAIRS ON TOWN BUILDINGS

Balance from 1936	\$15.94
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 INSURANCE ON TOWN BUILDING

Raised by Town	\$25.88
Paid Homer Worcester	25.88

 OUTSTANDING TOWN ORDER

W. H. Farnsworth	\$45.00
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W. H. FARNSWORTH,
 F. J. LONGFELLOW,
 W. L. FARNSWORTH,
 Selectmen of Beddington.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Dorothy Farnsworth, Treasurer
Fiscal Year ending February 25th, 1939

To Balance in Bank	\$434.85	
Received from Evie Oakes, Coll.	6.00	
Received from Ella Wells, Coll.	2,069.36	
Received from State:		
Porcupine Bounty refunded	26.04	
State Aid Road	1111.30	
State School fund	107.72	
Dog Tax refunded	2.77	
Dog Tax from Town Clerk	6.00	
Union Trust Co., Notes	1,500.00	
Interest from Machias Savings Bank	15.08	
Union Trust Co., Premium payments on Bank Stock	6.00	
Union Trust Co., Preferred stock, Dividend Payments	3.60	
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Total Received		\$5,288.72
Paid Out:		
Town Orders 1938-1939	\$5258.27	
Balance in Bank	30.45	
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Total		\$5,288.72

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
OF THE
TOWN OF BEDDINGTON
1938-1939

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Mrs. Evie Oakes	Term expires 1939
Mrs. Dorothy Farnsworth	Term expires 1940
F. J. Longfellow	Term expires 1941

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Resources

Unexpended 1937-38	\$59.91	
Appropriation	175.00	
State School Fund	107.72	
Int. on Town Debt	50.00	
Int. on Per. School Fund	15.03	
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		\$407.71

Disbursements

Teacher's Salary	\$320.00	
Janitor and Cleaning	15.80	
Fuel	18.50	
Books and Supplies	8.99	
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		\$363.29
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Unexpended		\$ 44.42

1939-'40 BUDGET
Estimated Expenses

Teacher's Salary	\$320.00
Wood	25.00
Janitor and Cleaning	15.80
Books and Supplies	5.00
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	\$365.80

ESTIMATED RESOURCES

Unexpended	\$44.42
State School Fund	100.00
Interest on Town Debt	50.00
Interest on Per. School Fund	15.00
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	\$209.42
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Necessary Appropriation	\$156.38
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Recommended Appropriation	\$165.00

The first term of sixteen weeks opened March 7th and closed June 24th, 1938 with Mrs. Inez Torrey as teacher and with an enrollment of three pupils.

The second term of sixteen weeks opened September 6th and closed December 23rd with Mrs. Torrey continuing as teacher and with the same enrollment of three pupils.

Normal progress has been made in all grades with regular promotions at the end of the year in June.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJ. H. VARNEY.

Superintendent of Schools.