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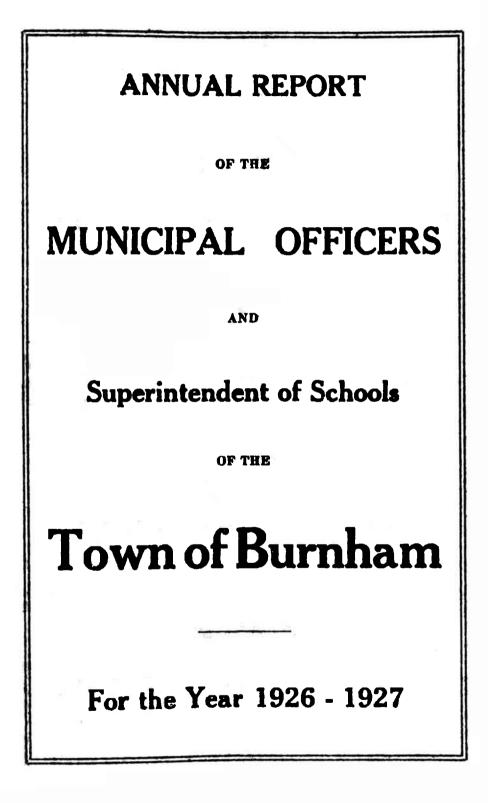
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## **ANNUAL REPORT**

#### OF THE

# **MUNICIPAL OFFICERS**

AND

Superintendent of Schools

OF THE

# Town of Burnham

## For the Year 1926 - 1927

Press of Pittsfield Advertiser 1927



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#### **TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1926**

Moderator C. E. McALLISTER

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor F. A. McALLISTER R. A. MILES C. R. HUNT

> Town Treasurer MAUDE E. MUDGETT

Road Commissioner E. L. GOODRICH

School Committee

F. E. PATTERSON ALICE SHERMAN

R. E. DUNTON

Tax Collector

CHARLES A. HUFF F. L. CUNNINGHAM

Health Officer F. B. BROWN

Auditor IVA McNALLY

Town Clerk DANIEL DYER

# 126487

### Town Warrant

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 choose three selectmen for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To choose assessors and overseers of the poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose a road commissioner for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To choose a member of the school board for the term of three years; one for one year.

Art. 7. To choose a town treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To choose all other necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for support of schools.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for high schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for text books.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repair of school property.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for school supplies.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay superintendent of schools.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay school board.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for support of poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay town charges for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for roads and bridges for the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay snow bills for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay on town debt.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay interest.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for street lights for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the town will vote for abatement for the ensuing year.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay the town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 25. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the care of its cemeteries under the direction of the selectmen.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money, if any, the town will vote to raise for advertising the resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine.

Art. 27. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for State patrol maintenance.

Art. 28. 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 Public Laws of 1916.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of \$533.00 or more for the improvement of the section of State Aid road as outlined by the State Highway Commission under section 18, chapter 25, of Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote and raise money to pay discount on taxes paid in, on or before July 1st, 1927, and if so, how much; also to charge interest after Jan. 1st, 1928, if so how much.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote and authorize the selectmen and town treasurer to hire money for the use of the town, if necessary, for the ensuing year.

Art. 32. To see what method the town will vote and take relative to the collection of taxes for the ensuing year.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote that all tax payers owing a tax, doing work for the town, must fix up their taxes before they receive any money for their labor. Art. 34. To see if the town will vote to exempt the Maine Chair Factory for 1927 tax.

Art. 35. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Town Hall.

Art. 36. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs of improved road for the ensuing year.

Art. 37. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for insurance on school property.

Art. 38. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for medical inspection of schools.

Art. 39. To see if the town will authorize the superintending school committee to maintain a school at the Pond, the Dodge or the Eelweir districts, if they consider it to be for the best interest of all.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to abate Mr. C. W. Vincent's taxes for the year 1926.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500.00 for gravel to be expended on the Mount road, beginning at T. A. McAllister's.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to repair the driveway of Bert E. Braley, beginning at the main road and extending about two hundred feet in the direction of his residence.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to join the towns of Waldo County with a Poor Farm Association, for the purpose of leasing and maintaining an association almshouse, provided satisfactory arrangements can be made.

Art. 44. To see if the town will vote to buy an adding machine for the town office.

Art. 45. To see if the town will vote to buy a fire engine for the use of the town, if so to make arrangements to pay for same.

### Selectmen's Report

For the year ending February 15, 1927

INVENTORY OF ASSESSABLE PROPERTY Real Estate \$213,710 00 Personal Estate 59,280 00

Total valuation Tax rate on one dollar .064. \$272,990 00

#### AMOUNT OF MONEY RAISED BY TOWN

Common schools	\$ 4,300	00
High school	400	00
Repair of school property	400	00
School supplies	150	00
Salary of superintending school		
committee	30	00
Salary of Supt. of schools	150	00
Town charges	500	00
Roads and bridges	1,000	00
State Aid road	1,066	00
Snow bills	1,500	00
Town debt	2,200	00
Pay interest	925	00
Street lights	216	00
Abatement	100	00
Town officers' bills	1,000	00

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Patrol work	151	00		
Insurance	200			
Medical inspection		00		
County farm		00		
Discount on taxes, July 1	200			
Maintenance road	70	00		
	·		\$14,658	00
Estate \$272,990.00 at .064	\$17,471	36		
176 polls at \$3.00	528	00		
Supplementary tax	14	63		
			\$18,013	99
Amount committeed to Cl	narles			
A. Huff, Col.			\$18,013	99
SUPPORT OF TH	HE POOR	•		
EDITH MORGAN				
Paid Eliza Lancaster for boar R. A. Miles for cloth	•			
R. A. Miles for cloth	1	95	\$175	05
S			φτισ	90
RAY PERKINS A	ACCOUN'	г		
Paid R. E. Dunton for board				
Bert Chase for board	•			
R. A. Miles for supplies				
H. C. Dunphy for overall		00		
Dr. C. H. Newcomb, me				
attendance, 1925	3	50		
			\$110	90
RUTH PLANT REYNO	LDS ACC	COU	JNT	
Paid Town Thorndike, supplies	J		\$11	97
2 <u></u>				
MR. AND MRS. ERV	IN TOW	ER	.S	
Paid Mrs. F. B. Holt, bo				
Howard Bennett	\$ <b>5</b>			
Mrs. F. B. Holt, use telep	hone 2	65		

9				
Marcellus Cain for services	110	00		
Howard Bennett for services		00		
Dr. C. M. Whitney for service		00		
Dr. H. L. Truworthy, services		50		
D. A. Dyer, Alco Rubb		00		
Lawry Bros., use ambulance		00		
Elm City Hospital bill		50		
O. D. Braley, digging graves	10	00	<b>6</b> 00 (	~~
	-		\$224	65
MR. AND MRS. AUGUSTU	JS PO	OMF	ROY	
Paid Town of Stonington on Eva				
Pomroy	\$290	49		
Ella C. Robbins for board				
and care	120	00		
Town of Searsmont, board				
and care of L. A. Pomroy	60	34		
			\$470	83
Cost of the poor		-	\$994	30
Unexpended, 1925	\$606	03		
Overdrawn		67		
Transfer from Town Farm acct.				
			\$994	30
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			4	
POOR OF OTHER TO	OWN	S		
Paid R. A. Miles, supplies for				
Frank Dorman	\$8	11		
Due from City of Belfast	8	11		
57 <del></del>				
SCHOOLBOARD ACC	OUN	Т		
Amount raised			\$30	00
Paid R. E. Dunton	\$10			
Alice Sherman	10			
F. E. Patterson	10	00		
			\$30	00

SALARY OF THE SUP Amount raised Unexpended	Г. ОF S \$150 116	00	
Poid C M D Cuant Sunt		\$266 72	2
Paid G. M. D. Grant, Supt. Schools	or \$203	59	
Unexpended	•	13	
-		\$266 72	2
STREET LIGHTS	ACCOU	NT	
Amount raised		\$216 00	)
Amount expended	\$216		
Overdrawn, 1925		12 \$239 12	2
			-
MOTHER'S STA	TE AID		
Paid Sadie Murphy		\$480 00	)
Received from State Treasurer	\$240	•	
Received from town of Milford	d 240	00	
		\$480 00	)
CEMETERY AC			
John E. Hart	\$100		
One year interest	4	00 \$104 00	h
Paid Elias Starrett, labor	\$ 2	50	,
Unexpended	101		
-		\$104 00	)
James Braley account	\$50		
One year interest		00	
Unexpended, 1925	2	00	~
Paid W. E. Reynolds, labor	\$ 4	\$54 00	J
Unexpended		00	
e nonponueu		\$54 00	)
		,	

11				
C. E. and Mary E. Sherman acct Interest received	-	00 50		
– Expended Unexpended	\$2 150	50 00	\$152	50
			\$152	50
ABATEMENT ACC	– COUNI	[		
Amount raised	\$100	00		
Unexpended	44	96	<b>61</b> 11	06
			\$144 40	96 23
Unexpended		27	\$104	73
	_		·	
INSURANCE ACC	OUNT			
Amount raised	¢100	00	\$200	00
Amount expended Amount unexpended	\$128 71	20		
·			\$200	00
SHEEP KILLED BY	Y DOG	S		
Paid Mrs. Rose Wood	015	0.0	\$27	00
Received from State Due from State	\$15 12	00		
			\$27	00
INTEREST ACCC	UNT			
Amount raised			\$925	00
Amount overdrawn	\$107 666			
Paid on coupons Paid on notes	254			
_			\$1,028	37
Overdrawn		-	\$103	37

#### MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

Arthur W. Lander, printing town report	§ 72	00
C. W. Vincent, digging post holes	4	00
Stanhope Furniture Co., puffs	4	00
P. J. Whitten, pillows, Town Farm	1	35
D. E. Reynolds, cleaning Town Hall	1	00
Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies	21	50
F. A. McAllister, expenses to Stonington	10	40
R. A. Miles, expenses to Stonington	32	33
W. G. Edmonds, use watering tub	5	00
E. P. Taylor, labor in Mount cemetery	8	00
D. E. Reynolds, night watch, hotel fire	4	00
R. A. Miles, looking after tramps	8	31
Pittsfield Fire Co., for hotel fire	100	00
C. E. McAllister, acid and soda, fire apparatus	6	75
Noyes & Nutter, stove pipe, tramp room	4	16
Arthur Goodrich, wood, tramp room	5	00
D. A. Dyer, reporting vital statistics	8	36
Chas. A. Huff, serving papers on Effie Towers	1	95

\$298 12

#### TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS

G. W. Sherman, posting warrants	<b>\$</b> 6	00
Chas. A. Huff, posting warrants	24	00
Iva McNally, auditor	4	00
G. M. D. Grant, services Supt. of Schools	203	59
Estelle Cole, ballot clerk	6	00
Alice Sherman, ballot clerk	6	00
Ermine Davis, ballot clerk	12	00
A. S. Merrick, sealer of weights and measure	6	00
F. B. Brown, health officer	15	00
Roscoe Dunton, services school board	10	00
Roscoe Dunton, truant officer	5	00
Alice Sherman, services school board	10	00
Daniel Dyer, services town clerk	9	00

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Chas. A. Huff, commission colle	ecting t	axe	s 324	25
F. A. McAllister, services as selectman, etc. 110				
R. A. Miles, services as selectm	an, etc.		70	00
Clifton Hunt, services as selec	tman, e	etc.	65	00
Maude E. Mudgett, treasurer			60	00
				-
			\$941	84
Amount raised	\$1,000			
Expended	941	84		
		-		
Unexpended			\$58	16
CURRENT REC	EIPTS			
Amount raised by town			\$14,658	00
State and County tax			2,893	32
School fund			1,890	25
George Dyer, Jr., hall rent			50	00
Town of Milford, mother's aid			240	00
D. A. Dyer, victualer's license 1				
H. R. Coolidge, on 1923 tax				
State treasurer, soldier's pensic	n		90	00
Mother's aid			240	00
Damage to she	ер		15	00
State aid road			2,376	75
Third class roa	ad		1,337	25
Bank stock			11	11
Maintenance re	oad		122	80
Tel. and Tel. ta	ax			08
Equalization fu	and		140	00
Dog license re	funded		28	92
Received interest on Liberty bo	ond		4	26
		7		
			\$24,101	24
CURRENT EXPL	ENSES			
Cost of the poor			\$ 995	
Roads and bridges			1,202	41

Snow bills	1,210	81
Schools	5,913	25
Dependent mothers	480	00
Paid interest bonds	666	25
Paid interest notes	254	38
Paid on State aid road	3,353	37
Paid on Third class road	1,348	27
Paid on improved road	153	75
Printing town report	72	00
Paid City of Belfast	8	11
Paid miscellaneous bills	298	12
Paid State pension	90	00
Paid State and County tax	2,893	32
Paid discount on taxes, July 1, 1926	169	53
Paid town officers' bills	941	84

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#### LIABILITIES

Bond No.	Due	Amt	•		
188	Feb. 19, 1928	\$ 400	00		
189	Aug. 20, 1928	1,000	00		
190	Feb. 19, 1929	200	00		
191	Aug. 20, 1929	500	00		
192	Oct. 21, 1929	200	00		
				\$2,300	00
Bonded de	ebt reduced	\$2,275	00		
Schoolhou	se bonds			\$9,000	00
I	Bonded debt			\$11,300	00
Outstandi	ng town orders	\$ 30	86		
Outstandi	ng note	1,000	00		
				- \$1,030	86
]	Fotal liabilities			\$12,330	86
Paid on b	onded debt	\$2,300	00		

#### RESOURCES

20 shares B. M. L. R. R. stock	\$2,000 00
One year interest on stock	120 00
Town Hall	$500 \ 00$
Town farm	1,300 00
Due from City of Belfast	$12 \ 45$
Due from State treasurer	12 00
Due from Roscoe Dunton, use	of
town farm	60 00
Cash on hand	543 50

Total resources

\$4,547 95

- F. A. MCALLISTER.
- R. A. MILES.
- C. R. HUNT.

Selectmen of Burnham.

#### AUDITOR'S REPORT

Burnham, Maine, Feb. 22, 1927.

This is to certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the selectmen and treasurer. I find receipts on file for all orders drawn.

Respectfully,

IVA McNELLY, Auditor.

# Road Commissioner's Report

TOWN ROAD AC	COUNT			
Amount raised	\$1,000	00		
Unexpended, 1925	395	02		
Total			\$1,395	02
Amount expended, 1926			1,202	41
Unexpended, 1926			\$192	61
THIRD CLASS ROAI	D ACCO	UNI	Г	
Appropriated by State	\$1,359	25		
Appropriated by town	0	00		
Joint fund	1,359	25		
Unexpended, 1925	1	85		
Total			\$1,361	10
Expended by town	\$1,348	27		
Expended by State	22	00		
Total cost of road			\$1,370	27
Overdrawn			<b>\$</b> 9	17
STATE AID ROAD	ACCOU	NT		
Appropriated by town	\$1,066	00		
Appropriated by State	2,398	50		
Joint fund			\$3,464	50

Expended by town Expended by State		\$3,453 21			
Total cost	of road	5		\$3,475	12
Overdrawr	1			\$10	62
Unexpende	ed			<b>\$60</b>	98
Unexpended, 1926				\$ <b>5</b> 0	36
MAINT		ACCOUN	T		
Amount raised by		\$75			
Amount from State		•	60		
Unexpended, 1925	0		00		
m ( )			_	0155	60
Total	1000			\$155	
Amount <sup>•</sup> expended,	1926		-	153	75
Unexpende	ed, 1926			\$1	85
	SNOW BII				
Amount raised		\$1,500	00		
Unexpended, 1925		• •	92		
Total				\$1,517	92
Amount expended,	1926			1,210	
Amount expended,	1920		_	1,210	
Unexpende	ed			\$307	11

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#### RECOMMENDATIONS

I would recommend raising the same amount on our State Aid as last year. We are building close to a mile of road a year that will be a big advantage to our town. Our Third Class money is making big improvement on road from Burnham to Troy through Winnecook.

E. L. GOODRICH, Road Com.

# List of Orders

No.			
178	Eliza Lancaster, board Edith Morgan \$	39	00
179	Pearl Andrews, snow bill	9	00
180	I. R. Dunton, snow bill	1	50
180	I. R. Dunton, labor on highway	2	00
181	Clyde Reynolds, snow bill	19	00
182	R. E. Dunton, reimbursed on		
	1924 rent	1	40
183	Everett Braley, snow bill	3	00
184	Elwood Reynolds, snow bill	3	00
185	Warren Frederick, snow bill	3	00
186	E. L. Goodrich, plank for highway	11	90
187	Hillery Twitchell, snow bill	9	50
188	Huff Brothers, snow bill	27	00
189	Hall Young, snow bill	6	00
190	F. E. Patterson, snow bill	6	00
191	Charles Lassell, snow bill	30	13
192	L. J. Hathorn, snow bill	6	60
193	Sadie Murphy, mother's state aid	40	00
194	James Brown, snow bill	6	00
195	F. A. McAllister, caring for		
	strangers, 1925	9	75
196	Leander Young, snow bill	<b>5</b>	33
197	Merlin Young, snow bill	6	00
198	Nate Reynolds, snow bill	4	00
199	Arthur Hunt, rebate on auto	1	35
200	Clyde Reynolds, snow bill	11	66
201	A. S. Watson, cutting bushes	1	66
202	R. E. Dunton, boarding Ray Perkins	12	00

<b>203</b>	Elwood Reynolds, snow bill		00
<b>204</b>	Eugene Young, snow bill		00
205	Earl Reynolds, snow bill		33
206	Arthur Goodrich, snow bill		00
207	Fred Tilton, snow bill		50
208	G. W. Sherman, posting warrants		00
209	W. M. Lassell, snow bills	39	33
210	G. F. Lassell, snow bills	62	33
211	E. L. Houston, snow bills	57	00
212	E. L. Goodrich, snow bills	7	00
213	Pearl Andrews, snow bills	9	00
<b>214</b>	W. E. Reynolds, snow bills	8	33
215	Miles Flowers, snow bills	13	98
216	Luther Perkins, snow bills	5	00
217	H. Twitchell, snow bills	6	50
218	W. E. Reynolds, snow bills	43	20
219	Ronello Reynolds, snow bills	9	00
220	P. J. Whitten, pillows for town farm	1	35
221	O. Farrington, snow bill	54	00
222	Frank Sayward, snow bill	5	40
223	Arthur Lander, printing		
	town reports	72	00
224	C. M. Power Co., street lights	36	00
225	R. E. Dunton, boarding Ray Perkins	12	00
226	Ray Cookson, snow bill	1	66
227	C. W. Vincent, digging post holes	4	00
228	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00
229	Earl Tukey, snow bill	8	30
230	Warren Frederick, snow bill	1	50
231	Everett Braley, snow bill	1	50
232	Fred Tilton, snow bill		00
233	Sadie Murphy, mother's state aid	40	
234	Huff Brothers, school wood	100	
235	Iva McNally, town auditor		00
236	G. M. D. Grant, service Supt. of schools		32
237	Clayton Hunt, snow bill	3	
238	D. E. Hunt, snow bill	3	
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239	George Hunt, snow bill	3	66
240	W. S. Marshall, school repairs	25	00
241	C. M. Lassell, snow bill	12	
242	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	
243	R. E. Dunton, boarding Ray Perkins		00
244	Maude E. Mudgett, teaching school		00
245	O. D. Braley, snow bill		20
246	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid		00
247	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00
248	Maude E. Mudgett, teaching school	49	00
249	D. E. Reynolds, cleaning town hall	1	00
<b>2</b> 50	C. M. Power Co., street lights	18	00
251	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	102	00
252	W. S. Marshall, teaching school	114	00
253	Lillian Doe, teaching school	108	00
254	Elizabeth Goodridge, conveying pupils	48	00
255	Stanhope Furniture Co., bed-		
	ding for town farm	4	00
256	R. A. Miles, supplies furnished		
	Frank Dorman	8	11
257	R. A. Miles, cloth for Edith Morgan	1	95
258	Henry Ellis, labor on road machine	6	00
259	Loring, Short & Harmon, office supplies	17	75
260	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	
261	Maude E. Mudgett, teaching school	40	00
262	Edwin Cookson, snow bill	10	66
263	Charles Cookson, snow bill	48	88
264	Avon Lassell, snow bill	13	00
265	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	39	00
266	R. E. Dunton, boarding Ray Perkins	12	00
267	Clifton McAllister, labor on highway	25	50
268	F. A. McAllister, expenses to		
	Stonington	10	
269	R. A. Miles, expenses to Stonington		75
270	Ervin Towers, labor on highway	12	00
271	Town of Searsmont, supplies		
	furnished L. A. Pomroy	20	40

272	L. E. Gerald, school supplies	3	40	
273	Maude E. Mudgett, teaching school	40	00	
274	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00	
275	F. E. Patterson, labor on highway	28	50	
276	W. A. Cole, labor on highway	<b>34</b>	50	
277	E. L. Huston, labor on highway	69	00	
278	C. M. Power Co., street lights	18	00	
279	E. L. Goodrich, labor on highway	51	00	
280	Ervin Towers, labor on highway	12	00	
281	Clifton McAllister, labor on highway	15	00	
282	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00	
283	E. C. Sayward, snow bill	18	33	
284	F. E. Patterson, labor on highway	20	00	
285	W. A. Cole, labor on highway	18	00	
286	H. M. Ellis, school repairs	1	50	
287	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00	
288	R. E. Dunton, boarding Ray Perkins	9	00	
289	R. A. Miles, supplies for highway	4	75	
290	Elizabeth Goodridge, conveying pupils	40	00	
291	Walter Chase, labor on highway	15	00	
292	Bert Chase, labor on highway	15	00	
293	Maurice Reynolds, labor on			
	Third Class road	12	00	
295	Iva McNally, teaching school	20	00	
296	Fred Murphy, labor on highway	34	00	
297	E. L. Goodrich, labor on highway	59	00	
298	Clifton McAllister, labor on highway	6	60	
299	Clifton McAllister, labor on highway	26	40	
300	F. A. McAllister, labor on highway	18	00	
301	Ervin Towers, labor on highway	20	00	
302	Clifton McAllister, labor on highway	<b>24</b>	00	
303	E. L. Huston, labor on highway	65	00	
304	F. E. Patterson, labor on highway	15	0,0,1	mmaa
305	Ervin Towers, labor on highway	15	00	SIA
306	D. M. Susi, plank for highway	5.5	76	
307	C. H. Goodhue, blade for road machine	e (31	00	0
308	C. R. Wood, snow bill	1	66	0
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309	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	15	00
310	Walter Chase, labor on highway	9	
311	Elizabeth Goodridge, conveying pupils	-	00
312	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	119	
313	W. S. Marshall, teaching school	133	
314	Lawrence Emerson, janitor service	26	
315	Lena Cookson, conveying pupils		50
316	Maurice Reynolds, labor on highway		00
317	Bert Chase, labor on highway		00
318	Maude E. Mudgett, teaching school		00
319	Maude E. Mudgett, teaching school		00
320	David Reynolds, janitor service		00
321	Dr. C. H. Newcomb, for Ray Perkins	3	50
322	Everett Doe, snow bill	7	18
323	Estella Cole, ballot clerk	3	00
324	G. M. D. Grant, services, Supt. schools	46	27
325	Walter Chase, labor on highway	16	00
326	Town of Unity, tuition	30	00
327	Harold Edmonds, conveying pupils	40	00
328	Town of Troy, tuition	40	00
329	Fred Reynolds, conveying pupils	97	50
330	L. J. Hathorn, conveying pupils	60	00
331	Lewiston Journal Co., text books	15	00
332	Ginn & Co., text books	30	57
333	American Book Co., text books	4	08
334	World Book Co., text books	10	00
335	Starkey & Toner, school supplies	38	83
336	Howard Brown, school supplies		00
337	Silver, Burdett & Co., text books		87
338	Maine Central Institute, tuition	50	00
339	F. H. and C. C. Plummer,		
	insurance, school property	13	
340	Charles R. Wood, sheep killed by dogs	12	
341	Rose Wood, conveying pupils	110	
342	Donald Pease, janitor service		00
343	Lillian Doe, teaching school	126	
344	Edwin Cookson, labor on highway	15	00

345	Charles Reynolds, labor on highway	15	00
346	Ervin Towers, labor on Third		
	Class highway	28	00
347	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	Third Class highway	9	
348	E. L. Goodrich, truck on highway	56	00
349	E. L. Goodrich, team on highway	18	00
350	Bert Chase, labor on Third		
	Class road	18	00
351	Othello Rowe, labor on Third		
	Class road	<b>6</b> 0	00
352	Clayton Cookson, labor on highway	20	00
353	G. W. Berry, labor on highway	30	00
353	G. W. Berry, snow bill	37	50
354	Willie Lassell, labor on highway	43	00
355	Lee McAllister, snow bill	45	00
356	W. E. Reynolds, fixing lots in		
	cemetery	4	00
357	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00
358	Frank Cunningham, snow bill	35	69
359	Byron Conner, snow bill	30	01
360	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	Third Class road	6	00
361	Arthur Goodrich, labor on highway	45	00
362	E. L. Huston, labor on Third		
	Class road	40	00
363	Town Thorndike, supplies,		
	Ruth Reynolds	11	97
364	G. F. Lassell, snow bill	3	
364	G. F. Lassell, labor on 3rd Class road	140	
365	Clayton Hunt, snow bill		33
366	E. R. Hunt, snow bill		00
367	Clifton Hunt, labor on 3rd Class road	113	
368	Othello Rowe, labor on 3rd Class road	80	00
369	F. E. Patterson, labor on 3rd Class road	58	00
370	Chas. Reynolds, labor on 3rd Class road	58	00
371	E. L. Goodrich, team on 3rd Class road	27	

372	E. L. Goodrich, labor on 3rd Class road	91	00
373	Edwin Cookson, labor on 3rd Class road	58	00
374	Maurice Reynolds, labor on 3rd Class road	d 30	00
375	Bert Chase, labor on 3rd Class road	9	00
376	Walter Chase, labor on 3rd Class road	15	00
377	Birger Mfg. Co., culvert, 3rd Class road	150	00
378	Fred Murphy, labor, 3rd Class road	27	50
379	E. L. Goodrich, truck, 3rd Class road	138	44
380	B. A. Reynolds, snow bill	18	97
381	A. S. Watson, labor on highway	10	50
382	Mrs. F. B. Holt, boarding Howard		
	Bennett, Towers family	5	00
383	Howard Bennett, caring for Effie Towers	15	00
384	Ervin Towers, labor on 3rd Class road	10	50
385	L. E. Gerald, spades on 3rd Class road	10	50
386	Luther Perkins, labor on highway	10	50
387	C. M. Power Co., street lights	36	00
388	Ermine Davis, ballot clerk	3	00
389	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00
390	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	18	00
391	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
392	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
393	Edwin Cookson, labor on State Aid road	18	00
394	Othello Rowe, labor on State Aid road	30	00
395	Clifton Hunt, labor on State Aid road	20	00
396	F. E. Patterson, labor on State Aid road	33	00
397	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road	21	00
398	Josh Reynolds, janitor service,		
	Village school	6	00
399	George Parsons, school repairs	2	50
400	W. G. Edmonds, use of watering tub	5	00
401	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	18	00
402	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	18	00
403	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	18	00
404	E. L. Huston, labor on State Aid road	63	00

405	E. L. Huston, labor, 3rd Class road	25	50
406	W. A. Cole, labor on 3rd Class road	58	00
407	Blinn Hunt, labor on State Aid road	<b>24</b>	00
408	Arthur Lander, school supplies	3	50
409	C. E. Reynolds, school supplies	<b>2</b>	95
410	Walter Chase, labor on 3rd Class road	18	00
411	Bert Chase, labor on 3rd Class road	18	00
412	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road	<b>21</b>	00
413	Clifton Hunt, labor on State Aid road	100	00
414	Othello Rowe, labor on State Aid road	90	00
415	Earl Bert, labor on State Aid road	42	00
416	G. F. Lassell, labor on State Aid road	120	00
417	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	18	00
418	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	18	00
419	Edwin Cookson, labor on State Aid road	36	00
420	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	18	00
421	E. L. Goodrich, labor on State Aid road	85	50
422	E. L. Huston, labor on State Aid road	42	00
423	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	21	00
424	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	9	00
425	Blinn Hunt, labor on State Aid road	27	00
426	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road	15	00
427	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	6	00
428	F. E. Patterson, labor on State		
	Aid road	36	00
429	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
430	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
431	Earl Bert, labor on State Aid road	15	00
432	Edwin Cookson, labor on State Aid road	15	00
433	E. P. Hunt, repairs on (R. C.) house	57	50
434	Leander Young, cutting bushes	22	50
435	Edwin Cookson, labor on State road	6	00
436	Vermon Mutual Fire Co., in-		
	surance on school property	13	60

437	Howard Reed, labor on Village		
	schoolhouse		05
438	C. M. P. Co., street lights		00
439	Othello Rowe, labor on State Aid road	-	00
440	Clifton Hunt, labor on State Aid road	90	00
441	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
442	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
443	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road		00
444	Percy Jones, labor on State Aid road	18	00
445	Bert Chandler, gravel for highway	<b>28</b>	<b>24</b>
446	Bert Chandler, snow bill	18	00
447	Blinn Hunt, labor on State Aid road	21	00
448	E. L. Huston, labor on State Aid road	33	00
449	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road	21	00
450	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00
451	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	9	00
452	Earl Bert, labor on State Aid road	<b>24</b>	00
453	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
454	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	15	00
455	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	6	00
456	Charles A. Huff, discount on		
	taxes July 1st	167	<b>53</b>
457	W. S. Merrick, Sealer of W.		
	& M. 1925-1926	-	00
458	Percy Jones, labor on State Aid road	. 9	00
459	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	State Aid road	7	50
460	F. E. Patterson, labor on State Aid road	<b>24</b>	00
461	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road	22	50
462	Othello Rowe, labor on State Aid road	70	00
463	G. F. Lassell, labor on State Aid road	160	00
464	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road	13	50
465	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road	13	50

466	Maurice Reynolds, labor on	
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467	Sidney Emerson, labor on	
		00
468	Town of Stonington, supplies,	
	Eva A. Pomroy 115	99
469	T. L. Jones, repairs, Reynolds	
	schoolhouse 338	70
470	C. M. Power Co., lights, village	
	schoolhouse 11	00
471	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road 9	00
472	Maurice Reynolds, labor on State Aid road 9	00
473		50
474	Maplewood Lumber Co., repairs	
		00
475	M. D. Goodridge, janitor work,	
	Village schoolhouse 13	50
477	G. F. Lassell, labor on State Aid road 38	33
478	C. E. Reynolds, labor on State Aid road 112	50
479	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road 13	00
480	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road 13	00
481	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road 4	00
482	Edwin Cookson, labor on State Aid road 19	00
483	Wallace Huff, labor on State Aid road 13	00
484	Iva McNally, teaching school 40	00
485	F. B. Brown, services, health officer 15	00
486	Maurice Reynolds, labor on	
	State Aid road 7	00
487	Clifton Hunt, labor on State Aid road 123	33
488	G. F. Lassell, labor on State Aid road 30	00
489	Othello Rowe, labor on State Aid road 68	33
490	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road 15	00
491	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road 15	00
492	Maurice Reynolds, labor on	
		00
493	F. E. Patterson, labor on State	
	Aid road 56	50

494	Fred Murphy, labor on State Aid road	149	50
495	Percy Jones, labor on State Aid road	37	00
496	E. L. Houston, labor on State road	37	
497	Edwin Cookson, labor on State road	18	
498	Wallace Huff, labor on State road	18	
500	R. A. Miles, lanterns, State road		00
501	Gerald Bros., plow point, State road		00
502	Birger Mfg. Co., culvert, State road	79	
503	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	18	00
504	E. L. Goodrich, truck, State road	91	00
505	Earl Bert, labor on State road	9	00
506	E. L. Goodrich, labor on State road	129	75
507	E. L. Goodrich, team on State road	91	50
508	E. L. Goodrich, truck on State road	208	83
509	E. P. Taylor, cleaning up Mount cemetery	8	00
<b>510</b>	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	80	00
511	M. D. Goodridge, school repairs	3	40
512	Elizabeth Goodridge, conveying pupils	16	00
513	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00
514	Doris McKinney, teaching school	72	00
515	G. M. D. Grant, services Supt. of schools	55	50
516	W. S. Marshall, teaching school		00
517	Hazel Marshall, teaching school		00
518	R. A. Miles, supplies for Ray Perkins		48
519	Walter Chase, labor on State Aid road		00
520	Bert Chase, labor on State Aid road		00
521	Dwyer Hunt, labor on State Aid road		00
522	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00
523	Arthur Goodrich, labor on		
	State Aid road	131	50
524	L. E. Gerald, spades for State	-	~~
	Aid road		00
525	Kenneth Holt, snow bill		70
526	Alton Holt, snow bill		00
527	F. B. Holt, snow bill		15
528	Huff Brothers, school wood	100	
529	D. M. Susi, plank for highway	6	40

530	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	9	00
531	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00
532	Percy Jones, labor on main-		
	tenance road	12	00
533	Maurice Reynolds, labor on		
	maintenance road	12	00
<b>534</b>	Doris McKenney, teaching school	80	00
535	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	80	00
536	Clifton Hunt, labor on main-		
	tenance road	50	00
537	F. E. Patterson, labor on main-		
	tenance road	15	00
537	F. E. Patterson, labor on highway	1	50
538	Clifton Hunt, labor on highway	5	00
539	Percy Jones, labor on highway	10	50
<b>540</b>	Maurice Reynolds, labor on highway	4	50
541	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00
542	W. S. Marshall, teaching school	72	00
543	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	72	00
<b>544</b>	C. M. Power Co., street lights	36	00
545	C. W. Vincent, janitor service	20	00
<b>546</b>	E. A. Starrett, fixing cemetery lots	5	00
547	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00
<b>548</b>	R. A. Miles, school supplies	4	40
549	D. E. Reynolds, watching fire (hotel)	4	00
<b>550</b>	Doris McKenney, teaching school	36	00
551	G. F. Lassell, school wood	5	00
552	E. L. Goodrich, labor and truck		
	on maintenance road	48	<b>25</b>
553	Fred Murphy, labor on main-		
	tenance road	13	50
<b>554</b>	Doris McKenney, teaching school	21	00
555	Lena Cookson, conveying pupils	110	00
556	Rose Wood, conveying pupils	93	50
557	W. S. Marshall, janitor service		00
558	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	54	00
559	W. S. Marshall, teaching school	54	00

560	Iva McNally, teaching school	60	00
561	Chas. Wells, conveying pupils	8	00
562	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	60	00
563	Ginn & Co., school supplies	86	76
564	Arlo Pub. Co., school supplies	36	19
565	Starkey & Toner, school supplies	51	08
566	L. W. Gerrish, school supplies	1	80
567	Charles N. Smart, school supplies	5	75
568	G. M. D. Grant, school supplies	1	26
569	Town of Clinton, tuition	40	00
570	R. A. Miles, expenses to Stonington	23	58
571	C. W. Vincent, janitor service	15	00
572	D. A. Dyer, supplies, Towers family	3	00
573	F. B. Brown, janitor work (M. S. house)	15	23
574	W. A. Seekins, labor on highway	20	00
575	C. M. Power Co., street lights	18	00
576	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00
577	Harold Edmonds, conveying pupils	100	00
578	Dominick Frederick, gravel		
	for highway	16	00
579	Rufus Humphrey, snow bill	7	33
580	Albert Colpitts, labor on highway	5	00
581	A. D. McGray, snow bill	8	33
582	A. D. McGray, snow bill	19	63
583	W. G. Edmonds, labor on highway	11	00
<b>584</b>	W. G. Edmonds, snow bill	42	21
585	R. E. Dunton, truant officer,		
	\$5.00; school board, \$10.00	15	00
586	M. Cain, burial expenses, Ervin Tcwers	110	00
587	Alice Sherman, ballot clerk		00
588	Maude E. Mudgett, patrol road	151	
589	Chas. Wells, conveying pupils	48	
600	C. E. Reynolds, school supplies		95
601	Estella Cole, ballot clerk	3	00
602	Frank Holt, telephone bill,		
	Towers family		65
603	Loring, Short & Harmon, order book	3	75

604	F. L. Cunningham, cutting bushes	9	00			
605	T. E. Getchell, school supplies					
606	C. E. Cookson, labor on highway	39	00			
607	R. A. Miles, supplies for tramps	8	31			
608	R. A. Miles, supplies for Ray Perkins	9	92			
609	R. A. Miles, supplies for schools	1	87			
610	Ermine Davis, ballot clerk	3	00			
611	Ermine Davis, ballot clerk	6	00			
612	Boyce Hunt, labor on highway	6	00			
613	Clifton Hunt, services, selectman	45	00			
614	Iva McNally, teaching school	50	00			
615	Doris Cookson, teaching school	54	00			
616	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	60	00			
617	W. S. Marshall, teaching school	54	00			
618	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	54	00			
619	Parks Brothers, insurance town hall	26	50			
620	Town of Stonington, supplies,					
	Eva A. Pomroy	174	50			
621	Elm City Hospital, bill on Ervin Towers	17	50			
622	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00			
623	J. F. Doherty, labor on highway	7	<b>5</b> 0			
624	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00			
625	G. J. Mudgett, insurance on					
	school property	75	00			
626	Charles Wells, cutting bushes	6	00			
627	W. S. Marshall, teaching school,					
	\$54.00; supplies, \$1.14	55	14			
628	L. J. Hathorn, conveying pupils	60	00			
629	Doris Cookson, teaching school	54	00			
630	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	54	00			
631	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	80	00			
632	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00			
633	Ellen C. Robbins, supplies, Eva A. Pomroy	6	00			
634	G. M. D. Grant, services, Supt. schools	55	50			
635	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	33	00			
636	Chas. R. Wood, sheep killed by dogs	15	00			
637	M. D. Goodridge, conveying pupils	16	00			

638	H. C. Young, school wood						
639	Huff Brothers, gravel for highway						
<b>6</b> 40	A. M. Flowers, labor on highway	4	80				
641	Wm. Twitchell, labor on main-						
	tenance road	3	00				
642	Huff Brothers, school wood	10	00				
643	L. E. Gerald, school supplies	3	30				
644	Fred Murphy, labor on highway	10	<b>5</b> 0				
645	E. L. Goodrich, plank, 7.40;						
	use of truck, \$17.50; labor						
	and team, \$24.50	49	40				
646	Earl Reynolds, snow bill, 1927	1	66				
647	Chas. McDonald, snow bill, 1927	3	32				
648	Pittsfield Fire Dept., hotel fire	100	00				
649	H. C. Dunphy, overalls, Ray Perkins	2	00				
650	C. E. McAllister, acid for fire apparatus	6	75				
651	Bert Chase, boarding Ray Perkins	24	00				
652	Nathan Reynolds, wood for schoolhouse	5	00				
653	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00				
654	Sadie Murphy, mother's State aid	40	00				
655	Noyes & Nutter, stove pipe	4	16				
656	C. M. Power Co., lighting school						
	building	3	00				
657	C. M. P. Co., lighting streets	36	00				
658	Earl Sidelinger, snow bill	6	00				
659	David Reynolds, janitor service	30	00				
660	Fred Reynolds, conveying pupils	105	00				
661	J. S. Haseltine, school repairs	16	90				
662	C. M. Whitney, medical at-						
	tendance, Effie Towers	30	00				
663	H. L. Trueworthy, medical at-						
	tendance, Ervin Towers	19	50				
664	Lawry Brothers, ambulance,						
	Ervin Towers	15	00				
665	Town of Searsmont, supplies,						
	L. A. Pomroy	39	94				
666	F. A. McAllister, services, selectman	110	00				

667	R. A. Miles, services, selectman	70	00
668	Clifton Hunt, services, selectman	20	
669	Earl Reynolds, snow bill	4	50
670	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	60	00
671	Alice Sherman, services on		
	school board	10	00
672	E. F. Reynolds, snow bill	3	00
673	Arthur Goodrich, wood for tramp room	5	00
674	Ellen Robbins, care of Alice Pomroy	60	00
675	Bert Chase, boarding Ray Perkins	6	00
676	D. A. Dyer, reporting vital statistics	8	36
677	D. A. Dyer, services, town clerk	9	00
678	Charles McDonald, snow bill	8	66
679	Mrs. Truman Whitten, tuition	25	00
680	Doris Cookson, teaching school	101	00
681	Hazel Marshall, teaching school	90	00
682	W. S. Marshall, teaching school	112	00
683	Iva McNally, teaching school	40	00
684	Ruth Mudgett, teaching school	20	00
685	Mrs. Rose Wood, conveying pupils	93	50
686	Lena Cookson, conveying pupils	82	00
687	Laforest Hathorn, conveying pupils	60	00
688	Charles Wells, conveying pupils	24	00
689	Town of Unity, tuition	90	00
690	Town of Clinton, tuition	110	00
691	Ginn & Co., text books	14	95
692	Starkey & Toner, school supplies	20	75
693	World Book Co., text books	2	67
694	Walter Braley, conveying pupils	132	00
695	Eliza Lancaster, boarding Edith Morgan	18	00
696	Charles A. Huff, collecting 1926 tax	324	25
697	Charles A. Huff, serving papers		
	on Effie Towers	1	93
698	Charles A. Huff, abatement	40	23
699	Chas. A. Huff, posting warrants	24	00
700	Charles Wells, conveying pupils	24	00
701	Charles Wells, conveying pupils	32	00

702	Huff Brothers, snow bill	18	00
703	E. E. Sidelinger, snow bill	13	00
704	Maude E. Mudgett, services,		
	treasurer, \$60.00; expenses, \$5.00	65	00
708	Joseph Arnold, janitor service	25	00
709	Alice Mitchell, school supplies	1	20

# Treasurer's Report

Dr.				
20 shares B. M. L. R. R. \$2	2,000	00		
Government bonds	100	00		
Int. on Government bond	4	26		
Int. on Charles E. Sherman fund	2	50		
D. A. Dyer, victualer's license	1	00		
D. A. Dyer, dog licenses	69	00		
State, Soldiers' pensions	90	00		
Mother's State aid	240	00		
Highway department 1	,460	05		
State Aid account 2	2,376	75		
Tax on bank stock	11	11		
Dog licenses refunded	28	92		
R. R. and Tel. tax		08		
Damage to domestic animals	15	00		
State school fund 2	,030	25		
Town of Milford, Mother's State aid	240	00		
Geo. Dyer, hall rent for year 1926	50	00		
Temporary loans for year 1926 9	,000	00		
H. R. Coolidge on 1923 tax	4	50		
Tax commitment 18	,013	99		
Balance on hand	189	76		
			\$35,927	17
Cr.				
20 shares B. M. & L. R. R. \$2	2000	00		
Government Bonds	100	00		
Dog licenses	69	00		
Soldiers' pensions	90	00		
Temporary loans for 1926 9	,000	00		
H. R. Coolidge, Com. on collecting				
tax	2	00		

Town orders	17,952	07
Town bonds paid	2,275	00
Coupons on town bonds	665	25
Int. on money loaned	254	38
County tax	885	47
State tax	2,007	85
Dependent children, (Jones	chil-	
dren)	81	65
Cash on hand	544	50
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MAUDE E. MUDGETT, Treasurer.

### Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Burnham:

Another fiscal school year has passed and in compliance with the school laws and custom, I submit to you this my second annual report of your schools.

Your teachers were all present at a meeting held at Albion the Saturday before schools began. I had as speakers, Supt. Harold Clifford, Boothbay Harbor; Supt. F. D. Rowe, Warren; Mr. Ross, representative of Ginn & Co.; and Miss Buck of the Health Crusade.

The teachers for the spring term were as last reported, with the addition of Mrs. Doe at the Mount, Mr. Marshall returning to Reynolds' Corner.

The Fall term opened with Miss Ruth Mudgett at the Village Grammar and Miss Doris McKenney at the Mount.

All the schools have made good progress. Favorable comments could be made of all teachers. You have a corps deeply interested in their work who are striving to do their best for the individual pupil.

The discipline in the school room is all that can be desired and the outside conduct has improved.

Some damage has been done to school property at the Village school. These acts, save one, were done outside of school hours before the arrival of the teacher.

I regret that there is a person or a student who injures property and is afraid to admit it. Accidents are apt to occur, and if they do one should have moral courage enough to come forward. If one continues without admitting a wrong his conscience becomes stupified and will be led to commit a criminal act.

When you discover yourself tempted to do that which is wrong you should check it at once.

There are parents who are anxious for their children to do good school work, but by having a little grain of prejudice, place a handicap on them.

The teacher alone cannot have a first class school. We must be all of one spirit, and that of one eager to learn. Schools are not to be trifled with, but supported. Ours is a sacred calling whether it be teacher or parent.

Following I give a few suggestions:

Don't discuss the teacher in the presence of your children.

Don't criticize the teacher or school to other people.

Don't forget that the teacher of your child has to deal with and control others each day. You find it hard with one or two.

I believe a Parent-Teachers' Association would be a good organization for your town. I would be pleased to meet at the school room for this purpose. You are invited to write to Mrs. J. D. Small, Westbrook, Me., who will acquaint you with the work of this organization.

#### Books

New text books in English have been placed in the schools this year. The schools are very well supplied with books. The life of a book is not often more than four years so it requires some each year to replace them.

I have added quite a few readers as a child of each grade should read three or four books.

#### Conveyance

Your committee deemed it best to discontinue the practice of sending a part of their pupils to Troy, as they could be conveyed to a school in town.

This did not meet with the approval of part of the people.

In order to overcome this trouble it seems best to open the Dodge school this Spring term. It would not cost much more, if any, to maintain the school.

#### Repairs

The toilets at Reynolds Corner have been connected with the building. I believe all are well satisfied with the arrangement and work.

A few repairs will be needed before opening the Dodge school.

#### **Medical Inspection**

Dr. Whitney of Unity was engaged as medical inspector. He has made three trips to the schools, but was unable to finish with them this fall because of business. He made plans but would be called away.

I believe some good has come from his inspection. Parents who have children with skin disease could overcome the trouble by following it up closely. Do not be satisfied if it ceases to show, but continue treatment for a long time.

#### Resignation

I regret to report the resignation of Mrs. Sherman as a member of the School Committee.

She is one who has the interest of her town at heart and has worked for the good of the schools. She gives as her reason for resigning that she has not the time to devote to it, but somehow, I feel that she was somewhat discouraged.

		Enrol	lment by (	Grades		
	Vil	lage	$\mathbf{Rey}$	nolds	Mo	unt
Grade	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
1	2	2	2	2	0	0
2	2	6	2	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	2
3	1	4	0	2	3	1
4	1	5			2	3
5	3	3	3	3	0	3
6	1	3	1	2		
7	4	6	4	3		
8	0	0	0	0		
9	1	0	1	0		
			Tuition			

#### Tuition

There is a tuition bill of approximately \$295.00 due the M.C.I. Because of an error in the bill it was held up for payment and returned to the principal of the school. I have not as yet received it in its corrected form. We have also just learned that there is a bill of \$216.00 due Clinton, mostly for common school tuition. I have drawn orders for the tuition as bills were presented. The back tuition comes in the year 1924. Your report for that year shows that no tuition was paid Clinton that year.

We have not received the bills from Hartland Academy. When all bills are in and paid it will reduce our unexpended balance to about what it was last year.

#### **Recommendations**

For common schools	\$4,300	00	
For high school tuition	400	00	
For text books			$150 \ 00$
For repairs			300 00

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT Resources

Amt.	raised	by	town	\$4,300	00
Amt.	raised	for	high school	400	00
Amt.	raised	for	books	150	00

Amt. received from State	1,890 25
Amt. received equal., in part	8 42
Amt. unexpended last year	243 97

Amt. available

\$6,992 64

#### Expenditures

Amt. paid teachers	\$ 3,315 00	
Amt. paid fuel	320 00	
Amt. paid janitors	271 50	
Amt. paid conveyance	1,484 00	
Amt. paid tuition, common	200 00	
Amt. paid tuition, high	110 00	
Amt. paid for books	$207 \ 07$	
Amt. paid for supplies	149 86	
Amt. unexpended this year	935 21	
	-	\$6,992 64

#### Repairs

Amt. raised by town	\$400	00		
Amt. received State equalization	131	58		
Available			\$531	58
Amt. expended			\$531	58

#### **Insurance and Light**

Amt. raised by town	\$200 00	1
Amt. paid for insurance	<b>\$102 30</b>	
Amt. paid for lights	14 00	
Amt. unexpended	83 70	
	<b> \$200 00</b>	,

#### Building Toilets, Reynolds' Corner

Paid E. P. Hunt	<b>\$57 50</b>
Paid T. L. Jones	338 70
Paid Maplewood Co.	36 00
	<b>\$422 20</b>

In conclusion I wish to express my appreciation to the teachers for their loyalty and faithfulness to duty; to the citizens my thanks for your support, and to you, members of the committee, my heartfelt thanks for your helpfulness and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

G. M. D. GRANT, Supt.

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents	Residence of Parents
1926					
Feb. 5	Burnham	Robert Jones	М	Fred W. and Marguerette Libby	Burnham
Mar. 13	Burnham	Adeline Mildred	F	Bert E. and Ethel G. Braley	Burnham
June 4	Burnham	Glenys Catherine	$\mathbf{F}$	Roscoe E. and Grace M. Dunton	Burnham
June 16	Burnham	Estelle Emily	F	Chas. A. and Hazel Huff	Burnham
June 17	Burnham	Russell George	М	Clair G. and Dora A. Lester	Burnham
July 17	Burnham	Leater Myona	F	Clifton I. and Roxie McAllister	Burnham
Aug. 23	Burnham	Maude	F	Chas. L. and Alice E. Bemis	Burnham
Sept. 11	Burnham	Ervin Walter	М	Chas. W. and Eva M. McDonald	Burnham
Sept. 29	Burnham	Eillen Joyce	F	Clayton and Marion I. Hunt	Burnham
Oct. 30	Burnham	Patricia	F	Ronello W. and Dorothy Reynolds	Burnham
Nov. 15	Burnham	Alfred Oscar	М	Wm. H. and Angie G. Huff	Burnham
1927					
Jan. 24	Burnham	Joshua, J <del>r</del> .	Μ	Joshua and Cora S. Reynolds	Burnham

Births Recorded in the Town of Burnham from Feb. 15, 1926, to Feb. 15, 1927

Date o Deat}		Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Yrs. M	05.	Dvs	Place of Birth	Place o	f Burial
1000						290		Cemetery	y Town
1926									
April	24	Burnham	Walter McDonald	- 62 4		24	Green, Me.	Village	Dexter, Me.
July	16	Burnham	Effie Towers	46 3		15	Burnham, Me.	Reynolds	Burnham, Me.
Aug.	7	Augusta	Ethel R. Libby	53 1	0	0	Burnham, Me.	Greenlawn	Rest Clinton, Me.
Sept.	7	Burnham	Mary W. Mosher	64 4		0	Albion, Me.	Pond	Burnham, Me
Sept.	16	Burnham	Daniel H. Southards	81 4		30	Hartland, Me.	Village S	st. Albans, Me
Oct.	19	Burnham	Howard I. Reed	47 1	1	28	Richmond, Me.	Stimson Cr	. Dixmont, Me.
Nov.	14	Burnham	Sarah S. Cole	90	10	1	Morrill, Me.	Pond	Burnham, Me.
Nov.	16	Burnham	Rufus Gilmore	100 0		19	Union, Me.	Church	Burnham, Me.
Nov.	23	Burnham	Patricia Reynolds	0 0		23	Burnham, Me.	Reynolds	Burnham, Me

# List of Deaths Recorded in the Town of Burnham from Feb. 15, 1926, to Feb. 15, 1927

Date Marria		Place of Marriage	Name of Groom	Name of Bride	Residence Residence of Groom of Bride
1926	6				
June	11	Pittsfield, Me.	Clifton R. Hunt	Marie H. Bagley	Burnham, Me. Burnham, Me.
June	21	Pittsfield, Me.	Guy L. Wood	Edna B. Wood	Burnham, Me. St. Albans, Me.
July	3	Pittsfield, Me.	Lawrence Mitchell	Christine Cunningham	Burnham, Me. Burnham, Me.
Sept.	30	Hartland, Me.	Joseph A. Lefaivie	Eva L. Powell	New York New York City City
Nov.	13	Solon, Me.	Peter Farley	Mertie McDonald	Moscow, Me. Burnham, Me.
Nov.	24	Pittsfield, Me.	Alphonzo F. Cookson	Doris M. McKenney	Burnham, Me. Dexter, Me.
Dec.	4		Sherman A. Brown	Mary E. Goodrich	Burnham, Me. Clinton, Me.
Dec.	23		Hillis O. Dunphy	Josephine E. Reed	Burnham, Me. Burnham, Me.

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DANIEL A. DYER, Town Clerk.