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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

OF THE TOWN OF

BURNHAM, MAINE

FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 1918-19.



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REPORT OF SELECTMEN

The municipal officers of Burnham herewith respectfully submit their annual report for the year 1918.

Valuation of real estate	\$203,135 00	
Valuation of personal estate	72,195 00	
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Total valuation		\$275,330 00
Number of polls, rate \$3.00.		
Rate of property tax, .024.		

APPROPRIATION

Common schools	\$1,200 00	
Free High school	100 00	
School text books	125 00	
School repairs	300 00	
School appliances	75 00	
Salary of Superintendent of Schools . .	100 00	
Salary of school board	30 00	
Support of poor	300 00	
Town charges	600 00	
Roads and bridges	1,000 00	
Snow bills	300 00	
To pay interest on town debt	160 00	
Street lights	190 00	
Abatement on taxes	140 00	
Maintenance	400 00	
Side walk	50 00	
State and County tax	1,973 36	
Overlay	122 56	
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		\$7,165 92

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ROAD ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	\$1,000 00
Amount unexpended 1917 ..	3 49
Amount rec'd from State	19 90
Amount rec'd plank sold	48 00
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	\$1,071 39
Amount expended	\$1,091 31
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Amount overdrawn	\$ 19 92

SNOW BILLS

Amount raised by town	\$300 00
Amount expended	\$167 53
Amount overdrawn in 1917	430 51
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	\$598 04
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Overdrawn	\$298 04

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	\$ 50 00
Amount expended	\$ 42 00
Amount unexpended	8 00
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	\$ 50 00

SUPPORT OF POOR

Amount raised by town	\$300 00
Amount unexpended 1917	259 03
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	\$559 03
Amount expended	\$293 03
Amount unexpended	266 00
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	\$559 03

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Eliza Morgan Account

Paid George Dyer, Jr., for board	\$ 8 00	
Marcellus Cain, casket and robe	44 10	
M. D. Goodridge, digging grave.	6 00	
		————— \$ 58 10

Edith Morgan Account

Paid George Dyer, Jr., board	\$ 18 00	
Carroll McAllister, for board	4 00	
W. E. Lancaster, for board	82 00	
Chute & Mitchell, supplies	7 98	
		————— \$111 98

Ray Perkins Account

Paid Chute & Mitchell, supplies	\$ 14 15
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Ruth Reynolds Account

Paid Town of Thorndike	\$ 58 80
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Lizzie Perkins Account

Paid Town of Unity	\$ 50 00	
		————— \$293 03

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT

Unexpended in 1917	\$226 69	
Rec'd of Carroll McAllister, use of farm	55 00	
		————— \$281 69
Paid Chute & Mitchell, grass seed and supplies	\$ 16 39	
Unexpended	265 30	
		————— \$281 69

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STREET LIGHTS

Amount raised by town	\$190 00	
Amount unexpended	31 70	
	<u> </u>	\$221 70
Amount expended	\$189 96	
Amount unexpended	31 74	
	<u> </u>	\$221 70

CEMETERY ACCOUNT

James Braley account	\$ 50 00	
One year interest	2 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 52 00
Paid W. E. Reynold, fixing up lot	\$ 2 00	
Amount unexpended	50 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 52 00
John E. Hart fund		\$100 00

SALARY OF SCHOOL BOARD

Amount raised by town	\$ 30 00	
Amount unexpended 1917	10 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 40 00
Paid O. S. McAllister	\$ 10 00	
E. E. Davis	10 00	
Clarence Wood	10 00	
W. E. Reynold	10 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 40 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Amount raised by town	\$100 00	
Amount unexpended 1917	28 69	
	<u> </u>	\$128 69
Amount Expended:		
Paid W. E. Stuart	\$ 48 98	

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Naomi Gregair	82 79	
	<u> </u>	\$131 77
Overdrawn		<u> </u>
		\$ 3 08

INTEREST ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	\$160 00	
Amount unexpended 1917	24 27	
	<u> </u>	\$184 27
Amount expended	\$165 00	
Amount unexpended	19 27	
	<u> </u>	\$181 27

STATE ROAD ACCOUNT

Amount raised by town	\$500 00	
Amount rec'd from State	472 14	
	<u> </u>	\$972 14
Amount expended	\$1,016 86	
Amount overdrawn 1916	32 87	
	<u> </u>	\$1,049 73
		<u> </u>
Amount overdrawn		\$ 77 59

MOTHER STATE AID

Paid Sadie Murphy	\$419 33	
Due from State 1917	10 81	
	<u> </u>	\$430 14
Rec'd from Town of Milford	\$221 00	
Rec'd from State Treasurer	153 00	
	<u> </u>	\$374 00
		<u> </u>
Due from State Treasurer		\$ 56 14

STATE AID TO DEPENDENT OF SOLDIERS

Paid Sumner Huston	\$179 43	
Albert McNally	179 43	
Wm. F. Stuart	128 00	
Due from State 1917	96 00	
	<hr/>	\$582 86
Rec'd from the State.....		\$530 28
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		\$ 52 58

STATE PAUPERS

Paid Darley L. Chandler, board'g Fred Pepper	\$304 71	
Darley L. Chandler, boarding Francis Patterson	78 66	
Due from State 1917.....	110 87	
	<hr/>	\$494 24
Rec'd from State	\$454 49	
Due from State	39 75	
	<hr/>	\$494 24

ABATEMENT ON TAXES

Amount raised by town	\$140 00	
Amount unexpended 1917	2 86	
	<hr/>	\$142 86
Paid D. M. Susi, Maplewood Lumber	\$ 96 00	
L. A. Pomroy	4 00	
Clarence Dyer	3 00	
Dwinal Hunt	3 00	
Boyce Hunt	3 00	
Everett Huston	3 00	
A. C. Miles	3 00	
W. J. B. Mitchell.....	3 00	
Leon McNally	3 00	

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Mark Perkins	3 00	
Luther Perkins	3 00	
Frank Teague	3 00	
William Towers	3 00	
John Phillips	2 40	
	\$136 20	
Unexpended		\$ 6 66

TOWN OFFICERS BILLS

C. E. Sherman, auditor.....	S 1 50	
O. S. McAllister, memb. school board	10 00	
E. E. Davis, member of school board . .	10 00	
Clarence Wood, member of school board	10 00	
J. B. Jacob, memb. board of health . .	3 00	
W. G. Edmonds, ballot clerk.....	3 00	
E. E. Davis, ballot clerk.....	5 50	
W. E. Stuart, Supt. of Schools.....	48 98	
Naomi Greagaire, Supt. of Schools....	82 79	
D. A. Dyer, town clerk.....	9 00	
D. A. Dyer, town treasurer.....	40 00	
E. L. Goodrich, selectman, overseer of poor and assessors.....	50 00	
Wentworth Pease, selectman, overseer of poor and assessor	50 00	
F. A. McAllister, selectman, overseer of poor and assessor	95 00	
O. D. Braley, tax collector.....	250 80	
	\$669 57	

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

George Goodwin, wood town office . . .	S 3 50
Charles E. Nash & Son, printing reports	48 00
Parks Bros., insuring town hall.....	29 13
Loring, Short & Harmor, office supplies	9 60

E. P. Taylor, work in Mount Cemetery	6 00
W. G. Edmonds, public watering tub.	5 00
Wentworth Pease, looking forest fire..	2 00
Wentworth Pease, cash expenses	4 64
J. Bernard Reynolds, reporting births.	25
J. F. Jones, fitting wood for office....	1 50
R. F. Dunton, legal advice.....	2 00
D. A. Dyer, vital statistics.....	9 25
D. A. Dyer, cash expenses.....	3 93
W. S. Myrick, cash expenses.....	2 50
Dr. A. A. Shae, rep. births and deaths	2 25
Dr. H. I. Trueworthy, rep'g births and deaths	3 25
F. A. McAllister, cash expenses.....	9 00
W. F. Stuart, cash expenses.....	18 00
Naomi Gregoire, cash expenses.....	6 38

————— \$166 18

CURRENT RECEIPTS

Amount raised by town	\$5,070 00
Amount of overlay	122 56
State and County tax	1,973 36
Rec'd School fund	1,031 69
Int. on B. & M. H. L. R. R. stock	120 00
Rent of town farm.....	34 00
D. A. Dyer, dog licenses.....	45 00
S. S. Committee, grass sold....	12 00
J. W. Manson, John E. Hart found	100 00
For plank sold	48 00
M. C. R. R. Co., damage to school seats	19 00
State Treas., burial of soldier..	35 00
State Treas., dependent families	530 28
State Treas., R. R. & Tel. tax.	25 50

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State Treas., license refund	6 42
State Treas., High School fund	288 00
State Treas., State pensions	297 00
State Treas., State paupers	454 49
State Treas., Mother's aid	374 00
State Treas., State roads	472 14
Auctioneer's license	2 00
Highway Department	13 15
	\$8,217 61

CURRENT EXPENSES

Cost of Poor	\$ 293 03
Cost of roads and bridges	1,091 31
Cost of snow bills	167 53
Cost of schools	1,770 31
Cost of school repairs	295 84
Cost of school books	115 79
Cost of school appliances	65 39
Cost of dependent families	486 86
Cost of dependent mothers	419 33
Cost of State paupers	383 37
Paid interest on bonds	165 00
Paid for State road	1,016 86
Paid for abatement	136 20
Paid miscellaneous	141 80
Paid town officer bills	669 57
Paid State pensions	297 00
	\$7,514 19

LIABILITIES

Bond No. 162 Due Feb. 19, 1919	\$ 400 00
163 Oct. 31, 1920	500 00
164 Mar. 14, 1919	600 00
165 Oct. 21, 1920	200 00
166 Sept. 11, 1919	450 00

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167	Feb. 19, 1920	200 00	
168	Aug. 2, 1921	1,000 00	
169	Aug. 5, 1920	775 00	
			—————\$4,125 00
	Town orders outstanding	\$ 5 64	
	Interest due on bonds	152 34	
			————— \$157 98

RESOURCES

20 Shares B. & M. H. L. R. R. stock	\$2,000 00	
Due from State Treasurer	191 89	
Town farm and farming tools	1,300 00	
Town Hall and lot	500 00	
School house lot in Village	400 00	
Due from K. P. Lodge for rent	30 00	
Due from Carroll McAllister, use farm	21 00	
Cash on hand	1,751 03	
		—————\$6,193 92
Resources above Liabilities		\$1,910 94
Value of all school property	\$4000 00	

F. A. McALLISTER,
E. L. GOODRICH,
WENTWORTH PEASE,
Selectmen of Burnham.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Treasurer and believe them correct. I also find vouchers for all orders drawn.

CHAS. E. SHERMAN,
Auditor.

LIST OF TOWN ORDERS DRAWN ON THE TOWN
TREASURER 1918

No.		
782	Dexter Brown, snow bill	\$ 3 75
783	Cute & Mitchell, grass seed town farm . .	1 44
784	C. E. Sherman, abatement	10 40
785	Bert Chandler, snow bill	15 25
786	E. E. Sidelinger, snow bill	18 25
787	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
788	Clyde Reynolds, snow bill	2 00
789	Roy Cookson, school wood	5 00
790	Geoge Dyer, Jr., boarding Mrs. Morgan	116 00
791	Sadie Murphy, mothers State aid	34 00
792	C. E. Sherman, auditor	1 50
793	F. A. Bachelder, labor on highway	2 70
794	F. A. Bachelder, school repairs	3 00
795	Clyde Reynolds, janitor service	1 75
796	Hazel Chandler, janitor service	1 75
796	Hazel Chandler, school wood	1 00
797	E. P. Taylor, snow bill	1 50
798	S. L. Barrows, conveying pupils	32 00
799	F. A. McAllister, caring for tramps	6 00
800	F. A. McAllister, express books	2 44
801	M. D. Goodridge, digging grave Mrs. Mor- gan	6 00
802	Roy Cookson, school wood	5 00
803	George Goodwin, office wood	3 50
804	E. C. Sayward, snow bill	7 00
805	George Dyer, Jr., snow bill	11 00
806	George Dyer, Jr., conveying pupils	7 00
807	Darley Chandler, board'g Frances Patter- son	37 00
808	Darley Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper .	21 00
809	Central Maine Power Co., electric lights .	15 83
810	Estella Huff, janitor service	2 30
811	Levi Huff, school wood	1 00

812	A. D. Young, labor on highway	9 00
813	Irene Richerson, teaching school	36 00
814	Hazel Chandler, teaching school	36 00
814	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
816	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
817	Wm. E. Stuart, services as Supt. Schools	27 00
818	Wm. E. Stuart, cash expenses	18 00
819	E. E. Davis, school wood	24 50
820	Manley Huff, school wood	75
821	William Towers, snow bill	1 50
822	Irvin Drummonds, janitor service	1 15
823	M. D. Goodridge, school wood	20 00
824	Clarence Wood, school wood	23 62
825	C. M. Lassell, snow bill	11 75
826	Sadie Murphy, mother State aid	34 00
827	L. J. Hathern, conveying pupils	15 00
827	L. J. Hathern, snow bill	20 50
828	W. G. Twitchell, snow bill	5 00
829	Charles Wyman, snow bill	3 50
830	George Braley, cutting bushes	7 50
831	Dismond Braley, janitor service	1 00
832	Irvin Drummond, snow bill	50
833	Roy Call, school wood	21 00
834	M. C. R. R. Co., freight school repairs..	3 40
835	Roy Goodridge, school wood	2 25
836	Erold Hamlin, school repairs	2 50
837	Central Maine Power Co., electric lights.	15 83
838	Elisha Kenney, school wood	3 00
839	Sumner Huston, cleaning out vault	1 00
840	F. B. Brown, school repairs	29 90
841	Arthur Hunt, school repairs	10 00
842	George Dyer, Jr., boarding Mrs. Morgan	10 00
843	George Dyer, Jr., snow bill	5 00
844	Darley Chandler, caring for F. Patterson	41 66
845	Darley Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper.	21 00
846	E. F. Rowe, school wood	5 00
847	O. G. Rowe, snow bill	3 00

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848	L. P. Kimball, snow bill	4 00
849	F. H. Tilton, snow bill	5 50
850	A. E. Drummond, snow bill	6 25
851	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
852	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
853	W. G. Twitchell, snow bill	2 50
854	E. C. Sayward, snow bill	2 00
855	G. E. Dodge, snow bill	4 50
856	W. E. Stuart, serv. Supt. of Schools	21 98
857	Sadie Murphy, Mother's State aid	34 00
858	T. L. Jones, labor on highway	10 75
859	Fred Gray, snow bill	6 25
860	G. M. Braley, snow bill	6 99
861	W. E. Lancaster, board'g Edith Morgan	4 00
862	Naomi Gregoire, salary 6.95 freight on books 1.59	8 54
863	Alice McGee, teaching school	44 00
864	Jennie Jones, teaching school	60 00
865	Grace Hanson, teaching school	36 00
866	Estella Huff, teaching school	36 00
867	Hazel Chandler, teaching school	36 00
868	Irene Richardson, teaching school	36 00
869	Arthur Goodrich, snow bill	5 00
870	E. L. Goodrich, snow bill	5 00
871	O. Farrington, snow bill	5 00
872	M. Cain, casket for Mrs. Morgan	44 10
873	Chas. E. Nash & Son, printing town rep.	48 00
874	Parks Brothers, insurance on town hall	29 13
875	Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies	9 60
876	D. E. Reynolds, labor on highway	9 00
877	Carroll McAllister, labor on highway	7 50
878	H. L. McAllister, labor on highway	9 00
878	H. L. McAllister, snow bill	6 50
879	Preston Perkins, hauling plank	18 00
880	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
881	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
882	Central Maine Power Co., electric lights	15 83

883	M. C. R. R. Co., freight school repairs . .	95
884	W. E. Reynolds, serv. on school board '17	10 00
885	Austin Flood, labor on highway	6 00
886	Wm. H. Huff, labor on highway	6 00
887	Sadie Murphy, Mother's State aid	34 00
888	Darley Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper.	18 21
889	Orison Chandler, labor on highway	8 00
890	M. C. R. R. Co., freight road account . . .	32
891	Central Maine Power Co., electric lights.	15 83
892	W. E. Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	8 00
893	Roy Goodridge, janitor service	3 00
894	Carroll McAllister, boarding Edith Mor- gan	4 00
895	Cleveland Pease, conveying pupils	17 50
896	Darling Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper	21 40
897	D. M. Chandler, janitor service	3 25
898	Alice McGee, teaching school	66 34
899	Wentworth Pease, snow bill	7 50
900	Wentworth Pease, labor on highway	3 60
901	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
902	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
903	E. E. Davis, labor on highway	15 50
904	Roy Cookson, school wood	4 00
905	Estella Huff, teaching school	54 00
906	Grace Hanson, teaching school	54 00
907	George Cole, labor on highway	9 45
908	Hazel Chandler, teaching school	57 00
909	Alice McGee, janitor service	5 00
910	Austin Flood, cutting bushes	9 00
911	E. L. Goodrich, labor on highway	21 00
912	F. A. McAllister, labor on highway	14 00
913	Sadie Murphy, Mother State aid	45 33
914	E. L. Goodrich, labor on highway	18 00
915	Arthur Goodrich, labor on highway	12 00
916	Irene Richerson, teaching school	56 50
917	Lee McAllister, labor on highway	12 00
918	T. L. Goodwin, labor on highway	4 35

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919	Alonzo Emery, snow bill	27 00
920	W. E. Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	8 00
921	A. D. Young, now bill	3 00
921	A. D. Young, labor on highway	12 00
922	L. J. Hathorn, conveying pupils	20 00
923	Darley Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper .	21 25
924	Albert McNally, State aid	11 43
925	Sumner Huston, State aid	11 43
926	Jennie Jones, teaching school	52 50
927	Central Maine Power Co., electric lights .	15 83
928	Arthur Goodrich, labor on highway	12 00
929	Naomi Gregoire, service Supt. of Schools	20 67
930	Town of Unity, tuition	10 00
931	Estella Huff, janitor service	3 50
932	Estella Huff, wood	2 00
	Wm. F. Stuart, State aid	8 00
933	C. M. Conant, road machine repair	10 20
934	Maine Central Institute, tuition	84 00
935	Ginn & Co , school books	5 10
936	Benj Sanborn, school books	1 97
937	Silver, Burdette & Co , school books	4 05
938	Fred Gray, labor on highway	1 50
939	M Cain, casket or Rufus Reynolds	35 00
940	J L Hammett, school supplies	25 35
941	Town of Detroit, tuition	13 30
942	Town of Clinton, tuition	50 00
943	J F Jones, labor on highway	22 95
944	L P Kimball, snow bill	1 50
945	Elvard Brown, snow bill	8 25
946	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
947	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
948	Wm. F. Strout, State aid	16 00
949	Clarence Wood, school supplies	5 00
950	Darley Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper .	21 35
951	Sadie Murphy, Mother State aid	34 00
952	W E Lancaster, board'g Edith Morgan .	12 00
953	E C Sayward, labor on highway	8 00

954	Kennebec Lumber Co , for plank	465	71
955	Central Maine Power Co , electric lights.	15	83
956	W C Cole, labor on highway	4	50
957	E E Davis, school repairs	29	27
958	Austin Flood, labor on highway	7	50
959	Wm H Huff, labor on highway	7	50
960	Wm H Huff, State road work	7	50
961	Austin Flood, State road work	7	50
962	J B Jacobs, ballot clerk	2	00
963	Wm H Huff, labor on sidewalk	4	50
964	Austin Flood, labor on sidewalk	4	50
965	Austin Flood, State road work	12	00
966	Sumner Huston, State aid	16	00
967	Albert McNally, State aid	16	00
968	Wm F Stuart, State aid	16	00
969	Darley Chandler, boarding F Pepper ...	21	00
970	Central Maine Power Co , electric lights.	15	83
971	Grover Braley, school repairs	7	00
972	Clifton McAllister, State road work	17	75
973	Wm H Huff, State road work	29	25
974	Austin Flood, State road work	17	25
975	Lester Flood, State road work	14	25
976	Naomi Gregoire, cash expenses	4	67
977	Naomi Gregoire, serv as Supt of Schools	18	96
978	Sadie Murphy, Mothers State aid	34	00
979	O E Garcelon, snow bill	6	75
980	Frank Willey, snow bill	10	00
981	Grover Braley, paint'g school house No 9	17	40
982	Clarence Wood, paint'g school house No 2	12	75
983	Austin Flood, State road work	13	50
984	Wm H Huff, State road work	13	50
985	Lester Flood, State road work	13	50
987	M. G. McGraw, Snow bill 4.25, cutting bushes 2.00	6	25
988	Wilber Braley, State road work	3	00
988	Wilber Braley, State road work	3	00
989	E P Taylor, clean'g Mount Cemetery.	6	00

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990	Roy Goodridge, labor on highway	3 75
1	Austin Flood, State road work	7 50
2	A. Gould, State road work	35 25
3	W S Merrick, serv Sealer of Weights & Measurers	2 50
4	E E Davis, school wood	35 00
5	M D Goodridge, labor on highway	6 00
6	Wm H Huff, State road work	13 50
7	W G Edmonds, labor on highway	11 00
8	W G Edmonds, public watering tub '18	5 00
9	W G Edmonds, ballot clerk	3 00
10	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
11	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
12	Darley Chandler, board'g F Pepper	21 30
13	Chester Elwell, abatement on poll tax	3 00
14	J F Jones, State road work	15 00
15	G W Berry, board for State road	6 00
16	Wentworth Pease, fighting fire 1918	2 00
17	Wentworth Pease, labor on highway	6 25
18	Wentworth Pease, expense to Augusta	4 64
19	W E Lancaster, board'g Edith Morgan	14 00
20	Sadie Murphy, conveying pupils	15 00
21	Bert Reynolds, State road work 42 75 sidewalk 4.50	47 25
22	Austin Flood, State road work	11 75
23	Sadie Murphy, Mother's State aid	34 00
24	Berger Mfg Co , culvert State road	42 90
25	T L Jones, janitor service	4 00
26	Central Maine Power Co , electric lights	15 83
27	Chute & Mitchell, Material for State road	14 73
28	T E Getchell, school supplies	34 50
29	Clarence Wood, express on paint	2 14
30	Isabel Ladd, teaching school	49 00
31	Arthur Goodrich, State road walk	127 50
32	Arthur Goodrich, work on sidewalk	9 00
33	W E Lancaster, State road work	6 00
34	J F Jones, State road work	54 75

35	J F Jones, maint work 3.00 sidewalk 4 50	7 50
36	F A McAllister, State road work	66 75
37	E L Goodrich, State road work	173 25
37	E L Goodrich, gravel for sidewalk	9 00
37	E L Goodrich, damage for hauling across field, State road account	10 00
38	F A Bachelder, State road work	13 50
39	O Farrington, State road work	119 00
40	C E Cookson, State road work	24 00
40	C E Cookson, maintenance work	6 00
41	W G Twitchell, maintenance work	12 00
41	W G Twitchell, State road work	24 00
42	A D Young, State road work	24 00
43	Preston Perkins, State road work	30 00
44	Estella Huff, teaching school	40 00
45	Berk Reynolds, labor on highway	3 00
46	R Reynolds, labor on highway	3 00
47	W E Reynolds, fixing James Braley lot.	2 00
48	W E Reynolds, gravel for highway	2 60
49	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
50	O S McAllister, serv on school board ..	5 00
51	Darley L Chandler, board'g Fred Pepper	21 60
52	Mrs Geo Braley, teaching school	20 00
53	Beulah Libby, teaching school	36 00
54	Emma Eames, teaching school	20 00
55	Alice McGee, teaching school	44 00
56	Naomi Gregoire, serv Supt of Schools	9 48
57	Edna Dyer, cleaning school house	6 00
58	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
59	W G Twitchell, hauling gravel sidewalk	6 00
60	F W Sayward, labor on highway	6 40
60	F W Sayward, snow bill	14 60
61	Frank Sayward, labor on highway	16 25
62	Central Maine Power Co , electric lights.	15 83
63	Sadie Murphy, Mother's State aid	34 20
64	C M Lassell, labor on highway	3 00

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65	W F Stuart, State aid	20 00
66	W F Stuart, State aid	16 00
67	A D Young, labor on highway	13 50
68	W E Lancaster, board'g Edith Morgan	12 00
69	Grover Braley, labor on highway	22 00
70	R E Dunton, labor on highway	4 50
70	R E Dunton, snow bill	2 50
71	W. C. Dunton, labor on highway	13 50
72	T. B. McAllister, labor on highway	3 00
73	E. C. Sayward, labor on highway	33 00
74	E. M. Doe, snow bill	6 35
75	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
76	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
77	Darley Chandler, board'g Fred Pepper . .	29 00
78	Frank Whitten, labor on highway	9 75
79	W. F. Stuart, State aid	16 00
80	C. M. Power Co., lighting streets	15 83
81	Harold Promroy, labor on highway	4 50
82	Nash Goodwin, cutting bushes	9 00
83	F. A. McAllister, looking up pauper case	2 50
84	A. D. McGray, labor on highway	13 12
85	Sadie Murphy, State aid	34 00
86	J. B. Reynolds, labor on highway	1 50
87	Isabel Ladd, teaching school	61 25
88	A. S. Watson, shingles for school house .	20 00
89	Estella Huff, teaching school	40 00
90	Eugene Young, banking school house . . .	5 00
91	Julia Young, janitor service	3 00
92	Mrs. Geo. Braley, teaching school	60 00
93	Geo. Braley, labor on highway	2 40
94	W. E. Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	10 00
95	Ernest Wood, janitor service	5 00
96	Roy M. Goodridge, banking school house	2 00
97	A. J. Ganthier, repair on road machine . .	3 90
98	Town of Unity, Dr. Whitney, med. att. Lizzie Perkins	50 00
99	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00

100	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
101	Darley Chandler, board'g Fred Papper..	29 00
102	Alice McGee, teaching school	52 00
103	W. F. Stuart, State aid	16 00
104	Marian Norris, janitor service	6 50
105	F. B. Hall, labor on highway	25 25
106	Dr. H. L. Trueworthy, med. att. Freeman Patterson	8 40
107	Naomi Gregoire, serv. Supt. of Schools.	18 96
108	Maine Central Institute, for tuition	84 00
109	W. F. Stuart, State aid	4 00
110	Sumner Huston, State aid	8 00
111	Albert McNally, State aid	8 00
112	Sadie Murphy, Mother's State aid	34 00
113	Town of Thorndike, sup. furnished Ruth Reynolds	58 80
114	E. L. Varney, labor on highway	30 28
115	Frank Miles, school wood	50 00
116	E. E. Davis, ballot clerk \$5.50, service school board \$10.00	15 50
117	Central Maine Power Co., lighting streets	15 83
118	J. F. Jones, work on highway	21 00
118	J. F. Jones, fitting wood for office	1 50
119	B. A. Reynolds, labor on highway	17 10
120	Truman Whitten, labor on highway	5 10
121	Darley L. Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper	29 10
122	F. W. Gray, school repair	36 00
123	W. E. Lancaster, board'g Edith Morgan.	10 00
124	Ray Young, janitor service	5 75
125	Alice McGee, teaching school	36 00
126	R. F. Dunton, legal advice	2 00
127	Minnie Fames, teaching school	60 00
128	Estella Huff teaching school	40 00
129	Marcellus Cain, repair for schools	27 19
130	Edward E. Babb & Co., text books	38 34
131	D. H. Knowlton & Co., text books	1 00
132	H. M. Clark, school repairs	35 40

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133	Kenney Bros., school supplies	54
134	Silver, Burdette & Co., text books	3 36
135	J. L. Hammett & Co., school supplies	4 97
136	Benj. H. Sanborn, text books	1 30
137	Ginn & Co., text books	7 25
138	Macmillan Co., text books	46 86
139	Roy Cookson, school wood	24 00
140	Mathen Brothers, school repair	17 35
141	N. T. Gregoire, salary Supt. of Schools	9 48
142	Minnie D. Eames, teaching school	60 00
143	L. J. Hathorn, conveying pupils	124 00
144	Sumner Huston, State aid	16 00
145	Albert McNally, State aid	16 00
146	W. F. Stuart, State aid	16 00
147	W. E. Braley, labor on highway	1 50
148	F. W. Gray, labor on highway	6 60
149	Central Maine Power Co., lighting streets	15 83
150	Clarence Wood, salary on school board	10 00
151	Sadie Murphy, Mother's aid	34 00
152	O. A. Blaisdell, labor on highway	7 00
153	Alice McGee, janitor service	5 50
154	D. A. Dyer, service as town clerk	9 00
155	D. A. Dyer, vital statistics	9 25
156	D. A. Dyer, serv. town treasurer \$40.00 cash exp. \$3.60	43 60
157	D. A. Dyer, exp. on ballots	33
158	Dr. A. A. Shaw, report'g births and deaths	2 25
159	Chute & Mitchell, sup. furn. Edith Morgan	7 98
160	Chute & Mitchell, sup. fur. Ray Perkins	14 15
161	Chute & Mitchell, supplies road account	4 20
162	Chute & Mitchell, sup. fur. town farm	16 39
163	Chute & Mitchell, sup. fur. school board	29 07
164	Maine Central Institute, tuition	105 00
165	H. L. Trueworthy, rep. births and deaths	3 25
166	Darley L. Chandler, boarding Fred Pepper	29 00
167	O. S. McAllister, serv. on school board	5 00

168	O. S. McAllister, school wood.....	28 00
169	E. E. Davis, school repair.....	12 52
170	E. E. Davis, labor on map.....	75 00
171	F. A. McAllister, exp. to Augusta.....	2 64
172	C. W. Wood, exp. to Augusta.....	3 00
173	Wentworth Pease, salary.....	50 00
174	E. L. Goodrich, salary.....	50 00
175	F. A. McAllister, salary.....	95 00
176	O. D. Braley, disc. on taxes to July 1..	107 00
177	O. D. Braley, com. for collecting taxes..	250 00
178	F. A. McAllister, cash expenses.....	9 00
179	Carroll McAllister, keeping Ruth Reynolds and children over Sunday.....	3 75

REPORT OF TREASURER

Daniel A. Dyer, Treasurer

1918	<i>DR.</i>	
To cash on hand		\$1,686 42
20 shares B. & M. L. R. R. Stock		2,000 00
Bond No. 167		200 00
Government Bond		100 00
Town of Milford, Me., Mother's aid		221 00
Plank sold highway account		47 46
Grass sold school house lot		12 00
Dividends B. & M. L. R. R. Stock		120 00
State Treas., war purposes		72 00
State Treas., State paupers		454 49
State Treas., Dependent mothers		153 00
State Treas., dep. fams., sold. and sails		530 28
State Treas., Soldier's pensions		297 00
State Treas., dog license refunded		6 42
State Treas., School & Mill funds		543 61
State Treas., Common school fund		488 08
State Treas., R. R. & Tel. tax		25 50
State Treas., Highway dep't		13 50
State Treas., Imp. State road		472 14
State Treas., Public Utilities Com.		6 75
State Treas., Free High school		288 00
Bond No. 168		1,000 00
Bond No. 169		775 00
Committment of taxes		7,165 92
Town Clerk, dog licenses		45 00
State Treas., burial of soldiers		35 00
M. C. R. R. Co., damage to school seats		19 00
Auctioneer's license		2 00
Town of Pittsfield, Me., tuition		1 60
Interest Peoples National Bank		15 51
Peoples National Bank, note		1,000 00
Rent of town farm		34 00
		—————\$17,831 22

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1918	
By paid Coupons	\$ 165 00
By paid State of Maine, patrol work	
1917	271 80
By paid Bond No. 155	200 00
By paid State of Maine, patrol work	
1918	151 80
By paid Bond No. 157.....	1,000 00
Bond No. 159.....	775 00
By paid State of Maine, dog licenses.	45 00
By paid State tax	1,568 64
By paid Peoples National Bank, interest	15 00
By paid County tax	404 72
By paid State pension.....	297 00
By paid Belfast Nat'l Bank, Gov. bond	100 00
By paid Peoples Nat'l Bank, note	1,000 00
By paid town orders turned in	8,086 23
20 Shares B. & M. L. R. R. Stock...	2,000 00
Cash on hand	1,751 03
	—————\$17,831 22

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Financial Statement

RESOURCES

Local appropriation	\$1,200 00
School and Mill Fund	543 61
Common School Fund	488 08
Tuition Town of Pittsfield	1 60
	—————\$2,233 29

EXPENDITURES

Paid Teachers' wages	\$2,018 00
Paid for fuel	177 57

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Paid for janitors services	67 19	
Paid for conveyance	198 00	
Paid for tuition	52 40	
		<u>\$2,513 16</u>
Overdrawn		\$ 279 87

HIGH SCHOOL

Resources

Unexpended balance	\$ 32 61	
Rec'd from State	288 00	
		<u>\$ 320 61</u>

Expenditures

Paid Maine Central Institute	\$189 00	
Paid Town of Clinton	210 00	
Paid Town of Unity	30 00	
		<u>\$429 00</u>
Overdrawn		\$108 39

TEXT BOOKS

Resources

Appropriation	\$200 00	
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Expenditures

By orders drawn	162 29	
		<u>\$ 37 71</u>

REPAIR ACCOUNT

Resources

Appropriation	\$300 00	
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Expenditures

By orders drawn	\$176 21	
		<u>\$123 79</u>
Unexpended		\$123 79

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of the Town:

It is not with satisfaction that I give this my first report of the progress and condition of schools of this town during the past year. The shortage of teachers and the epidemic kept the schools closed and every one in such a state of suspense that it has been impossible to carry out the program of work which was planned for this year.

In taking up the work in the spring term I found in all the schools, teachers who were conscientious and willing workers. The schools were supplied with a fine line of text books. It was very gratifying to note the beautiful school building at Reynold's Corner but discouraging to find but one room occupied. Here is the opportunity for a model school. Why not transport the pupils from Winnicook and the Dodge schools and occupy both rooms with two teachers. Better-grade work can be done. The refining influence of better surroundings, the better teachers which can be secured; all make for better schools. It is not so hard for your children to be transported as it is for them to sit six hours a day in those old wooden seats. The penmanship in this town is below the average in other towns. The seats are the cause of it.

If these schools could be consolidated it would be possible through the School Improvement League work to equip for light lunch in the basement for those pupils who are conveyed. At a moderate cost we could have sanitary toilets in the basement. The lighting is arranged in this building to relieve the strain on the eyes. The jacketed stoves which are to be installed provides for even heating. Why be conservative and forego all these advantages for your children.

The next proposition is the new school building so

much needed at the Village. Why not build it this year? Building will not be much cheaper in several years to come. While you are waiting the children are suffering the inconvenience of a wretched old building. The out-house is a menace to the health and morals of these children. The splendid boys and girls are worthy of the best that we can give them.

I hope the time will come when we can have thirty-six weeks of schooling. This would be time saving to the children and insure better preparation for high school work. We could also use the State Course of Study. It is impossible to do 8th grade work in thirty weeks.

It is gratifying that so many boys and girls are attending high schools. Children should be encouraged to obtain at least a high school education.

A change in geographies was made this year. We are now using Tarr and McMurry's text book.

REPAIRS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

During the last year some repairs were made on the Dodge school house. The Ridge house was made suitable for a school. Two stove jackets are ready to be installed at Reynold's Corner.

The Reynold's Corner house needs painting inside and out. New sanitary toilets should be installed in the basement. The Eelweir needs new seats and minor repairs. A desk and chair are needed at Ridge school. Also blackboards.

In closing I wish to say that there are splendid possibilities for the Burnham schools. I hope to get better acquainted during the next year and if we *all work together* for the intellectual, moral, physical and spiritual development of these children the results will be attained.

Thanking all who have been connected with the schools for your kindness and courtesy.

Respectfully submitted,

NAOMI T. GREGOIRE.

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Term	Name of Teacher	Tot. Att.	Av. Att.	No. of tardy marks	Wages of Teachers
1917—18					
VILLAGE					
Winter	Alice McGee	26	25.6	13	\$110.00
Spring	Alice McGee	30	27	14	11.00
Fall	Alice McGee	26	24.8	10	12.00
REYNOLDS CORNER					
Winter	Jennie Jones	23	20.7	2	12.00
Spring	Jennie Jones	27	22.6	1	12.00
Fall	Beulah Libby	19	16.2	31	12.00
DODGE					
Winter	Irene Richardson	14	12	11	9.00
Spring	Irene Richardson	13	12.1	14	9.00
Fall	Minnie Eames	13	10	60	10.00
MOUNT					
Winter	Alice Sherman	17	13	0	9.00
Spring	Grace Hanson	16	12.5	6	9.00
Fall	Isabelle Ladd	20	13	2	12.25
WINNICOOK					
Winter	Hazel Chandler	9	6.5	4	9.00
Spring	Hazel Chandler	12	9	4	9.00
Fall	Florence Braley	14	7.9	3	10.00
EELWEIR					
Winter	Estella Huff	9	8	6	9.00
Spring	Estella Huff	9	7.8	10	9.00
Fall	Estella Huff	9	7.4	6	10.00

Number of pupils registered for fall term, 101.

Births Recorded in the Town of Burnham from February 15, 1918 to February 15, 1919

<i>Date of Birth</i>	<i>Place of Birth</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Sex</i>	<i>Name of Parents</i>	<i>Residence of Parents</i>
Apr. 27	Burnham, Me.	Barbara Elizabeth, Edmonds	F	Harold T. & Wilhelmine Edmonds	Burnham, Me.
May 22	" "	Virginia Irene, Hunt	F	Arnold J. & Etta L. Hunt	" "
June 1	" "	Grace Gwendolyn, Emerson	F	Fred S. & Rose N. Emerson	" "
June 6	" "	Grace Gwendolyn, Huff	F	Amsa A. & Gladys V. Huff	" "
July 7	" "	Hattie Rose, Hamlin	F	Erold M. & Vera M. Hamlin	" "
17	" "	Carroll Laforest, McAllister	M	Carroll & Iva L. McAllister	" "
22	" "	Herbert Leslie Chase	M	Herbert L. & Ina M. Chase	" "
27	" "	Dorothy Maud, Gould	F	Owen C. & Una C. Gould	Providence, R. I.
Aug. 7	" "	Myrtle Louise, Dunton	F	Roscoe E. & Grace M. Dunton	Burnham, Me.
9	" "	Harvey Elmer, Willey	M	Frank & Georgia I. Willey	" "
11	" "	James Edward, Huff	M	James H. & Gladys L. Huff	" "
27	" "	Athene Elizabeth, Lassell	F	Wm. M. & Mazie A. Lassell	" "
July 16	" "	Edwin Flood	M	Bennie & Lizzie Flood	" "
Sept. 8	" "	Gertrude Janette, Braley	F	Wilbur E. & Alice Braley	" "
Oct. 17	" "	Erma Lucile, Hathorn	F	Laforest J. & Blanche M. Hathorn	" "
29	" "	Thena Amonette, Lassell	F	Chas. M. & Gladys I. Lassell	" "
July 28	" "	Alma Drummond	F	Albert E. & Nellie Drummond	" "
	" "	Gertrude Drummond	F	Albert E. & Nellie Drummond	" "
Nov. 21	" "	Mervin Hast, Reynolds	M	J. Bernard & Mildred L. Reynolds	" "
Dec. 22	" "	Linwood Alden, Cookson	M	Chas. E. & Lena A. Cookson	" "

List of Deaths Recorded in the Town of Burnham from February 15, 1918 to February 15, 1919

<i>Date of Death</i>	<i>Place of Death</i>	<i>Name of Deceased</i>	<i>Age</i>			<i>Place of Birth</i>	<i>Place of Cemetery</i>	<i>Place of Burial Town</i>	
			<i>Yrs.</i>	<i>Mo.</i>	<i>Ds.</i>				
Feb. 22	Burnham, Me.	Eliza Morgan	84			Montville, Me.	Mount	Burnham, Me.	
Mar. 28	" "	Frances V. Patterson	85	6		Belfast, "	"		
May 25	" "	Rufus Reynolds	87	2		Burnham, "	Church	Burnham, Me.	
June 12	" "	Mildred G. Sawyard	10	10	21	" "	Reynolds	" "	
July 4	" "	Margaret G. Drummond	17	5	18	Sidney, N. S.	Mount	" "	
30	" "	Andrew C. Miles	61	7	1	Prospect, "	Church	" "	
Aug. 9	" "	Alma Drummond	0	0	12	Burnham, "	Mount	" "	
Nov. 14	" "	Gertrude Drummond	0	3	16	" "	"	" "	
1919									
Jan. 29	" "	Mildred M. Smedburg	4	6	24	Lake Moxie, Me.	Farwell	Unity, Me.	
17	" "	Stanley W. Pease	13	6	3	Burnham, Me.	Mount	Burnham, Me.	
Feb. 14	" "	George C. Reynolds	61	2	8	Winterport, Me.	Mount	" "	

Marriages Recorded in the Town of Burnham from February 15, 1918 to February 15, 1919

<i>Date of Marriage</i>	<i>Place of Marriage</i>	<i>Name of Groom</i>	<i>Name of Bride</i>	<i>Residence of Groom</i>	<i>Residence of Bride</i>
1918					
June 19	Clinton, Me.	Wm. W. McAllister	Ida M. Cole	Burnham, Me.	Burnham, Me.
Aug. 31	Clinton, Me.	Clifton L. Small	Agnes L. Whitten	Hermon, Me.	" "
Dec. 7	Unity, Me.	Clyde L. Braley	Mildred A. Candage	Burnham, Me.	" "

DANIEL A. DYER, *Town Clerk.*