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# *Annual Report*

of the Municipal Officers of

# CASTLE HILL MAINE



For the Municipal Year Ending March 1, 1943

## AN ACT Relating to the Slash Law.

R. S., c 11, § 53, amended. Section 53 of chapter 11 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 12 of the public laws of 1931, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 53. Debris and inflammable material caused by cutting forest growth adjacent to lands owned by another shall be disposed of; slash and debris cause by portable sawmills shall be disposed of; permit to be obtained for the burning of blueberry lands and grass lands adjacent to forest growth. Any person, firm, corporation, or agent, cutting any forest growth on property adjacent to the right of way of any railroad or highway within the state, shall leave the growth uncut on the land within 50 feet of the limit of the right of way of a railroad or from the nearer side of the wrought portion of any plantation, town, city, county, or state road; (or shall dispose of slash and debris caused by cutting in such a manner that inflammable material shall not remain on the ground within 50 feet of the limit of the right of way of a railroad or from the nearer side of the wrought portion of any plantation, town, city, county, or state road. Any person, firm, corporation, or agent cutting any forest growth on property adjacent to lands owned by another any forest growth on property adjacent to lands owned by another within the state outside the limits of the Maine forestry district or within the district adjacent to property outside and all such firms, persons, and corporations, who by themselves, their agents, servants, licensees, permittees, or lessees operate, or permit operation of portable sawmills on land which borders on land owned by another shall dispose of slash and debris caused by cutting in such a manner that inflammable material shall not remain on the ground within 50 feet of the property line, provided, that the forest commissioner on his own initiative or upon written complaint of another declares that the situation constitutes a fire hazard. Provided, however, that consent and direction in writing from the forestry department shall be required for the burning of such brush or slash or for the burning of blueberry land and grass land adjacent to any forest growth except when the ground is covered with snow. The forest commissioner shall cause to be furnished to all the chief forest fire wardens and to the municipal officers of all towns and organized plantations of the state, blank permits signed by him, for the burning of brush or slash or for the burning of blueberry land and grass land adjacent to any forest growth. Any chief forest fire warden or the municipal officers of the town, in the county where the land is located, shall have full authority to countersign and grant such permits signed by the forest commissioner. The forest commissioner, may, however, in any particular case called to his attention, overrule the decision of the chief forest fire warden or the municipal officers, and himself grant the permit asked for or forbid the granting of the same. Also provided that such slash and debris, which is not burned in accordance with terms of this section, shall be so broadcast as to keep the hazard on the tract at a minimum.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this section shall on conviction thereof be punished by a fine of \$50. App. March 8, 1941.

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Castle Hill



For the Municipal Year Ending March 1, 1943

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## In Memoriam



Private Franklin T. Porter

Aroostook's First Casualty in World War II  
Born in Castle Hill Dec. 27, 1918. Inducted  
in the service March 15, 1941. Died while  
on a combat training problem with Company  
I, Maine Infantry Regiment, 43rd Division,  
at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, May 15, 1942.



## HONOR ROLL

Garold Alley, Pvt., Camp Pickett, Virginia

Floyd Carter, Signal Corps, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

Fred Clark, PFC, Fort Bragg, N. C.

Vernum Conant, Engineer Corps, England.

Dana Dudley, Lt. Air Corps, England.

Forest Ellis, Corp. C. A. Seattle, Washington.

Wilson Ellis, PFC, Ord. Avn. Corp. New Orleans, La.

Carol Forbes, Pvt., C. A. Camp Davis, N. C.

Roland Forbes, Pvt., Fort Devens, Mass.

Elbert Ireland Jr., Fort Custer, Mich.

Stanley Johnson, Pvt., Air Corps, S. C.

Sterling Lovley, Engineer Corps, Ft. Dix, N. J.

Rowell McHatten, Cavalry, Fort Devens, Mass.

Sterling McLellan, U. S. Army.

Melvin McPherson, Sgt., C. A. Postmaster N. Y. C.

Ira Vincent Porter, Ground Mechanic, Middle East.

Roger Porter, C. A., Ft. Toten, N. Y.

Edward Richardson, c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.

Grover Richardson, U. S. Navy, c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.





Heman Richardson, U. S. Army.

Perley Richardson, Sgt., Brooklyn Navy Yard, c/o Postmaster, N. Y. C.

Wendell Richardson, PFC., Walnut Ridge, Arkansas.

Cecil Smith, Jr., Leesburg Service Sta., Fla.

Merle Smith, Air Corps, Middle East

Clayton Turner, Camp Devens.

Elwin Turner, U. S. Army.

Lionel Turner, PFC, Leesburg Service Center, Fla.

Andrew Wilcox, Escort Guard, Fort Wadsworth, N. Y.

Edward Wood, Infantry, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Delmont Wood, Air Corps, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Freeman York Jr., U. S. Army.

Walter York, U. S. Army.

Donald Young, Corp., Ft. Jackson, S. C.

Elwood Young, Sgt., Hawthorne, Calif.

Note: We are proud to have 34 of your young men assisting Uncle Sam at this time. The Rank, Branch of Service, and name of Camp is listed with the exception of a few cases where this information was not secured in time to be printed.



TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1942

SELECTMEN

Ivan Sawyer                      John Hoffses              R. Milford McHatten  
C. G. R. Chandler                      F. M. Dudley

ASSESSORS

Ivan Sawyer                      John Hoffses              R. Milford McHatten

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

Ivan Sawyer                      John Hoffses                      Avis E. Dudley

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

P. F. Ellis                      F. M. Dudley                      Leland Smith

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

CLIFFORD McGAUGHY

COLLECTORS OF TAXES

H. W. Thompson                      1929, 1930 and 1931 Books  
Ervin Dudley                                      1933 Book  
Herman McHatten      1934, 1935, 1937, 1939 and 1940 Books  
P. F. Ellis                                      1941 and 1942 Books  
ROAD COMMISSIONER                                      P. F. Ellis  
HEALTH OFFICER                                      Leland Smith  
FIRE INSPECTOR                                      Herman McHatten  
FIRE WARDEN                                      Peter Richardson

CONSTABLES

P. F. Ellis                                      Freeman York  
TOWN MANAGER                                      P. F. Ellis  
AUDITOR                                      W. Frank Gardiner



## AUDITOR'S REPORT

December 10, 1942

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Castle Hill:

In accordance with the request of your municipal officers, I have completed an examination of the accounts of your town officials for the municipal year ended March, 1, 1942.

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

### Comments

Treasurer:

All receipts were checked, found to be properly accounted for and deposited in bank.

Balance on hand as shown in Exhibit A reconciles with bank statements as of February 28th, 1942.

Assessors:

The 1941 Valuation and rate was computed, added and found correct. The warrant was properly executed and signed by all three assessors.

Collector:

The Collector's tax book and tax ledger were added and found to agree with the Assessors' records and the warrant unpaid taxes, Schedule No. 2, reconcile with his account.

Liens were placed on real estate May 9, 1942 in the amount of \$4,437.05.

Prior years tax account were reconciled with control account for the respective years except 1931 which showed an average of \$6.41.

**Tax Liens:**

Considerable work is yet to be done on these to bring them into reconciliation with the control due to interest and costs having been added in some years and not in others.

Respectfully submitted,

W. FRANK GARDINER, Auditor

1938 [REDACTED]  
1939 [REDACTED]  
1940 [REDACTED]  
1941 [REDACTED]  
1942 [REDACTED]

VALUATION OF TOWN OF CASTLE HILL,  
APRIL 1, 1942

Real Estate, Resident	\$207,857.00	
Real Estate, Non-Resident	83,234.00	
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Total Real Estate		\$291,091.00
Personal Estate, Resident	\$20,787.00	
Personal Estate, Non-Resident	310.00	
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Total Personal Estate		\$ 21,097.00
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Total Value of Town		\$312,188.00
Value of Land	\$181,792.00	
Value of Buildings	109,299.00	



ALL OTHER KINDS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Stock in Trade	2	\$225.00
Gas Engines	18	540.00
Gasoline Pumps	2	100.00
Musical Instruments	15	750.00
Radios	96	1,920.00
Tractors	22	2,005.00
Black Foxes	2	60.00
		\$5,600.00
Total		\$5,600.00
Amount of Taxable Livestock brought forward		15,497.00
		\$21,097.00
Grand Total of Personal Property		\$21,097.00

Number of Inhabitants, 558  
 Number of Polls Taxed, 133  
 Number of Polls not Taxed, 4  
 Rate of Taxation, .059  
 Total Acreage, 22,383

ASSESSMENTS

1938	
1939	
1940	
1941	
1942	

LIST OF ASSESSMENTS

Town Officers	\$2,000.00
Incidentals	600.00
Town Roads	1,000.00

Third Class Maintenance	161.00	
Snow Removal	1,400.00	
Snow Fence	490.00	
Highway Patrol	600.00	
Support of Poor	1,000.00	
Aid to Dependent Children	1,000.00	
Mothers' Aid	120.00	
Common Schools	3,500.00	
High School Tuition	1,300.00	
Repairs and Appliances	250.00	
School Fund Interest	158.83	
Interest and Insurance	350.00	
Mapleton Fire Department	200.00	
Castle Hill Cemetery	50.00	
Public Health Work	47.00	
Prevention of Tuberculosis	27.95	
Town Debt	1,200.00	
State Tax	2,374.24	
County Tax	634.90	
Overlay	354.12	
<b>Total Assessment</b>		<b>\$18,818.04</b>

**COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET**

Assets:	Mar. 1, 1942	Mar. 1, 1943
Treasurer's Cash	\$ 695.14	\$ 547.02
Unpaid Taxes		
1942		3,380.03
1941	5,388.65	55.03
1940	41.37	31.98
1939	55.54	30.02
1938	26.05	26.05

1937	24.08	24.08
1935	52.84	42.30
1934	47.58	41.46
1933	82.40	81.56
1931	362.93	254.53
1930	228.96	200.96
1929	65.61	65.61
Tax Deeds and Liens	10,636.67	10,384.19
Real Estate	2,160.53	2,759.76
Food Stamps on hand	75.00	
Due from State on Food Stamps	21.00	
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Total Assets	\$19,964.35	\$17,924.58
Liabilities over Assets	2,299.94	1,030.54
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	\$22,264.29	\$18,955.12
Liabilities:		
Unpaid Warrants	\$ 6,903.36	\$ 2,123.43
Bonds Payable	10,000.00	9,000.00
M. S. Fund	3,647.16	3,647.16
Unexpended Balances, Forward	1,713.77	3,562.78
Accounts Payable		621.75
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Total Liabilities	\$22,264.29	\$18,955.12

#### ANALYSIS OF TOWN DEBT

March 1, 1942, Balance	\$2,299.94	
Increased by Outstanding Bills	621.75	
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		\$2,921.69

Reduced by Appropriation	\$1,200.00	
Unexpended Net Balances to Summary	691.15	
		<u>\$1,891.15</u>
Balance March 1, 1943		<u>\$1,030.54</u>

### UNEXPENDED BALANCES FORWARD

	Mar. 1, 1942	Mar. 1, 1943
Education Dept.	\$1,045.43	\$ 2,465.27
Fire Department		100.00
Auto Excise Tax	427.52	333.17
Turner Road Account	240.82	
Aid to Dependent Children		664.34
	<u>\$1,713.77</u>	<u>\$3,562.78</u>

### REPORT OF TREASURER

#### Receipts

##### Taxes:

P. F. Ellis, 1942 Tax	\$15,450.01
P. F. Ellis, 1941 Tax	584.21
Herman McHatten, 1940 Tax	9.39
Herman McHatten, 1939 Tax	25.52
Herman McHatten, 1935 Tax	10.54
Herman McHatten, 1934 Tax	6.12
Ervin Dudley, 1933 Tax	.84
H. W. Thompson, 1931 Tax	111.40
H. W. Thompson, 1930 Tax	28.00

Tax Deeds and Liens	4,998.01	
Auto Excise 1942	206.31	
Auto Excise 1943	333.17	
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Total from Taxes		\$21,763.52
Highways:		
State of Maine, 50-50 Road	\$49.94	
Rental for Gravel Loader	285.60	
Snow Fence	181.42	
Lumber	7.80	
Winter Roads	756.82	
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Total for Highways		\$1,281.58
Education:		
State of Maine School Fund	\$1,889.41	
State of Maine Equalization Fund	2,231.00	
A. P. Waddell, Refund	6.32	
R. H. Hinckley, Refund	142.24	
Caroline Smith, Refund	13.50	
Frank Cray	5.61	
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Total for Education		\$4,288.08
General Government:		
State of Maine Dog License Refund	\$82.27	
Option on Town Property	1.00	
Rent	44.85	
Wood	51.00	
Guard Rail Posts	18.60	
Lumber	15.90	
Rent in Lieu of Taxes	48.65	
Jack Wells, Payment on Lot	5.00	
Town of Mapleton, Refund Telephone Bill	8.43	



Gladys Richardson, Payment on Camp	1.42	
F. L. Hamilton, Discount	.25	
Shovels	1.50	
Bank Stock	.97	
DeLance Lovely, Payment on Real Estate	280.91	
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Total for General Government		\$560.75
Welfare:		
Reimbursements of Participants of Town Poor Account	\$491.77	
Aid to Dependent Children, Verdell Hubbard	60.00	
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Total Welfare		\$551.77
Miscellaneous:		
Northern National Bank, Temp. loan	\$1,200.00	
Wood and Stumpage	411.96	
Federal Land Bank Insurance Refund	1.73	
Interest	521.52	
Cost on Liens	82.50	
Food Stamps	2,327.00	
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Total Miscellaneous		\$4,544.71
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Total Receipts		\$32,990.41
Balance March 1, 1942		695.14
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Total Available		\$33,685.55
New Warrants Paid	\$27,110.82	
Old Warrants Paid	6,027.71	
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Total Warrants Paid		\$33,138.53
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Balance March 1, 1943		\$547.02

Reconciliation Cash Balance:		
Check Book Balance	\$547.02	
Outstanding Checks	2,858.59	
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Bank Balance Feb. 28, 1943	\$2,969.48	
Deposits not Credited	436.13	
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Respectfully submitted,

AVIS E. DUDLEY, Treas.

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#### REPORT OF COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT

##### H. W. THOMPSON, 1929

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$65.61	
By Treasurer's Receipts	None	
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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943		\$65.61

##### H. W. THOMPSON, 1930

Balance due Town Mar. 1, 1942	\$228.96	
By Treasurer's Receipts	28.00	
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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943		\$200.96

##### H. W. THOMPSON, 1931

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$362.93	
By Treasurer's receipts	111.40	
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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943		\$251.53

ERVIN L. DUDLEY, 1933

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$82.40
By Treasurer's Receipts	.84

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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943

\$81.56

HERMAN McHATTEN, 1934

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$47.58
By Treasurer's Receipts	6.12

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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943

\$41.46

HERMAN McHATTEN, 1935

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$52.84
By Treasurer's Receipts	10.54

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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943

\$42.30

HERMAN McHATTEN, 1937

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$24.08
By Treasurer's Receipts	None

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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943

\$24.08

HERMAN McHATTEN, 1938

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$26.05
By Treasurer's Receipts	None

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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943

\$26.05

HERMAN McHATTEN, 1939

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$55.54
By Treasurer's Receipts	25.52

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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943

\$30.02

HERMAN McHATTEN, 1940

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$41.37	
By Treasurer's Receipts	9.39	
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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943		\$31.98

P. F. ELLIS, 1941

Balance due town Mar. 1, 1942	\$5,388.65	
By Treasurer's Receipts	5,333.62	
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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943		\$55.03

P. F. ELLIS, 1942

To Commitment	\$18,818.04	
Supplemental Tax	12.00	
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Total		\$18,830.04
By Treasurer's Receipts		15,450.01
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Balance due town Mar. 1, 1943		\$3,380.03

DELINQUENT TAXES

	1942	1941
Boyles, William	\$124.55	
Burtsell, E. E. and Son	211.40	
Conant, Harry	71.68	
Clark, Peter	105.08	\$22.67
Carman, George	31.56	
Dicker, Nat	48.44	
Dudley, Ervin	309.46	
Grass, Percy	5.95	
Hoffses, John	277.25	

Hubbard, James		7.07
Lovely, Clarence	190.75	
McLellan, Lester	10.08	
McLellan, Mrs. Alice	130.27	
Perkins, Elizabeth	26.02	
Randall, Isaiah	14.99	19.72
Richardson, James		5.57
Richardson, Peter	193.09	
Reed, Henry B.	371.88	
Richardson, Allen	9.03	
Richardson, Walter	3.00	
York, Freeman	79.06	
York, Viola	55.17	
York, Ervin	105.31	

Non-Residents

Aroostook Federation of Farmers	67.76
Josephine and Percy McLellan	30.68
Lovley, Adra	110.63
Johnson, Elina M.	71.36
First National Bank of Boston	71.36

Transferred to Lien Account after March 1st	\$571.60
Paid after March 1st	82.62

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\$3,380.03	\$55.03
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DELINQUENT TAXES	1940	1939	1937
Argraves, Leo	\$ 9.65	\$	\$ 9.95
Clark, Peter	16.59	14.44	
Currier, Harry	3.00		
D. E. Hume and Son			2.13

Hume, Gerald		3.00	
Hume, John	2.36		
Perkins, Clair	2.20		
Randall, Isaiah	5.50		
Richardson, Percy			8.00
Richardson, James		9.58	4.00
VanWart, George	3.00		
White, Hants		3.00	
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	\$42.30	\$30.02	\$24.08
Over	10.32		
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	\$31.98		

DELINQUENT TAXES	1935	1934	1933
Clark, Peter	\$ 7.80		
Hume, John	.82	11.17	
Lovely, Clarence			7.56
McLellan, Andrew			13.33
Randall, Isaiah	15.70	20.21	13.02
Richardson, Percy	3.00	3.00	
Richardson, James	8.98	70.08	
Sharp, Merle			16.45
Ward, Roy	3.00		
Wood, Norris			15.60
Wood and Foote			12.60
York, Lewis			3.00
Young, Joe	3.00		
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	\$42.30	\$41.46	\$81.56

DELINQUENT TAXES	1931	1930	1929
Argraves, Leo	\$ 9.00	\$15.60	\$19.23
Clark, Peter	30.72	31.00	
Carman, George		20.50	
Dudley, M. A.	6.20	17.00	
Foote, Stanley	27.00	11.90	
Hubbard, Verdell	3.00		
Hartley, John	20.80		
Joe, Philip	2.97		
Lovely, Claude	11.20	14.40	
McLellan, Andrew	13.69	16.51	
Randall, Fred	10.13		
Randall, Isaiah	47.16	34.30	46.38
Richardson, James	12.28		
Richardson, J. A.	29.39		
Richardson, Aubrey	3.00		
Sinclair, Herbert		22.25	
Tilley, William	6.40		
Wilcox, Charles	3.00		
Welts, L. D.	19.09	17.50	
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	\$258.03	\$200.96	\$65.61
Over	6.50		
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	\$251.53		

#### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

1938	██
1939	██
1940	██
1941	██
1942	██

Appropriated by Town	\$2,000.00	
Amount Available		\$2,000.00
Expended:		
P. F. Ellis, Town Manager	\$1,200.00	
Ivan Sawyer, Chairman Selectmen	54.00	
John Hoffses, Selectman	44.00	
R. Milford McHatten, Selectman	36.00	
Elmer H. Webber, Superintendent of Schools	100.00	
Clifford McGaughy, Superintendent of Schools	126.00	
Avis E. Dudley, Treasurer	150.00	
W. F. Gardner, Auditor	87.40	
Lilla Porter, Town Clerk	40.00	
P. F. Ellis (Expenses to Bangor and Augusta)	25.64	
P. F. Ellis, School Committee	56.00	
Leland Smith, School Committee	15.00	
F. M. Dudley, School Committee	10.00	
Hazel Smith, Moderator	4.00	
Asenath McHatten, Ballot Clerk	6.00	
Roger Porter, Ballot Clerk	6.00	
Harriett Kierstead, Ballot Clerk	6.00	
Herman McHatten, Constable	2.00	
Total Expended	\$1,968.04	
Unexpended to Summary	31.96	
		\$2,000.00

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#### INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$600.00
John Wells, Payment on Lot	5.00



Leroy Davis, Rent of land	23.00	
Reginald Sharp, Lumber	1.10	
Gladys Richardson, Balance on Currier Camp	1.42	
Paul Estabrook, Rent	10.61	
Treasurer of State, Guard Rail Posts	18.60	
Town of Castle Hill, Wood Transfer	36.00	
Leo Argraves, Rent of Estabrook Farm	11.24	
Treasurer of State, Bank Stock	.97	
Perley Cray, Lumber	14.80	
A. E. Walker, Mining Option	1.00	
Treasurer of State, Dog Tax Refund	82.27	
Scott Turner, Rent in Lieu of Taxes	48.65	
E. H. Webber, Wood (to balance 1941 account)	8.00	
F. L. Hamilton, Discount on printing	.25	
Town of Mapleton, one half cost of telephone at Observation Post	8.43	
P. F. Ellis, 2 shovels	1.50	
Philip D. Phair, Wood (Bal. of 1941 account)	7.00	
Total Available		<b>\$879.84</b>
Expended:		
Margaret Webber, Typing Report	\$ 5.00	
H. O. Walker, Postage	42.09	
Cole's Express, Express on School Lunches	11.26	
P. F. Ellis:		
Expenses to Bangor	16.52	
Expenses to Augusta	21.32	
Tolls Paid	47.51	
Office Supplies	3.38	

Mapleton R. F. D. Carrier, Postage	.50
Mrs. Amber Corliss, Searching Records	16.00
Marks Printing House, Office Supplies	43.85
Register of Deeds, Recording Liens	56.00
Fred N. Beck, Attorney Fees	18.32
Arthur C. Perry Co., Bonds	60.00
J. A. Watt, Postage	2.94
F. L. Hamilton, Printing	21.99
F. M. Dudley, 1941 Excise Tax Refund	21.38
Houlton Pub. Co., Printing Town Reports	99.20
W. J. Mackin, Office Supplies	3.25
Wendell Richardson, Fighting Fire	7.48
Philip Joe, Fighting Fire	2.20
Shepard and Morse Lumber Co., Fighting Fire	10.00
John Wells Jr., Fighting Fire	7.48
Allen Richardson, Fighting Fire	8.36
Ralph Maynard, Fighting Fire	8.36
Levander Richardson, Fighting Fire	4.84
Alden Richardson, Fighting Fire	4.18
Alonzo Ellis, Fighting Fire	1.98
Peter Richardson, Fighting Fire	32.71
Pearl Shepardson, R. N., Toxoid	1.10
Philip D. Phair, Drafting Leases	11.00
E. W. Craig, Office Supplies	.50
Avis E. Dudley, Postage	5.00
A. M. Smith Co., Road Shovels	9.00
E. H. Webber, Postage and Incidentals	9.00
Ralph Maynard, Assisting Surveyor	1.32
Perley Ellis, Fighting Fire	2.20
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Phone at Observation Post	17.34
A. P. Waddell, Fire Pails, Paint, Scythe Stone	7.18

Gould & Smith, Inc., Road Machine Repairs	20.00
A. W. Howe, Checking Town Line	6.50
Earl Tibbetts, Checking Town Line	5.00
Aroostook Co-operative Co., Road Supplies	6.00
Guy Turner, Fighting Fire	3.08
Lionel Turner, Fighting Fire	3.08
Clayton Turner, Fighting Fire	3.08
Ralph Maynard, Repairs at Mc- Pherson Bldg.	1.32
Roy C. Thompson Co., Road Machine Repairs	7.63
Maine Municipal Association, Dues	30.00
Public Adm. Service, Office Supplies	2.45
Everett Richardson, Fighting Fire	7.92
Malcolm Smith, Fighting Fire	7.92
Delance Lovely, Cutting Hay	32.00
A. M. Smith Co., Repairs for Mc- Pherson Bldg.	1.00
Peter Richardson, Hammer Handle	.50
L. J. Sharp, Snow Plow Repairs	13.20
Fred Randall, Repairing Snow Plow	4.00
U. S. Auto and Truck Guide, Excise Tax Books	3.95
Frank Cray, Repairing McPherson Bldg.	3.00
M. D. McGrath, Office Supplies	2.33
L. S. Turner, Fighting Fire	5.72
Town of Mapleton, $\frac{1}{2}$ cost wiring Obs. Post	3.35
W. Frank Gardner, Office Supplies	1.56
No. Nat'l. Bank, Service Charge	.48

Lilla Porter, Recording Vital Statistics	7.50	
Lilla Porter, Postage and Express	2.91	
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Total Expended	\$827.22	
Unexpended to Summary	51.82	
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		\$879.84

### WOOD AND STUMPAGE ACCOUNT

Received From:

Philip Joe, Stumpage on Wood	\$ 40.56	
Maynard Bros., Stumpage on Wood	45.75	
David York, Stumpage on R. R. Ties	97.10	
David York, Stumpage on Wood	3.75	
Brighton Alley, Stumpage on Wood	33.21	
Cecil Smith, Stumpage on Wood	23.14	
Levander Richardson, Stumpage on wood	1.92	
Fred Tompkins, Stumpage on Wood	2.00	
Jack Wells, Stumpage on Wood	5.00	
Ossie Corey, Stumpage on Wood	2.25	
Ervin York, Stumpage on Wood	3.25	
John Hoffses, Stumpage on Wood	16.25	
Fred Randall, Stumpage on Wood	13.50	
A. R. McLain, Stumpage on Lumber	26.04	
Charles Wilcox, Stumpage on Wood	1.37	
Kenneth Thompson, Stumpage on Wood	37.00	
Perley Beaulieu, Stumpage on Wood	37.00	
Andrew McLellan, Stumpage on Wood	2.00	
Lawrence Sharp, Stumpage on Wood	15.62	
George Richardson, Stumpage on Wood	5.25	
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Total Received		\$411.96

Paid:		
F. M. Dudley, Refund on Wood	\$ 6.99	
David York, Refund on Stumpage	1.14	
C. J. Howe, Scaling and Mileage and Cruising	92.16	
Fred Randall, Hauling Wood	14.50	
Walter Burby, Cruising	4.00	
Austin Richardson, Cutting Wood	1.50	
State Forestry Commissioner, Field Notes	2.00	
George Young, Cruising	10.72	
A. C. McKay, Surveying	12.50	
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Total Expended	\$145.51	
Unexpended to Summary	266.45	
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		\$411.96

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LIEN COST

Received by Treasurer	\$82.50
Unexpended to Summary	\$82.50

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AUTO EXCISE TAX

By Unexpended Balance March 1, 1942	\$427.52	
Collected by P. F. Ellis, 1942 Tax	206.31	
Collected by P. F. Ellis, 1943 Tax	333.17	
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Total		\$967.00

1943 Tax Forward	\$333.17	
Unexpended to Summary	633.83	
	<hr/>	\$967.00

**OVERLAY ON ASSESSMENTS**

Amount Assessed	\$354.12	
Supplemental Poll Taxes	6.00	
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Total		\$360.12
Unexpended to Summary		\$360.12

**NOTES**

By Loan No. Nat'l. Bank		\$1,200.00
To Paid No. Nat'l. Bank		\$1,200.00

**TOWN ROADS**

By Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
P. F. Ellis, Lumber	7.80	
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Total Available		\$1,007.80
Expended by Town	\$ 757.39	
Unexpended to Summary	250.41	
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### TURNER ROAD ACCOUNT

1941 Unexpended Balance Brought Forward	\$240.82	
Amount Available		\$240.82
Expended by Town	\$249.39	
Overdrawn to Summary	8.57	
	<hr/>	\$240.82

### 50-50 ROAD ACCOUNT

Received from State Treasurer	\$49.94	
		\$49.94
Expended by Town	\$99.89	
Overdrawn to Summary	49.95	
	<hr/>	\$49.94

### CUTTING BUSHES

Expended by Town		\$283.00
Overdrawn to Summary		\$283.00

### LOADER ACCOUNT

Expended:

Frank Cray, Labor on Loader	\$ 1.52
Joe Ellis, Gas and Oil	33.24
L. S. Chandler, Labor on Loaders	1.76

Wendell Chandler, Labor on Loader	1.76	
Conant Machine Company, Repairs	7.76	
F. M. Dudley, Express on repair parts	1.64	
Guy Turner, Repairing Loader	2.00	
A. P. Waddell, Gas and Oil	10.51	
A. P. Waddell, Repairs	5.29	
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Total Operating Cost		\$65.48
Received from Treasurer of State,		
Use of Loader	\$285.60	
Unexpended to Summary	220.12	
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		\$65.48

**WINTER ROADS**

By Appropriation	\$1,400.00	
P. F. Ellis	2.00	
Treasurer of State, 1941 and 1942	737.46	
Scott Turner	12.36	
Ellery Randall	5.00	
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Amount Available		\$2,156.82
Expended by Town	\$1,833.55	
Expended by State, 1941 and 1942	504.40	
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Total Expended	\$2,337.95	
Overdrawn to Summary	181.13	
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		\$2,156.82

**THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE**

By Appropriation	\$161.00	
Amount Available		\$161.00



Expended:

Delance Lovely, Labor	\$3.95
Ted Maynard, Labor	38.61
Philip Joe, Labor	14.52
The Barrett Co., Road Tar	90.86
Frank Cray, Labor	7.04
Robert Cray, Labor	5.72
Edgar Kierstead, Gravel	.60
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Total Expended	\$161.30
Overdrawn to Summary	.30
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\$161.00

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SNOW FENCE ACCOUNT

By Appropriation	\$490.00
Marcia Welts, Purchase	7.70
Guilford Carter, Purchase	15.40
Leland Smith, Purchase	15.40
Earl and Cliff Turner, Donation	10.00
Philip Joe, Purchase	3.85
Milford McHatten, Purchase	7.70
Alonzo Ellis, Purchase	7.35
Henry B. Reed, Donation	20.00
Ralph and Arthur Welts, Donation	10.00
Delance Lovley, Purchase	11.20
Earl Craig, Purchase	11.55
Paul Estabrook, Donation	10.00
Fuller Reed, Donation	5.00
Scott Turner, Donation	5.72
J. O. Ellis, Purchase	14.00
Ivan Sawyer, Donation	5.00

F. M. Dudley, Donation	10.00	
P. F. Ellis, Purchase	11.55	
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Total		\$671.42
Expended:		
Paid Standard Fence Company	\$217.00	
Paid C. H. Nickerson	463.05	
Paid Marcia Welts	7.70	
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Total	\$687.75	
Overdrawn to Summary	16.33	
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		\$671.42

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#### STATE HIGHWAY AND STATE AID PATROL

By Appropriation	\$600.00	
Amount Available		\$600.00
Paid State Treasurer	\$651.00	
Overdraft to Summary	51.00	
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		\$600.00

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#### SUPPORT OF POOR

By Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Town of Mars Hill, Refund Account of Mrs. Eugene Craig	64.25	
Treasurer of State, Maurice Currier Account	10.00	
Charles S. Wilcox, Refund	39.00	

Treasurer of State, Barbara Joe		
Account	24.00	
Philip Joe, Refund	3.00	
Eugene Craig, Refund	96.25	
Town of Masardis, Refund, Geo.		
Grass Account	98.50	
Town of Wade, Refund, Isaac Richard-		
son Account	46.00	
Elizabeth Cote, Refund	30.00	
C. A. Gough, Cancelled Vouchers	44.87	
Acil York, Refund for Food Stamps	9.00	
Eddie's Market, Cancelled Vouchers	26.90	
Total Available		\$1,491.77
Expended for Elbert Ireland:		
Food Stamps	\$225.00	
David L. Hume, Potatoes and Wood	10.00	
Sidney West, wood	11.00	
R. A. Graves, M. D., Office Call	2.00	
Nat Dicker, Potatoes	22.29	
Ralph Maynard, Hauling Wood	15.81	
C. A. Gough, Groceries and Wood	12.00	
		\$298.10
Expended for Maurice Currier:		
Alonzo Ellis, Wood	\$ 5.00	
Lawrence Sharp, Wood	5.00	
		\$10.00
Expended for Charles S. Wilcox:		
E. B. Griffith, M. D.	\$50.00	
Expended for Mrs. Eugene Craig:		
Presque Isle General Hospital	\$39.25	

R. A. Graves, M. D.	25.00
R. B. Somerville, M. D.	32.00
Town of Mars Hill, Refund	64.25
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	\$160.50

Expended for Mrs. Sterling McLellan:

E. B. Griffith, M. D.	\$ 10.00
Presque Isle General Hospital	103.15
R. B. Somerville, M. D.	100.00
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	\$213.15

Expended for Mrs. Lucy McLellan:

Eddie's Market	\$ 56.90
Boston Shoe Store	.98
Arie Martin, Board of Child	4.00
Mrs. Ralph Currie, Board of Child	3.00
Mrs. Ted Walton, Board of Child	160.00
Dr. S. W. Boone	2.00
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	\$226.88

Expended for Mrs. James Richardson:

Peter Richardson, Hay	\$ 18.45
R. R. Fare for Mabel	10.00
Eastern Maine General Hospital (Mabel)	32.25
Herbie Gough, Hay	16.00
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	\$76.70

Expended for George Grass:

Walter Alley, Trip to Houlton	\$ 5.00
C. A. Gough, Groceries	45.65
W. J. Mackin, Medicine	3.85

R. A. Graves, M. D., Office Call	2.00
Mark Turner, Rent	10.00
R. B. Somerville, M. D.	32.00
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	\$98.50

Expended for Mrs. Louise Randall:

Maud Wilcox, Board and Care	\$168.43
Rohamer Richardson, Board and Care	122.00
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	\$290.43

Expended for Edgar O'Donald:

P. F. Ellis, Expenses checking at Medway	\$ 5.16
Paid Town of Medway	242.82
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	\$247.98

Expended for Gerald Hume Family:

P. F. Ellis, Expenses checking at Newport	\$ 9.84
Paid town of Newport	72.32
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	\$ 82.16

Expended for Acil York:

Food Stamps	\$ 9.00
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Expended for Mrs. Allen Tapley:

R. A. Graves, M. D.	\$ 16.00
R. B. Somerville, M. D.	51.00
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	\$67.00

Expended for Barbara Joe:	
Dr. F. F. Larrabee, Medicine	\$ 32.00
Expended for Marjorie Argraves:	
R. B. Somerville, M. D.	\$ 25.00
Presque Isle General Hospital	24.50

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\$ 49.50

Expended for Mrs. Wilfred McHatten:	
Presque Isle General Hospital	\$ 36.40
Expended for Lawrence Doherty:	
M. Chasse, Clothing	\$ 29.57
Paid State Treasurer, Board at Sanitorium	45.71

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\$75.28

Expended for Elizabeth Cote:	
Cash Advanced for R. R. Fare to Hospital in Boston	\$ 30.00
Expended for Isaac Richardson:	
Presque Isle General Hospital	\$ 31.00
S. W. Boone, M. D.	15.00

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\$46.00

Expended for Jack Wells:	
Lawrence Sharp, Wood	\$ 10.00
Maynard Bros., Wood	23.00

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\$ 33.00

Expended for Mrs. Edwin McLellan:	
Presque Isle General Hospital	\$ 62.00
Total Expended, Poor Account	\$2,194.58
Overdrawn to Summary	702.81

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\$1,491.77

### MOTHER'S AID

By Appropriation	\$120.00	
Amount Available		\$120.00
Paid State Treasurer	\$ 36.00	
Unexpended to Summary	84.00	
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		\$120.00

### AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

By Appropriation	\$1,000.00	
Received from Verdell Hubbard	60.00	
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Amount Available		\$1,060.00
Paid State Treasurer	\$ 395.66	
Unexpended Balance carried forward	664.34	
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		\$1,060.00

### S. M. A. FOOD STAMP ACCOUNT

Balance March 1, 1942	\$ 96.00	
Stamps Purchased	2,231.00	
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		\$2,327.00
Stamps Sold		\$2,327.00

### COMMON SCHOOLS

Unexpended Balance, March 1, 1942	\$1,045.43
Appropriation	3,500.00

School Fund Interest Assessed	158.83	
Caroline Smith, Refund	13.50	
State School Fund, in part	1,355.74	
Equalization Fund	2,231.00	
R. H. Hinckley Book Co., Voucher cancelled	142.24	
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Amount Available		\$8,446.74

Teachers' Salaries Paid:

Maud H. Dudley	\$ 329.00
Ralph B. Low	322.50
Caroline Smith	178.00
Ethel Porter	704.40
Earle Joy	329.00
Susie Leavitt	717.90
Evelyn True	287.00
Louise Wyeth	91.00
Irene Dow	94.00
Evelyn Nickerson	375.40
Maine Teachers Association	6.00
Clifford O. T. Wieden (Cadet Teachers)	1,060.00
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Total	\$4,494.20

Paid Margaret Webber, Clerk to Supt.	40.50
Paid Austice Jardine, Clerk to Supt.	27.65
Expended for School Wood	536.21
Expended for Janitor Service	82.84
Expended for Text Books and Supplies	485.07



Expended for Pupils Board	192.00	
Expended for Conveyance	123.00	
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Total for Common Schools	\$5,981.47	
Unexpended Balance Carried forward	2,465.27	
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		\$8,446.74

### HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriation	\$1,300.00	
State School Fund (in part)	533.67	
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Amount Available		\$1,833.67
Paid Town of Mapleton	\$1,475.00	
Paid City of Presque Isle	275.00	
Paid Town of Washburn	75.00	
Paid Aroostook Central Institute	8.67	
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		\$1,833.67

### SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS

By Appropriation	\$250.00	
Frank Cray Lumber	5.61	
A. P. Waddell, Refund	6.32	
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Amount Available		\$261.93
Expended	\$336.66	
Overdrawn to Summary	74.73	
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		\$261.93



COUNTY TAX

By Amount Assessed	\$634.90
Paid State Treasurer	\$634.90

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AROOSTOOK ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS

By Appropriation	\$27.95
Paid Aroostook Anti- Tuberculosis Association	\$27.95

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PUBLIC HEALTH WORK

By Appropriation	\$47.00
Paid State Bureau of Health	\$47.00

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DISCOUNT ON TAXES

Expended:

P. F. Ellis — 1942 Collections	\$198.30
Overdrawn to Summary	\$198.30

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CASTLE HILL CEMETERY

By Appropriation	\$ 50.00
Paid Castle Hill Cemetery Association	\$ 50.00

## MAPLETON FIRE DEPARTMENT

By Appropriation	\$200.00	
Amount Available		\$200.00
Paid Mapleton Fire Department	\$100.00	
Unexpended Balance Forward	100.00	
		\$200.00

## ABATEMENT ACCOUNT

R. M. McHatten, Excise tax paid on Tractor	\$13.27	
Robert Blaney, 1940 tax, Paid in home town	3.00	
Alton Farley, 1940 tax, moved away	2.75	
Lee Langley, 1939 tax, moved away	1.09	
Bertha Maxfield, 1940 tax, unable to pay	.83	
Bertha Maxfield, 1942 tax, unable to pay	1.18	
Thomas Young Jr., 1931 tax, moved to Conn.	3.00	
Ellery Randall, 1931 tax, tax was paid	3.00	
Edward Wood, 1941 tax, paid in Conn.	3.00	
Frank Sharp, 1942 tax, underage	3.00	
Geo. Grass, 1942 tax, deceased	2.66	
Lewis McPherson, 1930 tax, deceased	24.50	
Jasper McPherson, 1935 tax, unable to pay	10.54	
F. M. Dudley, 1942 tax, error, barn torn down before assessment	14.75	

Merle Sharp, 1931, tax, error in Assessment	81.40	
Frank Ginn, 1931 tax, had paid Collector	9.60	
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		\$177.57
Overdrawn to Summary		\$177.57

### SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS

	Overdrawn	Unexpended
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$	31.96
Incidentals		51.82
Lien Costs		82.50
Excise Tax		633.83
Overlay and Supplemental		360.12
Wood and Stumpage Account		266.45
Highways:		
Town Roads		250.41
Turner Road Account	\$	8.57
50-50 Road Account		49.95
Cutting Bushes		283.00
Third Class Maintenance		.30
Loader Account		220.12
Winter Roads		181.13
Snow Fence Account		16.33
Highway Patrol		51.00
Welfare:		
Support of Poor		702.81
Mothers' Aid		84.00

Education:		
School House Repair Account	74.73	
Miscellaneous:		
Interest and Insurance		453.63
Abatement Account	177.57	
Discount on Taxes	198.30	
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	\$1,743.69	\$2,434.84
Total Overdrawn		<hr/> 1,743.69
Net Unexpended to apply on town debt		<hr/> \$ 691.15

The Auditor was unable to be with us in closing the books on March First. However he has promised an audit at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,

IVAN SAWYER, Chairman  
JOHN HOFFSES  
R. MILFORD McHATTEN  
G. G. R. CHANDLER  
F. M. DUDLEY  
Selectmen of Castle Hill

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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT  
School Fund Account

Available:		
Unexpended		\$1,045.43
Appropriation		3,500.00
Tuition		1,300.00
State: Equal.	\$2,231.00	
Reg.	1,889.41	
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		4,120.41

Refund (Books)	142.24	
Overpay, Teacher	13.50	
Int. Min. Sch. Fund	158.83	
		\$10,280.41

Expenditures:

Teachers	\$4,924.55	
Fuel	536.21	
Janitor	82.84	
Conveyance	158.00	
Tuition	1,833.67	
Board of Pupils	192.00	
Books	187.02	
Supplies	298.05	
		\$ 8,212.54
Unexpended		\$2,068.07

**REPAIRS**

Appropriation	\$250.00	
Material Sold	5.61	
Refund	6.32	
		\$261.93
Expenditures		\$336.66
Overdraft		\$ -74.73

## SUPERINTENDENCY

Appropriation		\$265.90
Expenditures:		
Mr. Webber	\$100.00	
Mr. McGaughy	165.90	
	<hr/>	\$265.90

A little less than a year ago one of the major topics of discussion among the local people interested in schools was the question of whether or not the town would join Perham-Wade-Washburn School Union. After several meetings of the various school committees involved a union of the six towns, Castle Hill, Chapman, Mapleton, Perham, Wade and Washburn was formed. Your present superintendent feels honored to have had the privilege of being the first to serve this combined union. While it seems rather unfortunate that the consolidation had to be brought about at this particular time, a very trying time indeed, activities in general have gone very well. This is due to the fine cooperation given by the good citizens of Castle Hill. Every courtesy that the townspeople and the school officials could offer has been extended, and is greatly appreciated.

Due to the critical shortage of teachers, an innovation in practice teaching was started by the Normal School. It is known as the Cadet Teaching Plan and has worked out very well. We owe these young cadets our most sincere thanks, and our appreciation is extended to Mr. Weiden and his assistants for making these teachers available. Without the aid of these girls it seems quite likely that some of these schools could not have opened. Just what



the situation will be another year is impossible to predict. We are grateful, too, to the experienced teachers for the contribution they are making to the scholastic life of the pupils.

A word in regard to statistics on teacher trends might be of interest. According to the Maine Teachers' Association Research Bulletin No. 3, figures supplied by the 119 superintendents in Maine, out of the 6,134 teachers under contract last June 1, 1,673 (27.2%) left their respective districts by last December. And out of the 1,673 who left their unions, 1,148 (18.7%) left the teaching profession to go into some other field, or to go to some other state to teach. Considering the fact that this is about two out of every 11 lost to the profession it assumes very nearly a crippling effect. This is more deeply felt when it is remembered that the only way to remedy the situation is to call upon retired teachers or close the schools in question. This union has been no exception, when it is noted that there were 34 changes out of 53 teaching positions over the same period.

Last fall the school department was greatly in arrears in its payments to the book and supply companies as well as to some of the teachers. During the past few months tremendous strides have been made toward meeting the obligations. And, if the present rate of progress continues, the bills will all be discharged in the near future. The town officers are doing a fine job in this respect and they deserve the support of every citizen of Castle Hill.

As a matter of record, the Pyle School burned on Thursday, January 28, 1943. This was an unfortunate loss. However it would not seem wise to build another

school of a similar nature but rather to look forward to the construction of a new and adequate consolidated building. Therefore, the insurance derived should be set up as a nucleus toward a new building.

### Budget

#### School Fund Account:

5 Teachers	\$4,680.00	
Fuel	420.00	
Janitor and Cleaning	100.00	
Conveyance (Two)	1,260.00	
Board of Pupils	540.00	
Books	200.00	
Supplies	200.00	
		\$7,400.00
Income:		
Equalization	\$2,200.00	
Regular	1,850.00	
Int. Min. Fund.	150.00	
		\$4,200.00
Appropriation Needed		\$3,200.00
H. S. Tuition		1,400.00
Repairs		250.00
		\$4,850.00
Appropriation One Year Ago		\$5,050.00

Castle Hill, March 4, 1943.

Respectfully submitted,

C. J. McGAUGHY, Superintendent

## VITAL STATISTICS

### Marriages 1942-1943

1942

April 21, Carrol L. Forbes and Elsie A. Boyce.

Sept. 21, Vaughn I. Lovely and Maude A. McHatten.

Oct. 31, Kenneth L. Dean and Mildred Jackson.

1943

Welman B. Pryor and Verna B. Richardson.

Feb. 17, Llewellyn F. Hoffses and Margaret C. Dicker.

Feb. 20, Albion Richardson and Mildred McEachern.

### Births 1942-1943

1873

Nov. 26, To Mr. and Mrs. James E. Twist, a son.

1876

Feb. 9, To Mr. and Mrs. David E. Hume, a daughter.

1878

Nov. 15, To Mr. and Mrs. Allen M. Dudley, a daughter.

1880

March 13, To Mr. and Mrs. David E. Hume, a daughter.

July 21, To Mr. and Mrs. Allen M. Dudley, a son.

1882

May 26, To Mr. and Mrs. Percival B. Turner, a son.

May 28, To Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Welts, a son.

1886

June 30, To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Robinson, a son

1887

March 14, To Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bird, a son.

1888

Feb. 9, To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Robinson, a son.

1890  
April 20, To Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Sinclair, a son.  
May 20, To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Robinson, a daughter.

1892  
Jan. 7, To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Burns, a son.

1897  
Jan. 1, To Mr. and Mrs. George O. Alley, a daughter.

1898  
Jan. 14, To Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Reed, a son.

1901  
Feb. 19, To Mr. and Mrs. George O. Alley, a daughter.

1904  
Oct. 17, To Mr. and Mrs. George O. Alley, a daughter.

1908  
May 17, To Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Fillmore, a daughter.

1910  
Jan. 19, To Mr. and Mrs. Jasper O. Ellis, a daughter.  
March 18, To Mr. and Mrs. Eben Adams, a daughter.

1911  
March 21, To Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Braley, a son.

1920  
Feb. 14, To Mr. and Mrs. Braighton Alley, a daughter.

1942  
Feb. 27, To Mr. and Mrs. Clinton A. Richardson, a son.  
June 7, To Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Sharp, a son.  
Oct. 24, To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McLellan, a daughter.  
Nov. 18, To Mr. and Mrs. Murrey Kenney, a son.  
Nov. 17, To Mr. and Mrs. Charles McPherson, a daughter.  
Nov. 24, To Mr. and Mrs. Delance Lovely, a daughter.

1943  
Jan. 7, To Mr. and Mrs. John Leo Argraves, a son.

Jan. 25, To Mr. and Mrs. Allen Richardson, a daughter.

Feb. 1, To Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sharp, a daughter.

### Deaths 1942-1943

1942

April 26, Mahaley Mae Burtzell, age 67 yrs., 10 mos., 28 days

May 1, George Ray Grass, age 65 yrs., 8 mos., 14 days.

May 11, Ernest Burtzell, age 47 yrs., 4 mos., 8 days.

July 11, Lewis A. McPherson, age 55 yrs., 3 mos., 11 days.

Aug. 27, Christine Matilda Carman, age 68 yrs., 4 mos.,  
26 days.

6 Marriages, 30 Births and 5 deaths reported to the Office  
of Town Clerk from March 1, 1942 to March 1st, 1943.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLA PORTER, Town Clerk

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### PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

“Our country is at war and is facing the most critical time in its history. We know that the war will be won only by hard work and fighting ability of all Americans. This means that the health and vigor of every man and woman in the United States is more important now than ever before.”

To this end the Public Health Nurses in Aroostook County are continuing their program of family education—to build stronger minds and bodies and stressing the prevention of disease.

49 home visits have been made in this town. Again this past year emphasis has been placed on maternity and child health; knowing that the conservation of the life and health and the satisfactory adjustment of every pregnant woman, assures the best opportunity for the growth and development of the baby. One prenatal visit was made.

Nine visits have been made to infants between birth and one year of age, to provide continuous medical and nursing supervision for them and to prevent hazards peculiar to the first year of life. Since the Infant Mortality Rate in Aroostook County is at present 70.1; this is the greatest health problem we have to cope with.

To provide adequate opportunity for growth and development for every child between the ages of 1-6, 71 visits have been made to the preschool group. It is our aim to send every child to school free from physical defects, immunized against diphtheria and vaccinated against smallpox. 29 Immunizations were done.

There have been 22 visits made to crippled children in this town. Many have been to the crippled children's clinic in Presque Isle for care and advice.

Due to the changes in the nurses, the service has not accomplished all that was hoped for but plans are being made for the coming year to expand the service and see if we can not do a large piece of work.

This coming year is a great challenge to all of us to do our utmost to protect our children and to give them every advantage, working under terrific odds and handi-

caps. We must work as a group for the betterment of the town as a whole. This is our pledge that we shall give our children the best possible care available.

Respectfully submitted,  
BERYL B. BUGERSON, R. N.  
Local Field Nurse

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### RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE

Aid to Dependent Children	\$1,000.00
Castle Hill Cemetery	50.00
Common Schools	3,200.00
High School Tuition	1,400.00
Highway Patrol	650.00
Incidentals	600.00
Interest and Insurance	250.00
Mapleton Fire Department	100.00
Pauper Account	1,000.00
Public Health Work	47.00
Repairs and Appliances	250.00
State Aid Construction	533.00
Suppression and Prevention of Tuberculosis	5c per capita
Third Class Maintenance	161.00
Town Roads, Ways and Bridges	1,000.00
Town Officers' Salaries	2,000.00
Town Debt	1,200.00

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### WARRANT

To P. F. Ellis, a Constable in the Town of Castle Hill, in the County of Aroostook and in the State of Maine.

Greetings:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Castle Hill, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Grange Hall, in said town on Monday, the 29th day of March, A. D. 1943 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles to wit:

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

Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to accept the report as printed

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to employ a Town Manager under the provisions of Chapter 130 of the Public Laws of 1939 and to fix the Compensation for said Town Manager.

Art. 5. To choose two Selectmen for the term of three years.

Art. 6. To choose a Town Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 7. To choose all other necessary town officers.

Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to fix a date when taxes shall be due and payable.

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote that poll taxes shall be due and payable the first day of May 1943.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to charge interest on taxes after certain date, if so, how much, and what date.

Art. 11. To see if the town will vote to allow discount on taxes paid before a certain date, if so, how much and what date.



Art. 12. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repairs of highways and bridges.

Art. 13. To see what sum of money the town will 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 Chapter 213, Public Laws of 1941.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Assessors to rescind any amounts appropriated by the town for the State Aid Highway Construction in excess of the amount required to meet State Apportionments.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$161.00 for the Maintenance of improved Sections of Third Class roads or to be used in conjunction with State apportionments for construction of Third Class roads.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the repair and improvement of the Waddell road, if so, how much.

Art. 17. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for common schools for the ensuing year.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for High School tuition for the ensuing year.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for School House repairs and appliances for the ensuing year.

Art. 20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for text books for the ensuing year.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town officers' salaries for the ensuing year.

Art. 22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for incidental expenses for the ensuing year.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for interest and insurance for the ensuing year.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to make temporary loans when necessary in anticipation of collection of taxes.

Art. 26. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the aid to dependent children for the ensuing year.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, if so, how much for the suppression and prevention of tuberculosis.

Art. 28. To see how much the town will vote to raise and appropriate for highway patrol.

Art. 29. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, if so, how much, for the Mapleton Fire Department.

Art. 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to apply on town debt.

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Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$47.00 for public health nursing in Castle Hill. Said sum to be expended by the Bureau of Health for local service.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote snow removal on town roads for the ensuing year, if so, what roads; and raise and appropriate money necessary for same.

Art. 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for snow fence.

Art. 34. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of tax titles held by the town on such terms as they may deem advisable and to execute quit-claim deeds for such property.

Art. 35. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the Castle Hill Cemetery.

Art. 36. To see what action the town will take relative to time of holding town meeting in 1944.

The Selectmen will be in session one hour before said meeting at the Grange Hall, to correct the list of voters.

Given under our hands this 9th day of March A. D., 1943

IVAN H. SAWYER  
JOHN L. HOFFSES  
R. MILFORD McHATTEN  
C. G. R. CHANDLER  
F. M. DUDLEY  
Selectmen of Castle Hill

A true copy,

Attest:

PHINEAS F. ELLIS  
Constable of the Town of Castle Hill

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