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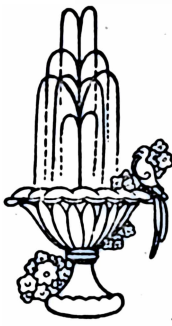
ANNUAL REPORTS

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THE SKOWHEGAN PRESS
Skowhegan, Maine

Plantation Officers

Plantation Clerk

FLORENCE M. CLARK

Assessors and Overseers of Poor

C. WESLEY GROVER

WILLIAM B. WHORFF

C. ELDTREDE SPAULDING

Treasurer

FLORENCE M. CLARK

Road Commissioner

WALTER E. YORK

School Committee

IRAL S. BEAN

JOHN J. COMBER

WALTER E. YORK

Ballot Clerks

CARROLL M. HUNNEWELL

ALFRED A. POWELL

Superintendent of Schools

HOWARD L. BOWEN

Health Officer

WALTER E. YORK

Fire Warden

JOHN B. COMBER

Engineer

OWEN E. McCLINTOCK

Surveyor

CARROLL M. HUNNEWELL

Inspector of Plumbing

TIMOTHY R. CLARK

Constable

HAROLD W. MARTIN

Assessor's Report

To the Citizens of Caratunk Plantation:

We herewith submit our report of the financial condition of the plantation for the year ending February 20, 1940, subject to approval by the State Department of Audit.

VALUATION APRIL 1, 1939

Real estate, resident	\$ 29,135.00	
Real estate, non-resident	155,278.72	
	<hr/>	\$184,413.72
Personal estate, resident	\$ 4,372.00	
Personal estate, non-resident	8,250.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 12,622.00
Grand total amount		<hr/> \$197,035.72

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1939

Highways and culverts	\$ 150.00
State aid road	799.50
Snow roads	500.00
State aid road maintenance	150.00
Road patrol	575.00
Cutting bushes	200.00
Pleasant Pond stream	300.00
Support of schools	1,600.00
School repairs	250.00
School library	25.00
Graduation	40.00
Public welfare	200.00
Care of cemeteries	25.00
Public health nurse	25.00
Maine publicity	25.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
	<hr/> \$ 5,064.50

State tax	\$ 2,088.05
Forestry district tax	647.82
County tax	483.71
Overlay	181.38
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	\$ 3,400.96
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Total assessment	\$ 8,465.46
\$41.00 per thousand on \$197,035.72 valuation	\$ 8,078.46
69 polls at \$3.00	207.00
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Amount committed to collector	\$ 8,285.46
Excise tax (estimated)	180.00
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Equals total assessment	\$ 8,465.46
Number of polls not taxed, 5.	

HIGHWAYS

Raised by plantation for highways and culverts	\$ 150.00
Raised by plantation for state aid road	799.50
Raised by plantation for snow roads	500.00
Raised by plantation for state aid road maintenance	150.00
Raised by plantation for road patrol	575.00
Raised by plantation for cutting bushes	200.00
Raised by plantation for clearing Pleasant Pond stream	300.00
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	\$ 2,674.50

HIGHWAYS AND CULVERTS

Raised by plantation	\$ 150.00
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Expenditures

Order No.		
63 Alfred Powell	\$	8.40
64 Alfred Mazarolle		8.40
65 Carroll Hunnewell		8.40

66	Fred Moore	8.40	
67	Guy Bean	28.00	
68	Will Hunnewell	24.00	
69	Ham Brothers	50.00	
70	Walter York	15.00	
71	Annie Savage	6.10	
176	Carroll Martin	2.80	
177	Alfred Mazarolle	2.80	
178	Will Hunnewell	8.00	
179	Walter York	4.00	
185	New England Pole & Treating Co. ..	79.95	
		\$ 254.25	
	Overdraft	104.25	
			\$ 150.00

SNOW ROADS

Raised by plantation \$ 500.00

Expenditures

Order No.			
3	Hill & Taylor Co.	\$ 97.00	
34	Hill & Taylor Co.	107.00	
61	Will Hunnewell	8.00	
62	Walter York	4.00	
180	State treasurer	98.90	
274	Carroll Martin, Jr.	6.45	
275	David Pooler	2.45	
276	Walter York	5.50	
293	Andrew Comber	4.50	
294	Chas. Whorff	1.40	
296	Hill & Taylor Co.	89.00	
314	Hill & Taylor Co.	92.00	
		\$ 516.20	
	Overdraft	16.20	
			\$ 500.00

STATE AID ROAD

Raised by plantation	\$ 799.50	
Apportioned by state	1,599.00	
		<u>\$ 2,398.50</u>

Expenditures

Order No.		\$	
94	Alfred Powell	14.00	
95	Carroll Hunnewell	12.60	
96	Alfred Mazarolle	14.00	
97	Eldon Spaulding	11.20	
98	Ural Bean	14.00	
99	Guy Bean	8.40	
100	Mike Fitzsimmons	14.00	
101	Carroll Martin, Jr.	14.00	
102	John York	8.40	
103	Fred Moore	14.00	
104	Will Hunnewell	5.60	
105	Carroll Martin	49.00	
106	Guy Bean	9.80	
107	Will Hunnewell	9.80	
108	Walter York	27.50	
109	Alanson Hunnewell	16.00	
110	Alfred Powell	16.80	
111	Carroll Hunnewell	16.80	
112	Alfred Mazarolle	16.10	
113	Eldon Spaulding	11.20	
114	Ural Bean	11.20	
115	Mike Fitzsimmons	16.80	
116	Carroll Martin, Jr.	16.80	
117	Fred Moore	16.80	
118	Alanson Hunnewell	9.60	
119	Carroll Martin	58.80	
120	Will Hunnewell	58.80	
121	Guy Bean	44.10	
122	Walter York	30.00	
123	New England Metal Culvert Co.	38.02	
125	Alfred Powell	14.00	
126	Carroll Hunnewell	14.00	
127	Alfred Mazarolle	14.00	
128	Eldon Spaulding	5.60	
129	Ural Bean	11.20	
130	Mike Fitzsimmons	11.20	

131	Carroll Martin, Jr.	14.00
132	John York	9.80
133	Fred Moore	11.20
134	Carroll Martin	49.00
135	Will Hunnewell	49.00
136	Guy Bean	49.00
137	Walter York	25.00
141	Alfred Powell	7.35
142	Carroll Hunnewell	4.55
143	Alfred Mazarolle	7.00
144	Ural Bean	7.00
145	Carroll Martin, Jr.	7.00
145a	John York	4.20
146	Fred Moore	4.55
147	Mike Fitzsimmons	4.20
148	Carroll Martin	25.72
149	Will Hunnewell	34.30
150	Guy Bean	24.40
151	Walter York	18.12
157	Will Hunnewell	1.40
158	Guy Bean	7.35
159	Archie Clark	12.90
160	Eldrede Spaulding	23.60
161	Annie Savage	3.50
162	Walter York	3.75
	Overexpenditure of 1938 for which note was issued and allowed in this account	1,011.67
		<hr/>
		\$ 2,093.68
	Unexpended	304.82
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		\$ 2,398.50

STATE AID ROAD MAINTENANCE

Raised by plantation \$ 150.00

Expenditures

Order No.		
16	Walter York	\$ 6.00
17	Will Hunnewell	4.20
18	Arthur Shea	4.20
41	Alfred Powell	11.20
42	Alfred Mazarolle	5.60

43	Carroll Martin, Jr.	1.40	
44	Carroll Hunnewell	11.20	
45	Harry Foster	11.20	
46	Mike Fitzsimmons	11.20	
47	Malcolm Merrill	5.60	
48	Fred Moore	11.20	
49	Will Hunnewell	36.00	
50	Guy Bean	36.00	
51	Walter York	17.00	
		\$ 172.00	
	Overdraft	22.00	
			\$ 150.00

ROAD PATROL

Raised by plantation \$ 575.00

Expenditures

Order No.			
245	State treasurer	\$ 191.40	
	To old age assistance account	373.20	
		\$ 564.60	
	Unexpended	10.40	
			\$ 575.00

PLEASANT POND STREAM

Raised by plantation \$ 300.00

Expenditures

Order No.			
138	Mike Fitzsimmons	\$ 2.80	
139	Fred Moore	2.80	
152	Fred Moore	8.40	
153	Mike Fitzsimmons	8.40	
154	Carroll Hunnewell	5.60	
155	Walter York	6.00	
163	Fred Moore	11.90	
164	Mike Fitzsimmons	11.90	
165	Carroll Hunnewell	11.90	

166	Carroll Martin	11.90	
167	Alfred Powell	11.90	
168	Alfred Mazarolle	9.10	
169	Guy Bean	9.80	
170	Will Hunnewell	1.40	
171	Eldrede Spaulding	24.00	
172	Walter York	12.00	
184	Eldrede Spaulding	9.50	
273	Department of Fish & Game	16.00	
			\$ 175.30
	Unexpended	124.70	
			<u>\$ 300.00</u>

FIRE PUMPER

Raised by note as per vote of special meeting \$ 1,000.00

Expenditures

Order No.
124 D. S. Elliot \$ 1,000.00

CUTTING BUSHES

Raised by plantation \$ 200.00

Expenditures

Order No.
195 Ural Bean \$ 4.20
196 Alfred Mazarolle 5.60
197 Guy Bean 4.90
198 Arthur Shea 2.80
199 Will Hunnewell 3.85
200 Carroll Martin 16.00
201 Mike Fitzsimmons 14.00
202 Clyde Spaulding 8.40
203 Harry Foster 8.40
204 John York 2.80
205 Walter York 7.00
214 Clyde Spaulding 12.25
215 Mike Fitzsimmons 11.55

216	Harry Foster	11.55
217	John York	11.55
218	Alfred Mazarolle	2.10
219	Will Hunnewell	6.00
220	Walter York	3.00

\$ 135.95

Unexpended 64.05

\$ 200.00

PUBLIC WELFARE

Raised by plantation \$ 200.00

Expenditures

Order No.

35	State treasurer	\$ 45.00
72	State treasurer	45.00
272	State treasurer	45.00
304	State treasurer	45.00

\$ 180.00

Unexpended 20.00

\$ 200.00

CARE OF CEMETERIES

Raised by plantation \$ 25.00

Expenditures

Order No.

75	Mike Fitzsimmons	\$ 4.20
182	Mike Fitzsimmons	13.30
183	Guy Bean	1.00

\$ 18.50

Unexpended 6.50

\$ 25.00

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Raised by plantation \$ 25.00

Expenditures

Order No.

188	State treasurer	\$ 25.00
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MAINE PUBLICITY

Raised by plantation	\$	25.00
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Expenditures

Order No.

175 Harrie B. Coe	\$	25.00
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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Raised by plantation	\$	200.00
Transferred by vote of plantation		819.20
	—————	\$ 1,019.20

Expenditures

Order No.

4 The Skowhegan Press, printing	\$	39.00
5 Harold W. Martin, constable services		1.50
12 H. L. Bowen, March and April		33.34
13 Marks Printing House, office supplies		14.35
14 Taylor Bros. & Hill, mattress		7.75
15 Hutchins Brothers, office supplies		1.65
33-36 Wentworth & Plummer, bonds		20.00
39 H. L. Bowen, May		16.66
40 Loring, Short & Harmon, adding machine		75.00
76 Harold W. Martin, constable service		1.50
87 H. L. Bowen, June and July		33.33
88 State treasurer, dog licenses		11.00
89 Florice S. Bean, tax collector		100.00
90 W. B. Whorff, paid for sign		3.40
92 Sears, Roebuck & Co., fire equipment		18.79
93 Mark Merrill, fire equipment		5.00
140 Owen McClintock, fire equipment		16.49
156 Dr. F. P. Ball, medical services		13.50
173 Preble & Robinson, rope and cable		19.77
174 W. B. Whorff, feeding tramps		1.10
181 First National Bank, check book		3.00
210 Harold W. Martin, constable service		1.50
211 Alfred Powell, ballot clerk		3.00
212 Carroll Hunnewell, ballot clerk		3.00
230 H. L. Bowen, Aug., Sept. and Oct. ...		50.00
260 A. G. Hunnewell, interest		40.00

267	H. L. Bowen, November	16.66
268	State treasurer, auditing town books	26.58
291	Owen McClintock, fire equipment	3.39
292	Carroll Hunnewell, scaling logs	3.00
297	S. J. Whitney, insurance on school- house	71.20
305	H. L. Bowen, December and January	33.34
306	C. S. Humphreys & Son, making map	15.00
307	C. S. Humphreys & Son, abstracting title	11.40
315	Walter E. York, rent of garage	9.00
316	Owen McClintock, services as en- gineer	25.00
317	Florence M. Clark, services as clerk	20.00
318	Florence M. Clark, services as treas- urer	50.00
319	C. Eldrede Spaulding, third assessor	20.00
320	William B. Whorff, second assessor ..	20.00
321	C. Wesley Grover, first assessor	100.00
322	S. J. Whitney, road supplies	9.70
323	Albert B. Clark, rent of hall	9.00
	Road supplies	3.86
324	Orville Forsythe, road supplies	1.60
325	Florence M. Clark, office expense	4.53
326	C. W. Grover, office expense	6.69
327	Albert B. Clark, road supplies	34.35
336	H. L. Bowen, February	16.66
337	W. B. Whorff, feeding and lodging tramps	11.75
333	Florice S. Bean, balance collecting taxes	65.84
339	Iral S. Bean, collecting back taxes	2.98
341	Florice S. Bean, rebate because of er- ror in deposits74
		<hr/>
		\$ 1,150.90
	Overdraft	131.70
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		\$ 1,019.20

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Transferred from road patrol account \$ 373.20

Expenditures

Order No.

187	State treasurer	\$ 31.10
209	State treasurer	31.10
244	State treasurer	31.10
269	State treasurer	31.10
295	State treasurer	31.10
298	State treasurer	31.10
340	State treasurer	31.10

\$ 217.70

Unexpended 155.50

 \$ 373.20

TAXES

Raised by plantation \$ 3,219.58

Expenditures

Order No.

186	John H. Lancaster, county treasurer	\$ 483.71
189	State treasurer	2,088.05
189	State treasurer	647.82

 \$ 3,219.58

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Bank Book

No.

6191	Joseph Spaulding	\$ 100.00
8145	Sarah Baker	100.00
8370	Esther C. and F. H. Sterling	100.00
8784	Gustavas Witham	100.00
8893	Albert Williams	100.00

 \$ 500.00

OUTSTANDING NOTES

John B. Downey \$ 1,000.00

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

Account	Raised	Expended	Balance	Overdraft
Highways and culverts	\$ 150.00	\$ 254.25	\$	\$ 104.25
Snow roads	500.00	516.00		16.20
State aid road	2,398.50	2,093.63	304.82	
S. A. road maintenance	150.00	172.00		22.00
Road patrol	575.00	564.60	10.40	
Cutting bushes	200.00	135.95	64.05	
Pleasant Pond stream	300.00	175.30	124.70	
Public welfare	200.00	180.00	20.00	
Cemeteries	25.00	18.50	6.50	
Public health nurse	25.00	25.00		
Maine publicity	25.00	25.00		
Old age assistance	373.20	217.70	155.50	
Taxes	3,219.58	3,219.58		
Miscellaneous	1,019.20	1,150.90		131.70
Fire pumper	1,000.00	1,000.00		
	<u>\$10,160.48</u>	<u>\$ 9,748.66</u>	<u>\$ 685.97</u>	<u>\$ 274.15</u>
(School accounts not included).				
Net balance			\$	411.82

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF CARATUNK PLANTATION

February 20, 1940

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 1,078.23	
Due from collectors	127.93	
	\$ 1,206.16	

Other Assets

Road machines	\$ 150.00	
Road tools and snow fence	300.00	
Fire pumper	1,000.00	
School buildings	5,000.00	
	\$ 6,450.00	

Total assets	\$ 7,656.16
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Liabilities

Note to John B. Downey ..	\$ 1,000.00
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Assets above liabilities	\$ 6,656.16
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Respectfully submitted,

C. WESLEY GROVER

WILLIAM B. WHORFF

C. ELDREDE SPAULDING

Assessors of Caratunk Plantation

Tax Collector's Report

1939 COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Total commitment	\$ 8,285.46
Paid to treasurer	\$ 8,292.00

DELINQUENT TAXES

Est. of Carl S. Bean	\$ 13.33	
O. H. Clark	4.84	
Est. of W. H. Clark	16.48	
Clark & Humphries	29.93	
Est. of Crosby Spaulding	14.56	
Elizabeth Sylvester	11.07	
Louise Wragg	10.66	
John Birdsall	8.20	
		<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$ 109.07

ABATEMENTS

Eddie Bartley, paid elsewhere	\$ 3.00	
Paul Bartley, paid elsewhere	3.00	
Eddie Bean, wrongly assessed	3.00	
Leo Fortin, paid elsewhere	3.00	
Bernard Hines, paid elsewhere	3.00	
Henry Mulhall, paid elsewhere	3.00	
Leo Poulin, paid elsewhere	3.00	
Joe Rodrigue, paid elsewhere	3.00	
J. Harold Smith, paid elsewhere	3.00	
Mike Martin, sickness	17.26	
John B. Comber, error	3.00	
		<hr style="width: 100px; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$ 50.26
Discounts	\$ 122.57	
Excise tax, 1939	\$ 80.62	
Excise tax, 1940	\$ 189.78	
Interest collected on 1939 tax	\$ 17.30	

FLORICE S. BEAN

1938 COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Delinquent taxes Feb. 20, 1939	\$	113.32
Collected on 1938 taxes	\$	94.46
Delinquent taxes February 20, 1940:		
Scot Pease	\$	18.86
Excise collected	\$	54.56

IRAL BEAN

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand Feb. 20, 1939	\$ 1,469.62
The Forks Plantation	140.50
Town clerk, dog taxes	11.00
John B. Downey, hired money	1,000.00
Edna Shea, graduation refund	3.00
State Treasurer:	
Highway or state aid roads	1,195.34
Highway refund	98.90
50-50 payroll	50.00
Interest on bank stock	1.35
State school fund	257.17
Dog licenses refunded	6.90
R. R. and Tel. tax	7.18
Interest on reserved lands	855.32
Tax collectors	8,441.02
	\$13,537.30
Total	

PAYMENTS

37 Plantation warrants	\$12,459.07
Cash balance in treasury Feb. 20, 1940	1,078.23
	\$13,537.30
Total	

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE M. CLARK, Treasurer

Plantation Clerk's Report

Vital Statistics Recorded in 1939 and 1940

MARRIAGES

- February 25, 1939—Donald Arthur Shea of Caratunk to Miss Hope A. Reed of Jackman Station, by Rev. Francis S. Ransom, at Jackman Station, Maine.
- April 1, 1939—Cecil Oscar Laweryson of Bingham to Miss Geraldine Louise Beane of Caratunk, by Rev. Thomas S. Cleaver at Skowhegan, Maine.
- January 1, 1940—Fred J. Merrill to Mrs. Alice M. Merrill, both of Caratunk, by Rev. Ernest C. Evans at Madison, Maine.

BIRTHS

- May 29, 1939—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawson C. Evans, a son, John Haines, at Skowhegan, Maine.
- October 13, 1939—To Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Merrill, a son, Ronald Barry, at Caratunk, Maine.
- March 30, 1883—To Mr. and Mrs. Crosby Spaulding, a son, Urban Earl, at Caratunk, Maine.
- May 28, 1914—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spaulding, a son, Eldon George, at Caratunk, Maine.

DEATHS

- June 1, 1939—Oscar H. Clark, suicide by shooting, at Caratunk, Maine.
- October 12, 1939—Dorothy Pooler, of pulmonary tuberculosis, at Fairfield, Maine.
- December 19, 1939—Archie W. Clark, of heart failure due to coronary embolism, at Caratunk, Maine.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE M. CLARK,

Plantation Clerk

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the Superintending School Committee and Other Citizens of
the Plantation of Caratunk:

I submit to you my annual report on the condition of our schools.

We appropriate and expend money for various activities but of all these, the appropriation for public education is the only one which is an investment in the future. This is an investment in our youth which in the years to come will be the only guarantee of a continuation of our American type of democratic government. This is the substance of a recent declaration of our State Commissioner of Education and to his thoughts, I subscribe my support. After all, youth is about all most of us have to live for and as wise and foolish as it often is, we must do all within our power to make them better citizens of this country than we have been.

Our schools have progressed during the year under the wise and excellent teaching of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds. The high school is very small but I hope that it will be continued since if ever it should be closed, I doubt that the State Department of Education would ever allow it to be re-opened, since the schools here and at West Forks are the only ones of the kind in Maine.

Our repairs have been of a minor nature for the year; the attempt to secure water for the building was unsuccessful as you know. Something should be done to secure a supply of good drinking water near to the school.

The report of the Public Health Nursing Service for Caratunk is interesting and the service valuable. Some of the things done have been a toxoid clinic, followed by the Schick test for diphtheria; vaccinations were given twenty-seven children; Miss Skelton visited and made follow-up visits to all homes where there were pre-school children, in all 38 homes for all purposes. Re-checks on all admitted to the tuberculosis clinic at Fairfield were made by Miss Gay and Dr. Cromwell. This activity is supported entirely by the sale of the Christmas seal campaign.

My contacts with all town officials and other citizens during the year have been pleasant. I take this opportunity to thank them as well as my superintending school committee, teachers and children for a successful school year.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD L. BOWEN

SCHOOL REPORT

Receipts

Appropriation	\$ 1,600.00
Permanent school fund	855.82
State school fund	257.17
Tuition, The Forks	140.50
Unexpended, 1938-39	41.40
R. R., Tel. & Tel. tax and refund on dog licenses, bank stock tax	15.43
	<hr/> \$ 2,910.32

Expenses

Teachers' Salaries:

C. S. Reynolds	\$ 1,199.96
Mollie F. Reynolds	810.00
	<hr/> \$ 2,009.96

Conveyance:

J. J. Comber	\$ 432.00
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Fuel:

C. R. Martin	\$ 54.00
O. H. and A. W. Clark	6.50
Evans Bros.	3.00
	<hr/> \$ 63.50

Janitor Services:

John York	\$ 55.00
John Spaulding	35.00
	<hr/> \$ 90.00

Books:

Scott, Foresman & Co.	\$	22.95	
Geographic Pub. Co.		16.83	
Ginn & Co.		15.67	
American Book Co.		9.53	
The Macmillan Co.		7.47	
American Education Press		6.65	
D. C. Heath & Co.		5.61	
Allyn & Bacon		1.91	
Silver, Burdett & Co.		2.81	
		<hr/>	\$ 89.43

Supplies:

Malcolm Comber	\$	36.00	
W. F. Hunnewell		35.00	
Educational Guild of New England		11.53	
Milton Bradley Co.		9.69	
A. B. Clark		8.30	
A. M. Buckley		6.75	
National Educator's Society		4.75	
Loring, Short & Harmon ..		4.20	
Chas. E. Merrill Co.		6.80	
Edw. E. Babb & Co.		3.89	
Gledhill Bros., Inc.		2.10	
F. E. Day Co.		2.16	
J. L. Hammett Co.45	
E. C. McGraw75	
		<hr/>	\$ 132.37

Total cost of schools		<hr/>	\$ 2,817.26
Unexpended Feb. 20, 1940			<hr/>
			\$ 93.06

GRADUATION

Appropriation	\$	40.00	
Unexpended		10.69	
		<hr/>	\$ 50.69
Expenses			\$ 50.69

SCHOOL LIBRARY

Receipts

Appropriation	\$	25.00	
Unexpended		16.49	
		<hr/>	\$ 41.49

Expenses

Frontier Press	\$	16.50	
R. W. Wagner		13.98	
L. S. Beale		5.00	
		<hr/>	\$ 35.48

Unexpended, Feb. 20, 1940	\$	6.01
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REPAIRS

Receipts

Appropriation	\$	250.00
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Expenses

John York	\$	38.60	
Clyde Spaulding		36.40	
C. E. Spaulding		28.00	
David Pooler		26.60	
Herbert Berry		22.40	
Wm. McKay		14.00	
C. R. Martin, Jr.		11.80	
W. E. York		5.00	
J. J. Comber		4.50	
W. F. Hunnewell		2.80	
A. Mazarolle		1.75	
		<hr/>	\$ 191.85

Unexpended, Feb. 20, 1940	\$	58.15
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Overdrawn, 1938-39		104.48
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Overdrawn, 1939-40	\$	46.33
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Respectfully submitted,

IRAL S. BEANE

JOHN J. COMBER

WALTER E. YORK

Superintending School Committee

HOWARD L. BOWEN, Supt. of Schools

Report of Audit

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT
Augusta, Maine

PLANTATION OF CARATUNK
October 20, 1939

To the Inhabitants of the Plantation of Caratunk:

This is to certify that this department, represented by Mr. F. A. Doble, has completed an audit of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended February 20, 1939.

Our report, herewith submitted, was prepared from your town records and, to the best of our knowledge and belief, properly reflects the true financial condition of your municipality as of the above date.

The schedules contained in this report are as follows:

Comparative Balance Sheet with Proof of Change in Surplus.

Report of Treasurer with Reconciliation of Treasurer's Cash Balance.

Schedule of Outstanding Checks.

Summary of Overdraft and Unexpended Balances.

Schedule of 1938 Valuation and Commitment.

Schedule of Uncollected Taxes—Schedule of Abatements.

Schedule of Trust Funds.

Schedule of Journal Entries.

Reconciliation of all Accounts.

We wish to thank your town officials for their cooperation during the course of this audit.

Respectfully submitted,

STATE DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT,
HAROLD E. CRAWFORD,

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Chief Auditor

**PLANTATION
RECONCILIATION**

February

Title of Account	Opening Entry—Dr.	Cash Received	Tax Commitment	Journal Dr's	Warrants	Total Ope Debits	Entr
Cash	\$ 1,400.98	\$11,442.14				\$12,843.12	
1938 taxes			\$ 9,273.07			9,273.07	
1937 uncollected taxes	160.04					160.04	
1936 uncollected taxes	114.50					114.50	
Cemetery trust fund	500.00					500.00	
Notes payable							
1937 excise tax reserve				\$ 269.63		269.63	\$
SURPLUS							
Miscellaneous account					\$ 946.60	946.60	
Highways and culverts	8.94				200.20	209.14	
Snow roads					446.80	446.80	
State aid road	108.62			2,099.00	1,818.17	4,025.79	
Maintenance, state aid road					328.20	328.20	
Highway patrol	14.90				562.80	577.70	
Cutting bushes					180.80	180.80	
Cleaning Pleasant Pond stream					301.00	301.00	
Public welfare					180.00	180.00	
Consolidated school account					2,786.54	2,786.54	
Graduation							
School supplies and repairs					359.09	359.09	
School library	1.76				6.75	8.51	
Care of cemeteries					115.95	115.95	
County health nurse					50.00	50.00	
Cemetery trust funds							
State tax					1,993.70	1,993.70	
District tax					618.55	618.55	
County tax					467.35	467.35	
1938-1939 excise tax							
Overlay and supplementary tax Abatements and discounts				160.76		160.76	
Dog tax					11.00	11.00	
Temporary loans				1,000.00		1,000.00	
	\$ 2,309.74	\$11,442.14	\$ 9,273.07	\$ 3,529.39	\$11,373.50	\$37,927.84	\$ 2

OF CARATUNK
 OF ALL ACCOUNTS
 20, 1939

ning	Cash Paid	Cash	Journal	Total	Summary of Accts.		Bal. Sheet at Close		
					Dr.	Cr.	Assets	Liabilities	
y—Cr. by Treas.	Appropriation	Credits	Credits	Credits	Overdrawn	Unexpended	Dr.	Cr.	
	\$11,373.50			\$11,373.50			\$ 1,469.52		
		\$8,738.99	\$ 420.76	9,159.75			113.32		
		160.04		160.04					
		114.50		114.50					
							500.00		
			1,000.00	1,000.00				\$1,000.00	
269.63	(Net Unexpended Balance			269.63					
552.65	from Summary, \$1,003.70)		9.63	562.28				1,565.98	
495.45	\$ 1,000.00	11.50		1,506.95		\$ 560.35			
	200.00	9.15		209.15		.01			
211.98	600.00			811.98		365.18			
	800.00		2,099.00	2,899.00			1,126.79		
17.25	150.00	50.00		217.25	\$ 110.95				
	575.00			575.00	2.70				
38.50	150.00			188.50		7.70			
	300.00			300.00	1.00				
60.00	250.00			310.00		130.00			
60.63	1,600.00	1,167.81		2,828.44				41.90	
10.69				10.69				10.69	
4.61	250.00			254.61			104.48		
	25.00			25.00				16.49	
38.35	75.00			113.35	2.60				
50.00				50.00					
500.00				500.00				500.00	
	1,993.70			1,993.70					
	618.55			618.55					
	467.35			467.35					
		179.15		179.15				179.15	
	218.47			218.47		218.47			
					160.76				
		11.00		11.00					
		1,000.00		1,000.00					
	Unexpended Balance to Surplus, \$ 1,003.70								
3,309.74	\$11,373.50	\$9,273.07	\$11,442.14	\$ 3,529.39	\$37,927.84	\$ 1,281.71	\$ 1,281.71	\$ 3,314.21	\$3,314.21

Warrant for Annual Plantation Meeting

MARCH 11, 1940

SOMERSET, ss.

STATE OF MAINE

To Harold W. Martin, Constable of the Plantation of Caratunk
in the County of Somerset. Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the said Plantation of Caratunk, qualified by law to vote in plantation affairs, to assemble at Albert B. Clark's hall in the said plantation on the 11th day of March A. D. 1940 at one o'clock in the afternoon, there and then to act upon the following articles, namely:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To choose three assessors and overseers of the poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose a collector for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To choose one or more members of the superintending school committee.

Art. 7. To choose a constable for the ensuing year.

Art. 8. To choose one or more fire wardens for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To elect a road commissioner, fix his compensation and designate his term of service, not exceeding three years.

Art. 10. To choose all other necessary plantation officers.

Art. 11. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for state aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229 of the Public Laws of 1937.

Art. 12. To see if the plantation will vote to authorize the assessors to rescind any amounts appropriated by the plantation for state aid highway construction in excess of the amount required to meet state apportionments.

Art. 13. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the making of highways and culverts for the ensuing year.

Art. 14. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the making of snow roads for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the making and repairing of bridges for the ensuing year.

Art. 16. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of state and state aid roads for the ensuing year, within the limits of the plantation, under the provisions of Section 8 and 17 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 17. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for road patrol for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for cutting bushes the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To see if the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to pay the note issued by the assessors in accordance with the vote of the plantation at a special meeting held on April 29, 1939.

Art. 20. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of additional hose and other fire equipment.

Art. 21. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 22. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of schoolhouses for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the school library for the ensuing year.

Art. 24. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for public welfare for the ensuing year.

Art. 25. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries for the ensuing year.

Art. 26. To see if the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$25.00 for public health nursing for the ensuing year. Said sum to be expended by the State Bureau of Health, for local service.

Art. 27. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate for advertising our natural resources, advantages and attractions, under the provisions of Section 82, Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes of 1930, said sum to be expended under the direction of the State of Maine Publicity Bureau.

Art. 28. To see what sum the plantation will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the necessary expenses and liabilities of the plantation for the ensuing year.

Art. 29. To see if the plantation will vote to instruct the assessors to buy the bonds for the treasurer and tax collector for the ensuing year.

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Art. 30. To see if the plantation will vote to allow a discount of 2% on taxes paid before June 1, and collect interest at the rate of 1% a month after September 1.

Art. 31. To see if the plantation will vote to authorize the assessors to hire money needed to transact the plantation business for the ensuing year, in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 32. To see if the plantation will vote to authorize the assessors on behalf of the plantation to sell and dispose of any real estate acquired by the plantation for non-payment of taxes thereon, on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Art. 33. To choose any committee, hear the report of any and act thereon.

The assessors hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above named hall and place of meeting on Monday, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, from 12:30 o'clock in the afternoon until the polls are closed.

Hereof fail not, and have with you there and then this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands at Caratunk this 1st day of March A. D. 1940.

C. WESLEY GROVER

WILLIAM B. WHORFF

C. ELDREDE SPAULDING

Assessors of Caratunk Plantation

Attest: Harold W. Martin,

Constable of Caratunk Plantation